

December 11, 2009

210-302-6900 - [www.eka-sa.org](http://www.eka-sa.org)

Kislev 24, 5770

Parasha: Miketz

Candle Lighting: 5:18 pm

DECEMBER		
11	F	Reservations for Chanukah on the River Due
14-17	M-Th	Middle School Exams Order your Yearbook (attached to this email)
17	Th	<a href="#">EKA Hanukah Dinner</a>
21-31		Winter Break <b>No School</b>
JANUARY		
4	M	School Resumes

Buy the 2009-2010 yearbook  
(See form attached)

EKA Family Chanukah Dinner  
Thursday, December 17, 2009

New Grade Level Photos: <http://tinyurl.com/ekaphotos> New Video: <http://tinyurl.com/ekavideo>

Scroll down for more photos, EKA News and Community News.

**The EKA Faculty wishes you a joyous Chanukah!**



## Kindergarten Round-Up/Step-Up



EKA Tour Guides



Kindergarten Roundup Tour



09-10 Kindergarten Visited First Grade



Future Kindergartners Visited Kindergarten



Kabbalat Shabbat



2<sup>nd</sup> Graders visited 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

## Boys and Girl's Basketball



6<sup>th</sup> Graders Helped JCC Pre-school at Chanukah Celebration by monitoring games.



6<sup>th</sup> Graders served latkes to pre-schoolers.



### Cameras Needed – Please Donate

Are you replacing a 3 or 4 megapixel (or better) camera? Would you like to donate it to the EKA? We could use more cameras for our classrooms. Teachers would love to just be able to reach into their closet and pull out a camera whenever they see a great photo op of your child. Help us by donating that older camera that is still useable. Be sure to send the charger if it uses a special battery.

### Community News

#### *Chanukah on the River Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup> @ 2:30pm*

Chabad Lubavitch of South Texas is pleased to announce the 12th Annual *Chanukah on the River* will be held on Sunday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 pm.

This year’s program features the Chanukah on the River Parade and a live performance by **the 8<sup>th</sup> Day Band**.

The concert will take place at the Arnesen River Theatre and is sponsored by the City of San Antonio Cultural Affairs Office, Jewish Federation, International Bank of Commerce and The Holzman Family Foundation.

**The EKA has reserved two boats for the Chanukah cruise for a total of 80 reservations.** The cost is **\$4.50** per person for the boat ride. Please make your reservation by sending a check, payable to the **Chabad Lubavitch of South Texas**, to the school office by **Dec. 11<sup>th</sup>** to confirm your reservation.

#### No reservations will be accepted by phone.

The boats will leave at 3:00 pm from the Arnesen River Theatre for a 45-minute Chanukah cruise. Upon their return, we will light the Menorah at the Arnesen River Theatre. The concert will begin at 4:00 pm. The concert is free of charge and open to the public. Food and drink will be available for sale.

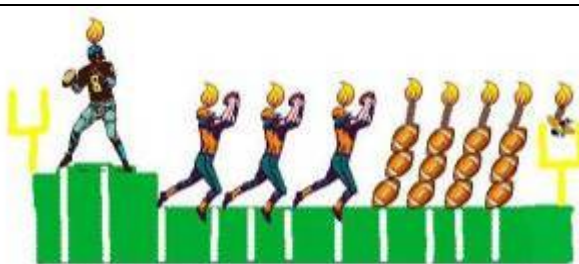
For additional information, please contact Rabbi Yossi Marrus at 492-1085.

### It’s a Mitzvah

EKA fourth, second and first graders created Chanukah cards to be given out by Golden Manor Jewish Senior Services to elderly Jewish members of our community. Below are examples of hanukiyot designed by fourth graders.



Emily Brenman



John Friedberg



Tori Shiver