



# Christian Education News

**Term 3 2009**

A Newsletter of the Tuggerah Lakes Christian Education Board Inc

Hi Everyone from Tumbi Campus

I look forward to seeing you all at the Prayer Breakfast and sharing some great stories of what God is doing at Tumbi Umbi Campus.

Unfortunately, the Jesus Racing Team were unable to come to Tumbi last term but in September Youth For Christ will be bringing 'Psalms Hip Hop Dance Group' to perform and share with our students. They have visited us before and the students loved them.

Please keep me in prayer as I will be teaching some challenging lessons during term 3. In particular Year 9 will be looking at "God's Perspective on Sex" and Year 10 will be looking at making "Right Choices" and also "Forgiveness", (extremely challenging for many students.)

Year 8 will be learning about "Who Jesus Is" and also having a lesson where they get to ask any question.

Year 7 will be looking at "God as the perfect Parent" and also that He has perfect plans for their lives.

On the home front Bianca has been doing prac teaching at Wamberal Primary and enjoying it. Her internship starts at the end of August. Marissa is continuing her Development Studies and also teaching hip hop at YFC. (The recent performance by the class was lovely.) Both girls are achieving great Uni results.

Daniel is still working at Woolworths; he has been unable to find employment in the science field.

God Bless

Felicity

Hi All from Berkeley Vale Campus

It has been a very long and busy term. Two 11 week terms in a row certainly takes it out of you. Staff and students alike are enjoying a well earned rest over the holidays.

At the end of the term we farewelled our Semester 1 No Limits groups. We had overwhelming positive feedback from staff and students. It was a little bit sad, but I have already met with the new groups and am really looking forward to starting with them.

Our lunch program HYPE has continued to run along smoothly. We welcomed a new member to the Hype Team this term, which has been great in assisting in the running of the program.

Mentoring has also been going really well. I have really been enjoying it and the students seem to be benefiting also.

I am currently busily preparing for our annual Teen Camp at Lutanda Recreation Centre (formerly Camp Toukley). We have 7 former students from Tuggerah Lakes Secondary College serving on team. It is always such a privilege to serve along side young people who have come through the SRE program, and seen their lives change as they accept Jesus.

Next term Year 7 will be watching the 'Jesus' Movie, while year 8 will be doing their 'Narnia' unit. Both of these are personal favourites of mine and I am really looking forward to working through them.

Thank you again for all your prayers and support.

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Lisa

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**From The Treasurer**

Finances for the 6 Months Jan to June

Income	\$55,316.36
Expenses	\$73,011.56
A shortfall of	(\$17,695.20)
Add Chaplaincy	\$30,000.00

All donations \$2 and over are tax deductible.  
Our details for direct debit are:

**The Greater Building Society BSB No 637000  
Account No 163152487 Account Name:  
Tuggerah Lakes Christian Education Board Inc.**

Please advise me so I can receipt donations.  
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Have you considered including this Ministry to our local High Schools when making out your will? I would be happy to talk to anyone interested in this.

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**Affiliated Churches  
and  
Church Representatives**

- Anglican Church – Bateau Bay
- Baptist – The Entrance District – Marilyn Trivett
- Churches of Christ – Berkeley Vale – Marilyn Walker and Max Lucas
- Encounter Life (formerly Bayside CLC) – Ona McDougall
- Lakes Evangelical – Michelle Warrell
- Presbyterian – The Entrance - Heather Scott
- Tuggerah Lakes Christian Fellowship – Bill Fisher
- Uniting – Long Jetty & Tumbi Vale

**Greetings From The Entrance Campus**

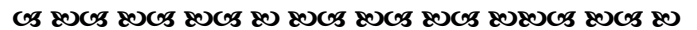
Hi all our faithful supporters. Things at The Entrance Campus have been going excellent this term. Encouragements have included –

- Many year 11 Christian students sharing testimonies during class
- Some students crying during the 'U R Unique' lesson as they heard that there is no one in the world like them and God loves them.
- Christian students making a stance during 'Morals and Ethics' lesson
- Support from school executive regarding our Exo-Day in September.
- Many gifts donated from businesses for Exo Day prizes.
- Past student Josiah Wilkes doing prac teaching with me in Term 3 and teaching 20 year 11 classes.
- Year 12 student who met me for a 2 hour meeting to debate Richard Dawkins book 'The God Delusion'.
- Science staff that cleared cleaned and gave me a new store room for Scripture and Tabernacle gear and resources.
- Ex students who have been coming in to help with lessons (Lauren Douglas, Ben Brummell, Josiah Wilkes).

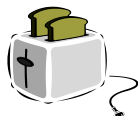
Challenges have included meeting with students who are dealing with –

- Bullying due to their sexuality lifestyle
- Depression
- Self-harm
- Abusive Past
- Being kicked out of home.

I appreciate all your support. Ferg



**EDITORS NOTE –** We extend best wished to Fergus & Susan on the safe arrival of their third child, a daughter, on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July. Please continue to uphold the family in your prayers as they settle down with the addition to their family.



**Next Prayer Breakfasts**

**8<sup>th</sup> August, 2009 7.30 am  
By Lakes Evangelical Church  
Hosted At TLCF premises  
Adelaide Street, Tumbi Umbi**

**21<sup>st</sup> November 7.30 am  
Uniting Church – Long Jetty  
Hosted at the Nareen Gardens Centre  
Bias Ave, Bateau Bay.**