

**Shabbat Candlelighting starts Friday at 19.46 and ends on Saturday on 20.53**

**Dates for your diary:**

- 22<sup>nd</sup> April- Yom Hatzmaut
- 24<sup>th</sup> April- Year 5 Parashah assembly 9.15am
- 1<sup>st</sup> May- Year 6 Parasha assembly 9.15am
- 4th May- Bank holiday- school closed
- 5<sup>th</sup> May Lag b'Omer (pupils BBQ day)
- 8<sup>th</sup> May – year 3 and 4 Parasha assembly 9.15am
- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May- year 1 and 2 Parasha assembly 3.00pm
- Friday 15<sup>th</sup>- EYFS Parasha assembly 9.15am

We have had a tremendous week. Our Jewish cultural exhibition has been an amazing success. Pupils have been finding out about Jewish diaspora from the Middle East and Africa.

We have had a variety of different activities taking place each day.

Pupils started the week by learning about the use of traditional henna. There was lots of fun and excitement throughout the school.



Michele Huberman from Harif applied Henna to hands.



Ms Daines and the Israeli dance team taught Israeli dancing across the school.



One of the more exciting activities involved Hamsa making. Fine motor skills and creativity shone as bright as the crystals applied to the Hamsa's.



A Huge thank you to everyone who visited our exhibition and met with the founders. A huge thank you to Mr Jacobs for setting this up with Harif.

We are all exhausted!

**Ms Metin and the Simon Marks team.**