

Greetings to all — I trust God has blessed you this summer with both riches and trials. As many of you know already, I want to begin with congratulations to Wes and Tina Dobson, as Dr. Dobson takes on the role of President at NBC. Wes served on the NBC faculty for 5 years from 2009-2014 after spending over 20 years in the lead pastor role at Meadow Lake Evangelical Free Church. He follows a rich heritage, with only three others having served in NBC President role since 1976 when Jake Rempel arrived (Mark Leppington and Wes Fehr being the other two of course). As Alumni President I've served in an Associate Board role, and was privileged to sit in on meetings as the Board wrestled together in searching for a man who would be able to engage and build up those who walk through the doors at NBC, and most importantly, who God was leading and calling to Nipawin. I sensed they saw a clear leading from God, and feel they have made a great choice in bringing Dr. Dobson back to Nipawin.

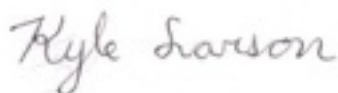
It is not only the Board who have been active since April. There are many staff, students, and alumni who are in some way representing or working with NBC this summer. Teen camps are a big target again this year and the College has not only Enrollment staff visiting camps, but other staff and alumni as well. Additionally, NBC's own Overflow Camp Team (made up of four current NBC students) are spending 5 consecutive weeks at Senior and Junior Teen camps. Please pray for the many demands on our students, staff, and alumni over these next two months. In total NBC will be visiting at least 21 camps this summer, sharing the Gospel through word and deed, and encouraging students to consider and engage in the value found in investing in a year or more at Nipawin Bible College.

In alumni news, *Rekindle 95* happens August long weekend (July 31-August 2). Students or staff from the 95/96 NBI year were all invited to come spend a weekend together aimed at reconnecting and investing in each other. NBC Alumni Director Jason Elford looks forward to using the Rekindle schedule as a template for hosting future class or decade reunions at Nipawin during the summer. Please contact him for more details if that interests you.

I wish to finish this letter with its main purpose — to share with you that the 2015 Alumni Weekend will be November 20-22. In addition to worship and enjoyable activities, it is an opportunity to keep connected or reconnect with students, staff, and other alumni. If you feel out of the “NBC loop” on current College happenings or the way they're focused on pursuing God, the weekend is a perfect time to talk with staff or board members who invest a lot into the school and are eager to share what is going on. Perhaps you are feeling a call to serve NBC. Alumni Weekend is an excellent opportunity to find out how you might be a blessing through various means. You'll find an enclosed form and tentative schedule for the weekend — please register early and make plans to come.

As you continue with your summer, whether at work, vacation, camp or just in the beautiful outdoors, remember the words of Psalm 96:3, “Tell of His glory among the nations. His wonderful deeds among all the peoples.”

God bless

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kyle Larson".

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