

Breakout 2007-2008

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Welcome to Breakout 2007-2008! We are happy to have your daughter with us this year as we grow in our knowledge of Jesus, make friends, care for one another, and have fun. Here's some information about our program this year:

What is Breakout?

This year, we're going to be using curriculum from a few different areas:

- *FaithWeaver Friends* for weekly dramas, Bible lessons, Bible points, and small group discussions
- These books and resources for our "virtue segments" (more below):
Your Girl, Vicky Courtney
True Beauty, the Inside Story, Andrea Stephens
Growing Little Women (Capturing Teachable Moments with your Daughter),
Donna Miller and Christine Yount
The Beauty Book: It's a God Thing, by Nancy Rue
Faithgirlz! No Boys Allowed: Devotions for Girls, by Michelle Medlock Adams

Our evenings will consist of music and worship, a drama to introduce our Bible story and Bible point, large-group Bible lesson, and small-group discussions. We will also have plenty of games, crafts, and other fun activities, as well as service projects.

Throughout the year, we will weave in "virtue segments" – short devotionals that will focus on the challenges Christian girls ages 8-12 face in today's world. The goal of this is to instill **God confidence** in the girls – helping them to be who they are **in God's eyes**, so they can face everyday situations and challenges from a Christian perspective. The materials mentioned above are available for your review at one of our tables.

When Do We Meet?

We meet every Wednesday night from 6:30 to 8 p.m., with a few exceptions around holidays and school vacation weeks.

Where Do We Meet?

Room 9A on the ground floor of 59 Worthen Road. **Children must check in at computer stations in Kidstown, and bring their in-slip to Breakout and wear their sticky name tags. Children may NOT be released without a parent/guardian pickup, unless there is a special circumstance and you've made prior arrangements.**

Who Goes There?

Breakout is for girls in grades 3-5. The lessons are grade-level appropriate, and therefore, girls must wait until third grade to register for Breakout.

Can You Help?

Yes! We can always use volunteers willing to help out on occasion. And you don't need an invite ... drop in and stay anytime you want, and see what we're up to.

And Finally ...

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Paula Doherty, below:

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