

Thousands of churches overseas see Awana as the most effective means for leading kids and families to Jesus Christ. But they can't afford to start and maintain clubs. Our Awana club has pledged \$30 a club month, or \$240 a year to the Chumay Baptist Church in Ciurnai-Taraclia, Moldova. This provides 10 to 12 children with handbooks, uniforms and awards that enable them to participate in Awana. Cornerstone Awana clubbers and leaders are given a chance each year to take home a card that holds \$5 worth of quarters. Each child that brings a filled card into club will receive a special patch for his/her uniform. That clubber will also know that he/she helped another club share the Good News in their community. **Hints:** If you prefer, you may change out the quarters for bills. You may also find that sending the filled card in a reclosable baggie might keep everything together. You do not need a coin folder to donate to Adopt a Club.

Adopt-a-Club



Connecting kids, changing lives

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There is a bulletin board in the fellowship hall that will show the progress of our donations collection to meet the goal of \$240. We also have coloring sheets available, a different one every month, that your child can take home and color and bring back in to be mailed to the club in Moldova. It has a place for them to write their name and it says that our club is in Maine. Your child can also choose to write a note or letter to the children in the club and bring that in to be mailed overseas. If you have any questions about Moldova, we have a teen who has been there on a mission trip! Feel free to chat with Miranda Draves for more information.

Recognition Patches Placement

There are four patches covering up to four years of participation in Adopt-a-Club. The red patch is the first-year award. Blue is for the second year, green is the third-year award, and yellow is for the fourth year. Clubbers will "start over" with the award emblem series as they move into each new Awana Club Level, (Cubbies to Sparks, and then Sparks to T&T) and corresponding uniform.

When placing the red (first-year) emblem, be sure to allow room for subsequent emblems, depending on the length of the program in which your child is involved. For example, Sparks is a three-year program, so allow room for the blue and green emblems to be located **under** the red emblem. Sparks will not get a Yellow patch because there are only three years of Sparks.