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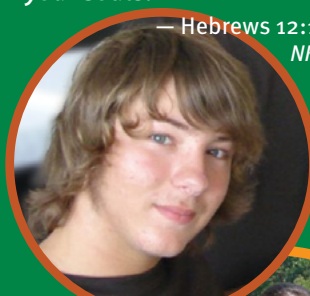
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Guiding Verse for 2010

Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. For consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls.

— Hebrews 12:1-3
NKJV



annual report 2010

Thanks to YOU — our kids FINISHED STRONG in 2010!



The verse to the left from Hebrews carried our theme for 2010, which was *FINISH STRONG!* And that is exactly what wonderful friends and supporters like you helped us — and our kids — do, as we rounded out a year full of ministry, challenge and opportunity!

The economy continued to take its toll on residents of Tennessee — especially the youth and families we serve here in urban Knoxville — but thanks to incredible friends like you, our work continued to yield high returns! A record 1,229 young people were involved in Emerald Youth Foundation including our flagship program, JustLead, and Emerald Sports.

We saw a 14% increase in the number of young people participating in all four key areas of development: faith, academics, relationship building, and health improvement.

In this Annual Report, we hope to give you a sense of their accomplishment — and thus, your accomplishment too! We really are in this work and ministry together. I love to personally connect with kids, help them discover their Christ-identity and grow to embrace their greatest potential. All our staff and volunteers love doing this too. But without friends like you supporting us, we couldn't afford to spend our days invested in these children.

So thank you. I hope you will be encouraged to read the stories and success you are making possible through your faithful gifts and prayers. ■

My son has been involved in Emerald Youth since he was in 3rd grade. He's a sophomore in high school now and still loves every minute of it! My 5th grade daughter has also been involved for several years. I started attending Emerald Avenue UMC in 2008 because the kids liked JustLead so much ... now I volunteer to help with their Wednesday evening Bible studies.

JustLead has such a positive influence on kids — it's clear that each and every child is so loved by this team. They are being taught to be good stewards of their lives, to give back to their community and to love God. I totally believe in what they're doing.

Last fall, I went to elementary camp as a volunteer. It was fun to help the kids and also be there to see how my daughter reacted to it. She's a quiet girl who doesn't usually volunteer to sing or do skits, but when they asked kids if they wanted to accept Jesus as Savior — she sprang out of her seat and went forward. I was speechless! I can't describe how special it was for me to be there and see that happen with my own daughter — we love Emerald Youth Foundation!

— Angela Patrick, mom of two students and a volunteer for EYF

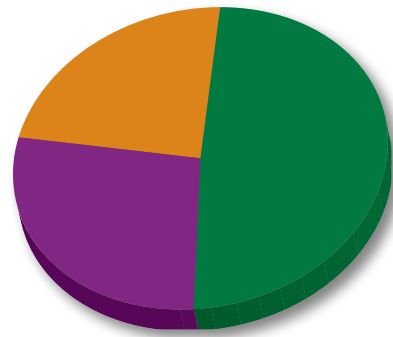
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2010 by the numbers

AGE

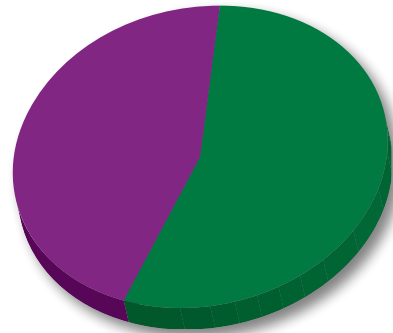
elementary	603
middle school	348
high school	278



	2009	2010
youth served	1,157	1,229
youth in all 4 strategies	357	556
total neighborhoods	13	13
JustLead churches	20	20
full members	8	8
affiliates	12	12

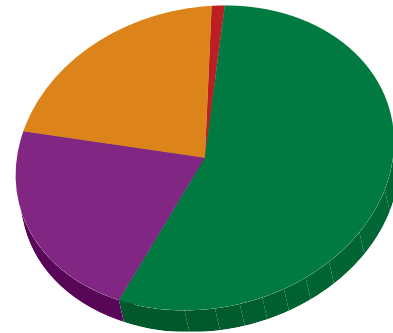
GENDER

male	55%
female	45%



ETHNICITY

african-american	56%
caucasian	22%
other	21%
hispanic	1%



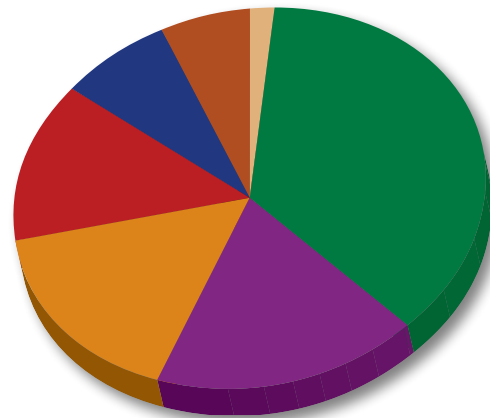
WHAT DO YOU THINK?

Did more kids participate in SPORTS (health improvement strategies) or FAITH (Bible Study, etc.) activities in 2010? *see answer upside down

**ANSWER: FAITH — 64 more students participated in faith activities than even our very popular sport and health programs — an overall 80% of all our kids!*

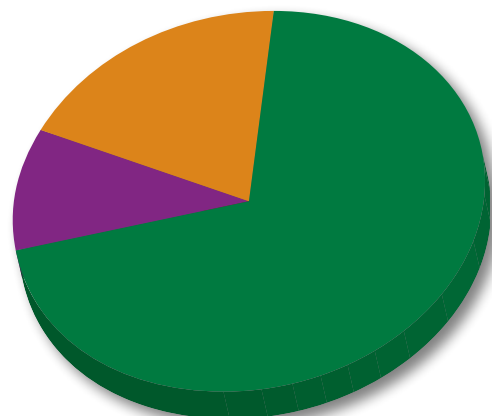
INCOME

individuals	37%
business/civic	18%
government	16%
foundations	14%
churches	8%
in-kind	6%
program fees & miscellaneous	1%



EXPENSES

program services	71%
fundraising	19%
management/general	10%



2010

total income	\$2,091,235
total expenses	\$2,049,108
cash at end of year	\$146,884

A complete copy of our 2010 audit by Mitchell Emert & Hill, P.C. is available on our website at:

www.emeraldyouth.org

board of advisors 2010

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- Henderlight Enterprises
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- Knox County Government

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- Cornerstone Foundation of Knoxville
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\$50,000 – \$99,999

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- Haslam 3 Foundation
- Jon & Toni Lawler
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- Covenant Health
- Cyrus Zamzow Estate
- Equitas Group
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- Home Federal Bank
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- Xinergy Corp.

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JustLead middle school youth enjoyed their weekend camp
 retreat in August 2010 at Doe River Gorge in Elizabethton,
 Tennessee. A great time was had by all!



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academic improvements soar!

Since the early days of Emerald Youth, we've emphasized the importance of education to all our children. Staff and volunteers have provided homework help, tutoring, and other means of academic assistance.

For the 2009-2010 academic year, a pilot group of 54 students from two inner-city elementary schools used the JustLead Learning Labs. Two programs are used: Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) which is used by 3 million students a year in school systems across the country to assess skill deficiencies — and Odyssey which is aligned with MAP and focuses on the specific skill in which the child is deficient. Odyssey provides fun, interactive computer games that the students can play to improve skills.

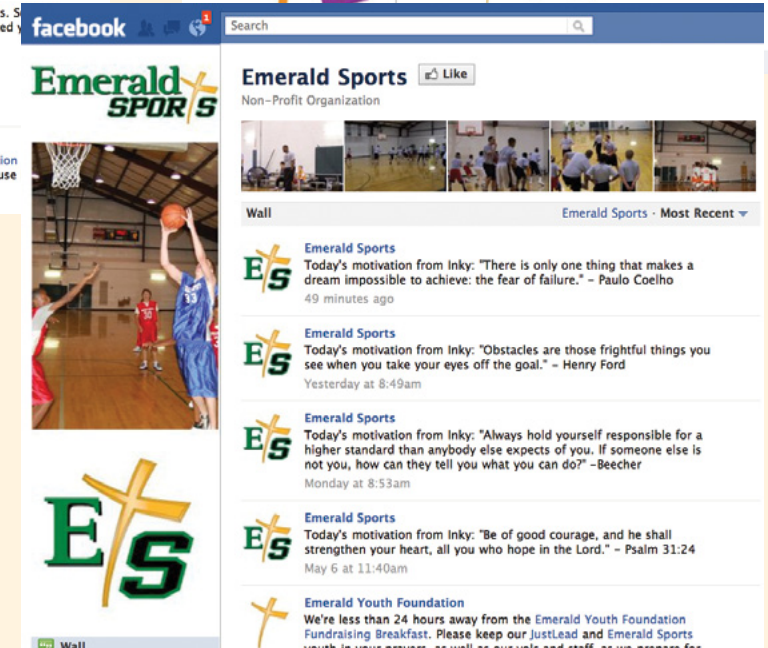
Testing results showed that **74% of the students improved in their reading scores!**

For the 2010-2011 school year, we expanded into **four** Learning Labs to serve over 200 students from eight elementary schools and one middle school. Each student was able to access reinforcement activities targeted to their individual ability levels for two, 45 minute sessions per week. The results of the testing are currently being analyzed to determine their improvement. We continue to look forward to extending the students learning through the Learning Labs and other reinforcement activities throughout the summer and beyond! ■



Have you found us on Facebook yet?

We have an Emerald Youth Foundation page, a JustLead page ...



AND Emerald Sports page — check out some of the motivational status updates from....

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

June

Summer Day Camp 6/1 – 7/22
Zoo trip on Friday

July

High School Tremont Trip 7/5 – 7/8
City-Wide Swim Meet 7/22 – 7/24

August

Back to School 8/15
Afterschool program begins 8/16

September

Middle School Camp 9/16 – 9/18

October

Golf Tournament 10/4
Volleyball begins 10/10

November

Legacy Dinner 11/10
Elementary School Fun Day 11/11 – 11/12

December

Wrestling begins 12/15



“Emerald Youth Foundation is my favorite organization in town because the work that they do changes the lives of the children in our city...I love it!”

— Dee Haslam
CEO, RIVR Media

For 20 years EYF has been working with churches, schools and families in inner city Knoxville to give young people in these less-advantaged areas the tools they need to succeed in life. We offer programs from 21 area churches that include:

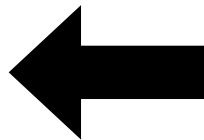
- ✓ Elementary after-school & summer programs
- ✓ Learning Labs with skill-based mentoring
- ✓ Discipleship & relationship-building activities

We also have city-wide programs like sports leagues, weekend camps and retreats, adventure events, specialty summer camps and alumni programs.

Will you start praying NOW for these important dates?

And if you'd like to volunteer in any way, please call 865.637.3227 ext. 112 or email: rbenway@emeraldyouthfoundation.org

Summertime can be a really slow time for charitable giving – but here at Emerald Youth, we are busy all day, every day working with the kids in our community.



Will you use the enclosed REPLY to continue investing into the lives of urban youth in Knoxville this summer?

It's as easy as 1,2,3 ...

- 1 Decide what you can give as a special SUMMER GIFT
- 2 Write out your personal check for this gift amount (or use a credit card)
- 3 Enclose your check and your reply card and mail it to Emerald Youth today

Here are a few ideas for your summer gift — or you can give any amount to help wherever needed most!

- \$75 will sponsor one youth for a weekend camping trip
- \$32 will sponsor spiritual formation activities for one student all summer
- \$125 will sponsor a student on the swim team
- \$375 will sponsor one student in a Specialty Summer Camp
- \$250 will sponsor one of our weekly field trips for all Emerald Youth kids



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