



פרשת נצבים-וילך  
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## A Visit from SKA High School...

The time of year has come when SKA High School visits Otsar Day Hab!

The participants were jumping out of their seats with excitement when we announced the latest development. We counted down the days leading up to the visit with anticipation. The big day finally arrived.

We warmly welcomed the Tenth-Grade students into our building. We started out with a Rosh Hashanah-themed project. The participants received a wooden square. We cut out paper butterflies and pasted it on the board. On top of that, we glued red metallic paper in the shape of an apple. The warmth and love from the SKA girls was felt all around.

**Bracha** made a connection with one of the staff and figured out that she knows her niece! **Maria** was spotted in deep conversation with one of the girls.

**Yossi** was smiling from ear to ear. After completing the project, we turned on music and began to dance. The energy started to mount as the participants joined hands with the students. **Yanky** was brought in to the center of the circle and





cheers erupted! **Roger** amazed us with his robust energy. **Peryl** was laughing, thrilled to have made many new friends. It was truly heartwarming to see everyone dancing together! We then took a group photo. Those bright smiles were fast in coming. We thanked the girls and gave out treats to show our appreciation. The participants were sad to see the students go but we know that real soon, we'll be seeing our friends again. The memories of this special afternoon will stay with us for a long while!!

### **Rosh Hashanah Craft..**

*Rosh Hashanah is drawing near,*

*The smell of honey is in the air.*

*We pray for a year of success and good health,*

*One of happiness and abundant wealth!*

Day Hab has been a bustle of activity as we are preparing for the upcoming Yom Tov. Rosh Hashanah signs hang proudly on our Day Hab walls. Joyous music can be heard over the loudspeakers.

"Dip the apple in the honey.." On Tuesday, Fayge unraveled a sophisticated craft. The participants would be designing a board



complete with a jar to place honey in and a dipper. We each received circular tissue paper along with a glass jar. We pasted the different colored papers on to the panels. The participants then coated the jar with mod podge, creating a stained glass effect. **Mark** had a serene look on his face as he stroked the brush. **Eddie J** was thinking about what the craft symbolized. We can hardly wait to grace our tables with these meaningful boards as we crown Hashem as our king!

### **Birthdays of the Month..**

Monday brought along a day filled with camaraderie and celebration.

The participants clapped and sang for those born in September.

Happy Birthday **Anat** and **Gita**! Anat made us a beautifully

decorated chocolate cake with whipped topping and sprinkles.

Gita received a birthday balloon and colorful hat. The

participants showered the celebrant with well wishes. We sang

Siman Tov U'Mazel Tov out loud and in unison. In our main room,

we have a sparkling birthday bulletin board with the pictures of

those celebrating each month. These birthday parties are one of the

many innovative activities that are part and parcel of Otsar Day Hab!!

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