

# THURSDAY QUICK-NOTES

December 10, 2009

23 Kislev 5770

Chanukah

Shabbat Candle Lighting: 4:44 p.m.



- Financial Assistance Applications for the 2010-2011 school year are available. Please contact Elizabeth Takla ([Elizabeth@lernerschool.org](mailto:Elizabeth@lernerschool.org)) for application instructions and materials. A limited number of fee waiver vouchers are also available, if needed. Applications must be completed online at <http://sss.nais.org/> Please note the deadline for all Financial Assistance applications is **February 5<sup>th</sup>**!
- Don't Forget! You can win dinner for 2 at Magnolia Grill & \$50 towards babysitting when you make your pledge to the Annual Fund by December 18<sup>th</sup>. Thank you to all of the parents who have already pledged. Every gift is important – and tax-deductible!
- The EC & ED Chanukah Program is **Wednesday, December 16<sup>th</sup>**. We are asking all students to be at Judea Reform on Wednesday evening no later than 5:45 p.m. The performance will begin promptly at 6:00 p.m. and end by 7:00 p.m.
- Due to the amount of rain we have had, it gets pretty muddy on our playground and field. We are suggesting that everyone send their child to school with an extra set of clothes - just in case!

## Upcoming Events:

- **Wednesday, December 16<sup>th</sup>**– EC & ED Chanukah Program– 6:00 p.m. @ Judea Reform
- **Mon.– Friday., December 21<sup>st</sup>– January 1<sup>st</sup>** - Winter Break– School Closed
- **Monday, January 4<sup>th</sup>**– School Reopens
- **Monday, January 18<sup>th</sup>**– MLK Day– School Closed
- **Wednesday, January 20<sup>th</sup>**– 3rd Grade Family Program– 8:15 a.m.

## Question of the Week:

**Kindergarten-1st Grade:** Name 3 special things we do to celebrate Chanukah.

**Answer:** Play dreidel, eat sufganiote and latkes, give presents and gelt, sing Chanukah songs and light the Chanukiah.

**2nd-5th Grade:** What were the names of the 4 brothers of Judah Maccabee?

**Answer:** Eliezer, Shimon, Yochanan & Yonatan

# Tribute Fund



Donations have been made by the following people  
to commemorate special events:

- Carolyn and Philip Rogers in honor of Isaac Chmura and Shea Brooke Shubitz's births
- Roslyn and Sidney Schulson in honor of Matilda, Michael, and Louis Smith
- Craig Riegelhaupt and Denise Esserman in honor of Dr. Richard Adelman
- Jonathan and Deborah Wahl in honor of Adam Goldstein winning the Evans Award
- Rabbi Zalman and Yehudis Bluming in honor of Bini Silver
- Clara Fallick in honor of Eva Sarah Hammer
- Dirk and Marlo Wilcox in memory of Frederick P. Alpern, MD
- James Donally in honor of Ben and Ellie Goldman and in memory of Melvin Donally II
- Edward and Sharon Halperin in honor of Adam Goldstein winning the Evans Award and in honor of Tal Lewin-Wittle winning the Siegel Young Leadership Award
- Morris and Ann Wechsler in honor of and wishing Dan, Stephanie, Caroline, and Julie Wechsler a Happy Hanukah
- Dan and Stephanie Wechsler in honor of Morris and Ann Wechsler
- Jamie Hirsh in honor of Elianna Goldstein's Bat Mitzvah
- Rabbis Eric and Jenny Solomon in honor of Nicole McIntyre, Fiona Mueller, Ofra Sheetrit, and Ahuva Mechanic