

Assembly Presentation

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ROTARY AND TAFE A WIN – WIN PROGRAM

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HISTORY

IT Students Program

Macquarie Community College

New Guinea experiences

IT STUDENTS PROGRAM



MACQUARIE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

- 50 Computers – almost all the same
- TAFE Castle Hill involvement
- 8 to Vanimo
- 10 to Mt Hagen
- 10 to Vanuatu
- 10 more to Vanimo area
- 10 to North West Disability Service
- Microsoft involvement
- BUT all 240 volt

Vanimo TAFE Students



VANIMO HIGH SCHOOL



CURRENT PROJECT

- Sustainability – TAFE Nirimba
- RAWCS project (31/2011 – 12)
- Students project at Castle Hill
- “Real World”
- Design
- Manufacture

CURRENT PRODUCT

- Computer manufactured in China
- Terminal from Kogan
- Software from Microsoft
- Freeware off the net
- Solar powered
- No internet (but virus protected)
- Can also work off 240 volt
- Need for trial site

The Enthusiastic TAFE Team



AND THEN.....

- Mount Druitt TAFE
- Solar power system
- Donations
- District Simplified Grant

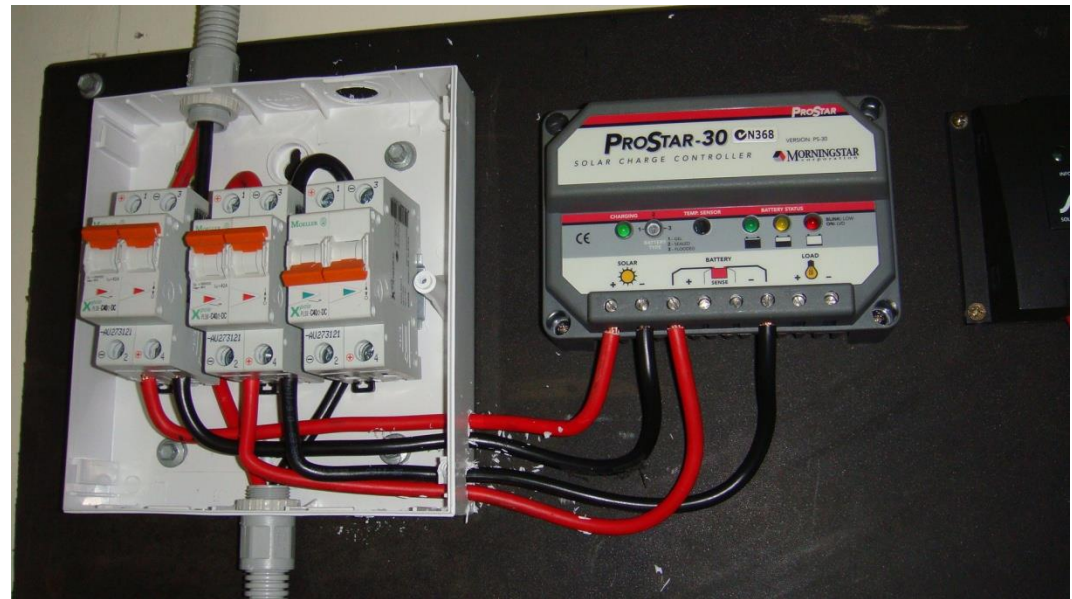
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Installation And Training





Both Teacher and
student training



Appreciation

OH MARK! WHAT A VERY
GOOD JOB YOU DID IN OUR
SCHOOL. WE APPRICIATE YOU
FOR INSTALLING THE COMPUTER.
= THANKS VERY MUCH."

I'm FIONA: GRAD & Student

A Wall of Thank You



Goroka Show

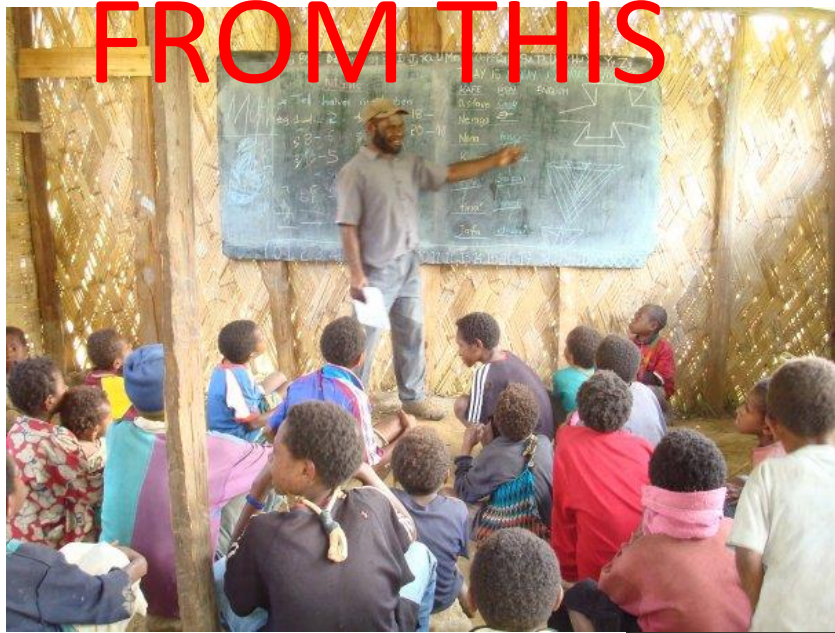


Next Steps

- Successful Trial
- Redo software for easier rebuild
- Look for even less expensive hardware
- Improve manuals
- Funding - Digicell - Mining Companies
- Other Countries – Vanuatu – Africa
- Remote Australia through Smith Family
- Baulkham Hills High

HELP TO LOCALS IN SYDNEY





TO THIS



COMPUTERS FOR THE WORLD!!!
WITH THE HELP OF TAFE AND ROTARY

• **THANK YOU**