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RAMBAM HOLDS ANNUAL SENECA GETAWAY

Last week, Rambam Mesivta students kicked off the school year with an action-packed overnight getaway at Camp Seneca Lake. Upon arrival, students were served lunch before heading out to enjoy Seneca's wide variety of sports facilities and courts, as well as indoor and outdoor swimming. Later in the afternoon, eight teams competed in Rambam's six-on-six volleyball tournament, bringing plenty of energy and competition to the first day. After dinner, students returned for a late-night barbecue, while the seniors enjoyed a special kumzitz and barbecue down by the lake. The evening continued with a Connect 4 tournament, followed by an intense home run derby. Rambam administrator Avrumy Weinberger took first place, with Yonah Meir finishing a close second.

The next morning began with Selichos and davening, followed by breakfast. The freshmen also had a bonding activity with Dr. Goldman, who challenged them with a puzzle about how people see the world in different ways. Later that morning, students competed in a flag football tournament and continued enjoying the camp's many activities. After two packed days of sports, competitions, and time together, students headed home, bringing another memorable Camp Seneca Lake getaway to a close.

- Effie Neuman, Junior



Seneca Tournament Winners!



More scenes from the annual Seneca getaway

RAMBAM SENIORS RECOGNIZED BY NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



Rambam seniors Bezael Graber and Ezra Rydzinski were recently recognized by the National Merit Scholarship Program for their outstanding performance on the PSAT/NMSQT.

Bezael Graber was named a National Merit Semifinalist, while Ezra Rydzinski received a Letter of Commendation. These distinctions are awarded to students who rank among the highest-scoring test takers across the country.

Congratulations to Bezael and Ezra on these impressive accomplishments!

- David Rabinow, Junior

RAMBAM SECURITY GUARD EARNS OFFICER OF THE MONTH



This past week, Rambam security guard Steve Vano received a well-deserved award for his outstanding performance and dedication to protecting Rambam Mesivta. Steve's exceptional character and his ability to show up each day with passion, drive, and care make this recognition especially meaningful. Steve received the award from Arrow Security in recognition of his outstanding work. His dedication and hard work will be appreciated and remembered at Rambam for years to come.

- Joshua Rackman, Senior

ALUMNUS DONIEL FODIMAN SPEAKS TO RAMBAM UPPERCLASSMEN



Eight years after graduating from Rambam, Doniel Fodiman, Class of '18, returned to the school on Thursday afternoon to speak with juniors and seniors about the path that took him from Rambam to yeshiva and eventually to service in the IDF.

Fodiman spent much of the assembly discussing his experience serving as a lone soldier. He spoke about his time in the army before and after October 7, what it was like to serve in Israel without his family nearby, and his experience as one of the few religious Jews in his unit.

Rambam is incredibly grateful to Doniel for returning to the school to share his experiences and to give current students a look at one possible path after graduation.

- David Rabinow, Junior

PRESIDENT JAVIER MILEI RECEIVES OHEV YISRAEL AWARD



This past Tuesday, Rabbi Friedman took three juniors, Ephraim Ganchrow, Yehuda Weissman, and David Rabinow, to hear the president of Argentina, Javier Milei, speak at Yeshivat Darchei Torah. In recognition of his tremendous support for Am Yisrael and the State of Israel, President Milei was awarded the Ohev Yisrael Award as a token of appreciation.

President Milei has been a strong opponent of antisemitism and anti-Zionism and is one of the few world leaders who have consistently demonstrated such strong support for the Jewish people and the State of Israel. His support is greatly appreciated by Jews around the world, and he is a highly deserving recipient of the Ohev Yisrael Award.

- Yehuda Weissman, Junior



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