

ABBA Christian Childcare Monthly Newsletter

Notes From Amanda



Welcome New Families!

We were blessed to have two new families join us in August. Welcome to Samarah and Liam. In September, we will welcome Gil back as well. Praise God!



2017-2018 Calendar of Events Available

The staff and I have put together a calendar of fun events that we plan to do for this school year. Each month has a fun/silly day for the kids and teachers to participate in that day. We also have several families events planned in the evening throughout the year. We will keep you posted on the exact details of those events as they get closer.

The calendar will be emailed or placed in mailboxes by the front door. If you would like a print out or need it emailed again, please let me know. You can also find a PDF of the calendar on our website, abba.fifcc.org.



ABBA Sunday with Lunch and Games After Service on September 24th

Please save the date and join us for worship at Family In Faith on Sunday, September 24 at 10:30am. The children in the Twos-Fives classes will sing a couple of songs during the service. They can attend Children's Church during the sermon where they will hear a Bible story and do a fun activity. There will be a nursery available during the whole service for younger children in Miss Ashley's room as well.



After the service, we will serve lunch and a variety of family games along with a bounce house. If you would like to bring in something to share, please let me know. Come join us to praise God, bless the staff, enjoy some food, and have fellowship with one another!

Dates to Remember

- Every Sunday: Worship at Family In Faith, 8am and 10:30am
- Free Panera bread and bagels every Friday!
- **Monday, Sept. 4:** ABBA Closed for Labor Day
- Friday, Sept. 15: Wear All One Color Day
- Saturday, Sept. 10: Food Pantry for needy families, 10a-12p, volunteers at 9a
- Sunday, Sept. 24: ABBA Sunday at Family In Faith followed by lunch and games, service at 10:30



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Welcome Back Returning Staff

At the end of September, Miss Jam will be returning to ABBA. She has been on maternity leave for the last couple of months. We are excited to have her back with us and have her son Levie join us soon!

Miss Kathy K also plans to return in September. She has been in Greece since January teaching ESL classes and taking vacation over the summer. She will mainly be working in the infant and toddler rooms but she will also help out in other classrooms. We are excited to have her back at ABBA!



Scholastic Book Orders

Starting in September, Ms Amanda will be running our Scholastic Book orders for the school year. You can order online or through the paper order form. We earn points for free books and supplies in the classrooms for each order that is placed. Our goal in September is to get at least \$300 in sales so that we can get 10,000 points—the most Scholastic gives in the year! We appreciate your help. Look for the order forms and instructions on how to place orders at the beginning of the month.



September Birthdays

September 7—Ryker
September 11—Zion
September 13—Caleb
September 17—Justin
September 17—Ryan
September 30—Genesis



Congrats to Ms Sandra

On September 10th, Ms Sandra will be celebrating her 10th year at ABBA! We are so blessed to have her on staff at ABBA!

Happy anniversary Miss Sandra!



Fall Fundraiser Coming Up

Looking to save some money on shopping or do something fun with the kids in 2018?

Our fall fundraiser will be KidStuff Coupon Books. The book includes coupons for shopping, services, activities, and food. The cost for each book will be \$25 and the school gets half of that back! We use the monies earned to purchase new items for the playground, including new bikes and more sensory items. Look for more information in the coming weeks.



If you have any questions, please let the staff know. We look forward to a great outcome!