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YEAR-END GIVING OPPORTUNITY

Rochester College introduced an integrated learning model this fall to carry the institution into the future. The model builds upon the college's greatest strengths, allowing us to do an even better job providing challenging academics in a Christian community.

The last issue of the *North Star* included articles about the new academic model, several campus improvements, and our growing enrollment. We made those improvements and awarded scholarships for additional students with faith our friends would help fund those projects through their year-end giving.

I ask you to consider making a generous gift to assist us as we continue to develop Christian leaders for tomorrow.

Rubel Shelly, President



CHILL Renovation • \$50,000

Serving as a focal point for the new integrated learning model, the CHILL provides a setting designed to nurture student and faculty interaction, individual and collaborative study, and special programming. The facility offers a coffee shop atmosphere with tables, bookcases, and brightly covered couches and chairs.



Athletic Improvements • \$69,700

Offering additional opportunities for student participation, the college added junior varsity teams in men's baseball and women's basketball. During the summer, workers replaced the original 1963 gym floor with a layered wood and rubber surface that provides improved safety for student athletes.



Gallaher Renovation • \$22,600

In addition to restoration of a main room in the former estate house for the campus store, the Gallaher Center renovation project included new carpeting and furnishings for the building's lobby and admissions wing. The project has enhanced the first impressions made upon campus guests and prospective students.



Additional Student Scholarships • \$250,000

A 38% increase in the number of new students entering Rochester College this fall resulted in the need for additional scholarship funding. In a time of national economic stress, more students required scholarship assistance. Investment in the future of students pays eternal dividends.

A gift of \$300 qualifies you for a complimentary anniversary book!

Relive the exciting history of North Central Christian College, Michigan Christian College, and Rochester College. *The Seasons of Rochester College* recreates the

institution's story in a beautiful 9X12" hardbound coffee table book. Memories will flood your mind as you view over 300 photographs and read the stories in this colorful 144-page keepsake!

Individuals donating \$300 or more between September 1, 2009 and August 30, 2010 who have not received a book will be sent a complimentary copy. Donations can be mailed in this envelope or made online at www.rc.edu/donate.

