

Integr8 trip to Guatemala 2010



Guatemala six weeks before we left



Guatemala City after
Tropical storm Agatha

After volcano Pacaya erupted



The team



Lyndsey

Marie

Phillipa

Hannah

Kristina

Friday 30th July



Antigua city



The market



Breakfast pancakes at Condesas



Jill and Pedro

Sunday 1st August



Workshop for 40 people at
Hebron church

Lunch at Chilli's



Monday 2nd August



Travelled to New Life school, located in the village of Santa Maria de Jesus, that sits high on the side of Volcano de Agua.

Judy is the schools director. She is a trained nurse and set up the school in a deprived Mayan area to give children with special needs an education.



Spoke to 12 teachers and gave information about how to manage behaviours and physical problems of specific children at the school

Tuesday 3rd August



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Workshop at
a school
Vida y
Esperanza
(Life and
Hope) to 18
teachers



Wednesday 4th August

Workshop to 35 teachers at
'Open Windows' school (Teresa
is the Director of this school).



Wednesday 4th August



The main road into Antigua city flooded very quickly. The massive amount of rainfall is still causing damage and deaths.



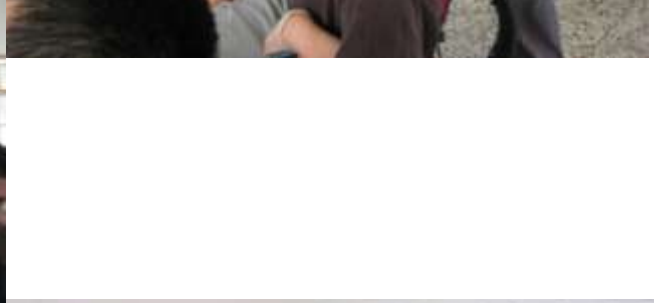
Thursday 5th August

Visit to Hermano Pedro. Inclusive games to a group of approx 20 young men with physical and learning disabilities and assistance with feeding at lunchtime.



We had a brilliant time with these boys, although their room was clean and they were well fed, there was no stimulation. Many of these boys spoke English. They are so intelligent they picked it up from the tourists that come for 'poorism'

We saw lots of people tied together or to fences. It is the only way the staff could see to manage the people with behavioural difficulties.



Thursday 5th August

Visit to Love the Child, San Lucas and provided activities for 30 children. Love the child was started by Steve and his wife as they took in orphaned children. They now have 55 children in their home.





Friday 6th August

Travel to America Latina School for 3 x 2hour workshops, to a total of 86 students, many of whom that would become teachers next year.



The school is based in Chimaltinango, during the recent floods in September, many people were killed by mud slides because of the heavy rain fall which we also witnessed.

Saturday 7th August

Visit to a Squatter's Village, City of Refuge, where we gave a workshop to 45 children and adults.



The leader and his wife



Sunday 8th August



Did a workshop for 50 people who were part of a church who had a large deaf community.

Two of the translators took us to Pizza Hut as a thank you

