

SCHNELLER ALUMNI AND FRIENDS ASSOCIATION

Vancouver, WA 2/23/2011

I am happy to inform you that our get-together this year 2011 is scheduled to be in Niagara Falls, Canada, **June 17-19, 2011**. Please contact **Rafik El-Far** at **416-536-6031, Toronto, Canada**, regarding accommodation.

Last year's get-together took place in Stuttgart and Erpfingen, Germany. Alumni and friends commemorated the 150th Anniversary of the founding of the Schneller Schools in Palestine, Jordan and Lebanon. The celebrations included speeches and presentations by prominent personalities with emotional and financial ties to the Schneller Schools.

The Alumni visited the grave of Aboona **Hermann Schneller** in Erpfingen, They paid their respects and admiration to a very influential man in our lives. They celebrated with the municipality of Erpfingen the life of Hermann Schneller. They sang Arabic and German songs, they danced to the music and they left behind lots of hugs, laughs and beautiful memories. We expect, that one of our future get-togethers, will be one year in Erpfingen, Germany.

Special thanks to **Eva** and **Basil Rischmaui** for providing the delicious food and coordinating the get-together. Many thanks go to **Richard Fagher**, for donating the dinner, at the municipality, in Erpfingen. A big gratitude is due to **Nicolas Neaimi** who donated the wreath at Aboona's grave, and led the Association's activities. A big hug and appreciation are in order for all those who attended from Lebanon, Germany, Canada, America, Austria and England.

The Lutheran Board for Mission Support disbursed US\$56,000 to the School for daily operations, computers and the science laboratory. Thanks to all who cared.

I am looking forward, to sharing with you, in Niagara Falls, bread, laughs and memories. Please come and bring your children with you.

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