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*This week's Kiddush is sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. David and Sivia Fine
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** Please remember to repeat Krias Shema. **

Friday Night Minyan

This Week: Parshas Korach, June 16th
Candlelighting (Earliest, Latest): **6:57, 8:12**
Mincha: 7:00

Next Week: Parshas Chukas, June 23rd
Candlelighting (Earliest, Latest):
6:59, 8:14
Mincha: 7:00

Rov Out-of Town

The Rov will be away from Tuesday, June 19th through July 4th. He will be available as usual at 303-476-3909 or RabbiTzviSteinberg@gmail.com. All the shiurim will continue as posted.

Kinyan Masechta Shiur Time Change

The Shiur now takes place each evening at 7:30 pm till the 2nd Mincha at 8:20. You now have a choice to daaven Mincha before or after the Shiur.

SEED is coming!

Be prepared for a enhanced Seed season with the bochorim of the Philadelphia Yeshiva with Nightly Chavrusa Learning, Thursday Night Mishmar and To'ameha, Daily Gemorah Shiur and Lunch for Bochorim, Oneg Shabbos and Shabbos Nachamu Leil Shabbos Kumzitz, Community Outing with Biking and Family Bar-B-Q, Melave Malka and more. Stay tuned. Details to follow!

Meoros Hagedolim

Each week, stories and anecdotes will be shared about a different Gadol, giving us all the opportunity to come to learn about and appreciate our Gedolim of yesterday and today. Each participant will receive a photo of the Gadol discuss that week to bring home. **This week**, Parshas Korach, **The Vilna Gaon** will be presented by **Rabbi Yehoshua Hoffman** at 6:25 pm, followed by Mincha at 7:00 pm.

Yeshiva Graduation

Yeshiva Toras Chaim invites the community to its Commencement Exercises, on Wednesday evening, June 20th at 7:00 pm, at Yeshiva Toras Chaim, MB Glassman Foundation Community Social Hall. A Dessert Reception in honor of the graduates will follow the ceremony.

Program for Bochorim

מְאֹרֹת הַגְּדוֹלִים
Develop an Appreciation of our Gedolim of Yesterday and Today!

Each Shabbos, 35 minutes before Mincha. Each week one specific Gadol will be described with stories and anecdotes.

Each bochor that attends will receive a picture of the Gadol discussed that week. For grades 3 and up.

Shabbos Parshas Korach
The Vilna Gaon
Presented by
Rabbi Yehoshua Hoffman
6:25pm
In the Ezras Nashim followed by Mincha at 7:00 pm

Yeshiva Tenu Kבוד לתורה Kinyan Masechta Siyum

Yeshiva Toras Chaim invites the community to a Gala Siyum of 39 talmidim on Maseches Kiddushin on Thursday evening, June 21st. The Siyum and Dessert Reception will begin at 6:45 pm and take place at Yeshiva Toras Chaim, MB Glassman Foundation Community Social Hall. Guest speaker, Rabbi Yaakov Krause, Rav, Young Israel of Hancock Park and Menahel of Yeshiva Toras Emes, LA, CA, will share Divrei Torah at 7:15 pm, followed by music and dancing.

Save the Date: Adopt-a-Kollel Shabbos

Rav Calev Unger, the Rosh Kollel of our adopted Kollel, Kollel Aish Tamid will be visiting on Shabbos on Shabbos Parshas Pinchus, July 7th. Stay tuned for details about programming and open house.

Owl Group

A number of OWLs drove up to Boulder on Tuesday and enjoyed a very delicious lunch at the "kosher

stop" of University of Colorado's food court supervised by our own Rabbi Label Crystal. After lunch, a short drive took us to Chataquah Park where we took a short hike. Then we headed back home. It was a very gratifying and enjoyable experience.

Mussar Learning! For Men and for Boys

For Men: Each week, 20 minutes before מעריב שבת מוצאי שבת, learn from the treasured words of הרב הגאון רבי אליהו דסלר זצ"ל, starting from the beginning of the חלק ג' , and continuing through the ספר. This week the section, זיכוי הרבים – עמל העבודה will be delivered by Rabbi Yisroel Rosskamm, beginning at 9:00.

For Bochorim: Each week, 20 minutes before מעריב שבת מוצאי שבת, using the picture based text, "We Want Life", come and learn through the entertaining presentation of Rabbi Menachem Zussman

about the important and inspiring halachos of Shmiras Halashon. Each week after Maariv there is a raffle for prizes, and for each week you attend over 5 weeks, you will receive a raffle ticket toward the grand prize: A family pass to Boondocks, or a new bicycle. ספרים will be provided. **Due to popular demand, we now have another 10 We Want Life seforim for everyone to use.**

West Side Bar-B-Q

Good news! The Bar-B-Q has been rescheduled. The new date is Monday, August 27th from 4:30-6:30.

Parsha Delight and ספר מטעמי זרע אברהם

זרע אברהם

See the question below on the Parsha. Offer an acceptable answer to the Rov at the kiddush and receive a chocolate! Each week the answers for the previous week's Parsha Delight question will be printed in the newsletter. At the end of the year we will publish a compilation of the questions and answers. This program is for ages 5-105. Sponsored by East Side Kosher Deli.

Kashrus Alert

Pringles is changing many of their OU pareve potato crisps to OU dairy. This may or may not be a result of a product reformulation. If a Pringles product is marked OUD and ingredients state 'whey' or 'milk', it is real dairy. If the ingredients don't state 'whey' or 'milk', it is dairy equipment. Those that have the plain OU designation are pareve.

Shabbos Davening and Learning

Candlelighting (Earliest, 18 Minutes).....	6:54, 8:09
Mincha/Kabalas Shabbos	7:00
Mishna Berura	Rav Steinberg.....8:00
Shacharis.....	8:30
Sof Zman Krias Shema.....	8:40, 9:16
Sefer HaChinuch.....	R' Hillel Erlanger.....4:15-4:45
Daf Yomi	R' Yoil Unger.....4:45-5:45
Pirkei Avos for Women.....	Ms. Dassi Indich.....5:00
Shiur Maseches Pesachim.....	Rabbi Rosskamm.....5:45-6:45
Sugya Kiddush on Shabbos.....	Rav Steinberg.....5:45-6:45
Meoros HaGedolim.....	Rabbi Y. Hoffman.....6:25
Pirkei Avos for Men	Rav Steinberg.....6:45
Mincha	7:00
Shmiras Halashon Program for boys	Rabbi M. Zussman.....9:00
Michtav Mai'Eliyahu for Men	Rabbi Y. Rosskamm ...9:00
Maariv.....	9:20
Tefilla Shiur	Rabbi Hoffmanafter maariv

Weekday Davening

Shacharis Sunday.....	6:30, 8:00
..... Monday and Thursday	6:10
..... Tues. Wed. and Friday	6:20

Mincha Sunday-Thursday**7:15 and 8:20** followed by shiur
Maariv Sunday-Thursday**@ 8:50**

Daf Yomi	R' Yoil Unger	M-F at 5:20 am, Sun at 7:20 am
Kinyan Masechta Kesubos.....	Rav Steinberg	M-Th..... 7:00 pm
Kinyan Masechta Review	Rav Steinberg	Sun..... 9:00 am
Chabura Shmiras Halashon	Rabbi M. Zussman ...	M-Th..... after Maariv
Night Seder	Sun-Thurs 7:30 pm
Partners in Torah.....	Tues 7:30 pm

NEW SHIUR ON THE SEFER WE WANT LIFE

WRITTEN BY RABBI YISROEL GREENWALD

Each week, 20 minutes before מוצאי שבת of מעריב, using the picture based text, "We Want Life", come and learn through the entertaining presentation of Rabbi Menachem Zussman about the important and inspiring halachos of Shmiras Halashon. This Week at 8:48.

Each week after Maariv there will be a raffle for prizes, and for each week you attend over 5 weeks, you will receive a raffle ticket toward the Grand prize: Either a family pass to Boondocks, or a new bicycle. ספרים will be provided.

Morze Seforim have arrived!

Consumers should always be careful to check for the kosher designation.

The Orthodox Union will no longer certify **Tree Top Cranberry Juice Cocktail** because the formula of this product changed. The OU symbol will no longer be on this product. Consumers should be carefully look for the OU symbol before buying a product to verify its kosher status.

The Orthodox Union certifies **Kroger Ranch Flavored Tuna** as an OU D - Dairy product. This product contains dairy as indicated in the ingredients and allergens statements. Some labels bear a plain OU symbol, without the D - Dairy designation. Corrective actions are being implemented.

The following products sold by Lotus Foods, 921 Richmond Street, El Cerrito, CA 94530/ shop.lotusfoods.com mistakenly bear the Scroll K symbol: **Jade Pearl Rice Ramen with Soup, Millet and Brown Rice Ramen with Soup.** Corrective action is being taken.

Newsletter E-mail List and

Contact Information

Please e-mail all contributions, mazel tovs, sponsorships, etc. to

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no later than Wednesday evening. E-mail ensures that nothing will be left out or misspelled. All entries will run for one

week unless otherwise specified. The Shul reserves the right to omit or amend any submissions. To be added to the e-mail distribution list, please send an e-mail requesting to be included.

מטעמי פרשה פרשת קרח Parsha Delight Question

Why name a Parsha after קרח? We could understand why a Parsha would be called נח or נחש, as these are the names of Tzaddikim, but קרח? Moreover, why call a Parsha after בלק?! Don't we say in Yoma 38b דלא אמר רבי אלעזר : רקביבות תעלה בשמותי, דלא אמר רבי אלעזר : ושמ רשעים ירקב. מאי ושמ רשעים ירקב? אמר רבי אלעזר : רקביבות תעלה בשמותי, דלא אמר רבי אלעזר : ושמ רשעים ירקב. That from the possuk we derive that a Rasha's name should not be used?

NEW SHIUR ON THE SEFER מכתב מאליהו

Each week, 20 minutes before מעריב of מוצאי שבת, learn from the treasured words of הרב הגאון רבי אליהו דסלר זצ"ל, starting from the beginning of the חלק ג', and continuing through the ספר.

עמל ועבודה - זיכוי הרבים

DELIVERED BY RABBI YISROEL ROSSKAMM 9:00 PM

ספרים will be provided.