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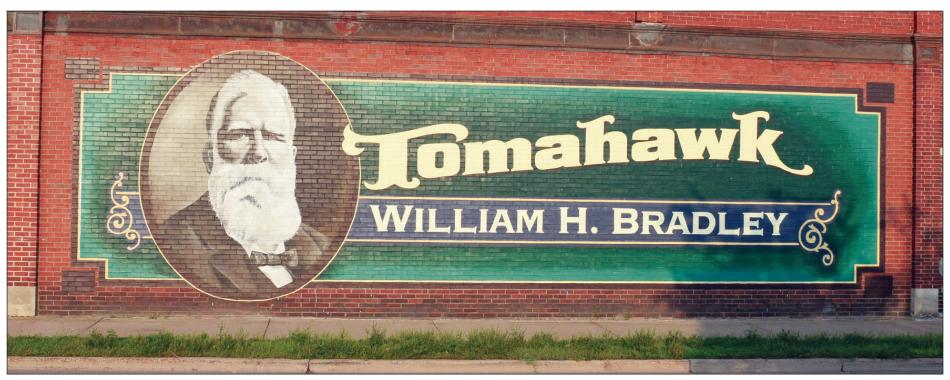
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Mural Revitalization Project

Back in 2003, a large mural depicting Tomanawk founder William H. Bradley was painted on the west side of the Standard Mercantile building downtown, facing N. Tomanawk Ave. The mural had been worn from the weather and sun over the years, so Custom Murals' Andy Goretski, an artist who contributed to the original project, is working to breathe new life into the piece of Tomahawk history. The project, spearheaded Tomahawk Main Street Inc., is estimated to carry a roughly \$9,000.00 price tag. Main Street Executive Director Jennifer Turkiewicz said the organization is accepting donations from those interested in sponsoring the project. Donors are listed on Main Street's website, and the organization is currently brainstorming ways to recognize contributors near the mural. Photo by Jalen Maki To make a donation to the mural revitalization project, visit www.tinyurl.com/5n6jn4jy.



Pine Crest Nursing Home in Merrill.

County board rejects resolution seeking to put Pine Crest funding referendum on Spring Election ballots

BY JALEN MAKI TOMAHAWK LEADER **EDITOR**

MERRILL - The Lincoln County Board of Supervisors last week rejected a resolution that would have allowed voters to decide whether or not they want to financially support operations and maintenance at Pine Crest Nursing Home.

The resolution, which failed by a 13-9 vote during the board's meeting at the Lincoln County Service Center in Merrill on Tuesday, Aug. 15, sought to place a binding referendum on 2024 Spring Election ballots.

Under the proposed referendum, if it had made it onto ballots next April and had been approved by voters, Lincoln County would have been allowed to exceed levy limits by \$3 million per year for ten years to fund operations and maintenance at Pine Crest Nursing Home in Merrill.

The referendum would have had a tax impact of \$85.14 per \$100,000.00 of equalized value of private property, according to the resolution.

The rejection of the resolution comes about three months after the board approved a resolution directing the county's Administrative and Legislative

(A&L) Committee to begin the process of securing the services of a broker to put Pine Crest up for sale.

In June, the A&L Committee voted to recommend Marcus & Millichap as the broker to represent Lincoln County in the event the board moves forward with selling the county-owned facility, which has experienced millions of dollars in financial losses in recent years.

Pine Crest did not appear on the county board's July meeting agenda. The A&L Committee discussed Pine Crest and Marcus & Millichap contract negations in closed session, per Wisconsin statutes, on Wednesday, Aug. 2, but did not take any action after returning to open session.

The sale of Pine Crest was one of several options presented to the board by an ad hoc committee that was established in June 2022 and tasked with coming up with actions Lincoln County could take regarding the facility's future.

In a May letter to Pine Crest residents, District 9 Supervisor and Board Chair Don Friske said the board had narrowed its options down to either drafting a referendum question

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Dana Miller will serve as the new Supervisor for Lincoln County's District 16, which covers Wards 5 and 6 in the City of Tomahawk, as well as Ward 3 in the Town of Bradley.

Dana Miller sworn in as new District 16 Supervisor

BY JALEN MAKI TOMAHAWK LEADER **EDITOR**

MERRILL - A new mem-

ber of the Lincoln County as District 16 Supervisor Board of Supervisors took the oath of office last week.

Dana Miller was sworn in

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during the board's meeting at the Lincoln County Service Center in Merrill on Tuesday, Aug. 15.

District 16 covers Wards 5 and 6 in the City of Tomahawk, as well as Ward 3 in the Town of Bradlev.

Miller will serve the remainder of former Supervisor Michael Loka's term, which ends on April 15, 2024. Loka, who had served on the board for more than 30 years, retired from the post in





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Longtime printer Louie Heuser was the guest speaker at last week's Tomahawk Area Historical

Tomahawk Area Historical Society taps longtime printer Louie Heuser as luncheon guest speaker

FOR THE TOMAHAWK **LEADER**

TOMAHAWK - Longtime printer Louie Heuser was the guest speaker at this year's Tomahawk Area Historical Society Speaker Luncheon, held on Tuesday, Aug. 15 at Inshalla Country Club in Tomahawk.

Heuser recently retired after running his own print shop in the Town of Nokomis. Prior to that, he worked at the Tomahawk Leader for many years.

During the luncheon, Heuser shared stories about his experiences and local history though displays, including Letterpress print blocks of old business logos, people and buildings. Bound volumes of the Tomahawk Leader and one of the books of clippings of local business histories, compiled by local historian Elaine Koth, were available to view.

Those in attendance were also shown a video about linotype machines, which Thomas Edison referred to as the "Eighth Wonder of the World." Heuser still operates one



Bound volumes of the Tomahawk Leader were available to view

of two linotypes and continues to hold onto the pieces of equipment that revolutionized the printing of books and newspapers.

Historical Society members hope Heuser's antique printing equipment can be saved and showcased in a local museum one day.

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The Summer Knights Car Club recently sponsored a new bench placed in Veterans Memorial Park.



Photos courtesy of Art Moritz

Summer Knights Car Club sponsors new bench in Veterans Memorial Park

BY JALEN MAKI TOMAHAWK LEADER EDITOR

TOMAHAWK – A group of local car enthusiasts recently sponsored a new bench that was placed in a Tomahawk park.

Art Moritz, Founder and President of the Summer

Knights Car Club, said the proceeds to install the bench came from the several annual car shows the club is involved in, including the club's own Father's Day weekend event.

Each year, the 80-plusmember club chooses area charities to make donations to. In years past, the Summer Knights Car Club has contributed to the Tomahawk Food Pantry, Our Sisters' House homeless shelter and the Lincoln County Humane Society.

This year, the club decided to donate funds to the Fredrick Place home-

less shelter in Rhinelander, along with sponsoring a bench in Veterans Memorial Park in Tomahawk.

Moritz said the club plans to donate a similar bench elsewhere in the near future.

"Our donations (are) of no less than \$500.00, which seems like not much, but it all helps in different ways," Moritz stated, noting that as long as the club's shows continue to be popular among automobile fans, the club will be able to continue its

community involvement.

Moritz said he is appreciative of the Tomahawk

community.

"When we go out for sponsorship, the Tomahawk businesses are very generous and have supported our club each and every year," he stated. "We would like to thank them all, who keep our efforts and mission on track."

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OBITUARIES

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Terry L. Scholz, 62, of Toma hawk, passed away Sunday Aug. 13, 2023 at the Aspirus Tomahawk Hospital after a long and courageous nine-year battle with cancer.

Terry was born June 23, 1961 in Tomahawk, the daughter of Phillip Kleinfeldt and Janet (Jaecks) Rysdon. She was the oldest of three children. Terry was employed as a janitor a the Tomahawk School District for 19 years and dearly enjoyed all students and faculty that she served. She was a

member of the Vineyard Church. Terry enjoyed working with her husband on the family farm raising chickens, bee cattle and pigs. She enjoyed watching the birds fill their bellies, campfires, fishing, gardening and canning. Terry was an exceptional baker, a cook who would leave your mouth watering and craving those meals for days. Her Faith was so strong and she would pray for anyone at the drop of a hat She was a wonderful friend, an exceptional mother and would bend over backwards to help anyone. Her grandchil dren held such a special place in her heart; she loved spend ing time with them doing crafts, telling stories, sharing the Love that God has for them, laughing and showering them

She was united in marriage on Oct. 6, 1979 to Arthur Scholz and he preceded her in death Feb. 13, 2019. Surviving are daughters, Christina (Todd) Copiskey; Jennifer (Matthew) Derleth; son, Eric Scholz; brother-in-law, Gerald "Jerry" Kottke; and four grandchildren, Caden, Alison, Avery

She was preceded in death by her parents; step-mother, Jane Kleinfeldt; husband of 40 years, Arthur; sister, Lisa Kottke and a brother, Carl Kleinfeldt.

Services were held at 11 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 18, 2023 at Northwoods Vineyard Church, Tomahawk, with Pastor Ross Nelson officiating. Visitation was held from 9 a.m. to time of services at church. Burial followed at Spirit Falls Cemetery. Krueger Nimsgern Funeral and Cremation Service cared for the family. You may view the obituary and share online condolences at www.kruegerfamilyfuneral.com.

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WE PLAN - GOD LAUGHS

This has been the year of class reunions for both my wife and me. She celebrated her 55th, and I, my 63rd. One of the things that I always find interesting is how many of us ended up in careers that were different than what we had planned in High School. There is an old Yiddish proverb that says: "man plans and God laughs." I think that is based on Proverbs 16:9 which says: "the human mind plans the way but God directs the steps."

As I visited with classmates, they would tell me that they had one plan but God had another and God was right! Most were very glad that God had directed them to a different career. Jeremiah 29:11 says "I know the plans I have for you says the Lord..." God is reminding us of Who is in charge.

The other insight has to do with the concept of reunions themselves. We can have a reunion with Christ every day. He is always ready to listen to our concerns, our joys, our sorrows and he promises to give us that rest and peace of mind that we so often seek (Matt 11: 28-30). The beautiful thing about a reunion with Christ is that it doesn't matter how long we've been gone – we're always welcome to return.

Do you need a reunion with Christ? If so, just return to him in prayer. He'll be listening and you won't even have to leave home as I did to attend my reunion in New York. I know you will be welcome and you will feel right at home.

So, if you need a reminder of who's in charge of your life – go to a class reunion. You made plans – God laughed...and led you down the path He designed for you!



Submitted by **Dennis Mannering** Volunteer Outreach Pastor First Congregational Church 109 E. Washington

Class action lawsuit filed against Ahlstrom-Rhinelander, 3M seeks to recoup PFAS-related costs

BY EILEEN PERSIKE MMC STAFF

RHINELANDER - A class action lawsuit has been filed against Ahlstrom-Rhinelander paper mill and 3M for their alleged roles in "contaminating private well drinking water in Oneida County" with PFAS chemicals in the area around the Town of Stella east of Rhinelander.

The website www.busi-

nesswire.com reports a law firm based in Dallas, Tex., is handling the case, which was filed on behalf of six residents on Wednesday, Aug. 9 in the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Wis-

The lawsuit alleges the application of waste from the paper mill onto farmland in the county caused the contamination in nearby private wells. These PFAS chemicals

Ronald (Ron) Harold Nicklaus passed away on Monday, Aug. 7, 2023, at the Aspirus Hospice House in Wausau. He was born on Feb. 9, 1936, in San Jacinto, Calif. Son of Elmer Nicklaus and Jessie (Cottrell) Nicklaus. Ron's parents moved from

Irma, Wis., to San Jacinto Calif., in 1934. Jessie had family living in California. They returned to Wisconsin in 1937 and purchased a dairy farm from Henry Magnuson in 1942 where Ron was raised along

with his sister, Jeanette Jensen. It was their first home that had electricity and real Christmas lights. Ron attended Tug Lake School, a one-room school with 12 students, grades 1st through 8th grade. The school was just up the hill from the family farm where his father, Elmer would make the fire in the morning every winter before milking the cows. Ron graduated from Merrill High School in 1954. He attended the University of Wisconsin Marathon campus for two years and worked at Weinbrenner Shoe Company in Merrill.

In 1958, he was drafted into the Army and received basic training in Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and trained in the army at Fort Knox, Ky. In 1961, Ron had to report to Fort Lewis Wash. While stationed at Fort Lewis, Tacoma, Wash., he would come into Seattle, where he met Ellen (Kay) Delmore on a blind date. They fell deeply in love and later married in Duluth, Minn., on Nov. 16, 1962. They traveled the world to-

Ron was a dreamer, visionary, and entrepreneur. He founded a custom bean harvesting business, Nicklaus Enterprises in 1956, that supplied green beans for the canning industry Ron convinced his parents to sell the 30 head of cattle that they owned and borrow as much as they could against the farm to start the business. This business grew into a company that harvested over 36,000 acres of beans a year in nine different states. Most of the harvesting was done in Wisconsin. As he grew the harvesting operation, he developed 6,000 acres of irrigated land in central Wisconsin near Coloma. The business made him the largest supplier of green beans in the world. He also grew potatoes, corn, cucumbers, sunflow

Banking played a huge role in the growth of Ron's business and as a result, he became very interested in the banking industry. In 1982, he sold the harvesting business and land he had developed and bought controlling interest in River Val-ley State Bank in Rothschild, Wis. He also acquired New London National Bank and Farmers State Bank, both located in Wisconsin. His philosophy was that every customer, business, and community is unique, which allowed his banking business to grow and flourish along with the communities they served. The bank was changed to IncredibleBank in 2019 and is currently the fourth largest privately owned community bank in the state.

Ron loved his family and loved life. This was evident in the time he spent with his children and grandchildren, making up games, telling stories, fishing, hunting, golfing in Florida going to the Fair, and just about anything else a kid would love to do. All who knew Ron were aware of his passion for birds, flowers, the farm, old tractors and cars, and Old Camp 2 (hunting camp). The last 10 years, on any given day during summer, you can find him at the farm tending to the crops visiting his crew for lunch, fixing equipment, and making connections with all the generations that worked at the farm He was most proud that all the produce from the farm was given away to employees, customers, neighbors, food pantries, and other organizations in need. Ron loved to give and he was so proud he could do this.

He served on numerous business and community boards: Greenheck Group (27 years), Weinbrenner Shoe Company (33 years), Rainbo Lodge, Dealer's Credit, Good Samaritan Hospital (Merrill), Aspirus Healthcare System, Wausau Benefits, IncredibleBank, River Valley Bancorporation.

Survivors include his wife, Kay (Delmore) of more than 60 years, two sons, Todd (Camille), and Gregory (Darcey), and six grandsons, Steven (Elizabeth), Michael, Christopher, Tanner, Connor, and River, and nephews, Nicky (Lisa) Jensen and Mark (Cathy) Jensen, and brother-in-law, Wilhelm Jensen. He was preceded in death by his parents, Elme and Jessie (Cottrell) Nicklaus, and sister Jeanette Jensen. Aspirus Hospice House was a huge gift to our family. The

care Ron received was tender, gentle, and joyful. The nurses and volunteers were angels, and we are so thankful.

A visitation will be held at Waid Funeral Home, Merrill, on Friday, Aug. 25, 2023, from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. A visitation will continue on Saturday, Aug. 26, 2023 at St. Paul Ev. Lutheran Church, N6537 Old Hwy. 51, Irma, at 10 a.m. with a church service at 11 a.m. Rev. David J. Sutton will officiate. Due to the space being limited at the church, there will be both indoor and outdoor seating for those who wish to attend. Interment will take place at Woodlawn Cemetery in the Town of Rock Falls immediately following the service. Military honors will be performed by the VFW Post 1638 and the U.S.

Donations can be made in Ron's memory to the Merrill Historical Society, Merrill Public Library, and Aspirus Hospice

Waid Funeral Home & Cremation Service of Merrill is as sisting the family with arrangements. Online condolences are encouraged and may be made at www.waidfuneral.com.

were produced and sold by 3M Company.

"It is Ahlstrom's policy not to comment in detail on open litigation," Addie Teeters, head of marketing communications and public affairs for Ahlstrom North America, told the Northwoods Star Journal. "While we are still reviewing the complaint, it appears to focus on activities that are alleged to have occurred prior to Ahlstrom's acquisition of the mill in

According to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR), more than half the private wells tested for PFAS in Stella have come back positive for what are called "forever chemicals."

Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances are man-made chemicals used to create nonstick, stain resistant and waterproof products. They are called forever chemicals because they don't break down and spread easily, contaminating groundwater, surface

Some of the highest levels of PFAS in the country are found in the Stella area. The Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) says anything more than 20 parts per trillion (ppt.) is unsafe; some of the wells tested in Stella were as high as 35,000

The lawsuit seeks to recoup costs associated with remediation/access to clean water, past and future water testing, loss of use and enjoyment of property and decreases in property value.



Gordon J. Erickson Jr., 78, a longtime Tomahawk area resi dent, passed away Saturday Aug. 12, 2023 at Aspirus Wausau Hospital. Gordy was born June 25, 1945 in Toma hawk to Gordon and Dorothy (Liberty) Erickson Sr.

He received his Bachelor's degree from UW-Madison in Physical Education and taught in Tomahawk for 32 years, retiring in 2000. He then was known as the "paper guy" as he delivered papers in the area for many years. Gordy also

raised veal calves for 14 years. Gordy had an illustrious career coaching in Tomahawk and holds a place in both the Wisconsin State Coaching Hall of Fame and the Tomahawk Hatchet Hall of Fame.

Survivors include his children, Michael Erickson, Hudson Wis.; Matthew (Cathy) Erickson, Prairie Farm, Wis.; Rebecca (Luke) Schwanz, Birnamwood, Wis.; and Rachel (Joshua) Fettes, Eau Claire, Wis. Gordy is further survived by his wife, Anna; a sister, Joy (Mike) Goes of Tomahawk; a brother, Larry (Barb) Erickson, five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

A Memorial Service for Gordy Erickson will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 27 at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, N3010 County Rd. K in Merrill, Wis. The family will receive friends at the Kingdom Hall.

Krueger Nimsgern Funeral and Cremation Service is caring for the family. You may view the obituary and share online condolences at www.kruegerfamilyfuneral.com.

To plant a beautiful memorial tree in memory of Gordon Er ickson, please visit our Tree Store (www.tinyurl.com 3d98j79y).



Kari L. Krueger, age 67 passed away on Sunday, Aug. 20, 2023 at Marshfield Medical Center - Marshfield with her family by her side.

Kari was born on Jan. 9, 1956 in Milwaukee. She was the first child to Earl and Marion (Alberg) Holm. On Nov. 1 1980 she married John Krueger in Tomahawk. Kari attended nursing school and devoted her life to taking care of people. Over the years, Kari worked as a nurse in various roles, including AODA, emergency care,

memory and dementia care, geriatric care, school nurse and most recently, she was a nursing instructor for Nicolet College. She loved her nursing students like her own kids. Kari was a lifelong learner and achieved her masters of nursing

Kari loved taking family trips. She enjoyed her time spent at her cabin, gardening. Most of all, Kari loved time spent with her family. She was the best Nana to her grandkids, and always up for an arts and crafts project with them.

Kari will forever be remembered by her family, her students who carry her "worry stones" and everyone who she painted a rock for.

Kari is survived by her husband - John Krueger of Tomahawk; three daughters - Katie (John) Hirt, Karen (Chad) Gauerke and Karolyn (Steve) Schrammel; brother - Chuck Holm; sisters – Amy (Michael) Kilgore, Karen (Todd) Toppen and Sarah (Terry) Barttelt. She is further survived by her nine grandchildren – Charlee, Jacee, Harrison, Corrina, Mack, Elyse, Joey, Natalie and Emilia.

Preceded in death by her two babies who died in infancy – Kortney and Timothy; and her parents - Marion and Earl

The Funeral Service for Kari Krueger will take place at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 26, 2023 at Grace Lutheran Church in Tomahawk. Pastor Julie Sinkula will officiate. Visitation will take place on Friday, Aug. 25 at the Krueger-Nimsgern Funeral Home, Tomahawk, from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. Visitation will continue on Saturday from 10 a.m. until the time of service at 11 a.m. Burial will take place in Calvary Ceme-

A memorial scholarship in Kari's name will be set up to ben-

efit CNAs and nursing students. Krueger – Nimsgern Funeral Home and Cremation Services is assisting the family with arrangements. You may view the full obituary and leave online condolences at www.krueger familyfuneral.com.

Local youth actors, actresses take part in Tomahawk Community Theater workshop, play

FOR THE TOMAHAWK **LEADER**

TOMAHAWK - The Tomahawk Community Theater offered its first Children's Theater Workshop last month.

The workshop began on Monday, July 10 and culminated with a performance of the comedy play "The Fairy Tale Network" at VFW Post 2687 in Tomahawk on Friday, July 21.

A total of 11 aspiring actors and actresses in grades 3 through 8 participated in the workshop.

Pam Theiler Wise of the Tomahawk Community Theater explained that the "The Fairy Tale Network" focuses on a television network that needs to improve its viewership ratings with exciting new programming.

"The three mice, working as creative consultants for the studio, each must come up with a story idea to pitch to their new chief, the Cat, and they need to pitch their ideas fast before they become a fancy feast," she said. "They retell the wellknown tales of Little Red Riding Hood, The Three Little Pigs and Goldilocks and the Three Bears, but now with new and unexpected twists."

The show's cast and crew are as follows: Everett Hau, Cat and BB Wolf; Tilly Van Asten, First Mouse and Goldilocks; Simon Campbell, Second Mouse and Wolf One; Jordy Kelly, Third Mouse; Amelie Lafleur, Little Yellow Riding Hood and Momma Bear; Micah Cerkas, Jimmy Links and Baby Bear; Noah Bixby, Dean Links and Stuffy Waiter; Elton Hau, Sausage Links and Poppa Bear; Haylee Korzinek,



A total of 11 aspiring actors and actresses in grades 3 through 8 took part in the Tomahawk Community Theater's first Children's Theatre Workshop last month.

Photos courtesy of the Tomahawk Community Theater



Mother Pig; Apollo Davis, Head Busy Bee and Adopted Wolf; Melah Freeman, Assistant Busy Bee; Terry Bucaro, Director; Kailey Cerny and Ella Hilgendorf, Student Directors; Pam Theiler Wise, Pat McLain and Kathy Rechsteiner, Director Assistants; Claudia Osero, Pat McLain, Michele Balda and the Tomahawk High School Drama Department, props and costumes; Jim Wise, set design and construction; John Ramsey, sound

and light controller; and George Van Asten, piano plaver.

The Tomahawk Community Theater thanked play sponsors Jeannette Gregory, Mary Smith, Mary Lou Voermans and Joan Laabs, as well as Patty and Bob Soward from VFW Post 2687.

Those interested in supporting the Children's Workshop Theater Project or the Tomahawk Community Theatre can mail donations to Tomahawk Community Theater, P.O.



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PINE CREST

FROM PAGE 1

asking Lincoln County taxpayers to support Pine Crest operations and maintenance or exploring the sale of the facility to a privately-owned, skilled nursing home care provider.

With the proposed referendum resolution's failure, Pine Crest's future remains uncertain.

Public comment period

A large portion of last week's roughly two-and-ahalf-hour meeting was focused on Pine Crest.

The meeting was wellattended by members of the public, with several individuals holding signs with messages in support of the proposed referendum.

Prior to the vote on the resolution, about a dozen people utilized the meeting's public comment period to voice their support for Lincoln County's continued ownership of Pine Crest and the proposed referendum.

Dr. Laurie Wolf said she and her husband each had more than 30 years of medical experience in the area. Her husband was previously employed at Pine Crest.

Wolf called Pine Crest "local treasure where community members have been diligent and caring for patients from their own community, and sometimes their own families."

Judy Woller told the board she had spoken to residents of each of Lincoln County's 22 Supervisory Districts.

"I have not found anybody who wants to have Pine Crest sold," she stated.

Woller said she hoped the board would "vote for what's good for the people in Pine Crest and what's good for the people in Lincoln County.'

"They deserve nothing better than that," Woller said. "That's why they elected you to represent them."

Irene Mehlos told the board that if Pine Crest were to be sold to a private. for-profit entity, "the county and the people will lose any say over what happens to it in the future."

"There is no guarantee it will remain a skilled nursing home, much less a fivestar rated one, when it does not bring the desired profit," she said.

Mehlos said area seniors "are not for profit."

"If you ask them, if you ask us, the people here care about what happens to our seniors, and we care about each other," she stated. "This referendum is how you ask them. If you choose to support it, I believe history will look favorably on you as a county board who faced difficult challenges, listened

to the people and responded to their needs. If not, if it's just about finding the easiest path forward to get in the black for the short term, the problem will only grow as our population ages. To sell Pine Crest is to sell out on the people."

Todd Frederick voiced his support for the proposed referendum, saying the roughly \$85.00 tax impact for \$100,000.00 of assessed value over the course of ten vears is "a small price to pay if it means Pine Crest will be here for generations.'

"This is too big for just the board to make the decision," Frederick stated. 'The citizens should have the right to decide this issue. Let them vote, and then we will all know the direction people want."

Discussion, vote

The board's discussion on the resolution, authored by District 6 Supervisor Norbert Ashbeck and co-sponsored by District 22 Supervisor Greg Hartwig, began a little over an hour into the meeting

In providing a brief overview of the resolution, Ashbeck said he originally looked at a 20-year plan. Ashbeck explained that Lincoln County Maintenance Director Patrick Gierl estimated that maintenance costs over that period of

time would total around \$20 million. Most of the work would need to occur within a decade, leading to Ashbeck crafting a ten-year pro-

Ashbeck said that after taking care of necessary improvements over the ten-year referendum, there would "hopefully" be less "because capital outlay most of the stuff would be newer."

"I feel the people should have a voice to vote," Ashbeck stated.

By voting in support of the resolution, Ashbeck added the board itself would not be raising taxes.

"A 'yes' means we're giving the people in Lincoln County the choice to vote whether they want to raise taxes or not," he stated.

A proposed amendment seeking to raise the referendum request from \$3 million per year to \$4.5 million per year failed after receiving an 11-11 tie vote.

Another proposed amendment, which sought to hold the referendum later this year rather than next spring, was also rejected. Lincoln County Clerk Chris Marlowe said the earliest the county could have held the referendum would have been around mid-November, under State statutes. Marlowe estimated this would have a carried a

roughly \$30,000.00 price tag for the county.

Upon returning to discussion on the original resolution, District 21 Supervisor Eugene Simon said that although he "(doesn't) like the idea of Pine Crest going away," maintaining county ownership of the facility is a "losing proposition" from a fiscal standpoint.

'If the referendum fails, Pine Crest closes," Simon stated, adding that in regard to a potential referendum, "you're playing with fire, in my opinion. ... Remember, that if the referendum succeeds, there will be more referendums down the road. ... I'm willing to tell you that \$85.00 a year is a pipe dream. It is not going to stop there, because costs are increasing."

Simon opined that the county's best course of action is to sell Pine Crest.

"This is way too early, in my estimation, to run a referendum," he said. "Power to the people, but be careful what you ask for, because I think other voters, those not here tonight, are probably not going to be real happy about their taxes going up, nor are the developers or the businesses."

District 13 Supervisor Calvin Callahan said he was

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"a little wary of a referendum" because he was "not satisfied with the \$3 million number."

"We have heard why that number is not sufficient, and I feel as if we are going to be in the same boat ten years down the road, making this decision again," he stated.

Callahan said his goal is to "keep the services that Pine Crest offers here in Merrill, to keep the doors open for all citizens to use when that time comes and to keep the people that are employed under Pine Crest employed for hopefully longer than ten years."

Callahan added that he believed the board's decision would be "based on those three pieces of criteria."

"You may not be happy with it, but I know what I'm going to be voting to do, and that's because I know it's going to be the right choice to ensure that all of you who are residents at Pine Crest can remain there and the people that need to go there in the future have a place to go." he stated.

District 14 Supervisor Brian Hafeman noted that

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Spirit-Hill-Ogema 4-H holds 81st annual

FOR THE TOMAHAWK **LEADER**

TOWN OF SPIRIT - A total of 19 youths took part in the 81st annual Spirit-Hill-Ogema 4-H Fair earlier this month.

The fair was held at the Spirit Town Hall on Friday, Aug. 11 and Saturday, Aug, 12, where members of the Hillbillies, Happy Hoboes and Hamburg Hawks clubs exhibited more than 300 en-

Twenty-plus volunteers served as department superintendents and judges at the

Spirit Historical Society members offered tours of Our Yesterday House throughout the day Saturday, and Historical displays about previous fairs were set up in the hall.

A release from the clubs said many community members viewed the indoor exhibits, watched the live animal judging and enjoyed the brat fry-style lunch, along with popcorn and ice cream served up by club members and parents.

"Adults and children participated in afternoon games, including tug-of-war, nail pounding and bicycle stop-on-a-dime," the release stated. "An evening program included entertaining skits from the participating 4-H clubs, presentation of trophies and acknowledgement of merit winners, and announcements of game winners."

Reigning queen jsa Lind crowned Hillbillies member Chloe Cummings, daughter of Todd and Joni



2023 Fair Queen Chloe Cummings.

Cummings, the 2023 Fair Queen.

2023 Spirit-Hill-Ogema 4-H Fair special merit ribbon and trophy winners, by club, are as follows:

Hamburg Hawks

Derek Schult: Merit - selfportrait colored with coffee.

Katelyn Schult: Trophy (Photography Best of Show) and Merit - color bird enlargement, Merit - color photo collection of shape, pattern, and texture, Merit 4 color close-up photos, Merit - color fall scene photo, Merit - color reflection photo, Merit - color pet enlargement, Merit - water bottle label.

Happy Hoboes

Ben Kielsmeier: Merit -

Charlie Kielsmeier: Merit – plant started this year by exhibitor.

Fletcher Walcisak: Merit article made from recycled materials, Merit – ceramic



Kreinus with hedgehog and Madeline Kreinus with her bearded dragon.

Hillbillies

Ahnalie Berg: Merit crossbred sheep whether spring lamb, Merit – junior sheep showmanship.

Lena Berg: Trophy (Rabbit Best of Show) - Netherland Dwarf doe, Merit - Holstein heifer spring calf, Merit - junior dairy showmanship, Merit - male duck.

Chloe Cummings: Trophy (Goat Best of Show) - meat goat mature doe, Trophy (Poultry Best of Show) crossbred meat type chicken, Merit - Bantam chicken. Merit - crossbred egg type chicken.

Jace Jablonsky: Merit -LEGO creation.

Jackson Jablonsky: Trophy (STEM Best of Show) and Merit - model car.

Madeline Kreinus: Merit -Bearded Dragon.

Norah Kreinus: Merit -Hedgehog.

Aarik Lind: Trophy (Mechanical Projects Best of Show) and Merit - woodworking homemade toy, Merit – chainmail craft.

Aksel Lind: Trophy (Cloverbuds Best of Show) items found on a nature hike;



Joren Lind -Swine Best of Show.

Merit - nutritious snack.

Joren Lind: Trophy (Swine Best of Show) - crossbred barrow junior spring pig, Merit – model car, Merit - color bird enlargement.

Kajsa Lind: Trophy (Beef Best of Show) and Merit dairy beef cross steer junior yearling, Merit – senior beef showmanship, Merit - Plymouth Rock chicken, Trophy (Drawing and Painting Best of Show)-colored pencil portrait, Merit – color summer scene photo, Merit - black and white portrait photo, Merit - digitally enhanced photo, Trophy (Performing Arts Best of Show) - original song performance - guitar and vocal, Merit – guitar and vocal musical performance, Trophy (Foods Best of Show) and Merit - decorated cake, Merit - arrangement of fresh wild materials, Merit parts of an ant poster, Merit - LEGO guitar.

Antonia Nelson: Trophy



Contributed photos

(Arts and Crafts Best of Show) - leather horse breastplate, Trophy (Sheep Best of Show) – crossbred ewe winter lamb, Merit - senior sheep showmanship.

Heidi Nelson: Trophy (Horse Best of Show) - Quarter Horse Buckskin, Trophy (Dairy Best of Show) - Holstein heifer winter yearling, Merit - mosaic tray.

Game winners

Frog Jumping Contest (name, frog name, distance): First place, Iver Bowen, Lightning, 76"; second, Matthew Heikkinen, Lil Buc, 60"; third, Derek Schult, Frogger 2, 56"; shortest, Lillian Rhody, Spare Frog, 22".

Egg Toss Competition: kindergarten and under, Charlie and Forrest; 1st-5th grade, Joren and Luke; 6th-8th grade, Kendra and Molly; high school: Carissa and Lydia; adults: Henry and Jerod, Randy and Travis.

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LINCOLN COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

As reported by the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office Wednesday, Aug.

On 08-10-2023 a deputy on patrol stopped a vehicle in N. 4th St. in the City of Tomahawk for operating without tail lights. When attempting to stop the vehicle the driver turned his tail lights on. When stopped the deputy made contact with the driver, a Rhinelander man, 24. The driver advised that he was on probation, didn't have a valid driver's license and was supposed to have an ignition interlock device on his car,

but did not. The deputy detected the odor of intoxicants and as such placed the driver through field sobriety tests. As a result of those tests, he was placed under arrest for second offense OWI, along with a probation hold and other criminal charges. The driver was later transported to the Lincoln County Jail.

On 08-11-2023 a deputy on patrol stopped a vehicle for speeding on E. Main St. near Big Eddy Rd. in the City of Merrill. Upon making contact with the driver, a man, 22, from Bowling

Green, Ohio, the deputy noticed an odor of marijuana. The driver than admitted to the presence of marijuana in the car and the fact that he had been smoking before driving. A deputy with special training in performing drug-related sobriety tests was called to the scene and did an observation and sobriety tests on the driver, and as a result, he was placed under arrest for OWI drug-related. He was later transported to the Lincoln County Jail. There were six reported car-deer crashes this week



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PINE CREST

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in the event the referendum would fail, the county would still have the option to "look for possible buvers" for Pine Crest or extend the county's contract with Marcus & Millichap, which runs through early next year but expires before the Spring Election.

"I just don't see why wouldn't give this every opportunity," Hafeman said.

Friske pointed out that Lincoln County's population has remained stagnant over the last roughly 40 years, while the county's property tax rate is \$5.47 per \$1,000.00 of valuation, among the highest in the state. The state average is \$3.80 per \$1,000.00 of valua-

"If we're feeling the pinch, it's because we have not grown," Friske stated. "We are sitting on ascending expenditure requirements and no additional population or revenue. You can't continue to function and provide for things that are not mandated by the state."

Lincoln County's sales tax revenue is around the state average, while the property tax levy per capita was above the state average in 2021, Friske added.

"We tax our people enough," he stated. "It isn't about how much money we bring in, folks. It's about how much money we spend."

Friske said the previous iteration of the board, at the recommendation of the county's Finance Committee, voted to reduce Pine

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"We only have 120 bed licenses," Friske stated. "The best you can do is to have it two-thirds full. ... We're operating at 80. We're only half full, and we're only staffed for 90. The ability for us to continue to operate the way it is, we don't have the capacity to do that."

After further discussion, the original resolution was ultimately defeated by a 13-9

Voting in favor were Ashbeck, Hafeman, Hartwig, District 1 Supervisor William Bialecki, District 2 Supervisor Lori Anderson-Malm, District 3 Supervisor Elizabeth McCrank, District 5 Supervisor Don Wendorf, District 7 Supervisor Greta Rusch and District 19 Supervisor Julie Allen.

Voting against were Callahan, DePasse, Friske, Simon, District 4 Supervisor Steve Osness Jr., District 8 Supervisor Laurie Thiel, District 10 Supervisor Jesse Boyd, District 11 Supervisor Randy Detert, District 15 Supervisor Marty Lemke, District 16 Supervisor Dana Miller, District 17 Supervisor James Meunier, District 18 Supervisor Ken Wickham and District 20 Supervisor Angela Cummings.

Next county board meeting

The next meeting of the Lincoln County Board of Supervisors will be held at the Lincoln County Service Center in Merrill on Tuesday, Sept. 19 at 6 p.m.

OCHD seeing rise in COVID-19 levels

FOR THE TOMAHAWK **LEADER**

ONEIDA COUNTY - The Oneida County Health Department (OCHD) last week said it has seen a rise in levels of COVID-19.

Along with the uptick in local cases, OCHD said there has also been an increase statewide in surveillance systems, such as wastewater.

"Individuals who have COVID-19 can shed the virus in their feces, even if they do not have symptoms," OCHD stated. "We continue to monitor this so



we can better understand how prevalent COVID-19 is and act quickly if it is spreading in a community."

OCHD said symptoms of COVID-19 may include fever or chills, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body ache, headache, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting and diarrhea, noting that symptoms may vary among variants.

"OCHD asks for your help to keep you, your family and your friends offering the following precautions than can reduce the risk of contracting CO-

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9573 State Highway 70, Minocqua, WI 54548 715-356-5252 or email: marasch@lakelandunion.org

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Invitation to Bid

The School District of Tomahawk is

accepting sealed bids for a circa 1960's

International 3000 Front End Loader/

Tractor. The minimum bid will be \$1,500.00

and will be sold as is. Includes forks and

bucket. Bids will be accepted until 1:00 p.m.

Friday September 1, 2023. For additional

information please contact Arland Wingate

at 715-453-2106 ext 207. The School District

of Tomahawk reserves the right to accept or

reject any or all bids and to accept the bid in

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE

FRIENDS OF LAKE MOHAWKSIN

(FOLM) LAKE ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the Friends of Lake Mohawksin (FOLM)

Lake Association will be held on Saturday, August 26, 2023

at the Bradley Town Hall, 1518 W Mohawk Drive, Tomahawk

at 9am. Registration will start at 8:30am. Coffee and Donuts

Approval of 2022 Annual Meeting Minutes

Approval of proposed ByLaw changes

Our financial status - Treasurer's report

Guest Speaker : Tom Boisvert (Lincoln County

'Clean Boats Clean Waters" observations from

Welcome and introductions

Current status and future plans

Review of 2022-2023 activities Plans for 2023-2024

Conservation Program Manager)

We look forward to welcoming you and hearing your views!

Open Forum for Discussion

General FOLM business

Election of Officers

the 2023 program

Adjourn

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the best interest of the School District.

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will be available.

AGENDA

Announcements

LEGALS

LINCOLN COUNTY ALL HAZARDS MITIGATION PLAN PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given by the Lincoln County Emergency Management Department that there will be a public informational meeting at the Lincoln County Service Center - Room 257 County Service Center - Room, 801 N Sales St., Merrill, WI on Thursday, August 31, 2023 at 5:30 p.m. to discuss the County's Draft All Hazards Mitigation

The meeting will be an open house format and will provide information about natural hazards that can affect the County and the strategies being developed to mitigate against future

losses and reduce public expenditure for response and recovery. A copy of the draft plan material can be reviewed on the web at https://www.ncwrpc.org /lincoln/lincolnhzdplan/

All interested parties are encouraged to attend. For more information, please contact the Lincoln County Emergency Management Director, Tyler Verhasselt at tyler.verhasselt@co.lincoln.wi.us Published August 23 & 30, 2023

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Tomahawk Area Volunteers hereby provides notice that it to the Wisconsin intends to apply

Department of Transportation projects under Section 5310 to serve seniors and individuals with disabilities in Tomahawk,

WI and surrounding areas.

Operating and maintaining two vehicles; one van with capabilities to seat four passengers and one transit/bariatric vehicle seating passengers plus four ambulatory driver/wheelchair four

Individuals or agencies wishing to comment or to receive additional comment or to receive additional information about this application should contact Joan Litwitz, Program Director at 715-453-8200. Or

taivdirector@gmail.com or in person at the TAIV office (by appointment) located at 113A So Tomahawk Ave., Tomahawk, WI. Formal comments or requests for additional information must be received writing or by email 14 days after

. Published August 2, 9, 16, 23, 2023

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT

LINCOLN COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: PATRICIA SIEVERT DOD: 09/16/2021

Case No. 23-PR-12
ORDER LIMITING TIME FOR
FILING CLAIMS

A petition for Formal Administration was

THE COURT FINDS:

1. The decedent, with date of birth of June 1, 1935 and date of death of September 16, 2021, was domiciled in Lincoln County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of W2452 County Road Drive, Tomahawk,

Wisconsin 54487 Administration was granted on July 26, 2023.

THE COURT ORDERS:

1. The deadline for filing a claim against decedent's estate is November 17, 2023.

2. A claim must be filed at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Merrill, Wisconsin, Probate Office. DATE SIGNED: August 15, 2023

Electronically signed by Galen Bayne-Allison Circuit Court Judge

Prepared by: Atty. Nick G. Cirilli, State Bar #1101541 Cirilli Law Offices, S.C. 116 E. Davenport Street, Rhinelander WI 54501

(715)369-3443 (715)369-9137- facsimile Published August 23, 30, September 6,

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STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Carylann Schable Biache

Order Setting Time to Hear Petition for Special Administration (Formal Administration)

Case No. 2023 PR 13 A petition for Appointment of a Special dministrator was filed

The decedent, with date of birth 07-14-1944 and date of death 06-08-2023 was domiciled in Lincoln County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of W3350 Co. Rd A, Tomahawk, WI 54487. THE COURT ORDERS:

The petition be heard at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Merrill, Wisconsin,

Room Branch 2, before Honorable Robert R. Russell, Court Official, on October 4, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. You do not need to appear unless you object. The petition may be granted if there is no objection.

2. Notice by publication is required. Publication of this notice is notice to addresses are unknown.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 715-536-0342 prior to the scheduled

court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation.

BY THE COURT: DATE SIGNED: August 9, 2023 Electronically signed by Robert R. Russell

Form completed by Register in Probate 1110 E Main Street, Merrill, WI 54452 715-536-0342 Bar Number: N/A

Circuit Court Judge

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Name Change

STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT LINCOLN COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME
CHANGE OF

Shawn Michael Winker By (Petitioner) Shawn Michael Winker

Notice and Order for Name Change Hearing Case No. 23CV82

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A Petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: [First] Shawn

[Middle] Michael To: [First] Shawn [Middle] Michael

Michael Callahan ''Eiret] Shawn [Middle] Michael [Last] Winker IT IS ORDERED:

This Petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Lincoln County, State of Judge's Name Hon. Galen

Bayne-Allison
Place Lincoln County Courthouse 1110 E. Main St., Merrill, WI 54452

BR 1 Courtroom Date 08-30-2023 Time 9:00 am

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 715-536-0319 prior to the scheduled

court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation.
BY THE COURT:
DATE SIGNED: 07/21/2023

HON, GALEN BAYNE-ALLISON CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE, BR 1 Published August 9, 16, 23, 2023 WNAXLP

Notice To Creditors

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

1. Shanna N. Yonke is the trustee of the Lawrence W. Bishop, Jr. Survivor's

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAWRENCE W. BISHOP, JR. SURVIVOR'S TRUST

MINIMUM BID

\$70,200

\$21,420

\$12,600

Notice To Creditors

2. The decedent, Lawrence W. Bishop with a birth date of October 1942, and date of death of June 15, 2023, was domiciled in Lincoln County State of Wisconsin, with a post office address of W3024 County Rd A., Tomahawk, WI 54487.

3. Deadline to make claims: All persons or companies having claims against Lawrence W. Bishop, Jr. and/or the Lawrence W. Bishop, Jr. Survivor's Trust, must present their claims to the attorney for the trustee on or before December 23, 2023, which is four (4) months after the date of August 23 2023 the date of first insertion and publication of this Notice in the Tomahawk Leader, or the claims will be forever barred as set forth in Section 701.0508 of the Wisconsin Statutes

 Notice of claims: Claims must be presented by delivering or mailing a written statement of the claim indicating its basis, the name and address of the claimant, the date the claim is due, the amount claimed, and describing any security for the claim. The claim is deemed presented upon receipt by the attorney for the trustee at the address set forth herein.

5. Publication of this notice shall constitute notice to any persons whose names or addresses are unknown.
6. Attorney for trustee: Shanna N.

Yonke, Trustee, Ruder Ware, L.L.S.C. P.O. Box 8050, Wausau, WI 54402ublished August 23, 30, September 6,

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STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT

LINCOLN COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Howard S. Hetzel

Notice to Creditors (Informal Administration) Case No. 2023 IN 38 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

for informal An application administration was filed.

2. The decedent, with date of birth 02/16/1920 and date of death 05/03/2023, was domiciled in Lincoln County, State of WI, with a mailing address of 709 North Ave, Tomahawk

3. All interested persons waived

 The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is 12-01-2023.

5. A claim may be filed at the Lincoln County Courthouse, Merrill, Wisconsin, Probate Office. BY THE COURT:

DATE SIGNED: August 17, 2023 Electronically signed by Becky S. Byer Probate Registrar Form completed by: Dallas Ashbrenner N11943 State Hwy 17 S Rhinelander WI 54501 715-493-7851

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STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT, LINCOLN COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Rebecca A. Gall

Notice to Creditors

(Informal Administration) Case No. 2023 IN 36 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

 An application administration was filed. 2. The decedent, with date of birth 09-06-1943 and date of death 04-28-2023, was domiciled in Lincoln County, State of WI, with a mailing address of 607 N. 4th St. Tomahawk, WI 54487

All interested persons waived notice.

4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is December 21, 2023.
5. A claim may be filed at the Lincoln

County Courthouse, Wisconsin, Probate Office. BY THE COURT:
DATE SIGNED: August 10, 2023

Electronically signed by Becky S. Byer
Probate Registrar
Form completed by: Timothy Gall 4711 Roosevelt St. Oregon, WI 53575 608-835-9403 Published August 23, 30, September 6,

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LINCOLN COUNTY PROPERTIES FOR SALE – September 2023

The required Bid and Purchase Agreement must be used to bid on these parcels

TOWN OF BRADLEY PARCEL #3-23: Lots Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), and Ten (10), in Block Three (3) of the Plat of Bradley, Town of Bradley, Lincoln County, Wisconsin. (N11619 County Rd Y) lot, P.I.N. 004-3506-094-9992

TOWN OF HARRISON

PARCEL #9-23: A Parcel of land located in the Government Lot 2 lying North of W Seven Island Lake Dr. The West line of said parcel being the East line of CSM 2629 as D0527487, the North line being the South line of CSM 1770 as D0433354 and the East line being the West line of CSM 2151 as D0469679, located in Government Lot 2, Section 15, Township 34 North, Range 8 East, Town of Harrison, Lincoln County Wisconsin. (W Seven Island Lake Drive) 2.20 acres, P.I.N. 010-3408-154-9984

TOWN OF SOMO

PARCEL #12-23: All that part of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE½ NE½) and Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE½ SE½), Section Four (4), Township Thirty-five (35) North, Range Four (4) East, Town of Somo, Lincoln County, Wisconsin, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the East Quarter Corner of said Section; thence N 18° 27' W, 72 feet to an iron pipe on the Northeasterly line of the 66 foot easement road; thence N 45° 44' W, 120 feet along the Northeasterly line of said easement road to an iron pipe, being the Point of Beginning; thence continuing along said Northeasterly line N 45° 44' W, 660 feet to an iron pipe; thence S 37° 39' W, 590.3 feet to an iron pipe near the Easterly bank of the Big Somo River; thence along the Easterly bank of the Big Somo River; thence along the Easterly bank of the Big Somo River; thence along the Easterly bank of the Big Somo River; thence along the Easterly bank of

the River S 4° 54′ E, 336.7 feet to an iron pipe near the Easterly bank of the Big Somo River; thence along the Easterly bank of the Big Somo River; thence along the Easterly bank of the River S 4° 54′ E, 336.7 feet to an iron pipe; thence S 60° 32′ E, 105 feet to an iron pipe; thence S 44° 45′ E, 136.6 feet to an iron pipe; thence leaving said Easterly bank N 34° 07′ E 831.2 feet to the Point of Beginning. The above lateral lot lines extend to the River. Also Known As Lots Twenty (20) & Twenty-one (21) of Unrecorded Plat of Somo View. (Garvin Pl) 12.80 acres, P.I.N. 028-3504-041-9990 CITY OF TOMAHAWK PARCEL #14-23: Lot Two (2) of Certified Survey Map Number 1079 in Volume 5 of Certified Surveys, Page 197 as Document \$21,307.50 Number 360438. Being a part of the Assessor's Plat Number 151 of the City of Tomahawk, in the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW ¼ SW ¼), Section Three (3), Township Thirty-four (34) North, Range East, City of Tomahawk, Lincoln County, Wisconsin. (655 Southgate Dr) lot, P.I.N. 286-3406-031-0153

TOWN OF TOMAHAWK PARCEL #17-23: All that part of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SW 1/4 SE 1/4) of Section Two (2), Township Thirty-four (34) North, Range Five (5) East, Town of Tomahawk, Lincoln County, Wisconsin, described by metes and bounds as follows: Commencing at the Intersection of the West line of said quarter quarter section and the North line of State Trunk Highway 86; thence East along the North line of said highway 254 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING; thence North 13 rods; thence South 13 rods; thence West 13 rods to the place of beginning. EXCEPT that part for the Highway described in Volume 456 page 684, Document No. 305650. (W7868 State Rd 86) lot, P.I.N. 030-3405-024-9996

Any special assessment, judgment or lien shall be the liability of the purchaser.

All sales shall be by sealed bid specifying a fixed dollar amount. Each bid shall be accompanied by a cashier's check or money order, in the amount of 10% of the bid, made payable to the Lincoln County Forestry, Land and Parks Department. Deposits of the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned. The deposit of the successful bidder shall be retained as down payment, with balance due to be paid within 30 days after notice of acceptance. Bidders acknowledge that failure to make payment within 30 days after notice of acceptance is mailed shall result in a forfeiture of your deposit without further notice or legal recourse. If the successful bidder defaults on the property purchase, at Forest Administrator's discretion, it will be offered to the next eligible successful bidder on the property on the same terms and conditions. If the 2nd eligible bidder declines or defaults on the purchase, the parcel will again be offered for sale when practicable. All conveyances are by Quit Claim Deed. To comprise the right to reject any and all bids and accent the bid most advantageous to the County every bid less than the minimum bid. Committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids and accept the bid most advantageous to the County, every bid less than the minimum bid established shall be rejected. Properties are sold in "as is, where is" condition. Any maps provided by Lincoln County show approximate location of boundaries. Lincoln County makes no warrant as to boundaries or acreages or any other matters on properties offered for sale.

Bids must be submitted on Lincoln County's Bid and Purchase Agreement Form.

Mail bids to: Lincoln County Forestry, Land and Parks Department, 801 N. Sales Street, Suite 106, Merrill, WI 54452 in an envelope clearly marked "I AND BID - PARCEL #

Sealed bids will be accepted at the department office until noon **on September 8, 2023**, and opened at a meeting of the Lincoln County Forestry, Land and Parks Committee on September 11, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. in Conference Room 257, Lincoln County Service Center, 801 N. Sales Street, Merrill, Wisconsin.

For further information, contact the Lincoln County Forestry, Land and Parks Department at (715) 539-1034. Lincoln County Forestry, Land and Parks Committee: Norbert Ashbeck, William Bialecki, Greg Hartwig, Don Wendorf, Kenneth Wickham.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Residents of Lincoln County will ultimately pay the price

Last week, Lincoln County's board rejected voter choice regarding Pine Crest's future. Credit goes to the nine members who listened to the 100 plus present in support of keeping Pine Crest, along with the hundreds of signatures, a multitude of phone calls and contacts, and voted for the referendum.

The referendum offered a brief overview of projected costs. One testimony calculated that the annual tax impact of \$85.14 per \$100,000 of equalized value works out to less than \$8.00/month on a property of that equalized value.

Supervisor Calvin Callahan felt compelled to personally point out that he is not a "Pine Crest Killer", but supports the nursing home. One can understand the confusion over his statement when Supervisor Callahan has consistently voted to sell Pine Crest and against a voter referendum.

The claim that supplemental state subsidies all went to Madison nursing homes and not to us because of Governor Evers is false. Lincoln County simply did not qualify for those funds because of an earlier county decision regarding projected

Certain supervisors tried to muddy the issue by claiming that the annual cost should be \$4.5 million rather than the proposed \$3 million. When pressed about the source of that higher figure it was determined that the higher figure was based on older, outdated COVID projections.

One supervisor apparently felt that since three accountants were involved, (credentials not offered), we should just accept that higher projection. No disrespect intended, but too many bookkeepers become bean counters who do not excel at solutions but can only see the sky falling.

As one supervisor pointed out, that much higher figure was thrown in to put off voter support. And indeed, fear was used. At one point the claim was made that if the referendum was voted down by the electorate, the county would be forced to close Pine Crest. No, if a referendum to keep Pine Crest failed, the board could return to the option to sell.

The question of placing more taxes on the taxpayers was brought up. But not the fact that all taxpayers, and some donors, have consistently contributed to Pine Crest over the decades and have a vested interest in continuing ownership.

Unfortunately, throughout the entire process, neither the board nor its ad hoc committee spent much time on solutions to keep Pine Crest. It became painfully evident that the intent to sell was present from the very beginning with little to no effort on keeping it a county service.

If Pine Crest is sold, what will happen to the Social Services/Health Department building and their services?

And that is the crux of this issue - county services. Since this board was seated in 2022, their obvious agenda was to eliminate as many county-supported services as possible. The old saying of "penny wise, but pound foolish" applies to many of this board's decisions.

Unfortunately, we, the residents of Lincoln County, will ultimately pay the price.

Diana C. Smith Tomahawk

Town of Cassian **Adolescent Recovery** & Wellness Center

Proposed location for the Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council (GLITC] Adolescent Recovery & Wellness Center, for

substance abuse and mental health issues:

As a resident of Cassian, that lives about one mile from the proposed site on North Pine Square, many residents and I share multiple concerns regarding this Adolescent Recovery & Wellness Center.

Bryan Bainbridge, CEO of GLITC says he wants to be a good neighbor/partner and have transparency. That has not occurred up to this point. Bryan did not have any answers at the July 24 township meeting, however stated that the plan was to break ground Oct. 2023.

Items of concern are: 1. Overall Security – would there be guards or

fencing or both?

2. Infrastructure -Impact on roads (Swamp Lake and the two gravel roads of East and North Pine Square) Concerns regarding construction trucks, semis for delivery of goods, additional traffic from employees/ visitors. Who will maintain these roads? Or pave East and North Pine Square?

- 3. Employees the number of employees needed and where would they come from? Where would housing be? We have a housing deficiency in Oneida County along with an employee shortage already.
- 4. Emergency Services - Police? Closest is Rhinelander or Tomahawk, roughly 20 minutes away. Fire Departments? Also 20 mins away.
- 5. Taxes How does this impact the homeowners close to facility, as well as Oneida County on a whole?
- 6. Are there assurances from GLITC that this property will stay a for youth only facility?
- 7. How does this facility benefit the residents of Oneida County? Priority will be (but not exclusive to) Urban Native American Youth.
- 8. We can all agree there is a necessity for a facility of this nature: however, the disagreement is in the location and the effect it will have on the homeowners, many of whom are raising families or are elderly.

Though these are valid concerns from the residents of Cassian, GLITC does not seem to have the answers.

GLITC received at least \$15 million dollars from the State of Wisconsin, via grants, plus monies for a feasibility study (\$200K) architectural plans (\$640K) and construction approval (\$350K).

Thank you, Chris Turnbull Town of Cassian

PUBLISHER'S LETTER Amity

There is a certain amount of joy in reuniting with a

group of old friends to reminisce about cherished memories while also creating new ones together. We emphasize the value of friendship, the power of shared experiences, and the warmth of nostal-

Dear Reader,

There is an excitement of gathering with these familiar faces, recounting past adventures, and laughing over shared stories.

These encounters, however frequent, provide a sense of comfort and belonging, as they bring back memories from earlier days, reminding everyone of the bonds with the passage of time and the changes that life brings. The connections formed with old friends remain enduring and special and enrich the bond further.

So, cherish your friendships, celebrate the past, and seize opportunities to make new memories with those who have been a part of your lives for a long time. It serves as a heartwarming reminder of the value of friendship and the joy of sharing moments with the people we care about.

PATRICK J. WOOD Publisher TOMAHAWK LEADER

Hatchets open season with close loss to Hodags

FOR THE TOMAHAWK LEADER

TOMAHAWK The Tomahawk Hatchet football team opened its season with a close home loss to Rhinelander on Friday, Aug. 18.

A one-yard touchdown run by Rex Reilly gave the Hatchets a six-point lead in the first quarter. After a punt by each team, Tomahawk's Jonah Dickens picked off a Hodag pass in the second quarter, and a 58-yard touchdown pass from Reilly to Brayden Larson, with a successful two-point conversion, gave the Hatchets a 14-0 lead.

Tomahawk scored again

in the second quarter, this time on an 88-yard touchdown reception by Larson. The Hatchets made the extra point, and the Hodags responded with a touchdown of their own. Tomahawk took a 21-6 lead into the half.

The second half was all Rhinelander offensively. as they scored 16 more points while holding Tomahawk scoreless for the entire half. The Hodags would seal a 22-21 win on a 19-yard field goal with just over three seconds left in

Reilly completed four of

and two touchdowns. Reilly also led the Hatchets on the ground, racking up 101 yards on 16 attempts. Larson, Landvn Sevmour and Caleb Dickens also contributed to the Hatchets' rushing attack. Larson was Tomahawk's top receiver, hauling in three catches for 166 yards and a pair of touchdowns. Caleb Dickens had one catch for six yards and one intercep-

The Hatchets are scheduled to hit the road to take on Lakeland this week. Opening kickoff is slated for 7 p.m. on Friday, Aug.

nine passes for 175 yards **DNR** seeking public comment on proposed wolf management rule

FOR THE TOMAHAWK **LEADER**

WISCONSIN - The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is seeking public comment on proposed permanent wolf rules relating to gray wolf harvest regulations.

"Using the regular rulemaking process, this rule proposal will achieve two primary objectives," DNR stated. "First, it will codify provisions of an emergency rule, EmR 1210, which went into effect on Aug. 18, 2012. Non-statutory provisions of 2011 ACT 169 state that this emergency rule remains in effect until a permanent rule takes effect. Second, it will implement recommendations from and update regulatory text in consideration of a new wolf management plan (www.tinyurl. com/2ss45ebb).'

The public comment period will be open through Friday, Sept. 15.

virtual public hearing (www.tinyurl. com/3ahpn7tn) on the pro-



The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is seeking public comment on proposed permanent wolf rules relating to gray wolf harvest regulations.

Photo courtesy of Wisconsin DNR

posed rule will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 12 at 4 p.m. The public can provide verbal comments on the draft rule at the hearing.

Registration will take place at the hearing by completing a Hearing Appearance form (www.tinyurl. com/yw6kdrhn). DNR said pre-registration is strongly encouraged for individuals to provide spoken comments during the hearing.

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Fishing Report: Slowing lake traffic is good for anglers

LEADER

Water temps have been in the mid 70s – great swimming on a hot day! The traffic on the lakes is slowing a bit now, which bodes well for daytime fishing, and the mosquitoes and flies seem to have backed off a bit. All in all, this is a great time of the summer.

Walleye fishing has stayed consistently good for numbers on all lakes. It seems harder to find some big fish at this time of year, but you can always catch some fish at the weed edges or off gravel points in 15 to 20 feet of water. All bait types have been working very well, so minnows or leeches or half crawlers are all even in production. Evenings are best.

Fish deeper during the daytime on the bigger lakes. Try weed edges at about 20 to 25 feet or drop-offs outside of weeds in nine to 15 feet. Leeches are definitely better on bigger lakes.

Bass are hitting well in

the area. Smallies are on the rocks, with the majority of them from six to 15 feet. While leeches are working. we are finding any crayfish imitation plastics to be working best for these fish. Hard bottom is the key for these fish. Rocks in the boulder size seem to be the best holding areas, but gravel bottoms will also hold fish. Largemouth are hitting very well on plastics, with worms in darker colors the best producers. Try any shallow holding areas like piers or weeds. The great thing about bass is that they are hitting all day long, so you can go out whenever you feel like. Try some sur-

Panfish action is good, with bluegills leading the way. Good action has been reported daily in the deep weeds on all lakes, but you can try shallow cover, too. Crappie action has held up very well this year. Look for deeper weeds and brush piles for these guys and use crap-

face baits for the largemouth.

pie minnows. Perch are in the deeper weeds also.

Northerns are hitting well in the weeds. Anglers aren't catching a lot of real big ones, but good numbers of these fish have been reported. Noisy flashy baits work best. If you have some kids, try some northern suckers or chubs over weeds with slip bobbers for best action.

Musky action has been ok in the area, with some nice fish starting to be caught. They seem to be moving around with the weather, with some of the fish deeper, so you can fish both weeds with spinners and surface baits or deeper with plastics for the bigger fish. Night action has also been good, so if you are not getting fish at all on your lake, you might think of night or evening fishing. The sunlight penetration and the heavy water traffic often cause these fish to change their feeding patterns at this time of year.

Good luck and good fishin'!

Sports Briefs

Tomahawk Community Fun Runs

The Tomahawk Community Fun Runs are now underway. Runners of all ages are invited, though runners under the age of 14 should be accompanied by an adult, as runners are not supervised. Runners meet at Veterans Memorial Park, where a description of the running route will be communicated. Runs typically occur Sundays, Mondays, and Thursdays at 5:30 p.m., with occasional 7:30 a.m. Tuesday runs from Sunset Point. View the Fun Run schedules at www.tinyurl.com/ybwwkdjz. For more information about the Tomahawk Community Fun Runs group, visit www. strava.com/clubs/1066717.

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Summer morning lap swim will be held at the pool at the Tomahawk school complex Mondays through Thursdays from 6 a.m. to 7:15 a.m. Entry is through at Door #6 (auditorium, fieldhouse and pool). Walking on the indoor track and water aerobics will return in the fall.



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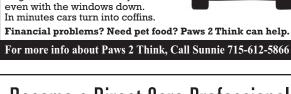
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public hearing.

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Written comments on the proposed rule will be accepted until 11:59 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 15. Direct written comments to Department of Natural Re-

sources, Attn: Scott Karel, P.O. Box 7921, 101 S. Webster St., Madison, Wis., 53707-7921; or *DNRAdmin*is trative Rules Comments @wisconsin.gov.

For more information, view the materials for the proposed rule in the public hearing notice (www. tinyurl.com/yafm7ykp) or visit the DNR's proposed permanent rules webpage www.dnr.wisconsin. gov/news/input/ProposedPermanent.

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Readers are invited to submit questions about God, the Bible, and religion. I shall try to answer them for you, using the Bible as the authority for my answers.

Today, I would like to begin a short series on the idea that happiness is a character issue more than it is a situation issue. Central to this is the Bible's teaching that God created everything. The first words of the Bible, which may be the most important, are: In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth (Genesis 1:1). Everything the Bible teaches about our relationship to God and our relationships to each other are tied to those words.

The Bible teaches that when God made mankind, He made us in His image and likeness (Genesis 1:26, 27). One aspect of the image of God in us is our conscience, something the Bible teaches that God has placed in each of us (Romans 2:14, 15). Even those who seem to have no conscience, they still have one; it is just that they refuse to listen to it and have become insensitive to it (1 Timothy 4:2, Ephesians 4:17-19). But even though they appear to have no conscience, it is still there and troubles them (see Psalm 38 and its description of the physical and mental turmoil of a guilty conscience).

The Bible defines the nature of sin as turning off the path (Romans 3:12, Psalm 14:3) and going astray (1 Peter 2:25, Isaiah 53:6). The word translated sin in the New Testament means to turn off the path.

The Bible teaches that God designed us to live in a world nere we do what is right and good, like God does made in His image, Genesis 1:26, 27). When we sin, we leave God's design for us in creation - every selfish act is a departure from the design of our Creator. The Bible teaches that it is for this reason that our sins make life hard for us (Proverbs 4:19 and 13:15), bringing trouble (Romans 6:23) and death (Isaiah 48:22).

When we sin, we are choosing to live outside of our Creator's design. In a sense, we would be like a whale who breaths air and says, I breath air like land dwelling animals, so I think I will live on land from now on. We all know that the whale would be able to live out of the water for a short time. but that short existence on land would be difficult and lead to its death because it was not designed to live on the land, even though it breaths the air like a land animal. The Bible teaches that the same principle holds true to us. God designed us to be like Him in our character, but by our choices to sin and act in selfish ways, we are trying to live outside of the environment God designed for us to live in. It is for this reason that there is sorrow, disease, and death (Romans 6:23). We were not designed to live in that environment.

In the issue of happiness, character is important. Character is really about conformity to God's design for us in creation. We can have everything the world offers us, but still not be satisfied. Or we can have very little of what this world offers us and be content in life. Happiness – a character issue.

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Natural Connections: Community Science

BY JILLIAN FINUCANE SUMMER NATURALIST/ GEOLOGY INTERN, CABLE NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM

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A light breeze brushed through the pollinator gardens surrounding the Museum. Happy children and singing birds filled the Museum courtyard with sound. All this noise didn't bother me; I zoned into the pollinator garden. I was completing my weekly butterfly survey as a participant in the Wisconsin Statewide Community Science Project.

Despite having finished Master Naturalist course my second week at the Museum, I am still far from considering myself a pro at any plant or insect identification. My specialty



Jillian Finucane (right) looks for butterflies in the Museum's pollinator gardens while Kali Sipp (left) stands ready to record sightings. They spotted two monarch butterflies and contributed that data to the Wisconsin Statewide Community Photo by Emily Stone Science Project.

lies with the rocks. As a senior studying Geology at University of Wisconsin - Madison, I have spent the last several years honing my rock identification skills. With all the time spent on that, I'd neglected my interests in learning about living nature. When Mollie Kreb-Mertig, Museum Curator, asked me to help with a butterfly survey in partnership with Milwaukee Public Museum, I was a little nervous. Would I be able to identify down to the family, let alone genus

or species? Was I qualified enough to participate in a community science project?

Community science is defined as a scientific project undertaken by members of the general public. As someone who is a part of the Northwoods community, I am perfectly qualified to participate. Mollie prepared me by covering the basic butterfly families and a few important survey protocols.

With Kali Sipp, my cointern, as my scribe, I felt a lot more comfortable

starting my first survey. A peer into the sky and a check with my weather app helped me gather all of the environmental data needed to start the survey. At a here-comes-the-bride pace, I began my short 0.2 mile walk that would take me 20 minutes. I slowly gazed between the pollinator garden to my right, and the open courtyard to my left. Much to my delight, I spotted a brushfoot. I snapped a picture and tallied it on my clipboard. By the end of the survey, I had identified a few brushfoots and even a couple monarchs!

What I have come to appreciate most about these community science projects is how they force me to slow down and truly appreciate nature. I don't usually meander through a pollinator garden or drive out to isolated forest roads just to observe some critters. But when forced to "stop and smell the roses," I find myself appreciating even the smallest things.

So, when invited to a DNR Mink Frog survey by a local naturalist. I was excited to

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TOMAHAWK SPORTS TRIVIA: WEEK 144

The Tomahawk Leader will feature one local sports trivia question per week, provided by Bob Skubal, retired coach, historian, and author of "History of Tomahawk Sports." Email leadernews@mmclocal. com if you know the answer!

The first person to tell us the correct answer each week will have their name published in the paper if they wish, along with their correct answer to the question.

Week 143 question: The 1971 THS baseball team was 13-1 and did not lose a game until State.

Who did THS lose to at State: Hurley, Sussex Hamilton or Unity?

Week 143 answer: In

the 1971 State baseball tournament, THS lost to Sussex Hamilton 8-1. This was the first season where there was an eight-team State tournament.

Congrats to Don Stelter for being the first to correctly answer last week's question!

Week 144 question: What was the first year of competition for boys' cross country at THS: 1971, 1972 or 1973?

FISHING & HUNTING TIMES

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August 25		6:27AM	3:24PM	6:57PM					
August 26	11:26PM	7:27AM	4:32PM	7:59PM					
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In May, Tomahawk Girl Scout Katelyn Austin received the Girl Scout Silver Award, the secondhighest award a Cadette can earn. Austin was honored for her project focused on creating a map, brochure and signage for the trails behind the Tomahawk school complex.



Tomahawk High School senior and Girl Scout Genevieve Gleisner's "Take Action" project involved creating first aid kits for seniors and providing a presentation at the Tomahawk Senior Center.



As part of a community service project, Cadette Scouts made walker bags and delivered them to area seniors. The Scouts worked with Cindy, formerly of Tomahawk Sew & Vac, making more than a dozen bags and presenting them to the Tomahawk Area Interfaith Volunteers (TAIV) to be distributed to clients. Pictured is Girl Scout Shyann Boos, presenting a walker bag and a box of Girl Scout cookies to Dorothy Kind. The Girl Scouts offer numerous of membership opportunities for youth from grades K -12. Troops typically meet each month and take part in a variety of activities, including this year's Applefest pie-making event, scheduled for Saturday, Oct 21; and Craft Day, slated for Saturday, Dec. 2. For more information about joining the Girl Scouts, contact Kay Kissinger Wolf at 715-367-8284 or kay.kiss.wolf@gmail.

Photos courtesy of Kay Kissinger Wolf

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tag along. Unlike the bright and colorful butterfly surveys, frog surveys occur in the dark, after night has completely settled in. Visiting 10 different survey locations, the naturalist and I stepped outside into the mosquito-infested air.

For five minutes, we stood in silence waiting for frog calls in the black night. A cool wind bristled through the trees. Something cracked a branch in the woods. Two wolf packs howled back and forth at each other. But that wasn't what we were listening for. Then we heard it. The call sounded like two pieces of wood being clanked together, but we knew it was the mink frog looking for a

Using a code rating how frequent calls are (1 - individual calls are heard, 2 - some calls overlap, 3 full chorus of overlapping calls), surveyors track the

size of populations in different ponds. By mid-July, the only frogs making noise are the bullfrog, green frog, we heard during our stops were ranked as a 1, with an occasional 2.

Now, you may be wondering why data like this can be useful. For the annual DNR frog surveys, data is analyzed to estimate frog species abundance, determined by the presence of their calls. This helps wildlife biologists monitor frog populations in different parts of the state.

The butterfly surveys serve a different purpose, as they track migration patterns and populations of butterflies in specific areas. Milwaukee Public Museum, our partner organization, has been notified that researchers in Europe have been using Pollardbase, the butterfly database, to track migration patterns!

Community Science has taught me a new way to appreciate the finer details of

the Northwoods. If you're also itching to learn more about the natural world, or hoping to use your knowland mink frog. Most calls edge for the greater good of a project, consider getting involved in community science. Contact Mollie Kreb-Mertig at mollie@cablemuseum.org here at the Museum for more information about getting involved in our surveys!

Emily Stone's award-winning second book, Natural Connections: Dreaming of an Elfin Skimmer, is available to purchase at www.cablemuseum.org/books and at your local independent bookstore, too.

For more than 50 years, the Cable Natural History Museum has served to connect you to the Northwoods. Our exhibit: "The Northwoods ROCKS!" is open through mid-March. Our Fall Calendar of Events is ready for registration! Follow us on Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, and www. cablemuseum.org to see what we are up to.

News Briefs

Back to School Prayer Event

The Associated Clergy of Tomahawk will hold its Annual Back to School Prayer Event at the Tomahawk School Complex, 1048 E. King Rd., on Sunday, Aug. 27 at 4 p.m. Parents, students, teachers and administration are encouraged to attend, as well as citizens of Tomahawk and all churches. Attendees will meet in the auditorium.

Milestone, Aspirus blood drives

A blood drive will be held at Milestone Senior Living, 314 E. Lincoln Ave., Tomahawk, on Wednesday, Aug. 30 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Registration is requested. To register, call Julie at 715-224-3747. A blood drive will be held at Aspirus Tomahawk Hospital, 401 W. Mohawk

Dr., Tomahawk, on Friday, Sept. 8 from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Appointments are requested. To schedule an appointment, call the Community Blood Center at 800-280-4102.

Construction on Lincoln County roads

Road construction will run through Thursday, Aug. 31 on the following Lincoln County roads: County Rd. L; County Rd. S east of U.S. Hwy. 51; Prairie Rd. in the Town of Merrill; and Meyers Rd. in the Town of King. Lincoln County Highway Commissioner John Hanz recommends using alternate routes, if possible.

St. Mary's and Friends holiday concert

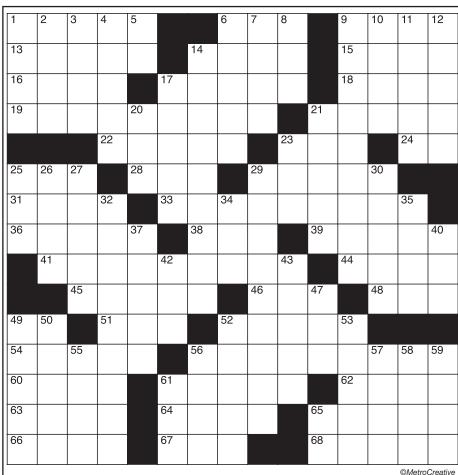
St. Mary's and Friends will present their annual holiday concert on Sunday, Dec. 3. Rehearsals will

begin on Tuesday, Sept. 5 at 6 p.m. at St. Mary's, 320 E. Washington Ave., Tomahawk. All area singers are welcome in the choir. Call Jan Huseby at 453-2878, ext. 211 to pre-register and reserve your music folder.

Chamber seeking photos for 2024 Visitor Guide

The Tomahawk Regional Chamber of Commerce is seeking photo submissions for the 2024 Visitor Guide. When submitting a photo, please name the picture as the location that it was taken. All submissions have a chance to be featured on the front of the guide. For more information or to submit a photo, visit www.gototomahawk. com/guidephotos or call 715-453-5334.

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CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Russian painter
- 6. Very fast jet 9. Phillipine municipality
- 13. Intestinal
- 14. Small freshwater fish
- 15. Algerian coastal city
- 16. Vomit
- 17. Famed astronomer
- 18. Ghanaian currency
- 19. Improved the condition of 21. Int'l association of interpreters
- 22. Infections
- 23. Dish made with lentils
- 24. Thou
- 25. Former CIA 28. Unit used to compare power levels
- 29. Members of Pueblo people
- 31. Myanmar monetary units
- 33. Polished 36. Signed a contract
- 38. Nothing
- 39. Once-ubiquitous department store
- 41. Neural structures 44. Thick piece of something
- 45. Slang for trucks with
- trailers
- 46. Longing 48. Senior officer
- 49. Levels of frequency
- 51. Bird's beak 52. Move rapidly downwards
- 54. Koran chapters
- 56. Streteches out 60. Top of the human body
- 61. A Chinese temple and Indian town are two
- 62. Fertility god
- 63. Sea eagle 64. Dry

- 65. Zodiac sign 66. "Horizon Call of the
- Mountain" character
- 67. Have the ability to
- 68. Take somewhere

CLUES DOWN 1. "Iron Man" actress Leslie

- 2. Wings
- 3. Adjust the spacing
- 4. They're usually locked
- 5. Atomic #43
- 6. Wise individuals 7. Horse mackerel
- 8. Pearl Jam's debut album
- 9. Confines
- 10. Colorless crystalline
- compound 11. Unsatisfactorily
- 12. Plant of the parsley family 14. Determines time
- 17. Causes the birth of
- 20. Small ornament on a
- watch chain
- 21. Richly decorated cloth tapestry

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- 23. Vito Corleone was one
- 25. Igbo musical instrument
- 26. Put in harmony
- 27. Japanese alcoholic drinks 29. Tinseltown
- 30. Closes tightly
- 32. Songs sung to one's lover
- 34. One thousandth of an inch 35. Small drink of whiskey
- 37. Political divisions in

ancient Greece

- 40. Helps little firms
- 42. Baby's eating accessory
- 43. Very long periods of time
- 47. Small block of wood
- 49. Town in Surrey, England
- 50. Enquiry
- 52. Murdered
- 53. Bura-__: Chadic language 55. Crater on Mars
- 56. Mammal genus
- 57 Sock
- 58. Make
- 59. Stony waste matter
- 61. Partner to cheese 65. Pound

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Open Arms Community Meal served Tuesdays

Open Arms Community Meal is served each Tuesday at St. Mary's Corpus Christi Center, 320 E. Washington Ave., Tomahawk. The Corpus Christi Center opens at 4 p.m., and the meal begins at 5 p.m. All are welcome to come and share fellowship with old and new friends. To volunteer at the Open Arms Community Meal, call 715-224-3306 and leave a message.

Eagle Summit Community Healing Rooms

Eagle Summit Community Healing Rooms, W5676 Water View Ln., Tomahawk, are open every Thursday night from 6 p.m. to 7:30 for prayer support. Eagle Summit is part of the International Association of Healing Rooms and features trained volunteers who offer free, confidential prayer support. Eagle Summit is a faith-based center open to all. For more information, contact Paula at paulapmt25@gmail.com or call Eagle Summit Healing Center 715 224-3490.

Historical Society encourages use of Allan Bell Memorial Trail

The Tomahawk Area Historical Society is encouraging Tomahawk residents and guests to visit the Allan Bell Memorial Trail, located behind the high school office on Kings Rd. "There, you will find a very interesting half-mile walk with ten interpretive signs set up by high school students," the Historical Society said.

WEATHER

DATE	HIGH (°F)	LOW (°F)
Sunday, Aug. 13	73	56
Monday, Aug. 14	67	42
Tuesday, Aug. 15	80	58
Wednesday, Aug. 16	82	59
Thursday, Aug. 17	66	40
Friday, Aug. 18	77	58
Saturday, Aug. 19	86	64

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