

Dates for your calendar—please support us by coming to our events!

Children's Workers' & Youth Leaders' Breakfasts

9.15am: prayer @ Bridgebuilder & then 9.45am: breakfast @ IKEA

Dates:

Tues 15th November 2011

Wed 25th January 2012

Thurs 1st March 2012

Mon 21st May 2012

Tues 12th June 2012

Please e-mail/call Gill if you intend to come—thank you.

Annual Bridgebuilder Quiz

Saturday 17th March 2012

Venue—Netherfield Chapel

Time—7 for 7.30pm

- Enjoy a night out of great food and great fun—come as a team or join one on the night (teams of 4-6 people).
- Tickets £7.50 each (meal included—bring your own cold drinks/wine/glasses).
- Could your team be the winner of the **Bridgebuilder Quiz Shield** this year??
- Book your place through Gill.

Supporters' Prayer Breakfast

Saturday 24th March 2012

Venue—Bridge House

Time—8-10am

Simple continental breakfast and prayer stations to focus on praying for different areas of the Trust's work.

Thank you to all who came to the last breakfast on 15th October.

We hope you can join us at the next event!

SYNERGY 2012

26 FEB	loughton baptist church (with shenley christian fellowship) ☎ 07788 212125 Claire Baines
29 APR	st andrew's baptist church, blechley ☎ 01908 643804 Brian Stocker
30 SEP	st mary's church, blechley ☎ 07889 650165 Pat Kerr
25 NOV	cross purposes @ urc church, newport pagnell (with bradwell church) ☎ 01908 614943 Bev Hollins

Sunday nights for all church youth groups

7-9pm

Hosted by local churches for all church youth groups

New website! Our thanks go to Alistair and Rachael Wearing who developed our original website—we are very grateful for their commitment and hard work over the years. Ricky Rew has created our newly updated website—and our thanks go to him too!

www.mkbt.org.uk

The Bridgebuilder One Hundred Club...

Membership is open to anyone who raises a minimum of £100 during 2012. The focal point will be an activity day in May with sponsored canoeing, walking, running and cycling events, but you can do your own thing at any time throughout the year. The challenge for 2012 is to get 100 members of the Bridgebuilder One Hundred Club. **Watch out for more details in the New Year!**



In association with
Scripture Union

<http://mk.xsiteuk.org>

Venue: The Ridgeway Centre
Featherstone Road
Wolverton Mill South MK12 5TH
Time: 6-8pm Cost: £2.00
For: children aged 7-11 years

Dates for 2012 (all Saturdays):

January 7 th	July 14 th
March 10 th	September 9 th
May 12 th	November 10 th

X:site is supported and run by local churches in partnership with Scripture Union & Bridgebuilder Trust

An evening with Bridgebuilder...join us in 2012!



This event took place on Monday 3rd October at Water Eaton Church Centre and over 65 people attended, enjoyed a two course meal, and heard news about Bridgebuilder's work in schools—plus the M.O.U.S.E. team were there to show the guests a little of what they did in primary schools before the summer. We hope to see you at the next such evening in 2012—watch our new website for further details!

Prayer Diary—Autumn 2011



SCHOOLSWORKERS' SESSIONS & PROJECTS

Prayer pointers:

Rachel (Schools Worker & Primary Team Leader):

Christmas Cracked—for the new churches taking it on this term (Stony Stratford Community Church and the churches of Stantonbury Ecumenical Partnership)

X:site—that children would keep coming back and bring their friends with them

FREEDOM (Prayer Spaces) project—that it would really grow and develop in 2012 to reach more schools

SACRE—for Rachel's appointment onto the Milton Keynes Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education for the next three years

Prayer pointers:

Rosie (Schools Worker & Secondary Team Leader):

Cultivate (young leaders' package)—for its continued development

Secondary schools—for new doors to be opened

Oakhill Secure Training Centre—for the development of future work

Prayer pointers:

Lex & Tony (Student Schools & Youth Workers—Secondary):

For Lex and Tony as they seek to complete their final year at university, and for their plans for the future

Emulates (Christian Unions) in secondary schools:

Leon: please pray as Tony and Ricky seek to change the format of the *Emulate* at Leon to better serve the students and meet their needs; pray that plans would be well received by the school and that discussions will lead to a successful transition

For continued growth in all *Emulates* across the city

For the leaders of the *Emulates* and the young people who attend

Prayer pointers:

Gill (in the office):

The Barn Dance—for an enjoyable (safe!) time dancing, and raising funds too

Christmas Cracked—for the continued planning and liaising with churches and schools

Lifepath 2012—for schools to book in and for plenty of volunteers to come on board

Office volunteers—give thanks for all the office volunteers—Gill couldn't do without them!

For the ability to juggle the many different aspects of Gill's work

VOLUNTARY SCHOOLS WORKERS

Prayer pointers:

For Geoff Morris and the *JesusQuest* team as they go into schools—they have bookings from now until June 2012

For Carolyn Green and the *Biblos* team as they go into schools, for the bookings they have and the new schools they are visiting, and for transport requirements for the team to run smoothly

For the update of the *Biblos* material in order to align itself with the new RE syllabus

For Anna Bayman and Jane Castle as they take their sketchboards into schools—for renewed vision for them and for the children they encounter

For Geoff Morris as he takes assemblies in the eight schools he visits, and for his involvement in *Christmas Cracked*

For Ricky and Matt as they work alongside Tony in *Emulates* in Leon and Shenley Brook End

For Lynn Hotton as she explores afresh what voluntary work for *Bridgebuilder* means

TRUSTEES

Prayer pointers:

Pray for sufficient income to allow the trust to expand

Pray for constant openness to God's leading and wisdom in decision making

Give thanks for the trustees' commitment to *Bridgebuilder*

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