

Catford receive lesson in finishing

On a windy Beckenham morning, Catford All Stars were edged out in a tight game against the home side Crystal Palace Community Church, which ended 4-3 to the hosts.

The first goal came before most of the crowd had finished nattering, as a Crystal Palace throw in into our penalty area took a nasty deflection and left goalkeeper Edward with no chance as the ball flew in. We'd barely caught our breath by the time a hopeful Crystal Palace effort from near the halfway line ended up floating over a helpless Edward and into the net. We still haven't decided if it was a fluke or a moment of genius....

Whatever it was, it left Catford 2-0 down inside 5 minutes, but we rallied well, and some persistent work by Evan in their penalty area ended in the striker poking it home. After a fairly quiet period, a great run by Palace's star striker, who displayed great pace to get past our defence and rifle the ball home, an excellently taken goal.

Catford got back into the game just before half-time, when talismanic midfielder Charlie powered a shot from the edge of the area that clipped the post before creeping in. The mood at half-time was mainly positive, with the feeling we were definitely in the game

The second half had a slower pace than the first half, and about 10 minutes before the end Palace looked to have wrapped the points up when a good run finished with a shot from a tight angle across Edward's body, the second great finish of the match by the home side.

However that wasn't the end of the drama, and we still had some great chances to level the game, unfortunately only one of those chances was taken, a break away that ended with Eva, who had previously taken a painful fall, poking the ball home to set up a tense final few minutes. However it wasn't to be, and Catford were left rueing missed chances, whilst Palace took all the chances given to them.

However there were plenty of positives to take out of this game, notably the performances of new player Evan and the defending of Ethan. If you know anyone who'd like to be involved in our U11 football, please speak to Greg.

Next Match: 19th February, home vs. Dulwich Fire.

Counselling Course

A 10-week counselling course is starting at some point in the spring, at Spurgeons College. All sessions are held on Wednesday evening, and is designed not just for specialists, but for anyone who wants to improve relationship skills. The course will cost £100, and will cover:

- The difference between pastoral care and counselling
- The basic outline of Christian and secular counselling
- Sessions on addiction, relationship issues, bereavement and loss
- Mental health issues and relevance of Christianity.

More information coming soon.

The Catford Planet

Catford Community Church Sunday Bulletin

6/2/2011

Welcome to Catford Community Church

We hope you have a fantastic time with us this morning!

All Stars FC



This was our team at a nondescript Beckenham park yesterday, where high winds and an expert display of finishing by Crystal Palace condemned Catford to a 4-3 defeat. More on the back page.....

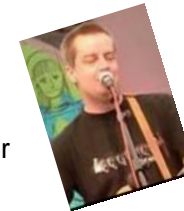
What to expect this morning...

Welcome to Catford Community Church!

This morning is an All Age service, with Mike leading the service, and our sung worship

This morning Ian is speaking in part 1 of a new series on "Kingdom in the Community: Families."

Do stay around for a coffee and a chat after the service.



- Welcome
- Worship songs
- Talk with Ian
- Worship songs
- Battle of the Ages!
- Refreshments

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NEXT WEEK: same time, same place, different Planet!

Sunday: 10.30am, Holbeach School.

CCC is a Fair Trade Church



Welcome to Catford Community Church

A special welcome to you if you are a guest.

We are a modern family church that draws together a wide range of ages, backgrounds, and cultures - all of whom have a desire to find out more about living the Christian life to the full. Catford Community Church aims to be a place where people can grow and develop to reach their full potential with God's help.

Refreshments are available free after this morning's service; we'd love you to stay and chat.

Leadership Team, CCC.

Regularly at CCC...

Sunday mornings

We hold our main Sunday morning meeting at Holbeach School finishing by 12.15pm. There are groups for children, youth and a crèche for babies.

Small groups

Many people at CCC are also part of one of our small groups, meeting at various times in the week. Every group is different - if you'd like to join one, ask one of the leaders.

Youth

Our youth activities take place on Friday nights at The Point. Fiona Darbyshire is the contact for this group.

All Stars

Our monthly club for all children in school years 1 - 6. Packed with fun, games, stories, prizes, music, crafts, drama... if you've not been, get along soon. Ask Ian Butcher for info, or call the CCC office.

Coming up at CCC...

CCC is not about meetings, but we love to get together to meet God and help each other in our lives, work and families. Here's some of what's coming up in the next few weeks:

- **Preach by Pastor Sunday-Tonight @ The Malham Centre**
- **Worship group-17th February TBC**
- **All Stars-19th February @ Holbeach School**

Write for The Planet!

Why not write a short book, CD review or thought for the day for the Planet?

Email: planet@catfordonline.org.uk

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Sound

Sound is a monthly youth gathering which focuses on worship, teaching and fellowship. Its aim is to equip young people to go out and change themselves and their community for Jesus.

It is held at the Malham Road Christian Centre from 6.30 to 9.00, generally on Saturdays. It normally attracts mainly church youth whilst also seeing un-churched youth attend. With a mix of games, worship, teaching and the odd bit of banter - it is a safe place for teenagers to connect with each-other and God.

The recent introduction of the Sound:Byte café; an hour at the beginning of the sound meeting, with a tuck shop/cafe, pool table, table football and other activities - has led the youth from the different churches to interact more with each-other, form and develop relationships with youth from outside their own churches.

Sound is a place where young people can come, worship, feel God's power and spirit receive prayer, have a laugh and meet up with people their own age. If you are interested in helping out with Sound - whether it be volunteering, praying, speaking, leading worship or anything else, please speak to Phillippa. For more information - please visit the Sound facebook page which is <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Sound/52161678434>.

Note: Sound on Saturday 12th February had been postponed until March, due to the venue being double booked.

Battle of the Ages



This morning is our monthly family service, and with that comes the fantastic Battle of the Ages! After last month's triumph for the 1950s, can anybody top Steff and Ruth's jiving? We enter the era of free love today, as the generations fight it out, with some dressing up in clothes from the 60s and others performing Beatles' songs! Be prepared for some fierce competition.....

New Wine



Don't forget to book for New Wine, a week of camping for all the family and a great time to hear from God. There are a whole group of us from CCC going from the 23rd-30th of July, speak to Ian for more details.