



# Shalhevet

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## It's Time to Celebrate!

Welcome to Morasha 2023! We are thrilled to have everyone back in their summer home! We have been counting down the days with counselors and specialty staff preparing for this moment! Counselors and Division Heads eagerly greeted their campers at the busses on Tuesday. It was so nice to see familiar faces and meet some new friends!

Opening night was AMAZING! The Mercazia was full of energy as we welcomed everyone home! Each division came decked out in their divisional colors and t-shirts and introduced their Division Heads with enthusiasm! Each division was treated to their own videos. Check them out on our divisional instagram accounts!

Regular activities were in full swing this week! League teams were drafted, Wayne County teams were made, campers jumped in the lake and made art projects in the Arts Village! We completed the week with an epic Purim in June! Purim music was enjoyed throughout the day on the new camp wide PA system and everyone enjoyed the Purim seudah and chagiga with Joey Newcomb! We are looking forward to what is in store for Week 2!





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## Spotlight on New Senior Staff... Meir Jacoby

### Roving Reporter

what activity are you looking forward to the most?

Brandon grossman (b2) baseball

Dani katzman (b2) baseball

Moishe Lederman (B10) Basketball

Sruli Abed (B2) Kickball

Emmie Weiner (G3) Dance

Liv Spira (G5) Adventure

B9 dorney park

Raylie Wokowsky (G5) Basketball

What do you do during the year?

I am currently a YU Semicha student studying in Israel (Gruss Kollel)

What is your favorite camp meal?

Deli sandwiches

What is your favorite sport?

basketball

Working with amazing staff on sport staff and LT

What are you most excited for this summer?

How many boys campus Wayne County teams are winning the championship?

All 4 teams are projected to win this year!

Describe boys campus in one word

energetic

## Parsha Thoughts....by Devorah Schreier

One of the more intriguing paragraphs in this weeks parsha is the Shiras Be'er. Bnei Yisroel sing a song to the well that gave them water for the past 40 years. A question that many meforshim ask is, why are they singing a song to the Be'er now?? They have had it for 40 years! What changed today? There are many different approaches to this answer, Rashi takes the view of the medrash, that they weren't really singing about the Be'er, but about the water that came from the Be'er that day with signs showing them that Hashem saved them from their enemy. The Netziv explains the singing now by saying that they are in the 40th year, about to enter Eretz Yisroel, so like we bench after we eat, they were singing at the culmination of 40 years. A third answer that I want to highlight now is one that I heard from Rav Assaf Bednarsh quoting the Sefer "Misinai Ba". Why are they only singing now? Because when Miriam died, the Be'er stopped. They didn't have water for a little bit of time, until Moshe hit the rock and water came forth. He explains that it is because they had it for 40 years that they are only singing now. They got used to it and didn't see it as a miracle anymore, so only once it stopped for a little bit did they realize what a big gift this well that they have is. There are many things in our lives that we have had for a long time, just because we are used to it does not mean we can take it for granted. Don't wait for it to stop to appreciate it, thank Hashem for it now. This shabbos, think of one thing that you have, even if it is something that has been around for 60 years;) and make sure to thank Hashem for it!

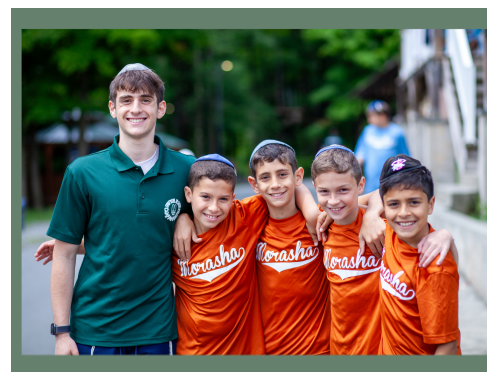






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## PHOTOS OF THE WEEK





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## Weekly Brain Teasers

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