

Handbook Time Activities

Appreciation: Write letters to your pastors/leaders/parents/teachers

Awana Video: Make a video! Bring in a video recorder that can be given to the students of the highlights of the year.

Craft time: ex) Take photos of the clubbers, have them developed, bring them back the next week and have the clubbers decorate cheap picture frames they can give to their parents. (This is intended to be a multi-week project)

Celebrate Birthdays: Recognition in a big group is great, but why not have a little mini-birthday party! Bring in cupcakes or some type of treat to celebrate the birthdays of that month.

Family Emphasis: enlist LITers to come in and be the “big brother, big sister” to hang out and mentor the clubbers

Invitations: Make invitations to hand out to their friends inviting them to Awana

Journal/Scrapbook: to create a sense of unity, start a year-long journal or scrapbook the kids can take with them at the end of the year.

Memorization: Work on next week’s verse!!!

Missions: Write letters to you missionaries or adopt-a-club sponsored by your church.

Prayer Requests: Many times the clubbers want to share prayer requests during big group time. Use this time to bond as a small group and also give them a chance to share what is going on in their lives.

Sharing time: Allow for guided conversation to talk together about what is current and just communicate with them.

Video Clips: show short video clips that apply to the lesson.

“What if?” Cube: create a cube with different scenarios on it, so when it is rolled, you discuss the responses the clubbers would have to that specific situation. (can be adapted to a bowl with paper options as well!)