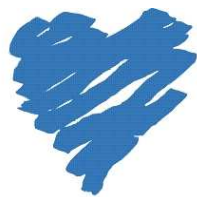


GOOD TO GREAT

**FATHERHOOD MENTORING COURSE
FOR THE 21ST CENTURY
WED: 5TH SEPT - 28TH NOV 2007**

PROSPECTUS & COURSE OUTLINE



**Fatherhood
Foundation**

INSPIRING FATHERS – RENEWING FAMILIES

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THE FACTS ON FATHERLESSNESS

Fatherlessness is a growing problem in Australia and the Western world. Whether caused by divorce and broken families, or by deliberate single parenting, more and more children grow up without fathers. Indeed, 85 per cent of single parent families are fatherless families. Fatherlessness can also occur in a home where there is a father present but is uninvolved and uncommitted. Father absence has been shown to be a major disadvantage to the well being of children. The following is a summary of the evidence for the importance of fathers and the need for two-parent families. (For complete fact sheet see appendix #1).

- **Fatherlessness brings poverty**
- **Fatherlessness lowers educational performance for children**
- **Fatherlessness increases crime**
- **Fatherlessness increases drug abuse**
- **Fatherlessness increases mental health problems**
- **Fatherlessness and family breakdown cost Australia 13 billion dollars p.a.**
- **Fatherlessness increases child abuse**
- **Fatherlessness and family breakdown are the major problems of our society**

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FATHERHOOD FOUNDATION

The Fatherhood Foundation is a tax deductible harm prevention charity with a goal to inspire men to a greater level of excellence as fathers, by encouraging and educating them, thereby renewing and empowering families.

PURPOSE . . .

The purpose of the Fatherhood Foundation is to encourage fathers, empower families and help children.

OUTCOMES . . .

The outcome of the Fatherhood Foundation is that Australian fathers will become fathers of excellence.

VALUES . . .

To achieve all of the above in a true spirit of integrity and humility whilst remaining open and accountable at all times.

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WHAT IS GOOD TO GREAT?

Good to Great is the revolutionary approach to combating a crisis in Australian fatherhood which is affecting our children. The Fatherhood Foundation, based at Wollongong Australia, is pioneering this innovative advance in fatherhood training. Ultimately this school of fathering excellence will be made available at a national level.

Almost one million Australian children are growing up in a home without their biological father. Time and research has shown that this is not the optimum environment for children to grow up in. Many children and indeed adults, carry a father-wound inflicted by careless or uninvolved fathers. Many of the men who are now fathers still feel the old wounds inflicted by their own father. The challenge is to break this generational cycle and create a better place for our children. Mothers will also reap the benefits of more involved and committed fathers. We are talking about education, support, recognition and a mutual sense of achievement for groups of men who together strive for excellence in the most important task of their lives. Men partnering together for a fathering breakthrough.

Good to Great is all about inspiring and equipping fathers to go to the next level as a dad. Every young child believes that his or her father is the best dad in the world. Good to Great is about preparing fathers to prove their children right, one family at a time.

COURSE CONTENT

Knowledge empowers people to rise above their circumstances. The Good to Great fatherhood mentoring course will provide foundational information and skills to assist men in understanding and prioritising their relationships. This course will deal with the real issues of effective fathering. Core topics addressed will include:

- **keys for success**
- **goal setting**
- **love & marriage**
- **building relationships**
- **values**
- **listening /communicating**
- **conflict resolution**
- **unconditional love**
- **fun & laughter**
- **secret of forgiveness**
- **learning lessons**
- **moving forward**
- **humour & health**
- **exercise & food**
- **key to friendship**
- **spiritual foundations**
- **honour and respect**
- **equality**
- **servant leadership**
- **lifelong mentoring**
- **power of praise**
- **rites of passage**
- **sexual integrity**
- **managing testosterone**
- **mystery of sex**
- **mystery of fatherhood**
- **time management**

COURSE STRUCTURE

Structure of the course is as follows: Training will be conducted in small groups with a heavy emphasis on interactive and experiential learning. Fatherhood mentors will provide hands-on practical advice for the challenge of moving to a greater level of fathering excellence. This course will run for ten weeks. An extra week is included at the conclusion of the course for the Graduation and Family Celebration Night..

The course will commence at 7.00 pm and conclude at approximately 9.30 pm. The first hour will be allocated to a speaker followed by a question time.

A 15 minute break for tea and coffee will follow.

The final period is allocated to group work, written questions, discussion, field exercises and reporting sessions.

The training regime will be tough and a high level of commitment will be expected and required. Entry requirements will likewise be high to help ensure successful completion of the course. Encouraging a sense of camaraderie and mateship between fathers will aid in dissemination of the benefits of this course to those fathers who are unable to undertake the training themselves. Personal recommendation is still the best advertisement.

The course will be designed around practical components or 'field exercises'. Activities designed to bring to bear a positive fathering skill such as romancing your wife, strengthening effective communications with your children, showing appreciation of the gift and the responsibility that is fatherhood. Skills and knowledge learned or applied during exercises, together with strong peer and mentoring support will make this a challenging and rewarding learning experience.

The Good to Great training program will be modelled on the training plan of Australia's elite Special Forces, the SAS. The SAS is recognised as one of the very best elite military forces in the world. Those who survive the training regime are the best of the best, proficient, disciplined and committed leaders. Like wise successful recruits for Good to Great must be confident, capable men, passionate for excellence as fathers and able to lead other men in the offensive against the threats posed to our children by fatherlessness, dysfunction and complacency.

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COURSE DETAILS

COURSE INFORMATION NIGHT

Brigadier Jim Wallace, former commander in chief of the SAS, Warwick Marsh or one of the other course speakers will launch the Good to Great fathering course in your area at an information session with past graduates sharing their story. Jim Wallace will also be one of the speakers at Good to Great. The course will be conducted by the Fatherhood Foundation in partnership with local government, churches and community groups, service clubs and local businesses. Selected organisation will be invited to partner together in sponsorship of this initiative for the benefit of families and the local community. The cost of the course is far greater than fees charged so all help is greatly appreciated.

COURSE FACILITATOR

Warwick Marsh, founder of the Fatherhood Foundation and an accredited workplace trainer, will oversee the course program along with other approved course and facilitators and mentors. Warwick's goal is to equip course trainers. The Good to Great speakers are recorded on Video DVD for ease of portability. Warwick has been married to his wife Alison for 30 years. They have five children between 14 and 26 years of age. Warwick has a solid track record of credentials in human relations, training and communication. During 17 years working for causes in the non-profit sector he has received much recognition including the award by the Governor General of the Centenary Medal for community service. As well as being a prolific international speaker on marriage and fatherhood, Warwick is Chief Editor of 'Fathersonline' a weekly inspirational email for busy fathers. The profound success of the inaugural National Strategic Conference on Fatherhood was founded largely in the dreams and efforts of Warwick and Alison Marsh and others who share a vision for the excellence of Australian fathering. A time for the men and women who assume the task of refining our society to address the needs of our fathers, families and children. Good to Great will feature input from many of Australia's foremost authorities and speakers on fatherhood including international input.

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COURSE REQUIREMENTS

The next 'Good to Great' Fatherhood Mentoring Course will run from the first week of September, Wednesday 5th September to the last week of November, Wednesday 28th November 2007 with a break opportunity for the school holiday to be with your family. Places in the Good to Great Fatherhood Mentoring Course are strictly limited. The sacrifice of undertaking Good to Great will be considerable and the benefits immediate. The long term gain to the families and children of participants will be immeasurable and will last for lifetimes to come.

It is expected that all course participants will commit to full attendance over the ten week period. The Celebration Graduation Ceremony is also of critical importance for you and your family. Full attendance, including participation in the Family Fun Night for dads and their children (Saturday 22nd September) and the Dad & Kids Camp Out Fri Night & Saturday (26th & 27th October) at Wollondilly River, will contribute to a high level distinction pass. Course commitment by attendees is a critical component for successful completion of the course. Your attendance will be recorded. Ages of children and family schedules will have to be taken into account with the additional fun activities. Individual family needs can be catered for, but this must be confirmed by prior arrangement with course trainer to avoid course disqualification for Good to Great attendees. Course attendance and completion of weekly field exercises is a vital part of each attendee's success and graduation.

Basic Requirements for those who commit to the Good to Great Course

- 1) Commitment to Good to Great Core Values.
- 2) Commitment to Course Requirements.
- 3) Commitment to full time course attendance.
- 4) You must take your wife away for a romantic night.
- 5) you must turn the TV off and eat dinner together as a family every night where possible.
- 6) You must have one night / meal per week as a family dinner

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Course Dates 2007

SYDNEY 7 pm - 9.30 pm - Wednesdays

Gracepoint Christian Church, 8-10 Soudan St, Randwick Ph:

5th September 2007

12th September 2007

19th September 2007

22nd September - Saturday 6pm Family Fun Night

26th September 2007

no session - school holidays - 3rd October 2007

no session - school holidays - 10th October 2007

17th October 2007

24th October 2007

26th & 27th October - Dad & Kids Camp Out

31st October 2007

7th November 2007

14th November 2007

21st November 2007

28th November 2007 - Graduation

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

1) Family Fun Night for Dad and the Kids

Saturday 22nd September 2007

8-10 Soudan St, Randwick

6 pm BYO Pot Luck Dinner

7.15 pm Fun Night Concert

All family members welcome

2) Dad & Kids Camp Out

Friday night and Saturday day - 26th & 27th October 2007

Wollondilly River

Information attached

Pay your own fees / BYO food

3) Graduation Celebration Night

Wednesday 28th November 2007

Lighthouse Life Centre, 1 Railway Square, Wollongong

All family members welcome

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Learning Style

Adult males prefer learning situations which are:
Practical and problem centred
Promote their positive self esteem
Integrate new ideas with existing knowledge
Show respect for the individual learner
Capitalise on their experience
Allow choice and self direction

Schedule and Session Times

Good to Great is a 2^{1/2} hour course held over 10 weeks (usually on a week night). It is designed for twelve participants with three fatherhood mentors who mentor 4 fathers each over the ten week period.

Each weekly training session will start at 7.00 pm and finish at 9.30 pm.

On completion of the course an informal graduation celebration night with stories from wives, family members and fathers will be held for all graduates to attend. Formal awards will be presented to mark the achievement of the completion of the Good to Great Fathering Excellence Course. Successful completion will entail attendance at all ten sessions and successful completion and reporting of all field exercises within the programme.

Session Times

Part One will be from 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm and will consist of a guest lecturer in situ or on widescreen video. Some examples of guest lecturers would be previous Australian Father of the Year Awardees, famous politicians, doctors, ministers, authors, businessmen, academics and ordinary Aussie dads.

The lecture phase will go from 35 mins to 40 mins of speakers sharing their own life experiences, the good the bad, the triumphs and the difficulties, strategies for success with excellence in fathering development as the end goal. The final 15-20 minutes will be allocated for questions in regards to the speakers points. A break of 15 min will follow.

Part Two will consist of a Key Assignment / Exercise Challenge – Why & Wherefore, followed by group discussion and reflection with an individual report by each group member. The emphasis will be on experiential learning with successful completion of key field exercise components. This will confirm competency.

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Curriculum Plan and Key Competencies

- Week 1 Speaker: Warwick Marsh (5 children). Founder of Fatherhood Foundation
Course Introduction: Importance of planning for success, goal setting, time
management and creating forward motion.
- Week 2 Speaker: Dr Bruce Robinson, (4 children). Professor of Medicine, Western
Australia and author of 'Fathering from the Fast Lane'.
'Friendship & Fun with Your Family' - being there, unconditional and making
your children feel special
- Week 3 Speaker: Rhett Morris (3 children). Former management and marketing
professional. Currently CEO of 180TC, helping young people break the cycle of
drug and other compulsive and addictive behaviours.
'Listening & Communication' - the art of servant leadership and the importance of
having a sense of humour.
- Week 4 Speaker: Dr John (5 children)
Living longer, eating right, laughter, health, rest and self development as a man
and father.
- Week 5 Speaker: Dr Gordon Moyes (4 children), 1986 Australian Father of the Year,
Entrepreneur of the Year, previous CEO Wesley Mission, currently a member of
NSW State parliament.
'Honour & Respect' - the power of appreciation, thanks and praise.
- Week 6 Speaker: Brian D. Molitor (4 children). Management consultant USA and founder
of Malachi Global - 'Boy's Passage Man's Journey' - lifelong mentoring,
intentional blessing and rites of passage for sons and daughters.
- Week 7 Speaker: Paul Bartlett (3 children) CEO of Lighthouse Life Centre, Senior pastor
with background in project management in the building industry.
'Love Your Wife - the greatest thing you can do for your children'.

- Week 8 Speaker: Brigadier Jim Wallace (2 children). Former Commander in Chief of Australia's SAS, currently head of the Australian Christian Lobby based in Canberra.
'Leadership Secrets - becoming the change you seek' the importance of values and the need for integrity',.
- Week 9 Speaker: Dr Allan Meyer (4 children). CEO of Careforce, Melbourne. Former school teacher, minister, author and public speaker.
'Managing Testosterone - the science of sex hormones', sexual integrity and the mystery of the sexual union.
- Week 10 Speaker: Warwick Marsh (5 children)- Founder of Fatherhood Foundation
Video Recap - The Mystery of Fatherhood - the role of the father in the family, nurturer, protector, provider, the importance of spiritual foundations. How to succeed in the greatest challenge of life.
- Week 11: Graduation Celebration
7 pm Thursday 23rd November 2006 - light supper provided
Fathers, wives, children and family welcome.

Please Note: This programme is subject to change in the event of unforeseen circumstances.

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Competency Plans Developed and Completed

Individual / Family / Fatherhood

Goal Setting Plan	completed
Fun with Dad times	completed
Children Friendship Strategy	completed
Listening and Communication Field Exercise	completed
Servant Leadership Exercise	completed
Letter of Thanks and Appreciation	completed
Health and Self Development Plan	completed
Romantic Weekend with Wife *	completed
Forgiveness Exercise	completed
Sexual Integrity Exercise	completed
Values and integrity Exercise	completed
Rites of Passage Discussion	completed
Fun Weekend with Children	completed
Discussion on spiritual Dynamics	completed
Discussion on Mystery of Fatherhood	completed

*** Note: Not applicable to Single Dads**

FATHERHOOD FOUNDATION

A BRIEF HISTORY

The Fatherhood Foundation has been over a decade in the making. It was officially incorporated on 1st May 2002 as a charitable non profit incorporated association with Warwick Marsh, Alison Marsh, Phil Latz, Geoff Moses and Michael Baker as the founding board members. The head office for the foundation is in Wollongong, NSW. The goal of the Fatherhood Foundation is to inspire men to a greater level of excellence as fathers for the benefit of their children. Even a 10% improvement in fathering could save Australia 1.3 billion dollars per year, according to Dr Bruce Robinson, author of 'Fathering from the Fast Lane'. Dr Bruce Robinson estimated the cost of the fatherlessness in Australia to be over 13 billion dollars per year.

Since it's inception, the Fatherhood Foundation has enjoyed solid broadbased support in the Australian community. Such an encouraging reaction has come largely in response to the many successful initiatives launched or sponsored by the Foundation. These include:

- Collecting and strategically disseminating **groundbreaking research** on the causes and effects of fatherlessness. (1,2,8,9,)
- Family positive **television campaigns** with broad coverage. (3,)
- Production of '**Fathersonline**' a free weekly email to encourage and equip busy dads. (4,)
- National **speaking tours** on family and fatherhood. (5,9,10,)
- Direct involvement with Parliamentarians and policy makers to encourage **awareness and positive action** on issues which confront Australian fathers. (2,5,6,7,8,9,10,)

1. GROUNDBREAKING FATHERHOOD RESEARCH

The Fatherhood Foundation initiated the publishing of the Fatherlessness Fact Sheet through Bill Muehlenberg of the Australian Family Association. The Fatherlessness Fact Sheet has become a media and parliamentary resource sheet used by politicians of all political parties. It has now been updated and revised four times and has become Australia's most broadly circulated fact sheet on fathering.

2. HISTORIC UNANIMOUS VOTE IN SA PARLIAMENT FOR FATHERHOOD INQUIRY

The Fatherhood Foundation research document on Fatherlessness and The '12pt Plan' were used by Andrew Evans, leader of the Family first Party in the South Australian Upper House, when Mr Evans moved his historic motion for an Inquiry in the Status of Fathers. This motion was subsequently passed by all Members of the Upper House: Labor, Liberal, Democrats and independents including Family First. This was the first inquiry of its kind held anywhere in Australia and became another milestone in the restoration of fatherhood. It is significant to note that the vote for this inquiry was unanimous across party lines. The Fatherhood Foundation believes this is a reflection of the bipartisan support that the Fatherhood Foundation has achieved at a Federal level for the restoration of fatherhood in Australia. Acknowledgement is also given to Andrew Evans MLC and the Family First Party along with many other fathering organisations and charities all over Australia.

3. TELEVISION AND MEDIA CAMPAIGNS

In August 2002 the Fatherhood Foundation launched the 'My Dad' media campaign. Three community service announcements featuring children talking about their dads were broadcast on over 26 commercial TV stations across Australia including Channel 7, Channel 9, Channel 10 and regional networks. In August 2003 the Fatherhood Foundation launched the 'Thank God for Fathers' campaign with people on the street talking about their fathers. The same approach was used for a three advert series called 'Love Your Mum' for Mothers Day 2003. The Fatherhood Foundation's main role is to educate and inspire fathers, but we are equally supportive of the important role mothers play in families. The Fatherhood Foundation has also sponsored family mentoring TV programs for Optus cable and our production arm is finalising an educational / family pilot show for Australia commercial TV. Several other media projects are at pre-production stage. Over the last eighteen months the Fatherhood Foundation has secured almost 3 million dollars worth of TV advertising through community service advertisements promoting fatherhood and families in Australia.

In March 2004 the Fatherhood Foundation initiated an outdoor billboard advertising campaign called: 'Fatherhood Leaves an Impression for Life'. The approximate worth of this media campaign is \$150,000. The Fatherhood Foundation would like to acknowledge the kind support of Trevor Suitor and the Men of Integrity Australia.

4.'FATHERSONLINE' EMAIL -1000% SUBSCRIPTION INCREASE IN FIRST YEAR

On Fathers' Day, 1st September 2002, the Fatherhood Foundation launched its free weekly email / fatherhood encouragement e/zine called 'fathersonline.org'. This weekly email features encouragement and success strategies for busy dads. Several fathers contribute to the many stories for dads including single dads, granddads, dads with young children, all mixed together with feature stories and a good dose of laughter. Reception for fathersonline.org has been excellent and the subscriber list has grown by over 1000% since its inception. Even fathers in other countries are hearing about it and subscribing.

5. NATIONAL SPEAKING TOURS

The founder of the Fatherhood Foundation, Warwick Marsh, has spoken at Fatherhood Success Seminars in Tasmania, Victoria, New South Wales and Queensland. Warwick has also spoken in Parliament House Canberra, community centres, councils, schools, teachers' staff meetings, dads' groups, men's groups and church groups. Other courses and seminars are in the planning stages.

6. FATHERHOOD FOUNDATION HELPS FATHERS IN PARLIAMENT

The Fatherhood Foundation organised a copy of Dr Bruce Robinson's book, 'Fathering from the Fast Lane', to be given to every member of the Senate and House of Representatives for Christmas 2002. On Wednesday, 19th March 2003 the Fatherhood Foundation sponsored a Fatherhood Workshop Dinner in Parliament House, Canberra with kind assistance from Hon Kerry Bartlett. The workshop featured the Deputy Prime Minister John Anderson & the previous leader of the opposition Hon Kim Beazley.

7.FIRST FATHERHOOD FORUM IN PARLIAMENT HOUSE

The Fatherhood Foundation convened the first ever Fathering Forum in Parliament House, Canberra on 10th February, 2003 with over 35 people in attendance. The Fathering Forum was sponsored in parliament by Senator Paul Calvert, President of the Senate. Twenty-five delegates spoke at the forum. The delegates represented a wide range of men's groups, family law reform groups, education & training institutions, academics, social researchers and psychologists, drug rehabilitation organisations, prison charities, social reform networks, church groups, journalists and media, family focussed charitable organisations and fatherhood institutions. All came at their own cost with a common goal to strengthen and support Australian fathers and 'to turn the tide of fatherlessness' in Australia. The Fathering Forum was an overwhelming success.

8. '12 POINT PLAN'-FOUNDATION RESOURCE FOR RESTORATION OF FATHERHOOD

Over the next few months with the help of a smaller subcommittee, The 12pt Plan was drafted and passed by overwhelming consensus. The 12pt Plan was released in Parliament House on 26th June, 2003 by Mark Latham, Shadow Treasurer of the Labor Party with support from Hon Larry Anthony, Minister for Youth & Children and Hon Ross Cameron, then Secretary to Minister for Family & Community. Media coverage was excellent through print media in several states as well as mainstream media. The 12pt Plan was then mailed out to every Federal and State parliamentarian and every Lord Mayor of every council in Australia. The response has been excellent in every respect with numerous individuals and political parties implementing policy positions from The 12pt Plan to strengthen and support Australian fathers.

9.GOVERNMENT INVITES CONSULTATION WITH THE FATHERHOOD FOUNDATION

The Fatherhood Foundation was invited by the Federal Government to represent men and fathers at a Suicide Prevention Forum held in Canberra on 6 & 7th May 2003.

The Fatherhood Foundation was called to testify in support of its submission to the parliamentary inquiry into Shared Parenting and Family Law Reform on 1st September, 2003 in Wollongong. A record of the Fatherhood Foundation's submission and subsequent testimony are on Parliamentary Hansard for public inspection.

10. INAUGURAL NATIONAL STRATEGIC CONFERENCE ON FATHERHOOD

In 18th & 19th August, prior to Fathers' Day, the Fatherhood Foundation organised the inaugural national Strategic Conference on Fatherhood in parliament House. The NSCF was sponsored into parliament by Senator Paul Calvert, President of the Senate. The NSCF was a pivotal point in the restoration of fatherhood in the nation. Our keynote speaker, Adrienne Burgess from the UK did an excellent job. We also had input from Mark Latham, Shadow Treasurer for the Labor Party as well as Labor Senator John Hogg, Hon Larry Anthony, Minister for Youth & Children, Hon Ross Cameron and even the Deputy Prime Minister John Anderson who gave an excellent speech. Pru Goward, Sex Discrimination Commissioner along with Bettina Arndt also spoke. Many others spoke and contributed, and further policy was developed. Over 80 key leaders registered for the NSCF. Media coverage was quite broad, especially radio and print. During the NSCF an Awards Ceremony to honour those key leaders who had worked on behalf of fatherhood and fathers in Australia was inaugurated. Some of those recognised included Barry Williams, Senator Hon Paul Calvert, MP Hon Roger Price, Wes Carter, Professor Graeme Russell, Rex Finch, Paul Osborne and Aboriginal Elder Ron Williams. Ps Ron Williams was a key inspiration in the formation of the Fatherhood Foundation. Sadly Ron passed away ten weeks after the NSCF. Such was his stature in the community that a memorial service was held for him in the Great Hall of Parliament House. The NSCF produced a 15 point policy action plan for change and became an historic milestone in the process of the restoration of fatherhood in Australia. Transcripts from some of the speeches made are available at www.fathersonline.org. The conference was a huge encouragement to the many people working for positive change for fatherhood in Australia.

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FATHERHOOD FOUNDATION FORWARD PLAN

The Fatherhood Foundation is committed to the restoration of fatherhood in Australia. Australian fathers can be fathers of excellence. This will mean moving from being just good fathers to being great fathers. The Fatherhood Foundation is committed to producing high quality TV CSAs, TV media and media advertisements to promote better fathering. The Fatherhood Foundation will continue to publish its weekly fathersonline.org ezine for busy dads. We are working on further quality Australian research and publications to support and encourage Aussie fathers. Mentoring programs for fathers, young men and boys will need to be produced. The Fatherhood Foundation is working towards 'Good to Great' mentoring courses for fathers in 2007 and 2008. The second National Strategic Conference on Fatherhood will be held in August 2004 at Parliament House in Canberra. The Fatherhood Foundation is seeking to link in with other organisations both here and overseas to promote the restoration of fatherhood in Australia. Children need fathers and mothers, strong families will guarantee a strong nation. The Fatherhood Foundation seeks to partner with families, the community, business, church and government to make this happen. Our children deserve the best fathers in the world. Together we can make this happen.

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| 5. Bronze Partner | \$3,000 pa or \$250 per mth | - | YES |
| 6. Excellence in
Fathering Partner | \$1,200 pa or \$100 per mth | - | YES |
| 7. Fatherhood Partner | \$240 pa or \$20 per month | - | YES |
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GOOD TO GREAT - THE CHALLENGE

The 'Good to Great' Fatherhood Mentoring Course is a ten week, intensive training exercise in fathering excellence. It features some of the best speakers on fatherhood in Australia such as Brigadier Jim Wallace, former commander of Australia's SAS.

Commencing: 7 pm Wednesday 5th September 2007 at Sydney Campus

Completion: 28th November 2007 - Duration: 10 weeks (with 2 week holiday break) + one week Graduation Ceremony held 28th November 2007

'Good to Great' is not for the faint hearted. Our children deserve the best of the best, the world's greatest fathers. An attitude of excellence will prevail in this course. Recruits will need integrity, courage, self discipline and a sense of humour as well as the determination to be a team player who will do what he must, to ensure the success of himself and those around him.

Modelled on the training plan of Australia's elite special forces, the SAS

The Australian SAS is one of the greatest special service military units in the world. The training for SAS recruits produces soldiers who are the best of the best - proficient, disciplined and committed leaders. Becoming a 'Father of Excellence' will require a similar standard of single-mindedness and devotion. The challenges and inspiration to be gained will equip men to be effective servant leaders well able to challenge and inspire those around them.

Hear from fathers who have succeeded at what matters the most

Each week of 'Good to Great', you and your colleagues will be issued with field exercises. These exercises will involve you increasing your level of practical fatherhood skills. One such assignment will be to set one night a week aside for family dinner. Another, to take your wife away for a romantic weekend. Each dad will have a mentor. These fathers will share their weaknesses and strengths and their keys for success as a father. A pooling of our knowledge and skills will help us all to be more effective. Everybody has something to contribute to one another's development.

If you are up to the challenge and opportunity of being a father by which other fathers can set their compass, then 'Good to Great' is for you. Be more than a man, be a Father of Excellence. Do it now. Do it for your children, yourself, your wife and family and your nation.

A questionnaire and enrolment form is attached. Please answer the questions and return this form with your 20% deposit to your Fatherhood Foundation representative or mail to the address below. **Places are strictly limited. Priority will be given to those who are first to register.** A rigorous selection process will be completed and you will be notified at the earliest opportunity.

To obtain application material or more information, contact the Fatherhood Foundation
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GOOD TO GREAT - APPLICATION FORM

1. Are you prepared as a father to prioritise your wife and family above yourself?
 ABSOLUTELY OF COURSE MAYBE
2. Are you prepared to set goals and make plans for greater success as a father?
 ABSOLUTELY OF COURSE MAYBE
3. Do you want to have fun with your children? Would you consider eating together as a family every night of the week + a night set aside weekly for a special dinner/family fun night?
 ABSOLUTELY OF COURSE MAYBE
4. Are you prepared to learn the art of communication for the duration of the course and also learn the power of honour and respect?
 ABSOLUTELY OF COURSE MAYBE
5. Are you prepared to take your children on a fun weekend with other fathers in the group?
 ABSOLUTELY OF COURSE MAYBE
6. Are you prepared to romance your wife and treat her like a princess on a very special night away? Are you up for the Challenge?
 ABSOLUTELY OF COURSE MAYBE
7. Are you prepared to share yourself in open and frank discussion and to preserve the absolute confidence of the rest of the unit at all times?
 ABSOLUTELY OF COURSE MAYBE
8. Are you able to make a solid commitment to attend eleven nights over eleven weeks?
Spouses are encouraged to attend a graduation in the 11th week, and share in our celebration, and our new level of commitment to fathering.
 ABSOLUTELY OF COURSE MAYBE
9. Are you prepared to commit to pursuing the highest standards of integrity and excellence?
 ABSOLUTELY OF COURSE MAYBE
10. What motivates you to become an excellent father?
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Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

RECRUIT DETAILS

Name: _____ D.O.B. _____ Married: YES / NO

Years Married: _____ Ages of Children: _____

Ph: Home: _____ Work: _____ Mobile: _____

Email: _____

ADDRESS _____

Course Investment: \$250.00 - I enclose \$50.00 as payment of 20% course deposit
Balance Due before course commences

Please circle - CASH CHEQUE CREDIT CARD - Visa / Mastercard

Card No: : _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ Expiry date: _ / _ / _

Name on card: _____ Signature: _____