

SCHMOOZE NEWS

DANIEL ROTHMAN RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

I hope this newsletter find you all safe, happy and sans snow...enough already!!!

The DRRS Family would like to welcome all our new families. Here goes: Welcome to Tori and Karli Applestein and their parents, Brian and Amy; Julie and Alyssa Villareal and their parents, Rachel and Paul; Dylan and Gabrielle Katz, and their parents, Ron and Marni; Noah and Rachael Deutsch and their parents, Ron and Sharon; Gabrielle and Sophia King and their parents, Michelle and John; and Aliya and Asher Peremel and their parents, Julia and Ron. Wow!! We are so happy to have our new and old friends. Every single one makes us better!!

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Just a couple of reminders: RSVP's for Shabbat Chinese Dinner are due no later than Thursday, 2/18/16. Please keep saving the flip tabs from soda cans. As you get a pile, just bring it in. When we have a boatload we will donate them to Ronald McDonald House to help build and maintain these houses for families to stay, at no cost, when they have a sick child receiving treatment. Todah Rabah!

Please note that there are some changes to the online calendar. The following are the most up to date, events, and times.

As always, if you know of any families who may be interested in DRRS, TOL, or Kol Shalom, please have them contact me at educationdir@gmail.com or at 410-991-5317.

B'Shalom,
G'veret Sue

Important Dates to Remember

Saturday-Sunday, March 5 & 6 The 4-5 Sleepover has been canceled because of teachers' family commitments. We will schedule a Sunday afternoon game day for the 4-5 class this school year. Games, pizza lunch, snacks, and fun. We will get a date to you ASAP.

Sunday, March 13 Purim Carnival. Come to religious school at the regular time in costume. We will have school from 9:30 until 11:15, followed by the carnival. More details to follow.

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- Wednesday, March 16 School
- Saturday, March 19 Special Family Shabbat Morning Service featuring the 6-7th grade students. In the Fall we had our first Special Family Shabbat service that was very popular and well attended, so we decided to do another one in March. All DRRS students accompanied by their families are invited to attend this service geared toward children and their parents. The service will begin at 9:30am in the Sanctuary for 4th graders on up. Beginning at 10:00 am there will be two services: one for the older children in the Sanctuary, and one in the double classroom of the school for the younger children. Rabbi Pohl and Cantor Apt will participate in both services. The groups will come together in the Sanctuary at 10:45 and end the service together around 11:00am followed by a light lunch for everyone. Please arrange your schedule so that you and your children can attend! If these services continue in their popularity, they will become a regular part of our schedule in the future. Please make every effort to attend and to support all of our DRRS children, especially the 6-7th grade.
- Sunday, March 20 NO SCHOOL
- Wednesday, March 23 Megillah Reading – no classes
- Sunday, March 27 NO SCHOOL
- Wednesday, March 30 School
- Friday, April 1 Special Shabbat Yachad Service featuring grades K-2. 6:00-7:00pm in the double classroom for children 2nd grade and younger. Songs, prayers, pizza and camaraderie!
- Sunday, April 3 School
- Wednesday, April 6 School
- Friday, April 8 Family Shabbat Service for grades 4-5
- Sunday, April 10 Tentative Naval Academy Synagogue Field Trip for grades K-3. Drivers will be needed. More information coming soon.
- Wednesday, April 13 School
- Friday-Saturday, April 15-16 Rebekah Soreff-Jones' Bat Mitzvah
- Sunday, April 17 Model Seder. More information coming soon.

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Wednesday, April 20 School
Sunday, April 24 Pesach - NO SCHOOL
Wednesday, April 27 Pesach - NO SCHOOL

Please note that this calendar of events is subject to change. We will do our best to let you know of any changes as soon as possible. Please be sure to check your emails regularly to be aware of changes.

We are also working on an updated and newly improved DRRS roster. Please be sure to proofread your entry on our master copy at school. Make changes and initial next to your child (children). When everyone has been given the OK, we will be sure to share it with everyone!