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AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM AT SAINT BENEDICT SCHOOL OFFERS CONVENIENCE FOR PARENTS AND FUN FOR KIDS!

Johnstown, PA (May 5, 2010) – With both parents working full time in so many families, after school child care has become a necessity. That's why The Learning Lamp is teaming up with Saint Benedict School to offer after school care for children in grades PreK through 8 for the 2010-2011 school year. The fully-licensed program is staffed by highly qualified and caring adults who focus on the needs of the whole child.

“The program is designed with the needs of children and working parents in mind,” says Melissa Pebley, After School Program Director at The Learning Lamp. “It’s an affordable and safe place for children to go after school where they can finish their homework and have fun at the same time.”

The program includes homework help by certified teachers, physical activity sessions with staff trained in the nationally recognized Sports, Play and Active Recreation for Kids (SPARK) curriculum, nutritious snacks, a weekly nutrition lesson and plenty of arts and crafts and enrichment activities to ensure kids have a great time!

The Learning Lamp is accepting enrollments now. The organization also offers full-day care on days when school is out, but parents are working and an exciting school-age summer camp program that provides high quality care and engaging learning activities throughout the summer.

Child care subsidy is available for families who qualify based on income. For details, parents should call Cambria County Child Care Information Services at 1-800-492-9292.

To enroll in the Saint Benedict School program, or for more information on any of The Learning Lamp’s offerings, call (814) 262-0732.

The Learning Lamp is a nonprofit agency focused on providing children with the support they need to succeed in school. The Learning Lamp offers preschool, child care, before and after school programs, tutoring, SAT prep and summer camps for children in grades PreK to 12.

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