

## AWANA Calendar 2022-2023

August 14 - After Church	AWANA Orientation/Registration and Parent Q&A Time / Directors and Leaders meet for training.
Wed., Aug. 17, 2022	Created by God and for God! - Knowing God created us and the world we live in, allows us to recognize our importance in His sight. As we work through His Word and discover more about Him in Awana this year, let's focus on His workmanship and what we are created for. Our focal verse, Ephesians 2:10, tells us that we are created in Christ Jesus and for good works. We will be exploring God's plan for us in memorizing Psalms 100:1-5 NKJV this year as our individual challenge verses. First half, we'll focus on verses 1-3 and verses 4-5 for the last half of our club year. Knowing God and His plan for our lives will help clubbers become all He desires them to be and enable them to live in and through Him. Note: Extra awards given to clubbers who commit to memory all of Psalms 100: 1-5 and Ephesians 2:10! :)
Wed., Aug. 24, 2022	B.A.R.F. Night - <b>Bring A Real Friend(s)</b> to our club and get a B.A.R.F treat! <b><u>What's a Barf treat? Come and bring a friend to find out!!</u></b>
Wed., Aug. 31, 2022	Creation Night – To earn 10 extra Awana bucks, come ready to tell your director/leader what God created on the first 6 days of creation! Start preparing questions from the Bible to stump the pastor Oct. 12th. Note: ALL questions are welcomed, but in order to earn the point for stumping the pastor for your team, you must know the answer to the question. :)
Wed., Sept. 7, 2022	Big Bang Bash – Come ready to have fun with extra big game items in game time and defend your faith by knowing that God made mankind and NOT a big bang! Challenge: Knowing focal verse will help and earn you 5 awana bucks tonight. Work on stump the pastor questions.
Wed., Sept. 14, 2022	Crazy Hair Night – Come prepared to show your crazy hair design! Keep digging out stump the pastor questions for Oct 12th night. Kick off to bring bag(s) of individually wrapped candy for Trunk or Treat to get 1 Awana buck per a bag.
Wed., Sept. 21, 2022	Baby Picture Night- Guess who is who tonight! Leaders & NRC staff will have baby photos for you to guess who is who. (Some black and white photos before there was color.) Explore how God has used these people as His workmanship in Counsel Time. Bags of candy welcomed for Trunk or Treat!
Wed., Sept. 28, 2022	AWANA Store (end of 1st quarter) - Time to shop! Bring bag(s) of candy to collect bucks to use in store time! Prepare stump the pastor questions. Plan to have focal verse, Eph 2:10, and Psalms 100: 1-2 memorized tonight for an extra 5 bucks and to be on track to complete all verses by end of year!:) )
Wed., Oct. 5, 2022	Shepherd Night- Come dressed in shepherd clothing and find out how God is like a shepherd to us. 1 buck for dressing up. Candy for Trunk or Treat is greatly appreciated and earns 1 buck per bag.
Wed., Oct. 12, 2022	Stump the Pastor! - Clubbers in teams will see who can stump the pastor with questions from the Bible! The team that stumps the pastor the most wins and gets a buck for each time the pastor was stumped. Bring in candy for Trunk or Treat to receive extra bucks.
Wed., Oct. 19, 2022	Baa and Gobble Night - Learn how we are like sheep in Counsel time and have fun playing a turkey game during game time. Bring in candy for Trunk or Treat to receive extra bucks.
Wed., Oct. 26, 2022	Chicken Pox Night- Come ready to place a "pox dot" on leaders face for your verse said in Handbook Time. Last Night to collect candy for Trunk or Treat. 1 buck per a bag. Will begin Christmas Carol (CC) Practice and try outs in Counsel time.
Sun., Oct. 30, 2022	Join us for church wide Trunk or Treat! Next week in Awana, we will start collecting canned goods for Way Home Families Thanksgiving meals. Club with most food gets 5 bucks for each clubber!
Wed., Nov. 2, 2022	Joyful Noise Night - Come ready to learn music for Christmas Caroling and how to share with others about Christ in Counsel time. Will be looking for soloist and clubbers willing to narrate for caroling presentation. Collected can good for Way Home. CC
Wed., Nov. 9, 2022	Parent/Grandparent Night-Bring parent and/or grandparent for open house time to experience what you do in Awana and dress like them for 1 extra Awana buck. Knowing Psalms 100: 1-3 will earn you 10 bucks! Don't forget can goods, please and thank you! Remember next week to bring in a list of what you are thankful for!! CC
Wed., Nov. 16, 2022	Thankful Heart/Can Food Night– Bring list of ALL the things you are thankful for and canned foods to earn extra bucks! Club with most food brought gets \$5 AWANA bucks for each clubber! CC
Wed., Nov. 23, 2022	No Awana tonight. Have a very Happy Thanksgiving!! :)

Wed., Nov. 30, 2022	AWANA Store (end of 2nd quarter) Halfway through the year/PIE Night! Make sure you've committed Ephesians 2:10 and Psalms 100:1-3 memory verses by this point. This will get you closer to winning 1st place prize at the end of the club. CC
Wed., Dec. 7, 2022	Silent Night/Christmas Party and Caroling- Being quiet will earn extra bucks! Final practice for Christmas Caroling next week at Savannah Court and enjoy some Christmas treats from your leaders! Note: ALL SIGNED RELEASES TO RIDE BUS TURNED IN TONIGHT. (Please and Thank you. :)
Wed., Dec. 14, 2022	AWANA Christmas Caroling- Traveling to Savannah Court to carol. Clubbers must have signed releases to ride the bus. May ride separate with parents/guardians to Savannah Court.
Wed., Dec. 21, 2022	No AWANA - Merry Christmas!
Wed., Dec. 28, 2022	No AWANA - Merry Christmas!
Wed., Jan. 4, 2023	No AWANA - Happy New Year!
Wed., Jan. 11, 2023	Eat Around the World / Mission Exploration – Finger foods provided from different countries. Exploring in missions with special presentation. Know Eph 2:10 and Psalms 100:1-3 for extra 10 bucks. Begin working on Psalms 100: 4-5 to complete all verses by end of Awana Awards Night!
Wed., Jan. 18, 2023	Colorful Clean Up Night - Come ready to play a fun game and learn about what being clean in Gods eyes is like in Counsel time.
Wed., Jan. 25, 2023	P.J. Night – Please remember your church appropriate PJ's.
Sat., Jan. 28, 2023	AWANA Derby Workshop- Sat. 9:00 - 10:30 AM. All volunteer workers/tools welcomed!! Workshop provided for clubbers needing help with cars.
Wed., Feb. 1, 2023	Surprise Guest Night—Come and be surprised!
Wed., Feb. 8, 2023	Goldfish Night – One person from each club will receive a goldfish for the most friends brought to church as we participate in being fishers of men/women/boys/girls!
Wed., Feb. 15, 2023	"Love Bears All Things" Night – Bring your favorite stuffed bear!
Wed., Feb. 22, 2023	AWANA Grand Prix – Come ready to race your car and cheer others on! Fun for everyone! Check for earlier time to weigh in cars.
Wed., Mar. 1, 2023	AWANA Store (end of 3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter) - 5 extra bucks for saying Jeremiah 29:10-13 verses.
Wed., Mar. 8, 2023	Scavenger /Flashlight Night - Bring flashlight and find a new lesson about darkness and light in Counsel time as we focus on God's Care for us. Next week is Spring Break.
Wed., Mar. 15, 2023	No AWANA - Spring Break
Wed., Mar. 22, 2023	"I Want to Be..." Night - Dress up as who you think God wants you to be one day! Say Psalms 100: 4 for 5 bucks!
Wed., Mar. 29, 2023	Paint Bucket Golf Night and Word Search - Play a fun game of disc golf and learn about events prior to Easter with a word search challenge in Counsel time.
Wed., April 5, 2023	Glow in the Dark Egg Hunt Night-During game time clubbers will have opportunity to find glow in the dark eggs! Will also hear about true meaning of Easter in Counsel time.
Wed., April 12, 2023	Verse Scramble Night- Helping all clubbers to finish well in knowing Ephesians 2:10 and Psalms 100:1-5 in game time and Counsel time!
Wed., April 19, 2023	Outdoor Water Game- Bring a towel and plan to get sprinkled with water as we create a Mission Masterpiece during game time tonight! Remember to know all memory verses to qualify for 1st prize on Award Night!
Wed., April 26, 2023	Inside-Out Night -Dress in clothing that is inside- out! Say Ephesians 2:10 and Psalms 100:1-5 to qualify for awards! Also clubbers night for Pie/Egg/Bucket on the Head for knowing all verses is next week!
Wed., May 3, 2023	AWANA Store (end of 4 <sup>th</sup> quarter) Last chance to cash in bucks and qualify for Psalms 100:1-5 Scripture memory awards! Also qualified clubbers get to participate in Pie/Egg/Bucket on the Head tonight!)
Wed., May 10, 2023	AWANA Award Ceremony and Splash Fun – Family invited to celebrate the achievements of all AWANA clubbers and share in a time for fun and fellowship!!! Note: Plan to bring your towel(s) for all children (Large and Small:) who plan to participant in water activities.

I trust the calendars will aide you and your clubber in scheduling and enjoying AWANA! We like seeing the clubbers excited about each week and look forward to sharing and training your children in God's Word. If revisions are needed as the AWANA year proceeds, new schedules will be made and sent home with clubbers. If we can be of any help to you and your family, please don't hesitate to contact us. - Karen Myers and Sarah Tackitt - AWANA Commanders