Minnie Family Newsletter



Message from Adrian

So the Minnie clan are finally together, with lots of ups and downs; from running around the day of the flight to collect passports from DHL to having a serious discussion with border control, my family has finally been re-united.

I just want to take this time to thank everyone from the BEK family for all the prayers and support we have received during our relocation process. From receiving furniture items to make our house a home, the donations received to help us purchase a vehicle and making these three South Africans feel like proper Fifers in such a short time.

We want to thank everyone from the bottom of our hearts!

This reminds me of the wonderful scripture story of Job. Even though things in life don't always

end up going the way we want them to, the one thing that remains constant in our life is God. Our God is sovereign and we should never question that. We should always be reminded that God's timing is perfect! Amen

Scripture Verses of the Minnie Family

- Matthew 19: 26
- Colossians 2: 7
 - Isaiah 6: 1-8

"I believe in Christianity as I believe that the sun has risen: not only because I see it, but because by it I see everything else." – C.S. Lewis







Message from Taryn

What a crazy month it has been. Our family is finally together after many months of ups and downs. Jordan arrived and went straight into school. He seems to like the school and his teachers and has made a good couple of friends. He is especially pleased that he has fewer subjects than what he had in South Africa.

My Biometric Residency Permit finally arrived, late due to postal strikes. I therefore was able to go open a bank account as well as apply for my PVG. I am still waiting to receive this as it will make job applications that much easier.

Speaking of jobs, I am looking for work (2) I have a Bachelor in Theology as well as a Post Graduate Certificate in Education so teaching would be the most obvious route however due to me being qualified outside of Scotland, I have to register with the GTCS,

The General Teaching Council of Scotland. I can't do this until my PVG arrives and I believe this can be a sticky application process too.

I absolutely love the outdoors as well as nature and wildlife. I would love to work on a farm as a general farm worker or assistant or even with animals. Places like a vet or SPCA would be amazing. I am not scared to get my hands dirty and I'm a hard worker always keen to learn something new. If anyone knows of any work along these lines, please don't hesitate to get in touch. I'd be eternally grateful (3)

Otherwise I'm still loving my long walks, experiencing new things like: The Green Market, Café Church, Chilled Church, bible studies, band practice and so much more.

God Bless you all.

Message from Jordan

Finally, I have arrived in Scotland! After many challenges and lots and lots and lots of waiting, so glad to have started a new journey with my family and what better way to start that journey than with a surprise visit from my mother who I haven't seen in over 2 years.

I'm looking forward to this new journey and getting to experience the new culture, a new school and the opportunity to build on the relationships I've made with friends from school, rugby and the churches. I'm thoroughly enjoying my time so far around Burntisland, Kinghorn and Kirkcaldy. I am really looking forward to getting behind the drums again!

