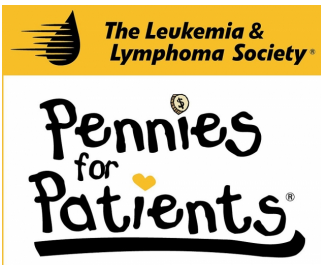


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## CJDS Students Help Find a Cure for Blood Cancer

By: Ruthie M.

*Five ideas to help with Pennies for Patients:*

- 1. Flip over couch cushions and look under car seats for change.*
- 2. Ask your parents to take a coin collection jar to work*
- 3. Write a letter to your Honored Hero*
- 4. Get your friends and family members excited about the project by telling them about what you're doing.*
- 5. Make a personal donation from your allowance or piggy bank*



Misha, Gabe, and Raiden stand in front of the "Hero Squad" poster that encourages students to help

In February, the Tzedaka Club began a project called Pennies for Patients. The club's goal this year is to raise \$900!

Students throughout CJDS are asked to bring in their change, do extra work for allowance money, and find other ways to raise funds. The class that collects the most change to support Pennies for Patients wins a pizza party with Susan (Tzedaka Club advisor and CJDS master art teacher)!

Money raised will go to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, which is a society that is trying to help find a cure for blood cancer.

Fourth grader, Eva K. said, "I think it's important because the money that we raise helps to find a cure for people with blood cancer so that they can have a normal life."

Leukemia is a cancer of blood stem cells. It is more common for men to have leukemia than women. No one knows exactly what causes leukemia.

## Jungle Book Rehearsals Have Begun

By: Zeke M.

### Lead Cast members:

Gavi Z. as Mowgli  
 Julia M.M. as Bagheera  
 Ma'ayan C. as Baloo  
 Dafna S. as Shere Khan  
 Rony A. as the coconut tree narrator

### Readers Respond:

If you could be an animal what would you be and why?

*"A snake because when I stick my tongue out, no one would see it."* -Ezra, K

*"A dog. I have one at my house and they are my favorite animal."* -David, K

*"A shark because they can eat fish."* -Marleigh, K



Sasha G. practices her part for *The Jungle Book*

As reported in our last newspaper, there is a new theater club at CJDS! As you might have heard, the theater club will perform the musical *The Jungle Book* in May.

Actors received their parts in January. Most actors were thrilled about their roles, but some students wanted other roles. Gavi Z., who will play the role of Mowgli said she was super excited about her part because she is the main character and she has many lines.

Gisell Seigel, JCC Gallery Players Artistic Director and the theater club teacher, said, "The group of actors is amazing and talented!"

## CJDS Students Have Fun with and Learn from Their "Buddies"

By: Alin G.

### CJDS Buddies:

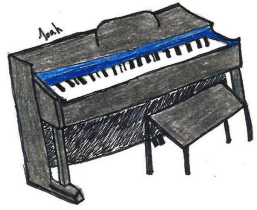
Nathan	Eva
Sasha	Gabe, Jack
Julia	Sam
Will	Misha
Gavi	Misha
Jack S.	Gabe
Tom	Raiden
Matias	Sam
Leo	Seth
Ari F.	Jack
Victoria	Alin
Brooke	Ma'ayan, Vivian
Liav	Leeon, Michael
David	Caleb R.
Ari Fer.	Jonah
Naomi	Caleb M.
Daniel	Ruthie
Adi	Lilah, Bram
Hershel	Zeke
Noah S.	Zeke
Elena	Dafna
Grant	Dovi
Ari M-F.	Ethan
Ezra	Ruth
Ariella	Eva
Cayla	Dafna
Marleigh	Ruth



Leeon, Michael, and Liav share some "buddy" time during lunch

Buddies can be cute and funny! Each Friday CJDS students meet with their buddies. A "buddy" is a student from an older grade that is paired up with a student from a younger grade. Students do many activities with buddies such as reading books, and arts and crafts projects. They also often each lunch together.

Second grader, Ruth D., said that her favorite thing is to do with her buddy is play at recess. Ruth also said that her buddy loves to read books and that's something they have in common.



Drawings by Noah Bitton

## GUP Band

By: Ma'ayan C.

Recently the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade created a new band called the GUP band. "GUP" stands for the names of the instruments that many of the members play: guitar, ukulele, and piano. The band consists of all the 2<sup>nd</sup> graders.

Gavi Z. plays piano, Matias C. plays guitar, Jack S. plays drums, Sasha G. is singing, Tom L. is dancing, Julia M.M. plays the ukulele, and Will C. and Ari F. whistle.

When asked, Julia M.M. said, "I like the GUP band because it's fun to play music with my friends." Matias C. likes to play the guitar in the GUP band "because I like to learn new chords while playing."

The GUP Band has performed once this year and is not scheduled to play again soon – but keep an ear out!

## CJDS Puzzles and Game Section

### *Mad Libs instructions:*

Grab a buddy, don't tell them about the story. As you silently read through the story, ask them for a word that fits into the category beside each blank space. When you have all the blank spaces filled in, read your story out loud. Don't forget to laugh!

*If you need help finding the right type of word, ask an adult.*

**What dinosaur would Harry Potter be? A Dinosorcerer.**

**Where did Mr. Angelo leave his keys? In the piano!**

**Why did the teacher go to the beach? To test the water.**



### The Newsies Strike

Based on the Broadway/Disney Musical Newsies

If you're ever bored, have no fear your CJDS Chronicles Mad Libs is here! In an all new fun puzzle and game section learn what a "silly" group of Newsies can do.

By: Dafna S. and Zeke M.

There was once a couple of Newsboys that were \_\_\_\_\_ (adjective). Their names were \_\_\_\_\_ (someone you know) and \_\_\_\_\_ (someone else you know). One day, \_\_\_\_\_ (celebrity) made the boys pay more to get newspapers. They didn't have enough money, so they told \_\_\_\_\_ (the same celebrity), but he/she said if they didn't pay up, something bad would happen. So, the Newsboys decided to go on strike.

They \_\_\_\_\_ (verb that ends with "ed") with \_\_\_\_\_ (plural noun). Then, they asked a reporter to write a story in the newspaper. She said yes and wrote an amazing \_\_\_\_\_ (noun) and it was a \_\_\_\_\_ (adjective) hit! The Newsboys made the front page and they thought they were the kings of \_\_\_\_\_ (place)! So \_\_\_\_\_ (same celebrity) lowered the price and they were all \_\_\_\_\_ (adjective) again!

*March Birthdays (compiled  
by Dafna S.):*

*Raiden, 3-7  
Dafna, 3-9  
Logan, 3-13  
Rony, 3-20  
Kerry, 3-31*

### **Purim – DIY costumes**

by: Vivian L. and Rony A.

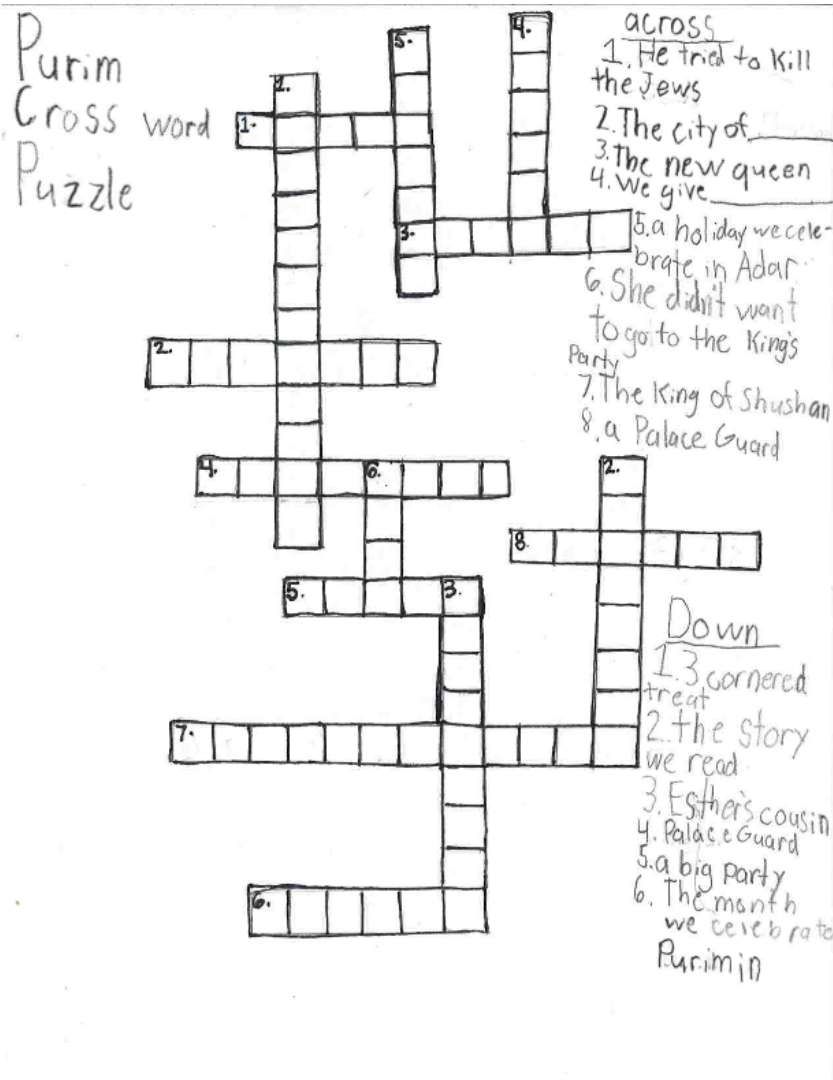


In the Purim spirit, many students are designing their own costumes. Tom said, “You should just buy a costume so you don’t have to worry about making one.” Victoria says she thinks DIY is fun because she likes “to be crafty.”

**Ideas:** Teacher (colorful shirt, black pants, scarf, glasses, pointer), Geisha (parasol, robe, wig with bun or hair in bun, flower for hair), Cat (black pants, black shirt, black purse, cat ears, cat tail), Gardener (shirt, overalls, flower necklace, straw hat, watering can), Bunny (white or brown shirt, white or brown pants, cotton ball tail, top hat, bow tie, bunny ears), Photographer (camera, vest, tie, wig, back anys, any shirt).

### **Purim Crossword Puzzle**

By: Lilah S.



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