



Parents' Night  
Out



COMPREHENSIVE GUIDE

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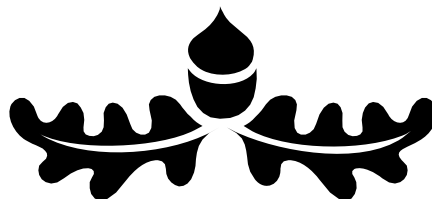
## *Introductory Comments*

Thank you for your interest in starting a Parents' Night Out program. I have seen God use this ministry to touch our community and I believe that most communities could benefit from a ministry of this type. Enclosed you will find many items to help you get started. Please feel free to adapt, modify, and use these items to meet the needs of your community. I have tried to write down everything that I have learned over the years. There is no sense in everyone learning things the hard way! You may learn things too. If you discover something that works, will you please let me know? If after reading this material you still have questions, please don't hesitate to contact me. You may write or call me at:

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## *History of Parents' Night Out*

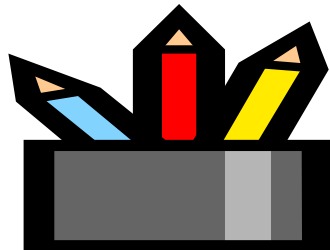
From here on we will refer to Parents' Night Out as *PNO*. *PNO* was started in October of 1981 by Debbie Wohler and Dan Holzer. As we looked at our community we saw there were many families with young children. We also discovered that finding a babysitter was both difficult and expensive. We noticed that many times both parents had to work. Finding quality time together as a couple was difficult. In our country at least one of every three couples who gets married will get divorced. We felt like the church should be doing something to strengthen the family and we wanted our community to know that our church cares about families. We wanted to provide a time where couples could spend quality time together without the kids, and to provide a break for single parents. *PNO* is how we are attempting to meet some of the needs of the families in our community.



# GOALS OF PARENTS' NIGHT OUT

- 1. To minister to the families in our community.**
- 2. To provide an opportunity for parents to spend time together.**
- 3. To help both children and parents understand God's love for them and to help them come to a relationship with Jesus Christ.**
- 4. To provide a fun, safe, and low-cost program for the children of our community.**
- 5. To further strengthen the family by providing conferences on parenting, relationships, and marriages for the people of our community.**
- 6. To help both parents and children understand that church is a place to worship and have fun.**

PNO





### ***PNO Age Requirements***

*PNO* is for children ages birth through twelve years old. All children in the community are welcome, as are children of tourists who come to our community.

### ***PNO Cost***

In the beginning we didn't ask for a donation for this ministry. However, we found in our community that people wouldn't come when it was free. I began to talk with people who had kids, and asked them why they weren't coming. They said, "We don't go to your church or any church, and we feel like we are taking advantage of you." I asked them, "What could I do to help with this problem?" They said, "Charge money!" We ask that parents donate \$10.00 per child per evening. If a family can't afford it, the program is free. We have often found that people give extra money each week when they come. They think we are too cheap! The money is used to pay for snacks, craft supplies, Bible literature, games, etc. Once the ministry began to grow, this income allowed us to provide extra things for the kids. We purchased playground equipment, DVD's, etc. Another interesting thing happened along the way. One of the men in our church belonged to the Kiwanis Club. He brought his children to the program and thought it was wonderful. He suggested we write to the Kiwanis Club and ask them for a donation. Each year since then, the Kiwanis Club has made a donation to our church for the *PNO* program. The Lions, Rotary Club, and other such service organizations might do this too once you are established.

### ***PNO Hours and Dates***

*PNO* begins at 6:00 pm and runs until 10:00 pm. People can bring their kids for any or all of that time. We ask that people feed their children dinner before they bring them. Ask parents to be prompt in picking up their children. Habitual tardiness on the part of the parent may result in not being able to bring their children for a specified period of time. (This rarely happens!) *PNO* is held every Friday night during the summer beginning the first Friday in June and it runs through the first Friday in August. We then have *PNO* once a month, September through May.

We do our December *PNO* a little differently. It is held on the first Saturday in December and lasts 6 hours. This is to allow parents time to go Christmas shopping without the kids. *PNO* has a very large need for volunteers. If I were only going to do one a few during the winter months, I would do it on Valentines Day and possibly an extended New Year's Eve *PNO*.



## ***Volunteers and Parental Participation***

*PNO* is staffed by summer missionaries, local church people, and parents of those attending. The main teacher of each class must either be a summer missionary or a church member. As the ministry grew we had to get creative in our staffing. We began asking the youth, singles, and retired folks in our church to take a turn. Then we still needed help. We came up with the idea of asking each parent who brings their children to volunteer once a year. Obviously not everyone does volunteer, but many do volunteer and it has been a tremendous help. Anyone can pass out crayons and snacks and do crowd control! Be sure you have all diapers changed in full view of everyone. You will also want to have someone you trust to take small children to the restroom. Since you may not know a great deal about volunteers, it is unwise to take a chance that they may physically or sexually abuse a child. Supervision of unknown volunteers is very important. We encourage you to get volunteers fingerprinted and run a child abuse check. Your association and state convention can help you understand the laws in your state.

## ***Health of Children***

Encourage parents to be considerate of others. Ask them not to bring their children to *PNO* if they are sick. If children have a fever, diarrhea, nausea, vomiting, chicken pox, measles, etc., ask them to not expose other children to their child's illness.

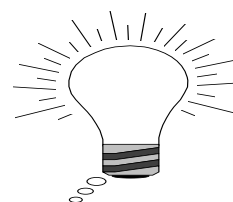
## ***PNO Publicity***

Enclosed you will find a sample publicity sheet given to the parents. We began by putting the information in our local paper and our church bulletin. We spent time at the Post Office and grocery stores handing out publicity sheets to people with children. Get permission from the owner of each establishment to pass out flyers. Occasionally the school will hand out our publicity sheets to kids in the classroom. If the school passes out information about the Girl Scouts or parks & recreation programs, they cannot discriminate against you. It is all or nothing for the schools. You can also get parents to give you the addresses of the children in their child's class. You can ask the Post Office if you can buy a local mailing list. You can do a bulk mailing to every address in your area. If you do many mailings to very many people it will be worth your while to get a bulk mail permit from the Post Office. Through the years we have developed a mailing list from the registration forms. We also ask people if they know others who might be interested. Dressing up as a clown and handing out publicity sheets is a good way to get people to come talk to you. Another idea is to go to a parade in your town and pass out information. There are always tons of kids at a parade. Be sure that if your church has a web page that you refer to this on your publicity pieces. Once I get an e-mail address, I send them a monthly reminder the week of *PNO*.

## ***Licensing and Insurance***

As *PNO* is described here there is no need for the program to be licensed. In the state of California, if a program meets for 4 hours a week and less than 12 weeks in a row you do not need to be licensed. If you live in another state you would be wise to check with the state office that handles child care regulation.

You will be increasing the use and liability of your church. In the beginning we just got an extra endorsement on our insurance policy. We have since added many ministries and have decided to have a million dollar umbrella insurance policy.



## First Aid

You will need to have a first aid kit on every floor of your building. A first aid book to go with each kit is also a good idea. Check to see that you have adequate fire extinguishers and smoke alarms and that they have been properly serviced. The person in charge should take a basic CPR and First Aid course. It would be a good idea for volunteers to wear plastic gloves when dealing with diapers, blood related injuries, etc. Be sure to tell your volunteers what to do in case of emergencies. 95% of all accidents can be prevented with proper supervision and planning. Never leave children unsupervised! Establish rules for equipment and games and stick to them. Do you have a fire bell to evacuate the children? Where would you meet in case of a fire? Establish an evacuation plan and do regular drills for fire, earthquakes, and tornadoes with your volunteers and children.

### *Lesson Plans*



At this point please refer to the sample lesson plan given for a four hour *PNO*. I will try to give you pertinent information regarding each section of the lesson plan

### *Registration*

People will start coming 10-15 minutes before your announced starting time. Be sure all of your teachers are in place before accepting any children. I usually have a list of teachers for the evening at the front desk and I check them off as they come in. Ask your teachers to be there and be ready at least 15 minutes before the program is to start. I am enclosing a sample registration form that we use. We ask that the parent fill out new registration forms each year. This way they update any address changes, medical problems, etc. We let them put the names and ages of all their children on one form. Be sure they sign the permission slip at the bottom. This allows paramedics and doctors to provide necessary care if the parent for some reason cannot be reached. Get the cell phone numbers of the parents. If they don't have a cell phone, get the name of where they are going to be for the evening. We keep a list of the phone numbers of all the movie theaters, doctors, and restaurants in our town with the emergency information so we can find them all quickly. We assure the parent that every effort will be made to contact them or their responsible party, but it is in their best interest to sign the registration form. Have several pens on hand so parents can fill these out. The first few times you may want to have someone handing registration forms out to people as they wait in line so they can get started on the paperwork. If you are doing advance direct mailings you can include a registration form with your letter and ask people to fill it out ahead of time. This will save them a great deal of time at the front desk. The next time they come we just get the child's name and where the parent can be reached in case of emergency. Be sure to get the child's first and last name written down and ask if they have a registration card on file. We ask parents to do a new registration form at the beginning of each year. If you show up at the emergency room with a child and not the parent, the hospital wants something current!

As the children come in, we color coordinate their name tags. For example, children under 2 get a blue computer label with their name on it. Children 2 and 3 get white labels, etc. By having all of your classes differentiated by colors, it is much easier to get the right child to the right class. **Be sure to mark all items with the child's name as they come in the door.** (It is essential to get the child's name on the diaper bag, bottle, and pacifier.) On the small children we sometimes put their name tags on their backs so they will not pull them off. In spite all of your efforts, you will need to establish a place to put all lost and found items.

If children are allergic to something you know you are having that evening, make a note on their name tag so the teachers will know about the allergy. If the parent has special instructions about the child get them to tell the teacher of that class. It is also a good idea to write what they are allergic to on their name tag. (It is **IMPOSSIBLE** for you to remember everything about every child that comes through the door!)

## *Registration continued*

You will want two people at the registration table. One takes the information and registration forms, the other deals with money and name tags. You will need a money box with change if you decide to ask for a donation. Once you think the majority of children have arrived, be sure to put the money box away in a safe place. Most of the children will be there by 6:45-7:00 p.m. (We did have our money box stolen one night. Put the money box away and take away the temptation!)

It is good to have the same people doing registration each evening. This helps you to develop relationships with the parents and the children. If you can find 2-3 people who will be in the babies and 2's and 3's each time you have *PNO*, it will help these kids to feel more secure. Children this young need a sense of stability.

The two times you have the opportunity to interact with the parents is when they bring their children and when they pick them up. Try to make the most of these opportunities. Ask them about their evening, their families, do they go to church anywhere, etc. You will want to keep attendance records for future reference. This helps you know how many teachers you need and how much you need in the way of crafts, snacks, etc. For children ages 4-12, one teacher for every 10 children is *ideal*. For children under 4 years old you will want one teacher for every 3 kids.

You will probably want to develop a sign-in/sign-out sheet. If you do not wish to do this, you may want to post someone at the registration table to see who leaves with whom. Remember, you are responsible for the children's well being! Some places use a number/ticket system. The parents and children are given corresponding numbers. The number/ticket must match when they pick up their child. Whatever you decide to do, be sure that it is neat, efficient, and user friendly. Parents pay attention to things like this. One word about first impressions: The building, classrooms, etc., need to look clean and organized. People are checking you out. Do they feel safe leaving their children with you in this place? You would be surprised how much just having things clean, orderly, and organized helps people to feel comfortable.

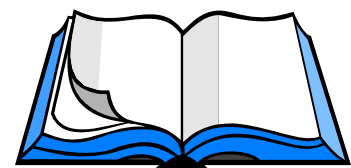
We've noticed that parents tend to pick up their children from their classes. Then they get distracted and start talking to other parents and do not pay attention to their children. We always keep someone by the front door so that children are not running out into the parking lot unsupervised

## *Class Divisions*



You will need to determine your class divisions ahead of time. There are many ways to divide them. Are you dividing children up by age? Are you dividing them by the grade they are in school? If you start in the summer, is it the grade they just completed or the grade they are going into next fall? We address this problem by putting a big poster on the wall with all the age divisions and the corresponding color label. This chart will quickly become one of your best friends, as it will considerably cut down on registration time.

**WARNING!!!** You will be asked to make many exceptions to class divisions. Obviously you can do what you want, but my experience is that **NO EXCEPTIONS** to class divisions is the best policy. If you let one child go into another class, you are setting a precedent. Soon all the children will want to change classes in order to be with friends or siblings. The **ONLY** exception I make is for 2's and 3's that can't be calmed down. Usually if the children can be around older brothers or sisters for a few minutes they will calm down. These occurrences should be rare.



## ***Babies and 2's and 3's***

At this time we have not developed specific lesson plans for these age groups. We have had teachers tell Bible stories, do crafts, and show movies. Many times it is just free play with the children, and keeping the children safe. If you have an abundance of people who are willing to teach, by all means have structured activities for the 2's and 3's. You will want to have a plastic tarp over the carpet for this age group too!

Be sure to have a door that closes or a gate so children don't wander out of the room. Check all toys for safety. If you are short on toys, books, crayons, etc., parents are usually happy to donate some of these items.

How long should you let a child cry before you try to locate a parent? If the child cries for more than 30-45 minutes and shows no sign of stopping, I will make the calls and try to find the parent. If the child cries longer than this it isn't good for you, the child, or the parent. You will want to have extra diapers, baby wipes, garbage bags, Kleenex, etc. Not everyone puts these things into their child's diaper bags.

## ***Activities***

*PNO* is broken down into various activities throughout the evening. For example, the first part of the program is not incredibly structured. This is because children are arriving and if you plan anything too structured there are constant interruptions. During nice weather, everyone who is 4 on up, plays outside. Remember supervision and the establishment of rules is important. Any child who is under 4 stays in their classroom. (We often let the 2's and 3's go out later after the big kids have returned.) If it is cold or bad weather, we show cartoons for the first segment while the children are arriving. We sometimes have games to fill this first time period. It would be a good idea to break the kids into smaller groups if you decide to play games. Be cautious when selecting a place to play.

### ***Songs and Puppet Shows***

Songs are a great way to fill up time, teach the children Biblical principles, and have fun. "Variety" is the key when considering songs to be sung. It is a good idea to sing Christian songs, as well as fun non-Christian songs. (Don't panic! We are not talking about the *Grateful Dead!*) Start with activity oriented songs (hand motions, movement required, etc.) Then progress to more slow serious songs. It is a good idea to create a card file of songs. Just sit down one evening and write down all of the children's songs you know. Practice them!!! Don't wait until it is your turn to lead music and realize that you do not know a song. Puppet shows are also big hits. Kids love puppet shows. If you have the resources, do puppet shows.



## ***Bible Story***

At this time we break down into our age divisions. One of the leaders can announce for everyone with a specific color of name tag to line up behind their teacher. The teacher should have on the same colored name tag as the children in the class they are teaching. The teachers can then take them to their classes.

You can use a variety of materials. We just let our teachers pick a Bible story. Several days prior to *PNO* you can give your workers lesson plans. They are to fill in the Bible story and craft part of the lesson plan. You may choose to use old Sunday materials, VBS materials, etc. Kids also love to act out Bible stories. Let your imagination be your guide!

## ***Craft and Snack Time***

You will notice that each class has craft and snack at different times. As your ministry gets bigger you don't want all the kids having snack at the same time. The smaller the number of children in one place, the better your life will be!

A further word about snacks! We use juice and pre-packaged healthy snacks for 4-12 year olds and apple juice and graham crackers for the younger children. We have tried carrot sticks and other healthy snacks. They are not a big hit. They also require much more preparation. Each of the older children gets one glass of juice and one snack. If they are still thirsty, we refill with water. In order to better transport the juice from room to room, we put the cups in muffin pans. (It only took us 10 years to figure this out!!) Also, try to have your snacks outside. If this is not possible, use a plastic tarp. This will definitely save the life of your floor. We also found that cups with lids worked well for the younger children.

You may want to consider having one person designated as the snack person. This will free up your teachers to do other things.

Crafts are quite important to *PNO*. Kids love to do crafts. At times, craft ideas are hard to find. We have about 20 craft books at the church. It would be wise to invest in some books like these. There are many web pages with great craft ideas. In order to do crafts properly, you will probably have to turn into a "pack rat". You can make lots of different crafts with "free things" like toilet paper tubes, milk cartons, etc. You will be surprised how the kids will think the simplest idea is the greatest thing. You want to be prepared for craft time. Have all of your materials together before the children arrive. If you are making a craft that has the potential to be messy, use butcher paper to cover the tables and t-shirts to paint in. (**Warning:** Play dough and vacuum cleaners don't mix. Glitter is a vacuuming nightmare!)



## **Movie Time**

Before movie time begins, bring the 4-12 year old children back into one large group. All movies and cartoons shown at the church are rated "G". I feel very strongly about this! Many parents don't mind "PG" movies but these usually have a curse word in them and I don't feel that is in line with what we are trying to teach. It is difficult to find movies that the kids haven't seen. The younger children have an endless capacity for repetition. The older kids are the ones who want the variety. In the summer we often let the 1st-6th graders play basketball, volleyball, or games until it gets dark. When it gets dark they come in to join the younger children already watching the movie. If they are getting bored, plan an extremely time consuming craft. Since children are already watching a movie they require less teacher supervision. One good teacher should be able to handle all of the children watching the movie. (This may vary.)

As the movie begins, have the teachers who are not assigned to a movie to begin cleaning up rooms, bathrooms, kitchen, taking out the trash, etc. We have purchased a carpet sweeper so we could vacuum the rooms without noise during the movie. If you use a lot of different volunteers, you would be wise to have a list of clean-up duties so the teachers know what they are supposed to do. Once the clean-up process is finished, send these teachers up to give the teachers in the birth through 3 year old classes a break. It is very important that you do this. Being with the younger children takes much more energy. If you don't get a 10-15 minute break these can be the longest 4 hours of your life!

We move all the crafts from the classrooms to a place near the movie room. As parents arrive, help them find their children. It is dark because of the movie and they can't see. Have a flashlight ready to help them find their craft. Talk with parents and try to make the most of the limited time you have with them.

You may encounter parents who have had too much to drink. Do not hesitate to keep the child if the parent has had too much to drink. Your options are to call a cab, take them home yourself, or have them stay until they are sober. You may feel like the bad guy, but that is better than to have the child and family die in an accident. Besides the moral obligations, there will be legal ramifications if you knowingly let a child get in a car with a parent who has had too much to drink. Train your staff to let the whoever is in charge of your program know if they suspect a parent has had too much to drink.

## ***Concluding Thoughts***

Allow time for the ministry to grow. We started out with one child the first night. We now have 80-140 children an evening. It takes a while for people to begin to trust you and for the word to get around town. Don't get discouraged. It does grow. It took about 3 years to see the first family come to church and kids to begin becoming Christians. Plant the seeds. God promises He will bring the harvest. It is exciting to tell you that the first child that first evening is now a college graduate!

We have also had success at holding conferences with the parents. We have held conferences on parenting, marriages, adoption, discipline, blended families, personality profiles, divorce recovery, alcohol and drug related problems, etc. These are very good opportunities to develop on-going relationships with the families of your community. One of the things our church quickly realized about *PNO*, was that we were having Sunday school on Friday night! Many of these kids would never be seen in church on Sunday, but through the efforts of *PNO*, kids are learning about Christ.

Our church averages about 100 on Sunday mornings. We are not a large church but God is doing great things. I encourage you to step out in faith and see what God will do in your community. You don't have to be a big church to do big things for the Master!



# BIG A CLUB, PARENTS' NIGHT OUT, MY MORNING OUT REGISTRATION FORM

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since 1980

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

**Other responsible party to be contacted if parent cannot be reached.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Any medical problems or reactions? \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned parent(s) / guardian(s) having legal custody or control of a minor, grant emergency permission for any emergency treatment and hospital services that may be rendered to said minor under the general or specific direction of Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ or any hospital emergency department physician.

**(Signature of Parent/Guardian)**

I give my permission for my child(ren) to go on field trips from June 15, 2010 through August 26, 2010. I also agree for any accidents or injuries, foreseeable or unforeseeable, to waive all claims, release from liability the First Baptist Church of Tahoe City, and hold harmless against all claims, damages, losses, and expenses which may occur as a result of my child(ren)'s participation in all of the programs of the First Baptist Church, Tahoe City.

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# BIG A CLUB

Tuesdays-Fridays  
June 12-August 15  
10:00-2:00

First Baptist Church of Tahoe City  
390 Fairway Dr.

Children ages 4-12  
A donation of \$5.00 per child  
is requested

Each child will need to bring a sack lunch

Bible stories, sports, music, crafts, and hiking

Phone: 530-583-2925 (hm) or 583-1534 (ch)



## PARENTS' NIGHT OUT

**WHAT:** A Christian childcare program provided by the First Baptist Church of Tahoe City as a community service.

**WHEN:** Friday evenings.....6:00-10:00 p.m.  
June 6 through August 8 (No PNO on July 4th)

**WHO:** Children ages birth through twelve

**COST:** A donation of \$10.00 per child per evening is requested.

**WHERE:** First Baptist Church of Tahoe City, 390 Fairway Dr.

**PROGRAM:** Movies, games, puppets, Bible stories, songs, crafts, and a snack!

**QUESTIONS:** Call Debbie Wohler at : 530-583-2925 (home) or 530-583-1534 (church)



# Parents' Night Out Checklist

- Set date
- Create and circulate flyers (more publicity=more involvement)
- Recruit volunteers
- Get lesson plan forms to volunteers
- Buy any necessary materials (snacks, craft materials, diapers, etc)
- Get videos or DVD's together (don't wait until the last minute to find *Toy Story!*)
- Set up the TV and DVD/VCR (movie time is not the time for you to discover that you are VCR/DVD literate. **BE PREPARED!**)
- Get money box and change
- Get all needed forms
- Turn on heat/air conditioning
- Cover tables
- Set out cups, etc for snack



# Parents' Night Out Schedule

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Workers: \_\_\_\_\_

6:00 Registration  
6:00-6:35 Free play on playground (cartoons and indoor games after time change)  
6:35-6:50 Songs \_\_\_\_\_

Break up into individual classes (color coordinated)

## Preschool/Kindergarten

6:50-7:00 Bible story time (all ages) \_\_\_\_\_  
7:00-7:20 Craft (explain) \_\_\_\_\_  
7:20-7:30 Snack  
7:30-7:35 Bathroom  
7:35-7:45 Bible game/Bible verses \_\_\_\_\_  
7:45-10:00 Movie and Cartoons (Preschool and Kindergarten)

## 1st Grade-2nd Grade

6:50-7:00 Bible story time (all ages) \_\_\_\_\_  
7:00-7:10 Bible game/Bible verses  
7:10-7:20 Snack  
7:20-7:45 Craft (explain) \_\_\_\_\_  
7:45-Dark 1st-2nd Graders organized games and play time outside (movie after time change)  
Dark-10:00 Movie and Cartoons (1st-6th)

## 3rd Grade-6th Graders

6:50-7:00 Bible story time (all ages) \_\_\_\_\_  
7:00-7:30 Craft (explain) \_\_\_\_\_  
7:30-7:45 Snack  
7:45-Dark 3rd-6th Graders organized games and play time outside (movie after time change)  
Dark-10:00 Movie and Cartoons (1st-6th)

Supplies Needed on Hand

Supplies Needed Not on Hand

# 6 Hour Parents' Night Out Schedule

4:00-4:30	Registration Playground/Cartoons (depending on weather)
4:30-4:50	Songs (song leader_____)
4:50-	Go to individual classes During this time, please <b>teach a Bible story and do a craft</b> . Be prepared with extra activities to fill in before and after your dinner time. <b>(NOTE: All dinners will be served in your classrooms.)</b>
5:00	Dinner for 2's and 3's
5:30	Dinner for Preschoolers and kindergarteners
5:45	Dinner for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd graders
6:00	Dinner for 4th through 6th graders
6:15-6:45	Cartoons!!
6:45-7:05	Music Time (all classes)
7:05	Return to classrooms
7:05-7:10	Bible story
7:10-7:30	Craft
7:30-7:45	Refreshments (served in the classrooms)
7:45-10:00	Movie/cartoon



# Parents' Night Out Attendance Sheet

Child's Name	Cell or where Parents Can Be Reached
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