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## Kewaskum Gets New Postmaster

By Anne Trautner

Kewaskum has a new postmaster.

Matt Kuehn started working as postmaster at the local office on February 3. At age 25, he is the youngest postmaster in the area.

So far, Kuehn is enjoying the new job.

"Everyone I have met here has been really kind," he said. "I look forward to meeting everyone in the community."

### Third Generation Postal Employee

Matt Kuehn grew up learning about the U.S. Postal Service.

His grandmother, Nancy Kuehn, worked in the timekeeping office in downtown Milwaukee from 1980 to 2000.

"Back then, they did manual time cards, and she would enter the timekeeping," Matt explained.

Matt's father, Ron Kuehn, carried on the tradition of working for the postal service. He has been a letter carrier on the

north side of Milwaukee since 1985.

As a child, Matt liked seeing the mail trucks. He remembers learning about how the mail was sorted and how the postal system worked.

And he remembers going with his mom to meet Ron out on his route.

"I would walk next to him for a block or whatever," Matt said.

Matt didn't know it at the time, but the postal ink was running through his blood.

"I didn't say growing up I wanted to work for the post office, but here I am. It worked out," Matt said.

### Becoming Postmaster

Matt grew up in Germantown and graduated from Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School in Jackson in 2011.

He attended Lakeland University in Plymouth for one semester, but realized college wasn't for him.

"I decided I might as well go out and get a job. I had no problem working whatsoever," he said.

Matt was working two part-time jobs when his father suggested that he apply at the post office and work there until he figured out what he wanted to do.

So six years ago, at age 19, Matt was hired to work for the U.S. Postal Service.

"I was fortunate enough to get this opportunity. I liked it, and I was making pretty good money with good benefits, so I kind of stuck around," Matt said.

Matt started out as a postal carrier on the north side of Milwaukee.

He enjoyed the job, but admits that he was bitten by a dog once while walking the route.

"A dog got a hold of my arm. It wasn't too bad, but it did break skin, so then I had to get the shot," Matt said.

He didn't hold it against the dog, though.

"Most dogs are territorial to some extent," Matt explained.



Matt Kuehn is the new postmaster for Kewaskum. A native of Germantown, Kuehn is looking forward to working with people in the community.

photo by Anne Trautner

## Deer Farm Quarantined After Buck Tests Positive For CWD

By Anne Trautner

For the past 20 years, Dirk and Jane Stolz have been raising deer on their

farm located on Townline Road, just west of Kewaskum.

Now, after one of the family's bucks tested positive for Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD), the farm has been quarantined.

"I will never be able to move another live animal off of this farm ever again. If I can't move a live animal off the farm, then that means I can't sell anything. So basically our doors are shut. We are out of business," Dirk said.

"It is pretty devastating. There have been a lot of sleepless nights for the last week because our entire business is pretty much gone," he added.

This was the first case of CWD in Washington County.

CWD is believed to be caused by an infectious prion or protein. The disease typically progresses in white tail deer in one to two years, according to Dr. Paul McGraw, Wisconsin state veterinarian.

"CWD causes damage to the brain and progresses. It is always fatal to deer," McGraw said.

The disease spreads to deer and elk through sali-

va, feces and urine.

"There has not been any proof that it causes disease in other species, including humans, but public health would always recommend that you test your deer and not consume the meat if it is from a positive deer," McGraw said.

It is possible that all the deer on the infected farm will need to be eradicated, Dirk said. The thought is unbearable to the family.

Dirk and Jane have two daughters, ages 13 and 15, who have been around the deer their entire lives. When they were toddlers, the girls started bottle feeding the deer. The family has named the deer and consider them pets.

"They literally walk into our house and our exposed basement, so it is devastating for the kids knowing that every one of them has to potentially get killed here," Dirk said.

In total, the family has about 44 whitetails and 16 elk on their farm, which is named Tamarack Elk and Deer Farm.

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Dancers participate at Kewaskum School District's Family Folk Dance Night on Friday, March 16. For more pictures of the event, see page 23.

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Students and staff members from Kewaskum High School and Kewaskum Middle school take a stand against school violence on March 14.

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## Kewaskum Students Participate In National Movement

By Sydney Donath and Berit Kirkegaard, Kewaskum High School students

On March 14, from 10 to 10:17 a.m., Kewaskum students and staff participated in a walkout to commemorate the 17 lives lost in the Parkland, Florida, school shooting last month.

A group of about 40 students and staff members exited the school Wednesday morning through the main doors and walked to the football field where they stood in a circle in silence for the entire 17 minutes. High school students were joined by two middle schoolers who also wanted to honor the 17 victims. Each silent minute that passed represented each innocent life taken.

More than 3,000 marches and walkouts took place across the country on the one month anniversary of the devastating Florida shooting at approximately the same time of day that it took place.

The movement was organized by students to

memorialize the victims and demand action, but Kewaskum organizers made it clear that their efforts were strictly in memory of those who died one month ago.

Most Kewaskum students were made aware of the opportunity to walk out through social media and the school's recently established Social Change Club.

"I did this because I wanted to stand up for the innocent lives that were lost," one high school participant said. "I think it's important that students share their opinions."

Another student stated that "the students who participated were amazing," and those involved agreed that the situation was handled respectfully by students, teachers and administrators.

One educator explained, "I think it's my job as a teacher to foster environments where students and individuals can voice their opinions and feel like they are heard and respected."

Kewaskum School District parents received an email approximately a week prior to the walkout informing them of the option and encouraging

discussion with their children. Those who did participate were required to have parental permission in order for the absence to be recorded as excused.

Students, however, were not the only ones who walked out on Wednesday morning. Local teachers were also supportive of students who made their voices heard, some even leaving the school in solidarity.

"I'm proud to see students taking initiative and exercising their rights in a respectful, peaceful way," said a local teacher. "I think it was a powerful thing no matter where you stand politically or socially; I think it's a powerful thing when we encourage our students to use their voices and the power that they do have."

Not all teachers had the option to take part in the walkout because classes proceeded as usual, but many who had prep time at 10 a.m. joined students in the memorial.

The previously mentioned teacher also stated that "doing what we can doesn't stop at a walkout, but it doesn't hurt to make our voices heard in a more national way and to be a part of the movement."



Roger Strack receives a 60-year Certificate of Service from Kewaskum American Legion Commander Roger Heberer.

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## Coffee With The Chief - Evening Edition On Thursday, March 29

Kewaskum Police Chief Tom Bishop will hold another "Coffee with the Chief - Evening Edition" on Thursday, March 29, at 6 p.m. at Dairy Queen in Kewaskum. This is a chance to come and talk with the police chief about community issues in a casual setting. Come and visit with the chief.

## XYZ Card Results

The winners of cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, March 14, were: Janet Enright, Betty Raether, Jan Smith, Gordon Held, Mary Ciocarelli, Evie Reichert and Nancy Rodenkerch. 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, March 13 were: Brian Buck 76-8-68 25-5-20, Butch Schmitt 61-7-54 21-5-16, Del Groth 58-6-52 20-5-15, Sylvester Stern 64-12-52 18-9-9, Delores Mielke 48-4-44 17-2-15, Rochelle Stoffel 45-1-44 14-1-13, Dave Dayton 19 most losses and 13 low points.

The next five-handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, March 27, at 7 p.m. sharp. New players are always welcome at the Kewaskum Labor Center.



## Egg Hunt To Be Held At Kiwanis Park On March 31

The Kewaskum Boys and Girls Club will be holding an Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 31, at Kiwanis Park in Kewaskum.

Games and activities begin at 9:30 a.m. An Egg Toss Competition will be held at 9:45 a.m. At 10 a.m. the Egg Hunt begins.

This even is open to children 12 and under and is free to participate. Bring your own basket.



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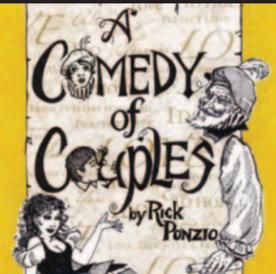
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## Continued From... Kewaskum Gets New Postmaster

When he was 20, Matt was promoted and became a supervisor for the postal service. In doing so, he became the youngest person ever promoted to supervisor in the Lakeland District, which covers most of Wisconsin and northern Illinois.

He worked for two years as a supervisor in Wauwatosa. He then worked as supervisor in Brookfield for the past two years before being promoted to postmaster for Kewaskum.

Matt is not sure who the youngest postmaster is, but at 25, he acknowledges that he is the youngest postmaster he knows.

"I have been fortunate and have gotten some good opportunities. I am trying to make the most of them and trying to do the best I can," Matt said.

### Kewaskum Office

Working in Kewaskum is somewhat of an adjustment, however, because it

is the smallest place Matt has ever worked.

The Kewaskum Post Office has a total of 10 routes: five in Kewaskum and five in Campbellsport.

In comparison, the Brookfield office, where Matt most recently worked, had 51 routes.

That means that there are not as many resources readily available. But it also has its advantages.

"It's nice because everyone cares about each other. You have a little more family mentality [among the staff]," Matt said.

Each day, the Kewaskum Post Office delivers an average of about 1,100 packages and about 16,000 pieces of mail a day. During the Christmas season, those numbers go up.

The biggest challenge Matt sees is keeping up with the community's growth.

From 2016 to now, the Kewaskum Post Office has about 150 more deliv-

eries each week to week. "As you keep growing more and more, then you have to expand the routes, make the routes longer, or add another additional route," Matt said.

In addition, the Kewaskum building is small, so there are some space constraints, he said.

As postmaster, Matt is responsible for the day-to-day operations at the post office and ensuring proper delivery of all the mail and packages.

He also is the one who works with the wider community. That is the part that he is looking forward to the most.

"I enjoy working with the people and the community," Matt said.

Matt also would like to make a difference in the business community.

"I want to continue to meet business owners in the area and see if there is any way we can help them out and make their lives a little easier, and increase their revenue as well."



Mike Berger of the New Fane Sportsmen's Club presents a \$500 donation to Kewaskum Police Chief Tom Bishop to support the Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) program. The Kewaskum Police Department presents the DARE program to fifth-grade classes in Kewaskum. The program would not be possible without the cooperation of the Kewaskum School District, St. Lucas Lutheran School and Holy Trinity Catholic School, which all rearrange schedules to work this program in for their fifth-grade students. The Kewaskum Elementary School PTO also supports the program by donating \$700 every two years to purchase DARE T-shirts for students.

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## Nine Dogs Removed From Fond du Lac County Home

Nine dogs were removed from a Fond du Lac County home on Tuesday, March 20.

The Fond du Lac County Sheriff's Office received a call last week from someone who was

concerned about the conditions in the home. Puppies were being sold from the home via the internet.

After receiving the complaint, the Sheriff's Office investigated the complaint

to make sure the house was safe and inhabitable. The house is located at W977 County Road S in Campbellsport.

Nine dogs were removed Tuesday from the house.

## WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

### Construction Death

A 63-year-old Town of Addison man died on March 15 as a result of a fall while using a ladder at a home in the process of being remodeled. The accident scene is located in the Town of Kewaskum on Forestview Road.

Authorities were called by the victim's co-worker who was on scene when the fall happened at 11:33 a.m. Lifesaving efforts were initiated and continued by Kewaskum Rescue, Boltonville first responders and West Bend Rescue without success. The man was pronounced dead at the scene by the medical examiner's office.

The Sheriff's Office was contacted and investigated the work-related death with the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), which responded to the scene.

The victim's name is being withheld pending notification to the next of kin.

### Hit-And-Run Case

The Sheriff's Office is investigating a hit-and-run to an occupied home in the 3600 block of Summer Drive in the Town of Jackson. The incident occurred on March 15 at 11:48 p.m.

Deputies located the vehicle on State Highway 60 near County Highway M and identified the driver as a 70-year-old Town of

### Polk man.

The investigation revealed the driver had been at the home for a social gathering and crashed into the house when leaving. No one was hurt.

The driver was not impaired, but a driver condition report will be forwarded to the Department of Transportation to evaluate the driver's abilities.

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## Deer Farm Quarantined

The animals are all kept behind 8-foot fences. Even if the deer are gone, those fences must remain up for the next five years.

"If you can imagine the impact looking out my window every day and have to look at empty pens, knowing what we had here. It's a huge, huge loss," Dirk said.

The family had invested a lot of money into developing genetics for the breeding farm. The entire family was involved, and it helped to develop dreams for the future.

"My daughter wants to be a reproductive vet. It's a pretty big business, and she has really liked working with it," Dirk said.

He can relate to her interest in the field. "I enjoyed doing genetics, studying pedigrees and genetics, with traits, and see what you can grow. It definitely is interesting. It's a science," he said.

The family would use the science to grow certain blood lines. The result was developing prize antlers.

But genetics are not cheap.

"They were really expensive years ago. Straws of semen were selling for \$3,000 a straw to \$25,000 a straw. We had a lot invested into it,"

Dirk said.

CWD was first found in Wisconsin in 2002. Any deer over the age of 1 that dies on a deer farm is required to be tested for CWD. It typically takes about two weeks to get test results.

The state is currently running tests to try to determine how the local buck contracted the disease. There is no way to test a live animal for the disease, McGraw said.

The infected Kewaskum buck was born on the Stolz 15-acre farm in May 2015.

"From what we gather right now, the disease didn't come from another deer farm. So it's probably an environmental thing," Dirk said.

The deer could have contracted the illness from the soil. Or perhaps a bird brought the disease into the farm.

The 2-year-old buck had not shown any signs of illness.

However, it did not have an easy life. When he was young, the deer was gored by another buck, breaking his leg and injuring a nerve on his back.

"So he basically was a three-legged deer," Dirk said.

Last year, the deer was put back in the pen with 17

bucks. Being a three-legged deer, he was pushed around by the other bucks. Several weeks ago, he was attacked by a more dominant buck, and he died from the injuries, Dirk said.

The deer will be missed.

So will the lifestyle.

"For me, deer farming is a way to turn off the bad side of the world," said Dirk, who works as a deputy for the Washington County Sheriff's Office. "To be able to go to the pens every night, petting the animals and looking them over, was amazing. To lose all of that is a heart-breaker."

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## Kewaskum Lifts Winter Parking Restrictions

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vehicles may be parked on the street from 2 to 6 a.m. once again.

Please be mindful that we do still occasionally get snow in late March or early April. If that occurs, the village may issue a snow emergency where parking restrictions are placed back into effect.

### Dinner Menu Week of Mar. 26

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Richard James Merkt

Richard James Merkt, 71, passed into the arms of the Lord on March 17, 2018 at Harbor Haven Health Care Center, Fond du Lac.

He was born September 26, 1946, in Milwaukee a son of the late Joseph C. and Myrtle L. Pope Merkt.

Richard married Betty Kollmansberger. He later was united in marriage to Joetta "Penny" Hefner on December 31, 1996, at The Rock Bible Baptist Church, Theresa.

He was a 1964 graduate of Kewaskum High School.

Richard joined the United States Navy in 1964 and served in Vietnam aboard the U.S.S. Midway as an aviation ordnance man. During his second tour of duty he served aboard the U.S.S. Bennington again off the coast of Vietnam.

Following his military service he was employed by Serigraph Sales of West Bend for many years until his retirement. Richard was an avid hunter and fisherman. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Survivors include one daughter Tina Merkt of West Bend, two sons, Eric Merkt of Cedar Rapids, IA, and Paul Merkt of Kewaskum, a step-son, Russell (Lainie) Grantman of Theresa, six grandchildren, Gage, Grace, Corbin and Savannah Merkt, Joshua and Allison Grantman, one great-granddaughter, Kairi Merkt. He is further survived by four sisters,

Jeanne Jaeger, Kathy Kougl, Donna Dallen-Seering and Mary Roberts, and by nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife Penny in 2016, three brothers, Robert, David and Gregory Merkt, and other beloved family members.

The family received relatives and friends on Wednesday, March 21, from 12 p.m. to 1:45 p.m. at Zacherl Funeral Home, 875 E. Division Street in Fond du Lac.

A funeral service was held following the visitation at 2 p.m. at the funeral home with Pastor Joseph McGee as officiant and military honors. Inurnment will take place, at a later date, in Ledgeview Memorial Park.

Online condolences may be found at [www.zacherlfuneralhome.com](http://www.zacherlfuneralhome.com).

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Bernice T. Robers

Bernice T. Robers, 84, of Kewaskum, passed away on Tuesday, March 13, 2018, at Kathy Hospice in the town of Polk.

Bernice was born on February 24, 1934, in Milwaukee, the daughter of the late Marcus and Anna (Wondrus) Herbert.

On May 7, 1959, she was united in marriage to Cletus Robers in Milwaukee. Cletus passed away on May 20, 2002.

Bernice loved to play cards, she loved pets, and bowled for many years. She always carried a deck of cards with her and there was no inappropriate time to play cards. She was the life of the party. Bernice loved her family very much

and deeply cared for her grandson, Nathan "Gator". Bernice loved to have fun and enjoyed going on cruises. She was crafty and artsy, making greeting cards for Kettle Moraine Gardens and friends. Bernice also made afghans, crochet, and stitchery kits, giving them away as gifts to her friends.

Those Bernice leaves behind to cherish her memory include her daughter, Chris (Steve) Jung of Random Lake; a grandson, Nathan Jung of Random Lake; two brothers-in-law, Ronald (Artys) Robers of Paddock Lake and Norman (Judy) Robers of Burlington; nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her husband and parents, Bernice was preceded in death by her sister, Dorothy (Rudy) Grossmier; a brother-in-law, Stanley Robers and a sister-in-law, Lorraine (Gene) Bouman.

A Mass of Christian for Bernice will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 24, at St. Michael Church, 8883 Forest View Road, Kewaskum, with Rev. Edwin Kornath officiating. Burial will follow at St. John of God Cemetery in the town of Farmington.

Bernice's family will greet relatives and friends at the church on Saturday from 9:30 a.m. until the time of Mass.

The Myrhum Patten Miller and Kietzer Funeral Homes have been entrusted with Bernice's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at [www.myrhum-patten.com](http://www.myrhum-patten.com).

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## Cedar Community Receives 2018 Customer Experience Award

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Qualifying for the award in the category of independent living, Cedar Community had an overall satisfaction rate of 98 percent, compared to the national average of 93.9 percent. Cedar Community displays a continued dedication to providing best in class senior health care services, receiving a "Best in Class" distinction for overall satisfaction, dignity and respect, communication, cleanliness, safety and security, quality of food, move-in process and activities.

"Cedar Community is honored to receive the

Customer Experience Award from Pinnacle. We continually strive to maintain an engaged living community where residents can enjoy, explore and embrace their best life and remain active during their retirement years," said Lynn Olson, chief executive officer.

Throughout its more than 60-year history of serving the community, Cedar Community has placed a strong emphasis on ensuring that the individual needs of every patient and resident are met. Over the course of 2017, a sampling of Cedar Community's customers and their families have participated in monthly telephone interviews that include open-ended questions, as well the opportu-

nity to rate Cedar Community in specific categories.

Every month, Cedar Community has gathered its real-time survey results in order to gain a better understanding of each patient's/resident's needs and make improvements when necessary.

By achieving the Pinnacle Customer Experience Award, Cedar Community has satisfied the rigorous demand of scoring in the top 15 percent of the nation across a 12-month average. Clients have the opportunity to earn this Best in Class distinction on a monthly basis in many categories designed to accurately reflect each patient's/resident's experience.

## Easter Dance By Fond du Lac Lioness Featuring World Famous Don Peachey

The Fond du Lac Lioness is hosting the Easter Dance on Sunday, March 25, from 1 to 5 p.m. at American Legion at 500 Fond du Lac Avenue. The Zacherl Funeral Home of Fond du Lac is sponsoring the Don Peachey Band of Burnett, and supported by Karr-Bach Builders. The American Legion will have food and beverages available (no carry-ins) and is handicapped accessible.

The World Famous Band Leader Don Peachey hails from Burnett, a small town located an hour north of Milwaukee.

Don started playing accordion at the age of 14, taking lessons at the Beaver Dam Music Center.

While he was a junior in high school he formed his first polka band and the first paying engagement was at the Fairwater Civic Center.

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played its first public dance in June 1951 and released its first recordings in 1957.

Don was elected "Bandleader of the Year" by the Wisconsin Orchestra Leaders Association in 1973 and was inducted into the Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame in 1998.

In 2011 Don received a special Citation Plaque from the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin recognizing his achievements and accomplishments in

the music field, his dedication to the preservation and enjoyment of dance music in Wisconsin.

In 2012, he was inducted into the International Polka Hall of Fame at a ceremony in Cleveland, OH.

Don Peachey has been playing over 60 years for weddings and social functions. For any occasion, give Don a call for a booking schedule, 920-689-2215. You can find Don on Like Us On Facebook! or email [donpeachey-band@powercom.net](mailto:donpeachey-band@powercom.net).

The next Fond du Lac dance is on April 15, 2018 at Knights of Columbus with Mark Jirikovec. The next dance in Mayville is April 7, at Mayville Park Pavilion with Musical Brass hosted by Theresa American Legion #270.

If you have any questions, please contact Donna Gudex-Kamrath at 920-960-5318.

## Mayville Lions Club Is Hosting Gary And The Ridgeland Dutchmen

The Mayville Lions Club is hosting the Gary & The Ridgeland Dutchmen Band, which is sponsored by Metalcraft of Mayville on Saturday, March 24, at the Mayville Park Pavilion. Dancing is from 1 to 5 p.m. Food and beverages are available (no carry-ins) and the pavilion is handicapped accessible.

This is the band of Gary and Willard Brueggen that just celebrated 105 years together on October 8, 2017, at the Amerahn Ballroom, Kewaskum. It also marked 35 years in the music business for son Gary known as Concertina Kid, and his father,

Willard, who has 70 years of playing tuba.

Gary Brueggen and The Ridgeland Dutchmen are from Cashton. In November of 1998, the Band was blessed by being named co-winners of the Horizon Award from the Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame. More recently, in 2003, they were named Band of the Year.

This Band has played for anniversaries, picnics and polka festivals. For more information including schedules and CDs contact Gary by email [concertinakid@gmail.com](mailto:concertinakid@gmail.com).

The next schedule dance for Mayville is April

7 - Musical Brass hosted by American Legion - Theresa #270- being sponsored by Theresa State Bank followed by Brian & The Mississippi Valley Dutchmen on April 14 hosted by The Friends of The Mayville Library - being sponsored by Hartford Finishing of Hartford and supported by Excel Engineering, Fond du Lac and Zuern Building Products.

If you have any questions, contact Donna Gudex-Kamrath at 920-960-5318.

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## DAYS GONE BY

### 5 Years Ago March 21, 2013

After more than 30 years Scott Buchel and Rochelle Pennington returned to Kewaskum High School to receive Alumni Achievement Awards and allow students to benefit from their experiences. KHS Principal Kristine Dreher said this is the fifth year the honor has been awarded. "It not only celebrates the accomplishments of the alumni of Kewaskum, it lets our students know that is possible," says Dreher.

Firefighters from Kewaskum and four other fire departments responded on Thursday, March 14, to a barn ablaze in the town of Kewaskum. The Washington County Sheriff's Office was notified of the fire at 8245 Prospect Dr. at 6:13 p.m. The approximate 60 feet by 30 feet wood framed barn only contained a small amount of straw, and no other structures were affected by the fire.

Derek Aupperle and Jennifer Reicher have been named the 2013 recipients of J.O. Reigle Scholarships. The scholarship program was established in 1963 in honor of Regal Ware's founder, the late J.O. Reigle. The award recognizes the outstanding scholastic achievements of one or more graduating high school seniors in Kewaskum, Wisconsin - site of the corporate headquarters for privately held cookware manufacturer Regal Ware - and is designed to assist the recipients in their pursuit of a college education.

Carl R. Johnson, 97, of the town of Farmington, passed away on March 12. Daniel A. 'Dan' Truog, 63, passed away on March 2.

### 15 Years Ago March 20, 2003

Kewaskum Fire Department responded to a fire call at Kewaskum Auto Salvage, north of the village on Friday, March 14 at 4:30 p.m. Campbellsport Fire Department was also called in for full mutual aid. It took about an hour, and thirty-five firefighters to put out the blaze.

On March 9, the Kettle Moraine Catholic School League held the annual cheer competition at the Kewaskum High School Field House. The teams competed with other schools by performing a cheer and a two to three minute pom/dance routine. The teams were judged on performance, enthusiasm, creativity, level of difficulty, and overall presentation. Holy Trinity A-Team finished in first place. The B-Team also took a first place finish. Members of the A-Team Squad are Alli Kowalczyk, Danielle Mueller, Kelly Simonis, Julie Sargent, Tocarra Timblin, Leah Brown, Heather Parsons, Emily Aycock and coach Kim Gizewski. Members of the B-Team are Roxanne Etta, Abbey Simonis, Christa Theisen, Alyssa Krautkramer, Andie Hoss, Mona Faber, Rachel

Rieden, Sam Aycock and coach Dodie Sargent.

A daughter, Grace Elizabeth, was born to Katie and Jason Jungers on March 7.

### 25 Years Ago March 25, 1993

A two car accident occurring in the town of Kewaskum resulted in Washington County suffering its second traffic fatality for 1993. The accident occurred on Hwy 45, south of CTH H at approximately 5:55 p.m. on Friday, March 19.

According to a Washington County Sheriff's Department report, a northbound car driven by Lawrence Clisham, 51, Campbellsport, lost control on snow covered roads, veered onto the east shoulder, then skidded towards the west ditch perpendicular to the flow of traffic. He was then struck by a southbound car driven by Thomas E. Grennier, 26, of Eden. The driver of the southbound car stated he observed the northbound car crossing the center line, put his vehicle in reverse, and attempted to turn right to avoid contact. The passenger side of Clisham's car struck the front end of Grennier's car and continued into the west ditch. The second car came to rest in the southbound lane near the shoulder.

The Kewaskum Fire Department responded to the call with the Rescue Squad and the Jaws of Life. Both drivers were transported to St. Joseph's Community Hospital in West Bend, and the driver of the northbound car, Lawrence Clisham, was pronounced dead at the hospital. There were no other occupants from either of the vehicles.

Twenty-nine Kewaskum High School speakers participated in the subdistrict forensics contest at Menomonee Falls High School on Saturday, March 13, and all qualified to attend next Tuesday's district contest in Cedar Grove.

Leading the team in sub-district were Kara Palmer and Laura Fleischman. Other members of the team include: Renate Wilke, Melissa Rohrer, Suzi Gauvin, Christine Neumann, Rachael Chambers, Jake Thull, Anne Mertz, Carrie Stoffel, Jennifer Schulte, Meredith Frac, Angie Klug, Tammy Hames, Jenny Goodsell, Rhonda Klesmith, Matt Kuehn, Teri Roe, Jennifer Schmidt, Laura Dehler, Randy Reysen, Jennifer Straub, Jenny Ebert, Maureen Leitheiser, Chad Harlow, Carrie Fellenz, Sabrina Maul, Weston Duenkel, and Jenefer Van Assche.

"Last year one of our subdistrict speakers did not qualify for district, so this year's team did better," said Barbara York, head coach. Both she and Judy Jacak, assistant coach, look forward to many of the team members qualifying for state in this very challenging extra-curricular

activity.

Athletes of Holy Trinity Parish and School and their families culminated the sports' season with the celebration of Mass followed by a potluck banquet on Saturday, March 13 at Holy Trinity Church. This event marked the final opportunity to recognize the athletes and coaches involved in the basketball, volleyball and cheerleading programs at Holy Trinity during the 92-93 season.

Another Kewaskum High School graduate has been honored for her athletic excellence. Kelly Rohlinger, a 1991 KHS grad and former standout on the Lady Indian's basketball team, was named to the first team All-Wisconsin Collegiate Conference basketball squad. Rohlinger, a sophomore at UW-Washington County, averaged 14 points and six rebounds per game this past season. The Wildcats finished the year with a 2-19 record.

A son, James Patrick Jr., was born to Connie and Jim Gleason, Campbellsport, on March 17.

Lawrence Clisham, 51, of Campbellsport, passed away on March 19.

Lloyd V. Krautkramer, 67, of Boltonville, passed away on March 20.

"Tony" Elvinger, 72, of Kewaskum, passed away on March 18.

Alfred J. Sceper, 83 of West Bend, passed away on March 20.

### 50 Years Ago March 22, 1968

Officers for the 1968-70 Junior Woman's Club are: President, Miss Honora Norton; Vice President, Mrs. Marvin Perkins; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Mark Rodenkirch; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Leah Klukas; and Treasurer, Mrs. Gerald Zimmel.

On February 27, Kewaskum High School began a round robin class basketball tournament. Games were held in the school gymnasium after school. Members of the championship team from the Class of 1969 included Jerry Engleiter, Perry Koth, Bob Fellenz, Mark Eichstedt, Jim Foerster, Bob Wilson and Jeff Schleif.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Emery, Route 2, Kewaskum, on March 13.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Boegel, West Bend, on March 14.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melzer, Route 1, Allenton, on March 14.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Heider, Route 3, Campbellsport, on March 18.

### 75 Years Ago March 26, 1943

"The Spirit of Washington County," the heavy four-motor bomber, is now fighting for us. This bomber was dedicated to Washington County the past week at the Glenn Martin Aircraft Plant in California and left

immediately for action.

Monday was the closing day for the filing of nomination papers with the village clerk for the various village offices to be voted on at the spring election April 6. The forthcoming election promises to be a quiet event, since there is no opposition for any of the village offices. Incumbent office holders who will be unopposed on the ballot are: President, Charles Miller; Treasurer, John Marx; Assessor, Joseph Mayer; Clerk, Carl F. Schaefer; Supervisor, E.M. Romaine and Trustees, Norbert Dogs, K.A. Honeck and Dr. F.E. Nolting.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bingen, Route 2, Kewaskum, on Saturday March 20.

### 100 Years Ago March 30, 1918

As one of our citizens offered the practical suggestion that Kewaskum boys should organize as a unit of the Boy Scouts of America and its members be appointed to care for the proper displaying of the service flag, it will be appropriate at this time to mention a few of the many benefits derived by its members and the great good the organization has accomplished. The benefits to its members are manifold and the boys are trained to enjoy the gifts of nature to their greatest advantage at the same time if they follow closely the Scout laws, they breathe the laws of nature, filling the boyish system with an inspiration for healthy, desirable, and pleasing amusement. Kewaskum has a fine lot of boys anxious to become boy scouts and all they want is a scout master who will help the boys in getting organized and act as instructor to them in defining the instructions furnished them from the headquarters of the organization.

Some of the Health Guard badges were given out on Tuesday in the Grammar Room. Those receiving the highest honors are: Walter Buss, Edward Brandt, Edwin Morgenroth, Margaret Schlosser and Otto Backhaus. The next highest were Hazel Geidel, Aleda Mertes, Lester Dreher, Florence Greve, Harvey Backhaus, Loran Backhaus, Norma Bunkelman and Norbert Becker.

A team belonging to William Fiedler of Fillmore, indulged in a lovely run-away in the village last Monday afternoon, but fortunately no one was in the rig and only slight damage was done to the wagon.

The following class of children were confirmed on Palm Sunday at St. John's Church in New Fane: Ruth Steber, Clara Backhaus, Verna Hess, Erma Klug, Helen Gutekunst, Elsie Krueger, Emma Heberer, Helen Ramel, Oscar Fick, Willie and Roman Moldenhauer and Glenway Ehner.

## Washington County Historical Society To Participate In CAP

Washington County Historical Society announces that it is one of 80 institutions from across the country selected to participate in the Collections Assessment for Preservation (CAP) program.

CAP helps museums improve the care of their collections by providing support for a conservation assessment of the museum's collections and buildings. The museum will work with a team of preservation professionals to identify preventive conservation priorities. The final assessment report will help the museum prioritize its collections care efforts in the coming years.

"We hope the CAP will give us a fresh perspective. Over the years, our professional staff has done what we can within our budget toward better preservation and hope fresh eyes will

see something we have missed. We also hope the work done through the grant will raise public awareness of what we do behind the scenes and the importance of that work to the preservation of Washington County's history," says Curator of Collections and Exhibits and CAP project manager Janean Van Beckum.

"Simply by applying for the CAP program, Washington County Historical Society has shown a commitment to preserving cultural heritage," said Tiffani Emig, Programs Director for FAIC.

The CAP program is administered by FAIC through a cooperative agreement with the Institute of Museum and Library Services, a federal grant making agency that supports museums and libraries.

## Richfield Historical Society Holds Maple Syrup Family Day

Richfield Historical Society (RHS) invites you to celebrate spring at its annual Maple Syrup Family Day, Saturday March 24, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The event will be held at Richfield Historical/Nature Parks, 1896 Highway 164 in Richfield, one-half mile north of Highway 167. Admission and parking are free.

Spring brings increased activity in the RHS sugar shack where the sap from maple trees is processed into syrup. Syrup demonstrations begin at 11:15 a.m., 12:15 p.m. and 1:15 p.m. Attendees will learn the history of maple sap products beginning in 100 AD. You are invited to inspect the sugar shack and ask questions about the syrup production.

Visitors can visit the park's historical buildings and learn about the on-going renovation projects:

- Visit General Store in the RHS Lillicrapp Welcome

Center.

- Learn how tools were made at the Blacksmith Shop.

- Listen to a story in the Log Cabin: 11:45 a.m., 12:45 p.m. and 1:45 p.m.

- Tour the log barn and cabin (buildings open weather dependent).

- Tours are available in the Messer/Mayer Mill and Millers Home. Cost for Mill and House tours is \$5; under 6 is free.

Bring your appetite. Visit the concession stand for hot dogs cooked in maple sap along with beverages and sweets. Our Maple Cotton Candy will be a tasty delight.

Funds raised at the Maple Syrup Family Day support the Society's educational programs and maintenance of the Richfield Historical Park.

For more information, visit [www.richfieldhistoricalsociety.org](http://www.richfieldhistoricalsociety.org) and stay connected to RHS on Facebook and Twitter.

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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.

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

**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](http://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](http://washington.uwex.edu) or by contacting Stephanie Plaster at 262-335-4477 or [stephanie.plaster@ces.uwex.edu](mailto: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.

**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.

**Saturday, March 24** - Spring Equinox Hike. Celebrate the arrival of Spring with a 4.4 mile round-trip hike at the Polk Kames. Meet at the DNR's Highway NN parking lot, one half mile east of Highway 144. Watch for yellow "Ice Age Trail Event" signs. Dress appropriately as the trail can be icy or muddy. Bring water and your camera. For more information contact Lance Hendrickson 262-573-8326. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**Saturday, March 24** - Cancer Benefit for Lloyd Merkel. Lloyd, a Navy Vietnam era veteran, was recently diagnosed with cancer. He is a respected member of the community, serving the Batavia Fire Department and his church. Lloyd is a devoted family man and sports enthusiast. \$10 cover includes food and music by DJ "Butch." Town of Scott Community Center, 1360 Hwy 28, Batavia. 8 - 10 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** - Bettman and Halpin. Award winning fiddle playing, folk singing duo performs original, toe-tapping and heartfelt Americana and folk music. \$20 - adults. \$18 - seniors/youth. University of Wisconsin - Washington County, 400 S. University Dr., West Bend. 7:30 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.

**Saturday, March 31** - Kewaskum Boys and Girls Egg Hunt at Kiwanis Park. 9:30 a.m. Games and Activities. 9:45 Egg Toss Competition. 10 a.m. Egg Hunt Begins. Ages 12 and under Free to participate. Bring your own Basket. Kiwanis Park, 1599 Brooklane Dr., Kewaskum.

**Friday, April 6** - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Your home, preparing to sell with Keith Gardner. 7:30 - 9 p.m.

**Tuesday, April 10** - History of West Bend Talk with Judge Andrew Gonring. West Bend Library, 630 Poplar St, West Bend, WI 53095. 7 p.m.

**Thursday, April 12** - Kewaskum FFA Alumni Presents Wine and Beer Tasting Social. An informal gathering to sample Wisconsin wine and beer, to support our youth in Agricultural education, and the Kewaskum FFA. \$20 per person. Everyone is welcome. Must be 21 to attend. Jug's Hitching Post, 5781 Main St, Kohlsville. 6 - 9 p.m.

**Friday, April 13** - St. Luke Church in Slinger will host a Woman's Event, "Recharge." Guest speaker will be Nancy Leafbad who is a professional chaplain in a hospital/trauma center setting. \$5 admission. Tickets available at the door or in advance. 262-644-6003. 4860 Arthur Road, Slinger. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

**Friday, April 13** - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Road Safety West Bend Police Department. 7:30 - 9 p.m.

**Saturday, April 14** - Central Wisconsin Gun Collectors Show. 520 Fond du Lac Ave, Fond du Lac. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

**Sunday, April 15** - Central Wisconsin Gun Collectors Show. 520 Fond du Lac Ave, Fond du Lac. 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.

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

**Wednesday, April 25** - Cedar Community Hosts Second-Hand Rose Luncheon and Style Show. The clothing will be available for purchase. Doors open at 11:30 with lunch served at noon. Tickets go on sale March 14. The cost is \$13 plus tax. Top of the Ridge Restaurant, 113 Cedar Ridge Dr, West Bend.

**Saturday, April 28** - Springtime Splendor Art and Craft Expo, 520 Fond du Lac Ave, Fond du Lac. 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Saturday, April 28** - Under the Influence of Adrenaline Race. To register and learn more about the 5K Walk/Run, the 1/4 Marathon and the 1/2 Marathon visit: [www.adrenalineraces.org](http://www.adrenalineraces.org) Free.

**An Upcoming Calendar of Events for Riveredge Nature Center, 4458 County Hwy Y, Newburg, WI. Visit: [www.riveredgenaturecenter.org](http://www.riveredgenaturecenter.org) for further information.**

**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 Chinooks Tickets, Starbucks Coffee & Tevana 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 en-

hance 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).

**Tuesday, April 3** - Noel J. Cutright Bird Club - Birdscaping in the Midwest. Learn from Mariette Nowak, author of the widely read "Birdscaping in the Midwest," how you can increase the variety of birds in your yard by growing native plants offering birds their natural habitat and a yearlong smorgasbord of berries, nuts, seeds and insects. Gardeners and native plant enthusiasts can play a vital role in restoring & preserving native communities that support not only birds, but also other wildlife including butterflies, bees, and bats. 7 - 9:30 p.m.

**Saturday, April 7** - Spring Cleaning the Body and Mind with Yoga. In this workshop we will work on detoxifying the lymph systems, organs, body, and mind first. Then expand one's energy/metabolism through the use of Kundalini Yoga Kriyas and meditations. Kundalini yoga is known as the yoga of awareness which incorporates sounds (mantra), hand movement (mudras), postures (asanas) creating specific kriyas and meditations. Practicing kundalini yoga (technology) helps us to be the best we can be. Anyone from beginner to advanced practitioner can do this workshop. Please wear comfortable loose clothing, bring a mat (some will be available), and a blanket. You may also want to bring a pillow or cushion to sit on. Marva's education includes a BA in Religious Studies, E-RYT-200, YACEP, and Reiki Master/Teacher. Additional certification includes yoga for MS, Breathwalk, yoga for Silver Sneakers and meditation. Her 18 plus years of teaching yoga and nearly 50 years of personal yoga practice encompasses private clients (athletes to special needs) and group classes at all levels from children to 90+ year-olds. Cost: Non-members \$30, Members \$25 9 a.m. - Noon.

**Saturday, April 7** - Nature Detectives: Fooled by Nature. Mimicry. Disguise. Concealing Coloration. All of these are types of camouflage used in nature as a means to blend in and to fool prey or to hide from predators. We will search for some of these clever creatures all around Riveredge. Join us as we test various methods of camouflage, and try to fool each other by hiding creatures throughout the landscape. Non members & Trail Pass Members: \$5.00/person All-Access Members: FREE 10 - 11:30 a.m.

**Sunday, April 8** - Maple Sugarin' Pancake Breakfast. We invite the whole community to close out the maple sugarin' season the best way we know how- with an all you can eat pancake breakfast held outside right in the middle of the sugarbush. With live music and an atmosphere that can't be beat, this is one party you won't soon forget. Be sure to dress for the weather as the event is held outdoors right at the evaporator in Riveredge's Sugarbush. An amazing experience and incredible community of friends new and old await. Riveredge Members- Adults: \$10, Kids 12 & under: \$6. Non-Members- Adult \$12, Kids 12 & under: \$8. Kids 2 & under are free. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**Thursday, April 12** - Ozaukee 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 at Thorson Elementary School in Cedarburg for an April Showers Obstacle Course Event. Dress for a spring time mess. We'll explore the woods and playground together to design an obstacle course for everyone to make their way through. We'll modify the course as time allows. Please dress in layers and prepare for potentially wet and muddy gear. Event is free, but please, Please, PLEASE RSVP if you plan to attend. For more info on all our Family Nature Clubs and to RSVP for this meeting, please click here. Thorson Elementary School, Cedarburg. 4:30 - 6 p.m.

**Thursday, April 12** - It's Spring. Let's gather in the Natural Play Area and share the wonder of nature through outdoor play. We will focus on baby animals and plant buds, while leaving lots of time for puddle stomping and mud painting. Nature sensory experiences for babies and exploration tools for older children will be available. Indoor activities will be planned in case of inclement weather. Non-Members & Trail Pass Members \$5.00 per child; All-Access Members: FREE. 10 - 11:30 a.m.

**Friday, April 13** - Join the fabulous Chef Terri for this program that will be a feast for your mind and your appetite. Create delicious, easy-to-make recipes for beginner chefs and utilize fresh ingredients in the kitchen. What better way to celebrate the season than by having our young chefs concoct recipes featuring "nature's perfect food" and a symbol of new beginnings—EGGS. Is there a difference between store-bought and farm-fresh eggs? How many different ways can you use eggs in recipes? In this class we will go from the basics (how to separate, boil,scramble eggs) to creating unique and delicious recipes like Spaghetti Carbonara, Dutch Babies and Lemon Raspberry Pudding Cakes. This program is limited to children 8-12 only, adults sit this one out to let their young chefs learn how to whip up a storm. Please be prepared to share any food allergies your child may have. Non-Members: \$25/child. Riveredge Members: \$15/child. Pre-registration required. 5 - 8 p.m.

**Saturday, April 14** - Shiitake Mushroom Cultivation Workshop. Love gourmet mushrooms and want to learn how to grow your own? Join us at Riveredge's organic farm and learn about edible mushroom cultivation and help with every step of the process to inoculate hardwood logs with Shiitake mushroom spawn. You'll leave with an inoculated Shiitake log to take home with you. \$35 (non-member), \$30 (member). Pre-registration is required. 9 a.m. - Noon.

**Saturday, April 14** - Children's Library Storytime: Wetlands by Cathryn Sill. Stop by as a family to hear the story of Wetlands, by Cathryn Sill. In simple, easy-to-understand language, this book teaches children what wetlands are, what kinds of animals and plants live there, and how wetlands help maintain the delicate balance among Earth's environments. After the story, we'll have an activity tied to the themes of the book. FREE. Recommended for Ages 7 and under. 10 - 11:30 a.m.

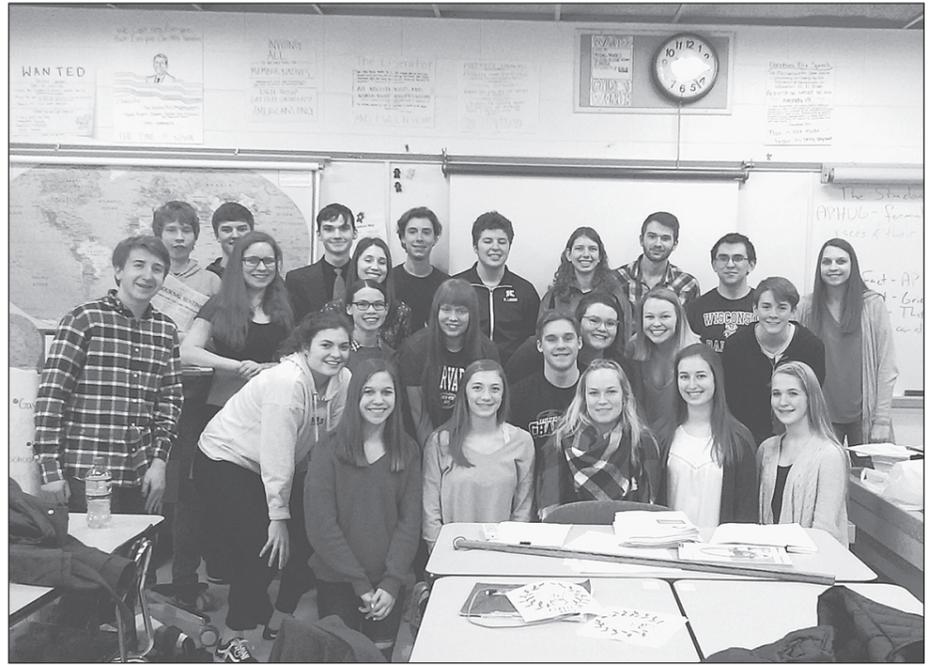
**Saturday, April 14** - Why Fly Tying? We begin the season with fly-tying because the weather is too cold and the water is too stiff for good fly-fishing. Who should be taking these tying classes? Well, it could be you. You may have been fly-fishing and buying your flies, but always wondered what it would be like to catch a fish on flies you tied yourself. I can tell you it is a fantastic feeling when a fish gulps a fly you have tied – the ultimate fly-fishing experience. Or maybe you are planning on taking the beginner fly-fishing class. Many who do, take the tying classes to help understand which flies represent what to which fish. In other words, if you are thinking fly-fishing you should be thinking fly-tying as well. Get a jump on the ultimate experience. Fly Tying for Beginners Series. This is not like other fly tying courses. This is two, three-hour sessions over one weekend. The class will meet at Riveredge both Saturday, April 14 and Sunday, April 15 from 12:30 to 3:30 PM. Students need to bring their own tools and thread, but we supply all the material, including hooks. We start with the most simple pattern and progress from there. Each pattern we tie has a history of catching fish – sometimes. Fee (for both days): \$45 for Riveredge members, \$50 for non-members. Class size is limited. Pre-registration required.





The following Kewaskum High School students were winners in the Academic Bowl: (front row, from left) Reagan Dricken (bronze, American History) and Brandi Siefken (bronze, Algebra I); and (back row) Mackenzie Wilcox (silver, Geometry), Jack Paul (bronze, General Science), Jared Thierfelder, (silver, General Science), Kirk Johnson (gold, American History) and Kyle Loehr (silver, Advanced Math).

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The following Kewaskum High Schools competed in the Academic Bowl: (front row, from left) Leah Theusch, Andrea Butz, Kennedy Adams, Taylor Cook, Berit Kirkegaard and Sophia Otten; (second row) Cole Fuehrer, Tina Bolek, Paige Rochwite, Lydia Stern, Reagan Dricken, Genna Alexander, Brandi Siefken and Jack Paul; and (back row) Gabe Stern, Jared Thierfelder, Thomas Gill, Kirk Johnson, Kyle Loehr, Hannah Lehner, Gavin Curtin, Brandon Sielski and Nicole Butz.

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## AREA CHURCH SERVICES

### Kewaskum

**Holy Trinity Catholic Church**  
331 Main St., Kewaskum  
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  
Reconciliation Saturdays 3:15 p.m.-3:45 p.m.,  
Saturday Mass at 4:00 p.m., 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  
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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.  
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**Salem United Church of Christ Wayne, WI**  
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### 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.  
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Bode, 262-483-0407.

### Campbellsport

**First United Methodist Church**  
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Sunday Service 9:45 a.m. Sunday School at 9  
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perspective each week. Communion the first  
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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  
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Service; Tuesday 8:30 a.m. School Mass;  
Wednesday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service;  
Thursday 8:30 a.m. Mass; Friday 8:30 a.m.  
Communion Service; Saturday 4 p.m. Mass;  
Sunday 9 a.m. Mass  
**St. Kilian:** 4th Sunday of the month at 7:30am  
**St. Martin:** 2nd Sunday of the month at  
7:30am Fr. Mark Jones. Phone 533-4441. New  
parishioners are always welcome.

### Dundee

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

## KHS Students Compe In Academic Bowl

On Tuesday, March 6, the Kewaskum High School Academic Bowl team competed in the conference meet at Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School.

The Academic Bowl is a competition in which students of all grade levels compete against each

other in the four core subject areas, and Kewaskum put up its best team showing ever, finishing in fourth place, just nine points out of third place.

Individual bronze medal winners for the team included Reagan Dricken (American History), Brandi Siefken (Algebra I), and

Jack Paul (General Science), while Mackenzie Wilcox (Geometry), Jared Thierfelder (General Science) and Kyle Loehr (Advanced Math) received silver medals. Kirk Johnson (American History) won gold for the third year in a row.

## Preschool Program Expanding At St. Andrew

St. Andrew Lutheran Early Childhood Campus is expanding its 3K program for the 2018-2019 school year. Starting this fall an additional two-day program will be offered on Mondays and Wednesdays along with their established Tuesday and Thursday program. Both of these two-day programs can opt for an additional third day on Fridays if they choose.

Sandy Ruback, Campus Director stated, "We are looking for ways to better address the flexibility that families are looking for in the community. By adding the second two-day program and an optional third day, parents have three options for our 3K program." The school recently surveyed their current

families and saw the need for the expansion. "We are excited about this new outreach to the community," said Ruback.

The campus also offers a 4K program with both a three and four day option. This year the campus is offering an early registration discount for those who register for the four-day 4K program by May 1. For families with two or more students, additional tuition discounts are also available. Along with the 3K and 4K programs, the campus offers an extended Lunch Brunch program that is available to both 3K and 4K students and is held over the lunch hours.

The popular Early Childhood campus was established in 1997 and offers a Christ-centered

environment where each child will experience activities appropriate for young children and their developmental stages. Each child will be given the opportunity to develop to his or her fullest potential spiritually, socially, physically, creatively, intellectually and emotionally.

Parents are encouraged to come and tour the campus at their convenience. To set up an appointment or learn more about St. Andrew Lutheran Early Childhood Campus please call Sandy Ruback, Campus Director at 262-335-4200 or email her at st.andrewecc@gmail.com or learn more at <https://www.standrew-westbend.org/ecc/>.

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**Wednesday, March 28** - Beef Stroganoff Over Noodles, Peas and Pearl Onions, Fresh Baby Carrots with Ranch, Banana, Ice Cream Sundae Cup.

**Thursday, March 29** - Glazed Ham, Hot German Potato Salad, Green Beans, Fresh Pineapple, Whole Wheat Dinner Roll, Tapioca Pudding. Alt: Diet

Pudding.  
**Friday, March 30** - Baked Cod, Baked Potato with Sour Cream, Broccoli Slaw, Marble Rye Bread, Lemon Bar, Chocolate Milk. Alt: Fruit Cocktail.

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## Fifth Graders Write For The Newspaper

By Anne Trautner

Fifth-grade students at Farmington Elementary School, Kewaskum Elementary School and Holy Trinity School learned about the Kewaskum Statesman in

recognition of Newspaper in Education Week, which was March 5-9.

Many of the students tried their hand at writing articles for the newspaper. The following are some of the articles the fifth-grade students wrote.

## Kids Take Part In Kewaskum Youth Basketball

By Fritz Gerhartz

KYB stands for Kewaskum Youth Basketball. It is for kids in grades three through six. The grades four through six play games. The kids practice about two times a week and have games on Saturdays. The sport is for boys and girls. All teams have jerseys.

Some of the best play-

ers on the fifth grade boys' teams are Kenny G., Landon D., David Z. and Nolan E. There are others, but these boys are really good and try their best all the time.

For all the KYB players, believe in yourself and achieve greatness.

If you are interested, please join next year. We always want more players.



Gradey Klintner, a fifth grader at Kewaskum Elementary School, reads an issue of the Kewaskum Statesman.

photo by Anne Trautner

## The Biggest Bibliophile At KES

By Emma Koch

Do you know the biggest bibliophile (book lover) at Kewaskum Elementary School? I do, it's Mrs. Denise Spaeth. I interviewed her at our school to ask her a couple questions.

First, I asked how long she has been working here. She said, "Sixteen years," and I said, "That's longer than I've been alive!"

Then I asked her what is her favorite part of working as a librarian. She said, "Helping kids find books they love." I also asked her what her personal favorite books were. She

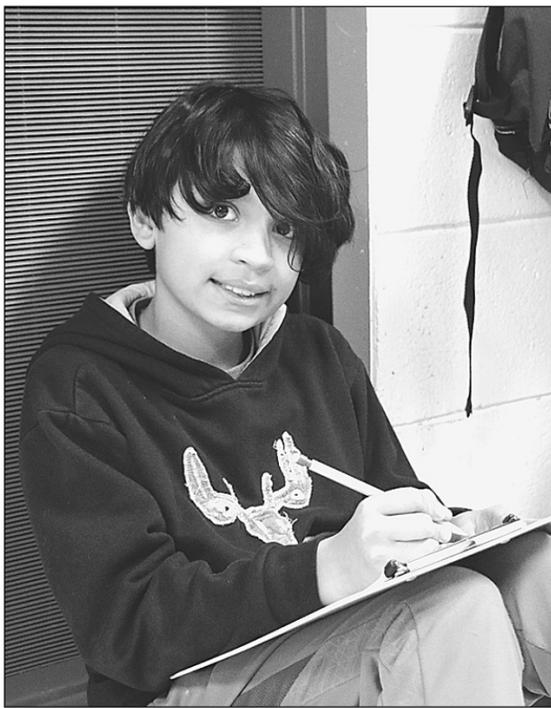
said, "The Harry Potter series," and I said, "Great choice!"

She also said the hardest part of her job was keeping the patience. Then I asked, "Why Kewaskum?"

She was assigned here after she lived in Farmington and moved here to Kewaskum.

Lastly, I asked her what her favorite grade was to work with, and she said fifth grade, and I was like "Yes!"

All in all Mrs. Denise Spaeth is a great lady and librarian. She helps kids find great books and keeps our awesome library spotless.



Dominick Davis, a fifth-grade student at Farmington Elementary School, works on creating something for the Kewaskum Statesman.

photo by Anne Trautner

## KES To Hold Talent Show

By Lauren Krebs

Have you ever been in a talent show? Well, if you haven't, you should come to the Kewaskum Elementary School talent show. Students will be displaying their work.

If you haven't had your art displayed and you go to KES, then it's your perfect chance to shine like a star. You can either have a table just for your stuff such as Legos, art, crafts and lots more, or you can do a dance or perform anything you want to up to 90 seconds.

Also, you could have friends join you on stage or on the table with crafts, art, Legos and more. You can even dress up on stage, but you cannot wear strapless dresses or shirts and show no midriffs.

You probably can't wait until you go on stage but you're only allowed to play appropriate songs like anything without rudeness, or swearing and no disrespectful songs.

You should really go. It's on Tuesday, May 15, during KES school hours.

## The Tasmanian Tiger

By Grace Lehner

The Tasmanian tiger, or Thylacine, is a creature has been extinct since September 7, 1936. But has it? Many people have set out to find out. Many people think they found Thylacine, this includes Josh Gates.

Do you watch "Expedition Unknown"? Josh Gates, the host, has shown footage of what may be the Tasmanian Tiger. He was previewing a video, when something jumped. It had stripes, a long tail, and what looked like an extremely long jaw. This fits the description of the Thylacine.

Many people have post-

ed videos of the Tasmanian tiger. The videos put most of Tasmania in panic. If you were wondering, Tasmania is Australia's island state. The Thylacine is the largest marsupial carnivore, with the world's largest yawn gate.

The Tasmanian tiger is a highly feared animal, or it was. Until now. There are still questions that are yet to be answered. America is working hard to answer some of these questions. Are the animals in the study lab really Thylacines? Are there more? If so, how many? Is the Tasmanian Tiger still out there?

## How To Be An Indian In The 21st Century

By Mara Landvatter

Do you know the book "How to be an Indian in the 21st Century?" I do. It's by my grandpa, Louis V. Clark III.

The book is about poetry. It is about his life growing up. I am one of his 12 grandchildren. He has some funny poems and some serious poems.

Most of the poems are funny.

One of the poems, called "There's a Mouse in the House," is about my grandma's fear of mice. It is also one of my favorite poems that Grandpa wrote.

I love "How to be an Indian in the 21 Century." I have read it many times because it is so good.

## The Humane Society Works To Save Animals

By Alexis Klahn

Do you know how amazing the Humane Society is? Well, I am going to tell you.

The Humane Society's mission is to save all the suffering and unloved animals. Do you want to help save suffering animals? And if you truly want or need an animal, then go to their website [www.wch-pets.org](http://www.wch-pets.org). If you ask me, I think they are true heroes!

If you want to be a part of this, then GREAT! All you need to be able to do is daily care, providing food and medication to all animals in need of it, including care for large canines to the smallest rodent.

Also, you will need to be able to haul around bags of food almost every day (50 pounds). And you must be in good condition and good with customers if you want to work at the front desk daily. And don't forget you must be 18 years or older with a legal driver's license, a good driving record and high school diploma or GED.

What do you like better: dogs, cats or small animals? I like all of them. I can't pick one over the other. I love any and every

animal.

I love to look at their wish list to see what they need or want. Here are some examples:

- Non-scoopable clay litter
- Cat and dog treats
- Cat and dog toys (harder one for dogs)
- Hot dogs
- Gift card (Walmart, Fleet Farm, Office Max, Friends of Nature pet store and TriPar gas card)
- Rabbit food

These are all things that would truly help them a lot.

People can help save all the suffering animals by donating to the Humane Society or by getting a job there.

If you need some information on the animals there:

- Johnny, dog, male, Chihuahua, three years one month 29 days, brown/white.
- Oreo, rabbit, female, lion head/Holland lop, one year 9 months 2 days, black/white.

Also, if you don't know where the Humane Society is, their address is 3650 State Road 60, Slinger, WI 53086.

So please go visit them and lend a hand to everyone who is there.

## Should Snow Rules Be Changed At KES?

By Gradey Klintner

Hello, my name is Gradey Klintner. Today I will be talking about whether the snow rules should be changed at Kewaskum Elementary School.

I think that they should change the rules because they are taking the fun away from our childhood. Not all the kids ruined our opportunity to enjoy snow. And last of all, most of the time we can't do it at home.

My opponents might argue that it could be unsafe, but if the teachers

do a good job watching us, then everyone would be safe.

And why can't the people who plow put a snow pile on the grass?

Another thing I have to add is they don't let kids climb or dig tunnels in the snow piles. And kids will break the rules anyway. And my last reason is that the teachers probably did the stuff when they were kids, so why take this away from us?

That is my opinion about whether the snow rules be changed.

The answer is yes!



Alexa Nowack, a fifth-grade Farmington Elementary School student, tries her hand at writing a newspaper article.

photo by Anne Trautner



Emma Koch, a fifth-grade student at Kewaskum Elementary School, enjoys creating something for the Kewaskum Statesman during Newspapers In Education Week.

photo by Anne Trautner

## The Revolutionary War

By Maxim Thomas Zernia

The Revolutionary War was a war between the 13 colonies and England. George III was the King of Great Britain when the Revolutionary War was happening. George Washington was the general who led the Patriots onto the battlefield.

The Revolutionary War lasted seven years in the 1700s. It lasted from April 19, 1775, to September 3, 1783. In 1783, the Treaty of Paris was signed, and brought America freedom from England. Then, 13 years after the American Revolutionary War, France had a revolution modeled after the American one. Soon after, Texas fought for their freedom from Mexico creating the Texas Declaration of Independence.

The Revolutionary War took place at the Caribbean, the East Coast of North America and the Gulf Coast of North America. Those are only a few places the Revolutionary War took place. Most of the fighting took place in New York, New England, and New Jersey.

The Revolutionary War took place because the 13 colonies wanted freedom from England. Also in April 1775, many Redcoats and Minutemen shot at many people in Lexington. This was called "the shot heard around the world."

The Revolutionary War changed the world because without the American Revolution other countries would have never gotten the idea to become free, and maybe they would not be free even today.

## Did You Know That America Was Named After A Famous Explorer?

By Julia Steiers

America was named after Amerigo Vespucci (uh-MAIR-ih-goh; veh-SPOO-chee). He was from the Italian city-state of Florence. Vespucci was born in 1454. He didn't believe that Christopher Columbus and Giovanni Caboto/John Cabot landed in Asia.

In the year 1499, Vespucci set sail just south of where Columbus had landed. Two years after that voyage, the king of Portugal sent Vespucci on another journey. This time the king wanted him to sail down the coast of South America. The king wanted him to start at

present-day Venezuela to present-day Argentina.

While Vespucci was sailing, he tried to look for signs that he had reached Asia. Vespucci read the books that Marco Polo wrote while he was in Asia, but nothing fit the description.

Finally, Vespucci came to the conclusion that Columbus and Caboto had been wrong about how they found the new water route to present-day China. Vespucci figured out that the land they thought to be Asia was really a new continent. After the news spread, Italy had changed the name of the newfound land to America.

## Kewaskum Youth Basketball

By Abigail Resch

Kewaskum Youth Basketball (KYB) is a basketball program that kids can join and learn basketball skills and learn about how to be a team. In KYB kids practice two to three times a week and play one to two games on Saturdays during the winter months. Also, kids will play teams all around our local area. For example, some teams I play are Laconia, Lomira, Oakfield and North Fond du Lac. The team may have to go to one of these places, or stay in Kewaskum.

The program has volunteer coaches who work

with the varsity basketball coaches to make sure the kids learn some skills on plays that will be used in high school basketball. If kids want to join they have to live in the Kewaskum School District. Holy Trinity, Farmington, Kewaskum and i4L are some schools you should be attending to join KYB. The program involves teamwork, fair play, skill development, fitness, family involvement and determination/hard work.

I like basketball. This program helped me develop skills, work as a team and understand the game more. I even met new friends from different schools.

## Hagia Sophia

By Elijah McChain

Hagia Sophia is called Church of the Holy Wisdom. It is a cathedral built at Constantinople (now Istanbul, Turkey) in the sixth century. Hagia Sophia is one of the biggest mysteries in history. The mystery in Hagia Sophia is that there is plaster over some of the Christian Mosaics.

Over the centuries, Hagia Sophia had two different religions, first Christian and then Muslim. It was the Muslims who took it over and covered the Christian mosaics with plaster. It was converted to a mosque.

Hagia Sophia had been

the largest cathedral in the world for over 1,000 years. It was designed with a very large dome in the center having great arches to support it. It also had semedomes to support the arches.

Hagia Sophia's great dome once fell apart during an earthquake. After that, the constructor's son rebuilt the dome a little different. He built the dome with 45 windows at the base so that there was not a lot of weight on the semedomes. Since then, it survived many other earthquakes.

Hagia Sophia is now a museum for people to look at. Let's hope it survives for years to come.

## School Happenings

### Kewaskum High School

**Thursday, March 22**

√ Driven to Better Health Wellness Fair, Kewaskum High School 5:30 - 8 p.m.

**Monday, March 26 - Friday, March 30**

√ No School.

**Tuesday, March 27**

√ Girls Varsity Track Invitational vs. Lourdes Academy at UW Oshkosh - Kolf Sports Center 4 p.m.

**Monday, April 2**

√ Trap Team Varsity Meet vs. Horicon at New Fane Sportsmans Club Time TBD

√ KHS Baseball Team Open Gym Kewaskum High School Auxiliary Gym 6 - 8 p.m.

**Tuesday, April 3**

√ Softball Varsity Game vs. Campbellsport at Campbellsport High School 4:45 p.m.

√ Softball JV Game vs. Campbellsport at Campbellsport High School 4:45 p.m.

√ KHS Baseball Team Open Gym Kewaskum High School Auxiliary Gym 6 - 8 p.m.

**Thursday, April 5**

√ Trap Team Varsity Meet vs. Campbellsport at Eden Rod And Gun Club Time TBD

√ Soccer Girls Varsity Match vs. Kiel at Kiel Soccer Complex 4:30 p.m.

√ Soccer Girls JV Match vs. Kiel at Kiel Soccer Complex 4:30 p.m.

√ Softball Varsity Game vs. Winneconne at Kewaskum Kiwanis Community Park Softball Field 1 4:45 p.m.

√ Softball JV Game vs. Winneconne at Kewaskum Kiwanis Community Park Softball Field 2 4:45 p.m.

√ KHS Baseball Team Open Gym Kewaskum High School Auxiliary Gym 6 - 8 p.m.

**Friday, April 6**

√ Track Varsity Game vs. Kiel, Lake Country Lutheran, Oostburg, Roncalli, St. Mary's Springs, Valdars, Winnebago Lutheran Academy at Oostburg High School 4 p.m.

**Sunday, April 8**

√ Moraine Musicians Honors Recital Kewaskum High School Theatre 1:45 - 4:30 p.m.

√ Moraine Musicians Honors Recital Reception Kewaskum High School Cafeteria 2:30 - 5 p.m.

√ KYB Youth and Men's Open Basketball Kewaskum High School Field House 7 - 9 p.m.

## School Happenings

### Kewaskum Middle School

**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.

**Monday, March 26 - Friday, March 30**

√ No School.

### Kewaskum Elementary School

**Monday, March 26 - Friday, March 30**

√ No School.

**Thursday, April 5**

√ Summer School Registration Kewaskum Elementary Computer Lab 5:45 - 6:45 p.m.

### Farmington Elementary School

**Monday, March 26 - Friday, March 30**

√ No School.

√ Farmington Elementary School PTO Dance 6 - 8 p.m.

### i4 Learning Elementary School

**Tuesday, April 3**

√ PTO Meeting 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

### Holy Trinity School

**Friday, March 23**

√ Fifth Grade State Fair

**Monday, March 26 - Friday, March 30**

√ No School.

**Tuesday, April 3**

√ Classes Resume.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Kewaskum school district residents,

We bear the responsibility to make sure our kids are safe. When they go to school our elected officials bear the responsibility to make sure our school district is equipped to safely protect our children. There are many ideas circulating around our country but none are more important than the ones right here in Kewaskum.

Bradley A. Petersen is a candidate for this year's Kewaskum School Board election. His top priority is your children's safety, besides their education.

Bradley does not believe that opinions will solve the issue, but rather conversation.

Conversation/discussion at public forums with community members, teachers and with our local police department, makes more sense, than just allowing the school board or administration in making the decisions that affect our students... and teachers... He would like to hear what YOU the people want.

Bradley A. Petersen would also be committed to working with our state legislatures to keep our children safe and our schools safe.

A vote for Bradley A. Petersen is a vote for your child's safety.

Signed,  
Matthew Spoerl

Dear Editor,

I am writing to show my support for the re-election of Mark Sette to the Kewaskum School Board.

I have known Mark for approximately 20 years on a professional and personal level. I have worked with Mark on a professional level and can attest to his integrity, his dedication to the community, and his public service.

I have heard Mark speak at many different community forums. During these forums, Mark has demonstrated that he cares about educating children, parents, and other citizens on issues in the community as well as solutions to keep our community safe.

On a personal level, Mark is always willing to assist people in need and volunteers his time to charitable organizations.

Mark and the current board have achieved many things over the last few years. The school referendum and building project are in the forefront of those achievements.

As a taxpayer and grandparent of a school age child, I am happy that the schools are drastically improving at a minimal cost. I believe that because of this, Kewaskum is quickly becoming a community that people want to come to and a place to raise their children.

In closing, if you are satisfied with the direction

and progress made by the Kewaskum School Board and want to ensure that the school district continues to move forward in a positive direction, please

join me in voting for Mark Sette on April 3rd.

Sincerely,  
James A. Theep

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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.

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\*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.

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The Aging & Disability Resource Center is offering a six week series of Savvy Caregiver training. Classes will meet six consecutive Thursdays, April 19, 26 and May 3, 10, 17, 24, 2018 – 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. at the United Way Resource Center, 1121 E. Sumner Street, Hartford, WI 53027.

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**Good Friday:**  
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**Holy Saturday:**  
8 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
8:30 a.m. Service

**Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
6340 Hwy-D  
Allenton  
262-629-5914  
Pastor Steven Bode  
**Maundy Thursday:**  
7 p.m. Service  
**Good Friday:**  
1 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
6 a.m. Sunrise Service  
Easter breakfast after service  
9 a.m. Service

## Campbellsport Area

**St. Matthew's Catholic Church**  
Main and Helena  
Campbellsport  
920-533-4441  
Rev. Mark Jones  
**Palm Sunday:**  
9 a.m. Service  
**Holy Thursday:**  
6:30 p.m. Service  
**Good Friday:**  
12 p.m. Service  
**Holy Saturday:**  
8 p.m. Easter Vigil  
**Easter Sunday:**  
9 a.m. Easter Mass

**Immanuel Lutheran Church WI Synod**  
350 S. Helena St.  
Campbellsport  
533-4385  
Rev. Paul A. Cerny  
**Maundy Thursday:**  
7 p.m. Service w/Communion  
**Good Friday:**  
1 p.m. Service w/Communion  
7 p.m. Tenebrae Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
6 a.m. Sunrise Service  
7 a.m. Easter Breakfast  
9 a.m. Festival Service w/Communion

**St. Martin Chapel**  
Ashford  
533-4441  
Rev. Mark Jones  
**Easter Sunday:**  
7:30 a.m. Mass

**Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church of Dundee**  
494 Elm St.  
533-4138  
Pastor Bobby Oberg  
**Palm Sunday:**  
8 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Services  
**Maundy Thursday:**  
7 p.m. Service w/Communion  
**Good Friday:**  
1:30 p.m. Worship w/Communion  
7 p.m. Tenebrae Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
6 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Worship services  
7 a.m. Easter Breakfast

**Campbellsport Alliance Church**  
N1876 County Rd, Campbellsport  
533-5123  
Rev. Doug Birr  
**Easter Theme: Come Alive**  
**Palm Sunday:**  
9 a.m. Service "Above & Beyond"  
**Good Friday:**  
1:30 p.m. Service "Head Held High"  
**Easter Sunday:**  
8 a.m. Easter Breakfast  
9 a.m. Service "Power To Change"

**St. Kilian Chapel**  
N189 Highway W, Campbellsport  
533-4441  
Rev. Mark Jones  
**Palm Sunday:**  
7:30 a.m. Service

**St. Matthias Chapel**  
N1044 County Highway S  
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**No Services**

**United Christian Church**  
228 Forest, Campbellsport  
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Rev. Paula Anderson  
**Good Friday:**  
Noon at First United Methodist Church in Campbellsport  
7 p.m. at Bethel on County Rd K west of Eden  
**Easter Sunday:**  
9 a.m. Festival Service w/Communion

## Kewaskum Area

**Kewaskum House of Prayer**  
100 Clinton St Kewaskum  
**Good Friday:**  
1 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
10 a.m. Service

**St. John Lutheran Church**  
N665 Highway S  
New Fane  
262-626-2309  
Rev. Mark Eckert  
**Maundy Thursday:**  
7 p.m. Service  
**Good Friday:**  
1:30 p.m. Service w/Communion  
**Easter Sunday:**  
6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service  
Breakfast Between Services  
9 a.m. Easter Festival Service

**St. Lucas Ev. Lutheran Church**  
1417 Parkview Dr.  
Kewaskum 626-2680  
Rev. Timothy Henning  
Rev. Troy Swenson  
**Palm Sunday:**  
8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.  
**Maundy Thursday:**  
6:30 p.m.  
**Good Friday:**  
1 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.  
**Easter Sunday:**  
6 a.m. Dawn Service  
7 a.m. Breakfast  
8:30 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. Festival Services

**Salem United Church of Christ**  
Hwy W & Hwy H/Mohawk Rd, Wayne  
Pastor Ruth Hansen  
262-626-4000  
**Palm Sunday:**  
9 a.m. Procession with Palms  
**Maundy Thursday:**  
6 p.m. Cold Potluck Supper  
**Easter Sunday**  
6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service  
7:30 a.m. Easter Breakfast  
9 a.m. Service w/Communion

**Peace United Church of Christ**  
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**Palm Sunday:**  
8 a.m. Service  
**Maundy Thursday:**  
7:30 p.m. Service w/ Communion  
**Good Friday:**  
1 p.m. Service  
7:30 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
7 a.m. Sunrise Worship w/ Communion  
8 a.m. Breakfast  
9:30 a.m. Worship w/ Communion

**St. John's Evangelical Church**  
5696 Beaver Dam Rd.,  
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414-861-4613  
Pastor Terrie R. Beede  
**Good Friday:**  
7 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
8:30 a.m. Sunrise Breakfast  
10 a.m. Service

**Holy Trinity Catholic Church**  
331 Main Street  
Kewaskum 626-2860  
Father Edwin Kornath  
**Holy Thursday:**  
7 p.m. Service  
**Good Friday:**  
1 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
7:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Services

**St. Michael's Catholic Church**  
8877 Forestview Road  
Kewaskum (St. Michaels)  
Father Edwin Kornath  
**Good Friday:**  
7 p.m. Stations of the Cross  
**Holy Saturday:**  
8 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
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**Easter Sunday:**  
10 a.m. Service

**New Horizon United Church of Christ**  
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Pastor David Schieter  
**Palm Sunday:**  
9 a.m. Service  
**Good Friday:**  
7 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
6:30 a.m. and 9 a.m. Services

## West Bend Area

**Holy Angels Catholic Church**  
138 N 8th Ave  
West Bend  
262-334-3038  
Rev. Gerald Brittain  
**Holy Thursday:**  
7 p.m. Service  
**Good Friday:**  
1 p.m. Service  
**Holy Saturday:**  
8 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
6:30 a.m., 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Services

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**Holy Thursday:**  
7 p.m. Service  
**Good Friday:**  
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**Holy Saturday:**  
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**Easter Sunday:**  
8 a.m., 10 a.m. & 11:30 a.m. Services

**St. Mary's Immaculate Conception Parish**  
1610 Monroe St., West Bend (Barton)  
Fr. Nathan Reesman  
**Holy Thursday:**  
7 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper  
9:45 p.m. - Night Prayer  
**Good Friday:**  
12:30 p.m. Celebration of the Passion  
7 p.m. Celebration of the Passion in Spanish  
**Holy Saturday:**  
8 p.m. Easter Vigil  
**Easter Sunday:**  
7:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Masses  
Spanish Mass at 1 p.m.

**West Bend Community Church**  
2005 S. Main St.  
West Bend  
262-338-0725  
Pastor Adam Baker  
**Good Friday:**  
4 p.m. Service  
**Easter Sunday:**  
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As part of Kewaskum School District's capital project, drain tiles have been placed in the field to the east of Kewaskum Middle School and Kewaskum High School. The drain tiles should help prevent storm water from flooding the property.

photo by Anne Trautner

## Healthy Living With Diabetes Workshop Offered In West Bend

The Aging & Disability Resource Center is offering a Healthy Living with Diabetes workshop. This workshop is designed to help adults with type 2 diabetes, pre-diabetes or living with someone with diabetes learn self-management skills and increase their confidence in managing their diabetes. Individuals who attend the workshop learn techniques to deal with the symptoms of diabetes, fitness for exercise and fun,

relaxation techniques, healthy eating strategies and much more. Former workshop participants have reported improved health, health behavior, and a sense of confidence in managing their diabetes. The workshop focuses on helping you feel better, have more control, and do the things you want to do. The Healthy Living with Diabetes workshop will be offered on Tuesdays, April 17 – May 22, 2018, 1 -

3:30 p.m. at the Kettle Moraine YMCA BMO Harris Room, 1111 W. Washington Street, West Bend, WI. The workshop will be facilitated by two trained leaders. There is no charge for the class. Enrollment is limited to 12 participants and pre-registration is required. Call Heidi at 414-732-6548 before Tuesday, April 17, to register or for more information.

## Arthritis Foundation Walk With Ease Program Offered In Jackson

The Aging & Disability Resource Center is offering a Walk with Ease program. The program is designed for people with arthritis to increase balance and strength, reduce pain and improve overall health. It is also suitable for people without arthritis who would like to begin a regular walking program. If

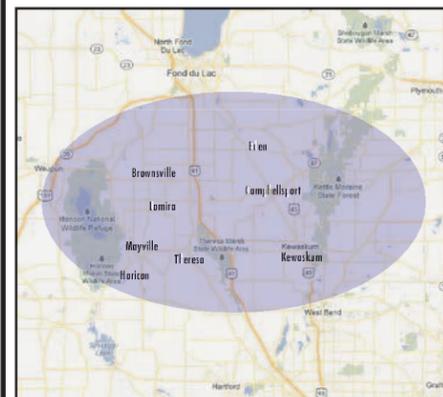
you can be on your feet for 10 minutes without increased pain, then you can probably participate successfully. The Walk with Ease Program will be offered at Jackson Community Center, N165 W20330 Hickory Lane, Jackson WI, on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays

1 - 2 p.m. beginning April 9 through May 18, 2018. It's Fun and it's Free. Option to purchase the Walk With Ease book for \$6. Space is limited and pre-registration is required. Call Jackson Community Center at 262-677-9665 to enroll before Monday, April 9, 2018, or for more information.

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# School District Approves First Round Of Bids For Field Projects

The Kewaskum School Board approved its first round of bids on the athletic field updates at its March 12 board meeting.

The first of two field space projects is replacing the grass at the Doc Mitchell Athletic Complex with a much more durable turf product as well as resurfacing the running track. The second athletic project is bringing the softball and baseball fields back on campus. The new playing fields would be located to the north and northeast of the current middle school, which is scheduled to be demolished this summer.

The School Board and administration have been working closely with CD Smith and the Rettler Corporation to have these two projects coincide with the capital project. This allows for better pricing and less money being spent on mobilizing subcontractors to the district's campus.

With this in mind, the turf

bid combined three fields worth of turf into one bid, which led to a better overall price. Additionally, the district benefited by negotiating a deal that provides the district with a product that is of higher quality, more durable, and the safest product the company offers on all three of the fields.

The district received proposals from five firms for the project which includes the turf, padding, logo painting, and maintenance equipment. The combined dollar amount for the turf project was set to not exceed \$589,000.

The district received bids from four firms for the track removal, resurfacing and re-striping of lines. The accepted bid is actually lower than the last time the district performed this type of project. Part of the reason for the lower bid is that the earthwork is combined with the turf project, making it the most cost effective time to do the complete resurfacing.

This project was set not to exceed \$109,600.

The same resounding theme rings through with the construction management of the Doc Mitchell project. Because CD Smith is already on site as it works on the capital project, its bid on managing the athletic fields project is 15-20 percent lower than if the district would try to complete this project at a future date. The total amount for CD Smith services is not to exceed \$491,500.

The total cost of the athletic field updates is not yet known.

On October 9, the School Board unanimously approved spending up to \$1.4 million on the Doc Mitchell Athletic Complex.

On January 22, the School Board unanimously approved spending up to \$1.2 million on building a new baseball field and a new softball field on school property.

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This is a view of the Bales residence near West Bend after Daniel's Landscaping of Campbellsport was done with the landscaping work. Continuous use of antique pavers creates nice flow from patio through entrance area/pergola and out to driveway. It is a great use of an otherwise confined space.

-photo submitted



This is a view of the Bales residence near West Bend after Daniel's Landscaping of Campbellsport was done with the landscaping work. Surrounding gardens and trees, installed by the owner, create a nice setting for the new patio.

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This is a view of the Bales residence near West Bend during construction of pergola and laying of new driveway slab that Daniel's Landscaping of Campbellsport was doing. Properly pitched concrete diverts water down and away from garage door.

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# Daniel's Landscaping Wins Award On Area Residence

Daniel's Landscaping won an award from the Wisconsin Landscape Contractors Association's Excellence in Landscaping Awards on a landscaping project they did at the Bales residence in the West Bend area. On Friday, March 2, at the Wisconsin Club in Milwaukee, the Campbellsport company received an award for the work.

Owner Dan Stukenberg explained his landscaping on this project:

"The client wanted to maximize the space in their yard, and fulfill their desire to create a special place. They had established spaces for flower and vegetable gardens and completed many of the plantings.

"We were called in to help solve drainage and circulation problems as well as creating an outdoor living space. The existing patio between the house and garage and the concrete approach leading from the drive to the entry way were in poor shape.

"Drainage was tricky.

Water drained to their garage from their neighbor's property. We recommended slabs be removed and replaced with new surfaces that diverted water away from the garage and along the drive edge towards the road.

"Before pouring the drive or laying the new brick, electrical conduit was installed underground for lighting. A privacy fence was installed along the new portion of the drive which serves as a backdrop when bigger gatherings spill out into the drive from the patio.

"The project needed to be orchestrated in phases. After phase one, removal of old drive and patio, we moved to the next phase which was installation of half of the new antique brick patio located in the backyard. This new space maximized the sun exposure and visual elements of the flower gardens and newly developed areas of the yard.

"After this, the clients were given time to build the porch deck and pergo-

la located between the new addition and the garage. Then we came back and installed the remaining brick which ties the garage and entryway to the new backyard patio. Machinery access to the backyard would be limited after pergola construction.

"The porch was designed to be an inviting 'foyer' to the new addition. A pergola was suggested to provide enclosure and to decrease the intensity of the hot afternoon sun on the southwest exposure. The entire new space flows graciously from the drive to the house entrance, and continues to the back patio and yard.

"In conclusion, the client's goal was to create their own private sanctuary. Client has shared that this completed landscape design makes her happy, brings her peace, and is a comforting element in her life."

Daniel's Landscaping is based in Campbellsport and has won many awards over the years for owner Dan Stukenberg's landscape designs.



This is a view of the Bales residence near West Bend after Daniel's Landscaping of Campbellsport was done with the landscaping work. The client wanted to create welcoming area to the rear entrance of her house for company to enter through.

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# Library Happenings



## ACTIVITIES AT THE KEWASKUM PUBLIC LIBRARY

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

### 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](http://www.kewaskum.lib.wi.us)

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**March Book Madness** When you check something out at the circulation desk, ask for a voting ballot to choose your favorite books. Vote for your favorite books to win and automatically be entered in a drawing to win a \$5 Coffee Corner gift card.

### 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.

### 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.

### 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.

### Pokemon Party

Thursday, March 29. Calling all Pokemon players. Join us at the library to battle and trade cards with friends. Other activities and snacks will be provided. All ages welcome. 3:00 p.m.

### Storytime

Storytimes are on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m.

### March 28

It's Raining, It's Pouring. April 4 Where Do Animals Live?

# Indian Foursome Places Second

By Judy Harlow

Even though several of its sprinters from 2017 have graduated, the Kewaskum High 4x200-meter relay provided the main highlight in the opening meet of this season — the Oshkosh High School Indoor Invitational for Small School.

Running at the Kolf Field House on the UW-Oshkosh campus on March 15, the Indians' foursome of Cameron Dodge, Cade Peterson, Cole Surprenant and Tony Steger, finished second with a time of 1 minute, 37.80 seconds (1:37.80) for eight of its 13 points.

Kewaskum finished 14th in the field of 23 teams. Perennial track power Freedom won the meet with 67.50 points, while Berlin, like Kewaskum a member of the East Central Conference, was second with 53, Wautoma/Faith Christ was third at 34 while there were four teams, including Luxemburg-Casco, Fox Valley Lutheran, Kewaunee and Two Rivers, tied for fourth at 20.

"This meet ... We don't go into it with high expectations. It's a shakeout meet, just to see where we stand," KHS Coach Kris Evans, starting his third season, said about the meet, adding, "We were happy with the results."

The KHS relay team was edged out by Wautoma/Faith Christ by .25 of a second. Evans said it was close all the

way, reporting the winners led from start to finish.

The senior Peterson, who placed fifth in the 200 of the state meet last June, was clocked in 54.11 in the open 400. This was good enough for fifth place, while newcomer Cole Surprenant finished eighth in the long jump field with a jump of 18 feet, 10.5 inches (18-10.5.)

Evans said Peterson wanted to run the 400 in this meet to have a chance at breaking the school record. "He came

up a bit shy," the coach said.

Other top-10 finishes by KHS athletes include: ninth by Tyler Heus in the 400 (54.69), just .08 away from placing; tie for 10th by Tony Steger in the high jump (5-06); and 10th by Jon Leister in the shot put (41-08.50).

Evans was pleased with his two long jumpers, Surprenant and Gabe Christenson. "We're excited to see what they can do. I think they are both 19-foot guys," he said, reporting Christenson,

whose best at Oshkosh was 17-06.50, "still has to get his steps down."

Evans may take a half dozen boys to an invitational in Ripon on March 24.

The Lady Indians will open their season at Oshkosh on Tuesday, March 27.

The first outdoor meet of the year is scheduled for Friday, April 7 when Kewaskum will compete at the annual Oostburg Invitational.

# United Way Names New Board Officers

## — Moraine Park Dean Elected to Top Role

United Way of Washington County announced the approval of new board officers for the 2018-2019 term. Pete Rettler, dean of Moraine Park Technical College's West Bend campus has been selected as board president.

"Serving as Chair of the Community Impact Committee the last few years allowed me to learn about some incredible programs being provided in Washington County," Rettler said. "It also showed me how our United Way dollars are tied directly to measurable outcomes that positively impact our communities. I am very humbled to lead a very influential group of community leaders and looking forward to working with Kristin and her team."

The other board officers are: vice president Josh Schoemann, Washington County; treasurer Tom Hopp, Commerce State Bank; and secretary Cory Neuy, of Regal Ware.

"We are honored to have these community leaders investing their time and talent on the United Way board of directors," said Kristin Brandner, executive director. "Having a board with diverse experiences and skill sets helps us become a stronger organization. I look forward to working together to make Washington County a better place for all."

United Way's board of



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directors is entirely composed of community volunteers. Board members are responsible for providing organizational governance and final approval for all funding decisions.

In addition to the board officers, members include: Katie Andrae, BMO Harris Bank; Mary Lynn Bennett, Community Volunteer; John Bloor, The Threshold; Janean Brudvig, Interfaith Caregivers; Deb Cahoon, West Bend Mutual Insurance; Julie Gabelmann, Washington County Economic Development; Scott Henke, Hartford Area Chamber of Commerce; Ryan Hetzel, Hetzel Law Office; Tom Hostad, Hartford Area Development Corp.; Rob Huether, Sysco Eastern Wisconsin; Ben Huffman, Legendary Whitetails; Angela Johnson, Menasha Corporation; Jackie Joseph-Silverstein, UW-Washington County;

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United Way of Washington County supports more than 25 Education, Financial Stability, and Health programs through 20 local nonprofit partners.

United Way of Washington County provides resources and solutions for health and human service needs in communities throughout Washington County, Wisconsin. With a focus on Education, Financial Stability, and Health, United Way's mission is to improve lives and community conditions in measurable and lasting ways. For more information about United Way of Washington County's work, or to join our fight to create meaningful, measurable and lasting change for people throughout our county, visit [UnitedWayOfWashingtonCounty.org](http://UnitedWayOfWashingtonCounty.org).

# Economic Development Washington County Develops Plan To Operate Without County Taxes

At its March 13 meeting, the Washington County Board of Supervisors unanimously approved a plan to support Economic Development Washington County without county tax contributions beginning in 2022.

The plan "doubles down" on investment in the County's Economic Development Strategy. It funds the County's Revolving Loan Fund programs to the tune of an additional \$10 million and steps down the County's contributions to EDWC's operating budget over the next five years (2018-2022). The result is an \$18.5 million dollar evergreen fund for economic development, enabling EDWC to use fees for service and interest earnings to sustain their operations.

"This plan is a great example of a strategic investment for Washington County," said County Administrator Joshua Schoemann. "The direction and injection of tax payer resources to economic

growth and vitality of the County through EDWC with the intent to attract, retain and develop businesses is no coincidence." Economic Growth and Vitality was named a top priority in the County's priority based budgeting exercise.

EDWC has geared its efforts into growing the current economic status of Washington County through decision support, deal structuring, and consulting services. The ultimate goal is to create an attractive and competitive economic atmosphere. With 98% of EDWC customers being existing Washington County corporations, EDWC's success includes 2,222 new jobs created, \$146,742,504 new annual wages, and \$491,377,913 in new annual sales since 2005.

"EDWC has become recognized statewide how it innovatively structures deals to create a win-win for both Washington County growth companies and the local residents who work for them," said

Tscheschlok, "funding our work in this way extends that innovative capability to fuel a self-sustaining growth engine, adding a third win: a lesser burden for taxpayers as the base grows from each resulting success."

In 2017, the County created an Advisory Committee to meet with various entities such as EDWC with the objective to work together and develop an effective financial sustainability plan that will assist each entity to become independent of County funding to sustain their operations. EDWC's plan marks the first outside entity plan to be approved by the County Board. Earlier, the County Board approved the Transportation Network Sustainability Plan to fund road maintenance and the Parks Fiscal Sustainability Plan to fund parks. These initiatives have enabled Washington County to better meet taxpayer demands to achieve lower taxes and quality services.

# Spring Equinox Hike To Be Held At Polk Kames

Celebrate the arrival of Spring with a 4.4 mile round-trip hike at the Polk Kames.

The hike will be held on Saturday, March 24 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Meet at the DNR's Highway NN parking lot,

one half mile east of Highway 144. Watch for yellow "Ice Age Trail Event" signs.

Wear comfortable hiking boots/footwear and dress appropriately for the weather. Spring weather can be unpredictable and

the trail can be icy or muddy this time of year. Bring water and your camera.

Please contact Lance Henrickson, 262-573-8326, for more information.



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# Despite Tough Loss, Local Chargers Enjoyed Their State Experience

By Judy Harlow

The ball hit the front rim, then the backboard and dropped through the net as time expired, producing euphoria for the Valders boys basketball team and disappointment for the number four-seeded Kettle Moraine Lutheran Chargers, who played their hearts out before losing 63-61 in overtime of the Division 3 semifinal game in the WIAA State Tournament on March 15.

Trent Hickmann's basket was the only one scored in the OT period after the two teams were deadlocked at 61-61. KML's Zach Zuleger had tied the game with a short jumper with just over a minute to play in regulation, and neither team scored the rest of the way.

The same was true in overtime until the closing seconds when a deflection was controlled by Valders, and one of the Vikings found Hickmann open for his game-winning shot.

Solomon Zarlring led the Chargers in scoring with 22 points and had four blocked shots, while Zuleger added 12 points, and Andrew May

gave the team an early lift with a pair of three-pointers.

Even though their first trip to state didn't end the way they wanted it to, the two Kewaskum players who were instrumental in KML's success this winter, senior Brandon Heckendorf and sophomore Jacob Stoltz, were pleased to have had the opportunity to play in the Kohl Center.

"It was a good experience ... It was tough we lost," Stoltz, who scored seven points and had four rebounds, said Monday, adding, "I am so blessed to have the opportunity to go to Madison."

Stoltz said the team left for Madison on the morning of the 15th and "had a little parade through town" with an escort from the Jackson Fire Department.

Heckendorf agreed the ride in the coach bus was really special. "It was really neat to see the whole community come out," he said. "Then I realized we weren't just doing this just for ourselves. We were bringing everyone together ... the alumni, the residents and the whole Charger nation."

Looking back at the game, Stoltz said what was disappointing was the fact "We had a lot of chances (in the overtime). We were just one basket away (from winning). It was tough, especially for the seniors since this was their last game."

"After the game, we certainly couldn't be mad at ourselves. We outplayed Valders," Heckendorf said, pointing out KML out-rebounded the Vikings by 20 and had two fewer turnovers than they committed. "We hung in there. It just came down to a last-second shot."

When asked what coach Todd Jahns told the players afterward, Stoltz said, "He wanted us to reflect on the season and how we made history."

"We were heart-broken," Stoltz said, but "He was happy with the season, and how we made it memorable."

With all five starters graduating, Stoltz will be called on to be a leader for the Chargers, and he is prepared to take on that role. "This summer, we are all going to have to work hard to get better," he said.

"We all probably had the time of our life playing in the Kohl Center," Heckendorf said. "It's just a dream come true."

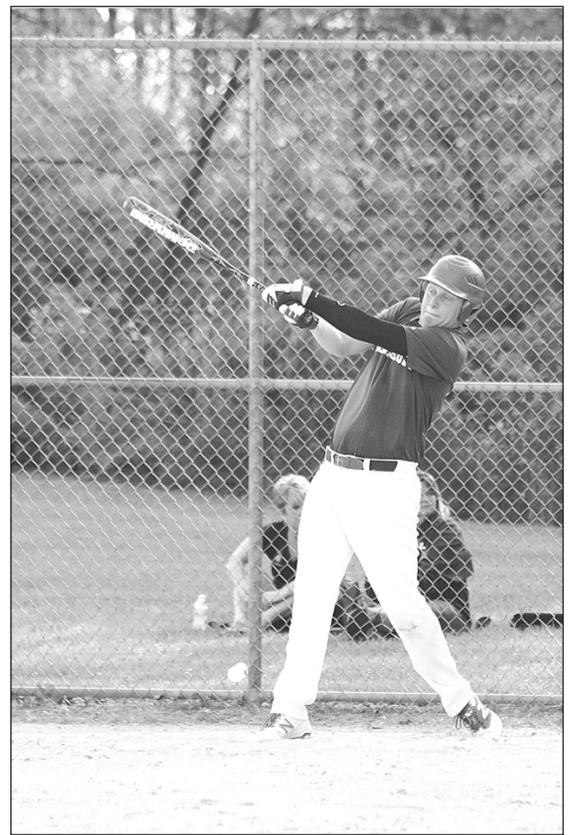
VALDERS 33-28-2-63

KM LUTHERAN 29-32-0-61

KM Lutheran: Grant Biesterfeld 4, Blake Nelson 0, Jacob Niemann 2, Jacob Stoltz 7, Solomon Zarlring 22, Brandon Heckendorf 4, Andrew May 10, Zachary Zuleger 12. 3-point goals—Stoltz (2), Zarlring (3), May (2), FTs—6x11. Fouls—14.

Valders: Trent Hickmann 5, Kyle Tuma 24, Jake Beimborn 11, Treyner Sundsmo 21, Fletcher Dallas 0, Conner Faucett 2. 3-point goals—Hickman, Tuma (3), Beimborn (3), Sundsmo (4). FTs—6x10. Fouls—10.

Writer's note: Valders was edged by Prescott in a 63-62 thriller in the finale. Valders had gone up 62-60 on a three-pointer by Kyle Tuma, but the Cardinals' Peter Brookshaw hit a 25-foot jumper with less than a second to go for the win.



Andrew Neu, a senior at Kewaskum High School, will play baseball for Madison Area Technical College.

photo by Anne Trautner

## Neu Settles On Playing For MATC

By Judy Harlow

Having a left-handed pitcher is a bonus for a high school baseball team, and losing one can be devastating.

The latter was the position the Kewaskum High baseball team was in early last season when junior Andrew Neu, a six-foot, three-inch fast baller went down with a torn meniscus in the third game of the year. His loss definitely affected the Indians, who eventually finished the season at 10-14, including an 8-10 mark in the North Shore Conference.

Fast forward to 2018, and the senior Neu, with his surgically repaired knee, is getting ready to return to the mound for the Indians, and he has committed to play for Madison Area Technical College next year.

When asked if he was getting excited for the May 15 starting date, Neu said, "Oh yeah. That's all I want to do is start the baseball season. I feel it's going to be a big year."

The road to recovery was not easy, according to Neu, who remembers the scenario against Plymouth on May 27. "I think it was the top of the fourth (inning)," he said, indicating, "I took a big swing on a 3-and-1 pitch, fouled it off but in the process snapped my meniscus."

Neu had surgery on June 7 and, "I started rehabbing two weeks later," a process that continued for four months.

Neu said he got an emotional lift when he got to pitch limited innings in some fall games he participated in with the Milwaukee Baseball Academy in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, St. Louis and Las Vegas. Then he started making plans for the future, contacting sev-

eral colleges and junior colleges. Mike Davenport, the coach at MATC, called him about playing with the Wolfpack.

"I had a video on a prep baseball report," Neu said, indicating Davenport saw it, and, "I think he liked what he saw."

Neu visited the school in November and met some of the players during the Madison trip. "I know a lot of people who went there. I played with a few of them on the A's (Kewaskum Athletics)," he said, indicating he hopes to also get a chance at playing first base when he isn't pitching.

The Wolfpack program certainly has an impressive resume, which includes three National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Division II World Series titles, 35 conference titles and 17 regional titles. The Wolfpack play in the North Central Community College Conference against teams in Wisconsin and Illinois.

Neu said the decision to play in Madison was an easy one. "I like what they do with their players ... I felt I needed more time to develop." After the two years at MATC, he plans to attend a four-year college and hopefully continue his pitching. "I want to be a physical teacher," he said.

Before the injury, Neu said his pitch speed was "82 to 86 (miles an hour), in that region," and now he is more consistently in the mid-80s.

After the high school season is completed, Neu will have several weeks off before reporting to Madison, which has seasons in spring and fall. "They just started their (spring) season. They're in Arizona right now."

## Deheck Lone Survivor Of Kids Wrestling Test

By Judy Harlow

Only one member of the Kewaskum Indians Wrestling Club advanced to the Wisconsin Wrestling Federation Kids Folkstyle State Tournament after by virtue of finishing in the top two at the Fond du Lac Qualifier held on March 17.

Nicholas Deheck won the 85-pound weight class for boys born in 2005-06 to punch his ticket to Madison.

"Nick looked pretty strong. He's been putting in a lot of extra time recently," KIWC coach Justin Rhoads said Sunday about Deheck's winning effort.

Deheck went a perfect 4-0 on the day, starting with a bye and following that with a 10-4 victory over Grant Harris of Hortonville in the second round and posting a 3-1 decision over Cedarburg's Wyatt DeLaCruz in the semis, sending him into the finals.

Deheck left little doubt he was the better wrestler, pinning Charlie Nass of the Sussex Saber Cats in 2:44.

"He will be wrestling Friday night (March 23)," Rhoads said, explaining the format has been changed for this year with the middle year participants (2005-06 and 2007-08) competing on Friday and the oldest and youngest wrestlers going on Saturday.

Eli Ogi just missed advancing, finishing third in the 84-pound weight class for boys born in 2007-08. After receiving a bye in the first round, Ogi lost his second match 7-6, but in the wrestleback bracket, he won two matches by pin, and had a 9-1 major decision, to keep his hopes alive for taking second and advancing. In the battle for third, he defeated Cayden Rehm of Winneconne in 2:26, but Ogi fell short in his bid for second when he lost a 6-2 decision to Jose

Salgado of Team Excel.

"Eli wrestled well," Rhoads said, indicating he is an alternate in case the first or second-place wrestlers in his division cannot compete in Madison.

Josh Vogt came close gaining a berth at state, losing the match to determine third and fourth place at 115 pounds for boys born in 2003-05. In that match, Vogt, who went 2-3 on the day, lost an 11-0 decision to Isaiah Walker of Marinette/Fox Valley Elite.

Rhoads was generally satisfied with the efforts of his wrestlers, reporting some are relatively new to the sport.

Results of the other KIWC athletes are as follows:

Elijah McChain (2007-08, 78 pounds) — finished the day at 2-2 with two pins.

Kage Weseman (2009-10, 63 pounds) — 2-2 with one major decision.

Brayden Herrmann

(2009-10, 63 pounds) — 1-2 with one pin.

Christian Oldunberg (2009-10, 54 pounds) — 0-2.

James Lawrenz (2009-10, 105 pounds) — 0-3 in a round robin format.

Xane Kleinke (2007-08, 120 pounds) — 0-2.

Jayce Rhoads (2009-10, 79 pounds) — 0-2.

Nick Stautz (2005-06, 85 pounds) — 1-2.

Stone Pomeroy, who is from Kewaskum, but trains and competes with Askren Wrestling Academy, advanced to the semifinals after winning two matches, by 6-2, and 2-0 decisions. In the semis, he was shut out by Benjamin Ott of the Nicolet Jr. Knights, 6-0, and in his first wrestleback was beaten by Cole Docken of Mauston, 14-0, the same wrestler he had beaten in the opening round.

The state competition will be held at the Alliant Energy Center in Madison.

## Paulowski Receives Mention In EC Balloting

By Judy Harlow

Co-champions Plymouth and Kettle Moraine Lutheran garnered their share of players on the East Central's all-conference girls' basketball team.

Plymouth was represented by Jess Leider and Emma Jewell on the first team and had a third player, Lexi Lautenschlaeger, on the second team. All are seniors.

KML's Ariana Miller was the lone junior on the first team and one of the two unanimous picks, along with Waupun's Sydney

Flier. Two other Lady Chargers, Jayme Soderbeck and Amanda Porth, were selected for the second unit.

Flier was the EC's leading scorer. She averaged 17.5 points per game while Leider and Miller were next with 14.6 and 13.6, respectively.

Flier also led the league in rebounding with 10.7 boards per game, just ahead of Ripon's Erin McNeill (9.6 rpg) and Leider (8.2 rpg.)

Kewaskum, winless in its 14 EC games, did have one player, sophomore

Maxine Paulowske, named to the honorable mention list. In her second year on the varsity, she did put up some excellent numbers, finishing fifth in scoring with a 13.0 point per game average.

What makes Paulowske stand out is how good she is on three-point shots. "She ranked first in three-point makes with 64," KHS coach Russell Thull said, reporting she hit 32 percent of her attempts, "which also ranked high."

"Very deserving award... She had scored 498 points in her first two seasons,

which is very impressive. Maxine is a heck of a player," Thull said, indicating she is "a very good teammate," and noting, "We saw huge improvements in her all-around games from last season to this season. We are excited to see another jump next season."

All East Central Girls Basketball — First Team:

Sydney Flier Waupun 12, Ariana Miller KML 11, Jordyn Ellis Winneconne 12, Mackenzie Kurczek Berlin 12, Jess Leider Plymouth 12, Emma Jewell Plymouth 12.

# Ray's Legends Of Ashford

By Karl McCarty

"I would apologize in case I missed somebody or something." Ray Thelen (1931-2017), a legend from lower Fond du Lac County, said this in his only interview on local history.

He wanted the qualifier in case he forgot something or someone when reminiscing about his good old days in the Town of Ashford. "Because you can't think of everything." Or everyone. Yet this second article from Ray Thelen's 2016 recollections attempts to cover as many as possible.

Understand Ray's quotes are longer than usual compared to other articles, because it is important to remember the way he spoke, which not only mixed German and English, but also was often more phrase-like. When it came to recording history, he had a tendency to restate aspects of stories to validate his argument. This should be seen as more of a way to emphasize his point of view, rather than redundancy.

## Janous Blacksmith Shop

The Blacksmith Shop in Ashford was "owned and operated by Joe Janous, Leo's dad. And he was an expert at what he did." Joe Janous (1901-1962) "could make plow shares that was better than anyone's you could buy at an implement shop. He could shoe horses and trim the horses' hooves... And he was an expert at that. That they gotta say."

Ray recalled that a lot of Joe's work was more at the shop than at individual farms. "Well, he (Joe) would go out on the farm and cut the hooves on horses. And he could shoe 'em there too. But the main parts was done like in the blacksmith shop. He had forge in there and stuff where he could heat things up."

Ray said Joe did come

to farmers, "but most of the farmers took their horses down there. Cause years ago, all the farmers had, like vintage machinery. There were no big combines or things like that. Everything was done by hand. Hauling in the hay. All this."

He was asked to describe Joe Janous: "Oh. Joe was a wonderful man." Ray's wife Elaine agreed: "Oh yea. Good personality." Ray added that after leaving the blacksmith business, "later on, he worked at the aluminum factory down in West Bend (The West Bend Company). After things kinda — you know, when modern equipment came. Well, then the Blacksmith shop was a memory."

## Grandma Bodden's Garden

Joe Janous' wife Agnes (b.1902), Ray said, "She was ahh... Well, what would I say? She was a Bod-den — or Bow-den — was her name. (Ray pronounced the last name two ways). And she was a sister to Mike Thelen's wife Flora — Tony's ma and dad now. They were sisters." Along that Bodden family tree was the Grandma, who was a legend in Ashford.

The Boddens had roots from Theresa, and Mrs. Bodden couldn't speak much English. Ray's cousin Lizzy Thelen Weiland recalled when she was a child in the 1930s, Mrs. Bodden would ask, "Kannst du Deutsch sprechen, yah?" Like the Thelens, Grandma Bodden preferred German over English. Mrs. Bodden certainly had authority. And Al Serwe (1930-2016) recalled that when "they had a (Kermis) dance in Ashford, old grandma Bodden sat on her porch with a pistol," recollecting "nobody was going to tip her mailbox over."

Ray Thelen's memory of Grandma Thelen was much more nostalgic and

gentler: "Grandma Bodden — I'll never forget it. We had a little Ford Tractor. My dad bought a 1948 Ford 9N from Pesch & Beisbier. It had a two-bottom plow and all of that. And the spring of the year, my dad and I would go to town and I'd plow all the gardens." For context, "going to town" meant going somewhere between a quarter mile and a half mile south/southeast from the Thelen Homestead to Ashford proper.

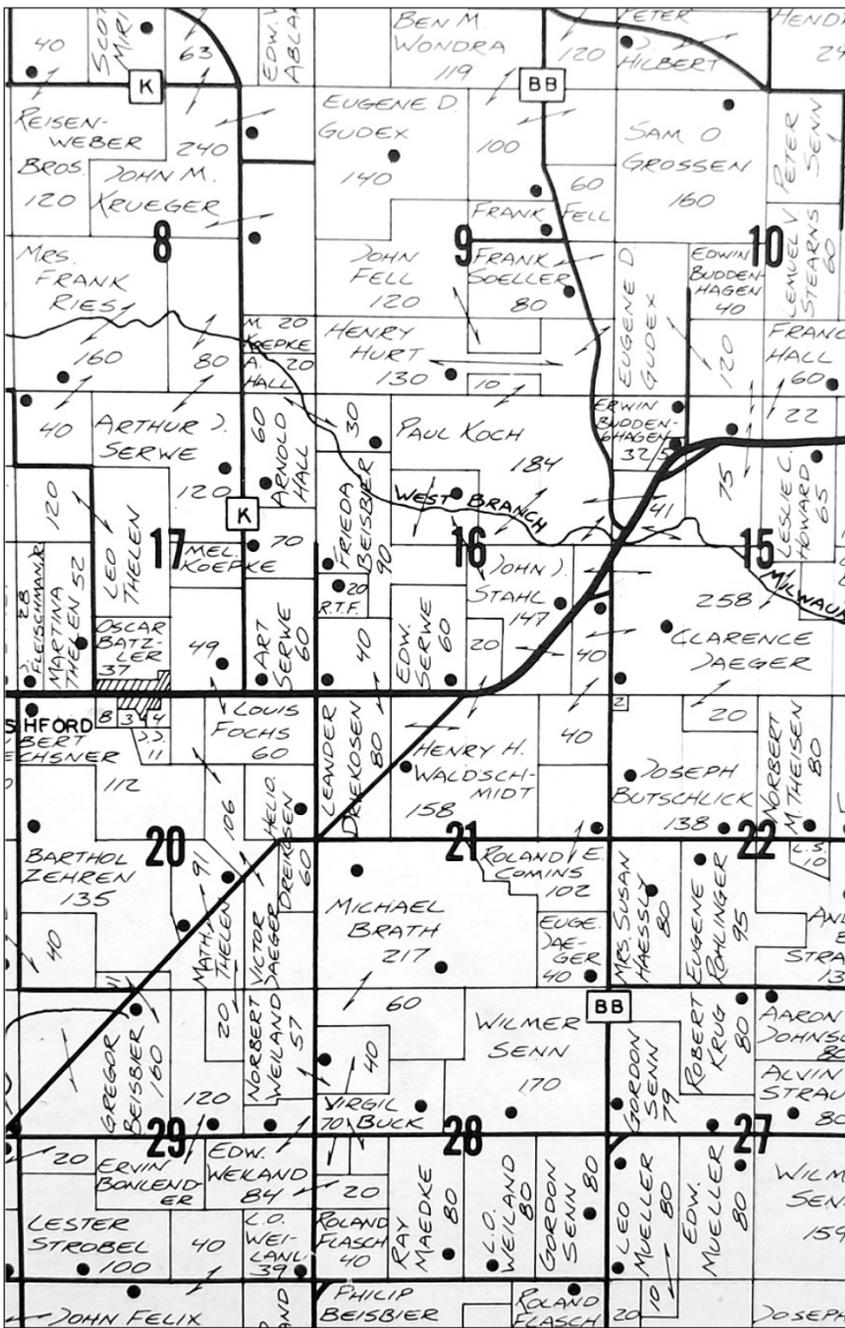
"Grandma Bodden's gardens, and anybody else's gardens. I plowed them all with that little tractor. See — they were only little small plots. I mean, actually, they were kinda big. And they couldn't do it with anything else by hand there (so), I went down there always, and I plowed all the gardens. Every year." He said it was about from "1947 to 1950/55."

Was plowing Grandma Bodden's gardens just a nice family gesture? "That's what it was. We never charged her anything. She'd bake a pie, and (we'd) get pie."

She was a good cook: "Oh yah. Yah. Like a say, Ashford was a close knit community. It was neighbor helping neighbor. You never — they never — we never charged anything for that, and I remember we had a saw buck that would fit on the back of the Ford tractor and we went around by people and sawed up their wood for the fire places or the furnaces — never charged them either."

Ray affirmed that he went to town and cut, and "nobody" else really went around to cut, "because we had the sawbuck. It would fit right on the Ford tractor. A little sawbuck like that... It would fit on the three point hook," and "my dad would run the saw and I would throw the wood away."

**Ray's Legend Of Ashford Continued on Page 18**



Above is a portion of a 1950s map of the Town of Ashford. Included in the image are many of the farmers and neighbors in this story, including the Dreikosen's in Sections 20 and 21, and the Reisenwebers in Section 8, and Leo Thelen's farm in Section 17. Courtesy of the County Plat & Directory Co., Inc. from LaPorte, Indiana.



This vivid image is probably of four Thelen Boys, but they are yet to be identified. On the back, the message wrote "Dear Cousin, Here are four of your cousins, Myself and the Uncle Martin's boys. Please let me know if I sent Nellie one of these postals. We're all well and hope the same of you." It was signed, "Your Cousin, Michael John Thelen."

The photo postcard was mailed to Miss Mary Berg, 623 Center Street, Beaver Dam, Wisconsin, and postmarked from Campbellsport on March 13th, 1913 or 1918; it was made by "F.J. Bretzke, Brownsville and Lomira, Wis." Any suggestions as to who these children are would be much appreciated.

Photo courtesy of Karl McCarty



Ray Thelen enjoyed telling stories of old Ashford and the Thelen farm. Here he is in front of one of his tractors midcentury.

Photo Courtesy of Karrie Isken

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# Ray's Legends Of Ashford

## The Dreikosen's Welding Shop

A little east of town, was Dreikosen's Welding Shop. When asked who did more of the welding, Ray said without hesitation: "Heliodor. Heliodor (1899-1980) was an expert at it. And when he passed away, his son Bill took over. And Bill run it for lots of years. Well, now it's closed. Just a memory." Meanwhile, Leander (1901-1988), Heliodor's brother, was in the house by the welding shop; "But Heliodor lived up where Bill lives now." "Leander was the farmer. He ran the farm." Heliodor "had the shop there. The big steel shop that's still standing there. But then when I say Heliodor passed away, then Bill took it over. But now it's closed."

Ray described what Dreikosen's did for customers: "They could weld anything. You took your implements down there. They could weld anything. He could build anything for ya. If you needed a part for your lawn mower... he was an expert — I remember years ago we had steel wheel wagons that pulled by the horses. He built wagons out of old car frames, and all that, with rubber tires on. We bought a couple of them too. He was an expert on that too... Anything that

had to do with welding, Heliodor could do it."

Ray agreed that Dreikosen's and Janous's really were not competitors. "They both worked in the same category," but Ray explained that "Joe [Janous] did more forge work. I mean like I say, like he made plowshares and that. And Heliodor was more into the welding. He did the welding business, I mean he was more of a welder and could build anything. And Joe was more for shoeing horses and sharpening plowshares — where you know, you had to put those edges in the forge, get them good and hot, and he... somehow or the other, get them on to the plowshares."

## John Brill's Saw Mill

Ray continued explaining businesses around Ashford, but worked east in the township. "Then if we go a little farther from Dreikosen's, was John Brill Saw Mill." It was "right across from the town hall," close to where Fritz and Marianne Wondra lived. Brill's work was basically by Rolling Drive and Highway 67. "That building going around the corner there, that building used to be John Brill's saw mill, where the farmers would take their logs."

"He had a gasoline

engine so he could run the saw." Brill (b.1894) cut rough wood. "Awh, the farmers would take their logs down there. He would cut two by fours, planks. You name it, he cut it." Ray said this work of Brill was when two by fours were actually two inches thick. "Not an inch and a half or an inch and three quarters like they are now. It was full (width). And planks were the same way, and he also had a cabinet shop. He was an expert at building cedar chests, and any kind of cabinet you wanted. That work was perfect. It's all gone now, the shop is closed and all that."

Ray paced his memories of the Brill Mill a little bit after his time at St. Martin's School, so probably in the "late '40s and '50s" it was running well.

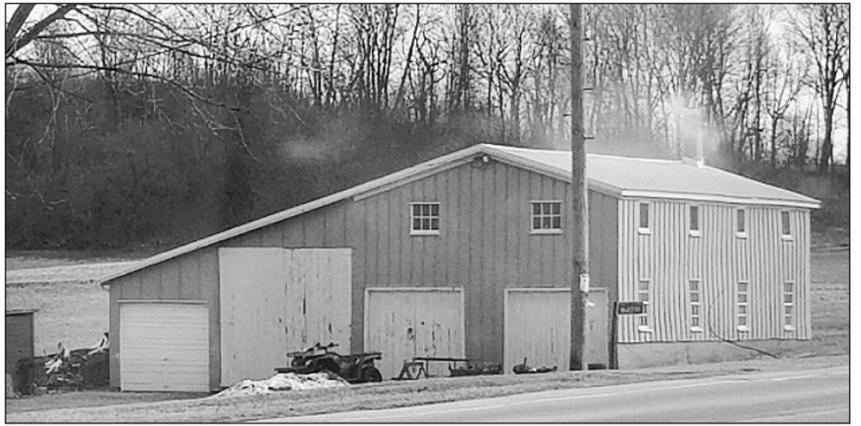
Specifically, Ray's dad Leo utilized Brill. "Oh. We took our planks down there, and he would make stone boats. You know how stone boats are made with that? He was perfect at that there."

Ray said stone boats took some specifics to make, as you have to go to work on the edges. Stone boats were about two or so feet wide, but the ends are up, Ray said as he motioned with his hand. You have to have an end slanted up to carry the stones. "Otherwise if it was flat, you dragged the ground along. But this way it was just like a barrier and you could drag it along there. Oh yea, he (Brill) had a couple of those (made). But he was good at that too."

## The Reisenweber Mill

Brill wasn't the only saw mill. A little bit north of Ashford was another. "Art and Ed Reisenweber had a saw mill too. And they sawed logs and all that." This is past Louie Krueger's farm around the bend on Drumlin Drive, Ray said, and Jim Weiland owns it now.

"Ed was more or less



There was a lot of local conversation that went on at Dreikosen's welding shop around 1950. Ray Thelen recalled how Leander Dreikosen lived and farmed north of where Katzenberg Drive meets Highway 67; while brother Heliodor "could build anything" that was needed at the shop pictured here.

photo by Karl McCarty



Ray Thelen remembered the Reisenweber's farm on Drumlin Drive, which was run by brothers Art and Ed and now owned by Jim Weiland. Below is a sign commemorating their talent, and looking west toward what was the Reisenweber barn.

photo by Karl McCarty



This metal sign likely was once up at the Reisenweber's Farm in the Town of Ashford on Drumlin Drive.

-photo submitted

the farmer, Art had the shop. But they were brothers... And Art was a wonderful wood worker, he could build you anything. He used to make baseball bats for us when we had the softball team at school. And you couldn't break one of them — I mean that was a baseball bat. That was solid." Art "was an expert at wood working. He had a little shop, right across from the house there."

"Ed was married, but Art wasn't. And Art lived with Ed in the house there." Based off Ray's recollection, the small building across the house and west of the barn was the one where the bats would have been made. Meanwhile, the sawmill was east and south of the

brother's barn.

Ray also commented on whether Reisenwebers and Brill were competitors. If the Thelens needed wood cut, did they go to Brill or Reisenwebers? "Well, we usually went by John Brill, because John was a member of Saint Martins/Ashford's." He affirmed that Brill was Catholic; Reisenwebers were apparently not. Ray did not note the difference in a bad light, but rather just an observation of culture. Find a Grave.com notes Edwin Reisenweber (1898-1986) married Hazel Miritz in 1939. They are buried in Saint Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Cemetery in Brownsville, confirming Ray's analysis. Art (1909-

1997) is buried their too.

Others have observed similar patronage, particularly with the cheese factories in Ashford and St. Kilian, whose customers correlated with the parishioners of St. Martin's and St. Kilian's respectively. For example, the Senn's who lived on Cloverland Drive had an attempt with cheesemaking, but was strategically linked to non-Catholics more toward Elmore. In this context, worshiping together apparently correlated with the patronage, not necessarily intentionally, but logically or conveniently.

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# Ray's Legends Of Ashford

## John Babler's Cheese Factory

Ray worked in cheese making, but he never worked for John Babler, who ran the cheese factory in the 1930s and 1940s in Ashford. When asked if he remembered John and his wife Elizabeth, Ray said, "Ohhh. Gawd yes. Like I told Jack (John Babler's son) when I was sitting there, 'Your dad, I can still remember him. He was an expert of shooting birds with a B-B gun.'" John Babler would be under that tree with a BB gun "he would — he always got a bird. You ask Jack once, I remember John with the B-B gun."

Ray also recalled taking the short way to the Babler cheese factory when the snow was high. "I remember in winter, we had a lot of snow here, cause the roads all had trees. I mean, and the snow was piled up full. And we would take the horses in the sleigh, and we would cut the fence down here in the marsh, and we'd haul our milk to the cheese factory thru there. Pick up the neighbor's on the way and haul it down there." Ray said they went to the cheese factory down on an angle, "right through the pasture through the field."

## Mike Fleischman Making Cheese

Ray also recalled Mike Fleischman, who married John Babler's daughter Delores. Ray said, "After a

while, Mike worked down in Stella Cheese." Ray himself said he worked three years at Stella Cheese in Campbellsport, so Ray never worked in Ashford's cheese factory.

When Ray was asked if he ever worked with Mike Fleischman, he had a quick response. "Oh. Hell yes. For three years, I worked with Mike." Ray described the work: "Well. At first I helped mold cheese. And then I kinda went on a night shift with Mike, we made American Cheese, where you had to go to work and drain the whey off, and you had to take great big knives and cut it and stack it on each side of the vat. Then for the last year or so, I was up in the intake. I dumped milk for the farmers."

Mike (1912-1991) was about 20 years older than Ray, "And he (Mike) was a comic. Awh my gawd, that guy was so full of jokes and tricks. And then it was always either in English, or German. You know."

Ray added: "I didn't speak English until I went to school. It was always German. And I still know all the German today. You couldn't sell me on German even if you tried." Then he added another "good ole days" in the conversation about looking back.

## Ashford's People

In the interview with Ray, he took some time to point out a clarification. "I just want to say, It's a

small world when you look back. And like I say, and I want to repeat it again, it was a close-knit community, and it always will be."

But he added, "Just as a joke, and you don't have to put that in there, but years ago I remember the saying was, 'There's only two kinds a people in this world. Those from Ashford, and those that wish they were from Ashford.'" He was laughing. When pressed who actually said this, Ray's wife Elaine answered: "He does."

Ray: "The old timer's always had that. And I caught on to that, and never forget it. They always said 'There were two kinds of people.' And you tell someone that, 'Huh?' They look at you."

"And I gotta say this, which I got to add. I have been a part of this Ashford going on 86 years. And I have enjoyed every bit of it. It's a good close-community then. And it still is one now. Because you can sit on our lawn, neighbors drive by, they all wave. Everybody's friendly. And when we went to church, you never locked the doors. Nobody stole anything. A piece of machinery was gone, you knew the neighbor borrowed it. He brought it back. I mean, you know. Nowadays, even if you lock it, they get in; they break in. It was just a peaceful neighborhood, a long time ago. And I enjoyed every minute of it."



A Stoneboat is a type of sled used for moving heavy objects in the old days of farming. Often, local farmers talked about the use of the stone boat for picking stones out of the fields in the spring, and pulled by horses or oxen. This public domain image from Wikipedia shows a variation of the stoneboat used in the Northwest Territories of Canada in the 1920s.

-photo submitted

## Damkot Named President Of Wisconsin Land Information Association

Washington County Data Services Manager/Land Information Officer, Eric Damkot, was announced as president of the Wisconsin Land Information Association (WLIA) at its annual conference last week in Elkhart Lake.

"This is a tremendous honor for Eric and is indicative of the type of leadership culture that we hope to foster in Washington County," said County Administrator Joshua Schoemann. "We are continually seeking opportunities to foster collaboration and develop new, innovative solutions for government and private industry. I can think

of no better person to help lead Wisconsin's GIS professionals than Eric."

The WLIA is made up of professionals dedicated to bringing geographic information system (GIS) solutions to problems facing both government and private industry. For 30 years its nearly 1,000 members throughout Wisconsin have been leaders in the development, operation and maintenance of a network of statewide GIS and land information systems. WLIA members facilitate rural broadband mapping, e911, real estate development, and conservation planning. Its members provide emergency management maps and appli-

cations addressing flooding and other public safety concerns. The data WLIA members produce is essential for economic development, public safety, emergency management, environmental monitoring, engineering, transportation, marketing and demographic analysis, utilities and more.

Damkot previously served three years on the WLIA board of directors and was the association's president-elect/annual conference committee chair in 2017. While on the board, he served on various committees including two years as chair of its legislative committee.

## PUBLIC NOTICES

### TOWN OF FARMINGTON PUBLIC TEST

In accordance with Section 5.84(1) Wisconsin Statutes, notice is hereby given that a Public Test of the Automatic Tabulating Equipment will be conducted on Wednesday, March 28, 2018 at 9 a.m. at the Farmington Town Hall, 9422 STH 144, Kewaskum, WI 53040, for the Spring Election to be held on Tuesday, April 3, 2018. This test is open to the public.

3-22 WNAXLP  
Chris Schellinger, Town Clerk

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR AND BEER LICENSE VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM

I hereby certify that the following applicant has applied to the Village Board of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, State of Wisconsin, for a license to sell, deal and traffic in intoxicating and fermented malt beverages at the following described property.

Class "B" Retail Fermented Malt Beverage and "Class B" Retail Intoxicating Liquor License to Richard Kissinger for: K-Town Tap, 137 Main Street, Kewaskum for the period of April 3, 2018 to June 30, 2018

Notice is further given that on Monday, April 2, 2018 at 7 p.m. the Village of Kewaskum Village Board will meet in the Council Room of the Municipal Building for the purpose of hearing anyone for or against the granting of this license.

3-22 WNAXLP  
Tracie Sette, Clerk/Deputy Treasurer

### TOWN OF FARMINGTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Farmington Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a hearing on the application for appeal filed by Peter Hesprich. The hearing will be held at 5:30 p.m. April 3, 2018 at the applicant's property located at 1135 Greenway Lane, West Bend WI 53090 in the Town of Farmington.

The Applicants property is located on lot 19 of the Lakehaven subdivision in Section 34

The appeal is to seek a variance from the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance and if granted will permit the Applicant to put an addition on an existing outbuilding making it larger than allowed by ordinance.

All interested persons wishing to comment on the appeal should appear at the hearing.

3-15(2) WNAXLP  
Walter Rassel, Zoning Administrator

### TOWN OF KEWASKUM PUBLIC NOTICE

In Accordance with Section 5.84(1) Wisconsin Statutes, notice is hereby given that a Public Test of the Automatic Tabulating Equipment will be conducted on Monday, March 26, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum for the 2018 Spring Election to be held on Tuesday, April 3, 2018. This test is open to the public.

3-22 WNAXLP  
Nancy Boden, Town Clerk

### SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEWASKUM BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING MONDAY, FEB. 12, 2018 MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 6:02 p.m. by President Hanson.

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

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

JLeister/MMiller motion to approve agenda. Motion approved. All aye.

MSette led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Recognition - The Kewaskum School District was recognized at the United Way Celebration for being PaceSetters - those who start with an early campaign, as being on the Leaderboard - organizations giving at a total of \$10,000 or more, and as All-Star Champs, organizations with a high increase in total dollars raised.

Kewaskum resident and engineer with Mercury Marine employee, Mark Marchello, delivered two brand new Mercury outboards to Mr. Puls class recently. The engines will be used within the Technology and Engineering department, Small Engines and Outdoor Power classes.

Public Relations - Upcoming Events Members received a list of upcoming events including 4K Registration and Screening on February 23 and 24.

Public Comments No public comments were received.

Consent Agenda JLeister/MMiller motion to approve Consent Agenda. Motion passed. All Aye.

Items for Discussion and/or Action JFisher/SMiller motion to approve Payroll in the amount of \$1,272,136.80. Motion passed 7-0.

JFisher/SMiller motion to approve Accounts Payable in the amount of \$1,674,992.31. Motion passed 7-0.

The School Board designated two seniors from the high school as scholars eligible to receive an Academic Excellence Scholarship.

The School Board designated two seniors from the high school as scholars eligible to receive a Technical Excellence Higher Education Scholarship.

Items for Discussion or Report

Mr. Stier presented twenty-one Early Graduation Candidates to the Board.

Mr. Smasal led a discussion on the Role of Board Members. Members received copies of policies 0122, 0123, 0143 and 0144.2. MMiller shared information received at the WASB meeting.

Mr. Smasal led a discussion on Field Space Fundraising and the opportunity to have varying tiers for business advertisement and individual/family donations.

Mr. Smasal led a discussion on Elementary School Boundary Lines to ensure proper class sizes.

Superintendents' Report Mr. Smasal gave an update on the Capital Project. The project remains on schedule. The tech ed depart-

ment is scheduled to move into the new space in March to allow for the demolition of the old space and the construction of the middle school gym. Goals and plans of the 2017-18 Strategic Plan were reviewed. The student numbers from the January Membership Count were reviewed.

Student Learning Report Mr. Bazata reviewed the changes from the DPI regarding Youth Options and the implementation of the Early College Credit Program to go into effect July 1, 2018.

Business Manager Report Ms. Thoreson stated there are no concerns with the current budget. Budget assumptions for the 2018-19 were reviewed with an anticipated net deficit of \$173,000.

EBI Furniture Presentation Representatives from EBI presented furniture option information for the Capital Project.

MMiller/TRamthun motion to adjourn to Closed Session Pursuant to State Statute 19.85(1)(e)(c) to discuss Capital Project Competitive Bids and 2018-19 Staffing.

Open Session ends at 7:26 p.m.

Motion to adjourn closed session at 8:13 p.m.

The Board reconvened in open session at 8:14p.m.

MSette/JLeister motion to

approve the recommended furniture needs for the middle school, high school and teacher desks as proposed by EBI. Motion passed 7-0.

SMiller/JLeister motion to approve the creation of a Math Interventionist position. Motion passed 7-0.

SMiller/JLeister motion to approve the elimination of K-2 Spanish with the 2018-19 school year. Motion passed 7-0.

Mr. Hanson adjourned meeting at 8:20 p.m.

3-22 WNAXLP  
Vickie Plachinski, Executive Assistant

### PUBLIC NOTICE VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM

Under Wisconsin State Statute 5.84(1), the Village of Kewaskum will be conducting a public test of the electronic ballot tabulation system to ascertain that it will correctly count the votes cast for all offices and on all measures at the Spring Election on Tuesday, March 28, 2018, at 9 a.m. at the Municipal Building, 204 First Street. The test is open to the public.

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 Kristen M. Jacobson, City Clerk-Treasurer,  
 404 E. Lake Street, Horicon, WI 53032  
 by March 30, 2018.

Residency is not required but encouraged.



### IMMEDIATE OPENINGS CLASS B CDL DRIVER

McRae's U.S. Mail Service, Inc. located in West Allis, WI is hiring a Class B CDL employee to haul U.S. Mail from Oak Creek, WI to Juneau, WI. This is a split shift route and runs 6 days per week. Typical work day is 3:20am-6:15am and then starts back up at 4:20pm-7:20pm. \$22.47/hr + \$5.11 fringe pay/hr. Employee should live in between Milwaukee and Juneau. More hours are available if interested. You will be driving newer equipment. More hours are available if interested. McRae's U.S. Mail Requirements: Class B CDL License with air brakes.

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 Must have verifiable job history  
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### CAMPBELLSPORT AREA RUMMAGES

**MULTI FAMILY RUMMAGE**  
 Huge Rummage Sale, March 29, 2pm-7pm, March 30, 8am-4pm, March 31, 8am-12pm. Osceola Town Hall, Hwy F, Campbellsport. Antiques, Crafts, Men/Women Clothing, Baby Clothes & Items, Household Items/Decor, Small Furniture.

### KEWASKUM AREA RUMMAGES

**ESTATE SALE** - 452 Timblin Dr., Kewaskum, March 29 & 30, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. & March 31 8 a.m.-Noon. 1940s Military collectibles, toys, dolls, 1750s-1850s clocks, pocket watches, Edison Phonographs, advertising, furniture, appliances, pictures on Craig's List.

**MOVING SALE**  
 Kathy Phillips  
 510 South 6th St. • West Bend  
 March 30 • 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
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Ethan Allan table, dining room table w/6 chairs, hutch, brown leather recliner, shelving unit, antiques, tools, household items. To view pictures and more details go to [www.estate-sale.com](http://www.estate-sale.com) and search company #8153.

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 Come visit us at the Oshkosh Farm Show on March 27-28-29 in Building D at the EAA Grounds!

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**KEWASKUM, WI**  
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**LOCATION:** Hwy 45 or 28 to Kewaskum, East on Hwy 28 to Hwy "S", then north 1.5 miles to hall.  
**AUCTIONEER'S NOTE:** This annual event includes the last of the Mike Wolf Military collection. For full ad and photos visit [www.paulauction.com](http://www.paulauction.com). Over 40 guns (Starting at 10:00AM) include: 4 very nice Win mod 90 rifles, Win m1910 .401, Win mod 94 .30-30 oct bbl, Savage m99 .300 Sav, Several .22's, Model 44 Jap cavalry carb, 2 Win mod 12 12g, Nice Rem 870 Wingmaster 12g, Ithaca m37 12g, (3) .410, Extra clean Rem Rand 1911A1 .45, Colt SAA .45, Rem Derringer, Quantity asst'd collector ammo, air rifles & much more; \$5 gold coin; Silver coins & bullion; Full body bear mount; 14' fiberglass boat on trailer; Honda 3 wheel ATV; 40 goose & duck decoys; Bear recurve; Many lures new & old; Nazi daggers; Bayonets; WWI & WWII propaganda posters; Many uniform items; Switchblades; Traps; WWII Harley headlights; Much more.  
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March 16, 2018



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