

The Official Newsletter for Dakota Adventist Academy Sheyenne River Academy and Plainview Academy

November 2017

Alumni Weekend 2017

Anticipation was in the air the weekend of October 6 & 7 as the campus filled with alumni, friends, former staff, parents, and guests. From the east coast to the west coast, from north to south and places in between, alumni arrived to reunite with classmates and friends. Sounds of laughter and conversation were heard all over campus. Some had not been back since their graduation.

Friday evening vespers was presented by the class of 2008 with Charlotte Messer providing the devotional thought. Sabbath School was organized by the class of 2003 with our own DAA students presenting the lesson study. The class of 1978 planned the Worship Service with Terry Johnson as the worship speaker. Four members of the class of 1978 – Terry Johnson, Ted Glaser, Kimber Boyko, and Tim Choban accompanied by Arlo Heinrich '76 blessed the congregation with three musical numbers Sabbath afternoon. They had all been part of a musical group "Completion" in college. Jodi Gottfried Dossenko '97 and Arlo Heinrich also provided three numbers. The DAA showcase followed featuring our students performing in band, choir, bells and DAK. The class of 1998 closed the Sabbath hours with vespers.



Dr. Terry Johnson

L-R: Kimber Boyko, Ted Glaser III, Arlo Heinrich (piano), Tim Choban, Terry Johnson practice for Sabbath

As I wandered the halls and stopped to visit with alumni, I overheard many comments on the weekend.

"I haven't been back to alumni for over 30 years, I'm so glad I came", "What a wonderful weekend", and "The programs have been so spiritually uplifting", were just a few I heard.

Videos from the weekend are posted at www.youtube.com. Search for DAA Alumni Weekend 2017.

Our halls are now quieter and our students are leaving for the October home leave. Alumni reunions are just a sample of what we can look forward to when we get to our heavenly home. The difference will be never having to part again. What a glorious reunion to look forward to!

Dakota Adventist Academy

Building Friendships for Eternity

We prepare our students for a lifetime of commitment to God, service to society, and citizenship in Heaven!

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Honor Classes



Class of 1943 Robert Weisz



Class of 1948
Betty Schrenk Belmont
Leo Flemmer



Class of 1953
1st Row: Florian Tininenko, Lenhardt
Kungel, Leland Fischer, Lewis Johnson
2nd Row: Joyce Anderson Kahler,
Joyce Gottfried Fischer, Diann Wilmart,
Joyce Sivertson Miller



Class of 1958
Fran Schield Armstrong, Kay
Bruington Sorensen, Lenora
Wagner Werth, Bonnie Sivertson
Fandrich



Class of 1963
1st Row: Delilah Boyko Treft,
Barbara Haas Barker
2nd Row: Charles Darcy,
Glenn Boyko, Eldon Devnich



Class of 1968
1st Row: Darleen Tachenko Erickson, Debra Claymore Cuny,
Marlynda Rexinger Slattery,
Julayne Timothy Brude
2nd Row: Steve Erickson, Neil
Biloff, William Tarasen

Honor Classes



Class of 1978

1st Row: Tim Choban, Jeanette Johnson, Inez Johnson Boyko, Karen McBride Mobley, Ronda Geier Cheatham, Terrill Bailey Johnson, Karlene Chase Miller

2nd Row: Kimber Boyko, Susan Haas Dupper, Ted Glaser, Terry Johnson, Kevin Boyko



Class of 1998

1st Row: Travis Kreiter, Scott Cushman, Susan Reis Kahler, Heather Boyko Harring-

ton, Amy Barber Tanner

2nd Row: Rick Widicker, Bradley Kahler, Mitchell Merkel, Joshua Rittenbach



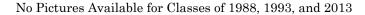
Class of 2003

1st Row: Kristin Gottfried, Chelsea Flemmer Christensen 2nd Row: Curtis Shumaker, Brock Hansen, Tyler Davis



Class of 2008

Kasey Bay, Charlotte Messer, Rebecca Chapman, Kendra Styron, Kellie Wienki, Jared Woll





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Nina Chase Clark Kathy Widicker Page 4 November 2017

A Message From Your Alumni President



Dear Alumni and Friends,

What a wonderful time we all shared this last alumni weekend. I am always so impressed with the talent we have had pass through the halls of our academies. The singing Sabbath afternoon was excellent, especially the group of gentlemen from the class of 1978. The speakers for vespers and church spoke from the heart and I truly hope everyone was as blessed as I was.

I would like to thank the class organizers for doing such a great job contacting their classmates and planning the programs. The students and staff had the school looking great and a warm welcome for the alumni. Alumni weekend is possible because of the effort of many people coming together

and working towards a common goal. Thank you all for that effort! I hope to see even more of you at the next alumni weekend so let's start planning now to make it to DAA next October.

Ben Dossenko '97 Alumni President

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Many people will walk in and out of your life, but only true friends will leave footprints in your heart.

PLEASE STAY CONNECTED:

We love to hear from you and your classmates love to keep up with you. Please send us your news, photos, and changes of address. For those of you who spend the winter months away from home, please send us your winter address and the time frame you will be gone. We will mail your newsletter to your winter address. Thank You.

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Principal's Message



Are you playing the game, or are you just "on the team"?

What does it mean to be on a team? In many cases, there are quite a number of people who make the team who never get to play. I took students to a flag football tournament at one of our sister schools and the hype was unbelievable. Students swaggered around with their letterman jackets identifying the sport and school which they were a part of. I wondered how so many could play on one team. Then the games started, and I saw how that worked. One person kicked the ball. Then he left the field. Other players came in for one play at a time, reentering periodically throughout the game. A handful of players never got onto the field at all, even towards the end, after the game's outcome had been decided. One or two played every minute of offense or defense, and I could see the awe and esteem with which those few were held in the eyes of their peers. But all of them — practice roster or game players — all of them were fiercely proud of "their team."

I looked over at my bedraggled unit of 7 guys. Each one was an integral part of the game. They all played most of the time. Each one had a position, and each one begged the one on the sidelines to replace him at some point. At the end of the tournament, they had nothing left. Spent. Exhausted. They, too, were happy to be part of the team.

Sometimes, going to a smaller school or a smaller church has some disadvantages. The team won't always be a winning team, but you will always get on the field. Your presence and performance is critical. You are missed when you do not show. For my money, I'd rather play the game. I've yet to see a player get better from merely standing on the sidelines or sitting on the bench. True, they sometimes learn to coach better by watching, but putting the game into play is a different story.

If I could issue one challenge to every one of our DAA students, it would be this. Don't be satisfied simply to be on a team. Instead, do what you have to do to get into the game – in sports, in class, at home, in your church. I ask again, what does it mean to you to be on the team?

For all others who are reading this – you, too, need to be more than just a team member... get in the game. Come out and support the functions. Pray for the students. Support your local churches in supporting the school. Most importantly, if there are students in your congregation who need to be here – do your part to make that happen. Education is not a me thing or you thing... It is us. And frankly, I am already pretty impressed with the players on this team.



2017-2018 Spiritual Themes

School Theme — Fruits of the Spirit

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

Galatians 5:22-23 (ESV)

Staff Theme Verses

"Summing it all up, friends, I'd say you'll do best by filling your minds and meditating on things true, noble, reputable, authentic, compelling, gracious—the best, not the worst; the beautiful, not the ugly; things to praise, not things to curse." Philippians 4:8 (Message)

"Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples."

John 13:35 (NLT)

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DAA Experiencing a Great Year

School officially started August 13, with 39 students enrolling for this year. Excited conversation, laughter, renewing friendships and beginning new friendships was the order of the day. After two days of classes, most of the students headed to Northern Lights Camp for Camp Week.

Student Association officers and sponsors headed up to NLC ahead of the students to prepare for the rest of the group and to spend time developing leadership skills with Pastor Kris deBruin from the Bowdon District.

If anything can set the tone for a great school year, it was Camp Week: a time full of fun, learning new skills, getting to know the staff and other students, community service time, spending time with God, and enjoying the beautiful camp. Pastor Kris led out in the morning and evening worships focusing on the beatitudes in Matthew 5. When asked what her favorite part of camp week was, Shelby replied, "the worship talk;, I was able to connect with what Pastor Kris was saying." Falcon's favorite was meeting new people and making new friends. Jadyn responded, "Capture the Flag, especially when Karissa and I were hiding and the guys walked right by us without seeing us."

Memories, friendships, and connecting with God is what DAA is all about. Today our enrollment stands at 41. We seek your prayers as we continue the school year.





Students Share Their Talents

Two special weekends at the beginning of the school year have been special meaning as students and staff joined together to first dedicate DAA to God, and then to visit eight churches across the Dakota Conference and share their talents during the worship services.

Sabbath, August 26, was set aside to ask God to guide and lead our students, teachers, and staff as we began the school year. Students separated into groups and visited all the departments of DAA where they read texts from the Bible and had special prayer for the department and the staff. Everyone came back together in the chapel where Gary Way asked for God's blessing on the school.

The following Sabbath, September 2, found students and staff heading out to visit and worship in eight churches around the Conference. Students participated in the Worship service through special music, scripture reading, children's story, and the offering call for Secondary Education Endowment. Several of our staff presented sermons.

Both of these special Sabbaths emphasized our school theme for the year – Fruits of the Spirit. Based on Galatians 5:22-23, our students are exhibiting love, joy, faithfulness, and kindness. DAA students and staff not only want to bear fruits of the spirit, but also desire to show the world that they are disciples of Jesus.



- ← Dedication Sabbath for the Bible Room & Mr. Dennis
 - → Jonathan Justino shares a children's story at Minot

Community Service

Laughter and hard work don't always go hand in hand. However, with our students it does. It doesn't matter what the task is, they will always find a way to enjoy what they do as they give back to our community, our school and our camps.



Monday, September 4 was Labor Day and that is exactly what our students and staff did at Northern Lights Camp. Plans had been underway for several months to replace the old cafeteria. Before the new cafeteria could be started the old one needed to be demolished. The old boathouse down by the beach also needed to be torn down.

After breakfast the students, staff and several of the conference employees went to work. Shingles needed to be removed from the roof of the cafeteria in preparation for the demolition crew to come in and tear down the building. Other tasks in the cafeteria included packing up supplies and dishes, moving the freezer, washer and dryer to another location. Brick edging the area above the serving deck was also removed. Meanwhile down at the beach the old boat-

house was being torn down and over in the new chalet the cabinets were being installed. By three o'clock the work was finished. Students had accumulated 160 hours of community service credit while the staff had worked a total of 70 hours.



A sense of satisfaction in a job well done was felt by students and staff. Thank you to everyone who participated in this project. We all look forward to seeing the new cafeteria when it is completed.

Construction Program

Angles and fractions can seem like a mind blowing math assignment to some students, but put a saw in their hand and a blueprint in front of them, suddenly it makes practical sense. Join that with a vision of something they can be a part of making and you get the tiny house project.

The students participating in the construction program at Dakota Adventist Academy are excited to be doing just that. Offering three years of construction classes has DAA students involved with and learning the whole process of constructing a home. It gives them practical knowledge and skills, a deep sense of satisfaction and pride in a job well done. DAA is excited to have joined Bismarck/Mandan Home Builder's Association. Our students look forward to sharing their finished tiny house on the Parade of Homes in April.

DAA has dedicated its Tuesday social media posts to #TinyHouseTuesday to keep progress on the tiny house at the forefront of people's minds. Any students looking into the Construction trade would benefit from attending DAA's Construction program. Come check it out for yourself, see what we are so excited about. Follow us on social media —

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Our prayer is that we can grow this program and provide high school students with solid knowledge of the construction trade, resulting in an ethical, quality driven work force to build our future.



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National Honor Society Induction



The National Honor Society (NHS) is the nation's premier organization established to recognize outstanding high school students. More than just an honor roll, NHS serves to honor those students who have demonstrated excellence in the areas of scholarship with a GPA of 3.5 or higher, leadership, service, and character. These characteristics have been associated with membership in the organization since its beginning in 1921.

Today, it is estimated that more than one million students participate in NHS activities. NHS chapters are found in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, many U.S. territories, and Canada. Chapter membership not only recognizes students for their accomplishments, but challenges them to develop further through active involvement in school activities and community service.

A special vespers was held on Sabbath evening, October 28, to recognize and induct Jaelyn Pickett, Savannah Ulery, and Sierra Schlenker, who are all sophomores, into the Dakota Adventist Academy chapter of NHS. Each one of these students exemplifies the pledge of NHS, which is to maintain high scholastic standing, to hold as fundamental and worthy an untarnished character, to endeavor intelligently and courageously to be a leader, and to give themselves freely in ser-

vice to others.



Ms. Pam Castillo-sponsor, Jaelyn Pickett-Spiritual Vice President, Savannah Ulery-Secretary Treasurer, Jayden Anderson, Erica Chapman-President, Sierra Schlenker, Leticia Venegas, Mr. Gary Way-sponsor

Matching \$\$'s Allocated for Dorm Renovation Project

Hundreds of students have passed through these halls and lived in the dorm rooms since the school opened in 1977.

Our students spend many hours in their dorm rooms throughout the school year. It is their home away from home. Here they study, sleep, relax, and spend personal time in worship. Dorm rooms are also used during alumni weekends, camp meetings, and other special events.

Currently we have completed renovation on one wing in each dorm. Additionally, new windows have already been installed in two of the remaining four wings.

We appreciate all the donations received to date that have allowed us to accomplish as much as we have.

We are excited to announce that we have matching funds to put towards dorm renovation. For every dollar received, it will be equally matched up to **\$15.000.** While cost of materials and labor have increased. we are still committed to continue renovating the rooms as funds allow.

Please keep this project in mind as you continue to financially support DAA and our students.

Advancement Report



Sharon Heinrich Development Director

Alumni Updates

Sheyenne River Academy 1940's

Maxine Scofield '43 I am not able to attend alumni weekend this year, however, I have many fond memories of SRA. It was there I met Jesus and was baptized. My husband, Paul Scofield, also went to SRA. He taught school and pastored for 36 years. He passed to his rest in 2005. I want to say thank you for all SRA did for me. Without them I would have been a lost person. I am now 92 and walk 4 miles a day. God has been good.

Robert Weisz '43 Iam 92 and still living on my farm. I've been here for 85 years. My son is farming and with his sons there are four generations. I have four grandsons, two granddaughters, four great grandsons, and two great granddaughters. I have been widowed for 10 years.

1950's

Arlie Fandrich '59 After 44 years of teaching I retired in 2007. I'm currently doing substitute teaching in the Lincoln, NE public and Christian high schools. I still enjoy working with the youth, it keeps me young at heart. In addition I do private tutoring in Math.

I have many wonderful memories working with the students through the years and still keep in touch with many through social media. My teaching experience included 21 years in Academies (Cedar Lake/Great Lakes, Maplewood, and College View). The last 23 years leading up to 2007 were at Union College. I feel blessed to have had the privilege of working with so many younp people and their parents. It has been interesting going back to alumni weekends and seeing the 40 and 50 year alumni I had the privilege of teaching and remembering the old times when we were all young.

In Remembrance

Corrine Wagner Beck

SRA Class of 1952 October 6, 2017

Myron Beltz

PVA Class of 1967 June 2017

William Bender

PVA Class of 1950 October 12, 2017

Darrell Beyer

PVA Class of 1948 March 24, 2017

Pearl Throop Birth

SRA Class of 1943 April 7, 2017

Eldo Harr

SRA Class of 1957 May 27, 2016

Fred Holweger

PVA Class of 1947 August 13, 2017

Paul Kemper

PVA Class of 1938 August 30, 2017

Jerome Lang

SRA Class of 1948 August 15, 2017

Merle Lehmann

SRA Class of 1948 October 3, 2017

Lonnie Leui

PVA Class of 1960 September 26, 2017

Berneice Schield Lunday

SRA Class of 1952 August 1, 2017

Emanuel Rittenbach

SRA Class of 1947 September 7, 2017

Dennis Schlisner

PVA Class of 1961 September 1, 2017

Virginia Hartwick Renstrom Suter

PVA Class of 1948 *October 15, 2017*

"And God shall wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying.

There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away."

Revelation 21:4

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Class of 1946

Evelyn Tkachenko Allram Helen Schrenk Gussner Alice Fischer Haas Norman Haas Kenneth Jonietz Lillian Haas Jonietz Lindell Juhl Phyllis Smith Roehl Carol Carlson Seibold Clara Heitzmann Wetenkamp Aloha Morgenstern Wheeler Donnis Krietzky Wick

Class of 1947

Delaine Carlson Morford DE LaVern Opp

James Reiswig Lualla Kungel Wolfe

Class of 1948

Betty Schrenk Belmont Elwood Christenson Polly Roethel Justice Merle Lehmann Lila Hieb Schlenker

Class of 1949

Hazel Lovaas Henderson Ben Herr Gladys Seibold Hulse Ida Flemmer Lehmann Delores Liebelt Miller Ardyce Hansen Morgan Olga Flemmer Rodin Marlyn Schwartz Evelyn Schwartz Turner

Class of 1950

Doris Dygert Bietz Sylvester Bietz Marillyn Harr Bradley Sibyl Sivertson Herr Esther Rittenbach Novak Doris Vietz Opp Rosemarie Falstad Rexin Donna Remboldt Seibold

Class of 1951

Ronald Carlson Estate Gordon Eichele Darlene Davis Hansen Vangie Schield McKeel Helen Weisz Myres Winona Schrenk Rodacker Eva Rexine Ruth Duane Schock Sylvia Rodacker Seely Ruby Wagner Wetzel Floss Stark Zapara

Class of 1952

Ladonna Zempel Chaffin Delta Harvey Geier Earl Geier Donna Rodacker Johnson Milton Krantz Donald Krein Berneice Schield Lunday Darlene Herr Peters Ilo Schock Underwood

Class of 1953

Joyce Gottfried Fischer Lewis Johnson Lenhardt Kungel

Class of 1954

Alice Sivertson Boyko Rita Kannenberg Dedeker Phyllis Larson Glantz Robert Lang Morris Mehrer

Class of 1955

Glen Anderson Barbara Bechthold Bell Joan Irons Beuck Joan Fredrickson Bromme Kenneth Franz Roger Kelm Darlene Quast Kungel Roger Lang Arline Reile Slattery Videll Harchenko Tremaine

Class of 1956

Ella Swearingen Bagley Roger Boyko Shirley Kungel Devito Delcy Gustin Kuhlman Janice Schmierer Landry Hilda Flemmer McClure

Class of 1957

Eleanor Anderson Cross Bryan Grondahl Louise Walcker Grondahl Richard Kannenberg Delbert Krause Elwyn Rexinger Serena Opp Ross Pearl Lange Stabel

Class of 1958

Anonymous Norma Flemmer Miller Patricia Sorenson Mitchell Kay Bruington Sorensen Wencil Wagner

Class of 1959 Arlie Fandrich

Class of 1960

Karen Thompson Boyko Marlene Hoffman Eichelberg Dorothy Irons Fox Bonnie Harr Gnadt Wallace Martinson Rudolph Rittenbach Carol Baier Salerno Bonnie Quast Underwood Edith Sherbody Vining Leslie Werner

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Class of 1961

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Sandra Bjone Janke

Class of 1963

Judith Axt Bahnmiller Charles Darcy Gene Hellman James Irons Patsy Jones Wagner

Class of 1964

Gene Suelzle Ronald Warner

Class of 1965

Larry Aeh Rolf Jarnes Janice Treft Jones Jerry Lawler Carolyn Fandrich Lehmann Peggy Brotton Travaille Betty Haas Wetzel

Class of 1966

Genevieve Bahnmiller Vicki Jones Harrison Vera Jones Morrow Phyllis Fischer Nudd Margaret Devnich Seifert Rod Widicker

Class of 1967

Caren Juhl Davis Marvin Gottfried Renee Weisz Hills Lyndon Juhl Jack Korolsky Judy Haas Korolsky Sheila Gutknecht Shea

Class of 1968

Neil Biloff Julie Timothy Brude Debra Claymore Cuny Darleen Tachenko Erickson Kathleen Rittenbach Trautman

$Class\ of\ 1969$

Lois Johnson Nenow Arlys Reile Stampka Rita Weisz

Class of 1970

Janet Claymore Ross

Wallace Demchuk Elaine Kreiter Felchle Kenneth Flemmer Deborah Dahl Hanen JoAnn Widicker Hansen Kenneth Seibold

Class of 1971

Alan Hansen Janet Hoffman Novak Jerry Rittenbach

Class of 1972

Anonymous Jerry Davis Rayleen Weisz Hansen Sharon Davis Messer Jerene Seibold Nelson Terre Harr Rittenbach Dale Timothy Pam Timothy

Class of 1973

Videll Wetenkamp Ahrens Thomas Deede Valeree Petterson Krueger Mike McPherson Tim Novak Rick Werth

Class of 1974

Brenda Toay Johnson Gary Johnson Clifton Kahler DE Yvonne Flemmer Kahler Charlotte Kungel Reimer Robin Weisz Robert Woll

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Class of 1978

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Class of 1980

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Keith Hinger
Sandra Woodruff Hunter
Darla Benton Milam
Gregg Nicholas
Larry Stolz

Class of 1981

Lee Meier Theresa Kungel Parker John Schmierer

Class of 1982

Anonymous Melodie Rittenbach Joye McDaniel Stolz Annette Sauer Tomac

Class of 1983

Sandra Dickhaut Blackburn Lisa Kreiter Johnson Terence Wetzel

Class of 1985

Dan Rickard

Class of 1988

Pam Boyko Isaac

Class of 1989

Shannon Fisher Drake Shaun Lehmann

Class of 1990

June Pike Rickard

Class of 1991

Kirby Krause

Class of 1992

Kent Johnson Sara Boyko Klein

Class of 1993

Avery Klein

Class of 1994

Diana Swanson Henline

Class of 1996

Jabin Krassin Tiffany Alexenko Thomas Class of 1997 Dorian Lust

Class of 1999

Lynette Hanson Nagy

Class of 2001

Anonymous Ryan Eichele

Class of 2002

Julie Kleven Reed Merkel

Class of 2003

Aaron Reinke Dustin Sprenger

Class of 2005

Jeana Styron Eszler Mitchell Hornung

Class of 2008

Charlotte Messer

Class of 2015

Lacy Williams

Class of 2016

Tom Chong

Class of 2017

Trevor Pike

Plainview Alumni

Dale Allen '53 Anonymous '62 Anonymous '64 Anonymous '68 Twila Voegele Bauer '53 Jerry Beck '64 James Bidwell '56 Lloyd Binder '61 Delbert Bollinger '43 Chester Brenneise '53 De Eta Eisenman Burr '60 Betty Chase Case '54 Nina Chase Clark '56 Shirley Siewert Dahme '51 Shirley Stotz Duley '55 Dwight Eichelberg '61 Norma Arvidson Franz '56 Shirley Brenneise Goetz '55

Donna Parmele Gottfried '65

Alice Getty Guthmiller '59

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Arden Hagele '63 Dean Hagele '66 Coleen Bieber Harner '59 Jack Harris '44 Joyce Hagele Heim '59 Lyndel Peterson Hieb '46 Fred Holweger '47 Donald Gilbert '48 Lee Jensen '52 ?????? Pearl Montaney Jensen '51 Alice Knecht Kernes '55 Arlo Krueger '64 Violet Gulke Merkel '50 Alton Pfeifle '56 Eugene Preston '58 Twyla Ockenga Preston '58 Jerry Schack '56 Everett Schlisner '58 Leon Schlisner '64 Maurine Eder Schlisner '56 Thelma Holweger Slater '49 Thelma Bogue Tillman '48 Roy Wightman '43 Clarence Wood '48 Alice Two Bulls Young '52

Churches

Bowdle SDA Church Bowman SDA Church Dakota Adventist Academy Dickinson SDA Church Edgeley SDA Church Fargo SDA Church Grand Forks SDA Church Grassy Butte SDA Church Hot Springs SDA Church Hurley SDA Church
Kulm SDA Church
Lehr SDA Church
Mandan SDA Church
Minot SDA Church
Open Arms Christian
Fellowship
Rapid City SDA Church
Turtle Lake SDA Church
Watertown SDA Church

Staff School Year 2015-2016

David Candy
David Chapman
Jerry Davis
Jeana Eszler
Ryan Heilman
Sharon Heinrich
Mindy Juhl
Charlotte Messer
Ryan/Tracy Peterson
Gary/Janet Way

Former Staff

David/Irene Benton SRA
J.D. Bledsoe SRA
Marshall Bowers DAA
Rich Carlson SRA
Rosie Christenson DAA
Lillian Davis PVA
Russel/Valerie Haveman DAA
Clifton Kahler DAA
Dennis/Cherryl Kaiser DAA
Arlo Krueger PVA

Beverly Lamon SRA
Fred Lorenz SRA
Amy Stuart SRA
Thomas Thompson PVA/SRA
Barbara Tonsberg PVA
Patsy Wagner DAA
Ruby Wetzel DAA
Charles/Jeri Zacharias SRA

K-12 Board 2015-2016

Anonymous
Neil Biloff
Darla Anderson
Lloyd Binder
David Candy
David Chapman
Peggy Diede
Ryan Heilman
Arlo Heinrich
Connie Heinrich
Tracy Peterson
Coreen Schumacher
Larry Stolz
Robin Weisz

Corporations

American Stonecraft B C Bagels BP Good Search Kula Foundation Mandan Pizza Ranch Security First Bank of ND Target Weisz Law Firm

Memorial Gifts

Maurice Hansen

By Eldon & Evelyn Allram Virginia Eichele By Vivian Opitz By Lualla Wolfe

Duane Giese

By Eldon & Evelyn Allram By Vernon & Darlene Hansen By Krystal Patterson

By Krystal Patterson Bernard Hieb

By Evelyn Rosin

Haaken & Dorothy Jarnes
By Rolf & Judy Jarnes

James Kureger

By Donald & Wanda Krein By Jim & Diane Scheresky Deborah Striha Logan

By Roger & Karen Boyko Mandie Taylor Radmehr

By Ardyce Morgan
By Esther Novak
Joann Vietz

By Rita Weisz

Every effort has been made to make this report as accurate as possible. We apologize for any errors or omissions.

Endowments

Endowment gifts are a major contribution to the school's future stability. These gifts, held at the Dakota Conference office, are permanent funds that provide lasting financial resources to DAA and its programs. Invested in interest-earning accounts, the income is used annually for the designated purpose of the endowment. They are a gift that "keeps on giving," a "lasting legacy." Dakota Conference currently holds three endowments and a Board-designated endowment which benefit DAA. Each year a portion of the earnings are sent to DAA to help with operating costs or scholarships.

Once a year a special "secondary education endowment offering" is taken during the third quarter of the year. Those offerings are sent on to the Conference and added to the current established endowments.

You may also want to consider contributing to the endowments through your estate plan. Your attorney, financial advisor, or the Trust Department at the Dakota Conference or your local Conference can assist you with this gift.

Endowments provide steady financial support from generation to generation. Thank you for prayerfully considering your financial support to DAA and our youth.

Contact the Development Office at (701) 751-6177 ext 212 for further information on any of these programs.

Giving to DAA

Many who give to DAA experience the satisfaction of knowing their gift makes a real difference in the life of a young person. You help "Build Friendships for Eternity."

Annual Fund Goal: \$275,000/yr

Gifts to the Annual Fund are unrestricted donations that are valuable to the operation of the school. They contribute to the stability and security of the school program and are applied where the need is greatest.

Worthy Student Fund Goal: \$125,000/yr

These gifts go to work immediately in assisting students with financial needs. During the 2015-2016 school year approximately half of our students received assistance from this fund. Support is needed annually, especially in these financially difficult times.

Dorm Renovation Goal: \$80,000/yr

Our students spend many hours in their dorm rooms throughout the school year. It is their home away from home. Here they study, sleep, relax, and spend personal time in worship. In addition, the dorms are used during alumni weekends, camp meetings, and other special events. \$80,000 will renovate one wing. *One wing in each dorm is completed and in use by our students*.

Gifts-in-kind

Gifts of a non-monetary nature will benefit the school. They enrich programs and capital improvement. Examples could include furniture, landscape materials, library books, or musical instruments.

Special Funds

Donors may give to a variety of programs including music, mission trips, art, basketball, or special projects. These also enrich the quality of the programs offered to our students.

Gifts of Time & Talent

Do you have time or expertise in an area that might benefit DAA? Contact us to see what projects we may need assistance with and how we might work together.

Planned Gifts

You can choose to benefit DAA through your estate plan. As you determine how your estate will be handled after your death, you can plan to give a portion to DAA. These gifts have tax implications and are often transmitted through a legal document such as a Will or Trust. We encourage you to consult with your CPA or your attorney as you consider this type of gift.

Memorial Gifts

Gifts may also be made in memory of a loved one or a classmate.

Non-cash gifts

Donations of shares of stock, land, and crops are just a few ideas for non-cash donations.

Your gifts will help us serve this generation and beyond. Working together we can help our youth build friendships for eternity and a home in heaven.

"The greatest use of life is to spend it on something that will outlast it." William James

Donation Report for year ending June 30, 2017

\$221,989
\$133,283
\$ 9,476
\$ 38,104
\$ 18,107
\$420,959

Endowment Report for year ending June 30, 2017

Board Designated	\$ 20,673
General Endowment	\$500,002
Scholarships	<u>\$ 57,104</u>

Total Endowment Holdings \$577,779

Estate Gifts Received July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017

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Calendar of Events

December 2017

15-16 Celebration of Praise Weekend

21-Jan 7 Christmas Break

January 2018

8 Classes begin

26 Senior Recognition

27 SA Talent Show

February 2018

Jan 31-Feb 4 Homeleave

Music Festival—Union College

1 Nebraska Chapter	Meeting

14-18 Basketball Tournament—Union
17 Arizona Chapter Meeting

18 California Chapter Meeting

21-24 DAA Music & Arts Festival

March 2018

1-11 Spring Break

April 2018

6-8 DAA Preview Days

14 Education Sabbath

18-22 Homeleave 29-May 1 Skills USA

Leave a Legacy

Annual gifts play a vital part in the operation of our academy. Vital, too, are those gifts that are left in the form of a legacy through your estate plans. Please consider adding Dakota Adventist Academy as a beneficiary in your estate plan. We thank you, and our students and future students thank you as well.