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Geidels Granted Class 'A' Liquor License For New Piggly Wiggly Store to Be Erected

by Lana Harbeck Kuehl

In a decision made at last Monday evening's meeting, the Kewaskum Village Board voted to grant a Combination Class "A" Fermented Malt Beverage and Intoxicating Liquor

License to Michael Geidel, representing Geidel Foods Inc., 940 Fond du Lac Avenue, Kewaskum.

The license will enable Geidel to sell all types of liquor and beer in a full-fledged liquor department at the new Piggly Wiggly

grocery facility that will be erected on the south side of Kewaskum by June, 2000. The new building will be located almost across the street from where Geidel's food store is now, on the parcel of land which formerly housed the old trailer park.

The board voted in favor of the license following a public hearing during which discussion on the license was held.

The public hearing opened with comments by Mike Geidel who stated they were looking to get back into the present by erecting the new store and making it a one-stop shop. He added, according to the survey, 75% of the local shoppers are now doing their shopping out of town. He stated, "We've lost alot of business to West Bend. We feel it's necessary to have everything in this store to make this project work."

Police Chief Richard Knoebel questioned the liquor department's accessibility to minors and minor employees. Geidel stated the liquor would be closed off after hours and only employees old enough would be able to sell the liquor to patrons.

A member of the audience, Dennis Kuehl, owner of Kuehl's Suds and Spirits in Kewaskum, asked the board if they felt Kewaskum was big enough to support two full liquor stores. He stated Lomira, with a new Piggly Wiggly store, or Mayville, Hartford and Random Lake do not allow the sale of liquor in their grocery stores.

President Wagner stated he felt there was a certain type of convenience to having both kinds of stores.

Geidel added, "We're losing a lot of business to West Bend that are going to other grocery stores. I think alot of them are buying liquor at those other grocery stores too. We're looking to capture some of those people that are doing that so that might not affect Dennis's business as much as you think. A lot of men would never set foot in a grocery store."

The subject came up on past requests by convenience stores to sell beer and/or liquor. President Wagner stated it has been a

concern on whether the board was opening themselves up to ever being able to say no to another license request. He added the concern was "that if we say yes now, can we ever say no in the future? I myself feel yes, we can say no."

Trustee John Kenworthy stated he felt every case should be handled on a case-by-case situation. He stated, "We have two long-term people here with very different points of views. And both of you want to have something continue the way it's going and to build on the tradition that you worked really hard and your families have worked really hard to get to. And so

the question comes down to, where do we as a board draw the line? I'm hoping this does not cause any problems. I'm hoping there's room for both of you."

Kuehl stated he didn't have a problem with other liquor stores in town, adding that they didn't sell groceries. It was a question of convenience.

Kuehl stated, "If you're going to go shopping, you're not just going to buy your groceries, you're going to buy everything for convenience. If it was a bigger population, fine, but this is a small town community."

Geidel brought up the subject of the fierce compe-

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School Board Handles Business as Usual

By Andrew R. Kuehl
Staff Writer/Photographer

The Kewaskum Board of Education met Monday evening and handled a light agenda.

Board Member, Lisa Maul, explained why she was not at the referendum party after the election. "I would like to thank the referendum committee for all their hard work and time spent to get this passed. I was going to come but due to unexpected circumstances I was unable too, that did not mean I was against the passing of the referendum, I am very happy to finally see it pass and I am very excited we are getting a new school. I have always been in favor of all the referendums that we attempted to pass."

Vice president, Jean Goeden congratulated the members of the musical on a great job.

Treasurer, Jon Downs made a motion to approve accounts payable/payroll expenditures in the amount of \$1,237,804.57.

Matt Schroeder, KHS student council ambassador introduced himself and informed the board of activities at the high school.

In a new format the school principal's reports were reviewed.

FES principal, Jim Botting announced that the new playground equipment has been installed. The PTO held many fundraisers to fund this project. Parent visitation day is being held Thursday, November 18. Parents are invited to spend part or all of the morning visiting with their child(ren) in the classrooms. Parents are welcomed and encouraged to have lunch with their youngsters.

KES principal, Kieth Kriewaldt indicated that the annual costume party was held on October 27. The PTO held a meeting on November 4. An assembly on Astronomy will be held on the Nov. 16. Parents and Grandparents are invited

and encouraged to have lunch with their child(ren) on Nov. 19.

Kriewaldt also gave news from WES. A PTO meeting was held on October 14. The parents agreed to work at collecting funds to purchase a die cutter. Parents and grandparents are invited and encouraged to have lunch with their child(ren) on Nov. 23.

KMS principal, Ken Soerens stated that girl's track ended the season in second place in the Moraine Conference Championship meet. The eighth grade team finished fourth. Geography awareness week is being held November 14th, through the 20th. The week's activities include: Local celebrities teaching a geography lesson on places they have traveled or lived in, checking world population growth on the internet. The seventh grade class will be taking a field trip to the folk fair in Milwaukee on November 20.

KHS principal, Bob Ganka announced that his departments and himself have met with Curriculum Coordinator, Melinda De Coriolis about a number of issues, one issue affecting students is semester exams. Ganka is looking into not allowing hard working students who have maintained good study habits to be exempt from taking the exam. This has been a rewarding tradition at KHS for many years. Winter sports teams will soon be starting practice. The remaining lockers were installed.

Substitute pay was approved at \$38 half day; \$75 per full day of teaching. This applies for the first 11 days of teaching. After 11 days: \$86 per full day is paid.

Maternity leave requests were approved for KMS instructor, Nikki Airaudi and Educational interpreter, Candi

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Plan An Entry in Christmas Parade

The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce the annual Kewaskum Christmas Parade will be held on Sunday, December 5 at 5 p.m.

This year the theme will be "Christmas Past, Present and Millennium." The Chamber invites ALL BUSINESS PEOPLE, school groups, church groups and civic organizations to please join in on the festivities. The more groups that participate and get involved, the greater the parade will be.

This year's parade route will be altered so to speak as it is being switched to help the flow of traffic and for safety precautions. The new starting point will be at the Kewaskum High School. It will proceed to Parkview Drive, traveling south and turn right (west) on Main Street. It will then turn right at the stop and go lights onto Fond du Lac Avenue, heading north. At First Street another right will be taken as the parade makes its way east to the Municipal Building where it will end with the annual tree lighting ceremony.

There will be the addition of several new exciting features this year, as well as bringing back a few of the old delights. Stay tuned

to the Statesman for more updates and information on the parade and festivities.

Guidelines for entering a float include: no Santa, there will only be one Santa allowed in the parade and he, as in other years, will be at the end, providing anticipation for all the good little girls and boys; candy or gifts may not be thrown from any float. It may be given out by someone walking alongside the float; there will be cash prizes for the top five floats; deadline for entries must be received by December 1, 1999.

If you cannot possibly see your way clear to build a float this year, a contribution toward the parade would be most beneficial. Donations are used to help offset the cost of the bands, rental of the parade costumes and the goodie bags handed out. If you would like to show your support for the parade, donations may be mailed to the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 300, Kewaskum, WI 53040.

Thanks for any way you can help to make the parade the success it has been in previous years. Your input, no matter how big or small, makes this event a huge attraction for the young and young-at-heart in this community.

Geidels

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tition in the area, for example, from the WalMart in West Bend.

Kenworthy added, "So where does the line get drawn? If a WalMart wants to move into town, does this same village board that says yes now, say yes to that? And where do we draw that line? I don't want there to be any hard feelings between any groups. I want us all to work together. Personally, right now, I think that the liquor license is ok for Piggly Wiggly to come in with that, but I'm not so comfortable if a WalMart comes in and does the same thing."

Bill Geidel stated he felt the business community's biggest threat was competition from West Bend, not from each other. He felt they were just trying to accommodate "the demand of the customers."

Trustee Andrew Kuehl stated he felt the board should question other communities that did not allow liquor to be sold in grocery stores. He said, "I think there has to be a reason for it. Why don't they issue to grocery stores? I think that's something to think

about here. It's not just someone's livelihood. I think there has to be a reason why some of these other communities like Hartford, Lomira, Mayville... why don't they do it? And I think that's something we should find out before we go ahead and do this."

Village Administrator Dan Schmidt stated Hartford doesn't issue to grocery stores because they have four liquor stores. He added that Lomira took it to the voters by referendum. They do not allow it (liquor sales) in their convenience stores nor their grocery stores.

The board closed the public hearing and voted in favor of the license. Trustee Andrew Kuehl voted no and Trustee Harry Roecker was absent.

The name Jeep came from the abbreviation used in the army for the "General Purpose" vehicle, G.P.

Junior Woman's Craft Fair At Kewaskum Middle School



Members of the GFWC Kewaskum Junior Woman's Club cordially invite area residents to their 17th Annual "Kettle Country Christmas" fine art and craft show on Saturday, November 20, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Kewaskum Middle School, 1676 Reigle Drive. Featured among the many unique and skilled artists from across central and southeastern Wisconsin are the adorable teddy bears at the booth of Diane Mikkelson of Stoughton, surely to be on the top of your Christmas list.

School Board

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Block.

A non-resident student was accepted. She will be attending eighth grade at KMS.

The following extracurricular appointments were made: John Breese, KMS Boys Basketball; Keith Reynolds, Sophomore class advisor; Glenn Grisolono, KMS Girls Basketball; Mike Hennigan, Literature Club; JoAnne Curry, Weight room supervisor and Janet Molebash, Girls varsity softball.

The board approved three permanent substitute teachers. Bob Deyo, Wendi Lemens and Marilyn Petermann.

A three year contract was approved with Hakins, Ash, Baptie & Company, LLP for the annual audit. The cost in 2000 will be \$6,850, 2001-\$7,150 and 2002-\$7,450.

The Youth Options applications were not approved. Jon Schulte and Jon Downs voted yes. Goeden contemplated making a second motion, though she did not.

The board accepted the resignation of Dave Rockhill as the freshman girls basketball coach.

The Finance, Transportation, Building and Grounds committee will be meeting Nov. 15 at 6 pm in the district office.

The Policy Committee will meet Nov. 17 at 6:30 pm in the district office.

The next regular business meeting of the board of education will be Dec. 13 at 7 pm in the high school library.



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Lynn Wins Midwest Conference CC Title



Marni Lynn

By Jerry Gosa

College women's team fin-

Marni Lynn, former Kewaskum High School standout in track and cross country and now a junior at Carroll College in Waukesha, won the Midwest Conference Championship cross country title on Saturday, November 6.

Lynn led the race from start to finish on a very hilly course with a lot of turns at Monmouth College in Monmouth, Illinois. Lynn's winning time of 18:51.7 (18 minutes and 51.7 seconds) was over 30 seconds ahead of Laura Carpenter of Beloit College who finished second with a time of 19:33.6.

When interviewed by phone, Lynn commented that the course was "a series of never ending ups and downs with only one real flat stretch up on top of the course." With all the red, blue and yellow flags needed on the 5K (3.1 mile) course because of all the turns held on the small tight course, Lynn almost ran the wrong way with about one mile to go and had to execute an almost 360 degree maneuver around one of the flags.

The cross country win for Marni Lynn was especially satisfying. Lynn's first place finish in the Midwest Conference Championship Meet represents her highest finish in the conference meet and is the highlight of her collegiate cross country career to date.

Last spring Lynn had an outstanding indoor and outdoor track season. She won the NCAA Division III National 1500m Indoor Title and the NCAA Division III National Outdoor 3,000m title and also earned All-American status in the 1,500m outdoor. Lynn hopes to continue her success the rest of the season.

Lawrence won the women's division team championship with 34 points by placing five individuals in the top ten. The Carroll

ished second with 58 points. Lynn's team Nelson finished eighth with a time of 20:09.5.

The next meet for the Carroll College Pioneers is the NCAA Division III Regional cross country meet at Augustana, Illinois on Saturday, November 13, at 11 a.m. Teams and individuals qualifying at regionals will then run at the NCAA Division III National Cross Country meet at Oshkosh, Wisconsin, on Saturday, November 20.

Good luck to Marni and all her teammates!



In addition to holding the title General of the Armies, John Pershing also held a law degree from the University of Nebraska.

The peanut is not actually a nut, botanically speaking, but the fruit of a vegetable plant related to the green pea.

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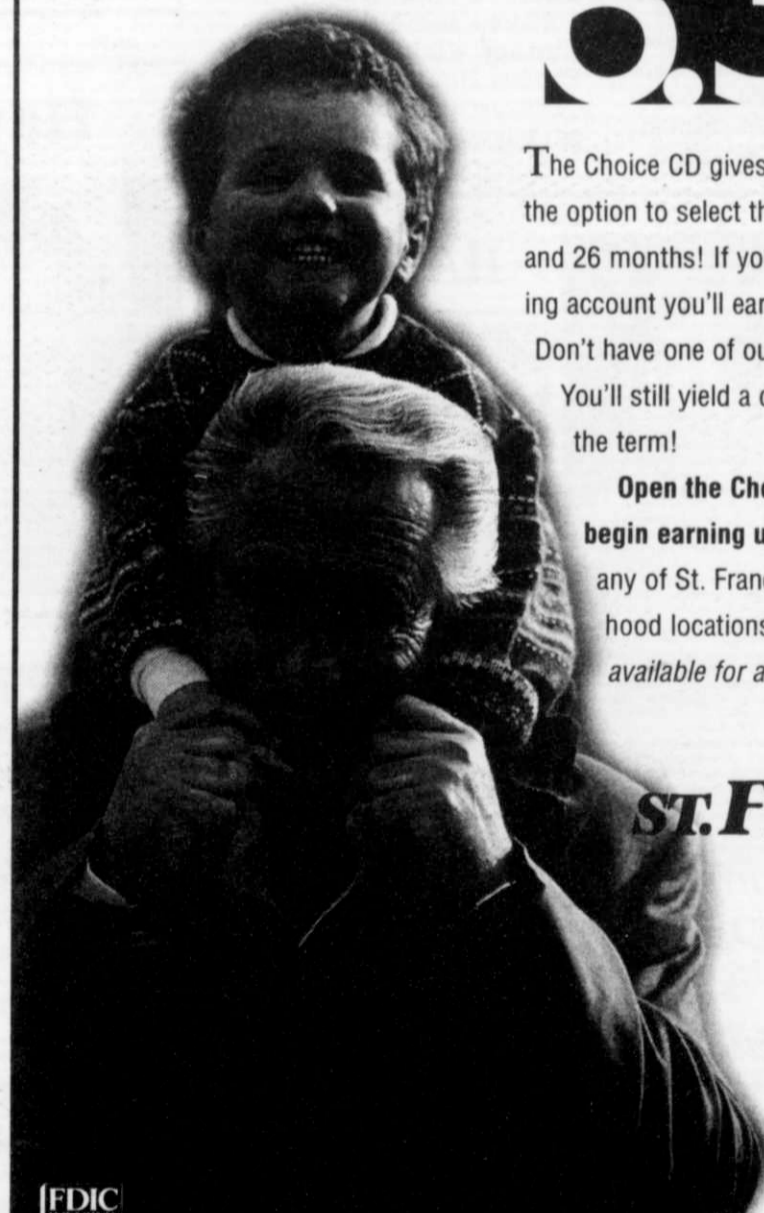
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Wayne P. Graczyk
Kewaskum
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Of Schools

With the recently approved elementary referendum, I would like to personally thank everyone that got involved, on both sides of the issue.

Whether you voted yes, or voted no, whether you supported the referendum, or did not, you took the stand asked of you. I recognize the 63% approval rate for the referendum as a signal of support for education and children in the Kewaskum School District, not a win or loss for anyone.

I see the townships of Wayne, Farmington, Kewaskum, Scott, Mitchell, Barton, Auburn, Ashford, and the Village of Kewaskum as a single district, with one spirit. The school district is comprised of five school buildings, but again with one spirit. The referendum was a community effort and it moves us forward while calling us to action.

Education is not what it was 50 years ago, or 20 years, even five years ago. But neither is our world. Neither are we. We must change with the times or we get lost in the shuffle. Computers are enriching the world around us, we have cars with features to make our drives enjoyable and safe, fax machines, the Internet and e-mail have truly made the world accessible to every home and business, homes are energy-efficient.

But while education has changed, the one constant has been the community. Communities create good schools just as schools create good communities. Like "peaches and cream" and "ham and eggs," schools and communities are connected.

THANK YOU

To all of my family and friends, Ione and I want to express our sincere gratitude and heartfelt thanks for helping make my 80th Birthday Celebration so special and memorable.

Thank you for the cards, gifts and most of all for your attendance at my party, Sunday, Nov. 7.

Sincerely,
Sylvester Schmidt

and will always be so. It is this connection, or lack of it, that determines the success of schools today, and Kewaskum is no different. Faces may change, names may change, people move in and move out, buildings disappear and new ones replace them or crop up elsewhere, yet the spirit of a school district must remain intact if it's to produce good students. It's the spirit of school district residents of every age supporting their schools, that make schools, students and communities successful.

So on behalf of the children, school board, administration, teachers, support staff, and parents, I would like to express our gratitude to every community member who took the time to vote on November 2. You took a stand and that had to make you feel good. In addition, I wish to express our thanks to every organization, group and board that invited speakers in to present information about the referendum. Together WE made it happen.

I will close with this. There are three types of people in every community. Rowboat people, sailboat people, and steamboat people. Rowboat people need to be pushed or shoved along. Sailboat people move when a favorable wind is blowing, doing things when the "feeling" hits them, or when there is little chance of failure or being wrong.

Then there are Steamboat people. These are people who move continuously through calm or storm.

They are masters of themselves, controlling their surroundings, not allowing their surroundings to control them. They are willing and able to go against the current, across the current, even with the current.

In this referendum, only you know which one you were. I know those who took the time to be informed and who actually voted, are Steamboat people, and to you I can only say, "Thanks for being you!"

Foreign Exchange Students Need Your Help

Exodus House in Kewaskum will be welcoming two German college students to Kewaskum from about January 5, 2000 until April 5, 2000.

These students are studying social work in Germany and have been encouraged to go abroad and explore other countries social services systems. While they are here in Kewaskum, they will need a place to stay.

This can be a room in your home or a small apartment if you have one available for a short term stay. They both speak English and will be responsible for themselves financially. They have asked for assistance in finding them a place to stay while they are here.

If you can help, please contact Vicki Towell at Exodus House, phone 626-4166 or at home at 626-2613 as soon as possible.

Bazaar, Bakery, Craft Sale, Lunch at Peace Church, Nov. 20

The annual Bazaar, Bakery and Craft Sale, plus Lunch Cafe will be held at Peace United church of Christ, 343 First Street, Kewaskum, on Saturday, November 20, from 9 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.

Besides craft items made by members of the church, there will be a wide variety of baked goods, sweets, and snacks. "Granny's Attic" will again offer "oldies, but goodies" in jewelry, dishware, household items, books, games, etc.

Sandwiches, desserts, and beverages will be served during the sale. Parking and entry are from the church parking lot on Main Street.

All profits of the sale are allocated to local and mission benevolent causes.

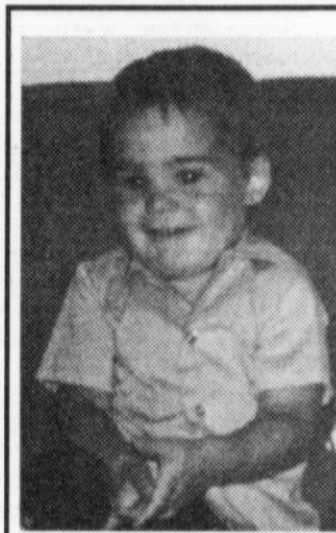
Retired Educators To Meet Nov. 16

The Washington County Retired Educators will meet at 9:00 a.m. on November 16, 1999 at the Washington County Public Agency Building, Rooms 1113a and 1113b.

The county health nurse will make a presentation on health and safety issues for seniors.

An opportunity for flu immunizations, for tetanus immunizations, screening for cholesterol, glucose blood pressure, hemoglobin, and colo-rectal problems will be available.

Lunch reservations should be sent to Hazel O'Meara, 4555 W. Highway 33, West Bend, WI 53095.



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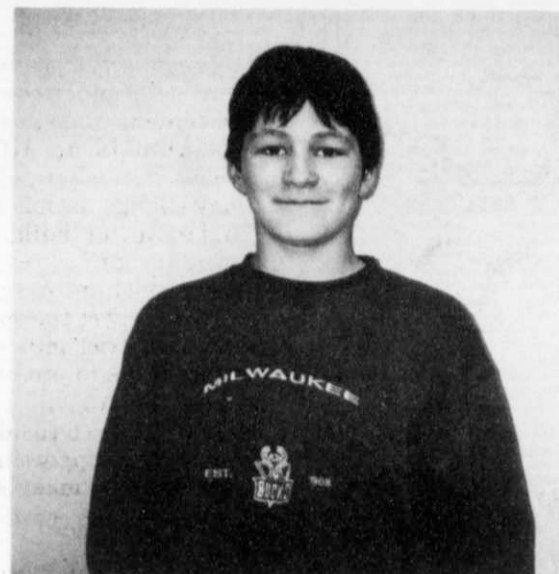
Memories



This antique penny postcard gives praise to the Veterans who gave their lives for their country. Veterans Day is Thursday, November 11. Let us, too, give thanks to those who served us so honorably.

Postcard submitted by Isabelle Muckerheide

Artwork by KMS Student Matt Schladweiler Exhibited



Matt Schladweiler

Artwork by Kewaskum Middle School seventh grader Matt Schladweiler was displayed at the University of Wisconsin-Platteville during the "Art of the Young Adolescent" exhibit.

Matt's piece, entitled, "The Great White Swamp Lily," was a pencil creation which was exhibited this past summer and viewed by

more than 500 people.

Matt's artwork will be added to the Center of Education for the Young Adolescent's permanent collection of the Art of the Young Adolescent, one of the largest collections of young adolescent art in the United States, as well as Japan and the former Soviet Union.

Kewaskum Fire and Rescue Squad Calls

Monday, November 1 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad responded to a call in the Town of Kewaskum at 4:34 p.m. for a male patient who had fallen. The patient was transported to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend, for treatment of possible broken ribs.

Tuesday, November 2 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad and Jaws of Life were summoned at 7:46 p.m. for a motor vehicle accident in the Town of Farmington. The Jaws was not needed. No transport was made.

Friday, November 5 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad was dispatched at 7:31 p.m. in the Village of Kewaskum to transport a female patient to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend, for treatment of chest pain.

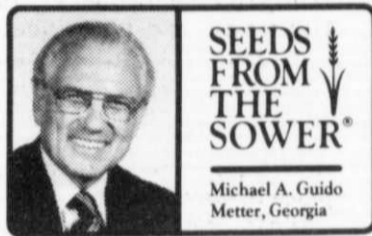
Saturday, November 6 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad and Kohlsville First

Responders were summoned to a call at 11:38 a.m. in the Town of Wayne. A male patient was transported to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend, for treatment of chest pain.

Saturday, November 6 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad personnel were called to a Town of Kewaskum business to assist a female patient who had lost consciousness. no transport was made.

Sunday, November 7 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad was summoned at 2:14 a.m. to a Town of Farmington residence to transport a male patient to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend, for treatment of abdominal pain.

Sunday, November 7 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum at 7:28 p.m. for a female patient experiencing difficulty breathing and chest pain. The patient was transported to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend.



A little girl turned her doll over her knee and said, "Even though I must spank you, I love you."

Isn't that just like God!

Discipline isn't a sign of anger, but of affection; not of censure, but of correction; not of punishment, but of productivity.

When God chastens you and me, it's not for our destruction, but for our discipline.

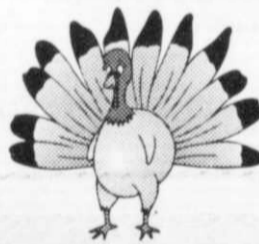
No, it's not pleasant at the time, but it's profitable. For the Bible says, "Later on, it produces a harvest of righteousness and peace for those who have been trained by it."

American Legion Post 384 1538 Fond du Lac Ave., Kewaskum

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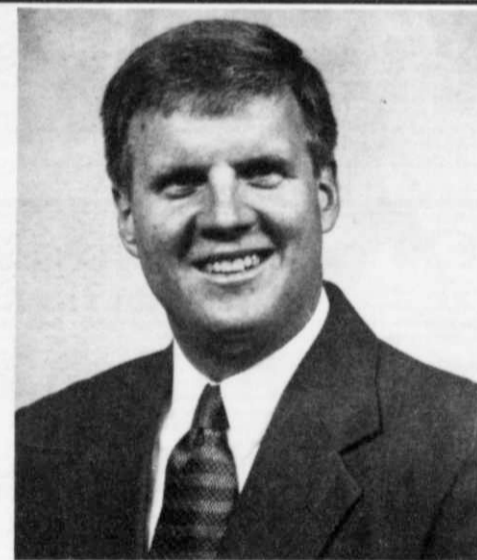
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Wayne Girl Scouts Enjoy Camping Trip



The Wayne Elementary School Girl Scout Daisy Troop #278, Brownie Troop #6222 and Junior Troop #282 enjoyed a camping trip October 8-October 9, at the Manitou Cedars in Shoto. The troops enjoyed beautiful weather and earned try-its and badges while on this outing. Pictured above, front row, left to right: Jordan Bocher, Brittany Brodzeller, Rachell Stoffel, Heather McElhatton, Lindsey Weiss and Michelle Christianson. Middle row: Brittany Osgood, Sarah Juech, Ashley Loomans, Taylor Bocher, Klara Osgood and special helper, Dustin Weiss. Back row: Amanda Kleppin, Candace Beine, Kristy Backhaus, Catherine Stoffel, Megan Ogi, Sarah Vogt, Ashley Weiss, Nicole Hallstead and Jennie Wicklund. A special thank you to the parents that helped on this outing: Kimberly Bocher, Deborah Osgood, Dawn Weiss, Lisa Stoffel, JoAnn Christianson and Ann Wicklund.



The ancient Greeks believed that anyone who drank from the fountain of Castalia on Mount Parnassus would be able to write poetry.

THURSDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE Lighthouse Lanes Nov. 4

Teskers, 14-0; Schmidt Funeral Home, 12-2; Bestech Tool Corp, 10-4; Inter Plan, 9-5; Lighthouse, 9-5; Moser's Dozers, 8-6; Reindl Repair, 4-10; Paradise Garden, 2-12; Tom's Pro Shop, 2-12; Ruppies Small Engine, 0-14. Tony Perez, 202; Mary Ann Theisen, 529.

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SERRV Sale at St. John's UCC Church



SERRV Handcraft products have arrived for the Saturday, November 20th sale at St. John's United Church of Christ in Boltonville. Bob Blohm, Jeff Panzer and son, Ian, carry in the cartons in preparation for the sale. SERRV (Sales Exchange for Refugee Rehabilitation Vocation) International, a non-profit organization, promotes social and economic progress of people in developing regions of the world by purchasing and marketing their handcrafts in a just and direct manner. The public is invited to view and purchase these unique items at the church, 1332 Scenic Drive in Boltonville on Saturday, November 20, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Homemade chili and desserts will also be available while you browse.

Village Board Meeting Monday

Public notice is hereby given that the next meeting of the Village of Kewaskum, Wisconsin Village Board is scheduled for Monday, November 15, 1999, at 8:00 p.m. in the Municipal Building, 204 First Street.

The agendas for the meeting are prepared as of Wednesday noon preceding the meeting and are available at the office of the clerk at the Municipal Building on Thursday preceding the meeting.

Copies of the agenda are also posted in the lobby of the Kewaskum Post Office and lobby of St. Francis Bank.



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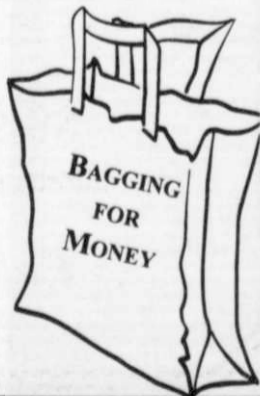
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Nov. 14 & 20
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

Nov. 20 -- BAZAAR, BAKE SALE, CRAFTS, & CAFE Peace United Church of Christ, 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Hand-crafted items, homemade baked goods, snacks, white elephant sale. Sandwiches, desserts and beverages will be sold. 11-4-3p

Nov. 20 -- SERRV SALE at St. John's United Church of Christ - Boltonville 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. SERRV (Sales Exchange for Refugee Rehabilitation Vocation) International promotes social and economic progress of people in developing regions of the world by purchasing and marketing their handcrafts in a just and direct manner. Chili, deserts and beverages will also be available. 11-3-3p

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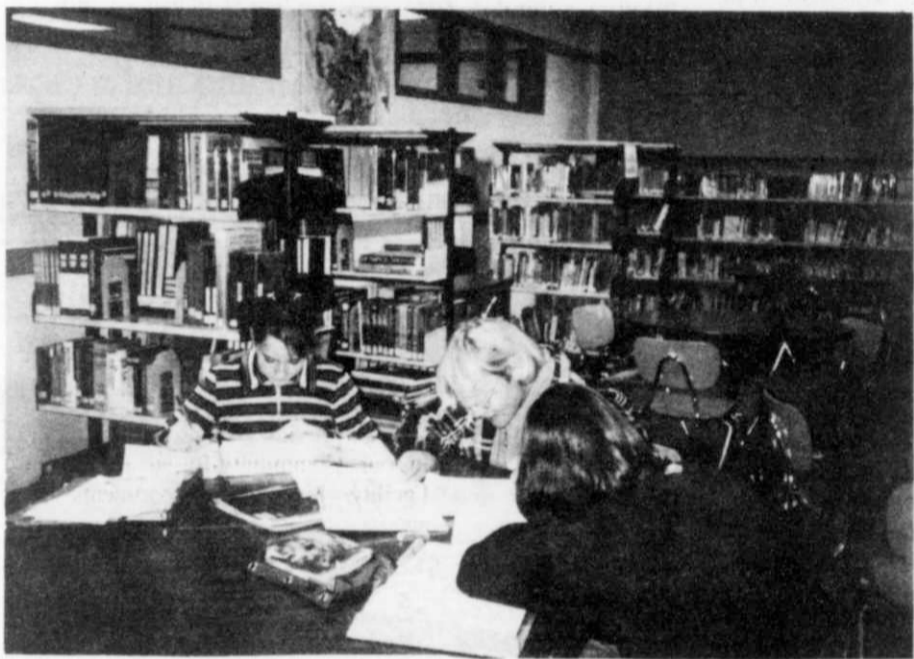
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Renovations Completed at KMS



No, they weren't in trouble... these seventh grade girls at Kewaskum Middle School just dropped in to get their picture taken in the new office. The office is now near the school entrance, with better traffic flow, better visibility, and better accessibility for students, staff and parents. The old office area has been converted to a newly renovated computer lab. From left are Samantha Hedlund, Lauren Parsons, Katie Kurer and Amanda Bakken.



Looking very studious within the new walls of the previously open-concept KMS library are eighth graders, from left: Ashley Taylor, Montana Schicker and Michelle Foege.

93rd Airman Reminded of Military Pride by War Veteran

By Senior Airman
Jessica Nash
93rd Computer
Systems Squadron

I am an enlisted member of the United States Air Force. I'm sure that many military members can relate when I say that I struggle with the trials that this service entails and with the sacrifices I have to make to serve my country and bring a pay check home to my family.

With all the talk in today's military of increased operations tempo, declining benefits and shrinking personnel and funding, I sometimes wonder how I'm going to make it through my next duty day, let alone my next deployment or my next enlistment.

One evening after work, I stopped at a local supermarket on my way home to pick up the ingredients I needed to make dinner that night.

Wearing my Battle Dress Uniform, I walked at a brisk pace up and down the aisles, trying to find everything that I needed. I was very self-absorbed, not thinking of much but the task of getting home and cooking dinner.

As I was "power walking" past the cheese, I could hear a man's voice somewhere behind me calling, "Sergeant, oh sergeant, sergeant!" Having the rank of Senior Airman, I assumed that whomever was calling wasn't calling for me, and I kept walking.

I heard the voice call out again and thought that someone might have mistook me for a sergeant, perhaps I had dropped something out of my wallet and hadn't noticed.

I turned around and saw a little old man, half hobbling and half running after me.

He was white-haired, wearing slacks, a T-shirt and black suspenders with little red lobsters all over them. I noticed the baseball style veteran's hat he had on his head that read, "World War II, Korea, Vietnam." It also had many ribbons and medals embroidered on it.

It dawned on me that at the time he was in the service, my chevrons would have identified me as what was then known as a "Buck

Sergeant."

I covered the remaining few steps between us and he asked me, "Are you going to spend at least 10 dollars in the store today?"

Now, I wondered if he was going to try and sell me something, or ask me to give to a charity. I glanced briefly at the items in my hand basket and said, "Yes, I probably will."

He said, "Do you know about the mystery coupon?" I told him I didn't and followed him a few aisles back from where he had started to call to me.

He limped to where his grocery cart was, and began to dig through a pile of coupons he had sitting on the child seat of the cart.

He told me that every week the store had a mystery coupon and that if I spent at least 10 dollars I'd get the mystery item assigned that week for a penny.

He told me, "I was in the Army, then the Army Air Corps, and after that, the Air Force. I served for 27 years and through three wars. I received 14 ribbons in a day when they didn't hand them out easily."

He said this all matter-of-factly, without bragging. I could hear the pride in what he said and I could see it shining in his eyes.

He then handed me a somewhat ruffled scrap of paper and said, "Here, I have two coupons, you can have one of mine." "The mystery item today is ice cream. It's up at the front of the store."

All I could manage to say was, "Thank you, sir."

This man who could barely walk, had run after me so that he could give someone in a military uniform a half-gallon of ice cream for a penny.

As I drove home I marvelled at it, a veteran of 27 years and three wars!

I thought of my sacrifices compared to what his must have been in his lifetime.

I thought about how many friends he must have lost, all the buddies he left behind. I wish I had talked to him longer. I wish I had shook his hand when I thanked him, but most of all, I wish I had thanked him for making me feel proud of my uniform.

BIRTH

COOK -- A daughter, Taylor Lynn, born to Chad and Tina Keller of Kewaskum on Oct. 20, at St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend. Maternal grandparents are Norbert and Joan Keller of Kewaskum. Paternal grandparents are Dean and Coyla Scheel of Kewaskum.



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Free Veterans Day E-Card Lets You Say Thank You

Veterans Day is November 11, but you probably will not find a greeting card in your favorite shop. With 26 million veterans in the nation, The American Legion realizes many people would like to say a special "Thank You" to a veteran. That is why the nation's largest war-time veterans organization is offering a free e-mail card.

"Many people forget that young military men and women serving today are veterans. Just about anywhere they are serving they have access to e-mail and receiving a special "Veterans Day" card would be a nice surprise," National Commander Alan G. Lance, Sr., said.

This is the second year The American Legion has offered the cards. "Response last year was excellent, so we expanded the service to offer branch of service cards with music. Naturally, there is plenty of room for the personal message," Lance said.

The Veterans Day Card service is accessed directly from The American Legion's homepage at www.legion.org. Once at the site, it is a simple matter to follow the instructions and send your special greetings.

"Throughout the last half of this century American men and women in uniform served in nearly every region of the world. Because of our veterans we have the freedoms our founding fathers longed to preserve," Lance said.

President Woodrow Wilson signed a Congressional Resolution on November 11, 1919, establishing "Armistice Day." The resolution further called for a day to be observed in schools and churches or other suitable places with appropriate ceremonies.

Since 1919, November 11

has become Veterans Day. Yet the same spirit that gave birth to Armistice Day continues today as American remembers the men and women who have served our country in the military.

"I hope millions of Americans will send an e-card to a veteran they know. It will just take you a moment to send a card, but it could mean much more to the person receiving it," Lance said.

Obituary

CHESTER G. STERR

Chester G. Sterr of Crivitz, formerly of West Bend, died Wednesday, Nov. 3, 1999, at Bay Area Medical Center, Marinette, at the age of 70.

He was born Aug. 12, 1929, in Hartford, to the late Walter J. and Theckla E. (nee Schwablander) Sterr, and married Mary E. Rindt on June 25, 1955, at Holy Angels Church. She passed away April 20, 1984.

At an early age, the family moved to West Bend where he lived until moving to Crivitz in 1989.

Chester served in the United States Air Force, serving in Okinawa. Following his discharge, he became employed at the Gehl Co., where he remained for 33 years.

He enjoyed fishing, hunting, golf, traveling, playing cards, especially sheepshead, snowmobiling, and life in northern Wisconsin.

Chester was a member of the Fred A. Schaefer Post 1393 VFW, where he served as post commander, and also the Hexelbank Club at the Gehl Co.

Survivors include three children, Janine (Terry) Buss of Campbellsport, Mark (Marianne) of Appleton and Steve (Jane) of West Bend; seven grand-

children, Laurie, David and Danny Buss, Jimmy, Jeff, Christopher and Tyler Sterr; a brother, Donald of West Bend; other relatives and friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held Monday, Nov. 8 at 10 a.m. at Holy Angels Church, West Bend. Fr. Jerome Repenshek was the presider, and burial followed in Holy Angels Cemetery.

Visitation at the Schmidt Funeral Home, West Bend, was on Sunday from 3 to 7 p.m., with a prayer vigil at 3:30 p.m.

IN MEMORY

In memory of STEPHEN SEKERES, who passed away ten years ago, Nov. 12, 1989:

This month comes to me with deep regret. It brings the day I will never forget. Little did we know when we awoke, the sorrow the day would bring. The call was sudden the shock severe, to part with someone so close and dear. But you were gone before we knew and only God knows why. A golden heart stopped beating, hard working hands were put to rest.

I can't believe it's been ten years for I still cry so many tears, but you'll always have a place in my heart. I've grown to learn that life goes on and years go by, but precious moments never die. God gave me strength to beat it and courage to take the blow. God broke our hearts to prove to us he only takes the best. The Lord took your hand and lead you to your new home where you now rest in peace.

**Sadly missed and forever loved
John & Melanie,
Mike & Tonya,
Mike & Buffy,
and families**

True wisdom lies in gathering the precious things out of each day as it goes by.

A BIRTHDAY MEMORY

In memory of my husband, our father, grandpa, and great-grandpa, ROBERT F. GAVIN, on his birthday, November 15th.

We hold in our tears when we speak your name. But the ache in our hearts remains the same. No one knows the sorrow that we share. When our families meet and you're not there. Nothing will ever be more beautiful than the memories that are of you. To all of us you were some one very special. God must have thought so, too.

Sadly missed by wife Joyce, and family.

PRAYER OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN

Prayer of the Blessed Virgin: (Never known to fail.) Oh, most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven. Blessed Mother of the Son of God. Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. Oh Star of the sea, help me and show me here You are

my Mother. Oh Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of heaven and earth, I humbly beseech You from the bottom of my heart to succor me in my necessity (make request). There are none that can withstand Your power. Oh Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (three times). Say this prayer for three consecutive days and then You must publish and it will be granted to you. Grateful thanks.

M.H.

IN MEMORY

In loving memory of RUBEN OPPERMANN, who passed away 25 years ago, November 13, 1974:

We think of you in silence, And often say your name, But all that's left to answer us,

Is your picture in a frame. We often look at your picture, And your smile seems to say, "Don't grieve for me, I'm only resting, And you'll see me someday.

Sadly missed by his wife and family.

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Kewaskum High School Honor Roll

The Kewaskum Community High School honor roll for the 1st Quarter, 2000 school year has been announced.

Honor roll 3.001 to 4.000 grade point average.

4,000 Students

FRESHMEN -- Lauri Bausch, Sarah Kurer, Cassandra Laatsch, Jaell Ledford, Kyra Meyer, Alexa Nelson, Kayla Sauer, Amanda Schladweiler, Katie Staehler, Amanda Survis, Justin Wessing, Alison Yanke.

SOPHOMORES: Virginia Feind, Bethany Hermann, Bryan Kraft, Joshua Lawrence, Stacy Muckerheide.

JUNIORS: Sarah Braun, Kelly Darmody, Colleen Gosa, Jill McKee, Lauren Nelson, Molly Schweder

SENIORS: Sara Bauer, Diane Broske, Heather Brown, Sara Dreher, Timberann Klapper, Kelly Martin, Kristina Olewinski, Laura Schwinn, Sarah Schwinn, Aaron Seiser.

3,500 - 3,999

FRESHMEN: Erin Bannenberg, Ashley Benike, Angela Bertrand, Julie Blasky, Lisa Boden, Kelly Buttitta, Jacqueline Chambers, Jeri Dehling, Malia Dickman, Kathleen Espitia, Jessica Graham, Jennifer Harter, Rebecca Herriges, Stephanie Herrick, Erika Hughes, Travis Kempf, Kirstin Krudwig, Rebecca Mahan, Michael McKee, Brian Mertz, Heather Meyer, Emily Ogi, Kala Rettler, Valerie Rieden, Jenna Roecker, Scott Sajdowitz, Daniel Schneider, Katie Schuppel, Christine Van Beek, Adam Winkler.

SOPHOMORES: Michael Gaskell, Amanda Gundrum, Joshua Harris, Candice Heberer, Margaret Herriges, Jeffrey Jacobi, Jennifer Jaycox, Noah Koch, Elisabeth Marx, John Neumann, Cassie Patterson, Dawn Prochnow, Elizabeth Rammer, Eric Sager, Adam Smith, Jennifer Stoll, Heidi Terlinden, Michael Theisen, Courtney Timblin, Tiffany Trott, Jason Vandebloom, Catherine Vogt, Elizabeth Werdermann, Daniel Willkomm, Andrea Wolf.

JUNIORS: Amber Averill, Jonathan Boedeker, Rebecca Bohn, Rick Bonlender, Jacki Broecker, Aileen Chambers, Noah Chapman, Sarah Cole, Elizabeth Degner, Emmy Foerster, John Guttman, Deanna Harris, Trisha Holz, Joshua Jungwirth, Troy Kedroske, Bret Klapper, Daniel Kletti, Rebecca Krell, Lauren Lecher, Kristina Lindgren, Sherry Maul, Dustin Melzark, Daniel Mertz, Paul Mertz, Kevin Miller, Joshua Mueller, Micah Olla, Alissa Paulus, Lori Petushek, Matthew Propson, Luke Reindl, Emily Rinzel, Tabitha Schellinger, Jessica Schmidt, Mark Schrauth, Matthew Schroeder, Angela Seil, Adriel Shulka, Jeremy Simonson, Joshua Stangl, Cassandra Steffen, Kimberly Survis, Ashley Vanoooyen, Jody Wichtoski, Lynn Wiesner, Sarah Williams, Darrell Woebbeking, Bridget Zimdars.

SENIORS: Nicole Averill, Christopher Boden, Michelle Broughton, Anthony Curreri, Therese Eikrem, Michael Farchione, Melissa Finch, Katharine Gosa, Joel Hermann, Amie Jaecks, Amber King, Katie Kopecky, Kristen Kurth, David Lettow, Jacy O'Hearn, Evan Paradies, Brian Pascavis, Lisa Schickert, Kristi Shileny, Kurt Snyder, Lauren Steinhardt, Michelle Stoffel, Patricia Stoffel, Jennifer Vandebloom, Sandy Vrana, Anna Waehler, Christopher Wall, Natasha Weaver, Brendan Weinhold, Scott Willkomm, Jennifer Wolf, Joseph Yogerst, Brooke Zanow, Michelle Zingsheim.

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FRESHMEN - Michelle Backhaus, Tricia Brath, Catherine Broske, Kurtis Cochran, Corey Darmody, Breyan Donath, Janel Ethier, Amy Fehlhaber, Brenda Flasch, Sarah Geidel, Scott Gillis, Jackelyn Hug, Jamie Imler, Stacey Imler, Amanda Jesowshek, Amanda Klahn, Kathryn Klug, Jennifer Koth, Andrew Lickel, Stephanie Maul, Joshua Peterson, Matthew Potter, Kyle Rabuck, Wendy Rahlf, Lee Schacht, Jamie Schneider, Johanna Schulte, Bridge Seil, Kristyn Still, Owen Stoffel, Brenton Strassburg, Joshua Timblin, Mandi Will.

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SENIORS -- Laura Baumann, Gary Boylen, Jason Calliari, Billy Cook, Sara Disler, Jason Fellenz, Kristopher Fuehrer, Jason Gruber, Keith Heberer, Jessica Howell, Gabriel Kempf, Ben Kohlwey, Christopher Koth, Jennifer Kraft, Ricky (Lloyd Lettow, Brian Lunde, Heidi Menger, Jeremiah Norman, Brian Osuski, Jessica Parrent, Cory Peplinski, Amy Pwoni, Heather Radtke, Cheryl Sager,

Katie Schladweiler, Amanda Schoofs, Jennifer Shirkey, Matthew Smith, Nicholas Staehler, Jason Strobel, James Thelen, Jennifer Thexton, Russell Thull, Bradley Vetter, Justin Weninger, Danielle Wietor.

Humane Society Appreciation Week Salutes Volunteers

In recognition of National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week, November 7-13, the Washington County Humane Society is saluting the many contributions of volunteers who give their time to help the Humane Society serve and protect both animals and people.

Volunteers perform many duties at WCHS such as cleaning cages, walking dogs, washing dishes, doing laundry, and bathing and grooming animals, as well as working at the many fundraising events so vital to the shelter's existence. "Without their help," says Marnie Brown, Executive Director, "we could not provide the many services that we offer the community. They are indispensable."

Last year, The Washington County Humane Society...

- * Received almost 5000 hours of service from volunteers;
- * Adopted 364 dogs and 505 cats to responsible, loving homes;
- * Returned 319 lost pets to their owners;
- * Sheltered six animals of

Kewaskum School District Policy for Emergency School Closings

District Superintendent Wayne Graczyk, has released for publication the 1999-2000 policy for school closings.

When school is closed it will be announced on the following radio and TV stations:

WBKV (1470 AM and 92.5 FM West Bend)
KFIZ (107 FM and 1450 AM Fond du Lac)
WHBL (1330 AM and 97.7 FM Sheboygan)
WTMJ (620 AM Milwaukee)
Snow Desk 12
TV6

News stations will only announce a closing. If they do not announce Kewaskum, it means our schools will be open. The announcement will be on the air as early as possible.

When school has opened but weather turns bad, it is recommended that parents listen to one of the above radio and/or TV stations for a possible school closing announcement. The district is extremely hesitant about closing school during the day. Every effort will be made to announce school closings during the day at least an hour before we dismiss the students.

It should be remembered that if school has been cancelled it means that all activities for that day and evening are cancelled as well. Also, parochial school students and special education students will not be transported when district schools close. If school is delayed by two hours, morning kindergarten and First Steps programs will automatically be cancelled.

domestic abuse victims;

- * Rescued 38 injured animals;
 - * Investigated 97 complaints of cruelty and neglect;
 - * Taught humane education lessons to more than 1000 school children;
 - * Responded to more than 4000 animal-related calls for assistance.
- "WCHS would like to thank our volunteers as

well as the residents of Washington County for their continued support of the shelter and its services," says Brown. "Together we work to build a safe, healthy and caring community."

For information on volunteer opportunities at the Humane Society, contact Dale Stockhausen, Operations Manager at 677-0731.

LAS VEGAS ANYONE?

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WES Students Experience Drama Workshop



First graders give their undivided attention to an actor who explains how the book, "James and the Giant Peach" was made into a play by the First Stage Theater of Milwaukee.



Ryan McCann's face reddens when he grits his teeth and tightens his muscles as he picks up an imaginary bar bell.

The first and second graders of Wayne Elementary School attended the play, "James and the Giant Peach," on September 29, in Milwaukee.

To prepare them for this experience, the theater sent an actor/teacher to Wayne Elementary School for a drama workshop. The actor told the students how the main character, James,

used his imagination to solve problems. He explained how the directors and actors used creative thinking to make the characters of the book come alive on stage.

In a whirlwind of action and fun, the children were encouraged to use their own creative thinking. One of the activities was imagining

different ways an ordinary three-foot stick could be used. Raquel Bode crawled on the stick like an inchworm. Joey Martin used it to start a fire. Kelsey Luehring jumped on it as a pogo stick.

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Y2K News

tips to help

FIRST IN A SERIES OF EIGHT ARTICLES

Consumer fraud happens every day. Scam artists convince people to make worthless investments, buy goods that won't perform as expected and pay more for goods and services than they are worth.

"As we approach the year 2000, our complex, computer-dependent society, coupled with anxiety about the Y2K bug, is creating new opportunities for consumer scams," says Karen Goebel, University of Wisconsin-Madison/Extension Family and Consumer Economics specialist.

"Y2K lends itself to fraudulent schemes," she adds. "Fear results from uncertainty and Y2K is filled with uncertainty. This uncertainty, interacting with basic human desires to get more than we bargained for from a deal, add to our susceptibility for being scammed."

Several possibilities for potential scams stand out.

Utilities and services. Consumers may be concerned with the disruption in the services that they rely on daily. These include government programs such as social security, the utilities that supply gas, oil, electricity and phones, transportation systems, health care and public safety.

Home appliances. Consumers will be offered products that claim to test and fix Y2K-related problems with thermostats, furnace controls, security systems and other home products that may not function as expected after New Year's Eve, 1999.

Travel. People seeking special ways to celebrate the turn of the millennium may experience inflated rates and extra costs for their travel and special celebrations. This could increase travel frauds and scams, which already are an area of common consumer complaints.

Banking and finance. With uncertainty about how Y2K will affect the heavily computer-dependent financial institutions, people may be approached with scams related to their investments, bank accounts and credit cards.

Following some basic guidelines will help people avoid being defrauded by those taking advantage of Y2K, Goebel says.

"Rely on trusted sources of information, where experience tells you that your trust is deserved," she says. "Learn the rules of dealing with strangers who present you with opportunities that sound suspicious. When the returns sound too good to be true, they probably are."

Goebel offers the following tips as protection from scams:

* If someone asks you to

take actions that seem suspicious, ask for written information on the goods and services.

* Read documents before signing.

* Insist on time to think over any offer and get alternative estimates.

* Remember that legitimate offers will probably be there tomorrow.

* Pressure to act, particularly pressure to act quickly, is always suspicious.

* Never give credit card information or banking and investment account numbers unless you initiated the call or transaction.

* Never turn large sums of money over to anyone.

* Always be suspicious of free prizes.

"Remember, we all are vulnerable to scam artists.

The Y2K issue simply creates new opportunities to those seeking to defraud us," Goebel says. "To avoid becoming a victim, follow the guidelines listed here

and report suspicious offers to the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection; the Wisconsin Department of Justice or local law enforcement officials."

If you have already been the victim of a scam, it's important to report it so others won't be taken advantage of, too.

Next week watch for information about Y2K travel -- travel during the New Year's holiday.

For additional information, contact one of these local partnering agencies:

* Washington County UW-Extension Family Living - Marma Jean McIntee, 335-4479;

* Washington County Office of Emergency Management - Jim Pamperin, 335-4398;

* American Red Cross - Hartford - Debra Thomas, 673-4400.

* American Red Cross - West Bend - Jackie Wicklund, 334-5687.

Other Resources:

* UW Cooperative Extension

sion Y2K Fact Sheets at <http://www.uwex.edu/ces/admin/Y2K>

* Bureau of Consumer Protection at 800-411-7128 or <http://datcp.state.wi.us/>

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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

In the Matter of the Application for Conversion of Blue Cross & Blue Shield United of Wisconsin
Petitioner.

Case No. 99-C26038

NOTICE OF HEARINGS AND INVITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

The Wisconsin Commissioner of Insurance will hold public hearings on Blue Cross & Blue Shield United of Wisconsin's proposed plan to convert to a stock insurance corporation.

PLEASE READ THIS NOTICE CAREFULLY.

*** HEARING IS SCHEDULED

DATE: Class 1 Contested Case Administrative Hearing - November 29, 1999, at 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (noon), unless further continued by the Commissioner.

DATE: Public Hearing - November 29, 1999
12:00 p.m. (noon) to 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Italian Community Center
631 East Chicago Street
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

DATE: Public Hearing - November 30, 1999
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Laird Room, University Center
1015 Reserve Street
U.W.- Stevens Point
Stevens Point, Wisconsin

Class 1 Contested Case Administrative Hearing

A class 1 contested case administrative hearing on the proposed plan of conversion under ch. 227 and ss. 611.76 and 613.75, Wis. Stats. will be conducted on November 29, 1999 between 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. (unless sooner concluded, continued or extended at the direction of the Commissioner) before Commissioner of Insurance Connie L. O'Connell. All motions in the class 1 hearing, other than motions that necessarily must be made at the hearing, shall be filed with the Commissioner not later than November 19, 1999. Only persons admitted as parties to the class 1 proceeding may participate in this class 1 administrative hearing. However, attendance by the public is encouraged and welcome. The information presented in the class 1 hearing may be of value to interested members of the public.

Public Hearing

The Commissioner will conduct a public and informational hearing under s. 601.41 (5), 611.76 (6) and 613.75, Wis. Stats., on November 29, 1999 at the above-designated location in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, commencing immediately after the class 1 administrative hearing, approximately 12:00 p.m. (noon), unless such administrative hearing is continued or extended by the Commissioner. The Commissioner will reconvene the public and informational hearing on November 30, 1999 at the above-designated location in Stevens Point, Wisconsin at 10:00 a.m.

- (1) The public is invited to testify at the public hearing. A time limit of five minutes for oral testimony will apply unless the Commissioner sets a shorter period to accommodate the number of speakers registered. Since time for oral testimony may be limited, the public is invited to submit written comment as well as, or in lieu of, oral testimony. The public is encouraged to submit written comments to the Commissioner by November 19, 1999, but written comments may be submitted at any time prior to or at the public hearing. Written comments may be directed to Attention: Blue Cross Conversion Comments, Office of the Commissioner of Insurance, P.O. Box 7873, Madison, WI 53707-7873.
- (2) The Commissioner will accept written comments after the November 30, 1999 conclusion of the public hearing until December 13, 1999.

Issues

The issues to be considered at the Class 1 contested case administrative hearing, and with respect to which the public is invited to comment in the informational hearing, are as follows:

- (1) Conversion of Blue Cross & Blue Shield United of Wisconsin from a nonprofit service insurance corporation to a stock insurance corporation.
- (2) Whether or not, under ss. 611.76 and 613.75, Wis. Stat., the Plan of Conversion violates the law or is contrary to the interests of the policyholders of Blue Cross & Blue Shield United of Wisconsin or the public. In determining the interests of the policyholders and the public, the Commissioner will consider whether:
 - (a) The conversion would be detrimental to the safety and soundness of the insurer.
 - (b) The conversion would be detrimental to the contractual rights and reasonable expectations of the persons who are policyholders on or before the effective date of the conversion.

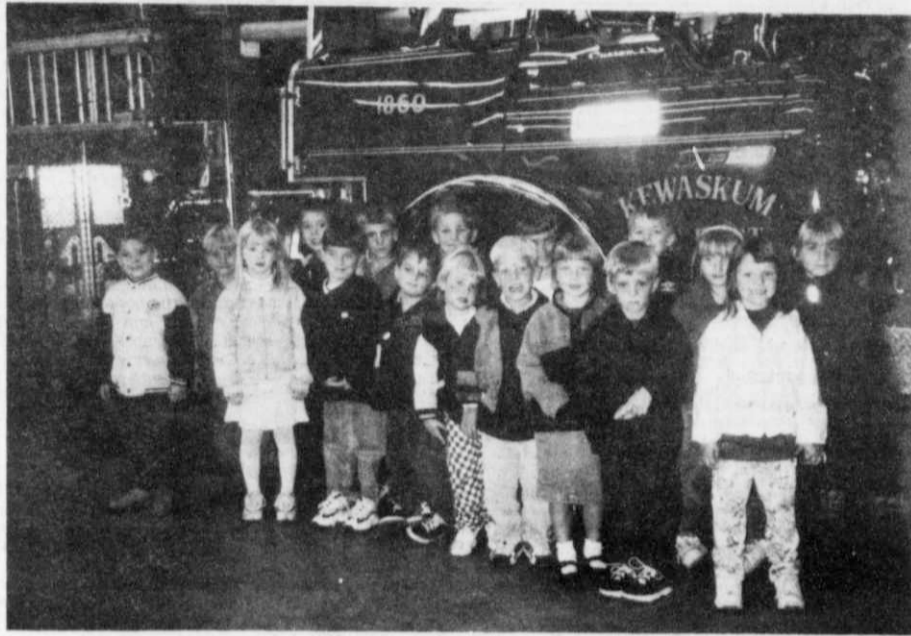
How to Obtain Information

A copy of the summary of the plan of conversion, and the document "Advancing the Health of Wisconsin's Population" (the proposed plan regarding the ultimate disposition of conversion proceeds), may be obtained from Blue Cross & Blue Shield United of Wisconsin by visiting its Web site at www.bcbuw.org or by request directed to Attention: Corporate Communications, Blue Cross & Blue Shield United of Wisconsin, P.O. Box 2025, Milwaukee, WI 53201 or telephone (414) 226-5754. The public may inspect a copy of the [1000 page] plan of conversion by visiting the offices of Blue Cross & Blue Shield United of Wisconsin, 401 W. Michigan Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, or the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance, 121 E. Wilson St., Madison, Wisconsin. Anyone wishing to obtain a copy of the plan of conversion is encouraged to download it from the Blue Cross & Blue Shield United of Wisconsin Web site. However a copy may be obtained for the cost of reproduction [estimated at \$151.25] by request directed to either Blue Cross & Blue Shield United of Wisconsin or to the Office of the Commissioner of Insurance.

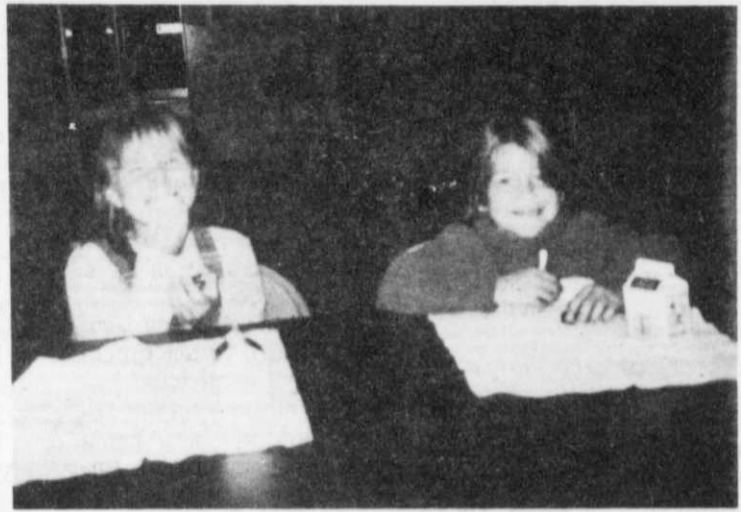
Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, this 3rd day of November 1999.

Connie L. O'Connell, Commissioner of Insurance

Holy Trinity Students Visit Fire Station



The Holy Trinity School kindergarten class shown above, and the second graders visited the Kewaskum Fire Station for Fire Prevention Week on October 6. They saw a video on a fire escape plan, saw the trucks and equipment, and finished their tour off with a snack.



Roxanne Etta and Andie Hoss enjoy a snack after touring the Kewaskum Fire Station.



Second graders Kelly Tuszyński and Samantha Aycock took a tour of the rescue squad unit.

ABC SKAT RESULTS

The winner at skat played at Ralph Laux's in Random Lake on Tuesday, Nov. 2nd was: Francis Gilboy, 16-1--15 net.

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Five KMS Teachers Create Service Learning Project

By Joanne Curry
Eighth Grade
Language Arts Teacher

From July 25th - 29th a multi-disciplinary team of Kewaskum Middle School teachers attended the C.E.Y.A. (Center for the Education of Young Adolescents) Transescent Seminar, which is held every summer on the UW-Platteville campus.

At the seminar, the teachers developed a service learning program which would re-landscape some areas on the KMS grounds.

Dave Drexler, Ms. Schwalter, Ms. Molenda, Ms. Curry and team leader, Ms. Dorst, worked many hours before the conference to develop ideas for the service learning plan. The plan was described in a paper which was jointly written by the team, and then the details were revised and fine-tuned with the help of a seminar leader at the conference.

The general goal of a service learning project is to get students involved in improving their community

or school in some way so they realize that individual and small group efforts can have a great, positive impact.

The KMS project would work by combining the skills, interests, and energies of students in all grade levels, and staff members in all disciplines to make the building and grounds look more beautiful and inviting.

The project would also alleviate the practical problems of mud being tracked into the building and lawns becoming weedy due to drought and salt damage.

A third benefit is the improved usefulness of outdoor spaces around the school. With the addition of walking paths, gardens, benches, planters, bird and wildlife feeders, and plant and mineral identification markers, (which could all be produced by Mr. Drexler's Tech Ed classes), the middle school's outdoor space can become a truly valuable learning environment for reading, reflection, art or other structured learning

activities across the curriculum.

The goals of this project are to challenge the students with a real-world, hands-on learning task that involves planning, seeking approval from district authorities, raising funds from various sources, then building, nurturing and maintaining the newly landscaped areas.

The work could be done as a class project, as art teacher Ms. Molenda did when her eighth grade students plotted the landscape designs, or as an extracurricular service club that meets on weekends or outside of school hours to do the construction and planting.

The Platteville Project, as it has come to be known, was a truly valuable and inspiring learning experience that should yield a bounty of cross-curricular interaction, hands-on learning experiences, and practical beauty for years to come, all while teaching students to take pride in their environment, their community and in their accomplishments.

TOWN OF WAYNE BUDGET HEARING

Budget hearing will be held at 7:30 P.M., Wednesday, November 17, 1999 at the Town Hall, 6030 Highway H, Town of Wayne. The proposed budget is as follows:

	RECEIPTS		
	Budget 1999	Estimated 1999	Proposed 2000
Property Tax	195,000	195,000	195,000
Intergovernmental	140,387	133,530	135,700
Public Charges	5,000	5,900	6,000
Licenses & Permits	10,000	11,500	10,000
Miscellaneous	5,000	5,600	5,000
Surplus Applied	65,000	65,000	28,000
			379,700
EXPENDITURES			
Administration	60,000	48,950	522,250
Public Works	160,000	155,250	165,000
Public Safety	42,467	42,685	46,450
Recycle	5,500	5,675	6,000
Capitol Improvement	142,300	120,000	100,000
Contingency Fund	10,000	10,000	10,000
			379,700

Town Board meeting will follow the hearing at which time the public will approve the highway expenditures and the Board will adopt the levy for the year 2000.

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Village Board Meeting Minutes

Village of Kewaskum
Plan Commission Meeting
August 24, 1999
7:00 p.m.

The Plan Commission of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin met in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 204 First Street.

President Robert H. Wagner called the meeting to order. Members present were Richard Schmidt, Theodore Meilahn, Andy Pesch, Frank Beesten, Michael Kimble and Administrator Daniel Schmidt. A quorum was present. Lee Ann Butchlick asked to be excused and was absent.

Trustee Robert Stoltzmann and Rick Kania from SEWRPC were also present for the discussion.

The meeting was opened with a Moment of Silence and the Pledge of Allegiance.

On a motion by Richard Schmidt, seconded by Andy Pesch and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Commission approved the minutes as corrected, for June 22, 1999.

Mr. Rick Kania was present from SEWRPC to review Section 14.00, "Administration" and Section 2.00

"General Provisions". Several questions were asked by the Commission Members of Mr. Kania. It was noted portions of Section 2 need to be completed and more discussion is expected. It was again noted the lighting portion of Section 9.00 may have some adjustments to it at the next discussion. Mr. Kania noted that if anyone has a question they should bring it up as soon as possible.

On a motion by Frank Beesten, seconded by Theodore Meilahn and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Commission adjourned the meeting. Roll call vote was 6 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 1 "Absent".

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MEETING NOTICE

The Finance Committee of the Kewaskum School District will meet on Wednesday, November 17, 1999 beginning at 6:00 p.m. at the District Office, 1450 School Street. The purpose of the meeting will be for reviewing plans for the issuance of bonds. The meeting is open to the public.

MEETING NOTICE

The newly formed Buildings Projects Committee of the Kewaskum School District will meet on Thursday, November 11, 1999 beginning at 3:00 p.m. in the District Office, 1450 School Street. The purpose of the meeting will be to review and begin the process for the selection of a general contractor for the upcoming building project. The meeting is open to the public.

MEETING NOTICE

The Buildings and Grounds Committee of the Kewaskum School District will meet on Wednesday, November 17, 1999 immediately following the conclusion of the Finance Meeting (approximately 6:30 p.m.) at the District Office, 1450 School Street. The purpose of the meeting is to review the high school gym floor installation, a child care program during school and summer vacation, and other Buildings and Grounds matters that may come before the committee. The meeting is open to the public.

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The Policy Committee of the Kewaskum School District will meet on Wednesday, November 17, 1999 beginning at 7:00 p.m. at the District Office, 1450 School Street. The purpose of the meeting is for the continued review and recommendation of policies to the full Board. The meeting is open to the public.

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Hunters Responsible for Reporting, Rendering Aid in Event of Accident

MADISON -- Hunting accidents are rare in Wisconsin -- four of 100,000 participants suffer a firearms injury -- yet they do occur every year, and hunter safety officials remind all hunters that they must meet their legal responsibilities if they are involved in an accident.

"Hunting in Wisconsin is safe and getting safer -- the accident rate has dropped by 90 percent since hunter education started in 1967," says Tim Lawhern, Wisconsin hunter education administrator. "But each year we have a few accidents and it is important that all hunters know what is expected of them if they are involved in one."

In case of a hunting accident, under state law:

* If you injure someone by discharging either a gun or bow, you are required to identify yourself as the shooter to the victim.

* You are required to immediately render aid.

* Once the immediate medical emergency has passed, you must report the incident to the local law enforcement agency with jurisdiction over the area in which it occurred. In most cases, this will be the sheriff's department, however, the incident may also be reported directly to the Department of Natural Resources.

TOWN OF KEWASKUM PLAN COMMISSION MEETING NOV. 15, 1999

The Town of Kewaskum Plan Commission will meet November 15, 1999, 7:30 p.m., at the Kewaskum Town Hall, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum, WI. Meeting agenda follows:

AGENDA - PLAN COMMISSION MEETING

I. Chairperson Scott Sager call meeting to order

A. Official meeting notification

B. Pledge of Allegiance

C. Roll call

D. Approval minutes past meeting

II. Public presentation (15 minutes)

III. Unfinished business

IV. New business

A. Recommendation to Town Board regarding application for a Conditional use Permit for Mark and Suzan Bledsoe to keep and raise llamas for agribusiness, breeding, farm family recreation, and show at property located in Section 20, 4134 Ridge Road, totaling 9.125 acres.

B. Recommendation to Town Board to accept in final form the Town of Kewaskum Land Division Ordinance.

V. Adjournment

Dated this 8th day of November, 1999.

Barbara L. Wenzlaff, Town Clerk

* Self-inflicted injuries -- 15 of the 55 hunting accidents last year -- must also be reported.

Failure to meet these legal obligations can further harm the victim, leave the victim's family in a state of limbo, and be costly for the shooter from a financial and legal standpoint, Lawhern says.

Failure to report a hunting accident carries a civil forfeiture of \$165.20, but this can be higher and can also result in the loss of hunting privileges. Failure to render aid in a hunting accident is a criminal act that can carry up to a \$5,000 penalty and up to nine months in jail.

A Cambridge man faces a March 2000 court date in Iowa County Circuit Court

KEWASKUM TOWN BOARD MEETING NOV. 15, 1999

The Kewaskum Town Board will meet November 15, 1999, immediately following the 7:30 p.m. Plan Commission Meeting at the Kewaskum Town Hall, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum, WI. Meeting agenda follows:

AGENDA - TOWN BOARD MEETING

I. Chairperson Scott Sager call meeting to order

A. Official meeting notification

B. Roll Call

C. Approval of minutes from past meeting

II. Public presentation (15 minutes)

III. Unfinished business

IV. New Business

A. Possible action to approve a Conditional use Permit for Mark and Suzan Bledsoe to keep and raise llamas for agribusiness, breeding, family farm recreation, and show at property located in Section 20 at 4134 Ridge Road, totaling 9.125 acres.

B. Possible action to approve a resolution to accept the Town of Kewaskum Land Division Ordinance and place in Clerk's Office for public inspection 20 days before approval on December 20, 1999.

C. Possible action to approve the 2000 Fire Contract with the Village of Kewaskum.

D. Possible action to approve operator licenses for Sunburst Ski Area.

E. Authorization to ask for bids for chipper.

F. Possible action to approve driveway permit for Jack Peters, 9260 Kettle Moraine Drive, Section 12.

G. Discussion regarding machinery account.

H. Treasurer's Report and payment of bills.

Adjournment

Dated this 8th day of November, 1999.

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in part for allegedly covering up the shooting of another hunter on the first day of the 1998 gun-deer season. The victim, a 47-year-old Madison man, died in the field. At various times, the investigation to determine who shot him required help from 18 Wisconsin conservation wardens over a week and cost the state up to \$50,000. Had the incident been reported, the investigation would have taken only a fraction of the time and money, wardens say.

Conservation wardens are required to investigate every hunting accident and file a complete report. A hunting accident in Wisconsin is defined as "that in which a person is injured by the discharge of a hunting firearm or bow and arrow outside of the home and arising from the activity of hunting, including travel to and from the hunting field."

Chief Warden Tom Harelson says conservation wardens investigate hunting accidents for several reasons, including to make sure the accident is not a homicide and to give the victim's family information about what happened to their loved one. "They want to know what happens -- they don't want to wonder the rest of their lives," Harelson says. "We also want to find out if there's an underlying safety problem that could be avoided by some change in the law or some change in equipment."

Lawhern notes that hunting accidents in Wisconsin get a lot of attention in the media and elsewhere because the state has so few. "In those few cases, however, common decency and courtesy should always be the choice of action," he says.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

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Monday, Nov. 15 -- Toasted cheese sandwich, tomato or chicken soup, applesauce, pickle spear, mud bars.

Tuesday, Nov. 16 -- Ham slice/cheese in a bun, mandarin oranges, tater tots, peanut butter bar.

Wednesday, Nov. 17 -- chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes & gravy, peas, jello.

Thursday, Nov. 18 -- Sub sandwich, meatball or lunch meat, peaches, corn, ice cream.

Friday, Nov. 19 -- Tacos - Hard or soft shell, rice, pears, fresh veggies/dip, chocolate cake.

HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL MENU

Monday, Nov. 15 -- Spaghetti, lettuce salad, peaches, bread w/butter, cookie dough, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 16 -- Hot dog on bun, pineapple, golden corn, corn chips, cherry bar, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 17 -- Hot ham slice, whipped potatoes w/gravy, buttered carrots, mixed fruit, dinner roll, cookie, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 18 -- Hamburger on bun with the works, green beans, pears,

donut, milk.

Friday, Nov. 19 -- Tomato soup, toasted cheese or peanut butter sandwich, apple sauce, bananas, cookies, milk.

KEWASKUM SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, Nov. 15 -- MEXICAN DAY -- Soft tortilla taco (t), fluffy rice, corn, fresh fruit and banana bread. **Square fish and cheese/bun. (2) chicken patty on a bun.

Tuesday, Nov. 16 -- CHINESE DAY -- Stir fried chicken with vegetables, Chinese boiled rice, stir fried spiced cabbage and a fortune cookie. **Cheesy garlic bread (2) chicken patty.

Wednesday, Nov. 17 -- USA DAY. Cheeseburger or hamburger, WI blend veggies, French fries, Red Delicious apple and a choc. chip cookie. **Baked potato bar (2) chicken patty.

Thursday, Nov. 18 -- FES-EAT WITH YOUR CHILD. GERMAN DAY -- Bratwurst on a bun, mashed potatoes and beef gravy, cole-slaw and apple kuchen. **Gyro (2) chicken patty/bun.

Friday, Nov. 19 -- KES-EAT WITH YOUR CHILD. ITALIAN DAY -- Pepperoni pizza, breadstick, garlic butter, red grapes, Italian salad and lemon ice. **Ch. Pizza (2) chicken patty.

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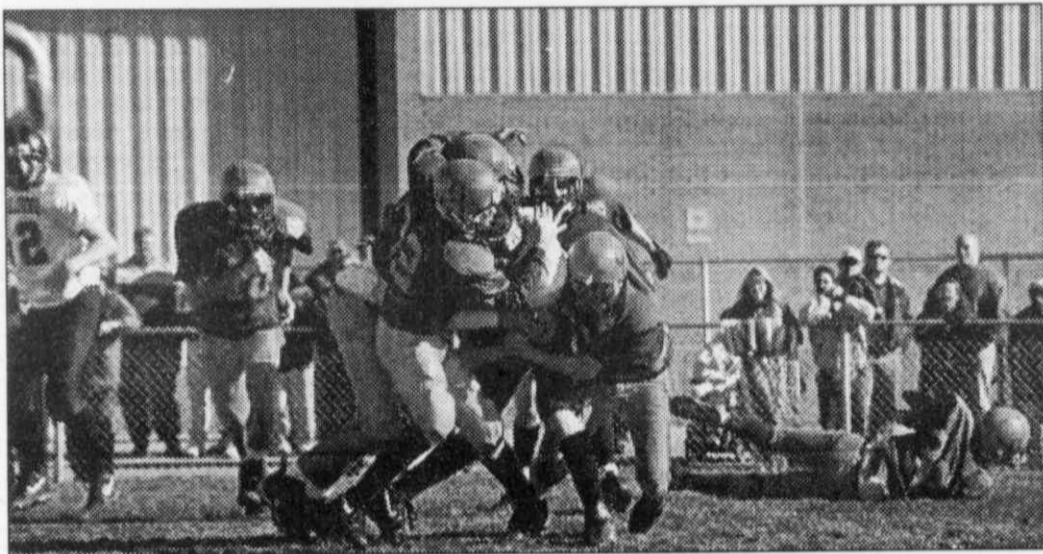
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Kewaskum Gridiron Team Brings State Championship Trophy Home



Indian players take down a Cudahy Bulldog in Saturday's state championship held here. The team is comprised of eighth grade students in the Kewaskum School District.

Statesman Photos: Andrew R. Kuehl



Kewaskum Gridder prepares to block a member of the Bulldogs. Kewaskum defeated the Bulldogs 19-6, bringing the first state football trophy to Kewaskum.



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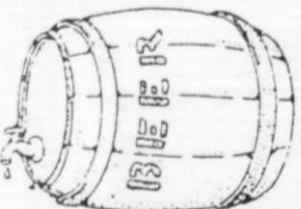
Kewaskum Gridiron Team Brings State Championship Trophy Home



Justin Krueger attempts to make a touchdown in Saturday's game. Tim Trott, right attempts to block.

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A Smelly Budget Provision

By Rep. Glenn Grothman

In a state budget full of bad provisions one small but especially smelly provision is called the just cause provision for liquor wholesalers. Under current law, each part of the state has a different liquor distributor for each brand (i.e. Jack Daniels, Seagram's Whiskey, Gallo Wines, etc.). If individual wholesalers do a poor job, other wholesalers can replace them.

Under this budget provision, wholesalers would be as a practical matter, able to keep their local monopolies regardless of what they do. As with any monopoly, this means they would be free to raise their prices as much as they want. When similar laws were passed in Illinois, liquor prices quickly jumped by double digits and plans were begun to jump them again.

Normally, I feel the role of campaign contributions in Madison is overrated. However, it is hard to imagine any politician supporting this provision, which is so anti-consumer, for any reason other than dollars.

In my five years as a state legislator, I have never seen such intense lobbying. As one lobbyist said to me, "If you're a registered lobbyist and have a pulse, you will be hired to work on this issue." This is the sort of law you can push through in a state like Illinois -- I had always hoped Wisconsin would be more clean. This provision was stuck in the huge state budget. But, I have asked the Governor

to veto it.

On an unrelated issue, there is good news on a national front. Traffic fatalities for 1998 dropped again. In 1995, with the entire county under the 55 miles per hour law, there were 1.8 deaths per one hundred million passenger miles. In 1998, with every state but Hawaii going to 65 mph or higher, the actual fatality rate dropped to 1.6 fatalities per one hundred million passenger miles.

Of course, part of this was due to better roads, better cars, and fewer drunks driving. Some traffic experts have speculated that it could have been due to people getting to their destinations quicker and therefore people were less likely to fall asleep at the wheel. Ralph Nader had predicted 6,400 more deaths each year due to the 10 mile per hour increase, but instead expected deaths fell by 4,000 per year.

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