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The Mystery of the Hanukkah Carnival

Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Why do you think the carnival equipment started behaving strangely at night, and what made the children suspect that something Hanukkah-related was causing it?
2. How did the discovery of the dusty old menorah and the hidden message on the wall help the young sleuths solve the mystery?
3. How did the Hanukkah prayer recited by Sarah and Max break the spell, and what does this reveal about the power of tradition and faith?
4. In what ways did the young sleuths' actions exemplify the values of Hanukkah, and why were they celebrated by the townsfolk?

