Helping a single dad stay connected to his son

‘My wife moved out with my son, and went to live a two-hour drive away, making it impossible for me to take him to the places we used to visit together. After a number of visits to the zoo and other outings, I was aware that we hadn’t had enough “normal” time together, just playing trains and hanging out... Now we visit a Who Let The Dads Out? group for a morning together before driving home during his nap. These groups have made a big difference to our time together. Each one has given us a warm welcome... It has been a great way to meet other local dads... and it has made me aware of the church.’

A member of a Who Let The Dads Out? group

Providing a seedbed for faith to grow

‘As the months went on, I realised how important these sessions were to me and to other dads. I met and chatted with several leaders from the Who Let The Dads Out? team, who were very friendly, welcoming and happy. Although I guessed they were involved in the wider church, they never pushed this, which I thought was a good thing. It was partly my conversations with the leaders that made me want to explore more about what motivated these guys and why they did what they did... I found out about a Men’s Alpha course through Who Let The Dads Out? and I signed up, along with twelve others. As the weeks went by, this course changed my whole way of thinking and was very powerful. I started to read the Bible and realised how this could change your life for the better. I was fascinated by the discussions, and towards the end of the course, opened my heart to Jesus.’

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