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## Loaves and Fishes Ministry, Inc. A Year in Review 2010-2011

### The Mission of Loaves and Fishes Ministry, Inc.

To serve as an extended family to a group of at-risk children through long-term, individualized support so the children succeed in school and in society.

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Board Members enjoyed several activities with the students. Ralph and Talijwan enjoyed seeing the Durham Bulls.

### Staff

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Laska Blodgett  
Tony Barney

Executive Director  
Academic Director  
Enrichment Director  
Administrative Assistant  
Middle School Instructor  
Elementary Instructor



Special outings help build the bond between staff and students. Middle school instructor, Laska Blodgett, is all smiles on an outing with Deaira, Taya and Devonte.

# Loaves and Fishes Highlights

The Board of Directors initiated a new annual campaign, **Hope for Children**. The Hope for Children goal was to raise \$90,000. The Hope for Children teams blew that goal away and raised an amazing \$99,415!

We increased the **number of volunteers** and the **total volunteer hours** over previous years. This had a tremendous impact on the amount of one-on-one time our students received after school.

Executive Director, Susan Duncan, was chosen as the **Marbles Museum Super Hero for Kids**. A celebration was held at the museum in May.



Wonderful volunteers helped our youngest students exceed academic expectations.

Our youngest students, the **Eager Beavers**, were our most impressive academic group this year. 90% of the students met their academic goals. Their secret? Hard work!

High school students participated in a **Gold Apprenticeship** program. The students helped prepare snacks, tutored, and assisted with office tasks.

A **Gratitude Garden** was started on the grounds of Milner Memorial Presbyterian Church. The garden honors those whose light has kindled a flame of hope in the life of a child. Anyone is invited to purchase a brick for the garden in honor or memory of someone who has made a difference in the life of a child. The LAF students, with the guidance of volunteer and 2011 Lifting Minds and Hearts Award Winner, Priscilla McRee, planted and watered the beautiful gratitude garden.



The students and Priscilla McRee worked together in the garden.

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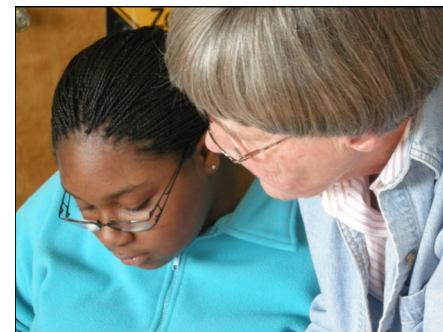
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## 2010-2011 By the Numbers

Loaves and Fishes Ministry was an extended family to **52 students** that are **5 to 19 years old**. We had **138 LAF family members** with the oldest being **91 years young**. We had **24 elementary students**, **12 middle school students**, and **16 high school students**. We are so proud of our **5 students who graduated in 2011**. That means that Loaves

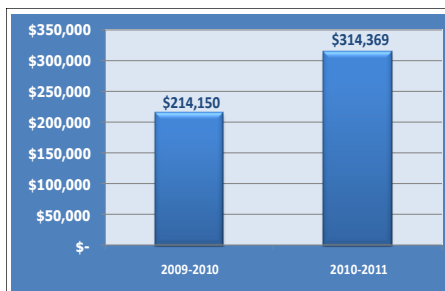


High school student, Demetrius Pulley, took this photo of Jan Ross helping Mahogany.

and Fishes has had a **94% graduation rate** since 2004. Of those graduates, **6 former LAF students** are in colleges and universities including UNC Chapel Hill, East Carolina University, NC Central University, and Wake Tech. This year **96% of our students** were promoted and are moving forward. Over **100 Volunteers** provided over **1,600 Total volunteer hours**. We had **837 Individual Donors** with gifts ranging from **\$2 to**

**\$5,000**. Loaves and Fishes **raised \$314,369** in Unrestricted Revenue - that's a **47% increase** over the previous year! The organization

finished the year with a **Net Operating Income of \$70,101** and was able to establish an **\$84,000** cash reserve account. We did this while decreasing annual expenses by **\$2,000**. The annual Lifting Minds and Hearts Breakfast raised **over \$80,000**. And over **1,000,000 Blessings** each and every day!



Each student had access to the internet each day after school.



Cheri Coleman, Academic Director and K-2 Instructor, helps Nasir with his math.

## Academics

By Cheri Coleman

Academics was both exciting and challenging this year. We had the privilege of watching some of our new kindergarten students go from entering the program last fall still struggling to recognize the letters of the alphabet to blossoming into readers by the end of the school year. **Reading** was a huge part of our academic time this

year for all of the students from kindergarten through high school. The children all spent 20 to 30 minutes reading or being read to each day. We also incorporated **vocabulary development** into this as students would pause to look up words they did not know.

Computers are a huge part of today's academic world and, at LAF, all of our students from kindergarten through high school had access to **state of the art computers** with **specialized learning software** each day after school this year. While the older students use the computers to access their teachers' websites, complete research projects, and write papers, the younger students enjoy playing academic games on the computers. In addition to making improvements to every computer, we were able to purchase four new children's computers for our K-2<sup>nd</sup> grade students that includes a child-friendly web browser!



A little individual attention goes a long way.



Executive Director, Susan Duncan, helps Rasheeda with her Algebra homework.

Some of our high school students took on the challenge of **honors classes**, not an easy road to take as they contended with the other pressures of adolescence. However, the students successfully ended the year with Bs (and one C) in their honors classes.

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## Enrichment

By Dana Wright

Each year our goal in Enrichment is to create meaningful experiences for our students through exposure, exploration, and hands-on activities.

The students learned sports like **baseball, basketball, and golf** and enjoyed **tennis lessons** with Raleigh Parks and Recreation.

The National Charity League provided awesome **Halloween, Christmas, Winter and Spring parties** for the elementary students.



Taya and Dymond learn to swim at Triangle Aquatic Center.



Jawonna and Carolyn cut up fruit in cooking class with the Interfaith Food Shuttle.

The students learned about **Nutrition** with the Interfaith Food Shuttle.

As part of our **multi-cultural understanding project** the students went to a restaurant that prepared food represented in the culture they were researching. They all had a chance to sample new and different foods and then they found recipes so they could make it at home.

Wake Teen did an amazing job leading lessons on **Making Proud Choices**.

And Wake County Teen Court led many discussions on **choices, anger management, conflict resolution** and much more.

The high school students participated in a pilot program at the Nature Research Center, a new wing at the **Museum of Natural Sciences**. They participated in a series of activities developed for the brand new wing.



Sports are a big part of enrichment time for all LAF students.

## Family Support

This year we had a variety of resourceful information at our monthly Family Meetings.

Jay Thomas talked with the parents about the importance of **parental involvement in the schools** and how to navigate the school system to get support for their children.

Isioma Ugbaja from Capital Area Teen Court led a discussion on **How to Communicate Effectively with Your Child**.

Quintin Murphy, Social Justice Advocate, shared information about **community resources and how to advocate** for yourself in a community setting.



Even the youngest of the LAF family members attend the monthly Family Nights.

Annie Bush, a former staff member, led a **budgeting class** for parents and guardians and talked about how to determine and prioritize our "wants" and our "needs."

## Volunteers and Tutors

Our volunteers are truly a saving grace for us each day. Our wonderful volunteers and tutors allow us to provide more individualized attention to each of our students. They bring a variety of experiences and expertise and we are extremely grateful for them. The volunteers



College students bring special energy to working with our students each day.

ranged from high school students to senior adults. The energy and enthusiasm that our volunteers bring helps our staff to keep the students focused and organized. We had a cadre of 48 regular program volunteers who provided nearly 1100 hours of academic and enrichment help. That doesn't even include the number of volunteers who came for special events. In addition, several grants allowed us to have eleven paid tutors to work with our students. The tutors worked at the schools which our students attend, so this brought an additional level of continuity between the students' school days and their time at Loaves and Fishes.

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Raleigh Chief of Police Harry Dolan was an inspirational speaker and popular with the students at Lifting Minds and Hearts.

## In Memoriam

### Mabel Duke Weeks 1929-2011

Mabel Duke was a beacon of light at Loaves and Fishes. For years she worked directly with the children in every program. She directed JATS, a training program for middle school students, and later the Family Support Group for parents. A founding member of the LAF Board of Directors, she served several terms as President and in numerous other capacities. She was unique in her fervor for tutoring, mentoring, teaching, loving and enjoying the children and their parents. She led all of us to a better understanding of the truths stated in our original LAF song: "Sharing loaves and fishes means giving all you've got. Sometimes it's a little; often it's a lot. Sharing with a neighbor and sharing with friend; Working with each other to help sadness end." No one has supported Loaves and Fishes with more passion than Mabel Duke Weeks and her guiding light will never be extinguished.

— by Betty Anne Ford



Mabel Duke doing one of the things she truly loved - working with LAF students.

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