

Mission Statement

The Beverly Heights Christian Preschool exists to provide a distinctively Christian preschool experience. Our program introduces young children to God and His love through activities appropriate to their age, while preparing them for kindergarten. These activities are planned and carried out by qualified, loving, Christian teachers.

We strive to provide a setting where children develop mentally, physically, emotionally, socially and spiritually, much as the child Jesus “increased in wisdom and in stature, and in favor with God and man.” (Luke 2:52)

Program

We have developed an integrated preschool curriculum. Each month, we focus on a theme that is educationally appropriate for preschoolers. Then, as we teach the theme, we relate it to God and His love and care for our children (i.e. in October, our theme is “Fall.” We teach about the changes that the earth experiences at this time of year, and about how God, who designed these changes, cares for us throughout all the seasons.)

Throughout the playtime and the more structured circle and art times, children learn to listen to the teachers, take turns, follow simple directions and learn self control.

Our goal is to teach children about their world, and develop their mental, physical, emotional, and social skills, while they learn about who God is and how much He loves them.

Classroom Facilities

Most of our preschool classes meet in the lower level of the Beverly Heights Church. We have 3 rooms: a large, bright classroom contains shelves filled with stimulating toys, a writing table, a reading corner, a rice/water table, a kitchen and a dramatic dress-up area, and an art room for easel painting and table activities; an exercise room where we have gross motor time; a smaller classroom for special classes. The Parent2 classes use church rooms on the mid-level. **(The lower level has a security system in place that locks the doors after the children have arrived.)**

Special Program: In the 4 - 5 year classes, for an additional cost, we offer a bi-monthly “Lunch ‘n Fun” program which extends our regular class day.

Classes

Parent-Twos: Thursday Mornings

9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Class size: 8 (One teacher)

- ◆ Children should be 2 years old by Oct. 1, 2010
- ◆ Class will start October 2010

Ages 3-4: Tuesday & Thursday

Morning 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Afternoon 12:30—3:00 p.m.

Class size: 12 (Teacher-Child Ratio 1:6)

- ◆ Children should be 3 years old and potty trained by Sept. 2010
- ◆ Must have minimum of 8 to offer class.

Ages 4-5: Monday, Wednesday & Friday

Morning 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Class size: 16 (Two teachers)

- ◆ Children should be 4 years old by Sept., 2010
- ◆ A weekly music class

Afternoon 4-year-old Class: Older 4s & 5

Mon, Wed, Thurs. & Fri 12:30—3:00 p.m

Class size: 16 (Two teachers)

- ◆ Children should be 5 by February 1, 2011
- ◆ A weekly *Kindermusik* class is part of the T-class curriculum.

Kindergarten Enrichment Class:

AM: Monday & Friday - 9:15 -11:45

PM: Monday & Friday - 12:25-2:55

Option of 1 or 2 days per week

Class size: up to 8

Class will start October, 2010

Program Cost

Parent Twos:	\$50/month
2 days per week class:	\$103/month
3 days per week class:	\$138/month
4 days per week:	\$178/month
K-Enrichment class	\$50/month - 1 day \$100/month - 2 day

- *There is a one-time \$25.00 activity fee to cover Kindermusik Materials. (older 4s only)*

There is a \$35 non-refundable deposit due with the registration form. (\$15 for Parent class)

School Year



Our school year opens with a *Welcome Program* for the children and their parents on the first day of school. Classes begin after Labor Day and end before Memorial Day in May. (A detailed calendar is included in the Parent Information Booklet which is distributed at the Welcome Program.)

Pre-Registration Form

To receive further information and/or a Registration Form, or make an appointment to visit the school, please call 412-561-7200 or complete and mail the following information to:

Beverly Heights Christian Preschool
1207 Washington Road
Mt. Lebanon, PA 15228

Child's Name		

Child's Birthdate		

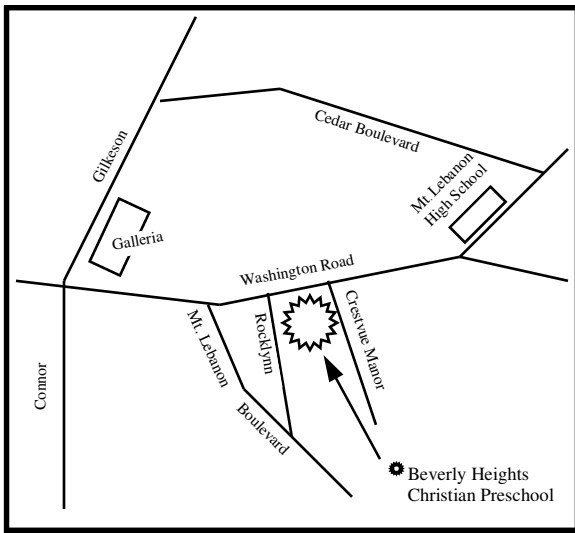
Parents' Names		

Street Address		

City	Zip	

Telephone		

We are interested in:		
___ T/TH (AM)	___ T/TH (PM)	___ M/W/F
(3-4 age)	(3-4 age)	(4-5 age)
___ Older 4-yr-old Class	___ Parent Twos	
(4-5 age)	(Thurs AM)	
___ Kindergarten Enrichment		



Daily Schedule

Typical Schedule: Morning (Afternoon)

- 9:00-10:00 (12:30-1:30) Arrival and Playtime (free play with various activities available)
- 10:00 (1:30) Clean-up
- 10:10 (1:40) Circle Time (calendar, weather, songs, games, Bible stories, lessons)
- 10:30 (2:00) Art (to develop appropriate fine motor skills)
- 10:45 (2:15) Snack
- 11:00 (2:30) Gross Motor Activities (inside classroom or outside on blacktop or playground)
- 11:15 (2:45) Storytime
- 11:30 (3:00) Good-bye Song and Dismissal

Staff

All teachers have a personal Christian faith and have volunteered countless hours in the Christian education of children.

Director & Teacher: Mrs. Louise O'Boyle, mother of three, is a certified Speech/Language Pathologist (Master's Degree), and has a Preschool/Kindergarten teacher's certificate from the Commonwealth of PA State Board of Private Schools. She has taught at Beverly Heights Christian Preschool (BHCP) for 14 years (Director 13 years).

Teachers: Mrs. Beverley Barron, mother of two, has a degree in Elementary Education and has taught 15 years at BHCP.

Mrs. Leslie Hughes, mother of two, has a degree in Elementary Education. She has completed 8 years at BHCP.

Mrs. Karen Sourbeer, mother of two, has a degree in Communications with a minor in Psychology. She has a Preschool/Kindergarten teacher's certificate from the Commonwealth of PA State Board of Private Schools. She began teaching at BHCP in 2005.

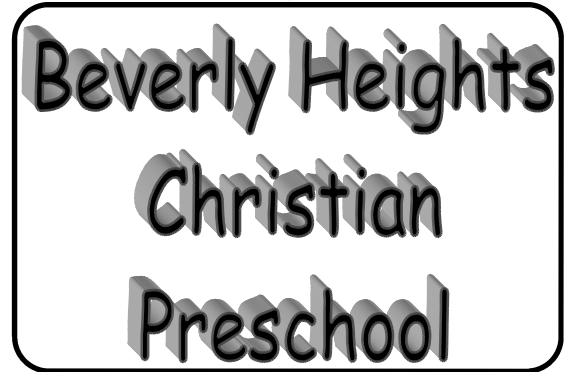
Mrs. Lisa Tyger, mother of two, has an Early Childhood Associates Degree. She began teaching at BHCP in 2005.

Mrs. Debbie Clarke, mother of four, with nursing degree, has an Early Childhood Associate certification. She began teaching at BHCP in 2008.

Mrs. Alison Graham, mother of two, has a Master's Degree in Speech/Language Pathology. She is also a Mom's Day Out teacher. She has taught in the preschool since 2008.

Affiliation

The Beverly Heights Christian Preschool is a ministry of Beverly Heights Church, and as such is a non-profit organization. It is governed by a Board, comprised of church members, that is responsible to the Session of the church. BHCP is a member school of the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI).



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