



Summer has flown by again and here we are ready for another year of serving our member schools! We hope your school year will have a wonderful start with lots of anticipation for the great year ahead. We in the WACS office desire to help you stay informed and want to know if there is anything we can do to help you in your school!



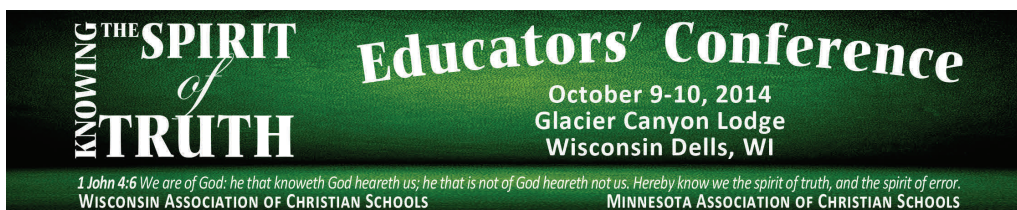
WACS Membership Registration

We are ready for the 2014-2015 school year registrations to begin! Registrations are due in the WACS office by October 1. Registrations not submitted by October 1 will incur a late fee. We have again streamlined the process this year. All forms must be submitted electronically and can be accessed online at www.wacschools.org/membership. Please contact the WACS office if you need assistance with the forms.

Registration fees have remained the same again this year at just \$14 for each student and faculty member. This registration fee gives your school and students all the benefits of being a WACS member as well as including your registration with AACCS. All registrations are due in the WACS office by October 1 in order for your school to be eligible to participate in all the WACS events. The WACS board is also encouraging each school to give \$10 for each student and faculty member for our legislative representatives, who lobby on our behalf in Madison. Fees can now be paid using a credit card or Paypal account.

WACS Soccer/Volleyball Kick Off Classic

The 2014 WACS Soccer Kick Off Classic and the Volleyball Tip Off Classics will be held September 5 - 6. Faith Baptist School in LaCrosse is hosting schools that only have a volleyball team while Calvary Baptist School in Menomonee Falls is hosting those schools that have both soccer and volleyball. Make plans to attend this great start to our Soccer and Volleyball seasons! Schedules for the Classics can be found at www.wacschools.org on the athletic pages for Soccer and Volleyball.



We hope you've made plans to join us at this year's Educators' Conference on October 9 - 10, 2014. It will be held once again at the Glacier Canyon Lodge in Wisconsin Dells. Registration forms and conference flyers are available 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 you do business with and people in your 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. We urge every administrator to go online and submit your nominations at www.wacschools.org/teacher-of-the-year.

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 Classics - Menomonee Falls and LaCrosse
- Sept. 8-10
AACCS 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 (Tentative)
Day at the Capitol - Madison



WACS Update



Soccer/Volleyball State Tournament

The 2014 High School WACS Soccer/Volleyball State Tournament will be held at Bay City Christian School in Green Bay on October 31– November 1.

Rosters were to be submitted by September 1 also. All-state nominations are due **by October 20.** On Friday evening of the tournament we will have a mandatory service for all the teams. All-State awards will be given at that time.

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.

AACS Youth Legislative Training Conference

This summer from July 7–11 students from AACS schools around the country gathered in Washington, D.C. for the 19th annual AACS Youth Legislative Training Conference. Thanks to generous donations the cost to the students only included transportation, personal expenses, and a small registration fee. This year three students from Wisconsin were selected by AACS to attend. Congratulations to: Bethany Brunner from Bay City Christian School, Thomas Chapman and Alyssa Wright, both from Maranatha Baptist Academy. Once AACS sends their report it will be available at www.wacschools.org/aacs-youth-legislative-conference.html. Please be encouraging your students to apply for next summer's conference. We would love to have more WACS schools participating.

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

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 Braugher

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 updated 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.