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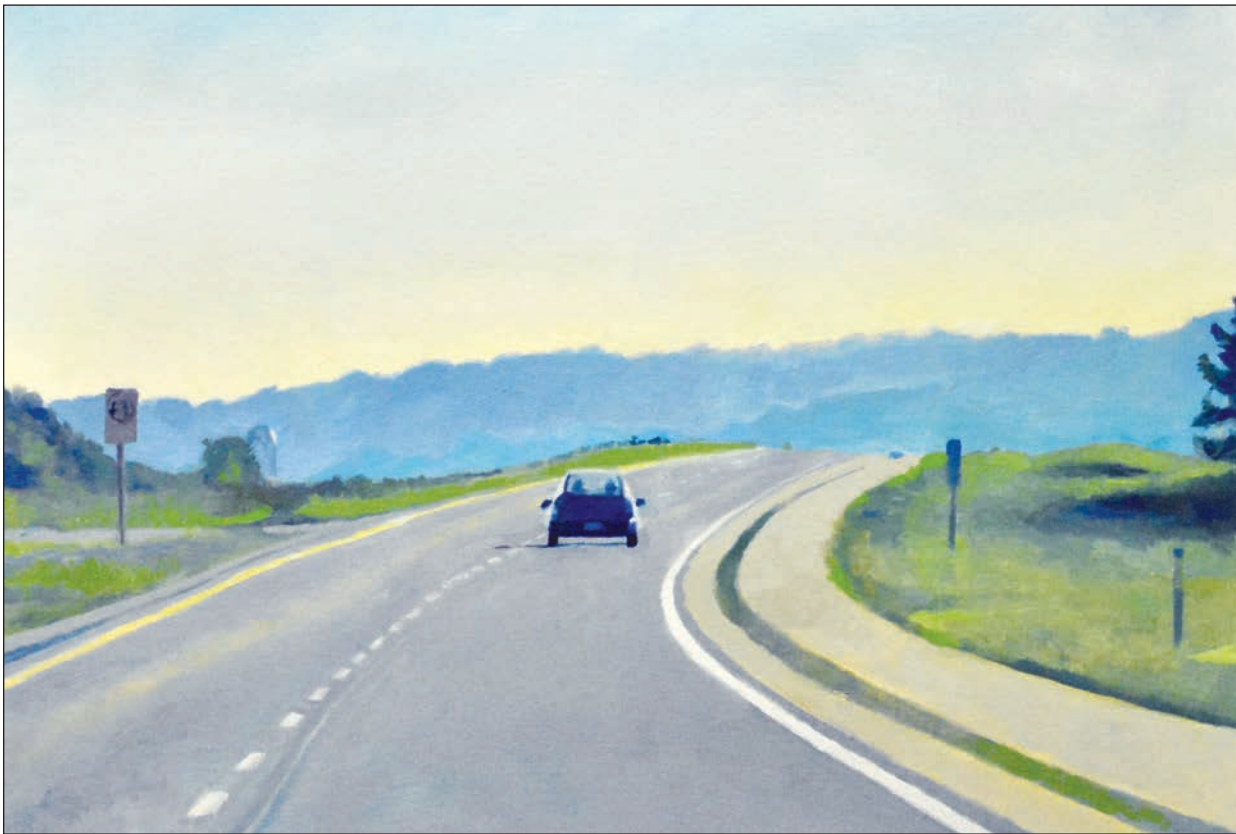
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Blue of Distance

"Blue of Distance," a 28-inch-by-21-inch oil-on-linen painting by Waupaca artist Kevin Knopp will be part of the 48th Juried Annual exhibition at the Miller Art Museum in downtown Sturgeon Bay. The exhibition runs from Sept. 15 through Oct. 28. This year's panel of jurors selected 73 works, from among 298 submissions, for inclusion in the exhibition. Knopp said the painting is from a photograph he took while commuting to a piano tuning appointment in La Crosse.

Submitted Image

Waupaca singer releases first EP

Inspired by journeys, friends

BY ROBERT CLOUD
SENIOR EDITOR

WAUPACA – Holly Maxam has been writing songs since she was 12 years old and composing on an electronic keyboard since age 13.

A 2020 graduate of Waupaca High School, Maxam appeared in the Waupaca County Post in 2019 as she was beginning to produce her music digitally for on-line release.

In August, she released her first extended play recording, "Miscellanea."

"My music style has changed," Maxam said, noting that she is a self-taught producer. "When I first started to make music, I was kind of limited. My music sounds a little different than



Holly Maxam was photographed at a river for her EP cover. Sounds of the river are sampled in her song, "Rivers Interlude." Photo by Haylie Jones

the stuff I put out before."

Maxam said she uses Apple Logic Pro, a digital music station that allows her to sample sounds that she incorporates into the instrumental part of her songs.

In "Ropes," one of the songs featured on her EP re-

cording, Maxam said, "All of the percussion was made by things on my desk like beads in a jar, tapping pens on the table or snapping my fingers."

She describes how changes in her life inspired "Ropes."

"Just like the song mentions, around this age, you

never really know what's going on or what to do," she said. "You can go to all different places, follow around all kinds of people while simultaneously trying to figure out who you even are. It's a bit of a scary, frustrating guessing game."

Born in the Philippines, Maxam lived in Washington state before moving to Waupaca.

"I've been traveling since I was 2 years old," she said. "Every time I travel, I grow. It opens your eyes."

Since graduating from high school, Maxam has lived in London and in Portugal. She worked as a grounds keeper in England and at the front desk at a hostel in Portugal.

"London was a very musical city," Maxam said. "The people you get to meet are also inspiring."

Maxam
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Clintonville police investigate murder

CLINTONVILLE – Police officers responding to an ambulance call at Memorial Circle at 12:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 4, found a woman who was on the ground bleeding from what appeared to be a stab wound.

Officers and Clintonville Area Ambulance Service staff performed life-saving measures on the 39-year-old victim from Neenah.

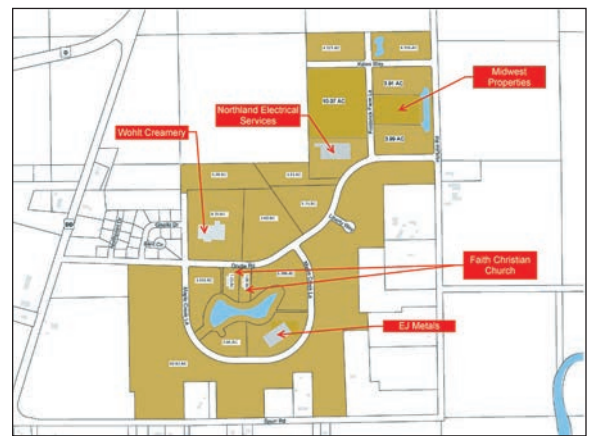
Theda Star transported the victim to Theda Care-Neenah, where she was later pronounced deceased. Officers quickly identi-

fied a suspect at the scene and took him into custody.

He is a 19-year-old man from Neenah. Police took him to the Waupaca County Jail, where he was booked in for first-degree intentional homicide.

Clintonville police are not releasing names of the victim or suspect at this time.

"Please be respectful to the families affected by this tragic incident and keep in mind this is still an ongoing investigation." Police Chief Craig Freitag said in a press release.



Selling land in business park

Job creation seen as priority

BY ROBERT CLOUD
SENIOR EDITOR

NEW LONDON – At the Aug. 29 Economic Development meeting, City Administrator Chad Hoerth continued discussion of the selling price for land in the North East Business Park.

Located within New London city limits, the business park is bordered by County Trunk DD and Spurr Road.

It was first developed in 1999 and expanded in 2011.

Hoerth told the committee that he looked at other business and industrial parks in the area.

Hoerth said Weyauwega and Clintonville charge \$10,000 per acre for land in their business parks.

Waupaca's asking price is \$40,000 per acre, "but they're willing to negotiate a lower price, even give it away as part of a development agreement," Hoerth said.

Shawano has a starting price of \$20,000 per acre, but they also have an incentive program to encourage development.

Hoerth also described some recent discussions he has had with potential developers or interested businesses.

"I have been asked flat out what we are currently asking per acre," Hoerth said.

He noted that a solar farm may be built about 7 miles outside city limits.

"They are looking at routing their transmission lines to the industrial park where ATC has their current substation," Hoerth said. "One of the things

this company is looking at doing is potentially having a battery facility."

Solar power would charge up the battery facility during the day. At night the batteries would discharge into the ATC substation.

ATC and New London Utilities both have substations in the industrial park.

"The solar company is looking for 15 acres to start," Hoerth said.

"In that type of scenario, I don't foresee a ton of job growth," Hoerth added, noting that he did not know what a battery facilities assessed value would be.

"I'd like to see that industrial park be used for job creation and some kind of industry that isn't just storage," said Ald. Tim Roberts, chair of the Economic Development committee.

"I'm really concerned with the battery thing with the solar part because that's so trendy right now and there's a lot of tax breaks and incentives going into that right now and in a year or two that might go away and what will happen to those batteries?" Roberts said. Would they just be abandoned there?"

"Remember, you have the final say if you sell it," Hoerth said. "Obviously, whoever we negotiate with, that comes to you and if you guys don't like the project, you're not selling the land. You own the land."

Hoerth said he appreciated the goal of job creation when negotiating the selling price of land in the industrial park.

Business Park
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30 years at city square

City hall, library celebrate

BY JAMES CARD
STAFF REPORTER

WAUPACA - There was a small gathering in front of the library on Aug. 30 to celebrate the 30-year anniversary of the library and city hall.

The new city hall and library building opened in 1993. Previously, the Waupaca County Courthouse stood in its place and it was the center of a long-running controversy that divided the community. The courthouse was in decrepit shape and there were those that wanted to preserve it and those found it more practical to raze it.

The library was previously located at 321 S. Main St. in the Carnegie building that is now home to the Holly History and Genealogy Center.

"I was not on city council when they moved the library from the old place. I've been in office for almost 26 years. Our city is so proud of the



Waupaca City Hall and the Waupaca Public Library celebrated 30 years on the city square. The building opened in 1993. James Card Photo

library that we have. It is one of the better libraries that you will see in any community and especially community of our size. It has a lot to do with the people that work at the library and it has to do with the residents of the Waupaca area that really feel like it is something special for them,"

said Mayor Brian Smith.

"It is a great and wonderful thing to have this location on the square. It contributes a great deal to what we do. It puts us literally as well as figuratively at the heart of the community. We look forward to many more years at this location serving the

community," said Library Director Eric Bailey.

Three Angels Dessert Shop donated two cakes decorated with the city hall and library emblems frosted upon them and another in the form of a magazine that briefly told the history of the move to the city square.

MAXAM
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While living in London, Maxam went to Belgium to meet a friend for the first time she met on Omegle, an online site that connects strangers at random. "We ended up getting along so well I went back to see him a second time before flying home," she wrote in her EP notes. "Naturally, I was pretty sad having to say goodbye to yet another best friend, so I was inspired to write about it."

Annihilation

A science-fiction novel and film inspired a song that Maxim released earlier this year. Based on a novel with the same name by Jeff Vandermeer and film directed by Alex Garland and starring Natalie Portman, "Annihilation" depicts of a group of armed scientists who venture into an expanding quarantined zone called The Shimmer. Inside The Shimmer, living things – plants, animals, people – are radically transformed, annihilated. "The entire thing is almost like a coded metaphor

about self destruction while simultaneously including strange aliens, mutations, suspense and all the other joys of a sci-fi novel," Maxam said in her notes on the song. She told the Waupaca County Post she also appreciated the dystopian themes in the story. The recent pandemic had its own apocalyptic feel to it, Maxam said. "You get to see a darker side of people when they're in those types of situations," she said. Her song "Annihilation" is also about transcending self-destruction and growing as a person. Some of the lyrics are inspired directly by the film's images: I'll grow with the daisies/ I'll be the clovers. Others express themes from the film: The earth is a foreign place/You call it home/But you're in space// I am an empty house/ To live around/To make no sound. After spending a year to produce the EP, Maxam now plans to focus on promoting her work. To hear Maxam's music, go to hollymaxam.com.

BUSINESS PARK
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Ald. Dave Dorsey said his goals with selling the land would be job creation and increasing the city's tax base. "I would have no problem with giving the land away if I knew there was a substantial employment opportunity coming in here," said Ald. BaLynda Croy. Committee member

Hans Thompson said he doubted the project's viability because it needs a corridor for transmitting its electricity and he observed significant opposition at a recent meeting. "They don't have eminent domain," Thompson said. "The project itself is all voluntary to get the electricity from the solar farm to that ATC substation and there were an awful lot of residents who were dead

set against it and if they can't find a corridor to get it there, it won't happen," Thompson said. **Data center** Hoerth described a data center that is currently looking for an initial 50-acre site. The center would need 200 to 500 megawatts to operate. Hoerth said he discussed the project with Jason Besette, the general manager

of New London Utilities, who said the entire city of New London uses a maximum of 32 megawatts. "The electricity requirement that they're looking at would be triple if not quadruple of what the entire city uses today," Hoerth said. At the end of the discussion on the North East Business Park, Hoerth said he would prepare some formal documents for the committee to review.

Waupaca County grand, reserve champions

Award-winning youth exhibitors

COUNTY – Youth from kindergarten through age 19, members of 4-H, FFA and breed organizations entered projects in animal as well as non-animal classes like photography, woodworking, communications, and plant and soil sciences. Participants knew they would be competing for awards and honors that would create special memories for a lifetime. The level of excitement was high when exhibits were being judged. Each judge shared reasons for choosing the "best" in the class and made suggestions for improvement on other projects. Not only did those entering learn from the judge, but



Onan Retzlaff, of the Woodland Badgers 4-H, won Grand Champion for this yearling ewe at the Waupaca County Fair. Holly Neumann Photo

What could have been done to improve the entry? And make plans for next year.

Grand Champions

Guernsey, Emma Scho-neck, Clintonville FFA; Jersey, Eli Hamm, Junior Holstein Assoc.; Brown Swiss, Hailey Burmeister, Woodland Badgers 4-H; Ayrshire, Zach Korth, New London FFA; Grade Holstein, Lora Korth, New London FFA; Registered Holstein, Aaron Hamm, Junior Holstein Assoc.; Beef Market Steer/Crossbred, Claire Duch, New London FFA; Beef Dairy Steer; Jenna Olson; Lind Center Beavers 4-H, Swine-Market; Claire Duch, New London FFA; Swine-Crossbred Gilt; Addyson Boutwell, Peterson **Champions** CONTINUES ON PAGE 3

PUBLISHER'S LETTER
Driving the Body Hard

Dear Reader, We all take life at a certain pace. Some are chill and let it happen. Others are more deliberate and plan it all out. And then there are those that are riding the winds and tackling the storms with only the illusion of fear. Based on those options, life can be long, much longer, or possibly a little shorter.



There isn't any way to judge which is the better choice because we all punch out eventually at the end of the trail. So the question is, do you want to cross over to the other side pristine and completely intact? Or do you want to leave everything on the field, from nose to toes? Maybe it depends on what you're trying to do – accomplish some good things, or hang out and watch the world go by. Your call.

PATRICK J. WOOD
Publisher

Waupaca County sheriff's report

- Aug. 28 – The New London Police Department requested assistance with a domestic situation.
- Aug. 28 – A Waupaca woman on Apple Tree Lane requested a welfare check on a New London man who was biking around Stevens Point with no water.
- Aug. 28 – An unknown caller reported her boyfriend has a history of physical abuse and anger issues. They broke up and now she was told that all of her stuff is outside of the house.
- Aug. 28 – A Fremont woman on Arrowhead Road reported finding an empty [firearms] shell in the bathroom at the Waupaca County Forest.
- Aug. 29 – A Fremont man on State Highway 96 reported two tires were slashed on his single-axle trailer.
- Aug. 29 – A Waupaca woman on Demarest Av-

- enue reported a man was throwing things around.
- Aug. 29 – Winnebago Sheriff Department reported a man sent a suicidal text message to his probation agent and he was now in the Fremont area.
- Aug. 29 – Rawhide Youth Services reported a resident "went after" a staff member.
- Aug. 29 – An Ogdensburg caller reported his neighbor was playing loud music with a heavy bass sound. He has spoken to the neighbor about it for the last two years and the neighbor plays the music louder. The caller said he can hear the music in his own house.
- Aug. 29 – A Milwaukee man reported a near drowning incident that occurred in 2013. The caller's uncle tried to drown him in front of his aunt and the rest of the family.
- Aug. 29 – An anonymous caller reported a suspicious blue Chevy Impala parked in the middle of a field with nobody around.
- Aug. 29 – A Clintonville woman on 14th Street reported being hit in the face with a

- can of Twisted Tea.
- Aug. 29 – A Waupaca caller on West Road reported a man wearing blue shorts and no shirt was talking to himself on the side of the road. He was head northbound to Waupaca.
- Aug. 29 – A female caller requested a welfare check on her child. Her ex has a history of abuse and was acting aggressive. She was concerned for the child.
- Aug. 29 – A Marion man on State Highway 110 reported a vehicle crashed into a house and went through the wall. He said he heard a moaning sound.
- Aug. 29 – An anonymous caller reported a man who "was using again." He was currently on drugs and was making "weird noises and grunting."
- Aug. 30 – An Lola man on Anderson Road reported he was not home but his children notified him that a suspicious white minivan was driving up and down the road multiple times. The vehicle pulled into their driveway and a person said they have a knife. The daughter asked the people to

- leave and they did.
- Aug. 30 – A Manawa man reported he was having problems with low water pressure. He went outside and found water pouring from his garden hose. Since the water had not yet run down to the road, he guessed that somebody recently turned it on.
- Aug. 30 – A New London woman on County Trunk T reported a stalking situation.
- Aug. 30 – Rawhide Youth Services reported a juvenile runaway.
- Aug. 30 – A Weyauwega man on Lakeshore Court reported his son was upset and tried to start a fire in the residence.
- Aug. 30 – A New London woman on Otto Road reported a man was recently fired for not showing up to work. He was currently at her residence and was being aggressive to the caller.
- There were very few deer-auto collisions during this period. The water patrol stopped two boats and two controlled burns were called in. A horse was reported running loose near Royalton.

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Best wishes and big congratulations to **Lucille Chaffee** who celebrates her **102nd birthday** on September 7th! She says the secrets to a long healthy life are a positive attitude, golf, bridge and of course lottery scratch offs!

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Waupaca NEWS



David HB Drake will perform classic folk songs Sept. 11 in Waupaca's South Park. Submitted Photo

Drake performs classic folk songs

Concert in South Park

WAUPACA – David HB Drake will present “Blowing in the Wind: Classic Folk Songs from the ‘50s and ‘60s” at 6 p.m. Monday, Sept. 11, during a “porch concert” at the Hutchinson House in Waupaca’s South Park.

The park’s upper shelter will be used in case of rain.

This entertaining and educational program is free and open to the public. It is co-produced by Winchester Academy, the Waupaca Historical Society and Waupaca Parks and Rec Department.

Wisconsin troubadour David HB Drake has spent more than 30 years presenting concerts at fine arts centers, festivals, schools, community centers and concert

stages throughout the Midwest.

His original songs can be heard on the “Simply Folk” program on Wisconsin Public Radio, and he has performed on tall ships on the Atlantic, Pacific and Great Lakes.

Drake reminds audiences of the powerful anthems and timeless songs that resonate in today’s world from when the times, they were a-changin’.

He invites everyone to sing along with the classic folk songs of the ‘50s and ‘60s including Peter, Paul and Mary, the Kingston Trio, Pete Seeger, and Bob Dylan, Joni Mitchell, John Denver, and more.

This musical panorama is performed on guitar, concertina, dulcimer, banjo and Native American flute.

Winchester Academy is

trying something new with a community potluck starting at 5 p.m. in the South Park Upper Shelter. Pulled pork sandwiches will be provided. Guests should bring a dish to share, a chair or blanket for the concert and a friend.

Additional performances by Drake at the Wisconsin Veterans’ Home and at Waupaca Middle School are supported by a grant from the Selma and Gerald Knoepfel Memorial Fund.

Rex and Linda Pope are sponsors for this program.

For more information or to receive email notification of future Winchester Academy programs, contact Executive Director Ann Linden at 715-258-2927 or winchesterwaupaca@gmail.com. General information is available at winchesterwaupaca.org.

Unlicensed therapist pleads guilty

BY JAMES CARD
STAFF REPORTER

WAUPACA – Bobbie Jean Studzinski entered guilty pleas to misdemeanor charges of forgery and the unlicensed practice of psychology.

Studzinski operated Rain Tree Wellness Counseling and did not have the therapist licensing to practice in the state of Wisconsin. She had no credentials listed with Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services or the Department of Health Services.

Studzinski’s professional subterfuge was uncovered by Jessie Lalla, a former client. She received marriage counseling from Studzinski with her former husband Michael between autumn of 2018 through the summer of 2021.

In the spring of 2022, Lalla went to a new therapist in Appleton who requested notes from Studzinski. Her Family and Medical Leave Act paperwork was signed as

LPC and LCSW (Licensed Professional Counselor and Licensed Clinical Social Worker). The new therapist thought it was strange to have both credentials as they are so similar so she looked up Studzinski’s license and could not find any record of it.

They reported Studzinski to the Department of Safety and Professional Services who later confirmed their suspicions. That same day, Lalla noticed that Studzinski’s website for Rain Tree Wellness Counseling was taken down, along with her business Facebook page and her business was no longer on Google Maps.

Judge Raymond Huber ordered Studzinski to compensate Lalla \$3,500 in restitution and \$2,000 in court fees.

“This isn’t about the money for me. I can only imagine what my marriage could have been with real therapy, with someone who knew what they were doing. I think about how Michael went to her in real crisis, right before he lost

his job, and well he lost his job (this was right after our divorce). Could that have been prevented with real mental health help? I think about all the people who went to her over the years with significant mental health issues and did not get the help they really needed. Did they make it out okay? She listed a long list of things she treated on her webpage, nothing for which she was trained to treat,” said Lalla by email.

Her former husband, Michael Lalla, a U.S. Army veteran, has recently worked as a volunteer in Ukraine. His main mission was evacuating people in small towns near the frontlines and getting them to safety.

He also delivered aid from church groups to people who refused to leave their homes.

In May, a fundraising event was held at the Gerold Opera House in Weyauwega for Lalla to head back to Ukraine, purchase a vehicle and reunite with his search-and-rescue team.

CHAMPIONS

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Mill 4-H, Sheep-Market, Isaac Doyle, Peterson Mill 4-H; Sheep - Southdown, Olivia Loehrke, Casey Lake 4-H;

Sheep - Texel, Onan Retzlaff, Woodland Badgers 4-H; Sheep - Hampshire, Rylee Nelson, Dayton Community 4-H; Sheep - Crossbred, Olivia Santos, Manawa FFA;

Sheep- Any Other Wool Breed, Mallex Raisler, Lebanon Cedars 4-H; Goats-Dairy, Cassidy Ruppel, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Market Goat, Miriam Shofner, Wisconsin Show Pig;

Goats-Exotics, Morgan Williams, New London FFA; Horse English Equitation, Kendal Fabisiak, Lebanon Cedars 4-H; Horse English Pleasure, Kendal Fabisiak, Lebanon Cedars 4-H;

Horse Western Horsemanship, Kendal Fabisiak, Lebanon Cedars 4-H; Horse Western Pleasure, Kendal Fabisiak, Lebanon Cedars 4-H; Horse English Showmanship, Ryleigh Farkas, Diamond Dreamers;

Horse Western Showmanship, Kendal Fabisiak, Lebanon Cedars 4-H; Horse -Halter, Tara Schachtschneider, Wisconsin Workers 4-H; Market Poultry, Trevor Hoewisch, Dayton Community 4-H;

Poultry, Kersten Zimmerman, Clintonville FFA; Market Rabbit, August Johnson, Country Pride 4-H; Rabbit Agility, Cassandra Stevenson; Casey Lake 4-H; Rabbit, Scott Zimmer-



Kersten Zimmerman, Clintonville FFA, won a Grand Champion ribbon for poultry at the Waupaca County Fair Aug. 23-27 in Weyauwega.

Holly Neumann photo

man, Clintonville FFA; Dog Obedience, Max Dietzler, Lind Center Beavers 4-H; Dog Showmanship, Isabelle Dietzler, Lind Center Beavers 4-H;

Dog Agility, Kendal Fabisiak, Lebanon Cedars 4-H; Small Pets, Joseph Enoch III, Peterson Mill 4-H; Animal & Vet Science, Elizabeth Murphy, Lebanon Cedars 4-H;

Cats, Mycah Livy McNamee, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Plant & Soil Science, Isabel Zirbel, Town & Country 4-H; Plant & Soil Science, Kendall Orr, Chain O’ Lakes 4-H;

Flowers/Houseplants, Lake Curtis, Baldwin’s Mill 4-H; Flowers/Houseplants, Hailey Burmeister, Woodland Badgers 4-H; Plant Crafts, Alivia Trinrud, Mana-

wa FFA;

Naturespace, Sophie Stueck, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Visual Arts, Abbey Acker, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Visual Arts, Abbey Acker, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Visual Arts, Sophie Stueck, Sandy Knoll 4-H;

Visual Arts, Jasmine Cunningham, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Visual Arts, Elisabeth Lybert, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Photography, Olivia Ritchie, Woodland Badgers 4-H;

Photography, Jocelyn Rosenthal, Wolf River Rasicals 4-H; Computers, Brooklyn Grimm, Country Pride 4-H; Electricity/Mechanical, Grant Knoespel, Sandy Knoll 4-H;

Woodworking, A&B,

Champions

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Chamber events in September

WAUPACA – The Waupaca Area Chamber of Commerce will celebrate Wisconsin Chamber of Commerce Month in September.

“Our Chamber has been in existence since 1931 helping businesses, through promotion, education, and advocating for businesses at the local, state and federal level. Plus promoting tourism year long and supporting economic development in our community,” said Terri Schulz, chamber president and CEO. “We want our businesses to succeed, offering jobs to help create a community that is a great place to live, work and have fun.”

To celebrate Wisconsin Chamber of Commerce Month, the Waupaca Area Chamber will host several events and special programs.

Buy Local Wednesdays

Purchase a Chamber Gift Certificate at \$5 off a \$25 certificate, limit four per person, every Wednesday in September. Gift Certificates are good at more than 320 local businesses. Must be purchased in person at the chamber office, 315 S. Main St, Waupaca.

Tuesday, Sept. 12

Rising Leaders Waupaca Railroad Depot Tour at 5:30 p.m. A guided tour of the former Soo Line Railroad Depot. Guests will have an opportunity to network and learn the history of Waupaca’s depot.

Friday, Sept. 15

Connect for Success will be held from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. at Aquamos Coffee Collaborative. A networking opportunity to promote local business.

Tuesday, Sept. 19

Professional headshots from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Schedule a 15-minute appointment with professional photographer Tim Koll and receive a professional portrait.

Thursday, Sept. 21

Educational workshop on Attention Management. On average, adults

switch tasks at work every three minutes and check their phone every five minutes. The inability to focus is robbing companies of efficiency and limiting work satisfaction. Presenter Dr. Ivan Wayne will discuss the main causes and how the whole staff can pay better attention.

Saturday, Sept. 23

Waupaca Uncorked – During this wine walk participants can sample 21 different wines at local businesses from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tickets are available online at www.waupacaareachamber.com or at the chamber office.

Tuesday, Sept. 26

Business After 5 will be held at Simpson’s Restaurant from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. The event offers more opportunities for networking and meeting new and old business contacts.

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Clintonville NEWS



Clintonville Class of 1968

The Clintonville High School Class of 1968 held its 55th class reunion on Friday and Saturday, Aug. 25-26. The reunion began with a gathering at Mathew's on Friday evening. On display were a class reunion booklet and obituaries of classmates. Saturday featured golf at Clintonville Riverside Golf Course, followed by a meal and a silent auction. Members of the reunion committee were Connie (Gensler) Schoelkopf, Sherri (Flink) Haskins, Linda (Henn) Portney, Jackie (Nordwig) Fandrey, Cheryl (Danner) Reissmann, Penny (Malliet) Gruetzmacher, and Tom and Margaret (Nolan) Kroll. Approximately 80 people, both classmates and spouses, attended the reunion, with about 55 classmates.

Submitted Photo

Fall Frenzy set for Sept. 16

CLINTONVILLE – The annual Fall Frenzy event is scheduled from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, in downtown Clintonville.

This year's event will include a variety of vendors for attendees to visit. There will also be food trucks, live music, kids' games, bounce houses, face painting, a pie contest, duck race and a cornhole tournament.

Along with the Clintonville Chamber of Commerce, the Fall Frenzy event is co-sponsored by B&H Footwear/Fashionwear.

New this year is a 5K race

hosted by Onward Clintonville.

A kayak race sponsored by the Pigeon Lake Rehabilitation District will be held at 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, at the Icehouse Landing.

Pie contest

The pie baking contest is sponsored by Tadych's and Adelle's Bluebird Café. Categories include apple, pumpkin, pecan and chocolate. Prizes will be awarded in each category, with \$100 going to the best overall pie.

Pies will be sold after the winners are announced at

9:30 a.m. with the proceeds going to Clintonville Area Ambulance for new CPR machines.

Rubber duckies

A rubber duckie race will be held from 11 a.m. to noon. Rubber ducks can be purchased for \$2 each or three for \$5 from any Pigeon Lake board member or at local establishments. The races will start just below the dam in Clintonville and go into W.A. Olen Park. Funds will support natural habitat and shoreline restoration.

Clintonville grad named national finalist

INDIANAPOLIS – More than 20 agricultural teachers and college professors from throughout the U.S. recently met virtually to determine what FFA members and teams will compete for top honors for 2023 National FFA Agricultural Proficiency Awards.

Jacob Harbaugh, of the Clintonville FFA chapter, has been named a national finalist this year for the Agri-

cultural Services Agricultural Proficiency Award.

Agricultural Proficiency Awards honor FFA members who, through supervised agricultural experiences (SAEs), have developed specialized skills that they can apply toward their future careers. Students compete in areas ranging from

agricultural communications to wildlife management. Proficiency awards are

also recognized at local and state levels and provide recognition to members exploring and becoming established in agricultural career pathways.

The National FFA Organization is a school-based national youth leadership development organization of more than 945,000 student members as part of 9,163 local FFA chapters in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Clintonville PD receives grant

Funding for records management

BY BERT LEHMAN
STAFF REPORTER

CLINTONVILLE – The Clintonville Police Department will purchase a new records management system after it was awarded a \$113,000 grant from the Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program available through the U.S. Department of Justice.

The Clintonville City Council approved the acceptance of the grant at its Aug. 8 meeting. By accepting the grant, the police department can move forward with purchasing a new records management system and CAD system. The department will be reimbursed for 100% of the cost of the system.

At the June 13 city council meeting, City Administrator Caz Muske said the police department had received word that it was approved for the grant.

Muske said she and Police Chief Craig Freitag worked together applying

for the grant. This new system would help the department with its information gathering, as well as communications both within the department and with other police departments.

At the same meeting, Freitag told the council that the department hadn't been very successful recently in obtaining grants, but it was awarded this grant.

"Our records management system that we have (now) works, but it's essentially one employee who runs that system now," Freitag said. "If something happens to that gentleman, we're out of luck."

Freitag said that every police department in Waupaca County, except Clintonville, is using the records management system that the Clintonville Police Department will be receiving with the grant funds.

"We'll be able to share information quickly," Freitag said.

Freitag said the new system will also make the department more efficient.

"It's a game-changer for us," Freitag said.

He said that it will take a lot of work to get the

system installed, and the department probably won't start using the system until around January.

According to the grant summary sheet, by updating its records management system, the Clintonville Police Department will be able to generate crime analysis, presentation, and archiving. It will also allow the department to compile detailed, organized crime summary and activity information such as offenses, arrests, and law incidents for submitting IBR reports.

Masonic Lodge donation

The Clintonville Police Department also received a \$12,000 donation from the Clintonville Masonic Lodge. The donated funds are to be used to purchase six new AEDs for the department's patrol cars.

The replacement of the department's AEDs was in the 2024-2031 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) budget. This donation will allow the AEDs purchase to be removed from the CIP budget.



Woodland Badgers

Members of the Woodland Badgers 4-H Club recently picked up garbage at W.A. Olen Park in Clintonville. They also explored new places in the park. From left, BACK: Zoie Zaddack, Bryce Burmeister, Ehlana Zaddack, Lexi Welter and Ellie Blash; FRONT: Owen Burmeister.

Submitted Photo

Halloween costume swap at library

CLINTONVILLE – the Clintonville Public Library will host a costume swap to

keep Halloween spooky and fun for everyone. The program is scheduled

from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, Sept. 25-28, and again from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 2-3.

"With the cost of living continuing to rise, the library genuinely wants to help alleviate some of the financial burden for our community," said Clintonville Youth Services Librarian Hannah Dahlman. "Please make sure all donated costumes and accessories are clean and in decent condition."

The library does not guarantee that everyone who donates will find a new costume to take home.

The program was made possible because Goodfellows of Clintonville and Marion their clothing racks to the library.

For more information, call Dahlman at the library at 715-823-7133.

Man charged with reckless endangerment

COUNTY – Michael D. Mathis Sr., 35, Clintonville, is charged with second-degree reckless endangerment, two counts of disorderly conduct as acts of domestic abuse and felony bail jumping.

At 5:42 a.m. July 30, Clintonville police responded to a disorderly conduct complaint that Mathis had been drinking all night and had attempted to defecate in a baby's bassinet.

The caller recommended that multiple officers respond because she believed Mathis would be combative due to his drinking.

While police were en route, they learned that Mathis had left the residence in his vehicle.

Clintonville Police Officer Katlyn Garbers made contact with the caller, who accused Mathis of trying to run

her over as he was driving out of the driveway.

Garbers also spoke with Mathis' girlfriend. She said noise in the living room woke her up at approximately 5:30 a.m. She went into the living room carrying their newborn infant. She said she found Mathis sitting on the couch with no pants or underwear on.

According to the criminal complaint, Mathis allegedly stood up, walked over to the bassinet, squatted over it and attempted to defecate in it.

The girlfriend has other three children, ages 1-5, living in the house. When she heard one of them coming into the living room, she yelled at Mathis that he needed to put some clothes on because not being dressed was unacceptable when the

children were around.

The girlfriend contacted her mother, who lives about one block away, via video chat about Mathis' behavior.

When he learned the mother and police were coming over, Mathis allegedly became upset. He then grabbed the keys and left the house.

While there were no feces inside the bassinet, Garbers reported observing that a blanket and pillow in the bassinet were soaked with what smelled like urine.

Mathis is currently on probation after being convicted of disorderly conduct as an act of domestic abuse on Oct. 25, 2022.

He was released from custody on a \$2,000 signature bond.

Mathis is scheduled for an adjourned initial hearing on Sept. 5.

Position Available

CLINTONVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT CHS Rec Center – Full-Time Lifeguard

The CHS Rec Center is seeking applicants for a full-time lifeguard to start as soon as possible. This position is 40 hours per week with benefits. Certification in Lifeguarding, First Aid, and CPR is preferred, but the Rec Center will train and certify if necessary. Starting wage is dependent on experience.

The District offers a highly competitive benefits package, including front-loaded HRA and optional flexible spending accounts, health, dental, vision, long and short-term disability, and life insurance, as well as Wisconsin Retirement System benefits.

Applications can be picked up at CHS Rec Center, and also available on District website: <https://www.clintonville.k12.wi.us/page/support-staff-positions>

Submit applications to:

Ashley Flanagan – CHS Rec Center
330 N. Harriet St. Clintonville, WI 54929 or
aflanagan@clintonville.k12.wi.us

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New London & Hortonville NEWS

Three events in New London

Car show, fall fest, color run

NEW LONDON – Three large events will take place this weekend in New London, all of them along Werner Allen Road.

On Friday, Sept. 8, the Wheels on Werner Allen Car and Cycle Show runs from 5-9 p.m.

The rain or shine show welcomes all makes and models. There are no entry or spectator fees for the show which offers dash plaques to the first 150 vehicles and event patches to the first 50 motorcycles and ATVs who enter.

No pre-registration is required.

Spectators can enjoy some classics, participate in raffles and win prizes while listening to music from Yo DJ Entertainment.

The New London Lions Club will have food and beverages for sale in the beer garden of Hatten Park. No carry-ins permitted.

More information and

staging details can be found at newlondonchamber.com.

Fall Fest

On Saturday, Sept. 9, New London's annual Fall Fest takes place at a new location along Werner Allen Road from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Visitors can see over 200 craft booths, produce and market vendors lining the road.

The New London Area Chamber of Commerce booth is offering free samples of Wisconsin's finest cheese and sausage manufactured locally. Products will also be available for purchase.

Children and families can enter the Fun Zone area starting at 10 a.m. The fun zone will be located near the Waters Supper Club and Lounge. Families can enjoy a bouncy house, obstacle course, face painting, balloon twisting, a magician, dunk tank, dig for treasures, games and more.

The New London FFA is hosting a children's petting zoo and New London Fire

Department will have fire trucks on display.

Live music and entertainment will be ongoing throughout the day.

There are no fees for the event.

Parking is available in Hatten Park and near the middle school and side streets leading up to Werner Allen Road.

Color splash run/walk

On Sunday, Sept. 10, Longevity Nutrition will hold a hybrid Shine Bright against Cancer Color Splash run/walk event at noon, in Hatten Park or from anywhere in the world virtually.

Those who are unavailable to participate in person at Hatten Park can still participate online at any time between Sept. 10 and 16.

Participants will join together to bring awareness to cancer and those currently in the fight, those who have survived and those who will be memorialized.

Longevity will be raffling off a \$100 gift card during the run/walk.

Fall programs at public library

NEW LONDON – Throughout the month of September, children may pick up take-home craft kits for making a paper chain flower, a cat with many faces, and a camera.

The adult take-home craft for the month is an upcycled fabric bolt scarecrow.

Story Time takes place at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesdays from Sept. 13 through Dec. 20. Story Time is geared toward children ages 2-5, but everyone is welcome. There will be no

story Time Oct. 25. Registration is required by calling 920-982-8519.

Babygarden will continue at 9:30 a.m. on Thursdays from Sept. 14 through Dec. 21. There will be no Babygarden on Oct. 26 and Nov. 23. Babygarden provides a time for parents and infants to enjoy rhymes, songs and stories. A social playtime for the children will follow.

Teen Dungeons and Dragons will move to Saturday in fall.

The sessions will take place from 10 a.m. to noon Sept. 30, Oct. 28, and Nov. 25. All experience levels are welcome. Players are encouraged to bring their own polyhedral dice sets if they have them. Several sets are available to borrow. To register, call 920-982-8519.

The Next Chapter Book Group will meet at 6 p.m. Monday, Sept. 25. They will discuss Pam Jenoff's "The Woman With the Blue Star." Books are available at the circulation desk.

Thern Farm listed on Register

First for New London

BY JAMES CARD
STAFF REPORTER

NEW LONDON – The State Historic Preservation Review Board voted Friday, Aug. 18, to include the Thern Farm on the State Register of Historic Places.

It is the first property in New London to be listed on the register.

"It's very exciting for us," said Megan Koehler, program director of the Thern Farm and Historical Village.

She and other members attended the state board's meeting in Green Bay.

The 15-member review board meets quarterly. The board

acts on nominations to the State Register and the National Register of Historic Places.

The application for the designations included a 54-page document that covered the geographic data, property ownership, building inventory and architectural descriptions, statements of historical significance and context, bibliographic references, maps and photos.

The Thern Farm has nine buildings on the premises and they are a well-preserved example of 19th- and 20th-century dairy farm buildings.

The Thern Farm was home to the first New London Fair. It was held in September 1891 and thousands of people arrived by horse, buggy and train. A grandstand, racetrack and the gatekeeper's lodge

were built. The last New London fair was in 1912.

The Thern Farm has two prestigious designations: in 2014, it received a Century Farm Award for 100 years of family ownership of the land. In 2015, a Wisconsin Historical Society sign was erected that details the history of the place. That same year, the farm became part of the New London Heritage Historical Society.

The farm hosts events throughout the year such as Rhubarb Fest which was conceived from the over 100-year old rhubarb plants that grow on the property. The next big event is Fall Fun on the Farm from 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, Oct. 21. There will be wagon rides, arts and crafts, camel apples and free pumpkins for children.

New pupil services staff in New London school district

NEW LONDON – The New London School District recently welcomed six new Pupil Services staff.

Jenny Penn was hired as a district nurse. Penn received her master's degree in nursing from Maryville University in St. Louis, Missouri.

Penn is originally from New London.

She has previously worked as a registered nurse, nurse educator and nursing instructor, and will now serve students in all district schools.

Penn said she is looking forward to meeting students and learning her new duties.

Alishia Krueger is a New London native who pursued degrees from Fox Valley Tech-



New Pupil Services staff in the New London School District are, from left, Elizabeth Maus, Meghan Anderson, Mary Joe Booker, Elizabeth Sonnenberg, Jenny Penn and Alishia Krueger. Submitted Photo

nical College and Concordia University in Wisconsin.

She has previously worked with patients across the lifespan from geriatrics to pediatrics.

She will work as an occupational therapist in all buildings.

Krueger said she chose her career field because she wanted to be able to help others live

their best lives.

She said she is looking forward to collaborating with school staff and students in creating the best learning opportunities possible for stu-

dents, and have fun while doing it.

Meghan Anderson will serve as a school psychologist at the New London Intermediate/Middle School and High School.

Anderson received her bachelor's degree psychology and intercultural studies from Elmhurst College and her master's in educational psychology from Alverno College.

She has previously worked applied behavioral analysis and as a special education paraprofessional.

Anderson said she became a school psychologist because she is passionate about helping students get the resources

they need to reach their full potential.

She said she is looking forward to helping students feel safe and succeed academically and socially.

Elle Maus was hired as a school counselor for the fifth and sixth grades.

Maus received her bachelor's degree from Marquette University and her master's degree from UW-Stout.

She has previously served students for five years as a counselor at Prairie View Elementary School.

Maus said she went into her career field because she wanted to be someone who

Staff

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Wega-Fremont NEWS

Fire department seeks expansion

Prevention outreach for students

WEYAUWEGA – The Weyauwega Area Fire District board has given permission to the Weyauwega Fire Department to include an advisory non-binding referendum during the April 2024 election.

The fire department is seeking \$3.5 million over 20 years for a station renovation and expansion from the city of Weyauwega, the towns of Weyauwega, Royalton and Lind.

The Weyauwega Fire Department protects two-thirds of Royalton and the east half of Lind.

The referendum is to gather citizen input and each municipality must make their own decision regarding the plan.

The Weyauwega Area Fire District protects 68.3 square miles and serves approximately 4,000 people.

To reduce costs to taxpayers, the fire department is launching a fundraising campaign and forgoing two planned truck replacements valued at \$1.2 million.

The department has written grants and also hosts two fundraisers per year to supplement their budget for equipment upgrades and

replacements. They will use some of those funds to purchase items prior to the renovation to reduce the cost.

The renovation and expansion is to replace the deteriorating Clark building that is used for trailer storage and to update the 40-year-old station that is in need of major fixes.

Upgrades include adding carcinogen elimination systems and decontamination area, replacing a failing HVAC system, increasing space for workspace, vehicles and equipment, replacing overhead and personnel doors, repairing and resurfacing the concrete floors, increasing bay sizes for larger vehicles, and adding new building appliances.

The fire department plans to host an open house and informational sessions in the near future.

Fire prevention

The Weyauwega Fire Department conducts fire prevention activities with students at the schools in Weyauwega.

The first activity is high school students is the Fire-fighter Experience on Saturday, Sept. 23. They will get to try on bunker gear, be introduced to SCUBA (self-contained breathing apparatus) and the Jaws of Life (the tool used to gain access in vehicle

accidents).

They can try search and rescue in a smoke-filled house (its harmless fake smoke) and they can spray the fire hoses and put out a fire in a container with a fire extinguisher. Pizza will be served for lunch.

Forms to attend are available at the Weyauwega Public Library and Weyauwega-Fremont High School. There is a waiver form that the adults need to initial and a \$10 deposit that will be returned on the day of the event. The deadline to sign up is Friday, Sept. 15.

The week of Oct. 9 is Fire Prevention Week. During this week, school classes will visit the fire station and the firefighters will visit the Weyauwega Elementary School and St. Peter School. This is the first year to include home-schooled students.

The fire department would like to know the number of interested home-schooled students who want to participate. Deadline for that is Sept. 11. The department will need to know the numbers of students, what grades they are in and their contact information.

To learn more and participate, call the fire station at 920-867-2119, and leave a message with your phone number or call Debbie Buchholz at 920-867-2964 or email her at dbuchholz@centurytel.net.

Lake earlier this year.

The races are broken down by classes that range from 65 mph and under and going up to an unlimited class for boats racing at 106 mph and more.

ed by the Web Footers Ski Team and the Bridge Bar & Grill. This is the season finale for the drag boat racing circuit and racers will compete for high-point leader title.

Other races were held in Stevens Point and Pelican

Milestone for library expansion

WEYAUWEGA – The library expansion project recently gained momentum as the Weyauwega Public Library accepted a bid for construction.

Currently they are awaiting the state plan review. After state approval, they will find out when they can be put on the construction schedule and when groundbreaking will take place.

The new addition will be a 30 by 30-foot space that will be a quiet area reserved for adults. Growing demand for the library's resources and services prompted this expansion that has been years in the making.

The Marilyn Taylor



The Weyauwega Public Library is one step closer to its planned expansion and is awaiting state review. The new space will serve adult patrons. Submitted image

Wohlt Cheese Fund provided the initial funding to launch the project.

The library board is asking for community support for donations to go toward furnishing the new space and for outside landscaping.

Vacant seat on W-F school board

BY JAMES CARD
STAFF REPORTER

WEYAUWEGA – The Weyauwega-Fremont School Board held for a special meeting on Aug. 30 to declare a vacancy on the board for a member representing the towns of Wolf River and Bloomfield.

Jim Stuebs previously held this position. His reason for stepping down was not discussed.

The board will solicit candidates to fill the open spot for a term that will last until next year's election.

Interested candidates in the Wolf River-Bloomfield area should apply by contacting District Administrator Philip Tubbs with a resume. The deadline is Oct. 6, but will remain open until filled. The board will later interview and select a candidate.

Also during the meeting, the board voted unanimously to elect Eric Kohl as the new treasurer. It was the position previously held by Stuebs.

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Due to the resignation of Council Member Tim Litscher, there is now an open position on City Council for Aldermanic District 2. If interested in being appointed to City Council, please contact the City Clerk at 920-867-2630 or bloehrke@cityofweyauwega-wi.gov for assistance.

Candidates must reside in Aldermanic District 2. Candidate paperwork and map of aldermanic district boundary lines can be obtained from the City Clerk. Paperwork is due to the City Clerk by Friday, September 15, 2023 for appointment at the September 18, 2023 Council Meeting.

Posted: August 31, 2023
Rebecca Loehrke
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Racing on the Wolf River

FREMONT – The Upper Midwest Power Boat Association will return to Fremont for a second consecutive year and hold races on the Wolf River Saturday, Sept. 9. The races begin at 11 a.m. The sporting event is hosted

Iola-Scandinavia NEWS

Norske Needlers to hold quilt show

BY HOLLY NEUMANN
STAFF REPORTER

IOLA – The Norske Needlers will hold their annual quilt show from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday Sept. 23, at the Iola Car Show Activity Center.

More than 200 quilts and quilted items on display and bed turnings will take place at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Attendees will also have the opportunity to shop at the show.

“There will be vendors to make purchases from, a sales boutique of items members have made and a resale section of items from members’

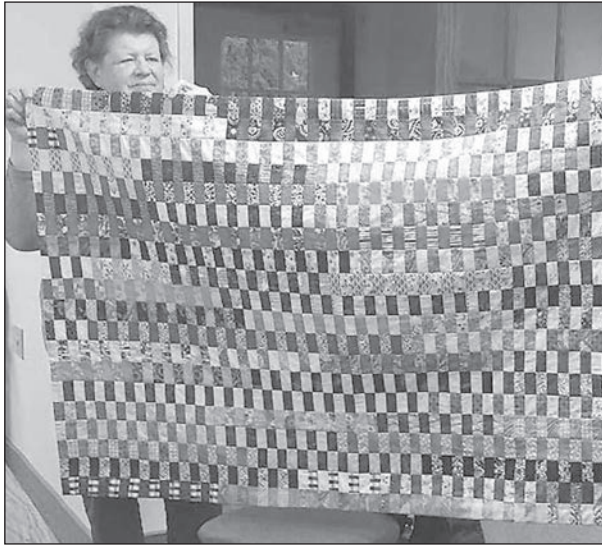
sewing/craft rooms,” said Barb Kobs, a member of the organization.

Food will also be available to purchase. The Rustic Java food truck will have coffee and other beverages and the Crystal Café will cater a selection of lunch items.

Admission to the show is \$5 and free for ages 12 and under.

The Norske Needlers formed in 2003 and meets at 6 p.m. on the first Monday of each month at the Iola Community Center.

The group participates in community programs such as the Million Pillowcase Challenge, Quilts of Valor and Sleep in Heavenly Peace.



Diane Newby shows off one of her quilts that will be on display Saturday, Sept. 23, at the Norske Needlers' quilt show in Iola. Submitted Photo

Blood drive planned in Iola

IOLA – The American Red Cross and Iola Lions are teaming up for their next blood drive in Iola.

The drive will be held from noon to 5 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 20, at the Iola-Scandinavia Community Fitness & Aquatic Center.

“The American Red Cross has put out an urgent request for blood donations,” drive coordinator Sandi Moore said. “Donations and appointments have slipped the last several weeks, as they traditionally do in the summer. You can be part of the solution. Donors of all blood types are needed, especially type O, which in extremely short supply right now.”

By donating blood, individuals can make a difference in the lives of patients in their community and throughout the nation, according to Moore.

“To make your donation go smoothly, consider drinking a lot of water and minimal caffeine on donation day. Eating iron-rich foods during the week ahead

of the donation such as beef, pork, poultry, seafood, beans, spinach, raisins and apricots is also helpful.”

The American Red Cross is giving each donor a coupon for a free haircut at Sports Clips and a chance to win a trip for two and VIP passes to the NASCAR Cup Series Xfinity Races at South Carolina's Darlington Raceway.

Donors can schedule an appointment online at www.redcrossblood.org or by calling 800-RED-CROSS (733-2767).

“Completing the RapidPass online health history at www.redcrossblood.org/rapidpass on the morning of the blood drive is encouraged to help speed up the donation process,” Moore said. “Keep the results on your smartphone, email it to yourself or bring a printout to show that you have completed this step. A blood donor card, driver's license or two other forms of identification are needed at check-in.”



New chamber member

The Iola-Scandinavia Chamber of Commerce recently welcomed Melum Masonry LLC as a new member. Pictured are FRONT: Bryce Meade, Gunnar Wiersma, Jules Melum, Greg Loescher, Ila Sanders, Ryan LePri and Erik Fritz; and BACK: Donovan Brooke, Ed Lemar, Addelaide Lemar, Ali Johnson, Diana Jones and Jeannine Harbridge.

Holly Neumann Photo

Manawa NEWS



Rodeo support

The Manawa community has supported the Mid-Western Rodeo for 65 years. Rodeo organizers recently returned the favor by supporting 25 organizations that worked at this year's rodeo to help make it a success. During the annual appreciation meal, the rodeo paid out \$43,204 to these organizations. Next year's rodeo will be held July 4-6.

Submitted Photo

Suspect charged with fleeing officer, bail jumping

Manawa woman returns to jail on new charges

COUNTY – Amanda S. Ricketts, 34, Manawa, is charged with fleeing an officer and one count each of felony and misdemeanor bail jumping.

According to the criminal complaint, Waupaca County Deputy Nick Booth clocked a black ve-



Ricketts

hicle going 73 mph in a 55 mph speed zone shortly after 7 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 22.

The vehicle was traveling south on State High-

way 49 in the town of Harrison. A female driver was the vehicle's sole occupant.

The driver turned east on County Trunk C and Booth began following her with his emergency lights and siren activated.

Booth reported the pursuit to dispatch and noted that the driver was talking on the phone.

When the vehicle slowed to turn south on County Trunk J, a white SUV stopped at the inter-

section, two men exited the SUV and began yelling.

The black vehicle continued driving south on County J with Booth following.

In an attempt to persuade the driver to stop, Booth pulled up in the lane beside the vehicle. However, it swerved across the center line and Booth pulled back and continued following it.

As it went around a curve, the black vehicle

nearly struck an oncoming vehicle, according to the complaint.

At this point, Booth's commanding officer told him to stop the pursuit. He pulled over and deactivated his emergency lights and siren, while the black vehicle continued south on County J.

A short time later, the white SUV that Booth saw earlier pulled up beside the squad car.

The occupants identified themselves and told Booth that the driver of the black vehicle was Ricketts and accused her of taking the car without permission.

One of the men was on the phone with Ricketts and said she was trying to arrange a place to leave the car for him to pick it up.

He put the phone on speaker. When Booth tried talking with her, Ricketts allegedly swore at him and disconnected the

call.

The black vehicle was later found abandoned in a front yard in Manawa.

She is currently in custody on a \$2,500 cash bond.

In addition to her criminal charges, Ricketts has also been cited for operating while suspended, reckless driving, operating left of center, speeding and failure to use a turn signal.

At the time of the Aug. 22 incident, Ricketts was out and about after posting a \$2,000 cash bond.

On July 5, Ricketts was charged with two counts of battery to an officer, felony spitting at an officer, obstructing an officer, disorderly conduct, possession of methamphetamine and possession of drug paraphernalia.

She is accused of biting, spitting and kicking Waupaca police officers as they took her into custody at a bar.

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Obituary Notices

Cate, David



David Jordon Cate age 85 of Waupaca passed away quietly at the home he grew up in after a three-year battle with pancreatic cancer. David was born on June 4, 1938 at his grandmother's house in Poy Sippi, WI. He was the son of Kenneth and Lillian Cate.

David was self-employed most of his life buying and selling antiques which he loved. In 1982 he along with his wife, Cynthia "Cindy" and his daughter, Lisa opened and operated the well-known retail store, Cate and Company, until they retired. They spent many winters in the Florida Keys where they eventually bought their second home in Cudjoe Key where they met many new friends.

David is survived by his wife: Cindy, his four children: Lisa McCann, Danial (Cindy) Cate, Denise (Jeff) Mayman, Tracy (Rick) Hansen, their mother: Dona (Alex) Saunders and 2 step children: Scott (Tammy) Waltz, and Todd (Julie) Waltz, both living in Florida. Grandchildren: Nathaniel (Carly) Nezia and Malachi Cate. Jacob and Nick Hansen, and Mason, Marley and Morgan McCann; step grandchildren: Mariah (Tony) Waltz Niles, and Emilee Waltz; great grandchildren, Olivia and Taylan Hansen, step grandchildren: AnnaLeigh and Ryker Waltz-Niles. David brother: Roger (Virginia) Cate of Anshens, Tn, and Sharon Robinson of Madison; also, many nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends. David was preceded in death by his parents, Kenneth and Lillian Cate, a sister, Shirley Peterson, sons-in-law, Wm "Bill" Pashke and Shawn McCann.

Funeral was on Saturday, September 2, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Waupaca. Visitation with family from 9:30 -11:00 with service following. Luncheon after at the church.

Ebert, Lorraine



On September 1st, 2023, Lorraine was called to Heaven at the age of 81 after a 3-year battle with cancer. She did so peacefully at home with her family at her side with grace and dignity, just as she lived her entire life. The most important things in life to Lorraine were her faith and her family. Holidays and family birthdays were held at the family farm where she would prepare a full course meal for the entire family that over time grew to 40+ people. Grandchildren along with great grandchildren would continue to show up for these family gatherings as everyone loved Grandma's cooking and the sense of love that was present in her and Marlyn's home. This was one of her greatest joys in life and she refused any help in putting these events on for the family.

Lorraine is survived in life by her husband of 62 years Marlyn. Her children Steve, Joe, Chris and his wife Tammy, Beth (Pozorski) and her husband Mike, Andy and his wife Melanie and Sarah (McAninch) and her husband Aaron. Lorraine and Marlyn were blessed with 17 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren with 2 more coming soon.

Visitation and Funeral services are set for Thursday, Sept 7th at St Pauls Lutheran Church, 107 Tustin Rd., Fremont, WI. Visitation is scheduled from 9am - 11:30 am, followed by a funeral service at 11:30. There will be lunch served at St. Pauls immediately after the service. The family invites all who loved Lorraine to join us in the celebration of her life and the impact she made on everyone's life. Heaven welcomed a special lady who had a positive impact on all who she touched during her life.

Jansen, Barbara



Barbara K. Jansen, age 82, of Waupaca, WI, moved on to her next great journey on Thursday, August 31, 2023 at Bethany Home in Waupaca where she resided for the last four years. She was born April 18, 1941 in Waupaca; daughter of Harold and Alice (Muench) Nelsen. On September 19, 1959, Barb married Wayne C. Jansen in Waupaca and together they shared 52 years of marriage before his passing on December 21, 2011. She was a cook

and head chef for the Oakwood Restaurant in Waupaca for many years. During her schooling to become a head chef, Barb was introduced to ice sculpting where she participated in local ice sculpting events. In the earlier years she enjoyed her time around the family pool and later, both her and Wayne loved to travel and go to the casinos. Barb was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Waupaca. She will be dearly missed by all of her loving family and friends.

Barb is survived by her four children Jeff (Dawn) Jansen of Fremont, Joe (Bonnie) Jansen of Waupaca, Julie (Mike) Triano of Larsen, and Jim (Candy) Jansen of Waupaca; eight grandchildren Jared (Melany) Jansen, Erin (Ethan) Kimball, Olivia (Mark) Ver Kuilen, Sabrina (JD) Jansen, Ryan (Sara) Crabtree, Eric (Kirsten) Crabtree, Justin (Tatiana) Jansen, and Ashley Jansen; ten great-grandchildren Brynn, Damon, Henry, Waylon, Charlie, Kaelynn, Rowan, Kylie, Nevaeh, and Kyler; five siblings Virginia "Ginny" (Dallas) Reetz of Waupaca, Ted (Cheri) Nelsen of Waupaca, Mike (Nikki) Nelsen of Waupaca, Sandy Ibe of Neenah, and Nancy Petersen of Waupaca; and also by many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents Harold and Alice Nelsen; her husband Wayne Jansen; and two brothers-in-law Ron Ibe and George Petersen.

A Memorial Service for Barb will be on Thursday, September 21, 2023 at 5:00 PM at the Holly Funeral Home in Waupaca. A memorial visitation will be held on Thursday afternoon from 3:00 - 5:00 PM at the funeral home. A private family burial will take place at a later date at Lind Center Cemetery in the Town of Lind. The Holly Funeral Home of Waupaca is assisting the family with arrangements.

Probst, Janette

Janette M. Probst, age 81 of Oshkosh, formerly of Bear Creek, passed away on Tuesday, August 29, 2023.

Barnick, Sharon

Sharon M. Barnick, nee Draheim, age 84 of Hortonville passed away peacefully Sunday morning September 3, 2023.

Kirst, Laurel



Laurel Ellen Kirst, age 84 of Fremont, completed the journey to her heavenly father on August 30, 2023 at Bella Vista Assisted Living Community in Oshkosh, WI.

Laurel and her twin brother Lawrence were born on July 24, 1939, in Markesan, WI. She graduated from Markesan High School in 1957. She then attended school in Madison to become a beautician and worked in Whitefish Bay for several years.

She was united in marriage to Arden Kirst on June 11, 1960, in Markesan. They spent 60 beautiful years together.

Most of her adult life was spent in Rudolph and Fremont, where she developed many lasting & memorable friendships. She worked at the Rudolph Dairy State Cheese Factory, and semi-retired from working in the kitchen of Fremont Elementary School, truly enjoying those years.

Laurel loved being outdoors in her flower beds and caring for the many wild birds that visited often. She loved to help people whenever she could. She seldom missed sending a card, for any occasion, to the people she cared about. She was extremely devoted to her family and faith community.

Laurel is survived by her daughter, Kathy (Jeff) Kaltenbach; grandson, Matt (Emmie) Cuadra; great grandchildren, Yan and Leo, all of Oshkosh; sisters-in-law: Janice Guderski, Manchester, Avis Kirst, Ripon.

Laurel was preceded in death by her husband, Arden; parents, Harold and Ella Guderski; twin brother, Lawrence; brother, Kevin; and grandson, Christopher Cuadra.

A gathering of family and friends was held on Saturday, September 2, 2023, from 12:30 - 2:30 pm at the Dahlke Life Celebration Center (101 E. Main Street, Weyauwega, WI) with a short service following. Please dress casually. Laurel would not have wanted it any other way!

The family wants to give special thanks for the tremendous care given to her and the family by the staff of Bella Vista and Promedica Hospice in her final months.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church (PO Box 548, Weyauwega, WI 54983). Friends may visit www.dahlkefl.com to share condolences and memories with Laurel's family.

Steiger, Kay

Kay Lynn Steiger, 62, passed away peacefully at Fort Atkinson Health Center on August 21, 2023, after a long struggle with Multiple Sclerosis.

She was born on March 21, 1961 to Daral & Sharon Steiger. After graduation from Weyauwega-Fremont High School in 1980, Kay joined the Tip Top Shows where she worked until having her children, Scott (Nancy) Hoelzl, David (Megan) Hoelzl & Amy Hoelzl, two step-daughters, Kim Taylor & Linda Hoelzl, along with 11 grandchildren & 1 great-grandson. She is also survived by her mother, Sharon Steiger, 1 sister, Dawn (Tim) Vallery, 4 brothers, Rusty (Barb, John (Kim), Jerry & Kris (Nicole) Steiger, and many other relatives.

In her spare time Katie loved to read, so we are setting up a memorial in her name at the Neuschaefer Community Library of Fremont in her honor!

A Celebration of Life will be on September 9, 2023 from 2 to 5pm at Hope United Church of Christ, 2950 Alpine Rd., Fremont, WI.

Cerne, Sharon



Sharon "Shari" M. Cerne, age 76, of Waupaca, passed away on Thursday, August 31, 2023 surrounded by family. She was born in Milwaukee on July 26, 1947 to the late Edwin Schmidt and Majorie (Hegeman-Schmidt) Abendroth. On January 16, 1971 she married the love of her life Stan Cerne, with him preceding her in death on October 3, 2004. Shari went to the Teacher's College in Union Grove, received her Bachelors of Education from UW-Parkside as well as her Master's Degree from St. Mary's University. She was an elementary school teacher for many years, retiring from the Waupaca School District in 2011. In retirement she volunteered for ThedaCare at Home Hospice and Hospital Auxiliary, and Creative Caring Hearts. She also worked at the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King, making some special relationships with the members she worked with. She was an avid reader and belonged to several local book clubs. She loved sewing, quilting and knitting, along with listening to the Beatles, Sir Paul McCartney, and Sir Rod Stewart. She was a member of First United Methodist Church in Waupaca. Shari enjoyed traveling, but her most treasured pastime was spending time with her beloved grandchildren, children, family and friends.

Shari will be sadly missed by her children: Karen Cerne and Steve (Liz) Cerne; grandchildren: Sebastian, Zander and Griffin; brother: Rick (Marlene) Schmidt, sister: Tani Hein; brother and sister-in-law: Louie and Stephanie Cerne; and her dogs: Yoda and Marco. Shari is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. Shari was preceded in death by her husband Stan, parents Edwin Schmidt, and Marjorie and Grey Abendroth. In addition she was also preceded in death by her granddaughter, Siddalee.

The Memorial Service will be on Friday, September 15, 2023 at 1 p.m. at the Maple Crest Funeral Home of Waupaca. The visitation will be on Friday at the funeral home from 11 a.m. until the time of the service. A memorial has been established.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT WAUPACA COUNTY
ASSOCIATED BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
vs.
JUSTIN J. HILL
FKA JUSTIN JAMES WOESHNICK
ELIZABETH HILL
FOX COMMUNITIES CREDIT UNION
FOX VALLEY FINANCE INC.
STATE OF WISCONSIN-DEPARTMENT
OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
Defendants.
Case No. 22-CV-154
Hon. Troy L. Nielsen
Br. 1

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that by virtue of a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above captioned action on March 1, 2023, in the amount of \$73,996.77, the Sheriff or his Designee will sell the described premises at public auction as follows:
TIME: September 26, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.
PLACE: in Room H of the Waupaca County Courthouse, 811 Harding Street, Waupaca, WI 54981
DESCRIPTION: Lot Four (4) in Block One (1) of the Plat of River Heights to the City of Clintonville, according to the recorded plat thereof, Waupaca County, Wisconsin.
Tax Key: 30-23-90-4
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 722 West St. Clintonville, WI 54929

TERMS: Down payment required at the time of Sheriff's Sale in the amount of 10% of the successful bid by cash or certified check; balance of sale price due within ten business days of confirmation of sale by the Court, together with the applicable transfer fee and cost of recording the deed, all payable to the Clerk of Court of the above county. Property to be sold as a whole 'as is' and subject to all real estate taxes, accrued and accruing, special assessments, if any, penalties and interest.
Plaintiff's Attorney:
Weld Rilly, S.C.
500 Third Street, Suite 800
P.O. Box 479
Wausau, WI 54402-0479

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(715) 852-1866 Sheriff Timothy R. Wilz or Designee
Waupaca County, Wisconsin
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STATE OF WISCONSIN,
CIRCUIT COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY
CREDIT ACCEPTANCE
CORPORATION
Plaintiff,
vs.
NICOLE KOCH
Defendant.
Case No. 23CV000142

AMENDED SUMMONS
TO: NICOLE KOCH
N10839 BRANDY CREEK RD
CLINTONVILLE WI 54929
You are hereby notified that the Plaintiff named above has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. The Complaint, which is also served on you, states the nature and basis of the legal action.

Within Forty (40) days after August 31, 2023, you must respond with a written answer, as that term is used in Chapter 802 of the Wisconsin Statutes, to the Complaint. The court may reject or disregard an answer that does not follow the requirements of the statutes. The answer must be sent or delivered to the court, whose address is: CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY, 811 HARDING ST., WAUPACA WI 54981 and the Kohn Law Firm, Plaintiff's attorneys, whose address is 735 N. Water St., Suite 1300, Milwaukee, WI 54202. You may have an attorney help or represent you.
If no Complaint accompanies this Summons you must respond within the said 40 day period with a written demand for a copy of the Complaint by mailing or delivering said written demand to the court and to the Plaintiff's attorneys at their respective addresses listed above.
If you do not provide a proper answer to the Complaint or provide a written demand for said complaint within the 40 day period, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of

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money or other legal action requested in the Complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.
Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin August 14, 2023.
KOHN LAW FIRM S.C.
ELECTRONICALLY SIGNED BY:
/S/JASON D. HERMERSMANN
JASON D. HERMERSMANN
State Bar No. 1049948
Attorney for Plaintiff
Publish August 31, Sept. 7 & 14, 2023
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STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT WAUPACA COUNTY
MidFirst Bank
999 N.W. Grand Boulevard, Suite 100
Oklahoma City, OK 73118-6116
Plaintiff,
vs.
Jason J. Baseman
N6485 Buelow Rd
New London, WI 54961-8508
Jane Doe Baseman
N6485 Buelow Rd
New London, WI 54961-8508
Defendants.
PUBLICATION SUMMONS
Case No. 23-CV-000194
The Honorable
Raymond S. Huber
Case Code 30404
(Foreclosure of Mortgage)
The amount claimed exceeds \$10,000.00

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN
To each person named above as a defendant:
You are hereby notified that the plaintiff named above has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you.
Within 40 days after August 24, 2023 you must respond with a written demand for a copy of the complaint. The demand must be sent or delivered to the court, whose address is 811 Harding Street, Waupaca, WI 54981-2012 and to Gray & Associates, L.L.P., plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 16345 West Glendale Drive, New Berlin, WI 53151-2841. You may have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not demand a copy of the complaint within 40 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property. Dated this 21st day of August, 2023.
Gray & Associates, L.L.P.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
By:
Patricia C. Lonzo
State Bar No. 1045312
Case No. 23-CV-000194
16345 West Glendale Drive
New Berlin, WI 53151-2841
(414) 224-1987

Gray & Associates, L.L.P. is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. If you have previously received a discharge in a chapter 7 bankruptcy case, this communication should not be construed as an attempt to hold you personally liable for the debt.
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Village of Fremont
Liquor License Application
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following application for transfer of license for a "Class B" Combination Liquor & Matt Beverage has been received and filed with the Clerk: **The Boathouse** located at 204 Wolf River Drive, Fremont, WI 54940. Application for license transfer from Skippers Waterside Bar and Grill. LET IT BE HEREBY FURTHER NOTED that the above license application will be acted upon at the Fremont Village Board meeting held on September 12, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. at the Fremont Village Hall, 317 Wolf River Drive, Fremont, WI 54940.
Megan Wunderlich
Clerk/Treasurer
Posted: September 7, 2023
Published Sept. 7, 2023
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Notice of Budget Hearing (Section 65.90(4))
Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the School District of New London that the budget hearing will be held at the School Administration Building, 901 W Washington St, on the 11th day of September, 2023, at six o'clock pm. The summary of the budget is printed below. Detailed copies of the budget are available for inspection in the District's.
Dated this 31st day of August, 2023.
(Signed) District Clerk
Publish Sept. 7, 2023
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Meetings and Public Hearings 7720
2023-2024
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Public hearings will be held by the Planning and Zoning Committee of Waupaca County on Tuesday, October 10, 2023 starting at 10:30 a.m. in the Waupaca County Courthouse, Room 1068, 811 Harding Street, Waupaca, Wisconsin, to hear the following: Proposed Comprehensive Plan Amendments.
The public hearings will be held to gather public input on the amendments to the Waupaca County Comprehensive Plan. The Waupaca County Comprehensive Plan was adopted by the Waupaca County Board of Supervisors on September 18, 2007. The proposed amendments to the Comprehensive Plan Preferred Land Use Map are within the Town of Lebanon. The map amendments are to ensure that the Waupaca County Comprehensive Plan remains consistent with the locally adopted comprehensive plans.
The proposed amendments to the Comprehensive Plan Preferred Land Use Map are within:
The Town of Lebanon, to amend the preferred land use category of a parcel located in the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 26 (parcel 11-26-32-11), lying along Worm Road and Madden Road, Waupaca County, Wisconsin, from Agriculture to Residential on approximately nine (9.39) acres to accommodate a property split.
The Town of Lebanon, to amend the preferred land use category of a parcel located in the NE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 14 (parcel 11-14-11-2), lying along Buelow Road, Fire Number N6441, Waupaca County, Wisconsin, from Agriculture to Residential and to remove the parcel from the Farmland Preservation Overlay on approximately twenty (20) acres; and to amend the preferred land use category of a parcel located in the NE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 14 (parcel 11-14-11-4), lying along Buelow Road, Fire Number N6443, Waupaca County, Wisconsin, from Residential to Agriculture within the Farmland Preservation Overlay on approximately ten (10) acres to accommodate boundary line adjustments.
The proposed Comprehensive Plan Amendments are available for review at the Planning and Zoning Office located at 811 Harding Street, Waupaca, WI 54981. In addition, you may submit written comments before October 9, 2023 to Ryan Brown, Waupaca County Planning & Zoning Director, 811 Harding Street, Waupaca, WI 54981 or call (715) 258-6255 or email at Ryan.Brown@co.waupaca.wi.us with any questions or to request additional information. All written comments will be forwarded to the Waupaca County Planning and Zoning Committee members.
All interested persons wishing to be heard are invited to be present or may attend the hearing at the scheduled time via the Zoom website at the following: **URL:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84912369675?pwd=VWpNdzF4RDZlYUJlbnR5U04zVEVCOT09>
Meeting ID: **849 1236 9675** Meeting password: **575887**
Participation may also be by telephone only access into the video platform. For the telephone access information, please call 1-312-626-6799
The meeting can also be viewed through the following link to watch a live stream on YouTube for any Waupaca County remote access meeting: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCLTWD87UAKVFIU07vcs08zQ/>
JAMES NYGAARD
CHAIRMAN
WAUPACA COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMITTEE
Publish Sept. 7, 2023
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NOTICE to the Residents of the Town of Matteson
The Matteson Town Board will hold its Regular Monthly Meeting on **TUESDAY September 12, 2023 4:30 PM - 11:00 PM** at the Matteson Community Center, 1000 Clintonville, WI
for the following agenda:
NOTE: See Town's posting for Official Notice and Action that May Be Taken
Agenda:
• Call to Order
• Recite Pledge of Allegiance
• Open Meeting Statement
• Approve Agenda
• Citizen Forum
• Approve Previous Meeting Minutes
• Treasurer's Report
• Clerk's Report
• Set date for Budget Workshop
• Remainder of the Annual Towns CFD Meeting
• Review & Payment of Bills
• Town Facilities and Grounds
• Reports:
a) Zoning

Invitation to Bid
Heavy Rescue/Hazmat Apparatus
Waupaca County invites bid proposals for the above listed items. Bid information is available at: https://www.waupacacounty-wi.gov/business/bids_and_proposals.php
Bid proposals, in conformity to the notice to bidders must be submitted to the Waupaca County Clerks Office by 2:00pm, on Tuesday, September 26, 2023. And must be plainly marked in the lower left-hand corner of the envelope with the specific item being bid on and the RFB number that correlates. Bid will be opened and publicly read at 2:15 pm, on September 26, 2023. Waupaca County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive irregularities or informalities in the bids received and accept any bid most favorable to the County.
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WAUPACA COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
Waupaca County, Wisconsin
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PROJECT The work shall consist of providing tree and shrub species for the Waupaca River Wetland Mitigation
Bids will be received on the following Contract:
Contract No. W0028-09-19-0030.12 WAUPACA RIVER WETLAND MITIGATION BANK
TIME Sealed Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m., local time, on September 25, 2023, in the Waupaca County Highway Department or via vBid™, at which time and place all Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.
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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA
NONDISCRIMINATION AND
ACCESS TO EQUAL EDUCATIONAL
OPPORTUNITY

The Board is committed to providing an equal educational opportunity for all students in the District.

The Board does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital status, parental status, sexual orientation, sex (including transgender status, change of sex or gender identity), or physical, mental, emotional, or learning disability ("Protected Classes") in any of its student program and activities. This policy is intended to support and promote nondiscriminatory practices in all District and school activities, particularly in the following areas:

- A. use of objective bases for admission to any school, class, program, or activity;
- B. prohibition of harassment towards students and procedures for the investigation of claims (see Policy 5517);
- C. use of disciplinary authority, including suspension and expulsion authority;
- D. administration of gifts, bequests, scholarships and other aids, benefits, or services to students from private agencies, organizations, or persons;
- E. selection of instructional and library media materials in a nondiscriminatory manner and that reflect the cultural diversity and pluralistic nature of American society;
- F. design and implementation of student evaluation practices, materials, and tools, but not at the exclusion of implementing techniques to meet students' individual needs;
- G. design and configuration of facilities;
- H. opportunity for participation in extra-curricular and co-curricular activities provided that separate programs for male and female students may be available provided comparable activities are made available to all in terms of type, scope, and District support; and
- I. the school lunch program and other school-sponsored food service programs.

The Board is also committed to equal employment opportunity in its employment policies and practices as they relate to students. The Board's policies pertaining to employment practices can be found in Policy 1422, Policy 3122, and Policy 4122 - Nondiscrimination and Equal Employment Opportunity.

In furtherance of the aforesaid goal, the District Administrator shall:

- A. Curriculum Content
1. review current and proposed courses of study and textbooks to detect any bias based upon the Protected Classes ascertaining whether or not supplemental materials, singly or taken as a whole, fairly depict the contribution of both sexes, various races, ethnic groups, etc. toward the development of human society;
- 2. provide that necessary programs are available for students with limited use of the English language;
- B. Staff Training
develop an ongoing program of staff training and in-service training for school personnel designed to identify and solve problems of bias based upon the Protected Classes in all aspects of the program;

- C. Student Access
1. review current and proposed programs, activities, facilities, and practices to ensure that all students have equal access thereto and are not segregated on the basis of the Protected Classes in any duty, work, play, classroom, or school practice, except as may be permitted under State regulations;
- 2. verify that facilities are made available in a non-discriminatory fashion, in accordance with Board Policy 7510 - Use of District Facilities, for non-curricular student activities that are initiated by parents or other members of the community, including but not limited to any group officially affiliated with the Boy Scouts of America or any other youth group listed in Title 36 of the United States Code as a patriotic society;

- D. District Support
require that like aspects of the District program receive like support as to staff size and compensation, purchase and maintenance of facilities and equipment, access to such facilities and equipment, and related matters;
- E. Student Evaluation
verify that tests, procedures, or guidance and counseling materials, which are designed to evaluate student progress, rate aptitudes, analyze personality, or in any manner establish or tend to establish a category by which a student may be judged, are not differentiated or stereotyped on the basis of the Protected Classes.

The District Administrator shall appoint and publicize the name of the compliance officer(s) who is/are responsible for coordinating the District's efforts to comply with the applicable Federal and State laws and regulations, including the District's duty to address in a prompt and equitable manner any inquiries or complaints regarding discrimination or equal access. The Compliance Officer(s) also verify that proper notice of nondiscrimination for Title IX of the Americans with Disabilities Act (as amended), Title VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendment Act of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (as amended), is provided to students, their parents, staff members, and the general public.

The District Administrator shall attempt annually to identify children with disabilities, ages 3 - 21, who reside in the District but do not receive a public education. In addition, s/he shall establish procedures to identify students who are Limited English Proficient, including immigrant children and youth, to assess their ability to participate in District programs, and develop and administer a program that meets the English language and academic needs of these students. This program shall include procedures for student placement, services, evaluation, and exit guidelines and shall be designed to provide students with effective instruction that leads to academic achievement and timely acquisition of proficiency in English. As a part of this program, the District will evaluate the progress of students in achieving English language proficiency in the areas of listening, speaking, reading and writing, on an annual basis.

Reporting Procedures

Students, parents and all other members of the School District community are encouraged to promptly report suspected violations of this policy to a teacher or administrator. Any teacher or administrator who receives such a complaint shall file it with the District's Compliance Officer at his/her first opportunity.

Students who believe they have been denied equal access to District educational opportunities in a manner inconsistent with this policy may initiate a complaint and the investigation process that is set forth below. Initiating a complaint will not adversely affect the complaining individual's participation in educational or extra-curricular programs unless the complaining individual makes the complaint maliciously or with the knowledge that it is false.

Title IX Complaint Coordinators/ District Compliance Officers (hereinafter referred to as the "COs")

The Board designates the following individuals to serve as the District's CO's:

- Laurie Schmidt
Director of Student Services
E2325 King Road
Waupaca, WI 54981
715.258-4124
lscmidt@waupacaschools.org
- Mark Flaten
Director of Teaching & Learning
E2325 King Road

Waupaca, WI 54981
715.258-4121
mflaten@waupacaschools.org

The names, titles, and contact information of these individuals will be published annually:

- A. in the staff and student handbooks.
- B. on the School District's website.

A CO will be available during regular school/work hours to discuss concerns related to student discrimination in educational opportunities under this policy.

Investigation and Complaint Procedure

The CO shall investigate any complaints brought under this policy. Throughout the course of the process as described herein, the CO should keep the parties informed of the status of the investigation and the decision-making process.

All complaints must include the following information to the extent it is available: a description of the alleged violation, the identity of the individual(s) believed to have engaged in, or to be actively engaging in, conduct in violation of this policy, if any; a detailed description of the facts upon which the complaint is based; and a list of potential witnesses.

If the Complainant is unwilling or unable to provide a written statement including the information set forth above, the CO shall ask for such details in an oral interview. Thereafter the CO will prepare a written summary of the oral interview, and the Complainant will be asked to verify the accuracy of the report by signing the document.

Upon receiving a complaint, the CO will consider whether any action should be taken during the investigatory phase to protect the Complainant from further loss of educational opportunity, including but not limited to a change in class schedule for the Complainant, tentative enrollment in a program, or other appropriate action. In making such a determination, the CO should consult the Principal and District Administrator prior to any action being taken. The Complainant should be notified of any proposed action prior to such action being taken.

As soon as appropriate in the investigation process, the CO will inform any individual named by the Complainant in connection with an alleged violation of this policy, that a complaint has been received. The person(s) must also be provided an opportunity to respond to the complaint.

All investigations shall be commenced as soon as practicable upon receipt of a complaint and concluded as expeditiously as feasible, in consideration of the circumstances, while taking measures to complete a thorough investigation. The complaining party shall be notified in writing of receipt of the complaint within forty-five (45) days of the complaint and shall reach a determination concerning the complaint within ninety (90) days of receipt unless additional time is agreed to by the complaining party.

The investigation will include:

- A. interviews with the Complainant;
- B. interviews with any persons named in the complaint;
- C. interviews with any other witnesses who may reasonably be expected to have any information relevant to the allegations, as determined by the CO;
- D. consideration of any documentation or other evidence presented by the Complainant, Respondent, or any other witness which is reasonably believed to be relevant to the allegations, as determined by the CO.

At the conclusion of the investigation, the CO shall prepare and deliver a written report to the District Administrator which summarizes the evidence gathered during the investigation and provides recommendations based on the evidence and the definitions in this Policy, as well as in State and Federal law as to whether the Complainant has been denied access to educational opportunities on the basis of one of the protected classifications, based on a preponderance of evidence standard. The CO's recommendations must be based upon the totality of the circumstances, including the ages and maturity levels of those involved.

The CO may consult with the Board's attorney during the course of the investigatory process and/or before finalizing the report to the District Administrator.

In cases where no District CO is able to investigate a complaint due to concerns regarding conflicts, bias or partiality, or for other reasons that impair the CO's ability to conduct an investigation, the CO may in consultation with the District Administrator, Board President, engage outside legal counsel to conduct the investigation consistent with this policy.

Absent extenuating circumstances, within ten (10) business days of receiving the report of the complaint, the District Administrator must either issue a final decision regarding the complaint or request further investigation. A copy of the District Administrator's final decision will be delivered to the Complainant. The District Administrator may redact information from the decision in the event the release of information raises concerns regarding the integrity of the complaint or investigation process. The Board authorizes the District Administrator to consult with legal counsel to determine the extent to which information in an investigation report may be provided to either the Complainant or Respondent.

If the District Administrator requests additional investigation, the District Administrator must specify the additional information that is to be gathered, and such additional investigation must be completed within ten (10) business days. At the conclusion of the additional investigation, the District Administrator must issue a final written decision as described above. The decision of the District Administrator shall be final.

If the Complainant feels that the decision does not adequately address the complaint s/he may appeal the decision to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction by submitting a written request to the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, Pupil Nondiscrimination Program, or by contacting the DPI Pupil Nondiscrimination Program at (608) 267-9157. Any person, including the Respondent in a complaint, who is subject to disciplinary action up to and including termination as a result of a complaint may choose to file a grievance utilizing the District's grievance procedure as outlined in Policy 3340 or Policy 4340.

The Board reserves the right to investigate and resolve a complaint or report regardless of whether the member of the School District community or third party chooses to pursue the complaint. The Board also reserves the right to have the complaint investigation conducted by an external person in accordance with this policy or in such other manner as deemed appropriate by the Board.

Additional School District Action

If the evidence suggests that any conduct at issue violates any other policies of the Board, is a crime, or requires mandatory reporting under the Children's Code (Sec. 48.981, Wis. Stat.) (Policy 8462.01), the CO or District Administrator shall take such additional actions as necessary and appropriate under the circumstances, which may include a report to the appropriate social service and/or law enforcement agency charged with responsibility for handling such investigations.

Confidentiality

The District will make reasonable efforts to protect the privacy of any individuals involved in the investigation process. Confidentiality cannot be guaranteed, however. All Complainants proceeding through the investigation process should be advised that as a result of the investigation, allegations against individuals may become known to those individuals, including the Complainant's identity.

During the course of an investigation, the CO will inform all members of the School District community and the parties who are interviewed about the importance of maintaining confidentiality. Any individual who is interviewed as part of an investigation is expected not to disclose any information that s/he learns or that s/he provides during the course of

the investigation. Retention of Public Records, Student Records, and Investigatory Records and Materials

All individuals charged with conducting investigations under this policy shall retain all information, documents, electronically stored information ("ESI"), and electronic media (as defined in Policy 8315) created and received as part of an investigation, including but not limited to:

- A. all written reports/allegations/complaints/statements;
- B. narratives of all verbal reports, allegations, complaints, and statements collected;
- C. all narrative actions taken by District personnel;
- D. any written documentation of actions taken by District personnel;
- E. narratives of, notes from, or audio, video, or digital recordings of witness statements;
- F. all documentary evidence;
- G. e-mails, texts, or social media posts related to the investigation;
- H. contemporaneous notes in whatever form made (e.g., handwritten, keyed into a computer or tablet, etc.) pertaining to the investigation;
- I. written disciplinary sanctions issued to students or employees and a narrative of verbal disciplinary sanctions issued to students or employees for violations of the policies and procedures prohibiting discrimination or harassment;
- J. dated written determinations to the parties;
- K. dated written descriptions of verbal notifications to the parties;
- L. written documentation of any interim measures offered and/or provided to complainants, including no contact orders issued to both parties, the dates issued, and the dates the parties acknowledged receipt; and
- M. documentation of all actions, both individual and systemic, taken to stop the discrimination or harassment, prevent its recurrence, eliminate any hostile environment, and remedy its discriminatory effects.

The information, documents, ESI, and electronic media (as defined in Policy 8315) retained may include public records and records exempt from disclosure under Federal and/or State law (e.g., student records).

The information, documents, ESI, and electronic media (as defined in Policy 8315) created or received as part of an investigation shall be retained in accordance with Policy 8310, Policy 8315, Policy 8320, Policy 8330 for not less than three (3) years, but longer if required by the District's records retention schedule.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA HOMELESS STUDENTS

Definitions

Children who are identified as meeting the Federal definition of "homeless" will be provided a free appropriate public education (FAPE) in the same manner as all other students of the District. To that end, homeless students will not be stigmatized or segregated on the basis of their status as homeless. The District shall establish safeguards that protect homeless students from discrimination on the basis of their homelessness. The District shall regularly review and revise its policies, including school discipline policies that impact homeless students, including those who may be a member of any of the Protected Classes (Policy 2260).

Homeless children and youth are defined as individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence, and include children and youth who meet any of the following criteria:

- A. share the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or similar reason
- B. live in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to a lack of alternative adequate accommodations
- C. live in emergency or transitional shelters
- D. are abandoned in hospitals
- E. have a primary night time residence that is a public or private place not designed for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings;
- F. live in a city, park, public space, abandoned building, substandard housing', bus or train station, or similar setting

Pursuant to the McKinney-Vento Act, an unaccompanied youth includes a homeless child or youth not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian.

Services to Homeless Children and Youth

The District will provide services to homeless students that are comparable to other students in the District, including:

- A. transportation services;
- B. public preschool programs and other educational programs and services for which the homeless student meets eligibility criteria including:
1. programs for children with disabilities;
- 2. programs for English learners (ELs) (i.e. students with limited English proficiency (LEP));
- 3. programs in career and technical education;
- 4. programs for gifted and talented students;
- 5. school nutrition programs; and
- 6. before - and after-school programs.

The District Administrator will appoint a Liaison for Homeless Children who will perform the duties as assigned by the District Administrator. Additionally, the Liaison will coordinate and collaborate with the State Coordinator for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth as well as with community and school personnel responsible for the provision of education and related services to homeless children and youths. For more information on the role of the Liaison, refer to AG 5111.01.

School Stability

Maintaining a stable school environment is crucial to a homeless student's success in school. To ensure stability, the District must make school placement determinations based on the "best interest" of the homeless child or youth based on student-centered factors. The District must:

- A. continue the student's education in the school of origin for the duration of homelessness when a family becomes homeless between academic years or during an academic year; and for the remainder of the academic year even if the child or youth becomes permanently housed during an academic year; or
 - B. enroll the student in any public school that non-homeless students who live in the attendance area in which the child or youth is actually living are eligible to attend.
- The school of origin is the school the student attended or enrolled in when permanently housed, including a public preschool. The school of origin also includes the designated receiving school at the next level for feeder school patterns, when the student completes the final grade level at the school of origin.

When determining the student's best interest, the District must also consider student-centered factors, including the impact of mobility on achievement, education, health, and safety of homeless students and give priority to the request of the student's parent or guardian, or youth (if an unaccompanied youth). The District also considers the school placement of siblings when making this determination.

If the District finds that it is not in the student's best interest to attend the school of origin or the school requested by the parent or guardian, or unaccompanied youth, the District must provide the individual with a written explanation and reason for the determination in a manner and form understandable to the parent, guardian or unaccompanied youth. This written explanation will include appeal rights and be provided in a timely manner.

Immediate Enrollment

The District has an obligation to remove barriers to the enrollment and retention of homeless students. A school chosen on the basis of a best interest determination must immediately enroll the homeless student, even if the student does not have

the documentation typically necessary for enrollment, such as immunization and other required health records, proof of residency, proof of guardianship, birth certificate or previous academic records. The homeless student must also be enrolled immediately regardless of whether the student missed application or enrollment deadlines during the period of homelessness or has outstanding fines or fees.

The enrolling school must immediately contact the school last attended by the homeless student to obtain relevant academic or other records. If the student needs immunization or other health records, the enrolling school must immediately refer the parent, guardian or unaccompanied youth to the local liaison, who will help obtain the immunizations, screenings or other required health records. Records usually maintained by the school must be kept so that they are available in a timely fashion if the child enters a new school or district. These records include immunization or other required health records, academic records, birth certificates, guardianship records, and evaluations for special services or programs. Procedures for in-State records transfer between schools should be taken into account in order to facilitate immediate enrollment.

In addition, the District will also make sure that, once identified for services, the homeless student is attending classes and not facing barriers to accessing academic and extracurricular activities, including magnet school, summer school, career and technical education, advanced placement, online learning, and charter school programs (if available).

Transportation

The District provides homeless students with transportation services that are comparable to those available to non-homeless students. The District also provides or arranges for transportation to and from the school of origin at the parent or guardian's request, or the liaison's request in the case of an unaccompanied youth. Transportation is arranged promptly to allow for immediate enrollment and will not create barriers to a homeless student's attendance, retention, and success.

A. If the homeless student continues to live in the District, where the school of origin is located, transportation will be provided or arranged for the student's transportation to or from the school of origin.

B. If the homeless student moves to an area served by another district, though continuing his/her education at the school of origin (which is in the District), the District and the district in which the student resides must agree upon a method to apportion responsibility and costs for transportation to the school of origin. If the districts cannot agree upon such a method, the responsibility and costs will be shared equally.

C. When the student obtains permanent housing, transportation shall be provided to and from the school of origin until the end of the school year.

The District determines the mode of transportation in consultation with the parent or guardian and based on the best interest of the student.

In accordance with Federal law, the above transportation requirements still apply until the resolution of any dispute. The District will work with the State to resolve transportation disputes with other districts. If the disputing district is in another State, the District will turn to the State for assistance as Federal guidance says that both States should try to arrange an agreement for the districts.

Dispute Resolution

Homeless families and youths have the right to challenge placement and enrollment decisions. If a dispute arises between a school and a parent, guardian or unaccompanied youth regarding eligibility, school selection, or enrollment of a homeless student, the District must follow its dispute resolution procedures, consistent with the State established procedures. If such a dispute occurs, the District will immediately enroll the homeless student in the school in which enrollment is sought pending final resolution of the dispute, including all appeals. The student will receive all services for which they are eligible until all disputes and appeals are resolved.

Pursuant to State, District and Board of Education policies, the District will provide the parent, guardian or unaccompanied youth with a written explanation of all decisions regarding school selection and enrollment made by the school, District, or State, along with a written explanation of appeal rights.

The District's notice and written explanation about the reason for its decision will include, at a minimum, an explanation of how the school reached its decision regarding eligibility, school selection, or enrollment, including 1) a description of the proposed or refused action by the school, 2) an explanation of why the action is proposed or refused, 3) a description of other options the school considered and why those options were rejected, 4) a description of any other relevant factors to the school's decision and information related to the eligibility or best interest determination such as the facts, witnesses, and evidence relied upon and their sources, and 5) an appropriate timeline to ensure deadlines are not missed. The District must also include contact information for the Liaison and the State Coordinator, and a brief description of their roles. The District will also refer the parent, guardian or unaccompanied youth to the Liaison, who will carry out the dispute resolution process.

The District ensures that all decisions and notices are drafted in a language and format appropriate for low-literacy, limited vision readers and individuals with disabilities. For children and youth and/or parents or guardians who are English learners or whose dominant language is not English, the District will provide translation and interpretation services in connection with all phases of the dispute resolution process pursuant to Federal laws. The District will also provide electronic notices via email if the parent, guardian or unaccompanied youth has access to email followed by a written notice provided in person or sent by mail.

Homeless Children in Preschool

Homeless preschool-aged children and their families shall be provided equal access to the educational services for which they are eligible, including preschool programs, including Head Start programs, administered by the District. Additionally, the homeless child must remain in the public preschool of origin, unless a determination is made that it is not in the child's best interest. When making such a decision on the student's best interest, the District takes into account the same factors as it does for any student, regardless of age. It also considers pre-school age-specific factors, such as 1) the child's attachment to preschool teachers and staff, 2) the impact of school climate on the child, including school safety; the quality and availability of services to meet the child's needs, including health, developmental, and social-emotional needs; and 3) travel time to and from school.

The District must also provide transportation services to the school of origin for a homeless child attending preschool. It is the District's responsibility to provide the child with transportation to the school of origin even if the homeless preschooler who is enrolled in a public preschool in the District moves to another district that does not provide widely available or universal preschool.

Public Notice

In addition to notifying the parent or guardian of the homeless student or the unaccompanied youth of the applicable rights described above, the District shall post public notice of educational rights of children and youth experiencing homelessness in each school. In addition, the District shall post public notice of the McKinney-Vento rights in places that homeless populations frequent, such as shelters, soup kitchens, and libraries in a manner and form understandable to the parents and guardians and unaccompanied youths.

Records

The local liaison will assist the homeless students and their parent(s) or guardian(s) or unaccompanied homeless

students in their efforts to provide documentation to meet State and local requirements for entry into school.

All records for homeless students shall be maintained, subject to the protections of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and Policy 8330, and in such a manner so that they are available in a timely fashion and can be transferred promptly to the appropriate parties, as required. Pursuant to the McKinney-Vento Act, information regarding a homeless student's living situation is not considered directory information and must be provided the same protections as other non-directory personally identifiable information (PII) contained in student education records under FERPA. The District shall incorporate practices to protect student privacy as described in AG 5111.01, AG 8330, and in accordance with the provisions of the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) and the Family Violence Prevention and Services Act (FVPSA).

No Board policy, administrative procedure, or practice will be interpreted or applied in such a way as to inhibit the enrollment, attendance, or school success of homeless children.

Note:

¹ According to nonregulatory guidance from the U.S. Department of Education (ED), standards for adequate housing may vary by locally. Please see ED guidance for factors to consider when determining whether a child or youth is living in "substandard housing."

Education for Homeless Children and Youth Programs, Non-Regulatory Guidance, U.S. Department of Education (ED), Title VII-B of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act, as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act, at A-3 (July 27, 2016).

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA RELIGION IN THE CURRICULUM

As a public entity, the District must comply with the U.S. Constitution's First Amendment requirement that the District neither establishes religion in the schools nor prohibit students' free exercise of religion according to pertinent interpretation and application of those Constitutional provisions by the courts. Accordingly, no Board employee will promote religion in the classroom or in the District's curriculum, or compel or pressure any student to participate in devotional exercises. Displays of a religious character must conform with Policy 8800 and AG 8800A, AG 8800B, and AG 8800D. Instructional activities shall not be permitted to advance or inhibit any particular religion or religion generally. Teachers shall forward requests for religious accommodation in instruction to the Principal.

An understanding of religions and their effects on civilization is essential to the thorough education of young people and to their appreciation of a pluralistic society. To that end, curriculum may include, as appropriate to the various ages and attainments of the students, instruction about the religions of the world.

The Board acknowledges the degree to which religion often is incorporated into certain aspects of the arts, literature, music, and issues of morality. The instructional and resource materials approved for use in the District schools sometimes contain religious references or concern moral issues that have traditionally been the focus of religious concern. That such materials may contain such references, or may concern such issues, shall not, by itself, bar their use by the District. The Board directs that professional staff members employing such materials be neutral in their approach and avoid using them to advance or inhibit religion in any way.

The Board recognizes that religious traditions vary in their perceptions and doctrines regarding the natural world and its processes. The curriculum is chosen for its place in the education of the District's students, not for its conformity to religious principles. Students should receive unbiased instruction in the schools, so they may privately accept or reject the knowledge thus gained, in accordance with their own religious tenets if any.

Accordingly, no student shall be excused from completion of a required course of study, or the grounds that components of the instruction interfere with the free exercise of his/her religion. However, if after careful personal review of the program's lessons and/or materials, a parent indicates to the school that either the content or activities conflict with his/her religious beliefs or value system, the school will honor a written request for his/her child to be excused from a particular class period for specified reasons.

The student will be provided with alternate learning activities during the times of such parent requested absence. For the privacy of students whose parents request that they not take part in the particular class period, prior arrangements will be made for the student(s) to go to a supervised location where under the supervision of a staff member the student(s) will be provided with the alternate learning activities during the requested absence.

The District's instructional materials shall not be designed to influence students to accept or reject a particular religious belief or point of view.

Complaints by students or the public regarding any such course of study will be handled in accordance with Board Policy 9130.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA HUMAN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

Human Growth and Development instruction shall be made available to students in the School District of Waupaca as part of the district's health education curriculum and other related curricular and support programs. The kindergarten through grade 12 program in the District offers medically accurate and age appropriate instruction.

The program includes instruction in the following areas:

- A. Self-esteem, responsible decision-making and personal responsibility;
- B. Interpersonal relationships;
- C. Adolescent sexual activity;
- D. Family life and skills required of a parent;
- E. Human sexuality, reproduction, natural family planning and other forms of contraception, prenatal development, child birth, adoption, available prenatal and postnatal support and male responsibility;
- F. Stereotypes based on sex and protective behaviors. The aforementioned instructional topics (A-F) are not an inclusive list of all topics covered by the District's health education curriculum.

The District's Director of Teaching and Learning, or his/her administrative level designee, shall have primary administrative responsibility for overseeing the development, maintenance, and implementation of the District's human growth and development curriculum.

- For each grade level, the curriculum specifications shall clearly indicate the portions of the instruction, if any, that will be delivered to students while the students are separated by gender.
- The curriculum materials shall include the grade-level outlines that must be annually provided to the parents and guardians of the students who are in the grades where the instructional program is offered.

The District's Director of Teaching and Learning, or his/her administrative-level designee, is responsible for ensuring that the District provides the state-mandated annual notices regarding this instructional program to parents and guardians. Such notices shall include appropriate information about student exemption procedures. Parents may choose to opt their children out of instruction in human growth and development. Students who have been

exempted from human growth and development instruction will still receive instruction in knowledge of physiology and hygiene; sanitation; the effects of controlled substances and alcohol upon the human system; symptoms of disease and the proper care of the body; and knowledge of effective means by which students may recognize, avoid and prevent and halt physically or psychologically intrusive and stressful situations which may harmful to students as required by Wis. Stat. 118.01(2)(d) (2c) and 118.01(2)(d)(8). Contact your child's teacher for this option.

Human Growth and Development Ad Hoc Committee

The District's Director of Teaching and Learning or, in his/her absence, a school Principal designated by the District Administrator, shall serve as the chairperson of the District's ad hoc committee on the human growth and development curriculum. As established by state law, the role of the committee is to advise the Board and administration on the design and implementation of the applicable curriculum and to periodically review the curriculum on an advisory basis.

As express exceptions to any conflicting policies that otherwise address ad hoc committees in the District:

A. In any school year in which the ad hoc committee will be convened, the chairperson shall propose a list of appointees for the ad hoc committee that is reflective of the membership goals identified in state law. The District Administrator may approve the proposed appointments on behalf of the Board for the then-current iteration of the ad hoc committee.

B. An iteration of the ad hoc committee shall be appointed and convened prior to the implementation of any proposed significant substantive revisions to the District's human growth and development curriculum.

C. The chairperson and District Administrator shall notify the Board any time a new iteration of the ad hoc committee is being convened.

D. The Board may seek specific feedback from the current iteration of the committee.

E. At his/her sole discretion, the chairperson may fill any vacancies that may arise on the committee.

F. Unless otherwise directed by the Board, appointments to the committee will terminate and the current iteration of the ad hoc committee shall be considered disbanded upon the delivery of a curriculum review and recommendation report to the Board.

G. The report to the Board may note any areas of consensus among the committee members and any areas where no consensus could be reached.

H. Meetings of the ad hoc committee will be noticed pursuant to the Open Meetings Law.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA CONFIDENTIALITY OF PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION OBTAINED THROUGH CHILD FIND ACTIVITIES

The School District of Waupaca is required to locate, identify, and evaluate all children, with disabilities, including children with disabilities attending private schools in the school district, and homeless children. The process of locating, identifying, and evaluating children with disabilities is known as child find. This agency conducts the following child find activities each year, community base child find, four year old child development days, and through a progress monitoring system. This notice informs parents of the records the school district will develop and maintain as part of its child find activities. This notice also informs parents of their rights regarding any records developed.

The school district gathers personally identifiable information on any child who participates in child find activities. Parents, teachers, and other professionals provide information to the school related to the child's academic performance, behavior, and health. This information is used to determine whether the child needs special education services. Personally identifiable information directly related to a child and maintained by the school is a pupil record. Pupil records include records maintained in any way including, but not limited to, computer storage media, video and audiotape, film, microfilm, and microfiche. Records maintained for personal use by a teacher and not available to others and records available only to persons involved in the psychological treatment of a child are not pupil records.

The school district maintains several classes of pupil records.

- "Progress records" include grades, courses the child has taken, the child's attendance record, immunization records, required lead screening records, and records of school extra-curricular activities. Progress records must be maintained for at least five years after the child ceases to be enrolled.
- "Behavioral records" include such records as psychological tests, personality evaluations, records of conversations, written statements relating specifically to the pupil's behavior, tests relating specifically to achievement or measurement of ability, physical health records other than immunization and lead screening records, law enforcement officers' records, and other pupil records that are not "progress records." Law enforcement officers' records are maintained separately from other pupil records. Behavioral records may be maintained no longer than one year after the child graduates or otherwise ceases to be enrolled, unless the parent specifies in writing that the records may be maintained for a longer period of time. The school district informs parents when pupil records are no

than 45 days after the request has been made. If any record includes information on more than one child, the parents of those children have the right to inspect and review only the information about their child or to be informed of that specific information. Upon request, the school district will give a parent or eligible student a copy of the progress records and a copy of the behavioral records. Upon request, the school district will give the parent or eligible student a list of the types and locations of education records collected, maintained, or used by the district for special education. The school district will respond to reasonable requests for explanations and interpretations of the records. A representative of the parent may inspect and review the records.

- **The right to request the amendment of the student's education records that the parent or eligible student believes is inaccurate or misleading.** Parents or eligible students may ask the School District of Waupaca to amend a record that they believe is inaccurate or misleading. They should write the school principal, clearly identify the part of the record they want changed, and specify why it is inaccurate or misleading. If the district decides not to amend the record, the district will notify the parent or eligible student of the decision and the right to a hearing regarding the request for amendment. Additional information regarding the hearing procedures will be provided to the parent or eligible student when notified of the right to a hearing.

- **The right to consent to disclosures of personally identifiable information in the student's education records, except to the extent that federal and state law authorize disclosure without consent.** The exceptions are stated in 34 CFR 99.31, Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act regulations; Sec. 9528, PL107-110, No Child Left Behind Act of 2001; and section 118.125(2)(a) to (m) and sub. (2m), Wisconsin Statutes. One exception that permits disclosure without consent is disclosures to school officials with legitimate educational interests. A school official is a person employed by the district as an administrator, supervisor, instructor, or support staff member (including health or medical staff and law enforcement unit personnel); a person serving on the school board; a person or company with whom the district has contracted to perform a special task (such as an attorney, auditor, medical consultant, or therapist); or a parent or student serving on an official committee, such as a disciplinary or grievance committee, or assisting another school official in performing his or her tasks. A school official has a legitimate educational interest if the official needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his or her professional responsibility. Upon request, the district discloses education records without consent to officials of another school district in which a student seeks or intends to enroll. Also the district discloses "directory data" without consent, unless the parent notifies the district that it may not be released without prior parental consent.

- **The right to file a complaint with the U. S. Department of Education concerning alleged failures by the District to comply with the requirements of FERPA.** The name and address of the Office that administers FERPA is: Family Policy Compliance Office, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20202-4605.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA ANNUAL NOTICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION REFERRAL AND EVALUATION PROCEDURES

Upon request, the School District of Waupaca is required to evaluate a child for eligibility for special education services. A request for evaluation is known as a referral. When the district receives a referral, the district will appoint an Individualized Education Program (IEP) team to determine if the child has a disability, and if the child needs special education services. The district locates, identifies, and evaluates all children with disabilities who are enrolled by their parents in private (including religious) schools, elementary schools and secondary schools located in the school district.

A physician, nurse, psychologist, social worker, or administrator of a social agency who reasonably believes a child brought to him or her for services is a child with a disability has a legal duty to refer the child, including a homeless child, to the school district in which the child resides. Before referring the child, the person making the referral must inform the child's parent that the referral will be made.

Others, including parents, who reasonably believe a child with a disability may also refer the child, including a homeless child, to the school district in which the child resides.

Referrals must be in writing and include the reason why the person believes the child is a child with a disability. A referral may be made by contacting Laurie Schmidt, Director of Student Services, School District of Waupaca, at 715-258-4124, or by writing her at E2325 King Rd., Waupaca, WI 54981.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA PROGRAM OR CURRICULUM MODIFICATIONS

The Board recognizes that the regular school program may not be appropriate for all students. Some students may need program or curriculum modifications to successfully meet the District's academic goals and/or graduation requirements. (See Policy 5461 - Children At-Risk of Not Graduating from High School)

Any student's parent, or the student if the parent is notified, may submit a written request to the Board, to provide the student with program or curriculum modifications, including, but not limited to:

- modifications within the student's current academic program;
- a school work training or work-study program;
- enrollment in an alternative public school or program located in the School District in which the student resides;
- enrollment in any nonsectarian private school or program, or tribal school, located in the School District in which the student resides, which complies with the requirements of State and Federal law;
- homebound study, including nonsectarian correspondence courses or other courses of study approved by the Board or nonsectarian tutoring provided by the school in which the child is enrolled;
- enrollment in any public educational program located outside the School District in which the student resides, pursuant to a contractual agreement between school districts.

The Board or an administrator who is designated to do so, must render its decision, in writing, within ninety (90) days of a request, except that if the request relates to a student who has been evaluated by an Individualized Education Program team and has not been recommended for special education, the decision must be made within thirty (30) days of the request. If the request is denied, the reasons for the denial must be included. A parent may request reconsideration of any decision made by the Board or the designated administrator in response to a request for program or curriculum modifications and such request must be reviewed by the

Board. The Board is required to render its determination upon review in writing.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA EARLY COLLEGE CREDIT PROGRAM

The School District of Waupaca supports providing quality educational opportunities to ensure District students graduate college, career, and community ready. Consistent with state law, high school students who meet the eligibility requirements defined in applicable statutes, regulations, and District policies, and who submit timely and complete applications and notices, may be permitted to enroll in one or more courses at an institute of higher education (IHE) through the Early College Credit Program.

The School District of Waupaca's Director of Teaching and Learning, or an administrative-level designee shall be responsible for (1) ensuring that the District appropriately processes requests/applications related to the Early College Credit Program; and (2) except for refusal of permission to take a course that is based on an undue financial burden, determining whether the District will approve individual applications and pay for specific courses based on the criteria established in state law, any applicable state regulations, and applicable District policies and procedures.

The authority of the program administrator(s) includes, but is not limited to, the authority to make or approve the following determinations on behalf of the District:

- Whether a student meets the minimum eligibility criteria for participation in the program;
- Whether a proposed course is comparable to a course already offered in the District;
- Whether the student will be eligible to receive high school credit for the successful completion of a proposed course, and, if so, the amount of high school credit; and
- Whether the proposed course and any resulting credit meets any of the District's high school graduation requirements.

Responsibility for Costs; Limitations on District Payments

To the extent required by state law, the District shall pay the costs associated with students' enrollment in an IHE under this policy if the course is taken for high school credit and the course is not comparable to a course offered in the District. Limitations on the District's responsibility for payment include the following:

- The District shall pay only such tuition, fees, and course material costs as are required by law. If the District is required to pay the IHE for the cost of a book or similar resource that is not a one-time use item, the student shall be required to return the resource(s) to the District upon completion of the course.
- If a student takes a course at an IHE that is comparable to a course offered in the District, the District will make no payment for the course. Instead, the student taking the comparable course is responsible for paying the tuition and fees for the course.
- The District shall pay for no more than the equivalent of a combined total of eighteen (18) postsecondary semester credits per student for any courses that are taken through the Start College Now Program or the Early College Credit Program. Courses that the District paid for under the former Youth Options Program count toward this credit limit. (If a student wants to take more than eighteen (18) postsecondary semester credits, the student must meet with the Director of Teaching and Learning or their designee prior to the student signing up for more than eighteen (18) credits.)

- A student who is participating in the Early College Credit Program in any semester may not simultaneously participate in the Start College Now Program.
- A student participating in the Early College Credit Program may attend only one IHE in a semester.
- The District shall require a student who receives a failing grade in or who fails to complete an IHE course to reimburse the District for all amounts paid for the course on the student's behalf. For a student who is a minor, the student's parent or guardian is responsible for such reimbursement. If reimbursement is not made upon request, the student is ineligible for any further participation in the Early College Credit Program and the Start College Now Program.
- Unless otherwise required by law, the District is not responsible for providing transportation to IHE courses taken under this policy or paying for transportation-related costs.

The District Administrator shall also ensure that all students enrolled in the District in the 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th grades are provided with information regarding the Program by October 1st of each year.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA STUDENT RECORDS

In order to provide appropriate educational services and programming, the Board must collect, retain, and use information about individual students. Simultaneously, the Board recognizes the need to safeguard students' privacy and restrict access to students' personally identifiable information.

Except for data identified by policy as "directory data," student "personally identifiable information" includes, but is not limited to: the student's name; the name of the student's parent or other family members; the address of the student or student's family; a personal identifier, such as the student's social security number, student number, or biometric record; other indirect identifiers, such as the student's date of birth, place of birth, and mother's maiden name; other information that, alone or in combination, is linked or linkable to a specific student that would allow a reasonable person in the school community, who does not have personal knowledge of the relevant circumstances, to identify the student with reasonable certainty, or information requested by a person who the District reasonably believes knows the identity of the student to whom the education record relates.

Reference in this policy to "directory data," includes reference to "directory information," in the context of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).

The Board is responsible for the records of all students who attend or have attended schools in this District. Only records mandated by the State or Federal government and/or necessary and relevant to the function of the School District or specifically permitted by this Board will be compiled by Board employees.

In all cases, permitted, narrative information in student records shall be objectively-based on the personal observation or knowledge of the originator.

Student records shall be available only to students and their parents, eligible students, designated school officials who have a legitimate educational interest in the information, or to other individuals or organizations as permitted by law.

Address Confidentiality Program

Students who are verified participants in the Safe at Home/Address Confidentiality Program administered by the Wisconsin Department of Justice shall be permitted to use their substitute assigned address for all District purposes. The Board

shall refrain from including the student's actual/confidential residential address in any student records or files (including electronic records and files) or disclosing the student's actual/confidential residential address when releasing student records. The Board shall only list the address designated by the Wisconsin Department of Justice to serve as the student's address in any student records or files, including electronic records and files. Further, the Board shall use the student's substitute assigned address for any and all communications and correspondence between the Board and the parent(s) of the student (or adult student). The student's actual/confidential residential address shall be maintained in a separate confidential file that is not accessible to the public or any employees without a legitimate purpose. The intentional disclosure of a student's actual/confidential residential address is prohibited.

The Board may enter into a memorandum of understanding with a county department under State statutes (s. 46.215, 46.22 or 46.23) or a tribal organization, as defined under Federal law, that permits disclosure of information contained in student records as provided under State law in cases in which the student's parent, if the student is a minor or the student, if the student is an adult, does not grant permission for such disclosure.

The term "parents" includes legal guardians or other persons standing in loco parentis (such as a grandparent or stepparent with whom the child lives, or a person who is legally responsible for the welfare of the child). The term "eligible student" or "adult student" refers to a student who is eighteen (18) years of age or older.

Both parents shall have equal access to student records unless stipulated otherwise by court order or law. In the case of adult students, parents may be allowed access to the records without the student's consent, provided the student is considered a dependent under section 152 of the Internal Revenue Code, and provided that the student has not made a written request to the District that their parents not be permitted access to personally identifiable information from their records.

A school official is a person employed by the Board as an administrator, supervisor, teacher/instructor (including substitutes), or support staff member (including health or medical staff and law enforcement unit personnel); a person serving on the Board; a person or company with whom the Board has contracted to perform a special task (such as an attorney, auditor, or medical consultant); a contractor, consultant, volunteer, or other party to whom the Board has outsourced a service otherwise performed by Board employees (e.g. a therapist); or a parent or student serving on an official committee, such as a disciplinary or grievance committee, or assisting another school official in performing tasks (including volunteers).

"Legitimate educational interest" is defined as a "direct or delegated responsibility for helping the student achieve one (1) or more of the educational goals of the District" or if the record is necessary in order for the school official to perform an administrative, supervisory, or instructional task or to perform a service or benefit for the student or the student's family. The Board directs that reasonable and appropriate methods (including but not limited to physical and/or technological access controls) are utilized to control access to student records and to make certain that school officials obtain access to only those education records in which they have a legitimate educational interest.

The Board authorizes the administration to:

- forward student records, including disciplinary records with respect to suspensions and expulsions, upon request to a private or public school or school district in which a student of this District is enrolled, seeks or intends to enroll, or is instructed to enroll, on a full-time or part-time basis, upon condition that:
 - a reasonable attempt is made to notify the student's parent or eligible student of the transfer (unless the disclosure is initiated by the parent or eligible student; or the Board's annual notification - Form 8330 F9 - includes a notice that the Board will forward education records to other agencies or institutions that have requested the records and in which the student seeks or intends to enroll or is already enrolled so long as the disclosure is for purposes related to the student's enrollment or transfer);
 - the parent or eligible student, upon request, receive a copy of the record;
 - the parent or eligible student, upon request, has an opportunity for a hearing to challenge the content of the record; and
 - no later than the next working day, the District shall transfer to another school, including a private or tribal school, or school district, all student records relating to a specific student if the transferring school district or private school has received written notice from the student (if an adult) or their parent or guardian if the student is a minor that the student intends to enroll in the other school or school district or written notice from the other school or school district that the student has enrolled or from a court that the student has been placed in a juvenile correctional facility, as defined in s. 938.02(10p), or a secured residential care center for children and youth, as defined in s. 938.02(15g);

In this subsection, "school" and "school district" include any juvenile correctional facility, secured residential care center for children and youth, adult correctional institution, mental health institute, or center for the developmentally disabled that provides an educational program for its residents instead of, or in addition to, that which is provided by public, private, and tribal schools.

- forward student records, including disciplinary records with respect to suspensions and expulsions, upon request to a juvenile detention facility in which the student has been placed, or a juvenile court that has taken jurisdiction of the student;

- disclose student records that are pertinent to addressing a student's educational needs to a caseworker or other representative of the department of children and families, a county department under s. 46.215, 46.22, or 46.23, or a tribal organization, as defined in 25 USC 450b(L), that is legally responsible for the care and protection of the student, if the caseworker or other representative is authorized by that department, county department, or tribal organization to access the student's case plan;

- provide "personally-identifiable" information to appropriate parties, including parents of an eligible student, whose knowledge of the information is necessary to protect the health or safety of the student or other individuals, if there is an articulable and significant threat to the health or safety of a student or other individuals, considering the totality of the circumstances;

- report a crime committed by a child to appropriate authorities, and, with respect to reporting a crime committed by a student with a

disability, to transmit copies of the student's special education and disciplinary records to the authorities for their consideration;

- release de-identified records and information in accordance with Federal regulations;

- disclose personally identifiable information from education records, without consent, to organizations conducting studies "for, or on behalf of" the District for purposes of developing, validating or administering predictive tests, administering student aid programs, or improving instruction;

Information disclosed under this exception must be protected so that students and parents cannot be personally identified by anyone other than a representative of the organization conducting the study, and must be destroyed when no longer needed for the study. In order to release information under this provision, the District will enter into a written agreement with the recipient organization that specifies the purpose of the study.

While the disclosure of personally identifiable information without consent is allowed under this exception, it is recommended that whenever possible the administration either release de-identified information or remove the student's names and social security identification numbers to reduce the risk of unauthorized disclosure of personally identifiable information.

- disclose personally identifiable information from education records without consent, to authorized representatives of the Federal government, as well as State and local educational authorities;

The disclosed records must be used to audit or evaluate a Federal or State supported education program, or to enforce or comply with Federal requirements related to those education programs. A written agreement between the parties is required under this exception.

The District will verify that the authorized representative complies with FERPA regulations.

- request each person or party requesting access to a student's record to abide by Federal regulations and State laws concerning the disclosure of information.

The Board will comply with a legitimate request for access to a student's records within a reasonable period of time but not more than forty-five (45) days after receiving the request or within such shorter period as may be applicable to students with disabilities. Upon the request of the viewer, a record shall be reproduced, unless said record is copyrighted, or otherwise restricted, and the viewer may be charged a fee equivalent to the cost of handling and reproduction. Based upon reasonable requests, viewers of education records will receive explanation and interpretation of the records.

The Board shall maintain a record of each request for access and each disclosure of personally identifiable information. Such disclosure records will indicate the student, person viewing the record, their legitimate interest in the information, information disclosed, date of disclosure, and date parent/eligible student consent was obtained (if required).

Only "directory information" regarding a student shall be released to any person or party, other than the student or their parent, without the written consent of the parent, or, if the student is an eligible student, without the written consent of the student, except as provided by applicable law.

DIRECTORY DATA

Each year, the District Administrator shall provide a public notice to students and their parents of the District's intent to make available, upon request, certain information known as "directory data." The Board designates as student "directory data":

- a student's name;
- photograph;
- major field of study;
- participation in officially recognized activities and sports;
- height and/or weight, if a member of an athletic team;
- date of graduation;
- degrees and awards received.

Parents and eligible students may refuse to allow the Board to disclose any or all of such "directory data" upon written notification to the Board within fourteen (14) days after receipt of the District Administrator's annual public notice or enrollment of the student into the District if such enrollment occurs after the annual public notice.

In accordance with Federal and State law, the Board shall release the names, addresses, District assigned e-mail addresses (if available), and telephone listings of secondary students to a recruiting officer for any branch of the United States Armed Forces or an institution of higher education who requests such information. A secondary school student or parent of the student may request in writing that the student's name, address, District assigned e-mail address (if available), and telephone listing not be released without prior consent of the parent(s)/eligible student. The recruiting officer is to sign a form indicating that "any information received by the recruiting officer shall be used solely for the purpose of informing students about military service and shall not be released to any person other than individuals within the recruiting services of the Armed Forces." The District Administrator is authorized to charge mailing fees for providing this information to a recruiting officer.

Whenever consent of the parent(s)/eligible student is required for the inspection and/or release of a student's health or education records or for the release of "directory data," either parent may provide such consent unless agreed to otherwise in writing by both parents or specifically stated by court order. If the student is under the guardianship of an institution, the District Administrator shall appoint a person who has no conflicting interest to provide such written consent.

The Board may disclose "directory data," on former students without student or parental consent unless the parent or eligible student previously submitted a request that such information not be disclosed without their prior written consent.

The Board shall not collect or use personal information obtained from students or their parents for the purpose of marketing or for selling that information.

INSPECTION OF INFORMATION COLLECTION INSTRUMENT

The parent of a student or an eligible student has the right to inspect upon request any instrument used in the collection of personal information before the instrument is administered or distributed to a student. Personal information for this section is defined as individually identifiable information including a student or parent's first and last name, a home or other physical address (including street name and the name of the city or town), a telephone number, or a Social Security identification number. In order to review the instrument, the parent or eligible student must submit a written request to the Building Principal at least fourteen (14) business days before the scheduled date of the activity. The instrument will be provided to the parent or eligible student

within fourteen (14) business days of the Principal receiving the request.

The District Administrator shall directly notify the parent(s) of a student and eligible students, at least annually at the beginning of the school year, of the specific or approximate dates during the school year when such activities are scheduled or expected to be scheduled.

This section does not apply to the collection, disclosure, or use of personal information collected from students for the exclusive purpose of developing, evaluating, or providing educational products or services for, or to, students or educational institutions, such as the following:

- college or other postsecondary education recruitment, or military recruitment;
- book clubs, magazines, and programs providing access to low-cost literary products;
- curriculum and instructional materials used by elementary and secondary schools;
- tests and assessments used by elementary and secondary schools to provide cognitive, evaluative, diagnostic, clinical, aptitude, or achievement information about students (or to generate other statistically useful data for the purpose of securing such tests and assessments) and the subsequent analysis and public release of the aggregate data from such tests and assessments;
- the sale by students of products or services to raise funds for school-related or education-related activities;
- student recognition programs.

The Board authorizes the use of computer data storage for the recording, filing, maintaining, and preserving of records.

No liability shall attach to any member, officer, or employee of this Board as a consequence of permitting access or furnishing student records in accordance with this policy and regulations.

Any entity receiving personally identifiable information pursuant to a study, audit, evaluation or enforcement/compliance activity must comply with all FERPA regulations. Further, such an entity must enter into a written contract with the Board delineating its responsibilities in safeguarding the disclosed information. Specifically, the entity must demonstrate the existence of a sound data security plan or data stewardship program, and must also provide assurances that the personally identifiable information will not be redisclosed without prior authorization from the Board. Further, the entity conducting the study, audit, evaluation or enforcement/compliance activity is required to destroy the disclosed information once it is no longer needed or when the timeframe for the activity has ended, as specified in its written agreement with the Board.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA PUBLIC RECORDS

The Board recognizes its responsibility to maintain the public records of this District and to make such records available for inspection and reproduction. The Board designates the District Administrator or designee as the District Records Custodian (DRC), to be the legal custodian of records for the District. The DRC shall safely keep and preserve the public records of the District and shall have the authority to render decisions and carry out duties related to those public records. The DRC may deny access to records only in accordance with the law. The DRC is authorized and encouraged to consult with the District's legal counsel to determine whether to deny access to a records request in whole or in part.

Under the Wisconsin Public Records Law, a "record" is defined as any material on which written, drawn, printed, spoken, visual, or electromagnetic information or electronically generated or stored data is recorded or preserved, regardless of physical form or characteristics, that has been created or is being kept by the authority. It includes handwritten, typed, or printed pages, maps, charts, photographs, films, recordings, tapes, optical discs, and any other medium on which electronically generated or stored data is recorded or preserved. A "record" does not include drafts, notes, preliminary computations, and like materials prepared for the originator's personal use or prepared by the originator in the name of a person for whom the originator is working; materials that are purely the personal property of the custodian and have no relation to his/her office; materials to which access is limited by copyright, patent, or request; and published materials in the possession of an authority other than a public library that are available for sale, or that are available for inspection at a public library. The personal use exception applies to notes created by the originator solely for the purpose of refreshing his/her recollection and as a matter of convenience (not part of his/her job duties), but does not apply to notes that are distributed to others for the purpose of communicating information or notes that are created or retained for the purpose of memorializing agency activity.

In addition, records may be exempted from disclosure as a matter of statute or common law or, under the balancing test, the public interest in disclosure may be outweighed by the public interest in non-disclosure.

Any person may make an oral or written request for any public records of the District. The person may inspect or receive copies of the public record requested. The District will respond as soon as practicable and without delay. The District will either provide the requested documents, subject to any redactions, or inform the requester of the District's decision to deny the request.

The District will comply with the Safe at Home/Address Confidentiality Program administered by the Wisconsin Department of Justice. (See Policy 5111 - Eligibility of Resident/Nonresident Students, Policy 8320 - Personnel Records and Policy 8330 - Student Records.)

The District may impose a fee upon the requester of a copy of a record of ten cents (\$0.10) per page, which represents the actual, necessary, and direct cost of reproduction of the record. In addition, the District may impose a fee upon a requester for the actual time spent by District employees in locating a record, if the cost is \$50.00 or more. In calculating location costs, the District will use the applicable employee's hourly rate for salary and benefits.

The District may also charge the requester for any equipment required to fill the request (such as videotapes, computer disks, etc.). The District may impose a fee upon a requester for the actual, necessary, and direct cost of mailing or shipping of any copies which are mailed or shipped to the requester.

The District may require prepayment of fees if the total amount exceeds \$5.00. If payment is required, the District will calculate the actual cost and charge the requester. If advance payment is required, the District will either invoice the requester for the difference between the estimate and actual cost or refund any overpayment.

No public record may be removed from the office in which it is maintained except by a Board officer or employee in the course of the performance of his/her duties.

Nothing in this policy shall be construed as preventing a Board member from inspecting in the performance of his/her official duties any record of this District, except student records and certain

portions of personnel records.

The District Administrator is authorized to develop administrative guidelines to provide for proper compliance with the intent of this policy and the public records law.

Records Retention Schedule

The District has adopted the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction's guidelines on School District record retention.

It may be accessed at the following web address:

<https://publicrecordsboard.wi.gov/Documents/DPI%20GS-APPROVED%20June%202015%20v8.1.pdf>

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA NETWORK OR INTERNET USAGE

The School District of Waupaca network and the internet are seen as resources that will be available to students as part of the School District of Waupaca's curriculum. No student shall be required to take part in the School District of Waupaca network or internet activities if their parent(s)/guardian(s) file a written objection to such participation with the building principal. The District's acceptable use policy is available from the building principal upon request.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA AODA REGULATIONS NOTIFICATION

The School District of Waupaca hereby gives public notice of the following:

- * The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance on school district property, including all district owned vehicles, is prohibited at all times.
- * The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of alcohol on school district property, including all district owned vehicles, is prohibited at all times.
- * Being under the influence of a controlled substance and/or alcohol on school district property, including all district owned vehicles, is prohibited at all times.

These same provisions shall be in effect at all school-sponsored events, including extra-curricular activities, while off school premises.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA QUALIFIED TEACHERS

Dear Parent,

The School District of Waupaca knows the educational success your child experiences is directly related to the quality of our educational staff. The school district is committed to hiring and retaining high quality staff members. One measure of teacher quality is their educational background and licensure. All teachers employed by the School District of Waupaca have at least a bachelor's degree and are licensed by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction (DPI). In addition, approximately 65 percent of our teachers hold an advanced degree. Federal law allows parents to request qualification information and the School District of Waupaca will respond in a timely fashion.

Below are some questions you may have regarding the qualifications of the staff members working with your child.

- Is my child's teacher licensed to teach the grades or subjects assigned?
- Has the state waived any requirements for my child's teacher?

The status of the qualifications of your child's teacher's licensure can be found on the DPI website: <http://dpi.state.wi.us/tepd/llsearch.html>. If you do not have internet access, contact your child's principal.

- What was the major of my child's teacher in college?
- What degrees does my child's teacher hold?

Answers to questions 3 and 4 can be obtained by contacting Mark Flaten, Director of Teaching and Learning, School District of Waupaca at 258-4121.

- Are there instructional aides working with my child? If so, what are their qualifications?

Contact your child's principal for an answer to question 5.

The School District of Waupaca will continue to place a priority on hiring qualified educators and providing support for their continued professional growth. If you would like more information about teacher licensure or other aspects of school operations, please feel free to contact the Director of Instruction at 258-4121.

Mark Flaten

Director of Teaching and Learning

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA ASBESTOS MANAGEMENT

The Board of Education recognizes its responsibility to provide students, employees, and visitors with a safe and healthful environment. Accordingly, the Board directs the District Administrator to ensure that the District satisfies its obligations to deal with asbestos building materials in any building that is leased, owned, or otherwise used by the District as a school building as required under State and Federal law including, but not limited to, the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act of 1986 ("AHERA"). To this end, the Board authorizes the District Administrator to designate an individual responsible for ensuring that the District satisfies its responsibilities under AHERA. This individual will, at a minimum develop and administer an Asbestos Management Plan as required by law. The Plan will address all requirements under AHERA including, but not limited to, inspection, reinspection, periodic surveillance, training and recordkeeping requirements.

The District Administrator will also ensure that at least once each school year, the District provides written notice to parents, employees and employee organizations regarding the availability of the District's Asbestos Management Plan and any response actions taken or planned.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA USE OF CAMERAS AND OTHER RECORDING DEVICES IN LOCKER ROOMS

The Board recognizes the importance of protecting the privacy interests of the District's students and is committed to safeguarding students' privacy in the locker room facilities.

Meetings and Public Hearings 7720

b) CAWS
c) Fire Department
d) Ambulance
e) Comprehensive Planning
f) County Board
g) Animal Control
h) Roads
• Motion to Adjourn

Meetings and Public Hearings 7720

Pat Shambau Hill
Clerk
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PUBLIC NOTICE
TOWN OF DAYTON - WAUPACA COUNTY
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REGULATIONS OF THE PLACEMENT

Meetings and Public Hearings 7720

OF BUOYS ON THE CHAIN O'LAKES
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
Dayton Town Board will hold a Public
Hearing to hear testimony regarding
amending an ordinance of the
regulations of buoy placement on the
Chain O'Lakes.

The Town Board of the Town of
Harrison will meet at the Northland
Lutheran Church the second Monday of
each month at 6:30 p.m. for the purpose
of transacting business that may come
up. The meetings will be open to the
public.

The Village of Iola Board Meeting will
be held the second Monday monthly at
5:30 p.m. at the Iola Village Hall,
Community Room, 180 S. Main Street.
The Finance Committee meeting is held
thirty minutes prior to the board meeting.

TOWN OF BEAR CREEK
The regular monthly meeting of the Bear
Creek Town Board will be held on
Monday, September 11th, 2023 at 7:00
pm at the Bear Creek Town Hall.
A. Call to Order
B. Open Meeting Statement
C. Approve Agenda
D. Read and Approve Minutes from
August Meeting
E. Citizens Forum
F. Informational Forum
a. Fire Departments
b. Ambulance
c. Town Roads
d. Constable
e. Comprehensive Planning
g. Zoning Report
H. Treasurer's Report
I. Examination and Payment of Bills
J. Motion to Adjourn
Theresa Huss, Clerk
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TOWN OF MUKWA
E8514 Weyauwega Rd., Northport
Phone 982.9890
clerk@mwkwa.gov
MONTHLY TOWN BOARD MEETING
AGENDA
September 12, 2023 - 6:00 p.m.
Chairperson calls meeting to order.
Pledge of Allegiance
Roll call of Officers
It is understood that in Accordance with
Town of Mukwa Ordinance 10-05, this
Meeting will adhere to Robert's Rules of
Order.
Notification of this Meeting was given to
the Press on August 31, 2023 and the
Final Agenda was posted in the three
designated places on September 8,
2023.

1. Approve: August 8, 2023 Monthly
Town Board Meeting Minutes
2. Treasurer: Approve Monthly
Treasurer's Report - August
3. Budget/Vouchers: Approval and
Payments of Monthly Vouchers
Showing of Hands for Public Forum -
Keep Subject and Question Brief
4. Town of Mukwa Residents - Five
Minute Public Forum
5. Animal Control Officer/s: (a)Animal
Report Forms; (b)Citation Letter/s
Issued in Past Month;
6. Building Inspector: Monthly Report
7. Plan Commission Member -
Appointment of Member to Complete
Term
8. Hold Harmless Agreement - E8560
Court Street
9. Operator License - Pup's Irish Pub -
Raven Young
10. Roads: (a)Monthly Report;
(b)Equipment/Report/Repairs/
Purchases Needed, (c)2023 Road
Projects - Follow-up
11. Waupaca County Zoning & Other
Meetings: Attended: Upcoming;
12. Correspondence Received;
13. Motion to Adjourn.
/s/Jeanette Zielinski, Municipal Clerk
Publish: September 7, 2023 Press Star
- Legal Notice Final Agenda Posted:
September 8, 2023 WNAAXLP

TOWN OF MUKWA TAXPAYERS
NOTICE OF OPEN BOOK & BOARD
OF REVIEW

Prior to the meeting of the Board of
Review & pursuant to s. 70.45 Wis.
Stats., the assessment roll for the year
2023 will be open for inspection and
examination. Instructional material about
the assessment, how to file an
objection, & Board of Review
procedures under Wisconsin law will be
available at that time. It is recommended
that you discuss your assessment with
the Assessor prior to making an
appointment to appear before the Board
of Review.
The Assessor will be available for Open
Book on:
Tuesday, September 5, 2023 from
8:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
To be held at the Mukwa Town Hall,
E8514 Weyauwega Road, Northport.
Board of Review: Wednesday,
September 13, 2023 starting at 6:00
p.m. (minimum of 2 hours). Persons
wishing to be heard by the Board of
Review must file an Objection Form
and make an appointment with the
Town Clerk. Please call Town of Mukwa
Clerk, Jeanette Zielinski at 982-9890.
/s/Jeanette Zielinski, Municipal Clerk
Town of Mukwa
Posted: August 7, 2023
Published: Press Star - Legal - August
31, 2023 & Sept. 7, 2023 WNAAXLP

VILLAGE OF HORTONVILLE
OUTAGAMIC COUNTY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13th,
2023

6:00 P.M. - VILLAGE HALL, 531 N
NASH STREET, HORTONVILLE WI
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that the Zoning
Board of Appeals will hold a Public
Hearing at 531 N Nash Street,
Hortonville, Wisconsin at 6:00 p.m.,
Wednesday, September 13th, 2023, to
hear the petition for a variance for Front
and Rear setbacks submitted by Eric
and Judy Peterson for the following
described property:
LEGAL DESCRIPTION: COM 453.75FT
N OF INTRS S/4 SE & C/L OSHKOSH
ST E165FT S/4 25 FT W165FT
N41.25FT TO BEG PRT SE SEC35
T22N R15E #1570124 &
Commonly known as 344 S Nash St
Parcel #240-0381-00
TERMS OF ZONING CODE: Chapter
44, Section 72, (d)
APPEAL REQUESTED: Front & rear
setbacks due to insufficient lot area.
For specific information, reference can
be made to documents V-1-23 on file in
the Village Administration Building, 531
N Nash Street, Hortonville, Wisconsin.
Telephone (920)779-6011.
Any interested person may address the
Board of Zoning Appeals by letter or
appear in person or by agent and be
heard.
Jane Booth, WCMC
Village Clerk-Treasurer
Publish: August 31 & September 7,
2023. WNAAXLP

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BOARD OF EDUCATION
CLINTONVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL
DISTRICT
CLINTONVILLE, WISCONSIN 54929
MINUTES OF
REGULAR MEETING BOARD OF
EDUCATION
August 14, 2023

A regular meeting of the Board of
Education of the Clintonville Public
School District was called to order on
August 14, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. in the High
School IMC by President Ben Huber.
Members Present: Ben Huber, Glen
Drew Lundt, Mark Zachow, Laurie
Vollrath, Chad Dobbe, and Kris
Strauman.
Jason Moder arrived at 5:28 p.m.
Administration Present: Troy Kuhn and
Lindsay Nordor
Others Present: Kathryn Murphy
OPEN MEETING STATEMENT: This
August 14, 2023, meeting of the
Clintonville Board of Education and all
other meetings of the board are open to
the public in compliance with state
statute. Notice of the meeting has been
sent to the media, and has been publicly
posted, in an attempt to make the
citizens of the district aware of the time,
place and agenda of this meeting. Upon
request to the District Administrator,
submitted twenty-four (24) hours in
advance, the District shall make
reasonable accommodation including
the provision of informational material in
an alternative format for a disabled
person to attend this meeting.
APPROVE AGENDA: Moved by Laurie
Vollrath, seconded by Chad Dobbe, to
approve the agenda as written. Ayes
and nays called, all voting aye. Motion
carried.
ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION:
Moved by Kris Strauman, seconded by
Laurie Vollrath to adjourn to closed
session for consideration of matters
over which the Board has jurisdiction
pursuant to Wisconsin Statute 19.85 (1)
(c) - Considering employment,
promotion, compensation, or
performance evaluation data of any
public employee over which the
governmental body has jurisdiction or
exercises responsibility; for the purpose
of conducting an Elementary Principal
interview. Roll call vote was taken with
Ben Huber, Mark Zachow, Chad Dobbe,
Laurie Vollrath, Glen Drew Lundt, and
Kris Strauman all voting aye (Jason
Moder arrived at 5:28 p.m.) Motion
carried and meeting adjourned to closed
session at 5:00 p.m.
RETURN TO OPEN SESSION: Moved
by Chad Dobbe, seconded by Glen
Drew Lundt to return to open session.
Roll call vote was taken with Mark
Zachow, Chad Dobbe, Laurie Vollrath,
Jason Moder, Kris Strauman, Glen Drew
Lundt, and Ben Huber voting aye.
Motion carried, and meeting returned to
open session at 6:00 p.m.
The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by
those in attendance.
READING AND APPROVAL OF
MINUTES: Moved by Laurie Vollrath,
seconded by Kris Strauman to approve
the minutes of the Regular Meeting of
July 24, 2023 and Special Meeting of
August 7, 2023. Ayes and nays called,
all voting aye. Motion carried.
PUBLIC COMMENTS/
COMMUNICATIONS:
None
ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS
Superintendent's Report: Troy Kuhn
presented District updates to the Board
of Education and informed the Board
of Education regarding support staff and
extracurricular changes:
Support Staff Resignation:
• Jane Etheridge - Elementary School
Paraprofessional - August 4, 2023
Support Staff Hire
• Teri Zschaechner - Food Service III
- August 28, 2023
Extracurricular Resignation
• Michael Diamond - Head Soccer
Coach - August 8, 2023
Extracurricular Hire
• Kevin Ramirez - Head Soccer
Coach - August 14, 2023
Personnel (the board may choose to go
into Executive Session per section
19.85(1)(c) per Wisconsin Statutes to
discuss a personnel issue, and then
return to open session to take action).
Teacher Resignation: Moved by Laurie
Vollrath, seconded by Kris Strauman to
approve the resignation of Michael
Diamond from his High School Social
Studies position, effective August 8,
2023. Ayes and nays called, all voting
aye. Motion carried.
Pupil Services Director Hire: Moved by
Laurie Vollrath, seconded by Kris
Strauman to approve the hire of Megan
Murphy as Pupil Services Director,
effective August 14, 2023. Ayes and
nays called, all voting aye. Motion
carried.
Teacher hires: Moved by Laurie Vollrath,
seconded by Glen Drew Lundt to
approve the following teacher hires,
effective
with the 2023-2024 school year:
a. Dawn Longsine - 5th Grade Literacy
Teacher
b. Jeff Longsine - High School Social
Studies Teacher
Ayes and nays called, all voting aye.
Motion carried.
Trucker University: Moved by Kris
Strauman, seconded by Laurie Vollrath
to approve the continuation of the
Trucker University after-school program
for the 2023-2024 school year. Ayes and
nays called, all voting aye. Motion
carried.
POLICY/PERSONNEL - No Report
ITEMS FOR FUTURE STRATEGIC
DISCUSSION
ANNOUNCEMENTS
August 22-24 New Teacher In-Service
August 28-30 Teacher In-Service
August 28 Board of Education Meeting
6:00 p.m. @ CHS IMC
August 30 Open House 4:00 p.m.
(CES/HS/MS)
August 31 Student Orientation Day (4K,
5K, 6th, and 9th Grade)
September 4 NO SCHOOL - Labor Day
September 5 First Day of School
September 11 Board of Education
Meeting 6:00 p.m. @ CHS IMC
ADJOURN TO CLOSED SESSION:
Moved by Kris Strauman, seconded by
Laurie Vollrath to adjourn to closed
session for the consideration of matters
over which the Board has jurisdiction
pursuant to Wisconsin Statute 19.85 (1)
(c) - Considering employment,
promotion, compensation or
performance evaluation data of any
public employee over which the
government body has jurisdiction or
exercises responsibility; for the purpose
of conducting an Elementary School
Principal interview. Roll call vote was
taken with Chad Dobbe, Laurie Vollrath,
Jason Moder, Kris Strauman, Glen Drew
Lundt, Ben Huber, and Mark Zachow
voting aye. Motion carried and meeting
adjourned to closed session at 6:14 p.m.
RETURN TO OPEN SESSION: Moved
by Laurie Vollrath, seconded by Chad
Dobbe to return to open session. Roll
call vote was taken with Laurie Vollrath,
Jason Moder, Kris Strauman, Glen Drew
Lundt, Ben Huber, Mark Zachow, and
Chad Dobbe voting aye. Motion carried
and the meeting returned to open
session at 7:23 p.m.
ADJOURNMENT: Moved by Glen Drew
Lundt, seconded by Chad Dobbe to
adjourn. Ayes and nays called, all voting
aye. Motion carried and the meeting
adjourned at 7:23 p.m.
Mark Zachow, Clerk
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2023. Called to order at 6:00 PM by
Mayor Frazier pursuant to open meeting
regulations, Pledge of Allegiance and
roll call. Alderpersons present on roll
call: Ann Bonikowske, Mary Eck, Alice
Brown, Aaron Timm, Jim Roenz, Mark
Lehrer, Mayor Mike Frazier. City
Employees: Josh Smith, Shannon
Wesoloski, Logan Hass. Audience: Holly
Neumann.
Moved Brown/Bonikowske to approve
the agenda of July 17, 2023. Carried.
Moved Eck/Roenz to approve the
council meeting minutes of June 19,
2023. Carried.
Moved Bonikowske/Eck to approve of
the Bills of Allowance \$126,068.17.
Carried.
Finance: Mayor Frazier said he would
like a time study for all employees.
Improvements: Sidewalks: Moved
Bonikowske/Eck to contact Safestep to
do evaluations of sidewalks for \$1,000.
Discussion: Josh said they contacted
me to come thru the city to look at
sidewalks and crosswalks. Jim asked do
you feel it is necessary for it to be done.
Josh said yes there are some sidewalks
that need to be trimmed. Mark asked
does your crew have the equipment.
Josh said we have the equipment to
replace sidewalks we don't have the
equipment to trim. Carried. Shelter
house: Moved Bonikowske/Brown to
approve shelter house use guidelines.
Carried.
Protection: Mayor Frazier said that he
would like the Protection and Welfare
Committee to look into commercial
businesses with their weeds and junk.
Chief Severson can just come up with
an ordinance to put them in compliance.
Alice said the Municipal Judge resigned
and we are looking for a new judge.
Plan Commission: Meeting Monday
July 24 at 5pm to discuss Comp Plan.
Mayor: Mayor Frazier said there is a
150th logo being redesigned and the
city logo is being redesigned. Jim asked
who is designing the city logo. Mayor
said Shaun Bucholtz is and we had a
really good meeting. Mayor recognized
Nick Weed for 4 years and Mary Eck 13
years of service for the city.
DPW: Josh went over his report. All
crosswalks and curb & gutter were
painted before Rodeo weekend. Parade
wheel had no issues. Aeration tank at
sewer plant will be taken down for
repairs. Cedar Corp has been surveying
both Walnut and Factory Street for
future road project. Been having issues
at the parks with people leaving trash on
the ground and messing up the
bathrooms. Hydrant by sewer plant
needs repair from Michels damaging it
last summer. Sprayed in the parks to
keep the geese out. Will be cutting back
tree limbs from sidewalks and streets.
Exercising water valves.
Police: Officer Shannon went over
police report. Rodeo parade went well.
School District motion to hire an SRO
was defeated 4-3. County Meet the
Fleet is tomorrow at Rodeo Grounds. All
radars were certified last week. Painted
rock program is going well.
Fire: Chief Josh Smith went over his
report. County Meet the Fleet is
tomorrow at the Rodeo Grounds from 4-
7. Responded to the Coloma Wildland
Fire on 7/10 as a group of Strike Team
Tenders from Grip and Rip a kids
4wheeler sold all 500 tickets. Received
donation from Sturm Foundation. 14
calls since last meeting.
Library: Board rep Alice said Saturday
July 22nd at 11am is the garden
dedication at the library.
Clerk: Financial Report: General Fund
balance - \$51,244.39; Government Pool
- \$34,192.37; Line of Credit - \$140,000.
Licenses: Moved Bonikowske/Brown to
approve Class B beer and Class B
liquor combination license for Keglers
Bowling LLC, Mark Bayer, Travis Prah.
Carried. Moved Eck/Roenz to approve
operator's licenses for Amber Briese,
Brenda Graham, Carmen O'Brien,
Tarala Jackson. Carried. Assessor:
Moved Eck/Brown to approve Preuss
Appraisal Service contract for \$7,000 in
2024. Carried.
Resolutions: Moved Eck/Lehrer to
adopt Resolution 2023-5 Declaring
official intent to reimburse expenditures
from proceeds of borrowing. Carried.
Moved Eck/Brown to adopt Resolution
2023-6 Declaration of official intent.
Carried.
Moved Brown/Bonikowske to adjourn at
7:00 pm. Carried.
Logan Hass, City Clerk
Publish September 7, 2023 WNAAXLP

Notice To Creditors 7735

STATE OF WISCONSIN,
CIRCUIT COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
Ann M. Skipchak
Amended
Notice to Creditors
(Informal Administration)
Case No. 2023 PR 72
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:
1. An application for informal
administration was filed.
2. The decedent, with date of birth
December 22, 1950 and date of death
July 23, 2023, was domiciled in
Waupaca County, State of Wisconsin,
with a mailing address of E656 Mynard
Road, Waupaca WI 54981.
3. All interested persons waived notice.
4. The deadline for filing a claim against
the decedent's estate is November 27,
2023.
5. A claim may be filed at the Waupaca
County Courthouse, 811 Harding Street,
Waupaca, Wisconsin, Room 3054.
Form completed by:
Atty Jennifer W Koeppel, Koeppel Law
Offices SC
PO Box 270, Wild Rose WI 54984
920-622-3048
Bar Number 1045183
Publish August 31, Sept. 7 & 14, 2023
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STATE OF WISCONSIN,
CIRCUIT COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
Daniel E. Panzer
Notice to Creditors
(Informal Administration)
Case No. 23PR73
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:
1. An application for informal
administration was filed.
2. The decedent, with date of birth
November 13, 1938 and date of death
July 17, 2023, was domiciled in
Waupaca County, State of Wisconsin,
with a mailing address of P.O. Box 124,
Scandinavia, WI 54977.
3. All interested persons waived notice.
4. The deadline for filing a claim against
the decedent's estate is November 20,
2023.
5. A claim may be filed at the Waupaca
County Courthouse, Waupaca,
Wisconsin, Room 3054.
Form completed by:
Attorney Charles D. Koehler
204 South Main Street
Waupaca, WI 54981
920-882-3227
Bar Number: 1016232
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K.C. AVIATION ENGINEER
TERRY HOFFMAN, FORMALLY
OF GRESHAM/HORTONVILLE,
WI. CALL 920-867-2699 WITH
ANY INFO.

WCAN (Wisconsin Community
Ad Network) and/or the member
publications review ads to the
best of their ability. Unfortunately,
many unscrupulous people are
ready to take your money!
PLEASE BE CAREFUL ANSWERING
ANY AD THAT SOUNDS TOO GOOD TO
BE TRUE! For more information, or to
file a complaint regarding an ad,
please contact The Department
of Trade, Agriculture & Consumer
Protection 1-800-422-
7128

Estate Sales 7208

JANE'S
Estate Sales & Services
LLC
Wausau: Friday, 9/8, 12 p.m.- 5
p.m., Saturday, 9/9, 9 a.m.- 3
p.m., Sunday, 9/10, 10 a.m.- 1
p.m. INCREDIBLY BEAUTIFUL
SOUTH EAST SIDE HOME! A
page right out of a Pottery Barn
catalog. - NO EARLY SALES.
We DO NOT give out prices or
information prior to the sale.
Please do not text, call or email
requests. - First come, first
served. Deli style numbers will
be given out starting at 11:00am
on Friday. Photos posted on
Facebook and estatesales.org
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Fleming St

Miscellaneous Sales 7212

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Snow Equipment 7252

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Meyer-Used Boss; Sales/Ser-
vice 920-894-2488 or 920-948-
2812

Tools and Equipment 7254

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12" Ridgid table saw, \$500.
12" sliding compound DeWalt
miter saw, like new, \$500.
715-443-3463

Sporting Goods 7260

GUN SHOW: September 15-17,
2023, Waukesha Expo, 1000
Northview RD. Waukesha, WI. Fri
3-8pm, Sat 9am-4pm, Sun 9am-
3pm \$8 (Under 14 FREE)
Buy/Sell, 608-752-6677 www.
bobandrocco.com Proceeds go to
Camp Neil Disabled Veterans Pro-
gram

WEYAUWEGA-FREMONT
BOARD OF EDUCATION
MEMBER VACANCY
The Weyauwega-Fremont Board of Education is soliciting
candidates to fill the school board vacancy for the Townships
of Wolf River and Bloomfield. The position is for a term
lasting until next year's election. Interested citizens residing
within the represented area are encouraged to notify the
board with an application along with a short resume outlining
their qualifications. The initial deadline for submission of these
materials is 12:00 noon on October 6, 2023. This position will
remain open until filled. The Board plans to interview and may
select a candidate on a date to be determined. The position
will remain open until a suitable candidate is selected by the
Board. Applications and resumes should be forwarded to:
Phillip Tubbs, District Administrator
Weyauwega-Fremont School District
410 E. Ann Street
P.O. Box 580
Weyauwega, WI 54983

OFFICIAL NOTICE
Advertisement for Sealed Bids

Sealed bids for Fall 2023 asphalt paving projects will be received
by the Town of Lind at the Lind Town Hall, N1315 County Road A,
Waupaca, WI, until 5:30 p.m. local time on Monday, September 25, 2023,
at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

Fall 2023 Asphalt Paving Projects
In general, work consists of fine grade, water and compact base course
material; asphaltic pavement in 2 lifts approximately 3378 SY on Saxeville
Road, and 4300 SY on Galilee Road in the Town of Lind; tack between
binder and surface layer; shouldering. Work also includes traffic control;
producing, furnishing, and placing all materials and incidentals necessary
to complete the work.

For complete specifications and a copy of the Bidding Documents, email
Town of Lind Chairman, Kathy Nickel, at kathy.nickel.lindchair@gmail.com
All Bids must be prepared on the Bid Form contained in the Bidding
Documents and submitted in accordance with the Invitation to Bid. Bid
Security in the amount of 5% of the amount of the Bid must accompany
each Bid in accordance with the Invitation to Bid. No bid shall be
withdrawn for a period of 30 days after the date and time set for the
Opening of Bids. The Town reserves the right to reject any and all bids,
waive any informalities and irregularities therein, and further reserves the
right to accept the bid or bids which best serves the interests of the Town
of Lind.

For further questions, please call Kathy Nickel, Town of Lind Chairman,
715-572-8885.
Kathy Nickel, Town of Lind Chairman
Published: Waupaca County Post on
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Notice of Budget Hearing
(Section 65.90(4))

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the School District of New
London that the budget hearing will be held at the School Administration
Building, 901 W. Washington St. on the 11th day of September, 2023, at
six o'clock pm. The summary of the budget is printed below. Detailed copies of
the budget are available for inspection in the District's.

Dated this 31st day of August, 2023.
District Clerk

Budget Publication 2023-24
Required Published Budget Summary Format

A budget summary, notice of the place where the budget in detail may be
examined, the time and place for a public hearing on the budget must be
published or distributed under s. 65.90. The required minimum detail for the
published summary is as follows:

Table with 4 columns: GENERAL FUND, Audited 2021-22, Unaudited 2022-23, Budget 2023-24. Rows include Beginning Fund Balance, Ending Fund Balance, REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES, EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES.

Table with 4 columns: SPECIAL PROJECTS FUND, Audited 2021-22, Unaudited 2022-23, Budget 2023-24. Rows include Beginning Fund Balance, Ending Fund Balance, REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES, EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES.

Table with 4 columns: DEBT SERVICE FUND, Audited 2021-22, Unaudited 2022-23, Budget 2023-24. Rows include Beginning Fund Balance, Ending Fund Balance, REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES, EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES.

Table with 4 columns: CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND, Audited 2021-22, Unaudited 2022-23, Budget 2023-24. Rows include Beginning Fund Balance, Ending Fund Balance, REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES, EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES.

Table with 4 columns: FOOD SERVICE FUND, Audited 2021-22, Unaudited 2022-23, Budget 2023-24. Rows include Beginning Fund Balance, Ending Fund Balance, REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES, EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES.

Table with 4 columns: COMMUNITY SERVICE FUND, Audited 2021-22, Unaudited 2022-23, Budget 2023-24. Rows include Beginning Fund Balance, Ending Fund Balance, REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES, EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES.

Table with 4 columns: PACKAGE & COOPERATIVE PROGRAM FUND, Audited 2021-22, Unaudited 2022-23, Budget 2023-24. Rows include Beginning Fund Balance, Ending Fund Balance, REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES, EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES.

Table with 4 columns: ALL FUNDS, Audited 2021-22, Unaudited 2022-23, Budget 2023-24. Rows include GROSS TOTAL EXPENDITURES - ALL FUNDS, NET TOTAL EXPENDITURES - ALL FUNDS, PERCENTAGE INCREASE - NET TOTAL FUND EXPENDITURES FROM PRIOR YEAR.

Table with 4 columns: FUND, Audited 2021-22, Unaudited 2022-23, Budget 2023-24. Rows include General Fund, Referendum Debt Service Fund, Non-Referendum Debt Service Fund, Capital Expansion Fund, Community Service Fund, TOTAL SCHOOL LEVY, PERCENTAGE INCREASE - TOTAL LEVY FROM PRIOR YEAR.

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Name Change 7730

BY THE COURT
Hon. Raymond S. Huber
Circuit Court Judge
Date 9/1/2023
STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT
COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME
CHANGE OF
Carrie Ann Hrubby
by (Petitioner) Carrie Ann Hrubby
Notice and Order for Name Change
Hearing
Case No. 23CV223
NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A Petition was filed asking to change the
name of the person listed above:
From: [First] Carrie [Middle] Ann [Last]
Hrubby
To: [First] Carrie [Middle] Ann [Last]
Halada Hrubby
Birth Certificate:
[First] Carrie [Middle] Ann [Last] Halada
IT IS ORDERED:
This Petition will be heard in the Circuit
Court of Waupaca County, State of
Wisconsin:
Judge's Name: Judge Clusman
811 Harding St Branch 2
Waupaca, WI 54981
Date: 9/27/23
Time: 11:30
If you require reasonable
accommodations due to a disability to
participate in the court process, please
call prior to the scheduled court date.
Please note that the court does not
provide transportation.
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by
publication as a Class 3 notice for three
(3) weeks in a row prior to the date of
the hearing in the Waupaca County
Post, a newspaper published in
Waupaca County, State of Wisconsin.
Publish Sept. 7, 14 & 21, 2023
WNAAXLP

BY THE COURT

Hon. Troy L. Nielsen 8/17/2023
Circuit Court Judge
STATE OF WISCONSIN,
CIRCUIT COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME
CHANGE OF
Laura Ann Kirchman
by (Petitioner) Laura Ann Kirchman
Amended
Notice and Order for Name Change
Hearing
Case No. 23CV192
NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A Petition was filed asking to change the
name of the person listed above:
From: [First] Laura [Middle] Ann [Last]
Kirchman
To: [First] Laura [Middle] Ann [Last]
Massman
Birth Certificate: [First] Laura [Middle]
Ann [Last] Massman
IT IS ORDERED:
This Petition will be heard in the Circuit
Court of Waupaca County, State of
Wisconsin:
Judge's Name: Raymond S. Huber
BR III Waupaca County Circuit Court
9/15/2023
11:45 a.m.
If you require reasonable
accommodations due to a disability to
participate in the court process, please
call 715-258-6437 prior to the scheduled
court date. Please note that the court
does not provide transportation.
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by
publication as a Class 3 notice for three
(3) weeks in a row prior to the date of
the hearing in the Waupaca County
Post, a newspaper published in
Waupaca County, State of Wisconsin.
Publish August 24, Sept. 7 & 14, 2023
WNAAXLP

Notice To Creditors 7735

DATE SIGNED: August 24, 2023
Electronically Signed by Jessica
Vandiver
Deputy Probate Registrar

Guns 7264

55th ANNUAL NCWGCA Fall Gun Show Merrill Expo Building (Lincoln Co. Fairgrounds) North Sales St., Merrill, WI **September 15th & 16th, 2023** Hours Open to Public: Friday 3pm-8pm Saturday 9am-4pm Admission \$5. Youth under 14 free (with paid adult) Sponsored by: North Central WI Gun Collectors Assoc. Inc For information only call Fred 715-443-2825

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CHAMPIONS

FROM PAGE 3

Landon Oberstadt; Sandy Knoll 4-H; Woodworking, C, D, E, Reed Meyer, Country Pride 4-H; Foods, A&B, Zephaniah Postel, Casey Lake 4-H;

Foods, C&D, Brooke Krueger, Manawa FFA; Cake Decorating, Katie Johnson, Dayton Community; Clothing, A&B, Renna Amaral, Wolf River Rascals 4-H;

Clothing, C&D, Hannah Newsome, Waupaca FFA; Knitting and Crocheting; Trinity Bestul, Peterson Mill 4-H; Home Environment, Breann Giauque, Country Pride 4-H;

Home Environment, Reed Curtis, Baldwin's Mill 4-H; Family & Child Development, Breann Giauque, Country Pride 4-H; Self-Determined, Grant Knoespel, Sandy Knoll 4-H.

Reserve Champions

Jersey, Olivia Santos, Manawa FFA; Brown Swiss, Aaron Hamm, Junior Holstein Assoc.; Arysshire, Zach Korth, New London FFA; Grade Holstein, Lora Korth, New London FFA;

Registered Holstein, Sydney Roe, Sunrise 4-H; Beef Market Steer/Crossbred; Claire Duch, New London FFA; Beef Dairy Steer, Mary Hansen, Lind Center Beavers 4-H;

Swine-Market, Eleanor Schneiderwert, Friendly Valley 4-H; Swine-Crossbred Gilt, Oaklee Doyle, Peterson Mill 4-H; Sheep-Market, Heidi Weyland, New London FFA;

Sheep - Southdown, Malory Loehrke, Casey Lake 4-H; Sheep - Texel, Evan Retzlaff, Woodland Badgers 4-H; Sheep - Hampshire, Carolyn Backes, Sandy Knoll 4-H;

Sheep - Crossbred, Isabella Ferg, Manawa FFA; Sheep - Any Other Wool Breed, MaKiyela Raisler, Lebanon Cedars 4-H; Goats- Dairy, Onan Retzlaff, Woodland Badgers 4-H;

Market Goat, Allison Knoespel, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Goats-Exotics, Kersten Zimmerman, Clintonville FFA; Horse English Equitation, Brystal Zielke, Friendly Valley 4-H;

Horse English Pleasure, Brystal Zielke, Friendly Valley 4-H; Horse Western Horsemanship, Brystal Zielke, Friendly Valley 4-H; Horse Western Pleasure, Brystal Zielke, Friendly Valley 4-H;

Horse English Showmanship, Lauren Nollenberg, Lebanon Cedars 4-H; Horse Western Showmanship, Rosie Walsh, Diamond Dreamers 4-H; Horse -Halter, Rozalyn Dorsey, Sandy Knoll 4-H;

Market Poultry, Hayden Orr, Chain O Lakes 4-H; Poultry, Lucas DeCoster, Trinity 4-H; Market Rabbit, Kersten Zimmerman, Woodland Badgers 4-H;

Rabbit, Ethan Eidenberger, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Dog Obedience, Lillian Strube, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Dog Showmanship, Kalisa Nutter, Lebanon Cedars 4-H;

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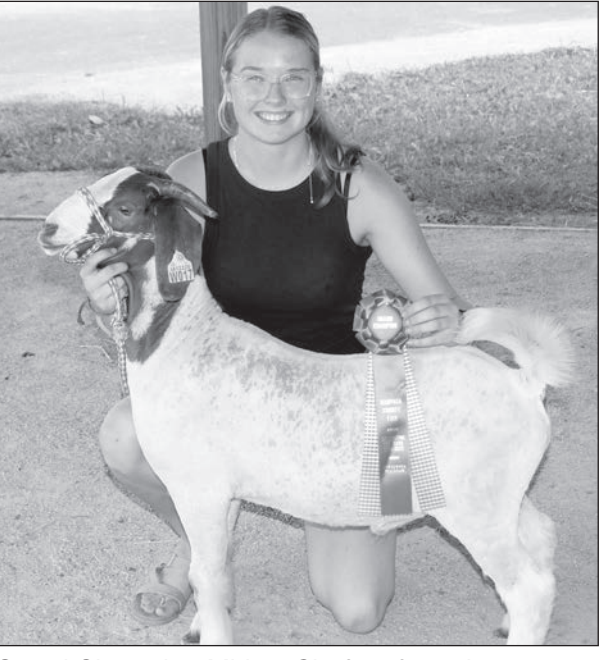
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Elaina Peterson, from the Peterson Mill 4-H of Scandinavia, earned first place in the Junior Best Fitted Contest at the Waupaca County Fair. Holly Neumann Photo



Sophie Stueck, from the Sandy Knoll 4-H Club of New London, shows off her fishing display at the Waupaca County Fair Aug. 23-27 in Weyauwega. Holly Neumann photo



Grand Champion Miriam Shofner from the Wisconsin Show Pig Association of Weyauwega at the Waupaca County Fair. Holly Neumann Photo

Small Pets, Sterling Streeter, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Animal & Vet Science, Landon Oberstadt, Sandy Knoll 4-H;

Cats, Cassandra Stevenson, Casey Lake 4-H; Plant & Soil Science, Zachary Korth, Lebanon Cedars 4-H; Plant & Soil Science, Brooke Krueger, Manawa FFA;

Flowers/Houseplants, Isabelle Dietzler, Lind Center Beavers 4-H; Flowers/Houseplants, Sydney Tews, Sandy Knoll 4-H, Herbs, Isabelle Dietzler, Lind Center Beavers 4-H;

Naturespace, Alexis Welter, Woodland Badgers 4-H; Visual Arts, Lake Curtis, Baldwin's Mill 4-H; Visual Arts, Jocelyn Rosenthal, Wolf River Rascals 4-H;

Visual Arts, Sophie Stueck, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Visual Arts, Breann Giauque, Country Pride 4-H; Visual Arts, Brooklyn Grimm, Country Pride 4-H.

Photography, Josephine Rynish, Sandy Knoll 4-H;

Photography, Victoria Havlik, Woodland Badgers 4-H; Electricity/Mechanical, Zephaniah Postel, Casey Lake 4-H;

Woodworking, A&B, Owen Handrich, Lind Center Beavers 4-H; Woodworking, C, D, E, Hayden Newsome, Waupaca FFA; Foods, A&B, Onan Retzlaff, Woodland Badgers 4-H;

Foods, C&D, Abbey Acker, Sandy Knoll 4-H; Cake Decorating, Gracieanna Liegl, Dayton Community; Clothing, A&B, Isabella Havlik, Woodland Badgers 4-H;

Clothing, C&D, Danielle Tank, Wolf River Rascals 4-H; Knitting and Crocheting, Renna Amaral, Wolf River Rascals 4-H; Home Environment, Abbey Acker, Sandy Knoll 4-H;

Home Environment, Brigit Elliott, Sandy Knoll 4-H, Family & Child Development, Breann Giauque, Country Pride 4-H; International, Olivia Santos, Woodland Badgers 4-H.

Church DIRECTORY

Manawa 2045

Sacred Heart Catholic Church 614 S. Bridge St. Manawa Mass Sun. 8am, Wed 9am, Fri 9am. 920-596-3323 www.sacredheartmanawa.org

Waupaca Area 2090

St. Mary Magdalene N2845 Shadow Rd., Waupaca (715)258-2088 Saturday Mass 4:30 pm Sunday Mass 8 am & 10 am www.smm-waupaca.org

New London 2055

Emanuel Lutheran Church (WELS) 200 E. Quincy St., NL. Sat 5:15, Sun 8 & 10:30, Mon 6:30 Pastors Bill Heiges, Marcus Schulz & Mark Triefel. Youth & Family Counseling. Lutheran School: 3-Pre - 8th Grade. 920-982-5444 www.EmanuelNL.org eman@EmanuelNL.org

Weyauwega 2100

First Presbyterian Church 200 S. Pine St., Weyauwega 10 a.m. Sunday Service 920-867-2880 All welcome! Open Communion.

Waupaca Area 2090

Emmaus Lutheran Church Town of Lind, N180 Cty. Rd. A, Waupaca. Rev. Kurt Schilling. Sunday School 9 a.m. Worship 10 am. A Missouri synod church. Visitors welcome.

Sports

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BABA inducts four players into Hall of Fame

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

REGION – The Badger Amateur Baseball Association has added four more members to its Hall of Fame.

This year's inductees – one from each division – are Andy Brooker (South-Central); Dick Koeppen (East); Ron Radies (West); and Dave Resch (North).

Andy Brooker

Brooker suited up for the New London Merchants and New London Brews from 1995 to 2019.

"I love pitching and I pitched the whole time," he said. "It was tough because one of the reasons I had to stop is because I couldn't really pitch anymore, not as much as I wanted to. My body was telling me more than anything else. I was going to come back for one more year because I had won the batting title (in 2019). Covid happened

and I said, 'I don't think I can take a year off and start again,' so I hung it up."

Brooker said one of his playing highlights is the Merchants' win over Little Falls in the 2002 Grand Championship. He hit a home run in the game and also picked up the save on the mound.

"It was a great game, 5-3 or something like that," he said. "It was during the Big Falls Corn Roast. There had to be 1,000 people there."

Brooker joined the Merchants in 1994 after playing high school baseball in New London.

"I started feeling old when I started pitching against the kids of the guys I played against before," he said. "I started when I was 18 and I was pitching against a guy who was in his 50s. I was thinking, 'Man, I'm going to blow it by him.' That did not happen. I was like, 'Whoa, all these guys can still play.' It was amazing to me. I thought it was so cool."

Home run lifts Bears over Vikings

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

ANTIGO – The teams were the same and so was the result.

Scandinavia and Antigo/Polar met Sept. 3 in the BABA Grand Championship for the second year in a row and Antigo/Polar handed the Vikings a 4-3 loss.

The teams headed into the bottom of the ninth inning tied at 3-3, but A.J.

Kirsch broke the tie with a one-out walk-off home run.

The Bears took a 2-0 lead into the sixth inning after scoring runs in the third and fifth frames.

Scandinavia tied the game with a pair of runs in the top of the sixth, Antigo/Polar regained the lead in the bottom half of the inning and the Vikings tied the game again with a run in the seventh.

Gus Turner Zick led Scandinavia with two hits, while Jesse Dickert and Jason Steinbach added a double.

Kirsch and Will Kubeny had two hits, including a home run, for the Bears. Jed Weix and Isaac Bixby also had two hits.

Bixby picked up the win on the mound and Ben Lee took the loss in relief of Marcus Jaworski.

Brooker went on to win two BABA batting titles, one at age 19 and the second at age 44. He was also named the South-Central Division's top pitcher at age 40.

"He had one of the sickest curve balls I have ever witnessed and I'm sure a lot of you who had the unfortunate opportunity to bat against him would agree," former Merchants manager

Ted Christian said. "He had the quickest hands at the plate as well. The year he won the batting title at 19, he would stand in the box, taking pitch after pitch, until he saw the second strike. Then, he would calmly, but quickly, rip the next pitch to left center for a double. It was crazy. It drove me nuts, but he obviously knew what he was doing.

"Take away all of his on-

field achievements and baseball accolades and you have a man that absolutely loved the game," he said. "Fortunately, I had the honor and privilege to play with and coach this guy and watch him evolve and achieve on and off the field from a long-haired, 18-year-old chain-smoking kid – which is why we nicknamed him Smokey – to a 44-year-old salt and pepper-haired man who was

still leading by example and mentoring younger players on the bench. He would talk baseball for hours. He loved the game and everything that came with it."

The BABA has gone through several changes since it formed in 1946.

"There are 20-something teams in this league and for the most part, everybody is from their hometown," Brooker said. "It's nice because the community gets to watch. It's a good thing you can do on a Sunday afternoon. A lot of people grew up with that and I think that's why these leagues are popular. They used to go to these games when they were kids.

"I was blessed to play with a lot of very good players and that helps," he added. "You play better when you have winning teams. I'm glad I was able to do what I did and I'm not going to forget it."

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Pittman runs wild in Denmark

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

REGION – It was a night to remember for Xzaver Pittman and a night to forget for the Denmark Vikings.

The Waupaca junior ran for 306 yards and six rushing touchdowns Sept. 1 in the Comets' 50-14 non-conference win over the Vikings.

Meanwhile, New London fell to 1-2 on the season with a 48-0 loss to Luxemburg-Casco in Luxemburg.

Waupaca 50, Denmark 14

DENMARK – The Comets and Vikings combined for four touchdowns in the first quarter alone.

Steven Kielpikowski's 75-yard return of the opening kickoff and his 5-yard touchdown run on the game's first play gave Denmark a 7-0 lead less than a minute into the game.

Pittman scored the first of his six touchdowns from 35 yards out to cap the Comets' opening drive.

Owen Hansen recovered quarterback Thomas Bienapf's fumble to end Denmark's next drive and Pittman scored on a 15-yard run to give Waupaca the lead for good.

Garrett Taicher's 61-yard touchdown run cut Waupaca's lead to 15-14, but Denmark never scored again.

A bad snap on a punt attempt gave Waupaca the ball at Denmark's 15-yard line in the second quarter and Pittman found the end zone on the next play for his third touchdown.

After a Denmark punt, the Comets took over at their own 19-yard line and Pittman scored on the first play of the drive to give Waupaca a 29-14 lead.

The Comets weren't finished in the first half, as Ethan Harms connected

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Short gain

Quarterback Broden Butzin is tackled after picking up 5 yards for Hortonville Sept. 1 in the second half of the Polar Bears' 26-10 loss to Stevens Point. See details from the game on page 13. Greg Seubert Photo

Warhawks top Wolves in CWC-Large opener

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

MANAWA – Wins are quickly adding up for the Weyauwega-Fremont football team.

After opening the season with nonconference wins over Belleville and Rosholt, the Warhawks opened Central Wisconsin Conference-Large play Sept. 1 with a 50-7 win over Manawa.

At first, it looked like the Warhawks and Wolves would give fans a close game. Neither team scored in the first quarter and Weyauwega-Fremont led 13-7 at halftime.

However, the Warhawks pulled away in the second half by scoring five touchdowns and keeping the Wolves out of the end zone.

Dakota Stroud's 11-yard pass to Nathan Gorman in the second quarter gave Manawa the lead, but it turned out to be the

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Weyauwega-Fremont's Hunter Meisenhelder hauls in a pass from Kameron Zielke during the Warhawks' 50-7 win over Manawa. Weyauwega-Fremont improved to 3-0 on the season and 1-0 in the Central Wisconsin Conference-Large standings. Holly Neumann Photo

Green Bay adds Kristian Welch

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

GREEN BAY – Kristian Welch's time with the Baltimore Ravens has ended, but his time in the NFL isn't over yet, as he has joined the Green Bay Packers' practice squad.

The Ravens released the Iola-Scandinavia High school graduate Aug. 27 and the Packers signed him to their practice squad Aug. 29.

Welch signed with the Ravens as an undrafted free agent in 2020 and played college football at the University of Iowa. He appeared

in 43 regular-season and three playoff games for Baltimore and made five tackles as a linebacker and 16 on special teams.

He will wear No. 54 for the Packers.

Practice squad players practice with the team and do not play in games unless they are elevated to the roster. Players are free to sign with other NFL teams, but have to be signed to the 53-man active roster of the acquiring team. A practice squad player cannot be signed to another practice squad unless he is first released or waived.

Vater wins boys' race at Thunderbird Invitational

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

IOLA – Iola-Scandinavia's cross country team held annual invitational Aug. 29 at the Iola Winter Sports Club complex.

Charlie Vater turned in a time of 15:45.6 to win the boys' race by nearly a minute over Amherst's Max Voss to help the Thunderbirds place fifth in the boys' standings.

Other places and times for the T-Birds include Ben Beck (11th, 18:24.8); Henry Vater (24th, 19:07.4); Evan Lin-

jer (44th, 20:31.1); and Jack Beck (52nd, 20:57).

Amherst won the boys' championship with 51 points, followed by Pacelli (77); Wineconne (100); Seymour (114); Iola-Scandinavia (123); Bonduel (189); Menominee Indian (190); Pittsville (226); St. Mary Catholic (234); Lomira (240); Oconto (245); Wittenberg-Biramwood (248); Weyauwega-Fremont (279); and Rosholt (378). Manawa, Clintonville, Marion, Shiocton, Gresham/Bowler and Laona/Wabeno had an

incomplete team.

Weyauwega-Fremont's finishers include Parker Scherg (45th, 20:34.2); Seth Malueg (50th, 20:47.3); Gage Zietlow (62nd, 21:27.6); Jayson Munoz (80th, 21:57.3); Adler Kirkland (86th, 22:24.3); Mason McIvor (90th, 22:51.2); Braeden McIvor (102nd, 23:39.4); Blake Deleeuw (107th, 24:03.6); Kole Schwirtz (112th, 24:35.9); and Josue Azuara (127th, 25:40.1).

Manawa's finishers include Gus Emmert (38th, 20:06.4); Matthew Thoma (46th,

20:38.4); and Ricky Pingel (61st, 21:24.6).

Clintonville's finishers include Mason Carrico (37th, 20:06.3); Oliver Howe (76th, 21:49);

St. Mary Catholic won the girls' championship with 63 points, followed by Wineconne (87); Bonduel (88); Lomira (131); Amherst and Weyauwega-Fremont (171); Manawa (175); Wittenberg-Biramwood (233); Seymour (233); and Rosholt (270). Iola-Scandinavia, Clintonville, Shiocton, Pacelli, Tri-County,

Wolf River Lutheran, Pittsville and Oconto had an incomplete team.

Weyauwega-Fremont's finishers include Melanie Jentsch (sixth, 21:02.9); Calla Benjamin (12th, 21:57.4); Emma Epstein (58th, 26:43.4); Rio Hildebrandt (60th, 26:50.4); Arianna Kneisler (70th, 28:28.8); Emma Hansen (73rd, 28:36.9); Joslynn Clumpner (81st, 29:11.8); and Natalie Moore (92nd, 29:54.1).

Manawa's finishers include Jolie Jaeger (11th, 21:55.7);

Marilyn Klatt (15th, 22:10.7); Alecia Weber (45th, 25:51.1); Lilian Klatt (55th, 26:25.9); Ellie Stroesenreuther (85th, 29:19.9); and Brooke Krueger (86th, 29:22.5).

Iola-Scandinavia's finishers include Kelly Jones (47th, 26:03.9); Revyn Schrank (68th, 28:07.1); Paige Timdral (88th, 29:32.6); Abby Isermann (90th, 29:42.7); and Ruby Koch (107th, 33:43.9).

Clintonville's finishers include Cheyenne Fields (59th, 26:46.3); and Claire Papendorf (82nd, 29:13.1).

HALL OF FAME

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Dick Koeppen

Koeppen spent more than 40 years over six decades playing for the Clintonville A's.

He still owns several team records, including at bats (1,482); hits (495); doubles (95); triples (11); walks (243); and runs scored (391).

"There's a relationship that you build up over all that time and those relationships turn into friends forever," Koeppen said. "I got my last base hit at the age of 60 only because the guys in the dugout said, 'Koeppen, I know you're retiring, but could you just bat one more time?' I got a hit into left field and I'll never forget it."

Koeppen started playing for the A's in 1959 and hung up his glove for good in 2000.

"I wish I would have taken a little better care of my body," he said. "I was fortunate to not have that many serious injuries, but I did have two rotator cuffs repaired and had some knee surgeries, but it hardly cost me any games. I had that done in the offseason."

During Koeppen's playing days, the A's won five BABA Grand Championships, including three in a row from 1960-62.

He won a home run title in 1965 and shared it 10 years later with teammate Mike

Jirschele.

Koeppen eventually became the team's assistant manager under Don Jirschele and helped lead the A's to eight more trips to the Grand Championship, including wins in 1986, 1991 and 1999.

He also played with his sons Jeff and Bob while his grandson, Jordan Koeppen, played on this year's team.

"I get so nervous in these close games," he said. "I wasn't nervous at all when I was playing. You had your nose to the grindstone and you were thinking about the next pitch or the next hitter."

Koeppen said he isn't surprised that the BABA is still going strong more than 75 years after its first season.

"I think it's the people we have running it," he said. "When I came in in '59, A.N. Brunner was the commissioner. He greeted me right out there and said, 'Hey, thanks for coming out for the BABA.' What a true professional. This carried through to the leadership we have today."

The BABA named its first Hall of Fame class in 2021.

The first group consisted of Dave Peterson (South-Central Division); Don Jirschele (East Division); Brunner (West Division); and Wally Schultz (North Division). Last year's class included Gordy Peterson (South-Central); Gordie

Kopitzke (East); Bruce Breitenfeldt (West); and Cliff Mortenson (North).

"It's good, old-fashioned baseball," he said. "We do the best we can to try to win games. It's competitive, but we can come here after the game, have a beer and we're friends again."

"Baseball is a good teacher of life and I often tell that to the younger players," he said. "It teaches you about success. Don't get too happy about a 3-for-4 game because in your next game, you could be 0-for-4. It all evens out."

Ron Radies

The Little Falls Loggers have been a part of Radies' life for years.

"It was through my father, Reinhardt," he said. "He built the ballpark. I was born in 1949 and the ballpark was already made at that time. I started playing when I was about 16."

Radies joined the Loggers as a student at Marion High School and has been involved with the team as a player, coach and general manager for more than 50 years.

"It's owned by myself and my brother," Radies said. "I'm still involved in it because it's family-owned. We're probably the only private team."

Radies took over as the

Loggers' coach in the early 1990s, a position he held until 2008, and turned them into one of the BABA's most successful teams. The Loggers won Grand Championships in 1992, 1996, 1997, 2000, 2006, 2007 and 2021 and also made it to the title game in 1988, 1998, 1999, 2002 and 2019.

Since retiring as coach and taking on the general manager's roll, Radies was part of three additional Grand Championship appearances. The Loggers won a championship in 2018 and 2021 and finished as runner-up in 2019.

Radies' son, Rick, and several of his nephews have played for the Loggers over the years.

"We've been lucky to get ballplayers," he said. "(The BABA) has rules where they have to be within a 10-mile radius and that kind of hurts everybody, but I was fortunate to have a lot of nephews who played over the years. I got to play when my son was 16 or something like that and he took over my position on the team. One of the reasons we were so successful is because we were related. At one time, we had eight or nine guys on the field that were related. That was something special."

Radies is currently the Loggers' business manager.

"Baseball has been big

around this part of the country and it has been for years," he said. "We had a heck of a crowd for the last game we had. We have a heck of a fan base."

He is also thankful for the recognition from the BABA.

"I didn't know anything about it and I was just flabbergasted," he said. "It's a wonderful thing and it's quite a privilege to be picked out of the whole area."

Dave Resch

Resch passed away in 2019 and his sons, Brad and Rich, accepted their father's award Aug. 27 at a BABA semifinal game in Little Falls.

Resch began his BABA career in 1957 playing for Mattoon and the following year helped form a BABA team in Birnamwood, which did not have a team for a few years.

He was one of the top pitchers of his era and averaged 16 strikeouts a game. He was selected as the starting pitcher against Satchel Paige's celebrated all-star traveling team that came to Birnamwood in 1963 and threw three scoreless innings.

Resch was the winning pitcher in Birnamwood's first Grand Championship in 1966 and pitched a one hitter with 18 strikeouts at Marion in a BABA semifinal game in 1964. He pitched a no hit-

ter with 18 strikeouts for the Birnamwood Cards against the Birnamwood Tigers when Birnamwood had two teams in the early 1960s.

Resch was also one of the better hitters in the North Division, winning a batting title and leading the league in home runs with six in 1964. He played third base after his pitching days and helped Birnamwood get to its second Grand Championship in 1978.

A few years after his playing days were over, Resch became Birnamwood's manager. The team had undergone significant hardships and came close to folding due to a lack of players and fan interest. With the help of his two sons, he built a winning team that won eight North Division championships in 11 years and made it to a Grand Championship four times.

The Birnamwood Lions Club honored Resch in 1987 for his dedication to the community's baseball program and he started a fundraiser in 1990 to add outfield lights so there could be night games in Birnamwood.

Resch continued to support Birnamwood baseball even after his managing days and remained a loyal supporter of his sons and grandsons, who followed in his footsteps, on the team.

W-F FOOTBALL

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only score for the home team.

Kameron Zielke threw a 7-yard touchdown pass to Broc Billington and Brayden Arndt added a 60-yard touchdown run before halftime.

Zielke added to the Warhawks' lead in the third quarter with touchdown runs of 11 and 1 yard.

Zielke added a 24-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter and threw a 4-yard scoring pass to Chris Gunst before Billington wrapped up

the scoring with a 39-yard run.

Zielke led the Warhawks with 158 rushing yards and completed nine of 18 passes for 90 yards.

- Central Wisconsin Conference Large results: Sept. 1: Weyauwega-Fremont 50, Manawa 7; Stratford 33, Amherst 13; Wittenberg-Birnamwood 47, Nekoosa 0; Shiocton 7, Spencer/Columbus Catholic 0. Sept. 8 schedule: Weyauwega-Fremont at Nekoosa, 7 p.m.; Manawa at Stratford, 7 p.m.; Amherst at Shiocton, 7 p.m.; Spencer/Columbus Catholic at Wittenberg-Birnamwood, 7 p.m.

WAUPACA FOOTBALL

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with Aaron Wolff for a 34-yard touchdown pass that gave Waupaca a 36-14 lead at the break.

Pittman added touchdown runs of 88 yards in the third quarter and 10 yards in the fourth quarter.

Waupaca outgained the Vikings 339-150 on the ground and 131-18 through the air.

Harms completed 12 of 16 passes for 123 yards. Although Pittman ran for more than 300 yards, it wasn't a school record. That record still belongs to Justin Berrens, who ran for 312 yards in a game.

L-C 48, New London 0

LUXEMBURG – Five Luxemburg-Casco players scored touchdowns as the Spartans shut out

the Bulldogs.

Max Ronsman opened the scoring with a 6-yard quarterback keeper in the first quarter, while Cameron Dorner added scoring runs of 56 and 33 yards before halftime.

The Spartans added four more touchdowns in the second half on Ronsman's 73-yard pass to Sawyer Dorn; 14- and 1-yard runs from Samuel Schutz; and Landon Derren's 14-yard run.

- Bay Conference results: **Aug. 31:** Fox Valley Lutheran 44, Shawano 20 (NC). Sept. 1: Waupaca 50, Denmark 14 (NC); Luxemburg-Casco 48, New London 0 (NC); Little Chute 29, Seymour 6 (NC); Wrightstown 34, Winneconne 13 (NC); Xavier 48, Freedom 3 (NC). Sept. 8 schedule: Little Chute at Waupaca, 7 p.m. (NC); Fox Valley Lutheran at New London, 7 p.m. (NC); Denmark at Seymour, 7 p.m. (NC); Luxemburg-Casco at Shawano, 7 p.m. (NC); Freedom at Winneconne, 7 p.m. (NC); Wrightstown at Xavier, 7 p.m. (NC).

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Polar Bears fall to Panthers

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

HORTONVILLE – It was a chance for the Hortonville football team to pick up a Valley Football Association win in front of a home crowd.

The Stevens Point Panthers, however, had other ideas.

The Panthers held the Polar Bears to 116 yards of offense and returned home Sept. 1 with a 26-10 win.

Stevens Point took a 14-0 lead into the second quarter after Braylon Smola opened the scoring with a 57-yard touchdown run and Grant Chandonais added an 8-yard pass to Ethan Ehlinger.

Hortonville answered with a pair of scores in a two-minute span in the second quarter. Colin Wendt kicked a 34-yard field goal and Broden Butzin scored from a yard out after Miles Sillas recovered the ball at



Gavin Vallner takes a handoff from Broden Butzin in the first half of the Hortonville's 26-10 loss to Stevens Point in the Valley Football Association opener for both teams. Greg Seubert Photo

the 1-yard line after Stuart Ellenbecker blocked a punt.

The Panthers added one more score just before half-time on Chandonais' 15-yard pass to Amon Konopacki.

Neither team scored in the third quarter and Stevens Point closed out the scoring with Chandonais' 27-yard pass to Konopacki.

Valley Football Association results: Sept. 1: Stevens Point 26, Hortonville 10; Marshfield 38, Wausau East 14; D.C. Everest 52, Appleton West 7; Wausau West 21, Wisconsin Rapids 0. Sept. 8 schedule: Hortonville at Appleton West, 7 p.m.; Wausau West at Wausau East, 7 p.m.; Marshfield at D.C. Everest, 7 p.m.; Wisconsin Rapids at Stevens Point, 7 p.m.

Hornets sting Thunderbirds

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

COLBY – A 32-0 half-time deficit turned to be too big of a hole for the Iola-Scandinavia football team.

Colby scored four touchdowns in the first half Sept. 1 and went on to post a 46-14 nonconference win over the Thunderbirds.

Gavin Voss scored on a 4-yard run and Tayt Smith added a 74-yard pass to Caden Klepanski in the first quarter. The Hornets added to their lead in the second

quarter with Smith's 14-yard pass to Brennan Geiger and Colton Orth's 34-yard run.

Voss gave Colby a 38-0 lead in the third quarter on a 1-yard touchdown run, but Iola-Scandinavia's Jensen Rice had a 25-yard scoring pass to Alex Robbins in the third quarter and added a 20-yard pass to Billy Myers in the fourth quarter.

Voss capped the scoring in the fourth quarter with an 80-yard run and finished with 216 rushing yards.

Rice led the T-Birds with 90 rushing yards and completed 10 of 21 passes for 110 yards.

• Central Wisconsin Conference-Small results: Aug. 31: Pittsville 60, Assumption, 16 (NC). Sept. 1: Colby 46, Iola-Scandinavia 14 (NC); Auburn-dale 27, Loyal 8 (NC); Edgar 50, Pacelli 0 (NC); Marathon 40, Rosholt 0 (NC). Sept. 8 schedule: Abbottsford at Iola-Scandinavia, 7 p.m. (NC); Marathon at Assumption, 7 p.m. (NC); Colby at Loyal, 7 p.m. (NC); Pacelli at Pittsville, 7 p.m. (NC); Rosholt at Edgar, 7 p.m. (NC).

STAFF

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could help make a difference in other's lives.

"I love working with and learning from kids. Everyone needs a little support and I hope to teach ways to problem solve and handle challenges," said Maus.

New London has been welcoming for her and she is looking forward to getting to know the community better.

Mary Jo Booker will serve at New London Intermediate and Middle School as a speech language pathologist and therapist.

She received her degrees

from the University of Wisconsin and Western Illinois University.

Booker has previously worked as a school-based speech and language pathologist.

Her hometown is Pine River.

She said she chose her ca-

reer path because she wanted to improve the communication skills and futures of her students.

She is looking forward to connecting with students and families while helping them reach their goals.

Elizabeth Sonnenberg will serve at Lincoln Elementary

School as a speech and language pathologist.

Sonnenberg received her degrees from the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point and she has previously served as a speech and language pathologist in the Marion and Tiger-ton School Districts.

She said she has always

"loved working with kids," and was drawn to speech and language because of how important communication is in people's daily lives.

"I want to get to know my students and the staff so we can work together to create the best learning environment possible," she said.

Comets knock off Panthers at home

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

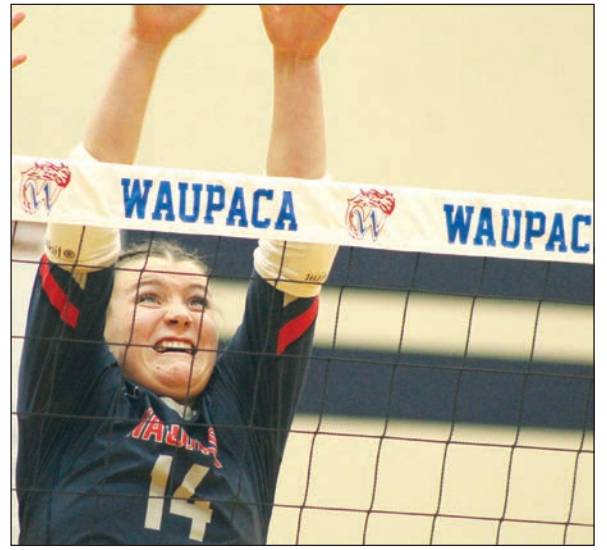
WAUPACA – It didn't take long for the Waupaca volleyball team to find itself in a five-set North Eastern Conference match.

The Comets opened conference play Aug. 31 against Oconto Falls and ended up getting the win over the Panthers.

Oconto Falls opened the match with a 25-20 win, but Waupaca came back with a 25-15 win in the second set.

The Panthers won the third set 25-15 and Waupaca forced a fifth game with a 25-22 win.

The Comets then sealed the match with an



Rossi Wehmeyer blocks a shot for Waupaca in the Comets' five-set win over Oconto Falls. Greg Seubert Photo

18-16 win.

Waupaca will travel to Clintonville Thurs-

day, Sept. 7, for a 7 p.m. North Eastern matchup with the Truckers.

Truckers win Northwoods opener

BY GREG SEUBERT
SPORTS EDITOR

CRANDON – Clintonville's football team headed to Crandon Aug. 31 and returned home with a 33-28 win over the Cardinals.

It was the first win of the season for the Truckers after dropping nonconference games to Amherst and Mosinee.

Crandon held the Truckers to 24 rushing yards, but Kade Rosenow completed 26 of 44 passes for 300 yards and four touchdowns.

The teams were tied 6-6 after one quarter and 12-12 at halftime. Crandon opened the scoring with

Cruz Palubicki's 5-yard run, but Rosenow answered with a 19-yard pass to Sam Wegener.

Clintonville took its first lead in the second quarter on Rosenow's 5-yard pass to Wegener, but Caden Palubicki tied the game with a 54-yard run.

Rosenow added touchdown passes of 5 yards to Zachary Johnson and 37 yards to Wegener in the third quarter.

Crandon cut the Truckers' lead to 26-20 in the fourth quarter on Mason Mullins' 4-yard run. Clintonville added to its lead with Zander Schroeder's 5-yard run before Cruz Palubicki scored Crandon's fi-

nal touchdown on a 7-yard run.

Crandon outgained the Truckers 370-324. The Cardinals had a 306-24 advantage in rushing yards and Clintonville outgained the home team 300-64 through the air.

Wegener caught 13 passes for 148 yards.

• Northwoods Conference results: Aug. 31: Clintonville 33, Crandon 28; Grantsburg 36, Oconto Falls 20 (NC). Sept. 1: Crivitz 36, Coleman 34; Tomahawk 35, Kingdom Prep Lutheran 14 (NC). Sept. 8 schedule: Crivitz at Clintonville, 7 p.m.; Crandon at Tomahawk, 7 p.m.; Bark River-Harris (Michigan) at Coleman, 7 p.m. (NC); Auburndale at Oconto Falls, 7 p.m. (NC).



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