

National Boys' Education Conference K-12

Boosting boys' achievements

Anchoring boys' souls

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Jesus said "Report to John what you have seen and heard: The blind receive their sight, the lame walk, those who have leprosy are cured, the deaf hear, the dead are raised and the good news is preached to the poor." Jesus' teaching was real, active, relevant and life transforming in every sense. Crowds flocked to him from everywhere, begging to learn more. He set a high bar for teachers!

In this presentation the Chaplaincy Department of TKS will present how they seek to engage the whole being of their boys by anchoring boys' souls in the life transforming teachings of Jesus: teaching that a boy is accepted and valued even before he achieves anything. Beyond this we simply try anything: we have fun, we experiment, we fail, we give the boys food, we empower boys with responsibility, we share our lives with the boys, we lift their aspirations to eternal things, and most of all we believe in what we teach and we love the boys we teach it to.

BioNote



Rev Stephen Edwards has served as Chaplain of The King's School for eleven years. He lives on campus with his wife Victoria, and together they have founded Church@Kings, a community church for people in and around the King's School, now in its 5th year. Stephen is also Chaplain to the St George Illawarra Rugby League Team and co-owns a farm in Molong.



Ed Yorston is an old boy of The King's School (2001). He studied a Sports Management degree before undertaking a two year Christian Ministry Apprenticeship at a local Church. He has served as Youth Minister for the last three years and is looking to take over the Chaplain's position when Stephen is not looking.