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## Steel Valley Update

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## Ministry Report

### Upcoming Events

#### NE Ohio FCA Golf Fundraiser

Firestone Country Club  
Friday, May 29, 2009

#### Steel Valley FCA Charitable Golf Tournament

Friday, June 26, 2009  
Kennsington Golf Club

#### FCA Ohio Sport's Camp

June 29—July 2, 2009  
Bowling Green State University

#### Coach's' Couples Getaway

July 17-19, 2009  
Sawmill Creek Resort

#### 5th Annual FCA 5K Run

Saturday, July 25, 2009  
(Online registration)

**COACHES LEGACY STUDY**  
Weekly Bible study for coaches  
Location: Bob Evans  
Rt. 46 in Austintown  
Tuesdays @ 6:00 AM

Visit Local FCA Website

[WWW.STEELVALLEYFCA.ORG](http://WWW.STEELVALLEYFCA.ORG)

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### FCA'S NEWEST HUDDLE CANFIELD HIGH SCHOOL



After much prayer and planning, Canfield High School had their first FCA huddle meeting. Coach Mike Stoecker is encouraged by the number of students that have "stepped up" and taken a leadership role in getting the huddle off the ground.

Faced with the decision whether to begin now or wait until September, the Leadership Team decided to begin now so that they will be established by the time the new school year rolls around. They are meeting every other Wednesday morning at 7:30 am.

### FCA HUDDLE KICKOFF JUNE 2ND AUSTINTOWN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Austintown Middle School (AMS) is planning to have a kick off event to introduce FCA to its middle school students. Heidi Chepke, who works at AMS, has been putting together the event and plans to continue as the FCA Huddle Leader in the Fall.

The Kick Off is scheduled for Tuesday, June 2nd from 3:15 to 4:30 at AMS and is open to all students grades 6 through 8. Games, snacks and a special speaker are scheduled. Sign up sheets are available during lunch.

### JOEL PENTON AT SALEM HIGH SCHOOL



Coach Spack and the Salem FCA Leadership Team

Spring 2009 has been a season for birthing FCA huddles in the Steel Valley. Salem is another school that has been working to bring an FCA huddle to its campus.

Local surgeon, Mike Madison, felt the Lord's nudging to bring FCA back to Salem schools. George Spack, former Salem basketball coach and current teacher, was familiar with FCA when it was active during the 90's. Together, with FCA staff, they have been working to have their first huddle meeting before the end of the school year.



Add FCA speaker Joel Penton to the mix and you basically hit a homerun! On Friday, May 8th, Joel brought his "Stand Your Ground" assembly to the entire school and encouraged students to get involved with FCA. Then on Monday night, May 11th, Joel and Ryan Holliday presented an evening event at the school and challenged those present to make a commitment to Jesus Christ.

We ask that you pray for God to water the seeds that were planted at these events.