

**Heights Baptist Church
AWANA Cubbies AppleSeed Verses 2015-2016**

Verses memorized for that night

Sept. 16	Apple Acres Brochure ...All have sinned...(Rom 3:23) Motto: Jesus Loves Me
Sept. 23	Bear Hug 1: ...All have sinned... (Romans 3:23)
Sept. 30	Bear Hug 2: ...While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. (Romans 5:8)
Oct. 7	Bear Hug 3: In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. (Genesis 1:1) <i>Extra Credit:</i> (Special Day 1, Pg. 110): Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good... (Psalm 118:29)
Oct. 21	Bear Hug 4: For He spoke, and it came to be; He commanded, and it stood firm. (Psalm 33:9)
Oct. 28	Bear Hug 5: God saw everything that He had made, and behold, it was very good... (Genesis 1:31)
Nov. 4	Bear Hug 6 & 7: In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. (Genesis 1:1) & ...Your word is truth. (John 17:17)
Nov. 11	Bear Hug 8: Against You [God]...have I sinned and done what is evil in Your sight... (Psalm 51:4)
Nov. 18	Bear Hug 9: Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life... (John 3:36)
Dec. 2	Bear Hug 10 & 11: ...Your word is truth. (John 17:17) & ...Great is Your faithfulness. (Lamentations 3:23)
Dec. 9	Bear Hug 12: In peace I will both lie down and sleep; for You alone, O Lord, make me dwell in safety. (Psalm 4:8)
Dec. 16	Special Day 2, Pg. 112 For unto you is born this day...a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. (Luke 2:11)
Jan. 6	Bear Hug 13: I [God] have set My bow in the cloud, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between Me and the earth. (Genesis 9:13)
Jan. 13	Bear Hug 14 & 15: ...Great is Your faithfulness. (Lamentations 3:23) & Great is our Lord, and abundant in power... (Psalm 147:5)
Jan. 20	Bear Hug 16: Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth. (Psalm 124:8)
Jan. 27	Bear Hug 17 & 18: The Lord is my strength and my song, and He has become my salvation... (Exodus 15:2) & Great is our Lord, and abundant in power... (Psalm 147:5)
Feb. 3	Bear Hug 19: For God is the King of all the earth; Sing praises with a psalm! (Psalm 47:7)
Feb. 17	Bear Hug 20: ...Love the Lord you God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength. (Mark 12:30)
Feb. 24	Bear Hug 21 & 22: In God I trust; I shall not be afraid. What can man do to me? (Psalm 56:11) & For God is the King of all the earth; Sing praises with a psalm (Psalm 47:7)
Mar. 2	Bear Hug 23: ..."Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" (John 1:29)
Mar. 9	Bear Hug 24: And Jesus said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you become fishers of men." (Mark 1:17)
Mar. 16	Bear Hug 25: "...Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey Him?"
Mar. 23	Bear Hug 26: ..."Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" (John 1:29) <i>Extra Credit: Special Day 3, Pg. 114 ...He was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. (1 Corinthians 15:4)</i>
Mar. 30	Special Day 4, Pg. 116 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be My witnesses... (Acts 1:8)

Welcome to



Staff Manual
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2015-2016

About the Cubbies Program...

Awana Cubbies is a two-year weekly club program for preschoolers in the two years prior to kindergarten. Our purpose is to help boys and girls take their first little steps on a lifelong spiritual journey.

In the Bible, parents are instructed to teach their children about God's ways and grow their faith, little by little, day by day. The Cubbies program helps leaders and parents do just that.

Bible teaching begins at home. Each week, parents help their Cubbie complete the



scheduled Bear Hug. Each aspect of the Bear Hug reinforces the same Bible truth. At club, we focus everything we do on the same truth that you have introduced at home. Our story, games, activities, and sometimes even our snack will reinforce the teaching your child has received from you. In doing this, we hope

to really "cement" that week's truth into our Cubbies' minds!

Working together, we can be a great team in the spiritual nurturing of your child!

Cubbies Schedule

Please arrive no later than 6:15 in uniform.

6:15-6:30	
StoryRoom - Red & Blue & Yellow	
Coming-in Time (15 min.) LEVEL 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parents check-in Cubbies put things away & attendance stickers Activities or crafts 	
6:30 – 7:00	
StoryRoom – Two Groups Starting Time (15 min)LEVEL 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pledges, motto, songs Puppet skit Story Time (20 min) LEVEL 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bible song Bible story Celebration Time Prayer 	Hallway – Two Groups Game Time (20 min.) LEVEL 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Following the Leader song Game Bathroom Break Room 2 -Snack Time(15 min)LEVEL2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Snack song Prayer Clean-up
7:00-7:30	
StoryRoom – Switch Groups Same as above	Hallway & Room 2 – Switch Groups Same as above
7:30-7:50	
StoryRoom – Yellow	Room 2 – Blue
Hallway – Red	
Book Time (15 min) LEVEL 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review verse & meaning in group Recite individually & sign off 	
7:50 – 8:00	
StoryRoom – Red & Blue & Yellow	
Going Home Time (10 min) LEVEL 1-2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Songs or Book Time Activity Sheet Optional flyer home & Snack bucket 	

About the Cubbies Materials...

Cubbies Staff

Cubbies Director	Julie	xxx-xxxx
Cubbies Leaders	Ron	xxx-xxxx
	Blake	xxx-xxxx
	Kalyssa	xxx-xxxx
Substitute	Levi	xxx-xxxx

Special Assignments

Story Time	Julie, Kalyssa
Game Time	Ron, Blake
Puppets	Kalyssa
Book Time	Julie, Ron, Blake

APPLE ACRES BROCHURE

This contains two sample Bear Hugs and basic information about the Cubbies program, to be completed first before receiving the Cubbie Handbook and vest. We will go over the Bear Hug Brochure our first night. Parents go over these verses with their child so we can review them during our second meeting.

HANDBOOK AppleSeed or HoneyComb

The handbooks include memory verses and activities divided into weekly Bear Hugs that teach basic truths about God. Cubbies should come to Club with the Bear Hug(s) memorized according to the Calendar. These are background for the lesson at club the next week. Cubbies repeat the memory verse to their leader at Club. Completing every Bear Hug in the book is a requirement for earning a Cubbie book award at the end of the year. Each Bear Hug also contains an "Under the Apple Tree" extra-credit section. At times these require the parent to send something in that their child has done. The child will receive special apple stickers for their book. Under the Apple Tree activities are fun, but not required.



Cubbies Leader Job Description

- 1) A saved person - one who has accepted Jesus Christ as your personal Savior. (Eph. 2:89)
- 2) True to the standards in God's Word. Christ-like and living above reproach.
- 3) Consistent in your walk with the Lord. (Eph. 5:12)
- 4) Burdened to reach boys, girls, and their families for Christ and to establish them in the Christian faith.
- 5) Excited about your personal leadership ministry. Regard your service as a personal ministry from the Lord. Be enthusiastic!
- 6) Patient and gentle, yet firm in your standards. (2 Tim. 2:24)
- 7) Sensitive to the needs of others. (Phil. 2:4) Be sensitive to your Cubbies; listen when they need to talk. Pray for them.
- 8) Desirous to improve yourself in your ministry. Consider memorizing Scripture yourself, and take in available training.

Requirements for Memory Work:

- ❖ Cubbies are allowed two "helps" per Bear Hug.
- ❖ Bear Hugs must be recited at one session.
- ❖ Parents should sign the Bear Hug each week in the required space. If the optional Under the Apple Tree activity is completed, it too needs to be signed.
- ❖ Four year olds must recite the verse AND reference. Three year olds must recite the bold words. We encourage them to recite the rest, if they are capable, but are not required.
- ❖ Cubbies clubbers will recite the verses they've learned at home to their Cubbies leader during club each night.
- ❖ Unlike the upper clubs that go at their own pace, Cubbies work together on the same verse each week.

