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## And when thou risest up

Deut 6:6-7

And so we come to the end of our key passage which we have been looking at throughout this year. Though it is the end of the passage it begins with the start of the day... when thou risest up.

As I shared at a parent seminar earlier in the year, "It is good to start the day well. Even if it is all downhill from there, it is still good to start the day well!" And besides, it is God's plan and Jesus' pattern to start the day in time alone with God. As we do this on a regular basis we find more often than not that we are able to look back on each day and see the hand of God at work in our lives and in the lives of our children.

When we rise up, we are rested, our minds are fresh, and a whole day of service awaits. If we are able to share the blessings and commands of God with our children at this time of the day, we will all be blessed.

May we all seek God's favour and blessing as we allow God to do His mighty work in us and through us as we follow in the footsteps of our Saviour and as our children follow close behind us.

May the Lord bless you and your family.



Stuart Chapman  
Principal

## Partnership with HillSide Christian School

Australian Christian College has entered into a partnership with HillSide Christian School (HCS), to provide distance education support to their students who will be using the ACE curriculum. HCS is located in Forrestfield and is now taking enrolments for year 8 & 9 students for 2010. They are planning for a total of 40 students in 2010 and plan to expand into year 10 in 2011.

HCS students may also be attending some activity days and sporting events. Peter Adam's Science Courses will be held on their school site.

We pray that the partnership with HCS will be beneficial to all students, parents and families associated with both schools.

## Support Groups

We have heard that many of you would like to meet other families in your area so that your children can meet other children, and so that you can have some fellowship with others that are using the ACE curriculum. You will therefore be pleased to know that our number of groups has increased to five. Please ring your local area coordinator and introduce yourself. Help plan the next meeting and make new friends.

### Albany Support Group Coordinator

Simone Felton 9845 2182

### Bunbury Support Group Coordinator

Kimberly Johansen 9724 1189

### Perth South East Coordinator (Armadale, Thornlie, Canningvale)

Kimberly Rosser 9496 0128; 0414 374 193

Next meeting: Pioneer Park Gosnells 10 am Wednesday 11 November

### Perth North of the River Coordinator

Mary-Jane (MJ) Sims 0402 484 909; 9404 8587

[kidsbythedozen@dodo.com.au](mailto:kidsbythedozen@dodo.com.au)

Next Meeting: 10.30 am Friday 20 November at MJ's house for morning tea;

16 Wiria Court Wanneroo

Please ring MJ if you are able to come.

### Rockingham Support Group Coordinator

Sarah Gordon 94395577

[sarahandandrew.gordon@gmail.com](mailto:sarahandandrew.gordon@gmail.com)

Next meeting: Friday 20th November at Rockingham City Park

Success Drive Rockingham from 1pm

### Wanted More Coordinators:

There is a need for Perth Central and Perth Eastern coordinators as well as a coordinator in Kalgoorlie.

If you are interested, please contact the office.

### Activity Day at Albany

64 students and several parents came to ACC-Southlands on Thursday and Friday 15<sup>th</sup>- 16<sup>th</sup> October for Activity Day. Some families came as far away as Cue, Perth and Bunbury for this event. Activities included a hike up Castle Rock, Indonesian, a photography session, Windows Movie Maker, drama, circus activities, writing workshop, and sport.

Thursday lunch time we set off by bus for the Castle Rock hike. Despite rumours by Mr Ogilvie, there was no Coke machine at the top. There was however, a magnificent view over the Great Southern. You could even see the Albany windmills from the top.

On Friday, the eldest group started the day with a photography double session with Mrs Hawley. They travelled in a mini bus to some photogenic places for their workshop including Emu Point, Mt Melville, and the infamous Dog Rock. Then after morning tea this group used their photos in conjunction with music to produce a Movie Maker CD. Thanks go to Mrs Phipson, Head of the Day School, who ran this session.

The second eldest group also participated in the photography session amidst the wonderful clear blue skies we had. Those from outside Perth commented on how beautiful Albany is and how it would be a wonderful place to live.

Sport was conducted by Mr Tony Norman from the Australian Sports Commission with Mr O'Neill our Day School teacher supervising. Students participated in a range of fun educational physical activities.

Word is out that there may be two separate Activity events in Albany next year. Watch this space!



Castle Rock



Dog Rock



Interactive Whiteboard with Mrs Phipson

### New Staff

We are pleased to announce that two new teachers have accepted appointments to start in the distance education office within the next three months. Both are experienced educators with strong Christian convictions. They will write their own profiles for upcoming newsletters once they commence employment.

### Mature Age Students

From 2010, mature age students will need to transfer to the Australian Christian Home School section of CEM at the end of the year that they turn 19. A transfer note will be sent out to these students to sign and return to ACC Southlands. You will then be contacted by a teacher from the Queensland office.

This does not include parents of enrolled students.

### Trading Post

#### For Sale

Score keys \$2 each plus postage  
 English 1008, 1013  
 Maths 1013  
 Word Building 1013, 1014  
 Science 1013, 1014  
 Social Studies 1013, 1014  
 Contact Tracy Lewis 0429 80112 or email  
[catklewis97@bigpond.com](mailto:catklewis97@bigpond.com)

Score Keys \$2 each, plus postage  
 1073 - 1084 in Maths, English, Science and Word Building  
 1073 - 1078 Social Studies. (Basic Literature seven -free)  
 Books half price:  
 Summer Fun \$8, Christians Courageous \$7, Little Green  
 Frog \$8, Saved at sea \$10, Red Rag Riddle \$10, Charlottes  
 Web \$7, Children's Miss Library \$10 Heidi \$10, Fugitive  
 King \$5, Christian's with courage \$5, Granpa's Christmas  
 Gift \$7, Little Pilgrim's Progress \$10, Treasures of the Snow  
 \$7, George Mueller \$7  
 Contact Gayle Capener [cameorascale@yahoo.com.au](mailto:cameorascale@yahoo.com.au) 0432  
 020 372

### Wanted

Score Keys 1097 – 1108 in Algebra I, English, World His-  
 tory, Biology and Etymology, Successful Living 1 – 12, Lit-  
 erature 9.  
 In His Steps, Up From Slavery, Michael Faraday, Pilgrim's  
 Progress, The Hiding Place, Did Man Just Happen?, Robin-  
 son Crusoe  
 Contact Gayle Capener [cameorascale@yahoo.com.au](mailto:cameorascale@yahoo.com.au) 0432  
 020 372

Geography: Factors and Concepts, White, C. Langdon,  
 George T Renner, and Henry J Warman New York: Ap-  
 pleton-Century-Croft, 10968  
 Contact Carole on 0439 027 376

### Year 9 & 10 Science

These exciting new courses with Peter Adams will run for 90  
 minutes on Thursdays during Terms 1-4 in 2010. Students  
 will get assignments and assessments which they will need to  
 do in between the classes. The information and application  
 form is enclosed.

### Perth Royal Show

Over 150,000 people saw our colourful display with bright  
 posters and our full curriculum. Numbers increased when  
 there was face painting with Mr Morris Jacobs, who was able  
 to assist on several days. Over 150 information packs were  
 handed out to families, which we hope will yield dividends  
 in the future. A special word of thanks is given to the  
 parents who helped with the roster and made the display  
 possible.

### Final Activity Day Wednesday 9 December Perth Zoo Visit

We have decided to cancel the Kings Park Activity Day for  
 December and instead have a Perth Zoo Activity Day. This  
 will be a fun informal day. The principal Mr Stuart  
 Chapman will be in attendance. Flyer enclosed.

### School Camp 3-4 December

Enrolment for our inaugural school camp closes on  
 November 16. See enclosed flyer.

### Awards Night Perth Saturday 30 Jan 2010

Please mark your calendar and return the award application forms  
 which are enclosed.

### Alternative Awards Night

The day school will be having an awards night on Thursday 10  
 December 2009. Any distance educated families that live near  
 Albany are welcome to attend and also receive awards at this  
 time. Please advise the office of your intention to come so that  
 the program can be adjusted accordingly.

### Website

Check out the new testimonials page which is now on the  
 website. We would love to add some more, so please keep  
 sending them in. Also our IT people in Queensland are  
 upgrading our website so that it will have a new look and feel by  
 early November. Make sure you check out the changes and give  
 us some feedback.

We will also put up any upcoming support group meetings on the  
 announcements page on the website, so remember to bookmark  
 our site <http://southlands.acc.edu.au> or [www.acc.edu.au](http://www.acc.edu.au) and to  
 visit regularly to see the latest news.

### News from ACC – Southlands Day School

- Enrolments (8) for the kindergarten and pre-primary  
 class continue to grow
- Construction of a disabled toilet is now well underway.
- Painting, landscaping and resealing of the car park  
 should be completed by the end of the year.
- 14 students will be attending Regional Student  
 Convention in November

### VacSwim

Vacation swimming forms for January lessons have been  
 included in this newsletter. If you would like your children to be  
 enrolled you will need to complete the forms using BLOCK  
 letters and send in to DET PO Box 130 TUART HILL WA 6939  
 or faxed to 9344 0900 by 11 November.

### Awards Forms

Please complete the enclosed forms for 2009 awards and send  
 them in with your PACE tests on the 1<sup>st</sup> of December. These  
 awards will be presented at our Annual Awards Night on 30  
 January 2010, or posted out if you cannot attend this night. All  
 tests to be included in these awards need to arrive at ACC  
 Southlands by 18<sup>th</sup> December to be counted in these awards,  
 unless other arrangements are made.

### Attendance Sheets & Notes

It is a requirement for enrolment in ACC Southlands that  
 attendance sheets be sent to us each month, accompanied by a  
 note explaining any absences. For prolonged absences, or chronic

illness we need a letter from a doctor or similar medical officer. Thank you to all those people who regularly send in sheets. For 4 year old children doing kindergarten, we need the attendance form filled in showing attendance for 4 half days a week.

### Book Club

Two of our female students are keen to start a book club for girls 14 years and older. Please see the flyer for more information or call Mrs Sheryl Hawley on (08) 9844 1621. If you are interested in meeting with the girls to discuss Christian books suitable for girls, please fill in the form and return it to our office.

### Year 7 Social Studies Course

Please note that year 7 students do not have to do PACEs 1080Q and 1081Q. When finished 1079 Australian State series, proceed to Australian History 1 – 12, or World History or World Geography.

### Does Your Child Have Dyslexia?

Do you need advice or strategies to assist your child with learning? Support is available through one of our parents, who has children with dyslexia, and who has completed extensive research into this learning disability. Please contact our office for further contact details.

### Tax File Numbers

The school is organizing a batch of Tax File Number applications to be sent in at the end of November. The TFN's should be returned to students by mid-December. Please call the school if you have students who are 13 years or older who need a TFN.

### Scripture Memory Passage: November

A daily aloud reading of the passage usually ensures that the student knows the passage by the end of the month. Please adjust the size of the passage to meet your child's age and abilities. Most secondary students usually complete the whole passage.

Don't forget to record the memorised Scripture on the Attendance Record so they can be recorded on the quarterly report card.

ACC distributes this passage in the King James Version as it is copyright free. Families are free to use a version that they prefer if they so choose.

This month's memory passage is Genesis 1:24-31

Please note if you want a copy in your own favourite version you can probably download it from [www.biblegateway.com](http://www.biblegateway.com)

### Scripture Memory Passage

#### Genesis 1:24-31 (King James Version)

<sup>24</sup>And God said, Let the earth bring forth the living creature after his kind, cattle, and creeping thing, and beast of the earth after his kind: and it was so.

<sup>25</sup>And God made the beast of the earth after his kind, and cattle after their kind, and every thing that creepeth upon the earth after his kind: and God saw that it was good.

<sup>26</sup>And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.

<sup>27</sup>So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.

<sup>28</sup>And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.

<sup>29</sup>And God said, Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree, in the which is the fruit of a tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat.

<sup>30</sup>And to every beast of the earth, and to every fowl of the air, and to every thing that creepeth upon the earth, wherein there is life, I have given every green herb for meat: and it was so.

<sup>31</sup>And God saw every thing that he had made, and, behold, it was very good. And the evening and the morning were the sixth day.