

HOME TEAM SCOUTING REPORT

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-David Seago -Gorden and June for their athletic performances. Courtney -Jonathan and Tracy had an amazing game Morgan -Jonathan and Megan Zunz

We kicked off our Lifegroups this month and are seeing 85+ athletes get plugged in and experience a deep sense of community that they have never been a part of before in their life. Lifegroups are organized by team and are led by leaders that were prepped last semester from our leadership team. Other leaders on our leadership team are responsible to invest in at least one teammate through the semester/year. We believe in the great commission and that it is not optional for those of us who are children of God: Matthew 28:19-20, "Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you." We are all responsible for investing in someone within our circle of influence. We are excited about the challenge we have set before our leaders and are challenged by how they have taken a hold of God's purpose for all of us to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We believe that is best demonstrated through authentic fellowship and community and that is taking place at MC.

We have had many opportunities this year to play more of a role with specific teams. Justin is the chaplain for football and speaks every Friday to the team. I speak to the volleyball team before home matches and will be the chaplain for women's basketball. I have also had the opportunity to do teambuilding exercises with the basketball team for the past few weeks. The coaches and I set up a situation that would make the players get frustrated with one another so we could debrief afterwards to discuss what comes out when we are



FCA intern, Hollye Henderson, facilitated teambuilding games taken from "Minute to Win It" for the women's soccer team.

squeezed. We discussed the significance of everyone's role on the team and what a leader looks like. It was a great time for the team to bond and allowed players to share their perspectives/emotions in a safe environment. Hollye works with the women's soccer team and did teambuilding with their team at the beginning of the season and has opportunities to speak as well. All of these things we do add value to what the coaches are trying to implement and are humbled that we get to be a small part of the development process.



Volleyball player Courtney Creamer and football player Steven Knight received the Bumblebee award on 9/19 against ETBU in a historical win, and Steven rushed for 197 yards against #8 Hardin Simmons to lead the Choctaws to a victory.



Cheerleader and cross country runner Morgan Tynes received the Bumblebee award on 9/26 for her consistent dedication and hard work when she cheers and runs.

We could not do any of this without financial support from you. We want you to know that your financial gift is an investment that you will not always see on this side of heaven, but it has an eternal impact that you will see one day. Our VP of Field Ministry, Del Wright, said, "The only thing we can take with us to heaven are souls." We want to thank those who gave during our 2010-2011 fiscal year (listed on left) and hope that you will join us again this year to reach even more athletes and coaches! You can find our sponsorship package attached to the email sent with this newsletter to find out what each sponsorship level receives. We hope that not only you will continue to give, but bring others along with you to impact the kingdom of God through the venue of sports.

May the Lord bless you, keep you, make his face shine upon you, be gracious to you and grant you peace,