

# Passing the Baton

Children's Workers' Training Day and Expo



## PTB2020 Action Stations: **Training Options** for enhancing your ministry

### IN-HOUSE:

The church, organisation, club or any group you are part of, will likely provide training opportunities. This is ideal as there will be a style, purpose, location or audience that the team is seeking to serve. Girls' Brigade - for their leaders. Scripture Union for their camp teams, Fine Edge theatre troupe, YouthCARE for CRV, CRE and chaplains, etc.

### MENTOR:

People at your group may be able give you your first introductory experiences. They may be willing to **mentor** or **coach** you - take advantage of this benefit which is often at no cost & more personal.

### CONFERENCES:

Conferences often provide a range of topics and styles to suit different ministry settings, however much of the theory and motivation for ministry are common.

2020 PERTH CHILDREN'S MINISTRY CONVENTION

#### \* **Perth Children Ministry Convention** -

20 & 21 March. North Beach Baptist Church.

A day for adults involved in ministry to children up

to Year 6 + Practical electives & panel discussion. Peter Brain speaking on 'Going the distance as Christians' + Tyler Swartzentruber speaking on 'Going the distance in Children's ministry. Helping children to go the distance with Jesus.'

\* **Beyond Kidsmin** at Warnbro Church of Christ - see their facebook page for 21 & 22 August 2020

\* **Worldview Australia Leadership Camp** - for year 9 to 12 students: 17-22 January 2021

\* **Passing The Baton training Day & Expo** - put the 13<sup>th</sup> February 2021 in your calendar now

### COLLEGES:



#### **Trinity Theological College, Leederville**

Trinity@Night in Perth metro or Your-Town for training in country towns.

[ttc.wa.edu.au/certificates/overview/](http://ttc.wa.edu.au/certificates/overview/) for short courses:

For Anyone involved in a church, Bible study group, Youth ministry or Sunday school.

Which college is near you?: **Perth Bible College**, Karrinyup. **Equip College**, Kelmscott. **Vose Seminary**, Bentley. **Tabor College**, Forrestfield. **Globalheart Leadership College**, Joondalup. **Aboriginal Christian Church Teaching Centre**, Forrestdale.

## TRAINERS:

- \* **David Goodwin from Kidreach** visits Perth regularly: Consider arranging him to conduct training at your church, organisation or group while he is already here?
- \* **Sue Richards from Child Evangelism Fellowship** – ‘Teaching Children Effectively’ – training in sharing the gospel, leading a child to Christ, games, craft and other creative styles.
- \* **Rob Adams from OAC Ministries** has 15 one-hour subjects to assist & train your kids ministry workers ([wa@oac.org.au](mailto:wa@oac.org.au))

## ONLINE TRAINING:

- \* **Kidsreach Online Training** [kidsreach.org.au/online-training](http://kidsreach.org.au/online-training)

Effective Children's Ministry (KR001)

Course Presenter:

**David Goodwin** M.Min. Dip Couns. Cert IV in AWT

Cost: \$295 AUD



- \* **CMN National website** [cmn.org.au/training/](http://cmn.org.au/training/)

Training For Children's Ministry – Andy Gawn

**FREE** Video session are about 10 minutes long.

WORKSHEET: We suggest you first download the worksheet, print it & use it as you watch the video.

Presented by Andy Gawn and provided by Clayton. TV website (UK).



- \* **CEF International:** [cefcmi.com](http://cefcmi.com)

- \* Go to **YouTube.com** and search ‘**Wright Ideas with Susan**’

175 short 5 minute videos with training, resources & ideas by Aussie Susan Wright.

- \* **Serve HQ** – four free videos: [servehq.church/free/childrens-ministry-training/](http://servehq.church/free/childrens-ministry-training/)

- \* **NSW Baptist:** [baptistcfm.org.au](http://baptistcfm.org.au)

- \* **Kidsmatter:** [Kidzmatter.com/start-here](http://Kidzmatter.com/start-here) (Kidsmin Academy, Kidsmin Nation, etc.)

- \* **Kidology:** [kidology.org](http://kidology.org)

- \* **Max7.org:** [max7.org/en](http://max7.org/en)

- \* **Children Matter:** [children.org.au](http://children.org.au)

- \* **DIDUNO:** [diduno.info](http://diduno.info)

(Pronounced as ‘Did You Know’) Australian heritage &

cultural stories, lesson plans, powerpoints, postcards, activities & worksheets

By Graham McDonald - National Children's Advocate for Religious Education in Schools



- \* **The Answerer:** (Answering student's Questions) [theanswerer.com.au](http://theanswerer.com.au)