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## Water Leak Draws Attention To School Facility Needs – Kewaskum Voters To Decide Tuesday On School District Referendum

By Anne Trautner

Last Wednesday, water began pouring through a light fixture in the hallway at Kewaskum Middle School.

At first, school officials were afraid that the roof was leaking. But they soon realized the leak was caused when a water pipe broke.

“The galvanized piping is all corroding and rusting and needs to be replaced with copper pipes,” School Superintendent James Smasal said.

The pipes were installed when the middle school was built in 1972, Smasal said. Similar pipes and issues exist at Kewaskum High School, which dates back to the 1960s.

Over the years, the pipes have been repaired from time to time, but they are due for a complete overhaul, Smasal said.

Last week’s leak is a symptom of a larger problem.

A committee made up of 57 community members spent last year examining the school district’s facility needs. The group deter-

mined that the water pipes at the middle school and the high school, as well as other parts of the infrastructure, such as the electrical system, boilers, chillers, and the HVAC system, have outlived their useful lives.

The committee recommended to the school board in June that the district go to referendum. The board followed the committee’s recommendation and has presented the proposal to let the public decide.

On Tuesday, voters will decide on a \$28.42 million referendum to repair and reconstruct parts of the middle school and high school.

If it passes, taxpayers are projected to pay 19 cents on every \$1,000 worth of property value, beginning next December.

Fortunately, because it occurred during the school day, the cost to repair the leak was only about \$200 to \$500, Smasal said.

“If it would have happened on the weekend when no one was around, it would have been much more expensive for all

the cleanup,” Smasal said.

If the referendum does not pass, there are costly infrastructure needs that the district will likely face in the near future as old equipment needs to be repaired, said Doug Franzen, director of building and grounds for the district.

### Learning Environment

With the current HVAC systems, controlling temperature in the high school and middle school is challenging.

For example, in Kris Evans’ English classroom at KHS, the heat sometimes runs continuously.

The constant hum from the vent can be distracting for students, KHS Principal Scott Stier said.

“When you have that noise going continuously, it is difficult, especially for students with attention deficit disorders,” Stier said.

The vent’s noise level pales in comparison to the sound coming from classrooms on the other side of movable walls, however.

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Water pours through a light fixture at Kewaskum Middle School last Wednesday when an old galvanized pipe burst. The school district is going to referendum on Tuesday to seek voters’ input on whether the district should begin a building project, which would include replacing piping at the middle school and high school.

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Victoria and Harper Kenworthy (a.k.a. Maleficent and Giraffe) go trick or treating in Kewaskum on Saturday, Oct. 29.

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## KHS Students To Honor Veterans

Kewaskum High School will host a Veteran’s Day assembly on Friday, Nov. 11, at 10:40 a.m. The public is welcome.

For the assembly, the KHS field house will be decorated with paper airplanes to raise funds to send local veterans on the Honor Flight.

It is estimated that 640 World War II veterans die each day. KHS students realize that the opportunity to show the veterans gratitude for their service and sacrifice is quickly disappearing. The Kewaskum Key Club plans to change that.

Stacy La Ronge, Key Club Advisor said, “After participating in last year’s Veterans Day Assembly, the Key Club felt as if we, as a student body, do not adequately show how much our veterans’ service to our country means to us. We had a conversation about what we could do to better show our appreciation and that is when the idea of supporting the Honor Flight was created. After considering fundraisers from brat fries to bake sales, we decided on airplanes.”

The Key Club is selling paper airplanes for \$1. All donations will be

given to the Honor Flight to ensure that as many veterans as possible receive the opportunity to visit the memorials dedicated to them. The buyer of each airplane can decorate, sign or write a note of gratitude on the plane.

Presentation of the gift will take place during the Veterans Day assembly.

To make a donation, please contact Stacy La Ronge at slaronge@kewaskum-schools.org or (262) 626-8427, ext. 4359.

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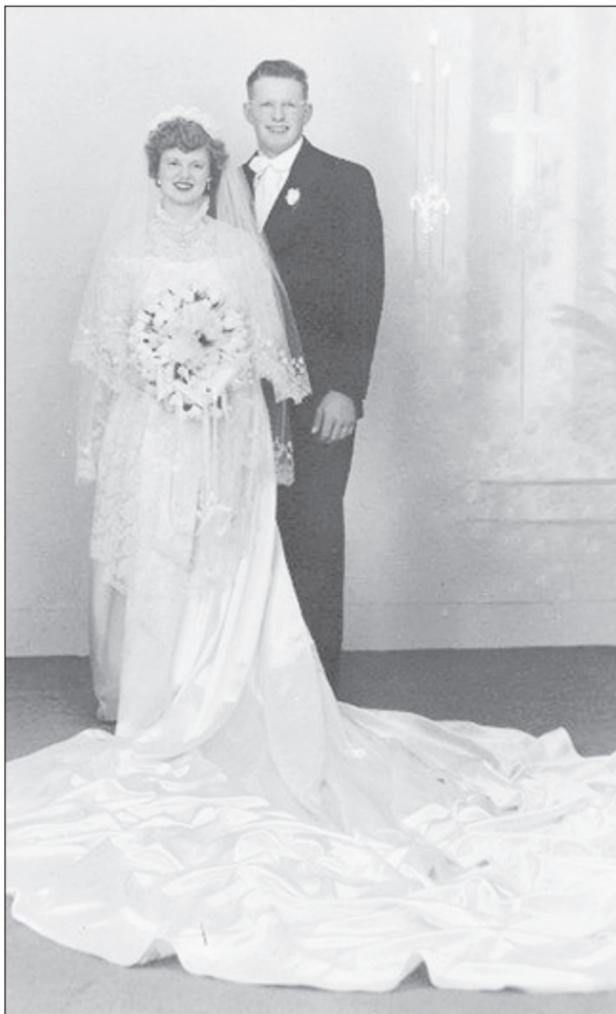
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**65TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

Ivan and Janet Kumrow will be celebrating 65 years of marriage on November 4, privately with family members. Ivan better known as "Ike" with the bike, married Jan on Sunday, Nov. 4, 1951 at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Town of Scott. They were High School sweethearts, along with being neighbors for many years. Two months after their marriage, Ike was called to military service with the Army and stationed in Virginia during the Korean War. Many years later, Ike was known for working for the U.S. Soil Conservation Service of Washington & Ozaukee County, along with his car repair business of "Ike's Repair Shoppe". Jan was: a receptionist, belonged to the 25 Year Club, and the manager of the Outlet Store all while working for Regal Ware. She is better known for her smiling face and still selling Avon. Even though they both are retired, that doesn't stop Ike from his hobby of building Purple Martin houses and his passion for Purple Martins.

The Kumrow's have 3 daughters, Margie (Corby) Felsher, Carrie (John) Kuehl & Penny (Daryl) Moldenhauer. They lost their son, Joel at 18 yrs. of age. They also have 5 grandchildren: Pastor Kyle (Caitlyn) Kuehl, Desiree (fiancé Wes) Kuehl, Destin Kuehl, Kierra Kuehl (Special Friend Austin) & Nicolette (Bob) Kearns, along with 3 great-grand children, and step-grandchildren & step-great grandchildren.



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Parts of both the middle school and high school were constructed back at a time when open classrooms were vogue, Smasal said.

As education evolved, collapsible walls were installed in both the middle school and high school.

The problem is that the thin walls are far from soundproof. They have a space below and above them, so noise carries through.

"The English classes rely on a lot of discussion and a lot of interaction. At times, students can't even hear what is being said in their classrooms because they can only hear what is going on next door," Stier said.

KHS student Frank Balzer agrees.

"It is especially hard to hear when the class next door cheers," Frank said.

**New Learning Spaces**

Agriculture teacher Shelly Oelhafen is familiar with dealing with noise from other classrooms.

Her room is adjacent to the shop class, with loud noises coming through the door that joins the two rooms. Her students try to block out noise from the air compressor, ventilation system and saws from the shop classes next door.

"The snowblower is really loud when they start that up," Oelhafen said.

If the referendum passes, Oelhafen's classroom will be relocated near the high school science classrooms. That will enable her to easily share learning supplies such as microscopes, she said.

In addition, the plan calls for a greenhouse to be added to the school.

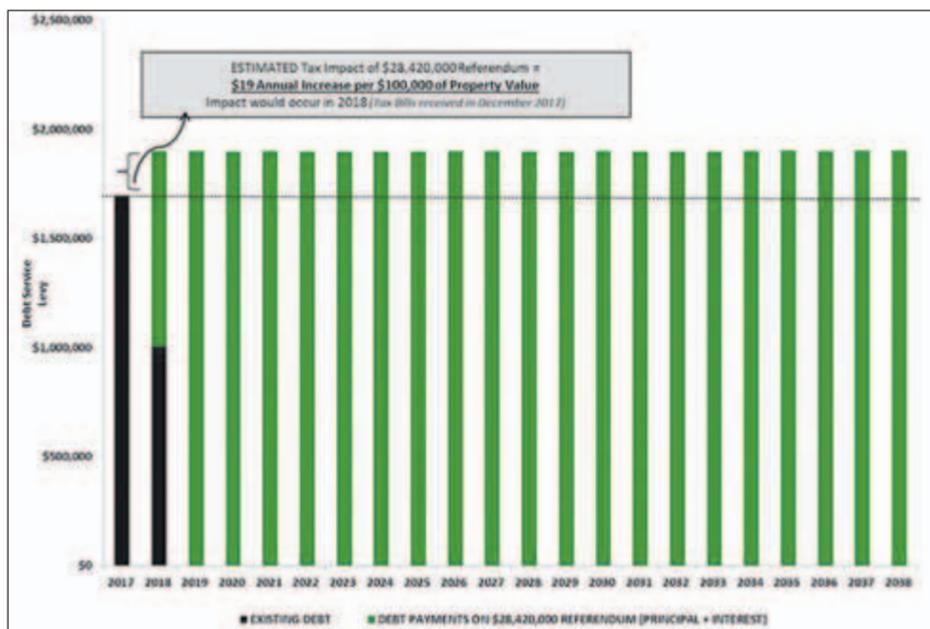
That is a dream that the school's FFA has been going after with fundraisers over the last several years.

If the greenhouse becomes a reality, not only would Oelhafen's agriculture classes and the FFA use it, but it would also be used by environmental science, biology and home economics classes as well, Oelhafen said.

The conceptual plan calls for the high school and middle school to be joined.

The new link would contain rooms for technology education classes.

If the plan goes through, the current tech ed space, which includes the shop



The Kewaskum School District will finish paying off its 1999 elementary school loan next year. If the referendum passes on Tuesday, the new debt would begin as the old one drops off. The tax impact is predicted to be a \$19 increase for \$100,000 worth of property.

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KHS students work on a snowblower during their shop class. The noise from their work carries over to the agri-science classroom next door. If the referendum passes on Tuesday, new technology education classrooms will be constructed.

photo by Anne Trautner

areas and the agriculture classroom, would be converted to house the Kewaskum Career Academy. Then district offices would be moved to the Career Academy, saving about \$50,000 a year in rental costs that the district now pays to Regal Ware.

Back at the middle school, students would no longer eat in the hallway, as they did last week when they experienced the leak. If the referendum passes, the current middle school gym would be converted into a cafeteria, and a new gymnasium would be added.

**The Cost**

If the referendum passes next week, the tax rate for property owners is estimated to go up by 19 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value.

That means for a \$100,000 home, property owners will have an annu-

al tax increase of \$19. For a property valued at \$150,000, the increase will be \$28.50 per year.

The actual tax rate increase will not be known until the district locks in on a loan.

The projected cost went down a couple weeks ago from an earlier estimate of 36 cents after the state released its final numbers for school districts.

The amount of state aid that the Kewaskum School District will receive for the 2016-17 school year increased by 2.6 percent over last year, which helped reduce the burden on taxpayers.

In addition, interest rates are at an all-time low. Because of that, the district's financial advisor, PMA Securities, Inc., adjusted the interest rate projection for the 20-year loan to 2.75 percent.

Over the past two years, the district has saved money on interest by pay-

ing extra money to pay off its 1999 loan on the elementary school early. That loan will now be paid off over the next year.

That means that if the referendum passes, the district will take on new debt as it retires the old one.

School districts in the state of Wisconsin are required to go to referendum any time they want to borrow \$1 million or more.

By law, the project cannot cost more than \$28.42 million. If the district ends up spending less than that amount on the project, it could use remaining funds for remodeling the middle and high schools, as well as equipment for the two schools, Smasal said. That could encompass things that are not currently on the conceptual plan, such as improving art room or special education facilities at the two schools, he said.

However, the funds cannot be reallocated and spent on the elementary schools or outdoor facilities, such as the football field, Smasal said.

For more information about the referendum, go to [www.kewaskum-schools.org/referendum](http://www.kewaskum-schools.org/referendum) or contact the school district office at [referendum@kewaskum-schools.org](mailto:referendum@kewaskum-schools.org) or (262) 626-8427.

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# Kewaskum School Board Approves 2016-17 Budget

By Anne Trautner

Taxpayers in the Kewaskum School District will be faced with a similar tax levy this year after the School Board last week approved a tax levy increase of 0.15 percent over last year.

With an increase in equalized property value, the tax rate is actually going down 30 cents for property owners in the district. The mill rate is going down from last year's rate of \$9.39 per \$1,000 worth of property to the new mill rate of \$9.09 for the 2016-17 school year.

The school board last Monday unanimously approved a tax levy of \$11,139,901, which is a \$16,919 increase from the 2015-16 school year.

"That \$16,919 is the difference of the parochial tax voucher increase, which comes in and goes right back out again. That got added on to the top [of the budget]," said Julie Thoreson, business manager for the district. "The levy related to the district remains flat."

This is actually the third year in a row that the levy, minus the parochial voucher tax, has remained flat, Thoreson said.

For the second year in a row, the district has used a

portion of its operating budget to pay extra money toward its 1999 elementary school loan.

This year, the district will pay an extra \$300,000 from its budget to pay off the 1999 loan early, saving taxpayers \$75,000 in interest, said James Smasal, superintendent for the Kewaskum School District.

In addition to approving the tax levy, the board last week passed a resolution to adopt a 2016-17 budget of \$25,429,032.

All of the board members except Tim Ramthun voted in favor of the new budget.

Ramthun said he voted no to the budget because when he looked at the final number, it was about \$1.6 million more than what he thought it should be.

That amount was due to the amount of money in interfund transfers, Thoreson said.

Interfund transfers are a journal entry that removes a negative balance for the special education fund, Smasal said. The interfund transfer is the net impact of special education costs on the general fund budget.

Under the 2015-17 state budget, school districts in Wisconsin pay for the cost of vouchers for new stu-



Kewaskum High School students sit in an English classroom that has collapsible walls that are not soundproofed. Voters will decide on Tuesday whether the district should begin a building project that would address the problem in the middle school and high school.

dents they lose to private schools.

The parochial voucher tax comes in under the revenue limit, but is itemized on both the revenue and expenditure sides of the budget, because they pass directly through the district from one source to another. The district does not actually use the funds, Thoreson said.

The district has no control over how much the state puts in the parochial school voucher tax. This is the second year of this type of tax in the Kewaskum School

District.

Although the funds are marked as line items on the school budget, the money comes in and goes out, without the district benefiting from the money, Smasal said.

In essence, as the state has increased the amount of parochial school vouchers, it has decreased the amount it pays for public school students, Smasal said.

At last week's board meeting, Thoreson presented the changes that had been made to the budget since it was first

introduced to the school board in July.

In July, the district had budgeted for a flat membership, but it came in two higher, Thoreson said.

"That resulted in changes in the exemptions. The change in revenue limit from the previous year is \$90,000, but that is a \$40,000 increase from what we saw in July," Thoreson said.

Thoreson has updated the board on the budget at each monthly board meeting since July.

In Wisconsin, the fiscal year for school districts

photo by Anne Trautner begins July 1.

However, school boards are not able to finalize the budget until after the student count is finalized and after the state releases its final numbers.

That means that school districts operate the first three to four months of the year under a preliminary budget. Nearly a third of the school year has gone by before school districts across Wisconsin have a finalized budget for that year.

## Kewaskum FFA's Annual Fruit Sale 2016

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	Number of Items/Total Cost
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2. 14 Navel Oranges 12 Braeburn Apples, 10 D' Anjou Pears	\$22.00
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4. 6 Texas Red Grapefruit, 12 Navel Oranges, 8 Braeburn Apples, 6 D'Anjou Pears	\$22.00
5. 11 Grapefruit, 18 Navel Oranges	\$22.00

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16. 1/2 lb. Hot Beef Sticks	\$5.00
17. 1/2 lb. Little Hot Sticks	\$5.00
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19. 1 lb. Package Cedar Valley String Cheese	\$8.00
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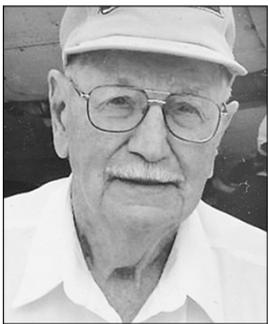
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OBITUARIES



Orville R. Schmidt

Orville R. Schmidt, 90, of Campbellsport went home to his Lord on Friday, October 28, 2016 at ManorCare in Fond du Lac.

He was born in Newburg on June 16, 1924, the son of Erwin and Minnie (nee Utech) Schmidt.

On June 17, 1944, Orville married Geraldine A. Frey at St. John's Lutheran Church in Newburg.

He served in the U.S. Army during WWII from 1943 to 1945 stationed in the Western Pacific.

Orville worked at A.O. Smith in Milwaukee and then at Tecumseh Power Products in Grafton for 30 years. Orville and Geraldine also operated a farm in the Newburg area.

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Dundee, Campbellsport VFW Post #8339, Empire Threshing Association and Kewaskum Historical

Society. Orville is survived by his daughter Cynthia Barry, his daughter-in-law Violet Schmidt, his grandchildren Laurel Nonhoff, Kristine Wolf, Stephen (Sarah) Barry and Michael (Brandy) Barry, his great grandchildren Josh, Julie, Alex, Bryanah, Ashley and MacKinley, his sisters Louella Schultz and Audrey (John) Schlelien, his brother-in-law Gary (Marilyn) Frey, his sisters-in-law Betty Jane Fichtner, Shirley Cool and Lillian Simko, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Geraldine on March 19, 2015, his son Jacob, his brother Palmer Schmidt, his sister Viona Kiether, his brothers-in-law George, Grant, Curt and Roger and his sisters-in-law Mildred, Alberta and Priscilla.

A funeral service was held on Wednesday, Nov. 2 at 1 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Dundee (W494 E. Elm Street Campbellsport, WI 53010).

Visitation was held at the church from 11 a.m. until time of service. Rev. Robert Oberg officiated and burial was in Auburn Cemetery.

Twohig Funeral Home, Campbellsport, is serving the family with online guestbook and condolences at [www.twohigfunerals.com](http://www.twohigfunerals.com).

# Kewaskum Attorney Retires After 45 Years

By Anne Trautner

After working as an attorney in the Village of Kewaskum for nearly 45 years, Gerald Kiefer has retired.

Kiefer has seen a lot of changes since he first set up his office in Kewaskum in February 1972.

When he started, there was no such thing as a fax machine. The copy machine that he used had a heat press to transfer print onto a page.

"After about three years or so, if you went into a file and picked out a photocopy, the printed letters would fall off the page as you touched it," said Kiefer.

He remembers the pre-computer days when his office had to use white out to correct letters.

"With wills, you couldn't have any mistakes. If you would get to the bottom of the page and would spell a name wrong or something, then you had to start all over," Kiefer said.

One of the highlights of his career was when Kiefer went to the state supreme court while representing the Kewaskum School District.

"They built the middle school, and we were able to save them a lot of money by using a legal mechanism that enabled them to build that without paying prevailing wage rates," Kiefer said.

At the time, municipal projects of more than \$20,000 needed to be bid out. In this case, the school district then had to pay the prevailing union wage rate. In this area, that is basically set in Milwaukee, Kiefer said.

"We were able to devise what was called a turn-key contract, where they did all the work and turned it over to us. About halfway through that, a gentleman in the school district who happened to be a union steward, started a lawsuit, alleging that this was not appropriate, that we had to follow the prevailing wage rate," Kiefer said.

Kiefer and the



Gerald Kiefer celebrates his retirement with his family. Family members include: (front row, from left) Aurelia Bodis (5) and Andrew Kiefer (3); and (back row) Rebecca Kiefer, Paul Bodis, Gerald Kiefer, Rosalynn Kiefer, Zander Bodis (3), Sarah Kiefer, William Kiefer (7 months), Leslie Kiefer and Peter Kiefer.

Kewaskum School District were able to prevail at both the county level and at the state supreme court.

"We were able to serve the community by having them get more school than they couldn't have gotten otherwise. That was fun," Kiefer said.

Over the years, Kiefer has represented five municipalities: the Village of Kewaskum, Village of Newburg, Village of Adel, Town of West Bend and Town of Scott. He has enjoyed the work, he said.

"All of my municipalities, it's been a pleasure working with them. They have been very, very good. I've been fortunate to have good leaders of the particular municipalities to work with over the years, from the village president to the village administrator," Kiefer said.

It has been interesting work, he said.

"With municipal work, you get to meet some characters on the other side of the table. Not characters from the board standpoint, but the people that appear in front of them. With the towns and the villages, that is your grassroots democracy at work. They can come in

and talk to these people, and they bump into them at the post office or the grocery store," Kiefer said.

With Kiefer's retirement, the Schloemer Law Firm, which is based in West Bend, has taken over Kiefer's Kewaskum office, located in the PNC Bank building on Fond du Lac Avenue.

"I was happy that the Schloemer Law Firm was taking over and continuing to operate a full-time, full-service law firm in Kewaskum. It was important for me to have someone here. They've been around since 1933, and they are a good law firm," said Kiefer, who has known attorney Jim Spella, a partner at the firm, his entire legal career.

Kiefer will continue doing some consulting work for the firm to help with the transition. His assistant, Cindy Schneider, will continue working at the office.

A native of Slinger, Kiefer said that Kewaskum has always been a good fit for him. It is the only place he has

photo by Anne Trautner

worked since earning his law degree from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

"I'm a small town guy," he said.

Kiefer has been representing some of his clients since he started here in 1972. He will miss working with them, he said.

"I'm excited about retirement, but it's kind of bitter-sweet. My clients have been good to me. A lot of them you get to be friends with over the years. You get to see them, their kids and their kids' kids," Kiefer said.

Kiefer plans to spend the winter in Florida with Rosalynn, his wife of 46 years.

"I would like to thank Jerry Kiefer formally for 40 years of service. I don't think anything in this village has lasted 40 years since I can remember, that includes village officials, appointed officials, elected and unelected," Kewaskum Village President Kevin Scheunemann said at a recent village board meeting. "I thank you for a job well done."

## SENIOR DINING MENU

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## XYZ Card Results

The winners of cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, Oct. 26, were:

Rita Kandel, Gus Muencho, Dolores Mielke, Karen Kissinging, Dennis Kleinke, Janet Jaeger and Dolores Eder.

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

## Tuesday Night Sheepshead Winners

Five-handed winners on Tuesday, October 25, were: Dave Dayton, 54-1-53, 23-7-22; Raymond Sippel, 61-8-53, 23-3-20; Gerold Stern, 60-8-52, 19-5-14; Katie Reimer, 54-6-48, 15-4-11; Sylvester Stern, 56-9-47, 16-7-9; Joe Reimer, 58-12-46, 19-6-13; Pat Heaslip 15 most loses and Sherri Olson 18 low points.

The next five-handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, Nov. 8, at 7:30 p.m. sharp. New players are always welcome at the Kewaskum Labor Center.

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Saturday, Nov. 5th • 3-7 PM  
at the Firehouse  
548 E. Main St., Campbellsport  
Fresh Homemade Soup, Desserts & Vendors

## WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

### Routine Patrol Inside Sandy Knoll County Park

On Saturday Oct. 29, at 3:27 p.m. a deputy was on routine patrol inside of Sandy Knoll County Park. The deputy located a parked vehicle and determined the registered owner of the vehicle had two active warrants including a felony arrest warrant for fifth offense drunk driving. Deputies made contact with the subject's wife near the car who indicated the couple was going for a walk when the husband saw the squad car and fled on foot. Deputies were unable to find the 39-year-old City of West Bend man. Later that evening at 9:25 p.m., a resident in the 6400 block of Beck Lane called after hearing a male subject yelling for help. Deputies located the subject in a marshy area, covered head-to-toe in mud, with no shoes. He was extremely cold and had suffered a hip injury. The investigation revealed at some point he had fallen, knocked himself unconscious, and in the process injured his hip. He was medically cleared and brought to jail.

### Female Subject STanding Near Fog Line

Sunday Oct. 30 at 12:22 a.m. a deputy was northbound on County Trunk WW south of County Trunk D when he observed a female subject standing near the fog line adjacent to his lane of traffic. As the deputy approached, she quickly juttied out in the traffic lane nearly being struck by the squad car. The deputy slammed on his brakes and activated the emergency lights. As the deputy exited the squad car, he heard her talking on a cell phone and make the comment, "The one car I try to walk in front of happens to be a cop." She then asked why the deputy slowed down. The roadway was briefly shut down as the deputy negotiated with the Town of West Bend woman. Eventually she was taken into protective custody and transported to a mental health facility in an effort to provide her with help.

### Routine Patrol Conducts A Traffic Stop

On Thursday, Oct. 27 a deputy on routine patrol conducts a traffic stop on a vehicle in the area of Highway 167 and 175 at 10:57 p.m. and verbally identifies the driver and passenger of the vehicle. As the deputy was attempting to confirm the identities of the subjects, the driver fled the scene on foot and ran between two residences. Since the deputy was the lone officer on the scene, he stayed with the vehicle to ensure the passenger did not drive off.

During the course of the investigation, the deputy was able to confirm the correct identity of the driver of the vehicle as Miguel Angel Ramirez, 30, from the City of Waukesha.

Ramirez is currently wanted for several outstanding warrants including possession with intent to deliver cocaine. He also has a lengthy violent criminal history and has ties to the criminal street gang Latin Kings. The Sheriff's Office set up a perimeter and called for Waukesha County's K9 team in an effort to locate the subject. That effort was unsuccessful.

### Theft Of A Motor Vehicle

At about 12:23 a.m Friday Oct. 28, we were called to a business in the 3600 block of Pleasant Hill Road for a report of a theft of a motor vehicle. This is about one mile away from the scene of the initial traffic stop. Investigators were able to develop the suspect's girlfriend, a 27-year-old City of Hartford woman, as an associate and probable destination. The City of Hartford located the stolen vehicle in a restaurant parking lot directly across the street from her residence.

The woman declined to cooperate with law enforcement and the investigation continues. If you have information about his current whereabouts contact the Sheriff's Office or the local police department.

### Amended Criminal Complaint Filed

The Sheriff's Office investigated a motor vehicle accident on September 23, 2016 at 7:44 a.m. that resulted in the arrest of a 43-year-old Village of Richfield woman for operation while intoxicated first offense with a criminal enhancer due to the suspect having her two children, ages seven and eight, in the vehicle at the time of the accident. The investigation revealed the woman was southbound on South 164 when she rear-ended a vehicle in front of her that was making a lawful left turn onto Hubertus Road. The force of the collision pushed the victim's vehicle 130 feet southeast of the intersection.

The suspect driver failed the field sobriety test and was arrested. The driver further stated she was not going to submit to an evidentiary test of her blood. The Sheriff's Office ultimately just obtained a search warrant for it. Once at the medical facility, and after she was presented with the search

warrant, the driver still refused, indicating she was never under arrest. After the driver was secured to the hospital gurney she decided to not actively resist the legal blood draw. The legal blood recently came back with a reported value of .246. The amended criminal complaint charged her with the increased BAC violation.

### Seventh Offense Drunk Driving

The Sheriff's Office responded to the area of Arthur Road and Highway 83 on Friday Oct. 21 at 9:10 a.m. for a motor vehicle accident. A citizen saw the accident and reported it to authorities. Upon the first squad's arrival, the operator of the suspect vehicle fled into a swampy area and hid. The suspect only came out of the swamp voluntarily after the second deputy arrived. The driver, identified as a 50-year-old Town of Hartford man, smelled of alcohol and asked investigating deputies to take him to jail. The subject was transported to Aurora Medical Center in Hartford where it was determined he had several back fractures from the accident. After medical clearance the following afternoon, he was brought to jail for his seventh offense drunk driving.

This is the third story that has been done this week where the operators of vehicles were arrested in the morning hours for drunk driving. The Sheriff's Office would like to remind everyone to remain vigilant during all hours of the day for drivers that are putting us all at risk.



Chloe Heisler, Ella Herman, Jason Toles and Elliana Bach work together carving pumpkins during Little Folks' Halloween Party.

-photo submitted



Connor Yapp hits the pinata at Little Folks School House's Halloween party.

-photo submitted

**KEWASKUM STATESMAN OFFICE HOURS:**  
**Mon. 9AM-5PM**  
**Tues. 9AM-12PM**  
**Wed.-Thurs. 9AM-4PM**  
**Friday 9AM-2PM**

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**Monday:** AUCE Spaghetti  
**Tuesday:** Chop Steak  
**Wednesday:** Liver & Onions  
**Thursday:** Gateway Chicken  
**Friday:** Cod • Perch • Walleye Shrimp • Salmon

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**Weekly HEALTH TIP**

**CAN READING BOOKS EXTEND LIFE?**

According to new research, reading books may be associated with longer life. Researchers examined data on about 3,600 adults over the age of 50 who were participants in a health study. They found that those who reported reading books up to 3-1/2 hours a week (about 1/2 hour per day) were 17% less likely to die in the 12-year follow-up period when compared to those who did not read books. Those who read more than that had a 23% reduced risk. Researchers said that book readers tended to live about 2 years longer than non-readers. Findings held even after adjusting for wealth, education, cognitive ability and other variables.

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Campbellsport  
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## DAYS GONE BY

## 5 Years Ago

November 3, 2011

The Village and a suspended police officer have reached a settlement to end his employment. The settlement ultimately sees the officer retiring from the department in May of 2012 and both parties releasing "all claims."

Kewaskum defenders hold Pewaukee running back Collin Sternad for no gain on third and four in the third quarter last Friday. The Pirates beat the Indians, 22-21, in overtime to advance in the playoffs.

A son, Xackary T., was born to Jennifer and Brian Kleinke of Kewaskum on Sept. 13.

## 15 Years Ago

November 1, 2001

Jerry Gilles of Kewaskum was awarded a Life Membership Award by the Wisconsin Wastewater Operators Association on October 4 at the Wisconsin State Convention.

Kettle Kountry Kolos Cheesecake eating contest winners were: first prize Sandy Amerling; second prize James Cox and third prize was Ross Kuehl.

Anthony M. Kudelko, 71, of Kewaskum passed away October 24.

## 25 Years

October 31, 1991

The Kewaskum Fire Department responded to a call on Saturday evening, October 19, to the Ted Shoofs home at 302 Third Street in Kewaskum, when their greenhouse was on fire. The fire, which was reported by a Regal Ware guard, was caused by an electric heater. The fire was confined to the immediate structure.

The firemen were called to East Moraine Drive one and a half miles east of Mill Road, on Friday, October 25 at 10:34 p.m. when a 1983 Plymouth vehicle caught on fire. The cause of the fire was not known.

A daughter, Sara Rose,

born to Kerry and Susan Klein of Kewaskum on Oct. 20.

## 50 Years

October 23, 1966

Mrs. Ida Lacke, 59, of Kewaskum, who resides with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gunther Uhlig, fell and broke her hip while feeding ducks on a pond some distance from her home Tuesday.

On Saturday evening, Oct. 22, a surprise dinner party was held at the Glacier Inn in honor of Walter Schmidts' 25 years of employment at Kewaskum Frozen Foods. he was presented a watch by his employers Mr. and

Mrs. Greg Nigh.

While doing repair work in a cottage at Forest Lake, Dick Dreher and Reuben Schultz of Kewaskum found an old newspaper from 45 years ago. the paper is a copy of the Chicago Daily Tribune dated April 13, 1921. It was addressed to August

Bartelt, Campbellsport, the late husband of Mrs. Alma Bartelt of Kewaskum. the banner headline reads "Harding for Peace at Once" and the subheading reads "Message Asks Declaration of end of War." A daughter born to Dr. and Mrs. Richard Wesenberg of Baltimore, Saturday, Oct. 15. A son to Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Engelman, Jr., of Kewaskum, Tuesday Oct. 25. A son to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mertzig, of Kewaskum, Wednesday, Oct. 19.

## 75 Years

October 31, 1941

Oscar Weinhold, 57, farmer residing two miles west of Adell, was instantly killed at about 10:30 a.m. Sunday when the car he was driving was struck by a southbound train of the Milwaukee Road at an intersection on the edge of the village of Adell.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bies of this village are the parents of a son, born Joseph's Hospital, West Bend. The baby was born on the same morning of the burial of the couple's little daughter Helen, aged

15 months, who was strangled to death by the rope of a swing while playing in the Bies' backyard last Thursday.

Private Curtis Romaine of Scott Field, Ill., spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Romaine.

## 100 Years

October 28, 1916

A large number of women of this village and on the rural routes are among the thousands of victims of the so-called National Brokerage Exchange, which offered a \$4.50 silk petticoat to every woman who would send the concern 10 cents in silver and write five letters to her friends urging them to join the "exchange". Thousands of letters, each containing 10 cents are purging into the Minneapolis post office daily from women in various parts of the country who have joined the "endless chain scheme" promoted by the so-called National Exchange.

A large crowd attended the duck raffle held at the J.P. Van Blarcom Place last Saturday.

A son born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kempf, last week.

The high school girls have now organized a basketball team.

At the show held in the E.F.U. Hall last week, Miss Myrtle Koch was voted the most popular lady. She received a set of silver knives and forks.

## Community Gatherings

To be included in the Community Gatherings, please submit your event prior to our 5 p.m. Monday deadline.

**Every Tuesday** - Preschool Storytime, West Bend Library, 10 a.m.

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**Every Wednesday** - Baby/Toddler Storytime, West Bend Library, 9:15 a.m.

**Every Thursday** - Preschool Storytime, West Bend Library, 6:30 p.m.

**Every Thursday** - The Campbellsport Public Library will be close every Thursday until May.

**Every Friday** - Roaming Readers, Campbellsport Library, 9:30 a.m.

**Every Saturday** - Municipal yard is open from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**Saturday, November 5** - Holiday Wonder Art and Craft Expo at the Fond du Lac County Fairgrounds Recreation Building in Fond du Lac, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Saturday, November 5** - Campbellsport Auxiliary Soup Sampler, Campbellsport Firehouse 548 E Main St., 3 p.m. - 7 p.m.

**Saturday, November 5** - Women of Christ Conference at Washington County Fair Park. For more information or to register visit womenofchrist.net or call 262-384-8414.

**Monday, November 7** - Read with Rover, West Bend Library, 3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**Monday, November 7** - Library board meeting, Campbellsport Library, 6 p.m.

**Tuesday, November 8** - Cookies and Crafts, 3:45 p.m., School age kids are invited to make a fish bowl and to enjoy a sweet treat.

**Tuesday, November 8** - Town of Osceola meeting, 6:30 p.m., Osceola Town Hall, W1475 Highway F.

**Tuesday, November 8** - Town of Farmington meeting 7 p.m., Town Hall, 9422 Highway 144.

**Tuesday, November 8** - CLUE: A Mystery Book Club, 5:30 p.m., West Bend Library, The Brutal Telling by Louise Penny.

**Wednesday, November 9** - Bingo, Annex Building, Kewaskum, Registration 4:30 p.m., Bingo 6:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, November 9** - Night Owls, Campbellsport Library, Storyhour 10:30 a.m., join us to sing songs about owls.

**Wednesday, November 9** - Paint a Cardinal in the Snow scene at 6:15 p.m., Campbellsport Library.

**Wednesday, November 9** - If you love to sing and have Wednesday evening, consider joining with the voices of Peace UCC and Holy Trinity as we prepare for our annual ecumenical Thanksgiving Eve service. The two rehearsals are scheduled for 7:00 PM at Peace Church, second floor, second room on the right, on Wednesday, November 9th., and November 16th. You will be able to learn the two songs with these rehearsals and add your voice to this wonderful event. We will be singing at Peace United Church of Christ on Wednesday, November 23, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. If you are interested in singing with this combined voice choir, plan on attending these rehearsals with us. You don't have to belong to either of these churches to come and sing. Please feel free to call Larry Ammel at 262-343-6446, if you have any questions or need further information.

**Wednesday, November 9** - Lecture: Hands Up or Fists Up? 3:30 p.m., Free admission and parking. No reservations required. Join us for the monthly Scholar Sip in the Learning Commons (within library). UW-Washington County, 400 S. University Drive, West Bend (second floor) For more information, contact Lee Wagner (library), (262)-335-5206 or lee.wagner@uwc.edu.

**Wednesday, November 9** - Once Upon A Crime, 3 p.m., West Bend Library, Monster in the Box by Ruth Rendell.

**Thursday, November 10** - Kiwanis Early Risers Family Fun Night with Bill Kehl's at West Bend Library, 6:30 p.m.

**Friday, November 11** - Christmas Open House, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Lammscapes, 2708 Sherman Road, Jackson, get a jump start on the season, bow making demos, new decor for Christmas, prize drawings and more.

**Friday, November 11** - Veterans' Day Program & Social, 12 p.m. Veterans program with speaker Kurt Rusch, Washington County Veteran Service Specialist, All veterans and their families are welcome. Lunch and social follows program. Free admission and parking. No reservations required. UW-Washington County, 400 S. University Drive, West Bend, Theatre (2nd floor), For more information, contact Maria Graciano at (262) 335-5243 or maria.graciano@uwc.edu.

**Saturday, November 12** - Christmas Open House, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Lammscapes, 2708 Sherman Road, Jackson, get a jump start on the season, bow making demos, new decor for Christmas, prize drawings and more.

**Saturday, November 12** - Trainfest at the Wisconsin Expo Center at State Fair Park in West Allis, 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**Saturday, November 12** - Great Hartford Craft Exposition, Hartford Union High School, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Sunday, November 13** - Kermis Soup Dinner, 10:30 a.m. - 2 p.m., Carry outs available after 7:30 a.m. Mass, St Martin Chapel (Ashford) N1271 Minnie Lane.

**Sunday, November 13** - Trainfest at the Wisconsin Expo Center

at State Fair Park in West Allis, 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**Sunday, November 13** - Bingo, held at the Town of Scott Community Center, N1360 Hwy 28 Batavia, doors open at 11:30 a.m., bingo starts at 1 p.m., concessions open at 12 p.m.

**Sunday, November 13** - Fond du Lac Symphonic Band Cathedral Concert at St. Paul's Cathedral Church in Fond du Lac, 3 p.m.

## An Upcoming Calendar of Events for the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest...

**Thursday, November 3** - Those Sly Foxes Nature Storytime, 6 p.m. - 7 p.m., Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). If you are lucky, you may catch a glimpse of a shy, sly fox. Come investigate the world of these secretive animals. This hour of nature fun awaits three to six year olds with accompanying adults.

**Friday, November 4** - Those Sly Foxes Nature Storytime, 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m., Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). If you are lucky, you may catch a glimpse of a shy, sly fox. Come investigate the world of these secretive animals. This hour of nature fun awaits three to six year olds with accompanying adults.

**Thursday, November 10** - Gottfried Arboretum's. Create a Winter Wreath, Session 1: 1 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. or Session 2: 6 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). Using a variety of natural materials, create a beautiful wreath and swag that will enhance your home's winter decor. To register for a session, call 920-940-8869 by November 9. Space is limited. This program is best for people over 12 years old. Cost: \$20.00/person; fee payable to the Gottfried Arboretum.

**Saturday, November 12** - Whitetail Secrets Exploring Nature Program, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). Autumn is a great time of year to look for signs of whitetail deer. We'll explore a deer's territory to uncover the secrets of these magnificent animals. This program is best for families/groups with children between the ages of 6 and 12 years.

All the events are free except at locations where a Wisconsin State Park System vehicle admission sticker is required or where a fee is listed. The events are held within the Kettle Moraine State Forest - Northern Unit at the locations listed for each event. The Ice Age Visitor Center is located about 20 miles north of West Bend and 20 miles south of Fond du Lac.

## An Upcoming Calendar of Events for River Edge Nature Center

**Friday, November 4** - Phenology Finders, 1 p.m. - 2:30 p.m., Join us on this afternoon hike as we head out on the trails to find signs of the seasons. Explore our fall prairies, explore our wetlands for reptiles, and hike along the Milwaukee River to hear and see birds. Riveredge Members: Free, Non-Members: \$5/adult, \$3/12 & under, pre-registration required.

**Saturday, November 5** - Riveredge Kids Cooking Series: Appetizing Autumn, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., This program will be a feast for your mind and your appetite! Create delicious, easy-to-make recipes for beginner chefs and harvest fresh ingredients from the Children's Organic Garden. This session's menu includes smashing your own applesauce, pressing apple cider, a zingy apple-cranberry chutney, and warm sweet apple pudgie pies. Please be prepared to share any food allergies your child may have. This program is limited to children 8-12 only, adults sit this one out to let their young chefs learn how to whip up a storm. Non-Members: \$15/child, Riveredge Members: \$10/child, Pre-registration required.

**Thursday, November 10** - Little Explorers Playgroup, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Let's gather in the Natural Play Area and share the wonder of nature through outdoor play. We will also venture into forests, fields, ponds and more. Nature sensory bins for babies and exploration tools for older children will be available. Indoor activities will be planned in case of inclement weather. Suggested ages 0-4 years old. Non-Members & Trail Pass Members: \$5/child, All Access Members: Free.

**Saturday, November 12** - Children's Library Storytime: New Moon by Pegi Deitz Shea, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., After baby Vinnie's big brother shows her the full moon on a cold, clear night, she longs to see it again. The moon isn't out the next night, and then, it's overcast. Finally, Vinnie's brother takes her to a snowy hillside to see the crescent moon in the daytime. The two youngsters don their snowsuits and run out to celebrate. Free for all participants.

For more information about Riveredge Nature Center, please go to their website at riveredgenaturecenter.org or call (262)375-2715. The Center is located about a mile northeast of Newburg off of County Highway Y/Hawthorne Drive. The center is open seven days a week.

## St. Joseph's Hospital To Host Free Prostate Cancer Screening

Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital will host a free prostate cancer screening Tuesday, Nov. 1, 5-8 p.m. at the hospital's Kraemer Cancer Center, 3200 Pleasant Valley Road, West Bend.

A free prostate cancer screening will also be held at Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin Community Memorial Hospital Thursday, Nov. 10, 5-8 p.m. at the hospital's Cancer Care Center, W180 N8085 Town Hall Road, Menomonee Falls.

Space is limited. Registration is required. Call 1-800-272-3666 to register or for more information.

Men should speak with their physician about prostate cancer screening and their risk factors at:

• Age 50: Men who are at average risk of prostate cancer and are expected to live at least 10 more years.

• Age 45: Men at high risk of developing prostate cancer. This includes African Americans and men who have a first-

degree relative (father, brother or son) diagnosed with prostate cancer at an early age (younger than age 65).

• Age 40: Men at even higher risk (those with more than one first-degree relative who had prostate cancer at an early age).

Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital, founded in 1930 by local doctors, community leaders and the Sisters of the Divine Savior, is a full-service hospital serving residents of West Bend and Washington County. St. Joseph's Hospital, specializing in women's health and birthing services, cancer care, surgical procedures and rehabilitation services, is part of the Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin health care network, which also includes Froedtert Hospital, Milwaukee; Community Memorial Hospital, Menomonee Falls; and more than 30 primary and specialty care health centers and clinics.



# St. Lucas Grandparents Day A Great Success

Grandparents came from far and near to experience a day in the life of their grandchildren at St. Lucas Lutheran School. The school appreciates grandparents for coming for the day and recognizing veterans for their service. The school recognizes

its helpers directing traffic and keeping all supplies stocked and those who brought food items. Everyone working together made the day a huge success.

The students are grateful for St. Lucas teachers, Kriss Theisen and David

Stoltz, who create a loving and engaging educational environment. Grandparents enjoyed the projects and science experiments and children enjoyed spending time with their grandparents. What a great day.



Beatrice Gudex spends time with her great-grandson Garrett Pickering at St. Lucas School.

-photo submitted

## AREA CHURCH SERVICES

### Kewaskum

**Holy Trinity Catholic Church**  
331 Main St., Kewaskum  
Reconciliation Saturdays at 3:15 p.m. Saturday Mass at 4:00 p.m., Sunday Mass at 7:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Tuesday Mass at 5 p.m. Wednesday-Friday Mass at 7:45 a.m. Father Edwin Kornath, 262-626-2860.

**St. Michael's Catholic Church**  
8883 Forest View Rd., Kewaskum  
Sunday Mass at 9 a.m. Father Edwin Kornath, 262-334-5270.

**Peace United Church of Christ**  
343 First St., Kewaskum  
Sunday Worship at 8 a.m. Sunday School with Worship at 9:30 a.m. Adult supervised nursery during 9:30 a.m. service. 262-626-4011

**St. Lucas WELS**  
1417 Parkview Dr., Kewaskum  
Saturday Worship at 6 p.m. Sunday Worship at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Sunday School / Bible Hour at 9:15 a.m. Phone (262) 626-2680.

**Kettlebrook - Kewaskum Site**  
**Kewaskum High School Theatre**  
Sunday Gathering at 10 a.m. Dan Kelm, Pastor, Phone 262-365-0980. Sites also in West Bend and Jackson. Visit: www.kettlebrook.org.

**Kewaskum House of Prayer**  
100 Clinton St., Kewaskum  
Services on Sundays at 10 a.m. & 6 p.m. & Thursdays at 7 p.m. Pastor Joseph Brath. 262-626-8337.

### Kohlsville

**St. John's Evangelical Church**  
5696 Beaver Dam Rd., Kohlsville, WI 53090  
Worship at 10 a.m. Fellowship Meal Wednesdays at 6 p.m. Bible Study Wednesdays at 7 p.m. Pastor Terrie R. Beede 414-861-4613.

### Boltonville

**New Horizon United Church of Christ**  
9663 Highway 144, Kewaskum  
Sunday morning Worship at 9 a.m. Pastor David Schlieter. Phone 262-692-6444.

### Beechwood Lake Area

**Immanuel Lutheran Church**  
W8497 Brazelton Dr., Random Lake  
Sunday at 8:45 a.m. and Saturday at 6:30 p.m. Phone 920-994-9060.

### New Fane

**St. John Lutheran Church**  
(Missouri Synod) - New Fane  
Sunday Divine Worship Services at 7:30 and 9 a.m. Thursday evening Worship at 7 p.m. Holy Communion first and third Sundays of the month at 9 a.m. service, and the following Thursdays; second and fourth Sundays of the month at 7:30 a.m. service. Rev. Mark Eckert. Phone 262-626-2309.

### Wayne

**Salem United Church of Christ Wayne, WI**  
Located north of intersection Hwy W and Hwy H/Mohawk Rd (5 mi west of Kewaskum on H). Sunday Worship and Church School 9 a.m. Adult Bible Study 10:15-11 a.m. Holy Communion the first Sunday of the month. Pastor Ruth Hansen. Phone 262-626-4000. Find us on Facebook at SalemUCCWayneWI.

### Allenton

**Zion Ev Lutheran Church (WELS)**  
6430 County Rd D, Allenton, WI 53002  
Worship Hours: Thursday Evenings at 7:00 p.m. and Sundays at 7:30 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. Sunday School at 8:30 a.m. Pastor Steve Bode, 262-629-5914

### Campbellsport

**First Baptist Church of Campbellsport**  
326 E. Main Street, Campbellsport  
Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Worship Services at 10:30 a.m. Prayer Service Wednesday at 7 p.m. Bible based, Christ centered, family oriented. Pastor David Nothem, 920-533-8929. All Are Welcome!

**First United Methodist Church**  
203 N. Fond du Lac Ave, Campbellsport  
Sunday Service 9:45 a.m. Sunday School at 9 a.m. We are a friendly church with an excellent rotating speaker schedule that brings a new perspective each week. Communion the first Sunday of each month. In case of emergency, call Rev. Rom Pegram of UMC Lomira at 920-269-4411.

**The Campbellsport Alliance Church**  
N1876 Cty. Rd. V, Campbellsport, WI  
Sunday Worship Service 9 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: Small Group Bible Studies at 6:30 p.m. and Awana Club (K-sixth grade) 6:30 p.m., Youth Group (senior and junior high) on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Rev. Douglas Birr, Phone 920-533-5123.

**Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church (Wisconsin Synod) - 350 S. Helena St., Campbellsport**  
Sunday morning services at 7:45 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Study at 9 a.m. Monday evening service at 7 p.m. Visitors are always welcome. Rev. Paul Cerny. Phone 920-533-4385.

**United Christian Church of Campbellsport (United Church of Christ)**  
228 Forest Street  
Sunday morning worship services will be held at 9 a.m. Communion the first Sunday of the month. Wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome with us. Rev. Paula N.M. Anderson, 920-533-5369.

**St. Matthew's Catholic Church**  
Main and Helena Streets, Campbellsport  
**St. Martin's Chapel - Ashford**  
St. Kilian Chapel - St. Kilian  
Parish Office, 419 Mill Street, Campbellsport  
**St. Matthew:** Monday 8:30 a.m.-Communion Service; Tuesday 8:30 a.m.-School Mass; Wednesday 8:30 a.m.-Communion Service; Thursday 8:30 a.m.-Communion Service; Friday 8:30 a.m.-Mass; Saturday 4 p.m.-Mass; Sunday 9 a.m.-Mass  
**St. Kilian:** 4th Sunday of the month at 7:30am  
**St. Martin:** 2nd Sunday of the month at 7:30am  
Fr. Mark Jones. Phone 533-4441. New parishioners are always welcome.

### Dundee

**Trinity Lutheran Church (Wisconsin Synod)**  
Dundee, WI  
Monday Worship 7 p.m., Sunday Worship at 8 & 10:30 a.m. Sunday School/Bible Class at 9:15 a.m. Visitors always welcome. Holy Communion second & last weekends of each month. Rev. Bobby Oberg. Located at the corner of First and Elm Streets, Dundee. Phone 533-4138

### Lomira

**St. Mary's Catholic Church - Lomira**  
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## Clergy Coalition For Coats

The local Kewaskum Clergy has joined forces with Kewaskum schools, businesses and the Village of Kewaskum to organize a Coat Exchange for those in need within our local community.

"As churches, we always celebrate the opportunity to live out our faith in the service to others. This is a wonderful opportunity for all of us to care for others in our community," said Pastor Eric Kirkegaard, Peace United Church of Christ.

The goal is to give parents an opportunity to turn in their child's outgrown winter coat and exchange it for a larger size.

"If they don't have a coat to exchange they can come pick up a coat for a child, teen or adult in need," stated Jan Chapman, Pupil Services Director, Kewaskum Schools.

The Coat Exchange will take place on Monday, Nov. 21 at the Kewaskum Middle School Cafeteria from 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.

The coalition is requesting the help of all community members. In order to make the Coat Exchange a success we need the community to donate new or gently used coats, hats, mittens, snow pants, boots - all sizes, child through adult. The coalition will

have donation bins set up at various locations through November 17. Consider cleaning your closets and donating your unneeded winter outerwear to help others in need. Monetary donations will also be accepted.

Donation Drop-off Locations:

- Geidel's Piggly Wiggly
- Holy Trinity Church
- Kettlebrook Church
- Kewaskum Schools
- Kewaskum Village Hall
- New Horizon Church
- Peace United Church
- St. Lucas Church
- St. Michael's Church
- Westbury Bank

## Senior Citizens' Thanksgiving Dinner To Be Held November 19

On Saturday, Nov. 19, the Kewaskum Key Club, in conjunction with the Kiwanis Club of Wisconsin, will be holding its annual Senior Citizens' Thanksgiving Dinner. The menu will include traditional holiday favorites such as turkey, dressing,

mashed potatoes, vegetables and dessert.

This is an opportunity for seniors in the district to come and enjoy a good meal in the company of other local seniors. There is no cost for this outing, and no reservations are needed. Just come as you

are and enjoy a pleasant gathering. The meal will be served from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Kewaskum High School cafeteria. All community seniors are invited to attend.



The Kewaskum Legion breakfast cooking crew works at the pancake breakfast this past Sunday. Pictured (from left) are: Wayne Rimmel, Roger Strack, Tom Fabitz, Roger Heberer, Mel Raddatz and Dennis Bingen.

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## School Happenings

### i4Learning Community School

- Saturday, November 5**  
 ✓ Pizza Sale Set Up, Entire Building, 12 p.m. - 2 p.m.  
 ✓ Pizza Sale, Entire Building, 2 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 8**  
 ✓ Wayne Crusaders 4H meeting, cafeteria, 5:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.
- Thursday, November 10**  
 ✓ i4L Intramurals, gym, 3:40 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

### Kewaskum Elementary School

- Thursday, November 3**  
 ✓ Conferences, 4 p.m. - 8 p.m.
- Monday, November 7**  
 ✓ Girls Intramurals, gym, 3:40 p.m. - 4:35 p.m.

### Farmington Elementary School

- Thursday, November 3**  
 ✓ Conferences, 4:15 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.
- Friday, November 4**  
 ✓ Fall Clean-up, Grades 3-5, parents welcome, 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
- Monday, November 7**  
 ✓ Cloverbud/Explorer/Art meeting, cafeteria, 5:45 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 8**  
 ✓ Girl Scouts of Manitou Troop #8394, cafeteria, 3:40 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

### Kewaskum Middle School

- Thursday, November 3**  
 ✓ Boys Basketball at North Fond du Lac, 4:15 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 8**  
 ✓ Boys Basketball vs Rosendale Intermediate, 4:15 p.m.
- Thursday, November 10**  
 ✓ Boys Basketball at Waupun, 4:15 p.m.

### Kewaskum High School

- Thursday, November 3**  
 ✓ KHS Football Team Meal, cafeteria, 5 p.m. - 6 p.m.
- Friday, November 4**  
 ✓ Varsity Football Playoffs, at Catholic Memorial, 7 p.m.
- Saturday, November 5**  
 ✓ Football Films, theater, 8 a.m. - 11 a.m.
- Sunday, November 6**  
 ✓ Boys Soccer Banquet, cafeteria, 5:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.
- Monday, November 7**  
 ✓ Boys Varsity Bowling @ West Bend West, 4 p.m.
- Thursday, November 10**  
 ✓ KHS Football Team Meal, cafeteria, 5 p.m. - 6 p.m.
- Friday, November 11**  
 ✓ Veteran's Day assembly, Public Welcomed, field house, 10:40 a.m.
- ✓ KHS Musical, theater, 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
- Saturday, November 12**  
 ✓ Football Films, theater, 8 a.m. - 11 a.m.  
 ✓ KHS Musical, theater, 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.  
 ✓ KHS Musical, theater, 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.



Mason Schulenberg and Riley Krebs work together to make homemade applesauce at Little Folks School House.

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## BREAKFAST MENUS

Menus for Nov. 7 - Nov. 11 Breakfast	Uncrustable.
<b>Kewaskum High School and Middle School</b> <b>Mon.:</b> Pancake Wrapped Sausage on a Stick, Diced Pears, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. <b>Tues.:</b> Fruity Flatbread Pizza, Green Apple Halves, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. <b>Wed.:</b> Egg Patty and Cheese on an English Muffin, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. <b>Thurs.:</b> Breakfast Pizza, Pineapple Tidbits, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. <b>Fri.:</b> Breakfast Buffet (Variety of Breakfast Items), Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. Other Breakfast Items: Pillsbury Bagels, Banana/Zucchini Bread, Fruit Muffins, Cinnamon Rolls, Cereal/Granola Bars, Cold Cereal, 4 oz. Yogurt, String Cheese, Yogurt Parfaits,	<b>Kewaskum District Elementary Schools</b> <b>Mon.:</b> Fruity Flatbread Pizza, Mandarin Oranges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. <b>Tues.:</b> Egg and Cheese in a Wholegrain Pita Pocket, Green Apple Halves, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. <b>Wed.:</b> Bacon, Egg and Cheese Croissant, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. <b>Thurs.:</b> Pancake Wrapped Sausage on a Stick, Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. <b>Fri.:</b> Pillsbury Mini Pancakes, Red Apple Halves, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk. Other Breakfast Items: Cold Cereal Bowls, Fruit Muffin, Fruit Breads, Cereal/Granola Bars, NutriGrain Bars, Graham Cracker Snacks, Poptarts, 4 oz. Yogurt, String Cheese, Uncrustable. All Menus Are Subject To Change.

## LUNCH MENUS

Menus for Nov. 7 - Nov. 11 Lunch Menu	BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich.
<b>Kewaskum High School Lunch Menu</b> <b>Mon.:</b> Soft Shell Tacos, Taco Meat/Refried Beans with All the Fixin's, Fiesta Corn, Fresh Apple Slices, Pineapple Tidbits. <b>Tues.:</b> Philly Steak Sandwich, French Fries, Fresh Broccoli, Clementines, Diced Pears. <b>Wed.:</b> Turkey and Gravy Mashed Potatoes, Steamed Green Beans, Stuffing, Cinnamon Apple Slices, Craisins. <b>Thurs.:</b> Mac and Cheese Bar, Glazed Carrots, Chopped Romaine, Banana halves, Diced Peaches. <b>Fri.:</b> Cheese Omelet, Wholegrain Pancakes, Tator Tots, Jicama Sticks, Orange Wedges, Apple Juice.	<b>Kewaskum District Elementary Schools</b> <b>Mon.:</b> Soft Shell Tacos, Taco Meat/Refried Beans with All the Fixin's, Buttered Corn, Pineapple Tidbits. Second Choice: Grilled Cheese and Tomato Soup. <b>Tues.:</b> Pepperoni Pizza, Glazed Carrots, Romaine Lettuce, Rosy Applesauce, Treat - Ice Cream Cup. Second Choice: PB and J with String Cheese. <b>Wed.:</b> Diced Turkey and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Steamed Green Beans, Wholegrain Dinner Roll, Craisins. Second Choice: Bratwurst. <b>Thurs.:</b> Ham or Turkey Sub, Baked Beans, Jicama Sticks, Sun Chips, Strawberry Spinach Salad, Diced Peaches. Second Choice: Pizza Sticks. <b>Fri.:</b> Cheese Omelet, Wholegrain Pancakes, Mini Tri Tator, Green and Red Pepper Strips, Apple Juice. Second Choice: Grilled Chicken Sandwich.
<b>Kewaskum Middle School</b> <b>Mon.:</b> Soft Shell Tacos, Taco Meat/Refried Beans with All the Fixin's, Buttered Corn, Cherry Tomatoes/Pineapple Tidbits. Second Choice: Burger Bar. <b>Tues.:</b> Diced Turkey and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes/Stuffing, Steamed Green Beans, Cinnamon Apple Slices/Craisins, Treat - Ice Cream Cup. Second Choice: Cheese/Pepperoni Pizza. <b>Wed.:</b> Chicken Pesto Croissant, Baked Beans, Sun Chips, Fresh Baby Carrots, Rosy Applesauce. Second Choice: Chili Cheese Dog. <b>Thurs.:</b> Chicken Tenders, Glazed Carrots, Chex Mix, Jicama Sticks, Diced Pears. Second Choice: Deli Bar. <b>Fri.:</b> Scrambled Eggs, Wholegrain Pancakes, Mini Tri Tator, Green and Red Pepper Strips, Apple Juice. Second Choice:	<b>Holy Trinity School</b> <b>Mon.:</b> Chicken Alfredo, Wholegrain Rotini, Buttered Wholegrain Bread, California Blend, Assorted Fruits. <b>Tues.:</b> Beef Taco or Chicken Fajita, Mexican Rice, Green Beans, Assorted Fruits. <b>Wed.:</b> Grilled Hamburger, French Fries, Baked Beans, Fresh Veggies, Assorted Fruits. <b>Thurs.:</b> Popcorn Chicken, Mashed Potato Bowl, Homemade Wholegrain Roll, Corn, Assorted Fruits. <b>Fri.:</b> Tator Tot Casserole, Buttered Wholegrain Bread, California Blend, Assorted Fruits. All Menus Are Subject To Change.



Morgan Vetter, a second grader at Farmington Elementary School, reads with her grandfather at school.

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## Ideas For Parents: Easy Things To Help Your Child Succeed – Parent Involvement In School

Why do some kids grow up with ease while others struggle? Search Institute Researchers identified specific, practical things that can have a tremendous and lasting positive impact on youth. Rather than focusing on the problems, this research concentrates on the Developmental Assets – the positive things (such as parent support and commitment to learning) that help young people thrive. The assets are values, experiences and positive qualities that young people need to help them make wise decisions and choose positive lifestyles. The more assets they have, the better.

### Parent Involvement In School

Youth are more likely to grow up healthy when their parents are involved in their education and school.

### Staying Involved In School

It's a downward trend. As children start kindergarten, parents are quite involved with their education. We attend parent-teacher conferences, cheer on our children at school concerts and events, and hang up schoolwork in the family art gallery: on the refrigerator. But sometimes we distance ourselves from school as our children grow older. Kids seem to be doing well without as much involvement. They're supposed to be independent, right? Kids need their parents to stay actively involved in their education throughout

middle and high school. Parents can easily stay involved in small ways that will make a difference. For example:

- Maintain ongoing communication with your child's teacher(s). Call to check in every month – before trouble appears. See if teachers have email.
- Join a parent-teacher organization. If you can't volunteer a lot of time, say so.
- Volunteer to help out in small ways. Check with the teacher or the schools volunteer coordinator.
- Help seniors fill out college applications.
- Volunteer to speak on career days
- Attend all conferences. If you can't make it on the designated date, arrange to meet another time.
- Read the same book your child is assigned in English class, and talk about it together.

### Children's Pride

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# UW-WC Student Veterans Plan Ceremony

The Student Veterans of America Club at UW-Washington County (UW-WC) are commemorating Veterans Day on Friday, Nov. 11, with a ceremony that begins at noon in the campus theatre. All area veterans and their families as well as the general public are welcome to attend. No reservations are needed.

According to Jacob Kachellek, President of the Student Veterans of America Club, the 40 minute presentation will include colors, provided by the local VFW. The keynote speaker is Kurt

Rusch, Veterans Service Officer for Washington County. A Veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps, Kurt has served at the Washington County Veterans Service Office for the past year. With a passion for serving his fellow Veterans, Kurt "cannot think of a better population to serve than my fellow vets." He earned a Bachelor degree in Political Science and a Master's degree in Public Administration from UW-Milwaukee. He has held positions in the public and private sector as a program manager, fundrais-

ing manager and vice president of sales. Kurt lives in Grafton, WI with his wife and four children.

The Veteran's club plans to serve lunch and refreshments (while supplies last) following the ceremony.

For more information, contact Maria Graciano in Student Affairs, maria.graciano@uwc.edu or phone 262-335-5243. UW-Washington County is located at 400 S. University Drive in West Bend. Free parking is available in the main and upper lot for the duration of the event.



The following people serve food this past Sunday at the American Legion Post 384 pancake breakfast: (from left) Paul Fellenz, Lianne Becht, Shirley Fellenz, Pat Dorn and Ruth Ewert.

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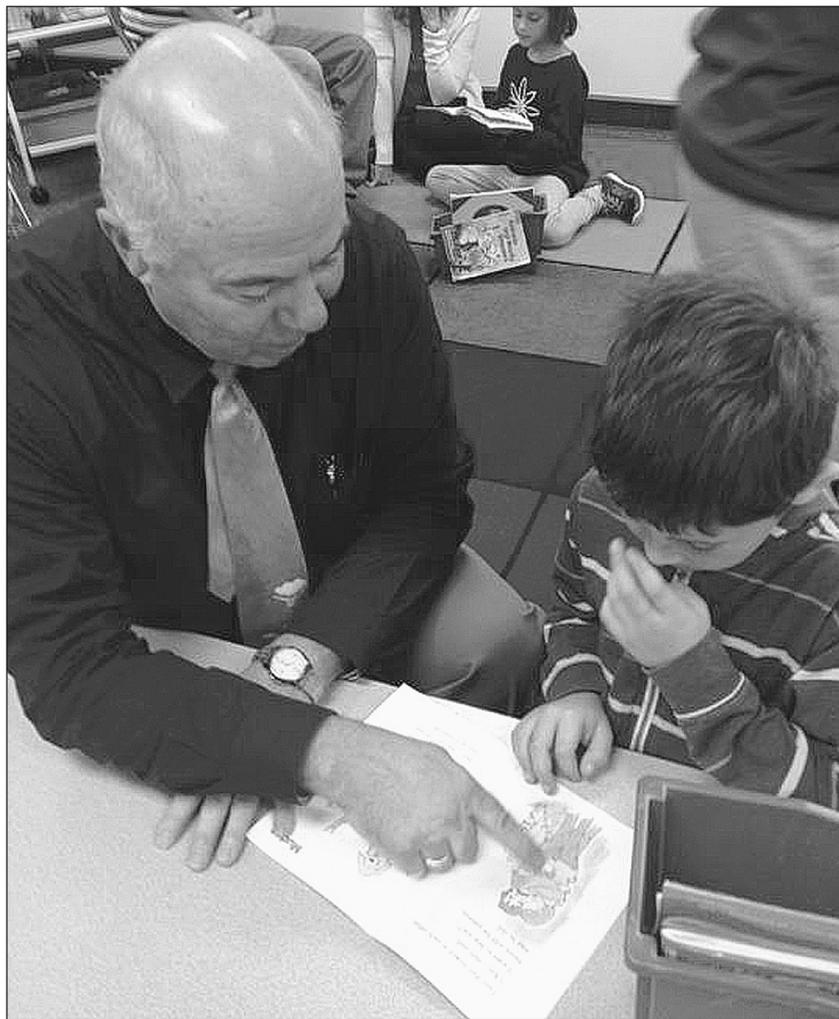
Grace Ashauer, Jenny Ashauer, Gwendolyn Dreher and Arlene Boehlke serve pancakes at the American Legion's breakfast on Sunday, Oct. 30. The event raised funds for scholarships.

photo by Anne Trautner



Roger Strack, Wayne Rimmel and Mel Raddatz make pancakes at the American Legion Hall on Sunday, Oct. 30.

photo by Anne Trautner



Dr. P.J. Sanders, principal at Farmington Elementary School, reads with second-grader Judah Tomich.

-photo submitted

## 2017 Recommended County Budget Now Available

– County Focuses Spending On Priorities, Lowers Tax Rate

This week, Washington County Administration released the full 2017 budget as recommended by the County Executive Committee. The budget will be presented and voted on by the full County Board at its November 3rd meeting. The meeting will be held at 7 p.m. and includes a public hearing

for members of the community.

The recommended budget not only maintains the tax rate, but actually reduces it for the fourth consecutive year despite the proposed \$1,203,917 tax levy increase. The county's property tax rate will decline from \$2.6019 per \$1,000 in 2016 to

\$2.5776 per \$1,000 in 2017 – the lowest county tax rate in nearly a half century. Property owners can determine the impact of the proposed budget by multiplying their assessed property or home value (in thousands) by the tax rate.

For a home valued at \$150,000, the county tax went from \$390.29 in 2016 to \$386.64 in 2017, or a reduction of \$3.65.

For a house valued at \$225,000, taxes went from \$585.43 in 2016 to \$579.96 in 2017, or a reduction of \$5.47.

A \$350,000 house went from \$910.67 in 2016 to \$902.16, or a reduction of \$8.51 in 2017.

"This budget is really exciting for me," said County Administrator Joshua Schoemann. "It represents the beginning of some things that I've wanted to do since becoming administrator here two budgets ago: more transparently articulate the policy decisions within the budget to the public and use county priorities to make funding decisions."

The budget document now includes an expanded budget message, more information about county priorities and expanded information about department budgets that highlights personnel changes, things that were not previously provided as part of the public budget document.

The 2017 budget message and full recommended budget can be found on the county's website, [www.co.washington.wi.us](http://www.co.washington.wi.us).

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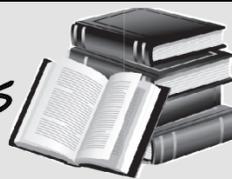


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### Library Happenings



#### ACTIVITIES AT THE KEWASKUM PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Kewaskum Public Library, 206 1st St. in Kewaskum, is offering the following programs. For more information, contact the library at (262) 626-4312.

#### Library Programs

Creative Club! We will be gearing up for the holidays by making beautiful, creative ornaments to give away or keep. November 15 at 2 p.m. and 6 p.m.

#### Fall Storytime Themes

**Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m.**  
November 9: Brown Bear, Brown Bear!  
November 16: At the Zoo!

#### At The Movies

"At the Movies" was started in 2011 as a collaboration between Kewaskum School District, the library, and the Kewaskum Area Arts Council. Hosted by retired KHS literature teacher James Westphal, our "At the Movies" series highlights award-winning, popular American films of the 40s, 50s, 60s and 70s. See them on the big screen for the first time! Movies begin at 2pm on select Wednesdays. November 16 - Ocean's Eleven

# A Message From The Kewaskum School District Superintendent

Over the past seven weeks, the Board of Education and Administrative Team have attended and presented to approximately 25 community organizations, including fire departments, town and village meetings, Kiwanis, Women's Club, Chamber events, athletic organizations, PTOs, clergy and church groups, as well as hosting four KSD Open Houses.



JAMES SMASAL

We appreciate these many organizations for the time they allowed us to share information about the upcoming referendum. Our goal has been to make people aware of the referendum and to provide information so that voters may make an informed decision on November 8. Throughout our presentations a number of questions were asked, and we are committed to answer each one to the best of our ability. We encourage you to visit our website, [www.kewaskum-schools.org](http://www.kewaskum-schools.org), to view the referendum video, as well as click on the referendum tab to get more information.

We have a Frequently Asked Questions segment which has been updated after each community meeting to share answers to any new questions we received. I would like to take this opportunity to share a few of the most asked questions that we have received over the last seven weeks.

### Why has the projected tax impact been reduced from \$0.36 to \$0.19?

The District recently learned that state aid will increase 2.6 percent for 2016-17. This additional aid, coupled with state imposed revenue limits, has decreased the tax levy for operations. This will allow the District to prepay a greater portion of the debt from the 1999 referendum than was originally projected, while still maintaining a level tax levy for operations. The District has been able to use this strategy for the past two fiscal years and, in doing so, has saved over \$75,000 in interest payments on the 1999 loan. With this updated information, the projected referendum tax rate impact is \$0.19, reduced from the previous projection of \$0.36.

The Kewaskum School District Board approved the 2016-17 tax levy on

Monday, October 24. The levy of \$11,139,901 results in a tax rate of \$9.09, which is a \$0.30 decrease from 2015-16. If the facilities referendum were to pass on November 8, the estimated tax impact is \$0.19 and would be on the tax bills received in December 2017. The \$0.19 increase would bring the projected total tax rate to \$9.28 in 2017-18, which is \$0.11 lower than the 2015-16 tax rate.

### Why doesn't the annual operating budget allow the District to fund capital projects that are being considered for the referendum?

Wisconsin school districts have been subject to state imposed revenue limits since 1993. Kewaskum, like most school districts in the state, works hard to balance the budget on an annual basis and keeps spending within these revenue controls. However, it is difficult to fund large scale capital projects, including renovations and additions to facilities, within the constraints of the normal operating budget. This creates the need for referendum approval by the taxpayers of a school district. The Board of Education did not believe stacking more debt on top of the existing elementary school debt was fiscally responsible. If the 2016 referendum is successful, the repayment of the new debt will begin after the 1999 elementary referendum debt is retired, which would be the 2017-18 school year.

### What happens if the project is more or less expensive than the estimates?

The question on the ballot is "Shall the Kewaskum Area School District, Fond du Lac, Sheboygan and Washington Counties, Wisconsin, be authorized to issue, pursuant to Chapter 67 of the

Wisconsin Statutes, general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed \$28,420,000 for the public purpose of paying for the cost of site improvements, new construction, renovation and modernization of Kewaskum Middle School and Kewaskum High School and acquiring furnishings, fixtures and equipment related to same?"

By State Statute, the amount borrowed cannot exceed the amount stated on the ballot, and the funds can only be used for the purpose listed. Consequently, no more than \$28,420,000 can be bonded for additions and remodeling of the middle and high schools, as well as equipment for these schools. This means money cannot be reallocated and spent on the elementary schools or addressing outdoor facility needs such as the Doc Mitchell Athletic Complex.

-James Smasal, superintendent for the Kewaskum School District.



## Kremer's Korner

—Guest Editorial By 59th Assembly District Representative Jesse Kremer

# Fire Prevention Versus School Security

We live in a world of uncertainty, but Wisconsin legislators could provide a lot less uncertainty regarding the safety of our young children by giving parents complete control over their security.

As a firefighter, I enjoy teaching kids and educating adults about fire prevention. Schools, and residences are filled with tools that prevent injury or death — smoke detectors, carbon monoxide detectors, fire extinguishers, semi-annual fire inspections and sprinkler systems.

The combined result of these safety measures? No children have died in a school fire for at least the last half century.

Fire safety should be awarded a passing grade. Which begs the question, what grade should we assign to the security of our nation's schools? What safety measures are in

place at your child's schools to dissuade or stop an active shooter? Locked doors with cameras, emergency drills, a school resource officer (if you're lucky), windowless doors for the classroom?

Some of these tools may prove effective, but there is an additional tool that state lawmakers have been denying parents and schools — the ability to utilize concealed carry if they so choose.

Wisconsin state law is currently much more restrictive than the federal "Gun-Free School Zone Act." Except for an off-duty law enforcement officer, Wisconsin law does not allow a law abiding concealed carry holder to protect themselves or their children when on school grounds.

If this additional, untapped tool can be utilized to discourage a school attack or to disarm

an attacker, then why are your elected officials preventing its use? After all, parents, school board members and school administrators know what is best for their kids, right?

Personally, I feel that elected officials will be personally responsible if they continue to prevent a school from utilizing every security resource available to them. It is high time that Madison politics get out of the way of your child's safety at school.

—To get the conversation started, a forum will be held at Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School in Jackson on Saturday, Nov. 12, from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Moderated by former Fox 6 reporter Katrina Cravy, audience questions will be answered and discussed by a panel of law enforcement, teachers, parents and concealed carry instructors.

## Wisconsin Voter Information

Tuesday, Nov. 8, is Election Day. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

MyVote Wisconsin (<https://myvote.wi.gov/en-us/>) is the state's official source for voting information, with resources to help you cast your ballot on Election Day: You can use the site to review your voting information, check your polling place, register to vote, request an absentee mail ballot, and more.

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Wisconsin state law requires that you present a valid photo identification prior to receiving a ballot. A Wisconsin Driver's license, U.S. passport or U.S. military identification card are all suitable forms of photo ID. For more information on photo ID, including how to obtain a free ID and a list of other allowable ID forms, visit: <http://www.bringitwisconsin.com/>

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To cast a ballot, you need to be registered to vote. There are several ways to register:

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By Mail - you may submit a voter registration form to your municipal clerks up to 20 days prior to Election Day. <http://www.gab.wi.gov/forms/el-131-fillable>

Online - you may complete the online registration form at <https://myvote.wi.gov/en-us/>

Clerk's Office - you may opt to register in-person at your municipal clerk's office until the Friday before Election Day.



Allison Neu and horse Eastern Success (Roo) qualified at the Washington Country Fair this past summer to exhibit at the 4-H State Horse Show, which was held September 15th-18th at the Wisconsin State Fair Park. Neu and Roo took the Grand Champion trophy in western showmanship, grade seven. They competed against 26 other horses in this event.

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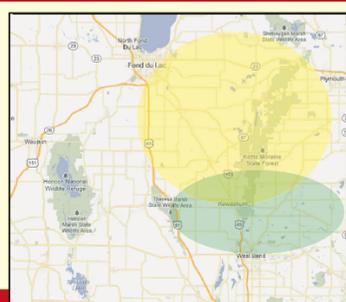
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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Kewaskum School District Citizens,

I am writing this letter in support of the Kewaskum School District referendum. I served on the long-range planning committee and learned a great deal about our district and how it is run while serving.

I learned that a great deal of the infrastructure in both the middle and high schools is in terrible shape; it is between 40 to 60 years old. The heating and wiring in the high school needs to be replaced, and the middle school, which was built on the cheap, needs serious upgrades everywhere.

I learned that the classrooms in both schools are inadequate for the students in today's style of learning. Let's face it; kids don't learn the way we did in the '50s and '60s.

I learned from an expert in school financing that our school board has been fiscally responsible in running our schools and, in doing so, are prepared to pay off our lovely grade school early!

I also learned from this expert that Kewaskum is in great fiscal shape and borrowing now, when rates are low would be a move to keep us fiscally secure. In comparison to our neighboring school districts, we are in as good as or better shape than most.

I learned that several school districts close to Kewaskum have funded additions and rehab in their schools in the last few years, districts that are similar in size.

I learned from a survey, which we asked to be done, that most of the electorate is in favor of keeping our schools in good shape and are willing to pay to make that happen. Last week in this paper, I read that the levy is going down, so the effect of this referendum will be less than thought.

I learned that our administrators are working hard to make Kewaskum schools a great place for our kids to grow up and learn. Voting yes for this referendum will ensure that our kids get the best possible place, with the best possible faculty and administrators.

Vote yes on November 8th.

Sincerely,  
Mugs McFadden

Dear Kewaskum Public Library user,

We are excited to announce that the Kewaskum Public Library, along with the other libraries in the Mid-Wisconsin System, will be merging with Eastern Shores Library System! Eastern Shores has 13 libraries in Ozaukee and Sheboygan counties, so this merger is wonderful

news because we will be able to offer you 13 more libraries worth of material. It's important to us at the Kewaskum Public Library that you, our patrons, are kept informed as to what this process entails.

The library will be open, but offline from December 8th-14th and will be closed December 15th and 16th (the reason we will be closed is so that staff can catch up with check-ins and delivery). Here is what you can expect during that offline period:

•We will be able to check materials out to you. During the offline period, we will need all patrons to bring in their library cards, because we will be unable to look for your accounts.

•We will be unable to check anything in (don't worry — we will backdate all items when we check them in again).

•No one will be able to place holds (please consider placing any holds you would like for December in November) and are happy to work with you to be sure you can get materials in a timely manner.

•We will be unable to renew any item during offline time. Don't worry — we will backdate all items when we are able to check them in again.

We will be sure to keep you updated as to what to expect with the impending merger. It's a big change, but we're confident that it will be a wonderful thing for everyone. More libraries means more materials for everyone. Please, do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,  
Emily Goad  
Kewaskum Public Library  
Director

Kewaskum School District Residents,

With the election next week for the Kewaskum School District referendum, I believe it is important that we have as much factual information at our disposal so that we, as an informed electorate, can make an educated decision that best serves the needs of the school district and us, the taxpayers, being asked to carry the burden of the tax increase should the referendum pass.

I attended the public referendum presentation last Tuesday at Farmington Elementary School. Superintendent Jim Smasal was there along with others to make the presentation for the proposal and to answer questions concerning the referendum.

There are a few numbers from our discussion that stick out:

#1) The amount of money that the school district is asking to borrow is \$28,420,000. We would

have to borrow the money at an interest rate of between 2.75 percent to 3 percent, depending on interest rates at the time the loan is approved. That could leave us, the taxpayer, paying back a total of \$38 to \$40 million over the next 20 years. The true cost of the loan is approximately \$2 million a year for the next 20 years.

#2) Superintendent Smasal informed us that the current pupil cost is approximately \$9,700 per student. If the referendum is passed, the new cost per student will be approximately \$11,006 per student. With 1,839 students in the district, that leaves us with about three million more dollars to pay next year than we paid this year. The referendum loan will account for \$2 million a year in payments. How does the other \$1 plus million get paid? (additional higher taxes)

#3) If one is to borrow money, now is a good time to do it with interest rates being so low.

#4) We are currently paying off a loan from the 1999 school referendum. That loan is scheduled to be paid off next year. At that time our taxes will drop significantly if the new referendum does not pass.

#5) What the district is asking us is, not only to pass a new \$.19/thousand tax increase (that number is not guaranteed), but to continue to be taxed and to continue to pay the old tax rate voted on in 1999 of approximately \$.46 per thousand. The true cost of this referendum is more like \$.65 per thousand.

As a Kewaskum School District taxpayer for the past 23 years, I want to be sure that we are spending money wisely. We do need improvements in our high school and our middle school. Is \$40 million dollars too much, too little, or just right?

Be informed, get out and vote on Tuesday and let the majority speak for our community.

Sincerely,  
Mike Koepke

Dear Kewaskum Residents,

I'd encourage you to vote "yes" for the upcoming school referendum. We've been working with the technical education department at KHS for several years. We've assisted them with donations and supplies to upgrade the KHS tech ed area. Many of our youth are engaged in careers in this area of our campus.

KHS has dedicated staff in the tech ed and STEM departments. With your "yes" vote, KHS will be able to refurbish and improve the tech ed department to today's standards. Also, through this building project, KHS

will be able to greatly improve the labs in our STEM programs at KHS.

There is strong demand for skilled craft people, engineers, CNC machine operators, welders, and technicians in our immediate area. By voting "yes" for the building referendum, you are helping our dedicated KHS staff train our youth for high-paying and challenging careers in manufacturing, construction, and infrastructure improvements.

Sincerely,  
Jim Wessing  
President,  
Kondex Corporation

Regarding the 2016 Election, and any election:

The elections are right around the corner. Some of us are glad the end is near; others are thinking the future may not be so appealing. Regardless, in the heat of the moment, at the height of emotions, now is the time to take a step back, take a deep breath and critically look at the candidates vying for national and locally elected positions.

Forget all the inflammatory hype of the media trying to redirect your attentions and really evaluate what, not who, you are voting for. Do the candidates and their platform reflect your perspective on the following criteria (in no particular order)?

- privacy
- boundaries of government
- taxes and what programs they fund
- education
- foreign affairs and trade agreements
- size and provision for our military
- the unborn and the elderly
- marriage
- firearms
- religious freedom
- the economy
- health care and quality of life
- immigration
- Supreme Court nominees

No candidate can meet all your priorities on every one of these issues, but which one agrees with you overall? That is the one to vote for!

There is one more thing to take into account when choosing the candidate you want to govern the next season of your life. Take notice who financed your chosen candidate's campaign. Whoever financed the campaign is who that person will be beholden to and serves for the entire term of office and will affect how that candidate functions in office.

Finally, remember that to not vote really is to vote. If you don't vote, you don't have any platform to complain for the next four or six years.

Darlene D. Stern

## So It Goes

By Andrew Johnson

## Election Week

Last week I received a letter that included two notable quotes that relate to speaking out for what is right as well as voting.

We must never forget the context of where we are on the world stage even though we live in rural Wisconsin. It is a great and special privilege to be able to vote and make a difference. A huge price was paid so that we can hold free elections. In next week's edition we will be featuring the photos of many of our local veterans. Many of them gave and sacrificed much for us so we can freely vote.

It is the responsibility of every citizen to become informed and vote their conscious as to what they believe is right and or the best choice. Next Tuesday citizens have the opportunity to vote in federal, state, and the local elections.

This is a really big local election for Kewaskum because of the school referendum being on the ballot. The results will no doubt affect this community for many years to come. There have been numerous public meetings and many stories published in this newspaper over the past year concerning this referen-

dum

A sample ballot notice about the November 8 election is included in this week's edition of the Kewaskum Statesman. Next Tuesday is decision time.

For too long, many Americans have sat on the sidelines, including me at times, and said nothing about the workings or lack of workings of our government at all different levels. They are known as the silent majority.

One of the quotes I want to share with you is from martyr Dietrich Bonhoeffer from World War II, "Silence in the face of evil is itself evil; God will not hold us guiltless. Not to speak is to speak. Not to act is to act."

The other quote I thought would be notable for this week is about the constitutional duty of citizens to vote. It is from Samuel Adams: "Let each citizen remember at the moment he is offering his vote... he is executing one of the most solemn trusts in human society for which he is accountable to God and his country."

Once the election is done, it is also our duty to honor the outcome of a democratic election and come together as a community as well as a nation and move forward.

## Vehicle Miles Traveled In Wisconsin Hits All-Time Record In 2015: 62.1 Billion Miles

Drivers travelled an all-time record 62.1 billion miles on Wisconsin roadways in 2015, representing an increase of nearly 2.1 billion miles compared to 2014 and the largest annual percentage jump in Wisconsin vehicle miles travelled (VMT) in 17 years.

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) attributes the increase in VMT to several factors including a strengthening economy, growing population, lower gas prices and continued growth in commercial motor vehicle traffic. The growth in Wisconsin's VMT is consistent with traffic increases seen nationally.

"As overall travel increases, we especially see growth in commercial motor vehicle traffic which has increased 20 percent in just the last four years," said WisDOT secretary Mark Gottlieb. "It's why our department remains focused on the safe, efficient movement of freight — from developing the first-ever state freight plan to be completed early next year, to the Governor's Fifth Annual Freight Summit held last week in

Rothschild."

VMT is a nationally-agreed upon measure of highway use that assists in transportation planning. It provides a broad or aggregate picture of overall travel and is calculated by combining data on statewide fuel consumption, highway performance monitoring system (HPMS) and automatic traffic recorder (ATR) continuous traffic count information. WisDOT incorporates data from about 28,000 short-term traffic count locations across the state.

Other VMT and travel-related facts:

•Last year, the average Wisconsin resident traveled 10,767 miles;

•The 62.1 billion miles motorists travelled on Wisconsin roadways last year is equal to about 334 round-trips between the Earth and Sun;

•Over the last 40 years, Wisconsin VMT has more than doubled—from 29.4 billion miles travelled in 1975 to 62.1 billion today.

View the Wisconsin 2015 VMT fact sheet, which includes historical data and a county-by-county breakdown, for more information.



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SPORTS

# KHS Prevails 14-6; Indians Head For Re-Match Against Crusaders

By Judy Harlow

Kewaskum football coach Jason Piittmann wasn't kidding when he predicated the re-match with Plymouth was going to be a battle.

It was just that, but the passing duo of a pair of seniors, quarterback Dalton Poole and Brady Hanson, was too much for the Panthers and helped secure a spot for the Indians in the Division 3 Level 3 playoffs with a couple of long connections. Kewaskum won the game 14-6.

The Indians took advantage of a Derek Novotny fumble in the first quarter to score its first touchdown. It was Dan Kreis pouncing on the loose ball and setting up the drive.

Going against a tough wind, Poole found the lanky Hanson for a 44-yard reception, and junior running back Patrick Krier did the rest as he plowed into the end zone for the 2-yard line for a quick lead, and Cade Peterson tacked on the extra point for a 7-0 advantage.

Defenses took over for the remainder of the first half. Neither team was able to move on the ground, and at times, the wind played havoc with the passing game.

Like a chess match, both coaches used a variety of defenses against the other in effort to contain their rival. At half, each team had just 50 yards rushing, with KHS owning the edge in yardage 120-60.

The Panthers weren't about to fold, however. In their second possession of the second half, following a Cole Surprenant fumble, they marched 72 yards in eight plays to get on the scoreboard. The key play in the drive was a 38-yard pass from Gavin Falk to Alex Shutter to the KHS 21-yard line.

Following an offside penalty and a defensive holding call on the Indians, Falk scored from the seven on a read option.

Falk failed to convert on the PAT, however, as the kick was driven under the crossbar instead of over it so KHS maintained a one-point advantage.

Not to be outdone, Kewaskum answered with a 61-yard march which started with Tony Steger returning the kick 22 yards to the KHS 39.

After three first downs,

all on pass plays, the Indians were quickly at Plymouth's 26-yard line. On first down, Krier was tackled for a two-yard loss, then after a KHS time out, it was Hanson coming up with another big play, getting free for a 28-yard touchdown pass from Poole. Once again, Peterson's kick was good, so now the Panthers would have to get a touchdown and a two-point conversion to send the game into overtime.

Plymouth threatened twice in the fourth quarter. Early the Panthers took advantage of a short punt to start a drive at its 48, but the Indians' defense stiffened on a fourth down play, stopping Cody Kuhn, who had taken a pass in the flat from Falk.

KHS picked up two first downs on runs by Krier and a short pass to Steger, but that drive was halted when a fake punt was sniffed out and stopped on a fourth down.

Gabriel Christenson had no chance of getting the necessary yardage as he was tackled by several Plymouth defenders.

Kewaskum stopped Plymouth's next drive, giving Indian fans the feeling they were closing in on victory.

All the Indians needed were a couple first downs to eat up the clock, and it looked encouraging after Krier picked up nine yards on a third down run. A measurement showed KHS was just short of the first, and it was here Piittmann took Poole out and inserted Christenson into the game for a quarterback sneak. The Panthers knew what was coming and stacked the junior quarterback up for no gain, although Piittmann said later, he and his assistants disputed the call.

None-the-less, Plymouth got the ball and had 1:18 remaining to move 54 yards for the tie.

An 11-yard pass to Kuhn and back-to-back passes to Novotny moved the ball, but on the final play, Falk missed an open receiver in the end zone, and KHS survived the final threat.

"We were fortunate to win. We made enough plays to pull it out. The defense played well all night - winning the battle of field position most of the time. Patrick Krier had a really nice game. The defensive line (Espitia,

Strom, Leister, Donovan) played well and Michael Boettcher made a couple of really key plays. The secondary played solid football," Piittmann said.

"Offensively, Dalton Poole did a really nice job controlling the offense and the line did a really nice job of giving him some good time to pass most of the time," Piittmann added.

For the game, Poole was 11x18 in passing for 171 yards. Hanson caught four passes for 95 yards and Steger caught six for 63. Leading the way in rushing was Krier with 40 on 16 carriers. No one else had more than seven yards, and Poole ended up with -1 as he was sacked several times.

Novotny and Falk had 49 and 44 for the Panthers, who ended their season with an 8-3 record.

Krier was a force on defense once again as he was in on 10 tackles, including two solos. Next came Michael Boettcher with six tackles, including three solos. Dalton Espitia and Thomas Strom each had a sack.

Kewaskum, currently 10-1, moves on to face unbeaten Catholic Memorial in a game that will be played at Waukesha South on November 5.

Admission for the Level 3 game this week is \$5 for adults, students and children.



Daniel Kreis celebrates winning the Division 3 Level 3 playoffs in a home game against Plymouth on Friday, Oct. 28.

photo by Anne Trautner



Cole Surprenant carries the ball for Kewaskum in the Division 3 Level 3 playoff game on Friday, Oct. 28.

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Patrick Krier runs the ball for Kewaskum Friday night in the Division 3 Level 3 playoff game against Plymouth.

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# Veteran A's Player Decides Family Has To Come First

By Judy Harlow

There are three very important reasons why Jason Strobel has decided to retire from baseball after 19 seasons with the Kewaskum Athletics — wife Karen and their young sons, Declan and Dawson.

"I have to commit myself now to the family," Strobel said recently after chronically his impressive career, which started when he was in high school and would play several games with the A's before the high school season started.

There were definitely struggles along the way in his early years, leading to some very successful seasons, like the span from 2008 to 2012. In 2011, Kewaskum reached the

Rock River (RR) Grand Championship but lost. The next season, the A's reached the pinnacle of success, while going 41-8.

"We won it," Strobel said about the Grand Championship. "We won five championships that year," including the Tri-County Nite League, the NBC-Wisconsin (National Baseball Congress) title, the SWABA (Southeastern Wisconsin Amateur Baseball Association) title, and the Plymouth Tournament.

"It was our best year ever, the 35-year-old outfielder said, reporting four of the eight losses that year came in a big weekend tournament in Minnesota.

Over his 19 years, Strobel played with many good players. That first season, '97, was the year Terry Koth, Doug Gonring and Dave Donath retired. Bob Bothe, Curt Shroeder and Ryan Hall took over the reins as player/managers, and several years later, "I took over when I was 21."

Local players, such as Noah Koah, Brad Vetter, Jon Boedeker and John Immel, were some of Strobel's early teammates, and in 1997, he said, "Jim Ziegler (from Campbellsport) and Jake Panzer (from Kewaskum) got there."

Getting Ziegler and other good pitchers, "I would say that was the turning point," Strobel said, indicating the addition of Steve Ketter, the Sarauers, Adam and Austin, Ty Schill, Dan Shea and Jake Spaeth helped form a solid nucleus for the A's. Another key player was Kurt Zagzebski.

The A's got close to reaching the Grand Championship in 2008 and '09, one year losing a 1-0 decision in the semis. "We were on the verge but still young," Strobel said, reporting the team had a bit of a setback season in 2010 when "Everybody got hurt."

Strobel definitely leaves the diamond with a great deal of satisfaction playing at this level. "Yes, definitely. You have had a lot of kids coming from college Division-1 to Division-3 to play in this league," he said.

This past summer, the A's finished with a mark of 24-15, losing the finale, 10-0 to Brownsville, a long-time nemesis. Since becoming a father, Strobel stopped playing the games in the Tri-County league, but he was there Sunday after Sunday for the RR competition.

"I got a hit in my last at bat, which was pretty cool," Strobel said. Overall he had a good year, batting .375 (36x104 in 26 games) with a slugging percentage of .538. For the year, he had 28 singles, eight doubles, three home runs, 21 RBIs (runs batted in) and scored 24 runs. The 36 total hits topped the team, and he tied for first in most total bases with 56.

Strobel's all-time favorite hit for the A's came against Watertown during the 2012 playoffs. We were losing 2-1, and I hit a two-run homer to go up 3-2. That helped propel us in the playoff," he said. Strobel was the RR MVP in 2012 and was named to the all-league team four or five times.

Strobel praised Ziegler for the work he has done for the A's and the various leagues. "Jimmy has done a good job keeping the team together," he said. "Overall, he's been a good ambassador for the Rock River League."

While Strobel is retiring from playing, he wants to help out a bit with the Athletics and is already doing a little coaching right in his own home. "All Declan wants to do is hit the baseball in the basement," he said, so in the future, another Strobel may be circling the bases in Kewaskum.



Anthony Steger runs the ball for Kewaskum Friday night in the Division 3 Level 3 playoff game against Plymouth.

photo by Anne Trautner



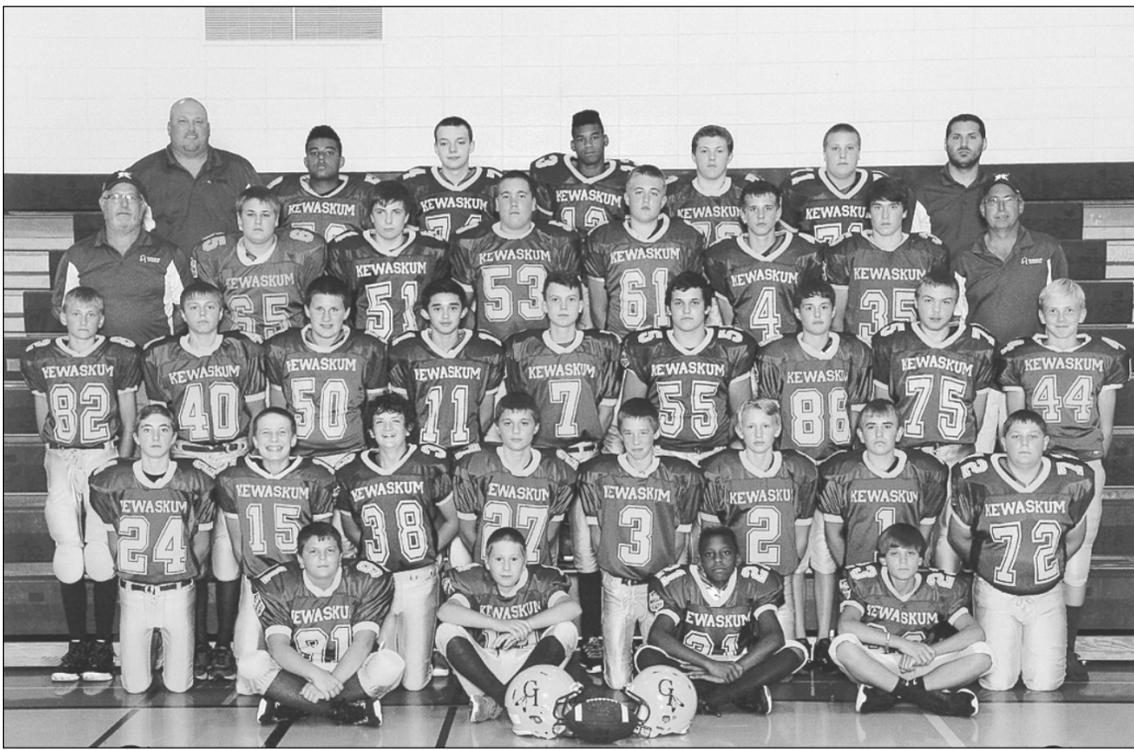
ABOVE: The Kewaskum defense is no match for Plymouth Friday night in the Division 3 Level 3 playoff game.

LEFT: Kewaskum's quarterback Dalton Poole talks with an official between plays Friday night.

RIGHT: Jack Felten prepares to snap the ball Friday night in a home game against Plymouth.

photos by Anne Trautner





The Eighth Grade Gridiron Football Team members include: (front row, from left) Jacob Huggett, Conner Nelson, Aaron Singer and Austin Keding; (second row) Kyle Elbe, Nathan Heberer, Isaiah Stuht, Dawson Schuetz, Mason Droese, Michael Daniel, Seth Romaine and Jacob Hahn; (third row) Bret Fahrenkrug, Nick Goettl, Sawyer Felten, Carson Thull, Devon Bommer, Kannon Muckerheide, Mason Schulteis, Nicolas Baer and Jadon Rhoads; (fourth row) Coach Mike Heberer, Tucker Schmidt, Cade Smith, Jonathan Steger, Samuel Amerling, Landen Block, Trevor Magra and Coach Don Ballard; (back row) Coach Jeff Taylor, Trenton Riekkoff, Seth Bommer, Levi Vagnini, Blake Weisser, Benjamin Leister and Coach Chad Piwoni; and (not pictured) Ethan Williams.

-photo submitted



The U-10 Kewaskum Venom soccer team finished the season undefeated at 8-0.

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## Still Time To Submit Deer Hunter Wildlife Observations

With the 2016 archery and crossbow deer hunting seasons well underway and the nine-day gun-deer season rapidly approaching, hunters are reminded to record deer and other wildlife observations for the annual Deer Hunter Wildlife Survey.

Hunters are encouraged to record all hunting activity, even if no wildlife sightings occur during a hunt — observations provide department staff with an index to measure abundance and help track population trends for Wisconsin's deer herd and other wildlife.

During the first month of the 2016 survey, deer hunters reported seeing 111 fawns.

During the first month of the 2016 survey, 111 hunting trips were recorded through the online survey. So far, deer hunters have reported 46 bucks, 111 does, 111 fawns, and 23 unknowns, for an average of 0.87 deer seen per hour hunted. The most frequently observed species other than deer have been turkeys and ruffed grouse.

At the end of each year,

participants receive a personalized summary of all recorded wildlife. To access the survey, search the DNR website, [dnr.wi.gov](http://dnr.wi.gov), for keywords "deer hunter wildlife." Tally sheets can be filled out either electronically or printed directly from the site. The current survey period ends January 2016.

points of contact while climbing into and out of the tree stand: This means two hands and one foot or two feet and one hand at all times.

Hunter Safety Administrator Jon King is urging Wisconsin hunters to wear body harnesses when using tree stands in light of new research documenting injuries and deaths from falls.

"The research shows falls from tree stands and similar elevated platforms are the largest source of injuries and deaths of hunters nationwide — and this includes Wisconsin," King said of the research from the 2016 Wildlife Society.

The research also showed "the most avid hunters" face a one-in-20 chance of suffering an injury in a fall from a tree stand during a lifetime.

"Tree stand incidents are preventable," King said. "This is why we ask hunters to take some time to review tree stand safety rules."

King offers these safety tips and a website link with more tree stand safety tips:

- Always wear a full-body harness also known as a fall-arrest system. Connect to your tether line and keep your tether line short. The tether is designed to keep you in the seat, not to catch you after you fall.
- Always have three

points of contact while climbing into and out of the tree stand: This means two hands and one foot or two feet and one hand at all times.

- Always use a haul line to raise and lower your unloaded firearm or bow into and out of the stand. You can also use the haul for other things like a heavy backpack.

- Use a lifeline when climbing up and down, this keeps you connected from the time you leave the ground to the time you get back down.

- Be aware of suspension trauma. Suspension trauma can happen in less than 20 minutes and can be fatal. Attaching an additional foot strap to the body harness will take pressure off your upper legs.

Prefer a course instead? Consider this free online treestand safety course. A 15-minute investment of your time in taking an online safety course could save your life. The Treestand Manufacturers Association provides a free, interactive course that you can finish in minutes.

More information is available by searching the DNR website, [dnr.wi.gov](http://dnr.wi.gov), for keywords "tree stand."

## Eighth Grade Gridiron Defeated By Germantown

The eighth grade gridiron Indians ended their season with a 30-14 defeat at the hands of the Germantown Hawks on Saturday, Oct. 29.

In the first quarter, the Indians received the opening kickoff, but after a first down the Indians put the ball on the ground and the Hawks recovered. The Hawks then used a long pass play to set up the first score of the game, which was a 3-yard touchdown pass. The two-point kick was good to make the score 8-0. The Indians offense struggled to get anything going for the remainder of the first half with the Hawks defense providing a stiff challenge up front. The Hawks were then able to add another touchdown with under a minute remaining in the first half and convert the two-point kick to make the halftime score 16-0.

In the second half, the Hawks received but the Indians were able to force a punt. On the Indians next drive quarterback Michael Daniel took a run around the right edge and looked to be stuffed but broke several tackles and was off to the races outrunning everybody for a 65-yard touchdown run. The Indians were unable to convert the two-point kick so the score was 16-

6. The Hawks answered right back marching the ball down field and scoring on a 10-yard touchdown pass. The two-point kick was blocked making the score 22-6. The Hawks were then able to punch another score in on a quarterback sneak play on fourth & goal and converted the two-point kick to make the score 30-6. The Indians got their pass game going on the next possession marching down the field and capping off the drive with a 5-yard touchdown pass from Daniel to wide receiver Mason Droese, the duo's fifth touchdown connection of the season. The two-point kick from Daniel was good to make the final score 30-14.

The Indians, although disappointed about the final game loss, had a very successful season in the eyes of their coaches with not only having a winning record of 5-3, but more importantly with the work ethic and the overall improvement that the team made throughout the season. The coaches look forward to the continued improvement of this class throughout their high school years. They anticipate continuing the great success of the Kewaskum High School program. Go Indians.

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# Looking To Play A Role In Deer Management? Submit A County Deer Advisory Council Application

Wisconsin's County Deer Advisory Councils are now accepting applications to fill vacant seats for the 2017 round of meetings — these councils provide local deer herd management recommendations to the Department of Natural Resources.

Both hunters and non-hunters alike are welcome to apply for council vacancies, but applicants must have experience or involvement with at least one of seven stakeholder groups represented on the council. While applications may be submitted at any time, interested individuals are encouraged to apply by December 1 to be considered for membership ahead of the first set of meetings in January.

Councils play a key role in deer management

through the development of recommendations based on annual harvest data and management issues specific to each county. These recommendations help the department determine annual antlerless quotas, antlerless tag levels and season options.

In 2017, councils will also play a role in the five-year review of the department's Chronic Wasting Disease Response Plan. Feedback from each council will help improve public involvement and transparency in CWD discussions.

Several councils currently have at least one seat available for qualified applicants. To view open seats in your county and determine if you may be a good representative for one of the listed stakeholder groups, search the

DNR website, [dnr.wi.gov](http://dnr.wi.gov), for keyword "CDAC," click "find" and select your county using the drop-down menu.

Potential members are asked to attend all meetings, represent the views of the appropriate stakeholder group and contribute feedback during discussions. Council members serve three-year terms, and are required to attend between two and four meetings annually, depending on tasks required each year.

For additional information regarding CDAC recommendations, agendas and membership, search keyword "CDAC." Additional questions can also be sent to [DNRCDACWebMail@Wisconsin.gov](mailto:DNRCDACWebMail@Wisconsin.gov).

# Cold Weather Brings Reminder About Burning Used Oil In Space Heaters

Now that cooler weather has finally reached Wisconsin, the Department of Natural Resources is reminding commercial and industrial businesses about the necessary steps to properly burn used oil in space heaters.

"These guidelines are in place to protect public health and the state's natural resources," said Ann Coakley, DNR Waste and Materials Management Program director. "If businesses burn used oil in a space heater, there are requirements and limitations they should know about."

Coakley said that, while many companies burn used oil to save money on purchasing new fuel, they must comply with state and federal regulations,

especially when burning used oil from other companies.

Commercial or industrial businesses may accept used oil from other businesses only if laboratory testing has shown the used oil to be "on-spec," which means it meets the specifications outlined in the regulations.

These regulations are summarized in Burning Used Oil in Space Heater - WA 1003. To find this document, search the DNR website, [dnr.wi.gov](http://dnr.wi.gov) for "WA 1003."

"We limit the sources of used oil that go into space heaters because those units are not equipped with air pollution control devices," Coakley said. "Space heaters must also be well maintained for proper burning. Black

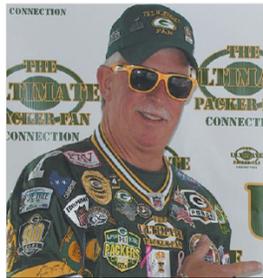
smoke is a sign that the space heater is not burning the used oil sufficiently."

Used oil is banned from landfills in Wisconsin and must be collected for recycling or reuse. Used oil can contain such metals as arsenic, chromium and lead as a result of being used in engines or other machinery. Used oil that is mixed with solvents, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) or other chemicals may be considered hazardous waste and is illegal to burn in a space heater.

For more information, contact a DNR Hazardous Waste specialist for the county in which you live, or visit the DNR's web site and search keywords "hazardous waste."

## The Ultimate Packer Fan Picks

### "ICED OVER", Hoping For "LITTLE LUCK" At Lambeau!



WAYNE SARGENT

The Green Bay Packers (4-3) will host Andrew Luck and the Indianapolis Colts (3-5) at Lambeau Field on Sunday, Nov. 6. A "Gold Package" Game, kickoff time is scheduled for a 3:25 p.m. start.

The Packers' thrilling but disappointing loss to the Atlanta Falcons (32-31) this past Sunday at The Georgia Dome was in fact a shootout. A contest the Packers were winning most of the game was lost in the final minute to an 11-yard touchdown pass thrown by Matt Ryan. With 31 seconds left Aaron Rodgers couldn't bring the Packers into field goal range. He ended the game on an incomplete pass, thrown out of bounds. For the second straight week, another standout performance by Aaron Rodgers, he threw for 28/38 with 246 yards and four touchdowns. Additionally, he rushed for his own personal record-breaking 60 yards, however that wasn't enough to bring home a win.

With the plentiful loss of starters due to injury or illness, the Packers' showcased a secondary team of extraordinary talent. Their debut could have come under better circumstances, but it came at the absence of some of the Pack's biggest playmakers. Prepared to play a gifted group of young

unexposed players, yearning an opportunity to prove themselves on the gameday gridiron, their time had come. It was their turn to play and play they did. Anxiously, they performed with attitude, determination and conviction. All those long strenuous days of practice finally came into fruition. They brought to the field a sign of confidence that the Packers have trained them to be the best, well prepared to play on any given day without notice.

Surprising career touchdown firsts by Jeff Janis, Trever Davis, along with Geronimo Allison's first career reception, also a touchdown gave the fan's added confidence of hope that the Green Bay Packers and their draft picks are heading in the right direction. Still weak at running back, the team is hoping that with the diversity of a healthy Ty Montgomery, he could be the answer the Pack is looking for.

The Colts, coming off a

loss to the Detroit Lions, are looking to continue their winning streak against the Packers. The Colts bringing to Lambeau a team also struggling with injury on both sides of the ball, will confront the challenge facing one of the top defensive lines in the league. Andrew Luck was pressured on 22 of 48 drop backs and was sacked twice for 17 yards against the Lions. Luck threw for 31/47 yards and four touchdowns, losing to the Detroit Lions 39-35.

The last time these two met was on October 7, 2012 with the Colts winning 30-27 at Lucas Oil Field. The Packers haven't beaten the Colts since winning at Lambeau Field back on October 19, 2008 with a score of 34-14. These teams have met 44 times going back to November of 1950. The team was then known as the Baltimore Colts, with a name change to the Indianapolis Colts back in 1984. The Colts lead the series 22-21-1.

With both teams plagued by injury, I'm still expecting this week's matchup at Lambeau to again be a shootout. This week's "Ultimate Prediction" (5-2): I'm going with the Packers and home field advantage winning this one 36-33.

### Congratulations to this week's winner, Russell Wegner!

Russell's name will be put in the pool to win Packer tickets for next year's season.

*Each week that the Packers play, the Kewaskum Statesman is holding an Ultimate Packer Fan Giveaway contest. There is no charge to enter.*

*The grand prize is two regular season tickets to the Packers' home opener. Second place wins two tickets to the Packers' first home preseason game for 2017. Third place is two tickets to the Packers' second 2017 home preseason game.*

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# Orville Schmidt: From Newburg To New Guinea

By Karl McCarty

He was a tall man; bad knees and 92 years have done a number. Yet his character still has the height. Once upon a time he grew up near Newburg. Then Orville Schmidt worked in West Bend, and after the war he had a successful business in Wautoma.

Orville retired in his early 60s, "and my knees had given out by then already." They have given out more as he pushes for 93, and hopefully 94 to beat his dad's record.

"Every doggone block seems like 100 miles to me." He said this the first night we got to the library in Campbellsport, in what must have taken 10 to 15 minutes from the parking lot to sit down — not inside, but on an outside picnic bench. The back-story to getting this information is important, as the more our conversations grew, it became obvious how vital it is for Orville to have younger people know his experience.

There's something about Orv's years that dissipates when he mentions his B25 bomber, and the memories come flooding back. His experience in World War II is one which can only be told by a handful of survivors. This is not an exaggeration. Only three others from the 345th Bomber Group were healthy enough to come to the EAA for their reunion in August 2016.

This farm boy has seen the Pacific Ocean from Port Moresby, New Guinea to the southern islands of Japan — from San Francisco to Taiwan. The following comes from five interviews with Orville over the summer of 2016. It would not have been possible without the suggestion and help from fellow V.F.W. member Dietrich G. Otto, who is a good friend of Orville's.

## That Farm Near Newburg

Orville Schmidt was born June 16th, 1924. "Town of Trenton. Washington County. State of Wisconsin." His pop's farm was about a mile south of Highway 33 and "only a mile beyond Ozaukee County." He was raised west of Newburg and County Y, somewhere in the northeast quadrant of the township.

Today it's a nice drive, but good luck getting there in a winter of the 1930s. Snow and farming chipped away an extended education as an option for Schmidt. The opportunity came for high school, but it "was just at the time there was just so doggone much snow and it was colder than Billy hell... If I had lived on a highway (where) it was more or less kept open. See, we were snow bound for a good month. The big cat couldn't even get through."

Yes, that road west of County Y but south of 33 wasn't even really a "road" so to speak. You "didn't have stop signs." What Orv can remember is his postal code. "Yea. Route One. First route out of West Bend. And I even remember the telephone number: 6OF22. He had no clue why there was an "F" in it. But there was. Well, that's when he had a phone number.

"See, in those days I can remember when there wasn't even a telephone." The only telephone that finally got there was a one wire line. There were two places to use a phone, "And one was at the tavern. And if you needed a doctor, you called that place where the operator was, and then you'd give your number (to call) and tell the operator what you needed. I can still remember. The old operator would say, 'Nuuumber Pleease?'" He laughed at the contrast from today.

## West Bend: From Driver's License To Making Munitions

If Orville's early years weren't at the farm, they were in West Bend. "Well I grew up in Newburg — but West Bend was the place we did the shopping. That was the county seat. That's where I got my first doggone driver's license. Fourteen years old: my dad took me to the Chief of Police" by the nickname of Boots.

Boots told Orville and pa, "Yea, these kids nowadays drive tractors. Drive all kinds of stuff." Boots said those country kids were way better drivers "than the ones in town," Orv recalled. "So I got my driver's license. Then when I got my driver's license, what happened, I would take my ma and one or two of the kids along to church on Sunday

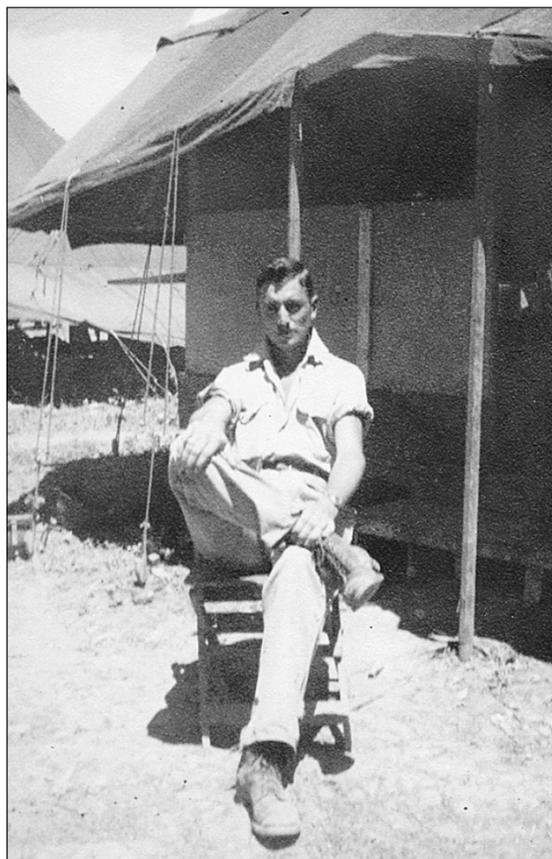
morning. And then I'd get back with the first load. Then pa would take his mother and go to the German service at the Lutheran Church in Newburg."

After Pearl Harbor, the government wanted the young man. In "1942 I think I got my first notice, but then I was deferred because then I had a government job making 20 millimeter shell casings for the Navy" at the West Bend Company. Many Rosie the Riveters worked at the factory. Luckily, "I was in the area where there wasn't any women. Good for me," he said with a smile having not to worry about the temptation. His friend Dietrich and fellow veteran concurred: "That kept you outta trouble." Orville Schmidt is seldom



Above is an example of a transport plane, in which a C-47 was landing at Tempelhof airport during the Berlin Airlift to give aid to the allies in West Berlin, which was surrounded by communist East Germany. Around 1943, Orville Schmidt rode in a similar transport plane to get from Washington State to New Guinea.

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Above is Orville Schmidt serving in the Pacific front. He really wasn't drafted because he knew service was bound to happen. Technically he was already serving the county in some sense at the West Bend Company by making munitions. He took the call from the Army and served in the Air Corps for the 345th Bomber Group.

Orville said of this picture: "That's the chair I'm sitting in that I made myself so I could sit down." Sometime between the next flight and waiting for the call he had time to make himself comfortable. What did he make it from? "Broken up cartons and stuff, whatever I could get the right length so I wouldn't have to try to chew it off with no sawing or nothing. No equipment."

The photo was taken on the lower Japanese island of Ie Shima. Not too far out of the picture's main focus is another tent, "The radio guys were right there...." It's hard to say exactly how many months he was on the island. His temporary 'homes' were quick and many. "Oh... you could damn near set your stop watch... it was about that fast... You think, 'oh boy. Now we can settle down. Try to build things up.'" Just when he thought he was settled, he'd have to move. But this Japanese island was his last base; he was there a couple of months and was stationed there when the war against Japan ended.

photo courtesy of Orville Schmidt

short of laughs.

He worked at the West Bend Company for almost a year. Was he drafted or did he sign up in the military? Orville will tell you that it didn't matter: "Drafted... but same difference." He was already working for the West Bend Company helping the military effort nonetheless. "They had a little thing called a deferment from military service, or something like that. I didn't get involved in it — I just let nature take its course."

Orville said, "If I had stayed at the company, I never would have went in the service, 'cause that was permanently deferred." So technically Orville was selected to serve. "Yea," noting sometime in the fall of 1942 or early 1943 he was called. "Cause I looked around one day and there was nobody left to chum around," and have a good time with. Having the choice between working on deferment at the West Bend Company and having few friends to hang out with or have a beer with, he chose the US Army. "I decided to join up."

## To The Gulf And Carolinas

Upon being drafted, "I started out in Fort Sheridan," Illinois, then "we loaded on a troop train and headed right straight south until we hit the Gulf of Mexico..." He had basic training in Miami, FL. And Orville went for mechanics training at Keesler Field in

Biloxi, MS; at that time Biloxi "was pretty small."

Keesler is pronounced with a hard 'e.' "They also made a whiskey called Kessler," Orville said laughing, and pronouncing the base differently than the alcohol. So Orville spent some time at Keesler, which had just opened up. Today the facility is known as Keesler Air Force Base. The famous African American pilots, the Tuskegee Airmen, were trained there. He never ran into those pilots, "I'm sure the Tuskegee guys come in there later." Eventually Orville spent a lot of time in the Carolinas to train with the planes, then headed to the west coast of the country.

Orville was not drafted until after Pearl Harbor, so by the time he entered the service, the Philippines had fallen. The Philippines were colonies picked up by the United States in the war with Spain in 1898. The U.S. then lost them in the middle of World War II. "Oh yea," Orville explained the concern in our country with the loss of those islands. Even worse, the Japanese empire was still expanding when Orville got into the war. "They were almost into Australia. As a matter of fact, they were bombing Australia." His first days in war in actual combat would be just north of Australia in New Guinea.

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Above is a United States Army Air Force Douglas C-54 Skymaster circa 1943, around the time Orville Schmidt was riding such a plane from Washington State to New Guinea.

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### The C-54 Over The Pacific

So how exactly did a farm kid from Newburg start in the Pacific? "My last flight out of this country was from Washington State." It was one of the big airfields there, perhaps near Tacoma. Whatever the case it was "at one of those big doggone ports of shipping and entry. They loaded me on a C-54, four engine transport. And that's what I went overseas in."

How many people could fit on it? It didn't seat more

than a few dozen. Orville described it as "a converted passenger plane" and the seating was not like today's commercial airlines. The plane provided an interesting situation in which the garbage bags filled with "your clothing was piled up in the middle of the plane, and there was a row of seats on each side. And you just sat there — no seat belt, no nothing, and you listen to the plane rumble down the runway and take off. Think no more of it, you're already pretty well flight

trained by now." In this context, Orville was not complaining. To the normal non-flying person in the early 1940s the initial flight would seem rough, but by then a trained flight crew prepared for World War II would be used to it.

Hours after leaving Washington State, he would never forget the first time he saw San Francisco. "I remember the guy that was in charge of the crew — the weight master." His job was "to distribute the weight properly into the plane. So, he came through the cabin, 'Well take a good look at the Golden Gate.' It was all lit up. 'A lot of you will never see it again.' Wonderful thought," said Orville sarcastically about the man who implied a lot of those guys on the C-54 were going to die soon in the Pacific.

Orville did see the Golden Gate Bridge when he looked out. "Oh yeah... yeah, we flew over it." But that shrewd comment from the weight master lingers seventy years later, perhaps because there was accurate foreshadowing to some of the men on the plane at the time.

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41. Makes a raucous noise
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48. Thomas Paine's "The Age of \_\_\_\_"
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52. \*Typically used on pitcher's shoulder after game
53. Sure or uh-huh
55. H+, e.g.
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65. Pastoral poem
66. \_\_\_\_ de Triomphe
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12. \*\_\_\_\_ Stottlemire, two-time World Series champ
15. Stalin's order, e.g.
20. Lament for the dead
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25. \*Like baseball's league
26. Accustom
27. Singer Ronstadt
29. \*Design element on World Series trophy, sing.
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32. More than one stylus
33. Not Doric nor Corinthian
34. \*a.k.a. inning
36. "\_\_\_\_ Candies" chocolatier
38. Larger-than-life
42. Mark on reputation
45. \*2015 champions
49. After taxes
51. Pleating iron
54. Archaic exclamation of regret
56. She turned to stone, Greek mythology
57. Cairo's waterway
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59. "Amazing Grace", e.g.
60. Arm part
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## RECIPE OF THE WEEK

November 3, 2016

### BAKED SWEET POTATOES WITH GINGER & HONEY

makes about 12 servings

Adapted from  
www.allrecipes.com

#### INGREDIENTS

- 9 sweet potatoes, peeled and cubed
- 1/2 cup honey
- 3 tablespoons grated fresh ginger
- 2 tablespoons walnut oil
- 1 teaspoon ground cardamom
- 1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper



#### DIRECTIONS

Preheat oven to 400 degrees (205 degrees C). In a large bowl, combine the sweet potatoes, honey, ginger, oil, cardamom and pepper. Transfer to a large cast iron frying pan. Bake for 20 minutes. Turn the mixture over to expose the pieces from the bottom of the pan. Bake for another 20 minutes, or until the sweet potatoes are tender and caramelized on the outside.

Continued From...

# Orville Schmidt: From Newburg To New Guinea

## The Few, The Proud, The Uncomfortable

Orville affirmed he was in a C-54 transport plane when he flew over the Golden Gate Bridge to New Guinea. It was very similar to, if not specifically, a Douglas C-54 Skymaster. "Yea. It was a converted passenger liner." In general, during their use in World War II, relatively few people could be seated on those transport planes, often somewhere between 25 and 50.

Orville affirmed that few were on his plane, as at the time he was prepared to fly A-20s — not necessarily B 25s — in WWII. "Well, remember" the A-20 "was a three-man plane. So you could have nine crews, and only have 27 guys." The basic arith-

metic may have been less than two dozen, as pilots for the A-20 may not have been in the C-54's journey. When asked if there were 27 men (nine planes with two crew and a pilot each), Orville said, "Actually there was less than that, because nine crews would have only been two men per plane.... And if there were nine crews on the plane, then actually there was only 18 guys. Two enlisted men — me and the guy with me."

Orv said what he "remembered mostly" about the Skymaster, was "it was a problem airplane. We no more than get out of San Francisco. About four hours out. Just to about the point of no-return. We're in a hell of a doggone thunderstorm.

And I'm in the middle of the Skymaster now. And all the baggages" were moving around. And there was only "a narrow walkway on each side of the garbage (bags filled with the guys stuff) put in the middle."

Riding out the thunderstorm, there wasn't much they could do. "You sat along the outside the bucket seat. That was your comfort for the next 10 hours." His bucket seat was not more than "a paratrooper seat." And they weren't that comfortable. "As a matter of fact, the paratroopers always sat on their shoot." Orville laughed about it as, "That helped," for the paratroopers. Unfortunately, the young men on Orville's plane were not paratroopers but A-20 crew members, so they didn't have a paratrooper shoot to sit on for that bumpy ride.



Above is the Golden Gate Bridge and San Francisco Bay. It was completed in 1937, and at the time was the world's largest suspension bridge. Orville Schmidt would see it the first time about five years later in a transport plane taking him to New Guinea. Unlike this nostalgic postcard from the era, Schmidt's memory is different, for a crew member of the plane told the Army Air Corps servicemen riding they should look out to San Francisco because they would likely never see the iconic bridge again. Despite an implication the men would not survive World War II in the Pacific, Orville did.

-photo submitted



Above is Orville Schmidt on his Blitz Wagon Bug in his garage in the summer of 2016.

Orville moved back to the town of Auburn over two decades ago. His Wautoma Repair Center addressed small engines, welding, lawnmowers and smaller tractors. The business lasted "...just a month shy of 20 years."

Having worked up north, Orville worked with different clients and had a lot of connections with his business. "Well the big thing in Wautoma, I would get stuff from Chicago. People that could trailer their stuff up from Chicago. Drop it off by me, and have a little note on each project, get as much done as you can. 'The next time we come up, we'll pick it up.'"

In his work days, he did a lot of welding but he emphasized his work to sharpen blades and chainsaws. "I was pretty doggone busy... I wasn't starving. But doggone it I was putting in 16 hour days" in the small engine business. "Winter and fall were bad," for the chainsaws required work as wood was needed up north. This included working with a lot of Poulan brand chainsaws.

Sharpening chainsaws was vital. "It kept the cookie jar full." And as the seasons changed so did the demands on the chainsaws. "I'd rework the doggone chain so you could cut ice with it" for fisherman. The process was "Very tricky."

Since he has left Wautoma after retiring, he has continually lived in the Town of Auburn. So yes, around here he was 'retired,' but don't tell his garage, which for two decades was home to odd jobs and improving all types of various machinery. This includes his Blitz Wagon which has an ironic connotation given a WW II B-25 flight engineer is driving it. Is it sarcasm towards the Axis Powers? Blitz is German for lightening; and the front of the cart has a strange resemblance to the red rising sun flag of the Japanese Empire, which Orv had no problem defeating. His friend Dietrich Otto is behind him.

photo by Karl McCarty

## To Guadalcanal

There were multiple stops for Orville before he was at his first Pacific island base camp. "We made three stops. On different islands — island hopping already," Orville joked referencing the U.S. strategy in the Pacific. It's hard to say exactly what demanded the stops, likely fuel or repairs. "And the first stop was Guadalcanal." He added, "That one I'll never forget. The first place we landed." He may have flown over it later in the war, but nothing replaces the first time he landed there in the Solomon Islands. Orville was not allowed to get out of the transport plane. "It was still a very hot area yet," not hot as in temperature, but volatile as in war. "Lot of Snipers."

Orville's guess is they went to Guadalcanal for fuel. "I imagine we did, cause we couldn't leave the cabin. Or leave the cockpit... And I do remember looking out the side window and I saw a bunch of mechanics running around and checking it out."

Henderson Field in Guadalcanal "was quite rough" when they came in for a landing, not to mention the hot spots of battle. Orville tried to explain what happened to the plane: "the front wheel that was supposed to stay stable — unless it's forced over a certain point and it breaks — why, this doggone pin that was supposed to stabilize everything must have broke during that landing, because

the landing field was so rough. Henderson Field itself." So the nose wheel on the plane broke, "and they had to replace that. And they were working in the dark. You couldn't even light a cigarette in the cabin, because of snipers and stuff, and they (the Japanese) were shooting up the place pretty good yet..."

Having landed in the Pacific, the plane was probably stuffy. But Orville never mentioned it and the temperature in the cabin was not the first priority. It was a "couple of hours" on Guadalcanal's landing strip. He did make a comment at that point on Guadalcanal, it was 'too bad' so-to-speak, and one must do what the military tells you. Finally, in Guadalcanal, they gave the plane orders to take off.

"So, we took off from Henderson field (in Guadalcanal). And we landed at another field. I think it was Tarawa."

## To Tarawa Then New Guinea

"You betcha" it was still hot fighting in Tarawa too. Orville said the military branches "had just taken over on that one... It was just a narrow strip of land. If you landed on one runway here, you could see the ocean on both sides... that's a narrow strip of land." The plane just refueled in Tarawa.

In relation to the war in the Pacific, Orville said proportionally Tarawa, which is just an atoll in the Gilbert Islands, was the beginning of the U.S. try-

ing to take the islands back from the Japanese. "Tarawa was sorta a jumping off spot for our navy and the military airplanes" and "bombers to take off and bomb some of the other places." Orville said Tarawa was probably not safe yet in 1943; it was "ours," but the island was still susceptible to hot fighting.

From Tarawa, Orville made his way to New Guinea. Now, before one gets confused, it's important to recognize that Orville's route from Washington State to New Guinea was not linear nor quick. In total, Orville said it would easily take well over a dozen hours to get from mainland United States to New Guinea, but "with the stops it would be a lot longer, so he admit-

ted the whole process took over a day "for sure."

He is adamant that in the Pacific New Guinea was where he landed. "Guadalcanal was first," even if it seems on the map that that was zig-zagging, or even backtracking. "There were certain flight paths that a passenger plane could only take because there were still hot islands in there... Eventually you had to kinda fly around them." So after Guadalcanal and Tarawa, he went to Port Moresby, New Guinea.

What lay in store over the next 18 months for the man born near Newburg ranged from bombing Japanese sites, coasting in B25s twenty feet above the Pacific waves, and flying over nuclear bombed Hiroshima.



Orville Schmidt (walker) with Dietrich Otto (cane). Their age did not keep them from sharing their World War II experiences. Orv flew B-25s throughout the Pacific; Dieter witnessed allied bombers attacking Berlin. Their histories combined provide an interesting conversation. Here they are together at Orville's home in the Town of Auburn this summer.

photo by Karl McCarty

## LEGAL NOTICES

**STATE OF WISCONSIN  
CIRCUIT COURT  
WASHINGTON COUNTY  
SMALL CLAIMS  
PUBLICATION SUMMONS  
AND NOTICE**

HEIGHTS FINANCE CORP,  
2605 W. College Ave.,  
Appleton, WI 54914,  
Plaintiffs

vs.

JENNIFER LYNN  
MONNAHAN  
240 Main St.,  
Kewaskum, WI 53040,  
Defendant

Case No. 16SC1796

estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You may have the option to Answer without appearing in court on the court date by filing a written Answer with the clerk of court before the court date. You must send a copy of your Answer to the Plaintiff(s) named above at their address. You may contact the clerk of court at the telephone number above to determine if there are other methods to answer a Small Claims complaint in that county.

/s/ Wendy Ganzen  
920-733-1264  
10/28/16  
11-3 WNAXLP

**Publication Summons and  
Notice Of Filing  
TO THE PERSON(S)  
NAMED ABOVE AS  
DEFENDANT(S):**

You are being sued by Heights Finance Corp. A copy of the claim has been sent to you at your address as stated in the above caption.

The lawsuit will be heard in the following Small Claims court:

Washington County  
Courthouse  
262-335-4341  
432 E. Washington St.,  
West Bend, WI 53095  
on November 21, 2016 at 9 a.m.

*If you do not attend the hearing, the court may enter a judgment against you in favor of the person(s) suing you.* A copy of the claim has been sent to you at your address as stated in the caption above. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real

**TOWN OF WAYNE  
LOCATION AND HOURS  
OF POLLING PLACE**

At the partisan office and referendum election to be held on Tuesday, November 8 in the Town of Wayne the following polling place locations will be used for the wards indicated:

**Location**  
Wayne Town Hall, 6030  
Mohawk Road, Campbellsport

**Wards**  
all Wards

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

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

**Cindy Shaske**  
**6030 Mohawk Road,**  
**Campbellsport**  
**262-626-4818**  
**(Office Hours by appointment, 262-689-0291)**  
**All polling places are ac-**

**cessible to elderly and disabled voters.**

**Notice of Meeting of the  
Local Board of Canvassers**

At the close of voting on Election Day, pursuant to the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 19.84, the Election Inspectors at each polling place will convene as the Local Canvassing Board for the purpose of conducting the local canvass pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 7.51. This meeting will be open to the public pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§ 19.81-89. 11-3 WNAXLP  
Cindy Shaske, Clerk

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL  
TOWN MEETING  
FOR THE ELECTORS  
OF THE TOWN OF  
KEWASKUM,  
WASHINGTON COUNTY**

Notice is hereby given of a Special Town Meeting of the electors of the Town of Kewaskum to be held on Monday, November 21, 2016. This Special Town Meeting will follow the completion of the 2017 Proposed Budget which begins at 7 p.m. or shortly thereafter at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center, at 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum, WI for the following purposes:

1. To adopt the 2016 tax levy to be paid in 2017 pursuant to sec 60.10(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes. Resolution No. 2016-08

2. To approve the total 2017 Highway Expenditures pursuant to sec 82.03(2) of the Wisconsin Statutes. Resolution No. 2016-09

3. Comments / Concerns / Action of the electors  
11-3 WNAXLP  
Nancy Boden, Town Clerk

**TOWN OF FARMINGTON  
POLLING LOCATION**

At the General Election to be held on November 8, 2016, in the Town of Farmington, the following polling place location will be used for all Wards (1-5):

**Town of Farmington Town Hall, 9422 STH 144, Kewaskum, WI 53040  
ALL POLLING PLACES  
WILL OPEN AT 7:00 A.M.  
AND WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.**

All polling places are accessible to elderly and disabled voters.

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

Town Clerk, Chris Schellinger, 2171 CTH A, West Bend, WI 53090, 262-447-1018

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Chris Schellinger, Clerk

**LOCATION AND HOURS  
OF POLLING PLACE  
FOR THE VILLAGE  
OF KEWASKUM**

The General Election will be held on November 8, 2016 in the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, the polling place is located at the Municipal Building, 204 First Street.

**THE POLLING PLACE  
WILL OPEN AT 7 A.M. AND  
WILL CLOSE AT 8 P.M.**

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

Stephanie Justmann  
204 First Street, P.O. Box 38  
262-626-8484  
7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

This polling place is accessible to elderly and disabled voters.

11-3 WNAXLP  
Stephanie Justmann,  
Village Clerk

**NOTICE OF  
PUBLIC HEARING  
TOWN OF WAYNE**

A public hearing will be held in the Town of Wayne before the Town Board of Appeals at the applicant's (Ryan Laduke) property at 8336 Cty. Hwy. W, Allenton WI 53002 on Saturday, November 12 at 3:30 p.m. The purpose is to consider the application of Ryan Laduke concerning an accessory structure that was constructed on his property. The tax key number is T12 0518 00B. This structure exceeds the size limit of 1200 feet on less than 3 acres.

10-27(2) WNAXLP  
Cindy Shaske, Clerk

**MEETING NOTICE  
KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT**

The School District of Kewaskum Board of Canvassers will meet on Thursday, November 10, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be held at the District Administration Office, 1675 Reigle Dr. Kewaskum to certify the General Election Referendum returns.

Tracie Sette, Administrative Assistant 11-3 WNAXLP

**MEETING NOTICE  
KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT**

The Kewaskum School Board Members may be in attendance at the Kewaskum School District Office on Tuesday, November 8, 2016 at 8:30 p.m. to await election results. Should a majority of the members of the School Board attend, their presence constitutes a "meeting" under the Open Meeting Law even though no action will be taken at this meeting. This notice satisfies the Public Notice requirement pursuant to State Statute 19.84(1)(2)(3)(4).

Tracie Sette, Administrative Assistant 11-3 WNAXLP

**NOTICE OF REFERENDUM  
NOVEMBER 8, 2016  
KEWASKUM AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at an election to be held in the Kewaskum Area School District on Tuesday, November 8, 2016, the following Resolution will be submitted to a vote of the people:

**INITIAL RESOLUTION  
AUTHORIZING GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS  
IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$28,420,000**

BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of the Kewaskum Area School District, Fond du Lac, Sheboygan and Washington Counties, Wisconsin, that there shall be issued, pursuant to Chapter 67 of the Wisconsin Statutes, general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed \$28,420,000 for the public purpose of paying for the cost of site improvements, new construction, renovation and modernization of Kewaskum Middle School and Kewaskum High School and acquiring furnishings, fixtures and equipment related to same.

The question shall appear on the ballot, as follows:

Shall the Kewaskum Area School District, Fond du Lac, Sheboygan and Washington Counties, Wisconsin, be authorized to issue, pursuant to Chapter 67 of the Wisconsin Statutes, general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed \$28,420,000 for the public purpose of paying for the cost of site improvements, new construction, renovation and modernization of Kewaskum Middle School and Kewaskum High School and acquiring furnishings, fixtures and equipment related to same?

**Explanatory Statement and Effect of Vote:**

The referendum election ballot will ask District electors to vote "yes" or "no" on the referendum election question as set forth above.

A "yes" vote is a vote to approve the borrowing of \$28,420,000 by the Kewaskum Area School District through the issuance of general obligation bonds for the purpose of paying for the cost of site improvements, new construction, renovation and modernization of Kewaskum Middle School and Kewaskum High School and acquiring furnishings, fixtures and equipment related to same.

A "no" vote is a vote to deny the Kewaskum Area School District the authority to borrow \$28,420,000 through the issuance of general obligation bonds for the purpose of paying for the cost of site improvements, new construction, renovation and modernization of Kewaskum Middle School and Kewaskum High School and acquiring furnishings, fixtures and equipment related to same.

In the event a majority of the electors voting vote "yes", the District will be authorized to undertake the project identified above and borrow not in excess of \$28,420,000 therefore; if a majority vote "no", the District will not be so authorized.

Done in the Kewaskum Area School District on August 25, 2016.

Mary Miller, District Clerk 11-3 WNAXLP

**PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING  
TOWN OF KEWASKUM**

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, November 21, 2016 at 7 p.m., or shortly thereafter a PUBLIC HEARING will be held on the Town of Kewaskum 2017 PROPOSED BUDGET at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center at 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive. The proposed budget in detail is available for inspection at the clerk's office during office hours, by appointment, or at <http://townofkewaskum.com/budget/proposed-budget>.

	2016 Budget	2017 Anticipated Budget
<b>Revenues</b>		
<b>Taxes</b>		
Property Taxes/Lottery Credit	\$286,907.00	\$286,907.00
Lottery Credit	\$5,000.00	
Payment in Lieu of Taxes	\$6,600.00	\$6,600.00
<b>Intergovernmental Revenue</b>		
Shared Revenue	\$23,990.00	\$23,990.00
State Highway Aids	\$83,786.10	\$83,786.10
Managed Forest Crop Land	\$40.00	\$40.00
Municipal Service Aid	\$80.00	\$80.00
Exempt Computer Aid	\$280.00	\$235.00
Recycling Grant	\$5,400.00	\$6,400.00
<b>Licenses and Permits</b>		
Licenses	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
Permits	\$12,000.00	\$15,000.00
Bonds	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00
<b>Public Charges for Services</b>		
Recycling Solid Waste Fees	\$5,500.00	\$6,500.00
<b>Miscellaneous Revenue</b>	\$6,050.00	\$7,600.00
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$441,633.10</b>	<b>\$443,138.10</b>
	2016 Budget	2017 Anticipated Budget
<b>Expenditures</b>		
<b>General Government</b>	\$73,500.00	\$69,500.00
<b>Public Safety</b>		
Fire Protections	\$75,479.00	\$80,029.00
<b>Public Works</b>		
Transportation	\$106,500.00	\$107,000.00
Sanitation	\$18,000.00	\$21,000.00
<b>Health &amp; Human Services</b>		
Cemetery Expenses	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
<b>Conservation &amp; Development</b>		
Zoning/Land Use	\$27,600.00	\$31,100.00
<b>Miscellaneous Expenditures</b>	\$1,500.00	\$2,000.00
<b>Capital Outlay</b>		
Highway Construction	\$123,054.10	\$113,509.10
<b>Debt Service</b>	\$0.00	
<b>Machinery Purchase Reserve</b>	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
<b>Bridge Replacement Fund</b>	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
<b>Contingency Fund</b>	\$0.00	\$3,000.00
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$441,633.10</b>	<b>\$443,138.10</b>

Nancy Boden, Clerk 11-3 WNAXLP

**✓ US OUT TODAY!**

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION AND SAMPLE BALLOTS  
NOVEMBER 8, 2016

OFFICE OF THE WASHINGTON COUNTY CLERK  
TO THE VOTERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY

Notice is hereby given of a general election to be held in Washington County, on Tuesday, November 8, 2016, 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, are given under the title of the office and under the appropriate party or other designation, each in its proper column, together with the questions submitted to a vote, in the sample ballot below.

INFORMATION TO VOTERS

Upon entering the polling place, a voter shall state his or her name and address, show an acceptable form of photo identification and sign the poll book before being permitted to vote. If a voter is not registered to vote, a voter may register to vote at the polling place serving his or her residence if the voter provides proof of residence. Where ballots are distributed to voters, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot. Upon being permitted to vote, the voter shall retire alone to a voting booth or machine and cast his or her ballot except that a voter who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the voter's minor child or minor ward. An election official may inform the voter of the proper manner for casting a vote, but the official may not in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

Voting for President and Vice President

A vote for candidates for President and Vice President is a vote for the presidential electors of those candidates. A write-in vote for President and Vice President must designate the name of a presidential candidate. A write-in vote for a candidate for President only will be counted. A write-in vote for a candidate for Vice President only will not be counted.

Where Optical Scan Voting is Used

The voter 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 voter shall write in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote, and fill in the oval next to the write-in line. When voting for President and Vice President, the voter shall fill in the oval next to the set of candidates (ticket) for president and vice president for whom he or she intends to vote. To vote for a Presidential ticket that does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the names of persons of his or her choice in the spaces provided and fill in the oval next to the write-in lines. On referendum questions, the voter shall fill in the oval next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall fill in the oval next to "no" if opposed to the question.

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. The voter shall then insert the ballot in the voting device and discard the sleeve, or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit.

A voter may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the voter 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 voter's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the voter.

Brenda J. Jaszewski, Washington County Clerk

The following is a sample of the official ballot:

ALL RACES ARE VOTE FOR ONE

Federal

President and Vice President

- Donald J. Trump/Michael R. Pence (Republican)
- Hillary Clinton/Tim Kaine (Democratic)
- Darrell L. Castle/Scott N. Bradley (Constitution)
- Gary Johnson/Bill Weld (Libertarian)
- Jill Stein/Ajamu Baraka (Wisconsin Green)
- Monica Moorehead/Lamont Lilly (Workers World Party)
- Rocky Roque De La Fuente/Michael Steinberg (American Delta Party)

Congressional

United States Senator

- Ron Johnson (Republican)
- Russ Feingold (Democratic)
- Phillip N. Anderson (Libertarian)

Rep. in Congress – Dist. 5

- F. James Sensenbrenner, Jr. (Republican)
- Khary Penebaker (Democratic)
- John Arndt (Libertarian)

Legislative & State

State Senator – District 20

- Duey Stroebel (Republican)

Rep. to the Assembly – Dist. 59  
Jesse Kremer (Republican)

District Attorney  
Mark D. Bensen (Republican)

County  
County Clerk  
Ashley Reichert (Republican)

Treasurer  
Jane C. Merten (Republican)

Register of Deeds  
Sharon Martin (Republican)

Referendum  
School District  
Kewaskum School District

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Official Ballot Partisan Office and Referendum November 8, 2016. Village of Kewaskum W1-5, 7 Kewaskum SD. Notice to voters: If you are voting on Election Day, your ballot must be initialed by two election inspectors. If you are voting absentee, your ballot must be initialed by the municipal clerk or deputy clerk. Your ballot may not be counted without initials. (See end of ballot for initials.) General Instructions: If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help. (Absentee voters: Contact your municipal clerk.) 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 on the line marked "write-in" and fill in the oval next to the name like this: ●. Ballot ID: 5224. Includes columns for Federal, Congressional, and Legislative and State races.

County, Referendum, Official Ballot Partisan Office and Referendum November 8, 2016 for Village of Kewaskum W1-5, 7 Washington County, WI. Includes County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and Referendum sections. Certification of Voter Assistance section. Includes 'SAMPLE' watermark.

Page 1 of 2-sided ballot. Ballot continues on other side. →

Page 2 of 2-sided ballot. Ballot begins on other side. →

KEWASKUM STATESMAN OFFICE HOURS:  
Mon. 9AM-5PM • Tues. 9AM-12PM  
Wed.-Thurs. 9AM-4PM • Friday 9AM-2PM

DEADLINE For News Items & Ads Is Monday at 5:00 p.m. Includes clock image.



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**Call 920-533-8338**  
or **262-626-2626**  
Ad Deadline is 5 p.m. on Monday

- 1 - Announcements
- 2 - Notices
- 3 - Lost & Found
- 4 - To Give Away
- 5 - Employment
- 6 - Services Offered
- 7 - Miscellaneous Merchandise

- 8 - Household
- 9 - Mayville Area Rummage Sales
- 10 - Horicon Area Rummage Sales
- 11 - Lomira Area Rummage Sales
- 12 - Campbellsport Area Rummage Sales

- 13 - Kewaskum Area Rummage Sales
- 14 - Farm
- 15 - Good Things To Eat
- 16 - Pets & Supplies
- 17 - Lawn and Garden
- 18 - Real Estate For Sale

- 19 - Real Estate Wanted
- 20 - For Rent Mayville Area
- 21 - For Rent Horicon Area
- 22 - For Rent Lomira Area
- 23 - For Rent Campbellsport Area
- 24 - For Rent Kewaskum Area

- 25 - Storage Space
- 26 - Wanted to Rent
- 27 - Wanted to Buy
- 28 - Transportation
- 29 - Recreational



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**LOOKING FOR WORK?**  
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**NEW DEVELOPMENT** in Lomira, 3 bedroom/2 bath, 2-car attached garage with private entrances, 262-305-7666. www.iwishmanagementcompany.com

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**GLEASON REEL CORP.**, a Hubbell Company, a worldwide leader in Cable and Hose Management Systems, has immediate openings for a:

**DRILL PRESS OPERATOR**  
2nd Shift

Responsibilities include performing production work on a drill press under the supervision of lead person. Must be able to read and understand blue prints and routings and produce parts from information obtained from them to the required tolerances. Must be able to use measuring equipment. Frequent standing, bending, as well as lifting, pushing and pulling up to 30 lbs. also required.

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600 South Clark Street, Mayville, WI 53050 or Fax: 920-387-7340

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**ASSEMBLERS**

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**WORK AT QUAD.**

**Lomira Career Fair**  
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**ESTATE/MOVING SALE – TWO DAYS ONLY**  
**Nov. 4th • 9-5PM & Nov. 5th • 9-4PM**  
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1986 Chevy Half Ton Truck, Living Room Furniture, Fold Out Love Seat, TV Stand, Dining Room Table Set, Bedroom Furniture, Mattresses, Glass Serving Pieces, Kitchen Items, Tools, Gardening Items, Jewelry, Home Décor, Christmas & Seasonal Décor, Antique Furniture, Vintage Record/Stereo Player and much more. 3 Bedroom, 1-1/2 Bath, 2 Car on 1 acre with Pull Shed Home is also for Sale.



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Please send your resumé and cover letter to:  
**MAYVILLE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**  
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