

# AUGUST BUZZZ

Monthly Newsletter.



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## Editor's Word

by Carol KATHOMBE

The August holidays brought opportunity upon opportunity to reach our energetic youth with the Gospel of Christ through our programs.

From CPR® to ROPES® to Camping and beyond, the Lord has seen us through the shortest yet busiest holiday this 2018.

The Unilever team has been impacted through Teambuilding sessions, Teens' lives in Buruburu Baptist and Thika Road Baptist have been changed by our Sexuality program(CPR), Parents have had revelations through our Parents' Manual meetings and ROPERS have been guided through the transition. How great is our God!

Read all about it in our August newsletter and celebrate what the Lord has done with us.





# *SPECIAL Programs*

<The Special edition of ROPES® & CPR ® Programs

After going through the year-long ROPES® Curriculum, Matthew\* was looking forward to go camping. However, due to family commitments, he missed the camp. So, while his friends recapped on the mind blowing experiences they had, he would stand there, quiet and feeling left out. Then his parents heard there was a ROPES® Special camp, they wasted no time. Matthew went through the ROPES Special Camp in August and came back a transformed man. Now when his friends tell their story, he is not only left out, but his experience is fresher and more exciting.

For many years, ex- Candidates(Class 8) who missed the camp either had to wait till the next year to go with their younger counterparts or forfeit the experience all together. But now, the ROPES® Special Camp has been designed for them because no young person should not miss this Life-transforming experience. Notably, It was at this camp, that Matthew gave his life to Christ.



Sexuality is a topic that will remain relevant for as long as there are youth. It was at Kandisi where twelve were trained on CPR ® (Creating Positive Relationships) i.e. Sexuality Program on how to teach, approach and address Sexuality matters among the youth.

Margaret\* one of the trainees expressed her enlightenment at the way the Course was Christ-based and preached Abstinence at a time when society celebrates promiscuity.

Joel\* is a teacher at a school in Garden Estate. Because of the school calendar, he cannot attend the regular Training of Coordinators(TOC) scheduled in March, July and September of every year. To cater for Joel and many others, we hold a Special Edition Training where; in a fully residential camp setting, we train the teachers who will teach ROPES Curriculum to the students over the course of the year.





# OUT AND ABOUT

Impacting youth with various programs, Experiential learning and Camping Experiences.



This August, we were out and about reaching and transforming the young and old with experiential, practical lessons. Here is a brief summary of that:

With High scholars from Thika Road Christian High School, we engaged in three days of fun games & activities bearing life lessons which prepare them to deal with everyday life challenges.

At Buruburu Baptist, Thika Road Baptist, Living Hope Counselling centre and CDC Ngusishi, we unpacked what Sexuality meant to the youth including the societal view on Sexuality and the important place of Abstinence in a young person's life.

We then visited Karen Community, DC Thika, and Faith Ventures Academy, to connect and teach the ROPERS therein. With experiential sessions, we discussed the period of transitions they were going through in adolescence and prepared them for adulthood.

Parents at Jabali School and DC Kasarani learnt how to interact and impact their children in this God-given mandate of Parenthood while interacting with the New slim Parents' Manual.

Finally, we hosted over 500 youth and adults at Camp MALTA. With one of the largest groups, we went for a half-day hike with about 130 pax. Camp MALTA is open for booking NOW, for both large and small groups for both full-board and Self-catering. Come, Experience Rustic Fantastic Camping



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