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Beechwood Fire Department pleased with grants



Beechwood Fire Department has received almost \$200,000 in grants recently. Fire Chief Mark Muench says they received a \$115,000 FEMA grant last year which paid for the above mini-pumper. The most recent \$58,500 FEMA grant was used for a new vehicle exhaust extrication system. Muench says he wrote the grant along with his brother Matthew Muench. He admits they have been pleasantly surprised by their success. Muench says they've also received a State Department of Natural Resources grant. He says they used that to purchase new helmets and hoods. He says they also received three department of Homeland Security grants. They used that money for purchasing pagers and a defibrillator unit. The Beechwood Fire Department has 35 volunteers and six vehicles, including the new mini pumper, two tankers, an equipment truck and fill site vehicle. Watch The Statesman for news of the annual Beechwood Firemen's Picnic in June.

Statesman photo: Andrew Kuehl

Chamber Annual Banquet Guest Speaker...Rails to Trails Program

The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual banquet on Wednesday, February 16, 2005 at Woody's Steakhouse. The evening starts with a cash bar and hors d'oeuvres at 5:30, a dinner meeting at 6:30, with a program to follow.

This year, the Chamber Board has chosen to spotlight the Rails to Trails Program that is being developed. Deborah M. Sielski, Assistant Administrator for Planning for the Washington County Planning and Parks Development will present information on the Eisenbahn State Trail that extends from the Washington/Fond du Lac County line through the Town and Village of Kewaskum to Rusco Drive in the City of West Bend. Ms. Sielski will briefly update the group on the history of the trail and progression the design and construction process. The economic impact of Rails to Trails projects will be the highlight of the presentation, citing how other Rails to Trails projects have had a positive impact for nearby businesses and communities. This project link to the Ice Age Trail Had which is located near Sunburst Ski Area.

Gary Cross will join in the event with music from 8 to 10 p.m.

The Chamber Board invites all members and non-members to join in an evening of information and relaxation. Call the Chamber phone at 262-626-3336 or visit the website at www.kewaskum.org to make reservations for this event. The deadline for reservations is February 2 and the cost is \$18 per person.

There will be a short business meeting, which includes filling vacant Board positions. Being a member of the Chamber Board is a very rewarding experience, especially at a time when the Village is once again beginning to grow. With the completion of Rails to Trails, tourism can lay a very important role in the development of the community.

The Chamber of Commerce consist of a membership that is committed to the betterment and promotion of our area. The 12 member Board works very hard to promote the area through advertising and events. The Chamber has never nor does it now have paid staff so everything that is accomplished is done entirely through volunteer help, some of that help is given by people who are not even members but enjoy doing something for the community. Whenever

any individual or organization has an event in Kewaskum, at one time or other, each and every business may benefit from that event.

For the \$100 annual Chamber dues, the area is promoted through the website at www.kewaskum.org, membership in the Washington County Visitors Guide, Membership in the Washington County Convention and Visitors Bureau, as well as being listed in the Wisconsin Chamber Directory. And for the past eight years, The Northern Kettle Moraine Visitor Guide has been published through the combined volunteer efforts of the Kewaskum and Campbellsport Area Chambers of Commerce. The Northern Kettle Moraine Business and Recreation area has been promoted through the publication of this Visitor Guide.

The Officers and Board of Directors of the Chamber would like to encourage all business owners to become members of the local Chamber, and when called upon, consider helping with the events that the Chamber sponsors. Partnership and getting to know your business neighbors is the good thing for a community.

LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

● **C-SPORT HOME INVASION UPDATE**- The Statesman checked in with Campbellsport Police Chief Randy Karoses regarding last weekend's rash of home invasions. Chief Karoses stated they are making some headway in the cases where money and prescription drugs were taken while homeowners were sleeping. Homes in Lomira were also entered.

● **DAIRY COWS FOUND DEAD IN T. SCOTT** - An interesting case has folks in Sheboygan County talking. That's after 31 dead Holstein cows were found dead on a dairy farm belonging to Bruce Michaels and his son Chris. The Sheboygan County Sheriff's put down because of its poor condition. Early word is the animals were malnourished. A Circuit Court records check showed no charges have been filed in the animal deaths. 35 other cows from the dairy operation are being cared for by friends of the owners farm.

● **RAINY-ICY WEATHER MAY THREATEN CORN AND ALFALFA CROPS**- Farmers across Washington County are keeping an eye on the weather. Early word is, the freezing rain and accumulation of ice in the area is raising concerns about potential ice damage to alfalfa and winter wheat stands. Farmers say the plants need oxygen to survive and unfortunately a solid later of ice can restrict air diffusion and suffocate alfalfa and winter wheat.

● **STATESMAN SUBSCRIBERS RAISE \$800**- The Statesman was pleased to present \$800 to the Todd Boegel family after readers made donations of \$25 and more recently. Readers who gave \$25 or more were given a year's subscription or renewal. "The response was overwhelming, our readers should be very pleased," stated Andrew Kuehl of The Statesman.

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ON THE RECORD



RESCUE CALLS

On January 17, Kewaskum Rescue and Boltonville First Responders were dispatched to the town of Farmington for a person with hip pain. A transport was made.

On January 19, Kewaskum Rescue and Kohlsville First Responders were dispatched to the town of Wayne for a rollover accident. Two transports were made.

On January 20, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the town of Kewaskum for a person that fell. A transport was made.

On January 21, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the town of Auburn for a person that passed out. A transport was made.

Also on January 21, Kewaskum Rescue was dis-

patched to the village of Kewaskum for a person that fell off the roof. A transport was made.

Again on January 21, Kewaskum Rescue and Boltonville First Responders were dispatched to the town of Farmington for a person that passed out. A transport was made.

On January 23, Kewaskum Rescue and Kohlsville First Responders were dispatched to the town of Wayne for a person with a temperature. A transport was made.

Also on January 23, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the village of Kewaskum for a person with a racing heart. A transport was made.

MONDAY NIGHT SKAT WINNERS

Skat winners on Monday, Jan. 17th were: Roger Wehrmann, 20-3--17 net; Gus Giese, 443 points; George Minz, 100 high play. The next skat will be Monday, Jan. 24 at 7:00 p.m. sharp. Woody's Steakhouse.

TUESDAY NIGHT SHEEPSHEAD WINNERS

Five handed winners on Tuesday, Jan. 18th were: Butch Schmitt, 54-9--45, 18-5--13; Crickets Rohlinger, 50-6--44, 15-5--10; Diane Stern, 47-9--38, 17-6--11; Adam Cornelius, 15 most loses; Jim Propson, 12 low points. The next five handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, Feb. 1st at 7:30 p.m. sharp. American Legion Hall.

XYZ CARD RESULTS

The winners at cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, Jan. 19th were: SKAT: Teresa Peterson, 18-0--18 net; Allen Reindl, 13-6--19 net; Teresa Peterson, Heart solo vs 4; Allen Reindl, Club solo vs 4. SHEEPSHEAD: Edna Ruplinger, Delores Mielke, and Ray Ruplinger



AREA BIRTHS

WHITE -- A son, Damian Anthony, born to Tanya White, Kewaskum, on January 20, 2005. Damian weighed eight pounds and 15 ounces and was 21 inches long.

MAAS -- A son, James Brunner, born to Andrew and Rachel Maas, Kewaskum, on January 18, 2005. James weighed seven pounds and was 20 inches long.

TENNIES -- A daughter, Tessa Louise, born to Angela and John Tennies, Jr., Campbellsport, on January 17, 2005. Tessa weighed nine pounds and two ounces, and was 20 1/2 inches long.

LANGER -- A son, Benjamin Paul Richard, born to Julie and Jesse Langer, Random Lake, on January 15, 2005. Benjamin weighed eight pounds and 12 ounces and was 21 inches long.

SCHNEIDER -- A son, Xavier Reid, was born to Jeannie Smith and Dexter Schneider, Fredonia, on January 15, 2005. Xavier weighed seven pounds and six ounces, and was 21 inches long.

WENDT -- A daughter, Siddalee Eve, was born to Amber and Jason Wendt, Campbellsport, on January 12, 2005. Siddalee weighed six pounds and two ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long.

KOLAR -- A daughter, Sara Marie, born to Linda and Phillip Kolar, Allenton, on January 10, 2005. Sara weighed six pounds and 15 ounces and was 20 inches long.

BANOVICH -- A son, Jonathon James, was born to Brenda and Steve Banovich, Town of Farmington, on January 9, 2005. Jonathon weighed seven pounds and 9 ounces and was 21 inches long.

WILDT -- A daughter, Brooklyn Marie, to Jackie and Brian, on Jan. 20.

KEWASKUM SENIOR DINING CENTER For the Elderly Menu Meadowcreek Complex 262-483-2056

Monday, Jan. 31 -- Chili Mac, sweet peas, chilled apricots, biscuit, banana cream pie.

Tuesday, Feb. 1 -- Veal bird, mashed potatoes, with gravy, pickled beets, whole wheat bread, lemon meringue pie.

Wednesday, Feb. 2 -- Chicken ala king over rice, spring blend vegetables, tropical fruit, biscuit, chocolate pudding.

Thursday, Feb. 3 -- Stuffed green peppers, oven browned potatoes, whole wheat bread, marble cake.

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LUNCH MENUS

KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday, Jan. 31 -- Chicken nuggets, apricots, pear slices, brown rice, pilaf, broccoli, cheese sauce & a brownie cookie. *Meatloaf & gravy. (2) Uncrustable (p).

Tuesday, Feb. 1 -- Cheese fries with marinara dipping sauce, green beans, Mandarin oranges and bread. *Pizza patty/bun. (2) Uncrustable.

Wednesday, Feb. 2 -- Chicken patty/bun, corn, fruit cocktail, and a brownie cookie. *Mexican salad bar. (2) Uncrustable.

Thursday, Feb. 3 -- Chicago style hot dog, baked beans, peaches & a chocolate chip cookie. *Beef & cheese quesadilla. (2) Uncrustable.

Friday, Feb. 4 -- Elem. Surprise Day! Turkey & gravy, mashed potatoes, peas, bread & a blonde brownie. *Fiestada pizza. (2) Uncrustable.

HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL

Monday, Jan. 31 -- Spaghetti, lettuce salad, peaches, bread w/butter, Kit Kat bar, milk.

Tuesday, Feb. 1 -- Hamburger on a bun, tator tots, battered carrots, pears, peanut butter square, milk.

Wednesday, Feb. 2 -- Chicken nuggets, whipped potatoes w/gravy, golden corn, pineapple, dinner roll, oatmeal bar, milk.

Thursday, Feb. 3 -- Mozzarella pizza sticks w/marinara sauce, green beans, mixed fruit, chocolate chip muffin, milk.

Friday, Feb. 4 -- Hot turkey on a bun, fluffy rice, buttered peas, Mandarin oranges, cookie, milk.

ST. LUCAS SCHOOL

Monday, Jan. 31 -- Chicken noodle casserole, garlic bread, peaches, pickle spears, chocolate chip bar.

Tuesday, Feb. 1 -- Egg

breakfast sandwich, orange juice, applesauce, cinnamon roll.

Wednesday, Feb. 2 -- Toasted cheese sandwich, chicken or tomato soup, mixed fruit, cake.

Thursday, Feb. 3 -- Meatloaf, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, pineapple, chocolate-chocolate chip cookie.

Friday, Feb. 4 -- Hamburger or cheeseburger on a bun, fries, pears, pudding.

CAMPBELLSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday, Jan. 31 -- Chicken nuggets/dip, French fries, fruit, cookie.

Tuesday, Feb. 1 -- Chicken fajitas or turkey sand., Mexican rice, green beans, fruit choice.

Wednesday, Feb. 2 -- Spaghetti & meat sauce, salad bar, fruit, milk, French bread.

Thursday, Feb. 3 -- Corn dog, tri tater, cheese slice, carrots/dip, fruit choice.

Friday, Feb. 4 -- Sub sandwich, corn, pickle, Doritos, fruit choice, milk.

ST. MATTHEWS SCHOOL

Monday, Jan. 31 -- Tater tot casserole, garden fresh peas, tossed salad, peaches or mixed fruit, French bread, milk.

Tuesday, Feb. 1 -- Chicken pattie/bun, starz potatoes, carrot sticks, garden fresh peas, orange wedge or banana, milk.

Wednesday, Feb. 2 -- Turkey & gravy, mashed potatoes or rice, green beans, cranberries, pineapple, dinner roll, milk.

Thursday, Feb. 3 -- Mini corn dog, potato wedges, corn, kiwi or applesauce, raisin bread, milk.

Friday, Feb. 4 -- Cheese pizza, tossed salad, wax beans, mixed fruit, milk.

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COMMUNITY

Local contractors make big donation



Recently, Campbellsport Building Supply and local area contractors gathered for their annual year end banquet at the Camelot Country Club. As part of a cash raffle they gathered 1,560 non-perishable items for the St. Matthew's food pantry in Campbellsport. Ralph and Mary Schellinger of Schellinger Construction also donated \$500 towards the pantry. \$150 was also donated by Jim and Jackie Pfantz of Jim Pfantz Construction. Pictured are Julie Korth, office manager, and Todd Flitter, assistant store manager of Campbellsport Building Supply, with some of the items donated. Campbellsport Building Supply, along with their sister stores, Berlin and Kiel Building Supply, gave over \$20,000 to local charities in 2004. They encourage you to support local contractors and your local community. To learn more about Campbellsport Building Supply, go to their website at www.furnishanddesign.com. Or to learn more about their home design services call them at 920-533-4412.

Training class for family caregivers

WEST BEND - An educational training class for family caregivers will be offered through a six-week series being held on Mondays, February 14, 21, 28 and March 7, 14, 21, 2005 from 1 to 3:30 p.m.

Classes will be held at the Hartford Senior Center, 730 Highland Avenue, Hartford.

You will learn tools to help reduce stress, take care of yourself, reduce guilt, anger and depression, help you relax, make tough decisions,

se goals and solve problems, and communicate effectively with other family members, your doctor and paid helpers.

A donation of \$15 per person is being asked to cover the cost of books and materials. Pre-registration is required by February 1 on a first come, first served basis.

Limited space is available. Caregiver is provided upon request. It is sponsored by the Washington County Office on Aging. For further information call 262-335-4497.

Free tax assistance for seniors

Free tax assistance is being offered by trained AARP volunteers for individuals over 60 years of age with simple forms.

Interested parties should bring along last year's form, all 1099 forms from banks, Social Security, or annuities; W-2 forms from any employers, monthly Social Security amount, and rent certificate.

Forms can be obtained at the West Bend library, Washington County/County Clerk's Office, your local post office, etc. Contact these locations ahead to confirm availability.

If you have questions please call the Washington County Office on Aging at 262-335-4497.

The following is the schedule for free tax assistance:

Fridays, beginning February 4 thru April 15, 2005 - Germantown Senior Center - 9:15 a.m. - 1:15 p.m., call 262-253-7799 for required reservation.

Mondays and Wednesdays, beginning February 7 thru April 13, 2005 - Hartford Senior Center - 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Thursdays, beginning February 3 thru April 14, 2005 - Slinger - 1st National Bank - 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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Possible murder connection with Rev. Erickson still hot topic

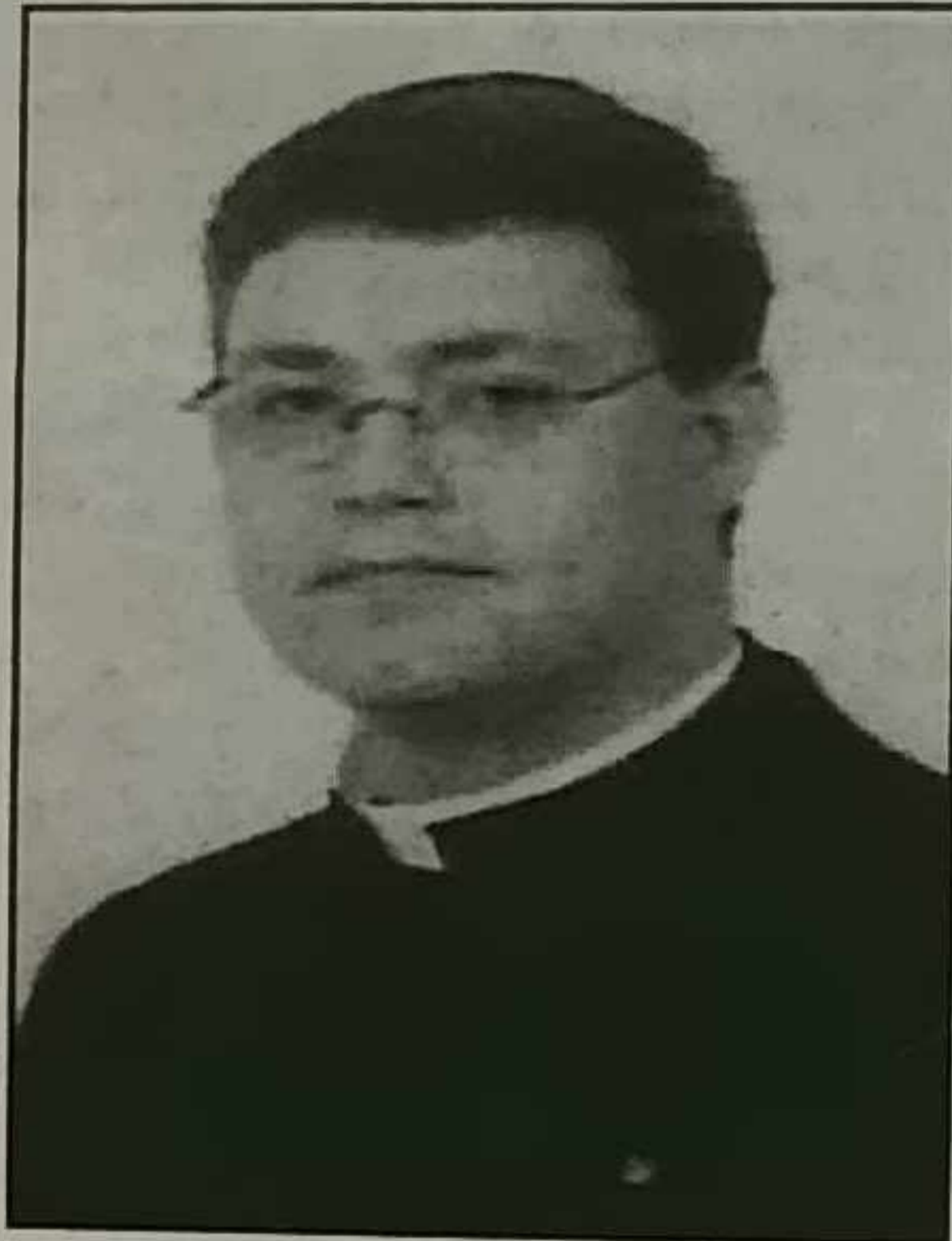
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Hudson- Folks up north are still waiting to hear whether a local priest in being connected to the 2002 slaying of two funeral home employees there. *The Statesman* reported on the suicide death of Campbellsport native, Fr. Ryan Erickson shortly before Christmas.

An update into the story recently revealed that Erickson was interviewed twice in 2004 by the Hudson Police Department.

According to articles ran in the Hudson Star-Observer, Hudson Police Chief Dick Trende confirmed that Erickson was a subject of an investigation into possible improper and criminal activity with minors before he was ever considered a "person of interest" in the 2002 deaths of Dan O'Connell and James Ellison. It was through facts gathered in that investigation that police began to question him in connection with those murders.

The article attributes



Fr. Ryan Erickson

inconsistencies in Erickson's statements to police during interviews with him raised suspicions that ultimately led them to seek a search warrant shortly after Erickson's death.

It went on to say, in interviews, Erickson revealed details of the crime scene that were never released to the public. Erickson said he learned of those details from the individual who was at the crime scene following the discovery of the murders. That person denied speaking to Erickson the article said.

Another earlier article stated some are very reluctant to speak with investiga-

tors about Erickson and the 2002 murder case. Most have been helpful but a few have been hesitant according to Chief Trende. He said at that time that Erickson was one of several people of interest in the case.

The Star Tribune of Minneapolis published a story on January 20th saying that Erickson was feared suicidal three days before he took his life. That story also said that police in Hurley were worried about Erickson and gave his firearms to a church deacon.

In that same article three individuals spoke highly of Erickson and condemned the Hudson Police for including Erickson in the investigation.

Erickson was a priest at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Hudson from 2000 to 2003, and had been transferred to a church in Ladysmith, Wis., and then to St. Mary of the Seven Dolors Church in Hurley in 2004.

The Statesman will continue to follow this story.

Special thanks to Meg Heaton of *The Hudson Star-Observer* for her assistance with this update

Waukesha County D.A. first to enter campaign against A.G. Lautenschlager

Waukesha- Waukesha County District Attorney Paul E. Bucher announced Tuesday, January 25 that he is running on the Republican ticket for Wisconsin Attorney General against Democrat Peg Lautenschlager.

Flanked by law enforcement and community leaders, Bucher launched a statewide series of appearances to take his message throughout Wisconsin. District attorney of Wisconsin's third most populous county for over 16 years, Bucher said he will emphasize his experience as a proactive and aggressive prosecutor at a time of unprecedented prosecutions and scandals involving government and other public figures, including the current attorney general.

Gov. Tommy G. Thompson appointed Bucher, 49, Waukesha County D.A. in 1988. Bucher is Waukesha County's longest serving D.A. ever.

Bucher said Lautenschlager's drunken-driving arrest, her refusal to take a blood test, her refusal to be forthright and honest with the facts of that incident, as well as lingering questions about her personal use of a state car have undermined public confidence in the state's top law enforcement position.

Bucher has served on numerous state and federal committees and task forces on issues including victims' rights, law enforcement technology, drug abuse, Operation Triggerguard, judicial selections, criminal history record improvement, sexual predators, open records, and gang violence.

Bucher is a two time former president of the Wisconsin District Attorneys Association and former vice chair of the Waukesha County Republican Party.

He created the Waukesha

ever since.

For more information, see www.scottwalker.org.

The Statesman will continue to update our readers as other candidates come forward.

County DA office's first sensitive crimes unit, repeat offender prosecution enforcement program, domestic violence unit, and narcotics unit. He founded or co-founded Waukesha County Crime Stoppers, the Preventing Alcohol Related Crashes Task Force, the Elderly Care Review Team, Fighting Against Crime Through DARE, the Child Fatality Review Team, and Waukesha County Mobile Eyes.

Bucher said. "I'm anxious to take my experience and commitment to public service to the next level. Law enforcement officers in this State are the ultimate professionals, dedicated and committed to their communities. They deserve better than what they are getting from the State's "top cop". They need leadership.

IN MEMORY

In Loving Memory of Ray Keller who passed away five years ago, January 30, 2000:

Your gentle face and patient smile
With sadness we recall
You had a kindly word for each
And died beloved by all.

The voice is mute and stilled the heart
That loved us well and true,
Ah, bitter was the trial to part
From one so good as you.

You are not forgotten loved one
Nor will you ever be
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We miss you now, our hearts are sore,
As time goes by we miss you more,
Your loving smile, your gentle face,
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Walker announces campaign for 2006 Governor's race

Wauwatosa- In the bone chilling temperatures of a Wisconsin January, Scott Walker kicked off his campaign for Governor Monday, January 24 saying he supports the freeze. The Property Tax Freeze.

"The campaign to reclaim government for the over taxed and under appreciated now begins in earnest," said Walker, the former Republican state legislator and current executive of Milwaukee County. "We need a Governor who realizes that having the 6th highest tax burden in the country is simply unacceptable and I am prepared to sign a real tax freeze into law."

Walker said that too many senior citizens, too many working families and too many employers are being forced out of Wisconsin because of high property taxes.

Walker was elected Milwaukee County Executive in 2002 in a Special Election, becoming the first Republican ever to hold that post.

During his address Monday, Walker said that current Governor Jim Doyle's record of failed leadership is marked by broken promises.

"As a candidate, Jim Doyle pledged not to cut shared revenue. As Governor, his budget cut \$70 million from the program." Walker said. "As a candidate, he pledged to maintain the state commitment to fund two-thirds of school costs. As Governor, he failed. As a candidate, he pledged to crack down on Government waste, as a Governor, he spends more than \$600,000 on a website for a transportation project. Wisconsin deserves better. Wisconsin deserves a leader who says what he means and does what he says."

Walker said Monday was the beginning of an ongoing conversation with Wisconsin's voters: a conversation that will have him crisscrossing the state in the weeks and months ahead.

Prior to serving as County Executive, Walker served in the Wisconsin State Assembly for almost nine years. He represented the 14th Assembly District, which was comprised of the entire city of Wauwatosa. Scott chaired the Committee on Corrections and the Courts. Additionally, he served on the Committee on Health, the Committee on Census and Redistricting, the Committee on Financial Institutions and the

Assembly Committee on Housing.

Before beginning his time in public service, Scott was the Financial Development Specialist for the Greater Milwaukee Chapter of the American Red Cross. While attending Marquette University, he worked as an Accounts Administrator for the Milwaukee Metropolitan office of IBM.

The Walkers are active members of the Underwood Memorial Baptist Church and are involved with numerous civic groups. An avid scout, Scott achieved the rank of Eagle Scout. He was also active in the American Legion Badger Boys State and Boys Nation programs.

After graduating from high school in Delavan, Scott moved to Milwaukee to attend Marquette University and has lived in the county

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They're Back!

My husband opened the door to the garage the other day and slammed it shut. He came eye to eye with a mouse as it ran across the garage floor for cover behind the recycling bin.

That was it. The hunt was on. Just short of putting on a blaze orange hunting suit, he immediately reached for the peanut butter and then ran downstairs to set the traps. I'm sure his plan was to set hundreds of traps in to catch this one mouse, but he had to settle for five. It reminded me of a scene out of Ghostbusters - or Mousebusters, as it played out. He very strategically placed the traps and tiptoed back inside the house.

I was sure that as we were drifting off to sleep later, we would hear a chorus of snaps as we caught all of the mice in Washington County in our garage.

Mouse never used to bother us before the Great Mouse Year of 2003.

They were very sneaky. For several weeks we had noticed that two of our seatbelts were fraying in the van. So, I called the dealership and expressed my frustration in the quality of seatbelts. When I brought the van in, he told me he had never seen anything like it, which made me even more frustrated. I couldn't imagine that we were the only family that had this trouble with our

seatbelts. I was sure there would be a recall.

From the dealership, we went to my son's soccer game. My husband opened up the back hatch to get the stroller out and was shocked when he found thousands of little mouse pucky presents all over the floor. I had never heard so many swear words combined into a sentence.

As we pulled the kids from the van, we noticed more presents spread throughout every inch of the van. Even the bottom of the emergency diaper bag had mouse pucky in it. The cupholders, the book holder, the car seats; it was like a public restroom for mice. It all made sense now; the mice were flossing their teeth with our seatbelts!

The ride home from soccer was filled with anxiety that at any moment thousands of mice were going to scurry across my lap! I called the dealership on our way home and he said he had never heard of mice living in a vehicle. I asked him for advice and he said, "Get a cat." Funny for him, but not for me!

My husband was convinced that the crumbs of Goldfish and graham crackers attracted the mouse family to take up residence in the van. However, what he forgot was that sitting in front of where we parked the van in the garage were four cases of

M&M's that our son had to sell for Cub Scouts five months earlier. When we got home from soccer, I went to grab a bag to munch on - chocolate is always a great stress reliever - and all of the bags were empty. We were probably the winter retreat for all mice that year.

When my husband popped the hood, after bleaching out the entire inside of the van, he noticed the mice had made a nest behind the engine. For the next few nights we set traps inside the van and caught nothing. We also set traps in the garage and caught five mice.

That's not all. Later in the week, we were grilling out at my parents' house and when my dad went to fire up the grill, he noticed he had a mouse nest in his grill. Instead of turning on the gas and closing the lid, my perfect sister demanded he let the little critters free. Unfortunately, in freeing the mice, they got loose in my dad's garage.

Then, to cap off the week of mice, my son was invited to a birthday party at Chuckey Cheese. When Chuckey the overgrown mouse made his appearance I wanted to kick the squeek out of him. We haven't been back since.

The mouse on our computer also broke that same

Radar Run Feb. 12

On February 5th, the northern Kettle Moraine Crooked Trails Snowmobile Club will hold its fifth annual Snowmobile Radar Run at Buz's Beach Bar on Crooked Lake from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. A rain date of February 12 is scheduled.

There will be trophies in all classes, studded and non-studded (Stalker ATS Radar Gun). Food and beverages will be served on the lake. To get to the run, take Hwy. 45 North to Kewaskum, 28 East,

go North on Hwy. S to Mapletree Rd, North to Crooked Lake Drive, West to end of road. Or 57 North to SS, SS West to Mapletree Rd. North, Crooked Lake Dr. West to end of road.

The funds generated from this year's event will continue to support the grooming, marking and brushing of the snowmobile trails in the Dundee and Crooked Lake Areas. For more information call Scott Kopping at 262-483-3332.

Red Cross holding Infant and Child CPR Class

An Infant and Child CPR course will be held on February 5 from 8:30 a.m. to approximately 12:30 at the West Bend American Red Cross.

The Infant and Child CPR course is designed for anyone who cares for children. It combines a new video, live demonstration, hands-on practice and discussion to engage every learning style. Participants will be provided take-home information on injury prevention and will learn to: use the EMS system effectively, and recognize and care for breathing and car-

diac emergencies in infants and children under the age of nine years.

If you've recently become a parent, grandparent or caregiver, this class is a wonderful way to be prepared for emergencies.

The cost for this class is \$35. Prepayment is required for enrollment and this class will fill up quickly. To sign up for this course, or to inquire further, stop in at our office, 819 Schoenhaar Drive, West Bend from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. To inquire by phone, call 262-334-5687.

Kindergarten registration and screening in April

This year's annual screening and registration of prospective four and five year old kindergarten pupils residing in the Kewaskum School District will be held on Friday, April 29, from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Saturday, April 30, from 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Registration/screening for all Kewaskum School District Elementary Schools will take place at Kewaskum Elementary School. Parents/guardians may call the District Office, (262) 626-8427 ext. 8001, before February 11, 2005 to set up an appointment with Ms. Debbie Goodsell. Areas for screening will include speech/language and readiness skills.

In conjunction with this annual screening, the district is required to provide testing for those children ages three to 21 for whom there is rea-

sonable cause to believe a disability exists. For information about testing, please call Nancy Dreher, Pupil Services Secretary, at 626-8427 ext. 1101.

To be eligible for enrollment in 4-year-old kindergarten, children must have attained their fourth birthday on or before September 1, 2005. To be eligible for enrollment in five-year-old kindergarten, children must have attained their fifth birthday on or before September 1, 2005. Evidence of date of birth, either a birth certificate or a baptismal certificate, must be brought to the school at the time of enrolling.

Parents will register their children for next year's term and will be given the necessary health forms. Please speak with your health care provider to make sure your

child has received all of their required immunizations.

I would like to impress upon you the importance of calling to set up an appointment for screening your child, so that we are able to plan accordingly for next school year. This is also important to ensure your child may attend the school in the area where you live. If you fail to call by the February 11th date, we may need to assign your child to a school that is not their neighborhood school.

If you have any questions, other than to register, you may contact Kieth Kriewaldt, Director of Elementary Education, at 626-8427 ext. 1104.

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COMMUNITY

County - Briefs -

By Judy Steffes

Town of Jackson man seriously injured in accident

The Washington County Sheriff's Department responded to a bad accident January 19 in the Town of Jackson. 22-year-old Jacob Streich was seriously injured when he lost control of his vehicle off of Bridge Street and hit a tree.

Jaws of Life were needed to pull him from the vehicle. Flight for Life took Streich to Froedtert Memorial Hospital in Milwaukee where he underwent emergency surgery. Authorities say speed and road conditions were not contributing factors in the accident.

Bob Cross name to be removed from annual benefit

The Bob Cross Run in West Bend will be undergoing a big change. Hope Cross-Nelson says she's pulling her husband's name from the event. Nelson tells *The Statesman*, that being connected with the run for the past 20 years has provided some tremendous memories - but she says it's time to move on.

The local run/walk started as a family get together by the Cross family as a way to remember their dad. The event, later involved hundreds who participated to raise money for the American Cancer Society.

Early indications are the run will still be held June 5th, however the name will be changed to "The Finish Line."

Quad Graphics rebuilding paper racking system in Lomira

Quad Graphics in Lomira

is building a new storage system to replace the paper racking system that was destroyed in a fire three years ago.

The new information system, which is completely automated, is expected to be in operation by September.

Although the old system cost an estimated \$15 million, Quad has no figures on what their new set up will cost.

More than 90 acres north of Slinger to be protected land

The Cedar Lakes Conservation Foundation is taking steps to protect about 90 acres of hills just north of Slinger. The property is owned by Norman Henzelmann.

The Land Trust is looking to secure more than \$500,000 in state and federal grants to buy the property between Cedar Creek and Arthur Roads.

FdL officer temporarily suspended

A Fond du Lac Police officer has been temporarily suspended after she was picked up last week for drunk driving.

Officer Pamela O'Hearn was off duty and alone in her own car when she veered off the road. Nobody was injured.

O'Hearn was placed on administrative leave, pending the results of an internal investigation. She's been with the Department for seven years.

YMCA receives grant

The Kettle Moraine YMCA in West Bend is laying the groundwork for a program intended to help kids get in shape. The Y's Aaron Schmidt said the program, with Aurora Medical Center of Washington County was kick started following a \$300,000

grant. The money was provided through a partnership between Blue Cross and Blue Shield United of Wisconsin and the Medical College of Wisconsin. "It's called Fit Kids and Fit Families," said Schmidt. "It's a three year grant with a goal designed to affect child obesity and the family."

Schmidt said they are still working to get programs in place. He said their goal is to bring in, not only the children ages six to 16, but allowed the parent to attend a 12-week class. He said a two-hour program will be offered once a week and will touch on things like portion control and healthy food selection.

"There will be people from Aurora and staff from the YMCA that will help with three areas targeting behavior, nutrition and fitness."

Schmidt said the exciting thing about the partnership with Aurora is that this is one of the first programs in Washington County that will target youth obesity.

Plans for old Kohl's store in Fond du Lac

The old Kohl's food store building in Fond du Lac may soon become an extension of Hamilton Park. The store on Sopha Street closed 15 years ago and has become an eyesore. The common council in Fond du Lac considered buy-

ing the building Wednesday night, razing it and then implement a development plan. Aside from a park, the city is considering the site as parking space for a church across the street. The property is currently assessed at \$287,000. Ten years ago the assessment was \$400,000.

Charter Cable prices going up

Charter Cable customers around Kewaskum and West Bend are going to have to pay more as Charter is raising their prices again. Starting February 1, Charter sub-

scribers will pay \$2 more per month for the company's "Big and Biggest" discount packages. That includes basic and expanded service, digital music channels and other services. The cost is going to go from \$52.99 to \$54.99 a month. The "Biggest Package" which includes premium channels will jump from \$68.99 to \$70.99 a month. Charter says the subscription price increases were mainly because Charter's cost for programming went up, along with other expenses like fuel, insurance and general operating costs.

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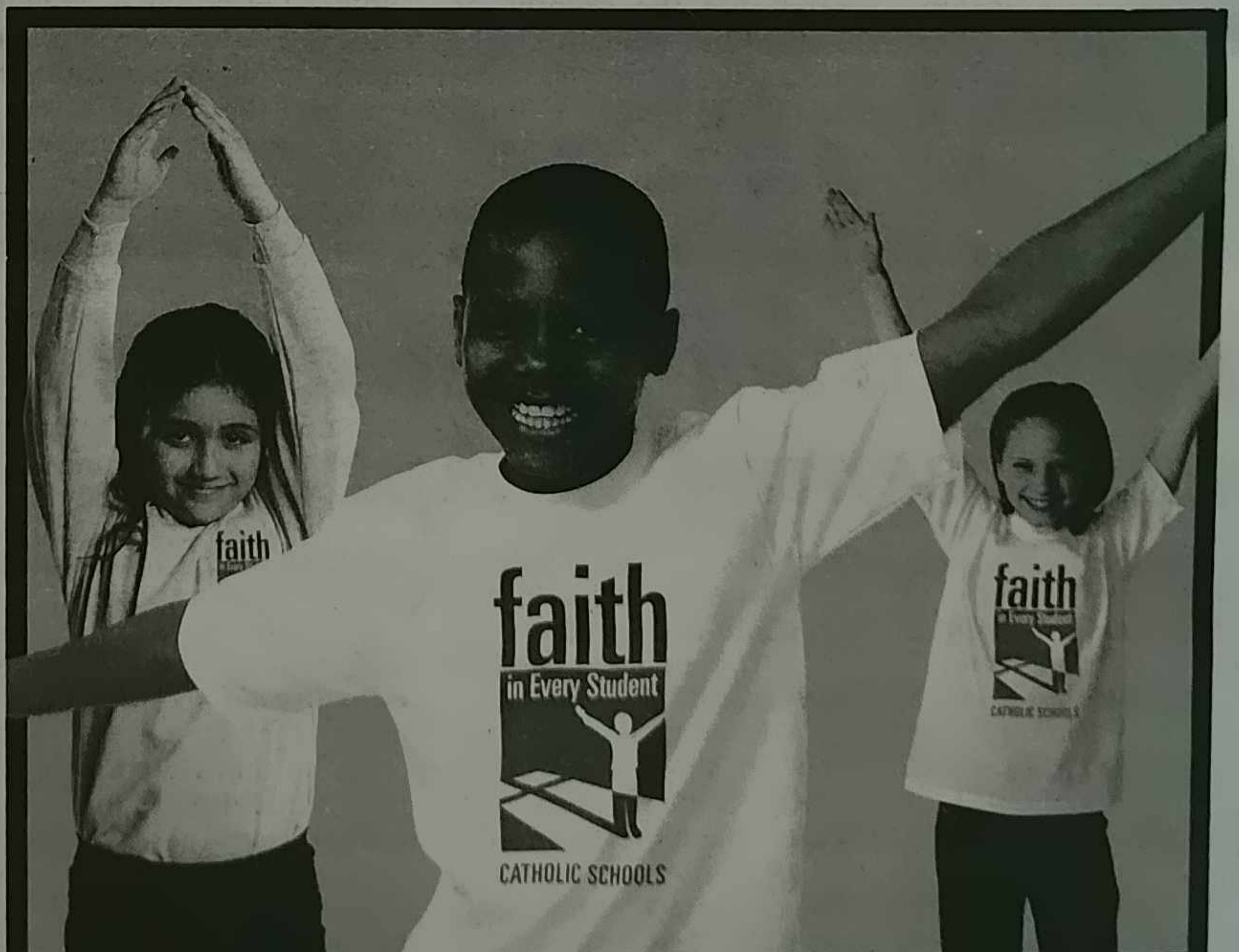
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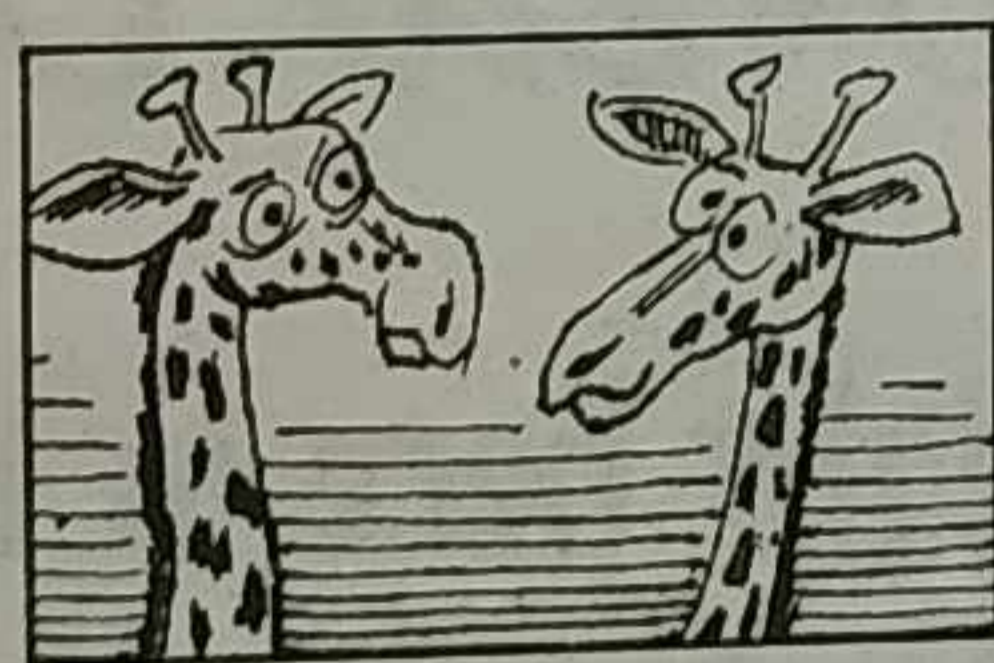
50th Anniversary



Donald and Janet (Zautner) Meisenheimer of West Bend will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary on January 29, 2005.

They have five children, Debra Frederick of Jackson,

Scot (Cheryl) of Fond du Lac, Sherry of Milwaukee, Susan (Terry) Steldt of West Bend and the late Thomas. They have six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.



No two giraffes have identical markings. Scientists say the coat pattern of each animal is unique.

50th Anniversary OPEN HOUSE

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I would like to express my thanks to everyone that sent cards, called with get well wishes or helped us in any way during my recent surgery. Your kindness was very much appreciated.

Special thanks to my family for helping Kyle and myself during the surgery and now after the surgery. Without all of your help this would be so much more difficult.

Thanks to Pastor Henning and Pastor Fredrich for your visits and to everyone that has been praying for me.

Your acts of kindness will always be remembered.

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Class Reunion

The Alumni Association of Neshkoros High School held their semi-annual reunion on Saturday, September 11, at the KC Hall in Berlin.

About 80 were in attendance. Dr. Norbert Dahlke was Master of Ceremony. After a delicious meal of chicken and tenderloin tips the program followed. Letters were read from those who could not attend. A moment of silence was observed for recent members who passed away. The school was established in 1916 and closed in 1948. Students attended high school at Westfield.

After the business meeting we were entertained by 15 recycled teenagers from the Montello Senior Citizens. With their home-made instruments a key board and saxophone they were a lively group.

They always look for a poem, so here is my contribution:

As once again we gather
To recall Neshkoro High
I see familiar faces
Of those from days gone by

We didn't have the gadgets
Of those in school today
Like calculators, computers
And knowledge on E-Bay!

"Climb though the rocks be
rugged"
Our motto in thirty-five
The class wasn't very large
There's very few alive

We had dedicated teachers
Who helped us reach our goal
And left us an impression
That reached our very soul

We had Doctors Fred and
Alice
And some musicians, too
And Paul become a Mayor
Just to name a few

So you see we have succeeded
You can be mighty proud
From such a humble beginning

We stand out from the crowd

Let's hear it for Neshkoro
For we all know it's worth
We're happy to be part of it
The greatest town on earth!

Isabelle Muckerheide
(former Neshkoro resident)

Rep. Gundrum receives WNA Badger Award



Rep. Mark Gundrum

State Rep. Mark D. Gundrum is the recipient of the 2004 "Badger Award" from the Wisconsin Newspaper Association (WNA).

Gundrum, a Republican legislator from New Berlin, was cited for his efforts to provide clarity and openness for public records in Wisconsin. As co-chair of a Legislative Council Study Committee on Open Records, Gundrum's efforts led to the enactment of legislation clarifying the state Open Records law following a landmark 1996 State Supreme Court decision (Woznicki vs.

Erickson).

The annual Badger Award is presented to an individual or group that has demonstrated outstanding efforts to protect and enhance openness in the conduct of the people's business. It is the highest honor given by the WNA to a non-member.

Additionally, as chair of the Assembly's Judiciary Committee, Gundrum was a significant voice last year in legislative debate on legal requirements for public notice of governmental actions.

"Gundrum's work to protect citizens' 'right to know' helps ensure that Wisconsin's open government traditions will continue into the future," said WNA President Trey Foerster in announcing the award. Foerster is publisher of the Iola Herald and Manawa Advocate.

Gundrum is a Milwaukee native first elected to the Assembly in 1988. He holds a bachelor's degree in economics and political science and a law degree from the University of Wisconsin - Madison.



Happy 40th Anniversary

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Morgan, and Jay

Community Bulletin Board

Birthdays

Jan. 26:	Sue Marx Phil Hahn	Norma Muench Ann Ruplinger
Jan. 27:	Jack Taylor Greg "Ike" Eichstedt	Robbie Walls
Jan. 28:	Kelly Brath Cody Gremminger	Don Kertscher Brian Repinski
Jan. 29:	Stephanie Kirst Sandra Gitter Lindsey Lewandowski	Bev Schultz
Jan. 30:	John Kuehl Jean Prost	Larry Ammel
Jan. 31:	Carol Halfmann Greg Hahn	Rosemary Marsh Annette Stommel
Feb. 1:	Kim Dudarenke Kitty Hlavaty	Cindy Krause
Feb. 2:	Tanner Bowen	Ray Stallman

To have a birthday announced on the Community Bulletin Board
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There is a deadline 3 pm Monday for Thursday publication.

EVENTS

Only Four New Nominees Added to 'Mr. Mardi Gras'

If I didn't know better, I would think you, the voting public aren't having nearly as much fun with this contest as you are supposed to be. Either that or everyone has gone into their little caves to hibernate for the winter.

I realize that idea is pretty tempting, but there is way too much winter left yet, so you may as well jump on the band wagon and make the best of it with the rest of us stay-put-in-Wisconsin-snow-birds.

And... the best way to take your mind off the two feet of white stuff, the constant wet feet, your nose gently dripping on the floor and "brisk" temperatures is to put our attentions on something else.

That's why Mardi Gras was invented. Beads, food, excitement, warmth, parties, masks and all the rest of the fun stuff before we think about fasting and giving up watermelon again for Lent.

What better way to get ourselves into a festive mood and get that warm and fuzzy feeling by nominating one of your favorite MR.'s to be in the MR. Mardi Gras contest? Why haven't we heard from more of you? Don't you enjoy that warm, fuzzy feeling you get when you deliberately put a burr under your loved one's saddle? Am I the only sadistic person in this area that enjoys seeing our male counterparts sweat? Must be something wrong with ME! I thought the whole idea was universal with my gender.

Anyway, four names isn't nearly enough to make this game even remotely interesting. We need some competitiveness here. I thought the male species thrived on competitiveness! Is my whole train of thought going on the wrong track here? Ladies are you going to let me down? So many men, yet so few candidates...

Guys, are you going to let this fantastic honor go to someone else... and right before the Super Bowl! Let's get a few more of our "best friends" nominated. Heck, they weren't afraid to nominate YOU!

Come on now... do you have any idea how hard it is for me to beg, cajole and tease you into parting with a few of your dollars. It ain't easy by any

means. (Sorry Mr. Rosenthal... who is one of our outstanding candidates... I know I should not have used the word ain't).

All right. No more begging, just a reminder that you only have until Sunday to nominate your favorite "jester." The polls will close on Sunday. Then we can no longer take any more nominees and we will have to work with the candidates we already have. Mr. Donath... if you plan on getting your annual revenge, I suggest you start digging now or forever hold your wallet.

And... just so you all realize, this contest is totally anonymous. NO ONE can get me to reveal who nominated who. My own son (the youngest) tried to bribe me into telling him who nominated Mr. Rockhill. I was strong... I did not tell... I WILL NOT REVEAL MY SOURCES! So students feel free to nominate any and all of your teachers because I will never tell. Your secret will always be safe with me... well at least until I get a better offer. Seriously... I don't have enough time to study postmarks, and 98% of the coupons are anonymous so most of the time I truly don't know who sent

in the nominations.... however, occasionally I do recognize some of the handwriting... just kidding... maybe.

MR. MARDI GRAS NOMINEES

John Borland
"Mac" McDonald
David Rockhill
Josh Riebe
Jan Rosenthal
Roy Garbisch
Craig Gloede
Jerry Koch
Andrew Kuehl
Scott Rohlinger
Dave Donath
Denis Thull
Jeff Jaeger
Matt Heiser

LOCAL CHEFS BUSY COOKING UP A TASTE OF KEWASKUM FOR MARDI GRAS CELEBRATION

As many of you are aware, the Friends of Kewaskum annual Mardi Gras Celebration is being held at Amerahn in Kewaskum on Saturday, February 5.

The evening of fun will begin at 6 p.m. with a "Taste of Kewaskum" featuring lots of Cajun food plus lots of other milder fare. The portions will be scaled down so that you may enjoy a large variety of food being offered.

Featured will be the chefs from Woody's Steakhouse, PJ Magoos, Silver Platter Restaurant, JO's Restaurant, Coffee Corner and the Kewaskum Kiwanis, serving an assortment of their personal favorites.

All food will be served ala carte. A complete menu will be listed in next week's paper. However, save \$1.00 by purchasing an advance sale dance ticket for \$2.00 at the Statesman in Kewaskum now.

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Citizen Forum on Land Use and Community to be Held on Feb. 5

If you could decide the future of development in Washington or Ozaukee Counties, what would you decide? The Land Conservation Partnership, in cooperation with the Ozaukee Washington Land Trust, has organized a workshop around that very question.

"This is a great opportunity for citizens and elected officials to talk about the future of our rapidly urbanizing County," says Sue Millin, the Project Coordinator for the Land Conservation Partnership.

Hosted by the West Bend Mutual Insurance Company on Saturday, February 5th, the event will inform citizens about the "Smart Growth" Comprehensive Planning law and provide locally pertinent information: the status of planning in Washington and Ozaukee Counties, when public meetings will occur, and how interested citizens can influence planning decisions.

Open to Washington and Ozaukee County residents who are interested in local land use, participants will

share their ideas and concerns about development in their neighborhoods and ask an expert panel about the tools they can employ to direct planning accordingly. The program will include presentations from the UW-Extension, 1000 Friends of Wisconsin and both Ozaukee and Washington County planners.

The workshop will focus especially on conservation concerns, and give participants suggestions about how to guide development in deference to important natural and agricultural resources. Millin contends that, "promoting smart growth is not about fighting against growth and development, but about steering development toward fiscally, socially, and environmentally sustainable ends."

Kevin Pomeroy, planner for 1000 Friends of Wisconsin, calls the 1999 Comprehensive Planning Law "the most significant step taken in decades to protect local control of planning decisions."

"People think of planning as big force beyond their control," says Angie Curtes,

Assistant Director for the Ozaukee Washington Land Trust, "but planning is all about people designing their own places and implementing their own local priorities." In fact, Washington County recently created a Land Conservation Study Group of citizens who will help advise the team writing a multi-jurisdictional plan beginning this fall.

The Citizen Forum on Land Use & Community will be held Saturday, Feb 5 from 8:45 to 2:45 at West Bend Mutual Insurance Co. in West Bend. A \$10.00 fee will cover lunch and a packet of take home material.

For more information go to the Land Conservation Partnership's web page: Pre-registration is requested by Friday, January 28; a registration form is available on-line: www.lcpw.org <<http://www.gatheringwaters.org/>>

The Land Conservation Partnership is a consortium of individuals, businesses and organizations working to protect farmland and natural areas in Washington County.

Chamber concert Jan. 30 in FdL

A Concert of Chamber Music will be presented on Sunday, January 30 at 3:00 p.m. at Church of Our Saviour, 9th and Main Streets in Fond du Lac. The program will feature classical and popular selections performed by soloists and ensembles from the Fond du Lac Symphonic Band.

Featured soloists are Warren Wirth playing a trumpet solo with organ accompaniment, and trombonist Jason Ehlert performing Love Thoughts Waltz by Arthur Pryor. Nickole Kawleski will perform an alto sax solo, Oodles of Noodles by Jimmy Dorsey. Kawleski and Sherri Beisser will also perform a duet featuring the penny

whistle and bodhran.

A brass ensemble will play three fanfares: Fanfare from "Also Sprach Zarathustra" by Richard Strauss, Fanfare from "La Peri" by Dukas, and Fanfare for the Common Man by Copland. The ensemble will be conducted by Band member Jill Wagner.

Dr. David Thompson, Chair of the Marian College music faculty, has composed a new work to be premiered at the concert. Trio for Three Flutes contains four movements: Prelude, Scherzo, Andante and Finale. It will be performed by a trio comprised of Denise Thompson, Rose Van Himbergen, and Joan Syens.

A seven-voice flute choir will perform Pavane by Fauré, along with a Scott Joplin rag and a Sousa march, Fairest of the Fair.

Band member Sean Vander Veen will present a prelude on the church's tracker pipe organ at 2:45 p.m. There is no admission charge; a free-will offering will be received. For more information, call 907-7678 or visit the Band's website at www.fdsymphonicband.org <<http://www.fdsymphonicband.org>>

Community Events For JANUARY/FEBRUARY

27 - AUDITIONS FOR THE LAST NIGHT OF BALLYHOO (UW-WC's Spring Play) Auditions are scheduled in the University Theatre. Performances on March 4, 5, 11 and 12. Cast needed: 3 lead males (1 male in his 50's and 2 males in their 20's); 4 lead females (2 females in their 40's and 2 females in their 20's). Scripts available in UW-WC Library. For more information, contact Professor Brad Ford at (262) 335-5222.

4 - NIGHT SKIING AT RIVEREDGE 5-9 p.m. (Trails are open until 8:30 p.m. Warm yourself by the fire in the coop on The Riveredge grounds until 9 p.m. Fee: \$2 or up to \$6 per family (members) \$4 or up to \$12 per family (non-members). Registration is preferred for all programs. Call 262-375-2715.

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9: ASH WEDNESDAY GATHERING, at St. Andrew Lutheran Church, 7750 N Hwy. 144, West Bend. There will be breakfast at 8:30 a.m. hosted by Lutheran Women in Mission, Zone 10, with a prayer service at 9:30 a.m. This year's theme "Penitence and Reflection. All interested women are invited to participate. Call 262-334-1584.

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Long Lake Fisheree Feb. 5

The Long Lake Fishing Club is again sponsoring their annual "Ice Fisheree" Sunday, February 5th on beautiful Long Lake. An event raffle ticket is needed to register your fish with prizes awarded for the 1st 2nd and 3rd longest; Walleye, Northern, Bass, Bluegill, Perch and Crappie and longest Bullhead.

The event tent will be located on the ice just north of the Long Lake State Park boat launch. The lake can be accessed from this boat launch. If you are going to park in the park, you will need a State Park sticker, but if you are only driving

through the park to the lake you do not need one.

Club members will be on hand serving burgers, brats, hot dogs, chili, beer and pop. The tent will also be the spot to register your fish, buy raffle tickets and win hourly attendance prizes. Stop by and visit with friends, view the catch-and-release tank and see the hanging fish.

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The guest for the evening will be singer/songwriter/musician Cindi Umstadt bringing contemporary folk music with a Sara Groves style. Her music, lyrics and ministry focuses on the challenges related to a daily Christian walk.

Also that night, the

dynamic harmonizing of the gospel quartet "Praise Fourmation" will perform. They perform many styles of Christian music, traditional hymns, gospel favorites, anthems of praise and inspired spirituals.

Free admission and door prizes. Refreshments available. Lighthouse meets at Silverbrook School, 120 N. Silverbrook Drive, West Bend, enter and park in rear of school. For more information call, 262-338-0205 or 262-677-2952.

The following afternoon, Saturday, February 5, from 2

to 3:15 p.m., Lighthouse Ministries invites senior citizens to a free Christian concert with "Praise Fourmation" at Cedar Lake Campus Theater. The group has sung for the Governor's Prayer Breakfast and the national anthem at several sporting events.

To get to Cedar Lake Campus, take Hwy. 33 west out of West Bend. Turn left on Hwy. Z, go two miles, turn right into the campus and follow Lighthouse signs. Any questions, call 262-338-0205 or visit www.lighthouseconcerts.com.

Special day of fellowship at St. Lucas Lutheran Church

The women of St. Lucas Lutheran Church would like to invite the women of the community to share a special day of fellowship.

"Broken Hearts to Mended Hearts" is a day long retreat filled with speakers, bible based seminars and prayer. Women will be teaching women to understand and heal heartbreak through the Lord's word.

Each woman will select two seminar topics from a list of four: Sharing the Good News in Everyday Life; Mature Women on Their Own; Women Bring Your Children to the Lord and Strong Faith in a Secular World. The topics were chosen to allow most women to find something that appeals to them and fills a need in their lives.

Free babysitting will be provided that includes activities, snacks and lunch. Refreshments and lunch will also be provided to all participants. A book table will be available with a large selection of helpful literature for sale.

This great day will be held on Saturday, February 12, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St.

Lucas School, across the street from St. Lucas Lutheran Church on Parkview Drive in Kewaskum.

Advance registration by February 5th is required. The

fee is \$10 and registration forms are available by mail by calling Lynn Garvey at 262-626-4749.

Please plan to attend and bring friends.

Tai Chi Class sessions announced

St. Joseph Convent announces the next 12-week session for Tai Chi classes. The new sessions will begin on Monday, February 7th and will end on Friday, April 29th. The sessions are scheduled for Monday and Friday mornings 9:15-10:15. There will be 24 classes. The fee for the 12 week session is \$48.00 which is \$2.00 a class.

There will not be classes on Monday, March 21st or Friday March 25th.

Each class involves 45 minutes of movement and 15 minutes for questions and discussion about the Tai Chi practice, spirituality and nutrition that is part of the holistic health practice of Tai Chi.

Michael Fricke is the instructor for the sessions.

People of all ages are encouraged to attend and to reap the benefits of some-

thing that will enhance your health in body, mind and spirit. New participants are welcome any time.

The Tai Chi class is offered through the Continuing Education/Lifelong Learning program at St. Joseph Convent. Lifelong Learning classes are offered for the Sisters and lay people who are interested in continuing education and enrichment sessions.

You may register by phone or in person and pay the \$48.00 fee at the first class that you attend. The fee will cover the entire 12 week session.

To register and begin sessions or if you have any questions, please contact Gloria Peterson-Continuing Education/ Lifelong Learning Manager at 533-8351 ext. 128. St. Joseph Convent is located at 526 Mill St. in Campbellsport.

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Father Robert Artmann
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Sundays - 8 and 10 a.m.

St. John Lutheran Church
N665 Hwy. S, New Fane
626-2309 **Rev. Mark Eckert**
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UWWC to host Fine Arts Festival

WEST BEND: UW-Washington County (UW-WC) is gearing up to host an area-wide Fine Arts Festival on Sunday, February 6 from 1:00 to 4:00pm. Artwork from 24 area middle and high schools will be on display at the campus, which is located at 400 University Drive (off Hwy. 33 West) in West Bend. In addition to the artwork, the special afternoon event features musical and dance performances. Admission and parking are free.

Musical performances will take place in the campus theatre. Performance schedule:

1:00pm - Kewaskum High School Concert Choir (David Bertelsen, Director)

1:45pm - Random Lake Chamber Chorale (Brian Charbonneau, Director)

2:30pm - West Bend Children's Choir (Willard Marquardt, Director)

3:15pm - Revolution School of Dance - special performance of "Hansel & Gretel" (Jon Zautner and Jackie Vandenberg, Directors)

Dance performances: Dance performances are planned in the fieldhouse, beginning at 2pm. Participating groups (and their coaches) include:

Badger Middle School Dance Team (Kathy Nienow, Coach)

Campbellsport High School Dance Team (Mary Bilgo, Coach)

Milwaukee Admirals Ice Angels (Julia Godfrey, Director)

Mirror Image Dance Studio (Nancy Pusch, Coach)

Silverbrook Middle School Dance Team (Leah Nienow, Coach)

UW-Washington County Dance Team (Renee Butschlick, Coach)

West Bend East Dance Team (Ginny Goshorn, Coach)

West Bend Recreation Department - Dance Camp Participants

Schools with artwork displays include:

Middle Schools: Badger Middle School, Hartford Central School, Holy Trinity School, Kennedy Middle School, Kewaskum Middle School, Random Lake Middle School, St. Boniface School, St. Frances Cabrini School, St. Kilian Catholic School, St. Mary's School, St. Paul's Lutheran School, Saylesville School, Silverbrook Middle School and Slinger Middle School.

High Schools: Campbellsport High School, Grafton High School, Hartford Union High School, Kewaskum High School, Living Word Lutheran High School, Lomira High School, Mayville High School, Random Lake High School, West Bend East High School and West Bend West High School.

The artwork will be judged by UW-WC art professors, Josh Lesniak and Tom Gross, with cash prizes awarded to top middle and high school students for the best in each of four categories. The categories include: 3D/Ceramic, Mixed Media, Black & White, and Watercolor. The contest is sponsored by Washington County Campus Foundation. Winners will be announced prior to the festival. All students with artwork on display will receive a ribbon.

Other Art Displays: Artwork of UW-WC students will be featured as well as the artwork of several art professors including: Josh Lesniak, John Hoag and Tom Gross. This year's featured alumni artist will be Jon Schultz, Kewaskum. Jon is majoring in sculpture at UW-Milwaukee and will graduate in May. Schultz will have several original stone and metal sculptures on display. His career plans include completing a master's degree in Fine Arts and to teach at the college level. Jon's original sculpture designs have been displayed at the Menomonee Falls Public Library as well as the Alfons and Skylight Galleries

in Milwaukee. His work has also appeared in two international exhibitions at the Ghost Fleet Fine Arts Gallery in Nags Head, North Carolina.

For more information about the Fine Arts Festival, contact Sue Survis, Director of University Relations at 262-335-5233 or by email at ssurvis@uwc.edu. For festival highlights and updates, including art contest participants and winners, visit the campus website at: <http://washington.uwc.edu>.

Kewaskum 4-H News

The January 6th meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. Roll call was taken. Secretary and treasurer's reports were read.

We have a new member buddy system, they are as follows: Blawat-Hartmann, Dembski-Weindorf, Goehring - Kissinger, Harris-Backhaus, Stebbins - Schraufnagel, Weisinger - Wendelborn. Also, new "Money Rewards Program" (replaces the point system).

Project changes - need to let Mrs. Zanow know if you are dropping any projects before March 1st.

Upcoming events are as follows: Village Tree Take down, Saturday, January 15th at 2 p.m.; sledding/sleigh ride/chili dump in Fredonia, January 22 at 2 p.m.; Blue Harbor Water Park in Sheboygan Sunday, March 13th from 2 to 10 p.m.; Spring Arts Festival, Sunday April 17th from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the fair park; 4-Bowl-A-Thon on Sunday April 10 at both Kettle Moraine Bowl in Slinger and Lighthouse Lanes in West Bend and Celebrate Families will be on Sunday, February 13 at the fair park from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The next meeting will be held February 3 at 6:30 p.m. at the Kewaskum Town Hall.

Submitted by
Krystal Hartmann
Reporter

Bottleman wins Kewaskum Middle School Geographic Bee



Brian Bottleman

Brian Bottleman, a seventh grade student at Kewaskum Middle School, won the school-level competition of the National Geographic Bee on Friday, January 14th and a chance at a \$25,000 college scholarship. The school-level Bee, at which students answered oral questions on geography, was the first round in the 17th annual National Geographic Bee. The Bee is sponsored by the National Geographic Society.

The school winners, including Brian, took a written test; up to 100 of the top scorers in each state will be eligible to compete in their state Bee April 1. The

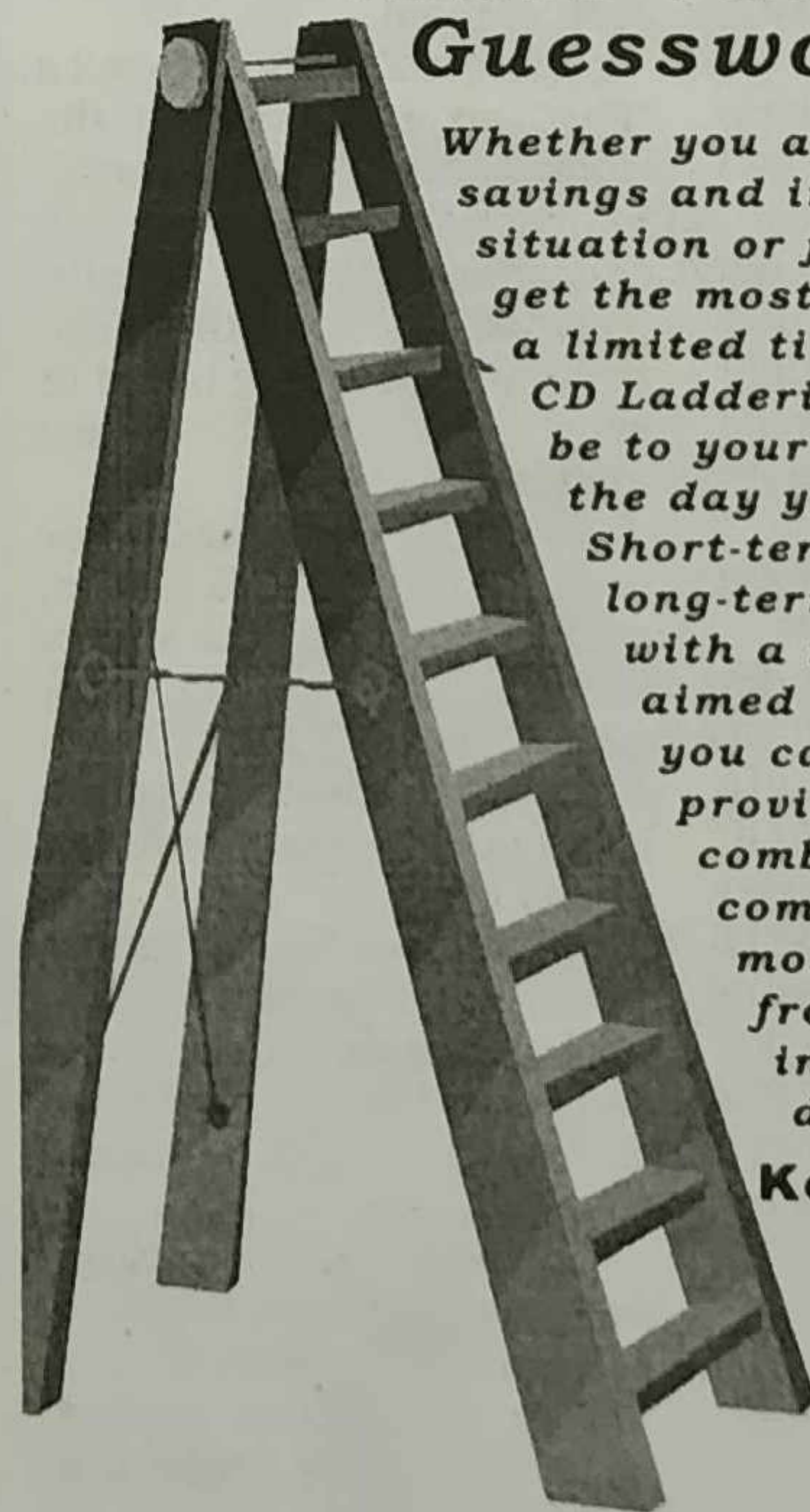
National Geographic Society will provide an all-expenses-paid trip to Washington, D.C., for state champions and teacher-escorts to participate in the National Geographic Bee national championship on May 24 and 25. The first-place national winner will receive a \$25,000 college scholarship and a lifetime membership in the Society.

"Jeopardy!" host Alex Trebek will moderate the national finals on May 25. The program will air on the National Geographic Channel, and afterward on public television stations, produced by Maryland Public Television. Check local listings for dates and times.

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Dance Camp at UWWC Jan. 30

UW-Washington County and the West Bend Dance Tumbling Troupe are co-sponsoring a dance camp for girls, pre-K through 8th grade, on Sunday, January 30.

The camp will be held from 3pm to 6pm at UW-Washington County, located at 400 University Drive in West Bend.

Three levels of dance instruction will be taught by senior members of the West Bend Dance/Tumbling Troupe. The levels include: Level 1 (pre-K, K, 1st & 2nd), Level 2 (3rd, 4th & 5th) and Level 3 (6th, 7th, and 8th).

Cost of the camp is \$25 which includes three hours of fundamental dance steps, individual and group work as well as a camp t-shirt, juice and snack. All proceeds benefit the West Bend Dance Tumbling Troop.

All dance camp participants will have an opportunity to perform a routine learned at the camp on Sunday afternoon, February 6th at 2pm during the area-wide Fine Arts Festival being held at the campus.

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SCHOOL

KHS students find challenge, fun in playing chess



Jeff Gizewski, the coach of the Kewaskum High Chess Club, makes a point to team member Julia Glaeser.

By JUDY HARLOW
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Put 19 teenagers in a single room and more than likely the decibel level would hit marks that would nearly go off the charts.

This is not the case, however, between the hours of 3 and 4:30 p.m. on Thursday afternoons at the Coffee Corner. Nineteen Kewaskum High School students gather there weekly to practice chess in anticipation of meets they have during the winter months.

The team is fortunate enough to have an excellent team leader in senior Matt Schladweiler and an enthusiastic coach, Jeff Gizewski, who has a strong background in the game and is willing to share it with the students.

Schladweiler once had ambitions of being a good baseball player, but when he broke his leg at the age of 12, he had a lot of time on his hands and took up chess more seriously than he had played it in the past.

"Originally it was my mom who taught me," Schladweiler said. "I retaught myself when I was 12 after I broke my leg. I wanted to play baseball but when I broke the leg, I had nothing to do, so I took up chess."

Whatever Schladweiler taught himself must have been the right things because he has already participated in a national competition, been at board No. 1 on the KHS team for the past four years and has a rating which is 40-50 points higher than the average player.

Schladweiler has been on the KHS chess team since he was in the eighth grade. This is allowed when a school does not have enough to field a full team. Not only did Schladweiler play in 2001, he won the state championship, and he placed 34th out of 150 in the "blitz" format (15 minute games) as Wisconsin's representative in the junior high school competition at

the Super Nationals in Kansas City, Mo.

"Every year after that, I've been first board," Schladweiler said, while explaining some of the finer points of team chess competition to this reporter.

"When we play another team, the top 10 play," he said. "Boards one through five are the varsity team, and boards 6-10 the junior varsity." The team accumulates points from victories and the varsity boards are worth more than the others, according to Schladweiler, who said a win at board No. 1 is worth 10 points, No. 2 is nine, No. 3 is eight, No. 4 is seven and No. 5 is six, with the six through 10 boards all worth five points.

The two opponents have 45 minutes (on each side of the clock) to complete their game, with special clocks set up next to the boards that designate the time used by each of them.

There is a red line, called a "flag" on each side of the clock, and Schladweiler said, indicating if there is no checkmate, "When it falls, you lose." As far as the number of pieces on the board or which ones are left, "it doesn't matter," he said.

Kewaskum has had three matches thus far this season, with two wins at the varsity level and one from the junior varsity. Recently, the KHS varsity players defeated Hartford in a match, while the junior varsity lost.

After Schladweiler comes Josh Bryant at No. 2, then Michael Neumann at No. 3 and Ryan Uttech and Walter Huff alternating at Nos. 4 and 5.

Schladweiler is sporting a perfect record (two wins and a draw), and he won the pre-season conference tournament. Schools in league play with Kewaskum include St. Mary's Springs Academy in Fond du Lac, St. John's Military Academy, Jefferson, Oconomowoc, Brookfield, Hartford, Sussex Hamilton and Hartland Arrowhead.



Walter Huff and Jon Walters busily study their board in one of the weekly Chess Club practices at the Coffee Corner.

Statesman photo by Judy Harlow

Also, each player is rated according to games played and won, and more points are awarded when a player goes up against topnotch competition.

"I am currently at about 145," Schladweiler, who plans to attend UW-Washington County next year and hopes to get into medical school, said. "About 90-100 is average,

The 19 players represent the largest number out for the activity for many years, and Schladweiler gets much of the credit for drawing the students to the game. When asked what drew her to play chess, Ashley Chilson said, "Matt. He taught me how to play."

Chilson, a sophomore, went to every meet last year and the state competition. She is still hovering around the 70 point mark with her rating, and her goal is to improve that this year.

"I'll do real well, then I have one bad game and lost some of my points," she said.

And what does Neumann, a senior, like best about chess? "The people ... they're fun," he said. "There's really no stress."

Neumann, who has been on the team for four years, learned chess from his older brother, John. "I'm doing relatively good this year," he said, referring to his grading of 97 points.

"Everyone seems to follow me. I don't know why," Schladweiler said, indicating he studies the game at home and experiments with moves at the practices.

Schladweiler is also happy for the help he receives from Gizewski. "The coach is very good, a very great teacher, and a very nice person."

The feeling is mutual. "Matt's really good ... a huge asset to the team," Gizewski said. "He motivates

the kids."

Gizewski is in his second year as coach and said it was "The growth they had at the end of last year that excited me. They wanted to do better. There was excitement in doing something well." He relayed a story of one player on last year's team, Sam Troke, who had potential but not much confidence in her play. "By the end of last year, she became our second board," Gizewski said. "From JV to No. 2, that was quite an accomplishment."

Goals for the team this season include winning conference and state and to be able to raise enough money to be able to compete in the Super Nationals (in Nashville, Tenn.), which are held just once every four years.

Connie Schulist, an employee at the Coffee Corner, said she enjoys watching the students come each week and challenge each other.

"It's exciting," she said. "Sometimes it gets so crowded, we have to bring the card tables out."

Moraine Park Technical College hosts Discover Moraine Park

Moraine Park Technical College is pleased to host Discover Moraine Park. The event will be held at Moraine Park's three campuses from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the following dates: Tuesday, Feb. 15 at Beaver Dam, Wednesday, Feb. 16 at West Bend and Thursday, Feb. 17 at Fond du Lac.

Throughout the night, Moraine Park's College Outreach Specialists will be available to give individual or

group tours of the campus' classrooms and labs. Services such as financial aid, special needs, student activities and admissions will be available to provide information about getting started at Moraine Park.

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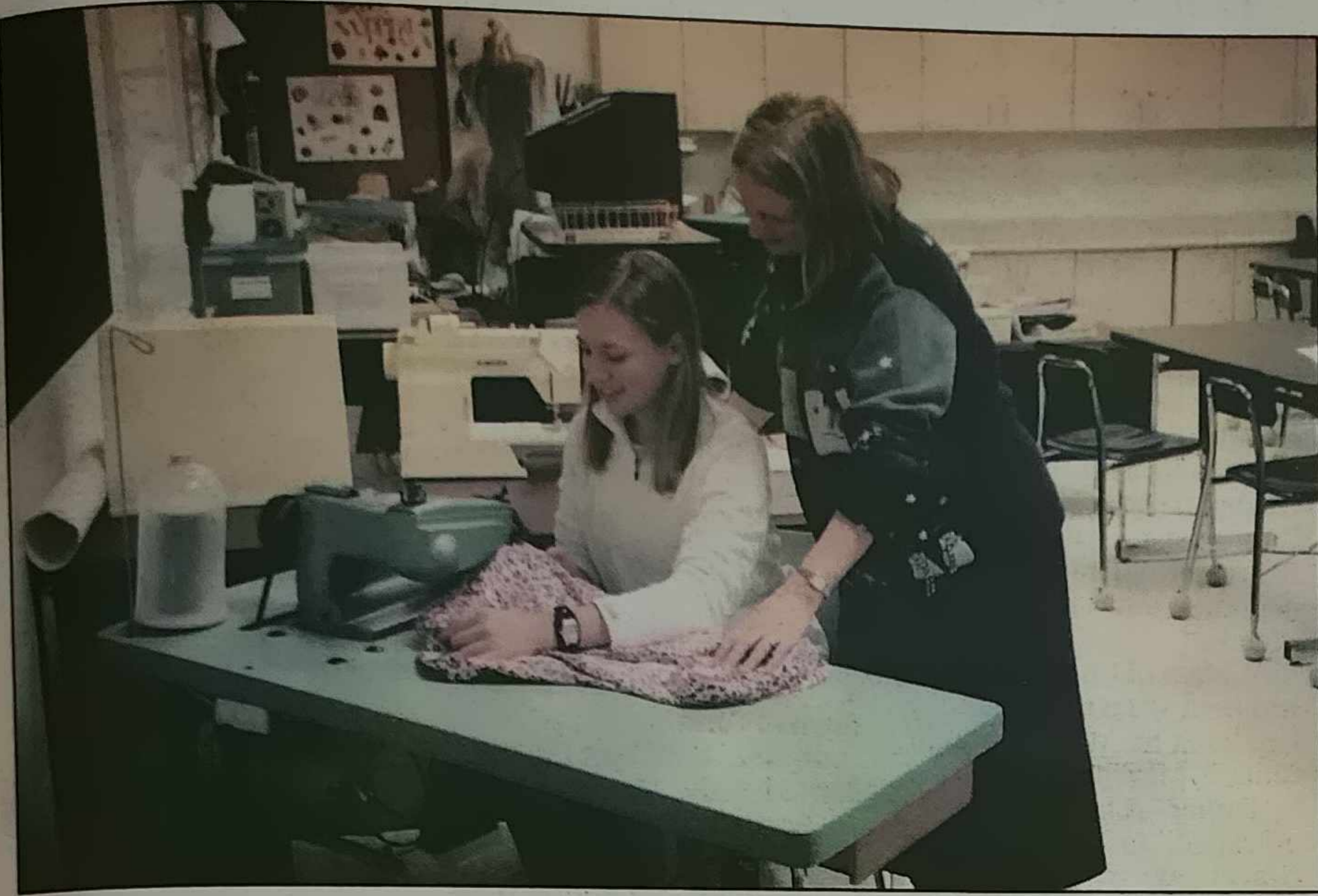


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SCHOOL

Sagers make donation to KHS Clothing Lab



Maggie Dickmann, a senior at KHS is shown hemming a skirt that she made. She is pictured with Mary Koch, Beginning Clothing instructor.

The Kewaskum High School Clothing Lab recently received a very generous donation of an industrial US Blind Stitch machine, table, and light as well as a generous supply of tailors chalk, thread, filament, needles, and extra equipment from Sager's Men's Apparel of West Bend. Scott Sager delivered and set

up the machine, and gave an instructional tutorial.

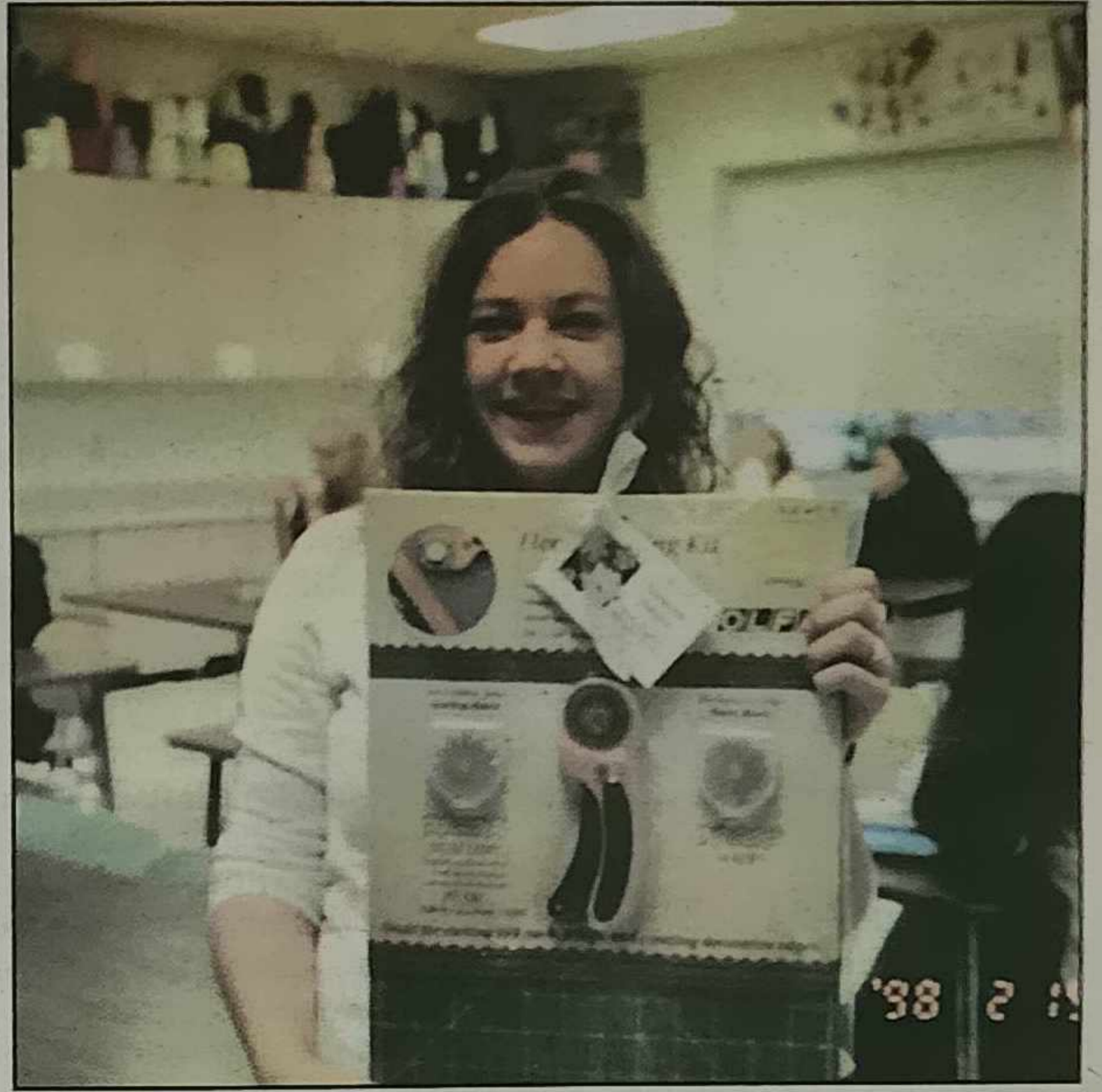
When asked about the donation, Koch states, "This thoughtful decision to support the schools in this community will benefit generations of students who enroll in this program. Sager's Men's Apparel, by its generosity, exhibits socially responsible

business practice." She goes on to state, "Other businesses in and around this community will perhaps follow their example in supporting in similar ways, and caring about the mission of this district, school and the many educational programs that are offered."

KHS receives new knitting program



Beginning Clothing students, left to right, Katie Guth (sophomore), Kristina Steldt (freshman) and Jackie Beaupre (sophomore) are learning how to knit using the recently purchased software in Beginning Clothing class at KHS. Knitting is a popular re-emerging fashion trend. These students are "learning to learn" with the help of self-paced technology.



Beginning Clothing students at Kewaskum High School attended an Outerwear Fleece class at Hancock Fabrics. At the end of the class, Home Economist Marlene Baker held a drawing for products used during her presentation. Amber Krewald, a KHS junior, won the grand prize of the deluxe Olfa Cutting Matt kit. The kit valued at \$40, was donated to the KHS Clothing Lab. Students and attending parents also toured Reliable Knit and Olympus Flag and Banner.

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LORENA RAMEL



Lorena Ramel, age 99, of Kewaskum, was born to eternal life on Sunday, January 23, 2005 surrounded by her family.

She was born on November 29, 1905 in the town of Auburn, the daughter of the late Fred and Emma (Ebert) Heider, and on October 3, 1923, she was united in marriage to Frank F. Kutz. He preceded her in death on February 8, 1933. On May 15, 1938, she was united in marriage to Henry Dettmann, and he preceded her in death on July 26, 1949. On August 23, 1958, she was united in marriage to Herbert Ramel at St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church in Kewaskum. Her husband preceded her in death on November 26, 1978.

Lorena was employed for a number of years by Regal Ware, Inc. in Kewaskum. She was a member of St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church in Kewaskum and the Ladies Aid.

Survivors include four children, Amanda Lohse of Sheboygan Falls, Adeline (Harold) Bath and Frank (Paula) Kutz both of Kewaskum and Sylvester (Joan) Dettmann of West Bend; a daughter-in-law, Mary Kutz of West Bend; a stepdaughter, LaVerne Bratz of West Bend; a sister-in-law, Ruth Ramel of West Bend; 28 grandchildren, 65 great-grandchildren, 26 great-great-grandchildren, a great-great-great-granddaughter, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by three children, Lillian Kutz, Wilbert Kutz and Irene Lauters; a daughter-in-law, Bernadette Dettmann; two brothers, Harry and Herbert Heider; a son-in-law, Sylvester Lauters; two grandchildren, Laura and Charles Wahnschaffe; a great-grandson, Calvin Harris; two stepsons, Edward and Andrew Dettmann; nine sisters-in-law and eleven brothers-in-law.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 26, 2005 at St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church in Kewaskum. Rev. Timothy Henning officiated and burial followed in Lutheran Memorial Park in Kewaskum.

Friends called on Tuesday from 4:00 until 8:00 p.m. at

the Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum and at the church on Wednesday from 1:30 p.m. until the time of services.

Memorials to St. Lucas Lutheran Church or School are appreciated.

JEANOUS R. CONN

Jeanous R. Conn, 85, of White Lake, passed away on Wednesday, Jan. 19, 2005.

She was born on Dec. 5, 1919 in Moorehead, Ky. to the late William and Nellie (Marshall) Oliver, and married Shelvie Conn in Dubuque, Iowa.

Jeanous was a homemaker and retired from The West Bend Co.

Survivors include four daughters, Lois (Richard) Waldkirch of Campbellsport, Shelby (David) Clark of Lena, Ill., Beverly (Peter) Callahan and Linda (Ronald) Schell, both of White Lake; a son, William E. Conn of Milwaukee; 13 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; four sisters, Rosie Bordeau of Iron Mountain, Mich., Lillian Muellemann of Antigo, Marie Elliott of Union Grove and Virginia Hepkema of Waukegan, Ill., and two brothers, Vernon Oliver of White Lake and Lawrence (Allegra) of Wausau.

Her husband preceded her in death.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 22 at the Strasser-Roller Funeral Home, Antigo.

Pastor Steven Vaudt officiated, and burial was in Langlade Cemetery.

Visitation at the funeral home was on Friday from 4 to 7 p.m.

DR. THOMAS J. BECK

Dr. Thomas J. Beck, D.C., 75, of Phelps, formerly of Mayville, died on Wednesday Jan. 19, 2005 at his home surrounded by his family.

He was born on July 29, 1929 in Mayville to the late Dr. Carl L. and Sylvia (Berres) Beck, and married Patricia R. Schirmer on Dec. 27, 1952 in Cuba, N.Y.

He was a graduate of St. Mary's Catholic School in Mayville, graduated in 1947 from Mayville High School, completed two years of prerequisite courses at St. Norbert College in De Pere, and graduated with a doctor of chiropractic degree from Logan College of Chiropractic in St. Louis, Mo. He completed post graduate school at Palmer Chiropractic College in Davenport, Iowa.

Dr. Thomas Beck continued the work his father, Dr. Carl Beck, began in Mayville, and helped many, many people while practicing for 35 years.

He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Phelps, former member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Mayville and a veteran of the Korean Conflict, serving in the U.S. Army from 1952-1954.

He enjoyed spending time with his children and grandchildren, and also enjoyed hunting and fishing and the outdoors.

Survivors include his wife; seven daughters, Connie (Ron) Davis of Canyon Country, Calif., Susan (Chris) Cold of Ladysmith, Linda (Mike) Wolfgram of Marshfield, Debra (Dale) Goss of Durand, Kathleen Beck of Mayville, Teresa (Randy) Jensen of Markesan and Pamela (Mike) O'Brien of Campbellsport; a son, Michael Beck of Madison; 17 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; a brother, Dr. Earl (Barbara) Beck of Snellville, Ga.; a sister, Edith (Don) Bahringer of Grafton; nieces; nephews; other relatives and friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 23 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Mayville.

Father Charles Wester officiated, and burial was in Graceland Cemetery, Mayville, with graveside military rites conducted by the Mayville American Legion Post 69.

Visitation at the Koepsell Funeral Home, Mayville, was on Saturday from 4 to 7 p.m.

KARL A. TAYLOR SR.

Karl A. Taylor Sr., 88, of West Bend, died on Tuesday, Jan. 18, 2005 at the Hope Health and Rehabilitation Center in Lomira.

He was born Feb. 21, 1916 in West Bend to the late Clarence and Nelly (nee Zink) Taylor and married Marie M. Jansen on Oct. 30, 1937 at St. Mary's Immaculate Conception Church, West Bend.

Marie passed away on May 24, 2002.

Karl worked as a house painter with his brother, Ralph, for many years. He was then employed at Mallard Coach until his retirement.

Karl enjoyed hunting, fishing and spending time up north.

Survivors include five children, Ruth (Larry) Zingsheim and Karl Jr. (Beverly), both of West Bend, Maryann (Ben) Kappler of Hudson, Carol (Perry) Swenson of North Fond du Lac and Alec (Karen) of Kewaskum; 17 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; a brother, Ralph (Bernadine) of West Bend; a sister-in-law, Marie R. Taylor of West Bend; nieces; nephews; and other relatives and friends.

Preceding him in death were three sons, Albert, Gerald and Robert, and three brothers, Arthur, Russel and Chester.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, Jan. 22 at 11 a.m. at the Schmidt Funeral Home, West Bend.

Dan Schroeder from St. Mary's Immaculate Conception Church officiated, and burial followed in St. Mary's New Cemetery.

Visitation at the funeral home was on Saturday from 9 until 10:45 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Heart Association or the American Diabetes Association.

HYACINTH A. "HY" BEINE

Hyacinth A. "Hy" Beine, nee Goeden, 77, of West Bend died on Thursday, Jan. 20, 2005, at Aurora Medical Center in Hartford.

She was born on Dec. 14, 1927, in the town of Trenton to the late Leo and Josephine (nee Klinka) Goeden. Following her marriage to Gilbert Beine on Nov. 5, 1947, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Newburg, the couple settled on a farm near Holy Hill.

In 1952 they moved to the town of Farmington, at which time she and her husband started Beine Milk Transit. In 1955, they settled in West Bend. Hy was very active in the business, including driving a milk truck until 1995. Since then, she remained active in the business.

Survivors include her husband; seven children, Kathleen (Ron Moen) Beine of Green Bay, Gib (Peni) of Campbellsport, Jim (Helen) of Kohler, Sue (Ray DeLeon) of Winthrop Harbor, Ill., Laurie (Mark) Amundsen, M.D. of Seattle, Wash., Bev Beine of Colgate and David (Paula) of West Bend; 15 grandchildren; one sister, Charlotte (Lyle) Hader of Newburg; one brother, Willie (Jeanne) Goeden of Kewaskum; two sisters-in-law, Delores Koenig of West Bend and Rosie (Lester) Griepentrog of Allenton; one aunt, Sally Goeden of Fond du Lac; other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Jerome (Joyce) Goeden and Vernon Goeden, and one brother-in-law, Phillip Beine.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held Monday, Jan. 24, at 10:30 a.m. at Holy Angels Catholic Church with Fr. John Wutscheck presiding.

Burial followed in Holy Angels Cemetery.

Visitation was at the Schmidt Funeral Home in West Bend on Sunday after 3 p.m., with a prayer vigil at 3:30 p.m. There was also visitation Monday at the church only from 9:30-10:15 a.m.

JAMES B. HOUSEND

James B. Housend, 80, of DeLand, Florida, died Thursday, January 20, 2005.

Mr. Housend was born in Sumter, SC and moved to DeLand in 1952.

He was a retired pilot for American Airlines and a Navy World War II veteran. He was also a hunting and fishing guide, a taidermist and a finishing contractor.

Mr. Housend was a past president of the Shrine Temple in DeLand, Florida, past president of the Shrine

Temple in DeLand, past president of the Masonic Temple and a member of the Lake Beresford Yacht Club in DeLand.

Mr. Housend was a member of Shriner's Hospital For Crippled Children, 12502 Pine Drive, North Tampa, FL 33612.

He was survived by three daughters, Patricia Clausen of DeLand, Barbara Suiter of Newton, IA and Deborah Housend of DeLand; three step-daughters, Jan Paul of Marathon, Florida, Donna Thompson of Murfreesboro, TN and Ann Hammes of Campbellsport; three stepsons, John Ford, Roy Ford and Rick Ford; 29 grandchildren and 32 great-grandchildren.

Memorial donations may be made to the Shriner's Hospital for Children, 12502 Pine Drive, North Tampa, FL 33612.

The Lankford Funeral Homes and Crematory in DeLand FL, 32724, served the family.

IN MEMORY

In loving memory of **Evelyn Kauper**, who passed away ten years ago, January 31, 1995:

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To your resting place we visit and place flowers there with care,
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CARD OF THANKS

The family of **Ralph Hausner** wishes to express their sincere appreciation to all who remembered us at this time of our loss. Special thanks for all the prayers, cards, visits at the home, flowers, memorial gifts which will be directed to Immanuel Lutheran Church and for other church funds, to Larry and Louise Martin of Miller Funeral Home, the doctors and staff at Vince Lombardi Cancer Clinic, Kewaskum Floral Inc., Pastor Ziemann, to all children, grandchildren, relatives and friends who helped.

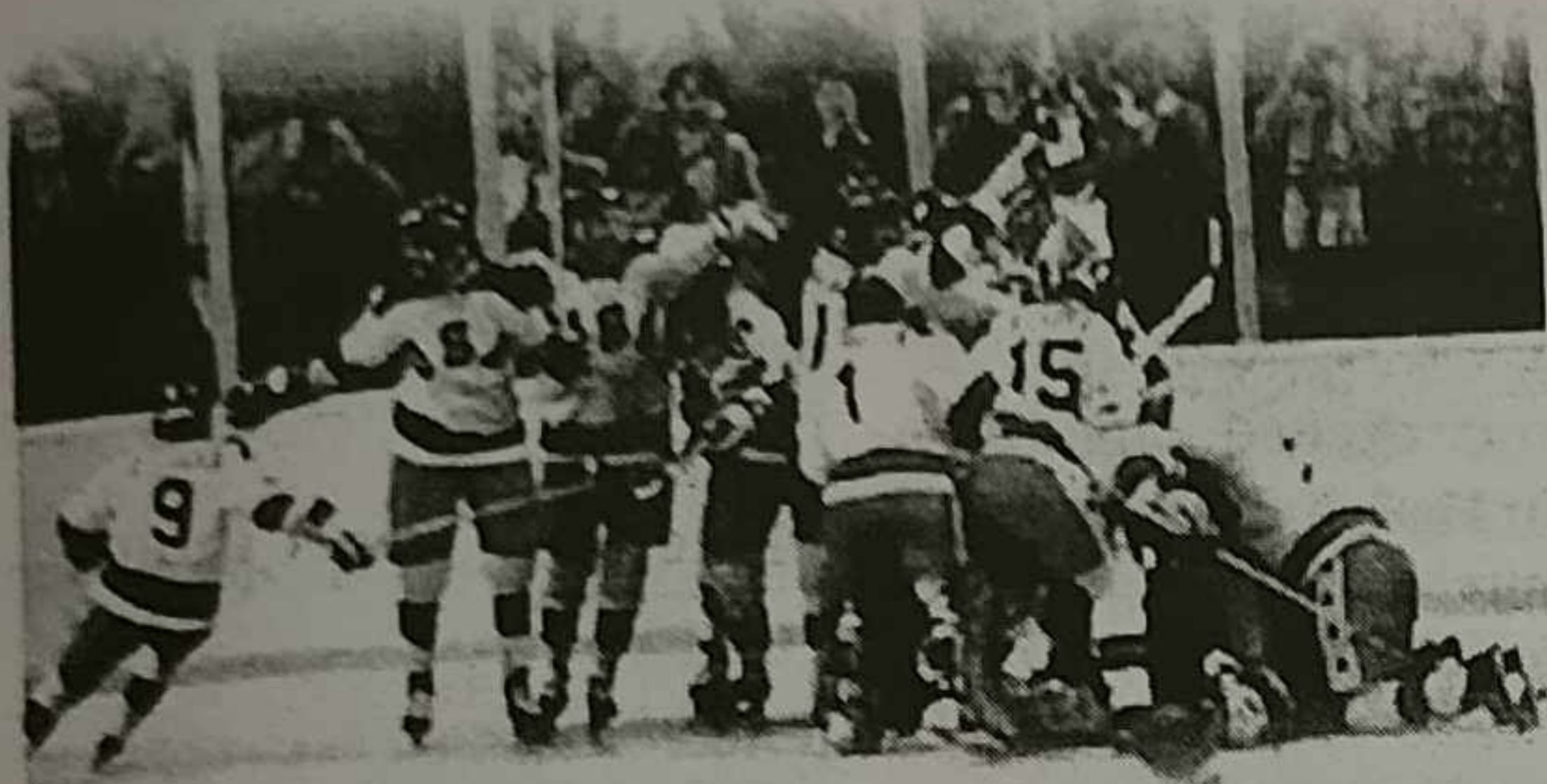
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THE BOYS OF WINTER

The Untold Story of a Coach, a Dream,
 and the 1980 U.S. Olympic Hockey Team



WAYNE COFFEY
 Foreword by Jim Craig

What would you say is the most defining, most exciting moment ever in Sports History? Some fans would say the best game ever was the last time their team got to the Super Bowl. Others might point to an historic moment: a Sosa smash, a Venus backhand, a Tiger hole-in-one, or watching The Dream Team play.

Almost 25 years ago, most Americans would have said the best moment in sports was the USA victory over the Russian hockey team in the Olympics. In "The Boys of Winter", by Wayne Coffey (c. 2005, Crown Publishers), you'll read the fascinating story of a team of amateur athletes and the coach who provoked them to win.

Back in 1980, everybody who knew hockey knew that the Soviets were a nearly unbeatable team. In the years following World War II, the Russians began to focus on the sport, gathering major wins with their "Soviet Style" of play which was developed specifically to be superior to any challengers. Team after team was trounced by the Soviets, so when the Olympics were scheduled in Lake Placid, New York, Coach Herb Brooks knew he would face a formidable opponent.

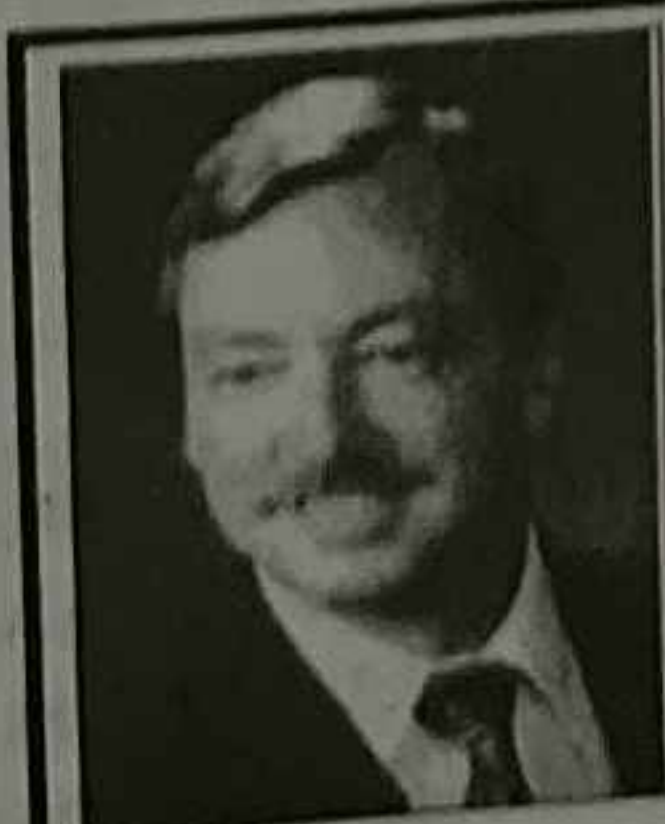
Brooks was a Minnesota boy who grew up wanting to play hockey in the Olympics. He nearly made the 1960 team, but was dropped almost at the last minute, and that disappointment seemed to drive him for the rest of his life. People who knew him got used to his late-night calls, his rants, and his single-minded obsession when it came to mapping out plays. Brooks could be cruel and he never apologized for anything, but he wasn't out to

make friends. He was out to win.

One by one, Brooks began to assemble a team of hockey players that he knew could beat the Soviets. They came from Minnesota, Massachusetts, any place where boys played pick-up games after school, any place where hockey was a religion. Brooks created a team out of a bunch of amateur players, turning 20 boys into the youngest Olympic hockey team the US had ever had. Eighteen of the team members were in college; two of them were still teenagers. Brooks bullied them, badgered them, brow-beat them into one of the biggest wins in Olympics history.

You know the outcome of this book: Team USA takes the gold. You might not, however, know about the boys who skated and the coach who pushed them to win. Author Wayne Coffey has interviews with many of the former players, and he gently weaves their life stories in with a minute-by-minute recounting of the exciting US / USSR game. I especially liked the way Coffey gives you a follow-up on the lives of the players; what they're doing now and how they've fared since that monumental win.

Even if you don't "know" hockey, this book will make sense to you, and I think you'll like it. If you're a hockey fan, however, "The Boys of Winter" is a dream to read.



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Residents of the Kewaskum School District

I want you to "Be in the loop" concerning the referendum, the Kewaskum School Board is planning to put to YOU, the voters on April 5.

Last November, you voted YES to the textbooks and technology questions. Today, the Board members are looking at the monies requested for the textbooks from Joannie Kalina, our district curriculum coordinator and our technology requests from our Instructional Technology Liaison, Jane Lazarevic, along with our Technology Analyst Jenny Rae, Tech Ed teacher Pat Moerchen and High School Principal, Christine Horbas.

All of our staff personnel and Administrative Team have done a good job in putting their ideas and suggestions on paper for us to review. It is now our job, as Board members to ask questions and go through those requests to get a better handle on the needs in certain departments and areas of concern.

I, as only one of those Board members, want to make sure, when we ask you to vote on this referendum, that YOUR Tax dollars are well spent for today's needs and tomorrow's future. Our most important goal of this district is the education of our children. In today's fast paced world we live in, our children needs the tools to be competitive in the worlds' work force. They need to get a solid base for technology, so that they can go on to college, or have the security of a good education with good equipment.

Our Tech Ed Department and students have been working with equipment that is 40-60 years old. Parts are hard to find. It's like a car, learning on an old car is not going to give the student the edge they need to work on the computerized cars of today. They need up-to-date equipment to learn the needed skills it takes to be in the work force.

I will continue to work for the equipment and materials the Tech Ed Department needs to upgrade the classes and meet today's standards in education. My goal is to continue to be steadfast in making sure that YOUR Tax dollars are well spent and used for what is in the plan.

Also, accountability. I am taking the responsibility of a consciences school board member. I am accountable to YOU The taxpayer, parent and grandparent. I believe I

have to be accountable for my actions as a Board member. So, would I expect our Administrative Team to be accountable to give us the information to make the Kewaskum School District comparable to others in this area? YES. Schools today are in competition. Not only in sports, but also for State and Federal monies and with the State program called, "Open Enrollment," we could stand to lose some students if we don't offer some advanced placement classes in the Tech field.

If you have any questions, please call me with your concerns. You might say, I am a watch dog. I am also a concerned school board member, who wants to make sure that what we are asking you to support, is in the BEST interest of the students and our school district.

At this time, I would like to THANK: Joannie Kalina, Jane Lazarevic and Pat Moerchen for their continued dedication to the Kewaskum School District. Their outstanding service to us, the school board and to the students of our district goes far above the bar of excellence.

When this referendum comes before you on April 5, you can rest assure, I have done everything in my power, as one board member, to make it affordable and yet give our students the highest standard of education in textbooks and technology.

Thank you
 Neal Weare

Letter to the Editor:

The Kewaskum Special Olympians and coaches would like to thank Carey Serwe for his generous donation of \$100. Mr. Serwe participated in the Campbellsport 4-H "Milk Mustache Contest." As one of the top ten participants to receive the most votes, Carey shaved off his mustache and donated \$100 to the charity of his choice.

Kewaskum Special Olympians serves school age (8-21) students with cognitive disabilities. Kewaskum Special Olympics offers monthly bowling and swimming as life sports and competes in basketball skills and track and field events. People interested in volunteering or participating in Special Olympics at the local level may contact Marilyn Krantz at Kewaskum Middle School or other areas at www.specialolympicswisconsin.org.

Kewaskum Special Olympics offers many thanks to the Campbellsport 4-H and Carey Serwe for their thoughtful acts of kindness.

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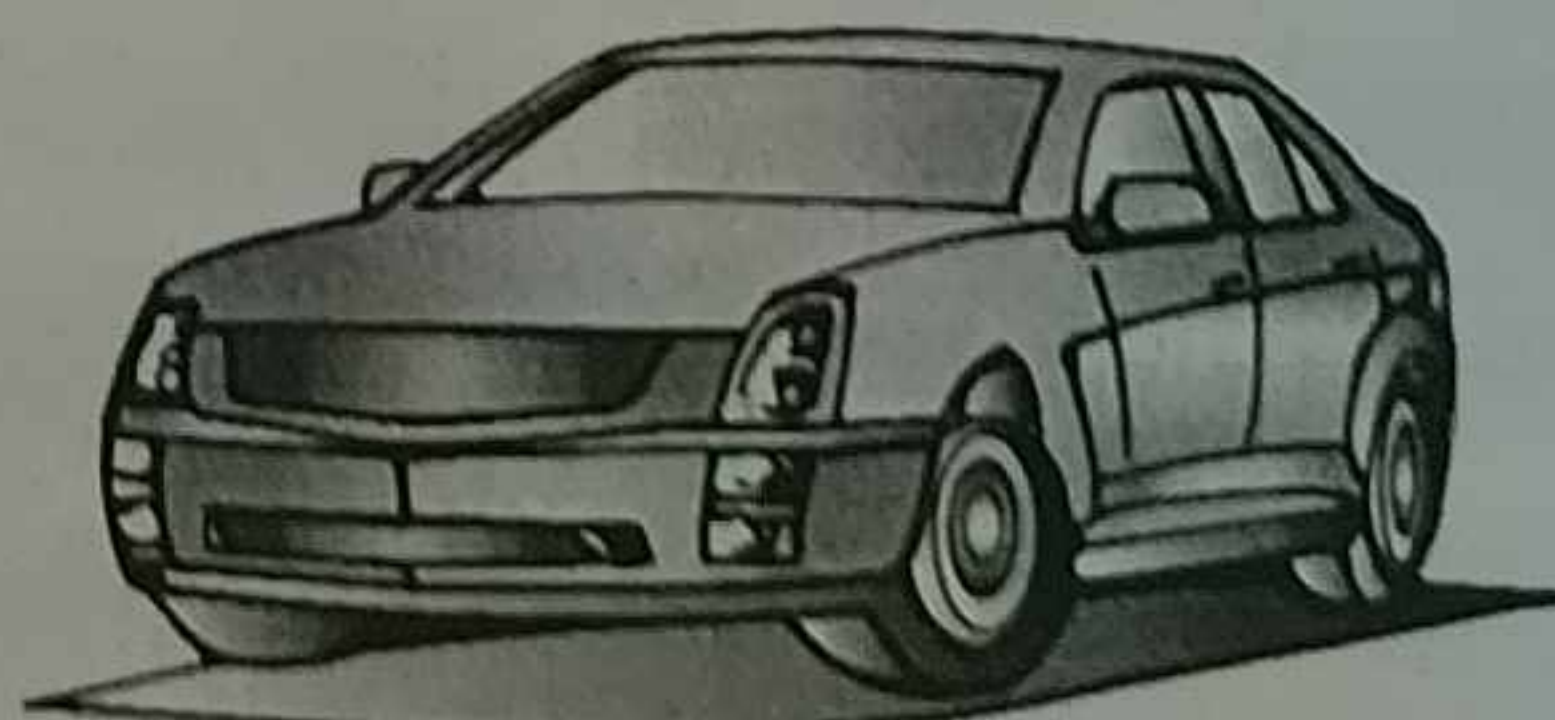
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BUSINESS NEWS

WISTAX notes few changes in state, federal income taxes

MADISON - With the exception of inflationary adjustments of tax brackets and standard deductions, there were no broad changes to Wisconsin or federal income tax laws for 2004. The biggest change came at the federal level, where taxpayers who itemize can choose to deduct sales taxes paid rather than state income taxes, the Wisconsin Taxpayers Alliance (WISTAX) said. However, Wisconsin's relatively high income tax rates will mean most Wisconsin filers will continue to deduct the latter.

Other federal changes include: an increase in the amount of qualified expenses used to calculate the tuition-and-fees deduction; an expansion of the additional child tax credit; and a health savings account (HSA) deduction. State changes include: a 100% exemption for certain military income; a deduction for certain organ donation expenses; and an expansion to certain relatives of the tax deduction for college savings plans.

Detailed explanations of the changes, along with "plain-English" instructions for filing federal and state individual income tax returns for 2004, are included in Taxes 2005, the recently released 96-page tax guide published by WISTAX.

Federal Income Tax Changes

Among the changes affecting federal taxes for the 2004 tax year are:

- Tax brackets and standard deduction income limits are increased to adjust for

inflation.

- Taxpayers who itemize deductions may deduct state and local general sales taxes instead of state and local income taxes. Filers may use actual sales taxes paid or an estimate using IRS tables.

- The amount of qualified education expenses used to calculate the tuition-and-fees deduction rises from \$3,000 to \$4,000 if modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) does not exceed \$65,000 (\$130,000 if married, filing jointly). For higher incomes, the tuition-and-fees deduction is reduced.

- The credit limit on the additional child tax credit, which is available to certain filers with three or more children, is raised to 15% of earned income above \$10,750.

- Taxpayers may be eligible to deduct contributions to a health savings account. (The state does not allow the HSA deduction.)

- Distributions from qualified tuition programs established and maintained by eligible education institutions can be excluded from income if the distribution is not more than qualified education expenses.

State Income Tax Changes

Changes in Wisconsin's state income tax for tax year 2004 include:

- Tax brackets and standard deduction income limits are increased to adjust for inflation.

- A 100% tax exemption is allowed for certain military income received by a mem-

ber of a reserve component called into active federal or special state service.

- An individual may subtract from federal adjusted gross income up to \$10,000 of certain unreimbursed expenses incurred in donating an organ for human transplantation.

- Aunts, uncles and great-grandparents may deduct up to \$3,000 in contributions to EdVest college savings plans.

Taxes 2005 contains detailed instructions for Wisconsin's homestead credit program, which can benefit low-income homeowners and renters even if they pay little or no income tax, and the farmland preservation program. The book also explains taxes such as the estate, gift, excise and property taxes. In addition, motor vehicle and recreational licenses and fees are listed.

Taxes 2005 can be purchased directly from WISTAX, 401 North Lawn Ave., Madison, WI 53704-5033. The single-copy price is \$3.50 (including sales tax). Quantity discounts are available; contact WISTAX at 608-241-9789 or wistax@wistax.org for prices.

Founded in 1932, WISTAX is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization dedicated to public-policy research and citizen education. Printing of Taxes 2005 was underwritten by a grant from WisPolitics.com and WisBusiness.com, the state's leading online news services.

New building science course designed for builders at MPTC

Area home builders can learn how to construct safer and more environmentally friendly homes through a new residential building science course being offered through Moraine Park Technical College's Fond du Lac Campus.

Today's home owners are increasingly concerned about safety issues such as mold, moisture damage, carbon monoxide poisoning and indoor air quality. As a result, they are expecting more from their house and their builder. This series of courses takes a "whole house approach" that helps builders learn how to meet and exceed customer safety expectations. The Residential Building Science program helps builders build homes that are more profitable and marketable; construct safer and more environmentally-friendly homes; choose appropriate building materials; reduce callbacks; reduce warranty losses and litigation costs; add value to your existing services and build long-term relationships.

"By addressing key areas that are important to today's homeowners, these courses provide valuable information that builders need to know to better meet their customers' needs and set themselves apart in a competitive marketplace," says Keith Myers, dean of trades at Moraine Park.

The program includes five unique courses that offer a wealth of information related

to the whole house approach to building. The first course, "The House as a System" is a five-week course that runs on Thursday nights starting Jan. 27 through Feb. 24 from 6-9:30 p.m. The cost of this course, number 468-401-001, is \$38.20.

The second course in this series, "Whole House Ventilation" runs from March 3 through April 21 from 6-9:30 p.m. The cost of this course, number 468-402-001, is \$57.20.

The remaining three courses: "A Whole House Approach to Heating, Cooling and Appliances," "Health and Safety in Homes" and "Applied Building Science" are being planned for fall 2005.

The Residential Building Science courses are targeted toward residential home builders, remodelers, building inspectors, building trades apprentices, or anyone interested in environmentally safe and friendly homes. Participants can participate in all five courses or pick and choose the individual courses that interest them.

The Residential Building Sciences courses are a pilot project funded by the Wisconsin Technical College Foundation through the Focus on Energy Program. For more information on the courses or how to register, call Moraine Park at 1-800-221-6430. For more information contact Keith Myers at 920-924-6371.

SynergyHealth receives grants for The Kathy Hospice

SynergyHealth Foundation announced recently that it has received a \$50,000 grant from the Greater Milwaukee Foundation and a \$40,000 grant from the E. Rhodes and Leona B. Carpenter Foundation, both for use in construction of The Kathy Hospice.

Greater Milwaukee Foundation was established in 1915, and serves as the community foundation for Milwaukee, Waukesha, Ozaukee, and Washington coun-

ties. The E. Rhodes and Leona B. Carpenter Foundation is based in Philadelphia. It supports museums, healthcare and graduate theological education, nationally.

The Kathy Hospice will be located on the SynergyHealth St. Joseph's Hospital campus at Highway 45 and Pleasant Valley Road in Washington County. Construction of the eight-bed residential hospice will begin in spring 2005, with an anticipated opening in fall 2005.

SynergyHealth Foundation holds house raffle in support of The Kathy Hospice

SynergyHealth Foundation, in partnership with Winfield Homes, is holding a raffle, "Win this \$332,000 Dream House," in support of The Kathy Hospice. The house, currently under construction, is located at 1724 Highland View Drive in the Westminster Place Subdivision of West Bend. This 2,100 square foot contemporary ranch, including 3 bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths, will be completed in spring 2005 and open for tours.

Public drawing will take place at the Westminster Place home on Tuesday, May 31st at Noon. Raffle participants need not be present to win. Tickets are \$100 and only 7,500 tickets will be sold. Odds are 1 in 71 of winning a prize. Prizes include: 1st Prize - House appraised at \$332,000 or \$150,000 cash; 2nd Prize - \$10,000 cash; 3rd - 4th Prizes - \$5,000 cash; 5th

- 14th Prizes - \$1,000 cash; 15th - 29th Prizes - \$500 cash; 30th - 54th Prizes - \$150 cash; 55th - 105th Prizes - \$100. For more information or to purchase tickets, call 262-306-7887 or visit www.kathy-hospice.com.

All net proceeds will benefit The Kathy Hospice, an eight-bedroom residential hospice; the first of its kind in Washington County scheduled to open in fall 2005. The Kathy Hospice, to be built on the new St. Joseph's Hospital

campus at Highway 45 and Pleasant Valley Road, will provide care and comfort in a home-like setting for individuals diagnosed with a terminal disease.

SynergyHealth (www.synergyhealth.org) is a regional health system serving the greater Washington County community. St. Joseph's Hospital, West Bend Clinic, and SynergyHealth Foundation are members of Synergy Health.

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Village of Kewaskum NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Village Board of the Village of Kewaskum on the zoning of land included in Ordinance No. 2005-03. "An Ordinance to Annex Territory to the Village of Kewaskum, Wisconsin." On Monday, February 7, 2005 at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 204 First Street, Kewaskum, WI. The following described territory in the Town of Kewaskum, Washington County Wisconsin, is requested to be annexed to the Village of Kewaskum, Wisconsin. (Note: A map is attached hereto:)

Legal Description for Parcel A

Being part of lands in the southeast one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter of Section 16, Town 12 North, Range 19 East, Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, which is bounded and described as follows (see Map 5):

Commencing at the southeast corner of said Section 16; thence North 00°18'43" West, along the East line of the southeast one-quarter of said Section, 424.21 feet more or less to the intersection with the south line extended of Certified Survey Map 584; thence South 89°41'15" West, along said south line extended, 33 feet more or less to the intersection with the west right-of-way line of Prospect Drive and the point of beginning; thence continuing South 89°41'15" West, along said line, 200 feet more or less to the southwest corner of said Certified Survey Map; thence North 00°18'44" West, along the West line of said Certified Survey Map, 176 feet more or less; thence North 89°41'17" East, along the North line, 75.64 feet more or less; thence North 01°23'42" East, 46.22 feet more or less; thence South 89°29'42" East, along said North line, 123 feet more or less to the intersection with the West right-of-way line of Prospect Drive; then South 00°18', 44" West, along said West right-of-way line, 220.45 feet more or less to the point of beginning, containing 0.94 acres (40,806 square feet) more or less of land.

Legal Description for Parcel B

Being part of lands in the southeast one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter of Section 16, Town 12 North, Range 19 East, Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, which is bounded and described as follows (see Map 5):

Commencing at the southeast corner of said Section 16; thence North 00°18'43" West, along the East line of the southeast one-quarter of said Section, 949.77 feet more or less to the intersection with the south line extended of Parcel 1 of Certified Survey Map 1941; thence South 89°41'17" West, along said south line, 33 feet more or less to the West right-of-way line of Prospect Drive and the point of beginning; thence continuing South 89°41'17" West, along said South line, 264 feet more or less to the southwest corner of said Parcel 1; thence North 00°18'44" West, along the west line, 200 feet more or less to the northwest corner of said Certified Survey Map; thence North 89°41'17" East, 264 feet more or less to the West right-of-way line of Prospect Drive, thence South 00°18'43" East, along said right-of-way line, 200 feet more or less to the point of beginning, containing 1.21 acres (52,800 square feet) more or less of land.

Legal Description for Parcel C

Being part of lands in the northeast one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter of Section 16 and part of lands in the northwest one-quarter of the southwest one-quarter of Section 15, Town 12 North, Range 19 East, Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, which is bounded and described as follows (see Map 5):

Commencing at the southeast corner of said Section 16; thence North 00°18'43" West, along the East line of the southeast one-quarter of said Section, 2,148.13 feet more or less to the south line extended of Parcel 1 of Certified Survey Map 815; thence South 89°41'16" West, along said south line, 33 feet more or less to the West right-of-way line of Prospect Drive; thence continuing South 89°41'16" West, along said south line, 200 feet more or less to the southwest corner of said Certified Survey Map; thence North 00°18'43", along said West line, 200 feet more or less to the northwest corner of said Certified Survey Map and the South line of parcel with Tax Key No. 034300A; thence South 89°41'17" West, along said south line, 167 feet more or less, thence North 00°18'43" West, along the west line of said parcel, 265 feet more or less; thence North 89°41'17" East, along the North line of said parcel, 367 feet more or less to said West right-of-way line; thence South 00°18'46" West, along said West right-of-way line, 226.22 feet more or less to the intersection with the north line extended of parcel with Tax Key No. 032100B; thence North 89°18'50" East, along said north line extended and the North line, 466.43 feet more or less to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence South 00°11'10" East, along the East line of said parcel, 200 feet more or less to the south line of said parcel; thence South 89°18'50" West, along said south line, 466 feet more or less to the West right-of-way line of Prospect Drive; thence South 00°18'44" East, along said West right-of-way line, 38.79 feet more or less to the point of beginning, containing 5.29 acres (230,494 square feet) more or less of land.

Legal Description for Parcel D

Being part of lands in the northwest one-quarter and southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 15, Town 12 North, Range 19 East, Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, which is bounded and described as follows (see Map 5):

Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Section 16; thence North 00°18'43" West, along the West line of the southwest one-quarter of said Section, 33.36 feet more or less to the north right-of-way line of Badger Road; thence North 89°05'25" East, along said north line 33 feet more or less to the southwest corner of parcel with Tax Key No. 032200A; thence North 00°18'42" West, along the East right-of-way line of Prospect Drive, 2,153.64 feet more or less to the Southwest corner of parcel with Tax Key No. 032100B; thence North 89°18'45" East, along the south line of said parcel, 399.97 feet more or less to the southeast corner of said parcel; thence North 00°11'10" West, along the east line of said parcel, 200 feet more or less to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence North 89°18'51" East, along the south line of Hillcrest Road, 67.16 feet more or less; thence North 00°18'33" West, at right angles, 65.64 feet more or less to a point in the South line of Parcel 1 of Certified Survey map No. 541 as recorded in the Washington County Register of Deeds in Volume 3 of Certified Survey Maps on pages 96 and 97, as Document No. 332702; thence North 89°41'27" East, along said South line of Parcel 1 of Certified Survey Map No. 541 and its Easterly extension, 365.78 feet to a point in the center line of S.T.H. "45"; thence Southeasterly, along said centerline, along the arc of a curve to the right 4.91 feet, chord South 13°16'13" East 4.91 feet, curve radius 3819.72 feet, central angle 00°04'25"; thence South 13°14'00" East, along said centerline of S.T.H. "45", 2,521.14 feet to the south line of the southwest one-quarter of Section 15; thence South 88°28'48" West, along said south line, 1,470.65 feet more or less to the point of beginning containing 62.27 acres (2,712,345 square feet) more or less of land.

Legal Description for Parcel E

Being part of lands in the Northwest one-quarter and northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 22, Town 12 North, Range 19 East, Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, which is bounded and described as follows (see Map 5):

Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Section 16; thence North 88°28'48" East, along the North line of the Northwest one-quarter of said Section 22, 1,470.65 feet more or less to the intersection with the centerline of USH "45"; thence South 13°14'00" East, along said centerline, 736.39 feet more or less to the centerline of Badger Road; thence South 86°10'31" West, along said centerline of Badger Road, 251.04 feet; thence Northwesterly, continuing along said centerline of Badger Road and along an arc of a curve to the right of 605.85 feet, with a chord bearing North 63°32'04" West, 578.02 feet, a curve radius of 573.00 feet, and a central angle of 60°34'51"; thence North 33°14'38" West, continuing along said centerline, 266.97 feet; thence Northwesterly and Westerly continuing along said centerline, and along an arc of a curve to the left 582.66 feet, with chord bearing North 62°22'30" West, 557.88 feet, a curve of radius 573.00 feet, and a central angle of 58°15'43" to a point in the South line of said Southwest one-quarter of Section 15; thence South 88°29'39" West, along said South line of the Southwest one-quarter, 189.87 feet to the point of beginning, containing 12.77 acres (556,130 square feet) more or less of land.

And shown on the attached scale map, marked Map 5, and incorporated herein by reference.

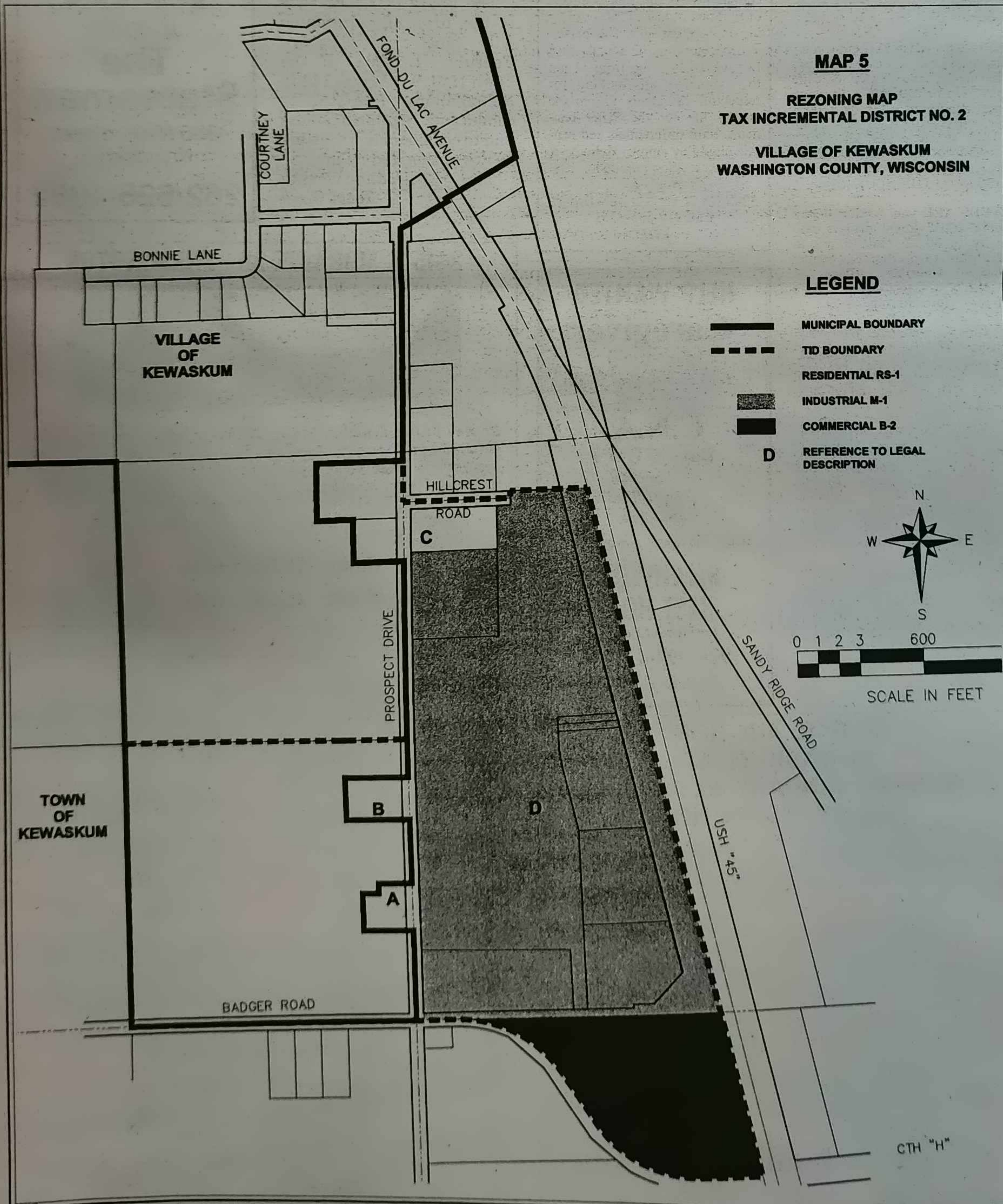
A copy of such ordinance is on file and open for inspection in the Office of the Village Clerk/Treasurer.

This annexation ordinance reflects a request for zoning for said property, similar to the proposed TID #2 Project Single plan submitted that being RS-1 Single Family Residential District, M-1 limited Manufacturing District and B-2 Community Business District.

All interested person(s) will be given an opportunity to be heard.

Administrator/Clerk/Treasurer
Daniel S. Schmidt

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January 27, 2005



MAP 5

**REZONING MAP
TAX INCREMENTAL DISTRICT NO. 2
VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM
WASHINGTON COUNTY, WISCONSIN**

LEGEND

- MUNICIPAL BOUNDARY
- TID BOUNDARY
- RESIDENTIAL RS-1
- INDUSTRIAL M-1
- COMMERCIAL B-2
- D** REFERENCE TO LEGAL DESCRIPTION



SPORTS

Early lead disappears as Indians stray from game plan

By JUDY HARLOW
STATESMAN CORRESPONDENT
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The first ten points came rather easily, and just the way Coach Glenn Eichstedt wanted them to, but after that the Indians went back to their impatient ways Friday night, resulting in a 57-29 loss to unbeaten Manitowoc Roncalli.

Roncalli is now 7-0 in the EW and 13-0 overall, while Kewaskum dropped to 0-7 and 1-11 overall.

"We went in with what I thought was a good game plan," Eichstedt said, noting he had personally scouted the Jets, looked at tapes of their games and figured his Indians had to try to slow down their running game, which starts many times off the press.

The plan was to "take about a minute (on each possession) and then try to go inside, according to Eichstedt, who said, "In the first quarter, it worked to perfection, and we're up 10-7."

Todd Warnecke got off to a hot start, scoring seven of the Indians' first-quarter points, with 6-3 post man Matt Parrent adding a bucket and Luke Herriges chipping in with a free throw for the 10.

The production dropped off greatly after that, starting in the second quarter when the Indians scored one lone basket, by Parrent, and a free throw by Paul Gaynor.

"We just started taking threes, started just catching (the ball) and shooting," Eichstedt said, "Now we get outscored 16-3 ... We simply

weren't disciplined enough."

During the break, Eichstedt and his volunteer assistant, Tom Theusch, urged their charges to get back to the game plan, and for the first three minutes of the third quarter they did that, then, "We started running with them. They hit three or four baskets, and we're done."

With just over six minutes left in the game, the Indians found themselves behind 46-19, and soon after that Jet Coach Joe Rux called on some of his reserves to finish up the game.

Greg Schrimpf, a 6-foot sophomore guard, led all scorers with 18 points. Christ Netzel, a 6-2 forward, added 11 to the total, and Alex Ahola chipped in the nine.

Parrent topped the Indians with 10 points, and Eichstedt said, "The frustrating thing for Matt is he plays so hard but he rarely gets (foul) calls and when there are no calls, he feels he has to go outside."

Even though he went scoreless, senior guard Brad Benike drew praise for his efforts.

"I thought Brad Benike did a pretty good job handling the ball," Eichstedt said. With Casey (Scheel) being out, Benike had to carry the load at the point. "He played the first three quarters without a break," the coach said.

Scheel could be out for three weeks or more with the ankle sprain, according to Eichstedt, who said he is hoping the sophomore guard will return in time for the tournament.

"They (Jets) didn't do anything surprising," Eichstedt said, indicating his players worked hard all week to adjust to their style of play, but, "It's tough to do in a week's time."

Roncalli came into the game shooting 52 percent and 44 percent from 3-point range, according to Eichstedt, who said, "They're rated third in Division 4 in the state."

Roncalli: 7-16-19-15 - 57;
Kewaskum: 10-3-6-10 - 29.

Kewaskum: Gaynor 1, Wollner 4, Warnecke 9, Paulus 2, Herriges 3, Parrent 10. 3-point goals — none FTs — 5x12. Fouls — 17. Fouled out — none.

Roncalli: Halvorson 4, Netzel 11, Wettstein 4, Schrimpf 18, Ahola 9, Lewis 4, Balzan 1, Pozorski 2, Olson 4. 3-point goals — Schrimpf (3), Ahola (2). FTs — 8x17. Fouls — 14.

JVs lose a heartbreaker

The KHS junior varsity team (2-5 in the EW, 5-7 overall) was a split second away from going into overtime when a Roncalli player ruined the Indians' night with a shot that allowed the Jets to post a 43-41 victory.

"They had a last-second shot," Coach Bob Bannasch said. "It was a little turnaround hook."

John Holt led the Indians with 16 points. Jeremy Parker and Jack Breeze both contributed 10 points.

"They scrapped again," Bannasch said of his players, indicating they have been working very hard in practice all season.

Wisconsin Timber Wolves program Feb. 10

The February program in the "Evening with Nature Series" at the Kettle Moraine State Forest - Northern Unit is "Wisconsin Timber Wolves." The program will be held on Thursday, February 10, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. at the Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center. The Ice Age Visitor Center is located off of Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee. The program is free, but donations are always gratefully accepted.

The timber wolf is a symbol of wilderness, places still wild and free. Before European settlement, wolves were found throughout most of the United States and Canada. By the middle of the 1900's, wolves were almost eliminated from the lower forty-eight states. The only states left with strong populations were Minnesota and Alaska. Today, wolves are

making a come back in some areas of our country including Wisconsin, which is now home to about 400 wolves.

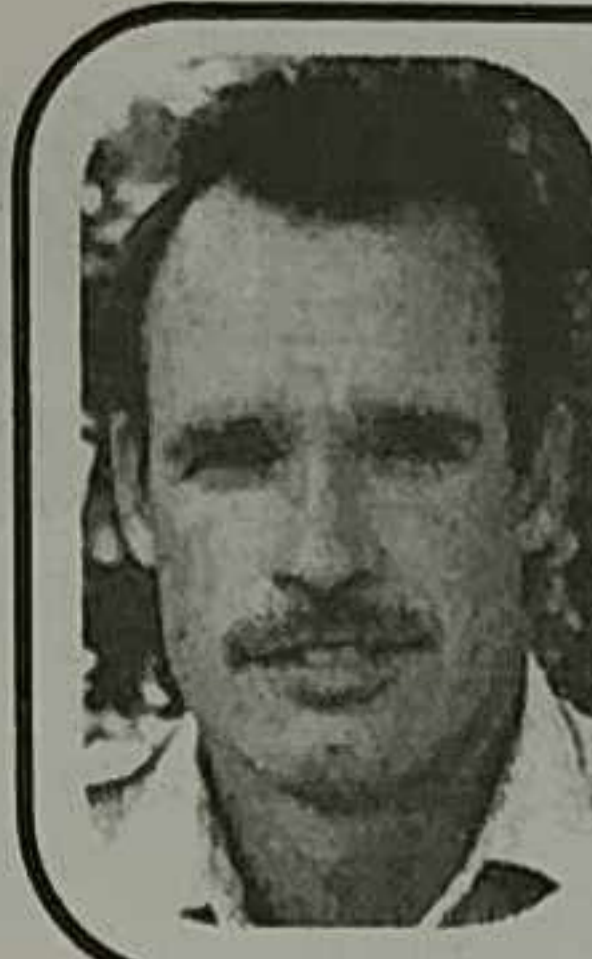
Mary Nortman, a speaker with the Timber Wolf Alliance, will cover the amazing natural history of wolves. She will touch on why wolves almost became extinct in Wisconsin and provide information on the status of wolves today including the state's Wolf Recovery Plan. The Timber Wolf Alliance of the Sigurd Olson Environmental Institute (located at Northland College in Ashland, Wisconsin), is dedicated to the wise management of and education about timber wolves especially in the Upper Great Lakes Region.

For further information or directions, please contact the forest staff at the Ice Age Visitor Center. The center's

phone number is (920) 533-8322 and is open during the winter Wednesday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., and on Saturday and Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Please join us for a howling good evening.



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Outdoor Adventures

By: Mark Walters
Last Minute Russian

Hello Friends,

Last week I wrote about my experiences at Bear Mountain Lodge while I was preparing for a Russian boar hunt, taking photographs, and observing this magnificent creature. This week I will write about my hunt.

Friday, January 7
High 20, Low 3

I am sitting in a stand that I just completed yesterday. It overlooks three trails in a dense cedar swamp. I reached the stand just after first light, and it was only three degrees outside. After two hours, my body told me I could no longer pull my Mathews bow back.

In the course of those two hours, I saw about 40 Russians, none of which offered me a good shot. This probably was because I was seen, heard, smelled, or in too dense of cover to slide an arrow through.

After climbing down from the stand, I went exploring. When I approached the stand I hunted from last year, I saw a herd of 35 to 40 trophy class (180-300 pounds) Russians come just out of bow range. They were on a trail that was very active last year. I decided to hunt from that stand for the afternoon.

On my afternoon hunt, I had action even as I was climbing into the stand, but I was busted. For the next two hours, I observed more than 100 Russian boar ranging in size from 20 to 300 pounds. Unfortunately, each one was coming from the east, and a west wind was blowing my scent in their direction. The boars smelled me and disappeared back into the cedar swamp from which they had come. Russian boars don't take second chances. If they sense something is not right, they either step backward, vanish, or bolt like a deer.

Sunday, January 8
High 22, Low 5

Word got out amongst the local herd that I was hunting from the stand I had moved to yesterday. On this morning's hunt, I only saw one Russian. It was maybe 50 pounds and out of range. For the next 30 hours, I played hooky and went down to Little Bay de Noc and ice fished.

Sunday, January 9
High 27, Low 9

Greg Johnson is the owner of Bear Mountain Lodge. He dreamed up the idea for building a business centered around the hunting of Russian boar in Michigan's Upper Peninsula while on an Alaskan moose and caribou hunt. I spent six days at the lodge, and I don't think more than 10 minutes ever passed without someone calling from Wisconsin, or even

as far away as Florida, to get information on a hunt (800-676-9821).

I had enough daylight remaining for a two-hour hunt. I was using sow in heat scent as a cover up and had a couple of trophy class boars offer shots, but both were too small.

Monday, January 10
High 25, Low 4

I have to go home one of these days, or my wife and kids might forget who I am. This morning, I hit the stand I had built armed with my 12-gauge loaded with slugs for protection, a 54-caliber traditional muzzle loader, my bow, and a backpack. Try walking in 30 inches of snow with that load, while trying to sneak up on a critter that would just as soon kill you as look at you.

After freezing my fanny on the stand for two hours, I tried the spot and stalk method. I was rather unwilling to use anything other than the stick and string. I spotted a lot of boars, including some herd boars who could swallow me with one bite.

Later on, Derek Van Buren, a guide at Bear Mountain, and I moved a couple of stands. I was very excited about my evening hunt. I wasn't in my stand for 10 minutes, when the boars started on their prowl.

One came in at 18 yards and offered me a broadside shot. I took careful aim and let an arrow fly. I was surprised that I missed. The arrow went right over his back. I have been practicing, and I have been very accurate.

The rest of the hunt was loaded with herd boars and sows, neither of which I was hunting, but they were a blast to watch.

Tuesday, January 11
High 29, Low 11

I left for my stand this morning fully armed and not willing to come back to the lodge without a couple hundred pounds of pork. Van Buren asked if he could join me in the stand next to mine. I gladly agreed. I was only set up for 10 minutes when a good sized trophy boar gave me exactly the same shot as the one I had missed last night.

This time I put the arrow in the boiler room, and we actually saw the Russian go down for good. As Johnson always stresses, play the game at a level you choose. I chose one of the most difficult, and I can't wait to return. Next time I might bring one of the boys and give him the biggest thrill of his life.

Respect your quarry!
Sunset

SPORTS

Behind five champions, Indians capture tournament title

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Just as Coach Dennis Aupperle said last week, when his Kewaskum High team is involved in an invitational, the wrestlers at the middle weights have the potential to score a pile of points.

With seven Indians in the finals and five winning titles in Saturday's Waupun Invitational, the Indians brought home the first-place hardware from the event.

Kewaskum won the title with 202 points, seven ahead of Winneconne. Host Waupun finished third with 184, followed in order by: West Bend East, 144; Columbus, 127; Markesan, 99; Laconia, 99; New Holstein, 36; and Mayville, 0.

The individual champions from Kewaskum included: Zach Holm at 130, Nick Bartley at 140, Scott Rhoads at 145, Noah Olla at 171 and Jake Turowski at 189.

"We had some guys not make it because of the weather, but we wrestled well as a team," Aupperle said Sunday. "The kids did an excellent job."

For Rhoads, this was his second individual title of the season. After receiving a bye in the opening round, Rhoads pinned Adam Reinke of Winneconne in a brief 2:35, and he made even faster work of Justin Kitzman of Waupun in the finals, pinning him in 1:27.

The two met less than two weeks ago in the triple dual at Kewaskum, and in that match, Rhoads posted a pin in 4:45.

With the three victories — wrestlers get credit for forfeits

when they win the following matches — the junior Rhoads improves to a glossy 25-1.

Bartley, who finished third in the Division 2 state tournament last February and is poised to return to Madison, hopefully for a higher place this year, also barely worked up a sweat in winning his title.

After a bye, Bartley wrapped up Derek Yogerst of West Bend East in 5:18, and in the finals breezed to a 16-0 technical fall over Jake Augsburger of Winneconne.

Bartley's current record stands at 25-3.

The team's two seniors, Holm and Olla, had good outings. After a bye, Holm (22-4) put a pin hold on Jason Doe of Columbus in 1:49, then got a tussle from Brad Dhein of East before posting a 4-2 decision.

Olla's day started with a bye and ended with a quick pin over Adam Wulff of Waupun in 3:17.

He also had a pin in the semifinals, this one came over Thomas Wilsey of Columbus in 2:17.

With the three wins, Olla is 19-4.

The fifth champion was the sophomore Turowski (19-6), who had three matches and didn't give up a point in any of them. In his first match, Turowski pinned James Kirst of Markesan in 1:30, and this was followed by a 3-0 decision over Kyle Schultz of West Bend East and in the finals a 5-0 shutout over Mike Wideman of Winneconne.

Jake Sabel, who moved into the lineup because Jon Olla is nursing a slight injury, advanced to the finals before losing to Brett Loomans of Waupun, 6-2. Before that, he

pinned Adam Koenigs of New Holstein in 3:27 and then posted a pin over the No. 1 seed, Jon Freundt of Markesan in 5:25.

Sabel's points were very important in securing first place for KHS, according to Aupperle, who said Sabel lost to "a solid kid."

The other finalist was talented sophomore Greg Ogi, who ran into a buzz saw in the finals in Zach Harness of Winneconne. Ogi was overpowered 10-0.

"Eric wrestled well. Harness is a four-time champ of this tournament. He is a good kid," Aupperle said, reporting Ogi's record now stands at 23-6.

Mason Smith finished 3-1 on the day to take third place. After starting with a technical fall, Smith lost to Matt Longworth of Winneconne 8-2, but he bounced right back with an 11-5 decision over Waupun's Cam Dary and in the battle for third, nipped Kyle Mayr of Columbus 3-2.

Smith is now 15-10.

Dan Shileny moved up one weight class, to 160, and placed fourth. He wound up 2-2, scored a first round pin and losing by pin in the consolation match.

Jeff Thull (11-8) also took a fourth at 215, starting with a pin over Nick Doyle of West Bend East in 1:11. After losing by pin to Ray Moungey of Waupun, Thull shut out Bryan Borushko of Columbus 14-0, then lost his consolation match 9-4 to Kyle Rozek of Laconia.

"Jeff Thull is improving in every match. he is doing an excellent job," Aupperle said of Thull, who is in his first year of wrestling."

KHS wrestlers notch fourth win in EWC

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The ride to Two Rivers was a long one for the Kewaskum High wrestlers, but at least, they didn't have to spend a lot of extra time there Thursday night.

With the host Raiders forfeiting at six weights, and the Indians winning three other bouts by pin, the match was over in a hurry, with Kewaskum in charge 57-21.

The win was the fourth by Kewaskum in Eastern Wisconsin Conference action, with matches at Campbellsport on January 25th and at New Holstein (a makeup meet) tonight (Thursday).

"Lots of forfeits," KHS

Coach Dennis Aupperle said, reporting his squad is now 4-1 in the EW and 12-2 overall.

Mason Smith gave the Indians six point with his pin at 119 pounds, Eric Ogi took just 1:35 to pin Rob Wandre at 135, and Scott Rhoads ended his match against Chris Sauer in 1:51.

Aupperle was pleased to get 18 points from those three and real proud Justin Ethier was able to fill in at 160 and contributed three points with his 4-1 decision over Paul Schieffel.

"Justin wrestled a good match," Aupperle said, indicating Jon Hawig (at 125) and Jake Sabel (152) drew the toughest Raiders.

Hawig held off being pinned until near the end of the second period, while

Sabel lost to Kevin Fabian 6-2, and Aupperle said, "I think Fabian is ranked fourth in the state."

Kewaskum 57, Two Rivers 21

102 Will Schisel won by forfeit; 112 Stephen Kattar lost by pin to Dustin Copesky, 5:10; 119 Smith pinned Derrick Blake, 4:55; 125 Hawig lost by fall to Jason Leinss, 3:53; 130 Zach Holm won by forfeit; 135 Ogi pinned Wandre, 1:35; 140 Nick Bartley won by forfeit; 145 Rhoads pinned Sauer, 1:51; 152 Sabel lost to Fabian, 2-6; Eithier dec. Schieffel, 4-1; 171 Noah Olla won by forfeit; 189 Jacob Turowski won by forfeit; 215 Jeff Thull won by forfeit; 275 Frank Walchelske lost by pin to David Powell, :38.

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A Wisconsin State Park System Vehicle Admission Sticker is required for this event. If you do not already have your 2005 Vehicle Admission Sticker, you may purchase one that night. Annual stickers are \$20 and a daily pass is \$5 for state residents. For further information, contact the forest staff at the Ice Age Visitor Center at (920) 533-8322.

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SPORTS

KHS boys are swamped by Spartans

Not much went right for Lady Indians



In the second half of Monday night's game, the Kewaskum High School basketball players did a better job of boxing out than they did in the opening quarters. Above, Todd Warnecke grabs a rebound off of a Spartan miss, with Matt Parrent ready to help out.

Statesman photo by Judy Harlow

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Of all the non-conference games on the 2004-05 schedule, the one against West Bend West was the one Kewaskum High boys basketball Coach Glenn Eichstedt was looking forward to the most.

Eichstedt thought his Indians would have the same inner fire about the game, but they could only produce a little smoke, resulting in a 69-41 defeat at the hands of the host Spartans.

With the loss, Kewaskum dropped to 1-12 overall.

"We looked forward to coming down here and playing in this field house," Eichstedt said after the contest. "It's pretty humiliating to come down here and think you can play with these guys and not put forth a good effort."

The Indians fell behind 9-0 in the first four minutes of the opening quarter. At this point Eichstedt called a time out to see what was happening to his plan to put a couple bodies on 6-foot-6 Andy Hetebrueg in an effort to prevent him from an open 3-point shot and keep him from rebounding and to "pinch down" on guard Andy Voigt when he tried to drive.

Both plans seemed to disappear even before anyone on the court started to sweat. The first three West baskets were lay-ups, then Hetebrueg hit a 3-pointer and the Indians were already in a big hole.

The Indians got their first points on a long jumper by

Brad Benike with 3:27 left in the period, and they scored just two more baskets before the first buzzer, both by Matt Parrent.

Another drought came early in the second quarter. KHS fans waited and waited until finally Todd Warnecke hit a turnaround jumper with 4:42 remaining before half time.

Warnecke added another basket with 3:17 left in the half, then Parrent took over, scoring six straight points but the Indians were still far behind, 32-17.

Kewaskum was much more energetic after the break, at least in the opening minutes of the third period when Warnecke drew a foul on his opening shot and made both free throws.

Then Zach Wollner hit a rainbow three, cutting the deficit to 10 points, 32-22, but West responded with a run of its own, using a 3-pointer by Voigt, a Zach Gamache lay-up, another basket by Voigt and a trey by Hetebrueg and just like that, the margin jumped to 20 at 42-22.

Once again, Eichstedt knew it was time to talk things over, and after some returning to the court, there was a brief offensive spark, starting with Wollner's second 3-pointer of the period and a 12-foot jumper from the baseline by Paul Gaynor, putting the score at 44-27.

The Spartans closed out the quarter with the final four points, giving them a 48-27 lead, and they were never threatened the rest of the way.

"As familiar as we are with these guys, we didn't use it to

our advantage," Eichstedt said, indicating his players personally watched the Spartans in several games this year and knew them from summer leagues. "Being familiar is one thing. Doing something about it is another."

Voigt scored a game-high 21 points for the winners, with Hetebrueg and Gamache added 13 and 11, respectively.

Parrent was the top man for the Indians with his 10 points and Benike, a senior guard, added eight.

"To their (Spartans') credit, they shot the ball well," Eichstedt said, "and we didn't have enough offense to recover."

Kewaskum travels to Plymouth tonight (Thursday) for an Eastern Wisconsin Conference game.

West Bend West: 16-16-16-21 - 69, Kewaskum: 7-10-10-14 - 41

Kewaskum: Gaynor 3, Benike 8, Wollner 6, Lehnerz 5, Warnecke 6, Paulus 3, Parrent 10. 3-point goals — Benike, Wollner (2), Lehnerz. FTs — 9x14. Fouls — 11.

WB West: Voigt 21, Wiedmeyer 3, Gamache 11, Trueblood 2, Hayes 9, Schilter 2, Hetebrueg 13, Jansen 2, Goodearle, Sopkowicz 4. 3-point goals - Vogt 3, Hetebrueg 2, Hayes 1. FTs — 5x10. Fouls — 16.

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After the big victory over Campbellsport a week ago, followers of the Kewaskum High girls basketball team, and its Coach Jeff Gosse, were expecting better play down the home stretch of the season.

What no one could anticipate, however, was the flu, foul trouble and weather problems the Indians were going to negotiate in their Jan. 21 date at Manitowoc Roncalli. All three contributed to a 65-28 loss to the host Jets.

With the loss, the Indians dropped to 2-7 in the EW and 3-11 overall, while Roncalli improved to 4-5 and 8-6.

"Ugly" was the word Gosse used to describe the contest. "We had a very, very slow start, which I kind of anticipated after we moved the game ahead an hour (because of the predictions of the snow storm). We rushed everything and then had to wait for the officials to arrive."

"We played very poorly in the first half ... despite that, we were only down by 13 points," Gosse went on, indicating, "We had problems. People were sick during the game, foul trouble. By the middle of the third quarter,

my starters were pretty well all gone."

The 13-point deficit climbed to 25 points at the end of the third quarter when the Jets surged ahead 47-22.

Kewaskum was led by Katie Kurer and Lindsay Keller, who scored eight and seven points, respectively.

"She played maybe 12 minutes of the game," Gosse said of Keller, who was not feeling well. "She played well for the time she got in ... had 12 or 13 rebounds."

Marissa Dehler, one of the team's best defensive players, missed the entire game, and "She'll be out for a while," Gosse said.

Senior Paige Thelen, who played so well in the win over the Lady Cougars, got into early foul trouble, and her night on the court was pretty short.

"Two of three minutes into the third quarter, she fouled out," Gosse said about Thelen.

Roncalli was led by junior Nicole Malek, who scored 16 points, successfully converting on 13 of 16 free throws in the second half when the Jets held Kewaskum to 10 points.

Jennifer Haug added 11 points for the winners.

Kewaskum has another tough assignment coming up Friday night when it hosts Plymouth.

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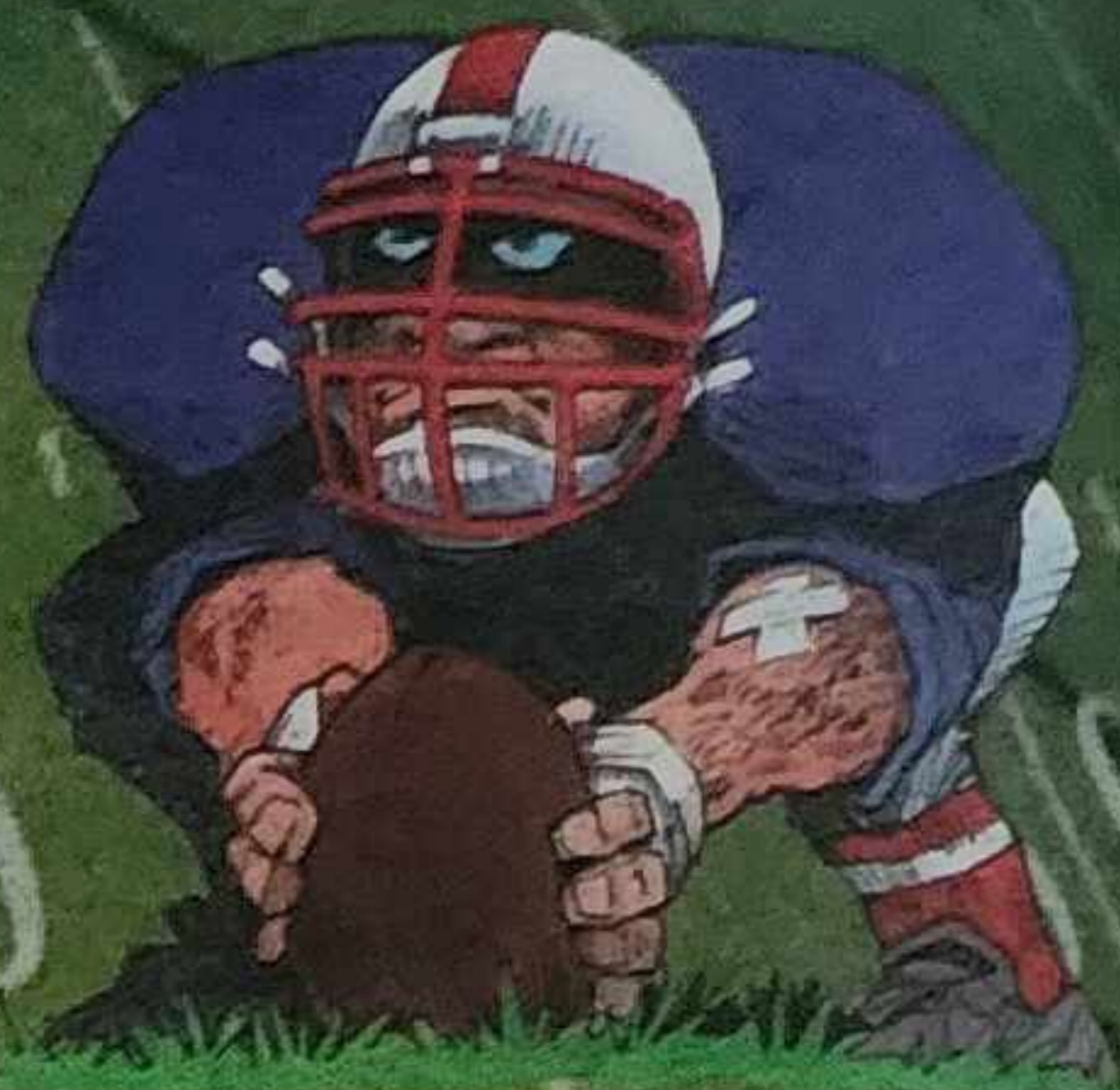
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