A Message from
CYO Executive Director
EDWARD J. TINDER

Working for the Catholic Youth Organization for the past 19 years, and serving as Executive Director since October, 1984, has been among the most rewarding endeavors of my adult life. This experience not only has given me the opportunity to serve an organization that I admire, respect and fondly love, but it has also provided me with an indescribable personal growth opportunity. My co-workers have been extremely talented and hardworking. Collectively, the volunteers have been the very best in the community. Patrons have been extremely generous. Board and committee members always epitomize the most outstanding leadership in our area and in the Catholic Church. I have a tremendous sense of gratification that comes from being part of a team of people who have made great things happen.

With a lot of hard work, and especially financial support, CYO is discovering new and expanded ways to meet the needs of youth so they may grow to be responsible, caring adults. It is incredible to think about some remarkable statistics which indicate our phenomenal growth. Since 1993, CYO sports and recreation programs have grown by 85%. Summer camp attendance has risen by over 50%. School groups using camp facilities for outdoor education programs is up an unbelievable 230%. We have added several new programs, and upgraded facilities at camp.

Anyway you look at it, CYO has enjoyed big time growth over the past five years. When asked, “Where do we go from here?” my response is that we’re just warming up for the new millennium. CYO stands ready to meet the next century with enthusiasm. I say this with confidence because for the past several years CYO has been building a strong people focused foundation. We have a model program of mentoring young people but realize more needs to be done.

The hard work ahead is obvious and rest assured CYO is up to the challenge. I personally wish to thank all of you who have helped make the CYO an on-going reality for thousands of youth in this city. Please know that your continued faith and support are vital to the CYO for the future. With this annual report we confidently celebrate the CYO of today, tomorrow and always.
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YEAR IN REVIEW
July 1, 1997 - June 30, 1998

1997 Fall Activities

FOOTBALL
- 27 teams participated in the 56 league
- 19 teams participated in the Cadet league
- 984 players competed together

FALL KICKBALL
- CYO kickball program continues to grow with 151 teams entered into the Fall league
- By comparison, 139 teams participated in the previous Fall league

BOYS & GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL
- First year for boys high school volleyball with 10 teams entered into the league
- 14 teams participated in the girls high school program

CHESS LEAGUE
- The inaugural season for CYO Chess League
- 9 schools entered 23 teams into the league with over 125 youths participating

CYO GOLF OUTING
- Fifth Annual Golf Outing held at The Links Golf Club in New Palestine, Indiana
- The outing raised almost $10,000 for CYO programs

GIRLS BASKETBALL
- The Girls Basketball program grew again with 192 teams entered into the program
- Last year 180 teams participated
- Over 1,500 girls participated in girls basketball program
1997-98 Winter Activities

BOYS BASKETBALL
- The Boys Basketball Program grew from 343 teams last year to 360 teams
- Almost 3000 boys participated in the CYO Boys Basketball Program

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL
- The Girls Volleyball Program grew to 220 teams, up from 202 teams the previous season
- Almost 2,000 girls played CYO volleyball

WRESTLING
- 15 teams entered with the league and 300 boys participated

CYO MUSIC CONTEST
- Almost 700 youths from throughout the Archdiocese participated in the CYO Music Contest held at Bishop Chatard High School
- Competition was held in the piano, vocal and instrumental divisions

BOWLING TOURNAMENT
- Over 100 bowlers participated with competition held in the following divisions: Junior High, Freshman-Sophomore, Junior-Senior and Adult Men & Women

SCIENCE FAIR
- 112 youths representing 21 schools from throughout the Indianapolis Archdiocese participated in the CYO Science Fair
- Students exhibited projects in Physical and biological divisions

ONE ACT PLAYS FESTIVAL
- Seven plays were entered into the high school One Act Play Competition and four plays were entered into the junior high One Act Play Competition

1998 Spring Activities

BASEBALL
- 25 Cadet teams entered into the program and 350 boys participated

SPRING KICKBALL
- The Spring Kickball Program grew to 105 teams, up from 83 teams the previous Spring season
- Over 1,200 girls played CYO Spring Kickball

SOCCER
- The CYO Soccer program grew to 46 teams with 26 teams entered into the 56 league and 20 teams entered into the Cadet league.
- Over 900 boys and girls played CYO Soccer

TRACK
- 19 teams participated in the CYO Track program with almost 1,000 boys and girls participating
- The city-wide track meet was held at the Indiana University Track Stadium on the campus of IUPUI

VOLUNTEER AWARDS CEREMONY
- The 1998 CYO Volunteer Awards Ceremony was held May 5, 1998 at SS. Peter and Paul Cathedral
- 12 youths received Spirit of Youth Awards
- 22 adult volunteers received Monsignor Albert Busald Awards
- 8 adult volunteers received St. John Bosco Medals
1998 Summer Activities

SUMMER CAMPING
• 1,710 Campers spent a week at CYO Camp Rancho Framasa
• 191 children attended camp on partial or full campships

HIGH SCHOOL CO-ED SOFTBALL
• 12 parishes and almost 200 youth participated

CASH RAFFLE
• 24th Annual Cash Raffle raised $11,554 for the CYO
• 257 tickets were sold to the raffle
• Jim and Gretchen Cain were the winners of the $15,000 Grand Prize

1997-98 CYO Activities Report

FOOTBALL
1997 FOOTBALL JAMMOREE
Roncalli High School Stadium
Saturday, September 6, 1997
Teams - 48, Participates - 1,000
Final Score - North 52, South 50

1997 CEDOT FOOTBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 15, Participates - 425
League Champion - St. Jude
Division #1 Champion - St. Luke
Division #2 Champion - St. Barnabas
Division #3 Champion - Holy Name

1997 BAY CEDOT LEAGUE
Teams - 29, Participates - 500
League Champion - St. Luke
Division #1 Champion - St. Luke
Division #2 Champion - Nativity
Division #3 Champion - Holy Name

1997 BAY FOOTBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 39, Participates - 600
League Champion - St. Jude
League Runners-up - St. Luke
Division #1 Champion - St. Luke
Division #2 Champion - Nativity
Division #3 Champion - Holy Name

KICKBALL (Fall)
1997 CEDOT A FALL KICKBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 22, Participates - 250
League Champion - Petty Point
League Runners-up - Mount Carmel
Division #1 Champion - St. Luke
Division #2 Champion - Holy Name
Division #3 Champion - St. Luke

1997 BAY FALL KICKBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 29, Participates - 300
League Champion - St. Pius X
League Runners-up - St. Barnabas
Division #1 Champion - St. Luke
Division #2 Champion - St. Luke
Division #3 Champion - Holy Name
Division #4 Champion - Nativity

1997 BAY FALL KICKBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 39, Participates - 400
League Champion - St. Pius X
League Runners-up - St. Barnabas
Division #1 Champion - St. Luke
Division #2 Champion - St. Luke
Division #3 Champion - St. Luke
Division #4 Champion - Holy Name

1997 BAY FALL KICKBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 39, Participates - 450
League Champion - St. Michael
League Runners-up - St. Barnabas
Division #1 Champion - St. Luke
Division #2 Champion - St. Barnabas
Division #3 Champion - Holy Name
Division #4 Champion - Nativity
Division #5 Champion - St. Luke

1997 BAY FALL KICKBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 39, Participates - 500
League Champion - St. Michael
League Runners-up - St. Barnabas
Division #1 Champion - Holy Name
Division #2 Champion - Nativity

1997 CYO ST. MATTHEW CADET A GIRLS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
Teams - 15, Participates - 250
Semifinalists - St. Luke and St. Andrew

1997 CYO LADY OF LOURDES CADET B GIRLS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
Teams - 15, Participates - 250
Semifinalists - St. Pius X P and Mt. Carmel B

1997 CYO LITTLE FLOWER 5&6 GIRLS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
Teams - 30, Participates - 500
Semifinalists - St. Monica and St. Barnabas W

1997 CYO MOUNT CARMEL 6&8 GIRLS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
Teams - 30, Participates - 500
Semifinalists - St. Monica and St. Barnabas W

1997 CYO ST. BARNABAS 4&5 GIRLS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
Teams - 30, Participates - 500
Semifinalists - St. Monica and St. Barnabas W

1997-98 CADET A BOYS BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 36, Participates - 375
League Champion - St. Pius X
League Runners-up - St. Thomas
Division #1 Champion - St. Pius X
Division #2 Champion - St. Barnabas
Division #3 Champion - Holy Name
Division #4 Champion - Nativity
Division #5 Champion - St. Luke

1997-98 CADET B BOYS BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 36, Participates - 375
League Champion - St. Pius X P
League Runners-up - St. Barnabas
Division #1 Champion - St. Pius X P
Division #2 Champion - St. Luke
Division #3 Champion - Holy Name
Division #4 Champion - Nativity
Division #5 Champion - St. Luke

1997-98 5&6 BOYS BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 40, Participates - 450
League Champion - St. Michael
League Runners-up - St. Barnabas
Division #1 Champion - Holy Name
Division #2 Champion - Nativity
Division #3 Champion - St. Luke
Division #4 Champion - St. Barnabas

1997-98 5&6 A BOYS BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 40, Participates - 450
League Champion - St. Michael
League Runners-up - St. Barnabas
Division #1 Champion - Holy Name
Division #2 Champion - Nativity
Division #3 Champion - St. Luke
Division #4 Champion - St. Barnabas
Division #5 Champion - Holy Name
Division #6 Champion - Nativity
Division #7 Champion - St. Luke
Division #8 Champion - St. Barnabas

1997-98 5&6 B BOYS BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 40, Participates - 450
League Champion - St. Michael
League Runners-up - St. Barnabas
Division #1 Champion - Holy Name
Division #2 Champion - Nativity
Division #3 Champion - St. Luke
Division #4 Champion - St. Barnabas
Division #5 Champion - Holy Name
Division #6 Champion - Nativity
Division #7 Champion - St. Luke
Division #8 Champion - St. Barnabas
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BASEBALL
1998 CADET BOYS BASEBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 26, Participants - 295
League Champion - St. Luke
League Runner-up - St. Babetes G
Division #1 Champion - St. Thomas
Division #2 Champion - St. Matthew
Division #3 Champion - St. Jude R

1997 BOYS HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 6, Participants - 275
League Champion - Little Flower
League Runner-up - St. Simon

1997 GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL LEAGUE
Tourney Champion - St. Jude
Tourney Runner-up - Holy Name

1997-98 BOYS JUNIOR-SENIOR BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 42, Participants - 350
League Champion - Holy Spirit Gast
League Runner-up - St. Matthew R
Division #1 Champion - St. Luke
Division #2 Champion - Holy Spirit Gast
Division #3 Champion - St. Matthew R
Division #4 Champion - St. Lawrence W
Division #5 Champion - St. Matthew B
Division #6 Champion - Good Shepherd
Division #7 Champion - OL Grosswood

1997-98 GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 22, Participants - 175
League Champion - Immaculate Heart B
League Runner-up - OL Luises B
Division #1 Champion - Immaculate Heart B
Division #2 Champion - OL Luises B
Division #3 Champion - Activity W

1998-99 BOYS FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 42, Participants - 275
League Champion - Nativity R
League Runner-up - St. Jude G
Division #1 Champion - Mt. Carmel
Division #2 Champion - Mt. Carmel
Division #3 Champion - St. Jude R
Division #4 Champion - OL Luises R
Division #5 Champion - St. Jude G
Division #6 Champion - Nativity R

1998 BOYS JUNIOR-SENIOR BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
Tourney Champion - Mt. Carmel B
Tourney Runner-up - St. Lawrence W

1998 BOYS FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
Tourney Champion - Mt. Carmel B
Tourney Runner-up - Nativity R

1998 GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE
League Champion - Little Flower
League Runner-up - Nativity W

1998 GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL ARCHDIOCESAN BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
Tourney Champion - St. Louis Biskive
Tourney Runner-up - St. Francis, Terre Haute

1996 CO-ED VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT
Tourney Champion - St. Roch G

1996 HIGH SCHOOL CYO BOWLING COMPETITION
Fr. So. Boys High Game - Chris Frasca, St. Roch
Fr. So. Boys High Series - Daunt McGinnis, St. Roch
Fr. So. Girls High Game - Lisa Fiskman, St. Roch
Fr. So. Girls High Series - Melissa Zanola, St. Roch
Jr.-Sr. Boys High Game - Chris Black, St. Roch
Jr.-Sr. Boys High Series - Kevin Krohe, St. Roch
Jr.-Sr. Girls High Game - Courtney Runnen, Little Flower
Jr.-Sr. Girls High Series - Carrie Williamson, Little Flower
Fr. So. Team High Game - St. Roch
Fr. So. Team High Game - Little Flower
Jr.-Sr. Team High Game - Little Flower
Jr.-Sr. Team High Game - Good Shepherd
Women's High Game - Stacy Ballant, St. Jude
Women's High Game - Meyers McGuire, Good Shepherd

1997 ONE-_ACT PLAY FESTIVAL HIGH SCHOOL
Prophets - 6, Participants - 75
Best Make-up - St. Roch
Best Costume - St. Roch
Best Actress Runnen - Dauntie Lobo, Holy Trinity
Best Actor - Suzy Schott, St. Roch
Best Actor Runnen - Kyle Baurick, St. Roch
Best Actor - Ian Koz, Good Shepherd
Best Director - Ole Galtman, St. Roch
Third Place Play - Holy Trinity
Second Place Play - Good Shepherd
Over All Play - St. Roch
HoraceR]故障
Lindsey Schworer, St. Roch
Sharon Demko, Good Shepherd
Todd Jordan, Good Shepherd
David Shrew, Good Shepherd
Stephan Basak, Good Shepherd

1996 CYO CO-ED SOFTBALL LEAGUE
Teams - 11, Participants - 175
League Champion - St. Roch
League Runner-up - St. Philip/Holy Cross

1996 CO-ED SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT
Tourney Champion - St. Roch
Tourney Runner-up - St. Philip/Holy Cross

REVENUE:
Contributions $166,816
Archdiocesan Support 67,564
United Way Allocation $23,845
Facilities Maintenance Grants 45,608
Program Service Fees-Athletic & Cultural 304,325
Program Service Fees-Fund-Raising 415,173
Endowments & Other 41,169
Total Revenue $1,064,500

EXPENSES:
Athletic & Cultural Programs $413,431
Camping Program 524,303
Management & General 67,732
Fund-Raising 46,056
Total Expenses $1,051,522

Revenue over Expenses $12,978

Summary Financial Information
Results of Program Operations Year Ended December 31, 1997

CONTRIBUTIONS
16%
Archdiocesan Support
2%
United Way
27%
Athletic & Cultural Fees
39%
Endowments & Other
4%
Special Events
4%