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Praise and Thanksgiving and Recent Events

- Praise God that CLRC hosted Deer Park Community Church fellowship for their retreat at the Lake Gaston facility in Bracey, VA, from March 1-3, 2013.
- The annual CLRC Board of Directors meeting was held on December 13, 2012. Much discussion and suggestions were made on CLRC's need for additional staff and future financial sustainability.
- The 1st CLRC Board of Advisors meeting this year was held on March 2, 2013, hosted by Pastor Yip of RCCC. The agenda included a review of CLRC's vision/mission, current status, future direction/plans, needs and prayer requests. There was much discussion on CLRC's future direction and plans. This includes physical improvements, expansion of program scope, facility usage, use of new technology and the hiring of a part time Associate Director for the Center. (The meeting minutes and its accompanying attachments are available upon request.)
- The preparation for the upcoming April leadership seminar retreat (April 25-27) is in full swing. The overall coordinator role for this year's seminar is RCCC under the leadership of Pastor Yip. The seminar brochure has been available as well as the new online registration process implemented last year. This online process encourages potential attendees from each church to be registered collectively by the church representative.
- A CLRC co-workers' appreciation dinner and sharing was held at Albert's home during Thanksgiving weekend, 2012. As part of the sharing, a video on the topic of *Humility* by John Dickson from Willow Creek's 2011 Global Leadership Summit was shown.
- Albert met with a representative from the Discovery Institute and gave him a tour of the CLRC facility on Lake Gaston.
- The slope facing the main building at the Lake Gaston facility was re-landscaped with ground cover and plants.

Prayer Requests

- Pray for the upcoming CLRC leadership seminar retreat **April 25-27, 2013**. The topic for this year is 聖靈在教會和信徒生命中之工作。The speaker is 黃子嘉牧師. Pray that the messages will inspire and fulfill the urgent needs for churches and God's people to truly understand the person and work of the Holy Spirit in our lives. The deadline for registration is **April 5**. (The dormitory will accommodate attendees on the FCFS basis.) Pray for all the attendees that the various programs during the retreat will also promote genuine fellowship and the kingdom spirit among them and the churches. Pray for this year's coordinator, Pastor Yip, and many other co-workers to serve effectively before, during and after the seminar retreat.
- Pray that God will provide the right candidate for the part time Associate Director position (*Job description and Qualifications* are available upon request.)
- The decision for 2014 seminar speakers (topic: 基督僕人領袖的靈命與品性) and the overall coordinator .
- Pray for the CLRC bimonthly sharing/praying meetings (The next one is scheduled on **April 6**, Saturday morning). Everyone is welcome to attend.

Albert Yeh on behalf of the CLRC Team