

# Dear Awana Parents,

The 2018-19 Awana Club year is about to begin! Open Door Bible Church runs its Awana program to reach boys and girls with the gospel of Christ and train them to serve Him.

Registration night will begin at 6:45pm on Wednesday, August 29th. PLEASE NOTE: **Parents are asked to stay with their child on the first night.** You will be able to register, purchase supplies, and meet our Commander, Club Directors, and your child's Leaders.

We will meet each Wednesday, from August 29th, 2018 - May 1st, 2019, from 6:45pm to 8:15pm. See the Events Calendar for details about each week. Children are required to check-in each week and will remain in their designated classrooms until a parent, or approved adult, signs them out.

### <u>CLUBS</u>

Cubbies	3-5 years
Sparks	Kindergarten, 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> graders
Truth & Training	3 <sup>rd</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup> graders

## **REGISTRATION**

For registration, we need each child's full name, birth date, age, and grade along with each parent's full name, address, phone number, and e-mail. In addition, we require contact information for any additional person who has permission to pick up your child. Your child cannot be signed out unless we have the person's name on file. *Please be sure to bring complete registration information for any visitors you bring during the Awana year*.

### **BOOKS AND UNIFORMS**

The first night a clubber comes he/she will be given an entrance booklet. Once completed, he/she earns the privilege to begin the club handbook.

Cubbies: Handbook - \$11.00; Handbook Bag - \$7.00; Vest - \$11.00	
<b>Sparks</b> : Handbooks (HangGlider, WingRunner, & SkyStormer) - \$11.00 Frequent Flyer Extra Credit Cards - \$9.00; Handbook Bag - \$6.00; Vest - \$11.00	
<b>Truth &amp; Training</b> : T&T Handbook - \$11.00; T&T Sling Bag \$9.00; Awana Backpack - \$6.00 T-Shirt Uniforms - \$16.00	
Leaders: Casual Polo - \$22.00: Awana Clubs T-Shirts - \$13.00: Sparks/Cubbies T-Shirt - \$16.00	

### DUES

Much of the funding for our club comes from Open Door Bible Church, but we do ask that the clubbers (parents) be responsible for some of the expenses.

Club dues are 75 cents per week for each of the first three children in your family attending any Awana club. These are used for special club events like ice cream reward night, pizza night, etc. Parents who pay \$20.00 per child (up to 3 per family) by **SEPTEMBER 26** will have ALL of their children given credit for dues for the whole year.

#### <u>STORE</u>

The Awana store is an important part of our club in motivating children to hide God's Word in their hearts. Clubbers can earn shares which can be used to purchase items desirable to young people, which we have stocked in our Awana store.

Sparks:	1 share for each section 1 share for bringing in dues, book, uniform, Bible, and arriving on time 4 shares for awards
Truth & Training:	2 shares per section 1 share for bringing in dues, book, uniform, Bible, and arriving on time 4 shares for awards

Shares will be given out during club by the secretaries. We offer a bank to help clubbers keep their shares safe; however, it is the responsibility of the clubbers to keep track of their shares and to bring them to club on store nights (see Events Calendar).

Check your e-mail on Tuesdays for reminders about special activities. You may also find information on our Facebook page at <u>facebook.com/AwanaAtOpenDoorBibleChurch</u>

#### SNOW DAYS

If Belton schools are closed or evening activities are cancelled due to inclement weather, Awana will also be cancelled. Cancellations will be posted on our Facebook page and an e-mail will be sent. You can also call the church office, but please call after 4pm.

We look forward to having your child attend our Awana club this year! Please let us know if you have any questions.



In Christ,

**Chris Zeller** Awana Commander

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