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Members of St. Michael parish and Rodenkirch family members meet with Jana Marie Rodenkirch, who is related to Michael Rodenkirch, who helped start St. Michael parish. Pictured are: (front row, from left) Rosalie Follmann, Joan Schmidt, Jana Marie Rodenkirch, Jessica Trunkel, Kevin Rodenkirch and Steve Backhaus; and (back row) Diana Grogan-Schomers, Reiny Follmann, Leon Schmidt, Fr. Jacob Strand, Fred Middendorf and Kim Rodenkirch.

photo by Anne Trautner

## A Family Link Found At St. Michael

By Anne Trautner

Steve Backhaus lives across the street from St. Michael Catholic Church in the unincorporated community of St. Michaels.

As a lifelong member of the parish, he helps care for the grounds. He keeps an eye on the church to make sure nothing is amiss.

So on Thursday, Oct. 10, when he saw a lady and a teenage girl peering into the windows of the church, he took notice. He watched them walk across the parking lot and through the cemetery. He saw them walk over to his neighbor's house. He wondered what they were up to.

"I figured they were trying to peddle something," Backhaus said.

But when the two

came to talk with him, they told Backhaus that they were visiting from Germany. The lady, named Diana Grogan-Schomers, is a teacher. Her 15-year-old foreign exchange student is named Jana Rodenkirch.

Jana is related to Michael Rodenkirch, who moved from Germany to Wisconsin in 1846 and settled in the area now known as St. Michael.

Backhaus could not believe his ears.

Michael Rodenkirch is the person who is recognized for starting St. Michael's parish. Before an actual church building was constructed, his house actually served as the first church building of the St. Michael parish.

Because Michael Rodenkirch was the leader

of the early pioneers, the parishioners decided to name the parish St. Michael parish in honor of Michael Rodenkirch's patron saint, St. Michael

the Archangel.

Family Link

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## School Board Renews WASB Membership

By Anne Trautner

The majority of Kewaskum School Board members changed their minds on Monday, Oct. 14, and voted 5-2 to renew the district's Wisconsin Association of School Boards (WASB) membership. Board members Jim Leister and Doug Gonring voted against the measure.

The vote reversed the decision that was made on June 10, when the board voted unanimously 7-0 to not continue its membership.

"Our association is about providing opportunities for you to network with other school board members," WASB Executive Director John Ashley said at last week's meeting.

With the Kewaskum School District back on board, all 421 public school districts in the state belong to WASB.

The association offers statewide school news, conventions, professional development opportunities, professional consulting and legal

services, as well as the opportunity for the district to showcase its accomplishments, according to Ashley.

Kewaskum School District's annual membership dues are \$5,225. The contract runs from July to July, but Kewaskum will not be reimbursed any funds because WASB never stopped providing services for the district, according to Ashley.

School Board Member Mary Miller said that one advantage of being a WASB member is having a vote on various resolutions, which are then brought before legislators.

"I think one thing people need to be aware of coming up this year is there is a resolution about the mascot. Quite a few other districts have eliminated the Indian mascot or anything affiliated with that," Miller said.

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## Halloween Happenings This Weekend

### Hunter's Haunted House

Hunter's Haunted House will be held at 5143 Highway 28 in Kewaskum on Friday, Oct. 25, and Saturday, Oct. 26, from 6 to 10 p.m. The cost is at least five nonperishable food items, which will be donated to the Kewaskum food pantry.

### Halloween Caper

The annual Halloween Caper hosted by the Campbellsport Area Chamber of Commerce will be held on Friday, Oct. 25, at Campbell-

sport Elementary School from 6 to 9 p.m.

The event will feature the Haunted Hallway at Campbellsport High

School, as well as hayrides, crafts, balloon animals, food, mood music, a

costume contest and

much more.

The cost is \$5 to get into the event for anyone three years old or older. Prizes will

be given out for games and a costume contest.

### Trick or Treat

Trick or Treat in Kewaskum will be on Saturday, Oct. 26, 5-7 p.m.

Trick or Treat in Farmington will be on Saturday, Oct. 26, 4-7 p.m.

Trick or Treat in West Bend will be on Saturday, Oct. 26, 4-6 p.m.

Trick or Treat in Jackson will be on Sunday, Oct. 27, 5:30-7:30 p.m.



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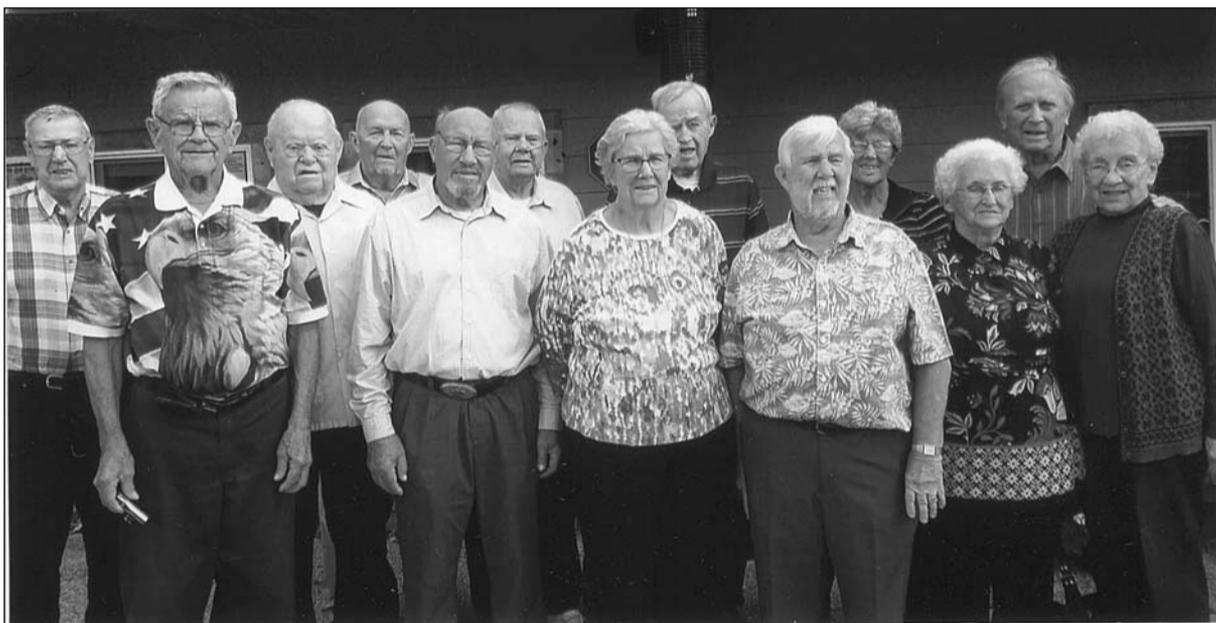
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The KHS Class of 1955 attended their 64th annual reunion at Hon E Kor Country Club on Tuesday, Sept. 17. In attendance were 13 class members along with nine spouses and friends who enjoyed a noon luncheon, social gathering and renewed friendships. Class members pictured are, front from left, Kathleen (Krell) Dahlinger, Katherine (Brown) Spaeth, Rita (Schladweiler) Peters, Darlene (Backhaus) Rodenkirch, Joanne (Ferber) Kieckhafer; back row, Albert Prost, William Seefeldt, Jerome Nigh, Richard Dreher, Roger Kumrow, Robert Kougl, Fred Domann and Tom Zalewski. The 65th class reunion is planned for September 15th, 2022, at Hon E Kor Country Club for all 1955 KHS classmates, spouses, friends and a special invitation extended to all spouses of deceased class members.

-photo submitted



The Kewaskum High School Class of 1953 held its class reunion at Mike's Bar at Mauthe Lake in the Northern Kettle Moraine on October 8. Pictured are: (front row, from left) Dennis Bingen, Lloyd Prost, Ruth "Dolly" Edwards Ramthun, Len Sirotzki from Florida, Arlene Pesch Rahlf and Marlene Zuehlke Jennings; and (back row) William Haack, Robert Schultz, Henry "Hank" Weddig from Waupaca, Alvin Wiesner, Jules Dreher, Shirley Schacht Backer and Roger Groeschel.

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## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Transfers are from dates August 1, 2019 through September 30, 2019.

Note: The spellings seen here are how they appear on the Wisconsin Department of Revenue website.

### Town of Barton

Estate of David W. Drews to Joshua V. Krauter, \$182,500, 7380 Jeanellen Rd.

Lola J. Hall to Michael and Barbara Sitzberger, \$90,000, 6724 Jansen Dr.

Jane M. Korth Revocable Living Trust Dated April 17, 2019 to Benjamin A. Long, \$112,500, 3836 Schuster Dr.

John C. and Lisa M. Schroeder to Benjamin A. Long, \$337,500, 3836 Schuster Dr.

MK/S-EP, LLC to James J. and Margie S. Fellenz, Sr., \$348,600, 7438 Werner Rd.

Joshua Johnson to Glen Albers, \$183,000, 7344 Kettle Moraine Dr.

Dennis W. Mildbrandt to Suzanne C. Mildbrandt, \$223,300, Kevin Dr.

Estate of Frederick Rode to Elaine Gust, \$24,200, 7297 Salisbury Rd.

MK/S-EP, LLC, A Wisconsin Limited Liability Company to David J. and Taley S. Williamson, \$354,900, 7436 Werner Rd.

Gary D. Gonnering to Eclectic Investments LLC, \$169,100, 4300 Highview Dr.

Patrick AKA Patrick H. Wolfe to Joshua and Kelli J. Arndt, \$197,152, 6560 Glacier Dr.

James A. Wolf to Deanna S. Wolf, \$118,600, 7579 Bavarian Ln.

Deanna S. Wolf to Deanna S. Wolf Revocable Trust Dated June 10, 2019, \$237,100, 7579 Bavarian Ln.

James A. Wolf to Deanna S. Wolf, \$275,500, 7579 Bavarian Ln.

Kurtis K. Schmid

A/K/A Kurtis Schmid to Benjamin E. Naylor, \$143,957, 2930 Woodford Dr.

Deanna S. Wolf to Logan Krumhus, \$275,500, 7579 Bavarian Ln.

Linda Jo Lange to Cesar Nunez, \$440,000, 3921 Ridge Rd.

Charles E. Roethke to Scott and Cindi Hetzer, \$250,000, 4470 Schuster Dr.

Mary Ellen L. Thorn to Scott K. Biertzer, \$297,500, 2773 Newark Dr.

Jodene L. Giacomini to Susan M. and Brian S. Yourich, \$215,000, 3383 Caleb Ct.

James R. and Donna Jean Kunert to Michael T. and Dawn M. Wellner, \$280,000, 7370 Kettle Moraine Dr.

Kenneth W Schoenecker to Elizabeth and David Gaullke, \$319,900, 3898 Beaver Dam Rd.

Pamela and David Talsky to Emma Jane Long, \$235,000, Beaver Dam Rd.

Deanna S. Wolf Revocable Trust Date June 10, 2019 to Logan Krumhus, \$275,500, 7579 Bavarian Ln.

Mark A. and Sharon I. Kraft to Mark J. and Christina Lombard, \$275,000, 3156 Kristine Ln.

John R. Schenkel to Trustee for the John R. Schenkel Living Trust U/A Dated September 12, 2019, \$246,600, 4881 Beaver Dam Rd.

Gary H. Backhaus to Trustee of the Gary H. Backhaus and Lynette M. Backhaus Living Trust U/A Dated September 9, 2019, \$328,400, 7205 Susan Dr.

Jerry A. Susnik to Michael Neiman, \$250,000, 6738 Glacier Dr.

Hupfer Trust Dated October 20, 2003 to Jamison C. and Katherine G. Merrill, \$105,000, Smith Lake.

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## Week's Wit

The persons hardest to convince they're at the retirement age are children at bedtime.

## XYZ Card Results

The winners of cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, Oct. 16, were: Marian Herriges, Gordon Held, Kathy Schmitt, John Severance, and Darleen Rochwite. New members are always welcome. Cards are played from 8 - 11:15 a.m. every Wednesday



## WEST BEND GUN SHOW

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## Tuesday Night Sheephead Winners

Five-handed winners on Tuesday, Oct. 15, were: Raymond Kirchner 65-7-58 19-5-14, Scott Stern 64-10-54 17-5-12, Dennis Proeber 60-7-53 18-5-13, Deiores Stoffel 59-10-49 18-7-11, Chick Flynn 60-14-46 19-8-11, Sylvester Stern 54-10-44 19-7-12, Gerold Stern 46-4-42 17-2-15. Dale Dayton 22 most losses, and Pat Heaslip 7 low points. The next five-handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, Oct. 29, at 7 p.m. sharp. New players are always welcome at the Kewaskum Labor Center.

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WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Check It Out!



A Column By Kewaskum Librarian Lori Kreis

I review statistics for library usage on a regular basis and have realized that the residents of our community are not taking advantage of the awesome resources we offer. I want to be sure that you all know that our online resources are an excellent value, being free of charge for users. Some of the resources I am referring to are eBooks, eMagazines, databases, online courses and genealogy research. This column today is about the courses you can take either at the library or from the comfort of your own home. These are called Gale courses.

Some of the classes are for personal enrichment; others are for professional development. There are over 360 courses to choose from and all are instructor led, meaning there is a real, qualified person running these courses. The sessions run for six weeks and a new one begins every month. The investment is about three hours a week of your own time, but when you are finished, you obtain a sense of accomplishment and in some cases, a certificate of completion. Did I mention these courses are free for you? All you need is a valid Monarch Library card to sign up.

I have taken a variety of Gale Courses. Some for fun and others for work credit. For professional development, there are over 40 Microsoft courses. There are classes in Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Access, Outlook and Project. There are beginner courses for learning a new skill, intermediate for those with a little more knowledge and advanced which teaches complex fea-

tures of these applications. For patrons interested in becoming more proficient in accounting, there are a multitude of QuickBooks courses. Some of the other professional modules include business writing, web page design and grant writing. Additionally, there are certification programs in many topics with an emphasis on healthcare.

For patrons that are job seeking, there are lessons in resumes, interviewing and basic grammar and math skills. There are test prep modules for GRE, GMAT, SAT, GED and more. Those interested in starting a small business will find many offerings to help educate them on the process. Some of these are marketing your business on the internet and how to start your own home-based business.

Then there are the more entertaining topics through Gale Courses. There is one on basic guitar skills; another about digital photography. You can learn about finding your roots with genealogy and there is a class to help you communicate better using humor. A gardening course is being offered now along with healthy cooking classes. I may sign up for the drawing class this year, just for fun.

I hope you will take advantage of this valuable resource the library offers to our patrons for free. You can access the link to this resource on the library's webpage under online resources and databases. Or stop on in and let us help you sign up for a Gale Course.

Lori Kreis  
Library Director  
Kewaskum Public Library

Fentanyl Arrest

The Washington County Sheriff's Office K9 unit arrested a 35-year-old Kewaskum man, along with a 35-year-old Lomira woman, on felony drug charges after a traffic stop was conducted on U.S. Highway 45 at Western Avenue in the Town of Polk on Sunday, Oct. 6, at around 5 p.m.

The vehicle was stopped after the deputy observed the registration plate on the car and realized that the registered owner had a warrant out for his arrest. Upon making the traffic stop, the deputy realized that both occupants had active warrants out for them and they were taken into custody. At this point, the Washington County Sheriff's Office K9 "Ryker" was deployed and alerted on the vehicle's front passenger door. A search of that area revealed a scale with a white powder on it. The deputy located a bag with children's toys, clothes and snacks. A purse was located inside the children's bag with razor blades, fentanyl residue as well as other paraphernalia. Another container with a white powder residue was lo-

cated concealed inside of a children's toy purse. Several other items of paraphernalia as well as marijuana were located inside the car.

Both individuals were transported to the Washington County Jail. Corrections officers observed the female walking in a suspicious manner after the female had already been strip searched. She denied having any contraband concealed on her. The corrections staff recognized that something was not right and subsequently put the suspect through the body scanner which revealed that drugs were concealed inside of her along with an earring. A piece of fentanyl was recovered. Fentanyl is a synthetic opioid that is 50 to 100 times stronger than heroin.

The Washington County Sheriff's Office purchased the body scanner in 2019. This scanner works similar to the scanners utilized in airports all across the country. This enables staff to scan inmates and greatly reduce the amount of contraband that is brought into Washington County's jail facility. The scanner has been fully operational

since April. Jail staff has conducted over 7,400 body scans.

Washington County Sheriff Martin Schulteis said, "This is a great example of the patrol and jail divisions working together with the tools they are provided to combat the opioid epidemic right here in Washington County. Keeping contraband out of the jail, especially dangerous drugs such as fentanyl is a top priority of our agency. The smallest amount of this substance can have lethal consequences to inmates and staff. We are appreciative of our

staff's outstanding work in this case. From conducting the traffic stop and locating dangerous drugs in and around where a child could be present to the corrections staff whose observations and persistence prevented a deadly substance from getting into the facility."

Both parties are now facing felony drug charges in Washington County Circuit Court. Although the child was not present at the time of the arrests the case was forwarded to child protective services

Washington County's Most Wanted

The Washington County Sheriff's Department is seeking:



Name: Rickard Jamal Littlefield  
Age: 46  
Race: Black  
Sex: Male  
Height: 5'04" Weight: 158  
Hair: Bald Eyes: Brown  
Scars/Tattoos: Scars on neck and back.  
Last Known Address: West Bend, Kewaskum  
Warrant Entry Date: 10/21/2019  
Wanted for #1- Washington County Sheriff - Felony - Misappropriate ID to obtain money.

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

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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**Town of Farmington**

Bryan H. and Rebecca W. Moser to Moser Family 2010 Trust, \$265,400, 1545 Hwy. A.

Debra M. Casey to Michael and Katherine Langdon, \$325,000, 8433 Stacy Dr.

Raymond Bauer to Raymond Bauer Revocable Living Trust, \$203,900, 8256 Meadow Rd.

North Side Gospel Center, NFP to The Bridge Community Church, \$41,600, Camp Awana Rd.

The Estate of Brian Resch A/K/A Brian P. Resch, Deceased, by Lenore Resch, as Personal Representative to Trading Spaces Investments LLC, \$378,000, 9560 State Rd 144.

G. Samantha Kuehn to Terry A. Faber, \$330,000, 1576 Tomahawk Dr.

James Moser to Gary G. and Gretchen S.

Kruszka, \$0.00, 2162 County Highway H.

Gary G. and Gretchen S. Kruska to William and Colleen Stavrakos, \$354,000, 2162 County Highway H.

Robert Donath, Jr. and Debra Donath to Brian W. Prael, \$219,900, 967 CTY HWY H.

Daniel S. Brehmer to Trustee of the Kenneth G. Brehmer and Patricia L. Brehmer Living Trust U/A Dated October 21, 2014, \$28,500, Stonefield Ct.

Dennis W. and Michelle L. Wilkens to Dennis W. and Michelle L. Wilkens, \$184,200 7735 County Highway M.

Daniel S. and Kelly J. Werbelow to Keith J. Novotny, \$511,300, 7743 Tomahawk Dr.

Jacqueline K. and Jeffrey O. Schramm to Kyle Zellmer, \$255,000, 1828 CTY HWY A.

Lloyd R. Lynn and Sandra R. Lynn Revoca-

ble Trust to Brian J. and Traci L. Legate, \$55,000, 9416 State Hwy. 144.

Paul J. and Mary B. Reis to Justin and Elizabeth Jilling, \$504,000, 1655 High Ground Court.

Charles J. Osowski to Karen J. Osowski, \$83,050, 7020 W. Good Hope Rd.

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tions and Real Estate Investments LLC to Robert J. and Lynde S. Baier, \$364,900, 1740 County Highway A.

Elizabeth Torma to John Torma, \$255,100, 8131 South View Ct.

John Torma to Agnes B. Pruner, \$294,800, 8131 South View Ct.

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SHERIFF'S REPORT

Explosion Incident

On Sunday, Oct. 20, at approximately 5:23 p.m., the Sheboygan County Emergency Communications Center received a 911 call in reference to a possible explosion in the Beechwood area. Preliminary investigation presented one male person deceased due to a mental health crisis involving the explosion. There

were no other injuries and no further threat to the community. Due to the sensitive nature of this incident, no other information will be released.

The following public safety agencies assisted with this incident: the Sheboygan County Sheriff's Office, Orange Cross Ambulance, Town of Scott First Responders and the Milwaukee County Bomb Squad.

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## OBITUARIES



**Ruth A. Long**

Ruth A. Long (nee Galligan), 87, of Eden passed away peacefully on Saturday, October 19, 2019 at her home with her beloved family gathered around her.

Ruth was born on January 13, 1932, the daughter of Ezra and Anna Galligan (nee Kutz). She was baptized February 14, 1932 and confirmed May 25, 1945 at Trinity Lutheran Church. On September 15, 1951, Ruth married Leo E. Long at Trinity Lutheran Church in Dundee. She worked at Infant Socks, Gilbert Shoe, West Bend Company, and was a cook at Camp Manawa. Ruth was a member of Immanuel Lutheran

Church in Campbellsport, the Ladies Aid, the Dorcas Society and also taught Sunday School. She enjoyed crocheting, crossword puzzles, reading, jigsaw puzzles and gardening but most of all spending time with family and friends.

Survivors include her children David (Karen) of Eden, Steven (Vicki) of Eden, Richard (Lori) of West Bend and Bonnie Nett of Eldorado; grandchildren Cory (Kellie) Toth, Sarah Bednar, Stephanie (Jason) Philipp, Jennifer (James) Harris, Thomas (Danette) Long, Jamie (Michael) Heflin, Braedy (Julie) Long, Barbara (Jason) Wolford, Kodi Long, and Taylore Long; great-grandchildren Lyhna Donchess, Aidan Philipp, Lucas Lindner, Vera Harris, Gage Harris, Addison Long, Chloe Heflin, Sophia Heflin, Hailey Bednar, Logan Bednar, Madison Toth, Anna Long, and Emmett Wolford; step-grandchildren Karl Nett, Amber Cloyd, Andrew Schinske, Matthew Schinske, and Tyler Roehl; sisters Genevieve (Melvin) Stoffel and Doris Way; brother James (Jackie) Galligan; sister-in-law Gloria Liepert; and many nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends.

Preceding Ruth in death were her parents; husband Leo on October 23, 1995; son-in-law, Andrew Nett; sister, Mabel Wehner-Varga; brothers Donald, Levi, Orville, Edward, and Roy Galligan; sisters-in-law, Priscilla Galligan, Virginia Galligan, Donna Galligan, and Joanne Galligan; brothers-in-law, Herbert Wehner, Robert Way, Charles Varga, Wayne Schied, and Elton Liepert.

Funeral services will be Thursday, October 24, at 10 a.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church, 350 S. Helena St., Campbellsport. Rev. Paul Cerny will officiate. Entombment will be at Shrine of Rest Mausoleum in Ledgeview Memorial Park, Fond du Lac.

Visitation was on Wednesday, October 23, from 3 to 7 p.m. at

the Twohig Funeral Home, 109 W. Main St., Campbellsport and will be held Thursday, October 24, from 9 a.m. until time of services at Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Memorials are appreciated to the Immanuel Lutheran Church's Dorcas Society and Ladies Aid or the Agnesian Hospice Foundation.

Twohig Funeral Home is serving the family with condolences and guest-book at [www.twohigfunerals.com](http://www.twohigfunerals.com).



**Barbara J. Schaefer**

Barbara J. Schaefer, 83, of Campbellsport passed away Sunday, Oct. 20, 2019 with her family gathered around her at St. Agnes Hospital in Fond du Lac.

She was born on May 20, 1936 in Lannon the daughter of Lawrence and Hazel Katzfey. The family moved to Sussex when Barb was six and she attended Sussex Grade School and Menomonee Falls High School. In 1955 She married Lawrence R. Rasmussen.

Barb worked at Mammoth Springs Canning Factory and was a nurse's aid for 40 years in many nursing homes, group homes and private homes. She liked feeding the birds, loved animals but most of all she loved her 19 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren. She also liked to go fishing and her hobby was making decorated cakes for her grandchildren or anyone who needed a cake for whatever.

In 1978, she married Robert C. Schaefer and lived in Fond du Lac where she belonged to Lighthouse Christian Church and had weekly bible studies in her home. She moved to Campbellsport to be closer to her children.

Barb also worked at Lauer's Bakery for many years and had many rummage sales and attended flea markets to sell crafts and other precious items. She also attended fairs with her daughter and granddaughter to show antiques and other family heirlooms.

Survivors include her children Donna Mae (Richard "Skeeter") Scherer, Larry Ras-

mussen, Elaine (David "Crockett") Gloede, JoAnn (Joseph) Vogel, David Rasmussen and Dwayne Rasmussen; 19 grandchildren; 36 great grandchildren; sisters Lucinda Brown, Marlain Reimer and Dolly (William "Bud") Pogantsch; many other relatives and friends.

Barb was preceded in death by her parents both husbands; daughter-in-law Cheryl Rasmussen; infant daughter Patsy; infant great grandchild Brooklyn Rasmussen; and brothers-in-law La-Verne Severson, Randy Brown and Gary Reimer.

A funeral service will be held on Friday, Oct. 25, at 6 p.m. at the Twohig Funeral Home, 109 W. Main St., Campbellsport. Pastor Joe of the Kewaskum House of Prayer will officiate. Family burial will be Saturday, Oct. 26, in Union Cemetery, Campbellsport.

Visitation will be Friday, Oct. 25, from 2 p.m. until time of service at the funeral home.

Twohig Funeral Home is serving the family with condolences and guest-book at [www.twohigfunerals.com](http://www.twohigfunerals.com).



**Alice E. Stahl**

Alice Emily Stahl (nee Slater), age 94, passed away peacefully at The Waterford Assisted Living in Oshkosh on October 13, 2019.

She was born on July 2, 1925 to Herman and Melitta (nee Janke) Slater in Wheatland, Wisconsin. Alice married Roger H. Stahl on April 28, 1945. She loved to play sheephead, trapshoot with Roger, go out for a "Tavern Fish" fry on Friday's with friends, sewing, and traveling on short trips with the many friends she had. She had a great love for the Packers, Brewers, Badgers, but most of all, spending quality time with her family. She was a member of Good Shepard Ev. Lutheran Church, where she attended bible class. Alice was employed with the West Bend Company.

Alice is survived by her daughter Susie Neitzel, son Terry Stahl; four grandchildren Jeff (Annie) Stahl, Shelley (Dan) Dederling, Meredith Burns, Jason (Andrea) Neitzel; five

great-grandchildren Jake, Katie, Jordyn, Madie, and Berkeley; sister- and brother-in-law Doris and Bill Bunkelmann. She is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Alice is preceded in death by her parents, her husband Roger; brothers Allan and Orville Slater; son-in-law Denny Neitzel.

A Funeral Service for Alice will be held at 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, October 26 at Good Shepard Ev. Lutheran Church (777 S. Indiana Ave, West Bend) with Pastor John. H. Paustian officiating. A visitation will be held at the church from 11:30 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. Burial to follow at Beechwood Union Cemetery in Adel, Wisconsin.

The family of Alice Stahl would like to thank the staff at The Waterford Assisted Living in Oshkosh as well as Hometown Hospice for

all the wonderful care they gave to Alice.

*"She is gone... You can shed tears that she is gone, Or you can smile because she has lived. You can close your eyes and pray that she will come back, Or you can open your eyes and see all that she has left. Your heart can be empty because you can't see her, or you can be full of the love that she shared. You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday, or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday. You can remember her and only that she is gone, or you can cherish her memory and let it live on. You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back, or you can do what she'd want: smile, open your eyes, love and go on."*

The Phillip Funeral Home of West Bend is assisting the family. (262) 338-2050 / [www.phillipfuneral-home.com](http://www.phillipfuneral-home.com)

### IN MEMORY OF ELMER (BUTCH) GIESE 10/28/13

We watched through all your suffering,  
And often had to cry.

For very soon we knew that,

We would have to say goodbye.

When days are sad and lonely,

And everything goes wrong,

We seem to hear you whisper,

Cheer up and carry on.

Every time we see your picture,

You seem to smile and say,

Don't cry, I'm in God's keeping,

We will meet again someday.

Your loving daughters,

Cindy, Janice, Julie and families



### 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.

#### Knit Wits

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

their own. Appropriate for grades 6-12. 6 p.m.

#### Saturday, Nov. 16 Frozen 2 Festivities

Celebrate the release of Frozen 2 with crafts, activities and snacks inspired by the original Frozen movie and all of your favorite characters. 10:30 a.m.

#### Tuesday, Nov. 19 Adult Recipe Club - Comfort Foods

Join the popular recipe club. In November we will be sharing our favorite comfort food recipes. Bring your ready to eat dish and printed recipe. This month, for added fun, wear your favorite apron. New cooks please register in-person at the library, by phone (262) 626-4312 or email [kewaskum@monarchlibraries.org](mailto:kewaskum@monarchlibraries.org)

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

#### October 30 Monster Mayhem

#### November 6 Oh the Places You'll Go

#### November 13 Monkey Business

#### October Health Literacy Month

Come in to the library to check out our resources to help keep you and your family healthy.

#### Get Your Card Online

Sign up for a library card online. Click on the link on our website or in the catalog to start the process today. Come in to the library within a month to complete your application. Call us with any questions.

#### Tuesday, Nov. 5 International Game Day

Hang out with friends and play games in the library! Board games will be provided and participants are welcome to bring along a game of

### Dinner Menu Week of Oct. 28

- Monday: Chicken Parmesan
  - Tuesday: Chopped Steak
  - Wednesday: Liver and Onions
  - Thursday: Chicken a la King
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## DAYS GONE BY

**5 Years Ago  
October 30, 2014**

Spending is down in the Kewaskum School District, according to the budget unanimously approved by the Board of Education at a special meeting held Monday. After the cuts in spending, district residents will reap the reward of a 77¢ decrease in the tax rate for 2014. According to the District's Business Manager, Julie Thoreson, the district cut spending by \$187,136 from the previous year. The total 2014-15 budget is \$24.5 million. The district will have a tax levy of \$11 million, a 6.1 percent decrease from last year.

Kewaskum High School and Campbellsport High School's 2013-14 junior classes, now seniors, have made it possible for their schools to be designated Blue Star Schools. They did so by having 75 percent or more students pass a standardized financial literacy certification (CFL) exam, through the WISE (Working In Support of Education) program. In addition to achieve this rating, the schools had to have students who took the test achieve an average score of 80 percent or higher.

After using the passing game to take an early 14-0 advantage, the Kewaskum High football team gave the ball to its star halfback, Brandon Thull, and within seven minutes of the third quarter, he pretty well put the game out of reach against Pius XI Friday night in a Level 1 game in Division 3. The final score was 37-14. The Indians move into a Level 2 game against Waukesha Catholic Memorial at 7 p.m. Friday night.

On October 24, Kewaskum School District teachers visited five local manufacturing sites to learn about the career and life skills their students will need when they graduate. The College and Career Readiness Day is part of an initiative with the Washington County Workforce Alliance to partner manufacturing sites with schools. Businesses involved were Maysteel, Signicast, Regal Ware, Triton, and Signacast.

Jerred C. Gerlach, 22, Horicon, passed away October 25.

Thomas Doll, 24, passed away October 21.

Betty J. Marialke, 83, Town of Auburn, passed away October 21.

Nelda A. Heberer, 101, West Bend, passed away October 21.

**15 Years Ago  
October 21, 2004**

The Kewaskum Village Board, along with nine officers of the Kewaskum Fire Department, held a special meeting Thursday evening to discuss the problem covering EMT and fire shifts for the village. At one time, there were 24 men and women filling the EMT roster. Currently, the department has 17. Also, during the day, there are only enough firefighters for one engine company. The village board agreed to start looking into and budgeting for a full-time person for the fire department. The whole process will be a time-consuming one. Both parties agreed to meet again after the department compiled a list of job duties.

The Village of Kewaskum is spending \$15,000 to develop a TIF plan for a large parcel of land that could be turned into an industrial park. The land is located along USH 45.

When he's plotting strategy during a volleyball match, Dave Rizzardi is difficult to fool, yet the members of his 2004 Kewaskum High School team really pulled the wool over his eyes last week when they organized a celebration in honor of his 25 years coaching the sport. Rizzardi, 49, joins a short list of KHS coaches who have stayed with one sport for 25 years or longer. Dave Drexler has been the boys and girls cross country coach for over 25 years and former KHS math teacher, Joe Harlow, was with the boys golf program for over 30 years.

The Kewaskum High girls volleyball team put the finishing touches on a perfect 14-0 Eastern Wisconsin Conference season last Thursday when it crushed Kiel in a three-game match. Members of the championship team include Robbi Bode, Marissa Dehler, Christina DeGroot, Leanne Kison, Katie Schroeder, Bekki Heberer, Amanda Magnus, Bry Timblin, Danielle DeGroot and Briana Bastian.

A daughter, Isabelle Elisa, was born October 8 to Jon and Jamie Thomas.

Marguerite T. Marx, 77, Kewaskum, passed away October 11.

Atville E. Zielieke, 84, Campbellsport, passed away October 15.

Byron Beisbier, 85, West Bend, passed away October 14.

Orville W. Mathieu, 78, Campbellsport, passed away October 8.

Lois A. Breikreutz, 76, Hartford, passed away

October 8.

Ivah S. Rosenthal, 98, West Bend, died October 14.

**25 Years Ago  
October 27, 1994**

Construction is continuing at Pheasant Run Estates on Wildlife Drive, one of Kewaskum's newest subdivisions created by LMO Development. The 15 acres of land was purchased by Steve and Mary Olig, who relocated here from Delafield last March. The acreage has been divided into 13 lots, including two duplexes.

KHS sophomore Heather Weiss thought last Halloween it would be nice to collect non-perishable foods for the Food Pantry. There wasn't enough time to really get it off the ground. This year, she circulated signup sheets at Holy Trinity CYM classes and made posters for the high school. She's trying to get a good size group of students together and hopes they come in costumes with wagons.

Rick Dreher, CPA, has been elected to the partnership of Wipfli Ullrich Bertelson CPAs. Dreher is located in the firm's Green Bay office. Dreher's practice area is taxation.

The famous Oscar Meyer Wienermobile visited Subway of Kewaskum on September 29.

The domed roof has been set over the new bio-solid storage tank for the Village of Kewaskum's Wastewater Treatment Plant. The control room, which houses the pumps, is completed. As soon as the gas company puts down the line, asphalt can be laid around the perimeter. The loading station is the next step of the construction phase. After painting the exterior of the tank, it was filled with water to check for leaks.

Over 300 children, accompanied by an adult, participated in the BB Gun Shoot at the Kettle Kountry Kolors Festival held recently. The BB Gun Shoot was sponsored by the Gateway Gobblers Chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation. The guns and ammunition were donated by Crosman Air Guns.

On October 6, the Freshmen Homecoming was a victory with a final score of 32-20 over the New Holstein Huskies. The freshmen finished their son on October 18 with a strong win over Sheboygan Falls. The final score was 30-12. Final standings for the 1994 freshmen Indians in conference games is 4-1-1.

A son was born to Laura and Shane Daugherty of Kewaskum on October 21.

A daughter, Megan Elizabeth, was born October 13 to Rod and Joann Schultz, Kewaskum.

Gerald A. Serwe, 64, Campbellsport, passed away October 22.

Travis Alan Johnson, 11, of Adell passed away October 22.

Minnie Martha Smith, 98, Ripon, passed away October 17.

Sylvia E. Schmidt, 80, Campbellsport, passed away October 17.

Frances E. King, 98, Milwaukee, passed away October 17.

**50 Years Ago  
October 24, 1969**

Kewaskum Community High School decisively defeated Milwaukee's West Division High School 350-230, in a first round match of WITI-TV6's quiz program "Who Knows?" By winning, Kewaskum advances to the quarter finals and will meet John Marshall High School on November 23.

Soon lights will be flickering and curtains going up and spotlights beaming on "Psychedelic Holiday," a fashion show to be presented by the Kewaskum Junior Woman's Club on November 18.

Chief of Police Don Hlavaty informs the public that effective October 27, no parking will be allowed between the hours of 3 and 4 p.m. on the west side of Tower Street and during school hours on the east side of School Street (in front of the new kindergarten building).

At a special informational meeting held Monday night, electors of the Kewaskum Community Schools District were given the facts and figures for a redesigned swimming pool building. After the discussion, an advisory ballot vote was taken. As a result of the vote, 65 persons favored the original plan, expected to cost about \$390,000, as announced recently. Another 39 persons went for the alternate plan estimated to cost between \$300,000 and \$325,000. And 25 voted "no", meaning forget it and have no pool.

The Rev. Walter N. Morgan, chaplain at St. Joseph's convent, Campbellsport, and pastor of the St. Matthias parish in the town of Auburn, will celebrate the silver anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on Sunday, Oct. 26.

Kewaskum's cross country team repeated as champions of the

Scenic Moraine Conference by collecting 41 points, the lowest total for the meet. Kewaskum won last Friday at Grafton. Larry Zehren won in a time of 12:04. Steve Backhaus was second with a time of 12:08.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Moths, Kewaskum, on October 18.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Borland, Kewaskum, on October 16.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Nischke, West Bend, on October 22.

Mrs. Edna Lemke Walter, 66, Campbellsport, passed away October 17.

**75 Years Ago  
October 20, 1944**

Having purchased and remodeled the former Quandt store at New Fane, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Becker will be open for business on October 23.

The local selective service board this week released a list of 16 registrants from Washington County who were accepted for induction into the armed forces at Milwaukee on September 30. Roger A. Bilgo, Kewaskum, for the Army; Clemens A. Schladweiler, Town of Farmington, for the Navy.

At a recent regular meeting of the Washington County Tavern League, it was unanimously adopted that all league members will have their establishments closed on V-day.

Jack Frost finally put in his appearance one night last week. The first frost was unusually late

this fall, coming in the second week of October, about a month later than last year. As a result of the fine weather and lack of frost, garden vegetables and crops grew abundantly and were still ripening and being harvested weeks after they ordinarily would have been killed by frosts.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius Volm, Kewaskum, on October 13.

Mrs. Henry Schaub, 69, town of Wayne, passed away October 19.

Dr. Frank J. Lambeck, 71, died October 12.

**100 Years Ago  
This information is no longer available.**

## THIS DAY IN...



## HISTORY

- **1415:** THE BATTLE OF AGINCOURT TAKES PLACE DURING THE HUNDRED YEARS' WAR.
- **1940:** BENJAMIN O. DAVIS SR. BECOMES THE FIRST AFRICAN AMERICAN GENERAL IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY.
- **1983:** THE UNITED STATES INVADES THE CARIBBEAN NATION OF GRENADA.



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# Letters Home...

Dec. 7, 1951  
Friday.

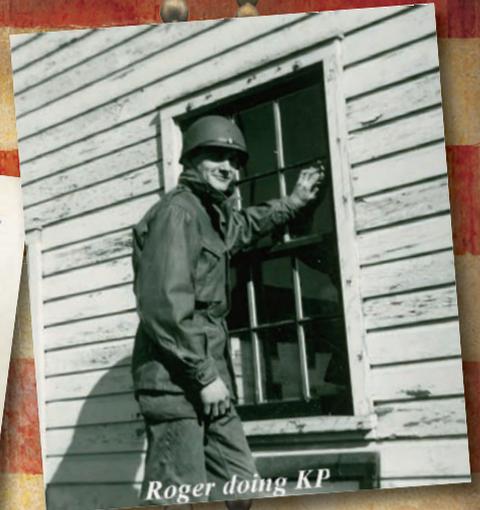
Dear Ma, Pa & Carol,

Today I went over to the Rock, to get a load of duffel bags from E. Co., there the ones that are going to Nevada. Tomorrow I got to take the bags to Seattle at the train station. While the men were loading my truck I went over to see Tom, he got to be P.F.C. yesterday. I got about 8,000 lbs. of duffel bags on the truck. Being an acting Corporal, I got to do everything a full corporal does. On guard duty, instead of guarding a place for two hours and then getting off for five hrs. then back on, like I use to, I now just take one group

of guards to there posts, there are three shifts, then go back to the guard house and sleep. I have to give P.T. and pull C.Q. These things you do when your turn comes up. On details you don't have to work, just make the other guys work, if you would to you can help them.

Going to the show tonight (Double Dynamite). Then go to bed, tomorrow I got to get up at 0430, I told the C.Q. to get me up, hope he does because at 0530 I have to leave.

Carol's picture is good, take a picture of it. Met a guy from Port Washington today, he's in Quartermaster Det.



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Today I went over to the Rock, to get a load of duffel bags from E. Co, there the ones that are going to Nevada. Tomorrow I got to take the bags to Seattle at the train station. While the men were loading my truck I went over to see Tom (he was in the arms room), he got to be P.F.C. yesterday. I got about 8,000 lbs of duffel bags on the truck. Being an acting Corporal (or as the boys say acting jack), I got to do everything a full corporal does. On guard duty, instead of guarding a place for two hours and then getting off for five hours then back on, like I use to, I now just take one group of guards to there posts, there are three shifts, then I go back to the guard house and sleep. I also have to give P.T. and pull C.Q. These things you do when your turn comes up. On details you don't have to work, just make the other guys work. If you would to you can help them. Going to the show tonight (Double Dynamite). Then go to bed, tomorrow I got to get up at 0430, I told the C.Q. to get me up, hope he does because at 0530 I have to leave. If Carol's picture is good, on the window take a picture of it. Met a guy from Port Washington today, he's in Quartermaster Det.

Roger

Letter sent home from Roger Strack to his parents and Carol during the war.

Roger Strack, U.S. Army 1951-1953



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Mandie D.  
Westbury Bank Employee  
Served in U.S. Army 2002 - 2004





# A HAUNTINGLY GOOD CAUSE

– Local Youth Create Haunted House And Help Food Pantry

By Anne Trautner

For the second year in a row, Hunter Sabish and his friends have created a haunted house to benefit the Kewaskum food pantry.

The spooktacular house, which is filled with creepy and gruesome things, is not for the faint of heart. Rather, it brings out the good heartedness of all those who enter because simply walking through the eerie door helps others.

The haunted house is located at 5143 Highway 28 (in the Sabish Sales shed) in Kewaskum. The cost to enter is at least five non-perishable food items that will be donated to the Kewaskum Community Pantry.

Hunter, who is a sev-

enth-grader at Campbellsport Middle School, started working on the house in August. That is when he and his dad, Steven Sabish of Sabish Roofing and Construction, began putting up the walls.

Hunter's goal was to outdo his last year's creation and make a "professional" haunted house this year.

"It is bigger and better. There are lots of new rooms this year. Everything is switched around," Hunter said.

"It is way scarier," added his friend Kaleb Eggers, who is helping with the house.

Last year Hunter and his friends, dubbed the "SkareKrew," collected 612 food items for the food pantry. The SkareKrew, which is



Kaleb Eggers and Hunter Sabish are prepared to scare visitors at Hunter's Haunted House at 5143 Highway 28, Kewaskum, this weekend. The haunted house will benefit the Kewaskum Community Pantry. photo by Anne Trautner



Hunter's Haunted House is filled with creepy things that are bound to scare all visitors this weekend.

photo by Anne Trautner



Kaleb Eggers and Hunter Sabish will be unrecognizable as they scare people at Hunter's Haunted House this weekend.

photo by Anne Trautner

made up of students from Campbellsport and Kewaskum, also is collecting toys for the Children's Hospital in Milwaukee. Monetary donations will go toward enhancing the haunted house for next year.

Hunter and the SkareKrew hope to collect even more this year. They are well on their way to meeting that goal.

The haunted house was open two weekends so far this month.

"People from as far away as Neenah have come. There has been an awesome turnout so far with so many positive comments," said Luan Sabish, Hunter's grandmother.

The haunted house will be open again this Friday and Saturday, Oct. 25 and 26, from 6 to 10 p.m.

### Creating A Haunted House

Hunter first started setting up haunted houses for his family when he was 8.

He began by creating

a haunted house in his living room. Then he moved to his grandparents' basements, and eventually to the shed.

With scary decorations everywhere,



Hunter and the SkareKrew add to the fright as they wear costumes and pop up

throughout the maze of scary props to scare visitors. On Saturdays, the SkareKrew members go to the Halloween Express in West Bend to get their makeup professionally done.

Situated next to a cornfield, the shed is a perfect place for a haunted manor. Hunter and his dad's girlfriend, Kathleen Flynn, spent countless hours making the final touches on all of the details.

The haunted house has numerous rooms. There is the Body Bag Hallway, the Creepy Room, the Haunted Playground and the Butcher Shop, to name a few.

"It is scary working on it. Especially when you are in there by yourself — or you think you are, and then one of those kids comes around," Flynn said.

### SkareKrew Team

SkareKrew members include: Hunter Sabish, Kaleb Eggers, Izak Pinter, Kaden Petersen, Abby Paswaters and Clara Klimczak.

**HOLIDAY**  
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# KHS Key Club Offers Trick Or Treat For UNICEF

Trick or treating for the UNICEF Eliminate Project has been a long-standing tradition for the Kewaskum High School Key Club. Last year the organization raised nearly \$582.

The proud tradition continues this year as members knock on community doors on Saturday, Oct. 26, from 5 to 7 p.m. asking for help preventing maternal and neonatal tetanus (MNT).

Every 15 minutes, a newborn baby dies from tetanus. For a small donation, a woman will receive the three shots necessary to protect her and her future newborn

from this deadly and painful disease.

Since 2010, thanks to the contributions of many, 25 countries have eliminated MNT but there is more work to be done. The public is asked to support the students' efforts and the health of women and infants by making a donation.



The Kewaskum High School Key Club will trick or treat for the UNICEF Eliminate Project on Saturday, Oct. 26, from 5 to 7 p.m.

photo submitted

## 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 Tuesday** - Personal and professional acupuncture care from Beth Busse. \$45-\$25/service, sliding scale. The Soul Source in West Bend. Contact Katy Marver, text or call 414-698-5420 to schedule a specific check-in or drop in. 4 - 6 p.m.

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

**Every Wednesday** - October 2 - October 30. Weekly Nature Walks, Meeting location will vary; check website/Friends of Horicon Facebook for updates. These relaxed, guided walks will explore marsh flora and fauna while taking in the stunning views on the marsh. Length and difficulty will depend upon participants. 1 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

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

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**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.

**Every Saturday and Sunday** - September 28 - October 27. Pleasure Valley Llamas, W7757 S Hwy A, Adell. 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**Friday, Oct. 25** - Kewaskum Mighty River Project Work Day removing invasive plants and dead trees; planting native plants. Check in at 1630 Riverview Drive. Safety vests, tools and snacks provided. If questions call Peggy at 414-333-3689. 10:30 a.m. - noon or 2:30 p.m. until dusk.

**Friday, Oct. 25** - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Pot Luck, at Kettle Moraine YMCA 6:30 p.m.

**Friday, Oct. 25 & 26** - Hunter's Haunted House, Admission is five nonperishable food items for the Kewaskum Food Pantry. Help Hunter Sabish and the "Skarecrew" beat last year's collection of 612 pounds of food. They are also collecting toy donations for the Children's Hospital. Located at 5143 Hwy 28, Rain or Shine, Kewaskum, 6 - 10 p.m.

**Friday, Oct. 25** - Kettle Moraine Lutheran HS Performing Family Friendly Children's Theatre Production, 'Cinderella & the Substitute Fairy Godmother,' at KML Performing Art's Center, no tickets will be pre-sold, \$6 for adults, \$4 for students (K-12) and seniors (62+). 7 p.m.

**Friday, Oct. 25** - Bob and Rocco Gun Show, Washington County Fair Grounds, 3000 Pleasant Valley Rd., West Bend, 3 - 8 p.m.

**Friday, Oct. 25** - Halloween Caper, Campbellsport Elementary School, 751 Grandview Ave., Campbellsport, 6 - 9 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 26** - Gallery Trick-or-Treat and Art Making. Wear your Halloween Costume to MOWA and trick-or-treat for treasures in the art galleries! In the studio, create spooky crafts and paint your own pumpkin to take home. Free with membership, 10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 26** - Sunburst Market At The Hill, Flea market featuring antiques, unique gifts, great food and amazing finds. Sunburst Winter Sports Park, 8355 Prospect Drive, Kewaskum. 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

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**Saturday, Oct. 26** - Candlelight Paranormal Museum Tours, Are the Old Courthouse and Old Jailhouse haunted? Visit areas in both Museums where bizarre and unsettling phenomena have been experienced by chilling candlelight. \$15 per person. Includes a 90 minute guided tour of the Old Courthouse and Old Jailhouse. Register and pay in advance at [www.historyisfun.com](http://www.historyisfun.com). Tours are limited. Not recommended for children under 12. 7 p.m. & 9 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 26** - Drug Take Back Day, safe disposal saves lives, at Washington County Highway Facility, 900 Lang Street, West Bend, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 26** - Fall Vendor & Craft Fair & Fundraiser. Join us for lunch and shopping! 40 plus crafters and vendors with unique homemade items, products and gifts. Admission \$1, kids under 18 free. Eden Elementary, 210 N. Elizabeth St., Eden, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 26** - Kewaskum Trick or Treat, 5 - 7 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 26** - City of West Bend Trick or Treat, 4 - 6 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 26** - Campbellsport Trick or Treat, 2 - 4 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 26** - Bob and Rocco Gun Show, Washington County Fair Grounds, 3000 Pleasant Valley Rd., West Bend, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

**Sunday, Oct. 27** - Jackson Trick or Treat, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

**Sunday, Oct. 27** - Bob and Rocco Gun Show, Washington County Fair Grounds, 3000 Pleasant Valley Rd., West Bend, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Sunday, Oct. 27** - American Legion Post 384 Kewaskum Pancake Breakfast. All you can eat pancakes, proceeds to KHS scholarship fund, 7 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

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**Friday, Nov. 1** - Washington County Separated, Divorced and Widowed Men and Women, Meeting with David Streese on wills, P.O.A. and probate, Kettle Moraine YMCA, 7:30 - 9 p.m. Nov. 8 no meeting.

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**Saturday, Nov. 2** - Holiday Wonder Art & Craft Expo at the Fond du Lac County Fairground Recreation Center, 520 Fond du Lac Avenue, Fond du Lac, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Tuesday Nov. 5** - Decorating with Holiday Trends and Traditions, West Bend City Hall 1115 S. Main Street, West Bend. Holiday Demo, New Product Showcase, 2019 Trends, please register in advance, phone: 262-335-5083 or online: [rootsbranches.org](http://rootsbranches.org) or email: [rootsandbranches@ci.west-bend.wi.us](mailto:rootsandbranches@ci.west-bend.wi.us), free seminar, 7:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, Nov. 6** - Washington County Caregiver Coalition offers Caregiver Day of Renewal, at Cedar Valley Retreat Center, 5349 County Road D, West Bend. Pre-registration is required on a first come first served basis. Limited space available. Registration fee is \$5. For further information call Tammy D or Mona at Aging & Disability Resource Center of Washington County 262-335-4497. 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Friday, Nov. 8** - Kewaskum Mighty River Project Work Day removing invasive plants and dead trees; planting native plants. Check in at 1630 Riverview Drive. Safety vests, tools and snacks provided. If questions call Peggy at 414-333-3689. 10:30 a.m. - noon or 2:30 p.m. until dusk.

**Friday, Nov. 8, 9 and 10** - Bloomin' Holidays. Kick off the holidays at MOWA! The week begins with lights in the MOWA Gardens and video projection on the building. Enjoy three full days of floral arrangements in the galleries, expert talks and demonstrations and an indoor artist marketplace.

**Saturday, Nov. 9** - Bloomin' Holidays Wine Walk. Explore MOWA and historic downtown West Bend at the Bloomin' Holidays Wine Walk. Start at the museum for a special first tasting paired with food from Culaccion Bar + Italian Kitchen. Then walk to 20 nearby shops and destinations for an unforgettable evening. \$30/person. 4 - 7 p.m.

**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.**

**Thursday, Oct. 24** - Little Explorers Playgroup, 10 - 11:30 a.m.

**Thursday, Oct. 24** - Pumpkins of Fun Night at Joan M. Pick Nature Preserve, 5:30 - 7 p.m.

**Friday, Oct. 25** - Open Tree Climb, 3 - 5 p.m.

**Tuesday, Oct. 29** - Riveredge Photo Club, 7 - 9 p.m.

**Saturday, Nov. 2** - Membership Welcome Hike, 9:30 - 10 a.m. or 1 - 1:30 p.m. or 3 - 3:30 p.m.

**Saturday, Nov. 2** - Autumn Adventures: Fire Building Basics, 10 - 11:30 a.m.

**Tuesday, Nov. 5** - NJC Bird Club, 7 - 9 p.m.

**Friday, Nov. 8** - Riveredge Watershed Moments Golden Ale Release at The Fermentarium, 4 - 10 p.m.

**Saturday, Nov. 9** - Student Research Symposium: Meet the Future of Science!, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Saturday, Nov. 9** - New Volunteer Orientation, 2 - 3:30 p.m.

**Saturday, Nov. 9** - Love Your Mother: Kombucha 101 at Mitchell Park Domes, 12 - 1:30 p.m.

**Saturday, Nov. 9** - Children's Library Time: Going on a Bear Hunt, 10 - 11:30 a.m.

# AREA CHURCH SERVICES

## Kewaskum

**Holy Trinity Catholic Church**  
331 Main St., Kewaskum  
Reconciliation Saturdays 3:15-3:45 p.m.,  
Saturday Mass at 4 p.m., Sunday Mass at  
7:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Tuesday Mass at 5  
p.m. Wednesday-Friday Mass at 7:45 a.m.  
Adoration: after Tuesday evening and  
Friday morning masses. Father Jacob  
Strand, 262-626-2860.

**St. Michael's Catholic Church**  
8883 Forest View Rd., Kewaskum  
Sunday Mass at 9 a.m. Adoration:  
Wednesdays 6:30-8 p.m. Father Jacob  
Strand, 262-334-5270.

**Peace United Church of Christ**  
343 First St., Kewaskum  
Sunday Worship at 8 a.m. Sunday School  
with Worship at 9:30 a.m. Adult supervised  
nursery during 9:30 a.m. service. 262-626-  
4011

**St. Lucas WELS**  
1417 Parkview Dr., Kewaskum  
Saturday Worship at 6 p.m. Sunday  
Worship at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. (262)  
626-2680.

**Kettlebrook**  
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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.kettle-  
brook.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  
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Communion the first Sunday of the month.  
Pastor Ruth Hansen. Phone 262-665-  
2367. Find us on Facebook at  
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## Allenton

**Zion Ev Lutheran Church (WELS)**  
6430 County Rd D, Allenton, WI 53002  
Worship Hours: Thursday Evenings at  
7:00 p.m. and Sundays at 7:30 a.m. and  
9:45 a.m. 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.

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

**St. Matthew's Catholic Church**  
Main and Helena Streets, Campbell-  
sport  
**St. Martin's Chapel – Ashford**  
**St. Kilian Chapel – St. Kilian**  
**Parish Office, 419 Mill Street,**  
**Campbellsport**  
**St. Matthew:** Monday 8:30 a.m.  
Communion Service; Tuesday 8:30 a.m.  
School Mass; Wednesday 8:30 a.m.  
Communion Service; Thursday 8:30 a.m.  
Mass; Friday 8:30 a.m. Communion  
Service; Saturday 4 p.m. Mass; Sunday 9  
a.m. Mass; 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  
& 10:30 a.m. Sunday School and Fellowship  
at 9:30 a.m. Visitors always welcome. Holy  
Communion second & last weekends of each  
month. Rev. Bobby Oberg. Located at the cor-  
ner of First and Elm Streets, Dundee. Phone  
533-4138.

## Lomira

**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.trinityunited-  
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# North Star Boys' Choir To Perform "A Choirboy Christmas - Christmas In Campbellsport" At St. Matthew Church

The internationally ac-  
claimed North Star  
Boys' Choir will return to  
St. Matthew Catholic  
Church, 320 E Main St,  
Campbellsport, for "A  
Choirboy Christmas -  
Christmas in Campbell-  
sport" concert on Satur-  
day evening, Nov. 16, at  
7 p.m.

The North Star Boys'  
Choir will perform both  
religious and secular  
Christmas music as part  
of "A Choirboy Christ-  
mas - Christmas in  
Campbellsport" which  
promises to be one of  
the first Christmas con-  
certs to be performed in  
the area.

The North Star Boys'  
Choir has its roots in the  
European boys' choir  
tradition. The choir last  
performed at St.  
Matthew on January 16,

2016.

In 2018, the choir  
competed in the Ba-  
hamas Cruise Choral  
Festival on board the  
Royal Caribbean Cruise  
Lines "Enchantment of  
the Seas" competition  
and was awarded the  
"Overall Grand Champi-  
onship Award" for the  
entire season. In 2012,  
the choir participated in  
the "World Choir Games  
Championship Competi-  
tion" held in Cincinnati,  
OH, and received both a  
Silver and Bronze  
Medal.

Since its founding in  
2011, the North Star  
Boys' Choir, under the  
direction of internation-  
ally famous Francis  
Stockwell, has per-  
formed and sung for  
services at St. Mark's  
Basilica, Venice; St.

Paul's Outside the Walls  
in Rome; the Berlin  
Cathedral; The Basilica  
of Notre Dame, Lyon,  
France and numerous  
other churches and ven-  
ues throughout the  
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rope.

The highlight of the  
Choir's 2020 concert  
season will be the  
choir's first-ever visit to  
Asia where the boys will  
be performing at multi-  
ple venues in Singapore  
and Taiwan.

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Choirboy Christmas -  
Christmas in Campbell-  
sport" free-will donation  
concert on Saturday  
evening, Nov. 16, at St.  
Matthew Catholic  
Church in Campbell-  
sport.



The North Star Boys' Choir will be performing A Choirboy Christmas - Christ-  
mas in Campbellsport concert at St. Matthew Church in Campbellsport on Sat-  
urday, Nov. 16, at 7 p.m.

-photo submitted

## St. Joseph's Hospital Accepting Submissions For Love Light Tree

Donor forms for inclu-  
sion on the  
memory/honor board for  
the 33rd annual Love  
Light Tree at Froedtert &  
the Medical College of  
Wisconsin St. Joseph's  
Hospital are requested  
by November 19.

Participants can dedi-  
cate a light on the tree in  
memory of or in honor of  
a loved one for \$5 each.  
The board is displayed  
at the Love Light Tree  
lighting, which will take  
place Sunday, Dec. 8, at  
6:30 p.m. in the hospi-  
tal's Garden Cafe.

The event features  
holiday refreshments, an  
official tree lighting and  
entertainment by the  
West Bend High  
Schools' Choirs.

Names on donor  
forms received through  
November 19 will be ac-  
knowledged at  
froedtert.com/lovelight.

Donor forms are avail-  
able in the hospital's  
Well Wisher Gift Shop,

West Bend Health Cen-  
ter, Kewaskum Health  
Center and Jackson  
Health Center. For more  
information, e-mail  
SJHlovelight@froedtert.  
com or call 262-836-  
LOVE.

The Love Light Tree is  
sponsored by The Part-  
ners of St. Joseph's  
Hospital. Proceeds from  
the event allow Partners  
to fund three annual  
scholarships, support St.  
Joseph's Hospital pro-  
grams and services.

Volunteers have been  
serving St. Joseph's  
Hospital since 1937  
when a small group of  
women met in members'  
homes to sew for the  
hospital nursery. Over  
the years, the role of vol-  
unteers expanded to its  
current Partners organi-  
zation, assisting patients  
and visitors and provid-  
ing service to hospital  
staff and the community.  
The Partners also raise  
funds for the hospital

through a variety of  
events and activities, in-  
cluding operating the  
Well Wisher Gift Shop at  
the hospital.

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ical College of Wisconsin  
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founded in 1930 by local  
doctors, community  
leaders and the Sisters  
of the Divine Savior, is a  
full-service hospital serv-  
ing residents of West  
Bend and Washington  
County. St. Joseph's  
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women's health and  
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# Halloween Dance Sponsored By Fond du Lac Lioness On October 27

Its that time of year and Fond du Lac is kicking off the Fall with dances that play a variety of music from country to polkas and more. The Fond du Lac Lioness is hosting Jerry Voelker and the Jolly Gents for the Halloween Dance on Sunday, Oct. 27, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Marghaels Dance Hall, N7688 Van Dyne Road, Fond du Lac. This hall has a beautiful hardwood maple dance floor that once was a roller skating rink and held many Friday night polka dances years back.

There will be food available and the hall is handicap accessible to make your afternoon enjoyable. It's a great place for family and friends of all ages to relax and enjoy. You don't need to dance, just come and enjoy, come in as strangers and leave as friends.

The dance is being sponsored by Goebel Insurance & Financial Group and supported by Barnes Chiropractic Clinic and Steve's Auto Body of Mayville.

These dances can create inspiration for young music students and encourage a talent for a lifetime. It shows there is life beyond high school in music if you enjoy playing. Its a talent that no one can take

away from you.

Jerry Voelker started at a very young age, at eight years old, when his dad sold a cow for \$85 and got him a piano accordion with the money. He played with other groups and then started the Jolly Gents.

The band has played at the Hofbrauhaus in Munich, Germany, and also in Hawaii, China, Russia and on cruise ships, Polka Festivals and more.

They are one of the first bands in Wisconsin to start playing a Polka Mass, which they still do today.

His band members include Ralph Kraynik; David Kopetsky, trumpet for 26 years; Tim Flag, drums 26 years; and Ed Larson bass horn and keyboard, whose band Eddy Larson Big Band will be playing at Marghaels on March 22, 2020.

The new 2019/2020 polka dance flyers will be available for you to mark your calendars for these great dances. Special recognition to TTI, Inc. for printing the flyers. For more information please contact Donna Gudex-Kamrath at 920-960-5318.

The next dance is Sunday, Nov. 3, with The Downtowners at the Knights Of Columbus in Fond du Lac. This dance will be sponsored

by Hometown Glass & Improvement, Inc. of Beaver Dam and Krail Jewellery of Fond du Lac and supported by Barnes Chiropractic Clinic and Steve's Auto Body of Mayville.

The 2020 Fond du Lac and Mayville polka dances will be starting in February with:

## Mayville

•February 8 — Carol & The Keynotes, sponsored by RH Equipment and Bernhard Plumbing of Mayville

•February 22 — Keith Gennerman, sponsored by Baumhardt Sand & Gravel of Eden

•March 7 — Mark Jirikovec Band, sponsored by Town and Country of Mayville

•March 24 — Jon Deitz & Twin Lakes Trio, sponsored by Don Ramon Mexican Restaurant of Mayville and Schmidt Farms of Theresa for Theresa American Legion #270

•March 21 — John Valenta, sponsored by Garage Door Specialist of Beaver Sam and Guelig Waste Removal of Eden

•March 28 — Barefoot Beck & The Ivanhoe Dutchmen, sponsored by TTI, Inc. of Eden

•April 4 — Brian & The Mississippi Valley Dutchmen, sponsored

by MEC of Mayville

•April 18 — Ryan Kautzer, sponsored by Dodge Concrete of Beaver Dam and matching funds from Modern Woodmen, Sara Karweick of Mayville for Friends of Mayville Public Library;

•April 25 — Gary & The Ridgeland Dutchmen sponsored by Lakeview Electric of Campbellsport

•June 6 — Jerry Krueger sponsored by Ottery Transportation and Luedtke Lumber.

## Fond du Lac

•February 9 — Gary & The Ridgeland Dutchmen at Knights of Columbus, sponsored by Zacherl Funeral Home, Inc. for Knights of Columbus Charity Fund

•February 23 — Del Rays '50-'60s Music at Marghaels Dance Hall, sponsored by Goldstar Tours for Fond du Lac Lioness

•March 8 — Ryan Kautzer at Knights of Columbus, sponsored by Zuern Building for Knights of Columbus Charity Fund

•March 22 — Eddie Larson at Marghaels Dance Hall, sponsored by Metalcraft of Mayville for Fond du Lac Lioness;

•March 29 — Don Peachey at Marghaels Dance Hall, sponsored

by Boda's Restaurant & Catering of Fond du Lac and Daniel's Landscaping of Campbellsport for Fond du Lac Lioness

•April 19 — Second Edition at Knights of Columbus Hall, sponsored by Hope Nursing Home & Rehabilitation of Lomira and Red Cabin at Green Acres

Supper Club for Fond du Lac for Knights of Columbus Charity Fund

•April 26 — Musical Brass at Marghaels Dance Hall, sponsored by Karavan Trailers of Fox Lake and Summit Automotive of Beaver Dam for Fond du Lac Lioness



Jerry Voelker

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Audra brings 30 years of experience to the business and the Administrator, Crystal Hafemann, brings 21 years of experience. Along with them, there are 10-14 employees depending on the time of year. Mike and Audra Beyer are supportive of their staff going back to school through funding in conjunction with TEACH.

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# School Happenings

## Kewaskum High School

**Thursday, Oct. 24**

- ✓ KHS Football Team Meal, KHS Cafeteria, 5 - 6:30 p.m.
- ✓ Soccer Boys Varsity Regional, vs. Pius XI at Wisconsin Lutheran College Stadium, 7 p.m.
- ✓ Volleyball Varsity Regional, vs. TBD at KHS, 7 p.m.

**Friday, Oct. 25**

- ✓ Tennis Girls Varsity Team State, vs. WIAA at Nielsen Stadium, Madison, Time TBD.
- ✓ CPR First Aid Class, District Office Conference Room, 6 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- ✓ Cross Country Varsity Sectional, vs Mayville at Mayville Golf Course, 4:15 p.m.
- ✓ Football Varsity Playoffs, vs. East Troy at KHS, 7 p.m.

**Saturday, Oct. 26**

- ✓ Cross Country Varsity Sectional, vs. Mayville at Mayville Golf Course, Time TBD
- ✓ Moraine Park Community Class, Fruit, Cream Custard Pies, KHS Room 4403, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.
- ✓ Soccer Boys Varsity Regional, vs. TBD, at KHS, 7 p.m.
- ✓ Volleyball Varsity Regional, vs. TBD at KHS Fieldhouse, 7 p.m.

**Monday, Oct. 28**

- ✓ KYB Youth and Men's Open Basketball, KHS Fieldhouse, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, Oct. 30**

- ✓ KHS Athletics Code Meeting, KHS Cafeteria, 7 - 9 p.m.
- ✓ KYB Boys Basketball Open Gym, KHS Field House, 7 - 8 p.m.

**Thursday, Oct. 31**

- ✓ Soccer Boys Varsity Sectional, vs. TBD at TBD
- ✓ KHS Football Team Meal, KHS Cafeteria, 5 - 6:30 p.m.
- ✓ Volleyball Varsity Sectional, vs. TBD at 7 p.m.

**Friday, Nov. 1**

- ✓ Football Varsity Playoffs, vs. TBD, at 7 p.m.

**Saturday, Nov. 2**

- ✓ Cross Country Varsity State, vs. WIAA at The Ridges Golf Course - Wisconsin Rapids, TBD
- ✓ Volleyball Varsity Sectional, vs. TBD at TBD
- ✓ Chess Varsity Invitational Wisconsin Junior Open, vs. UW Oshkosh at UW Oshkosh, 9 a.m.
- ✓ Soccer Boys Varsity Sectional vs. WIAA at KHS, 1 p.m.

**Sunday, Nov. 3**

- ✓ Chess Varsity Invitational Wisconsin Junior Open, vs. UW Oshkosh at UW Oshkosh, TBD

## Kewaskum Middle School

**Monday, Oct. 28**

- ✓ KMS Girls Basketball Open Gym, KMS Gym 5 - 6 p.m.

**Tuesday, Oct. 29**

- ✓ KMS Boys Basketball Game vs. St. Mary's Springs, KMS Gym, 4:15 p.m.

**Wednesday, Oct. 30**

- ✓ KMS Girls Basketball Open Gym, KMS Gym 5 - 6 p.m.

**Thursday, Oct. 31**

- ✓ Boys Basketball Game at Rosendale Intermediate School, 4:15 p.m.

## Kewaskum Elementary School

**Thursday, Oct. 24**

- ✓ KES Picture Retakes, KES
- ✓ KES PTO Fundraiser Pick-Up, KES Cafeteria, 3:30 - 6 p.m.

**Tuesday, Oct. 29**

- ✓ KES Parent-Teacher Conferences, 4 - 8 p.m.

**Wednesday, Oct. 30**

- ✓ Kings Kids Meeting, KES Art Room, 3:40 - 5:15 p.m.

## Farmington Elementary School

**Friday, Oct. 25**

- ✓ FES PTO Halloween Party, FES Gym, 6 - 8 p.m.

**Monday, Oct. 28**

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

## SENIOR DINING MENU

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**Monday, Oct. 28** - Breaded Pork Cutlet, Garlic Mashed Potatoes With Gravy, Harvard Beets, Whole Wheat Bread, Apple Cobbler. Alt: Applesauce.

**Tuesday, Oct. 29** - Cheeseburger Pasta Bake, Laguna Blend

Veggies, Fresh Cauliflower With Ranch, Fruit Cocktail, Snickerdoodle Cookie, Chocolate Milk. Alt: Diet Cookie.

**Wednesday, Oct. 30** - BBQ Chicken Breast, Cubed Sweet Potatoes, Broccoli Florets, Chilled Pears, Cornbread Muffin, Pecan Pie. Alt: Diet Cookie.

**Thursday, Oct. 31** - Spooky Salisbury Steak, Monster Mashed Potatoes With Gravy, Ghoulish Green Beans, Cauldron Citrus Cup, Werewolf Wheat Bread, Chilling Chocolate Ice Cream.

**Friday, Nov. 1** - Stuffed Cabbage Roll, Buttered Baby Red Po-

tatoes, Carrot Coins, Multigrain Bread, Mango Mousse Cake. Alt: Pears.

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

## BREAKFAST MENUS

**Breakfast Menus for October 28 - November 1**

**Kewaskum High School**

**Monday:** Cinnamon Roll, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Tuesday:** Sausage English Muffin, Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Wednesday:** Cheese Omelet, Whole Grain Gripz, Hashbrown Round, Red Grapes, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Thursday:** Egg and Cheese Bagel Sandwich, Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Friday:** Breakfast Buffet (Variety of Breakfast Items), Fresh Pear Halves, Assorted Juice,

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

**Kewaskum Middle School**

**Monday:** Cinnamon Roll, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Tuesday:** Sausage English Muffin, Orange Wedges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Wednesday:** Cheese Omelet, Whole Grain Gripz, Hashbrown Round, Red Grapes, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Thursday:** Egg and Cheese Bagel Sand-

wich, Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

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

**Kewaskum School District Elementary Schools**

**Monday:** French Toast Bites With Cinnamon Sugar, Mandarin Oranges, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Tuesday:** Yogurt Parfait, Diced Peaches, Assorted Juice, Choice of

Milk. **Wednesday:** Cheese Omelet, Hashbrown Round, Whole Grain Keebler Gripz, Rosy Applesauce, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Thursday:** Bacon, Egg, and Cheese Croissant, Strawberries, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

**Friday:** Apple Bosco Stick, Fresh Apple Slices, Assorted Juice, Choice of Milk.

Other Breakfast Items: Cold Cereal Bowls, Fruit Muffin, Fruit Breads, Cereal/Granola Bars, Nutri-Grain Bars, Graham Cracker Snacks, Pop-tarts, 4 oz. Yogurt, String Cheese, Uncrustable.

All Menus Are Subject To Change.

## LUNCH MENUS

**Lunch Menus for October 28 - November 1**

**Kewaskum High School**

**Monday:** Chicken Nuggets, Sweet Potato Fries, Baked Beans, Red Grapes, Mandarin Oranges.

**Tuesday:** Pizza Sticks, Marinara Sauce, Peas and Carrots, Fresh Broccoli, Fresh Apple Slices, Pineapple Tidbits.

**Wednesday:** Club Croissant, French Fries, Buttered Corn, Watermelon, Diced Pears.

**Thursday:** Whole Grain Pasta Bar, Garlic Roasted Broccoli, Orange Wedges, Applesauce, Halloween Treat.

**Friday:** Macaroni & Cheese, Popcorn Chicken, Steamed Green Beans, Baby Carrots, Strawberries, Diced Peaches.

**Mondays:** Bistro Burger Bar.

**Tuesdays:** Deli Bar.

**Wednesdays:** Wings Bar.

**Thursdays:** A Taste of Italy.

**Fridays:** Wrap It Up Bar With Soup. Daily Menu Offerings: Grab N Go Lunch, Variety Of Salads, Deli Bar,

Hamburgers, Cheeseburgers, Chicken Patty, Spicy Chicken Patty, Pizza Of The Day.

**Kewaskum Middle School**

**Monday:** Hot Honey Queso Totchos, Refried Beans, Whole Grain Churro, Red Grapes, Mandarin Oranges.

**Tuesday:** Mini Pizza Bagels, Buttered Corn, Romaine Lettuce, Pineapple Tidbits, Choc Chip Cookie.

**Wednesday:** Hot Ham & Cheese, French Fries, Seasoned Peas, Baby Carrots, Diced Pears.

**Thursday:** Halloween Chicken Nuggets, Frankenstein's Fingers (aka French Fries), Witch's Brew (aka Tomato Soup), Blood Orange Applesauce, Halloween Treat.

**Friday:** Italian Fries With Marinara Sauce, Fresh Broccoli, Strawberries, Diced Peaches. Salad Bar Served Daily.

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

**Kewaskum, Farmington and i4Learning Elementary**

**Monday:** First Choice: Italian Cheese Fries, Second Choice: Ham & Cheese Munchable, Third Choice: Fun Lunch. Sides: Buttered Corn, Romaine Lettuce, Red Grapes.

**Tuesday:** First Choice: Cheeseburger, Second Choice: Mini Corn Dogs, Third Choice: Fun Lunch. Sides: Potato Smiles, Baked Beans, Fresh Apple Slices, Choc Chip Cookie.

**Wednesday:** First Choice: Spaghetti & Meat Sauce, Second Choice: Chicken Caesar Salad, Third Choice: Fun Lunch. Sides: Roasted Broccoli, Baby Carrots, Diced Pears.

**Thursday:** First Choice: Halloween Chicken Nuggets, Second Choice: Witch's Ravioli & Garlic Bread, Third Choice: Fun Lunch. Sides: French Fries, Fresh Vegetable Cup, Orange Smiles, Halloween Treat.

**Friday:** First Choice: Cheese Pizza, Second Choice: Yogurt & Bagel, Third Choice: Fun Lunch. Sides: Steamed Peas & Carrots, Fresh

Sugar Snap Peas, Strawberries.

Fun Lunch = Uncrustable, String Cheese, Goldfish Crackers, Fresh Apple Slices, Choice Of Assorted Vegetables.

**Holy Trinity School**

**Monday:** Parmesan Chicken, Whole Grain Fettucine, Whole Grain Garlic Bread, Glazed Carrots, Assorted Fruits, \*PB&J Uncrustable option.

**Tuesday:** Taco Tuesday! \*Nachos, Beef or Chicken Taco, Whole Grain Taco Rice, Whole Grain Buttered Bread, Refried Beans, Green Beans, Assorted Fruits.

**Wednesday:** Hot Dog or Bratwurst, Whole Grain Bun, Macaroni and Cheese, Glazed Carrots, Assorted Fruits.

**Thursday:** Grilled Cheese or Grilled Ham & Cheese, Bowl of Chili or Soup, Tator Tots, Assorted Fruits.

**Friday:** Menu not available at press time. Assorted Fresh Vegetables And Salad Offered Daily.

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# School Board Renews WASB Membership

The Kewaskum School District, which has an Indians mascot, would be affected by any such legislation. Once a resolution is passed, WASB lobbies to have it passed into legislation, according to Ashley.

"The staff and myself don't come up with the resolutions; they come from member districts. What we have on the table is a Wausau school district submitted a resolution. They also went around and asked other districts to endorse it, but that means nothing in our assembly. The fact of the matter is it is the delegates that vote. Endorsements don't play any role in that. That is a little bit of politicking, I think, that went on there," Ashley said.

He told the school board that a total of 31 districts would be affected by a change in legislation regarding mascots.

"I don't know the other 30 districts in the state," School Board Member Tim Ramthun said. "What I care about is this one. This village was

created with the name from an Indian chief.

"Back in the 70s when I went to school, we had a family by the name of Prescotts who would come on Football Friday in full dress, they would wear the headdresses and everything, and they would do presentations. It was an honorable thing to have Native Americans participate in our community," Ramthun added.

"It is important to me that the voices of the districts that are actually dealing with it be heard," Ashley said.

Ashley said that neither he nor his staff have an opinion on the issue.

"One of the things that is being made clear to me is there is a perception that because some of the endorsers are large districts that there is this idea that large districts are telling small districts what to do. Well, look at the numbers. We have got a whole lot more districts of 1,000 and under than we do over. So I don't think that anybody today can pre-

dict the outcome of that particular resolution," Ashley said.

"It is part of the DNA of this community. We did pull back and we got rid of some of the signage we used to do and went with the floating K, but I see honor in our name. I see respect in our name," Ramthun said.

"That is why there is the opportunity to participate as a delegate; you can go to the mike and you can state your opinion and so on. There is opportunity for that interaction from different delegates before the vote is taken," Miller said.

Board President Mark Sette said at last week's meeting that he thought the board voted against renewing the membership in June because Miller, who previously served as the district's WASB delegate, was not on the board at the time. He appointed Miller to the board in September.

"I do think WASB offers a lot, and I think it would be good for us to be with WASB," Sette said at the October 14 meeting.



Lori Bersch's home at 336 North Ave. in Kewaskum is decked out with a pirate ship and mermaid for Halloween.

photo by Anne Trautner



Lori Bersch's home at 336 North Ave. in Kewaskum is decked out in pirate gear for Halloween.

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## Kewaskum FFA's Annual Fruit Sale 2019

Mixed Boxes (18-20 lbs.)	Number of Items/Total Cost
1. 18 Navel Oranges, 18 Braeburn Apples	\$25.00 _____
2. 14 Navel Oranges 12 Braeburn Apples, 10 D' Anjou Pears	\$25.00 _____
3. 8 Texas Red Grapefruit, 12 Navel Oranges, 10 Braeburn Apples	\$25.00 _____
4. 6 Texas Red Grapefruit, 12 Navel Oranges, 8 Braeburn Apples, 6 D'Anjou Pears	\$25.00 _____
5. 11 Grapefruit, 18 Navel Oranges	\$25.00 _____
M-11. 6 Grapefruit, 10 Oranges, 10 Honeycrisp, 6 Pears	\$30.00 _____
M-12. 10 Oranges, 6 Honeycrisp, 4 Pears (9 lbs.)	\$20.00 _____
M-13. 14 Oranges, 12 Honeycrisp, 10 Pears	\$30.00 _____

Citrus Boxes - Half (20 lbs.) or Full (40 lbs.)	Number of Items/Total Cost
6. Half Box Texas Red Grapefruit (20-24 count)	\$20.00 _____
7. Full Box Texas Red Grapefruit (40-48 count)	\$30.00 _____
8. Half Box California Navel Oranges (36-44 count)	\$25.00 _____
9. Full Box California Navels (72-88 count)	\$35.00 _____
10. Pineapple (1 whole)	\$7.00 _____
11. Dried Cranberries: <i>NEW!</i> (6/4 oz pkgs.) Great Snacks!	\$12.00 _____

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13. 1 lb. Garlic Sausage	\$7.00 _____
14. 1/2 lb. Beef Sticks	\$5.00 _____
15. 1/2 lb. Garlic Beef Sticks	\$5.00 _____
16. 1/2 lb. Hot Beef Sticks	\$5.00 _____
17. 1/2 lb. Little Hot Sticks	\$5.00 _____
18. 2.5 lbs. Little Hot Sticks ( <i>Great Deal!</i> )	\$18.00 _____
19. 1 lb. Package Cedar Valley String Cheese	\$8.00 _____
20. 8 oz. Pine River Cheddar Cheese Spread	\$3.00 _____
21. 8 oz. Pine River Port Wine Cheese Spread	\$3.00 _____
22. 1 lb. Package Gibbsville Cheddar Cheese Curds	\$5.00 _____
23. Small Sausage Gift Box (1 lb. plain summer sausage, 1 lb. cheddar cheese, 8 oz. little hot sticks, 5 peanut butter cows)	\$25.00 _____

24. Large Sausage Gift Box	Number of Items/Total Cost
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# ARGH! A HAUNTED PIRATE'S HALLOWEEN

By Anne Trautner

If you make your way past 336 North Ave in Kewaskum, you can't help but notice there are pirates all over the front lawn.

It is quite the scene. There is a battle going on between the "real" pirates and the "skeleton" pirates, with the two armies of pirates shooting bombs at each other.

One pirate has stolen some jewels from a treasure box and is can be spotted rowing away with his loot.

Another treasure box will be filled with candy as children come trick or treating on Saturday, Oct. 26, from 5 to 7 p.m. And, although it is not required, there are bins for those who wish to donate a treasure for the Kewaskum food pantry.

This is the third year in a row that Lori Bersch has gone all out and decorated her home on North Avenue for Halloween.

"People come up in the yard and take pictures, so we have a couple photo ops. We have a jail cell. And we have the pillory so they can stick their hands and their head through," Bersch said.

Bersch developed the scene with the help of her parents, Sandy and Duane Brzozowski, and her daughter, Jordyn Bersch, to create the scene. They started working on it the day after Halloween last year.

Most of the props have been created by using things that Bersch and her family picked up from the curb during bulk pickup day in Kewaskum and Campbellsport. Other items were great finds at rummage

sales and thrift shops. And many pieces were recycled from Bersch's previous Halloween displays.

"Most of this was free," Bersch said. "We had to purchase some paint, but we also had a lot of leftover paint from last year and the year before."

She admits she bought plastic skeletons for the scene.

"I thought they looked too clean, so I got some rolls of shrink wrap. I laid the skeletons out, and I took a heat gun and I melted the shrink wrap to make it look like the skeletons have connective tissue. Then I took a paint sponge with some brown paint and I just rubbed it on them to make them look like they were aged and decayed," Bersch explained.

She researched online to come up with ideas on how to create the scene.

Rum barrels were created from large blue buckets that were painted. Docks were created out of telephone poles that were cut and then tied with rope.

Paneling that Bersch found on the curb was transformed into a ship.

A table leg made a decorative ship ornament.

Duane Brzozowski used old spindles to create a ship wheel.

Pallets were painted and placed in front of the house to create a large ship.

"The pallets we got from my brother's business. We wanted to have a backdrop of sorts...we didn't want to

just have it up against the bricks in the front of the house," Bersch said.

To create the right atmosphere, Bersch melted plastic milk jugs onto a mold to create skulls. She then placed them on tiki torches that someone was throwing away.

A brick wall on the jail cell was created from pink foam panels that Bersch textured with a heat gun and then painted.

Headboards and Footboard from beds that people were getting rid of are now signs.

A huge kraken tentacle was made from a round card table that was picked up off the curb, chicken wire that was picked off the curb, plastic wrap, pool noodles and paint.

"I was going to make him eight feet tall, but he turned out to be 15 feet. I went a little overboard," Bersch admitted.

Creating the scene is tons of fun for Bersch and her family. But the real reward is having lots of visitors on Halloween.

"We had 300 trick or treaters last year, so I am hoping we get more this year," Bersch said.



Lori Bersch's home at 336 North Ave. in Kewaskum is decked out in pirate gear for Halloween.

photo by Anne Trautner



Creating a Haunted Pirate's Halloween has been a family affair. Pictured (from left) are: Sandy Brzozowski, Lori Bersch, Jordyn Bersch and Duane Brzozowski.

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All things are pirate-themed for Halloween this year at 336 North Ave. in Kewaskum.

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# The Ghost Of “Mush” Bauer

By Karl McCarty

One cannot reflect on the Amber Hotel without thinking about Mush, just as one cannot think about Halloween without discussing ghosts. As we prepare for the spooky season, its worth bringing up the legends within that old building in Campbellsport on Main and South Railroad Street.

“When we went on vacation we came back to strange things that would happen that never were solved.” That commentary by Lois Zingsheim is just the base of some of the ghost stories that extend out of the restaurant, bar and hotel that Edward Martin “Mush” Bauer used to own in Campbellsport.

A quarter century after Mush’s death, Lois and her husband moved into the same building, but they found out quickly there was a ghost still hanging around on the property. “Dale and I took over February 1st of 1980. Of course, Mush came along with the building. I always believed in spirit. But Dale told me I was crazy... Probably true. But there was definitely spirit in the hotel. He was a friendly ghost, but he hated being alone.”

What follows is some

of the best ghost stories Lois recalled from her time owning The Amber. Some encounters occurred in the dining room, others upstairs and some even in the kitchen.

### The Flying T Bone

“My absolute favorite story about Mush was the night that I had just plated a beautiful T-bone steak. Donna [Laudolf] was waiting for the order. I put it under the warming lights, and turned toward the char grill.” Now, remember that plate “was sitting there. It was not doing anything.”

Nonetheless, “The plate flew out from under the warming lights and ended up on the floor by me. The steak was still on the plate. We just stood there with our mouths open. We surmised that Mush was probably hungry.”

And Lois laughed, “The bad news is I had to make another steak for the customer. ‘Cause when I saw it on the floor, I automatically just opened the cooler and got another steak. The plate was shattered underneath but the steak was still there. This was a T-bone — not a little six ounce sirloin that we sold eight thousand of. This was a T-bone.”

### The Contact Thief

“The other one that was baffling was not down in the restaurant, it was in the apartment (upstairs). I had contacts. And at the end of the night, obviously I would take my contacts out, put them in their case, and set them in the bathroom.

“And the next morning I got up and my contacts were gone. And I’m going, ‘Well, they’re not in my eyes. The case is gone. And I don’t drink. What happened to my contacts?’ So I looked. And looked. And looked. I never found ‘em. I had to go over to Ann Schlaefer. Thank god I had insurance [they cost 400 dollars]. I had to order a new pair of (gas perm) contacts.”

The contacts were lost in January and February. Then came spring. “I went to the rooms above the bar room. All those little back rooms where we kept all the decorations. ... There was a little porch room; there was a window on the west, and the door went out to the other roof. And I went in there — I know it was spring cause I was going to open up that door to get some air into the building. And on the window sill sat my blue container

of contacts. In there! They were in there. Dried up.”

### Mirrors, Mirror Fogged On The Wall

Joan Schladweiler was The Amber’s cleaner and she had a problem with the mirrors in the back dining room fogging up. If you were a customer and can recall, these would be the mirrors on the south wall in that back room, which was sometimes used for private parties.

Joan “always did those mirrors. Let’s say over the weekend we had a party, and little kids would go and put their fingers on the mirror. That drove her nuts. So I would assume Monday mornings or Tuesday mornings — she cleaned the mirrors.”

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This photo of Mush appears to be later in life. It is on the outside steps of Bauer’s on Main Street in Campbellsport.

photo courtesy of Lois Zingsheim



Above is a picture of Mush Bauer (born 1906) holding an unidentified child behind the Bauer tavern and restaurant. The smokestack still remains, as well as the basement opening seen in this picture provided by Lois Zingsheim. Any knowledge on who this child is would be much appreciated. The time of this picture is unclear, but other pictures of Mush might indicate it was around the 1930s or early 1940s. He died in 1957.

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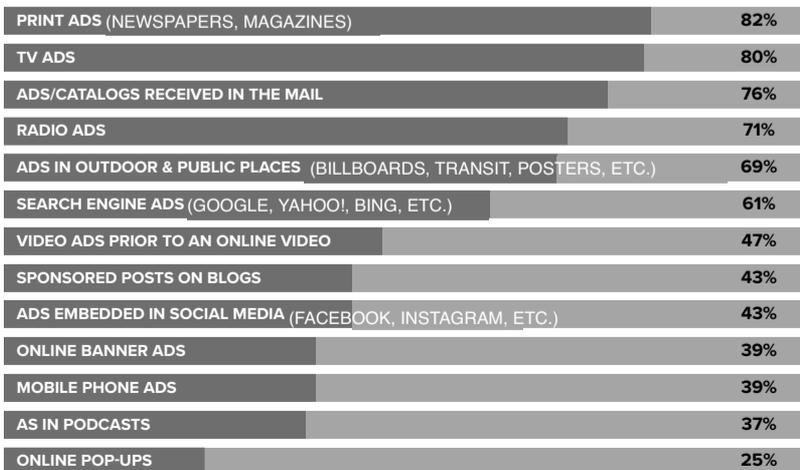
A view at the bar from Bauer’s, probably from 1952, with the prices of good drinks at 50 cents in the top left hand corner.

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Then one day Joan came into the kitchen and said, "He's at it again." One must understand that Joan was, in Lois's words, "a clean-a-holic" and a "sweet-heart." But when she battled those mirrors — "She was mad is what she was."

Lois said it was hard to forget the frustration of those mirrors, which at least three times that day they fogged over after Joan cleaned them. "But she went in there. And I know it was three times, and she had them all cleared, and she walked in and all the mirrors were fogged over. Like you could write your name on it.

"And the first time she came by me, she said, 'What's going on back there?' And I said, 'Well I don't know. I don't know what's going on.' And I walk back there, and sure as hell the mirrors were fogged up. .. No reason. It was just weird. So she'd clean 'em. Then, it happened two more times after that."

To Lois' recollection, mirror issues didn't happen again after that.

### The Ceiling Is Falling

One time Dale and Lois were leaving for Arizona. "So, the night before we left, Dale and I went through the whole building. Turned things off that didn't need to be on; cause we were closed."

For context, however, one has to understand the remodeling which took place. A new dining room had just been put in with a special acoustic ceiling which was quite the investment.

"In the bar room and the dining room I requested that. It cost us a fortune. Because the dining room was always so loud, so we put in an acoustic ceiling so that it

would absorb more. And it did."

Now, in regard to upstairs, there wasn't a lot to look over before the couple went to Arizona. "We only had a bathroom that was as old as Methuselah. I mean, it was really old. You know, cork on the chain? That was the closer/stopper of the sink. We had no money to remodel upstairs."

In addition, many of the rooms upstairs didn't have much daily use. "So that night, both of us went through. We made sure that the water was off upstairs in our bathroom. We always turned that off cause we used that all the time. We double checked the sinks in the kitchen. ... And then we'd walk thru everything else just to make sure it was quiet. Doors were locked. Whatever needed to be done. So we left that day."

Then come vacation time. "And Joan Schladweiler always came in and did her major cleaning then. She came in one day, and that brand new ceiling had collapsed in front of the waitress station," where water had been seeping thru.

"So Joan called me in Arizona, and she said, 'Uh oh.' I said, 'Number one, get a plumber. And number two, call Jeff Lindsley.'" Thousands of miles away, Lois soon found out she didn't need a plumber. "The faucet was running in the kitchen in our apartment. Which we had turned off."

The nice aspect of the sink gone wild was it addressed Dale's cynicism of Mush, and he couldn't accuse Lois of being crazy. "Well, we had no other explanation. We both know. If Dale would have said, 'You probably

just didn't check that faucet right. You probably turned on it, and you turned it on instead of off.' And he couldn't accuse me of that — he was with me."

It wasn't just that the water was turned off at the sink, "We turned the water off down below." And then when the water did end up running, it did go down the drain. "But it was running, and eventually it over flowed. It couldn't take it. It wasn't on full, but it was running a stream."

Dale and Lois were gone ten days, and that drain was seldom used, and "It just clogged itself up with rust or debris, so it came on up and over the sink, on to the floor, in thru the linoleum, down into the brand new ceiling."

### The Basement

For full disclosure, there was my own experiences working at The Amber. For one, I remember staring at an au jus cup that was upside down, and it was just sliding along the table by the dishwashing station.

This could have been coincidence, but it doesn't explain my weird experiences down in the basement. I particularly worried when I was told to go down stairs to get ice or alcohol. And one time some coworker (who can't be named as I was never told of who did this) shut off the lights giving me a traumatic experience. A record was set racing up those steps to the main floor.

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Bauers in 1950/Building today. Above is a view of Bauer's in the 1950s. The crew entering the bar area is likely supporters of a political meeting, to the best guess of Lois Zingsheim, who provided the picture. Below is a present view 70 years later.

photo by Karl McCarty



The official logo of Bauer's from what is likely a 1950s or early 1960s menu, courtesy of Lois Zingsheim.

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# The Ghost Of "Mush" Bauer

Some say there's a feeling you get when ghosts know you are aware they are there, so they play with you on your fears. And that was the feeling I got in that basement.

Lois's encounters of Mush never occurred in the basement. But there were other employees who didn't like the bottom of the old Bauer's establishment. In addition, Lois pointed out, "There was the staircase that went no place. The one in the back by the beer cooler... There was concrete steps that went no place. And all those little back rooms."

There is a plausibility that these odd concoctions are a remnant from the alleged Bauer bootlegging days of Prohibition. Yes, there were weird places to hide at the bottom of The Amber.

## Mush Was Good Company

So was the ghost good? Lois leaned toward defending that alleged old spirit.

"Mush did not like to be alone. He did crazy

things when we weren't there. You'd come back and the weirdest stuff (occurred)."

Granted, some might say some of the oddities were mere science, like the fogged windows in the back room. But to this day Lois would say, "There were crazy things out of place. Things completely out of place."

For example, Dale would find things in the bar room rearranged. In addition, Lois concedes Mush "liked people. And when he was alone, he did damage." Even on other vacations, Dale and Lois came back and things were weird.

"Not as serious as this water issue. If Dale would have found a live Mush, he would've killed him (because of the ceiling). That cost us like two thousand dollars, because it went thru the floor."

All in all, Lois liked Mush: "Yea. I didn't have a problem with mush. Except when I couldn't understand why he took my contacts. (And) why the water was running

upstairs."

Another theory from Lois was that Mush just wanted to play. And judging by some of the reports published at the time of his death, he seemed in life to have a sense of humor.

Mush Bauer was once 785 pounds when he lived. Lois was asked if the ghostly features she saw were bigger than the average person and concluded not really.

Some recollections from Lois was upstairs in the old hotel portion. "You have to remember, I would come up late at night. I always had that hallway light on going to the either apartment."

If it wasn't Mush, it was a spirit for sure. "I would see shadows in the hallways too. There were definite shadows up there. There was something in the building."

And in some places when you get up stairs, "There were not windows in there. So it's not like there were street lights coming thru. This was a dark hallway, except that I left the one

light on. And there were shadows. And you could see the shadow going down the hallway."

In the end, it all comes down to whether you believe. "First of all, I think you have to be free enough to accept spirit.

If you do not accept spirit, or believe in spirit, this is nonsense and yea, you don't believe it.

"Dale always thought I was nuts. Which is fine. But there were things that we couldn't explain — he could never ex-

plain them either to me. So he just let it go: 'Well have another martini and it'll be better!'"

And Lois said that was okay for Dale to have his cynicism. "But there was definite presence in that building. And Mush..."



Above is an interior of Bauer's dining room. The picture was dated October 1952. The flag in the background validates this, as the 48 star banner existed after Arizona and New Mexico entered the union in 1912 and was used until Hawaii and Alaska's entry to the union altered the star alignment in 1959.

photo courtesy of Lois Zingsheim



Above is a view of Bauer's Pontiac around 1952. The Bauer family had an impressive influence on the Campbellsport area, where its range of business extended from supplying farmers at the feed mill to satisfying appetites at the restaurant, all the while selling the cars that got them there. This view would be taken on Railroad Street looking south/southeast.

photo by Lois Zingsheim



Above is a picture of the interior at Bauer's, which coincides with the other images from 1952 in the story. None were identified, but is published here in case anyone can recognize some old friends or relatives.

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## Kewaskum Women's Club Meeting To Be Held Thursday, Oct. 24

The Kewaskum Women's Club fall meeting will be held on Thursday, Oct. 24, at the

Municipal Building Annex at 7 p.m.

Aaron Laatsch and Anne Trautner, who are

Kewaskum Historical Society volunteers, will present a program about the village's 125th

anniversary celebration in 2020. In conjunction with the village's 125th anniversary, Laatsch and Trautner are writing a book about the history of the Village of Kewaskum, which will be released in March 2020.

Come to the meeting Thursday night and hear about the plans for the village's celebration.

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# SPORTS



The Kewaskum defensive line works together during a game against Ripon on Friday, Oct. 18.  
photo by Anne Trautner

## Alyssa Dreher Winds Up Tied For 58th At State Golf Meet

By Judy Harlow

Bettering her first round score by one stroke, Alyssa Dreher finished in a tie for 58th place in the WIAA State Division 1 Girls Golf Tournament that concluded on October 15.

A senior, Dreher is a member of the combined Campbellsport/Kewaskum golf team. She started off state action with a 97 the first 18 holes, then came back with a 96 for a 193 total on the University Ridge Golf Course near

Verona.

"I think nerves may have gotten to Alyssa a little bit. I know she wanted to do so well, and day one didn't go the way she would have liked," coach Amy Uhlig said about Dreher's performance. "She had stretches of pars but then couldn't build any momentum on those during her rounds."

If there was one hole Dreher would have liked a "do-over" on, it would have been No. 12, according to Uhlig. The coach said, "Hole No. 12 really hurt her both days, as she took a six each day, mainly due to troubles with the sand and pin placement."

Uhlig said Dreher appeared to be very relaxed hitting the ball on the range, but, "Then on the course, things were a bit different. She'd hit a good shot, but then get bad bounces and end up in bunker, above the holes on approach shots, etc. She gave it her best, but I know she was hoping for a different result."

Uhlig praised her four-year varsity regular for winning all-North Shore first team honors and for getting to state.

"It was quite an accomplishment to make it that far, and I hope she's proud of that," Uhlig said. "I certainly am very proud of her and the hard work she put in. Being only the second girl in the history of our program to make it to state is pretty awesome."

Writer's note: Dreher is a student at Campbellsport High, which would be a D-2 school without the co-op team status it has with Kewaskum, moving the team to D-1 for the tournament. A 193 total in Division 2 would have been good for a tie for 17th place this season.

## Trio Of KHS Girls Lead The Way To Third Place Finish in EC Finale

By Judy Harlow

In some conference cross country meets, having three runners among the top 11 finishers would be enough to challenge for a title, but not in this year's East Central roundup where Plymouth and Winneconne were good enough to place all five of their counters in the top 19.

Defending champion Plymouth got the nod by a single point, 40-41, over Winneconne.

Kewaskum placed third overall with 87 points, with junior Alyssa Butz and senior Faith Mertzig earning all-conference honors with their fifth and sixth places in respective times of 20:11.49 and 20:12.13.

Both times were personal bests.

Andrea Butz, a newcomer to the sport this fall, also had a good outing. She placed 11th in 20:54.87, but then there was a gap until sophomore Tierney Herman came in with a 22:13.69 time, good for 28th overall. This was impressive since she has just run with the varsity the last part of the regular season.

The Indians' other counter was Kendra Schmitt, a freshman, who covered the 5,000 meters in 22:36.26, a little over a second in front of her teammate, Courtney Zarda (22:37.28).

"Six of seven girls on varsity ran PRs (personal records) while eight of nine girls ran

PRs total. The non-PR was a season's best." KHS coach Eugene Peterson said.

He reported that Alyssa Butz and Mertzig earned first team all-EC honors, while Andrea Butz received second team acclaim.

"This was a huge meet for us mentally. Time-wise, we ran our best of the season, which allowed us to break out of our mental block that we have been in since our performance at Mayville," Peterson said. "The confidence boost is huge as we return to Mayville, looking to secure a top-two finish in Sectional. For the first time, the girls believe they are good enough, which puts pressure on

them, but also gives them motivation to see it through."

The boys' finish was a lot more clear cut as Winneconne won the title with 21 points to spare, 66-87 over Ripon.

Kewaskum's top two runners, Isaiah Lubner and Gannon Kreuser, both had good races; but after that, their pack was too far back. The Indians had 129 points, good for seventh. Lubner ran a 16:48.15, his best time of the year. Kreuser was very competitive, taking 15th place in 17:26.97, .60 of a second out of 10th.

Both made second-team all-conference, according to Peterson, who said, six of his seven runners had personal bests.

"Our team wasn't happy with our placing, but will benefit from a larger meet. They still have a goal in mind and will attempt to get the finish they hope for," Peterson said. "The success will be dependent

on our numbers three through seven runners getting in a pack and knocking off other teams' numbers four and five runners."

The Indians' other three counters included: Lance Grosskoph, 34th in 18:23.09, Clayton Kappler, 36th in 18:25.79; and Logan Haydin, 40th in 18:49.61, right ahead of teammate Adam Walls (18:54.11).

"We would love to see the community come out to Mayville Golf Course Friday at 4 p.m. to support the team as we make that push to extend our season by a week," Peterson said.

Boys standings: 1. Winneconne, 66; 2. Ripon, 87; 3. KM Lutheran, 99; 4. Waupun, 103; 5. Campbellsport, 111; 6. Berlin, 116; 7. Kewaskum, 129; 8. Plymouth, 140.

Girls standings: 1. Plymouth, 40; 2. Winneconne, 41; 3. Kewaskum, 87; 4. Berlin, 106; 5. KM Lutheran, 128; 6. Ripon, 153; 7. Campbellsport, 181; 8. Waupun, 162.



The Kewaskum football team plays its final conference game against Ripon on Friday, Oct. 18. The team will begin the playoff season at home on Friday.  
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# Indians Open Playoffs At Home Vs. East Troy

By Judy Harlow

After the heartbreaking 19-17 defeat to Ripon on October 19, Kewaskum football coach Steve Tennes thought his team had lost a chance to host a playoff game, but it turns out there will be another game at the "Doc" Mitchell Athletic Complex.

This Friday night (October 25) the 5-4 Indians will host 5-4 East Troy, a member of the 10-team Rock Valley Conference. Getting a home game wasn't the only surprise for Tennes. After all the playoff eligible teams were counted and placed in divisions based on enrollment, the Indians slipped down to Division 4 instead of being in D-3.

"I wasn't too surprised at that," Tennes said. He indicated Kewaskum had been the smallest of the projected D-3 field but now moved down to D-4 where it is one of the top three teams.

Other teams in the

eight-team bracket include: Lake Mills, St. Francis, University School of Milwaukee, Martin Luther, Obama SCTE and Catholic Memorial, the reigning Division 3 state champion. Memorial (7-2) is the number one seed and will face number eight Obama (3-6) this weekend. The winner will play the Kewaskum-East Troy winner on Friday, November 1.

Other first-round matches have No. 6 University School (5-4) facing No. 3 Martin Luther (7-2) and No 2 Lake Mills (8-1) entertaining No. 7 St. Francis (6-3).

About East Troy, Tennes said, "They're a passing team. They've thrown the ball for over 1,500 yards with just 300 yards rushing." Tennes was impressed with the Trojans' speedy receivers. "They're definitely a playoff team," he said. "It should be a good matchup."

Friday's kickoff in Kewaskum is set for 7 p.m.



Kewaskum High School's varsity team plays its final conference game last Friday, Oct. 18, against Ripon. Kewaskum starts in the playoffs with a home game this Friday.

photo by Anne Trautner

# Tigers Spoil Kewaskum's Senior Night

By Judy Harlow

It was a game that had playoff implications for both teams. Ripon's football team needed a win to get into the playoffs, while Kewaskum, already assured of a spot in the "second season," was aiming to get a home game for the playoffs and also to send its 16 seniors out with a victory.

Unfortunately for the Indians who had trouble sustaining offense drives, the visiting Tigers prevailed, with junior Grant Schneider kicking a 28-yard field goal as time expired, giving them a 17-14 victory.

With the loss, Kewaskum (5-4) ended up 4-3 in EC play and in a three-way tie with Winneconne and Ripon, which came into the contest with a 3-3 conference mark, 3-5 overall.

One might say Kewaskum "lived by the foot" a week ago when Andrew Bolek's extra point gave the Indians a 36-35 victory over Berlin, and now they "died by the foot" after Schneider was true on his second field goal try in the game after Ripon moved 31 yards in under

a minute to set up the kick.

"We played in a playoff (level) game last week, and we played in one tonight ... To be honest, they (Indians) weren't ready to play at that level," a disappointed KHS coach Steve Tennes said afterward.

Tennes said some people say teams often have letdowns after a big victory, but "I don't buy into that. You make your own breaks."

During the week leading up to the contest, Kewaskum had good news that linebacker Eli Bartelt, who broke his ankle in the game against Milwaukee Lutheran, would be good to go. "That kid ... what he went through ... He's a Warrior," Tennes said. "That (his return) should have been the emotional lift we needed tonight, to see him play ... It wasn't."

The game started out badly for the Indians when Joshua Bocher dropped the opening kickoff. The Tigers started their first possession on the KHS 22.

Two plays later, the Indians created a break of their own when Kannon Muckerheide jumped on

a fumble at the KHS 31. A holding call made it difficult for the Indians to pick up a first down, however, and they had to punt.

The Tigers picked up two first downs, then they punted, pinning the Indians down at their own 10-yard line. It was here that KHS started a seven-play, 90-yard march, thanks in big part to a 56-yard pass from Michael Daniel to tight end Reagen Dricken to the Ripon 29. Tennes then called Sam Lemler's number three times in a row, and he had gains of 14, five and three yards for a first down at the Ripon six. Two plays later, Muckerheide plowed into the end zone from the five. After Bolek's kick, the Indians were up 7-zip with 1:14 left in the quarter.

After the teams traded punts, Ripon put together an 11-play drive that covered 82 yards, ending with a Max Huseboe to Josh Moran pass on fourth and goal from the eight-yard line. Schneider's PAT tie the score at 7-7.

Ripon had deferred after winning the toss, so the Tigers got the ball first after the break. A punt hit a Kewaskum player and the Tigers fell on it at the 38. Later in the drive, the Tigers scored on a screen pass from Huseboe to Jose Munoz-Dominguez, who streaked down the right sideline for the go-ahead TD.

KHS threatened late in the third quarter, moving from its 40 to the Ripon three, thanks to a 31-yard pass from Daniel to Bocher, and two runs by Jermain "J.J." Thull. A motion penalty pushed the Indians back to the nine. After a six-yard run by Thull, the teams traded sides of the field to start the fourth quarter.

Facing a fourth-and-one situation, Muckerheide got the call but he

was met in the hole and stopped for no gain. Ripon didn't take over for long, however, as the Tigers were forced to punt. The punt was partially blocked by Jay Horning, and the Indians took over on Ripon's 11-yard line.

After two plays netted just two yards, Ty Cook threw a perfect pass to the 6-foot, 5-inch Bocher, who outjumped the Tiger defender for the touchdown. Bolek's kick evened the score at 14-14.

There was just 6:44 remaining in the game, but KHS had just one more possession, starting at its own 20-yard line. Kewaskum was forced to punt after a third down pass intended for Dylan Maechtle was underthrown by Cook.

Ripon took over at the KHS 41 and used a run by Munoz to pick up one first down, an 11-yard pass to Munoz to the 14 and a run by Cameron Hahn to the 10, setting up the final field goal. KHS used its final two time outs in an effort to "ice" Schneider, but unfortunately for KHS, that did not stop him from coming through with the game-winner for Ripon.

"The defense did the job," Tennes said, but, "The offense didn't hold up its end of the bargain."

KHS had 228 yards of offense, with Lemler rushing for 48 yards in nine carries; Daniel going 3x4 for 96 yards passing, and Bocher catching three passes for 52 yards.

Bartelt led the defense with 10 tackles.

"We're playing next week. We've got to bring it," Tennes said about being in the playoffs.

Final EC standings: 1. Plymouth, 7-0; 2. Berlin, 5-2; 3. (tie) Kewaskum, Ripon and Winneconne, 4-3; 6. Campbellsport, 3-4; 7. KM Lutheran, 1-6; 8. Waupun, 0-8.



JJ Thull runs the ball for Kewaskum against a tough Ripon team last Friday.

photo by Anne Trautner



The Kewaskum football team faces Ripon in a home game last Friday, Oct. 18.

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The Kewaskum football plays its last conference game against Ripon on Friday, Oct. 18.

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# Spikers Stumble In Opening Round, Rebound To Place Fourth

By Judy Harlow

Perhaps, after winning its last 11 matches, the Kewaskum volleyball team might have gone into the October 26 East Central Conference Tournament with a little too much confidence.

Whatever the case, the Indians were up-ended by Campbellsport 2-1 in the first round. The scores were 18-25, 25-16 and 16-5 in the Cougars' favor, taking away any chance of Kewaskum finishing among the top four. They did rebound against Ripon 3-1 and finished off the day with a 3-0 sweep over Waupun to take consolation honors on the day.

Combining results from the tournament and the dual meet season, Kewaskum finished fourth in the EC standings. No information was available on which team won the EC title.

"We started very slow against Campbellsport and posted a .038 hitting percentage for the match. Our movements were a little lethargic, and we were late to too many attacks, serves and out of system passes," KHS coach Laine Leitzke said about the opening round against the long-time rival. He added, "They had something to prove against us, and we did nothing to stop them."

KHS also lost game one against Ripon, 23-25, but then the Indians caught fire, winning the next three by scores of

25-10, 25-17 and 25-22.

"After the first set against Ripon, we started to pick up our aggressiveness, and the team worked well together to post six straight set wins against Ripon and Waupun," Leitzke said. "It was a good finish after a lackluster start."

The scores against Waupun were 25-21, 25-20 and 26-24.

Brelynn Scoles had a big day with a team-high 25 kills to her credit to go along with 23 digs. Other impressive numbers included the 56 assists by Amanda Miller and 46 and 35 digs by Mikaela Marquardt and Holly Henk.

Other statistical leaders included: kills — Henk and Kiley May, 20; Miller, 17; aces — Carolyn Stockhausen and Amayah Thomas, five each; Miller, three; blocks — Nicole Butz, five, Henk and Stockhausen, two each; assists — Thomas, 33; and digs — Henk, 35; and Miller, 20.

Kewaskum (6-4 in EC matches and 26-8 overall) received the number four seed in the Division 2 sectional and was scheduled to host 13-seeded Milwaukee Vincent on October 22. With a win, the Indians will entertain the winner of the No. 5 Grafton-No. 12 Messmer match on October 24 at 7 p.m.

Two wins will put the Indians in the regional finals, probably against Wisconsin Lutheran.



The Kewaskum High School varsity volleyball team celebrates a win against Ripon on Thursday, Oct. 17.

photo by Anne Trautner



Natalie Krueger bumps the ball for Kewaskum during a home game against Ripon on Thursday, Oct. 17.

photo by Anne Trautner

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## KHS V-ball Team Ends Dual Meet Season With Impressive Wins

By Judy Harlow

Senior Night was a big success for the Kewaskum High volleyball team and specifically for the trio of Indians seniors - Carolyn Stockhausen, Brelynn Scoles and Mary Green. They helped their team to a 25-7, 25-14 and 25-12 sweep over visiting Ripon.

With the victory, the Indians wound up 4-3 in East Central Conference play and 24-7 overall.

"It was a great win for the team and a fitting final home conference match for the three seniors. They set a tone early in the first set and the entire team kept it up through the match," KHS coach Laine Leitzke said. "We had a strong serve and serve receive and were able to push through Ripon and keep control."

Stockhausen, Scoles and Nicole Butz led the team in kills with seven, six and six, respectively. Amanda Miller, Holly Henk and Kiley May each chipped in with four.

Freshman Mikaela Marquardt led the team in aces with three and digs with 13, while Green and Miller both had a pair of aces. Stockhausen and Butz each blocked two shots. Assist leaders were

Miller and Green with 13 and eight, respectively.

Winneconne wound up atop the EC standings with a 5-0 mark, while KM Lutheran was 6-1; Plymouth, 5-1; and the Indians 4-3. (Results of a couple of the matches are still missing.)

See separate story on the EC Tournament.

On October 15, the Indians overpowered Weyauwega-Fremont (7-5) in three quick games, 25-11, 25-14 and 25-23. With the win, they are 23-7 on the year.

"The team did a nice job rebounding off of a tough match against Berlin. We started with a strong 3-0 start and for the first two sets, we really took control and

were able to do what we wanted." KHS coach Laine Leitzke said. He added, "The third set, we switched some roles around and had some strong communication. We lost focus a little bit, but pushed strong at the end, making a small comeback and then pushing for the win."

Statistical leaders included: kills — Brelynn Scoles, eight, and Kiley May, six, Amanda Miller, and Nicole Butz, five each; aces — Carolyn Stockhausen, three, Amayah Thomas and Mikaela Marquardt, two each; Block leaders — May, two, and Holly Henk, one; assists — Miller, 16; Thomas and Marquardt, five each; and digs — Miller, 10, Marquardt, six.



Nora Sebo sets the ball for Kewaskum during a home game against Ripon on Thursday, Oct. 17.

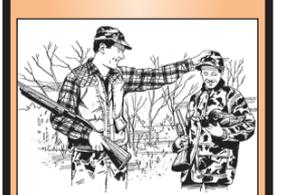
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# Kewaskum Youth Soccer Results

## October 19 Kewaskum U7 Wolves 2

### Erin Leprechauns 0

The U7 Coed Wolves played very aggressive against a tough Erin Leprechauns and won 2-0.

Bentley Kuhfuss and Dawson Scheel played outstanding offensively and defensively; each scoring a goal with an awesome assist by Veronica Goetzinger.

Oscar Cannestra and Isaac Honeyager played defense very well and kept the ball out of the goal.

Athena Perondi, Aubrey Long and Josie Whitfield played aggressive on offense and helped move the ball up the field.

## October 19 Kewaskum U9 Rebels 2

### Hartford Orange Crush 0

On Saturday, October 19, the KYSO Rebels took on the Hartford Orange Crush.

The teams were evenly matched and went into halftime 0-0. In the third quarter, Ryland Ciriacks scored with a breakaway shot at goal to give the Rebels a 1-0 lead. A few minutes later,

Veronica Hoell had an assist to Logan Honeyager who kicked it in for his first goal of the season!

A strong defensive rotation including Kylie Stippich, Landon Herriges, Erin Michlig, Gabrielle Hoell, Cailyn Beres, Emma Madel, James Lawrenz, and Veronica Hoell worked hard to hold the Orange Crush scoreless.

McKinley Timblin also showed strength on both sides with strong passing as well as hard work on defense. Kaden Wagner also had several nice shots on goal and continued to work hard on offense.

The Rebels won 2-0 and went to 7-1-1 overall.

## October 19 Kewaskum U10 Fire 4

### Slinger Vipers 0

The U10 Kewaskum Fire defeated the Slinger Vipers 4-0 on Saturday, October 19.

Throughout the first half of the game, Ella Schmidt played some tough defense to keep the ball out of Kewaskum territory.

Cade Jaeger, Kenley Yapp, and Owen Alles had some awesome

passes. Dana Jacobson was the first to score with a strong shot to the back of the net. Leviathan Whitfield was up next with a perfect assist from Carter Unger. Carter Unger then took a shot from midfield and nailed it, leaving the score 3-0 at the half.

Sydney Brandt scored the lone goal in the second half, while Quin Dornacker had the lone save as goalkeeper in the last quarter, shutting out the Vipers completely.

## October 19 Kewaskum U8 Dragons 2 SL Racers 1

This week we won 2-1 against the SL Racers!

Goals were scored by Oliver Fideler and Emmett Staffin.

Great defense by Dominic Pintor and Paxten Boeldt. Carson Eilbes, Gracelyn Beimborn, Jakob Maas, and Riley Jenkins were doing an awesome job passing to each other and shooting the ball!

The team has shown HUGE improvements since our first game. One game left in our season hoping the weather cooperates.



Kendra Schmitt of Kewaskum races for a first place finish on her mountain bike.

photo submitted

# Washington County Mountain Bike Team Heads To State

The Washington County Trail Sharks Mountain Bike Team went from a muddy rainy course to a very cold race day.

Over the weekend of October 12, 790 athletes competed at Minooka Park in Waukesha. The Washington County team did an awesome job, placing 15th out of 53 teams, while sitting in 10th place for the season.

Many of the team's athletes raced together, competing against each other. They pushed each other to the finish line. This was their last race before the state race on October 27 on the Trek Trails in Waterloo. Good luck to the Trail Sharks at state!

## Medalists For Their Races

Anja Lanser (West Bend): first place  
Kendra Schmitt (Kewaskum): first place

## Top 10 In Their Age Groups

Gabe Rogaczewski (Slinger): sixth place  
Hunter Gengler (Kiel): sixth place  
Kira Zechlin (West Bend): 10th place  
Fiona Shaw (West Bend): 10th place

## Other Team Athletes

**One Lap**  
Ayla Abraham (West Bend): 25th place  
Shiri Zechlin (West Bend): 34th place  
Aiden Schubert (West Bend): 19th place  
Brandon Paulson

(Slinger): 58th place  
Nate Sajdak (West Bend): 64th place

## Two Laps

Quentin Willmas (West Bend): 13th place  
Lexi Schubert (West Bend): 12th place  
Mike Spangenberg (West Bend): 12th place  
Will Mauney (West Bend): 15th place  
RJ Goldberg (Hartford): 16th place  
Christian Spaeth (West Bend): 18th place  
Carson Phillips (Slinger): 23rd place  
Gabe Kebbekus (Slinger): 45th place

## Three Laps

Nick Skaalen (Hartford): 18th place  
Skyler Schmitt (Kewaskum): 32nd place.

# October 19 Gridiron Results

This past Saturday, all four levels of the Kewaskum Gridiron Youth Football program hosted the Pewaukee Pirates at the Doc Mitchell Athletic Complex.

The eighth grade team completely turned around the game in the second half turning a 6-0 halftime deficit into a 26-6 victory for the Indians. Pewaukee got on the board in the second quarter on a 35 yard touchdown run but the two-point kick failed to keep the score 6-0 going into halftime. The Indians received the second kickoff and were putting together a nice drive with a couple of first downs and then Dylan Soyk hit Bailey Ralph on a half-back pass play for a 38 yard touchdown and Soyk was able to run in the extra point for a 7-6 lead. After the Indians forced the Pirates to punt from deep in their own territory the Indians didn't waste any time taking advantage of the great field position with Dawson Stahl hooking up with Ralph on a 28 yard touchdown pass. Soyk

again ran in the extra point for a 14-6 Indians lead. On the ensuing kickoff Soyk forced a fumble that was recovered by Bruce Penfield. Three plays after the turnover it was Stahl to Ralph once again, this time for a 23 yard touchdown pass to give the Indians a 20-6 lead. After the Pirates got the ball back, on their first play of the drive Ralph stepped in front of a pass and took the interception back 35 yards for the final Indians touchdown and a 26-6 lead. The Indians defense put together a great effort throughout the game with Casey Schmidt, Nicholas Deheck, Oliver Voight and Matthew Miller all contributing tackles for losses along with Voight having two quarterback sacks and Deheck having one. Along with his interception return for a touchdown, Ralph was the offensive leader with five catches for 104 yards and three touchdowns. Soyk led the ground game for the Indians with 16 carries for 64 yards.

The seventh grade struggled early against Pewaukee trailing 20-0 at halftime, but came out and played much better in the 2nd half but came up short with a 28-13 defeat. The Indians had a couple of fumble recoveries by Landon Daniel and Brent Krejcarek with Everett Donath forcing one of the fumbles. Offensively, the touchdowns for the Indians both came on long strikes from Daniel to Jesse Tesch, one covering 66 yards and the other going for 90 yards.

The sixth grade team had a tough matchup against a pass heavy Pewaukee team and were defeated 30-0. Although the Pirates had success through the air, the Indians really did a good job against the run with Gabe Halopka being the standout defender, making at least a handful of sacks in the Pirates backfield.

The fifth grade team wrapped up their 2019 season against a tough Pewaukee squad and came up on the losing end of a 37-0 game. The Indians continued to play hard throughout the entire game and had some solid plays defensively with several tackles for losses on the day. Leading the way for the Indians were Quin Dornacker, Kyle Haim and Bryston Scoles who all made great contributions in the fifth grades final game of the season.

# College Sports Notes

## By Judy Harlow

Jeray Riffel and her Milwaukee School of Engineering soccer teammates started slow this season, but the Raiders have won three games and tied one in their last five outings.

Riffel, a senior midfielder who is majoring in nursing, had an assist in MSOE's most recent game, a 3-1 loss to Dominican University on October 9. Before that, the Raiders shut out Lakeland 5-0, beat Aurora 2-0, shut out Madison Edgewood 3-0 and tied Illinois Tech, 0-0.

During that stretch, Riffel scored one goal and contributed five assists. MSOE is currently 6-4-2 overall and 3-1-1 in the Northern Athletic Collegiate Conference.

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While the Northern Michigan University football team continues to struggle, Brady Hanson, a 6-foot, 5-inch, 222-pound junior safety, is having a very good season.

In the Wildcats' recent 24-20 loss to Michigan Tech, Hanson was credited with six solo tackles along with four assists, and he forced two fumbles.

On October 5, the Wildcats entertained

and lost to Wayne State 27-14 despite Hanson's play on defense that included a pair of interceptions and 10 total tackles. Hanson's first interception, which came off a deflection, set up the Wildcats' first touchdown. He returned it 34 yards to the Wayne State 14-yard line. Three plays later, NM was on the board.

Northern Michigan is currently 0-4 in Great Lakes Conference play and 1-5 overall.

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Still on the subject of football, Cade Peterson and his North Dakota Fighting Hawks teammates, took one on the chin October 12, losing to Idaho State, 55-20, after scoring the game's first touchdown. Idaho State then scored the next 34.

Peterson, a sophomore, had his best day as the team's punter, averaging 40 yards on his four attempts and putting one inside the 20-yard line.

The Fighting Hawks are currently 3-3 overall. All three victories have come at home. Next up is a game at Cal Poly in San Luis Obispo, California on October 19.

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Concordia University-Wisconsin fumbled five

times in its conference matchup with Lakeland University on October 12, leading to a 44-0 shutout loss to the Muskies.

Defensively, Gabe Christenson came up with two solo tackles and one assist.

Concordia is currently 0-2 in Northern Athletics Collegiate Conference action, 2-3 overall.

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The Concordia University men's golf team concluded its fall season with a fifth place in the 10-team NACC Championship 19-20 at Whistling Straits - Irish Course near Haven.

Aurora won the team title with a very impressive 307-307-614 total, 26 strokes in front of Madison Edgewood. Concordia came in with a 334-324-658. Concordia's best finisher was Andrew Otto, who carded rounds of 83 and 81 for a 164, putting him in a tie for 19th in the field of 47 players.

Sam Schlosser struggled the first round, posting an 87, but came back the next day with an 81 for a 168, putting him in a tie for 26th.

Andrew Carlton got to play the second round for the Falcons and turned in an 82.

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**PUBLIC NOTICES**

# Girls Golf Team Members Honored

The Golf Coaches Association of Wisconsin (GCAW) announced that the following members of the Kewaskum-Campbellsport girls golf team are Academic All-State honorees: Rachel Anderson of Kewaskum High School, Karissa Lange of Kewaskum High School, Madelyn Thull of Kewaskum High School, Kendra Hewitt of Campbellsport High School and Alyssa Dreher of Campbellsport High School. Honors students are nominated by GCAW member coaches if they meet the following criteria: a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.25; participation in at least 75 percent of their team's varsity matches; and are at least a sophomore in high school. The coaches association is proud to announce that 342 girls from 100 high schools

have been honored this year for maintaining high academic standards in the classroom while competing in varsity golf. In fact, the average cumulative GPA of this year's honorees is an exceptional 3.881. The GCAW was formed by high school golf coaches in 1986 to help build Wisconsin's reputation for developing quality junior players by promoting golf in schools and communities. Besides honoring both boys and girls who succeed as student athletes, the association also selects an annual All-State team for boys and girls based on their playing ability. An academic 'Team' award honoring high school teams with the highest cumulative GPA is also acknowledged. The girls' team award will be announced in March 2020.

# KHS Offense Sputters In Shutout Loss To Tigers

By Judy Harlow

If there was one soccer team Kewaskum wanted to beat this season, in addition to Plymouth, it was Ripon. The Indians had one last chance on October 17 in the season East Central Conference finale, but try as they might, they were unable to score while the host Tigers tallied one goal in the first half and another two after the break toward a 3-0 victory.

With the loss, Kewaskum finished the year with a .500 mark, winning seven games and losing seven. This gave them fifth place, one win away from the upper division. Overall, the Indians are 12-9.

"We didn't play very well," KHS John Kenworthy said. "We didn't come out playing our game."

Ripon had seven shots that were stopped by freshman goalie Carter Curtin. The first goal, which was scored in the first half, came off a penalty kick, according to Kenworthy. He said it was "a handball in the box" and was the first penalty kick given up by the Indians this season.

Tyler Granados had two goals for the Tigers. The other was scored by Jorden Whitrock.

"We had a very limited number of shots," Kenworthy said. He added, "Our passing was not

what it has been ... We didn't keep our shape very well."

Looking ahead to the first tournament game on October 23 at 7 p.m. at the Krauss-Miller-Lutz Athletic Complex off Hwy. 41-45 in Milwaukee, Kenworthy said Pius XI will be a challenge. They are defending state champs and "they play in a tough conference," but, "if we play like we did against Plymouth, we can play with anybody!"

Kewaskum peppered Berlin's goalie with 25 shots in their East Central Conference game played on October 15. The host Indians posted a convincing 8-1.

The 1-2 punch of Will Jens and Isaiah Cochran was too much for the visitors. Jens connected on four of the seven shots he took, lifting his season goal count to 32. Cochran had a three-goal "hat trick." The other goal was scored by Justin Anderson.

Those getting assists included Jens, Cochran (two), Hunter Koss and Mason Pomeroy.

Curtin made eight saves.

Final EC standings: 1. KM Lutheran, 14-0; 2. Waupun, 10-3-1; 3. Plymouth, 9-4; 5. Kewaskum, 7-7; 6. Winneconne, 3-10; 7. Berlin, 1-11-1; 8. Campbellsport, 0-12-1.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEWASKUM BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING MINUTES MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President Sette in

the Kewaskum District Office Conference Room, located at 1455 School Street, Kewaskum, WI. Roll call Board members present: Doug Gonring, Troy Hanson, Jim Leister, Mary Miller, Sue Miller, Timothy Ramthun, Mark Sette Mr. Smasal verified

that the meeting had been posted pursuant to §19.84(1)(2)(3)(4).

SMiller/THanson motion to approve the agenda as presented. Motion passed, all aye.

Board Election Motion by THanson, second by SMiller, to nominate Mary Miller for the office of Treasurer of the Board of Education.

Motion by TRamthun, second by DGonring, to nominate Jim Leister Treasurer of the Board of Education.

Roll Call Vote was taken.

Mary Miller received yes vote from THanson, SMiller, MMiller, MSette Jim Leister received yes vote from TRamthun, DGonring, JLeister

Mary Miller confirmed acceptance of office.

President Sette assigned Mary Miller as chair of Policy Committee and reassigned Sue Miller as a committee member.

Consent Agenda

THanson/MMiller motion to approve the consent agenda including August 12, 2019, regular meeting minutes, August 26 special meeting minutes, Instructional Hires; Amy McBroom, KES 5th Grade Teacher, Karen Unruh, i4L 4K Teacher; Extra-Curricular Resignations; Aaron Gaedtke, JV Boys Basketball Coach, Matt Moris, Chess Coach; Extra-Curricular Hires; Alison Donovan, Cheerleading Coach, Janice Peterson, Cheerleading Coach, Dan Ross, Chess Coach. Motion passed. All aye.

Items for Discussion and/or Action

JLeister/DGonring motion to approve Payroll for \$1,017,623.51. Motion passed 7-0.

MMiller/SMiller motion to approve Accounts Payable for \$2,294,899.56. Motion passed 4-2-1. TRamthun and JLeister opposed. DGonring abstained.

JLeister/MMiller motion to approve Out of State/Overnight Field Trip - Boys Basketball. Motion passed. All aye.

TRamthun/SMiller motion to approve Out of State/Overnight Field Trip - FFA Leadership Conference. Motion passed. All aye.

TRamthun/SMiller motion to approve Out of State/Overnight Field Trip - FFA National Convention. Motion passed. All aye.

MMiller/THanson motion to approve the adoption of HMH Science Dimensions as the middle school science curriculum for \$60,690 based on current enrollment. Motion passed 7-0.

JLeister/MMiller motion to approve the Resolution Authorizing Temporary Borrowing in an Amount Not to Exceed \$2,100,000; Issuance of Tax and Revenue Anticipation Promissory Notes; and Participation in the PMA Levy and Aid Anticipation Notes Program. Motion passed 7-0.

JLeister motioned to adjourn the meeting and President Sette adjourned meeting at 7:30 p.m.

10-24 WNAXLP Minutes by Executive Assistant: Vickie Plachinski Approved: October 14, 2019 Board President, Mark Sette

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEWASKUM BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL MEETING PRELIMINARY AGENDA**  
**MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2019 - 6 P.M.**  
**KEWASKUM DISTRICT OFFICE CONFERENCE ROOM**  
**1455 SCHOOL STREET, KEWASKUM, WI 53040**

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

- Meeting Opening- This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is the time for public participation during the meeting specifically for items on the agenda.
  - Call Meeting to Order
  - Roll Call of Members
  - Moment of Silence
  - Verification of Public Notice Pursuant to §19.84(1)(2)(3)(4)
  - Agenda Corrections and/or Deletions
  - Approval of Agenda
  - Pledge of Allegiance
- Public Comments
  - Public Comments Guidelines
- Items for Discussion and/or Action
  - Adoption of 2019-20 Budget and Tax Levy
- Adjournment
  - Adjourn Meeting

Vickie Plachinski, Executive Assistant 10-24 WNAXLP

**TOWN OF FARMINGTON, WASHINGTON COUNTY**  
**COMBINED NOTICE OF PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING & SPECIAL TOWN MEETING**

Notice is hereby given that on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2019, at 6:30 pm**, at the FARMINGTON TOWN HALL, 9422 STH 144, Kewaskum, WI, a PUBLIC HEARING on the 2020 PROPOSED BUDGET of the Town of Farmington, Washington County will be held. The proposed budget in detail is available for inspection by contacting the Town Clerk at 262-447-1018. The following is a summary of the proposed 2020 Budget:

	2019 Amended Budget	2020 Proposed Budget	% Change		
<b>REVENUES</b>					
Taxes:					
General Property Taxes	545,151.10	618,119.37	13.38%		
Light District Taxes	7,185.30	7,006.70	-2.49%		
Other Taxes	347.11	347.11			
Special Assessments	0.00	0.00			
Intergovernmental Revenues	218,279.80	237,209.41			
License & Permits	27,689.00	27,694.00			
Fines, Forfeitures & Penalties	40.00	40.00			
Public Charges for Services	890.00	1,140.00			
Intergovernmental Charges	0.00	0.00			
Miscellaneous	6,570.00	8,605.00			
Other Financing Sources	640,000.00	260,000.00			
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<b>\$ 1,446,152.31</b>	<b>\$ 1,160,161.59</b>	<b>-19.78%</b>		
Cash Balance Applied		\$ 850,534.29			
<b>TOTAL REV &amp; CASH BAL. APPLIED</b>	<b>\$ 1,446,152.31</b>	<b>\$ 2,010,695.88</b>	<b>39.04%</b>		
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>					
General Government	133,184.58	139,383.08			
Public Safety	196,035.50	205,729.50			
Public Works	321,717.20	1,405,877.08			
Health & Human Services	8,799.45	7,899.45			
Culture, Recreation & Education	2,660.00	-			
Conservation & Development	10,410.74	11,099.70			
Capital Outlay	3,500.00	3,500.00			
Debt Service	121,275.40	189,932.07			
Other Financing Uses	6,275.00	7,275.00			
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$ 803,857.87</b>	<b>\$ 1,970,695.88</b>	<b>145.15%</b>		
Reserved for Highway Equipment	-	-			
Reserved for Election Equipment	-	-			
Reserved for Trading Post Bridge	-	40,000.00			
<b>TOTAL EXP. &amp; AMTS. RESTRICTED</b>	<b>\$ 803,857.87</b>	<b>\$ 2,010,695.88</b>	<b>150.13%</b>		
<b>FUND BALANCES:</b>					
	Estimated Fund Bal. 1/1/2020	Total Revenues	Total Expenditures	Estimated Fund Bal. 12/31/2020	Property Tax Contribution
General Fund	933,822.08	1,118,936.59	1,970,695.88	82,062.79	585,126.07
Recreation Fund	5,695.66	425.00	-	6,120.66	-
Reserve Fund	166,323.61	40,800.00	-	207,123.61	40,000.00
Total Funds	\$ 1,105,841.35	\$ 1,160,161.59	\$ 1,970,695.88	\$ 295,307.06	\$ 625,126.07
<b>OUTSTANDING DEBT:</b>					
	Principal	Interest	Total		
Caterpillar Wheel loader	\$ 21,114.27	\$ 3,087.67	\$ 24,201.94		
Road Repair Loan	\$ 51,585.80	\$ 3,465.45	\$ 55,051.25		
2017 Snow Plow Truck	\$ 37,358.84	\$ 4,670.31	\$ 42,029.15		
Garbage & Recycling Service Loan	\$ 67,100.56	\$ 1,549.17	\$ 68,649.73		
<b>TOTAL OUTSTANDING DEBT:</b>	<b>\$ 177,159.47</b>	<b>\$ 12,772.60</b>	<b>\$ 189,932.07</b>		

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL TOWN MEETING**

Notice is hereby given that on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2019**, immediately following the completion of the Public Hearing on the proposed year 2020 budget, which begins at 6:30 pm, at the FARMINGTON TOWN HALL, 9422 STH 144, Kewaskum, WI, a SPECIAL TOWN MEETING OF THE ELECTORS called pursuant to Section 60.12(1)(c) of Wis. Stats. by the Town Board will be held for the following purpose: To Adopt the 2019 Town Tax Levy to be paid in 2020, pursuant to Section 60.10(1)(a) of Wis. Stats.  
 Dated: October 18, 2019  
 Chris Schellinger, Town Clerk  
 Publish: October 24, 2019 10-24 WNAXLP

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**Decorate And Extend The Life Of Your Carved Pumpkin**

MELINDA MYERS

It's time to select and decorate pumpkins for your Halloween display. Get family and friends involved in a trip to the pumpkin farm and consider hosting a decorating party.

Whether you grew your own or plan on purchasing one at a farm or garden center, select pumpkins free of holes, cuts and soft spots for decorating. Damaged fruit tends to rot faster, ruining your fall display. And always carry the fruit cradled in your arms not by the stem. Once the stem breaks away from the fruit, the pumpkin is more susceptible to rot and its beauty

fades.

Store carving pumpkins in a cool location until you are ready to start cutting. Extend the beauty of carved pumpkins by washing them with warm water and letting them dry before making the first cut. Try leaving the top intact and scooping the insides out through a hole in the back. This limits water entering the carved cavity and helps extend the life of your jack-o'-lantern.

Coat the cuts with petroleum jelly or vegetable oil to seal in the moisture and prolong your display. Take it one step further and use a commercial preservative or peppermint oil to keep your

jack-o'-lantern looking its best for as long as possible.

Once in place, sprinkle your pumpkin with cayenne pepper to help repel hungry animals. Avoid touching your eyes and wash your hands thoroughly after using the cayenne pepper.

Don't give up when your jack-o'-lantern begins to shrivel. Give it a cold bath to freshen up its appearance.

Or put away the knives and break out the paint and crayons to further extend your pumpkin's beauty. A painted face or design can be just as impressive. And don't worry if you have limited artistic ability; just download one of many free pumpkin templates.

Put all those broken crayons to use creating a multicolored crayon dripped pumpkin. You'll wow guests and kids will enjoy this safer pumpkin decorating option.

Wipe the surface of the pumpkin clean and allow it to dry before you start decorating. Remove the labels from the crayons and break them in half.

Glue the crayons to the top of the pumpkin to prevent them from rolling off the pumpkin while you work. Place one end of the crayon against the stem and the other end pointing away from the center of the pumpkin.

Use your hair dryer to melt the crayons so they'll drip down the side

of the pumpkin, creating a colorful waxy covering. A high heat setting will speed up the process but may make a bigger mess by splashing the melted wax all over the table.

To further dress up your landscape consider converting a few pumpkins into fall planters. Remove the top. Cut a hole large enough to accommodate the pot you'll be inserting. Remove the seeds and flesh, cut a few drainage holes in the bottom and then set a pot of pansies, asters, mums or ornamental peppers inside.

When your pumpkins start to rot, move them to the compost pile. They will break down into a wonderful soil amendment to use in next year's garden.

*Melinda Myers has written more than 20 gardening 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 and radio segments. Myers' website, www.MelindaMyers.com, features gardening videos, podcasts, audio tips and monthly gardening checklists.*



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## A Family Link Found At St. Michael

### A Family Gathering

Backhaus was overjoyed to find a living descendent of Michael Rodenkirch.

Jana and her teacher were in the United States for only three weeks, and they would be heading back to Germany the following Wednesday. They told Backhaus they could return to St. Michaels the following morning to meet some of Jana's relatives.

Backhaus quickly made arrangements for that to happen. The first call he made was to the church's pastor, the Rev. Jacob Strand. Then he called all of the Rodenkirchs in the area that he knew.

So the following morning, October 11, about a dozen Rodenkirchs and St. Michael parishioners gathered in the parish center at St. Michael Catholic Church.

They were overjoyed to meet Jana. She was a real celebrity, close to royalty, in their eyes. "This is better than a movie star!" Backhaus exclaimed.

Jana had not been prepared all the attention.

"I am so nervous. I can't explain the feeling," she said with a large smile on her face.

### A Connection

Jana, who lives in Ulmen, Germany, was staying with a family in Saukville for three weeks while studying at Grafton High School.

When Jana's father's sister heard that Jana was in Wisconsin, she sent Jana's mother a copy of a letter saying they had relatives in Wisconsin.

Jana's mother sent a copy of the letter to Jana, who showed it to Grogan-Schomers.

Grogan-Schomers is originally from Wisconsin, and when she saw the letter, she told Jana, "I know where St. Michaels is."

In fact, Grogan-Schomers had been to St. Michaels about six years ago. She had brought some other German students there because they had a booklet about some of the people who had settled in St. Michaels.

"I had three or four students and we looked at the cemetery here. We looked at the different names because they are related, but we didn't know any connections. I looked in the street and didn't see anyone walking around, so they just took pictures of the gravestones and then we left," Grogan-Schomers recalled.

This time, though, with Jana, they found people.

Jana is not exactly sure how she is related to Michael Rodenkirch that was an early pioneer in Washington County.

Most likely, she is a great-great-great-great-great-great-great-great-great-great granddaughter of Michael Rodenkirch's brother.

### Sharing Stories

During their brief visit at the church, the American Rodenkirchs told Jana a little about their life in America. They showed her family photos and shared family stories.

They even brought Jana to the home of Leon and Joan Schmidt, who live on the property off Highway H where Michael Rodenkirch had lived. There, the Schmidts showed Jana photos of the farm and gave her a tour of their home.

Jana and Grogan-Schomers also told a little about their life in Ulmen, Germany.

"It is very beautiful. There are small businesses and there is lots of tourism and biking," Grogan-Schomers said.

Reiny Follmann, who is a member of St. Michael parish and related to the Ro-

denkirchs, brought along a picture that his uncle Peter Roemer had drawn in 1930 of

his mother's hometown of Strohn, Germany. Grogan-Schomers recognized the town

and the name. It turns out that he is third cousins with her mother-in-law.

"The world keeps getting smaller," Follmann said.



Members of St. Michael parish look at a map of Germany as they meet Jana Marie Rodenkirch, pictured third from left.

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Members of St. Michael parish give Jana Marie Rodenkirch a tour of the Schmidt home, which is located on property once owned by Michael Rodenkirch.

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