



## FYHS Weekly Update

I would like to welcome you to the 2<sup>nd</sup> year of our weekly update of news and happenings in the Fasman Yeshiva High School. This e-mail update is meant to provide information such as the times of upcoming activities, schedules of out shabbasos and basketball games and other timely information. Additionally, Rabbi Josh Zisook, who is the director of recruitment and marketing, will be sending out information and pictures regarding the FYHS and the entire HTC as separate e-mails.

If you want to change your e-mail address or add one for your business address please feel free to do so. The main purpose of this update is to convey information to the parents and I want to be certain that everyone is receiving it.

### Attendance Hotline

The Yeshiva has an attendance hotline. The purpose of the attendance hotline is to provide parents with a way to inform the office that a student is late, absent or needs to leave the Yeshiva for an appointment etc. A note to the office will be unnecessary, if the hotline is used. The hotline is available 24 hours a day. **If your son is absent or late, please inform us as soon as possible. It is difficult to go back and change records days after a student was absent or late.**

**The phone number is 1-847-982-2500 Extension 222.**



## E-mail a Rebbe or Teacher

Communication between teachers, parents and students is of great importance. Therefore, all Rabbeim and teachers will have an e-mail address that can be reached by going to the HTC home page WWW.HTC.EDU and clicking on the Fasman Yeshiva High School button and then the faculty button. Of course, we continue to encourage communication through phone calls.

The Rabbeim's e-mail addresses are set up and we hope to have the rest of the faculty set up by the end of next week.

### Honors Bekiyus Option

HBO, the very successful extra curricular learning program of the FYHS will start this Sunday, September 6th. There are 3 different shiurim to choose from. Any student who has 80% attendance to his shiur per semester will receive honors credit towards Gemara.

#### 9th Grade- Sunday 1-2 and Tuesday 7-8

Maseches Rosh HaShanah with Rabbi Sher (Rabbi Sher is a member of the FYHS staff)

#### 10-12th Grade- Sunday 1-2 and Wed 7-8

Maseches Sukkah with Rabbi Horowitz (Rabbi Horowitz is a member of our Kollel)

#### All Grades- Sunday 1-2 and

Thurs 8:30 -9:30 Bava Kamma B'YUN- In depth study of what you are learning in the morning with Rabbi Weinberg (Rabbi Weinberg is an 11<sup>th</sup> grade Rebbe in the FYHS)

## Welcome Back Trips

This past week, all of our out of town students and many in town students went on welcome back to school trips. Tuesday night, the trip was to Bowling and Wednesday night to Nickel City amusement center. Below is a picture of Netanel Warren (junior, Denver) bowling.



## Motzai Shabbos Sports and Pizza

This Motzai Shabbos all of our dormers as well as the senior class will have sports on our campus and at Laramie park. The park which is across the street from the Yeshiva has lights and we will be able to play touch football and Softball. On our campus, the boys can play indoors at Hillel Torah or outdoors under the lights on our basketball court. Sports will be followed by Pizza. The program will run from 9:00 – 11:00. Next week and the last week of September we will once again have this program for the other classes. More info to follow.

## Extra Curricular Activities

The following activities are scheduled to begin shortly. Throughout the year different activities will be offered.

- 1) Tennis Tournament --- 28 boys signed up and the games begin tomorrow.
- 2) Stock Market Game --- 60 boys signed up and the game begins on Tuesday
- 3) Band--- Tryout will take place on Wednesday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00  
Right after the yomim tovim, we hope to have
  - 1) Flag Football
  - 2) Intramural Basketball
  - 3) School Newspaper
  - 4) Self Defense-Kick Boxing
  - 5) Drum Lessons

## Welcome Back Gift

Every student in the FYHS received a towel with our Yeshiva Logo as a welcome back gift.



## Basketball Tryouts

Tryouts for the Junior varsity team will be scheduled shortly.  
Tryouts for the senior varsity team will take place on Thursday night, September 10 at 9:00 p.m. and Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. in the Hillel Torah gym.  
Tryouts usually last for approximately 2 hours.

## Important Information

Dear Parents and Students:

Traditionally Chodesh Elul and the beginning of Chodesh Tishrei have been a time for introspection. Klal Yisrael has always attempted to improve themselves in the vital areas of Teshuva, Tefilah and Tzedaka. Naturally, the Yeshiva places a major emphasis upon these themes to inculcate within each student a sense of Yiras Shamayim and communal responsibility. We have always viewed the upcoming Yomim Tovim as an integral component of each talmid's educational experience, and extension of his learning in Shiur and during Seder time.

We would like to remind you that it is in this spirit that our custom has been to require all high school students to remain in the Yeshiva for: the 2 days of Rosh Hashana and for Yom Kippur.

Any talmid who feels that due to unusual circumstances, he cannot be at the Yeshiva, he **MUST** clear his absence **several days in advance** with Rabbi Ginsparg. An unexcused absence will be viewed as a serious offense and may result in lowered grades.

Many Rabbeim and Talmidim will be participating together in the Yeshiva for the whole Yom Tov of Shemini Atzeres-Simchas Torah, and more will be walking-in for Hakafos. The ruach of the Yeshiva, in the Beis Midrash and at the seudos, will certainly be a most inspiring experience.

While we encourage all of our talmidim to join the Yeshiva for Shemini Atzeres and Simchas Torah, attendance **will not be mandatory** for high school talmidim.

When making travel arrangements, for dorming students in particular, please note that all classes resume on Monday morning, October 12 (Isru Chag).

This year, Selichos will be recited on Motzei Shabbos, September 12-13<sup>th</sup>. Full time dorm students are obligated to join the Yeshiva's Selichos program. The schedule will be as follows: Seder at 11:30 p.m., shmooz at 12:25 a.m. and Selichos at 12:45 a.m. Shacharis will begin on that Sunday morning, September 13<sup>th</sup>, at 8:45 a.m. Starting on Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, until Yom Kippur, we expect all students to be punctual for daily Selichos which will begin at 7:25 a.m. for all high school students.

With best wishes for a Kesiva V'Chasima Tova.

Sincerely,  
Rabbi Moshe Wender

Principal

**HEPATITIS A IMMUNIZATION REGISTRATION & CONSENT**

Patient's Name	
Street Address	
City, State, Zip	
Telephone	
Date of Birth	
School	

I consent to the administration of vaccine for the prevention of Hepatitis A to (name)\_\_\_\_\_. I understand that no guarantees as to the efficacy of the vaccine can be made, although studies have shown 96% protection. There may be discomfort, swelling or redness at the sight of administration, or headache. **Anyone with hypersensitivity to formalin should not receive the vaccine.**

I understand that there is a charge of **\$35.00 for all high school students** and \$65.00 for any adult in the community 18 and over, **for each** of the series of two immunizations, to cover the cost of the vaccine and materials to administer it. The charge may vary as vaccine prices change. Please make checks payable to **CCTC** (Chicago Center for Torah and Chesed).

**1<sup>st</sup> - September 9, 2009**

**2<sup>nd</sup> - March 10, 2010**

Signed (parent or guardian): \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	Dose 1	Dose 2
Date of immunization		
Vaccine lot number		
Date of expiration		
Site of administration	L/R deltoid	L/R deltoid

## Coming Up

The First OUT SHABBOS is scheduled for Parashas Breishis. October 16-17.

Suits 20/20 clothing store (7651 N. Caldwell in Niles) is having a special sale on Wed and Thurs September 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> 5:00 – 9:00 p.m. They are advertising a 20% discount and if you mention HTC when making a purchase, they will donate 5% to the Yeshiva. There will be transportation

for the dormers on Wednesday night.

We are looking forward to a wonderful year of learning, growth and enjoyable activities.

Have a Good Shabbos

Mordechai Ginsparg

Assistant Principal