



# HOME TEAM SCOUTING REPORT

Mississippi College Clinton, MS

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## Stories of Impact

### Clinton Junior High

During the month of October and November, I (Bethany) have had the opportunity to spend time with the FCA sponsors and students at the middle school in Clinton. The sponsors had held the huddle together for the past few years, but really desired to have the students lead the campus ministry. I have had contact with the middle school sponsor over the past two years, but the timing was just never right for recruiting leaders. This year that all changed. There were a handful of students who really wanted to lead and other coaches that wanted to step up and help sponsor the huddle. So, over a four week period, I met with the student leaders and we established a leadership team and structure for their group. The sponsors also began to guide the leaders throughout the week as they prepared for their weekly huddle. On November 2, the junior high had their first student led huddle. It was so great to see these students step up and create an atmosphere for their peers to learn about Christ. There is still a lot of learning and training for these students, but I have been constantly challenged by their passion to reach their classmates and campus for Christ. I look forward to sharing more about what these 7th graders are doing to impact their school.

### Life Change

We have been so encouraged to see stories of life change take place among our students and leaders. One story is of a junior soccer player named Vinicius Hiratuka (aka—"V"). V is originally from Brazil and grew up with a very different religious background because of what was common in Brazil. When he came to the United States in high school, V was influenced for Christ by athletes and coaches at his high school and gave his life to the Lord his senior year. He has grown in his faith at MC through the influence of his teammates, FCA and First Baptist Jackson. He is on our leadership team and was baptized a couple Sundays ago. He made a statement at our leadership training in August about how he would've never thought he would be in a room with Christian leaders like he was at that moment; meaning, he was amazed at how God had led his steps and put him in the right places to find Him. We were both reminded of God's great love and pursuit of us as we watched V get baptized. What a great reminder of how God leads us to himself and makes it possible for us to know Him.

May God bless you, keep you and give you peace,

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## Ministry Updates



We are fully invested at a local apartment complex and average 10-15 student athletes a week that serve and about 25-30 kids that come out and play. It is awesome to see the kids respond to these athletes. They are waiting at the playground on Sundays at 4pm ready to play! We are looking forward to serving them on December 2, by taking Santa pictures and giving Christmas gifts. It is a privilege to serve them on a weekly basis to show the love of Christ.



On October 29, our local FCA board and leadership team came together to host an event called the, "MC FCA Halloween Trail Run," at Choctaw Trails where the MC cross country team competes. The event consisted of a 5k and a mile "scare trail" where our leaders were positioned along the trail to scare participants. When people finished the trail, we had food and hot chocolate for people to enjoy while they gathered around the bonfire. Once we closed the trail, one of our leaders shared his testimony and we had a time of prayer. We had about 75 adults and students participate which made it a great event connecting FCA to the community.