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Michigan-Made Film “Wild Faith Christmas” Screens This Weekend at Willow Creek Cinema 8

Award-Winning Holiday Western Comes Back to Its Home State for a Special Community Showing

Escanaba, MI – December 2025 – After earning **seven major awards** at the 10th Annual Wild Bunch Film Festival in Tucson, AZ—including *Best Western Film*, *Best Faith Film*, *Best Director*, *Best Actor*, *Best Actress*, *Best Child Actor*, and *Best Child Actress*—the Michigan-made film “**Wild Faith Christmas**” arrives **this weekend**, December 5th, at **Willow Creek Cinema 8** for a special holiday engagement.

A sequel to the 2018 fan-favorite *Wild Faith*, the new film continues the story set in the late 1800s, following Emmett Murphy (director and actor **Shane Hagedorn**) and his father-in-law Edmond (Dean Teaster) as they deliver donated goods to a Northern mission sheltering children brought west by the famed **orphan train**. Blending frontier storytelling with themes of faith, family, and redemption, the 90-minute film features standout performances from **Melissa Anschutz, DJ Perry, Randy Spence, Steven Sutherland, and Sean Ward**.

“Wild Faith Christmas has all the ingredients to become one of those films you can watch over and over with the entire family,” director Shane Hagedorn said, “I’m so happy to share this film with an audience!”

Filmed entirely in **Michigan in 2024**, the production showcases historic locations, regional talent, and the state’s growing film industry.

Willow Creek Cinema 8, located just outside of downtown Escanaba, will host showings throughout the weekend. For showtimes and tickets, visit the theater’s website or purchase at the box office.

About the Production

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