



## Southeast Michigan Info-Pak

# 2010-2011

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*Greetings in the Name of our blessed Lord & Savior!*

*Praise the Lord for the opportunities He has given to proclaim His grace! To God be all the glory!!!*

*How about scheduling your end of year picnic or leader get together in our back yard? Give us a call to line up a date. We would love to visit your club, speak to the kids, give you ideas to increase your effectiveness, provide pulpit supply. We are your servants!*

*Use the registration forms and other information as masters for your club. Run copies for distribution to your Secretary and Directors. This is the only packet of information your church receives so ... please copy & distribute it! Thanks!*

***We praise the Lord for the opportunity to serve SE Michigan. We are blessed to be your co-workers!***

*For His Glory,*

*Rick & Connie Stomps - Missionaries  
Psalm 19:9-10*

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*Your Missionaries since 1984*

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## 2010 Calendar

### Children's Ministry Workers Mini-Conferences 4 Locations

<b>Sep 25</b>	<b>Conference</b>	Bethany Baptist - Grand Blanc
<b>Sep 27</b>	<b>Conference</b>	Macomb Baptist - Mt Clemens
<b>Oct 5</b>	<b>Conference</b>	First Baptist - Canton
<b>Oct 16</b>	<b>Conference</b>	First Baptist - Vassar

## 2011 Calendar

<b>Jan 20</b>	<b>T&amp;T &amp; Sparks Games Coaches</b>	Maranatha Baptist - Clarkston
<b>Feb 12</b>	<b>Grand Prix Open</b>	Dixie Baptist - Clarkston
<b>Mar 12</b>	<b>T&amp;T Games</b>	Dixie Baptist - Clarkston
<b>Mar 19</b>	<b>Sparks-A-Rama</b>	Dixie Baptist - Clarkston
<b>Apr 16</b>	<b>T&amp;T Bible Quiz</b>	First Baptist - Rochester

**October 29** **Children's Ministry Conference** **First Baptist - Lapeer**



# Awana Children's Ministry Mini-Conferences

<b>Sep 25</b>	Bethany Baptist Church Saturday 8:25 - 11:55 am 2353 E Grand Blanc Rd - Grand Blanc 48439
<b>Sep 27</b>	Macomb Baptist Church Monday 6:25 - 9:15 pm 23970 Hall Rd - Clinton Twp 48036
<b>Oct 5</b>	First Baptist Church Tuesday 6:25 - 9:15 pm 44500 Cherry Hill Rd - Canton 48187
<b>Oct 16</b>	First Baptist Church Saturday 8:25 - 11:55 am 5880 Frankenmuth Rd - Vassar 48768

We've gone to a different format this year to accommodate more Sunday School teachers, Awana leaders & pastors. Please choose the location(s) and dates that will be convenient for your children's workers.

Some classes will be unique at each location. Space is limited so please sign up early.

Register by mail or online. Detailed information is online at:

[www.awana-mi.com](http://www.awana-mi.com)

- Sep 25 Bethany Baptist Grand Blanc  
Workers Attending \_\_\_\_\_  
Pastors Attending (free) \_\_\_\_\_
- Sep 27 Macomb Baptist - Clinton Twp  
Workers Attending \_\_\_\_\_  
Pastors Attending (free) \_\_\_\_\_
- Oct 5 First Baptist - Canton  
Workers Attending \_\_\_\_\_  
Pastors Attending (free) \_\_\_\_\_
- Sep 16 First Baptist - Vassar  
Workers Attending \_\_\_\_\_  
Pastors Attending (free) \_\_\_\_\_

**Generation  
After  
Generation  
2010 Awana  
Ministry Conference**



**\$15** - postmarked 10 days prior to Conference!  
**\$20** - postmarked 9 days or less prior to Conference!  
**\$25** - at the door!

Church \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Checks payable to Awana

**Mail to: Rick Stomps - 12298 N State Rd - Otisville - MI - 48463**

**Grand Prix Open - February 12**

**Registration and weigh-in at 9:00 a.m ... race at 10:00 a.m.!**

Please distribute these rules with your car kits!

**2011 Racing Specifications**



1. Cars will race by club and be judged for both design & speed.
2. All cars must be made from a new block of wood purchased during this Awana year.
3. No car may race that has competed in a local church race in prior club years.
4. Wheels & axles must be purchased from Awana & must be easily recognized as such.
5. Cars shall not exceed: **7" length, 2 3/4" width, 3 1/2" height.**
6. Cars must have at least **3/8" clearance** between the track and the bottom of the car body
7. Cars must be able to sit behind the starting pin with no part of the car extending past the pin  
**(5/8" max clearance between center of car's nose & the track to avoid "riding up" on the pin.**
8. Weight of the car and all accessories shall not exceed **5 ounces.**
9. All weights must be stationary and securely fastened to the car.
10. Any additions to the block of wood must be built securely into the car.
11. Bearings, bushings, washers are forbidden. The car's painted surface may contact the wheels.
12. **New - Wheel tread must be factory width. It must be the original width from Awana.**
13. Starting devises are prohibited.
14. Cars must pass final inspection for all categories before they will be officially registered.
15. Drivers must be members of the club & are encouraged to wear uniforms.

A church may enter: **3 - girls in 3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> grade;**  
**3 - girls in 5<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grade;**  
**3 - boys in 3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> grade;**  
**3 - boys in 5<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grade;**  
**3 - Combined ... Trek, 24/7 & Leaders**

**Spectator admission ....** \$ 2/adult \$ 1/school-age child (racers admitted free!)  
\$ 5/family (mom, dad, school age kids residing at same address)

Springfield Christian School will provide concessions ... refreshments & food.

# Grand Prix Open Feb 12, 2011

## Fees

**\$15** per category If postmarked by February 1

**\$25** per category If postmarked after February 1

✓(check) **each category** you are entering:

**T&T Girls 3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> grades**     **T&T Boys 3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> grades**

**T&T Girls 5<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grades**     **T&T Boys 5<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grades**

**Trek & Leaders**

**Paid registrations are processed on a first received basis.** Meet participation is limited so, additional registrations will be placed on standby)

**Confirmations will be emailed as received!**

Church	_____
City	_____ Registration # _____
Fax	_____
<b>Email</b>	_____
Contact Person	_____
Pone	_____

Make checks **payable to Awana** & mail to:

**Rick Stomps    12298 N State Rd    Otisville MI 48463**

# Bible Quiz

## April 16, 2011

**Location to be announced!**

## Quiz is a three part format!

Speed	Multiple Choice	Team
Hand-held push button system.	Participants choose a correct multiple choice answer.	Members confer then write out the answer.

## Do the kids earn awards?

Yes! Not only does each team member earn a medallion for 1<sup>st</sup> place or a ribbon for 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, or 4<sup>th</sup>, but each team member earns a Bible Quiz patch or pin indicating the number of years they have quizzed.!

The participants with the greatest number of correctly answered Multiple Choice answers receive a Highest Honor Multiple Choice Ribbon. Same goes for those with the highest correct Speed answers. The overall top quizzers from each team/book receive a Quiz Champion Ribbon.

## What can I do to encourage my kids to Quiz?

Take a class on Quiz Coaching at the Leadership Conference. Practice quizzing as part of your Council Time. Promote it to the kids. Show your excitement of the Word of God. Memorize Scripture and have a Leader Quiz.

## What will the T&T kids be quizzed over?

Ultimate Discovery	Book 1	Discoveries 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 plus Start Zone
Ultimate Discovery	Book 2	Discoveries 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
Challenge	Old Books 3-4	Challenges 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
Ultimate Challenge	New Book 1	Challenges 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 plus Start Zone
Ultimate Challenge	New Book 2	Challenges 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

# Bible Quiz Registration

9:30 AM April 16, 2011

# T&T Bible Quiz Rules 3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

Mail To:  
Rick Stomps  
12298 N State Rd  
Otisville, MI 48463

Church \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_  
Church Registration # \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

10 sportsmanship points to **completed** team registrations postmarked by March 9

**\$25** /team postmarked by Mar 9      **\$30** /team postmarked after Mar 9

- Book 1** Grades 3-4 ... Co-Ed or same gender
- Book 2** Grade 4 ... Co-Ed or same gender
- Book 3** 5-6 grades - Co-Ed or same gender

- Book 2** Grades 4-6 ... Co-Ed or same gender
- Book 4** Grade 6... Co-Ed or same gender

### New Ultimate Challenge Books for 5th & 6th grades

- Book 1** Grades 5-6 ... Co-Ed or same gender
- Book 2** Grade 6 ... Co-Ed or same gender

Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Years coached \_\_\_\_\_

- Book 1** Grades 3-4 ... Co-Ed or same gender
- Book 2** Grade 4 ... Co-Ed or same gender
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Mail to: Awana c/o Rick Stomps - 12298 N State - Otisville - MI - 48463

## OBJECTIVES

- ◆ Encourage clubbers in Bible memorization
- ◆ Promote a greater love for the Bible.
- ◆ Proclaim God's wonderful grace through the Bible Quiz questions.

## PREPARING TEAMS FOR QUIZZING

- ◆ Pray the truth they are studying will impact lives.
- ◆ Select coaches to work with quizzers.
- ◆ Select team members as soon as possible.
- ◆ Help your kids to understand the material.
- ◆ Quiz a pre-club activity or part of the night!

## ORGANIZATION OF TEAMS

Teams = 1 - 3 members (2 quizzers plus 1 alternate)

- Book 1** Grades 3-4 ... Co-Ed or all same gender
- Book 2** Grade 4 ... Co-Ed or all same gender
- Grades 4-6 ... Co-Ed or all same gender
- Book 3** Grades 5-6 ... Co-Ed or all same gender
- Book 4** Grade 6 ... Co-Ed or all same gender

### New 5<sup>th</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> grade Discovery Books

- Book 1** Grades 5-6 ... Co-Ed or all same gender
- Book 2** Grade 6 ... Co-Ed or all same gender

**Format:** Multiple Choice; Speed; Team Quizzing.

## TEAM QUIZZING

During Team Quizzing, the entire team, 1-3 members, (including alternates) participate.

6-10 questions will be asked. The teams are allowed 30 seconds to "huddle" quietly to come up with one answer. This answer is then written on a dry erase board and held up when called for by the Quizmaster. Correct answers are 20 points. (No penalty points for incorrect answers.)

## SPEED QUIZZING

One or two quizzers from each team will compete. Correct answers are 10 points. Incorrect answers are minus 5 points.

In the Speed Quiz, the first Quizzer responding is asked to give the answer. If no Quizzer responds in 10 seconds the next question given.

When the quizzer is acknowledged and steps up to the microphone, he/she has 10 seconds to begin & 30 seconds to complete the answer.

If a Quizzer responds before the question is completed, they must give a specific correct answer.

Quizzers answering 2 questions correctly "quiz-out" & receive 5 bonus points. Alternates may be substituted.

Competitors having 2 wrong answers are ineligible to answer additional questions. Another Quizzer, may be substituted.

## MULTIPLE-CHOICE QUIZZING

10 questions. After reading the question, the Quizmaster will say "select your answer", followed by the command "paddles-up" with the clubbers raising their paddles simultaneously. Quizzers raising paddles late are disqualified from that question. After the command "paddles up", clubbers may not change answers.

During the reading of the question, quizzers must look down at their paddles. Looking any other place is an automatic disqualification.

Quizzers are awarded 10 points per correct answer. (No penalty for incorrect answers.)

# Awana Games & Sparks-A-Rama Policies

## ALTERNATES

- ◆ Alternates must be from the same team as the one for whom he/she is substituted.
- ◆ Substituting an alternate is not a "time-out".
- ◆ Once a participating team member is replaced by an alternate, he/she cannot return to the competition during that format of the quiz
- ◆ Substitutions may be made only by the coach calling out "substitute" to the Quizmaster.

## APPAREL

Wear Awana uniforms. Jeans/shorts not permitted

## APPEALS

Only the coach may appeal a question or an answer by calling out "Question Mr. Quizmaster." Only the preceding question may be appealed. All appeals are directed to the Quizmaster. When recognized, the coach confers **privately** with the Quizmaster & Judges. After voicing the question, the coach must be seated. In all cases, the decision of the Quizmaster & missionary are final.

## AWARDS

### TEAM

1st place medallions & church plaque  
2nd - 4th place each receive ribbons

### INDIVIDUAL

Speed, Multiple Choice & Champion Ribbon

### PARTICIPATION

Awards for each year of participation.

## COACHES

- ◆ No handbooks once quizzing has begun.
- ◆ Only coaches may make a substitution.
- ◆ **Coaches Meeting 20 minutes prior to the Quiz.**

## HANDBOOKS, BIBLES, ETC.

No further studying or materials are allowed during quizzing by teams, coaches, spectators

## NAME TAGS

Team members must wear a name tag (8" x 11") around indicating **Name, Church, Book**

## QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Verses must be quoted word perfect. Questions other than Scripture may be paraphrased.

Questions may include any material from the most current copyright of each handbook:

**Start Zone Book 1, 2, ... Discoveries 1-5**

**Book 3, 4 ... Challenges 1-5**

**New Ultimate Challenge Books 5-6 grades**

**Start Zone Book 1 & 2 ... Challenges 1-5**

When a Speed question has been answered, the Quizmaster will ask "Is that your answer?"

## REGISTRATION

Teams are accepted on a "first paid" basis. A Meet may not exceed 10 teams in a group.

## SCORING

	Correct	Incorrect	Bonus
<b>Multiple Choice</b>	10	-	-
<b>Team Quizzing</b>	20	-	-
<b>Speed Quizzing</b>	10	-5	5

## TIE SCORE

If there is a tie score for 1st place, two clubbers from each team will be asked one speed question

## TIME-OUT

Only the Quizmaster can declare a 1 minute time-out. Coaches may ask for time-outs. Each team is allowed one time-out for period.

## TYPES OF QUESTIONS

Types of questions will include, but are not limited to:

Verse quotations; Verse Completion; Application;  
Key word & phrases; Definitions; Reference

revised 7/15/10

## Every team member must complete at least 10 sections

- **Ages** Sparks may not be 9 prior to September 1 of last year.  
3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> graders may not be 11 prior to September 1 of last year.  
5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> graders may not be 13 prior to September 1 of last year.
- **Sparks** *Division 1 15-17 players, not more than 9 boys (8 - 2<sup>nd</sup> graders max..)*  
*Division 2 10-12 players, not more than 6 boys (5 - 2<sup>nd</sup> graders max.)*
- **Awana Games** *Division 1 10-12 players (6 ... 5-6 graders max)*  
*Division 2 CO-ED 12-14 players. (7 boys & 7 girls max)*  
*Maximum = 4 .. 5-6 grade girls & 4 ..5-6 grade boys*

## How do we register?

Registrations for Awana Games or Sparks-A-Rama will be accepted on a first come & paid basis. Teams will be notified of their acceptance prior to the Coaches Meeting via email. Churches may request a color & time on the registration form.

## What is a Coaches Meeting?

**Coaches (or their representative) must attend a vital meeting ... 7 pm ... at Maranatha Baptist Church of Clarkston, 1/20/2011 to review the rules and to draw for time, circle and color. Teams with a coach in attendance, will receive 4 sportsmanship points** to start the competition on the day of their Meet. Churches must have someone attend!

## What is the cost?

Registration fees are \$70 per team if postmarked by January 7, \$85 if postmarked after January 7, 2011. These fees are non-refundable. The spectator entrance fees are - \$2 per adult - \$1 per child - or \$5 per family (mom, dad, kids living in a household.)

**Rules** Rules are available online at [awana-mi@com](mailto:awana-mi@com) (Oct 1)

# Registration

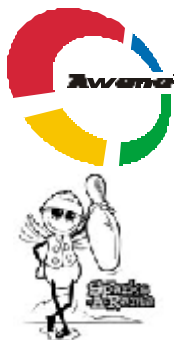
# T&T Games & Sparks-A-Rama

Mar 12, 2011

Mar 19, 2011

Church \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_  
 Church Registration # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fax \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email \_\_\_\_\_

**\$70 postmarked Jan 7**  
**\$85 /team postmarked after Jan**



- Boys** 3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> Division 1 ... 10-12 players
- Girls** 3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>
- Co-Ed** 3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> Division 2 ... 12-14 players
- Sparks** K - 2<sup>nd</sup> ... Division 1 ... 15-17 players
- Sparks** K - 2<sup>nd</sup> ... Division 2 ... 10-12 players

**Coach 1** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
**Email** \_\_\_\_\_ Years coached \_\_\_\_\_

**Coach 2** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
**Email** \_\_\_\_\_ Years coached \_\_\_\_\_

I will personally bring a completed permission slip for each team member, signed by a parent or guardian, (granting both permission to participate and allowing emergency medical treatment) to the Awana Games or Sparks-A-Rama. I have read and agree to the conditions on **pages 11-13** of this Info-Pak. **My representative or myself will attend the 7:00 p.m. Coaches Meeting on Jan 20, 2011.**

x \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_  
 Coach 1 Signature Coach 2 Signature

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Mail to: Rick Stomps - 12298 N State Rd - Otisville MI 48463

- This form must be completed in full to register team
- Completed registrations are accepted in the order received - on a first come & paid basis. When all color lines on all circles are filled, additional teams will be accepted only on a standby basis.
- No refunds will be issued to churches withdrawing team entries.
- If a team does not show, the church will be registered on standby next year
- Coaches must attend the **7 pm ... Jan 20, 2011 Coaches Meeting** :

**Sparks** Division 1 15-17 players, not more than 9 boys & 8 - 2<sup>nd</sup> graders max..  
 Division 2 10-12 players, not more than 6 boys & 5 - 2<sup>nd</sup> graders max.

- Awana Games** Division 1 10-12 players - maximum 6 ... 5-6 graders  
 Division 2 CO-ED 12-14 players. With 7 boys & 7 girls max maximum 4 .. 5-6 grade girls & 4 .. 5-6 grade boys

- Team members must pass 10 sections prior to the Meet.
- Coaches: Sparks teams must have 2 coaches ... 2 ladies or 1 man & 1 lady.  
 Girls teams must be coached by ladies ... boys teams must be coached by men  
 Co-ed T&T teams must have both a man & a woman coach!
- Attire: Coaches .. Modest loose fitting slacks, skirts, culottes. Skirts & culottes must come to at least the bottom of the knee. No shorts, jeans, sweats, stirrup/stretch pants etc.  
  
 Team Member Attire ... Modest loose fitting jeans, slacks or culottes. Skirts & culottes must come to at least the bottom of the knee. No shorts!

Mail to:  
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 12298 N State Rd  
 Otisville MI 48463

**Enclosed is a check payable to Awana for ...**  
 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ # teams x

Churches registered by Jan 7 ... may **circle** a preference.  
 We will **try** to honor your request!

Sparks	<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	Color	<b>R</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>Y</b>
Awana T&T Games	<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	Color	<b>R</b>	<b>B</b>		

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## Would You Like To Become Involved In The Stomps Awana Ministry of Southeast Michigan?

Look to

[www.awana-mi.com](http://www.awana-mi.com)

for additional info & ideas throughout the year!

Awana Games & Sparks-A-Rama Rules

Sparks, T&T

Parents Night IdeasLeaders

Quiz Rules

Grand Prix Open Rules

Commander College

Various Forms & Fliers, Fun ideas for Kids, etc

You will find great free clip art, club & message ideas,  
Sparkles newsletter for Sparks, T&T Newsletters and more at:

[www.awana.org](http://www.awana.org)

**Register for A.R.T**

(Awana Resources & Training)

### Brothers & Sisters ... We need your help!

#### 1. **Pray**

1 child from each church to be called to full time ministry  
Leaders to have a vibrant vision for souls & serving Christ  
Travel Safety (We put over 3,000 miles/month on the truck)

#### 2. **Support**

We are faith supported missionaries. As your missionaries we are totally dependent upon financial support from local churches & individuals for both personal & ministry needs.

We have great financial support needs. Our support is short over \$950 per month. We have all been affected by the economic downturn. We know you understand. Our friends in ministry have had to cut back, but we serve a great God!! Please ask your church & friends, if they would like to become involved in the Stomps Awana ministry here in SE Michigan.

Let leaders know so they can effectively pray for us too!

If you or your church would like to be part of our support team, drop us a note or call 810-631-6777.

#### 3. **Physically**

Involvement in activities, assistance to other area churches

Leaders can email us to get our letters, updates & prayer requests

Please contact us if you or some of your leaders would like to become involved!  
Let us know if your church would like to host an event or meeting.

Thanks! - Rick & Connie