

Introducing Christian Connections in Schools (CCiS) 17 November 2013



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Giving thanks to God for 25 years of Schools' Ministry in Maidenhead, Slough & Windsor



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Why bother with schools work?

96% of children and young people will (or may?) only hear about Jesus IN school





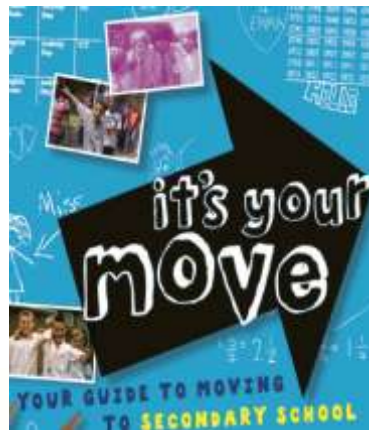
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Some Highlights:





Christmas Unwrapped

Easter Cracked



1995-2013

1995: 1 Church, 10 schools, 500 pupils

2013: 6 churches, 27 Schools, 1600 pupils

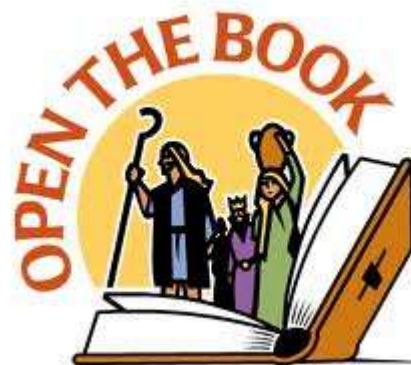
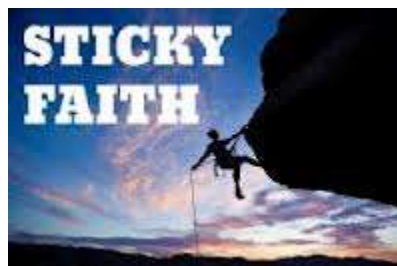


(Some) opportunities in Schools' Ministry: see www.ccischools.org.uk

- **Roadshows (Ruth Norris)**
- Open The Book (Mark Balfour)
- **Youth Alpha @ Westgate (Megan Szpur)**
- **Prayer Spaces in Schools (Rachael Odeniyi)**
- Sticky Faith (Lianne Smith)
- Holiday Clubs / X:Site (The Place of the Cross)
- Christian Talks in School Assemblies (CTSA – David Janes)
- Re-Igniting Schools for Christ (RISC – Erica Holt Wycombe YFC)
- **Tea Making Ministry (Chrissy Towers)**
- **Wake up to Wednesday (Sue Hoare)**
- Youth Café (Michelle Bryant)
- Kidz Klub (Paul Bristow)
- East to West (Andy Burns)
- Lighthouse (Sue Hoare)
- Christianity Awareness Club at Furze Platt (Ben Dale)
- **Others...**



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CCiS Activities include...

- Hanging Around Ministry (HAM)
- Assemblies
- RE lessons
- PSHE
- 'Examattack'
- School Christian Groups
- Speak @ Churches
- Run residential holidays



Schools I visit include:

Altwood

Beaconsfield High

Beechwood

Brigidine

Burnham Grammar

Burnham Park Academy

Churchmead

Cox Green

Desborough College

Furze Platt

Herschel Grammar

Kendrick Grammar

Langley Grammar

Newlands Girls'

St. Bernard's Grammar

St. Edward's Middle

St. Joseph's

Upton Court Grammar

Westgate

Windsor Girls'



It's Your Move! 2013



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Cippenham

Claycots

Colnbrook

Godolphin

Holy Family

Langley Hall

Langley Manor

Lent Rise

Lynch Hill

Marish

Our lady of Peace

Parlaunt Park

Priory

Ryvers

St. Antony's

St. Bernard's Prep

St. Ethelbert's

St. Mary's Datchet

St. Mary's F.R.

St. Mary's Slough

St. Peter's Burnham

Western House

Wexham Court



All Saints

Cookham Dean

Cookham Rise

Courthouse

Dorney

Ellington

Furze Platt

Highfield

Holyport

Holy Trinity Cookham

Knowl Hill

Larchfield

Lowbrook

Oldfield

St. Edmund Campion

St. Luke's

St. Mary's RC

St. Nics

St. Piran's

Wessex

White Waltham

Woodlands Park





“ Despite it being many years ago, I still remember when Wayne Dixon, an enthusiastic schools worker, delivered an assembly concerning the then terrifying move from junior school to secondary school. **I particularly remember being given the ‘it’s your move handbook’ which to this day I still treasure for sentimental reasons.** As a year six pupil being given the correct support is essential, as the move from one school to another is extremely daunting even for the most confident of pupils. The ‘it’s your move book’ provided me with reassurance that secondary school would be not be as scary as the stereotypical fears of having my lunch money stolen or my head dunked in the bathroom had caused me to believe. (Which of course never happened!!)”

Best wishes, Lisa

(Starting at Uni. Today)



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Why bother with schools work?

- 1904 56% of children and young people IN church
- Today only 4%
- 99% are IN school
- 96% will on hear about Jesus IN school



Why bother with schools work?

“ I think your message came through loud and clear that the crowds that went to listen to Jesus speak were fed spiritually and that it was a miracle that such a small amount of food was shared around between so many. Thank goodness people like you get some of these stories through to so many children today, who without you, would not hear or understand any of the bible.

I personally regret not having really understood them from a young age and having only just started to explore the bible over the last two years, I am now just beginning to learn how fulfilling it is to have these stories explained and I have found myself putting faith in Jesus, something I could previously not comprehend....So anyway, thank you for doing such great work and for having done it for so long. You are certainly memorable and I am proof of that. ”

Ex pupil – left school in 1989 (now aged 40)





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TEAM

Together

Everyone

Achieves

More



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Potential of the Residential?

- For those aged 9-11 (school year 5 & 6)
- Held locally
- Weekend (February or August 2014?)
- Aimed at those schools already connected with Seasonal Presentations
- If they like...encourage to go again further away / for longer?
- Developing young leaders (15-18?)



Prayer Focus for OUR Schools



Tuesday 19 November

8.00-9.00pm @ Jubilee

Community Church, 41 Marlow

Road, Maidenhead, SL6 7AQ



“ WE MUST GO LIVE TO FEED THE
HUNGRY – STAND BESIDE THE
BROKEN - WE MUST GO..”

“Stepping forward keep us from
JUST singing – MOVE US INTO
ACTION - WE MUST GO...”

(God of Justice – Tim Hughes)



Can YOU be involved?

- Prayer
- Partnership
- Pounds



**THANK YOU for allowing me to
be here today**

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