

Youth Worker's Report – July 2014 CLT

I believe that the Youth and Children's Ministry area report gives a good indication of how God continues to bless the ministry to Youth and Children at Oxley Darra Uniting. There is a real sense of commitment by the leadership within the ministry area.

However, we are still facing some challenges that need prayerful consideration and they are listed below.

- We have not been able to discern and encourage someone to be the Youth and Children's Ministry Area Coordinator
- The Disciple Ship still needs someone to replace the role of leading the Navigation Team which has been vacant since Dale left in January
- Boy's Brigade still require prayer and practical support in several areas including attracting some new membership

I enjoyed the time that Rev Russell Morris spent with us and found that we were able to quickly develop a good working partnership. Russell along with others have been encouraging me as I move towards completing the assessment requirements of the Role of Pastor – stream A in the near future.

It has been a fantastic first half to the year and we have enjoyed another Day Camp and FunFari where we were able to present the Gospel of Jesus to people we may not have usually had contact with, what an awesome God we have!

So let us encourage each other and build each other up for the tasks that we have undertaken and know that our ability and strength to carry on comes from God and that this is why our Youth and Children's Ministry is making a difference in people's lives.

Ken Acworth