



# WWC Alumni Newsletter 2005-2006



Greetings, '05-'06ers!

I can honestly say that I truly miss you all. At times WWC seems like a very distant memory, and how I wish that with each passing month it didn't get further and further away. I wish we could start again, and end our college journey on an experience with as much caliber as the first one. I realize, however, that WWC was a once in a lifetime opportunity, and that we won't ever get a second chance.

The past 2 1/2 years at PBU have been difficult academically, spiritually, and emotionally for me. I am in the Social Work program and have had the opportunity to be involved in two internships, one of which I just ended. I have become quite passionate about social work and am looking forward to graduating in the spring, so that I can take the next step. For now, my plans include graduate school, although I am still praying to know whether or not this is what the Lord wants. I don't yet know where I'll go, but I'm in the application process for several different schools. After graduate school I hope to go into clinical social work practice somewhere in the US, or perhaps to use social work in the mission field overseas.

Aside from school, plans, and all of that, other things are happening as well. I am currently single and do not have any relationships on the horizon, which is nice. I finished up my 3rd soccer season at PBU this year, and

was a captain. I am currently a hall coordinator, which means that I coordinate the efforts of the RAs at PBU's Penndel housing this year. I spent 2 months in Kosovo this past summer and learned a lot about what it means to be a missionary. I will carry that experience around with me always.

Well, like I said, I miss you all a lot. I hope you're all doing well and I can't wait to read your entries in the newsletter. May God bless you all in whatever you're up to :)

Amanda

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Hey I just wanted to send a note of encouragement three years out.

As our year is about to embrace in the "real world" of 9-5 jobs, ridiculously low incomes, and the fear of not having a meal plan; we are all doing great things for the school. (and i say that humbly but in a realistic sense.)

Now I say these as facts and not a "look at us statement":

In the past 2 years we have had 7 WWC RA's and in-reaches. Brad, Caleb, Sarah Snodderly, Linsey, Danette, Amanda (who is now a seasoned hall coordinator) and Kyle. Dan Metzger, Jesse Neusteder and I were all on senate last year, and I am giving it one more go this year as we close out. Brad is the Vice president of the SIFE, the business program here at school and Alex is an active member on it.

Danette is the president of ASCEND (PBU's first ever outdoor program). We started a weekly meeting time for WWC'ers at PBU (and it is open to the whole school now) where we meet and just worship and share what God is doing in our lives.

Mike Candy is running his youth group at his church and is going to be working there once school is out, and many "non official things" are being done by the remaining 9 of us.

And on top of this, we get the awesome privilege of meeting every Wednesday, just the nine of us, and going out for breakfast. What a blessing it is that our friendship and bond in the Lord runs that deep.

Caleb Dufresne

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