

# WELCOME



The apostle Paul urges the Ephesians to live wisely and make the most of every opportunity. However, he does not mean to merely be busy. He says, 'Don't be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is' (Ephesians 5:15-17).

In all ministry we must be strategic and have clear intentions that further the interests of God's kingdom rather than just being busy. That's our theme this year and we have assembled an experienced panel of speakers to help us adopt this theme to our children's programme.

Working with children is vitally strategic and this conference is designed to encourage you in your ministry to children.

I look forward to seeing you on 3 or 10 May, 2008.

**David Cook**  
**Principal**

# SPEAKERS

**Ray Galea** – is the senior minister of St Alban's Multicultural Bible Ministry (St Alban's MBM), a large multicultural church in the west of Sydney. Ray is married to Sandy.

**Sandy Galea** – is a trained primary teacher who has over twenty years experience working with both high school and primary aged children in public and private schools. Sandy manages 'Kidswise' a web site, which aims to provide quality material for teaching children the gospel.

**Bruce Linton** – is the Children and Family Minister at Christchurch Anglican church in Gladesville.

**Stephanie Kyme** – is a primary school teacher and Christian Studies teacher at Abbotsleigh School. Stephanie and her husband Andre attend St Thomas' Anglican North Sydney.

**Fiona Singline** – has been a children's worker and now works with her husband Phil at Campbelltown Baptist Church.

**Matt Gorton** – is the Director of Quizworx, an organisation which reaches out to children with the gospel.

**Daniel and Jenny Cooke** – are both on the staff of Quizworx.

**Adam Joliffe** – is part of the ministry team of Quakers Hill Anglican.

## Venue

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## Children's Ministry Conference



Purpose for  
Children's work

Saturday  
3 May and 10 May 2008  
(Same conference, choice of dates)

# PROGRAMME

8.30am **Tea and Coffee**

9.15am **Bible Study**  
Speaker: Ray Galea

10.15am **Making Every Activity Intentional**  
Speakers: Sandy Galea and  
Bruce Linton

11.00am **Morning Tea**

11.30am **Making Every Activity Intentional**  
Speakers: Sandy Galea and  
Bruce Linton

12.30pm **Lunch**

1.45pm **Elective Choice**

3.00pm **Elective Choice**

4.15pm **Close**

## Electives

Elective 1: **Puppetry Workshop**  
Matt Gorton

Elective 2: **Promoting missions interest  
amongst children**  
Fiona Singline

Elective 3: **Using singing to teach children**  
Daniel and Jenny Cooke

Elective 4: **Creative storytelling**  
Stephanie Kyme

Elective 5: **Creative visuals**  
Adam Joliffe

“Youthful piety is a very touching thing to me; I see the grace of God in men and women with much thankfulness, but I cannot perceive it in children without shedding tears of delight. There is an exceeding beauty about these rose-buds of the Lord’s garden; they have a fragrance which we find not in the fairest of earth’s lilies. Love is won for the Lord Jesus in many a heart by these tiny arrows of the Lord, whose very smallness is a part of the power to penetrate the heart.”

C.H. Spurgeon, *Come Ye Children*, pages 137-138.

## Conference Details

**Date** Saturday 3 May and  
Saturday 10 May 2008  
(same conference choice of dates).

**Venue** 43-45 Badminton Road, Croydon.

**Parking** Please park on College grounds.

**Enquiries** 02 9747 4780  
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# REGISTRATION

**Children’s Ministry Conference, Saturday 3 and 10 May 2008  
(same conference choice of dates)**

**Group Bookings:** One application per attendee. Payment required at time of booking

Conference (tick box) Date:  3 May or  10 May

Surname \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (day) \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Church attending \_\_\_\_\_

## Payment Details

Cost: \$50.00 (includes morning tea and lunch)

I am in a group and \_\_\_\_\_ is making payment for me

Cheque enclosed. Payable to: Sydney Missionary and Bible College

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PO Box 83, Croydon NSW 2132**

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