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Fuzz Martin, president of the Kewaskum Remembers 9/11 Board of Directors, teaches children from Little Folks School House about the events of Sept. 11, 2001, during a field trip to the Wisconsin 9/11 Memorial in Kewaskum on Tuesday, July 19. **PHOTO BY ANNE TRAUTNER**

Reflections on Lawrence Reilly

KARL MCCARTY
CONTRIBUTOR

Seventeen children were born to the Irish Catholic family of William (1879-1955) and Katherine "Kit" (Baumhardt) Reilly (1886-1969). It was the firstborn who was least talked about, but at certain points of the couple's life he was the most pressing on their minds.

Lawrence Reilly

Lawrence was born in 1909, the first of the Irish clan out of South Eden. The second child was Leo, who would live a full life and was an early witness to the struggles of mom and dad raising a child with disabilities. Leo's daughter Marlene Reilly Hatch is one of the remaining second-hand sources who was told stories of Lawrence. She credits her uncle "Bill," William Jerome Reilly, for adding details of most family history, and Grandma Kit for serious reflections on the first born of the 17.

Lawrence was challenged mentally and physically, but Marlene contends that the disability was more mental and intertwined an inability to control his actions. He apparently made sounds, but lacked normal language skills. There was a story where he pushed a baby buggy down the steps. He

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William and Kit (Baumhardt) Reilly would have 17 children. Their firstborn Lawrence had a disability which became more of a concern as he aged. The decision to institutionalize Lawrence was one of the hardest decisions to make for the couple, pictured here at the time of their marriage.

PHOTO COURTESY OF THE REILLY FAMILY.

Missing Kewaskum Resident Located by Cedarburg K-9

BREANNA RICE
JOURNALIST

On Thursday, July 14, an elderly Kewaskum resident was rescued by a Cedarburg Police Department K-9 in the Kettle Moraine State Forest.

The story was posted first online by several Milwaukee-area news stations.

According to reports, the Washington County Sheriff's

Office said the Kewaskum resident was an elderly man diagnosed with dementia who has difficulty moving around.

Allegedly, the man wandered away from his home early Thursday morning.

The Sheriff's Office took action after being notified by the family and began searching the Kettle Moraine State Forest with the help of K-9s.

The Sheriff's office stated that drones were also used in the area in an attempt to locate the individual but this mode was unsuccessful due to the thickness of the woods.

Approximately two hours after the Kewaskum resident had gone missing, a Cedarburg police dog located the man alone

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'Right Opportunity... Right Time'

Campbellsport welcomes District Administrator Tom Wissink

BREANNA RICE
JOURNALIST

"I was ready to take on the challenge of district administrator, and I was ready to have a bigger leadership role," said Campbellsport schools' new superintendent Tom Wissink, in an interview with this newspaper's staff at Blue Door Coffee on Main Street. "This position came about at the perfect time in my career."

From Wisconsin's Fox Valley, to Acadia National Park in Maine and then to New



Tom Wissink

Richmond on Wisconsin's western half, Wissink has had a career in education where he

always felt like he was the right fit for the position.

But, his pathway to get there was not so clear-cut.

"When I graduated high school, I wanted to be three things: a chef, a firefighter or a teacher," said Wissink when asked if going into the field of education was always his passion.

Wissink explained that he helped his mom coach a youth soccer team when he was younger and remembered loving the experience.

"My parents were very hard working and always highlight-

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SUN., AUGUST 7 • NOON PARADE, (MARCHING UNITS, FLOATS & NOVELTIES) • "JON DIETZ & THE TWIN LAKES TRIO"

| PUBLISHER LETTER |

Choices on the Road

Dear Reader,

Once upon a time, I looked into the hazel eyes of a beautiful woman. She was the catch of all catches. Leaving college with her on one's arm would be something. The life she promised was one of magic, wonder, and delight.

Today, I look into the hazel eyes of a woman... and think of the road not taken... and feel grateful for this road, with all of its magic, wonder, and delight.



PATRICK J. WOOD
PUBLISHER

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

| RURAL WRITES |

G.A. SCHEINOHA
CONTRIBUTOR



No matter what else might be said about it, change is inevitable. Sometimes it's as welcome as the first warm breeze in spring. For example Drexel has breathed new life into Campbellsport and the surrounding area which far exceeds its own business operations.

Occasionally though, the change isn't always an eagerly anticipated or easily accepted thing. Chief among these is the advance of years as one grows older. With the advent of longevity come more health issues.

Mine began in late January this year. Right in the midst of the best days of the work life. Fatigue brought on by burnout. Or so I first suspected. Two days later severe depression set in which had my emotions in a tumult.

Thus followed a long five months of recovery. The doctors tinkered with various medications to attempt to level wild emotional swings. As if that wasn't enough, I developed kidney stones.

Two operations and twelve biopsies later, I was pronounced free of any cancer in the bladder, kidneys or prostate. As well as blessed relief from the stones. Not to mention removal of both catheters and stent.

Now I'm back to work in the factory. But not before my health took one more swing at me. The doctor referred me to a neurologist, who diagnosed tremors in my hands and torso as Parkinson's. Yeah, that one left me numb with shock. When that wore off, grief became the next stage. Eventually, at some point acceptance arrives.

How it will affect my job remains up in the air. Since I was out, they gave the position to someone else. Now I'm supposed to use a scan gun. But the tremors in my hands obviously preclude that.

So the challenge is to prove I can still do what I have for three and a half years. If they'll let me.

Phlox Adds Color and Pollinator Appeal to the Garden All Season Long

MELINDA MYERS
CONTRIBUTOR

Fill your gardens with color from spring through summer and even into fall with a variety of pollinator-friendly phlox. The beauty, diversity, and usefulness in the garden of this group of plants had the National Garden Bureau declare 2022 Year of the Phlox.

Start out the growing season with creeping phlox (*Phlox subulata*). This low growing phlox is perfect for rock gardens, as a groundcover or planted at the front of a perennial garden. Grow it in full sun with well-drained soil in zones three to nine. Once the flowers fade, shear the plants back halfway to encourage attractive new growth that will last all season long.

Woodland phlox (*Phlox divaricata*) is native to Midwestern woods and fields and hardy in zones three to eight. The periwinkle blue flowers add some welcome color to shady spots in spring. Grow it in moist rich soil and watch for hummingbirds and butterflies that visit the blooms.

The Garden Club of America named Blue Moon woodland phlox its Plant of the Year, awarding it with the 2022 Montine McDaniel Freeman Horticulture Award. This award is given to native underutilized plants with superior ecological and ornamental attributes. Their goal is to increase the use of these plants in gardens. Blue Moon is mildew resistant, long blooming and like the species is an early source of pollen for native bees, swallowtail butterflies and nectar for the hummingbirds.

Downy or prairie phlox (*Phlox pilosa*) is another North American native phlox that can be found in prairies and is hardy in zones three to nine. The pale pink to purple-pink blossoms ap-



Phlox with Echinacea in full bloom in a summer garden.

PHOTO COURTESY OF MELINDAMYERS.COM

pear in spring. Grow it in full sun with moist to well-drained loam or sandy soils. Like other phlox, it attracts and supports butterflies and hummingbirds.

Marsh phlox (*Phlox globerrima*) is native to wet prairies and open woodlands and thrives in moist soil and even damp clay. The intense magenta flowers appear June to July and are a hummingbird magnet. Grow this phlox in zones four to eight.

The North American native tall garden phlox has long been popular with gardeners. It blooms

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Big Tech is Steamrolling America's Newspapers

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Google and Facebook have enormous economic and political power in society – especially over the news industry. Many ask if they have played a role in the misinformation that erodes our free press and plagues our democracy.

Google and Facebook have a duopoly of the distribution of digital news content, which drives people to their platforms where they make money. The platforms hoard critical data and use clever tactics, like reframing stories in rich previews, to keep users on their sites – siphoning off the advertising revenue that small and local publishers need and weakening their ability to be rewarded for their own content.

Google and Facebook generated \$4 million in U.S. advertising revenue every 15 minutes during the first quarter of 2022. That amount could fund hundreds of local journalists in every state in the

country.

It's no wonder that, despite record news consumption, local newspapers across the country have seen diminished revenues – leading many to lay off journalists or go out of business. Local newspapers simply can't compete with these national platforms, Google and Facebook. The imbalance of power between these platforms and local newspapers – let alone any single local paper – is so vast that newspapers cannot negotiate the exploitation of news. But antitrust laws shield Google and Facebook from the possibility of news publishers working together to demand better terms.

No company should have this much control over the news. Congress must take action to curb undue influence of Big Tech on the news media industry – and the Journalism Competition and Preservation Act (JCPA) aims to do just that.

The JCPA is specifically designed to address Google's and Facebook's anticompetitive prac-

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Sunday Morning Church at the Washington County Fair 2022

DARLENE STERN
CONTRIBUTOR

On Sunday, July 31, eight Washington County churches will again close their doors in favor of a demonstration of unity as they conduct a joint worship service at the Washington County Fair under the theme "Unity in Christ." This is the second year that a group of local churches will be conducting the Sunday morning service at the annual fair. Everyone from the community is invited to attend.

Leaders from these eight churches (Community Church, Kettlebrook Church, Bend City Church,

New Life Church, Freedom Fellowship, Tree of Life Church, The River Church and Mision Christiana La Palabra En Accion) meet on a monthly basis to pray for one another, the community and the world. Their heart is to work together to glorify God in this community and this church service at the fair is one occasion to glorify God in unity.

The churches will begin their day at the fair at 8:30 a.m. by serving with cleanup of the main stage area from the night before, as well as picking up garbage from the entire grounds. Music worship, led by church youth, commences at 10 a.m. Following music worship, leaders from each

of the eight representative churches will read scripture and pray, and teach from John 17:20-26, where Jesus prays about unity. Following the service, there will be individual prayer and ministry available.

This is a great opportunity for those who aren't part of a church to experience God in an outdoor venue with a diversity of local faith congregations. No pressure, no commitment, just taking advantage of a novel opportunity to encounter God as never before. What is being offered Sunday morning, July 31, at 10 a.m. at the Washington County Fair is fairly unique. Come to the fair!

| NOTICES |

| SENIOR DINING MENUS |

**July 25-July 29
Fond du Lac County
Senior Dining**

Monday: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, corn, butterscotch pudding, pear slices, sliced bread.

Tuesday: Chicken tetrazzini casserole, spinach salad with hot bacon dressing, honeydew melon, cookie, dinner roll.

Wednesday: BBQ pork cutlet, white bean salad, broccoli cuts, orange sherbet, tropical fruit salad, sliced bread.

Thursday: Chicken marsala, baked potato, peas and carrots, apple slices, spice cake, dinner roll.

Friday: Liver and onions, garlic mashed potatoes, pickled beet salad, peach slices, cookie, sliced bread.

Meal sites in Fond du Lac are at 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.; and 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 920-929-3937. All Menus Are Subject To Change.

**July 25-July 29
Washington County
Senior Dining**

Monday: Turkey a la king over biscuit, winter blend vegetable, green beans, watermelon, baker's choice cookie. Alt: Banana.

Tuesday: Stuffed green pepper, double baked potato casserole, Prince Charles veggies, rye dinner roll and butter, fresh nectarine.

Wednesday: Meatloaf patty w/gravy, mashed potatoes and gravy, Brussels sprouts, mixed green tossed salad w/dressing, rye bread with butter, fruit cup.

Thursday: Roasted turkey w/gravy, mashed potatoes and gravy, peas and carrots, banana, chef's choice pie. Alt: Fresh fruit.

Friday: Roasted pork w/gravy, German potato salad, sweet & sour cabbage, spiced applesauce, sourdough bread, German chocolate cake. Alt: Sugar free cookie.

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**

Winners from the Sheepshead tournament on Sunday, July 10, were: Syl Stern, 86; Ted Corey, 85; Karen Espitia, 80; Jerry Rosenthal, 79; and Kathy Reimer 77.

Winners from Tuesday Night Sheepshead on July 12 were: Kathy Reimer, 83; Scott Stern, 77; Syl Stern and Tom Espitia, 76; and Chick Flynn and Mary Aufdermauer, 71.

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, July 13, were: Steve Sabish, Dale Tuttle, Joy Neuenfeld, Fred Lettow, Rita Boegel and Gary Straub.

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.

Mitchell Cemetery Association Annual Meeting Set

The annual meeting of the Mitchell Cemetery Association will be held on Monday, Aug. 1, at 6 p.m. It will meet at the Eden Community Center, located at 104 Pine St.

Individuals with an interest in Mitchell Cemetery, located on County Trunk B and Mitchell Road in the Town of Osceola, are invited to attend.

| 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 spellings seen here are how they appear on the Wisconsin Department of Revenue website.

Transfers are from dates

June 27 to July 1, 2022.

Town of Auburn

Gerald And Sandra Thomas to Jeffrey L. Thomas, Capital Drive, Exempt.

Town of Barton

MK/S-EP, LLC to Nicholas J. Schuelle, Loretta Lane, \$1,305.

Fifth Avenue Methodist Church to James Gundrum, Salisbury Road, Exempt.

Village of Campbellsport

Keaton Reis to Christopher N. And Rachel M. Zachar-Tirado, Allison Way, \$1,003.20.

Russell Homes, Inc. to Keaton Reis, Allison Way, \$63.

Town of Eden

Trust Agreement Of John And Judith Hoepner to Debra And Edward Bohn, Hickory Twin Ln., \$1,199.70.

Village of Eden

Loren J. Adelmeyer to Samuel

D. Adelmeyer, Church St., \$337.50.

Town of Farmington

Raymond D. And Lauren R. Wollner to Jason L. And Jamie Kroening, North Paradise, \$1,560.

Town of Forest

Estate Of Marlene E. Schmitt to Robert W. Breitzman, Triple T Road, \$711.

Town of Kewaskum

Nathan A. Miner to Trustee Of The Nathan A. Miner And Rebecca R. Miner Living Trust U/A Dated June 15, 2022, Kettle Moraine Drive, Exempt.

Village of Kewaskum

CNS Investments LLC, A Wisconsin Limited Liability Company to WJ Herrmann Enterprises LLC, A Wisconsin Limited Liability Company, Main Street, \$765.

Susan M. Perkins to Nancy Anderson, Park Place Street, \$630.

Eric S. And Heidie E. Norem to Charles A. And Ariel M. Jahnke, Riverview Drive, \$609.

Richard, Jr. J. Kreuser to Richard J. Kreuser, Jr. And Denise J. Kreuser Family Trust, Washington Avenue, Exempt.

Richard J. Kreuser, Jr. And Denise J. Kreuser Family Trust to Richard, Jr. J. Kreuser,

Washington Avenue, Exempt.

Theodore Meilahn to Yvonne Garon, Fond du Lac Avenue, Exempt.

David J. Yogerst to David J. Yogerst And Lori A. Yogerst Living Trust Dated June 16, 2022, Silver Fox Drive South, Exempt.

Town of Osceola

Harold And Arleen Schultz Family Trust to Michael F. Schultz, State Road 67, \$1,950.

Town of Wayne

Debra J. Williams to Caitlin And Luke Fichtner, Vacant, \$206.70.

Edward L. Klumb Living Trust Dated September 6, 2005 to Wulff Laux Revocable Living Trust, Section 21 T12N R18E, Exempt.

Kewaskum School District, Successor In Interest To School District No. 1, Wayne Township, Washington County, Wisconsin, to Preferred Electric, LLC, Mohawk Road, Exempt.

Creekview Professional Centre, LLC to Clovis Village Shopping Center, LTD, County Highway WW, \$13,998.

Wayne Properties, LLC, A Wisconsin Limited Liability Company to Creekview Professional Centre, LLC, A North Carolina Limited Liability Company, Highway WW, Exempt.

| MARRIAGE LICENSES |

The following marriage licenses were issued by Fond du Lac County Clerk Lisa Freiberg as of July 15, 2022:

Wyatt Wade Juneau, Town of Sheboygan Falls, Angela Nicole Strege, Town of Sheboygan Falls.

Richard Randall Klug, Jr., Village of Brownsville, Rhianna Teal Byrnes, Village of Brownsville.

Jason Earl Petts, Village of North Fond du Lac, Heidi Anne Schmitz, Village of North Fond du Lac.

Bradley Jon Olson, City of Fond du Lac, Ann Margaret Flatt, City of Fond du Lac.

Mason Louis Sprague, Village of North Fond du Lac, Karla Alicia Cruz Spoerl, Village of North Fond du Lac.

Matthew Wayne Boelk, City of Waupun, Jennifer Lee Gross, Village of St. Cloud.

Norman Joseph Waldschmidt, Town of Taycheedah, Patricia Lynn Westphal, Town of Taycheedah.

Angel Gabriel Vazquez, Village of Rosendale, Katherine Elizabeth Keller, Village of Rosendale.

Mark Gerard Kohlmann, Town of Forest, Suzanne Claire Romanski, Town of Forest.

Austen Bryce Everest, City of Fond du Lac, Sophia Gabrielle Castillo, City of Fond du Lac.

Brian Edward Dolezal, Town of Osceola, Maria Fe Bartolome Cuartero, Philippines.

Joshua Ben Goffard, City of Fond du Lac, Alyssa Ellen Mogensen, City of Fond du Lac.

Todd Francis Boutin, City of Fond du Lac, Shelby Jean Prellwitz, City of Fond du Lac.

Shaun Eric Plummer, Village of Brandon, Christine Anne Dukish, Village of Brandon.

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| OBITUARIES |

Allen J. Hau



Allen J. Hau, age 63 of Glenbeulah, died at home with his beloved family by his side, on July 15, 2022, after a hard-fought battle with cancer.

He was born on January 21, 1959, the youngest of nine children of the late Gregory and Dolores (Mueller) Hau. He graduated from Plymouth High School in 1977. On July 27, 1985, he married Barbara Zielicke. Their son, Ethan, was born on July 22, 1996.

In 2019, Allen retired from a 41-year career at Sargento Foods, where he was the first to complete the maintenance millwright apprenticeship program.

Allen was a man of many talents, and he was blessed with a heart of gold and a wonderful sense of humor. Helping others was a big part of his life. He was happiest when he was coming up with creative ideas to solve his and others' problems. He was very technically capable and always ready to lend a helping hand.

His wife and son meant everything to him. He loved them dearly and would do anything for them. His love knew no bounds; when Ethan graduated from UW-Stevens Point and took his first job in Alaska, Allen accompanied him on the long road trip. The family enjoyed many camping trips together, exploring new areas and appreciating the wonders of nature throughout the state and country. They had many adventures hiking, bicycling, kayaking, and motorcycling. Allen also enjoyed snowmobiling, cross-country skiing, and taking long walks with Barb and Ethan in the Kettle Moraine.

Allen had a passion for growing things—especially his raised garden that he built for and inherited from his mother. He always graciously shared his harvest of fruits and vegetables with family and friends.

Allen was gifted with woodworking and many other creative talents. When Barb would return from work travels, he would often surprise her with a project he had completed while she was away. Even while ill, he crafted beautiful wood projects for his family and friends that they will treasure always.

He was a member of New Life Community Church, where he volunteered his technical skills as the maintenance manager following the remodel of the building. He also gave his talents and time to the KidQuest and Toolbox programs at the church, helping area families with household projects.

Although taken too soon, Allen leaves a legacy of undying love and devotion. He will be sadly missed, but his kindness and loving memories will continue to inspire and remain with us forever.

Survivors include his wife, Barbara, and son, Ethan. Allen is also survived by siblings, Dave (Barbara) Hau, Bob (Jane) Hau, Jerry (Julie) Hau, Ken (Sandy) Hau, Mary (Fred) Ferguson, Dean (Kaye) Hau, Gary (Jenny) Hau; sister-in-law, Joan Hau; mother-in-law, Esther Zielicke; brothers-in-law, Randy (Sharon) Zielicke and Jim Zielicke. He is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, and friends.

Allen was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Fred Hau; nephew, Kevin Hau; and father-in-law, Harold Zielicke.

Rest in peace dear Allen—you are finally set free to soar with the eagles.

Funeral Services will be held on Monday, July 25, 2022, at New Life Community Church in Plymouth.

Visitation will take place from 2-5 p.m. with services to follow at 5 p.m. Pastor Aaron Martell will officiate and inurnment will be in the Greenbush Cemetery.

The Suchon Funeral Home and Cremation Services of Plymouth is assisting the family. For online condolences, please visit www.suchonfh.com.

The family would like to express their heartfelt appreciation to the staff at the Vince Lombardi Cancer Center and Sharon S. Richardson Community Hospice for the compassionate care and support given.

Erika Rose Koffke-Lynd



Erika Rose Koffke-Lynd, went home to be with the Lord on July 9, 2022 at her home in Sturgeon Bay. She was 30 years old.

Erika was born on January 12, 1992 in Menomonee Falls to Perry and Kristine Koffke (Gradinjan). Her childhood was spent growing up in the Kewaskum area, where she graduated from Kewaskum High School in 2010.

After high school, Erika chose to travel and ended up in Mississippi. She spent several years down south and even became a ship builder by trade. It was also in Mississippi where she met Christopher Lynd. They were married on September 30, 2017, in Moss Point, Mississippi.

Erika took great pride in her chosen profession and was often heard saying, "It's cool to say I build ships!" She worked building ships for Huntington-Ingalls Industries for seven years while in Mississippi and recently moved back to Wisconsin, taking a job with Fincantieri Bay Ship Building in Sturgeon Bay.

The life of the party, Erika was always having fun. Her open personality and beautiful smile made it easy for her to make friends wherever she went. She loved to travel and taking her daughter on new adventures. She enjoyed motorcycle riding, cruising in her big Jeep, and coaching her oldest daughter's baseball team. Most of all she loved being a mother!

Those Erika leaves behind to cherish her memory include her two daughters, Keatyn Ruby and Tilly Rose; her parents, Perry and Kris Koffke; her siblings, Jessica Schmitt, Zachary (Brittany Svien) Schmitt, and Jared (Erika Buchel) Koffke; grandmother, Shirley Gradinjan (nee Karnosh); uncles and aunts, Sally Witthoef, Mark (Leah) Gradinjan, Nicole (Alex) Sakac, and Curt (Leslie) Koffke; and nephew, Lincoln Schmitt. She is further survived by former husband, Christopher Lynd, as well as many cousins, other relatives and friends who loved her dearly.

Erika was preceded in death by her maternal grandfather, Matt Gradinjan; paternal grandparents, Gordon and Donna Koffke (nee Engel); and uncle, Orville Witthoef.

A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, July 23, 2022, at 4 p.m. at Myrhum-Patten Funeral Home (215 W Forest Ave – Kewaskum, WI 53040). The family will greet relatives and friends on Saturday at the funeral home from 1 p.m. until the time of service.

In lieu of flowers, a benefit fund will be started for Erika's girls, Keatyn Ruby and Tilly Rose. Checks can be made payable to Kris Koffke or Jared Koffke.

Myrhum-Patten Funeral & Cremation Service has been entrusted with Erika's arrangements. Please consider signing our online guest book (www.myrhum-patten.com) to share your condolences with the family.

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mid-season, adding color and height to any garden bed or mixed border. The perfectly round flower clusters top each stem and come in a variety of colors from white to pink, purple, salmon and more. Grow these in full sun with moist, rich well-drained soil.

The flowers of many tall phlox varieties are fragrant, attract pollinators and make great cut flowers. Remove faded flowers and provide sufficient moisture and nutrients to encourage more blooms. The Fashionably Early series of tall phlox bloom early and for a long period with rebloom in fall.

Grow tall phlox in full sun, provide sufficient space and avoid overhead watering to reduce the risk of powdery mildew. Select mildew resistant varieties like LUMINARY™, Opening Act, Sweet Summer and Super Ka-pow to reduce the risk of this disease.

Consider adding a variety of phlox plants to your garden this season or next. You and the pollinators will appreciate the long season of beautiful flowers, pollen, and nectar.

Melinda Myers has written more than 20 gardening books, including the recently released Midwest Gardener's Handbook, 2nd Edition and Small Space Gardening. She hosts The Great Courses "How to Grow Anything" DVD instant video series and the nationally syndicated Melinda's Garden Moment TV & radio program. Myers is a columnist and contributing editor for Birds & Blooms magazine and her website is www.MelindaMyers.com.

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tices. The proposed legislation would provide a temporary, limited antitrust safe harbor for small and local news publishers to collectively negotiate with Facebook and Google for fair compensation for the use of their content. The policy also incentivizes and rewards publishers who invest in their journalists and newsroom personnel, awarding outlets with demonstrated investments in their staff a larger portion of the funds that result from the negotiations.

By addressing Google's and Facebook's monopoly power and ensuring more subscription and advertising dollars flow back to publishers, the JCPA not only protects and promotes quality news, but also encourages competition.

In today's partisan political climate, it is rare for Democrats and Republicans to agree on anything – but the JCPA is one important exception. Members of Congress on both sides of the aisle agree: we need to pass the JCPA to ensure that publishers – especially small and local publishers – are treated fairly and can serve their communities.

Lawrence Reilly Obituary

The accompanying clipping here was published in July of 1926 in the *Campbellsport News*. It is an example of how the attendees at funerals were often published. This story mentions the pallbearers, at least two of which were rather young – Thomas McCarty and Frank Miritz. Thomas McCarty (1912-1982) lived in northern Ashford Township to the south and more east of the Reilly's. Technically his full name was John Thomas "Tom" McCarty; his ancestors settled around 1850 where Rolling Drive ends and meets Campbell Drive.

Thomas would later serve more than five years in the Marines and his World War II service, according the last surviving Reilly 17 – Jimmy Reilly, was an inspiration to the

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DEATH OF LAWRENCE REILLY

Lawrence, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Reilly, passed away Saturday, July 3, after a three days' illness of bronchial pneumonia. Surviving are his parents, and eight brothers, Leo, George, John, Emmett; Donald, Thomas, William and Lester; also five sisters: Mary, Helen, Lillian Coletta and Marcella; and his grand mother, Mrs. George Baumhardt

The funeral which was largely attended was held from the home and 10 o'clock from the St. Mary's church in Eden Tuesday forenoon. Burial was at St. Mary's cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Father McFarland. Floral offerings were many and beautiful.

Those from away who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kierig, Schuller Park, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Al Rehorst, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Al Bege, Mrs. V. F. Nast of Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. George Bamhardt, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Christman, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rehorst and Mrs. Geo. Fitzgerald of Fond du Lac

The pallbearers were John Murphy, Thomas Dillon, David Flood, Frank Miritz, Thomas McCarthy and Wm. Brennan.



This photo is courtesy of the 1910 Fond du Lac County plat book. Father J. B. McFarland was labeled to be from "Eden, Wis." This broader placement of his services is likely due to the fact he helped with St. Mary's as well as St. James, two Catholic churches in Eden Township. He presided over Lawrence Reilly's funeral. **SUBMITTED**

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REILLY from page 1

was distraught, knew he did wrong, yet could not properly express himself.

As the 1910s continued through World War I, more Reilly's filled the house besides Lawrence and Leo (1910) – Mary (1912), George (1913), Helen (1914), John (1917), Emmett (1918), Lillian (1919), and Donald (1920). Lawrence's behavior was a potential threat to his siblings, said Marlene.

"He became very mean, and when he somehow hit John that was the final straw," Marlene pointed out.

Because John (future auctioneer and realtor) was born in 1917, it appears the family had to contemplate how to handle Lawrence around 1920. The incident gave John a permanent scar, much like the decision on Lawrence lingered on mom and dad's conscience.

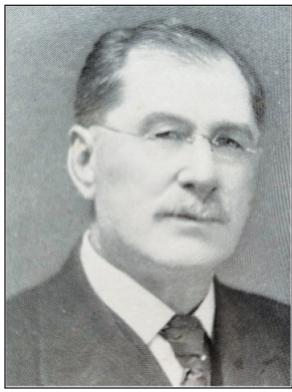
Old Doc Hoffmann's Intervention

Dr. Philip A. Hoffmann (1853-1940) delivered the top half of those Reilly 17. After John's incident, Hoffmann assisted the family in a different way. The doctor must have had connections and a reasonable solution.

"There was no place for them to go – no institutions," Marlene said, when it came to finding a suitable option in the area. "And the old Doctor Hoffmann came out and took him away, and they just ended up saying how grandma was so sad when Doctor Hoffmann had to come and take him away."

Marlene wanted to clarify that the family was indebted to the help of Hoffmann, who drove with Lawrence down to St. Coletta's in Jefferson. Marlene's conclusion was one in which the family felt fortunate that Dr. Hoffmann would use his time and connections to help out the family – which often hadn't finished paying for the previous birth by the time the next Reilly child came.

Understand too that Hoffmann had strong ties to the Catholic church. He had taught in Johnsburg at the parochial school and, according to the



Dr. Philip A. Hoffmann is credited with helping the William and Kit (Baumhardt) Reilly family. Besides birthing the first half of their children, he also took Lawrence Reilly down to St. Coletta's. This photo was published in the 1910 Fond du Lac County plat book.

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Campbellsport News when he died, had the same role in Theresa before learning to be a doctor in Iowa. Hoffmann also played organ for St. Matthew's Catholic Church, and came to Campbellsport to be a doctor in the 1880s because the then-priest in Campbellsport knew him from his days at St. Francis Normal School. These strong Catholic influences makes one wonder how Hoffmann was able to get Lawrence into the Catholic institution in Jefferson – much less for a South Eden Catholic family who couldn't afford it.

The story is also an example how Dr. Hoffmann was well abreast of the best in medicine at the time. According to its website, St. Coletta's had just opened in 1904 with only five students. By the time Lawrence Reilly attended in the 1920s, the grounds were modernizing as a school with curriculum for individuals with special needs.

Many Questions

The concerns of Lawrence Reilly bring about many questions



These two postcards are of St. Coletta's Institute in Jefferson. This is where Lawrence Reilly of South Eden was sent in the 1920s. The postcard with the cows is dated 1913; while the more modernized grounds is likely from the mid-1900s. This institute is also famous for being the home of Rosemary Kennedy after her failed lobotomy in the 1940s. **POSTCARDS COURTESY OF KARL MCCARTY**



when looking back more than a century ago. Here are some:

- What has changed for children with disabilities from 1900 to 2022?

For one, it appears Lawrence never had the option to go to school. The Reilly children attended the Burroughs school, which today would be on the corner where Hilltop Drive meets Campbell Drive/County Y. This is west of the deer pen in South Eden, and south of Rohlf Cemetery.

A century later it is much more evident the need to accommodate the needs of disabled children, especially those with language deficiencies.

For example, parents can use the services with the Individuals with Disabilities in Education (IDEA) Act to help public education students well before age five. In contrast, Lawrence Reilly stayed at home, and it appears he never went to the one room schoolhouse. Even St. Coletta's website admits its school didn't really take off with more focused learning strategies for the disabled children until the 1920s.

- How did mom and dad visit him?

"I don't know if they ever went to see him," said Marlene.

"I don't remember any stories about going to visit him or

anything. And somehow I think they didn't because they were so busy with the children at home, and that was a distance, a drive for them in those days."

Indeed, St. Coletta's in Jefferson was more than 70 miles away. This would be quite a stretch to leave a dairy farm to children under age 15. The drive would likely take two hours in the 1920s. And by the time they would get there, they would have to leave. This also assumes the family had a car yet, as early memories of the first Reilly children account more for horse travels. There was also the concern if Lawrence was visited by mom and dad, he'd become less attached to the school, so it may have been better to let him live a different life. St. Coletta's, for example, even had a farm as one can see in postcards at the time.

Inconclusive Findings

St. Coletta's was contacted for this story and very helpful. It was there that their employee Rebecca Weber responded on some of the basic records of Lawrence Reilly. At the time of publication, St. Coletta's, like the family, concluded they had no picture of Lawrence. He was admitted on December 11, 1920. However, he left the institution on January 4, 1925. This

left the location of Lawrence the last year and a half of his life unexplained. From there, this paper's staff member Karen Rouse was most helpful in locating Lawrence Reilly's July 1926 death certificate, which labels his county of death as Chippewa. However, that source spelled Chippewa wrong ("Cliffewa"), but that could be a mistake in transferring cursive writing of p's to f's.

In Chippewa Falls stands a historical marker erected in the 1990s which states, "In 1895, Wisconsin allocated \$100,000 for the establishment of its first institution for the developmentally disabled. Located in Chippewa Falls on 600 acres of land offered by the city, the 'Wisconsin Home for the Feebleminded' opened June 17, 1897. The home, renamed the Northern Wisconsin Colony and Training School in 1923, provided care for children and adults and taught skills in self-care, farming, housekeeping, arts and crafts, and academics." Therefore, in 1925, it is plausible Lawrence Reilly went to Chippewa Falls, which is the county seat for Chippewa County, the county of Lawrence Reilly's location of death.

Given communication and travel in the 1920s, it is also un-

clear how soon mom and dad could find out about Lawrence's health in 1926. The *Campbellsport News* reported on his funeral and concluded he died of bronchial pneumonia after three days. Besides how quickly the parents found out his health deteriorated, it is not clear how they brought Lawrence back to Eden. The story on Lawrence Reilly's makes no mention of the location of death.

Remembering Lawrence

In the story of Lawrence, there wasn't much said at the time – and years after.

Did Marlene's dad ever talk about Lawrence?

"No. Not that I can remember. I can just remember Grandma telling me that [stories on Lawrence] in later, later years." Marlene was appreciative of her grandma's honest answers, and always considered Kit "a saint."

Marlene describe that "it was sadness for her when she told it. That she had all these children and that the first one was so mentally and physically handicapped." She loved having children, which she birthed for about a quarter century starting in 1909.

And here in the middle of so much to be

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Vietnam War Purple Heart Recipient Honored

Vietnam War Purple Heart recipient Paul Birschbach, member of Legion Post 454 Mt. Calvary, was presented a hand-carved Eagle Walking Stick by Russ Remus at a recent meeting of Post 454. Remus, a resident of Fond du Lac and Vero Beach, Fla., is a member of the Indian River Wood Carvers of Vero Beach. The club has carved and presented more than 500 of the walking sticks to Purple Heart recipients. From left are 454 Commander Dave Lefeber, Birschbach and Remus. **SUBMITTED**



Kewaskum 'Community Visioning' Session is Aug. 3

Event will be Wednesday, Aug. 3, at the Annex Building from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

The Village of Kewaskum is set to hold a Community Visioning session on Wed., Aug. 3, at the Annex starting at 6 p.m.

"The Village of Kewaskum has begun strategic planning and wants your input," stated a flyer for the event. "Please join us for a community visioning session that will aid in our decision making going forward."

Paul Roback of the UW-Extension will be on-hand to moderate the discussion.

No RSVP or reservation is necessary. The Annex Building is located at 1308 Fond du Lac Avenue in the village. If you have questions, contact Kewaskum Village Administrator Adam Gitter at 262-626-3623.

Narcan Training Held in Campbellsport

BREANNA RICE
JOURNALIST

On Thursday, July 14, the Fond Du Lac County Health Department held a Narcan training at the Campbellsport Library. The presentation was put on to help educate community members on the importance of Narcan and how to train them to administer it.

Narcan is an opioid overdose treatment that can be used to save someone's life in an emergency situation.

The training provided the following information: The number of drug overdoses has been on the rise since 1999.

Opioids can be given out to patients as a prescription drug to help with pain. This form of medication is considered legal but contains the risk of addiction. There are also illicit (illegal) types of opioids such as heroin and non pharmaceutical fentanyl. An individual can overdose on either type of opioid.

The misuse of opioids can lead to addiction and increase the chances of a medical emergency.

An overdose occurs when a toxic amount of drugs take over a person's body. During an overdose, a person may experience respiratory failure, lack of oxygen, organ failure and unconsciousness. Difficulty breathing, clammy skin and blue lips/fingers are some of the most common symptoms of an individual at risk. Community members are advised to call 911 before attempting to take action if coming across this type of medical emergency.

After calling 911 and addressing the situation, Narcan can be administered if there is reason to believe an overdose has occurred. The intranasal (nasal spray) version contains a small plunger that goes into the victim's nostril. Press down on the plunger and a dose of Narcan will be given.

Wait two to three minutes for it to work. Give another dose after three minutes if breathing is not restored.

One dose of Narcan usually lasts around 30-90 minutes. Depending on the severity of the situation, another dose could be necessary after 30 minutes if overdose symptoms begin to reoccur.

If a responding citizen feels comfortable enough, they can begin CPR and rescue breathing after administering Narcan. Otherwise, stay with the victim until EMS arrives.

When responding to a medical emergency, there is no need to worry about misdiagnosing the situation and giving someone Narcan if it wasn't needed. This medication will not affect a person who hasn't taken opioids. Children, pregnant women and pets will not be harmed if they use Narcan by accident.

Narcan should be kept in its original box because it is light sensitive. The medication should be stored at temperatures between 60 and 80 de-



Two doses of the Narcan Nasal Spray and a CPR face shield were provided to members who participated in the Narcan training at the Campbellsport Public Library. Narcan is a life-saving drug that combats the effects of an opioid overdose. **BREANNA RICE PHOTO**

grees. This being said, the weather is usually not ideal to keep Narcan in the car. It is best to keep the medication in or near a first aid kit.

Narcan is distributed at any Narcan training session for free. It is also available for purchase at local pharmacies. It is advised to take the short training course on how to use Narcan but it can be administered by any individual who comes across an emergency situation, regardless of training. The medication is very easy to use and each box contains directions.

Knowing the signs of an overdose and how to use Narcan can save a life.

For more information visit the Fond Du Lac County Health Department Website: fdl-co.wi.gov/departments/departments-f-m/health-department/overdose-prevention.

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Here's whats coming up for kids during the next couple of weeks!

- July 27 – Dance the Day away with the Campbellsport High School Dance Team
- July 29 – Movie for Kids: “Coco” at 1 p.m., with popcorn provided.
- August 3 – Join Coach Peterson for Gym Games and Fun!
- August 10 – Summer Fun Day at the Library.
- August 12 – Movie for Kids: “Bad Guys.” The movie will be shown in the small room, with popcorn provided.

Monday Movie of the Month

On July 25, at 1 p.m. we will be showing “Downton Abbey: A New Era.” In this epic continuation of the loveable drama series, the Crawley family goes on a grand journey to the South of France to uncover the mystery of the dowager countess’s newly inherited villa. Join us to watch the drama unfold. Popcorn will be served.

Accepting Book and Magazine Donations

Thank you to all the individuals who have been donating books for our book sale! We will be continuing to accept donations until the first week in August. The book sale will be held August 8-19, from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Please drop off books, magazines, DVDs or children’s books at the front desk, or call ahead and we can help you bring them inside. Currently, we are NOT accepting encyclopedias or textbooks. The library is looking for volunteers to help with set up and take down of tables and displays during the annual book sale. Please contact the library for more information, or to find out how you can help by calling 920-533-8534.

Products to Plants

On August 3, at 6 p.m. the library we will be hosting Dr. Loretta Ortiz ribbing for her second installment of products from plants. “Products from Plants – Chocolate, What’s Not to Love.”

Come learn how one of our favorite temptations has had a dark and bittersweet history and impact on human life. See how much chocolate trivia you know. This presentation is free and open to the community; however we do ask that you stop at the front desk to sign up a few weeks prior so that



Ten lucky volunteers from the audience held an 18-foot-long python at the Campbellsport Public Library on July 12. **SUBMITTED**

we can have enough materials available for those in attendance.

Dr. Loretta Ortiz-Ribbing, is a plant pathologist and IPM specialist by training, and gardening enthusiast by heart. She is the former UW-Extension Assistant Professor Crops and Soils area agent for Dodge and Fond du Lac Counties and former advisor and trainer for Master Gardener volunteers. Throughout her 38-year career, she provided educational programs and support in the areas of agronomic and horticultural crop systems in Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, and Indiana. As a research scientist with the Minnesota Department of Agriculture, she developed Best Management Practices for protecting pollinators and their habitats. Currently, she is a retired assistant professor and extension specialist from UW-River Falls and the University of Illinois, respectively.

Activities at the Kewaskum Public Library

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Preschool Storytimes

Join Miss Kim on Wednesdays, at 10:30 a.m. for stories, songs and movement activities. Storytime will be held on the library lawn, weather permitting, so bring chairs or blankets. Storytime will be moved inside if inclement weather. After storytime, come into the library for a craft.

- July 27 – Shark Attack

“Oceans of Possibilities” Summer Learning Program for All Ages!

Track your reading minutes through Beanstack at kewaskum.beanstack.org or on the mobile app.

Log into Beanstack to start tracking your time. If you already have an account, just look for the Oceans of Possibilities challenge. If you don’t have an account, you can sign up for one. We can also register you at the library. Stop in the library for more information.

Support Kewaskum Public Library this Summer

Stop in The Coffee Corner Bistro until August 5, and try an Oceans of Possibilities Smoothie and they will donate 10% of sales to the library. Post your smoothie on social media for a chance to win a prize. Come in the library for more details.

Shark Week is Here!

Join us for shark related activities and crafts all about Sharks! No registration required. Located in the Community Room.

- Teens – Monday, July 25, at 3 p.m.
- Kids – Tuesday, July 26 @ 1 p.m.

Family Programs

(suitable for all ages and school groups. Located in Annex unless otherwise noted)

- Thursday, July 21, at 1 p.m. – **Oceans of Possibilities Parade** – Join us for an Oceans of Possibilities parade around the library! We will start by decorating bikes, scooters, wagons, etc. in the Annex Building, followed by a parade around the outside of the library. Decorations provided or bring your own.
- Thursday, July 28, at 1 p.m. – **Miss Kim’s Amazing Animals** – Join us to meet some new animal friends! Miss Kim’s Amazing Animals are visiting Kewaskum and we are looking forward to learning all about them. No registration necessary. Fun for families and school groups of all ages.



Kewaskum Public Library holds its weekly Storytime outdoors, featuring a Community Rivers Program on July 13. **SUBMITTED**

Check It Out!

LORI KREIS
KEWASKUM LIBARIAN



We have been avid travel trailer campers for six years now. It doesn’t seem that long, but I asked my husband and he verified that this is our sixth summer of camping. He is good with remembering things like that so I guess it’s true.

Before this, I never pictured myself as a camping person. I do love nature and travel and exploring new places so it does make sense. I think I took to it fairly well for someone who is not a do-it-yourselfer. We learned a lot being RV owners with no prior experience. Looking back to the first day we took out the camper, we had no clue there was a water shut off valve on the showerhead and thought the water connection was broken. We also thought the refrigerator was not working because we had no idea it could take 24-hours to get to the proper temperature. We dealt with leveling problems in the first few years so severe that I would tumble over when walking from one end to the other in the camper. We made sure to close roof vents at night when there was rain, because if not, it would pour right on us sleeping. Just last year, I left the awning out on a stormy night and it blew

inside out. I think it has been a journey of not only teachable moments but fun and discovery.

Being RV campers is coming to an end for us. We have decided to give it up. We will miss our camper and many of its comforts and memories. Spending the night during a thunderstorm that was so severe, I thought it would roll over. Waking up in the early hours of the 40-degree morning shivering because we ran out of propane. Having seven of us trying to sleep in a camper made for five. Really good times.

So instead of being campers, we are on our way to becoming owners of a park model home on land in the camping resort we have frequented for the past six years. This search for a residence in the resort began in earnest last year but as soon as a place went up for sale, unless there were major problems with it, it was snatched up. We decided this year would be the year and found a site that we put an offer on. We are hoping that by next weekend, we can move in.

It is an older park model in a prime location for us. Not in the woods with no sun or grass or in the lower area with no shade or trees. It is secluded enough for some privacy, has shade and sun throughout the day and my wish, has an outdoor deck with attached screened porch. Wish us luck on going from campers to seasonal residents. I am sure there will be many adventures and mishaps to share.

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| CAMPBELLSPORT GLANCE BACKWARDS |

5 Years Ago July 20, 2017

Pleas have been reached with two of eight people arrested in a drug ring bust in Campbellsport on March 31. Lori Beth Merget and John Michael Plzak entered guilty pleas in Washington County court on July 17. Merget, 57, of Campbellsport pled guilty to two of the four charges, with the other two dismissed. Plzak, 31, of Kewaskum pled guilty to one of two charges. Sentencing for Merget is September 11 and for Plzak is August 23.

Demolition began last week on the Campbellsport Middle/High School as the building project at the school is underway. The oldest portion of the building, which included the middle school gym and some original classrooms, is being demolished. A new portion and addition is being built in that area, along with the remodel of several classrooms.

About 30 teens from Fayetteville, AR, spent last week working at St. Matthew Catholic Church in Campbellsport. The entire group of teens and chaperones on the Alive In You mission trip numbered 286. They volunteered at nursing homes, day care centers, state parks, and churches throughout southeastern Wisconsin.

A picture showed Don Blatz, president of the Eden Fire Association, handing a check to Kyle Salter, interim fire chief for Eden. In the background were the new truck and UTV vehicle and trailer that was purchased by the fire association for the fire department. The new truck will be used as command vehicle and RIT Response vehicle. The UTV will be used for off-road rescue along with fire and accident response. It will be fitted with a fire suppression skid, a tank on the back, and will have EMC capabilities when it is completely outfitted. The fire association gave the department \$100,000 to purchase the vehicles without any taxpayer money being used.

Representing the Village of Eden in the hog wrestling competition at the Eldorado Firemen's and Lion's Picnic on July 15 was the team of Tyler Konen, Ryan Costello, Nick Stahl, and Tyler Kohlman.

Campbellsport Public Library held its annual Family Fun Night on July 17. Fun included jumping in a bouncy house, sitting in a race car, watching a magic show, and getting your face painted.

Pearl R. Tuffle, 90, Town of Auburn, passed away July 13. Richard F. Huspen, 44, Kingston, OH, passed away April 8.

15 Years Ago July 26, 2007

Kristin Natzke was crowned Fond du Lac County Fairest of the Fair on July 18. She reigned over the fair activities. Natzke will represent Fond du Lac County in January at the Wisconsin State Fairest of the Fair. A graduate of Winnebago Lutheran Academy, Natzke is a former member of the Campbellsport FFA.

It has been reported that some time on July 18, the Campbellsport Area Chamber of Commerce planter which was in front of Culley's Bar was stolen.

Hog Wild in Dundee will be a day of fun-filled activities for the entire family. Games will be offered all day for the kids. Music will fill the air throughout the day and into the night. Tours of the Dundee Mill and Park will take place in the afternoon. A co-ed volleyball tournament is scheduled for the morning. Beginning at high noon will be the hog wrestling event.

Mandi Pesch of Campbellsport and her horse competed at the Fond du Lac County Fair and earned a trip to the State Fair competition that will be held in September.

After 45 years of providing care to children, 39 of which were in the Campbellsport area, Arline Lemke has decided to retire. As the oldest of five

children, Arline began caring for her siblings at a young age. She continued caring for small children as a teenager by babysitting for countless families in and around the Campbellsport area before she graduated from Campbellsport High School.

With the most accumulated points (407.5) in accelerated reader program at St. Matthew's, Sarah Mrochinski received the Pride of St. Matthew medal. Katie Knoeck had the second highest points (354.8) and received the Spirit of St. Matthew medal. Pictures of other students making certain goals were also published.

Maggie Karoses was the recipient of the 2006-07 Choral Director's Choice Award at Campbellsport High School. Receiving the National School Choral Award was Samantha Pankratz.

The Campbellsport Gold Minor team took second place in the CAA Tournament. Members of the team include Traci Peterson, Raina Jeffery, Sam Kreis, Emily Flasch, Anna Dorst, Emily Ciriacks, Hailey Zangl, Katie Berg, Kara Oestreich, and Allison Bauer.

Members of the Campbellsport White team in the Western Midget League include Ryan Mossberg, Quinn Gustason, Sam Knuppel, Tanner Konen, Kade Hart, Tristan Schill, Tanner Ramthun, Calvin Moore, Dillion Stoffel, Alex Lutz, Collin Kurcz, Eric Leitheiser, Shaun Besibier, Dylan Kleinhans, and Clayton Juech.

A team of future Cougars moved up a division to play in the CAA Tournament. Team members include Tristan Schill, Quinn Gustason, Tyler Gassner, Tanner Ramthun, Dakota Benike, Ty Schmidt, Jack Adams, Aaron Hepp, Bennet Krueger, Tanner Konen, Orion Carroll, and Owen Spartz.

Members of the 2007 Long Lake Midget Boys team included Colton Gerlach, Austin Narges, Hunter O'Connor, Derek Bublitz, Dylan Bublitz, Bennett Marchant, Brady Leider, Zach Casey, Trent Webster, Dylan Shelley, Hunter Lisko, Koy Walsh, Zach Loritz, and Alec Reimer.

A daughter, Laura Mae Gross, was born July 8 to Christine Gross of Town of Ashford. A son, Mason Lance, was born July 12 to Derek and Shannon Dorn of Campbellsport.

Judith F. Benson, 60, Long Lake, passed away July 22. Bernice E. Loeher, 82, Campbellsport, passed away July 18. Clinton E. Holz, 79, Fond du Lac, passed away July 16. Michael A. Stephany Sr., 67, Kiel, passed away July 16. Kevin A. Stephanie, 49, Crivitz, passed away July 19. Shirley A. Stoffel, 82, Fond du Lac, passed away July 21.

25 Years Ago July 17, 1997

Southeastern Wisconsin's new area code goes into effect July 26. Until October 24, calls can be completed using either the new 920 or the existing 414. On October 25, callers will be required to use 920. Rates will not change.

Paul and Diane Lemke are part of a 4-H International Exchange Program that left early this week from San Francisco for a month-long exchange program. Diane, the Campbellsport village clerk/treasurer, and her husband are volunteer chaperones for 31 youth from Wisconsin, Illinois, Minnesota, and Nebraska. She plans to send updates to the Campbellsport News so people can read about the experience. Months of preparation and planning go into an exchange program. The delegation has a return date of August 12.

Everyone is invited to the Eden Volunteer Firemen's Association 42nd Annual Firemen's Picnic. The event will take place August 1, 2, and 3. There will be rides, music, pedal tractor pull, food and refreshments, and the parade.

St. Rose of Lima Court #313 celebrated its 50th anniversary on June 22 with a Mass and dinner

at St. Mary's Parish in Eden. The 50-year members in attendance included Ann Grahl, Vivian Baumann, Alice Elsinger, Agnes Murphy, Helen O'Brien, Jeanette Lloyd, President Sue Koleczek of National Catholic Society of Foresters, and Gertrude Wimberger.

The Campbellsport Cougars won three straight games recently. Kewaskum was a 4-3 loser to the Cougars in eight innings, Plymouth a 3-2 loser in 12 innings, and Brown Deer a 7-1 loser in regulation.

A son, Carlos Gomez, was born July 3 to Damiana Gomez Encinas of Eden. A son, Brandon, was born July 4 to Sandy and Gary Scherer of Campbellsport.

Ernest Feuerhammer, 86, Campbellsport, passed away July 8. Sister De Angelis Schuster, 80, Campbellsport, passed away July 8. Quentin Norbert Ford, 47, Campbellsport, passed away July 13.

50 Years Ago The papers from May 1972 through April 1973 are not available

75 Years Ago July 24, 1947

Of considerable interest in the village is the progress of the new business ventures begun some time ago. Schill Motor should be opening its doors for business by about the first of August. The only thing holding up the opening is a large truck hoist in the repair department. The new gasoline pumps have arrived and present a neat appearance to the garage. The Bechler restaurant is progressing rapidly and another two or three weeks should see its opening. Finishing of the inside has begun. A near future opening is anticipated by Mr. Arnold Bechler providing no interruption is incurred due to the inability to get some materials. The restaurant will seat 20. Mr. Hubert's beer depot and dairy bar in the old Kloke building on Main Street is due for opening any one of these weekends. A new front is being added to the store and a partition divides the liquor store from the dairy bar. About August 1 will be the opening of the Sabel Barber Shop at its new location - the basement of the bank. Proprietor August Sabel made the announcement last week.

Badger Horse Show Chairman Arthur Sadoff announced a record entry of some 135 horses for the annual show to be conducted at the Fairgrounds on July 26 and 27. Proceeds will go to the Camp Shaginappi building fund. The camp is used by Boy and Girl Scouts. The show prize list will amount to about \$2,000.

According to a tabulation of per pupil cost of instruction in Wisconsin villages, Campbellsport is among the lowest in this area. For grade school, the cost is \$101.10 and high school is \$151.27. Lomira costs are \$102.81 and \$181.45; Kewaskum \$133.87 and \$156.39; North Fond du Lac is \$126.07 and \$178.17; and Random Lake is \$116.70 and \$171.12. Other schools were listed, but these are the closest to Campbellsport.

Continuing its policy of preparing soldiers for accepting the responsibilities of the non-commissioned officer, the Panama Canal Department graduated its fourth class from the NCO Leadership School at Fort Drayton, Canal Zone, recently. Pfc. Leo E. Long of Campbellsport was one of the 98 students successfully completing the four-week course.

At the annual meeting of Auburn Joint District No. 12, the board recommended that the district raise \$4,500 by direct taxation for the ensuing year, which was approved by vote to be a nine-month school term. The motion for the budget was carried.

George Yerk pitched a no-hitter against LeRoy and helped the Jr. Belles win the game 10-2. This was the first victory for the team in 11 starts.

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**5 Years Ago
July 27, 2017**

A sign proclaiming the future home of a 9/11 memorial stands in front of the Kewaskum Municipal Building Annex on Fond du Lac Avenue. The memorial may one day be built at that location. Andrea Haberman was killed in the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center. Her father, Gordon, is a board member of the Kewaskum Remembers 9/11 memorial project. The organization recently became an incorporated entity and has started the process of becoming a 501(c)(3) program.

In an effort to maximize the time available for the construction team to renovate the Kewaskum High School during the summer of 2018, the Kewaskum Board of Education approved a calendar change for the 2017-18 school year at the July 17 board meeting. With the last day of school changed to May 25, the length of the school day for middle and high school students will increase by five minutes; the start time will now be 7:35 a.m. The end of the school day will remain at 2:50 p.m.

Dylan Moore, a 23-year-old West Bend man known as DJ Dylan, has been charged with repeated sexual assault of the same child. According to the criminal complaint, the assaults occurred in June and July 2015, when the alleged victim was 15 years old. Moore admitted the contact happened and that he was aware that the alleged victim was in high school and around 15 years old at the time of the incidents. His arraignment is scheduled for August 23. Moore was scheduled to perform at the Washington County Fair, but all those performances have been canceled.

When Jeanne Goeden planted a lily outside her Kewaskum home about four or five years ago, she hoped it would grow. Since then, the flower has grown, and surpassed Goeden's wildest expectations. For the past two years, the lily has soared to the roof line of her home on Whisper Lane. On Monday, the flower measured about 81 inches tall. The growth isn't due to fertilizer as Goeden hasn't used any. She said the secret is the sunlight, the rain, and God's hand.

Gov. Scott Walker announced that earlier this month local governments received quarterly payments totaling \$132,782,070 for general transportation aids, connecting highway aids and expressway policing aids from the Wisconsin Department of Transportation. Washington County will receive \$996,470 in general transportation aids. Area municipalities receiving general transportation aids include: Town of Barton, \$25,472; Town of Farmington, \$35,849; Town of Kewaskum, \$20,947; Town of Wayne, \$31,560 and Village of Kewaskum, \$41,372.

Kewaskum Frozen Foods recently received the Second Reserve Champion Cured Specialty Meat Product award at the 2017 Meat Products Contest.

July is typically the busiest month of the summer for the Kiwanis Park swim pond. For the past two years, more than 4,000 people used the swim pond during the month of July. This year, the pool reached that number just halfway into the month, according to Kewaskum Village Administrator Matt Heiser.

Beauty And The Beast will be presented this weekend by the Kewaskum Theatre Company.

Eva-Lotte Uhlig, 82, formerly of Kewaskum, passed away June 16.

**15 Years Ago
July 26, 2007**

With the help of an alert grocery store owner, the Kewaskum Police Department has ended a string of thefts from a number of stores that sell infant formula. Two Milwaukee women have been charged with retail theft while their driver, a Texas man, has been charged with party to a

crime. Additional charges may follow for the trio after it is determined where the formula was taken. Mike Geidel, owner of Geidel's Piggly Wiggly, called police on July 19 after a salesperson advised him that he witnessed two Hispanic women leaving the store and emptying their purses in the back of a van. The pair then walked back into the store, and Geidel says he witnessed the two put cans of baby formula into their purses. Geidel and store manager Aaron Laatsch apprehended the two after they allegedly left the store without paying for infant formula. In the van was more than 140 cans of baby formula.

On the condition that a punch list of concerns from the village's engineering firm be addressed, Village of Kewaskum Plan Commission members approved a plan for a 4,085-square foot clinic being proposed by Aurora Healthcare for the village.

About 25 Town of Wayne residents gathered at the town hall on July 17 to voice their displeasure at a proposal to purchase land for recreational uses. The township's park committee is investigating 80 acres on Mohawk Road. Town residents will make the decision whether or not the purchase and how much is made as it needs to come up for a vote at a special meeting of the electors.

Two young ladies from Kewaskum were contestants for Washington County Fairest of the Fair - Rachele Lejune and Amanda Bunkelman. First runner up was Brianna Beimborn of West Bend. Winning the contest was Krista Kasten of Richfield.

Kewaskum's baseball team lost in the Sectional semi-final game to West Bend East by the score of 9-6. The Indians finished the season with a 21-9 record.

A daughter, Angelique Belinda, was born July 7 to Hermila Castaneda of Kewaskum. A daughter, Laura Mae, was born July 8 to Christine Gross of the Town of Ashford. A son, Peyton James, was born July 10 to Dana and Allen Theusch of the Town of Wayne.

Novella F. Krause, 86, Kewaskum, passed away July 23. Alfred H. Bruhn, 68, Town of Auburn, passed away July 24. Judith F. Benson, 60, Long Lake, passed away July 22. Bernice E. Loehr, 82, Campbellsport, passed away July 18. Marie E. Boettcher, 89, Fond du Lac, passed away July 17. Alice A. Bottoni, 89, passed away July 21.

**25 Years Ago
July 24, 1997**

District-wide secretarial hours being increased by seven hours was discussed during the recent school board meeting. Clarification from District Administrator Dr. Johnson was sought as board members wondered if this meant a new position. Johnson explained why the seven hours are needed, but there was still confusion as to whether this meant another position so the topic will be discussed at another board meeting when more details have been finalized.

After 11 years of service to Peace United Church of Christ and the community of Kewaskum, Rev. James Bettin will be retiring from his role as pastor at the end of July

The Wayne Historical Committee has been meeting and making exciting plans for the 150th anniversary celebration of Wayne Township, which will take place in 1998. The group is collecting old photos and information about the town's past history. A book will be published.

A picture showed Bob Beisbier from Kewaskum Frozen Foods displaying a 25-pound summer sausage in the shape of Wisconsin, which is to be auctioned off at the sixth annual Governor's Sweepstakes Meat Productions Auction on August 5.

The Kewaskum Indians season came to an end July 18 when they lost 6-5 to Slinger in the WIAA

Regional game.

Donna J. Konitzer, 45, Campbellsport, passed away July 15. Joseph F. Ludwig, 73, Town of Farmington, passed away July 21. Constance J. Babcock, 86, Wauwatosa, passed away July 17.

**50 Years Ago
July 21, 1972**

Groundbreaking ceremonies were held Monday afternoon (in between the raindrops) for the new Bank of Kewaskum building to be constructed on Fond du Lac Avenue on the block formerly occupied by the Kewaskum Liquor Mart, Francis Bohn home and Ervin Wanke home. Cost of the project is to be in the neighborhood of \$400,000. The bank will replace the present one on Main Street, where it has been doing business for the past 60 years. The bank was founded in 1904.

The board of education accepted bids for 1,352 square yards of carpeting and three air conditioners during its Monday night meeting. There were five bids for the carpeting, ranging from \$8,179.60 to \$12,052.30. Bud Walter Furniture of West Bend was awarded the project. Burckhardt Electric of West Bend was awarded the contract for the air conditioners for a total cost of \$700.35. The lone other bid was lower but Burckhardt's bid was accepted for reasons of service.

The 10th annual Krazy Daze sidewalk sale and fun event sponsored by the Kewaskum Business Association will take place July 25.

Roy Esser, vocational agriculture instructor at Kewaskum High School and president of the Wisconsin Association of Vocational Agriculture Instructors, received a 20-year award for outstanding service in vo-ag and in the Kewaskum community at the summer conference.

Erma Drager, 61, Kewaskum, passed away July 15. Arthur Backhaus, 71, Town of Scott, passed away July 18. Dorris Schrauth, 42, Allenton, passed away July 14. Henry W. Beilke, 85, West Bend, passed away July 11. Joseph W. Beisbier, 84, Town of Ashford, passed away July 9.

**75 Years Ago
July 25, 1947**

The Public Service Commission of Wisconsin has determined the existing schedule of rates for water service of the Village of Kewaskum as a water public utility is unreasonable and unlawful, and that the rates herein prescribed are reasonable and lawful. The commission ordered the current rates be discontinued. The new cost of service for the different meters was listed in the article, as were the output charges and the billing.

July 31 is entry day for the Washing County 4-H Club Fair. For the past several days, carpenters and workmen have been busy getting the exhibit buildings and grounds ready for this annual event. A listing of programming was included in the article. The Johnson Bus Service of West Bend and Barton will run regular afternoon and evening bus service from West Bend to the fairgrounds on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. Round trip fares will be 50 cents.

The West Bend high school band will give a concert at the Kewaskum Village Park on July 31.

Rain caused all Sunday games in the Kettle Moraine League to be postponed

A son was born July 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kreif of Kewaskum. A daughter was born July 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Fickler of Kewaskum.

Fredrich Bauer, Town of Wayne, passed away July 16.

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(We welcome submissions to the Community Calendar by emailing Mitchell Keller, editor, at mitchell.keller@mmlocal.com. Deadline for each Thursday edition, with the exception for holidays, is on Monday at 2 p.m.)

Recurring events:

- 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 the Fond du Lac Health Department with Accelerated Clinical Laboratories, is offering free drive-thru COVID 19 testing for individuals ages 2 and older. The

- testing has moved to the Fond du Lac County Fairgrounds (520 Fond du Lac Avenue – Fond du Lac, WI 54935). All fairgrounds testing (Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays) will be drive-thru and held from 8:00am-4:30pm. Appointments are not required although pre-registration is advised at <https://register.covidconnect.wi.gov/en-US/>. Closed on Memorial Day.
- 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 Wednesday through Aug. 10 – Hartford City Band Summer in the Park Series. Free one-hour concerts performed at 8 p.m. at Woodlawn Park in Hartford, 1100 N. Wacker Dr. in the large shelter. There is plenty of parking in the lot and a paved path that leads up to the shelter. Sit at picnic benches or bring your own chairs.
- Every Second and Fourth Sunday — Sheepshead tournament at Kewaskum Labor Hall, warm-up-11 a.m., tournament-1 p.m.
- Every Sunday – Accelerated Clinical Labs operating COVID-19 drive-thru test site at Washington County Golf Course, 1365 Clover Rd., Hartford, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Pre-register online at <https://register.covidconnect.wi.gov/en-US/>.
- Every Sunday – New Horizon United Church

- of Christ. Sunday worship (in-person, Facebook Live, YouTube) at 9 a.m. at 9663 Hwy 144 North, Town of Farmington. Info at www.newhorizonucc.org.
- Special events:**
- July 20-24 – Fond du Lac County Fair
- July 26-31 – Washington County Fair
- Wednesday, July 27 – Wisconsin State Patrol Speed Awareness Day
- Thursday, July 28 – Dinosaur Discovery Day at the Children’s Museum of Fond du Lac. Paleontologist program at 10 a.m., 12 and 2 p.m. in the Gnewuch Family FLEXauditorium. Program free with membership or \$8 per person. Head over to the museum to pick up your free excavation kit in anticipation of this dino-mite day of fun and learning, available while supplies last. To learn more, visit cmfdl.org or call 920-929-0707.
- Saturday, Aug. 20 – St. Mary’s Foundation Church in Little Kohler 14th annual Gathering. The day will start with a Rosary at 12 p.m., with a potluck dinner to follow. Please bring a dish to pass and whatever you would like to drink. All are welcome to enjoy the fellowship with past parishioners, friends and Priests. Interested individuals can call Jim Dieringer at 920-980-2457 with any questions.

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

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.

Trail Trekkers

Wednesday, July 20, 6-7:30 p.m., Meet at the Shelter 2 parking area (located off County Road S about .5 miles southwest of County Road GGG near New Fane). Come for an energizing 2.13-mile hike along the Ice Age Trail between County Road GGG and County Road S. Make sure to wear good footwear and bring drinking water and insect repellent. A shuttle will be available between the starting and finishing spot.

Extreme Saturday Morning

Saturday, July 23, 10-11 a.m., at picnic shelters at Mauthe Lake Recreation Area (N1490 County Road GGG, Campbellsport – south of County Road SS near New Prospect) and Long Lake Recreation Area (N3450 Division Road, Cascade – north of County Road F near Dundee). Calling all youth to come explore the extremes of nature by participating in the Wisconsin Explorers program! The program involves completing a required number of activities in one of three age appropriate books (ages 3-5; ages 6-8; and ages 9-plus) to earn a very cool patch. A naturalist will work with youth on activities from one of the first four topic areas of the books.

Who Flew There? Drop In at the Beach

Saturday, July 23, 1-4 p.m., at Mauthe Lake Recreation Area Beach (N1490 County Road GGG, Campbellsport - south of County Road SS near New Prospect). Also Sunday, July 24, noon-3 p.m., at Long Lake Recreation Area South Beach (N3450 Division Road, Cascade - north of County Road F near Dundee). Did you see that bird fly by? What was it? Learn tricks and tips for identifying our feathered friends. Everyone is invited to drop in for a few minutes or more than an hour for some nature fun. Adults are encouraged to participate with their children.

Wisconsin’s Secretive Salamanders

Summer Saturday Evening Event on Saturday, July 23, 6:30-8:30 p.m., at Ice Age Visitor Center (N2875 Hwy 67, Campbellsport – half mile west of Dundee). With the forest naturalist unearth the secrets of salamanders from their identification characteristics and incredible ecology to their conservation status in the state. After the inside presentation, we will head to the field for a chance to view them in their natural habitat. This program is most appropriate for people older than 10 years old.

Trail Trekkers

Wednesday, July 27, 6-7:30 p.m., at the Shelter 2 parking area (located off County Road S about .5 miles southwest of County Road GGG near New Fane). Come for an invigorating 2.94-mile hike along the Ice Age Trail between County Road S and Kettle Moraine Drive. Make sure to wear good footwear and bring drinking water and insect repellent. A shuttle will be available between the starting and finishing spot.

Extreme Saturday Morning

Saturday, July 30, 10-11 a.m., at picnic shelters

at Mauthe Lake Recreation Area (N1490 County Road GGG, Campbellsport – south of County Road SS near New Prospect) and Long Lake Recreation Area (N3450 Division Road, Cascade – north of County Road F near Dundee). Calling all youth to come explore the extremes of nature by participating in the Wisconsin Explorers program! The program involves completing a required number of activities in one of three age appropriate books (ages 3-5; ages 6-8; and ages 9-plus) to earn a very cool patch. A naturalist will work with youth on activities from one of the first four topic areas of the books.

Water Wonders Drop In at the Beach

Saturday, July 30, 1-4 p.m., at Long Lake Recreation Area South Beach (N3450 Division Road, Cascade – north of County Road F near Dundee). Also, Sunday, July 31, noon-3 p.m., at Mauthe Lake Recreation Area Beach (N1490 County Road GGG, Campbellsport – south of County Road SS near New Prospect). Dive into the wonders of water. Become a scientist as you try several wild and wet experiments to discover the amazing properties of water. Figure out how plants and animals use these properties to survive. Everyone is invited to drop in for a few minutes or more than an hour for some nature fun. Adults are encouraged to participate with their children.

In Search of Big Foot

Summer Saturday Evening Event – Saturday, July 30, 8-9:30 p.m. at Zillmer Trail Shelter (W833 County Road SS, Campbellsport – between County Road G and Hwy 67 near New Prospect). Using high-tech devices, we will conduct surveillance of the woods to search for a variety of nocturnal creatures, including the mythical Big Foot. This program is most appropriate for people older than 10 years old.



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JULY 26-31

The Washington County Fair is back, and there will be six full days of fun slated for this year's annual celebration.

The weeklong experience – located at the Fairgrounds at 3000 County Hwy PV in West Bend – in addition to the usual rides, games, food and livestock auctions each day will culminate with a feature show.

On Tuesday, opening night, a fireworks show is planned at dusk.

On Wednesday, it will be “Military Day” as active military and veterans (with identification) will be invited free to the grounds. A horse pull will be the big feature on July 27.

On Thursday, Tyler Farr will headline the main stage with special guest Warren Zeiders.

On Friday, Bret Michaels (front man of the rock band Poison) will perform with special guest Frank Roy.

On Saturday, Justine Moore will play the big stage with Chris Cagle opening.

Finally, the fair will close for the year on Sunday, July 31, with a tractor pull being the big feature that night.

Re-entry to the fairgrounds is available but is only valid for single, same-day re-entry.

All bags are subject to search prior to entering the fairgrounds. No check in for personal items is provided. Any items not allowed inside the fairgrounds will be need to be returned to vehicles or will be confiscated at the gate.

Items not allowed at the Washington County Fair:

- Any illegal items, knives or weapons (concealed carry is allowed with permit)
- Outside food and beverages
- Cans or glass bottles



Fairgoers enjoy the rides at last year's Washington County Fair. This year's fair will be held July 26-31.
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- Aerosol cans
- Alcohol
- Illegal drugs or substances
- Fireworks
- Pets (except service animals)
- Other carry-ins as determined by management. Washington County Fair Management reserves the right to alter carry-in policies at any time.

Complimentary strollers and wheelchairs are available for rental.

Pets are not allowed at the fairgrounds unless on the premises for judging. Service animals are allowed on the grounds, but they must be equipped with a harness or leash and special signage denoting that the animal is on duty.

Handicap parking is available. All parking is free.

The hours for the fair will be everyday from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. except on Sunday when the hours will be 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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TYLER FARR

Thursday, July 28

Authentic and unapologetic, Tyler Farr records songs he would listen to in his truck – windows down, sound up.

It just so happens country music fans want to hear the same songs.

Without pandering or compromise, Farr's powerhouse vocals, real-guy relatability, and willingness to mine emotional themes and personal imperfection resonates with people searching to find themselves in the music that underscores their daily routines and future dreams.

Farr has charted three #1 hits ("Redneck Crazy," "Whiskey in My Water," and "A Guy Walks Into a Bar") and has been included in CRS New Faces of Country Radio and was nominated for Music Row's "Breakthrough Artist of the Year." He has also earned coveted slots touring with Jason Aldean, Florida Georgia Line, Brantley Gilbert and Luke Combs.

In March 2019, Farr signed a new record deal with BBR Music Group under Jason Aldean's Night Train Records imprint, where he is solidly in the driver seat with his favorite songs on the radio. Aldean and Tyler are currently in the studio finalizing music for an upcoming full album.

Farr's latest single, "Cover Girl," was recently released to all digital streaming platforms and tackles the harrowing issues of domestic violence and the lasting impact on the lives it touches.

BRET MICHAELS

Friday, July 29

Bret Michaels has over 100 million records, digital and streams sold worldwide, is a reality TV superstar with some of the highest rated reality shows in history as well as a lifelong type 1 diabetic.

Having had a career that has spanned over 30 years, he has built his brand piece-by-piece,



and retaining ownership and control of his own personal brand has solidified Bret as a successful entrepreneur and in the words of former Viacom CEO Judy McGrath made him a 'cultural touchdown'.

Bret puts as much passion in his charitable outreaches as he does his music, garnering him the title of Humanitarian of the Year two years in a row. He has inspired millions to support charities he champions such as pet adoptions and childhood cancer. His admiration and support of the military is rooted heavily in his family of former Marines, Army Rangers and Navy Seamen. He has been recognized for his contributions on numerous occasions including being selected for the American Diabetes Association's Chair Citation Award and Ambassador for World College Radio (following Coldplay and the Lumineers) where he demonstrated his legendary philanthropy once again by being the only Ambassador to personally match the organization's financial grant out of his own pocket to keep much-needed college radio stations on the air throughout the pandemic.

JUSTIN MOORE

Saturday, July 30

Chart-topping powerhouse Justin Moore proves that, through all the fame and success, he's still just the same country boy he's always been on his stellar new album, 'Late Nights and Longnecks.'

Tipping its cap to Alan Jackson and George Strait, the record is Moore's most traditional-sounding collection to date, a no-frills portrait of small-town life and big-time dreams that's not afraid to let its hair down and party at the end of a hard day's work.

An Arkansas native who grew up idolizing Dwight Yoakam and Keith Whitley, Moore knows a thing or two about hit records himself.

After signing to The Valory Music Co., an im-



print of the Big Machine Label Group, he landed his first country #1 with "Small Town USA," the breakout single off his 2009 self-titled debut. The record went platinum, as did its 2011 follow-up, 'Outlaws Like Me,' which yielded yet another #1 single with "If Heaven Wasn't So Far Away."

In 2014, Moore landed the coveted New Artist of the Year trophy at the ACM Awards after releasing his critically acclaimed third album, 'Off The Beaten Path,' and in 2016, he dropped 'Kinda Don't Care,' his third consecutive #1 record.

Moore's songs racked up more than a billion on-demand and programmed streams, and he performed everywhere from Kimmel to The Today Show in addition to headlining arenas and amphitheaters around the country.

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Area youths compete last year with their hogs at the Washington County Fair.



This youngster has fun feeding the animals at the Washington County Fair last year.



Maggie Bartelt's lamb and Allison Loosen's steer became good buddies at the Washington County Fair last year.



James Maas of Kewaskum FFA shows a steer for the first time at last year's Washington County Fair.



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Fond du Lac County 4-H LEGO Club

MAKAYLA STOMMEL, INTERN
FOND DU LAC COUNTY 4-H

This year for the first time ever Lego Club had a LEGO Masters Building Competition on their last meeting of the year. Youth had to complete a build relating to the theme of a park in one hour. Some of the builds included campgrounds and water parks.

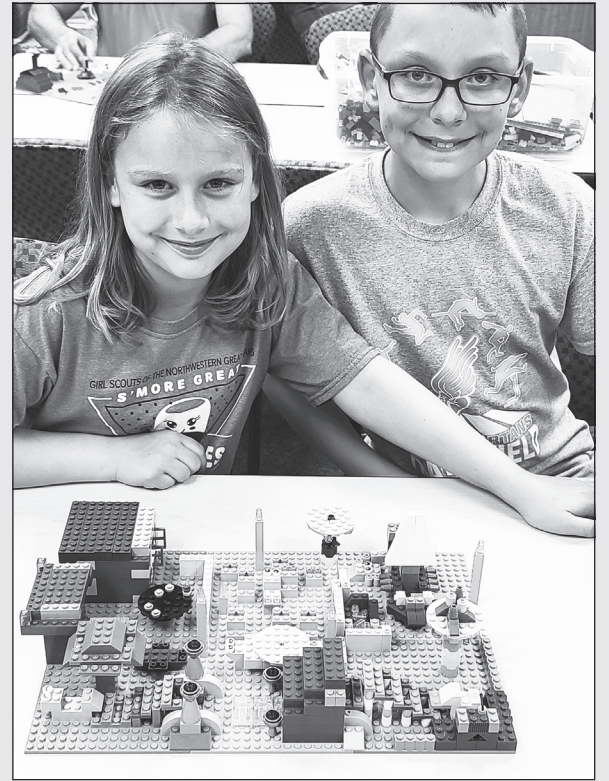
The youth were then judged on their builds by local celebrities. Local celebrities were Ron Jakubisin, Extension Positive Youth Development educator and Tiffany Brault, Fond du Lac City Council member. Youth were judged on five categories – presentation, originality, complexity of space, use of color, and piece story.



As the judges were conversing over the results, the youth enjoyed some yummy LEGO piece rice crispy treats. All the kids did an amazing job!

LEGO club meetings will restart in September. If interested in LEGO Club, please contact the office at 920-929-3171 or register through 4-H online at <https://v2.4honline.com/>. Registration will open in September 2022. Hope to see you there!

Judging is underway during a LEGO build competition at a Fond du Lac County 4-H LEGO Club meeting. **SUBMITTED**



Winners in the overall Fond du Lac County 4-H Club LEGO competition are Ellie, left, and Jack Blashe. **SUBMITTED**

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Town of Farmington Request for Proposals Hot Mixed Asphalt Paving Services

The Town of Farmington is seeking proposals for a qualified contractor to provide Hot Mixed Asphalt Paving services. Services will include providing adequate materials, labor, and equipment to perform, hot mixed asphalt paving

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in various locations throughout the Town of Farmington as directed by the Town Board. The scope of work will include a minimum ¾ inch thick pavement surface shim (hot mix wedge), topped with 2 ¼ in. of surface hot mix asphalt overlay with tack coat. Proposal should include all mill/wedges required to match existing driveways and/or cross

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road pavements. Proposals are requested for the following Town of Farmington, Washington County, WI roads. Bid information and location map is also available on the town website <https://town.farmington.wi.us>
 1. **Welsey Ct-** from a start point of 180' south of the centerline of CTY Hwy H to dead end of Welsey Ct. (Start point was

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marked with pink paint on 7/17/22)
 2. Option 1.
Fillmore Rd.- from a start point of 900' north of Roberts Ct to Jay Rd. (Start point was marked with pink paint on 7/17/22)
Option 2.
Fillmore Rd- from Pioneer Rd. to Jay Rd.
 3. **Kohler Rd-** from Fillmore Rd to Camp Awana Rd.
Sealed proposals should be delivered or mailed to the Town Office by Tuesday, August 9th, 2022 before 4:30 pm and will be publicly opened at that time. Proposals will be reviewed, tabulated and considered for award of contract at 7:00 pm, during the August 16th, 2022 Town Board Meeting. Proposals should also include a copy of the contractors General Liability insurance. Questions should be directed to the Town Chairman at 262.689.1926 or email at ddneumanns@yahoo.com.
 Once the bids are opened, the Town of Farmington reserves the right to choose the total scope of the work to be awarded, or reject any and all proposals and waive any irregularities.
 Please note, low hanging trees will be cut/trimmed by the town prior to any overlay install.
 Proposals shall be clearly labeled "FARMINGTON PAVING BID" and submitted to:
Town of Farmington Farmington Paving Bid Attn: Town Board 9422 State HWY 144 Kewaskum, WI 53040 7/21 WNAXLP

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Village of Campbellsport will hold a Joint Review Board (JRB) meeting on July 28, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. at the Campbellsport Municipal Center, located at 470 Grandview Avenue. The purpose of this meeting is for the JRB to consider approval of the resolution adopted by the Campbellsport Village Board on July 11, 2022 for purposes of considering the creation of TID No. 2. The meeting is open to the public.
 Agenda:
 1. Call to Order.
 2. Discussion/Action on Resolution to Approve Creation of Tax Increment Finance District No. 2 for the Village of Campbellsport.
 3. Adjourn.
 Persons desiring information on the proposed District and Project Plan may contact the Village Administrator at 920-533-8321.
 Charlie Kudy
 Village Administrator
 7/21 WNAXLP

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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, August 8, 2022 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, Rachele Buol. The real estate is located in the NE ¼ of the SE ¼, Section 33, Township 13 North, Range 19 East, Town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County, Wisconsin. The petition is to rezone 1.5 +/- acres from Farmland Preservation to Rural District. Applicant request the rezoning for the purpose of creating a new lot around the existing home of Norman & Helen Zuehlke to prepare for the settling of the estate for the surviving children of the Revocable Living Trust. The real estate is located on County Hwy S, Kewaskum.
 All interested persons will be given an opportunity to be heard.
 Dated this 14th day of June, 2022.
 The Town Board may be in attendance.
 Jodi Lemmer,
 Secretary Plan Commission
 Town of Auburn

PUBLIC NOTICE PLAN COMMISSION MEETING TOWN OF EDEN FOND DU LAC COUNTY
 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 2, 2022, at the Eden Community Center, the Town of Eden Plan Commission will meet to consider the application of Thomas and Jeanne Hintz to divide their current property into two parcels. Parcel 1, (30.666 acres), will remain in Farmland Preservation and be retained by the Hintz family. Parcel 2 with the buildings and farmette, (5.827 acres), will be sold, and the zoning for Parcel 2 changed to General Ag. Parcels included in the request are T06-14-18-04-09-003-00, and T06-14-18-04-09-004-00, N4637 County Road UU, Eden, WI. 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 August 8, 2022, the Town of Eden Town Board will receive the Plan Commission's recommendation and may take action regarding whether to approve, conditionally approve, or deny the rezoning request. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.
 Marion Blakely, Chair
 Town of Eden Plan Commission
 7/21(2) WNAXLP

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, August 8, 2022 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:
 For applicant, Rachele Buol. The real estate is located in the NE ¼ of the SE ¼, Section 33, Township 13 North, Range 19 East, Town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County, Wisconsin. The petition is to rezone 1.5 +/- acres from Farmland Preservation to Rural District. Applicant request the rezoning for the purpose of creating a new lot around the existing home of Norman & Helen Zuehlke to prepare for the settling of the estate for the surviving children of the Revocable Living Trust. The real estate is located on County Hwy S,

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF KEWASKUM

BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING KEWASKUM DISTRICT OFFICE 1455 School Street, Kewaskum Wednesday, July 20, 2022, 6:00 P.M. PRELIMINARY AGENDA

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

1. Meeting Opening - This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public hearing. There is the time for public comment during the meeting as indicated in the agenda.

A. Audio Conference Meeting Information; School Board Members and administration may not physically be in attendance and may be participating in a remote video/audio conference. The public is encouraged to listen to the meeting remotely through the audio conference. Public wishing to listen to the meeting may listen by telephone: Dial (for higher quality, dial a number based on your current location):
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 B. Call Meeting to Order
 C. Roll Call of Members
 D. Moment of Silence
 E. Verification of Public Notice Pursuant to §19.84(1)(2)(3)(4)
 F. Agenda Corrections and/or Deletions
 G. Approval of Agenda
 H. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Recognition - Items listed below are not all inclusive
 A. Kewaskum FFA National Chapter Award
3. Public Relations – items listed below are not all inclusive
 A. Upcoming Events
4. Public Comments
 A. Public Comment Guidelines
5. Consent Agenda - All items under Consent Agenda are subject to action.
 A. Minutes
 B. Instructional Resignations;
 C. Instructional Hires; Laura Stone Art Teacher, Danielle McCain Elementary Math Interventionist
 D. Extra-Curricular Resignations; Zachary Pendowski HOPE Club Advisor
 E. Extra-Curricular Hires: Jason Johnson JV Boys Soccer Coach, Casey Scheel Varsity Co-Head and JV Co-Head Girls Golf Coach, Amy Uhlig Varsity Co-Head and JV Co-Head Girls Golf Coach, Jenny Jandre Middle School Athletic Director

6. Items for Discussion or Report
 A. District Administrator Report; Elementary Transition Update, Summer School
 B. Business Manager Report; Annual Meeting
 C. Student Learning Report;
 D. Pupil Services Report;
 E. 5 Year Graduate Survey
 F. Committee Reports
7. Items for Discussion and/or Action
 A. Payroll
 B. Accounts Payable
 C. Approval by the Board of the annual declaration and parent notice of the District's student academic standards that will be in effect for the 2022-23 school year, pursuant to section 120.12(13) and section 1128.30(1g)(a)1 of the state statutes.
 D. Adoption of Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction Special Education Model Forms and Policies and Procedures Manual
 E. Annual Notifications
 F. Transfer to Fund 46
 G. Preliminary Budget 2022-23
 H. Instrument Rental Fees
 I. Overnight and/or Out of State Field Trip 6th Grade Camp

8. Purchases over \$5,000 for Discussion and/or Action
 A. KHS Roof Project
 B. Kompas Care 2022-23
 C. Math Interventionist Training
 D. High School Assessment Tool
 E. KES Intercommunication Alternative
 F. CESA 6 Membership 2022-23
 G. Middle School Math Workbooks
9. Policy
 A. Policy 0141.1 Student Representation at Board Meetings, 5451.01 Wisconsin Academic Excellence Scholarship, 7450 Property Inventory, 7510 Use of District Facilities, 7530 Lending of District Equipment, 9700.01 Advertising and Commercial Activities

10. Closed Session Pursuant to State Statute 19.85(1)(c)
 A. Considering Employment and Performance Data
11. Open Session
 A. Take Action as Appropriate on Items Discussed in Closed Session
12. Adjournment
 A. Adjourn Meeting

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Election Notices 7715

TOWN OF WAYNE PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with Section 5.84(1) Wisconsin Statutes, notice is hereby given that a Public Test of the voting equipment will be conducted on Monday, August 1 at 9:00 a.m. at the Wayne Town Hall, 6030 Mohawk Road, Campbellsport, WI, 53010 for the Partisan Primary Election to be held on Tuesday, August 9, 2022. This test is open to the public.
 Carol Gonwa
 Clerk, Town of Wayne
 7/21 WNAXLP

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NOTICE OF JOINT REVIEW BOARD MEETING REGARDING THE PROPOSED PROJECT PLAN AND BOUNDARY FOR TAX INCREMENTAL DISTRICT (TID) NO. 2 IN THE VILLAGE OF CAMPBELLSPORT, WISCONSIN

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Kewaskum.
All interested persons will be given an opportunity to be heard.
Dated this 14th day of June, 2022.
The Plan Commission Members may be in attendance.

Bonnie Berg,
Municipal Clerk
Town Of Auburn
7/21(2) WNAXLP

Minutes 7725

Village of Campbellsport Regular Village Board Meeting Minutes
Monday, June 13, 2022 - 6 pm
Campbellsport Municipal Center
Community Room - 470 Grandview

PR Krebs called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

Notice was posted at the National Exchange Bank, Campbellsport Library, and Municipal Center & Village website.

Pledge of Allegiance
Board members present, Krebs, Hafemann, Zielieke, Wenzlaff, Schwai, Jarmuz, Miller

Motion by Zielieke, Jarmuz to approve the consent agenda, Motion carried, 7-0.

Motion by Hafemann, Jarmuz to approve Operator license renewals for 22-23 as listed, Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Zielieke, Wenzlaff to approve Liquor license renewals for 22-23 as listed, Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Zielieke, Jarmuz to approve Tobacco license renewals for 22-23 as listed, Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Hafemann, Wenzlaff to approve temporary Liquor license for the Campbellsport Fire Association for the Picnic, Motion carried, 5-0, Miller and Zielieke abstained

Motion by Zielieke, Schwai to approve payment of invoices totaling \$169,591.69. Motion carried, 7-0.

Bryan Gruenwald of CLA presented 2021 Final Audit results including Fund balance, Water & Sewer Dept. budgets and a Debt summary.

Joe DeYoung of MSA presented potential solutions to the storm water problems occurring in the N Poplar St./Mill St. area and answered questions from those residents.

Chief Dornbrook reported that they have been very busy. They added the calls that the county responds to in their reports. The school is doing a good job of addressing the safety concerns. The Fire Dept. does have a rescue task force and the PD has tactical gear. Both are trained to respond to active shooter situations.

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They have caught the individuals that vandalized the Fireman's Park bathrooms and the stage. Donations have been offered to increase security cameras and timed locks on the doors.

The supervisor of the Postmaster has agreed to remove the mail drop box on Helena St. A new location will be determined soon.

Motion by Zielieke, Jarmuz to recommend our attorney send a letter with his response regarding the Ladwig St. vacant lot complaints to the neighbor as final resolution, Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Zielieke, Hafemann to approve Resolution 22-6 - Accepting the 2021 CMAR report for the Wastewater Treatment Plant. Motion carried, 7-0.

Motion by Zielieke, Schwai to accept the proposal of \$10,500.00 from Ehlers & Assoc. to prepare a conventional water rate case application required by the PSC, Motion carried, 7-0.

Motion by Zielieke, Jarmuz to purchase the 2006 Kubota RTV from the Fire Dept. carried, 7-0.

Motion by Zielieke, Jarmuz to increase the amount spent on crack filling this year to \$10 to \$12,000.00, as we did not do any crack filling last year. Motion carried, 7-0.

Item 13/iv was tabled
Motion by Hafemann, Jarmuz to create a policy that any employee with a COVID positive test must be off work for 5 days, but a negative test will not be

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required to return. Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Hafemann, Schwai to go into closed session at 8:59pm, Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Hafemann, Wenzlaff to return to open session at 9:29pm, Motion carried, 7-0

No closed session action was taken but announced that a second interview will be scheduled for a PW general laborer.

Announcements:
Admin Kudy provided an update of the progress of the Barton Rd. Lift Station repairs and property acquisition required.

A suggestion from a resident to continue parking on one side only of Ladwig St., increase street lighting and install sidewalks with future road construction as necessary safety precautions.

Admin Kudy listed the future street improvements that he is working on and the upcoming TID 2 meeting.

Clerk Sarauer reminded the board of the Fire Contract Renewal meeting with the townships on 6/16/22 at 6pm, and the bulky waste pickup is on 6/15/22 in the village hall parking lot.

Clerk Sarauer announced the closing and fund transfers of the utility loans for the Hwy. 67 project.

Clerk Sarauer announced that we have been notified of a change in management of the bar at 154 W Main St. As of August 1, it will be called Hometown Grub & Pub.

Motion by Hafemann, Schwai to adjourn at 9:30

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PM. All in favor
Respectfully submitted,
Shelby Sarauer Clerk-Treasurer
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- Violent seizure of property
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- Dad
- Woman (French)
- A digital tape recording of sound
- Polish Baltic peninsula
- Recipe measurement
- Requests out of dire need
- Precious stone weight unit
- The immaterial part of a person
- Anoint
- Golf score
- Supernatural
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- Hosts film festival
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- Opaque gems
- McKinley is one
- Smallest interval in classical Western music
- Famed designer Lauren
- Occupies
- Small island (British)
- Misuse of the sacred
- Covers with a thin sheet

- Most valuable player
- Title of respect
- Investigated discreetly
- Belonging to the bottom layer
- Black tropical American cuckoo
- Music genre
- Indicates one is in mourning
- Secured forever
- Bodily cavity
- A dog is one
- Chose to do something
- Annoy persistently
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Youngsters attending a Fond du Lac 4-H Cloverbud Day Camp on June 29 create Out of this World Galaxy jars.



A youth creates a kite to fly at the Fond du Lac County 4-H Cloverbud "Out of this World" Day Camp held on June 29. **SUBMITTED**

MAKAYLA STOMMEL, INTERN FOND DU LAC COUNTY 4-H

This year Fond du Lac County 4-H is offering three Cloverbud Day Camps to youth who have completed kindergarten–second grade. The first one was held on Wednesday, June 29. It was an "Out of this World" experience!

Youth leaders and two volunteer leaders helped plan this day camp to make it a success. Youth leaders and a 4-H summer intern led many activities with the supervision of two volunteer leaders. The youth who participated began the day by learning everyone's names with a couple of games. The campers decorated their own kites and flew them later in the day.

Next, the campers played some space-related games such as Alien Tag, Flying Asteroid, and Wah Master.

In late morning, youngsters decorated film canisters and made them into

mini rockets that they shot off using water and Alka Seltzer tablets. The campers then made a galaxy jar using cotton balls, water, paint and glitter. They turned out great and looked like real galaxies!

Next, the youth made paper airplanes and helicopters which flew very well. To finish off the day, the campers made name rockets and ate a fruit rocket.

The next two camps will be a Day on the Farm held on July 27, at the Halbur Farm where youth will learn about animals and participate in animal activities, crafts and games. The third Cloverbud Day Camp is outdoor survival to be held on August 17, at the UWO Fond du Lac Campus. Youth will be exploring the great outdoors using GPS tracking and making their own solar ovens.

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in the woods.

It was reported that the man was uninjured, and the Sheriff's Office thanked the Cedarburg Police Department K-9 for returning the man home safely.

"In this case, we were able to utilize several different agency resources to find him quickly and safely. We would like to extend our appreciation to everyone involved including our partners at the Cedarburg Police Department, and all the neighbors that came together to help with their assistance," stated a release from the Sheriff's Office.



Cedarburg K-9 Ranger. The police dog was vital in helping locate a missing Kewaskum man last Thursday. **PHOTO COURTESY CEDARBURG POLICE DEPARTMENT**

COLLEGE NEWS

– Morgan Duffus, from Kewaskum graduated from Milwaukee School of Engineering (MSOE) in Spring 2022. Duffus received a Bachelor of Science in architectural engineering.



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OPPORTUNITY from page 1

ed the importance of education. Neither of them went to college, but they wanted my siblings and me to have more opportunities than they did," explained the educator.

Looking back, while he might not be getting paychecks for all three of his childhood passions, he does still engage with each as an adult.

"Now, I realize that I have done all three things I saw potential in. I was a volunteer firefighter, I love to cook as a hobby and my whole career is in education," stated Wissink.

Wissink grew up in Oshkosh and continued his education at the university there. Upon earning a bachelor's degree in education, the Winnebago west-sider received his master's from UW-Madison.

Wissink taught English and social studies in his home city for nine years, before he transitioned into the role of assistant principal for six more years at the same location.

"After those years in Oshkosh, I moved to Maine to be a principal for two years," said Wissink.

He was the principal of Sumner Memorial High School in Ellsworth, Maine, a small, rural community near an immense national park.

"The school only had about 260 kids, and I was able to make great connections with the students," said Wissink, who added that the experience out east helped affirm his affinity for smaller schools.

Wissink took pride in the school's improvement while he was at the helm.

"Those two years were great and helped me grow a lot in my career," he said, noting that under his watch the students' test scores elevated from bottom-of-the-state rankings to mid-tier.

But Wissink longed to be closer to his roots, and his family made the decision to relocate back to the Midwest.

"We missed being close to family. Wisconsin is our home," explained Wissink.

For the past 10 years, Wissink has been a principal in the New Richmond School District. Wissink discussed the numerous programs and connec-

tions the district implemented over his time there. He stated that the school had a very successful agriculture program, welding academy and courses that offered college credits. The incoming administrator mentioned that some of these programs could work well in Campbellsport because both districts are quite rural.

"I just need to learn what Campbellsport's strengths and weaknesses are. Right now, I really just want to listen to people and learn as much as I can about the district," said Wissink.

The administrator explained that he considers himself to be a "people person." He enjoyed his work as a principal because of the meaningful connections he was able to make with students and staff.

"I want to continue to make those connections as district administrator. I plan to be visible and engage with people. I want to get to community events, be approachable and make time to be available for meet and greets," he said.

Wissink explained that he and his family enjoy the outdoors and doing things like boating and fishing. Although he grew up in a bigger city, Wissink has small town values and enjoys rural hobbies. From camping to sporting events, the Wissink family participates in it all. The administrator explained that, although his family is just getting settled, they already love the area and feel at home.

Joining Wissink on the first day of school will be three of his five children. He has a child enrolled in middle school and one in the high school. His youngest will be attending the elementary school. This is truly a new start for the whole family.

"I am excited to work together with people to make improvements that help our kids grow and have more opportunities when they come out of our school systems," added the administrator, who expressed excitement for his new role. "I have enjoyed my position as a principal, but I am ready for a new challenge. I felt like it was time to take the next step in my career and this was the right opportunity at the right time for me."

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thankful, there was her firstborn who couldn't really speak. She must have had so much difficulty on a solution, given Lawrence's noises and grunts, and then his roughness with the little ones.

"That must have stuck in her head after she kept having all these little ones. That was my thought: the sadness of it."

These were the deep reflections on life some are able to witness with their elders. Marlene and her older sister Bea Reilly Smith (1939-2018), being the oldest grandchildren, were able to see Kit in the context younger grandchildren never saw.

"And we would talk and she would just tell different things. Talk about the past, and things like that."

Grandma's bad heart was failing, her energy waning – but her love for children was strong. And she passed her stories on the difficult deci-

sion with Lawrence to the likes of Marlene.

One gets the sense they were not answers. Just explanations. What is clear in the story of Lawrence James Reilly is two parents who wrestled with the moral questions of how best to help a disabled child. They were aided by a well-connected and well-intentioned doctor and an institution that appeared to be a suitable option. Marlene explained Kit and William Reilly's next child (1921) was so named for the Roman Catholic Saint and the then-new home for Lawrence: "That's why one of the younger sisters is named Coletta, after that school."

And with that came a permanent reminder of two parents who hoped they made the best decision they could during one of the most difficult times of their life.

And a reminder to all that sometimes there are no easy solutions.

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many Reilly boys who would serve in the same war. Thomas ("Tom") was about 13 when he was a pallbearer.

The same goes for Frank Miritz (1910-1983), who lived south of the Reillys, and like McCarty the Miritz family was in the township of Ashford. Today this Miritz farm would be west of the sharp bend on Drumlin Drive, and near the old Reisenweber Farm and Sawmill. Frank was about 15 as a pallbearer. The Miritz and McCarty boys interacted with the Reilly children. This was an honor for these two families to be asked by the Reillys, but also an early age to be a pallbearer. We are left to wonder the impact the funeral had on Tom and Frank.



Grandpa George Baumhardt passed in 1925. When Lawrence Reilly died in 1926, he was buried next to his grandfather. Lawrence has a small stone southeast of the large Baumhardt monument, both pictured here at St. Mary's Cemetery in Eden.

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Elena Vlotho – Kewaskum Indian

Name: Elena Vlotho
School: Kewaskum High School
Sport: Soccer
What team were you excited to face?
 Plymouth
Talk about a challenge you have had to overcome:
 I used to panic as soon as I was passed a ball. This led me to struggle with getting control of the ball and losing it quickly. However, I have worked hard to calm down on the field and anticipate the plays in order to be more useful.
Best high school memory:
 Getting my picture taken with a senior because we were both wearing disco outfits (and yes, we were both



Elena Vlotho

wearing afros) for my freshman year Homecoming week.
What has been the best game of your high school career?
 My first game freshman year. It was my transition from KYSO and club soccer to the varsity level and I really stepped up my game.
What is one thing most people do not know about you?
 I don't like watermelon.
What are your college aspirations?
 I'll get a degree in Spanish Education and an ESL teaching certificate.
What is your dream job?
 Spanish teacher

Cake or pie?
 Cake
Who is one of your role models?
 Alejandro Oquendo
What is one of your dreams?
 To travel the world and experience different cultures.
Favorite athlete:
 Cristiano Ronaldo, a.k.a "El Bicho"
Favorite movie:
Tomorrowland
What is your hype song:
 "Energy Up" by dzyzy.earth, TJ_beastboy.
Favorite meal:
 Mashed potatoes and hamburger gravy.

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KEWASKUM ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION COACHES

Junior Little League

July 11

Strong pitching and solid defense kept the score close for most of the game.

Jasten and Aiden combined to pitch six effective innings and Caleb B. chipped in with a nice catch in centerfield.

Kewaskum 2 fell to Campbellsport 3, 4-12.

July 11

Kewaskum 1 Warriors fought hard against Long Lake. The Warriors kept the score close, trailing until the fourth inning.

Mason Schulenberg hit a triple with one RBI, Beckett Boeldt had one RBI, and Landon Darmody hit a home run with one RBI to put the Warriors in the lead. Rain rolled in during the fifth which provided challenges at bat and allowing Long Lake to come back in the sixth to win the game 12-9.

Landon Darmody and Beckett Boeldt had nine strike outs combined.

Little League

July 12

Final game of the season was a home game against Batavia.

In the first inning there was great fielding, but no score. Evan had a pop fly catch at first.

In the second inning there was more excellent fielding, but still no score.

In the third inning Matthias had a pop fly catch. Quinn had a great pop fly catch in centerfield during the fourth inning.

Pop fly catches were popular as Evan had two in the sixth inning.

Kewaskum couldn't get the bats going enough to win.

Final score 9-2.

PONY League

July 11

Kewaskum was unable to score in the first five innings, but had some great defensive plays.

Malachi Yttri caught a pop-up at the catchers position in the first inning.

Matthew Betz and Elijah Mays had several



The Kewaskum Athletic Association Little League Team 1. Pictured from left are Coach Herman, Quinn Becker, Dylan Volm, Luke Moerchen, Brody Reimer, Matthias Yttri, Jack Brucker, Nate Halopka, Isaac Nielsen, Evan Heetel, Coach Heetel, Mckinley Timblin, Ben Sadownikow, Coach Moerchen and Chayce VanAsche. Not pictured: Max Herman. **SUBMITTED**

runners out at first base with Mays tagging an attempted steal out in the third inning. Warren Korth and Dylan Brucker both made plays in the field to secure outs.

Anthony Kern and Austin Hoffman had great catches in the field in the fourth inning. Malachi Yttri put Kewaskum on the board with a double and an RBI. then a home plate steal putting the score at 2-8.

Kewaskum ended with a loss to Farmington. 2-11.

July 12

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| KEWASKUM |

| FROM THE ARCHIVES |

Heils Beat Utensils in State Tournament

KEWASKUM STATESMAN
JULY 18, 1947

The following is an article from the July 18, 1947 edition of the Kewaskum Statesman. The article covers a Kewaskum Utensils baseball game. The piece is largely unedited and displays the style and convention used "back in the day."

The Kewaskum Utensils, southern division leaders in the Kettle Moraine League, had the misfortune to bump into one of the strongest teams in the tourney in the opening round of Wisconsin State Semi-Pro baseball tournament at Borchert Field, Milwaukee, Saturday, and were beaten by the Heil Co. nine of the Milwaukee County Industrial league, 13 to 2.

The Heils, leaders in the Milwaukee circuit most of the season, went on to beat Platteville, 22-7, Sunday, before losing to the Emil Millers of the Milwaukee Muni AAA league in the semi-finals Monday.

The Heil team is composed of many stars. Their left handed pitcher, Kanavas, who threw against Kewaskum, formerly pitched for the Indianapolis Indians in the American Association. Eddie Granitz starred at the University of Wisconsin. Another player formerly was with Beaumont in the Texas league. Other stars on the team such as Werra, Mezzanotte, Petzold, Lile, Demski and Gaffke formerly played in the bigger leagues or are veter-

ans of the fast Milwaukee County Industrial loop.

The Heils-Kewaskum game was broadcast over radio station WEMP, Milwaukee, by Mickey Heath, Milwaukee Brewer announcer and former Brewer player.

Many people heard the contest over the air although the station is difficult to get here.

The game was called at the end of eight innings to comply with tournament rules, demanding a time limit on the games.

The first three innings were well played and close with the Utensils playing on even terms with the Heils.

The score at the end of the third inning was 1-0 in the Heil's favor but their run was unearned.

Del Ohlschmidt started on the mound for Kewaskum and pitched fine ball the first four frames except for being rather wild and walking several batters.

Leading 3-0 in the fourth, the Heils' big bat began to boom after that and they pulled away from the Utensils with 3 in the fifth, 2 more in sixth, and 5 in the seventh.

Errors and loose play by Kewaskum helped the Heils run up a score.

The Heils had a number of unearned runs and with any breaks the score should have been about 7-2.

The Utensils scored both their runs in the sixth.

They threatened to score a couple other times but couldn't come

through when the chips were down.

Kanavas pitched the entire game for the Heils and allowed but 5 hits, 2 of them by Stan Hodge, Campbellsport Belles outfielder, who was added to the Kewaskum roster for the tourney.

The Utensils used 3 pitchers. Following Ohlschmidt of Sheboygan Falls, the starter, Schloemer of the Campbellsport Athletics toed the rubber and was followed by "Mix" Marx, Kewaskum's regular pitcher. Siebenaler of Random Lake and Koopman, Plymouth, were also slated to pitch for the Utensils but were unable to play.

The Heils connected for 15 hits off the 3 Kewaskum twirlers.

The Kenosha Red Sox, southeastern Wisconsin champions, won the tournament by defeating Emil Millers of Milwaukee in the finals Tuesday.

The Twenty Club of Milwaukee Cream City league beat the Heil Co. for second and third place respectively.

The Twenty Club and Heils lost to Kenosha and the Emil Millers in the semifinals.

Twenty-four of the best teams in the state competed in the tourney and the competition was really strong. Kewaskum was out of its class in being pitted in a tourney with these fast, outstanding semi-pro teams, some of which rate only a step below the Milwaukee Brewers.

A large delegation of Kewaskum

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Kewaskum

AB R H
Bath cf 3 1 0
Hodge rf 3 0 2
H. Marx lf-p 4 0 0
Kral c 3 0 1
Tessar 1b 3 0 0
J. Stautz 3b 3 0 0
Prost ss 3 0 0
Honeck 2b 3 0 1
Ohlschmidt p 1 0 0
Schloemer p 1 1 1
Held lf 0 0 0

Heil Co.

Werra rf 2 0 0
Pilot lf 4 2 2
Granitz ss 5 2 3
Mezzanotte cf 5 0 2
Petzold 2b 4 1 1
Lile c 2 3 1
Tamms 3b 1 2 1
Demski 1b 1 1 2
Gaffke rf 2 1 1
Kanavas p 4 1 2

Errors-Kral 2, Bath, Pilot.
Runs batted in-Demski 2, Pilot 2, Mezzanotte 2, Kanavas 2, Granitz. Two base hits-Demski, Pilot, Tamms, Mezzanotte.
Three base hits-Granitz 2, Pilot.
Strikeouts-By Ohlschmidt 2, Kanavas 5. Hits-Off Ohlschmidt 7, Schloemer 5, Marx 3. Losing pitcher-Ohlschmidt.



fans accompanied the team to Milwaukee to see Saturday's games.

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Foundry 45, 7.5-2.5, Beechwood Bunch 7-3, Fillmore Trap 6-4, Gateway Cafe 4.5-5.5, Turner Electric 3-7.

Class "B"

AC Excavating 6.5-3.5, Schober & Associates 6-4, Four Seasons Resort 5.5-4.5, Twisted Pair 3.5-6.5, Trade Tech 2.5-7.5.

24x25: Gary Sina, Scott Stuart, Charles Wolfgram, Ken Beckford, Kevin Sarauer, Tom Schodron, Mary Wetor, Dale Reigle, Jim Vetter Jr., Jim Vetter, Jamie Christan, Joe Beyer, Dave Rokus, Joe Buechler.

49x50: Dale Reigle, Joe Beyer.

74x75: Scott Stuart, Ken Beckford, Randy Walter.

25x25: Tim Jacak, Matt Neumann, Brian Kleinke, Randy Walter, Chris Weishan.

75x75: Matt Neumann.

99x100: Matt Neumann.

OUTDOORS from page 24

I started meowing, and she kept on meowing back. We were both going to die, or we were both going to live.

Well, the Big Guy in the Big Sky was watching over us that night; just before we ran into that deadfall, I scooped her up and got out of Dodge.

Blaster was as limp as a rag, but I think I became her hero.

I paddled on. I made my 37 miles.

No one died.

This ended up being my biggest up-river mileage day.

That night, I had real bad pains in my arms, shoulders, wrists and elbows. The 426-miles I had paddled were taking their toll!

I will say this, my self-confidence was at an all-time high.

And, as I think about it, Blaster never chased bugs on the top of my canoe again.

KAA BASEBALL from page 21

Rain and wind were a part of the game. The game went the full seven innings. Kewaskum lost 19-6.

Rookies

July 12

Kewaskum vs Campbellsport Yellow
The second to last game of the season finished with another loss for the girls.

A huge shout out to Bishop for an infield home run bringing in one of our runs. The girls were very excited, this is the first of the season.

Whitfield took a hit to the back, took her base

and brought in our second run.

Kewaskum finished 2-5.

Minors-Green

July 14

The Green Minors team fell to North Fond du Lac-Orange 13-17.

Tess Scherger ripped a triple to left field, and Katelyn Riechert crushed a homerun.

Ely Korth added two singles.

On defense, Bryn Schairer caught a great game, blocking the plate on a play at home.

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| CAMPBELLSPORT |

| FROM THE ARCHIVES |

Belles Continue Winning Streak, Beat Random Lake

CAMPBELLSPORT NEWS
JULY 17, 1947

The following is an article from the July 17, 1947 edition of the *Campbellsport News*. The article covers a *Campbellsport Belles* baseball game, and the piece is largely unedited and displays the style and convention used "back in the day."

The Belles continued their winning streak Sunday by defeating Random Lake by a score of 12 to 5 in a K.M. League game at Random Lake.

The locals jumped off to a two run lead in the second inning and added another in the third.

The Lakes came back to take the lead in their half of the third with a four run splurge.

The teams were then held scoreless until the seventh when the Belles scored twice to go ahead by a score of 5 to 4.

Random Lake promptly tied it up in their half with a single run, but the Belles blew the game apart in the 8th inning when they plated 7 big runs, which brought the score to the final count of 12 to 5. Sly Volm and Glen Lemke led the nineteen hit attack with four blows each, one of Volm's being good for three bases. Chuck Schramm had but one bad inning, the third, and scattered eleven hits effectively, walked three and struck out six.

This Sunday the Belles are hosts to the Athletics in the renewal of Campbellsport's baseball feud.

| BOX SCORE |



Campbellsport
AB R H
Lemke cf 6 2 4
S. Hodge 2b 6 1 2
Jaeger ss 4 1 1
Wilderman 3b 4 1 3
Wachs 1b 4 0 0
Volm rf 5 2 4
Kutz lf 4 2 2
Walgenbach c 5 2 2
Schramm p 4 1 1
Random Lake
Wilk ss 3 1 2
E. Schultz 1b 5 1 1
H. Schultz cf 4 0 2
C. Schultz 3b 4 1 1
Brmesch c 4 0 1
Theis lf 4 0 1
Klotz rf 4 0 1
W. Schultz 2b-p 4 0 0
Miller p 0 0 0
Siebenaler p-2b 4 2 2

Total batted in: Lemke 3, Wilderman 3, Schramm 2, Jaeger, Hodge, Kutz, Volm, C Schultz 2, Theis, E. Schultz, H. Schultz; Earned runs: Belles 12, Random Lake 5; Three base hits: Volm; Stolen bases: S. Hodge, Wilderman, Walgenbach, Wilk, E. Schultz, H. Schultz, Siebenaler; Sacrifices: Wilk, Jaeger; Double plays: W. Schultz to E. Schultz, Walgenbach to Hodge to Wachs; Left on base: Belles 8, R. Lake 9; Base on ball off Siebenaler 3, off W. Schultz 1, off Schramm 3; Struck out: Siebenaler 4, Miller 1, Schramm 6; Hits off Siebenaler 19 in 7 1-3 innings, off Schultz 0 in 2-3 innings, off Miller 0 in 1 innings; Winning pitcher: Schramm; Losing pitcher: Siebenaler; Umpires: Schilling and Blank.

DNR to Name 2023 Wild Turkey, Pheasant and Waterfowl Stamp Design Winners this Summer

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) will soon announce the winning Wisconsin wild turkey, pheasant and waterfowl stamp designs for 2023, as part of what's become an annual tradition. Winning designs will appear on the 2023 collection of stamps.

Each year, local artists from around Wisconsin compete for an opportunity to have their artwork commemorated in a historic way on the Wild Turkey, Pheasant and Waterfowl stamps.

"This is the 26th year of the turkey stamp contest. It's a historic opportunity for artists to commemorate their talent and provide opportunities for wildlife and wildlife habitat management," said Alaina Gerrits, DNR Wildlife biologist. "Artists are encouraged to use the contest to showcase their creative expression while capturing the charisma of native Wisconsin birds."

Sales of these three stamps bring in hundreds of thousands of dollars annually for species management throughout the state, including habitat management, restoration, education and research projects. Hunters are required to purchase stamps to harvest these game birds.

The contest is open to individuals 18 years of age or older living in Wisconsin who is a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident. Artwork must meet technical requirements to be eligible, and applicants should carefully review the contest rules to ensure their entries' eligibility.

Judging will take place in late July or early August.

The winners of the 2022 contests are Robert Metropulos, of Arbor Vitae, for wild turkey; Mark

Kanitz of Markesan, for pheasant; and Brian Kuether, of Greenfield, for waterfowl.

Rules, entry information and reproduction rights agreements are available on the DNR for future stamp contents.

All stamp contest applicants should review contest rules carefully to ensure the eligibility of their entries. Artwork must meet technical requirements to be properly processed and prepared for judging. The DNR may also display the submissions at the Wisconsin State Fair.

Subscribe to Wisconsin DNR email updates to receive text or email updates about the contest. Find the Wildlife Management topic and click the checkbox next to the Waterfowl, Wild Turkey and Pheasant Stamp Design Contests topic.



Winning artwork for the 2022 pheasant stamp design category by Mark Kanitz of Markesan. COURTESY PHOTO BY WISCONSIN DNR

| BOWLING SCORES |

Monday Mixed Summer Games Bowled June 27

The Horny Thorny's 103-49, Just Here To Beat 92-60, Tooter Shooters 81-71, Shiny 73-76, Gutter Humiliation 65-85, The Reicherts 32-93.
High Men's Games: 235 Cary Serwe, 225 Brandon Serwe, 224 Jeremy Discher.
High Men's Series: 648 Cary Serwe, 633 Brandon Serwe, 626 Jeremy Discher.
High Women's Games: 162 Lora Reicherts, 127 Jill Diedrich.
High Women's Series: 386 Lora Reicherts, 314

Jill Diedrich.

Monday Morning Bowling Club Games Bowled July 4

High Men's Games: 169 Lloyd Westerman, 164 Roy Galligan, 110 Bob Nigh.
High Men's Series: 479 Lloyd Westerman, 442 Roy Galligan, 292 Bob Nigh.
High Women's Games: 172 Sandy Gerlach, 141 Millie Tischendorf.
High Women's Series: 389 Sandy Gerlach, 335 Millie Tischendorf.

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Lucky Cat

MARK WALTERS
COLUMNIST

As most of you are aware, I am taking a month off from my travels as I go through the process of taking care of everything required due to my beautiful girlfriend Michelle Chiaro's unexpected death. This week's story is one day in my 1987 in my attempt to paddle up the entire Mississippi River.

Thank you to all of you for your patience!

JUNE 9, 1987

DAY 15

RIVER MILES: 159-196

This is a story of a canoe trip I took on the Mississippi River in 1987.

I started in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, canoed 230 miles to the Gulf of Mexico and then turned around and headed north, canoeing against the current with Lake Itasca in North Central Minnesota being my goal.

I am able to publish this story because of the daily journal I kept.

Life has become very interesting.

The river has risen four feet in the last two days. It makes for a lot of current and a lot of danger.

The only way you can canoe against the current is to stay very close to the shoreline. This part of the river has a very steep bank on a very large percentage of the river. What I mean by this is: The bank very often goes straight up for 10 to



Mark Walters spent a couple of weeks practicing in Baton Rouge for his 1987 attempt to canoe the Mississippi River. **MARK WALTERS PHOTOS**

30 feet.

My kitten, Blaster, chose today to be a real pain in the butt.

I had a cover made for my canoe. At night, Blaster would play on top of it while I paddled along.

Tonight, the current was very powerful.

Blaster had been playing on the top for a few minutes; what she would do was chase bugs.

My canoe was a solo (one man), so I would sit in the middle. I was talk-

ing to a man who was fishing from the shoreline. I would just hold myself in one spot by lightly paddling forward.

I had been talking to him for a few minutes when I noticed Blaster was gone. I looked over the side of the canoe and there was Blaster being taken away by the current. I scooped her up and that was that.

Now, this is not something I have told a lot of people, but Blaster and I had a way of communicating that worked really well. I would meow to her, and she would meow right back and come to me right away.

Blaster was playing on the back of the canoe; chasing bugs that came out every night.

Sometimes she would jump six feet to get on some of those bugs. They were huge; three to four inches long. When she ate them they would really crunch.

Seems like she liked bugs a lot

more than dry cat food.

I was canoeing along in what was one of most dangerous stretches of river I have ever paddled. There were deadfalls laying everywhere, their roots still holding most of them

to shore. The ones that drifted free were not much trouble in the daylight, but canoeing after dark, they cause a lot of trouble.

I was paddling along; it was pitch dark, and I was in trouble.

There was a lot of current, and I couldn't go more than 50 yards without paddling around a deadfall.

Blaster was all white.

All of a sudden, for some reason, I thought I had better look behind me. I did, and I saw a very nasty sight: 30 yards behind me, and disappearing fast, was Blaster.

I guess she took too big of a jump after that last bug, and all I could see was her head.

I thought it was risky to try to get her.

The trouble with deadfalls – and a lot of current – is if you get caught on one, the first thing that happens is your canoe gets pushed under the deadfall, then, you become separated from your canoe. While underwater your lungs fill up with water, you get hung up on a branch underwater and you die.

I had this thought on my mind as I watched Blaster disappear.

I did something that about broke my heart: I gave her a “meow”, and she “meowed” back and started trying to swim towards me.

It was hopeless. There was too much current.

In current like this, you can't just turn around.

I started paddling backwards, getting closer and closer to Blaster. The problem was, we were both getting closer and closer to a deadfall.

See **OUTDOORS** page 22



Mark Walters about to leave his family home in Poynette back in 1987 for his attempt to canoe up the Mississippi River.

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