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# THE HUB NEWS



Highlights of everything that's been going on in The Hub over the month of August



## Vision with Tuks

*By Tukiya Mutupa*

The vision session was all about reminding the Hub that God spoke to people throughout generations and gave His children a vision. God still speaks now, He loves us and wants to reveal to us a vision of how He intends to use us on this earth for His Glory.

We wanted to take that time to remind everyone about the vision of the Hub and how we want to reach London and the World for Christ.

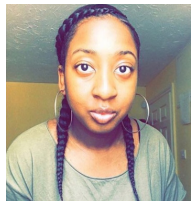
The vision at the Hub is to:

1. Experience God
2. Reach Friends
3. Renew Culture

The amazing Savannah and I hosted a session all about VISION! Reminding us through a few classic fun games as well as small groups where we were able to really discuss how God speaks to each of us personally and how to hear God more!

## OVERVIEW:

- Vision with Tuks
- Created to create
- Street Evangelism with Simon Foster
- Carnival weekend



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# Created to Create

By Thara Popoola

The session started with an enlightening introduction by Kwabena who spoke on Exodus 31. In this day and age, where the word 'creative' is arguably used quite broadly, it is surprising how many people still doubt the fact that they are indeed creative. Kwabena reminded us that as God's creation, each and every one of us is creative in some manner, our creativity may just manifest itself in different ways.

We were then introduced to the talented panel who spoke on what it means to be a Christian creative. A real highlight was when the panel spoke on comparison. Gabriel commented on how everyone has a particular journey, therefore comparison in many ways is quite futile. John also raised an important

point on how comparison can ultimately lead to inauthenticity.

Simi who comes from a medical background emphasised the importance of seeking inspiration from her peers and also using what we have i.e. google, as a source of knowledge.

In response to the question on compromising your faith, Jill Marie expressed how this is something she has struggled with in the past. However, she has found that "when you are obedient to God and say no, He will always honour that no with a yes".

All in all, Created to Create was a really powerful session, full of lots of insight into the experiences of Christian creatives.



## Street Evangelism

With Simon Foster

Ahead of carnival weekend pastor Simon Foster lead a powerful session on street evangelism which emphasised the importance of genuine connection.

**"We need to be in the moment, if we are to catch the movement of the Holy Spirit"**



## Carnival Weekend

By Mayowa Olutade



I served on the security team, I really enjoyed serving and I got to see all the acts from my position which was awesome. There was an amazing gospel choir and grime artists and let's not forget the epic strong man competition organised by Tough Talk. Their powerful testimonies of how God brought some of them out of a history of steroid/harsh drug abuse, really hit home and reminded me of the abundant grace of God. I also learned that Kayleigh and Pastor Gabriel may secretly be superheroes by night, as they displayed their incredible weight-lifting skills ! Carnival was also the perfect opportunity to meet new people from KT, I felt like I was meeting my extended family. There was so much joy in the atmosphere, people flocked to the KT carpark to be met with smiley dancing faces, they were further lured in by our singing jerk chicken chefs. I also had the privilege of

joining the evangelism team for a couple of hours. We went on the streets and started talking to different people. It was a very humbling, insightful experience. I discovered that many people have not heard of Christ. This really woke up my naive thinking. How will people know about Christ if we don't tell them. Carnival is very close to my heart, having been an ex-reveller myself, I have experienced reliance on 'the world' for my joy vs reliance on the power of God's love and grace. Longevity is the difference, and serving this year really helped me remember this.