



Closing Down

Over the last few weeks we have seen many of the programs here wind up and close for the year: Kindergarten, Sunday School, Pastoral Care Groups, Kids Prayer Warriors, PWMU, Prayer Triplets. We enjoyed the Sunday School Picnic, and the Kids Prayer Warriors closing service (which involved a “world tour” to learn about and pray for people all over the world). Classes have now finished and exams are over. Even the end of year feast has been eaten. The graduation service will be held on the 25th November and after this the students will return home. We will be staying for the *Youth Partners* work party and returning home on the 10th December for a month or so.



Rachael dancing with some other 'mama's after the PWMU closing service.

Please Pray:

- with thanks for a year which has been at times frustrating, challenging and rewarding;
- for safe journeys for the students as they return to their home islands;
- for the work of the *Youth Partners* work party.

The “book room”



One responsibility that has brought Glen great pleasure this year has been the running of the “book room”. This room provides Christian books at low cost for students, staff and their families (and even some local residents) to purchase. It has been a real joy to provide theologically sound literature which otherwise would be very difficult for people to acquire here. Glen is particularly grateful to those who have donated books for the book room. Thank-you! If any of you have books you would like to donate, please contact us.

Please Pray:

- praising God for those people who provide cheap theological books for places like Talua;
- that these books will be a real help to the students in their work.

Next Year

This year has been a good year, but we really feel that in many ways it has only been a beginning. So after careful thought and prayer, and consultation with the Principal, Talua committee and *mission partners*, our appointment has been extended for another year. We have been amazed by God’s grace to us throughout this year through the faithful prayers and generous hearts of his servants, you, our partners in this work. And so again, we would like to seek your support for the coming year, 2006. We will include more information about this with our next *toktok!* Over the next few weeks, we will begin some of the preparations for next year such as subject allocation, writing bible studies for orientation week and updating the college handbook.

Please Pray:

- praising God for his faithfulness to us;
- thanking Him for the opportunity to return for 2006;
- that sufficient support will be forthcoming for next year.