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REMEMBER THIS



Hot lunch is available Monday–Friday. Forms are posted Fridays on the website and ClassDojo. Please return with payment on Monday. Contact the front office for your child's balance.



PAY TUITION

Tuition can be paid online via ACH/check through Adventist School Pay on our website. Credit cards are accepted but include a 5% fee. You may also use this option to add funds to your student's hot lunch account.

PAY NOW



SUPPORT & SHOP



SOCCER SHOTS IS BACK!

Soccer Shots is coming to Standifer Gap SDA School this fall! Students in K–4th grade (ages 5–10) can enjoy fun, skill-building soccer sessions on Mondays at 3:15 PM, beginning August 24.

Register here:

<https://soccershots.com/chattanooga>



We are so glad to have our returning students and to have several new students as well! We look forward to a great 2026–2027 school year!

DISMISSAL

We will implement the same procedure as last year. For car line pick-ups, please have your car line pick up tag on your dashboard. One of our staff will be calling names for students to come out to their rides. Students will remain in their classrooms until their names are called or until an authorized person picks them up from their classroom. If you need car line pick-up tags, please ask the front office. We apologize for any delay or confusion with dismissal in the next couple weeks.

SPIRIT DAY CRAZY HAIR DAY

Sep 1! Let's get ready for a fun day!

VISION SCREENING AT STANDIFER GAP

We are excited to partner again this year with The Lions Club! They will be visiting our school on September 18 to provide free vision screenings for our students.

The screening provides a digital reading of your child's eyes and can help identify possible vision concerns.

We will be sending permission forms home with students. If you would like your child to participate, please complete the form and return it to the school.



FALL INTO JESUS

Join us on Sunday, October 4, from 4:00–6:00 PM for an afternoon of family fun, games, prizes, a wagon ride, dinner, and more!

We need your help! Parents can earn volunteer hours by donating items or helping with setup and clean-up. Please return your volunteer form to the school office by September 21. We can't wait to enjoy this special event with our school families!

END OF SUMMER BASEBALL AND ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Join us Sunday, August 30 at 5:30 PM at the Standifer Gap School Gym, and Field for baseball, ice cream, and family fun! Bring your favorite ice cream and toppings to share, plus your glove and a friend! All ages are welcome!

SOCCER

It's soccer season at Standifer Gap for grades 4 – 8. Our first game will be on September 1. Please get your kids ready with cleats, shin guards and socks. Soccer practice at this moment is at PE time.

PATHFINDERS

Are you interested in joining the Standifer Gap Warriors Pathfinders Club? This club is for 5 grade and up.

For more information, email sgwarriorspathfindersclub@gmail.com or find them on Facebook @sgsdawarriors. Registration night is tonight at 6:30 pm at the school fellowship hall.

ADVENTURERS

We also have a club for K–4 Grade. Let us know if you need more information!

happy BIRTHDAY August

REBECA (6)
DOLPHUS (22)
JAMES (28)

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today
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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Aug 30 - End of Summer Social
- Sep 1 - Spirit Day/Crazy Hair Day
- Sep 7 - No School/Labor Day
- Sep 21 - Oct 2: MAP/DIBELS testing
- Oct 4 - Fall Festival
- Oct 5 - 9: Week of Prayer
- Oct 9 - End of First Quarter
- Oct 12 - 16: Fall Break
- Oct 20 - Spirit Day/Wild West Day
- Oct 23 - Pastor Appreciation Day
- Oct 31 - Student Sabbath

SPOTLIGHTS



**BABY
STATLER!**



**BABY
VALERA!**



COUNSELOR'S CORNER

Welcome back, and a special welcome to those who are new to our school community! I'm Samantha Marcelle, the school counselor, and I'm glad to be here another year to support our students and families. My schedule will look a little different than it did last year, as I'll be at school on Wednesdays from 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and will be focusing specifically on one-on-one counseling support for students.

As your school counselor, I am here to provide a safe, supportive space for students to talk through emotions, friendships, stress, transitions, problem-solving, and other concerns that may be affecting them at school. School counseling is not the same as ongoing therapy or crisis treatment, but it can offer short-term support, help students build healthy coping skills, and connect families with additional resources when needed. Parents can reach me directly at counselor@sgsda.school or submit a request through the Counseling Referral Form (you can contact me directly for the referral link or access it through the school website). I look forward to partnering with our school community throughout the year and continuing to share helpful resources here in the Counselor's Corner each week.

Warmly,
Mrs. Sam