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## Fair Week Arrives In Washington County

### Overcoming Addiction

#### Getting Treatment And Living Life

This is the third part in a series about Joseph Klahn and his path to overcoming drug abuse.

By Anne Trautner

When Joseph Klahn entered the Exodus House 18 months ago, he didn't know how he was going to be able to stay free of drugs.

He had been using since he was 15. It was basically the only lifestyle that he knew.

So he was skeptical when Andy Freeman, director of intervention services at Elevate, said Klahn was a candidate for a Treatment Alternatives and Diversion (TAD) program. The program was geared to keep him drug-free.

Klahn told Freeman he wasn't interested.

Except his language was not that polite. He said something more to the effect of telling where Freeman could shove the program.

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Kayla Fialkowski, a rabbit youth leader, checks a rabbit to make sure it is healthy for the fair.

photo by Anne Trautner

By Anne Trautner

Fair week has arrived in Washington County.

It is something many have been preparing for all year long. Although the fair officially kicked off on Tuesday, the fairgrounds were already starting to bustle with people on Monday.

Rabbits and poultry were being checked in. It was the entry day for home environment, knitting, crocheting, clothing and crafts. Judging also took place for things like drawing and painting, ceramics, basketry,

music, drama, youth leadership, social/political sciences, computers, electricity, mechanical science and photography on Monday before the general public stepped foot on the fairgrounds.

For Keaton Flanders, a Kewaskum High School graduate, judging won't take place until Thursday when he shows the 12 birds he brought to the poultry barn. His has been looking forward to competing in the open class all year.

To prepare his birds

for the fair, he made sure the animals received the proper feed and water. He trimmed their nails and beaks. This year, Flanders' friend Ashley Chmielewski helped by giving the birds pedicures, even to pigeon-toed Homer.

Flanders, who has been showing birds at the Washington County Fair for 13 years, also gave each of the birds a bath in order to prepare them for this week's judging. He used a special shampoo, but admitted there is sometimes an art to bathing the animals.

"You have to wear old clothes when you bathe them, especially the turkeys. It's a real splashomania, especially when I wash my turkeys because they are so strong and big," he explained.

After the birds are properly bathed, Flanders blow dries their feathers.

Each breed is judged differently. Some will be judged on their color and their long, flowing tails. Judges will look at the five points on a turkey's crown and make sure it has brightly colored ear lobes. Judges will look at the color of each bird's feathers as well as its eyes. Hens should have the proper lines on their feathers.

Flanders, who started showing birds in the Junior Class when he



Keaton Flanders (left) and Ashley Chmielewski have been looking forward to the fair all year.

photo by Anne Trautner

was 9, understands what the judges are looking for. He now competes in the Open Class for adults, but encourages youth to get involved with the fair.

"I look forward to this every year. It is the best hobby I could have ever

gotten into," he said.

In addition to showing his own animals at the fair, Flanders is helping a buddy with a steer and his cousin with her lambs.

The Washington County Fair runs through Sunday, July 28.



Cameron Wetzel walks his bird, Sunset, Monday evening at the Washington County Fair.

photo by Anne Trautner

## Kings Of Chaos To Replace Stone Temple Pilots At Fair

Due to circumstances beyond their control, Stone Temple Pilots canceled their appearance at the Washington County Fair scheduled for Friday July 26.

"While we are disappointed to lose them, we understand that things happen that you can't control. We are very fortunate to be able to announce at this time that

we were able to secure a new headliner for Friday night," said Kellie Boone, executive director of the fair.

This Friday, Kings of Chaos will rock the Washington County Fair. The lineup will be comprised of Ace Frehley (formerly of KISS), Sebastian Bach (original voice of Skid Row), Gilby Clarke (Guns N'

Roses), Warren DeMartini (Ratt), James LoMenzo (White Lion, Megadeth) and Matt Sorum (Velvet Revolver, Guns N' Roses).

After touring and recording with The Cult, Guns N' Roses, Velvet Revolver and many others, Rock and Roll Hall of Famer Matt Sorum created Kings of Chaos, an amazing rotating

lineup of top musicians. These guys would all rather go kill it on stage with their friends in Kings of Chaos than spend down time from their 'day jobs.'

KoC always delivers a great lineup and pretty well ensures you won't see the same show twice. Where can you see one show packed with hits like "Detroit

Rock City," "Paradise City," "18 and Life" and "Round and Round," all performed by the original artists. That puts KoC at the pinnacle of the greatest song list in Rock n Roll history.

The rest of the lineup need no introduction; they're all multi-platinum artists with a massive collection of hits, many of which will be per-

formed on Friday.

What do musicians have to say about Kings of Chaos? Billy Gibbons calls KoC "A collision of enthusiasm."

Slash: "...a group of guys with the same rock 'n' roll spirit getting together to have a good time."

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Kewaskum Police Chief Tom Bishop (left) and Jackson Police Chief Ryan Vossekuil attend a seminar in Washington, D.C., last week.

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## Kewaskum Police Chief Attends Training

Kewaskum Police Chief Tom Bishop and Jackson Police Chief Ryan Vossekuil attended the Chief Executive Officer Seminar on Missing and Exploited Children in Washington, D.C. last week.

The training was hosted by the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC) and was designed for police chiefs and sheriffs to familiarize them with issues related to missing and exploited children, including effective policies and practices, emerging trends, technical assistance and sex traffick-

ing. The cost of the training, airfare and

lodging were covered by NCMEC. The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children is a private, non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation whose mission is to help find missing children, reduce child sexual exploitation and prevent child victimization. NCMEC works with families, victims, private industry, law enforcement and the public to assist with preventing child abductions, recovering missing children, and providing services to deter and combat child sexual exploitation.

For more information visit <http://www.missingkids.com/home>.

## Seefeld/t Family Reunion To Be Held On Sunday

A family reunion will be held for the descendants of Christian and Anna Seefeld/t on Sunday, July 28, in the Kewaskum Annex building.

A potluck dinner will begin at 12:30 p.m. Pulled pork and turkey sandwiches also will be served.

The descendants of Christian and Anna Seefeld/t have been getting together in Kewaskum for the last 80

years. The first two reunions were held in the Seefeld/t family home. Since then, the family reunions were held at River Hill Park in Kewaskum each year. This will be the first time the family reunion has been held in air conditioning at the Annex.

For further information about the reunion, contact Dennis Seefeld at 920-251-7878.

## SHEBOYGAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

### Vehicle Rollover Crash

On Thursday, July 18, at approximately 11:40 a.m. the Sheboygan County Joint Dispatch Center received a 911 call of a single vehicle rollover with a person ejected on Interstate 43 south of State Highway 28 in the Town of Wilson.

During the course of the accident investigation, it was determined the 80-year-old female driver was traveling south on Interstate 43. It is believed the camper

she was towing was caught by a wind gust, causing her to lose control before rolling the vehicle.

The driver was the ejected from the vehicle. She was treated by sheriff's office and fire department personnel and taken by Flight for Life to Theda Clark Hospital.

The 62-year-old passenger was transported with minor injuries by Orange Cross to St. Nicholas Hospital.

## XYZ Card Results

The winners of cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, July 17, were: Jim Klassen, Marian Herriges, John Sev-erence, Kathy Schmitt,

Bonnie Stoltzman and Wayne Kirst.

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

## Tuesday Night Sheepshead Winners

Five-handed winners on Tuesday, July 16, were: Pat Loecher 68-10-58 22-5-17, Raymond Sippel 66-8-58 21-6-15, Delores Stoffel 58-6-52 20-4-16, Gerold Stern 52-1-51 21-1-20, Darlene Walls 51-3-50 19-3-16, Rochelle Stoffel 55-7-48 18-5-13,

Jerry Wiedmeyer 21 most losses and Dick Kohn 9 low points.

The next five-handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, July 30, at 7 p.m. sharp.

New players are always welcome at the Kewaskum Labor Center.

## WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

### OWI Crash

A 50-year-old Town of Wayne woman was arrested for OWI causing injury after she overdosed on heroin and/or prescription medication while driving and crashed on U.S. Highway 45 at Pleasant Valley Road in the Town of Polk. The accident occurred on July 21 at 11:03 p.m. as the driver became lethargic behind the wheel.

The investigation revealed the driver and passenger, a 35-year-old Village of Slinger man, both had recently done heroin and/or other drugs before the crash. The man instructed the female to exit on Pleasant Valley Road when he noticed she could no longer control the vehicle and then went unresponsive.

The man could not get the female to take her foot off the accelerator, and he also could not steer the car back onto the on ramp of 45. The car went through intersection at highway speeds and flipped into the ditch.

Emergency responders administered Narcan as the female stopped breathing. She was transported to Froedtert by Flight for Life and arrested for OWI first offense and OWI causing minor injuries to the passenger.

This is just one example of five OWI arrests Washington County deputies made this weekend.

### Town Of Erin Homeowner Interrupts Burglary

The Washington County Sheriff's Office responded to a burglary in progress yesterday afternoon at a residence on E. Waterford Road at 5:13 p.m. The 65-year-old female homeowner was home alone when she heard her dogs bark. She then witnessed a women standing outside her door. The woman, later identified as a 27-year-old Milwaukee resident, asked for directions and left.

The alert homeowner immediately noticed that she was missing credit cards, cash and her vehicle keys out of her purse that was located inside her residence. The homeowner obtained a second set of keys and immediately began to search the area for the suspect. Shortly thereafter, she was able to locate the suspect on foot in the area of E. Waterford and Robbee Court. The victim confronted the suspect and a struggle ensued. The homeowner was bitten, but not before she was able

to get take the suspect's wallet. The suspect then fled on foot again.

A second caller reported seeing the suspect running through the backyard of a home in the 2600 block of County Highway K, where a deputy sheriff took her into custody. A subsequent search of her person revealed property belonging to the homeowner. A search of the suspect's wallet revealed drugs and paraphernalia.

The suspect was transported by Hartford Rescue due to drug withdrawal symptoms. Once at the hospital the suspect spit on a nurse and grabbed the fingers of another nurse to the point she felt her fingers were about to break.

When asked about the incident, Sheriff Martin Schulteis stated, "Although it is inherently dangerous to confront a felon, I am incredibly proud of a community that will not tolerate victimization. This includes the homeowner and the second caller. I am grateful the homeowner was not seriously hurt, and I also sincerely thank the second caller for helping locate the suspect who apparently thought Washington County residents are easy targets."

Schulteis went on to say, "I also want to thank the medical providers who oftentimes put themselves in harm's way just to help the very person that harms them. We will hold people like that accountable."

The woman is currently in custody at the Washington County Jail and facing numerous charges including Burglary, Battery, Possession of Fentanyl, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, Battery to Emergency Medical Care Provider and Discharging Bodily Fluid at a Public Safety Worker.

### Stolen Vehicles

On July 17 at 12:34 a.m., the Dodge County Sheriff's Office notified the Washington County Sheriff's Office of an alarm activation at an auto auction business north of Lomira. A witness subsequently saw three vehicles quickly leave the scene southbound on Interstate 41.

Washington County deputies set up on Interstate 41 near State Highway 33 and located the three vehicles traveling together. Immediately upon seeing the squad car, all three vehicles accelerated rapidly in excess of 100 mph as the pursuit was initiated.

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## Week's Wit...

A teenager becomes an adult three years before his parents think he does and about two years after he thinks he does.

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**Monday, July 29** - Glazed Ham, Au gratin Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Honeydew Cubes, Rye Bread, Orange Sherbet. Alt: Diet Pudding.

**Tuesday, July 30** - Lemon Pepper Chicken Breast, Buttered Red Potatoes, Broccoli Florets, Multigrain Bread, Peach Pie. Alt: Diet Pie.

**Wednesday, July 31** - Veal Roulade, Mashed Potatoes With Gravy, Whole Kernel Corn, Fruit Cocktail, Nine Grain Bread, Lemon Pudding

Cake. Alt: Diet Cookie.

**Thursday, Aug. 1** - French Dip Sandwich, Parslied Potatoes, Three Bean Salad, Cantaloupe Cubes, Snickerdoodle Cookie, Chocolate Milk. Alt: Diet Cookie.

**Friday, Aug. 2** - Garlic Baked Cod, Baked Potato Salad, Winter Blend Vegetables, Chilled Peaches, Whole Wheat Dinner Roll.

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

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## Washington County Sheriff's Report

The Germantown Police Department assisted with tire deflation devices north of Holy Hill Road. In an attempt to avoid hitting the spikes, the lead vehicle swerved and lost control and crashed in the west ditch. All occupants fled the scene on foot.

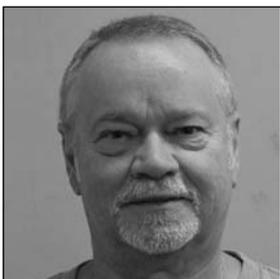
The second vehicle exited on Holy Hill Road and was later located unoccupied at a residence on Basswood Lane in Richfield.

The third vehicle attempted to exit on Holy Hill Rd but crossed over Holy Hill and crashed at Thrifty Auto. All occupants of that vehicle also fled. One female subject, who was a passenger, was taken into

custody behind the business. Two additional males were also located on foot in the area and taken into custody. All three are teens from Milwaukee.

All three of the vehicles were confirmed stolen from Dodge County.

The Sheriff's Office would like to recognize Germantown Police Department, State Patrol, and Waukesha County Sheriff's Office for helping with this incident. Law enforcement spent several hours looking for the individuals from the other two vehicles. The Sheriff's Office continues with the investigation. Area residents who may have information



regarding the other occupants not taken into custody are asked to contact the Washington County Sheriff's Office at 262-335-4420.

### Community Notification

The Washington County Sheriff's Office is releasing the following information pursuant to WI Statute 301.46(2m) which authorizes law enforcement agencies to

inform the public of a sex offender's release when, in the discretion of the agency, the release of information will enhance public safety, awareness and protection. The individual who appears on this notification has been convicted of a sex offense. Further, his criminal history places him in a classification level which reflects a low potential to re-offend.

Kenneth E. Crass will be released from prison on July 23rd 2019. After his release he will reside at 7150 N. Trenton Rd in the Township of Trenton. Kenneth E. Crass was convicted of 5 counts of Possession of Child Pornography in 2014.

Kenneth E. Crass will be on probation until July 29th 2024 and will be monitored closely by WI-DOC Division of Community Corrections. Kenneth E. Crass will have numerous rules and restrictions to follow including wearing a live tracking GPS unit. The GPS monitoring unit will have exclusion zones setup alerting WI-DOC if there is a violation of the exclusion zones rules. One exclusion zone will be Sandy Knoll Co. Park.

This sex offender has served the prison sentence imposed on him by the courts. He is NOT wanted by law enforcement at this time. This notification is not in-

tended to increase fear, but rather it is our belief that an informed public is a safer public.

Sex offenders have always lived in our communities; but it was not until the Sex Offender Registration and Community Notification Law was enacted that law enforcement was able to share this information with the community. More information can be located at <https://apps-doc.wi.gov/public/faq>.

For more information, contact Probation/Parole Agent Mandy Lange 262-388-8286, Sex Offender Registration Specialist Gina Carney (414) 491-4335 or Sgt. Michael Hennes at 262-365-5054.

## Wisconsin DMV Offers Car Buying Tips —Deceptive Advertising To Lure Customers Not Uncommon; DMV Resolves Concerns

Car dealerships are stocked with vehicles and ready to sell this summer. The Wisconsin Department of Transportation Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV) reminds consumers to do their homework before buying.

It starts with knowing about car promotions and 'sales events.' Wisconsin law requires car advertisements to be truthful. False or misleading advertising aimed at consumers is against the state's deceptive advertising laws. Ads should clearly and conspicuously disclose all the information that will impact a buyer's purchasing decision. Disclaimers explaining any limitations of the offer may be part of the vehicle advertisement but should not twist the truth.

"Wisconsin dealerships must stand behind the offer they make in their ads. If they don't, consumers have the support of state agencies, including the DMV,"

says Michael Domke, DMV dealer and agent section chief. Wisconsin DMV's Dealer and Agent Section helps consumers who have been misled by car advertisements.

Buyers should be aware that some dealerships may use different tactics to embellish their offer, such as including discounts that customers may not qualify for or changing the vehicle price when a customer visits the dealership.

"A dealership is required to advertise a price that every customer qualifies for. It is illegal to advertise a price and then tell a customer they don't qualify for that price," says Domke.

In most cases, DMV can help the customer get the deal that was promised in a false advertisement. To file a complaint, contact the DMV's Dealer and Agent Section with copies of the advertisement and documents related to the vehicle purchase or

lease. The DMV will use this information to resolve the complaint and enforce the laws.

More help with car buying is available in DMV's Wise Buys vehicle buyer's guide.

Wisconsin DMV offers these tips for car buyers:

- Read the entire ad and review all the details, qualifications and exclusions
- Pay attention to the fine print and watch for disclaimers, usually at the bottom of the ad, that explain any limitations of the offer
- Take the ad with you in case you have questions about the advertised price, brand, features or financing
- Watch for ads that offer one vehicle but then a different, often high-priced vehicle, is presented when you arrive at the dealership
- Understand basic financial terms so you won't fall prey to lease tricks or be confused by offers

## Postponed 2018 Property Taxes Due July 31

The Washington County treasurer would like to remind taxpayers that their postponed/second installment 2018 property taxes are due on or before July 31, 2019.

Residents paying by check are reminded to make sure that the numeric and the written portions of the check are the same and that the check is signed; otherwise the check will be returned, and this could result in interest and penalty charges, if postmarked after the due date. Postdated checks will not be held and will be processed the day that they are received. Checks should be mailed to the Washington County Treasurer, PO Box 1986, West Bend, WI 53095. If you require a receipt, please

enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

The county treasurer encourages mailing property tax payments early and not waiting until the last week of July. Mailing payment early helps make sure that the U.S. Postal Service postmark is timely and provides greater opportunity to correct errors before the deadline.

"The cost of missing the July 31 deadline is severe. Under state law, interest and penalty charges are 1.5 percent per month back to February 1, (10.5 percent in August for 2017 taxes) and continue to accrue until the taxes are paid in full. So, it is imperative to pay property taxes on time to avoid delinquent charges," County Treas-

urer Jane Merten said.

Property taxes also can be paid online using a credit card or electronic check through Point & Pay. Please visit [www.co.washington.wi.us](http://www.co.washington.wi.us), click on Departments, then County Treasurer, and Pay Real Estate Taxes Online. To pay online, taxpayers must know the tax parcel number as well as the amount due. Please be advised that Point & Pay will charge users a convenience fee of 2.39 percent of the amount for this service.

The Washington County treasurer's office hours are Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information, the office can be contacted at 262-335-4324



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Washington County Clerk Ashley Reichert is named to the 2019 Municipal Clerks Honor Roll. photo submitted

## Washington County Clerk Recognized

Washington County Clerk Ashley Reichert was named to the 2019 Municipal Clerks Honor Roll. She was recognized for her embodiment of the county's core values, her innovation with the tax deed property process, extending hours at the Hartford satellite office and her dedication to improving the community.



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OBITUARIES

*For this God is our God for ever and ever,  
he will be our guide even to the end.*



David L. Coulter

David L. Coulter, age 81 years, of Kewaskum was called home to be with the Lord on July 19, 2019 at his residence surrounded by his loving family.

David was born on April 23, 1938 in the Town of Wayne to David C. and Alice Coulter (nee Wilke). He was united in marriage to Barbara Bartelt on March 18, 1967 at St. John Lutheran Church New Fane. Barbara passed away on May 27, 2004.

David was a member of St. John Lutheran Church in New Fane. He retired from Weasler Engineering in 2004. David enjoyed watching the Brewers and winning at the slot machines.

Those David leaves behind to cherish his memory include his five children, Connie (James Korn) Coulter, David O. Coulter, James Coulter, Todd Coulter and Trisha (Aaron) Maas; two grandchildren, Mikayla and Ezekiel Maas; one step-grandson, Logan Maas; one sister, Marion Schuster; brothers-in-law, Otto (Beverly) Bartelt and Thomas Bartelt; three sisters-in-law, Janice (Rodger) Breselow, Debra (Donald) Theisen and Jean (Robert) Robrahn. He is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents and his wife, Barbara, David was preceded in death by an infant son, Craig Steven Coulter; nephew, Patrick Schuster; step-father, Jerome Schiller, parents-in-law, Otto C. and Lorinda Bartelt; and two brothers-in-law, Kenny Schuster and Maynard Bartelt.

Funeral Service for David will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, July 26, 2019 at St. John Lutheran Church in New Fane (N683 County Rd S) with Pastor Mark Eckert officiating. Interment at St. John Lutheran Cemetery in New Fane.

David's family will greet relatives and friends at the Myrhum Patten Miller Kietzer Funeral Home (215 Forest Ave. - Kewaskum) on Thursday, July 25, 2019 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Visitation will continue the next day at St. John Lutheran Church in New Fane from 1 p.m. until time of service.

David's family extends their heartfelt appreciation to the staff at Heartland Hospice for the loving care they provided.

The Myrhum Patten Miller & Kietzer Funeral Home of Kewaskum has been entrusted with David's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at [www.myrhum-patten.com](http://www.myrhum-patten.com).



Gerald J. Guldán

Gerald J. Guldán (Jerry) of Saukville and Jerry's Barber Shop passed away the morning of Wednesday, July 17, 2019 at the age of 83.

Jerry was born on December 21, 1935 to Irwin and Celeste (nee Pesch) Guldán in Lomira.

He was a graduate of the Kewaskum school system before pursuing barber school in Chicago. He married Joanne Metz on April 27, 1957 and together they had four girls. Jerry's life hobbies consisted of many: Sunday pontooning on Long Lake, fishing for salmon in Lake Michigan, hunting, golfing, card club and, of course, his hair cutting business, Jerry's Barber Shop.

Jerry is survived by his wife Joanne, his daughters Beth (Phil Sasso), Pam, Debbie (Steve Brahm) and Meg (Tom Minette), grandkids P.J. Sasso, Isaac, Sam and Eli Brahm, Tess, Jayce and Abe Minette. Jerry is further survived by nieces and nephews Ellen, Jill, Jeff, Barbara (Bo), Amos, D.G. and Michael.

Jerry was preceded in death by his mother, father and brother Jerome Guldán and his nephew Rick Guldán.

A Funeral Service for Jerry was held at 6 p.m. on Monday, July 22, 2019 at Eernisse Funeral Home (1600 W. Grand Ave. Port Washington, WI 53074) with Deacon Tom Surges presiding.

Visitation was held at the funeral home from 3 p.m. until the time of service. Gerald will be laid to rest at St. Mathias Cemetery in New Fane, WI.

The Eernisse Funeral Home of Port Washington is honored to assist the family with arrangements. On-line con-

lences may be left at [www.eernissefuneral-home.com](http://www.eernissefuneral-home.com)



Jeffrey M. Lawrenz

Jeffrey M. Lawrenz, age 66 of Cleveland, passed away Thursday morning, July 4, 2019, while spending time on his property in Wausaukee.

He was born January 1, 1953, in Milwaukee, the son of Jacob and Viola (Perkins) Lawrenz. He attended Kewaskum High School and had worked at the Kohler Company foundry for 20 years. He also spent many years building agricultural silos. Jeff enjoyed fixing old cars and helping friends and neighbors with various projects. He especially enjoyed hunting, fishing and spending time on his land in Wausaukee.

A memorial fund has been established in his name.



George E. Lendved

George E. Lendved, age 82 years, of Kewaskum was called home to be with the Lord on July 21, 2019 at Froedtert St. Joseph Hospital in the Town of Polk surrounded by his loving family.

George was born on May 2, 1937 in Milwaukee to Leonard and Carol Lendved (Olson).

He was united in marriage to his high school sweetheart, Judy Bodinger, on June 25, 1955 at Fountain Park United Methodist Church in Sheboygan. George and Judy resided in the New Fane area since 1958.

George graduated from Central High School in Sheboygan (1955). He was a Maintenance Supervisor at the West Bend Company for 44 years, retiring in 1999. George had a great sense of humor and was an amazing joke teller. He enjoyed snowmobiling. George was a founding member of the New Fane Kettle Riders Snowmobile Club (1972). He served in the Northern Unit of the Kettle Moraine Snowmobile Association from 1977 to 1983, serving all of Sheboygan County. George continued on to become Vice President of the Association of Wisconsin Snowmobile Clubs (AWSC) located in Madison. He served as Vice President from 1982 to 1986, and then he became President of the AWSC from 1986 to 1990. George was a member at St. John Lutheran Church in New Fane where he was very active.

Other than snowmobiling, George enjoyed traveling, camping, farming, growing his favorite flowers, and collecting John Deere garden tractors. He was an avid Trump supporter and FoxNews advocate. His pride and joy was his workshop; George always said, "I can fix anything!" and "I never worked a day in my life, what I did for a living was also my hobby!" He had a big heart and was always willing to help his neighbors and anyone else who asked.

Those George leaves behind to cherish his memory include his wife of 64 years, Judy; three children, Larry (Nadine) Lendved, Nancy (Ed) Kleinke, and Bonnie (Darryl) Zanow; eight grandchildren, Julie (Paul) Strassman, Jessie (Terry) Jordan,

Jon (Ali) Lendved, Carrie (Travis) Roell, Lindsey (Keefe) Olig, Cassie (Jeff) Lindgren, Brooke (Justin) Krueger, and Graeme (Jennifer) Zanow; three step-grandchildren, Angela Kleinke, David Kleinke, and Lindsey (Jason) McClaren; 19 great-grandchildren, six step-great-grandchildren, and one great-great-granddaughter due in August. He is further survived by a sister-in-law, Jill (Charles) Anthony Eggenberger; two nieces, Kim (Kelly) Vandehy and Lisa (Mark) Ceranski; honorary grandson, Grant Lubner; other relatives, friends and faithful canine companion, Duke.

In addition to his parents, George was preceded in death by his parents-in-law, Joseph and Alma Bodinger; and brother-in-law, Leland Anthony.

Funeral Service for George will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 27, 2019 at St. John Lutheran Church in New Fane (N683 County Rd S) with Pastor Mark Eckert officiating. Interment at St. John Lutheran Cemetery in New Fane.

George's family will greet relatives and friends at the Myrhum Patten Miller Kietzer Funeral Home (215 Forest Ave. - Kewaskum) on Friday, July 26, 2019 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Visitation will continue the next day at St. John Lutheran Church in New Fane from 9 a.m. until time of service. Memorials to St. John Lutheran Church in New Fane.

George's family extends their heartfelt appreciation to Pastor Mark Eckert and the staff at Froedtert St. Joseph Hospital, especially Dr. Eric Olafsson and Dr. Surrenda Patel for the loving care they provided.

The Myrhum Patten Miller & Kietzer Funeral Home of Kewaskum has been entrusted with George's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at [www.myrhum-patten.com](http://www.myrhum-patten.com)

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### Ticket Options

Fans who have already purchased concert tickets for Friday, July 26, will have the following options available to them:

- Keep current Tickets and attend the Kings of Chaos concert with no changes to their seating or entrance to the concert.

- Apply for Ticket Refund Online at: <http://www.wcfairpark.com/fair/vip-concert-tickets/> to process the request.

- Apply for Ticket Refund In-Person by contacting Washington County Fair Park & Conference Center Staff at 262-677-5060 or by visiting the Fair Park Office

at 3000 Highway PV, West Bend, WI 53095 between the business hours of 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

Refunds will be processed until the deadline of 4:30 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 5, on unused VIP/Reserved tickets for the cancelled Stone Temple Pilots concert only. Processing of refunds could take up to seven to 10 business days.

The fair staff apologizes for any inconvenience caused by this concert cancellation and

thank the community for its continued support of the Washington County Fair. Please visit [wcfairpark.com](http://wcfairpark.com) for more information.

The 161st Annual Washington County Fair runs through Sunday, July 28. Other headliners for the Fair are Dylan Scott with Mitchell Tenpenny and Travis Denning on Thursday night, July 25, and Billy Currington with Nora Collins on Saturday night, July 27. A full schedule of events can be found at [wcfairpark.com/fair](http://wcfairpark.com/fair).

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

June 1 - 30, 2019

### Village of Kewaskum

Scott A. and Colleen A. McKay to Andrew T. Luedtke, 517 Main Street. \$169,000.

Kewaskum Potawatomi Prairie LLC, a Wisconsin limited Liability company to Michael Kirchner, 747 Prairie Gardens. \$220,000.

Donald Weyer Contractor LLC to Patricia and Dale Poch. Land only Silver Fox North Drive. \$32,000.

### Town of Barton

Trustee of the Harold E. Mapes, Jr. and Elizabeth A. Mapes Living Trust U/A Dated January 14, 2015 to Brandon J. Johnson, 7061 River Drive N. \$170,000.

Dale A. and Janet Newman to Susan Roesler, 3380 Caleb Ct. \$242,000.

Elizabeth K. Rogne to Matthew D. and Sara A. Cuckler, 3305 Beaver Dam Rd. \$282,900.

Michael C. Kirchner to Eric and Amber Kleiss, 4477 Plantation Way. \$330,000.

James R. and Danielle N. Gunville to Mark S. and Heidi L. Ciha. Land only Canyon Ln. \$65,000.

Don D. Rosenberg a/k/a Don David Rosenberg, as Trustee of the Don David Rosenberg Declaration of Trust dated June 17, 1996 to Thomas A. and Jennifer A. Kilzer, 7955 Salisbury Rd. \$335,000.

Phyllis Lubahn, who acquired title as Koenigs to Jeffrey S. and Carolyn M. Richter, 7515 Townline Road. \$253,000.

James M. and Kristine K. Neuburg to James D. and Janet L. Temmer, 7669 Tower Rd. \$540,000.

Robert W. Martz and Eileen K. Hron-Martz to Roger A. and Donna J. Abfall, 4055 Bavarian Ln. \$380,000.

### Town of Farmington

Dennis and Linda Detlaff to Jed J. Martin and Melissa E. Miller, 9558 State Hwy 144. \$546,000.

William F. Byrnes, Jr. to Mitchell J. Luedtke, 9170 Boltonville Rd. \$225,000.

Cory M. and Lisa Radtke to Heather L. and Benjamin J. Mavis, 8775 State Highway 144. \$330,000.

Timothy and Melissa Dobberphul to Golden E Real Estate LLC, a Wisconsin Limited Liability Company. Land only. \$530,000.

### Town of Kewaskum

Don S. and Kristine C. Schoonenberg Trust to Jeffrey A. and Jean M. Reigle. Land only Shagbark Dr. \$146,300.

### Town of Wayne

Michael J. and Karen A. Scheberl to Ryan M. and Christine J. Arndt, 7396 West Bend Road. \$380,000.

## Goodtime Dutchmen To Perform At Music In The Park

Music in the Park continues in 2019 with a local favorite. The next summer concert will feature the Goodtime Dutchmen on Tuesday, July 30.

The group formed back in the 1990s by Ralph Thull and is a pure polka band. With Ralph leading on accordion, the saxophone player, the pianist, one of the trumpet players and the drummer are all members of the Thull family.

Ralph was raised with polka music, being the son of Bill Thull whose orchestra recorded a number of polka albums from the 1950s into the 70s. The Dutchmen themselves have recorded several compact discs and play virtually every weekend all over the state. The Goodtime Dutchmen always draw a big crowd at Music In The Park and get folks out of their

seats to dance.

The Music In The Park concert is free and takes place in the large shelter in River Hill Park in Kewaskum. The Kewaskum Fire Fighter's Association starts selling concessions at 5:30 p.m. and the music begins at 6:30 p.m.

The concert will last between 90 minutes and two hours with an intermission. The shelter has picnic tables but many people bring their own lawn furniture.

Music In The Park will take a break on Tuesday, Aug. 6, so the community can enjoy National Night Out hosted by St. Lucas Church. The summer concert series resumes its 2019 season with the musical comedy of Pat McCurdy on August 13 and concludes with old time rock from the Sun-rays on August 20.

Donations from Drexel Building Supply, Geidel's Piggly Wiggly, Kewaskum Area Chamber

of Commerce, Kewaskum Fire Fighters Association, Kewaskum Kiwanis Club and Kewaskum Women's Club cover the cost of the bands. The Kewaskum Area Arts Council organizes the Music In The Park series every year. All private or business donations of any amount, either specifically for Music In The Park or the Kewaskum Area Arts Council, are greatly appreciated.



The Goodtime Dutchmen will perform at River Hill Park on Tuesday, July 30. photo submitted

### 26th Annual Campbellsport Lions Club

# STEAK FRY WITH ALL THE TRIMMINGS

Tuesday, Aug. 6th from 4:30 - 8:15 pm (Rain or Shine)

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# Letters Home...

25 DEC 70 1:30 PM  
Hi Folks,  
Here I am in lovely Viet Nam. Right now I'm lying on my bunk in my shorts "sweating like hell." I'm still in Long Bihn taking in country RUN training. Same stuff I've already been through. About the 29th I will be heading out to the bunk. I'll be assigned to the 31st Engr. Bn at Foo Fin. Their building a road toward the Cambodian border. It will be nice to get to a unit again and belong to someone.  
It's going to take a while to get used to this country. While taking a shower the other morning two Viet Namese women walked in and started to wash clothes. How you going to act? I actually believe there a couple will do anything for money.

Bob Hope is here, but he is about 3 miles away. Too hot, too far to walk.  
Had a bottle of champagne last night and went to services this morning. At dinner we had a beautiful meal with wine and egg nog. Enclosed is the noon menu.  
The TET offensive is coming up. It's the Vietnamese New Year when all the VC get "high" and go crazy. It will last about 15 days according to the phase of the moon. I'm glad will be farther up North (about 65 miles) for the TET, because here there is no way of defending ones self. It's just like the states here. I guess that's about all for now.  
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year  
P.S. How is V.V?  
Your Loving Son  
Brian



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December 25, 1970

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Merry Christmas and Happy New Year,  
Your Loving Son,  
Brian  
P.S. How is V.V.?

Letter sent home from Brian Koehn during the Vietnam War.

Brian Koehn, HHC 31st, Engr Bn



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# 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.

### Make & Take Cosmic Bracelets Tuesday, August 6

Jewelry instructors from Xpressions will be here to help you create your unique bracelets from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Registration in person is required and space is limited. Cost is \$10 a person for one bracelet.

Sometimes even our plants and animals can seem out of this world. Use your best detective skills during this interactive program to uncover the invaders that are lurking in our own backyards. All ages welcome. 1 p.m.

### Thursday, Aug. 1 Escape Room @ The Library

Are you an escape artist? See if you can escape at the Library. For teens. 6 p.m.

### Summer Wrap-Up Celebration Friday Aug. 9

Join the library for lunch, games and lots of fun at Kiwanis Park as they celebrate the completion of their summer reading program. 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### Storytimes Wednesdays 10:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m.

### July 31 A Night Under The Stars

### August 7 Beep-Bop-Beep, Robots Storytime

### Tuesday, July 30 Earthly Invaders By Wisconsin DNR

### Ancestry Library Edition

Discover your family history at the library. Explore your family's history with the powerful tools provided by Ancestry.com Library Edition. Only available inside the library.

### We're Going To The Fair!

Stop by the Washington County Libraries booth at the Washington County Fair every day from open to close. We will have crafts for kids, swag for all ages, a fun raffle and demonstrations of library resources.



Hannah Koskovich waits with her ducks to check in at the Washington County Fair on Monday. photo by Anne Trautner



Area youth are showing their animals at the Washington County Fair this week. The fair runs through Sunday, July 28. photo by Anne Trautner

# Dr. Mary Lewis Honored With St. Joseph's Hospital Excellence In Medicine Award

Dr. Mary Lewis, Emergency Department medical director at Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital, has been honored with the sixth annual Excellence in Medicine Award from St. Joseph's Hospital.

Dr. Lewis (being congratulated by Dr. Matthew Weston, anesthesiologist and St. Joseph's Hospital medical staff president) was selected for her leadership; excellence in medical care; teaching and mentoring; collaboration; boards, committees and organizations she has served; community involvement; and overall legacy she has established at St. Joseph's Hospital.

"Dr. Lewis was one of the first women in the state of Wisconsin to become a director of an emergency department and she has proudly and capably held that position for 27 plus years," said her nominator, Joseph Schwartz, MD, emergency medicine

physician at St. Joseph's Hospital. "In the past 27 years, Dr. Lewis has been a steady constant, demonstrating excellence in medical care and excellence in leadership as this hospital progressed from an independent hospital to becoming part of Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin network. I first met Dr. Lewis in 1988 when I was a medical student in Milwaukee and she was a resident on the trauma surgery service. Even at that early time, she demonstrated superior leadership skills and was quick to assist those around her with a true team spirit."

Dr. Lewis has volunteered to serve on many committees and boards, including serving on the hospital's board of directors, the Infinity Healthcare Board of Directors, and is a current member of the Medical Executive Committee. She has chaired the Section of Family Medicine, been a contributing member of

the Performance Improvement Committee, been an active supporter of the emergency medical services community, been an advanced cardiovascular life support instructor, supported the St. Joseph's Community Foundation, and has participated in many other committees and task forces to help raise the standard of care for the community. She has helped orient and onboard numerous physicians, physician assistants and nurse practitioners and she has helped train countless physician assistant students.

"Dr. Lewis believes in a collaborative effort with all the health care providers that impact patient care, and has devoted countless hours to meetings with the nurses and nursing leadership, support services, physician groups and quality experts to continue to elevate and evolve the patient care experience," said Dr.

Schwartz. "Dr. Lewis has been a strong supporter of enhancing the customer experience and consistently is rated as one of the best physicians in the hospital setting. Dr. Lewis has also participated in community education presentations, as she has shared her own family's personal impact from the opioid epidemic."

She has provided medical care to an estimated 76,000 patients and, when added up, has spent a full four years of her life working

night shifts.

Physicians and nurses at St. Joseph's Hospital and the general public were invited to nominate physicians and advanced practice providers for the award, which recognizes the accomplishments of an individual physician or advanced practitioner at St. Joseph's Hospital. Nominees were evaluated based on upholding clinical practice standards, leadership, innovation, volunteerism to improve health care in a local community, the

ability to communicate with colleagues and staff, and how the nominee supports the hospital's mission, vision and values.

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## DAYS GONE BY

**5 Years Ago  
July 31, 2014**

Bidders in the Washington County Fair Livestock sale July 24 brought in a record amount - roughly \$249,000 in total gross dollars. "I don't know why we got the prices we did. The economy is not up where it's supposed to be and the cost of feed is up, but we had an exceptional sale," sale committee chair Jim Hawig said. Contributing to the difference was that there were five more beef animals in this year's sale and the average price moved up from \$2.37 to \$2.80 per pound.

Final rehearsals are now underway for the Kewaskum Theatre Company's production of "BIG! The Musical."

Behind some solid pitching, timely hitting and consistent defense, the Kewaskum Pony League Tournament team captured the title in the recent Oakfield Tournament. The young Indians opened with a 16-7 victory over Lomira, defeated Eden in the second round 6-4 and shut out host Oakfield in the finals, 5-0. In the championship game, John May, Brent Goeden and Andrew Neu combined for a 4-hitter. Team members and their coaches included Brent Goeden, Ryan Prochnow, Kyle Bath, Jacob Schlosser, Cody Marks, coach Jimmy Marks, Andrew Neu, Tony Steger, Mitch Lochen, Robbie Walls, John May, coach Steve Lochen, coach Norm Neu and coach Jeff May.

Raymond G. Gaffke, 85, of Marianne, Florida, passed away on June 28.

**15 Years Ago  
July 22, 2004**

Showing little emotion during his initial appearance Thursday morning in Circuit Court, David J. Brace was charged with first degree intentional homicide and possession of a firearm by a felon. Brace has admitted killing Katie Gensmer, 18, in the early morning hours of June 30 in an area on the New Fane Hiking Trail, which is located off of County Line Road in the Town of Auburn. The body was discovered around 8 a.m. on June 30 by an area man who was hiking on the trail with his dog.

More than 26 volunteers searched a swampy area near Highway 28 this past Sunday looking for Steven Woelfel. The 28-year-old Fredonia man has been missing since June 7.

All those who love to indulge in candy might want to circle the date

October 1 on their calendars. It will mark the opening of the Candy Tree on Main Street in downtown Kewaskum. The owners are Chris and Steve Jung, who recently purchased the building at 230 Main Street, which had been owned for the past 11 years by Wendi Dreher.

A daughter, Grace Marilyn, was born to Michelle and Jim Rochon, Campbellsport, on July 17.

Joseph P. "Joe" Oswald, 64, of West Bend, passed away on July 14.

Marvin L. Kordosky, 76, of the Town of Trenton, passed away on July 16.

**25 Years Ago  
July 28, 1994**

Video Square opened its doors for business this past Monday at its new location in the Kewaskum Mall, offering movie lovers a taste of horror, suspense, drama, comedy...in entertainment forms to take home.

Becky Yogerst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yogerst, of Kewaskum High School will be one of over 200 participants from throughout the State involved in the 1994 Wisconsin Teen Leadership Program. This program recognizes outstanding young men and women in the areas of Scholastics Athletics, Community Service and Extra Curricular School Activities. Less than 5 percent of Wisconsin's teens are invited to apply and only 40 percent of the applicants become participants.

Many adults, teens and children enjoyed the 8th Stern Family Reunion on Sunday, July 17, at River Hill Park in Kewaskum. The event began with a welcome by chairman Norman Stern. Dale Marquardt offered a prayer before the noon meal, later a memorial prayer was offered for all who passed away since the 1992 reunion.

A son, Nicholas Thomas, was born to Thomas and Jane Paul, Milwaukee, on July 22.

A boy was born to Eric and Carey Flanders on July 21.

Otto A Weddig, 77, of Campbellsport, passed away on July 21.

Joel G. Burgert, 25, of Campbellsport, passed away on July 22.

Mary Waldkirch, 86, of Newburg, passed away on July 22.

**50 Years Ago  
July 25, 1969**

Attorney John C. Temby of Milwaukee, a native of Mt. Horeb, Wisconsin, became associated on July 21 with the

McKenna Law Office in Kewaskum.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Steinbach of Kohlsville and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Giese of Kewaskum returned home July 13 from a nine day vacation trip to the Black Hills of South Dakota and Yellowstone National Park, Wyoming.

The Beechwood 4-H meeting was called to order by President Richard Loof at 8:10, July 7. For roll call was what items would be taken to the fair. Songs were started by our song leader, Bonnie Lendved. When old business was called Mrs. Egerer gave two checks to the treasurer, Joanne Loof. One was a donation from the Beechwood fire department for the work the club was doing at the old Beechwood fire house. The second one was for the paper drive.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mauer, Kewaskum, on July 17.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roberdt Thorn, Kewaskum, on July 21.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Katzfey, Kewaskum, on July 23.

Miss Christina Feltenz, 89, formerly of Kewaskum, passed away on July 24.

Harold B. Smith, 52, of West Bend, passed away on July 17.

Charles A. Schemmel, 69, of Beechwood, passed away on July 21.

**75 Years Ago  
July 21, 1944**

Walter Van Veen of Madison is a new employee at the Kewaskum Creamery Co.

At a recent session of the Washington County Board, Supervisor Elwyn M. Romaine of the village of Kewaskum was elected chairman of the board.

The following class of 15 little children received their First Holy Communion at Holy Trinity church: Leo Beck, Dennis Bingen, Kenneth Bingen, Rodger Gutjahr, Lawrence Nigh, Wayne Rimmel, Alois Rolinger, John Schoofs, Arlene Backhaus, Janice Bruessel, Phyllis Falk, Agnes Ketter, Marie Marcotte, Kathleen Staehler and Eileen Volm. Flower boys were Dale Buntjer, Richard Dreher, Jerome Nigh and Clayton Kohn. Flower girls were Mary Ann Bath, Mary Jane Hron, Mary Lou McLaughlin and Shirley Staehler.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bingen and family moved to this village from their farm 1 1/2 miles southwest of the village, sold recently to K.A. Honeck. The Bings moved into the former Mrs. Bertha Casper

tavern building, which he purchased and will operate. They will also conduct a bakery in the building. The Peter Bies family who operated the tavern, moved into the Keller farm west of the village.

The Office of Price Administration has made all meats except beef steaks and beef roasts ration free, effective at midnight.

Two Kewaskum boys had the honor of battling it out for the championship in the finals of the county marble tournament held at McLane school playground, West Bend. John McElhatton, Holy Trinity school pupil, defeated Gerald Gutowske, Kewaskum public school pupil. both will represent Washington County in the district finale.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Dux purchased the Rudy Kullman blacksmith shop and residence at Wayne and moved from Milwaukee. The Kullmans moved to Theresa.

Another collection of old tin cans vitally needed for the war effort will be made in the village. Residents are urged to place them at the curb Friday to be picked up by the village truck.

Mrs. N.E. Hausmann sold her home on Fond du Lac Ave. to the Henry B. Rosenheimer family and will move to Palo Alto, California where her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Brewster, live.

Miss Dorothy Mae Thom and William Martin spent Sunday in Milwaukee.

Service news: T. Cpl. Leo Wieter writes that he has returned to England after spending a furlough in Scotland. Pfc. Carl Mayer stationed in England, writes that he hopes to visit S/Sgt. Franklin Heisler there. Sgt. Walter Werner, stationed in England, has been promoted to staff sergeant.

**100 Years Ago  
July 26, 1919**

Out neighboring village of Barton at last succeeded in landing a big manufacturing enterprise. At a meeting held Monday the Stevenson Manufacturing Company was organized with a capital stock of \$100,000. The company bought two acres of land from Albert Klemke, situated north of the depot, between the river and the railroad track. On this site a modern fireproof factory building, 80 x 128 feet ground space, will be erected. The plant is expected to be ready in about three months. Barn equipment and hardware are to be

manufactured in it.

The intense heat of the past two weeks has caused large numbers of city people to go to the lakes to find relief. Forest Lake, northeast of this village, seems to be the mecca for these resorters, as many Chicago people are arriving daily to enjoy the cool lake breezes at this popular resort.

On account of high cost of cream and flavors, the following prices will be charged after August 1: Plain ice cream, 10 cents; with flavor, 15 cents; and crushed fruit, 20 cents; brick and bulk, 30 cents a pint. War tax, 10 per cent.



## THIS DAY IN...



• **1847:** BRIGHAM YOUNG LEADS MORMON PIONEERS INTO SALT LAKE VALLEY, LEADING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SALT LAKE CITY.

• **1866:** TENNESSEE BECOMES THE FIRST CONFEDERATE STATE TO BE READMITTED TO THE UNION.

• **1987:** 91-YEAR-OLD HULDA CROOKS BECOMES THE OLDEST PERSON TO CLIMB MT. FUJI.

## St. Joseph's Hospital's First-In-State Safe Sleep Certification Advances To Gold Level

Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital, which became the first hospital in the state in August 2018 to achieve safe sleep certification, advanced its certification in 2019 to gold level status - also the first in the state.

The certification from the Crib for Kids National Safe Sleep Hospital Certification program recognizes hospitals that demonstrate a commitment to reducing infant sleep-related deaths by promoting best safe sleep practices and by educating on infant sleep safety. The certification reflects best practices and education on infant safe sleep through the development of a hospital policy, staff training, parent education, modeling through a wearable blanket program, and a pledge to participate in ongoing audits.

"As the only hospital in Washington County providing birth services, St. Joseph's Hospital recognizes the importance of providing exceptional care to moms and babies in our community," said Kristin Lebiecki, director of birthing services at St. Joseph's Hospital. "We are committed to providing research-based care in a compassionate manner as we help families safely welcome their newest little additions. Gold level Safe Sleep Certification is one example of this commitment."

St. Joseph's Hospital, now certified at the gold level, is the first hospital in the state to become certified at any level. To earn gold level accreditation, the hospital was required to:

- Conduct outreach activities related to infant safe sleep.
- Affiliate with or become a Crib for Kids partner.
- Develop and maintain a safe sleep policy.
- Provide staff working on the units serving infants and children under the age of one year with training on infant safe sleep.
- Provide infant safe sleep education to the parents of infants prior to discharge.
- Make use of wearable blankets in the well-baby nursery and neonatal intensive care unit.
- Change all photography on the unit and in print material to demonstrate safe sleep positions.
- Audit progress and report outcomes.

There are approximately 3,500 infant sleep-related deaths annually in the United States due to accidental suffocation, strangulation or undetermined causes during sleep. Crib for Kids has worked since 1998 to prevent babies from dying of accidental, sleep-related death in unsafe sleeping environments by educating parents and caregivers on the importance of practicing safe sleep for infants.

# 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](http://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.

**Thursday, July 25** - 4-H Cloverbud Day Camp, 8:30 a.m., Extension Sheboygan County. Call 459-5900 for more information.

**Thursday, July 25** - Washington County Fair. Headliners Dylan Scott with special guests Mitchell Tenpenny and Travis Denning. 3000 Highway PV, West Bend.

**Thursday, July 25** - 4-H Premier Exhibitor meeting, 6 p.m., Extension Sheboygan County. Call 459-5900 for more information.

**Friday, July 26** - Washington County Fair. Headliners Kings of Chaos. 3000 Highway PV, West Bend.

**Friday, July 26** - It's In The Details: Architecture Tour and Tower Visit. Discover architectural details, learn the meanings behind the symbolism, and trace the construction of the Old Courthouse and Sheriff's Residence and Jail, local and national landmarks. Climb to the balcony level of the Old Courthouse tower and see features rarely seen by the public. Patrons must wear sensible shoes and be able to climb steep stairs (109 steps from 1st to 6th floor). \$12/WCHS members, \$15/non-member. Due to very limited space, advanced registration is suggested. 3-4:30 p.m. Contact David at 262-335-4678.

**Friday, July 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, July 27** - Museum of Wisconsin Art and Chalk Fest 2019. Free, outdoor fine arts festival featuring 65+ artists selling their work and 15+ chalk artists. Art activities for all ages with live entertainment, music, food vendors, beer garden, art raffle and free admission to the museum. 205 Veterans Ave., West Bend 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

**Saturday, July 27** - Washington County Fair. Headliners Billy Currington with special guest Nora Collins. 3000 Highway PV, West Bend.

**Saturday, July 27** - 10th annual "Under The Influence of...Adrenaline" to Benefit Elevate. 5K walk/run 10K, half and full marathon on the Eisenbahn Trail in West Bend. To register visit: [www.adrenalineraces.org](http://www.adrenalineraces.org)

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**Sunday, July 28** - Immanuel Lutheran Church Town of Scott, Random Lake will hold a confirmation/school reunion starting with a 10:30 church service. Rev. Dr. Ronald Meyer is our guest speaker. Fellowship and an informal lunch to follow. Please call Deb by July 21 at 920-994-9290 with total attending.

**Sunday, July 28** - Washington County Fair. Tractor/Truck Pull. 3000 Highway PV, West Bend.

**Tuesday, July 30** - Music in the Park. Goodtime Dutchmen. River Hill Park, Kewaskum. Food and beverage service begins at 5:30 p.m. Music at 6:30 p.m.

**Thursday, Aug. 1** - Kewaskum Theatre Company presents Ordinary Days at River Hill Park. Ages 13+ suggested due to language. Water, soda, alcoholic beverages, and popcorn available during the show. Tickets on sale at Geidel's Piggly Wiggly or at the door - \$12 general admission. 8 p.m.

**Friday, Aug. 2** - DeerFest. DeerFest is everything deer. \$12 adults, \$5 children 12 and under. \$5 parking. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Highway PV, West Bend. 2 - 8 p.m.

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**Friday, Aug. 2** - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. Michael -Auto Safety Center on car upkeep. 7:30 - 9 p.m.

**Saturday, Aug. 3** - DeerFest. DeerFest is everything deer. \$12 adults, \$5 children 12 and under. \$5 parking. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Highway PV, West Bend. 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.

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**Sunday, Aug. 4** - DeerFest. DeerFest is everything deer. \$12 adults, \$5 children 12 and under. \$5 parking. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Highway PV, West Bend. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Monday, Aug. 5** - 2020 Kewaskum Tribe Girls Fastpitch Softball Tryouts. Fillmore ball diamonds, behind Fillmore Turner Hall. Please arrive at 5:30 to register. For more information call Chris Sabish (920) 948-3449.

**Tuesday, Aug. 6** - National Night Out. Police - Community Partnerships. Concession stands, family activities, police and fire displays. 6 p.m. River City Irregulars. 7:30 p.m. Kewaskum Big Band. St. Lucas Lutheran Church parking lot, 1410 Parkview Dr. Kewaskum. 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, Aug. 6** - Yoga In The Garden. Enjoy yoga on a calm summer evening in various garden settings with instructor Barb Knutson. Rain or shine. Bring your mat and water bottle. \$20. Lammscapes, 2708 Sherman Rd., Jackson. 7 p.m.

**Wednesday, Aug. 7** - Workforce Development Center Job Fair. Washington County Fair Park, 3000 Highway PV, West Bend.

**Wednesday, Aug. 7** - Kewaskum Kiwanis Craft Beer and Wine Tasting Festival at River Hill Park. \$30 ticket includes hor d'oeuvres and beer/wine tasting. 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

**Thursday, Aug. 8** - Pioneer Kids Day Going West! Crafts, games, food, fun. Children

in 1st through 5th grades this fall are invited to learn about Wisconsin as a frontier. Registration required by August 1 \$7 per child. (\$8 per child after August 1.) Register online at [historyisfun.com](http://historyisfun.com), at the museum, or by phone at (262) 335-4678. The History Center Washington County, 320 S. 5th Ave., West Bend. 8:45 - Noon.

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**Friday, Aug. 9** - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 1111 W. Washington St. West Bend. No meeting.

**An Upcoming Calendar of Events for Riveredge Nature Center, 4458 County Hwy Y, Newburg, WI. Visit: [www.riveredgenaturecenter.org](http://www.riveredgenaturecenter.org) for further information. - Nothing at this time.**

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

**Thursday, July 25** - Urban Wild Canine Project Evening Exploration. Learn what a UW-Madison research project has discovered about the relationships between red foxes and coyotes in an urban area. Plus, Dr. David Drake, Extension Wildlife Specialist/Professor at UW-Madison, will share information on the methods used to catch, radio collar, and track these animals. This program is most appropriate for people over the age of 12 years old. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 7 - 8:30 p.m.

**Saturday, July 27** - Get Outdoors! Go. . . Learn to Kayak. This is the perfect program for people who have never kayaked and would like to learn. Join experienced instructors to learn the tricks and fun of flat water kayaking. We will kayak around Mauthe Lake and up the Milwaukee River. No experience is necessary. The program is for people at least 10 years old. In the event of threatening weather, the program will be rescheduled. To register, call (920) 533-8322 by July 25. A \$25 deposit must be paid at registration, which will be refunded at the workshop. Mauthe Lake Recreation Area Boat Launch (located off County Road GGG south of County Road SS near New Prospect). 9:30 a.m. - noon or 1 - 3 p.m.

**Saturday, July 27** - Extreme Saturday Morning. Calling all youth to come explore the extremes of nature by participating in the Wisconsin Explorers program! The program involves completing a required number of activities in one of three age appropriate books (ages 3-5; ages 6-8; and ages 9+) to earn a very cool patch. Get help from a naturalist who will work with youth on activities from one of the first four topic areas of the books. Picnic Shelters at Mauthe Lake Recreation Area (located off County Road GGG south of County Road SS near New Prospect) and Long Lake Recreation Area (located off Division Road north of County Road F near Dundee). 10 - 11 a.m.

**Saturday, July 27** - Get Outdoors! Go. . . Learn Outdoor Cooking. Brush up on your outdoor cooking skills or learn a new technique. The naturalists will be baking cakes, toasting pudgy pies, and whipping up some other tasty treats. You'll be surprised at how easy cooking in the outdoors can be. We'll also cover fire building/safety. Everyone is invited to drop in for a few minutes or more than an hour for some nature fun. Adults are encouraged to participate with their children. Mauthe Lake Recreation Area Beach (located off County Road GGG south of County Road SS near New Prospect). 1 - 4 p.m.

**Saturday, July 27** - Our Native Pollinators. Summer Saturday Evening Event. Sponsored by Friends of the Kettle Moraine. Native pollinators from bees to butterflies are an amazingly diverse and vital group of organisms. Join Thelma Heidel-Baker, Insect Conservation Specialist, as she covers pollinator biology and what that means for protecting these insects. Hear about the issues surrounding pollinators as well as ways you can create habitat for them in your own backyard. Learn a bit more about some special Wisconsin pollinators that need our help, like the endangered rusty patched bumble bee. This program is most appropriate for people over the age of 8 years old. Ice Age Visitor Center (located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee). 6:30 - 8 p.m.

**Sunday, July 28** - Get Outdoors! Go. . . Learn Outdoor Cooking. Brush up on your outdoor cooking skills or learn a new technique. The naturalists will be baking cakes, toasting pudgy pies, and whipping up some other tasty treats. You'll be surprised at how easy cooking in the outdoors can be. We'll also cover fire building/safety. Everyone is invited to drop in for a few minutes or more than an hour for some nature fun. Adults are encouraged to participate with their children. Long Lake Recreation Area North Beach (located off Division Road north of County Road F near Dundee). Noon - 3 p.m.

**Friday, Aug. 2** - Beautiful Butterflies Nature Storytime. You are invited to join our play as we act out the fascinating life cycle of butterflies. Afterwards, we'll head outside in search of these beautiful insects. 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.

**Friday, Aug. 2** - Step into the Night Hike. As the sun sets and the light fades from the sky, the day animals retire and a new group of animals awakens. Bring your bug spray and sense of adventure as we explore the darkness for night lights. This night hike is best for families/groups with children at least 5 years old. Long Lake Recreation Area Picnic Shelter (located off Division Road north of County Road F near Dundee). 8 - 9:30 p.m.

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*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.*

## Peace U.C.C. Celebrates 21st Annual PIGNIC August 4th

Area residents are invited to attend Peace United Church of Christ's 21st Annual PIGNIC pig roast and chicken dinner on Sunday, Aug. 4, at Kewaskum's Riverhill Park.

The event will kick off at 9 a.m. with welcome time and social fellowship. A 9:30 a.m. community worship service led by Rev. J. Eric Kirkegaard, will follow in the park pavilion. Special music will be offered by children who attended Vacation Bible School.

The Kewaskum Big Band will perform a free, live concert from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. This group is best known for its full, professional sound and wide variety of musical offerings.

Local talent is featured throughout the group, so come support your favorite musician or favorite instrument! You'll be delighted!

A roast pork and chicken dinner, complete with potato salad, fruit salad, vegetable and beverage will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Carry-outs are available, and tickets will be sold on the day of the event. Dinner tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for children four-10 years old, and free for children under four years old. A dessert booth will serve delicious, home-made specialties for \$1 per piece/slice/plate.

Kids will be happy to find free entertainment at the PIGNIC, including a face painting station

and some wacky and wild games. Over 50 "Bucket Raffle" items will be raffled, at \$1 each or 25 for \$20. There is something for everyone in the bucket raffle, including many local gift cards.

All proceeds from the PIGNIC are directed to mission and ministry programs which impact Kewaskum and the world. The PIGNIC is wheelchair accessible, with a drop-off area immediately next to the pavilion.

Come for good food; stay for fun and fellowship.

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## Peace UCC Vacation Bible School July 29 - August 2

A summer kids' event called "ROAR" will be hosted at Peace United Church of Christ - Kewaskum from July 29 to August 2. At "ROAR," kids discover that God is good even when life gets wild!

Kids participate in memorable Bible-learning activities, sing catchy songs, play teamwork-building games, devour yummy treats, experience one-of-a-kind Wild Bible Adventures, collect Bible Memory Buddies to remind them of God's love, and test out Sci-

ency-Fun Gizmos they'll take home and play with all summer long. Plus, kids will learn to look for evidence of God all around them through something called God-Sightings.

Each day concludes with the Safari Celebration that gets everyone involved in living what they've learned. Family members and friends are encouraged to join in daily for this special time at 11 a.m. in the Youth Room on the upper level.

ROAR is for kids aged

three to 11 and will run from 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. each day. Check-in starts at 8 a.m.

For more information or to register, call the church office at 262-626-4011 or on the web at [www.peace-ucc.org](http://www.peace-ucc.org). Peace Church is located two blocks east of Highway 45 on Highway 28. Please enter through the parking lot doors.

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## St. Lucas Lutheran to Host National Night Out Block Party August 6

On Tuesday, August 6, neighbors in Kewaskum and Washington County are invited to join forces with thousands of communities nationwide for the 36th Annual National Night Out crime and drug prevention event.

National Night Out, which is sponsored by the National Association of Town Watch and cosponsored locally by St. Lucas Lutheran Church and School, will involve over 16,790 communities from all 50 states, U.S. territories, Canadian cities, and military bases around the world. In all, over 38.6 million people are expected to participate in "America's Night Out Against Crime."

National Night Out is designed to: (1) Heighten crime and drug

prevention awareness; (2) Generate support for, and participation in, local anticrime efforts; (3) Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships; and (4) Send a message to criminals letting them know neighborhoods are organized and fighting back.

A block party for the whole community will be hosted on Tuesday, Aug. 6, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at St. Lucas Lutheran Church and School, 1410 Parkview Drive. Parkview Drive will be closed down and activities will take place in the church parking lot and the school grounds. Handicapped parking will be available along the alley between Parkview Drive and Bilgo Lane.

Bring a lawn chair and

stay a while. Food and refreshments will be available. Free entertainment for children will include a bounce house and various games.

The Kewaskum Police Department and Kewaskum Fire Department will have equipment on display. The West Bend Community Band will perform at 6 p.m. The Kewaskum Big Band will follow at 7:30 p.m. Both groups will perform in the church parking lot. In case of rain, the event will be held in the St. Lucas Lutheran School Gymnasium.

On National Night Out, St. Lucas invites neighborhoods nationwide to join in and "give crime a going away party."

# 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 9:30 a.m. Monday Worship at 6:30 p.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](http://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 at 9 a.m. Sunday morning Bible study at 10:15 a.m. Wednesday night service at 7 p.m. Reverend Jonathan Vierkant (262) 335-4200, [www.standrew-westbend.org](http://www.standrew-westbend.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

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

### Campbellsport

#### First United Methodist Church

203 N. Fond du Lac Ave,

#### Campbellsport

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

#### The Campbellsport Alliance Church

N1876 Cty. Rd. V, Campbellsport, WI

Sunday Worship Service 9 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: Small Group Bible Studies at 6:30 p.m. and Awana Club

(K-sixth grade) 6:30 p.m., Youth Group (senior and junior high) on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Rev. Douglas Birr, Phone 920-533-5123.

#### Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church

(Wisconsin Synod) - 350 S. Helena St.,

#### Campbellsport

Sunday morning services at 7:45 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Study at 9 a.m. Monday evening service at 7 p.m. Visitors are always welcome. Rev. Paul Cerny. Phone 920-533-4385.

#### United Christian Church of Campbellsport (United Church of Christ)

228 Forest Street

Sunday morning worship services will be held at 9 a.m. Communion the first Sunday of the month. Wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome with us. Rev. Paula N.M. Anderson, 920-533-5369.

#### St. Matthew's Catholic Church

Main and Helena Streets, Campbellsport

#### St. Martin's Chapel - Ashford

St. Kilian Chapel - St. Kilian

Parish Office, 419 Mill Street,

#### Campbellsport

St. Matthew: Monday 8:30 a.m.

Communion Service; Tuesday 8:30 a.m. School Mass; Wednesday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service; Thursday 8:30 a.m. Mass; Friday 8:30 a.m. Communion Service; Saturday 4 p.m. Mass; Sunday 9 a.m. Mass; first, third and fifth Sundays of each month have 7:30 a.m. Mass.

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

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

### Dundee

#### Trinity Lutheran Church (Wisconsin Synod), Dundee, WI

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

### Lomira

#### Springfield Community Church

Meeting at Lomira High School

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

#### St. Mary's Catholic Church - Lomira

Saturday evening Mass at 4 p.m. Father Michael Petersen. Phone 920-269-4429.

#### Trinity United Methodist Church

300 Church St., Lomira

Sunday Worship at 9 a.m. Pastor Rom Pegram (920) 269-4411. [www.trinityunitedmethodistchurchlomira.com](http://www.trinityunitedmethodistchurchlomira.com).

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# Ode To Mimi

## Dedicated To Dr. Miriam Faith Leavitt Heise

By Darlene Stern

The Cambridge Dictionary defines a mentor as a person who gives a younger or less experienced person help and advice over a period of time.

One of my most strategic mentors in faith went to her reward recently. I have no doubt she heard the Lord say, "Well done, you good and faithful servant!" (Matthew 25:23a Good News Translation)

I'm also sure she heard that often while still in this earthly realm, as part b of that verse states: "You have been faithful in managing

small amounts, so I will put you in charge of large amounts."

This woman seemed like an endless ministry! She fed the poor, clothed them, even housed and counseled them. She directed those unaware to the Most Important One in their lives. She wrote books and poetry on diverse matters, but we could never seem to get her to write her autobiography.

Mimi came into my life when I was expecting our second child in 1980. At age 50 or so, she was then training as a lay midwife. She was a fount of wisdom and knowl-

edge regarding herbs, homeopathy, mother-directed child birth, good quality food and scores of other matters. She was always willing to share what she knew to help her protégés improve their lives.

Though she did not graduate from high school, when everyone else would have been looking toward retirement, Mimi worked on getting her GED because she wanted to go to college. Before that time, she took classes to learn how to live with dyslexia so she could progress in a world that looked at life differently than she did. She went

on to get her doctorate in nouthetic Christian counseling based solely on the Bible and opened her own clinic in Florida. More than once she was a female pioneer in fields dominated by men. In her later years, she concentrated on studying Hebrew, a language unlike any other.

Most importantly, Mimi had a personal relationship with the Lord and did not hesitate to talk about Him to others. She always had an encouraging word for those maneuvering through storms in their lives. After talking to her you knew God was with you and your own situa-

tion would work out for good no matter what it looked like now. She used every possible conversation to steer folks to a deeper knowledge of Christ, even making time to teach classes to help enlighten others to the truth of who God is and who He wants to be in our lives.

The Lord put Mimi in my life at a critical juncture. She was strategic in fostering a hunger and thirst for more of God in my life when I was saying, "Is that all there is?" She appealed to the ardent student in me, directing me on a course that would influence the rest of my existence by

opening up the fullness of scripture. And here I am writing a newspaper column about God in our lives as a result! Only God could have known how her mentorship — her discipleship — to me would impact many other lives?

In part c of Matthew 25:23 the master says, "Come on in and share my happiness!" I am confident this is what my friend and mentor heard on the day she entered eternal life. She was always faithful to complete the tasks the Lord put before her, accomplishing everything with excellence. I yearn to follow in her footsteps.

### Kewaskum Big Band Headlines PIGNIC August 4

You already know the Kewaskum Big Band for its fabulous sound, but did you know snappy humor is also part of their performance? So many local musicians can't get together for an hour without a few jokes thrown in!

You are invited to enjoy the magnificent sound of their music at the 21st annual Peace Church Community Pignic, to be held Sunday, Aug. 4, at Riverhill Park

in Kewaskum. The band will perform in the pavilion from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

The Pignic, open to the public, begins with a 9 a.m. welcome fellowship, an outdoor worship led by Rev. J. Eric Kirkegaard at 9:30 a.m., with food and festivities to follow. A roast pork and chicken dinner is served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., complete with German potato salad, fruit, vegetable and bever-

age. Cost for the meal is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children four-10. Those under four eat free. Homemade desserts are also available for sale.

Free face painting, games and crafts are available for all children. Over 50 "bucket" raffles will be available for \$1 each or 25 for \$20. Gift cards and baskets feature items of interest for everyone, and you do not need to be present

to win. Proceeds of the raffles support mission and ministry projects locally and around the world.

Peace Church (United Church of Christ) seeks to welcome and be accessible to all people who wish to join together on a journey of faith. "No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey, you're welcome here."

### St. Mary's Church In Little Kohler To Hold Annual Gathering

St. Mary's Church in Little Kohler will be holding their eleventh annual gathering on Saturday, Aug. 17

The day will start with a Rosary at noon with a pot luck dinner to follow. Please bring a dish to

pass and your own beverages. All are welcome to enjoy the fellowship with past friends and priests.

Please call Jim Dieringer, (920) 980-2457, with any questions.

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

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

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

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John St. Peter, right, administers an Oath of Office to Moraine Park Technical College District Board members at the Monday, July 8, meeting. Pictured above are, from left, Thomas Hopp of West Bend, employer member; Renee Almeida of Beaver Dam, employee member; and Vernon Jung of Kewaskum, additional member.

-photo submitted

## Moraine Park Welcomes Thomas Hopp To District Board

Thomas Hopp of West Bend was sworn in on July 8 as the newest member of the Moraine Park Technical College District Board. He will serve as an employer member representative, with a term expiring in June 2022.

Hopp learned from a young age the all-around benefits of volunteering within the community.

"My father was a large influence in my life," Hopp said. "Through his dedicated volunteer

work, he taught me that volunteering and helping others creates a strong, vibrant, and growing community by simply taking time to help others."

Hopp has been an active part of the community of West Bend for many years. He currently serves on multiple boards including Albrecht Free Clinic, Commerce State Bank, and the United Way of Washington County. Additionally, he is involved with the City of West

Bend Safety Commission as a volunteer for over 10-years and the Kettle Moraine YMCA as an active member and volunteer for over 20-years.

"I have always believed that continuing education benefits everyone and what better organization to contribute as a board member than MPTC," He said.

Also sworn in alongside Hopp were Renee Almeida of Beaver Dam and Vernon Jung of Ke-

## Kewaskum Nurse Honored With St. Joseph's Hospital Award

Sarah Cauwels, a resident of Kewaskum and an RN on the Medical/Surgical Unit, has been recognized with Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital's third quarter DAISY Award for her positive attitude and kindness.

"Sarah treated my brother with a kind and patient attitude and as a person," said her nominator. "Sarah exceeds her abilities just doing everything a nurse does and beyond. Attitude and liking what you do is everything and it reflected in her. Sarah can make you smile when you are feeling gloomy inside. I am so happy

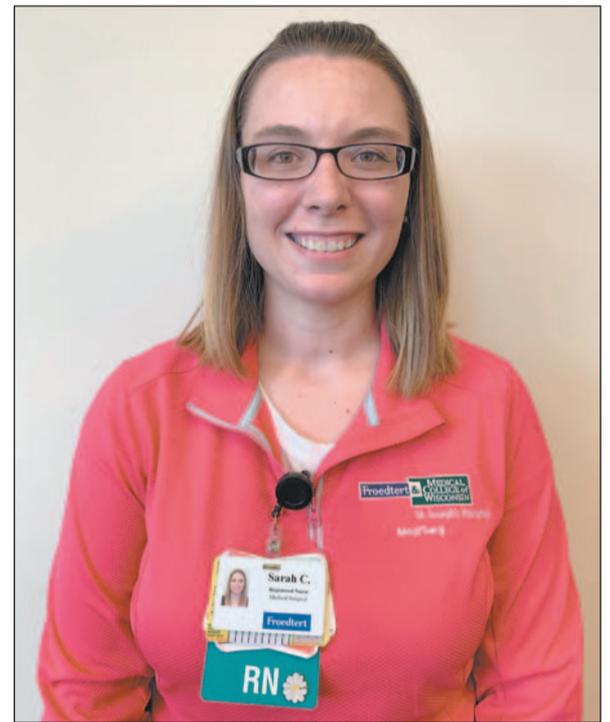
she was a part of my brother's care. Sarah is wonderful."

The DAISY Foundation, an acronym for Diseases Attacking the Immune System, recognizes nurses as unsung heroes of our society who deserve more recognition and honor than they receive. More than 1,900 hospitals throughout the United States participate in The DAISY Award program.

The DAISY Foundation provides each recipient with a sculpture, "A Healer's Touch," which is hand-carved for the foundation by artists of the Shona Tribe in Zimbabwe. The sculpture is made of Serpentine

stone that comes from the mountains "where the most powerful shaman" live in Zimbabwe. The foundation chose this design not only because it depicts the relationship nurses have with their patients, but also because the Shona people hold their healers in a position of great importance to the community and feel about their healers the way The DAISY Foundation and St. Joseph's Hospital feel about nurses.

At St. Joseph's Hospital, Sarah was honored at a recent ceremony at which he received a certificate, pin and the sculpture.



Sarah Cauwels

## Wisconsinites Invited To Help Identify Aquatic Invasive Species During Statewide Snapshot Day Event

Water lovers of all ages across the state of Wisconsin are invited to join a search for aquatic invasive species on August 17th, 2019. This fun, hands-on effort, known as Snapshot Day, relies on participants to monitor local lakes and streams at designated sites across the state for signs of non-native plants and animals that pose risks to Wisconsin waterways and wildlife.

Information collected will be provided to the WI DNR to inform and guide monitoring and response efforts. Volunteers are key to the success of the event.

Coordinated by River Alliance of Wisconsin, in partnership with UW Extension's Citizen Lake Monitoring Network, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, Snapshot Day is entering its 6th successful year.

"More and more people want to know how they can help protect the local lakes, rivers and streams they love. Snapshot Day makes taking care of our state's waters both fun and efficient. It's also a great community-building event that connects people to their local waters in a whole new way," explained Natalie Dutack,

AIS Watershed Groups manager at River Alliance of Wisconsin.

"We've seen nature lovers, paddlers and anglers take part. We've also had families, troops of Scouts, and retirees come out. Everyone enjoys the hands-on opportunity to learn more about the waters near them, and by providing a venue and some training we can help them become stewards of their waters," Dutack continued.

Alix Bjorklund, Coordinator at the Timberland Invasive Partnership (TIP), is preparing to host their second annual Snapshot Day with partner, Langlade County.

"We were blown away by the number of volunteers we had and the level of interest they took in contributing to the health of the water habitats in their area through citizen-based monitoring," she elaborated.

"These types of monitoring events greatly augment the hard work being done by invasive species managers in our area. After a successful first year, we are thrilled to be able to take part in the event again and educate more citizens on how they can help prevent the spread of invasive species to the rivers and lakes they hold

dear," shared Bjorklund.

### Event Details

Saturday, August 17, 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. —

Following a brief identification training, volunteers will disperse to collect samples at critical monitoring sites, then reconvene to report what they found and celebrate a great time outdoors.

No experience is necessary and training is provided. This is a free event. Recommended for ages eight and up, minors must be accompanied by an adult.

Coordination of this event is made possible with generous support from the Wisconsin De-

partment of Natural Resources through an Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Education, Planning and Prevention grant.

### REGISTRATION

Register and see all locations and event details at: [www.wisconsin-rivers.org/snapshot-day/](http://www.wisconsin-rivers.org/snapshot-day/) Advance registration is requested by August 2nd to help Site Leaders build monitoring plans, but will remain open until August 15th.

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A Column By Kewaskum Librarian Lori Kreis

Last week at the Village Board meeting, an agenda item was approved to contract with an architectural firm for an existing shared facilities systems analysis. This is not only exciting news for the library, but for the village employees in the municipal building. This is the beginning of a building renovation which includes the village offices, police department, council chambers and library.

Since the start of the year, I have been a part of a committee that met to talk about the shared facilities renovation. I have never been involved in a project of this type, so it has been a learning experience. We discussed the needs of the various departments and prioritized what was most important. We met with architects and received some very different concepts of this project. We worked together in determining the plans best suited for our diverse needs.

And now we are moving forward, and it is exhilarating. It is important to reiterate that this is not just a library expansion; this project is for the entire municipal building. The village is growing and the departments that serve this community need to grow with the village. We must be able to keep up with the expanding needs of our community.

Recently, there has been some discussion about the square footage of the library. For the most part, the size is not an issue. Compared to others in our system, we are in the middle. We are not one of the largest, but most certainly not one of the

smallest. Staff makes use of our space the best way they can. We keep up with our collection development and are creative when the shelves get overcrowded. During story times when we have a large crowd of children, they may need to double up on the rugs, but that's part of the fun. We use the community room or annex for our larger programs.

All things considered, the library does need this renovation and expansion. In last week's column, I wrote about the changing purpose of libraries and we need to make those updates in order to stay relevant and best serve the public. Soon, you may hear about this project's expenses. The library is fortunate; we've received some generous donations which will be used to fund this project. We may be doing some fundraising to offset what we don't have in donations. However, I see this as encouraging progression toward our goal.

Recently, I spoke with a patron who read an article about the Village Board's approval for the systems analysis. This patron lives about 10 miles south of Kewaskum and told me she prefers to use our library. She stated that she can usually find something to read here and if not, we are helpful placing holds for her. Moreover, this patron told me that she likes the service from staff most of all and because of that will continue to frequent our not-so-little library.

Lori Kreis  
Library Director  
Kewaskum Public Library



Members from the Kewaskum Kiwanis Club, West Bend Early Riser Kiwanis Club, West Bend Noon Kiwanis Club, Fond du Lac Kiwanis Club and Ripon Kiwanis Club gather at the Kewaskum Kiwanis Powwow Golf Outing last Thursday. The event raised funds to benefit youth projects in the Kewaskum community. photo by Anne Trautner

## Kewaskum Kiwanis Golf Outing Supports Community

By Anne Trautner

The Kewaskum Kiwanis Club held a golf outing on Thursday, July 18, to raise funds to benefit the Kewaskum community.

Held at Hon-E-Kor Golf Course, it was the 56th annual Kewaskum Kiwanis Powwow Golf Outing. The event is always held the third Thursday in July.

"It was a great event," said Bret Richards, president of the Kewaskum Kiwanis Club. "All of the funds raised stay in the community. All of our activities go to help area youth, like KEYS scholarships and Reigle Family Park."

In total, the event had 55 golfers. Representatives were there from area Kiwanis Clubs, including Kewaskum Ki-

wanis Club, West Bend Early Riser Kiwanis Club, West Bend Noon Kiwanis Club, Fond du Lac Kiwanis Club and Ripon Kiwanis Club.

Last week's golf outing was a four-person scramble, with special hole events and raffles.

Service is at the heart of every Kiwanis club, no matter where in the world it is located. Members stage nearly 150,000 service projects and raise nearly \$100 million every year for communities, families and projects around the globe.

Kiwanis clubs focus on changing the world by serving children, one child and one community at a time.

"Our goal is to help make our community and world a better place to live, by focusing on

kids," Richards said.

The Kewaskum Kiwanis Club meets the first, third and fourth Monday

of each month at 6 p.m. at El Pig's Butt in Kewaskum. New members are always welcome.

## Help Is Needed To Deliver Meals

The Washington County Senior Dining Home Delivered Meal program needs volunteer drivers in the West Bend area on Thursdays. Volunteers would pick up meals at Meadowbrook Manor, 475 Meadowbrook Drive, West Bend and give approximately one hour to take noon meals to homebound persons.

Also, the Meadowbrook Manor meal site needs volunteer kitchen assistance to help pack meals 9:15 – 10:30 a.m. on Mondays.

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## CAMPUS NEWS

### – University Of Wisconsin - Eau Claire

The University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire awarded 1,398 degrees in May.

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

#### West Bend

Lauralynn Anderson,

Arts and Sciences, Bachelor of Science, biology.

Allison Lehman, Education and Human Sciences, Bachelor of Science, elementary education.

### – University Of Wisconsin - Stevens Point

The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point conferred degrees on

more than 1,250 graduates during the university's spring commencement ceremonies on May 18.

#### Campbellsport

Austin Feuerhammer, Bachelor of Science, Chemical Engineering, Paper Science And Engineering, Cum Laude

#### West Bend

Samuel Chapman, Bachelor of Science, Data Analytics.

Benjamin Galewski, Bachelor of Science, Fisheries And Water Resources-Water Resources.

Jacqueline Halverson, Bachelor of Science, Health Science-Pre-Physical Therapy.

Stephanie Shudarek, Bachelor of Science, Psychology-Human Services.

### – University Of Dubuque

The University of Dubuque congratulates Jenna Heimark of West Bend, on being appointed to the Spring Semester 2019 Academic Dean's List.

To be named to the dean's list, a student must earn a grade point average (GPA) of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale for that semester.

## Get In Touch With Nature At The Horicon Marsh Outdoor Field Day

Archery, birding, hunting and fishing are among the fun activities scheduled to be taught by Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources staff and expert volunteers during the free and family-friendly August Horicon Marsh Outdoor Field Day on August 3.

Horicon Wildlife Educator Liz Herzmann says no registration is required for the event, which runs from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. People of all ages are invited to participate.

"There will be something for everyone at this hands-on, family-friendly event," Herzmann said. "Even if you have a pretty good idea of which activities appeal to you, it can be a great learning experience for anyone with an interest in the outdoors."

Join expert dog handlers with multiple breeds to see how the dogs are trained for obedience and hunting. Visit the Friends of the Poynette Game Farm Trailer to meet the handlers and dogs after watching them show off their skills.

The Horicon Bowmen and the DNR are proud to offer archery camp at this year's event. People ages 5 and up can try archery using National

Archery in the Schools Program (NASP) equipment. This is the same easy-to-use equipment dozens of schools all across Wisconsin use in their physical education programs.

Join the DNR staff members as they chat around the campfire about where your hunting, fishing, trapping dollars go and how they benefit wildlife. Snack on some fresh cooked wild game while you're there.

Certified hunter safety instructors will be available with firearm action sets to demonstrate proper firearm use and safety. Participants can practice their aim with laser guns, climb into a harness to learn about tree stand safety and check out UTVs and ATVs as they learn how to ride them safely.

The International Crane Foundation and expert birders will be on hand to show the basics of binocular use and bird identification. Try your hand at tying your own fishing fly as well.

Do you know your

good berries from bad berries? A master naturalist will be on site to quiz you while making a collection basket. SAGE Natural Living will be giving wildcrafting demonstrations how to use marsh plants for everyday uses.

Join wildlife call experts. Can you honk like a goose, quack like a duck or cluck like a hen turkey? Marsh Haven Nature Center will be bringing some of their live animal ambassadors to showcase some of our majestic raptors.

The Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center is located between Horicon and Mayville on Highway 28. For a detailed list of all Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center special events, please visit the Friends of Horicon Marsh website at [www.horiconmarsh.org](http://www.horiconmarsh.org).

For more information regarding Horicon Marsh education programs, contact Liz Herzmann, DNR educator, at 920-387-7893 or [elizabeth.herzmann@wisconsin.gov](mailto:elizabeth.herzmann@wisconsin.gov).

## School Happenings

### Kewaskum High School

Thursday, July 25

✓ KYB Camp, KHS Field House, 9 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.  
✓ KHS Volleyball Open Gym, KHS Field House, 4 - 6 p.m.

Saturday, July 27

✓ Kewaskum A's vs. West Bend 7 Up, KHS Baseball Field, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sunday, July 28

✓ KHS Wrestling Open Gym, KHS Auxiliary Gym, 6 - 7 p.m.  
✓ KYB/KHS Boys Basketball/Adult Open Gym, KHS Field House, 7 - 9 p.m.

Tuesday, July 30

✓ KYB Camp, KHS Field House, 9 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.  
✓ KHS Volleyball Open Gym, KHS Field House, 4 - 6 p.m.

Wednesday, July 31

✓ KHS Student Government Meeting KHS Cafeteria 1 - 3 p.m.  
✓ At The Movies With Jim Westphal, KHS Theatre, 2 - 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 1

✓ KYB Camp, KHS Field House, 9 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 4

✓ KHS Wrestling Open Gym, KHS Auxiliary Gym, 6 - 7 p.m.  
✓ KYB/KHS Boys Basketball/Adult Open Gym, KHS Field House, 7 - 9 p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 6

✓ KYB Camp, KHS Field House, 9 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 7

✓ KHS Student Government Meeting, KHS Cafeteria, 3 - 5 p.m.  
✓ KHS Hall Of Fame Meeting, KHS Cafeteria, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

### Kewaskum Middle School

Saturday, Aug. 3

✓ Gridiron Parent Meeting, KMS Gym, 9 a.m. - noon

## The Duo Lives Of Amphibians

The Summer Saturday Evening Events at the Kettle Moraine State Forest - Northern Unit continues with Duo Lives of Amphibians.

The program will be held on Saturday, Aug. 3, from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Ice Age Visitor Center. The center is located at N2875 Highway 67, a half mile west of Dundee. The program is free, but donations are always gratefully accepted.

Wisconsin is home to a wide diversity of amphibians including one toad, 11 different kinds of frogs, and seven species of salamanders. Most of these incredible animals split their lives between larvae born in a watery world to adults that breathe air and spend time on dry land.

Today, some species are near extinction, but all amphibians are suffering from habitat loss, pollution, climate change and people's misconceptions. Currently, research is being conducted to learn why so many species worldwide are declining in numbers. This research includes Wisconsin's frog survey which is the longest running amphibian survey in the nation.

Randy Hetzel, a naturalist, and some of his amphibian friends will be the featured presenters. Randy has been studying amphibians since boyhood and continues his research even today.

He will explain some of the truly fascinating adaptations of these incredible animals and the hazards they face to survive. If you are not careful, Randy may just turn you into a toad lover.

For further information or directions, contact staff at the Ice Age Visitor Center. The staff may be reached at (920) 533-8322, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and on Saturday and Sunday, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## Art & Chalk Fest 2019

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Art activities for all ages are offered throughout the weekend along with live entertainment and music, food vendors, a beer garden, an art raffle and free admission for the weekend to the Museum of Wisconsin Art.

Hours for the festival are Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The awards ceremony takes place on Sunday at 3:30 p.m.

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To avoid being tricked by asphalt schemes, always know whom you're dealing with and research the company at bbb.org. You can always ask the salesperson if they have a solicitor's license from the city in which they're doing business, or you can call your city officials directly to ask if they've received any complaints about a certain business.

BBB suggests following these general rules to avoid an unethical asphalt company:

- Be wary of paving companies stating they are "in the neighborhood" and have extra asphalt at the ready to repair your driveway for a minimal cost. Professional asphalt contractors know, with great accuracy, how much paving material is needed to complete a project. They will rarely have leftover materials.

- Never hire someone on the spot. Trustworthy contractors provide a written estimate that will be valid for many days. If you feel that you are being subjected to high-pressure sales tactics, BBB advises you to end the conversation and tell the company you're not interested. Check on all companies before doing

business.

- If the quoted price seems very low, chances are the quality of work will be quite low. Get at least two estimates before hiring anyone.

- Don't pay with cash. Credit cards are always best as there are options for disputing claims and recovering your lost funds.

Consumers are often safer dealing with a contractor who has local roots. Contact BBB for free Business Profiles on any company you are considering doing business with by visiting bbb.org, or by calling toll-free in Wisconsin 1-800-273-1002.

If you have been scammed, you can help other consumers avoid the same problems by filing a complaint or reporting your experience to BBB's Scam Tracker.

For more information or further inquiries, contact the Wisconsin BBB at www.bbb.org/wisconsin, 414-847-6000 or 1-800-273-1002. Consumers also can find more information about how to protect themselves from scams by following the Wisconsin BBB on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and YouTube.

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# Still Time To Make Additions And Changes To Your Landscape

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The cool wet spring delayed planting, deck and patio installations and other outdoor projects. Fortunately, there is still time to complete much of your outdoor work.

Many gardeners missed or limited spring planting due to the weather. You can still add vegetables to your garden, mixed borders and containers. Just check the seed packets for the number of days from planting to harvest. Then calculate the number of days left in the growing season and plant those veggies that have enough time to reach maturity before the first fall frost. Leaf lettuce, radishes, spinach and peas are just a few to consider.

Late August is a good time to patch bare spots, overseed, or start a new lawn. The soil is warm,

air temperatures are starting to cool and rain showers are often less intense. This means the grass seed will germinate more rapidly and the young seedlings will thrive in the cooler temperatures.

Fill voids in the garden with fall blooming annuals. These add color to the late summer and fall landscape. Many provide needed nectar for the pollinators, helping them prepare for winter hibernation or their long migration home. Look for nemesias, pansies, stocks, dianthus and other plants that thrive in cooler weather.

Plant perennials to add color and texture to your landscape throughout the year. Get the most out of every inch of your landscape by selecting plants with multiple seasons of interest. Select perennials with colorful flowers, attractive foliage and seed

heads that provide winter interest and food for the birds. Make sure you include a variety of plants to provide spring, summer and fall blossoms for you, the bees, butterflies and hummingbirds to enjoy.

Survey your landscape and look for opportunities to use plants to screen unwanted views, maintain desirable lines of sight or create the perfect space for relaxing and entertaining. Remember to look up as you begin this process. Avoid planting trees and large shrubs under overhead utilities. When these small transplants reach their mature size they can create a hazardous situation and require removal or severe pruning that leaves you with an unattractive plant.

And always contact Diggers Hotline as you begin planning and before putting the first

shovel in the ground. Simply call 811 or file a request online at DiggersHotline.com. They'll contact all the appropriate companies who will mark the location of their underground utilities in your work area. This helps eliminate the danger and inconvenience of accidentally knocking out power, cable or other utilities while you create a beautiful landscape.

Help new plantings get off to a healthy start with proper care. Check new plantings often and water thoroughly whenever the top few inches of soil are crumbly and moist. This encourages deep roots that are more drought tolerant and better able to compete with weeds and tolerate pests.

Spread a layer of shredded leaves, evergreen needles or wood chips over the soil surface to conserve moisture, suppress weeds

and keep the roots cool and moist. Keep mulch off the crowns of plants and trunks of trees. Mulching now reduces time spent watering and weeding.

Take advantage of the remaining season to make the changes you'd like to see in your landscape. You'll enjoy the adding beauty and improvements this fall and

for years to come.

*Melinda Myers is the author of numerous books, including Small Space Gardening. She hosts The Great Courses "How to Grow Anything" DVD series and the nationally syndicated Melinda's Garden Moment TV & radio program. Myers web site is www.MelindaMyers.com.*



Interplanting Bright Yellow Swiss Chard, parsley and Imperial Antique Shades Pansy creates a garden that provides both food and ornamental appeal. (Melinda Myers, LLC)

## Wisconsin DMV Offers Car Buying Tips

### Deceptive Advertising To Lure Customers Not Uncommon; DMV Resolves Concerns

Car dealerships are stocked with vehicles and ready to sell this summer. The Wisconsin Department of Transportation Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV) reminds consumers to do their homework before buying.

It starts with knowing about car promotions and 'sales events.' Wisconsin law requires car advertisements to be truthful. False or misleading advertising aimed at consumers is

against the state's deceptive advertising laws. Ads should clearly and conspicuously disclose all the information that will impact a buyer's purchasing decision. Disclaimers explaining any limitations of the offer

may be part of the vehicle advertisement but should not twist the truth.

"Wisconsin dealerships must stand behind the offer they make in their ads. If they don't, consumers have the support of state agencies, including the DMV," says Michael Domke, DMV dealer and agent section chief. Wisconsin DMV's Dealer and Agent Section helps consumers who have been

misled by car advertisements.

Buyers should be aware that some dealerships may use different tactics to embellish their offer, such as including discounts that customers may not qualify for or changing the vehicle price when a customer visits the dealership.

"A dealership is required to advertise a price that every customer qualifies for. It is il-

legal to advertise a price and then tell a customer they don't qualify for that price," says Domke.

In most cases, DMV can help the customer get the deal that was promised in a false advertisement. To file a complaint, contact the DMV's Dealer and Agent Section with copies of the advertisement and documents related to the vehicle purchase or lease. The DMV will use this information to resolve the complaint and enforce the laws.

More help with car buying is available in DMV's Wise Buys vehicle buyer's guide.

Wisconsin DMV offers these tips for car buyers:

- Read the entire ad and review all the details, qualifications and exclusions

- Pay attention to the fine print and watch for disclaimers, usually at the bottom of the ad, that explain any limitations of the offer

- Take the ad with you in case you have questions about the advertised price, brand, features or financing

- Watch for ads that offer one vehicle but then a different, often high-priced vehicle, is presented when you arrive at the dealership

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# USDA Now Making Payments For New Dairy Margin Coverage Program

– Income-Over-Feed Margin Triggers Fifth Payment For 2019

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Farm Service Agency (FSA) opened enrollment for the Dairy Margin Coverage (DMC) program on June 17 and has started issuing payments to producers who purchased coverage. Producers can enroll through September 20.

"Times have been especially tough for dairy farmers, and while we hope producers' margins will increase, the Dairy Margin Coverage program is providing support at a critical time for many in the industry," said Bill Northey, USDA Under Secretary for Farm Production and Conservation. "With lower premiums and higher levels of assistance than previous programs, DMC is already proving to be a good option for a lot of dairy producers across the country. USDA is committed to efficiently implementing the safety net programs in the 2018 Farm Bill and helping producers deal with the challenges of the ever-changing farm economy."

Authorized by the 2018 Farm Bill, DMC re-

places the Margin Protection Program for Dairy (MPP-Dairy). The program offers protection to dairy producers when the difference between the all-milk price and the average feed cost (the margin) falls below a certain dollar amount selected by the producer. To date, nearly 10,000 operations have signed up for the new program, and FSA has begun paying approximately \$100 million to producers for January through May.

DMC provides coverage retroactive to January 1, 2019, with applicable payments following soon after enrollment. The May 2019 income over feed cost margin was \$9.00 per hundred-weight (cwt.), triggering the fifth payment for eligible dairy producers who purchase the \$9.50 level of coverage under DMC. Payments for January, February, March and April also were triggered.

With the 50 percent hay blend, FSA's revised April 2019 income over feed cost margin is \$8.82 per cwt. The revised margins for Janu-

ary, February and March are, respectively, \$7.71, \$7.91 and \$8.66.

Dairy producers can choose coverage levels from \$4 up to \$9.50 at the time of signup. More than 98 percent of the producers currently enrolled have elected \$9.50 coverage on up to 95 percent of their production history.

On December 20, 2018, President Trump signed into law the 2018 Farm Bill, which provides support, certainty and stability to our nation's farmers, ranchers and land stewards by enhancing farm support programs, improving crop insurance, maintaining disaster programs and promoting and supporting voluntary conservation. FSA is committed to implementing these changes as quickly and effectively as possible, and today's updates are part of meeting that goal.

For more information, visit [farmers.gov](http://farmers.gov) DMC webpage or contact your local USDA service center. To locate your local FSA office, visit [farmers.gov/service-locator](http://farmers.gov/service-locator).



Construction has started on the Wisconsin 9/11 Memorial in Kewaskum. Pictured above are: (from left) Michael Belter and Brandon Ortin of Duquaine Concrete, and Tom Fabitz and Jerry Gosa, two members of the Wisconsin 9/11 Memorial Committee. Pictured to the right are more photos of construction that has taken place over the past week.

photos by Anne Trautner

## Building The Wisconsin 9/11 Memorial

By Anne Trautner

The Wisconsin 9/11 Memorial is starting to take shape in Kewaskum.

Workers poured 40,000 pounds of finished concrete to form a

foundation for centerpiece of the memorial: a steel beam that was recovered from the World Trade Center. A foundation is also being created for the memorial's amphitheater.

The work is part of Phase One of building the memorial. Work will also begin this year on Phase Four, which honors those who have served in the U.S. military.

Located in front of the Kewaskum Annex building at 1308 Fond du Lac Ave. in Kewaskum, the Wisconsin 9/11 memorial will serve as a place for visitors to reflect on the events of September 11, 2001.

In addition to being a place for people to reflect on the events of 9/11, the memorial will be a learning center. The plan is to create interactive learning stations, with visitors being able to use applications on their phones to listen to people like Gordon Haberman speak about the events of 9/11.

The memorial, which has been officially recognized as Washington County's 9/11 Memorial, will have five learning stations. They will feature information and artifacts about the twin towers, the airline crews and passengers, the first responders who gave their lives, the volun-

teers who worked at Ground Zero during the aftermath and the military.

A groundbreaking ceremony was held on June 8. At the ceremony, Gordon Haberman, whose daughter Andrea Haberman, a 1994 graduate of Kewaskum High School, was killed in the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001, spoke. He talked about the importance of the memorial and the significance of the steel beam.

"This artifact will be the focal piece of the memorial, a link to a past event in our country's history — an attack which was intended to bring this country to its knees. Rather than do that, however, what emerged from the ashes was the true core of America: the infinite compassion and resolve of its people," Gordon Haberman said.

The memorial is being built through the donations of various organizations, businesses and individuals.

"We could not do this without the support of the Kewaskum community. Everyone here has just been incredible," Gordon Haberman said.

To learn more about the memorial and ways to donate, visit [wisconsin911memorial.com](http://wisconsin911memorial.com).

## Fiscal Facts: Loss Of Educated Workers Causing 'Brain Drain' In Wisconsin

People who move away from Wisconsin tend to be more highly educated than those who stay in the state or those who move here from elsewhere, highlighting the state's need to attract and retain college graduates.

Over 20 percent of native Wisconsinites ages 31 to 40 who moved out of state were classified as "highly educated," defined as in the top third of educational levels, according to 2017

federal data. The percentage of highly educated people born elsewhere who moved into Wisconsin was under 10 percent, however, indicating a "brain drain" deficit.

Although improved from the state's previous rankings, Wisconsin's gap was still the eighth highest in the country and second only to Iowa in the Midwest. Meanwhile, Illinois and Minnesota saw net gains of highly educated workers

in the same age group.

Wisconsin has comparatively strong population retention, but its low rate of in-migration from other states is a key driver of net migration loss.

In response to this worker shortage, Wisconsin officials in both parties have proposed measures designed to attract and retain college graduates, mainly through state income tax incentives. Increasing wages, which trail the

national median in Wisconsin, and expanding job opportunities for the college-educated, are also key factors driving where young college graduates choose to live.

Determining the most effective set of strategies for addressing this problem is critical to attracting and retaining people to fill higher-paying jobs in the state, which typically require high levels of education. Those workers are also essential to fueling innovation and growth and to ensuring the state can compete in the increasingly global and knowledge-based economy.

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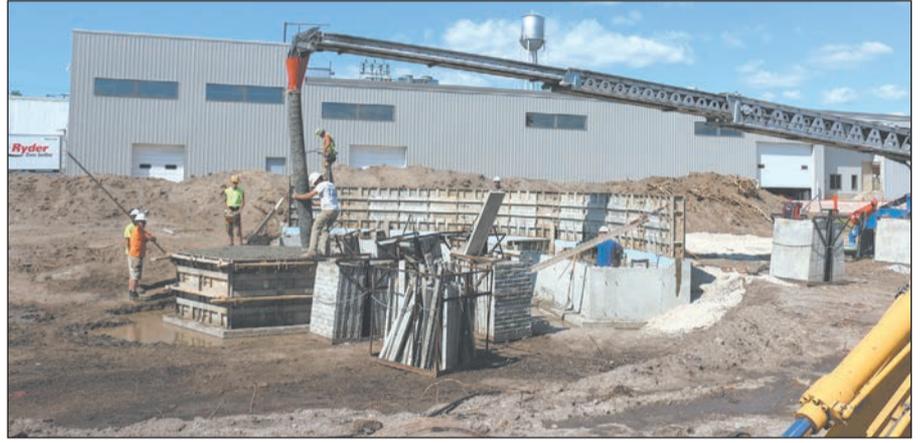
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# SPORTS

## Kettle Moraine YMCA Competed In National Competition

The Kettle Moraine Dynamites girls competitive gymnastics team participated in the 2019 YMCA National Gymnastics competition June 20-23. This year the event was hosted by the Green County YMCA from Wisconsin.

The event took place at the Woodside Wis-

consin Dells Center in the Wisconsin Dells. Teams from all over the country come to compete.

The following gymnasts from Kewaskum competed and placed in the following events/level:

•Taylor Peterson (Level seven) second

place bars, seventh place floor, third place all around

•Isabelle Thomas (Level six) second place vault, eighth place bars, seventh place all around

•Mackenzie Uniewski (Level two) fourth place floor, sixth place beam and bars, third place all around

•Haidyn Herriges

(Level four) second place bars, eighth place all around

•Olivia Dourn (Level three) second place bars, seventh place floor, third place all around

•Harper Herriges (Level four) fourth place beam, fifth place bars, eighth place floor, fourth place all around



These two members of the Kettle Moraine Dynamites posed for the camera after the competition sporting the hardware they earned.

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Showing off the medals she won during the gymnastics competition held June 20-23 is one of the members of the Kettle Moraine Dynamites.

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The 2019 YMCA National Gymnastics competition was held June 20-23. This young lady displayed the medals she earned.

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Wearing the medals she earned during the 2019 YMCA National Gymnastics competition is a member of the Kettle Moraine Dynamites.

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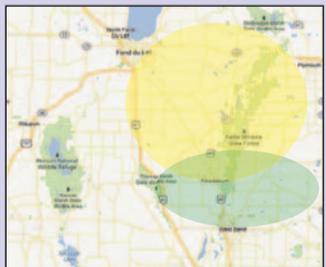
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# Sharp, Steady Play Earns Jahnke A Tie For 29th In Men's Amateur

A four-day battle against the challenging Lawsonia Links Golf Club in Green Lake against the best amateur players in the state ended with Kewaskum's Jason Janke securing a tie for 29th place in the 118th Wisconsin State Amateur Championship that concluded on Thursday, July 18.

"I hung around (until the end)," Jahnke, 31 and a 2006 graduate of Kewaskum High, said after making the cut and nearly securing an exemption for the 2020 event. For his four rounds, Jahnke shot 72-73-77-75 for a 297, four shots out of a top-20 finish.

Hunter Eichhorn of Carney, MI and a member of the Marquette University golf team, won the tournament with a 281 total.

"I've qualified for the Men's Amateur Championship a couple of times before, but never made the cut," Jahnke went on, noting this was his first goal and after reaching that mark with a one over 145, he started to think top 25 was a possibility.

The field is cut from 170 to just the top 70 players, according to Jahnke, who said in addition to the field being

tough, tournament officials set up the course a bit different for the final 36 holes.

"The course got a little tougher, and the greens were hard and fast," Jahnke said. "All that's left is the good players."

In the first round, Jahnke said he was one under par through 16, but took a bogey five on number 17 toward an even par finish. The second round also went well for Jahnke. He was even through 17, then took a bogey on number 18 for the 73 but finished high enough to be 14th overall, three places behind his 11th place on the first day.

"Once I reached the (cut) goal, I had to make new ones," Jahnke said, one being a top-25 finish so he would be exempt next year. "The other was to finish in single digits over par for all rounds." He reached that one with the nine-over finish, and just missed the exemption by four places.

Concerning the scorching heat the golfers faced, Jahnke said the first two days it didn't affect him much. His 10:30 a.m. start time helped, but for days three and four, it was a different story because he didn't tee off until

1:30 p.m.

"That was a tougher grind," he said.

On the third day, he struggled on the front nine, shooting a four-over par 40, then bogeyed numbers 10, 13, 15 and 16 before recovering nicely with birdies on numbers 17 and 18 for a 37 and a 77.

On the final day, "I was hitting the ball real well," Janke said, reporting he was three-over, which was "a good score compared with the leaders." His final round included one birdie and two bogeys on the front nine, and seven pars and two bogeys on the back.

Jahnke, who practices at Hon-E-Kor CC, also competed in the Men's Match Play earlier this summer at West Bend Country Club. He shot a 10-over-par 82 in the medal portion of the tournament to finish in a tie for 53rd place and made the match play field of 64.

In the first round, he defeated Sam Schlosser, also of Kewaskum and a member of the Concordia University men's golf team, by a score of one-up. Then he lost a 23 hole marathon match to Jack McKinney of Milwaukee. McKinney was eliminated in the next round.

About his final match, Jahnke said he was ahead until number 18 when McKinney sunk a 25-foot putt to send the match into extra holes. They tied the first five, then McKinney birdied number 6 to win.

Longtime Hon-E-Kor member and current HEK men's champion, Craig Anderson of West Bend, shot 76-80 for a 156 and missed the cut in the event. Ethan Geidel, formerly of Kewaskum, shot 80-88 and did not make the cut.



Kewaskum's Jason Janke watches his shot during the 118th Wisconsin State Amateur Championship last week at Lawsonia Links Golf Club in Green Lake.

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## TRAP SCORES

### New Fane Sportsmen's Club Wednesday Trap League

#### July 19 Standings:

**Blue Division:** Beechwood Sportsmen's Club 10-3, MGS 11-2, Rusty Spur 5-8, Heberer's Home Improvement 9-4, West Bend Harley 6-7, Lake Bernice Taxidermy 6-7, Trollop's 1 6-7, EH Wolf 5-8

**White Division:** Trollop's 2 5.5-7.5, Fischers Dragline 9.5-3.5, Trollops 3 8-5, Special T Pork 6-7, Squizzles Pizza 7.5-5.5, BHF

Pumping 6-7, Core & Main 5-7, Kettle Moraine Agency 4.5-7.5

**Red Division:** Amerahn 9-4, TNT Auto Body 7-6, Bill's House 7-6, Nordic Beef 7-6, Townline Trees 6-7, B&R Automation 5-8, Gateway Cafe 3-10, MB Smith Construction 3-10

**25 Straight:** Jim Vetter Jr., Austin Heberer, Ethan Vetter, Matt Ballard, Jeff Waala, Mike Heberer, Dan Gundrum, Jim Rosenthal, Dan Lauters, Pat Adams, Dave Rochwite, Bryan Theisen, Mark Greschel

**50 Straight:** Jake Wade

7.5-4.5, Times Remembered 7-5, Road House 5.5-6.5, Lakeview Electric 5-7, Timber Hills Veterinary 2.5-9.5

**24x25:** Yvette Pocian, Dale Reigle, Jim Vetter, Mack Miller, Vern Schultz, Gary Sina, Brian Schmidt, Eric Sabish, Chris Weishan, Nathan Schaub, Joe Beyer

**25x25:** Ethan Vetter, Ken Beckford, Jason Sarauer, Jeff Waala, Doug Neumann, John Reigle, Les Gessner, Jim Vetter Jr., Bernd Van Vorshelen, Jim Hodge, Gary Schmidt, Bob Poznanski, Jacob Poznanski

**49x50:** Vern Schultz, Ken Beckford, Jason Sarauer, Dale Reigle, Gary Schmidt, Chris Weishan

**74x75:** Ethan Vetter  
**50x50:** Jeff Waala, Bob Poznanski  
**100x100:** Jim Vetter Jr.

### Beechwood Sportsmen's Club Thursday Trap League

#### July 18 Standings:

Class "A": Beechwood Bunch 10.5-1.5, Idlewile Inn 7.5-4.5, Turner Electric 6.5-5.5, Gerken Specialty Machining 5.5-6.5, Four Seasons Resorts 5.5-6.5, Gateway Cafe 4.5-7.5, Fillmore Trap 4-8, Amerahn 4-8

Class "B": West Bend Machine Works 10.5-1.5, AC Excavating 8-4, Schober & Associates

# Arenz Continues MSA Hot Streak At Angell Park

Travis Arenz of Sheboygan has been setting a torrid pace in Midwest Sprint Car Association competition during the vast majority of the 2019 season and his performance in the MSA's second of three scheduled stops of the year at the Angell Park Speedway in Sun Prairie showed that he has no intentions of slowing down anytime soon.

Benefitting from a favorable invert draw to receive an outside front row starting spot in the 25-lap MSA headliner, Arenz led flag to flag to win for the third time in the last four MSA events and third time overall at the historic speed plant.

On the drop of the green flag, Arenz powered around polesitter Anthony Knierim of Franksville to lead the opening lap along the outside groove around the well-manicured multi-groove third-mile dirt oval.

As Arenz darted out to a healthy lead in the early going, defending

Plymouth Dirt Track Racing 360 Sprint Car champion Justin Miller of Plymouth moved in from the third starting spot to pressure Knierim for second. The two drivers duelled side by side until the first caution of the race appeared on lap four when Adam Miller of Plymouth spun in turn two.

Following the restart, 2011 MSA champion Ben Schmidt of Howards Grove made his presence felt as he bolted into fourth on lap five. Two laps later, Schmidt powered around Justin Miller to seize third in turn two on lap seven before working past Knierim into second on lap 11.

On lap 12, Arenz caught the back of the field and was just beginning to slice his way through the slower traffic when the second yellow flag of the event appeared as rookie Blake Wondra of Fond du Lac stopped in turn four.

Arenz, who won the

first MSA event of the year at Angell Park on June 2, again built up a comfortable cushion on the restart before catching a large group of slower cars on lap 19, which allowed Schmidt to close the gap considerably.

Schmidt moved into within three car lengths of Arenz on lap 22. However, Arenz skillfully worked his way through lapped traffic to shield himself from Schmidt's late charge and secure his fifth career MSA A-main victory and series-leading fourth MSA main event win of the 2019 season.

Schmidt placed second, Justin Miller fin-

ished third, Knierim held on to place fourth. Waupun's Will Gerrits, who started 10th, rounded out the top five.

The MSA competitors will return to action in support of the Ollie's Bargain Outlet All Start Circuit of Champions-Bumper to Bumper Interstate Racing Association Challenge event scheduled Thursday, July 25, at The Plymouth Dirt Track at the Sheboygan County Fairgrounds in Plymouth.

Spectator gates are set to open at 4:30 p.m. with hot laps scheduled for 5:30 p.m. All Star-IRA qualifying and racing will follow.

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# Leister, North Come Out On Top In All Star Game

By Judy Harlow

The South team has dominated the annual WFC (Wisconsin Football Coaches Association) All-Star game in recent years, but on July 20, the North finally broke its opponent's string of wins, using a slew of interceptions and a good passing attack to post a 19-11 victory.

"It was eight years (the South had won)," John Leister, former Kewaskum High lineman said one day after helping to break that string as an offensive tackle for the North.

Leister, a 290-pound lineman who is going to UW-Oshkosh in the fall, indicated the North coaches used the losing streak as motivation for their players. "Yes they did," Leister said, reporting they would stress, "You only get to play in this game once... Go out and make history."

Leister was the starting right tackle for the North, playing much of the first half and every other series in the second. The game was slated to start at 5 p.m., but because of a storm, didn't get underway until 7 p.m., according to Leister, who said, "it was actually nice because we got to play under the lights."

While most football games are decided by touchdowns and field goals, this one took a new twist, as the North gave up four points on a couple of safeties but was able to stop many of the South drives on pass interceptions.

"We actually had six interceptions, and one guy, Dave Hayden (of La Crosse Central), had four by himself," Leister said.

North was down 9-7 at half, but used touchdown passes to Kaukauna's Mason Van Zeeland and Riley Zirpel of Menasha to surge into the lead. North used three quarterbacks, Logan Graetz of River Falls, Hudson's Keyser Helterbrand, and Cody

Staerkel of Kimberly, who combined to go 15x23 for 223 yards and three TDs with no interceptions.

While he was happy to be on the winning side, Leister said the visit to their practice by kids who are in Children's Hospital, was definitely the highlight of the week. "The focus of the week was the kids," he said, and after seeing some of them who are going through difficult times "gave me a whole different perspective to be humble, and appreciate what I have."

Leister and the other players would obviously have enjoyed cooler temperatures for the five days of workouts prior to the game. He said the heat was "the only downside of the week," noting the North players were housed on the eighth floor of one of the dorms, and there was no air conditioning.

"It was hot all week... We sweat a lot and drank a lot of water," Leister said, still realizing this was a great opportunity to prepare for the upcoming start of the Titans' fall camp. As of right now, Leister is not sure if he will be on the UW-Oshkosh varsity or if he will be red-shirted.

"I go into fall camp August 14th," he said, indicating the Titan coaches watched him during a newcomer camp held in late June and now in the All Star game and "They said they liked what they saw." Several of Leister's former teammates, Tony Steger, Faton Elmazi and Beret Elmazi, helped with the spring camp and will be trying to secure positions on the team this fall.

While he missed playing on defense, Leister said playing for the North All-Stars was exciting. "I loved it. It was probably one of the best weeks of my life," meeting players from other schools and also raising money for a good cause, Children's Hospital.



The Kewaskum U11 boys Tribe team took second place in the Brookfield Bigler tournament on July 14. Team members include: (front row, from left) Ben Sabish, Devon Berndt, Brayden Loehr, Alex Theusch, Ben Ebert and Ethan Immel; and (back row) coach Jamey Racer, Carson Heisdorf, Austin Reichel, Ashton Feucht, coach Bruce Theusch, Jimmy Racer, Johnny Hooker, Kaden Schmit and scorekeeper John Immel. photo submitted

## Harnessing Thousands Of Eyes To Track Down New Invasive Species

Citizens reporting wild chervil and other invasive species they see along roadsides, bike paths, public lands and waters are part of a comprehensive database helping quickly detect new invasive species, so resources can be directed to controlling them quickly.

The Invasive Species Archive combines monitoring data from the Department of Natural Resources, federal agencies, university researchers, and citizen scientists. It uses new technology to make it easy for property managers, local Cooperative Invasive Species Management Areas, and others who work with invasive species.

"This tool will enable our partners to take the data and immediately use it to create monitoring and control plans for invasive species," says Jason Granberg, the Department of Natural Resources invasive species specialist who built the tool.

DNR has early detection and response funds that can help local conservationists address a new infestation while the

population is still small enough to control, Granberg says. Once an invasive species gets established, the costs to manage and control it can become very expensive.

DNR has provided all DNR state natural area, parks, forest, and wildlife area managers and local Cooperative Invasive Species Management Areas with lists of all species reported within and near their borders. DNR also has shared the archive with the Wisconsin Department of Transportation to use in their plan to control prohibited invasive species found along road right of ways.

"It's great to have this resource at our disposal," says Bob Wakeman, who coordinates DNR aquatic invasive species efforts. "Our partners and property managers now have some help in identifying what invasive species may be on their property and developing a control strategy that helps them to prioritize where they should spend limited resources for control."

The Lower Chippewa Invasives Partnership,

for example used the archive information from DNR to quickly apply for DNR rapid response funds to control amur cork trees and wild chervil. The money is helping the partnership train officials, roadside managers and landowners to address infestations of the two species, and to pay for supplies for local control of them.

Invasive species are non-native plants, animals, or pathogens that take over a new location and alter the ecosystem, affecting its function, economic value and/or human health. Typically, these invasive species can take over an area because they do not have the predators, competitors, or diseases from their home ranges which keep them in check.

### Call For The Public To Report Prohibited Species To DNR

To keep the database current and robust, Granberg is inviting Wisconsin residents and visitors to report if they

find species that are prohibited in Wisconsin and if they find a plant or animal they've never seen before. See some of the prohibited terrestrial invasive species DNR is looking for in this slide show.

"Early detection is crucial for the early control of these species," Granberg says. The public can contact the DNR by sending an email to Invasive.Species@Wisconsin.gov along with a photograph, location, and size descriptions for any invasive species.

To understand which invasive species are prohibited in Wisconsin and which have been reported in an area, people can use the Wisconsin Shared Terrestrial Invasive Plant Presence online visualization tool developed by University of Wisconsin-Madison's Division of Extension. This interactive map provides information on species locations, legal classification, and area of interest.



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The art fair will be held on Friday, Aug. 9 from 3 - 8 p.m. and Saturday, Aug. 10, from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.

## St. Joseph's Hospital Is First in State To Offer Intensive Cardiac Rehabilitation

Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital, West Bend, has become the first in Wisconsin to offer an Intensive Cardiac Rehabilitation Program. Intensive Cardiac Rehabilitation differs from traditional cardiac rehab, which the hospital has offered since 1991, in that eligible patients can attend up to 72 rehab sessions compared to 36 sessions in cardiac rehab, and it provides more opportunity for patients to learn lifestyle modifications to develop long-term cardiac wellness.

The hospital's ICR builds on traditional cardiac rehabilitation by offering more education and nutritional workshops, in addition to heart healthy exercise. The program follows three key pillars -- regular exercise, healthy eating and a healthy mindset. By developing these skills through ICR, patients learn how to foster an overall healthy lifestyle that leads to a healthy heart and improved quality of life.

Similar to traditional cardiac rehabilitation, a physician referral following a qualifying diagnosis is needed to start ICR, including angioplasty, coronary artery bypass grafting, cardiac stent placement, chronic stable angina, myocardial infarction, cardiac transplant or valve surgery.

"Our Intensive Cardiac Rehabilitation Program gives appropriate patients a more comprehensive approach to their cardiac care," said Dr. Kevin Cohoon, Froedtert & MCW cardiologist and director of heart and vascular wellness. "It's a powerful tool for us to offer our patients who are in a strong position to make a dramatic change to their cardiac health. It's a tremendous benefit to our West Bend-area community."

The Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin health network has partnered with Pri-

tkin ICR to offer the program. The Pritikin Program is a lifestyle approach to reducing risk factors associated with chronic diseases. It has been the subject of more than 100 peer-reviewed scientific studies and taught to more than 100,000 people for over 35 years.

The Froedtert & MCW health network plans to implement the ICR program at additional locations, as well.

Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital, founded in 1930 by local doctors, community leaders and the Sisters of the Divine Savior, is a full-service hospital serving residents of West Bend and Washington County. St. Joseph's Hospital specializes in women's health and birthing services, cancer care, surgical procedures and rehabilitation services. It's part of the Froedtert & the Medical College of Wisconsin health care network, which includes four community hospital campuses, more than 1,600 physicians and nearly 40 health centers and clinics, drawing patients from throughout the Midwest and the nation.



Judges at the Washington County Fair weigh in on a variety of different projects done by area residents.

photo by Anne Trautner

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Area youth show their projects to judges at the Washington County Fair. The projects will be displayed at the fair through Sunday, July 28.

photo by Anne Trautner

## Local Governments Now Have Access To \$75 Million In New Transportation Grants

Following years of underfunding, Governor Tony Evers recognized the importance of increasing funding for local transportation projects to ensure that local elected officials can address the needs of their communities.

In addition to a historic 10 percent increase (\$66 million over the biennium) in available funding for general transportation aids, paid to counties, towns, villages, and cities, the 2019-2021 budget provides \$75 million in one-time funding for transportation projects.

"Law enforcement and firefighters across Wisconsin have called on us to address poor road conditions that are putting Wisconsinites' safety at risk. By allow-

ing the Department of Transportation to work with local leaders to prioritize the most critical transit and transportation projects, we can ensure that local elected officials are able to respond to the needs of their communities," Governor Evers said.

"This new program enables local communities to prioritize their most immediate transportation needs," Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) secretary-designee Craig Thompson explained. "The grant program is designed to address a range of possible projects, and puts the decision-making in the hands of the locals. We expect that communities will submit the project they believe will have the greatest impact on their economic development and growth."

### Program Well-Received By Local Governments

"Throughout the budget process, there was much discussion and debate, but what everyone could agree upon was we needed additional and sustainable funding for transportation," Wisconsin Counties Association executive director Mark D. O'Connell said "The budget passed by the Legislature and approved by the Governor included a 10 percent General Transportation Aids (GTA) increase and this new one-time supplemental funding. These appropriations will devote much needed resources to county infrastructure

needs."

Representatives from county, town, village and city organizations joined Secretary Thompson at the state capitol to highlight the features of the new program.

"Wisconsin's economy requires strong first and last mile infrastructure connections," Wisconsin Towns Association executive director Mike Koles said. "The 10 percent GTA increase is a solid step toward closing the significant deficiency in town road maintenance efforts, while the one-time injection of almost \$29 million will help fund road and bridge construction that is critical to economic growth and public safety. Together, these strategies approved by the Legislature and Governor will begin to decrease the current 371-year town road replacement cycle."

"Cities and villages statewide are grateful that the one budget issue upon which both the legislature and the governor agreed was the need to further boost transportation aids for local governments," League of Wisconsin Municipalities assistant director Curt Wityski said. "The budget includes a 10 percent increase in transportation aids, an increase in transit assistance, and a one-time multi-modal transportation aid supplement. The supplement serves as an important short-term bridge to a long-term sustainable transportation funding solution. Municipalities are particularly pleased that the

Governor's vetoes improved upon the Legislature's original concept by broadening the uses for which the supplemental aid can be used to include transit capital needs and bike paths."

### Program Highlights

The program will pay up to 90 percent of total eligible costs with local governments providing the balance. Grants will be available for projects statewide related to:

- Roads
- Bridges
- Transit capital and facility grants
- Bicycle and pedestrian accommodations
- Railroads
- Harbors

•Local and tribal governments are eligible for the funding. A six-year project completion will be required for approved projects.

Local Government Type Funding — County, \$26,669,333; City/Village, \$19,039,500; Town, \$29,291,167, for a total of \$75,000,000.

The program will mirror aspects of the Local Roads Improvement Program (LRIP). The project selection process will include local government committees. The selection will be competitive and involve stakeholder input and review. The emphasis will be on local project delivery with minimal WisDOT oversight.



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## Overcoming Addiction Getting Treatment And Living Life

"I couldn't imagine myself staying clean for a year and passing two drug tests a week," Klahn said. "I was thinking I'd rather take three years of probation with all this time over my head so I would get just one drug test a month. I can beat that. It is going to be hard to beat two a week. That's what was going through my head."

### The TAD Program

Freeman was not shocked by Klahn's words.

"A lot of our clients have had a very negative history with the criminal justice system. They feel stigmatized and labeled. They feel like they are treated as though they are criminals and that people have a bias about them. And they feel that any involvement in a court-involved program is going to turn out the way that previous ones did," Freeman said.

"Joe had a choice way of expressing that. But it was really understandable. So I appreciated his honesty," Freeman said.

The TAD program was developed by representatives from the Washington County District Attorney's Office, the Public Defender's Office, the Washington County Human Services Department, the Department of Corrections, the Washington County Sheriff's Department and Circuit Court judges, as well as other community treatment providers and nonprofits.

Oftentimes, people are referred to the opiate TAD program by the district attorney's office.

"If someone has a pending charge for possession of narcotic drugs, if the district attorney's office thinks that they would be a good candidate for the program, and if they meet basic eligibility criteria, they will send the referral over to us. From

there, we meet with the client and conduct a formal assessment," Freeman explained.

To be eligible for the opiate TAD program, clients must be at least 17 years old and must not be a violent offender. Upon successful completion of the program, clients can have their charge(s) dismissed.

However, in Klahn's case, he did not have any pending charges. Plus he had already been convicted of a felony, and completing the TAD program would not take that mark off his record.

He had voluntarily checked into the Exodus House, a residential treatment facility in Kewaskum that helps men struggling with alcohol or drug addiction.

In addition to conducting drug testing, the TAD program focuses on what the client's goals are, including what the individual currently needs as well as that person's long-term goals.

"Getting clean is the easy part, but then comes life," Freeman said.

### Learning To Live

For Klahn, who is now 33, life in the Exodus House was a whole new way of life.

"I had to somehow make it to Jackson for the drug testing with Andy Freeman twice a week. And I had all these bills. I had never shopped for myself. I hadn't done anything. So it was overwhelming," Klahn said.

But with Freeman's help and the guidance of counselors at Exodus House, he started doing all those things.

"He just did such a fantastic job. He thrived on the community support groups, the involvement in the 12-step program, getting a sponsor and working with his sponsor," Freeman said.

"I just had the pleasure of meeting with him

regularly. Occasionally I provided a suggestion or advice, but mostly was a sounding board as he went through the process," Freeman said.

Klahn also took advantage of the gym at the Exodus house.

"Eating healthy and physical exercise is huge for Joe. He really started to focus on physical health and wanted to feel good again," Freeman noted.

At the Exodus House, Klahn was required to do weekly chores. The facility also provided regularly scheduled social events and support.

"You do then have the ability to experience all those life things and all the daily petty frustrations," Freeman said. "But even that, he did it with treatment and sober living."

"It was an awesome feeling," Klahn said.

### Sober Living

When Klahn neared the end of his 90-day stay at the Exodus House, he started to worry how he would live outside the walls of the Victorian home.

"I wanted to leave a week before I got out of here because I was so scared of having to work all of life's stuff because I had never done it," Klahn said.

But he stuck with the program and moved to a home called "Sober Living."

"After you complete the 90 days here, we offer Sober Living as a post-treatment after-care plan. We own two houses. One in the Kewaskum community and one in Hartford," said Nicole Thull, director of business development / counselor for the Exodus House.

A \$305 monthly fee covers room and board as well as group therapy. Each Sober Living home has a live-in manager who takes care of drug testing.

Klahn moved into the Sober Living home in Hartford last year.



Joseph Klahn (left) poses with Nicole Thull, director of business development / counselor for the Exodus House.

photo by Anne Trautner

"I was nervous about going to Hartford because I never lived there and my family's not there," Klahn said.

In the home, Klahn is required to attend his treatment meetings. He has chores. And he must remain sober.

"You still have a level of accountability," Klahn said.

Once Klahn moved into the home in Hartford, he started working at a landscaping company.

"I never worked 40 hours a week until last May," said Klahn, who still lives in the Sober Living House.

Klahn needed to make money. He had lots of tickets and fines, and he didn't have his driver's license.

So Klahn got his license and for the first time started paying off tickets. Because of his drug use and driving illegally, he had racked up about \$10,000 in tickets. He owed the Wisconsin Department of Revenue money. He had to pay off tickets in Dodge County, Fond du Lac County, Milwaukee County, Washington County and the Town of Kewaskum.

"I had a lot of stuff. I still owe some money out there, but I paid off a lot of tickets, which I never did before," Klahn

said. "I didn't know how I was going to save, I didn't know how to prioritize my bills, any of that stuff," Klahn said.

So the counselors at the Exodus House taught him those skills.

"The people here helped me out a lot. They still help me," Klahn said. "As I went along, I got my license and I bought a car last summer."

Klahn admits he still isn't perfect.

"I still get frustrated sometimes," he said.

When he does, he knows he can call up Freeman and talk.

"TAD was another resource for me because I had a safe place where I could just go during the day," Klahn said. "I could call Andy all the time and say, 'Hey I've got cravings,' or, 'Hey, I've got this or that.' It was an awesome thing to have extra support in the community."

Klahn admits there were several things that helped him in his battle against drugs.

"One thing that drove me through TAD was the motivation I had was I felt like an underdog. That was the motivator for me. I look at it differently now, but at the time, I felt like I wasn't supposed to make it

through with my track record, so that motivated me to get through it," Klahn said.

The longer Klahn was clean, the easier it was for him to stay away from drugs.

"I learned that when you are not doing anything wrong, it's easy. I enjoyed going to TAD," he said.

Klahn still depends on the Exodus House and goes back regularly.

"This place still helps every aspect of my life," he said.

Klahn's change has not gone unnoticed.

"What's unique about Joe's story is the length of time that he was using. I mean I haven't worked with many clients that have been active heroin users. They either die or get better. They don't live long. They don't use for 10 years. That's kind of an interesting piece about Joe because to reverse something like that. I mean 10 years of active use, and then to have him doing well, is really something," Thull said.

—This is the third part in a series about Joseph Klahn, drug abuse and the path to sobriety. The fourth part will be in an upcoming Kewaskum Statesman.