Dear Parents and Guardians,

I am excited that Vacation Bible School at Severna Park United Methodist Church is only a week or two away!  There is a lot of information on the VBS website and that information will be updated regularly.  Check back as VBS approaches and throughout VBS week.  Make sure to check out each page.  <http://severnaparkumc.org/ministries/families/vbs/>

Here are some details to help make VBS more enjoyable:

**Date & Time:**  VBS is Monday, July 10- Friday, July 14 1:00-4:00 or Monday, July 17- Friday, July 21 1:00-4:00.

**Classes:** Class lists are posted on the website.  Please check to make sure your child is in the correct class. We tried our best to ensure your child would be in a class with his or her friends.  Each day please sign your child in and out of their class. On the first day, please check with the teacher to make sure we have your child’s allergies and pick-up information correct. All epi-pens must be kept with our nurse.

**Celebration Sunday:**  Our VBS program for the first week is on Sunday, July 16 at 9:30 and for the second week is on Sunday, July 23 at 11:00. We hope that you will join us that day to see and hear what your child has learned.  Each class will sing a song or two and share their work. On that Sunday, please drop your child off in their classroom area 15 minutes early (9:15 or 10:45).

**Daily Details:** Information about snacks, color of the day (wear a shirt that color- Monday is Blue), Friday’s ice cream social (help us scoop at 2:00), and more can be found on the VBS website.  If your child is allergic to, has an intolerance of, or dislikes the snack we are serving, please feel free to bring your own peanut free snack.  Also sneakers are the best shoe choice for VBS week.  Please encourage your children to wear sneakers so they can participate safely in every activity.

Also check out the information about our VBS mission this year!

If your child is unable to attend VBS, please let us know.  We have an extensive waiting list.  If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask.  My contact information is below in the signature.

Thank You,

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