



A farmer in combine on Friday, April 14, working the fields along Midland Dr. and HWY 28 near Lake Bernice. Tilling and planting were aided by last week's warm weather, which topped out in the 80s.
MITCHELL B. KELLER PHOTO

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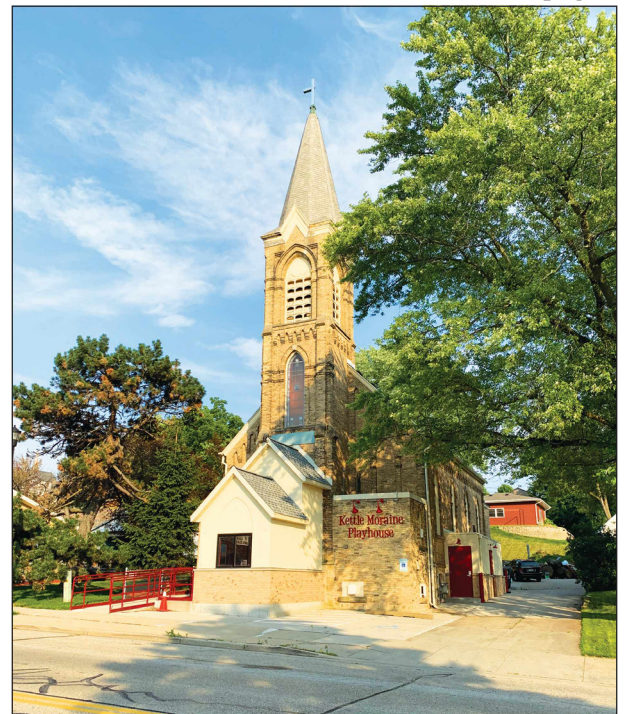
Local Community Theater Wins National Award

Kettle Moraine Players (KMP), a community theater company in Slinger, has just been named the winner of the Twink Lynch Organizational Achievement Award by the American Association of Community Theatre (AACT). The award will be presented to KMP in June, at the AACT national conference in Louisville, Ky.

The award is given to one outstanding community theater company in the nation each year. Only 25 theater companies have received this prestigious award, and KMP is the first company in Wisconsin to receive this honor. Criteria for the award include successfully completing major steps in new directions, expanding services to their community, or moving to the next level of organizational development. The award is named for Twink Lynch, who devoted her life to community theatre and to serving as a mentor to both individuals and community theatres across the country.

"This is a real honor for us," said Ray VonGunten,

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The Kettle Moraine Playhouse, home of the Kettle Moraine Players, in 2017 following renovation.
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Campbellsport's Heisler Wins D.N.R. Volunteer Instructor of the Year

Heisler Received Additional Wisconsin Wildlife Federation Honor on April 15

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) this week announced the hunter education program 2022 Instructor of the Year and Group of the Year.

As was reported in a previous edition of this paper, local volunteer instructor Rick Heisler received two awards for educator of the year with the DNR, earlier this week, recognizing Heisler as its 2022 Instructor of the Year.

Richard "Rick" Heisler has taught hunter education for more than 44 years and has certified more than 3,000 students through traditional and internet and field day courses. He remains active in recruiting and mentoring new instructors and junior instructors. He is active and engaged in his local community as well as with hunter education program staff, all of which enhance his courses. He also serves as an instructor for local Learn to Hunt courses.



Campbellsport's Rick Heisler, third from left, poses with fellow Wisconsin hunter safety instructors after receiving the Wisconsin Wildlife Federation Hunter Safety Instructor of the Year award. Standing with Heisler from left is Nate Heisler, Doug Bilgo and Dave Elwing. **SUBMITTED**

Award winners are nominated by their peers, community members or DNR staff and selected based on exemplary characteristics such as exceeding expectations, advancing and enhancing safety education, along with community service. The nomination period ran from Dec. 15, 2022 – Feb. 15,

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| VIEWS & COMMUNITY |

| PUBLISHER LETTER |

On One or Multiple “Happily Ever Afters”

Dear Reader,

When we marry we take a snapshot in time. Yes, this is the girl or boy of our dreams based on the perception of who and what they seem to be right then, at that specific moment. We truly believe there is no one on this planet like this person.



On our wedding day, we think that we won the lottery and will live happily ever after.

But years later, we look at that person and wonder if she or he is whom we would want to live the rest of our life with. Maybe their growth took them down a path far from your own. Or maybe there was no growth at all, and in fact it seemed like they went backward, to an earlier level of maturity.

Forty-one percent of all first marriages end in divorce. It is worse for second and third marriages: Sixty percent and seventy-three percent, respectively.

Oftentimes, this need not be. Yes, it is true that divorce sometimes is necessary because of violence or lack of trust. But at other times, the rain is followed by the sun and a rainbow. Where there is beauty, there is hope.

PATRICK J. WOOD
Publisher

Author of “Dear Reader” and “Tapestry of Love and Loss”

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Fifth Season is Coming



MITCHELL BRADLEY KELLER
EDITOR

Yes, we all know about Wisconsin’s fifth season.

Road construction is well underway across the state, as the weather has warmed to suitable temperatures for large, small and medium projects to either resume or start.

Blocked roads and loose gravel don’t make for an enjoyable ride, but it is a necessary evil to ensure avenues and streets are safe for cars, bicycles and pedestrian traffic. If there’s a lot of orange cones in your neighborhood, try and be thankful! It’s much better to have them around (occasionally) than to never see them at all.

There are several tools available to the public in the modern age to navigate around the worst of it. On the webpage 511wi.gov is an interactive map that shows reported construction sites across the state. It distinguishes between closures and simple on-going sites. It also notes when weather-related events have caused issues or closures.

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation also has a list of on-going projects on its webpage at wisconsin.gov/pages/projects/by-region/default.aspx. These are broken down by region and county and can be a great aid for future travel planning.

Local municipalities often use social media pages or issue press releases about long-term closures, as well. As a weekly newspaper, sometimes our reporting on construction can be delayed or outdated, so we always recommend checking in with direct sources when looking for up-to-date information. If all else fails, a call to your local city, town or village hall should provide results.

While we all hope not to get lost following that next country-road detour, hopefully access to a few of the aforementioned tools will make Wisconsin’s fifth season a little bit more manageable.

| RURAL WRITES |



G.A. SCHEINOH
CONTRIBUTOR

Always had a lot of respect for Campbellsport. A great place to live, if only on its outskirts. Attending the school system here remains a cherished experience. While anyone can claim to have had bad teachers, my academic days were above a younger self’s expectations. Took classes with exceptional educators, among them, Jim Vollmer, Lewis Smith, Jean Wenzlaff, Gertrude Trapp to shout out just a few from high school. These were the folks who made learning fun.

Not that there weren’t equally phenomenal elementary instructors – Jaime Malwitz and Germaine Schommer. These were the ladies and gentlemen who played a huge part in the person I became. Always ready to answer questions and address students concerns. Perhaps precisely what they taught, besides their subjects and small life lessons, were things it would take decades for this writer to fully fathom. Occasionally, odd bits of knowledge gleaned then blow ballast in memory and surface like a submarine in present day thoughts. Often trivial in nature, facts come

to mind at curious times. The kind to generate a chuckle. Now why did I remember that?

What wasn’t always readily apparent in those long distant years were the simplest ideas which took years to process and appreciate. Somewhere mingled amidst the science, history, English and geography hid gems of logical thinking. Common sense approaches to handling specific situations. And not quite understood till much later, aspects, principles of philosophy which shaped the adult viewpoint.

Jaime Malwitz encouraged writing talent in a shy, awkward ten-year-old fifth grader. A spark Jean Wenzlaff nurtured to flame. Often reading and commenting on short stories written other than assignments. Lewis Smith brought out youthful exuberance.

Yes, Campbellsport had some of the nation’s finest teachers. Exactly when needed, the inspirational, mentors and disciplinarians. And all they instilled shan’t ever be forgotten.

Correction

In my last column, two names were incorrectly given. They should be Jeff McAndrew (not McAdams) and Kellan (not Cal Henning). My apologies for the error.

Gov. Evers Signs Bipartisan Bill to Help Attract and Retain Local County Jail Staff

Gov. Tony Evers signed Assembly Bill 28 on April 6, now 2023 Wisconsin Act 4, which will classify county jailers as protective occupation participants under the Wisconsin Retirement System (WRS) similar to state correctional officers and other law enforcement agents. This will help attract and retain local county jailers by ensuring the same benefits provided to other individuals with protective occupation status under WRS, such as earlier retirement at 50 years old and receiving duty disability benefits.

“I was glad to sign this bipartisan bill today that will help



us retain and recruit county jailers and support their work in this critical field,” said Gov. Evers. “Ensuring adequate and safe staffing

in our county jails and across our justice system is critical to keeping our communities and our state safe, and I appreciate the bipar-

tisan work that happened with local leaders and stakeholders over the years to bring this bill to fruition.”

Celebrate the Earth with us this April

WIS. DEPT. OF NATURAL RESOURCES

With spring in full swing, April is the perfect month to celebrate the earth and all those who volunteer to help make Wisconsin state properties pristine. Throughout April, there are several ways you can give back to our state parks, forests, trails, recreation areas and State Natural Areas, including our volunteer event, Work*Play*Earth Day.

Work*Play*Earth Day is our annual Earth Day service plus recreation day, with activities and events falling on or around Earth Day, April 22. Volunteer workdays are posted online at the DNR events calendar (dnr.wisconsin.gov/events) and on the State Natural Areas webpage.

Work*Play*Earth Day is great for kids, families and groups. If your workplace, service organization or club is looking to give back, reach out to a state park, forest, trail or recreation area or a Friends group, or sign up for an existing event. This time of the year, as the snow melts across

the state, we start to see all the rubbish that’s been buried and debris that has blown down across trails and campsites. Many hands make light work!

While you’re signing up to volunteer for an Earth Day-related event, don’t just stop at one day! Take a minute to become a state park system volunteer. We have several volunteering activities available throughout the busy summer season, including campground hosts, naturalists and trail maintenance workers. Volunteers provide integral assistance to our state park system.

If you can’t make it to a Work*Play*Earth Day event, the next time you’re out at your favorite park property, bring along an extra garbage bag and do your own litter pick-up, consider carpooling to park properties, participate in a tree planting, compost your organic waste, and remember to always “pack in, pack out” any trash you create while at the state park properties.

| NOTICES |

| SENIOR DINING MENUS |

April 24-28

Fond du Lac County Senior Dining

There are two locations in Fond du Lac for senior dining: Northgate Senior Apartments and Boda's Restaurant at the Eagles Club. Each has a separate menu, which follows the name of the location.

Mobile Meals (Home Delivered)

This is available to people who meet eligibility requirements. Suggested donation is \$3.50. To find out more information or determine eligibility, call 920-929-3466.

Northgate Senior Apartments

Eligible people are welcome to dine at Northgate Senior Apartments, 350 Winnebago Street, Fond du Lac. The meal is served at 11 a.m. To register, sign up at the site or call 920-929-3937 before 11:30 a.m. at least one business day before the meal. Suggested donation is \$3. If you must cancel a meal, call 920-929-3937 before 11:30 a.m. the business day prior to the cancelled meal.

Monday: Roast turkey, mashed potatoes, baby carrots, applesauce, coconut cream pie, sliced bread.

Tuesday: Escalloped potatoes and ham casserole, tossed salad, peach slices, ice cream cup, dinner roll.

Wednesday: Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, orange, cookie, sliced bread.

Thursday: Orange chicken patty, baked potato, green beans, pineapple tidbits, vanilla pudding, dinner roll.

Friday: Pork steak, mashed potatoes, peas & carrots, petite banana, frosted cake, sliced bread.

Boda's Restaurant at the Eagles Club

Eligible people are welcome to dine at Boda's Restaurant at the Eagles Club, 515 N. Park Ave., Fond du Lac. The meal is served from 10:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. To register, call 920-929-3937 before 11:30 a.m. at least one business day before the

meal. Suggested donation is \$3. If you must cancel a meal, call 920-929-3937 before 11:30 a.m. the business day prior to the cancelled meal.

Monday: Broccoli stuffed chicken breast, mashed potatoes, green beans, applesauce, roll-o, bread.

Tuesday: Lasagna w/marinara sauce, grapes, mixed vegetables, pudding, breadstick.

Wednesday: Swedish meatballs, rotini noodles, watermelon, broccoli, peanut butter wafer, dinner roll.

Thursday: Roast pork, sweet potatoes, peas, pineapple, cake, bread.

Friday: Walleye pike, German potato salad, coleslaw, banana, chocolate cupcake, rye bread.

All menus are subject to change.

April 24-28

Washington County Senior Dining

Monday: Lemon herb chicken, hash brown casserole, buttered sweet corn, fruit cocktail, dinner roll, frosted brownie. Alt: Sugar-free cookie.

Tuesday: Baked mostaccioli, carrot coins, salad with Italian dressing, garlic breadstick, mandarin oranges, vanilla pudding. Alt: Fruit.

Wednesday: Chicago-style hot dog on poppy seed bun, ketchup, mustard, diced onions, baked beans, potato salad, banana.

Thursday: Chicken ala king over rice, wax beans, carrot raisin salad, fresh pear, snickerdoodle cookie. Alt: Diet cookie.

Friday: Roast pork, herbed stuffing, steamed broccoli, tomato & onion salad, seasonal fresh fruit.

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

Menu is subject to change without notice.

| MARRIAGE LICENSES |

The following marriage licenses were issued by Fond du Lac County Clerk Lisa Freiberg as of April 14, 2023:

Kenneth Ervin Kiar, Town of Friendship, Catherine Ann Goodman, Town of Friendship.

Aaron Mark Hartwig, Village of North Fond du Lac, Tonia Jean Nebl, Village of North Fond du Lac.

Matthew Alan Hobbs, City of Fond du Lac, Chykel Dasha Ham, City of Fond du Lac.

Brandon Donald Beaudou, Village of North Fond du Lac, Mariah Jo Matthys, Village of North Fond du Lac.

Eric Thomas Bresser, Village of North Fond du Lac, Ashley Anne Freund, Village of North Fond du Lac.

Samuel Alan Ehster, City of Fond du Lac, Chasity Faye Gutzmer, City of Fond du Lac.

Chase Andrew Parr, Town of Ashford, Candase Michelle Escobedo, City of Fond du Lac.

Michael Allen Hagen Jr., of Fond du Lac, Shellie Rae Dehut, of Fond du Lac.

Sheepshead Winners

Winners from Tuesday Night Sheepshead on April 4, were Mary Aufdermauer, 90; Dave Burmesh, 90; Dennis Proeber, 88; Ray Zimmerman, 85; Kathy Reimer, 81; Dale Prochnow, 80. (Unheard of, we had a table that didn't play one hand of Leasters.)

Winners from play on April 11, were Ray Kirchner, 87; Syl Stern, 82; Suesette Stern, 79; Ryan Masterbrook, 73; John Fleishman, 72.

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!

| REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS |

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

Transfers from dates March 20-24, 2023

Town of Ashford

Steven J. Klumpyan And Barbara J. Klumpyan Revocable Trust to Jason And Crystal Survis, Main Street, \$690.

Town of Auburn

Ellen-Marie Sook to Kenneth Larson And Luann Larson, Lakeshore Drive, Exempt.

Roy H. Aycock And Beth A. Aycock to the Aycock Joint Living Trust, Sandy Road, Exempt.

Town of Barton

Andrew Klefstad And Darlene A. Hottenstein (N.K.A. Klefstad) to Andrew O. Klefstad And Darlene A. Flefstad Family Trust Dated February 9, 2023, Smith Lake Road, Exempt.

Village of Campbellsport

D'arcy Gravelle to Sheri Laidler, East Main Street, Exempt.

Town of Farmington

Donald E. And Sandy D. Hayward to Donald E. Hayward And Sandy D. Hayward Revocable Living Trust, County Road H, Exempt.

Town of Forest

Edmunds K. Lacin to Andrea S. Lacin, 5 parcels on County Road G, Exempt.

Village of Kewaskum

Dennis E. Anderson to Ardell

Anderson, Roseland Drive, Exempt. Woodland Creek Subdivision, LLC to Shawn A. And Jennifer D. Pritchard, 2 parcels on Evergreen Terrace, \$180. Richard A. Keno Revocable Living Trust Dated November 21, 2008 to Dennis & Suzanne Bingen, Timblin Drive, Exempt.

Transfers from dates March 27-31, 2023

Village of Campbellsport

Franklin A. Serwe to Patricia Serwe, South Fond du Lac Avenue, Exempt. James L. Durand to Patricia L. Durand, Baumann Street, Exempt.

Town of Eden

Estate Of Dale G. Smith to Robert T. Smith, County Road V and Vacant Land, Exempt.

Town of Farmington

The Elizabeth M. Semo Irrevocable Trust Dated April 20, 2017 to

Christopher P. And Carrie A. Guse, East Green Lake Drive, \$876. Arthur J. & Mahaila R. Beck to Reflective Development LLC, State Highway 28, \$2,007. Boehlke Mink Creek Farms to Rolf S. Sommer and Linda S. Sommer Joint Revocable Living Trust, 5 Parcels on Valley View Road, Exempt.

Village of Kewaskum

Richard & Darcie Heberer to Zachary Heberer, Knights Avenue, \$495. Wendy L. FKA Wendy Senn AKA Wendy L. Senn Senn-Zogoplos to Joshua J. Kowske And Tyler A. Kowske, Memorial Drive, \$660. Matthew J. Gehring to Melinda C. Heltemes, Bel-Ric Drive, \$750.

Town of Osceola

Joshua J. Uelmen And Lindsey M. Uelmen to Joshua J. Uelmen And Lindsey M. Uelmen Living Trust Dated March 21, 2023, Nonns Court, Exempt.

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Wisconsin Tornado and Severe Weather Awareness Week is April 17-21

WISCONSIN EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Spring has returned to Wisconsin and so has an increased risk of severe weather. To encourage everyone to be prepared for tornadoes, thunderstorms and flooding, Gov. Tony Evers has declared April 17-21 Tornado and Severe Weather Awareness Week in Wisconsin, along with statewide tornado drills on April 20.

“Wisconsin has already had 13 tornadoes touch down in the state this spring, showing just how important it is to be prepared for severe storms,” said Wisconsin Emergency Management (WEM) Administrator Greg Engle. “WEM’s ReadyWisconsin campaign asks that everyone take just a few moments to make sure their emergency plans are updated and that everyone in their home knows what to do when a weather warning is issued.”

Wisconsin averages 23 tornadoes annually. In 2022, the National Weather Service (NWS) confirmed 28 tornadoes touched down in the state, damaging homes, trees, and power lines. Tornadoes and severe storms can develop quickly, so know what to do and where to seek shelter.

To stay safe during severe weather, ReadyWisconsin encourages people to do the following:

- Create an emergency plan and practice it.
- Know where designated shelters are located at home, work, and school, and be ready to go there when a tornado warning is issued.
- Have multiple ways to receive alerts about approaching severe weather. Outdoor warning sirens, NOAA Weather Radios, local media, and smart phone apps are all important tools. Don’t rely on any single source for important life-saving

information.

• If you have a mobile device, make sure it is enabled to receive Wireless Emergency Alerts (WEA). On many devices, that option is available in the settings menu.

• Stay weather aware by checking the daily forecast for your area.

• Create an emergency kit for your home.

Wisconsin’s annual statewide tornado drills will take place on April 20, 2023 at 1:45 p.m. and 6:45 p.m., offering an opportunity to practice your tornado sheltering plans. Schools, businesses, and homes are encouraged to practice going to their nearest tornado shelter during the drills, as if there were an actual tornado warning in effect.

During the drill times, Wisconsin’s NWS offices will conduct NOAA Weather Radio tests that can be heard if you are actively listening to those devices or have one programmed to activate on test alerts. Many communities may also choose to test their outdoor warning sirens during drill times. Check with local emergency management offices for information on siren testing schedules.

If there is a threat of severe weather in Wisconsin on April 20, the statewide drills will be postponed until Friday, April 21. The drills will go on in all other conditions, including non-severe weather (clouds, rain, dark sky, scattered thunderstorms, etc.). If severe weather is also expected on Friday, the drills will be cancelled.

Notification of the drill status will be posted at readywisconsin.wi.gov by 10 a.m. on the morning of April 20.

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Spotlights for **Campbellsport High School** graduates will be included in this section.

Spotlights for college and vocational school graduates will be published in the Campbellsport News the week prior to their graduation.

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THE SOUND OF MUSIC is presented by arrangement with Concord Theatricals on behalf of The Rodgers and Hammerstein Organization. www.concordtheatricals.com



C.S.V.M. Takes Show on the Road

Residents and staff at Serenity Villa Assisted Living are recently entertained by St. Matthew School-Campbellsport sixth-eighth grade Community Service Volunteer Ministry (CSVM) students. Members of CSVM put on a “No-talent” Talent Show including jokes, skits, and a trivia game for residents. **SUBMITTED PHOTOS**

Kewaskum Legion Auxiliary Collecting Pop Tabs for Earth Day

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 384 of Kewaskum is collecting tabs from aluminum beverage cans and canned goods.

Each year from April to April, members of the auxiliary collect tabs which in turn are recycled on Earth Day (April 22). Money from the collection is given to the American Legion Auxiliary Second District. This donation is given to MKE Childrens Hospital, St. Mary’s Burn Center.

“Please help the Legion Auxiliary and snap off those tabs,” urges an auxiliary member. Drop off tabs by April 20, at the Legion Hall, 1538 Fond du Lac Ave., or at Gwen Dreher’s at 1107 Fond du Lac Ave. in Kewaskum across from the fire station.

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 Brady VanEgtern
 Caleb Smith
 Connor Sitzberger
 Connor Waldschmidt
 Devlin Delegard
 Dylan Baumhardt
 Emmet Homuth
 Emmett Gonnering
 Evan Wilcox
 Jacob Jordan
 Jon Thelen
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 Kaden Taddey
 Kyle Sanders
 Logan Nolan
 Logan Rohlfs
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Campbellsport Girls Track Roster

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| OBITUARIES |

Donald D. Sedgwick



Donald D. Sedgwick, 91, of Campbellsport, WI (Whitefish MT), passed away on Saturday, Feb. 25, 2023.

He was born April 9, 1931, to the late Sidney and Elsie (Joecks) Sedgwick in Milwaukee, WI. He graduated from Menomonee Falls High School.

On July 28, 1951, he was united in marriage to Carol Sedgwick at St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church in Menomonee Falls. Together they owned Wiskow Shoe Store in Milwaukee and then moved to Kewaskum to run The Village Bootery.

Don enjoyed directing classical music from his screen porch with a cigar, feeding his fish, cutting

fire wood, fish fries with a dark beer and being around the farm with family and friends. He loved making people smile and will be dearly missed by all who knew him.

Those Donald leaves behind to cherish his memory include two children, Craig (Meg) Sedgwick and Brian (Tracy) Sedgwick; five grandchildren, Emily (Jens Macaller) Sedgwick, Nathan Sedgwick, Kendall Sedgwick, Kyle Sedgwick, and Kevin Sedgwick; three brothers-in-law, Calvin (Joyce) Walters, Tom Wenzel and Tom Schlieff; three sisters-in-law, Barbara Sedgwick, Carol Walters, and Pat Walters; many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Carol Sedgwick; daughter, Dr. Julie Sedgwick; brother, Wayne Sedgwick and sister, Audrey Krueger.

A funeral service in remembrance of Donald will be held on Thursday, April 20, at 10 a.m. at Peace Church United Church of Christ, 343 First Street, Kewaskum. Private interment to follow. The family will greet relatives and friends on Thursday from 10 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

William Joseph Mayer



William "Billy" Joseph Mayer, 33, passed away Sunday, April 16, 2023, at St. Agnes Hospital from injuries due to a motorcycle accident.

He was born in Fond du Lac on August 19, 1989, the son of Michael and Lori (Bassill) Mayer. Billy was a 2008 graduate of Campbellsport High School, where he was active in football, baseball

and wrestling in which he was a State Champion. He was a 2013 graduate of UW LaCrosse, where he was a three-time All American in Wrestling HWT. Billy was employed at Greymont in Marblehead. He loved hunting and fishing, but mostly just being outdoors. Very important to Billy was the time spent with family and friends.

Those left behind to cherish Billy's memory include his parents, Mike and Lori; fiancée, Jennifer Mozuch and her son, Alek; sister Kim (special friend, Mark) Rowe; brother, Tim (special friend, Emily); nephews and niece, Braelon Allen, Devin Neal and Nevaeh Neal; grandmother, Joan Bassill; aunts, uncles, cousins, and many friends.

Billy was preceded in death by grandpa, Norbert Bassill; grandpa, Charles Mayer; grandma, Patricia Moon; cousin, Nick Martiny; and uncle, Larry Martiny.

Visitation will be Sunday, April 23, from 3 p.m. until time of mass at Shepherd of the Hills Catholic Church, W1562 County Road B, Eden.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be at 6 p.m. Sunday, April 23, at Shepherd of the Hills Catholic Church, Eden. Rev. Mark Jones will officiate and cremation will follow the traditional service.

Twohig Funeral home is serving the family with online guestbook and condolences at www.twohigfunerals.com.

David John Kasten

David John Kasten, age 75 years, of West Bend passed away on Monday April 17, 2023, at home surrounded by his loving family.

He is survived by his wife, Marilyn; two sons, Michael Kasten and Craig (Ashly) Kasten; three grandchildren, Cooper, Croix, and Penelope.

To honor David's wishes, no service will be held. Memorials will be put aside for his grandchildren and can be sent in care of Myrhum-Patten Funeral Home - 1315 W Washington St. - West Bend, WI 53095.

Myrhum-Patten Funeral & Cremation Service has been entrusted with David's arrangements. For additional information or to leave an online condolence on the tribute wall, please visit <http://www.myrhum-patten.com>.

Rose Mary Lackas



Rose Mary (Brill) Lackas, age 87, passed away on April 13, 2023, in Campbellsport after a lengthy battle with Multiple Myeloma.

Rose was born on May 4, 1935, in Ashford to John and Mary (Zweck) Brill. She married the love of her life, Don Lackas, on September 3, 1955, at St. Martin's Catholic Church

in Ashford.

Rose filled her life with music, family and community. Growing up, she enjoyed singing and playing music with her parents, sister and brother. Rose sang in the St. Matthew's Catholic Church choir for over 50 years. She also shared her love of music with her children. Every family vacation included campfire sing-a-longs and rowdy renditions of "My Red Wagon" during car rides.

While her husband, Don, served with the Campbellsport Fire Department, Rose helped establish the CFD Auxiliary in 1980. Rose was an active part of the Christian Women's Society and she volunteered at the St. Matthew's Parish Center for many years. She also donated many hours of her time with the annual St. Matthew's Fall Festival and CFD 4th of July Picnic.

Rose is survived by her loving husband, Don, of 67 years; her 11 children, Bonnie (Terry) Debroux, Mary (Rod) Baumhardt, Sharon (John) Schwartz, Judy (Rick) Sarauer, Donna (Peter) Schmidt, Kay (Dave) Hensen, Lisa (Steve) Hensen, Carol (John) Mitton, Amy Lackas, Bill (Amy) Lackas and Jim Lackas; 22 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren. She is survived by sisters-in-law, Eileen Petri, Rita Lackas; and many nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her parents; sisters, Rose Ann Brill and Agnes Kattenvold; brother, Jim Brill; son-in-law, Merlin Soyk; niece, Sue Stanaway; and other family members.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Thursday, April 20, at 4 p.m. at St. Matthew's Catholic Church, E. Main St. Campbellsport. Rev. Neil Zinthefer will officiate and burial will follow in St. Matthews Cemetery.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, April 20, from 1 p.m. to time of Mass at St. Matthew's Catholic Church.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made SSM Health Cancer Center in Fond du Lac, who gave her strength and laughter for over nine years and SSM Health Hospice Services in Fond du Lac for providing compassion to her and her family. (<https://www.ssmhealth.com/donate/wisconsin/agnesian-health-care-foundation>)

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THEATER from page 1

chair of KMP's Board of Directors. "Our little theater is a powerhouse of great entertainment, and it's great to see it getting recognition at the national level."

KMP was founded in 2006 by John Brandl and Alan Venturini as an itinerant company, producing shows in many towns in Southeastern Wisconsin, including Campbellsport, Fond du Lac, Kewaskum, Hartford and DePere. In 2017 the company made a permanent home in what was once St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church in downtown Slinger. KMP purchased the 1886 church, and transformed it into Kettle Moraine Playhouse, a 64-seat performing arts venue, with stadium seating, outstanding acoustics, state-of-the-art sound and lighting, and a two-story stage.

Renovation began June 1, 2017, and the theater opened with its first production just four months later. Contractors were used for exterior framing, roof, concrete, electrical, plumbing, drywall, floor covering, HVAC and lighting truss installation. KMP volunteers handled painting and interior framing, and all stage and catwalk construction, saving \$50,000.

"We had a lot of experience building sets for a play; how hard could it be to build a playhouse?" laughed co-founder Alan Venturini. "It was a lot of work, but it was worth it. Kettle Moraine Playhouse is an amazing place."

KMP has grown dramatically since then. The company now puts on seven productions in a season, with seven to 11 performances of each show, and an annual attendance of more than 3,000.

The company hones its craft through competitions, and it has been successful. In January, KMP won a state-wide competition with its performance of Three Viewings by Jeffrey Hatcher. The competition was run by the Wisconsin Association of Community Theatre (WACT), a chapter of AACT. Since its founding, KMP has won a total of 17 state awards, two regional and two national awards, and has received an additional five national nominations, making it one the most decorated community theaters in the state.

This year, KMP took home three state awards, including "Outstanding Scenic Design" (John Brandl), "Outstanding Actress" (Jovon Serrano), and "Outstanding Production". The company will advance to the Regional AACT competition in Beaver Dam at the end of April. There, they'll compete against the top shows from Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, and Ohio. The winner of that competition will advance to the AACT National competition in Louisville in June.

"We knew we were creating something special when we created Kettle Moraine Players," said co-founder John Brandl. "We couldn't produce award winning theatre without an award-winning organization."

As a 501(c)3 non-profit, the COVID shutdown was especially challenging. Even though some relief funding was made available to non-profit organizations, KMP did not qualify for those funds, as the funding was made to theaters with at least one W-2 payroll employee, and KMP is all-volunteer. It managed the shut-down with creative virtual programming and fundraising, and according to VonGuten, is among the few community theaters not operating at a financial loss.

VonGuten attributes KMP's success to a dedicated volunteer staff, an artistic director and reading group that selects a great mix of classics, comedies, and original works by local playwrights, wonderfully talented directors and actors, a marketing director who does a stellar job of promoting the shows, and a budget committee that develops long-term strategies to keep the company on track.

More information on Kettle Moraine Players is available by contacting Ray VonGuten at board@kmpplayhouse.com, or visiting www.kmpplayhouse.com.

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5 Years Ago
April 19, 2018

Close to a foot of snow fell in the area over the weekend, requiring a lot of clean-up on Sunday and Monday by the Campbellsport Public Works Department. The area also experienced strong winds and sleet. Classes for the Campbellsport School District students were canceled on Monday. Due to the mild winter, this was the first snow day for the Campbellsport students.

Although the weather was bad outside, the grand re-opening of Campbellsport True Value Home & Hardware still took place.

The study of life science is happening in third grade at Campbellsport Elementary School. During the past month, the students explored an ecosystem and an animal that makes its home/habitat within it. Students are creating an essay and digital presentation that teaches their audience about their animal characteristics, traits, and habitat.

Ken Depperman formally announced his bid for Republican Party State Assembly Representative in the 59th Assembly District, which serves parts of Calumet, Fond du Lac, Sheboygan, and Washington Counties. He made the announcement at the April 16 meeting of the Village of Kewaskum Board meeting. Depperman is currently a Fond du Lac County Board Supervisor and Town of Auburn Chairperson.

Ariel Sass of Eden won first place in both her classes at the Mid America Horse Show on April 17. She rides English style and represented Sublime Saddlebreds of Brandon.

The Campbellsport Middle School Science Olympiad team competed at the Wisconsin Science Olympiad State Tournament on April 7. The Campbellsport team placed 13th out of 57 teams from across the state. Simon Strupp and Linnea Teske were awarded fifth place medals in the ecology event. Kilian Poquette and Nathan Seefeld medaled in the density lab event.

Students from Campbellsport received awards at the Festival of Arts. They included Grace Krahn, Hailey Brewer, Emily Ellenbecker, Rhayne Vollendorf, Kelsea Ebert, Mya Krebs, and Lilly Cumper.

The Lady Cougars softball team hosted Berlin in conference action on April 12 and won 10-0 in a six-inning run-rule game. Alyssa Muench looked sharp, striking out 13. She did not walk anyone or give up a hit. Grace Nerat went 3x4 with three RBI and a run scored.

On April 11, the Lady Cougars led 3-0 going into the third inning against Ripon. Campbellsport then scored 17 runs in the third, causing the game to be called due to the run-rule. Erica Marchant, Kaitlyn Schill, Shaley Narges, Grace Nerat, Morgan Fryman, and Mandy Goeman each had one hit in the game. Marchant, Schill, Fryman, and Goeman each scored twice. Nerat and Goeman each drove in three runs. Nerat hit a home run, and Narges, Fryman, and Goeman each doubled.

Ryan Stommel submitted photos and an article detailing some of his experiences when he visited Cuba earlier this month.

Ervin J. Odekirk, 85, passed away April 12.

15 Years Ago
April 17, 2008

A barn, a small outbuilding, and several pieces of machinery were destroyed by a fire on April 21, in the Town of Auburn. Two silos, a shed, and the farm house were damaged. When firefighters arrived, the barn was completely engulfed. The fire started while chopped corn stalks were being blown into the barn. A piece of the machinery being used ignited the fire. Attempts to put out the fire were unsuccessful, but the hired hand

and neighbors were able to get the animals and some of the vehicles out of the barn before the fire got too bad.

The driver of a car that turned in front of a semi was killed and the passenger injured in the accident that occurred at the corner of Highways 45 and 67 on April 21. The semi driver was not injured.

The Campbellsport FFA held an all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast on April 20.

Josh Wege was surprised during the WLA swing choir performance at the Campbellsport Women's Club salad luncheon held April 19. He was supposed to perform with a fellow classmate, but she could not be there. The surprise came when his mother, Kay, got up and sang with him. Josh, his brother, Joe, and Mitchell Koepke are from the Waucousta area.

Recipients of the Campbellsport Women's Club scholarships include Jill Narges, James Stukenberg, Maggie Karoses, Austin Backhaus, and Arielle Bauer.

Due to the weather this past winter, the purchase of a groomer by the Crooked Trails Snowmobile Club was a great investment. The groomer helped keep the area trails ready for snowmobilers.

State Superintendent Elizabeth Burmaster notified 32 school districts that their applications were approved to receive state funding for four-year-old kindergarten start-up grants. The Campbellsport School District will receive \$54,150 for its estimated 75 students enrolled in the new 4K program.

During its April 21 meeting, the Campbellsport School Board approved the implementation of the district's Qualified Economic Offer for professional employees. The board and the Campbellsport Education Association have declared a deadlock in negotiations. The two groups have been working to come to terms on the new contract for the employees in the district. This will not go into effect until after June 20. Until that time, both entities can continue to negotiate to try to come up with an agreement.

Residents were in attendance at the Eden Village Board meeting on April 17 to ask for cluster boxes on their streets. The residents originally addressed the board in the fall, with board members asking the residents to form a committee to figure out where the boxes would go and how many people would be interested in them. Residents will pay a one-time installation fee for the cluster boxes. The board approved the boxes to be placed in the areas designated by the residents who attended the meeting. Any future installation of a cluster box will need to be approved by 75 percent of the residents who will use that specific box.

Shepherd of the Hills' seventh and eighth grade boys basketball team repeated as conference champions, going undefeated in conference play this season. Members of the team included Mark Tolsma, Reid Hundertmark, Kameron Sippel, Tyler Kohlmann, Erik Wright, Tim Whitty, Austin O'Brien, Eric Simon, and Kyle Sippel.

Cecilee Rodenkirch placed first in the high hurdles with a time of 17.5 at the Sheboygan Falls track meet. She took second in the 300 hurdles with a time of 55.7. Kristy Ruplinger placed third in the high hurdles with a time of 19.1 and third in the 300 with a time of 55.8.

Campbellsport's softball team won two games last week, 13-3 over Kiel and 5-2 over New Holstein.

Alice M. Bauer, 80, Lomira, passed away April 12. Paul Cletus Becker, 80, passed away April 16. James H. Steffes, 61, Fond du Lac, passed away April 17. Viola Gellings, 91, Lomira, passed away April 22.

25 Years Ago
April 16, 1998

The Campbellsport School District Board has indicated a decision will be made May 18 whether the District will have soccer as a competitive conference sport. Members of the Board had hoped they could put off a decision until they had received a report from the Facilities Planning Committee, but recognized that the soccer parents have been very patient in waiting for a decision. Cost estimates are \$3,500 to \$4,500 each for boys and girls soccer programs, according to school board notes.

Jennifer Voigtlander, second grade teacher at Eden Elementary School, has been named the recipient of the Jean I. Caudle Graduate Reading Award by the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh.

Fifty-one students from Campbellsport High School attended this year's Skills Olympics, which offers students the opportunity to compete in many vocational areas. First place winners included Doug Loof, Jake Bohlman, Rachel Berte, Shanna Galligan, Ben Noriega, Heidi Page, Jenny Theisen, and the team of Tammy Sergerstrom, Candi Odekirk, and Marcy Ackerman.

A son, Treyton Derrell Wortham, was born April 6 to Lena Mielke of Campbellsport. A son, Tyler Mackenzie, was born April 6 to Kari and Michael Thompson of Campbellsport.

Dale Robert Michels, 65, Brownsville, passed away April 8. Jerome F. Schladweiler, 82, Kewaskum, passed away April 12.

50 Years Ago

(The papers from May 1972 through April 1973 are not available)

75 Years Ago

April 22, 1948

The village board is holding a special meeting at the village hall to which the Town Boards of Ashford, Auburn, Eden, and Osceola are being invited. The purpose of this Monday meeting is to discuss fire protection to the towns. Also invited to this meeting is the committee from the fire department. The meeting is to find out just how far the townships want to go in providing fire protection for their people. The local department has expressed itself as being willing to man any equipment the towns are willing to provide, but do not wish to have anything to do with the purchase and maintenance of such equipment.

Mrs. Leo Uelmen has accepted the appointment of clerk of the School Board of Jt. District No. 2, according to an announcement by Harlow Roate, director, and R.J. Hensen, treasurer. Mrs. Uelmen will serve on the board until the annual meeting, at which time the voters will decide whether or not she should continue in office. The term of Dr. Houston has two more years to run, and the existing board has the privilege of making this appointment until the annual meeting.

The first of a series of fire fighting instructions by fire chiefs from other village and state experts will be conducted April 27 for local firemen. The first instructor will be the fire chief from Kiel. Following his series of demonstrations, local Chief Harold Lueders has arranged for more instructors from the state Fire Rating Bureau on specialized methods of fire fighting. The reason for the state men is to acquire recognition by the Fire Rating Bureau.

A daughter, Nancy Evelyn, was born April 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Volm.

Infant Nancy Lee Steier passed away April 17. Frank Flanagan, 69, formerly of Campbellsport, passed away April 20.



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5 Years Ago
April 26, 2018

Despite the snow and cold weather, about 50 volunteers showed up at River Hill Park in Kewaskum on April 21 to clean up the Milwaukee River. Gino Giudice, a member of the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce, is the coordinator of the local event. This was the first time in the decade of being part of the Milwaukee Riverkeeper Spring Cleanup that there was snow on the ground during cleanup. The effort of the volunteers has made a difference as the quantity of garbage pulled out of the river seems to decrease each year.

The Village of Kewaskum will turn 125 years old in 2020, and plans are underway for a big weekend celebration June 12, 13, and 14. Plans are being made for a parade, fireworks, historical re-enactors, a 5K run, pancake breakfast, live music, entertainment, food, and games.

As part of the ongoing investigation to determine the identity of Jane Doe, the Fond du Lac County Sheriff's Office is releasing a newly updated facial recognition reconstruction of her and will be utilizing new forensic technology to try to determine who she was. The body was found near St. Kilian in 2008 by hunters.

Cassandra Gudex, a student at St. Lucas Lutheran School, won Best of Show for her science project at the Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School Science Fair. Her project, in the fifth and sixth grade division, tested which sunglasses protect your eyes best.

In the 4x200-meter relay at the Ripon Invite, the Kewaskum team of Cade Peterson, Tony Steger, Cole Surprenant, and Cameron Dodge finished in 1:36. This time earned third place at the competition, but it is a new indoor school record at Kewaskum High School. Sam Schultz cleared 6-1 in the high jump to win that event, and is only three inches from the school record.

The girls team from Kewaskum also participated at the Ripon Invite. Maela Olla won the girls 3200-meter run with a time of 12:52.11. Taking first place in the pole vault by clearing 9-03 was Abby Meidl.

Maddie Geidel's two-run home run in the third inning against Campbellsport on April 23 was her third homer of the season. The Lady Indians won the game 11-0. Kewaskum scored at least one run in each of the five innings. The first run scored when Ashley Trapp stole home.

Seventeen-year-old Ayrton Lehmann performed well enough at the United States of America Snowboard and Free Ski Nationals in Colorado to reach the podium. He placed third in Rail Jam, which is his speciality. Lehmann has competed there since he was 10 years old. He said he landed three tricks in the final, a Switch 270, a Switch Hand Slide 270, and a front lip slide, scoring 1,430 points.

A picture of the participants in the Learn To Hunt - Turkey Hunt Program was in this week's paper. The Gateway Gobblers sponsored the hunt at New Fane Sportsman Club.

Darlene R. Gross, 89, Beechwood, passed away April 22. Helen J. McCarty, 86, passed away April 21.

15 Years Ago
April 24, 2008

Less than one week after the resignation of Village of Kewaskum Administrator Jay Shambeau, the village's president, Matt Heiser, submitted his resignation shortly after 5 p.m. on April 21. In submitting his resignation, Heiser stated he wished to apply for Shambeau's position once he leaves the Village.

Tempers flared and voices rose at the Town of Scott special meeting on April 17 to discuss sev-

eral on-going issues regarding two township employees. The end result saw the airing of the issues, but a lack of action in terms of reprimands. More than a dozen town residents attended the meeting. Two employees of the Town had been in accidents. Part-time employee Ken Willkomm had hit an aluminum boat while moving snow with the Town's road grader on January 23, at which time he prepared an accident report that he submitted on February 11 to the Town Board. Supervisors did not mention any disciplinary action against Willkomm. The other was the Town's full-time Road/Maintenance Foreman, Mark Muench. He was given a citation from the Sheboygan County Sheriff's Department for Hit and Run Adjacent to Highway. Muench had hit a utility pole located in the Town Hall parking lot with the Town's snowplow truck on January 31. Muench paid the \$249 citation, but his attorney got the case reopened. The citation was changed to Improper Signal for Stop/Turn, a non-moving violation which allowed Muench to maintain his CDL even though he paid a higher forfeiture.

The exceptional quality of meat products produced by Kewaskum Frozen Foods was recognized at the 69th annual convention of the Wisconsin Association of Meat Processors. They won reserve champion for chicken cordon bleu bratwurst, champion for ring liver sausage, champion for fresh bratwurst, and grand champion best of show for over 775 sausage products for their cheese landjaeger.

Eric Spaeth, a senior at Kewaskum High School, was awarded a \$1,000 scholarship from the Wisconsin State Firefighter's Association. He has been a member of the Fillmore Fire Department for three years, joining at age 16.

Those hoping for a fully equipped fitness center for the community are asking for help; and they've gotten the help of Milwaukee television personality Tom Pipines, who has been a friend of Kewaskum's football program. He will be a special guest at a beer and wine tasting event scheduled for May 10. The fitness center is part of a renovation project that will get underway this summer at Kewaskum High School. School officials say they will open the doors of the new fitness center to the community when not in use by students.

Brianna Rahoy and William Otten were named Kiwanis Students of the Month for the month of April.

Nine-year-old Cayden Dwyer of Kewaskum placed fourth in the slopestyle event at the United States of America Snow Boarding Association's national tournament. His mother, Krista, had hoped for the top 50 percent because so many of the others in that class grew up snowboarding in the mountains. But Cayden exceeded her goal by placing fourth. Cayden practices every day at Sunburst, unless he is competing.

Anne E. Dietenberger, 43, Town of Wayne, passed away April 15. Lynnette Ann Scott, 47, passed away April 17. Norbert Martin Heise, 88, Fort Meyers, FL, passed away January 25. John Thurke, 55, West Bend, passed away April 17. Viola Gellings, 91, Lomira, passed away April 22. Francis Buckley, 70, Oxford, passed away April 16.

25 Years Ago
April 23, 1998

Rick Stefanovic, a Kewaskum High School graduate, was the fastest Wisconsin runner in the 102nd Boston Marathon on Monday. He placed 71st in 2:34.37.

In a split vote, the Kewaskum School Board decided they, not the community, would determine the fate of Beechwood School. The decision was made at the school board meeting. Approximately

40 people were in the audience and five voiced their concerns to the board, including Amy Pamperin, who is the chairperson of the Facility Study Committee. Her presentation included number of students in the area, cost per student, and more. Board member Tom Timblin said as the elected officials, the board should make the decision. Board member Mary Andera said she no longer supports a voter's choice on the issue.

Joanna Stevens and Josh Dieringer are the Kiwanis Students of the Month for March.

The Kewaskum Indians boys' tennis team hosted Waupun in non-conference action on Monday and beat the visitors 6-1.

A daughter, Michaela Rose, was born April 2 to Heather Mitchell of Kewaskum.

Maria H. Anderson, 59, Dundee, passed away April 20. Sarah Cooley-Erber, 82, West Bend, passed away April 13. Ruth M. Viol, 98, Beechwood, passed away April 8. Marvin H. Fabian, 89, West Bend, passed away April 8. Frank M. Kindler, 79, Campbellsport, passed away April 16.

50 Years Ago
April 20, 1973

Placing first at a Scenic Moraine Conference Math Meet held April 11, Kewaskum High students beat their closest opponent by 104 points, scoring 231 to 127 from Kettle Moraine. Nina Wulff obtained a perfect score of 30 points.

Leslie Kaschner of Kewaskum, a speech major specializing in radio-TV-film, has been chosen as student speaker for the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh commencement program on May 13.

The Farm Mechanics judging team of the Kewaskum FFA placed 10th in a field of 57 teams in their division at the state FFA judging contest. Team members were Bob Yogerst, Dean Schmidt, and Pete Nordin.

Kiwanis students for the month of April are Melva Moths, Gary Marx, and Kathy O'Reilly.

Forty-two Kewaskum High School students are spending their Easter vacation visiting the mountains in Switzerland, the Rhine River, Heidelberg, Munich, and many other places while on a 10-day trip to Germany, Austria, and Switzerland.

Marti Rezel, a senior at Kewaskum High School, was chosen as one of six first place winners from 1,401 entries in the 28th Annual Student Art Calendar competition.

A daughter was born April 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Witt of Kewaskum. A son was born April 16 to Mr. and Mrs. James Sabish of Kewaskum. A son was born April 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Foster of Kewaskum.

Lucille Nigh, 74, Plymouth, passed away April 11. Mary E. Scherr, 67, Slinger, passed away April 17. George P. Stern, 70, New Prospect, passed away April 15. Margaret Knepler, 77, Cascade, passed away April 15.

75 Years Ago
April 23, 1948

Elwyn M. Romaine of Kewaskum was elected chairman of the Washington County Board for the fifth consecutive time.

Governor Oscar Rennebohm has approved a contract between the state highway commission and Washington County in the amount of \$5,945, covering the construction of an underpass on State Trunk Highway 33, one-half mile east of West Bend.

A special meeting of the Kettle Moraine Sportsmen's Association was held Monday so delegates for the county conservation meeting could be selected.

Joseph P. Schaenzer, 83, Wabeno, passed away April 8.

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Greetings from the Campbellsport Library!

Story Time at the Library

Children ages 3-6 are invited to join Ms. Azra at the library for story hour each Wednesday from 10:30-11:30 a.m. Children will enjoy reading stories, making crafts and participating in other themed week activities. Story hour offers the opportunity for young children to socialize with others and also encourages growth in language development, motor skills, and helps to promote a love of learning. Children and families are welcome to stay after story hour to play and explore at the library.

• April 26 – Butterflies

Diamond Art Stickers

On Wednesday, April 19, from 3:30-5:30 p.m., children ages 5 and older are invited to join Ms. Alison to make diamond art stickers at the library. All materials will be provided. Please allow your child at least 30 minutes to create their sticker. No stickers will be started after 5:15 p.m., however children who have previously started will be allowed to finish their stickers. All supplies are provided, however they are limited, and will be handed out on a first come, first served basis.

Diamond Art

On Wednesday, April 19, teens and adults are invited to join Ms. Alison at the library at 6 p.m. for a relaxing evening of Diamond Art. Each person who signs up will create a decorative coaster to take home with them! This class is free, and all

supplies will be provided, however space is limited. People interested in participating in this event can call the library, stop in at the front desk, or message us on Facebook.

Monday Movie of the Month

The Monday Movie of the Month for April 24, will be “I Wanna Dance With Somebody,” showing at 1 p.m. and at 6 p.m. Starring Naomi Ackie, Stanley Tucci, and Ashton Sanders, “I Wanna Dance With Somebody” is the joyous, emotional, and heartbreaking celebration of the life and music of Whitney Houston. Popcorn will be provided at both showings. Feel free to bring a lawn chair or cozy blanket for the show, you may also bring your own non-alcoholic beverages.

Foodie Friday

Foodie Friday will take place on Friday, April 28, from 3-4 p.m. We will be doing an Oreo taste testing! Drop by anytime during that hour to taste several types of Oreos and vote on your favorite. This drop-in event is free for children of all ages.

Kids Movie ‘Puss in Boots:

The Last Wish’

On Friday, April 28, At 1 p.m., we will show the kids movie “Puss in Boots: The Last Wish.” Children and families are invited to come enjoy the movie and free popcorn! Feel free to bring along a blanket or chair to cozy up in.

Activities at the Kewaskum Public Library

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National Library Week

Celebrate National Library Week 2023, April 23-29, at the library all month. Check out one of our Library of Things including our new Create at Home Checkout Craft Kits for a chance to win a gift card from a local business.

Preschool Storytimes

Preschool Storytimes are held on Wednesday, at 10:30 a.m., with Miss Kim. Join us for stories, songs and crafts.

• April 26 – Buzzing Bugs.

Earth Day Extravaganza – Kids Afterschool Program

Thursday, April 20, at 4 p.m., join us for all sorts of earth day activities targeted towards elementary aged children and their families. No registration necessary.

Library Closure

The library will be closed the morning of Friday, April 21, for a staff in-service. We will be open from 1-6 p.m.

Teen Brush & Slush

On Monday, April 24, at 3 p.m., join us for a relaxing afternoon of painting and delicious snacks. No registration is required, program is open to all tweens and teens.

Bookies Book Discussion Group

On Tuesday, April 25, at 9:30 a.m., join the Bookies as we discuss *The Good Left Undone* by Adriana Trigiani. New members are always welcome. No registration is necessary.

Coffee & Conversation - Mental Health and Seniors

On Tuesday, May 2, at 11 a.m., learn about the signs and symptoms of mental illness from the top three mental health conditions that often affect seniors, and how to cope with those conditions. Free coffee and pastry will be served. Please register in advance in-person, by phone or email. Presented by the National Alliance of Mental Illness of Washington County.

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My husband and I have different ideas about retirement. He envisions selling our home and purchasing a small-size motor home. He wants

to drive south in the winter and come back here in the summer, while also traveling the country. This from a man who cut our honeymoon days short because he hated being away from home. He is not a traveler and thinks everything we need to explore is in Wisconsin. So, I am unsure where this recent travel bug came from. I am not going to even mention maintaining a household in a 20- to-30-foot vehicle.

For me, when I retire, travel is not out of the question. However, I would prefer my home base to be on solid ground, not wheels and more than 500 square feet. In my retirement dreams I see myself spending a lot of time with my grandchildren. If I travel, it will involve crossing oceans and I don't think they make motor homes like that yet.

According to the Wisconsin Department of Health Services and U.S. Bureau of Census, more than a quarter of the population in Washington County is at or older than retirement age which is a little higher than the state average. Not all of

these retirees will be able to travel in a home or even stay at the homes they have been in for many years. Many will need to find living options that provide care beyond what they or their partner can offer. That is a life-changing situation and can be frightening for all involved, especially if this is not something they have planned for.

If it is something you or a loved one have been thinking about, I am sure there are many questions. Some things you might be pondering about could be what kinds of housing options there are, what is right for you and how much these would cost. Not everyone has money saved to get them through retirement and insurance coverage can be very confusing.

In fulfilling my mission to provide life-long learning to our citizens, I have brought an expert on-board to provide answers to your questions about senior living resources. Amanda from Cedar Community will be at the library on May 9, at 10:30 a.m. and will talk about what options there are for senior living either in your own home or elsewhere. She will discuss the different benefits which can help you decide what may be the best fit. She will also discuss hospice care on a different date.

This event is part of a new Coffee & Conversation program geared towards older adults. Besides senior living, I plan on having topics covering mental health, finances and Medicare. We will also be serving coffee and pastry.

No matter what you are doing for retirement, being informed about your options is smart. Whether I am living on wheels with my husband in the future, staying at home with lots of grand-kid time or anything else, I hope to be prepared for everything.

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

Recurring events:

- Every Monday & 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 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 Second & Fourth Sunday — Sheepshead tournament at Kewaskum Labor Hall, warm-up-11 a.m., tournament-1 p.m.
- Every Sunday — New Horizon United Church of Christ. Sunday worship (in-person, Facebook Live, YouTube) at 8:30 a.m. at 9663 Hwy 144 North, Town of Farmington. Info at www.newhorizonucc.org.

Special Events:

- Friday, April 21 – Kewaskum FFA Drive Thru Fish Fry, from 4:30-7 p.m., in front of the greenhouse at Kewaskum High School. Catered meal by “Let’s Get Roasted” by Jug’s Hitching Post includes breaded cod, French fries, rye bread, coleslaw, and tartar sauce. Tickets cost \$15 from Laatsch’s Piggly Wiggly in Kewaskum and in line at the event.
- Saturday, April 22 – Annual Spring River Cleanup from 9-11 a.m., at RiverHillPark, Upper Pavilion, in Kewaskum. For people who are passionate about earth-care and being a part of something greater than themselves, register online at MilwaukeeRiverKeeper.org, by clicking on Spring Cleanup to register at our site. Awesome free T-shirt and photo contest. If questions, call 414-207-1340.
- Sunday, April 23 – Hartford City Band Spring Concert, at 2:30 p.m., at the Schauer Arts Center, 147 N. Rural St. in Hartford. Concert is Free – no ticket required.
- Tuesday, April 25 – McTeacher Night at the Kewaskum McDonalds benefitting Farmington Elementary School on from 4-7 p.m. School teachers will be working at the restaurant and Farmington El will make 20% of the sales.
- Wednesday, April 26 – American Red Cross Blood Drive from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., at Kewaskum High School, 1510 Bilgo Ln.
- Thursday, April 27 – RESCHEDULED Fraud Awareness Seminar from 4-5 p.m., at the Kewaskum High School Theater. Free admission, treats provided. Presented by Westbury Bank in partnership with local law enforcement and the Kewaskum School District.
- Thursday, April 27 – Rain Barrel Workshop from 6-7:30 p.m. Free to public. Meet at the Riveredge

- Nature Center in Saukville to learn about stormwater collection through the use of rain barrels. One barrel per household, limited to first 20 families registered. Presented by Community Rivers Program – 262-375-2715; riveredgenaturecenter.org.
- Tuesday, May 2 – Storm Drain Stenciling, from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Meet near River Hill Park for storm drain cleanup and stenciling to prevent leaf litter and leftover pollution from entering the Milwaukee River. Learn how stormwater runoff impacts aquatic critters and plants. Presented by Community Rivers Program. Contact 262-375-2715 to register, or online at riveredgenaturecenter.org.
- Wednesday, May 3 – St. Mary’s Foundation Church in Little Kohler will be praying the Rosary for the month of May to the Immaculate Heart of our Mother Mary and the month of June for the Sacred Heart of Jesus, starting on May 3, at 7 p.m., in reparation for all the sins of the world, for world peace, for end of the war in Ukraine, for the end of abortion, for religious freedom, and harmony among all nations.
- Friday, May 5 – American Red Cross Blood Drive from 12:30-5:30 p.m., at Oakfield Community Center, 130 N. Main.
- Saturday, June 3 – Thirty-second annual Jake’s Fishing Day at River Hill Park in Kewaskum (west side of river for registration). Registration from 8:30-9 a.m.; fishing from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Door prizes for each child registered.
- Tuesday, May 23 – At the Kewaskum Public Library, meet as a community from 5-6:30 p.m., to explore thoughts, concerns and solutions regarding the health and quality of the Milwaukee River, our local freshwater source. No registration required. Presented by Community Rivers Program – 262-375-2715; riveredgenaturecenter.org.

County Board Approves Resolution Supporting Creation of a Pilot Community College System

The Washington County Board of Supervisors voted 19-2 at its meeting held on April 12, to approve a resolution that recommends the creation of a pilot community college concept combining the resources of UWM at Washington County (UWM-WC) and Moraine Park Technical College West Bend (MPTC) campus.

Josh Schoemann, county executive, created the UWM-Washington County Campus Task Force to formulate recommendations on the future of the campus. Recently, the group issued its report, “Findings, Solutions by Task Force on Higher Education in Washington County: A Community College Concept,” after conducting months of hearings, meetings, stakeholder interviews, research on other states’ two-year colleges, and campus tours. The full report can be found at tinyurl.com/HigherEducationTaskForceReport.

The UWM-WC Task Force is comprised of 11 members representing a broad cross-section of county government, business, academic and non-profit leaders (see list of members below), co-chaired by John Torinus, former CEO of Serigraph, and Paul Stangl, President of

Wisconsin Stamping. Torinus presented the Task Force results at the County Board meeting.

The task force found a new urgency and new focus after the closing of the UW-Platteville Richland campus, and then two days before this board meeting, the sudden announcement of the closure of Cardinal Stritch. This pilot could become a template for other two-year colleges in the state that are experiencing similar enrollment and fiscal issues.

“I thank the task force members for their diligence, and I praise the board’s action in approving the resolution. Now we can look forward to the next steps to explore the community college concept under the collaborative governance of Moraine Park Technical College,” said Schoemann. “It’s important to consider initiatives like this aimed at attracting and retaining the next generation in Washington County.”

Washington County does not have a four-year institution of higher education, and many attend the two-year campuses as a lower-tuition path to a four-year institution degree. The community college concept will require legislative and policy

actions.

UWM-Washington County Campus Task Force Members are:

Co-chair – John Torinus, former CEO of Serigraph

Co-chair – Paul Stangl, President of Wisconsin Stamping Allen Ericson – Froedtert Health

Amy Campbell – Assistant VP, West Bend Mutual Insurance

Christina Fiasca – Secretary - UWM Foundation; Secretary – UWM Research Foundation; Member of the UWM Board of Visitors; Senior VP at Northwestern Mutual-retired

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Campbellsport Middle School February Students of the Month

CAMPBELLSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Bella Sitzberger

The sixth-grade staff is excited to name Bella Sitzberger as our February student of the month.

February is the month of Valentine's and the honoring of many great people. It seems fitting to have Bella represent us during this month.

Bella is one of the kindest, hardest working students in the sixth grade. Bella has such a contagious positive attitude. It seems impossible to be near her and not want to smile.

We would like to thank Bella for her contributions to the sixth



Kiera Laverenz



Makayla Muckerheide



Bella Sitzberger

grade. Our sixth grade is a great group, and one of the key reasons is because of the impact Bella has had with the group.

Once again, thank you Bella for your amazing impact, and congratulations on becoming our student of the month.

Makayla Muckerheide

It is with great pleasure that the seventh grade team acknowledges Makayla with the February Student of the Month award. We have been noticing some spectacular traits over the first part of the school year, not just this month.

Makayla is a model student who takes care

to do her best and work towards achieving at the highest level. She is a young lady who steps up in class and goes above and beyond. Makayla even asks permission to help out teachers.

Makayla is also someone who takes care of her friends and peers. She is an active par-

ticipant in discussions and includes others in activities. Makayla is often seen laughing and enjoying her time here at Campbellsport Middle School.

Makayla and all those who know her should feel very proud to have Makayla in their lives.

Kiera Laverenz

The eighth-grade teachers are delighted to name Kiera Laverenz as our student of the month!

Kiera is one of the most genuine students to ever walk the eighth-grade hallways. She is kind to each and every person she comes across and is an amazing leader in the class-

room and in her extra-curriculars. It is hard to find her without a smile on her face!

Her graciousness towards teachers and students alike makes her more than deserving of this award. She is always willing to participate in class and work hard on all assignments. She is never afraid to ask questions or push her thinking further. She embraces a challenge like no other!

We are so fortunate to have Kiera as an eighth grader this year and know that she will accomplish big, incredible, and inspiring things in the future.

March Students of the Month

CAMPBELLSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Campbellsport High School is proud to announce their "Students of the Month" for the month of March.

Congratulations to Kaitlyn Vant Hoff, Kaylie Jandre, Noah Vander Grinten and Daniel Jaimes-Perez for being selected as the CHS Students of the Month in March.

Kaitlyn Vant Hoff

The Family and Consumer Education teachers, along with the CTE department, would like to nominate Kaitlyn Vant Hoff for student of the month.

We've had the pleasure of having Kaitlyn as a student both in the classroom setting as well as in advisory. Kaitlyn is very punctual; she arrives to class on time (often early), and turns in all assignments by the time they're due. She is efficient and motivated. Kaitlyn is a very hard worker and always puts 100% effort into what she does. If Kaitlyn has extra time in class, she willingly assists the teacher with whatever is needed, sometimes without having to be asked. She also exhib-



Daniel Jaimes-Perez, Noah Vander Grinten, Kaylie Jandre and Kaitlyn Vant Hoff were named "Student of the Month" in February at Campbellsport High School. **SUBMITTED**

its awesome leadership qualities - asking meaningful questions, participating often in class, and frequently helping peers. Kaitlyn is extremely kind to all classmates, and is also extremely respectful and polite to staff.

Kaitlyn really models exemplary behaviors in all school settings, which is why we have chosen her as student of the month.

Kaylie Jandre

I would like to nominate Kaylie Jandre for Spanish Student of the Month.

Kaylie has shown tremendous improvement in Spanish since the beginning of the

year. She is diligent in her studies and actively participates in classroom discussions and activities, always seeking to learn more and improve her skills. Kaylie grasps new vocabulary and grammar concepts quickly and consistently produces high-quality work, demonstrating impressive aptitude for language acquisition. She is not afraid to ask questions to deepen her understanding of a topic and increase her proficiency on the language-learning continuum.

Kaylie's dedication and commitment to learning Spanish has not gone unnoticed!

Noah Vander Grinten

This month the Science Department nominates Noah Vander Grinten as Student of the Month.

Noah works at 100% every day and comes to class with a smile on his face. He isn't afraid to speak up in a positive way to contribute to our class. He is always willing to help out his classmates when they might struggle with something he has already finished.

Noah has such a positive impact on our class and that is why we are proud to nominate him for Student of the Month.

Daniel Jaimes-Perez

I'd like to nominate Daniel Jaimes-Perez for the English Student of the Month.

Daniel is an absolute pleasure to have in class. He has an admirable work ethic and is always willing to participate even if he may not be 100 percent sure. He is a model student and has been able to maintain consistent excellence throughout the entirety of the school year. In English class, you can always count on Daniel to be nose down in a book or to provide valuable insight for the class to hear.

I applaud his commitment to achievement and the standard he

holds himself to.

All high school students are eligible for this honor. Students are nominated by their teachers and then chosen by department.

Teachers make their selections based upon attitude, effort, character, interest, and achievement, as exhibited in the classroom and school community. Administration, faculty, and staff are committed to developing future leaders in our community. We want to honor those who are striving each and every day to be those future leaders, who demonstrate this by their positive actions and behaviors.



Easter Basket Event at TLCS

Youngsters Ada and Eve receive Easter baskets on Saturday, April 1, during Trinity Lutheran Church and School's second annual Drive-Through Easter Basket Event for the community. One hundred-five baskets were distributed. There was also a collection taken that day for the Campbellsport Food Pantry. **SUBMITTED**

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Library Will Honor Late County Executive by Renaming its East-side Branch

New name, sign will be unveiled at April 21 event; public is invited to attend

FOND DU LAC PUBLIC LIBRARY

Allen Buechel's commitment to public libraries was clear.

During his 29 years as Fond du Lac County executive, he consistently supported libraries across the county with healthy annual budgets, right up until his passing in March 2022.

"He said, 'I will always support the library. Always,'" recalls his wife, Betty Buechel, who added, "A library always puts a smile on your face when you come in."

Allen's legacy of supporting literacy will be recognized by the Fond du Lac Public Library as it renames its east-side branch as the Allen J. Buechel Branch (formerly FDLPL Express). The branch is located on the northwest corner of the Festival Foods plaza off East Johnson Street and Country Lane.

The community is encouraged to gather at the Buechel Branch to honor the late county executive on Friday, April 21, at noon, as the library formally unveils the new name. The event will include brief remarks and light refreshments, and guests may view the new, permanent display honoring Allen inside the branch.

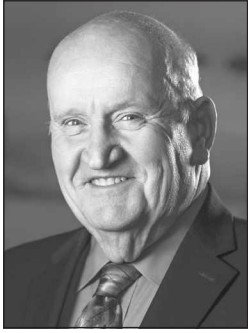
"Throughout his years as county executive, Allen Buechel helped the Fond du Lac Public Library thrive through his steadfast support," said Jon Mark Bolthouse, library director. "We feel honored to be able to recognize him through the new name for our branch."

Former Fond du Lac Public Library Director Ken Hall's admiration for Buechel was evident in 2014, when he and others nominated the county executive for the Wisconsin Library Association Citation of Merit — which Buechel received in November 2014.

In his nomination letter, Hall wrote, "Allen recognizes the myriad ways that libraries support democracy, literacy, diversity and the economic wellbeing of county residents. More than any other non-librarian I've known — and perhaps more than many librarians — Allen Buechel understands the broad impact of libraries on the communities he serves."

He added that Allen provided a "unique level of support" financially to ensure that even in the tough times, libraries could thrive.

Betty explained that her husband understood



During Allen Buechel's service as county executive from 1993 to 2022, he demonstrated his ardent support of libraries through strong funding in the county budget.

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the needs of the community and constantly took steps to ensure that its residents could thrive.

She noted that he loved the job — so much so that he became the longest serving county executive in state history — because "He could help everybody out. [Many] came to him for help, and he certainly gave them help. He didn't shove them aside or put them in the background. He got to it right away, and he loved the challenge."

An important part of that job, she explained, was supporting libraries.

"He felt it was important to have [libraries because of how they support] the community," she said, noting that he valued knowledge.

In 2014, then-County Board Supervisor Judy Goldsmith wrote of Allen's commitment to knowledge and to libraries.

In her nomination letter to the Wisconsin Library Association for Allen's citation of merit, she wrote, "In Allen Buechel I saw another believer in the power of libraries to change people's lives, to provide them with a wealth of resources they might otherwise not be able to access, that could provide them with learning, entertainment and valuable resources for their daily lives. His commitment has significantly enriched the lives of the people of our county more than we can probably ever know."

On Friday, April 21, Allen again will be honored for his ardent support of libraries as his name will be unveiled on the Fond du Lac Public Library's east-side branch. Betty thinks he would have found all the fuss a little embarrassing, but gratifying.

"He'd be so honored that [the library] did this. A little embarrassed, but honored. That's the way he was," she said. "... He'd be so honored ... And I know he's smiling."

County Board Approves Resolution Authorizing Sale of Samaritan Campus

WASHINGTON COUNTY

The Washington County Board of Supervisors at its meeting held on April 12, passed a resolution 13-8 approving the sale of Samaritan Campus. Several private sector nursing care organizations have expressed interest or provided letters of intent to purchase.

Both a Task Force formed by Josh Schoemann, county executive, in October 2020, and an Ad Hoc Committee established by the County Board in October 2022 reached similar conclusions on options for the county to consider regarding Samaritan's future to renovate, build a new facility, or enter a public/private partnership with the potential sale of the Samaritan to a private entity. Closing the facility was not under consideration.

The question before us was if the private sector can and will provide skilled nursing care for the current and future residents of Samaritan Campus, should Washington County create the space for the private sector to do so via a sale of licensed beds. The alternative, having the county remain in the business would result in remodeling the existing building or constructing a new campus.

After three years of discussions with the community; meetings with Samaritan staff, residents and their families; visits to more than a dozen other county-run nursing homes; reports from financial consultants; one task force and one ad hoc committee; and countless staff hours devoted to a workable resolution, the deliberations have concluded. Washington County remained focused on ensuring compassionate care of its elderly citizens while remaining accountable to the taxpayers.

"This is about the current and future residents at Samaritan and how best we can ensure they are cared for," said Schoemann. "I thank the County Board and members of both the 2021 Task Force and current Ad Hoc Committee for the diligent work they did which contributed to making a final decision and giving peace of mind to the people of Washington County. I am excited to proceed with a sale to a healthcare organization with proven success in the skilled nursing facility industry."

Schoemann also singled out Matt Furno, the Samaritan Campus administrator, for pouring his heart and soul into this effort for many years, Supervisor Linda Gurath and Kraig Sadownikow.

County Drive-Thru Prescription Drug Take Back Day is Saturday, April 22

The Washington Ozaukee Public Health Department, Ozaukee County Sheriff's Office, Sirona Recovery, Concordia University Wisconsin School of Pharmacy and Washington County Sheriff's Office, in cooperation with the Wisconsin Department of Justice (DOJ) and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), will participate in National Prescription Drug Take Back Day on Saturday, April 22, at the Ozaukee Transit Center in Port Washington, Concordia University in Mequon and the Washington County Highway Department in West Bend from 10 a.m.-2pm.

This effort will continue to bring focus to the issue of prescription painkiller abuse in Wisconsin. Drug Take Back Day provides a safe, convenient, and responsible means of disposal, while also educating the community about the potential abuse and consequences of improper storage and disposal of these medications. Unused or expired medicine should never be flushed or poured down the drain. Water reclamation facilities are not designed to remove all of them, and trace amounts of pharmaceuticals are showing up in rivers and lakes around the world.

Guidelines:

• All waste pharmaceuticals must be generated by a household — no businesses are allowed.

• Bring: Prescription (controlled and non-controlled) and over-the-counter medications, ointments, patches, inhalers, non-aerosol sprays, creams, vape cartridges and devices (with batteries removed), vials and pet medications.

• Do Not Bring: Illegal drugs, needles/sharps, mercury thermometers, aerosol cans, bio-hazardous materials (anything containing a bodily fluid or blood), flares, personal care products (shampoo, soaps, lotions, sunscreens, etc.), household hazardous waste (paint, pesticides, chemicals, oil, or gas), acids, or any vape devices containing batteries of any kind.

• Liquids will be accepted during this initiative. However, the liquids, creams and sprays must be in their original packaging. Liquids without the original packaging will not be accepted.

• Illicit substances such as marijuana or methamphetamine are not a part of this initiative and should not be placed in collection containers.

Ozaukee and Washington Counties continue to offer permanent drop boxes for year-round prescription medication disposal. Drop boxes are available during regular office hours at the Police Departments around the Counties. To find a location near you, visit doseofrealitywi.gov/find-a-take-back-location/.

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2023.

Heisler was informed in March that the DNR would bestow him this honor. He said he found out among special company.

"I got a call from [someone] at the DNR," recalled Heisler who was with his grandson, also a junior instructor with Campbellsport's hunter safety group. "She said, 'You were unanimously chosen as the DNR [2022 Instructor of the Year]. My grandson really lit up.'"

It's the second educator-of-the-year award handed to Heisler in short order. On Saturday, April 15, at the Wisconsin Wildlife Federation (WWF) Conservation Achievement Awards held at Hotel Mead in Wisconsin Rapids, Heisler received that organization's Hunter Safety Instructor of the Year award. The award, according to WWF, is given "for outstanding hunter education and safety training efforts by an individual volunteer or organization for an extended period of time, or such

efforts resulting in development of an innovative and successful method of educating novice hunters in hunter safety."

"Apparently this is the first time that both awards were received by the same person," added Heisler, saying it's been emotional to get recognized for four-plus decades of dedication to the community.

WWF Executive Director Mark LaBarbera said Heisler's commitment is inspirational.

"Rick inspires fellow Wildlife Federation members across Wisconsin and other people in the Campbellsport-Kewaskum area who see him recruit and engage youth and adults in safe, healthy outdoor activities, including how he welcomes people with disabilities as students and instructors," said LaBarbera.

Heisler recognized his junior and senior instructors that aid his local classes when receiving the duo of honors.

"It's a solid team effort," he said. "I could not do this without my junior and senior instructors.

I can't say enough about how good this team is."

More DNR Awards

The 2022 Group of the Year is the Waupaca Hunter Safety Group.

The Waupaca Hunter Safety Group consistently provides year-round hunter education opportunities in both the traditional and internet and field day courses. They have a large and active group and are continuously recruiting instructors and junior instructors. The pride they exhibit in their community and their teaching shines brightly as they emphasize safety at every opportunity. Working closely with their regional Outdoor Skills Trainer (OST), they have analyzed and implemented several enhancements to their program offerings to better the experience for both the instructor and the student.

To learn more about nominating an instructor or becoming an instructor yourself, visit the DNR's Instructor Corner at dnr.wisconsin.gov/Volunteer/InstructorCorner.

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
VILLAGE OF CAMPBELLSPORT BARTON ROAD LIFT STATION UPGRADE
VILLAGE OF CAMPBELLSPORT FOND DU LAC COUNTY, WI

The Village of Campbellsport will receive and accept bids ONLY through QuestCDN.com via the online electronic bid service (QuestvBid) for the construction of Barton Road Lift Station Upgrade until April 25, 2023 at 2:00 PM. All bids will be downloaded and publicly read aloud during a virtual public bid opening that will be held at the day and time of the bid closing. All planholders will receive information via Quest on how to join the virtual meeting prior to the bid opening.

The work for which bids are asked includes the following:

The project includes the complete replacement of the existing Barton Road Lift Station with a new duplex pump packaged above grade valve vault structure housed in a pre-fabricated building with below grade concrete wet well. Work includes electrical power and control system, erosion control, horizontal directional drilling (HDD) of new 4-inch forcemain, new gravel parking lot extension, removal and abandonment of existing lift station, site grading and restoration.

The anticipated substantial completion date is April 1, 2024 and final completion date is June 7, 2024.

Planholders list will be updated interactively on our web address at <http://www.msa-ps.com> under Bidding.

Copies of the BIDDING DOCUMENTS are available at www.questcdn.com. QuestCDN Vbid system requires Bidders to purchase BIDDING DOCUMENTS from QuestCDN. You may download the digital plan documents for \$45.00 by inputting Quest eBidDoc #8446917 on the website's Project Search page. Please contact QuestCDN.com at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in free membership registration, downloading, and working with the digital project information.

No proposal will be accepted unless accompanied by a certified check or bid bond equal to at least 5% of the amount bid, payable to the OWNER as a guarantee that, if the bid is accepted, the bidder will execute and file the proper contract and

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bond within 15 days after the award of the contract. 1702 Pankratz Street, Madison, WI 53704. The certified check or bid bond will be returned to the bidder as soon as the contract is signed, and if after 15 days the bidder shall fail to do so, the certified check or bid bond shall be forfeited to the OWNER as liquidated damages.

No bid may be withdrawn within 60 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The minimum wages to be paid on the project shall be in accordance with Federal Davis Bacon Wage Rates. Federal wage rates can be found at <https://sam.gov/content/wage-determinations>. Be aware that project Administrators, Bidders, and Contractors are required to use the latest federal wage rate available at the time of bid opening.

This project anticipates use of Wisconsin DNR Clean Water Fund Program funding. We encourage Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs), including Minority-owned Business Enterprises (MBEs), and Women's Business Enterprises (WBEs) to submit bid proposals. A municipality, in awarding prime contracts, and the primary engineer and primary contractor, in awarding subcontractors, are required to make a good faith effort to achieve a combined minimum goal of 15% participation for MBE/WBE utilization in accordance with s.NR 162.09(3), s.NR 166.12(4), and s.NR 167.18(4) Wis. Admin. Code. If a subcontractor awards subcontracts, these requirements shall apply to the subcontractor.

The Contractor shall conform to the "Use of American Iron and Steel" provision of H.R. 3547 Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2014, section 436, including all iron and steel products used in the project. Bid Proposals may be denied if the requirements of this section are not met and waivers are required. EPA guidance for the use of American Iron and Steel (AIS) can be found at http://water.epa.gov/grants_funding/aisrequirement.cfm.

OWNER reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Published by the authority of the Village of Campbellsport.

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NOTICE
VILLAGE OF EDEN
2023 OPEN BOOK

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Assessor. Will be holding office hours by phone, email and in person, on

Thursday April 25, 2023 from 9:00 am to 11:00 am

For anyone having questions concerning their assessed values or to set up an appointment to meet with the Assessor. contact Bowmar Appraisals by phone or email.

920-733-5369
 bowmar@sbcglobal.net

Kari Schlefke
 Clerk/Treasurer
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OPEN BOOK
VILLAGE OF CAMPBELLSPORT
FOND DU LAC COUNTY

NOTICE IS HEREBY

GIVEN pursuant to s. 70.45 Wis Stats that the assessment roll for the 2023 assessment year will be open for examination by phone starting April 26, 2023, from 10:00am - noon. **OPEN BOOK sessions will be conducted by phone.** If you would like to set up a phone appointment, please contact Bowmar Appraisal, Inc. at (920) 733-5369 during regular business hours (M-F, 8:30-4:30) no later than 3 days prior to the Board of Review.

BOARD OF REVIEW

NOTICE IS FURTHER

GIVEN that the **BOARD OF REVIEW** for the Village of Campbellsport of Fond du Lac County will be held on **Wednesday May 10, 2023 from 1:00p.m. - 3:00 p.m.** at the Campbellsport Municipal Center, 470 Grandview Ave. Campbellsport. Anyone wishing to file an objection must contact the Village Clerk to complete and submit the required objection form prior to appearing before the Board of Review. Call 920-533-8321 **Shelby Sarauer - Clerk**

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NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF REVIEW FOR THE VILLAGE OF EDEN
 2023

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Review for the Village of Eden, Fond du Lac County shall hold its first meeting on May 15, 2023. The time of this meeting is 6:00pm until 8 pm. The meeting will be held in the Village of Eden Office, 104 Pine Street, Eden, WI 53019.

Please be advised of the following requirements to appear before the

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Board of Review and procedural requirements if appearing before the Board:

No person shall be allowed to appear before the Board of Review to testify to the Board by telephone or to contest the amount of any assessment of real or personal property if the person has refused a reasonable written request by certified mail of the Assessor to view such property.

After the first meeting of the Board of Review and before the Board's final adjournment, no person who is scheduled to appear before the Board of Review may contact, or provide information to, a member of the board about the person's objections except at a session of the Board.

No person may appear before the Board of Review, testify to the Board by Telephone, or contest the amount of assessment unless, at least 48 hours before the first meeting of the Board or at least 48 hours before the objection is heard if the objection is allowed because the person has been granted a waiver of the 48 hours notice of an intent to file a written objection by appearing before the Board during the first two hours of the meeting and showing good cause for failure to meet the 48 hour notice requirement and files a written objection, that the person provides to the Clerk of the Board of Review notice as to whether the person will

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ask for removal of any Board members and, if so, which member will be removed and the person's reasonable estimate of the length of time that the hearing will take.

When appearing before the Board of Review, the person shall specify, in writing, the person's estimate of the value of the land and the improvements that are the subject of the person's objection and specify the information that the person used to arrive at that estimate.

No person may appear before the Board of Review, testify to the Board by Telephone or subject or object to a valuation: if that valuation was made by the Assessor or the Objector using the income method; unless the person supplies the Assessor all of the information about income and expenses, as specified in the manual under Sec. 73.03(2a), that the Assessor requests, the Village of Eden has an Ordinance for the Confidentiality of information about income and expenses that is provided to the Assessor under this paragraph which provides exemptions for persons using information in the discharge of duties imposed by law or of the duties of their office or by order of a court. The information that is provided under this paragraph, unless a court determined that it is inaccurate, is not subject to the right of inspection

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and copying under Section 19.35(l) of Wis. Statutes.

The Board shall hear upon oath, by telephone, all ill or disabled persons who present to the Board a letter from a physician, surgeon or osteopath that confirms their illness or disability. No other persons may testify by telephone.

Respectfully Submitted,
 Kari Schlefke
 Clerk/Treasurer
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
TOWN OF AUBURN

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Public Hearing will be held by the PLAN COMMISSION of the Town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County, Wisconsin on Monday, May 8, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. in the Auburn Town Hall, W1728 Sunset Drive, Campbellsport, at which time the PLAN COMMISSION will consider the application for the following special exception:

For applicant, Travis Kaufert, the Petition is for the sale of fireworks out of a lockable enclosed trailer from dates June 1st – July 9th at the following premises: S33 T13E R19E Lot 1 CSM#6099-40-80LOC in SW ¼ of the SW ¼ of the Town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County, Wisconsin. The property address is N192 US-45, Kewaskum, WI.

All interested persons will be given an

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Project No. 100.142

April 14, 2023

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Eden Community Center
 Parking Lot Improvements
 Village of Eden, Wisconsin

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the following WORK will be received by the Village of Eden, Wisconsin until 1:00 P.M. on May 4, 2023, at the offices of JE Arthur and Associates, 548 N. Prairie Road, Fond du Lac Wisconsin, 54935. The proposals will be publicly opened and read at that time. Action on the award is expected to be taken at the regularly scheduled board meeting of the Village of Eden at 6:30 P.M. on May 16, 2023.

Principal items of construction include:

1	L.S.	Common Excavation
3368	S.Y.	Pulverized and Re-laid Pavement
581	Ton	Asphalt Pavement
1	L.S.	Pavement Marking
1	L.S.	Restoration

The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, including DRAWINGS and SPECIFICATIONS, may be obtained at the office of J.E. Arthur and Associates, Inc., 548 Prairie Road, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935, upon the deposit of fifty-five dollars (\$55.00) for full size plans and specification book each set. If CONTRACT DOCUMENTS are to be mailed, include a separate, non-returnable fee of \$20.00 for postage and handling charges. Alternately the plans may be emailed or downloaded from our website (<https://jeaaa.com/current-projects/>) free of charge. The deposit will be refunded to those parties returning the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, including DRAWINGS and SPECIFICATIONS, in good condition not later than ten days after the opening of the BIDS. Each proposal shall be submitted on the standard proposal form included in the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS. The entire CONTRACT DOCUMENTS shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope and endorsed on the outside: "EDEN COMMUNITY CENTER PARKING LOT IMPROVEMENTS, VILLAGE OF EDEN, WISCONSIN."

Each proposal SHALL be accompanied by a certified check or bank draft payable to the Village of Eden, or a satisfactory BID BOND in an amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the BID as a guarantee that if the proposal is accepted, a CONTRACT will be entered into, and the performance of the CONTRACT is properly secured.

The letting of the above-described WORK is subject to the provisions of Section 66.0901 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

The successful BIDDER will be required to furnish a satisfactory PERFORMANCE BOND and a Labor and Material Bond in the sum of the full amount of the CONTRACT(S).

No BID shall be withdrawn after the opening of BIDS without the consent of the Village of Eden for a period of forty-five (45) days after the scheduled time of closing BIDS.

The Village of Eden reserves the right to reject any or all BIDS, to waive any informalities in bidding and select the BIDS that will best serve the interests of the Village.

Published by authority of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Eden, Wisconsin on April 20th and 27th, 2023.

Kari Schlefke, Clerk
 Village of Eden

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opportunity to be heard.
Dated this 22st day of March, 2023.

The Town Board may be in attendance.

Jodi St. Charles,
Secretary Plan
Commission
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Town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County

Pursuant to Wis. Stat/70.45, the assessment roll for the Year 2023 assessment will be open for examination by making an appointment with Clerk Berg, 920-517-0672.

Additionally, the assessors shall be available on the 4th day of May from 12:30 pm – 2:30 pm at the

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Auburn Town Hall, W1728 Sunset Dr., Campbellsport, WI

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

Bonnie Berg, Auburn Clerk

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

**Village of Kewaskum
204 First Street,
Kewaskum, WI 53040
April 25, 2023, 7:00 P.M.**

To Whom It May Concern:

Village of Kewaskum,
Wisconsin

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Plan Commission of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, will conduct the following public hearings at 7:00 p.m., or shortly thereafter on Tuesday, April 25, 2023 at the Kewaskum Village Municipal Building, 204 First Street.

A public hearing on an amendment to the Village of Kewaskum Comprehensive Plan 2050; and

A public hearing at the request of J. Fleischman Solutions LLC to re-zone the parcel(s) of land located 4283 State Hwy 28 from A-1 Agriculture to M-2 General Manufacturing. Parcel ID's: V4_0809 and V4_0810.

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

Tammy Butz

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PUBLIC NOTICE

PLAN COMMISSION MEETING

TOWN OF EDEN

FOND DU LAC COUNTY

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that at 7:00 p.m. (note the time change) on May 2, 2023, at the Eden Community Center, the Town of Eden Plan Commission will meet to consider the application of Steve Stepaniuk and Brad Buechel/Meridian Surveying for a Special Use Permit to section off 23.580 acres by CSM from the property west of 4010 Scenic Drive, Campbellsport, WI in order to sell the property. Parcels included in the request will remain in Farmland Preservation. The Property ID number is T06-14-18-33-06-004-00. The Plan Commission will make a recommendation to the Town of Eden Board.

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

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that at its regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, May 8, 2023, the Town of Eden Town Board will receive the Plan Commission's recommendations, and may take action regarding whether to approve, conditionally approve, or deny the requests. All

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interested parties are encouraged to attend.

Marion Blakely, Chair
Town of Eden Plan
Commission

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Kewaskum School District Board of Education Regular Meeting
Thursday, March 16, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President Leister in the Kewaskum High School located at 1510 Bilgo Lane, Kewaskum, WI.

Roll Call of Board members present: Dennis Aupperle, Stephanie Bird, Jim Leister, Ric Leitheiser, Sue Miller, Bradley Petersen, Timothy Ramthun.

Following a moment of silence, Dr. Bazata verified that the meeting had been posted pursuant to §19.84(1)(2)(3)(4).

TRamthun/BPetersen motion to move agenda item 4. Public Comments before item 2. Recognition. Motion passed 6-0-1. JLeister abstained.

Consent Agenda

BPetersen/SMiller motion to approve the consent agenda including; minutes - February 9, 2023; With Appreciation Instructional Retirements - Robin Dorst KHS FAC Teacher; Instructional Resignations - Rebecca Kohl Special Education Teacher; Extra-Curricular Resignations - Arthur Marquardt KHS Boys Bowling; Extra-Curricular Hires - James Burg Head Volleyball Coach, Robyn Nichols Spring Play Advisor, Bruce Towell Spring Play Assistant, Steven Czisny Boys Head Tennis Coach, Jared Chesak JV Baseball Coach, Kay Czisny JV Boys Tennis Coach, Rita Szukalski KES Girls Intramurals. Motion passed 7-0.

Items for Discussion and/or Action

RLeitheiser/TRamthun motion to approve payroll report for \$1,350,185.87. Motion passed 7-0.

RLeitheiser/SMiller motion to approve accounts payable for \$907,286.09. Motion passed 7-0.

JLeister/SMiller motion to approve the Early College Credit Program and Start College Now requests not to exceed \$7,189.00. Motion passed 7-0.

TRamthun/JLeister motion to table item 7.d Support Staff and Teaching Staff Compensation Models until April 13, 2023 regular board meeting. Motion passed 6-1. SBird opposed.

TRamthun/DAupperle motion to approve 66.0301 School Nutrition Purchasing Cooperative Agreement for the 2023/24 school year as presented at a cost of \$300. Motion passed 7-0.

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Purchases over \$7,500 for Discussion and/or Action

RLeitheiser/SMiller motion to compensate ISCorp for their service for the 2023-24 school year in the amount of \$10,368. Motion passed 7-0.

RLeitheiser/DAupperle motion to approve RiseTech Partners for \$52,200 yearly for the upcoming three school years (23-24 through 25-26) for a year cost of \$38,550 yearly after the e-Rate discount. Motion passed 7-0.

RLeitheiser/SMiller motion to approve the payment to CyberCare for the gold level service contract for \$9,995.00. Motion passed 7-0.

RLeitheiser/DAupperle motion to approve Dillet Mechanical for KES Chiller repair in the amount of \$16,675. Motion passed 6-0-1. JLeister abstained.

RLeitheiser/BPetersen motion to approve the purchase of StudySync from McGraw Hill as an English Language Arts Curriculum Resource for grades 9-12 in the amount of \$51,787.64. Motion passed 7-0.

RLeitheiser/SMiller motion to approve the professional development provided by the Mathematics Institute of Wisconsin in the amount of \$13,150. Motion passed 7-0.

Closed Session Pursuant to State Statute 19.85(1)(c)

BPetersen/TRamthun motion to adjourn to closed session to consider the benefits of employees, contracts, and employee performance. Motion passed 7-0.

Open session ended at 8:19 p.m.

Open session reconvened at 8:29 p.m.

SBird/SMiller motion to approve the District contribution increase of \$250 family and \$125 single. Motion passed 7-0.

DAupperle/JLeister motion to approve SRO Contract for the 2023/24 and 2024/25 school years. Motion passed 7-0.

Adjournment
SBird/JLeister motion to adjourn meeting. Motion passed 7-0.

Meeting adjourned at 9:32 p.m.

Minutes by: Lisa Heiser, Executive Assistant

Approved: March 16, 2023 Board President: Jim Leister

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Village of Campbellsport
Regular Village Board Meeting Minutes
Monday, March 13, 2023 - 6 pm

Campbellsport Municipal Center
Community Room - 470 Grandview

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

CAMPBELLSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Eden Elementary School Library, Room 28
Enter Through Door "J"

210 North Elizabeth Street
Eden WI 53019

Monday, April 24, 2023 • 7:30 p.m.

This is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is a time for public participation during the meeting as indicated in the agenda.

1. Call to order
2. Public notice of the meeting was provided in accordance with Chapter 19.84 of Wisconsin Statutes
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Administer Oath of Office for newly elected Board members
5. Public Comment: The Board recognizes the value of public comment on educational issues and the importance of allowing members of the public to express themselves on District matters. The school board may ask questions for clarification, and briefly discuss the matter as permitted in accordance with State Statute, but may not take any action on an item unless it is on the agenda. All citizens are asked to sign in and identify themselves before speaking. Public comments will be limited to two minutes.
6. Announcements/Recognitions
 - a. Campbellsport High School updates by student representative Brady Bania.
 - b. Discussion with appropriate action to approve Sigma donation to Student Needs account
7. Approval of meeting minutes
 - a. April 3, 2023 Board meeting
8. Approval of expenses, payroll, and receipts
9. Reports:
 - a. District Administrator
 - i. School/Principal Updates
 - ii. District Updates
 - b. Board Committee Updates
 - i. Curriculum and Technology - met on March 27, 2023
 - ii. Facilities - schedule meeting in May
 - iii. Finance - schedule meeting in May
 - iv. Personnel - schedule meeting in mid-April
 - v. Policy - reschedule April 20, 2023 meeting
 - vi. Safety and Transportation - schedule meeting in May
10. Election of Officers for 2023-24
11. Unfinished Business:
 - a. Review and discuss proposed Board meeting dates for 2023-24
12. New Business:
 - a. Discussion with appropriate action regarding approval of:
 - i. Resignations/retirements
 - ii. Hires
13. Items for Future Agenda and/or Research:
 - a. Board Member Requests For Information
14. Closed Session – the Board will convene to closed session pursuant to §19.85 (1); 19.85 (1) (c), Wis. Stats. for the purposes of:
 - a. Approval of the following closed session meeting minutes:
 - i. April 4, 2023 Board meeting
 - b. Discussion considering the employment, compensation, or performance of an employee over which the Board has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility.
15. The Board will reconvene in open session and may take appropriate action as a result of the discussion in closed session
16. Adjourn

This notice may be supplemented with additions to the agenda that come to the attention of the board prior to the meeting. A final agenda will be posted and provided to the media no later than 24 hours prior to the meeting or no later than 2 hours prior to the meeting in the event of an emergency.

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

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TOWN OF AUBURN LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATIONS

NOTICE IS HEARBY GIVEN that the following persons have made applications to the Town Board of the Town of Auburn, Fond du Lac County, Wisconsin, for licenses for the 2023-2024 licensing period:

CLASS B COMBINATION FERMENTED MALT BEVERAGE AND INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSES:

- Ree Mies, for B & B Brothers LLC, DBA Auburn Bluffs Golf Course, N2019 N. River Rd., Campbellsport
- Vinson Egle for Curve In, N192 Hwy 45, Kewaskum
- Sean Collins, Kettle Moraine Supper Club, W497 Cty Rd SS, Campbellsport
- Michael Kober for Amusement Enterprises, LLC, Mike's Bar and Grill, N1635 Hwy GGG, Campbellsport
- Dawn McCambridge for Rusty Saddle Ranch Corp, N412 Cty Rd S, Kewaskum
- Dan Thull for Trollops, N1690 Hwy 45, Campbellsport
- Laura Kieler, 3 Sweets Bakery, N2245 US Hwy 45, Campbellsport
- Laura Kieler, 3 Sweets Bakery, Mauthe Lake Rec Area, N1490 Co. Rd GGG, Campbellsport

CLASS A FERMENTED MALT & INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSES:

- James Zahn for Zahn's Trading Post, W476 Cty Rd SS, Campbellsport

CLASS B MALT BEVERAGE LICENSES:

- Mike Paul, agent for New Fane Sportsmen's Club, Inc, N829 Hwy G, Campbellsport

Bonnie Berg, CMC
Town of Auburn

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Notice was posted at the National Exchange Bank, Campbellsport Library, Village Municipal Center, on the Village website and published in the Campbellsport News.

Pledge of Allegiance
All Board members present

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

Motion by Miller, Hafemann to approve the 3 Operator licenses listed, Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Zielieke, Hafemann to approve a Temporary liquor licenses for St. Matthews Cabin Fever event, Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Zielieke, Wenzlaff to approve payment of invoices totaling \$97,879.34. Motion carried, 7-0.

Chief Dowland reported that of the items she reported needing last month, she was able to order most of them at a reduced cost. Officer Multer received a letter of commendation for how he handled a death investigation. Officer Schnell has accepted a full time position with the Waupun PD. His last day is March 24th. The cost of parking violations and other tickets will be increasing to begin at \$30.00 each to match wording in our ordinance. Officers Schnell, Multer & Benike attended Active Shooter training. The funds received from the Piggly Wiggly round up will be used to purchase an officer safety shield. There has been a variety of violations handled in the last month by our department.

Motion by Zielieke, Schwai to accept the PW Committee recommendation to contract with GFL for Trash & Recycling services. Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Hafemann, Schwai to approve Resolution 23-3 Authorizing a representative to file an Application for Financial Assistance from the Dept. of Natural resources WI Assessment Money Fund. Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Hafemann, Wenzlaff to approve Resolution 23-4 amending the 2023 Budget. Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Zielieke, Miller to approve Resolution 23-5 CDBG Citizen Participation Plan. Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Miller, Wenzlaff to approve changing the address of Reliable of Milwaukee to 480 Campbellsport Dr. Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Zielieke, Wenzlaff to approve the Public Works Recommendation allowing Admin. Kudy to

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immediately approve the purchase of a Wastewater pickup that meets their requirements and not to exceed \$50,000.00. Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Hafemann, Zielieke to approve the Plan Commission recommendation to create an out lot for the new Barton Rd. Lift Station pending a signed purchase agreement with Perrons. Motion carried, 7-0

Motion by Zielieke, Schwai to allow MSA to advertise for bids for the Barton Rd. Lift Station Project pending a signed purchase agreement. Motion carried, 7-0

Announcements:
Kudy announced that summer street and park projects are on track. Sarauer announced that next month we will have the Re-Organizational meeting on Tuesday April 18th with the new Village Board handling the assignments. Danielle Reseburg is working full time in the Village Hall office and is doing well.

Motion by Zielieke, Hafemann to adjourn at 7:00 PM. All in favor

Respectfully submitted,
Shelby Sarauer Clerk-Treasurer

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KHS SOFTBALL

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Leitheiser led the offense by reaching base four times, with three hits, a walk, a double and a triple. Clausing and Rettler also had multiple hits for the Indians. Rettler pitched in with four RBIs and Prochnow scored three times. Kewaskum had 13 hits as a team and every starter had at least one hit. The Indians had zero errors in the contest.

“Plymouth is a good team...they are always a good team,” said Head Coach Chris Sabish. “I knew we would be in for a battle. We’ve had a good balance of good pitching, good defense, and some timely hitting. The girls have worked hard, so it is good to see some of it come to fruition. I’m proud of them and happy for them.”



Kewaskum’s Bella Hooker competes in the high jump at a home conference meet held last week Tuesday. Hooker took fifth place in the event.

BREANNA RICE PHOTOS



Madi Dogs prepares for an attempt at the high jump. Dogs took first place in the event on Tuesday, April 11, at Kewaskum High.

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Naturally, we had an electric chainsaw (I want one), and Doug, who makes his own moose and venison brats, cooked lunch. I do not think I have ever ate a better brat. We were supposed to be home around 6 p.m. for the fish fry and figured we would leave at 4:30 because we had many miles to travel.

Yours truly had three very pretty walleye to fillet in the 19-inch range; caught by Queen Elizabeth.

Human error kind of played into the day as Doug’s watch had quit and, for a very long time, we thought it was 3:55 p.m. At 5:55, we realized our problem and got the heck out of Dodge as quick as we could and a great fish fry was had by the King, Queen and the Young, Charming and very handsome Prince.

Short history!

When I worked for Pete in the bush, I did not want to go town, and I was alone a lot of the time. I was camp manager but also was flown to outposts by bush plane and I built docks, decks and cut wood. Pete and I were an incredible team and there was a period of time that I was his only employee. We worked each day until it was dark and that is late in the Canadian bush. I would cook supper and each of us would have two bottles of Labatts.



A Yamaha “skidoo” on track in Canada.

MARK WALTERS PHOTOS

I learned to call moose from Pete simply because we were in the bush, in the early evening when the wind let go, we would sit on the shoreline and say the word “Orrrrrrr” in a very long drawn out way. What a thrill it was to see a bull or a cow appear on a shoreline looking for a friend.

I started by saying I began writing from the Canadian bush, this column was called North of the Border, I was 27 and in another month it will be 34-years old.

Happy 85th, Pete!

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Honor Thy Friend

MARK WALTERS
COLUMNIST

So, as many of you may know, I started writing while working and living in the Canadian bush at Chimo Lodge and Outposts. I started this column in 1989, and my good friends Pete and Elizabeth Hagedorn, the owners of Chimo, get a visit from me each April for Pete's birthday.

SATURDAY, APRIL 1
HIGH 33, LOW 21

The Chevy Hotel would add another 1,400 miles to her speedometer, there was 40-inches of ice in north-west Ontario and I love coming up here in April. Life is much different than we know it in Wisconsin but kind of the same. You can add 60 days to winter and subtract 20 degrees from the daily high and low (as in comparison to Stevens Point).

I have many friends here that I met in the '80s and '90s, and the main pastimes are skidooring (which in Wisconsin is snowmobiling), hockey (which even men my age – early 60s – play), curling and, of course, ice fishing.

I spent three full days at Pete and Elizabeth's and ice fish each day.



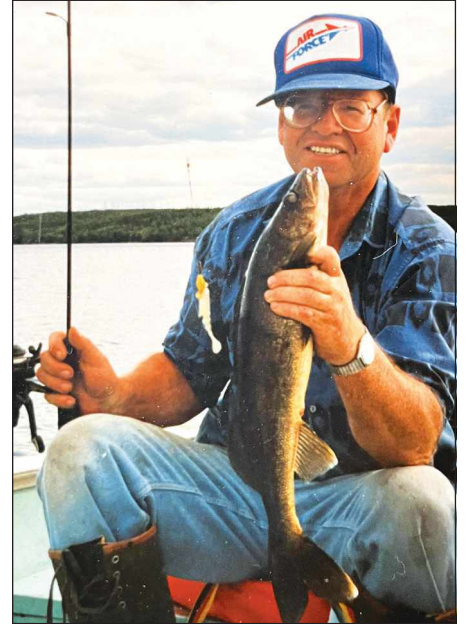
Mark's good buddies Pete Hagedorn and Doug Vandusen of Red Lake, Ontario, Canada. **MARK WALTERS PHOTOS**

One of my very good friends is Doug Vandusen. He is also 61 and has raised four very happy and successful boys who live near their dad. They are now young men and are avid moose hunters at their fly-in moose camp and also have a deer camp near Dryden. These kids are

tough with both common sense and get-out-there-and-do-it attitudes.

Today, Pete, Doug and I went for a 30-minute ride for a day of fishing, which covered several miles of Canadian bush in Doug's Yamaha 800 UTV on tracks. Doug is a true bushman and has learned through years of experience that UTVs on wheels do not go far in slush or snow, so this year he made the financial plunge and purchased tracks.

Our goal was to have a good time with the King of this group, which was actually three days of fun and adventure, and the lake we fished was loaded with small northern pike; as in, at least 65 caught and re-



Pete Hagedorn, former owner of Chimo Lodge and Outposts, after a day of making some meat back in the early '90s with Mark Walters.

leased under three-pounds.

We were after walleye, and our plan was to have a fish fry that evening. Elizabeth Hagedorn is 91, the boss of this operation, and wanted fish for supper.

Let me tell ya, friends; this was day two, and catching walleye was not coming easy. For some reason this winter, across the entire northland, I have heard of a slow bite when it comes to ice fishing success and that is the same story I was hearing north of the border.

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Kyle Murphy	12
Trevor Rowe	12
Austin Cissa	11
Karsten Krueger	11
Calvin Peterson	11
Carson Reis	11
Caden Vollendorf	11
Brock Bentz	10
Andrew Graves	10
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PRESENTS Athlete Spotlight

Autumn Rabe – Kewaskum Indian

Name: Autumn Rabe
School: Kewaskum High School
Sports: Soccer
Talk about a challenge you have had to overcome:

I have definitely struggled a lot in high school, just as everyone else has. I have grown to learn several things about myself and had to overcome many challenges I never thought I would face. I was diagnosed with Narcolepsy in January of my senior year but had dealt with symptoms the year prior. Attending school was very difficult for me since I had a really hard time waking up in the morning, as well as staying awake during the day. I, overall, had to learn to push myself, and appreciate the efforts I was making no matter how small. Along this obstacle, I have had several people supporting me, but this experience was and still currently is one of the hardest challenges I have had to overcome.

What has been your greatest high school accomplishment?

I was one of the top 20 chosen to join the Kewaskum Impact Crew to mentor elementary school students.

What is one thing most people do not know about you?



I have an older sister.

What are your college aspirations?

To attend the University of Minnesota Crookston for academics and athletics (Women's Soccer)

What grade do you wish you could go back to?

I wish I could go back to ninth grade so I could restart high school, really live in the moment and enjoy the environment and the people around me.

What advice would you give to the freshmen?

Soak in the now, and the moments and things you are currently experiencing. Don't worry about the future.

Who is your favorite coach or teacher?

Luke Piwoni

What celebrity would you most like to meet?

Billie Eilish or Emma Chamberlain

because they seem the most authentic to me and I desperately need their fashion advice.

What is your dream job?

Teaching kids

Do you have any nicknames?

Auti was given to me by my dad. No one else calls me this, which makes it even more special.

What makes a good leader?

Initiative and having a purpose to lead

What is one place you would like to visit?

Hawaii

What is your game day tradition?

My left shin guard sleeve needed to have the yellow Nike symbol, and my right the white Nike symbol. I ended up losing one shinguard sleeve from each pair and combined them and kept them mismatched throughout my high school career.

What is your favorite hobby outside of school?

Traveling! I love to go camping and hiking during the summer with my family. It's an amazing experience to get out across the country and see new things.

Do you have any pets?

Three dogs and a rabbit. My rabbit, Malibu, is a rescue and came

from a hoarding situation, and has a difficult time trusting humans. She is a lionhead rabbit so she has loads of fur making a mane around her head. My dogs are all different breeds, including a Goldendoodle, a Cockapoo, and a Cavachon. The Cavachon is five years old and her name is Ellie, the Goldendoodle, Nitro, is around eleven years old and is male along with the Cockapoo, Murphy. My family has had Murphy since I was one year old, so he is almost seventeen years old, and he has been my pet best friend since.

Favorite summer break activity: Going to the beach or hiking

Favorite Movies: *Five Feet Apart* and *Tangled*

Favorite snack:

Pickles

Favorite songs:

"Virgo" by Victor Internet and "Motion Sickness" by Phoebe Bridgers

Early bird or night owl?

Night owl

Favorite cereal:

Honey Nut Cheerios

Warm weather or cold weather?

Warm weather

Favorite beverage:

Apple juice or McDonald's Coke

Kewaskum Loses to Plymouth at Home

KHS BASEBALL

The Kewaskum Indians (2-2) watched the game slip away early and couldn't recover in a 17-12 loss to the Plymouth Panthers (2-3) on Tuesday, April 11.

Plymouth scored nine runs in the first three innings before the Indians were able to plate three in the bottom of the third on RBIs from Sam Ciriacks, Donny Zillmer and Hunter Loser.

The score remained 9-3 until the bottom of the sixth inning when the Indians cut the Panther lead in half to make the score 9-6 going into the seventh inning. The Indians got RBIs in the frame from a pinch-hit double by Austin Reichel, a ground-out by Andrew Reichert and a Ciriacks single.

The top of the seventh did not go as planned for the Indians as they struggled to find the strike zone, walking and hitting seven of the first eight batters. Following that up with Panther hits, the Indians were down 17-6. They battled until the very end where they stranded the bases loaded on a two-out flyout to center field.

Kewaskum collected 12 hits and Plymouth had 15 in the high-scoring affair. Reichert, Ciriacks and Loser all had multiple hits for the Indians.

| KEWASKUM BASEBALL |

Kewaskum, 12 vs Plymouth, 17
Tuesday, April 11
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BATTING

Dylan Soyk 4 0 1 1 1

Sam Ciriacks 4 2 2 1 2

Josh Koenig 0 0 0 0 0

Andrew Reichert 5 2 3 0 3

Derek May 5 1 0 0 0

Zach Augustin 3 1 1 1 0

Austin Loehr 2 1 0 0 0

Austin Reichel 0 1 0 1 1

Everett Donath 3 0 0 0 1

Hunter Loser 3 1 2 1 2

Donovan Zillmer 4 0 1 1 2

Cale Heinonen 3 1 1 1 0

2B: Austin Reichel. **RBI:** Andrew Reichert 3, Hunter Loser 2, Donovan Zillmer 2, Sam Ciriacks 2, Dylan Soyk, Austin Reichel, Everett Donath.

PITCHING

May(L) 1.1ip 9h 7er 1bb 1k. Koenig

1.0ip 0h 0er 0bb 1k. Loehr 3.2ip 3h

2er 1bb 1k. Donath 1.0ip 2h 0er 0bb

0k. Heinonen 0ip 0h 4er 2bb 0k.

Kewaskum, 0 at Plymouth, 2
Thursday, April 13

Kewaskum, 3 at Kiel, 4
Friday, April 14

Kewaskum, 6 vs Cedar Grove-Belgium, 5
Saturday, April 15

| KEWASKUM SOCCER |

Kewaskum, 2 at Cedar Grove-Belgium, 4
Tuesday, April 11

Goals: Freund, 52:15 (assist Newman); Newman, 55:53 (assist Czuppa).

Kewaskum, 10 at Berlin, 0
Thursday, April 13

Goals: Vetter, 1:38; Newman, 3:55; Butschlick, 10:47 (assist Newman); Butschlick, 18:30 (assist Newman); Stuht, 18:59 (assist Newman); Freund, 29:40; Finger, 31:28 (assist Vetter); Newman, 41:37 (assist Grisologo); Newman, 42:39; Stuht, 52:35 (assist Melzer).

Kewaskum, 6 vs Slinger, 1
Friday, April 14

Goals: Finger, 14:53 (assist Newman); Freund, 38:02 (assist Newman); Freund, 41:40 (assist Newman); Newman, 55:30; Newman, 56:02 (assist Melzer); Newman, 79:10 (assist Vetter).

Kewaskum Golf Results from Lake Breeze Golf Club

Par 36 | Hosted by Winneconne
 Wednesday, April 12

Kewaskum Scores:

Ryan Cook 47
 Alex Theusch 49
 Luke Graf 52
 Brody Kral 52
 Fritz Gerhartz 54

Team Scores & Standings:

1. Winneconne 161
 2. K.M.L. 166
 3. Berlin 171
 4. Plymouth 183
 5. Ripon 186
 6. Waupun 187
 7. Kewaskum 200

| KEWASKUM |

Kewaskum Track Second and Fourth at Home

KHS TRACK & FIELD

Kewaskum track and field hosted an East Central Conference Quad meet at home on Tuesday, April 11.

The Lady Indians scored 69 points taking second place overall and the men scored 27 points taking fourth place overall.

First Place Medalists

Maddie Dogs, high jump and 100m hurdles; Bruce Penfield 110m and 300m hurdles; Miranda Bastian, 800m; Julia Steger, Josey Curtes, Miranda Bastian, Madilyn Dogs, 4x400m; Miranda Bastian, Abigail Gerhartz, Ruby Gerhartz, Kendra Schmitt, 4x800m;

Second Place Medalists

Julia Steger 200m and 400m; Josey Curtes, triple jump; Bruce Penfield, triple jump; Kaitlyn Blank, Allison Heipp, Raina Martin, Mia Perales, 4x100m;

Third place Medalists

Josey Curtes, 400m; Ruby Gerhartz, 800m; Bella Hooker, 3200m; Raina Martin, pole vault ; Jacob Becker, shot put Domanic Derosia, triple jump



Olivia Smedley maintains Kewaskum's lead in front of Waupun. BREANNA RICE PHOTOS



Both of Kewaskum's 4x800m teams huddle together before the race.

Lady Indians Drop First Road Game

KHS SOFTBALL

The Kewaskum Lady Indians took to the road to North Fond du Lac and came out of the game with a disappointing 3-0 loss to the Orioles on Monday, April 10.

Both teams had solid pitching performances, but North Fondy made a little more happen at the plate.

Maddie Boelte went the distance on the mound for Kewaskum. The Orioles recorded six hits and three unearned runs. Boelte struck out four and walked one on the evening.

Kewaskum had the bases loaded in each of the first three innings, but could not get the key hit needed to open up scoring.

Hits were recorded by Kyli Baka (single), Boelte (double), and Mikaela Marquardt (triple).

Kewaskum Girls Outlast Waupun

Kewaskum beat Waupun 4-3 in a tightly fought, back and forth battle on Tuesday, April 11.

The game was scoreless for the first three innings, then Waupun kicked off the scoring in the fourth inning by pushing one run across the plate to go up 1-0. Kewaskum tied it in the bottom of that same inning on a sacrifice fly by Mikaela Marquardt.

The visiting team put another run up in the top of the fifth.

In the bottom of the inning, the Indians' bats finally woke up. Isabelle Thomas led off the bottom of the fifth by blasting a solo home run to left field to tie the game. Kyli Baka followed the Thomas homer with a double, and Lauren Rettler singled to score Baka which put the Indians up by one. Rettler later scored on an RBI ground-out by Sadie Clausing to cap off the scoring for Kewaskum.

Waupun would add one more run in the top of the sixth, but that would be it, as Macy Sabish worked around a couple of weak singles and shut the door in the seventh by striking out the side.

Sabish was the winning pitcher, going all seven innings. She allowed six hits and three runs, while striking out eight and walking one.

"Macy hit her spots well tonight, and we played error free ball per the book," said Coach Craig Rosine, who has earned the nickname "The Silver Surfer" this season. When asked about the nickname, Rosine quipped, "I don't know where it came from...probably the gray hairs that these girls are giving me when they don't cover bunts correctly or miss signs."

Offensively, the team was paced by Baka, Rettler and Sabish who tallied two hits each.

Clausing and Thomas each contributed with a hit each.

Coach Chris Sabish has been pleased with and thankful for the fan turnout this year.

"The warm weather really helps. The grandparents, especially - they brought it tonight. We were missing Grandpa Dale, but Grandpa Glen, Grandpa Joe and the rest of the G-Unit really brought it tonight...and we really need that push of energy," Sabish said.

Kewaskum moved to 4-1 on the season and 2-0 in conference play with the win.

Lady Indians Improve to 3-0 in Conference Play

Even though Kewaskum gave up three runs in the third inning, they still defeated Plymouth, 10-5, on Thursday, April 13.

Kewaskum kicked off the scoring with a two out rally. With two down, Grace Leitheiser singled and stole second base. Aubrey Magray drove her in with a line drive single to go up 1-0. Back-to-back singles by Macy Sabish and Sadie Clausing would drive in Magray to put the Indians up 2-0. Mikaela Marquardt singled to drive in Sabish to cap the scoring in the first at three runs.

Plymouth plated one run in the bottom of the first, but Kewaskum would rally for two more runs in the top of the second on Plymouth miscues. Kyli Baka and Julia Prochnow both reached on errors. Baka would cross the plate on a wild pitch and Lauren Rettler hit a sacrifice fly to score Prochnow to put the Indians up 5-1.

In the third, Plymouth got the game within one by smacking a three-run home run with two outs, but that would be as close as the Pumas would get.

Kewaskum would score five more before the contest ended. In the sixth, Prochnow walked and a Leitheiser triple got run number six across.

In the seventh, Marquardt and Clausing reached on errors, and back-to-back bunt singles by Maya Beistle and Prochnow scored one, with Prochnow earning the RBI. Rettler drove in three more with a deep single to center to cap off the scoring for the day.

Sabish went the distance and earned her fifth win of the season, allowing five hits and five runs. Sabish struck out seven while walking five.

"It wasn't her sharpest outing of the season, but the offense picked up the slack. She battled like heck out there tonight. We have some small stuff to clean up, but overall it was a good team win," said Coach Craig Rosine.

See **KHS SOFTBALL** page 17

| KEWASKUM SOFTBALL |

Kewaskum, 0 vs NFDL, 3
Monday, April 10
Kew 000 000 0 0r 3h 1e
NFDL 003 000 0 3r 0h 0e

PLAYER AB R H BB RBI
BATTING
Lauren Rettler 1 0 0 2 0
Maya Beistle 1 0 0 0 0
Sadie Clausing 2 0 0 0 0
Emilia Lang 1 0 0 1 0
Macy Sabish 0 0 0 0 0
Mikaela Marquardt 3 0 1 0 0
Isabelle Thomas 2 0 0 0 0
Grace Leitheiser 2 0 0 1 0
Kyli Baka 1 0 1 1 0
Aubrey Magray 3 0 0 1 0
Madison Boelte 3 0 1 0 0
Julia Prochnow 1 0 0 1 0
2B: Madison Boelte. 3B: Mikaela Marquardt. SB: Kyli Baka.

PITCHING
Madison Boelte(L) 6.0ip 6h 0er 1bb 4k.

Kewaskum, 4 vs Waupun, 3
Tuesday, April 11

Wau 000 111 0 3r 6h 2e
Kew 000 130 0 4r 8h 0e

PLAYER AB R H BB RBI
BATTING
Lauren Rettler 2 1 2 1 1
Maya Beistle 1 1 0 0 0
Sadie Clausing 3 0 1 0 1
Emilia Lang 2 0 0 0 0
Macy Sabish 3 0 2 0 0
Mikaela Marquardt 2 0 0 0 1
Isabelle Thomas 3 1 1 0 1
Grace Leitheiser 3 0 0 0 0
Kyli Baka 4 1 2 0 0
Aubrey Magray 3 0 0 0 0
2B: Kyli Baka. HR: Isabelle Thomas. RBI: Isabelle Thomas, Mikaela Marquardt, Sadie Clausing, Lauren Rettler.
PITCHING
Macy Sabish(W) 7.0ip 6h 3er 1bb 8k.

Kewaskum, 10 at Plymouth, 5
Thursday, April 13
Kew 320 001 4 10r 13h 0e
Ply 103 001 0 5r 5h 2e

PLAYER AB R H BB RBI
BATTING
Lauren Rettler 3 0 2 0 4
Maya Beistle 4 1 1 0 0
Sadie Clausing 4 0 2 0 1
Macy Sabish 4 1 1 0 0
Mikaela Marquardt 4 1 1 0 1
Isabelle Thomas 0 1 0 0 0
Grace Leitheiser 3 1 3 0 1
Kyli Baka 5 1 1 0 0
Aubrey Magray 3 1 1 0 1
Julia Prochnow 3 3 1 1 1
2B: Grace Leitheiser. 3B: Grace Leitheiser.
RBI: Lauren Rettler 4, Grace Leitheiser, Mikaela Marquardt, Sadie Clausing, Aubrey Magray, Julia Prochnow. SF: Lauren Rettler. SB: Julia Prochnow, Grace Leitheiser, Mikaela Marquardt, Lauren Rettler.
PITCHING
Macy Sabish(W) 7.0ip 5h 5er 5bb 7k.

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| CAMPBELLSPORT |

Campbellsport Track Second at North Fond du Lac

CHS TRACK & FIELD

Campbellsport track and field competed at North Fondy's quad meet on Tuesday, April 11.

The ladies scored 59 points taking second place overall, and the men scored 93.5 points taking second place as well.

First Place Medalists

Morgan Flasch, 800m;
Kameron Rohlf, 100m hurdles;
Aubree Koenings, discus;
Logan Nolan, 1600m;
Caleb Smith, 110m hurdles;
Ben Timm, Mason Willacker, Kaden Taddey, Emmett Gonnering, 4x100m;
Ben Timm, Mason Willacker, Kaden Taddey, Aydan Meilahn, 4x200m;
Emmett Gonnering, shot put
Caleb Smith, triple jump;

Second Place Medalists

Lydia Toshner, 200m and 400m;
Elli Scannell, 1600m;
Sienna Hewitt, Maggie Swift, Megan Dickman, Hannah Lueck, 4x100m;
Maggie Macek, Kaylei Urban, Emily Brehmer, Kieara Kohn, 4x200m;
Aubree Koenings, shot put;
Saddie Homuth, high jump and pole vault;
Evan Wilcox 110m and 300m hurdles;
Kaden Taddey, Aydryan Meilahn, Logan Nolan, Aydan Meilahn, 4x400m;
Gavin Pickering, Isaac Timm, Jon Thelen, Trent Dieckman, 4x800m;
Emmett Gonnering, discus and long jump;

Third Place Medalists

Sienna Hewitt, 100m;
Anna Batzler, Ella Goebel, Elli Scannell, Morgan Flasch, 4x800m;
Capri Constantineau, pole vault;
Kieara Kohn, triple jump;
Emmett Homuth, 100m;
Gavin Pickering, 1600m;
Caleb Smith, 300m hurdles;

Evan Wilcox, shot put;
Ben Timm, high jump;
Josh Dontchenko, pole vault;
Mason Willacker, long jump

Campbellsport Track First and Second at Markesan

Both Cougars track and field teams competed at Markesan's 11 team invite on Thursday, April 13.

The men placed first, scoring 161.5 points, and the ladies placed second, scoring 135 points.

First Place Medalists

Sienna Hewitt, 400m;
Lydia Toshner, 100m and 300m hurdles;
Aubree Koenings, discus;
Sienna Hewitt, pole vault;
Ben Timm, 100m and 200m;
Logan Nolan, 800m and 1600m;
Evan Wilcox, 300m hurdles;
Ben Timm, Emmett Gonnering, Mason Willacker, Emmet Homuth, 4x100m;
Kaden Taddey, Aydryan Meilahn, Gavin Pickering, Aydan Meilahn, 4x400m;
Caleb Smith, high jump;

Second Place Medalists

Sienna Hewitt, 200m;
Kameron Rohlf, 300m hurdles;
Elli Scannell, Capri Constantineau, Anna Batzler, Morgan Flasch, 4x800m;
Aydan Meilahn, 400m;
Caleb Smith 110m hurdles;

Third Place Medalists

Kameron Rohlf, 200m;
Morgan Flasch, 3200m;
Kameron Rohlf, 100m hurdles;
Aubree Koenings, shot put;
Kaden Taddey, 400m;
Evan Wilcox, 110m hurdles;
Dylan Walsh, Caleb Smith, Isaac Timm, Aydryan Meilahn, 4x200m;
Sawyer Dirmeir, Aydryan Meilahn, Noah Bobb, Aydan Meilahn, 4x800m;
Emmett Gonnering, shot put

Flyway Golf Results from The Golf Club at Camelot

Hosted by Omro
Tuesday, April 11

Campbellsport Scores:

Kody Koltz 43
Trevor Schanen 43
Caden Vollendorf 45
Ayden Fleischman 49
Carson Reis 51

Lomira Scores:

Pierce Zimmel 40
Preston Jung 40
Alex Luedtke 46
Ethan Lund 48
Issac Wolf 49

Mayville Scores:

Ray Baldus 42
Eyan Marx 46
Adison Mittelstadt 48
Diesel Liepert 50
Bradley Bushke 56

Team Scores & Standings:

1. Springs 169
2. Lomira 174
3. Campbellsport 180
4. Mayville 182
5. Omro 183
6. Laconia 196
7. W.L.A. 202
8. North Fondy INC
8. St. Lawrence INC

Flyway Golf Results from Tuscumbia

Hosted by Laconia
Wednesday, April 12

Campbellsport Scores:

Ayden Fleischman 48
Trevor Schanen 49
Carson Reis 51
Kody Koltz 52
Caden Vollendorf 52

Lomira Scores:

Pierce Zimmel 44
Alex Luedtke 45
Ethan Lund 45
Preston Jung 51
Issac Wolf 51

Mayville Scores:

Ray Baldus 42
Bradley Bushke 47
Diesel Liepert 48
Eyan Marx 50
Adison Mittelstadt 54

Team Scores:

1. Springs 180
2. Lomira 185
3. Mayville 187
4. Omro 197
5. Campbellsport 200
6. Laconia 218
7. W.L.A. 219
8. North Fondy INC
8. St. Lawrence INC

CHS SOFTBALL from page 24

In the fifth inning, Paige Jordan would double to drive in Ward to tie the game 3-3.

In the bottom of the seventh, the Cougars had the tying run at second but couldn't punch her across home.

Hall, Ward, Jordan, Alysa Kutz, Sperfslage and Scannel all had hits.

Hall pitched all seven innings, allowing four runs on four hits and striking out six.

In game two of the day, the Lady Cougars played Muskego and run ruled them 15-2.

Garvey would lead the offense with three hits, including a double. Kutz (double), Scannel and Jordan would each have two hits. Hall (double), Ward (double) and

McCarty (double) would each have a hit.

Jordan pitched all four innings allowing three hits and two unearned runs, while striking out five.

| ECC STANDINGS |

Baseball - East Central Conference	Softball - East Central Conference
TEAM W-L	TEAM W-L
K.M.L. 3-1	Kewaskum 3-0
Plymouth 2-0	Winneconne 3-0
Waupun 2-0	K.M.L. 1-1
Winneconne 2-2	Plymouth 1-2
Ripon 1-2	Ripon 1-2
Kewaskum 1-3	Waupun 0-1
Berlin 0-3	Berlin 0-3

| FLY STANDINGS |

Baseball - Flyway Conference	Softball - Flyway Conference
TEAM W-L	TEAM W-L
Campbellsport 4-0	W.L.A. 3-0
Laconia 3-1	Campbellsport 2-0
Springs 2-0	Lomira 2-1
Lomira 2-2	North Fondy 2-1
Omro 1-2	Mayville 1-1
Mayville 1-3	Laconia 1-2
North Fondy 1-3	Omro 0-3
W.L.A. 0-3	Springs 0-3

| BOWLING |

Saturday Major Mixed

Games Bowled Apr. 8

Brtnny's Spares 70-35, Meatballers 67-38, It 61-44, We'll Figure It Out 57-48, K Town Funk 54-51, Corky's Keglers 51-54,
Neighbors 47-58, Ball Busters 13-92.
High Men's Games: 246 Patrick Janesch, 242 Nicholas Walters, 236 Jeff Britton, 236 Cary Serwe.
High Men's Series: 668 Cary Serwe, 658 Patrick Janesch, 645 Jason Chern.
High Women's Games: 211 Sarah Rudzitis, 207 Leanne Britton, 204 Jessica Sumter.
High Women's Series: 560 Jessica Sumter, 542 Sarah Rudzitis, 534 Leanne Britton.

Monday Morning Bowling Club

Games Bowled Apr. 10

High Men's Games: 222 Bob Bodden, 169 Lloyd Westerman, 168 Bill Guell.
High Men's Series: 589 Bob Bodden, 481 Bill Guell, 432 Lloyd Westerman.
High Women's Games: 134 Ellen Gremminger.
High Women's Series: 377 Ellen Gremminger.

Thursday Hot Shots

Games Bowled Apr. 13

Blue: Smith Automotive 67-31, Smith & Hatch Ins 60-38, Reilly's Milk Maids 52-46.
Gold: King Pin Lanes 61-37, Jaimeann Design 45-53.
High Games: 205 Bonnie Burmeister, 205 Jenny Abhold, 186 Melissa Peters
High Series: 561 Bonnie Burmeister, 537 Jenny Abhold, 522 Jessica Sumter.

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Cougar Varsity Softball Starts Off 2-0 in Conference

COACH DAN HEISDORF
CHS SOFTBALL

The varsity softball team beat Omro, 17-3, and Saint Mary's Springs (S.M.S.), 5-4, last week and are off to a 2-0 start in conference.

The Cougars scored three runs in the first inning against Omro, with Sam Schodrow getting things started with a lead-off double.

Kylie Krueger, Kinsley Homuth and Maia Morgan would all single to drive in runs.

In the second inning, Ava Sippel would single and Schodrow would again double to put runners on second and third.

Krueger would reach on an infield single to load the bases.

Homuth would then double to drive in two runs.

Megan McCarty would then drive a double to the gap to drive in two more runs.

Morgan and Alyssa Koelbl would reach on errors, and Lilli Twohig would make that hurt by singling up the middle to make the score 11-1.

The girls would eventually win 17-3.

The Cougars would get 11 hits, two each by Twohig, Schodrow and Krueger. Homuth, McCarty (3 RBI), Sippel and Morgan all had hits.

McCarty pitched three innings, allowing three hits, three runs and struck out eight.

Peyton Hall pitched the final two innings, allowing zero hits and runs, while striking out four.

On Thursday, the Cougars beat S.M.S., 5-4.

Springs would score two in the first, but the Cougars would answer right back as Schodrow would lead off with a triple and score when Krueger reached on an error. She would later score on another error to tie the game.

After Springs took a 3-2 lead going into the bottom of the third, Krueger would again reach on an error and Homuth would make them pay by crushing a two-run home run over the centerfield fence to give the Cougars a 4-3 lead.

McCarty would reach on an error and would score when Morgan drove a double to the gap to make it 5-3.

The Cougars played some outstanding defense to snuff out some Springs rallies and though they made it interesting in the seventh inning, the Cougars would hang on and win 5-4.

McCarty pitched all seven innings to get the win, allowing four runs on ten hits and striking out three.

JV Softball Goes 2-2

The Cougar JV softball team finally got to play some games and finished the week 2-2.

On April 11, they traveled to Kettle Moraine Lutheran (K.M.L.) and won 13-6.

In the first inning, Kaylie Jandre doubled in a run and Olivia McCarty hit her first ever home run to give the Cougars a 4-0 lead they would never give up.

Carleigh Ward (3 runs) and Jandre (2 RBI) would each have two hits. Grace Scannel also had a hit, while McCarty would end up with five RBI.

McCarty also pitched all seven innings allowing

Campbellsport, 17 vs Omro, 3
Tuesday, April 11
Omro 102 000 0 3r 0h 0e
Camp 390 500 0 17r 11h 0e

PLAYER AB R H BB RBI
BATTING

Sam Schodrow 4 2 2 0 0
Kylie Krueger 3 3 2 1 1
Kinsley Homuth 4 0 1 0 2
Megan McCarty 3 0 1 0 3
Peyton Hall 1 1 0 0 1
Kaitlyn Goebel 1 1 0 1 0
Kovi Herman 2 2 0 0 0
Maia Morgan 2 1 1 0 2
Paige Jordan 1 1 0 1 0
Alyssa Koelbl 3 2 0 0 2
Lilly Twohig 3 2 2 0 0
Ava Sippel 2 2 2 0 1

2B: Sam Schodrow 2, Megan McCarty. **RBI:** Megan McCarty 3, Alyssa Koelbl 2, Maia Morgan 2, Kinsley Homuth 2, Peyton Hall, Ava Sippel, Kylie Krueger. **SB:** Kylie Krueger 2, Ava Sippel, Lilly Twohig.

PITCHING

Megan McCarty(W) 3.0ip 3h 3er 2bb 8k. Peyton Hall 2.0ip 0h 0er 1bb 4k.

Campbellsport, 5 vs Springs, 4
Thursday, April 13
SMS 210 000 1 4r 0h 0e
Cam 203 000 0 5r 5h 2e

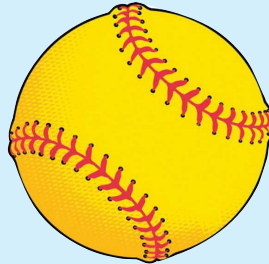
PLAYER AB R H BB RBI
BATTING

Sam Schodrow 3 1 2 0 0
Kylie Krueger 3 2 0 0 1
Kinsley Homuth 3 1 1 0 2
Megan McCarty 3 0 1 0 1
Kovi Herman 0 1 0 0 0
Kaitlyn Goebel 2 0 0 1 0
Maia Morgan 3 0 1 0 1
Alyssa Koelbl 3 0 0 0 0
Lilly Twohig 3 0 0 0 0
Ava Sippel 3 0 0 0 0

2B: Maia Morgan. **3B:** Sam Schodrow. **HR:** Kinsley Homuth. **RBI:** Kinsley Homuth 2, Kylie Krueger, Megan McCarty, Maia Morgan.

PITCHING

Megan McCarty(W) 7.0ip 10h 4er 1bb 3k.



three earned runs, while striking out 12.

On Thursday, they had a rematch with K.M.L. and the Cougars ended up losing 13-7.

Jandre, McCarty, Brittany Reilly, Izzy Sperfslage and Jayda Haack would all have hits.

McCarty, again, pitched all seven innings and she struck out seven.

On Friday, the Cougars played two games with the first being against Poynette. It was a great game where the Pumas scored a run in the seventh inning to edge the Cougars 4-3.

Ayla Garvey and Peyton Hall would score runs on wild pitches in the first inning.

See **CHS SOFTBALL** page 23



Coach Mark Peterson awards Noah Burghaus with the Heart Hero medal for being the top pledger during the Kids Heart Challenge at Campbellsport Elementary School. Burghaus raised \$1,200 and the school raised a total of \$7,419 for the American Heart Association. **SUBMITTED**

CAMPBELLSPORT SOCCER

Campbellsport, 1 at Lomira, 2
Tuesday, April 11

Campbellsport, 0 vs Hustisford/Dodgeland, 6
Thursday, April 13

Campbellsport, 4 at Clintonville, 1
Friday, April 14

CAMPBELLSPORT BASEBALL

Campbellsport, 10 at North Fond du Lac, 3
Tuesday, April 11

Campbellsport, 11 vs North Fond du Lac, 1
Friday, April 14

Campbellsport, 13 at Baraboo, 12
Saturday, April 15

Campbellsport, 15 at Viroqua, 5
Saturday, April 15

Kettle Moraine Trapshooting Conference Campbellsport Results

April 10

VARSITY

210-Campbellsport
238-Hartford

VARSITY TOP FIVE

48,RR 13-Brianna Thompson
41,RR 15-Logan Reider-Herriges
41,RR 1-Hunter Schultz
40,RR 4-Austin Flasch
40,RR 4-Colin Thimmig

April 13

VARSITY

227-Campbellsport
234-Fond du Lac

VARSITY TOP FIVE

48,RR 6-Brianna Thompson
46,RR 13-Hunter Schultz
45,RR 19-Kaden Kahrs
45,RR 1-Cayden Flasch
43,RR 11-Trevor Rowe

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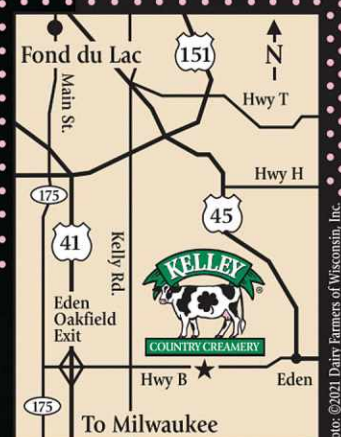
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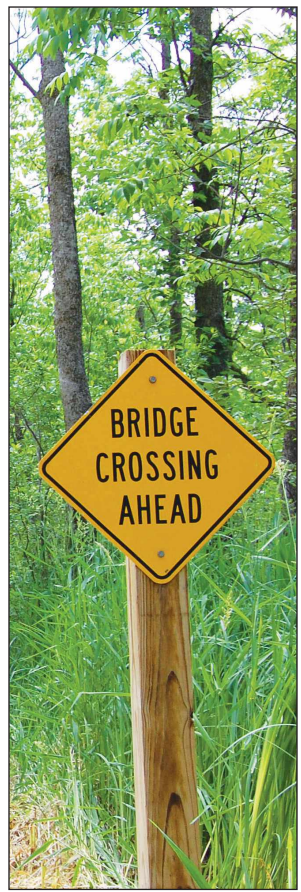
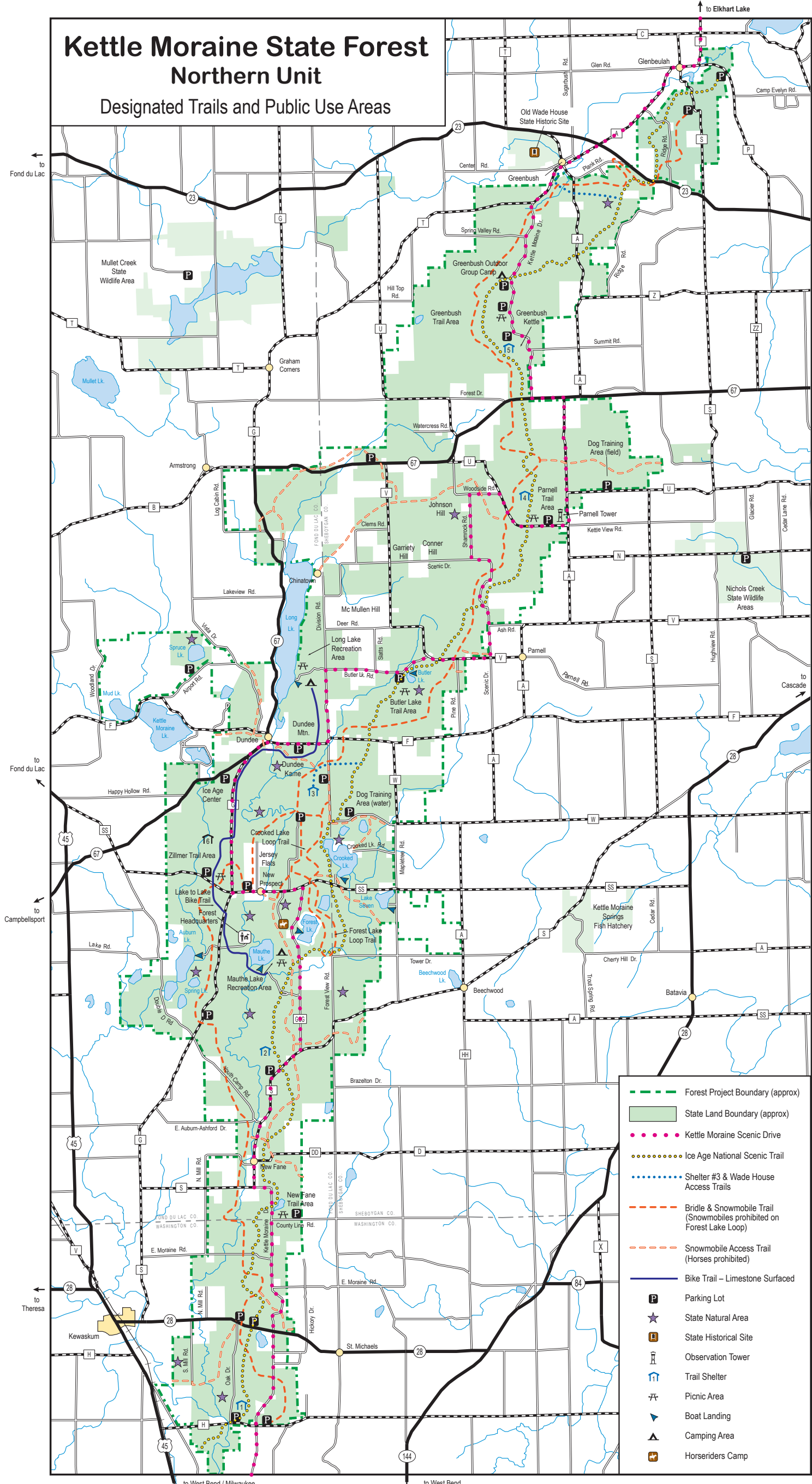


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The Kettle Moraine, Where Natural History Comes Alive

The Northern Kettle Moraine Forest area and the surrounding communities are great spots to stop for anyone looking for a Wisconsin experience.

Boasting some of the most unique and stunning physical features in the state, the local villages and towns also feature fantastic opportunities for leisure, entertainment and food.

Known officially as the Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit, this area can thank ancient glaciers for its one-of-a-kind characteristics.

The northern unit of the forest is only a portion of what is sometimes called the Kettle Range. This range was created when the Green Bay Lobe of the glacier on the west collided with the Lake Michigan Lobe of the glacier on the east. The western glacier formed the Bay of Green Bay, Lake Winnebago and the Horicon Marsh while the eastern one formed Lake Michigan.

This area contains very hilly terrain and glacial landforms, such as kettles, kames and eskers. The forest is divided into two large and three small units, which are spread across roughly 100 miles.

The Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit consists of an area covering the western part of Sheboygan County, the southeastern part of Fond du Lac County and the northern portion of Washington County. It includes more than 29,000 acres. The forest itself was established in 1937 to help preserve this unique area and its features.

The forest is managed for multiple uses, including recreation management, sustainable forest products, water quality and soil protection, terrestrial and aquatic wildlife, native biological diversity and aesthetics.

The forest headquarters is located near the Village of Campbellsport. Features of the Northern Unit are the Greenbush Recreation Area, with a group camping area and hiking trails; Parnell Observation Tower; the Long Lake Recreation Area, with a campground, a beach and boat launch; Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center; and the Mauthe Lake Recreation Area, with a campground, a beach and boat launch.

About 145 miles of trails can be found in the northern unit. These trails are used for biking, hiking, horseback riding, cross country skiing and snowmobiling.

Other facilities in the area include 336 family campsites with modern facilities, nine group campsites, six backpack shelters, a horse riders campground, three swimming beaches, five boat launches and an observation tower.

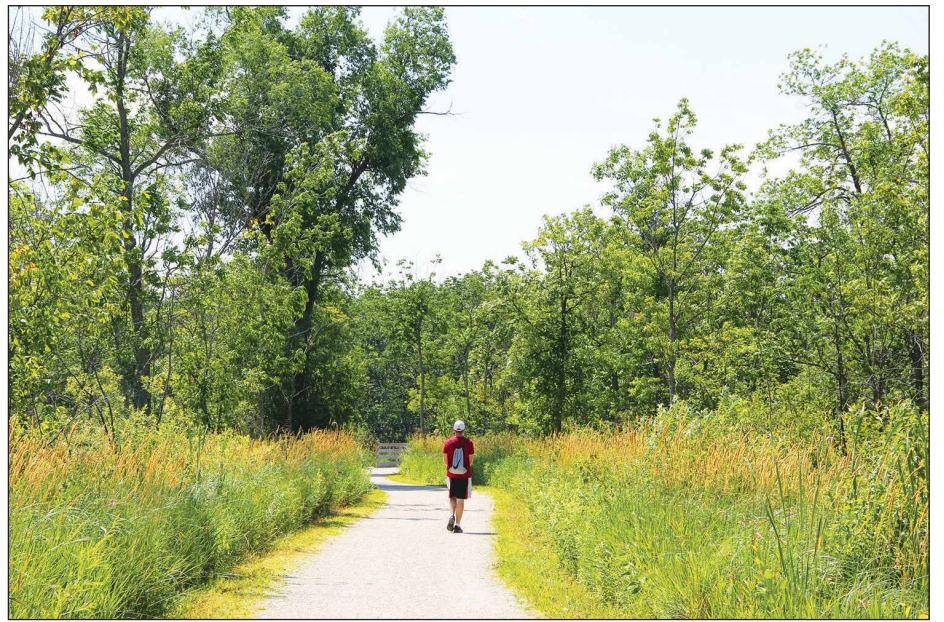
It is estimated that approximately 800,000 people visit the forest every year.

You will definitely be able to find something fun to do in the Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit. There is something for everyone.

To find out more information, go to the DNR website at www.dnr.state.wi.us. You can also call the forest headquarters at 262-626-2116 or call the Ice Age Visitor Center at 920-533-8322.

The forest is open from 6 a.m.-11 p.m. daily. The forest headquarters is located on Highway G and is open 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday.

The Mauthe Lake recreation area entrance station is open from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturdays-Thursdays and 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Fridays from Memorial Day through Labor Day. Self-serve access is available when the entrance station is unoccupied. These hours will vary during the off-season. Call 262-626-4305 for more information.



Many trails can be found in the Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit. They provide great recreational opportunities in this area.

The Long Lake Recreation area entrance station is open from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturdays-Thursdays and 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Fridays from Memorial Day through Labor Day. The hours vary during the off-season. Call 920-533-8612 for more information.

The Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center is open seven days-a-week April through October from 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Mondays-Fridays and 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. weekends. Winter hours vary and run from November through March. The center is one-half mile west of Dundee on State Highway 67 and offers forest information, interpretative displays, and a 20-minute Ice Age film.

Area Villages, Towns & Cities

Don't forget to visit the area villages and towns that surround the Kettle Moraine Forest. They are all welcoming and helpful.

- The Village of Campbellsport is on the west side of the forest. You can get to Campbellsport by taking Highway 67. Enjoy the quaint downtown or bike on the Edelweiss Trail that runs through town.

- The Village of Kewaskum is on the southwestern side of the forest. You can get to Kewaskum by taking Highway 45 or Highway 28. Enjoy one of the village's many restaurants and taverns or take a picnic down the scenic Milwaukee River, which flows through the east side of the village.

- Dundee is within the forest on the western side. It is located along Highway 67. The Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center is just outside of Dundee on Highway 67.

- New Prospect is a small town located within the forest. You can get there by traveling along Highway 55. The horseriders camp is located in New Prospect.

- Greenbush is near the northern portion of the forest. You can get to Greenbush by taking County Highway A.

- Glenbeulah is also on the northern corner of the forest. It can be found by taking County Highway A.

- The City of Plymouth is a short drive to the east of the forest. You can take Highway 67 to get to Plymouth.

- Cascade is also a short drive to the east of the forest. You can get to Cascade by taking Highway 28.

- The Village of Eden is a short drive to the northwest. You can get to Fond du Lac by taking Highway 45 north.

- The City of Fond du Lac is a short drive to the northwest. You can get to Fond du Lac by taking Highway 45 north.

- The City of West Bend is a short drive south of the forest. You can get to West Bend by taking Highway 45 south.

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Ice Age Visitor Center • Step into the Past

The Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center is a must-stop for anyone visiting the Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit. It is located just outside of Dundee on Highway 67.

Its purpose is to introduce and orient visitors to the forest and the special features of the area. The glaciers that covered this region roughly 10,000 years ago left some unique terrain and features in this area.

The Kettle Moraine was created when the Green Bay Lobe of the glacier, on the west, collided with the Lake Michigan Lobe of the glacier, on the east.

As the glaciers melted and moved, they left behind many different features like moraines, kames, eskers, drumlins and kettles. The Ice Age Visitor Center explains these features, how they were formed and gives examples of these features in the area.

"You can get a good idea of how the glaciers affected this area and the treasures it left," said Jackie Scharfenberg, a recently retired DNR naturalist at the Ice Age Center. "A lot of groups come here as a jumping off point."

View exhibits to learn about the frozen history of Wisconsin and the gifts of the glacier. There is a great view of the landscape from the nature center and a naturalist is available to answer your questions.

After visiting the center, you can then go out into the forest to see these different formations. Many trails can be found in the forest to get you to these features. A shorter trail is also accessible from the Ice Age Visitor Center.

Another feature of the center is the information you can receive about the forest activities. The center has maps of all the trails in the forest, campgrounds, information about Mauthe and Long Lakes and the campgrounds in the forest. Beyond the woods, you can also find tourism information on local restaurants and municipalities.

"We can provide information about the forest and its multitude of things to do," Scharfenberg said.

The Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center was opened in January of 1981 and dedicated in May of 1981. It was named after a Wisconsin congressman. The Zillmer Trail, one of the forest's more extensive network of walking trails, was also named after a Wisconsin congressman.

"They got some of the initial money passed [for the center and trails]," Scharfenberg said.

The center is open year-round.

During the summer, it is open Wednesday-Friday from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and on weekends from 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

About 25,000-30,000 people stop at the Ice Age Visitor Center every year. Educational programs are held at the center every week. These programs teach young and old about the forest wildlife, vegetation and other fun nature-related things. Programs are generally free to the public, with some



The Ice Age Visitor Center is a great place to visit to learn more about the Kettle Moraine State Forest and how it was formed. You can also take part in educational programs, find a trail and just enjoy the beauty of the forest from the center. Many of the educational programs held in the forest are hosted at the Ice Age Center.

exceptions.

Throughout the year, the forest naturalists present a wide array of fun-filled educational programs. The programs are held at the Ice Age Visitor Center, Mauthe Lake Recreation Area, Long Lake Recreation Area or at other spots within the forest. There are programs for all interests and age levels.

The Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center is a great place to start your visit to the Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit. It will help educate you about the forest and give you information about more opportunities in the forest.

A gift shop offering books, clothing and other souvenirs can be visited. The gift shop is operated by the Friends of Kettle Moraine - Northern Unit. All proceeds support the forest.

The Center is located at N2875 Hwy 67 Campbellsport, WI 53010. Call ahead at 920-533-8322 for more information on the day's events.

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Trails in the Kettle Moraine

The Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit has countless trails that are available and easy to access within the forest.

Depending on the trail, you can walk, bike, picnic and ride horses. Most importantly, folks have a lot of fun on these trails!

The Ice Age National Scenic Trail (which stretches 1,200 miles across the state) has a 31-mile leg through the length of the forest. Hiking is also available at the Greenbush recreation area (13.5 miles), New Fane loop system trails (7.7 miles), Zillmer loop area (11.4 miles), Butler Lake loop (3 miles), Parnell Tower loop (3.5 miles), Tamarack loop (2 miles) and the Lake to Lake Bike Trail (6.5 miles). You can access a map for these trails on p. 2 of this Visitor Guide.

Pets are allowed on all hiking trails except the nature trails, as long as they on a leash eight feet or shorter at all times.

Please be courteous of other hikers and use trail etiquette when passing and accessing paths.

Trail Matters

■ **Butler Lake Loop:** On Butler Lake Road, 1.5 miles east of the Long Lake Recreation Area, the Butler Lake Trail winds more than three miles through the 158-acre Butler Lake and Flynn's Spring State Natural Area.

A portion of the loop trail is shared with the Ice Age Trail. Interpretive displays are set at the base of the esker and overlook Butler Lake. A picnic table, grill and drinking water are at the trail head.

■ **Greenbush Recreation Area Trails:** On Kettle Moraine Drive, 2.5 miles north of State Highway 67, the Greenbush recreation area has two trail systems: four loops of challenging mountain bike trails totaling nine miles, interwoven with five loops of hiking trails totaling 13.5 miles.

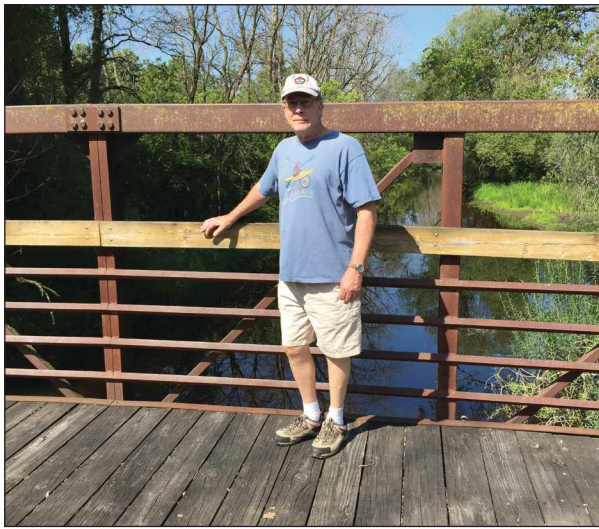
Hikers and off-road mountain bikers share this multiple-use trail system in season. For safety reasons, these trails are use-specific: hiking is not allowed on the bike trails and biking is not allowed on the hiking trails.

A heated picnic shelter, picnic tables, grill, drinking water and vault toilets are near the trail head. There is also access to the Ice Age Trail.

A state trail pass is required for all bike riders and skiers age 16 and older.

■ **Ice Age National Scenic Trail:** Approximately 31 miles of the Ice Age National Scenic Trail travels the length of the Northern Unit of the Kettle Moraine State Forest. One of only 11 National Scenic Trails, the 1,200-mile Ice Age Trail is a premier hiking trail and conservation resource for silent sport and outdoor enthusiasts. Located entirely in Wisconsin, the Trail runs from its Western Terminus in Interstate State Park in St. Croix Falls, down as far south as Janesville, then to its Eastern Terminus in Sturgeon Bay's Potawatomi State Park. The Trail is also one of 42 designated Wisconsin State Trails and the only State Scenic Trail.

Tracing the path of the last glacier, the Trail traverses some of Wisconsin's most scenic landscapes and helps tell the story of the last Ice Age. In doing so, it highlights Wisconsin's unique glacial features. In the Kettle Moraine, the Trail's moderate-to-difficult path follows sinuous eskers and tumbled moraines descending into bogs and deep kettles. Five rustic backpack shelters are available for camping along the Trail. They must be reserved in advance. Portions of other forest trails run along the Ice Age Trail. An Ice Age Trail Backpack is available to check out from the Ice



Kettle Moraine visitor John O. of Tredyffrin Township, Penn. poses for a photo on one of many bridges found throughout the forest.

Age Visitors' Center. It includes information about ColdCaching, an outdoor treasure-hunting game, which uses GPS or other navigational techniques to seek out natural features formed by glaciation. Six ColdCache sites are located within the Kettle Moraine State Forest. The Ice Age Trail is managed in partnership by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, the National Park Service, and the Ice Age Trail Alliance. The Alliance is a volunteer- and member-based organization that conserves, creates, maintains, and promotes the Trail. The Lakeshore Chapter of the Alliance creates and maintains the Trail in Sheboygan County. To get involved with the Lakeshore Chapter or learn about their activities, visit IceAgeTrail.org/get-involved/volunteer/chapters/lakeshore.

■ **Lake to Lake Bike Trail:** This 6.5-mile limestone surfaced trail connects the Mauthe and Long Lake recreation areas and passes by the village of Dundee.

This gentle trail winds through hardwood forests, prairies, conifer plantations, and lowland swamps. The trail includes a boardwalk over low areas east of Dundee Mountain.

■ **Moraine Nature Trail:** This 0.75 mile, easy nature-trail loop begins at the Ice Age Visitor Center. A self-guided booklet links to the numbered posts along the trail and identifies the common trees of the Kettle Moraine.

Picnic tables are available at the trail head. Pets are not allowed on this trail.

■ **New Fane Loop System:** On County Line Road, 1.5 miles east of Kettle Moraine Drive, the New Fane area has two trail systems: four loops of moderately-challenging mountain bike trails totaling 5.5 miles, interwoven with four loops of hiking trails totaling 7.7 miles. A short connector trail allows access to the Ice Age Trail (bikes are not allowed on the connector trail).

Hikers and off-road mountain bikers share this multiple-use trail system in season. For safety reasons, these trails are use-specific; hiking is not allowed on the bike trails and biking is not allowed on the hiking trails.

An open-air reservable shelter is located near the trail head and drinking water and vault toilets are available year-round. A state trail pass is required for all bike riders age 16 and over.

■ **Parnell Tower Loop:** On County Highway U, one-quarter mile west of County Highway A, the Parnell Tower Trail begins its 3.5-mile loop with a series of steps leading to the highest point of elevation in the forest. There a 60-foot observation

tower rises above the treetops for a birds-eye view of the glacial landscape.

The trail follows the Ice Age Trail near a rustic backpack shelter reservable for camping. Picnic tables, grills, drinking water and vault toilets are adjacent to the trailhead.

■ **Spruce Lake Bog Trail:** This 0.25-mile, easy boardwalk trail takes visitors through a unique open-lake bog community to Spruce Lake. This site was designated as a National Natural Landmark by the National Park Service and one can expect to see sundews, pitcher plants and other rare plant species.

Visitors are requested to stay on the boardwalk, due to the fragile nature of the habitat and the presence of poison sumac.

■ **Summit Trail:** Accessed from the Long Lake Campgrounds (upper 900s loop), the Summit trail is a one-mile nature trail loop which scales Dundee Mountain. Glacial geology interpretive signs mark this challenging trail to the top of the highest kame in the forest, with panoramic views of the Campbellsport drumlins and other ice age topography.

Pets are not allowed on this trail.

■ **Tamarack Loop:** This trail can be accessed near the forest headquarters off County G or from the Mauthe Lake recreation area off County GGG. This two-mile nature trail is entirely within the Mauthe Lake Refuge and loops around the lake.

This area is closed to hunting and pets are prohibited on the trail. Flush toilets are available year-round on the headquarter's side.

■ **Wade House Access Trail:** A 1.7-mile linear trail that connects the Old Wade House State Historical site in Greenbush to the Ice Age Trail. The trail travels through hardwood forests, a meadow and the Kettle Moraine Red Oaks State Natural Area.

Limited parking is available at the Wade House parking lot (no overnight parking). Walk one block east on Washington Street to the trail head.

■ **Zillmer Loop System:** On County Highway SS, one-quarter mile west of County Highway G, the Zillmer Trail Area consists of four loop trails for a total of 11 miles. The south trail head has a heated shelter, vault toilets, picnic tables, grills and drinking water.


Visitors can also access the trail from the Ice Age Visitor Center. A rustic backpack shelter is reservable for camping along the trail from April through November.

■ **Bridle Trails:** Equestrians enjoy 41 miles of bridle trail which are traditionally open late April through mid November depending on trail conditions. The main bridle trail winds the linear length of the forest of 33 miles. Two loop trails, Crooked and Forest Lake, provide shorter routes totaling seven miles.

A state trail pass is required for riders 16 and older. See the current conditions page on the DNR website and/or call ahead to check trail conditions and to make sure trails are open.

■ **Eisenbahn Trail:** The Eisenbahn Trail, which opened in 2006, runs from West Bend, in Washington County, to Eden in Fond du Lac County. The trail is on an old railroad track. It is paved through West Bend and unpaved the rest of the way.

The trail has kiosks placed along the way. These serve as markers for information on the area. Trail users can also rest on benches placed by various service organizations.




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Lakes of the Kettle Moraine



Boating in the Kettle Moraine State Forest is a popular activity in the summer months. Make sure you check each lake before launching because some of them do not allow motor boats.



Outdoor enthusiasts can find many different activities to do on Long Lake in the Kettle Moraine State Forest.



Boat rentals are available at convenient outfitters located throughout the forest. Check online or ask WDNR staff for the nearest location to your lodging or campsite.

The Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit has more than one dozen lakes and ponds; mostly kettles, but also two impoundments of the Milwaukee River.

The eight lakes listed below range in size from 477 acres (Long Lake) to less than seven acres, accounting for a total of 786 acres.

A state park vehicle admission sticker is required at some boat landings.

Anglers of any age may check out basic fishing equipment free of charge at the Mauthe Lake and Long Lake recreation areas entrance stations (when open). Several private vendors within the forest sell licenses, bait and other fishing supplies.

There are several self-serve kiosks and local outfitters for boat, canoe and kayak rental. Go to dnr.wisconsin.gov/topic/parks/kmn/recreation/water for more information.

The primary fish species in these lakes include largemouth bass, bluegill, crappies and northern pike, but smallmouth bass, perch, walleye and muskellunge have also been caught. Mauthe Lake and Long Lake recreation areas have fishing piers that are accessible to people who are mobility-impaired.

Auburn Lake (Lake Fifteen) – A medium-sized kettle lake, Auburn Lake provides a diverse fishery. A paved boat launch and trailer parking area are across from the Forest Headquarters entrance road. Access to launch is a narrow gravel road not suitable for large boat trailers. A local wake ordinance, posted at the landing, is in effect. State park vehicle admission sticker

required.

Expect to catch: bluegills of average size; crappies - present, but generally not quality size; northern Pike - often found near outlet stream mouth and on north end across from boat landing; yellow bass - abundant, but small; and largemouth bass are present, some of quality size.

Butler Lake – Butler Lake is the smallest of the easily-accessible Kettle Moraine Lakes. It is a kettle lake with an emergent wetland fringe around most of the lake. The Ice Age Trail meanders through the Butler Lake area and there is a loop hiking trail system near the lake. Butler Lake is spring-fed and the water remains fairly cold and oxygenated.

There is a paved parking lot and gravel launch area for canoes or small rowboats. Gas motors are not allowed. A water pump is available near the parking lot. State park vehicle admission sticker required.

Expect to catch: bluegills - small, but abundant; and largemouth bass - present and average in size.

Crooked Lake – This medium-sized kettle lake has relatively clear water and a diverse aquatic plant community. A gravel access road, boat launch and parking area are off of County Highway SS. The launch, suitable for canoes and small boats, is shallow and weedy.

Expect to catch: bluegills - common and average in size; yellow perch - common but small; crappies - population fluctuates widely with very good fishing some years; northern pike - present and average in size; and largemouth bass - present and of quality size.

Forest Lake – Forest Lake is a small kettle lake with a mostly-developed shoreline. A marked and fairly steep walk-in public access is off of County Highway GGG. The lake is only suitable for canoes, small rowboats or paddleboats. No motors are allowed.

Game fish, such as northern pike, walleyes, and bass, are catch and release only.

Expect to catch: bluegills - abundant, but small; crappies - present; northern pike - present, catch and release only; and largemouth bass - quality population, catch and release only.

Kettle Moraine Lake (Round Lake) – The second-largest lake in the area, Kettle Moraine Lake has relatively clear water. Many parts of the lake are weedy and shallow. There is no state forest access available, but the public can launch at Tiki Beach Resort on the east side. Obey the local wake ordinance posted at landing.

Expect to catch: bluegills - abundant, but few of quality size; yellow perch - present but generally small; crappies - present, quality size at times; northern pike - large population for a lake this size, commonly found in the 17-inch to 21-inch size range; walleye - present, some of quality size; largemouth bass - common and of quality size; and bullheads - bullhead fishing is the highlight of Kettle Moraine Lake in summer.

Lake Seven – This small, mostly undeveloped kettle lake has clear water and a diverse aquatic plant community. It is historically known as a tremendous bluegill lake. No gas motors allowed. Fairly shallow gravel boat launch for canoes and small rowboats.

Expect to catch: bluegills - abundant and of average size; largemouth bass - very abundant, but small in size; crappie; perch.

Long Lake – Long Lake is a three-mile long impoundment of the East Branch of the Milwaukee River. The lake has relatively clear water and is stocked by the DNR and the Long Lake Fishing Club. Heavy recreational use in the summer may make fishing difficult.

An accessible fishing pier and shoreline fishing opportunities are found in the Long Lake Recreation Area.

It has a developed boat launch and parking for more than 20 vehicles and trailers. The boat launch fills on summer weekends. Obey the local wake ordinance posted at landing. State park vehicle admission sticker required.

Expect to catch: bluegills - six- to seven-inches common in summer, best fishing along mid-depth weed lines and in deeper water on vegetated mid-depth flats; crappies - present; walleyes - present with some of quality size; northern pike - good population with some larger fish; largemouth bass - common in summer, the lake has a very good population with a nice size structure of fish available; and bullheads - one of the most popular summer fish to catch, especially near boat launch area.

Mauthe Lake – Mauthe Lake is a 78-acre impoundment of the East Branch of the Milwaukee River and is entirely within the state forest boundaries.

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Accessible fishing pier, trail to dam, and shoreline fishing opportunities are within the recreation area. Paved launch for canoes and small boats. No gas motors allowed; electric trolling motors are allowed.

hicle admission sticker is required.

All watercraft must be equipped with a wearable Coast Guard approved personal flotation device for each person on board. Consult the Wisconsin fishing and boating regulations before going fishing.

For more information or for boat regulations and registration forms, visit one of the forest offices or the DNR website.

State park vehicle admission sticker is required.

Swimming

Expect to catch: bluegills - abundant, but small; crappies - occasionally the highlight of the fishery; largemouth bass - common and of quality size; and northern pike - although not a large lake, some pike in the 30-inch range are caught.

The state forest has three swimming beaches, one at Mauthe Lake and two at Long Lake. Swimming areas are designated by marker buoys. Lifeguards are not provided.

Boating

Rental boats are available from a private concessionaire under agreement with the state forest. Several private vendors within the forest sell fishing licenses, bait and other fishing supplies. For more information or current boat regulations, visit one of the forest offices or check out dnr.wi.gov.

Pets, soaps, food and beverages are prohibited in marked swim areas. Picnic tables, grills and toilets are available near the beaches. A carry in, carry out policy applies at these day-use areas.

For information on boat registration, contact the DNR Call Center; 888-936-7463 or visit gowild.wi.gov.

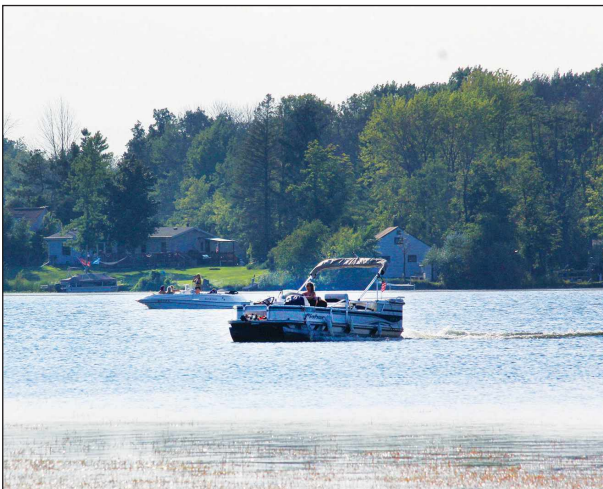
Mauthe Lake and Long Lake Recreation Areas are open from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. year round.

Lake Seven, Mauthe, Forest and Butler Lakes prohibit the use of gas-powered motors.

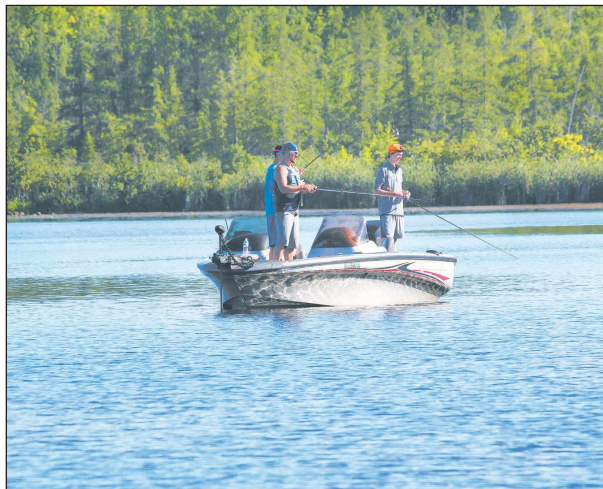
Mauthe Lake's beach area and Long Lake's south beach include playground equipment suitable for young children and a reservable picnic shelter.

Other boating restrictions may apply. Check at landings for posted information regarding wake/no wake rules and whether or not a state park ve-

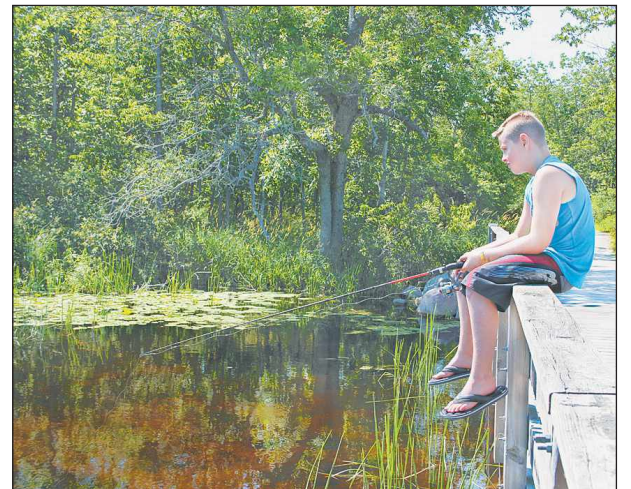
Water quality is tested regularly from Memorial Day to Labor Day and any advisories will be posted at the beaches.



Kettle Moraine Lake is an ideal place to visit while in the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest.



People go out on their boats, like above, or fish off the piers in the area.



Fishing in the Kettle Moraine State Forest is a popular activity for everyone. Many lakes in the area feature fishing piers. Pictured here is the confluence of Mauthe Lake and the Milwaukee River.

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For more information, go to their website at bensonscampground.com or call 920-533-8597 or 920-533-8150. N3845 State Road 67, Campbellsport.

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Call 262-626-2221 for reservations or go to hoefftsresort.com for more information. W9070 Crooked Lake Drive, Cascade.

Breezy Hill Campground

Breezy Hill offers 17 total sites,



70 with full hookups (30/50 amp), 47 seasonal sites, 53 water/electric hookups, 40 pull through sites, separate tenting areas, and eight cabins. Amenities include heated pool, hot tub, general store, pavillion and arcade, basketball, tetherball, volleyball, playground, jumping pillow, walking trail, swimming pond and beach, weekend movies, wagon rides, themed weekends, catch and release fishing pond, laundry facility, dishwashing station with hot/cold water, and campsite-wide Wi-Fi.

Breezy Hill Campground is a family oriented campground near Eden. Owners, Jon and Jennifer Wiltzius, offer fun activities for campers of all ages.

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Breezy Hill also offers a full-service overnight horse boarding facility. Hay, water, large stalls, pasture and paddocks are available.

Call 920-477-2300 or visit breezyhillcamp.com for more information. N4177 Cearns Lane, (off County Road B in Eden) Fond du Lac.

Mauthe Lake Campground

The campgrounds at Mauthe Lake have 135 sites, including 51 electrical sites. There is one shower building with flush toilets and several vault toilets throughout the campground. Campsites acces-

sible to people with disabilities are available.

The beach area has playground equipment and vending machines with snacks and beverages. Concessions are available for watercraft rental. A sanitary dump station and recycling/garbage station are provided for registered campers.

A private concessionaire provides firewood when the entrance station is open. Don't move firewood! Due to the potential of carrying harmful tree pests and diseases, Wisconsin has restrictions for moving firewood.

An authentic Native American plains tepee is available for rent. Enjoy the unique opportunity to camp in a canvas reproduction of a Native American plains teepee from mid-May through September.

Mauthe Lake is open for camping year round. For more information call 262-626-4305.

Reservations may be made online at wisconsin.goingtocamp.com. For reservation questions, contact Wisconsin State Park System Reservations at 1-888-947-2757.

Long Lake Campground

The campgrounds at Long Lake provide 200 sites, flush and vault toilets, and showers. Campsites are available for campers with disabilities. A sanitary dump station and recycling/garbage station are provided for registered campers.

A private concessionaire provides firewood when the entrance station is open. Don't move firewood! Due to the potential of carrying harmful tree pests and diseases, Wisconsin has restrictions for moving firewood.

Long Lake Campground is open for camping the first weekend in May through mid-October.

For more information call 920-533-8612.

Reservations may be made online at wisconsin.goingtocamp.com. For reservation questions, contact Wisconsin State Park System Reservations at 1-888-947-2757.

Greenbush Group Campground

The Greenbush Group Campground offers nine outdoor sites which accommodate groups up to 40 individuals. Only tent camping is allowed on the actual campsite. Sites are near the Greenbush Trails, where campers can enjoy

hiking or off-road biking.

An enclosed shelter building, drinking water, and vault toilets are available nearby.

There are no shower facilities in the campground. Greenbush group campground is open for camping April through November. N5854 Kettle Moraine Dr., Glenbeulah.

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Backpack Shelters

Five backpack shelters are available year-round for rustic camping along the 31 miles of the Ice Age National Scenic Trail. One backpack shelter is available from April 1 through November at the Zillmer Trail area.

Each site offers a roofed trail shelter, fire ring, and pit toilet. Drinking water is available less than a mile from each site.

These sites are not accessible by vehicle. All camping equipment must be backpacked in and all refuse packed out. A camping permit is required and you must camp at a designated shelter campsite.

Only one reservation (camping party) is allowed per site per night. Reservations are limited to 10 persons per site and are limited to one night per site. Another site may be reserved for a second night and a third night at a third site.

You must call 888-947-2757, to make backpack shelter reservations. Backpack shelter reservations cannot be made online. Reservations are required for all backpack sites.

If all the backpack sites are reserved for a weekend night on your hiking trip, consider staying one night at the Mauthe Lake campground.

New Prospect

Horseriders Campground

The New Prospect Horserider's Campground has 22 family campsites with 20/30/50 amp electric service and three group sites. Campers must be accompanied by a horse to stay at the campground.

In the family camping area, each site has a picnic table, fire ring and a 30-by-30-foot graveled area with picket posts and/or pipe corrals where horses are to be kept. The camp area has one drinking water source, an open air picnic shelter, vault toilet, covered stable with 24 box stalls and manure pits. There is no shower facility in the campground.

In the group camp area, each site has a drinking water source, fire ring, four picnic tables and a manure pit. Group sites A and C each have nine, 10-by-10-foot metal pipe corrals. Group Site B has two tether post areas and 12 pipe corrals. The group camp has a vault toilet. No more than 20 people may occupy a group site.

Campers are responsible to place all hay and manure in the manure pits which are located throughout the campground; wheelbarrows and forks are provided. Horses are to be kept in designated areas to protect the green space of the

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Kettle Moraine Area Campgrounds

campground.

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For more information call 262-626-2116. N1765 Highway G, Campbellsport.

Lake Lenwood Beach and Campground

One hundred-thirty total sites, 130 water/electric hookups, 10 pull through sites, dump station, pay showers, offsite storage, credit cards accepted.

There are trailer and tent sites encircling the lake, some set back and some on the lakeshore. Available are sites with 20, 30 and 50 amp electric, water and sewer hook-ups. Free Wi-Fi at your site. Also available is cable hook-up for seasonal and long-term campers.

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nity garden. Kids fun days and live bands.

Pet friendly campground! 1475 Lakeview Road West Bend, 262-675-6511 or email lzd@charter.net.

Timber Trail Campground

Timber Trail contains spacious campsites providing unusual privacy beneath a canopy of maple and beechwood trees. We are geared toward family camping with an emphasis on fun, 120 acres of fun. The picturesque hiking trails are included as part of the Kettle Moraine Ice Age Trail.

Amenities include whirlpool and heated swimming pool, recreation building with a fireplace, snack bar and ice, hot showers, bottled gas, playground, dumping station, firewood for sale, laundry and groceries, big screen TV and video games, ping-pong and pool tables, basketball and tennis courts, ball field and sand volleyball, hiking and fishing, and horseshoes. Nearby are golfing, museums, county fair grounds and the Eisenbahn Trail.

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Makeover Marvel: Dundee Mill & Park

An interesting site while visiting the Kettle Moraine State Forests-Northern Unit is the Dundee Mill & Park.

It is located in Dundee, near Highway 67, just down the road from the Ice Age Visitor Center.

The Dundee Mill & Park is owned by the Town of Osceola.

Restoration of the old Mill began in 1990 when a group of volunteers had the goal of repairing and preserving the historic landmark. The goal was to maintain a part of Wisconsin's heritage for future generations so they may learn about a time when life was without modern technology.

In 1996, the Mill was declared a Town Historical Site and the Partners of the Dundee Mill and Park, Inc. was created by the town as non-profit, non-stock, tax-exempt corporation to maintain, restore and preserve Dundee Mill & Park.

Ever since, the turbine was restored and the Mill uses water from Long Lake (a renewable source) which produces electricity for a local power company. This is a clean method of producing electricity as well as a great lesson for groups who tour the Mill.

The inside of the Mill serves as a museum. Old artifacts hang from the beams and adorn the walls. An old "pot belly stove" provides warmth for the small structure. Local experts are also available to demonstrate the operation of the grain Mill.

To date, the group has completed countless improvements to the building, including a new roof, gutters, siding and windows. They have rebuilt the stone wall in the lower level of the Mill and the walls of the tailrace have also been restored. A water wheel and trough have been added.

The park provides two fishing ponds for children and adults of all needs to enjoy. Fishing seminars are conducted yearly at no charge. The Partners sponsor an Easter egg hunt every Spring and have a Christmas Love Light tree and ceremony every December.

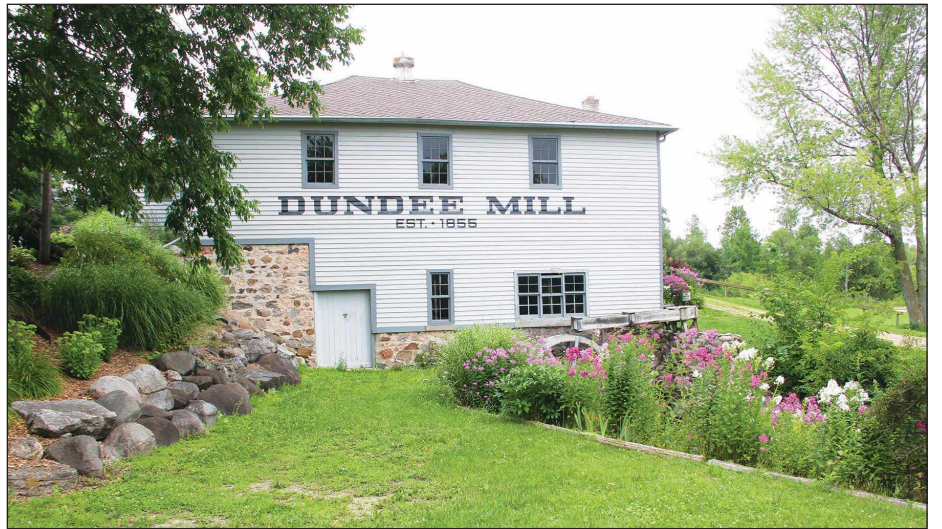
An exciting time for the Partners of the Dundee Mill was in 2006 when the television show *Extreme Makeover: Home Edition* was in town to makeover a Dundee home. The television show also took on the Dundee Mill project as one of its goals. The family who received the makeover is very involved with the Mill, so the television show also wanted to feature the park and building.

The restored turbine was installed during taping of the show. They also helped install display cases and other items to the inside of the Mill.

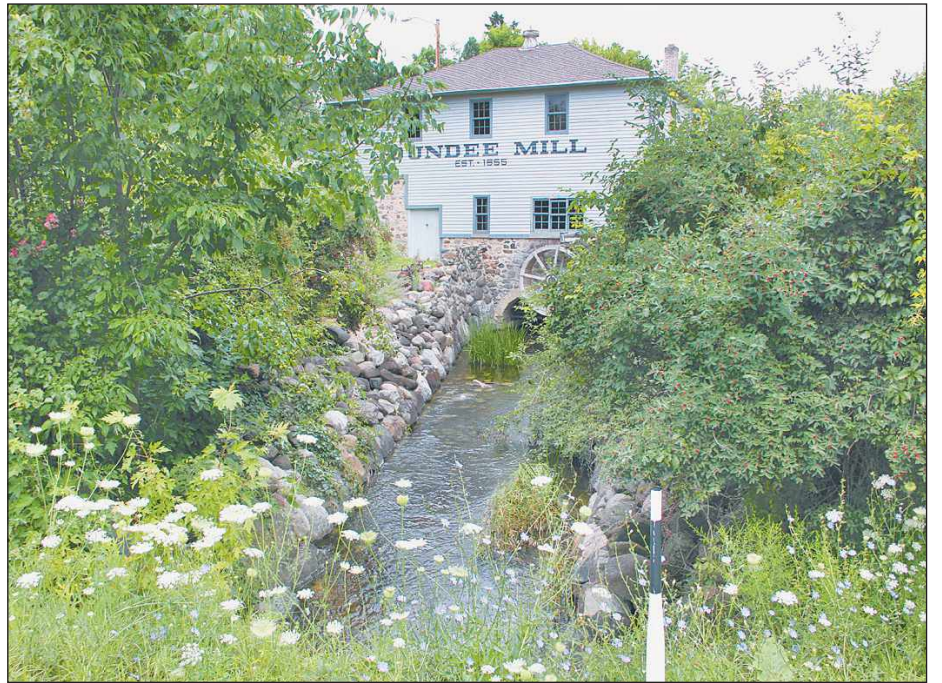
The Dundee Mill & Park is one of the Kettle Moraine areas best-kept secrets, so make sure to stop by and check it out while you are in the area.

Go to dundeeMill.org to check for events and hours.

The park area is always open to use.



The Dundee Mill is an active mill that creates electricity for the power company and serves as a museum. It shows how the mill used to be run and people can see how the turbine still works and creates electricity.





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Friends of the Kettle Moraine

The Friends of the Kettle Moraine is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting a greater appreciation and enhancement of the Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit.

The group was created in the mid 1980s to inform and educate the public. The general goal was to develop a greater appreciation and environmental awareness of Wisconsin natural resources. Specific goals were to enlist public involvement in the activities and future direction of the Forest and to provide financial assistance directly to the Kettle Moraine State Forest – Northern Unit for new programs and activities.

The first meeting of the Friends group, held in July 1984 at the Ice Age Center, was hosted by William Moorman of the DNR Bureau of Parks and Recreation. Local press releases resulted in a large turnout of local citizens who were very receptive. The group elected Gus Christ, Byron Gessner, Jerry Ninnemann, William Stoffel, Irene O’Laughlin, Jerry Schanen, and John Zillmer as the first group of board members.

The Northern Unit of the Kettle Moraine State Forest is located 45 minutes north of Milwaukee. The group’s mission is to aid in the understanding of the human and natural history of the forest, so that visitors can enjoy and appreciate the heritage of the Kettle Moraine area.

The Friends of the Kettle Moraine has more than 100 individual members and around 10 business members. They are always welcoming

new memberships.

The group holds three or four meetings a year and a large year-end informational meeting that includes a meal. Representatives from the DNR are also in attendance at the year-end meeting. The group, along with the DNR, discuss any upcoming projects for the next year.

The Friends have volunteers called trail watchers, who also walk the many trails and relate any concerns or trouble spots back to the DNR. These trail watchers are a valuable resource for the DNR.

Visitors can explore 30,000 acres of rolling hills, lakes, forests, grasslands, and parks. There are many trails open all year round for your enjoyment. A great place to start your outdoor adventure is at the Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center. You may purchase a state park sticker and park merchandise from the center’s gift shop. Your purchase helps support the Friends of the Kettle Moraine Forest. The forest hosts approximately one million visitors a year.

The Friends of the Kettle Moraine inform people about the Northern Unit by volunteering at the Ice Age Visitor Center. They help publicize the unique recreational and educational opportunities available within the forest.

They assist with recruiting volunteers for special events and give input for the future direction of the forest. The group raises funds to provide financial assistance for educational programs,

invasive species control, and special projects.

Some of the projects the Friends group has completed include the heated shelter at the Zillmer Trails, playground equipment at Mauthe Lake, wood sale sheds at both Mauthe and Long Lakes, prairie plantings near Long Lake, and the butterfly garden at the Ice Age Visitor Center. The next big undertaking for the group will be raising the funds for new exhibits at the Ice Age Visitor Center.

The Friends of the Kettle Moraine provide a variety of events in the Northern Unit. Many of these events are held at the Ice Age Center. They sponsor a yearly Candlelight Ski in January and Earth Week Litter cleanup in April. They also provide a Halloween Hike in November at Long Lake. This is an educational hike for young children.

The Friends are continuing with many improvements in and around the Ice Age Center. They also have a Land Fund set up. This fund will help with the purchase of more private land in the Kettle Moraine Forest when the land becomes available.

For more information about the Friends of the Kettle Moraine, contact a Northern Unit staff member, write the Friends at P.O. Box 143, Campbellsport, WI 53010, or visit www.fwsp.org/fotkm.

For the Horse Riders

The Northern Kettle Moraine Horse Trail Association (NKMHTA) was established in 2003 to provide area equestrians an opportunity to make an impact working with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources preserving, improving, and developing equestrian facilities in the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest.

The Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest is dedicated to serving horseback riders and is known throughout Wisconsin as one of the most beautiful natural areas.

Trails are designated for horseback riders but you may see some hikers. Vehicle passes are required and trail passes are required for all riders 16 years and older. Trails get muddy and slick when wet. Riders are urged to wait four to six hours after rain to ride.

New Prospect Horseriders’ Campground

The New Prospect Horseriders’ Campground has 22 family campsites with 20/30/50 amp electric service and three group sites.

In the family camping area, each site has a picnic table, fire ring and a 30x30-foot graveled area with picket posts and/or pipe corrals where horses are to be kept. The camp area has one drinking water source, an open air picnic shelter, vault toilet, covered stable with 24 box stalls and manure pits. There is no shower facility in the campground.

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Campers are responsible to place all hay and manure in the manure pits which are located throughout the campground; wheel barrows and forks are provided. Horses are to be kept in designated areas to protect the green space of the campground.

The campground is centrally located in the state forest and provides easy access to the 33-mile bridle trail which traverses the length of the forest. There also are two loop trails, the 2.5-mile Crooked Lake Loop and the four-mile Forest Lake Loop. All horse riders 16 years and older must have a state trail pass while using the des-



Paluso Guest Ranch in New Fane

Quarter horses at the Paluso Guest Ranch in New Fane. The Paluso horse ranch has dozens of riding horses adjacent to Kettle Moraine Forest trails. Stay for a day or a night at the serene location just off of New Fane’s main drag. More info on Paluso’s ranch is on the back page of this Visitor Guide.

ignated bridle trails in the state forest.

The campground opens the first weekend in May and closes the last weekend in October.

Bridle Trails

Equestrians can enjoy 41 miles of bridle trails which are traditionally open late April through mid November depending on trail conditions. A state trail pass is required for all riders age 16 and over on these trails

The main bridle trail winds the linear length of the forest for 33 miles. Two loop trails, Crooked and Forest Lake, provide shorter routes totaling more than seven miles.

Trails are rolling with a few steep hills, some rocky places, well-maintained and generally kept clear of debris.

Volunteers from the Northern Kettle Moraine Horse Trail Association, in cooperation with the state forest, partner working on projects and special events to enhance the horseback riding



experience in the state forest.

For more information, go to the Northern Kettle Moraine Horse Trail Association’s website at nk-mhta.org.

About the Forest

The Kettle Moraine State Forest – Northern Unit owes its unique landscape to glaciers of the Wisconsin Stage of the last Ice Age, which ended approximately 10,000 years ago.

Geological History

Some 20,000 years ago, two lobes of a great ice sheet met along a line extending northeast from Richmond in Walworth County through the Oconomowoc Lake country to Kewaunee County. One lobe moved down what is now the Green Bay-Lake Winnebago area.

Spreading under tremendous pressure, the two lobes met and in the encounter, large blocks of ice were broken off and buried in the glacial deposit or till. As the ice melted, “kettles” were formed, some only a few yards across, others 100 to 200 feet deep.

The ice moved under great pressure, changing shape rather than sliding across the face of the land. As it changed shape, large amounts of rock, gravel, sand and silt were picked up and carried along by the glacier. When the ice melted, this material was deposited, in some instances, across glacier-formed valleys. Some “kettles” were formed this way.

The Kettle Moraine is an area of varied topography — parallel, steep-sided ridges, conical hills and flat outwash plains, mostly composed of sand and gravel. Many of the conical hills are conspicuous. Holy Hill reaches an elevation of 1,361 feet above sea level and some 340 feet above the stream valley to the east. Sugar Loaf or Pulford Peak (elevation 1,320 feet) is 320 feet above Pike Lake. Lapham Peak (elevation 1,233 feet), where there is a picnic area and observation tower, is 343 feet above Nagawicka Lake.

Similar detached sand and gravel conical hills, called kames, characterize the moraine throughout much of its extent. Some of these kames are cones formed beneath the glacier by surface streams which fell through holes in the ice. The undulating level-topped, narrow ridges called eskers were probably deposits in open cracks (crevasses) in the ice. In some areas the outwash terraces are pitted due to the melting of buried ice masses.



The Kettle Moraine area rises to 300 or more feet above the lands to the east and west yet is not a continuous divide. Maximum thickness of the drift is not known because few wells reach bedrock. It is possible that the drift reaches a thickness of 500 feet in some places.

Limestone underlies much of the Kettle Moraine. This formation is 450- to 800-feet thick and dips gently eastward. Its western edge or escarpment extends from Washington Island to the Illinois line near Walworth. It lies 20 miles to the west of Kettle Moraine at Greenbush, is completely covered by the moraine in the Waukesha County area, and is eight miles east of the moraine at Elkhorn. Because of the cover of drift, there are few outcrops in the moraine.

Lakes, of several origins, add greatly to the attractiveness of the Kettle Moraine. With the exception, of Pewaukee Lake, which lies in a preglacial valley blocked on the west and east by drift, all lakes in the Oconomowoc area occupy kettles. Long Lake, Big Cedar Lake and Elkhart Lake occupy preglacial valleys between morainic ridges. These valleys were probably occupied by ice blocks and escaped being filled by glacial drift.

State Forest History

After the period of glaciation, most of the highland surface became forested with fine hardwood timber and the swampy or low areas with softwoods.

Before the 17th century, small bands of roving Indians inhabited the area. With exploration and development of the area during the 18th and 19th centuries by the white settlers, a great change took place.

Fifty percent or more of the land in the Northern Kettle Moraine was cleared and turned into farms. Sixty to 70 per cent of the land in the Southern Kettle Moraine was farmed. A substantial proportion of the cleared land was submarginal.

Over the years, plantings of conifers, such as white and red pine and spruce, have taken place in all units of the forest. The pine and spruce will convert to northern hardwood species of maples, cherry, ash and basswood.

With the increase in Wisconsin's population, particularly in the southeastern 16 counties, the need for a large acreage devoted to public outdoor recreation and forestry became evident as early as 1920.

In the 1920s, there were horrific floods in the City of Milwaukee and

the city's population was rapidly growing. A group of foresighted people thought that if they could protect the headwaters of the Milwaukee River, this would help reduce the flooding in Milwaukee. They also wanted to provide a large tract of public land for Milwaukee's growing population.

After nearly a decade, legislation along with funding became available for the creation of the Kettle Moraine State Forest. In 1936, the Conservation Congress (predecessor to the Department of Natural Resources) acquired 850 acres around Moon Lake (now Mauthe Lake) from the Milwaukee Chapter of the Izaak Walton League. This marked the start of the Northern Unit. Today, the Northern Unit encompasses nearly 30,000 acres within its 36,000 project boundary.

In the 1950s a lawyer from Milwaukee, Ray Zillmer, began a campaign to bring his dream of a National Park protecting the glacial features of Wisconsin to life. With the help of his friends, Congressman Henry S. Reuss and Senator Gaylord Nelson, his dream came to fruition with the creation of the Ice Age National Scientific Reserve and the Ice Age National Scenic Trail. Ray Zillmer died before he could see the creation of the reserve and the Ice Age Trail, but he was honored with the naming of Zillmer Trail.

A 1964 Act of Congress established the Ice Age National Scientific Reserve to “assure protection, preservation, and interpretation of the nationally significant values of Wisconsin continental glaciation... and other reminders of the ice age.” The reserve consists of nine units scattered throughout the state and the northern 20,000 of the Northern Unit is one of those reserves. Each reserve site protects a unique glacial feature. The Northern Unit contains some of the finest features of continental glaciation in the state and the world including the interlobate moraine, kame fields, eskers, dry and wet kettles and crevasse fills.

In 1980 the Ice Age Trail was designated as a National Scenic Trail and later as a State Scenic Trail. The trail follows the southern extent of the last glaciers in the state of Wisconsin and is the only National Scenic Trail that is found entirely in only one state. Today about 60 percent of the 1,000 mile trail is now complete. The nucleus of the Ice Age National Scenic Trail was the 30-mile “Glacial



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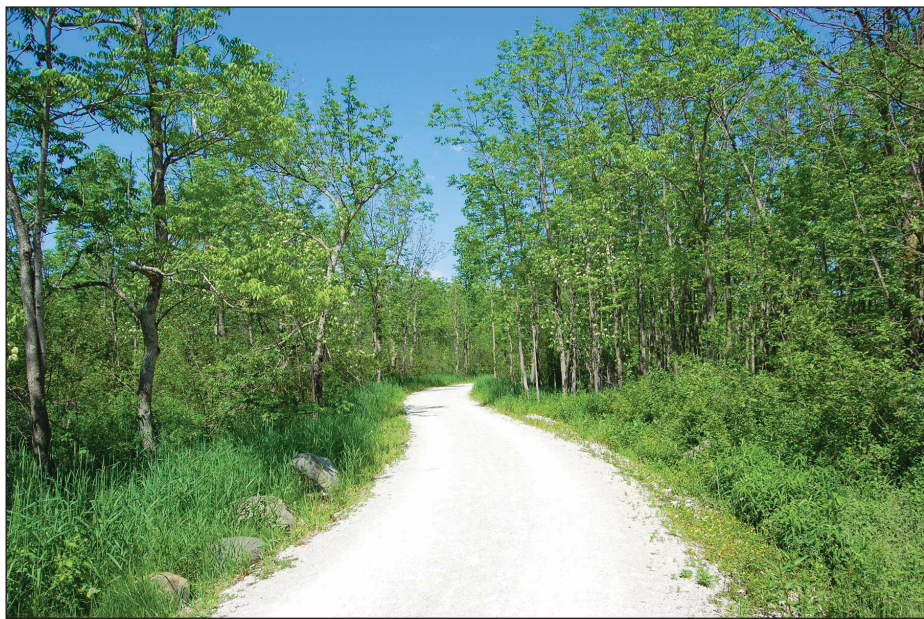
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About the Forest

Trail” that ran through the Northern Unit from north to south. The Northern Unit’s glacial features set the ground work for wide diversity of biological communities and the geographical position of the forest adds to this diversity. The Northern Unit is situated along the “tension zone” which runs in a diagonal path from near Eau Claire to northern Milwaukee. The tension zone marks where the northern forest meets the southern and eastern forest, and the prairies and oak savannahs of the south and west.

A person traveling through the area will encounter such natural communities as northern red oak forests, eastern hardwoods with beech trees, cedar swamps, flood plain forests, kettle wetlands, remnant prairies and northern bogs. The Northern Unit also supports one of the largest intact forests in southeast Wisconsin. This wide array of communities leads to rich diversity of plant and animal life including many threatened and endangered species and species of special concern. Twelve areas within the forest have been set aside as State Natural Areas protecting ten biological communities that were not or slightly disturbed by European settlement and two outstanding geological landmarks.

Today, it takes a team of managers and forest staff to manage all the resources found in the Northern Unit from forestry to fisheries, wildlife, endangered resources and water resources. But, the number one management goal is providing outdoor recreational opportunities with minimal conflicts for the nearly 900,000 annual visitors to the forest. People come to the Northern Unit to participate in a plethora of outdoor pursuits including hiking, hunting, camping, picnicking, swimming, horseback riding, snowmobiling, snowshoeing, cross-country skiing, fishing (year-round), canoeing, boating, geocaching, backpacking, wildlife observing, off-road biking, dog training, spirit renewing and learning.



Many trails can be found in the Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit. They provide great recreational opportunities in this area. You can walk or bike on these trails during the spring, summer and fall months.



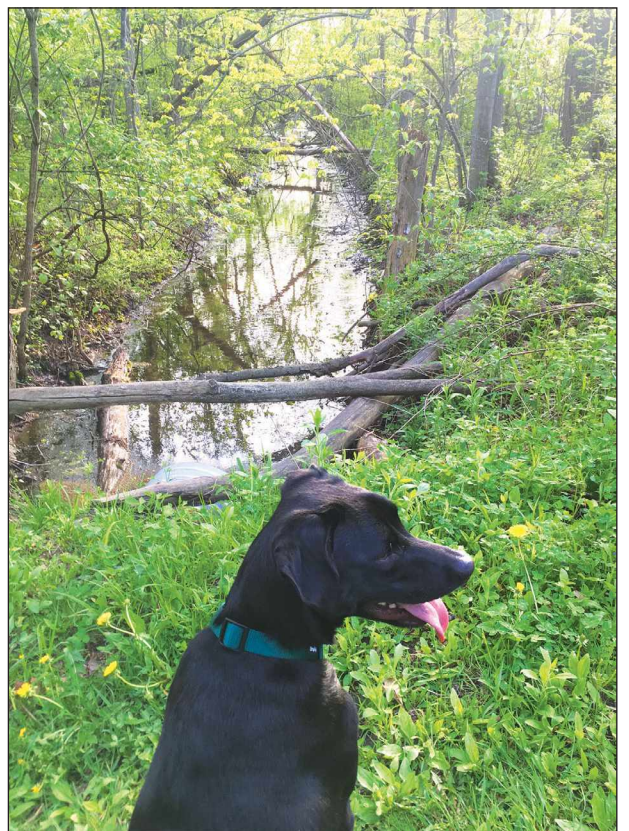
The bite is great on most lakes in the Kettle Moraine. Expect to catch panfish, walleye, bass, northern pike and even muskellunge (if you’re lucky).

Pets Can Enjoy the Kettle Moraine at Suggested Areas

Staff at the Kettle Moraine State Forest-Northern Unit often receive questions asking whether pets are allowed in the area.

Pets are permitted in all campgrounds, most trails, roads and outlying areas. Mauthe Lake and Long Lake Recreational Areas provide designated pet picnic areas for pet owners. Buildings, picnic, beach areas, playgrounds, marked “nature” trails and cross-country ski trails are off limits to pets, except disability service animals. Pets must be on a leash no longer than eight feet, under control and attended at all times, unless in a designated area that allows pets to be off-leash.

The forest has two areas designated as dog training areas. Dog training means teaching a dog to retrieve, point, flush and/or track game for the hunting or dog trail competition. The wet dog training area, on Division Road just south of County Highway F, is recommended for water skills training; while the dry dog training area, on County Highway U just east of County Highway A, should be used for developing upland bird skills. Consult Wisconsin dog training and trialing or contact forest headquarters to determine if a permit is required for the type of training you plan to do.



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Explore and enjoy the many state natural areas and geological landmarks on and near the Kettle Moraine Scenic Drive. These features listed from north to south along the drive, include:

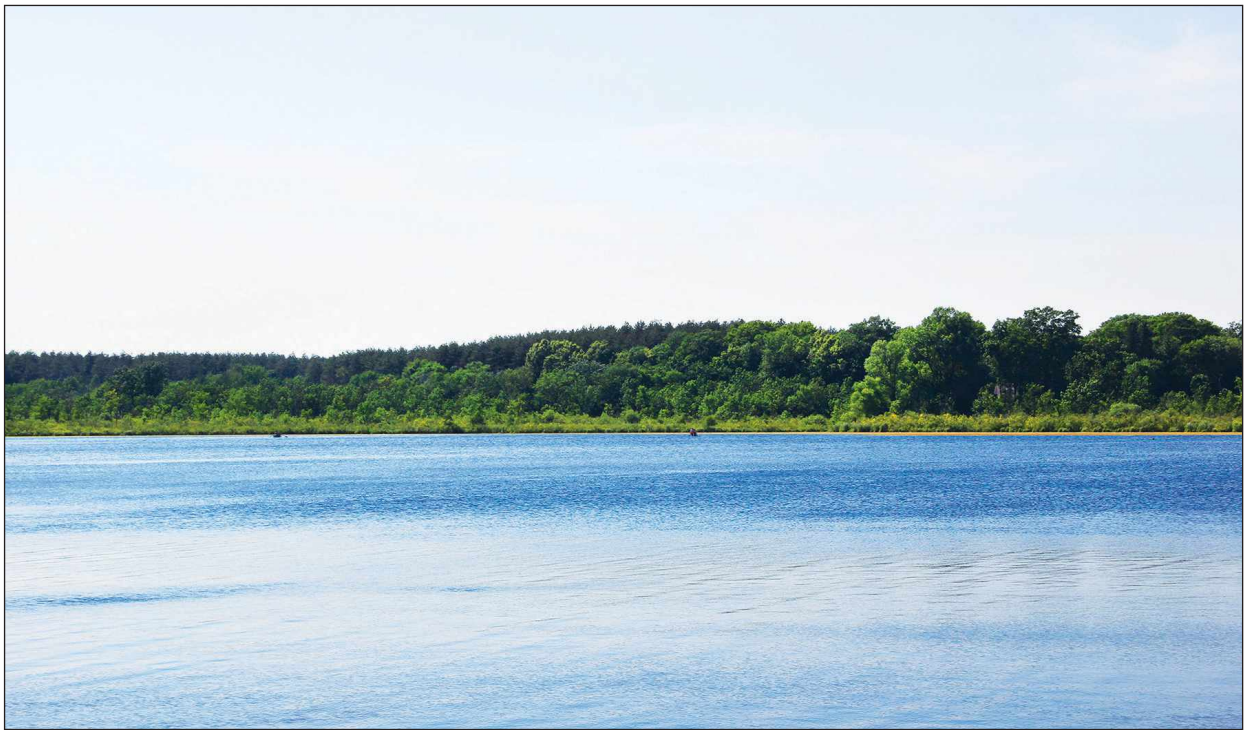
Haskell Noyes Memorial Woods — *On County Highway GGG just south of Highway SS. A historical marker greets visitors to this 67-acre State Natural Area. This area is designated as a Wisconsin Wildlife Viewing Area and is included in the national "Watchable Wildlife" program.*

Haskell Noyes Memorial Woods is a classic example of southern dry-mesic forest dominated by sugar maple and red oak, with smaller amounts of basswood, white ash, bitternut hickory, and ironwood. The site lies on an interlobate moraine formed between the Green Bay and Lake Michigan lobes of the Wisconsin stage of glaciation with numerous kames, kettles, and ridges.

The forest was never clearcut or heavily harvested during the logging era of the 19th century leaving red oaks that established during the 1860s and 1870s. And unlike other forests, fire has not occurred on these moist soils for the past several hundred years.

The forest understory is open, with few shrubs but a rich spring flora and diversity of ferns. Plants include maidenhair, fragile, cinnamon and lady ferns, hepaticas, clustered black snakeroot, large flowered trillium, red trillium, may-apple, large-leaved shinleaf, large-leaved bellwort, and wild geranium. A small area to the north is composed of swamp hardwoods and tamaracks. A high percentage of gravel is found in the soils and steep slopes are thus prone to erosion.

The land was purchased in 1947 to prevent im-



The Kettle Moraine State Forest has many lakes to utilize for boating, fishing, canoeing and swimming throughout the summer months.

minent logging. Haskell Noyes Memorial Woods is owned by the DNR and was designated a State Natural Area in 1952.

Milwaukee River Tamarack Lowlands & Dundee Kame — *On County Highway F, a quarter mile east of Dundee. The kame is known throughout the world by geology students and is often pictured in geology textbooks because of its near perfect form.*

Milwaukee River Tamarack Lowlands and Dundee Kame features a large wetland complex occupying both sides of the river with southern hardwood swamp, northern wet-mesic forest, northern wet forest, southern sedge meadow, shrub-carr, and a warm, slow, hard water stream. Several small kames, irregularly shaped mounds of sand, gravel and till, are present within the natural area boundary.

Also protected within the state forest proper is Dundee Kame, a conical shaped hill rising 250 feet above the surrounding landscape. The kame is known as a moulin kame, actually a pile of glacial till left behind when a glacial stream loses its gradient and velocity and then deposits the till into a pile.

This natural area is important for the protection of an extensive watershed and for its value as wildlife habitat. Many animal species of concern are found here. Milwaukee River Tamarack Lowlands and Dundee Kame is owned by the DNR and was designated a State Natural Area in 1992.

Spruce Lake Bog State Natural Area — *North of Dundee on Airport Road, one-half mile west of Vista Drive. Spruce Lake Bog features an undisturbed shallow seepage bog lake situated in one of the many kettle holes characteristic of the interlobate glacial deposits scattered throughout the area.*

The 35-acre lake has moderately hard water with a pH of 7.5 and supports a dense, floating-leaved aquatic flora of water shield and water lilies. The site is particularly rich in plants more characteristic of northern Wisconsin sphagnum bogs and greatly resembles them in appearance.

Black spruce, which is common in the swamp forest, is near its southern range limit in Wisconsin. Distinct vegetation zones encircle the lake with a floating sedge mat of cotton grass, three-fruited sedge, royal fern, pitcher plant, round-leaved sundew, moccasin flower, wintergreen, and small cranberry grading into a bog forest of tamarack and black spruce.

An outer zone of swamp hardwoods includes tamarack, black ash, red maple, yellow birch, and white cedar and contains species more commonly associated with northern coniferous forests including three-leaved gold-thread, American starflower, partridgeberry, common winterberry, and yellow blue-bead lily.

The diversity of shrubs on the sedge mat and in the forest is indicative of the area's high quality.

Species include speckled alder, black chokeberry, willow, round-leaved and red-osier dogwood, Labrador-tea, bog birch, leather-leaf, bog-rosemary, poison sumac, mountain holly, meadow-sweet, huckleberry, cranberry, and blueberry.

Several bird species with northern affinities nest here, including northern waterthrush, Nashville warbler, Canada warbler, and white-throated sparrow.

Spruce Lake Bog has been designated a national natural landmark by the US Park Service. Spruce Lake Bog is owned by the DNR and was designated a State Natural Area in 1968.

Butler Lake and Flynn's Spring — *East of Long Lake on Butler Lake Road. Butler Lake and Flynn's Spring features a seven-acre shallow hard-bottom lake surrounded by sedge meadow.*

Previously, the site contained a tamarack hardwood swamp but a few years of high water levels has killed off most of the trees. Although the groundlayer has also been flooded, the aquatic vegetation and geologic features are still intact.

Nearby Flynn's Spring is a small, spring brook flowing into the south end of Butler Lake. Chara covers the marl-bottomed Butler Lake while the dominant submerged aquatic species is Illinois pondweed.

Emergents include white water-lily, bull-head pond-lily, and hard-stem bulrush. A small zone of sedges and bulrushes on the north end is the only open wetland. Older tamaracks, which formerly surrounded the lake, have died but the species is reproducing well along the northwestern and southern shores.

Adjacent to the lake is Parnell Esker, a geologic feature known worldwide and used extensively for education. The esker is five to 35 feet in height and runs northeast southwest for about four miles. The lake and wetlands provide habitat for some uncommon invertebrates.

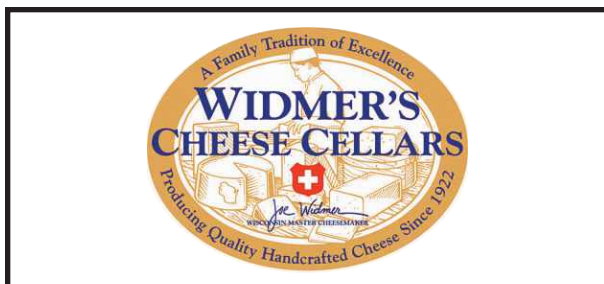
Butler Lake and Flynn's Spring is owned by the DNR and was designated in 1992.

Milwaukee River And Swamp — *This area is along the Milwaukee River north of Mauthe Lake.*

Milwaukee River and Swamp features an unusual combination of southern and northern wet-mesic forests situated along 0.75 mile of a slow, meandering warm water stream with accompanying shrubs zones and communities including lowland hardwood forest, conifer swamp, and a small bog lake.

The river bottom is mucky with sand and gravel and there are good populations of northern pike, black crappie, walleye, and several smaller forage species. Aquatic plants include water-lilies, water-milfoil, coon's-tail, waterweed, giant duckweed, water nymph, and several pondweeds.

One large spring, 1,000-foot long, feeds the river in the north portion of the site. Bordering the river is a dense shrub zone that changes abruptly to



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Areas of Interest

a yellow birch, white birch, American elm, black ash, and basswood lowland forest.

East of the small lowland forest is a more dense conifer swamp of mainly white cedar but also tamarack and black spruce. A good representative understory is present. A small bog lake occurs in the eastern portion of the natural area.

Milwaukee River and Swamp is owned by the DNR and was designated a State Natural Area in 1971.

Spring Lake — *Southwest of New Prospect west of County Highway G.*

Spring Lake is a clear, alkaline lake surrounded by fen and northern wet forest with an unusual flora and fauna. Aquatic vegetation is sparse and consists of yellow water-lily, bladderworts, pondweeds, and chara.

The shoreline is an undercut bog shelf under which fish find refuge. Northern pike, large mouth bass, perch, bullhead, and green sunfish are found in spite of a maximum water depth of 1.5 feet.

An open mat of vegetation dominated by narrow-leaved cattails and bulrushes surrounds the lake, and many sedges and forbs characteristic of both acid bogs and calcareous fens occur together. The narrow mat gives way to a tamarack forest on the east; to the south the swamp forest is composed of elm, red maple, yellow birch, and tamarack.

Along the northwestern shore is a shrubby region of bog birch, willows, dogwood, and elder. Poison sumac is abundant throughout the site. Breeding bird surveys have shown an abundance of warbler species including blue-winged, golden-winged, black and white, Nashville, mourning, and yellow.

Spring Lake is owned by the DNR and was designated a State Natural Area in 1971.

Crooked Lake Wetlands — *East of New Prospect on the north side of County Highway SS.*

Crooked Lake Wetlands is a diverse complex of communities including northern wet forest, southern dry-mesic forest, southern sedge meadow, shrub-carr, open bog, and two shallow seepage lakes.

The 65-acre Crooked Lake is one of the larger natural lakes in the county and has a maximum depth of 34 feet. The inlet provides a spawning ground for northern pike while the outlet forms a small tributary of the East Branch of the Milwaukee River.

On the west side of Crooked Lake is a shrub-carr of diverse composition and structure. White meadowsweet and bog birch are dominant with openings of blue-joint grass, tussock sedge, and long-bracted tussock sedge. Red-osier dogwood and willows dominate some areas while speckled alder, common winterberry, nannyberry, and poison sumac characterize others.

The herbaceous layer is equally diverse with royal fern, marsh fern, meadow-rue and marsh pea. Also present are two shallow, hard water, seepage lakes - Cedar Lake and an unnamed lake. Cedar Lake is surrounded by swamp hardwoods of yellow birch, black ash, and red maple and a mature stand of sugar maple, basswood and red oak. The unnamed lake has numerous emergent aquatics including wild rice and is surrounded by a boggy shrub forest with tamarack.

This area is home to a diverse community of birds including nesting and migratory waterfowl, swamp sparrow, yellow, golden-winged, and Nashville warblers, veery, gray catbird, and American woodcock.

Crooked Lake Wetlands is owned by the DNR and was designated a SNA in 1992.

Kettle Hole Woods — *Northeast of New Fane on County Highway S, then north on Forest View Road.*

Located in southeastern Wisconsin's glacial kettle topography is Kettle Hole Woods, an isolated hill forested with southern mesic and dry-mesic hardwoods. Ephemeral ponds are scattered throughout the site.

The mature forest features an excellent canopy of very large trees, primarily red oak and sugar

maple with associated beech, basswood, white ash, white oak, and bitternut hickory. Most saplings are sugar maple and beech suggesting that the red oaks will eventually be replaced by other more mesophytic species.

The shrub layer is variable in density with witch hazel, American hazelnut, viburnums, and gooseberry. Mayapple, Pennsylvania sedge, interrupted fern, lady fern, round-lobed hepatica, and wild geranium characterize portions of the groundlayer while scattered open areas with pockets of gooseberry support maidenhair fern, blue cohosh, bent trillium, and violets.

Kettle Hole Woods is owned by the DNR and was designated a SNA in 1992.

Kewaskum Maple-Oak Woods — *Southeast of Kewaskum via State Highway 28 and South Mill Road, two parcels with interesting wild plants and birds.*

Kewaskum Maple-Oak Woods consists of two parcels separated by old field and pine plantation that contain southern dry-mesic and mesic forest dominated by sugar maple, red oak, white ash, and basswood with some beech. Located just east of the Milwaukee River, the southern tract is hilly with southern, eastern, and western exposures and contains a very rich herb layer.

Uncommon and interesting species include large-fruited snakeroot, dog violet, smooth bank cress, showy orchis, and putty root orchid. The northern tract is flatter and generally lower, containing very large red oak, white oak, sugar maple, and black cherry. Both parcels have kettle depressions that hold water seasonally.

Common nesting birds include the black-billed cuckoo, great-crested flycatcher, eastern wood pewee, wood thrush, blue-gray gnatcatcher, and scarlet tanager.

Kewaskum Maple-Oak Woods is owned by the DNR and was designated a State Natural Area in 1977.

Kettle Moraine Red Oaks — *The Ice Age Trail goes through this area southeast of Greenbush. It has more than 100 kinds of trees, shrubs, and other plants.*

Kettle Moraine Red Oaks is a mature second-growth southern dry-mesic forest which originated in 1889. Composed of red oak, basswood, sugar maple and white ash, it is one of the richest oak forests in the region and contains over 100 species of trees, shrubs, and herbs.

Other canopy species present include big-tooth aspen, white oak, black cherry, and shagbark hickory while the subcanopy is composed of ironwood, sugar maple, basswood, and ash saplings. The forest is situated on the high interlobate moraine and contains several outstanding dry kettle holes, which provide some diversity in exposure.

The groundlayer contains characteristic dry-mesic species with three species of bedstraw, numerous sedges, downy Solomon's seal, mayapple, maidenhair fern, American squaw-root, large-flowered trillium, sweet cicely, and Canada mayflower. This large tract provides important habitat for rare forest interior birds.

Other species include ovenbird, barred owl, and wood thrush, wood pewee, and scarlet tanager. Kettle Moraine Red Oaks is part of the most extensive hardwood forest located within the region and forms the core of a larger proposed Habitat Preservation Area.

Protection of this site is vital given the harvest pressure and the loss of red oaks across the landscape. As this site ages, it will become a prime candidate for research on old-growth red oak forests.

Kettle Moraine Red Oaks is owned by the DNR and was designated a State Natural Area in 1992.

Johnson Hill Kame — *South of Highways 67 and U near Woodside and Shamrock roads.*

Johnson Hill Kame is a "moulin" kame, a conical hill of sand and gravel formed near the edge of the wasting glacial ice sheet by subglacial meltwater streams that poured downward through cylindrical holes in the glacier. The swirling motion of the debris-laden water reminded early French mountaineers of a moulin (mill in French).

Hundreds of spectacular glacial features can be found within the Kettle Moraine and the Northern Unit contains one of the best displays of moulin kames in the country. Surrounding the kame is both southern and northern dry-mesic forest.

The southern slope is composed of red oak, big-tooth aspen, beech, ironwood, sugar maple, bitternut hickory, basswood, white oak, and eastern hop-hornbeam. The cooler north slope consists of basswood and sugar maple with beech, red oak, and eastern hop-hornbeam.

Johnson Hill Kame is owned by the DNR and was designated a State Natural Area in 1992.

Other Points of Interest

Greenbush Kettle — On Kettle Moraine Drive, a mile north of State Highway 67. An outstanding example of a glacial kettle hole, it has a scenic overlook, viewing deck and interpretive display just a short walk from the parking lot.

Kame Field — Near the intersection of Highway V and Deer Road looking north. The mile-wide view of this spectacular kame field is breathtaking. Visitors can view and experience the rock and rubble and gravel "insides" of a kame up close.

Visita Trail Overlook — At the Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center, State Highway 67 south of Dundee. A short climb up some stairs and you arrive at a viewing platform overlooking a beautiful vista from which you can see drumlins, eskers and ground moraines. The visitor center offers forest information, interpretive displays and a 20-minute film explaining how the glaciers shaped most of Wisconsin's landscape. You can buy nature books, clothing, admission stickers and trail passes there. Public programs are scheduled throughout the year and group programs on request.

Jersey Flats Prairie — On County Highway SS, a quarter mile west of the village of New Prospect. This restored prairie is a glacial outwash plain. This area is designated as a Wisconsin Wildlife Viewing Area and is included in the national "Watchable Wildlife" program.

Little Mud Lake — On County Highway SS, a half mile east of County Highway GGG. This site is a State Habitat Preservation Area and is vital for the long-term survival of the red-spotted, blue-spotted, spotted and tiger salamanders that thrive here. A picnic table and grill are provided at the small parking lot.



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1,200 Miles and Counting, Arlette Laan Walks the Ice Age Trail

The Netherlands native walked the entire Ice Age Trail from May to July in 2022, and she believes she is the first woman to finish all 11 National Scenic Trails

“If you want to do it: Do it,” said Arlette Laan, a 50-year-old Dutch-born Massachusetts resident from a section of this state’s Ice Age National Scenic Trail, just hours before completing the entire 1,200-mile journey from Polk to Door County.

It was a quest that began on May 5 in Western Wisconsin, and it came to a spirited end – with loved ones and members of the Ice Age Trail Alliance waiting for her at the conclusion – on the peninsula on Monday, July 11, 2022.

Perhaps, readers could deem it “easy for her to say” but, for Laan, it was a combination of small consecutive accomplishments (not just one big one) that makes her a viable source of inspiration.

“You can have a big goal, but take it in small steps so it doesn’t seem so intimidating,” said Laan, taking deep breaths over the phone just three short miles from the terminus of her months-long excursion. “If you take it one section at a time, one day at a time, and you just take that first step... You’ll eventually get there.”

Of course, this is the mindset of someone who has made a career out of hiking and, since 2003, has made it her mission to walk as many trails across the globe as she can. Laan works for Redline Guiding, a service group offering guided hikes across the country. Redline also provides portering services and gear rescue/recovering options for larger or more sophisticated expeditions.

Completing the Ice Age National Scenic Trail had increased significance for Laan, because it was the last of 11 National Scenic Trails she’s hiked since 2003. By her count, she is the sixth person in history to walk all 11 NSTs and the first woman.

Of the hikers that finished the feat before her – Bart Smith, Meredith J. Eberhart (known as “Nimblewill Nomand”), Al Learned, Brian Tanzman, Ryan Bunting – none were women, which led Laan to research if she was, in fact, one-of-a-kind.

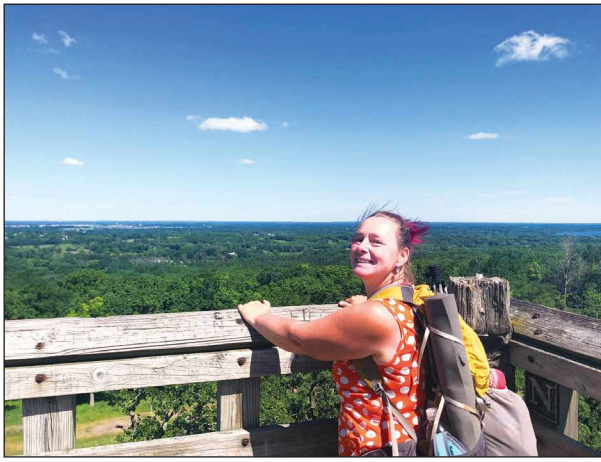
Tanzman, who Laan referred to as being a significant help to her accomplishments, scoured archives for the North Country National Scenic Trail to determine, first, how many women had completed that trek.

The North Country trail – which connects Vermont, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and North Dakota – is (by a significant margin) the longest of the NST runs at 4,600 miles. The next longest is the Continental Divide trail, which is 3,200 miles.

Laan estimated that she hiked 300 consecutive days to finish the North Country Trail (“At that point, you’re so caught up in the moment, you don’t realize it’s kind of insane”).

“It’s too much,” quipped Laan about North Country, noting that so few hikers finish that single trail let alone the 10 others. “[Tanzman] did some digging to see [what women] finished the North Country trail. If they had done [North Country], had they done another one?”

The research did not produce another female



Arlette “Apple Pie” Laan enjoys the view from Lapham Peak tower in the Kettle Moraine State Forest (Waukesha County section). Laan, a Dutch-born Massachusetts resident, walked the entire Ice Age National Scenic Trail (roughly 1,200 miles) from May 5 to July 11, 2022. Upon completing the trek, Laan believed she was the first woman (and sixth person ever) to walk all 11 National Scenic Trails in the United States. **SUBMITTED**

with the credentials of Laan and, as such, she will take the honor of sixth ever to complete all NST trails and the first woman, though, she acknowledged that it is quite possible others have done so without much fanfare.

“There’s no registry,” she explained, adding that hikers also aren’t the most extroverted of people. “The NST hikers are not that big on social media.”

Looking back at her 11-trail excursion, Laan said it is not likely her accomplishment will sink in immediately or anytime soon. Speaking to this journalist from the trail, Laan said she was looking forward to seeing her friends and family at the finish line, as well as a much-needed day of rest.

“We’re just going to chill at the campground,” she said. “It’s a little weird, because people keep saying it’s a big thing, but it’s just a hike. For now, it just feels like I’m finishing a hike.”

On her time in Wisconsin, Laan said she was surprised by the geographical variance.

“The [Kettle Moraine Northern Unit] was actually pretty hard,” said Laan of the local leg of the Ice Age Trail. “You think, ‘Wisconsin is not that hilly!’ and you hit those little ups and little downs all day.”

Laan enjoyed the glacial rocks and boulders found throughout the Kettle Moraine area, and she said the ample recreational lakes along the way were a perfect reprieve on some of July’s muggy and sweltering evenings.

In addition to the trails, Laan said – when there was time and energy – she also climbed lookout towers, did additional non-Ice Age Trail legs and even walked into Algoma for a small taste of civilization (“we walked to the beach and then turned around”).

In all, Laan’s wanderlust is personal. While she’s managed to make a living doing something she loves, she said she never sought out attention for her actions; it’s simply something she loves to do, and if more people pick up the hobby because of her, that’s just a cherry on top.

“I like to talk about hiking and inspire others to get out there,” she said, adding that folks should not feel intimidated by younger and fitter “influencers” on social media. “You can do cool stuff even if you are a little older and not in the best shape.”

Hiking, in Laan’s eyes, is really about community, and she said to anyone looking to get involved, they are likely to find a host of supportive allies in the woods and fields across the country. She said the support, even from a distance, was imperative in lifting her to the last day.

“I’m very grateful for all the ‘trail angels’ that have helped me,” she said. “Everyone that has been cheering me on at home; it means a lot. Some days are hard, and you might get a message that says: ‘I’m thinking of you!’ Seems like a little thing but it makes a difference.”

While Laan was hesitant to rank the Ice Age Trail against the others (“I really like more of a

wilderness experience. I like the big mountain regions and the herds of elk”), she was quick to note that “different” is a positive descriptor when analyzing trails.

“Ice Age Trail doesn’t have the epic mountain views, but it has some different cultural [features], and the beauty is in the little things,” she said, adding that the Ice Age Trail’s proximity to urban environments meant she had more person-to-person interaction throughout the months. “I really enjoyed hiking in the spring with the wildflowers and meeting the people.”

Up next for Laan is – you guessed it – more hiking, though, she will certainly be taking a small break to reflect on her impressive accomplishment.

She thanked her husband, Rich Gambale, and her friend, Roberta “Little Bird” Smith, for their support and encouragement throughout the years.

“They’ve been very important in supporting me mentally,” she said, adding that both have also had spare change or a few bucks for Laan whenever needed.

While Laan continues to put one foot in front of the other, she acknowledged that – while it was never her original intent – she does hope that she will inspire others to follow their passions and desires.

At the end of the trail, it was not fame, fortunate or even consideration that Laan sought, and she encouraged others to do what they want to do, because they want to do it.

In her own words, in the simplest order, Laan wrapped up by saying:

“I was hiking because I wanted to hike.”

Corn Roast in Dundee

Every year, the Northern Kettle Moraine Crooked Trails Snowmobile Club hosts the Dundee Corn Roast at the Dundee Sportsmen’s Park on the second Saturday of August.

Specific details about the event were not available at publication time, but visitors can expect the roast to take place on Aug. 12 of 2023.

Every year, the event offers free sweet corn on the cob, usually available starting at 12:30 p.m. and available until it is gone.

The corn tastes great every year, and at the low, low price of free, there’s no reason not to stay all day!

Kids games and activities and other food and refreshments are available throughout. Live music, both bands and DJs, play all day, as well.

The club uses the profits of the event to keep the trails in the area and around the forest well-groomed during the snowmobiling season.

As the day of the event gets closer, check the club’s website and Facebook page for more details.

You can locate the Dundee Sportsmen’s Park Pavilion on Highway 67 across from the Dundee gas station. Just follow the large yellow signs in the area.

Since everyone is welcome at this free event, why not come and enjoy the day while supporting the trails in and around Dundee!



Enjoying the main event at the annual Dundee Corn Roast. Completely free to the public, the event and corn are a not-to-be-missed extravaganza in the Northern Kettle Moraine.

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Every Saturday from June to August: Morning and Afternoon Nature Sleuths, 8-9 a.m. and 3-4 p.m. Get on those detective hats and join us every Saturday from June through August as we solve and look for clues in the Wisconsin Explorer books. Meet at varied locations. Check the WDNR Kettle Moraine Northern Unit online calendar for specifics.

Friday, May 5 – Storytime: Incredible Eggs, 9:30-10:30 a.m. Craaaaaack! What’s coming out of the egg? You’ll be surprised at all the different creatures that begin their lives in eggs. Come and join us for this hour of fun for kids 3-6 years old. Meet at the Ice Age Visitor Center (N2875 Hwy 67, Campbellsport, a half mile west of Dundee).

Friday, May 19 – Storytime: Pond Life, 9:30-10:30 a.m. A pond may seem like a quiet spot until you explore it more closely. Come and find out what animals and plants call ponds their homes. Join us at the Ice Age Visitor Center for this hour of fun for kids 3-6 years old.

Friday, June 2 – Storytime: Wiggling Worms, 9:30-10:30 a.m. What has no legs, lives underground, and eats dirt? You guessed it- a worm! Unearth the details about the secret life of our wriggling critters. Join us for this hour of fun for kids 3-6 years old at the Ice Age Visitor Center (N2875 Hwy 67, Campbellsport – half mile west of Dundee).

Sunday, June 4 – Pop-Up: Alien Attack, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. We are being invaded not by outer space aliens, but by alien plants and animals. Uncover what foreign species are taking over our native communities and what can be done to help control their spread. You will have a chance to make several unique crafts including a smashed-plant bandana. Meet at the Long Lake Recreation Area.

Sunday, June 11 – Pop-Up: Alien Attack, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Meet at the Mauthe Lake Recreation Area.

Friday, June 16 – Storytime: Home Sweet Home,

9:30-10:30 a.m. Did you ever wonder what lives underground, in the grass, or in the tallest tree? We will discover where the animals of the Kettle Moraine call home. Join us for this hour of fun for kids 3-6 years old at the Ice Age Visitor Center (N2875 Hwy 67, Campbellsport – half mile west of Dundee).

Saturday, June 17 – Exploring Nature: Learn to Fly Fish, 10-11:30 a.m. Do you marvel at those fly-fishing anglers, but can’t quite figure out how they do it? Learn the correct way to use fly fishing gear and tackle to catch a whole variety of fish. Bring your own gear if you have some. A number of rods/reels will be available for participants’ use. You will need a valid Wisconsin fishing license, if you plan to fish. This program is best for people at least 12 years old. Class size is limited. To register, call 920-533-8322 by June 10. Meet at the Mauthe Lake Recreation Area.

Sunday, June 25 – Pop-Up: Get Outdoors! Play Day, Noon-3 p.m. Bring the whole family for some nature and outdoor fun! Try your hand at tracking animals, honing your fishing skills, taking the eco-explorer challenge, matching young critters with their parents, and crafting original nature art. Everyone is invited to drop in. Adults are encouraged to participate with their children. Meet at the Long Lake Recreation Area.

Sunday, July 2 – Wings of Colorful Scales, 10-11:30 a.m. & 1-2:30 p.m. On wings of colorful scales, butterflies flutter through the daylight while moths float through the night. You will be amazed at the lives these incredible insects lead. Meet at the Mauthe Lake Recreation Area. **Sunday, July 9** – Pop-Up: Animals of the Forest and City, 10-11:30 a.m. & 1-2:30 p.m. Discover that animals feel as comfortable living in the forest as they do in our human-populated cities. Pick up some tips on how to reside with wild animals in urban and suburban areas. Meet at Mauthe Lake Recreation Area.

Friday, July 14 – Storytime: Fluffy, Puffy, Clouds, 9:30-10:30 a.m. Lay back and watch the clouds float on by. Come learn how these fluffy, puffy clouds are formed and what may fall from them. Best suited for kids ages 3-6 years old. Meet at the Ice Age Visitor Center (N2875 Hwy 67, Campbellsport – half a mile west of Dundee).

Sunday, July 23 – Pop-Up: Upscaled Fun and Games, Noon-2 p.m. Let your creative juices flow!

Using materials usually thrown away, fashion several fun toys, including a T-shirt, jump rope and CD spinner. Meet at Long Lake Recreation Area.

Friday, July 28 – Storytime: Going Batty! 9:30-10:30 a.m. Come enter a bat’s world to learn about these nighttime bug eaters and why they are our batty friends. Join us for this hour of fun for kids ages 3-6 years old. Meet at the Ice Age Visitor Center (N2875 Hwy 67, Campbellsport – half mile west of Dundee).

Sunday, Aug. 6 – Pop-Up: Nature Printing, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Let your artistic energies flow! Using objects from nature, print lovely designs on cloth or note cards. Bring a t-shirt or bandana, or purchase one that day. Meet at Mauthe Lake Recreation Area.

Friday, Aug. 11 – Storytime: Slow Moving Snails, 9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m. Silvery trails in the morning light tell us where the snails have been. Come explore the slow-moving world of the snail. Join us for this hour of fun for kids ages 3-6 years old. Meet at the Ice Age Visitor Center (N2875 Hwy 67, Campbellsport – half a mile west of Dundee).

Sunday, Aug. 13 – Pop-Up: Awesome Amphibians & Radical Reptiles, 1-3 p.m. Learn all about awesome amphibians and radical reptiles at this event! Meet at Long Lake Recreation Area.

Sunday, Aug. 20 – Pop-Up: Get Outdoors! Play Day! Noon-3 p.m. Bring the whole family for some nature and outdoor fun! Try your hand at tracking animals, honing your fishing skills, taking the eco-explorer challenge, matching young critters with their parents, and crafting original nature art. Everyone is invited to drop in for a few minutes or more than an hour. Adults are encouraged to participate with their children. Meet at Mauthe Lake Recreation Area.

Sunday, Aug. 27 – Pop-Up: Upscaled Fun and Games, Noon-2 p.m. Let your creative juices flow! Using materials usually thrown away, fashion several fun toys, including a t-shirt, jump rope and CD spinner. Meet at Long Lake Recreation Area.

Community Events

Friday Aug. 18-19 – Friday @ Fireman’s, Campbellsport. Come out to Fireman’s Park for food, family fun, music and so much more. Brought to you by the Campbellsport Area Chamber of Commerce.

Can’t Miss: Eden Firemen’s Picnic & Parade

The annual Eden Firemen’s Picnic and Parade will take place August 4-6.

If you are in the area at this time, do not miss this weekend-long event!

All activities are held at Eden Firemen’s Park, and the picnic is free to attend.

Everything begins on Friday night with a fish fry. Members of the Eden Fire Department cook and serve a traditional Wisconsin Fish Fry. If you aren’t from the state, you should come early and try this cuisine that has made Wisconsin famous.

To round out Friday night, an area band will entertain those at the event. Some details were being set as of print time, but local rockers Until Dawn have already announced they’re playing the picnic in 2023.

On Saturday, carnival rides and food are available all day. The main events kick-off later in the afternoon, when a kids’ pedal tractor pull and musical entertainment bookend the Saturday festivities.

Sunday kicks off at noon with the annual parade. Many area organizations, businesses, bands and groups participate in this parade, and the sidewalks are packed early with onlookers, locals and visitors. If you want a good vantage point, come early and bring a few lawn chairs to claim your space!

Musical entertainment will be available all afternoon. Bingo is always played on Sunday afternoon.

All weekend, the fire department will be serving food and refreshments. Don’t miss the pies cooked every year by the women of the fire association auxiliary.

All live music is free to enjoy.

Make sure you stop in Eden this weekend for all the fun and entertainment. This is sure to be a great weekend for everyone in the family.

For more information about the event, check out the fire department’s Facebook page.



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Can't Miss: Campbellsport Firemen's Picnic & Parade

If you are looking for something fun to do while you are in the Kettle Moraine area over the Fourth of July holiday, take a drive to the scenic Village of Campbellsport located just west of the forest.

The Campbellsport Fire Department's (CFD) annual picnic and parade are always celebrated on July 3 and 4, and everyone in the village and surrounding communities turns out for this two-day festival.

Fireworks, food, music and a large parade are just a few of the traditions passed down from generation to generation, as this picnic is more than a century-in-the-making.

Some of the events will include fire department waterfights, children's waterfights, live music, carnival games and rides for the kids (and "larger kids"), food and refreshments.

The events usually kick-off on July 3, with children's waterfights. Teams of three to four children compete against each other to see who can move the barrel the farthest. They will definitely get wet, but they always love every minute of it.

The adult waterfights follow. Area fire departments test their skills to see which department will come out on top.

End the night listening to a popular Wisconsin band and watch a great fireworks display.

The festivities are just as exciting the next day. A car show is held at the park during the picnic on July 4.

The annual parade begins at noon, on The Fourth and marches down Main Street of the village.

More musical entertainment will take place in the park throughout the day.

For a complete event listing or for more information on all the events, go to fire department's Facebook page or website.



The parade end at Firemens Park where games and rides were set up for more community fun.



The kid's water fights are one of many highlights at Campbellsport's annual weekendlong July 4th celebration.



Big brother tries to help little sister keep her eye on the ball (which can be seen on the right side of the photograph). While she lost track of this one, the pair were able to sink a few shots at the carnival games available on Saturday, July 3, at the annual Campbellsport Firemen's Picnic.

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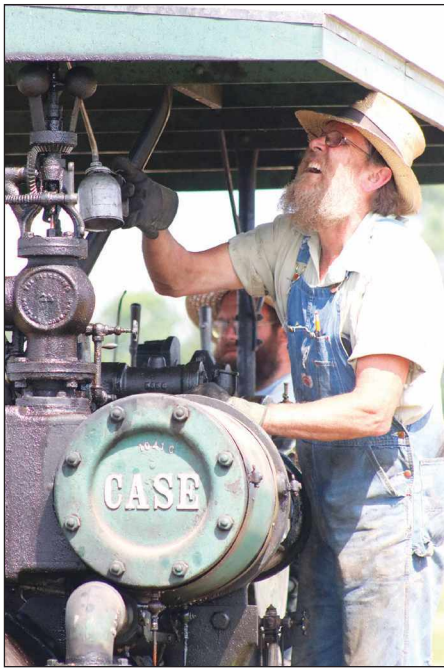
Running the engine at the Empire Threshere on Saturday, Aug. 27, 2022.



The Empire Threshing Association's annual Threshere is always a fun event for the entire family. You will learn how farmers did their work about a century ago and see some of the equipment they once used. The event is typically held the last weekend in August.



Lending a helping hand.



A timeless image from the 2022 Empire Threshing Association's Threshere.



Work hard and play harder at the Empire Threshere.

Can't Miss: Boltonville Rain Days

The Boltonville Volunteer Fire Department holds its annual Rain Days celebration over Memorial Day weekend. This year it will be held May 26-28.

The event will feature entertainment all weekend on the fire department's grounds, located at 9336 Bolton Drive in Boltonville.

The celebration always includes a carnival with rides, games, food, music and beer available throughout the weekend.

A huge fireworks display is always held on Friday at dusk (weather permitting).

Water fights are held on Saturday.

The annual Boltonville Prize Parade is starts on Sunday at noon.

For more information, go to facebook.com/BoltonvilleFD/.



The Boltonville Volunteer Fire Department's annual Rain Days celebration is always a fun event. Check out the picnic and the parade.

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Let's Go to the Fair!

If you are visiting the Kettle Moraine State Forest this summer and are looking for some fun family entertainment outside of the woods, check out one of the nearby county fairs, which stagger their runs throughout the warmest season.

The state forest borders three counties that all host fairs in the summer months.

Each multi-day festival offers games, rides, food and refreshments, showing animals and lots of other family-friendly activities. Area youth exhibit their livestock and projects for judging.

Fond du Lac County Fair — The Fond du Lac County Fair will be held July 19-23.

It is held at the fairgrounds in Fond du Lac, just 16 miles north of Campbellsport at 17th Street and Martin Avenue.

This year, the fair will host headliners Skillet on July 20, Tesla on July 21 and Randy Houser on July 22. The popular Tractor and Truck Pull will take place on July 19. Watch professional Bull Riding and Barrel Racing on July 18. The demolition derby is scheduled for July 23.

For more information on this fair, go to fonddu-laccountyfair.com.

Washington County Fair — The Washington County Fair will be held July 25-30.

It is held at the Washington County Fair Park in West Bend, at 3000 Pleasant Valley Road (Hwy PV), West Bend.

The Washington County Fair will feature headliners Rodney Atkins on July 27 and Brothers Osborne on July 29. It will also feature the always popular tractor and truck pulls and fireworks. As of publication time, not all headliners were announced, so go to wcfairpark.com closer to the dates for more info.

Sheboygan County Fair — The Sheboygan County Fair is always held Labor Day weekend.

It is held at the fair park in Plymouth, just 20 miles east of Campbellsport at 229 Fairview Dr.



A scene from the 2022 Fond du Lac County Fair.

(Plymouth).

The Sheboygan County Fair features a farm tractor pull, a demolition derby, IRA Sprint Car and PDTR 360 Sprint racing and Badger State Tractor Pulls.

As of publication time, the specific line up of events had not been released.

To find more information and the names of the headliners, go to shebcofair.com.



Party on the Pavement in Kewaskum

Wisconsin's Biggest Tuesday Bash is in Kewaskum on June 20

It's not often that an entire village shuts down on a Tuesday just for the heck-of-it, but this year, on June 20, the Village of Kewaskum and its residents will be whooping-it-up all day in celebration of their annual festival: Party on the Pavement.

"It's the best party on a Tuesday in Wisconsin!" said Wendi Dreher, a co-chair of the event and member of the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce, which sponsors and organizes the Party each year. "I'm just pleased we have so much music and great food. It is a wonderful event in the middle of the week. Bring your lawn chairs and enjoy the day."

Party on the Pavement is a revival, of sorts, of a former annual village festival called Krazy Daze, which was last held roughly three decades ago.

Back in the early 2010s, a local group of business leaders, including Dreher, revived the idea of holding a free mid-week festival, and Party on the Pavement was born.

The bash will run from 10 a.m. to 11 p.m., and features local and regional musicians, food vendors from the village and neighboring communities, craft artisans and much, much more. It takes place at the center of the village, off Main Street, in a large public parking lot (which is how the party got its name).

"Eat, shop, play," is the festival's



The band Still Undecided will perform a variety of rock and country music at Party on the Pavement in Kewaskum on Tuesday, June 20.

three-word tagline, and there is plenty of that to go around, as the lot is packed with vendor tents throughout the more-than-12-hours of fun.

Party on the Pavement is held rain or shine and has family-friendly activities for all ages.

Artisans, crafters and food vendors will be on site from 10:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.

In previous years, musical acts like Gary Cross and Kewaskum's own Downtown Harrison have performed during the morning and afternoon sets. Harrison is best-known around town through his impersonations of Michael Jackson, Frank Sinatra, Elvis, Johnny Cash, Neil Diamond,

James Brown and Tina Turner.

Other musical acts featured this year include Still Undecided and Whiskey Throttle.

For the kids, a free bounce-house typically runs from 10:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Make-and-take kids' crafts usually run from noon to 7 p.m. (also free of charge). Balloons and face-painting are also big hits with the young ones.

On top of being the best excuse to call in sick to work, the dollars spent at Party on the Pavement ultimately go back into the community, wheth-

er through donations to local initiatives or through Chamber programs that benefit other village events.

"One hundred percent of this goes back to the community. We don't take a share," Dreher said.

In previous years, funds have gone toward benefiting the Christmas Parade and annual Craft & Vendor Show. Dollars have also been donated to the development of a village park and to offset costs of various beautification efforts.

There is no charge to attend the event, but be sure to bring some cash to help support local restaurants, store owners and artists.

"Local businesses have really stepped up and helped sponsor acts so we can offer this huge event for the whole community," Dreher said.

So whether you're looking for a sandwich, a beverage, some live music or some expertly created crafts, you'll definitely find it at Party on the Pavement.

"Come out and enjoy what we have to offer," Dreher said in closing. "People work so hard to put this on, and it all gives back to the community."

Details for this year's Party on the Pavement were still being determined as of print time. Check the Chamber website at Kewaskum.org closer to June 20 to see the full music lineup and vendor listing.



Downtown Harrison will perform in Kewaskum on Tuesday, June 20, at Party on the Pavement, the largest party on a Tuesday in Wisconsin.



Face painting is a popular offering at Party on the Pavement.



Party on the Pavement offers games, entertainment, shopping, food, beverages and plenty of fun. Sponsored by the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce, Party on the Pavement will be held in Kewaskum on Tuesday, June 20.



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Kewaskum's Independence Day Celebration

Fireworks will be held at dusk on Saturday, July 3, at River Hill Park, located between Parkview Drive and Riverview Drive in the Village of Kewaskum.

The rain date is July 4.

The village allows folks to lay down blankets and tarps to reserve viewing spots as early as 6 a.m. on July 1, so if you have the ability to plan ahead, you better! The hill and most of the best viewing positions will be snatched-up before the July 3 festival.

On July 3, live music begins at 7 p.m. in the large shelter on top of the hill. The band will play again after the fireworks display until roughly midnight.

Food and beverage is served at the park beginning at 5:30 p.m. Hamburgers and beer are among the offerings, as well as soda, lemonade, brats and hot dogs and more.

Proceeds benefit the Kewaskum Firefighters Association.

No carry-ins are allowed, and sparklers are prohibited.

Traffic will be directed for about an hour after the fireworks ends, please park and travel safely!



The Kewaskum fireworks on July 3 are always a great show.



To end the Kewaskum fireworks celebration, an impressive ground display is presented to viewers across the river.



A sea of blankets and tarps scattered across "The Hill" at River Hill Park in Kewaskum prior to the July 3 picnic. Every year, the village allows residents to place their tarps or blankets early to reserve a spot. This year, residents were up-and-at-it at 6 a.m., of July 1, to make sure they got the best spot. The annual tradition, for some, can be nearly as fun as the event itself.

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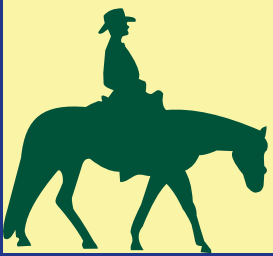


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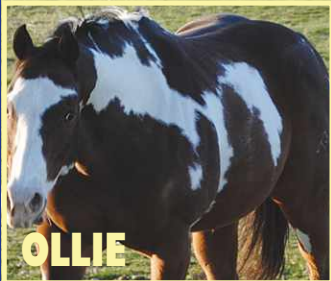
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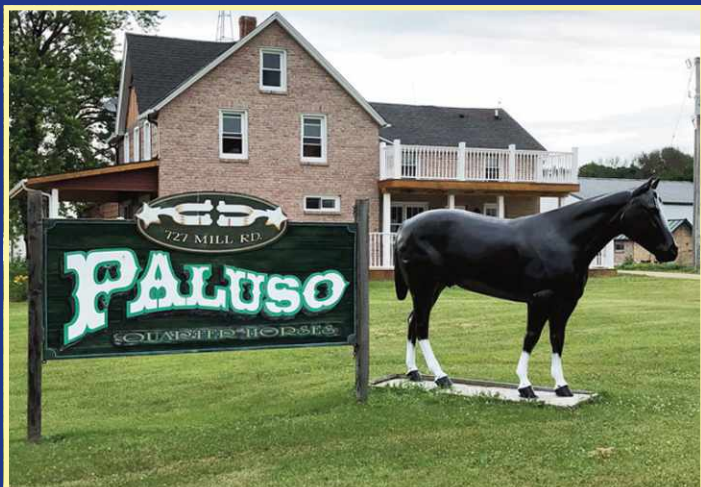
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