

H.O.T. FCA News

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[Baylor FCA Leadership is formed!](#) Sunday night, September 23rd at 7pm was the sight for something extraordinary. Yes, the Cowboys stomped the Bears that night but something of much more eternal significance was formed as 7 student leaders (pictured left), 2 coaches, and Katherine and I met to set the course for Baylor FCA. It was an exciting time. The following day 40 attended (primarily athletes) as this year's male captain, Ryan Roberts (football) gave his testimony and challenge of using our talents and abilities for Christ. This was the first student led huddle meeting of the year. The Friday before (9/21) I was fortunate to be able to spend my early morning with Coach OC Pierce and his huddle at Lorena MS (pictured below right). This was their first meeting of the



year and as you can see from the picture Coach Pierce and his leadership students have got a great thing going. These are just two of the many highlights from the month. There are nearly 300 people who are on the e-newsletter list and receiving it monthly! God is growing the awareness of the ministry and my prayer is this number will continue to grow. Our primary goal remains to grow the ministry and expand the areas where the gospel is going out. This will only happen with more people committing to jump in and help in ways that God has enabled them. Our top 3 needs: a volunteer with a heart for McLennan Community College, growth of Huddle Internship Program, & monthly financial supporters.

Summary of September Ministry:

- Online giving set-up on the website
- 5 new September donors - \$ 10,780 raised since July 1
- 40 attended the Back to School Bash event
- Over 600 impacted through chapels, bible studies, events, etc.

Happenings going on in the area:

- Baylor athletes speaking in area HS and MS
- Fields of Faith on October 10th...more to come
- Katherine building relationships with Baylor softball and volleyball girls
- Lorena MS FCA meeting on Friday mornings



November 17...

FCA Gameday

for all area
FCA huddles

Baylor vs. Ok State

[Check out the campus
page on the website for
event details!!](#)

PRAISES

- Chick-fil-a agreeing to be a Gameday sponsor
- BU Leadership formed
- Success of 1st area-wide FCA event in over a year
- New huddles forming at MCC and Navarro JC
- Baylor coaches Bible study in its 4th week

PRAYER REQUESTS

- For Katherine as she disciples female athletes
- Organization of HOT board
(1st board meeting Oct. 4th)
- Finding a home church
- Huddle Internship program