

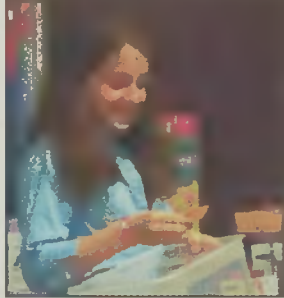
# Graduation 2006

By Jessica Sammis

On June 7, the Barbara and Jerry Levin Jewish Middle School will graduate its biggest class to date. Our four eighth grade students; David Gleiberman, Adam Finck, Rebecca Raffler, and Debra Farber will receive their middle school graduation certificates and move on to the world of high school. Congratulations, graduates, and good luck. ☆



Graduates David, Adam, Rebecca, and Debra; photo courtesy of St. John photography.



Madeline Tavin selects a name from the collection of over 1000 tickets.

## Winners All Around

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On Thursday, April 27, the Barbara and Jerry Levin Jewish Middle School held its annual raffle. The students sold over \$4200 worth of tickets which exceeded our fundraising goal of 50% of our total budget for the trip. The students took turns spinning a "Wheel of Prizes" to determine for which of our eleven wonderful prizes they would draw. Altogether, we gave away over \$2500 in prizes.

While the BJLJMS raffle has many winners each year, none are as lucky as our students themselves. They are the real benefactors of the annual raffle, which is designed to assist them in paying for the educational trip that we take each year. Therefore, I would like to personally thank each family or individual who purchased a ticket this year. Your generosity has helped a young learner achieve his or her goal. Thank you. ☆



Adam Finck shows off one of our wonderful prizes.

**"We must not indeed reject any learning that has grown grey through time, nay, we should make it our aim to read the writings of the sages and listen to proverbs and old-world stories from the lips of those who knew antiquity, and ever seek for knowledge about the men and deeds of old. For truly it is sweet to leave nothing unknown."**

- Philo, *The Sacrifices of Abel and Cain*

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