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Long awaited Main Street project now underway



The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) began work on Highway 28 Monday, March 24. Crews began near the Riverview Drive and Main Street intersection. Work is expected to continue until the end of the year. The entire stretch of the road is closed to thru traffic however residents and those wishing to patronize businesses on Main Street are able to use the single lane that will be open throughout the project. Other eastbound traffic should use the detour via US 45 south, CTH H east, and WIS 144 north. Please watch The Statesman each week for project updates.

Statesman photo by Andrew Kuehl

School bus drivers honored at appreciation breakfast

By Amy Kumrow
Statesman Correspondent

Just after nine in the morning March 18 in the cafeteria at Kewaskum Elementary School, administrators from Kewaskum schools congregated. Johnson Bus drivers arrived and were welcomed to an appreciation breakfast program.

"We wanted to recognize all their hard effort and work," Jim Smasal, Kewaskum Schools Superintendent, said. With drivers being the first and last faces students see during a school day, their role in students' success in school should be known, according to Smasal.

"Sometimes we don't always realize that we are appreciated," Pat Schultz, a driver for nine years, said.

All but one driver could attend, and all attendees were treated to a spread of pastries, fruit, eggs, rosemary potatoes and bacon. Afterward kindergartners sang a personalized version of "The Wheels on the Bus (going all through Kewaskum)."

"That consumer service, that ability to make a connection, especially when they're younger, is so important that sometimes we forget how important that person is," Smasal said. "It's the smiles, learning names and saying goodnight and good morning."

Administrators stood up one by one to personally address the drivers' commitment to the students, not just in the trust the community places for transporting their children, but for patience, flexibility and getting to

know the students.

Julie Skelton, principal of Kewaskum Middle School, said, "A lot of them actually consider you a part of their day. You have no idea."

Tom Fisher from Farmington added, "You're the first person they see and you set the tone for the day. Your smiles, your hellos, it makes their school day with us that much better."

Drivers relayed back how the schools reciprocate efforts through enforcing rules and proper behavior.

Ray Kirchner has been with Johnson Buses for 13 years and stated, "I would not drive for any other district.

Please see Drivers honored, page 5

Bauer, Deheck only state qualifiers for KIWC

By Judy Harlow
Statesman Correspondent

Only two members of the Kewaskum Indian Wrestling Club, Eric Bauer and Alex Deheck, survived the competition at the WWF Kids Folkstyle Tournament held in Fond du Lac March 15, earning them the right to advance to the state meet in Madison.

Bauer, a perennial qualifier, won the title at 97 pounds for wrestlers born during 2001-'02, while Deheck battled his way to the championship at 100 pounds in the same division before losing a 4-2 decision. Because he had already beaten the third-place finisher, he took second place by rule. Only the first- and second-place finishers move on to the Madison meet, which will take place on Friday and Saturday, March 28-29.

A year ago Kewaskum had seven boys and one girl move on to state.

Bauer brought his A-Game to the meet, pinning three of four foes in the 12-man bracket.

He started off with a pin over Princeton's Casey Dykstra, needing just 1:16 to finish the match and then pinned Bohdi Petersen of Askren Wrestling in :48.

In the semifinals, Bauer was pitted against Braeden Maertz, who is also from Kewaskum and competing for KIWC and Domination. It was no contest as Bauer rolled to a 9-0 major decision and in the finals, he wasted no time taking care of Chilton's Gaven Lisowe, pinning him in a brief :59.

In the wrestlebacks, Maertz was defeated by Blake Pfeiffer of Port Washington 3-1 after having beaten Pfeiffer in his opening match, 3-1 in overtime.

Please see KIWC page 16

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POLICE BLOTTER

Thursday, March 13

5:27 am: Assisted Kewaskum Ambulance with a call on North Ave.
 9:00 am: Loose dog on Timblin Dr.
 2:00 pm: Issued a citation for disorderly conduct on Bilgo Ln.
 6:00 pm: Issued citations for unregistered vehicle, not having insurance and imprudent and unreasonable speed on Kewaskum St.
 7:01 pm: Issued a 15-day warning for not having insurance on First St.

Friday, March 14

8:20 am: Issued a warning for an unauthorized u-turn on Main St.
 8:37 am: Attempted to locate a vehicle with possible open intoxicants.
 9:22 am: Issued a warning for a defective brake light on Fond du Lac Ave.
 10:36 am: Issued a warning for speed on Riverview Dr.
 10:47 am: Issued a warning for speed on Riverview Dr.
 10:51 am: Traffic stop on Fond du Lac Ave.
 4:49 pm: Issued warnings for unsafe braking and not having proof of insurance on Fond du Lac Ave.
 6:00 pm: Met with a subject who paid a parking citation.
 9:15 pm: Monitored traffic at Hwy. 45 and Badger Rd.
 9:55 pm: Traffic stop on Braatz Dr.
 10:55 pm: Secured an open door on Highland Ave.

Saturday, March 15

7:17 am: Assisted Kewaskum Ambulance with a call on Lazy Ln.
 7:56 am: Assisted the West Bend Police Department in locating a subject on Timblin Dr.
 9:05 am: Issued a warning for speed on Hwy. H. West.
 10:06 am: Issued a warning for speed on Riverview Dr.
 12:20 pm: Assisted a motorist.
 7:44 pm: Suspicious vehicle in Kiwanis Park.
 8:45 pm: Checked the welfare of a subject on Prospect Dr.

Sunday, March 16

12:00 am: Issued a warning for speed on Fond du Lac Ave.
 12:17 am: Suspicious vehicle on Fond du Lac Ave.
 12:19 am: Secured an unlocked door on Fond du Lac Ave.
 5:24 am: Received a report of a theft from a home on Braatz Dr.
 7:44 am: Secured an unlocked door on Main St.
 1:03 pm: Attempted to locate a subject for the West Bend Police Department on Timblin Dr.
 4:00 pm: Domestic complaint.
 5:29 pm: Unintentional gas drive-off on Fond du Lac Ave.
 8:26 pm: Noise complaint on Midland Ave.
 8:49 pm: Subject reported a cat bite on Clinton St.

Monday, March 17

7:52 am: Assisted a resident on Bilgo Ln.
 9:05 am: Issued a warning for expired registration on Fond du Lac Ave.
 11:03 am: 911 misdial on Elm St.
 11:38 am: Attempted to locate a subject wanted on a warrant by the West Bend Police Department on Courtney Ln.
 7:10 pm: Issued a citation for operating after suspension on Fond du Lac Ave.
 11:29 pm: Secured a door on Fond du Lac Ave.

Tuesday, March 18

6:16 am: Assisted the Washington County Sheriff's Department with an accident on Hwy. 45 and Hwy. V.
 8:35 am: Issued a traffic warning on Pleasantwood Dr.
 9:00 am: Municipal court.
 2:56 pm: Issued a warning for a defective light on Fond du Lac Ave.
 3:08 pm: Issued a citation for failure to wear a seatbelt on Reigle Dr.
 3:36 pm: Dog at large complaint on Fond du Lac Ave.
 3:55 pm: Gas drive-off on Fond du Lac Ave.
 5:15 pm: Signed off on warning.
 10:15 pm: Issued warnings for an unregistered vehicle and not having insurance on Prospect Dr.
 11:16 pm: Secured an open door on Fond du Lac Ave.

Wednesday, March 19

7:45 am: Issued citations for worthless checks.
 8:00 am: DARE classes.
 8:22 am: 911 misdial on Reigle Dr.
 11:36 am: Issued a warning for failure to obey a yellow light on Fond du Lac Ave.
 11:49 am: Vehicle lock-out on School St.
 12:37 pm: Assisted Kewaskum Ambulance with a call on Bilgo Ln.
 3:00 pm: Issued a citation for failure to comply with a 15-day warning.
 10:00 pm: Arrested a subject for battery on Bel Ric Dr. Also issued citations to other subjects for operating without a license, underage drinking, permitting unauthorized persons to drive and providing alcohol to minors.

Clarification

In a front page story last week about the Kewaskum Fire Department donating self-contained breathing apparatuses to Guam, we did not mean to imply Guam is a third-world country. The discussion started with Chief Mark Groeschel talking about donating the equipment to a third world country and later stating a firefighter in Grafton donates them to Guam, a U.S. Territory. Thank you to a reader for pointing this much needed clarification out to us.

Ambulance Calls

On March 19, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with weakness. A transport was made.

On March 19, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Town of Kewaskum for a person

with weakness. A transport was made.

On March 20, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with abdominal pain. A transport was made.

On March 20, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with a knee injury. A transport was made.

On March 23, Kewaskum Rescue and Kohlsville First Responders were dispatched to the Town of Wayne for a person that was unresponsive. A transport was made.

On March 23, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with difficulty breathing. A transport was made.



AREVALO - Twin sons, Caleb Ronan and Ezra Kaine, were born to Danny and Jenny Arevalo of Whittier, CA on December 13, 2013. Caleb weighed seven pounds, five ounces and was 20 inches long. Ezra was seven pounds, eight ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Butch and Kathy Koenig of Phelps and paternal grandparents are Jose and Emilia Arevalo of Whittier. Maternal great-grandparents are Frank and Paula Kutz of Kewaskum and Big Sand Lake, Phelps and Lester Koenig Sr. of West Bend.

SIEGERT - A son, Ryker Lee, was born to Greg and Marin Siegert of Kewaskum on March 11, 2014. Ryker weighed eight pounds, 10 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long. Ryker joins a sister, Kiarta, 5, and brothers Tage, 4, and Brock, 2, at home. Maternal grandparents are Gary and Mary Beth Raether of Marathon. Paternal grandparents are Donald Siegert and Jan Siegert of Platteville.

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Wednesday, April 2 -- Breaded pork cutlet, mashed potatoed with gravy, red cabbage, multigrain bread, German chocolate cake. Alt: chilled pears.

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Anyone with information on this person's whereabouts should call the Washington County Sheriff's Department at 262-335-4411 or Washington County Law Enforcement Tip Line at 800-232-0594. Residents should not attempt to apprehend this suspect.

TUESDAY NIGHT SHEEPSHEAD WINNERS

Five handed winners on Tuesday, March 18 were: Delores Stoffel, 66-6-60, 17-4-13; Pat Heaslip, 59-0-59, 20-0-20; Dave Dayton, 61-4-57, 26-2-24; Delores Mielke, 55-3-52, 18-2-16; Helen Bonlender, 55-6-49, 18-4-14; Ron Wilson, 53-6-47, 23-3-20; Ron Johann, 49-3-46, 9-2-17; Lloyd Herriges, 23 most losses; Roger Stoffel, 18 low points.

The next five handed call-an-ace will be April 1 at 7:30 p.m. sharp.

XYZ CARD RESULTS

The winners at cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wed., March 19 were:

SHEEPSHEAD: Athleen Butzke, Tom Kissinger, Richard Ebert, Ray Krueger, Fern Kreif, Barbara Schneider, Judy Lickman, Lloyd Herriges, Frankie Volm.

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

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Trustees Garbisch, Berger resign seats

Resignations, write-in changes Village election

By Gay Griesbach
Statesman Correspondent

Ballots for the April 1 race for Kewaskum village board trustees have already been printed, but with two resignations and one registered write-in candidate later, the field has changed.

Three seats are open on the seven-member board, but last week incumbents Craig Garbisch and Michael Berger notified the village of their resignations. Berger, in February announced he would not accept the seat if elected.

Incumbent Richard Knoebel and challenger David Zehren, who are both listed on the ballot, were joined by Richard Laubach, whose name will not appear on official ballots.

Laubach became a registered write-in candidate March 24. The advantage of being a registered write-in

candidate is that more leeway is given in regard to voter intent if just a first initial and last name or only a last name is written on a ballot.

On March 20, a note submitted to the village by Garbisch reads, "Effective immediately I resign my position as village trustee."

Printed over a letter that was sent out to village board members by Village Administrator Matt Heiser March 19, Berger printed "Effective today, I am resigning my position as trustee for the village of Kewaskum." The note was signed Michael Berger and dated March 21.

Heiser's letter was to apprise trustees of events set in motion when challenger David Zehren approached him to ask about Garbisch's residency.

On Feb. 17, Garbisch informed Heiser that he was

moving but did not know his destination. Heiser reminded him of the residency rule, which requires trustees to live in the Village of Kewaskum in order to remain a village board member. On March 14, Heiser was informed Garbisch was moving to a residence on Braatz Drive, the letter states.

On March 19 Zehren met with Heiser. After consulting with the village attorney, Heiser told Zehren he could file a complaint with the attorney general and that as administrator, he could not proceed further without village board approval.

Meanwhile, Berger and Garbisch's names are still on the ballot and could be elected. If elected, they would have to choose whether to serve.

If they decline, the board has a few choices to make.

Since it takes four trustees to comprise a quorum, mem-

bers could shrink the size of the board or appoint others to the open seats.

Trustees receive a \$1,000 salary and \$30 for every meeting attended as a committee member.

In 2013, incumbent president Andy Pesch and trust-

ees James Hovland and Kevin Scheunemann ran unopposed for their seats, but Norm Kufahl, who filed non-candidacy papers, left an opening. Joel Serwe ran as a write-in candidate and won. He resigned in the fall of 2013 and was replaced by David Spenner



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Bertram challenges Schulz for County Supervisor seat

By Gay Griesbach
Statesman Correspondent

County board races that affect the Kewaskum area are largely uncontested for the April 1 election, but in District 13, incumbent Gerald J. Schulz will face former supervisor and challenger Dick Bertram.

Because of redistricting after the 2010 census, Bertram lost his supervisory seat.

Schulz said in the next two years, supervisors will face the challenge of maintaining county parks, facilities and roads without raising taxes.

"We want to keep the tax levy at, or below, past years," Schulz said.

As a member of the safety committee, Schulz would like to continue his focus on inmate populations at the county jail.

"The population has been increasing in the past year and a half. We're looking at keeping jail population down," Schulz said.

Schulz holds the position of treasurer the Wayne town board - Bertram is chairman of Barton's board.

Bertram said his position with the town gives him an advantage when it comes to bringing the county's perspective to the town and vice-versa.

"I can look at both sides of an issue. It's a win-win for the county and the town," Bertram said.

Bertram would like to keep an eye out for any budget inefficiencies, but said the county's new manager, Joshua Schoemann, has good ideas and if elected, he would like to indicate his support.

"He's the new guy on the block. I'm sure he'd like to know he has supervisors willing to listen to what he comes up with and keep an open mind," Bertram said.

The challenges of being a freshman supervisor is not lost on Bertram, who would like to see supervisory seats expand from two to three year terms as well as staggering elections so half the board wasn't up for election in any given year.

"We would have to go to the state, but I would like to see done," Bertram said.

On a county level, Kewaskum-area supervisors Daniel Stoffel in District 10 and Michael J. Parsons in District 11 are running unopposed.

Supervisors receive \$550 per month plus a per diem and mileage for the number of meetings they attend during the course of their two-year terms.

This is an off-year election for several town boards in the northern part of the county. In the only town-level uncontested race, Barton supervisors Jerry Meulemans and Kris Turner are running to retain their seats.

Name: Gerald Schulz
Address: 5520 County Highway D, West Bend, town of Wayne

Age: 76, Schulz has lived 72 years in the district

Occupation: retired turret press operator.

Seats on boards, organizations, committees and other affiliations: County supervisor eight years, public safety committee eight years, (vice chairman of that committee four years,) planning, conservation and parks committee six years, (secretary of that committee two years,) land information committee chairman 6 years, town of Wayne treasurer 30 years, member of Kohlsville Fire Department 48 years, member Allenton Lions 18 years.

Name: Richard Bertram
Address: 3387 Caleb Court, West Bend, town of Barton
Age: 66, Bertram has lived

35 years in the district
Occupation: retired businessman

Seats on boards, organizations, committees and other affiliations: County board six years - finance committee vice chair six years, UW-WC board six years (two years as chairman). Board of adjustments six years, home consortium two years, Barton town board, 20 years, (chairman nine years,) current town highway commissioner, Vietnam veteran.



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Letters to the Editor

To The Statesman-

I recently looked at population densities in Wisconsin; Washington County is at about 300 people per square mile. Milwaukee County is at about 3,500 people per square mile and the City of Milwaukee is about 5,000 people per square mile. This is pretty typical of any urban area.

Wouldn't it stand to reason that voting in those areas would be a little more difficult? I have many times seen TV images on voting days of people standing in line for hours to cast a vote. It doesn't seem necessary or democratic that this country [supposedly the symbol of democracy throughout the world] would allow this. But now the current group of GOP leaders [led by the Tea Party with NASCAR Corp. sponsored jackets] have decided to make it even more difficult for voters by eliminating hours in those areas. And once again I wonder what this has to do with job creation.

Nothing!

These people are only concerned about power, control, and greed. The leaders of the Tea Party have brainwashed their followers into voting for their own demise. They claim to be constitutional authorities and the need to follow the will of the founding fathers, yet are tearing it up. They choose to ignore the words "we the people" [not we the corporations or we the billionaires] and "all men are created equal" the very words that create a democracy.

On a different note, this whole thing regarding the Common Core Standards, boils down to something very simple with the Tea Party leaders. It's their idea that they have been driving home to their followers for decades [big gubmint is the problem] but then again the real purpose of their leaders is to corporatize, privatize and profitize all government. The idea that this is a big gubmint idea

to control the minds of our youngsters with liberal propaganda. Funny thing is when you actually read what they are trying to accomplish with the common core, it's hard to disagree with.

Vance Reif
Kewaskum

To The Statesman-

In rebuttal to Grace Mueller's letter last week:

We are committed to hearing the facts on both sides of Common Core Standards without political motivations. We are not going to spiel venom on school board business with dirty politics and embarrassment to the district. Look at our merits on a day-to-day basis. As a school board, we should be able to challenge each other in meetings and walk away respectfully. We're in this to fight for our kids.

Sue Miller and Troy Hanson
Kewaskum School
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DAVID ZEHREN for Village of Kewaskum Trustee

- Property owner & village resident for many years
- Retired from Kewaskum Fire Dept. after 19 years of service

School Board Elections

After reading the various letters to the editor regarding the upcoming elections as well as attending many of the previous school board meetings; I am disheartened by the continuous, uneducated, finger pointing. As a parent and community member I see the unethical finger pointing, name calling, and slander to be getting in the way of accomplishing school related goals. Regarding the last issue of the Statesman letters to the editor, both McFadden and Bindrich brought up fallacies that they know nothing about; stating that Mr. Ramthun had infringed on parent meetings.

The parent meeting that they are referring to is one that I, as a concerned parent, had requested. The topic was of great concern dealing with issues dating as far back as 2010. After meeting several times with the staff and principal the issues went unresolved. Student handbook states (Board Policy 411.2), "If parents feel that the situation is not being handled appropriately, they may directly contact the Superintendent of Schools." After several attempts to get resolve for said issues, I contacted Mr. Smasal and Mr. Ramthun. This finally led to a granted meeting with the Superintendent in 2013, including principal and guidance counselor. At that meeting I was assured that there were strategies in place to resolve the ongoing problems. Throughout that year, there were many indications that those strategies were either not implemented or not working. Again, I called for another meeting with all previous parties to go over the developments and unresolved issues. I was informed by our Superintendent that this meeting would be held at the school and he would not be in attendance. Since this refusal to accept the escalation goes against Board Policy 411.2—I specifically requested that Mr. Ramthun attend due to the nature of the issues, ongoing extent, and the refusal of our Superintendent to attend. Mr. Ramthun said very little during that meeting and indicated he was there upon my request. I am confident that had Mr. Ramthun not accepted my request to attend and become involved; there would not have been additional follow through or resolve to student issues. For Mr. Ramthun to respond in such a way directly reflects his caring about student issues.

Some may want to blame the retirement of a teacher on one parent meeting, which is ridiculous. As parents and teachers we are obligated to do what is best for our children and students. I have experienced and seen Mr. Ramthun support parents, students, and teachers while in his role. Without Board Members that are truly willing to communicate, support, and respond to requests for follow through (like Mr. Ramthun) there will be more families and teachers leaving the district. Let's remember that this begins and ends with the well-being of children.

Tanya Curtin

AAPFB Tanya Curtin

Dear Electorate,

As the only Board of Education candidate born and raised in Kewaskum, and a product of its public education system, I reflect Kewaskum's hometown values. Kewaskum is God's gateway to the Kettle Moraine. My passion for the people, the local businesses and the futures of each child from every family that lives here, runs deep. Serving with great joy is within my family, evident by the generations from both sides that dedicated more than 50 years of their lives to this town and its people.

When first campaigning for a seat in 2011, the public provided issues of status quo, learned behavior, questionable programs, a lack of financial due-process, and an uncompassionate Board as their concerns. **Your issues became my priority.** To-date, with enhanced focus on accountability, right-person/right-role and Board involvement in general District operation, those concerns have diminished...

- Test scores are up from the 2007-2011 declines, due primarily from an engaged Board majority that set the expectation
- Our facilities are better functionally and cosmetically than before
- Program and service offerings have been enhanced (or created), turning heads within and externally to the District, establishing Kewaskum as a choice District
- Open-enrollment improved nearly 20% this year for the first time in several years

Ultimately, the overall experience of every student is a constant priority, a goal that should be shared by all Board members. The public education environment is vastly different than it was three (3) years ago. It continues to evolve. Now more than ever is the time for everyone associated with education to work together to do the best we can within our means.

Three (3) years ago, you elected me with an overwhelming margin, a vote of confidence that I was both humbled and honored by. Two (2) years ago with new members also elected by you, the Board majority chose me to lead them. In the role of President, I discovered multiple issues of unfinished business and a lack of standards and structure for the position. **Leadership is more than just words in a campaign ad; it is an ability to see what action is needed and the courage to take it.**

Through effective leadership, networking, participation in trainings and the use of the Wisconsin Association of School Boards (WASB) products and legal services, award-winning achievement recognition of "doing it right", confirmed success (announced Oct, 2013 - received Feb. 2014 from Mr. Smasal). Supportive recognition and feedback from area School District leaders also confirms success.

Despite this success, criticism from a few, including a political action committee, has expressed misleading and/or false statements. Fabricating issues and creating drama do not solve problems. This approach by these few has affected negativity in the District in the past and it cannot be allowed to continue. I have never over-stepped my boundaries as a Board member or as the Board President.

For every District member that ever reached out to me for assistance in any way, I've always been willing to listen. In doing so, if the matter needed to follow chain-of-command, it was recommended prior to any further Board involvement. At no time have I ever intruded or forced myself into a situation involving parents and other school officials. What I have done is shown support for the parents, the student and/or the teacher(s) involved, and only engaged when requested by the parent.

Walking through the halls of our facilities as a student, parent and now a grandparent with four (4) grandkids in our District, I fully understand the dynamics of student/parent/teacher relationships.

Communication is key and my focus is to enable it at all levels from within the District.

Every issue has a back story. When working to obtain more detail or to extend discussion in order to obtain Board consensus, I've done due-diligence for the desired result. It is a dynamic when working on a Board, which never includes being political, just being honest and truthful.

Financial challenges are unprecedented and the demands on standards and structure are increasing. Despite the changes we've had to endure, we have many accomplishments to celebrate. There is much more to do. We are at the turning point of a continuance of positive change. Returning to a hands-off and an uncaring Board with a "let Administration run" attitude is unacceptable, and guarantee's failure. We've worked to change that and attitude, **bringing back the valued voice of the taxpayer.**

It is the duty and responsibility of all Board members to have oversight of the District and that accountability must be sustained. I pledged to be responsible and promise to continue to serve the District in this manner. In order to do so, I would deeply appreciate your vote on April 1st.

Respectfully always in your service,
Timothy Ramthun

AAPFB Timothy Ramthun

Shea receives five years imprisonment for 2012 drunken crash

By Joann Schrauth
Special to the Statesman

FOND DULAC - A 25-year-old Campbellsport man faces prison time, probation, court costs and a suspension of his license after sentencing held earlier this month.

Daniel Shea, was sentenced in Fond du Lac County court on Friday, March 14 for the September 13, 2012 deaths of Paul and Joanna Grahl. The crash occurred on Hwy. 45 in the Town of Auburn. The Grahl family is well known as owners of HT Enterprises, the fishing business they built from Paul's ice fishing hobby.

Judge Gary Sharpe sentenced Shea to five years initial confinement (incarceration), 10 years extended supervision, \$5,000 court costs, five years driver's license revocation, and 15 years of probation to run consecutively. Shea is to continue his AODA treatment and throughout absolute sobriety maintenance the 25-year period. He will be eligible for early release, and can appeal the sentence.

In addition, he's to perform 40 hours of community service for each year of his probation. Sharpe told him to speak to students, at high school and college level, and anyone who'll listen.

Shea was supported by family and friends who filled the courtroom. Sharpe said he read and considered every one of the almost 100 letters he received.

Members of the Grahl family were present, but did not speak. Paul and Joanna's daughter, Esther, now 15, was not present. She suffered severe injuries in the crash.

Assistant District Attorney Dennis R. Krueger stated the crash was "clearly the fault of the defendant." He said Shea's BAC (blood alcohol) 90 minutes after the crash was 0.218, which is nearly 2-1/2 times the legal limit in Wisconsin. Shea admitted having visited several taverns, consuming beer, mixed drinks and shots in the hours prior to the crash.

Krueger stated, "There are two problems in this community: binge drinking, and driving while intoxicated." He asked the judge to send a message. He said the State recommends 15 years initial confinement for one who takes the life of another while driving impaired. He added, "There is no reason to 'get hammered' and get behind the wheel."

Shea wiped his eyes with the palm of his hand as Krueger said, "This is a prison case because he killed two people and changed the life of a 15-year-old. This (drinking and driving) has got to stop." Krueger requested up to 10 years prison time, extended

supervision, and addressing young people about the dangers of drinking and driving. Krueger said the Grahl family was in agreement with the offer.

Shea's attorney, Kirk Everson, had suggested a one-year jail term and probation.

Bill and Linda Shea tearfully spoke from prepared statements, speaking of their son's character, and expressing sympathy to the Grahl family. Bill Shea thanked the Grahls for their compassion, saying this was "the worst time of our lives."

With a flushed face and struggling through his tears, Dan Shea turned to face the Grahl family, expressing his sorrow and telling them, "I take full responsibility . . . I don't ever expect you to forgive me . . . I pray for your family every night . . . For Paul and Joanna and for Esther . . . I'm truly sorry for what I've done."

Shea turned and told Sharpe he was ready to take responsibility for his actions.

Before imposing the sentence, Sharpe said that those who get behind the wheel after consuming alcohol are committing a selfish act. He said "a mode of transportation is converted into a lethal weapon."

Sharpe said though the State has recommendations, judges need to consider "all factors and particulars, the degree of culpability and lev-

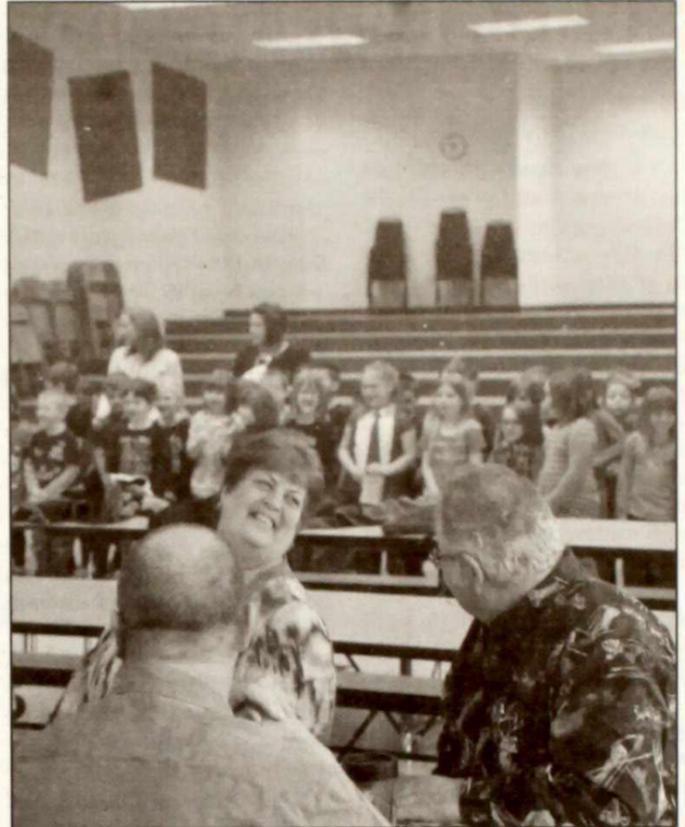
el of impairment." He noted both the Grahls and Sheas are "families of faith." He considered Shea's education, his college degree, work record and lack of a criminal record. He said he considered the need to protect the public, the remorse shown, and the fact that Shea accepted responsibility. Sharpe noted the State maximum was 30 years in prison, 15 years for each death.

After imposing the sentence, Sharpe said it was "really nothing compared to the suffering the Grahl family has, and will continue, to endure." He admonished Shea to make decisions and live his life in a way "to honor (the memory of) Mr. and Mrs. Grahl and Esther."

The original six felony charges were reduced to two charges of homicide by intoxicated use of a motor vehicle for the deaths of Paul and Joanna Grahl. Shea pled guilty to those charges on September 24, 2013. Two charges of homicide by use of vehicle with PAC were dismissed. A charge of injury by intoxicated use /vehicle and a charge of injury by use of vehicle with PAC (related to Esther's injuries) were dismissed, but read into the record by Sharpe.

A Fond du Lac County Sheriff's deputy escorted Shea from the courtroom amid sobbing from his supporters.

Drivers honored (continued from front)



Johnson Bus' Kewaskum Depot manager, Lori Heisler, smiles at Norbie Gau, assistant manager, while KES kindergartners sing "The Wheels on the Bus (go all through Kewaskum)."

Statesman photo by Amy Kumrow

Kewaskum teachers and administrators are on top of those kids. Bus drivers really appreciate that."

"We don't always get appreciation," stated Cheryl Oelke, a driver for 10 years. "I think it is a very unappreciated and disrespected job in a lot of ways. There is a lot

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Social Media leaving youth at high risk, schools preparing to combat inappropriate use

By Amy Kumrow

Statesman Correspondent

A new threat for children has emerged and preys on the curiosity of children. Social media sites account for the majority of time youth spend online, and with little education about safety, they could be engaging in risky behavior unaware of the possible consequences.

A staggering 70 percent of children 7 - 18 years old have accidentally encountered online pornography, often through a web search while doing homework.

For teens using social media, 29 percent have been stalked, and 39 percent have sent suggestive texts or emails.

Mary Woerner of the Washington County Sheriff's Department spoke at the Kewaskum Cares for Kids (KCK) event to alert parents and caregivers of the dangers and offer safety advice.

Woerner relayed a story of 14-year-old Wisconsin boy who was charged with child pornography and distribution of child pornography when a girl texted him nude photos and he forwarded them. Teens having private info made public without consent are 24 percent.

The story shocked parent, Sarah Moris. "It made me feel so sad for kids, because we are not teaching them. Here is this huge vulnerability they have, and they aren't getting the education they need to protect themselves."

Social Media sites can lead

to cyberbullying, a factor linked to adolescent suicide, with 87 percent of bullied teens targeted on Facebook, but only 43 percent of parents check their children's Facebook page daily. According to experts Facebook use has been declining among youth. Other apps are becoming popular with teens, like ask.fm that has been associated with the worst form of cyberbullying and has been linked to numerous suicides.

Kewaskum Police Officer Kevin Kohn, the School Resource Officer (SRO) for the Kewaskum School District has dealt with harassment through social media, but not quite cyberbullying, but stated it is getting borderline. Most cases are two sided with teens calling each other names or people intervening on behalf of friends.

Kohn and administration have been able to resolve the conflict by talking, so far.

"The hard part for most kids to understand is people are braver online with what they do than in person whether picking on kids or putting pictures out there," Kohn said.

Moris's monitoring efforts had not only seen inappropriate language with use of "f" bombs in Instagram (a photo sharing site), but led to another parent's discovery a child's creation of another alias to circumvent parental supervision.

"There are kids who do the alias sites just like adults do," Kohn said.

Instagram is not meant for kids under the age of 13 and

the map feature default setting allows a photo to be geotagged enabling the child's location to be determined.

Older teenagers are changing Facebook names, because they are aware future employers, scholarship committees and colleges look them up. Name alternation, like using a middle name or adding/subtracting letter from a name, prevents them from being found.

SnapChat is the number one 'sexting' app on the market and allows teens to send photos that only last 1-10 seconds and disappear, but a click can save the image as a screen shot and can be forwarded.

Recently SnapChat began offering "stories" which lets photos and videos to survive up to 24 hours. Experts say the premise of privacy the app claims is a lie.

Another texting app called kik bypasses wireless providers SMS service.

In Oct. 2013, Germantown Police Department were called about a 14-year-old girl who had not only been receiving messages from an unknown user on kik asking for nude photos, but had been threatened physical harm if she did not comply.

Most adolescents post and receive photos online. Semi nude or nude photos account for 18 percent for girls and 22 percent for boys.

"There are sexual predators that play on that stuff, because unfortunately younger kids trust too many people," Kohn said.

Omegle randomly links people in a one-on-one chat window and used by predators, often the first encounter. In 47 percent of the cases, gifts or money are offered during the relationship building phase.

According to the Wisconsin Dept of Corrections, Kewaskum has eight sex offenders, Campbellsport has eight and Random Lake has nine.

Woerner stated Wisconsin has 19,363 sex offenders and Washington County has 153 resident offenders.

Online gaming sites are just as dangerous. Trevor Lucas, 21, was sentenced to 17 and a half years in prison for federal gun charge after attempting to kidnap a 16-year-old Madison boy he met via an online game site. Lucas asked for nude pictures and even with the boy ignoring him, Lucas messaged with demands of payment and showed up at the boy's home with a gun. Sources such as The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, FBI, and Crimes Against Children Resource Center, report 44 percent of tweens admitted they've watched something online their parents wouldn't approve, 41 percent of unwanted sexual solicitations, and 65 percent of 8 to 14-year-olds have been involved in a cyberbullying incident.

Placency should not be a part of parenting. Social Media is and will be continually finding new ways to "connect" people, but with 66 percent of teens owning a cellphone and 76 percent owning a media player, with both percentages likely to increase, teens without the proper education are participating in high-risk activity.

Adolescents need to know even though something is deleted, it isn't gone forever. Nothing is ever private. In addition to not giving out name, address or phone number, photos should not have school names, mas-

cots or team names.

Privacy settings should be encouraged on social media websites as well as getting notified when tagged in a picture. YouTube has a safety mode on the bottom of the page to minimize the inappropriate material from being seen.

Parents need to look at their child's device, and understand how to use it. Monitoring software can be installed, and GPS can be disabled.

Complaints with websites and gaming sites for violations of terms and conditions can be filed. Police can be involved, but phones or computers will be taken for evidence.

Modems can be disconnected at night. Parents can insist on having a locked charging station, and or paint/scratch camera lenses.

Julia Skelton, principal of Kewaskum Middle School, has seen the technology available to students used incorrectly, sometimes producing unforeseen consequences the next day. Working with Woerner, the school is planning to teach proper use and risks of technology for each grade during Extended Learning Time (ELT) in April.

An interactive presentation for parents is also being planned for April to give parents a chance to see and use the social media their children use. Dates and times for both educational presentations have not been scheduled.

Meanwhile, Kohn advised parents "to monitor what your children are doing, be familiar with what social media is out there, it is not just Facebook, you have to be diligent and keep on it, because if your kids are hiding stuff, and you don't know, what they are saying that could be a danger sign that you are not aware of."



The Gardner

By Bonnie Wenzlaff

Take the time to linger in the cold—enjoy the frosty mornings, the snowy beauty on your neighbors' evergreen—it was planted just for you!

We have approximately 26 weeks until the first frost is expected. We have 8 to 6 weeks before we'll be snooping under our leaves and winter ground covers outdoors. This is our time to continue the dream of what we can all try in our 2014 garden!

Consider small spaces—'niche' growing:

A niche is a small corner. We all have them. It's where a single pepper plant fits nicely in the sun among its flower neighbors. The pepper has lovely glossy dark green leaves. It grows to 24" and gives you golden, purple, orange, red or green fruit! Such options—find 5 spots and plant them all!

Today's seed catalogs offer 'bush' in addition to vining cultivars of the usual cucumber, melon and squash. Think

about a corner sunny niche for a bush zucchini—choose from green stripes, yellow pimples, long necks, and the dear little patty pan...and you can fry the blossoms! Or consider a winter squash. These can be used for pumpkin pies, breads and so much more. Hubbards are thrilling to watch grow huge and to use. The flavor is unequalled.

Next, add a few inches to the front edge along your beds. In the 6 inches you gain, plant a 3 inch wide row of carrots. The ferny fronds make a delightful border. Be sure to dig deep and prepare your soil as here it's the 'roots' you want to entertain—a wider juicy carrot or Kurado—it's huge! Or Cosmic purple, Atomic Red or Yellowstone. Carrots are a basic, easy to grow for juicing, as salad, soups, or vegetables. Do the same for beets—exceptionally beautiful burgundy and green tops for salad with yellow or deep red

roots to roast! Of course, onions fit anywhere.

When you have the seed catalog in hand with 'niche' in mind, give some thought to 'sustainability'. How are you leaving this great planet? Are you using or giving? When we plant a nut tree or currant bush, it can give for many years in many ways. Think about growing your own peaches or walnuts. Many fruit trees are available for Wisconsin climate. Some require little care but the annual composting.

Another niche could handle a pole bean. My fold-flat wire bean rack has only an 18"x18" footprint and is 60" tall but comes with indoor storage. The beans have been green or purple, flat or round, red and 3 feet long—all delicious and great to freeze to use in winter. You'll need 2 because it works so great!

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Donkeys take center court in game



The Kewaskum High School FFA Alumni sponsored Dairyland Donkey Basketball this past Sunday in the fieldhouse. Games were held between the Kewaskum and Campbellsport FFA Clubs and the Kewaskum Fire Dept. and Fillmore Fire Dept. Clockwise from lower left: Travis Trapp of Kewaskum FFA takes a jump shot against Campbellsport FFA. Kewaskum Firefighter, Shawn Pritchard, attempts to get his donkey to move. Campbellsport FFA member, Kurt Liedtke, wonders if he will be able to help his team after his donkey decides to take a break.

Statesman photos by Amy Kumrow

Noteables hit high notes in inagural year



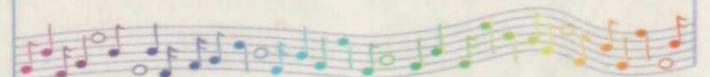
Members of the Kewaskum High School Noteables finished up their inagural year on a high note by taking third place in a recent competition. The group will be performing in Riverhill Park on May 21 during the Concert in the Park. Members included front row, left to right, Kayla Toivonen and Jamie Taylor. Row two: Bille Lehmann, Paige Becht, Eric Limberg, Emily Tillman, Maddie Lehartz, Alex Strack, Olivia Krautmann and Alek Gerhartz. Row three: Joey Seitz, Ana Gerhartz, Jake Duff, Hailey Taylor, Jessica Nurkala, Andrew Buelow, Katrina Freund, Kelsey Herriges, Matt Spoerl, Heather May and Michael Boettcher. Back row: Christian Bocher, Serena Vetter, Seth Bartelt, Elisabeth Bauer, Katy Gaudynski, Ray Weishan, Leah Wilde-Shank, Maya Pavletich, Maura Roberts, Greg Rate, McKenzie Rosenthal and Jerod Krueger. Missing is the pit band, Hunter Demmon, Kenny Ellis, Max Heiser, Suzanne Zuba, Kassidy Lang, Kayla Oelhafen, Madisyn Longdin, Kyle Pamperin and Stephanie Juech.



Congratulations

to the Kewaskum Noteables for a successful first year. All your hard work and long hours of practice really paid off. You are very entertaining to watch and put on a very enjoyable show.

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Kewaskum's first father daughter dance a hit



Jesse Honeyager gives his daughter Haley, in K5 at KES, a spin on the dance floor at the first annual father daughter dance for the district.

By Amy Kumrow
Statesman Correspondent

Fathers and daughters shared a special night of dancing last Friday, March 21. The Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) from the three elementary schools in the Kewaskum District worked together to plan a father daughter dance held in the gym at Kewaskum Elementary.

"A lot of other schools in the area do father daughter dances and are very successful," Amanda DeRuyter of KES PTO said.

Last summer, Wayne invited all the PTOs together for a brainstorming session and decided something should be done together. The dilemma had been incorporating all the schools without making the number of students too high to manage, and a father daughter dance fit the need.

A committee comprised of members from each PTO worked together for planning. Security and doorman were high school athletes volunteering to help escorted the party goes down the 'red carpet.'

Music by Dynamic Sound Entertainment played such hits as "Just Dance," "Happy," and "Gangnam Style." Faber Photography took professional portraits of fathers and daughters that each family could download the following day. KES set up tables where girls made a decorative frame to take home.

"She was very excited," Jesse Honeyager, a KES parent said about his

daughter Haley, "She got new shoes, new dress and all kinds of stuff."

Piggly Wiggly's generosity gave the dancers free food and drink. Tiaras by Husar's House of Fine Diamonds were sold at \$6 each with profits to be split between all three PTOs.

"It's been a real community event," Curt Casseta, second grade educator, said. "People who have put their time and their donations into it really made it a special event tonight."

Throughout the event from 6:30 to 8 p.m., the gym was packed. Kevin Pamperin, a Wayne parent, said, "I was surprised how much the girls like it."

Anni Christenson, a fourth-grader at KES said her favorite part was dancing with her friends.

Fathers swung their daughters around like professional dancers, some taught the robot dance, while others relished in holding their little girl close for a slow dance. Every little girl had a smile on her face.

Then out came the limbo stick, and everyone cheered for the participants. A few fathers braved the limbo stick, with Cody Heipp, husband of KES principal Jodi Heipp, taking home the first place, inflatable trophy.

At the end of the dance, each girl received a free carnation from Kewaskum Floral.

A total of 350 people attended with 190 being the girls. "It was definitely a successful event, especially for being the first time," DeRuyter concluded.

FES third graders explore manufacturing



A group of FES third graders pose for a photo inside a large calf hutch at Hampel Corporation on a recent field trip.

Third grade students at Farmington Elementary have finished studying the manufacturing process as part of their social studies curriculum. Students learned how a product is made from raw materials to the final product.

As a culminating activity, students produced their own product, popcorn and sold it during recess. Students

were in charge of advertising, producing and selling their product. They learned about economics as they had to price their product and figure out profits. Parent volunteers were a big factor in the success of the sale.

Students also got the opportunity to tour two manufacturing facilities to witness how manufacturers produce

their products on a larger scale. Palermo's Pizza and Hampel Corporation were kind enough to welcome the third graders and show them how their product is made.

While touring Palermo's, the students learned the history of the company and how it started and changed with the demand of the economy. They saw pizza being made

and how technology and the workers played an important role in the making of their product. Students thought the end product was delicious.

While at Hampel Corporation, the students were able to view how calf hutches are designed to meet the expectations of the customer. While touring the facility, they had the opportunity to view the actual calf hutch being made, from a big sheet of plastic to the final product.

In addition Barbara Kluever, Washington County Agriculture Ambassador, visited FES and worked with the students on making a product

everyone loves, ice cream. She and students worked together to make the ice cream. Students used raw materials and roll buckets until it formed ice cream.

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JAMES D. 'JIM' OELHAFEN

James D. "Jim" a/k/a "Jim O." Oelhafen, 66, of the town of Wayne, passed away unexpectedly on Sunday, March 23, 2014.

He was born on April 9, 1947, in West Bend, the son of the late John A. and Therese J. (Vogt) Oelhafen, and on May 25, 1968, he was united in marriage to Carol Ann Schmitt at St. Kilian Catholic Church in St. Kilian.

Jim was a proud graduate of St. Anthony Grade School and a 1965 graduate of Kewaskum High School.

Jim was a devout member of the Christian faith. He was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum, a honorary member of the Kohlsville Fire Department, a charter member of the Kohlsville Cruisers Snowmobile Club, charter president of Kewaskum FFA Alumni, a member of the XYZ Card Club and a former member of the Kewaskum School Board.

After retiring from dairy farming he enjoyed working as a truck driver, a driver's education instructor as well as raising and selling high quality beef steers.

He enjoyed driving tractors, making wood, helping his sons with their farm work, playing sheepshead, racing and watching sports - both professional and local Kewaskum teams. Jim was an excellent "farm fabricator" and could weld and/or repair most anything, all while cooking on the grill. Jim was fondly thought of as the family "grill master." He also had a special bond with his cousins and enjoyed spending time with them.

Jim will always be remembered for his handlebar mustache, along with an amazing memory and the ability to remember every date, phone number, address and so much more. (Both useful and useless information alike.)

Jim had a great sense of humor, a light-hearted look at life, a gentle smile and hearty laugh. His greatest joy was his children and especially his beloved grandchildren whom he enjoyed helping with their beef animals for the county fair.

Jim was always willing to help another. In that respect Jim's family donated his cornea tissue so that someone else might have the gift of sight. He will be deeply missed by his wife, his family and by

all who knew him.

Those Jim leaves behind to cherish his memory include his loving wife of 45 years, Carol; two sons, Brian (Shelly) Oelhafen and Brad (Heather) Oelhafen both of the town of Wayne; four grandchildren, Kayla, Cody, Matthew and Zachary Oelhafen; a sister, Cindy (John) Shaske of the town of Wayne; two sisters-in-law, Beverly Oelhafen of the town of Wayne and Debbie (Jeff) Watzlawick of West Bend; his favorite aunt Lillian Oelhafen of the town of Wayne, and many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, Jim was preceded in death by his dear daughter, Brenda Oelhafen; a brother, John N. "Hunzey" Oelhafen and his father and mother-in-law, Paul and Burnette Schmitt.

A Mass of Christian Burial for Jim will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, March 28, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 331 Main Street in Kewaskum. Father Arul Ponnaiyan will concelebrate and burial will be at 10 a.m. on Saturday in St. Kilian Catholic Church Cemetery in St. Kilian.

The Oelhafen family will greet relatives and friends at the church on Friday from 2:30 p.m. until the time of Mass.

Memorials to Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Kohlsville Fire Department, Kewaskum Youth Scholarship (KEYS) or Washington County 4-H Trust are appreciated.

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

LEILA MAE CLARK

Heaven's gain was our loss as our pumpkin, Leila Mae Clark, received her angel wings after losing her fight with congenital heart disease on March 22, 2014.

Leila was born on December 30, 2013 and during her short time here on earth, she touched the lives of many and was loved deeply by family and friends. Leila was loved instantly by all who met her and will be greatly missed.

She is being greeted in Heaven by her great aunt Alice (Koch) Gill; great uncle Curtis Clark; her mother's grandmothers, Marie Buechel and Florence Lefebber; her father's grandparents, Martha and Lester Koch, and Arden Clark; and many more loved

ones who have passed on.

In addition to her Papa and Mama Bear, Jeremiah and Lisa (Lefebber) Clark, she will be forever loved and missed by her grandparents Paul and Janice (Buechel) Lefebber, and Barry and Bonnie (Koch) Clark; uncles, Francis Lefebber and Matthew (DeeAnna) Clark; cousins, Nolan and Weston Clark; honorary aunt Rachel Rottman and honorary uncle Patrick Koerner; many great aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

A visitation will be held on Saturday, March 29 from 3 to 7 p.m. at the Uecker-Witt Funeral Home, Fond du Lac. A memorial service will follow at 7 p.m. with the Rev. Eric Kirkegaard presiding. Cremation will follow the services.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund is being established in Leila's name. Please make contributions to the family.

We will FOREVER Love you, our Pumpkin Pie - Now take those wings and FLY HIGH!

Additional information and guestbook can be found at www.ueckerwitt.com. Uecker-Witt Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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We will meet again someday.

*Deeply missed by
her loving husband, David
and family*

25 Years Ago

December 16, 1988

A plan to construct a county incinerator is feasible and its operation could be successful. That is what Trustee Mary Krueger reported to her fellow members at Monday night's Kewaskum village board meeting. According to a report presented by R.W. Beck and Associates at the Joint Incineration Committee's meeting last month, enough waste is generated in Washington County to make the plant a success. Kewaskum, along with its neighboring communities, is facing the ever-increasing problem of what to do with its waste and the situation is becoming more critical as the Department of Natural Resources continues to shut down public and private landfills. A public hearing is being scheduled for mid-January to get input from area residents.

Almost 250 people were on hand Monday night to

participate in, what is hoped to be an annual event: the lighting of the village of Kewaskum's Christmas tree. An annual Christmas tree lighting was the idea of Kewaskum's Branch 26 of Aid Association for Lutherans, headed by Norman Kempf and the branch's other officers. Regal Ware Incorporated graciously donated the live tree, which will be enjoyed not only at Christmas, but all year around. AAL Branch took care of transplanting the large tree on the Municipal Building grounds, west of the flag pole.

The National Park Service has included St. Matthias Mission Church to its list of properties in the National Register of Historic Places. This entry brings the list of designated historic properties in the state of Wisconsin to 1,294. The mission church is located at 1081 County Trunk S, town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County. Built in 1861, this rural Gothic Revival-style church is significant as the first church building associated with the Catholic German heritages of the area and represents an important historical remnant of the 24 German Catholic families from the Prussian village of Bengel who settled in that area.

Five seniors and eight juniors were inducted into Kewaskum's chapter of the National Honor Society during a special induction ceremony held at the high school on November 8. New senior candidates for induction were Candy Bergdorf, Kristopher Follmann, David Prunty, Tammy Sabish and Jean Schmidt. New junior candidates for induction were Steven Gerhartz, Tina Keller, David Kuphal, Michelle Marx, Christine Ramthun, Kristina Schinker, LeeAnn Winninghoff and April Wulff. Present members include Cheryl Miller, Stephanie Hinz, Jennifer Schneider, Sheila Paulson, Gayle Swift, Bobby Castro, Chad Schmidt and David Homuth.

All-Washington-County-Football selections from Kewaskum High School included Dennis Aupperle, Chris Charland, Ryan Degnitz and Mike Ciriacks.

A daughter, Andrea Lynn, was born to Lynn and Randall Gust, Kewaskum, on December 13. Andrea has one brother, David, age 1-1/2. Paternal grandparents are Richard and Marilyn Gust, rural Campbellsport. Maternal grandparents are Allen and Shirley Dreher, Kewaskum. Maternal great-grandparents are Irene Dreher, Kewaskum, and Rosaline Kohler, also of Kewaskum. A daughter, Heather Lynn, was born to Steven and Jeanne Faude, Menomonee Falls, on November 22. Maternal grandparents are Marvin and Cele Schmidt of Kewaskum.

A son, Austin John, was born to Charlie and Sharon Serwe, West Bend, December 3. Grandparents are Norbert and Gloria Serwe, Kewaskum, and John and Charlene Stein-

hauer, Green Bay.

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October 25, 1963

A class of 35 children, 14 boys and 21 girls, will receive their First Holy Communion during the 8 a.m. Mass at Holy Trinity Church in Kewaskum October 27. The list includes, boys: Thomas Schoofs, Neal Stoffel, Timothy Stoffel, Frank Werhanowicz, Jeffrey Boden, Larry Brown, Allen Schickert, Steven Brendemuhl, Steven Treutel, Jonathon Sleger, Mark Halfmann, David Gruber, Steven Bonlender, and Daniel Krieser. Girls - Jeanine Volm, Luann Czaja, Debra Gloede, Mary Schmidt, Susan Staehler, Ann Koerble, Margie Belger, Janet Reindl, Sandra Bauer, Jane Krueger, Jane Zehren, Mary Lou Beisbier, Carmen Gruber, Sandra Tackes, Lynn Perkins, Kathryn Kutz, Linda Hron, Jeanne Karl, and Ann Herriges. Serving as little flower boys and girls for the First Communicants will be Paul Stoffel, Philip Stoffel, Marc Sleger, Steven Bath, Theresa Cundy, Susan Gruber, Christine Staehler and Katherine Treutel.

August Buss, Kewaskum's oldest resident as far as is known, had the rare distinction to celebrate his 95th birthday on October 20.

A wedding ceremony on October 5 united in marriage Miss Judith Mary Coulter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Coulter, rural Allenton, and Donald R. Kehrmeier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kehrmeier of Route 1, Knowles.

Army Reserve Pvt. Carl L. Steiner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester L. Steiner, Kewaskum, completed a general supply course under the Reserve Forces Act program at Fort Leonard Wood, MO, on October 10.

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Misc.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUMMER LEAGUE MEETING -- at the New Fane Sportsmen's Club will be held on Wednesday night, April 2 at 7:30 p.m. for all team captains and anyone who wants to bring a new team in. 3-27-1t

OPEN SHOOTING -- Friday night open shooting will start on Friday, April 4 from 7 - 9 pm at the New Fane Sportmen's Club. 3-27-2t

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENSE

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I hereby certify that the following applicants have applied to the Village Board of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, State of Wisconsin, for a license to sell, deal and traffic in fermented malt beverages for a six month period at the following described properties.

Class "B" Retail Fermented Malt Beverage to Chad Cook for: Kewaskum Athletic Association, Kiwanis Park, Brooklane Dr., for the period of April 20, 2014 to October 20, 2014

Class "B" Retail Fermented Malt Beverage to Ronald Theusch for:

Kewaskum Athletic Club, Inc., Kiwanis Park, Brooklane Dr., for the period of April 13, 2014 to October 13, 2014

Notice is further given that on Monday, April 7, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. the Village of Kewaskum Village Board will meet in the Council Room of the Municipal Building for the purpose of hearing anyone for or against the granting of these licenses.

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VILLAGE BOARD MEETING MARCH 3, 2014 7:00 P.M.

The Kewaskum Village Board, Washington County, Wisconsin, met in regular session in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 204 First Street.

President Andy Pesch presided and called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Board members present were Craig Garbisch, Richard Knoebel, Mike Berger, Andy Pesch, Dave Spenner, Kevin Scheunemann and Jim Hovland. Staff members present were Matt Heiser, Mark Groeschel, Chad Cook, Janet Knops and Stephanie Justmann. The news media and members from the community were also present.

Notice of the meeting had been posted at the PNC Bank, Kewaskum Post Office and at the Municipal Building on February 27, 2014. Notice was also forwarded to the Village Board, Village Attorney, Village Engineer, and the News Media.

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

Motion by Richard Knoebel to approve the minutes from the February 27, 2014 meeting, second by Dave Spenner. Voice vote, motion carried.

Wayne Sargent presented to the Board the request of having a community ice skating rink established at the Kiwanis Park. Civic organization would have the opportunity to run the concession stand. Bathrooms and a warming area were also discussed. He reiterated there is a need for free family activities in the community that would be an asset to the Village.

Fire Chief Mark Groeschel presented the January 2014 report:

Fire calls	2
Year to date	2
Jaws run	3
Year to date	3
Rescue calls	30
Miles	699
Total training hours	343.22
Year to date	343.22
Police Chief was absent due to illness and his report was deferred to the next meeting.	

Zoning Administrator Cook reported on the DPW activity. There have been four more water main breaks since February 17, 2014. Three on Fond du Lac Drive and one on Rosel Avenue.

Building Inspector Chad Cook reported ten building permits were issued in the month of January.

Motion by Kevin Scheunemann to suspend the rules and bring up item A under Unfinished Business: "Discussing and possible action on amending the engineering contract with McMahon Associates for the Main

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Street project" and item A under New Business "Discussion on options to consider when contracting for garbage collection", second by Craig Garbisch and carried by roll call vote. Garbisch-aye, Knoebel-aye, Berger-aye, Pesch-aye, Spenner-aye, Scheunemann-aye, Hovland-aye (7-0-0).

Mick Magalski, engineer from McMahon Associates, reviewed a new agreement proposal. The contract would include attending the pre-construction conference, prepare engineer's report, materials and shop drawings review, change order review, attending designated meetings and record drawings. The contracts approximate cost is \$26,450. If additional technical questions need to be addresses it would be handled on a time and material bases. Motion by Richard Knoebel to accept the amended contract with McMahon Associates for the Main Street project, second by Mike Berger and carried by roll call vote. Garbisch-aye, Knoebel-aye, Berger-aye, Pesch-aye, Spenner-aye, Scheunemann-aye, Hovland-aye (5-2-0)

Jason Johnson from Advanced Disposal was on hand to review the options to consider when renewing the garbage and recycling contract. Requirements for centralized and curbside collection was reviewed. Centralized collection needs to be monitored, permitted and would require approximately 14 containers at an ideal location. Curbside collection has the convenience of carts on wheels. The proposal could offer rate locks, and options of monthly recycling or bi-monthly garbage collection. Consensus of the Board was to receive a proposal from Advanced Disposal to renew the garbage and recycling contract.

Administrator Heiser:

1. Reported the cost of water main breaks for 2014 have amounted to \$28,347. The average cost per break is approximately \$3,150. These costs will affect the retained earnings in the Water Utility.

2. The Visioning Session topics will include streets, department and administrator goals, business continuity and open meeting law. The Board did not indicate any other topics that should be covered.

3. The WisDOT granular backfill meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 5, 2014 at 8:30 a.m.

4. The Informational Meeting for the Main Street project is scheduled for March 4, 2014 at 7:00 p.m., at the Municipal Annex.

5. Consensus of the Board was to have a Closed Session with Attorney Tim Fenner at the next Village Board meeting.

Clerk Stephanie Justmann reported the Kewaskum Chamber committee requested to draft a streetscaping plan for Main Street. The committee will seek donation from non-profit organizations. Administrator Heiser will look into re-establishing a community design fund with WisDOT. Clerk Justmann will remain a member on the Chamber committee.

Treasurer Janet Knops reported on the confirming review of the 2013 audit being conducted by Baker Tilly. John Knepel will present the audit at the April 7, 2014 meeting.

Richard Knoebel, Chairperson for the Administrative Committee, reported the bills were recommended for payment by Jim Hovland to approve the bills as recommended, second by Craig Garbisch. Voice vote, motion carried.

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Water	45,721.31
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Jim Hovland, representation for the Plan, Commission announced the next meeting is scheduled for March 25, 2014.

Mike Berger, representative for the Library Board announced the next meeting has been scheduled for March 10, 2014.

Matt Heiser, Mid-Moraine Representative, announced the next Legislative Sub-committee is scheduled for March 12, 2014 at the Village of Jackson. The City of West Bend will be hosting the next Dinner meeting on March 26, 2014.

Motion by Kevin Scheunemann to approve the amended We Energies easement for the Hwy 28/Main Street project, second by Richard Knoebel. Voice vote, motion carried.

The ambulance that was damaged in an accident was declared a total loss and will be replaced. Some equipment in the ambulance will also be replaced including the cot and stair chair. Two separate deductibles will be met. A rental ambulance is being used in the interim. Consensus of the Board was to proceed with the replacement of the ambulance and equipment.

Motion by Craig Garbisch to accept the proposal from Municipal Well & Pump to repair the pump at Well #3 for \$33,187.00, second by Mike Berger and carried by roll call vote. Garbisch-aye, Knoebel-aye, Berger-aye, Pesch-aye, Spenner-aye, Scheunemann-aye, Hovland-aye (7-0-0)

Motion by Kevin Scheunemann, second by Richard Knoebel to deny the issuance of an operator's license for 2013/2014 as listed.

Brochman, Ashley E., Kewaskum, WI

Public Comment:

Dave Zehren, 629 Washington Ave., questioned why the old tires for the DPW equipment were a safety hazard when they were repurchased by a different party from Pat's Tire. The purchase of the new tires should have been approved by the Village Board because there wasn't money budgeted for the purchase.

Motion by Craig Garbisch to adjourn at 8:40 p.m. into Closed Session, pursuant to Section 19.85 (1) (f) Wis. Stats. considering financial, medical, social or personal histories or disciplinary data of specific persons, preliminary consideration of specific personnel problems or the investigation of charges against specific persons except where par. (b) applies which, if discussed in public, would be likely to have a substantial adverse effect upon the reputation of any person referred to in such histories or data, or involved in such problems or investigations. sec. 19.85 (1) (f) Wis. Stats. Specifically to be discussed is a possible personnel problem involving particular Village employees and whether to conduct one or more investigations into this personnel problem. This portion of the Closed Session will be attended by the Village Board, Administrator, Clerk and Police Chief, second by Richard Knoebel and carried by roll call vote. Garbisch-aye, Knoebel-aye, Berger-aye, Pesch-aye, Spenner-aye, Scheunemann-aye, Hovland-aye (7-0-0)

Stephanie Justmann
Clerk /Deputy Treasurer

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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEWASKUM REGULAR MEETING KEWASKUM, WI 53040 FEBRUARY 10, 2014

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 p.m. by President Ramthun.

Members present: Mary Miller, Heather Oelhafen, Timothy Ramthun, Jim Leister, Troy Hanson, and Grace Mueller. Sue Miller arrived at 6:07 p.m.

A moment of silence was observed, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Superintendent Smasal verified that the meeting had been properly posted. M.Miller/Oelhafen motion to approve the agenda. All aye.

A community member asked if it would be possible to have Board Meetings recorded and put on the school website. This will be discussed at the February 24, 2014 Board Meeting.

M.Miller/G. Mueller motion to approve the consent agenda. All aye.

Bill Foster, representing School Perceptions, gave a slide-show presentation showing how the company uses a web-based survey to collect information. The Board will decide if they want to contract with School Perceptions at the February 24, 2014 meeting. The Visionary Chair and Alternate appointment was tabled until the February 24, 2014 meeting.

Darcy Budnik updated the Board of the results of the STAR assessment taken in January. She also reported on the activities and presentations planned by teachers to promote CTE (Career and Technical Education) month.

Leister/M.Miller motion to approve the December 12, 2013 Special Meeting Minutes. Motion passed. M.Miller/S.Miller motion to approve the January 13, 2014 Regular Meeting Minutes as amended. All aye. M.Miller/S.Miller motion to approve the January 13, 2014 Closed Session Minutes as amended. All aye.

Oelhafen/Ramthun motion to approve the January 20, 2014 Special Meeting Minutes as amended. Motion passed.

Oelhafen/Ramthun motion to table the January 20, 2014 Closed Session Minutes until the February 24, 2014 meeting to give Heather Oelhafen and Mary Miller time to discuss them. Motion passed.

Leister/M.Miller motion to approve the January 30, 2014 Committee of the Whole Minutes. All aye. M.Miller/Oelhafen motion to approve the January 30, 2014 Closed Session Minutes. All aye. Superintendent Smasal and Mary Miller shared information obtained at the WASB Convention in January.

The cost of Youth Options was discussed. For the 2013-14 fiscal year, \$25,000 was budgeted and \$23,768.43 was spent.

The following policies were reviewed and revised and will be discussed at the next NEOLA meeting on February 28, 2014: 0120-Powers and Philosophy; 3217-Weapons; 3231-Outside Activities of Staff; 4213-Student Supervision and Welfare; 4217-Weapons; 4231-Outside Activities of Support Staff.

Hanson/Ramthun motion to approve the payroll in the amount of \$1,285,800.33. Motion passed 7-0. Hanson/S.Miller motion to approve the accounts payable in the amount of \$350,108.25. Motion passed 7-0.

The topic of contacting Board Members to see if they are available to attend a Special Board Meeting was discussed. It was decided that Policy 172 should be reviewed. Mr. Leister said that will be done during the NEOLA review process.

Oelhafen/M.Miller motion to excuse students from making up the cold days which occurred on January 27th and 28th because they will have met the required number of instructional minutes for the school year. All aye.

Leister/M.Miller motion to approve a total of four seats for the GPS Education Partners/Second Chance Program for the 2014-15 school year. Motion passed 7-0.

M.Miller/S.Miller motion to approve the 2014-15 School Calendar (Option 2) as presented. All aye.

Hanson/M.Miller motion to approve a 48 month copy machine contract with Ross Imaging at the monthly cost of \$5,445.78. Motion passed 7-0.

Superintendent's Report

• Mr. Smasal thanked Shelly Oelhafen for doing a great job with the FFA Speaking Contest which he had the honor of judging.

• Heidi Williams and Joel Dziedzic will be busy working on a Planning Grant worth \$150,000 to be used for a Charter School. The grant is due April 15th.

• There will be a meeting with MRA on February 11th to discuss compensation strategies and if their plan looks good they will make a presentation at the February 24, 2014 Board Meeting.

• The January Membership Count resulted in the addition of two more students since the count was done in September. Only the September count is used for the revenue limit calculation. Both the September and January counts are used in the equalization aid computation.

• Referring to the WBKV radio interview on January 21, 2014, a letter from a Board Member published in the West Bend Daily News and Campbellsport News, and an email from Kewaskum Village Librarian, Steev Baker, Mr. Smasal asked that Board Members help the administration understand what is lacking within that causes the Board to communicate through the media. It was decided that a meeting needs to be arranged to discuss both communication and Common Core State Standards.

The Business Manager's Report was reviewed.

M.Miller/Oelhafen motion to convene in Closed Session as per §19.85(1)(c)(e); 1(g) and 118.22 to discuss Support Staff Negotiations, a Teacher Personnel Issue, a Technology Resignation and an update on Ongoing Legal Issue.

All aye. Open Session ended at 9:00 p.m.

The Board reconvened in Open Session at 9:50 p.m.

Hanson/S.Miller motion to approve the 2013-14 Support Staff KAP agreement as negotiated. Motion passed 5-0-2 with Jim Leister and Timothy Ramthun abstaining.

Oelhafen/Hanson motion to approve an agreement with Stacy LaRonge for additional paid leave for the 2013-14 school year. Motion passed 7-0.

Leister/M.Miller motion to approve the resignation of John Platais per his contract. Motion passed 6-0-1 with Timothy Ramthun abstaining. President Ramthun adjourned the meeting at 9:53 p.m.

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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEWASKUM COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE WORKSHOP KEWASKUM, WI 53040 FEBRUARY 24, 2014

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President Ramthun.

Members present: Mary Miller, Heather Oelhafen, Timothy

Ramthun, Jim Leister, Troy Hanson, Grace Mueller and Sue Miller.

A moment of silence was observed, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Superintendent Smasal verified that the meeting had been properly posted.

Leister/G. Mueller motion to approve the agenda. Motion passed.

The March 10th Regular Board Meeting will be held in the Library at KHS at which time the Board will discuss the agenda format for the second Board Meeting of the month.

Representatives from MRA gave a presentation on the services they provide relative to teacher compensation.

President Ramthun asked that a template for meeting minutes be created to include reference to State Statute 120.15(5) and a signature line, and that minutes be signed at each meeting, following approval.

Referring to discussion at February 10th Regular Meeting, President Ramthun spoke to the issue of sharing Board information. Mr. Hanson called the question. The question vote failed on a voice vote. President Ramthun ended the conversation anyway by saying the information shared at the February 10th Board Meeting was meant for Board Members only.

President Ramthun stated that he was uncomfortable excusing board members' absence from meetings. Discussion ensued. Mr. Smasal will check the Annual Meeting Minutes to see if anything is mentioned about Board Salary and being excused from meetings.

Hanson/M.Miller motion to approve School Perceptions with a progress and implementation plan available at the summer Leadership meeting. Discussion ensued. Troy Hanson called the question. The question vote failed on a voice vote. Discussion continued. President Ramthun asked several members of the Visionary Committee who were present if they felt the School Perceptions survey would be valuable. The consensus was that the survey would be worth the cost. Motion passed 7-0.

No action was taken on the appointment of a Visionary Committee Chairperson.

Mrs. Grace Mueller suggested that Board meetings be video recorded and put on the district website. It was suggested that students or potentially citizens could take over that responsibility. This will be an agenda item on March 10th.

The Board discussed the meeting that was held at Wayne Elementary School last Thursday regarding sex offender Charles Buckarma who will be moving into a home two miles from Wayne Elementary School. Members agreed that it is critical that all parents are aware of this situation as well as informed of other sex offenders living in the Kewaskum School District. Mr. Smasal said the district will work with the Sheriff's Department and will keep the School Board updated on the Buckarma situation.

President Ramthun said that last week's WBKV interview went well and encouraged all who haven't heard it to listen to it on the WBKV website.

There will be a candidate forum March 3rd in the theatre at KHS beginning at 6 p.m.

Superintendent Smasal referred members to a letter included in their Board Packet from the Wisconsin Indian Association and asked them to call him if they have questions.

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NOTICE OF SPRING ELECTION AND SAMPLE BALLOTS APRIL 1, 2014

OFFICE OF THE WASHINGTON COUNTY CLERK
TO THE ELECTORS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY:

Notice is hereby given of a spring election to be held in Washington County, on the 1st day of April, 2014, at which the officers named below shall be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for, whose nominations have been certified to or filed in this office, each in its proper column, in the sample ballot below.

INFORMATION TO ELECTORS

Upon entering the polling place, an elector shall state his or her name and address and sign the poll book before being permitted to vote. If an elector is not registered to vote, an elector may register to vote at the polling place serving his or her residence, if the elector presents proof of residence in a form specified by law. Where ballots are distributed to electors, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot. Upon being permitted to vote, the elector shall retire alone to a

voting booth and cast his or her ballot except that an elector who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the elector's minor child or minor ward. An election official may inform the elector of the proper manner for casting a vote, but the official may not in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

Where Optical Scan Voting Systems are Used

The elector shall fill in the oval next to the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the elector shall write in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided and fill in the oval on the write-in line.

Where Touch Screen Voting Systems are Used

The elector shall touch the screen next to the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the elector shall type in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote.

The vote should not be cast in any other manner. Not more than five minutes time shall be allowed inside a voting booth or

machine. Sample ballots or other materials to assist the elector in casting his or her vote may be taken into the booth and copied. The sample ballot shall not be shown to anyone so as to reveal how the ballot is marked.

If the elector spoils an optical scan ballot, he or she shall return it to an election official who shall issue another ballot in its place, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one elector. If the ballot has not been initiated by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the elector shall return it to the election official, who shall issue a proper ballot in its place. After casting his or her vote, the elector shall leave the voting booth, properly deposit the ballot and promptly leave the polling place. The elector may spoil a touch screen ballot at the voting station before the ballot is cast.

After Voting the Ballot

After an official optical scan ballot is marked, it shall be inserted in the security sleeve so the marks do not show. After casting his or her vote, the elector shall leave the booth, insert the ballot in the voting device and discard the sleeve, or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. The elector shall leave the polling place promptly.

An elector may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the elector declares to the presiding official that he or she is unable to read, has difficulty reading, writing or understanding English or that due to disability is unable to cast his or her ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the elector's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the elector.

The following is a sample of the official ballots:

BRENDA J. JASZEWSKI,
WASHINGTON COUNTY CLERK

JUDICIAL Court of Appeals Judge District II

Vote for 1
Lisa S. Neubauer

Circuit Court Judge Branch 2

Vote for 1
James K. Muehlbauer

COUNTY County Board Supervisor

All Districts are Vote for 1

District 9

Town of Wayne Ward 1
Ronald Naab
Kenneth W. Brandt

District 10

Town of Kewaskum Ward 1; Village of Kewaskum
Wards 1-5
Daniel W. Stoffel

District 11

Town of Farmington Wards 1-4; Town of Kewaskum Ward 2
Mike Parsons

District 13

Town of Wayne Wards 2, 3
Gerald J. Schulz
Richard L. Bertram

District 14

Town of Farmington Ward 5
Joseph C. Gonnering

MUNICIPAL Village of Kewaskum Trustee

Vote for not more than 3
Mike Berger
Richard Knoebel
David Zehren
Craig Garbisch

SCHOOL Kewaskum School Board Member

Vote for not more than 3
Troy Hanson
Timothy Ramthun
Sue Ann Miller
Jay Fisher

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WASHINGTON COUNTY POLLING LOCATIONS

ALL POLLING PLACES
WILL OPEN AT 7:00 A.M. AND
WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.

All Polling locations are accessible to elderly and disabled voters.

If you have any questions concerning your polling place, contact the municipal clerk.

Town of Farmington
Town Hall; 9422 Hwy. 144
Town of Farmington Clerk
Chris Schellinger,
2171 County Road A, West Bend
447-1018

Town of Kewaskum
Community Center; 9019 Kettle
Moraine Drive
Town of Kewaskum Clerk
Nancy Boden,
9019 Kettle Moraine Drive,
PO Box 484, Kewaskum
626-2566

Town of Wayne - Town Hall;
6030 Mohawk Rd.
Town of Wayne Clerk
Cindy Shaske,
6030 Mohawk Rd, Campbellsport
626-4818

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Village of Kewaskum
Village Hall; 204 First St.
Village of Kewaskum Clerk
Stephanie Justmann,
204 First Street, PO Box 38,
Kewaskum - 626-8484

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ALL POLLING PLACES
WILL OPEN AT 7:00 A.M. AND
WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.

All Polling locations are accessible to elderly and disabled voters.

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Town of Scott - Town Hall:
N1306 Boltonville Road
Clerk: Billi Jo Richter
262-692-9834

Town of Mitchell - Town Hall:
W8095 Parnell
Clerk: Mari Born 920-980-2056

Town of Auburn - Town Hall:
W1728 Sunset Drive
Clerk: Bonnie Berg
920-517-0672

Town of Ashford - Town Hall:
N1410 Rolling Drive
Clerk: Tracy Flasch
920-533-5053

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Official Ballot for Nonpartisan Office

Notice to voters: This ballot may be invalid unless initiated by 2 election inspectors. If cast as an absentee ballot, the ballot must bear the initials of the municipal clerk or deputy clerk.

Important: Use a #2 pencil or the marking pen provided. Do not use Red Ink!

Instructions to voters

MUNICIPAL

To vote for a name on the ballot, fill in the oval next to the name like this. To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name in the space marked "Write-in," and fill in the oval next to the name like this.

Mistakes

If you make a mistake or have a question, see an election inspector. (Absentee voters, contact your municipal clerk.)

JUDICIAL

Court of Appeals Judge, Dist. 2
Vote for 1

Lisa S. Neubauer

Circuit Court Judge, Branch 2
Vote for 1

James K. Muehlbauer

COUNTY

County Supervisor, Dist. 10
Vote for 1

Daniel W. Stoffel

Village Trustee
Vote for not more than 3

Mike Berger
 Richard Knoebel
 David Zehren
 Craig Garbisch

Write-in

Kewaskum School District
School Board Member
Vote for not more than 3

Troy Hanson
 Timothy Ramthun
 Sue Ann Miller
 Jay Fisher

Write-in

SAMPLE

Town of Addison (W 1-6)

Instructions to Voters

To vote for a candidate, touch the box next to the candidate's name. An "X" mark will appear in the box to indicate your intent.

If you accidentally select the wrong candidate, or if you simply wish to change your vote, touch the mark that you wish to remove and it will disappear. You may then touch the box next to another candidate.

The ballot may span several pages. To move forward to the next page, touch the Next button and it will be displayed. You may move backwards at any time by pressing the Back button.

You may continue reviewing and changing your selections until you touch the Cast Ballot button. Once you press Cast Ballot, your vote will be permanently recorded and no further changes may be made.

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MEETING NOTICE

The School District of Kewaskum Board of Canvassers will meet on Wednesday, April 2, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at the District Administration Office, 1675 Reigle Drive, Kewaskum to certify the returns of the Spring Election for School Board Members.

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Town of Kewaskum Annual Meeting

Wednesday - April 16, 2014
7:00pm

Town of Kewaskum Community Center
9019 Kettle Moraine Drive
Kewaskum, WI 53040

Nancy Boden, Clerk
Town of Kewaskum

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Open Book will be held at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum on **Tuesday, April 15, 2014 from 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm**. The Town's Assessor will meet individually with any taxpayers with questions. Instructional material about the assessment, on how to file an objection, and Board of Review procedures under Wisconsin law will be available at that time.

BOARD OF REVIEW

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Kewaskum will hold the Board of Review on **Wednesday, May 14, 2014 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm** at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum

By appointment only, 48 hours notice prior to Board of Review required.

Nancy Boden
Clerk

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All eyes on next season as Indians close the books on 2013-14 basketball season

By Troy Sparks

Statesman Correspondent

As the Kewaskum boys basketball season came to an end with a loss in the first round of the Division 3 playoffs at Winnebago Lutheran Academy, coach Keith Traska was able to reflect on what was another roller coaster campaign.

The Indians were looking to improve on their win total from last season, but they finished with the same record in the 2013-14 season as the 2012-13 one, 7-15. The bright spot of the season was that Kewaskum finished fifth in the Eastern Wisconsin Conference with a 5-9 mark. They were picked to finish last out of the eight teams.

There were some good moments to carryover for next season in which Traska was pleased.

"Beating Kiel at home on Senior Night was a huge win for us," he said. "Every player contributed and we really played like a team."

Down the stretch of the regular season, Kewaskum played good basketball.

"Our win at Kiel and beating Sheboygan Falls were high-

lights," Traska said. "In the Falls game, we were up 28-6 at half-time (at home) and was probably the best half we played all year. We showed great improvement against Plymouth from our first game (at home) to our second game (against them) of being within single digits in the fourth quarter."

Senior forward Greg Rate earned second team all-conference honors from the coaches. He was the only conference selection for Kewaskum. Traska bid farewell to Rate and the other four seniors in Eric Limberg, Derek Schulz, Josh Rahlf and Karter Guth. Cory Stern and Dean Schlice will lead the Indians next season as seniors of a team who went through growing pains and should be ready to shoot for the upper half of the EWC.

"Things are looking up for next year," Traska said. "We had three sophomores (Mike Prochnow, Charlie Witek and Jason Hanson) starting for most of the season along with a freshman (Brady Hanson) on the roster. And Josh Baker will hopefully return from his ACL injury and will be ready for the start of the

season. Josh probably would have been our starting point guard."

The varsity roster will have talented players from the junior ranks that will make it one of the deepest teams in the league.

"A couple of junior varsity players will hopefully be working hard and developing to get ready for varsity, mainly (sophomore) Brandon Thull and (freshman) Sam Schlosser, along with Dean," Traska said.

With the improvement in the youth movement of the basketball programs (freshman, JV), a pipeline of talent will fill in the gaps when the time comes.

"The freshman team showed amazing growth this year and there are some promising players for the future," Traska said. "But overall, they were a tight group who worked hard and learned the value of education and teamwork. The JV had a long season and showed growth as well, capped off with a couple of tight wins. One of the most memorable wins was a buzzer beater against Kiel on the last game of the year, where Brandon and Sam both had huge plays in the final seconds."

Legal Notices

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Superintendent Smasal updated the Board on work being done to decide the direction of the Technology Department. He and Julie Thoreson have met with four technology companies who will be submitting proposals. Those proposals will be shared at the March 10th meeting. A posting has been done on WECAN for a systems administrator.

Mr. Hanson reported that the Compensation Committee met last week to hear a presentation

from MRA. He announced that the KAP accepted the Board's offer.

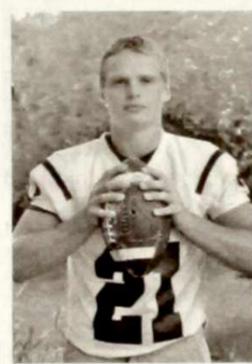
Sue Miller shared that eligible staff members are completing insurance surveys, AFG has sent out bidding information to insurance companies. The Co-op will also be coming out with a bid. At the April Board Meeting a decision will have to be made on the direction to go.

Leister/M. Miller motion to adjourn. All aye. The meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

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TROY'S PREP OF THE WEEK

Joey Seitz



From chalking up his first win in wrestling as a freshman in the tough Luxemburg-Casco Tournament to reaching the triple digit victory mark as a senior with a technical fall win over Chris Holland of Ripon at the Laconia Team Tournament, Feb. 1, Joey Seitz is the newest member of the KHS 100-win club. He is a two-time state qualifier in wrestling. He was a charging bull on the football field as a running back and linebacker and one tough cookie. He received the "Indian" award at the

fall sports banquet and made second team all-conference in football. Seitz isn't a slacker in the classroom either, he's an Honor Roll student. He is one of the best football and wrestling athletes around these parts since Cody Seibel. Seitz says he hopes to wrestle at UW-Stevens Point in the future.

What's your favorite sport? Wrestling.

Who influenced your sports career? Why? Scott Rhoads (current KHS wrestling coach). He has been coaching me since I was young in (Kewaskum) Domination (Wrestling School).

What is your favorite sports moment? Qualifying for the state wrestling tournament.

Favorite food: Brats.

Hobbies: Hunting and fishing.

Plans after high school graduation: College at UW-Stevens Point.

If you could have dinner with three people, who would you choose: Aaron Rodgers, Jordan Burroughs and Dennis Aupperle.

Lady Indians reflect on 2013-14 season

By Troy Sparks

Statesman Correspondent

Unless the juniors on the Kewaskum girls varsity basketball team set the bar for their underclassmen, it will be a struggle to keep up with the other teams in the revamped conference, beginning with the 2015-16 season.

Giving the success that Kettle Moraine Lutheran had last week in winning the Division 3 state title at the Resch Center in Ashwaubenon, all the girls' teams at every level will have to deal with them since the Chargers will be in the new conference.

But there's some hope in the coming years, only if the girls are willing to improve one game at a time. That was the message from the coaches from all three levels at the awards program last Tuesday at KES.

Coach Mike Streubing was in charge of a freshman team that went 7-11 overall and 2-8 in the Eastern Wisconsin Conference. He said that the nine players on the team didn't give up and kept working to improve. Their goal was to learn the value of teamwork, unity and learn about the game of basketball.

The junior varsity team performed better than last season, according to coach Mike Hintz. He said the players were on time for practices and games. His team finished at 7-15 and 1-13 in the conference. He had to pluck some players from the freshman team to increase numbers. He challenged the team in the midseason to shoot better and they held open team meetings to talk about whatever was on their minds.

Interim coach Kory Dogs helped the varsity weather the storm. Mike Kleinhans began the season as the coach but resigned mid-season. Dogs remained the six juniors on the team that a previous group of juniors from a past Kewaskum team came back as seniors and had a better record. He also understood that winning was a reality, which they didn't do enough of. The Indians won three of 23 games, including a loss in the first round of the playoffs, and were 0-14 in the conference. Dogs said the girls must set the bar high for next season and play all four quarters well instead of one or two quarters.

MVPs as voted on by their teammates were junior Marisa Stahl and sophomore Sammie Wiskirchen. Stahl and junior Maddie Kreis were voted team captains. Stahl scored 222 points and was eighth in scoring in the conference. Wiskirchen led the team in rebounding with 154 and freshman Mikayla Dogs was the assists leader with 48. Stahl received an all-conference honorable mention.

It was clear to the six juniors what they needed to do in the off season. Hailey Taylor will work to improve on her individual game and do whatever she can to help the team next season. The other five juniors also gave their thoughts on next season after their first round loss at Lomira.

"We came out to a rough start this season," Erin Matusinec said. "We really became a team this season, and I think next year with our offseason plans and stuff, we're gonna

come out strong next year. We have to work on our intensity. We're intense in the last quarter. We don't play four quarters together."

The young ladies took some lumps during the season and it showed in their frustrations. But through it all, they stuck together.

"I think next year we will be a lot better," Stahl said, "because it took a while to get used to each other's playing and working together as a team. So next year, I think it will be a lot better."

Playing in the off season will determine if the Indians are ready to hit the ground running, beginning in November.

"Definitely over the summer, playing summer ball (will help)," Kreis said. "Hopefully, we get to work together. I think this year helped us a lot."

A better cohesive unit will go a long way toward the Indians moving forward.

"I think we all just have to play together and get to know each other and work more as a team and get to know what we do best and what we can do best to work as a team to reach our goal," McKenzie Rosenthal said.

The Lady Indians can put together a spectacular season and show improvement from last season in their overall win total as well as winning some conference games, but they will get that direction from a new coach. The coaching job will be posted and Kory Dogs will assist the new coach in any way he can.

VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM CURB SIDE BULK ITEM COLLECTION TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 2014

The 2014 garbage and recycle contract will provide residents with curb side collection. The date is Tuesday, April 22. Veolia will follow the normal garbage collection route for the bulk collection.

NO TV or microwaves will be allowed, or collected. Under the E-Recycle law passed by the legislature, NO TV's or electronic goods are permitted in the landfill.

VEOLIA BULK WASTE COLLECTION RULES

Place items at the curb on Tuesday, April 22 for collection.

The following items are identified as bulky waste that will be collected:

- Furniture
- Rolled carpeting (4ft maximum length)
- Cabinets
- Countertops
- Mattresses/bed springs
- Non metal doors
- Wood windows
- Play equipment- Must be able to handle.
- Appliances that do not contain Freon (*No electronic goods*)

Excluded items:

- Uncontainerized or piles of construction material
- Freon containing appliances, TVs, microwaves, or electronic goods
- Tires
- Batteries
- Used oil (Can be recycled through village program, pick up information slip at the municipal building.)

KIWC

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Eric Bauer and Alex Deheck are the only two members of the Kewaskum Indians Wrestling Club advancing to the state tournament in Madison March 28-29.

Alex Deheck didn't give up a single point until the finals of his 16-man bracket, winning his first match by a score of 4-0, then shutting out his next opponent 7-0 and winning in the semis 2-0 in two overtimes.

The final match was very competitive with Deheck coming out on the short end of a 4-2 overtime score to Wautoma's Kaden Rietz.

"They both wrestled well," coach Mark Deheck said of Bauer and Alex Deheck.

Two other Indians, Stone Pomeroy and Nicholas Deheck advanced to the finals only to be defeated and then painfully lose the match to determine the runner-up. They were in the 2005-'06 division.

Pomeroy won back-to-back to back decisions by scores of 8-2, 10-3 and 7-4 to move into the finals where he

lost to Isaiah Weaver of the West Bend Wildcats, 6-4. He still had a chance to advance if he could beat Port Washington's Mason Pierron, but this time Pierron was the better man, winning by pin in 1:46.

Nicholas Deheck stated in the 17-man bracket with a bye, then won by pin in 2:40 and next a 7-1 decision. In the semis he bested Easton Hull of Waupun, 10-2.

In the finals Deheck drew Jayden Sheppard of Neenah and the two were well matched, but Sheppard came away with a 4-2 win, and into the battle for second. He lost to Winneconne's Brady Hart, 7-4.

Tanner Goemen (2001-'02), who is in the local club and Domination, also came very close to advancing at 100 pounds. After winning his first match, Goemen lost the sec-

ond 0-4, sending him to the losing bracket where he won two in a row (13-6 and 4-2 for third place) to get a shot at second. He would up losing to Slinger's Cameron Heese by a single point, 5-4.

Brent Krejcarek, wrestling at 48 pounds, also earned a shot at second via the wrestle-back. After starting with a bye, he was pinned in the next match but bounced back with a 4-2 win, moving him to a second place match against Random Lake's San Felippo, who notched a pin in :40.

"That was my only disappointment, that those kids didn't make it," coach Deheck said. "They could have made it ... should have made it, but the dice didn't roll the right way for them."

The records of the other KIWC athletes are as follows: Ben Butler, 2003-'04, 81 pounds, 0-2; Sam Melzer, 2001-'02, 73 pounds, 2-2; Mason Pomeroy, 2001-'02, 91 pounds, 0-2; Alex Butler, 2001-'02, 91 pounds, 0-2; Eduardo Padilla, 2001-'02, 130 pounds, 2-1, took third place; Kannon Muckerheide, 2001-'02, 140 pounds, 2-2; Clay Pomeroy, 2001-'02, 185 pounds, 0-3 in round robin bracket; Nathaniel Droese, 2001-'02, 76 pounds, 2-2, fourth place; Nathan Heberer, 2001-'02, 79 pounds, 3-2, fourth place; Luke Bindrich, 1999-2000, 80 pounds, 2-2; Adam Bruss, 1999-2000, 105, 2-2; and Samuel Larson, 1999-2000, 0-2.

Sophomore track efforts are encouraging

By Judy Harlow
Statesman Correspondent

From the looks of the efforts at the opening track meet of the season, sophomores will carry the load for the Kewaskum boys' team.

In the 43rd annual Oshkosh High School Invitational held indoors at the Kolf Field House on the UW-Oshkosh campus, Kewaskum finished in a tie for 16th place (with Lomira) with six points on the strength of a fifth place by sprinter Brandon Thull and a tie for seventh in the high jump by Jason Hanson. Both are sophomores and a couple other sophomores also performed well but not high enough to place.

There was a spirited battle for the title, with Seymour coming out on top in the Division 2 competition with 97 points and Little Chute second at 89. Freedom took third with 82, and from there the totals dropped into the 30s and less.

Thull raced to a time of 7 minutes and 0.49 seconds (7:49) in the 60-meter dash which started with a field of 50 runners. The 7.49 was the fifth-best time in preliminaries and moved Thull into the finals, where he turned in a 7.46, giving him fifth overall.

Jason Hanson cleared 5 feet, 10 inches (5-10) in the

high jump, giving him a tie for seventh place. Hanson also earned a point for his eighth place in the 800-meter dash where he turned in a time of 2:12.63, good for his initial outing of the year.

The high jump was a good event for the Indians, with Charlie Witek going 5-8, putting him in a tie for 11th with four others. He was three places away from earning points for the Indians.

Other notable performances included: a 10th by Ben Watzig in the shot put (42-09), a 13th by Thull in the long jump (18-02.25) and a 15th by Witek in the 400 (57.11).

The Indians' next meet, for underclassmen, will be held Friday at Sheboygan North. Jerry Gosa will again lead the boys and girls track teams for Kewaskum this year. Season previews and team photos will be published in a future edition.

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Youth Football & Cheerleading/Dance Registration for Fall 2014

Saturday, April 12, 2014

10:00 am to 1:00 pm

at Hon-E-Kor Golf & Country Club

Participation is open to youths entering the 5th thru 8th grades in the fall of 2014. **You must live in the Kewaskum School District.**

A parent or guardian **must** accompany any child registering.

This registration will include **both football players and cheerleaders.**

The registration fee is \$150 per player. For families having two or more players, the cost for the second player is \$100, and the cost for any third or additional player is \$75. The cost for cheerleaders is \$50 for each cheerleader.

Parents of all participants are **required** to perform volunteer duties for at least one home game or other activity.

All fees must be paid, and all forms must be completed before any individual will be issued equipment.

Please visit www.kewaskumgridiron.com to download the registration forms. Fill them out and bring them with you to sign up.

If you have any questions, please contact Jim Korth (262) 626-2520. For Cheerleading/Dance questions, call Kim Olson at 262-685-7275.

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