



The Lake Trips with Tulare/Kings County Youth for Christ were hugely successful. Our largest week we took almost 20 youth from London. Pictures here include youth from London and other involved communities.



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SHORT TERM TEAMS

This past summer I partnered with three different groups to provide Vacation Bible School events for many of the kids in London. Jeanie Hofer helped lead a team of Child Evangelism Fellowship workers to provide a 5-day Club, Kingsburg Community Church took their VBS materials mobile as they launched a 3-day program using the "Pandamonium" materials, and Neighborhood Church of Anderson/Cottonwood brought a team of youth, adults and children along with a 3-day program based on a western theme.

It has been a joy to see the children grow in their knowledge of Christ and their relationship with God through these short programs. Each team brought its unique gifts and personalities to the table, creating diverse experiences for the children. But more importantly, each team came with the same message of God's love expressed through Jesus Christ.



VBS at the London Community Center with Kingsburg Community Church



Joshua Cable hard at work with the help of Neighborhood Church



Trailer Court VBS with Neighborhood Church of Cottonwood/Anderson

LONG TERM PARTNERSHIPS

Youth for Christ

Along with on campus ministry during the school year, I had the opportunity of plugging many of our youth into one of YFC's summer activities. Almost every Thursday this summer we took youth from London up to Kaweah Lake to go tubing, wake boarding, knee boarding, and to connect with youth from Sultana, Dinuba, Visalia, Hanford and Lemoore. More than that we also sought to connect them with God through devotional times we had after lunch.

KCAPS

Progress towards launching a London extension of Kingsburg Community Assistance Programs and Services has been slow, but it has been going forward. This extension (LCAPS) would primarily serve as a thrift store, but also provide other services in the name of Christ. A lease agreement has been forged allowing us to move forward this fall. It is hard to judge how long it will take to have a grand opening, but if you would like to donate towards our start up costs, please contact KCAPS in Kingsburg at (559)897-7961.

Joshua Cable

After two years of short term partnerships with organizations and individuals, God has called someone else into London. Joshua Cable has been an intern and part time staff with Youth for Christ and has joined with me as a devoted co-laborer in pursuing God's purposes for London.