

Ban Suk Jai Children's Home Newsletter July 2009

Welcoming our new Staff Volunteer

Heather Meades has served in Youth With A Mission for 21 years in the US, Central America, Caribbean, India, North Cyprus and now in Thailand. She has worked in many different capacities, from community development to teaching ESL. Earlier this year she approached us in regards to serving our family and ministry at BSJ; something she felt the Lord was leading her to do. With both David and I now residing in Australia, this is an answer to our prayers. Heather will serve along side our nannies as an onsite administrator and teacher. Her serving will enable us to continue in what God has called us to even though we are afar. God has been so good to take care of every need with our family and BSJ.

Heather and her husband Scotty reside in Chiang Mai with their three children, Olivia , Levi and Will.



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A Gift from the Lord~



In addition to our new volunteer we also have a new nanny. Gift started working with us as one of our full time nannies earlier this month. She has studied as a preschool teacher, which is an added blessing. Gift has a quiet and gentle spirit and has done well to jump right in with the kids and the other nannies.

IT'S A GIRL! July 13, 2009

Daaw is now the mom of a beautiful baby girl, 3.5 kg. Daaw is no longer with us as she has chosen to be at home with her baby. We will miss Daaw!



Samuel's 3rd Birthday

We had a wonderful time celebrating with Samuel. We enjoyed delicious ice cream cake. All the children were as happy as Samuel that is was his birthday. Samuel was overjoyed to open a gift that was 'special' just for him. Thank you for helping to make Samuel's special day a real treat!

Thanks Tiffany!

Tiffany Bailey, a friend from the US, came for the month of July and volunteered each morning in the preschool. Being a teacher, Tiffany offered wonderful insight and advice. She also helped Heather get organized for this new season of preschool. Thanks Tiffany for your weeks of service, it was very appreciated!



A BIG Thank You to you, our partners, for the prayer and finances that have been given to BSJ this month. We are eternally grateful, may the Lord richly bless you.