

# Youth Ministry Newsletter



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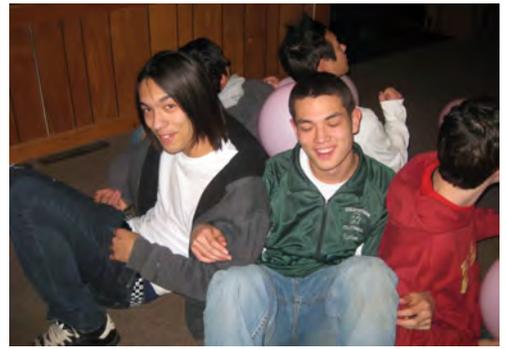
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January was filled with lots of fun and busy occurrences. Sorry the newsletter was late this month. We're still looking for any submissions: poems, stories, pictures, anything works! Thanks so much to all the parents and everyone that helps out! Let's make February a great month!



# Get W.I.S.E.

There was another fantastic month of Get WISE! Activities this month were provided thanks to Trimon and David. The youth were able to enjoy wonderful talks from David and Trimon, Uncle Vincent Young, and Chris Breland; they all gave wonderful talks about different virtues such as honesty, filial piety, and responsibility.



Get WISE is really interesting and fun. The best part is hanging out before talks and playing games. What I learned through the talks is that the relationship with your parent is like the relationship you have with God. Also that you first learn about relationships through your parents. If your relationship with your parents are bad, then your relationships with other people are not that great.

-Haruna Kanazawa





# BC Bash

The BC Bash this month was a blast! With all the snow that Columbus has been having, we decided to build an igloo! Most of the time was spent on the igloo, but everyone worked very hard and had a fun time. When the igloo was finished, everyone came in for a warm bowl of chili and a fantastic testimony / talk from our wonderful brother Andreas Culbertson.



# More Youth Ministry Fun

## Middle School Girls Group

This month there was one Middle School girls group meeting since the workshop was last month. The day was filled with ice breaker games, a big group game of Taboo, lots of snacks thanks to wonderful parents, fantastic fellowship, and a talk given by Yoko Bihary about relationships.

The next get together is still undetermined, but more information will come soon from Aunt Susan.



## Girls' Night

"Girls night seemed more like a giant sleepover than a church gathering, but it was still loads of fun! There was a really deep sharing and late night talks, as well as exercise on the trampoline the next day. It was really great. :)"

- Christina Flores

## Guys' Night

"There wasn't anything really planned, it was basically just a big sleepover. We went and bought snacks and played video games, that's about it. It was still fun though."

- Ilseuk Masuda

## Open Mic

During this month, the exciting second Open Mic hosted by the Music Ministry was held! The night was open for volunteers, those of all ages. There was such high energy and lots of laughter. Please join the Music Ministry during their next open mic, you'll sure to have tons of fun! Time and date of next open mic will be announced once it is known.



## Cleveland City Visit

Twelve of our youth from Columbus traveled up to Cleveland, Ohio, on January 30th and 31st.

"There was supposed to be 20 people going, but it turned out to be only 7. I'm glad we all went though because it turned out to be a great experience and I had so much fun!"

- Junna Kanazawa



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# February

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3 6:00-8:00 PM Get W.I.S.E. @ Lovin' Life	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 6:00-8:00 PM Get W.I.S.E. @ Lovin' Life	11	12 <b>Fundraiser!</b> (contact David & Trimon for more information.)	13 <b>Fundraiser!</b> (contact David & Trimon for more information.)
14	15	16	17 6:00-8:00 PM Get W.I.S.E. @ Lovin' Life	18	19	20 7:00 PM-9:00 PM Open Mic Night
21	22	23	24 6:00-8:00 PM Get W.I.S.E. @ Lovin' Life	25	26	27 2:00-5:00 PM MS Girls' Night @ Lamson's
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