

Sept
2024



HIGHLIGHTS:

- Wilson SDA Junior Academy News
- August Board Meeting
- Artwork from WJA
- Classified Ads



Wilson SDA Junior Academy

Students arrived with colorful new lunch boxes, shiny backpacks, and bags of school supplies on August 14, then gathered around the flag pole for our first pledge of allegiance, officially kicking off another exciting school year. While our enrollment may be low, our opportunities for strong relationships and growth is huge, both academic and spiritual. Already, our 10th grade class has been delving into how to accomplish "hard things". We've read the book,

"Do Hard Things - A Teenage Rebellion Against Low Expectations" by Alex & Brett Harris, a book by teens to teens. Now, they're researching and creating their own life plan for how to step-by-step successfully accomplish what God lays in his/her path.

Fifth through eighth grade has been learning about the great controversy, the spiritual fight for control of our thoughts and actions, all day, every day. Look carefully at three of the student's artwork depicting the battle. I also encourage you to check out our school Facebook page for more explanation, and use it as an opportunity to point others to our page. These kids are amazing!

Our bell choir is already preparing for our first performance in October. Be ready to have buttons flying off shirts in pride of these talented young people.

We are also happy to announce that we have an energetic and excited kindergartener who joined our ranks! He brings extra joy and excitement to our school family.

Early September brings our first opportunity for community service. We'll be helping Camp Sagola get shined up for UP Camp Meeting! Leaders are always amazed at how much actual assistance our students provide. We can be proud of the strong work ethic our students exhibit.

We appreciate your continued support through your prayers and financial stewardship, giving through the combined budget. You are investing in our young people, making deposits in Heaven.

--Blessings,

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From the August Board Meeting

The building committee reports:

*The cemetery garage siding project is finished (thank you, Dennis Hahn)

*School gym projects in progress -- electrical outlet adjustments, metal studs, spray insulation, sheeting up of walls (drywall, drywall plus plywood on bottom 8 feet). Being arranged: drywall taping and painting. Kevin Boerschinger is site coordinator for this project.



Evangelism activities and plans:

*Several ongoing Bible studies are in progress

*October Evangelistic meetings format -- Pentecost 2025? Local Week of Prayer?

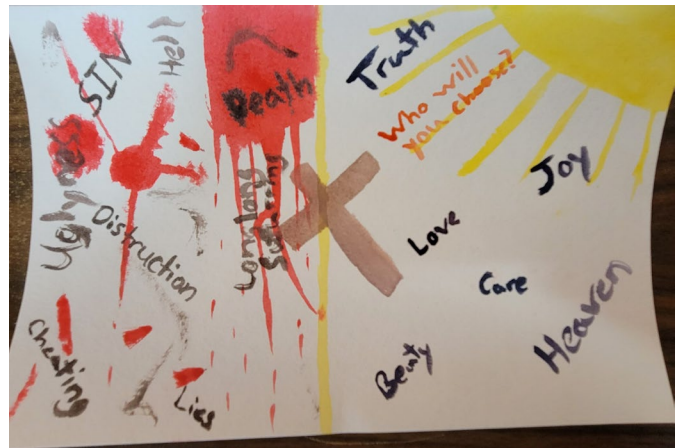
* Strong Tower Radio -- all UP churches are sharing in fund raising for an addition STR tower

* Remind members of the church and conference web pages

(Board Meeting, cont.)

The status of WJA was reported: It will cost us \$1800 a month to preserve the 9th and 10th grade program. Members continue to meet on Sabbath morning to pray for our school, remembering that Adventist education is our most effective evangelistic tool, and feeling that this congregation has thrived because of the effort invested in the school program. Members are urged to put its welfare on their private prayer lists.

Artwork from WJA



Miscellaneous Announcements & Classified Ads



Boerschinger Boy Baking

Making bread to order
call 906-639-3632
Ask for Zebulun



Free -- you haul

Fred Berger has some large flower pots to give away!

These are filled with dirt, ready to plant.

Three plastic pots, faded terra cotta

Two fiber glass, red

Call 906-639-3310

Are you signed up for the church
campout at Wells Park?



Chicken \$3 doz

Eggs for Sale



Duck \$3 for ½ doz

Call 906-639-3632

Ask for Ezra

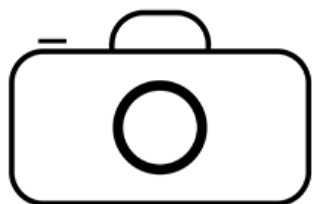
Don't forget about our ongoing Rada fundraiser. They have a great selection of knives and kitchen utensils that are a great gift or just a great new addition to your own supply!

If you shop online please use the link above, or you may search for **Wilson SDA Jr. Academy** at <https://radafundraising.com/pages/select-your-fundraising-group> . If you prefer a catalog, please contact Brandee Groleau! She is also willing to help you with your orders.

The funds raised will go directly towards finishing our school gym project so that our school can function at its greatest potential for our students and teachers. Please help us meet this goal!

RADA Cutlery Fundraiser for the WJA School
Expansion

<https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=1820058.87e8e7>
or call Brandee Groleau (906) 399-9247 (call or text)



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- Weddings

- Engagements

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- Senior Portraits

- Family Portraits