

April/May 2015 / Eastview Children's Ministry

IMPACT KIDZ

"Transforming children to IMPACT their families and the world for Jesus"

Mark Your Calendar

4/25

IMPACT Kidz Quiz Meet: 10 am @ Shiloh Park

5/4

Community Picnic Meeting – 2:30 pm

5/5

VBS Meeting – 5 to 6:30 pm

5/8

Family Night (Celebrate our Mothers)
6 to 8 pm

5/9

May Fundraiser – Car Wash & Bake Sale
11 am to 2 pm (Volunteers Needed)

5/30

Family Service Project – Decorate the Gas City Post Office and the Church:
10 am to 12 pm

MORE IMPORTANT DATES

6.12 – Family Night (Cookout for Dad)
6.20 – Serve On Saturday Service Project
6.24 – Day Away trip to Children's Museum
7. 6-10 – Junior Bible Camp
7. 13-17 – Vacation Bible School

Children's Ministry Undergoes Changes!

Over the past few months our Children's Ministry has gone through an evaluation process. This evaluation was provided to see how well the ministry could make an IMPACT in fulfilling the mission and vision that God has given us. After months of praying and strategizing, many things have changed and will continue to change in our children's area. The changes that have been made so far have stirred up a lot of EXCITEMENT.

Some of the changes are:

- New Children's Name
- New Mission Statement & Values
- New Sunday School Curriculum
- More Teachers
- Renovations – New paint and lights in the hallway and classrooms
- New Check-In Stations (Security – Name tags for children)

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Our New Look!



Many of our IMPACT Kidz team (teachers & helpers) spent days and hours redecorating the children's area and giving it a new look. Please stop in and see all that has been done.

**UPDATED DISCIPLE
DOLLAR REWARD
PROGRAM IN EFFECT!
INFO AVAILABLE @
www.eastviewwesleyan.com**

New Changes.... Continued

God is calling our children to make a bigger **IMPACT** in our community and in our families for Christ. The following changes will refocus our eyes to make a difference for Jesus Christ.

NEW NAME

The new name for our Children's Ministry is **"IMPACT Kidz Ministry."** Everything that our children do and say should reflect the love of God. Children can make a huge IMPACT in making disciples of Jesus Christ.

New Mission Statement – We Exist to:

"Transform children to **IMPACT** their families and the world for Jesus Christ"

IMPACT Values – (IMPACT THROUGH)

I- Inspiring Individuals (All Matter to God)

M- Memorizing Scripture

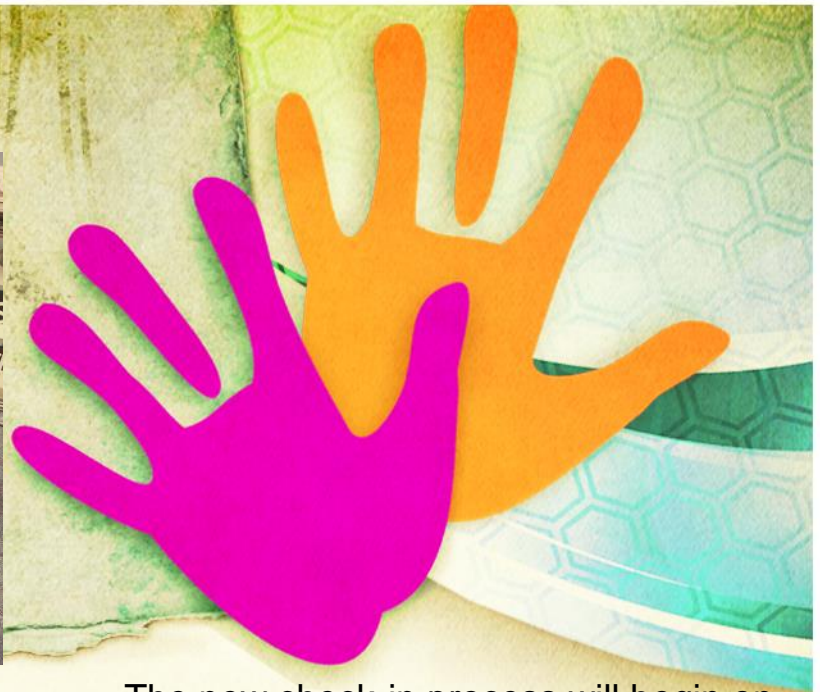
P- Prayer

A- Attitude

C – Community, Church, and Family

T- Through the teaching of God's Word

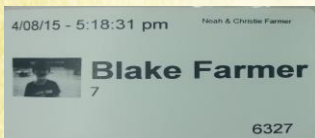
Security Matters! New Check-In Process...



The leaders of IMPACT Kidz love your children and we want them to know the Lord and to learn more about him. We also want to keep the children safe while they are in our care. That is why we have a new check-in process for our IMPACT Kidz. Please stop by the check-in desk and check your child in.

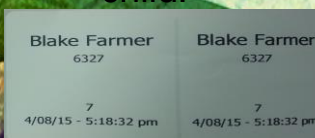
The check-in process:

- Check-in your child
- Child receives name tag



- Date & Time child was signed in
- Name of Parents
- Child's Name, Age, and Number (displayed on screen if we need your assistance)

- **Parents receive** a tag with the child's name and number. The left side of the tag is where the parent/guardian will sign when picking up their child. The other half of the tag will be given to the teacher when you pick up your child. The teacher will make sure that both numbers match before releasing you child.



Parent Tag:

- Child Name, Number, Age, Date & Time Checked In (numbers will change weekly!)

The new check-in process will begin on Sunday, April 19. Please help our IMPACT Kidz staff by stopping at the Children's check-in desk when you arrive and when you're ready to leave. This is a new process, so please be patient with us as we incorporate this new system to keep your children safe.

Eastview has purchased **new software** that includes the **check-in system** we will be using to print out **labels** for your family. We are taking this opportunity to update the information in our roster. Will you please help out and go to: www.eastviewwesleyan.com/childrens-registration/ and fill out the registration form for your family. This will allow our staff to insert your most up-to-date information into our new software and will make your check-in process much quicker.

The **IMPACT Kidz website** is up and running and will be updated weekly. You can find the IMPACT Kidz page by going to www.eastviewwesleyan.com and clicking on the **IMPACT Kidz** tab.

IMPACT Kidz is also on Facebook. This is a closed group, so please request to be added.

IMPACT KIDZ SCHEDULE

Sunday

9:30 am – IMPACT Sunday school

Room 0 – Jr. IMPACT (Pre-K & K)
– Teacher: Christie Farmer

Room 1 – Adventure Kids (Grades 1-2)
– Teacher: Ronda Atkinson

Room 2 – Explorers (Grades 3-4)
– Teacher: Susan Losure

Room 5 – The Crossing (Grade 5)
– Teacher: Bobby & Jennifer Hehe

11 am – IMPACT KIDZ

Sanctuary – IMPACT Connection
(Grades 1-5) Teacher: Tina Hubbard

Room 0 – Jr. IMPACT (Pre-K & K)
– Teacher: Kaylee Hehe

Wednesday

7pm – World Changers (Pre-K through Grade 5)

Teachers: Ronda Atkinson & Cora Jane Swanner

WANT TO BE INVOLVED?

Nothing means more to a child than their parents helping out in the ministry they love so much. I invite you to be involved in IMPACT Kidz Ministry as much as possible. Here at IMPACT we believe in the 1:6 Volunteer Principle. The purpose of this principle is to invite every parent to volunteer one week out of every 6 weeks to serve in your IMPACT Kidz Ministry. You really do make a difference!

We can always use your help and if you are willing to serve, please contact Pastor Noah at pastornoahfarmer@eastviewwesleyan.com

Upcoming Summer Events & Fundraisers

Spring is finally here! That means that summer time is right around the corner. This summer, IMPACT Kidz will have many activities to keep your children active during the summer months.

Each month IMPACT will have a “Family Night” to offer a place for families to spend time together away from the house and not worry about any cost. There will also be a monthly **“Service Project”** to show our community the love of God through acts of service. The dates for both the “Family Night” and the “Service Projects” can be found on the **IMPACT Kidz website**.

Junior Bible Camp (JBC) is coming July 6-10. The cost for camp this year is \$160 per camper. If you are a regular attendee at Eastview, see Pastor Noah for your discounted rate.

IMPACT KIDZ DAY AWAY TRIP!

New this year, IMPACT Kidz will be having a day away trip on June 24 to the Indianapolis Children’s Museum. The cost for each child will be \$20.

IMPACT KIDZ FUNDRAISERS

IMPACT Kidz will be having fundraisers to **help raise money for camp and for the day away trip**. Please participate in our monthly fundraisers.

Reminder: Update your children’s information at

<http://www.eastviewwesleyan.com/childrens-registration/>