

# SHALHEVET

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# VEEK AT A GLANCE

Aug 11

Super Bowl **Bunk Wars** 

Aug 12 Eicha

Aug 13

Tisha b'Av

Aug 14

Camp-wide Production of Annie

Aug 15

Night at the Oscars Sulam Returns

Aug 16

Pickleball Tournament

Shabbat Nachamu

Aug 17

**Boys Sports Leagues** Girls Sports Night

### WEEK WAS GREAT

Visiting Day was the start of an action packed week. Even though it rained a bit, our family and friends still showed up in droves to give us hugs and smiles. Campers were excited to show their siblings their bunks and the adventure sports, parents were wowed by the creative projects they saw in the Arts Village and everyone enjoyed the fish tacos, chili dogs and pulled beef sandwiches in the dining hall. And after all our visitors left, we got sushi for dinner!

Campers got a chance compete in friendly games against friends from Lavi, Mesorah, Moshava IO, Nesher and Seneca Lake during Intercamps on Monday. Some t-shirts were exchanged as new friends were made.

Hineinu, this year's Nine Day's Production, written by our own head of Performing Arts, Sally Shatzkes, was a reminder that we all have the capacity to be a shallach (messenger) of Eliyahu HaNavi and help others. If an opportunity knocks, we should open the door to chessed. Yeshar koach to the cast and crew, the choir, Rabbi Rothwachs and Yehuda Hershkowitz, who led the audience in tehillim at the end of the show.

We welcomed the board on Thursday. The campers and staff were proud to show off our campus. The members were equally proud and impressed with how all the campers and staff were actively participating in activities. Hineinu!



# ROVING REPORTER

# What was the best thing that happened in camp so far this summer?





## PARSHA THOUGHTS

Zachary Beer NB Chinuch Head

We start off the last book of the Torah with a strange term- דברים. We probably think this means that the pasuk is just saying "These are the things Moshe said to Bene Yisrael" as an introduction to the book overall. However, R' Abraham Joshua Heschel explains that the meaning of the word "דבר" is much more complicated than we realize, writing that:

"There is no equivalent for the word "thing" in biblical Hebrew. The word "davar" which in later Hebrew came to denote thing, means in biblical Hebrew: speech; word; message; report; tidings; advice; request; promise; decision; sentence; theme, story; saying, utterance; business, occupation; acts; good deeds; events; way, manner, reason, cause; but never "thing."" (The Sabbath, pg 7)

So clearly the idea of "דברים" is more than just a set of things. It can contain stories, halachot, morals, and so much more. Perhaps this is also why Chazal call this book "משנה תורה"/Mishneh Torah", the review of the Torah (which is also what the English name of the book, Deutoronomy means as well!)- It is the book that contains aspects, ideas, and lessons from everywhere else in the Torah.

We review the entire Torah in Sefer Devarim, which also starts off our last full week of camp. As we start the week, we should try to reflect on the time we had together and the lessons we have learned, along with all of the other "things" we did. In the spirit of the book and the word, let us think about the many סדברים of our time in camp.

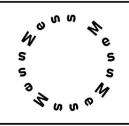
# PHOTOS OF THE WEEK



#### WEEKLY BRAIN TEASERS

#### REBUS PUZZLE



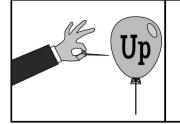






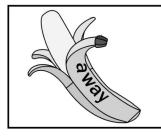




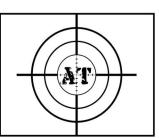


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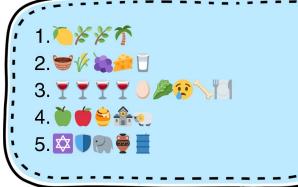






## EMOJI PUZZLE

Guess the Jewish Holiday



#### RIDDLE

What gets wet while drying?

#### **BONUS PUZZLES**

DAY DAY
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#### MORASHA BY THE NUMBERS



Summers of Camp Morasha



984

Total number of campers this summer



Pounds of flour the kitchen staff uses to make challah rolls each week

Amount of pictures taken by camp photographers on Visiting Day

# THESE PICTURES WERE ALL TAKEN IN CAMP. CAN YOU FIGURE OUT WHERE?





