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LAST CALL!...If you are a coach or know of ones in your neighborhood there are only a couple days left to reserve your spot for our 3rd annual Coaches Appreciation Valentines Dinner. This is a FREE night out including FREE child care. You must have your spot reserved by Monday, February 8th. It can be done on our website on the “Coaches” page. If you know coaches in our area send them an email with the link to the page and encourage them to come and enjoy a night out with their spouse on FCA.

Heart of Texas-South director Seth Chambliss and I were able to see something take place during the second to last weekend in January we had been talking about for a couple years now...our first area Coaches Marriage Enrichment Weekend. Joe and Colleen Palmer encouraged all of us in our marriages and all 10 couples (plus the Chambliss and Johnsons) enjoyed a relaxing and marriage enriching time. Much thanks to Seth’s Leadership Board and volunteers for helping us to save cost by providing and serving the meals for us.



The very next weekend was our statewide college retreat. This one Ava Claire got to join us on and it was a close call to say who had the best time her or the 23 Baylor athletes who joined us. We were also blessed to have Wes Yeary join us, Wes is a former FCA employee who has served as sports chaplain at Ole Miss and Auburn and now is at Baylor. The college retreat is always a great time to build relationships with the athletes as well as have them meet other athletes they compete against and hear how the Lord is at work on their teams.

Upcoming Victory Bowl Dates

April 11, 2010 – Victory Banquet

*Keynote Speaker: Charlie Ward (1993 Heisman Trophy Winner)

June 9-12 – Victory Bowl Week & Game (12th)



PRAISES

- Over 60 schools being represented on the 2010 Victory Bowl rosters.
- Confirming our banquet speaker for this year – Charlie Ward.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Opportunities to minister through the weekly coaches and staff Bible studies.
- Need for Victory Bowl sponsorships both new ones and renewing ones.