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TCE-1 about to take off!



We're back into the school year, and your church programs no doubt have started too. Perhaps you have the problem that many other churches experience - not enough trained teachers for your classes.

CEF® has the answer for you! "Teaching Children Effectively™- Level One" will give you practical, hands-on training that will allow you to take your ministry to children to a new level.

Designed to offer a fresh approach to classroom learning, TCE will equip students with basic skills and effective methods to evangelize children and help them develop in their Christian walk. Emphasis is placed on organizing and conducting meaningful classroom activities that enrich children spiritually and are also enjoyable.

In addition to regular course work, three practicum sessions conducted during the course provide each student with evaluated experience in applying the theory taught. Students are also required to participate in

teaching five children's classes within 90 days of completion of the course to receive a certificate.

Academic credit may be available through various colleges. Students can earn five Continuing Education Credits (CEUs) in professional education or in Bible for completing this course.

TCE-1 will be offered at Child Evangelism Fellowship's Madison office, 201 S. Stoughton Rd., beginning Sat. Oct. 17 for 7 Saturdays, Oct. 24, 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21 and Dec. 5, from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

The cost per student is \$100. If three or more register from one church, each person will receive \$10 off. This fee includes a student manual, a \$3 coupon on a song, a Wordless Book, a \$10 gift certificate for the CEF store, and teaching materials.

The deadline for registration is October 9, 2009. Registration forms may be obtained by calling 608-242-4002 or going online to www.cefmadisonwi.com.

If you have questions, you may call CEF at 242-4002.

For all the children who need Jesus!

Adventures of a Summer Missionary.....

Good News Across America is an event that CEF® has that targets one city in the US and blitzes it with 5-Day Clubs® for one week. The city for this year was Little Rock. I left with a group from Wisconsin and Minnesota and got there on Monday. I was assigned a room and got a schedule of classes.

The first week was for classes and team building. We learned how to use the new materials and they gave us time to get to know those on our teams. We worked to sort out the details for the clubs we would be teaching. In the evening after 9 pm we had free time. I played basketball with a group of young adults almost every night.

The second week we had the 5-Day Clubs. Each team partnered with a church and had 3 to 4 clubs in the area of the church. Little Rock '09 partnered with 32 churches and had over 90 5-Day Clubs. There were 109 volunteers from 26 different states.

It was really cool watching God answer prayers. My clubs were very interesting. The first club was at Centennial Park not far from the Children's hospital. This was a rough neighborhood. Many of the houses were boarded up and almost all of them had bars on the windows. There was glass everywhere. As my team was walking around in the neighborhood advertising the club on Friday of the first week I was amazed to find that everyone was open to having a Bible club near by and were very excited about it.

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Summer Missionary
Stephen Hunt



Adventures of a Summer Missionary.... Con't.

Unlike our second club where a lady slammed the door in our face saying “we already go to church.”

No children showed up for the second club except on the first day, so we set up a fourth club just down the street from the church. At the fourth club all the kids accepted the Lord and one boy's older cousin wanted to help out with CEF. The final club of the day we didn't have kids every day but one day when no kids showed up we talked with some people who were asking us what we were doing there with all kinds of game stuff and funny hats. It just so happened that the pastor was at this club as a volunteer and he invited them to church. When the lady got the time of the service and found out it was informal she got all excited and said “We have a date. We have a date.”

The clubs all ended on Friday night with a rally at our partner church, Markham Street Baptist Church. Even though we didn't have a large rally we really encouraged the pastor. He said that what we did helped him to trust people. Hopefully there will be enough volunteers for the church to have a Good News Club in the nearby school. I now have a larger picture of the kingdom of God and a greater interest in the kids in the inner city because of this trip.

Stephen Hunt, CEF® Summer Missionary '09



“But grow in the
grace and
knowledge of our
Lord and Savior
Jesus Christ. To
Him be glory for
now and forever!
Amen.”
2 Peter 3:18

Memorials In Memory of Ken Davenport

Harold and Ruby Elmer
Charles W Simmons
David and Donna Davenport
Dick and Helen Falch
Marlene Freitag
Thomas and Charlene Hill
Jean Maijala
Chuck and Sandy Mueller



Mailbox Club

See & Do 1:

Ty Andrews

See & Do 2:

Matthew Wright

Storytime 1:

Kaylee Beets

Hannah Menard

Storytime 2:

Kase Andrews

Dillion Crawford

Emily Wright

Best Friends-1:

Jordan Betts

Kelsey Pokrandt

Explorers 1:

Dana Jensen

Overcomers:

Andrew Cashman

A Country Called Heaven:

Karla Ramirez-Schaefer

Karissa Schaeper

Victoria Yahnke

Course 3 Lesson 25:

Carisa Burnside

Olivia Cushman

New Life in Christ 2:

Karla Ramirez-Schaefer

Victoria Yahnke

Practical Christian Living:

Valerie Lee

Course V:

Nancy Kantorowicz-Gruenwald

Light From the Old Testament:

Nancy Kantorowicz-Gruenwald

**Congratulations on
finishing your courses!**



Opportunities.....

Sat. Oct. 3 – 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.- Sharing the Wordless Book in McFarland

Thursdays, 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Sharing Jesus with a small group of Chinese children in Eagle Heights

Sundays 1 – 2 p.m. – Teach 7-9 children under the age of 12 in Spanish in Allied Dr. area

Sundays 12 – 1 p.m. – Teach small group of Chinese children after church

For more details, call Sandy at CEF, 242-4002



Testimonies

God is faithful. Through my two years with CEF he has shown me this over and over. I loved CYIA and getting to know all the people there, however teaching clubs is more of a challenge for me. It is hard for me to get up in front of people and talk, let alone share the gospel. We had one club here in Delavan. There were so many obstacles to this club ever happening. The hostess had a baby

the week before the club, missionaries appeared to be unavailable from Madison, scheduling difficulties abounded. I was tempted to give up on this club, thinking perhaps God was closing the door. In the end the hostess wanted to do the club and missionaries from Madison became available at the last minute. God brought a total of 13 children. Nine made professions

of faith, 1 assurance, and the children were eager listeners. Three of the children asked for Bibles, one of them not even knowing what a Bible was before coming to the club. Through this experience I was reminded how faithful God is. If we persist through our struggles he will do great things.

Anna Gaspar
Summer Missionary

Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity.
1 Timothy 4:12

Wonderful News.....

What a summer we had! There were 27 5-Day Clubs, 2 Vacation Bible Schools and 2 Fairs! Sixteen Summer Missionaries reaching and teaching 1,353 children about the Lord Jesus Christ! 298 boys and girls trusted Jesus as their very own Savior. Just this summer!

Our thanks to all who made it possible!



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Calendar

Oct. 3 - Wordless Book Ministry

At Grace & Truth Church, McFarland

Oct. 10 - Materials Table at Awana Conference

Oct. 17, 24, 31 TCE-1 Classes

Nov. 7, 14, 21 TCE-1 Classes

Dec. 5 TCE-1 Classes

Jan. 22-23 - Winter Retreat

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Helen Zwickey Secretary & Peggy Bjugstad Office Manager

I cannot tell you how happy I am to be part of CEF® as the new Office Manager. I have worked in the printing industry most of my career, and it is a great change to actually be able to create the documents instead of just print them. I pray that I will be a blessing to this wonderful children's ministry and to the other personnel who work here. I look forward to learning more about CEF® as I will be taking the TCE-1 course starting in October. I hope to meet all of the volunteers and supporters in the future, and hope you will be patient as I try to remember everyone's name.

*God Bless,
Peggy Bjugstad*

Children have always been on my heart, since I empathize with them in their trials and successes. I also love to read, and became a Christian as a teenager in 1959 while reading Christian novels by Grace Livingston Hill. CEF enables me to help prepare visual aids for *Good News Club* teachers and to teach boys and girls about Jesus, Whom I love because He first loved me (I John 4:19). Please pray that I serve Him faithfully. With much love in Christ,

Helen Zwickey

