



September 14, 2023

כ"ח אלול תשפ"ג

### IMPORTANT DATES

- **Friday, September 15**  
NO SCHOOL, (Erev Rosh Hashanah).
- **Friday September 22, 1:30 p.m.**  
dismissal.
- **Monday, September 25**  
NO SCHOOL, Yom Kippur
- **Wednesday, September 27.**  
School trip, Apple Picking.
- **Friday, September 29**  
NO SCHOOL, Erev Succot.
- **Monday, October 2**  
NO SCHOOL, Chol Hamoed Succot.
- **Tuesday & Wednesday, October 3 & 4**  
Chol Hamoed Succot, school is open  
8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
- **Wednesday October 4**  
Succot family breakfast, 8:30-9:30 a.m
- **Thursday & Friday, October 5 & 6**  
NO SCHOOL.
- **Monday October 9**  
School resumes at 8:30 a.m.
- **Tuesday October 31**  
Curriculum Night, 7:30- 9:00 p.m.

### COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS

Mazal Tov to Jacqueline Guttman and Zachary Englander, Sonny and Milo, on the birth of Trudy Charlotte this week!

### REMINDERS

- Please complete our Sukkot Chol Hamoed Google Form if you have not yet done so.
- Please send a full, labeled change of clothes as well as a soft pair of indoor shoes to keep in school.
- Please send your child with weather-appropriate gear for outdoor play, every day.
- Recyclable materials for Sukkot junk modeling.
- School opens at 8:30 a.m., ELA starts at 8:40 a.m.!

# Sharing our Rosh Hashanah Learning

Thank you to our mysterious guests who visited us each day to blow Shofar: Rabbi Mendel, Rabbi Zevi, Rabbi Yisroel Fried, and Rabbi Kugel who also spoke with everyone about why we blow the Shofar. The children also really enjoyed learning all about Shofar in Rabbi Fried's Shofar workshop as well as baking Apple Crisp, singing Aveenu Malkeinu, and decorating honey dishes!

We hope you enjoy the children's Rosh Hashana gift bags.

This week in Kriah (Hebrew Reading) we practiced saying Hebrew phrases and hearing their individual words. Say these phrases, clap the individual words and count how many words there are in each phrase!

הַמוֹצֵיא לֶחֶם מִן הָאָרֶץ / שָׁמַע יִשְׂרָאֵל ה' אֱלֹהֵינוּ ה' אֶחָד / שָׁנָה טוֹבָה וּמְתוּקָה

These are some of the Hebrew words we learned this week.

שָׁחַשׁ (sun), מָלַח (salt), יַיִן (wine), לֶחֶם (bread), and מַיִם (water).

Can you use them in short sentences like this?

"We drink מַיִם when we are very hot from the שָׁחַשׁ."

Can you guess these Rosh Hashanah symbols clues?

Its many seeds remind us to ask Hashem for many good things this year.

We say a tefillah with it that Hashem give us a good, sweet year.

It is shaped to remind us that the year goes round.

It reminds us that we want to be a leader for good.

(round challah / apple and honey / pomegranate / fish head)

Wishing all Tamim Academy families a Happy and Sweet New Year!

שָׁנָה טוֹבָה וּמְתוּקָה