

CRU CLUB AT AVALON MIDDLE SCHOOL



Souper Bowl Outreach

Dear Friends and Family,

What do the “Souper bowl”, Valentine’s Day and Rap have in common?? They were all the themes of our recent outreach events at Cru at Avalon Middle School!

The Souper Bowl brought out many new students to play football-related games, eat hot dogs (120 to be exact!), and to hear of God’s work in the lives of sports players. One cheerleader’s story of losing her position and then gaining a friend was extra powerful. We also kicked off a canned food drive for a local school in an under-resourced community. Josh, and his friends, Ben, Will and Lucas all took part in helping collect cans early as students came into school.

Outdoor Concert and Testimony



Next, God’s unconditional love and unique plan for each child was our theme for our Valentine’s Day program. We hope each child left knowing how valuable and special he/she is to God and to the school community.

And Roy Tosh, a local Christian rap and hip hop artist, brought a new wave of excitement and fun to our Cru group. The kids really enjoyed dancing along to his music, and his story of how God changed his life touched many hearts.

When we weren’t focused on outreach, we’ve been teaching our regular members about growing in their faith and

Prayer Requests

—Praise God with us for the students who have stayed with the club this whole year, learning from God’s word and inviting their friends too.

—Pray that a new leader for the club will be raised up by God to continue after Josh and Rochelle move on to high school activities.

—Pray that God would continue to make His Word alive in the hearts of these kids in our 6 more meetings before the end of the school year.

Thanks for praying!

love for Jesus. The Growth wheel has provided an outline as we focused on the Holy Spirit as the hub of the wheel, and Bible, prayer, fellowship, and evangelism as the spokes. These children have so much potential to influence their world as they grow in Christ!

Thanks for all your prayers for this ministry! We pray that God would strengthen the faith of these students even though they are surrounded by worldly thoughts and perspectives in school and in the media. Pray that God would use Rochelle and the other volunteers as we plan the program and teach the children God's Word. Pray also for the right person to surface to head up this Cru club next year. Josh and I will hopefully be involved with Cru High School in the fall.



Canned Food Collection

We love you and thank God for your partnership in our ministry!

*Blessings in Jesus,
Steve, Rochelle, and Josh*