

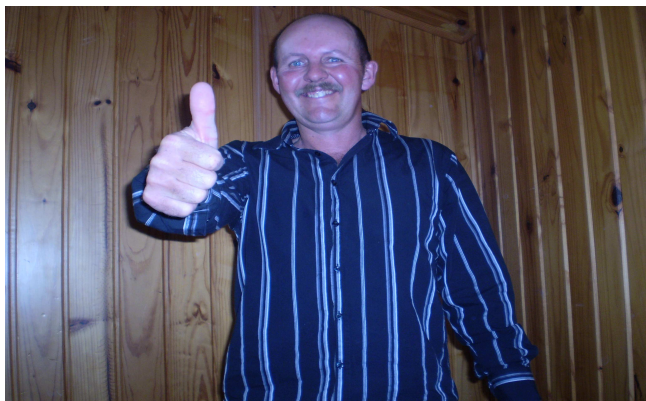
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An act of God



Alan Coster miraculously healed by God

By Caleb Hood
On Sunday 8 May 2008, at City Church Tauranga there was a guest speaker called Pastor Andrew Kubala. With the help of prayer and Jesus a Tauranga man was healed to the amazement of the crowd. Mr Alan Coster who was healed shared that "he felt much better and it has been a God thing to tell other people" (about his healing). Pastor Andrew Kubala had been invited to City Church to preach that night. The service was normal, but at the end there was a healing ceremony. Pastor Andrew Kubala got three people up on stage that needed healing. They were asked to sit in chairs. Pastor Andrew Kubala asked Mr Alan Coster what was wrong with him. Mr Alan Coster explained that his leg had been damaged in a motor bike accident. One of his legs had

Picture / Caleb Hood

been crushed and made shorter. After hearing, this Pastor Andrew Kubala called up 10-year-old Caleb Hood to the stage. Pastor Andrew Kubala said to "Caleb Hood you are going to see a miracle from heaven, you see this man, he is going to be healed". His leg has been crushed and you are going to tell us when his leg moves". Pastor Andrew Kubala gave Caleb Hood the microphone and said a prayer. As the prayer finished Alan Coster's leg miraculously began to move and grow. Caleb Hood yelled into the microphone "it's moving, it's a miracle, the leg is completely straight and healed". Pastor Andrew Kubala has been all over the world to pray for injured people. He started this because when he was younger he had been healed from Cancer three times in a row, he knew that the healing had come from Jesus?

Shanty town saves



Shanty Town saves many lives with the money they raised.

By Fraser Day

On the 22nd to the 23rd of May 2008 some Bethlehem College year 12 student's built tents to make a shanty town for world vision. The shanty town was built out of all sorts of materials like poles tarpolene and wood. They did this event at Bethlehem college secondary school square they were not allowed to have any electronics in the tents, like Cell phones iPods or Mp3 players. They played all sorts of games Brad walker who was staying in one of the shanty town tents, favourite game was obstacle man hunt. Brad said that he was excited to hear that he was going to stay over-night in the tents, he also shared about how he built the tent that he stayed in. Some of the

students were doing the 40 hour famine at that time. Shannon Corbishley was the year 12 student that organised this event she had the choice to stay in the tents or to stay in a class room. Shannon did every thing that the other students did like play games, not use her cell phone or iPod. For the students not doing the famine they had stew for dinner the other students the students they had to have barley sugars and just-juice. There were two people in a tent over-night. Some of the tents were close to the ground and some were tall. The students that were staying in the tents got two days off school. Shanty town has been running for 5 years it has been a long wait for these year 12 student to get there turn to stay in the tents. Unfortunately not all of the students got a turn at staying in the tents but those how did had a lot of fun.

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Editorial

By Taylor Birks-Stock

Electronic gadgets have changed the world by making the world a smaller place. Electronic gadgets have provided an information age. Computers supply the world with knowledge about many things, I-Pods provide music to relax you or get you up and going, cell phones provide the free line of texting and talking, cameras provide remembrance. Our world is a difference place than it was 100 years ago because of electronic gadgets.

There are many electrical gadgets that people from the 21st Century believe they can't live without. From the people interviewed most expressed that they couldn't live without computers, cell phones and radios. These people think that these gadgets bless their lives. According to Rickey Valentine "without electronic gadgets life would be boring."

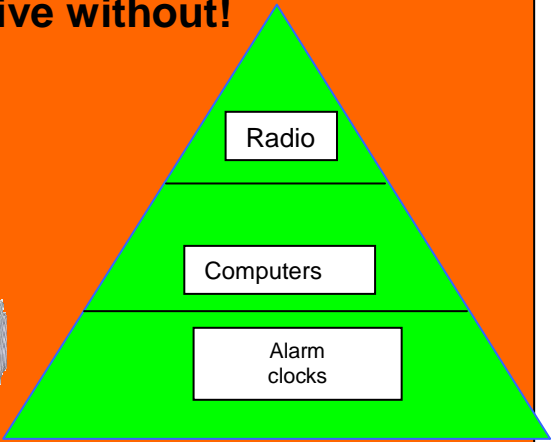
Do you need electronic gadgets to do your job? Some people can and some can't. Electronic gadgets have helped many people for many years, doctors could not do important medical surgery, without electronic gadgets. Police would have more difficulty figuring out if people were drunk or taking drugs. Electronic gadgets used in the work place have helped keep the world safe, they have been a real blessing. However some would argue that because of industry demand some electronic gadget have cursed the world in a bad way, an example of some of this is when we make bad fumes in the air in china. It is dangerous because of the pollution the gadgets have made.

What people could not live without!

I could not do my job without my computer



Principal Bethlehem College Primary, Dave Bell



Electronic gadgets help with many things like education according to Allan Stock "electronic gadgets have given us universal knowledge" This has made a big difference to the world by storing information on the computer for every age and sharing information around the world. Electronic gadgets have helped school and universities by letting people achieve things quicker. Teachers use electronic gadgets to help them make work (homework)

for the children to educate their brains.

A down side to electronic gadgets is possibly some issues about your health Mr Bell said "I heard that if you have wireless in your home it might have danger to your health. I am sure however that as technology improves and more research is done and any fears for health will soon be a thing of the past. Electronic gadgets have changed many lives by keeping

interesting, helping us with our jobs and making the world a smaller place through communication. Electronic gadgets have blessed our lives in many ways.

Electronic gadgets has changed many lives by keeping people living, making our lives interesting, helping us with our jobs and making the world a smaller place through communication. I think Electronic gadgets have blessed our lives in many ways.

TRYING



TRYING HARDER



BUT NOT TO



Practise makes perfect



BC Stars congratulate winning team

Picture/Jordan Bulder

By Jordan Bulder

Saturday the 17, May was the day that all the winter morning sports started. Teams gathered together to play and hopefully win. A hobby, trying to become good at a sport or to be healthy and fit is why most kids play on a Saturday morning. 24, May was when the BC Stars competed against the ST Mary Flyers [the second game of Saturday Netball.] The score was nine one to the ST Mary Flyers. Lucy Griffin was awarded with player of the day for the one goal she shot for the BC Stars. Lucy played in 2007 and has an ability to shoot. She was goal shoot when she shoot the goal but had also played goal attack, wing attack and goal defence. Lucy says "it's about getting in to open space and enjoying your self." Most girls and boys play a sport because it is fun, exercising and great for a Saturday morning. The coach of BC Stars, Megan Weal puts four hours into coaching netball a week. Megan is proud of her netball team because what she teaches them shows off in action. Footwork, defence, shooting, passes, catching the ball correctly and to have fun are the main things she teaches her team. The BC Stars

appreciates Megan's time, considering she only played netball one year in primary. In training the girls learn drills that include: figure of eight, two players chest pass the ball over and over at the same time speed while one person figures an eight around the players passing, catching the ball as recent as possible by leaping out when the ball gets passed to the player you are behind. Cones and domes, One team flips up cones while the other team turns the cones upside down so they look like domes. Touch the line, one person at a time runs from line to line (the lines are about 1 and a half meters long) when a person is throwing the ball into open space the person or player who is running will try get the ball before it touches the ground. Bat the ball, a player will just throw a ball to a wall and the player will see if they can beat their last record. Harbour side offers other Saturday sports to play too, not just netball. Warm up with some hot chips and cool down with a Mr Whippy afterwards. People all over the world play sports to keep fit. Playing a sport is a great chance to become part of a team. So if you want to play a sport don't delay, play today!

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