

Youth Newsletter

February 2003

Alphas, Omegas Hold Successful Pie Sale, Thanks to Congregation

What do 690 eggs, 135 pound of sugar, 708 ounces of evaporated milk, 35 pounds of butter, 15 pounds of flour, 280 tablespoons of cocoa, 184 ounces of lemon juice, 256 ounces of coconut, and 660 ounces of pumpkin pie filling have in common? These were all ingredients used by the Alpha and Omega youth groups to bake over 340 pies on Saturday, January 11 and Sunday, January 12.

Enough raw materials to feed a small army were mixed, stirred, poured, and baked by the youth and their leaders and parents in an effort to raise money for their upcoming ski trip and other mission projects.

Much care was taken in preparing these pies using only the freshest and highest quality ingredients and time tested recipes.

The obvious favorite pie was Chocolate Chess, but rave reviews were received from many people about the Lemon Chess, Coconut, and Pumpkin pies as well.

The Jr. and Sr. High youth groups utilize fundraisers for their activities and mission projects because they provide an opportunity for the youth to learn a number of valuable lessons. Working hard to earn their own funds gives the youth a sense of pride and accomplishment.

Thanks to all in the congregation and the community who supported our youth groups during this pie sale. A special thanks to all the parents and volunteers who helped in countless ways.

Youth, Parents Invited to Family Skate Party

Parents, dust off your roller skates or rollerblades and bring your kids out to Smithfield Skate on Sunday, February 23!

From 5:15pm until 7:15pm, the entire rink is reserved for Bethlehem's first ever Family Skate Party!

Everything is provided—admission, roller skate or rollerblade rental, pizza, snacks, and drinks. You may, however, want to bring a few quarters for the arcade games.

Of course, you can bring your own roller skates or rollerblades if you have a favorite pair. The smallest skates available for rental are size 8, and there are only a limited number of Fisher Price roller skates available, so younger kids who have them may want to bring their own skates.

Youth are encouraged to bring their friends. We want everyone to know the fun waiting for them at Bethlehem!

Hope to see you there!

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YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULES

SCOOTERS

- February 2** Regular Meeting, 5:45pm-7:30pm
- February 9** Regular Meeting, 5:45pm-7:30pm
- February 16** Regular Meeting, 5:45pm-7:30pm
- February 23** Family Skate Party, 5:15pm-7:15pm
Smithfield Skate LTD

VOYAGERS

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see permission slip for full details

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For more detailed information about your group's schedule, please contact your group's leaders.

Pathfinders Earn Three Activity Awards

The Pathfinders club at Bethlehem recently earned three activity awards—Missions, Cultures and Customs, and Stitchery.

To complete the Missions award requirements, the third- through fifth-graders learned about Don and Mary Ann Davis, missionaries to Uruguay, and other missionaries serving in various foreign countries and cultures.

The requirements for the Cultures and Customs award gave the children an opportunity to try on clothes from various other cultures and sample foods, including Chinese fried rice and Italian panetone bread, from other countries.

Finally, the children sewed Christmas ornaments and finger puppets to complete the requirements for their Stitchery badge.

Congratulations to the Pathfinders for their hard work they put forth in earning these recent awards.

Don't Forget!

Valentine's Day

is

Friday, February 14!

**Bring a Friend to
Youth Group!**