

Middle School Calendar of Activities
2011-2012

2011

August

- 29- Back to School Bowling, Grades 5-6
- 30- Back to School at BT Camps, Grades 7-8

September

- 3- Middle School Minyan Resumes
- 11- 5th Grade Sunday Soccer Begins
- 14- Middle School Back to School Night
- 17- Havdallah & Glow-in-the-Dark Field Games, Grades 5-6
- 18- All School Block Party
- 18- Electronic Recycling & Paper Shredding
- 28- School Closed: Erev Rosh Hashanah
- 29 & 30- Rosh Hashanah Service
Grades 4-6

October

- 2- "SUKKOT DIY" Sukkah Building Expo at Home Depot
- 7- School Closed: Erev Yom Kippur
- 7 & 8- Kol Nidre Services, Grades 4-6
- 10 & 11- Sukkot Schach Sale
- 13- All Middle School Sukkah Hop
- 18- Chief Justice Elena Kagan Speaking
- 20- Shmini Atzeret & Simchat Torah: Middle School Minyan
- 21- NO Middle School Minyan
- 23- Beth Tfiloh Chai Race for the Cure
- 27- 2013 B'nei Mitzvah Parent Meeting

November

- 4- Family Shabbat Dinner, Grades 5-6
- 6- Beth Tfiloh Open House
- 13- Beth Tfiloh Red Cross Blood Drive
- 23- All School Convocation
- 23- All Middle School Movie Trip
- 26- BT Alumni Games

December

- 3- Middle School Shabbaton, Grades 5-6
- 3- Moriah College (High School) of Australia Performs

(December continued)

- 17- 8th Grade Shabbaton at Pearlstone
- 21- Chanukah BINGO
- 23- Winter Break Begins
- 25- Community Mitzvah Day
- 31- No Children's Shabbat Services

2012

January

- 13 & 14- 7th Grade Shabbaton & Glassblowing
- 16- School Closed
- 16- Red Cross Babysitting Course at BT (Ages 11 & up)
- 16- Rock Climbing at Earth Treks, Grades 5-6
- 21- Snow Tubing at Avalanche Express, Grades 5-7

February

- 4- Ice Skating, Grades 5-7

March

- 3- Middle School Shabbaton, Grades 5-6
- 7- Megillah Reading & Purim Carnival
- 8- Purim Seudah & "American Idol"
- 17- Havdallah and Activity, Grades 7-8
- 25- Middle School Production

April

- 7- Pesach Congregational Lunch
- 22- Middle School Trip to Orioles Game

May

- 10- Lag B'Omer at BT Camps
- 26- Tikkun Leil Shavuot for Adults
- 27- Shavuot
- 28- School Closed: Memorial Day/Shavuot

June

- 6- 8th Grade Moving Up Ceremony
- 16- Last Weekly Middle School Minyan

Additional Middle School Shabbat Services, Programs, and Dates

Students in Grades 5-8 and Hebrew School classes Hay and Vav spend Shabbat morning with Rabbi Jaffe at our weekly Middle School Minyan which is held in the Middle School Beit Midrash. This Minyan gives students the opportunity to spend Shabbat with friends, reinforce their Hebrew reading and Davening skills, and to partake in the special weekly Teen Kiddush and an occasional "Ask the Rabbi" session.

The Beth Tfiloh Youth Center and Athletic Department host an ongoing Sunday Sports program for students 5th grade designed to help develop coordination and motor skills as well as a deeper comprehension of the games in an environment full of fun, friendship, and good sportsmanship.

Fall Sunday Soccer runs from September 11, 2011 through October 30, 2011.

Winter Sunday Basketball runs from November 20, 2011 through February 5, 2012.

Spring Sunday Lacrosse runs from March 11, 2012 through May 6, 2012.

Homeless Extra Lunch Program is designed to help support needy families in our area. By sending in an extra lunch with your child two Fridays per month, we can help feed homeless women and children at the Hannah Moore Women's Shelter.

September 9, 23, November 4, 18, December 2, 16, January 6, 20, February 3, 24, March 16, 30, April 20, May 4, 18.