

2010

CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP
CONFERENCE

CAMP CHA-LA-KEE – GUNTERSVILLE, ALABAMA

APRIL 30 & MAY 1-2, 2010

“THESE THINGS HAVE I SPOKEN UNTO YOU, THAT MY JOY MIGHT REMAIN YOU,
AND THAT YUR JOY MIGHT BE FULL.”
JOHN 12:11

FOR ALL YMCA STAFF & VOLUNTEERS

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INFORMATION

WHAT:

Christian Leadership Conference (CLC) is a weekend event specially designed to encourage ALL YMCA staff and volunteers to better develop their faith, purpose of life, and healthy manner of life. Times of worship, breakout sessions, and personal devotions are included in the weekend's activities to help participants put character and Christian emphasis into their individual lives so they can in turn impact their YMCA programs.

WHO:

The Christian Leadership Conference at YMCA Camp Cha-La-Kee will benefit all YMCA staff and volunteers (ages 16 and up).

WHEN:

- April 30 May 2-3, 2010
Registration Friday 7:30pm and Saturday 8:30am
Welcome and Opening Ceremony at 9:45am.
- Conference attendees are highly encouraged to stay the entire weekend!

WHERE:

CLC will be held at YMCA Camp Cha-La-Kee in Guntersville, AL.
4380 Cha-La-Kee Road; Guntersville, AL 35793 – (256) 582-4539

REGISTRATION FEE:

\$30.00 per person

The cost includes meals on Saturday (including a BBQ chicken cookout supper), through Breakfast on Sunday, lodging and conference events, and a one-of-a-kind CLC T-shirt!

FIRST TIME CLC PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE:

- NIV Bible
- *The "C" in the YMCA* – Devotion Book

CONTACT INFORMATION:

- Carole Forbes, CLC Committee Chair, (256) 883-9622, carole.forbes@ymcahuntsville.org

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CLC 2010 SCHEDULE

Friday

7:30pm Open for any early arrivers – dinner on their own

Saturday

8:30 Registration & Breakfast
9:45 Opening – Welcome & CLC info
10:00 Speaker
10:45 Workshops
12:00 Lunch & Rags Counseling
1:00 Workshops
2:00 Snack
2:30 Workshops
3:30 Recreation / Rag Ceremony

RAGGERS' CREED

*I would be true, for there are those who trust me;
I would be pure, for there are those who care;
I would be strong, for there is much to suffer,
I would be brave, for there is much to dare.
I would be friend to all - the foe, the friendless;
I would be giving, and forget the gift;
I would be humble, for I know my weakness;
I would look up, and laugh, and love and lift.*

THE RAG CHALLENGES

BLUE (Loyalty) To God, country, and one's best self and the Ragger's Creed
SILVER (Dedication) Acceptance of or rededication to the Christian way of life or spiritual growth
BROWN (Service) Christian Service
GOLD Understanding, Concern, and Acceptance for Others
RED (Sacrifice) of time, talent and personal will
PURPLE Challenge to Lead the Best life possible
WHITE Commitment to a life of full time Christian Service

5:30 YMCA Associations Meet
6:00 Supper
6:45 Worship through Music
7:15 Speaker
8:15 Campfire
After Campfire – Fellowship, Ice Cream
9:15 Special Activities
11:00 Lights Out

Sunday

8:00 Breakfast/Evaluations
8:45 Devotion/Prayer/Stay Tuned...
9:00 Final Speaker
10:00 Prepare for trip home

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SPECIAL GUESTS



Murray Wilton is the *Chaplain to the Corporate World*. He is extremely excited about the vision that God is unfolding concerning His purposes through a calling to be a pastor to the corporate community. Murray firmly believes that as we are led to touch the world practically, the Spirit will touch many souls eternally.



Chris Oldenburg and his wife Jennifer attend church at Asbury United Methodist in Birmingham. Chris and his wife Jennifer have been married for 14 years and have two children Gray who is 7 and Helen Catherine who is 4. Chris has spent 16 years following the path that God has laid out for his life in camping and working with children through organizations like the Boys and Girls Club and The Alabama Baptist Association. The bulk of the 16 years (12 years) however, has been spent with the Birmingham YMCA at YMCA Camp Cosby, YMCA Hargis Retreat and The YMCA Youth Center. Chris claims Proverbs 22:6 which says “Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it” as the cornerstone for his family and career.

PRAISE AND WORSHIP



Brian and Tish Pouliot fell in love 12 years ago when they lead worship together at the University of West Florida campus ministry. With years of ministry and two children under their belt, they have a desire to raise up leaders who think critically, culturally, and have a deep passion to glorify God. Tish has a BA in Christian ministry and counseling from New Orleans Theological Seminary. Brian has a BS in Computer Science and is a software engineering manager for General Dynamics in Huntsville. Brian and Tish currently lead worship for Life's Journey Church that meets on Sunday mornings at the Southeast YMCA of Huntsville.

BREAKOUT SESSIONS WITH:

BJ DAVIS - CHRIS OLDENBURG - MARK SMITH - GARY FORSTER
KEITH CANTRELL- JENNIFER/WILL BERRETT - CHRIS KNOX

Recreation:

Rifle – Archery – Canoeing – Fishing – Pontoon Boat Rides
Hiking – Networking

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

What to Bring:

- Bible, notebook, pen
- Sleeping Bag, pillow, blanket - *nights can be cool*
- Comfortable Clothes (check weather)
- Raincoat, jacket
- Comfortable Walking Shoes, hiking boots
- Toiletries
 - Towels & Washcloths
 - Shower shoes
 - Soap, shampoo, ...
 - Medication
- Camera
- Flashlight & extra batteries
- YMCA Rag (if you have one)
- Great attitude
- Give Away T-shirts
- Business Cards
- Musical Instruments: Guitars, etc.
- Fishing Pole
- Bug Spray

WHAT NOT TO BRING

- Alcohol or drugs
- Knives or firearms
- Valuables
- Bad attitude
- Pets
- Candles
- Large Stereo Equipment

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DIRECTIONS



4380 Cha-La-Kee Road – Guntersville, AL 35976

From Birmingham:

I-65 North to Exit 308; US-278 East for 5 miles; SR-69 North for 30 miles; turn Left onto Cha-La-Kee Road (between Char-Burger and Shell) for 5 miles.

From Nashville:

I-65 South to Exit 340B; I-565 East for 16 miles to Exit 17B (Governors Drive) – name changes to US-431; US-431 South for 42 miles; SR-69 South (right) for 3 miles; turn Right onto Cha-La-Kee Road (between Char-Burger and Shell) for 5 miles.

From Chattanooga:

I-24 West to Exit 152; US-72 West 35 miles, SR-279 (Broad Street) South (left) 3 miles; SR-79 South 17 miles; US-431 South 6 miles; SR-69 South (right) for 3 miles; turn Right onto Cha-La-Kee Road (between Char-Burger and Shell) for 5 miles.

From Atlanta:

I-20 West to Exit 185 (Oxford/Anniston); US-431 North 65 miles; SR-69 South (left) for 3 miles; turn Right onto Cha-La-Kee Road (between Char-Burger and Shell) for 5 miles.