

# What's Up?

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(Ma Ha-inyanim?)                      4 Kislev 5771

## Important Dates:

*Friday November 19                      Katy & Mor's class lead Shabbat*

*Monday November 22                      Grandparents/Grandfriends Day for students who attend  
MWF only 9-10:30 a.m.*

*9-9:15 a.m.                                      Arrive in classroom*  
*9:15-9:30 a.m.                                Go to Big Room for Havdalah Service  
led by Kathleen & Leah's class*  
*9:30-10:30 a.m.                                Return to class for snack/project,  
dismissal*

*Tuesday November 23                      Grandparents/Special Friends Day for students who attend  
M-F or Tuesday & Thursday*

*9:30-10:20 a.m.                                Arrive in classroom, snack, project*  
*10:20-11:00 a.m.                                Go to Donsky Gym for Thanksgiving  
Play & Sing a long*  
*11-11:30 a.m.                                    Thanksgiving Feast, Dismissal*

*Wednesday November 24                      School closed in observance of Thanksgiving*  
*Thursday November 25*  
*Friday November 26*

*Wednesday, December 1                      Chanukah 1st night*

# Grandparent/Special Friends Day Take Home Permission Form

*(Dear Parent please fill this form out and return to school with your child if you would like your child to go home with their Grandparent or Special Friend )*

Please permit \_\_\_\_\_ to  
Name of Grandparent/Special Friend

take home my child \_\_\_\_\_ at 11:30 pm  
Child's name

on Tuesday November 23

Teachers Name \_\_\_\_\_

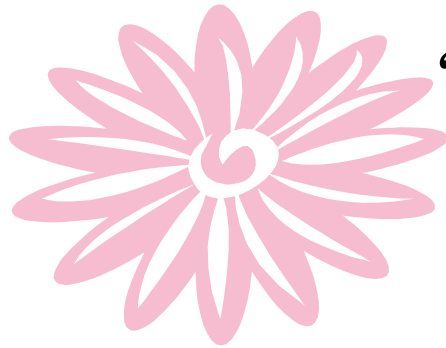
Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## ***JEWISH STUDIES UPDATE...***

The children in Kathleen and Leah's 3 year old class will serve as the leaders of our next Mitzvah Mensch Project. With their help our school will create over 100 Chanukah cards which will be distributed to the elderly in our Jewish community. The children are currently learning all about the mitzvah of *Hiddur Penei Zaken*, honoring the elderly. This project, will be a meaningful hands-on connection to this important Mitzvah. The children will have the opportunity to explain all about the project, distribute materials and pick up the finished cards from each classroom. If you know of anyone who would appreciate receiving one of our cards, please let me know. We would love to spread our beautiful cards all over town. The cards will be delivered to area nursing homes and to Jewish Family Service.

Alyse Eisenberg  
ECC Jewish Studies Coordinator



*Younger Set cordially invites you to*

**“Learning How To Bake Challah”**  
with  
Devorah Zakon



Wednesday, December 8th, 2010  
10:00-11:30 a.m.

**\*\*Please bring 1-2, new, inexpensive, cooking utensils or bakeware that we can donate to Chai House!\*\***

DATA of Plano  
3203 Independence Parkway, Suite 3251  
(SW corner of Parker and Independence)  
Plano, Texas 75075

Come one, come all!  
Bring a friend, bring 2 friends!  
This hands-on, fun & free event is open to all women in the community!

Younger Set is a campaign division of young married women 42 and under within the Jewish Federation of Greater Dallas. By joining the Council of Younger Set, you can attend events that fit your lifestyle and schedule, help others, meet new friends, and feel good about getting involved in your Jewish community.

If you are interested in learning more about this event or Younger Set in general, please contact Robin Stone at [robinstone@hotmail.com](mailto:robinstone@hotmail.com)



## Younger Set 2011: Executive Council

Lindsay Feldman, Younger Set Chair

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Kim Velevis, Communications Chair

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# FamiliArts Field Trips

2010-2011 Season

Enriching the lives of Children Throughout the Metroplex for 2 decades!

Sponsored by the Jewish Community Center of Dallas  
All performances take place in the Zale Auditorium at the J  
7900 Northaven Rd. Dallas, TX 75230  
214-739-2737 \* [www.jccdallas.org](http://www.jccdallas.org)

## *Science, Theatre Arts*

### ***Super Scientific Circus***

**with Trent Arterberry & Mr. Fish**

**Monday, October 25, 2010**

10 a.m. and 12 noon

Grades K-6

In a fast pace, high energy, hilariously entertaining interactive performance, former Big Apple Circus clown, Mr. Fish, and internationally renowned mime, Trent Arterberry, show us that science is fun and funny! Using amazing circus skills involving boomerangs, bubbles, beach balls, bullwhips, magic and mime, we learn about friction, inertia, centrifugal force, aerodynamics, sonic booms, air pressure and ultraviolet light.

*“What a great way to help children understand scientific principles”*

## *Social Studies, Theatre Arts, Science*

### ***World of Wonder***

**A Multi-Cultural show featuring Leland Faulkner, Master of Visual Theatre**

**Monday, December 6, 2010**

10 a.m. and 12 noon

Grades K-6

Leland Faulkner, brought up in Africa, Afghanistan and Iran, and has traveled in Germany France, Thailand, Japan and China, presents an amazing and unique multi-cultural program that captures children’s imaginations through shadow play, illusion, the amazing use of light, origami and stories from around the world. His critically acclaimed theatre productions, using visual effects, enables the children to enter into an imaginary world that is filled with movement and mystery encouraging them to walk away with intriguing visions of their own. *“This program is not to be missed. It is Extraordinary!”*

## *Social Studies, Theatre Arts*

*A Living Voices multi-media presentation*

**Share the World of Anne Frank**

### ***Through the Eyes of a Friend***

**Monday-Tuesday, January 24, 25, 2011**

10 a.m. and 12 noon

Grades 4 – 12

Witness the pain, loss and hope of young people during the Holocaust by sharing Anne Frank’s world through the eyes of her friend Sarah. This sensitive, powerful interactive experience brought to us through a unique combination of historical film footage and live theatre, is a poignant portrait of friendship and survival. Endorsed by the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum, it deals with the repercussions of labeling and stereotyping, and is recognized as a breakthrough model of consciousness raising and educating students in grades 4 – 12.

*“Informational, motivational and inspirational! A great performance!” “Our children need to know so that history will not repeat itself.”*

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***Literature, Theatre Arts, Music***

ArtsPower National Touring Theatre

***Anne of Green Gables – A Musical***

**Monday, February 7, 2011**

10:00 a.m. and 12 noon

Grades 1 – 6

Lucy Maud Montgomery's classic novel is a wonderful portrait of the vulnerability, imagination and love of a child growing up and finding her way in the world. Anne Shirley, one of the most beloved heroines in literature, has captivated young people and adults alike for nearly a century. Set in the town of Avonlea on Prince Edward Island, Canada during the turn-of-the 20<sup>th</sup> century, Matthew Cuthbert and his sister Marilla want to adopt a boy from the orphanage in Halifax to help them with their chores. Unbeknownst to the Cuthberts, Anne, a spirited young girl with an enormous imagination arrives from the orphanage instead. Before they can send her back to Halifax, Anne, yearning for a better life and a family she can call her own, attempts to win them over.

*“This rich score, beautiful period costumes and lovely set delights children of all ages”*

***Literature, Theatre Arts, Music***

ArtsPower National Touring Theatre

***Madeline and the Bad Hat – A Musical***

**Tuesday, March 1, 2011**

10:00 a.m. and 12 noon

Grades K - 2

When the Spanish ambassador moves in next door, Madeline and her classmates soon discover that His Excellency has a son! Like the slingshot in his back pocket, trouble follows Pepito wherever he goes, earning him the title of “The Bad Hat.” Ludwig Bemelman's much loved classic comes alive in this colorful musical about Madeline and her rambunctious new neighbor who, much to the delight of Miss Clavel, becomes a good friend! *“ArtsPower*

*shows are great – good stories with valuable lessons!*

**TICKETS**

**\$7 students and \$9 adults**

**For every 20 students, one adult free**

**To schedule a field trip, call Bev Broman at**

**214-239-7112, fax to 214-368-4709 or**

**Email to [bbroman@jccdallas.org](mailto:bbroman@jccdallas.org)**

Aaron Family Jewish Community Center  
7900 Northaven Road - Dallas Texas 75230-3392  
Contact: Bev Broman - 214-239-7112 or e-mail to [bbroman@jccdallas.org](mailto:bbroman@jccdallas.org), or fax to 214-368-4709  
The Jewish Community Center of Dallas presents...



TO: Field Trip Coordinator:  
RE: *FamiliArts: JCC Children's Performing Arts Series - Field Trip Information*

During the past 20 years thousands of children from throughout the Metroplex have enjoyed and benefited from unique, exciting, creative, curriculum-related performing arts programs at the Jewish Community Center of Dallas. We are writing to invite you and your students to attend the incredible FamiliArts 2010-11 Season!

These performances by some of the nation's top touring children's performance artists and theater companies are designed for students in Kindergarten – Grade 12.

We hope you will bring your students to the J and provide them with magical in-theatre experiences and exposure to some of the most imaginative, creative and educational children's performances. We are proud to make them available to Dallas area schools.

All performances last approximately one hour and will take place in the Zale Auditorium at the Aaron Family Jewish Community Center, 7900 Northaven Road (Between 75 and Hillcrest - Forest and Royal – \*Must enter campus from Northaven.) You may deliver passengers to the main entrance.

We will provide you with one complimentary copy of a teacher's study guide, which includes pre/post-performance activities. Please be sure to make additional copies to distribute to other teachers.

You will receive an invoice, teacher study guide and directions to the J approximately 6 weeks prior to the performance.

*\$30 deposit per performance (non-refundable) is due upon receipt of the reservation form  
OR YOU CAN CHOOSE TO PAY IN FULL...  
ALL BALANCES ARE DUE 4 WEEKS PRIOR TO THE PERFORMANCE!  
NO REFUNDS ARE GIVEN UNLESS A PERFORMER IS UNABLE  
TO HONOR HIS/HER OBLIGATION TO PERFORM.*

Enclosed are this year's schedule and a reservation form. These performances fill quickly, so we strongly encourage you to MAKE RESERVATIONS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, AND RESERVE YOUR BUSES IMMEDIATELY!

Ticket price: \$7 per student and \$9 per adult. One complimentary Adult ticket will be given for every 20 paid students.

*The JCC of Dallas is a Dallas ArtsPartners presenter!  
For further information and to book field trips contact:  
Bev Broman - 214-239-7112 or e-mail at [bbroman@jccdallas.org](mailto:bbroman@jccdallas.org)*

We look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Judy Cohn in cursive.

Judy Cohn, Director of Cultural Programs

Handwritten signature of Bev Broman in cursive.

Bev Broman, Field Trip Coordinator

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*Jewish Community Center of Dallas presents...  
JCC FamiliArts 2010-11 Series – 20th Season*

*Return to: Jewish Community Center of Dallas  
7900 Northaven Road, Dallas TX 75230  
Bev Broman 214-239-7112, or Judy Cohn, 214-239-7115  
Or e-mail to [bbroman@jccdallas.org](mailto:bbroman@jccdallas.org), or fax to 214-368-4709*

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**\*\*\*Reservation Information\*\*\***

School/  
Organization: \_\_\_\_\_ Art Partner # \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ St: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Work phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax#: \_\_\_\_\_

Production: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Special Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

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# OF STUDENTS _____	@\$7.00 each =	\$ _____
#OF PAID ADULTS _____	@\$9.00 each =	\$ _____
# OF FREE ADULTS		
(One free per 20 students) # _____		
TOTAL # ATTENDING _____	TOTAL COST =	\$ _____
	DEPOSIT (If Paid) (-)	<u>\$- \$30.00</u>
	BALANCE DUE =	\$ _____

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Best time to call contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

**By signing this form, I am reserving this time slot for the above listed number of people. If any of this information changes, I will notify the J immediately!**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature