

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL PROGRAM OVERVIEW 2011

2011	Cokesbury	Abingdon/Cokesbury	Group	Group	Gospel Light	Standard	Concordia	UMI
Title	 Shake It Up Café: Where Kids Carry Out God's Recipe	 Island Odyssey: To the End of the Earth With Jesus Christ	 PandaMania: Where God is Wild about You!	 Hometown Nazareth: Where Jesus Was a Kid	 SonSurf Beach Bash	 Inside Out & Upside Down on Main Street: Where Jesus Makes a Difference Every Day!	 Big Jungle Adventure A Faith Journey with Jesus	 Jesus Truth Seekers: Mission Possible!
Description	In this kid-friendly café full of chef's hats and aprons, pots and pans, checkered tablecloths, and chalkboard menus, your kids will explore the Bible as a cookbook filled with recipes for living out God's Word.	Island Odyssey links biblical island stories with the culture of popular island vacation spots. This Bible & Arts program will allow people of all ages to hear the good news. They will want to spread the love of Jesus Christ all over the world.	A wild celebration of God's unconditional love! At <i>PandaMania</i> VBS, kids will discover that God has a purpose and a plan for everyone and that God crafted each of us with God's own loving hands.	Everyone knows what it's like to hear your mom tell stories from your childhood. Can you imagine the kind of stories Mary, Jesus' Mom, could tell? Take your kids back to <i>Hometown Nazareth</i> , where they'll stand up for their faith among people who doubt that the carpenter's son is really God's Son. Nazareth teaches kids to love God and God's Word...like you do.	On those hot summer days the best place to be is the beach! The beach is a beautiful natural playground and the perfect place for VBS! As kids explore the wonders of the beach, they'll also discover the Big Answers to their Big Questions about Jesus. Five life-changing Bible verses—including John 14:6—will help them understand who Jesus is and why they need him.	On <i>Main Street</i> , kids will be drawn into stories Jesus told about everyday people in everyday situations. But his stories were anything but ordinary! Jesus turned lives upside down and hearts inside out through parables that challenged people to look at themselves and others in new and unexpected ways. So come join us for an inside-out, upside-down experience like no other...and let Jesus make a difference in YOU!	With <i>Big Jungle Adventure</i> , kids learn that they are never alone during the adventure of life because Jesus is by their side	Transform your VBS students into special agent Jesus Truth Seekers—code name J.T.S.—armed and equipped to live out God's truths as found in the parables of Jesus Christ! Your Jesus Truth Seekers will be given a new mission each day, leading them to discover that the impossible is POSSIBLE through Christ Jesus!
Bible Stories	Israelites Celebrate Passover (Exodus 13:3-10) Festival Celebrations for the Israelites (Leviticus 23) Jesus Celebrates the Festival of Booths (John 7:37-44) Jesus Celebrates Passover (Luke 22:8-20) Celebrating the Festival of Weeks & Pentecost (Acts 2)	Hearing the Right Voice (Acts 13:4-12) Going the Right Way (Acts 27:9-22, 26) Being True to Who You Are (Acts 28:1-10) Seeing Who Jesus Is (Revelation 1:9-16) Spreading the Good News (Psalm 72:1, 5-14)	God made you. God listens to you. God watches over you. God loves you, no matter what. God gives good gifts.	Jesus had a family...we do too. Jesus had a name...we do too. Jesus had a home...we do too. Jesus went to church...we do too. Jesus served others...we do too.	Extraordinary Boy Discovered Official's Son Healed Master Does a Servant's Job Runaway Returns Home Man Disappears into Clouds	Parable of the winny workers Parable of the roadside rescue Parable of the shocking servant Parable of the warmest welcome Parable of the master's money	Big Basket Beginning Rockin' Red Sea Rescue Might Mountain Mission The Resurrection Race A Jeweled Journey's End	Unforgiving Servant, The Sower, The Good Samaritan, The Prodigal Son, Rich Man and Lazarus, Wise Man and Foolish Man, The Talents, The Rich Fool, The Persistent Widow, and Pharisee and Tax Collector
Age Levels	Toddlers & Twos—Adult	Toddlers & Twos—Adult	Infants—Youth	Preschool—Adult	Infants—Adults	Preschool—Adult	Preschool—Adult	Preschool—Teen
Starter Kit(s)	Starter Kit: \$79.99 Smaller Church Pak: \$49.99	Starter Kit: \$72.00	Starter Kit: \$154.99	Starter Kit: \$119.99	Quick-Start Kit: \$59.99 Super Starter Kit: \$199.99	Power Pak: \$199.99 Starter Kit: \$69.99	Starter Kit: \$119.99	Starter Kit: \$69.99
Music in Kit	Complete Music CD w/PowerPoint slides	Music CD	Sing & Play Music Leader Version, 2-CD set	Celebration Music CD	Super Starter Kit—Reproducible Music CD	Yes Sidewalk Celebration Dual Music CD & more	Song-action DVD Jammin' Jungle Tunes 2-CD Music Pack	Theme Song CD available in the planning kit only!
Video Components	Adventure Video for Assembly Time DVD/CD-ROM, Music Video DVD	Worship DVD—music videos, life lesson skits, movement instructions & more!	Sing & Play DVD, Chadder DVD, Preschool Chadder DVD, Promo & Training DVD, and Decorating Places DVD	Celebration Music DVD, Promo & Training DVD, and Decorating Places DVD	Epic Assemblies DVD SonSurf Music Leader DVD & CD-ROM Ride the Wild Surf! Skit DVD	Sidewalk Celebration Music DVD, Planning and Recruiting DVD, Kids View DVD, Celebration Music CD	Leader Materials, Opening & Closing Multi-media DVD including Skit DVD & Scripts	Interactive DVD: opening and closing ceremony, theme song music video.
Student Music	Student Take-Home CD-ROM New! All Music Available for purchase as MP3 downloads at cokesburyvbs.com	All songs available for purchase as MP3 downloads at abingdonpressvbs.com	Sing & Play music CD	Celebration Music CD	SonSurf Music and More CD	Yes Sidewalk Celebration Dual Music CD & more, Sidewalk Celebration	Jammin' Jungle Tunes Passalong CD	Music CD Split Tracks
Student Books	NEW! Freshly-designed activity cards for 3 age-levels to reinforce daily teachings.	Full-color Student Books for 3 age levels of children plus teen and adult	iOpens Student Cards	iGrow Chart	Li'l Splash! and Splash! Fun Pages (Student Guides for Preschool and Kindergarten); Dive In!, Paddle Out!, and Catch a Wave! (Student Magazines for gr. 1-2, 3-4 and 5-6)	Preschool, elementary, preteen, teen, older youth/adult	Student Sample Pack (includes Daily Student Books, New Bible Pal Collectibles, Body Art Tattoo, Student Certificate, Nametag)	Age-specific student folders, life applications, Bible stories, memory verses, writing activities & more!
Leader Books Available	Director, Preschool/Kindergarten Leader, Bible Storyteller, Youth Leader, Adult Study, Craft, Music, Discovery Time, Assembly, Recreation, Snack, Reflection Time, and Mission Leaders, Elementary Classroom Leader, and Decorating Guide	Director, Bible Story Leader in 3 age levels, Arts & Crafts, Heritage & Drama, Music & Movement, Outreach/Followup, Recipe Guide, Teen Leader, & Adult Leader	Bamboo Blast Games LP, Chadder's Movie Mania LP, Crazy Crafts & Missions LP, Panda Preschool Bible Adventures & Missions LP, Panda Preschool Craft & Play LP, Panda Preschool Director Manual, Panda Preschool Games LP, Panda Preschool Chadder's Theater LP, PandaMania Ultimate Director Go-To-Guide, Party Time Sing & Play LP, Party Time Sing & Play Skits & Music, Rowdy Wrap-Up LP, Spotlight VBS™ Leader Manual, Treetop Treats LP, and Wild Bible Adventures LP (LP=Leader Pack)	Celebration Leader Manual, Daily Dramas Booklet, Fun & Games Leader Manual, Hometown Huddle Leader Manual, Hometown Nazareth Ultimate Director Go-To Guide, Mary's House Drama Leader Manual, and Shopkeeper Manual	• Sandcastle Shores Teacher Guide for Preschool & Kindergarten • Bonfire Beach Bible Stories for Grades 1-2, 3-4, and 5-6. • Big Wave Bible Games • Beach Bash Games Card Pack • Big D's Diner Snack Cards • Surf's Up Crafts for Kids Book • SonSurf Bible Teaching Poster Pack	Preschool, elementary, preteen, teen, older youth/adult	Director Materials: Director Guide & CD, Preschool Guide & CD, Program Overview DVD, Sample Crafts, Puppet, and Publicity Sample Pack; Leader Materials: Opening & Closing Multimedia DVD including Skit DVD & Scripts, Bible Challenge Lead Pack & CD, Storytelling Leader Pack, Game Leader Pack, Snack Leader Pack, Music Leader Guide, Youth Leader Guide, Decorating Places DVD, and Clip Art & Resources CD	Each lesson includes age-appropriate teaching tips, course overview, snack and game direction, and classroom guidance.
Decorating Helps	Decorating Mural, Stand-Up Chalkboard, VBS Theme Banner & Stand, Lightweight Checkered Tablecloth, Faux Stainless Cover, Decorating & Publicity CD-ROM, Decorating Transparencies, Decorating Poster Pak, and Large Logo Poster	Decorating & Publicity Poster Pak, Palm Tree Swirl, Island Parrot Parasol, and Sun Decoration	Decorating Places DVD, Clip Art & Resources 2-CD Set	Decorating Places DVD, Clip Art & Resources 2-CD Set	Beach Décor and More, SonSurf Decorating Poster Pack, Sandcastle Shores Posters & Props, SonSurf Daily Action Pennants, Attendance Chart, Balloon, Publicity Poster	Ultimate Decorating Pack and Guide (Decorating Pack, Decorating Guide and Giant Main Street Buildings); Art & Decorating CD; Word on the Street Poster Pack; Site Names Poster Pack; Kid Views DVD; Publicity and Recruiting CD; 'Now Playing' Poster Pack	Theme Puppet, Decorating Posters, Student Group Identifiers (5 colors) CPH has a separate 5-day VBS program in Spanish & bilingual, <i>Operation Rescue</i> .	Decorating helps included in Director's Guide.
Other Notes	FREE Color Decorating Guide at www.cokesburyvbs.com FREE Online Registration Tools	FREE Online Registration Tools, Clip Art, and Toddlers & Twos Guide at abingdonpressvbs.com			A 13-week follow-up program, <i>Big Wave Discovery</i> , is available with games, art, worship, and Bible storytelling ideas. Ages 3-12. CD-ROM has entire manual and reproducible music. Only \$49.99.	New this year: Word on the Street oversized Poster Pack, Word on the Street banner pens, Main Street cookie cutters, VBS Bands, Shutter sun glasses, Brown Bag Bistro Apron, Inside Out & Upside Down Fold-up Flyer		