

# VOICE IN THE WILDERNESS

Stories from the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation

*"They shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint." Isaiah 40:31*



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Wings as Eagles Ministries Newsletter

## UPCOMING SUMMER EVENTS!

The Dream Center is pleased to announce its NEW summer schedule!

\*Kid's Summer Dream Club is every week, starting June 11th. It will be Monday through Thursday from 8 am - 4 pm. Breakfast, lunch, and refreshments to be served, as well as fun games and activities for the children!

\*Every Wednesday night WAEM hosts a BBQ dinner! All families and children are welcome for a night of music, food, and fun! We estimate that we will be serving 250-300 people every Wednesday night, so donations are needed to keep the food and fun coming!

\*Carnival Fun Days will be June 20th & 21st from 2-5 pm each day. There will be games, inflatables, a horseshoe tournament, a cake walk, popcorn, and prizes!

\*Lakota Tiwahe (Family) Days are July 29th through August 1st. Time for the whole family to stay at the Dream Center for fun and activities!



## Dream Center On The Move!

This is an exciting and busy summer! The Dream Center is expanding through the grace of God! Playground equipment is going in, a BMX track, and the beginnings of a new cafeteria to feed our precious children and families. Your help is greatly appreciated in funding the continuing work to the glory of our Savior!



Check out the Store on our website for sweatshirts and T-shirts for sale to support the ministry!

## Thank You!

Hooray for a partner of WAEM raising \$3,500 for a new swing set for the children! It will arrive and be installed in June. The children are going to love it, thank you!!



Bringing love and hope to the native youth of our forgotten lands

### Our 2nd Annual “Oglala Lakota Tiwahe (Family) Days” at the Dream Center

Families will receive three meals a day and refreshments. The youth will receive Dream Center t-shirts. Families will enjoy showers and all the amenities, plus daily activities, games, and Bible study and worship each evening.

This year WAEM has its own bus to pick up the children and families! Sponsors for gas are needed—\$180 fills the bus for a roundtrip. The bus will be visiting the Evergreen, Porcupine, Sharp’s Corner, Wounded Knee, and Manderson communities.



Sponsors for the family and children are needed! Will you give the children and families the gift of love and safety at Wings as Eagles?

\$285 will sponsor one family  
(or up to 5 children alone)

\$530 will sponsor two families (unlimited children  
in family)

\$795 will sponsor three families  
(unlimited children in family)

### WAEM Welcomes new staff!

Wings as Eagles has acquired some wonderful new people to help out on staff! Please welcome:

Rachel Sedgwick - Administrative Assistant

Jennifer Rowland - Office Manager/ Team Coordinator

Julia Ghost - Director of Housekeeping

Nate Mesteth - Facilities Assistant

This is an answer to prayers! Wings as Eagles is a busy place and their help will be greatly appreciated! Please continue to pray for our ministry and staff!

Check out the website for their pictures!

### From Our Supporters...

WAEM loves to hear about how God’s work through us affects our supporters. Here is an excerpt from a kind letter we received:

*“I want to work with WAEM because it is real. This ministry is doing real ministering to real people. [You] seek out the lowest and poorest, the broken and helpless, and desire to serve them...with the very best of everything...The heart of WAEM is a beautiful depiction of what Christ has called us all to...The faith that the ministry has in completely submitting to the Lord and His will and always knowing He is going to provide abundantly, over and above anything they imagine, is refreshing.”*

WAEM praises God for all of your encouragement, support, and prayers!



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