Richfield MOPS February 9, 2017

WELCOME!

• Welcome to Karie Pecknyo and her son Braden. Karie and her husband, Matthew, have two other children, Anna and Maddie. Welcome to our Richfield MOPS!

THOSE WHO WERE HERE!

- MOPS who attended: Joy Burger, Jessica Hewitt, Lindsay Layman, Rochelle Naegle, Karie Pecknyo and Melissa Stewart
- We missed our ladies who weren't able to attend! Sickness, work, out-oftown – it wasn't the same without YOU! We hope to see you again NEXT month!!!



DISCUSSION TOPICS!

- We talked about special topics that might be of interest for our MOPS to discuss in future meetings. If you have something you would like to discuss, would you please contact me? Here is the list we have so far:
 - Strong-willed children
 - Relationship with our husbands, including communication, how to strengthen our marriage, how to argue, when we don't feel that we're being treated well, etc.
 - How to be a better mom
 - Loneliness
 - What to do when our spouse does something that is "not right"

UPCOMING CALENDAR DATES!!



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Friday, February 24 "MOPS on the MOVE!" Flint Children's Museum!

- 10:00 to 12:00
- \$4.00 per person, minimum of 20
- Please let Joy know how many will be coming by February 20th
- 1602 University Avenue in Flint
- "Busy Builders" is now in their Discovery Zone!
- We are also excited to explore the other wonderful activities there – "How Things Work", "Performing Arts", "Health and Fitness", "Our Town", "Transportation Alley", "Tot Spot" and "Sproutside!"



Thursday, March 9 St. Patrick's Day MOPS Meeting! 9:30 to 11:30

- St. Patrick's Breakfast potluck
- Prize for the "Most St. Patrick's dressed" lady
- Rochelle will bring an Egg Casserole
- Jessica will bring a Breakfast Pizza
- Karie Pecknyo will bring Juice
- Jessica will plan a craft
- Everyone else will bring a side dish to complete the meal.





Sunday, March 19

John Michael Hinton, Christian Magician!

- 10:30 to 12:00 in Kid Factory No cost
- For kids who are 4 years old to 6th Grade

Thursday, March 23 "MOPS on the MOVE!" Baby Shower for Amanda Harris!

- 9:30 to 11:30 at the church
- \$1 or \$2 to help with costs of shower Jessica Hewitt in charge
- Please bring a dish to pass potluck
- Let's welcome Madison Elaine Harris!





Saturday, April 8



"MOPS on the MOVE!" Easter EGGstravaganza!

- 1:00 to 3:30 FREE!
- Families will "travel" together with our other MOPS' families throughout several stations around the church, including games, food, craft, Easter Egg Hunt, Story, the Sweet Walk, the Prize Station and lots more!

Thursday, April 13 Regular MOPS' Meeting! 9:30 to 11:30

Thursday, May 11 Regular MOPS' Meeting! 9:30 to 11:30



Thursday, May 25 "MOPS on the MOVE!" Outdoor Adventures!

- 10:00 to 12:00
- Swimming and picnic
- Bring your own picnic lunch and beverages, paper products, swimsuit, towel, floaties
- Will be inside
- Lindsay and Rochelle can both bring 10 people free. We may need to ask Michelle if there are more than 20 coming. . .

Thursday, June 29th



"MOPS on the MOVE!" **Boating at Buttercup Beach!**

- 4:00 to ???
- Pete will bring their boat 10 people on boat per ride
- Everyone bring \$2.00 to help cover the cost of the gas
- Meet at Buttercup Beach at 4:00
- Charcoal grills needed (Rochelle has I for boat and Jessica has another grill)
- Buns, hotdogs, chips, etc. This will be a picnic. Need to sign up for what you will bring.

July and August

MOPS will not meet during July and August

Saturday, August 5



"MOPS on the MOVE!" Family and All-Church Canoe Trip!

You are welcome to join us on our all-church family canoe trip on the Chippewa River in Mt. Pleasant! This is a wonderful and relaxing river that is easy for young children and families! We will stop along the way to eat our own picnic lunches on the riverbank! Swimming, wildlife and a great opportunity for fellowship is there for the taking!!!! More information will follow!

Thursday, September 14 Regular Meeting!

9:30 to 11:30

Sunday, September 24

Richfield's Elementary Children's Christmas Musical Kick-off!



BIRTHDAYS!

January 15 Lindsay Layman! February 9 Karie Pecknyo! Melissa Stinson! April May 8 Rochelle Naegle! May 26 Sarah Terwilliger! July 26 Ashley Smith! August 16 Joy Burger! August 23 Jennifer Roberts! November 19 **Tessica Hewitt!** Amanda Harris! December 14



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