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David and Heather Lettow stand beside Smokey, a calf that survived a barn fire on their farm on March 17.

photo by Anne Trautner

Rebuilding A Farm – Community Comes Together To Help After Barn Fire

By Anne Trautner

At 2 a.m. on Sunday, March 17, David and Heather Lettow woke up to some loud bangs.

David went to the bedroom window and gasped. Heather looked over and could see flames coming from the barn.

David put on his winter gear and went outside to try to save the calves. Heather called 911.

She watched as David walked to the barn, which was completely consumed by the blaze at that point.

David stood at the edge of the driveway. He put his head down and choked back tears. He knew he wasn't going to be able to get his eight calves out.

The heat from the fire was tremendous.

"You know how when you are by a fire pit and you have to back up because your face gets hot? That's how it felt on my front porch," Heather said.

"It was really hot. I think the nails were actually melting off the barn before the boards could burn," she added.

Heather began to fear that the house was going to catch on fire, so she yelled for David.

They ran back into the house and got their three children, 7-year-old Hadlee, 4-year-old Holden and 1-year-old Hope, and their two dogs out of the house.

Area firefighters arrived about 20 minutes after the fire had started at the home, located at 4831 Ridge Road in the Town of Barton.

It appears the origin of the fire was on the southwest side of the barn structure where the calf barn was located. There was a heat lamp running in this area, and it is believed that was the cause of the fire.

Firefighters worked until about 8 a.m. A large crane pulled vehicles out of the barn, while another crane knocked

burning hay and straw bales down one at a time so that firefighters could extinguish them.

Immediately, the family began to clean up.

"Farming doesn't stop just because you have a fire. You can't just leave it sit. These animals need to be taken care of," David explained.

The family had a dump truck and excavators come in so that a temporary building could be set up. Water was hooked back up that morning. Friends came and hooked up electric, and temporary water tanks were put in place.

Calf huts were brought in, and work on the farm was able to continue.

"You start moving forward right away," David said.

Rebuilding A Farm
Continued on Pages 6 & 7



A cow drinks water beside the barn that burned on the Lettow farm in the Town of Barton on March 17.

photo by Anne Trautner

Community Free Seed Giveaway

By Anne Trautner

On Saturday, April 6, there will be a Free Seed Giveaway for the community. The event will be held at the Kewaskum High School Greenhouse from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Horticulturist Don "Dplantmann" Guzan will be on site to promote many heirloom and open pollinated varieties from his seed library. Seed varieties that will be part of the giveaway will include: tomatoes, vegetables,

beneficial flowers, wild flowers, herbs and tubers.

Feel free to bring along your horticultural questions for Guzan. Now is a good time to get your seeds started for the 2019 growing season, so come and check out the unique varieties not found in the local stores.

The school reserves the right to limit quantities. "Freewill" donations are welcome to benefit the greenhouse.

FFA Advisor Shelly Oelhafen and a few FFA members will also be on hand to give a quick tour of the new greenhouse facility.

The New Greenhouse

The new greenhouse was added to Kewaskum High School last fall.

The greenhouse honors the memory of Brent Schulz, an FFA member who lost his life in a car accident in June 2014.

Free Seed Giveaway-
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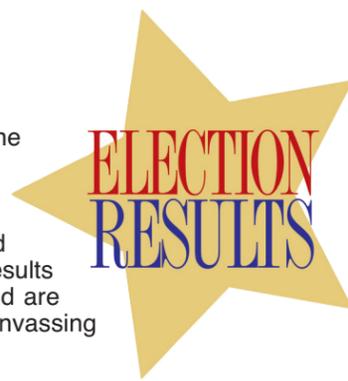
Conner Nelson waters plants in the new greenhouse at Kewaskum High School.
photo by Anne Trautner

Some Election Results Inside

Due to the deadline for the printing of the Kewaskum Statesman, we cannot give you full election results in this week's newspaper.

However, we do have a flyer included with the results of the school board,

Town of Wayne and Town of Kewaskum referendum results. We remind you that these results are unofficial and are not final until canvassing is completed.



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Kewaskum School District Receives \$72,074 In Library Aid

Kewaskum School District is receiving \$72,074 in Common School Fund library aid for 2019. The funds will go toward library materials and technology, such as books, newspapers and periodicals, web-based resources, and computer hardware and software.

The Common School Fund will provide \$36.2 million to Wisconsin public schools in 2019 to benefit public school libraries. A total of 92 percent of school libraries are solely funded from the Common School Fund each year — making this funding vital to public education.

State Treasurer Sarah

Godlewski presented the 2019 distribution of the Common School Fund to State Superintendent Carolyn Stanford Taylor.

Godlewski stated, "As chair of this agency, it's my top priority to ensure strong financial returns that support over a million school children around the state. This funding allows local librarians to purchase needed books and technology while relieving the burden on property taxpayers."

Established in 1848 in the Wisconsin Constitution, the Common School Fund is the state's permanent endowment that benefits

public education. To date, the fund is worth over \$1 billion. Wisconsin is the only state in the country that has a fund dedicated to re-sourcing public school libraries.

Godlewski shared her goals for the Common School Fund, which included increasing finan-

cial returns through win-win investment strategies, optimizing the agency's land base to provide additional revenue streams, and promoting the use and visibility of the State Trust Fund Loan program.

Treasurer Godlewski continued, "As a gradu-

ate of Wisconsin public schools and the daughter of two school teachers, it's an honor to lead such an important agency. I'm committed to public schools and believe our kids are most successful when they have the resources necessary to learn and grow."

The Board of Commissioner of Public Lands (BCPL) operates entirely on program revenue, without taxpayer money, and distributes more than 96 cents of every dollar of interest earned on BCPL State Trust Fund investments to Wisconsin's public schools.



State Treasurer Sarah Godlewski



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The Campbellsport News and Kewaskum Statesman offices WILL CLOSE AT NOON on Friday, April 19 in observance of



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Tuesday Night Sheephead Winners

Five-handed winners on Tuesday, March 26, were: Pat Heaslip 68-11-57 22-7-15, Delores Mielke 61-8-53 21-5-16, Delores Stoffel 61-9-52 22-5-17, Jerry Wiedmeyer 58-7-51 19-5-14, Dick Kohn 54-5-49 19-5-14, Pat Loecher 58-10-48 19-6-13, Jerry Rosenthal 50-4-46 15-3-

12, Raymond Zimmerman 20 most losses and Dennis Proeber 8 low points.

The next five-handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, April 9, at 7 p.m. sharp.

New players are always welcome at the Kewaskum Labor Center.



Week's Wit...
A farmer prays for rainy days so that he can lay something away for a rainy day.

XYZ Card Results

The winners of cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, March 27, were: Wayne Kirst, Ralph Chapman, Cliff Gallese, Nancy Rodenkirch, Darceal Jordan, Fred Lettow and Lloyd Herriges.

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

Library Happenings



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.

The Knit Wits Every Monday In The Community Room

Join the library's knitting, crochet and craft club. We are the Knit Wits and meet every Monday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Community Room. Beginners and advanced crafters welcome. Bring your project to work on and meet other fellow artisans.

Volunteer At The Library

Volunteers at the Kewaskum Public Library benefit the library and community in many ways. The library welcomes your involvement and offers a variety of volunteer opportunities for you. April is a great month to begin volunteering. Some areas of need are being part of the leadership team for the Friends of the Library or applying as a Library Board Trustee. Contact Library Director Lori Kreis for more information.

Fairy Tea Party Saturday, April 6

Come in for a repeat of last summer's fabulous program with even more fairy fun. Dress up in your fairy finery and join the library for all sorts of fairy inspired crafts and activities. No sign-up required. All ages welcome. 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, April 16 Kewaskum Library Recipe Club

Tired of the same old recipes? Looking for some culinary inspiration? Join the Kewaskum Public Library's Recipe Club. The theme for April is appetizers. Bring your dish ready to eat. Paper products and beverages will be provided. Non-cooks are welcome to stop in and sample. 6 - 7 p.m.

Storytimes

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

April 10

Windy Days

April 17

Spring Animals

April 24

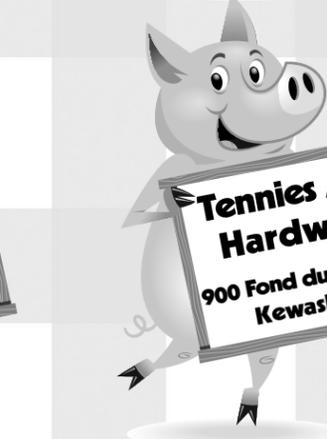
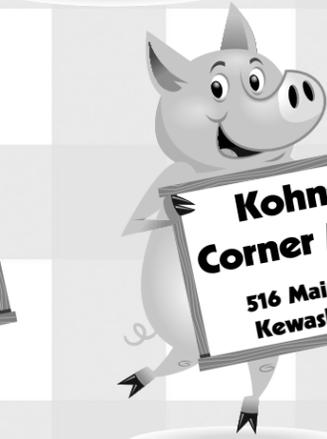
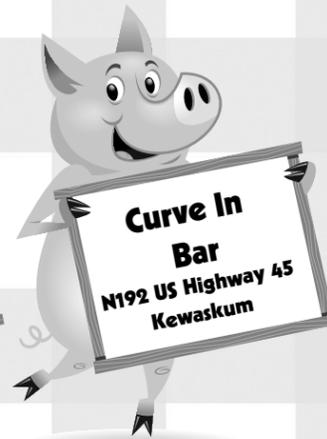
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OBITUARIES



Sister Gonzaga Hron, CSA

Sister Gonzaga (Louise LaVern) Hron died on March 20, 2019, at St. Agnes Hospital.

Louise was born in West Bend on June 7, 1945, to Lloyd R. and Florence C. Gonnering Hron. She was the second of a family of five children. She attended grade school at Holy Trinity School in Kewaskum, WI, where she was taught by the Sisters of St. Agnes. Louise graduated from Kewaskum Community High School. She attended Marian College of Fond du Lac for two years, working each summer as a secretary at Regal Ware in Kewaskum.

In 1965 she entered the Sisters of St. Agnes and also continued her studies at Marian College. She professed vows as a Sister of St. Agnes on August 15, 1968, with the religious name Sister Gonzaga.

She graduated from Marian College in 1968 with a BA in Biology and Math. A licensed secondary school teacher, Sister Gonzaga taught for 10 years at St. Mary Springs High School, Fond du Lac, WI; Beloit Catholic High School, Beloit, WI; and Immaculate Conception High School, Elmhurst, IL.

After transitioning out of the field of education, Sister Gonzaga's pas-

sion was to serve others through cooking. Sister Gonzaga ministered for many years in dietary services at large residences of the congregation such as Nazareth Heights Infirmary and Boyle Apostolic Center. She was generous in offering her skill and experiences, together with other Sisters, to prepare festive meals for special occasions often baking and creating fabulously decorated cakes. Sister Gonzaga's other love was care for Earth: preservation of natural resources, restoration of prairies and beautifying areas that all could enjoy.

Sister Gonzaga was preceded in death by her parents Lloyd Hron and Florence Gonnering Hron, her brother Lloyd, Jr., and her brother-in-law Ronald Ruplinger.

She is survived by her sisters Sheila (Richard) Whiting, Monica (Leo) Lettow and Ann Ruplinger; her nieces, nephews and their families; many friends and the Sisters of St. Agnes with whom she lived, prayed and ministered.

Cremation has taken place. A Mass of Christian Burial took place on Monday, April 1, 2019, at 2:30 p.m. in St. Francis Home Chapel, 33 Everett Street, Fond du Lac, WI. The presider was Father Ken Smits, Capuchin. Burial followed at St. Joseph Springs Cemetery.

Memorials can be directed to the CSA Mission Advancement Office, 320 County Road K, Fond du Lac, WI.

The Sisters of St. Agnes are grateful for the physicians and staff at St. Agnes Hospital who provided care for Sister Gonzaga.

Zacherl Funeral Home is serving the Congregation of Sisters of St. Agnes.



A message of the power of positive thinking and goal setting was worked into the show and all students were challenged to add these techniques into their lives at an assembly held March 26 for students from Kewaskum High School and Kewaskum Middle School.

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Alzheimer's Association To Hold State Conference May 19-21

The Alzheimer's Association will hold the 33rd annual Wisconsin State Conference May 19-21 at the Kalahari Resorts & Convention Center in Wisconsin Dells.

Recognized as one of the largest and most

comprehensive statewide conferences dedicated to Alzheimer's disease and related dementias in the country, this conference will draw more than 800 direct care, health care and family care partners in Alzheimer's care, support, advocacy and research. With 40 workshops, participants will learn about the latest in disease management and preventive therapies, research, brain health and care management of Alzheimer's disease. An exhibit fair with products and resources specific to the field of long-term care will be featured on Monday.

The 2019 conference features distinguished keynote speakers from around the nation. Karen Stobbe and Mondy Carter from In the Moment will open the conference on Monday morning, May 20 with a presentation on ways to "Improve with Improv." On Tuesday morning, Diana Kerwin, MD, of the Kerwin Research Center in Dallas will present an update on Alzheimer's Re-

search, in the area of prevention and treatment developments. The Conference closing keynote address on Tuesday, "Unique Challenges the LGBTQ Community Faces with Alzheimer's" will be presented by Tom Doyle, Alzheimer's Association National Early-Stage Advisor. Doyle will be joined by a panel who will share their personal experiences and perspectives in dealing with Alzheimer's.

A pre-conference seminar is planned for 1 - 4:45 p.m. on Sunday, May 19. Lynda Markut and Bonnie Beam-Stratz of the Alzheimer's Association will present two programs for family caregivers, "Staying Connected, Caring and Living: What does it take to have a life while caring?" and "Caregiver

Success at Your Fingertips." Paula Gibson of Azura Memory Care will host three Virtual Dementia Tours: Take a Walk in the Shoes of those with Dementia. Tours begin at 1, 2:15 and 3:30 p.m.

The conference's annual Banquet and Awards program on Sunday evening will feature keynote speaker Paul Braun, legendary voice of the Badger Men's Hockey Program, who will share his journey as an Alzheimer's Caregiver.

Complete information on the 2019 conference can be found on the conference website at www.wisalzconf.org. For additional information, contact Blueprint Events, LLC - Conference Planners at blueprint@alz.org or call 608-709-1915.

IN MEMORY

In loving memory of Kathryn (Tudy) Warner, who passed away 33 years ago, April 7, 1986.

The years may wipe out many things,
But this they will wipe out never,

The memory of those happy days,
Which we spent all together.

Dear mother you are not forgotten,
Though on earth you are no more,
Still your memory is with us,

As you always were before.

Lovingly remembered,
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Many students and a few teachers volunteered to be part of an assembly featuring a hypnotist that was sponsored by the Kewaskum High School FFA. Many funny scenes were acted out by the participants, which made for a hilarious show for the audience.

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Kohlsville Kruisers Participate In 14th Annual Club Trip

A total of 69 members of the Kohlsville Kruisers Snowmobile Club traveled to the Northwoods of Wisconsin again this winter on the first weekend in February to participate in the annual club trip. Lodging accommodations were provided by the Mole Lake Hotel and Casino just south of Crandon. Many people arrived Thursday evening and then headed out on the perfectly groomed trails on Friday in smaller groups, as Friday was the day to do whatever they wanted and ride wherever they wanted to ride. Some went north to Eagle River, some west toward Tomahawk, and some east toward Crivitz. All enjoyed a fish fry at various local pubs and restaurants Friday night, and then some went gaming at the casino, or had fun in the pool and hot tub. Saturday was the structured club ride, with members broken into smaller groups. They met at 9 a.m. for a club photo, then went off on their 100-plus mile loop for the day. The first stop was Post Lake Inn, where some riders had a Bloody Mary cocktail to get the day started. Once the group was back on the trail, they headed to the local club's groomer shed to see equipment and share stories. Next stop was LiL' Hummers in Pickerel for a great

turkey sandwich lunch. The group then headed toward the next destination, going south through the scenic Cocker Hills and then stopped at the famous Lily Clubhouse in Lily. After Lily, they made a big loop back to the hotel to get ready for the group cocktail reception in a private bar area at the hotel. After cocktails, a dinner reception was held in a conference room. "Awards" were handed out to rookie participants, and anyone who had "events" happen on the trail that day. After dinner, they played a group club trivia game, then awarded over 100 door prizes to participating members. Live music, gaming and dancing followed later in the evening. Sunday morning, after breakfast, some riders went out for another ride, while others headed back home. Many great memories were made and the group is looking forward to next year's trip. They would like to acknowledge the area clubs for the great trails they encountered, and the trip organizers who made it such a great event. Kohlsville Kruisers Club meets the first Tuesday of the month, September through April, at Jug's Hitching Post at 7:30 p.m. The club welcomes new members.



Members of the Kohlsville Kruisers gather for a photo opportunity during the recent trip to the Northwoods of Wisconsin.

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A total of 69 members of the Kohlsville Kruisers Snowmobile Club took part in the recent trip to northern Wisconsin.

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Members of the Kohlsville Kruisers Snowmobile Club ride in the Northwoods of Wisconsin.

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The Kohlsville Kruisers Snowmobile club recently went to northern Wisconsin for a weekend of snowmobile riding and fun. The club welcomes new members.

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David and Heather Lettow's barn (pictured top left) was destroyed by fire on March 17. The community has come together to help the family rebuild.

A makeshift working station (pictured below) is situated on the farm.

Somehow the fire did not spread to the fuel tanks in a nearby shed (pictured on bottom of page).

photos by Anne Trautner



Campbellsport Chamber of Commerce Annual

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Continued From Front **Rebuilding A Farm**



Blessings

Somehow, the fire stayed contained to the barn and never spread to the family's garage, shed or house.

"It's like God just stilled the winds," Jeff Buechel of the Kewaskum Fire Department told Heather.

As dawn arrived, the wind picked up a little, but it came as a gentle breeze blowing south-east, toward the family's empty field.

The daylight made it look as though an invisible barrier had prevented the fire from spreading.

"God drew a circle around your driveway," someone told Heather.

The previous morning, David had put 35 dry cows out to pasture that normally would have been in the barnyard, so they all survived.

Fortunately, the electricity that runs between the barn and the Lettow house runs underground.

"We just buried it less than two years ago, otherwise that line would have snapped onto our house," Heather said.

Other than some melted siding, the Lettow house suffered little damage. A shed that held diesel and gas fuel tanks somehow did not ignite.

"I feel very blessed. We could have lost everything, and we didn't," Heather said.

The Aftermath

At about 8 a.m., the family learned that one of their eight calves had survived the fire.

The calf, now named Smokey, had somehow gotten out of the pen and made it to the neighbors' house. The neighbors put a dog collar on the frightened animal, and kept Smokey on their front porch until they could return Smokey to the Lettows.

The fur was burned off Smokey's back, and she suffered from some smoke inhalation. But Smokey is doing well and is going to make it, Heather said.

Still, the fire caused a lot of damage. The siding on the house melted, as did the children's two sleds that were in the garage. The tail lights, bumper and bed liner on David's truck all melted, and the back window blew out.

The family lost three farm vehicles, a UTV, a skid loader and all the hay and straw that had been in the barn, as well as some personal property.

David watched as his tool truck was pulled from the barn. He had bought it when he was in high school with his own money. It was the first truck he ever owned.

Last week, the three Lettow children slept through the night for the first time since the fire.

"I didn't figure it out right away that they were having nightmares about the fire, but after three or four days, I was like this isn't normal behavior. They just weren't sleeping through the night," Heather said.

Rebuilding

Since moving into the house about 12 years ago, the Lettows have made some renovations, but they have done what they could to preserve original parts of the 1932 farmhouse.

"We have moved walls in the house, but we have preserved all of the built ins and we have tried to keep a lot of it original. I think that was one of the hardest things we have struggled with is that there is so much history and so much we have tried to preserve, and there was nothing left to salvage in the barn," Heather said.

The family also has been busy transitioning their crops over to organic, which has not been cheap. This last year was their first full year of organic cropping.

Both David and Heather have degrees in business, but they want to continue dairy farming. They never thought of not rebuilding.

"We immediately thought about how we were going to rebuild,"

Heather said.

Plus the Lettows are used to overcoming hurdles. In the last four years, they have had a still birth, they almost lost David's father, they lost Heather's father and they lost David's grandmother.

David nearly lost his life in a farming accident, but escaped with a broken ankle and torn MCL.

The day before her dad's funeral, Heather was mauled by a cow. She somehow survived that with only some bruised ribs and scratches.

And on November 26, 2017, Hope was born in the farmhouse. From start to finish, she came in about 30 minutes, and there was no time to get to the hospital.

"The good Lord has been taking care of us," Heather said. "At this point, I feel like this fire is not going to break us. We have survived everything else, so we are going to survive this too. And it is going to be fine."

Community Support

The family has insurance, but it is not going to cover the farm implements that were lost in the fire.

"It's so hard to talk about the numbers because that's where the anxiety creeps in a little bit, but our community has been so good to us," Heather said.

Members of the Kewaskum FFA have been a big help.

"They came and helped us that morning, which was amazing," Heather said.

Cousins Subs is holding a Donation Day to benefit the Lettow family on Thursday, April 11, from 10 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

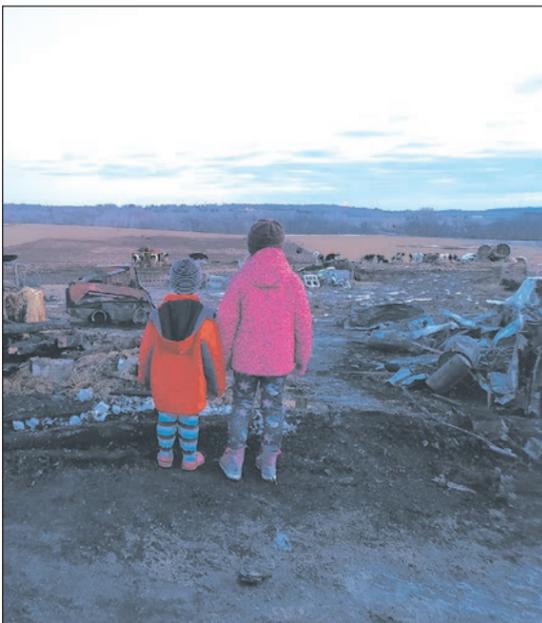
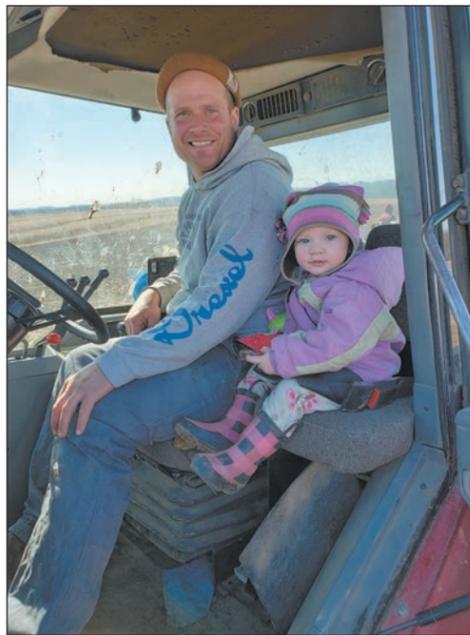
Women of Grace, a group of ladies from Holy Trinity and St. Michael churches are hosting a brat fry and bake sale on April 28, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Holy Trinity School to benefit the Lettow family.

In addition, a page has been set up at www.gofundme.com/lettow-barn-fire.

"It is hard to believe that people have given so joyfully to us. It is very heartwarming," Heather said.



Rebuilding A Farm



The Lettow family suffered a barn fire on March 17. The community has come together to help the family rebuild.

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**5 Years Ago
April 10, 2014**

Two Kewaskum teens were injured after the pickup truck they were traveling in collided with a dump truck on Highway 45 at the Highway V intersection at approximately 7:23 Tuesday morning, April 8. Police say the 16-year-old operator of the pickup did not see the dump truck and turned in the path of the dump truck. Witnesses at the scene confirmed the dump truck was not travelling at excessive speed and that there was nothing the driver of the dump truck could have done to avoid the crash. The driver of the pickup was transported to St. Joseph's Hospital. A 16-year-old passenger was transported to Children's Hospital in Milwaukee, neither was believed to have life-threatening injuries.

Raynor Herriges' two-year stint in the U.S. Army took him to Fort Knox in Kentucky, Fort Sill, Oklahoma and then on to Germany where he served in the artillery on border control. He didn't mind the two trips south. Going to Germany was another story for Herriges, one of the three members of the Robert G. Romaine American Legion Post 384 honored recently for being a member of the organization for 50 years or more. Herriges hit the 60-year mark in the organization. "We didn't fly in those days. We went by ship...17 days going over and 22 coming back," Herriges said recently. Since that trip, "I get sick when I see water. I don't go anywhere near any that's bigger than a bathtub."

A daughter, Avery Elyse, was born to Brian and Michelle Neuberger of Menomonee Falls on March 24.

A son, Parker Lee, was born to Peter and

Jennifer Marx, of Kewaskum, on March 30.

Hugo. J. "Huey" Straub Jr., 78, of Kewaskum, passed away on April 6.

Diana Mae Susen, nee Berger, of West Bend, passed away on April 7.

Pamela K. "Pam" Hochhaus, 47, of Kewaskum, passed away on April 7.

Kathleen Ann Kircher, nee Renk, 72, of the Town of Kewaskum, passed away on March 31.

Frank J. Bremser, 90, of Manitowoc, passed away on April 3.

**15 Years Ago
April 1, 2004**

The parents of 103 Kewaskum High School band and choir students were elated to see two Trailways Buses of Indianapolis Monday night around 11:15 p.m. The buses returned students and chaperones from a weekend trip to Florida where they participated in a concert. Dry eyes of parents and siblings were in the minority as many of the parents and students walked off the buses with crutches and bandages covering bruises and cuts they received when two of the Kobussen chartered buses they were riding in collided on northbound Interstate 65 through downtown Indianapolis around 12:30 p.m. Monday, police there said. The group had traveled 17 hours when the crash occurred. Many of the students were sleeping, playing cards or watching TV. School officials learned of the crash when a student on the bus misdialed and called the high school when attempting to call a parent. School officials here immediately went into crisis mode.

Well rested after three years of retirement, Judy Harlow has de-

cidated there are still many sports stories to be told, and she wants to jump back into the journalism arena. Harlow, who moved to Kewaskum with her family in 1965, had a 30-year career at the Daily News in West Bend, covering a variety of high school sports. Beginning this week, she will be doing the same for *The Statesman* and is looking forward to the challenge.

A daughter, Jessica May, was born to Kristin Komp and Kelvin Stebins, of Kewaskum, on March 16.

A daughter, Brooklyn Nicole, was born to Jennifer and Michael Stopar, of Allenton, on March 25.

A daughter, Carissa Marie, was born to Lanae and Paul Kovacevich, of Allenton, on March 25.

A daughter, Emily Marilyn, was born to Andrea and Robert Norton, Jr., of Eden, on March 24.

A daughter, Rachel Ann, was born to Julie and Jon Etta, of Kewaskum, on March 23.

A daughter, Sydney Ann, was born to Lora and Eric Radke, of Campbellsport, on March 22.

Arthur E. Klemme, Sr. 78, of Armstrong, passed away on March 25.

Roger Garbish, 64, of the Town of Scott, passed away on March 27.

Raymond "Ray" Bales, 91, of West Bend, passed away on March 28.

Pamela J. Weber, nee Koehler, 59, of Allenton, passed away on March 26.

Doris E. Friedemann, 80, of West Bend, passed away on March 25.

Mason Jay Ruplinger, infant son of Jay and Vicki Van Kooy Ruplinger, passed away on March 29.

Max J. Meindl, 68, of West Bend, passed away on March 27.

Iona E. Ebert, 74, of Lakewood, California, passed away on March 20.

Dolores C. Del Ponte, 79, of Campbellsport, passed away on March 23.

John C. "Jack" Holfeltz, 72, of West Bend, passed away on March 22.

John H. Wulff, 64, of the Village of Kekoskee, passed away on March 28.

Gilbert F. "Sonny" Krahn, 62, of Shawano, passed away on March 19.

**25 Years Ago
April 7, 1994**

Voters in the Kewaskum School District defeated the remodeling/renovation referen-

dum question in Tuesday's Spring Election by mere inches. A total of nine votes was all that stood in the way of the decision on whether the referendum should pass or fail, with the latter coming out ahead in the vote tallies.

Legionaire Stan Dirks handed out candy Easter eggs at Saturday's annual egg scavenger. The members of the Robert G. Romaine Post 384 dyed and hid 96 dozen eggs for area children to hunt in River Hill Park. Children and moms and dads scrambled alongside the Milwaukee River to find colored eggs to fill their Easter baskets. The stars of the hour, Mr. and Mrs. Easter Bunny had an egg-citing time with Hannah Van Ooyen and Emily Schoofs.

A son, Tyler Kevin, was born to Brian and Laura Andrews, Kewaskum, on March 30.

Frank J. Felix, 89, of Kewaskum, passed away on April 1.

John R. Boeker, 71, of Slinger, passed away on March 27.

Eleanor L. Kluever, nee Prah, 75, of West Bend, passed away on March 28.

**50 Years Ago
April 4, 1969**

In a business transaction completed the past week, the Louis J. Heisler estate buildings and property on Main Street were sold by the owners, Mrs. William Harbeck and Russ and Frank Heisler, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steiner of West Bend, owners of Burckhardt Electric, TV & Appliance, who operate stores in West Bend and Kewaskum.

All incumbent officials were re-elected in the Town of Auburn. For chairman, Roger Schleif, incumbent, defeated Gottlieb Kelln. For supervisors, Henry M. Ketter and Hilary Hoepner, incumbents, were re-elected over Kenneth Jandre, Camilla Butzke, clerk, Elmer A. Krueger, treasurer, and Norbert Gatzke, assessor were re-elected without opposition.

Walter Krewald, 77, of the Town of Auburn, passed away on March 29.

Mrs. Clara Bleck, nee Schmidt, 76, of Beechwood, passed away on March 27.

Mrs. Arthur Lenz, 72, nee Olga Mayer, of Long Lake, passed away on March 26.

**75 Years Ago
March 31, 1944**

Pfc. Harvey Techtman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Techtman, is the first Kewaskum soldier to return home from action in the Italian theatre of the war. He arrived here on a furlough on Wednesday of this week after nearly 18 months of duty overseas. Pfc. Techtman wears the good conduct medal and ribbon for service in the European theatre of operations which also contains a bronze star indicating his participation in one major battle. All of the decorations were awarded to him in Italy.

This Saturday the three first place winners from the Kewaskum High School in the Tri-County league forensic contest held in Lomira last Friday will go to DePere to compete in the district contest. Miss Hulda Kohlbeck, the forensic coach, will accompany them. The contestants are Miss Lois Koch, extemporaneous speaker; Rachel Brauchle, humorous declaimer and Mary Bremser, serious declaimer.

The calendar says its spring and even the robins are returning, but the past week seemed more like winter was starting. We had two heavy snowfalls, one on Sunday night and the other on Tuesday night. It snowed all during the night on Tuesday and by Wednesday we saw the heaviest fall that was had at any one time all during the winter, which was the warmest on record here and with the least snow. Tuesday's snowfall measured three to four inches

**100 Years Ago
April 5, 1919**

The West Bend Brewery was sold at public auction last week Friday morning, consisting of the entire plant, building, machinery and equipment for the amount of \$25,000. The plant was purchased by Carl Pick of West Bend. The brewery was valued at \$120,000. The depreciation is due to the fact the entire nation is going dry after July 1st. Although they were forced to stop brewing in December, they have enough beer on hand to supply their customers until July 1st when national prohibition takes effect. The West Bend Brewery was founded in 1848, and for nearly fifty years, formed one of the chief industries in that city, as well as of the county. The establishment was known far and near for the good quality of lager beer brewed by that company. They employed 29 people, most of who were forced to seek other employment. The brewery will in the future be used for the purpose of making malt beverage, for which a trademark has already been adopted by the new management. The new beverage will come as near to the lager beer, in its refreshing qualities as the law will allow.

A monstrosity in the form of a pig created considerable interest at the farm of August Pepin of the Town of Hartford this week. It was a pig with two bodies and one head. Each body of the animal being of the normal size for a tiny pig. The two bodies were perfect up to the neck, where they were joined together to the one head. The latter had three ears. It was such a curiosity that it was suggested to the family that it be preserved in alcohol. The rest of the pigs in the litter were normal.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Weddig of Kewaskum on Tuesday, a baby boy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Baumann of Kewaskum, a baby boy on Sunday.

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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.countryclubdancers.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. 10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Friday, April 5 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. West Bend Police Department on Road Safety. 7:30 - 9 p.m.

Saturday, April 6 - Craft Fair. Free admission. Lt. Ray Dickop Post 36, 712 Park Ave., West Bend. 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Saturday, April 6 - The History Center is offering special hours for those with sensory sensitivities and cognitive needs that make touring during regular times and circumstances difficult. This event is limited to 15 families. Pre-register to receive a \$17 family rate available only for this event. Fee covers private tours of the Old Courthouse and Jail Museums for up to two adults and their dependent children. Families will receive pre-planning tools, a sensory pack and Jail story book guide. (262) 335-4678 or education@historyisfun.com The History Center of Washington County, 320 S. 5th Ave., West Bend. 9 - 11 a.m.

Saturday, April 6 - Life of Hope Behind the Mask Brunch and Fashion Show. Enjoy a morning of fun and fashion. Support the cause of suicide prevention. Chandelier Ballroom, 150 Jefferson Ave., Hartford. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Saturday, April 6 - Festival of Arts. The Festival of Arts is a campus-wide event featuring professional artwork (for sale in the gym and lobbies) as well as a student artwork competition. Top student artwork is submitted by over 25 area middle and high schools. It is judged by a panel of professionals. An awards ceremony takes place at noon in the theatre. Seminars and musical performances are also being planned. Admission is \$2 for adults, \$1 for students 13 and up and free for students 12 and under. Free admission is also extended to students with artwork on display. UWM at Washington County, 400 S. University Drive, West Bend. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Saturday, April 6 - Wrestling For A Cause. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 4 - 10 p.m.

Tuesday, April 9 - Museum of Wisconsin Art Curator Talks. A deep dive into 18 rotating exhibitions each year. 205 Veterans Ave., West Bend. 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Thursday, April 11 - Kewaskum FFA Alumni 3rd Annual Wine and Beer Tasting Social. Specifically selected Wisconsin wines and Wisconsin beer will be served in a Kewaskum FFA Alumni souvenir glass. A nacho bar and assorted cheeses as appetizers will be available. Basket raffles, 50/50 raffles, a gun raffle and door prizes will add to the fun. For more information contact Tracy Herman, Kewaskum FFA Alumni president at 262-483-0006 or Renee Wenzlaff, vice-president at 262-483-6223. \$20 per person. Must be 21 to attend. Jug's Hitching Post Saloon & Grill in the heart of Kohlsville. 5781 Main Street. 6 - 9 p.m.

Thursday, April 11 - Inside Out: Using House Plants In The Garden with Rob Zimmer. See examples of many colorful, creative ways to use house plants outdoors. For more information contact Sue at (920) 458-1848. UWEX, Room 5020, 5 University Drive, Sheboygan. 6:30 p.m.

Friday, April 12 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. No meeting.

Saturday, April 13 - Central Wisconsin Gun Collectors Association Show. Admission \$5. Fond du Lac County Fairgrounds, 495 Martin Avenue, Fond du Lac. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Saturday, April 13 - A Fair To Remember Art and Craft Show. Admission \$3. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Saturday, April 13 - Museum of Wisconsin Art Artist Panel Handmade for Home artists share their work and stories. 205 Veterans Avenue, West Bend. 2 - 3 p.m.

Sunday, April 14 - Central Wisconsin Gun Collectors Association Show. Admission \$5. Fond du Lac County Fairgrounds, 495 Martin Avenue, Fond du Lac. 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Sunday, April 14 - WI Car Enthusiast Show. Admission \$5. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 1 - 5 p.m.

Friday, April 19 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Good Friday. No meeting.

Saturday, April 20 - Museum of Wisconsin Art. Interior Design Panel. Interior design experts discuss how to integrate fine art into your home. 205 Veterans Avenue, West Bend. 2 - 3 p.m.

Wednesday, April 24 - Arthritis Foundation Walk with Ease Program. The program is designed for people with arthritis to increase balance and strength, reduce pain and improve over-all health. Held every Monday, Wednesday and Friday through May 31. Call Jackson Community Center at 262-677-9665 to enroll before Wednesday, April 24. Space is limited and pre-registration is required. Free. Jackson Community Center, N165W20330 Hickory Lane, Jackson. 1 - 2 p.m.

Wednesday, April 24 - Kewaskum Chamber Appreciation Dinner & Style Show at Hon-E-Kor Golf Course. Flower Power. Wear something retro hippie. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. Dinner served at 6:30 p.m. with fashion show to follow. Tickets \$20 each at H-E-K, Jazzer-cise, Hair on Main, Geidel's Piggly Wiggly and Westbury Bank. RSVP by April 10th. Kate 262-689-0990 or Jenny 920-948-6945.

Thursday, April 25 - Washington County Tree and Prairie Seed Program. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 1 - 7 p.m.

Friday, April 26 - Washington County Tree and Prairie Seed Program. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 7 - 11 a.m.

Friday, April 26 - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Pot Luck. 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 27 - WI Alpaca and Fiber Fest. Free, family activity with 300 alpacas. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 27 - Museum of Wisconsin Art Curator Talks. A deep dive into 18 rotating exhibitions each year. 205 Veterans Ave., West Bend. 2 - 3 p.m.

Sunday, April 28 - WI Alpaca and Fiber Fest. Free, family activity with 300 alpacas. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Hwy PV, West Bend. 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.

An Upcoming Calendar of Events for Riveredge Nature Center, 4458 County

Hwy Y, Newburg, WI. Visit: www.riveredgenaturecenter.org for further information.

Saturday, April 6 - Pancake Breakfast and Sugarbush House Dedication. Join us to enjoy this unique treat featuring Riveredge's 100% pure maple syrup, "all you can eat" pancakes made with organic flour along with ham, coffee, and other beverages. With a live band, you can expect a party! Dress for the weather as the event is held outdoors at the evaporator in Riveredge's new Sugarbush House. The Sugarbush House Dedication starts at 9 a.m., followed by the Pancake Breakfast at about 9:30 a.m. Members Children 12 and under \$6. Adults \$10. Non-Members Children 12 and under \$8. Adults \$12. Children 2 and under are free. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Saturday, April 13 - Spring Egg Hunt. Join us for the most naturally fun family egg hunt around. Each child will venture out to search high and low for hidden eggs on Riveredge's beautiful sanctuary. The best part? This is a candy-free hunt and small prizes will be awarded to all participants. With three different start times, 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. there's options for all schedules. After the hunt, discover the wonders of Wisconsin's egg-laying animals and meet some barnyard friends. You'll also have the opportunity to color eggs using local, natural dyes to take home with you. This event is sure to be a blast for the whole family. To ensure the hunt is enjoyable and fair for everyone, children will be divided according to age (up to 10 years old) and bag limits (10 eggs per child) will be set. This event completely sells out each year, so pre-registration is required, and we highly recommend signing up as soon as possible to save a spot. Cost: Non-members: \$7 per child; All Riveredge members: \$5 per child.

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

Friday, April 5 - April Showers Nature Storytime. Drip, drop, pitter-pat. April showers fall to the ground. We'll find out just how these rains help awaken the spring flowers. 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.

Wednesday, April 10 - Ice Age Trail Trekkers. Join us for a lovely 3.45-mile evening hike between Hwy 23 and County Road P. Come prepared for possible wet trail conditions. A shuttle will be available between the starting and finishing spot. Meet at the County Road P Ice Age Trail Parking Lot (located south of Glenbeulah). 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 11 - Solving the Mysteries of Hibernation. Evening with Nature Program. Many animals just spent the winter hibernating to avoid the season's hardships. Join Hannah V. Carey, Ph.D., Professor of Comparative Biosciences and Director of Biotron Laboratory, UW-Madison, as she explains the mysteries of hibernation and the new discoveries made by scientists. She will share how these findings may benefit humans. This program is most appropriate for people over the age of 10 years old. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 13 - Read and Explore - Frogs. Drop in to read a book about our Wisconsin frogs with a caring adult. Afterwards, participate in hands-on activities to learn more our hopping amphibian neighbors. 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.

Saturday, April 13 - Upscaled Art Exploring Nature Program. Don't throw that away! It can be turned into a work of art! Come create inner tube rubber stamps, paper bead necklaces, and other unique projects from throw away materials. This program is best for families/groups with children between the ages of 6 and 12 years. To register, call (920) 533-8322 by April 12. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 10 a.m. - noon.

Wednesday, April 17 - Ice Age Trekkers. Join us for an invigorating 3.18-mile morning hike along the Ice Age National Scenic Trail between Hwy 23 and the Greenbush Group Camp. Come prepared for possible wet trail conditions. A shuttle will be available between the starting and finishing spot. Meet at the Greenbush Group Camp (located off Kettle Moraine Drive between County Road T and Hwy 67 near Greenbush). 7 - 8:30 a.m.

Friday, April 19 - Shhhh! Listen Nature Storytime. It's amazing what we can discover when we are quiet and listen. Join us for a listening walk through the fields and forest. 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.

Wednesday, April 24 - Ice Age Trekkers. Join us for a casual 3.18-mile evening hike along the Ice Age National Scenic Trail between Hwy 23 and the Greenbush Group Camp. Come prepared for possible wet trail conditions. A shuttle will be available between the starting and finishing spot. Meet at the Greenbush Group Camp (located off Kettle Moraine Drive between County Road T and Hwy 67 near Greenbush). 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Friday, April 26 - Spring Symphony Night Hike. Nature awakens from its long winter slumber with a symphony of sound. Journey through the darkening spring woods to locate the members of the spring choir. This hike is most appropriate for adults and children over the age of 6 years. Zillmer Trail Area (located off County Road SS between County Road G and Hwy 67 near New Prospect). 7:30 - 9 p.m.

Saturday, April 27 - Earth Week Litter Pick Up. Sponsored by the Friends of the Kettle Moraine. Kettle Moraine Scenic Drive. (Meet at the Forest Headquarters off County Road G south of County Road SS near New Prospect). Help give the Kettle Moraine Scenic Drive and other forest locations a spring cleaning. Join others for a morning of camaraderie and litter pick up. Youth and other groups are encouraged to participate. Bring your own gloves. Garbage bags will be provided. Meet at the Forest Headquarters off County Road G to get your road or area assignment. After cleaning up, return to the Headquarters for snacks and refreshments. To register groups, call (262) 626-2116. 8:30 a.m. - noon

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.

What Do You Have In Your Hand?

By Darlene Stern

Doesn't matter who you are or aren't; how much money you have or don't have; whether you're married, divorced or single; if you have a job or are unemployed; if you live in a mansion or are homeless; drive a fancy car or a beater; have multiple college degrees or are a high school dropout; claim a denominational affiliation, part of a micro church or no church — no one is exempt from the opportunity to do God's work.

Moses thought the task God was giving him to bring his people out of Egypt was not in his job description. He was certain they would not listen to him and made all the excuses he could to get out of God's call on his life. He believed the Hebrews wouldn't listen to him because he was raised in the house of Pharaoh.

He complained that God had not communicated with the Hebrews for over 400 of their time in Egypt; how could he convince them He was speaking now? Moses also reminded God that

he stuttered; who (especially Pharaoh) would listen to him? Then God gave Moses a demonstration. God turned Moses' staff, or shepherd's rod, into a snake and back into a rod again when Moses touched it. It wasn't Moses who would do it, but God working and speaking through Moses.

What is it that God has asked you to do? Have you protested, saying you're not qualified for one reason or another? What will convince you that — if you're willing to be used — God will give you the chance? Are the examples of Martin Luther, Mother Teresa, Billy Graham or any other previously unknown person who did great things because they said 'Yes' to God's call to them enough? Have you heard the stories of someone doing something unexpected for another and that incident making a major impact on the person's life? Can you believe you could do the same?

Have you ever smiled at someone you didn't know and witness the

disbelief that you even noticed them awaken on their face? Suddenly their life becomes tolerable when, just moments before, they may have had no hope. Your smile was what you had in your hand.

Consider ones who have prepared shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse to distribute worldwide to children at Christmas. People filling the shoeboxes may not have much money, but they can afford trinkets and small gifts for a child who has nothing. Tucking in a small booklet about Jesus loving them or a personal letter is also not costly. Often years later the now-grown child will come forward to proclaim what a transformation that small box of gifts had brought to their life at a critical time. The small investment of time and money — what they had in their hand — made a profound impact on a life.

Think about what God has put in your hands and how you can use it for the benefit of others. You may be amazed at the outcome!

Tornado And Severe Weather Awareness Week

— County To Participate In Statewide "Test" Tornado Warning

Gov. Tony Evers has declared April 8-12 as Tornado and Severe Weather Awareness Week in Wisconsin. This awareness campaign is launched every April to remind people of the dangers associated with tornadoes, thunderstorms, flooding and hail, and to encourage citizens to educate themselves regarding protective safety measures.

"All residents of Washington County are encouraged to become familiar with the designated shelter areas and weather procedures needed to be safe," said Emergency Management Coordinator Rob Schmid. "This week is a great reminder that we do have tornados in our region like the one last May in Richfield. We should all take tornados and severe weather seriously and discuss preparations with our family."

On Thursday, April 11, Washington County will participate in the statewide tornado drill. The drill will begin with a "test" tornado watch issued at 1 p.m. and a "test" tornado warning to be issued at approximately 1:45 p.m. This portion of the drill will conclude at 2 p.m. Then, there will be a second "test" tornado warning issued at 6:45 p.m. This will allow families to practice their home emergency procedures as well as the second shift of area businesses/agencies. NOTE: there will be no "test" tornado watch issued prior to the evening test — just the warning at 6:45 p.m. This portion of the drill will conclude at 7 p.m.

These drills will test the notification procedures that take place during a severe weather event. Various types of watches or warnings are issued by the NWS and

disseminated to local dispatch centers. From there the dispatch centers pass along the information to local public safety agencies and key personnel. These are the same watches or warnings available to the public through the media or over the NOAA weather radio network.

Weather warning sirens in Washington County are owned and operated locally by the various cities, villages and towns. Due to this fact, the sirens in your area may or may not sound on April 11 depending on participation by the local jurisdiction in the drill, or the fact that a particular system may choose not to deviate from its normal testing schedule. If actual severe weather occurs anywhere in the state on April 11, the drill will be postponed until Friday, April 12.

AREA CHURCH SERVICES

Kewaskum

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

331 Main St., Kewaskum
Sunday Mass at 7:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.
Tuesday Mass at 5 p.m. Wednesday-Friday Mass at 7:45 a.m. Adoration: after Tuesday evening and Friday morning masses. Father Jacob Strand, 262-626-2860.

St. Michael's Catholic Church

8883 Forest View Rd., Kewaskum
Reconciliation Saturdays 3:15-3:45 p.m., Saturday Mass at 4 p.m., 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. Temporary Pastor Rev. Christine Wilke. 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.

Call by Monday at 2 p.m. to make changes to our Area Church Services.
920-533-8338

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

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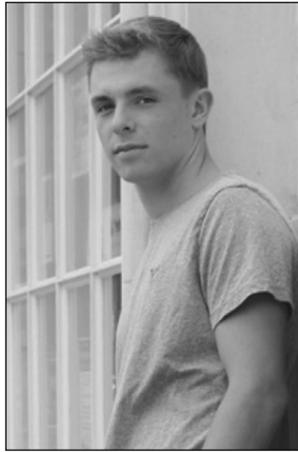
Jillian Braatz

Jillian Braatz is the daughter of Sandra and Christopher Braatz. Throughout her years at Kewaskum High School, she has been a member of the track and field and tennis

programs (four years); Spanish Club (four years, is co-president); Mock Trial (four years); Peers 4 Peers (three years); KEY Club (two years, is web master); and the statistician for the wrestling program (two years).

In her junior year, Jillian was inducted into the National Honor Society, and was crowned prom queen by her peers. Jillian was also selected to represent the school at the World Affairs Seminar this past summer at Carroll University.

She is undecided on which university she will attend next fall, but she would like to pursue a degree in international business.



Bradley Buechel

Bradley Buechel is the son of Kathy and Douglas Buechel. While at Kewaskum High School, Bradley has

been an avid member of the basketball (captain – two years), baseball and golf programs for all four years. He has varsity lettered four times in baseball, and three times in golf and basketball. Bradley was the school's 2018-2019 WIAA Scholar Athlete of the year.

In his junior year, Bradley was inducted into the National Honor Society, where he was selected to be on the Scholarship Committee. Over the past three years, Bradley has been chosen to assist the seventh grade class in an all-day Courage Retreat Program, training the students to be more resilient and empathic to others. Outside of

school, Bradley is a member of the St. Michael's/Holy Trinity Parish in Kewaskum, where he volunteers his time for the Family Promise Organization through Washington County helping less fortunate families for the past four years.

After graduation, he will attend Dubuque University to pursue a degree in business management.

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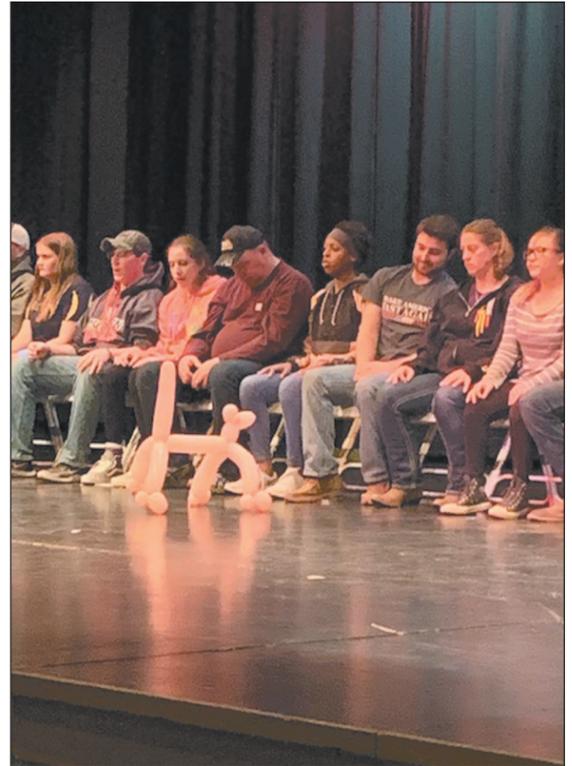


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The Kewaskum FFA sponsored an evening show of Dr. Jim Wand, a hypnotist, at the KHS Theater at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, March 26. Wand performed for the public and many students during a two-hour show.

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While the audience only saw a cute balloon dog, Cody Oelhafen was told he was being stared down by a very ferocious dog while under hypnosis at a show sponsored by the Kewaskum FFA.

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Kewaskum FFA officers and FFA Advisor Shelly Oelhafen pose with Dr. Jim Wand after his hypnotist show.

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Many volunteers were chosen from the audience to get hypnotized on stage during a show sponsored by the Kewaskum FFA. Many funny scenarios were acted out by the volunteers while under hypnosis. The audience enjoyed an evening of almost nonstop laughter and entertainment.

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Hypnotized volunteers use their shoes and boots as binoculars as they "attend" a horse race.

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Kewaskum FFA Alumni Third Annual Wine And Beer Tasting Social

– Thursday, April 11, 2019 at Jug's Hitching Post Saloon & Grill in Kohlsville

The Kewaskum FFA Alumni is looking forward to the third annual Wine and Beer Tasting Social on Thursday, April 11, from 6 to 9 p.m. The popular alumni event will again be held at Jug's Hitching Post Saloon and Grill in the heart of Kohlsville. The Hitching Post is located at 5781 Main St., West Bend.

The rustic venue allows ample space for FFA Alumni supporters and friends to try out the specifically selected Wisconsin wines and Wisconsin beers that will be served to you in your own Kewaskum FFA Alumni souvenir glass. A Nacho Bar and assorted cheeses as appetizers will be available to

guests. Basket raffles, 50/50 raffles, a gun raffle and door prizes add to the fun. The cost is \$20 per person. Tickets are available at the door only on April 11. The Kewaskum FFA Alumni fundraises for agriculture education in the Kewaskum School District and community.

Money raised is used for scholarship opportunities for Kewaskum High School FFA seniors. Recently, the FFA Alumni has been able to assist with the purchase of plant tables, floor mats and shelving for the newly built KHS greenhouse. Also, an animal lab for students was constructed, and the

Alumni has been able to help outfit that space with needed equipment. The FFA Alumni also sponsor a brat fry in August at Geidel's Piggly Wiggly in Kewaskum; assist FFA members at the Wisconsin State Fair FFA Ice Cream Sundae Booth in the Wisconsin Products Pavilion; and sell food, hot chocolate

and cookies at the annual Kewaskum Christmas Parade in December. For more information, contact Tracy Herman, Kewaskum FFA Alumni president, at 262-483-0006, or Renee Wenzlaff, vice president, at 262-483-6223. Look for the Kewaskum FFA Alumni on Facebook.

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Tuesday: Chicken Pesto Croissant, Sweet Potato Fries, Baked Beans, Orange Wedges, Rosy Apple-sauce.

Wednesday: Crispy Chicken Bowl, Buttered Corn, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Mandarin Oranges.

Thursday: Whole Grain Pasta Bar, Island Blend Vegetables, Sugar Snap Peas, Fresh Cantaloupe, Diced Peas.

Friday: 3 Cheese Grilled Cheese, Soup Of The Day, Coleslaw, Strawberries, Diced Peaches.

Mondays: Bistro Burger Bar.

Tuesdays: Deli Bar.

Wednesdays: Sizzlin' Salad Bar.

Thursdays: A Taste of Italy.

Fridays: Fiesta Bar, Nachos/Burritos/Fajitas/Quesadillas/Enchiladas.

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

Kewaskum Middle School

Monday: Whole Grain Mini Pizza Bagels, Seasoned Peas, Texas Caviar, Fresh Pear Half,

Fruit Cocktail.

Tuesday: Meatball Sub, French Fries, Baked Beans, Fresh Broccoli, Rosy Apple-sauce, Ice Cream Sandwich.

Wednesday: Crispy Chicken Bowl (Chicken Nuggets And Mashed Potatoes With Gravy), Buttered Corn, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Mandarin Oranges.

Thursday: Beef Ravioli, Vegetable Medley, Whole Grain Garlic Bread, Baby Carrots, Diced Peas.

Friday: Grilled Cheese Day. Grilled Cheese, Tomato Soup, Island Blend Vegetables, Diced Peaches. Pizza Hut Day.

Salad Bar Served Daily.

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

Kewaskum, Farmington and i4Learning Elementary

Monday: Chicken Quesadilla, Seasoned Peas And Corn, Romaine Lettuce, Fruit Cocktail. Second Choice: Bosco Sticks With Marinara.

Tuesday: Bacon, Egg And Cheese Croissant Tator Tots, Grape Tomatoes, Orange Smiles, Treat - Chocolate Pudding. Second Choice: Mini Pizza Bagels.

Wednesday: Whole Grain Hot Ham And Cheese Flatbread, Baked Beans, Roasted Broccoli, Fresh Apple

Slices. Second Choice: Breaded Chicken Sandwich.

Thursday: Soft Shell Taco, Taco Meat, Refried Beans With All The Fixin's, Vegetable Medley, Petite Baby Carrots, Diced Peas. Second Choice: Cheeseburger.

Friday: Grilled Cheese Sandwich Day. Whole Grain Grilled Cheese, Tomato Soup, French Fries, Sliced Cucumbers, Strawberries. Second Choice: Blueberry Muffin With Yogurt.

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Holy Trinity School

Monday: Grilled Hamburger, Whole Grain Bun, Baked Beans, Potato Wedges,

Herbed Broccoli, Assorted Fruits.

Tuesday: Taco Tuesday. Beef Taco Or Chicken Fajita, Whole Grain Taco Rice, Refried Beans, Green Beans, Assorted Fruits.

Wednesday: Popcorn Chicken Mashed Potato Bowl, Whole Grain Roll, Corn, Assorted Fruits.

Thursday: Hot Dog Or Cheddarwurst, Whole Grain Bun, Macaroni And Cheese, Peas, Assorted Fruits.

Friday: Cheese Pizza, Whole Grain Garlic Bread, Spinach/Romaine Salad, Glazed Carrots, Assorted Fruits.

Assorted Fresh Vegetables And Salad Offered Daily.

All Menus Are Subject To Change.

School Happenings

Kewaskum Elementary School

Friday, April 5

✓ PTO Family Carnival Night KES Gym 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Monday, April 8

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

Tuesday, April 9

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

Thursday, April 11

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

i4Learning Community School

Tuesday, April 9

✓ i4L Intramurals WES Gym 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.

Thursday, April 11

✓ i4L Grandparents Day Entire Building 8:50 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Farmington Elementary School

Friday, April 5

✓ FES PTO Decades Dance FES Cafeteria FES Gym 6 - 8 p.m.

Monday, April 8

✓ FES Intramurals FES Gym 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.

Tuesday, April 9

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

Holy Trinity Catholic School

Friday, April 5

✓ Stations Of The Cross with students and staff. 2 p.m.

Saturday, April 6

✓ 2nd Annual 3-0n-3 Basketball Tournament. Pre-registration is required. Contact Sharyl Zillmer at (262) 483-8966 or htsbasketball3on3@gmail.com \$40 per team. Holy Trinity Gymnasium 9 a.m.

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School Happenings

Kewaskum High School

Thursday, April 4

✓ Baseball Varsity Game vs. Waupun at Thompson Field 4:45 p.m.

✓ Baseball JV Game vs. Waupun at Kewaskum High School Baseball Field 4:45 p.m.

✓ Softball Varsity Game vs. Winneconne at Winneconne High School 4:45 p.m.

✓ Softball JV Game vs. Winneconne at Winneconne High School 4:45 p.m.

✓ Soccer Girls Varsity Game vs. Kiel at Kewaskum High School Mitchell Athletic Complex 6:45 p.m.

Friday, April 5

✓ Track Varsity Meet vs. various schools at Ripon College 4 p.m.

✓ Soccer Girls JV Game vs. North Fond du Lac at North Fond du Lac High School 5 p.m.

✓ Chris Pony Team KHS Auxiliary Gym 6:15 -- 7:45 p.m.

✓ Soccer Girls Varsity Game vs. North Fond du Lac at North Fond du Lac High School 7 p.m.

Saturday, April 6

✓ KHS FFA Free Seed Giveaway KHS Exterior Grounds 8 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

✓ Softball Varsity Game vs. Sheboygan Falls at KHS Softball Field

✓ Baseball JV Doubleheader vs. Kettle Moraine Lutheran at KHS Baseball Field 11 a.m.

Sunday, April 7

✓ Moraine Musicians Honors Recital KHS Theatre 2 - 4:30 p.m.

✓ Moraine Musicians Honors Recital KHS Cafeteria 4 - 5 p.m.

Monday, April 8

✓ Golf Boys Varsity Conference Meet vs. various schools at Lake Breeze Golf Club 3 p.m.

✓ Baseball JV Game vs. Winnebago Lutheran Academy at Winnebago Lutheran Academy High School 4:30 p.m.

✓ Baseball Varsity Game vs. Winnebago Lutheran Academy at KHS Baseball Field 4:45 p.m.

✓ Board Meeting District Office Conference Room 6 - 9 p.m.

✓ Chris Pony Team KHS Auxiliary Gym 6:15 - 7:45 p.m.

✓ Conservation Congress KHS Theatre 7 - 9 p.m.

Tuesday, April 9

✓ Trap Shooting Varsity Meet vs. Hartford Union at New Fane Sportsmans Club Time TBD

✓ Clergy Meeting District Office Conference Room 10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

✓ Track Varsity Quad KHS Mitchell Athletic Complex 4 p.m.

✓ Baseball Varsity Game vs. Winneconne at Winneconne High School 4:45 p.m.

✓ Baseball JV Game vs. Winneconne at KHS Baseball Field 4:45 p.m.

✓ Soccer Girls JV Game vs. Waupun at Waupun High School 4:45 p.m.

✓ Soccer Girls Varsity Game vs. Waupun at Waupun High School 6:45 p.m.

Wednesday, April 10

✓ Golf Boys Varsity Invitational vs. Sheboygan Falls at The Bull Golf Course 9 a.m.

✓ At The Movies Casablanca KHS Theatre 2 - 4:30 p.m.

✓ Chris Pony Team KHS Auxiliary Gym 6:15 - 7:45 p.m.

Thursday, April 11

✓ Golf Boys JV Triangular vs. West Bend East, West Bend West at West Bend Lakes Golf Course 4 p.m.

✓ Softball Varsity Game vs. Waupun at Jerry Medema Fields 4 p.m.

✓ Softball JV Game vs. Waupun at Jerry Medema Fields 4 p.m.

✓ Tennis Boys Varsity Meet vs. Roncalli at KHS Tennis Courts 4 p.m.

✓ Track Varsity Meet vs. various schools at Kettle Moraine Lutheran 4 p.m.

✓ Baseball Varsity Game vs. Winneconne at KHS Baseball Field 4:45 p.m.

✓ Baseball JV Game vs. Winneconne at Winneconne High School 4:45 p.m.



A Column By Kewaskum Librarian Lori Kreis

Once a year, there is a week dedicated to libraries and how they have had an impact on transforming lives and strengthening communities. This is National Library Week and this year it is celebrated from April 7 to April 13. The week always has a theme and for 2019 it is Libraries = Strong Communities. The focus of this theme is to show how libraries are the heart of the community and that they provide critical resources, quality programs and genuine expertise to the people they serve.

The American Library Association, who has sponsored this week for over sixty years, listed a few ways that patrons and the community can help us celebrate this time devoted to libraries. The most important way is to visit your local library. If you haven't been in a while, stop in and see what's new. If you are a regular patron, check out an area of the library you don't frequent often or attend a program.

The ALA also suggests you support your library through their social media platforms and by sharing your story at #MyLibrary-MyStory. Community support, especially vocal, helps secure much-needed funding. Letting us know you support our work is a great reminder to staff about why we do what we do.

Libraries throughout the country celebrate National Library Week with special events and

Kewaskum Public Library is no exception. Visit our Facebook page beginning on Sunday for daily posts that will be fun, informative and inspirational. The displays we have in the library will feature an assortment of topics related to National Library Week.

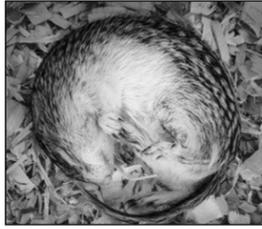
Lastly, we will be holding a week-long contest for National Library Week. Stop in the library and tell us how you think the library has made an impact in your life or community. Fill out a contest form in the library by writing how the library has made a difference in your life. Submit the form to the circulation desk and you are entered. In lieu of a submission form, you may post your response to our Facebook page. You will be eligible for one of many prizes either way. We look forward to seeing you in the library during National Library Week and reading how libraries have made a difference in your lives.

"In addition to providing communities with access to ideas and information, libraries play an important role in our public life by encouraging creativity, promoting equality, and serving as a source of empowerment. This week, and every week, library workers deserve our support and our gratitude." – Melinda Gates; National Library Week Chair 2019.

Lori Kreis
Library Director
Kewaskum Public Library

Solving The Mysteries Of Hibernation

Join us for the next program in the Kettle Moraine State Forest – Northern Unit's Evening with Nature series - "Solving the Mysteries of Hibernation."



The program will be held on Thursday, April 11, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Ice Age Visitor Center. The center is located at N2875 Highway 67, Campbellsport, which is a half mile west of Dundee. The pro-

gram is free, but donations are always gratefully accepted.

Here in the North Country, many mammals cope with winter's hardships by hibernating. Now with spring's arrival, they are rousing from their winter slumber and starting the yearly cycle once again. Join UW-Madison hibernation experts as they unravel the mysteries of how hibernation works for mammals. Learn how the gut microbiome factors in this incredible adaptation for surviving frigid temperatures along with the lack of food, and how any of these hibernation discoveries relate to humans taking long spaceflights.

For further information or directions contact the Ice Age Visitor Center staff at (920) 533-8322. The center's April hours are Wednesday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., and on Saturday and Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

CAMPUS NEWS

– University Of Wisconsin - River Falls

Hannah Preder of Kewaskum, was recently initiated into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's oldest and most selective all-discipline collegiate honor society.

Preder is pursuing a degree in Biology at University of Wisconsin-River Falls.

– Milwaukee School Of Engineering

Serena Vetter from Adell received academic honors from Milwaukee School of Engineering for the 2018-19 winter quarter.

Vetter was named to the MSOE Honors List and is pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering.

Undergraduate students on the Honors List have earned a GPA of at least 3.20 (out of 4.0) for this quarter and are not on the Dean's List.

– Concordia University - Nebraska

Sarah Benz of Campbellsport, and the University Symphonic Band of Concordia University, Nebraska, will perform its spring concert at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, April 9, in the Cattle Conference room in the Janzow Campus Center on Concordia's campus.

The Symphonic Band will be playing a selection of music from popular films. The group will be performing some crowd favorites including music from James Bond, How to Train Your Dragon, Avatar, Aladdin and more.

The University Symphonic Band was formed in 1906 and is the oldest continuing musical organization at Concordia. The ensemble places emphasis on sacred, multicultural and contemporary literature, as well as traditional concert band repertoire.

BREAKFAST MENUS

Breakfast Menus for April 8 - April 12

Kewaskum High School

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

Tuesday: Strawberry Banana Smoothies, 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: Breakfast Buffet (Variety Of Breakfast Items), Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

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

Grain English Muffin, Pineapple Tidbits, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Friday: Breakfast Buffet (Variety Of Breakfast Items), Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

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

Kewaskum School District Elementary Schools

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

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

Wednesday: 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: Cinnamon Roll, Applesauce, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

Other Breakfast Items: Cold Cereal Bowls, Fruit Muffin, Fruit Breads, Cereal/Granola Bars, NutriGrain Bars, Graham Cracker Snacks, Poptarts, 4 oz. Yogurt, String Cheese, Uncrustable.

All Menus Are Subject To Change.

Kewaskum Middle School

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

Tuesday: Strawberry Banana Smoothies, Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice Of Milk.

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

Thursday: Egg And Cheese On A Whole

SENIOR DINING MENU

Kewaskum Senior Dining Menu

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Monday, April 8 - Beef Sandwich With Mushrooms And Onions, Dilled Potato Salad, Mixed Vegetables, Fruit Cocktail, Oatmeal Raisin Cookie, Chocolate Milk. Alt: Diet Cookie.

Tuesday, April 9 - Breaded Pork Cutlet, Mashed Potatoes With Gravy, Red Cabbage, Fruit Cocktail, Whole Wheat Bread, Carrot Cake. Alt: Diet Jello.

Wednesday, April 10 - Creamy Baked Chicken Breast, Herbed

Stuffing, Laguna Blend Veggies, Chilled Peaches, Cherry Pie. Alt: Diet Pie.

Thursday, April 11 - Liver And Onions, Alt: Salisbury Steak, Garlic Mashed Potatoes With Gravy, Creamed Corn, Nine Grain Bread, Fresh Orange.

Friday, April 12 - Vegetable Lasagna, Italian Beans, Romaine Lettuce Salad With Thousand Island, Tropical Fruit Cup, Chocolate Ice Cream.

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

Dinner Menu Week of Apr. 8

Monday: Chicken Parmesan
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A message of the power of positive thinking and goal setting was worked into the show and all students were challenged to add these techniques into their lives at an assembly held March 26 for students from Kewaskum High School and Kewaskum Middle School.

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NRCS Announces Second EQIP Signup For 2019 Funding, Apply By May 17, 2019

—Providing Conservation Practices To Protect Natural Resources

Farmers and forest landowners can apply now for a second round of USDA conservation funding. Michael Patin, USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) District Conservationist in Plymouth/West Bend, announced farmers and forest landowners interested in the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) need to apply by May 17, 2019, for funding in 2019. Applications are being taken at all USDA Service Centers in Wisconsin for select special initiatives. Don't delay; contact the Plymouth or West Bend USDA Service Center.

EQIP is the primary program available to

farmers for farm and woodland conservation work, offering payments for over 110 basic conservation practices. Last year, Wisconsin received over \$35 million in funds for EQIP practices.

"By getting applications in early, we have time for staff to visit individual farms to help plan all practices needed and offer advice," said Patin.

All eligible applications received by May 17, 2019, will be evaluated for funding in 2019. Farmers may contact their local USDA Service Center to get started on producer eligibility and planning. Patin reminds farmers who are interested in practices that may require permits,

such as manure storage or streambank restoration, to begin planning and seeking permits as soon as possible. Applicants with shovel-ready projects (designs completed and permit applications submitted) will receive higher priority.

Sign up by May 17, 2019, for several special initiatives focusing on conservation efforts. Special sign-up opportunities are now open for Beginning Farmer, Farmstead, and Soil Health, as well for landscape-based initiatives. All offer technical and financial assistance through EQIP.

Beginning and Socially Disadvantaged Farmers: The Food, Conservation, and Energy Act continues to address the unique circumstances and concerns of socially disadvantaged farmers and ranchers, as well as beginning and limited resource farmers and ranchers. Funds have been set aside to assist new and beginning farmers, socially disadvantaged and limited resource farmers to

develop and maintain economic viability on their farm operations.

Farmstead: NRCS helps livestock producers improve nutrient handling and clean water separation by implementing practices supporting manure storage, feedlot and barnyard runoff, and clean water diversion. This special opportunity also provides technical and financial assistance for roofs and covers placed over, for example, open cattle lots with runoff issues.

Soil Health Initiative: Soil is a living and life-giving natural resource. By farming using soil health principles and systems that include no-till, cover cropping and diverse rotations, more and more farmers are increasing their soil's organic matter and improving microbial activity.

Great Lakes Restoration Initiative (GLRI): Through GLRI, NRCS offers financial assistance to agricultural producers for implementing practices that improve water quality in selected watersheds. Eligible wa-

tersheds in Wisconsin include the Door-Kewaunee Rivers, Lower Fox River, Manitowoc-Sheboygan Milwaukee River, Upper Fox River, Wolf River, and Lake Winnebago. Financial assistance is also available in the entire Lake Superior and Lake Michigan basins of Wisconsin to address invasive species.

Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP): The RCPP promotes coordination between NRCS and its partners to deliver conservation assistance to producers and landowners. NRCS provides assistance to producers through partnership agreements, program contracts, and easements in some project areas. Current active projects for water quality improvement are located within the Oconomowoc River watershed, and the Milwaukee River watershed.

Landowners interested in applying for EQIP funding should contact Michael Patin at 920-304-6726 or email at: michael.patin@wi.usda.gov for more information regarding conservation planning and the easy application process.

•Plymouth USDA Service Center: 1926 Eastern Ave, Plymouth WI, 53073

•West Bend USDA Service Center: 333 East Washington Dr. Suite 3200, West Bend WI, 53095

Management Agency (RMA), previously were determined by the 2014 Farm Bill to be ineligible for coverage under MPP-Dairy, a safety net program available through USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA).

"The 2018 Farm Bill included substantial changes to USDA dairy programs," said FSA Administrator Richard Fordyce. "This includes the ability for producers with LGM coverage to retroactively enroll in MPP-Dairy for 2018. It also integrated recent improvements to the MPP-Dairy in the new Dairy Margin Coverage program, beginning with the 2019 calendar year."

The MPP-Dairy program offers protection to dairy producers when the difference between the national all-milk price and the national average feed cost — the margin — falls below a certain dollar amount selected by the producers in a dairy operation.

LGM-Dairy is an insurance product that provides protection when feed costs rise or milk prices drop. The gross margin is the market value of milk minus feed costs.

This retroactive sign-up is only for dairy producers with 2018 LGM coverage who produced and commercially marketed milk in 2018 but did not obtain full year MPP-Dairy coverage. FSA will notify eligible producers by postcard and provide a one-time payment for all of the months in 2018 that had margins triggering MPP-Dairy assistance.

"I'm pleased that dairy producers will now be able to take advantage of enrolling in both Livestock Gross Margin and the Margin Protection Program for 2018 coverage," RMA Administrator Martin Barbre said. "The 2018 Farm Bill gave dairy producers more options like these and when combined with the new Dairy Protection Program offered by

RMA, that means more overall coverage for dairy producers."

Eligible producers can enroll during the sign-up period at their local USDA service center. To locate your office, visit farmers.gov.

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The Campbellsport Hunter Safety program just wrapped up its 2019 class. It was another successful year with a large group of area youngsters who were eager to learn and are ready to use what they were taught when they go out hunting in the future. On their field day, held on Saturday, March 23, at the Dundee Sportsmen's Club, they took a group photo of all those in the class and their instructors.

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Foreign Investors Must Report U.S. Agricultural Land Holdings

U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) Acting County Executive Director Matt Peplinski in Washington-Ozaukee County reminds foreign investors with an interest in agricultural lands in the United States that they are required to report their land holdings and transactions to USDA.

The Agricultural Foreign Investment Disclosure Act (AFIDA) requires foreign investors who buy, sell or hold an interest in U.S. agricultural land to report their holdings and transactions to the USDA. Foreign investors must file AFIDA Report Form FSA-153 with the FSA county office in the county where the land is located.

"Any foreign person who holds an interest in U.S. agricultural land is required to report their holdings no later than 90 days after the date of the transaction," said Peplinski. "Failure to file a report or filing a late or inaccurate report can result in a penalty with fines up to 25 percent of the fair market value

of the agricultural land."

Foreign investors should report holdings of agricultural land totaling 10 acres or more used for farming, ranching or timber production, including leaseholds of 10 years. AFIDA reports are also required when there are changes in land use, such as agricultural to nonagricultural use. Foreign investors must also file a report when there is a change in the status of ownership.

The information from the AFIDA reports is used to prepare an annual report to the President and Congress on the effect of foreign land holdings on family farms and rural communities in the United States.

Assistance in completing the FSA-153 report may be obtained from the local county FSA office. For more information regarding AFIDA or FSA programs, contact the Washington-Ozaukee County FSA office at 262-335-4860 extension 2 or visit <https://www.farmers.gov>.

April Is National Safe Digging Month

—Diggers Hotline Reminds Wisconsin Residents To Always Call 811 Before Digging

With the changing season comes the opportunity for homeowners to begin outdoor DIY projects. April is designated National Safe Digging Month and Diggers Hotline (New Berlin, WI) reminds homeowners to call 811 or visit DiggersHotline.com before they dig this season.

Every nine minutes an underground utility line is damaged in the United States because someone dug without contacting 811. Diggers Hotline helps residents avoid service disruptions, costly repairs and injuries that can occur when striking a buried line.

When homeowners file a locate request with Diggers Hotline, the service then notifies the appropriate utility companies of the project and they in turn send out professional locators to mark any underground lines with flags or paint at the project site.

Regardless of project size, homeowners are required to contact Dig-

gers Hotline three working days prior to any project that involves digging. Many common household projects such as installing a fence or mailbox, laying a patio or simply planting a tree or shrub require a locate request first.

Over time, utility lines can shift under the soil for a variety of reasons including erosion, previous digging projects and uneven surfaces. Regardless of previous knowledge of existing lines, homeowners are required to file a new request for each project when digging since lines can be just inches below the surface.

National Safe Digging Month began in 2008 as a way to promote the safe digging message during one strategic month when digging activity begins in earnest nationwide. Diggers Hotline can be reached via phone by dialing 811, or a www.DiggersHotline.com.

Spring Storm Safety Tips To Help Prevent Property Damage

Spring is here and the season can bring severe weather causing serious damage with dangerous conditions from hail to high winds, from flooding to tornadoes, and the potential for storms that cause destruction to homes and businesses in minutes.

Paul Davis Restoration and Remodeling of Southeast and Fox Valley, Wisconsin a leading provider of fire and water damage clean up and restoration services, provides vital information and safety tips to protect family, friends, and property.

According to Paul Davis, a disaster plan and basic emergency kit should be in place before a severe storm strikes. A plan should include where to assemble in the structure when the storm hits (i.e., sturdy interior room or basement) and the nearest designated storm shelter if there is time to evacuate. Create emergency plans for family, friends, home and business, and know how to communicate during an emergency.

Download the following emergency plan

forms at:

Emergency plan form for family: https://cdn2.pauldavis.info/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/30165551/FamilyEmergencyPlan_Interactive_US.pdf

Emergency preparedness form for home: <https://cdn2.pauldavis.info/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/30165748/Emergency-Preparedness-Home-US.pdf>

Emergency preparedness form for business: <https://cdn2.pauldavis.info/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/30165934/Emergency-Preparedness-Business-US.pdf>

A basic emergency kit should include:

- Water - one gallon of water per person and pets per day for at least three days.

- Food - at least a three-day supply of non-perishable food for adults, children, babies and pets, along with a can opener.

- Battery-powered or hand crank commercial radio and a NOAA Weather Radio.

- Cell Phone with charger.

- Flashlight
- First aid kit - sterile dressings; antibiotic

- ointment; scissors; thermometer; non-prescription drugs such as pain relievers; prescription medications and supplies.

- Copies of insurance policies, identification and bank account records in waterproof container.

- Sleeping bag or warm blanket for each person.

- Fire Extinguisher

Below are some valuable tips for protecting your property from severe weather.

- Secure major appliances to the wall studs or foundation of your home using "L" brackets.

- Inspect your roof and repair any loose shingles to prevent leakage from water and winds,

and remove debris.

- Repair siding, awnings, gutters, downspouts and brackets if loose or damaged.

- Clear yard of loose articles and debris. Keep yard tools, patio furniture, grills, garbage cans and toys stored when not in use.

- Trim trees and shrubs to prevent branches from breaking off during high winds.

If damage to your home or business is significant, contact a properly licensed professional or company in the property loss restoration and emergency mitigation service industry. Look for certifications from The Institute of Inspection, Cleaning and Restoration Certification (IICRC).

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SPORTS

Lady Indians Overpower First Two Opponents

By Judy Harlow

Tara Theusch's two-run homer in the bottom of the first inning and Kennedy Lehn's one-hit, nine-strikeout performance were just two of many highlights in Kewaskum's 14-0 victory over Ripon on March 26 in the first-ever game played on the school's new softball diamond.

"They came out in the first inning like gang busters," KHS veteran coach Jeff Gosse said after the lopsided win which ended in the middle of the fifth inning via the 10-run "mercy rule."

"They took the foot off the pedal a little in the second and third," Gosse went on about not scoring in those two innings before piling up six more in the bottom of the fourth.

The Indians will challenge any team with the power they have in the top of their lineup. It showed in this game as Theusch smashed the first pitch over the wall in left-center, scoring Maddie Geidel, who reached on an error by the right fielder.

"We wanted to score right off the bat so I was just trying to get a hit anywhere they weren't," Theusch said. Concerning whether she thought right away the ball would clear the fence, Theusch said, "I didn't. I thought it went straight up ... I wasn't expecting that at all!"

By the time the inning ended, the Indians had eight runs on the board on the homer, consecutive singles by Kaitlyn Miller, Kaitlyn Leitheiser and Ashley Trapp, a walk drawn by Leah Theusch, a single by Abby Baumann and a triple by the number nine hitter, Megan Winkler, the designated hitter for

Lehn. The Indians sent 11 ladies to the plate in the frame.

The game started with Lehn striking out the side in the first when she threw nine strikes and just two balls in an 11-pitch effort.

The lone hit Lehn gave up was a single to right-center by Tiger catcher Avary Makarewicz to lead off the third. Makarewicz never got any further as Lehn got the next two hitters on strikes and then got picked off on a nifty throw to first by KHS catcher Leah Theusch.

Ripon pitcher Becca Lamers settled down in the second and third, facing just seven Indians in those two innings. In the fourth, however, the Indians were back at it, starting off with walks to Sydney Kertscher and Geidel. After Tara Theusch hit into a fielder's choice, moving the runners to second and third, Miller slapped a two-run double to center, then Leitheiser, Trapp (two-run double), and Morgan Goeden all got base hits to score runs.

Lehn allowed the crowd to go home early when she got the first two Tigers in the fifth to hit into ground outs and the final batter on strikes.

When asked how she would grade her opening performance, Lehn said, "I think I could have done better," but was quick to add, "Our team was amazing in hitting."

About playing on the new turf field, Lehn said, "It's very nice. We're grateful to have it."

Miller, Leitheiser, Trapp and Winkler all had two hits for the Indians. Trapp drove in three runs while Tara Theusch, Miller, Lei-

theiser and Baumann had two RBIs.

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Winner - Lehn; Loser - Lamers

Kiel Game

In their second game, the Indians exploded for 10 runs on eight hits in the first inning en route to a 20-1 victory over non-conference foe, Kiel. The game ended in the fifth inning via the 10-run "mercy" rule.

KHS pounded out 17 hits, including three by Tara Theusch (triple) and three by Maddie Geidel (two doubles). Ashley Trapp, Leah Theusch (triple) Morgan Goeden and Kaitlyn Miller (double) all had two hits. Miller had a whopping five runs batted in (RBI).

Kennedy Lehn picked up her second win of the year, tossing no-hit ball for three innings. She struck out seven Raiders. Miller finished up the game, giving up one hit while striking out four.



Kaitlyn Miller pitches for Kewaskum in a home game against Kiel on Friday, March 29.

photo by Anne Trautner

Orioles Spoil Heisdorf's Debut With Fourth Inning Run

By Judy Harlow

For two teams who each only have three returning regulars, Kewaskum and Hartford Union High certainly turned in good performances in their March 28 season-opening debut.

Host Hartford got the non-conference victory, using a single from Zach

Siebenlist in the bottom of the fourth for a 1-0 decision in an exciting pitching dual between the Orioles' Brock Burg and Kewaskum's Lucas Christenson.

"It was a real good game," new KHS head coach Mike Heisdorf said. "We played really good defense. We got good pitching ... It was

just a matter of not pushing over a run."

Burg struck out 14 Indians in six and two-thirds innings, giving up three hits. Christenson managed just two Ks in the contest, but he got good defense from his teammates who committed just one miscue.

"Matt Gleniecki played a great game at third base; Brad Buechel played good at short," Heisdorf said.

KHS had runners at second and third in the fourth inning when Buechel walked and stole second; Christenson got a hit and stole second, then Burg got Carson Dogs and Colten Miller to strike out.

In the sixth, Buechel led off with a single, stole second and went to third on a passed ball, but Burg got out of the jam when he struck out the Indians' third, fourth and fifth hitters.

About the Oriole run, Heisdorf said a throw from center fielder Ryan Prochnow nearly got the runner, but after the ball bounced in front of the plate, he was able to slide in safely under the tag.

After hosting defending D-2 state champion Waupun for the East Central Conference opener on April 2, the Indians are at Waupun this afternoon (April 4).

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Winner—Brock Burg,
Loser—Lucas Christenson



Leah Theusch hits the ball for Kewaskum in a home game against Kiel on Friday, March 29.

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Morgan Goeden goes to bat for Kewaskum in a home game against Kiel on Friday, March 29.

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Butz, Denman Combine To Post Shutout Over Vikings

By Judy Harlow

Not only did the Kewaskum High girls soccer team get a win in its season-opener, but the two Indian goalies combined for a shutout in the 3-0 decision over visiting Winnebago Lutheran Academy.

Sophomore Nicole Butz was in the nets in the first half, and then Alena Denman took over and didn't allow any goals the final 45 minutes.

"No complaints there. They picked up where

they left off last season," KHS coach Luke Piwoni said about his goalies' efforts in the non-conference game played on their home turf on March 28.

The offense was pretty special, too. Juniors Kennedy Adams and Arianna Kruger shared roles in the opening half. Adams scored just 2:48 in the first half off a pass from Krueger, and then at the 16:11 mark, it was Krueger getting the goal and Adams provided the assist.

"She drives our offense and tries to get others involved," Piwoni said about Adams, adding, "When we do (get more girls involved), we are fairly successful."

Kewaskum added an insurance goal in the second half. Nicole Butz scored with the assist coming from Emma Rinzel.

"We had 14 shots, and 10 were on goal," Piwoni said, reporting the Vikings had eight shots, including seven on goal.

Turning to the defense, Piwoni said, "I thought our middle defenders were really strong," especially Gwynn Manteufel and freshman Nina Schmidt. "She and Gwen worked really well together. They were able to clean up a lot of stuff on the back line."

With win number one in the book, the Indians are off to a good start and will be very busy the next week.

"Here we go. We've got three games this week," the veteran coach said about playing home games on April 2 and 4 against non-conference foes Ozaukee and Kiel, followed by a road game against North Fond du Lac on April 5. The home games will start at 6:45 p.m. The away game begins at 7 p.m.



Emma Rinzel tries to push the ball past a defender during a soccer game against Winnebago Lutheran Academy on Thursday, March 28. The Indians easily won the game 3-0.

photo by Anne Trautner



Emma Penfield goes after the ball during a soccer game against Winnebago Lutheran Academy on Thursday, March 28. The Indians easily won the game 3-0.

photo by Anne Trautner

Meidl Wins Again; Marchello Shines In 1600

By Judy Harlow

Several members of the girls and boys track teams traveled to Ripon for the Ripon College Invitational on March 26 and came up with good results.

Powerful Division 1 Kimberly won both ends of the meet, the boys piling up 108 points and the girls 102.5. The KHS girls were 11th out of 17 teams with 21 points, while the boys earned 10 points, which was good for 13th overall.

Senior Abby Meidl made it two-for-two in her specialty, winning the pole vault for the second time after clearing 10 feet 6 inches (10-

6).

Another good effort came from senior Grace Marchello in the 1,600. She placed fourth with a time of 5 minutes 42.67 seconds (5:42.67) chopping off nearly four seconds from the time she turned in less than a week ago.

Other top-10 finishes included: sixth by Romela Olla in the 3,200, 12:55.43; sixth by Jill Braatz in the pole vault, 8-0; ninth by Brenna Meidl in the high jump, 4-10; 10th by Faith Mertzig in the 800, 2:40.37; and ninth by Maddy Thull in the 60-meter hurdles, 10.62.

The best effort by a KHS boy was provided

by Jon Leister, who placed fourth in the shot with a heave of 43-10.25.

Sam Mezler picked up a fifth in the pole vault (11-6) while Sam Schultz had a bit of an off day, clearing 5-8 in the high jump, which was good for sixth place, and Tyler Heus finished 10th in his first open 400 meter run. He was clocked in 54.38.

The Indians are in Ripon for another indoor meet on April 5, and they open the outdoor season on April 9, hosting Plymouth, Ripon and Campbellsport for a quad meet that will begin at 4 p.m.



Jacee Czuppa gets ready to pass the ball to a teammate during a soccer game against Winnebago Lutheran Academy on Thursday, March 28. The Indians easily won the game 3-0.

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Kaylee Du Charme races to the ball trying to beat her opponent to it during a soccer game against Winnebago Lutheran Academy on Thursday, March 28. The Indians easily won the game 3-0.

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Andrea Butz tries to get the ball away from an opponent during a soccer game against Winnebago Lutheran Academy on Thursday, March 28.

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This Is Your Hometown Paper!

The Campbellsport News and Kewaskum Statesman offices WILL CLOSE AT NOON on Friday, April 19 in observance of



New Fane Sportsmans Club

There will be open shooting at the New Fane Sportsmans Club on Friday nights.

Starting April 5th - June 28th
7:00p.m. - 9:00p.m.

Kewaskum High School Trap Team Scores

The Kewaskum Trap Team had a successful outing against Campbellsport at New Fane Sportsman's Club on Tuesday, March 26.

Kewaskum Varsity 238, Campbellsport Varsity 220

Scores used: Sean Sullivan 50, Devon Bommer 48, Mason Schulteis 48, Isaac

Rohlinger 46 and Austin Valley 46 (Nick Thill 46 and Nick Zangl 46).

Kewaskum JV 196
Campbellsport did not have a JV team.

Scores used: Hunter Koss 43, Alex Steiner 42, Collin Keller 38, Brandon Schreffler 37 and Seth Bommer 36 (Seth Romaine 36 and Sawyer Volm 36).



Ashley Trapp gets ready for the pitch during a softball game in Kewaskum against Kiel on Friday, March 29.

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Olivia Adornato calls the pitch during a softball game in Kewaskum against Kiel on Friday, March 29.

photo by Anne Trautner

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENSE VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM

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

Class "B" Retail Fermented Malt Beverage to Carmen Fox for: Kewaskum Athletic Association, Kiwanis Park, 1601 Brooklane Dr., for the period of April 16, 2019 to October 16, 2019

Notice is further given that on Monday, April 15, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. the Village of Kewaskum Village Board will meet in the Council Room of the Municipal Building for the purpose of hearing anyone for or against the granting of this license. Tracie Sette, Clerk/Deputy Treasurer Village of Kewaskum 3-28(2) WNAXLP

NOTICE: ASSESSMENT ROLL IS OPEN FOR EXAMINATION OPEN BOOK

STATE OF WISCONSIN VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM WASHINGTON COUNTY

Pursuant to Wis Stats § 70.45 the Village of Kewaskum assessment roll for the 2019 assessment year will be open for examination on

Friday, April 19, 2019 from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 204 First Street.

Instructional material will be provided at the Open Book to persons who wish to object to valuations under Wis Stats § 70.47. Appointments are not necessary and will be on a first come first serve basis. If you prefer, you may email the Assessor prior to the Open Book at: les@wis-assessor.com

The BOARD OF REVIEW will be meeting on Wednesday, May 8, 2019, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Municipal Building, 204 First Street, Kewaskum, WI 53040. For additional information please call (262) 626-8484.

4-4 WNAXLP

Tracie Sette
Clerk/Deputy Treasurer

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PUBLIC NOTICES

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEWASKUM BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING PRELIMINARY AGENDA MONDAY, APRIL 8, 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; WCASS Honorees, Destination Imagination State, State Honors Choir

3. Public Relations - Items listed below are not all inclusive

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

A. Minutes
B. Instructional Resignations
C. Instructional Hires
D. Extra-Curricular Resignations
E. Extra-Curricular Hires; Eric Joslin, Video Board Coordinator

6. Items for Discussion or Report - Items listed below are not all inclusive
A. Superintendents' Report; Spring Election Results, WASB Spring Academy, Field Project Update, Summer Board Meetings

B. Student Learning Report; ESSA, Safety Grant, Summer PD, Assessment
C. Business Manager Report
D. Nutrition Services Report
7. Items for Discussion and/or Action

A. Payroll
B. Accounts Payable
C. Overnight Field Trip; Rocket Club
D. Food and Nutrition Fees
E. Purchases over \$15,000 - School Nutrition Purchasing Co-op, Skyward Contract, SAN, Student Chromebooks, KES

Front of Classroom Technology, KES staff laptops, Teachers on Call, AVMR Training
F. Health Insurance Carrier Contract
8. Policies - Second Reading; All items under Policies are subject to discussion and/or action.

A. Revised Policies: 1130, 3230, 4230 Conflict of Interest, 1400 Job Descriptions, 1422, 3122, 4122 Nondiscrimination and Equal Employment Opportunity, 1662, 3362, 4362 Employee Anti-Harassment, 2260 Nondiscrimination and Access to Equal Educational Opportunity, 2270 Religion in the Curriculum, 2700.01 School Performance and Accountability Reports, 3120 Employment of Professional Staff, 3139 Staff Discipline, 3140 Non-Renewal, Resignation and Termination, 3143 Non-Renewal of Administrative Contracts, 5111 Eligibility of Resident/Nonresident Students, 5113 Open Enrollment Program, 5114 Foreign Exchange Students, Nonimmigrant Students Visitor Programs, 5341 Emergency Medical Authorization, 5512 Use of Tobacco and Nicotine Products by Students, 5517 Student Anti-Harassment, 5724 High School Voter Registration Program, 6150 Tuition Income, 6220 Budget Preparation, 6235 Fund Balance, 6440 Cooperative Purchasing, 6520 Payroll Deductions, 8330 Student Records, 9130 Public Requests, Suggestions, or Complaints, 9150 School Visitors

B. Revised Policies - School Safety: 1213, 3213, 4213 Student Supervision and Welfare, 5112 Entrance Age, 5310 Health Services, 5500 Student Code of Classroom Conduct, 5600 Student Discipline, 5610 Suspension and Expulsion, 7440 Facility Security, 7440.01 Video Surveillance and Electronic Monitoring, 8407 School Resource Officer Program, 8410 Crisis Intervention, 8420 School Safety, 8462 Child Abuse and Neglect

C. New Policy - 2420 Education for Employment, 8462.01 Threats of Violence

9. Adjournment
A. Adjourn Meeting
Vickie Plachinski, Executive Assistant 4-4 WNAXLP

ANNUAL MEETING TOWN OF KEWASKUM

Wednesday, April 17, 2019
6:30 p.m.

Town of Kewaskum Community Center
9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum, WI 53040
Holly Knoeck, Clerk, Town of Kewaskum
Notice is hereby given this 20th day of March, 2019.

3-28-19(2) WNAXLP

TOWN OF FARMINGTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEARBY GIVEN that the Town of Farmington Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a hearing on the application for appeal filed by Michael Derer. The hearing will be held at 6:00 PM April 22, 2019 at the applicants property located at 8394 Hilltop Lane Kewaskum, WI. 53040 in the Town of Farmington.

The applicants property is located on Lot 12 of Block 2 of White Wood Estates Subdivision in Section 20.

The appeal is to seek a variance from the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance and if granted will permit the applicant to build an outbuilding larger than allowed by ordinance.

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

4-4(2) WNAXLP

Walter Rassel,
Zoning Administrator

TOWN OF KEWASKUM WASHINGTON COUNTY NOTICE THAT THE ASSESSMENT ROLL IS OPEN FOR EXAMINATION AND OPEN BOOK

Pursuant to s.70.45, Wis. Stats, the assessment roll of the Town of Kewaskum for the year 2019 assessment will be open for examination starting on the 19th day of April, 2019 at 3pm until the 14th day of May, 2019 at 6pm, by appointment.

Additionally, the assessor shall be available at Open Book on the 19th day of April, 2019 at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center from 3pm to 5pm.

Instructional material will be provided at the open book to persons who wish to object to valuations under s.70.47, Wis. Stats.

Notice is hereby given this 1st day of April, 2019
4-4 WNAXLP

Holly Knoeck, Clerk
Town of Kewaskum

TOWN OF WAYNE WASHINGTON COUNTY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON APPEAL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held at 7675 Pamperin Way in the Town of Wayne before the Board of Zoning Appeals, on April 13, 2019 at 3:30 P.M. to hear the appeal of Kahl Construction for:

Construction of a structure 36'4" in height. The property is described as follows:

7675 Pamperin Way, Town of Wayne

If granted, this request will permit:

The construction of said structure being greater than the 35 foot limitation allowed per 3.11 of the Zoning Ordinance, Town of Wayne.

All interested persons objecting to or supporting this appeal are requested to be present at the hearing.

Dated: April 1, 2019.

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Cindy Shaske,
Town of Wayne Clerk

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Applications will be accepted until April 15th, 2019.



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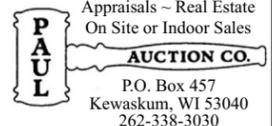
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Adding the greenhouse to the school has taken a lot of planning. Shelly Oelhafen, the agriculture teacher and FFA advisor at Kewaskum High School, has received advice on plant production from

Guzman as the building process took place.

Students in Oelhafen's agriscience and horticulture & landscaping classes now use the greenhouse on a regular basis.

As before, students sit in Oelhafen's classroom as they learn about agriscience and horticulture. However, now the classes also involve the students going into the

greenhouse to put those lessons into practice.

"It is a great way to keep students moving and growing, and interested in learning. It's been fun," Oelhafen said.

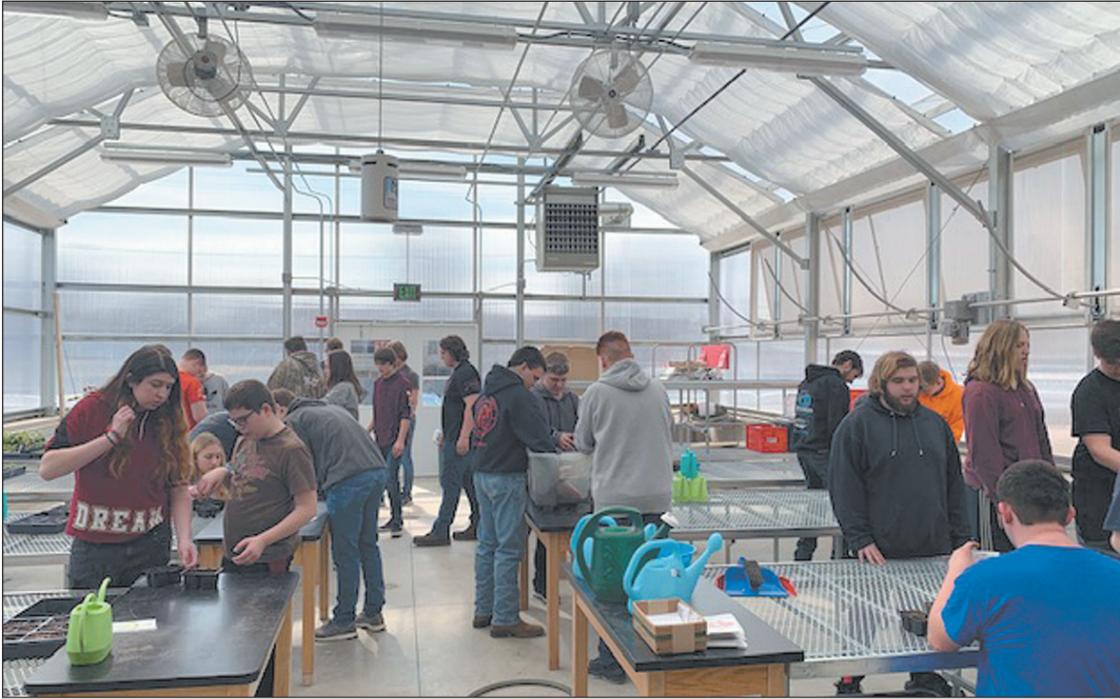
In the classes, students have been planting Guzan's seeds. They are all from heirloom seeds, which means they are not chemically or genetically

changed.

"The seeds are all taken from different varieties of plants that he and the company he works for have developed over the years," Oelhafen said.

Students need to be specific when they mark the different plants.

"A tomato plant is not just a tomato plant. It is a particular variety," Oelhafen explained.



Agriscience students enjoy their work time in the Kewaskum High School greenhouse as they plant many varieties of vegetable seeds. This is a great hands-on experience that is part of the plant science unit in their class.

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Kewaskum High School horticulture and landscaping students gain hands-on experience transplanting petunia plugs into larger containers. Teamwork is a big part of getting all their planting tasks accomplished. All students enjoy the unique atmosphere of working in the school's new greenhouse.

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Students in Oelhafen's classroom learn about agriscience and horticulture and now can go into the greenhouse to put those lessons into practice.

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Students plant Guzan's heirloom seeds and correctly mark the different plants to identify the different varieties.

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Woman Stabbed Early Saturday Morning

By Andrea Hansen Abler

An area woman was stabbed multiple times early Saturday morning.

According to Campbellsport Police Chief Tom Dornbrook, the Campbellsport Police Department was called to a house near Main and Jenny streets in Campbellsport around 1:45 a.m. on Saturday, March 30. A woman who had been stabbed multiple times knocked on the door of the house for help.

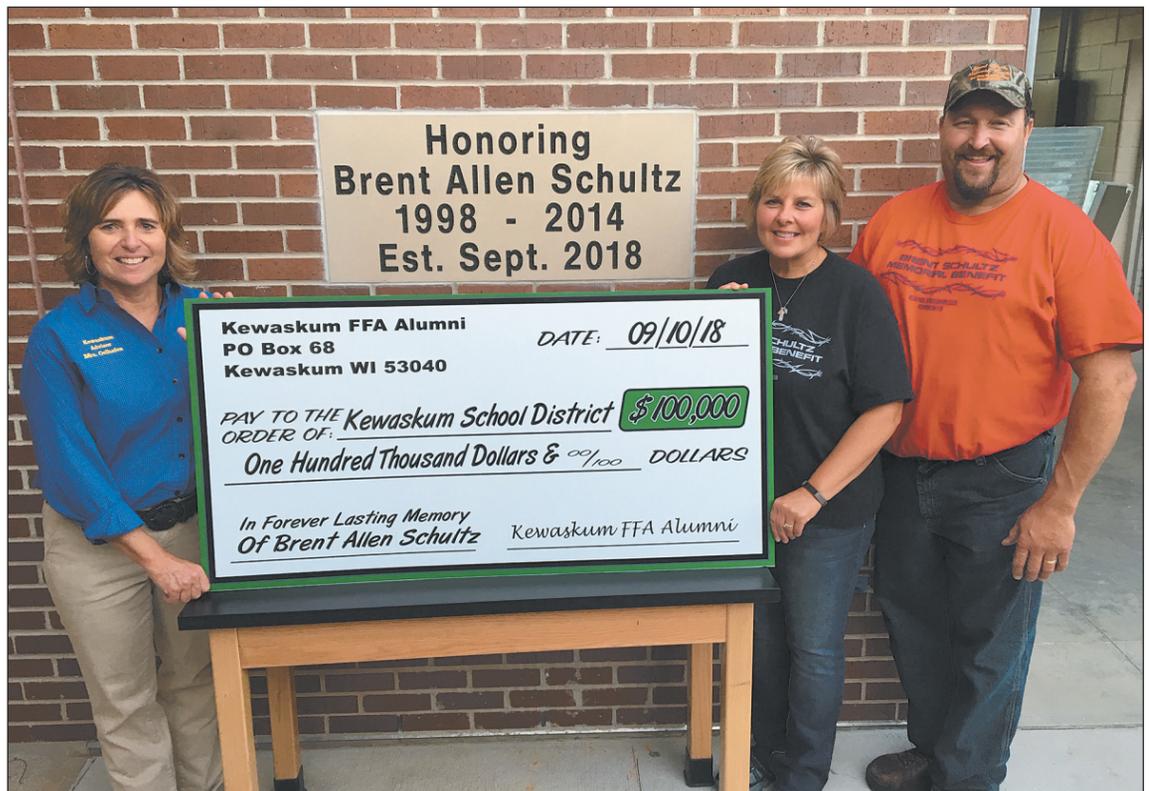
She had been the passenger in a vehicle driving on Highway V when the driver of the car stabbed her while they were driving. Campbellsport Police officers were the first on the scene and called for an ambulance.

The woman was transported to the St. Agnes Hospital helicopter pad where the ThedaStar helicopter picked her up. She was flown to ThedaClark hospital for life-threatening wounds.

The man who stabbed her was on foot when he flagged down a passerby and asked to use their cell phone. He used the phone to call 911 and turn himself in to authorities.

Kewaskum Police officers were dispatched near Highways 28 and 45.

"Our officers responded to that location," said Kewaskum Police Chief Tom Bishop. "They found him standing next to a car on the side of the road, and took him into custody without incident and turned him over to Fond du Lac County. Officers asked him initial questions about the victim, where she was and what occurred, so she could get the medical attention she needed quickly.



The Kewaskum High School greenhouse was created in honor and memory of Brent Schulz, an FFA member and New Fane Kettle Riders Snowmobile Club member who lost his life in a car accident in June 2014. Brent's parents, Kevin (KT) and Lynn Thull, spearheaded fundraising efforts for over four years to fund the greenhouse. Pictured (from left) are FFA Advisor Shelly Oehlhafen, Lynn Thull and Kevin (KT) Thull.

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Local Snowmobile Clubs Donate To Equip KHS Greenhouse

Four local snowmobile clubs presented a donation to the Kewaskum FFA Alumni to use to fund equipment for the new agriculture department's greenhouse and animal lab at Kewaskum High School.

The greenhouse is named in honor and memory of Brent Schulz, an FFA member and New Fane Kettle Riders Snowmobile Club member who lost his life in a car accident in June 2014. Brent's parents, Kevin (KT) and Lynn Thull, have spearheaded fundraising efforts for over four years, and the funds were held by the FFA Alumni to use toward the dedication of a new greenhouse. Last fall, the greenhouse was dedicated in Brent's name and it soon became evident that more funding was needed to properly equip the new facility.

The FFA Alumni, again with the help of the community and Brent's family and friends, donated funds to buy items like plant tables, fertilizer pumps, storage shelving, animal pens, floor mats, tools and other miscella-

neous gardening equipment. It was soon realized a bit more funding was needed to finish up

this project and see it to a successful completion.

Kevin Thull is also an FFA Alumni member,

and he reached out to his snowmobile club, the New Fane Kettle Riders for a donation. They ea-

gerly agreed, and discussions soon started with other clubs in the area. Soon, there were

donations from the Kewaskum Sno-Chiefs, Beechwood Night Fliers, and Kohlsville Cruisers, for a total of \$2,100.

Checks were presented at the New Fane landowners appreciation dinner on March 30. All the clubs have trail systems that run through the Kewaskum School District, and each club presented its donation in honor of their landowners and in support of local agriculture. Many local landowners are farmers and supporters of the FFA, so it seemed like a good fit for everyone.

There have already been animals "day visiting" the animal lab, and plants and seeds are planted and growing in the greenhouse. The effort by the community to support and fund this facility has been humbling and overwhelming. All the members of the four local snowmobile clubs who donated to this project are happy to help support this worthwhile cause and appreciate the generosity of the landowners, and will continue to thank them by supporting other worthwhile community events.



Local snowmobile clubs donated to fund equipment for the greenhouse and animal lab at Kewaskum High School. Pictured are: (front row, from left) Shelly Oehlhafen-KHS agriculture instructor, Kohlsville Cruisers Club member and FFA Alumni member; Jenny Feider- Beechwood Night Fliers Club secretary; and Tracy Herman- Kewaskum FFA Alumni president and Kohlsville Cruisers Club member; and (back row) Curtis Frederick- Kewaskum Sno-Chiefs and New Fane Kettle Riders Club member; Brian Oehlhafen-Kohlsville Cruisers Club president and Kewaskum FFA Alumni treasurer; and Kevin (KT) Thull- New Fane Kettle Riders Club president and Kewaskum FFA Alumni member.

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