



Spring would seem to be here (finally!) and Summer is on the horizon! As we look forward to this school year ending and a summer of fun, we've included some information to finish off this year and to help us get ready for the 2014-2015 school year.

Day at the Capitol

This year's *Day at the Capitol* was held on Tuesday, February 11. Pictures from the day are available on the WACS website under the Legislative tab and then to the [Day at the Capitol page](#).

AACS National Competition Winners

Congratulations to the following students who were our national winners at the 2014 AACS National competition in Greenville, SC! Congratulations to our Wisconsin schools who placed twelfth in the AACS "Cup of Excellence." A complete list of winners is available on-line at www.wacschools.org/competition-results.

1ST PLACE WINNERS

SACRED PIANO DUET	Prigge/Wright	Maranatha Baptist Academy, Watertown
ORAL INTERP OF SCRIPTURE	Rachel Mayes	Maranatha Baptist Academy, Watertown
EXPOSITORY WRITING: ESSAY	Rachel Mayes	Maranatha Baptist Academy, Watertown

2ND PLACE WINNERS

EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING	Victoria Morris	Maranatha Baptist Academy, Watertown
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3RD PLACE WINNERS

BIBLE QUIZZING		Kettle Moraine Baptist Academy, Whitewater
ORCHESTRA/BAND – CLASS A		Maranatha Baptist Academy, Watertown
BIBLE TEACHING	Hannah Fuller	Kettle Moraine Baptist Academy, Whitewater
FEMALE VOCAL SOLO	Britan Smith	Kettle Moraine Baptist Academy, Whitewater
INSTRUMENTAL BRASS SOLO	Jonathan Hatchett	Kettle Moraine Baptist Academy, Whitewater

AACS Youth Legislative Training Conference

This summer from July 7-11 students from AACS schools around the country will gather in Washington, D.C. for the AACS Youth Legislative Training Conference. Thanks to generous donations the cost to the students only includes transportation, personal expenses, and a small registration fee. This year three students from Wisconsin were selected by AACS to attend with a fourth on the waiting list. Mr. Jim Braugher and his wife, Heidi will also be going to the YLTC as sponsors. Congratulations to these WACS students:

Bethany Brunner, Bay City Baptist School
Tyler Chapman, Maranatha Baptist Academy
Alyssa Wright, Maranatha Baptist Academy



WACS Calendar 2014-2015

- Sept. 1
Soccer/Volleyball Dropout Date
Soccer /Volleyball Rosters Due
- Sept. 5-6
Soccer Kickoff Classic - Menomonee Falls
- Sept. 5-6
Volleyball Tip Off Classic - Menomonee Falls and LaCrosse
- Sept. 8-10
AACS Legislative Conference - Washington D.C.
- Oct. 1
Membership Applications Due
- Oct. 9-10
WACS/MACS Educators' Conference
Wisconsin Dells
- Oct. 9
Fall Athletic Meeting
- Oct. 9
Basketball Registrations/Fees Due
- Oct. 10
WACS Board Meeting
- Oct. 20
Soccer/Volleyball Nominations Due
- Oct. 24-28
State Soccer/Volleyball Playoffs
- Oct. 31-Nov 1
State Soccer/Volleyball Tournaments - Green Bay
- Dec. 1
Basketball Rosters Due
- Dec. 5-6
Basketball Tip Off Classic - Waupaca
- Jan. 30
JH/SH State Competition and Elementary/JH/SH Bible Quizzing Registrations Due
- Feb. 10
Day at the Capitol - Madison



WACS Update

WACS Calendar

Our 2014-2015 calendar is listed to the side of this update. It can also be found on our website under the [About Us](#) tab.

Educators' Conference

Mark your calendars to join us again this fall! Next year's Educators' Conference is set for October 9 - 10, 2014 and will be held once again at the Glacier Canyon Lodge in Wisconsin Dells. We've already begun planning the conference and registration forms and conference flyers will be available soon at www.wacschools.org/educators-conference. Here are a couple of things you can help us with:

1. We are in need of exhibitors and sponsors for the conference. Many times there are people that we do business with and people in our churches who would be interested in exhibiting at our conference. **Special Offer**—For every first time exhibitor attending our conference that you enlist you will receive One Free Conference Registration for your staff. The exhibitor and sponsor forms are available at www.wacschools.org/exhibitor-and-sponsor-information.html.
2. We will once again be recognizing a Teacher of the Year from our WACS schools at the conference. Please go online to submit your nominations at www.wacschools.org/teacher-of-the-year.

Pastors'/Administrators' Meetings

We recently held our annual regional pastors/administrative meetings around the state. We had great participation from our WACS schools. Thank you for your involvement!

WACS Officers

The following are our officers, board members, and directors for the 2014-2015 school year:

Officers

Bob Loggans, President
Lane Hansel, Vice-President
Paul Brown, Executive Director
Jeremy Shaeffer, Treasurer

Board Members

Randall King, Oshkosh
Randy Melchert, Milwaukee
George Schlagel, Union Grove
John Steuerwald, Stoughton
Stephen Terpstra, La Crosse

Directors

Athletic Director: Randy Tanis
Legislative Representative:
Julaine Appling, WFC
State Competition Director:
Jim Braugler

WACS Website

Visit our WACS website at www.wacschools.org. We will strive to keep it up-to-date with current and accurate information. Be sure to check back often to keep up-to-date on all the happenings in WACS!

WACS School Accreditation

The Accreditation Application for WACS is now available online at www.wacschools.org at the Benefits page under the About Us tab. The AACS Accreditation links are also there. If you have questions about starting the accreditation process, please contact the WACS office.

From the WACS Office

If we can be of service to you in any way please let us know. Visit our WACS website at www.wacschools.org. We will strive to keep it up-to-date with current and accurate information. Be sure to check back often to keep up-to-date on all the happenings in WACS! If you have any questions feel free to contact Linda DeGroot at the WACS office in Green Bay at 920-499-5561 or by email at office@wacschools.org. To contact the President of WACS, Pastor Bob Loggans, send an email to bloggans@cbcs.org. To contact Pastor Brown, Executive Director, send an email to director@wacschools.org.



WACS Calendar 2014-15

- Feb. 23
SH Debate Competition - Location TBD
- Feb. 23
Basketball Nominations Due
- Feb. 24-26
JH/SH Academic Testing for State Competition
- Feb. 27
Elementary State Competition Registrations Due
- Feb. 27-Mar. 3
State Basketball Playoffs
- Mar. 6-7
Men's and Women's State Basketball Tourney - MBBC
- Mar. 13
JH/SH State Competition - Watertown
- Mar. 16
AACS National Competition Registration Deadline
- Mar. 17
Elementary/JH/SH Bible Quizzing - Watertown
- Mar. 31-Apr. 2
Elementary Academic Testing for State Competition
- Apr. 14-16
AACS Academic and Fine Arts Competition—Greenville, SC
- Apr. 15
FQA Elementary Bible Quizzing Finals - Greenville, SC
- Apr. 20
Spring Athletic Meeting
Pastors' and Administrators' Meeting
Board Meeting - Location TBD
- Apr. 24
Elementary State Competitions - Green Bay and Menomonee Falls
- Apr. 30
Soccer/Volleyball Registrations and Fees Due for 2014-2015
- July TBD
AACS Youth Legislative Training Conference - Washington, D. C.