



Sandton Sinai

NEWSLETTER

Parashat: Korach 11 June / 2 Tammuz

Candle Lighting: 17:05. Shabbat Ends: 17:57

Torah Insights

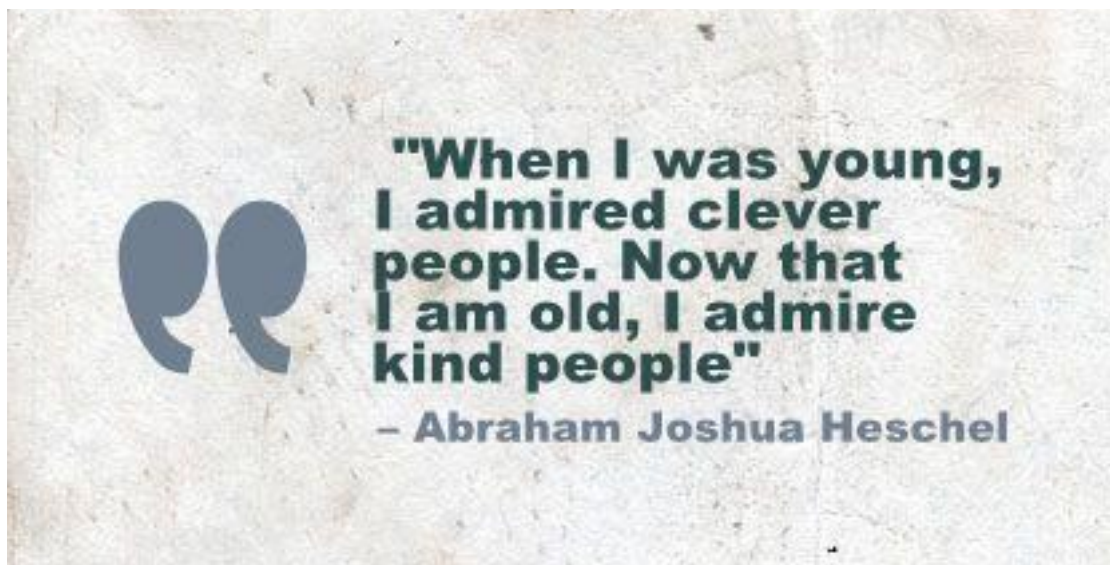
Korach challenges the leadership of Moshe and the granting of the kehunah (priesthood) to Aharon. He is accompanied by Datan, Aviram and 250 distinguished members of the community. The earth opens up and swallows them.

Aaron's staff miraculously blossoms and brings forth almonds to prove that his designation as high priest is ordained by HaShem.

G-d commands that a terumah ("uplifting") from each crop of grain, wine and oil, as well as all firstborn sheep and cattle, and other specified gifts be given to the kohanim (priests)

**"It is our attitude
at the beginning of
a difficult task
which, more than
anything else, will
affect its successful
outcome."**

WILLIAM JAMES





PLAY AND NURSERY SCHOOLS

A word from our Nursery and Playschool principal

Dear Parents,

"You can't wait until life isn't hard anymore before you decide to be happy" Nightbirde.

A saying that most of us have seen on social media over the past few days. How true is this quote, even more so now than ever before. Life isn't always as we envision it to be, but we have the power to make our own happiness. We have the power to equip our children to create a happy and thriving life for themselves and find the happiness in every day. Our own happiness is the key to our children's success. They look up to us for strength and guidance, therefore it is important for us to ensure that we are emotionally healthy.

As we learn about different Occupations a key element was the acknowledgement of the Nurses and Drs who are on the frontline fighting this pandemic. The children drew beautiful pictures for the Covid ward staff to say a big thank you for everything.

Last night our Brocha party for our special Morah Sara ended an incredible week. We completed our Occupations theme and everyone came dressed up today as what they want to be when they grow up! Next week we will be learning about our 5 senses.

Wishing everyone a shabbat Shalom
Regards
Morah Shira

Announcements

Daddy/ Special persons and me has been postponed.

Dates to Diarise

Wed 16 June	Public Holiday
Postponed	Special person/Daddy and Me
Sun 27 June	Parent Teacher meetings on Zoom

Welcome

A warm welcome to Jessie Kletz who joined our playschool





PRIMARY SCHOOL

A word from our Primary School principal

Dear Parents,

"The show must go on" is a phrase in show business, meaning that regardless of what happens, whatever show has been planned still has to be staged for the waiting patrons.

And that is exactly what we are doing at Sandton Sinai Primary School. Despite the challenges of Covid, the stage is set, the directors are teaching, the actors are learning, the curtains are drawn, the lights are on and the show is in full performance mode.

Some of the incredible stage acts we have watched over the past few weeks include:

- Celebrations of barmitzvahs and batmitzvahs
- Guest Rabbi's addressing us at simchas and assemblies
- Siyums for the completion of sections in Jewish Studies studies for Grades 3, 4, 5 and 7
- Construction of bedouin tents as Grade 6 learn about Israel and 'experience' life in the desert
- Creative and dynamic project work
- Eisteddfod training
- Active aerobics training during breaks
- School wide Brocha party

The grand finale of the past few weeks which 'brought the house down' was the singing of Hallel on Rosh Chodesh Tammuz. Nothing permeates the walls of the school more than the sounds of Hallel. As we welcome the new month of Tammuz in, may it bring a refuah shelaima for all those who need it, strength to continue our performance, peace and love.

Shabbat Shalom
Mrs Lara Salkinder

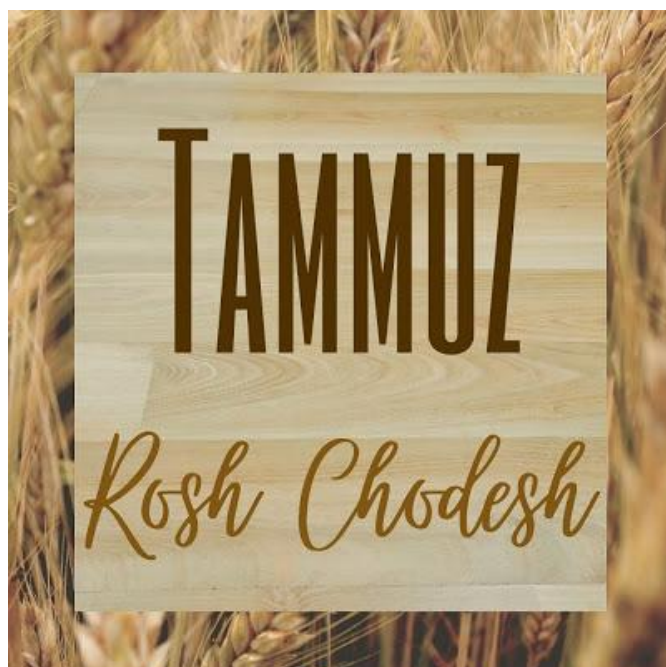
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Photographs:

Grade 1/Absentees and Sibling Photographs: a message will be sent out the day before

Dates to Diarise

Wed 16 June	Youth Day / Public Holiday
Tue 22 June	Chumash Party on Zoom
Tue 29 June	Grade 1 Siddur Party on Zoom
Mon/Tue/Wed 28/29/30 June	Parent interviews on Zoom
Fri 2 July	Last day of Term 2





ANNOUNCEMENTS AND SECURITY

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BIRTHDAYS

Skyla Bradshaw
Zara Arnold
Samuel Mann
Maoz Margalit
Yehuda Simona
Precious
Morah Kerri
Yehuda Simona

MAZALTOV

Mikeli Bass for putting on
Tefillin.
Zara Karp for her Batmitzvah.

SECURITY ROSTER

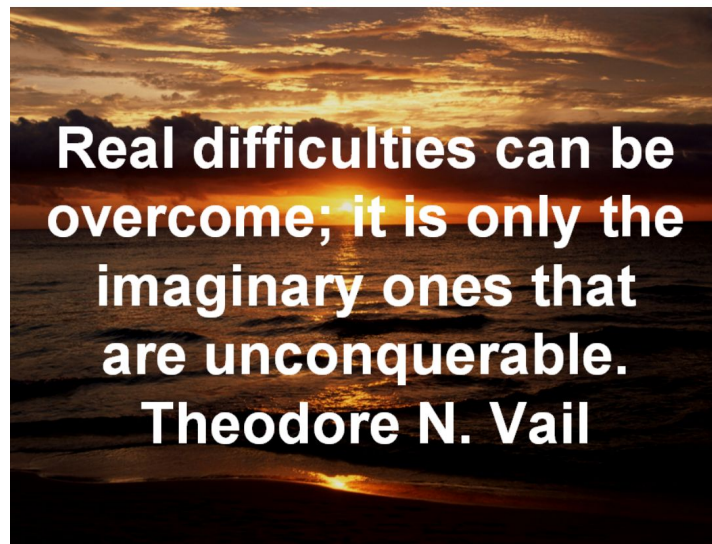


WE ALL ARE HERE TO KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE
SHOULD YOU NOT BE AVAILABLE TO DO YOUR SHIFT
PLEASE SWOP WITH ANOTHER PARENT

DATE	MORNING SHIFT	AFTERNOON SHIFT
	8H00 - 9H00	11H45 -12H45
MON 14 JUNE	CROOK	HURVITZ
TUES 15 JUNE	SILBER	ZWEIRS
WED 16 JUNE	PUBLIC HOLIDAY	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
THURS 17 JUNE	BRADSHAW	CHARNE
FRI 18 JUNE	RIVKIND	SMITH



TOVA TALKS



We spend so much time worrying about all the “what if’s”. We spend so much energy worrying about a future that may or may not happen. Our kids may also be living in a state of stress “What if I fail my exams, what if no one comes to my party, what if everything goes wrong”

We spend so much time worrying about an unknown future that we forget that all we really have is the present. This moment. And this moment. And this moment. And in this present moment I have everything I need to deal with whatever comes my way.

If we could teach our kids to live in the present, to plan and prepare for the future, but not live in fear of it, to live in the present, and believe that if any of those “what if’s” do come true, they will know what to do, then we can live with courage & resilience and take each day as it comes. Because all we have is right now. And right now, we’re ok.

Tova Goldstein,
Social Skills Development Consultant for Grades R - 7