



OASIS DUFFERIN COMMUNITY CENTRE

UPDATE: FEBRUARY / MARCH 2011



Dear Friend,

We trust you are doing well and are ready for spring. Please enjoy the latest update from Oasis.

HERE IS WHAT IS NEW AT OASIS:

1. The Oasis Life Group has grown in the number of weekly participants. This is an answer to prayer and it is great to see people regularly attending the Tuesday night Bible study. Pastor Scott continues to lead the group in a study of the Gospel of Luke while Terry substitutes when needed and prepares a weekly meal for the group of 8-12 friends.
2. The Oasis Soccer Program continues by offering indoor soccer for children and adults. About 30 elementary students and approximately 15 Oasis FC adult soccer players have a chance to participate in sports, renew friendships, and meet new people from the community.
3. The Oasis Seniors' Group continues to meet monthly and has had workshops on Computers and Banking. They will also be visiting the R.O.M. (Royal Ontario Museum) on March 25th for a special outing.

GET READY! THE OASIS WALK, RUN OR PLAY IS BACK.



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4. Oasis welcomed the youth group from Agincourt Baptist Church during March Break. Lead by Matt Sampson, the group of 10 high school students volunteered at the Oasis Food Bank and then reflected on the work carried out at Oasis. The group will visit Oasis a total of 3-4 times in 2011 to learn more about mission and servant leadership.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

1. Greg Matthews, from Kingsway Baptist Church, has joined the Oasis team. He works part time at Oasis assisting with the Oasis Urban Training Ground. Pray that he will adjust to his new role which includes welcoming mission teams and student volunteers.
2. Chris Clarke has been assisting with the Oasis children's soccer program. Pray that he will continue to have the energy and wisdom to work with a fun and energetic group of children from the Oasis Dufferin Community.
3. Pray for Phyllis Ortiz as she coordinates the Seniors' Program.

The Oasis Seniors' Program



4. Please pray for the next Oasis event: **The OASIS WALK, RUN OR PLAY to be held on May 28, 2011. See insert for details and pledge form.**
5. In 2010, Oasis had a financial shortfall. Please pray for the Oasis finances and consider supporting Oasis through a contribution or by raising pledges for the **OASIS WALK, RUN OR PLAY.**



On behalf of the entire Oasis team, thank you for your continued support!

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