



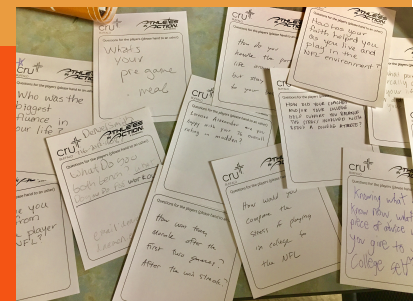
The Lamb Family

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FALL GETAWAY



Remember our prayer request from last month? We were praying for 88 students to attend Fall Getaway. Well God provided and He provided even more. From western NY, 93 students attended Fall Getaway where we worshiped God through song, time in the Word, and building deeper community! One of the most exciting things God did was the transformation of the University of Buffalo student group. For the first six weeks we had record numbers of students attending UB Cru events but very few relationships being built. There was no student leadership on the women's side and low student ownership of the vision. So we were praying for God to move because this wasn't something we could change with our own efforts. God did something that weekend as students car pooled down to the finger lakes, walked in the rain to get to the chapel, had their hearts opened as Jesus was worshiped and taught, laughed together playing games, and talked late into the night in cold cabins. Major changes have happened as we have come back to campus... we see freshman hanging out with seniors. Welcoming new students isn't considered a "staff job" anymore. Beth a senior journalism major came back asking to get involved with leadership and has been trying to connect with any girl that comes to Cru. And the best part is that the Gospel has been shared at least a dozen times student to student in the last two weeks. Thank you for praying for Fall Getaway. Thank you for how you invest in the next generation!



BUFFALO BILLS BRING JESUS TO CAMPUS

In a past newsletter we wrote about Katie Mckrell as a freshman volleyball player at Daemen College who wanted to reach other athletes for Jesus. Now a year later Katie leads a small group of athletes weekly in Bible study. Their group is called Athletes in Action (AIA). While brainstorming about how we could get more athletes interested in AIA there was an idea of having some of the Bills players talk at Daemen. It seemed like a long shot. But through different circumstances two Christian Buffalo Bills football players; Corbin Bryant and Lorenzo Alexander came and did a Q&A session this past week. They mostly talked about how they deal with stress of being a pro athlete, and of course the answer for them was Jesus. Around 200 people showed up and we had them fill comment/spiritual interest cards. It is just amazing to see what God does with a little faith. We are beginning to follow up with interested students from these card. Please pray for God to move in these meetings.