



Dear Mom or Dad,

We are glad to have your child attend our Awana Clubs on Wednesday nights from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. Thousands of Awana Clubs meet in churches around the world. The International Headquarters is in Streamwood, Illinois. These church-based, community Clubs are open to all children and have children attending from many different churches.

Participation in Awana at Central Baptist is free. If you would like to support this Awana Ministry, a 50¢ offering per week will be accepted. In addition, if you would like to assist in covering the costs of your child's entrance booklet (\$1), handbook (\$8), uniform vest (Cubbies=\$8; Sparks=\$10), and uniform shirt (Truth & Training=\$12) we will accept your donation.

Our Awana Clubs are organized as follows:

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| Cubbies: | 3- and 4-year-old boys and girls (<i>must be 3 years old by August 31, 2006</i>) |
| Sparks: | Kindergarten through 2 nd grade boys and girls |
| Truth & Training Boys: | 3 rd - 6 th grade boys |
| Truth & Training Girls: | 3 rd - 6 th grade girls |

The name "Awana" comes from 2nd Timothy 2:15, "Do your best to present yourself to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, handling accurately the word of truth." **Approved Workmen Are Not Ashamed.** An Awana Club meeting consists of three parts: Scripture memorization and application, a Bible lesson time, and fun games. Our Awana workers are trained to work in our program.

If your child has never participated in Awana, she or he has brought home an entrance booklet, which is the first step in Awana achievement. We hope you will help your child complete this booklet in the next two weeks. After completing the entrance booklet, your child is eligible to earn a uniform and more awards as a member of his or her Awana Club. If your child has participated elsewhere in Awana, please send the uniform and handbook that he or she has already earned.

Your child does not need to attend our church to participate in Awana. If you do not have a church home, however, we invite you to visit our church. On Wednesday evenings, we offer youth and adult Bible/fellowship classes at the same time your child is participating in Awana. On Sundays, we offer Sunday School classes for all ages at 10:00 AM and classes for some ages at 8:30 AM. Our Sunday worship services are 8:30-9:30 AM, 10:00-11:00 AM, and 6:30-7:30 PM.

Building young lives together with you on the Word of God,

Rob Heffer

Rob Heffer, Awana Commander

Laura Young

Laura Young, Children's Minister

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