# News Around School

*November20th, 2026*

NILES ADVENTIST SCHOOL

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**Upcoming Events:**

- Nov 24 - Free Soup Lunch
- Nov 24 - **Noon Dismissal**
- Nov 25-27 - **Thanksgiving Break**
- Dec 1 - Gift Card Orders Due
- Dec 4 - 7/8 Bake Sale

**Future Events:**

- Dec 12 - Christmas Program Niles Westside 2nd Service
- Dec 12 - Potluck Niles Westside
- Dec 14 - K - Niles History Museum
- Dec 15 - 5th -8th Woodland Terrace
- **Dec 15 - Tuition #5 Due**
- Dec 15 - Gift Card Orders Due
- Dec 17 - 3/4 Krasl Art Center
- **Dec 18 Noon Dismissal**
- **Dec 21-Jan 1- Christmas Break**
- **Jan 4 - School Resumes**

**Lunch Menu**

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| **Mon, Nov 16-** Pizza, Carrots, Juice | **Mon, Nov 30 -**Pizza, Carrots, Juice |
| **Tue, Nov 17 -** Free Soup Lunch Noon Dismissal | **Tue, Dec 1 -** Haystacks |
| **Wed, Nov 18- No School** | **Wed, Dec 2 -** Pasta Bar |
| **Thurs, Nov 19- No School** | **Thurs, Dec 3 -** *Check Website* |
| **Fri, Nov 20- No School** | **Fri, Dec 4 - Bring Lunch From Home** |




**November**

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| 1st August | 16th Mrs. Rybachek |
| 6th Eloise | 21st Kielynn |
| 9th Lilia | 22nd Elana |
| 10th Mrs. Borba | 23rd Micah V. |
| 11th Alessandra | 23rd Mrs. Dockerty |
| 14th Eliza | 24th Allie |

**December**

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| 5Th Ms. Botimer | 13th Ameliya |
| 6th Ire | 16th Judah |
| 11th Evelyn | 19th Henry |
| 12th Alistair | 31st Noelle |

► **Food Service Director Position Open:** The position is for Tuesday- Thursday, 10 hours per week. We are looking for a responsible person to grocery shop, cook & serve hot lunches. If interested please contact Mrs. Seigal at 503-559-4232 or the office at 269-683-5444.

►**Pathfinder Dinner & Movie Night:** Saturday, Nov 21st at 7pm in the NAS gym. The movie for the evening is a Disney classic, *Charlie, The Lonesome Cougar*. There will be a hot dog dinner, snacks and bake sale items for purchase. **This is a cash only event.** Chairs are available but you can bring your camp chair for more comfort if you wish.

► **Free Thanksgiving Soup Lunch:** Tuesday, November 24th. The planned soups are Minestrone (dairy free), Lentil (dairy free), Potato Corn Chowder, Black Bean, Chicken Noodle, Vegetable, Broccoli Cheddar, and Tomato Basil. This menu is subject to change. We will dismiss at 12pm/Noon this day, but students will eat beforehand.



►**Niles Adventist School Christmas Mission Project – A Money Tree of Giving**
This Christmas season, Niles Adventist School has an opportunity to share God's love in a meaningful way through our Christmas Mission Project. We will be creating a Money Tree to support the Borba family facing deportation who could use financial assistance with travel and relocation expenses. Every donation, big or small, will help ease their burden and remind them that they are not alone.

► **26-27 Music Schedule:** All performances are held at Niles Westside Church during 2nd service, unless noted otherwise below.

December 12th - Christmas Program
February 6th - 1st/2nd & 3rd/4th
March 6th - Bells 5th/6th & 7th/8th
March 27th - 3rd/4th & 7th/8th Bells (Stevensville)
April 10th - K & Special Choir
May 8th - Bells 5th/6th & 7th/8th
*May 20th - Spring Program (NAS Gym 6:30pm)*

► **One Call Now" Phone System:** We use a phone alert system to instantly provide important notifications to our families during the school year. You will be able to hear all of the really important news that we have for you. **To opt into text messaging alerts (instead of an automated phone call), text the word ALERT to 22300. This is a quick simple way for the school to contact you about school related things such as lunch card balances or changes in events due to weather.**

► **Gift Cards- Looking for Christmas Gifts? Look no further!** Buying shopping/gift cards for groceries, gas, restaurants, travel, etc. from NAS helps with tuition, and it helps the school through rebates from the retailers. We typically place orders on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month. eCards and reloading cards are always available. Order online using **www.raiseright.com or the** raiseright app. Pay by cash/check in the office or contact Denise (call/text 269-357-3250 or email treasurer@gmail.com). There is now an app to use to order gift cards -- it's called RaiseRight. We hope that you will try it out!

| Gift cards currently available in the office for purchase | | | | | | | | | |
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| **Retailer** | **$10** | **$25** | **$50** | **$100** | **Retailer** | **$10** | **$25** | **$50** | **$100** |
| Amazon | | 3 | 1 | | Darden Restaurants (Olive Garden, Etc.) | | 1 | | |
| Wal-Mart/ Sam's | | 2 | 2 | **2** | Starbucks | 2 | 2 | | |
| Target | | 2 | | | Taco Bell | 3 | | | |
| Martin's | | 2 | | | Subway | 3 | | | |
| Meijer | | | 2 | | Casey's | | 2 | | |
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► **Teacher's Amazon Wish Lists:** Looking for a way to help your child's classroom this year? We've had many people ask about wish lists for classrooms. Scan your child's classroom QR code if you would like to make a wish list donation.

| K<br>Mrs. Garman | 1st/2nd<br>Mrs. Coffen | 3rd/4th-<br>Mrs. Seigal | 5th/6th –<br>Mrs. Fagal | 7th/8th –<br>Mr. Crawford | Art<br>Miss Lubbert |
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| | Kindergarten | 3rd & 4th Grade | 5th & 6th Grade | 7th & 8th Grade | |

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► **Check out Rada Cutlery!** Help Niles Adventist School raise money for playground equipment, outdoor education, science and art supplies, etc... Rada Cutlery sells quality knives and other kitchen needs at a competitive price. These make great, practical gifts. You can place online orders anytime during the year, using this link: http://bit.ly/2RF6m72. Online orders will be shipped directly.

► **Harding's Rewards Program:** Do you shop at Harding's? If so, you can sign up for their Community Rewards Program to benefit NAS. Go to https://www.hardings.com/savings-and-rewards/community-rewards/ for more information.