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County Says No Sales Tax Revenue For Municipalities

By Anne Trautner

Some local municipalities have asked Washington County to give 25 percent of its sales tax revenue with municipalities in the county.

Washington County officials decided on September 19 that the county was not able to comply with the request.

"Since April we have met with other Washington County leaders about adopting the Sheboygan model for sales tax," Kewaskum Village President Kevin Scheunemann said at the Village Board meeting on Monday, Sept. 18.

Sheboygan County shares its sales tax revenue with local municipalities to help cover road improvements.

"I think the Sheboygan model is an excellent model, because it is clear that the county is not going to repeal the sales tax, and municipalities are being starved by the tax levy," Scheunemann said. "People want to see roads fixed, and the sales tax is one of those items where that could happen."

The Kewaskum Village Board last week unanimously passed a resolution requesting the share of sales tax revenue.

"I think a lot of the people in leadership roles in municipalities in Washington County would like to see the sales tax go away, but if it isn't, philosophically, it makes sense for the county to share the revenue because it is in municipalities where that commerce is taking

place," said Village Administrator Matt Heiser.

Had the county approved the request, the village would have received about \$86,000 annually, if the sales tax revenue was allocated by population.

The Town of Farmington, which also would have received about \$86,000 a year, likewise approved a resolution requesting the share of sales tax revenue.

The Town of Kewaskum, which would have been looking at about \$22,000, tabled the issue at its September 18 meeting.

The Washington County Executive Committee sent a letter to municipalities in response, explaining the decision to deny the request. The complete letter is printed on page 10.



Kewaskum art teacher Peggy Henke holds up the Promising Practice Award she and fellow art teacher Jane Mongin received from the Wisconsin Character Education Partnership. The 2016-17 art teachers were recognized for their "Pins and Magnets" program. For the program, fourth- and fifth-grade students create original art pieces to become pins and magnets, which are then sold at the school and local grocery store to raise money for the Kewaskum Community Pantry. In addition to the artistic process, students learn about a need that exists in their own community.

photo submitted

County Home And Community Program Celebrates 80 Years

By Anne Trautner

The Washington County Association of Home and Community Education (HCE) celebrated its 80th anniversary on Monday, Sept. 25, at the Museum of Wisconsin Art in West Bend.

The HCE is a nonprofit organization that is made up of local clubs and individual members throughout Washington County. It is a social, educational and service-oriented organization.

Myra Peters, who worked as an agent for the UW Extension Office in Washington County 64 years ago, said the program has changed some with the times, but one thing remains the same.

"They do many worthwhile activities," she said.

HCE offers various education programs for members. Some recent study topics include consumerism, nature, nutrition and safety.

HCE supports the Wisconsin Bookworms program by providing volunteer readers/mentors for children ages 3-5 who are in families of financial need. Currently, HCE volunteers help approximately 225 children in the county.

HCE also offers an annual scholarship. Today, there are nine active HCE clubs in the county, according to Ginny Ramstack, the Washington County HCE president.

"We all joined the clubs for a different reasons. In my club, we were all young moms and we just wanted to get out of the house, without the kids. And we had a good time," Ramstack said.

In the early years, HCE covered many of the same educational topics that the group still focuses on today,

such as how to preserve foods, Ramstack said.

The groups expanded to include volunteering and community engagement as members became interested in becoming active in their communities and schools, she said.

Judy Etta, who is now a member of HCE, grew up watching her mother Lillian Oelhafen, participating in the organization.

"My mother enjoyed it. She was a member for 69 years," Etta said.

Some of the activities are hard to forget.

"At one of their meetings they all wore their wedding dresses," recalled Etta, who still has a picture of the HCE's Kohlsville Klever Kates group in their wedding gowns.

Photos are among the items displayed in an exhibit featuring the HCE that is at the Washington County History Center, the Old Courthouse Museum, in West Bend through mid-October.

In addition, an oak tree and a stone marker were purchased to commemorate HCE's 80 years in Washington County. The 80th Anniversary Oak Tree Dedication will be held on October 10 at 10 a.m. at Washington County Park.

Painting Her Way From Tragedy To Success

By Anne Trautner

Kewaskum High School graduate Julie Haberman Osmus has always loved creating art.

"I knew early on I wanted to be an artist when I grew up," the 38-year-old artist said.

It is what she would turn to when she was happy. And it is what she turned to when tragedy struck. It

is what kept her going when her sister, Andrea Haberman, was killed in the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001.

Now art is turning others toward Osmus.

A large painting that Osmus created was selected to be part of a juried exhibit, and is featured at the Cedarburg Cultural Center through October 15.

The piece depicts boats lined up on the shore. The painting measures 16 feet by 4 feet and is entitled "Proposito de mi Alma," which translates to "The Purpose of my Soul." Jake Knox, who is owner of Lucky Star Workshop in Grafton, commissioned Osmus to paint the piece.

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Julie Haberman Osmus, a Kewaskum High School graduate, has a painting on display at the Cedarburg Cultural Center. Pictured with Osmus are her husband, Troy Osmus, and their children, 20-month-old Gordon and 4-year-old Mia Osmus.

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Kurly's Grand Larsony Is Moving

Customers of Kurly's Grand Larsony in Kewaskum will find themselves with a new view starting on Tuesday, Oct. 3, but they won't have to travel far to find it.

Owner Mark "Kurly" Kissinger is moving the business across the alley, from 137 Main St. to 143 Main St. (the building most recently occupied by Patso's) in Kewaskum. The new location offers a larger bar room, larger bathrooms, kitchen facilities (for future development), and the space to add a second dart board.

Kurly emphasizes that the "same atmosphere

and focus on the bar" will continue. "I want to take this business and make it last another 23 years in Kewaskum like Kissy [his godfather] did," he said.

The last day the "old" building will be open will be on Friday, Sept. 29. The bar will then be closed from Saturday, Sept. 30, through Monday, Oct. 2.

Kissy will flip the lights on at 143 Main St. at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 3, with Kurly serving drinks starting at 6 p.m. Be sure to also stay tuned for details on the one-year anniversary party, to be held November 4.

XYZ Card Results

The winners of cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, Sept. 20, were:

Kathy Schmidt, Jerry Schneider, Joyce Herriges, Ralph Chapman, Bernice Yogerst, Gary Straub and Marvin Marquardt.

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

Tuesday Night Sheepshead Winners

Five-handed winners on Tuesday, Sept. 19, were: Jerry Wiedmeyer, 70-5-65, 21-4-17; Dick Kohn, 57-3-54, 15-3-12; Jeanette Guillaume, 53-6-47, 24-4-70; Jerry Rosenthal, 52-6-46, 22-4-18; Brian Buck, 57-13-44, 17-6-11; Dick Techtmann, 55-12-43, 22-9-13; Rochelle Stoffel, 44-6-38, 17-4-13; Gerold Stern 18 most losses and Raymond Kirchner 8 low points.

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The Class of 1967 held its reunion at Hon-E-Kor on September 16. Pictured are: (front row, from left) Delores (Mayer) Eder, Candy (Schommer) Behm, Bernie Falk, Diane (Konrath) Klemme, Lana (Harbeck) Kuehl, Darlene (Gruber) Sabish, Lois (Herriges) Dorn, Ann (Fellenz) Neumann and Pat (Nigh) Geidel; (second row) Linda (Maglio) Bird, Linda (Esterline) Carlson, Joyce (Uelmen) Heller, Kathy (Meyer) Schullieis, Sue (Bales) Rochester, Jean (Klug) Prost, Dale Darmody, Jerry Marx, Wayne Kirst, Paul Reindl, Marvin Ebert and Dick Thieme; (third row) Ruth (Hafemann) Kohler, Diane (Kaschner) Majerus, Carol McKee, Mary Jane (Bales) Moths, Claudette (Sternberg) Anderson, Richard Schmidt, Mike Bodden, Ron Hausner, Bill Backhaus, John LaMarshe, Steve Leigl and Donnie Theusch; and (back row) Mike Otten, Mark Schaefer, Gary Klemme, Mark Belger, Curt Erdmann, Eugene Ebert, Dan Kudek, Karl Brath, Mike Miller, Joel Fehlhaber, Paul Buczek and Ken Heinecke.

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Village Of Kewaskum Begins FEMA Corrective Action Procedure

By Anne Trautner

The Village of Kewaskum has started a corrective action process for properties that are out of compliance with the village's floodplain ordinance.

On Monday, Sept. 18, the Village Board unanimously approved hiring M Squared Engineering, LLC, for \$11,600 to identify any violations and to develop any necessary corrective action plans.

FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency) has identified a total of 35 areas that are out of compliance with the ordinance, according to Village Administrator Matt Heiser. These include developed and undeveloped properties on Edgewood Road, Knights Avenue, Roseland Drive, Dream Catcher Drive, Bel Ric Drive, Linde Lane and in the Woodland Creek subdivision. Three of the identified areas are culverts and bridges.

In 2009, the Village Board voluntarily adopted

the floodplain ordinance, which brings the village under FEMA regulations.

The goal is to protect life, health and property, and minimize expenditures of public funds for flood control projects, and minimize rescue and relief efforts undertaken at the expense of taxpayers.

FEMA allows properties to be built on floodplains. The issue is not that the identified properties are built on a floodplain. Instead, the issue is that the identified areas built in the floodplain may have been built below the FEMA standard.

It is possible that the properties were built to the standard, but the village did not document that fact, Heiser said.

Therefore, the first step that M Squared Engineering will take is to determine if each property is in fact not in compliance. From there, an action plan will be determined for each property.

The village is required to submit a corrective action plan to FEMA by

September 30.

The Village of Kewaskum had not budgeted any money for addressing the FEMA issue this year, but it does have some reserve funds for land use planning that would cover that expense, Heiser said.

At last week's Village Board meeting, trustees discussed consequences of not submitting a plan.

"As with any state mandate, I asked Matt what the cost of noncompliance is," Village President Kevin Scheunemann said. "This is something that is being shoved down our throat. I'm willing to stick my neck out for noncompliance for a year."

However, the board decided that it would better financially to tend to the matter now.

Essentially, noncompliance would cost each village property owner an extra \$50 charge, Heiser said. But the consequences could be more costly in subsequent years.

"If we show FEMA that

we are doing no progress, then there could be worse punishment after probation," Scheunemann said.

The board unanimously decided it would be more beneficial to comply than to ignore the issue.

As the enforcing agency, the village will cover the \$11,600 to find out if each property is in violation and to determine what corrective measures are required. From there, it is possible that the individual property owners would be need to pay for improvements.

"Each case needs to be researched individually to see if it is indeed not compliant, and if it is not compliant, to what degree and in what way, and that will drive who covers what costs," Heiser said.

In 2013, FEMA redid its floodplain map, and some village properties were added to the floodplain that had previously not required flood insurance. This issue is not related to that change.

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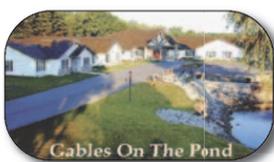


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A \$30 pre-registration fee is required for the hazardous waste, electronics and appliances. The Pharmaceutical Collection does not require anyone to pre-register. At the Used Tire Collection a maximum of 20 tires will be accepted per participant and disposal fees apply at the time of drop off.

The 2017 Full Service Clean Sweep event will be held on Saturday, Oct. 7. Collection will be from 8 a.m. to noon at the Washington County Highway Facility, 900

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2. Download the Registration Form from the website and mail in your payment www.co.washington.wi.us/cleansweep or

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4. Call 262-335-4808, leave your name address and phone number. A registration form will be mailed to you.

The following materials will NOT be accepted during the Clean Sweeps: latex paint, motor oil, needles/sharps, radioactive items, smoke detectors, propane tanks and cylinders.

For additional information visit www.co.washington.wi.us/cleansweep.

WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE REPORT

Structure Fire

On Thursday, Sept. 21, at 1:48 a.m., the Washington County Sheriff's Office was notified of a garage fire at 4578 County Trunk H in the Town of Kewaskum. The fire was reported by a passing motorist, who also notified the two adults that were home at the time. No one was injured as a result of the fire.

The structure was a detached garage, near the home, and was found to be fully engulfed upon arrival of deputies. The fire was quickly extinguished by Kewaskum Fire Department. The garage appears to be a total loss estimated at \$50,000. County Highway H was closed for about an hour near the residence. The Wisconsin State Patrol and Village of Kewaskum Police also assisted with traffic control.

Although the cause of the fire remains under investigation by the Washington County Sheriff's Office, there were reports of significant thunder and lightning in the immediate area as storms moved through.

School Bus Accident

The Washington County Sheriff's Office investigated a minor personal injury accident involving a school bus on Friday, Sept. 22, at 3:56 p.m. at the intersection of Mapledale Road and Eastwood Trail in the Town of Trenton.

The investigation revealed the operator of the car, a 23-year-old Town of Trenton man, failed to yield the right-of-way to the school bus and two vehicles collided in the intersection. The school bus was only transporting one student at the time, and neither that student nor the driver were injured. The other driver suffered minor injuries. Newburg Rescue responded to the scene but did not transport.

The driver of the car received a citation for failing to yield.

West Bend Theft And Strong Armed Robbery

The West Bend Police Department reported that on Sunday, Sept. 17, at 2:27 p.m., a 27-year-old female reported that while she was unloading her shopping cart at Walmart, 1515 W. Paradise Drive, a male grabbed her purse that was in the cart, got into a vehicle and left the parking lot. The female victim was not injured in the incident.

On Wednesday, Sept.

20, at 11:27 a.m., an 85-year-old male reported that while he was filling his car with gas at Barton Citgo, 1516 N. Main St., a male approached him and asked him for a dollar. As the 85-year-old was removing the dollar from his wallet, the suspect grabbed the victim's wallet and fled in a vehicle. The 85-year-old was not injured during the robbery.

On Friday, Sept. 22, West Bend investigators identified the suspect as a 30-year-old male, living in Milwaukee. The identity of the suspect and description of the vehicle were shared with local law enforcement agencies.

On Saturday, Sept. 23, at 2:30 a.m., Washington County Sheriff Deputies located the suspect in the area of U.S. Highway 45 and Pleasant Valley Road. The suspect was getting into a 2000 Toyota Four Runner. That vehicle was stolen in the City Milwaukee. The deputies took the suspect into custody and turned him over to West Bend Police. West Bend Police arrested him for Robbery, Theft, Operating a Motor Vehicle without the Owner's Consent, and Habitual Criminality. The suspect has prior criminal convictions for Theft, Burglary, Robbery, Possession of Cocaine and Possession of a Scheduled Narcotic. The suspect is presently in the Washington County Jail.

Drug Overdose

On Saturday, Sept. 23, at 7:39 a.m. the Sheriff's Office along with Richfield Rescue responded to a Village of Richfield residence for a suspected overdose of a 27-year-old man that was unconscious in bed. The deputy arrived on scene and described the victim as having, "a very weak pulse, almost hard to feel, and still agonal breathing."

The first responding deputy administered two rounds of Narcan with little effect. A second deputy arrived and administered another round of Narcan that finally brought the victim slowly back. The subject was transported to a local hospital.

Deputies learned that the victim lost his hearing at a result of the overdose. Medical professionals indicated they are seeing this type of loss of hearing more often and think it is being caused by nerve damage in the ear; this hearing loss can last a day, a week, a month or more.

Deputies did not locate any drugs or paraphernalia at the residence.

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Heroin Overdose

The Washington County Sheriff's Office responded to a restaurant in the Village of Richfield on September 19 at 11:24 p.m. for a report of a 26-year-old Westfield woman that had collapsed after overdosing on heroin. Her associate, a 27-year-old Wautoma man, retrieved a heroin kit from the vehicle in order to administer Narcan as the business called 911.

Deputies, and a Wisconsin state trooper, arrived as bystanders began CPR. The deputy administered another round of Narcan as he noted the classic respiratory distress associated with a heroin overdose. Shortly thereafter a pulse is obtained and the patient began to regain consciousness.

During the subsequent investigation the heroin kit was located hidden in an adjacent room. Initially there were conflicting statements about who owned the kit, which contained heroin and paraphernalia. Eventually the 27-year-old man was taken to jail for a probation hold and the woman was transported to a local hospital.

The woman was medically cleared and arrested. She remains in custody at the Washington County Jail on heroin possession and paraphernalia charges.

Assist Fond du Lac Police and Sheriff's Office

On September 20 at 2:19 a.m. the City of Fond du Lac Police Department and the Fond du Lac Sheriff's Office contacted the Washington County communications center regarding a possible carjacking suspect southbound on Interstate 41 from State Highway 23.

Shortly thereafter, the Fond du Lac Sheriff's Office advised they were pursuing the vehicle

southbound towards Washington County at speeds in excess of 120 mph and were requesting our assistance to deploy a tire deflation device.

Deputies were able to successfully deploy the device in the area of State Highway 33. The driver continued until he crashed as he exited at the State Highway 60 off-ramp.

The male driver, who was 15 years old, attempted to flee on foot and was taken into custody by law enforcement. Washington County Deputies did not actively take part in the actual pursuit as several law enforcement agencies were already engaged in the incident.

Commercial Vehicle Operating While Intoxicated Arrest

The Washington County Sheriff's Office arrested a 37-year-old Village of Slinger man for operating a semi-tractor tanker, loaded with 54,000 pounds of cement, for operation while intoxicated on September 19 after receiving a report from the Dodge County Sheriff's Office at 4:46 pm.

The report was that a red semi-tractor tanker was east bound on State Highway 33 from County Trunk P and almost struck multiple vehicles head on. Information was also provided to the communications center that a Horicon ambulance, in Dodge County, had to take evasive action to avoid a collision and subsequently injured one of the EMTs.

Two Washington County Deputies stopped the driver after he went into the ditch on Interstate 41 south of County Trunk K in the Town of Polk. The driver could not recall where he was coming from. He failed roadside sobriety testing and was arrested for first offense OWI.

Sensenbrenner To Hold Office Hours At Village Hall

Congressman Sensenbrenner is looking forward to holding office hours at the Kewaskum Village Hall on Friday, Oct. 20 at 10 a.m. The meeting will last 30 minutes and is open to the public.

Washington County Sheriff's Fugitive

The Washington County Sheriff's Department is seeking:



Name: Christopher O Neal Beamon
Age: 17
Race: Black
Sex: Male
Height: 5'06"
Weight: 120
Hair: Brown
Eyes: Brown

Scars/Tattoos: Right Arm
Last Known Address: Hartford
Warrant Entry Date: 09/25/2017

Warrant: #1 - Washington County Sheriff - Felony - Fleeing an Officer.

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

Dinner Menu Week of Oct. 2

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Tuesday: Chop Steak
Wednesday: Liver & Onions
Thursday: BBQ Country Style Ribs
Friday: Cod • Perch • Walleye Shrimp • Salmon



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School Happenings

Kewaskum High School

Thursday, September 28

- √ Varsity Cross Country vs Slinger at Homestead Hollow Park, 4:15 p.m.
- √ JV2 Football vs Kettle Moraine Lutheran, 4:30 p.m.
- √ Boys Varsity Soccer at Kettle Moraine Lutheran, 4:30 p.m.
- √ Boys JV Soccer at Kettle Moraine Lutheran, 4:30 p.m.
- √ Football Team Meals, cafeteria, 5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Friday, September 29

- √ Varsity Football at Kettle Moraine Lutheran, 7 p.m.

Saturday, September 30

- √ Football Films, theater, 7 a.m. - 11 a.m.
- √ JV Volleyball at Hartford, 8 a.m.
- √ Varsity Volleyball at Cedar Grove Belgium High School, 9 a.m.

Monday, October 2

- √ Boys Varsity Soccer vs Living Word Lutheran, 4 p.m.
- √ Boys JV Soccer vs Living Word Lutheran, 4 p.m.
- √ JV Football at West Bend East, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, October 3

- √ JV2 Volleyball at Kettle Moraine Lutheran, 5 p.m.
- √ JV Volleyball at Berlin High School, 5 p.m.

Thursday, October 5

- √ Varsity Cross Country at Columbus Parc, Campbell-sport, 4 p.m.
- √ JV2 Football at Berlin, 4:30 p.m.
- √ Team Meals, cafeteria, 5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
- √ JV2 Volleyball vs Berlin, 5:30 p.m.
- √ JV Volleyball vs Berlin, 5:30 p.m.
- √ Varsity Volleyball vs Berlin, 6:45 p.m.

Friday, October 6

- √ Varsity Football, Homecoming vs Berlin, 7 p.m.

Saturday, October 7

- √ Football Films, theater, 7 a.m. - 11 a.m.
- √ Varsity Volleyball vs Lodi, 9 a.m.

Sunday, October 8

- √ KEYS Run/Walk, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Kewaskum Middle School

Thursday, September 28

- √ Girls Basketball vs Campbellsport, 4:15 p.m.

Tuesday, October 3

- √ Girls Basketball at Oakfield, 4:15 p.m.

Thursday, October 5

- √ Girls Basketball vs Lomira, 4:15 p.m.

Saturday, October 7

- √ Gridiron home game, 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Farmington Elementary School

Wednesday, October 4

- √ Brownie Troop meeting, art room, 3:50 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Thursday, October 5

- √ 4-H Club Kettle Country Kids, cafeteria, 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Food Prices Increase Slightly In Wisconsin

The Wisconsin Farm Bureau's Marketbasket survey that tracks the average price of 16 food items used to prepare one or more meals reported the average cost at \$49.66. The survey items cost 1.3 percent more than one year ago and almost 1.4 percent more since March.

"These minimal increases in the latest Marketbasket survey show that food prices are extremely stable," said Amy Eckelberg, spokeswoman of the Wisconsin Farm Bureau Federation.

Prices of eight of the survey's 16 items increased in price compared with the Wisconsin Farm Bureau's survey conducted last fall.

The increase in the price of bacon was a large contributor to the rise in the survey.

One year ago, one pound of bacon averaged \$4.22. This year's survey shows the price at \$4.81. The higher price reflects the lower inventory of pork bellies on the market.

"Bacon is a trendy food item right now," said Eckelberg. "We are seeing a high interest in this product, therefore a decline in inventory and the reason for a 14 percent increase in price."

Other items that increased in price during the year were a 9-oz. box of toasted oat cereal (\$2.51 to \$2.86), a dozen of Grade A eggs (\$0.98 to \$1.08) and a 32-oz bottle of vegetable oil (\$2.37 to \$2.56).

Prices of eight of the survey's 16 items decreased in price compared with the same survey conducted last fall.

Sirloin tip roast decreased in price nearly 10 percent per pound.

"The strong inventory of beef cattle has resulted in lower prices for consumers," Eckelberg said. "The survey's average price for a pound of sirloin tip roast dropped from \$5.29 to \$4.77 (nearly 10

percent) during the past year."

Other items that saw a lower price from last year was one-gallon of whole milk (\$3.32 to \$3.01), one-pound of bagged salad (\$2.78 to \$2.67) and one-pound of boneless chicken breast (\$3.69 to \$3.48).

Wisconsin Survey Price Is Less Than National Average

Wisconsin's \$49.66 Marketbasket survey average price is \$1.47 less than the American Farm Bureau Federation's national survey of the same 16 food items. AFBF's survey averaged \$51.13, a 2.9 percent difference.

Farmer's Share Is Just \$7.75

During the last three decades, retail grocery prices have gradually increased while the share of the average dollar spent on food that farm families receive has decreased. In the mid-1970s, farmers received about one-third of consumer retail food expenditures in grocery stores and restaurants. Since then that figure has decreased steadily and is now 15.6 percent, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Using that percentage across the board, the farmer's share of this quarter's \$49.66 grocery bill is \$7.75.

The USDA says Americans will spend approximately 10 percent of their disposable annual income on food, the lowest average in the world.

The Marketbasket survey is a quarterly look at Wisconsin food price trends in relation to changing farm prices, weather and wholesale and retail food marketing. Members of the Wisconsin Farm Bureau collected price samples of 16 basic food items in communities across Wisconsin during September.

BREAKFAST MENUS

Menus for October 2 - October 6 Breakfast

Yogurt, String Cheese, Yogurt Parfaits, Un crustable.

Kewaskum High School and Middle School

Mon.: Pillsbury Mini Pancakes with Syrup, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Tues.: French Toast Sticks with Syrup, (MS) Sausage Biscuits, Orange Wedge, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Wed.: Cheese Omelet, Biscuit, Hashbrown Triangle, Red Grapes, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Thurs.: Egg and Cheese Bagel Sandwich, Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Fri.: Breakfast Buffet (Variety of Breakfast Items) Fresh Pear HALVES, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Other Breakfast Items: Pillsbury Bagels, Banana/Zucchini Bread, Fruit Muffins, Cinnamon Rolls, Cereal/Granola Bars, Cold Cereal, 4 oz.

Kewaskum School District Elementary Schools

Mon.: Zucchini Bread, Mandarin Oranges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Tues.: French Toast Sticks, Hashbrowns, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Wed.: Yogurt Parfait, Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Thurs.: Ham, Egg and Cheese Croissant, Strawberries, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Fri.: Apple Bosco Stick, Fresh Apple Slices, 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, Un crustable.

All Menus Are Subject To Change.

LUNCH MENUS

Menus for October 2 - October 6

Kewaskum High School Lunch Menu

Mon.: Orange Chicken, Fried Rice/Egg Roll, Stir Fry Vegetables, Fresh Apple Slices, Pineapple Tidbits.

Tues.: Meatball Sub, Potato Wedges, Baked Beans, Orange Wedges, Fruit Cocktail.

Wed.: Chicken Bacon Ranch Sandwich, Sweet Potato Fries, Sugar Snap Peas, Clementine, Diced Peas.

Thurs.: Pasta Bar, Cheesy Broccoli, Romaine Lettuce, Fresh Pear Halves, Applesauce.

Fri.: Bosco Sticks, Marinara Sauce, Seasoned Peas, Fresh Broccoli, Blueberries, Diced Peaches.

Mondays: Bistro Burger Bar.

Tuesdays: Fiesta Bar.

Wednesdays: Sizzlin Salad Bar.

Thursdays: A Taste Of Italy

Fridays: Popcorn Chicken Bar.

Kewaskum Middle School

Mon.: Italian Turkey Sub, Potato Wedges, Glazed Carrots, Fresh Broccoli, Pineapple Tidbits. Second Choice - Burger Bar.

Tues.: Orange Chicken, Fried Rice, Roasted Broccoli, Veggie Egg Roll, Romaine/Fruit Cocktail, Treat - Push Up. Second

Choice - Pizza.

Wed.: Chicken Caesar Salad, Garlic Bread, Clementines, Diced Peas. Second Choice - Nacho/Burrito Bar.

Thurs.: Breaded Chicken Sandwich, Baked Beans, Sun Chips, Romaine Lettuce, Applesauce. Second Choice - Deli Bar.

Fri.: Bosco Sticks, Marinara Sauce, Seasoned Peas, Baby Carrots, Diced Peaches. Second Choice - Pasta Bar.

Kewaskum, Farmington and i4Learning Elementary

Mon.: Breaded Chicken Sandwich, Sweet Potato Fries, Chopped Romaine, Fresh Apple Slices. Second Choice - Pepperoni Pizza.

Tues.: Meatball Sub, French Fries, Seasoned Peas, Fruit Cocktail, Treat - Rice Krispy Treat. Second Choice - Ravioli and Garlic Bread.

Wed.: Sloppy Joes, Baked Beans, Fresh Broccoli, Diced Peas. Second Choice - Loaded Mashed Potatoes with Ham and Cheese and Garlic Bread.

Thurs.: Bacon Cheeseburger, Buttered Corn, Sun Chips, Romaine Lettuce, Applesauce. Second Choice - Popcorn Chicken.

Fri.: Pizza Sticks with Marinara Sauce, Roasted Broccoli, Baby Carrots, Blueberries. Second Choice - Grilled Cheese and Tomato Soup.

All Menus Are Subject To Change.

Weekly Specials

Ground Chuck 5 lb. Limit.....\$3.59 lb.

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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.

Storytimes

Storytime takes place every Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m. (the same stories each session), year-round.

September 28: Going to the Apple and Pumpkin Farm

October 5: Dinosaurs
October 12: Community Helpers

October 19: Fall Animals

October 26: Fairy Tales

Upcoming Events

September 28: QPR: Question, Persuade,

Refer, A Suicide Prevention Training, 6 p.m. Mark your calendar, share this opportunity with others, and join us for this life saving educational event. QPR Certification Training is an evidence based training designed to help you gain an awareness of statistics, known risk factors, recognizable behaviors, and the proven, 3-step process for suicide intervention. You will be encouraged to ask questions and actively participate in the presentation practice exercise.

Washington County Caregiver Coalition Offers Caregiver Day Of Renewal

The Washington County Caregiver Coalition wants to give our community caregivers a break from caregiving by offering them a Day of Renewal. Family caregivers frequently give their time, their strength, their energy, their ALL. Caregivers must find time to take care of themselves and their own health to be effective caregivers to those they love.

This day of relaxation and rejuvenation for family caregivers will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 1 from 10:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. at Cedar Valley Retreat Center, 5349 County Road D, West Bend.

Caregivers can take part in a number of activities including chair massages, reflexology, mini-facials for men and women, make-up application, adult coloring pages, mini-manicures, adult coloring pages and

therapeutic oil demonstrations. Enjoy the beautiful Cedar Valley hospitality and delicious buffet lunch. The day will conclude with a presentation. Angela Guerra L.A.C., RYT from Mind and Body Balance Community Healing Arts of West Bend will inform caregivers of the benefits of meditation. Door prizes will be awarded at the conclusion of the event.

Pre-registration is required on a first come first served basis. RSVP by October 18. There is no cost to attend, however limited space is available. Limited caregiver support funding is available to cover the cost of respite services so caregivers can attend the event. For further information call Tammy D. or Mona at Aging & Disability Resource Center of Washington County 262-335-4497.

SENIOR DINING MENU

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Monday, October 2 - Turkey Ala King over Brown Rice, Whole Kernel Corn, Chilled Peaches, Whole Grain White Bread, Flavored Yogurt.

Tuesday, October 3 - Pot Roast, Garlic Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Harvard Beets, Multigrain Bread, Apple Pie, Chocolate Milk. Alt: Diet Pie.

Wednesday, October 4 - Chili Mac, Mixed Vegetables, Fruit Cocktail, Buttermilk Biscuit, Ice Cream Sundae Cup.

Thursday, October 5 - Smoked Kielbasa, Red Beans and Rice, Green Beans, Baby Carrots with Ranch Dressing, Whole Wheat Bread, Chocolate Chip Cookie. Alt: Diet Cookie.

Friday, October 6 - Creamy Baked Chicken Breast, Herbed Stuffing, Broccoli Florets, Fresh Grapes, Brownie. Alt: Applesauce.

To make reservations, please call (262) 335-4497 or 1-877-306-3030 one day in advance by noon.



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DAYS GONE BY

5 Years Ago September 27, 2012

Young and old receive some not so sweet news this week as Candy Tree owner, Chris Jung, announced her store will close sometime before the end of the year unless a buyer comes forward for the business. Jung just recently celebrated 10 years of business.

A 23-year-old man lost his life after a single-vehicle crash Sunday morning, Sept. 23.

15 Years Ago September 26, 2002

Beth Steiner of Kewaskum filled the vacant seat left by Andy Degnitz in July. Steiner won the seat after three votes and by beating out Carrie Kuehl, Jeanne Goeden, and Neal Weare. Andrew Kuehl withdrew his application before last Wednesday's meeting.

Triplets to Dennis and Tammy Butz, Kewaskum, Alyssa Marie, Nicole Ann, and Andrea Lynn, on September 17.

A son, Nathan Edward, born to Darcie and Rick Heberer, Kewaskum, on July 23.

25 Years Ago September 24, 1992

Mrs. Connie Schulist has been named the "Outstanding Parent" for 1992 by the Wisconsin Council for the Gifted and Talented. She was nominated for this award by Carol Zoerb, district coordinator for gifted and talented programs, for her extensive support and involvement in the School District of Kewaskum.

A daughter to Karen and Todd, Kewaskum, on Sept. 10.

A son to Shawn and Wade, Kewaskum, on Sept. 11.

50 Years Ago September 22, 1967

The 15th annual Live Turkey Shoot sponsored by the Kewaskum Kiwanis Club at the B-N Dude

Ranch was the most successful ever held and set new records in attendance, number of trout caught, and amount of business done at all stands. Hot, sunny weather, with the temperature around 80 degrees, helped swell the attendance. A total of 5,200 shooters participated on the rifle range for live turkeys, about 1,000 more than ever before. The shooters bagged 460 turkeys, approximately 60 more than ever before, and would have taken a lot more if the supply of birds had not run out later in the afternoon, some time before the shooting was scheduled to end. A total of 248 frozen turkeys were taken in other events.

Fall color in the Kettle Moraine will be viewed from the air during Washington County's Colorama Week. The Washington County Beautification Council has announced that airplane tours will be offered to the public on Sept. 30, Oct. 1, 7 and 8. The tours open a month-long campaign to make citizens aware of the natural areas blighted by man. October has been designated "Beautification and Cleanup month."

Births - A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nonn, Campbellsport, Sunday, Sept. 17. A son to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kaehler, Kewaskum, Wednesday, Sept. 20.

75 Years Ago September 28, 1942

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Strobel, venerable and highly esteemed residents of near New Fane, celebrated their 60th or diamond wedding anniversary last Sunday, Sept. 20. About 225 people attended church services at St. Mathias Church which was beautifully decorated with white and yellow flowers and beautiful ferns. The singing of the Sister Choir of St. Joseph's convent was enjoyed by all.

Ninety-seven Washington men who

passed their physical examinations in Milwaukee Sept. 15, will leave for the reception center at Fort Sheridan, Ill., next Tuesday. Sixteen of the men are from Kewaskum. The group leaving includes: Wilmer H. Ramthun, Marlin A. Dreher, Paul A. Cechvala, Werner Hoerig, Ralph Marx, Francis P. Wiedmeyer, Wallace Kurth, Walter E. Werner, Ervin Martin, Wesley H. Kuehl, Bernard Horn, Paul Kral, Lester Kuehl, Ralph Boettcher, Carl Mayer and Melvin J. Brandt.

Walter Belger of this village was overcome from monoxide gas in the garage at his home Saturday. We are told Walter was cleaning one of his cars while he had the motor running in the other. A door was left open but not sufficient to let the deadly fumes escape. Mrs. Belger happened to notice her husband groping for the door and went to assist him. She succeeded in getting him outside where he collapsed. He was taken into his home. Walter got over the effects quickly and was able to be up the next day although it wouldn't have taken much longer for the gas to prove fatal.

Births - A 9 pound baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. William Volm, Town of Kewaskum, Thursday, Sept. 24. A baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Reindl, Campbellsport, Tuesday, Sept. 22.

Baby Eugene Pesch, 4 month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Pesch, Kewaskum, underwent an operation at St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday.

100 Years Ago September 22, 1917

The Bank of Kewaskum has made arrangements to have a copy of the Kewaskum Statesman mailed to the boys of this community in the service of the United States Army or Navy. Not being in possession of all the addresses, the Bank kindly requests that same be furnished by

parents, friends or relatives so that a copy may be forwarded every week. Arrangements are also being made by the Bank to start a Smoke Fund and anybody wishing to contribute to same can do so by calling Bank.

The residence of Alfred Howard, two miles west of Campbellsport, was destroyed by fire Saturday night. Mr. Howard discovered the blaze about 10 o'clock after the family had retired. He lost no time in getting his wife and three children out of the house and turning in the alarm. The Campbellsport department responded promptly. Mrs. Howard had built a fire in the summer kitchen stove at the rear of the house in the early part of the evening and it is thought the fire was caused by overheated walls. The Campbellsport Department saved most of the furniture from the main part of the house.

The lives of a number of people were endangered Wednesday morning when a Chicago and Northwestern Railroad passenger train northbound was derailed while going at a slow speed just south of Eden at 10:30. A broken axle on the tender of the engine tore up the track and caused seven coaches on the train to be derailed. The train was pulling into the depot at Eden. As a result of the accident, traffic on the railroad was delayed more than three hours. Fortunately no one was injured in the accident.

American Legion Holds Clothing Drive For Veterans

The Kewaskum American Legion Post 384 is holding a clothing drive for the Veterans Home in King.

Men's and women's clothing will be collected, including jackets, shirts, pants, sweat shirts and shoes.

Clothing can be gently used, but socks and underwear must be new. Clean blankets also will be accepted. Personal toiletry items such as shampoo, toothpaste, deodorant and cosmetics are also needed.

Donations will be accepted at the American Legion Hall, located at 1538 Fond du Lac Ave. in Kewaskum, on Wednesday, Sept. 27, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., and on Saturday, Oct. 7, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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Weekly HEALTH TIP

PREVENTING GOUT FLARE-UPS

Gout is a very painful form of arthritis. It's caused by a build-up of uric acid that forms crystals that settle in the joints, usually beginning with the big toe. The following may help prevent flare-ups. Eat plenty of fruits and vegetables, whole grains and lowfat dairy products. Limit intake of red meats, seafood and poultry, no more than 6 oz. per day. Drink plenty of fluids, particularly water. Avoid or limit intake of sweets, sweetened drinks and alcohol, especially beer. Try to maintain a healthy body weight; losing excess weight can help reduce levels of uric acid in your body. Vitamin C can also help lower uric acid levels.



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Community Gatherings

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

Every Monday - Read with Rover, West Bend Library, 9:30 a.m. -11 a.m. and afternoons from 3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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 - Jackson area Farmer's Market, 2:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m., held in cooperation with Jimmy's Restaurant, located on Hwy 60 (Main St.) and Industrial Drive.

Every Saturday - Open Trap Shooting at Beechwood Sportsmans Club, County Rd. A, Adell, 12 p.m. - 4 p.m., trap or skeet open to the public.

Every Saturday - Pumpkins in the Pines, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Hayrides, pumpkins, animals, fall decor and family activities for all ages, Lamm Gardens, 2708 Sherman Road, Jackson.

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Every Saturday - West Bend Farmers Market, Downtown West Bend, 7:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Every Sunday - Pumpkins in the Pines, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Hayrides, pumpkins, animals, fall decor and family activities for all ages, Lamm Gardens, 2708 Sherman Road, Jackson.

Thursday, September 28 - Jackson Oktoberfest Celebration, enjoy the Beer Gardens from 4 p.m. - 9 p.m. in Jackson Park. Sprecher beer, soda, pizza, pretzels and more will be available for purchase. Call or check the web for entertainment details, jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com.

Friday, September 29 - Jackson Oktoberfest Celebration, enjoy the Beer Gardens from 4 p.m. - 9 p.m. in Jackson Park. Sprecher beer, soda, pizza, pretzels and more will be available for purchase. Call or check the web for entertainment details, jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com.

Friday, September 29 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend., Family Promise - Johanna Hemschemeyer, 7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Friday, September 29 - Goodtime Dutchmen, Oktoberfest Beer Garden at Jackson Park, Jackson, 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Saturday, September 30 - 40th Anniversary Community Celebration, Exodus House, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m., 1421 Fond du Lac Ave., Kewaskum.

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Saturday, September 30 - To Prune or Not to Prune, Free Seminar, bring your pruning questions, 11 a.m., Lamm Gardens, 2708 Sherman Road Jackson.

Saturday, September 30 - National Public Lands Day, 9 a.m.-12 p.m., Help DNR staff and volunteers collect native prairie seeds and work on a variety of other projects. Long pants, sturdy shoes and gloves are recommended. All ages are welcome. Meet at the Horicon Marsh Education Center on Hwy. 28. For a detailed list of all Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center special events, please visit the Friends of Horicon Marsh website at www.horiconmarsh.org. For more information regarding Horicon Marsh education programs, contact Liz Herzmann, DNR educator, at 920-387-7893.

Saturday, September 30 - Coffeerville Autumn Fair Event (CAFE), 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., N168W20101 Main Street Jackson.

Sunday, October 1 - Cedarburg Maxwell Street Days, 6 a.m. - 2 p.m. at Firemen's Park, W65 N796 Washington Ave.

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Sunday, October 1 - Kettle Moraine Symphony, pre-concert talk at 2 p.m., symphony starts at 3 p.m., Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1044 S. Silverbrook Drive, West Bend.

Tuesday, October 3 - KPOP Dance Party, 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m., West Bend Library, wear your cutest clothes and dancing shoes for two hours of super danceable KPOP favorites at the library, Everyone in grades 5-12 are welcome, No registration or sign up necessary.

Tuesday, October 3 - Join the History Center Washington County for a bus trip to Oshkosh's Museums, 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., \$55 person - includes: motor coach, lunch and admissions fees. Bus leaves from History Center, 320 S. 5th Ave, West Bend, purchase tickets at historyisfun.com or contact Patricia at 262-335-4678.

Wednesday, October 4 - Fall Christian Education Workshop, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. held at, At Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church, 230 Butler St., Random Lake, contact Deb Hamm for more information at ministerofraging@hotmail.com or 262-488-4542.

Thursday, October 5 - This year's annual Light Up the Night: Domestic Abuse Awareness Event has been scheduled at 6 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 5 at the Essential Rock Church, 40 E. Division Street in Fond du Lac. Light Up the Night is held as part of National Domestic Violence Awareness Month, which is October. Door opens for the event at 6 p.m. with "Hear My Story" set at 6:30 p.m. At 7 p.m., participants can join the Allies Against Domestic Violence Walk. The program and walk are free and open to the public. For more information, call 920-926-4207.

Friday, October 6 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend., Senior Aerobics, Judy Pierce, 7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Saturday, October 7 - A car show will be hosted at the Kettle Moraine Ice Center from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Registration begins at 8 a.m. The cost is \$10 per vehicle and all proceeds will go to support the Washington County Youth Hockey Program. There will be live music by Four Wheel Drive from Noon to 4 PM. Face painting, balloon animals, bounce houses, open skating (skate rental \$2) as well as vendors. Food and beverages from Texas Roadhouse and Meijer's will be available for \$5 per plate. There will also be a 50/50 raffle and a separate raffle table of tickets, gift baskets and more. Kettle Moraine Ice Center is located at 2330 S. Main Street, West Bend.

Saturday, October 7 - Goodtime Dutchmen, Harvest Moon Celebration and Dance at St. Mary's Parish Center, West Bend, 6:30 p.m. - 10 p.m.

Saturday, October 7 - Energy Glo Run, Family 5K Run/Walk with the black light "Afterglow Chili Party", Register early to guarantee an event shirt, starts at 6 p.m., Jackson Community Center, Jackson, for more info visit www.jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com.

Saturday, October 7 - Family Fall Festival and BBQ Smoke off Competition, Veteran's Memorial Park, Allenton, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., free pumpkin decorating, games and more.

Saturday, October 7 - Autumn Celebration, Wade House Historic Site, W7965 State Hwy 23, Greenbush, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Autumn celebration activities included in cost of general admission to Wade House. Adults \$12; children (5-17) \$6; students and senior citizens (65 and over) \$10; family (two adults and two or more dependent children 5-17) \$33. Horse-drawn transportation on the site included in ticket cost.

Sunday, October 8 - Autumn Celebration, Wade House Historic Site, W7965 State Hwy 23, Greenbush, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Autumn celebration activities included in cost of general admission to Wade House. Adults \$12; children (5-17) \$6; students and senior citizens (65 and over) \$10; family (two adults and two or more dependent children 5-17) \$33. Horse-drawn transportation on the site included in ticket cost.

Sunday, October 8 - KEYS 5K Run/Walk, 11 a.m., Kewaskum High School, for more info contact KEYS.scholarships@gmail.com.

Tuesday, October 10 - Three part series for completing a business plan, Lakeshore Technical College, 3620 Wilgus Ave. Sheboygan, doors open at 5:30 p.m., runs from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m., fee of \$35 for each session, register at www.sewisconsin.score.org.

Thursday, October 12 - Beer Tasting and Pork Chop Dinner, 6 p.m. - doors open, 6:30 p.m. - meal, Am-erahn, 9480 Hwy 45 N, Kewaskum.

Friday, October 13 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend., author of "How I Came To Be Me" - June Kurzon, 7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Friday, October 13 - Fall Fest, 5 p.m. - 7 p.m., Bring the family Downtown West Bend for a night of fun, games and costumes.

Saturday, October 14 - Dundee Annual Fall Color Car and Craft Show, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., held at the Dundee Sportsman's Park, N3019 Hwy 67, Campbellsport (Dundee).

Saturday, October 14 - Oktoberfest, Downtown Cedarburg, 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Saturday, October 14 - Central Wisconsin Gun Collectors Show, Fond du Lac Fair Grounds, 520 Fond du Lac, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Saturday, October 14 - Rummage-A-Rama, Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., free parking, \$3 admission.

Sunday, October 15 - Downtown Dash, Historic Downtown West Bend, 8:30 a.m. - 11 a.m., for more info contact 262-338-3909 or www.downtownwestbend.com.

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Sunday, October 15 - Allenton and St. Lawrence Open House, 431 Railroad St., Allenton, Pancake breakfast and family activities 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Friday, October 20 - Fall Fair, Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend, 4 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Friday, October 20 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend., No Meeting.

Tuesday, October 24 - Three part series for completing a business plan, Lakeshore Technical College, 3620 Wilgus Ave. Sheboygan, doors open at 5:30 p.m., runs from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m., fee of \$35 for each session, register at www.sewisconsin.score.org.

An Upcoming Calendar of Events for River Edge Nature Center

Thursday, September 28 - Little Explorers Playgroup, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Hello Fall, Let's gather in the Natural Play Area and share the wonder of nature through outdoor play. We will taste the harvest's bounty in the Children's Organic Garden, hunt for patterns in nature, play camouflage hide and go seek, and 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. Fee: Non-Members & Trail Pass Members: \$5.00 per child (Adults Free), All-Access Members: FREE. Playgroup Tips for Families: Little Explorers is a drop-in style playgroup which allows children to be engaged in unstructured, outdoor play and gives parents a chance to meet other adults. A staff member or volunteer will be available to answer questions, supply equipment, or lead a hike if desired. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Playgroup explores in rain, wind, sun, and snow. Playgroup will be canceled if there is a risk of severe weather. Watch the website for updates. Any age is welcome to attend playgroup. Our average age range is 2-5 years old, but everyone benefits when there are children of all ages. Our yard is stroller friendly near our play area. If we choose to go on a hike, we will also choose trails which are stroller friendly. What to Bring: Both parents and children should be dressed for the weather. This might include: rain pants, rain coat, waterproof boots, hat, mittens, snow pants, thermal underwear, and wear anything which can get dirty, Extra change of clothes for each child (can be left in the car), Snack and water bottle (optional, but strongly recommended), Summer: Sunscreen, bug spray, and sunhat.

Saturday, September 30 - Sturgeon Fest, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. - Free, It's not every day you get to release a baby sturgeon into Lake Michigan. Head to Lakeshore State Park in downtown Milwaukee for the 12th annual Sturgeon Fest on September 30, 2017 and enjoy a day of free, family fun and make a huge difference while doing it. Sturgeon Fest celebrates Riveredge's 25 year partnership with the Wisconsin DNR to bring back Lake Sturgeon, a critically important species both environmentally and culturally, to the Milwaukee River, where they haven't been seen in over 100 years. Be a part of this amazing comeback story and join thousands of other community members when you sponsor a young sturgeon and hand release them into Lake Michigan. You'll even get a tracking code to register your fish so you can be notified if the DNR finds your fish in the future. Some sturgeon can live up to 150 years, so you've got plenty of chances. The festivities continue all day with games and activities for kids, kayak demonstrations, prairie tours, educational booths, delicious local food trucks, and so much more. Sturgeon sponsorship for 2017 is now open! Check out our brand spanking new Sturgeon Fest website for all the details on this awesome family festival, the sturgeon project, and how you can help bring back a prehistoric species.

Saturday, October 7 - Family Weekend For Corporate Members, Employees (and their immediate families) of businesses/organizations with Riveredge Corporate Memberships can visit Riveredge for free on select weekends. Opportunity includes unlimited access at the Trail Pass Family Memberships level. Corporate members can email Natalie Dorler to take advantage of this special offer.

Saturday, October 7 - Wild Animal Finders: Spiders, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., 'Tis the season of spiders, bats, creepies and crawlies. Seek out spiders in various habitats and learn fact and fiction about spiders. Peek at spiders up close with hand lenses and a microscope. Create a spider frame to welcome spiders to your garden. Children under 6 must be accompanied by an adult, Fee: Non-Members & Trail Pass Members: \$5.00/person, All-Access Members: FREE.

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Sunday, October 8 - Community Rivers Project: Kayaking the Milwaukee River, 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Join Riveredge and our partners at Milwaukee Riverkeeper to see Newburg and Riveredge Nature Center from a whole new view, the Milwaukee River Watershed. We will start out at Fireman's Park in Newburg and meander to Waubedonia Park in Fredonia. Along the way we will see some river critters, fun Riveredge sites, and the wonders of the Milwaukee River. All you need is a water bottle, sunscreen, lunch and a great attitude. Learn all about the Community Rivers Project this event is a part of here, Cost: Residents living within 5 miles of Newburg can attend FREE all others \$45. Call Riveredge at 262-375-2715 for Newburg coupon code.

Thursday, October 12 - Little Explorers Playgroup, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Hello Fall! Let's gather in the Natural Play Area and share the wonder of nature through outdoor play. We will taste the harvest's bounty in the Children's Organic Garden, hunt for patterns in nature, play camouflage hide and go seek, and 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. Fee: Non-Members & Trail Pass Members: \$5.00 per child (adults are free); All-Access Members: FREE.

Friday, October 13 - Trails & Treats- Hallow's Eve Hike, 6 p.m. - 9:30 p.m., Join us for an evening of tricks and treats on the trails of Riveredge! Families are invited to hike the Riveredge trails and visit educational stations along a 1 mile loop, answer questions posed by costumed creatures and receive candy-free treats as you go. Plus: Paint a Gourd, enjoy a crackling campfire with family and friends, and more seasonal fun! Cider, trail mix and sweets will be available for purchase. This is one Friday the 13th celebration you won't want to miss. Costumes and flashlights are encouraged. Schedule of Activities: Trails & Treat Stations Open From 6 p.m. - 9:30 p.m., Campfire and Creepy Stories from 8:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m., Tree Climbing Add-On Available from 6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. (Experience the treetops at night!): \$15.00/person (climbers must be 7 or older and registered for the event, adults welcome, walk-ins will climb on a first come first served basis), Cost Per Child: Non-members: \$9.00, Trail Pass Members: \$7.00, All-Access Members- FREE. ALL ADULTS ARE FREE.

Saturday, October 14 - Adopt-a-River with Riveredge, 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m., Help Riveredge keep the Milwaukee River and its shoreline clean and healthy by joining us in a river clean-up along the river that flows along Riveredge. If you're able to help, please sign up below so we know how many helpers to expect.

Saturday, October 14 - Children's Library Storytime- Red Leaf, Yellow Leaf by Lois Ehlert, 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., This is the story of a sugar maple tree and the child who planted it. As they grow up together, the child watches the tree through all the seasons. Ehlert uses watercolor collage, leaf-shaped die cuts, and pieces of actual seeds, fabric, wire, and roots in this rich introduction to the life of a tree. After the story, we'll have an activity tied to the themes of the book. Fee: FREE. Recommended for Ages 7 and under.

Sunday, October 15 - Family Worm Bin Building Workshop, 12 p.m. - 3 p.m., Want to start a home compost system? Lessen your environmental impact? Make nutrient rich soil yourself? Then this workshop is for your family! Join Laura Grunwald from Perennial Farms and a Riveredge Naturalist to expand your recycling efforts and knowledge in this Vermicomposting Workshop for families. Participants will build their own worm bin to take home and begin composting right away. We provide the bin, tools and worms. Cost: Non-Members: \$30.00/family, Members: \$25.00/family.

For more information about Riveredge Nature Center, please go to their website at riveredgenature-center.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.

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

Saturday, September 30 - Nature's Recyclers Autumn Drop In Program, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m., Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). Nature has been recycling for millions of years. Learn what organisms help recycle all the dead stuff of nature. It's sure to be a creepy crawly experience! Drop in for a few minutes or more than an hour for some nature fun. Adults are encouraged to participate with their children.

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.

Volunteer Drivers And Kitchen Assistance Needed For Meadowbrook Manor In West Bend

The Washington County Senior Dining Home Delivered Meal program needs volunteer drivers at Meadowbrook Manor in the West Bend area Monday through Friday. Substitute volunteer drivers are also needed Monday through Friday.

Volunteers would pick up meals at Meadowbrook Manor, 475 Meadowbrook Drive, West Bend and give approximately one hour to take noon meals to home-bound persons. Mileage can be reimbursed.

The Meadowbrook meal site is also in need of vol-

unteer kitchen assistance to help pack meals 9 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Monday through Friday.

Call the Aging & Disability Resource Center of Washington County at 262-335-4497 or 1-877-306-3030 for more information.



Volunteers fix food for the St. Michael's Fall Festival, which was held on Sunday, Sept. 24. The day began with a Polka Mass, followed by food, music, games and fun. **photo by Anne Trautner**

AREA CHURCH SERVICES

Kewaskum

Holy Trinity Catholic Church
331 Main St., Kewaskum
Reconciliation Saturdays 3:15 p.m.-3:45 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. Adoration: after Tuesday evening and Friday morning masses. Father Edwin Kornath, 262-626-2860.

St. Michael's Catholic Church
8883 Forest View Rd., Kewaskum
Sunday Mass at 9 a.m. Adoration: Wednesdays 6:30-8 p.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 (9 a.m.) and Jackson (10 a.m.). 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 Monday 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.

Call Becky by Monday at 5:00 p.m. to make changes to our Area Church Services. 920-533-8338

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 9:45 a.m. Sunday School at 8:30 a.m. Pastor Steve Bode, 262-483-0407.

Campbellsport

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. Mass; Friday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service; 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
Saturday evening Mass at 4 p.m. Father Michael Petersen. Phone 920-269-4429.

Trinity United Methodist Church
300 Church St., Lomira
Sunday Worship at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m., Sunday School at 9 a.m., Youth On A Mission Group at 9 a.m. Pastor Rom Pegram (920) 269-4411 www.trinityunitedmethodistchurchlomira.com.

Christian Education Workshop To Highlight Compassion

An ecumenical Christian Education Workshop will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 4, 6 to 8 p.m. at Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church, 230 Butler St. in Random Lake.

The event, which is open to students in fifth grade or older and adults, is co-sponsored by the Random Lake Ecumenical Association and the Our Lady of the Lakes Parish Religious Education Program. The work is presented by the organization Serve 2 Unite.

In the wake of the Sikh Temple of Wisconsin shooting on August 5, 2012, Serve 2 Unite emerged in a spirit of defiance. The hate behind the murders was met with an ongoing practice of fearless, creative, compassion. Rooted in the principles of service to others,

and relentless optimism in the face of adversity, Serve 2 Unite today engages young people of all backgrounds to value humanity and the aspiration of living a genuine, honest life as a peacemaker.

The Serve 2 Unite keynote talk will illustrate the concept of Chardi Kala, the Sikh practice of fearless gratitude and relentless optimism in the face of adversity, with captivating storytelling and intense discussion. The experiences of a former violent extremist intertwined with those of a survivor of violent extremism reveal a very practical guide to cultivate a more peaceful life.

Presenters include Pardeep Kaleka and Arno Michaelis.

Kaleka is the oldest son

of Satwant Singh Kaleka – the president of the Sikh Temple of Wisconsin, who was gunned down during the attacks of August 5, 2012. Kaleka grew up in Milwaukee and graduated from Marquette University.

Michaelis is a former member of the Hammerskin Nation. He left the organization in the mid-1990s. He wanted to provide a better life for his daughter without the violence and hatred of his former life. He is the author of the book *My Life After Hate*, and strives to live a life of peace, forgiveness and tolerance.

A freewill offering will be accepted to offset the cost of the presentation. For more information, contact Deb Hamm at ministerofaging@hotmail.com or 262-488-4542.

Annual Life Chain Returns

The annual, national event known as Life Chain returns to Kewaskum on Sunday, Oct. 1. Beginning at 1:30 p.m. Pro-life individuals and families will gather at the Kewaskum Municipal parking lot on Main Street just east of Silbernagel and Jasen where uniform signs will be distributed. The display will line Fond du Lac Avenue and Main Street beginning at 2 p.m. and

continuing until 3 p.m.

Held each year on the first Sunday of October, Life Chain is a legal, peaceful, quiet demonstration of people in our area communities who gather to publicly agree that abortion is wrong. There are no disturbing images for passing motorists or pedestrians, only thought provoking statements including "Adoption, the Loving

Option", "Abortion Kills Children", and "Abortion Hurts Women".

On the back of each sign, participant will find Scripture and prayers on which to meditate and praise songs and hymn lyrics to sing quietly.

For more information, please call Joan at Kewaskum House of Prayer at 262-626-8337.

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You And Your Family Are Fast Asleep When The Smoke Alarm Sounds: Do You Know What To Do?

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In a typical home fire, you may have as little as one to two minutes to escape safely from the time the smoke alarm sounds. That's why home escape planning is so critical in a fire situation. It ensures that everyone in the household knows how to use that small window of time wisely.

"Developing and practicing a home escape plan is like building muscle memory," said Amy McCartney, 2nd Lieutenant of the Kewaskum Fire Department. "That pre-planning is what everyone will draw upon to snap into action and escape as quickly as possible in the

event of a fire."

This year's Fire Prevention Week theme, "Every Second Counts: Plan Two Ways Out!" works to better educate the public about the critical importance of developing a home escape plan and practicing it. The Kewaskum Fire Department is working in coordination with the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), the official sponsor of the Fire Prevention Week for more than 90 years, to reinforce those potentially life-saving messages. Fire Prevention Week is October 8-14.

"Home escape planning is one of the most basic but fundamental elements of home fire safety, and can truly make the difference between life and death in a fire situation," said Lorraine Carli, NFPA's vice president of Outreach and Advocacy.

In support of Fire Prevention Week, Lt McCartney encourages all

Kewaskum households to develop a plan together and practice it. A home escape plan includes working smoke alarms on every level of the home, in every bedroom, and near all sleeping areas. It also includes two ways out of every room, usually a door and a window, with a clear path to an outside meeting place (like a tree, light pole, or mailbox) that's a safe distance from the home.

NFPA and the Kewaskum Fire Department offer these additional tips and recommendations for developing and practicing a home escape plan:

- Draw a map of your home with all members of your household, marking two exits from each room and a path to the outside from each exit.
- Practice your home fire drill twice a year. Conduct one at night and one during the day with everyone in your home, and practice using differ-

ent ways out.

- Teach children how to escape on their own in case you can't help them.

- Make sure the number of your home is clearly marked and easy for the fire department to find.

- Close doors behind you as you leave — this may slow the spread of smoke, heat, and fire.

- Once you get outside, stay outside. Never go back inside a burning building.

The Kewaskum Fire Department will be hosting activities for area day care and school students during Fire Prevention Week. Through these educational presentations and activities, your students can learn more about the

importance of having a fire escape plan and practicing it.

Also, the Kewaskum Fire Department is hosting an Open House at the Kewaskum Fire Station on October 12, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. in support of Fire Prevention Week and this year's campaign. Please come with family, friends and neighbors for an evening of fun, learning and fire prevention materials for all ages. Everyone will have a chance to meet firefighters in gear, get guided station tours & inspect our facility and equipment. We will also have EMS staff available to assess your blood pressure if you choose. For ages 8 and under we will host pretend fire drills. Children will pretend to sleep in bed and we will

sound a real smoke detector and practice two ways out. The lights will be out and we will simulate smoke with blankets overhead. Children will then be taught the proper way to crawl, check doors for heat and find their way out. Next they will be taught to dial 911 and talk to a dispatcher to call for help. We will also practice stop, drop and roll. If that is not enough fun we can practice handling a small fire hose while putting out pretend fire or watch fire prevention videos on the big screen.

To learn more about this year's Fire Prevention Week campaign, "Every Second Counts: Plan 2 Ways Out" and home escape planning, visit firepreventionweek.org.

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Little Folks School House

Little Folks School House is owned by Dodie Sargent. She brings 33 years of experience, receiving her training at U.N.H. and UW-Milwaukee. The Assistant Director, Jennifer Melzark has 16 years in the field and received her training at Marian College. Along with Dodie and Jennifer are 23 employees.

Little Folks is rated 5 stars by the Wisconsin Youngstar program and Nationally Accredited. The majority of the teachers have two or four year degrees and are dedicated to providing quality childcare.

Dodie provided licensed family childcare from 1983-1997 and opened the group center (Little Folks School House) in 1997 in the Town of Wayne. After outgrowing the Wayne building, they built a bigger center in Kewaskum which opened in 2006. There are five classrooms, three age separated fenced playgrounds, a coded secured entry and camera monitored classrooms. They also provide before and after school care at Little Folks and Kewaskum Elementary School. Little Folks also serves as a teaching center for Moraine Park Technical College. Students are placed with them every semester for their practicum experience where the Little Folks teachers mentor them.

Little Folks strives to form working partnerships with families. They respect the parent's insights and concerns and want them to feel comfortable leaving their children in their care, knowing they will be safe and nurtured as they help to develop and grow.

Check us out at www.littlefolksschoolhouse.com or call 626-4023 to schedule a tour.

Call Tracy to save your spot next quarter!

Deadline is Sept. 18th.

County Responds To Municipalities Request For Redistributing Sales Tax

The following letter, dated September 19, was sent to municipalities, on behalf of the Washington County Board's Executive Committee, in response to a request to redistribute the county sales tax.

Dear Partners and Neighbors:

We have received numerous copies of the resolution circulating amongst many of your Boards/Councils, respectfully requesting the redistribution of the county sales tax. In response, we write to you today to respectfully decline consideration of this request. Instead, we reaffirm our invitation to collaboratively seek opportunities for shared services and consolidation where it may be of mutual benefit to the County, your municipality and all Washington County taxpayers.

Over the past many decades Washington County leaders have worked hard to maintain the fifth lowest property tax rate of all 72 counties, to maintain the second lowest spending rate per capita of both surrounding and comparable counties (despite having a county sales tax), and to reduce our general obligation debt to the lowest rate per capita of both surrounding and comparable counties. In fact, it was in pursuit of these important milestones that the county sales tax was instituted in 1999 – “to directly reduce the property tax levy...and debt retirement from capital projects” (not the 2005 Cabela’s project). Furthermore, the sales tax was reaffirmed in 2005 “as a direct offset to the county property tax levy in the annual operating budget” allowing for the County to have a lower tax levy in 2015 than we had in 2005. Then, in 2010 the sales tax was again modified, this time to assist local municipalities and taxing jurisdictions by stimulating “economic development projects”, resulting in 1,491

new jobs and \$202 million in new private sector investment into the local economy across 49 projects in the majority of Washington County Towns, Villages and Cities from 2011 to 2016.

Since sales tax is one of only two primary revenue sources which county governments in Wisconsin control, and because it is an important contributing factor in achieving this good position of fiscal health in Washington County, we feel it would be a violation of our fiduciary responsibility to Washington County taxpayers to redistribute the county sales tax revenue, beyond our current economic development efforts. We also believe redistribution would necessitate the need for the County to borrow money for annual capital expenses, raise new taxes, and/or cut services to citizens. We simply do not feel that it is in the best interest of Washington County taxpayers to engage in this type of revenue shift, and the inevitable cost shift that would follow.

With that said, we certainly understand and appreciate your desire for additional financial flexibility to provide current levels of service to taxpayers. We face similar financial pressures related to tax levy freezes as you do, and similar difficult decisions about levels of service. To help better understand these financial pressures, specifically as they relate to our organization, the County has created a Fiscal Health Tool. As even the most optimistic projections in this tool demonstrate, which include full utilization of the County's entire annual sales tax revenue, the County will start every annual budget process for the foreseeable future with a minimum of a \$1 million difference between new revenue and new expense. Simply stated, Fiscal Health is not a West Bend problem, a

Hartford problem or a Washington County problem, it's a problem for all units of local government in Wisconsin.

We have worked hard in recent years to develop plans, strategies and priorities to address these financial pressures. The culmination of this work is our acknowledgment of the stark reality that in order to survive and thrive, local governments in Wisconsin must fundamentally reinvent themselves. To this end, while redistribution of the county sales tax may make good headlines, and could arguably be a win in the short term, in the long run this approach will do very little to usher in the type of reinvention we believe is necessary to stem the tide of the fiscally and politically unsustainable model for local government in Wisconsin. Furthermore, we believe that Washington County taxpayers collectively have a greater desire to see lower property taxes and less government through shared services and consolidation. Again, an approach of redistribution of county sales tax would do very little to achieve this desire.

As an alternative to the redistribution of county sales tax, we rekindle our invitation for you to consider any and all opportunities for shared services and/or consolidation which may lend themselves toward reinventing local government in Wisconsin, and which may achieve Washington County taxpayers' collective desire to see lower taxes, less government and quality services. We continue to stand ready and willing to consider all such opportunities with you.

Thank you for your continued partnership.

Sincerely and Respectfully,
Joshua Schoemann
County Administrator



American Legion Auxiliary members knit hats for soldiers overseas. Pictured are: (front row, from left) Mary Joyce Stutzman, Donna Schmitt, Shirley Fellenz (knitter recruiter), Beverly Schultz, Jeaneen Kudek, Arlene Boehlke (instigator and deliverer) and John Kallmyer.

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Robert G. Romaine - ALA Unit 384 Supports The Troops With Hats

Kewaskum American Legion Auxiliary Unit 384 took over the knitting game. Member Arlene Boehlke heard about the project, followed through and passed it on to members. Shirley Fellenz was the “knitter recruiter.” All are members of the local area.

Six knitters knit or crocheted 328 skull hats. Last year the total was 200. These hats are creat-

ed from wool or wool blend yarn and are worn under each soldier's helmet. All hats are sent to troops overseas. They are mailed on or before Veteran's Day so they arrive before Christmas, since along with the hat a small decorated Christmas tree, bag of goodies, Christmas and greeting cards are included.

The organization “Trees from Home” is an organi-

zation with a mission. It has been very successful. Since it started out in 2009 mailing approximately 100 of these packages, this year it anticipates sending over 3,000. Their mission is: “A Piece of Home, When Home is Far Away.”

Anyone interested in donating to this wonderful cause or in knitting or crocheting the hats may contact any American Legion Auxiliary member.

Wagner Joins Kondex As VP Of Sales And Business Development

Kondex is pleased to announce the appointment of John Wagner as its new Vice President of Sales and Business Development. He brings a vast knowledge of metallurgical and manufacturing processes to Kondex, having served as the President and Chief Operating Officer for Applied Process Companies, and most recently as Director of Value Added Services for Waupaca Foundry. Wagner holds a Bachelor of Science Degree from University of Wisconsin Milwaukee.

“John has extensive leadership experience and a passion for business development,” said Kondex President Jim Wessing. “He has played



JOHN WAGNER

an instrumental role in several sales and operational achievements. These traits, along with his industry familiarity, will be a great asset to Kondex as we seek to further grow and diversify the business.”

“Kondex has a bright future and a talented

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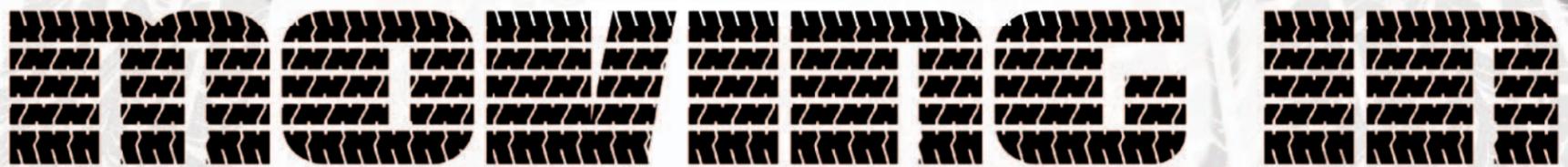
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SPORTS



Elizabeth Lightner spikes the ball for a score in a Kewaskum home game against Plymouth on September 21.

photo by Anne Trautner

Indians Are Still Undefeated After Knocking Off Plymouth

By Judy Harlow

There will not be another three-way tie for the East Central football title this year.

Kewaskum, behind several long passing plays and a stellar defensive effort in the second half, knocked Plymouth out of the running, beating the Panthers 27-21 in the feature game on September 22.

Now only the 4-0 Indians - both Kewaskum and Berlin have the same nickname - remain in the running for the title, with the showdown game coming up on October 6 at Kewaskum.

Plymouth fell to 2-2, having already lost to Berlin a couple weeks ago.

"Overall, it was a great team effort," KHS coach Jason Piittmann said about his third victory over the Panthers in the past two years, including a close win in the 2016 playoffs.

Plymouth started strong, scoring on its first drive after forcing the Indians to punt on their first possession. Panther speedster Derek Novotny set up the touchdown with a 41-yard gallop to the KHS 1-yard line, and then Jack Nytes went in for the score.

On the point after touchdown (PAT) try, the snap was botched, and the holder ended up getting sacked as he tried to throw the ball, so the score stayed at 6-0.

As it turned out, this was the only time Plymouth would lead in the contest.

"A couple series later, we were able to flip the field with a nice gain by Patrick Krier for 44 yards," Piittmann said about the Indians' first scoring drive. Tony Steger took it the rest of the way, pulling the ball down on an option run and darting around the left side of the line for a 26-yard touchdown. Cade Peterson's kick lifted the Indians into the lead at 7-6.

In the second quarter, the Indians had a drive that stalled inside the

Plymouth 30, and Pittman decided to call on Peterson to try a 42-yard field goal, which he made, giving KHS a 10-6 advantage.

Several minutes later, Kewaskum scored again, this time via the air, with Gabe Christenson connecting with Steger for a 40-yard pass, boosting its lead to 17-6 after Peterson sent the ball through the uprights on another PAT try.

While Steger is the team's starting quarterback, the Indians have had a lot of success bringing in Christenson, the tight end, to throw the ball on certain plays. This one went a long way toward giving the Indians the victory.

Plymouth wasn't about to throw in the towel, however, and came back quickly near the end of the second quarter to score, cutting the deficit to three.

After a good kick return, a penalty on Kewaskum and a broken play that was successful, Plymouth was quickly in scoring position inside Kewaskum's five-yard line. From there, quarterback Cade Knaus passed to Ben Olsen for the touchdown, and added the 2-point conversion, making the score 17 to 14 at the break.

After the break, it became a lot tougher for the Panthers to move the football.

"We played much better in the second half," Piittmann said, especially defensively. "Plymouth only ran 21 offensive plays in the second half, including just seven in the fourth quarter."

Plymouth received the second half kickoff but soon turned it over on downs, and the Indians managed to score a touchdown and a field goal in the third quarter to take control.

The Christenson to Steger combination worked again for a 9-yard score, and Peterson put his toe into a 29-yarder and is now three for three on field goal attempts this

season.

Things looked good for the Indians after surging to a 24-14 lead but Plymouth closed the gap with a quick, 71-yard scamper by Koll through the middle of the line. "We missed a tackle, and he went 71 yards for the touchdown," Piittmann said.

"From there, it was a defensive battle by us," the coach went on, reporting, "We stopped Plymouth six times on fourth down over the course of the night."

KHS had two turnovers, including an interception thrown by Steger and a fumble by Christenson, who got sacked in KHS territory on a play in the fourth quarter. The ball was recovered by the Panthers, but the KHS defense held, and the offense closed out the game with a 19-play drive that took over seven minutes off the clock. The game ended with Kewaskum's quarterback taking a knee at Plymouth's 10-yard line.

Novotny was the only back to rush for 100 yards. "Novotny had a nice game, but we limited him to 20 yards in the second half," Piittmann said. "The defense played extremely well. They came up with many big stops."

Defensive leaders included Faton Elmazi, Christenson and Shawn O'Keefe. Krier rushed for 61 tough yards in 17 carries. O'Keefe was in on eight tackles, including six team tackles.

Kewaskum had at least five receivers catch passes, including Dan Kreis who caught five balls for 59-yards and Cole Surprenant, who caught one for 50-yards.

The Indians, now 6-0, travel to Jackson on Friday to face a struggling Kettle Moraine Lutheran team (0-6).

East Central standings: 1. (tie) Kewaskum and Berlin, 4-0; 3. (tie) Plymouth, Waupun and Winneconne, 2-2; 6. (tie) Ripon and Campbellsport, 1-3; 8. Kettle Moraine Lutheran, 0-4.

KHS Volleyball Team Knocks Off Plymouth In Three Games

By Judy Harlow

The Kewaskum High volleyball team made a big statement on September 21, knocking off Plymouth and doing so convincingly to take over sole possession of third place in the East Central Conference.

"It was a great team win. The girls worked hard together. We had a game plan, and we stuck to it. The results speak for themselves," KHS coach Laine Leitzke said about the 25-19, 27-25 and 25-17 victory.

Once again, the Indian seniors showed skill and determination. The top two kill leaders were seniors Amanda Schaller and Liz Lightner with eight apiece while Sarah Butschlick, another veteran player, added five.

"Our setters spread the

ball around, and we had five players with four or more kills," Leitzke beamed. "What says team win more than that!"

Lightner, out until recently because of illness, is really starting to perform at full strength. In addition to her kills, the 6-foot senior had 4.5 blocks and three aces.

Butschlick contributed 19 assists and 2.5 blocks while Morgan Denlinger was credited with 12 assists and a pair of ace serves. Then there was sophomore Brelynn Scoles, who not only provided a half dozen kills, but served two aces, came up with 10 digs and added 2.5 blocks.

Others were instrumental with their work in specific areas, like Hailey Hasenberg, who had a team high 17 digs, and

Morgan Kappler, who chipped in with 2.5 blocks.

"Everyone had a role and worked their hardest to execute it," Leitzke said.

With the win, Kewaskum improved to 3-1 in EC action and 13-4 overall while the Panthers dropped to 2-2.

The Indians had no time to rest on their laurels as they traveled to Jackson on September 26 to face unbeaten Kettle Moraine Lutheran.

"That will be a tough one," Leitzke said. "We are showing signs of growth but know we have not hit our peak yet."

Current EC standings: 1. (Tie) KM Lutheran and Winneconne, 4-0; 3. Kewaskum, 3-1; 4. Plymouth, 2-2; 5. Ripon, 1-2; 6. Berlin, 1-3; 7. (tie) Campbellsport and Waupun, 0-4.



Morgan Kappler returns the ball for the Indians in a home game against Plymouth on September 21.

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Cole Surprenant brings the ball down the line for Kewaskum in a home game against Plymouth on September 22.

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KHS Tennis Team Dominates Match With Jets

By Judy Harlow

Once one of the stronger teams in the Eastern Wisconsin Conference, the Manitowoc Roncalli tennis team used to give Kewaskum fits, but that is no longer the case.

The Indians dominated their match with the Jets on September 19, winning 6-1.

"It was good to get a victory and start to re-build the team's morale after losing five matches out of our last six," including four by 3-4 scores, KHS coach Peter Garcia said. "The doubles teams were back in form this night," with a sweep, and in singles the Indians had a good night.

Garcia was pleased with the Krolski sisters, Amanda and Megan at Numbers 3 and 4 singles. "Amanda, in her crush or be crushed season, did the crushing this night, 6-1, 6-0," Garcia said, adding, "Not be be out-done by her big sister, Megan Krolski did her sister one better, winning 6-0, 6-0."

Garcia also reported Brandi Geldnich and Ariaahna Grossenbacher played with "a renewed vitality" in their straight set win, and Sydney Donath and Kallie Hoefst followed suit, despite the fact Donath injured her hand in a freak accident at the net.

With the win, the Indians improved to 4-3 in conference play with two matches to go against Plymouth and Kiel.

Kewaskum 6, Roncalli 1
Singles: Number 1 Grace Marchello def. Paige Haws, 6-4, 6-1; Number 2 Emma Preder lost to Margo Els 7-5, 4-6, 4-6; Number 3 Amanda Krolski def. Tierney

Dewayne, 6-1, 6-0; Number 4 Megan Krolski def. Kathryn Bakes, 6-0, 6-0

Doubles: Number 1 Brandi Geldnich/Ariaahna Grossenbacher def. Madison Hartlaub/Josei Dewane, 6-3, 6-0; Number 2 Sydney Donath/Kallie Hoefst def. Kiara Johnsrud/Clara Dramm, 6-4, 6-1; Number 3 Nikki Bruss/Nicole Brzozowski def. Zenaida Rodriguez/Anika Czekula, 6-3, 6-2.

In a makeup match held on September 18, the Indians were in most all of the matches but lost to a talented Sheboygan Falls team 5-2.

"Once again we were victims to the KHS Tennis team's arch enemy...Ms. Unforced Errors strikes again," KHS coach Peter Garcia said.

Winning for the Indians were Grace Marchello at Number 1 singles and Sydney Donath/Kallie Hoefst at Number 2 doubles.

"Grace had the best service game of her life and stayed in the points long enough to win an exciting match 6-4, 6-4," the coach said, indicating her opponent, Allison Lee, had great ground strokes and good overhand, but she could not deal with Marchello's lob and her ability to cover the court.

Garcia was not pleased

with the way Sydney Donath and Kallie Hoefst performed in their first set, losing 3-6, and he let them know they weren't playing up to speed, covering the court. "When I returned, they had turned the match around and won set Number 2 7-5. They then proceeded to win set Number 3 6-4," Garcia said.

Garcia praised the efforts of Megan Krolski at Number 4 singles against a senior with more experience. She lost 5-7, 4-6 to Hailey Kvindlog.

SHEBOYGAN FALLS HIGH 5, KEWASKUM HIGH 2

Singles Number 1 — Grace Marchello def. Allison Lee, 6-4, 6-4; Number 2 Emma Preder lost to Megan Hand, 0-6, 1-6; Number 3 Amanda Krolski lost to Hailey Kvindlog, 1-6, 1-6; Number 4 Megan Krolski lost to Hailey Kvindlog, 5-7, 4-6

Doubles Number 1 Ariaahna Grossenbacher/Brandi Geldnich lost to Carissa Dekanich/Maryssa Guenther, 6-7 (7), 2-6; Number 2 — Sydney Donath/Kallie Hoefst, def. Sydney Federer/Brianna VanWyk, 3-6, 7-5, 6-4; Number 3 — Nikki Bruss/Nicole Brzozowski lost to Kristen Schueffner-Amanda Prusow, 4-6, 4-6

All Kewaskum players listed first.



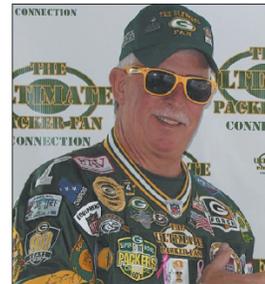
Time To "Bear Down"

By Wayne Sargent

The Green Bay Packers (2-1) were under attack by the Cincinnati Bengals (0-3) this past Sunday, only to win in dramatic fashion in overtime in front of nearly 80,000 frustrated fans during the hottest game day in the history of football at Lambeau Field.

The Bengals came into Lambeau Field with a vengeance, prior to Sunday they had yet to score a touchdown. That changed quickly as they scored on their first drive of the game and continued to score twice more before the half. The Packers had a sluggish start and were only capable of putting seven points on the board before halftime.

The Bengals led the game in time of possession with 65 plays for 34:17 to the Packers 60 plays for 29:21. Rodgers threw 28/42 pass attempts for 280 yards but was enough to overpower Bengals QB, Andy Dalton. Dalton threw for 21/27 pass attempts for 191 yards. The Bengals gained 110 yards rushing while the Packers only had 64 total yards. They



WAYNE SARGENT

play calling, penalties, coaching; whatever the reason is taking its toll. Coming into this season, I never imagined fearing the Bears may prevail a win at Lambeau. After watching them almost beat the Atlanta Falcons and beating the Pittsburgh Steelers, it's very possible.

This is the longest rival between two teams in football. The rivalry began back in 1921. Since then, these teams have met 193 times.

A win for either team would put them in the lead. The record currently stands at 93-93-6. They have a combined total of 22 NFL Championships. Green Bay has 13 while Chicago has nine. They also have a combined total of 58 members in the Pro Football Hall of Fame; Chicago has 30 and Green Bay has 28.

The biggest blowout between these two hallowed franchises was back in 1980 with the Bears embarrassing the Pack by a score of 61-7. I'm going with my heart on this one, the Pack wins another tight one, 28-21.



KEWASKUM YOUTH BASKETBALL REGISTRATION



Kewaskum Youth Basketball (KYB) is a non-profit organization that provides local kids with the opportunity to experience the fun of competitive basketball while improving their basketball skills and learning life skills such as teamwork, sportsmanship, commitment and responsibility. Participation is open to kids in grades 3-6 who reside in the Kewaskum School District. KYB is the only youth basketball organization that works with Kewaskum's High School Varsity Basketball Coaches to ensure the philosophies and skills required at the High School level are being taught.

We also have a program designed for 7th and 8th graders (Kewaskum Tribe) that gives kids the opportunity to play above and beyond our Middle School program in a competitive tournament environment. Our Tribe program is designed to be a bridge between the Middle School and High School programs where participants will continue to develop their skills but also learn more about the philosophies and systems being run at the Varsity levels here in Kewaskum. The Tribe program will NOT conflict with the Middle School basketball season.

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Golfers Slip To Sixth Place In Final North Shore Standings

By Judy Harlow

Homestead left no doubt it had the top girls golf team in the North Shore Conference and perhaps one of the top two teams in southeastern Wisconsin.

After taking first in all the mini-tour events, the Highlanders finished off a perfect season by winning the conference tournament held at the Washington County Golf Course on September 20, shooting a 348, which was 15 shots better than the runner-up club which also had a very good season.

The combined Kewaskum-Campbellsport team, which did a nice job all year competing against much larger schools, slipped to sixth place at the end after tying with the Nicolet team for sixth in the tournament with identical 407s, five shots behind the combined West Bend team.

Homestead's Speedy Kent captured the medal in the tournament with a 41-39-80 and, and also the NS medal, with her score of 344 from the mini meets and the tournament, throwing out her high score. Finishing second was her teammate Isabelle Malecki, who had a 352.

Leading the Kew-Cats was senior Alivia Wisnefske, who shot a 47-49-96 while sophomore Alyssa Dreher carded a 49-51-100. Wisnefske's front nine included three 4s and three 5s and on the back, she had a pair of 4s and four 5s ... Pretty steady playing.

The other Kew-Cat counters were Ashley Trapp and Grace Kober. Trapp moved up to the varsity midway during the season and has been pretty consistent since then. She shot a 51-52 for a 103 while sophomore Grace Kober struggled on the front nine, carding a

61, then getting her game together on the back with a 47 and a 108 total.

Dreher made third team all conference, according to coach Amy Uhlig, who said, "She was a little off her best golf that day but was still able to hang in there and post a very respectable score. We count on her each meet, and she's always stepped up."

Wisnefske just missed earning NSC recognition, finishing with the 19th best average, missing the third team by four places.

"Alivia had a nice finish for her last NSC 18-hole meet. She's been playing some of her best golf as of late, and I'm excited to see how we measure up at regionals," Uhlig said.

The Kew-Cats were scheduled to play at the Oshkosh Regional on Wednesday, Sept. 26. The top four teams, plus the top four individuals from non-qualifying teams, advance to sectionals.



Justin Reck and Andrew Carlton run in a cross country meet held at Hon-E-Kor on Thursday, Sept. 21. Reck placed first in the meet and Carlton came in third. photo by Anne Trautner



Alyssa Butz of Kewaskum High School races toward the finish line to place third in a cross country meet held at Hon-E-Kor on Thursday, Sept. 21. photo by Anne Trautner



Erika Bolek runs for Kewaskum High School in a cross country meet held at Hon-E-Kor on Thursday, Sept. 21. photo by Anne Trautner

Reck Wins Again, Leads KHS Boys To Second In CC Test

By Judy Harlow

Led by Justin Reck's winning performance, the Kewaskum high boys cross country team finished second out of six teams in the annual Indian Invitational held at Hon-E-Kor Country Club on September 21.

Reck toured the 5,000 meter course in 17 minutes, 29.61 seconds

(17:29.61) with sophomore teammate, Andrew Carlton 15 seconds behind him with a time of 17:45.23, good for third place.

Kewaskum had its best team score of the season, 70, eight points behind the victorious team from Hartford (62). The Oriole counters finished in the Numbers 2-8-16-17-19 spots. Living Word finished third at 78.

Other KHS counters included Kyle Toth, 11th with a 19:02.68; Blake Miller, 24th, 19:58.24; and freshman Gannon Kreuser, 35th in 21:46.30.

With Maela Olla having an off night and the third through fifth counters still not up far enough in the pack, the Lady Indians had to settle for fourth place in the team stand-

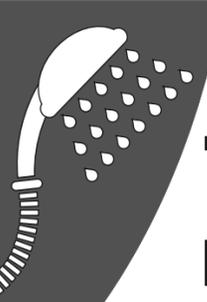
ings. Hartford gained the sweep as its girls team posted a score of 41, 10 ahead of Kettle Moraine Lutheran's 51. KHS had 98 points.

Freshman Alyssa Butz led the way for the Indians in this meet, finishing third at 22:07.76, 52 seconds behind the winner.

Olla placed sixth overall at 22:27.31, then there was a gap until Courtney Zarder hit the finish line in 24:16.95. The other Indian counters were Emma Penfield, 36th in 26:10.12 and Abby Meidl, 39th in 28:02.69.

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Bryce Halvorsen competes for Kewaskum High School in a cross country meet held at Hon-E-Kor on Thursday, Sept. 21.

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One Good Half Is Not Enough Against Plymouth

By Judy Harlow

After back-to-back wins over Milwaukee Messmer and Ozaukee, Kewaskum High soccer coach John Kenworthy thought his team had turned the corner and was ready to be competitive against some of the upper division schools in the East Central Conference.

The Indians were just that in the first half against visiting Plymouth on September 19, but then a few of the players lost focus on their assignments and just like that, a 1-0 deficit turned into an 8-0 defeat. With the loss, KHS fell to 0-3 in EC play and 5-8 overall, while Plymouth improved to 3-0 in the conference.

"The first half might be the best half we've played all season," Kenworthy said, and at the break, he urged his Indians to continue the tough defense and told them the shots would come for their side.

"We have to stay calm," he urged, but early in the second half, a couple

Indians started going solo, and that was the beginning of the end.

"We had a plan, and you never go out of that plan. We have to play as a team," he said, especially considering Plymouth's tradition in the sport.

"Let's be honest, Plymouth has a good team," Kenworthy went on. To beat them, there can't be mistakes.

What was really hard to take for the KHS coach was some players didn't seem to want to go back on the field in the latter stages of the game. "There are other guys who do want to be out there," Kenworthy went on, noting changes in the starting lineup might be coming for the game against Campbellsport.

One player cited for good play was Matthew Krautkramer, who was assigned to mark Plymouth's top scorer, Clayton Lautenschlaeger. While the Panther ace did get two goals in the second half, in the first half, "He was nowhere to be

found" Kenworthy said, and that was because of Krautkramer's efforts.

Kenworthy also praised defender Tanner Jacak "and how he's holding things together in the back, showing why he's a senior captain."

On September 18, the Indians traveled to Fredonia where they defeated non-conference foe Ozaukee 3-1 in a game featuring the play of Will Jens, who scored a pair of goals, and some fine assists.

"Luke Bindrich had a good game. Will Jens also had a good game," KHS coach John Kenworthy said, adding, "Isaiah Cochran played very well, as always."

Jens got off five shots in the game, converting on two of them, while Hunter Kuehl produced a goal and an assist.

Others getting into the act were Hunter Schmitt and Cochran, who both contributed assists.

came away with a 6-6 tie in their game. The Indians score came on a 20-yard throw from Dawson Stahl to Mitchell Becker, who then ran it in from 60-yards out. The defense played hard. They allowed just one 10-yard play up the middle for Greenfield's only score. MVP for this game was Dawson Stahl.

Fifth Grade Gridiron West Allis Central 35, Indians 6

The fifth grade was the lone Kewaskum team at West Allis Central. It was another hard day for the youngest Indians. They lost 35-6. Penalties, mistakes, and the heat hurt them. Corbin Dexter ran the ball hard and had a 4-yard touchdown run. On defense, Alex Lenzendorf and Tyler Vetter had nice tackles.

Next week the Gridiron Indians are at West Bend playing West Bend East. Games start at 9 a.m.

game. Matthew Blank, Kyle Reichert, and Reegen Marx also had great games. MVPs of the game were the entire offensive line and full-backs made up of Avery Donovan, Zach Steinhau, Carter Gaudynski, Blank, Colin Duren, Joshua Schellinger, Tim Wilcox, Brady Bastian, and Alec Cappozzo. This group opened up great holes all game long.

Seventh Grade Gridiron Greenfield 13, Indians 12

The seventh grade had a hard fought game, but could not come out on top. The final score was 13-12 Greenfield. Offensive highlight was a 12-yard touchdown pass from Owen Parish to Carson Rolf.

Sixth Grade Gridiron Indians 6, Greenfield 6

The sixth grade team

KYSO RESULTS

Kewaskum Youth Soccer Results From September 16

U9 Erin Lucky Charms 5, Phoenix 4

This week the U9 Phoenix lost a well played game to the Erin Lucky Charms with a final score of 5-4. Brooke Pritchard and Mille Kreif both made a goal and Oliver Grover scored two goals, with an assist from Brooke Pritchard. Cameron Boelte played great defense with two saves.

U12 Slinger Cougars 10, Cyclones 1

U10 Cyclones blew onto the field on Saturday against the tough Slinger Cougars on a very warm September afternoon hoping to get off to a quick start. The Cyclones were under pressure quickly with some good defensive plays by Mia Dornacker, Cate Stram, Bryce Wildt, Jadelyn Stoltzmann and Eli Van Beek. Malora Maluf and Kingston Grisolono had some great upfieldcharges but were stopped by the Cougars except the last shot on goal by Colton Rabe in the fourth quarter. The Final score was 10 to 1 but the team is beginning to better understand the flow and should get on the winning side next week.

U12 Kewaskum Warriors 7, Venom 0

The U12 Venom took to the field on the very warm September Saturday against the Kewaskum Warriors. Venom demonstrated some good defensive playing by Emily Melzer, Rowan Bell, Emma Sielski, Victoria Kenworthy, Ayla Stuht, Lidia Handke and Elizabeth Erdmann. Venom had some good goal attempts from Mara Butschlick, Brooklyn Grisolono and Ava Schiller. Final score was 7-0 with the win going to the Warriors. Great playing by both Kewaskum teams.

Kewaskum Youth Soccer Results From September 23

U10 Slinger Cougars 8, Kewaskum Twisters 2

The Kewaskum U10 Twisters suffered their first loss of the fall season versus the Slinger Cougars. Even with a fast start with two quick goals, and great early goal tending by Cooper Saeger, the overwhelming heat became too much in their 8-2 loss. The 2-1Twisters face off against Jackson this coming Saturday.

U9 Erin Lucky Charms 6, Suns 3

U9 Suns took a great lead in the first half of the game with goals by Annika Krueser, Evan Daley and Grant Rasmussen. However Erin did win the game 6 to 3.

U12 Venom 4, Slinger Pumas 1

The Kewaskum Venom took to the field on Saturday with the very

warm temperatures to play against the Slinger Pumas. Venom got out quick in the game. There was some great passing and team work. Emma Sielski, Caitlin Finger, Eden Korth, Cora Jaeger and Dakota Gatzke demonstrated some good defensive playing.

Maddie Marquardt, Ayla Stuht, Elizabeth Erdmann, Mara Butschlick and Victoria Kenworthy traveled the ball down the field with energy. Rowan Bell (2), Lidia Handke, and Brooklyn Grisolono scored for the Venom. Final score for the game was 4 to 1.

U12 Warriors 13, Hustiford Honey Badgers 1

As it was a very hot day to play soccer so were the U12 Girl Warriors as they were on fire winning against the Hustiford Honey Badgers 13-1. With multiple girls scoring and Alexis Klahn's great defense it was an awesome game to watch the Warriors teamwork, control of the ball and great passing to score. Goals were scored by: Emilie Steinbauer-3, Brooke Gruen-1, Jadin Czuppa-2, Madison Legate-1, Emma Survis-1, Abby Gehartz-2, Josie Volesky-1, Emma Schultz-1 and Rowyn Wiedmeyer-1.

U9 Hartford Thunder 5, Phoenix Suns 2

The U9 Phoenix Suns lost an exciting match against the Hartford Thunder, 5-2. Brooke

Pritchard and Oliver Grover scored goals, with an assist from Janya Dieringer. Shaye Bartel, Millie Kreif played some strong defense with 3 saves each.

U12 Kewaskum Aztecs 4, Slinger Mavericks 1

A 3-0-0 start for the U12 Kewaskum Aztecs. Playing the Slinger Mavericks the Aztecs controlled the whole game. Despite a very unusually hot September day Alex Severence had a great individual effort and started the scoring with a strike from a tough angle. He also got on the first half stat sheet with a good assist for Gavin Schneider's goal for a 2-1 half time lead. In the second half the Aztecs kept the pressure on with a goal from Luke Grover and a last second blast from Adam Deppert both assisted with masterful crosses from the right side wing Zavier Chipman. Justin Toth was a second half brick wall in goal again and with a very solid defensive performance from Daniel Jungers shutout the Mavericks in the second half.

U8 Hartford Wolverines 2, Fire 1

The U8 Fire came up just short on Saturday in a 2-1 loss to the Hartford Wolverines. Great defense was played by Elle Berres, Owen Alles, Ella Schmidt and Joel Maas. The lone goal was scored by Dana Jacobson.

GOLF SCORES

- Hon-E-Kor Golf Course Ladies Honey Bees Golf

Scott...Hole #5.

Wednesday, September 20 - White Course

Day Event: Net Minus Mystery Hole, Winner: Marilyn Edwards.

Class Event: Net Minus Putts, Class A Winner: Faye Schmitt...12; Class B Winner: Pat Dorn...17; Class C Winner: Rose Riekkoff...17.

Blind Bogey Winner: Helen Wolf.

Pars: Sharon

- Hon-E-Kor Golf Course Men's Senior Golf

Monday, September 25
Low Gross Score: 38
Clark Pearson; 40 Jingles; 41Joe Volesky, Bob Beck.
Points Over Quota: 7
Rick Miller; 5 Jingles; 4
Ray Engelking; 3 Bob Beck, Dave Domasky, Paul Nelson
Long Putt: Fred Placek, Don Baiert.

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VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM RESOLUTION NO. R2017-09

A Resolution Respectfully Requesting Annual Equitable Distribution of 25 percent of local sales tax to all municipalities.

Whereas, Washington County enacted the 1/2 percent local sales tax in 1999 to encourage Cabela's to locate in Washington County; and

Whereas, cumulatively over the preceding eighteen years (through 2016) this local sales tax has generated \$154,809,516.00; and

Whereas, this local sales tax has increased steadily from \$8,312,379.00 in 2009, to the latest 2016 amount of \$11,456,166.00; and

Whereas, this local sales tax has effectively repaid the Cabela's development incentive, has been utilized to fund numerous capital improvement projects, and has eliminated Washington County debt (\$9 million/1.37% debt capacity); and

Whereas, debt levels of municipalities in Washington County have a much higher debt level, for example, the City of West Bend (\$62 million/49.87% debt capacity) City of Hartford (\$27 million/47.46% debt capacity) and the Village of Kewaskum at (\$9 million/64% debt capacity); and

Whereas, Washington County towns, cities and villages contribute to the important infrastructure needed to support the commercial businesses that generate this local sales tax; and

Whereas, town, city and village leaders in Washington County have been discussing the possibility of requesting the Washington County Board of Supervisors to allocate 25 percent of the local sales tax; and

Whereas, Wis. Stats. 77.76(3) has a provision currently in place for counties to distribute all or a portion of the amount it receives to towns, cities and villages; and

Whereas, towns, cities and villages could utilize 25 percent of this local sales money to pay off debt and rebuild aging road infrastructure; and

Whereas, a population and equalized value formula based allocation of 25 percent of the local sales tax in Washington County would equitably distribute this local tax to all municipalities.

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved that the Village Board of the Village of Kewaskum respectfully requests an annual equitable distribution of 25 percent of the local sales tax (as per the attached formula) effective in January 2019.

Be it Resolved Further that towns, cities and villages in Washington County receiving these funds be required to utilize this shared local sales tax to pay off current debt or rebuild road infrastructure.

Approved: /s/Kevin Scheunemann, Village President Attest: /s/Tracie Sette, Village Clerk

VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM VILLAGE BOARD MEETING AUGUST 28, 2017 7 P.M.

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

President Scheunemann called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. Board members present were Richard Laubach, Dave Zehren, David Spenner, Jim Hovland, James Wright and Kevin Schuenemann, Richard Laubach. Staff members present: Tom Bishop, Dennis Aupperle, Matt Heiser, & Tracie Sette. Members from the community and the news

media were also present. Notice of the meeting had been posted at the PNC Bank, Kewaskum Post Office and at the Municipal Building on August 25, 2017. Notice was also forwarded to the Village Board, Village Attorney, Village Engineer and the News Media.

President Scheunemann opened the meeting with a Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Jim Wright to approve the minutes with no corrections or deletions from August 7, 2017 meeting, seconded by Dave Spenner. Voice vote, motion carried.

DPW Working Foreman Dennis Aupperle reported the August activity. Highlights include:

- The water main on Hwy H is installed and water has been sampled
Roseland Drive sewer and water main is installed. The old water main broke three times last week
Clinton Street water main break has been fixed
Kiwanis pool is now closed, inflatables will soon be stored

Administrator Matt Heiser reported a village resident would like to begin a Kindness Stone initiative where stones of various sizes are painted with positive messages and placed anywhere on Village property. After a discussion, the Board would like to view samples of the stones. This topic will be addressed at the September 18th Board meeting.

Plan Commission Representative Jim Hovland reported the Plan Commission met on August 22, 2017 and approved the Kewaskum School District Capital Project final plan contingent upon the Ruekert-Mielke memo.

Library Board member Dave Spenner reported the Library Board met on August 14, 2017.

Mid Moraine Representative Jim Hovland reported the Mid Moraine Legislative Committee meeting will be held September 13, 2017 and the dinner meeting will be hosted by the Village of Grafton on September 27, 2017.

Richard Knoebel motioned to accept the final Letter of Understanding between the Village of Kewaskum and Kewaskum Remembers 9/11, Inc. with one small change noted, seconded by Dave Spenner. Voice vote, motion carried.

Jim Hovland motioned to approve of closing Reigle and Railroad Drive on October 8, 2017 for 24th Annual Keys 5K Run/Walk, seconded by Jim Wright. Voice vote, motion carried. The route may be slightly altered due to construction.

Jim Wright motioned to approve of painting parking stalls on Highway 28 from the bridge out to Highway 45 as recommended by Chief Bishop with the exception of the roadway directly in front of Holy Trinity Church which will be discussed at a future Board meeting, seconded by Jim Hovland. Voice vote. Motion carried.

Dave Spenner motioned to approve the September committee meetings for 2018 budget as follows, seconded by Jim Wright. Voice vote, motion carried:

- Administrative Committee Meeting - September 18, 2017; 6 p.m.
Park & Recreation Committee Meeting - September 19, 2017; 9 a.m.
Protection & Public Safety Committee Meeting - September 21, 2017; 9 a.m.
Public Works & Services Committee Meeting - September 21, 2017; 2 p.m.

Jim Wright motioned to approve the Proclamation for Colin DeYoung, seconded by Jim Hovland. Voice vote, motion carried.

Jim Wright motioned to approve the Proclamation for

Kiwanis Club, seconded by Jim Hovland. Voice vote, motion carried.

Richard Knoebel motioned to approve Administrator Matt Heiser to continue moving forward with switching the current Village phone carrier to Charter, seconded by Jim Wright. Voice vote, motion carried.

Jim Hovland motioned to approve Operator's Licenses listed below with no objections from Chief Bishop. Seconded by Jim Wright. Voice vote, motion carried.

Hunter Arndt, J-Stop Michelle Van Meter, Fifth Quarter

Bruce Francois, Kewaskum Citgo Jennifer Fisher, PJ Magoo's

Gina Taylor, Kohn's Filling Station

Kevin Schuenemann motioned to adjourn to Closed Session at 7:50 p.m. pursuant to Section 19.85(1)(c) Wis. Stats. considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility as authorized by sec. 19.85(1)(c), Wis. Stats. seconded by Richard Knoebel and carried by roll call vote. Laubach-aye, Zehren-aye, Scheunemann-aye, Spenner-aye, Wright-aye, Hovland-aye, Knoebel-aye. (7-0). Specifically to be discussed is the Administrator performance evaluation.

Open Session reconvened at 8:42 p.m.

Richard Knoebel motioned to provide Administrator Matt Heiser a three year contract with a 1.5 percent increase in pay effective January 1, 2017. Contract to be reviewed annually with quarterly and annual updates provided to the Board. Jim Wright seconded. Voice vote, motion carried.

Richard Knoebel motioned to adjourn meeting at 8:44 p.m., seconded by Jim Hovland and carried by roll call vote: Laubach-aye, Zehren-aye, Scheunemann-aye, Spenner-aye, Wright-aye, Hovland-aye, Knoebel-aye. (7-0).

9-28 WNAXLP Tracie Sette Clerk/Deputy Treasurer

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT WASHINGTON COUNTY Notice and Order for Name Change Hearing

In the matter of the name change of: Katherine Ann Rublee

Case No. '17CV0497

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:

From: Katherine Ann Rublee To: Kailey Ann Rublee

IT IS ORDERED: This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Washington County, State of Wisconsin:

Judge's Name: Hon. Todd K. Martens Washington Co. Justice Center 432 E. Washington St. #1254 West Bend, WI 53095 November 3, 2017 9 a.m.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Kewaskum Statesman a newspaper published in Washington County, State of Wisconsin.

BY THE COURT: Hon. Todd K. Martens, Circuit Court Judge 9/07/2017 WNAXLP KS 9/14-9/28

VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM RESOLUTION NO. 2017-07 A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM, WASHINGTON COUNTY, WISCONSIN VACATING AND DISCONTINUING A PUBLIC WAY

WHEREAS, Public interest has initiated the vacation, discontinuance and abandonment of Village Lakes Parkway pursuant to Section 66.1003 Wis. Stats. as described herein along with legal description Exhibit A Street Vacation attached and,

WHEREAS, a portion of Village Lakes Parkway continues to include Village utilities which are described in Exhibit A Permanent Utility Easement and,

WHEREAS, Village Lakes Parkway will no longer be used as a public way (public road) and will not result in any landlocked parcel of property nor will it deprive any landowner or public school of all access to a highway.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Village Board of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, that: Village Lakes Parkway described in Exhibit A Street Vacation hereto, is hereby vacated and discontinued pursuant to Section 66.1003 Wis. Stats.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to record a certified copy of this resolution together with the accompanying Exhibit A maps showing the location of land affected thereby, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washington County, Wisconsin as pursuant to Section 66.1005 Wis. Stats.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 18th day of September, 2017 by the Kewaskum Village Board.

9-28 WNAXLP Approved: /s/Kevin Scheunemann, Village President Attest: /s/Tracie Sette, Village Clerk

VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Plan Commission of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, will conduct a public hearing at 7 p.m., on Thursday, October 12, 2017, in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 204 First Street, Kewaskum, WI.

The public hearing is at the request of The Kewaskum Village Board to rezone 31 acres of land currently zoned RS-1 Single Family Residential to P-1 Park & Recreation located just off Edgewood Road inclusive of the following parcels:

- Tax Key V4_018300E...1.10 acres
Tax Key V4_018300B002...8.39 acres
Tax Key V4_018300Z...21.50 acres

All interested persons will be given an opportunity to be heard.

9-28(2) WNAXLP Tracie Sette, Village Clerk

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEWASKUM BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING MONDAY, AUGUST 14, 2017 MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 6:01 p.m. by President Hanson.

Board members present: Jay Fisher, Troy Hanson, Jim Leister, Mary Miller, Sue Miller, Mark Sette, Tim Ramthun

Following a moment of silence Superintendent Smasal verified that the meeting had been posted pursuant to §19.84(1)(2)(3)(4). Leister/MMiller motion to

Congressman Sensenbrenner Receives Taxpayers' Friend Award

The National Taxpayers Union (NTU) honored Congressman Jim Sensenbrenner with its "Taxpayers' Friend Award" for his strong voting record on supporting lower taxes, limited government, and economic freedom.

Sensenbrenner has received this award every year since he came to Congress and is one of only 15 total House Members to receive it for their outstanding voting record during the 2016 congressional session.

Congressman Sensenbrenner: "I have worked my entire career to help lower taxes and reduce onerous government regulations on businesses because ensuring our country has a thriving economic environment in

which bureaucratic overreaches are put in check is critical to our success here in Wisconsin and throughout the nation.

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NTU has recognized Members of Congress since 1979 who annually earn high voting scores to qualify them for the "Taxpayers' Friend Award." See NTU's full 2016 congressional scorecard and further analysis here.

PUBLIC NOTICES

approve agenda. All aye. Mr. Fisher led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Recognition The WIAA awarded the KHS Fastpitch Softball players, fans and coaches an Award of Sportsmanship Honorable Mention during the State Softball Tournament.

Public Relations Jump to the Middle and August Warm-up will take place August 21 and 22. The Kewaskum School District Annual Meeting will be held Monday, August 28 at 7 p.m. in the KHS Theater. Open House Night for students will be August 30 from 4 - 6 p.m. for elementary and middle school students and 5 - 7 p.m. for high school students.

A Groundbreaking Ceremony for the Capital Project will take place August 30 at 5 p.m. The first day of school is September 5.

Public Comments Public comments were received by the board. Consent Agenda JLeister/MMiller motion to approve Consent Agenda. Motion passed 7-0.

Items for Discussion and/or Action JFisher/SMiller motion to approve Payroll in the amount of \$1,442,165.44. Motion passed 7-0.

JFisher/SMiller motion to approve Accounts Payable in the amount of \$379,957.24. Motion passed 7-0.

Information regarding Annual Notifications to parents and students was provided.

JLesiter/MSette motion to approve changing the date for the September board meeting to September 18, 2017 at 6 p.m. All aye.

A Board Self-Evaluation form was distributed. Members were asked to return the evaluation form to the Executive Coordinator by 4:00 p.m. August 25, 2017.

MSette/JLeister motion to approve an Overnight Trip to Wisconsin Dells for the Girls Volleyball Team. All aye.

Superintendents' Report Mr. Smasal reported summer school went well with a variety of offerings. Financial data on the program will be provided in September. A bus driver appreciation breakfast will be held on August 21. WASB regional meeting information was given to board members. Members interested in attending the September 27 meeting should inform Mr. Smasal. The Strategic Plan goals that

were established at the retreat for 2017-18 were distributed. Action steps will be provided to members in September. Photos of the i4Learning updates were shared. A letter prepared for families regarding Traffic Patterns and Parking was provided. The Annual Meeting will be held on August 28 at 7 p.m. in the KHS Theater. The 2018-19 school year calendar was discussed.

Student Resource Officer Report Chief Bishop provided members with an annual report of the Student Resource Officer. Responsibilities of the officer were shared. During the 2016-17 school year 74 complaints were handled and 78 calls for service were received.

Student Learning Report Mr. Bazata reported the DPI provided the district with a letter of compliance approval in regards to the January 2017 Civil Rights Review. He also provided a report on the progress of literacy and math. The literacy program, after three years of implementation, is now being sustained. Training on the math program has taken place. Staff are ready to implement the math strategies to focus on the teaching/learning cycle.

Business Manager Report Ms. Thoreson summarized the Business Manager Report which showed the \$9500 2016-17 surplus and the variance report of projects accomplished this spring. Life insurance bids were received. The district will see a savings of 33%. In September the board will be asked to consider a resolution to borrow.

Pupil Services Report Ms. Chapman summarized the annual Seclusion and Restraint Report per WI Act 125. Data shows fewer students were restrained and the length of time is shortening.

MMiller/JLeister motion to adjourn to Closed Session Pursuant to State Statute 19.85(1)(c) to discuss District Administrator Evaluation. Open Session ended at 7:45 p.m.

The Board reconvened in open session at 8:07 p.m. President Hanson adjourned meeting at 8:08 p.m.

9-28 WNAXLP Vickie Plachinski, Executive Coordinator



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Continued From... Painting Her Way From Tragedy To Success

"I'm glad that I was able to show some of my work [at the Cedarburg Cultural Center]. It was great to have a happy opportunity at the beginning of September," Osmus said.

Background

Art has always been a part of Osmus' life.

Both of Osmus' parents, Gordon and Kathy Haberman, are creative. And her older sister, Andrea, was good at art.

They all served as role models for Osmus, and helped form a dream for the future.

The entire family would work on projects together. Every year, they would work collaboratively to create a family Christmas gift for Osmus' aunts and uncles.

"We would make family projects as gifts. That was always fun," Osmus said.

Creativity was just part of the family's lifestyle.

"We were always doing creative things. When we were young, my mom just kind of instilled that in us," Osmus said.

Osmus' mother sewed clothes and her father had a sense of design, she said.

The family would cook together, always stressing the importance of creativity.

"I grew up loving to create, whether it be making something in the kitchen, or planting stuff in the garden. I loved colors and all sorts of stuff like that," Osmus said.

September 11, 2001

With her lifelong goal of becoming an artist, Osmus attended college at the University of Wisconsin-Parkside, majoring in fine art and graphic design.

Osmus was entering her senior year of college, when September 11, 2001, happened. Osmus' sister, Andrea, was killed that day in the World Trade Center.

And Osmus' world was shattered.

"It is all kind of foggy," Osmus said, thinking back to what life was like in the

months that followed.

Osmus put her college career on hold for the fall semester of 2001. She returned for the spring semester of 2002.

"Lots of things changed for me. I went into survival mode," Osmus said.

Survival for Osmus meant focusing on a goal.

"I told myself: I have to graduate from college. That was my goal. I told myself that my parents want me to graduate. Andrea graduated from college. I have to graduate from college. I have to do this," Osmus said.

"It was total tunnel vision. It was survival," she added.

So between trips back and forth from New York City, Osmus found a way to function.

Somehow, she graduated from college with a 3.4 grade point average.

For her senior project, she designed a series of book covers entitled *September 11, 2001*. She also created some paintings for her art show.

"It was a very hard, emotional time," Osmus said.

Career

Osmus did not complete an internship in college, something she thinks would have catapulted her into a career.

Instead, Osmus continued to try to cope with losing her sister.

She got jobs bartending and waiting tables.

Then, at age 23, she acquired her real estate license and sold realty.

Eventually, Osmus landed a job in the corporate world, working at GE Healthcare in print. It was while she worked there that she met her husband, Troy Osmus.

Her career moved from GE Healthcare to RR Donnelley, where she worked for about a year and a half managing print. Then Osmus was one of the casualties when Donnelley had a large lay-off.

Wall It Creations

All through the time that

Osmus was working in her different jobs, she continued to dabbled in art.

"I always said to myself that I will get back into it," Osmus said. "I love art. I love painting, drawing, fabric, just anything you can possibly put together and make out of food, clay, hot glue or whatever."

When she was on maternity leave with her second child, Gordon, who is now 20 months old, she created a large mural in her daughter's bedroom.

"I did a huge mural in her room, to make her excited about moving to the big girl room," Osmus said.

She then painted a friend's bedroom. And then she painted someone else's room.

She took pictures of the projects and put them on Facebook.

Before long, she had responses from people wondering if she could paint their walls also. Then she received a request from a business that wanted to hire her to paint the interior rooms of an entire building.

Osmus and her husband decided that she should take the opportunity and begin painting full time.

And thus, Wall It Creations was born.

Through the new business, Osmus now creates murals, portraits and custom work for clients.

"I really try to show the emotion, the mood, of whatever I'm trying to create," Osmus said.

It is a dream that Osmus was at one time not sure she would ever be able to do.

"Had 9/11 not happened, I think my path would have really taken a different turn," Osmus said.

"Maybe it was God's plan for this part of my career that He wanted me to do. This was my time," she said.

For more information about Wall It Creations, or to contact Osmus about her work, go to www.facebook.com/WallItCreations.



Kewaskum Village Administrator Matt Heiser speaks to the crowd during a service on September 11. The ceremony was held in front of the Kewaskum Municipal Annex building, where a 9/11 Memorial is slated to be built.

photo by Anne Trautner

Community Remembers 9/11 – Village Administrator Matt Heiser Speaks On Community Connection

On September 11, a 9/11 ceremony was held in front of the Kewaskum Municipal Building Annex to reflect on the events of September 11, 2001.

Julie Haberman Osmus, whose sister was killed in the 9/11 terrorist attacks, said the support of the Kewaskum community has been deeply appreciated by her and her entire family.

Kewaskum Village Administrator Matt Heiser also spoke at the event about how the events of 9/11 have impacted the Kewaskum community and the 9/11 memorial that is planned to be built in the village.

The following is Heiser's speech.

Good morning everyone,

I would like to thank the *Kewaskum Statesman* for organizing this event and the American Legion, Kewaskum Police Department, Sate Rep. Kramer, the Kewaskum High School Choir and High School Band for their participation. Along with members of the Kewaskum Remembers 9/11, Inc. for their contributions to it. I would also like to welcome honored guests; Holy Trinity School, Kewaskum High School students and staff, Washington County Sheriff, the Kewaskum Area Arts Council, Kewaskum Remembers 9/11, a member of the Haberman family and Village President Kevin Scheunemann. It is this team effort that makes today's ceremony special and a great example of why a small community is the perfect place for such an important memorial.

The attacks of 9-11 are a watershed moment for our country and my generation in particular. My grandparents "always remembered" where they were when Pearl Harbor was attacked on December 7, 1941. My parents generation "always remembered" where they were when they heard that President Kennedy had been assassinated on November 22,

1963 and my generation will always remember where we were on September 11, 2001.

It was a bright clear morning and I was home getting my oldest ready for 4K. I heard on the radio that a plane had hit the world trade center. No other detail. So I assumed it was an error and I went to the TV expecting to see a rainy/cloudy/foggy New York sky. Instead it was bright and clear. It gave me chills, this was no accident. Then, live, I watched the second plane hit. I'm not ashamed to say I cried in my living room that morning.

Always remember. That's a powerful phrase. It describes the perpetuation of an event for all time. And that's why we build memorials.

Work on this particular memorial began about six years ago. I remember the president of the Kewaskum Area Arts Council, a dear man Larry Ammel, telling the council members we have a chance at building something special here. There's a chance that Kewaskum could inherit a piece of steel from ground zero he told us.

That's when we learned of our personal connection. A graduate of Kewaskum High School, Andrea Haberman, was in the North tower that terrible morning. She had traveled from Chicago for a work meeting in New York City. She had arrived early, as most people would, because she was unfamiliar with the city and wanted to make sure she was not late for the meeting.

A writer for the *Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*, Mike Nichols, has written a book about the Andrea's presence during the attack called *Just a Few Sleeps Away*. This is a phrase that Andrea and her fiancé would say to each other when they were separated on business trips.

Andrea's family, along with a teacher at Kewaskum High School Jerry Gosa, were working on getting a piece of steel.

All the surviving artifacts from Ground Zero are controlled by the Port Authority of New York and they would only release a piece if it was to be owned by a charitable organization and would not be marketed. This partnership, between the Arts Council, the Haberman family and Mr. Gosa was the basis for bringing the steel here.

The steel arrived in the Village in August of 2014. Since that time a group has formed to design and construct the memorial here in the Village. The official name of that organization is Kewaskum Remembers 9/11, Inc. There are members of that committee here now including Tom Fabitz of the American Legion, Jerry Gosa, Monica Schultz, Amanda Follet of the Schloemer Law Firm, Andrew Johnson of the Statesman and myself. You can follow the progress of the project on Kewaskum Remembers 9/11 website or its facebook page.

Memorials are important. They remind us of our common connection – our sense of community. Communities can be big, like the 300 million of us that are part of the community of Americans in the United States, or small like the 4000 of us in Kewaskum Wisconsin. Big or small, we feel that sense of community when we realize we are knit together.

This memorial reminds us of our connection to the people of New York City, or who worked at the pentagon which was also struck that morning, or the brave souls on United Airlines flight 93 who prevented their plane from being part of the attack.

We feel the sting of our brothers and sisters in all those places who were doing nothing more than pursuing their happiness on that morning.

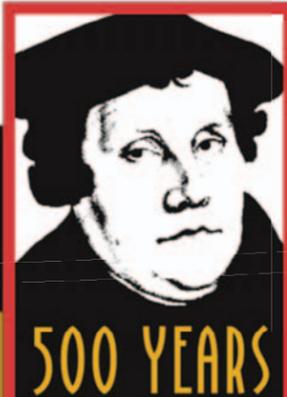
So I look forward to the completion of this memorial and the knitting of another thread in our American community.

Thank you for coming this morning and God bless you all.



Jerry Gosa gives Julie Haberman Osmus flowers on behalf of the Kewaskum Remembers 9/11 Committee. Osmus' sister, Andrea Haberman, was killed in the World Trade Center on September 11, 2001.

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Julia Steger, a 12-year-old from Kewaskum, poses with her dog Rookie. Julia caught and killed this 270-pound bear on the ground on September 9, in Blackwell. **photo submitted**

Hunters Reminded That Collared Deer And Coyotes Are Legal To Harvest

This fall, hunters may spot collared or ear-tagged deer or coyote in southwest Wisconsin and should treat these animals like any others when pursuing game.

Many animals in this area were collared as part of the Southwest Wisconsin Chronic Wasting Disease, Deer and Predator Study - a five-year investigation into deer mortality.

"The most important thing for hunters to know is that collared and tagged deer and coyotes should be treated just like the rest of the animals in the area," said Dan Storm, DNR ungulate research ecologist. "We've collared a random sample of deer and coyotes, so the collars don't indicate anything about the animals' health or suitability for harvest."

Hunting licensing and normal harvest regulations apply to collared deer as they do to uncollared deer - hunters

should make their decision without regard for GPS collars. Hunters who harvest collared deer should call the number listed on the collar (608-935-1940) so DNR staff can retrieve each collar.

"Collared and tagged deer are absolutely fine to harvest, so if you would otherwise harvest that deer, go ahead and take it. If you would normally let it pass by, do so," said Storm.

Southwest Wisconsin CWD, Deer and Predator Study will help DNR staff learn more about Wisconsin's wildlife. DNR researchers are collaring deer and coyotes in two study areas across Grant, Iowa and Dane counties, with an ultimate goal to comprehensively examine factors that could impact deer survival and deer population growth in southern Wisconsin. Those include CWD, predation, habitat suitability and hunter harvest. The

study is part of the Governor's initiative on chronic wasting disease.

"We're collaring deer, coyotes, and bobcats over five years, and these animals will help department staff better understand deer mortality and predator densities for the in the region," said Storm. "Obviously, we know that one of the mortality causes for deer is hunter harvest, so we hope that the collars do not influence a hunters decision as to whether or not to harvest that animal."

Whether you harvest a collared deer or an uncollared deer this season, the DNR asks for hunters' help by having their deer tested for CWD. The department needs to sample your adult deer to help further understand CWD in your area. Visit dnr.wi.gov and search keywords "CWD sampling" or contact our call center at 1-888-936-7463 to learn more.

Halloween Nature Hikes

Are you looking for a non-scary, but fun-filled Halloween event? Travel to Kettle Moraine State Forest - Northern Unit for its twentieth annual Halloween Nature Hikes on Friday, Oct. 20, and Saturday, Oct. 21, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. The hikes take place at the Mauthe Lake Recreation Area located at N1490 County Road GGG (Campbellsport, WI) just south of County Road SS near New Prospect. Guided groups leave every six minutes with the last hike going out at 8:30 p.m. Each hike lasts about one hour. The event is most appropriate for those over the age of five years.

In case of severe weather, the event will be canceled for that particular night.

Come hear the tales of the spineless wonders including the stealthy praying mantis, the mighty dragonfly, invading crayfish, and the Duo of Darkness. It's sure to be an awesome adventure through the dark autumn woods.

Don't miss playing exciting games and creating clever crafts before or after going on your hike. The Friends of the Kettle Moraine provide hot and cold cider and popcorn (free of charge) for all the hikers to enjoy by the glow of a blazing campfire.

A Wisconsin State Park

System vehicle admission sticker (\$8/vehicle for resident) is required for this event. If you already have your State Park System sticker, the event is free. We gratefully accept donations are to help us continue to offer this event into the future.

Join us for a fantastic evening of educational entertainment for the entire family. For more information, contact the staff at the Ice Age Visitor Center (920-533-8322). The center is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and on Saturday and Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Changes Going Into Effect For Deer And Turkey Tagging

The 2017-2019 biennial budget recently signed by Gov. Scott Walker includes changes in deer and turkey tagging that are going into effect immediately.

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources is currently implementing changes involving the use of deer and turkey carcass tags and hopes to clarify any confusion the new requirements may cause during the fall hunting seasons now underway.

Deer and Turkey

Under the new budget law, deer and turkey carcass tags are not required to be issued with licenses. In addition, validation and attachment of carcass tags is no longer required.

These changes do not affect other species such as bear, bobcat, fisher, otter or sturgeon.

To date, nearly one million deer and turkey carcass tags have been issued for the current fall hunting seasons. The department will honor all previously issued deer and turkey carcass tags as an authorization to hunt deer and turkey within the assigned or designated

location. Customers making additional purchases throughout the remainder of this year's hunting seasons will be issued products that will not include the usual validation and attachment language.

While hunting, customers will still be required to carry proof they are authorized to hunt within the designated location. Hunters will be able to use their DNR issued Conservation Card, a GoWild validated Wisconsin driver's license, a GoWild digital file or a paper tag/authorization as proof of compliance. For the remainder of 2017 seasons, the game registration system will recognize either the previously issued tag number or the harvest authorization number to connect the customer's information from their profile to the zone and season in which the customer is authorized to hunt.

The department will continue to issue carcass tags for deer, however hunters will not be required to validate or attach the carcass tag to the deer. The tag will continue to be issued based upon DMU, zone, land

type (private/public), sex of deer and will identify weapon as appropriate.

To minimize impacts to customers for the 2017 fall turkey season now under way, the department will allow the use of previously purchased turkey carcass tags to serve as the new turkey harvest authorization.

Harvested turkey and deer must still be registered under current law. Harvest registration is a critical part of deer and turkey population management. Customers will be asked to enter either their carcass tag number or their turkey harvest authorization number into the Game Registration system to begin the harvest registration process

Canada Goose Registration

Canada goose hunters are no longer required to report their daily harvest. DNR will be collecting harvest information in the future through the use of waterfowl surveys.

For more information on the changes and how they might affect you during the current and upcoming fall hunting seasons visit dnr.wi.gov.



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