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Jennifer Sterr receives a \$1,000 prize package for designing the winning logo for Kewaskum's 125th anniversary. The Kewaskum Historical Society held the logo contest, and sponsors of her \$1,000 prize were: Dairy Queen, Fifth Quarter, Hon-E-Kor and Tennies Ace Hardware. Trend Setters donated signs with the winning logo. Pictured (from left) are: Eric Anderson, Kate Mueller, Jennifer Sterr, Kevin Scheunemann and Randy Gremminger.

photo by Anne Trautner

Logo Contest Winner Announced

– Logo To Be Used For Village's 125th Anniversary Celebration

By Anne Trautner

The Village of Kewaskum has a new logo that will be used to promote its 125th anniversary in 2020.

Jennifer Sterr designed the winning logo in a contest held by the Kewaskum Historical Society. She was awarded a prize package, sponsored by local businesses, valued at \$1,000.

"We really love the logo. It reflects Kewaskum's rich heritage and everything the area has to offer," said Aaron Laatsch, a Kewaskum Historical Society volunteer.

Sterr's design was chosen from among a field of 94 entries. Most of the designs came from the Kewaskum area, but some came from as far away as Georgia.

"It was incredible looking at all of the logos we received. We were really amazed by the quality of all of the submissions. All of the entries and the

ideas were well executed — all of the artists put a lot of time and thought into each design," Laatsch said.

Submissions included computerized images as well as hand-drawn designs. Contest judges chose the winning entry based on how the overall concept reflects Kewaskum, its history and the spirit of the village.

Sterr's logo contains landmarks and elements that help identify Kewaskum. The background depicts the Kettle Moraine State Forest, which is fitting for the village dubbed "Gateway to the Kettle Moraine State Forest."

The feathers and arrowhead on the logo are a subtle nod to Chief Kewaskum of the Potawatomi nation, whom the Village of Kewaskum was named after. In the foreground is a farm field, which represents Kewaskum's rich agricultural past and present.

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Ballot Set For Spring Election

By Anne Trautner

A write-in candidate will need to fill a supervisor position in the Town of Kewaskum in the spring election on April 2.

Mark Herriges is not running for re-election as a supervisor for the Town of Kewaskum, and the town did not receive any

paperwork for any candidates for that position, according to Town Clerk Holly Knoeck.

In addition to that open seat, The Town of Kewaskum will have the following people on the ballot for the spring election:

Scott Wollner - chairman

Michael Otten - Supervisor

Daniel Stoffel - Treasurer

Holly Knoeck - Town Clerk

The Town of Kewaskum also will have two referendum questions regarding how to fill the treasurer and clerk positions in the future.

Currently the two are elected positions, but the town is considering making them appointed positions.

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Singing In The New Year

– KHS Alumni Reunite At Show Choir Rehearsal On Last Day Of 2018

By Anne Trautner

A group of Kewaskum High School show choir alumni gathered on December 31 at Kewaskum High School to watch current members of the Noteables rehearse.

The alumni agreed that seeing the show choir practice was a good way to end 2018.

"It is always fun coming back and seeing everybody," Serena Vetter said. "These are lifelong friends, for sure."

"We spent half our lives together, working on our shows, and now we get to come back and see what we left behind," Paige Hetebueg agreed.

It was the second year

in a row that a show choir reunion was held during a December 31 rehearsal.

"It is kind of a cool thing for the former students to give feedback and reconnect while home from college," choir director Andrew Dahlberg said.

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Kewaskum High School show choir alumni watch as the Kewaskum High School Noteables rehearse on December 31.

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Logo Contest Winner Announced

The logo also depicts a parent and child in a canoe, enjoying time on the Milwaukee River, representing the many outdoor activities modern day Kewaskum has to offer. The colorful logo includes "Kewaskum green."

The contest started last spring and ran through November 1. Entries were received from children, teens, adults and families.

"It is really neat to think about how all these people were designing logos about Kewaskum. There were people of all different ages and all different backgrounds...all focusing on Kewaskum," Laatsch said.

Sterr created a second variation of the logo, that will be displayed on banners on Main Street.

On Monday night, the Village Board gave rave reviews of the logo and unanimously approved the logo for the street banners.

"The winning logo was one of the best kept secrets in all of Kewaskum. Even I did not know who had won," said Village Board President Kevin Scheunemann, whose business was one of the contest sponsors.

Sterr's prize includes \$500 in cash, donated by Tennes Ace Hardware and Fifth Quarter, a \$250 Dairy Queen gift certificate, a \$250 Hon-E-Kor gift certificate and a copy of a new book about the village's history that is being published by the Kewaskum Historical Society.

This is not the first time Sterr, who is a graphic artist, has won a logo contest. Last year she won a logo contest held by the City of Mayville.

Kewaskum's new logo will be printed in a new book that is being written and designed by Kewaskum Historical Society volunteers. Titled *Kewaskum, Wisconsin: The Making of a Village*, the 226-page, hardcover book will contain a comprehensive history of the village. It is slated to be released in early 2020.

The logo also will be used to promote a weekend celebration when the Village of Kewaskum will turn 125 years old.

The celebration will be held June 12, 13 and 14 in 2020. Among the festivities will be a parade, historical re-enactors, a 5K run, pancake breakfast, live music, entertainment, food and games.

Continued From... Ballot Set For Spring Election

The Kewaskum School Board will have the only locally contested race. Four candidates are vying for two positions: Timothy Ramthun (incumbent), Doug Gonring, Mary Miller (incumbent) and Craig Staffin.

In the Village of Kewaskum, there are no

contested races, with all four incumbents are seeking re-election: Kevin Scheunemann (president), Dave Spenser (trustee), Jim Wright (trustee) and Jim Hovland (trustee).

Village residents will also vote for municipal judge for the Mid-Morraine Municipal

Court. Steve Cain will be the only name on the ballot for that position.

The Town of Farmington will have three names on the ballot for three positions: incumbent Chris Elbe (chairperson), incumbent Mark Foyse (supervisor) and newcomer Doug Neumann (supervisor).

Candidates for the Town of Wayne were not available at press time.

In statewide races, Lisa Neubauer and Brian Hagedorn are running for Justice of the Supreme Court, and Mark Gundrum is running for Court of Appeals Judge - District II.

Healthy Community Fund Awards More Than \$240,000 In Grants To Area Non-Profits

The Healthy Community Fund has awarded \$241,100 in grants to nine area non-profit organizations. The agencies selected to receive funding this year include Albrecht Free Clinic, Casa Guadalupe Education Center, Elevate Inc., Family Promise of Washington County, Friends Inc., Interfaith Caregivers of Washington County, Kettle Moraine YMCA, NAMI Washington County, and Youth and Family Project.

The Healthy Community Fund was created in 2008 through St. Joseph's Community Foundation to support community programs and projects throughout Washington County that will positively affect the health and wellness of those living and working within this area. The goal of the fund is to bring together non-profit organizations and resources that will support healthy lifestyle choices as well as provide support for programs committed to the promotion of health and wellness.

Oversight of the Healthy Community Fund is provided by a committee of individuals from local communities as well as Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin Joseph's Hospital and Froedtert and the Medical College of Wisconsin Community Physicians. The fund is administered through the St. Joseph's Hospital Community Engagement Department.

For more information about the Healthy Community Fund, eligible organizations or how to apply for funding, go to healthycommunityfund.com.

The following organization projects received grants:

Albrecht Free Clinic, "Smiles for a Lifetime" — \$76,500

Healthy oral hygiene and dental care have been identified by the Albrecht Free Clinic as an emerging community health need. Funds will support emergency care, basic restorative and oral hygiene, and education for the uninsured and underinsured.

Casa Guadalupe



The Healthy Community Fund has awarded \$241,100 in grants to nine area non-profit organizations. Attending the awards ceremony were: (front row, from left) Noelle Braun, Casa Guadalupe Education Center; Alissa Mosal, Albrecht Free Clinic; Janean Brudvig, Interfaith Caregivers; Ruth Henkle, Albrecht Free Clinic; and Amanda Wisth, HCF committee member; and (back row) Jim Strachota, Interfaith Caregivers; Julie Wolf, Elevate; Andy Dresang, director of Community Outreach, Community Hospital Division; Lisa Krenke, NAMI; Kate Nickel, Friends Inc.; Christian Tscheschlok, chair of St. Joseph's Hospital Board of Directors; Emily Greene, The Youth and Family Project; Dr. Jeffrey Smale, HCF committee member; Allen Ericson, president of St. Joseph's Hospital; Chad Feltz, HCF committee member; Bonnie Debroux, The Youth and Family Projects; Mary Beth Emmer, Kettle Moraine YMCA; Jim Curler, Kettle Moraine YMCA; Jacci Gambucci, HCF committee member; Lori Prescott, Family Promise; David Ertmer, Family Promise; and Ann Johnson, director of St. Joseph's Community Foundation.

Education Center, "Healthy Latinos, Healthy Futures" — \$17,600

Funds will support health seminars and programs, outreach initiatives and transportation needs to promote education about health screenings, diabetes prevention, active lifestyles and nutrition for Latinos living in Washington County.

Elevate, Inc. "Elevate U" — \$20,000

Funds will be used to implement support Elevate "U," targeting youth ages 12-17 early in their trajectory of substance abuse, truancy or delinquency and gets them back on track toward reaching their full potential. Elevate's professional staff will provide evidence-based early individual and group intervention.

Family Promise of Washington County, "Health Services & Housing for the Homeless" — \$32,000

Family Promise opened a new Singles Shelter in February 2018, tripling the client base. The funds will be used to identify unaddressed behavioral health and physical health needs of individuals who are homeless, connect them to quality

health care services, encourage follow-through with recommended treatment, and ensure safe and stable housing while seeking services.

Friends Inc., "Supporting Mental Wellness" — \$16,000

The funds will be used to create a pilot project in partnership with Kettle Moraine Counseling to help survivors of domestic violence or sexual assault improve their mental well-being and live a drug-free life. Services will include mental health/substance abuse assessments, transportation costs, childcare and rent assistance.

Interfaith Caregivers of Washington County, "Senior Transition Program" — \$22,500

Funding will help seniors live and thrive in their homes and community by providing transportation to medical appointments, pharmacies, grocery stores/food pantries and exercise and wellness programs. When transportation barriers for seniors are removed, a senior's access to health care and other vital services such as nutrition and wellness improves.

Kettle Moraine YMCA, "Wellness Programs"

photo submitted

— \$14,500

Funds will be used for the Diabetes Prevention Program through classes, screenings and community programs. This year-long program engages adults who are overweight or pre-diabetic in a group lifestyle intervention to live a healthier life through long-lasting behavioral changes.

NAMI Washington County, "Recovery Center Programs" — \$21,000

Funds will support programs and services in the Recovery Center through supported relationships so that individuals and families affected by mental illness can build better lives. NAMI's programs focus on creating a stigma-free community through illness experience recovery, resiliency and overall well-being.

Youth and Family Project, "Childhood Trauma Collaboration" — \$21,000

Youth and Family Project is partnering with the Family Center of Washington County to offer Childhood Trauma Collaboration to address issues associated with childhood trauma and provide a continuum of services to children facing difficult life events.

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Washington County's Most Wanted

The Washington County Sheriff's Department is seeking:



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

Updates: •Christopher Tabat is in custody. Warrant satisfied.
 •Radames Junior Nieves-Hernandez is in custody. Warrant satisfied.



On Saturday, Jan. 5, the Kewaskum High School Mock Trial team competed in the Franklin High School Mock Trial Competition. The KHS Mock Trial team finished third in the competition out of 28 teams, going a perfect 3-0, and defeating Oregon, Nicolet and Whitefish Bay. This year's team is looking to build on the success of last years first appearance in the State Mock Trial Tournament. KHS will have three Mock Trial teams competing at Regionals in Appleton on February 9.

photo submitted

XYZ Card Results

The winners of cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, Jan. 2, were: Dolores Eder, Ruth Kern, Ralph Chapman, Leon Schmidt, Kathy Schmitt and Bernice Yogerst.

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

Tuesday Night Sheepshead Winners

Five-handed winners on Tuesday, Jan. 1, were: Raymond Sippel 58-6-52 17-5-12, Bob T. 50-11-39 18-5-13, Gerold Stern 49-12-33 13-8-5, Robert Freigat 47-11-36 16-7-9, Chick Flynn 43 most losses and 12 low points.

The next five-handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, Jan 15, at 7 p.m. sharp.

New players are always welcome at the Kewaskum Labor Center.

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Wednesday, Jan. 16 - Polish Sausage, Red Beans And Rice, Winter Blend Vegetables, Apple Slices With Caramel Dip, Strawberry Ice Cream Cup.

Thursday, Jan. 17 - Roast Pork, Cubed Sweet Potatoes, French Cut Green Beans, Whole Wheat Bread, Banana.

Friday, Jan. 18 - Garlic Baked Cod, Baked Potato With Sour Cream, Creamy Coleslaw, Marble Rye Bread, Frosted Spice Cake. Alt: Pears.

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

Correction

Michael Otten is running for re-election as a supervisor for the Town of Kewaskum. Mark Herriges is not running for re-election. The Town of Kewaskum incorrectly reported in the December 27 Kewaskum Statesman that Otten was the supervisor who was not running.

Week's Wit...
 Man does not live by words alone, despite the fact that sometimes he has to eat them.



ACTIVITIES AT THE KEWASKUM 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.

Adult Winter Reading Program January 1 - February 28

Stop in the library to pick up a bingo sheet. Start reading and fill in the squares. Once you have a bingo, bring your card into the library to be entered in a drawing to win fabulous prizes. Must be 18+.

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Adult Recipe Club Tuesday, January 15
 Are you a novice or expert chef? Are you looking to increase your recipe collection? Those wishing to par-

ticipate may bring a dish and serve it ready to eat according to the theme of the month. Recipes must be able to be shared at the club meetings and may be posted on the library website. Please RSVP via phone (262) 626-4312 or by email to kewaskum@monarchlibraries.org as space is limited.

January's recipe topic - Breakfast for dinner. 6 - 7 p.m.

Brown Bag Lunch And Learn Series Thursday, Jan. 17

Want to learn a new language? Need some test prep for school? How about a beginning guitar class? All this and more is offered through the library free when you register for Gale Courses. Bring your lunch and join Library Director Lori Kreis as she shows you how to use this free resource. Beverages will be provided. Please register by calling or emailing kewaskum@monarchlibraries.org. Noon - 1 p.m.

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OBITUARIES



Elmer W. Belger

Elmer W. Belger, age 84 years, of Boltonville was called home to be with the Lord on January 2, 2019 at his home surrounded by his loving family.

Elmer was born on February 20, 1934 in Sheboygan to Frederick and Lillian Belger (Meilahn).

He was united in marriage to the late Marian Kral on June 28, 1958 at St. Lucas Lutheran Church in Kewaskum.

Elmer graduated from Kewaskum High School in 1952. He served in Korea from 1956-1958 in the United States Army. Elmer was a lifelong member and past Chief (1970-1972) of the Boltonville Fire Department. He was owner operator of Elmer Belger Contractor. Elmer was a lifelong member of St. Lucas Lutheran Church. Elmer was a mason and a master woodworker / cabinet maker. He enjoyed making toys and crafts for his family. Elmer also had the largest sheep ranch in Boltonville.

Those Elmer leaves behind to cherish his memory include four children, Lynn (Mark) Peters, Diane (Scott) Eschenbacher, Kim Belger and Kevin (Kelly) Belger; 12 grandchildren, Brian (Elizabeth) Peters, Rachel (Eric) Patterson, Jennifer (Kevin) Murray, Adam Peters, Anita (Brian) Haeuser, Jaimie (Adam Beck) Belger, Brandon (Sara) Belger, Sean (Amanda Gresch) Huiras, Emily Huiras, Melissa Huiras, Kristen (Jon) Thull, and Keith (finance Casey Hahn) Belger; and 14 great-grandchildren. He is further survived by sister-in-law, Audrey Krueger; special friends, Ronnie and Bernice Stange; nieces, nephews, other relatives, friends and canine companion, Wiggles.

In addition to his parents and wife, Marian; Elmer was preceded in death by two siblings, Frederick (Morla) Belger, Jr. and Dorothy (Edward) Bocher; and brother-in-law, Raymond

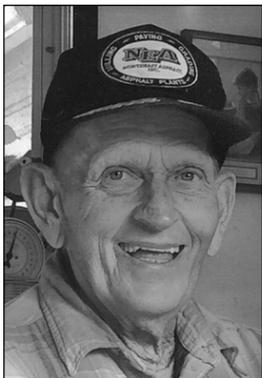
Krueger.

Funeral Service for Elmer will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 12, 2019 at St. Lucas Lutheran Church (1417 Parkview Drive - Kewaskum, WI 53040) with Pastor James Hoogervorst officiating. Inurnment at Boltonville Union Cemetery at a later date.

Elmer's family will greet relatives and friends at Church on Saturday from 11 a.m. until the time of service. Memorials to the Hoencke Book Fund at St. Lucas Lutheran Church and School.

Elmer's family extends their heartfelt appreciation to the staff at The Pavilion at Glacier Valley, St. Joseph Hospital in West Bend, Preceptor Health Care and Horizon Home Care & Hospice for the loving care they provided.

The Myrhum Patten Miller & Kietzer Funeral Home of Kewaskum has been entrusted with Elmer's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at www.myrhum-patten.com.



Harold Dickman

Harold Richard Alvin Dickman, 87, passed away on Friday, Dec. 28, 2018 surrounded by his family in his home.

He was born on May 23, 1931 to Emil and Marie (nee Schultz) Dickmann, the youngest of four children. He passed away in the same room in which he was born. He was baptized and confirmed in the Reformed Church in Campbellsport. At the time of his death, he was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Campbellsport.

Harold attended school through the eighth grade. After attending a few weeks of high school, he decided he would rather spend his time hunting, fishing and trapping. He stayed on the farm to help his parents while his brothers joined the army and he continued farming the homestead after his parents died.

On April 18, 1965 he

married Gerda Gedrowitz at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Brookfield, Wisconsin and had seven children.

After he retired from farming, Harold worked for the Town of Auburn where he ran the recycling center, did road work, plowed snow and other odd jobs. In his spare time, he enjoyed driving around the township to check things out.

Survivors include his wife of 53 years, Gerda; his children, Henri (Tammy), Gail Homuth (Brad), Sarah Hibbert (Jim), Ronald (Sarah), Stephen (Eileen), David (Heather) and Paul (Jenny). His grandchildren will also miss their grandpa. They are Delaney and Megan, Catrin, Tessa, Emmett and Sadie, Amelia and Lucas, Derek and Sean, Calen and Meara, and Alex.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his sister Ovila Ringhand and her husband Arlie, his brother Ralph and his wife Deloris, his brother Lloyd and his wife Leonore, and a granddaughter, Elysia.

Cremation has taken place. There was a memorial service at 4 p.m. on Friday, January 4, 2019, at Immanuel Lutheran Church, 350 S. Helena St. in Campbellsport. Rev. Paul Cerny officiated.

Visitation took place at the church from 2 p.m. until the time of service. Family and friends were welcome.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to all who visited Harold during his illness, Pastor Cerny, and the nurses and staff of Serenity Hospice.

Memorials may be directed to the family.

Twohig Funeral Home is serving the family with an online guestbook and condolences at www.twohigfunerals.com.



Roberta M. Immel

Roberta Mary Immel, 83, of the Town of Osceola passed away Friday, Dec. 28, 2018 at the Hospice Home of Hope in Fond du Lac.

She was born on January 17, 1935 the daughter of the late Robert and Sylvia Nelson. She graduated from eighth grade from Elmore School and in 1954 from Campbellsport High School.

On June 12, 1965, Roberta married Jarold Immel at St. Matthew Parsonage in Campbellsport.

She was employed at Regalware for 36 years and was a member of the 25 Year Club. She enjoyed decorating the house and outside fence every season as they changed. She saved calendar pictures and all local news that happened.

Roberta is survived by her husband Jarold, the Nelson cousins and the Immel sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Visitation was held Thursday, Jan. 3, 2019 from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. at Shepherd of the Hills Catholic Church, W1562 County Road W, Eden, with a Mass of Christian Burial took place at 1 p.m. Rev. Mark Jones officiated and entombment followed in the Shrine of Rest Mausoleum at Ledgerview Memorial Park, Fond du Lac. In lieu of flowers, memorials are appreciated to Hospice Home of Hope or Shepherd of the Hills Parish.

The family extends a special thank you to Pastor Oberg, and the nurses and staff of the Hospice Home of Hope and St. Agnes Hospital.

Twohig Funeral Home served the family with guestbook and online condolences at www.twohigfunerals.com.



Gloria J. Serwe

Gloria Jean Serwe (nee Koepke), 78, of Kewaskum, found peace on Friday, Dec. 28, 2018, at Ivy Manor in Campbellsport surrounded by a room full of people who loved her.

She was born on August 13, 1940 to the late Charles and Viola (nee Scholl) Koepke in the Town of Ashford.

On May 20, 1961, she

was united in marriage to Norbert Serwe at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in Campbellsport.

Gloria and Norbert were the owners and operators of Serwe's Tap in Kewaskum from 1964 and continued her career in real estate until retiring in 2002. Gloria enjoyed bingo, cooking, and traveling. The most important thing to her was her family, spending time with her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. She will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

Those Gloria leaves behind to cherish her memory include her five children, Charlie

(Sharon) Serwe of West Bend, Rochelle "Shelly" (Les) Pennington of Lomira, Brenda (David) Roehrig of Kewaskum, Amy Lynn (Jason) Gauthier of Kewaskum, and Joel (April) Serwe of Kewaskum; 11 grandchildren, Austin Serwe, Aaron Serwe, Lucas Serwe, Nicholas (Carmen) Pennington, Erica (Robert) Stoltz, Hunter Roehrig, Megan Roehrig, Samuel Gauthier, Ella Gauthier, Holden Serwe, and Landen Serwe; three great-grandchildren, Sophia Stoltz, Reid Stoltz, and Josefina Violet Stoltz; two sisters, Lillian Burgert and Joan (Butch) Buslaff; many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents, Gloria was preceded in death by her husband, Norbert Serwe, and many brothers, a sister, and other extended family members.

Funeral services for Gloria were held at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 1, 2019, at Salem United Church of Christ, 8925 County Highway W, Campbellsport (in the town of Wayne) with Rev. Ruth Hansen officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

The family greeted relatives and friends at Salem Church on Tuesday from 9:30 a.m. until the time of service.

The family would like to extend love and appreciation to Pastor Ruth for her faithful friendship and ministry to Gloria, and to the nurses and staff at Ivy Manor for all their help, love, and care.

The Myrhum Patten Miller & Kietzer funeral home has been entrusted with Gloria's arrangements. Additional information and guest book can be found at www.myrhum-patten.com.

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Diane J. Slegler

Diane June (Otto) Slegler, 85, went to Heaven on December 30, 2018 after a year of medical challenges.

Born on July 3, 1933, she was the oldest child of Harry and Mabel (Grosskopf) Otto of rural Gresham, WI.

Diane was married 65 years to Edward J. Slegler, Jr., a math and physics teacher at Kewaskum High School, whom she married August 19, 1953. They lived in rural Kewaskum, WI, for 54 years and recently resided at Kettle Moraine Gardens in Kewaskum.

Together, Diane and Ed raised 10 children: Edward J. 3rd (Patty), Helena Joy Kaiser, Jonathon (Val), Mark, Constance (Scott Giles), Renee (Daniel Boehm, deceased), David (Karen, deceased), Patricia, Robert, and Mary (John Murphy).

Diane loved babies and enjoyed family gatherings with her 16 grandchildren: Emily and Annie; Joshua Kaiser; Hannah, Gareth, and Aaron; Clair and Andy; David Boehm; Maggie, Kate, Anne, June, and Frannie; Grace and Jack Murphy; and three great-grandchildren: Isabella, Wyatt, and Isabelle.

A farm girl, Diane "Danny" drove the tractor at age 10, and since then, never shied away from hard work, logging in many hours gardening, canning, sewing, and goat-farming. She found joy in her flowers and crafting. In later years, Diane assembled family history photo albums for each of her 10 children. She was renowned for her jams, jellies, and baking.

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OBITUARIES



Diane J. Slegler continued

Cut from the cloth of her German-immigrant ancestors, Diane dealt with life's challenges in a no-nonsense and thrifty manner and was a pretty good shot with a rifle, to boot. Diane was fearless and once saved her eldest daughter from a charging bull. She logged many hours teaching her kids to drive and survived several minor auto accidents in the process!

Diane followed her faith in God wherever He led her. During her formative years she was a member of Elias Lutheran Church in Gresham. She reared her children in the Catholic faith at Holy Trinity and St. Michael's Churches in Kewaskum. As an empty-nester, she and Ed joined Campbellsport Alliance Church where she served as Deaconess. She volunteered in each faith community, serving dinners, sewing Christmas stockings, and enjoying fellowship.

In addition to her parents, Diane was preceded in death by her sister Carol (Butch, deceased) Hoffman. She leaves behind her sister Iris (Jerry) Bents and four brothers, Dale (Lisa), Timothy, Stan (Clara, deceased), and Bruce Otto.

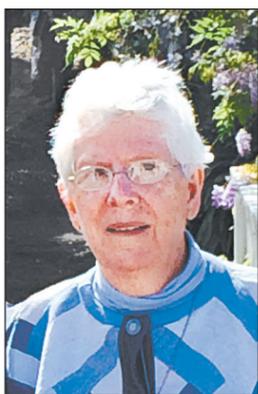
Funeral services for Diane will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 12, 2019, at Campbellsport Alliance Church, N1876 Co Rd V, Campbellsport, WI 53010. The family will greet relatives and friends at Alliance Church on Saturday from noon until the time of service.

Burial will be at Ledgeview Memorial Park, Veteran's Garden of Valor, N6250 Co Rd K, Fond du Lac, WI 54937 on Monday, Jan. 14 at 2 p.m.

The family would like to extend love and appreciation to Pastor

Doug and Jean Birr and Reverend Joseph Brath for their friendship and ministry to Diane, and to the nurses and staff at Kettle Moraine Gardens, ComForCare, and Aurora At Home Hospice for all their help, love, and care.

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



Evelyn C. Tromp

Evelyn "Evy" Carrol Tromp left us on the eve of the New Year 2019. Her life had several twists and turns. She was born in Kenosha, WI on August 19, 1935, to Evan Ost and Grace Muriel Smith. Big sister Polly Knoll and big brother Gary Ost were thrilled. Their dad was a salesman for Macwhite Wire Rope Company. Their mom was a registered nurse who had to begin her career when Evan died; Evy was only 9 years old.

Evy enjoyed her youth frolicking in Whitefish Bay, Wauwatosa, Burnett and Beaver Dam; climbing trees, making forts by digging holes in the dirt, even playing cards on the roof of the family garage. She grew into a fun-loving, caring, and devoted lady.

After high school she had a great time in nurses training at Madison General Hospital, where she met and married Sheldon Ambrose

Chicks, a medical student. They soon started their family with the births of four children in quick succession; Cynthia Carol, Jeffery Alan, Julie Ann and Kathryn Ann. Jeff's birth caused complications where she almost died from preeclampsia. She would recall this event, remembering a lot of people surrounding her trying to find a solution. Young Evy was taught by her mom how to sew. This became a life long love of hers. She was able to continue sewing with the help of her daughter Cindy until this past year. Hand-made clothes, mittens, underwear, and home decorations were under constant construction. While married to Sheldon, she taught her children to love, learn and accept. This union however ended under great stress. She, like her mother, found herself re-entering the work force to provide for her children. She eventually became the Director of Nursing at Menomonee Falls Nursing Home, where she flourished.

In 1979 she married for the second time, to her best friend Barb Keller's brother, Thomas James Tromp, who also had four children. This blending brought her into her retirement years. The two moved to Kewaskum in 1989. More fun, less worry began to be enjoyed daily with hiking, biking, camping, square dancing, motorcycling, and volunteering. Of course it wasn't just the two of them, many grandchildren where in on the shenanigans; Ellen, Andrea, Derek, Annie, Muriel, Theodore, Taylor, Benjamin, Jordan, Jennifer, Rachell, Stephanie, Amanda, Samantha, and Desiree. She would often gather everyone to cook up a storm of potato pancakes in the basement or roasting home-grown corn in the backyard. None of us will forget the candlelight hikes at Zillmer Trail, followed by

hot chocolate and soup.

Great grandchildren came along later, they of course were also thoroughly enjoyed; Robert Julian Santiago, Benjamin Maximus Farfan, Caleb Ryan Abel, Ryder James Smith, Aubrey Elaine Smith.

Evy was preceded in death by her parents, her brother, her beloved husband Tom, many friends and most unfortunately her son Jeff. Her surviving children and step children; Cynthia (Daniel) Beyer, Dr. Julie Chicks, Kathryn (Everett) Russell, Christine Kjell (nee Tromp) Michael Tromp, Annelouise (Wayne) Noordhof (nee Tromp) and Paul Tromp, wish peace to all who knew her and loved her. Our mother was an amazing, wonderful, and beautiful soul.

Evy was an accomplished gardener, spending many hours nurturing plants indoor and out. As much as she loved plants and flowers she was also very practical, so please consider donating to www.alz.org in lieu of flowers or gifts.

A special thanks and gratitude to the Alzheimer's Association; they provided much comfort and advice as our family took this long road.



An albino squirrel is spotted in a tree in Kewaskum last week.

photo by Carol Schwalter

Let It Snow: Travel Wisconsin's Snow Conditions Report Is Live For The Season

Wisconsin has transformed into its annual winter wonderland and there's no better time to check the Travel Wisconsin Snow Conditions Report to plan your next outdoor adventure. This year, the Snow Conditions Report is back and better than ever with a brand-new look.

This updated report includes exciting new features, such as:

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to ensure outdoor enthusiasts know exactly where to find fresh powder.

The interactive travel tool also lets users browse nearby attractions, accommodations or events to plan an entire weekend getaway, and share their photos with fellow winter sports enthusiasts. Travelers can subscribe online to receive the report right in their email inbox every Thursday, check the report independently at TravelWisconsin.com or view it from a mobile device to plan a winter weekend on the go.

Now through the end of February, visitors can find special offers at 12 different ski hills around the state at <https://www.travelwisconsin.com/deals>. The promotions range from 15 percent off lift tickets, to Buy-One-Get-One tickets and even lesson packages just in time for "Learn to Ski Month" in January.

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Kewaskum Women's Club Presents Christmas Holiday Decoration Awards

The Kewaskum Women's Club presented Christmas Holiday Decoration Awards to village residents with exceptional outdoor Christmas decorations. Award winners include:

- Grand Award - Tony and Sue Butschlick
- Classic Award - Jim and Sue Heisdorf
- Classic Award - Terry and Sue Heberer
- Religious Award - Shelley Hebert
- Animated Award - Richard and Jenifer Blank
- Animated Award - Mike and Jenney Fusek
- Honor Award - Lawrence and Pat Moye
- Honor Award - David and Ellen Otter
- Griswold Award - Richard Kapfenstein



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Kewaskum Women's Club

Health Department Offers Radon Test Kits For Radon Action Month

During National Radon Action Month the Washington Ozaukee Public Health Department is encouraging citizens to test their homes for radon by offering free test kits to residents.

Radon is a naturally occurring odorless, colorless gas found in rock and soil. Radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer, claiming the lives of an estimated 20,000 Americans each year.

Radon can enter your home whether it is old or new, drafty or well-sealed, built on a base-

ment or a slab. Each building is unique, so testing is the only way to know if you have high levels of radon in your home.

The radon test kit is easy to use and only takes a few minutes to set up. Once you open it, the kit stays in your home for two days. Then you will package it and mail it to the lab for analysis.

According to the Centers for Disease control, "If you have already tested your home and your radon level is 4 pCi/L or greater, it is time to take action."

If you choose to have a

mitigation system installed, it is recommended that the system be installed by a certified mitigation professional. Taking action is the best step to minimize your health risk.

Kits can be obtained at both health department locations. The West Bend location is open Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. and is located at 333 E. Washington St, Suite 1100, in West Bend. The Port Washington office is open Monday through Friday between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. and is located

at 121 W. Main St., Room 246, in Port Washington. You can also receive a kit by mail from the Washington Ozaukee Public Health Department. Please call the office for details.

More information, as well as a list of certified radon contractors, can be found at www.lowradon.org. Additional information is also available at washozwi.gov. Certified Environmental Health personnel are available at 262-335-4462 or 262-284-8170 to answer your radon questions.



Crooked Trails Snowmobile Club is at it again. The club has made a \$200 donation to the Tera Haferman benefit. The benefit will be held on Saturday, Jan. 26, at Caddy Shack in Fond du Lac from 4 p.m.-9 p.m. Tera was diagnosed with leukemia six months ago. She suffered a massive seizure and stroke a few weeks into her treatment and is in the process of learning to walk again and regaining her independence. During the snowmobile club's Christmas party, they all brought presents for Tera and her son. The group also donated \$200 to the Dylan Wiedmeyer fundraiser that was held at Campbellsport High School on Thursday, Dec. 6. Joe "Woody" Woodworth is pictured above holding the checks for these two benefits.

photo by Andrea Hansen Abler

St. Joseph's Hospital Welcomes First Baby Of The Year

Congratulations to Nick and Sheila Schaller, West Bend, parents of Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital's first baby of the year. Baby Nicole was born Tuesday, Jan. 1, at 2:26 a.m. weighing in at 7 pounds 9 ounces and measuring 20.5 inches.

Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital, founded in 1930 by local doctors, community leaders and the Sisters of the

Divine Savior, is a full-service hospital serving residents of West Bend and Washington County. St. Joseph's Hospital, specializing in birthing services, cancer care, emergency care, orthopedics, surgical services and women's health, is part of the Froedtert & MCW health network.

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Audra brings 27 years of experience to the business and the Administrator, Shelly Marx, brings 23 years of experience. Along with them, there are 10-14 employees depending on the time of year. Mike and Audra Beyer are supportive of their staff going back to school through funding in conjunction with TEACH.

Thank you to all of the parents who have shared their precious children with us! We feel truly blessed to have met each and every one of you. We look forward to many more years of helping your children grow!

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DAYS GONE BY

**5 Years Ago
January 16, 2014**

Before the contract with Wayne's Grading for snow plowing services ended in September 2013, the Farmington Town Board purchased three trucks to take over plowing duties. "We felt we were really limiting service, because the costs were getting so out of hand," Chris Elbe, town chairman said. "I didn't see how we were to continue to pay this and continue functioning as a town." Under the contract with Wayne's Grading, the town paid \$118/hour for just plowing and paid a fuel surcharge more than \$3.

After being a truck driver for 33 years, Chuck Hartley decided to pursue a new venture in his life and one he's always wanted. The first weekend after Thanksgiving he opened the doors to The Chuck Stop, a bar and grill formerly known to locals as The Forest House. Hartley had been a bartender at The Forest House. More recently he bartended at Hon-E-Kor Golf and Country Club on weekends for five years, but he has been bartending since 1974 with his first job in Milwaukee.

For Alan and Linda Gundrum, their land east of St. Michaels has allowed them to view a multitude of wildlife, but on December 11, Linda noticed something different, a large bird. With binoculars, she discovered the bird was an adult bald eagle.

Bolstered by the return of sophomore Ben Watzig and a half dozen pins, the Kewaskum wrestlers posted a convincing 54-18 victory over visiting New Holstein last Friday night, boosting their Eastern Wisconsin Conference record to 2-1.

Joseph Seitz, son of Sandra and Steven Seitz, and Kevin Etta, son of Julie and Jon Etta, were named Kiwanis Students of the Month.

A son, Charles James, was born to Brittany and Brian Murphy, of Eden, on December 31.

A son, John Jeffrey, was born to Scott and Shawn (Zalewski) Zimmermann, of Algonquin, Illinois, on December 26.

Mary Louise Krueger, 80, of Kewaskum, passed away on January 8.

**15 Years Ago
January 8, 2004**

The Kewaskum Village Board voted Monday to support a plan offered by Tom Timblin for a senior citizen apartment complex consisting of 122 units.

Kewaskum Fire De-

partment along with the rescue squad and police department responded to the Family Dollar in the Kewaskum Mall Tuesday afternoon for a report of smoke coming from the bathroom. Further information was unavailable at press time.

November 2, 2003, was a very special celebration as Bill Thull, Kewaskum, received a very prestigious award from the Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame. The highest level that a person can reach in the Hall of Fame is the "Lifetime Achievement Award." This award is presented to people that have played a large role in the polka music field.

A daughter, Jacee Jo, was born to Shawn and Tricia Czuppa, on December 12.

A son, Carter John LeRoy, was born to Bobbi and Joe Gaudynski, of Kewaskum, on December 29.

A daughter, Anna Rose, was born to Erin and Bruce Theusch, of Kewaskum, on December 27.

John P. Kelroy, 68, of Allenton, passed away on December 28.

Pearl O. Retzlaff, nee Derge, 83, of Hartford, passed away on January 1.

Henry F. Pieper, 89, of Eden, passed away on January 4.

**25 Years Ago
January 13, 1994**

Village residents will have the opportunity to voice their opinion on whether or not the traditional holiday fireworks will be held in Riverhill Park on July 3 or not. Some members of the Kewaskum Fire Department were at Monday evening's Village Board meeting to make a request through Kewaskum Fire Chief Mark Groeschel to change the annual fireworks night from July 3 to the opening night of the Kewaskum Firemen's picnic being held this year on Friday, July 8.

Barb Land, daughter of Paul and Emily Land, and Tony Rix, son of Margaret and Jim Rix, were named Kiwanis Students of the Month for December.

Kewaskum girls basketball coach Glenn Eichstedt has said repeatedly this season that someone other than guard Ginger Wiesner has to step up and pick up some of the Indians' scoring slack. Eichstedt finally got his wish here, last Friday night, as several Indians picked it up a notch in Kewaskum's 44-37 victory over Sheboygan Falls. However, it was Wiesner who got the Indians rolling in the first half.

A son, Aaron, was

born to Dale and Wendy Prost of Scottsdale, Arizona, on December 17.

A son, Brent Richard, was born to John and Darla (Former Darla Prost), of Two Rivers, on January 9.

A son, Carl Jon, was born to Rev. Jon and Sandy Buchholz, of Waukesha, on December 22.

Victoria "Vicki" Gross, 94, formerly of Long Lake, passed away on January 8.

Meta Ida Adelmeyer, 81, of Campbellsport, passed away on January 4.

Eline L. Knowlton, nee Bean, 83, of Eau Claire, passed away on December 19.

Alfred A. Neuenfeldt, 88, of Campbellsport, passed away on January 8.

Frank J. Dockter, 81, of West Bend, passed away on January 10.

**50 Years Ago
January 10, 1969**

The State Historical Society's publication, "Wisconsin Then and Now," in its December issue carried an interesting and informative article on how Kewaskum took its name from the Potawatomi Indian chief. Based on a historical account by Carl Quickert published in 1923 in "The Story of Washington County," the article tells of a treaty with the potawatomi Indians which was ratified on February 21, 1835. The treaty moved the Indians to reservations west of the Mississippi River and opened the Washington County area for settlement. It also resulted in many unhappy, homesick Indians wandering back to congregate in villages on the fringes of the new white settlements. "One of these villages," the account states, "took root on a high hill with a deep depression on the top affording the Indians protection from rough winter winds. The white settlement at the base of this hill became the only one in all of Washington County to adopt an Indian name. It became in 1849, the village of Kewaskum.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tyrell Surpranant, of Kewaskum, on December 31.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rodenkirch, of Kewaskum, on January 3.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Klahn, of Kewaskum, on January 4.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Rauch, of Campbellsport, on January 2.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Key, of Kewaskum, on January 7.

Albert Kreif Sr., 81, of Kewaskum, passed away on January 6.

William J. Riley, passed away on December 31.

**75 Years Ago
January 14, 1944**

Frank Quandt, 84, aged resident and well known citizen of this village, passed away at 9:30 a.m. Monday, Jan. 10, at his home on South Fond du Lac Avenue after ailing for some time with complications resulting from his advanced age. He was seriously ill but a week before his death.

Lehman L. Rosenheimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. L.P. Rosenheimer, who is director of flying at the Carlsbad Army Air Base, Carlsbad, New Mexico, was advanced from captain to the rank of major this past week. He is the first young man from Kewaskum to receive this rank.

**100 Years Ago
January 11, 1919**

Another gold star has been added to the service banner of the St. Michael's congregation. It is there in honor of the supreme sacrifice of his life which Private William J. Schneider has brought for the defense of his country. Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schneider of St. Michaels received the official report from Washington last Saturday, Jan. 4, that their son, William Joseph, had been killed in action October 13th. A previous report had been received December 6th stated that William was missing in action since October 12th. Great had been the anxiety of the family, but nevertheless they had lived in hope that their son would return.

Mrs. M.K. Beisbier, prominent citizen of the village of Campbellsport, received a telegram stating that her husband, M.K. Beisbier has landed safely in New York. Mr. Beisbier is with the 333rd Field Artillery, which is part of the Blackhawk Division. He was the senior partner of the firm Beisbier & Jaeger, general merchants of Campbellsport and left with a contingent last summer for Camp Grant. Mr. Beisbier stated that his company will be transferred to Camp Grant for demobilization at once.

Theodore H. Roosevelt, Ex-President of the United States, died at his home at Sagamore Hill, Oyster Bay, January 6, 1919. Cause of death being pulmonary embolism or a clot of blood which detached from a vein and entered the lungs obstructing the circulation of blood.



The Magi

By Darlene Stern

"We Three Kings of Orient Are" is a well-known carol sung at Christmas gatherings. It calls to remembrance one group of individuals drawn to the Christ child after an unusual star was seen in the sky. We celebrate them 12 days after Christmas on January 6.

These kings were astrologers from the east (orient) who followed the star to Jerusalem. Let's think about that for a minute. If they followed the star that means they had to travel by night, as that is the only time one can see the stars. Not the normal modus operandi to travel during the night when robbers frequent travel routes under the cover of darkness, but how else do you follow a star? One sure way of giving robbers second thoughts of dastardly deeds is to travel in a large caravan composed of many animals and individuals.

Upon arrival, the kings, also known as magi, inquired of King Herod where they might find the newborn King of the Jews. This must have been an impressive request, given the number of individuals with the magi. Herod consulted the Jewish leaders who knew the prophecies of old. Eight centuries before, Micah had foretold that the new King would be born in Bethlehem. History was now unfolding in their day and time! However, it wasn't the Jews who saw this happening, but foreigners who had journeyed from afar.

As they went on their way, it says the star appeared again to them. They had to be traveling once more at night to see the star over Bethlehem. Their

anticipation was spilling over; at last they were going to see who the star had led them to! They were going to see and worship the infant Messiah who would become King of the Jews.

They found the house where the Baby Jesus and His mother Mary lived. Though the locale was still Bethlehem, now Mary and Jesus resided in a house. This visit was some time following His birth, perhaps as long as a year or two later.

Immediately they threw themselves on the ground and worshipped Him and opened the gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh that they had brought to honor Him. That's all we know of them. Their mission to worship the child and honor Him with gifts had been accomplished.

What they couldn't know was that shortly after their departure, an angel instructed Joseph to take Jesus and Mary to Egypt with all due haste because Herod would try to kill the child. God knew the darkest intents of Herod's heart and had made provision to preserve the child. Actually, God had made provision in advance for the family to live in another land for an extended period of time by sending the wise men with very valuable gifts to support the family in Egypt until God called them back to Israel.

So, the curiosity of the magi kings from the east led them on a pilgrimage to find the newborn King of the Jews and honor Him with worship and costly gifts. Those gifts contributed to the preservation of the young life of the Savior of the world. They are worthy of remembering.

Community Gatherings

To be included in the Community Gatherings, please submit your event prior to our 2 p.m. Monday deadline.

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.countryclub-dancers.com.

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

Every Thursday - Museum of Wisconsin Art Express Talks. A short, art-filled break led by curators. Noon - 12:20 p.m.

Every Saturday - Museum of Wisconsin Art Drop-in art making for all ages. 205 Veterans Avenue, West Bend. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 10 - Kewaskum High School boys basketball team invites all Kewaskum High School basketball alumni to attend the boys basketball game in the Kewaskum High School gym. 7:15 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 11 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. No meeting.

Saturday, Jan. 12 - Irish Dance Competition - Wisconsin Winterfeis. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 13 - Irish Dance Competition - Dairyland Feis. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Monday, Jan. 14 - River Shoreline Restoration "Walk About" begins and ends at 1630 Riverview in Kewaskum. 3 - 4 p.m. KHS H.O.P.E Club and Bridget Center informational meeting regarding Kewaskum's Might River project at Village Hall Community Room. 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 15 - Back to Basics: Do You Want to Build A Snow Mammal? You've built the snowman, but can you master the mammal? Dress warmly. Youth program. Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center, Highway 28 between Horicon and Mayville. 920-387-7893. 1 - 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 16 - Morning Nature Walks. Join a wildlife educator for some crisp air and fresh views. Length and difficulty will depend on weather and participants. Be sure to bundle up. Snowshoes provided when weather allows. Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center, Highway 28 between Horicon and Mayville. 920-387-7893. 10 - 11:30 a.m.

Friday, Jan. 18 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Amy Hackman/Diabetes Information. 7:30 - 9 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 19 - Collection of Collectors. Share your collection and see what others collect at this free event. Free admission to the museum. 262-335-4678 or email education@historyisfun.com. The History Center of Washington County, 320 S. 5th Ave., West Bend. 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 19 - "Bringing Nature Home" is the title of a program focusing on gardening for birds with speaker Ray Rogers. Sheboygan County Master Gardeners, UWEX Room 5020, UW-Sheboygan Campus, 5 University Drive, Sheboygan. For more information contact Sue at 920-458-1848. 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, Jan. 19 - Museum of Wisconsin Art Opening Party. Meet artist Charles Munch and enjoy art making, live music, light bites and a cash bar. 205 Veterans Avenue, West Bend. 2 - 5 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 19 - Horicon Candlelight Hike. Roaring bonfire, roasted marshmallows and warm refreshments. Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center, Highway 28 between Horicon and Mayville. 920-387-7893. 5 - 9 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 19 - Plymouth Arts Center "Music Under the Stars" a one-night musical show and dance featuring Rosetti & Wigley & Company. Tickets \$10 in advance, \$12 at the door. 920-892-8409 520 Mill Street, Plymouth. 7:30 - 10:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 23 - Morning Nature Walks. Join a wildlife educator for some crisp air and fresh views. Length and difficulty will depend on weather and participants. Be sure to bundle up. Snowshoes provided when weather allows. Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center, Highway 28 between Horicon and Mayville. 920-387-7893. 10 - 11:30 a.m.

Friday, Jan. 25 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Chili Pot Luck. 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 27 - 41st Annual R/C Auction and Swap Meet. \$5 admission. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Highway PV, West Bend. 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 27 - Holy Trinity School chili luncheon following 11 a.m. mass. 305 Main Street, Kewaskum.

Wednesday, Jan. 30 - Morning Nature Walks. Join a wildlife educator for some crisp air and fresh views. Length and difficulty will depend on weather and participants. Be sure to bundle up. Snowshoes provided when weather allows. Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center, Highway 28 between Horicon and Mayville. 920-387-7893. 10 - 11:30 a.m.

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

Friday, Jan. 11 - Night Ski, Snowshoe And Candle-Lit Hike. Start your weekend right! Enjoy the beauty and serenity of a crisp snowy evening on skis or snowshoes. Traverse our trails, lighted by the soft glow of lanterns, or those trails lit only by the light of the moon and stars. Refreshments will await you at the end of the trail! It's an experience you won't soon forget. (Please call or check our website for current snow conditions before venturing out - event may need to be canceled due to ice or weather conditions). Fee: Non-Members: \$5, Trail & All-Access Members: FREE. Price does not include equipment. You are absolutely welcome to bring your own snowshoes or skis, or make it easy and rent a pair of our snowshoes. (\$10 per hour for non-members, \$5 per hour for Trail Pass members, and FREE for All-Access Members). Please call 262-375-2715 ahead of time to reserve a pair- we have a limited amount of snowshoes they will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis. Pre-registration recommended. 4:30 - 8 p.m.

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

Thursday, Jan. 10 - Managing Wildlife in Your Yard. Evening with Nature Program. About 85 percent of Americans live in an urban environment, and increasingly, wildlife is sharing the same areas with us. With David Drake, Extension Wildlife Specialist and Professor at UW-Madison, find out ways to create, enhance, and manage habitat in your yard, neighborhood, and community to attract beneficial wildlife and discourage critters that cause problems. Creating habitat in your yard helps native animals and plant species, increases your property value, improves human health, and beautifies your surroundings. This program is best for people over the age of 12 years old. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 12 - Read and Explore - Tracking. Drop in to read a book about tracking animals with a caring adult. Afterwards, participate in hands-on activities to learn how to tell the stories tracks leave behind. This is a great opportunity for early elementary students to practice their reading skills. Campbellsport Public Library (located at 220 North Helena Street, Campbellsport). 9:30 - 10:45 a.m. Sheboygan Falls Library (located at 330 Buffalo Street, Sheboygan Falls). 1 - 2:15 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 12 - Get Outdoors! Learn to Snowshoe. Learn how easy it is to snowshoe and then get outside to enjoy the wonders of our beautiful snow-covered forest. Snowshoes provided for those who do not have any. This program is best for people older than 8 years. To register, call (920) 533-8322 by January 10. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 10 - 11:45 a.m.

Saturday, Jan. 12 - Get Outdoors! Learn to Cross-country Ski. Dust off those cross-country skis and head to Zillmer to gain the skills to make cross-country skiing fun and safe. This program is best for people older than 10 years. Arrangements for ski rentals will be made for those who need skis. Wisconsin State Park System vehicle admission stickers are required, but trail passes are waived for workshop participants. To register, call 920-533-8322 by January 10. Zillmer Trail Area (located off County Road SS between County Road G and Hwy 67 near New Prospect). 12:30 - 3 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 18 - Whoo's Awake? Owls! Nature Storytime. Listen! Whoo, whoo, who, who, who! The owls are awake while we sleep. Discover remarkable facts about these nighttime hunters. This hour of nature fun awaits 3 to 6 year olds with accompanying adults. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, Jan. 19 - Get Outdoors! Learn to Ice Fish. Learn the tricks of winter fishing with experienced ice anglers. We will start inside the Mauthe Lake picnic shelter for a presentation on safety tips and appropriate gear and tackle. Then it's off to Mauthe Lake to try our best at luring those fish out of the water. Equipment, tackle, and bait will be provided. This program is best for people over 6 years old. Special surprises await all who pre-register. To register, call (920) 533-8322 by January 16. No fishing licenses required, since it is Free Fishing Weekend. A State Park System vehicle admission sticker is required. Mauthe Lake Recreation Area Picnic Shelter (located off County Road GGG south of County Road SS near New Prospect). 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

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

Collection Of Collectors

Discover what your neighbors collect during the 13th annual Collection of Collectors on Saturday, Jan. 19, at the History Center Washington County. Includes FREE admission to the museum. Doors open at 9 a.m. and the program starts at 10 a.m. until noon. Museum hours are 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Collectors share their interesting and unique passion. You'll learn something new during this fun, informal and

free program.

If you have two of something, it's a collection. And it doesn't have to be old.

Want to share your collection? Contact Hannah at education@historyisfun.com or (262) 335-4678 to register your collection. It's free to participate and all ages of collectors are welcome.

The History Center Washington County, 320 South 5th Ave., West Bend WI 53095.

Check It Out!



A Column By Kewaskum Librarian Lori Kreis

The beginning of this year has been very busy at the library. We have taken down some older displays and created new ones, we have continued to work on getting books and magazines ready for our annual sale at the end of this month and have been planning some awesome programming.

We have also been taking part in a public awareness campaign along with the four other Washington County Libraries; American Library Association's Libraries Transform Campaign. This campaign confirms that libraries do much more than provide books for the community. According to ALA, "Libraries are a smart investment, transforming lives and communities and passionately advocating for lifelong learning."

What does this promotion mean for this community? For one thing, the Washington County libraries will be offering more quality programming for all ages. Come into the library to pick up a brochure or grab one from businesses throughout the county. The brochure lists just a sampling of programs that will be offered at all five locations. If you attend at least three of the listed programs, you will be entered in a drawing for a \$25 gift card.

What sort of programs will be offered? I would like to highlight two new ones that Kewaskum Library will have beginning next week. The first is the Library Recipe Club. This club will meet once a month; usually

the third Thursday of each month from 6 to 7 p.m. Each month, the members will bring a recipe and completed dish according to the theme of the month. The theme for January 15 is breakfast for dinner. It will be a fun evening of sampling good food and talking recipes and cookbooks. If you are interested and haven't registered yet, please do so by calling the library or stopping in.

The other new program for adults is the Brown Bag Lunch And Learn series. Once a month from noon to one; usually the third Thursday, you can bring your lunch to the library and learn about a variety of educational topics. The first few months will begin with an introduction to library resources such as Ancestry, Pronunciator and on the first meeting, January 17, Gale Courses.

Later this year, I plan on scheduling expert speakers in a variety of fields. If there is something of interest to you that you would like me to schedule, please let me know. You can also register for the Lunch And Learn series by stopping in the library or giving us a call.

You may have seen the updated bulletin board when you enter the library. It has several posters from the ALA's Libraries Transform campaign with some fun facts. Here is one of my favorites: Libraries Transform because learning to read comes before reading to learn.

Lori Kreis
Library Director,
Kewaskum Public Library

AREA CHURCH SERVICES

Kewaskum

Holy Trinity Catholic Church 331 Main St., Kewaskum

Reconciliation Saturdays 3:15 p.m.-3:45 p.m., Saturday Mass at 4:00 p.m., Sunday Mass at 7:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Tuesday Mass at 5 p.m. Wednesday-Friday Mass at 7:45 a.m. Adoration: after Tuesday evening and Friday morning masses. Father Jacob Strand, 262-626-2860.

St. Michael's Catholic Church

8883 Forest View Rd., Kewaskum
Sunday Mass at 9 a.m. Adoration: Wednesdays 6:30-8 p.m. Father Jacob Strand, 262-334-5270.

St. Matthias Chapel:

N1044 Highway S, Campbellsport
Sunday Mass 6 p.m. Sunday, May 27-Sept. 2. Father Jacob Strand, 262-626-2860.

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. (262) 626-2680.

Kettlebrook

Now Meeting at Kettlebrook Community Center, 2378 W. Washington, West Bend
9 a.m. Sunday services. Troy Loether, Pastor, Phone 262-365-0980. And at Jackson (10 a.m.). Visit: www.kettlebrook.org.

Kewaskum House of Prayer

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

Kohlsville

St. John's Evangelical Church 5696 Beaver Dam Rd., Kohlsville, WI 53090

Worship at 10 a.m. Fellowship Meal Wednesdays at 6 p.m. Bible Study Wednesdays at 7 p.m. Pastor Terrie R. Beede 414-861-4613.

Boltonville

New Horizon United Church of Christ 9663 Highway 144, Kewaskum

Sunday morning Worship at 9 a.m. Pastor David Schlieter. Phone 262-692-6444.

Beechwood Lake Area

Immanuel Lutheran Church W8497 Brazelton Dr., Random Lake

Sunday at 8:45 a.m. and Monday at 6:30 p.m. Phone 920-994-9060.

New Fane

St. John Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod) - New Fane

Sunday Divine Worship Services at 7:30 and 9 a.m. Thursday evening Worship at 7 p.m. Holy Communion first and third Sundays of the month at 9 a.m. service, and the following Thursdays; second and fourth Sundays of the month at 7:30 a.m. service. Rev. Mark Eckert. Phone 262-626-2309.

Town of Farmington

St. Andrew Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod) & Early Childhood Center 7750 St. Hwy. 144, West Bend.

Sunday morning worship 9 a.m., Sunday morning Bible study and Sunday School 10:15 a.m., Reverend Jonathan Vierkant (262) 335-4200, www.standrew-west-bend.org. Come share the love and saving grace through Jesus with our church family.

Wayne

Salem United Church of Christ Wayne, WI

Located north of intersection Hwy W and Hwy H/Mohawk Rd (5 mi west of Kewaskum on H). Sunday Worship 9 a.m. Adult Bible Study 10:15-11 a.m. Holy Communion the first Sunday of the month.

Pastor Ruth Hansen. Phone 262-665-2367. Find us on Facebook at SalemUCCWayneWI.

Allenton

Zion Ev Lutheran Church (WELS) 6430 County Rd D, Allenton, WI 53002

Worship Hours: Thursday Evenings at 7:00 p.m. and Sundays at 7:30 a.m. and 9:45 a.m. Sunday School at 8:30 a.m. Pastor Steve Bode, 262-483-0407.

Campbellsport

First United Methodist Church 203 N. Fond du Lac Ave, Campbellsport

Sunday Worship at 9:45 a.m. Communion first Sunday of every month. Pastor Mary Balson - 920-922-6332.

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, Campbell- sport

St. Martin's Chapel - Ashford St. Kilian Chapel - St. Kilian Parish Office, 419 Mill Street, Campbellsport

St. Matthew: Monday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service; Tuesday 8:30 a.m. School Mass; Wednesday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service; Thursday 8:30 a.m. Mass; Friday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service; Saturday 4 p.m. Mass; Sunday 9 a.m. Mass

St. Kilian: 4th Sunday of the month at 7:30am

St. Martin: 2nd Sunday of the month at 7:30am Fr. Mark Jones. Phone 533-4441. New parishioners are always welcome.

Dundee

Trinity Lutheran Church (Wisconsin Synod), Dundee, WI

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

Lomira

Springfield Community Church Meeting at Lomira High School

Sunday Service 9:30 a.m., Pastor Ray LaBatte, 920-517-2112.

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 9 a.m. Pastor Rom Pegrarn (920) 269-4411. www.trinityunited-methodistchurchlomira.com.

Call by Monday at 2 p.m. to make changes to our Area Church Services.

262-477-1176



The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce donates \$40 to the Kewaskum Community Pantry. Chamber member Sarah Tye collected the money in tips while face painting at the chamber's craft show. Pictured (from left) are: Sarah Tye, pantry volunteer Judy Steiner and Chamber President Kristy Vogt.

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Members of the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce donate knitted hats and scarves to Kewaskum Elementary School. Joy Kuhaupt knitted the pieces while at the chamber's craft show. Pictured (front row, from left) are Sarah Tye, Keri Seiler, KES Principal Jody Heipp and Kathy Rohlinger; and (back) Renee Dahman.

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The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce donates \$447 to the Kewaskum Community Pantry. The money was collected during the chamber's Christmas Cookie Hunt. Pictured (from left) are Keri Seiler, Renee Dahman, Judy Steiner and Kathy Rohlinger.

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School Happenings

Kewaskum High School

Thursday, January 10

- ✓ Ice Hockey Girls Varsity Game vs. Xavier at Tri-County Ice Arena 5:30 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Boys JV2 Game vs. Campbellsport at Kewaskum Middle School Gym 5:45 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Boys JV Game vs. Campbellsport at Kewaskum High School Field House 5:45 p.m.
- ✓ Wrestling Varsity Match vs. Campbellsport at Campbellsport High School 6:30 p.m.
- ✓ Shining Star Performance KHS Staff Lounge Room 407 7 - 8 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Boys Varsity Game vs. Campbellsport at Kewaskum High School Field House 7:15 p.m.
- ✓ KHS Boys Baseball Team Open Gym KHS Auxiliary Gym 7:30 - 9 p.m.

Friday, January 11

- ✓ KHS Citizens Advocate Meeting KHS Rose Library 12:25 - 12:55 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Girls JV Game vs. Plymouth High School at Kewaskum High School Field House 5:45 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Girls Varsity Game vs. Plymouth High School at Kewaskum High School Field House 7:15 p.m.

Saturday, January 12

- ✓ Wrestling JV Tournament vs. Sheboygan Falls at Sheboygan Falls High School 8:30 a.m.
- ✓ Wrestling Varsity Invitational vs. River Valley at River Valley High School 9:15 a.m.
- ✓ KHS Baseball Open Gym KHS Auxiliary Gym 10 a.m. - noon
- ✓ Ice Hockey Boys Varsity Game vs. University School of Milwaukee at Blue Line Family Ice Center 1 p.m.
- ✓ Ice Hockey Boys JV Game vs. University School of Milwaukee at Blue Line Family Ice Center 3:30 p.m.

Sunday, January 13

- ✓ Dinner and a Show, featuring KHS Noteables and KMS Footnotes. Spaghetti Dinner begins at 12:30 p.m. in KHS Cafeteria, followed by Show at 2 p.m. in KHS Auditorium. Tickets available for purchase at Geidel's Piggly Wiggly.
- ✓ Dinner and a Show, featuring KHS Noteables and KMS Footnotes. Spaghetti Dinner begins at 4:30 p.m. in KHS Cafeteria, followed by Show at 6 p.m. in KHS Auditorium. Tickets available for purchase at Geidel's Piggly Wiggly.
- ✓ KHS Girls Fast Pitch Open Gym KHS Field House 6 - 8 p.m.

Monday, January 14

- ✓ Bowling Girls Varsity Meet vs. Port Washington at Harbor Hills 4 p.m.
- ✓ Bowling Boys Varsity Meet vs. Cedarburg at Circle B Recreation 4 p.m.
- ✓ Board Meeting District Office Conference Room 6 - 9 p.m.
- ✓ KHS Boys Baseball Team Open Gym KHS Auxiliary Gym 7:30 - 9 p.m.

Tuesday, January 15

- ✓ Basketball Girls JV Game vs. West Bend East at Kewaskum High School Field House 5:45 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Girls Varsity Game vs. West Bend East at Kewaskum High School Field House 7:15 p.m.

Wednesday, January 16

- ✓ KHS Boys Baseball Team Open Gym KHS Auxiliary Gym 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, January 17

- ✓ Basketball Girls JV Game vs. Campbellsport at Campbellsport High School 5 p.m.
- ✓ KHS Boys Baseball Open Gym KHS Field House 5:55 - 7:30 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Girls Varsity Game vs. Campbellsport at Campbellsport High School 7:15 p.m.

Friday, January 18

- ✓ Ice Hockey Boys JV Tournament vs. Wausau West at Marathon Park Ice Arena Time TBD
- ✓ Ice Hockey Girls Varsity Game vs. DC Everest at Blue Line Family Ice Center 5 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Boys JV2 Game vs. Kettle Moraine Lutheran at Kewaskum Middle School Gym 5:45 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Boys JV Game vs. Kettle Moraine Lutheran at Kewaskum High School Field House 5:45 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball Boys Varsity Game vs. Kettle Moraine Lutheran at Kewaskum High School Field House 7:15 p.m.

Lunch Menus for January 14 - January 18

Kewaskum High School

- Monday:** Crispy Chicken Bowl, Buttered Corn, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Fresh Apple Slices, Diced Peaches.
- Tuesday:** Mini Corn Dogs, Seasoned Fries,

Baked Beans, Honeydew, Diced Pears.

Wednesday: BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich, French Fries, Coleslaw, Warm Apple Slices, Pineapple Tidbits.

Thursday: Whole Grain Pasta Bar, Garlic Roasted Broccoli, Cucumber Slices, Fresh Pear Half, Mandarin Oranges.

Friday: No School. Mondays: Bistro Burger Bar.

Tuesdays: Fiesta Bar. Wednesdays: Deli Bar With Soup. Thursdays: A Taste of Italy.

Fridays: Potato Bar. Daily Menu Offerings: Grab N Go Lunch, Variety Of Salads, Deli Bar, Hamburgers, Cheeseburgers, Chicken Patty, Spicy Chicken Patty, Pizza Of The Day.

Dinner Roll, Fresh Apple Slices. Second Choice: Hot Dog.

Tuesday: Mini Corn Dogs (Whole Grain), Baked Beans, Sweet Potato Fries, Diced Pears, Treat - Cupcake. Second Choice: Crispy Chicken Bacon Snack Wrap (Whole Grain).

Wednesday: BBQ Rib Fingers, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, French Fries, Steamed Green Beans, Orange Smiles. Second Choice: Cheese Pizza.

Thursday: Cheeseburger (Whole Grain), Tator Tots, Romaine Lettuce, Mandarin Oranges. Second Choice: Mini Pancakes And Sausage Patty.

Friday: No School. Third Choice Offered Daily: Fun Lunch. Uncrustable, String Cheese, Apple Slices, Veggies, Goldfish Crackers, Milk.

School Happenings

Kewaskum Middle School

Thursday, January 10

- ✓ 7th Grade Courage Retreat KMS Gym 8 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Saturday, January 12

- ✓ KYB League Games KMS Gym 7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Kewaskum Elementary School

Thursday, January 10

- ✓ 4K Make And Take It KES Cafeteria 5 - 6 p.m.

Friday, January 11

- ✓ 4K Make And Take It KES Cafeteria 9 - 10 a.m.

Monday, January 14

- ✓ KES 4th and 5th Grade Intramurals KES Gym 3:30 - 4:35 p.m.

Tuesday, January 15

- ✓ KES 4th and 5th Grade Intramurals KES Gym 3:30 - 4:35 p.m.
- ✓ KES PTO Meetings KES LGI 6:15 - 8 p.m.

i4Learning Community School

Friday, January 11

- ✓ i4L PTO Movie Night WES Gym 6:15 - 8:30 p.m.

Farmington Elementary School

Monday, January 14

- ✓ FES Family Learning Night Entire Building 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, January 15

- ✓ Serigraph Basketball FES Gym 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Holy Trinity Catholic School

Friday, January 18

- ✓ Basketball B Girls vs. St. Matt's at Holy Trinity 5:30 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball B Boys vs. St. Matt's at Holy Trinity. Dance Team performance. 6:30 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball A Girls vs. SOTH at Holy Trinity 7:30 p.m.
- ✓ Basketball B Boys vs. WCHSA Blue at Holy Trinity. Dance Team performance. 8:30 p.m.

Sunday, January 27

- ✓ Chili Dinner to Kick Off Catholic Schools' Week following 11 a.m. Mass.
- ✓ Kindergarten Round-Up 3K/4K/5K registration. 305 Main Street 1 - 2 p.m.

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Sunday, January 27 • 1 p.m.-2 p.m.
Following the Catholic Schools' Week Chili Dinner Presentation at 1 p.m. in the 5K Classroom.

This is your opportunity to visit the classrooms, ask questions, pick up a registration packet for the 2019-2020 school year, and see why Holy Trinity School's Catholic education is ideal for your child.

- If, by September 1, 2019, your child is:*
- 3 years old - Register for 3K**
- 4 years old - Register for 4K**
- 5 years old - Register for 5K**

For questions, call 262-626-2603.

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Washington County Public Libraries Join National Libraries Transform Campaign

The Kewaskum Public Library, Germantown Community Library, Jack Russell Memorial Library (Hartford), Slinger Community Library and West Bend Community Memorial Library are excited to announce that they have joined the Libraries Transform Campaign.

Libraries Transform is a public awareness and advocacy campaign which speaks to what today's libraries and librarians do for and with people, rather than simply what they have. The goal of the campaign is to help libraries speak with a unified voice about the value of YOUR community library, while raising awareness for what modern libraries are all about.

"The public libraries located in Washington County are more than a quiet place to study and check out books", said Jennifer Einwalter, director of the Jack Russell Memorial Library in Hartford. "Whether it is free Internet access for low-income families, job

training and resume writing classes with our online database Gale Courses, or science, technology, engineering, arts and mathematics (STEAM) programs to engage the next generation, our libraries are modern community centers that provide for the needs of every resident living in Washington County. The public libraries in your community are places where lives are transformed every day."

Visit the following link to see all of the programs and services available beginning in January and ending in April: <https://bit.ly/2UhXZAK>.

Attend three programs at any library in Washington County and you have the chance to win a \$25 gift card. The brochure has a list of programs with dates and locations that you can attend to win one of these prizes. For more great programming, contact information for each library is listed on the back of the brochure.

Amy Salminen, direc-

tor of the West Bend Community Memorial Library said, "Libraries are truly unique. In person and online. From our 1,000 books before kindergarten early literacy programs, to online databases such as Pronunciator for learning languages, to the vast array of programs available, the public libraries in Washington County are opening doors to services, programs and resources for all residents."

To date, more than 2,700 public, school, academic and special libraries all across the country and around the world have joined the campaign. The Libraries Transform Campaign, an initiative of the American Library Association (ALA) is designed to increase public awareness of the value, impact and services provided by libraries and library professionals. The campaign showcases the transformative nature of today's libraries and elevates the critical role libraries play in the digital age.



Commerce State Bank announced its Class of 2018 Hall of Fame inductees recently. They were all honored and recognized at the Commerce State Bank Holiday Open House on Tuesday, Dec. 4. Interstate Sawing Company was one of the Hall of Fame inductees, from left, Joe Fazio, CEO and co-founder of Commerce State Bank and Duke Long, founder/owner of Interstate Sawing Company.

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CAMPUS NEWS

– University of Wisconsin - Superior

The University of Wisconsin-Superior has named Tamara Kaehne of Campbellsport to the Dean's List for academic achievement during the Fall 2018 semester.

To be named to the Dean's List, students must have completed 12 degree-seeking semes-

ter credits and achieved at least a 3.50 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale).

– Northland College

Taylor R. Pichler of West Bend, a senior at Northland College, has been named to the Dean's List for outstanding academic performance during the fall 2018

term.

To qualify for the Dean's List, full-time students must have a grade point average of at least 3.5 on a 4.0 scale with no grade less than a "C." Northland College is a private liberal arts college located in northern Wisconsin.

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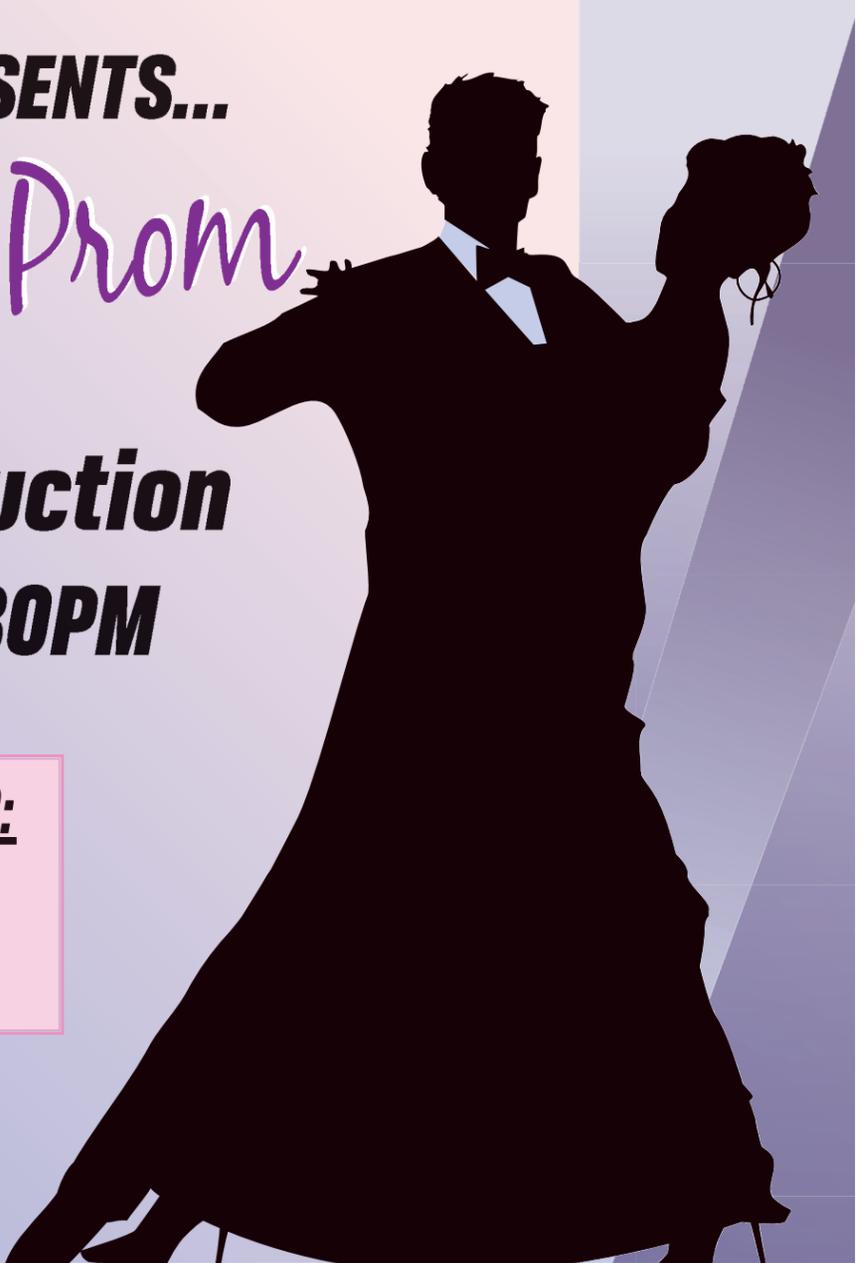
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Washington County Sheriff And Clerk Of Circuit Court Take Oaths Of Office

Washington County Sheriff Martin Schulteis is starting his first term as sheriff while Theresa M. Russell has started her third term as clerk of circuit court for Washington County.

County Board Chairman Don Kriefall congratulated both elected officials.

"I look forward to working with Sheriff Schulteis," said Kriefall. "As a former law enforcement officer, I trust the sheriff to continue Washington County's reputation as a safe community, while working diligently on issues like opioid addiction and mental health chal-

lenges. I know Sheriff Schulteis will continue his honorable career as the chief law enforcement official in our county."

Schulteis took his oath at the Washington County Old Courthouse and was administered the oath of office by his brother, an active duty Air Force lieutenant colonel. Schulteis has over 25 years of service in law enforcement and the Washington County Sheriff's Office, where he most recently served as captain of administration and the appointed undersheriff. As captain, Schulteis had oversight

over 911 communications and the countywide radio system. Schulteis served as the deputy incident commander for the 2017 U.S. Open held at Erin Hills.

"Clerk of Court Russell has done a great job recouping court costs for the county," commented Chairman Kriefall. "Under her leadership, Washington County leads the state in debt collection. I look forward to working with Ms. Russell for the next four years as she is a pacesetter for the state and region."

Russell is recognized for helping to promote the use of electronic files

in the court system. After she testified before the Wisconsin Supreme Court, the use of electronic files was granted. During her tenure, she piloted collections through the State Debt Collection Agency and has collected roughly \$2.4 million. Russell just concluded her presidency of the Wisconsin Clerk of Court Association and hopes to stay involved at the state level where she believes Washington County can make a difference.

The terms for each office began on Monday, Jan. 7.

Dairyland Seed Announces Wisconsin Corn Silage Yieldmaster Contest Winners

Dairyland Seed recently announced the national and state winners for its annual Corn Silage Yieldmaster Contest.

The title of National Corn Silage Yieldmaster was awarded to David

Wald of Edgeley, North Dakota, with a yield of 42.92 tons/acre with HiDF-3915SSX.

Wisconsin Corn Silage Yieldmasters were:

First Place- Murph-Ko Farms, Inc. of Fond du

Lac - 36.85 tons/acre with HiDF-3510SSX.

Second Place- Majestic Crossing Dairy, LLC, Sheboygan Falls - 31.40 tons/acre with HiDF-3702-9.

Third Place- Robert Staudinger, Reedsville -

29.76 tons/acre with BMR-3508RA.

"We are very proud to be a part of helping our Yieldmasters achieve these outstanding yields," stated Gary Leeper, general manager of Dairyland Seed. "It is because of growers like these that the future for agriculture is bright as is our ability to continue feeding the growing world population."

Dairyland Seed was founded in 1907 and focuses its business on providing world-class hybrid corn, soybean and alfalfa genetics to American farmers. Dairyland Seed is headquartered in West Bend.

BREAKFAST MENUS

Breakfast Menus for January 14 - January 18

Kewaskum High School

Monday: Pancake Wrapped Sausage On A Stick, Diced Pears, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Tuesday: Yogurt Parfait (Yogurt With Strawberries And Granola), Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast Pizza, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Thursday: Egg And Cheese On A Whole Grain English Muffin, Pineapple Tidbits, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Friday: No School. Other Breakfast Items: Pillsbury Bagels, Banana/Zucchini Bread, Fruit Muffins, Cinnamon Rolls, Cereal/Granola Bars, Cold Cereal, 4 oz. Yogurt, String Cheese, Yogurt Parfaits, Uncrustable.

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Friday: No School.

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Kewaskum School District Elementary Schools

Monday: Breakfast Boat, Mandarin Oranges, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Tuesday: Sausage Patty On A Whole Grain Biscuit, Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Wednesday: Wacky Waffle With Strawberries, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Thursday: Egg Lollipop (Hardboiled Egg On A Stick), Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Friday: No School. Other Breakfast Items: Cold Cereal Bowls, Fruit Muffin, Fruit Breads, Cereal/Granola Bars, Nutri-Grain Bars, Graham Cracker Snacks, Pop-tarts, 4 oz. Yogurt, String Cheese, Uncrustable.

All Menus Are Subject To Change.

DEADLINE
For News Items & Ads Is Monday at 2:00 p.m.

Bringing Nature Home

"Bringing Nature Home" is the title of a presentation focusing on gardening for birds to be held on Saturday, Jan. 19. The speaker is Ray Rogers.

The program is sponsored by Sheboygan County Master Gardeners and will begin at 9:30 a.m. in UWEX Room 5020 on the UW-Sheboygan Campus. UWEX offices are right across the drive from Bookworm Gardens.

Inspired by the book

of the same title, Ray Rogers is working to make his home landscape more appealing and nourishing for birds and insects. He encourages growing more plants (natives whenever possible) that support healthy populations of insects and other potential food for nestlings (not just fruiting plants to support adult birds). He will also discuss non-native and invasive plants as they relate to

bird populations.

Ray Rogers is a retired horticulture instructor in the LTC Sustainable Landscape course. He has also worked at the Morris Arboretum and the American Horticultural Society. He is the author of The Encyclopedia of Container Plants, Coleus, and Pots in the Garden. He loves daffodils.

For more information contact Sue at (920) 458-1848.

Wedding Guide 2019

DEADLINE IS JANUARY 25, 2019 | PUBLISHED FEBRUARY 7, 2019

Join us at the Campbellsport News, Kewaskum Statesman and the Dodge County Pioneer when we publish this year's Wedding Guide on February 7, 2019, devoted to the wedding couple with local information to help make their wishes come true. Along with fashion and services we will be featuring local photos and editorial coverage.

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Year In Review

July 5 Issue

The last day of school in Kewaskum was May 25, but Kewaskum Elementary School was bustling with students throughout the month of June. A total of 430 students in 4K through eighth grade attended the Kewaskum School District's summer school program.

Julia and Barney Skrentny celebrated their 40th anniversary of Hospital & Medical Care Association (HMCA), a business they founded in the United Kingdom. Barney Skrentny is originally from Kewaskum.

The Kewaskum Fire Department is purchasing a new rescue engine for \$708,435.

Cody Kerr was named the new lead operator for Kewaskum's Wastewater Treatment Plant. Kerr replaced Ben Propson, who resigned from the position.

July 12 Issue

The Kewaskum Police Department now has a "Safe Exchange Zone" in front of the department building, located at 204 First St. in Kewaskum. This space is available to use as a safe place to meet when buying or selling items online.

Fireworks lit up the sky over Kewaskum on July 3 during the village's Independence Day celebration.

Josh Stangl golfed 135 holes at Hon-E-Kor Golf Club in Kewaskum on July 3. Stangl raised about \$2,800 for the University of Wisconsin Carbone Cancer Center through the marathon round of golf.

The Kewaskum Police Department created speed enforcement zones on Edgewood Road and Knights Avenue where "25 means 25."

John (Hans) and Rita Boegel celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on July 6.

Nearly 1,000 people showed up at Regner Park on July 8 to celebrate Wisconsin musicians during the annual Homegrown Music Festival.

This edition of the Kewaskum Statesman was the second issue printed by Bliss Communications, publishers of The Gazette, in Janesville.

The change was prompted by the tariff on newsprint, causing prices to dramatically increase by more than 20 percent.

Haidyn Herriges, Siqi Gundrum, Harper Herriges and Olivia Dourn took part in the 2018 YMCA National Gymnastics Meet in Toledo, Ohio.

Deaths: Ruth I. Ramel, Melinda R. Krumm, Monica LaFleur, Robert J. Nieskes Sr.

July 19 Issue

A team of Kewaskum Middle School students tied for 10th place in the global Destination Imagination competition, which was held in Knoxville, Tennessee. Members of the team were Andrew Bolek, Isaiah Knaus, Josiah Tomich, Braeden Shavlik and Samantha Staffin.

Holy Trinity Catholic School received a \$20,000 safety grant through the Wisconsin Department of Justice School Safety Grant program, administered by DOJ's Office of School Safety.

At the July 16 Kewaskum Board of Education meeting, the board passed a resolution to borrow \$1,725,000 over 10 years with a 4.25 percent interest rate to help cover the cost of athletic fields.

A barn at Buss Farmland, LLC, on Highway 45 in the Town of Auburn was destroyed by fire in the early morning hours on July 11.

Autumn Giese and Sarah Zemen presented a check for \$500 to the Children's Hospital of Wisconsin.

Not only did Kewaskum's season come to an end after the 3-2 loss to Homestead, it was also the end of the Doug Gonring era as coach at the school. Gonring, a member of the Wisconsin Baseball Coaches Association's Hall of Fame, announced his retirement after the game. Gonring coached at West Bend East and Kewaskum for a total of 23 years, winning two state titles at East in 1999 and 2002. Gonring's overall record was 439-206. The 439 wins is 17th overall among summer baseball coaches in Wisconsin.

Kevin Stautz became the new owner of The Sandpiper Inn on Lake

Bernice this past winter.

About 80 youth ages 2 to 15 participated in JAKE's Kids Fishing Day held in River Hill Park in Kewaskum in June.

Deaths: Marilyn J. Zefran.

July 26 Issue

The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce held their annual golf outing on July 21. This year's theme was country western.

The village board approved a new part-time administrative assistant position at a special board meeting on July 19.

Nineteen members of Congress as well as newspaper executives, including Wisconsin publisher Andrew Johnson, testified Tuesday, July 17, before the International Trade Commission in opposition to proposed tariffs on Canadian newsprint. They urged the Commerce Department to reverse the preliminary import tax imposed earlier this year, arguing it would harm newspapers, readers and, ultimately, newsprint producers.

The Ben P. Merwin Jr. and his wife Anna's descendants held a family reunion at the American Legion Hall in Kewaskum on July 22. A total of 65 family members were in attendance, coming from all over the United States.

A dedication ceremony was held on July 18 in honor of Michael R. Miller and his 42 years of dedication and service to Washington County.

Sam Chapman, Isabelle Draxler, Rachel Etta and Stephanie Hartwell represented Washington County during the 4-H American Spirit Experience, which was held June 13-21.

Tony Steger and Riley Donovan enjoyed the experience of playing in the WFCA's All Star Game on July 21 at Titan Stadium on the UW-Oshkosh campus.

Elton and Stella Ludwig celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary on July 14.

August 2 Issue

Over the past few weeks, progress continued on improving the Doc Mitchell Athletic Complex at Kewaskum High School. Workers started laying artificial turf on the football field, and plans for the districts new 312-squar-foot video scoreboard were moving forward.

Thousands of people visited the 2018 Washington County Fair last week. On July 25, about 30 young people dressed in bright green shirts walked around the fairgrounds and observed. They then sat and wrote stories about what they saw as part of a writing marathon for a Writers' Camp.

The Kewaskum Village Board unanimously ap-



Brett Boegel and his team admire his shot during a "Country Western" golf outing on Saturday, July 21. The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce sponsored the event at Hon-E-Kor Golf Course to raise funds for community projects. Pictured (from left) are Brett Boegel, Andy Schwan, Eric Mueller and Steve Kudek. See page 6 for more pictures from the outing.

photo by Anne Trautner

proved changes to an ordinance restricting the residency for sex offenders at its July 9 meeting.

The following Kewaskum High School students completed the two-week Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital Health Care Careers Academy: Sophia Otten, Kaitlyn Miller, Brittany Wenzlaff, McKenzie Van Beek, Gabi Seidensticker, Brooke Rayburn, Owen Bundy and Kiley Eichmann.

Garrett and Aimee Yahr, of Brown Deer, became the parents to Wyatt Emerson, on July 17.

Deaths: Shirley A. Koth.

August 9 Issue

The Kewaskum School District implemented a new policy that does not allow Kewaskum High School students to use their cell phones during the school day. The district asked the Kewaskum Police Department to help enforce the new policy.

Emma Nuernberg, daughter of Andrea and Ryan Nuernberg, became the 55th baby to wear a family baptismal gown when she was baptized on July 29.

Earlier this summer, the Kewaskum Police Department experienced an increase in the amount of sick raccoons it was encountering and euthanizing. The police contacted the local Department of Natural Resources and it was determined that the animals were sick with canine distemper.

Because of the Kewaskum School District's building project, the Kewaskum Theatre Company presented the comedy musical "First Date" in the River Hill Park Pavilion on August 2, 3, and 4.

Janelle Wiczorek, West Bend, Emergency Department RN, was recognized with Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital's fourth quarter DAISY Award.

T.J. Kreye, critical care technician in the Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital Emergency De-

partment, has been posthumously recognized with St. Joseph's Hospital's first-ever Sunflower Award. Kreye died unexpectedly April 18 after a long battle with epilepsy.

Deaths: Gail A. Kough, Leah D. Hartmann.

August 16 Issue

The Kewaskum Fire Department hosted water fights at River Hill Park on August 12. The Silver Creek Fire Department Team Two won the contest.

Reigle Family Park, the newest park in the Village of Kewaskum, was awarded a \$100,000 grant from West Bend Mutual Insurance Company.

The Wounded Warriors Amputee Softball Team played against the Fond du Lac Fire Department and the Fond du Lac Police Department for charity on August 11.

The Jorge Taco truck opened in June in Dundee. Its variety of Latin foods was popular with area campers.

Members of the Kewaskum High School football team were able to walk across the new artificial turf on Monday. The new surface was ready for the team's opening game on Friday.

Breden Gruen threw out the opening pitch at the Timber Rattlers game as part of the KAA Family Night Out.

St. Lucas held their annual National Night Out on August 7.

The Kewaskum Women's Club and the Village of Kewaskum presented beautification awards to village residents at the Village Board meeting on Monday, Aug. 6 for floral and lawn designs. Four homes and one business were selected for the awards.

Winners include: Creative use of landscape materials and shrubs: David and Ellen Otter, 520 Evergreen Terrace. Floral, Shrubbery and Tree Arrangement: Raymond and Geri Bodden, 1246 Meadow Lane. Colorful Floral and Selection of Design: Frederick and Kathy Krieser, 1120 Roseland Drive. Lawn Ornaments and Décor:

Laurie Struck, 120 Clinton St. Business Beautification: Dairy Queen, 118 County Road H.

Deaths: Lisa A. Alexander.

August 23 Issue

Sixth-grade band camp was held August 13-17. There were 65 students who attended the camp to learn about their instruments and how to play music.

The Village Board unanimously voted down a proposed ordinance that would have given police the authority to ticket students who used their cell phones at Kewaskum High School.

The Kewaskum Indians defeated Milwaukee Lutheran 48-30 in the first home game of the season on August 17.

August 30 Issue

The Kewaskum School District tax lev for 2018-19 was expected to decrease by 0.95 percent or \$110,064 from last year's levy.

In the Town of Farmington, rainwater washed away large culverts and a 40-foot section of Shalom Drive, east of Indian Lore Road, on August 27.

The Kewaskum community gathered for a groundbreaking ceremony at Reigle Family Park in Kewaskum on August 26.

As part of the ongoing investigation to determine the identity of Jane Doe, the Fond du Lac County Sheriff's Office submitted samples to a laboratory for chemical isotop analysis. The results showed that Jane Doe was a resident of the regions spanning from Las Cruces and Albuquerque, NM, to Flagstaff, AR, for the majority of her life.

A golf cart was donated to the Kewaskum High School athletic department by Trend Setters, Goeden Auto Body and DS Motor Sports.

Mark and Connie Schoofs, nee Kohn, of the Village of Kewaskum, celebrated their golden anniversary on August 17.

Deaths: Myrtle E. Kumrow.

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Year In Review

September 6 Issue

Thomas McElhatton, a 1971 Kewaskum High School graduate, planned to retire this month from his job as an electrician for Pieper Electric. McElhatton's final project is working on Kewaskum's middle school and high school.

The International Trade Commission voted August 29 to reverse tariffs imposed on newsprint imported from Canada.

The Kewaskum School District welcomed the following new staff members: Tabitha Sargent, language arts teacher; Jessica Pamperin, special education teacher at i4Learning; Karie Gerke, special education teacher at KES; Lindsey Ross, art teacher at KHS; Rachel Gavin, teacher for grades three to five at i4Learning; and Katherine Hagerman, special education teacher at KES; Taryn Kroll, pupil services director; Candi O'Brien, special education teacher at KMS; Ashley Brugger, school psychologist; Jake Tenaglia, first grade teacher at KES; Briana Rocheleau, third grade teacher at KES; and Connor Kluge, science teacher at KHS; and Brynn Stadler, special education teacher at KMS.

The Rose family received extra help cleaning up the property of their parents when members of the Kewaskum FFA showed up on August 30, asking if they needed help. The students worked for two days to help clean up the property after it was hit by a tornado on August 28. Kewaskum FFA members who helped were FFA advisor Shelly Oelhafen, Cameron Ratzel, Jada Rochwite, Collin Keller and Owen Budny.

Deaths: Bernice S. Garbisch, Minnie W. Degnitz.

September 13 Issue

Doors opened at Kewaskum Middle School for the first day of school on Monday.

The Kewaskum FFA Alumni donated \$100,000 to the Kewaskum School District for a new greenhouse that was being built at Kewaskum High School.

Tuesday was the first time that Gordon Haberman stayed in Wisconsin on September 11 since 2001 when his daughter Andrea Haberman was killed in a terrorist attack on the World Trade Center. Haberman spoke on Tuesday at a ceremony held in front of the Kewaskum Municipal Building Annex as part

of the Patriot Day 2018 Kewaskum Remembers 9-11 Service.

A ceremony was held on September 7, as John M. Schmitt Memorial Drive was named in honor of Schmitt, a Washington County sheriff's deputy who was killed in the line of action.

The descendants of the late Mary Wilhelmina (Dorns) and David Charles Coulter Sr. celebrated their 93rd Annual Family Reunion on August 5 at Sterr Park in Lomira with 123 people attending.

The Kewaskum Kiwanis Club's 67th annual Turkey Shoot was held on September 8.

Deaths: Beulah Beisbier.

September 20 Issue

Craig and Amanda Watry grew a 767-pound pumpkin in his front lawn in the Town of Kewaskum.

The Wisconsin National Guard brought in a climbing wall as part of the Kewaskum High School's PBIS Bash to kick off the new school year.

The grand prize winner of Holy Trinity's 24th annual Social Fest was Lloyd Westerman.

Oliver Voight, 12, of Farmington and a seventh grader at Kewaskum Middle School, got a bear on September 7 near Rhinelander. The bear, which weighed approximately 150 pounds, was the first bear he has hunted.

After waiting 10 years, Austin Goeden of Kewaskum, finally got a bear tag this year. On September 15, Goeden shot a 325 pound bear while hound hunting near Wabeno with the members of the Dreher Bear Camp.

"Cars in Kewaskum" held a car show in downtown Kewaskum on September 16. A total of 306 cars were on display.

On June 12th, KCK's Crazy Corner opened up on Highway 45, just outside of Campbellsport. The owners and managers of KCK's are Kevin Egelseer, Brandon Winter, Cameron Langhoff, Kathryn Burgett, and Erica Hughes.

Daniel and Colleen (Gosa) Nalepinski, of West Bend, became the parents to a daughter, Rosalind Jane, on June 22.

Evelyn Krueger celebrated her 90th birthday with a surprise party organized by former co-workers of the Bank of Kewaskum.

Deaths: Arleen C. Schultz, Augie Wilks.

September 27 Issue

Jessie Richards, a



Kewaskum Middle School students walk through the new hallways of the school on the first day of classes for the 2018-2019 school year on Monday, Sept. 10. The school offers bright colors and natural light in all of the classrooms and hallways.

photo by Anne Trautner

dog trainer from Campbellsport, and Brett Favre worked together to promote Dogs2DogTags, a program that unites veterans with pet dogs.

The Blue Door Coffee Co. donated all of its July proceeds for the Dogs2DogTags program. A total of \$2,152.85 was collected.

John Wilson, 39, was arrested after fleeing into a corn field on September 18. He was found on County highway W near County Highway BB trying to hitchhike out of the area.

Washington County was recognized for its work to improve local health by receiving a Wisconsin Healthy Communities Designation.

UW-Extension Washington County was set to host an open house on October 10 to celebrate 100 years.

Osteopathic physician Charles Sammis is a new breed of family physician bringing to Mayville old fashioned values in his practice of medicine while staying up-to-date on modern medicinal technology and care.

The 2018 Kewaskum Athletic Association Thursday Coed Volleyball Champions were sponsored by Firebug Carwash.

Deaths: Norma I. Muench, Dennis Ryan, Stanley Olson.

October 4 Issue

Paluso's Quarter Horse farm, of New Fane, recently opened its doors as a bed and breakfast that provides lodging, food and horse riding packages.

Kewaskum High School students started the voting process last week to select the Homecoming Court. New this year, the court included two freshmen, two sophomores, two

juniors, and four seniors.

Neighbors came together for the Drumlin Drive - Esker Circle annual block party on September 29.

Campbellsport News, Kewaskum Statesman and Dodge County Pioneer Publisher Andrew Johnson was elected president of the National Newspaper Association on September 29 in Norfolk, Va. at NNA's 132nd annual convention and trade show.

For the second year in a row, the combined Kewaskum-Campbellsport girls golf team was competing in a Division I sectional tournament.

Deaths: Ivan W. Kumor, Raymond E. Krueger.

October 11 Issue

The Kewaskum School Board voted Monday night on a proposal to allow beer to be sold during Kewaskum A's men's baseball games on the high school's new baseball field. The proposal failed after a tie vote.

Hunter Sabish, a sixth grader at Campbellsport Middle School, partnered with a group of youngsters to create a haunted house in order to collect food donations for the Kewaskum Food Pantry.

The Kewaskum Homecoming Court was presented during half-time at the Homecoming football game on Friday, Oct. 5. Court members were: freshmen Max Melzer and Maebel Green, sophomores Nick Goettl and Kennedy Adams; juniors J.J. Thull and Maddy Thull; and seniors Ellee Spalding (queen), Jon Leister (king), Luke Christenson and Leah Theusch.

Deaths: Donald F. Nowak.

October 18 Issue

WTMJ Radio out of Milwaukee selected the

Wisconsin 9/11 Memorial as the focus of its WTMJ Cares program. The memorial planned for Kewaskum was being highlighted on the radio station from October 8 through November 2. The goal is to raise \$40,000 for the memorial.

The 25th annual KEYS 5K was held on October 14.

On October 4, William Blanchard resigned from the Washington County Board. In his letter of resignation, he stated the he was being forced to resign "because my mentally ill daughter is receiving services from Washington County."

Kewaskum firefighters Olivia Landowski, Andrew Dahlberg, Dave Kletti, and Stephanie Martin took part in the 9/11 Stair Climb at Lambeau Field on September 22.

The sixth annual Fall Color Car and Craft Show was held at the Dundee Sportsmen's grounds on October 13.

The Fideler family, of Fideler's Badger Family Farm, opened their farm to the public this year to purchase pumpkins, mums and raspberries, and visit the Country Shoppe which carries Wisconsin-made products and decor.

Lucas and Amanda Martin, of Dallas, TX, be-

came the parents to a son, Knox James, on October 1.

Deaths: Frank M. King.

October 25 Issue

Washington County was seeking a supervisor to represent the people of Farmington on the County Board.

The Kewaskum Elementary School held a Trunk or Treat event on October 19.

Trent Schueffner, of the Armstrong area, was killed on October 19 in a hunting accident. Trent was a 2015 graduate of Shepherd of the Hills and a junior at St. Mary's Springs.

On October 18, a house fire was reported on Highway V in the Township of Auburn. The fire appeared to be electrical related.

Kewaskum High School students formed a female barbershop quartet called Take Note. Members of the grup were Hannah Lehner, Grace Kober, Abigail Prim, and Melinda Janesch.

Hailey Hasenberg had a record 1,125 digs in her volleyball career at Kewaskum High School.

Deaths: Andrew A. Cochran, Elfrieda B. Staehler, Claudia Laubach.

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Dinner Menu Week of Jan. 14

Monday: *Chicken Parmesan*
Tuesday: *Ham Steak*
Wednesday: *Liver & Onions*
Thursday: *Turkey & Stuffing*
Friday: *Cod • Perch • Walleye Shrimp • Salmon*



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Year In Review

November 1 Issue

The Kewaskum School Board held a ribbon cutting ceremony for the grand opening of the new and improved Kewaskum Middle School and Kewaskum High School on October 29.

Drexel Building Supply stepped up to help stock the fish in the two-acre fishing pond at Reigle Family Park in Kewaskum.

Area youth created a haunted house to collect food for the Kewaskum Community Pantry. A total of 612 pounds of food was donated through the haunted house.

The chapel at Camp Vista was destroyed by fire during the early morning hours on October 24.

The 2018 Steam Fest was held at the Matt and Eva Harvey farm near Campbellsport on October 27.

Lori Kreis became the new Library Director at the Kewaskum Public Library.

Deaths: Janice J. Hamilton, Gary I. Sampson.

November 8 Issue

Frank A. Poos, Jr., John W. Klahn, James Buechel, Donald K. Ruppinger and Bob Hartmann went on a recent Honor Flight to Washington, D.C.

Kewaskum High School students presented The Wizard of Oz on November 9 and 10. Grace Kober played Dorothy.

Members of the 9/11 Memorial committee and WTMJ Radio held a radio-a-thon on October 31. More than \$34,000 was raised during the event for the memorial that is planned for Kewaskum.

Deaths: Gary I. Sampson.

November 15 Issue

Students at Farmington Elementary School watched a Blackhawk helicopter land on the school grounds for a Veterans Day program on November 9.

Luke Pallo, a 22-year-old Kewaskum resident, claimed the title Mr. Badger Natural Physique Champion.

The Kewaskum High School Class of 1956 held its annual reunion at Hon-E-Kor on September 25.

The Kewaskum Police Department welcomed Derick Kruger as their new officer.

The Kewaskum High School chess team competed in the Wisconsin Junior Open at UW-Oshkosh. Of the 11 players that attended, five placed high enough to earn trophies. Logan Busalacchi placed second in the 7-12 beginners section, Ethan Allen placed first in the 6-9 beginners section, Luke Moris placed first in the 900 Reserve section, Isaiah Cochran placed first in the 800 Reserve section and Nathaniel Gallecke placed second in the 600 Reserve section.

A monster deer was taken by bowhunter Rob Kertscher on October 31 close to the Town of Beechwood.

Deaths: Virginia E. Oppermann, Eugene H. Panzer, Anton G. Strohmeyer.

November 22 Issue

On September 29, Richard Thiemer retired from being a barber after nearly 50 years in the business. Thiemer was the owner of Richard's Kut and Style.

The Exemplary Recognition Award was presented to the staff of Holy Trinity School during the Catholic Schools Convention in Milwaukee in October.

Andrew Johnson, publisher of the Campbellsport News, Kewaskum Statesman and Dodge County Pionier, was inducted into the Wisconsin Newspaper Hall of Fame during a ceremony on November 15 in Madison.

Several hundred people visited Kewaskum Elementary School on November 18 to shop at the Craft and Vendor Expo.

Kewaskum High School student Kennedy Lehn signed a letter of intent to play softball for Southern Illinois University next year.

Deaths: Dr. Anthony Schlaefel, Judy Guerra, Jill M. Larson.

November 29 Issue

The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce's annual Christmas Parade and Cookie Hunt was scheduled for December 2. This year's theme was "All Creatures, Great and Small." The parade marshals were Dr. Charles and Donna Ogi.

Franki Moscato, a 16 year old Oshkosh native, visited Holy Trinity in Kewaskum on November 20. Moscato writes and performs songs to spread the word of how important it is to treat one another with kindness.

Keith Stephan was selected as the new supervisor for District 11 on the Washington County Board.

The Kiwanis Students of the Month for November were Genna Alexander and Ashley Trapp.

AIMS Fitness, LLC, delivered 52 full Thanksgiving meals to the Kewaskum Community Pantry on November 8.

Kewaskum High School's football coach Jason Piittmann has resigned from his position.

After capturing the Wisconsin Collegiate Conference divisional and state titles in volleyball, UW at Washington County volleyball coach Debbie Butschlick was honored with the Conference Coach of the Year Award.

Deaths: Patricia E. Becker.

December 6 Issue

A group of 16 people gathered on Riverview Drive in Kewaskum on December 3 to learn more about the first steps in the Mighty River Project. The project is focusing on restoring the eastern bank of the Milwaukee River.

The following students were inducted into the



Rick Thompson gets his hair cut by Richard Thiemer on Thiemer's last day of work on September 29. Thiemer retired from being a barber after nearly 50 years in the business.

photo submitted

National Honor Society at Kewaskum High School on November 26: Abigail Kopfhammer, Sabrina Lor, Morgan Goeden, Kaylee Du Charme, Caleb Duren, Andrew Carlton, Mary Green, McKenzie Van Beek, Faith Mertzig, Arianna Krueger, Megan Winkler, Tayllor Fischer, Brooke Espitia, Anna Peterson, Emma Penfield, Karissa Lange, Ashley Krause, Joshua Hahn, Samuel Lemler, Isaiah Cochran, Dustin Pick, Andrew Beine, Hunter Roehrig and William Jens.

Pam Fleischman and Kelly Nerat opened TRIE Fitness in Kewaskum's TIF District. The gym offers a variety of workout, boxing, yoga and cycling classes for people of all fitness levels.

Deaths: Mildred J. Kreif.

December 13 Issue

Reigle Family Park approved plans for a nature area rather than baseball fields under a new concept plan.

For the second month in a row, the Kewaskum School Board discussed censuring a board mem-

ber, Timothy Ramthun.

Jim and Patty Reigle donated \$10,000 for the Wisconsin 9/11 Memorial that is being built in Kewaskum.

The coordination and construction of the Gage Cemetery gateway was the project Keegan W. Gruss took on for his Eagle Scout project. Gruss has now achieved Boy Scouting's highest rank — Eagle Scout.

Mike Heisdorf was named as the new head coach for the KHS baseball program. He will take over for Doug Gonring, who announced his retirement at the end of the 2018 summer season.

The Kewaskum Statesman Shoot Your Deer Contest winner was Rob Kertscher. Harry Krueger was the randomly selected winner.

Deaths: Ann M. Krahn.

December 20 Issue

Ferd Buchel participated in an Honor Flight that Snap-on sponsored this fall.

Regal Ware, Inc., donated \$100,000 to Reigle Family Park in Kewaskum.

Area veterans were recognized during a Veterans recognition ceremony during halftime of the Kewaskum boys basketball game on December 11.

Eric Bauer became the school's all-time win leader in wrestling at the Fond du Lac Cardinal Invitational.

Over the past three years, people in the community have made anonymous donations to Christmas on Indian Lore so that veterans' families can receive a Christmas tree, free of charge.

Michael and Elizabeth Johnson became the parentst to a son, Luke David, on November 25.

Deaths: Carol M. Crowley, Arthur E. Klemme Jr.

December 27 Issue

Fred Middendorf sang with the Milwaukee Liederkrantz, a German men's choir during the Weihnachtskonzert, an annual Christmas concert featuring German choruses of Milwaukee held on November 25 in West Allis.

Herb Justman participated in the Stars and Stripes Honor Flight earlier this year.

Floyd and Dorothy Buddenhagen celebrated their 74th wedding anniversary on December 23.

Deaths: Gregory J. Engelhardt, Maureen A. Mommaerts, Aletta I. Stautz.

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SPORTS

Bauer Claims Mid-States Title; Indians Place 10th

By Judy Harlow

Three young men from the Kewaskum High wrestling team reached the semifinals of the annual Mid-States Classic held December 28-29 in Whitewater, but only one of them, senior Eric Bauer, made it to the top rung of the victory stand after winning the 160-pound weight class.

"Yeah, (I'm) pretty satisfied compared with last year," KHS coach Scott Rhoads said about his Indians' performances, especially considering just one of his returnees, Tanner Goeman, finished in the top six a year ago, taking fourth place.

Of course, Bauer had to sit out that event with an injury, and Rhoads said, "He would have done fine if he could have been in there."

Kewaskum finished in 10th place with 177.5 points, just 2.5 points behind Oconomowoc, with Bauer, Goeman, the runner-up at 170, and Braden Maertz, who finished third at 145, scoring a good chunk of the Indians' points.

Warren Township (Illinois) captured the team title with 285.0 points, 14 ahead of Wrightstown (271), which is currently ranked second among the Division 2 schools in Wisconsin, while Weyawega-Fremont took third with 226.

Just 18.5 points separated the fourth through

seventh-place teams. Union Grove placed fourth with 216.0; then came Appleton North, 201.5; Cedar Grove Belgium, 200.0; and West Bend East, 197.5.

Bauer started off with a bye and then won by 16-0 tech fall over Cal Ries of Beloit Turner and posted a 5-0 shutout over Kenosha Tremper's Reese Dutton.

In the semifinals, Bauer cruised to a 4-1 victory over Josh Te Stroete of Cedar Grove, putting him in the finals vs. Dean Neff, a Jefferson junior who was 25-3 coming into the match.

"It was a really dominant win for Eric," Rhoads said. "He just took it to him (Neff)," reporting Bauer was ahead 5-0 at the end of the first period and put him on his back twice, although the referee ruled the two were out of bounds on the one move and no points were awarded.

With the five victories, Bauer improved his season record to 21-1 and currently has 147 victories during his high school wrestling career.

Goeman also received a first-round bye, then pinned his way into the finals, taking care of three opponents in 2:47, 3:45 and 5:38 before running into a buzzsaw in Nicolet's Parker Keckeisen, who beat him by tech fall, 23-8.

Normally Nicolet does not turn out many top-notch wrestlers, but

Keckeisen is an exception. Not only is he the defending Division 1 state champion, Rhoads said he is currently the top-rated 170-pounder in the Country.

"Tanner was disappointed," Rhoads said, indicating his captain did not expect to lose by such a large margin. Still, "He's (Goeman) ready to get back at it," the coach said. With the loss, Goeman is currently 18-4.

Maertz "made a big jump" in the tournament, going from eighth in 2017 to third place.

"He wrestled real well," Rhoads said of Maertz, who went 5-1 on the day, losing only to Ben Durocher of Wrightstown by fall in 3:40 in the semis.

Maertz actually had to beat one wrestler, Vernon Hill's Will Darling twice, including a 5-2 decision in the battle for third place. After the tournament, he is 20-4.

Kewaskum is still without senior 152-pounder, Alex Deheck. Deheck (9-3) was injured in the match against Berlin and hasn't wrestled since.

"He actually had some scans today, looking at his shoulder," Rhoads said.

The Indians had no entry at 106, at 126 where Mason Pomeroy is out with a broken collar bone and 138.

Three other Indians, Nathaniel Droese, Sam Larson and Nate



Eric Bauer of Kewaskum High School works hard to claim a 3-1 decision over Josh Koll of Plymouth.

photo by Anne Trautner

Lawrenz, placed in the tournament. Droese, a senior, finished ninth after going 5-2 at 113 pounds and is currently 17-7 on the year, while Larson finished ninth at 182, despite the fact he is giving up 10-14 pounds to some of his opponents. He went 5-2

to boost his record to 11-6. Lawrenz (7-8) placed 12th at 285, going 2-3 on the day.

Other KHS participants and their records in the tournament are: 120—Josh Vogt, 0-2; 132—Nathan Heberer, 2-2; 152—Colin Duren, 0-2; 195—Kannon

Muckerheide, 2-2; and 220—Tristan Rayburn, 2-2.

Kewaskum wrestled a home match against Plymouth on January 3 and is at Campbellsport tonight (January 10) for a showdown with the Cougars.

Indian Wrestlers Overcome Slow Start To Top Plymouth

By Judy Harlow

Starting at 106 pounds, the Kewaskum High wrestling team lost four straight matches, falling behind Plymouth 22-0 before getting pins in three of the next four matches and using 24 forfeit points toward a 45-28 East Central victory on January 4.

With the win, the Indians improved to 3-1 in EC action and 7-2 overall while the Panthers dropped to 1-2 and 2-3.

"That's the story of our conference," KHS coach Scott Rhoads said after the match, referring to the forfeits at six of the 14 bouts.

The feature matches came at 145 and 160, and Kewaskum won both of them, with Braden Maertz pinning Will Birkholz in 4:57 and Eric Bauer working hard for a 3-1 decision over Josh Koll.

Maertz (22-4) had a strong finish," Rhoads said, adding, "The pin finish was awesome."

Bauer took a 1-0 lead with an escape in the second period, then couldn't hold Koll down early in the third, and the match was tied 1-1 with 1:52 to go. Bauer proved to be the better man on his feet, using a single leg move toward the winning takedown.

"His wrestling in the third period was amaz-

ing," Rhoads said about Bauer, who improved to 22-1 on the year.

Getting pins for KHS were Nathan Heberer at 132 and Alex Butler at 152. Butler needed just 1:00 to put away Phil Miller.

Tonight (January 10) the Indians are at Campbellsport for an EC match.

Kewaskum 45. Plymouth 28

106 KHS forfeits to Jack Miller; 113 Nathaniel Droese lost to Devin Gore by major decision, 18-8; 120 Josh

Vogt was pinned by Kade Novak, 4:14; 126 KHS forfeits to Andrew Steinhardt; 132 Nathan Heberer pinned Cameron Fohr, 3:12; 138 Isaiah George lost to Jaden Papenfus, 13-8; 145 Braden Maertz pinned Will Birkholz, 4:57; 152 Alex Butler pinned Phil Miller, 1:00; 160 Eric Bauer def. Josh Koll, 3-1; 170 Tanner Goeman won by forfeit; 182 Sam Larson won by forfeit; 195 Kannon Muckerheide won by forfeit; 220 Tristan Rayburn won by forfeit; 285 Nat Lawrenz lost to Evan Ladwig, 3-8.



Kewaskum's Nathan Heberer wrestles Cameron Fohr of Plymouth to claim a win on Friday, Jan. 4.

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Bocher Triplets Lead The Way In Indians' First Win

By Judy Harlow

By cutting down their turnovers in the second half and making better decisions offensively, the Kewaskum (1-9) boys basketball team picked up its first victory of the season on December 28 in the consolation game of the Oostburg Tournament. The Indians defeated Living Word 70-63.

The Bocher triplets, Joshua, John Mark and Joe, combined for 52 of the Indians' 70 points, led by Josh Bocher, who poured in a game-high 27 with a clutch three-point play in the closing seconds to secure the win.

"An old fashioned three-pointer ... A double pump," KHS coach Don Gruber said, reporting the Timberwolves were down by two just before that play.

Living Word led 36-33

at the break, but the Indians came back to score 37 points in the second half. How did KHS make the turnaround?

"Number one, we reduced our turnovers. That was a big thing," Gruber said, adding, "We also did a good job attacking their zone."

Two other contributing factors, according to Gruber, were making good decisions on the fast breaks and hitting free throws down the stretch. Josh Bocher made five of six free throws in the second half.

"They (the Bocher triplets) were big together," Gruber said, adding, "There was some good passing all the way around," led by Brad Buechel's team-high six assists.

KHS had 36 rebounds, with Josh Bocher hauling down six on the offensive end of the court and

eight defensively.

Leading the Timberwolves was 6-foot 7-inch Ezra DuFour, who scored 25 points, with 23 of them coming in the first half. DuFour lives in the village, right across the street from KHS, but chose to attend Living Word and is having an excellent season.

"He is big and quick to the hoop," Gruber said of DuFour.

After games against Plymouth and Cedar Grove, the Indians are hosting Campbellsport tonight (January 10).

KEWASKUM 33-37-70
LIVING WORD 36-26-62

Kewaskum: Toree Ralph 3, Joshua Bocher 27, John Mark Bocher 17, Joe Bocher 8, Brad Buechel 6, Jacob Schlosser 3, Mikhael Daniel 2, Carson Dogs 2; 3-point goals—John



Carson Dogs brings the ball to the hoop for Kewaskum in an away game against Mayville last Thursday night.

photo by Eric Fransen

Mark Bocher (2), Schlosser. FTs—11x13. Fouls—15. Fouled out—Dogs.

Living Word: Ezra DuFour 25, Simon Heller 12, Mason Martinez 12, Jimmy Juergensen 9, Alex Green 4. 3-point goals—Heller (2), Juergensen (3), Martinez (2), DuFour (2), FTs—7x14. Fouls—16.

Mayville Game

In the opening round, the Indians stayed with Mayville for much of the game but lost by five points, 49-44.

This was the second meeting between the two schools this season. In the first game, 6-foot 6-inch Jackson Mittelstadt

scored a game-high 22 points. This time around, the Indians held him to eight points, but another of the Cardinal "bigs," 6-foot 4-inch Joseph Adamson picked up the slack, scoring 16 points. Leading the Indians were John Mark Bocher and Josh Bocher with 14 and 10 points, respectively.

Coach Don Gruber called the outcome "disappointing."

He said there were two questionable calls at the end of the game, one charge that looked like an obvious block, and then the Indians were called for an intentional foul in the closing seconds that was dis-

putable.

MAYVILLE 23-26-49
KEWASKUM 20-24-44

Kewaskum: Toree Ralph 4, Josh Bocher 10, John Mark Bocher 14, Joe Bocher 3, Brad Buechel 4, Jacob Schlosser 5, Mike Daniel 0, Carson Dogs 1. 3-point goals—John Mark Bocher (2). FTs—9x15. Fouls—19. Fouled out—Ralph, Schlosser.

Mayville: Hunter Herpel 2, Emmitt Hurtienne 7, Tyler Gutjahr 6, Alex Nadolski 2, Jackson Mittelstadt 8, Joseph Adamson 16, Matt Schellinger 7; 3-point goals—Hurtienne, Schellinger. FTs—5x12. Fouls—12.

Shaky First Half Costly For KHS Basketball Team

By Judy Harlow

Kewaskum coach Don Gruber realistically thought his boys basketball team would have a chance to beat Plymouth, but that hope was dashed when Joshua Bocher missed two days of school because of illness and before the Indians committed 22 turnovers in the first half against the second place Panthers.

Behind its hot-shooting guard Cole Booth and the rebounding of 6-foot, 7-inch Nick Falls, the Panthers jumped out to a 40-13 halftime lead and won the game 65 to 42.

"We could not handle their pressure," Gruber said, reporting the Indians had 17 turnovers in the first 12 minutes of the game but were just down five points, 16-11. Then they committed "five more turnovers that led to turnovers by them."

The Indians settled down a bit after the

break but it was difficult to do much with the deficit they were facing.

Booth, a 6 foot-1 inch junior guard who has been on the varsity since his freshman year, poured in 23 points.

"I had Brad (Buechel) on him ... Actually I thought we defended him (Booth) pretty well," Gruber said, indicating Booth scored 10 points on fast breaks and also scored three, three-point baskets.

Falls added 16 points and contributed 11 rebounds.

"He's a good rebounder ... got a lot of put-backs," Gruber said.

For the Indians, Jon Mark Bocher, Buechel and Joshua Bocher all scored eight points, and Joshua Bocher only played eight minutes of the game.

"I thought we had a chance to beat them, but they exposed our ball handling," Gruber said.

KHS, currently 0-5 in the East Center and 1-10 overall, hosted Cedar

Grove on January 8 and hosts Campbellsport tonight (January 10).

PLYMOUTH 40-25-65
KEWASKUM 13-29-42

Kewaskum: Toree Ralph 6, Joshua Bocher 8, John Mark Bocher 8, Joe Bocher 3, Brad Buechel 8; Jacob Schlosser 2, Carson Dogs 3, Hunter Grady 3, Thoma Klemme 3; 3-point goals—John Mark Bocher (2), Klemme. Fts—9x15. Fouls—18. Plymouth: Sawyer Hering 2, Joe Steinhardt 2, Cole Booth 23, Zack Zeevald 6, Hassel 5, Aiden Reily 4, Joel Williams 1. Michael Troka 2, Nick Falls 16. Ben Olsen 2; 3-point goals—Booth (3), Hassel, Falls (2); FTs—13x24. Fouls—20.

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



Brad Buechel of Kewaskum fights his way through traffic in an away game against Mayville last Thursday.

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Paulowske Leads Lady Indians To Third Place At Kiel

By Judy Harlow

Hitting a sizzling 62 percent of their two-point baskets, the Kewaskum girls basketball team rolled in the consolation game of the Kiel Tournament on December 28, smothering Elkhart Lake 92-18 to take third place.

The Indians were up 49-10 at the break and never looked back, with five scoring in double figures led by Maxine Paulowske's game-high 23 points.

"Despite Elkhart Lake being down this year, we really played a good game," KHS coach Russell Thull said. "We hit 11 threes. We had 29 steals that led to a lot of transition baskets."

"Another big storyline of this game was Maxine Paulowske, 23 points on nine of 11 field goals, three for four on three-point field goals, 11 steals, 10 assists, 10 rebounds," Thull went on. "It is possible that this is the first quadruple double in Kewaskum history."

In the two tournament games, Paulowske scored 20.5 points per game on 16 of 22 shooting, including seven of 11 from beyond the arc. She also contributed seven steals per game, with 6.5 assists and six rebounds.

"Maxine is having her best year so far and really showing her true potential to shoot the ball. I believe she is shooting about 49 percent (35/71) on the season from three," Thull said.

Freshman Anna

Christenson also had a good game with a season-high 18 points, while Kennedy Adams and Ashley Trapp added an even dozen points, and Kaitlyn Leitheiser added 10.

The Indians, currently 3-7, entertain Plymouth on January 11.

KEWASKUM 49-43—92

ELKHART LAKE 10-8—18

Kewaskum: Courtney Zarda 5, Megan Winkler 3, Ashley Trapp 12, Olivia Adornato 5, Anna Christenson 18, Kaitlyn Leitheiser 10, Maxine Paulowske 23, Kennedy Adams 12, Andrea Butz 4. 3-point goals—Zarda, Winkler, Trapp, Adornato, Christenson (2), Leitheiser, Paulowske (3), Butz. FTs—7x14. Fouls—11.

Elkhart Lake: Alex Schneider 8, Abbey Winkel 2, Ella Feldmann 7, Shannon DeVries 1. 3-point goals—Schneider, Feldman (2). FTs—3x8. Fouls—not available.

West Bend West Game

In the opening round, West Bend West had a little too much firepower for the Indians, using 18 points from Maddy Baker and another 16 from Lauran Downs toward a 68-44 victory.

"We were down nine at halftime. I thought the girls did a fairly nice job keeping West off the offensive boards. I believe they had six at half, but considering that they have two 6 foot-plus

post players, Maddison Baker and Aliyah Moore, I felt we really battled hard with them," KHS coach Russell Thull said.

In the second half, we had a few turnovers that turned into transition points. Downs and Meurer got hot from outside, which really stretched our defense allowing West to also capitalize on some of offensive putbacks," the coach said.

Kaitlyn Leitheiser scored nine points on three three-point shots, giving her 19 for the tournament.

"She is starting to really get comfortable shooting the ball," Thull said. "This is the first year that she has really believed in herself to shoot the 3. Honestly, she has been a really consistent shooter in practice all season."

WB WEST 31-37—48

KEWASKUM 22-22—44

Kewaskum: Ashley Trapp 2, Olivia Adornato 3, Anna Christenson 6, Kaitlyn Leitheiser 9, Maxine Paulowske 18, Kennedy Adams 6. 3-point goals—Adornato, Christenson (2), Leitheiser (3), Paulowske (4). FTs—2x2. Fouls—11.

WB West: Julia Buetner 3, Lauran Downs 16, Ellie Meurer 9, Aaliyah Moore 12, Maddison Baker 18. 3-point goals—Downs (4), Meurer (3), FTs—5x9. Fouls—not available.



Megan Winkler scores two points for Kewaskum in a home game against Berlin on Thursday, Jan. 3.

photo by Anne Trautner

Kewaskum Girls Stay With Berlin Till Final Minutes

By Judy Harlow

The effort by the Kewaskum High girls basketball was good, and that's what coach Russ Thull is focusing on right now, even when his Indians end up losing games.

"We're so close. We're competing in every game," Thull said after the young Indians' 58-48 loss to Berlin on January 3 in an East Central Conference game that was tied at intermission, 26-26.

"We led most of the first half. They made a little run to tie it up," Thull went on, and the game stayed close until the final minute when the Indians were forced to foul, and the visitors converted nine of 16 free throw attempts to stretch their lead from six points (49-43) to 10.

The plan to foul nearly worked as Berlin went 1x8 at the line in a 30-second span until the team's star, Mia Jodarski, started getting to the line. She made six of seven and Madalyn Naparalla 2x2 to end the game.

Kewaskum got a

three-point baseline bucket from Ashley Trapp to put the score at 50-46 with :23 left in the game, but the Indians managed just one more basket on a shot by Maxine Paulowske with five seconds to play.

Jodarski, a five-foot, nine-inch junior guard, wound up with a game-high 32 points. Naparalla was next with an even dozen.

The Indians had good balance with Paulowske leading the way with 14 points on three bombs from long range, two regular baskets and three free throws. Freshman Anna Christenson, Trapp and Kennedy Adams all chipped in with nine points.

Thull said, "Ashley started off real well," while, "Anna Christenson came off the bench to hit three threes."

"We played super hard," Thull said. "In the first half, we shot real well, but in the second half we struggled." Another factor which determined the outcome was the hosts committed 24 turnovers.

With the loss, Ke-

waskum's record in the EC fell to 1-4. Overall the Indians are 3-8. Berlin is 4-1 good for second place in the conference and 11-2 overall.

BERLIN 26-32—58

KEWASKUM 26-22—48

Kewaskum: Megan Winkler 2, Ashley Trapp 9, Anna Christenson 9, Kaitlyn Leitheiser 5, Maxine Paulowske 14, Kennedy Adams 9. 3-point goals—Trapp, Christenson (3), Leitheiser, Paulowske (3), Adams. FTs—3x4. Fouls—21, Fouled out—Adams.

Berlin: Mia Jodarski 32, Mari Beltram 3, Emily Klawitter 2, Jenna Sternitske 6, Maddy Naparalla 12, Josie Bartol 2. 3-point goals—not available. FTs—not available.

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



Ashley Trapp handles the ball for Kewaskum as the team faces Berlin on Thursday, Jan. 3.

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Ski Team Competes In Hubertus

By Dustin Hahn

Last Wednesday night the West Bend Alpine Ski Co-Op competed in its first GS event of the year at Heiliger Huegel Ski Club in Hubertus. The West Bend Alpine Ski Co-Op is comprised of high school age students from West Bend, Port Washington, Sheboygan, Kewaskum, Jackson and Fond du Lac communities.

Girls varsity finished on top of the podium with a total time of 188.27. Contributing to the top finish are Helen Flynn, Madelyn Wehner, Bridget Krause, Meaghan Hutchins and Madelyn Dorn.

Boys varsity was also on the podium and just missed the top spot by a few seconds. Skiing for on the Boys Varsity team is Isaac Bensen, Joshua Davenport, Quinn McElhatton, Kai Briedis, Caden Bast and Aidan Sison.

Boys JV missed the top spot on the podium, but skied hard to a second place finish. The JV boys team includes Everett Quissek, Spencer Schellinger, Liesel Meyers, Lily Hahn and Benjamin Van valzah.

The West Bend Alpine Ski Co-Op head coach is Jon Sison, assisted by John Kasten and Brad Davenport.



The West Bend Alpine Ski Co-Op team gathers in Hubertus for its first GS event of the year. The team includes students from West Bend, Port Washington, Sheboygan, Kewaskum, Jackson and Fond du Lac communities.

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1-10 WNAJLP
Vickie Plachinski,
Executive Assistant

NOTICE TO ALL WASHINGTON COUNTY DOG OWNERS

Pursuant to Section 174.052, Wisconsin Statutes, notice is hereby given to all owners of dogs in Washington County that dog licenses and rabies vaccinations are required.

Vaccination by a licensed veterinarian against rabies is required of all dogs (Section 95.21(2)) within 30 days after the dog reaches four (4) months of age and re-vaccinated within one year after the initial vaccination. The owner of a dog shall have the dog re-vaccinated against rabies by a veterinarian when the certificate expires or within three (3) years of previous vaccination. The certificate of rabies vaccination must be presented to the collecting official before a dog license may be issued.

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PENALTY

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1-10 WNAJLP
Ashley A. Reichert,
Washington County Clerk
432 E Washington St,
West Bend WI 53095

VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM, WISCONSIN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Plan Commission of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, will conduct a public hearing at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 22, 2019, in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 204 First Street.

The public hearing will be at the request of:

Eric and Terry Christie to combine two residential lots into one. The two lots (Lot 41 & 42) are located on Edgewood Rd, tax key V4-0003046 and V4-0003045. The two lots joined together would comprise 0.969 acres.

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

1-3(2) WNAJLP
Tracie Sette, Village Clerk

TOWN OF KEWASKUM NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on Monday, January 21, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. or shortly thereafter. The public hearing on the proposed land division will be before the Kewaskum Town Board and Plan Commission of the Town of Kewaskum at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum to consider the Stoffel Grain Farms, Inc. Granting this application would allow the applicant to create a 11.025 acre parcel, T8-0125, the remaining acreage will remain unplatted. The property is zoned A-1 Agricultural/ Open Space District. The property is located on the NE corner of W. Moraine Dr and Highland Dr., Section 6, Town of Kewaskum. All interested persons wishing to comment on this issue should appear at the hearing.

Dated this 24th day of December 2019.

1-3(2) WNAJLP
Holly Knoeck,
Clerk/Zoning Secretary
Town of Kewaskum

TOWN OF KEWASKUM NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held before the Town of Kewaskum Town Board / Plan Commission on Monday, January 21, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. or shortly thereafter. The meeting will take place at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum, WI to consider the application of Friedl Ski Ventures for issuance of a Conditional Use Permit under the Town Zoning Ordinance 17.15. Granting the permit would allow the applicant to utilize a food truck during special events at the property, T8_0422 & T8_0425, Section 21, Town of Kewaskum. loc-

ated at 8355 Prospect Drive. All interested persons wishing to comment on this issue should appear at the hearing.

Dated this 24th day of

December 2019.
1-3(2) WNAJLP
Holly Knoeck,
Clerk/Zoning Secretary
Town of Kewaskum

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEWASKUM BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING PRELIMINARY AGENDA MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 2019 - 6 P.M. KEWASKUM DISTRICT OFFICE CONFERENCE ROOM 1455 SCHOOL STREET, KEWASKUM, WI 53040

Upon request to the District Administrator, submitted twenty-four (24) hours in advance, the District shall make reasonable accommodation including the provision of informational material in an alternative format for a disabled person to be able to attend this meeting.

1. Meeting Opening - This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is the time for public participation during the meeting specifically for items on the agenda.

A. Call Meeting to Order
B. Roll Call of Members
C. Moment of Silence
D. Verification of Public Notice Pursuant to §19.84(1)(2)(3)(4)
E. Agenda Corrections and/or Deletions
F. Approval of Agenda
G. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Recognition - Items listed below are not all inclusive
A. Recognition;
3. Public Relations— items listed below are not all inclusive

A. Upcoming Events
4. Public Comments
A. Public Comment Guidelines
5. Consent Agenda - All items under Consent Agenda are subject to action.

A. Minutes
B. Instructional Resignations
C. Instructional Hires
D. Extra-Curricular Resignations; Bobby Bannasch, Assistant Football Coach, Andrew Dahlberg, KHS Play, Gary Mays, Assistant Football Coach
E. Extra-Curricular Hires;
6. Items for Discussion and/or Action
A. Payroll
B. Accounts Payable
C. Open Enrollment Space Availability
D. 2019-20 School Year Calendar
E. Teacher Compensation Model Updates
F. Consideration of adherence to board policy 0143.1 (Public Expression of Board Members) and policy 3112 (Board- Staff Communications), involving the conduct of School Board member Timothy Ramthun as well as the steps to be taken by the School Board to address the same

7. Items for Discussion or Report
A. Superintendents' Report; Summer Leadership and Board Retreats, Board Elections, WASB Convention, Technical Changes to School Board Policies
B. Student Learning Report; State Assessments
C. Business Manager Report

8. Adjournment
A. Adjourn Meeting
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Application deadline is January 25, 2019.

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Evergreen Inspections Find New Insect Pest; Burn Or Bag Decorations, Officials Say

Plant health officials are cautioning consumers to burn wreaths and other evergreen decorations, or bag them and put them in the trash, after inspectors found invasive insects on many such items sold at large chain stores in Wisconsin this holiday season.

Inspectors found an insect called elongate hemlock scale, or EHS, on wreaths, swags and boughs, and in arrangements of evergreen boughs in hanging baskets, porch pots, mugs, and sleighs. EHS saps

nutrients as it feeds on the underside of conifer needles, and threatens Wisconsin's Christmas tree farms, native hemlock and balsam fir forests, and ornamental conifers in yards and parks.

"It's fine to keep your decorations up for the holiday season, but when it's time to dispose of them, don't put them on the compost pile or set the greens out for brush collection. Burn them if you can. If you can't do that, bag them and send them to the landfill," advised Brian

Kuhn, director of the Plant Industry Bureau in the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection. "EHS has survived in the north-eastern U.S., so winter weather will not kill it. As a result, if you compost this material, the insects may well attack conifers in your yard or neighborhood, and spread from there."

EHS is native to Asia, and has been introduced into Michigan and many Eastern states. In the past five years, the department's nursery in-

spectors have found isolated cases of EHS at Christmas tree lots and other outlets selling cut trees and wreaths. The infested stock was destroyed or sent back to suppliers. But this season, they found infested stock at many stores throughout the state; all were part of several major chains. All had received evergreen materials from the same four suppliers in North Carolina. They also stopped EHS-infested boughs that entered the state from Virginia before they reached stores.

All the stores cooperated with the department, removing the items from their shelves and destroying them. However, many of the items had already been sold, and it is unknown if other chain or independent stores also received infested merchandise.

EHS has a complex life cycle, going through several growth stages. After hatching from eggs, "crawlers" begin feeding on the underside of needles and secrete a cover around themselves as they grow, creating the "scale" that is

visible. The crawlers may establish new infestations. Wind and birds may also disperse infestations to new trees. EHS is very hard to control with pesticides, because it has overlapping generations with crawlers present all year long, and because the insects are protected by their hard, waxy coverings. EHS feeds on more than 40 conifer species, with hemlock, spruces and firs being among the most susceptible.

How To Brighten Your Home With Houseplants That Bloom

MELINDA MYERS

Brighten your indoor décor with plants that bloom. Whether growing traditional favorites, flowering tropical plants, or annuals moved inside for winter, their colorful flowers are sure to elicit smiles and months of enjoyment. Just provide the right growing conditions and sufficient light and you will be enjoying months of indoor color.

You may have enjoyed an initial burst of color from traditional favorites like African violets and orchids but struggled to get them to flower again. Maximize

your enjoyment and their colorful floral display by providing supplemental lighting. Plants with colorful flowers benefit from brighter or longer periods of light, especially in winter, than what streams through your windows. Grow lights, which provide bright, full-spectrum illumination, are an ideal solution.

You can find many types of grow lights, including simple hanging lamps, DIY fixtures, and metal stands. These are often relegated to the rec room or basement but might be less welcome in your living room. Consider furniture-style light

stands like the Bamboo LED Grow Light Gardens (gardeners.com) that will complement your living spaces. They're outfitted with special high-output bulbs, tucked out of sight and more than twice as bright as most standard LEDs. This allows you to grow most flowers and even some fruits without the need to raise and lower the lights to accommodate different plant heights.

Expand your indoor flowering plant collection with a few tropicals. Here are just four of my favorites.

Give flowering maple

(Abutilon) bright light and cooler winter temperatures to enjoy their beauty all year long. The solid green or variegated maple-shaped leaves inspired their common name. Plants may be compact and upright or vining, while the flowers may resemble those of hibiscus or dangling lanterns. Select varieties known for year-round flowering.

Create a focal point

with the unique blooms of chenille plant (Acalypha). The long, fuzzy, cascading flowers resemble chenille yarn, perfect as a hanging basket, set upon a plant stand or pruned into tree form. This plant needs high humidity and plenty of light to maintain its health and year-round beauty indoors.

Enjoy the coppery bronze flowers of the shrimp plant (Justica

brandegeana). This long blooming Mexican native performs best in bright light and high humidity. Use it as a hanging basket, prune into a small tree or set it upon a plant stand where the cascading shrimp-like flowers can be enjoyed.

Brighten your fall and winter décor with lipstick vine (Aeschynanthus). The vivid red flowers emerge from dark maroon structures, resembling a tube of lipstick. The glossy green foliage adds needed greenery indoors throughout the year. The more light these plants receive, the better the floral display.

As always, check the plant tags for specific care instructions.

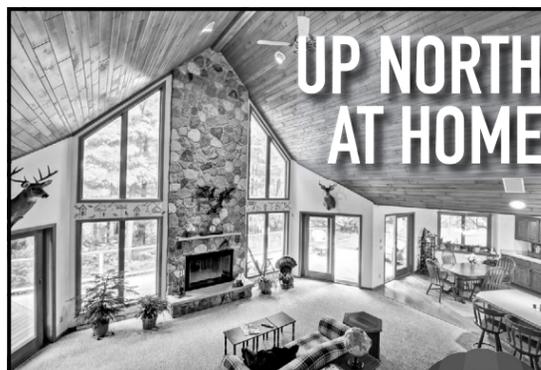
You can boost your indoor floral display by placing annuals you're overwintering, such as geraniums and mandevilla, under lights to encourage blooming. Give these plants bright light, water thoroughly as needed, and enjoy the extra color. Prune if necessary, to keep the plants full and compact.

Incorporating flowers into your living space will boost your mood and reduce stress while livening your indoor décor.



Bamboo LED Grow Light Gardens are attractive and have bulbs more than twice as bright as most standard LEDs.

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Continued From... Singing In The New Year

– KHS Alumni Reunite At Show Choir Rehearsal On Last Day Of 2018

Members of this year's show choir, called the Noteables, were glad for the opportunity to see the former students.

"Most of them we have known pretty well from our high school experience. So it is fun seeing them," KHS senior Taylor Zuehlke said.

Having the alumni come to the rehearsal was special for Dahlberg also.

"It's nice to see the old students. It's nice to see them want to come back and want to see how we are doing," Dahlberg said.

The reunion also gave the Noteables an opportunity to practice in front of a live audience.

"It's a little different

from a normal rehearsal because we have an audience. Most of the time it is just us," said Matthew Krautkramer, a senior in this year's show choir.

Unlike most audiences, the alumni gave feedback on the choir's performance straight to the choir members. Both Matthew and Taylor agreed that the alumni can be a tough audience, but they appreciate the advice.

"The best part is they are people who have been in this group, so they know what our director is looking for. They are able to be here and help us and tell us what we are doing wrong and what we need to fix," Matthew



Kewaskum High School alumni gather on December 31 as members of the Noteables rehearse.

photo by Anne Trautner

said.

The alumni offered plenty of advice.

"Keep going, no matter how aggravated you get," Emily Gonnering said.

"Stick with it. You are

going to have your good days and your bad days.... You are going to have a lot of bad days, but the good days outshine the bad," Destiny Kudelko said.

"Listen to Mr. Dahlberg," Breanna Rice advised.

The alumni said they learned valuable lessons from Dahlberg.

"You have to perform, not just run through the movements. You need to perform it, you want to put on a show," Vetter reiterated.

"It's OK to be not as good as other people, but as long as you are better than where you were at, that is what is important," is an important lesson Kudelko learned from Dahlberg.

The Noteables are taking the advice to heart as they prepare for upcoming performances and competitions.

The Noteables, along with the Kewaskum Middle School show choir, the Footnotes, will perform at a "Dinner and a

Show' fundraising event to benefit the two choirs on Sunday, Jan. 13.

There will be two performances that day. One begins with a spaghetti dinner in the KHS cafeteria at 12:30 p.m., followed by a show at 2 p.m. in the KHS auditorium. The second begins with a spaghetti dinner at 4:30 p.m. in the KHS cafeteria, followed by a show at 6 p.m. in the KHS auditorium. Tickets are available for purchase at Geidel's Piggly Wiggly.

"It is an awesome experience. We would love to have a ton of people at the spaghetti dinner. It's not what you normally think of when you think of concerts. It's a lot of fun to watch," Matthew said.

The following week, the Noteables begins competing against other show choirs. In all, the group will travel to participate in five competitions, starting on Saturday, Jan. 19.

The Noteables will

travel three weekends in a row to compete in Milton, Sauk Prairie and West Liberty, Iowa. The group will then take a week off before traveling to Monona Grove and then Broadhead.

Dahlberg formed the Noteables six years ago, and each year they have done better in the competitions.

"The program is still building, and it takes time," Dahlberg said. "It's hard for us to compete against some of the groups that have been established for 10s and 20s and 30s of years."

He hopes that the group can make school history this year by making it to the finals at one of the competitions.

"We have to be perfect pretty much against some of these groups in order to even come close," Dahlberg said. "I think they are singing better than we ever have, and we have a good show. I think that we have a shot."



The Noteables rehearse at Kewaskum High School on December 31 as they prepare for upcoming competitions.

photo by Anne Trautner



The Noteables practice a show routine on December 31 at Kewaskum High School.

photo by Anne Trautner



WE NEED YOUR 2018 WEDDING PARTY PICTURES!

We will be publishing a special **Bridal Section** on February 7, 2019. We would like to feature wedding party and couple pictures from 2018 weddings. All pictures can be returned. Please send your pictures with the names of the bride and groom, the wedding party members, the date of the wedding and the location of where the photo was taken.

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