

# Children's Ministry Conference 2017

## Registration Card



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Good News Club school (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

What is your role in children's ministry? \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle the class you wish to attend during each session.

- Session 1:** Safety  
 Emcee  
 Attendance and Dismissal  
 411  
 Memory Verse  
 Bible Lesson 1—Using the Story

- Session 2:** GNC Admin Support Group  
 Mini-Segments Showcase  
 Grade Shepherding  
 Basic Technology  
 Bible Lesson 2—Applications

- Session 3:** Transforming Kids  
 Missions Showcase  
 Diverse Kids with Diverse Needs  
 Guiding A Child to the Savior  
 (ACTTS) 1  
 Wordless Book Framework  
 Going the Extra Mile

- Session 4:** Safety  
 Demo Club  
 Memory Verse Showcase  
 Guiding ACTTS 2  
 Bible Lesson Invitation & Guiding  
 ACTTS 1

- Session 5:** Discipline & Scenarios  
 Demo Club  
 All About CEF  
 Grade Shepherding  
 Advanced Technology  
 Bible Lesson Showcase

**Lunch?** (provided by McAlister's Deli)    Y / N

If yes (circle one):    Roast Beef    Ham  
    Turkey    Veggie Pita

**Class descriptions can be found on the back.**

## Teaching/Club time

### Emcee

Learn effective strategies that speed up the pace, decrease distractions and discipline problems, prepare for the next event, and redeem the time.

### Memory Verse

Need to learn the ins and outs of teaching the memory verse? There's an "IPEAR" for that (if this does not make sense to you, you should really consider taking this class :) ! Make scripture memory a vibrant part of your class using a simple 5-step method.

### Bible Lesson 1- Using the Story

Bible stories should never be boring. It's up to the teacher to make the Bible come alive for the kids in your ministry! Learn tips for making a Biblical narrative an interactive and exciting experience for volunteers and children alike.

### Bible Lesson 2 Applications

Did you know that you can turn any Bible story into a Bible Lesson? Come to this class to learn practical and innovative ways to prepare and present a Bible Lesson so that your students will apply the Word of God in their own lives.

### Bible Lesson Invitation

Giving the invitation and guiding a child to the Savior (counseling) is the highlight of the club hour. We are going to break it down and provide practical tips to help you gain confidence for giving a clear invitation with every lesson.

### Guiding A Child to the Savior pt 1

Are you energetic about the time right after the Bible Lesson when you are one on one with a child to talk about their spiritual condition? Learn the basics for how to guide children to Christ with clarity and discernment.

### Guiding ACTTS pt 2

The most important thing you could ever do for children is guide them to the Savior. In this class session you will learn how to build confidence in working with children after the invitation as you are used by God to lead the child to the Savior. Review "what if" scenarios and put what you are learning by practicing with guidance with others.

### Wordless Book Framework

Can you organize and clearly communicate the Gospel to children? Understanding these essential pieces can help you focus every area of your ministry around a clear communication of the Gospel to children as well as to adults. (Great for all, especially Bible teachers)

## Ministry Tips

### All about CEF

Did you know that Child Evangelism Fellowship is the largest evangelistic outreach to children in the world? Come hear the history of CEF and how God is using this ministry to

reach kids all over the world! In fact, we'll give you more ways that you can be apart of the action!

### 411

Are you new to Good News Club, children's ministry, or CEF (Child Evangelism Fellowship)? Come ask questions, learn the basics, fill in the gaps, and be brought up to speed. Welcome to the family!

### Safety

This class will give you crucial information you need to ensure that both the children and the adults under your supervision are protected in any situation.

### GNC Admin Support Group

Rub elbows with other GNC administrators. Share ideas, struggles, successes, and suggestions for running a GNC, connecting with the school, growing attendance, promotion, finding volunteers, working with your church, and so much more!

### Attendance and Dismissal

Starting with the first day of club, learn the necessities of properly recording attendance while also welcoming each student and preparing them for club.

### Basic Technology

Get an overview of what is possible, resources, and learn some basics to lower your frustration level, build confidence, and save you time. During this session, we'll be covering how to set up equipment, navigating PowerPoint, using and finding resources, Q&A, tutorials, and walk-throughs.

### Advanced Technology

Would you like more help learning to use the GNC resources available for the computer? This class is an extension of the previous hour and will contain more Q&As, tutorials, and walk-throughs. (Very little will be repeated from the first class.)

### Transforming Kids

Children often need help knowing how to start growing in their relationship with God. This class will give you helpful tips for developing a quiet time with God so that you can encourage children to start growing daily.

### Grade Shepherding

See a demonstration for what an effective small group time could look like and strategies to help make it work.

### Diverse Kids with Diverse Needs

At times, every child has a need that requires special attention, but some children have consistent and special needs whether it is a handicap, ADD, autism, or others. Are you ready to meet that child where they need you? This class will give you important information and strategies that will prepare you for helping every child.

### Discipline and Scenarios

How do you maintain control in a class of students from a variety of ages and backgrounds? Your class

discipline can be instructional and meaningful while also emphasizing safety. Practical tips will be presented that can be used in a variety of settings.

### Going the Extra Mile

Serving in children's ministry is a great calling with meaningful impact. When we step out to serve where God has called us, He opens our eyes to see how God is at work around us and invites us to continue to join Him. Going the extra mile is when someone goes even further out of their way to make a difference in a child's life. Learn easy strategies to go the extra mile in a child's life and for God's glory.

## Showcases

### Demo Club

Come watch a live Good News Club demonstrated by seasoned experts. This session is ideal for new volunteers or those with questions about an effective ministry schedule.

### Mini-Segments Showcase

In this session learn how to fill the small gaps with useful and interactive activities such as songs, world vs. word, teaching on prayer, review games, and more!

### Missions Showcase

Did you know that children can be missionaries too? Not only can missions time encourage children to share Jesus with their neighbors but it also has huge potential for dramatically impacting your entire ministry. Learn new ideas for making this an exciting time.

### Memory Verse Showcase

Where can you find ideas for presenting an awesome memory verse? If it's not in this showcase then we don't know! Come see a demonstration of the memory verses from the current series, Celebrate Our God!

### Bible Lesson Showcase

Come see tips and tools for making exciting and interactive Bible lessons that will get kids excited about the Word of God! Recommended for GNC Bible teachers, Sunday school teachers, and anyone else who is involved in teaching Gospel focused lessons.

## Schedule

8:00-8:30—Prayer

8:30-9:00—Registration/ Check In

9:10-9:50—General Session

10:00-10:40—Session 1

10:50-11:30—Session 2

11:30-1:10—Lunch

1:15-1:55—Session 4

2:05-2:45—Session 5