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People of all ages had lots of fun at Party On The Pavement, held in downtown Kewaskum on June 20. Sponsored by the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce, the festival has lived up to its name, the Biggest Party on a Tuesday, since it started in 2011. ANNE TRAUTNER PHOTO

Dinner and a Show with Shady Grove Bluegrass at Mauthe

FRIENDS OF THE KETTLE MORAINE

The Friends of the Kettle Moraine invite you and your entire family for Dinner and a Show with Shady Grove Bluegrass Band on Saturday, July 8, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

The event will be held outdoors at the Mauthe Lake Recreation Area Picnic Shelter of the Kettle Moraine State Forest - Northern Unit. Mauthe Lake is located at N1490 County Road GGG, which is south of County Road SS near New Prospect.

A Wisconsin State Park System vehicle admission sticker is required.

In the event of inclement weather, the event will be moved to inside the picnic shelter.

The evening starts at 5:30 p.m. with an event special offered at the Mauthe Lake Concession Stand operated by 3 Sweets Bakery and Café. The menu will include a variety of items, so there is sure to be something to please everyone's appetite. Bring extra cash to buy tasty, sweet treats at the Friends of the Kettle Moraine bake sale.

At 7 p.m., Shady Grove will kick off a toe-tapping concert of bluegrass music. This four member bluegrass band hails from the Fond du Lac area

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Campbellsport-area volunteers gather to help pot flowers in the new Village of Campbellsport planters that have been installed along Main Street. The project was paid for in part from reimbursements from the state after the Highway 67 project in 2021-22.

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State Legislature Supports U.W.M. at Wash. Co. Transition to M.P.T.C. Campus

WASHINGTON COUNTY

Last week, the Wisconsin State Legislature's Joint Committee on Finance (JFC) adopted a budget motion allocating \$3.35 million in support of the transition of University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee at Washington County (UWM-WC) from a two-year UWM branch campus to a Moraine Park Technical College (MPTC).

This action demonstrates support of the findings of the Washington County Task Force on Higher Education that recommended a "community college concept" after determining the two-year campus is unsustainable.

The motion requires Washington County, UWM, MPTC and the UW System work together to develop a plan over the next several months that will address the issues identified by the task force.

Washington County Executive Josh Schoemann said, "I am grateful for the leadership of our legislature and the forward thinking of Joint Finance to support Washington County in this

important work. Our task force did an outstanding job, and I am confident we will find solutions that will benefit all of the stakeholders. I look forward to the opportunity to work together to create a win-win-win for our students, businesses and community."

The UWM-WC Task Force was formed by County Executive Schoemann in October 2022 and was co-chaired by John Torinus, former CEO of Serigraph, and Paul Stangl, President of Wisconsin Stamping.

To read the Task Force Findings, Solutions report, visit: tinyurl.com/HigherEducationTaskForceReport.

Not a Done Deal

NEWS/STATESMAN STAFF

While Washington County officials applauded the task force findings, representatives of the UW System, of UWM-WC and at MPTC were caught off guard and less enthused.

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Early Ad/News Deadline for July 6 Edition

Due to the upcoming Independence Day holiday on Tuesday, July 4, the deadline to submit advertisements and news stories to be published in the July 6 edition of the *Kewaskum Statesman* will be at noon, on Friday, June 30. Our office will be closed on Independence Day. We wish our readers a fun and safe holiday!

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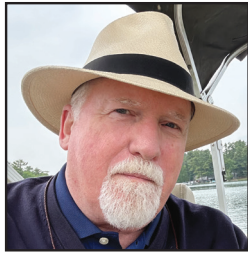
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| PUBLISHER LETTER |

Happy 4th of July

Dear Reader,

On July 4, 1776 the Continental Congress adopted the declaration of independence, declaring the 13 American colonies as a new nation separate from British rule. This bold act of defiance set in motion a revolutionary journey towards freedom, democracy, and self governance.



Amidst the 4th of July festivities is a time for reflection and gratitude. Americans take a moment to remember the sacrifices made by those who fought for independence and to honor the ideals upon which this nation was founded.

The 4th of July remains as an integral part of American culture serving as a day to honor the past, celebrate the present, and envision the future. As we come together in parades, firework displays and family gatherings, we pay tribute to the principles of freedom and independence that define our nation. This day reminds us that the United States of America, built on the dreams and determination of its people, continues to strive for a more perfect union.

PATRICK J. WOOD
Publisher

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

| RURAL WRITES |

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June isn't just Dairy Month. Along about this time, weddings pop up like tiger lillies in a roadside ditch. Of course, the DNR calls them an invasive species. Fortunately, no such label's applied to nuptials... yet. Reason it comes to mind is sheer naivety.



Same as many folks with smartphones, (too smart for a simple country boy) I've roamed social media. Facebook and Instagram are conducive to posting poems, drabbles; 100-word stories or spur of the moment op/ed pieces. Like any good guerilla journalist, I mind my facts and words. Say the wrong thing and your account is temporarily suspended.

I'd heard Instagram was a worldwide stage. Amanda Gorman and Rupri Kaur launched impressive careers there. Finding publishers, selling millions of copies of books and gads of followers. Previously only accomplished by the late Rod McKuen. Problem is, there are wordsmiths forging a new path. Now Instagram is cluttered by minor poets, including this fella.

If ignorance is bliss, I've been one happy dude. Until somebody explained, by chatting with followers, I was doing the inconceivable, online dating. Wait a minute. To me a date meant asking and taking a gal out to supper or a show. Meeting face to face. Texts and photos are now the digital equivalent.

What's embarrassing is, in a month I've been hit on by three dozen women ranging in age from 24 to 46. Scammers blow when they don't find money. Gold diggers told, "Don't have any sugar though I'm old enough to be your daddy." One even offered to be a sugar mama. Sorry. Not a gigolo. What's most annoying is terms of endearment – baby, handsome, honey, babe or sweetheart. Way too informal for a casual chat. Then some look for hookups or friends with benefits. Which causes consternation.

Just what have I stepped into here? Still waters run mighty deep.

| ENJOY EVERY SANDWICH |

Hair

MITCHELL BRADLEY KELLER
EDITOR

And not the 1968 Broadway musical.

No, this article, this week, is actually about hair.

I chopped mine off earlier this month for no apparent reason; I drove by a salon



while running errands recently and suddenly found myself inside, in a chair and wearing a cape without so much as an impetus for the occasion. The experience was quick, entirely painless and I can't say I miss my thin golden locks.

For readers who are wondering and have maybe never seen me in person, my hair was probably at least eight inches long (on average) with some strands creeping toward the foot-long mark. I last got a haircut sometime late in 2022, but this was minor (just an inch removed) by comparison. Since 2018, my hair has rested on my shoulders (some Horicon High School students I covered as part of my first beat called me "Thor", which almost seemed like a compliment).

Today, 95% (or more) of that hair is now gone (or, at least, it is not on top of my head; I'm not sure what the stylist did with it after I left).

To an outsider, one could probably safely assume that my hair was an important part of my identity.

It wasn't.

I'm genuinely not sure why I wore long hair the better part of the last decade, but I did. I think, especially as an established professional and budding adult, it just seemed like one of

those things I wanted to do as a kid, but never had permission to accomplish. Once it got passed five, six or seven inches, it just seemed easier to "let it ride" (if you will).

There was also a part of me that liked, as musician David Crosby called it, flying the "freak flag." We're thankfully long removed from it being taboo for men to have long hair, but I'll admit I noticed sideways glances and overheard snide comments over the years. To be successful at one's line of work and bust through some preconceived notions was fun and somewhat vindicating.

But these were ancillary experiences, and the hair really wasn't a statement. I did not view it as a vital part of who I was, so, now it's gone. Frankly, as the weather warms, I found myself slapping my own face in the middle of the night far too often; thinking large spiders were crawling across my cheek.

It was just time for a change and one I am glad to have (impulsively) made.

My friends and family have all been kind to compliment my "new look" without suggesting (too much) their disdain for the previous one: Thank you, all!

And my co-workers and acquaintances in my professional life have done them one better: They've said nothing at all. Thank you!

Ultimately, I had long hair because I always thought, does it really matter?

It didn't, and it still doesn't.

Either way, to the late David Crosby, I'm sorry I cut my hair.

See you next week.

| POLITICAL DISCOURSE |

Political Rhetoric

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There is an old saying that claims: "Sticks and stones may break my bones, but words will never hurt me."

In reality, words do matter and can not only hurt other's feelings, but also spread misinformation, bias and hate.

While there has always been political rhetoric – saying all sorts of outlandish things to sway voters – recently that political rhetoric has become dangerous and caused some people to physically attack people who are different.

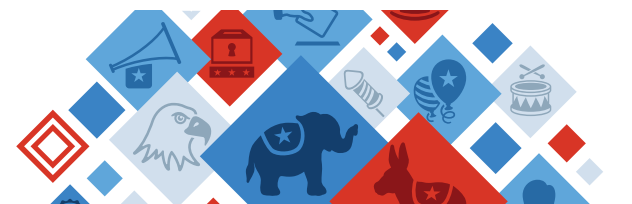
It also has divided our country into red states vs blue states, Democrats vs Republicans, citizen vs immigrant and straight people vs LGBTQ+ people.

The truth is, despite all the name calling, most Americans do believe in the same ideals put forth by our founding fathers; that all people all created equal and have the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

In a recent poll of Wisconsinites, it was found that two-thirds of both Democrats and Republicans agree with the statement: "Equality of opportunity is a fundamental American principle." Eighty percent agreed with the statement: "Discrimination and racism are bad, but they are not the cause of all disparities in American society."

Even regarding transgender rights, which has come under attack by state lawmakers, a majority agreed that: "There are basically two genders, but people who want to live as a gender different from their biological sex should have that right and not be discriminated against. However, there are issues around child consent to transitioning and participation in women's sports that are complicated and not settled." (poll questions and results courtesy the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel).

Social media and cable TV have amplified our differences for clicks and ratings, and rarely focus on the common ground between us that



exists. They try to force us into a bubble, where everyone is the same and thinks the same.

So, what can we do to break free of that bubble, and get along better with our neighbors?

Some experts have suggested the following:

1. Stop obtaining your news from social media or cable news stations, which tend to be biased. A non-partisan chart created by Ad Fontes rates both the reliability and political bias of over 270 news sources and classifies them from being hyper-partisan Left to hyper-partisan Right in the way they present the news. According to this site, Reuters, ABC, CBS, NPR, Forbes and the Economist are the most neutral and factual, while Occupy Democrats and Daily Koss were hyper-partisan, or biased for the left and Fox News, InfoWars, OAN and Newsmax were hyper-partisan, or biased for the right.

2. Don't label other people. Most politically charged words used to label others aren't even used correctly. For example, the definition of "woke" according to the dictionary is to be "alert to racial prejudice and discrimination". When people were asked in a poll by USA Today what their definition of woke was, most chose "To be informed, educated and aware of social injustice". Clearly, this is not a bad thing. Other commonly misused words include Liberal (a person willing to respect or accept behavior or opinions different from their own), Socialism (a political and economic theory of social organization which advocates that the means of production, distribution and exchange should be owned or regulated by the community as a whole), Communism (a political theory from Karl Marx in

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| NOTICES |

| SENIOR DINING MENUS |

**July 3-7
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 those who meet eligibility requirements. Suggested donation is \$3.50. To find out more information or determine eligibility, call 920-929-3466.

Northgate Senior Apartments

Those eligible 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: Closed to observe Fourth of July.

Tuesday: Closed to observe Fourth of July.

Wednesday: Bratwurst on bun, baked beans, cole slaw, cookie, apple slices.

Thursday: Swedish meatballs, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, birthday cake, petite banana, dinner roll.

Friday: Chicken chow mein over brown rice, California blend vegetables, applesauce, ambrosia dessert, sliced bread.

Boda's Restaurant at the Eagles Club

Those eligible 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: Closed to observe Fourth of July.

Tuesday: Closed to observe Fourth of July.

Wednesday: Cheeseburger on a bun, French fries, baked beans, grapes, chocolate cupcake.

Thursday: Chop sirloin, mashed potatoes, broccoli, mixed fruit, ice cream, dinner roll.

Friday: Haddock, German potato salad, coleslaw, apple, coffee cake, rye bread.

All menus are subject to change.

**July 3-7
Washington County Senior Dining**

Monday: Pork cutlet with gravy, mashed potatoes with gravy, peas & pearl onions, dinner roll, fresh apple.

Tuesday: Closed to observe Fourth of July.

Wednesday: Barbecue chicken on the bone, American potato salad, baked beans, fruit cocktail, wheat roll, strawberry cream pie. Alt: Diet cookie.

Thursday: Pizza casserole, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with Italian dressing, seasonal fresh fruit.

Friday: Turkey ala king over rice, Brussels sprouts, baby carrots with ranch dip, fruit cup, chocolate pudding. Alt: Diet pudding.

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

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 June 23, 2023:

Christopher Carl Meyers, City of Fond du Lac, Halsey Marie Fisher, City of Fond du Lac.

David Lee Walczak, Town of Empire, Dawn Marie Walczak, Town of Empire.

Jeramie Dale Goratowski, Town of Scott, Aubrie Nichol Prado, Town of Scott.

Jamie L Ingraham, City of Fond du Lac, Sarah Jean Arnold, City of Fond du Lac.

James Robert Murphree, City of Sun Prairie, Kelly Jean Miller, City of Sun Prairie.

Peyton Jake Head, Town of Empire, Amber Lee Yonke, Town of Taycheedah.

Koy Robert Walsh, Town of Osceola, Hannah Rebecca Doyle, Town of Ashford.

Mark James Bertram, Town of Calumet, Amanda Lynn Saeger, Town of Calumet.

Sheepshead Winners

Winners from Tuesday Night Sheepshead were Jean Cornell, 83; Kathy Riemer, 78; Dale Miske, 78; Karen Espitia, 76; Suesette Stern, 74.

Tuesday Night Sheepshead is played every Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the United Steel Workers 850 building at 1230 Fond du Lac Ave. in Kewaskum. New players are always welcome. Come one, come all!

XYZ Card Results

The XYZ winners on Wednesday, June 21, were Darceal Jordan, Darleen Rochwite, Sharon Krell, Gary Straub, and Leon Schmidt.

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

| REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS |

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

**Transfers are from
June 5-9, 2023**

Town of Ashford

Joseph W. Koch And Ella J. Koch Revocable Living Trust, Dated February 5, 2011 to Koch Family Irrevocable Trust, Dated April 28, 2023, 7 Parcels Vacant Land and 1 Parcel Ridge Lane, Exempt.

Town of Auburn

The Donna Marie Vogt Revocable Trust Dated 8/10/2020 to Crystal Miller, 2 Parcels on Double D, \$1,635.

Cheryl Steffes And Timothy Schladweiler to

Imelda Terrones And Joshua Terrones, Tammy Lane, \$885.

Town of Barton

Jean R. Meyer Revocable Trust Dated December 15, 1999, Jean R. Meyer, Trustee to Matthew Gradinjan And Sarah Gradinjan, Bendamar Lane, \$1,139.70.

Town of Farmington

David D. Wagner to David D. Wagner, Sunnybrook Drive, Exempt.

Jeffrey S. And Ruth A. Phaneuf to Garrett And Kimberly Lutzow, County Highway A, \$1,590.

Town of Forest

Robert E. Schinske to Robert E. Schinske And Carla M. Schinske, County Road W, Exempt.

Village of Kewaskum

Christopher P. West And Kali K. West to

Christopher P. West And Kali K. West Family Trust Dated April 21, 2023, Owls Lane, Exempt.

Town of Osceola

Cheryl Matenaer to Jason Landowski, Sunny Slope Avenue, \$120.

Sheryl J. A/K/A Sheryl Aicher, Marcy Hauer, Steven Schultz, David Schultz, and Kathy Zynda to Darcey L. And Sefton D. Ipock, 2 Parcels on Birchwood Drive, \$947.40.

Town of Wayne

Janet M. Eilbes FKA Janet Schneiss to Janet M. Eilbes And Mark G. Eilbes, Beechnut Drive, Exempt.

Dietrich Schlueter Revocable Living Trust Dated 10/3/2017 to Diana Lee, Steeple Lane, \$283.50.

David C. And Kathleen E. Loomans Living Trust to Tyler J. And Alexandra K. Veling, Chapel Hill Drive, \$1,650.

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which all property is publicly owned and each person is paid according to their ability) and Fascism (a political movement that emphasizes extreme nationalism, militarism and the supremacy of both the nation and a single powerful leader over individual citizens.

3. Embrace the idea that not all things in life are black and white or have simple answers. Many

of the challenges we face today are complicated and require much thought and consideration to understand.

4. Try to find out both sides of an issue before coming to a judgement. In every situation, there will be some people who will benefit and some who will not. We should try to do the greatest good without causing harm. Use facts to form your opinions, not "alternative facts."




5. Learn from our history, so we don't repeat the

same mistakes.

6. Follow the Golden Rule: treat others as you would want to be treated.

Abraham Lincoln once famously said, "A house divided against itself, cannot stand."

We all need to work a little harder at getting along and ignoring the political rhetoric, while working together toward common goals to strengthen our nation's foundation.

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A Relic of Our People

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There are artifacts that tell a story. Then there are relics above and beyond anything money can buy. Even the deer of Twin Lakes agree. This is the story of what might be the Town of Eden's most significant remnant of the past – a vibrant stained-glass window dating to the Civil War.

St. James Dismantled

St. James was a pivotal landmark from the mid-1800s until the 1970s. The Catholic parish was rooted in families who descended from Ireland. The first church was north off what became named Scenic Drive in the Town of Eden, but soon was replaced by a new St. James on present-day Highway F by 1865. One hundred years later, the building was in structural trouble and the church was a mission of St. Mary's in the village of Eden.

Don Gudex was not a member of St. James Church, but he explained how he got interested. It was more than 50 years ago, and Fr. Gehl needed some advice when it came time to deciding what they wanted to do with St. James. They could tear it down, or fix it up. Fr. Gehl invited some people to take a look at the church, some of whom were carpenters or knowledgeable on lumber.

"He took us up there one night, and he says, 'Now you tell me. You look it over good, and you tell me is it worth saving or not.' At that time, the foundation was pretty much gone. Skunks were living under it," Don said. "Rodney [Grah] went up into the steeple, and he stood up there, and he



Don and Diane Gudex's home is defined by a welcoming Jesus in their living room. Don framed the stained glass window when he received it in the early 1970s. It is bookended by two candlesticks he bought from the auction selling other artifacts from St. James' history. Diane explained the art that is also practical: "That's our night light. That stays on all night long."

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shook the thing back and forth. Everything was dry rotting. It was in bad shape. The beams were all rotted underneath – on top of the foundation." So the church's structure could not be saved, but that was not the biggest takeaway for Don Gudex that night.

Garage Delivery

What Don remembers most is his first impression inside St. James Church. Given that he was not born and raised Catholic, and that he became a member of St. Mary's when he married his wife Diane (Stoffel), he had never been in St. James Church. His entrance into the church left a mark. "The first thing that hit me was the picture above the altar. I was just," and Don stopped the conversation. He opened his jaw in amazement like it was 50 years ago looking at that stained glass window. "It's like He's [Jesus] saying, 'Welcome' and I couldn't [respond]. And I said to Father, 'That's not even broke.' He says, 'No,' I says, 'That's been there so many years, and a bird didn't fly threw it or a kid throw a rock through it or something. You know?'"

"What I did when we left that day – we had pretty much decided that it wasn't worth saving – I said to Father on the way out: 'DO NOT let them destroy that window!'"

Don explained he feared what would happen if they got rid of the window. "They'd take it out piece by piece and reuse the glass in other windows. Which is what they do in [stained glass] windows. They take 'em apart. I said, 'If nobody else wants that – I want that window.' And I completely forgot about it." Don was so busy as a carpenter at the time. "I wasn't even aware that they were tearing the church down, and I came home from work one day, and Diane says, 'There's something for you on the garage floor.' And I walked in there, and there laid that picture."

So, who brought it over? "Your grandpa [Karl



Don Gudex was amazed at the quality of the stained glass window of Jesus at St. James Church. This image captures some of the concoctions of color that permeate the background of this glass made a century and a half ago. The glass just called to Don Gudex. "It was just too good to be taken apart. I mean, where do you see something like that? And the fact that it stood there for all these years, and weathered the storm and nothing happened to it. Why should somebody take it apart? You would have to see it in the church to realize it. We were up there, probably 6 o'clock in the evening. And you open the door and the first thing that hits you is this big picture above the altar. I mean – it was..." [Don couldn't doesn't finish, you'd have to be there to understand.]

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Ryan] said he helped take it out. So I don't know who brought it over. I never really thought about it. But I spent a lot of time trying to get a frame around it."

There are other artifacts of St. James which have survived, some of which went at the auction hosted by the O'Brien Brothers later. "This was before auction. The auction was after they got rid of the church," Don said.

Passion for the Piece

Diane and Don have an appreciation for art. Perhaps it's the construction and skill of making homes that Don did most of his life, or Diane's respect for her brother Andy Stoffel, a talented local artist with substantial success. Whether divine providence, luck, or both, it seems fitting that the couple would be the caretakers for this relic of the 1800s.

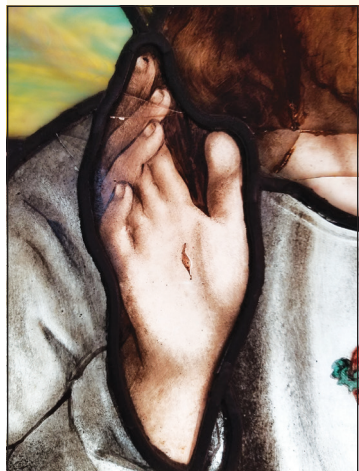
The window has been in three homes and has followed Don and Diane since it landed in their garage. She explained their first house. "We lived in Eden, right next to Frank and Florence Flood. They owned that home, and it's a two-story house

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Don Gudex is very proud to preserve the stained glass window that was from St. James Church. He encouraged a close up look. Pictured here is the Sacred Heart of Jesus on the glass, which has an impressive mixture of colors. "You see what's amazing about it is I have never found another stained glass window with this type of glass in it," Don said. He is particularly intrigued by the multiple colors within individual frames of the stained glass window.

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Who: Children age 4 through those going into 7th grade

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The Unanimous Declaration Of The Thirteen United States Of America

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We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. — That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, — That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all experience hath shewn that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security. — Such has been the patient sufferance of these Colonies; and such is now the necessity which constrains them to alter their former Systems of Government. The history of the present King of Great Britain is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute Tyranny over these States. To prove this, let Facts be submitted to a candid world.

He has refused his Assent to Laws, the most wholesome and necessary for the public good.

He has forbidden his Governors to pass Laws of immediate and pressing importance, unless suspended in their operation till his Assent should be obtained; and when so suspended, he has utterly neglected to attend to them.

He has refused to pass other Laws for the accommodation of large districts of people, unless those people would relinquish the right of Representation in the Legislature, a right inestimable to them and formidable to tyrants only.

He has called together legislative bodies at places unusual, uncomfortable, and distant from the depository of their Public Records, for the sole purpose of fatiguing them into compliance with his measures.

He has dissolved Representative Houses repeatedly, for opposing with manly firmness his invasions on the rights of the people.

He has refused for a long time, after such dissolutions, to cause others to be elected, whereby the Legislative Powers, incapable of Annihilation, have returned to the People at large for their exercise; the State remaining in the mean time exposed to all the dangers of invasion from without, and convulsions within.

He has endeavoured to prevent the population of these States; for that purpose obstructing the Laws for Naturalization of Foreigners; refusing to pass others to encourage their migrations hither, and raising the conditions of new Appropriations of Lands.

He has obstructed the Administration of Justice by refusing his Assent to Laws for establishing Judiciary Powers.

He has made Judges dependent on his Will alone for the tenure of their offices, and the amount and payment of their salaries.

He has erected a multitude of New Offices, and sent hither swarms of Officers to harass our people and eat out their substance.

He has kept among us, in times of peace, Standing Armies without the Consent of our legislatures.

He has affected to render the Military independent of and superior to the Civil Power.

He has combined with others to subject us to a jurisdiction foreign to our constitution, and unacknowledged by our laws; giving his Assent to their Acts of pretended Legislation:

For quartering large bodies of armed troops among us:
For protecting them, by a mock Trial from punishment for any Murders which they should commit on the Inhabitants of these States:

For cutting off our Trade with all parts of the world:
For imposing Taxes on us without our Consent:
For depriving us in many cases, of the benefit of Trial by Jury:

For transporting us beyond Seas to be tried for pretended offences:

For abolishing the free System of English Laws in a neighbouring Province, establishing therein an Arbitrary government, and enlarging its Boundaries so as to render it at once an example and fit instrument for introducing the same absolute rule into these Colonies

For taking away our Charters, abolishing our most valuable Laws and altering fundamentally the Forms of our Governments:

For suspending our own Legislatures, and declaring themselves invested with power to legislate for us in all cases whatsoever.

He has abdicated Government here, by declaring us out of his Protection and waging War against us

He has plundered our seas, ravaged our coasts, burnt our towns, and destroyed the lives of our people.

He is at this time transporting large Armies of foreign Mercenaries to compleat the works of death, desolation, and tyranny, already begun with circumstances of Cruelty & Perfidy scarcely paralleled in the most barbarous ages, and totally unworthy the Head of a civilized nation.

He has constrained our fellow Citizens taken Captive on the high Seas to bear Arms against their Country, to become the executioners of their friends and Brethren, or to fall themselves by their Hands.

He has excited domestic insurrections amongst us, and has endeavoured to bring on the inhabitants of our frontiers, the merciless Indian Savages whose known rule of warfare, is an undistinguished destruction of all ages, sexes and conditions.

In every stage of these Oppressions We have Petitioned for Redress in the most humble terms: Our repeated Petitions have been answered only by repeated injury. A Prince, whose character is thus marked by every act which may define a Tyrant, is unfit to be the ruler of a free people.

Nor have We been wanting in attentions to our British brethren. We have warned them from time to time of attempts by their legislature to extend an unwarrantable jurisdiction over us. We have reminded them of the circumstances of our emigration and settlement here. We have appealed to their native justice and magnanimity, and we have conjured them by the ties of our common kindred to disavow these usurpations, which would inevitably interrupt our connections and correspondence. They too have been deaf to the voice of justice and of consanguinity. We must, therefore, acquiesce in the necessity, which denounces our Separation, and hold them, as we hold the rest of mankind, Enemies in War, in Peace Friends.

We, therefore, the Representatives of the united States of America, in General Congress, Assembled, appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the rectitude of our intentions, do, in the Name, and by Authority of the good People of these Colonies, solemnly publish and declare, That these united Colonies are, and of Right ought to be Free and Independent States, that they are Absolved from all Allegiance to the British Crown, and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Britain, is and ought to be totally dissolved; and that as Free and Independent States, they have full Power to levy War, conclude Peace, contract Alliances, establish Commerce, and to do all other Acts and Things which Independent States may of right do. — And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes, and our sacred Honor.

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-Ralph Waldo Emerson

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Flag Retirement Ceremony

Abler/Engel American Legion Post 454-Mt. Calvary holds a flag retirement ceremony during a recent monthly meeting. The ceremony was conducted by members of Post 454 Honor Guard. From left are Past 454 Commander Richard Marion, Commander Dave Lefeber, Chaplain Milt Krug, Sgt. of Arms Gary Hass and Honor Guard Commander Willy Sparks. **SUBMITTED**

Total Joint Replacement Seminar Offered

(Shoulder/Knee/Hip)

Are you having a joint replacement or know someone that is? Would you like to feel better prepared and have a better understanding of what it entails? Do you have other questions regarding rehabilitation following?

An upcoming Total Joint Replacement Seminar is being offered on Tuesday, July 11, at 5:30 p.m., at Back In Action Rehabilitation located at 1057 Fond du Lac Ave., in Kewaskum. Pizza and refreshments will be provided.

Agenda

- Short overview on how to prepare for a joint replacement
 - What to expect after surgery
 - What can you do to improve your outcome
 - Inpatient vs home care vs outpatient rehabilitation
 - Question and answer session
- Interested individuals may call 262-626-6700 to reserve a spot.



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Free Performance of Shakespeare's 'As You Like It' Set

Starling Shakespeare Company will be presenting a free performance of William Shakespeare's beloved comedy "As You Like It." The performance will take place at the River Hill Park Bandstand in Kewaskum on July 8, at 6 p.m. This production, featuring only five actors portraying all roles, promises to be imaginative, fast-paced, and truly exciting for theatre-goers of all ages.

"As You Like It" is a timeless Shakespearean comedy that explores themes of love, identity, and the transformative power of nature. In a unique twist, Starling Shakespeare Company has cast just five talented actors to portray the entire ensemble of characters, infusing the performance with imagination and energy. This inventive approach guarantees a fast-paced and engaging rendition of the play. The versatility of the actors promises to bring the vibrant world of "As You Like It" to life in a fresh and unforgettable way.

Join Starling Shakespeare Company at the River Hill Park Bandstand for an evening of laughter, romance, and memorable characters. The picturesque outdoor setting will provide the perfect backdrop for this enchanting theatrical experience.

More information, is available by visiting Starling Shakespeare Company's official website at starlingshakespearecompany.com or contacting Starling Shakespeare Company at info@starlingshakespearecompany.com.

About Starling Shakespeare Company

Starling Shakespeare Company is a 501(c)3, non-profit, migratory theatre company. Their touring performances explore the playfulness, complexity, and humanity in the plays of William Shakespeare and his contemporaries.



The Starling Shakespeare Company will present a free performance of "As You Like It" on Friday, July 8, in Kewaskum. **SUBMITTED**



Rockin' The Fest

Teenage Campbellsport-area rockers, Shock Therapy, perform on the Generac Power Stage at Summerfest in Milwaukee on Friday, June 23. They were one of 10 bands to compete in the 2023 ROCKONSIN State Finals. This year's winners were Geology Club from Waukesha West High School. Pictured from Shock Therapy are Porter Klotz, Carson Priepeke, Kaleb Eggers, Josh Tipton and Abe Poquette. **SUBMITTED**

| OBITUARIES |

Pearl K. Rock

Pearl K. Rock (nee Kestian), formerly Harasimchuk, 88, passed away peacefully on June 16, 2023, at SSM Hospital in Fond du Lac.

She was born in Chicago, IL, to Alexander and Marie Anna Kestian on February 20, 1954. She married Roman Harasimchuk at Blessed Sacrament Church in Chicago.

She worked at the First National Bank in Chicago, IL. After moving to Wisconsin, she worked at Serigraph in West Bend, and owned and operated the "Ice Age Sport Shop" in New Prospect with her late husband, Roman.

She loved camping with her family, spending time at her camper, fishing, golfing, caring for her pets and talking on the phone with her cousins and friends.

Survivors include her daughters, Diane (Steve) Schickert of Campbellsport, Sue (Chris Stokley) Harasimchuk of Fond du Lac; grandchildren Kayle' Harasimchuk and Matthew Strauss.

Preceding her in death were her husband, Roman; son, Gerard; daughters, Joyce and Karen; granddaughter, Amy; brother, Jerald; and brother-in-law, Leonard.

Per her wishes, a private service will be held for the immediate family.

Serving the family is Hartson Funeral Home, Hales Corners.



The Village of Campbellsport's new Main Street planters getting installed. Trees were removed along the village's main drag, but were replaced with large pots. Village officials said the large pots are much easier to manage than trees and will not cause issues with future infrastructure.

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The Kiwanis Club of Kewaskum is one of the local organizations that had a booth at Party On The Pavement in Kewaskum on June 20. More photos on p. 19. **ANNE TRAUTNER PHOTO**

Campbellsport 10-Year Road Plan Starts End of July

NEWS STAFF

There's no escaping summer without construction.

In the Village of Campbellsport, officials are preparing for the start of a 10-year road project plan which is slated to kick off at the end of July.

The first of three major resurfacing efforts will start on Helena St. from Windell down to Paul, and will include resurfacing all of Francis Ave., as well as another portion of Helena from Mill to Main.

Village Administrator Charlie Kudy said he was hopeful the beginning of the process will stay on-time and on-budget.

"Knock on wood everything goes off without a hitch," said Kudy, recognizing that, particularly since 2020, road projects can be enigmatic with both time and cost.

Easing some of the financial burden to the village are available grants, community block grants, which Kudy was hopeful to obtain for the second round of the project set to start next summer.

"We have some grants sitting out there right now, [but] we're waiting for some bigger construction projects next year," he said, noting that repairs to Martin and Cherry St. could be contingent on being awarded grants, while improvements to Ladwig and North Railroad are on track to start in 2024.

For information on the village's 10-year plan or details regarding future detours, contact the Campbellsport Village Hall.

Senior Farmers' Market Vouchers are Still Available

In case you missed it, the Aging & Disability Resource Center of Washington County still have Senior Farmer's Market vouchers available. If you qualify, you can receive \$35 in coupons to purchase fresh fruits, vegetables and herbs at the markets and participating farm stands this summer.

If interested, contact the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Washington County at 262-335-4497 for further information or to set up a time to pick up.

Quantities are limited and applications will be

taken on a first come, first served basis. You may want to bring an ID, such as your drivers' license.

To qualify, you must be:

- A Washington County resident
- 60 years of age or older
- Meet the monthly income requirements of: one-person household at or below \$2,248; two-person household at or below \$3,041 (New this season, checks will now be issued to individuals. All individuals in the household are eligible for checks if all eligibility requirements are met.)

Education (Christina Fiasca, member of the UWM Board of Visitors), which largely consisted of members with backgrounds in industries like manufacturing, insurance, health care and with standing on area chambers of commerce. One active education administrator was on the 11-person task force (with voting rights): Jen Wimmer, Superintendent of the West Bend School District.

The Journal Sentinel's reporting also stated that MPTC knew little about the process and did

not immediately see a need for any type of merger, though a representative expressed optimism in joining the discussion.

Much will need to be talked about this summer, as the budget and motion go to a legislative vote this month and (if passed) will move to the governor's office for approval this summer.

As for next school year, no change is imminent, and Schoemann said "status quo" is the expectation for fall of 2023.

U.W.M. from page 1

UW System spokesperson, in speaking with the *Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*, said more information was needed on the "intent and process" of the task force findings and that, because of all the unknowns, there was no timeline or guarantee for the transition.

There was just one voting members from UWM or MPTC on the Wash. Co. Task Force on Higher

| CAMPBELLSPORT GLANCE BACKWARDS |

5 Years Ago

June 28, 2018

Sam Grahl of rural Campbellsport decided to make building a gaga ball pit his Eagle Scout project. After coming up with the idea, Sam talked to the firefighters, got the proper permits, found donors, designed the pit, ordered supplies, found a hard-working group of volunteers, and led the construction of the pit. Sam loves playing gaga. He approached the Campbellsport Fire Department in January with his idea since he wanted the pit to be located in Firemen's Park. The group of volunteers began construction around 9 a.m. on June 16 and finished around 2 p.m.

Fireworks, food, music, and the large parade at the Campbellsport Firemen's Picnic and Parade are just a few of the traditions passed down from generation to generation. The fire department and many other organizations have been working hard since last July 5 to make sure this year's celebration is a success. The event will be held July 3 and 4, and will include the activities already mentioned as well as knocker ball games, children's water fights, and more.

Members of the Campbellsport Chamber of Commerce joined friends and family of Kim Keceli and Diane Brown as they cut the ribbon in front of the new location for Essence on Main Street. Kim began Essence Holistic Center in 2006. Deciding to move into the larger space, Kim asked Diane to become part of the business.

June 18 was a very honorable day for Drill Sergeant Beau Oestreich, son of Brian and Carol Oestreich of Campbellsport. Beau graduated from Fort Jackson Drill Sergeant Academy. The course began with 128 trainees. The nine-week course was very stressful and physically demanding. Beau had the fifth highest grade point average of the 68 trainees who finished the course and graduated. He made the commandant's list and received the Iron Drill Sergeant award for the highest PT score (296) out of a possible 300 score.

Moraine Park Foundation received a generous donation from National Exchange Bank Foundation. Pictured with the oversized check showing the amount of the donation to be \$50,000 were Dana Bourland, director of college advancement at MPTC; Peter Stone, chairman of the board at NEB; Adam Stone, senior vice president at NEB; and Bonnie Baerwald, president at MPTC.

15 Years Ago

July 3, 2008

Dundee Daze will be held July 12. New this year is a dart tournament.

The Campbellsport Quilting Bees have been together for nine years. Over the years, many quilts have been created by the group. On June 21, the members got together to finish a 90-inch by 55-inch hand-sewn quilt, which will be a gift to the Campbellsport Public Library. The quilt is named Threads Of Knowledge. Each square was handmade by a different member of the group. There are 20 different squares.

Margaret Gitter celebrated her 105th birthday on June 13. The former Campbellsport resident now lives at Villa Loretta in Mt. Calvary.

Fond du Lac County 4-H members and leaders recently attended the Wisconsin 4-H Youth Conference in Madison. Those who attended included chaperones Ame Biernasz and Corey Coble, Caleb Docter, Cody Atkinson, Nathan O'Leary, Matthew O'Leary, Alexis Haen, Jordyn Spoolstra, Kristy Ruplinger, Kelsey Cobb, and Melinda Fude.

Money raised from some refreshment sales during the Campbellsport Fire Department's Picnic will be used to upgrade the playground area at Firemen's Park. This is a joint project between the fire department and the Campbellsport Area

Chamber of Commerce. All money raised by the chamber-sponsored dodgeball tournament will be donated to the fund. The park plan will about quadruple the size of the playground area. Benches, picnic tables, and new equipment will be added.

The winning foursome at the Cougar Booster Club's annual golf outing, which was held June 20, included Tom Hercules, Laura Stautz, Kris Langer, and Lance Beyer.

National Exchange Bank & Trust will host a brat fry later this month to benefit the Campbellsport Firefighters Women's Auxiliary, which provides food to the Campbellsport Fire Department after fire calls and practices.

Steve Austin is the new head football coach for the Cougars. Austin was excited to have approximately 50 student-athletes at a meeting. He stressed that he wants the players to be leaders in the school. Austin had been the football coach for Waupun High School since 1995 but decided it was time to look for a new opportunity.

The Cougar baseball team beat Kiel 11-0 on June 24. Against Howards Grove the next day, Campbellsport won 12-8. Although the Cougars had a 1-0 against Kewaskum, Campbellsport lost the June 26 game 13-2. Campbellsport finally got a day off, then faced Plymouth on June 27 and won 7-3. The current record for Campbellsport is 4-4 in conference and 7-9 overall.

The Long Lake Little League participated in the Eden Tournament on June 21. It was a round robin tournament, and the Long Lake team took first place. Members of the team are Luke Gellings, Blake Ottery, Collin Ottery, Caleb Goldstein, Dakota Gerlach, Luke Leider, Noah Kopeke, Chance Ives, Brennen Ottery, Kyle Benson, and Allen Bong.

Selected as Midget League Girls 2008 Kettle Moraine Baseball League All Stars from Long Lake were Halle Walsh and Tiffani Anderson.

Koy Walsh and Austin Narges were selected as the Midget League Boys Kettle Moraine Baseball League All Stars from Long Lake.

Willard Schellpfeffer, 78, Mayville, passed away June 25. Irene H. Hahn, 89, formerly of Campbellsport, passed away June 24. Michael Haza, 54, Campbellsport, passed away June 29.

25 Years Ago

June 25, 1998

At the June 18 budget hearing, the Campbellsport School District board of education approved a tax levy of \$3,675,000 for the 1998-99 school year. Although the levy is up, the mill rate is down; and with equalized valuation being up, the rate per \$100,000 of property value will decrease for the school's portion of the tax bill.

The Eden Village Board in theory approved an ordinance prohibiting rural delivery mailboxes, but would like to see a portion of the ordinance reworked for clarification purposes.

Dr. Dean Uelmen, Campbellsport Lions treasurer, presented two checks recently. Carol Murphy, representing the Town of Eden, and Bob Goebel, representing the Village of Eden, each accepted a \$1,111.83 check. The funds will be used for Eden area athletic facilities. The money is Eden's share of the 13th Annual Campbellsport/Eden roast. During the years of existence, the event has raised nearly \$60,000, which has been shared by the two communities.

Campbellsport's baseball team is tied for first place. The Cougars won their four most recent games: 4-3 over Plymouth, 10-9 in eight innings over Two Rivers, 17-0 over Brillion, and 6-5 over Chilton.

East Central Select Sires recently honored Dave Hahn of Campbellsport with the prestigious Member Service Representative of the Year

Runner-Up Award and a Cow Club Award.

A daughter, Elizabeth May, was born June 16 to Nicole and Doug Heberer of Eden. A daughter, Morgan Amber, was born June 16 to Vicki and Adam Kulhanek of Mt. Calvary.

Clara Gertrude Hahn, 85, Campbellsport, passed away June 22.

50 Years Ago

June 28, 1973

Starting next Tuesday night and continuing through all of Wednesday is the Campbellsport Firemen's Picnic, with kiddie rides the entire time. Water fights and live music will be the draws Tuesday night. The giant parade steps off at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday. There will be drum and bugle units participating. Fireworks will be set off both nights.

At the June meeting of the Kettle Moraine Auxiliary to Post 8339 VFW, Margaret Stautz was elected delegate to the National VFW Auxiliary Convention to be held August 17-24.

Campbellsport Girls' Softball Team beat Long Lake II by a 29-12 score. April Guenther hit two grand slams; Sue Candee and Beth Bartelt each had one home run. Lori Serwe and Nancy Janous helped with four hits each. Kim Serwe was the winning pitcher.

Following a week of play, the Cougars are now tied for first place in the Flyway Conference, sporting a 7-2 record with Oakfield. The season record is 11-3.

Loehr's Locker Market advertised homemade brats at 95¢ per pound and ring bologna at 98¢ per pound

A daughter, Julie Ann, was born June 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bartoli of Campbellsport.

Sister M. Antima Iovine, 66, Campbellsport, passed away June 18.

75 Years Ago

July 1, 1948

The Campbellsport Firemen's Parade will include four bands - the village band and the high school bands of Campbellsport, Lomira, and Oakfield, 25 floats, civic groups, decorated cars and costumed children. Parade marshals are Lester Butschlick and Tom Johnson. A concert will be held in the afternoon with the combined high school bands that appeared in the parade. For the first time in many years, fireworks will be displayed at a picnic. The firemen have spent considerable money for these fireworks.

Fire Chief Harold Lueders reminded the public that shooting of fireworks is permitted only by village authorities and those granted a permit. Those who are found in violation of the law will be fined not less than \$25.

Only about half a busload of youngsters traveled to Mauthe Lake on Wednesday for the swimming lessons offered by the Lions Club. The small number was probably due to the chilly weather, which was not ideal for swimming.

A combination of sore arms and broken bones led to the Belles losing 9 to 1 to Ripon. Pitchers Chuck Schramm and Giles Knowels have the sore arms and manager Stan Hodge broke a foot bone.

The Athletics lost another tough one in the Kettle Moraine League as Sheboygan Falls nosed them out by a score of 4 to 3.

A piece of road equipment belonging to Clarence Berg caught fire Thursday morning. Damage was light and the blaze extinguished before the local fire department arrived.

Know-Mahl Grocery advertised 100 pounds of cane sugar for \$8.79 and two dozen oranges for 39¢,

Albert H. Ebert, 75, Town of Auburn, passed away June 28.

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| KEWASKUM'S DAYS GONE BY |

5 Years Ago

July 5, 2018

In 1978, Kewaskum native Barney Skrentny and his British wife, Julia, founded Hospital & Medical Care Association (HMCA). The organization grew to become one of the leading providers of membership benefits in the United Kingdom. During its 40 years in business, the company has posted a combined turnover of \$39 million and provides employment for over 60 people across its offices in London, Dublin, Gibraltar, and Knaresborough. Barney and Julia met in Chicago when both were working in that city. After they married, they left the U.S. and eventually settled in Julia's hometown of Knaresborough.

A total of 430 students in 4K through eighth grade attended the Kewaskum School District's summer school program, which was held June 5 through 29. There were 32 courses offered, some held at school, other classes outdoors.

The latest victory for the Kewaskum Indians was a 5-3 win over Sheboygan Falls on June 30. Each player on the roster saw action in this game. On June 27, Kewaskum beat Cedarburg 3-2, and defeated Grafton 1-0 the next night. Kewaskum is currently atop the North Shore Conference standings with a 9-2 record.

The Kewaskum Fire Department is purchasing a new rescue engine for \$708,435. The specialized rescue engine will have all the necessary fire-fighting equipment and hose. It will have a seven-passenger cab and contain a cascade system so that air bottles can be filled on the scene instead of firefighters being shuttled back to the firehouse to refill the air bottles. This engine replaces two pieces of equipment: a 1982 engine and a 1993 model. Fire Chief Mark Groeschel told members of the village board that firefighters don't feel safe in the 1982 model.

Three additional theater lights will be installed over the stage in the large shelter at River Hill Park. The village board voted on June 18 to accept the donation from Bruce Towell, a member of the Kewaskum Area Arts Council. On the recommendation of the park and recreation committee, village board members voted to raze two structures at River Hill Park. The North Beer Stand and the women's bathroom on the north side of the park will most likely be razed in August or September.

Cody Kerr has been named the new lead operator for Kewaskum's Wastewater Treatment Plant. He replaces Ben Propson, who resigned from the position in May. Cody has worked as a lab technician for the village's wastewater treatment plant since 2015. He interned for the village in summer 2013.

15 Years Ago

July 3, 2008

The School District of Kewaskum is thinking ahead and will hire a replacement to be trained by a retiring secretary. The hire will cost taxpayers between \$24,000 and \$36,000 for salary and benefits. The position is full-time and will be filled in-house. The current secretary will retire in November 2009. The position left open from the employee moving to the human resources secretary will not be filled.

Kewaskum school administrators and their assistants spent last week moving into their new home inside the Regal Ware Corporate Headquarters on Reigle Drive in the Village of Kewaskum. Business Manager Paul Reichert said the move has wrapped up. Those needing to visit the administration offices can enter toward the north of Regal Ware's headquarters through the school designated entrance. Work will soon begin on remodeling the former administration office into the new Kewaskum Career Academy.

Republican State Representative Dan

LeMathieu, who resides in Cascade, announced he will seek his fourth term as state representative in the 59th Assembly District. The announcement came shortly after Karl McCarty of Campbellsport announced he would challenge on the Republican ticket.

Department of Public Works crew member Dennis Aupperle was pictured painting a new coat to curb markings on Fond du Lac Avenue. The Kewaskum DPW has been working on refreshing village streets with markings, an annual summer job for the crew.

The Kewaskum Kiwanis Club made a \$4,000 donation to the Kewaskum Fitness Center in memory of Wayland Tessar, a member who recently passed away. Kiwanian Larry Ammel indicated that more than \$1,600 was received from the community and the club rounded up after matching the funds.

Once upon a time, the historic building at 402 Main Street was a barbershop. Fast forward about 30 years and the new owner, Brian Reichel, remade the building to house Brian's Chop Shop, the village's only barbershop. Starting the business has been a four-year dream of his. Brian has been cutting hair since his 1992 graduation from Erik of Norway Cosmetology School.

Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce recently welcomed Bernau Business Solutions to Kewaskum.

With the 2008 Summer Olympics approaching, the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce is incorporating some of the Summer Olympic games into its golf outing. The event will be held July 19. The goal is 100 golfers.

Can't wait for the Chamber's golf event? The Kewaskum Kiwanis Club is holding a four-person golf scramble on July 17.

Kewaskum School District has said goodbye to four retirees. Karen Larson (30 years in KSD) and Kathryn Schowalter (22 years in KSD) are retiring from Kewaskum Middle School; Cheryl Ammel (28 years in KSD) and Dave Wellskopf (31 years) from Kewaskum Elementary School.

The Indians earned another victory, beating Plymouth 10-3. John Holt improved his record to 6-2 as he pitched four innings, giving up one unearned run, four hits, and two walks, Holt struck out eight. Kewaskum's offense exploded against Campbellsport as the Indians won the game 13-2.

Edward J. Becker, 38, Aurora, Colorado, passed away June 23. Irene H. Hahn, 89, formerly of Campbellsport, passed away June 24. Daniel J. Wagner, 86, Nenno, passed away June 20. Alice M. Walters, 90, passed away June 27.

25 Years Ago

July 2, 1998

A school inside of a school, The Hope School will be offering some select Kewaskum High school students a chance at a better education through alternative teaching methods. The one-year experimental program will be launched this fall in an effort to motivate and teach students who have previously had trouble in the standard classroom setting. Hope stands for Helping Ourselves Produce Excellence. Hope School will cost the district approximately \$15,000 for computer purchases and networking costs, an additional \$35 per student per month for the software program and salary for one full-time teacher.

A revised and rewritten athletic policy will come up before the Kewaskum School Board on July 14 for a second reading and possible board input on subjects drawing much debate - athletic code conditions and grade point eligibility.

Kewaskum Junior Officers for 1998-99 include President Lisa Reuther, Vice President Donna Beck, Treasurer Louise Martin, and Corresponding and Recording Secretary Cheryl Peterson.

MeriLou Chambers is Past President. Of the 10 awards the Kewaskum organization won at the Wisconsin Federation of Women's Club Spring Convention, Louise Martin was chosen as WFWC Junior of the Year.

The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce welcomed D&T Office Machines to Kewaskum. The business is located at 127 Main St.

As part of the Kewaskum Elementary School's Adopt-A-Farm program, kindergarteners visited the farm of Kathy and George Muth on CTH A, Farmington. The program brings awareness of farming and its importance to students.

The Indians and Random Lake baseball teams were treated to a mini-vacation in the middle of the regular season. The two teams took advantage of the opportunity to play their annual non-conference game at the Minneapolis Metrodome. The young Kewaskum team fell 19-6 to the talented Random Lake team.

Helen M. Walter, 85, Kewaskum, passed away June 23.

50 Years Ago

June 29, 1973

Following three meetings of discussion, the Board of Education approved a budget on Monday for presentation at the annual meeting. The expenditures for next year are approximately \$2,360,554.

Although a severe thunderstorm warning was out Tuesday night, this area was bypassed by the fierce weather as Kewaskum was just on the edge of the storm. However, a gust of wind split an elm tree in front of the Holy Trinity School grounds, and a limb landed on a parked car. The limb had to be sawed off by village crews and cleared.

The customary spectacular Fourth of July holiday fireworks display, sponsored annually by the Village of Kewaskum under the supervision of the fire department, will be held in the village park on July 3 after dark. Live orchestra music and other entertainment will be provided in the park before and after the fireworks.

July 8 will be the annual Kewaskum Firemen's Picnic. An excellent parade will get the picnic underway. Musical units will be featured in the parade. Prizes will be awarded for floats. Immediately after the parade, there will be exhibitions by drum and bugle corps.

Warm and humid weather contributed to the first three days at the Kewaskum village beach being crowded.

A daughter was born June 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Zimmel of Kewaskum.

Arthur A. Kluever, 71, West Bend, passed away June 22.

75 Years Ago

July 2, 1948

The annual Kewaskum Picnic Celebration will feature a parade, dog exhibition, baton twirling, Reuben Kay's Band, and other acts as well as rides, concessions, and amusements. Admission is free.

In an upset, the Kewaskum Utensils beat Lannon 7-6. Lannon had been undefeated in the first six games of the season and had held first place.

Ruth Eichstedt, a Kewaskum baton twirler, was awarded first prize of \$15 in competition with 25 twirlers at the festival of music, sponsored by the Cedarburg Fire Department. She scored 96 out of 100 possible points.

Swimming lessons will begin next Wednesday at Mauthe Lake. This is part of the Kewaskum summer recreation program under the supervision of Ernie Mitchell.

The Kewaskum Legion Drum and Bugle Corps has two engagements over the Fourth of July weekend; one at Random Lake and one at Hartford.

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Summer Reading Events

The summer reading program is in full swing at the library. All our summer reading events will take place on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m and 1 p.m., unless otherwise listed and specified. Summer reading events are open to children of all ages.

• July 5 – No Summer Reading event, but you can still drop in for a new bookmark or punch card.

• July 12 – At 10:30 a.m., Amber Sawyer, author of the childrens book *Love to Race* will be here to read her book and bring her horse Derek Bromac for a visit to the library. This event will only take place at 10:30 a.m. Afternoon visitors to the library on July 12, can participate in making friendship bracelets. Supplies will be available from 1-3 p.m. Drop in to create a bracelet for a friend or loved one.

• July 19 – Join the Wisconsin DNR at the library as they talk about summer boat safety and show off their boat. Children will have time to create their own boat creations out of recycled materials and then race them in a rain gutter regatta.

• July 26 – Join Jackie Scharfenberg as she talks to us about backyard birds. Visitors to the library will also be creating their own bird feeders. A.M. Group – paper tube bird feeders/P.M. Group – Log bird feeders. (If you join us for the P.M. group, please note that we will be using nails and hammers to hammer bottle caps onto logs, we will have some hammers available for use; however, feel free to bring your own to make the process go a little faster.)

Friday Flicks

Friday Flicks are back! We will be showing a variety of children's movies all summer long. Popcorn will be provided, feel free to bring your own comfy chair or blanket. Movies begin at 1 p.m.

- June 30 – “Ferdinand”
- July 14 – “Ponyo”
- July 28 – “A Goofy Movie”

BUG TUSSEL University

The library is excited to be teaming up with BUG TUSSEL University this summer to offer free technology classes at the library.

Technology classes this summer include:

- Internet Safety – July 11, from 2-3 p.m. Learn



Hattie Hafferman enjoys blowing bubbles at the Campbellsport Public Library's bubble bonanza party held on June 14. **SUBMITTED**



Michelle Weiland and Kim Gellings show off the charcuterie board they made at the Taste of Summer Class held at the Campbellsport Public Library on June 20. **SUBMITTED**



Andie Davis was awarded a certificate for being the No. 1 completer for the summer learning program at Kewaskum Public Library. She finished her 15 hours in the first week. **SUBMITTED**

about password management, how to increase your safety while browsing the internet, how to keep your privacy secure on social media, and more. We'll also explain cookies, spam, phishing and antivirus protection.

• Facebook for Beginners – August 3, from 2-3 p.m.

• Using the Internet to Keep Your Brain Healthy – August 15, from 2-3 p.m.

These classes are free and open to the public.

Monday Movie of the Month

The Monday Movie of the Month for July 31, will be “Are You There God? It's Me, Margaret.” This take on the classic Judy Blume Novel and stars Abby Ryder Fortson, Rachel McAdams, and Kathy Bates. When her family moves from the city to the suburbs, 11-year-old Margaret navigates new friends, feelings, and the beginning of adolescence. We will show the movie at 1 p.m. and 6 p.m., with popcorn available at both showings. Feel free to bring your own comfy chair or blanket.

Library Hours

The library is open Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. It will be closed on Monday and Tuesday, July 3-4.

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All Together Now - Bee a Summer Reader!

Summer Learning Program June 10-August 5

Registration began on June 10, through Beanstack at kewaskum.beanstack.org online, by app or in the library. Kids and teens that register

will receive a bookbag filled with coupons for all summer long. For every hour read, register to win one of our prize baskets for kids teens and adults!

Teen Hangouts – Monday at 3 p.m.

Open to all teens and tweens. No registration necessary.

- July 3 – Glow Stix Lab
- July 10 – DIY Wreck this Journal

Kids Club – Tuesday at 1 p.m., in the Community Room

Programs are best suited for elementary schoolers, but open to all children and their families. No registration necessary.

- July 4 – No Program
- July 11 – Superhero Training Academy

Summer Storytime – Wednesday at 10:30 a.m.

Join us on the library lawn for stories, songs and movement activities. Then come in the library for a craft. Open to all families. Bring a blanket or lawn chairs. Storytime will be held inside if inclement weather.

- July 5 – Thank You, Community Helpers
- July 12 – Let's Work Together on the Farm

Family Fun Days – Thursday at 1 p.m., in Annex

Join us for a special performance on Thursdays. Open to all families. No registration necessary.

- July 29 – Community Rivers Program
- July 6 – At the Symphony with the Kettle Moraine Symphony

Create At Home Checkout Craft Kits

Stop in for all new craft kits for kids, teens and adults. Checkout limited to two per card.

Library Closure

The library will be closed on Tuesday, July 4, for Independence Day. We will be open regular hours on July 3, and re-open at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, July 5.

Check It Out!

LORI KREIS, DIRECTOR
KEWASKUM PUBLIC LIBRARY



I am a planner and an organizer as most librarians are and find it best for my mental health to be fully prepared well in advance for everything.

When I order books for the library, I tend to get that done two to three months ahead of release dates. I make sure that my library programs are developed at least six months in advance. And when I am called upon to host a party or event, you better not ask me at the last minute. Well, unless it is something for one of my children which happens often enough.

Case in point, my son is getting married. The wedding will be out of the country where his fiancée lives. The only organizing I have done for that is to book a flight as soon as I was told the date. She is here for a couple of weeks this summer, and my daughter and I talked about giving them a wedding shower. We talked, but no planning ensued. Not typical for either of us, as my daughter is also a super-organizer. Like mother, like daughter. But life got busy and before I knew it, it was one week to my future daughter-in-law's arrival. We both realized that on a Sunday afternoon watching her kids swimming at the campground. She pulled out her phone and I got my notebook ready, and we planned a shower in one hour.

The planning was the easy part. In these times it is not difficult to invite people without much lead time using social media. Once we decided on

a date, time, and place (the campground), a group message went out to family. The execution is another story. I was astounded to discover that I was unable to find the decorations we wanted anywhere in area stores. I think I either visited or called every store in a 50-mile radius. I am choosy and prefer things a certain way, once I get a picture of what I want. Because time was a factor, ordering online was not a viable option. I did find a mismatch of decorations which I hope will work. My daughter says they will be fine.

At the time of this writing, it is 48 hours to the big event. There is severe flooding in the city where she is flying from. There are waits and long lines at the airport and incentives to change flights to the next day. We wanted to surprise her, but I broke down and told my son to let her know about the shower so she wouldn't take a later flight. We reserved the high-in-demand camp hall, because of course it is finally going to rain. We'll have all the bride-to-be's favorite American foods; strawberry lemonade punch, hamburgers and fries, Ben & Jerry ice cream and two special cakes. Hopefully she will be there to enjoy it. If not, the quick but carefully planned party will certainly go on.

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Campbellsport Johnson Bus drivers, Joey Diels (left photo) and James Becker, are recognized and honored at the Wisconsin School Bus Association Annual Conference held in Middleton last week Wednesday. Both Diels and Becker were awarded “Excellence in School Bus Mechanics” awards. **SUBMITTED PHOTOS**

County Appointment to the S.E. Wisconsin Professional Baseball Park District

Josh Schoemann, Washington County executive, nominated and the county board confirmed the appointment of Kraig Sadownikow to the Southeast Wisconsin Professional Baseball Park District on June 14.

Mark McCune, a member of the board for 15 years, resigned at the end of May.

“Mark McCune was a great member of the Southeast Wisconsin Professional Baseball Park District, just as he was as a member of the Washington County Board of Supervisors,” said Schoemann. “His perspective reflected the views of Washington County which are typically overlooked by metro-Milwaukee organizations who only give a damn about our county when they need money from us. I expect that Kraig Sadownikow, a former mayor of West Bend and tax hawk, will admirably fill the role and provide the same kind of representation that our county residents deserve.”

Natural Resources Foundation of Wisconsin and Wis. D.N.R. Team Up to Increase Pollinator Habitat in State Parks

WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

In honor of Pollinator Week June 19-25, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and the Natural Resources Foundation of Wisconsin (NRF) are proud to announce that seven state park properties will receive a pollinator upgrade in 2023.

Aztalan State Park, Brunet Island State Park, Chippewa Moraine State Recreation Area, Hank Aaron State Trail, Harrington Beach State Park, Pattison State Park and Peninsula State Park will receive funding from the NRF to enhance pollinator habitat.

The DNR is leading a “Pollinators in the Parks” initiative to increase pollinator habitat at state park properties across Wisconsin. New pollinator habitat will be created at these state parks thanks

to funding from the Wisconsin Pollinator Protection Fund of the Natural Resources Foundation of Wisconsin.

“Our native pollinators are incredibly important to maintaining Wisconsin’s native ecosystems. State parks are proud to play a role in helping these important beings survive,” said Steve Schmelzer, DNR Parks and Recreation Management Bureau Director. “Plus, the beautiful gardens that create habitat for pollinators enhance the intrinsic beauty of our state park properties.”

Ten other state parks have been funded over the last few years (Blue Mound, Governor Dodge, Hartman Creek, High Cliff, Lake Wissota, Nelson Dewey, Roche-A-Cri, Willow River, Wyalusing and Yellowstone Lake), as well as several State Natural Areas and state forests.

Why is there such a buzz around pollinators?

Pollinators are vital for both Wisconsin’s unique biodiversity and for our agricultural crops and backyard gardens. But the DNR and conservation nonprofits can’t do it alone. In Wisconsin, 82% of land is privately owned, so the general public can play an important role too.

“The great thing about pollinators is that everyone can do something to help them, from individuals to schools to businesses to farmers,” said Caitlin Williamson, director of conservation programs for the Natural Resources Foundation. “Our small actions, combined together, can make a big difference.”

There are lots of ways you can celebrate Pollinator Week now and throughout June:

- Plant native plants and add some milkweed

See **POLLINATOR** page 16



Community CALENDAR

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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. 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 Wednesday — Mid-week worship service at 7p.m., at Peace United Church of Christ, 343 First Street, Kewaskum.

- 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:

- Saturday, July 8 — Starling Shakespeare Company will be presenting a free performance of William

Shakespeare’s beloved comedy “As You Like It.” The performance will take place at the River Hill Park Bandstand in Kewaskum at 6 p.m.

- Tuesday, July 11 — Total Joint Replacement Seminar (shoulder/knee/hip) at 5:30 p.m., at Back In Action Rehabilitation located at 1057 Fond du Lac Ave. in Kewaskum. Pizza and refreshments to be provided. Call 262-626-6700 to reserve your spot.

- Friday, July 14 — American Red Cross Blood Drive from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m., at the Eden Fire Department, 104 Pine St.

- Friday, July 14 — American Red Cross Blood Drive from 12:30-5:30 p.m., at the Oakfield Community Center, 130 N. Main St.

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Finding the Lost Generation

A History on Kewaskum-native Glenway Wescott, Part II

LEAH HENCKEL
INTERN

Last week, in Part I, we met young Kewaskum-area farm boy Glenway Wescott, whose wonderlust and intellect got him off the family farm and on track to become a published writer as America moved into the 1920s.

Glenway Wescott's college education was brought to an end by the Spanish Flu pandemic of 1918.

The disease killed around 675,000 people in the United States. Wescott contracted the Spanish Flu at the end of 1918, leaving him bedridden for more than a week. When first battling the disease, he experienced vivid hallucinatory dreams about being condemned by his father and God. These dreams sent him into a deep depression that prevailed until Maurice Lesemann introduced Wescott to Monroe Wheeler in January of 1919, although Wescott and Lesemann's relationship would become strained thereafter.

Monroe Wheeler was a copywriter from Evanston, a suburb of Chicago. He had lied about his age to work at a prestigious advertising company after high school and was well known in the area.

Meeting Wheeler changed Wescott's disposition with Glenway taking an immediate interest in the copywriter.

Glenway later described his first impression of Wheeler:

"Monroe was more beautiful than the sun, you can't imagine, and radiantly joyous. His personality expressed that everything was the best it could possibly be and everything was just around the corner, and the arts were the only thing that mattered on earth."

However, following their first run-ins, Lesemann discouraged Glenway from seeing Wheeler, telling him that Monroe had laughed at Wescott after their meeting. Lesemann would cause more trouble for Wescott and Wheeler in the years to come.

Shortly following his meeting with Wheeler, Wescott experienced a relapse of the Spanish Flu. He decided to return to his family in Wisconsin, hoping that leaving the city would help improve his health, but instead it worsened. Doctors advised Glenway to travel to Mayo Clinic (Rochester, Minn.) and have his thyroid removed. Like a stubborn Midwesterner, he refused; his mother approved of his decision, as she would not have let him get the operation if he had chosen to go.

To receive treatment, Wescott traveled back to Chicago and stayed in the Presbyterian Hospital ward for two weeks. To Glenway's surprise (due to Lesemann's suggestion that Monroe Wheeler thought little of Wescott), Wheeler visited Glenway every other day with gifts of books and roses. While these gifts may seem like a romantic gesture, Wheeler and Wescott were not yet romantically involved. Their relationship grew from being acquaintances to friends during this time.

When Glenway's condition stabilized, he moved back to the family farm for the summer to recover



An old photo circa 1905 that shows the school children of Orchard Grove, one of which, allegedly, is Glenway Wescott. Wescott is identified (among other students) with written text (fifth from the right in the first row). PHOTO CREDIT: FARMINGTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

and to take care of his dying grandmother. During this time, the inspiration for his novel *The Grandmothers*, a fictionalized chronicle of his family, emerged from hearing Grandma Wescott's stories.

As summer ended, Wescott resolved to return to Chicago and seek employment. He found a job as a department store shipping clerk; however, the job didn't last more than a few weeks because of Glenway's health and poor work ethic.

Luckily for Wescott, his friend and former peer, Yvor Winters, convinced his father to invite Glenway to live in Santa Fe, New Mexico with him to improve both their health. Winters was recovering from tuberculosis and was incredibly bored. Yvor's doctors believed his boredom and loneliness to be slowing his recovery. The doctors' thoughts helped Winters persuade his father to offer Wescott room, board and a small allowance if he moved to New Mexico to become Yvor's secretary.

Remembering the offer as a practical means to an unavoidable end, Glenway said:

"[Yvor's] father and mother called me to their home in Evanston, and wept and asked if I could possibly be persuaded to go to Santa Fe. Of course, I knew I was going to get fired from my job the following Friday, and I hadn't another bean."

Winters really wanted Wescott to come live in Santa Fe to help Glenway write more poetry.

Before leaving for New Mexico, Wescott gave Wheeler a hand-stitched booklet of poems he had written. The gesture, perhaps, a pivotal development for the duo's relationship despite Glenway moving halfway across the country.

Upon arrival in Santa Fe, Wescott found lodging in a two-room flat of a Mexican row house near Winters. Ironically, Wescott, who himself had partially come to recuperate from illness, found

he was one of the healthiest people in the area. As one of the healthiest, and someone whose health was improving from the environment, Glenway began to run errands for "all the poor sick ladies and so on."

He made these deliveries on horseback. His feisty horse was supposedly part of Pancho Villa's cavalry. Pancho Villa was a general in the revolution against Mexican President Porfirio Díaz in 1909. He created and led the División del Norte cavalry, and occasionally fought American soldiers from 1916 to 1917.

Wescott fondly described his experience riding the horse:

"I would pull and pull on the reins, and he would just set his teeth on it and run away with me. He ran away with me every day for months, and the amazing thing is he never threw me off... But he ran up onto the hills on these miserable stony roads. I just barely stayed alive. But I liked him very much."

When he wasn't making deliveries or trying to control his horse, Wescott was writing poetry and interacting with the many artists and poets who lived in the area. Other artists' perceptions of Glenway were mixed and were so for the rest of his life. Some in New Mexico adored him, while others thought he was "too good looking, too pretty... very flamboyant" and annoyingly talkative. This perception would follow Wescott his whole life, especially after Ernest Hemingway's character based on Wescott (Robert Prentiss) was described in a similar way in *The Sun Also Rises*.

The summer of 1920 proved to be a very troublesome season for Wescott. Before the season began, Glenway was convinced by some townspeople to offer Fredrick Nyquist, an artist's apprentice with a rough housing situation, to live with him. Wescott was romantically interested in Nyquist but never attempted to establish a relationship with him since Fredrick had originally left Chicago because a male friend hit on him.

Wescott received a letter from Maurice Lesemann asking if he could live with him in Santa Fe; Lesemann was broke and his mistress left him. To the disapproval of Yvor, Glenway agreed yet "hoped he wouldn't come and tried to discourage him."

Wescott's attempts at discouragement failed.

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and is a local favorite. The cost is a free will donation. Remember your lawn chairs and/or blankets.

The proceeds from the event will be used by the Friends of the Kettle Moraine for a variety of projects to enhance the offerings at the Kettle Moraine State Forest – Northern Unit. These include an accessible kayak launch at Mauthe Lake and the upgrades to the Tamarack Trail that goes around Mauthe Lake.

For more information about this fun-filled family evening, contact the staff at the Ice Age Visitor Center, (920) 533-8322 or email friendsofthekettlemoraine@gmail.com.

The center is open Wednesday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and on Saturday and Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.



Tim Castle Country Legends perform at Party On The Pavement in Kewaskum on June 20. Live music and entertainment were held throughout the entire event, which was sponsored by the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce. ANNE TRAUTNER PHOTO

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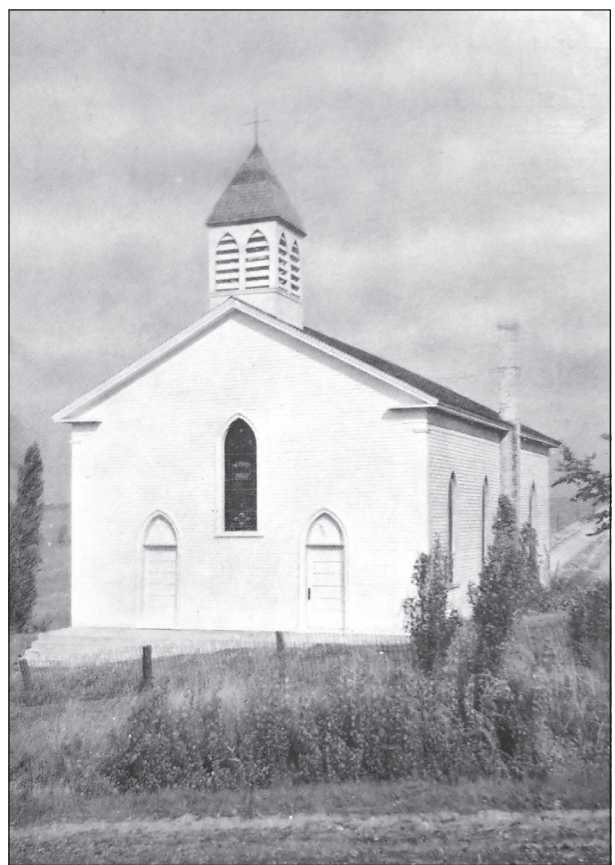
– the ball diamond across the road. It was displayed on a wall in the dining room. That was the first place, that’s when we got it.” Within months of the garage delivery, Don constructed the frame to hang this showpiece. Later Don built a house on Twin Lakes Road, and the stained glass window moved with them. It also followed them on the next house he built farther down the road, where the deer are happy with their glowing neighbors.

Don beautifully repurposed the glass to function in the house. A small light makes the window useful. “It’s our night light. The deer love it at night. We have deer that just pour in our yard at night,” Diane said. “We always kiddingly say, ‘They come because they love to look at the picture.’”


Diane loves how others enjoy it. “We have a little four-year-old great-grandson, and he stays here many times, and he’s so amazed at that, while he’s playing on the floor. And then I always tell him, ‘Why don’t you say “Hi” to Jesus?’ So he turns the light on, and he stands there, and he says, ‘Hi Jesus.’ And then he turns the light off. He LOVES that picture. He just loves that.”



Don Gudex shares information from the 1938 Golden Jubilee book from St. Mary’s Parish. The book was a gift from Fr. Gehl, who supported Don on being the caretaker for the stained glass window of the old St. James Church, which once stood on Highway F in the Town of Eden. PHOTO CREDIT: KARL MCCARTY



This image comes from the Golden Jubilee book made for St. Mary’s Parish in 1938, the 50th Anniversary of the parish. By then, St. James was a mission of St. Mary’s. This photo from the book shows St. James at about age 70. The church faced north/south and looked out at the then-Billy Baumhardt farm to the north. Fr. Gehl passed this book on to Don Gudex.



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This ad comes from the 15th Annual CYO show in Eden from the spring of 1976. By then, Don Gudex had established himself as a carpenter. Around 1970, Fr. Gehl had Don appraise the church at St. James, and whether it could be salvaged. The appraisal opportunity connected Don with one of the neatest artifacts in the history of the Eden Township.

Questions

Many questions remain on the stained glass window. Here are some:

- **How did it survive?** Why that glass survived might be a miracle in itself. When Don saw it for the first time it was already approximately 105 years old. So many things could break it. Don still can’t believe a storm never got it: “Cause it had no storm [damage] on it or anything.” This may have been the case because the north end of the church apparently had few, if any tall trees in front of it. In addition, that window wouldn’t have faded because it faced north to what the oldest generations still living once called “Billy Baumhardt’s Farm.” In addition, St. James never functioned as a Catholic school, so kids would have seldom played up there or horsed around like a playground.

- **Who made it?** We don’t know the manufacturer. There is no known paper work existing, and Don didn’t find a company stamp on the window when he built the frame for it. Was this a piece made in Ireland, which related back to the roots of those who settled in South Eden? The purchase was likely made circa 1865, about two decades after many settlers had left Ireland for Eden. Meanwhile, others kept coming to the area after. Maybe this piece was constructed in mainland Europe. “I’m gonna guess a window like that had to be shipped in from some foreign country,” Don said. “It really would be interesting if you knew where it came from.



This picture preserved by Carol Murphy shows the altar of St. James Church and the north facing stained glass window of Jesus which is currently in the Gudex’s home.

[And] how much it cost when they got it.”

- **Is the design structure copied elsewhere?** Perhaps this window had multiple copies. Not necessarily mass-produced, but at least made-to-order from a standard requirement used for other churches. For example, another quality of the glass is the color chunks behind Jesus. They are painted like a sky, but it seems possible that the frames were made to make the background behind Jesus in the shape of white clouds. However, what is behind the Jesus of St. James Church are colored hues of sky instead of clouds. Maybe similar glass in another church has white clouds behind Jesus. If so, then maybe someday we will find the maker of this work of art. If there was a surviving similar stained glass window existing elsewhere, this could lead us to a manufacturer.

- **How did the Civil War impact the construction of the church?** A key sticking point is the 1865 date of the completion of the second St. James Church. Because the North and South of our Union was at war, it would be interesting to ask those early settlers how that impacted in any way the church’s construction.

Who else enjoyed this art?

As our conversation wound down, Diane and Don were reflective all the years they have enjoyed this stained glass window. “We made Fr. Gehl very proud of Don and I,” Diane said. “Fr. Gehl has got to be very proud of the two of us, because he gave us that picture. And we kept it well.”

The Gudex’s story of the stained-glass window illustrates the importance of unique items of the past. Anything can get old. But great pieces remind us of old friends, make our house a home, or are even appreciated by the next generations. This stained glass window does all three.

There were many members of St. James Parish who had the gaze of the Sacred Heart of Jesus upon them through the stained glass window. Here are some of the last names: Albert, Baumhardt, Brown, Comins, Dyer, Flood, Gellings, Hass, Harlan, Lloyd, Majerus, Meade, Murphy, Reilly, Ryan, Sammons, Smith, Schommer, Thompson, and Walsh. And those last names just come from the 1953 Financial Report for St. James. There are many other family names not included here among the predominantly Irish settlers coming to South Eden before the Civil War. One gets the sense they are honored of Don and Diane Gudex’s pride and preservation of an artistic treasure of the past.



S.O.T.H. Class of 2023

Members of the eighth-grade class from Shepherd of the Hills Catholic School proudly display painted ceiling tiles they created in art class. The class of 2023 from left includes Julia Fidziukiewicz, Carly Masarik, Riley Thornton, Killian Stoffel, Addison Gantner, Joey Puetz, Reede Baker, Devin Zook, and Leo Bonen. **SUBMITTED**



Scholarship Recipients

A representative from The Milwaukee Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women presented Shepherd of the Hills Catholic School eighth grade students, Addison Gantner, middle and Carly Masarik, right, with \$1,500 scholarships during a recent school assembly. **SUBMITTED**

COLLEGE NEWS

– Alyssa Muench of Campbellsport is one of nearly 600 students from **Saginaw Valley State University** whose determination and commitment to academic excellence earned them a spot on the winter 2023 semester president’s list. To be eligible for the President’s List, a student must take at least 12 credit hours and earn a 4.0 grade point average.

– Campbellsport student Christopher Zimdahl graduated with a BS in construction in May 2023 from **University of Wisconsin-Stout** in Menomonie.

The following students from the area have been named to the **University of Wisconsin-Stout** dean’s list for the spring 2023 semester. The award is presented to students who have a grade point average of 3.5 or above.

Campbellsport student Christopher Zimdahl – BS Construction; Eden student Cullen Beisbier – BS Mechanical Engineering; and Kewaskum student Matthew Blank – BS Mechanical Engineering.

– Campbellsport student Abigail Zimdahl received a Bachelor of Science degree in dairy science from the **University of Wisconsin-River Falls** following commencement in May.



Many different crafts and products were sold at Party On The Pavement in Kewaskum on June 20. The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce started holding the annual event in 2011. **ANNE TRAUTNER PHOTO**

Boltonville Firecrackers June Update

ELLIE STEINERT
BOLTONVILLE FIRECRACKERS REPORTER

Hello!

This month we had a visitor that talked about ways we can volunteer. We learned that we can volunteer at libraries this summer.

We also spent time discussing what we need to do for the fair. Many members are busy with their projects and getting their animals ready. We also

had two demonstrations from members. Edison taught us how to give a chicken a bath and Calie taught us about rabbits.

We also gave members a chance to work on their record books after the meeting was over. The Cloverbuds spent time outside playing games and creating chalk pictures.

It was a fun meeting. Have a good Fourth of July and talk to you next month!

Kewaskum Middle School Students to Travel to Washington, D.C. July 11-14 to Learn and See American History

Four-day school trip brings social studies curriculum to life for 37 students, educators and parents

This summer, students from Kewaskum Middle School will take an educational trip to Washington, D.C. to learn about American history and experience, in person, the social studies lessons that they cover in the classroom every day. Thirty-seven sixth through eighth grade students from KMS including two teachers, the principal, and four other parent/grandparent adult chaperones from Kewaskum, a town of 4,000 residents will travel

to the nation’s capital from July 11-14 to visit the monuments and memorials that define American history, explore the exhibits of the Smithsonian Museums, and experience life-changing moments that spark personal growth.

Educational travel, provided by WorldStrides, is learning in action. WorldStrides offers hands-on experiential learning for students of all ages, including domestic and international tours for individual and group travelers. This is Program leader Kristine Dreher’s first time guiding Kewaskum Middle School students on teacher-led trips to D.C. She had been planning to do this trip for the past several years and now it has all come together. A history teacher for 27 years, this trip is designed to translate Dreher’s history and civics classroom learning into real-life experiences.

“In my class, we study landmark events such as those from the Revolutionary War through the Civil War. While the students can watch videos and read about these events in books, there is something about seeing it in person. They truly can’t understand and appreciate patriotism unless they go to Washington and see for themselves how America was founded,” said Dreher. “Seeing the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, standing in front of the Lincoln Memorial as it is lit up at night, or touring the White House for example gives chills down your spine. It’s as if you are standing right there when history was written and it takes your breath away all the same,” said Dreher.

Over the course of the four-day trip, students will visit the sites that shaped America and serve as cornerstones of our nation’s history, including: the Lincoln Memorial, The U.S. Capitol, The White House, George Washington’s Mount Vernon, Arlington National Cemetery, Embassy Row,

Iwo Jima Memorial, Pentagon Memorial, Alexandria, the Smithsonian Institution, FDR Memorial, Martin Luther King Jr. National Memorial, Ford’s Theatre and Petersen House, National Archives, Vietnam Veterans Memorial, Korean War Veterans Memorial, Washington Monument, World War II Memorial, and the Holocaust Museum. They will also enjoy a day trip to Gettysburg.

“I’ve been to D.C. before and I know the feeling of the limitless possibilities America holds when you are there. I want these young students to experience this same feeling. I’m hoping that the D.C. trip inspires them to dream big as they are our future leaders. Who knows we may have a future president of the United States one day from our group!” said Dreher.

As the global leader in experiential learning and educational travel, WorldStrides creates life-changing moments for students, allowing them to see beyond the classroom and learn outside the textbook. To learn more about educational student travel and experiential learning with WorldStrides, visit <https://worldstrides.com/>.

About WorldStrides

WorldStrides is the global leader in educational travel and experiential learning. The company was founded in 1967 to provide middle school travel programs to Washington, D.C., and has grown to provide a wide range of programs for more than 550,000 students annually to over 100 countries around the world. WorldStrides offers experiential learning programs in educational travel, performing arts, language immersion, career exploration, service-learning, study abroad, and sports. Each of these experiences helps students to see beyond the classroom and to see the world – and themselves – in new ways.

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Campbellsport High School Second Semester Honor Rolls

High Honor Roll

Graduation Year: 2023

Birschbach, Logan J.
Buddenhagen, Marie M.
Coon, Natalie N.
Downham, Kira R.
Engle, Maxwell J.
Fabry, Mykala M.
Goebel, Ella J.
Goebel, Kaitlyn A.
Gonzalez, Mandy J.
Hermann, Kovi L.
Hernandez, Alex A.
Herrmann, Mercedes M.
Hodorff, Shaelee R.
Homuth, Kinsley A.
Jaeger, Aydrienne M.
Kaehne, Cole J.
Koltz, Kody J.
Koput, Breanna D.
Koth, Samuel L.
Krueger, Kylie P.
Lepage, Nola G.
Loehr, Brady D.
Lueck, Hannah M.
Mamutov, Herai J.
McCarty, Mitchell J.
Murphy, Kyle J.
Neitzel, Caitlin B.
Patzner, Zachary A.
Reichert, Lilly A.
Reilly, Jamie H.
Retzer, Brock J.
Rowe, Trevor D.
Scannell, Elli J.
Simons, Natalie R.
Sippel, Ava L.
Thompson, Brianna L.
Graduation Year: 2024
Bates, Makaeta J.
Baumhardt, Mia J.

Beck, Lucas J.
Carpenter, Nolan J.
Clark, Sydney R.
Flasch, Morgan W.
Gatzke, Emily L.
Gilles, Molly R.
Ginard, Emma G.
Hearden, Kelise A.
Hodorff, Kaydence L.
Jordan, Paige B.
Kissingner, Amy C.
Krueger, Karsten D.
Ksioszk, Jeremy J. Jr
Ohme, Katrina M.
Perez Alvarez, Mariela
Poquette, Harper S.
Rogers, Makayla R.
Sachen, Tyler M.
Schneeberg, Lillyanna B.
Schulz, Caden I.
Smith, Caleb T.
Smith, Madison M.
Swift, Magdalene G.
Tipton, Tula M.
Twhig, Lillian R.
Vollendorf, Caden M.
Volz, Joseph S.
Walsh, Braydon Z.
Wilcox, Evan C.
Willacker, Mason M.
Graduation Year: 2025
Andrews, Madison B.
Batzler, Anna E.
Beisbier, Kaylie S.
Bertram, Katelyn R.
Bong, Owen H.
Bowe, Jacob W.
Danza, Gabriella G.
Dieckman, Trent J.
Eggers, Kaleb A.
Ellenbecker, Samuel R.
Grahl, Maverick A.

Graves, Andrew M.
Grede, Benjamin R.
Grunwald, Madalynn J.
Jaimes-Perez, Daniel
Koelbl, Alyssa E.
Kohlman, Adeline L.
Kutz, Alysa J.
Lemke, Paul R.
Manix, Brody K.
Mccarty, Megan E.
Muraski, Taylor L.
Nennig, Kendra R.
Patzner, Kate L.
Pendowski, Luke T.
Rohlf, Hadlee L.
Sippel, Natalie R.
Sippel, Sadie A.
Stommel, Hannah J.
Vant Hoff, Kaitlyn M.
Waddle, Katie A.
Wallschlaeger, Addison M.
Ward, Carleigh S.
Westcott, Emily F.
Williams, Amarea S.
Wornardt, Ava E.
Graduation Year: 2026
Berres, Violet A.
Bobb, Noah M.
Brown, Mahlea I.
Burns, Jaedyn M.
Cousert, Aubrey M.
Cousert, Deacon M.
Diels, Alexandria N.
Feucht, Ashtin M.
Garvey, Ayla R.
Goebel, Jace R.
Haack, Jayda R.
Hall, Peyton M.
Heisdorf, Carson A.
Homuth, Sadie J.
Immel, Sawyer R.
Immel, Spencer M.

Jandre, Kaylie M.
Juarez, Rudolfo Jr
Kahrs, Kaden A.
Lueck, Raeann E.
McCarty, Olivia S.
Mowry, Jack H.
Noren, Mason T.
Ohme, Emily A.
Pickering, Gavin J.
Poquette, Abraham M.
Retzlaff, Adam W.
Rohlf, Kameron R.
Scannell, Gracie L.
Schladweiler, Trenton J.
Schommer, Rose E.
Schrauth, Carson C.
Sperflage, Isabelle J.
Stoffel, Trinity J.
Vandergrinten, Noah H.
Wissink, Emersen A.
Zimdahl, Zachariah K.
Honor Roll
Graduation Year: 2023
Becker, Madeline M.
Czarapata, Jadon M.
Dontchenko, Joshua J.
Dreikosen, Jack A.
Fleischman, Ayden T.
Flood, Angel
Gruenewald, Tucker O.
Hernandez, Emily N.
Hettwer, Ajay L.
Immel, Trenton W.
Jenkins, Andrew J.
Karweick, Kole G.
Koenings, Aubree C.
Lorrigan, Kaylie Y.
Morgan, Maia M.
Rahn, Jacob W.
Reese, Trinity A.

Schill, Gracie E.
Schneeberg, Aryanna R.
Sharar, Isabelle S.
Stamm, Samantha J.
Suprenand, Madelyn N.
Taddey, Kolton M.
Van Egtern, Brady A.
Wettstein, Danielle E.
Graduation Year: 2024
Bania, Brady J.
Beck Sabish, Kaden M.
Benson, Christian J.
Cadman, Sawyer A.
Chipman, Zavier M.
Cissa, Austin B.
Crofts, Colin P.
Crofts, Kya G.
Feucht, Chloe C.
Fischer, Matthew J.
Flasch, Austin J.
Guelig, Kylee M.
Herbst, Lauren M.
Homuth, Emmett W.
Meilahn, Aydan B.
Oconnor, Clayton J.
Perron, Vivian E.
Peters, Mark J.
Peters, Matthew G.
Pieper, Isabel C.
Polzin, Aidan L.
Reis, Carson J.
Retzlaff, Jeffrey J.
Rieder Herriges, Logan A.
Urban, Colton J.
Graduation Year: 2025
Bania, Chloe M.
Boegel, Olivia V.
Boneck, Keegan J.
Bothe, Braden R.
Brehmer, Emily M.
Carbajal, Kailie J.
Demler, Laurianna F.

Dickman, Megan S.
Dirmeier, Sawyer A.
Frailing, Abigail M.
Genz, Zachary M.
Hewitt, Sienna M.
Koenings, Nicholas D.
Krueger, Mckinley C.
Meilahn, Aydryan S.
Noren, Hunter J.
Ottery, Kaiden L.
Ruplinger, Colton J.
Sabish, Benjamin R.
Schanen, Trevor J.
Severance, Mackenzie L.
Toshner, Lydia M.
Uelmen, Jack J.
Vaughn, Haylee T.
Volz, John S.
Wernicke, Faith N.
Wettstein, Oliver G.
White, Aydon J.
Graduation Year: 2026
Cadeau, Ethan J.
Carbajal, Eliana M.
Cook, Jacob H.
Flasch, Cayden T.
Foster, Sam S.
Haynes, Olyvia J.
Herrmann, Kenneth C.
Kirsch, Jack D.
Mader, Olivia H.
Maurer, Ethan R.
Rahmer, Adam J.
Reilly, Brittany F.
Reis, Cullen P.
Roehl, Kendra J.
Schill, Parker D.
Swift, Alexis E.
Thimmig, Colin M.
Urban, Kaylei A.
Ziehr, Kaitlyn G.

Campbellsport Middle School Second Semester Honor Rolls

High Honor Roll

Graduation Year: 2027

Arndt, Nevaeh S.
Balistreri-Stoss, Amaya L.
Batzler, Emma G.
Benson, Addison E.
Buchberger, Hunter M.
Cappozzo, Quinten D.
Condon, Nolan W.
Downham, Alyssa N.
Foster, Laila G.
Gellings, Carter P.
Giese, Stella S.
Glover, Evelyn R.
Grahl, Genevieve K.
Graves, Aubrey L.
Hammes, Brynn G.
Homuth, Merydith R.
Jandre, Abigail J.
Jarmuz, Abigail R.
Jarmuz, William B.
King, Mischa S.
Kneever, Cali P.
Konen, Maci C.
Ksioszk, Abigail R.
Kutz, Lance M.
Lackas, Ava M.
Laverenz, Kiera A.
Loehr, Mckenna L.
Meier, Autumn A.
Muraski, Emma R.
Pendowski, Eva M.
Ruplinger, Kylie M.
Siebauer, Caleb R.
Sippel, Jack D.
Smith, Ava M.
Smith, Ellie L.
Stoffel, Addison G.
Stoffel, Olive S.
Strobel, Madilynn L.
Taddey, Christopher D.
Temperle, Payton E.
Theisen, Brielee A.
Twhig, Josie L.
Valentine, Brooke E.
Vang, Preston M.
Vant Hoff, Carter J.
Voss, Layla R.
Walker, Lorelei A.
Wilkins, Jocelyn A.
Willacker, Shealyn S.
Woolhether, Irelyn G.
Zommers, Ava A.
Graduation Year: 2028
Bautista, Jovanni A.
Bentz, Levi D.

Berres, Chloey N.
Bobb, Brianna E.
Bowe, Keegan A.
Bowen, Diesel S.
Brandt, Sydney L.
Brown, Aaden J.
Cochenet, Boston J.
Cook, Emmalyn J.
Delegard, Sahvanna M.
Dimarco, Mya L.
Dirmeier, Mason J.
Dysert, Paige C.
Forcier, Olivia C.
Foster, Annika K.
Fritz, Preston T.
Garvey, Finley M.
Gau, Zoey E.
Gruber, Maustin S.
Hall, Chayse A.
Hartman, Zoie D.
Jaeger, Colton V.
Jaimes, Jeffrey
Jordan, Chase L.
Kaehne, Pierce A.
Kahler, Seamus M.
Kahrs, Kylie A.
Lamp, Molly A.
Longinos, Valentina M.
Lucatero Reyes, Andy
Magdziuk, Taylor W.
McCarty, Hudson R.
Muckerheide, Makayla J.
Nennig, Kaleb T.
Rahmer, Austin W.
Reichert, Kaylee N.
Rentmeester, Ayda M.
Retzlaff, Randon N.
Roehl, Ashlynn V.
Roloff, Lydia B.
Scannell, Reed D.
Schommer, Violet M.
Schroeder, Jordan M.
Stillwell, Emma J.
Straub, Jackson A.
Thimmig, Mackenzie M.
Timm, Connor C.
Toshner, Seamus C.
Twhig, Colin J.
Uelmen, Reese S.
Vang, Sebastian F.
Wallschlaeger, Rowan A.
Wisnfske, Myron A.
Wissink, Easton J.
Zimdahl, Marie C.

Graduation Year: 2029
Basile, Ava F.
Birch, Victor P.
Brath, Lyssa R.
Buslaff, Teegan L.
Cadeau, Aiden J.
Chipman, Tegan G.
Dins, Aaron R.
Doyle, Davin C.
Etchart, Taylor J.
Flasch, Cullan B.
Galloway, Sophia F.
Glamann, Haylie B.
Glass, Abigail C.
Grahl, Remick A.
Haack, Bryce J.
Handel, Ayden M.
Hettwer, Khloe M.
Jordan, Isabelle M.
Kahler, Archer P.
Karpinsky, Gabrielle S.
Klotz, Levi N.
Kober, Tryston T.
Kohlman, Ella R.
Kohn, Krozby J.
Kreiter, Kennadee K.
Ksioszk, Savannah R.
Kutz, Everlett E.
Lindsley, Elsie C.
Mader, Benjamin G.
Marko, Mackenzie A.
Mckee, Alayna R.
Meier, Aubrey E.
Merkel, Eli T.
Mueller, Allison A.
Mueller, Josiah D.
Ohms, Hailey K.
Petersen, Liam E.
Pfeifer, Audrina I.
Polzin, Ava V.
Renderman, Trayton J.
Roehl, Samantha M.
Rohlf, Deklan C.
Sanchez, Dyland J.
Schladweiler, Taylor A.
Schrauth, Viola M.
Seefeldt, Owyn M.
Serwe, Lynken S.
Serwe, Mac S.
Sippel, Jack N.
Sitzberger, Bella A.
Sperflage, Aubrey R.
Steffen, Reyse N.
Stoffel, Eva I.
Stoffel, Wolfgang W.
Swift, Gunner J.

Thorn, Cooper J.
White, Sommer L.
Wightman, Lannaya J.
Wondra, Mccoy S.
Wrzesinske, Zachary M.
Ziehr, Benjamin R.
Honor Roll
Graduation Year: 2027
Benike, Carson P.
Boegel, Kendall G.
Brehmer, Ava L.
Broderick, Maddalyn L.
Cappozzo, Erich T.
Faust, Nolan J.
Gatzke, Isaiah E.
Gruenewald, Jacob A.
Harvey, Zachary M.
Helsell, Mackenzie M.
Hettwer, Bailee G.
Immel, Jayden D.
Krolnik, Onica J.
Minnier, Hunter R.
Page, Harper L.
Pickering, Izabella A.
Randall, Sydnee F.
Roehl, Aleah A.
Rozwadowski, Ella R.
Russel, Charlie J.
Sabish, Keagen J.
Sippel, Ellieana M.
Thew, Ethan R.
Thorn, Lillie R.
Thull, Dalton M.
Truse, Megan R.
Wondra, Landon T.
Graduation Year: 2028
Beistle, Ethan R.
Carpenter, Allison Q.
Egle, Nova L.
Enright, Danica E.
Goebel, Trevin A.
Harlaquinn-Gorenschek, Cocoa D.
Haynes, Peyton R.
Lueck, Riley L.
Mcgovney, Eliana P.
Ohms, Aiden C.
Plautz, Konnor C.
Preston, Joey J.
Schommer, Lily A.
Schultz, Aiden N.
Strahl, Alexa M.
Theisen Leist, Zaylie J.
Vandergrinten, Joseph A. Jr

Whitfield, Hunter J.
Graduation Year: 2029
Andrade, Joshua J.
Barrera Martinez, Keelin L.
Carey, Dakota R.
Groll, Zayden N.
Holfeltz, Addyson A.
Kilmer, Leonidas J.

Moen, Tyler R.
Mondragon Enciso, Olmer A.
Petersen, Kennedy E.
Sanchez, Izzan G.
Sanchez-Aguirre, America
Thull, Lilah L.
Walsh, Mitchel R.

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Lesemann arrived early that summer and lived in the other room of Wescott's flat. Maurice disapproved of the living situation as Nyquist slept in the same bed as Glenway. Conflict arose, and Lesemann was expected to move into his own apartment.

Maurice Lesemann was not the only guest to stay in Santa Fe that summer. Yvor Winters' parents and sister, Faith, visited for the entire season. Winters' parents recognized that Wescott was feeling homesick and invited Glenway's sister Elizabeth to come visit later that summer.

Before Elizabeth came, Monroe Wheeler kept a promise he had made to stay for a few weeks midsummer. Unbeknown to the Winters or Wescott, Wheeler had secretly dated

Yvor's sister Faith.

On the day Wheeler arrived, Maurice Lesemann was supposed to move out of Wescott's flat while Glenway went to the train station to pick up Monroe. However, Lesemann never moved out. It is unclear why; some sources claim that it was due to rain. Eventually, Lesemann left the flat momentarily, and Nyquist refused to allow him back inside when he returned. In retaliation, Lesemann spread rumors of an affair involving Wescott and Nyquist. The rumors prompted a town meeting, and citizens considered "tar-and-feathering" Wescott before ultimately kicking him out of town. To avoid the scandal, Wescott and Wheeler set out to Taos (roughly 70 miles north of Santa Fe) on horseback and stayed there for two weeks.

By the time the two men returned,

Glenway's sister Elizabeth had arrived, but her visit did not cure Wescott's homesickness. So, in the fall of 1920, he took a trip back to Wisconsin and Chicago to see family and friends. Yvor had again convinced his parents to fund Wescott's trip; however, this would be the last time they would ever help Glenway. When Wescott traveled to Waukesha to see Winters' parents, he did not experience the reunion he was hoping for. Shortly before Glenway came, Mrs. Winters found Wheeler's love letters to Faith and blamed Wescott for their relationship because of his friendship with Monroe and the Santa Fe scandal.

Wescott described the experience: "The Winterses summoned me to pay a visit, and as I approached the house I saw Faith up on the second floor balcony, weeping and saying 'Sshhh!' and making terrible gestures to warn me. And when I opened the door, there was Mr. Winters, the stockbroker, all red and

shivering and shuddering in rage. And his wife was raging that I'd corrupted her children and turned her son against her and that my friend had taken her daughter's virginity... All that autumn, people would come up to me and report that Mrs. Winters was saying, 'Glenway Wescott is the anti-Christ.'

Pick up with Part III in next week's paper.

Editor's note: History books note Glenway Wescott as being "born on a farm" in the Town of Kewaskum (which was noted in Part I). However, thanks to a local historian, we can confirm that Wescott was raised in the Town of Farmington. It is possible Wescott was literally born at a neighboring farm in Kewaskum, but it's also as likely history has logged Wescott's birthplace based on the postal code in which he lived (which was Kewaskum). As such, it is fair to say Wescott is a native of both Farmington and Kewaskum.

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- Military policeman
- Touch softly
- Wrap
- A story of one's life
- Midway between east and southeast
- Toward the mouth or oral region
- A list of dishes available at a restaurant
- Changes the meaning of
- Semitic Sun god
- Sneaker parts
- Capital of Zimbabwe
- Breezed through
- Partner to pedi
- Becomes less intense
- Bottoms
- Tested
- Vistas
- Take care of
- Traditional rhythmic pattern
- S. African political party
- Cologne
- Men
- The Science Guy
- Gospel author (abbr.)
- Act of signing up
- Human feet
- A very short time

58. Streetcars

59. Cuplike cavities

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- Malaise
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- A pair
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- Looked directly at
- Popular cold desserts
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- Devoted to the extreme
- Make an effort
- It's in the surf
- Member of aboriginal people of Japan
- Discounts
- Cliff in Hawaii
- Extremely wild person
- All persons
- Aromas
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- A difficult situation
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- Unspoken language
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POLLINATOR

from page 11 to landscaping for monarchs.

• Help the bees by getting involved with the DNR's Wisconsin Bumble Bee Brigade community science program. All you have to do is submit photos and additional information on the bumble bees that you observe.

• Experience pollinator conservation yourself out in the field. NRF is leading several upcoming pollinator-related field trips, now available for sign-ups:

Butterfly Gardening with Native Plants (Field Trip #139)

Calling all Pollinators: Hogback Prairie (Field Trip #152)

Monarch Tagging: St. Croix Valley (Field Trip #209)

• Learn more about how you can help increase pollinator habitat in Wisconsin (including 5 simple steps to planting a pollinator garden here in the Badger State).

• Donate to the Wisconsin Pollinator Protection Fund to keep growing these efforts across the state.

"I have hope that if we all work on this together, we'll all see more butterflies and other pollinators in

our park properties and home yards in the future," said Williamson. "Pollinator Week is a great time to get started."

About the Natural Resources Foundation of Wisconsin

The Natural Resources Foundation of Wisconsin protects our state's lands, waters and wildlife by providing strategic funding, leading partnerships and connecting all people to nature. NRF invests over \$1 million each year into conservation and environmental education and leads several diversity, equity and inclusion efforts for Wisconsin's conservation community. NRF also helps people explore the outdoors by coordinating 250+ expert-led Field Trips each year to Wisconsin's most special places and hosts The Great Wisconsin Birdathon, the state's largest fundraiser for bird conservation. Learn more and get involved at www.wisconsinconservation.org.

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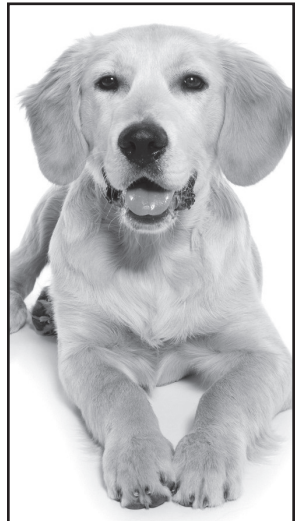
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SSM Health Greater Fond du Lac supporting The Arc Fond du Lac

SSM Health Greater Fond du Lac is giving \$15,000 to The Arc Fond du Lac to help introduce Trauma Informed Care (TIC) for its employees and program participants.

TIC is a medical care in which all parties involved assess, recognize and respond to the effects of traumatic stress on children, caregivers and health care providers. TIC includes the prevention, identification and assessment of trauma, response to trauma and recovery from trauma as a focus of all services.

“Providing Trauma Informed Care will allow The Arc to support our employees and program participants by offering mental health resources, medical referrals, and more,” according to Dawn Scannell, The Arc Fond du Lac executive



Vice President of Operations for SSM Health St. Agnes Hospital, Ripon Community Hospital and Waupun Memorial Hospital Tara Rhodes, right, recently presents a \$15,000 donation to The Arc Fond du Lac representatives, from left including Adult Day Services Case Manager Taylor Piper, Director of Programs Jessica Kimball, and Executive Director Dawn Scannell. **SUBMITTED**

director. “Participants with a trauma history often have behaviors as an expression of emotion, labeling these behaviors as ‘maladaptive’ can make trauma worse. Using Trauma Informed Care, our agency will move away from trying to ‘fix’ these behaviors to becoming aware of why they are occurring and providing more appropriate services.”

The Arc Fond du Lac is a human service organization that empowers adults and youth with intellectual and developmental disabilities to become independent and integrated into the community through advocacy, education, training, and support.

The Arc Fond du Lac provides services to more than 800 families and

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individuals with disabilities living in Fond du Lac, Dodge, and Winnebago counties. Participants ranging in age from five years to older than 80.

“We know that Trauma Informed Care can be an effective strategy for any organization,” says Tara Rhodes, SSM Health vice president of Operations for St. Agnes Hospital, Ripon Community Hospital and Waupun Memorial Hospital. “This approach helps to increase the quality of services, reduce unnecessary interventions, reduce the number and types of negative encounters creating a resiliency and strengths-based focus, while increasing client and family satisfaction.”

To learn more, call The Arc Fond du Lac at 920-923-3810 or visit arcfdl.org.

SSM Health Greater Fond du Lac's community benefit ministry totaled more than \$400,000 across the communities it serves. This investment helps ensure access to health care for patients who are uninsured or underinsured, train the next generation of health professionals to care for those in need, and fund programs to address the most pressing health needs of our communities.



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Party On The Pavement in Kewaskum | Tuesday, June 20



Face painting is one of the activities held at Party On The Pavement in Kewaskum on June 20. The Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce started holding the annual event in 2011.

ANNE TRAUTNER PHOTOS



Horse-drawn wagon rides were one of the featured events at Party On The Pavement in Kewaskum on June 20. The festival was sponsored by the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce.



Children have fun in the bounce house at Party On The Pavement in Kewaskum on June 20. The festival has been dubbed "The Biggest Party on a Tuesday" Tuesday."

LEGALS

Legals 7700

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREWITH GIVEN that pursuant to, inter alias 779.41, 779.415, 779.43, 779.48, 704.05, 349.13(3)(m), 342.40, Trans 319, City of Fond du Lac Ordinances, Artisan Liens at Common Law Mechanic Lien Claimant will sell at public sale, as is, where is, with no warranty or guarantee of any kind, to the Highest Bidders for Cash, and CASH means CASH, all vehicles without titles, most without keys. If requested an MV 2881 set of forms will be prepared. Seller assumes no further responsibility in buyer's efforts to title.

To all owners who signed an MV 2459 warranting there were no liens:

To all owners of their agents who represented there were no liens:

To all owners who provided a FICTITIOUS TITLE:

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Sale date/time: July 22, 2023 10:30 AM.

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TOWN OF ASHFORD MEETING NOTICE

The regular monthly meeting for the Town of Ashford will be held on Monday, July 10, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. at the Ashford Town Hall.

This is a change due to the holiday

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

Tracy Flasch,
Town Clerk

Publish: 06-29-2023 and 07-06-2023
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Town of Farmington
Notice of Public Hearing

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held before the Town Board of Farmington, Washington County, Wi. On Tuesday July 11, 2023 at 7:00pm or soon thereafter. The matters may be heard at the Town Hall located at 9422 STH HWY 144 Kewaskum, Wi. 53040.

The Public Hearing will be held to consider a Rezone. The parcel being proposed to be rezoned is Tax Key No. T4_018000A located at 2342 STH 28 and is a 20.01 acre parcel. The Parcel is currently Zoned Agricultural and the request is to change to Commercial.

All Interested persons wishing to comment on the hearing should appear at the hearing. Notice sent to property owners within 200' of the property.
Publish: June 22, 2023

Meetings and Public Hearings 7720

and June 29, 2023
Walter Rassel Zoning Administrator
6/22(2) WNAXLP

TOWN OF WAYNE WASHINGTON COUNTY, WISCONSIN

Notice of Public Hearing On Application for Conditional Use Permit

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall, located at 6030 Mohawk Road, in the Town of Wayne, before the Town Board/Planning Commission, on Wednesday, July 19, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. for Collin J. Reilly, Robert Mitchell Hale, and Kerrie Thornton Hale to consider the issuance of a Conditional Use Permit for the following purposes:

Transfer operation of Uncle Sam's Fireworks, a retail store selling fireworks, from Dave Beyer to Collin J. Reilly, Robert Mitchell Hale, and Kerrie Thornton Hale

Upon the following described property:
7655 Commercial Lane, Allenton, WI, Tax Key T12-071000A, Town of Wayne, Washington County, WI

Dated: June 21, 2023

Carol Gonwa
Town Clerk

NOTE: Notice to be published as a Class 2 Notice.

Notice to be sent to all abutting property owners, all property owners within five hundred (500) feet, and all property owners of opposite frontages.
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Minutes 7725

CAMPBELLSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTICE OF BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR/WORKSHOP MEETING MINUTES
Campbellsport Middle-High School Media Center, Room 70
Monday, June 5, 2023 7:30 p.m.

1. Call to order. Meeting was called to order by Mike Weiss at 7:30 p.m.

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Meeting was held in the Campbellsport Middle-High School Media Center, Room 70.

Board Members present: Mike Weiss, Maureen Koch, Danielle Neitzel, Keith Peters, Jessica Strand, Deborah Senn and Sharon Gazzola.

Administrators present: Tom Wissink, Shelley Eilbes and Kristi Bachar

Also Present: Thomas Dornbrook, Village President; Fond du Lac County Sheriff Ryan Waldschmidt, Chief Deputy Kevin Galske, and Deputy Kieran Weed (SRO)

2. Public Comment: Mr. Dornbrook introduced himself as the new Village President. Mr. Dornbrook also touched on donations of \$10,500 for crossing sign by Sheboygan Street and Railroad Street as well as new stop signs for Crossing Guards.

3. Announcements/Recognitions

a. Compeer Financial Fund for Rural America Grant has been awarded to the Campbellsport School District in the amount of \$3,200. These funds are to be used for fruit trees, fencing, and maintenance equipment for the school education center. The grant period is from May 22, 2023 through December 31, 2023. Motion by Deb Senn, seconded by Danielle Neitzel to table this until the June 19, 2023 meeting. Motion carried 7-0-0.

4. Presentations with discussion and appropriate action regarding:

a. School Resource Officer Funding Proposal (Sheriff Ryan Waldschmidt)

b. Kristi Bachar, MS Principal presented the ELA curriculum selected (Wit & Wisdom)

5. Approval of meeting minutes

a. May 22, 2023 Board meeting
Motion by Deb Senn, seconded by Maureen Koch to approve the May 22, 2023 Board meeting minutes. Motion carried 7-0-0.

6. Reports:

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a. District Administrator i. School/Principal Updates

There were no School/Principal updates.

ii. District Updates

Mr. Wissink provided an update on the District touching on service awards and summer school. Mr. Wissink also talked about the passing of Todd Hencsik, previous CHS Principal.

b. Board Committees

i. Curriculum and Technology (SG, MK, DN) – last met on March 27, 2023. Schedule for June or July.

ii. Facilities (KP, SG, MW) – last met on May 24, 2023.

iii. Finance (DS, DN, MW) – last met on June 5, 2023.

iv. Personnel (DN, DS, KP) – scheduled for June 19, 2023 @ 6 p.m., EES Conference Room.

v. Policy (MK, JS, KP) – scheduled for June 12, 2023 @ 7:30 p.m., EES Conference Room.

vi. Safety and Transportation (MK, JS, MW) – scheduled for June 19, 2023 @ 7 p.m., EES Library

vii. CESA 6 Legislative Breakfast – scheduled for June 16, 2023 from 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.

7. Unfinished Business: None

8. New Business:

a. Discussion with appropriate action regarding approval of:

i. Resignations/retirements

There are two (2) support staff resignations - Karen Stoffel (Kitchen) and Diana Hahn (CES Para).

ii. Hires

No new hires to report.

iii. Administrator Contracts 2023-24. Motion by Deb Senn, seconded by Danielle Neitzel to table until after closed session. Motion carried 7-0-0.

9. Items for Future Agenda and/or Research:

a. Board Member Requests for Information

i. Compeer Financial Grant / School Forest Plan - Shawna Henke

ii. New curriculum/mental health conditions. Assist students to understand the concerns they create for

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themselves with the increased use of technology (KP)

10. Closed Session - the Board convened into closed session at 8:57 p.m. Motion made by Keith Peters, seconded by Mike Weiss. Motion carried 7-0-0.

a. Approval of the following closed session meeting minutes:

i. May 18, 2023 Expulsion Hearing #1

ii. May 18, 2023 Expulsion Hearing #2

iii. May 18, 2023 Expulsion Hearing #3

iv. May 22, 2023

b. Discussion considering the employment, compensation, or performance of an employee over which the Board has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility.

c. Discussion considering strategies for school safety, crime prevention or detection.

11. The Board reconvened into open session at 10:05 p.m. Motion made by Sharon Gazzola, seconded by Keith Peters. Motion carried 7-0-0.

12. Motion by Deb Senn, seconded by Sharon Gazzola to accept the resignation of Michele (Shelley) Eilbes with deep regrets. Motion carried 6-0-1. Danielle Neitzel abstained.

13. Motion by Mike Weiss, seconded by Deb Senn to approve the Administrator Contracts for 2023-24 as presented. Motion carried 6-1-0. Danielle Neitzel voted against.

14. Motion to Adjourn by Deb Senn, seconded by Keith Peters at 10:07 p.m. Motion carried 7-0-0.

Respectfully submitted,
Sharon Gazzola,
Clerk
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Ethan Allen Community Club

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The Ethan Allen Community Club was a social group in the Town of Eden, but particularly South Eden. It included many farm wives, but that was not the requirement for admittance. The women from the South Eden vicinity participated in routine get-togethers, especially around the 1960s.

Members were young and old. For example, Clara Vandergrinten Majerus (1892-1967) was a member, as was Irene (Baumhardt) Majerus (1930-2015). But even daughters were invited to attend. For example, Jane Tonn (1926-2011) is pictured here with her daughter Doreen (Ruplinger). Given the different eras of which these women were born, the stories which were shared at these events had to cover many years of Eden history.

The name for the club comes from the Ethan Allen School, a one-room school house in the area of Highway F and Hilltop Drive, near the then Vincent Ryan Farm. However, it was adjacent to that Ryan farm – not on it. Over there on the west side of F (within Eden Township) was the Tony and

Marie Albert farm and Leo and Fern Reilly farm. This geographical tie to South Eden explains why Marie and Fern are in the picture.

The Golden Jubilee (1938) booklet of St. Mary's in Eden makes a reference of the first Catholic Mass in the area, which "was said at the home of Joseph Lawler near the present site of the Flood School house now known as the Ethan Allen School," (p. 5). It was called the Flood School, as the Flood family owned the land surrounding the school, this evidence is in both the 1874 and 1929 plat maps of Fond du Lac County in regard to that parcel. At the time of publication, I could not find why Ethan Allen then became a dominant label to that school. Perhaps it was the fact that the land surrounding the school, by the 1950s, was in the property of the Murphy family and no longer under a Flood. Ethan Allen is a hero from the Revolutionary War, but at the time of publication I could not find a reason why this name was chosen for the school, much less who chose it.

Membership to the local 1960s club was beyond the school. Dave Majerus provided a picture courtesy of his



Irene Majerus titles this picture, "The Ethan Allen Community Club-1968." She labeled everyone in the picture. Front row from left are "Marie Albert, Marian Zuehlke, Beatrice Smith, Jane Tonn, Little Doreen Ruplinger." Second row is labeled, "Luciene Peitz, Fern Ryan, Mae Seefeld, Meta Peitz, Lorraine Flood, Mayme Flood, Elsie Hanke, Fern Reilly, Olive Morgan, Dorothy Comins, Irene Majerus, Ellen St. Mary, Elaine Greget." PHOTO COURTESY: DAVID MAJERUS

mother Irene's collection. He said, "They just called it the Ethan Allen Club. Some of them went there [for school]; some of them didn't." He was unsure why they named the club after Ethan Allen, given not all went to that school. Irene Majerus, for example, went to Lafayette School on the hill on Highway F west of V. And some women were not born in Eden, like Fern Ryan, who was a Bonlender from St. Kilian.

One possible question is

whether this group's name related to the Woodside School Achievement Club or was similar in origin. On the opposite side of F (within the Town of Eden), Woodside School had a club for women, essentially a variant of a local PTA for rural women around Woodside. Did the Ethan Allen Club exist before the school closed in the 1950s? Or was the name a reference to local Eden women having a place to meet, but this time on the western side

of Highway F and in South Eden? It seems likely this club branched out over as a continuation of what once existed of the parent and/or neighbor group that helped the old Ethan Allen school function.

Dan Majerus recalled Lorraine (Goebel) Flood (1924-2015) being in it, as well as Bernice (Flood) Majerus (1927-1976), and said a bunch of the neighborhood ladies got together at least once a month. Bea Smith (1939-2018) was a member as well. Although her house eventually was out of what is defined by many as South Eden, she was Leo Reilly's daughter, and again was part of the crew that was raised in the lower portions of Eden Township. As Dan put it: "Pretty much every woman from South Eden was in it."

They socialized, played cards, and different women hosted the party. The meet ups were important, and were indicative of the old days when neighbors knew their neighbors well. "They got together for years and years and years," Dave said. Irene also took the time to meticulously write down everyone in the picture, which is dated 1968.



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| SPORTS |

Tribe Places Second in Battle of Omaha Tourney

The Kewaskum Tribe 14U went 3-1-1 in the Battle of Omaha Tournament held from June 22-24 in Nebraska. They played teams from Kansas, North Dakota, Colorado and Indiana, and battled hard through 90-degree heat. The team fell short in the championship game against the Howard County Cubs and took second place in the tournament. Front row from left are Cooper King, Levi Whitfield, Jace Wichtoski, Drew Stettbacher, and Kyle Haim. Second row from left are Wyatt Loehr, Colton Rabe, Alex Jacobson, Kingston Grisolono, Keegan Kell and Cullen Reis. Back row from left are Coaches Jim Jacobson, Glenn Grisolono and Dave Haim. **PHOTO CREDIT: LEVIATHAN WHITFIELD**



Practice Safe Swimming this Summer

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From swimming holes to lake beaches to the Great Lakes, Wisconsin has plenty of ways to enjoy the water each summer.

However you have fun, make sure to keep safety top of mind, especially for little ones; drowning is a leading cause of death in children ages one to four years old.

Here are a few things from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) to keep in mind:

Know Before You Go

- Before you head out, check online to find out if the swim area is currently monitored, is under advisory, or has been closed for health or safety reasons. This is especially important after heavy rain.

- If your body's ability to fight germs is already affected by other health problems or medicines, check with your healthcare provider before swimming in lakes, rivers and other natural bodies of water.

Stay Out of the Water If...

- Signs say the swim area is closed.
- The water looks cloudier than usual, is discolored, or smells bad. Cloudy water can be a warning that there are more germs in the water than normal. Discolored or smelly water could mean there is a harmful algal bloom (HAB) in

the water.

- You are sick with diarrhea. Germs in diarrhea can get in the water and make other swimmers sick if they swallow the contaminated water.

- You have an open cut or wound. If you do go in the water while a cut or wound is still healing, use waterproof bandages to completely cover.

Swimming Safely

- Supervise children closely. Assign an adult in your group to stay free from distraction to supervise swimmers.

- Remind children that swimming in open water is different from a pool.

- Avoid drinking alcohol when swimming.

- Use the buddy system.

- Avoid swimming if you take medications that impair your balance, coordination or judgment.

- Know if your medical condition might increase your risk of drowning, and take extra care.

- Lakes and rivers have hidden hazards such as dangerous currents or waves, rocks or vegetation and limited visibility. Check the forecast before participating in activities in, on or near water. Local weather conditions can change quickly and cause dangerous flash floods, strong winds and thunderstorms with lightning strikes.

Kettle Moraine Monday Night Ladies Horseshoe

June 19	YTD W/ L	Totals W/ L
Bahr Time	7/1	32/16
Outpost #1	3/5	30/18
Outpost #2	1/7	26/22
Trollops #1	5/3	30/18
Rusty Spur	4/4	27/21
Curve In #2	4/4	21/27
Jammer In	4/4	14/34
Curve In #1	4/4	12/36

Beechwood Sportsmen's Club

Thursday Trap League

June 22

Class A:

Fillmore Trap 8-0, Turner Electric 6-2, Gerken Spec. Mach. 5-3, Four Seasons Resort 4-4, AC Excavating 3-5.

Class B:

Trade Tech 5-3, Foundry 45 5-3, Beechwood Bunch 4-4, Twisted Pair 3-5, Schober & Associates 1-7.

24x25: Tom Schodron, Jim Liermann, John Reigle, Ron Kempf, Doug Neumann, Scott Ebert, Joe Beyer, Carl Turner, Mike Vetter, Gary Sina, Gary Schmidt, Ken Beckford, Randy Walter.

25x25: Donny Zimmel, Tim Jacak, Al Heberer, Jim Hodge, Jim Rosenthal, Matt Neumann, Dan Guntow.

49x50: Jim Rosenthal, Matt Neumann.

124x125: Randy Walter.

| VOLLEYBALL SCORES |

Friday Volleyball - June 16

BMH Manufacturing 36-4; Team 4 15-9; Kadens Kennels 7-17; Kiss My Ace 5-27.

Tuesday Volleyball - June 20

Artsy Fartsy 30-18, Haunted Beavers 30-18, Krebs Chiropractic 22-26, JK Rentals 18-30, Berres Unlimited 10-38, Sibernagel Group 10-38.



Jim Geiger of Kewaskum waves from his booth at Party On The Pavement in Kewaskum on June 20. **ANNE TRAUTNER PHOTO**



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PRESENTS Athlete Spotlight

Hunter Loser – Kewaskum Indians

Name: Hunter Loser
School: Kewaskum High School
Sport: Baseball
What are your college aspirations?
 I would like to play college baseball.
What is your dream job?
 To play pro-baseball
Favorite TV show:
Family Guy
Favorite song:
 Anything by Zach Bryan or Bailey Zimmerman

What is one place you would like to visit?
Yellowstone
Favorite coach:
 My dad
What is your favorite hobby outside of school?
 Weight lifting because it is fun.
Sweet or Sour?
 Sweet
What is your least favorite chore?
 Cleaning my room
Who is a celebrity you would like to meet?
 I would like to meet the Rock because I like his movies.

Favorite superhero:
 Superman
Do you have a nickname and how did you get it?
 I received the name Hulk at a baseball tournament when I was younger.
Early bird or night owl?
 Night owl
Favorite cereal:
 Cap'n Crunch peanut butter



CONGRATULATIONS ALL-STATE 1ST TEAM CATCHER



Kewaskum catcher Hunter Loser receives a First Team All-State recognition. Loser led the team in nearly every offensive category this season hitting .456 with two home runs and 29 RBIs. He is committed to play baseball at UW-Stevens Point this coming fall. **PHOTO CREDIT: KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT**

K.H.S. Set to Hire Jacob Steger as next Girls' Basketball Coach

STATESMAN STAFF

Jacob Steger has spent the majority of his coaching career on staff and at the helm of recognizable programs: Cedarburg, UW-Washington County and Mayville, just to name a few.

Now, the Southeast Wisconsin native – he has roots in Slinger and lives in West Bend – will join last year's girls Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association Division 3 championship program: the Kewaskum Indians.

Announced last week, Steger's hire is expected to be approved by the Kewaskum School District Board of Education during a July meeting.

Former Kewaskum girls Head Coach Mark Maley, who led the Indians to a state title in his one-and-only year as the leader, retired from the role back in April.

"My time as the head coach was brief, but I will always cherish my

time with the finest group of young women a 25-year-coach could ever imagine coaching," said Maley this spring.

Steger, who is currently a second-grade teacher for Milwaukee Public Schools, has more than one dozen years under his belt as an educator, and he will bring to Kewaskum a fresh perspective on hoops after a short break the last few years; married and with two young children, Steger spent the last two seasons away from the game to be closer with his family.

His last head coaching role was with the Flyway Conference boys Mayville Cardinals (2012-2017).

For Steger, it will be exciting to come into a

renaissance program that just enjoyed its first state title, but he said his priority in picking Kewaskum was that the high school put the student first in crafting student/athletes.

"I've always admired Kewaskum's ability to compete but, as a small community, to be strong academically... that's where you want to build a basketball program," he said, giving credit to previous coaches Russ Thull and Maley for creating a winning culture that celebrates high achievement in the classroom and on the court. "It's definitely a place where student/athletes are both."

More on Steger and the coaching transition will be in a future edition.

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The Arizona-Canadian Connection

SELINA WALTERS
COLUMNIST

This week, I am taking over the column to fill you all in with recent life updates and new developments in my education/professional development.

Last week, my dad flew into Schultz Lake in Ontario, Canada; meanwhile, I am 1,400 miles to the southwest, near Whiteriver, Arizona, sitting outside with a temperature of 79 but UV index of 10.

I am here for the summer working for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) as a member of the Apache Trout Conservation crew, but I will get into more of those details later on.

Before I get too far ahead of myself, I want to update you all on my senior year at UW-Stevens Point (UWSP) and all of the activities I had going on during the school year. During the last few weeks of summer 2022, the wildlife biologist out at the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge, Brad Strobel, reached out to me wondering if I would be interested in helping teach the middle school students at Necedah N-Gage academy about natural resources and, specifically, stream ecology. This was truly a full-circle-moment for me as the wildlife refuge has been very impact-

ful to me and had a major influence on my decision to pursue a career in natural resources. I also spent all of my K-12 education in Necedah.

Throughout the year, I visited Necedah twice a month to deliver lessons and help students create science projects comparing a restored and ditched portion of the Little Yellow River that flows through the refuge. Students were in the Little Yellow River starting in late March, and, as you could imagine, there were many filled waders, (including mine) and the water was cold! All of the students were troopers, though, and there were few complaints; many memories made by all.

This year I was the vice president of our student sub unit of the American Fisheries Society (AFS). With this role, I organized the speakers for our weekly meetings, which were made up of many fish biologists from Wisconsin and also the rest of the U.S. Perhaps most memorable was one from the Grand Canyon who said he grew up in Wisconsin and spent a lot of time in Necedah fishing on Castle Rock Lake. AFS also presents many unique opportunities like helping work up lake sturgeon when they spawn in

the spring, broomball and attending the Wis. AFS Conference where we got to hear about fisheries research happening throughout the state.

For the second year in a row, I participated in undergraduate research at UW-SP. This year my project focused on the influence of riparian habitat (area between fully aquatic and terrestrial habitat) on brook trout prey availability, diet and body condition. Essentially, I was looking to see if land use had any effect on the bugs available for brook trout to eat, what they were actually eating and, in turn, the size of brook trout in that stretch of stream. The work associated with this project lasted the duration of the year with field work beginning in the fall, processing samples in the lab throughout the fall and winter and creating my actual project during the winter and spring.

Research was initially something I was very intimidated by and I did not think I would be able to complete it, but it has led to some of my most impactful learning experiences and I am very grateful to have had the opportunities to do it.

UWSP and the Aquatic Biomonitoring Lab (ABL) have turned me into quite the aquat-

ic bug nerd, and I continued my job at the ABL this last year and was even promoted to Quality Control Officer. Jeff Dimick runs the ABL and has been a huge mentor during my time at UWSP, he may have even turned me into a bit of a "crazy bug lady", as a dream career for me would involve aquatic macroinvertebrates, though they are not easy to find.

For right now though, I am (mostly) out of the school mindset and enjoying my time working down in Arizona. As I said earlier, I am working for the USFWS as a part of the Apache Trout Conservation crew.

Apache trout are native to the White Mountains of Arizona and have a very small range. Non-native brook and brown trout outcompete and prey on Apache trout, and they are currently listed as threatened on the Endangered Species List. As a part of the crew, it is my job to electrofish some of the streams where they are present to perform population surveys and remove non-native species (this means sending the brook and brown trout to their maker).

I'm running low on room, but long story short: this academic year was the most challenging but rewarding year, yet. I am down in Arizona climbing mountains in the snow (it has been cooler here than it has been in Wis. most of the time I've been here) to go and work with a threatened

fish species!

I will write again at the end of summer to

fill you in with more details about my job!
Sunset



Selina Walters with a nice sized Apache Trout
SELINA WALTERS PHOTOS



Selina, left, performs gastric lavage, a non-lethal way to collect diet samples, on a brook trout for her research project conducted this prior year.



Dinosaurs! Selina Walters, on left, working up lake sturgeon during the spawning period. It is hard and dirty work.

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