



Clifton Park Center Baptist Preschool



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# PRESCHOOL PIPELINE EXTRA

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## Meet the teachers!

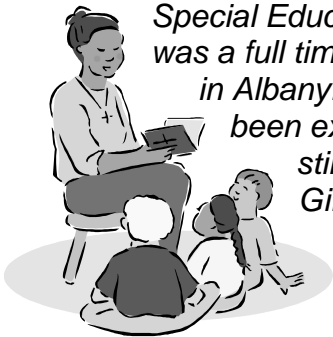
### T/TH 3 year old Bluebirds: Ruth Robyck Teaching and Nicole McKay Assisting

*Hi, my name is Ruth Robyck. I am a member of the Clifton Park Center Baptist Church. I can hardly believe it, but this will be my nineteenth year here at Clifton Park Center Baptist Preschool. I was mentored under the very well known director named Nancy Herold. I came on board fresh out of an Early Childhood Curriculum at Hudson Valley Community College. It was a fairly new program with great professors. They encouraged me as a mature student to use my experience as a wife and mother to become active in my pursuit of a career. It has been a rewarding time for me to use what God has so graciously given to share with others.* -- Mrs. Robyck

*My name is Nicole McKay and I have been a resident of Clifton Park for 14 years. My husband Walter and I have two sons, Walter Jr. and Tyler. Both boys attend school in the Shenendehowa school district. I have been a stay-at-home mom for the past 12 years and have volunteered regularly in both of my sons' classrooms at Shen assisting with Math, Reading, Writing and field trips. I also serve as Treasurer for my son's Cub Scout Pack. I am a member of Clifton Park Center Baptist Church and a Sunday school teacher.* -- Mrs. McKay

### T/TH 3 year old Redbirds: Judy Kaiser Teaching and Denise Strife Assisting

*Hi, my name is Judy Kaiser. My husband and I live in Clifton Park. We have 3 daughters who attend school at Shen: Kasey, Alayna and Hanna. Also included with our family of five are 3 horses, 3 dogs, a guinea pig and a hamster. I attended the College of Saint Rose and have my Bachelor's Degree in Special Education and a Master's Degree in Early Childhood/Elementary Education. Before I was a full time mom of three daughters, I was a teacher at Parson's Child and Family Center in Albany. During the past 16 years, I have been a very active stay-at-home mom. I have been extremely active as a member of various volunteer organizations of which I am still involved. These organizations are: Shen PTA, Northeastern Region PTA and Girl Scouts, Hudson Valley Council. I am also a Sunday School teacher for 3 and 4 year olds and a Youth Fellowship advisor for the Middle School children at our church, Christ Community Reformed Church.* -- Mrs. Kaiser



*Hi, my name is Denise Strife. I live in Clifton Park. I have 2 boys, Zachary and Evan. They both went to the 3yr old class and pre-k at CPCB. I helped in the class last year. I am also a nurse. I look forward to getting to know and work with your children.* -- Mrs. Strife

**M/W/F 4 year old Bluebirds: Ruth Robyck, Kathleen Kruk and Denise Strife**

*Hello! My name is Kathleen Kruk and I am very excited about joining the teaching staff at the Clifton Park Center Baptist Preschool. I have been married for 14 years this October and I am the mother of four wonderful children; three of which are graduates of the preschool and one who is just beginning. I have a Master's Degree in Education from the College of Saint Rose and I have taught in several different capacities in the Shenendehowa School District from 1997-2000. For the past 6 years I have worked as a Creative Memories Sales Consultant at the Unit Leader level. This position has enabled me to have more time to be become involved with school programs and activities in which my children have participated. During this time I have also spent my winters on the slopes of Willard Mountain teaching young children how to ski. I am looking forward to resuming my teaching career and getting to know all of you and your children.*

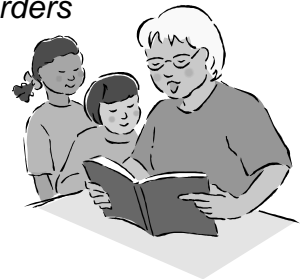
**M/W/F 4 year old Redbirds: Judy Kaiser Teaching and Deb Johnson Assisting**

*My name is Deborah Johnson. I am married and we have two sons, Paul and Dan. I am a member of the Clifton Park Center Baptist Church. I have taught piano and violin privately for 15 years, having a B.A. in Music Education. I have taught children of all ages in church groups and by substitute teaching positions in public schools. I enjoy sewing and reading and keeping up with my sons' activities.* -- Mrs. Johnson

**T-F Pre-K Class: Jeanne Junjulas Teaching and Allicia Petraccione Assisting**

*My name is Jeanne Junjulas. I am a member of the Clifton Park Center Baptist Church where I am on the Board of Christian Education. I have my Master's in Communication Disorders from the College of St. Rose and I am certified in Speech and Hearing Handicaps. I am a mother of three children: Mackenzie, Declan and Heather and I have been married for almost 10 happy years. I love children! I find their little minds fascinating and extremely humorous. I love learning new things and adventurous activities. I am really looking forward to the upcoming school year and getting to know the children and their families on a personal level.*

-- Mrs. Junjulas



*Hello, my name is Allicia Petraccione ("Mrs. P" for short). I have 3 children: Alexander, David and Kaylee. I also have 2 dogs and 2 cats and a bunch of fish. I have been doing daycare at home for 12 years. I am also very active in the preschool department at my church, Trinity Baptist. I have taught Sunday school, Awana Cukkus and GA's and Mission friends. I look forward to working with your children!* -- Mrs. Petraccione or Mrs. P

***"Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it."  
Proverbs 22:6***

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