



## BLACKTOWN CITY CORPS NEWSLETTER

8th February 2015

Corps Officers—Captain William & Susanne Geracia

TODAY is the **Corps MUFTI DAY**. Money raised will be going towards children's programs for the Corps. Remember, if you wear your uniform you pay \$5 however, if you come 'mufti' you only pay \$2.

**JUNIOR SOLDIERS** will be held today during the meeting. Pray for our young folk as they learn about Jesus and what it means to be a 'soldier if God's Army'.

**DELVE**—Today at **1:30** at the Quarters. Please bring your Bible for discussion and your meat to BBQ. All welcome.

Please sign up for the **CORP CAMP** to be held 26th—28th June 2015. Sign up sheet is on the notice board. We are down on numbers so bring your family and friends and join with us. Cost is Under 3 free. 3-5 years \$ 20. 6-12 years \$63. 13 years and over \$73. Remember these prices are per person per night. More details soon. A \$50 deposit (per person) is required by 22nd February. Please place in an envelope with your name clearly printed and hand to Captain Susanne.

We are going to be having **Cadets** with us again this year from March to June. Please welcome Cadets Paul & Jess Farthing along with their son Patrick.

### **COMING EVENTS:**

**KOINONIA**—February 22nd—sign up sheets are on the board. If you can indicate if you are coming and also what you can bring to share for lunch.

**PRAYER MEETING**— 1st March 10 am.

**MENS BREAKFAST**—March 14th.

**CORPS PICNIC** - 15th March.

**CORPS CLEAN UP DAY**—March 21st from 10-2. Please come along and help keep our Hall clean.



**BOUNDLESS—The Whole WORLD Reading The International Bible Reading Challenge!!** Will you join with the rest of the World and take up the Challenge to Read your Bible (a chapter a day) for the whole year? Folders are available if you have not already received one.

**Please pray for LES CROWDER** who will be having his operation on 23rd February.

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER** on behalf of the people of The Bahamas, to be held at the Baptist Church, cnr. Harold and Sackville Streets, Blacktown on **Friday 6th March at 9:30am**. Morning tea will follow the prayer meeting. All welcome.

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

We are still looking for willing **Volunteers** to help Captain Bill with **Pub Ministry** on a Friday night. If this could be your ministry to other, please talk to Captain Bill.

We are also still looking for volunteers to help **Clean the Hall** once a month. If you are willing to go on a roster please see Captain Bill or Susanne if you can help.

## HOME LEAGUE SYLABUS



Feb. 10th Betty Crowder—Message of the Trees.

Feb. 17th Major Mavis Humphreys

Feb. 24th To be arranged.

Women's Refresh Day—April 1st.

## CORPS MUFTI DAYS for 2015

June 14th

October 11th

Non Uniform \$ 2 Uniform \$5



8th February Joshua Robinson

9th February Sarah Hughes

## PRAYER REQUESTS



Please pray for our Officers, Captain Bill & Susanne & their family as they minister to us.

Pray for any of our Corps Family who are not with us at the moment. Pray for those who are not well and who are recovering from sickness or surgery. The following people need our prayers, please add anyone else you know to this list.

Pray for Rena.

Pray for Kath Paddison

Pray for Sandra Robinson

Pray for Estelle Ring

Pray for Enid Rodgers

Pray for Sandra Tillson

Pray for Bella Heard.

Pray for Grahame Bellamy.

Pray for Val Norval.

Pray for John, Jenny, Marc, Cameron, Ian & Keeleigh as they move & transition to Dubbo .

Pray for Major Robert Holley as he prepares for heart surgery.

Pray for Captain Susanne's dad who had a fall last week and broke his hand.

Pray for a revival in our own lives, in our Corps, in our City, in our Army and in our Leaders. God is still in control. Let us all be bound by the ties of Love.

This week pray especially for:

Captains Bill & Susanne, Elaina and Crosby Geracia, Daryl, Peter & Kathryn Hardy, Doug Hardy, Larissa, Joshua, Benjamin, Chloe & Brooke Hardy.

GIVE THANKS TO GOD for the answers to prayers and for the many blessings he gives us daily. Thank Him for JESUS and for the change it has made to our lives.

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**IF GOD NEVER DOES ANYTHING MORE THAN REDEEM US, HE HAS ALREADY DONE FAR MORE THAN WE DESERVE**