

פרשת קדושים
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Spring Flowers..

We have been welcoming the warm weather with grace after a long winter. The participants can feel the warmth of the glowing sun and hear the birds chirping as they unload the buses each morning. We jumped right back into our arts n' crafts group and created artsy flowers. The participants received a template with a circle "vase" and stems. We blew up balloons and prepared red, orange and yellow paint. We then dipped the balloon in to the paint and painted "flowers" on the stems. **Peryl** enjoyed this creative way to paint. The participants chose decorative paper and pasted it on the vase. **Eshka** marveled at how authentic the craft looked. We can hardly wait to see these masterpieces hanging in Day Hab. *"Roses are red, violets are blue. Otsar is sweet and so are you"*





Balloon Swatting Game..

Have you heard the latest news?! Each week, the staff will present an innovative exercise game. Here at Otsar, we're always looking to spruce up our activities and raise the bar. Tuesday brought along a day filled with colorful balloons and good cheer. The participants sat in two rows, facing each other. Each participant got a fly swatter. We blew up balloons and placed them in the center of the two rows. Our job was to hit the balloons to the participants on the other side, using the swatter. Lots of cheering and laughter was heard as the participants competed in this fast-paced game!! **Mark** hit the balloon to **Gita**. **Sara** missed the hit from **Miriam** but quickly found the balloon and swatted it back. It was heartwarming to watch everyone work together to make the game a smashing success. We all know that there is never a dull moment at Otsar Day Hab!!

Sefiras Ha'omer..

Here at Day Hab, we are making the days "count"! Each day, a lucky



participant is chosen to recite the bracha on the omer. **Shoshana** and **Yanky** were some that eagerly counted the omer. We have a picture of a blown up mountain and numbers that we change each day. The participants are counting 49 days until the Yom Tov of Shavuos.

Preparation is fully underway to make this Shavuos the most unforgettable one yet!!

Kitchen Scoop..

Join me as we take a peek inside our kitchen group. Our seasoned chefs have mastered many culinary skills and handle these tasks in stride.

On Monday, we had quinoa, nutritious fish and vegetable salad.

Tuesday brought along an all-time favorite, homemade pizza. Our stomachs grumbled in anticipation as we prepared the food.

We topped it off on Thursday with a special Rosh Chodesh treat.

You guessed it, potato kugel! The lucky group of participants hammered away but their efforts surely paid off. We were all

impressed with how flavorsome the food tasted. Hats off to our

wonderful chefs!!