

MARCH - MUSIC IS IN THE AIR

Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the rock of our salvation! Psalm 95:1

Our ADL staff focus this year is intentional teaching in our classrooms. Our mission is to provide a Christ-centered learning environment for your child and partner with you as a parent/grandparent. Our desire is for your child to develop a relationship with Christ while learning the Bible Stories and develop mentally and physically with age-appropriate activities.

Families, thank you for attending our Grandparents Celebration last month! We had a large group turnout, enjoying fellowship, crafts and songs together.

Important: FALL 2020/SPRING 2021 ONLINE REGISTRATION OPEN FOR A LIMITED TIME February 24th – March 8th. Please register your child(ren) during this time.

**A new computer system is being installed, March 9th-13th* Fellowship's website will be down, registration will be unavailable during that time. After the 13th, the registration will reopen.*

Notification of information will be distributed to you about registration.

(Thank you for your patience as our Media Resourcing and IT teams strive to provide a new to enhance communication to you as our Fellowship family)

Reminder: No Summer Session for Adventureland. Staff Kids TIME will be open on Monday and Wednesday only. Online registration will open after March 13th for staff children.

Upcoming Activities

February 27th – March 12th – Building tours will be available for parents. 9:10 A.M. and 1:30 P.M.

March 9th – April 17th – Spring Love Project Donation Drive begins – Stuffed animals (new) and coin drive. Join us in donating new stuffed animal and/or loose change. This is a great opportunity to talk with your child and enjoy together giving to other children that are at Children's Hospital Northwest in Springdale. Bring and drop off at each "check-in" station.

March 19th – Music program at 9:15 A.M. – 10:15 A.M. in the Family Center Auditorium. Toddler 1 & 2 and Preschool classes will sing for you on stage. Enjoy watching your child(ren) sing the songs they have enjoyed signing during their music time at ADL. Please bring your child 5 minutes early (check in as early as 8:55, to allow prep time for music program).

March 23rd – March 26th – Spring Break (local schools closed), Adventureland closed. Staff Kids TIME open on 3/23.

March 30th – Rogers Schools Closed – ADL closed. Staff Kids TIME open in the Children's Center.

April 16th – Last day for new stuffed animal donations and coin drive.

May 14th – Preschool Graduation at 1:00 P.M. in the Family Center Auditorium – Children in Bumblebees and Fireflies classes will perform songs and present year at-a-glance class accomplishment. Families are invited to celebrate our Preschool graduates!

May 14th – Last Day of Adventureland spring session.

May 18th, 20th, and 27th – Last days of Staff Kids TIME spring session. Summer session begins on **June 1st** through **August 19th**

See attached yearly calendar for a full view of activities. Newsletters are also available online at ***www.fellowshipnwa.org/nwa/adventureland**; scroll down to resources. *website link subject to change with new system.

Helpful Information

Adventureland Monthly Fees are drafted the 15th of each month (September-June, a month behind). 1 day a week: \$120/month or 2 days a week: \$240/month (If child drops out during the month, tuition is still charged for the whole month)

Health and Safety Guidelines: • If your child has a fever greater than 100 degrees or has had fever or vomiting within 24 hours of coming to ADL, please keep him/ her at home to rest and get well. • If your child is experiencing other health concerns such as rashes, sores, diaper rash, runny nose, green mucous or red eyes, please keep him/ her at home. • If your child develops an illness while at ADL, we will call you to discuss the situation and possibly ask you to pick-up your child. • Our teachers strive to be healthy, and when illness abounds, they remain home instead of spreading germs to others. * Reminder: we do not have a nurse on staff and cannot administer any medication.

Outside Recess (Toddlers-Preschool): Please dress your child appropriately for outside play, closed toe shoes, and jackets will be needed as the weather gets cooler.

Inclement Weather Policy- If a local school system (Rogers or Bentonville) is closed due to inclement weather, Adventureland and Staff Kids TIME will be closed. Closing notices will be posted on the church website: www.fellowshipnwa.org and ADL voicemail 479-659-3691.

MUSIC MINUTE

This month, we will be getting ready for the Spring Music Program that will be on March 19th, at 9:15-10:30 a.m. Please put this date and time on your calendar, as it is definitely one of the highlights of the year! We would love to have moms, dads, grandmas, grandpas...any special person in your child's life to attend! Please note, the program is on a Thursday, if your child only attends on Monday, we would like for you to come on the morning of Thursday, March 19th, so your child can participate in the program. The Bunnies, Ducklings, and Puppies classes will not actually be in the program, they will be represented in a slideshow, but ALL other Adventureland classes will be participating in the program. Also, various teachers have been taking pictures of all the Adventureland children throughout the year and we will be compiling them to be shown before the program begins.

Singing for Him!

~ Alica