YOUTH VERSUS EXPERIENCE

In this parent-student event, kids compete against parents in everything from volleyball, softball, and basketball, to relays and food-eating contests. This can be an annual event, with a rotating trophy for the winning team each year. A wall plaque can display the names of past winners.

After the games, host a barbecue or potluck that lets parents get acquainted with the youth workers. This activity is particularly useful if parents don't regularly attend the church.