

THE ARRANGEMENT OF THE YEAR

5781 from the creation of the world. Symbol is זח"א: *Rosh HaShanah* falls out on *Shabbos* (the seventh day of the week; *Cheshvan* and *Kislev* are both 29 days (חסריים); *Pesach* falls out on *Sunday* (the first day of the week). The year is a regular year consisting of 353 days and containing 51 *Shabosos*. It is the 5th year of the 305th minor (19 year) Lunar cycle and the 13th year of the 207th major (28 year) Solar cycle. It is the sixth year of the *Shemidah* cycle (seven years) according to the computation of the *Gaonim* and as is accepted as the custom in the Land of Israel.

The beginning of each of the four periods that mark the different seasonal skies that are result of the earth's revolution around the sun are as follows:

Tekufas Tishrei: 19 *Tishrei* (Wednesday, Oct. 7) at 3:00 AM.

Tekufas Teves: 22 *Teves* (Wednesday, Jan. 6) at 10:30 AM.

Tekufas Nisan: 25 *Nisan* (Wednesday Apr. 7) at 6:00 PM.

Tekufas Tamuz: 28 *Tamuz* (Wednesday night , July 8) at 1:30 AM.