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Message From Rabbi Yachnes:

NEVER GIVE UP: The average person will tell you that we celebrate Lag B'omer because the twenty-four thousand students of Rebbe Akiva stopped dying. But why celebrate that? The reason they stopped dying was because they were all dead and there were no more left to die? The P'ri Chdosh says that we celebrate because although Rebbe Akiva worked so long and hard for those students and then lost it all, he **did not give up**. He started again with five new students from whom we have Torah today. **That** is the reason to celebrate! May we hear only good news from Eretz Yisroel. Have a wonderful Shabbos.



2nd grade enjoys their library time with Mrs. Tyberg!



Torah Bowl practice in 2nd grade!



6th grade Gemara vocabulary teamwork game!



2nd grade has a fractions Pizza party with Mr. Engel!



4th grade honing their chess skills during their chess enrichment!



1st grade has a special puppy visitor in Rabbi Engelhart's class!



1st grade practices sentence structure in Mr. Florczak's class!



Torah Bowl practice with Rabbi Waxman!



6th grade learns how to decipher codes in their science class!



8th Grade Pushcart Wars:

One of the novels the 8th grade boys enjoyed reading this year was *The Pushcart War*! In honor of completing this book, the boys held their very own Pushcart sales that all the students and staff took part in. From sushi, prizes, ice cream, and even Mr. Pepper's very own pickle cart- the boys had a fantastic time bringing their learning to life!





ANIMAL OF THE WEEK: The Jellyfish!

<u>Mr. Engel's Fun Fact:</u> Did you know that Jellyfish can have eternal lives?! When they get old, they go and reattach themselves to the sea floor reverting to their child state and then they grow up all over again!



JOKE OF THE WEEK! Why are teddy bears never hungry?







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5th Grade Haschalas Gemara:



Mazel Tov to our 5th graders on receiving their very first Gemara! The boys had the privilege of hearing words of inspiration from Rabbi Yachnes and the other Rebbeim. They also enjoyed some delicious cake to celebrate! Thank you to Rabbi Waxman for preparing the boys for this special moment.





Kindergarten enjoys game centers with Morah Liatt!



Learning units of measure with Mrs. Fischer in 4th grade!



Geometry practice in Mrs. Fischer's 4th grade!



Reading with Ms. Tamsyn in 2nd and 3rd grade!



Saying goodbye to our visiting scientists during their last visit of the year!



Mrs. Segal's 2nd and 3rd grade earns a water play day!



Money math in Ms. Tamsyn's 2nd and 3rd grade class!



Torah Bowl activity with Rabbi Chait!



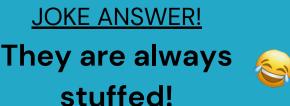
Poetry and art in Mrs. Fischer's 4th grade!



Visiting Scientist:



During their last visit to MTA, the visiting scientists taught the students all about reflexes ! After learning how reflexes work, the children were able to put their learning into action. The students paired up to see and feel how reflexes work in our bodies and made sure to record all their data.





Thought Provoking Parsha Question:

If the Torah assures us that the crop from the sixth year will be excessively abundant, why would any Jews fail to adhere to the laws of Shemittah and insist on planting or harvesting during the Shemittah year?







