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We celebrated the end of the school year on May 23rd with our 4th Annual Mayhem all-night lock-in event. With a new record of 74 area teenagers in attendance, we had ample opportunity to demonstrate the love of Jesus' through fun and games but more importantly through a God-filled message and relationship building time.

Mayhem took place thanks to numerous financial donations, the donations of prizes, the prayers of many, and the 16 adults who helped chaperoned the event.

We were able to provide pizza, pop, and snacks. We took a 1am stroll across town to the bowling alley for a couple of hours of open bowling. We had an awesome talent show and numerous



"extreme" games. But, with our vision in mind, we are most excited to report that during the event, we

saw 4 teens make new commitments to follow Christ. Praise God! Please pray that these 4 "newborns" continue their walk in faith and find themselves a church family.

Through all the excitement, games, and food our ultimate vision remains solid to the core - we are all about connecting area teens to God and His saving power. Thanks for being a part of His ministry with us!



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# MISSION

Mesabi Range Youth for Christ reaches young people everywhere, working together with the local church and other like-minded partners to raise up lifelong followers of Jesus who lead by their godliness in lifestyle, devotion to prayer and the Word of God, passion for sharing the love of Christ and commitment to social involvement.

SECOND QUARTER 2014

## Spring Banquet Recap

Praise God! What a wonderful evening we had at the Mesabi Range YFC Spring Banquet on May 8th. We truly enjoyed sharing with you the work that God has been doing through Mesabi Range Youth for Christ!

We had a great turnout of over 160 faithful YFC supporters from all across the Iron Range. We were able to share stories from each of our ministries: Campus Life, Amplify, Juvenile Justice Ministry, and Project Serve. We were also blessed to hear from adult volunteers that have been successful in integrating YFC teens into their local church. For those of you that were there, we sincerely hope you were blessed through the event.

Thanks to the collective support of His Church we are more encouraged than ever to continue pursuing our vision:

*As part of the body of Christ, to see that every young person in every people group on the Iron Range has the opportunity to make an informed decision to be a follower of Jesus Christ and become a part of a local church.*

We are very thankful that the banquet brought it a total of **\$13,625** to help solidify our current operating budget. While this was slightly short of our \$16,000 goal, we are confident in God's anointing on this ministry and His ability to provide the shortfall. It is only through the faithful support of donors like you that this ministry is funded and we are grateful for your support.

If you missed the banquet and would like to learn more about what we presented, we'd love to meet with you personally and share with you the wonderful things God is doing through Mesabi Range YFC. Please call or email us for more information. We'd love to hear from you!

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Again, thank you so much for your support and encouragement!

## Introducing our new logo

Since 1944, Youth for Christ has played a pivotal, catalytic role in youth evangelism. Committed to be "geared for the times" and pursue a mission-centric logo and message, Youth for Christ USA is presenting a new brand identity.

Hopefully you have noticed our new logo and tagline - "Give Life to Your Story". The new logo is a nod to the organization's unified focus of authentic, Christ-sharing relationships -- the 3Story® way of life -- which encourages teens and leaders to see how the relationships they have with other

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people and God can be connected and grown. And the logo very much communicates the 3Story® ministry method in that the three circles represent your story, my story, and God's story.

Advocating the new direction, President of Youth for Christ, Dan Wolgemuth offered, "A united, mobilized, and committed organization deserved a visual identity that reflected what we esteemed most. In the very center of this renewed focus we discovered the heartbeat of the mission. God's unrelenting and pursuing love giving life to young people in every and any context."

## Campus Life: Summer

We are thrilled to announce Campus Life: Summer, a continuation of our school-year ministry right into the summer months. We are excited to continue to connect with teens in a more casual, laid-back atmosphere of summer Campus Life. We'll be focusing on outdoor events that have even more relationship building time. This will be our first summer offering regularly scheduled events



every Monday. As we tackle this new offering, please pray that teens become connected to God in deeply meaningful relationship.

## Prayer Requests

- Pray that "S" and "A", new teenage Christians, will be open to discipleship. "R" needs freedom from drugs and bad influences through Jesus. Pray that "C" has an open heart to receiving Christ.
- Pray that Campus Life and Amplify ministries will be effective in reaching teens this summer.
- Our search for a new Executive Director
- God's blessing on YFC's annual peach sale in August
- Spiritual strength, protection and final details falling into place for YFC Project Serve Missions trip to Northern Ireland in July.

## Memorials

*March through May 2014, we received donations in memory of:*

**Ed Berdice  
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