

The GIVANTON



FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2023 | 5783 ג' באב



Justice is this week's theme!

Scale is often used as a symbol of justice. It represents the concept of balance, equality, and harmony.

Our days are filled with opportunities to treat people equally and fairly. If we see any unfairness or injustice happening around us, we should speak up and try to make things right and work for equality.

The Hebrew word for Justice is Tzedek. The Torah places a strong emphasis on the value of justice in Judaism. It emphasizes the importance of actively pursuing justice not once but twice - "Tzedek, tzedek tirdof!" (Deut. 16:20).

This isn't just something one person does - we should all work together for fairness and equality.

Shabbat shalom!



WEDNESDAY, JULY 26

YOM FUTUR CAREER

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP? HAVEN'T DECIDED YET? COME DRESSED AS SOMEONE YOU ADMIRE!

FRIDAY, JULY 28

TEEN CAMP ONEG

PARENTS OF 6-8 AND ANY OTHER COMMUNITY MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR ONEG. COME AND WATCH YOUR CHILD DANCE AND SING AS THEY LEAD US IN ONEG SHABBAT.

SPONSOR A SPECIAL EVENT AT CAMP GIVAH!

PROGRAMS, TRIPS, ONEG SHABBAT & MORE.. HELP TO MAKE THIS SUMMER REMEMBERED FOR EVERY CAMPER. CHECK OUT THE ATTACHED FLYER FOR ALL THE DETAILS.



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GROUP ARTICLES

GAN (3-5 YEAR OLDS)

Gan loved our week! Some favorites were exploring the stream, resting in a big Gan tent! And of course making S'mores. We were all SO brave in the pool. Many of us accomplished going underwater for the first time.

-Sarah Matzner & Sarah Trippany



TSEIRIM (GRADE K-1)

K/1 had an amazing week! We had so much fun on boats, in the pool, hiking, making clay sculptures, and even roasting marshmallows during the overnight! We're so excited to have the fun continue next week!

Sasha Roter, Peter Sandomire & Dani Mikhaylova



NITZANIM (GRADE 2-3)

This week was awesome! We had our under night and made yummy s'mores. Yom Crazy was so much fun, everyone's hairstyles were so silly! Shout out to the boating crew for helping us with our adventure around the bend of the lake. We can't wait to go again and maybe see the Givah monster if we're lucky.

Hannah Greenblatt,
Ilana Carp, Ren Flint,
Matthew Bloom
& Aaron Wrzesinski



NA'ARIM (GRADE 4-5)

Week 4 was such an exciting week for 4-5. Not only did we have so much fun with our long hikes in the woods, or our numerous boating trips this week, but it was our one!! Thanks so much to the parents who could make it up to Givah this Friday and celebrate Shabbat with us. Despite the last minute cancellation of the overnight, we made the best with what we could do and had one of our most fun weeks yet!

Lauren Roter & Ben Chick



SPECIALTIES

BREICHA (POOL)

This week we learned how to kayak! We took the campers out on the lake in kayaks and canoes and explored the greater areas of the lake around the bend! We also continued the fun in the pool, working on improving our strokes.

- Caitlin Overholt, Levi Kovach, Ofer Bahir & Maya Kamenir



BRIUT (HEALTH)

We had another great week with great weather. All the campers have been staying hydrated and being sun-safe. Make sure to do tick checks every day.

- Caitlin Overholt



SPORT

We had a great time in sports this week. We started playing a new game called tennis baseball, which the campers loved. They've also had a fun time playing different sports around camp like basketball, frisbee, Wiffle Ball and others.

-True Haynes



RIKUD (DANCE)

This week in Rikud, we learned line dances, both Israeli and American. We played movement-based games and enjoyed moving our bodies outside to fun and upbeat music. This week Oneg is 4/5, and they are dancing to a high-energy song called Festival.

- Hali Schwalb



SPECIALTIES

LIMUD (STUDIES)

This week in Limud we discussed Devarim and the power of speech and writing. Na'arim had a great Oneg!

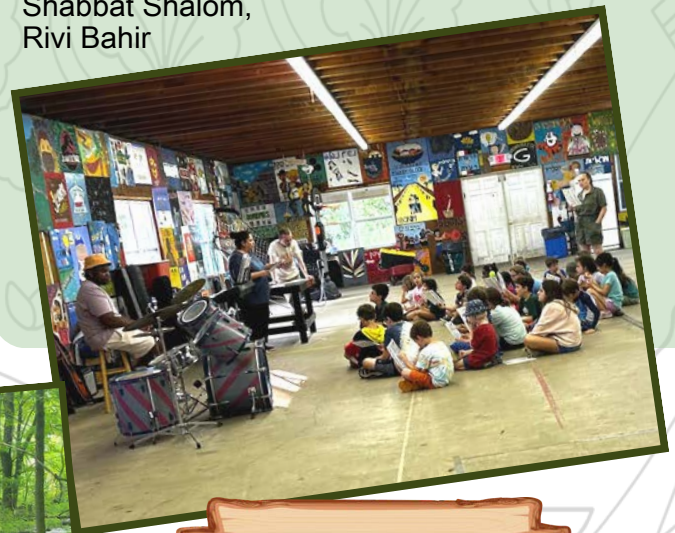
- Aaron Davis



SHIRA (SONG)

It's the Fourth week at Camp Givah. We sing songs from previous Oneg and continue to add more new songs to our repertoire. 4-5 have learned the song "Ma Rabu" and are excited to perform it this Oneg.

Shabbat Shalom,
Rivi Bahir



OMANUT (ART)

We had so much fun in Omanut this week! We got to make our own sculptures. We made them super cool with paint.

- Sara Davis



TEVA (NATURE)

We had a wet week in Teva. The path in the woods has turned into a stream that the campers have loved playing in. They've also learned about different plants and mushrooms that are popping up around camp. The 4-5 campers also took a long hike to two waterfalls in the woods.

- True Haynes



SPECIALTIES

COOKING

We had such a great time this week making Bourekas! We enjoyed the process, from chopping up the onion and peeling the potatoes to mashing them with some delicious spices and, in the end, filling the puff pastry. The Bourekas turned out crispy and delicious - yummy!!

- Rivi Bahir

3 medium yellow potatoes
5 tablespoons oil (vegetable/canola/olive)
1 onion, finely chopped
Sea salt, or kosher salt, to taste
Ground black pepper, to taste
1 large egg - for egg wash
1 package of Puff Pastry sheets or squares
Sesame seeds, for garnish

1. Cook the potatoes in a pot with water until soft and then mash them.
2. Fry the chopped onion with the oil in a pan until golden.
3. Mix the potatoes with the fried onion, salt and black pepper.
4. Cut the dough into squares and put a little of the filling.
5. Fold over the dough and tighten the edges.
6. Brush with egg, sprinkle with sesame seeds and bake at 410 F degrees for 15 to 20 minutes.

B'te-a-von :)



UNDERNIGHT



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SAY WHAT??

(IN A WHISPER):
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FRIEND, IDA?"

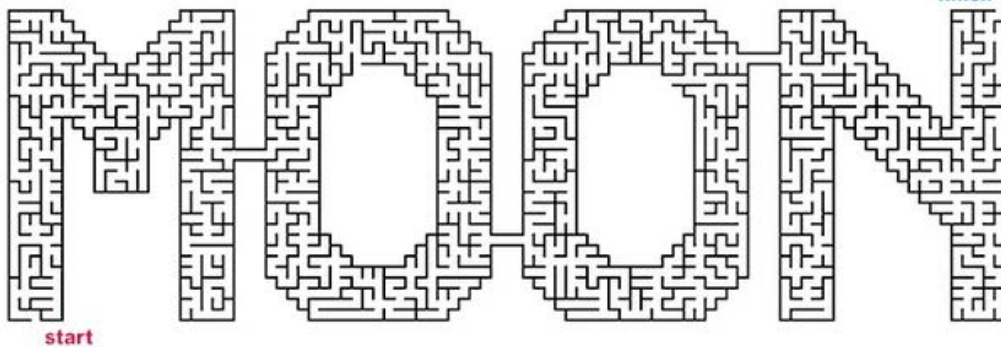
• AMI, GAN

"I LIVE WITH MY MOM
AND MY SISTER AND MY
OTHER SISTER
WHO'S A DOG"

• CARLY, K-1

"TRUE, YOUR DOGGIE IS
THE SWEETEST THING I'VE
EVER SEEN"

RILEY, 2-3



USE YOUR MATH SKILLS TO FIND THE VALUE OF EACH ?

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$$26 - \text{Donut} = \text{Ice cream cone}$$

$$\text{Ice cream cone} + \text{Ice cream cone} = 2$$

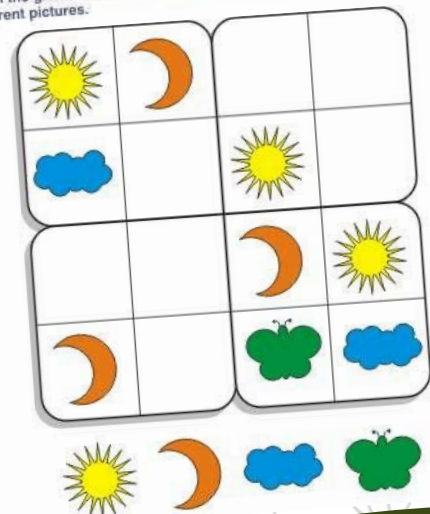
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$$\text{Watermelon slice} + \text{Ice cream cone} + \text{Donut} = ?$$



PICTURE SUDOKU

Fill in the grids so that each column, row and box contains each of four different pictures.





Putting the pieces together!

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