

# The New River Rapids New River Workday



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## September Events

For more details about these and other events at New River go to [www.newrivercc.com/events](http://www.newrivercc.com/events)

Global Bridegroom Fast	1st-3rd
Prayer Force	4th,11th,18th,25th
Fellowship Dinner .....	21st
LIFEgroup leaders meet .....	21st
Silent Siege .....	20th
City of Refuge .....	28th



# LIFE ON THE RIVER

## Thank You New River!



As I embark on my journey to Alamance County North Carolina, I find myself continually overwhelmed with thanksgiving and humility at the thought of the provision made by the hand of the Lord, all for the glory of His name. I am impressed to offer my thanks to you all for the finance, time, the guitar and most of all prayers you have given and offered up on my behalf. You have played an important role in confirming the will of the Lord for this season that I have found myself on the edge of. I will be pressing in for New River in the place of prayer as the Lord leads, directs and burdens during my time away. Thank you all so much

for everything you have done for me, I have felt truly loved and cared for during the last few years of our interaction and pressing in to intimacy with the Lord with you. May the Lord bless and keep you, continually drawing you into fellowship with His Spirit, producing a hunger to explore the deep things of who He is! He is Worthy, He is Faithful, He is True, He is Love. *-Wesley Huth*

If you would like to stay in contact with Wes during his mission in North Carolina, you can reach by email at: [weshuth333@aol.com](mailto:weshuth333@aol.com)

Or you can stay updated by reading his blog at: <http://wesleyhuth.wordpress.com>

Wes also welcomes all prayer requests as he has plenty of time to pray for you since, well, that's his mission is to pray.

## The Clearplay DVD Player; A Wolf in Sheep's Clothing?

Recently I saw an ad from a Christian book store for a new type of DVD player called Clearplay. It is different than other DVD players in that, for a monthly fee, it will seamlessly edit out all of the nudity, violence and profanity in almost any DVD. In fact, it has 12 different filter levels so you can fine tune the level of filth you take in! My first impression was approving but as I read more about this man-made wonder, Holy Spirit seemed to be saying to me something like, "Is it really okay to watch the movie about sin as long as you don't actually see the sin? Is it not really trying to serve both mammon (the spirit of this

age) and God? Having our cake and eating it too?" When you think about it, it really is the Pharisaical end-run! Legalism is the "ministry of condemnation" according to Holy Spirit through Paul.

Brethren, the Holy Spirit is our filter and we need to be seeking God on what we watch or even if we watch movies. When we entertain ourselves with media inspired by the enemy and his agenda, we are approving and agreeing with the sinful acts that are in the movie whether we actually watch them or not. By coming into agreement with the kingdom of darkness we

enable and strengthen the powers, principalities and strongholds the enemy has established, by earlier agreements, in our homes and communities. When we buy or rent these DVDs it is putting money into the kingdom of darkness and is an action actively opposed to Christ. The Biblical principle that "we become what we behold" (2 COR 3:18) doesn't mean simply averting our eyes from what is evil, but turning our eyes to the only Good there is, that is God! Brethren I encourage you to resist this Hollywood ploy to tempt Christians to sin and get inside their pockets too.

### LIFEGroup Contact Information

- Grant LIFEgroup for *Families* meets on Sunday at 5 pm at 4865 Wassailla Way in Powder Springs. Contact Mark & Davida Grant at 770/942-3786 or granite7@netzero.net.
- Maglott LIFEgroup for *Families* meets on **Sunday** at 5:30 pm at 1730 Hampton Pass, Douglasville off of Cedar Mountain Road on the North side. Contact Jim & Kim Maglott at 770/575-0315 or jmaglott33@yahoo.com.
- Vineyard LIFEgroup for *Families* meets on **Sunday** at 5 pm at 3858 Craggy Perch, Douglasville, near Chapel Hill Road and Anneewakee Road. Contact David & Melissa Vineyard at 770/949-8853 or Sheila Garza at garzaf@bellsouth.net.
- Mitchell LIFEgroup for *Young Women* meets on **Monday** at 8 pm at 3173 Christopher Ct. Douglasville, off Fairburn Road. Contact Sandy Mitchell 770/364-3730 or Hannah Penn at 770/570-3233 or sandy@pasturescott.com.
- Spann LIFEgroup for *Adults* meets on **Monday** at 6 pm. Location off of Chapel Hill Road, South of Chapel Hill Middle School. Contact Don & Sandie Spann at don.spann@newrivercc.com
- Ladies LIFEgroup for *Women* meets on **Tuesday** at 7 pm at various homes in Douglasville. Contact Cindy Millsap at cindymillsap@bellsouth.net or Ev Huth at Ev.Huth@NewRiverCC.com.
- Penn LIFEgroup for *Families* meets on **Wednesday** at 7 pm at 5540 Fouts Mill Road, Douglasville, off of Hwy 166 on the South side of the county. Contact Alan & Kelli Penn at 770/920-1100 or alan.penn@newrivercc.com
- Obermeyer LIFEgroup for *Pre-Teen Girls* meets on **Saturday** at 5 pm in Douglasville, near Chapel Hill Rd & Bomar Rd. Contact Alisa Obermeyer at 678/391-2995 or obermeyer7@yahoo.com.

# Boy Scout Troop #89 Volunteers at New River



**Before**



**Before**



**After**



**After**

James Foreman; Nathan Hendricks and Daniel Lorincz from Boy Scout Troop 89 and their dads helped out New River for about six and a half hours doing clean up and improvements. BSA Troop 89 we would like to say, "Thank you" to NRCC for giving us the opportunity to serve. Well boys, New River would like to also say Thanks and God bless you!

## COMING TO DOUGLAS COUNTY OCTOBER 17-23, 2008

The Douglas7Project is a multi-faceted, unprecedented, cooperative effort between local churches, businesses, organizations, law enforcement, the court system and the Douglas County School System, coming to Douglas County this fall to reach over 7,000 high school and middle school students with a message of hope, character and positive choices! Character-based school assemblies will take place October 17th through October 23rd, 2008, followed up by a community-wide rally where over 1,500 students will gather for live music, giveaways, free food, fun and inspirational guest speakers. This effort requires the participation of dozens of local partners & sponsors, providing representatives for organizing team positions, youth group participation, funding and thousands of volunteers.

Abstinence  
Peer Pressure  
Moral Clarity  
**DREAMS**  
Choices  
Anti-Violence  
Scholastic Achievement

Self-Respect  
Integrity  
Suicide  
SUBSTANCE ABUSE  
**Tobacco**  
COPING

**THE SEVEN PROJECT**

Tim Collins, publisher of Chapel Hill News & Views has said of this event:

"...the impact of an event like this could be huge... this would be awesome. It is something that has been needed for a long time!"

Former Assistant Principle Steven Butler, of Chapel Hill High School had this to say about the school assemblies:

"This program was absolutely phenomenal and was, by far, the best student assembly I have seen in my 15 years as an educator."

Numerous opportunities for additional partnerships remain! Won't you join us in our effort to change the future of the students in Douglas County?

# The Normal Kingdom Life

THIS FALL  
LIFE INSTITUTE SEASON 2

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"Our mission is to advance the kingdom  
of God as devoted followers of Jesus  
Christ by intentionally passing our faith  
on to our children, our community and  
the world,

**MAKING AND MULTIPLYING DISCIPLES TO THE  
GLORY OF GOD!"**

PLEASE  
PLACE  
STAMP  
HERE