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Sarah Stoffel celebrates Dr. Seuss's birthday at Kewaskum Elementary School's Family Reading Night on Thursday, March 1, with Jackson Stoffel (Trouble 1) and Cole Stoffel (Trouble 2). See page 27 for more pictures of the event.

photo by Anne Trautner

Plans Continue To Develop For Reigle Family Park

– Fundraising Campaign Begins For New Park

By Anne Trautner

Plans for Reigle Family Park are being fine tuned, and Kewaskum is one step closer to breaking ground on the new village park.

A new concept plan for the park was presented to the Village Board on Monday, March 6. Instead of three baseball fields, the plan now includes two baseball fields.

The large field that had been planned for the high school is no longer on the conceptual plan since the school is now planning to build on its own land. The village Board agreed Monday night that there still is room for a large high-school sized diamond if there should be a need in the future.

The two remaining baseball fields measure 220 feet from home plate to the outfield fence, according to Nathan Scheel, president of the Kewaskum Athletic Association (KAA). The fields will be the correct size for all the girls' levels and all the boys' levels up to the seventh grade, he said.

The new concept plan also includes a picnic shelter near the two-acre pond.

Everything else on the

architectural drawing is the same as before. There are nine soccer fields of varying sizes, two concession stands, a playground and a walking path.

The park came about last year after the KAA and the Kewaskum Youth Soccer Organization (KYSO) were looking to purchase land for additional athletic fields. Both organizations use Kiwanis Park in Kewaskum, and the park had become overcrowded.

In response, the family of James D. Reigle donated 31 acres of undeveloped land that is located off Edgewood Road to the village. That donation was the beginning of Reigle Family Park.

The new village park is being developed by the Kewaskum Athletic Association and the Kewaskum Youth Soccer Organization. No tax dollars are being used to develop the park.

With the new plan, the estimated cost of Reigle Family Park has decreased. The two organizations estimate the new park will have a price tag of about \$2.1 million.

About \$720,000 of that has already been donated. The KAA and KYSO have started a fundraising campaign to raise the

remaining \$1.3 million.

"Preliminary talks have started for in-kind donations of labor and materials for the park, so our goal is to come in under budget," Scheel said.

An engineer is currently developing a grading plan for the park, Scheel said. Once that grading plan is complete, the plan will go before the board for approval.

Trees were recently logged from the park. Representatives from the KAA and KYSO are currently talking with companies about having stumps and brush removed so that excavating can begin.

"Our hope is to create a community park that will benefit families for generations to come," Scheel said.

Donations for Reigle Family Park can be made directly to the KAA or KYSO. In addition, a fundraising page has been set up at youcaring.com/reiglefamilypark-1047835. All donations are tax deductible.

For more information about Reigle Family Park or how to donate to the cause, visit the village website at www.village.kewaskum.wi.us or the Reigle Family Park website at reiglefamilypark.wordpress.com.

New Health Center Planned

Construction of the new Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin West Bend Health Center, 1700 W. Paradise Drive, is scheduled to begin this summer. The existing facility will remain open and operational while the new health center is under construction on the southeast end of the West Bend Health Center campus.

The new building is slated to open in early 2020, pending city approval. The existing building will be removed after the new

facility opens.

"This new health center is designed to make our patients feel comfortable from the moment they step inside," said John Schreiber, M.D., president of Froedtert & MCW Community Physicians. "It will also better support technology and care processes that have developed since the West Bend Health Center was built in 1990 and position us well for future advancements."

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This rendering depicts the new Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin West Bend Health Center that is planned to replace the current facility. It will be built on the southeast end of the West Bend Health Center campus. The new health center could open as early as the year 2020.

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This is the patio area in the back of the Roadhouse in Dundee. It is the perfect place to sit on those warm summer nights and even those warm spring days and nights when it feels good to get outside for a little while.

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This is the hall located inside the Roadhouse in Dundee. They have bands in the hall all the time and in warmer months have bands outside in their patio area too. The hall has also been used for parties and meetings.

photo by Andrea Hansen Abler

Dundee's Roadhouse Has New Owners

By Andrea Hansen Abler

This weekend is going to be a big one in Dundee. The annual St. Patrick's Day Parade will be held at noon on Sunday, March 11.

It will be the perfect time to stop in at the Roadhouse and say "Hi" to the new owners — Liz Augustyn-Abhold and Ken Abhold. They are already familiar faces to the area because they also own Dimo's in Eden.

Liz and Ken took over ownership of the Roadhouse on June 30th of last year. Things have been going well for them so far.

"I wanted to be my own boss," Ken said.

Liz added, "We were trying to find a way so he could be home."

This turned out to be the perfect fit for them. Ken will spend a lot of his time on the food end of the business. "I do authentic barbecue," he said. "I've dabbled in smoking foods."

"He's a good cook," Liz quickly added.

They are definitely focusing on food and music with this new venture. Ken has a smokehouse in the back of the building where he prepares the meats each day. Ken's ribs are a main attraction on the menu.

"I have been told they



Elizabeth Augustyn-Abhold and Ken Abhold are the new owners of The Roadhouse in Dundee.

photo by Andrea Hansen Abler

are phenomenal," Ken said.

They have changed the menu a little bit from the previous owners. Another addition is Legend Larry's wings.

"We revamped the fish fry a little bit," Liz said. "We have my Dimo's had-dock here."

The business is open seven days a week. On Mondays, they open at 2 p.m. but the rest of the week, they are open at 11 a.m. for lunch.

In addition to the food, they are also focusing on music. With the hall, they want to fill it with live music as much as possible.

"I liked this place because of the music venue," Liz said. "We already have our schedule for this year booked in."

Every Monday night they have open jam from 7 p.m.-11 p.m.

"I'm trying to get local people," Liz said. "Anyone who wants to be a jam leader should just call me."

In addition to the bands, they do karaoke and free juke box Thursday. During the summer months, they host Sunday Fun Day. It's a fun time and you get to listen to some great music.

Ken and Liz have made some changes to the building, too.

"The hall we cleaned up a little bit," Liz said.

They have also added to the patio area in back and really made that a nice place to hang out. It is the perfect place to sit down and relax during the warm weather months.

"We put a fire pit in and added picnic tables with umbrellas," Ken said.

Liz added, "We put our touches on it."

The hall is available for rent for anyone's party. According to Liz, they can fit about 100 people for banquets.

The Roadhouse has always been a fun place to stop at any time of the year. During the summer months, people can stop by while they are out and about enjoying the Kettle Moraine State Forest or some time on Long Lake.

In the winter months, the Roadhouse is right in line with the snowmobile and ATV trails. While you are out having fun in the snow, you can stop at the Roadhouse to warm up and have some delicious food.

"It's fun," Liz said. "There's a lot of regulars and lake people and so many others. I met so many people last summer."

Check out what Dundee's Roadhouse has to offer while you are at the Dundee St. Patrick's Day Parade. They will feature corned beef sandwiches, a bloody mary special, homemade Irish Cream and a special menu for the holiday. Liquid Courage will play starting right after the parade.

If you can't get to Dundee this weekend, find another time to stop in and try Ken's barbecue ribs or one of his other specials. It is sure to be mouth-watering good.

XYZ Card Results

The winners of cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, Feb. 28, were: Gary Straub, David Ramthun, Dave Schaub, Leon Schneider, Marilyn Backaus, Dennis Kleinke, John Severence.

New members are always welcome. Cards are played from 8:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. every Wednesday.

Tuesday Night Sheepshead Winners

Five-handed winners on Tuesday, Feb. 27, were: Robert Aufdermauer 74-3-71 23-3-20, Rayn Mastenbrook 52-4-48 14-2-12, Katie Reimer 55-7-48 15-5-10, Dick Techtmann 52-5-47 22-3-19, Rochelle Stoffel 52-7-45 21-4-17, Charlie Wagner 50-5-45 18-3-15, Dennis Kleinke 53-9-44 21-6-15, Delores Stoffel 48-6-42 19-4-15, Chick Flynn 23 most losses and Amy Hubbard 14 low points.

The next five-handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, March 13, at 7 p.m. sharp. New players are always welcome at the Kewaskum Labor Center.

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MARCH 11TH DRIVE THRU COOKIE BOOTH

Holy Trinity and Kewaskum Elementary Troops are selling cookies at this year's Drive Thru Cookie Booth from 9 am - 1 pm on Sunday, March 11, 2018 as a celebration of Girl Scout Sunday and the start of Girl Scout Week.

KES Troop 8437 - Daisies (5K) selling from 9-10 am

HT Troop 8190 - Daisies & Brownies (1st/2nd) selling from 10-11 am

KES Troop 8398 - Juniors (4th) selling from 11 am-12 pm

KES Troop 8037 - Brownies (3rd) selling from 12-1 pm

We'll be setup in the Annex Building/Village parking lot. Entrance will be off of 1st St. and exit on Main St./Hwy 28.

Buy Cookies! Support Community Projects! Donations also accepted.

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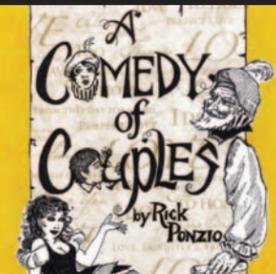
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WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

House Fire

On Tuesday, Feb. 27, at approximately 5:21 a.m., the owner of a single family residence located in the 5000 block of Lakeview Ave., Village of Richfield, contacted the Washington County Sheriff's Office to report a possible electrical fire in his utility room. Deputies and firefighters from the Richfield Fire Department were subsequently dispatched to the scene. Assistance was also requested from the Hartford, Jackson, Lisbon, and Slinger Fire Departments.

Upon their arrival, deputies observed a small, but rapidly growing fire, originating from a wall of the utility room. Assisted by the homeowners, a total of four fire extinguishers were deployed in an attempt to suppress the fire. Richfield Firefighters were able to quickly bring the fire under control. The fire was primarily contained to the utility room. Damage is estimated at approximately \$40,000. There were no injuries associated with the fire.

A preliminary investigation suggests that the cause is likely electrical in nature, and does not appear to be suspicious. However, the matter remains under investigation by the Sheriff's Office. Lakeview Avenue, south of Lake Drive, was closed for approximately 2.25 hours to facilitate firefighting and overhaul operations.

OWI Second Offense

A deputy on routine patrol found himself in the middle of a not so routine call on March 1 at 11:23

p.m. The deputy located a vehicle stopped in traffic on State Highway 144 near Newark Drive. As the deputy pulled up to the vehicle, the male driver fled on foot with what appeared to be a gun in his hand.

A perimeter was then set up. As the search was started, a female could be heard screaming from a nearby residence. While deputies began to investigate the screaming, one of the deputies observed the male suspect flee into a field on the east side of State Highway 144 and gave chase.

Another deputy located the 20-year-old Town of Polk woman that had been screaming. She was heavily intoxicated and not willing to provide any information. It was later learned the woman had been in the vehicle prior to the time the deputy located it, and exited after getting into an argument with the male driver.

Germantown Police Department responded to the scene with its K9 and began to actively track the driver, identified as a 24-year-old Town of Farmington man, north though the fields. Deputies then observed the driver run into his residence in the Town of Farmington.

After about 30 minutes of negotiation, the man exited the residence and was taken into custody for resisting, second offense OWI and operating after revocation.

Related Theft Cases

The Washington County Sheriff's Office is investigating the theft of a red 2009 Polaris Razor

UTV that was taken from a residence in the 2300 block of Ball Drive in the Village of Richfield. The UTV has a plow, full windshield and a 2-by-6-foot wooden rack on the back designed to hold an ice auger. The unit has both Wisconsin and Wyoming registrations on it.

The owner saw the unit parked outside his home at 10 p.m. on February 24 and noticed it was missing the following morning.

This same homeowner also previously reported the attempted theft of a generator that was secured in a trailer outside his home earlier in the morning that same day. The homeowner reported hearing his dogs barking between 5 and 5:30 a.m. on February 24, and the dogs immediately ran after something when let out of the home.

The homeowner later observed his generator at the end of his driveway and the lock on the trailer broken. The theft of the UTV occurred later that night or the following morning.

The Sheriff's Office encourages anyone with information to contact our department and also to report any suspicious activity.



Cody Kerr, who works for the Village of Kewaskum, recently acquired his advanced wastewater operator certification from the Wisconsin DNR.

photo by Anne Trautner

Village Worker Earns Advanced Certification

By Anne Trautner

Cody Kerr was recognized at the February 5 Village Board meeting for achieving his advanced wastewater operator certification from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.

"When we hired Cody in 2015, we had given him up to five years to be a fully certified operator. He managed to do this in a little over two. He has been a great asset," said Ben Propson, lead plant operator for the village's waste water treatment plant.

Kerr interned for the village in the summer 2013, and interned the following summer for the City of West Bend. He then worked for the City of West Bend

before accepting a permanent job with the Village of Kewaskum in May 2015.

"I enjoy working here. There is always something new and different to do each day," Kerr said. "I take a lot of pride in being able to make the water clean."

Kerr has a degree in Water Quality Technology from Moraine Park Technical College. He also has advanced certification from the DNR in the following areas: Biological Solids/Sludge Handling, Processing and Reuse; Biological Treatment of Attached Growth Processes; Biological Treatment of Suspended Growth Processes; Disinfection; Laboratory; Nutrient Removal of Total Phosphorous; and Solids Separation.

Letters To The Editor Policy For Elections

We welcome Letters to the Editor, but we do have some rules that apply.

*All letters must be signed and a telephone number and address included so the writer can be verified.

*Letters should be concise and to the point. Letters should be limited to 750 words. The editor has the right to publish longer letters chosen on interest, history, merit, and/or relevance.

*No letters will be printed that are not in good taste, are defamatory or libelous.

*Letter writers are required to provide any documentation needed to prove that facts and figures used in a letter are correct before the letter can be published.

*A writer is allowed to write on a particular subject one time only, unless the editor allows additional letters.

*Candidates for office are not allowed to run letters during the election season. They will all be allowed a chance to get their points to the readers with candidate profiles the Kewaskum Statesman publishes before the election.

*Letters relating to the election will not be published in the issue right before the election.

*We do not publish letters of thanks or poetry.

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Kewaskum Fire Department To Host Soup Sampler And Open House

The 18th annual Soup Sampler and Open House will be held on Saturday, March 24, from 4 to 7 p.m. in the Kewaskum Fire Station, 1107 Fond du Lac Ave. in Kewaskum.

Proceeds will go toward

a new Chassis for the brush truck.

Kewaskum's firefighters will prepare and serve their favorite soup/chili recipes for the public to sample.



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Warrant #4 - Fond du Lac County, operate while revoked.

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Wayne "Buddy" Wilmer Faber

Wayne "Buddy" Wilmer Faber passed away on Wednesday, Feb. 28, 2018, at Hope Health and Rehab in Lomira at the age of 84 with his loving family at his side, joining his son, Russ.

Wayne was born July 2, 1933 in the town of Wayne to the late Wilmer and Nathalia (nee Sauder) Faber.

Wayne proudly served his country in the United States Army during the Korean War from May 1953 and was honorably discharged May 1955. He was in the 82nd Airborne and was a cook making the best pineapple upside down cake and oyster dressing.

Wayne married the love of his life and dancing partner, Gloria Dohrman on August 14, 1954, at Salem United Bretheran Church in Lomira.

Wayne designed and built two beautiful homes by himself for his family. He had many talents and had a passion for building. There was nothing he couldn't fix!

Wayne was a mechanic most of his life, working at Bauer Pontiac in Campbelsport, then owned Wayne's Standard

Station from 1961-1972. He worked for the Village of Lomira and the waste water treatment plant, owned a couple milk trucks hauling milk, Nodel Cadillac (where he was known as the best mechanic around), and retired from Wickes Lumber. After retirement, he drove school bus for Lomira School District for 13 years.

Wayne was very patriotic, a proud member of the Badger State Chapter of the 82nd Airborne Division, the DAV, VEC (Veteran's Education Committee) and a very proud member for 59 years in the Bintzler Waihler American Legion #347, Lomira where he held offices in the local, county, district, and was state vice commander. He served on many committees, one being chairman of the Camp American Legion board, Lake Tomahawk, a place he dearly loved, and also served on national committees. Wayne organized and formed the SALC (Sons of American Legion) at Post #347. He was a member of the honor guard 50 years for the Lomira American Legion.

Wayne was very active in the 40/8 (honor society of Veterans) where he held the high office of Grand Chef, Nationale Cheminot, and served on many local and national committees. In 2011, he was nominated and awarded the 40/8 voyageur of the year.

Wayne is a life-long member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Lomira, holding church offices and did a lot of volunteer work in the church.

Wayne was also a very active member in the Lomira Lions Club with a

perfect attendance for over 50 years. He held many offices including club President. He felt very honored to be awarded the Melvin Jones award which is the highest honor a Lion can receive. Wayne received the "Citizen of The Year" for Lomira in 2016.

Wayne enjoyed traveling and going to conventions all over the 50 states. He was always in the driver's seat. He enjoyed going up north, but his most enjoyable time was when all the family was together. He was very proud of his children and grandchildren and always claimed his wife was the best cook.

Those Wayne leaves behind to cherish his memory include his loving wife of 63 and a half years Gloria; his three children Dennis (Barbara), Randy (Julie), and Steven (Fiancée Rachel Amundson) and her children Alexis, Ashlynn, and Austin; six grandchildren, Timothy (Jillian) Faber, Michelle (Jason) Kuehl, Nicholas (Tiffany) Faber, Michael (Robin) Faber, Kelly Faber, and Katie Jo Faber; four great grandchildren, Aubrey, Chance, Ava, Mia, and two more in June; a sister, Mildred (Harvey) Klein; a sister-in-law, Phyllis Faber; a brother-in-law, Jay (Carol) Dohrman; many nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Wayne was preceded in death by his parents; father and mother in law, Lawson and Violet Dohrman; a son Russel; a sister Rosemary (Ralph) Giese; and a brother Eugene.

A funeral service in remembrance of Wayne will be held on Saturday, March 10, at 3 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church, 300 Church St., Lomira. Military honors will follow the service. Burial will be at a later date.

The family will greet relatives and friends at the church Saturday from 12 p.m. until 2:45 p.m.

The family wishes to thank Hope, Health & Rehab and Agnesian Hospice for the excellent care they gave Wayne.

Memorials to Trinity United Church or to a charity of your choice in Wayne's honor is appreciated by the family.

Gone from our sight, but never our memories. Gone from our touch, but never our hearts.

The Myrhum Patten Miller & Kietzer Funeral Homes have been entrusted with Wayne's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at www.myrhum-patten.com.

Celebrating Small Businesses

Help for small business owners shouldn't be a secret. That's why the Wisconsin SBDC Network is spreading the word for the second-annual national SBDC Day -- March 21, 2018.

Small Business Development Centers have provided entrepreneurs the education and resources they need to start, manage and grow since 1980. In 2017, Wisconsin SBDC consultants across 14 locations provided confidential, no-cost consulting to 2,677 clients, leading to 281 new businesses, 878 new jobs, 234 retained jobs and more than \$80 million in capital investment.

"We are proud to support our state's dreamers, innovators and doers," said Bon Wikenheiser, state SBDC director. "Small businesses are the foundation of our cities and towns."

Social media will play a central role in #SBDCDay. Small businesses, partners and advocates are invited to help spread the word using the hashtag #SBDCDay leading up to and on March 21, to share what SBDCs do and how small businesses make a difference in their communities.

One easy way for everyone to participate is through the use of Thunderclap, which posts a onetime message to your social media account of choice at 3 p.m. March 21; sign up at <https://www.thunderclap.it/projects/67086-sbdc-day-2018>.

Those interested in showing a little more support can consider becoming an SBDC ambassador. Email sbdc@uwex.edu to learn more and receive a kit.

The effort will also be marked by public relations initiatives, proclamations and events. The message that small businesses play a strong role in our economy is one worth repeating.

"It's great to see SBDCs, their clients and supporters come together to celebrate SBDCs and their amazing clients. With SBDC support small businesses around the country raised over \$5 billion in capital and created nearly 100,000 jobs," said Charles "Tee" Rowe, President & CEO of America's SBDC.

The SBDC is the nation's most comprehensive business assistance network. In 2016, centers provided 1.24 million hours of consulting to 188,602 businesses, resulting in 17,174 new businesses, 96,095 jobs, \$6.4 billion in sales growth and \$5.16 billion in capital investments.

To learn more about #SBDCDay and to join the movement, visit www.AmericasSBDC.org/SBDCDay.

To find your closest Wisconsin SBDC, go to www.wisconsinbdc.org/locations.

America's SBDC (Small

Business Development Center) Network is a partnership uniting private enterprise, government, higher education and local nonprofit economic development organizations. It is the U.S. Small Business Administration's largest partnership program, providing management and technical assistance to help Americans start, run and grow their own businesses. SBDC clients start a new business every 30 minutes, create a new job every 5 minutes, generate \$100,000 in new sales every 8 minutes, and raise \$100,000 in capital every 10 minutes. www.americasSBDC.org

The Wisconsin Small

Business Development Center is a statewide network supporting entrepreneurs and business owners through no-cost, confidential consulting and business education. Regional SBDC experts facilitate improvement and growth for small and emerging mid-size companies and help launch successful new enterprises. The Wisconsin SBDC, hosted by the University of Wisconsin-Extension, features 14 local centers mostly located in four-year UW institutions, with outreach and virtual services covering the entire state. <http://www.wisconsinSBD.org>

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.

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| <p>Newsletter A library newsletter is now available through email. To sign up to receive the newsletter, visit the library's website at www.kewaskum.lib.wi.us</p> <p>Gale Courses is a free online resource that provides access to exceptional classes on multiple topics of interest including career training programs. We hope you consider exploring the offerings for personal and professional development.</p> <p>Expressions Bracelet Making Thursday, March 22 Expressions West Bend will be coming to KPL for a night of jewelry making. You can choose from two gorgeous designs (memory wire bracelet or a beaded leather jump ring bracelet) and create your very own beautiful jewelry. Space is limited and sign up is required so call or stop in today to reserve your spot. 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>Monday Afternoon Movie: Coco! Monday, March 26 Join us for Disney Pixar's Coco. Go on an extraordinary journey with Miguel, an aspiring musician as he travels to the magical land of his ancestors. Rated: PG 1:00 p.m.</p> <p>Spring Garden Party Tuesday, March 27 Visit the library for spring and Easter themed crafts, as well as an Easter egg hunt around the library. Snacks will be provided. All ages welcome. 1:00 p.m.</p> <p>Storytime Storytimes are on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m.</p> <p>March 14 Jump, Frog, Jump March 21 Superheroes to the Rescue</p> | <p>Coming Soon (books and movies to put holds on):</p> <p>BOOKS Anatomy of a Miracle, by Jonathan Miles Chicago, by David Mamet Down the River Unto the Sea, by Walter Mosley Educated, by Tara Westover Enlightenment Now, by Steven Pinker The Escape Artist, by Brad Meltzer Everything Happens for a Reason, by Kate Bowler Force of Nature, by Jane Harper Girls Burn Brighter, by Shobha Rao Have Dog, Will Travel, by Stephen Kuusisto The House of Broken Angels, by Luis Alberto Urrea How to Window Box, by Chantal Aida Gordon Humble Roots, by Hannah Anderson The Hush, by John Hart The Last Equation of Isaac Severy, by Nova Jacobs Magnolia Table, by Joanna Gaines Renoir's Dancer, by Catherine Hewitt The Silent Companions, by Laura Purcell Sunburn, by Laura Lippman Winter Sisters, by Robin Oliveira The Winter Station, by Jody Shields</p> <p>MOVIES Lady Bird Paw Patrol: Sea Patrol Lego DC Super Heroes: The Flash Phantom Thread Jumanji: Welcome to the Jungle Daddy's Home 2 Ferdinand I, Tonya Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri A Bad Moms Christmas</p> |
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March 11

DAYS GONE BY

**5 Years Ago
March 7, 2013**

Fire destroyed a two story single family residence early Sunday morning. Fire departments from eight local departments helped Kohlsville Fire Department to quickly extinguish the flames inside the empty home in the 7900 block of County Road W.

The Kewaskum Board of Education will hold a special meeting of the electorate Monday to ask for approval of the purchase real property. At that meeting on March 11, electors in the Kewaskum School District may cast their vote for or against purchasing a dilapidated home at 218 First Street in the Village of Kewaskum. The house is situated next to the Kewaskum Career Academy (KCA).

Kiwanis Students of the Month: Nick Bier and Jacob Hardy.

Kewaskum High School students placed well in the annual Wisconsin High School Bowling Club State Championship, March 1-3. KHS senior Kierra Kuehl landed a fourth place in the singles competition during her fourth visit to the state tournament. The school's boy's team took fourth place in the team play at Dale's West Lanes Schofield, WI.

William P. 'Bill' Fromm, 78, of Kewaskum, passed away on February 28.

Daniel 'Dan' A. Truog,

63, passed away on March 2.

Agnes C. Johnson, 95, formerly of Campbellsport, passed away on February 28.

Lance Beyer, 31, of Fond du Lac, passed away on March 3.

**15 Years Ago
March 6, 2003**

Firefighters from Campbellsport, with mutual aid from Kewaskum Fire Department, extinguished a fire in a shed at N1144 County Trunk V. The property is owned by Alex Iloncaie. The fire started when burning garbage spread to the grass and continued to storage buildings.

As one drives southbound on USH 45 you have to wonder what they are doing. Project engineer Jeanne Marchant explains this week that crews from Hoffmann Construction are working on finishing the stream that is being run along the road project. The object of the stream is so storm run off has a place to go and water from the flood plain does not obstruct the roadway.

At the annual Kewaskum Fire Department Spring Banquet James "Jimmer" Warnkey was named the 2002 Firefighter of the Year. Warnkey joined the department in 1999 and has served on numerous committees, attended

numerous schools and attends meeting and training night regularly. He serves as an EMT with the Rescue Squad. He also takes an active role in fire investigation for the department and has spent many hours training with the Washington County Fire Investigators.

The Kewaskum FFA participated in the district speaking contest held by the Horicon FFA chapter at their high school. Participating in the Discussion Meet was Melissa McKee. She had to discuss current agricultural topics with other FFA members in the area. Melissa took second in her competition and will advance to the sectionals. Shannon Dwyer and Lisa Beck competed in the extemporaneous speaking event. In this event the girls pick a topic and have thirty minutes to prepare a four minute speech. Lisa took fourth and Shannon took fifth in the event.

With the 48-43 win over Sheboygan Falls, Friday, Feb. 28, the Kewaskum boys varsity basketball team finished the regular season with a 10-10 record, which is the first time since 1984 that a Kewaskum boys basketball team has finished with a 500 record or better. In the process, another record was broken. Travis Kempf, who has already broken the KHS rebounding record, broke the KHS all-time scoring record on his 12th point Friday night. Kempf ended up with 17, which leaves him at 859 career points. He passed up Bill Backhaus the former leader who had 853 career points.

St. Lucas girls A-team took second at KML Tourney. Members of the team included: Amber Scott, Andrea Gust, Andrea Boehlke, Sarah Radzitis, Kelly Zimmel, Becka Ramthun, Katelyn Zima and Ashley Murphy. The team was coached by Jon Kiel and Randy Gust.

The sole Kewaskum Indian wrestler to make it to state didn't get very far in Madison before he was sent back home. Marty Harris lost to the soon to be state champion, Brad Moore of Lancaster in the first round of the State Tournament in Madison this past Saturday, March 1.

With Milwaukee Lutheran dominating the boards 40-27, and holding Kewaskum to just seven first half points, the Kewaskum girls varsity basketball team lost their subregional game against Milwaukee Lutheran 49-28 last Tuesday, Feb. 25 in Milwaukee.

A son, Garret Jason, was born to Heather and Jason Handke of Kewaskum on March 1.

Marie W. Yogerst, 82, of Allenton, passed away on March 3.

Ronald Singer, Sr., 66, of Little Kohler, passed away on February 18.

John L. "Johnny" Schmidt, 35, of Wapiti, Wyoming, formerly of West Bend, passed away

on February 24.

Clara B. Theisen (nee Berth), 91, of West Bend, passed away on March 2.

**25 Years Ago
March 11, 1993**

Despite the objections of numerous Memorial Drive residents, the Kewaskum Village Board approved a rezoning request by Tom Timblin last Monday night. The approval allows Timblin to proceed with plans to build approximately 65 townhouses in multi-family units east of Memorial Drive.

Kiwanis Students of the Month of February are senior, Kim Sabish, daughter of Larry and Carol Sabish, and Christopher Schmidt, son of Dan and Phyllis Schmidt.

The St. Lucas Seventy-Sixers took first place at the Kettle Moraine Lutheran Grade School Tournament on Sunday, Feb. 14. Members of the team included Dan Zuehlke, Tim Vetter, Jason Bartelt, Jeremy Strassburg, Chad Butzke, Mike Bechler, Dan Jeserig, Kevin Martin, Ryan Martin, Jason Ortel, and Coach Steve Strassburg.

After reaching the NCAA Division III National Championships and not placing last year, UW-Stevens Point heavy-weight Dennis Aupperle wasn't going to let opportunity slip by once again. Aupperle, a 1989 Kewaskum High School graduate, was one of three Pointer wrestlers to finish in the top eight in his weight class at the NCAA Championships held last weekend. Aupperle finished seventh in the heavyweight division, thus earning the distinction of being an All-American wrestler.

A daughter, Emily Rose, was born to Jean and Patrick Lowney on March 2.

A daughter was born to Jean and Rusty Woskoski of Kewaskum on February 28.

A daughter was born to Tracey and Roger Gavin of Kewaskum on March 1.

A daughter was born to Lisa and Joseph Winker of Kewaskum on February 27.

A daughter, Kody Ann, was born to Gary and Tina Mlodzik of Phoenix, Arizona on March 7.

A son was born to Carol and Dean Pok of Kewaskum on March 2.

Anita E. Dean (nee Dreher), 86, of West Bend, passed away on March 4.

Ervin J. Czerniak, 78, of West Bend passed away on March 1.

Henry J. Wittemann, 91, of Kewaskum, passed away on March 4.

Hugo Kuester, 75, of Milwaukee passed away on March 1.

Ervin J. Hammen, 84, of West Bend passed away on March 4.

Sister S. Martine Herbert, C.S.A., 105, passed away on March 1.

**50 Years Ago
March 8, 1968**

March came in like a lamb last Friday, March 1, with temperatures in the low 40s, sunny skies, brisk winds and thawing, drying weather. Area residents have enjoyed an early taste of spring all week except for a short-lived snowfall Tuesday when the temperature dropped to the 30s. Monday was beautiful with the thermometer soaring into the low 50s and warm, sunny skies again brought the temperature into the 50s Thursday.

A car driven by a Milwaukee man collided with a school bus at the intersection of Hwy 41 and CTH D in the Town of Wayne, about nine miles west of Kewaskum at 7:45 a.m. last Thursday. The bus was conveying Kewaskum High School students to school at the time. Washington County authorities said that Joseph Stehr, driver of the vehicle, sustained fractured ribs, bumps, bruises and cuts and was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital in West Bend. His 1966 auto was reported a total wreck. Two students on the bus were injured. Steve Schaefer incurred a bruised arm and Robert Ney a cut lip and chipped tooth. One youth apparently cut his hand in giving assistance to the injured car driver, it was reported.

Members of the Kewaskum Woman's Club are happy to report that the amount of \$439.35 has been added to the National Foundation March of Dimes as a result of the drive in Kewaskum.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gremminger, 338 Third St., Kewaskum, on Monday, March 4.

**75 Years Ago
March 12, 1943**

Pvt. Walter Bruessel, son of Jacob Bruessel Sr. of the Town of Kewaskum, arrived home Wednesday evening from Camp Livingston, Louisiana, having received an honorable discharge from the Army because of being over the age limit. He joined his wife, who has been making her home at Campbellsport.

Pvt. Bruessel was given the discharge to be employed in war work. He had served in the Army six months. Walter says he is glad to get back to Wisconsin.

Pfc. Paul Cechvala, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cechvala of rural Kewaskum, arrived home from Camp Livingston, Louisiana, Saturday noon after having also received an honorable discharge from the Army to allow him to return to farming in which he had been engaged before his induction into the Army last September 29.

Mrs. Ella Coulter received the sad news of the death of her nephew, Carlton Waehler, 23, who was killed in the crash of a training plane from the army air base at Garden City, Kansas

**100 Years Ago
March 16, 1918**

Sunshine, spring overcoats, here and there a spring bonnet and the welcome chirp of the early robin greeted us during the forepart of last week and we were just about to unbutton our winter coats and take a deep breath of the sun-warmed air, when one of the most terrific blizzards of the winter struck us squarely in the face and made the people of Kewaskum and community duck for shelter and get lined up around the family's heating apparatus. The storm landed in our little city early Saturday morning and continued with increasing velocity until about the midnight hour, completely tying up traffic, blowing down trees and telephone and telegraph poles. The telephone companies experienced considerable loss, the worst trouble was south of West Bend, where poles were snapped off and sleet covered wires broken and left in a tangled heap. All the highways were badly drifted and farmers were unable to get through until late Sunday afternoon. The sun, however, came out in all its glory Sunday and by Monday business was carried on as usual.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simon of St. Kilian on Tuesday.

Program Features Wedding Dresses Past And Present

The Farmington Historical Society is inviting the public to share in a program on Wedding Dresses Past and Present presented, by Hannah Schladweiler, an experienced coordinator of historical clothing and vintage bridal items.

Schladweiler will demonstrate how wedding dresses have

changed, what trends resulted in wedding customs and more interesting details.

The program will be held Saturday, March 10, at the Boltonville Fire House, 1 to 3 p.m. Refreshments will be served. The event is open to the public. For information, contact Marcia at 262-689-9056.

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Monday, March 12- Beef Sandwich With Mushrooms and Onions, Dilled Potato Salad, Mixed Vegetables, Fruit Cocktail, Oatmeal Raisin Cookie, Chocolate Milk. Alt: Diet Cookie.

Tuesday, March 13 - Chicken Cordon Bleu, Wild Rice Blend, Key Largo Blend Vegetables, Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Peach Pie. Alt: Diet Pie.

Wednesday, March 14 - Meatloaf Patty, Mashed Potatoes With Gravy, Green Beans, Carrot Raisin Salad, Multigrain

Bread, Brownie. Alt: Diet Pudding.

Thursday, March 15 - Irish Stew, Buttered Baby Red Potatoes, Broccoli Florets, Fruited Lime Jello, Rye Bread, St. Patty's Day Cookie. Alt: Diet Cookie.

Friday, March 16 - Vegetable Lasagna, Carrot Coins, Romaine Lettuce Salad With Thousand Island, Cottage Cheese with Pineapple, Chocolate Ice Cream.

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Community Gatherings

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

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

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

Every Wednesday - Toddler Storytime, Kewaskum Public Library, 10:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m.

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

Every Monday - Partner and Line Dance lessons at the Amerahn, 9480 Hwy 45 N, Kewaskum. Held 7 - 9:30 p.m., Basic steps taught from 6:30 - 7 p.m., Cost is \$5 per night. Hosted by the Country Club Dancers. www.countryclubdancers.com.

Tuesday, Feb. 6-May 1 - The University of Wisconsin-Extension Master Gardener Volunteer Program Training Classes. Classes will be held Tuesday evenings from February 6 to May 1, 6-8 p.m. The cost is \$150, which includes 36 hours of training, training manual, one year memberships at the state and local level and background check. The classes will be held at the Washington County Public Agency Center, 333 E. Washington St., West Bend, Room 3224. Registration forms and other information are available at: washington.uwex.edu or by contacting Stephanie Plaster at 262-335-4477 or stephanie.plaster@ces.uwex.edu.

Saturday, March 3-24 - Youth Tractor Safety Course. The 24 hour course will be held on Saturdays, March 3, 10, 17 and 24. Registration deadline is March 1. \$35 per student and limited to the first 25 paid participants. 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Thursday, March 8 - UW-Washington County will present "A Comedy of Couples" as their theatre production. Appropriate for ages 13 and up. 400 University Dr., West Bend. 7:30 p.m.

Friday, March 9 - Home, Sporting and Recreation Expo, Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 4-8 p.m.

Friday, March 9 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Melody Volunteer Center of Washington County. 7:30-9 p.m.

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Friday, March 9 - Fish Fry benefiting The American Cancer Society Relay For Life Team, The Beads of Hope. Fried and baked fish, french fries and/or German potato salad, coleslaw, bread, coffee, milk, desserts and prizes. The Columbian, 3245 Lighthouse Ln., West Bend. 4 - 8 p.m.

Saturday, March 10 - Kewaskum Elementary School, PTO fundraiser for the playground addition. \$25 per person includes entrance, buffet dinner and dessert. Silent auction, beverages, and a DJ will entertain. Tickets must be purchased by March 2 and can be purchased at Kewaskum Piggly Wiggly or KES office. The Columbian, 3245 Lighthouse Ln, West Bend. This event begins at 5 p.m. Dinner is from 6-7:30 p.m.

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Saturday, March 10 - Rock, Mineral, Gem and Earth Science Show, Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Adults \$3, children under 12 Free.

Saturday, March 10 - Your Garden Can Feed You All Year presented by Sheboygan County Master Gardeners. Free of charge. UW-Sheboygan Campus, Room 5020, 5 University Dr., Sheboygan. 10 a.m.

Saturday, March 10 - Wedding Dresses Over the Years. Historical wedding dresses will be featured at the Farmington Historical's Society's annual meeting and program. Hannah Schladweiler will display a variety of wedding dresses from the past. She will discuss how the dresses have changed, what trends resulted in wedding customs, and more. Refreshments will be served. No charge to attend. Boltonville Firehouse, 9336 Bolton Dr., Kewaskum (Boltonville). 1 - 3 p.m.

Sunday, March 11 - A Swinging Time at the Old Courthouse Museum. Mike Mattek will be teaching brief introductory lessons on the Waltz, Tango, Charleston, Mambo and Samba to help you get on the dance floor. A wide variety of ballroom dance music will be played. 1 - 2 p.m. Workshop/Free Dance and Tea - \$20. 2 - 4 p.m. Free Dance and Tea - \$15. 320 S. Fifth Ave., West Bend.

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Tuesday, March 13 - Blood Drive at Holy Trinity Church, 301 Main St., Kewaskum. Contact Sharon 262-629-5670 for appointments. 1:30-6:30 p.m.

Friday, March 16 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. No Meeting.

Friday, March 16 - Bob and Rocco Gun Show, Washington County Fair Grounds, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 3-8 p.m. Admission \$6

Saturday, March 17 - Passport Fair at the Kewaskum Post Office, 347 Main St. 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 17 - Bob and Rocco Gun Show, Washington County Fair Grounds, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Admission \$6

Sunday, March 18 - Bob and Rocco Gun Show, Washington County Fair Grounds, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Admission \$6

Friday, March 23 - Super Home Extravaganza, 520 Fond du Lac Ave., Fond du Lac. 4 - 8 p.m.

Friday, March 23 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Potluck. 6:30-9 p.m.

Saturday, March 24 - UW-WC presents Free S.T.E.M. Saturday. Area families are invited to the West Bend Campus to discover the amazing world of S.T.E.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics). Free. 400 S. University Dr., West Bend. 10 a.m. - noon.

Saturday, March 24 - Super Home Extravaganza, 520 Fond du Lac Ave., Fond du Lac. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Sunday, March 25 - Super Home Extravaganza, 520 Fond du Lac Ave., Fond du Lac. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Friday, March 30 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Good Friday. No meeting.

An Upcoming Calendar of Events for Riveredge Nature Center, 4458 County Hwy Y, Newburg, WI. Visit: www.riveredgenaturecenter.org for further information.

Saturday, March 10 - Maple Sugarin' Day for Scouts and Youth Groups. The sap is running and sugarin' time is here! Join a naturalist for a guided tour of the sugarbush, tap a tree, collect sap and gather around the evaporator to see how boiling sap becomes syrup. Enjoy the final product on a pancake before heading for home. There are three available time slots for your troop or group, but they all usually fill early each year. 9:45-11:30 a.m., noon-1:45 p.m., 2:15-4 p.m. Pre-registration and pre-payment is required. Space is limited. Fee: \$6.00 per child or adult. Please call Cassie at 262-416-1364 for more information and to register. Tips for a Sweet Experience. Please note- all hikes and sugarin' experiences start at our West Parking Lot on County Rd Y. Parking is allowed along Singing Hill Road but prohibited along HWY Y. Each participant will have an opportunity to taste sumac berries, maple sugar, and a piping hot or-

ganic pancake with 100% Riveredge maple syrup. Unfortunately, we do not have food allergy substitutes for those with sensitivities to dairy, eggs, nuts, and gluten. Sugarin' season weather can be unpredictable! Please dress accordingly for an outdoor adventure. Programs will go on in spite of weather conditions. There is a small store at our Sugar Shack with tasty treats for purchase from barbecue sauce, to 100% maple candy, and of course Riveredge's maple syrup. Please note that these purchases can be made with Cash Only.

Wednesday, March 14 - Nature Tots: Sap Suckers. Celebrate the season of sugar snow and sumac berries. When the sap is flowing in the trees, hungry squirrels, yellow-bellied sapsuckers and humans alike seek the savory sugar maple. Join a naturalist to discover the variety of sap sucking animals that seek this sweet treat this time of year. Cost: Non-Members and Trail Pass Members: \$5, All-Access Members: FREE. 10 - 11:30 a.m.

Thursday, March 15 - Washington County Family Nature Club Outing. We know finding time to get outside can be tough and that figuring out what to do once outside can be even more difficult. That's why Riveredge Nature Center has started a community-based Family Nature Club series (now in Ozaukee, Washington, and Sheboygan Counties). Family Nature Club gatherings take place monthly from September to June, and each month our club leaders take full charge of planning an awesome outdoor adventure in your own community. Clubs provide a scheduled time to soak up the benefits of spending time outdoors as a family and will introduce you to new natural areas and activities you can return to again and again. The best part? Club meetings are always free. JOIN US THIS MONTH AT THE WASHINGTON COUNTY CLUB. From: 6:00-7:30pm at Sandy Knoll Park. Animal Tracking 101. Tonight we will be at Sandy Knoll County Park searching for all the different animal signs that we can find. We will play a few games, make our own tracks, and take a hike. Everyone is welcome and the event is free. Please RSVP if you plan to attend! For more info on all our Family Nature Clubs and to RSVP for this meeting, please go to <http://www.riveredgenaturecenter.org/family-nature-clubs/>

Saturday, March 17 - Bring back the Bluebirds - Bird House Building Workshop. Many spring migrants will soon be returning to our area looking for housing. Join us to learn how to attract a wide variety of cavity-nesting birds to your yard. We will discuss the pros and cons of different nest box styles and cover the basics of where to place them and how to maintain them. The best part? You'll get the chance to build a box you can take home with you at the end of the day. This workshop is designed for both amateur and experienced bird lovers over the age of 10. Please pre-register so we can be sure we have enough supplies for everyone. Cost- Non-Members and Trail Pass Members: \$5 each, All-Access Members: FREE. 1 - 2:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 17 - Children's Storytime: Red Fox Running by Eve Bunting. Red fox runs on and on, through the snow in search of food for his family. "The lake of ice is shinning, The moons an orange glow, The falling stars are streaks of flame, So far, so far to go." He brings food back to his den where his mate and cubs are waiting. Hear the whole story as told by our Library Volunteers and enjoy a little craft afterwards. Free. 10 - 11 a.m.

Sunday, March 18 - Maple Sugarin' Festival. Riveredge's Maple Sugarin' Festival will take you on a journey through the sugarbush where you will experience the maple sugarin' season like never before. Along the way, you'll learn how to tap a maple tree, observe live demonstrations, participate in hands-on activities, enjoy music, games, and so much more! When you reach the evaporator, you'll see how sap is transformed into syrup and enjoy our famous pancakes and 100% pure Riveredge maple syrup. Lunch & refreshments are available for purchase (including a special serving from The Fermentorium for the "kids at heart"). Festival activities will include: Tree tapping treks. Historical legends and experiences including Native American Sugarin', Pioneer Sugarin' Techniques, and the Legend Tree. A live blacksmith/branding demo (brand your own tree cookie to take home with you!). Animals of Riveredge scavenger hunt quest. Syrup tasting. Indoor crafts and games to warm up to. Face painting. Make your own pancake mix. A visit from the Riveredge Sugar Dragon?! Music. Lunch hour refreshments for purchase. And for the big kids, don't miss our friends at The Fermentorium pouring their Never Frown Brown Ale served specially with real Riveredge maple syrup. Pre-registration suggested. Cost: Non-Member: \$10 per person | Trail Pass Members: \$6 per person | All-Access Members: FREE! Tips for a Sweet Experience: Please note- all hikes and sugarin' experiences start at our Main Building. Parking is available in our main lot and along Singing Hill Road but prohibited along HWY Y. Each participant will have an opportunity to taste sumac berries, maple sugar, and a piping hot organic pancake with 100% Riveredge maple syrup. Unfortunately, we do not have food allergy substitutes for those with sensitivities to dairy, eggs, nuts, and gluten. Sugarin' season weather can be unpredictable! Please dress accordingly for an outdoor adventure. Programs will go on in spite of weather conditions. There is a small store at our Sugar Shack with tasty treats for purchase from barbecue sauce, to 100% maple candy, and of course Riveredge's maple syrup. Please note that these purchases can be made with Cash Only. The Fermentorium will be on site serving local beer for those 21 and older. ID required. Cash purchases for beer only. 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Friday, March 23 - Adult Egg Hunt and Hike. Why do the kids get to have all the fun? Join us for our first ever, kid-ult spring egg hunt & hike! This Riveredge style egg hunt, will challenge adults to venture out on the trails to search high and low for hidden eggs of all shapes and sizes. Prizes will be awarded to all participants including, but not limited to drink tickets, chocolate, raffle tickets, and more! Participants can drop their raffle tickets into a basket of their choice to test their luck in winning items such as Cedar Creek Wine, Lakeshore Chinoooks Tickets, Starbucks Coffee & Teviana Teas, and Riveredge Pancake Mix and Syrup. After the hunt, enjoy a spring campfire and yard games! Beer, Wine and Cider will be available for purchase throughout the event for those 21 and older. (Because a pre-hunt beer can only enhance your searching abilities, right?) The festivities begin at 6:00pm and the hunt kicks off at 6:30pm. Pre-registration is required. Cost: \$10 per person (18+ only, 21 to drink)

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

Thursday, March 8 - An Evening With Nature: Tiny Mammals of Southeast Wisconsin. Discover the menagerie of tiny mammals that call Southeast Wisconsin home including the shrews, moles, mice, and voles. Beth Goeppinger, Naturalist at Richard Bong State Recreation Area, will explain how they are monitored and their importance to various ecosystems. This program is most appropriate for people over the age of 12 years. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 7-8:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 10 - Winds of Spring: Exploring Nature Program. Have you ever wondered why the wind blows and from where it comes? Join us as we answer these questions and uncover the power of the wind. We will make several wind-powered objects. This program is best for families/groups with children between the ages of 6 and 12 years. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Friday, March 16 - Sweet Taste of Spring Nature Storytime. Freezing nights and warm days make the sap of the maple trees flow. Join us as we figure out how maple sap is turned into sweet tasting syrup. This hour of nature fun awaits 3 to 6 year olds with accompanying adults. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, March 17 - Drop in to read a book about the signs of spring with a caring adult. Afterwards, head outside to search for spring's return. This is a great opportunity for early elementary students to practice their reading skills. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 1 - 2:15 p.m.

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.

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 per-
spective 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 parish-
ioners 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.



Concordia Forensics Team members celebrate their success at the NIFA State Tournament at the University of Nebraska-Kearney. Team members include: (front row, from left) Malia Ebel, Katie Funk, Grace Koehn, and Melody Niemoth; (second row) Amelia Schlichting, Whitney Borchardt, Sarah Benz, Payton DeMers-Sahling, Faith Osborn, Will Helmer and Andrew Moffitt; and (back row) Tationa Trice, Avery Kesar, Joe Davis, Luke Blomenberg, Jacob Garrison and Taryn Thomas.

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Local Student Places Second In Intercollegiate Forensics Championship

Sarah Benz of Campbellsport, Wis. and Concordia University, Nebraska, is a member of Concordia's Speech Team that recently competed in the Nebraska Intercollegiate Forensics Association (NIFA) State Championship and placed second in their division.

The tournament took place at the University of Nebraska, Kearney, on February 10 with all college and university speech programs in Nebraska competing, including four of the top 20 teams in the nation. In order to place in the NIFA Team Championship, the team's preliminary and final round scores were assigned a point value, and rated against other schools. As a result of their collective team effort, Concordia placed second in the medium school (Division II) category, and advanced two competitors to the final round of com-

petition. This marks the second year in a row that Concordia has placed in Team Championship, and the first time CUNE has advanced finalists in speech events in over a decade.

"This is a major turning point in the continued development of our team," said Andrew Moffitt, director of forensics at Concordia. "I am proud that we not only advanced competitors to finals but also moved up in team championship standings, which are both important benchmarks we have been shooting for all year."

Sophomores Katie Funk and Taryn Thomas were finalists in the events of Dramatic Interpretation and Communication Analysis, respectively. Additionally, freshmen Grace Kohen and Jacob Garrison were recognized at the top novice competitors in Duo Interpretation. Funk, a senior member

of the young team, said, "I'm excited that our team is evolving and growing. Being a part of a building and growing program can be tough, but we've come so far and have so much farther to grow. I'm glad I get to experience this. We have such a young team, and we're starting to let our competitors know that we aren't going anywhere soon. We are going to leave our mark."

Concordia's Speech Team will stay busy over the next two months as it prepares for the National Speech Championship, to be held in Lincoln, Nebraska, on March 24-25. Furthermore, the team will be preparing for April when they attend both the American Forensic Association in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and National Forensics Association National Championships in Oshkosh.

CAMPUS NEWS

- University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
The University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire celebrated the achievements of 635 graduates during commencement proceedings held on December 16.

Local students who received degrees and their fields of study are:

West Bend

Justin Johnson, Business, Bachelor of Business Administration, marketing.

- University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh

University of Wisconsin Oshkosh officials have announced the names of students who qualified for the University's Dean's List and Honor Roll in fall 2017.

To qualify for the honor roll, a student must take at least 12 credits and earn a grade-point average

(GPA) of at least 3.3 (out of a possible 4.0). Those with a GPA of 3.75 or better qualify for the dean's list.

The following local students were included:

Campbellsport

Allie Adams, Dean's List; Brittany Beisbier, Dean's List; Kaitlyn Buchholz, Dean's List; Alyssa Flitter, Honor Roll; Erik Freiberg, Honor Roll; Elizabeth Gaspar, Honor Roll; Larisa Lindsley, Honor Roll; Gillian Pollpeter, Honor Roll; Michael Prochnow, Dean's List; Taylor Schmidt, Honor Roll; Jacob Stuebs, Dean's List.

Kewaskum

Rachael Fedorski, Dean's List; Zachary Herriges, Honor Roll; Raeanne Koss, Dean's List; Rachel Lockett, Dean's List; Clair Pok, Dean's List; Derek Schulz, Honor Roll; Hailey Taylor,

Honor Roll; Brittany Williams, Honor Roll; Lindsay Winkler, Dean's List.

West Bend

Danielle Bond, Honor Roll; Dalton Brooks, Honor Roll; Anna Duening, Honor Roll; Kiana Fuller, Dean's List; Nicole Gonring, Dean's List; Randall Gulley, Honor Roll; Angela Heniadis, Honor Roll; Theresa Leiberg, Dean's List; Tyler Matasek, Honor Roll; Jessica Myers, Honor Roll; Jason Myrick, Honor Roll; Ashley Petersen, Honor Roll; Angela Priebe, Honor Roll; Rachel Raskiewicz, Dean's List; Chelsea Scheid, Honor Roll; Hannah Schneider, Honor Roll; Justin Schroedel, Dean's List; Amanda Sincere, Dean's List; Danielle Timm, Dean's List; Konnar Wagner, Honor Roll; Kayla Weninger, Honor Roll.

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BREAKFAST MENUS

Breakfast Menus for March 12 - March 16

Kewaskum High School
Monday: Pancake Wrapped Sausage on a Stick, Diced Pears, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
Tuesday: Fruity Flatbread Pizza, Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
Wednesday: Egg and Cheese on a Whole Grain English Muffin, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
Thursday: Breakfast Pizza, Pineapple Tidbits, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Kewaskum Middle School
Monday: Pancake Wrapped Sausage on a Stick, Diced Pears, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Tuesday: Fruity Flatbread Pizza, Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
Wednesday: Egg Patty and Cheese on a Whole Grain English Muffin, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
Thursday: Breakfast Pizza, Pineapple Tidbits, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
Friday: Breakfast Buffet (Variety of Breakfast Items), Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

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

Kewaskum School District Elementary Schools
Monday: Breakfast Boat,

Mandarin Oranges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
Tuesday: Sausage Patty on a Whole Grain Biscuit, Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
Wednesday: Bacon, Egg and Cheese Croissant, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
Thursday: Egg Lollipop, Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Friday: Pillsbury Mini Pancakes, Applesauce, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.
 Other Breakfast Items: Cold Cereal Bowls, Fruit Muffin, Fruit Breads, Cereal/Granola Bars, NutriGrain Bars, Graham Cracker Snacks, Poptarts, 4 oz. Yogurt, String Cheese, Uncrustable.

All Menus Are Subject To Change.

LUNCH MENUS

Lunch Menus for March 12 - March 16

Kewaskum High School
Monday: Crispy Chicken Bowl, Buttered Corn, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Fresh Apple Slices, Diced Peaches.
Tuesday: Mini Corn Dogs, Seasoned Fries, Baked Beans, Honeydew, Diced Pears.
Wednesday: BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich, French Fries, Coleslaw, Orange Wedges, Pineapple Tidbits.
Thursday: Whole Grain Pasta Bar, Garlic Roasted Broccoli, Cucumber Slices, Fresh Pear Half, Mandarin Oranges.
Friday: Cheese Fries, Marinara Sauce, Seasoned Peas, Baby Carrots, Strawberries, Fruit Cocktail.

Kewaskum Middle School
Monday: Crispy Chicken Bowl (Chicken Nuggets and Mashed Potatoes with Gravy), Buttered Corn, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Diced Peaches. Second Choice: Burger Bar.
Tuesday: Mini Corn Dogs (Whole Grain), Baked Beans, Sweet Potato Fries, Diced Pears, Brownie.
Wednesday: Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Steamed Green Beans, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Orange Wedges. Second

Choice: Cheese/Pepperoni Pizza.
Thursday: Baked Chicken Sandwich (Whole Grain), Broccoli with Cheese, French Fries, Fresh Pear Half, Mandarin Oranges. Second Choice: Deli Bar.
Friday: Pizza Sticks (Whole Grain), Marinara Sauce, Seasoned Peas, Baby Carrots, Fruit Cocktail. Second Choice: Pasta Bar.

Kewaskum, Farmington and i4Learning Elementary
Monday: Crispy Chicken Bowl (Chicken Nuggets and Mashed Potatoes with Gravy), Buttered Corn, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Fresh Apple Slices. Second Choice: Hot Dog.
Tuesday: Mini Corn Dogs (Whole Grain), Baked Beans, Sweet Potato Fries, Diced Pears, Treat-Brownie. Second Choice: Whole Grain Chicken Ranch Wrap.
Wednesday: BBQ Rib Fingers, French Fries, Steamed Green Beans, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Orange Smiles. Second Choice: Cheese Pizza.
Thursday: Cheeseburger (Whole Grain), Seasoned Peas, Romaine Lettuce, Mandarin Oranges. Second Choice: Mini Pancakes and Sausage Patty.
Friday: Whole Grain Bosco Sticks, Marinara Sauce, Broccoli with Cheese Sauce, Baby Carrots, Fruit Cocktail. Second Choice: Ham Chef Salad with Chex Mix.

Holy Trinity School
Monday: Breaded Chicken Patty, Whole Grain Bun, Buttered Egg Noodles, Herbed Broccoli, Assorted Fruits.
Tuesday: Eagle Tostado (Taco Pizza), Savory Whole Grain Rice, Buttered Whole Grain Bread, Green Beans, Assorted Fruits.
Wednesday: Mini Corn Dog, Macaroni and Cheese, Buttered Whole Grain Bread, Peas, Assorted Fruits.
Thursday: Roasted Chicken, Garlic Red Mashed Potatoes, Whole Grain Roll, Corn, Assorted Fruits.
Friday: Scrambled Eggs, Pancakes, Hot Apple Slices, Buttered Whole Grain Bread, Green Beans.

All Menus Are Subject To Change.

School Happenings

Kewaskum Middle School

Thursday, March 8
 ✓ Volleyball vs. Oakfield at Kewaskum High School Field House 4:15 p.m.
 ✓ Wrestling Match vs. North Fond du Lac, Oakfield, Rosendale Intermediate at Rosendale Intermediate School 4:15 p.m.

Tuesday, March 13
 ✓ Volleyball Scrimmage Kewaskum Middle School Gym 3 - 5 p.m.
 ✓ Girls Volleyball vs. Waupun at Rock River Intermediate School 4:15 p.m.
 ✓ Wrestling vs. Campbellsport, Mayville, Oakfield at Oakfield Jr./Sr. High School 4:15 p.m.
 ✓ Choir Concerts at Kewaskum High School Theatre 6:30 - 7 p.m.
 ✓ Choir Concerts at Kewaskum High School Theatre 7:10 - 7:35 p.m.
 ✓ Choir Concerts at Kewaskum High School Theatre 7:45 - 8:15 p.m.

Thursday, March 15
 ✓ Volleyball vs. St. Mary's Springs at Kewaskum High School Field House 4:15 p.m.
 ✓ Wrestling Middle School Quad vs. Lomira, Oakfield, Waupun at Lomira Middle School 4:15 p.m.
 ✓ Wrestling Middle School Match vs. Lomira, Oakfield, Waupun at Lomira High School 4:15 p.m.

Friday, March 16
 ✓ Kewaskum School District Family Folk Dance Night at Kewaskum High School Field House 6:30 - 8 p.m.

Monday, March 19
 ✓ Volleyball vs. Campbellsport at Campbellsport Middle School 4:15 p.m.

Tuesday, March 20
 ✓ Wrestling Match vs. Horicon, Markesan, Oakfield at Kewaskum High School Field House 4:15 p.m.

Thursday, March 22
 ✓ Wrestling Invitational vs. Lomira at Lomira High School 4 p.m.
 ✓ Volleyball vs. Brandon MS at Kewaskum Middle School Gym 4:15 p.m.

Kewaskum Elementary School

Thursday, March 15
 ✓ Conferences Kewaskum Elementary School 4 - 8 p.m.

Friday, March 16
 ✓ Kewaskum School District Family Folk Dance Night at Kewaskum High School Field House 6:30 - 8 p.m.

Tuesday, March 20
 ✓ Gridiron Parent Meeting Incoming 5th graders informational meeting for Gridiron Football and Dance. Kewaskum High School Cafeteria 6 - 8 p.m.
 ✓ PTO Meeting Kewaskum Elementary School LGI 6:15 - 8:15 p.m.

Farmington Elementary School

Tuesday, March 13
 ✓ PTO Meeting Farmington Elementary School Library 6 - 8 p.m.

Friday, March 16
 ✓ Kewaskum School District Family Folk Dance Night at Kewaskum High School Field House 6:30 - 8 p.m.

Holy Trinity School

Thursday, March 8
 ✓ Conferences 3 - 7 p.m.

Friday, March 23
 ✓ Fifth Grade State Fair

School Happenings

Kewaskum High School

Sunday, March 11
 ✓ Girls KHS Fastpitch Open Gym Kewaskum High School Field House 4:15 - 6:30 p.m.
 ✓ KYB Youth and Men's Open Basketball Gym Kewaskum High School Field House 7 - 9 p.m.

Monday, March 12
 ✓ Forensics Varsity Meet vs. Manitowoc Lincoln at Manitowoc Lincoln High School 3:30 p.m.
 ✓ Board Meeting District Office Conference Room 6 - 9 p.m.
 ✓ Boys Basketball Banquet Kewaskum High School Cafeteria 6 - 8 p.m.
 ✓ KHS Girls Preseason Soccer Camp Kewaskum High School Field House 8:30 - 9:45 p.m.

Tuesday, March 13
 ✓ KHS Girls Preseason Soccer Camp Kewaskum Middle School Gym 7 - 9 p.m.

Wednesday, March 14
 ✓ At the Movies with Jim Westphal at Kewaskum High School Theatre 2-4 p.m.
 ✓ KHS Girls Preseason Soccer Camp Kewaskum High School Field House 8:30 - 9:45 p.m.

Thursday, March 15
 ✓ Boys Track Varsity Invitational vs. Lourdes Academy at UW Oshkosh Kolf Sports Center 4 p.m.

Friday, March 16
 ✓ Kewaskum School District Family Folk Dance Night at Kewaskum High School Field House 6:30 - 8 p.m.

Sunday, March 18
 ✓ KYB Youth and Men's Open Basketball Gym Kewaskum High School Field House 7 - 9 p.m.

Monday, March 19
 ✓ Trap Team Varsity Meet vs. Daniel Boone Conservation League at New Fane Sportsmans Club Time TBD

Wednesday, March 21
 ✓ At the Movies with Jim Westphal at Kewaskum High School Theatre 2-4 p.m.

Thursday, March 22
 ✓ Driven to Better Health Wellness Fair, Kewaskum High School 5:30 - 8 p.m.

Tuesday, March 27
 ✓ Girls Varsity Track Invitational vs. Lourdes Academy at UW Oshkosh - Kolf Sports Center 4 p.m.

Workforce Information Session Planned For Adults With Disabilities

Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital is hosting an open house for Project SEARCH, a workforce and career development model for young adults with intellectual and physical disabilities, March 8, 5 to 6:30 p.m. The event will be held at the hospital at 3200 Pleasant Valley Road in West Bend.

Interested individuals can meet current Project SEARCH interns, hear from current family members of interns and talk with leaders about how to apply to the program during the information session. Those planning to attend the event should email Allyson O'Leary, Project SEARCH Manager, at allysono@easterseals-wisconsin.com, or by calling 262-953-2206.

Project SEARCH is an initiative led by Easterseals Southeast Wisconsin in partnership with the Department of Vocational Rehabilitation, IRIS, Community Care, Care Wisconsin, local businesses, the families and the interns. The partnering organizations provide internships from September through early June in professional work environments with the goal of providing the adults with marketable, competitive and transferable skills that lead to employment.

Project SEARCH has had 80 percent of its graduates find community-based employment. The Project SEARCH program at St. Joseph's Hospital is one of many sites in Wisconsin. In the fall, there will be 27 sites in Wisconsin. Froedtert Health was the first to start a site for adults. The application process for the 2018-19 program is now open.

For more information about Easterseals and Project SEARCH, visit www.easterseals.com/wisconsin/our-programs/employment-training/project-search.html.

NEWSPAPERS IN EDUCATION



Kewaskum And Farmington Students Learn About Newspapers

This week, March 5-9, is Newspapers in Education Week. As a way to recognize the week, the Kewaskum Statesman has created a fun program.

In an effort to bring a greater knowledge of the newspaper itself to the students, the staff of the Kewaskum Statesman made arrangements to go into area fifth grade classrooms and give a presentation. The reason for these presentations is to teach the students about the purpose of a newspaper and the process of putting the paper together. Each student was given a newspaper to read and study.

Our staff also introduced our electronic edition of the paper to the students. We demonstrated the e-edition on the smart boards.

Sponsors of the NIE program were integrated into the presentation as well as appearing on our NIE pages. Participating classrooms have been given free access to the electronic e-edition (exact

digital replica of our printed paper) each week through May 31st.

Our goal in these presentations was to introduce both the editorial and advertising aspects of the newspaper, in a way the students could not only relate to but, hopefully, take an interest in as well.

The employees in each classroom explained the importance of newspapers and why we do what we do at the newspaper. We told the students what the body of a newspaper contains as far as editorial copy and explained both the need for advertising and what an ad should contain. We even had them talk about how they would create an ad for their school.

We were met with much enthusiasm — not only from the students, but the teachers as well — as we worked with the students to see their creativity in writing articles, taking and editing photos, creating crossword puzzle questions, ads and doing a scavenger hunt.

All of the articles and

student-made ads you see on these pages were created by the fifth grade students. The questions in the crossword puzzle were created by the students.

We would like to take this time to thank our volunteers for their overwhelming dedication. We went into five area schools, and they did an outstanding job in representing our newspaper. It took a lot of hard work and a great deal of juggling their regular jobs at the paper in order for them to make these presentations.

We would not have been able to do this without the support of the staff members who stayed behind and pitched in to cover for us. They worked just as hard to keep the paper running smoothly during our absence.

We would also like to thank the principals and teachers of each school for allowing us to take an hour out of their valuable curriculum time to work with their students.

Last, but certainly not least, we would like to thank the businesses who

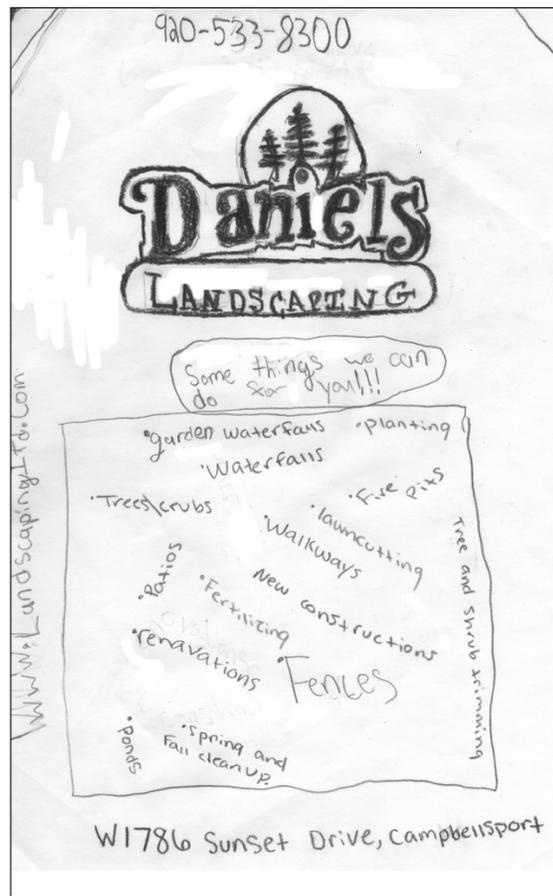
paid for advertising space, which can be found in this NIE section. Those businesses who participated are: American Metal & Paper, Daniel's Landscaping, Drexel Building Supply, Geidel's Piggly Wiggly, Goeden Auto Body, Herriges Oil, Inc., Kewaskum Statesman, Kohn's Filling Station, Mike's Automotive, and Schlaefer Optometrists. Please take the time to patronize your local businesses.

This was a total team effort from the businesses down to the students and a very rewarding experience for our staff.

We hope you will take the time to thoroughly read the editorial copy.

We really enjoyed working with the students on this project. They all had great ideas and were very hard workers. We appreciate their time and look forward to going back into the schools next year.

See you next year!



By Maxim, Jax, & Abigail, FES

Buck Attacks Home

By Tyler Kehres

One day I was taking pictures of birds in my backyard and the next thing I knew, a buck was rubbing his antlers on my neighbor's house. Then I heard a loud pop and I looked back and the buck had popped the siding off. I let it be until I heard glass break. I looked back, and the buck had gone through my neighbor's patio door and was in their house. Then I heard a loud crash from inside the

house, so I walked over to investigate.

I looked through what was left of the patio door and what I saw was amazing. The T.V. wasn't on the wall. The couch was in the kitchen. There were holes in the walls, the fridge was tipped over, the oven was on the counter, the dishwasher was in the wall, the dining table was in five pieces and the toilet was hanging from the ceiling, but the best part was the look on the faces of the people who lived there.

The Hermit On Stage

By Caleb Ogi

Flick went the lights. When the play started I was hiding backstage. While the director talked to the audience, telling them about our play, "The Beach Adventures," I was looking in the mirror getting my hermit crab costume on.

It was a red crab costume that had a little hat with dangling googly eyes. It was nice and fuzzy. I adjusted it to look good, then I put my pinchers on. They were all full of ridges like a real crab's pinchers. They were also red like the rest of the costume. I started to rehearse and I kept saying my lines over

again. I kept telling myself, "You can do it," but that didn't seem to help me. My confidence was dripping out drop by drop.

My turn was coming up. My legs were shaking, my stomach felt in knots, my confidence kept dripping out. I was getting really sweaty and I took off my glasses, and everything was a blur. I tried to keep pep talking myself, but it was not working. I felt like I was going to die.

I quickly asked my friend Xavier, "Are you a little scared?"

"Nope," he said. "Yeah, I'm not either," I mumbled. I asked all my friends that question. They all said no.

The staff said, "Hermit crabs, you're up."

At that moment I felt empty and my heart was pounding like thunder, my claws chattering like lightning. I tripped walking on stage. My glasses fell off. I quickly picked them up so no one would notice. I almost dropped them because I had claws instead of fingers. I wanted to go back, but it was too late. I was on stage.

I looked out at the hundreds of people staring at me. I walked across the stage, following my friends. They walked steadily while I was wobbling all over. I wanted to run away or pretend I was sick or make up some

excuse to leave, but it wouldn't work if I tried. Finally, it was our turn to sing.

I sang, "Hermit crabs, hermit crabs, they change shells, they crawl on beaches and they waddle and snap their claws."

All of us hermit crabs snapped our pinchers. I was super scared but then....

I looked out in the audience. I could see my parents cheering for me. Suddenly my legs stopped wobbling, my stomach stopped gurgling and I felt like the King Crab as I walked off the stage feeling all warm inside.

After that, my family and I went out for ice cream.

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25 Years Of Service

By Samuel Krahn

Beechwood is a small town in Wisconsin. It's located northeast of West Bend. The Beechwood community has its own baseball team, and even a considerably large fire department. Most of the people who are members of the Beechwood Fire Department are volunteers like my dad.

Here is some information about how the fire team started. The first fire department in Beechwood was built in 1905. That was 41 years after the Civil War. Eight years later, a terrible fire started in the house of Frederick and

Fredericka Hindz and burnt it to the ground in 1913. Two men named Jacob Horning and Arthur Koch helped to start the Department. Their first piece of equipment was a horse drawn, hand operated fire pump that they used to fight fires.

This fire department still exists today and is still used to protect the community. The men are volunteers, and some men recently received awards for being volunteers for 25 years. These volunteers received brand new fireman axes. On each axe is a painting of a fire truck in front of the Beechwood Fire Department.

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Holy Trinity Students Learn About States

By Maddie Marquardt, Mara Butschlick, Emily Melzer, David Zillmer

March 23 is going to be a very busy day for the Holy Trinity Catholic School students.

In the morning, the fifth-grade students will present their State Fair projects. The State Fair will take place in Holy Trinity School's gymnasium. The starting time is at 8 a.m. and the ending time will be at 10:30 a.m. During that time the fifth graders will present their projects.

For each project there will be food, a guessing jar and a game that will be relevant to that state. There will be a binder full of information about that state. The other students at Holy Trinity will attend the fair.

This experience will be a fun way to learn about different states.

In the afternoon the students will gather in the gymnasium. They will gather there because of the event called "March Madness."

In this event, students from fifth to eighth grade will join teams to play five-minute basketball games. Students in 5K through fourth grade will be able to attend the games. They will be cheering for all the teams.

At the end, the winning team will play the teachers' team. The teachers' team will be made up of teachers from Holy Trinity.

I will be a fun experience for all grades.

It will be a very busy day for Holy Trinity School.

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Kewaskum Statesman Visits KES Fifth Grade

By Emma Reimer

On January 31, 2018, Anne Trautner and Tracy Dieckman from the Kewaskum Statesman came to the KES fifth grade. They taught us all about how they make all the newspapers and all the ads. I really liked learning how they made

the articles and how much money it costs to make them.

As for myself, I love to write so I'm kind of looking forward to growing up so I can do something like this.

But anyway, I really loved them coming here and teaching us all about what they do.

Awake Choir

By Madison Legate

Kewaskum Elementary School always goes to Silver Lake College to the Awake Children's Choral Festival. It is a lot of fun.

We practice all day and then have a concert at 3 p.m.

"Well, I guess I like it and the songs are different than what I'm used to hearing, but I really have fun there," said Emma

Reimer.

"I think it's a great opportunity for kids to enhance their voices in song while still making friends and having fun," said Fritz Gerhartz.

In Awake, the choir sings songs such as "Shine on Me," "The Wind," "Grow Little Tree," "Sisi ni Moja" and "Our Gallant Ship."

Awake is a lot of fun and really cool.

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The Debate Of F.E.S.

By Rylie D'Amico

The Farmington Elementary School (or F.E.S.) fifth graders wrote letters to their principal, Mr. Flood, about the debate going around, whether to keep chocolate milk in schools. This debate has affected most schools in the U.S. Our proud principal of F.E.S. was wondering this also, so he had his fifth grade students write to him about their opinion. Then, the teachers, Mrs. Wenzlaff and Mrs. Timm, accepted this challenge and right away had their fifth graders write on this topic.

Many chose to keep chocolate milk because they prefer it. Students couldn't just write their opinions, they had to find factual evidence from a dependable site and write in their own words for the essay. They also had to write their opinion as they went along.

I don't know how you feel about chocolate milk, but what I do know is that teachers were very proud of their students, along with the proud principal, Mr. Flood. The students were also very proud of each other and themselves for completing this project and persuading the principal to keep chocolate milk, which the majority chose.

"But I was surprised personally that the principal wanted my opinion," said Rylie, the writer of the article and student of F.E.S.

This whole thing started because of a buzz going around the U.S. and the fifth grade F.E.S. students were dragged into it. Most importantly, they learned something new from this experience. Hopefully they like what they learned from this unit of argument and these essays are a good example for this type of writing.



By Adreanna, KES

Be A Friend And Help Save Animals

By Hailey Adams

To start my essay I would like to say I've seen too many dead animals recently. It's not right. I have some very important information that I would like to share with you about what I think is causing the deaths of so many innocent animals that have done no harm at all to anyone.

To start, I would like to show you a discovery that I have inspected that I assume is causing the death of animals. I think pollution is killing many of these animals. According to <https://www.worldwildlife.org/threats/pollution>, "Pollution may muddy landscapes, poison soils and waterways, or kill plants and animals. Humans are also regularly harmed by pollution. Long-term exposure to air pollution, for example, can lead to chronic respiratory disease, lung cancer and other diseases. Toxic chemicals that accumulate in top predators can make some species unsafe to

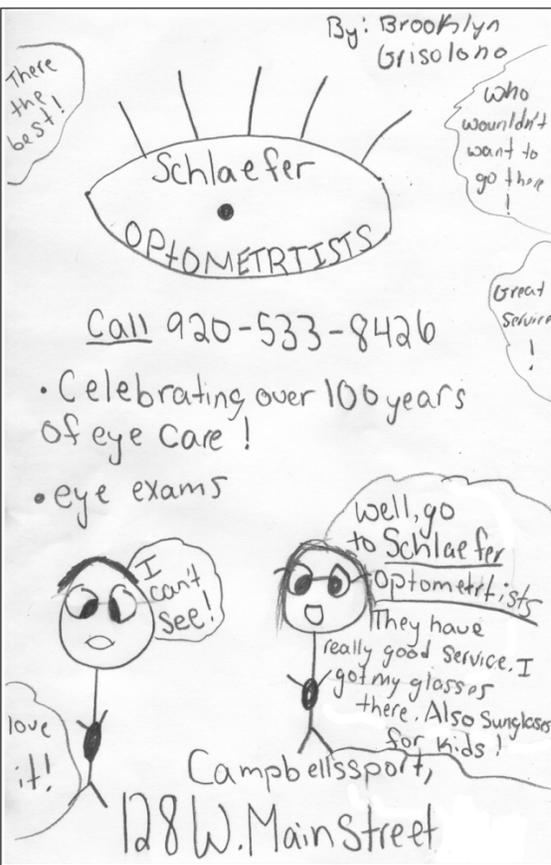
eat. More than one billion people lack access to clean water and 2.4 billion don't have adequate sanitation, putting them at risk of contracting deadly diseases."

Secondly, some animal deaths might be caused by poaching. Poaching is a horror movie to me because people hunt animals either out of season or they hunt animals they are not allowed to hunt. And when they purposely do this, people usually go for endangered animals. According to poaching.com, there are five reasons to care about poaching. When a species is being threatened with extinction, governments will often try to save them by putting them on protected land, making it illegal to hunt there. Unfortunately, there are criminals who still enter these guarded parks, poaching the animals to sell their parts on the black market. Often the poacher will take the parts they are after, like an elephant's tusk or tiger's coat, and leave the rest behind to rot.

Lastly, many animals have died because of animal abuse. Animal abuse can also be a horror movie to me as well. People sometimes beat their own pets until they can't walk and they leave them there to rot after they throw their last hard stone at them! According to stop.com, animal abuse is a serious topic that occurs every day, everywhere. Together people could change the world. Animal abuse is a major problem all around

the world that is causing millions of animals to get hurt and killed.

Overall, we should be kind to everyone even animals. They share this world with us. They should not just be pushed around like a thing. Animals still have a meaning in this world, and that's why they're here. Please be a friend and help save the animals. So overall, on top of everything, I am asking you to be kind to everything in this world, even the animals.



By Brooklyn Grisolono

Be Nice To Others

By Alexa Nowack

Be kind to others. The world needs nicer people. People who volunteer to help, people who help without thinking of a reward.

Right now there are two lost dogs in the area, and there is a reward if anyone finds them. I hope if people find the dogs, they don't accept the rewards. Think about how others feel. If I lost my dog, I would do

anything to get her back, so you should help, too.

Help anyone or anything. Donate to a charity or anything. Volunteer your time. Even if you don't get paid, in the end you made the world a better place. So help someone today or tomorrow. Any day, actually. The small things count, even things like picking up trash on the side of the road. Anything helps. Think about others.

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Inspiring Stories: Annie Edson Taylor

By Macy Sabish and Rebecca Blaha

Did you ever play truth or dare, and thought that the dare your friend gave you was totally crazy? Well, you wouldn't think it was that bad after you heard the remarkable story of Annie Edson Taylor.

Imagine you're a widowed 63-year-old woman in 1901 struggling with financial problems. Your current job is teaching. Like most, Taylor wanted to make herself a life of fame and fortune. How do you do that? Most people would think become an actress on Broadway...but not Annie. She decided that on October 24, her birthday, after years of scheming different plots, she would ride down the wild Niagara Falls in a barrel. With the help of two others, she strapped herself inside the barrel and plummeted down the falls.

What makes her journey so amazing? She actually survived! Talk about a daredevil. Of course, she had your usual cuts and bruises.

Though Taylor didn't get the money that she desired, she did inspire others to ride down Niagara Falls as well, and

isn't inspiration much better than wealth? Taylor inspired many people, including two men, one by the name of Jesse Sharp who rode down in a kayak in 1990, and another by the name of Robert Overcracker who jet skied down Niagara Falls in 1995.

But now it's illegal to go down Niagara Falls because, as you probably already know, it's life threatening. Why did we write this article, then, if not to inspire you to do what the great Annie Edson Taylor did? It's to show you that "it's only impossible until it is done." Just remember...allow people to inspire you, and, if not, inspire someone else. That can go a long way. How will you "ride down Niagara Falls?"

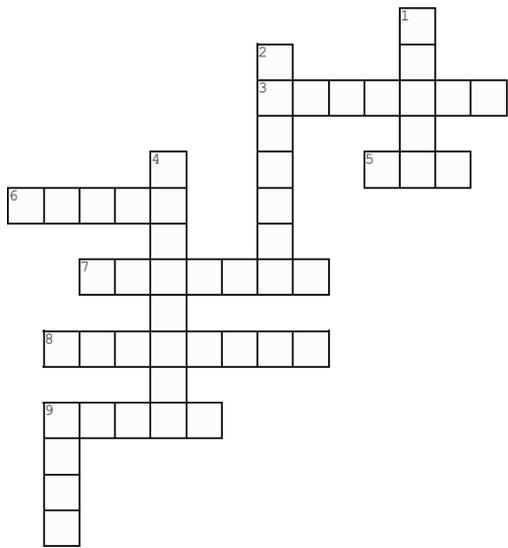
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9. What color is a shamrock?

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The following teams from the Kewaskum School District are advancing to compete at the state level: the "Banana Launchers" from Kewaskum Middle School; "KES Sporty Artistic Travelers" from Kewaskum Elementary School; "Technical Reality" from the i4L Community School; "Working Brainiacs" from Farmington Elementary School.

The following students from the Kewaskum School District have been taking part in DI:

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"Working Brainiacs" (manager Becky Shavlik): Renna Shavlik, Nadia Newman, Colby Neumann, Megan Knoeck and Hannah Thull.

Kewaskum Elementary School Teams

"KES Sporty Artistic Travelers" (manager Steph Krebs): Madison Legate, Cassidy Krupp and Anthony Krebs.

"KES Awesome Packer Stars" (manager Scot Krebs): Micah Schneider and Camden Legate

i4Learning Community School Teams

"10 Diamond Splits" (manager Rachel Maas): Owen Alles, Sydney

Bayer, Sadie Fonte, Jakob Maas, Joel Maas, Claire Pamperin, Katie Reichert, Tess Scherger, Evelyn Jungers and Gracelyn Beimborn.

"Technical Reality" (manager Nicole Scherger): Stella Scherger, Alex Bayer, Nick Paul, Peyton Theusch, Autumn Giese, Sarah Zemen and Daisy Schreiber.

"The Hazmoks Great Escape" (manager Nichole Karrels): Audrey Karrels, Milana Koenig, Annika Kreuser, Elijah Mays, Zachary Oelhafen, Daniel Zeman and Hannah Staffin.

Kewaskum Middle School Teams

"Banana Launchers" (manager Tina Knaus): Isaiah Knaus, Andrew Bolek, Josiah Tomich, Braden Shavlik and Samantha Staffin.

"The Bees Knees" (manager Sarah Moris): Logan Moris, Colin Duren, Ollie Beder, Addy Ganiere, Daniel Jungers and Calla Kreuser.



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Members of the i4Learning Community School team for the Rising Star Challenge "Friends Everywhere" was managed by Rachel Maas. This team is non-competitive as it is for grades 5K through second grade. Team members are Evie Jungers, Sadie Fonte, Sydney Bayer, Claire Pamperin, Tess Scherger, Owen Alles, Gracelyn Beimborn, Joel Maas, Katie Reichert and Jakob Maas.

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Taylor Cook

Taylor Cook is the daughter of Tina and Chad Cook. Throughout her years at Kewaskum High School, she has been an avid member of the basketball team, golf team, Noteables (all four years); Peers 4 Peers, Student Government (three years); Freshman Mentor program, Mock Trial and school musicals (two years). In her junior year, Taylor was inducted into the National Honor Society and was selected to represent her class on Prom Court, and as a senior was on the Homecoming Court repre-

senting girls golf. Taylor in the fall will attend the University of Wisconsin-Madison to pursue a degree in biomedical engineering.



Brandi Geldnich

Brandi Geldnich is the daughter of Judy and Dave Geldnich. At Kewaskum High School, she has been a member of the tennis team (four years); Noteables, soccer team (three years) and KEY Club (two years). In her senior year, Brandi was inducted into the National Honor Society, and she represented the girls tennis team on the Homecoming Court. After graduation, Brandi will attend the University of Washington County. She is undecided on her major.



Members of the Kewaskum Boys and Girls Club take part in a team building challenge. These girls worked together to build their dream home.

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Kewaskum Native Named Shareholder At Engineering Firm

To continue a trend of growth and innovation, long-time mechanical/electrical engineering firm Michaud Cooley Erickson (MCE) has announced the appointment of five new shareholders, including Kewaskum native Jason Petermann.

As a principal at Michaud Cooley Erickson, Petermann is passionate about guiding the firm to provide the best mechanical and electrical design services possible. As a mechanical engineer, he understands the critical role of preparing outstand-

ing technical documentation regardless of the building type. He excels at building strong relationships with clients and enjoys solving complex engineering challenges while maintaining the project budget and schedule.

Established in 1946, MCE is one of Minnesota's oldest and largest mechanical/electrical engineering firms. It grew revenue by more than 14 percent in 2017 and currently employs 130 professionals in Minnesota. Its many high-profile projects include the



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Bioscience Building, the first development of the Discovery Square district of Destination Medical Center in Rochester, MN; many projects as the engineering firm of record at

Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport; and the new Bell Museum of Natural History at the University of Minnesota, among others.

Joining Petermann on the shareholder team are longtime employees Eric Stelmack, Kerry Cooley Bruggemann, Jeff Clark, Greg Trende and new president Doug Cooley. Former president Dean Rafferty has retired after 43 years with the firm.

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The Kewaskum High School Chess Team participated in the tournament at Brookfield Academy on February 3. Nathaniel Galleske was chosen by the conference coaches at Team Coach Choice for his commitment to the game of chess. Luke Moris was selected for Second Team All-Conference. Brandon Sielski received the Conference Coach's Choice for his commitment to the improvement of his team. The team will be moving on to the State Tournament at UW-Oshkosh March 17-18.

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Continued From...

New West Bend Health Center To Replace Current Facility

– Plans For New Building Reflect Commitment To Meet Washington County's Health Care Needs

The new, three-story 100,000-square-foot facility will be anchored by primary care physicians and other care providers in family medicine and internal medicine, offering extended primary care hours including early mornings, evenings, weekends and same-day appointments.

It will also provide space for many new services, including urgent care, occupational medicine, pain management, and an Orthopaedic Sports and Spine Center, including OrthoNow (a walk-in orthopaedic clinic for recent injuries, with ability to see an orthopaedic specialist immediately). A pharmacy with drive-through service also will be added. Rehabilitation and sports medicine services, currently offered at several local sites, will be expanded and centralized at the West Bend Health Center campus.

Other services at the new West Bend Health Center will include endocrinology, dermatology, ophthalmology and pediatrics, and a retail optical shop. On-site lab and medical imaging serv-

ices, including screening mammography, ultrasound, X-ray and CT, will also be available.

As part of the Froedtert & MCW health network's overall goal to provide cost-effective care in the most appropriate setting, Schreiber said dermatology and pediatric services will be relocated from the St. Joseph's Health Center to the new building. In addition, gastroenterology, ENT/audiology, nephrology, neurology and rheumatology services will move from the current West Bend Health Center to St. Joseph's Health Center. The West Bend Surgery Center will move to a newly constructed ambulatory surgery center at St. Joseph's Hospital.

"This investment in the West Bend Health Center campus underscores our long-term commitment to the health and quality of life of the people of West Bend and Washington County, and supports our philosophy of providing the right care in the right place at the right time," Schreiber said.

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network is a partnership between Froedtert Health and the Medical College of Wisconsin supporting a shared mission of patient care, innovation, medical research and education. Our health network operates eastern Wisconsin's only academic medical center and adult Level I Trauma Center at Froedtert Hospital, Milwaukee, an internationally recognized training and research center engaged in thousands of clinical trials and studies. The Froedtert & MCW health network, which includes five hospitals, one of which is a nationally ranked academic medical center, more than 1,600 physicians and nearly 40 health centers and clinics, draws patients from throughout the Midwest and the nation. In the most recent fiscal year, outpatient visits exceeded 1.1 million, inpatient admissions to our hospitals were 49,250 and visits to our network physicians totaled 932,000. For more information, visit froedtert.com.



State To Hold Public Hearings Regarding Fall Waterfowl Hunting

Public hearings regarding Wisconsin's proposed 2018 waterfowl season structure will be held March 12-15. After public comments have been collected, final season structure will be set by the Natural Resources Board at its April 11 meeting in Madison.

"The 2018 waterfowl seasons will be based on the 2017 continental waterfowl population estimates which were at near record estimates since USFWS surveys began 62 years ago. With average to above average precipitation last fall and this winter in Wisconsin, we expect populations to remain high in 2018 and if we have favorable conditions this fall, hunters can

expect good waterfowl hunting opportunities," said DNR migratory game bird ecologist Taylor Finger.

Public hearings will be held at the following locations starting at 7 p.m.:

- Monday, March 12, 7 p.m., La Crosse - State Office Building, Rooms B-19 and B-20, 3550 Mormon Coulee Road.

- Tuesday March 13, 7 p.m., Rice Lake - AmeriVu Inn, 1710 South Main St.

- Wednesday March 14, 7 p.m., Appleton - Agricultural Services Center, Main conference room, 3369 West Brewster St.

- Thursday March 15, 7 p.m., Pewaukee - Wildwood Lodge, N14 W24121 Tower Place.

The department will accept public comments on the proposed waterfowl season structure at each public hearing. For anyone who would like to provide input directly or who is unable to attend a hearing, comments will be accepted through midnight Friday, March 16. Written comments can be sent to Trenton Rohrer, Wisconsin DNR, P.O. Box 7921, Madison, WI 53707, via email to Trenton.Rohrer@wisconsin.gov or by calling 608-261-6458.

To view and provide input on the 2018 waterfowl season options online, search the DNR website, dnr.wi.gov, for keyword "waterfowl."

DNR Announces Updated CWD Response Plan

Increased surveillance, increased sampling, carcass movement restrictions and local community involvement are just some of the goals outlined in the recently updated Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources CWD Response Plan.

The updated plan, the result of a collaborative effort between DNR, Wisconsin Department of Agriculture Trade and Consumer Protection, the Wisconsin Conservation Congress and key stakeholders, will be the guide for CWD response and management over the next five years. Implementation of the plan as part of Gov. Scott Walker's Chronic Wasting Disease Initiative has already begun.

Among the key points in the plan is the work of County Deer Advisory Councils and local communities. The citizen based CDACs set the deer population goals for their counties, which is an important factor in those counties where CWD has been detected.

"We can't emphasize enough the importance of the work carried out by the County Deer Advisory Councils, hunters and citizens," said DNR Secretary Dan Meyer. "They know more about the deer herd in their counties than anyone and their contribution is a valuable tool in addressing CWD."

When a detection is found in a new area, DNR in collaboration with the CDAC and local landowners will launch a rapid response Citizen Advisory Team to determine the extent of CWD, share the information widely, and collectively determine the appropriate response.

Team members will host citizen-based informational meetings in several locations in the county. They will go "door-to-door," visiting landowners within a two-mile radius of the positive detection to help develop and promote voluntary landowner surveillance testing permits, encourage the reporting of "sick deer" at the local level, and educate landowners on the current feeding and baiting regulations.

This approach was first used after the 2011 CWD discovery in Washburn County where there hasn't been a positive CWD detection since. The same idea is now being deployed in Lincoln County where the first case of CWD was announced in January.

Hunters play a vital role in tracking and managing the disease. The updated plan calls for making more CWD sampling opportunities available to hunters through sampling kiosks around the state and making more hunters aware of self-sampling testing kits. The department will con-

tinue to encourage hunters to get their harvested deer tested not only for their own piece of mind but to help us track the disease.

Realizing that deer carcass movement around the state and carcass disposal practices may play a role in the spread of CWD, there will be increased efforts to make hunters aware of the risks of moving carcasses from CWD positive counties to other counties where CWD has not been reported. Proper carcass disposal will also be stressed. New information on proper disposal can be found on the DNR website, dnr.wi.gov, by searching for "deer carcass disposal sites."

DATCP, which has authority over deer farms, is working closely with stakeholders to address biosecurity measures through rule language that will result in enhanced fencing requirements at game farms where a CWD positive has been found.

There is no single solution to eradicating CWD but it will take a collaborative effort of state agencies, Conservation Congress, CDACs, hunters and the public to better manage it.

Find out more about this updated CWD Response plan by going to the DNR website, dnr.wi.gov, and search keywords "CWD Response Plan."

Fiscal Facts: Why Wisconsin's Property Taxes Are Higher Than Many States

Wisconsin's relatively high residential property taxes are driven by a variety of factors, including: greater reliance on local service delivery here compared to elsewhere; more units of government using the property tax; few local revenue options other than the property tax; and the state's constitutional "uniformity clause," which requires all properties to be taxed at the same rate.

As the primary revenue source for local governments, property taxes are related to the public expenditures they fund. Wisconsin has a long history of providing most public services locally. In 1960, 74 percent of state-local spending here was done at the local level, the

second highest percentage nationally. Although that percentage has declined, about 53 percent of Wisconsin state-local spending was done locally.

Despite providing most public services, local governments have few revenue options available other than the property tax. The impact is clear when local revenues are compared to other states. In 2015, Wisconsin local governments collected \$126 per capita in taxes other than the property tax; only 12 states collected less. Nationally, these other local taxes averaged \$575 per capita; the median was \$458 per resident.

Additionally, Wisconsin has "more fingers in the

property-tax pie." In Wisconsin, K-12 schools and technical colleges, municipalities, counties, and special districts all use the property tax. Many states have fewer draws on the property tax.

Finally, Wisconsin's constitutional uniformity clause requires all property to be taxed at the same rate. Many other states tax residential property less than commercial or industrial property, resulting in lower property taxes on primary residences.

This information is a service of the Wisconsin Policy Forum, the state's leading resource for non-partisan state and local government research and civic education.

Learn To Understand And Respond To Dementia-Related Behavior

The Alzheimer's Association will host a presentation called "Understanding and Responding to Dementia-Related Behavior" on Wednesday, March 28, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the Washington County Public Agency Center, 333 E. Washington St. in West Bend.

Behavior is a powerful form of communication and is one of the primary ways for people with dementia to communicate their needs and feelings as the ability to use language is lost. However,

some behaviors can present real challenges for caregivers to manage. This two hour presentation teaches family caregivers to decode behavioral triggers and learn strategies to help intervene with some of the most common behavioral challenges of Alzheimer's disease.

The program is free of charge. Registration is required. To register please call 800-272-3900 or email Sarah Prohuska at sprohuska@alz.org.

The Alzheimer's Association is the leading voluntary health organiza-

tion in Alzheimer's care, support and research whose mission is to eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health. For more information about Alzheimer's disease or local services visit www.alz.org/sewi or call the Alzheimer's Association 24/7 Helpline at 800-272-3900.

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6. Styling goo
9. Hightailed it
13. Ten million, in India
14. "___ takers?"
15. Like a girl
16. Spanish small plates
17. School of thought suffix
18. Pay hike
19. *Oscar nominated meet-the-parents thriller
21. *He played Getty
23. Right-angle building extension
24. Splints site
25. Mammoth site, e.g.
28. Write on a tombstone
30. Self-centeredness
35. Land measure
37. Crucifix
39. "Sesame Street" regular
40. *In 1992 De Niro was nominated for "Cape ___"
41. *Best category
43. Tiresias in "Oedipus Rex"
44. Desert mirage
46. S-shaped molding
47. Dionysus' party
48. "___ the unexpected"
50. Celestial bear
52. Rolodex abbr.
53. Purple precipitation
55. Before, old English
57. *Evacuation location
61. *Olympic hopeful's story
64. Deprive of weapons
65. *Sarandon was nominated for "Lorenzo's ___" in 1993
67. Unfit
69. Like anchor aweigh
70. Zilch
71. *Cathy Bates' or Louise Fletcher's role
72. Google ___
73. Bro's sibling
74. Had supper

DOWN

1. *Do this and hope for an Oscar?
2. Toot one's horn
3. *18-time Oscar host
4. Speak from a podium
5. Fix a shoe
6. Manner of walk
7. Ensign, for short
8. Bodily fluid
9. Thailand, once
10. "___ and proper"
11. Additional
12. Indigo user
15. Nirvana genre
20. Extremist
22. Bald-faced ___
24. "I call passenger seat!"
25. ***The Florida Project" nominee
26. Mountaineer's tool
27. Comprehend
29. *Best Animated Feature and Best Original Song nominee
31. Guesstimate phrase
32. Apathetic
33. Lay ___ to a castle
34. *21-time nominee
36. Albany-Buffalo canal
38. Opposite of talker?
42. Button on electrical outlet
45. Economize
49. Feather glue
51. Ray Charles' "Mess ___"
54. Paintings in an Orthodox church
56. Boredom
57. Two of the same
58. "Do ___ others..."
59. Narcotics agent
60. "Me and Bobby McGee" singer-songwriter
61. Ailments
62. Spinner's product
63. Altar location
66. *J. Paul Getty's grandson
68. Ideas worth spreading, acr.

State Point Media Crossword

Ideas For Parents: Easy Things To Help Your Child Succeed – Family Boundaries

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

Family Boundaries
Youth are more likely to grow up healthy when families have clear rules and consequences, and monitor young people's whereabouts.

Time Together - Three Ways To Set Boundaries With Your Child

1. Observe the boundaries of other families. Discuss what's appropriate and what's not for your family and why.
2. Post your family boundaries on the refrigerator. Have only five or six. Make sure they are concise and clear; and apply to everyone-not just kids.
3. Meet monthly to discuss boundaries. Are they fair? Do they still fit? Do

they reflect the values and principals you have? Adjust them if you need to.

Helpful Hints

- Make boundaries positive, simple and within reason.
- Adjust boundaries as your child becomes older.
- Help children understand that some rules change as brothers and sisters reach different ages.
- Let your child earn more freedoms as he or she shows more responsibility.

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1 cup Irish stout beer (such as Guinness®)

1/2 cup salsa

2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce

1 teaspoon chili powder

1/2 teaspoon onion powder

1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper (optional)



DIRECTIONS

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The Downtowners

Knights Of Columbus Charity Fund - St. Patrick's Day Dance on March 11

The Knights of Columbus Charity Fund of Fond du Lac is hosting the St. Patrick's Day Dance on Sunday, March 11, from 1 to 5 p.m. with The Downtowners. The dance is sponsored by Dinner Bell Farms, Ottery Transportation Inc. of Eden and Heartfelt Flowers and Gift Shop of Lomira and is supported by Karr-Bach Builders. The Knights of Columbus Hall is located at 795 Fond du Lac Avenue, Fond du Lac. It has a great atmosphere with food and beverages available (no carry-ins allowed). It is handicap accessible.

The Downtowners from Fond du Lac is a five-piece

band, specializing in a wide variety of musical styles: polkas, waltzes, foxtrots and more.

The band is led by Bob Shirek. His career in music began at age 13 when his parents signed him up for accordion lessons. During his high school years, he organized his first polka band, The Band-its.

In 1980, he formed The Downtowners. Over the years, the band has kept variety in the music while keeping the dancers on the floor. The band always reads the crowd and plays the tunes that fill the dance floor.

For your special event, picnics, weddings, etc.,

please contact Bob or Janie at 920-921-1167 or 920-979-2233 or contact them at thedowntowners@aol.com to get more information for their schedule and recordings.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Donna Gudex-Kamrath at 920-960-5318.

The complete schedule of Fond du Lac polka dances are Sunday, March 25 - Don Peachey Band - Easter Dance at American Legion; April 15 - Mark Jirikovec - Spring Dance at Knights of Columbus Hall and April 29 - Musical Brass - Earth Day Dance at American Legion.

The Mayville Lions Club Hosting The Hauser Hotshots On March 10

The Mayville Lions Club is hosting a St. Patrick's Day Dance with the Hauser Hotshots being sponsored by Don Ramon Mexican Restaurant. The dance is held at Mayville Park Pavilion, which is handicap accessible, on Saturday, March 10, from 1 to 5 p.m. with food and beverages available (no carry-ins allowed). People from throughout the Midwest enjoy the great hard maple floor for their dancing pleasure.

About The Band

The Hauser's Hotshots is a very high energy band from New London. The band's beat gets the people dancing and tapping their feet.

Once they play for an event they are always booked again because they are a hard-working fun band to have for any event.

The Hauser Hotshots Band is well attended due to being a great crowd pleaser. Like Gary says, "When we are playing it's the best day of the week."

They play for weddings, picnics, polka festivals or any time you want to have a great time.

Call Gary Hauser at 715-752-4727 to book your special event or CDs.

Mark your calendar for the next upcoming dance at the pavilion on March 24, which is Gary & The Ridgeland Dutchmen.

Contact Donna Gudex-Kamrath with questions about this and any upcoming Lions Club dances at 920-960-5318.

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One Win, One Place Short Of His Goal

By Judy Harlow

The curtain came down recently on the career of former Kewaskum High wrestler Brett Scoles.

Scoles, who is currently the winningest wrestler in KHS' history and a senior at UW-Parkside, finished fifth at 165 pounds in the NCAA II Super regional at Findlay, Ohio, February 23-24. He needed to finish fourth or better to advance to the upcoming NCAA II Championships in Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Scoles opened the tournament with a bye, and then defeated Alonzo Turner of the host Findley team by a score of 2-0 to move into the semifinals.

The match was fairly close, but Scoles eventually ended up falling 8-5, sending him into the wrestleback bracket where he was pinned by Greg Hillard of Belmont Abbey in 3:16.

"He was winning the match the entire time and made a mistake and got pinned," Parkside coach Corey VanGroll said.

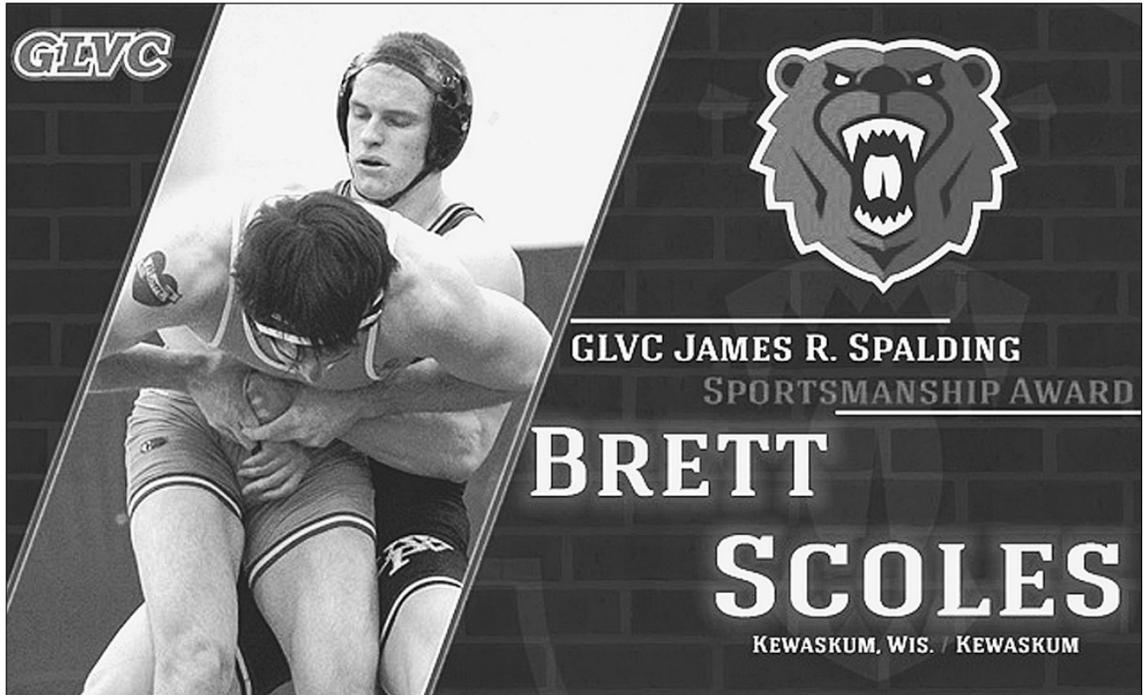
While Scoles bounced back with an 8-1 in his next match against Andrew Sams of Bellarmine University of Kentucky, he did not get another match because he had already lost to Hillard.

"It was really heart-breaking for our entire program because we all know how hard he (Scoles) works, and how good he really is," VanGroll said.

Scoles did receive a special award recently, the Great Lakes Valley Conference's James R. Spaulding Sportsmanship Award, and VanGroll said it was very fitting he was selected for the honor.

Scoles was slowed this season by a knee injury which required surgery in the fall. He returned to action just before Christmas and finished the season at 10-7. For his career, he was 43-37.

Scoles intends to graduate from Parkside this spring and then continue his education toward an advanced degree in physical therapy.



Brett Scoles of Kewaskum, who wrestles for the University of Wisconsin-Parkside, recently earned a Sportsmanship Award from the Great Lakes Valley Conference.

photo submitted

UW-WC Men's Basketball Team Wins State Championship

– First Championship In Campus' 50-Year History

UW - Washington County's men's basketball team made school history by winning the Wisconsin Collegiate Conference State Championship on Sunday, Feb. 25. The Wildcats went into the tournament (held at Wisconsin Dells), with a Number One ranking and an undefeated Eastern Division record of 16 - 0.

In the semifinal match on Saturday, the team played UW-Baraboo, winning 91 - 79 and advancing to the final match on Sunday against UW-Sheboygan. The final game remained close until half way through the second half when the Wildcats pulled away winning 78 - 57.

According to head coach Steve Murphy, "The Wildcats were up against a high-powered team from UW-Baraboo featuring a pair of first-team all-conference players, including the Western Division Player of the Year. Despite missing all 15 of their three-point attempts, the Wildcats were able to penetrate both the zone and man-to-man defenses of UW-Baraboo for baskets and fouls. The switching up of their two full court zone presses created enough turnovers to result in some critical transition points that turned the

game in Washington's favor."

For the championship game, UW-Sheboygan took an early lead. Instead of falling far behind, however, as they did in previous games, the Wildcats kept the early deficit closer this time and occasionally surged ahead. The first game-changer came in the closing possessions of the first half. Responding to a UW-Sheboygan three-pointer to tie the score at 27 all, J. Braxton Thomas drilled a three pointer. Next, the Wildcats added another basket to take a 32-27 lead into the locker room at half time. The Wildcats raised the lead to over 10 points in the first few minutes of the second half, then bumped the lead to 20 points shortly after the eight-minute mark to play in the contest.

According to Murphy, "The Wildcats knew they were "no match for UW-Sheboygan's superior size, with the three talented 6-8, 6-8 and 6-9 post players. Their strategy was to outnumber the guards, pressing four on three. Generally, a three-quarters court zone pressing team, UW-WC came out of the locker room running a high-pressure man-to-man full court scramble defense that they had



The University of Wisconsin-Washington County won the state championship. Team members include: (front row, from left) Assistant Coach Art Gerhardt, AJ Barnes, Adrian Huerta, Derrick Chaney, Ahmad Pender Jr., J. Braxton Thomas and Trenton Walstra; (second row) David Wiley Jr., Mitchell Behm, Koy Walsh, Sam Krause, Ross Riegleman and Tariq Frett; and (back row) Assistant Coach Hayden Steinhardt, Manager Ben Brown, Head Coach Steve Murphy and Assistant Coach Jacob Steger.

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developed during the week of practice leading up to the game. The result was that it helped create 15 turnovers in the second half of the championship game. Unlike the previous day, three-pointers were falling for the Wildcats as they went 6-13 for 46 percent from distance."

For more information about the athletic programs at UW-Washington

County, contact Deb Butschlick, athletic director, at 262-335-5238 or email debbie.butschlick@uwc.edu UW-Washington County is located at 400 S. University Drive in West Bend. Visit the website, Washington.uwc.edu for more complete information or phone the Student Solution Center at 262-335-5201.

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About 70 friends and family came to support members of the seventh and eighth grade Kewaskum Tribe boys teams play at the Bradley Center. The group then stayed for the Bucks-Pacers game on March 2. Coaches Joel Fleischman and Chad Cook set up the event.



Members of the seventh grade and eighth grade Kewaskum Tribe Tournament boys teams scrimmage against each other on the Milwaukee Bucks Court in front of the crowd 30 minutes prior to tip-off of the Bucks-Pacers game on Friday, March 2.

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A crowd gathers at Sunburst for a Harley-Davidson Snow Hill Climb exhibition on Saturday, March 3.

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Jim Westphal, '76 Basketball Players Recall Their Dream Season

By Judy Harlow

Just before the Ice Storm made history in Washington County during the winter of 1976, a group of 16 junior and senior basketball players made headlines of their own at Kewaskum High School, winning the Scenic Moraine Conference title, wrapping up a sweep of the conference's two major sports, football and basketball.

Leading the Indians to the top spot on the SM ladder was a young and enthusiastic coach from Jefferson, who was as passionate about coaching as he was about teaching high school English.

The dapper Jim Westphal had just one year of varsity coaching under his belt, but he knew these players very well after having coached them as JVs two years previous. Team members included: seniors — Jim Bilgo, Jack Kern, Tom Rohlinger, Scott Tessar, Dennis Bremser, Tom Edwards and Mark Smucker; juniors — Paul Brenholt, Kevin Darmody, Ray Reindl, Dale Reigle, Rick Dreher, Paul Lehnerz, Dave Schmidt, Leon Laatsch and Tom Ryan.

There were a couple close calls in the beginning of the season, including a 75-72 non-conference victory over Plymouth. Once they got to the SM games, however, the Indians reeled off eight wins in a row before losing to Grafton, then won their last four of five, ending with a 61-53 effort over Germantown to claim the solo title.

"They had a fantastic year when they were JVs. We only lost one game," Westphal, who came to Kewaskum in 1969 and actually coached JV wrestling before getting into the basketball program, said. He recalls how

the JVs would scrimmage the varsity each Thursday, and, "They (JVs) would give the varsity all they could handle."



Dennis Bremser shoots for two points for the 1976 Kewaskum High School boys basketball team.

photo submitted

Westphal was surprised when he got the varsity job the following year. "(Head coach Mike) Williams resigned late in the summer," to take a job in administration in another district, he said. The timing was perfect for a smooth transition with Westphal moving up.

The first season he had seniors Mike Koepke, Randy Koepke, Scott Koth and Don Gruber (who had the game-winning basket against West Bend East that year) among others, and, "They didn't take kindly to sharing playing time." So the juniors practiced hard, listened and watched carefully, waiting for their chance to shine, and shine they did.

Westphal said Bilgo was, "a perfect point guard," knowing where to put the ball at all times," adding once Kern got

inside, "There was no stopping him," and Tessar was, "as good as gold" with his outside shooting.

There were big games against Mayville, Germantown and Grafton in the run for the title, but Westphal enjoyed the victory over New Holstein before a sold-out crowd in the second game of the tournaments. The Huskies had won the Eastern Wisconsin Conference championship that season, even defeating two-time state champion, Sheboygan Falls.

The ice storm postponed the regional final against Falls, and Westphal remembers talking with Kern and asking him if he rested the day there was no school, to which Kern replied his family had no power so he spent the day hauling 55-gallon water tanks to the barn for the cows. So much for resting.

"It was a great year," Kern, now a professor of education at the University of Arkansas, said via a phone interview recently, recalling how the seniors in the group followed another good basketball class so they didn't get to play much as juniors.

"They were good players," Kern said about the '75 team, but, "We got our chance as seniors. It all worked out."

Concerning his favorite games, Kern pointed to the double overtime win over Kettle Moraine. During one of the timeouts, he looked out at the crowd and noticed, "There were about 100 people standing" as the stands were filled.

Mayville was a big rival of Kewaskum in those days, which led Kern to say, "To beat Mayville at home was quite an accomplishment."

Kern was amazed at how the team's success brought the community together. "The support from the community was amazing. People I hardly



Coach Jim Westphal gives advice to Kewaskum high school's boys basketball team in 1976.

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knew were congratulating me after the games," he said.

"We had some good ball handlers ... good defenders and a good front line," Kern said, adding what hurt the team near the end of the season were the injuries to Edwards and Bilgo. "Had we had everybody, we would have had a better chance in the playoffs," he said.

Kern said he taught and coached in a public school, then went back to get additional degrees to teach at the college level. "It turned out pretty well for me," he said.

Forty-two years ago, they were on the court together, and today Rohlinger and Tessar are next door neighbors in Kewaskum. Both fondly recall the championship, especially how unselfish the players were that year.

A couple years ago, Westphal gave the scorebook to Rohlinger, who revisited the season and found, "There were a couple games when we blew people out," but also, "We had a lot of close games."

When asked if it helped to have Westphal as a JV coach when they were sophomores, Rohlinger said, "Oh no doubt, that helped at lot," but he also said, coach Walt Bade, who came out of retirement to coach them as freshmen, "had a lot to do with it, too. He's the one who kept telling us, there's

no I in the word team. He helped us tremendously."

Another team strength was the fact, "Everybody had their roles" and carried them out. "We had the big guys that did all the scoring," Rohlinger went on, pointing out how Edwards was a big help when he was healthy. "He had a nice jump shot."

Concerning any games that stick out in his mind, Rohlinger pointed to the games against Germantown. "We beat them twice," he said, and playing Pewaukee is another fond memory. "After the first quarter, we were up 27-0. They did not score," he said. KHS rolled to a 74-54 victory in that game.

To reach 27, Tessar scored eight points, while Rohlinger had seven, Laatsch six and Kern and

and had two others with four, while the Cardinals were camped at the free throw line.

The February 27 edition of the Statesman indicates another situation from the Mayville game involved the number on Dave Menzel's jersey. By mistake, it was listed wrong in the scorebook for the night, so the Indians were hit with a technical foul, which turned into three points for Mayville.

The season-ending loss is another Rohlinger thinks about. "That was one game that got out of control."

The past four years, Kern has made it a point to come back to Wisconsin for the Fourth of July, and several of the players have a cookout at Rohlinger's house. Basketball is usually a favorite topic.

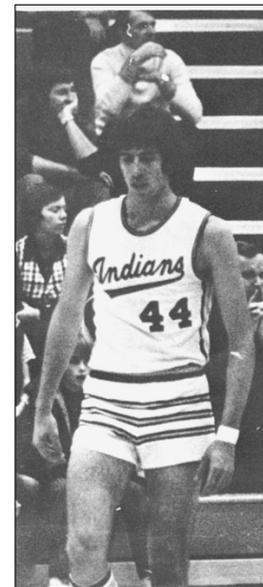
Tessar was the Indians' outside threat during the dream season. He would have probably had another 50 points if there would have been a three-point line. Still, he was just happy to be on a successful team.

"The thing that made our team unique was a lot of the kids grew up together, hung out together ... We played together all four years. Nowadays you don't see that as much," Tessar said, pointing to the fact it was rare then to move sophomores up to the varsity in the 70s.

Concerning Tessar's favorite games, he quickly replied, "The first conference game and the last conference game, referring to respective wins over Pewaukee and Germantown."

After taking the 27-zip lead over Pewaukee, Tessar recalls coming back to the team huddle and one of the players saying jokingly, "Let's shut these guys out. Everybody broke out laughing."

It wasn't so much the play in the game against Germantown that Tessar remembers, but the atmosphere the Indians played in that night. Tessar recalls looking around and seeing all the fans that turned out. "It was standing-room only," he said. "It's something I probably won't forget either."



Leon Laatsch plays for the Kewaskum High School varsity basketball team in 1976.

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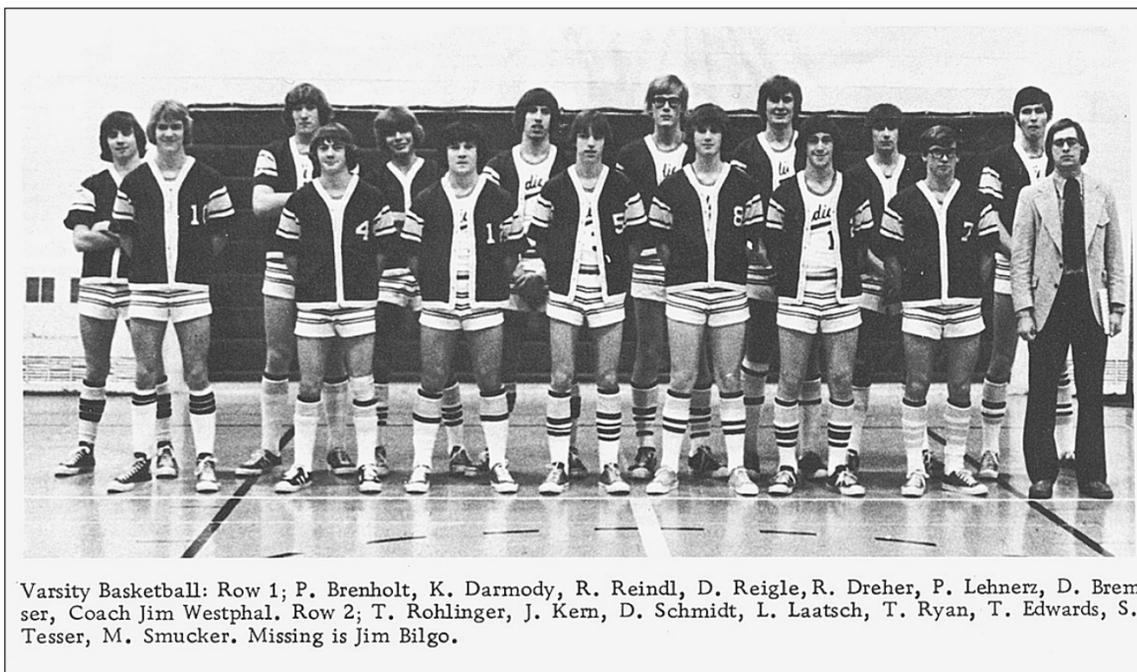
Bremser four and two, respectively.

"Jack took over in the third quarter with 15 points ... He ended up with 23," Rohlinger said.

"In that game, all the reserves got in," Rohlinger said, noting the scorebook did not have room for all 17 players, so a couple names were on the bottom where the totals were listed.

Then there was the one-point loss to Mayville which still draws ire because of the all the fouls called on the Indians, who lost two players to fouls

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Varsity Basketball: Row 1; P. Brenholt, K. Darmody, R. Reindl, D. Reigle, R. Dreher, P. Lehnerz, D. Bremser, Coach Jim Westphal. Row 2; T. Rohlinger, J. Kern, D. Schmidt, L. Laatsch, T. Ryan, T. Edwards, S. Tessar, M. Smucker. Missing is Jim Bilgo.

Kewaskum High School's varsity basketball team is pictured in the 1976 Chieftain yearbook.

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Continued From... Jim Westphal, '76 Basketball Players Recall Their Dream Season

On the subject of scoring, Tessar said, "I actually think every starter had at least one game when they were the leading scorer."

There were also the injuries the team had to deal with – Edwards' broken foot and Bilgo's sprained ankle – especially in the sectional game against Sheboygan Falls. "We didn't have Tom at all, and Jim did play but he was limited," Tessar said. "Sometimes I wonder if everyone had been healthy what we could have actually done."

Bilgo, currently the manager of Environmental Health and Safety at the Kohler Company, remembers how a pre-season writeup in the newspaper proclaimed him and Edwards as the players that were going to carry the team. "Then we got injured he said," indicating Kern and Tessar really stepped up their games, which was instrumental in the team's success.

"Jack was maybe going to be the number three guy, and he ended up being all-conference," Bilgo went on, indicating it was lucky the lineup was "deep enough and had enough good players to win the conference."

As far as games that stand out, Bilgo said, "I think we all remember the loss to Sheboygan Falls. That was a tough one," he said, noting in his adult life he has become friends with one of the Falcon starts, who has admitted to him, "We were unconscious that night."

Bilgo remembers his bad ankle and the possibility he wasn't even going to play. "I wasn't even going to take my uniform," he said, but his dad said to take it along just in case. He remembered two of the football coaches, Joe Harlow and Fran Charland, icing his ankle, then wrapping it very tight, "And somehow I played."

This was Kewaskum's last championship team in boys basketball. These players lived it and loved it, still today.

Writer's note: Three members of the '76 team have passed away. Reindl, a star halfback on the football team, died of cancer several years after high school, the reserve Smucker, who wrote a book about Kewaskum, was killed in a car accident while Edwards was a victim of cancer.

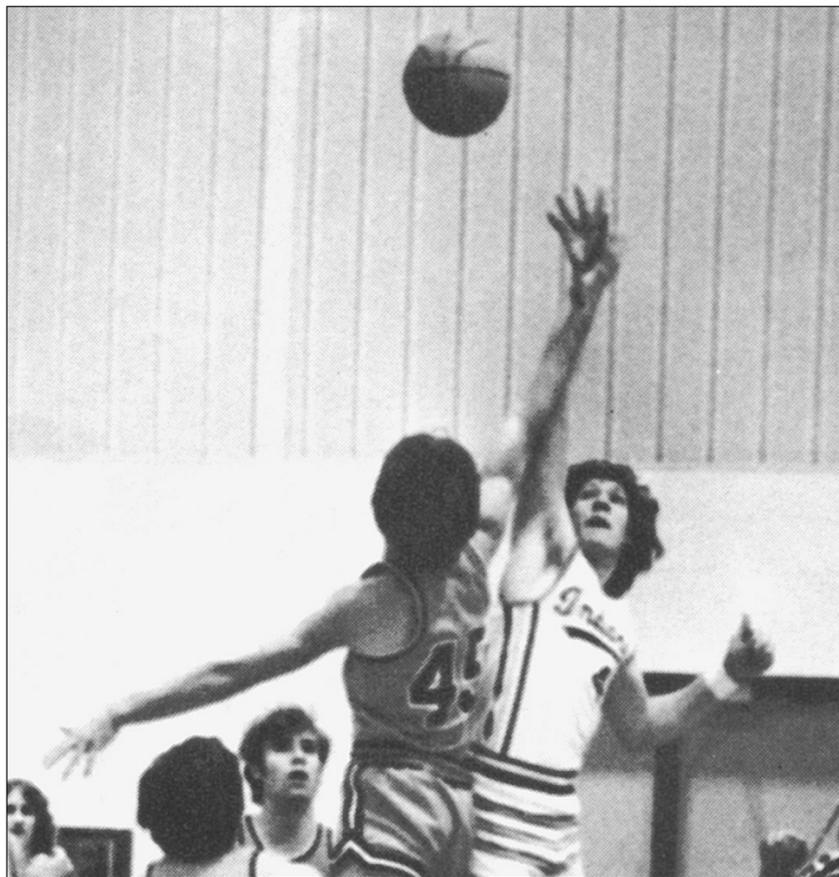
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W, Kewaskum 63, Mayville 52
W, Kewaskum 66, Germantown 64
W, Kewaskum 71, Pewaukee 57
L, Grafton 67, Kewaskum 57
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W, Kewaskum 67, Slinger 61
W, Kewaskum 89, Kettle Moraine 65
L Mayville 55, Kewaskum 54
W, Kewaskum 61, Germantown 53

Tournament
W, Kewaskum 76, Random Lake 54
W, Kewaskum 77, New Holstein 72
L, Sheboygan Falls 91, Kewaskum 73

Final Scenic Moraine Conference Standings
1. Kewaskum, 12-2
2. Mayville, 10-4
3. Grafton, 9-5
4. Germantown, 8-6
4. Slinger, 8-6
6. Kettle Moraine, 6-8
7. Arrowhead, 2-12
8. Pewaukee, 1-13

Scenic Moraine Scoring
Name School Total pts., Average
Dunne, Pewaukee, 330, 22.6
Maronde, Grafton, 308, 22.0
Jack Kern, KHS, 257, 18.6
Hettich, Kettle Moraine, 231, 16.5
Jackson, Kettle Moraine, 213, 15.2
Scott Tessar, KHS, 203.14.5
13. Leon Laatsch, KHS, 170, 12.2



Jack Kern tips off the ball for the Kewaskum varsity basketball team in 1976. photo submitted

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**TOWN OF KEWASKUM
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1. Meeting Opening
- A. Call Meeting to Order
- B. Roll Call of Members
- C. Moment of Silence
- D. Verification of Public Notice Pursuant to §19.84(1)(2)(3)(4)
- E. Agenda Corrections and/or Deletions
- F. Approval of Agenda
- G. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Recognition - Items listed below are not all inclusive
- A. Recognition; Mock Trial, Boys Bowling, Wrestling, Hockey, Pins & Magnets, WCASS Awards
3. Public Relations - items listed below are not all inclusive
- A. Upcoming Events
4. Public Comments
- A. Public Comment Guidelines
5. Consent Agenda - All items under Consent Agenda are subject to action.
- A. Minutes
- B. Instructional Resignations
- C. Instructional Hires
- D. Extra-Curricular Resignations
- E. Extra-Curricular Hires; Asst Wrestling Coach-KMS, Asst Track & Field Coach-KHS
6. Items for Discussion and/or Action
- A. Payroll
- B. Accounts Payable
- C. Youth Options
- D. Purchases Over \$15,000
7. Policies -First Reading
- A. Revised Policy - 0142.7 Orientation, 0144.1 Compensation, 0151.2 Required Student Academic Standards Agenda Item, 0152 Officers, 0155 Committees, 1210 Board District Administrator Relationship, 1619, 3419, 4419 Group Health Plans, 2260.02 English Language Proficiency, 2271 Early College Credit Program, 2411 School Counseling and Academic and Career Planning, 2510 Adoption of Textbooks, 3120.01 Job Descriptions, 3125 Wisconsin Quality Educator Initiative, 3160, 4160 Physical Examination, 3217, 4217, 5772 Weapons, 5113.01 Part-time Open Enrollment, 5330 Administration of Medication/Emergency Care, 5460.01 Diploma Deferral, 7430 Safety Standards, 8510 Wellness, 8605 Use of Electronic Wireless Communication Devices by District Employees Who Operate Board-Owned or Operated Vehicles, 9130 Public Requests, Suggestions, or Complaints, 9140 Citizens' Advisory Committees, 9211 District Support Organizations
- B. New Policy - 8309 Open Meetings for Non-Board Committees
8. Items for Discussion or Report
- A. Private School Carry Act: LRB-0044/1
- B. Superintendents' Report; April Meeting, College & Career Fair, Chamber of Commerce, Clergy Meeting, Regal Ware Lease, Capital Project Update, Low Revenue Limit Increase Sparsity Aid, Field Project Update
- C. Student Learning Report; Summer School
- D. Business Manager Report
- E. Building & Grounds Report; Long Range Facility Plans
- F. IT Report; District Technology Plan Annual Review
9. Closed Session Pursuant to State Statute 19.85(1)(e)
- A. Convene Closed Session
- B. Athletic Field Project - Competitive Bid & Process Review
- C. Exit Closed Session
10. Open Session
- A. Convene Open Session
- B. Take Action as Appropriate on Items Discussed in Closed Session
11. Adjournment
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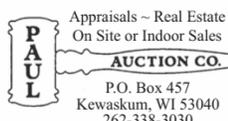
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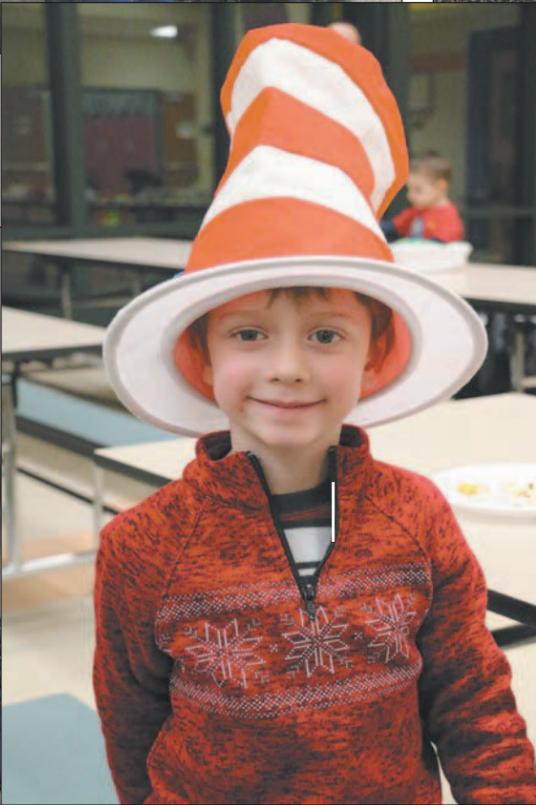
Chace Barron, 8, holds his 9-month-old brother, Channing Treptow, as they listen to Dr. Seuss books during Family Reading Night at Kewaskum Elementary School on March 1.
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Nathan (2) and Eli (4) Martin enjoy reading a book during Family Reading Night at Kewaskum Elementary School on March 1.
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ABOVE: Kenley Yapp (5) helps her little sister, 1-year-old Karley Yapp, read a book.
BELOW: A "Green Eggs And Ham" birthday cake helps the crowd celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday.
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Flynn Sargent, 5, sports a fashionable Cat-In-The-Hat hat during Family Reading Night at Kewaskum Elementary School on March 1.
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ABOVE: Cameron Jones, Cullen Jones, Easton Sabish and A.J. Droese pick out some good books during Family Reading Night.
BELOW: Aaron Laatsch and Mr. Pig from Geidel's Piggly Wiggly are the celebrity readers during Family Reading Night.
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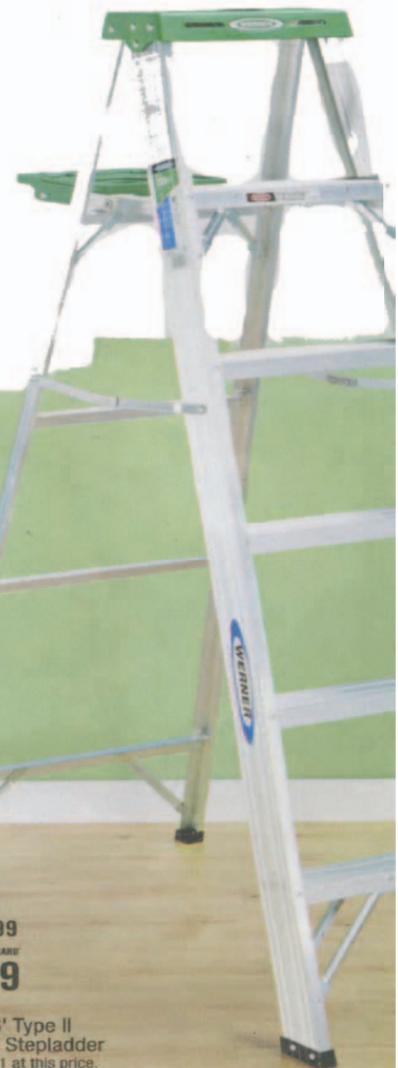
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