

## **Calvary Chapel Georges Hall**

### **Mens Ministry Report - 2009**

**For the year ended 2008**

I would like to thank Vic Lilli and John Reid for their assistance during the year. It was really great to have them to help plan events.

During the year we were had a Foursquare Men's Conference with David Murrow who was the author of "Why Men Hate Going to Church" Although heavily promoted only a handful of men attended. For those that did so much made sense from a man's perspective of the struggles today's church in engaging men within their congregation.

We also had Pastor Joe Witwer from the U.S. come to a men's breakfast which was held in the Bankstown Hotel. This attracted over 40 men, a number of which were invited guests from the community who really enjoyed the company and the positive message of faith from Pastor Joe in this non threatening environment.

A number of other events were held such as Golf, Fishing and Paintball excursions.

We started a Men's Coffee morning at Gloria Jeans at Revesby every Wednesday at 10am for anyone that could make it. We have had people take the time out from their work schedule to attend with others that have the time on a Wednesday to meet. It has a great following with men coming for friendship who do not frequent any church. We are hoping to encourage these into the kingdom in the not to distant future. This group welcomes visitors and provides opportunity to make friends, develop relationships, be challenged and even witness to non Christians. Its all about doing life together.

We are currently looking for some men who would like to get involved in helping organise and run various events.

Regards

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