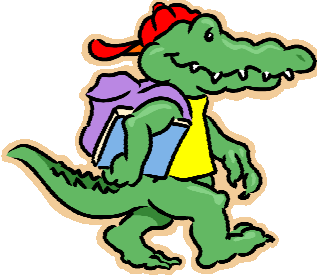




# OASIS Tutor Update



**Date:** Tuesday, Sept. 13, 2017  
**Place:** Community Christian  
623 Meramec Station Rd.  
St. Louis, 63021  
**Time:** 1—2:30 PM

Parkway School District  
OASIS  
Intergenerational  
Tutoring  
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## July 2017

I hope you are having a relaxing summer. As you know, my last day is Monday, July 31. Laurie Burney will be the new Parkway OASIS coordinator. Laurie has been in the district for 18 years, most recently at South Middle as the Principals Secretary. You can meet her at the first meeting in September. The first day of school is Wednesday, August 16th. Please fill out the enclosed information sheet and return it to Laurie by August 2nd that way she can have it to the building coordinators before the first day of school. The survey sheets can be emailed to lburney@parkwayschools.net or mailed to Parkway OASIS, 455 N. Woods Mill Rd, Chesterfield, MO 63017

If you know a friend who is interested in tutoring, please have him or her contact me as soon as possible. The **new** tutor training in Parkway will be from 12:30 to 4:00 PM on August 30 and 31. (Wednesday and Thursday) at the Administration building at 455 N. Woods Mill Road. I will also have the dates for other districts' training schedules.

The first tutor enrichment meeting will be on Tuesday, September 13, 2017 at Community Christian Church. Mr. Barrow, Customized Learning Coordinator, will be speaking about your responses and actions when a student shares more personal/emotional information with you. The usual supplies will be available at this meeting as well as October's meeting. If you can not make one of these meetings please take a Journal, an All About Me or Words I Know/Learning book from the OASIS crate at your school.

Please call (314) 415-8121 if you have any comments or concerns. Thank you for returning your response sheets.

Barb

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## **Special points of interest:**

Tutor information form  
Meeting dates for 2017  
-2018 school year.



## Meeting Dates 2017-2018

Sept. 13, 2017	Community Christian	1:00 PM	John Barrow
Oct. 12, 2017	Mt. Zion	1:00 PM	Mo. Dept. of Conservation
Nov. 14, 2017	Parkway Admin. Building	1:00 PM	TBA
Jan. 25, 2018	Parkway Admin. Building	1:00 PM	TBA
March 8, 2018	Parkway Admin. Building	1:00 PM	TBA
April 11, 2018	Community Christian	1:00 PM	TBA
May 3, 2018	Mt. Zion	12:00 PM	Luncheon

Mt. Zion is located at 1485 Craig Road. This is east of 270 and about a mile north of Olive, across from Craig Elementary. The number is (314) 432-4251.

Community Christian Church is located at 623 Meramec Station Road. Take Hwy. 141 south and turn right at the first light south of Manchester Road onto Meramec Station Road. At the T, turn left. The church is about a half mile down on the right after the St. Louis Chinese Gospel Church. The number is (636) 394-2772.

## 10 Tips for Terrific Reading

1. Ham it up! Don't be afraid to be theatrical.
2. Slow down—make sure you're giving students enough time to enjoy and follow the story.
3. Read different versions of the same story to compare and contrast.
4. Let your students pick out some of the stories—including books they may have made themselves!
5. Don't forget poetry and nonfiction.
6. Point out words that might be new and add them to a running vocabulary list.
7. Ask students to point out specific words or sounds as you read.
8. Challenge kids to predict what will happen next in a story.
9. After reading a story, invite kids to role-play the characters.
10. Encourage creativity! Invite students to "keep the story going" and tell what happens next.



Dear Tutor,

Please fill out this form so I can expedite the pairing of students and mentors this fall. Please return this form by August 2 to me by mail at 455 N. Woods Mills, Chesterfield 63017 or [barbclar@parkwayschools.net](mailto:barbclar@parkwayschools.net) so I can forward it to the building coordinators. Thank you.

Barb

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I plan on returning \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no

Would you like to receive your newsletter by email? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no

I would like to stay at the same school \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no

I would like to work at an additional school \_\_\_\_\_ where \_\_\_\_\_

Day of the week 1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_

Part of day preferred \_\_\_\_\_ morning \_\_\_\_\_ afternoon

Number of students you'd like to tutor \_\_\_\_\_

Grade level preference \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to work with a specific student? \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to work with a specific teacher? \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*Would you like to read to preschool students? \_\_\_\_\_

**In case of an emergency at school, please contact** \_\_\_\_\_

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Please return the form to Barb Clark/OASIS, 455 N. Woods Mill Rd., Chesterfield, MO 63017. If you have questions, please contact me at (314) 415-8121. My email is [barbclar@parkwayschools.net](mailto:barbclar@parkwayschools.net) if you choose to scan & return.