

CHADASHOT



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**The Administration, Faculty
and Staff of TABC wishes you a
Chag Kasher V'Sameach.**

Y8 Makes a Siyum

This past week Y8 Gemara, led by Rabbi Malitzky celebrated the siyum on the 4th perek of Brachot. After playing softball and a BBQ lunch at Votee Park, Ariel Rivkin '18, Roi Shushan '18 and Akiva Motechin '19 spoke. Rabbi Malitzky followed with an inspirational lesson on Rav Hutner's explanation of why we don't say the special wedding bentsching (שהשמחה במעון) at a siyum. May all our students continue to taste the sweetness of Torah and accomplish much in their learning.

Please Join Us

TABC Annual Scholarship Breakfast

Honoring
Dr. Naomi Knoller
&
Mrs. Irene Stein

Sunday, May 22nd
9:30am

Invitations were mailed last week. To make a donation and/or reservation, [click here](#).

Thank You from Sinai

The students of SINAI at TABC would like to thank all our friends at TABC as well as the many faculty members who came to cheer us on at our recent performance of The Wizard of Oz. We appreciate your support and enjoy being a part of TABC each day.



TABC Engineers Have Drive

Engineering students Shlomo Greenberg, Aron Kurlantzick, Naftali Lieber, and Netanel Shedlo used the improvement in the weather to test their car. The team, after much trial and error, managed to order, wire, and construct a two battery, two motor, chargeable vehicle capable of transporting an adult. The next stage will be to program the vehicle for object avoidance. Ultimately, we hope to guide it via canned maps and eventually via a GPS.



Upcoming Events

April 20
Late Night Learning

April 21 - May 1
Pesach Vacation

May 2
12 PM
First Session of Adult Ed Series
on Megilat Ruth with Rabbi
Fridman

Holocaust Studies Class Meets WWII Hero

On Thursday, April 14th, as the culmination to their year of studies on the Shoah, students in Mrs. Reichardt's Holocaust Studies class met a true hero. Mr. Alan Moskin, a retired attorney

May 11
Yom HaZikaron

May 12
Yom Ha'atzmaut

May 19
7:15 PM
Junior Spring College Fair
at Ma'ayanot

May 22
Scholarship Breakfast

and WWII veteran, came to share his pre-war, wartime and post-war experiences with the class. A native of Englewood, New Jersey, Mr. Moskin described how he grew up in an ethnically diverse neighborhood and how shocked and unprepared he was to face the bigotry and hatred that he encountered while serving in the U.S. Army in the 1940's. He described what war was really like under the leadership of the famed General Patton. The most moving portion of his talk was his description of liberating a subsection of the Mauthausen death camp. The details and emotions which he expressed enabled the students to actually visualize the shocking reality of the horrors our people suffered. Mr. Moskin is now a board member of the Holocaust Museum in Rockland Community College, which the students visited earlier in the year. At age 90, he spends most of his days speaking to groups throughout the country warning them to never stand by and let evil triumph again. Kol Hakavod and thank you, Alan!

Upcoming Adult Ed Series

Starting May 2 at 12 PM
Weekly Lecture Series on
Megilat Ruth
Given by Rabbi Daniel
Fridman
Open to the Community
Details to follow

Torah Academy of Bergen County Invites Members of the Community to
A Lecture Series on **Megilat Ruth** Given by Rabbi Daniel Fridman
5 Weekly Sessions // Mondays From Pesach to Shavuot
May 2nd • May 9th • May 16th • May 23rd • May 31st • June 6th
12:00 PM at TABC *Tuesday @ 8:00 PM

RUTH: MOTHER OF REDEMPTION
• Why is it that Chazal chose Megilat Ruth to be the core text for Shavuot?
• How does this text help prepare us for Zman Matan Toranenu?
• How can Ruth's status as the matriarch of the messianic line inform our own notions of redemption?

Rabbi Daniel Fridman
Rabbi Fridman joined the Torah Academy at TABC in the fall of 2012, where he serves as the spiritual leader. He is a graduate of the Yeshiva of Flatbush, NY, and holds a Ph.D. in Jewish Studies from the University of Pennsylvania. He is also a member of the American Conservative Jewish Movement and the Orthodox Union. He is a frequent speaker at various events and is the author of the book "The Jewish People in the Diaspora" (2018).

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Alumni Nachat



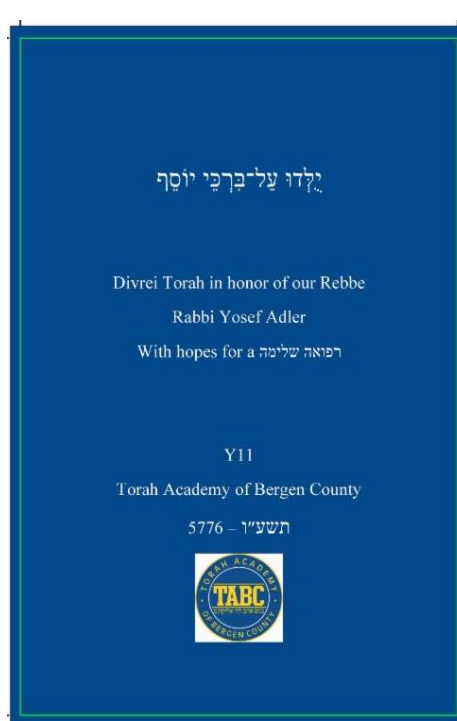
Mazal tov to Rabbi Ely Shestack on his appointment as the rabbi of Congregation Ahavat Achim of Fair Lawn. Read an article all about it [here](#).

Rabbi Adler's Shiur Compiles Book of Divrei Torah in his Honor

With the knowledge that Rabbi Adler would enjoy no gesture of support during his recent absence more than original Divrei Torah from his own talmidim, Y11 produced a magnificent volume in honor of their rebbe. The sefer, which covers topics such as Purim, Pesach, and the mitzvah of Talmud Torah, begins with an introductory essay by Rabbi Fridman, who has been substituting for Rabbi Adler, addressing the distinction between honor accorded a Talmid Chacham, and the qualitatively distinct honor and reverence which must be accorded one's own rebbe. We would all like to thank Murray and Linda Sragow, whose own son Yonatan ('18) contributed to the project, for spearheading this beautiful initiative. Most of



Mazal tov to Alex Hirt '14 on his induction into Tzahal. We wish him only hatzlacha and bracha during his time protecting our country and our people.



all, yashar koach to all of the Talmidim of Y11 for honoring our Rosh Yeshiva in this most meaningful way.

Parnas HaYom

We would like to thank our recent Parnas HaYom Sponsors

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Israel Report

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Rabbi Jachter as Bio Rebbe?

Mrs. Goldenberg's biology students had the privilege of hearing Rabbi Jachter discuss the halachic aspects of cloning. The students had just completed a unit on genetic engineering in biology class. The students were fascinated by all the latest technology in this particular field of science. What intrigued the students most was how some of these issues would be addressed by today's leading poskim. Rabbi Jachter shed light on several of these issues, and how the rabbanim handle some of the challenging questions in the growing field of genetic engineering. Topics included the permissibility of human cloning, organ cloning and animal cloning. The definition of a human being was also addressed. For example, would the Torah regard a clone as human? The key goal of Rabbi Jachter's talk was that halacha has sources and answers for any new technology that emerges and that we must always keep in mind that there is a Torah perspective on any issue we confront. The students were enthralled by the conversation, and the conversation was only limited by the time allowed.

issue of the Israel Report

Kol Torah

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TABC Torah Available Globally

Each week a new D'var Torah by one of our esteemed faculty members will be available online at www.yutorah.org/tabc. The series is well under way, so check it out!

Alumni Shiurim a Hit

Each day this week large numbers of alumni gathered for special alumni pre-Pesach shiurim (and to be treated to a pizza lunch by TABC). Since 2009, TABC has been conducting shiurim for returning alumni before Pesach with large turnouts each year. This year alumni had the pleasure of hearing Rabbi Raphi Mandelstam, Rabbi Rich and Rabbi Malitzky deliver shiurim on topics that helped build excitement for the upcoming Chag. Thank you to Rabbi Jachter for coordinating yet another successful alumni event.

Seeking Parent Volunteers

Family involvement at TABC is critical to our success. We are so grateful for the contributions that parents and alumni make of their time, skills and resources. We invite you to participate by joining one of our active committees for this school year. Please click [here](#) to see how you can get involved.



STORM Report

Congratulations to the STORM JV Softball team on their 2-1 victory over JEC!

Tweeting Up A STORM!

Please follow the Students Activities Page on Twitter [@TABC_Activities](#). Rabbi Miretzky, our Student Activities Director, will be tweeting all about the



excitement going on at
TABC.


CHADASHOT

Chadashot is now archived on
our website.
In case you missed a week you
can click [here](#) to view past
issues.

Monday, April 18th was our first tennis match of the season. The team played a very workman like match. the camaraderie was first class and with that support from each other we won our first match 3-2 against MTA. Coach Bobby was very impressed with the players for their dedication and determination. We are all truly excited about the future of this team and can't wait to get these young men involved in some serious practices.



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