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APRIL 2024 Newsletter

From the Executive Director

Because of the current financial situation, Chuck Rudolph has accepted a temporary reduction to half of his salary. We all have to be committed to live within our means.

I know there are several expensive projects in the Fairmont area clamoring for your charitable dollars right now; but Martin County YFC has proven its worth over the last 25 years. Many, many young people have been reached in a very positive way, and Martin County YFC continues to reach and develop them.

Please pray for this ministry as Chuck and Evelyn continue to look to the Lord for His guidance and provision as we all work to build His kingdom.

Greg Gudal
Executive Director,
South Central MN YFC

From the Area Director

There are often paradoxes in our lives that are hard to understand. Sometimes, when a situation has passed, we are able to look back in the rear-view mirror and see what God was doing through that time.

We are in one of those times right now:

- On the one hand, ministry has been going very well. We have Breakfast Clubs in four public high schools; and our drop-in times at The Lighthouse have often been at or near capacity in numbers of young people.
- On the other hand, our finances have taken a significant drop. Over the last several months, we have lost two very large gifts from foundations; along with several smaller gifts; and this has caused a drop in the number of Breakfast Clubs we are able to actually do.

To help with this, we have been offered \$10,000 as a matching gift; would you consider a larger

gift this month that would be effectively doubled, and would help with immediate needs?

To remedy this situation in the long run, we need to find about \$3,000 per month in new or increased giving. Would you pray about either increasing your monthly giving, or beginning to give on a regular basis?

We know the enemy does not want young people to hear God's story; and I suspect it is he who has been causing this situation to happen.

Would you pray with us that God would change this and allow these Clubs to go on; and that He would be glorified in them?

I look forward to seeing how God works in this situation to glorify Himself. I hope you will be blessed as well.

In Christ, for all the kids,

Chuck Rudolph
Area Director,
Martin County Youth For Christ

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MONDAY, JUNE 3RD 2024 INTERLAKEN GOLF COURSE

Cost for Individual Golfers:
\$100 Before May 24
\$125 After May 24

PRIZES INCLUDE:

1. A NEW CAR - A 2-Year Lease of a New Chevy, Courtesy of Hawkins Chevrolet
2. \$2,000 OF MILWAUKEE TOOLS -
Courtesy of Fleet & Farm/Ace Hardware
3. A New Side-by-Side 4-Wheeler

How to Give

By Check - Please cut out the pledge form below, make your check payable to Martin County Youth For Christ, and send in the enclosed envelope.

Online - Go to www.scmyfc.org/give and select "Martin County YFC"

Estate Gifts - It is amazing how much taxes you can save with an estate gift. If you are making an estate plan, ask your professional planner about leaving a legacy for yourself or a loved one.

Pool Table, Vehicle, Stocks, IRAs, Crops -

There are many other tax-wise options that may be right for you, such as these and more! If you are interested in making a non-cash gift, please contact Chuck at 507.235.6016 or chuck@scmyfc.org.

YES! I want to participate in "Golf Fore the Kids!"

NAME: _____

_____ I HAVE ENCLOSED MY REGISTRATION FEE (\$100 BEFORE 5/24 OR \$125 AFTER 5/25)

PLEASE ALSO INCLUDE YOUR PREFERENCE OF WHO YOU'D LIKE TO PLAY WITH:

Please Help Us Meet Our Matching Goal!

NAME: _____ STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

PHONE (_____) _____ - _____ EMAIL: _____

I Want to Become a Team Martin County Member!

☐ \$85/Month
(\$1,000 Yearly)

☐ \$200/Month
(\$2,400 Yearly)

☐ \$____/Month
(\$____ Yearly)

Please mark all that apply:

___ My check is enclosed, made payable to:
MARTIN COUNTY YOUTH FOR CHRIST

Please contact me for the following:

- ___ I would like to give monthly through direct deposit.
___ I would like to give online or with a credit card
___ I would like to pay my faith promise with grain, stock, or property.
___ I would like to give an estate gift.
___ My company will match my gift.
___ I am interested in volunteering.
___ I have a vehicle to donate.

Thank you for prayerfully considering increasing or joining in a partnership with us!

You can also scan the code on the left, or go to www.scmyfc.org/give and select "Martin County YFC" to give!

