

Awana is a world-wide nonprofit ministry focused on providing Bible-based evangelism and discipleship solutions for ages 2-18. As the global leader in child and youth discipleship, Awana gives children the opportunity to know, love and serve Jesus, no matter their background.

# **AWANA Club - Cubbies**

Cubbies® is a two-year preschool ministry that nurtures the budding faith of preschoolers and celebrates their desire to explore all that God has created.

# **AWANA Club - Sparks**

Sparks® is a three-year early elementary school ministry that ignites a child's curiosity about the people and events of the Bible, building a foundation of wisdom for knowing Christ.

# AWANA Club - T&T

Truth & Training® is a four-year upper elementary school ministry that explores the concept of grace by focusing on the character and nature of God, identity of Christ, as well as the structure and format of the Bible.

# Southwinds Church

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# 2020/2021 AWANA CLUB

When: Monday Nights

Time: 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Where: Southwinds Church

13400 W. Middle Road, Tracy, CA 95304

Start Date: 9/14/20

End Date: 3/29/21

# SOUTHWINDS CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

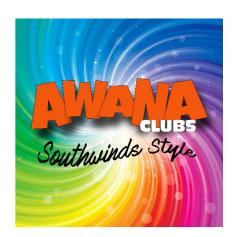
Children's Ministry at Southwinds Church provides exciting opportunities for kids to grow in faith and have fun doing it! Through fun & interactive lessons, goofy games, laughing and learning, we wan to help children Know, Love, & Serve Jesus Christ and each other.

# **CLUB SECURITY/SAFETY**

All Southwinds AWANA Club volunteers go through a comprehensive background check prior to volunteer activities begin. This means you can feel at ease knowing that your child is in good hands during Club.

Similar to the Security/Safety procedures utilized during the annual Southwinds Vacation Bible School, all non-AWANA Club personnel will be asked to leave the Church building during Club hours.

If for some reason, a security/safety issue arises, the Children's Pastor and/or Club Director will notify AWANA volunteers and parents/guardians.



### MONDAY NIGHT SCHEDULE

6:15 PM - 6:30 PM Check-In

**6:30 PM**Start of Club

#### 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Large Group Bible Lessons, Small Group, High-Energy Games, Snacks (Cubbies only), prizes, wacky themes, and other fun activities.

#### 8:00 PM

Club ends. All children should be picked up as close to 8:00 pm as possible.

Note: Club meets every Monday night (9/14/20 to 3/29/21) except during the weeks of Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Years, and Easter.

# **CHECK-IN**

Parents/Guardians will utilize the kiosks to check-in their child. The kiosks will print out a duplicate tag in which the parent/guardian will need to bring back to pick up their child.

# PICK-UP

Child pick-up should occur as close to 8:00 pm as possible. Children will not be released to siblings under the age of 18. Parent/Guardian must bring their child's duplicate tag and hand to the child's Group Leader for pick-up. Parent/Guardian will be called if their child has not been picked-up by 8:15 pm.

### **CLUB COST**

#### REGISTRATION

\$25.00 per child. Includes everything your child will need to have fun and learn God's Word during Club.

AWANA T-SHIRTS (optional) \$10.00

Club Bible Bags/Backpacks (optional) \$10.00

# DISCIPLINE

Discipline is handled on a positive basis. However, if a child will not cooperate or is disruptive to other children, the Club Director or Children's Pastor will give a "three" count. The child's parent/guardian will be notified during pick-up as well. If a child is given a "one" count three times during a one-month period, the parent will be called to pick up their child from club.

Violent or destructive behavior will not be tolerated, and if exhibited, is cause for an immediate call to the parent/guardian to come pick up child from club. The Club Director and/or Children's Pastor may recommend that a child not be allowed back to club based on behavior.