

Derech HaTorah of Rochester The Path of Respect and Excellence It's Auction Weekend!

December 6, 2019 ח' כסלו, פרשת ויצא, תש"פ

This Week at D. HR.



Math Superstars!

Tziporah Abrahamson Aliza Lagunov Tali Akkerman Raphaeli Berenstein Sam Brea Chana Blima Caro Leorah Elmaleh Simha Elmaleh Chayala Hanson Simcha Hanson Mussi Hein

Shani Lagunov Chava Tova London Pessa London Devora Max Yael Noble Chana Yaras Mussi Yaras Immanuel Yefraimov

November's Middle School Math Homework Incentive Qualifiers!



Survey Update

Many parents have responded to the DHR Satisfaction and Conference Feedback Survey that was emailed last weekend. However, in order for it to be statistically representative, we need a higher percentage of responses. Please take about 4 minutes out of your busy schedules to share your feelings and opinions.

Security Training
Former Brighton Police Chief Mark Henderson, now the Jewish Community Federation's Community Security Coordinator, did a Safety and Active Shooter training workshop with our faculty last week. The purpose of the valuable training was to prepare DHR staff to react quickly and confidently in emergency situations. Then, on Wednesday, he visited our building again with vendors to get quotes on a PA system.

Last year, we were awarded a major grant to install a perimeter fence, shatterproof ground and first floor windows, a keyfob entry system and additional security cameras. We are actively working on procuring funding from other sources for important additional security updates.

Middos Menchen Stars of the Week

Benny Diskind showed initiative and effectively articulated his opinion in Mr. Newman's science class. Malka Shulman offered to help Mrs. Mammon put books away without being asked to! 7/8 Girls & 5/6 Girls helped set up tables and chairs for the auction. When Mrs. Goldstein thanked them, Tali Akkerman responded, "thank you for giving us the opportunity to help!"

Mrs. Lea Goldstei

Auction weekend is here! Everything looks beautiful thanks to the hard work and creativity of our volunteers and the generosity of our many donors! We are looking forward to welcoming all of our guests!



By the Numbers:

- 117 Packages.
- Over 200 items to win.
- Tons of delicious food and delectable des-
- Hundreds of bottles of assorted beers and beverages.
- Ticket prices range from \$5 to \$25 and \$36 for jackpot tickets.
- Dozens of scholarship funded.

All of the items in our 117 packages have been donated! What does that mean? First of all, it means that there are many gracious and generous donors who want to contribute to a great cause! Also, it means that guests can win great deals since all packages are donated (no costs)! Finally, it means that EVERY dollar raised at the auction will fund scholarships!

No RSVP is necessary so please bring your friends to join the fun at this great event. If you see that our parking lot is full, additional parking will be available across the street at St. Charles!



Check out our full-color 2019 scholarship auction brochure (copies sent home with this newsletter). Also available online! https://www.derechhatorah.org/2019-chinese-auction.html

Benching Superstars!

Yisrael Abrahamson Aviva Kuyunov Yaakov Lagunov Zacharia Akkerman Menachem Caro Ethan Nussbaum Avital Polatoff Chaim Chastain Shira Chastain Gali Scutaru Hirshy Cohen Sima Scutaru Shmuel Hanson Dovi Shulman Pessi Hein Malka Shulman

Shevy Sloviter Aryeh Solomon Aron Dov Vogel Mottel Vogel Fraida Yaras Nosson Yaras Shimon Yefraimov

Mazel Tov to ...

...Rabbi & Mrs. Avi Kilimnick on the birth of their son, Yoel Michael!

...Mr. David Flaum who was appointed by President Trump to the United States Holocaust Memorial Council. He was sworn in this week in Washington, DC



Calendar

Sunday, December 8th - DHR Scholarship Auction, starts at 6:30 pm Monday, Dec. 23 – Friday, Dec. 27 - Chanuka Break - No School

