



## Immanuel Mission Team

... I've been to Miguel Alemán 3 times in the last 14 months and each time I'm impressed with the graciousness of the people associated with Eagle College. There is a great need for the Gospel to be presented to the children and through them to their families, neighborhoods, community, state, country, and the world. The vision of Eagle College is to do this one student at a time and they are accomplishing this in the young lives of their students. I was on a work team that broke ground for the new building in 2010 and then had the privilege of witnessing the graduation ceremony that summer. The joy and pride of the students was exhilarating! This year I helped with the plumbing and block work on the building and am thrilled with the progress being made. I cannot wait to return and see

## Mission & Vision

**Mission Statement:** Eagle College aims to encourage the development of each student to their fullest potential in each of the following areas: cognitive, physical, adaptive, social, linguistic and in spiritual ways that can help the student grow and thrive as a whole individual.

**Vision Statement:** Eagle College in Miguel Alemán is an institution that provides a quality education to create a new generation of individuals who consider their life and the life of others to be lived for God, including loving God, loving His family and His city.

further progress and the eventual grand opening of the college! Everyone – keep up the great work!

*Bruce Masopust*

Regarding Immanuel's recent trip to Miguel Alemán, I can tell you that it was a success in all regards. Did we make a significant difference in the progress on the school construction itself? No. Were we enlightened by the passion of the people involved in the church and school to make a difference in the children's lives? Yes. Were we blessed by the generosity and receptiveness of these people? Yes. Did we continue to build on relationships that will last for eternity? Yes. Did we become more aware that this project, and others like it, will have an impact on children's lives that otherwise may not take place? Yes. I would be willing to meet with any group considering sending a team to Miguel Alemán to encourage them to do so.

*Dave Koppenaar*



## Prayer Requests



- Pray that the students will be protected from the random outbreaks of violence that continue to occur.
- Pray for protection for the four local men who are preparing the work on the roof.
- Thanks to God that these four men have been able to provide for their families for one year because of their regular work on the construction site.
- Pray for the guests from Mexico as they prepare to come to the banquet in Holland in May.

## Mission Trips Coming Up

A trip is being planned in June to hopefully start construction on the roof. Please contact Ron/Jane Brouwer for details at 616 399-1429.

## Is Eagle College impacting life in Miguel Aleman?

**Read what these staff members have to say.**

Personally, I feel very fortunate to work in this institution. It is a school unlike any other. Here teachers are interested in students and their families, as well as being a blessing to their lives. The best thing is that children can know God and through them their families will too. From parents' comments I know that they are very happy with what the students are learning here. Their children have shown a change in their lives, in behavior and in the way they act. I want to be part of this and I feel blessed to know that I can be a blessing to each family.

*Miss Zury Robledo (preschool)*



I was with Luis Fernando once and he was talking about the situation in Miguel Alemán, and he told me that he wished bad people could repent of their sins and love God.

*Miss Lucy*



*Please refer to the enclosed envelope on how you can help.*

God is Good! In March of 2010 we broke ground at Eagle College. We hired four unemployed workers from Templo Belen church who worked all year without missing a single week. As of today we are finishing the last rows of cement blocks. Our next phase will be to *RAISE THE ROOF* on the two buildings. How exciting it is to see God's hand at work here at Eagle College. I invite you to come May 19 to get all the facts about the construction of the new school.

*Ron Brouwer*

## Upcoming Event

### Annual Spring Banquet

May 19 is the date for our annual Mexican Fiesta. It will once again be held at Immanuel Church (325 104th Ave) with dinner at 6:30 PM and an exciting informational program to begin at 7:30. We will be hearing from our friends in Miguel Aleman and from a 9-year-old student at Eagle College. Come and hear their testimonies about how God has worked in their lives and in their families through the Christ-based school that is being built. The construction is underway and you can be an important part of making a real difference in a border community that has been recently torn by tragedies.

If you have not received a personal invitation and would like to attend, please contact a board member soon.



Address service requested

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## News from Hope for Kids Mexico

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“Eagle College is preparing the lives of children so they can go into the cities and nations and teach others about God's work. Eagle College changed me and my parents lives in so many ways. A lot of opportunities have opened up for me, and now every time I talk to somebody - I tell them about how in the middle of all this insecurity in Miguel Aleman - Eagle College is helping students and families overcome their problems. Eagle College's purpose in this life is not yet complete. It will make a difference in Miguel Aleman, in America, and the whole world.”

*Lucero Solis,  
Pastor Ramon's daughter*

*(Lucero is an 8th grader at  
Holland Christian Middle school this year).*

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