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Village Celebrates Small Businesses

The Village of Campbellsport and the Campbellsport Area Chamber of Commerce celebrated its Main Street reopening last weekend on Small Business Saturday with a ribbon cutting. A state-led construction project on Highway 67 made the village's downtown nearly inaccessible for months, but the streets are now free of cones and closures. Pictured from left are Campbellsport Chamber co-president Beth Ginard, village president David Krebs and village administrator/deputy clerk Charlie Kudy. **CLARICE CASE PHOTO**

Meet the new principals

New principals at elementary schools in the Kewaskum School District

BY ANNE TRAUTNER
REPORTER

There are new principals at the elementary schools in the Kewaskum School District this year.

Shelley Hyde replaces Jody Heipp as the principal of Kewaskum Elementary School. Heipp is now the director of pupil services for the district.

Angie Petersen has replaced Jacob Flood as

the principal of i4Learning Community School and Farmington Elementary School. Flood is now the curriculum director for the district.

The curriculum director position opened up after the previous curriculum director, Dr. Mark Bazata, was named district administrator of the Kewaskum School District at the beginning of this school year.



Shelley Hyde is the new principal at Kewaskum Elementary School this year.

PHOTO BY ANNE TRAUTNER

Shelley Hyde is new KES principal

BY ANNE TRAUTNER
REPORTER

Shelley Hyde is the new principal at Kewaskum Elementary School this year.

"I am excited about putting to practice the things I value and care about, and I want to lead by example. I care about people, and want to show staff that when they need something, I'm there," Hyde said. "I am excited about doing what is best for kids; that is what it is all about."

Hyde replaced Jody Heipp, who is now serving as the director of pupil services for the Kewaskum School District.

Hyde started her career in 2007 as a special education teacher at Decorah Elementary School in the West Bend School District. For the past three years, she worked as an associate principal for Sheboygan Falls Elementary School.

Hyde has a master's degree in education as well as a principal license and pupil services license. She became interested in going into administra-

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Angie Petersen is new principal of i4L and FES

BY ANNE TRAUTNER
REPORTER

Angie Petersen is the new principal at Farmington Elementary and i4Learning Community School.

Petersen, who has a master's degree in education from Viterbo University, replaced Jacob Flood as the new principal of the two schools. Flood is now the curriculum director for the Kewaskum School District.

Petersen is not new to the Kewaskum School District. Her first job was teaching fifth grade at Wayne Elementary School (now i4Learning Community School) in fall 2006. She has been with the Kewaskum School District ever since.

Petersen, who lives in Fond du Lac, worked at Wayne Elementary School when the school became a charter school with multi-age classrooms. She was the lead teacher in the classroom for grades three through five.



Angie Petersen is the new principal at Farmington Elementary and i4Learning Community School. **PHOTO BY ANNE TRAUTNER**

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**Kewaskum FFA
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**Pickup at the Kewaskum High School Greenhouse
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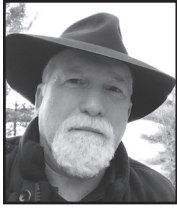
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| PUBLISHER'S LETTER |

'Tis The Season To Be Safe

Dear Reader,

The holidays are upon us and with all the joyous activities and celebrations, big and small, we can be lulled into a false sense of security. When as a host or a guest, either pouring or receiving libations, think moderation... especially if there is driving involved.



PATRICK J. WOOD
PUBLISHER

Author of "Dear Reader" and "Tapestry of Love and Loss"

When the season is over, we want to carry forward with pleasant memories made with those we cherish rather than the residual nightmarish effects of a night gone bad.

Happy (and safe) Holidays.

| SENIOR DINING MENU |

December 6-December 10

Fond du Lac County Senior Dining

Monday: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes, Swiss spinach, chocolate raspberry torte, apple-sauce, sliced bread.

Tuesday: Glazed ham, sweet potato bake, tossed salad, vanilla pudding, pineapple tidbits, dinner roll.

Wednesday: Chicken, broccoli and rice casserole, brussels sprouts, pumpkin cake, pear slices, sliced bread.

Thursday: Cranberry/kraut meatballs, au gratin potatoes, wax beans, cantaloupe slice, cookie, dinner roll.

Friday: Pork steak, mashed potatoes, red cabbage, sundae cup, apple slices, sliced bread.

Meal Sites in Fond du Lac

Riverview - 101 Western Ave., 11:45 a.m.

Portland Square - 55 N. Portland, 11:45 a.m.

Senior Center - 151 E. 1st St., 11:45 a.m.

Westnor - 653 W. Arndt, 12 p.m.

Register one day in advance by 1 p.m. Sign-up at meal site or call the courthouse at 929-3937.

All menus are subject to change.

December 6-December 10

Washington County Senior Dining

Monday: Pot roast, garlic mashed potatoes with gravy, Caribbean blend veggies, multigrain bread, cherry pie. Alt: Diet pie.

Tuesday: Brat on a bun with sauerkraut, mustard potato salad, Wisconsin blend veggies, oatmeal raisin cookie. Alt: Diet cookie.

Wednesday: Old fashioned beef stew with potatoes, Key Largo blend vegetables, fruited jello, buttermilk biscuit, strawberry ice cream.

Thursday: Chicken tetrazzini, broccoli florets, tropical fruit salad, blueberry muffin, chocolate milk. Alt: Pears.

Friday: Homestyle meatloaf, red skinned mashed potatoes with gravy, creamed corn, chilled pears, whole wheat bread, butterscotch pudding. Alt: Diet pudding.

To make reservations, please call (262) 335-4497 or 1-877-306-3030 one day in advance by noon. Meadowcreek Complex (262) 483-2056

| TUESDAY NIGHT SHEEPSHEAD |

Winners from Tuesday Night Sheepshead on Nov. 23 were: Ray Kirchner, 73; Gerald Stern, 71; Darlene Baerber, 70; Butch, 68; and Marlene Kirchner, 67.

Tuesday Night Sheepshead is played every Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the United Steel Workers 850 building at 1230 Fond du Lac Ave. in Kewaskum.

New players are always welcome. Come one, come all!

| XYZ CARD RESULTS |

The XYZ winners on Wednesday, Nov. 24, were: Dale Tuttle, Sharon Krell, Carol Lipenski and Marian Herriges.

Sheepshead is played on Wednesdays, from 8:15 to 11:15 a.m., at Peace United Church of Christ in Kewaskum. All senior citizens are welcome.

Winter Parking Restrictions in effect for Village of Kewaskum

The Village of Kewaskum winter parking restrictions and snow emergency parking restrictions went into effect at midnight (12:01 a.m.) on Dec. 1 will be in effect until 12:01 a.m. on April 1.

Municipal Code Section 90-96(c) Night Parking Restrictions states: "...no person...shall park or stop any vehicle on any public street or highway within the village between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. from December 1 to April 1 of each year...."

The fine for violating the ordinance is:

- \$20 if paid within five days of the issuance of

the parking citation.

- \$30 if paid between six days and before 28 days.

After 28 days, the amount is \$40 and a notice will be sent to the Motor Vehicle Department to suspend any and all vehicle registrations held by the owner and refuse renewals of the same until the citation is satisfied.

Important Fact: The owner of the vehicle is responsible for the payment of the citation, regardless of who was the operator of the vehicle.

Senn Joins Communications Team at Edge Dairy Farmer Cooperative

Edge Dairy Farmer Cooperative has hired Travis Senn to help drive the company's social media strategy and public relations development.

Senn, who joins the cooperative as a senior communications specialist, previously led marketing and communications efforts for Southeast Milk, Inc., a milk marketing cooperative based in Belleview, Fla. He also contributed heavily to the organization's market research and milk marketing strategy development.

Senn's talents for writing, photography and videography will pair with his knowledge of the dairy supply chain to serve as a voice for Edge members throughout the Upper Midwest.

"My entire life has centered around the dairy cow," Senn said. "From growing up on the farm to my young career, dairy has provided my family with so much. I will bring the same commitment to my role that the hardworking men and women out on the dairy farm bring, every day. Telling their story is a true privilege — one I do not take lightly."

In his new role, Senn will enhance promotion of the organization's members, services and fed-

eral government policy work on its social media platforms, in digital and print newsletters, through media relations and by other channels.

Tim Trotter, Edge's executive director, said Senn brings unique experience and skills to the cooperative, which is among the largest dairy co-ops in the country according to milk volume.

"Travis is a perfect fit for Edge with his deep knowledge of the dairy community," Trotter said. "His proven track record of writing and dairy business analysis will complement the team well."

About Edge

Edge Dairy Farmer Cooperative provides dairy farmers throughout the Midwest with a powerful voice — the voice of milk — in Congress, with customers and within their communities. Edge, based in Green Bay, is one of the top cooperatives in the country based on milk volume. Member farms are located in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, Ohio, South Dakota and Wisconsin. More information is at www.voiceofmilk.com.

| REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS |

The sale price is determined by dividing the transfer fee by .003 (\$3 per \$1,000). Some deeds have no transfer fee because they are exempt. Although some transfers may seem to be duplicated, the document numbers are different. Note: The spellings seen here are how they appear on the Wisconsin Department of Revenue website.

Transfers are from November 8 to November 12, 2021

Town of Auburn

Jackie M. Rindt to Rebecca S. And Zachary J. Loehr, Town Hall Road, \$930.

Town of Barton

Harold M. Janke to Harold M. Janke And Patricia K. Janke Family Trust Dated November 3, 2021, Colt Circle, Exempt.

Glacier Road LLC to Lance Gillitzer, Glacier Drive, \$524.70.

Village of Campbellsport

James E. Greenwald And Denise M. Greenwald Living Trust Dated April 17, 2020 to Patrick Adams, Paul Avenue,

\$750.

Town of Eden

Dawn E. Seibel to David A. Seibel, Hilltop Drive, Exempt.

Town of Farmington

Washington County to State of Wisconsin (Department Of Natural Resources), County Road A, Exempt.

Tyler R. Fochs to Burgandy Speirs, Pathfinder Lane, \$867.

Brittney And Nicholas D. Ray to Brittney Ray, Plateau Road, Exempt.

Town of Forest

Danielle J.E. And David J. Ruissen to Bethany K. And Joseph A. Gabriel, Hillview Road, \$150.

Bethany K. And Joseph A. Gabriel to Danielle J.E. And David J. Ruissen, Hillview Road, \$150.

Town of Kewaskum

Estate Of Marion H. Domas to William S. and Deborah K. Butzlaff, State Highway 28, \$2,250.

Marion Jane Muckerheidi to ECO Land Holdings LLC, Badger Road, Exempt.

Village of Kewaskum

John G. And Brigitte B. Hess to John G. And Brigitte B. Hess Irrevocable Trust Dated September 7, 2021, Silver Fox Drive North, Exempt.

Michele Schlice to Michele Schlice, Braatz Drive, Exempt.

Allen J. Thurow to Ronald And Kathleen Olenchek, Prairie Gardens, \$855.

Town of Osceola

The Estate Of Charles Andrews Jr. to Carl J. Malischke, Birchwood Drive, \$1,380.

Town of Wayne

Jonathan R. And Kaela J. Binsfeld to Kim G. Stover, Broadview Lane, \$1,350.

Peter Roever to Trustee Of The Peter Roever And Ann Roever Living Trust U/A Dated October 22, 2021, Noah Lane, Exempt.

| MARRIAGE LICENSES |

The following marriage licenses were issued by Fond du Lac County Clerk Lisa Freiberg as of November 24, 2021:

Dany Humberto Alvarez Marroquin, Guatemala, Jackelyn Lima Cetino, City of Fond du Lac.

Jarod Michael Barenklau, City of Hastings, MN, Ariana

Noelle Canavan, City of Hastings, MN.

Petro Zozuliak, Village of Saukville, Jillian Jean Dwyer, City of Fond du Lac.

Jordon Todd Witthun, City of Waupun, Kelly Elizabeth Brown, City of Waupun.

Kyle Robert Miller, City of Fond du Lac, Chelsea Marie Sager, City of Fond du Lac.

Crisanto Perez Vargas, City of Fond du Lac, Lorenza Lorena Manjarrez, City of Fond du Lac.

Austin John Burckhardt, City of Waupun, Brittnie Laura Slate, City of Waupun.

Nicholas Charles Biffert, Town of Taycheedah, Jennifer Ellen Milosch, Village of Slinger.

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tion after working in professional development in West Bend.

“I did a lot of teaching other teachers, and I just loved it. I like getting to teach my colleagues something, and then watching them use it in their classroom, and coming back and doing more of it for other colleagues in the district. It is just something I love doing; I like that coaching piece of it and I am excited about coaching the staff and getting to the classrooms,” Hyde said.

Hyde is grateful for her new position as principal.

“To me, it’s a privilege that I get to be in this position. I want to keep working hard every single day to keep improving,” Hyde said.

Hyde lives in West Bend with family. Her husband, Kevin, works as the curriculum coordinator for the West Bend School District. They have three daughters, who are in 5K, fourth grade and sixth grade.

So far, Hyde enjoys working with the staff, students and families at KES.

“My challenge is that I always want to know what is happening, and I want to fix a problem or make a change. And that is not something I should be doing right now because there are no problems,” Hyde said.

“There is a really great culture here – it’s a wonderful school to be at. The staff gets along. So really, I need to just sit back and learn their processes before making any changes.”

Hyde told her husband it is similar to when they bought their house two years ago.

“At that time, I said that we were going to be in the house for a year before we did a single thing. No painting, no buying new furniture, nothing. I told my husband that we should just get a feel for the house,” Hyde said.

A year went by, and then Hyde knew exactly what to do.

“I knew how to decorate it. I knew what to buy at the store. I knew what colors to paint. And now I can’t stop doing things, but it’s easy to do them,” Hyde explained. “I need to have that mentality now with the school, otherwise I will start thinking I have to take care of something, and I don’t. I just need to learn what it means to be an employee of Kewaskum School District and the principal of Kewaskum Elementary School.”

So far, Hyde likes what she has learned about her job. She likes the school and the district.

“I like the family feel here; you’re not a number. This is where I want to be,” she said.

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“Working so closely with someone every single day, you have the same mission, you know where you want to get the kids, but you still have different ways of getting there. I think that experience really taught me to honor and see the value in how different people have different approaches. It is about being open-minded,” Petersen said.

Petersen also was the teacher representative on the school’s PTO and governance council.

“That really taught me about stakeholders, not just about in our district, but communitywide,” Petersen said. “It broadened my thinking, from looking at how the school impacts kids and families to how the school relates to or impacts the broader community.”

So far, Petersen, who lives in Fond du Lac with her husband and two sons, ages 9 and 6, enjoys her new role as principal.

“While I still love being in the classroom, I love to see the different ways people are doing things and the relationships and connection the kids have with their teacher. It is just heartwarming,” Petersen said.

One of the unique parts of Petersen’s new role is that she is serving as principal at two schools. She is at each of the schools on specific days of the week.

“I think that there is strength at being at each building for a specific

day, so I am just hopscotching days, and to keep that as sacred as possible,” Petersen said.

That schedule sometimes fluctuates, because when emergencies arise she goes to the school that needs her at that moment.

“I kind of have a feeling of being a mom with two kids. They both need me, but they both need me in different ways, and it is my job to make sure that both buildings get what they need,” Petersen said. “Both staffs are extremely strong, extremely competent. I am there to support them, encourage them and give them what they need, as much as I can.”

Although i4L and FES are small rural schools, they are not the same.

“Each school is distinct; that is what is really cool about it,” Petersen said. “The ways I approach situations have to look different at each building.”

This year, Petersen would like to highlight what the schools are doing well and push them to be even better.

“I think that all the elementary schools in our district are phenomenal: look at our test scores, look at the kids coming out of here, look at the parent involvement. So, I think the idea of having to go in and change everything would be very silly and a waste of everyone’s time. My main goal is to build on what we are already doing and bring out the best in the teachers, students and families,” Petersen said.

Rural Writes

G.A. SCHEINOH
CONTRIBUTOR



Do kids still get as excited, the way we use to, long before Christmas? In the grocery store, Mom gave Dad a glance. He’d nod and she grabbed a bag of mixed nuts.

At home, a huge red glass bowl with a chrome center post with slots for a nutcracker and picks got a thorough washing before placement as the centerpiece on the kitchen table. This was a treasured heirloom, passed down from Grandma Gloede and possibly, her mother before her.

About the same time, the Advent wreath appeared in church. As the first candle was lighted, we knew what’s next. In late November into December, Saturday and Sunday afternoons, Immanuel Lutheran’s doors swung wide to admit the horde of children scrambling out of cars at the corner of Forest and Elm. It was the annual rehearsal for the Christmas Eve program.

If practice makes perfect, we probably didn’t achieve anything close. Though our Sunday school teach-

ers and Pastors Mielke and later, Baumgart, did their best to get our meandering voices whipped into something approaching musical. Often urging “Louder!” Then lauding us with praise for the increase in volume. If not ac-

tually hitting the notes.

On T.V., we enjoyed the animated holiday specials – *Rudolph, the Red Nosed Reindeer* and *Frosty, the Snowman*. Before we got home, we might pass the Ben Franklin on Main Street in Campbellsport and see it had frosted the front window to make it look like fresh fallen snow with a big display of toys nearby.

Those were the teasers that not only let us know Christmas was coming but also tried to instill better behavior in a bunch of unruly young’uns.

The idea of Santa actually coming to a town so small, we were sure it probably didn’t show up on a map anywhere, was the bait. And year-after-year it worked. Leastwise for a few weeks.

| POLICE NEWS |

2008 Jane Doe Investigation Update

The following is a November 23, 2021 transcript which updates the 2008 Jane Doe investigation from the Fond du Lac Sheriff’s Department.

“Good morning everyone. I am Fond du Lac County Sheriff Ryan Waldschmidt, and alongside me are Lieutenant of Detectives Chris Randall, Detective Ryan Murphy and Detective Nate LaMotte. We are here today to provide you with an update on our Fond du Lac County Jane Doe case, and we all thank you for your continued interest in covering this investigation.

“I am going to be as transparent as I can be, but please understand that the information we are releasing today is what we can share at this point without compromising the integrity of this very complex and ongoing investigation. For this reason, we will not be answering any additional questions at the conclusion of this press conference.

“Thirteen years ago today, on November 23, 2008, three hunters reported they had found the remains of a decomposed body on private property in a shallow creek on Skyline Drive in the Town of Ashford in southeastern Fond du Lac County. Investigators from our office, working in conjunction with the Medical Examiner’s Office, documented the scene, se-



Amy Yeary photographs from 2007. **SUBMITTED**

cured evidence, removed her body, and began the in-depth process of trying to identify the woman we came to know as Jane Doe. In the weeks, months and years following the discovery of Jane Doe, hundreds of missing persons files were reviewed, leads and tips followed up on, and computer generated facial and physical composites were shared with the public, however our Jane Doe remained unidentified. She was finally laid to rest in the Cattaraugus Cemetery on December 7th, 2011.

“We have always remained optimistic that someday we would be able to identify Jane Doe, and that is why this case has continuously been assigned to detectives since the investigation began. In November of 2016, two of our detectives were given the opportunity to

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SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY & MAIN STREET REOPENING

Village of Campbellsport | Saturday, Nov. 27



Back in Business

Shoppers head toward Downtown Campbellsport on Small Business Saturday (Nov. 27) after the village celebrated the reopening of Main Street after a lengthy road construction project concluded earlier this month.



Standing in front of Main Street Campbellsport store fronts, village president David Krebs addresses an assemblage of people during a celebration of Small Business Saturday held last weekend.

CLARICE CASE PHOTOS



Campbellsport students were caroling in front of True Value to bring the holiday spirit to the Small Business Saturday event held in Downtown Campbellsport last weekend.

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Enchantment in the Park Brings Holiday Fun to West Bend

Enchantment in the Park is once again lighting up Regner Park in the City of West Bend with the 13th annual interactive light show. The holiday attraction opened Friday, Nov 26, and runs nightly from 5-9 p.m., through Christmas Eve - Friday, Dec. 24.

This year, Enchantment in the Park features an all-new 60-foot high RGB-lit Christmas tree, the tallest artificial tree in Wisconsin.

"Our holiday light show is a great way for friends, family and the community to get together and create lasting memories," said Lori Yahr, executive director. "We're very grateful that we can create holiday fun for the whole family while working toward the goal of supporting our communities around Washington County."

Enchantment in the Park is made up of more than one million LED lights and staffed by more than 775 volunteers who donate more than 4,600 hours to the event - making it one of the largest light shows in the state. Since its founding in 2009, Enchantment in the Park has collected and donated more than 550,000 non-perishable food items to local food pantries and more than \$240,000 to nonprofits around Washington County. More than \$46,000 was given to Washington County nonprofits that helped setup, operate and take down the event.

Attendees have the option to drive or walk through the light show, with the exception of



Enchantment in the Park at Regner Park in West Bend is open nightly through December 24, from 5-9 p.m. **SUBMITTED**

Christmas Eve, which will be drive-through only. On Friday and Saturday nights, horse and carriage rides will be available for \$5 per person for anyone 16 years and older - these are first-come, first-served - and there will be fire pits for marshmallow roasting. Visitors can hear live music from local artists and children will have the chance to meet Santa Claus most nights throughout the event.

A suggested \$10 cash/check or PayPal donation per family and/or a donation of non-perishable food items are encouraged; credit card donations can also be given online. More information on Enchantment in the Park is available by visiting <https://www.enchantmentpark.org/>.

Cookie Hunt Returns in 2022

The annual Kewaskum Chamber Cookie Hunt is Sunday, Dec. 5 from 1 to 4 p.m.

This Sunday, Dec. 5, the Kewaskum Chamber of Commerce is thrilled to be organizing its annual Cookie Hunt after last year's festivities were put on hold.

The Hunt involves interested families meeting at the Kewaskum Municipal Annex Building by 12:30 p.m. to receive their hunting-box materials. Businesses throughout the community will be participating, and the hunters will obtain stamps or signatures - in addition to the cookies - from each participating business they visit during the three-hour excursion.

"When families have completed their hunt, they report back to the Annex building where they will receive raffle tickets. The number of tickets depends on the number of visits they made throughout the community," said Kewaskum Chamber Cookie Hunt Chair Sue Goeden. "There are hundreds of dollars worth of prizes. We have an Echo Dot, a bank with \$50,

games, remote control cars, s'more makers, art kits and the list goes on and on!"

Hunting boxes are five dollars apiece, and the Chamber asks that just one family work together on a singular box.

"Christmas is the season of giving and selflessness, so taking only one box allows another child and another family the opportunity to participate," explained Goeden. "It's a wonderful opportunity to teach children the gift of giving and sharing."

Those familiar with previous Cookie Hunts will notice this year that businesses will be handing out cookies wearing plastic gloves. The Chamber asked that children and parents do not grab their own cookies (as was done in past years).

"Other than that, it should be business as usual!" said Goeden, who was eagerly looking forward to this Sunday's main event. "We are beyond excited to have the Cookie Hunt back in our community."

For more information, visit kewaskum.org.

KEYS Christmas Concert

The annual KEYS Christmas concert will be held Sunday, Dec. 12, at 6:30 p.m. in the Kewaskum High School Theater.

The Kewaskum Big Band, the EcuMen and the Kewaskum High School Bel Canto Choir will feature a variety of musical selections, including Christmas and holiday music. These groups have generously donated their musical talents for the

benefits of KEYS.

KEYS is a nonprofit organization established to accept donations to provide scholarships for Kewaskum High School graduates. All money contributed to KEYS is used directly for scholarships.

Tickets for the concert are \$5 and will be available at the door. There will be no reserved

seating.

Come to the Kewaskum High School on Dec. 12 to experience an evening of spirited music to start the holiday season. Help KEYS to grow and benefit Kewaskum High School graduates.

Donations to KEYS may be mailed to KEYS, P.O. Box 124, Kewaskum, WI 53040.

| OBITUARIES |

Melanie R. Reseburg

Melanie R. Reseburg, 73, of the Town of Scott, was called home to be with her Lord on Friday, November 19, 2021, with her family at her side at Froedtert West Bend Hospital.

Melanie was born on June 15, 1948, in Milwaukee, the daughter of Joseph Sr. and Vivian (nee Yesko) Sekeres. On April 7, 1967, she was united in marriage to John Reseburg.

Melanie enjoyed spending time with her family but most of all enjoyed being Nana to many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She loved cooking for her family and sewing. John and Melanie always looked forward to camping with their family. Melanie had a heart of gold to all that knew her.

Those Melanie leaves behind to cherish her memory include her husband, John; three daughters, Tonya (Mike) Zuehlke, Buffy (Mike) Goslinowski, and RyAnne (Chad) Hoerig; 11 grandchildren, Heather (Dylan) Grgich, Lindsey (Ryan) Madden, Taylor Zuehlke, Kayla (Troy) Krahn, Kelsey (Matt) Clark, Kolton Goslinowski, Kegan (Courtney) Goslinowski, Konnor Goslinowski, Kiley Goslinowski, Riley Hoerig, and Cole Hoerig; nine great-grandchildren with another great-granddaughter on the way; her mother, Vivian Sekeres; her siblings, John (LeAnna) Sekeres, Amy (Jim) Willkom, and Michael Sekeres; five sisters-in-law, Stephanie (Ed) Gutermann, Laurie (Rodney) Justman, Gale (Michael) Logan, Nancy (Dave) Wagner, and Judy Reseburg; a brother-in-law, Michael (Diane) Reseburg; other relatives and friends.

Melanie was preceded in death by her father, Joseph Sekeres Sr.; a grandson, Parker Hoerig; three brothers, Stephen Sekeres, Brian Sekeres, Joseph Sekeres Jr.; a sister, Joan (David) Fellin; a brother-in-law, Harlow "Butch" Reseburg; a sister-in-law, Donna Holderbaum.

Visitation: Melanie's family greeted relatives and friends at St. John Lutheran Church, (N683 County Road S, Kewaskum) in New Fane on Friday, November 26, 2021, from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m.

Memorial Service: A memorial service for Melanie will be held at St. John Lutheran Church on Friday following the visitation at 4 p.m. with Rev. Mark Eckert officiating.

The Myrhum - Patten Funeral and Cremation Service has been entrusted with Melanie's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at www.myrhum-patten.com.

Campbellsport School District to Hold Public Focus Groups

The district is seeking input from the public on qualities desired for the upcoming district administrator vacancy

The Campbellsport School District this week announced that it would be holding two public focus group meetings to gauge residents' recommendations for desired-traits of the yet-to-be hired district administrator, who will replace current administrator Paul Amundson after he retires at the conclusion of this school year. The community meetings, which will be led by consultants from the Wisconsin Association of School Boards, will gather input from those that attend.

The first meeting will be held at the Eden Elementary School cafeteria on Tuesday, Dec. 7, starting at 7 p.m.

The second meeting will be held at the Campbellsport Middle-High School building at 6 pm on Thursday, Dec. 9.

All community members are welcomed and encouraged to attend either meeting.

Additional questions should be directed to the Campbellsport School District at 920-533-8381.



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5 Years Ago

December 8, 2016

Two wreaths made by local wreathmaker Jane Muench are hanging on the Governor's Mansion in Madison. She was selected to create the wreaths after winning a state competition last winter. She had been chosen to make the wreaths after entering wreaths in the Christmas Tree Producers Association's winter convention last January. Each of the two wreaths she entered were named grand champions. Muench, her husband, daughter, brother, sister-in-law, and mother took the day off work and drove to Madison to deliver the wreaths. The family got to tour the capital and Muench sat in Governor Scott Walker's office, even though he was in Menomonie for an appointment.

People may soon be able to ice skate in the Village of Kewaskum. Last week, the village board approved the construction of a temporary ice rink at the lower gravel parking lot on the east side of Riverhill Park. Wayne Sargent had approached the trustees about a rink, saying he would like to see something in the community that families can do without spending any money. Construction materials for the rink will be fully funded through private funds. It's expected the 100x50 foot area will cost about \$450 to build. The village will supply the labor and foot the bill of a portable restroom during the ice skating season.

For the 11th year, First Weber Realtors brought Project Gratitude to serve members of the Boys and Girls Club of Washington County. Project Gratitude kicked off in November with a collection of food for the members. On November 21, volunteers from across the county helped assemble baskets of donated food. Representatives from the Kewaskum School District were among those loading food into boxes and then onto trucks to be brought to those in need.

Jen Lenzendorf, a Kewaskum High School graduate who has children in the school as well, had an idea that went above her hopes. The owner and instructor at AIMS Fitness in Barton asked her participants if they would be willing to donate food items to feed a family at Thanksgiving. Instead of donating just an item or two each, the participants donated entire meals. Lenzendorf then donated the 22 meals to the Kewaskum Food Pantry.

Washington County Human Services Director Eric Diamond turned in his resignation, announcing he would leave the department on January 11. Diamond has accepted a leadership position in Milwaukee County's Behavioral Health Department, citing a better fit for him as a professional and for his family.

Brett Hundley, backup quarterback for the Green Bay Packers, visited the students at Kewaskum Middle School on December 6. He congratulated the students for their ingenuity in using a bicycle to power a blender that made a fruit smoothie. Hundley visited the students as part of the Fuel Up To Play 60 program. Kewaskum School District has participated in the program the past five years.

The Lady Indians overcame a sluggish first half to convert clutch free throws and three-point shooting in the second half against Campbellsport, winning 36-28.

Eric Bauer placed first in the 132-pound category wrestling at the Gunslinger Meet on December 3. As a team, Kewaskum placed 11th.

Ashley Lynn of Campbellsport, an RN in the birth center of Froedert & The Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital, was recognized by the hospital with the first quarter DAISY award for her patient care and professionalism.

15 Years Ago

December 7, 2006

The Kewaskum Christmas Parade was held December 3. Many spectators attempted to watch

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the parade from the warmth of their cars.

Local elected officials began gathering signatures for the spring election on December 1. For Village of Kewaskum officials, 10-year trustee Andy Pesch has already said he will file for non-candidacy. Others up for election are Matt Heiser, Tom Piwoni, and Derek Peterson; with the first and last saying they will seek another term and Piwoni not sure. For the Kewaskum School Board, Tammy Eickermann will not seek another term as the newlywed wants to spend time with her new family. Bill Kesting will seek re-election. All Town of Kewaskum officials are up for re-election and all will seek another term including Ellis Kahn, William H. Butzlaff, Allen Hron, treasurer Dan Stoffel and clerk Nancy Boden.

Residents got their first dose of winter on December 1. Kewaskum and neighboring communities dug out from between eight to 10 inches of snow when all was done. Snow began falling around 6:30 that morning and continued until around 1:30 in the afternoon. Kewaskum classes were going to start late, but the district received a call from the bus company saying the drivers were having difficulties soon after they went out so classes were canceled. The Kewaskum Police Department didn't have any calls from motorists facing challenges. The village's public works plows began working around 9:30 a.m. and continued into the evening to get streets clear.

Jack Kern, a 1976 graduate of Kewaskum High School and a professor of kinesiology at the University of Arkansas, was named the Arkansas Higher Educator of the Year for 2006.

Kewaskum Elementary School fourth graders Ray Weishan, Kayla Gaudynski and Natalie Gulczynski created an ornament for the Highlighting History Tree at the Governor's residence.

Elizabeth Schoofs and Jacob Turowski were named Kiwanis Students of the Month for the month of November.

Christopher Kruschke, a junior at Kewaskum High School, is currently an AFS Intercultural Programs exchange student in Germany. Walsrode is located in Lower Saxony and has a population of approximately 20,000.

A son, Mason Andrew, was born November 29 to Gina and Ralph Raether Jr. of Kewaskum. A daughter, Anna Margaret, was born November 28 to Sarah and Ryan Amerling of Kewaskum.

Marjorie E. Janssen, 90, Town of Barton, passed away December 4. John W. Spartz, 68, formerly of West Bend, passed away December 2. Jean Kenney Schowalter, 96, West Bend, passed away December 2. Elva J. Flint, 91, Lomira, passed away November 28. Sgt. Keith W. Ruplinger, 34, formerly of West Bend, passed away November 26. Terry Lee Taylor, 37, Manitou Beach, Michigan, passed away November 30. Alexander Narbatovics, 91, formerly of West Bend, passed away December 3. Michael T. Williams, 66, Hartford, passed away November 24.

25 Years Ago

December 5, 1996

An open house is scheduled for December 8 at the West Bend Clinic's new Kewaskum Office. Staff includes receptionists Wendy Guenther and Debbie Backhaus, Dr. Cesar Sison, nurse Sharon Burtard, Dr. David Brown, lab technician Dori Springstroh, X-ray technician Tracy Smajek, and nurse Diane Klesmith.

The annual Kewaskum Christmas Parade will take place on Sunday.

The Youth and Family Project is pleased to announce that beginning in January, a Rainbows

Program will be offered in the Kewaskum area. Rainbows is a 14-week peer support program for children, aged preschool through 13 years who are living in single-parent families, step-families, or families that are going through painful transitions.

A donation of \$1,025 was presented to Kewaskum Youth Scholarships, Inc. (KEYS) fund by the Kewaskum Fire Department. The department had sponsored its third successful fundraising tailgate party prior to the Kewaskum Indians and Campbellsport Cougars football game this past fall.

An innovative program called Early Intervention in Reading is designed to help students in the Kewaskum elementary schools with reading.

Several Kewaskum educators are being honored in the Who's Who Among America's Teachers, 1996. Included are George Allmann, David Bertelsen, Joseph Harlow, Judith Jacak, Perry Koth, John Nell, Barbara Olsen, Christine Piotrowski, Mary Reilly-Kliss, David Rizzardi, David Shaw, Leonard Soller Jr., and James Westphal.

Helen C. Seifert, 83, Newburg, passed away November 30. Elsie A. Clausing, 92, Port Washington, passed away November 25. Gladys Holzmann, 69, passed away November 21.

50 Years Ago

December 3, 1971

Members of the Kewaskum Board of Education were given a look at the current financial picture regarding the proposed \$2,660,000 bond issue during the Monday night meeting. Based on recent bond issues held elsewhere, John Underwood of the First Wisconsin National Bank, Milwaukee, projected the interest rate at 4.78 percent. He said it was the most favorable market since the project started being discussed. District electors will vote at a special referendum December 13. Underwood said refinancing of present indebtedness would be necessary. Included are \$185,000 on the Farmington School, which is due in 1975, and \$325,000 on the 1966 addition to the high school, due in 1976. He further suggested the district try to repay next year the debt of \$47,300 on the Beechwood School, due in 1973.

A very delightful and informative talk was given to the Kewaskum Lions Club members by August Koch, a local stockbroker, during the meeting of the group.

Byron Gessner and David Dorn, both of Kewaskum, are two of 168 students enrolled this year in the University of Wisconsin, Madison Farm and Industry Short Course.

Kewaskum accordion students of the Beaver Dam Music Center will be participating in a Christmas concert at Lomira High School. The event features groups from Kewaskum, Hartford, West Bend, Mayville, Beaver Dam, and Campbellsport. Kewaskum Intermediate Band and Kewaskum Junior Band will perform. The director of the two bands is Mrs. David Albert, supervisor of the Kewaskum studio of Beaver Dam Music Center.

A last second shot just before the final horn in the overtime period gave Kewaskum an exciting 61-59 win over Campbellsport.

Evelyn Hintz, 54, Beechwood, passed away December 2. Leonard C. Zuehlke, 52, Theresa, passed away November 27. Leo J. Schladweiler, 57, Kewaskum, passed away November 24.

75 Years Ago

1946

Information for this year is not available.

100 Years Ago

1921

Information for this year is no longer available.

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**5 Years Ago
December 1, 2016**

Smith & Hatch Insurance of Eden is celebrating a milestone this week. On December 1, the business celebrates its 40th anniversary. Bea Smith started Smith Insurance on December 1, 1976. She already had many years of experience in the insurance business, having worked for 20 years in Fond du Lac. Bill Hatch got his license right out of high school, so he began working at Smith Insurance when he was 18. Smith and Hatch is an independent insurance company, which means they can buy plans for their customers from different companies.

Daniel's Landscaping donated seven crab trees for Mill Pond Park in Campbellsport and planted the trees along the edge of the river. There are three different varieties of crab trees that were planted.

Campbellsport's Christmas celebration will be held December 10. Santa and Mrs. Claus will arrive at 9:30 a.m. and the fun will continue at Campbellsport High School. Many organizations banded together to bring the best of the holidays to attendees.

A Town Hall Meet and Greet for producers in Fond du Lac and Dodge Counties will be held at the Auburn Town Hall. Speakers will be Paul Tollard, Dr. Loretta Ortiz-Ribbin, Alison Volk and Tina Kohlman.

Students and families from Campbellsport Middle School were extremely generous in donating to the annual food drive. There was stiff competition among the middle school classes. Each class was extremely successful, but the sixth grade class came in with the most items. More than 3,000 items were donated overall, helping to restock the shelves of the Campbellsport Food Pantry.

Ashley Lynn of Campbellsport, an RN in the birth center of Froedert & The Medical College of Wisconsin St. Joseph's Hospital, was recognized by the hospital with the first quarter DAISY award for her patient care and professionalism.

King Pin Lanes is hosting a bowling fundraiser for the Wisconsin Adaptive Sports Association Lightning Sheelchair Rugby team. Tony Sabel of Eden joined the team after recovery and rehab from a snow tubing accident. He is now also a board member.

Kathryn C. Ours, 100, Campbellsport, passed away November 27. Elaine R. Hall, 86, formerly of Campbellsport, passed away November 23. Thomas G. Strachota, 63, West Bend, passed away November 21. Lee J. Rady, 79, Fond du Lac, passed away November 20.

**15 Years Ago
December 7, 2006**

Santa and Mrs. Claus led a large group of Campbellsport-area youngsters and their parents to Campbellsport High School on December 2. This was a new route for the annual Lions Club event. They were walking to the school to participate in Santa's Workshop, a new event sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Steve Feucht read a letter to the school board stating that he has decided to not run for re-election on the April ballot. He represents the Village of Eden and a portion of the township.

A total of 11 smart boards are currently being used in the Campbellsport School District. Administrator Dan Olson stated they hope to purchase a few more in the future. The price is around \$1,200 per smart board.

It was a cold Saturday afternoon at the Dundee Mill and Park but several people toured the property to see the changes made by the Extreme Makeover. Later in the afternoon, everyone was outside to sing Christmas songs and observe the lighting of another Love Light Tree.

On November 29, 18 electors of the Town of



Osceola voted on a resolution to increase this year's town tax levy by 7.7 percent. If the town has a population of less than 2,000 people, the Town Board can present a resolution to increase the tax levy. It passed with a vote of nine in favor of the increase, seven against, and two abstaining. This tax levy of \$196,224 exceeds the 2005 tax levy of \$182,195, which is a dollar increase of \$14,029.

The Campbellsport Cub Scouts held their annual Rain Gutter Regatta on November 29. Winners of the event were Matthew Kieffer (first), Sam Candee (second), Daniel Kieffer (third), Thomas Frieberg (fourth), Erik Frieberg (fifth), and Oscar Hathaway (sixth).

Graduating members of the Campbellsport 4-H Club were honored during the group's annual achievement night. They are Kasandra Schultz, Melissa Zimdahl and Courtney Pufall. The latter was selected as the 2006 Fond du Lac County Fairest of the Fair.

Although the Cougars placed third at the Coleman Duals, there were individual winners for the wrestling team. Tommy Beck had a 4-0 record at 119 pounds, with three first-period pins and a major decision. James Stukenberg was a perfect 3-0, giving the 130-pounder 88 career wins. Also going 3-0 was 171-pound freshman Zach Wetzel.

The Lady Cougar bowlers extended their winning streak to 28 games at home this past weekend.

On December 1, the Campbellsport boys basketball team beat Mayville 46-37.

A daughter, Alysa Joyce, was born November 25 to James and Tammy Kutz of Campbellsport. A daughter, Brianna Michelle, was born November 24 to Brian and Magan Repp of Eden.

Marion J. Timmer, 81, Lomira, passed away November 29. Verena R. Conaboy, 96, passed away November 29. Ferdinand J. Haas, 51, Campbellsport, passed away November 27.

**25 Years Ago
November 28, 1996**

Fire destroyed the house on the Dietrich and Dorothy Otto farmstead in the Town of Ashford on Sunday afternoon. Campbellsport firemen responded to the call at 4:03 p.m. and remained at the scene until 10 p.m. According to Chief Don Stoffel, the house was completely destroyed; the cause was undetermined, but appeared to have started in the area of an electric space heater. No injuries were reported, but a dog is believed to have been lost in the fire. Mutual aid was provided by Kewaskum, Kohlsville, Lomira, and Theresa.

The Eden Village Board made quick work of its agenda. The budget hearing will be held December 4.

Campbellsport School District Administrator Bertone asked the school board members to give some thought to establishing the position of assistant district administrator. He submitted a detailed list of duties for the district administrator and assistant district administrator.

Roman A. Ernst, 83, Fond du Lac, passed away November 21. Doris R. Tesch, 80, Seymour, passed away November 25. Jack W. Mott, 75, formerly of Campbellsport, passed away November 21. Sister Antoninus Werla, 81, Campbellsport, passed away November 23.

**50 Years Ago
December 2, 1971**

Village Marshall Eldon Spradau today issued a warning that the village has a snowmobile ordinance governing that activity of local snowmobile drivers. He pointed out that no snowmobile can be driven on village streets at any time or operated in the village after 9:30 p.m. or driven over another person's property unless permission is granted.

Latest victims of the Cougar wrestlers under the coaching of Gerald Marking were Whitefish Bay 26-19 and Nicolet 30-15.

Santa Claus will arrive in Campbellsport December 4. A phone number was included in the article for people to call if their child was ill and couldn't attend as Santa would stop at the child's home later in the day.

The Senior Class of 1972 of Campbellsport High School will present the annual Senior Class play on December 11. It is entitled The Death and Life of Larry Benson.

**75 Years Ago
November 28, 1946**

Viola Smith of Mount Calvary is one of two Wisconsin girls to be appearing on the Hour of Charm concert and radio broadcast from Milwaukee on December 8. She will be a drummer with the all-girls band. Both of her parents were musicians and Viola was one of eight musical sisters who formed an orchestra that toured professionally for several years. She attended Columbia University in New York City and studied drums and other percussion instruments with William Gladstone of Radio City Music Hall orchestra.

By virtue of victories over Thiensville and Menomonee Falls, the Campbellsport Legion team holds first place in the Land O'Lakes league. Campbellsport beat Thiensville 51-26, led by Glen Kippenhan and Spitz Jaeger, who scored 13 points each. The local team was up by only three points late in the game against Menomonee Falls, but won the game 41-34. Dick Koenigs led the scoring with 14 points.

Twenty representative businessmen met last Thursday evening at the village hall. By a unanimous vote, the group decided to organize a businessmen's group and call it the Campbellsport Chamber of Commerce, electing Harlow Roate as its first president and Bud Carpenter as the secretary. With the generous offer from W.S. Fischer of the Campo Theatre, the Chamber will host a children's Christmas party on December 7 for those 12 years of age and under.

A timber harvest demonstration will be held December 6 at Dundee Timber Harvest Forest of the Kettle Moraine. A demonstration was held last year and was so successful, a repeat will occur.

**100 Years Ago
December 1, 1921**

More than 100 people were in attendance at the program and motion picture entertainment held at Glen Valley School on Saturday. A lunch was served after the entertainment. The names of the motion pictures were not listed.

J.F. Curruthers trapped two minks near his hen house at Long Lake Tuesday night, but not before the mink had gotten away with several of his choice ducks.

Agent E.F. Roethke has received advanced notice that the war tax on passenger, express and freight transportation (including Pullman car tickets) will be removed, effective January 1, 1922. It is estimated that this means a saving to the public of about \$885,000,000 yearly.

Carl Frederick Rahn, 88, formerly of Campbellsport and Osceola, passed away November 23. Michael Ryan, 62, Campbellsport, passed away November 27.

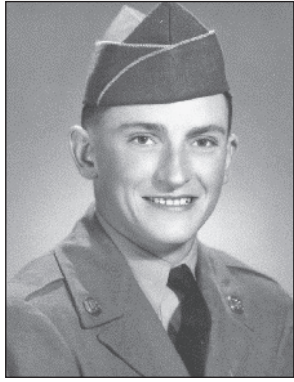
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1966-1969
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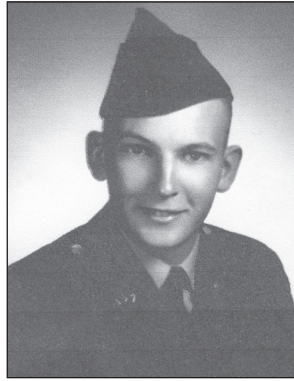
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1951-1952
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Armstrong



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1956-1962
Campbellsport



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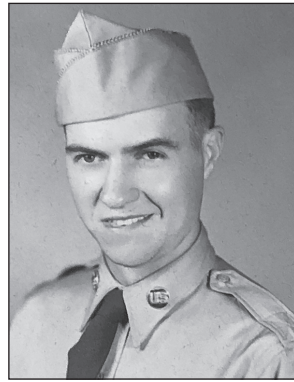
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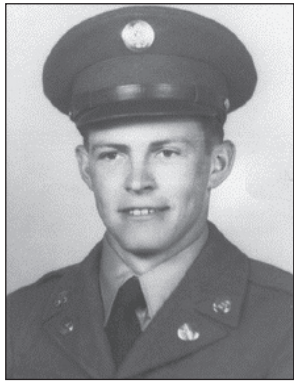
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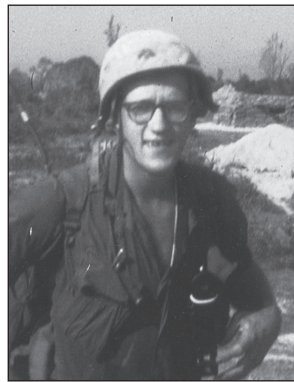
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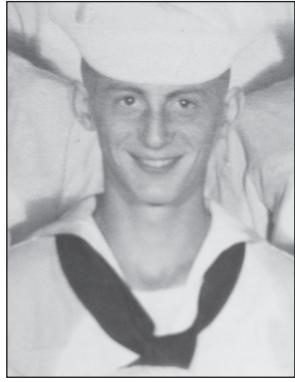
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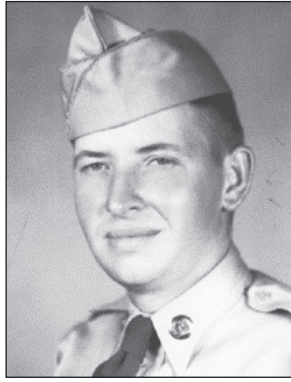
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SGT
Korean War
Washington County



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U.S. Air Force,
National Guard
1995-2002
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DONALD HERRIGES
U.S. Marine Corps
PFC
1951-1953, Korean War
Kewaskum (St. Michaels)



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U.S. Army
Corporal
1950-1952
Kewkasum



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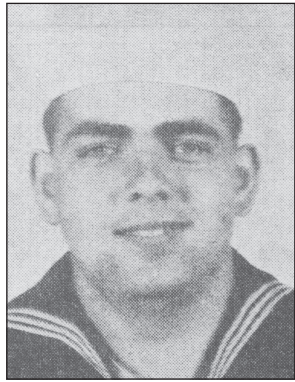
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U.S. Army
PFC
Korean War
Washington County



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U.S. Navy
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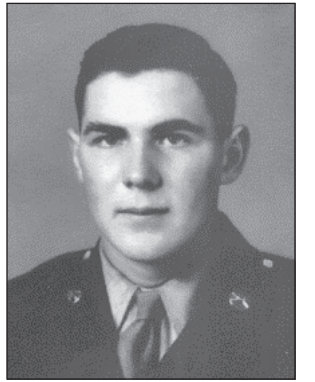
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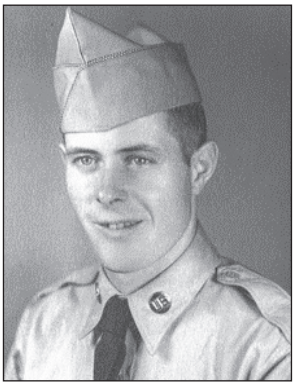
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- Every Monday and Wednesday — Washington County Clean Sweep Household Hazardous Waste Collection at Veolia Environmental Services, W124N9451 Boundary Road, Menomonee Falls, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Registration and \$20 fee required. To pay online and register, go to washcoparks.com.

- Second Monday of the month — American Legion Post 384 and Auxiliary meetings at American Legion Hall, 1538 Fond du Lac Ave. in Kewaskum, at 7 p.m., with social hour starting at 6 p.m.

- Every Tuesday — TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets at Waucousta Lutheran Grade School, W2011 Highway F, Waucousta, 5:30 p.m. For more information, call Kiersten at 920-979-7436.

- Every Tuesday — Sheepshead at Kewaskum Labor Hall, warm-up at 5 p.m., tournament at 7 p.m.

- Every Tuesday and Thursday — Fond du Lac County mobile COVID-19 free testing at the Fond du Lac County Fairgrounds on Thursdays and the Rosendale Community Center on Tuesdays, 12 p.m.-5 p.m. For anyone age 2 and up.

- Every Wednesday — The XYZ Card Club Sheepshead at Peace United Church of Christ, 343 First St., Kewaskum, 8:15 a.m.-11:15 a.m. All are welcome.

- Every Thursday — Kewaskum Farmers Market downtown Main St., 2 p.m.-6 p.m.

- Every Saturday — West Bend Downtown Farmers' Market begins, 7:30 a.m.-11 a.m. Live music every Saturday and so much more.

- Every Sunday — Dundee Farmers' and Crafters' Market at Sportsmen's Park, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

- Every Second and Fourth Sunday — Sheepshead tournament at Kewaskum Labor Hall, warm-up-11 a.m., tournament-1 p.m.

- Nightly through Friday, Dec. 24 — Enchantment in the Park, an interactive light show from 5-9 p.m. at Regner Park in West Bend.

- Friday-Sunday, Dec. 3-5 — "A Christmas Carol" to be performed by the West Bend Theatre Company at the West Bend Masonic Center. More info at www.westbendtheatreco.com.

- Saturday, Dec. 4 — Pancake Breakfast at Beechwood Firehouse, W8451 Hwy S — Beechwood, 9 a.m.-noon. Adult meal \$8, includes

potato pancakes and/or buttermilk pancakes, sausage, applesauce, cookie, milk or juice. Junior meal \$4, includes buttermilk pancakes, sausage, applesauce, cookie, milk or juice. While supplies last, generous amounts but not all you can eat. Bring your camera; Santa will be there, but this is not just for kids. Sponsored by the Beechwood Fire Department Auxiliary.

- Saturday, Dec. 4 — Lighting of the "Love Lights for the Holidays" on the community trees located at Mill Pond Park. "Love Lights" are available to purchase in memory of someone special past, present or in the military by sending the form and payment to: Shirley Simon, 311 Windell Ave., Campbellsport, WI 53010 or by calling 920-979-8704 by Dec. 1.

- Saturday, Dec. 4 — "The Colors of Christmas," presented by the Plymouth Arts Center Singers at the Plymouth Arts Center, 520 E. Mill St. in Plymouth, at 7:30 p.m. Tickets for reserved Table Seating are \$15 for PAC members, \$17 for non-members and are available now at the Plymouth Arts Center or online at www.plymoutharts.org.

- Sunday, Dec. 5 — "The Colors of Christmas," presented by the Plymouth Arts Center Singers at the Plymouth Arts Center, 520 E. Mill St. in Plymouth, at 2:30 p.m. Tickets for reserved Table Seating are \$15 for PAC members, \$17 for non-members and are available now at the Plymouth Arts Center or online at www.plymoutharts.org.

- Sunday, Dec. 5 — Cookie Hunt, sponsored by the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce, 1-4 p.m. Get your cookie box at the Annex Building, 1308 Fond du Lac Ave. in Kewaskum, and visit local businesses to fill your passport and cookie box. \$5.

- Sunday, Dec. 5 — Kewaskum Christmas Parade, sponsored by the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce, 5 p.m. This year's theme

is "Christmas At the Movies." To register an entry or a float, email kewaskumchristmasparade@gmail.com.

- Friday, Dec. 10 — Outdoor Candy Cane Hunt at St. Andrew Lutheran Church, 7750 State Hwy 144, West Bend, 6-8 p.m. Attendees will be invited to visit stations along illuminated trails throughout the church's property to learn what the different parts of the candy cane teach us about Jesus. At each station, children will be invited to find hidden candy canes. Cookies and cocoa will be served. Wagon rides will be offered if weather permits. Because much of the event is outside, attendees are encouraged to dress for the weather and bring flashlights to use along the trails between stations. The event will run continuously between 6 and 8 p.m., so attendees may arrive when convenient during that time. For more information, email standrewchurchwb@gmail.com or call 262-335-4200.

- Friday-Sunday, Dec. 10-12 — "A Christmas Carol" to be performed by the West Bend Theatre Company at the West Bend Masonic Center. More info at www.westbendtheatreco.com.

- Sunday, Dec. 12 — KEYS Christmas Concert in the Kewaskum High School Theater, 6:30 p.m. The Kewaskum Big Band, the EcuMen and the Kewaskum High School Bel Canto Choir will perform, to benefit KEYS scholarships for Kewaskum High School graduates. Tickets will be available at the door; there is no reserved seating. \$5.

- Tuesday, Dec. 14 — Water Trivia Night from 6-7:30 p.m. at the Kewaskum Public Library hosted by the Community Rivers Program.

- Friday, Dec. 17 — Oakfield American Red Cross Blood Drive, from 12:30-5:30 p.m., Oakfield Community Center, 130 N. Main St.

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

- Friday, Dec. 3 — Birds at My Feeder Nature Storytime, 9:30-10:30 a.m. at the Ice Age Visitor Center. Even on the coldest days of winter, a bird feeder can be a flurry of activity. Discover what birds may visit your feeder and what they like to eat. This hour of nature fun awaits 3- to 6-year-olds with accompanying adults.

- Thursday, Dec. 9 — Wisconsin's Winter Birds and How to Attract Them, An Evening with Nature Program at the Ice Age Visitor Center, 7-8:30 p.m. Birds bring excitement to a barren winter day. With Bill Volkert, Naturalist, learn what birds spend their winters in Wisconsin and ways to attract them to your yard. This program is most appropriate for people over the age of 12 years.

- Saturday, Dec. 11 — Nature Crafts Exploring Nature Program at the Ice Age Visitor Center, 10 a.m.-12 noon. Let your creativity flow! Using supplies found in nature, we will create a variety of crafts including flower magnets, nature candles, and evergreen wrapping paper. To ensure plenty of supplies, call 920-533-8322 by Dec. 9. This program is best for families/groups with children between the ages of 6 and 12 years.

More information about the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest or the upcoming naturalist programs, is available by contacting the forest staff at the Ice Age Visitor Center at 920-533-8322. The Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center is located 1/2 mile west of Dundee off Hwy 67. The center is open seven days per week.

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present this case to a panel of national experts and a forensic anthropologist at the National Center of Missing and Exploited Children in Virginia. Based on the presentation, experts recommended that we exhume her body to collect bone, tooth and hair samples in order to conduct new forms of forensic testing that did not exist back in 2008. "Jane Doe was exhumed on April 26, 2018, and samples were collected and sent to numerous laboratories throughout the country that specialize in various forms of forensic analysis.

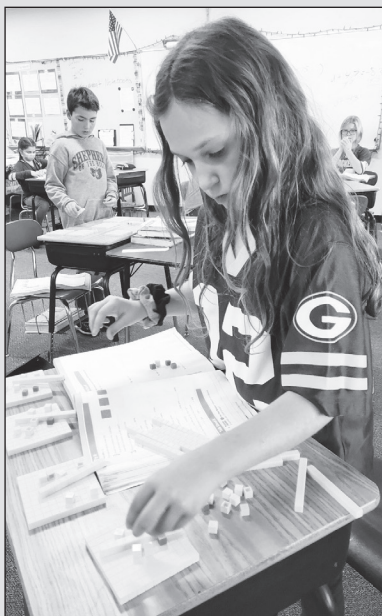
"In the months following her exhumation, detectives received results from the forensic testing and used those results to compare to other known DNA profiles. Genealogy research, assisted by na-

tional expert Barbara Rae-Venter, provided investigators new leads that led to identifying individuals believed to be direct relation to Jane Doe, and DNA samples were collected from those potential family members in the hopes of confirming her identity.

"I'm pleased to announce that through the hard work and dedication of these detectives, as well as others who are now retired, their work to keep this investigation moving forward has resulted in the positive identification of Jane Doe as Amy Marie Yeary, date of birth December 9, 1989, from Rockford, Ill. Amy would have been 18-years-old when she died in 2008. She was positively identified using three different means — comparison of DNA from her mother, comparison of DNA from her sister, and a comparison of dental x-rays."



Julia Fidziukiewicz (left) helps Audra Abhold read a story during a buddy time activity at Shepherd of the Hills Catholic School. **PHOTOS SUBMITTED**



Temperance Grahl, a fifth-grade student at Shepherd of the Hills Catholic School, uses hands-on manipulatives during a recent math lesson.



Eighth-grade students from Shepherd of the Hills Catholic, Gavin Slinde, Chase Abler, Jack Pelz, MaCenna Crofts, Aly Vercauteren and Claire Knowles, soak up these last few days of mild autumn weather by playing in the leaves.



Rylee Thornton (left) looks on as Celia Ottery reads her a story during a buddy time activity at Shepherd of the Hills Catholic School.



Mary Shanahan (left), Desi Haubenschild, and Harrison Immel, all students at Shepherd of the Hills Catholic School, "hang out" together during recess time.



Muff and Dave Gitter accept a red, white and blue quilt from the Shepherd of the Hills quilters after a Veterans Day prayer service at Shepherd of the Hills. Being a veteran himself, Dave shared stories with the students after the prayer service.

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Sports

CAMPBELLSPORT & KEWASKUM

Kewaskum Girls Start 3-0

The KHS girls basketball team defeated Omro, Campbellsport and West Bend East to close their first non-conference slate

MICHAEL DREWNIAK
ASSISTANT COACH

The Kewaskum Lady Indians traveled to West Bend East to take on the Suns on Tuesday, Nov 23, and the visitors exploded in the second half and outscored the hosts by 16 to make three-straight wins for Kewaskum to start the season.

The first half was very competitive, as neither team could go on an extended run. Kewaskum had a few late buckets in the final minutes to finish the half with its biggest lead of the game (six points) at that time.

Junior Madi Dogs scored 15 of

her 22 points in the first half to pace the Indians to a 29-23 lead at intermission.

The full-court pressure seemed to wear down the Suns in the second half, as East struggled to score throughout the closing frame, and Kewaskum held them to only nine second-half points.

Senior Annie Christenson had all ten of her points in the second, and junior Grace Leitheiser set the table with seven assists to help the Indians to a 54-32 win.

Kewaskum moved to 3-0 on the season, and the Indians played East Central Conference foe Winneconne on the road on Tuesday, Nov. 30, after print time.

The Indians will return home next on Friday, Dec. 3 for a tilt with Ripon.

Campbellsport, 38 vs Ripon, 63

Tuesday, Nov. 23



Cougars' head coach Lisa Immel draws up a play in a timeout during the Campbellsport girls' home loss to Ripon last week Tuesday.

CLARICE CASE PHOTOS



Junior Maia Morgan attempts a free throw for Campbellsport during last week's non-conference loss to Ripon. Also pictured from CHS is Caitlin Neitzel.

GIRLS BASKETBALL Kewaskum, 54 at West Bend East, 32 Tuesday, Nov. 23

TEAM STATS—Kewaskum: 19 FG (3p: Dogs, Steger, Vogt), 13-18 FT, 18 FL.
West Bend East: 12 FG (3p: Dricken, Schensema, Xiong), 6-15 FT, n/a FL.
SCORING—Kewaskum: Dogs 22, Christenson 10, Adams 8, Steger 5, Butschlick 4, Vogt 3, Czuppa 2. West Bend East: Xiong 13, Doedens 7, Schensema 7, Dricken 6.



Coach P's

CORNER

Cougar Invite Has New Look

Winter sports are kicking into gear at the high school level and that means it's time for some wrestling. The Campbellsport wrestling team will open the season this Thursday with a home dual against the Mayville Cardinals. The Cougars are back in the Flyway Conference after a 21-year stint in the Eastern Wisconsin and East Central Conferences.

The Cougars left the Flyway Conference a perfect 200-0 back in 1999 and captured 29 straight conference championships. The conference has a different look since the Cougars left in '99. Markesan, Horicon and Oakfield are no longer in the Flyway, three parochial schools have since replaced them (WLA, Springs and St. Lawrence Seminary). Laconia, Lomira, Mayville and North Fondy are

still in the Flyway.

The Cougars will be reunited with their long-time wrestling rival Lomira this year. The Lions thoroughly dominated the Flyway conference in wrestling since the Cougars departure. The two wrestling powers will meet Thursday, January 20, in Lomira – you certainly want to put that one on the calendar – it will be rowdy!

The Cougars will also honor the late great Campbellsport High School wrestling coach Gerald "Sarge" Marking in a dual at CHS when the Cougars host North Fondy/Springs on Thursday, January 13. Marking was the founder of Campbellsport Wrestling and just passed away this past June at the age of 83. Sarge had an incredible run at

See **COACH P** page 15

Lady Cougar Keglers Push Record to 3-0

On Monday, Nov. 22, the Lady Cougar Bowlers had their first home meet of the season at King Pin Lanes. The West Bend West Spartans were their opponent this week.

In the first game of the match the squad got off to a slow start with a 105 game to the Spartans' 155. In game two the Cougars picked up more spares rolling a 138 to West Bend West's 124. The match was then tied at 1-1. The Cougars then ripped off 157, 150, 167 and 151 games very much improving their spare shooting to snag all four games and the match.

The win pushed the Cougars record to 3-0, with them currently leading the conference. Their average dipped to 141 for the night as their spare shooting was a little off. Anchor Brianna Thompson slipped a little off her hot streak, missing six on the night but still leading the team filling 12 of 18 frames. Kylie Zehren, Taylor Muraski and Paige Jordan all filled 10 of 18 frames and Hannah Thelen filled six of 18 frames.

Stats for the match were as follows (strikes-spares-total frames): Kylie Zehren 4-6-18; Hannah Thelen 2-4-18; Taylor Muraski 4-6-18; Paige Jordan 2-8-18; Brianna Thompson 8-4-18.



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Three Cheers for the Cheerleaders!

The Kewaskum Middle School (KMS) cheerleaders pose with their first-place trophy, which the group received for their performance at a Menomonee Falls-hosted competition held on November 20. It was KMS Cheer's first competition of the season. **SUBMITTED**



Boltonville Firecrackers 4-H Club Happenings

ELLIE STEINERT, AGE 8
BOLTONVILLE FIRECRACKERS REPORTER

Hi, it's Ellie here. The Boltonville Firecrackers 4-H Club met for its November meeting.

This month we worked together to collect donations for the Washington County Foster Care Closet. It was fun to see all the great things we collected.

We also discussed the date for our Christmas party and decided we will walk in the Kewaskum Christmas Parade.

Our ice breaker during the meeting was an M&M game. We picked different M&Ms and shared our favorites depending on the color we picked. Then we ate them.

Next month members can decorate an ornament and bring it to our meeting. Ella also showed us her wheat as a demonstration. We guessed that there were 100 pieces in her wheat bundle.

That's all for now. See you next month!

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Share cropping parcels with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) in Fond du Lac, Sheboygan and Washington county are open for bid. The Department has multiple locations within the Kettle Moraine State Forest Northern Unit and the Sheboygan Marsh Wildlife Area that are currently up for bid. The bid process will be a sealed bid and must be received by Dec 30, 2021 to be considered. Interested parties may contact Megan Sina for a list of locations: 262-626-3883 or megan.sina@wisconsin.gov. The DNR reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE
PLAN COMMISSION
MEETING**

**TOWN OF EDEN
FOND DU LAC COUNTY**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that at 7:30 p.m. on December 7, 2021, at the Eden Community Center, the Town of Eden Plan Commission will meet to consider the application of William J. O'Brien for a Special Use Permit for an addition to his residence and garage in a Farmland Preservation District. Parcel included in the request is approximately 0.38 acres of vacant land, to be parceled off by CSM from the properties of Karen E. O'Brien and David E. O'Brien and added to the property currently owned by William J. O'Brien, located in the Town of Eden, Section 11, located on Highway 45, Eden, WI, west of the intersection of County B and Highway 45. The Plan Commission will make a recommendation to the Town of Eden Board.

Members of the Town Board may be present at the meeting for information gathering purposes. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that at its regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, December 13th, 2021, the Town of Eden Town Board will receive the Plan Commission's recommendations, and may take action regarding whether to approve, conditionally approve, or deny the special use request. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.

Marion Blakely, Chair
Town of Eden Plan
Commission
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**TOWN OF ASHFORD
MEETING NOTICE**

The regular monthly meeting for the Town of Ashford will be held on Monday, December 6, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. at the Ashford Town Hall.

The agenda will be posted at The Town Hall and on the website.

Tracy Flasch,
Town Clerk
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**TOWN OF AUBURN
PLAN COMMISSION
MEETING NOTICE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a meeting will be held by the PLAN COMMISSION of the Town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County, Wisconsin on Monday, December 13, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. in the Auburn Town Hall, W1728 Sunset Drive, Campbellsport, at which time the PLAN COMMISSION will make a recommendation to the Town Board for the following rezoning:

For applicant, Dominic Koppen. The real estate is located in Part of Parcel B, CSM #134 in the NW ¼ of the SE ¼, Section 29, Township 13 North, Range 19 East, Town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County, Wisconsin. The petition is to rezone .688 +/- acres from Farmland Preservation to Rural District. Applicant request the rezoning for the purpose of adding additional acreage to his parcel for the construction of an outbuilding. The real estate is adjacent W1854 Auburn Ashford Dr, Campbellsport.

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

Dated this 8th day of November, 2021.

The Town Board may be in attendance.

Dennis Kubusek,
Secretary Plan
Commission

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC
HEARING
TOWN OF AUBURN**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Public Hearing will be held by the Town Board of the Town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County, Wisconsin on Monday, December 13, 2021 following the Plan Commission Meeting which starts at 6:30 p.m. at the Auburn Town Hall, W1728 Sunset Drive, Campbellsport, at which time the Town Board will consider the application for rezoning of the following:

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Dated this 8th day of

Meetings and Public Hearings 7720

November, 2021.

The Plan Commission may be in attendance.

Bonnie Berg,
Municipal Clerk
Town Of Auburn
11/25(2) WNAXLP

**TOWN OF WAYNE
WASHINGTON COUNTY,
WISCONSIN**

Notice of Public Hearing
On Pool Cover addition in
Town Zoning Ordinance

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall, located at 6030 Mohawk Road, in the Town of Wayne, before the Town Board/Park and Planning Commission, on Wednesday, December 15, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. for a Town Zoning Ordinance to be changed in the following respects:

Section 7.03(B) 6 - Private swimming pools, upon the issuance of a building permit, provided that:

c. In lieu of a fence a pool cover meeting the standards of ASTM F13246-91 (American Society of Testing Materials) may be used. The cover shall be motorized. The switch to operate the cover shall be located a minimum of 4 feet above the pool deck and in the line of site of complete cover. Switching devices shall be key operated, lockable, or be able to be deactivated, or otherwise located in an inaccessible location. If the switch is located in an inaccessible location, the switch shall be at a height of at least 5 feet above the deck. When a pool is not in use, the pool cover shall be placed securely over the pool. Pool covers shall be inspected periodically for mechanical issues or compromises to the cover, and shall be maintained per the manufacturer's specifications. All new or replacement covers shall meet the standard of ASTM F1346-91.

Dated: November 19, 2021

Carol Gonwa
Town Clerk
12/2(2) WNAXLP

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Operation Winter Wonderland brightens Cedar Community

Operation Winter Wonderland is a holiday team building and volunteer engagement opportunity for local businesses to show support for their community. The idea, developed by Sarah Malchow in 2021, was initiated to actively engage volunteers, while conforming to COVID-19 guidelines.

On Wednesday, Nov. 17, a group of volunteers from Regal Ware in Kewaskum decorated Cedar Community's Cedar Creek Park for

the holidays. Cedar Community's sunroom overlooks the park and will allow residents to enjoy the holiday decorations.

"We are continually brainstorming and creating ways to provide special experiences for our Cedar Community residents, family, friends, and volunteers to enjoy during these difficult times. We are sincerely appreciative of Regal Ware's generosity and willingness to participate two years in a row," Malchow said.



Jim and Patty Reigle look on from the sunroom while the decorating took place for Operation Winter Wonderland at Cedar Community's Cedar Creek Park. PHOTO SUBMITTED

**Johnson re-elected to
AEM Ag Sector Board**

Kondex President Keith Johnson has been re-elected to the Association of Equipment Manufacturers' (AEM) Ag Sector Board of Directors for a two-year term. He is one of 20 appointed executives on this committee who will provide strategic and operational direction for the agriculture sector and advocate for AEM's agriculture members.

"I am honored to have been re-elected to this position and continue our efforts to support AEM's agriculture members, advocate for legislation that positively impacts the industry, and help accomplish AEM's mission," commented Johnson.

Kondex first joined AEM as a member company in 1999, and has since supported executive involve-



Keith Johnson

ment in numerous programs. Beyond this recent appointment, Johnson also serves as Chair of AEM's Component Members Executive Committee and member of its Workforce Development Committee.

AEM is the North American-based international trade group representing construction and agricultural equipment manufacturers and suppliers, with more than 1,000 companies

and over 200 product lines in the agriculture and construction-related industry sectors worldwide. It is headquartered in Milwaukee, with offices in Washington, D.C.; Ottawa, Canada; and Beijing, China.

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American Red Cross seeks local heroes

Do you know an “ordinary” person with extraordinary courage? Someone who has saved a life, helped a neighbor in need or made a difference in their community? If so, the American Red Cross of Southeast Wisconsin invites you to nominate them to be recognized at the 2022 Brave Hearts community hero and fundraiser event.

The Brave Hearts gala honors people making an impact through their bravery, dedication and humanitarian service. This year’s award recipients will be honored at an in-person and virtual streaming event on May 12, 2022.

“We’re asking for the public’s help to identify individuals and groups who are deserving of recognition for their positive impact,” said Mark Thomas, CEO, American Red Cross of Wisconsin, and executive director, Southeast Wisconsin Chapter. “Your hero could be a colleague, family member, neighbor or friend who performed a selfless act of bravery or improved their community. And our Brave Hearts event provides an incredible, inspiring platform to recognize this local hero.”

Honorees will be celebrated across six categories: Adult Good Samaritan, Youth Good Samaritan, Community Safety, Security and Resiliency Hero, From the Heart Hero, Military Hero and Hero of the Year. Nominees may come from any of the Red Cross Southeast Wisconsin Chapter’s eight counties: Dodge, Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Walworth, Washington and Waukesha. Nominations are due by Jan. 31.

Nominating a hero is free and can be done quickly and easily online. For more information on award descriptions, nomination guidelines and to submit a nomination, visit: <https://www.redcross.org/local/wisconsin/about-us/news-and-events/events/brave-hearts/brave-hearts-nomination.html>

Heroes are nominated by the public and are chosen by an awards selection committee comprised of local community leaders. Along with community hero recognition, the Brave Hearts gala serves as a fundraiser for the humanitarian mission of the Red Cross in southeastern Wisconsin.

COACH P from page 12

CHS going 320-31-1 in his illustrious career. That also included a state championship in 1980 and a couple of runner-up finishes in 1979 and 1993. During the 1970s Marking’s teams won 101 straight dual meets from early 1970 to 1980, a streak that ended at the Badger State Invite against Reedsburg. Marking also built an amazing conference winning streak that was broken in 2001 by Kiel, the streak ended at 218 straight conference wins.

The legendary coach is not only inducted into the Campbellsport Athletic Hall of Fame, he’s also a member of the Wisconsin Wrestling Coaches Association Hall of Fame. Marking will have another milestone to be remembered for this Saturday when the Cougars unveil the First Annual Gerald “Sarge” Marking Scramble tournament. For 20 years the Cougars hosted the Campbellsport Invitational on the first Saturday in December but this year the tourney will have a new format and a new name. The Invite was a traditional eight-man individual bracket with double elimination and team advancement points scored. The scramble puts wrestlers in seeded pools of four in a round robin type bracket. The 2-0 wrestlers advance to the championship bracket, the 1-1 wrestlers go for fifth, and the 0-2 wrestlers fight it out for ninth place.

Come on out Thursday and Saturday to watch this good young Cougar team headed by co-coaches Alex Costello and Dan Heisdorf. Costello was a two-time state place finisher for the Cougars and wrestled at UW-Platteville. Heisdorf was Coach P’s assistant for 22 years and is also head coach of the very successful CHS Girls’ softball team. Heisdorf was a state runner-up for the Kewaskum Indians wrestling for the legendary John Nell.

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Local author shares the story of “Flash”

BY ANNE TRAUTNER
REPORTER

Children at Kids Clubhouse Childcare Center in Campbellsport recently had a special visitor. Mary Lynn Kluss, dressed in a cat costume, read her book “Flash” to the youngsters.

Kluss wrote and illustrated the book “Flash,” which is about the son of an abandoned cat. In the book, Flash tells the story of his mom’s journey to Heavenly Acres Farm, where some very loving people adopted her and, although they didn’t know it, her five unborn kittens.

“The whole purpose of it is to teach young people about the importance of spaying and neutering our animals in order to prevent the suffering that results from overpopulation. I partnered with Kids Clubhouse to do just that,” Kluss said.

In the book, Flash shares all the details of his little cat family’s escapades from birth until age 6 weeks old, when all the kittens went to new homes. The reader gets a glimpse of the kittens’ delight in life and how fleeting it is.

“The book also teaches empathy for defenseless animals and gives tips about what to do when they witness abuse. It is not just a cute story. It is educational,” Kluss said.

In fact, the Lomira School District purchased a copy of the 52-page book, according to Kluss, who lives just outside of Campbellsport. The book is written so that it can spark conversations in children up to age 12.

Kluss, who studied art at Cardinal Stritch College, has operated a hand-painted, portrait business in Fond du Lac since 1998. She had her “Flash” costume made so she could appeal



Dressed as a cat, Mary Lynn Kluss poses with children at Kids Clubhouse Childcare Center in Campbellsport. Kluss recently read her book “Flash” to the children. **PHOTOS BY ANNE TRAUTNER**



Local author Mary Lynn Kluss wrote and illustrated the children’s book “Flash.”



Dressed as a cat, Mary Lynn Kluss reads her book “Flash” to children at Kids Clubhouse Childcare Center in Campbellsport. Kluss wrote and illustrated the book.



Children at Kids Clubhouse Childcare Center in Campbellsport listen to local author Mary Lynn Kluss as she reads her book “Flash.” Kluss is donating 25 percent of the book profits to the Humane Society.

more to children when she reads the story.

“I have vowed to use my voice and talent to produce testament to the suffering of defenseless, domesticated animals,” Kluss said.

Kluss spent over 15 years creating the book, which is a true story.

The book is filled with illustrations created by Kluss, and the back cover features photographs of the actual kittens in the story.

Her hard work has paid off; the book has received positive reviews.

“I gifted this wonderful book to my toddler niece and older nephew.

They absolutely loved the story of Flash and felt deeply emotionally connected to the narrative. The illustration is uniquely beautiful; it’s clear to see Kluss put a lot of heart into the book. The messages are vital, heartfelt, and touching. I highly recommend this book,” one person wrote in a review on Amazon.

“Children will love the story, but any animal lover can see the poignancy in the plight of unwanted animals,” Amy Thomas, treasurer of the Fond du Lac Humane Society Board of Directors, wrote in a review about the book.

The self-published book is available at Lunar & Lake Book Market, located at 74 S. Main St. in Fond du Lac, from the Wisconsin Humane Society and on Amazon. Paperbacks are \$19.99 with sales tax and \$27.38 for a hardcover. Kluss is donating 25 percent of the profits from the book to the Humane Society.



Dr. Carly Salter, a family practice physician with SSM Health in Fond du Lac, visits members of the Welcome 4-H, which meets at the Eden Community Center at 6:30 p.m. on the third Monday of each month. New families are always welcome to join. Contact Cindy Koffman at 920-948-5337 for more information. **PHOTOS SUBMITTED**



Dr. Carly Salter, M.D., came back to Welcome 4-H Club where she had been a member and presented on going to the doctor’s office. Dr. Salter is a family practice physician with SSM Health in Fond du Lac.

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