

School early releases gone; changes made to spring break

By Mitch Maersch
Statesman Correspondent

Early release Wednesdays are gone and spring break is different.

The Kewaskum School Board unanimously approved the 2011-12 school calendar Monday night, something weeks ago that would have been a negotiated item between the teachers' union and school district. The budget repair law allows districts to set their own calendars.

Anne Ignatowski, curriculum director and Career Academy principal, presented the calendar and said early release days were eliminated because of "concerns" the district received about them.

The calendar has 13 early release days, and seven more professional development days were added, but

school gets out on Tuesday, June 5. That allows for snow days to be made up before graduation on June 9.

Spring break was reduced to Friday, April 6, through Tuesday, April 10, to get school out sooner in June.

The professional development day structure allows for all K-12 teachers to meet, something they couldn't do before. That, she said, gives the district the change to do "something powerful" with the staff.

The new state law doesn't require 180 days of school anymore; Ignatowski said the system has a required number of instructional minutes that totals 162.5 days. But, she said, the district doesn't want to cut the school year down to that. The calendar has 175 days of school.

For teachers, the total comes to 190 days, which is required by their contract. K4, which skipped early release

Wednesdays and had parental visits instead, will still meet four days per week with parental visits on the off day, as required by law. The days K4 meets, however, have not yet been determined. The bus contract is paid by the route by the day, so less days of school will cost the district less money, said Paul Reichert, district business manager.

The district will revisit how the calendar will be released to the public next year. The district showed the village's two parochial schools the calendar it was considering - so they can try to coordinate - but said the board had not yet approved it. Holy Trinity last Friday sent out notices to parents about the calendar.

A copy of the school calendar can be found on page 15 of this week's edition.

Village OK's hiring of part-time EMTs

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The Village Board gave a unanimous OK on Monday night for Fire Chief Mark Groeschel to hire part-timers to alleviate the emergency medical technicians shortage.

The issue had been ongoing for months as Groeschel had presented the numbers the board on when the village didn't have EMT shifts properly covered.

The cost of three or four part-time EMTs at 24 hours per week would run \$12,480 per year, which could be covered with the money made from the ambulance service. In 2010, the user-based service made \$71,000.

The new EMTs would be on call at the fire station ready to go. They would be paid differently than the existing EMTs, but Groeschel at the June 6 meeting said he had checked with the Fire Association and was told that was fine.

Some board members suggested looking into hiring a private service like Lifestar, but Groeschel argued against it, saying the ambulance service in Kewaskum is user based, costs the taxpayers nothing and is making money. The shortage was driven by EMTs moving out of the village, retirements and some members not being active. As of early May, Groeschel said 13 of the 24 EMTs signed up to take shifts.

Groeschel said filling shifts during the day has been especially difficult since most people leave Kewaskum for work.

First ever Chamber 'Party on the Pavement' draws close to 10,000 downtown



Members of Saving Savannah rock the stage during the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce's first annual Party on the Pavement with Music on the Eisenbahn Tuesday in Downtown Kewaskum. The Chamber estimates close to 10,000 people attended the event throughout the day. Additional photos will be published next week.

Statesman photo: Andrew Kuehl

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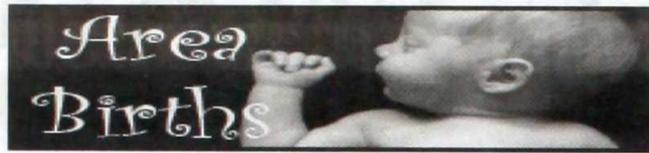
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RESPONDI -- A daughter, Aniaastee Rose, was born to Anissa Francis and Steven Respondi of West Bend on June 13, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Aniaastee weighed eight pounds, three ounces and was 20 inches long.

GIZA -- A son, Lincoln Michael, was born to Sara and Shane Giza of Campbellsport on June 15, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Lincoln weighed seven pounds, six ounces and was 20 3/4 inches long.

FULTON -- A daughter, Solara Evangeline, was born to Katie and Peter Fulton of West Bend on June 15, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Solara weighed six pounds 11 ounces and was 21 1/4 inches long.

HERBST -- A daughter, MacKenzie Rae, was born to Amanda and Jonathon Herbst of Kewaskum on June 15, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. MacKenzie weighed seven pounds, two ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

FRANK -- A son, Cole Thomas, was born to Amanda Seefeld and Jason Frank of West Bend on June 15, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Cole weighed seven pounds, seven ounces and was 21 inches long.

MONTERO -- A daughter, Amelia Grace, was born to Chelsea Mengsol and Jose Montero Jr. of Kewaskum on June 17, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Amelia weighed eight pounds four ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

OLLA -- A son, Vitale Rocket, was born to Fay and Tony Olla of West Bend on June 17, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Vitale weighed eight pounds, 12 ounces and was 21 inches long.

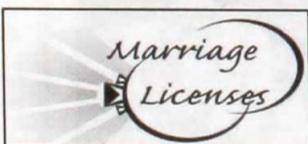
ALLIET -- A son, David Daniel, was born to Karen and David Alliet of West Bend on June 17, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. David weighed seven pounds, three ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

BIRNO -- A son, Landon John, was born to Cher and Brian Birno of West Bend on June 17, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Landon weighed nine pounds, one ounce and was 22 inches long.

TAYLOR -- A son, Eli Weston, was born to Jennifer and Darren Taylor of West Bend on June 17, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Eli weighed five pounds, 11 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

BINGEN -- A daughter, Keira Lou, was born to Sarah and Jesse Bingen of West Bend on June 18, 2011 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Keira weighed nine pounds and was 21 1/2 inches long.

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Todd Anthony Ginard and Beth Emily Mezera, both of the township of Ashford.

Christopher Richard Olsen, city of Wausau and Kelly Irene Flynn, township of Osceola.

Rescue Calls

On June 21, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a child that was struck by a car. A transport was made.

On June 24, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with chest pain. A transport was made.

On June 25, Kewaskum Rescue and Boltonville First Responders were dispatched to the Town of Farmington for a person the passed out. A transport was made.

On June 26, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the

Town of Auburn for a person with an elbow injury. A transport was made.

XYZ CARD RESULTS

The winners at cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wed., June 15 were:

SHEEPSHEAD: Marvin Marquardt, Bea Weiss, Gloria Leiper, Leonard Weisling, June Oelhafen, Laura Buddenhagen, Ray Ruplinger.

New members are always welcome. Cards are played from 8:30-11:15 a.m. every Wednesday.

NOTICE

The Village of Kewaskum Municipal Building will be closed Monday, July 4, 2011 in observance of the 4th of July Holiday. Regular business hours will resume Tuesday, July 5, 2011

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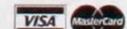
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The next five handed call-ace will be Tuesday, July 5 at 7:30 p.m. sharp. Bring your own drink. Cash prizes.

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Changes made to school district's insurance plan

By Mitch Maersch
Statesman Correspondent

The Kewaskum School District has a new insurance plan that saves the district \$640,000 and requires a higher contribution from teachers for nearly the same coverage.

The recently upheld budget repair law allows districts to determine what insurance plans to offer their employees, rather than have the issue be negotiated between unions and the districts.

The School Board went through its own debate at a special meeting Monday night, including who and how it would select future health plans. Going with a United Health Care plan passed 4-3, with Tim Ramthun, Troy Hanson and Sue Miller voting against. The district had been on the Wisconsin Education Association Trust for years.

It was one of four 4-3 votes on the night, though the breakdown of who voted for and against wasn't always the same.

Ramthun asked for an alternate plan but district business manager Paul Reichert said the plan came with specifics. It is part of a seven-district consortium and came as a recommendation from a newly formed Insurance Committee, which included three teachers, three administrators, three support staff and one non-union member. It met three times between April 28 and May 12.

The plan provides employees with \$7,000 for a single plan per year and \$16,000 for family plans. In-network deductibles are going from \$100 single/\$200 family to \$250/\$500. Coinsurance is still covered 100 percent in network.

Office/urgent care/ER visits go from 0/\$10/\$50 to \$10/\$25/\$100. The drug plan goes from 0/\$15/\$50 to \$10/\$30/\$60.

Single premiums for employees rise from \$485.21 to \$684.56. Family premiums go from \$1,099.16 to \$1,422.44. Total employee contributions rise about \$44,000 from \$143,643.64 to \$187,646.84.

The district has 117 employees on the family plans and 31 on the single plans.

District contributions on single plans go from \$9,218.95 to \$7,000. Family plans fall from \$20,884 to \$16,000. The district costs go from \$2.729 million to \$2.089 million, saving about \$640,000.

A motion to accept all the stipulations of the plan at once failed, 4-3. Board president Bruce Braidigan, Mary Miller and Bill Kesting voted for it. Some of the plan specifics were handled one-by-one.

The plan to offer the \$7,000 for singles and \$16,000 for families passed, 4-3. Ramthun, Hanson and Sue Miller voted against.

"I would say there's room

to adjust that," said Hanson. "I don't think it's as simple as what we pay as a district."

Hanson developed his own plan and distributed a document to the board that explained it. For the family plan, employees contribute \$2,500 to a health savings account and the district picks up the next \$1,500. If they don't use the money, it rolls over.

Hanson said the plan would save the district somewhere in the \$300,000 to \$400,000 range.

The board didn't act on the plan and continued to discuss United Health Care's plan.

One of the hottest debated issues was offering \$7,000 per year for employees who don't take the district's health insurance plan. The motivation behind it, said Reichert, was to provide incentive for employees who have a spouse on the family plan not to double up and take the family plan themselves, thus saving the district money.

Reichert said 24 teachers and one administrator don't take the health insurance plan. In some cases, he said the spouse works for the district or another school district. He said many spouses took the family plan insurance before the \$7,000 incentive was implemented about 10 years ago. Offering the incentive saved the district money, but he didn't have the figure on how much.

Board member Steve Jensen said he worked for five major employers and none offered him anything if he didn't take their insurance plans.

"I would like to see that gone," he said.

Jensen proposed cutting the benefit to \$3,500 this year and eliminating it next year. The move would save the district \$87,500, but Reichert said only five people would have to take family plans for the district to start losing money on the move.

The board wondered what number - \$7,000, \$3,500 or less - would be the tipping point for employees to take the family plans. Sue Miller said \$2,000 would even be a good amount. That motion to cut the benefit in half failed, 4-3, with Jensen, Kesting and Braidigan voting

yes. Teacher Jason Last suggested grandfathering in the 25 who don't take the plan but not allowing any more to get the \$7,000 benefit. Mary Miller made that motion.

Jensen agreed but on the condition the benefit is limited to one year as the board may review it next year. Miller adjusted her motion to include that.

That motion passed, 4-3. Ramthun, Hanson and Sue Miller voted no.

Going with United Health Care was approved, 4-3. Ramthun, Hanson and Sue Miller voted against.

"The plan is saving us money," said Braidigan. He said Hanson's plan is good but the district isn't ready for it this year.

Ramthun said Hanson brought his idea to the board in April and would have liked to see community representation on the Insurance Committee. That way he said the board could have been debating two plans instead of one.

The board agreed to form an ad-hoc Insurance Committee, basically keeping the same one going, with Braidigan appointing Hanson and Sue Miller to it, given their financial backgrounds.

Reichert said he is open to any plan next year, including high deductibles and health savings accounts, but he wanted to make a small change this year and save a bigger change later. He said that will help the educational process of the employees and retirees.

Hanson said he started the educational process two months ago and was discouraged from doing it. He said with education, the mystery would leave the room and "it would come down to math."

Other approvals Post-employment benefits were approved, 5-2, with Hanson and Jensen voting against. The benefit provides families with \$16,000 and singles with \$7,000 per year starting at age 57.

Length of the benefit is determined by years in the district. Fifteen years earns two years of benefits, 2- earns three, 25 earns four and 30

earns five. Reichert said the district has now frozen the amount paid, which is \$21,300.

Hanson wanted to lower the amount for retirees. "They cost us a lot more than our existing staff," he said.

New interim superintendent David Ewald said Hanson's plan, however, opens the district up to a discrimination lawsuit given it deals with age. Mary Miller agreed, saying that is one item discrimination covers.

The board unanimously approved a dental plan from Delta Dental, which offers the same coverage as the WEA Trust with 6 percent lower premiums. The plan offers singles \$350 and families \$900. A life insurance plan from The Standard passed, 7-0.

The premiums are less and benefits to retirees are offered until age 65. The WEA Trust had retirees automatically on the plan for life at age 65 and paying no premiums; those were subsidized by the active teachers.

A long-term disability plan passed, 7-0, but isn't up for renewal until Dec. 1. It pays 90 percent of salary up to two years or until Medicare kicks in. Most plans are closer to 60 percent of salary for one year.

"It is generous," Reichert said.

Contributions to the Wisconsin Retirement System, another element changed by the budget repair law, passed, 7-0. The district and employees each pay 5.8 percent for 2011 of employee earnings to the system.

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Wedding park, hotel concept plan moves forward to Village Board

By Mitch Maersch

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A wedding park complete with a banquet hall and hotel took its first step toward becoming a reality Tuesday night.

The Kewaskum Plan Commission unanimously approved a concept plan for the idea of Ron and Bonnie Will, and sent a unanimous positive recommendation to the Village Board for the rezoning of about 20 acres of land from multifamily residential to park and recreation district.

The Wills want to have three wedding areas on about 25 of their 80 acres at Kettle View Drive and Highway H. One will be outdoor, another will have a shelter and a third will overlook a pond.

Phase 2 of the project includes putting in a banquet hall with seating up to 500 near the pond. The Wills would like the bar portion to be able to be locked so other events, like prom and Scouting activities, may be held there. Ron Will said he would like renters to choose their own caterer and have the facility locked in to one.

Phase 3 adds a hotel. It could be a draw year round the snowmobile trail runs through the property, and bike and cross country ski trails are nearby, as well as Sunburst Ski Area.

The Wills' house is being remodeled and would eventually be used by wedding parties to stay overnight or get dressed before the ceremonies. A road would travel near all of the wedding areas so people can get in and out. Two parking lots are included in the plan.

"Our objective is when you have a wedding you stay right there," said Ron Will.

Bonnie said the facility could be used for graduation photos or wedding photos for weddings held elsewhere, "so we could use it a couple different ways." She said it would bring business to Kewaskum.

The Wills plan to name the area Sunset Grand Gardens. They hope to get started by fall and complete the entire plan in four to five years.

They said they researched the area and nothing matches what they are proposing. The closest one is the Gardens in the Town of Addison but

it's much smaller and not a one-stop wedding shop. Most wedding sites are on golf courses, and Ron said he didn't find anything similar except on the West Coast.

"In my own heart I think this is actually going to take off," he said.

In the future, Plan Commission Chairman Andy Pesch said sidewalks may have to be put in as the sidewalk along H ends at the Kettle View Drive intersection. No sidewalk exists on the north side of H until Edgewood.

Zoning changes would need to be made later to accommodate a hotel.

Everyone on the commission liked the concept.

"I like the idea. I think it's great for the community," said Pesch.

Ron Will is a plumber, and he and his wife run an investment business that remodels old homes, which they are doing with theirs. They plan to move before the project is completed.

St. Lucas shares ways to keep families strong

The community is invited to join St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church in learning how to keep families strong. A five week sermon series titled "To Save A Family" will begin the weekend of July 9-10 and continue through the weekend of August 6-7.

With national statistics showing the decline of typical American families, St. Lucas wants to help teach families in our community how to stay strong and stay together through the many trials we face in this life. "As we observe the American family today, we are reminded of the wonderful blessings that our Lord has given to each one of us through our families, but we also see how the devil, the world, and our sinfulness has caused our individual families to weaken and in some cases to fall apart at the seams. If our families are to survive, they will need Christ, his love and forgiveness, and the assurance of his promises at the center of this rebuilding project so that our families can become temples of our Lord once again!" says Rev. Troy Swenson, pastor at St. Lucas Lutheran.

Families will be

encouraged to actively participate in their relationship with Jesus and with each other. Each week they will be introduced to a video clip that will help them focus on the theme for that week. Each family will be asked to join together in memorizing a Bible passage and participating in an activity together. Their greatest growth with Jesus and each other will come as they study the Word as a family.

The sermon series will cover the following topics:

July 9-10 - Strong Families Know Each Other

July 16-17 - Strong Families Fight Well

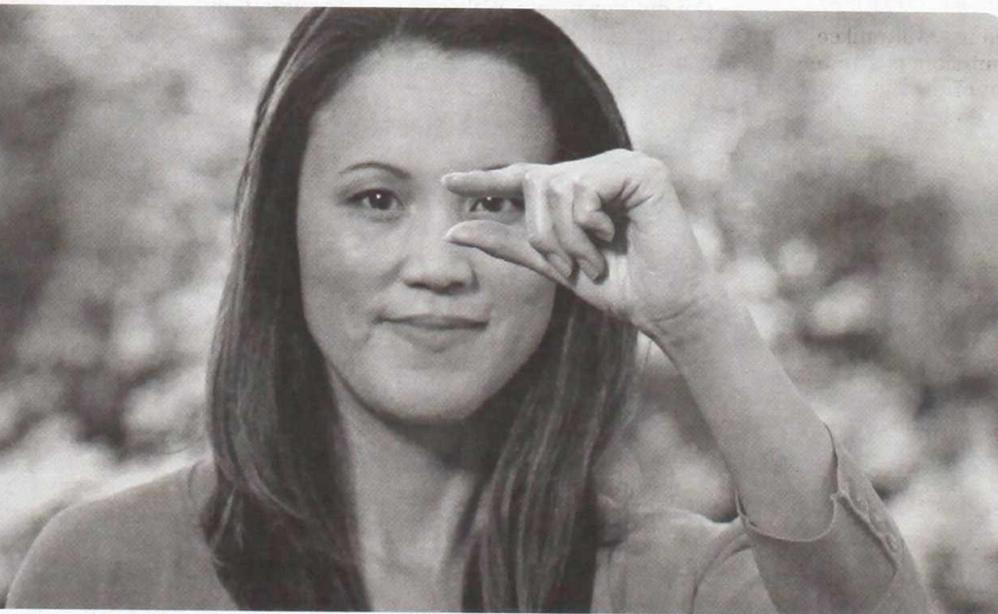
July 23-24 - Strong Families Raise Good Decision Makers

July 30-31 - Strong Families Forgive and Have Faith

August 6-7 - Strong Families Leave a Legacy

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Looking back over 75 years



Families enjoying Mauthe Lake in the early 1930's.

Let's step back in time to 1924. In August of that year, the greatest recorded flood of the Milwaukee River occurred. It hit Fond du Lac and Washington counties and the city of Milwaukee particularly hard knocking out thirty bridges and inundating streets and homes. Out of this disaster came the idea of the Kettle Moraine State Forest which would help protect the headwaters of the Milwaukee River.

Four Milwaukee Park Commissioners toured the region of the future Northern Unit after which they were convinced that it should be purchased not only for flood control, but to preserve its beauty and provide recreation. It was one of the goals of the commission to create a state park close to the population centers of southeastern Wisconsin. Later, a group of counties formed the Inter-County Park Association to push the idea forward. Charles E. Broughton, editor of the Sheboygan Press, used his paper and influence to drum up support for a Kettle Moraine State Park.

Because wide support, in 1927 the legislature passed a bill to create the Kettle Moraine State Park, but without authorizing any funds so the governor vetoed it. A short time later, William Mauthe of Fond du Lac was appointed to head the Conservation Commission (predecessor to the Department of Natural Resources) and he breathed new life into the idea.

In 1926, the Izaak Walton League, whose president was Haskell Noyes, purchased 800 acres around Moon (now Mauthe) Lake in the Northern Unit making it a wildlife refuge. The property cost \$40,000. Ten years later, on July 31, 1936, the Milwaukee Chapter of the League donated the land to the Conservation Commission with the expressed intent of creating a Kettle Moraine State Park. The next year the

Legislature passed a new bill appropriating \$75,000 for acquisition and development of state forest lands, especially in southeastern Wisconsin. Governor La Follette did sign this bill.

Since these humble beginnings the Kettle Moraine State Forest has grown to five units situated along the world-famous interlobate moraine which runs for about 125 miles from Manitowoc County down into Walworth County. The Northern Unit consists of almost 30,000 acres stretching from Glenbeulah to south of Kewaskum. Pike Lake Unit located on the west side of Pike Lake near Hartford encompasses nearly 700 acres. The Loew Lake Unit protects almost 1100 acres surrounding Loew Lake in Washington County. Lapham Peak Unit near Delafield is comprised of approximately 1000 acres. The Southern Unit runs from Dousman in the north to Whitewater Lake in the south covering about 22,000. Even today within each unit land acquisitions continue as properties and funds become available.

The Ice Age National Scenic Trail connects all the Units of the Kettle Moraine State Forest and follows the southern extent of the last glaciers throughout the state. The Ice Age Trail was the inspiration of Raymond T. Zillmer, a hiker, an avid outdoorsman, and lawyer from Milwaukee. He worked diligently to persuade a succession of different governors and legislators to approve land acquisition money for the trail. He worked closely with Henry S. Reuss, US Congressman, and Gaylord Nelson, US Senator, to establish the Ice Age Trail a National Scenic Trail and to create the nine units of the Ice Age National Scientific Reserve one of which is the Northern Unit.

The annual combined attendance for the entire Kettle Moraine State Forest

is almost two million people. People come from all over the world to the Kettle Moraine to learn about our state's glacial legacy and to see the outstanding glacial landforms. People also come to enjoy a variety of recreational pursuits including hiking, biking, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, horseback riding, swimming, boating, camping, backpacking, picnicking, hunting, birding and nature study.

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Jackie Scharfenberg
Forest Naturalist

Source: "The Kettle Moraine State Forest Turns Gold: A 50 Year Celebration of the Great Glacier," supplement of the Wisconsin Natural Resources Magazine, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, 1986.

In honor of the 75th birthday of the Kettle Moraine State Forest, a celebration will be held on Saturday, July 9, from 3:00 to 6:30 p.m., at the Mauthe Lake Recreation Area (located off Hwy GGG south of Hwy SS near New Prospect).

Try playing some old-time games including Hoops and Sticks, Graces, Sack Races, Egg/

Spoon Challenge, Watermelon Seed Spitting and Rope Ring Toss. Let your creative juices flow as you make some old-fashioned crafts such as leaf rubbings and treasure pouches. The Parnell Pals 4-H Club will be hosting an ice cream social with tasty ice cream treats and delicious sandwiches. There sure to be birthday cake as well. A historic display of the Kettle Moraine will be set up and identify the photo challenge.

Plan to stay into the evening for fun-filled family concert with Tom Pease. Tom is a one-of-a-kind performer for all ages. Through song, movement and humor, he takes audience participation to a new level. From his opening song to a final "good-bye" in sign language, Tom has a singular ability to reach, teach and just plain connect with every crowd. Children and adults alike can't sit still when he

performs. Everyone will sing along and enjoy his ticklish talent for making them laugh. Woven through each of Tom's performances are inspiring themes of respect for one another and our world, the importance of community and the power of laughter. In the event of inclement weather, the concert will be held at the Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center. The Visitor Center is located off of Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee.

The Birthday Bash and concert are made possible through the generous support of the Friends of the Kettle Moraine. For more information about this exciting day of celebration, contact the forest staff at the Ice Age Visitor Center, (920) 533-8322. The center is open Monday 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.

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Rochwite family reunion held



On June 11, 2011 the family of Stewart and Darleen Rochwite and Kenneth and Bernice Rochwite held a family reunion at Kiwanis Park in Kewaskum. 99 people attended. Kenneth and Bernice's children are all graduates of Kewaskum High School and Stewart and Darleen's children are graduates of Campbellsport High School. Darleen had nine children, 27 grandchildren (two deceased) and 25 great grandchildren. Bernice has eight children, 14 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren. Stewart passed away on August, 18, 1989, and Kenneth on March 21, 2001. Baseball, tennis, bingo and children games were played on a cold June sat. Over \$150.00 was given to the Cancer Society. Family members traveled from as far away as Savage, Minn., 320 miles away.

Four generations

67th Anniversary



Carl and Ruby Hohlweck of Wayne will be celebrating their 67th wedding anniversary on July 1, 2011.

They were united in marriage on July 1, 1944 at Salem United Church of Christ by the late Rev. Carl Flueckinger.

Attendants were Armand

Mutz and the late Marion Flueckinger.

Their children include Carol and William Butzaff of Kewaskum, Judy and Duane Sabish of Campbellsport, Joanne and Gene Schuppel of West Bend and Dan and Joy Kudek of West Bend.



Shown above are four generations of the Kaehler family. Left to right, Charles Kaehler, great-grandfather; Brett Kaehler, father; Daniel Kaehler, grandfather, holding Mason Daniel Kaehler.

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Happy Birthday!

- July 3: Kyle Kuehl
- July 4: Anna Gitter
- July 5: Rosie Westerman

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All birthdays must be called in yearly

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There is a deadline 3 pm Monday for Thursday publication.

Music in the Park July 5

The Kewaskum Area Arts Council and the Village of Kewaskum are pleased to announce the third year of Music in the Park. Last week the River City Irregulars from West Bend provided us with an evening of delightful music and this free evening of music on Tuesday, July 5 in the River Hill Park, which welcomes Steev Baker and Lost Letters, Blessed Feathers and John Muther promises to do the same. So bring your lawn chairs and your appetite and come to the park.

Best known locally as the director of the village library, Steev Baker has been writing, recording and performing original songs since 1996. His newest project, Lost letters, is a full-band collaboration of local musicians with

influences ranging from folk to punk to classical to avant-garde. The result is music that is multi-layered and emotional with lyrics that touch on faith, hope and love. You can listen to Steev's music at <http://steevbaker.bandcamp.com>. Donivan Berube and Jacqueline Beaupre are Blessed Feathers. Recently signed to Milwaukee's Listening Party Records, the Feathers play minimalist folk songs with guitar, banjo, accordion and percussion. You can download a track from their upcoming album at <http://blessedfeatherslp.bandcamp.com/>. John Muther is a songwriter from West Bend who now lives in Milwaukee. He writes danceable, sing-along music on acoustic guitar and performs with his

band Adventure Music which includes drums, bass and trombone. John has three self-released albums which can be downloaded through iTunes or at <http://johnmuther.com/>. This is a great chance to support local musicians playing original music in a family-friendly environment.

The schedule for the remaining concerts are as follows:

July 12 - Big Cedar Bluegrass Band

July 19 - Kewaskum Big Band

July 26 - Goodtime Dutchmen

All concerts start at 6:30 p.m. in River Hill Park with food and beverages available starting at 5:30 p.m. from the Kewaskum Fire Department.

Washington County Historical Society seeks the best home brewed beer

The Washington County Historical Society is in search of the best Home Brewed Beer in Washington County. The Society will host a contest on Monday, July 25, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at Riverside Brewery and Restaurant, 255 South Main St. West Bend. This event is a precursor to the Society's benefit and auction, Brew-Ha-Ha: A Taste of Beer History. The winner of the contest will have their beer produced by Riverside Brewery. The public will have the chance to taste the winning beer at the Brew-Ha-Ha on Saturday, September 17. There is an entrant fee of \$20 for non-members and \$10 for members. Interested contestants should contact WCHS for registration information and requirements at wchs@historyisfun.com or (262) 335-4678.

The second annual Brew - Ha Ha: a Taste of Beer History will offer guests a chance to taste beers from modern day local breweries such as Lithia Brewery and Riverside Brewery. Jeff's Liquor on Main St., West Bend will present a broad selection of unique beers from Wisconsin along with classic favorites. The fundraiser takes place at the Old Courthouse Museum on Saturday, September 17, 2011 from 6:30 - 10:00 p.m. Tickets, \$25 for members, \$30 for non-members, go on sale July 25, 2011 at the Home Brew Contest. There will be a discount of \$5 per ticket if purchased at the Home Brew Contest.

The Washington County Historical Society serves to promote an education program that helps residents of, and visitors to, Washington

County, Wisconsin understand and appreciate their history, heritage and natural environment. For more information visit our website at www.historyisfun.com.

July 4th concert at Lakeside Park

The Fond du Lac Symphonic Band, under the direction of Ray Wifler, will present its traditional Americana Concert in the historic Joseph Schmitz bandstand at Lakeside Park in Fond du Lac on Monday, the 4th of July, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Erected and donated to the community by William McDermott, the bandstand has been home to Fourth of July band concerts since 1901 and was placed on the local registry of historic landmarks in 1973.

Vocalists Sara Roltgen and Dan Fee will be featured on several selections, including This Land Is Your Land, God Bless the USA, Armed Forces - The Pride of America, and music from West Side Story.

The Band's Assistant Conductor, Jill Wagner, will be tuba soloist on Tuba Capers. Associate Conductor Dale Shipe will conduct Airs

and Dances of the North, a collection of Civil War era songs that were particularly popular among the Union troops of the North.

Also on the program are The Best of Stevie Wonder, On the Trail from Ferde Grofe's Grand Canyon Suite, and American Patrol. Complementing the evening's musical entertainment will be popular American marches: The Footlifter by Fillmore, 32nd Division by Steinmetz, Wisconsin Forward Forever by Sousa, and concluding with the official "National March" of the United States: The Stars and Stripes Forever.

The Band's performance will be followed by fireworks on the lakefront. The Symphonic Band's summer concerts in Fond du Lac are sponsored by the City of Fond du Lac, and a free-will offering will be received to assist with summer concert expenses.

Community Events

JULY 1 - LONG JUMPERS: FROGS NATURE STORYTIME - 9:30 am - 10:30 am, Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). Able to leap over a lily pad in a single bound! A tongue faster than a fly! It's, it's, it's a frog! Learn some truly amazing facts about these long jumpers. This hour of nature fun awaits three to six year olds with accompanying adults.

JULY 1 - JOURNEY INTO DARKNESS NIGHT HIKE - July 1, 8:30 pm - 10:15 pm, Mauthe Lake Recreation Area Picnic Shelter (located off Hwy GGG south of Hwy SS near New Prospect). As the sun sets and the light fades from the sky, the day animals retire and a new group of animals awakens. We will explore the world of the crepuscular (active at dusk and dawn) and nocturnal (active at night) animals. Bring your bug spray and sense of adventure. The theme for this hike is night lights. This night hike is best for families/groups with children at least five years old.

JULY 2 - SATURDAY MORNING NATURE SLEUTHS - 10:00 am - 11:00 am, Picnic Shelters at Mauthe Lake Recreation Area (located off Hwy GGG south of Hwy SS near New Prospect) and Long Lake Recreation Area (located off Division Road north of Hwy F near Dundee). Calling all youth to unravel some mysteries of nature by participating in the Wisconsin Explorers program! The program involves completing a required number of engaging nature activities in one of three age appropriate books (ages 3-5; ages 6-8; and ages 9+) to earn a very cool patch. Get expert help from a naturalist who will work with youth on activities from one of the first four topic areas of the books.

JULY 3 - KEWASKUM FIREWORKS - River Hill Park, Kewaskum. Food, beverages and fireworks at dusk.

County Fair to host Rodeo

Washington County Fair officials announced that there will be a rodeo on Sunday, July 31, 2 p.m. The rodeo will be featured on the Main Stage area and is being sponsored by Lakeside International Trucks out of Milwaukee.

The rodeo is being put on by Baldwin Rodeo from Hillsboro. A rodeo event has never been done before at the current Washington County Fair grounds. This free rodeo will feature: bull riding, mutton busting, cowboy mounted

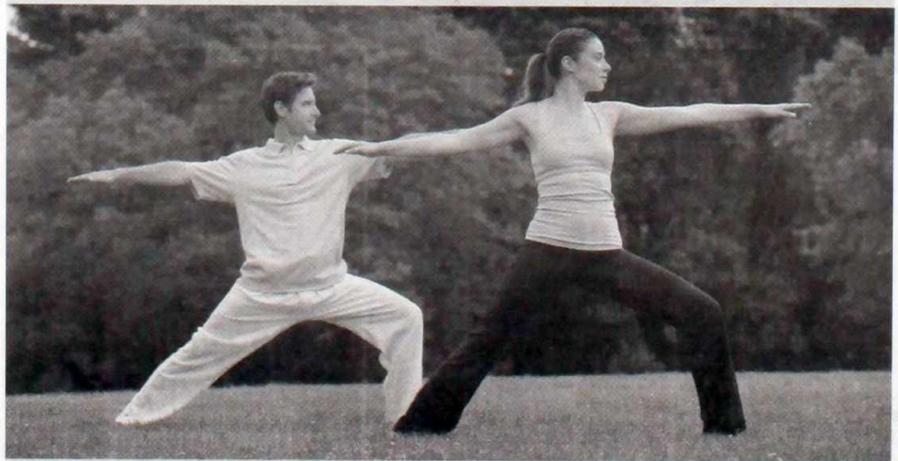
shooting and various other rodeo activities.

Following the rodeo on the main stage at 4 p.m. will be a country band, Tuscan Road. Tuscan Road is a young country band composed of talented musicians from all over the state of Wisconsin. Tuscan Road combines their broad range of influences into a musical fusion of country/rock/blues that is sure to define a new era of up-and-coming modern country music.

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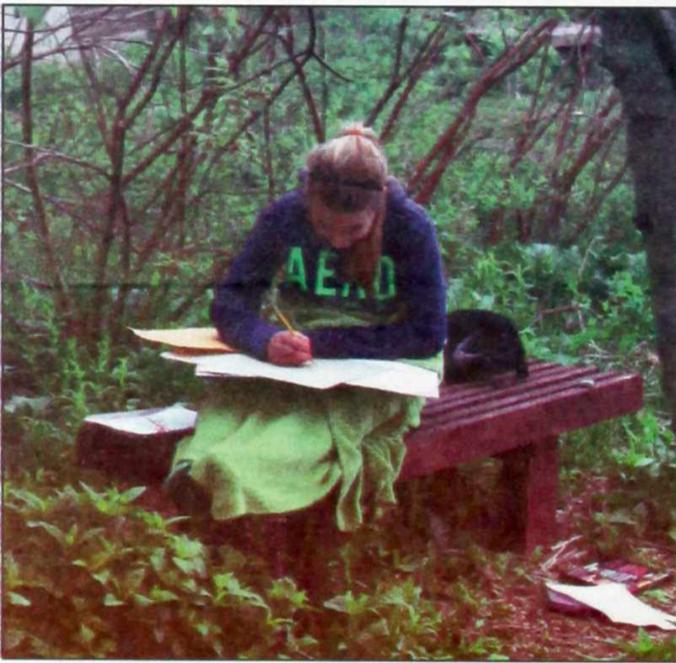


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Gateway to the Arts Fine Arts Festival Plein Air Painting Event



Jesse Prigge of Manitowoc paints looking east on Main Street on the Milwaukee River bridge.



Alexandria Schneck, a seventh grader at Kewaskum Middle School, works on her piece - "Blooming."

Photos by Tracy Bos

A Plein Air Event was held during the Fine Arts Festival, on May 14th. Artists could be found setting up their easels and brandishing their brushes on Main Street or out in near-by country field. The painters' medium could be acrylic, watercolor, oil, or pastel. Their subject might be anything that caught their eye, such as our busy intersection in downtown Kewaskum or the smooth landing of geese on Mauthe Lake. Twenty-six artists embraced the wind and the rain, showing an adventurous spirit. They submitted their paintings for a critique by judges Steve Gerhartz and Graeme Reid.

Gerhartz is a local artist who is known for his landscape paintings and sculpture. Many of his paintings are created in the Kettle Moraine. Along with painting he has taught workshops in Wisconsin and throughout the United States.

His work can be viewed at www.stevegerhartz.com.

Reid is the assistant director at The Museum of Wisconsin Art in West Bend. Reid is a guest writer for the Journal Sentinel's Art City blog and juries art exhibitions throughout Wisconsin. Paintings were displayed for public viewing and purchase at the Kewaskum Middle School.

The Kewaskum Area Arts Council supported the Plein Air Event by funding a large portion of the cash awards. Tom Lidtke, gallery director from The Museum of Wisconsin Art, donated a year-long family membership to the first three place winners, adults as well as students.

The award winners in the adult category were:

1st Place - Darlene's Darlings - Lori Beringer, Plymouth

2nd Place - Reflections of

Kewaskum - Joyce Ksioszk, Fredonia

3rd Place - Between Seasons - Mark Zelton, Green Bay

Honorable Mention - Coffee Corner - Jason Prigge, Manitowoc

The award winners in the student category, ages 13-18 were:

1st Place - Old Kewaskum - Georgiana Abfall, West Bend

2nd Place - DJ's Flyer - Amanda Plachinski, Kewaskum

3rd Place - Blooming - Alexandria Schneck, Kewaskum

Honorable Mention - Boltonville - Clair Pok, Kewaskum

If you viewed the paintings this year, lucky you. If not, look for the Plein Air Event next year, May 12, 2012, and join in for a fun day at The Fine Arts Festival.

KMS Honor Roll

The following is the third trimester honor roll from Kewaskum Middle School Honor Roll

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GRADE 8: Josie Dehling, Emily Duenkel, Brooke Enright, Douglas Enright, Montana Grasky, Austin Grichtmeier, Natalie Gulczynski, Stephany Haack, Ricky Heinan, Maximilian Heiser, Emily Helland, Sydney Hodorff, Susan Horning, Rachael Isberner, Samantha Janesch, Melanie Juech, Jacob Keller, Benjamin Kelln, Emily Koller, Jerod Krueger, Ayla Kunes, Brett Lauters, Anna Lawniczak, Jesse Laylin, Joshua Limbach, Rachel Luedtke, Rebecca Matthies, Cheyenne McCambridge, Collin McCarthy, Emma Menzel, Brandon Mikolajczak, Chas Moede, Taylor Nelson, Melanie Otten, Ashley Panzer, Maya Pavletich, Bradley Petersen, Lea Peterson, LucasJon Pinchard, Mikaela Rabe, Rosa Rudzitis, Nathanael Schmidt, Delaney Schmitt, Amber Schultz, Zachary Smith, Marisa Stahl, Brooke Steiner, Erin Thisted-Klemp, Trevor Vanourkerk, Nathan Warnkey, and Lindsay Winkler.

GRADE 7: Megan Ackatz, Travis Boldt, Branden Brzozowski, Julia Cotter, Destiny Duarte, Zachary Ehmer, Samuel Fechter, Brandon Fischer, Hunter Garcia, Caitlyn Gildemeister, Benjamin Gonnering, Skylar Grasky, Trent Griesemer, Tabitha Hansen, Jason Hanson, Samantha Heberer, Zachary Heberer, Jordyn Hope, Parker Hughes, Jade Jackson, Bailey Kirschbaum, Sarah Kosterman, Elizabeth Kriewaldt, Krystina Lepp, Sophia Lightner, Sabreana Loken, Kelsy Martin, Sean Murray, Jeremy Peters, Cole Rahlf, Brad Ray, Abigail Reysen, Samuel Schlosser, Alexandria Schneck, Gavin Schreier, Brittany Steinman, Travis Trudeau, Shanelle Van Loo, Alexandra Verdien, Lauren Vogt, Kylee Wagner, Trent Webster, and Ashley Wittkopf.

GRADE 6: Adrienne Adornato, Courtney Aker, Jacob Alexander, Mason Amerling, Nicholas Beine, Dinara Beth, Mikayla

Bigelow, Alexis Bolinger, Derrek Brock, Dana Buschmann, Ashley Chmielewski, Devon Deichsel, Caleb DeYoung, Hunter Engelman, Zachary Fahrenkrug, Amber Feger, Aleksandr Gerhartz, Dalton Hadley-Dei, Brady Hanson, Abbey Hardy, Zachary Herriges, Nicholas Hetebrueg, Scott Hiltunen, Jakob Hrica, Zachary Hutchins, Stephanie Juech, Jensen Kapla, Abigail Kelln, Armand Kirksey, Jennifer Koglin, Johanna Koller, Cassidy Lange, Anthony Leister, Mikaela Leitheiser, Emma Lubbert, Natalya Luedtke, Jonathon Martin, Breanna Mielkie, Branden Nuelk, Tyler Oelhafen, Nicholas Oscar, Kyle Pamperin, Dalton Poole, Madison Rafter, Melissa Schneider, Anja Smith, Thomas Strom, Gina Taylor, Mitchell Tietz, Kayla Toivonen, Alexander Vogt, Jesse Werbelow, Cherae Willson, and Marissa Zarda.

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GRADE 8: Garrett Buth, Kenneth Ellis, Kayla Gaudynski, Anastasia Gerhartz, Kate Gibson, Samantha Kirst, Madeline Kreis, Elizabeth Kruschke, Thomas Kunst, Maranda Kurth, Caley McClyman, Douglas Mohr, Amanda Plachinski, Megan Schaller, Rebecca Strigenz, Hailey Taylor, Melissa Taylor, Wyatt Warnecke, Ray Weishan, and Brandon Wise.

GRADE 7: Cody Baertschy, Noel Bindrich, Elyssa Debelak, Eric Doll, Lindsey Du Charme, Berat Elmazi, Alyssa Heberer, Kaila Kirst, Haley Kleinhans, Christopher Lewandowski, Jaya Monte, Yasmine Morehouse, Michael Prochnow, Bryanne Rasmussen, Max Read, Jeray Riffel, Liza Rosenthal, Ashley Sopinski, Serena Vetter, Julie Vollmar, Laura Weishan, Leah Wilde-Shank, and Samantha Wiskirchen.

GRADE 6: Abby Ashauer, Seth Bartelt, Sarah Benz, Kyle Beth, Zackary Brogaard, Mikayla Dogs, Conner Enright, Kaitlyn Gaudynski, Alexandria Heiser, Hailey Herriges, Rachel Holt, Peter Kurer, Mekenzie Lehn, Madisyn Longdin, Kendra Otten, Haley Plachinski, Hannah Preder, Andrew Ries, Molly Schulteis, Erin Sette, Lexie Steiner, Jamie Taylor, Allison Thill, Breana Trepes and Britany Williams.

Campus Notes

The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point honored more than 2,500 undergraduate students for attaining high grade point averages during the spring semester of the 2010-11 academic year.

Full-time undergraduates who earned grade points of 3.90 to 4.0 (4.0 equals straight A) are given the highest honors designation. High honor citations go to those with grade point averages from 3.75 to 3.89 and honor recognition is accorded to those with grade point averages from 3.50 to 3.74.

Personalized certificates of scholastic achievement are being sent to those who earned highest honors distinction.

Local students include: Anne E. Lieven, honors, Kewaskum; Elizabeth E. Stae-

ger, high honors, Adell; Samantha A. Gruber, high honors, Sara K. Rebers, highest honors, Said J. Rick, honors, Miranda M. Voss, highest honors and Kyle A. Wegner, honors, all of Campbellsport; Erica L. Brock, highest honors and Christin M. Groth, honors, both of West Bend.

Marian University has announced the names of students whose spring-semester academic standing has qualified them for Marian's Dean's List.

The Dean's List is published two times a year with the names of all full-time students who have earned a minimum 3.5 grade point average. Area students are: Megan Dreher, Sara Lehnertz and Rachell Stoffel, all of Kewaskum.

Marian University is a Catholic university in the Agnesian tradition. Founded in 1936

by the Congregation of Sisters of St. Agnes and based in Fond du Lac, Wis., the University lives its core values as a community committed to learning, dedicated to service and social justice, and joined together by spiritual traditions. An applied liberal arts institution, Marian offers more than 50 undergraduate and graduate programs at its main campus and a variety of adult accelerated, master's and doctoral degree programs in facilities throughout Wisconsin. The size of the university permits a very favorable student-faculty ratio, one of the lowest among Wisconsin campuses. Marian's programs are designed to meet a full range of pre-professional and professional academic needs, including business, education, the arts, sciences, nursing and criminal justice.

KHS students learn real-life skills



Cody Nuernberg, left, and Steve Lotter pay a bill during the game JA Finance Park at the Junior Achievement Kohl's Education Center in Milwaukee last month. Students were given a salary and family situation, and had to balance their check books at the end of a month's simulation.

By Mitch Maersch

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Michelle Christianson and Paul Gutjahr didn't know all that went into bill paying. Until they had to do it.

The reality check is about the only one they didn't have to sign.

The two were two in a class

of Kewaskum High Schoolers who went to the Junior Achievement Kohl's Education Center in Milwaukee to participate in a pilot program called JA Finance Park. The game gives students a salary and family situation, and has them virtually live for a month by covering all their costs, from car to clothes, child support to

charity.

Students had to balance their check books at the end of

the three-hour simulation.

"Even people a dollar over had to go back," said Christianson.

Christianson and Gutjahr got it right on the first try, but it wasn't easy.

"It was really fun. I learned a lot about managing money," said Christianson.

"And I realized how hard it was with a limited income," said Gutjahr.

Christianson was married with one child. She didn't remember what salary she was given but said she "had a bad situation."

Gutjahr was single with two children and made \$56,000 per year. He had to help support his children but didn't pay alimony.

Gutjahr bought a Kia sport utility vehicle since he had to drive his children around. The game wouldn't allow for clunkers.

Other costs included children's entertainment - movies, sports, eating out, etc. - planning dinners for a week, including school lunches; and utilities, groceries, dentist visits and health insurance.

Gas prices were not included, but cell phone plans were. Personal finance teacher Tim Rohlinger, who went along with Jeff Steers' class as he is trained in the game, heard more than once, "My kid's not getting a cell phone."

"Interesting," he said. "The shoe's on the other foot."

The game was an eye-opener for most of the students, but it hit Christianson especially hard since she plans to move out next month.

"I guess I never realized how much there was living on your own," she said.

"It makes you realize what you all have to pay for when you're on your own," Gutjahr said.

Anyone who spent too much could go back and pick different items to buy, like cheaper food or clothes.

Money left over at the end could be put in the bank, spent on stocks or given to a nonprofit organization like a charity or church.

"Definitely a reality check," said Christianson.

Next year, every Kewaskum senior will play the game.

Receive Degrees

Marian University conferred undergraduate and graduate degrees at the University's spring graduation in May.

The following local students were among those who graduated:

Austin Flanders, Jordan Geidel, and Kerrie Winter, all of Kewaskum; Rebecca Kreif of Campbellsport and Ashley Weiss of Iron Ridge.

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Wisconsin campuses. Marian's programs are designed to meet a full range of pre-professional and professional academic needs, including business, education, the arts, sciences, nursing and criminal justice.

Campus Notes

Haley Rauch, elementary education of Kewaskum has been named to the Silver Lake College spring term Dean's List in 2011.

The honor recognizes students in undergraduate programs of study who attend Silver Lake's Manitowoc campus or outreach locations throughout the state. Students named to the Dean's List have carried a full-time credit load (12 or more) and attained an academic grade point average of 3.5 or above on a 4.0 scale during the 2011 spring term.

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LAURA O. MILLER



Laura O. Miller, 92, of Verona, formerly of Kewaskum, passed away on Friday, June 24, 2011, at HospiceCare in Madison.

She was born on April 2, 1919, in the town of Auburn, the daughter of the late Rudolf and Theresa (Wittman) Hirsig, and on October 26, 1938, she was united in marriage to Joseph M. Miller at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum.

Joe and Laura were long-time residents of Kewaskum and in 1994 moved to Verona to be closer to their daughter and son-in-law. Joe preceded Laura in death on April 16, 1999. For the past four years Laura had made her home at Willow Pointe Assisted Living in Verona.

Laura was a former member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum.

Those Laura leaves behind to cherish her memory include her daughter, Jolene (Ken) Kenyon of Verona; two grandchildren, Jeff (Debbie) Kenyon of Lake Mills and Jill (Scott) Stamm of Waukesha; five great-grandchildren, Jennifer and Michael Kenyon, Nicole, Jessica and Megan Stamm, many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her husband and parents, Laura was preceded in death by a son, Ronald Allen; two brothers, Felix and Oscar (Pauline) Hirsig and two sisters, Verna (Edward) Dobke and Beulah (Floyd) Groszklaus.

A Mass of Christian Burial for Laura was held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 28, 2011, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum. Father Jerome Rinzel officiated and burial followed in the parish cemetery.

Relatives and friends called at the church on Tuesday from noon until the time of Mass.

Memorials can be made to HospiceCare, Inc., 5395 E. Cheryl Parkway, Madison, WI 53711.

The Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum has been entrusted with Laura's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at www.millermartinfh.com.

The family would like to thank Willow Pointe and HospiceCare for their kindness, support and care.

MARK R. KREWALD

Mark R. Krewald, 49, of the Town of Eden, passed away Monday, June 20, 2011, in the Town of Eden from injuries suffered in a farm accident.

He was born in West Bend on July 10, 1961, the son of Melvin and Norma Daliege Krewald.

He attended Campbellsport Grade School and then graduated from St. Peter's Lutheran School and Winnebago Lutheran Academy.

Mark worked at Friday Canning Factory, for Phil Majerus Farms for 30 years and presently at Kondex in Lomira.

He was a member of St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church and the Lomira Sportman's Club. Mark also greatly enjoyed deer hunting.

Survivors include his parents, Melvin and Norma of the Town of Eden; his brothers, Bruce (Dianne) of Fall River and Nathan (Kathy) of Eden; his sisters, Noreen (Rodney) Erdman of Rosendale and Renee (John) Beck of Fond du Lac; his special friend, Paula Hader of Jackson; a step-nephew and three step-nieces; other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents.

Visitation was Wednesday, June 22 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Twohig Funeral Home, Fond du Lac and Thursday from 9:30 a.m. until time of services at St. Peter's.

Funeral services were Thursday, June 23 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church, Fond du Lac. Rev. Michael Zuberbier officiated and burial followed in Union Cemetery, Campbellsport.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are appreciated to St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Winnebago Lutheran Academy, American Heart Assoc. or Aurora St. Luke's Cardiac Fund.

OWEN J. CLARK

Owen J. Clark, age 88, of West Bend, passed away on Tuesday, June 21, 2011 at Cedar Lake Health and Rehabilitation Center surrounded by his loving family.

Owen was born on April 1, 1923 in Manitowoc, to the late William and Evangeline (nee Kazilek) Clark. He attended St. Boniface Catholic Elementary School in Manitowoc. Owen graduated from Lincoln High School in Manitowoc in the class of 1940. He went on to attend Wentworth Military Academy in Lexington, MO and the University of Wisconsin - Madison. He served his country honorably, training as a pilot in the U.S. Navy during World War II. On October 21, 1949, Owen was united in marriage to Ruth Jane Babcock in Iron Mountain, MI.

Over the years, Owen and Ruth made their home in Manitowoc, Whitewater, Fort Atkinson, Ephrata, PA and finally in West Bend. Owen worked in Insurance Sales, for the Mallard Coach

Corporation, was the owner of Changing Seasons Sporting Goods Store, and a realtor with Shorewest Realtors.

He was a member of Holy Angels Parish, the VFW and American Legion. Owen enjoyed hunting, fishing, scuba diving, golfing, camping, the Green Bay Packers, the Milwaukee Brewers, the outdoors, traveling and spending time with his family. At Cedar Campus, he enjoyed playing the drums and chimes, bingo, walks in the courtyard and Dandelion Patch Park, and being in the sunroom.

Owen was a wonderful husband and father whose love has always been unconditional. He taught his children by example: character, honesty, respect, service, positive attitude and love. His greatest treasures were his wife, children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren. Owen was a man who always had a smile on his face, a twinkle in his eye and a joke to tell. He touched the lives of the many people he met. Owen was a regular blood donor. He and his wife volunteered for 11 years for the Milwaukee Achiever Program, teaching English as a second language. He was loved dearly and will be missed always by his family.

Owen is survived by his wife of 60 years, Ruth Clark of West Bend; his four children, Patti (Bob) Hankerson of Cape Coral, FL, Linda (Roger) Liebetrau of West Bend, Jon (Laura Rank) Clark of Campbellsport, and Lisa (Roy) Kohn of Kewaskum; six grandchildren, Celina (Mike) Hayes, Laura (Mike) Ripple, Mike (Stacey) Liebetrau, Kate Peters, Kevin (Lisa) Hankerson, and Keith (Peggy) Hankerson; soon-to-be 12 great-grandchildren, Brady, Brooke, and Brenna Hayes, Aviana Peters, Megan (Chuck) Meyer, Lauren Hankerson, Jessica (Mike) Jante, Ryan Hankerson, Janelle (Eric) Hillman, Annette (Brion) Kendzora, Kasey Hankerson, and new addition, due in December; four great-great-grandchildren, Aubrey and Addicus Jante and Isa-

bella and Lucca Meyer; sister, Barbara Claffey of West Bend; sister-in-law, Dorothy Clark of Florida and Carol Scott of Florence, WI; three brothers-in-law, Rowl (Mary) Babcock of Michigan, Richard (Pat) Babcock of Washington, and Earl (Lolita) Lynch of Arizona; other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Genevieve (Jack) Berschens and Monica (Robert) Beyer; brother, William Clark; brothers-in-law, Robert Babcock, Ralph Babcock and Carl Lynch; and nephews, Robin Beyer and Jack Berschens.

Funeral services in remembrance of Owen were held on Friday, June 24th at 7:00 p.m. at the Myrhum-Patten Funeral Home, West Bend. Rev. Jerry Brittain of Holy Angels Catholic Church presiding. Visitation was Friday at the funeral home from 3:00 pm until the time of service. Entombment took place Saturday at 10:00 a.m. in Washington County Memorial Park.

Memorials in Owen's name to Cedar Community are appreciated by the family.

THOMAS A. DACHS

Thomas A. Dachs of East Troy, formerly of West Bend, died on Tuesday, June 21, 2011 from injuries sustained in a weather related automobile accident in Milwaukee at

the age of 55 years.

He was born on February 8, 1956 in Milwaukee to the late John and Alice (nee Gleason) Dachs. As a child, the family moved to West Bend.

Tom will be remembered for the love of his daughter, his favorite niece Tricia, horses and exotic birds.

Survivors include his daughter, Tammy of Palmyra; a brother, Chuck of Kewaskum; three sisters, Dawn (Steve) Goralski of West Bend, Janice Hefter of Kewaskum and Diane (James) Fellner of Kewaskum; nieces and nephews Bridgette (Corey), David, Jessica, C.J., Cari Jo, Steven (Karli), Krystal (Thomas), Ryne, Tricia, Derrick, Alicia (Spencer), Stephan and Samantha; other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one brother, John and his close grandmother, Elsie Wilburth.

A gathering of family and friends in remembrance of Tom was held Saturday, June 25 from 2 until 4 p.m. at Carlin Weld Park in Palmyra.

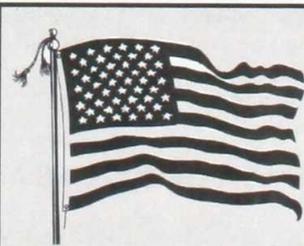
In lieu of flowers, the family has requested memorials for final expenses.

The Schmidt Funeral Home of West Bend is serving the family. On-line guestbook and condolences available at www.schmidtfuneralhome.com.



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25 Years Ago

May 23, 1986

Kohn's Amoco Mini-Mart, 516 Main Street, Kewaskum, will be opening their new self-service Amoco gas station and convenience store on Monday, Memorial Day. Robert Kohn has converted the east and south portions of the former Kohn Brothers Farm Service building into a self-serve gas station and mini-mart. Extensive remodeling has been done the past few months.

Through the efforts of a few members of Holy Trinity Catholic Church's congregation, its parishioners will receive a booklet chronicling the history of their church at its 125th anniversary celebration on Sunday, May 25. Through old records, historical documents and interviews with parishioners who have been lifelong members of the church, the research team was able to trace the church from its early beginnings in approximately 1861.

After a public hearing Monday night, the Kewaskum Village Board unanimously voted to approve Regal Ware's petition for annexation of 10.1 acres of land from the Town of Kewaskum for the construction of its new Regal Manor. The board also approved an annexation agreement between Regal Ware and the village which will cover several legal issues including setting aside the necessary land for a future public road.

The Robert G. Romaine Post 384 of the American Legion invites the public to observe Memorial Day with a parade and ceremony. The parade will start at 9 am followed by the ceremony on the Legion grounds.

Employees of the Elwing Broom Factory in Campbellsport began cleanup operations Tuesday following a fire that extensively damaged the plant late Monday afternoon. An estimate of the damage was not immediately available, but factory owner Jack Kivi hoped to be back in production in a couple of days.

Five Kewaskum Middle School students were honored recently for having joined the Midwest Talent Search sponsored by Northwestern University. Suzanne Rinzel (8), John Hazlewood (8), Kevin Bartelt (8), Kristina Schinker (8) and Gerald Sese (7), were all recommended for these honors because of their excellent scholastic records.

Lisa Krahn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Krahn, Adell, and Cheryl Kurtz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kurtz of Kewaskum, have been chosen as the Kiwanis students for the month of May.

Daughters were born to Scott and Kimberly Wetzel, Alenton, on May 15, and to Dale and Tina Miller, Campbellsport, on May 18. A son, Brandon James, was born to John and Brenda Gitter, Campbellsport, on May 6. Grandparents are Willard and Anna Manthei, Kewaskum, and Donald and

Katie Gitter, Campbellsport. Sons were also born to Leo and Linda Holl, Campbellsport, on May 12, to Mark and Susan Edbauer, Kewaskum, on May 12, and to Ronald and Tracy Hafermann, Campbellsport, on May 17.

50 Years Ago

May 5, 1961

Dr. James Casey, in partnership with a Mr. Christiansen, both of Milwaukee, have purchased 34 acres of hilly land from William Becker in the Town of Kewaskum, located about a mile south of the village, where they will open a ski hill and construct a new chalet. Dr. Casey was in Kewaskum Monday evening to attend the Kiwanis Club meeting at which he spoke, telling of his transaction and plans for the ski hill. Dr. Casey said the name for the hill had already been selected. It will be operated under the name of Wunderberg Hill. Work on the will be started as soon as possible and it is hoped to be in operation by next December 1. The new owners will also erect a Wunderberg Chalet under A-frame construction on the lower land surrounding the hill for furnishing rooms for the skiers and serving food and refreshments. The partners intend to lay out two main ski trails on the hill. There will be an intermediate slope as well as an easy one for beginners. Also there will be a smaller bunny slope about 30 or 40 feet high for the children. One or possibly two ski tows will be installed and a plant will be in operation to manufacture their own snow. The hill on the acreage purchased has been surveyed and found to be 201 feet in height. It will be the highest ski hill in this section of the country.

Foundation work has been completed and backfilling done on a new deluxe type Texaco service station which is being constructed on the corner of Fond du Lac Avenue and Clinton Street in Kewaskum (now home of Kewaskum Mobil), just north of the Wigwam driveway. The station is being built by Tom Weidemann of West Bend, to be leased to the Schaetzel Oil Company, which in turn will lease it to Ollie Staehler, Jr., who will move into the same from his present station in the Lee Honeck building located just two doors south of the new building. The station will occupy a 100 by 100 foot lot which was purchased from Francis Bohn last fall. The building proper will be about 30 by 60 feet in size and will be the deluxe or larger type of two styles built for Texaco stations.

The roof, rafters, and upstairs portion of a two-story frame shed were damaged by fire late Wednesday afternoon in a blaze at Wayne Center. The building, about 20 by 60 feet in size, owned by Mike Darmody, is located at the rear of the blacksmith shop in Wayne, just south of Petri's store. The Kohlsville Fire Department was first called to the scene to fight the blaze but when the flames

threatened to spread to the large frame blacksmith shop and other nearby buildings, the Kewaskum Fire Department was also summoned. The firemen had the blaze under control in a short time and succeeded in saving the building, although most of the roof and interior of the upper story were destroyed.

A Kewaskum worker, Russell Rodenkirch, 25, who is an electrician's apprentice, had a narrow escape from death or serious injury last Thursday afternoon when the third floor roof of a \$280,000 classroom addition at Carroll College at Waukesha collapsed. Rodenkirch and his wife, the former Darlene Backhaus, reside just north of the village. The third floor section of the structure fell right where Rodenkirch had been standing only a few seconds before the collapse.

75 Years Ago

April 24, 1936

The honor roll of the intermediate room of the Kewaskum School consists of: Lois Koch, Rachael Brauchle, Beatrice Hafemann, Shirley Backus, Marian Ramthun, Erhardt Schultz and Robert Brauchle.

The high school baseball team lost its opening game against Waldo on Wednesday. Both teams showed evidence of the earliness of the season. The lineup was as follows: C. Werner, lf; A. Uelmen, ss; E. Bartelt, c; K. Honeck, p; W. Probst, 2b; P. Kohler, cf; R. Pfenning, rf; F. Dorn, 1b; R. Marx, 3b.

A baseball meeting was held by the local baseball club at Joseph Eberle's place last week Wednesday to organize for the 1936 pennant race. A large and enthusiastic group attended including several members of last year's championship team. The first business of the meeting was the election of officers. N.W. Rosenheimer was unanimously chosen president to succeed Dr. Leo Brauchle, who resigned due to other activities. All other officers were re-elected as follows: vice-president, Carl F. Schaefer; secretary, Elwyn Romaine; treasurer, Arnold Martin.

The following students ranked high in good conduct in the Primary Room of the Kewaskum School: Lois Vorpahl, August Bilgo, Bernice Bunkelman, Gerhard Kaniess, Lizzie Lubitz, Jean Rosenheimer, Helen Bunkelman, Lois Klukas, Ray Schneider, Doris Mae Stahl and Betty Krueger.

May 1, 1936

Christ Hammen, 76, a well known resident of the Town of Kewaskum, residing about two miles west of the village, died at the home of his son, Carmen, on April 24, as a result of injuries received by being trampled upon by a horse on April 22. Just as Mr. Hammen was about to remove the harness from a horse which he had led into its stall the accident occurred. Whether or not Mr. Hammen fainted or fell accidentally is not known, but while lying in the stall, the horse trampled upon him. Mr.

Hammen's son discovered his father's plight within a few minutes, but the horse by that time, had become so wild that it would not allow anyone into the stall. It became necessary for the son to remove some of the sideboards of the stall, in order to draw his father away from the horse's hoofs. Mr. Hammen was taken into his home and a physician was summoned but his condition soon became critical and he was claimed by death.

Following are the entries the Kewaskum school will have in the Music Festival in Plymouth on Saturday: "Deep in the Valley" - Girls' Trio (Sextet) consisting of Audrey Koch, Charlotte Romaine, Janice Koch, Marcella Heisler, Doris Seil and Lucille Romaine; "I Heard You Go By," Quartet (Mixed), consisting of Viola Backhaus, Doris Rosenheimer, Armond Mertz and Sylvester Gutekunst; "Dedication" and "So Closes My Heart," Girls Glee Club; "Where Blossoms Grow," Charlotte Romaine (Soprano Solo); "Arbutus," Armond Mertz, Cornet Solo; "Country Gardens" and "Minuet in G," High School Orchestra.

Two local young men, Aloysius Volm and Walter Fellenz, spent the past week at Johnsburg, making final arrangements for the opening of their I.G.A. store in that village, which they recently purchased. The store will be operated as a partnership and the formal opening by Volm and Fellenz is being held May 1. Both men are well qualified, having received considerable experience while employed by John Marx in the local IGA store.

St. Michaels held their first 4-H Club meeting in the school there on April 23. The members of the club are Irene Wiedmeyer, Alice Schneider, Eleanor Smith, Bernice Roden. Dolores Schladweiler, Edne Schneider, Lucina Thull, Rita Herriges, Joan Lehnerz, Adeline Fellenz, Otilia Schladweiler, Rita Fellenz, Marie Bremser, Lucina Herriges, Dolores Vorpahl, Agnes Thull, Werner Hoerig, John Schaeffer, Francis Bremser, Sylvester Herriges, Eugene Hoerig, Harold Lehnerz, Harold Uelmen, Frederick Vorpahl, Leroy Schladweiler and Roman Fellenz.

100 Years Ago

April 22, 1911

The Village Fathers were out on a complete inspection tour last Monday afternoon. They found that considerable work is necessary to be done to get the streets in proper condition. Some of the work found necessary is that Wilhelmina Street east of the railroad tracks should be graded. Most of the streets are to be overhauled either by graveling or coating them with crushed stone. The foot walk north of the brick yard bridge is to be completed.

Last Tuesday the H.J. Lay Estate and Adolph Rosenheimer made a real estate trade whereby Mr. Rosenheimer gave 20 feet frontage of his lot just

west of the H. J. Lay Lumber office building for some land in the rear of his lot. The trade was made so that Mr. Rosenheimer would get a square lot in which the new bank building for the Bank of Kewaskum will be built.

Albert Ramel is busy excavating for his new house, which will be built this summer in New Fane.

H. Krahn of Beechwood is busy buying good cigars. The reason is that he is grandfather of two children, which were born last week, a girl to his daughter Lizzie, Mrs. Ed Berg of Cascade, and a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Topper of the Dye Road. Next week is his son Paul's wedding.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Math Kohn on Tuesday.

April 29, 1911

This week's issue featured a picture of the new bank building of the Bank of Kewaskum which is under course of construction. The building will be located on the lot just west of the H.J. Lay Lumber Company (now part of the Village Municipal parking, just east of Silbernagel, Jasen). The building is a two story structure, size 30 by 50 feet, with a basement and composition roof. The front is in sandstone while the remaining walls are of solid brick. The Bank of Kewaskum will have its place of business on the first floor. The L. Rosenheimer Malt and Grain Company will also have their offices in a separate room on the main floor. The entire front half of the upper story has been leased by the Kewaskum Mutual Fire Insurance Company for a term of five years. The balance, two large rooms, are for rent.

Part of the stolen goods which were taken from the Knickel and Straub store in Campbellsport on February 3, were found in an unoccupied residence located about 1/2 mile north of this village last week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schaefer in the Town of Kewaskum last week Friday. A little blacksmith was born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hausler of Beechwood last week Wednesday.

May 6, 1911

Rain, snow, sleet and a windstorm marked the arrival of May Day in this vicinity, and when the people wandered out of doors they had visions of winter at its worst. The rain storm of Sunday night turned into snow Monday forenoon and after coming down in large flakes for about an hour, turned into sleet. A high wind accompanied the storm.

The business men and residents on Main Street have ordered 20 barrels of asphalt road oil. The oil is put on our streets after the dust is all scraped off and then the dust is again put on the oil. This act is done for the benefit of the business men and residents on Main Street to prevent the dust from rising and is reported to keep the streets nice and clean for a whole season.



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By: David Fritiof Lindberg, petitioner.

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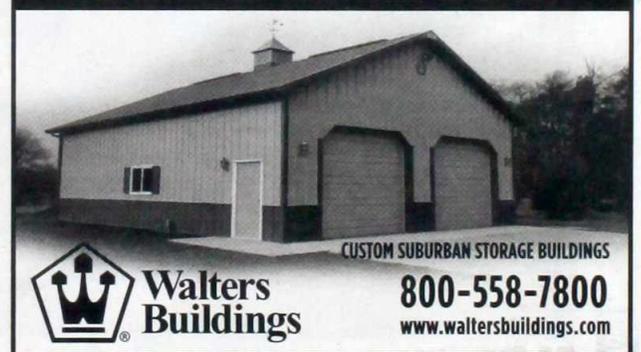
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(Monday is a holiday, village offices closed)

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Please follow these requirements:

1. Place large (butt) end toward the street, at the curb. Long branches are OK, chipper will feed into itself.
2. Pile branches no more than 2 feet high; a long low pile is best. Leave a gap in the pile every 8 feet.
3. For small brush, TIE IN BUNDLES with string or twine.
4. No roots of any kind, or material with any dirt on it.

Note: Yard waste, garden plant waste, corn stalks, sun flower stalk, leaves, grass and materials that will rot down in a compost pile can be brought to the DPW yard and placed in the yard compost bin.

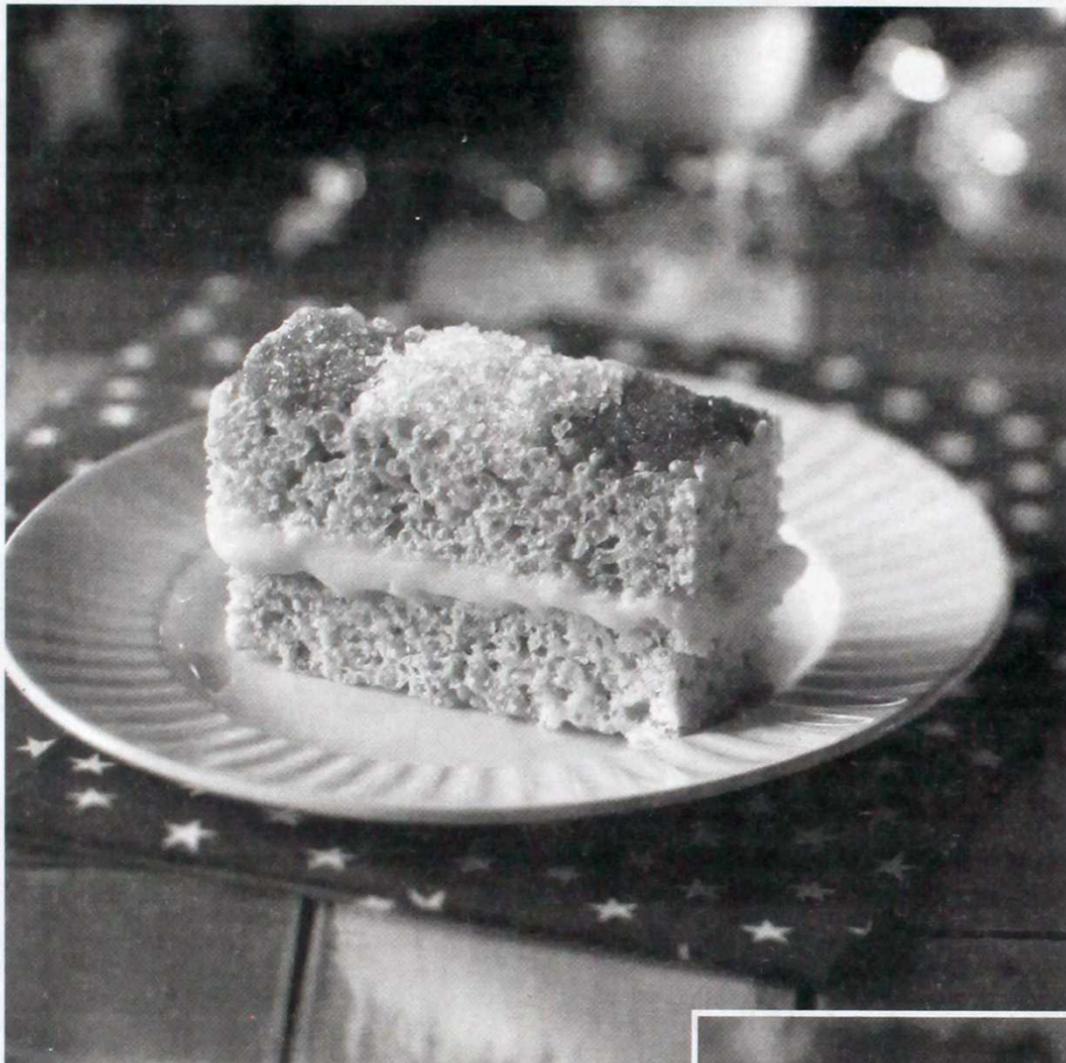
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Fun Family Recipes

FOR SUMMER



Yankee Doodle Dandy Treats™

Kid-friendly Kitchen Tips

- Children of all ages should have an adult assistant with them at all times when cooking.
- The youngest chefs, 3 to 6 years old, will be very good at inserting the ice cream skewers into the strawberries.
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- Kids older than 9 years may help prepare the melted chocolate and may also help read directions to the younger kids.



Dip 'n' Roll Strawberry Treats

FAMILY FEATURES

Sometimes it's the simple things in life that matter most. Spending time in the kitchen making something yummy together is one of the simple things families can do to make life a little sweeter and create lifelong memories. These recipes are not only easy, but they are also lots of fun. They're terrific for a "just-because" snack or as a sweet way to finish off a family picnic. And kids of all ages can help — from pouring and stirring to dipping and decorating, there's something everyone can do. And somehow food tastes a little bit better to kids when they help make it themselves.

You can find more fun family recipes like these, as well as a gluten-free recipe made with new Kellogg's® Rice Krispies® Gluten Free cereal, at www.ricekrispies.com.

Yankee Doodle Dandy Treats™

Preparation Time: 30 minutes

Total Time: 1 hour

Servings: 18

- 3 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 package (10 ounces, about 40) regular marshmallows OR 4 cups miniature marshmallows
- 6 cups Kellogg's® Rice Krispies® cereal OR 6 cups Kellogg's® Cocoa Krispies® cereal
- 1 1/2 cups white chocolate morsels
- 1 tablespoon vegetable oil
- 3/4 cup powdered sugar
- 2 tablespoons water
- Red-, white- and blue-colored sprinkles

- In large saucepan melt butter over low heat. Add marshmallows and stir until completely melted. Remove from heat.
- Add cereal. Stir until well coated.
- Using buttered spatula or wax paper, evenly press mixture into 13 x 9 x 2-inch pan coated with cooking spray. Cool. Crosswise cut in half, forming two 9 x 6 1/2-inch rectangles.
- Meanwhile, in small saucepan melt white chocolate morsels over low heat, stirring frequently. Stir in oil. Add powdered sugar, stirring until combined. Add water. Stir until smooth.
- Spread chocolate mixture over one cereal rectangle. Top with second rectangle. Sprinkle with red, white and blue sprinkles, pressing lightly into cereal mixture. Refrigerate about 30 minutes or until set. Cut into 3 1/4 x 1-inch strips. Best if served the same day.



Peanut Butter Bars

Peanut Butter Bars

Preparation Time: 20 minutes

Total Time: 1 hour

Servings: 12

- 1 cup reduced fat creamy peanut butter
- 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, softened
- 1 cup powdered sugar
- 3 tablespoons fat free milk
- 3 cups Kellogg's® Rice Krispies cereal or 3 cups Kellogg's® Cocoa Krispies cereal
- 1/4 cup semi-sweet chocolate morsels, melted

- In large mixing bowl beat peanut butter and butter on medium speed until combined. Add powdered sugar and milk. Beat until fluffy. Stir in cereal, mixing until thoroughly combined. Press mixture evenly into 8 x 8 x 2-inch pan coated with cooking spray. Refrigerate until firm.
- Drizzle chocolate over cereal mixture. Refrigerate about 30 minutes or until chocolate is set and cereal mixture is firm. Cut into bars. Store in airtight container in refrigerator.

Dip 'n' Roll Strawberry Treats

Preparation Time: 15 minutes

Total Time: 35 minutes

Servings: 12

- 24 large fresh strawberries
- 1 cup semi-sweet chocolate morsels
- 1 tablespoon vegetable shortening
- 1 1/2 cups Kellogg's® Rice Krispies cereal
- Skewers

- Wash strawberries and pat dry with paper towels.
- In small microwave-safe bowl combine chocolate morsels and shortening. Microwave at high for 1 to 1 1/2 minutes or until melted, stirring every 30 seconds.
- Place cereal in shallow dish. Push skewers into strawberries through stem end. Dip in chocolate, allowing excess chocolate to drip off. Roll in cereal. Place on wax paper. Let stand at room temperature for 30 minutes or until chocolate is firm.

Local athletes participate in Special Olympics

The Kewaskum A's knocked off the Forest Thunder on Saturday, June 18 by a score of 5-0 in the first round of the SWABA tournament. The A's will play this weekend in the super competitive SPAMtown Challenge in Austin, Minnesota.

The A's jumped ahead 3-0 in the first inning thanks to a Dan Shea 2 RBI single and never looked back from there. Shea and Adam Sarauer

each collected RBI singles in the 2nd to push the A's lead to 5-0. This was more than enough on the mound for Brad Young as he shut down the Forest offense tossing six scoreless innings. Matt Meisenheimer threw a perfect 7th inning to complete the shutout for the A's.

Shea, 2x3 (3 RBI's) led the way offensively for the A's, while Austin Sarauer, Adam Sarauer and Meisenheimer

each pitched in with two hits apiece.

The A's second round SWABA tourney opponent will be determined at a later date.

The A's game on Sunday in Hartford was rained out.

The A's will stand with 16 of the top amateur teams in the Midwest in the SPAMtown challenge. They open up play on Friday at 4 p.m. against a team from Carroll,

Iowa. On Saturday the A's will take on the defending SPAMtown Challenge champs Onalaksa at 11 a.m., and then finish off pool play taking on the hosts Austin at 4:30 p.m. If the A's can advance through pool play, they will play on Sunday at 9 a.m. in a semifinal game.

The A's couldn't avoid the big inning against Hustisford again on Sunday, June 12 as they dropped a 7-3 Rock River League game. The loss puts the A's at 4-2 in the League and 10-5 overall.

Hustisford jumped ahead with a single run in the top of the first and then exploded for six runs in the top of the second. A two out hit-by-pitch extended the second inning for Hustisford and they took full advantage as

the next seven batters who reached by either a hit or an error. When it was all said and done with, the A's found themselves down 7-0.

Kewaskum tried to claw back into the game in the fourth as Jason Strobel and Austin Sarauer led the inning off with back-to-back singles. An error by the shortstop plated the first Kewaskum run and Matt Meisenheimer followed with a 2 RBI single to cut the lead to 7-3.

That was as close as it would get for the A's as they did not put together much else offensively. Strobel led the A's at the plate going 2x3 on the day, while Meisenheimer was 1x4 (2 RBI's). Jim Ziegler picked up the complete game loss on the mound.

A's knock off Forest in SWABA first round, headed to SPAMtown challenge

Kewaskum athletes won big while competing at the Special Olympics Wisconsin (SOWI) 2011 State Summer Games in Stevens Point, June 9-11, 2011. Thursday was a beautiful evening to kick off the Opening Ceremony for the more than 1,800 athletes, their coaches, and family members who attended the Games. Hundreds of law enforcement officers joined in the fun to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the Law Enforcement Torch Run by escorting the Flame of Hope™ from all corners of Wisconsin, uniting in Stevens Point.

Spirits stayed sky high during track & field, soccer, and aquatics events on Friday despite a cold drizzle. The Walmart Healthy Athletes tents, where athletes received free on-site health care screenings, welcomed visitors throughout the afternoon, while power lifting, aquatics, and athletics competitions took place on Saturday as scheduled.

Congratulations to the following athletes:

Jeff K. Puestow, Kewaskum, AQ 50M Freestyle Aquatics (swimming), K. 1st place and AQ 4X50 Free Relay Aquatics (swimming), 3rd place; Brian Hanrahan, Kewaskum, AQ 100M Freestyle Aquatics (swimming), 1st place and AQ 4X50 Free Relay Aquatics (swimming), 3rd place.

Athletes from around the state qualified for the State Summer Games according to their recent performances at the local, regional or district tournaments.

When not competing, athletes brightened up the rainy day by participating in karaoke and bingo. The fun continued Friday night at the Packer-themed Closing Ceremonies complete with a giant, inflatable Packer helmet, the Klement's Racing Sausages, and of course the victory dance.

Thank you to Kwik Trip

and the Law Enforcement Torch Run, the Mission Partners of SOWI, and to State Games Partners Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WIAC) and Fox Sports Wisconsin for enabling the organization to hold nearly 75 competitions and five state tournaments per year. SOWI provides year-

round training and competition opportunities through 18 different Olympic-type sports for nearly 10,000 individuals with cognitive disabilities.

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KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT

2011-2012 CALENDAR

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August 22	New Teacher Orientation
August 23	New Teacher Orientation
August 30	Professional Development Day
August 31	Professional Development Day
September 1	Students Begin
September 5	Labor Day - No School
October 20	6-12 Student Led Conf. 12-8 PM
October 27	Professional Development Day
November 4	End of First Quarter (43 days)
November 7	Professional Development Day
November 8	K-5 Student Led Conf. 12-8 PM
November 23	Professional Development Day
November 24	Thanksgiving Day - No School
November 25	Thanksgiving Break - No School
December 2	End First Trimester (58 days)
December 5	Professional Development Day
December 22	Last Student Day Before Christmas Break
December 23	Professional Development Day
January 2	Classes Resume
January 16	Professional Development Day
January 20	End of Second Quarter (42 days)
February 20	Professional Development Day
February 23	6-12 Student Led Conf. 12-8 PM
February 28	K-5 Student Led Conf. 12-8 PM
March 9	End Second Trimester (59 days)
March 23	End of Third Quarter (42 days)
March 26	Professional Development Day
April 5	Last Day Before Easter Break
April 10	Professional Development Day
April 11	Classes Resume
May 14	Professional Development Day
May 28	Memorial Day - No School
June 5	Last Day of School (46 days/56 days)
June 6	Professional Development Day

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- No Classes for Students
- No Classes for Grades 4K - 5
- No Classes for Grades 6 - 12
- New Teacher Orientation
- Professional Development Day

Indians top Huskies; remain undefeated in EWC



Kewaskum second baseman Corey Burdick makes the turn on a throw from shortstop Sam Olla to try to complete a double play in the first inning last Friday. A Husky beat the throw to first, but Kewaskum won, 9-3, scoring seven runs in the pivotal third inning to blow the game open.

Statesman photo by Mitch Maersch

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Statesman Correspondent

If Kewaskum's baseball team were grocers, it'd specialize in grapes and bananas.

A good portion of the Indians' scoring this season has come in bunches, and last Friday was another example.

The Indians beat New Holstein, 9-3, scoring seven runs in the third inning to blow the game open. Down, 2-0, Kewaskum sent 13 batters to the plate. Four got hits and five walked.

Corey Burdick got two of the hits, a line drive single to left and a grounder past third. It was the first time Burdick completed such a feat at this level of play.

"Never in high school," he said.

Burdick scored a run and had an RBI in the inning. Brad Boegel and Garrett Yahr each had two-RBI singles.

"When we make mistakes we get down, but once someone sparks us..." said Burdick.

"We just get excited and we know what we've got to do and get it done," said Yahr.

The inning started with a throwing error that allowed Mike Schladweiler to reach, and included a perfect squeeze bunt by Tony Gonring.

Coach Doug Gonring said once things got rolling it was hard to stop.

"We got ahead in the

count. It became like a mountain and all of a sudden you can't get out of the inning," he said.

The Indians have had innings this season of 11, nine, eight and now seven runs. Hitting remains contagious, as does walking. Once the Indians get on a roll, their eyes and patience become as important as their bats.

"Walks are a huge part of our offense," said Burdick. "Free baserunners."

The New Holstein game was a rematch of pitchers Boegel versus Jake Entringer. Boegel won the first round on June 9, throwing 120 pitches in nine innings in a 4-3 win. Entringer went six innings and gave up three runs.

On Friday, Boegel went six innings while Entringer couldn't get out of the third. Gonring said he wasn't concerned the Huskies had already seen Boegel once. Of 84 pitches, he didn't throw 10 curveballs and hit his spots.

"Location means everything," Gonring said. "Sooner or later the best pitchers get hit because they don't locate the ball."

Boegel (4-1) allowed three runs on six hits, whiffed nine and walked one. Mike Schladweiler pitched a 1-2-3 seventh to end it.

Boegel had two hits in the game, as did Yahr.

But the Indians made two

outs trying to take third, one on a tag up and one when the catcher bobbled a pitch. Both outs were made by young courtesy runners. Gonring would have driven up a wall, but no walls were in the vicinity.

He likes his team's aggressiveness but he said it has to play smart.

"I'm not real impressed with our base running the last week and a half," he said. "The best thing about freshmen and

sophomores is they become sophomores and juniors. I'll take the win. It's not the prettiest win. Even with winning, you've got to correct this stuff." It was Kewaskum's ninth straight conference win to start the season, one year after going 17-1 in the EWC.

On Saturday, Kewaskum improved to 13-5 overall with an extra-innings win at New Berlin Eisenhower. Kewaskum scored three in the top of the 11th and held on, 10-8.

Schladweiler allowed six runs in nine innings, whiffing eight and walking two. Yahr allowed two runs in the final two innings, whiffing one and walking two. Kewaskum was limited in pitching options given Cody Nuernberg and Lucas Kopeschka were serving a suspension for violating the athletic code. They were scheduled to be able to play after Monday's game at Sheboygan Falls.

Boegel was 4-for-5 with a double, two RBI and three runs. Yahr was 2-for-5 with three RBI. Leadoff hitter Sam Olla was 2-for-5 with one RBI and two runs.

The Indians scored two runs in the seventh to tie the game at 6-6 and force extra innings. They scored one in the 10th and Eisenhower tied it in the bottom. They scored three in the 11th and allowed one in the bottom to hang on.

After Monday, the Indians were scheduled to play Thursday at Kiel. On Friday, they're home against Plymouth and on Tuesday home against Two Rivers.

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