

VBS Daily News

Real IMPORTANT Information about Today's VBS

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Farm Living is the Life

Plowing-Sowing-Reaping-Threshing-Winnowing

State College, PA Today the VBS students continued their study of Biblical manners and customs by learning how people farmed and discussing some of the scriptures related to farming.

Most farming today is accomplished with the help of modern machinery. But in Bible times farming was done by hand and sometimes with the help of a beast. The VBS kids even had a chance to try their hand at threshing and winnowing some grain.

Music and musical instruments and the role they played in Biblical times was also discussed. Although Bible peoples didn't have all the instruments and technologies of today we find that music was written about early in the Bible in the book of Genesis (chapter 4).

TODAY'S WEATHER



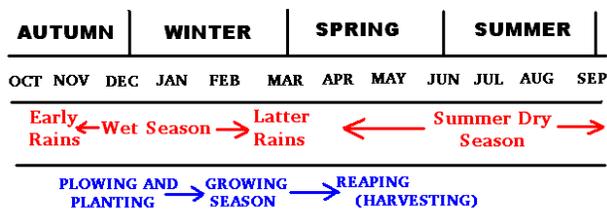
DID YOU KNOW ...

... that women celebrated Samuel's military victory by singing antiphonal style? In 1 Samuel it is written, "*And the women answered one another as they played, and said, Saul hath slain his thousands, and David his ten thousands.*"

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS IN ORTHODOX WORSHIP?

Orthodox Christian worship uses only the human voice - the greatest musical instrument given to humanity by God. In part, this is to manifest Psalm 150:6, "*Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.*"

When to plant in Israel? * Check this out!



FPO – FOR PARENTS ONLY

- Tomorrow is the last day of VBS
- Students will be receiving VBS tee-shirts in a few weeks. (Shirts were not ordered early so that the correct number may be shipped.)
- Please be prompt in picking up your child each day before or at 8:00 PM.