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Waupaca County Highway Department's Larrabee shop.

Submitted Photo

# County road shop in disrepair

Problems in Larrabee

BY ROBERT CLOUD SENIOR EDITOR

LARRABEE – Waupaca County Highway Commissioner Casey Beyersdorf has posted a YouTube video of the county highway facility

The purpose of the tour is northeast section of Waupato show residents the need to replace the aging building, located near Clintonville.

In addition to the main facility in Waupaca, the county highway department has facilities in Larrabee, New London and Helvetia.

Crews from the Larrabee

ca County. Their plow routes include one U.S. highway, four major state highways, four county roads and four townships.

Eleven employees work out of Larrabee.

Since 1969, when the Larrabee facility was built, Beyersdorf said, "there's been

some upgrades to it, some roof repairs, parking lot repairs, fuel island upgrades," but much of the exterior is rusty and needs replacement.

"The biggest thing that affects us at our Larrabee shop is the lack of space," Beyersdorf said.

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## garage primarily service the in Larrabee. Local club has global impact

#### Rotary in Stevens Point

BY OLIVIA COFFIN CONTRIBUTING WRITER

STEVENS POINT - For Ashley Netzer, Rotary has given her both local and in-

ternational friends. Stevens Point Rotary Club is part of a global network of community service

organizations. Members of Rotary include business and professional leaders who volunteer their time and resources to address various community and international humanitarian issues.

Netzer is the club director and has been with the club for nine years,



Stevens Point Rotary Club helped United Way by packing school supplies for the Headstart program at CAP Services. Shown, from left, are Suzanne Murphy, Justin Pitlik, Ashley Netzer, Ashley Paulus, Nikki Matowitz, Sara Brish, Dave Acaley and Bob Stack. Submitted Photo

"The club teaches you things you never thought you needed to know," Netzer said.

Working with the club for so many years has made

"Rotary has made me feel connected since I moved years ago. They truly are my family." Netzer said.

The club also raises funds

for scholarships. They offer four \$1,000 scholarships for high school students in Portage County.

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## Clintonville's revaluation project detailed

#### Project to end October 2025

BY BERT LEHMAN STAFF REPORTER

CLINTONVILLE - Details about the revaluation project for the city of Clintonville were shared with the Clintonville Common Council when it met Feb.

Adam Servi, assessor and real estate appraiser for Servi Group Inc., will be doing the revaluation.

He told the council that a compliance-based assessment, which encompasses revaluations, usually occurs every 7-10 years. During that process, an assessment model is built based on market data of sales prices at that time.

Once complete, that model stays consistent each year going forward until the next revaluation.

The last revaluation in Clintonville was an exterior inspection revaluation that occurred in 2009, Servi said.

Each year the state of Wisconsin analyzes property sales that occur versus the assessments in the city, Servi said. That number is listed on individual tax bills as "level of assessment or average assessment ratio." That compares where the city is sitting as an assessment level versus sales.

In 2009, when the exterior revaluation was completed, the city's ratio was slightly above 100%. By 2012, the ratio had risen to

He said the state requires that a municipality keep that ratio within 10% of 100%, meaning it can be as high as 110% or as low as 90% once every five-year period.

By 2016, appreciation began to increase, Servi said, driving the ratio down. By 2021, the ratio fell below 90%.

"The history for why this revaluation is coming in 2025 has to do with the timing of our last revaluation and what the market is doing at this time," Servi said. "Like I said, it fell out of compliance in 2021."

Once out of compliance, the city has five years to conduct another revaluation.

Servi said the city fell out of compliance in 2021, and 2025 was chosen to complete a revaluation because "it's within a window that works well to avoid some state mandated assessments that happen when you get further along in the window."

Servi said the city will probably be asked by residents why the highest point in the market was chosen for when the revaluation would be conducted. He said that's not necessarily true, as the same question could have been posed if the revaluation was done in 2021, 2022 or 2023.

"The market hasn't changed, it's continued to go up," Servi said.

He added that he tells municipalities that they shouldn't try to time revaluations with what is happening in the market.

'If it's time to do it (revaluation) based on the state schedule of compliance, it's time to do it," Servi said.

The city has been looking into doing a revaluation for the last three years, he

#### Levels of revaluation

Servi said there are different levels of revaluations that can be performed. In 2009, the city decided to do only an exterior revaluation. This consisted of visiting each property in the city and measuring the exteriors of the properties. Access to the inside of properties was

not attempted. "Through those projects the interior data that's pertinent to the valuation is assumed to be accurate within the roll, or is changed based observations made through the exterior," Servi said. "But there's a lot of estimations that goes on with

The revaluation coming up in 2025 will include interior inspections, Servi said.

He added that state law allows property owners to refuse entry to their prop-"If they do that, then it

moves into the exterior process," Servi said. Because of the number of

properties in Clintonville, the Revaluation **CONTINUES ON PAGE 2** 

## **Pedestrian killed** in hit-and-run

Stevens Point police make arrest

BY ROBERT CLOUD SENIOR EDITOR

STEVENS POINT -Police arrested the alleged driver in a hit-and-run that killed a pedestrian.

Officers found a critically injured man in a ditch off West River Drive north of County Trunk HH shortly before 5 p.m. Tuesday, March 5.

The victim, identified as 63-year-old Herbert Wievel, of Stevens Point, was flown by helicopter to a Wausau hospital. He was pronounced dead shortly after 8:15 p.m. Thursday, March 7.



Butler

After receiving an anonymous tip on March 5, Stevens Point detectives located the suspect and suspect vehicle in Wisconsin Rapids.

Police have identified the suspected driver as Kenneth L. Butler, 43, Wisconsin Rapids.

Butler is currently in Portage County jail on pending charges of felony hit-and-run.



Deb and Dave Sarna are this year's Irish Rose and Irish Man in New Dublin.

Photo Courtesy of Shamrock Club

## **Shamrock Club names** Irish Man, Irish Rose

BY EMILY CONROY STAFF REPORTER

MANAWA – A Manawa couple have been named this year's Irish Man and Irish Rose for the St. Patrick's Day celebration in New London, or New Dublin as it is known during Irish.

Deb and Dave Sarna take the titles this year, on the 40th anniversay of the Shamrock Club of New London.

According to Joan Malliet, a Shamrock Club trustee, Irish Man and Irish Rose are nominated and voted on by New London Shamrock Club members.

The nominees are generally of Irish heritage, club members, have a connection to the club or have volunteered for or helped promote the clubs activities, Malliet said.

Dave has been a member of the Shamrock Club from the start in 1984, participating in and helping to plan the St. Patrick's Day activities.

"A lot of what I brought to the Shamrock Club was shenanigans," Dave said.

Dave is best known for his Irish Wake, or Finnegan's Wake, as he and

his crew call it. Finnegan's Wake is named after the

James Joyce novel, he said. "In the true sense of an Irish Wake, it's always the same guy, Michael Patrick Finnegan. He dies every year about this time," Dave said. "So there is always a story behind how he died, the circumstances, we incorporate the family mem-

bers of Finnegan." Dave and his long-time friend, Mike Coyle, started doing the wake long before the Shamrock Club came to New London, he said. The idea really took shape when they were able to purchase and fix up a 1959 Pontiac Superior hearse from a local body shop for \$300.

While showing off the power of the hearse, they found that they could get the coffin to fly out of the back of the hearse. This original idea was elaborated on from there, Dave

Every year Dave takes Finnegan's wake around to local bars in Waupaca County as well as through the New Dublin parade, even winning the Chicago parade one year.

Irish

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#### SHOP

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He noted that crews must pull the entire fleet into the shop for cleaning off corrosive salt and mud and preparing for the next snow

The same equipment used for "summer construction projects, gravel hauls, earth hauls, pavement hauling, are the same trucks we're outfitting in the winter months to plow our snow," Beyersdorf said. "So our fleet is being used year-round."

In the online video, Beyersdorf takes the highway committee around the shop and shows them a weak ceiling and an aging heating system.

In the building's mezzanine area, sunlight shows through the failing roof.

The building has no running drinking water because the water has been found to have arsenic levels that are too high for human consumption.

The well that services the facility also does not provide adequate water for washing the vehicles.

A water truck travels from Larrabee to the Waupaca facility to fill up daily during the paving season.

Beyersdorf said a contractor recently flushed 22 feet of mud out of the property's well.

He said he wants the facility to be on a parcel with access to municipal water service.

The building has 200amp electrical service, which is insufficient for the needs of the department.

Outside, Beyersdorf noted that the ground is not level, it has two tiers.

"The building and the fuel island and the scale sit on the top half of that 6 acres, then down below is the salt shed area," Beyersdorf said. "In the middle of winter during a snow storm, anything like that, you're going up and down hills with trucks and loaders to get salt regularly. I'd rather it be one flat area."

#### Estimated cost

Beyersdorf estimated the cost to purchase 16-20 acres of land, design and build a new building, parking lot, fuel island, salt sheds, storage and culverts would be around \$8 million to \$9 mil-

He said the project would not be scheduled until 2030. Instead of the county

borrowing money for the project, Beyersdorf said that savings in the Highway Enterprise Fund could be used as a way to save money.

Waupaca County generates revenues from snow plowing and road maintenance projects that the highway department does for municipalities.

Go to www.youtube.com/ watch?v=HigvK-UOTwE to view Beyersdorf's tour of the Larrabee shop.

#### REVALUATION

FROM PAGE 1 revaluations will be spread out over two assessment pe-

riods.

Timeline By April, Servi said he plans to send each property owner in the city an introductory letter. By the end of April, Servi said he plans to send a mailing to property owners to start scheduling interior inspections.

He said the inspections will be done by neighborhood. He expects the inspections to go through June 2025.

The project should by completed by October 2025. This would mean notifications of assessment would be mailed to property owners in late August or early September.

Open book and board of reviews would be held in mid-to-late September so everything could be completed by October. Property owners would have the opportunity to ask questions about their revaluation results during an open book or board of review event.

#### Impact on taxes

Servi said when he does revaluations, it is not meant to increase the revenue for the city.

What it's doing is updating the records to have better accuracy, and being more accurate in terms of market value and sale prices," Servi said. "But then it really redistributes the tax

burden based on the value of your home."

Since there hasn't been much new construction in Clintonville, Servi said if a property value increases more than others, it will mostly likely be because that property was underassessed in the past due to interior remodeling that the city was unaware of.

"That could push you into a higher tax bill," Servi

Even though the revaluation project is starting in April of this year, the effective date won't be until Jan. 1, 2025. This means the revaluation won't be used for the 2024 property tax bills.

#### Interior inspection Servi said an interior in-

spection takes about 30 minutes to complete. This includes a walk through of every level of the property. During the walkthrough, Servi said he would verify the room counts, whether the basement is finished, as well as the condition and quality of the property.

He added that no photographs would be taken inside a property, only photo of the exterior.

"We have requirements with the state of what is needed for each property ledger card and (exterior) photographs of all structures is one of those (requirements)," Servi said.

The revaluation will include residential and commercial properties in the

#### **IRISH**

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Deb is not a member of the Shamrock Club. However, she has spent many years volunteering and helping at events throughout the celebration week.

"It is important to me to volunteer as I know, all too well, how important staff is at a community event. I am in awe at how the event has grown," Deb said. "The event has become more family oriented and I love that."

Among the duties required of the Irish Man and Irish Rose include judging parade entries, riding in this year's and next year's parade,

as well as participating in as many activities as they can during the week, most notably the family program on Thursday, March 14, Malliet said.

"I am most looking forward to Thursday night which is the family night with all entertainment coming from local folks, ranging from kids to the elderly, Deb said.

The Sarnas have been together for about 45 years and have two children, Mike and Dawn. Mike is an engineer for John Deere in Iowa and Dawn is a baker, being recognized in Wedding magazine for best wedding cake designers in the United States, Dave said.

The Sarnas both agree that the Shamrock Club has organized and created an amazing event that continues to grow.

"I have always been known as an ideas person, I know a lot of my ideas are off the wall. But I brought a lot of ideas to the Shamrock Club and a lot of them really took off," Dave said. "It really makes me very proud of things that I brought forward that flourished."

One of the ideas Dave brought to the club was a large meeting place for the event, which led to the large tent that now sits in the Festival Foods parking lot for Saturday's events every year.

"I am very flattered, unquestionably," he said. "I was lucky to be around a lot of people that appreciated my input and what I brought, even if it was crazy ideas and a lot of them flourished and I am very proud of that."

Deb agrees and said she is honored to be named Irish Rose for 2024, and notes that her grandmother is of Irish dissent with the name McHenry.

The New Dublin Grand Parade is at 1 p.m. Saturday, March 16.

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## Waupaca NEWS

# **Lawfare on the lakes**

Waves rile residents, boaters

BY JAMES CARD STAFF REPORTER

WAUPACA – The town of Farmington passed an ordinance prohibiting wake boarding on Rainbow and Round Lakes on Jan. 15.

During this ongoing issue, lawsuits have been lodged against the Waupaca Chain O'Lakes District and individual citizens, and a letter was sent to the town of Farmington threatening litigation if the ordinance was not repealed.

The town will host a public hearing on the ordinance at 6 p.m. Monday, March 18\.

#### Making waves

Wake boarding is a cross between waterskiing and surfing. Some wake boat weigh up to 12,000 pounds when loaded with ballast.

The purpose of a wake boat is to displace huge amounts of water. This creates large waves that allow wake boarders to perform some acrobatic tricks. It also an investment as wake boats can range from \$50,000 to \$250,000.

The waves are about two-tothree times higher than waves made by normal boats. They are also more powerful and take longer to dissipate.

Opponents say the boats create multiple problems: shore-line erosion, damage to aquatic vegetation, the prop wash scours the lake bottom and releases sequestered nitrates and phosphorus that fuels algae, the ballast tanks can transfer aquatic species, and the waves can capsize small watercraft like canoes and kayaks.

In August 2022, Long Lake resident Brian Fielkow was boating with his wife when his 20-foot boat hit a wave generated by a wake boat. The force of the wave knocked down his wife, hurting her back. The windshield exploded sending shattered glass everywhere. He said it could have been much

"When I hit that wave, I knew we were in trouble but I knew what to do because I've been boating on these lakes for a long time. But somebody with less experience? Or even worse, a kayaker or paddleboat or a canoe, it's a problem. The lakes can't tolerate waves that size. People asked, 'Did you get the name of the wake boater?' I'm like no; I've got the family covered in glass. I firmly believe there is a real risk here. It's a matter of time," said Fielkow.

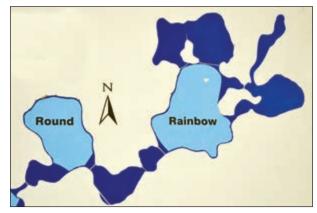
Legal action

The Waupaca Chain O'Lakes District (WCOLD) is an independent governmental body for the Chain O' Lakes. It has the authority to make contracts, gain state aid and grants and make decisions on water quality issues.

WCOLD performed a capacity study on the Chain. They counted boats on the water and also docked, and used a drone to monitor boating activity to gather data. The report was approved at a WCOLD public meeting but it was hard to interpret.

Seven volunteers formed an advisory committee to make sense of the statistics and they came up with a list of 10 recommendations.

One recommendation was to make a new slow-no-wake zone on Columbia Lake where the water is shallow. They recommended this to the towns of



The town of Farmington voted to ban wake boarding on Round and Rainbow Lakes. A public hearing on this topic will be held at the town hall at 6 p.m. Monday, March 18.

James Card Photo

Dayton and Farmington and the town boards approved it.

Another recommendation was to enact regulations against wake surfing and WCOLD passed a resolution calling on Dayton and Farmington to pass ordinances against wake surfing.

When two towns share boundaries in a lake, both towns have to enact the same ordinance word-for-word.

In August 2023, WCOLD had an informational meeting to inform the community about the impact of wake surfing. Wake boat owners attended and expressed their opinions. They also attended WCOLD's annual meeting and were vocal on the subject.

WCOLD sent out a survey to 650 people about the subject of wake boats. The response rate was 45%. Of that, 86% of the respondent wanted wake boating banned.

The Stratton Lake District also did a survey and 90% of the respondents were against wake boating.

A group of wake boat owners hired Eau Claire attorney Anders Helquist of the law firm Weld Riley to file a complaint with Kat Turner, the district attorney, alleging open-meeting law violations against WCOLD and the advisory committee.

WCOLD president Fred Silloway met with Turner and explained the background of the situation. He said Turner opted to take no action on the complaint.

Seven families are plaintiffs in the lawsuit. Of them, four are permanent residents and the rest live out of state, said Caroline Murphy, Farmington's town chair

All of them own property on the Chain O' Lakes.

On behalf of their wakeboating plaintiffs, Weld Riley filed two lawsuits against WCOLD and the seven individual volunteer committee members claiming open meeting law violations.

Their argument is that the citizens' advisory committee was a subcommittee of the lake district and not a group of independent citizens and thus, subject to open meeting law requirements.

They argue that if the proceedings of these meetings were illegal, then their recommendations would be illegitimate and as such, could not be relied upon for deliberation concerning ordinances.

This legal concept is called the "fruit of the poisonous tree" doctrine. It's a rule where evidence that is gained through illegal conduct is inadmissible in a criminal trial. This legal doctrine is universal in criminal cases but not civil affairs.

WCOLD has hired an attorney and that will include legal services for the seven individuals who served on the advisory committee. The district has an insurance policy that covers legal defense.



#### No big wakes

Farmington drafted a proposed ordinance, wrote a condition-use report required by the DNR, and scheduled a public hearing in October 2023. They passed the ordinance banning wake boarding in Rainbow and Round Lakes on Jan. 15, 2024.

The language of the ordinance focused on the watercraft: "No person may use .

. . water sacks, ballast tanks, submersible wings or any other device which causes a boat to operate in a bow-high manner, or which increases or enhances a boat's wake."

The attorney representing the wake-boat plaintiffs sent a letter dated Jan. 22 to the town of Farmington "as an attempt to compromise to avoid litigation in this matter." They demanded two things: repeal the ordinance and replace it with an ordinance that restricts rather than prohibits wake surfing on Rainbow and Round Lakes.

The main point of the replacement ordinance is to allow wake boarding as long as there is a 100-foot buffer from anchored boats, swimming areas and public boat landings and also a 200-foot buffer from the shoreline.

"We've been asked to hold a public hearing to let the people tell us want us to amend or repeal the ordinance. It's a big deal statewide. There are a lot of other towns that have passed this ordinance," said Murphy as she counted off townships that have recently passed similar ordinances. Her tally was 17 to 20 towns or villages have banned wake boarding.

"I felt it was necessary for the safety or our residents, the safety of the environment and the safety of the lakes," said Murphy. She said she does not know what will happen after the March 18 public hearing. "It depends on what the people are telling us. Today I have a pile of emails that are all in support [of the ordinance]," she said.

The town of Dayton is next to rule on the wake boating issue. The township has Long Lake, half of Columbia Lake, Stratton and Spencer Lakes.

"I respect Farmington for making the right decision and I hope Dayton will hopefully do the right thing, too. The state has made it clear for the townships and municipalities to regulate the lakes. It's just not for people with property on the lake. Think of all the people in Waupaca and the surrounding area who come in on a weekend and put a boat in the water. It's a public imperative, the enjoyment of the lakes," said Fielkow.

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## Speaker explains value of college

WAUPACA – Andrew J. Leavitt will present "Yes, College Is Worth It. For All of Us" at 6:30 p.m. Monday, March 18, at the Waupaca Area Public Library.

Hosted by Winchester Academy, the program is free and open to the public. Leavitt is chancellor of

Leavitt is chancellor of the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh. He has than 20 years as an educator, researcher and fundraiser.

He has focused on enhancing student success, engaging students in hands-on learning opportunities, and increasing the profile of undergraduate, graduate, and faculty re-



Leavitt

search at UWO.

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Yet, Leavitt contends,

this brand of college is resilient and still worth it for learners, for the region it calls home, and for the state of Wisconsin.

state of Wisconsin.

Leavitt will highlight UWO's journey, value and continuing success in developing and retaining the talented graduates that the economy and society require

to help Wisconsin thrive.

Dick Hansen is the sponsor of this program.

For more information, contact Executive Director Ann Linden at 715-258-2927 or winchesterwaupaca@gmail.com. General information is available at winchesterwaupaca.org.

## Community theater to stage comedy

#### Play written by Pat Phair

WAUPACA – Waupaca Community Theatre will present the original play "Critics' Choice" as dinner-theater Monday through Wednesday, April 25-27, at the Par 4 Resort.

Cocktails will be served at 5:30 p.m., dinner at 6 p.m. and the show starts at 7 p.m. Written by local playwright Pat Phair, "Critics' Choice" is a murder-mystery farce as well

as a brush with the time-space continuum. While 21st-century newspaper theater critics are watching a play set in the mid-20th century, they come under suspicion for the crime. Instead of remaining the innocent bystanders that they are, they get caught in the search for the murder suspect.

Phair was inspired by a play at the Edmonton Fringe Festival. He liked the clever technique used by the writer to see non-actors becoming part of the live play.

Also at the Fringe, he found an example of perfect dramatic irony during a murder mystery in which the corpse was under the dining room table, unseen by the actors, with only the audience in the know.

"Inspiration for me starts with a good story, and then I try to make it work on the stage for audience enjoyment," Phair said. "'Critics' Choice' is a comedy intended to leave the audience laughing. It's a departure from my earlier dramatic works which centered on social themes and historic events."

Phair found that the play was fun to write. "I laughed out loud at times while writing it," he said.

He thinks it will be more fun to watch as it comes alive with talented actors.

Phair has heartfelt thanks for the "director, actors and the resources of WCT," and finds it rewarding that they took a chance on "Critics' Choice."

The comedy features actors both familiar to Waupaca Community Theatre audiences as well as some new to the group.

Monica Reeves and Amy Holterman, drama teachers and directors for the Waupaca School District, will both appear in "Critics' Choice" giving their current and former students a chance to see them in acting roles. Reeves has directed more than 50 plays in her career.



Dennis Sutliff, another director taking on an acting part, is founder of Sweet Lips Theater where he performed as an actor for 35 years. Carmen Riebel is a veteran of WCT and the 4th director in the cast.

Additional cast members include Daniel O'Brien, Lori Bauer, Dave Larson, Neil Nusz, Brad Leonhardt, Tyler Higginson, Kay Ellingson, Deb Ostrander, Andrea Aurigue and Tyler Smidt.

This will be Barbara Laedtke's fourth direct-

ing effort for the Waupaca Community Theatre. She studied theater in London in 2016 while pursuing degree work at UW-Stevens Point.

After attending a William Butler Yeats play

presented at Dolly's Cottage in Sligo, Ireland, Laedtke felt undaunted and decided that she would like to direct a play. She directed "Luna Gale" in 2018 at the

Historical Train Depot in Waupaca and "Frankenstein: The Radio Play: at the Gerold Opera House in 2020 with a post-Covid encore in 2021.

The Par 4 Resort will serve a lasagne buffet with both vegetarian and meat options along with salad and garlic bread.

All seating will be reserved with tickets available online for \$35 at http://our.show/cc.

## Morgan case remains cold

COUNTY – Jon "Jake" Morgan went missing four years ago. He disappeared on March 6, 2020. The case still remains unsolved.

The Waupaca County Sheriff's Office made note of this date on their Facebook page.

"Despite the passage of time, we remain steadfast in our commitment to finding

answers," they wrote.

The department also encouraged people to come forward with tips via Crime

Stoppers hotline (1-888-258-9955) and through the website www.P3tips.com.

Morgan's family has maintains an active Facebook page and has offered a \$10,000 reward for information that leads to an arrest of any person involved in Morgan's disappearance or for information that leads to finding his body.

"One thing we can guarantee is that we will never give up on finding Jake and getting justice for him. To those

who know what happened

to him, its way past time to come forward," they wrote.

The family has hired a private investigator, Kevin Rogers of Magnum Investigations Plus and tips or leads can be sent to him at magnumi@protonmail.com.

Morgan was 22-years old when he went missing in the early morning hours when he departed a house in King near Wally World Bar. Since he disappeared there has been no cellphone or social media activity on his accounts.

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## **Stevens Point NEWS**

## **Contested races for county board**

STEVENS POINT – Every two years voters elect 25 supervisors to the Portage County Board.

This year, 14 county board seats are contested in the nonpartisan election on Tuesday, April 2.

District 1 Vincent Miresse (i) and Stephen Klein

District 2 Chris Doubek (i)

District 3 Janell Wehr and Mark C. Hemmrich (i)

District 4 David Medin (i) and Keith Kedrowski

District 5 Julie Morrow (i)

District 6 Shaun V. Przybylski (i) and Timothy Johnson

District 7 David Ladick (i)

District 8 Joan M. Honl (i) and Johnnie Ciulla

District 9 Andrew Rockman (i) and David Eiden

District 10 Bob Gifford (i) and Mary Rosicky

District 11 Stan Potocki (i) District 12 Karin Sieg and Michael J. Splinter (i)

District 13 Donald Jankowski (i)

District 14 Chris Randazzo and Pat Keller (i)

District 15 Al Haga (i) and Nancy Eggleston

District 16 John Bertelson and

Steve Fritz (i) District 17 Suzanne Oehlke (i) and Jackie Szehner

District 18 Larry Raikowski (i) District 19 Amberle Schwartz and Scott Soik (i)

District 20 James Yetter

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District 24 Steve Cieslewicz (i)

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we would love to give your

organization training," Kay

The program aims to

teach people about the LG-

BTQ+ inclusivity and how

to be a good ally. House cadded, "A great way to

start is coming to see some

The first film, "Blue

Jean," which chronicles a

closeted gym teacher in

1988, kicks off in the DUC

Theater at 7 p.m. Wednes-

Zone training.

queer movies.

said.



Led by UW-Stevens Point students, the campus's 280-acre Schmeeckle Reserve will hold Family Nature Programs throughout March. Submmitted Photo

## **Nature programs at Schmeeckle Reserve**

STEVENS POINT -Schmeeckle Reserve will offer nature programs at UW-Stevens Point in March.

Family Nature Programs are free, open to the public and led by UW-Stevens Point students studying environmental education and interpretation.

Participants should be prepared to go outside and dress for the weather.

Meet at the Visitor Center, 2419 North Point Drive, Stevens Point, unless otherwise noted.

The following programs will be offered in March:

• "Schmeeckle's Hidden Treasures," 5-6 p.m. Friday, March 15. Explore high and low to unearth the natural hidden treasures within Schmeeckle.

• "Here a Deer, There a Deer," 11 a.m.-noon Saturday, March 16. Bring the kids to participate in deerrelated activities while learning about deer ecology and why the deer population is so high.

• "Soaring Through Schmeeckle," 5-6 p.m. Friday, bald eagles use to survive and how threats can affect these

• "Busy Beavers," 11 a.m.noon. Saturday, March 30. Discover the creatures behind lodges and dams and watch a model demonstration.

• "Nuts for Squirrels," 2-3 p.m. Saturday, March 30. Learn about the favorite furry friends of Schmeeckle Reserve.

Participants must register for the Family Nature Programs by emailing schmeeckle@uwsp.edu, calling 715-346-4992 or in person at the Visitor Center. Include the programs you want to attend, total in your group, your email address and phone number.

Confirmations, cancellations or rain rescheduling information will be sent via email. Reasonable accommodation for special needs will be made with advance notice.

Schmeeckle Reserve is a field station of UW-Stevens Point, operated by the College of Natural Resources to protect and restore ecosystems, serve as an outdoor classroom for learning, and provide outdoor recreation opportunities. Learn more at www.uwsp.edu/schmeeckle.

March 29. Discover the tools

**See more Stevens Point news on page 8** 

## IWSP hosts Out on Screen Film Festival

BY ELISE FULMER CONTRIBUTING WRITER

STEVENS POINT UWSP's Faculty and Staff Gender-Sexuality Alliance (FSGSA) will host their yearly LGBTQ+ film festival, Out on Screen.

The screenings will take place from Wednesday through Monday, March 27 to April 1, throughout the Stevens Point Community.



The conclusion of the film DUC, Caravan Wine Shop festival then kicks off the university's Campus Pride

Trescha Kay, a communication sciences and disorders professor, has been organizing the film festival for the past three years. Kay along with student Paislee House are excited for this year's installation of films.

'We try to represent as many individuals who exist in the LGBTQ+ community," Kay said. "We try our best to represent intersectionality for all of these folks."

This year's festival will have screenings in the and Bound to Happen Books.

"We have more genres this year than we've had in the past couple of years, which is very exciting," House said.

This year's lineup contains several narrative films, including horror and comedy pieces, as well as two documentaries and a short. The short is titled "The ABCs of Book Banning" and will be screened at Bound to Happen Books 6:30 p,m. Thursday, March

In addition to attending the film festival, Kay urged

day, March 27. All screenings are free to the public. Friday Features

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## **Clintonville NEWS**

## City to purchase new loader

BY BERT LEHMAN STAFF REPORTER

CLINTONVILLE - The of Clintonville will purchase a new loader with attachments in 2024 for its Public Works Department.

The cost is not to exceed \$248,429, with the funds coming from the city's capital funds.

The Clintonville Common Council approved the purchase at its Feb. 13 meeting, after it also approved reallocating funds in its capital improvement budget. The reallocation of funds will allow the city to also purchase a new plow truck.

The loader to be purchases would be a Volvo L70H2 GPE Wheel Loader with attachments from Airing Equipment Company in De Pere. The cost of the loader and attachments would be \$204,429. A snow plow kit would also be purchased through Alamo Group Snow & Snow & Team for \$44,000.

Finance Committee

When the Clintonville Finance Committee discussed the matter at its Feb. 12 meeting, Justin Mc Auly, director of Public Works for the city of Clintonville, told the committee that the Public Works Department has been looking to replace a couple pieces of equipment "for some time."

'We're noticing now that the original amounts that we put in the capital (budget) are not enough to replace the two pieces of equipment we want to do," Mc Auly said.

He said the department would like to replace a loader and a plow truck, adding that the truck would be a multi-purpose plow truck. It would also have a dump body so it could serve as a dump truck to haul snow, while also being able to plow snow.

In the future, the truck could be configured to collect leaves, which would allow this truck to replace the city's current leaf truck.

"We're essentially hoping to replace three to four vehicles with one," Mc Auly said. "But what we're noticing right now is what we had in the budget is not even touching (the cost of the new equipment)."

To make the purchases, Mc Auly said he would like approval to use funds designated for a new grader in 2025 to be used for the purchase of a new loader and dump truck. This would mean the grader purchase would need to be moved to a future city borrowing cycle.

"We're hoping to do some minor maintenance stuff on it to extend the life of the grader," Mc Auly said.

Without the reallocation of funds, Mc Auly said the city could afford only the loader or the dump truck, not both.

## District won't add new vehicle

Budget concerns

BY BERT LEHMAN STAFF REPORTER

CLINTONVILLE Even though the funds to purchase a new vehicle for the Clintonville School District were designated in this year's budget, the school board decided to push the purchase into a future year, in order to save money.

The school board took no action when discussing a new vehicle purchase at its Feb. 26 meeting. The district's budget is facing a deficit, so the funds designated for a new vehicle will be used to reduce the budget deficit.

Superintendent Troy Kuhn told the board that the past couple of budgets it approved included \$50,000 designated to purchase a van or SUV-type vehicle to transport students and staff to and from events.

He added that there roughly \$150,000-\$180,000 of "unencumbered funds" in the maintenance and grounds budget.

"But I didn't necessarily think it was right for me or Stephen (Reinke, director of building and grounds), or anybody else to go out and purchase a vehicle without bringing it to the board because of our deficit we have," Kuhn said.

If a new vehicle were to be purchased, the district would not get rid of any vehicles it currently has, Kuhn added.

Reinke said the district currently has a 9-10 passenger transport van that teams use for traveling, as well as a minivan. There is also an older cargo van that doesn't leave the district.

"I don't trust it to go on long trips," Reinke said.

Reinke said there would be a need for a new vehicle, as the minivan is "getting up there in age." It has around 115,000 miles on it and is about 10 years old.

Kuhn said the district would definitely use a new vehicle if one were purchased, but questioned whether it is a need or a

"Do we want to have the vehicle stranded somewhere and we have to deal with it and then we're begging for money?" Kuhn asked. "Or, do we want to be proactive on this and buy a vehicle or start searching for one, get a good deal, knowing that it is budgeted for, but we could offset \$50,000."

He added that if the district doesn't purchase a new vehicle this year, it will have to purchase one next

Board member Jason Moder said he feels since the district is currently "getting by" using its current vehicles, the purchase of a new vehicle should be pushed into the future.

Board member Chade Dobbe agreed.

Reinke confirmed that the district's current vehicles are "good vehicles" and they are safe.

Board member Glen Drew Lundt said the district should look for a new vehicle in case a good deal arises, but to push the purchase into the future if a good deal doesn't arise.

## Waupaca County sheriff's report

• March 4 – A Waupaca caller on Jensen Road reported missing some chains and buckets from his unlocked

• March 4 – A Weyauwega man on State Highway 110 reported a "dune buggy" smashed a sign, guardrail and mailbox and left the

• March 4 – An Ogdensburg caller on Swamp Road reported her husband was scammed. He sent a person more than \$7,000 in gift cards because he believed he won the lottery. He was taking money out of a home equity account to pay for it.

• March 4 – A Manawa caller on Colleneen Court reported the shed on his rental property was broken into and the door was bro-

• March 4 – A New London caller on Oakwood Lane reported she manages an estate of a person who passed away and whose spouse went into an assisted living facility. There are now squatters living in the residence.

March 4 – A Manawa caller on Colleneen Court reported she took out a restraining order against another woman who keeps driving by her house multiple times a day.

• March 4 – Waupaca County Communications Center received a 911 call and heard a woman screaming she needs help. The dispatcher was able to identify the caller.

• March 4- A New London woman on State Highway 45 reported being a victim of a fraud.

• March 6 – A Fremont caller on Wolf River Drive requested a welfare check on a man that locked him out of the house. The caller said the make was delusional and claimed he had the key to the gun safe.

• March 6 – A Manawa woman on County Trunk T reported a possible case of illegal burning.

• March 6 – A 911 caller requested an ambulance for a 70-year-old woman who fell down and might have broken her hip.

• March 6 – A Marion man on Main Street reported a suspicious man wearing allblack clothing walking down State Highway 45 towards

• March 6 – A Scandinavia woman on Pleasant Street reported a woman who was not allowed on the property just showed up despite a court order for her not to

 March 8 – A Waupaca man on Pine Street reported damage to a door inside his house.

• March 8 – A Marion man on Horn Road reported a person broke into his house and cut out the copper piping. The caller said he had not been in the house since mid December.

• March 8 – An Oshkosh caller reported a suspicious silver minivan with out-ofstate plates. A man was either sleeping or passed out inside and the engine was running.

• March 8 – An Ogdensburg man on Spruce Lake Drive reported getting letters from a collection agency about a debt owed to AT&T for mobile phone charges. The caller has never used AT&T for phone service.

• March 8 – A Clintonville man on Laud Road reported his cousin keeps text messaging him and harassing him. The caller said he was afraid.

• March 8 - A caller reported a convicted felon attempted to purchase a fire-• March 8 – An Ogdens-

burg man on County Trunk

E reported his 2012 gray Ford Ranger was stolen. • March 8 – A New London caller on Ernst Road reported a suspicious man in his 30s walking around for

• March 9 – A Weyauwega

caller on County Trunk F reported he was cutting his dog's hair when the dog bit him. The caller spanked the dog. His roommate came along and "clobbered" the caller in the head.

• March 9 – There were four noise complaints about people shooting tannerite at an address.

 March 9 – Gateway House in Weyauwega reported a resident being disorderly and breaking things.

• March 10 – The Wisconsin Veterans Home reported one resident threatening another resident.

• March 10 – An Appleton woman requested a welfare check on a homeless man whose car ran out of gas in Fremont.

• March 10 – A Weyauwega woman on Mill Pond Circle reported a man and woman crawled under a fence and the caller believed they were casing the house.

• March 10 – An Iola caller on Main Street reported a runaway juvenile. The youth has special needs and before he left the house he said, "Bring the police. I am not scared.

 March 10 – A Waupaca caller on Chad Court reported his wife was behaving odd lately. The night before she locked herself in a room and would not some out. Today she shaved off half of the hair on her head.

• There were few deer-auto collisions during this period. Three controlled burns were called in. A Waupaca woman was walking down Nancy Lane when a dog bit her. The woman talked to the dog owner who asked if the dog bit her. She said ves but was so upset she walked away. An Embarrass man reported a peacock walking near the road. An anonymous caller reported his neighbor was raising roosters for cockfighting. He had more than 300 roosters, all in individual cages, said the caller.

## Clintonville Rotary Student of the Week

Megan Tate was named the Clintonville Rotary Student of the Week.

A senior at Clintonville High School, she is the daughter of Jennifer and Scott Tate.

Tate's extracurricular activities include playing basketball. volleyball and softball. She has also been involved in the School to Work program. Among her achieve-



Tate

ments, Tate has earned a Varsity Letter, Varsity Pin and Academic Letters as well as being named to the Honor Roll all through her high school career.

Her community activities include helping with youth baseball and softball.

Tate plans to attend Northeast Wisconsin Technical College and major in architectural design.

## Two charged in shooting

CLINTONVILLE - Two men face felony charges following the shootings in Clintonville.

Austin S. Dismuke, 20, Menasha, is charged with three counts of first-degree reckless endangerment and one count each of carrying a concealed weapon and disorderly conduct.

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## New London & Hortonville NEWS

## Shannon proud of Irish roots

### Grand Marshal for parade

BY JOHN FAUCHER STAFF REPORTER

NEW LONDON - Y100 WNCY Radio personality Randy "Shotgun" Shannon is the Shamrock Club of New Dublin's 2024 Parade Grand Marshal.

Shannon is no stranger to New Dublin's Grand Parade and Irish Fest.

The longtime radio program director and morning show host has driven the Y100 truck through the parade many times, but this year, he is among the Irish Royalty leading the New Dublin parade.

"I'm super excited about it, being Irish myself and just knowing what a huge parade it is," said Shannon. 'It's going to be a lot of fun." His Irish roots date back

many generations. Randy Shannon can trace his family line back to William Shannon, or more likely, in that time Shanahan or Shaughnessy, which are the

Irish versions of the name. William most likely resided in Donegal or Clare, where he had a son also named William.

Wishing to give his son the chance at a better life, he gave him a ticket to America.

William made his way to Kentucky where he married and had many children of

The name changed to Shannon because it was easier to spell on papers.

his own.

William created the life his father hoped for, prospering and spreading their name onto generations to come. He made sure his father's sacrifice was not in

To this day, Randy Shannon stands on the backs of those who strove to create a better life for themselves and he remains very proud to call himself Irish.

Shannon and his wife Amy reside in DePere.

Randy has worked with WNCY-FM radio since the early 1990s, and Amy is the assistant director of public safety for Brown County.

The couple raised two daughters who have since left home in pursuit of their own families and careers.

#### Family in Ireland

Kylie Shannon lives in



Randy "Shotgun" Shannon is the 2024 Grand Marshal for the St. Patrick's Day parade in New London.

Photo Courtesy of the Shamrock Club

Ireland where she is finishing her doctorate in Irish literature.

She married Antoin Gorman who is from Dublin.

"Having a daughter and son-in-law over there gives me an excuse to travel over there," said Shannon. "We try to get over there about once a year."

He and Amy were there for Christmas this year when the Shamrock Club reached out and asked him if he would be Grand Marshal for New Dublin's St. Patrick's Parade.

"I was so honored that they asked," said Shannon.

"They contacted through my Facebook page. We were sitting in Scotland celebrating Christmas early and I was like, they just asked me to be the Grand Marshal for the St. Patrick's Parade in New Dublin next year. And we were like, that's awesome," he said.

He and his wife are looking forward to spending some time in New Dublin and interacting with folks during Thursday's Irish entertainment and family night at the high school auditorium.

"Shotgun" and his morning co-host Charli McKenzie have been promoting New Dublin's Irish events and parade on Y100 all week.

The two have hosted the morning show together from 5 a.m. to 9 a.m. since 2017. Their show is known for its friendly and upbeat vibe infused with great country music, interviews and local content.

#### Early start in radio

Shannon, a native of Medford, got his start in radio 38 years ago when

#### he was 14 years old.

He had a love for music, a full head of a hair and some experience playing records at the local skating rink.

The local radio station in Medford was running a fundraiser, sort of like a trading post, or purchase package deal to support the March of Dimes.

They were selling a onehour or two-hour spot on the station to play and DJ

"I spent all the money I had and I won second place," said Shannon.

He skipped school and rode his bike down there to do the one-hour spot.

"I was in there introducing songs, playing music and talking, and the producer got up and said, I'll be right back, just keep it going. He came back and asked if I wanted a job," said Shannon.

"I've been on the radio ever since."

From there he attended the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire where he continued working radio. From there he joined WSPT Radio in Stevens Point.

One of the more memorable stunts they pulled there was when they worked it out with the National Guard to bring a tank into a residential area and fire some blank rounds as they introduced Brian Adams "Wake up the Neighbors" album in 1991.

"Then we drove it downtown and kidnapped the mayor, of course he was a friend of the show," said Shannon. "Yah, we spent the afternoon in jail that time."

Shannon moved to the Green Bay and Appleton market in the early 1990s with WNCY-FM and has been there since.

# Mayoral candidates look toward future

#### Herter, Roberts answer questions

BY ROBERT CLOUD SENIOR EDITOR

NEW LONDON - Two candidates for New London mayor will appear on the April 2 ballot.

Incumbent Mayor Mark Herter and District 4 Ald. Tim Roberts are running for the position.

This is the final installment in a two-part series asking the candidates questions about their past experiences and hopes for the future of New London.

What do you consider some of your most important accomplishments for the city of New London over the past two years?

Roberts: I feel I provided a fresh look on the topics discussed by the committees that I serve on and as a part of the council. I created discussion on the issues being voted on rather than simply being another "rubber stamp" yes-man.

I contemplated and considered all aspects of the issues before I voted and then voted in a way that I felt benefited the people of New London best and not what benefited the council or city workers the most.

I vote for the people, not the council and that is why occasionally my votes are 9



Herter and Roberts

to 1 Roberts.

Herter: Some of my personal achievements since taking office in 2020 has been meeting with my constituents and representing them at city, state and federal levels.

Among my accomplishments has been my commitment to be available to residents 24/7 in person, by phone or a simple conversation while grocery shopping and the ability to meet and work with the different groups such as the Boy Scouts/Webelos and Star Spangled Kids.

I have successfully created three new TIDs (Tax Incremental Financing Districts) for funding development. New London only ever had three TIDs, Now we have six under my administration, thus helping businesses to remodel with expansion like Titan Industries.

I have had great success with work force development, opening of the ATV/ UTV routes in New Lon-

don, bridging the gaps of communication from city government to my constituents, aggressive street repairs using grant dollars and ARPA funds while also setting up New London for future grant applications, downtown revitalization process and redevelopment, representing the interests of our city at county, state and federal levels.

In some cases in-person presentations at all levels of government like my opposition and presentation to the Wisconsin Senate of bill 691. I have introduced WiFi to a portion of our parks and look forward to expanding WiFi to all parks in the city. Complete a comprehensive plan for the development of the city owned property north of town. The new Kayak launch at our boat ramp, relationship building and creation of our sister city in Killaloe, Ireland, and connecting New London worldwide.

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## **New London mayoral candidates forum**

NEW LONDON - Two candidates for mayor of New London will speak at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, March 21, at Familiar Grounds Coffee Shop.

Incumbent Mayor Mark Herter and challenger Ald. Tim Roberts are the scheduled speakers at a candidates form sponsored by the Wolf River Area Patriots.

The forum is open to the public. Those in attendance will have an opportunity to submit questions to the candidates.

Located at 206 N. Pearl St,, in New London, the coffee shop is will be open for business during the forum.

For more information call Seth Cowan at 920-968-5335.

# Wega-Fremont NEWS

## Rogers resigns from chamber

STAFF REPORTER WEYAUWEGA - Wey-

auwega Area Chamber of Commerce President Kimberly Rogers resigned on March 11.

She also resigned ad the event co-chair of the chamber. Rogers cited health reasons for her resignation.

"Over the past two years, it has been an honor to serve as your president. Together, we have achieved significant milestones, from organizing successful community events to supporting our local business community. I am proud of our accomplishments, including the increase in

our scholarship award, the warm welcome extended to new businesses in our area, and the strengthened connections within our membership and the community," she said.

Rogers encouraged other members of the community to consider volunteering their time and expertise to support the organization.

Currently, chamber leadership is composed of Cathy Spiegelberg (vice president), Dan Knecht (treasurer), Mary Jane Baehman (secretary) Angela Boelter and Sandra Su (board members) and Bev McClelland (interim treasurer).

## **New website for** baseball, softball

WEYAUWEGA - The website for Weyauwega-Fremont Youth Baseball-Softball (www.wfyouthsports. com) got a big makeover.

It is a one-stop site for all information for opportunities to play ball.

There are age guideline charts for each league, frequently asked questions for players and coaches, game schedules, registration forms, sign-ups for text or email updates, uniform ordering and sizing info, sponsorship options for local businesses and information for each youth league. This also includes an adult softball league.

Registration for baseball and softball is open until March 31. There are teams for players aging from 4 to 16 years old. There is a tee ball, a co-ed Little League, and traveling teams for 10U, 12U, 14U and 16U for baseball and 10U, 12U and 14U for softball.

## **Scholarships for seniors**

FREMONT- The Taylor Kennedy Folk Scholarship Foundation is open for applications for seniors in the Weyauwega-Fremont Class of 2024.

Two \$2,500 scholarships will be awarded. Each submission should include one letter of recommendation. Students must have a 3.0 GPA and have participated as a three-sport athlete at some point during their time at W-F high school. The deadline is April 15 and applications can submitted through

www.4ever25strong.org.

The scholarship was created in memory of W-F student Taylor Kennedy Folk, a Warhawk volleyball, basketball and softball player. She died in 2019 because of a fatal medical condition one month before her 18th birthday.

## 100 years of good tunes

WEYAUWEGA - This year marks the 100th anniversary of the Weyauwega-Fremont

To celebrate this milestone there will be a concert on at 7 p.m. Friday, March 15, in the W-F High School Performing Arts Center.

The public is welcome, along with former band members,

alumni and music lovers. A special element of the event is to have former W-F Band directors come to the concert and alumni are en-

couraged to join the band in performing the school song for the grand finale of the concert. After the concert a reception will be hosted by the music boosters in the caf-If any alumni and former W-F

music directors want to participate they are to contact Andrew Schmidt at aschmidt@ wfsd.k12.wi.us. If anyone in the public has photos to share of W-F memories also contact Schmidt at the same email ad-

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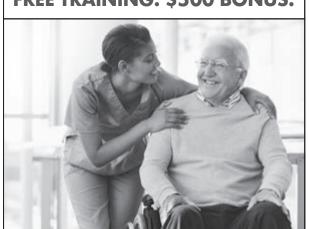
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The Arnold P. Stamm Scholarship Trust is now

academic year beginning this fall. The applicants

District but are not required to attend Weyauwega-







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## **Manawa** NEWS

## Group fundraising for Manawa sign

**BY EMILY CONROY** STAFF REPORTER

MANAWA - The Triangle Park Renovation Project is making progress as fundraising continues and money is starting to come in.

Mary Mann, who has been working with her husband John, Deb Sarna, Patty Hirte and Karen Hoffmann to raise money for the new sign, noticed last summer that a lot of the logo boards were outdated and some of the organizations no longer

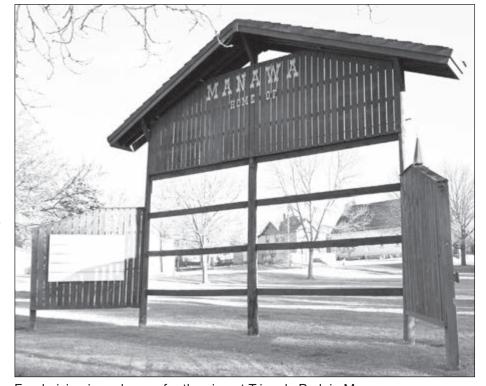
Mary said the sign was originally erected by the Women's Club of Manawa, with the process starting in 1984. They raised funds over the following two years and the sign was finished in

Sarna said this project came to fruition in August 2023 when they realized Manawa's sesquicentennial was coming the following year in 2024.

The goal is to have the sign finished by the first weekend in August ahead of the 150th anniversary weekend and to have the unveiling during the weekend celebration, Mary said.

Currently, the sign holds 18 logos, and in using the same frame the new sign will be expanded out to 32. Local organizations and churches have spoken for 24 of the logo spaces. No businesses will be displayed on the sign, Mary said.

"We really want to en-



Fundraising is underway for the sign at Triangle Park in Manawa.

**Emily Conroy Photo** 

hance the Triangle as a focal point in our community, yes the sign is there, but it was in such disrepair that, depending which way you were driving and looking at that sign, it really did not look great," Mary said.

The biggest update to Triangle Park will be the digital sign which will announce events and activities around the community, Mary said.

The bandstand and the Frederick Remington Bronc Buster replica statue will remain at the park, however the Melvin O. Handrich Congressional Medal of Honor Recipient Memorial will be moved to the Manawa Veteran's Park.

Iohn Mann said the funds will not be coming from the city or from taxpayers, the renovation will be funded by donations from the community.

This is a one-time fundraiser, it will not be an ongoing thing, Mary said.

Sarna said that if there are enough funds left over after the sign is renovated they would like to have some additional enhancements, like a bench swing.

What is nice about this, it is in the community if you choose to you are partaking in making your community better and more appealing to the eye. You can represent that with respect and dignity," Sarna said.

The donation can qualify for a tax deduction under the 501(c)(3) internal revenue code, as the project is being held by the Manawa Revitalization Committee LLC, Hoffmann said.

Donations can be sent to Manawa Revitiliazation Committee Inc., P.O. Box 130, Manawa Wisconsin, 54949. Their Facebook page, Triangle Park Renovation Project: Manawa, Wisconsin also has a QR code that visitors can scan that will bring them to the project's Venmo page.

## **Manawa schools** send surveys

District seeks public input BY EMILY CONROY

STAFF REPORTER

MANAWA - The Manawa School District will continue the process of strategic planning with surveys sent to community members starting March 4.

The survey will be a mix of open ended and multiple choice questions about priorities regarding the school district moving into the future, said Ryan Peterson, the Manawa school district administrator.

At the Nov. 27, 2023, meeting the school board voted that the Wisconsin Association of School Boards (WASB) would be in charge of taking over the strategic planning.

'We are really working to make sure we reach all members of the community and get as much participation as possible," Peterson said.

The survey will gather community opinions on things such as strengths and opportunities for the schools, skills that are important and financial priorities, Peterson said.

As the surveys are returned, a group of 20 to 30 stakeholders in the community will be meeting over the next three months.

A stakeholder is someone who is representative of a faction of the community, this could be a parent, business owner, clergy and non-profit organizers.

The stakeholders who have been identified in Manawa have been invited and Peterson said they are waiting for their responses and acceptance of the invite.

The survey's goal is to identify areas the community thinks need improvement in the school

"Ultimately, the goal is to create a strategic plan that is in alignment with the needs and wants of the communities that make up the School District of Manawa," Peterson said.

The stakeholders will

hone in on what is important, Peterson said. The information will then come back to the school board.

"This community group will process the information and help the school district focus on priority areas that will guide continuous improvement for our schools in the coming years," Peterson said.

The target to get the information back to the school board is by the June meeting.

Some school board members at the Feb. 26 meeting voiced concerns that they have not been able to meet with the WASB representative and were apprehensive to move forward until the strategic planning process could be better understood by the board.

"The board hiring them, having the opportunity to actually understand what the process is going to be, what they expect as far as involvement or non-involvement and everything should have been understood before we got down all these other paths," said Sondra Reierson, the Manawa school board president.

Kerri Jepson, the school board treasurer,

"I am blown away that all of this has happened and the board of education has had no input whatsoever," Jepson said.

Peterson responded in the meeting that the strategic plan does not belong to the board, the data that is received will come back to the board to implement and make the changes the community is looking for.

"The idea behind strategic planning is to have an objective set of input that funnels its way to the board so a plan can be designed through that," Peterson said.

Jepson made a motion to hold a special school board meeting in order to meet with the WASB representative. The motion did not receive a second.

It was decided to invite the WASB representative to the next school board meeting.

# Iola-Scandinavia NEWS

## Sand mine neighbors host concert

**SCANDINAVIA** 

The No Iola Sand Mine Neighbors will host a benefit concert from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, May 5, at Silver Lake Lanes in Scandinavia.

The afternoon will feature eight bands, including Sloppy Joe, Art Stevenson and Friends, Galynne

Goodwill, Burnt Toast and Jam, Ukelyptus, Del Weed and His Sweet Rollers, Two Generations of Grass and Dandelion Delivery Ser-

Two stages will be set up and the bands will rotate performances through the five hours of music.

There is no cover charge

to attend the event, but the group will be collecting donations and selling 50/50 raffle tickets to raise funds to cover legal costs associated with challenging the county's permit for the sand mine.

Greg Ambrosius, who is a neighbor of the mine, said the bands donated

their time and all proceeds go toward paying the legal bills of opponents of the sand mine.

Silver Lake Lanes is located at N6311 State Highway 49, Scandinavia.

For more information on the event, go to www.noiolasandmine.com.





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## **State finalists compete in Madison**

Boys & Girls Club event

MADISON - Fifteen regional champions are set to compete on Capitol Square for Boys & Girls Clubs Youth of the Year, the highest honor given to a member.

Bally Sports, in conjunction with the Packers, Brewers and Bucks, will award \$20,000 in scholarships.

These young leaders are from clubs in Stevens Point, Rhinelander, West Bend, Baraboo, Fond du Lac, Sheboygan, Berlin, Wausau, Oshkosh, Green Bay, Kenosha, La Crosse, Milwaukee, Chippewa Valley and Dane County. One winner will represent

the 117,000 Wisconsin youth who use clubs every year, and go on to compete at Midwest and National competitions. Wisconsin clubs employ

2.440 staff at 203 club sites across 77 communities, and local competitions recently narrowed the field down to 15 finalists. As they meet Monday with seven esteemed judges, their interviews and speeches will be scored on youth leadership, public service, academic excellence and contributions to family.

While in Madison, youth also met with the governor,

Supreme Court justices and

other government leaders. Winners visited with state senators, Assembly members and staff from their home districts, and discussed top areas of concern to vouth.

Finalists spoke from the Assembly Chambers in the State Capitol, sharing their inspiring stories of thriving through the pandemic.

Wisconsin clubs serve more kids per population than any other state in the country, and more youth than any other organization outside of the public school system. For more information, visit www.bgcwisconsin.org

# Student Spotlight

## Noah Spoelstra - Amherst Baseball

**ELISE FULMER** CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Noah Spoelstra is a junior at Amherst High School. Spoelstra is a captain on the baseball team and has been playing baseball since he was 5 years old.

How did you get into Baseball?

"My older brothers had played baseball so as I grew up baseball had always been a part of our life. I started playing in Plover and played with the Plover Nationals all throughout little league."

What's your favorite part of playing baseball?

"My favorite part about playing baseball is the satisfaction you get after making a nice play or getting a hit. Since baseball is physically and mentally tough, understanding the sport and making plays is pretty exhibarating.

What has been your favorite high school sport experience?

"Probably getting the opportunity to start at third base in our state game my freshman year."

Do you have any pre-game rituals?

"I do my band workout, stretch and never step on the foul line. I also always wear my cross chain."

Do you play any other sports?

"I also play football, but baseball is my

favorite sport!" Is there an athlete or coach you look

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Spoelstra

"I look up to all my coaches, specifically Coach Held, Trudell, Nelson, Lusic, and Spadoni. They have all taught me life lessons and have extensively worked with me to help me become a better person and athlete. They are huge role models in my life."

What are your plans after high

"I plan to go to college even though I'm not sure of a major yet. I would want to play baseball in college if the opportunity is given to me.

## City offers housing grants, loans

STEVENS POINT – The city of Stevens Point Community Development Department offers a variety of different grant and loan programs that are only available to its residents.

City staff will host an informational, one-hour session at 6 p.m. Thursday, March 21, at the Community Room of the Stevens Point Police Department, 933 Michigan Ave.

The session will provide an overview of all city housing grants and loans, as well as housing programs provided by CAP Services.

The city offers four grant and loan programs to resident homeowners to help maintain or improve their homes.

Recent changes expand eli-

gibility to the Housing Modernization Loan Program allowing for more homeowners to use low-interest rate (2%) loans to afford major improvements to their homes, with flexible terms up to 10

The Neighbor Helping Neighbor Grant maximum award was recently increased to \$5,000 with no repayment requirements, but there is a matching funds provision. More anticipated changes are soon to follow, which will also be discussed.

"Our housing programs are making it easier for our residents to reinvest in their homes during these difficult times," says Mayor Mike Wiza. "The impact of the

programs this last year has been visible, and I look forward to seeing what our residents accomplish in 2024."

Residents and any contractors who work within the city are invited to attend

Go to https://stevenspoint. com/595/Homeowner-Help for information on all citymanaged housing programs.

Residents are also encouraged to review federal energy efficiency tax credits with their tax preparers while planning their home improvements to further

reduce costs. This information is also available online at https://stevenspoint. com/1412/Tax-Credits.

## Senior Spotlight

The mission of the Aging and Disability Resource Center is to support seniors, adults with disabilities and their families and caregivers by offering easy access to services and by fostering a caring community that values lifelong contributions, maximum independence and individual dignity.

Nutrition program

The nutrition program is open to Portage County seniors age 60 and older. Call the ADRC Nutrition Program for more information or to register as indicated below. Donations of \$5 per meal are appreciated. No eligible participant will be denied a meal based on ability to contribute toward the cost of the meal.

Congregate dining and grab-and-go meals are available on these days at these locations: • Stevens Point: Lincoln Center. Serving from 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Monday through Friday. Reservations are required one or more

days in advance by calling 715-346-1421 Plover\*: Municipal Building, 2400 Post Road. Serving at noon every Tuesday.

 Amherst\*: Jensen Center, 487 North Main St. Serving at noon every Wednesday with

• Junction City\*: Park Lodge, 224 Case Ave. Serving at 11:45 a.m. on the first and third Thursdays of the month.

• Rosholt\*: Nelson-Kaminski American Legion Post 509, 290 Grand Ave East. Serving at noon on the second and fourth Thursdays of

\*Reservations are required two or more days in advance by calling 715-347-4856.

#### **Home Delivered Meals**

Served throughout Portage County on a short-or-long-term basis. Meals are delivered between 11:15 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Hot meals are delivered Monday through Thursday. Call the ADRC at the number above to learn more.

#### Mental health support group

A mental health support group for older adults will hold its first monthly meeting at 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 20, at the Lincoln Center.

The support group offers a safe space for people affected by anxiety, depression, stress and other mental health concerns. Members of the group discuss mental health, hear from guest speakers and find social support with

the group is cohosted by the ADRC and CAP

## Alchemy Concrete wins awards

FOR THE GAZETTE

Nelsonville – Alchemy Concrete Inc., a, full-service concrete provider based out of Nelsonville in central Wisconsin received two Wisconsin Ready Mixed Concrete Association Design Awards.

The company won the 2023 first-place North Central Region Award -Decorative Commercial for the courtyard at the Berard Center Boys & Girls Club in Stevens Point.

The Boys & Girls Club wanted a space intended for active and passive uses for multiple age groups. This project required careful attention to engineering detail. "The use of readymixed concrete provides the color, texture, utility, and sustainability to create a space for kids that offers gardening, chess, checkers, hopscotch, four square, and gaga ball, as well as space for table games, small group gatherings, and the ability to sit and watch away from the activity," said Tom Dun-

bar, director of design. Access to the site from a major street on the open side of the courtyard made it difficult to plan around morning and afternoon traffic volumes. The site was also bounded by a junior high school and the parks department, with the police station nearby.

Alchemy Concrete received a statewide firstplace Decorative Residential

Alchemy Concrete won a furst-place award for this project at the Boys & Girls Club in Stevens Submitted Photo

Award for "The Retreat."

The customer wanted to replace and improve a 1980s landscape consisting of concrete pavers and wood-timber retaining walls into a more sustainable, maintainable, upto-date space. This required re-engineering to accommodate new materials, particularly related to improving site grading, drainage, and pedes-

trian movement. Describing the idea behind The Retreat, Dunbar said, "The framework for aesthetics revolved around creating a design that honors the 1980s concrete paver and wood timber aesthetic while transforming it, using the color and texture that ready-mix concrete offers, into an elegant, warmer,

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Rotarian Jim Anderson

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robust, and more intimate visual context. The project's challenges included staging and construction sequencing that required vehicle and pedestrian access to the home throughout a construction process that surrounded and isolated the house.

Another challenge involved site excavation, preparation and construction access in a tight wooded condition with large boulders that could only be reduced in size, not removed.

'We feel very blessed to be surrounded by incredible team members and community!," said Judah Haas, owner of Alchemy Concrete. "We are thankful for everyone who made this all possible."

#### **ROTARY**

FROM PAGE 1

Members of the Rotary also host foreign exchange students and have done so for decades.

"I've had a foreign exchange student and so has Jim," said Netzer, who still talks with her past foreign exchange student. "We are so close that he wants my kids in his wedding. He is trying to convince me to travel, as traveling scares me as there are big bugs in the Amazon!"

sion of promoting peace,

fighting disease, providing

clean water, supporting ed-

"No one person could do this, being in a group, In Stevens Point, Rotary this group, you're able to members engage in projects do these things," Anderson and activities to benefit their said. local community, while par-The club sent an ambuticipating in international organization's broader mis-

lance full of medical supplies to Nicaragua to support the hospitals and care

'We do service projects

internationally. We sent vaccines for polio and helped wipe it out of all countries but two," Anderson continued. Stevens Point Rotary has also sent clothing and medical supplies to Ukraine.

"We do big and small projects. We raise half the funds ourselves and then we receive a grant that matches the amount we raised to finish the projects," Anderson

Future events of the club are Highway and Green Circle Trail cleanup in the spring and fall, along with the Rose Sale in October.

Rotary is not politically or religiously biased.

Those who are interested in joining the club, can email rotaryclub@gmail. com or visit the Rotary Club of Stevens Point website.

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## **Opinion**

#### **PUBLISHER'S LETTER**

#### **Crossing Continuums**

Dear Reader,

A fact of life is that as soon as we are born, we begin the brief or lengthy process of dying. No time is a "just right" time for death because of the many complex variables of living starting with the humanity around us.

I once knew a number of people who ran life in the fast lane. They ran hard. They



accomplished a lot. And then boom! It was over, just like that. A heart attack. Cancer. Here and then gone in a few minutes, or a few weeks or months. If it wasn't immediately, it would be one sort of problem that cascades into another and then another. No one expects it. Fate steps boldly and dispassionately in; Fate is deaf to any brand of supplication. Prayers generally ameliorate yet don't affect the outcome.

Each believed that they had so much more to do, so much more of life ahead of them. Not so. Sadness and disappointment barged in because there was so much more to do (or so they thought). And yet these untimely, hard stops were meant to be, for reasons no one has ever explained well. The hills ahead and the mountains behind falsely summoned – not knowing that the climbing can, as in so many cases, abruptly end. And then we are left with a legacy of what we have done with others remaining to witness and judge.

Perhaps it doesn't have to be what I've described above. We can make short-term plans for the foreseeable trails ahead. We can make the long plans, that may or may not happen, with low expectations. In a way, our past accomplishments are banked as a foundational legacy. The hopes and dreams which hopefully materialize beyond that can be icing on the cake if they are realized.

Being ready for the inevitable crossing over to the continuum of spiritual infinity makes us feel confident in what was done in our wake. The present and future are bonus deeds we garner as we try to live as beings with purpose—the noble purpose of doing good before departing, secure in the knowledge that what we left in the continuum of physical finitude has made it a better place.

PATRICK J. WOOD
Publisher
Author of "Reflections" a new book
now available on Amazon.

# PCHCC sale moving forward

Portage County Executive John Pavelski and County Board Chair Al Haga are moving ahead at full speed to sell the Portage County Health Care Center (PCHCC), long called the "County Home," to Sam Follman, in spite of the long history of public support for the PCHCC.

According to records publicly available, the proposed

According to records publicly available, the proposed buyer is affiliated with nursing homes in Wausau, Algoma, and Brown Deer, all under a brand "Waterfall." Waterfall Algoma has a 3-star rating, while both Waterfall Wausau and Waterfall Brown Deer have the lowest Medicare rating possible—1-star. These Medicare ratings are based on specialty care availability, staffing levels, injuries such as falls, infections and complaints filed.

Our PCHCC has a top level 5-star Medicare rating. Would these high ratings continue if the County sells the PCHCC to a private buyer and it becomes a for-profit facility?

The voters of Portage County have repeatedly shown their support for keeping the PCHCC a County-owned and operated facility through repeated referendums supporting its operations. And as recently as 2022, voters approved the construction of a brand-new facility on land near the existing facility.

The planning process is complete, but the construction was halted when COVID-related inflation added to the cost. The building process remains stalled, pending one more referendum to cover these possible additional costs.

Instead, as of the publication deadline for this letter, a joint committee is expected to pass and forward a resolution to the County Board that would advance the sale process and establish an "ad hoc Health Care Center Committee" to take over the duties of the ordinance-created PCHCC Committee, which has not supported selling the Health Care Center.

The proposed "ad hoc" committee would be stacked with members supporting the sale, including County Executive Pavelski and County Board Chair Haga. The job of the "ad hoc" committee appears to be to shepherd the sale process to its conclusion at a future meeting of the County Board.

Let's put a stop to this forced privatization and hold that referendum—in November—so we can voice our support for the PCHCC once again and finally get the shovels in the ground for a new PCHCC. The voters deserve to be heard.

You still have time to contact your County Board Supervisor. Contact information is available on the Portage County website or from the County Clerk Maria Davis. If you are not happy with the impending sale of our PCHCC, now is the time to speak up, or forever hold your peace.

More information on the sale process is available at https://www.stevenspointjournal.com/story/news/lo-cal/2024/03/08/buyer-submits-1-8-million-offer-to-pur-chase-portage-county-health-care-center/72884723007/ under the heading, "Buyer submits \$1.8M offer to pur-chase the Portage County Health Care Center" March 8, 2024.

KARLENE FERRANTE STEVENS POINT



## **LWVSPA** supports school referendum

The League of Women Voters of the Stevens Point Area (LWVSPA) supports a yes vote on the Stevens

Point Area School District (SPASD) Recurring Operational Referendum question on the April 2, 2024

election ballot.

The League has long supported a strong public education system in the community, believing it is in the best interests of a vibrant, successful community and well-informed citizenry. We believe the current

proposal provides financial support for maintaining such an excellent educational system.

Consistent with the proposal:

1. The League supports maintaining staff salaries and benefits sufficient to

maintain educational excellence and safety.

2. The League supports equitable and adequate taxation to support school and student needs.

3. The League supports the school district being fiscally independent.

The League of Women Voters, a nonpartisan political organization, encourages informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of the major public policy issues, and

influences public policy through education and advocacy.

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## Lawmakers file for taxpayer-paid expenses

BY JEFF MAYERS THE CAPITAL REPORT

Lawmakers spent more time in the Capitol than they did two years ago as per diems were up in 2023 compared to the last time they hammered out a budget, according to records from the Senate and As-

sembly chief clerks' offices. In all, lawmakers claimed more than \$1.4 million in 2023 for 12,890 days. By comparison, they claimed less than \$1.2 million in 2021 for 11,468 days as both numbers took a dip from 2019 with the Capitol still getting back to its normal rhythm after the COVID-19 pandemic.

The two chambers have different rules for the expense reimbursements, which are meant to cover costs such as lodging and meals while lawmakers are in Madison for legislative business.

The Assembly allows members to claim up to 153 days in the first year of a biennium with a rate of \$155.70 for overnight trips and \$77.85 for coming into the Capitol for just the day. Dane County legislators can only claim the day trip rate.

The Senate, meanwhile, doesn't cap the number of days lawmakers can claim.

And lawmakers in both chambers also claim mileage for their trips to the Capitol separately from their per diem payments, which are in addition to their salaries of \$57,408.

In the Senate, LaTonya Johnson, D-Milwaukee and a member of the Joint Finance Committee, claimed the most at \$19,320. That was followed by Madison Dem Melissa Agard, who spent most of the year as the minority leader, at \$17,360, followed by Majority Leader Devin Le-

Mahieu, R-Oostburg at \$17,080.

Meanwhile, Sen. Rob

Hutton, R-Brookfield, claimed the least at \$4,715, while Senate President Chris Kapenga, R-Delafield, had the second lowest at \$5,040. Overall, the chamber's members claimed \$405,489.

State reps, meanwhile, claimed just over \$1 million. Freshmen took two of the three top slots – Rep. Peter Schmidt, R-Bonduel, claimed the most at \$19,211, while Rep. Karen Hurd, R-Fall Creek, came in at No. 3 with \$17,888. In between was sophomore Rep. Calvin Callahan, R-Tomahawk, at \$18,525.

Schmidt's office told WisPolitics the lawmaker makes a point to be in the Capitol each day leadership sets aside as a potential floor day and noted he lives in the northern part of the state about 2.5 hours from

Madison.

Meanwhile, Hurd told WisPolitics she serves on six committees on top of chairing the Speaker's Task Force on Childhood Obesity and has worked on several bills during her first year in the Assembly, some of which were signed by Gov. Tony Evers. "It's called hard work," she said.

Former GOP Rep. Dan Knodl, who won a spring special election for a Senate seat, claimed the least at \$1,401, while Rep. Jimmy Anderson, D-Fitchburg, was next lowest at \$1,946.

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## Municipal revenues rise but not uniformly

BY WISCONSIN POLICY FORUM

With last year's enactment of historic state legislation, most Wisconsin municipalities are receiving their first substantial increase in a generation in their main source of state aid, shared revenue.

However, the increases in revenue vary widely by community. Some smaller communities have seen a huge percentage increase in revenue, while for others, the impact has been much more modest.

A 3.7% rise in December property tax levies also contributed to a historic revenue increase for municipalities in 2024. Preliminary data show Wisconsin's more than 1,800 cities, villages, and towns levied \$3.48 billion in property taxes on December 2023 bills. The resulting 3.7% increase from the \$3.35 billion levied in De-

cember 2022 is less than the 4.5% increase the year prior, but larger than any other year since 2009.

Meanwhile, the measure now known as 2023 Wisconsin Act 12 increased funding for shared revenue by 30.5%, from \$674.2 million last year to \$879.5 million this year. The combined collective impact for municipalities is an 8.2% increase in revenues from their two largest sources, property taxes and shared revenue. This average statewide increase is the most in at least three decades and likely much longer.

In recent decades, funding for shared revenue had badly lagged inflation, even decreasing in some years. In 1995 – as far back as we have data – the state shared about \$761.5 million with municipalities. By 2012, that dropped to a low of \$665.2 million, and

by 2023 had barely risen to \$674.2 million.

Starting in 2024, for municipalities many around Wisconsin, the Act 12 funding will have a significant impact on their budgets. Across all communities with under 1,000 residents, the combined 81.3% increase in state aid and 4.9% increase in property taxes will raise the total amount from these two largest sources of municipal revenue by an average of 20.3%.

The state's largest municipalities – those with populations above 20,000 – will also benefit, but not nearly as much. Their state aid totals will rise by 19.0%, and taken together with a 3.7% increase in property taxes, they will have an additional 6.4% in revenue on average from these two sources.

This increase for large

municipalities, while certainly the largest in a number of years, should be viewed in the context of an 8% increase in the rate of inflation (as measured by the Consumer Price Index) in 2022 and a 4.1% inflation rate in 2023.

The passage of Act 12 was in many ways historic, even as its effects varied widely by community. Larger cities in the state received much less per capita, particularly in areas with high property values. This disparity means the degree of relief municipalities are receiving from their mounting budget challenges ranges from considerable to scant.

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# Obituary Notices

Algiers, Edgar



Edgar Lyle Algiers July 7, 1932 - March 3, 2024 Ed is ski jumping on the hills of Heaven now, and is reunited with his lifelong love, Jane, after passing away peacefully on Sunday, March 3, 2024. He was called home to the Lord at the age of 91, with loved ones by his side, at Trinity Terrace in New London, Wisconsin.

Born in New London on July 7, 1932 to the late Lance and Mildred (Dalley) Algiers, Edgar Lyle Algiers grew to

become a notable athlete, local business owner and devoted family man.

As the captain of the New London football team his senior year of high school, Ed escorted the school's first-ever Homecoming queen, Jane Klatt, to the Homecoming dance. That first date led to many more, and the pair married on June 14, 1952. They went on to have eight children and remained devoted sweethearts for 65 years, until Jane's passing in 2017.

Ed excelled not only in football but also baseball, golf and other sports throughout his lifetime, including ski jumping. He was an outstanding athlete and the proud recipient of the 1950 Jim Bodoh Athletic Award. Later in life, he was a champion "couch coach" for his favorite professional teams, never shying away from an opportunity to express his displeasure at a play he didn't like; his family extends their condolences to the Packers and Brewers, who will have to try and somehow manage without Ed's helpful input.

Ed ran his own successful house painting business in New London for many years, Edgar Algiers Painting and Contracting. He was a longtime member of the local United Methodist Church. He will be fondly remembered for his charm, honesty, and the constant twinkle in his eye – but most of all, for his wholehearted love for his family.

He will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him, including his children, Karen (Timothy) Nitke of FL; Mary (Ron) Bellile of New London; Teresa (Rick) Kaepernick of CA; Ted (Pat) Algiers of New London; Jennifer Flease of New London; Kathy Algiers of Appleton; Tom (Valerie) Algiers of New London; and Tim (Jane) Algiers of Sun Prairie; as well as 16 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; dren; two brothers, Jack Algiers of King and Ted Algiers of Watertown; a sister, Kathy Waushesock of New London;

and many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. In addition to his wife, Ed was preceded in death by his parents, two grandsons, Lance and Kent Kaepernick; parents-in-law, Adolph and Ada Klatt; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law.

The family would like to give special thanks to Melissa and Cassie and their team at Moments Hospice, as well as Rebecca, Brittany and the entire staff at Trinity Terrace As-

sisted Living, for their loving care of Ed. The Memorial Service will be on Friday, March 8, 2024 at 11 a.m. at United Methodist Church, 709 W. Pine St. New London, with Rev. Joyce Rich officiating. The visitation will be on Friday at the church from 9 am until the time of the service. The Maple Crest Funeral Home of Waupaca is assisting the family with arrangements. In lieu of flowers, a memorial is being established. Fritz, Mary Jo



Mary Jovita Fritz (Clark), 87 of Green Bay, Wisconsin, passed away peacefully with her children by her side, on March 1, 2024.

Mary Jo was a beautiful soul and was always happy to see you, and always had time to talk. To anyone. Anywhere. It became a standing joke over the years, and one of her most enduring qualities. She loved people and in true Irish fashion, had the gift of gab.

Mary Jo was born in Kalamazoo Michigan on July 11, 1936, the daughter of the late

Thomas and Rosabelle (Elkerton) Clark. She graduated from St. Augustine High School in 1954 and went on to receive both her undergraduate and graduate degree in Education from Western Michigan University. She taught a few years in Three Rivers, MI and the rest of her time teaching was in Stevens Point WI teaching 1 st grade. She was a director for Odyssey of the Mind (which became Destination Imagination), refereed swim meets, and was active in many ministries in the catholic church - she especially loved her prayer shawl group.

As a teenager, she loved to tell stories about her job working as a telephone operator at Michigan Bell, the same company at which her father worked. She truly enjoyed it.

She met the love of her life, Francis Gerald (Gerry) Fritz, on a blind date in Michigan. As the story goes, he asked her out three times and she always had something else going on. If she had remembered Holy Thursday, Gerry would have moved on, and the great love wouldn't have happened. They celebrated 60 years in Jan 2023. Gerry passed away in Nov 2023. When you hear of someone dying of a broken heart, it's true. Mary Jo joined Gerry in heaven just four months after his death.

Mary Jo had a wonderful life and had so much life inside her. She had luck on her side, which aligned with her birth date of 7/11. She could easily find 4-leaf clovers, won door prizes and bingo, and found money randomly. She had many interests including her Thursday bridge group, traveling shopping (always looking for a deal), studying genealogy doing her daily puzzles, flower gardening, blueberry picking writing stories, and walking. It used to be hard to keep up with her! Above all, Mary Jo had unwavering faith in God. It was her foundation for everything, and we are grateful she passed that faith down to us. Mary Jo wrote and published two children's stories and one story of miracles on earth.

Mary Jo absolutely loved spending time with her family and being involved in all the family adventures together, no matter what it was. She loved her kids, grandkids, and great grandkids with all her heart. She showed interest in all their activities and achievements and helped celebrate everyone's successes. They were her pride and joy, and she will be deeply missed.

Mary Jo is survived by her sons Michael (Joanna) Fritz Chandler AZ, Paul (Jennifer) Fritz, Las Vegas NV, daughters Kathleen (Jim) Gibson, Sturgeon Bay, Kristin Battaglia (Rick Byrum), Stevens Point and Erin (Dean) Maniscalco, De Pere, WI, 12 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her brother Thomas (Wilma) Clark of

Whenever asked how she was doing, Mary Jo would always answer "I am blessed". But we are the ones who were blessed to have you in our lives and will miss you dearly. Funeral services will be held at St. Bernard Catholic Church on Tuesday March 19. Visitation from 9:30 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. with a mass starting at 11:00am.

Mary Jo would love for any donations to be made to Amigos for Christ. She truly disliked the thought of people not having access to clean water in their homes www.Amigosforchrist.org

#### Handrich, Arthur



On Saturday, March 2, 2024. Arthur of Weyauwega went to be at home with Jesus at the age of 85. He was born in Clintonville on June 7, 1938 to Christa and Hannah (Mittelstaedt) Handrich. He passed away peacefully in his sleep at Cherry Meadows Hospice in Appleton, after a lengthy bat-

At a very young age he picked up can milk for Bald-

tle with lung cancer.

wins Mill Cheese Factory. In his spare time, he helped his two Mittelstaedt uncles farming. He drove their Fergason 30, thrashing the old-style way, when the uncles quit farming, the tractor was given to him. He also did some farming and hauling machinery for Carl Spielgelberg . He also hauled can milk for Willard Wilde.

On March 5, 1961 he and two of his friends decided to go dancing at the Cinderella Ballroom in Appleton. This is where he met the love of his life, dancing partner, Carol Magolski. He had enlisted in the Army in September of 1961 and was called up. After 3 months he came home on leave and married his sweetheart on December 2, 1961.

He decided to drive the big semi tractors over the road, doing long hauls. He drove for Ross Wells, H.F. Dushek, Transtar, Ort and Kohel. During his working years he took many trips with Carol, Hawaii, Caribbean Cruise, 2 European trips, elk hunting in Wyoming, Florida, Nevada, Bahamas and Sault Ste. Marie and into Canada riding the snow train. Art's trucking ended on November 26, 2008, after 51 1/2 years of driving. He blacked out and had a bad truck accident.

Art is survived by his sweetheart: Carol, whom he loved dearly for 62 years; son: Gary (Kim) Handrich; Grand-daughter: Natiya Vargas, 5 lovely great grandchildren: Ricky, Aliya, Lacia, Anna and Nika; brother: Robert Handrich; Gary (Sandy) Hecker, other relatives and friends.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Friday, March 15, 2024 at 11:30 am at the Maple Crest Funeral Home, N2620 Hwy 22, Waupaca. The visitation will be on Friday at the funeral home from 9:30 am until the time of the service. A luncheon will follow at the Refinery Church, 310 E Main St. Weyauwega. Burial in Baldwins Mill Cemetery. In lieu of flowers a memorial has been established to help with funeral expenses.



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#### Erickson, Shirley



Shirley A. Erickson, 83, of Scandinavia, Wisconsin, went to her heavenly home on Thursday, March 7, 2024. She was born on March 10, 1940 to the late Chester and Lois (Beck) Snell.

Shirley grew up on her family's farm, in Poy Sippi, WI; she was the youngest of six children, four sisters and one She graduated Berlin High School, in 1958. She met Dennis Erickson, of Scandinavia, WI, while at the Indian Crossing Casino, in

Waupaca, WI. December 5th, 1959, Shirley married Dennis. Together, they settled in Scandinavia, WI, where they raised their three sons, Scott, Steven, and Stuart; she always referred to them as "my boys". Shirley was a devoted wife and mother. While Dennis was on the road, working for Mercury Marine, Shirley invested her time raising her boys, attending every athletic event and activity they were involved in. She enjoyed hosting deer camp annually at 'the shed', a tradition that began in 1986.

Shirley looked forward to attending Packer games, taking snowmobile trips, canning, camping, and traveling with Dennis; some of her favorite vacations included, driving out west, a cruise through the Panama Canal, visiting Niagara Falls, Alaska, and Canadian Rockies.

For over 27 years, Shirley was the Office Manager for the Tomorrow Valley Coop, at the Amherst, Manawa, and Scandinavia locations. Shirley was an active member of the Scandinavia Lutheran Church where she belonged to the SLCW and was a Sunday School teacher. She was a member of Iola Lioness and Scandinavia Viking Snowmobile Club. Involved in her community, Shirley was an active volunteer, including events of the Iola Norwegian Supper, Scandinavia Corn Roast, Iola Car Show, and was even a Cub Scout Leader. If there was a blood drive, she always made sure to donate. Shirley was proud to have all three of her sons play for the Scandinavia Vikings and win the BABA Grand Championship in 1989.

An avid reader, Shirley frequented the Scandinavia Public Library, always looking forward to a new book; she enjoyed writing and conversation. Shirley never missed a birthday or special family event. She enjoyed shopping to find the perfect gifts for her family and always underlined the important & special words in her carefully-picked birthday cards. She genuinely cared for others and was kind and courteous. Shirley was always very proud of her children, grandchildren, and all of their accomplishments. She was an I-S Thunderbird fan, having all of her children and grandchildren attend the Iola-Scandinavia School District; her utmost joy was watching her boys and grand-

children participate in sporting events. Shirley is survived by her husband, Dennis, of 64 years; sisters, June LaSure and Mary Grambsch; three sons, Scott (Jessica Wennesberg), Steven (Tiffany), and Stuart (Lynn); her eight grandchildren, Ashley (Jason Berrens) Johnson, Meghan (Maxwell) Skyles, Brittney (Ryan) Langman, Tyler (Santos) Johnson, Alyssa (Jordan) Mortenson, Kendall (Kim Hallgren) Erickson, Spencer (Peyton) Erickson, and Payton (Chad) Gunderson; her great-grandchildren, Jayson, Brooklyn, Ryker, Devyn, Kade, Rhett, Jaxon, Ashlynn, Mercedes, Archer, Eli, Laiken, Hazel, and Axel. She is also survived by other relatives and many friends.

Shirley was preceded in death by her parents Chester & Lois Snell; sisters, Frances Doll and Irene Lippert; brother, Maurice Snell. The family of Shirley would like to extend gratitude to

The Willows and Heartland Hospice for the extended care

provided during her stay.

The Funeral Service for Shirley was held on Monday March 11, 2024, 11:00 AM at Scandinavia Lutheran Church with Rev. Kent Wallace officiated. Visitation was held at the church on Sunday, March 10, from 2-4 PM and also on Monday from 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM. Interment will be at the Scandinavia Lutheran Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in memory of Shirley can be made to the Scandinavia Public Library or Scandinavia Lutheran Church Woman. Voie Funeral Home of Iola is assisting the family with arrangements.

#### Smith, Larry



Larry Smith, of Waupaca, age 83, passed away unexpectedly on Monday, March 4, 2024. He was born in Lake City, Iowa on September 22, 1940 to the late Leonard and Dorothy (Kinney) Smith. On April 22, 1961 he married the love of his life, Annetta Anderson. They enjoyed many wonderful adventures and created many memories in their 62 years of marriage. Larry was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church. He was a veteran of the Army Na-

tional Guard in the 32nd division in Fort Louis, Washington. Larry enjoyed fishing, golfing, playing cards, watching college basketball and watching animals and birds in his backyard. He especially enjoyed playing with his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

He will be missed by his wife: Annetta; daughter: Lori (Neil) Potter; grandchildren: April Smith, Summer (Dylan) Roth, Dena Smith, Kate Potter and Keli Potter; great grandchildren: Brooklyn, Kaitlyn, James, Charlotte and Olivia; sister-in-law: Ann Smith; nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his son, Scott Smith and brother, Jimmie Smith.

The Memorial Service was held on Monday, March 11, 2024 at 11 am at Trinity Lutheran Church. The visitation was on Monday at the church from 9:30 a.m. until the time of the service. Memorials are appreciated



**Dr. Carlos Cheng** Yu, 83, passed away on March 8, 2024 at his home in New London, Wisconsin, with his family at his side. He was born in Zamboanga City, the Philippines, on April 29, 1940, to the late Yeo Boon Ting and Cheng Soon Tee, one of six brothers and sisters. His devotion to his family and his passion for helping others was present since childhood. His first memories were of collecting kindling for a fire for his family dur-

ing the Japanese occupation of the Philippines during World War Two. He graduated cum laude as a Doctor of Medicine from Far Eastern University in Manila in 1966.

Dr. Yu met his wife of 54 years, Barbara, as an intern at Mount Sinai Hospital in Milwaukee. A resident in surgery in Detroit, he moved to New London, Wisconsin in late 1973 with his young family, where he joined the staff of New London Community Hospital. Dr. Yu founded a new clinic in New London in 1980, where he was affiliated with many area medical institutions and nursing homes. He was involved in many local organizations, and served as acting Waupaca County coroner. He retired from the profession of medicine in 2010.

Dr. Yu was a devoted family man, with a special connection to his wife's family in Wisconsin, to whom he was very close. His personal kindness was apparent to everyone who met him. He was a loving husband to his wife, Barbara, and a dedicated father to his three children. He took special pleasure in spending time with his grandchildren, whom he adored. He was a man of wide-ranging interests who enjoyed traveling, especially through his adopted country. He was a superb cook, a movie fan, an avid gardener, an amateur painter and violinist, and a yo-yo cham-pion in his youth. He loved to surprise his family with his unexpected talents.

Dr. Yu is survived by his beloved wife, Barbara; his daughter, Camille (Michael Carter) Yu; his sons, Conrad (Tonya) and Carlos Otto (Brandi); two sisters, Mary Usman and Trinidad "Trining" Horrilleno; one brother, Alejandro "Alex" (Gloria) Yu; four grandchildren, Elliot Carter, Otto Carter, Gabriel Yu, and Auden Carter, and two step-grandchildren, Hannah Mancini and Sophie Mancini. He also had many cherished nieces, nephews, and other members of his extended family, and many respected friends and colleagues.

Dr. Yu was preceded in death by his parents, Yeo Boon Ting and Cheng Soon Tee, his brother, William, and his sister, Concepcion "Tuana" Go.
Friends may call on Sunday, March 17, 2024, from 12 to 3

p.m. at the Cline & Hanson Funeral Home, 209 West Cook Street, New London. A remembrance service will begin at 3 p.m. at the funeral home. The family suggests that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the family, who will be starting a memorial fund to provide scholarships to New London area students who show a strong moral character and have an interest in the sciences or the arts. Please contact carloscyuscholarship@gmail.com for more information.

The family sends a special thank you to the staff at ThedaCare Regional Cancer Center-Appleton and Home Instead for their assistance in Dr. Yu's final days.

#### Johnson, Janice



Janice Carole Johnson, age 83, of Waupaca, Wisconsin went to her eternal rest with her Savior on Monday, March 4, 2024, in Waupaca. Janice was born August 4, 1940, in Mayville, North Dakota to Dale and Ione (Ulland) Hohl. She graduated from Mayville High School and went on to x-ray school in Milwaukee where she met her husband. On June 30, 1962, Janice married Robert H. Johnson of Kingsford, Michigan at Hope Lutheran

Church in Milwaukee. They moved to Waupaca in 1971 where they raised four wonderful children. Janice retired in 1999 after 23 1/2 years as a staff radiographer at Riverside Medical Center in Waupaca.

Janice was always busy and involved with numerous projects. She was active in her church serving as an Elder for some years, singer in the Cantata's, worked on Banners and Altar Guild, and organized the Helping Hands ministry. She volunteered in many areas such as hospice, leading bible studies and assisting in hurricane relief. She loved to read, play golf, knit, garden, canning, and baking breads and cookies for friends and neighbors. She especially loved her grandchildren.

Survivors include her husband of 61 years Robert, four children: Ross and Kim (Aden) Johnson (Edinburgh, IN), Randy Johnson (Waupaca), Jill (Johnson) and Joseph Kubik (Chicago, IL), Robert D. and Angelica (Wangelin) Johnson. Grandchildren; Samantha, Nikolas and Anthony Kubik; Grace Peterson, August and Ezra Johnson. A brother, Michael and Cindy Hohl (Surprise AZ), nephew Erich and Rebecca Hohl (Lincoln NE) and niece Laura (Hohl) and Ryan Wellman (Columbus, NE) and their families; an aunt Ruth (Hohl) Flaten (Mayville, ND); a sisterin-law Sandra (Tom) Boucher and numerous cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Dale and Ione Hohl and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Visitation was held on Tuesday, March 12, 2024, from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm followed by a service and luncheon at Trinity Lutheran Church in Waupaca, WI with Pastor Andy Behrendt officiating. Final resting place of cremains will be at the Central Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery. The Holly Funeral Home of Waupaca is assisting the family with arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, you are asked to do an act of kindness to someone in need in memory and honor of Janice. Monetary donations to local hospice and cancer research.

Legals

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Office. Bids from Bidders who are not on

the Plan Holders List may be returned

as not being responsive.
The Bid must be accompanied by Bid

security made payable to OWNER in an

amount of 5% of the Bidder's maximum

to reject any or all Bids, to waive any

it deems advantageous. All Bids shall remain subject to acceptance for 85 days after the time set for receiving

technicality, and to accept any Bid which

Contract award shall be made based on

the lowest responsive and responsible

A pre-bid conference will be held at 11

A.M., local time, on Monday, March 18, 2024, at the Waupaca Municipal Airport

attend and participate in the conference. The Strand Associates, Inc.® project manager is Brandon Herbert, P.E., and

can be contacted at Strand Associates

WI 53715, (608) 251 4843, regarding the Project.

For further requirements regarding Bid

submittal, qualifications, procedures, and Contract Award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included

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Justin Berrens,
Director of Public Works

Dated at City of Waupaca, Wisconsin March 7, 2024, and March 14, 2024 WNAXLP

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in the Bidding Documents.

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Terminal, Bidders are encouraged to

Bidder.

Bidders who submit a Bid must be a

# Obituary

#### Lehman, Bernice

Bernice E. Lehman, age 92 of Brookfield, formerly the Tigerton area, passed away on Tuesday March 5, 2024.

#### Mehlberg, Eugene

Eugene H. Mehlberg, age 86 of the Township of Belle Plaine, passed away Friday afternoon 2024 March at ThedaCare Medical Center. Shawano.

#### Redman, Dorothy

Dorothy A. Redman, age 89 of Tigerton, passed away on Monday evening, March 4, 2024.

#### Riemer, Dawn

Dawn V. Riemer, age 89 of the Township of Pella, Shawano Cty., went home to Heaven early Tuesday morning, March 5, 2024.

#### Legals

Abandoned Property of Bill Zempel Hillside Mini Storage Property includes various miscellaneous Sale shall commence at 8:00 am on March 28th, 2024 N1615 US Highway 10S Weyauwega WI 54983

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STATE OF WISCONSIN: CIRCUIT COURT: WAUPACA COUNTY Planet Home Lending, LLC, Plaintiff,

Unit # 48

Estate of Marcell Robinson, Jr, et al,

Defendants.
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE Case Number: 2023CV000098 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure entered July 27, 2023, in the amount of \$118,931.02, the Sheriff will sell the described premises at public auction as

ORIGINAL TIME: April 9, 2024 at

TERMS: 1. 10% of the successful bid is due at the time of sale. Payment must be in cash, certified check, or cashier's check, payable to the Waupaca County Clerk of Courts. The balance of the successful bid must be paid to the Clerk of Courts in cash, cashier's check or certified funds not later than ten days after the court's confirmation of the sale failure to pay balance due will result in forfeiture of deposit to Plaintiff. 2. The property is sold "as is" and

subject to all legal liens and encumbrances.
3. Upon confirmation of the court, buyer to pay applicable Wisconsin Real Estate Transfer Tax in addition to the purchase

PLACE: the front lobby of the Waupaca County Courthouse, 811 Harding Street, Waupaca, Wisconsin Property description: Unit 5A in the Western Meadows Condominium(s) created by a "Declaration of Condominium" recorded on August 27, 2003, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Waupaca County, Wisconsin No. 676992, and any amendments and/or corrections thereto, and by its Condominium Plat and any

## NOTICE

amendments and/or corrections

TO ALL WAUPACA COUNTY DOG OWNERS! You are hereby notified that in accordance with Chapter 174.05 and 174.07 of the Wisconsin statutes rabies vaccinations are required for all dogs aged 4 months or older and licenses are required for all dogs 5

The owner of a dog shall have the dog vaccinated against rabies by a veterinarian within 30 days after the dog reaches 4 months of age and revaccinated within one year after the initial vaccination. If the owner obtains a dog or brings a dog into this state after the dog has reached 4 months of age, said dog shall be vaccinated within 30 days unless evidenced by a current certificate of vaccination. All older dogs must be revaccinated when the certificate expires, or, if no date is specified, within 3 years after the previous vaccination

The veterinarian who vaccinates a dog against rabies shall complete and issue the owner a certificate of rabies vaccination and a rabies vaccination tag. The owner shall attach the tag to a collar, which shall be kept on the dog at all times. Certificates of current vaccination must be presented when obtaining dog licenses.

The owner of a dog more than 5 months of age on January 1 of any year, or 5 months of age within the license year, shall annually, or on or before the date the dog becomes 5 months of age, pay the dog license tax and obtain a license. Please check with your local Treasurer as license fees may vary.

PENALTIES

Licenses are issued for January 1 thru Dec. 31 of each year. A late fee of \$5.00 shall be assessed the owner of each dog 5 months of age or over who fails to obtain a dog license before April 1. An owner who fails to have a dog vaccinated against fable as required by statutes may be sourced to fafeit the loss than \$750.00 and ast more than \$100.00. required to forfeit not less than \$50.00 and not more than \$100.00.

Dog licenses must be obtained from your local treasurer. For your convenience, you may clip and mail the following application with proof of rabies vaccination (if necessary) to your local treasurer.

By: Kristy K. Opperman, Waupaca County Clerk

### WAUPACA COUNTY DOG OWNERS

MAIL IN APPLICATION FOR DOG LICENSE TO YOUR LOCAL TOWN, CITY OR VILLAGE TREASURER. FEES MAY VARY. CONTACT YOUR LOCAL TREASURER.

OWNERS NAME **ADDRESS** MUNICIPALITY Phone No. Name of Animal, Breed & Color Neutered: Yes or No (Circle One)

**Expires** Date of Rabies Vaccination\_ Spayed: Yes or No (Circle One) Female Date of Rabies Vaccination Expires Complete this application and mail with the rabies certificate and check or money order (made payable to your local treasurer). Do not send cash. Enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope and your rabies certificate and license will be returned.

Project:

#### Legals

thereto. Said land being in the City of Waupaca, County of Waupaca, Wisconsin. Subject to all easements reservations, covenants, conditions, agreements of record if any. Being the same premises as conveyed in Deed from Elaine C. Pederson, a single person recorded 6/25/2018 in Document Number 863284, in said County and State. Tax Key No: 3425759

Property Address: 963 Charles Wright Drive, Waupaca, WI 54981 Randall S. Miller & Associates, LLC Attorney for Plaintiff 342 N. Water Street, Suite 613

Milwaukee, WI 53202 (414) 937-5992 Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act (15 U.S.C. Section 1692) we are required to state that we may be attempting to collect a debt on our client's behalf and any information we obtain may be used for that purpose. Publish March 7, 14 & 21, 2024

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT

COURT WAUPACA COUNTY
Rocket Mortgage, LLC f/k/a Quicken
Loans, LLC f/k/a Quicken Loans Inc.

Colt Eastman, Jane Doe Eastman, Fox Communities Credit Union, Synchrony Bank, LVNV Funding LLC and Residential Title Services, Inc.

Defendants.
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE Case No. 23-CV-000133
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure entered on September 27, 2023 in the amount of \$48,230.64 the Sheriff will sell the lescribed premises at public auction as

TIME: April 2, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. TERMS: Pursuant to said judgment, 10% of the successful bid must be paid to the sheriff at the sale in cash, cashier's check or certified funds payable to the clerk of courts (personal checks cannot and will not be accepted). The balance of the successful bid must be paid to the clerk

#### 7700

of courts in cash, cashier's check or after the court's confirmation of the sale or else the 10% down payment is forfeited to the plaintiff. The property is sold 'as is' and subject to all liens and

PILACE: On the front steps of the Waupaca County Courthouse, City and County of Waupaca DESCRIPTION; The West 40 feet of Lot 1 and all of Lot 2; all in Block 17 of McDonald and Ramsdell's Addition to the City of Marion, Waupaca County,

Wisconsin.
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 204 S Main St Marion, WI 54950-9554 and 101
McDonald St., Marion WI 54950
DATED: January 29, 2024 Gray & Associates, L.L.P. Attorneys for Plaintiff 16345 West Glendale Drive New Berlin, WI 53151-2841

to collect a debt and any information case, this communication should not be

ADVERTISEMENT TO BID CITY OF WAUPACA CONTRACT 1-2024

Contract 1-2024
Electronic Bids for the construction of the Project will be received by OWNER

#### Town of Mukwa

E8514 Weyauwega Rd, New London, 54961 Phone: 920.982.9890 clerk@mukwa.us

#### PUBLIC TEST of the ELECTRONIC VOTING **EQUIPMENT for the April 2, 2024 Presidential Preference Primary & Spring Election**

Under Wisconsin State Statute 5.84(1) the Town of Mukwa will be holding a public test of the Town's Imagecast Evolution (ICE) units at 6:30p.m. on Wednesday, March 27, 2024 at the Mukwa Town Hall, E8514 Weyauwega Rd, Northport. This test is open to the public.

Posted: February 22, 2024

Publish: March 14, 2024

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St. Joseph Residence (107 E. Beckert Rd.) Trinity Terrace (1835 Division St.) Washington Center (500 W. Washington St.) in New London, WI 54961

on Wednesday, March 20, 2024 Voting will begin at 1:00 pm

to receive an absentee ballot.

Only observers from each of the two recognized political parties whose distribution in the common area of the home, facility, or complex. Each party wishing to have an observer present shall submit the name of he observer to the Clerk or board of election commissioners no later than the close of business on the last business day prior to the visit.

Family members of residents may be present at the time of voting.

City Clerk

Municipal Building 215 N. Shawano Street New London, WI 54961 (920) 982-8500 ext. 101 or NRyerson@newlondonwi.org

received will be publicly downloaded and read aloud via teleconference. The login information for the teleconference is as follows 608-571-7149, Conference ID 634 559 The Project includes the following

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approximate quantities of Work

Installation of a premanufactured pumping station, wet well, 4,500 linear feet of sanitary sewer, 4,100 linear feet of force main, 200 linear feet of sanitary

laterals, 75 linear feet of water service, 500 square yards of asphalt pavement patching, 19,000 square yards of

restoration, and miscellaneous erosion control and traffic control.
Complete digital Project Bidding Documents are available at

www.questcdn.com. Download the digital Bidding Documents for \$75 by inputting Quest project number 9011359

Please contact QuestCDN.com at (952) 233 1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance with free membership

registration, downloading, and working

with this digital Project information.
For this Project, Bids will ONLY be received and accepted via the online

QuestCDN.com. To access the electronic Bid Form, download the Project Documents and click the Online

The Issuing Office is Strand Associates, Inc.®, 910 West Wingra Drive, Madison, WI 53715.

All Bidders submitting a sealed Bid shall

obtain the Bidding Documents from

electronic Bid service through

Bidding button.

on the website's project search page

www.strand.com or at

(414) 224-8404

Please go to www.gray-law.com to obtain the bid for this sale.
Gray & Associates, L.L.P. is attempting obtained will be used for that purpose. If you have previously received a discharge in a chapter 7 bankruptcy

#### Bids and Request for Proposals 7705

WAUPACA, WISCONSIN AIRPORT AREA SANITARY SEWER EXTENSION

until Thursday March 21 2024 at 2 P.M., local time. At that time the Bids

number below and entering the Conference code: Dial-in-Number: (262) 432-0777 Conference Code: 639-827

Monday, May 22, 2023 at 10:00am
Join the conference by dialing the phone

Project location:

New London Library
406 S. Pearl Street
Bidders are encouraged to visit to the project sites to view existing conditions. To do so, please notify Dave Angove at 414-477-4520 or davea@irsroof.com prior to your visit. Bid due date/opening:

**INVITATION TO BID** 

City of New London – New London Library Roof Replacement Project – Roof Area 2 IRS Job# 17511

You are hereby invited to bid on a roofing replacement project utilizing asphalt shingle roofing or a municipal building, approximately 2 stories in height. The project encompasses approximately 3,000 square feet. The Work is to be started in 2023, and shall be completed by October 31, 2023.

There will be a pre-bid teleconference held for the purpose of reviewing the job-site conditions, the specifications, and other pertinent information regarding the roofing replacement project as follows:

Thursday, June 1, 2023 at 2:00pm New London City Hall 215 N. Shawano Street, New London, WI 54961 Sealed bids for this project will be received by City of New London, before the date and time indicated above, at which time they will be opened publicly. Bids shall be on a lump-sum basis; unil pricing and a time & material (T&M) rate shall be submitted for the repair of latent defects. Qualified bidders will be provided access to the Bidding Documents via the Consultant's Website. To access the Bidding Documents, go to <a href="www.irsroof.com">www.irsroof.com</a>. Enter the User Name "newlondon" and Password "contractor". If you have any questions, please call Industrial Roofing Services, Inc. at (800) 236-3477.

The Owner reserves the right to waive informalities in the bidding and to reject any and all proposals, parts of any and all proposals or to waive technical errors or omissions in submitted proposals. No submitted bid may be withdrawn until a period of sixty (60) days after the bid opening date, without written consent of the Owner.

Acting in the Owner's behalf. e Owner's bertain, INDUSTRIAL ROOFING SERVICES, INC. 13000 West Silver Spring Drive, Butler, WI 53007 Phone: (800) 236-3477 • Fax: (262) 432-0504

**NOTICE TOWN OF MUKWA RESIDENTS** 

NOTICE OF: April 2, 2024 Presidential Primary & Spring Election **LOCATION & HOURS OF POLLING PLACE** 

At the Election to be held on Tuesday, April 2, 2024 in the Town of Mukwa, the following polling place locations will be used for the wards indicated (if you are unsure of your Ward or Polling Location, or would like an Absentee ballot; please go to <a href="www.myvote.wi.gov">www.myvote.wi.gov</a> or contact Clerk Zielinski by email: <a href="mailto:clerk@mukwa.us">clerk@mukwa.us</a> or by phone: 982-9890)

Location Mukwa Town Hall E8514 Weyauwega Rd, Northport

Bean City Bar & Grill N2505 Bean City Road

Polling Places will be open from 7:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m. All Polling Places are Accessible to Elderly and Disabled Voters Questions? Voter Registration Applications & Absentee Applications/Ballots

available by contacting: Clerk, Jeannette Zielinski at <u>clerk@mukwa.gov</u> or 982.9890 (please leave message - M-Fr & weekends or in person 6-8 Monday thru Friday & by appointment on Saturday).

Proof of identification must be provided before an absentee ballot may be issued.

The deadline for making application to vote absentee by mail is 5:00 p.m. on the fifth day before the election, (Thursday, March 28, 2024).

Special absentee voting application provisions apply to electors who are indefinitely confined to home or a care facility, in the military, hospitalized, or serving as a sequestered juror. If this applies to you, contact Clerk Zielinski regarding deadlines for requesting & ubmitting an absentee ballot. The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the Clerk's Office is: Tuesday

March 19, 2024.

March 19, 2024.

The deadline for voting an absentee ballot in the Clerk's Office is 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 30, 2024 (by appointment).

The Municipal Clerk will deliver voted ballots returned on or before Election Day to the proper polling place or counting location before THE POLLS CLOSE ON (Tuesday, April 2, 2004).

2024). Any ballots received after the polls close will not be counted. Notice of Meeting of the Local Board of Canvassers At the close of voting on Election Day, pursuant to the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 19.84, the

the purpose of conducting the local canvass pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 7.51. This meeting will be open to the public pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§ 19.81-89.

Please contact Clerk, Jeannette Zielinski at <a href="mailto:clerk@mukwa.gov">clerk@mukwa.gov</a> or 982.9890 if you have /s/Jeannette Zielinski, Municipal Clerk

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Posted: February 22, 2024

ADVERTISEMENT TO BID CITY OF STEVENS POINT STEVENS POINT, WISCONSIN 2024 STREET IMPROVEMENTS-SOUTHSIDE CONTRACT 24-02

The City of Stevens Point (OWNER) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:

2024 Street Improvements - Southside Contract 24-02

Electronic Bids for the construction of the Project will be received by OWNER until Tuesday, April 2, 2024, at 1:00 P.M., local time. At that time the Bids received will be publicly downloaded. A Microsoft Teams meeting will be set and shared with planholders through the planholder's registered email prior to the bid opening.

The Project includes the following Work: Approximately 1515 linear feet of concrete curb and gutter; approximately 14,700 tons of dense graded base; approximately 4300 tons of asphaltic concrete pavement; approximately 3800 square feet of concrete sidewalk; approximately 3340 linear feet of sanitary sewer piping; approximately 2290 linear feet of storm sewer; approximately 4080 linear feet of C900 PVC water main, water and sanitary sewer services, common excavation, restoration, appurtenances, and miscellaneous items.

Complete digital Project Bidding Documents are available at <a href="http://www.stevenspoint.">http://www.stevenspoint.</a> com/dpw or <a href="http://www.questcdn.com">http://www.questcdn.com</a>. You may download the digital Bidding Documents for \$22.00 by inputting QuestCDN ebidDoc Number 8966428 on the website's project Search page. Please contact QuestCDN.com at (952) 233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in free membership registration, downloading, and working with this digital Project information. There is a fee of \$42.00 for submitting a Bid online through QuestCDN.

For this Project, Bids will **ONLY** be received and accepted via the online electronic Bid service through QuestCDN.com. To access the electronic Bid Form, download the Project Documents and click the online Bidding button at the top of the Advertisement. The Issuing Office is the City of Stevens Point, 1515 Strongs Avenue, Stevens Point,

All Bidders submitting a sealed Bid shall obtain the Bidding Documents from QuestCDN.com.

Bidders who submit a Bid must be a Plan Holder of record at the Issuing Office. Bids from Bidders who are not on the Plan Holders List may be returned as not being

The Bid must be accompanied by Bid security made payable to OWNER in an amount of 5% of the Bidder's maximum Bid price.

The City of Stevens Point reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to waive any technicality, and to accept any Bid which it deems advantageous. All Bids shall remain subject to acceptance for 85 days after the time set for receiving Bids.

Contract award shall be made based on the lowest responsive and responsible

The Clark Dietz, Inc. project manager is Tonia Westphal, P.E., and can be contacted at Clark Dietz, Inc., 500 N. 3rd Street, Suite 703, Wausau, WI 54403, (715) 845-1333, regarding the Project.

For further requirements regarding Bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and Contract Award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding

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ADVERTISEMENT TO BID CITY OF STEVENS POINT STEVENS POINT, WISCONSIN CONTRACT 24-01 City of Stevens Point (OWNER) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following

2024 STREET IMPROVEMENTS-NORTHSIDE

2024 Street Improvements-Northside

Contract 24-01 Electronic Bids for the construction of the Project will be received by OWNER until Tuesday, April 2, 2024 at 11 A.M., local time. At that time the Bids received will be

publicly downloaded and read aloud. A Microsoft Teams meeting will be set and shared with plan holders through the plan holder's registered email prior to the Bid The work includes approximately 15,225 linear feet (LF) of concrete curb and gutter, 18,100 tons (T) of dense graded base, 6,870 T of asphaltic concrete pavement,

5,405 LF of sanitary sewer, 7,080 LF of storm sewer, 7,215 LF of water main,

common excavation, restoration, appurtenances, and miscellaneous items. Complete digital Project Bidding Documents are available at http://www.stevenspoint. com/dpw or <a href="http://www.questcdn.com">http://www.questcdn.com</a>. You may download the digital Bidding Documents for \$22 by inputting QuestCDN ebidDoc Number 8966433 on the website's project Search page. Please contact QuestCDN.com at (952) 233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in free membership registration, downloading, and working with this digital Project information. There is a fee of \$42 for submitting a Bid online through QuestCDN.

For this Project, Bids will **ONLY** be received and accepted via the online electronic Bid service through QuestCDN.com. To access the electronic Bid Form, download the Project Documents and click the Online Bidding button.

The Issuing Office is the City of Stevens Point, 1515 Strongs Avenue, Stevens Point, WI 54481. All Bidders submitting a sealed Bid shall obtain the Bidding Documents from

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Bidder. The Strand Associates, Inc.® project manager is Patrick J. Rank, P.E. and can be contacted at Strand Associates, Inc.®, 910 West Wingra Drive, Madison, WI 53715,

(608) 251-4843, regarding the Project. For further requirements regarding Bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and Contract Award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

Dated at City of Stevens Point, Wisconsin

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City of Stevens Point, Wisconsin Board of Public Works

March 14, 2024 and March 21, 2024

construed as an attempt to hold you personally liable for the debt.
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City of Waupaca (OWNER) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project: Airport Area Sanitary Sewer Extension

**NOTICE TOWN OF MUKWA RESIDENTS-**

/s/Jeannette Zielinski, Municipal Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING Absentee Voting to be Administered at

Special Voting Deputies appointed by the City of New London will be administering absentee voting for the residents of this facility for the the April 2, 2024 Spring Election at the above addresses on the date listed above. Any qualified elector who is unable or unwilling to appear at the polling place on Election Day may request to vote an absentee ballot. A qualified elector is any U.S. citizen, who will be 18 years of age or older on Election Day, who has resided in the ward or municipality where he or she wishes to vote for at least 28 consecutive days before the election. The elector must also be registered in orde

candidates for governor or president received the greatest number of votes in the municipality at the most recent general election may accompany the deputies to each facility where absentee voting will take place. The observers may observe the process of absentee ballot

If you have further questions, please contact:

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#### **Election Notices** 7715

CITY OF MANAWA PUBLIC NOTICE
NURSING HOME VOTING Special Deputy Absentee Voting Manawa Community Nursing Center 400 E. 4th Street, Manawa, WI Please be advised that City of Manawa Special Voting Deputies will conduct absentee voting at the Manawa
Community Nursing Center, 400 E. 4th
Street, Manawa for the Spring Election to be held on April 2, 2024. At 10:00 am on Wednesday, March 20, 2024. Logan Hass, City Clerk Publish March 14, 2024 W

## Voting by Absentee Ballot Spring Election & Presidential Preference Primary

April 2, 2024

Any qualified elector who is unable or unwilling to appear at the polling place on Election Day may submit a request to vote an absentee ballot to their municipal clerk. A qualified elector is any U.S. citizen who: • will be 18 years of age or older on

Election Day.

• has resided in the ward or municipality

consecutive days before the election The elector must also be registered to vote to receive an absentee ballot. Proof of identification must be provided before an absentee ballot may be issued\*

Making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail:
Contact your municipal clerk and request that an application for an absentee ballot be sent to you for the primary or election or both. You may make written application to your municipal clerk for an absentee ballot in person, by mail, by fax, by email or at www.MyVote.wi.gov Your written request must include:

1. your voting address within the municipality where you wish to vote.
2. the address where the absentee ballot should be sent, if different from the address above 3. vour signature

4. a copy of your photo identification\*

The deadline for making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail is:

12:00 p.m. on the fifth day before the election, Friday, March 29, 2024 Voting an absentee ballot in person absentee ballot in the clerk's office during the days and hours specified for casting an absentee ballot in person. Kathy Kasza Town Clerk Town of Farmington Town Hall E913 Prairie View Lane Waupaca WI 54981 (715) 258-2779

waupaca.com Monday – Friday 8:00 am to 1:00 pm The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is: Tuesday, March 19, 2024 The last day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is:

Friday, March 29, 2024
No in-person absentee voting may occur on the day before the election. The municipal clerk will deliver voted ballots returned on or before Election Day to the proper polling place or counting location before the polls close on Tuesday, April 2, 2024. All ballots received after the polls close will not be

Voters who are indefinitely confined due to age, illness, infirmity, or disability may not be required to provide photo ID.

If this applies to you, contact the
municipal clerk regarding deadlines for requesting and submitting an absentee \*\*Special absentee voting application

provisions apply to electors who are indefinitely confined, in the military, hospitalized, or serving as a sequestered juror. If this applies to you, contact the municipal clerk regarding deadlines for requesting and submitting an absentee ballot. Publish March 14, 2024

#### Meetings and Public Hearings 7720 Farmington Town Board Meeting

Agenda Monday, March 18, 2024 Immediately following the Public Hearing at 6:00 pm E913 Prairie View Ln www.farmingtonwi.com Call to Order
Pledge of Allegiance
Open Meeting Statement: This

meeting and all meetings of this Town Board are open to the public. Proper notice has been posted and given to the press, in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes, so the citizens may be aware of the time, place and agenda of this

Approve Agenda Approve Minutes of February 19, 2024

Approve Financial Report Committee Reports Public Input Old Business: None New Business:

1) Approve Sexton Employment Agreement.
2) Resolution 3/18/24A(2024)
Appointment of Plan Commission Member - Eugene Engebretson to a 1

year term.
3) Chain O'Lakes Association
Stewardship Committee
recommendations for "Adopt a Sign" locations and plantings.
4) Rural Mutual Insurance policy renewal from April 1, 2024, to April 1, 2025, in the amount of \$7,364,00. 5) Resolution 3/18/24B(2024) Approval of Town of Farmington, Waupaca County, Adjusted Urban Area Boundary. 6) Liquor/Operator license application(s) ceived in Clerk's office. 7) Land Use Permit application(s) received from Zoning – informational.
8) Intent to Cut Wood Products –

9) Culvert/Driveway application(s) informational

10) Roads a) Approve Waupaca County Highway Department proposal for bridge

b) Approve Waupaca County Highway Department to complete 6'-20' culvert inventory and inspections on behalf of

c) Proposal from John's Lawncare &

Maintenance for 2024 ditch mowing. informational 12) Bills Adiournment

Posted March 1, 2024, at Farmington Town Hall

& Website www.farmingtonwi.com The Town Board may conduct a roll call vote, a voice vote or otherwise decide to approve, reject, table, or modify any item on this agenda. If special accommodation is

arrangements at least 24 hours prior to the meeting. Publish March 14, 2024 WNAXLP

NOTICE OF HEARING

CITY OF WEYALIWEGA ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Board of Appeals for the City of Weyauwega will meet at 6:30 pm on March 19, 2024 at Weyauwega City Hall Council Chambers, 109 E Main Street, to consider a request for a variance from ANR Pipeline, E6131 County Road X, Weyauwega, Wisconsin. ANR Pipeline, owner of Parcel Number

35-34-32-6. located at E6131 County Road X, would like to expand their existing 6' security fence with an additional 12" of barbed wire in multiple sections of the facility to support a natural gas pipeline expansion project. Due to the fence having barbed wire and being under ten feet in height, the expansion proposal is out of compliance with current city ordinances.

Interested parties or property owners are invited to comment on the request at

the scheduled hearing or may leave written comments at the City Clerk's office up until the time of the scheduled Publish March 7 & 14, 2024 WNAXLP

CITY OF WAUPACA AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 17, ZONING CODE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the

#### Meetings and Public Hearings 7720

Common Council of the City of Waupaca will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, April 3, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 111 S. Main Street, Waupaca, Wisconsin, to hear testimony on whether to change language in Chapter 17 of the Municipal Code, Zoning Ordinance, to amend 17.305 Zero Lot Line or Common Wall Single-Family Attached Development. The hearing will be for the purpose of giving an opportunity for any person interested, their attorneys or agents, to

A copy of the proposed changes may be obtained from the Community & Economic Development Department /s/ Barbara J. Nowak

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**PUBLIC NOTICE** CITY OF WAUPACA
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING
CHAPTER 17, ZONING CODE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the

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giving an opportunity for any person interested, their attorneys or agents, to be heard. A copy of the proposed changes may be obtained from the Community &

Economic Development Department /s/ Barbara J. Nowak City Clerk PUBLISH: March 14 and 21, 2024

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A copy of the proposed changes may obtained from the Community & Economic Development Department /s/ Barbara J. Nowak

City Clerk
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Planning Commission of the City of Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin will hold a Public Hearing on April 1, 2024 at 6:00 PM at 933 Michigan Avenue (Community Room – Room 122), Stevens Point, Wisconsin and via Zoom Teleconferencing to hear

the following:

1. Public Hearing and action on a request from Courtney Klang, representing 209 Division Street LLC, for a conditional use permit to operate a non-owner-occupied tourist rooming house on the property located at 209 Division Street (Parcel ID 2840829400203), consistent with Ch. 23.02(2)(a)(3)(o). Said property is zoned "PD" Planned Development District and is described as LOT 1 CSM# 10561- 47-141 BNG PRT NESE S29 T24 R8 1.12A

141 BNG PRT NESE 329 124 R8 1.124 R8 77462. City of Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin.

2. Public Hearing and action on a request from the City of Stevens Point for a preliminary subdivision plat review of a planned subdivision on the property located at 5498 Golla Road (Parcel ID 281240826400500). consistent with Ch. 281240826400500), consistent with Ch. 201240629400000, consistent with critical as LOT 2 CSM#4939-17-194 & OL 1 CSM#011720 DOC-893921 BNG PRT NESE & NWSE S26 T24 R8 SUBJ DRNG ESMT-262600 24.651A 896178;894154, City of Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin.

To participate via telephone: 1) Dial on your phone: (312) 626-6799 2) When prompted dial the Meeting ID:

3) Passcode: 566364 4) Press # again to be a participant in

the meeting.
5) Hold until the meeting starts. To participate via online zoom platform: 1) Go to www zoom us

2) Click "Join a Meeting" in the upper right-hand corner. 3) Enter Meeting ID: 868 2851 6657 4) Passcode: 566364

4) Fascoue. 300304 5) If you haven't downloaded the Zoom program, do so now. Maps further defining the above area(s) Maps further defining the above area(s) may be obtained from the City of Stevens Point Department of Community Development at 1515 Strongs Avenue, Stevens Point, Wisconsin 54481, or by calling (715) 346-1567 during normal business hours. All interested parties are invited to attend, but are strongly encouraged to submit their comments to the Director of submit their comments to the Director of Community Development, rkernosky@stevenspoint.com prior to

the meeting.
BY ORDER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STEVENS POINT, WISCONSIN Kari Yenter, City Clerk WNAXLP

STATE OF WISCONSIN Town of Wolf River

Winnebago County
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING The Town Board of the Town of Wolf River will meet at the Wolf River Town Hall at 8800 County Road II, Fremont, WI, on Monday, March 25 at 6:00 p.m. for the purposes of holding a public hearing as prescribed by Section 66.0627 Wis. Stats., to consider proposed ordinance changes to the Town of Wolf River Slow, No Wake Ordinance regarding Section 6.
Controlled Area and Section 7. Effective Hours and Section 8. Declaring Emergency and Imposing No Wake Restrictions on the Wolf River. Discussion will include Friday start time for Slow, No Wake, instituting a 24/7 Slow No Wake for about a 1/2 mile through Orihula, adding Slow, No Wake restrictions to July 3 in years when July 4th falls on a Tuesday or a Friday and July 5 when July 4th falls on a Thursday. All interested persons wishing to be heard at the Public Hearings are invited

Respectfully submitted, Susan J. Gilbert, Clerk Dated this 20th day of February 2024 Susan J. Gilbert, Clerk Town of Wolf River Publish March 7 & 14, 2024 WNAXLP

The Village of Iola Board Meeting will be held the second Tuesday of the month at 5:30 PM. at the Iola Village Hall, Community Room, 180 S. Main Street.
The Finance Committee meeting is held thirty minutes prior to the board meeting.
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MINUTES OF UTILITY COMMISSION The regular meeting of the New London Utility Commission was called to order at 8:00 A.M. by President Steingraber at the Utility Offices at 400 East North Water Street, New London WI. Members present were Steingraber Coppersmith, Schmidt, Barrington, and Bessette. St. Marie not present.
It was moved by Schmidt and seconded by Steingraber that the agenda be adopted. Motion carried.
It was moved by Steingraber and seconded by Coppersmith to approve the minutes of the February 6, 2024 meeting. Motion carried. was moved by Schmidt and seconded by Coppersmith to approve vouchers 51347 through 51396 in the amount of \$1,281,053.51 as listed to be paid.

It was moved by Barrington and

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seconded by Schmidt to approve Alan's Electric bid for \$15,510 to install transfer switch at North Booster. Motion carried. The Manager led discussion on Safe Drinking Water loan information for 2023

Minutes

projects.
The Manager updated the Commission on work by Electric and Water crews The next meeting will be on March 12, 8:00 A.M. at the Utility Offices. It was moved by Steingraber and seconded by Schmidt that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried. Mike Barringtonc Secretary Publish March 14, 2024

MINUTES OF UTILITY COMMISSION MEETING Feb. 6, 2024

The regular meeting of the New London Utility Commission was called to order at 8:00 A.M. by President Steingraber at the Utility Offices at 400 East North Water Street, New London WI. Members present were Steingraber, Schmidt, Barrington, St. Marie and Bessette. Coppersmith not present. bessette. Coppershift not present. It was moved by Barrington and seconded by St. Marie that the agenda be adopted. Motion carried. It was moved by Steingraber and seconded by Schmidt to approve the minutes of the January 16, 2024 meeting. Motion carried. It was moved by Steingraber and seconded by Schmidt to approve vouchers 51275 through 51346 in the amount of \$182,305.32 as listed to be paid. Motion carried. It was moved by Steingraber and seconded by Schmidt to approve metering upgrades to Tyson Foods to exceed \$10,000. Motion carried. It was moved by Barrington and seconded by St. Marie to approve Beckert Booster rebuild to be perfor by Crane Engineering not to exceed \$27,500. Motion carried. The Manager led discussion on private side water service funding options for the Utilities to explore. The Manager updated the Commission on work by Electric and Water crews. The next meeting will be on February 20, 8:00 A.M. at the Utility Offices. It was moved by Barrington and seconded by Steinigraber that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried. Mike Barrington, Secretary Publish March 21, 2024 WNAXI

#### Name Change 7730

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BY THE COURT Honorable Louis J. Molepske Jr. Portage County Circuit Court Branch 2 Date: 3/4/2024

STATE OF WISCONSIN. CIRCUIT COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME
CHANG OF Samuel Justin Dobberfuhl By (Petitioner) Hannah Rose Dobberfuhl
Notice and Order for Name

Change Hearing Case No. 24CV73 NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A Petition as filed asking to change the name of the person listed above From: Samuel Justin Dobberfuhl To: Samuel Justin Klumb

Birth Certificate: Samuel Justin Klumb IT IS ORDERED: This Petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Portage County, State of Wisconsin Judge's Name: Hon. Louis J Molepske, Molepske, Jr. Portage County Courthouse, Branch II, 1516 church

Street, Stevens Point, WI 54481 on 4/23/2024 at 2:30 p.m. require accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 715-346-1364 prior to the scheduled court date. Please note that the court

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 Gazette, a newspaper published in Portage County, State of Wisconsin. Publish March 14, 21 & 28, 2024 WNALXP

BY THE COURT Hon. Vicki L. Clussman 2/22/2024 2/22/2024
Circuit Court Judge
STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT
COURT, WAUPACA, COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF

Satya Reateria By (Petitioner) Satya Renteria Notice and Order for Name Change

Case No. 24CV19
NOTICE IS GIVEN: A Petition was filed asking to change the From: [First] Satya [Last] Renteria To: [First] Lalita [Last] Correa

Hearing

name of the person listed above Birth Certificate: [First] Satya [Last] IT IS ORDERED:

This Petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Waupaca County, State of Judge's Name Hon. Vicki L. Clussman 811 Harding St. - Branch II Waupaca, WI 54981 Date: 3/28/2024

Time: 1:00 p.m. If you require reasonable accommodations due tot 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 a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Waupaca Co. Post, a newspaper published in Waupaca County, State of Wisconsin. Publish March 7, 14 & 21, 2024

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### **Notice To Creditors**

DATE SIGNED: February 23, 2024 Electronically signed by Angela Dahle
Probate Registrar STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Karen L. Bork

**Notice to Creditors** (Informal Administration)
Case No. 23PR111
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: 1. An application for informal administration was filed.

2. The decedent, with date of birth June 24, 1944 and date of death November 6, 2023, was domiciled in Waupaca County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of E1715 Pine Lane, Waupaca, WI 54981. 3. All interested persons waived notice 4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is May 24, 2024. 5. A claim may be filed at the Waupaca County Courthouse, Waupaca, Wisconsin, Room 3054. Form completed by: Attorney Justin Randall Hooper Law Office, LLC 2 N Systems Drive, Appleton, WI 54914 Telephone 920-993-0990 Bar Number: 1101453 Publish Feb. 29, March 7 & 14, 2024

DATE SIGNED: February 26, 2024 Electronically signed by Angela Dahle Probate Registrar STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Royce A Blankinship Notice to Creditors (Informal Administration)
Case No. 24PR8
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

 An application for informal administration was filed. The decedent, with date of birth 03/21/1940 and date of death 10/31/2023, was domiciled in Waupaca County, State of WI, with a mailing address of N2665 Cty Rd QQ, Waupaca, WI 54981. 3. All interested persons waived notice. 4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is May 28, 2024.

5. A claim may be filed at the Waupaca

#### **Notice To Creditors** 7735

County Courthouse, 811 Harding St. ca , Wisconsin, Room 3054 Form completed by Attorney Reg P Wydeven 2401 E. Enterprise Ave Appleton, WI 54913 Telephone 920-882-4070 Bar Number 1031930 Publish Feb. 29, March 7 & 14, 2024

DATE SIGNED: February 28, 2024 Electronically signed by Angela Dahle

Probate Registrar
STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
MYRTLE KUTCHENRITER DOD: 02/05/2024

Notice to Creditors (Informal Administration) Case No. 24PR9 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: An application for informal administration was filed. 2. The decedent, with date of birth 05/25/1939 and date of death 02/05/2024, was domiciled in Waupaca County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of E7087
Dennison Road, Clintonville, WI 54929.
3. All interested persons waived notice.
4. The deadline for filing a claim against

5. A claim may be filed at the Waupaca County Courthouse, 811 Harding St, Waupaca , Wisconsin, Room 3054 / Probate Office Form completed by: Matthew J. Linn PO Box 5 New London, WI 54961 Telephone 920-779-4140 Bar Number 166187 Publish March 7, 14 & 21, 2024 WNAXLP

the decedent's estate is May 29, 2024

DATE SIGNED: March 7, 2024 Electronically signed by Angela Dahle

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
MICHAEL J. AMADOR DECEASED Notice to Creditors (Informal Administration)

Case No. 24PR13
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: An application for informal administration was filed. 2. The decedent, with date of birth 08/24/1965 and date of death 01/30/2024, was domiciled in Waupaca County, State of WI, with a mailing address of 1304 West North Water Street, New London WI 54961. 3. All interested persons waived notice
4. The deadline for filing a claim agains

4. The deadline for filing a claim agains the decedent's estate is June 10, 2024. 5. A claim may be filed at the Waupaca County Courthouse, 811 Harding Street, Waupaca, Wisconsin, Room 3054/Probate Office. Attorney Sara K. Micheletti 2401 East Enterprise Avenue Appleton, WI 54913 920-882-4070 Bar Number 1075922 Published March 14, 21 & 28, 2024 WNAXLP Bar Number 1075922

DATE SIGNED: March 7, 2024 Electronically signed by Angela Dahle Probate Registrar

STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT, WAUPACA COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
Robert L. Veleke DOD 1-15-2024

Notice to Creditors (Informal Administration) Case No. 24PR12 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: An application for informal administration was filed.
 The decedent, with date of birth 7-7-1948 and date of death 1-15-2024, was domiciled in Waupaca County, State of WI, with a mailing address of 68 N. Park Street, Clintonville, WI 54929.

3. All interested persons waived notice A. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is June 10, 2024.
 A claim may be filed at the Waupaca County Courthouse Wisconsin, Room 3054.

James E. Aschenbrener PO BOX 146

Shawano, WI 54166 Courthouse Waupaca, 715-524-6258 Bar No. 1008896 Published March 14, 21 & 28, 2024

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT WAUPACACOUNTY PUBLICATION SUMMONS
CASE NO.24-CV-42 HON. VICKI L. CLUSSMAN

claimed exceeds \$10,000.00 Other Contracts: 30303 Wis. Stat. §810

COVANTAGE CREDIT UNION PO BOX 107 ANTIGO, WI 54409 Plaintiff, JAVIER R. THULIEN 1050 COUNTY ROAD QQ, APT. 2 CLINTONVILLE, WI 54981 Defendant.

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. The Complaint, which is attached, states the nature and

basis of the legal action. Within 40 days after the date of first publication, you must respond with a written answer, as that term is used in Chapter 802 of the Wisconsin Statutes, or 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 Waupaca County Courthouse,811 Harding Street, Waupaca, WI 54981, and to Galanis, Pollack, Jacobs & Johnson, S.C., plaintiffs attorneys, whose address is 413 N. 2nd Street, Suite 150, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53203. You may have an attorney help or represent you. If you do not provide a proper answer 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

nay also be enforced by garnishment of seizure of property. DATED at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, on March 8, 2024 GALANIS, POLLACK, JACOBS & JOHNSON, SC Attorneys for Plaintiff /S/ Electronically signed Joshua J. Brady WI State Bar No. 1041428 P. O. Address: 413 N. 2nd Street, Suite 150 Milwaukee, WI 53203 Telephone: (414) 271-5400 Published March 14, 21 & 28, 2024 WNAXLP

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# 2023 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

## New London Utilities • New London Waterworks • PWS ID: 46903989

The New London Utility Commission and Utility Management respectfully submit our Annual Water Quality Report covering the period January 1st, 2023 to December 31st, 2023. Este informe contiene información importante acerca de su agua potable. Haga que alguien lo traduzca para usted, o hable con alguien que lo entienda.

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This report is designed to inform you about the quality of the water and services we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. We want you to understand the efforts we make to continually improve the water treatment process and protect our water resources. We are committed to ensuring the quality of your water.

New London's water system now consists of three separate pressure zones, seven wells, three water towers, two booster stations, and two control valve stations. The water system is operated by a computer driven system called a SCADA. The high level pressure zone is located south of Cook Street from the west end of the city to Division Street, and south of Douglas Street. The primary pressure zone is everything north of Cook and Douglas Streets, and east of Mill Street including all parts of the city north of the Wolf River up to Jeanne St. The third zone is everything north of Jeanne St. A third zone has been established for the new Northeast New London Business Center. The three zones are made up of the following equipment:

#### **High Level Pressure Zone**

WELL	LOCATION	AQUIFER TYPE	SOURCE TYPE	DEPTH
Well #2	Wyman Street	Sand and Gravel	Groundwater	170 FT
Well #3	Beacon Street	Sand and Gravel	Groundwater	127 FT
Well #8	Oshkosh Street	Sand and Gravel	Groundwater	165 FT
Floral Hill W	ater Tower (400,000 gallon)/0	Control Valve B		

#### **Primary Pressure Zone**

WELL	LOCATION	AQUIFER TYPE	SOURCE TYPE	DEPTH
Well #1	Jeanne Street	Sand and Gravel	Groundwater	118 FT
Well #5	Douglas Street	Sand and Gravel	Groundwater	152 FT
Well #6	Industrial Park	Sand and Gravel	Groundwater	128 FT
Well #7	Mosquito Hill	Cambrian Sandstone	Groundwater	285 FT
Industrial Parl	k Water Tower (300,000 ga	Illon)/Beckert Booster Pump		

#### North Pressure Zone

North Booster Pump/Control Valve C/North Industrial Water Tower (500,000 gallon)

New London's three pressure zones are operated independently, and also have the capability of transferring water between zones in either direction. For a summary of the source water assessment please contact, Michael Pinch at (920) 982-8516.

#### **Detected Contaminants**

Your water was tested for many contaminants last year. We are allowed to monitor for some contaminants less frequently than once a year. The following tables list only those contaminants which were detected in your water. If a contaminant was detected last year, it will appear in the following tables without a sample date. If the contaminant was not monitored last year, but was detected within the last 5 years, it will appear in the tables below along with the sample date.

#### **Disinfection Byproducts**

Contaminant (units)	Site	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
TTHM (ppb)	D-10	80	0	5.2	5.2		No	By-product of drinking water chlorination
HAA5 (ppb)	D-17	60	60	2	2		No	By-product of drinking water chlorination

#### **Inorganic Contaminants**

Contaminant (units)	Site	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
ARSENIC (ppb)		10	n/a	9	0 - 9		No	Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; Runoff from glass and electronics production wastes
BARIUM (ppm)		2	2	0.078	0.023 - 0.078		No	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits
FLUORIDE (ppm)		4	4	1.0	0.1 - 1.0		No	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
NICKEL (ppb)		100		2.9000	0.0000 - 2.9000		No	Nickel occurs naturally in soils, ground water and surface waters and is often used in electroplating, stainless steel and alloy products.
NITRATE (N03-N) (ppm)		10	10	3.40	0.00 - 3.40		No	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits
SELENIUM (ppb)		50	50	1	0 - 1		No	Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from mines
SODIUM (ppm)		n/a	n/a	54.00	4.70 - 54.00		No	n/a

Contaminant (units)	Action Level	MCLG	90th Percentile Level Found	# of Results	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
COPPER (ppm)	AL=1.3	1.3	0.0780	0 of 20 results were above the action level.	8/11/2020	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives
LEAD (ppb)	AL=15	0	13.00	1 of 20 results were above the action level.	8/11/2020	No	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural denosits

#### PFAS Contaminants with a Recommended Health Advisory Level

Perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) are a large group of human-made chemicals that have been used in industry and consumer products worldwide since the 1950. The following table list PFAS contaminants which were detected in your water and that have a Recommended Public Health Groundwater Standard (RPHGS) or Health Advisory Level (HAL). There are no violations for detections of contaminants that exceed the RPHGS or HAL. The RPHGS are levels at which concentrations of the contaminant present a health risk and are based on guidance provided by the Wisconsin Department of Health Services.

Typical Source of Contamina	Drinking water is one way that people can be exposed to PFAS. In Wisconsin, two-thirds of people use groundwater as their drinking water source. PFAS can get in groundwater from places that make use PFAS and release from consumer products in landfills.					
Contaminant (units)	Site	RPHGS or HAL (PPT)	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	
PFBS (ppt)		450000	1.20	0.00 - 1.20		
PFHXS (ppt)		40	1.10	0.00 - 1.10		
PFHXA (ppt)		150000	1.50	0.00 - 1.50		
PFOS (ppt)		20	0.54	0.00 - 0.54		
PFOA AND PFOS TOTAL (ppt)		20	0.54	0.00 - 0.54		

## PFOA AND PFOS TOTAL (ppt) 20 Radioactive Contaminants

Contaminant (units)	Site	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
GROSS ALPHA, EXCL. R & U (pCi/l)		15	0	0.2	0.0 - 0.2	7/27/2021	No	Erosion of natural deposits
COMBINED URANIUM (ug/l)		30	0	0.8	0.6 - 0.8	10/12/2021	No	Erosion of natural deposits

#### Contaminants with a Public Health Groundwater Standard, Health Advisory Level, or a

Secondary Maximum Contaminant Level

The following table lists contaminants which were detected in your water and that have either a Public Health Groundwater Standard (PHGS), Health Advisory Level (HAL), or a Secondary Maximum Contaminant Level (SMCL), or both. There are no violations for detections of contaminants that exceed Health Advisory Levels, Public Health Groundwater Standards or Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels. Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels are levels that do not present health concerns but may pose aesthetic problems such as objectionable taste, odor, or color. Public Health Groundwater Standards and Health Advisory Levels are levels at which concentrations of the contaminant present a health risk.

Contaminant (units)	Site	SMCL (ppm)	PHGS or HAL (ppm)	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	Typical Source of Contaminant
CHLORIDE (ppm)		250		110.00	8.70 - 110.00	8/26/2020	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits, road salt, water softeners
IRON (ppm)		0.3		0.20	0.00 - 0.20	8/26/2020	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits, industrial wastes
MANGANESE (ppm)		0.05	0.3	0.04	0.00 - 0.04	8/26/2020	Leaching from natural deposits
SULFATE (ppm)		250		86.00	14.00 - 86.00	8/26/2020	Runoff/leaching from natural deposits, industrial wastes

#### **Volatile Organic Contaminants**

Contaminant (units)	Site	MCL	MCLG	Level Found	Range	Sample Date (if prior to 2023)	Violation	Typical Source of Contaminant
TETRACHLOROETHYLENE (ppb)		5	0	0.6	0.0 - 0.6		No	Leaching from PVC pipes; Discharge from factories and dry cleaners
TRICHLOROETHYLENE (ppb)		5	0	0.2	0.0 - 0.2		No	Discharge from metal degreasing sites and other

#### **Unregulated Contaminants**

Unregulated contaminants are those for which EPA has not established drinking water standards. The purpose of unregulated contaminant monitoring is to assist EPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and whether future regulation is warranted. EPA required us to participate in this monitoring.

#### Definitions

Term	Definition						
AL	Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.						
HA and HAL	HA: Health Advisory. An estimate of acceptable drinking water levels for a chemical substance based on health effects information. HAL: Health Advisory Level is a concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, poses a health risk and may requir system to post a public notice. Health Advisories are determined by US EPA.						
HI	HI: Hazard Index: A Hazard Index is used to assess the potential health impacts associated with mixtures of contaminants. Hazard Index guidance for a class of contaminants or mixture of contaminants may be determined by the US EPA or Wisconsin Department of Health Services. If a Health Index is exceeded a system may be required to post a public notice.						
Level 1 Assessment	A Level 1 assessment is a study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine, if possible, why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system.						
Level 2 Assessment	A Level 2 assessment is a very detailed study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine, if possible, why an E. coli MCL violation has occurred or why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system, or both, on multiple occasions.						
MCL	Maximum Contaminant Level: The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.						
MCLG	Maximum Contaminant Level Goal: The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.						
MFL	million fibers per liter						
MRDL	Maximum residual disinfectant level: The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in dr water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for confine of microbial contaminants.						
MRDLG	Maximum residual disinfectant level goal: The level of a drinking water disinfectant be which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefit the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.						
mrem/year	millirems per year (a measure of radiation absorbed by the body)						
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units						
pCi/l	picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity)						
ppm	parts per million, or milligrams per liter (mg/l)						
ppb	parts per billion, or micrograms per liter (ug/l)						
ppt	parts per trillion, or nanograms per liter						
ppq	parts per quadrillion, or picograms per liter						
PHGS	PHGS: Public Health Groundwater Standards are found in NR 140 Groundwater Quality. The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, poses a health risk and may require a system to post a public notice.						
RPHGS	RPHGS: Recommended Public Health Groundwater Standards: Groundwater standards proposed by the Wisconsin Department of Health Services. The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, poses a health risk and may require a system to post a public notice.						
SMCL	Secondary drinking water standards or Secondary Maximum Contaminant Levels for contaminants that affect taste, odor, or appearance of the drinking water. The SMCLs do not represent health standards.						
TCR	Total Coliform Rule						
TT	Treatment Technique: A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.						

#### Additional Health Information

While your drinking water meets USEPA's standard for **arsenic**, it does contain low levels of arsenic. USEPA's standard balances the current understanding of arsenic's possible health effects against the costs of removing arsenic from drinking water. USEPA continues to research the health effects of low levels of arsenic, which is a mineral known to cause cancer in humans at high concentrations and is linked to other health effects such as skin damage and circulatory problems

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. New London Waterworks is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <a href="https://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead">www.epa.gov/safewater/lead</a>.

#### Health Information

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791).

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Environmental Protection Agency's safe drinking water hotline (800-426-4791).

#### Educational Information

The sources of drinking water, both tap water and bottled water, include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally- occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of
  industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff
  and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which shall provide the same protection for public health.

In our continuing efforts to maintain a safe and dependable water supply it may be necessary to make improvements in your water system. The costs of these improvements may be reflected in the rate structure. A rate adjustment was done in 2023.

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Thank you for allowing us to continue providing your family with clean, quality water this year. We at New London Waterworks work around the clock to provide top quality water to every tap. We ask that all our customers help us

protect our water sources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life and our children's future. If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Jason Bessette (Utility Manager) or Michael Pinch (Water Supervisor) at 920-982-8516. We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. You may also attend any of our regularly scheduled meetings which are held on the first and third Tuesday of every month at the utility's office at 8 a.m. **Note:** This year New London Utilities will **not** be mailing a copy of this report to each customer. If you would like a copy of this report, please stop down to the office

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#### 2090 Waupaca Area

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## Forbes' survey recognizes Sentry

STEVENS POINT -Sentry Insurance has again been recognized by Forbes as one of America's Best Midsize Employers.

In collaboration with analytics firm Statista, Forbes selected America's Best Employers for 2024 based on an independent survey of 170,000 American workers who were asked about every aspect of their employment experience. Sentry is one of 400 companies nationwide that made the list of Best Midsize employers, defined as companies with 1,000-5,000 employees.

This is the third time Sentry has made the Forbes America's Best Employers

'We don't actively seek these awards, and are extremely honored when we are recognized," said Pete McPartland, Sentry's chair and CEO. "I'm proud of our employees - both past and present - and the culture they've built at Sentry. Throughout our 120-year history, they've remained committed to serving our customers, our communities and each other. It's a great success story."

Sentry had another successful year in 2023. McPartland said this reflects a commitment by every employee to making thoughtful decisions every day, in

the best interest of policyholders and claimants, and the long-term success of the company.

"Credit also goes to our retirees for laying the foundation of operational and financial success, and for creating the value system that we adhere to today," he

#### Sentry's ranking

Sentry's ranking is based on personal and public evaluations that includes feedback from employees, friends and family of employees, and people who work in the same industry. Forbes' evaluation process analyzed survey data collect-

ed over the past three years to identify companies that have consistently received high ratings.

Sentry saw a balanced performance in all survey categories, according to Statista. Participants across the board recommended the company, which means it's held in equally high regard by its employees and by others in the insurance industry.

Founded in 1904, Sentry currently employees more than 4,900 people.

More information about the list of America's Best Midsize Employers 2024 can be found online at forbes.com.

## **Upcoming Waupaca library programs**

WAUPACA – Dr. Ivan Wayne will present "Fake is the Wrong Word: The Psychology of Professional Wrestling" at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, March 21, at the Waupaca Area Public Library.

According to Wayne, professional wrestling can be one of things people love, hate or completely forget exists. The world of sports entertainment blurs the line between fiction and reality with an idea coined "kayfabe."

This session will walk through the many psychological layers of pro wrestling, including "underselling," "heels," and getting "over" with a crowd.

The library will host "Let's Talk About That" at 4 p.m. Wednesday, March 20, in the lower-level Teen Room.

The group is led by teens and discusses topics that affect the daily lives of teens in grades 6-12.

A child and youth advocate from CAP Services will be available to talk with and provide resources.

The library will celebrate completion of a renovation project in the lower level Exhibit Room from 6-7:30 p.m. Monday, March 25.

Desserts and refreshments will be served. All ages are

The project was made possible by a donation from the Fran and Carole Vergauwen family.

In celebration of Women's History Month, Becky Liegl will discuss the lives of 18th-century women at 5 p.m. Tuesday, March 26, at the library. Liegl spent a week at the

George Washington Teacher Institute at Mount Vernon last summer and will share experience learning about Martha Washington and the lives of women during the 18th century. She uses primary sources and research from top female his-

torians. She will also discuss ways to engage young children through picture books.

Tim Lencki will be the guest speaker at a Lunch and Learn program at noon Wednesday, April 3, in the lower level of the library.

The owner of Adventure Outfitters, Lencki will talk about some adventures that can be found in Waupaca.

There is no charge for the event, but registration is required by going to https:// waupacalibrary.org/, clicking Events, then scrolling down to the Lunch and Learn information box, then clicking the reservation

## Markert joins Amherst clinic

**AMHERST** APRN. Markert, joined Aspirus Amherst Clinic as a full-time family medicine.

Markert provides care for all ages and is accepting new patients.

He takes a special interest in men's health, women's health, pediatric health, LGBTQIA+



Markert

health, addiction medicine and preventive medi-Markert earned a bach-

elor's degree in nursing from Lewis University in Romeoville, Illinois, and a master's degree in nursing from Concordia University in Mequon.

He is board certified by the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners.

In his free time, Markert enjoys kayaking, camping, hiking, boating, cooking, video gaming, exercise and karaoke.

To schedule an appointment with Markert at Aspirus Amherst Clinic, call 715-824-5151.

## **CANDIDATES**

What do you hope to accomplish in the future if you are elected mayor of

New London? **Herter:** If re-elected as your mayor, I would first like to continue to grow my relationship with you, the community, by being available 24/7 as I am now. I aim to keep the aggressive progress towards fixing and reconstruction of our roads and doing so with county

and state grants programs. With keeping that promise I made about our roads and to you in 2020. I will continue to be a member of those committees that delegate county, state and fed-

Ashton R. Tody, 21, Clin-

from custody on \$1,000

Shortly after 5 p.m. Fri-

day, March 1, Clintonville

police responded to a re-

port of gunfire in the area

of Anne and 15th streets.

When they arrived, all the

men involved in the shoot-

A witness reported see-

ing a man dressed in black

standing at the entrance to

Christus Lutheran Church

on Anne Street. He was ar-

guing with two men who

were standing at the corner

She said the man in the

church driveway pulled out

a gun and started firing.

of Anne and 15th streets.

ing had fled the scene.

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signature bonds.

eral funds as I am currently doing. Thus, insuring New London doesn't get left out on any grant money available as I have been successful so far.

I plan to continue talks at the Park and Recreation Committee to construct an archery range in the city.

I am currently researching the possibility of the DORA program here in New London. This could be a great thing for our downtown district as well as their clientele. Growth and development sets New London up to seek out more opportunities for grocery store and shopping entities.

With the positive direction NL is heading, I will aggressively seek to bring in those businesses to our community just like I did with Aldi and the strip mall north of the city where Drop n Go and Iotal Fitness opened. I aim to seek out restaurants like Culver's, In-n-Out burger and others, Also, continuing workforce development as all of this comes to fruition.

**Roberts:** I hope to get the most out of your tax dollars without over spending on unnecessary items that can be cut or tabled ndefinitely. For huge, extraordinary expenditures, I would like to ask the Council to declare that the people of New London should decide by referendum.

I support responsible

growth in New London, growth that benefits the people who have lived here for years. I want to see new jobs, aftordable housing and new businesses that will benefit old and new alike. We need growth ... But the right kind of growth, Growth that doesn't force current residents out of town because they can no longer afford to live here.

We want an affordable city. As your mayor, I want to make sure that the citizens of our fair city are heard and that decisions are made with their best interests in mind.

And most importantly, I want to make sure that our roads are finally fixed, without new or unnecessary

#### One of the other men fired back, according to the criminal complaint. All three

men fled the scene. tonville, is charged with The witness gave Clintonfirst-degree reckless endanville Police Officer Anthony germent as party to a crime Arrieta a nearby address on and disorderly conduct. Anne Street where she be-Both men were released lieved two of the men lived.

> Sgt. Matthew Wright went to the Anne Street address, where he spoke with Tody.

Wright told Tody about the shooting incident and asked to check his residence to ascertain that nobody had been injured.

Tody allowed Wright into his home and Wright did not find anybody else there, the complaint says. Meanwhile, Marion Po-

lice Officer Greg Dey found several spent bullet casings at the scene. Witnesses also provided a

description of a vehicle they believed was involved in the shooting.

A review of traffic safety camera images indicated that a gray Hyundai Sonata matching the description came into Clintonville on U.S. Highway 45 at 4:50

Clintonville Officer Cody Rollin conducted a records check on the vehicle's license plate and found that it belonged to Dismuke's girlfriend.

Records also showed that police made a traffic stop of the vehicle a few months earlier and Dismuke had been the driver.

Another witness told police that while she was taking a one-hour work break, she met with a friend, identified as Dismuke's girlfriend, and a man identified as Dismuke.

She was the front-seat passenger when Dismuke's girlfriend drove them to the church parking lot. Dismuke was sitting in the back seat next to his newborn daughter.

The witness said after the girlfriend parked the car, Dismuke exited the vehicle and was later involved in an argument with two other men. One of them allegedly pulled a gun and fired two shots at Dismuke, who fired one shot back at them. The witness told them to drive her back to work.

Calumet County deputies arrested Dismuke at his home in Menasha, where they found a 9mm hand-

Dismuke's account of the incident was similar to the account of the witness who had been in the car.

He has been charged with reckless endangerment for each of the three people who were in the car with

Tody denied being involved in the shooting.

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# Sports

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## Gorman named CWC-East's top boys' basketball player

**BY GREG SEUBERT** 

SPORTS EDITOR

REGION - Nathan Gorman's final season of high school basketball turned out to be a big one for the Little Wolf High School senior.

Besides leading the Manawa Wolves and Central Wisconsin Conference-East in scoring and rebounding, CWC-East coaches also named him the league's player of the year after he averaged 22.7 points, 13.1 rebounds and 2.2 assists per game.

Gorman is one of two unanimous first-team allconference selections and made the first team as a for-

Weyauwega-Fremont senior Brayden Arndt also made the first team as a guard.

The second team includes Iola-Scandinavia freshman Korz Loken, while the honorable mention team includes Weyauwega-Fremont junior guard Chris Gunst and Iola-Scandinavia freshman Alex Robbins.

Weyauwega-Fremont junior Olivia Witkowski made the girls' first team as a forward, while Manawa senior guard Marilyn Klatt made the second team and Iola-Scandinavia iunior forward McKenzie Bonikowske made the honorable mention team.

Central Wisconsin **Conference-East All-Conference Basketball Teams** 

#### **Boys First Team**

Guard: Race Anvelink, junior, Bonduel; Brayden Arndt, senior, Weyauwega-Fremont.

Point guard: Jett Rogowski\*, junior, Wittenberg-Birnamwood.

Forward: Nathan Gorman\*, senior, Manawa; Noah Weier, senior, Bonduel.

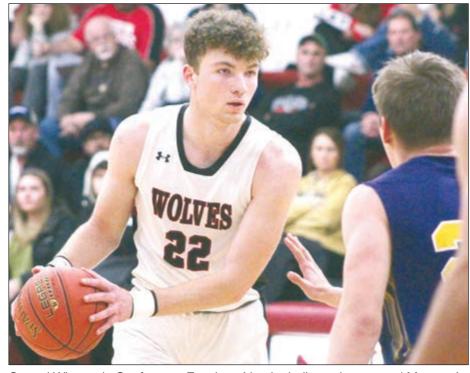
#### **Second Team**

Guard: Spencer Cohen, senior, Amherst; Bennett Schmidt, senior, Shiocton; Cody Young, junior, Shioc-

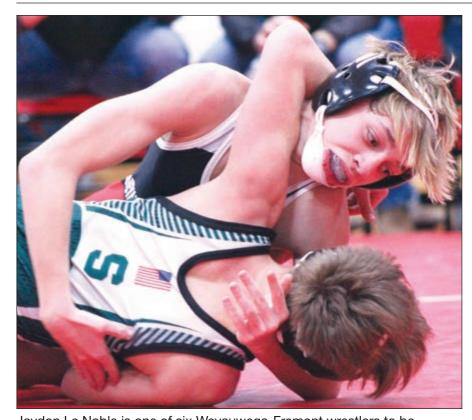
Center: Ryan Westrich, sophomore, Bonduel.

No position listed: Korz Loken, freshman, Iola-Scandinavia.

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Central Wisconsin Conference-East boys' basketball coaches named Manawa's Nathan Gorman the league's player of the year after he led the Wolves and the conference in points and rebounds per game. Greg Seubert Photo



Jaydon Le Noble is one of six Weyauwega-Fremont wrestlers to be named to the Central Wisconsin Conference all-conference first team after winning the 106-pound weight class in February at the conference Greg Seubert Photo tournament in Shiocton.

## Warhawks place 10 wrestlers on CWC all-conference teams

SPORTS EDITOR

REGION - Ten Weyauwega-Fremont wrestlers earned a spot on the Central Wisconsin Conference all-conference teams based on their place at the CWC meet, held Feb. 3 at Shiocton High School.

First-place finishers in each weight class made the first team, second-place finishers are on the second team and the honorable mention team includes third-place finishers.

Weyauwega-Fremont wrestlers on the first team are freshmen Jaydon Le Noble (106), Josue Azuara (113) and Carter Birdyshaw (132); juniors Connor Johnson (157) and Carter McDaniel (165); and senior Vanden Hoffman (285).

Junior Tellyer Alix made the second team at 195.

Wrestlers on the honorable mention team include sophomore Rylan Konen (120), freshman Jake Buss

(126) and junior Ezra Balthazor (138).

#### Central **Wisconsin** Conference **All-Conference Wrestling Teams**

106: Jaydon Le Noble, Weyauwegafreshman, Fremont; Holdyn Volkman, freshman, Shiocton; Dalton Fletcher, freshman, Wittenberg-Birnamwood.

113: Josue Azuara, fresh-Weyauwega-Fremont; Bo Davis, freshman, Wittenberg-Birnamwood; Michael Peters, sophomore, Menominee Indian.

120: Mason Demerath, sophomore, Shiocton; Braxton Olson, freshman, Wittenberg-Birnamwood; Rylan Konen, sophomore, Weyauwega-Fremont.

126: Izaiah Sanchez, sophomore, Shiocton; Easton Davis, junior, Wittenberg-Birnamwood; Jake Buss, freshman, Weyauwega-Fremont.

132: Carter Birdyshaw, Weyauwegafreshman, Fremont; Jackson Young, sophomore, Shiocton; Cayden Weis, senior, Tri-County.

138: Ben Miller, sophomore, Wittenberg-Birnamwood; Zach Reif, sophomore, Shiocton; Ezra Balthazor, junior, Weyauwega-Fremont.

144: Jordan Jahnke, junior, Shiocton; Otto Anglemyer, sophomore, Amherst; Matthew Walenta, junior, Bonduel.

150: Blake Carton, junior, Shiocton; Andres Sanchez, senior, Wittenberg-Birnamwood; Colin Fischer, junior, Bonduel.

157: Connor Johnson, Weyauwega-Frejunior, mont; Jose Lagunes, junior, Bonduel; Matt Wilke, junior, Shiocton.

165: Carter McDaniel, junior, Weyauwega-Fremont; Isaiah Carton, junior, Shiocton; Nasiah

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# Waupaca High School Spring Sports Schedules

#### Baseball

Tuesday, April 2 – at Little Chute, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 4 - vs. New London, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, April 6 - vs. Little Chute at Capital Credit Union Park, Appleton, 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 9 - vs. Oconto Falls, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 11 - at Oconto Falls, 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 15 - at Marinette, 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 16 - vs. Marinette, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, April 20 - vs. Markesan, Laconia, Ripon (DH), 10 a.m.; at Freedom (DH), 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 23 - at Luxemburg-Casco, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 25 - vs. Lux-

emburg-Casco, 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 2 - at Wright-

Tuesday, April 30 - vs.

Wrightstown, 4:30 p.m.

stown, 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 3 - vs. Denmark, 4:30 p.m. Monday, May 6 - at Denmark, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, May 11 - vs. Clintonville (DH), 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 14 - vs. Fox Valley Lutheran, 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 17 - at Fox Valley Lutheran, 4:30 p.m. Monday, May 20 - vs. Mosinee at Athletic Park, Wausau, 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 21 - at Wittenberg-Birnamwood, 4:30 p.m.

#### Softball

Friday, March 22 - at Rhinelander Tournament, Hodag Dome, 1 p.m. Saturday, March 23 - at Rhinelander Tournament, Hodag Dome, 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, April 2 – at Oconto Falls, 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 4 - vs. Fox Valley Lutheran, 4:30 p.m. Friday, April 5 - vs. Antigo, 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 8 - at Little Chute, 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 11 - vs. Luxemburg-Casco, 4:30 p.m. Friday, April 12 - at Clintonville, 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 15 - vs. Denmark, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 18 – vs. Wrightstown, 4:30 p.m. Friday, April 19 - at Freedom, 4:30 p.m.

Monday, April 22 – at Marinette, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 25 - vs. Oconto Falls, 4:30 p.m. Friday, April 26 - at Fox Valley Lutheran, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 2 - vs. Clintonville, 4:30 p.m.

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## Clintonville High School Spring Sports Schedules

Baseball Tuesday, April 2 - at Wrightstown, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 4 - at Oconto, Saturday, April 6 - vs. Wrightstown at Capital Credit Union Park, Appleton, 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 9 - vs. Fox Valley Lutheran, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 11 - at Fox Valley Lutheran, 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 15 - at Little Chute, 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 16 - vs. Little Chute, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, April 20 - vs. Oconto Falls (DH), 10 a.m. Tuesday, April 23 - at Marinette, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 25 - vs. Marinette, 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 30 - vs. Freedom, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 2 - at Freedom, 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 3 - at Luxemburg-Casco, 4:30 p.m. Monday, May 6 - vs. Luxemburg-Casco, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 9 - vs. Mosinee, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, May 11 - at Waupaca (DH), 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 14 - at Denmark, 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 17 - vs. Denmark, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, May 18 - vs. Gibraltar at Washington Island, 11 a.m. Monday, May 20 - vs. Shawano, 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 21 - vs. New

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#### Track

Thursday, March 14 - at **UW-Oshkosh Invitational** (indoor meet, boys only), 4:45 p.m. Tuesday, March 19 - at UW-Oshkosh Invitational (indoor meet, girls only), 4:45 p.m. Tuesday, April 9 - North Eastern meet vs. Denmark. Fox Valley Lutheran, Marinette, Wrightstown at Denmark, 4 p.m. Saturday, April 13 - Waupaca County Meet vs. . Waupaca, Iola-Scandinavia, Manawa, New London, Weyauwega-Fremont and Marion at Waupaca, 9 a.m. Tuesday, April 16 - North Eastern meet vs. Denmark, Freedom, Luxemburg-Casco, Oconto Falls, 4 p.m. Thursday, April 25 - at Ripon Invitational, 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 30 - North Eastern meet vs. Freedom. Denmark, Waupaca, Little Chute at Freedom, 4 p.m. Thursday, May 2 - at Seymour Invitational, 3 p.m. Friday, May 10 - North Eastern Conference meet at Luxemburg-Casco, 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 14 - North Eastern Conference JV meet at Marinette, 3:30 p.m.

Clintonville Schedule CONTINUES ON PAGE 16

## Almond-Bancroft boys two wins away from first state title

**BY GREG SEUBERT** SPORTS EDITOR

ALMOND – The most successful season in the history of the Almond-Bancroft boys' basketball program is still going strong.

The Eagles are one of four teams that will play for a WIAA Division 5 state championship in Madison. Almond-Bancroft received a No. 2 seed and will face third-seeded Abundant Life Christian at approximately 11 a.m. Friday, March 15, at the Kohl Center.

Top-seeded Columbus Catholic will face No. 4 Solon Springs in the other semifinal game and the winners will play for a state championship at 11:05 a.m. Saturday, March 16.

Almond Bancroft improved to 27-1 on the season with sectional wins over Three Lakes and Reedsville.

A-B 64, Three Lakes 52

WESTON – The Eagles kept their season alive with a sectional semifinal win over the Bluejays March 7 at D.C. Everest High School.

Almond-Bancroft 26-17 at halftime and outscored Three Lakes 38-35 in the second half.

Ayden Phillips led the Eagles with 21 points, while Brody Dernbach and Emmitt Stiles added 12 each and TJ Lamb finished with 11.

#### A-B 70, Reedsville 57 HORTONVILLE - A

London, 4:30 p.m.

pair of No. 1 seeds met March 9 at Hortonville High School. The Eagles took a 31-28

lead into the locker room at halftime before outscoring the Panthers 39-39 over the final 18 minutes.

Reedsville cut the lead to 56-52 with four minutes to go, but never got any closer. Dernbach's basket gave the Eagles a 62-52 lead with 2:30 remaining and Almond-Bancroft scored six of its final eight points from the free-throw line.

Tuesday, May 7 - at Freedom,

stown, 4:30 p.m.

Lamb led four Almond-Bancroft players in double figures with 17 points. Phillips, Clarence Pratt and Stiles added 15, 14 and 10, respectively.

Ben Prochnow led Reeds-

ville with 17 points. The trip to state is the first for Curt Lamb in his 25th

season as the team's coach.

"I don't have the words right now," he said. "I feel like I'm going to cry and all that stuff, but I'm just so proud of these guys. They just kept battling all year, put the work in and kept their composure when we

"I'm just so happy for our community, our school, all the former players," he added. "I wish I could take them all down there (to Madison). They built this."

CLINTONVILLE

Several Clintonville

Youth Wrestling Club

wrestlers placed a recent

tournaments in Seymour

Seymour March 10 and

Wrestlers headed to

Six wrestlers placed in

Seymour: Braxton Maas

(second); Caden Maas

(third); and Kaysen Lo-

berg, Aidan Lamberg,

Alivia Lamberg and Da-

Stanley Thiel, Alivia

Lamberg, Peters, Brax-

ton Maas, Asher McAuly,

Mickey Gerhard, Corbin

Malliet, Aidan Lamberg

and Caden Maas also

competed at the De Pere

weight class by winning

all three of his matches,

while Thiel placed third.

Asher McAuly (second

from left) of Clintonville

won his weight class

March 2 at a youth wrestling tournament

in De Pere.

Redbird Roundup.

McAuly won

mian Peters (fourth).

and De Pere.

De Pere March 2.

## Parks, Recreation

#### Clintonville Women's Pool League

Division 1

Final standings (wins): Sticky Buns (156); Big Falls Tavern (117); Bun's Pocket Rockets (113); D's Corner Pocket (95); Club 45 (93); Mike's Saloon (81); Jeanne Rose 1 (75); Racks & Rails (74).

#### Division 2

Final standings (wins): Gopher's (166); Lowell's Landing (136); Jeanne Rose 2 (134); Bun's Ball Busters (132); Bun's 1 (100); Suzy Q's (98); Bump's (88); Philagain's (86); Big Sal's (56).

8 ball break: Candi Radcliffe,

D's Corner Pocket March 13 playoff pairings: D's Corner Pocket at Sticky Bun's; Bun's Pocket Rockets at Big Falls Tavern; Bun's Ball Busters at Gopher's; Jeanne Rose 2 at Lowell's Landing.

#### Clintonville Volleyball Leagues

Men: Rodents, 31-2; Isaiah Holbrook's Team, 29-7; Benjamin Holbrook's Team, 16-20; All Phases Electric, 15-24; Armoured Fencing, 11-22; G-Force, 3-30.

March 5 results: Armoured Fencing 2, All Phases Electric 1; Rodents 3, All Phases Electric 0; Rodents 3, G-Force 0; Isaiah Holbroook's

Team defeated Benjamin Holbrook's Team 2-1 with 73-67 points and @ 7:35 p.m. Benjamin Holbrook's Team defeated Armoured Fencing 3-0 with 75-59 points.

Women: Carmen Henschel's Team, 31-2; Blazers Bar & Grill, 29-4; Kerry Baird's Team, 15-18; Katie Holbrook's Team, 14-19; Serves of Steel, 11-19; Country Queens, 9-24; Hannah Armour's Team, 5-28.

March 4 results: Carmen Henschel's Team 3, Country Queens 0; Kerry Baird's Team 3, Hannah Armour's Team 0; Kerry Baird's Team 3, Katie Holbrook's Team 0: Blazers Bar & Grill 3, Katie Holbrook's Team 0: Blazers Bar & Grill 3. Serves of Steel 0.

vitational at Mascoutin Golf

#### WAUPACA **SCHEDULE** Friday, May 3 - vs. Marinette,

4:30 p.m. . Monday, May 6 - at Denmark, 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 7 - at Wrightstown, 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 10 - vs. Freedom, Saturday, May 11 - vs. Iola-

Scandinavia, Marathon at Monday, May 13 - at Med-Tuesday, May 14 - vs. Win-

neconne, 4:30 p.m.

#### Track

Thursday, March 14 - at Ripon Invitational (indoor meet, boys only), 4 p.m. Tuesday, March 26 - at Merrill Invitational (indoor meet, boys only), 4:15 p.m. Thursday, March 28 - at Merrill Invitational (indoor meet, girls only), 4:15 p.m. Tuesday, April 9 – North Eastern meet vs. Freedom, Little Chute, Luxemburg-Casco, Oconto Falls, 4 p.m. Saturday, April 13 - Waupaca County Meet vs. Waupaca, Iola-Scandinavia, Manawa, New London, Weyauwega-Fremont and Marion, 9 a.m. Tuesday, April 16 – North Eastern meet vs. Wrightstown, Fox Valley Lutheran, Little Chute, Marinette at Wrightstown, 4 p.m. Saturday, April 20 - at Little Chute Invitational, 10 a.m. Tuesday, April 23 - North Eastern meet vs. Little Chute, Clintonville, Denmark,

Luxemburg-Casco at Little Tuesday, April 30 - North Eastern meet vs. Freedom, Clintonville, Denmark, Little Chute at Freedom, 4 p.m. Thursday, May 2 - Waupaca Invitational, 4 p.m. Monday, May 6 - at Weyauwega-Fremont Invitational,

Friday, May 10 - North Eastern Conference meet at Luxemburg-Casco, 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 14 - North Eastern Conference JV meet at Marinette, 3:30 p.m.

Boys' Golf Monday, April 1 - North Eastern Conference meet at Twin Oaks Golf Course, Denmark,

Tuesday, April 9 - North Eastern Conference meet at Irish Waters Golf Club, Freedom,

Thursday, April 11 - Lourdes Academy Invitational at Lake Breeze Golf Club, Winneconne, 10 a.m. Tuesday, April 16 - North Eastern Conference meet at Northbrook Golf Course, Luxemburg, 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 24 - North Eastern Conference invitational at Whistling Straits, Sheboygan, TBA Tuesday, April 30 - North Eastern Conference meet at Little River Country Club, Marinette, 10 a.m. Thursday, May 2 - Seymour Invitational at Crystal Springs Golf Course, Seymour, 9 a.m.; North Eastern Conference

Club, Berlin, 9 a.m. Monday, May 13 - North Eastern Conference triangular vs. Wrightstown, Freedom at Hilly Haven Golf Course, De Pere, 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 15 - North Eastern Conference tournament at Brown County Golf Course, Hobart, 9 a.m.

#### Girls' Soccer

Thursday, March 28 - at. St. Mary Catholic, 5 p.m. Tuesday, April 2 - at Medford,

Thursday, April 4 - vs. Antigo, 6 p.m. . Monday, April 8 - vs. Lourdes Academy, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 9 - at Rhinelander, 7 p.m. Thursday, April 11 - at Marinette, 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 15 - vs.

Mosinee, 6:30 p.m. Saturday, April 20 - at Shawano, noon Monday, April 22 - vs. Freedom, 6:30 p.m. Thursday, April 25 - at Den-

mark, 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 3 - vs. Wrightstown, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 7 - at Fox Valley Lutheran, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 9 - vs. Little Chute, 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 11 - Waupaca Invitational, 9 a.m. Tuesday, May 14 - at Clintonville, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 16 - vs. Luxemburg-Casco, 6:30 p.m.

Friday, May 17 - vs. Berlin, • NOTE: All dates, times and

#### Monday, May 6 - Berlin Inopponents subject to change. Bay, 4:30 p.m.

#### **CLINTONVILLE SCHEDULE** FROM PAGE 15

Boys' Golf

Monday, April 1 - North Eastern Conference meet at Twin Oaks Golf Course, Denmark,

Tuesday, April 9 - North Eastern Conference meet at Irish Vaters Golf Club, Freedom, 10 a.m.

Tuesday, April 16 - North Eastern Conference meet at Northbrook Golf Course, Luxemburg, 10 a.m. Monday, April 22 - at New London Invitational, Sham-

10 a.m. Wednesday, April 24 - North Eastern Conference invitational at Whistling Straits, Sheboygan, TBA Tuesday, April 30 - North

**BASKETBALL** 

Honorable Mention

nior, Weyauwega-Fremont.

gelofsky, senior, Bonduel.

futh, senior, Amherst.

Scandinavia.

selection.

Guard: Chris Gunst, ju-

Point guard: Colin Mar-

Guard/forward: Jaren Al-

Guard/small forward: Ke-

No position listed: Alex

\* - Denotes unanimous

Girls First Team Guard: Ella Hischke,

**WRESTLING** 

Holland, senior, Amherst.

175: Bryson Schmid, soph-

omore, Wittenberg-Birnam-

wood; Israel Sanchez, senior,

Shiocton; Keegan O'Donnell,

Schulfer & Associates ...

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Robbins, freshman, Iola-

new Awonohopay, sopho-

more, Menominee Indian.

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rock Heights Golf Course,

Eastern Conference meet at Little River Country Club, Marinette, 10 a.m. Thursday, May 2 - North Eastern Conference meet at River Island Golf Club, Oconto Falls, 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 15 - North Eastern Conference tournament at Brown County Golf Course, Hobart, 9 a.m.

meet at River Island Golf

Club, Oconto Falls, 10 a.m.

#### Girls' Soccer

Tuesday, April 2 – at Amherst, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 4 - at Campbellsport, 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 8 - at Wautoma, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 11 - vs. Denmark, 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 15 - at New London, 6:30 p.m. Thursday, April 18 - at Wrightstown, 4:30 p.m. Friday, April 19 - vs. Sturgeon

senior, Bonduel; Rory Sal-

vesen, sophomore, Witten-

Forward: Melaina Gran-

quist, sophomore, Witten-

berg-Birnamwood; Olivia

Witkowski, junior, Weyau-

wega-Fremont; Scout Spa-

Guard: Marilyn Klatt,

senior, Manawa; Ayanna

Smith, senior, Menominee

Indian; Urijah Reevis, soph-

omore, Menominee Indian.

Thompson, senior, Bon-

Zernicke, senior, Bonduel.

Forward/center: Hailey

190: Ilijah Sanchez, junior,

Shiocton; Tellyer Alix, junior,

Weyauwega-Fremont; Nathan

Waupekenay, senior, Witten-

215; Owen Schultz, senior,

1417 Main Street. Stevens Point, WI 54481

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Email: louann.schulfer@lpl.com

Wittenberg-Birnamwood;

guard: Hailee

doni, senior, Amherst.

**Second Team** 

Point

junior, Rosholt.

berg-Birnamwood.

berg-Birnamwood.

Tuesday, April 23 - at Peshti-Thursday, April 25 - at Little Chute, 6:30 p.m. Monday, April 29 - vs. Sevastopol, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 2 - at Mosinee, 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 7 - vs. Luxemburg-Casco, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 9 - at Marinette, 6:30 p.m. Friday, May 10 - at NEW Lutheran, 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 14 - vs. Waupaca, 4:30 p.m. Thursday, May 16 - at Freedom, 4:30 p.m. Monday, May 20 - at Berlin, 4:45 p.m. Tuesday, May 21 - vs. Crandon, 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 24 - at Ripon,

• NOTE: All dates, times and opponents subject to change.

4:30 p.m.

### Honorable Mention

nior, Shiocton; Faith Resch, iunior, Wittenberg-Birnamwood; Tatum Maves, senior,

Weier, junior, Bonduel.

Forward: Sydney Ritchie, senior, Shiocton; McKenzie Bonikowske, junior, Iola-

Players of the year: Na-Gorman, senior, than Manawa (boys); Rory Salvesen, sophomore, Witten-

Coach of the year: Duke Copp, Bonduel (boys); Jerry

Guard: Alexis Garcia, se-

Guard/forward: Audrey

Scandinavia.

berg-Birnamwood (girls).

Reinke, Bonduel (girls).

Magnus Hilgers, junior, Ro-

sholt; Brad Neve, senior, Pitts-

senior, Weyauwega-Fremont:

Caden Behselich, junior, Pitts-

ville; Owen Carlson, junior,

Shiocton.

Vanden Hoffman,

Amherst.

# Spring hike scheduled

WAUPACA – A celebration of the spring equinox will be held Saturday, March 23, at Hartman Creek State Park.

The Friends of Hartman Creek State Park are organizing the event, which will include a hike from 1

p.m. to 2:30 p.m. on the parks' Deer Path Trail. Hikers will look for clues

that spring has arrived. Participants should meet

at the Allen Lake Picnic Shelter and dress for weather conditions and perhaps a muddy trail. All

ages are welcome, but the trail is narrow and has a few small hills. The event is free and

open to the public, but a state park pass is required to enter the park, which is located at N2480 Hartman Creek Road, Waupaca.

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Wrestlers place at tournaments

Six Clintonville Youth Wrestling Club members placed March 10 at a tournament in Seymour. They include Kaysen Loberg (fourth), Caden Maas (third), Aidan Lamberg (fourth), Braxton Maas (second) and Alivia Lamberg (fourth). Not pictured in Damian Peters, who placed fourth. Submitted Photos



## Egg My House / Registration Form Egg Delivery Address Best phone number to reach you Circle the number of eggs you would like delivered: 25 eggs for \$25 35 eggs for \$30 Orders and Payment due by Friday, March 22nd The above form can be used to place an order for the lola-Scandinavia

softball team's annual Egg My House fundraiser. Completed forms and payment should be returned to the Iola-Scandinavia High School or Iola-Scandinavia Elementary School offices by Friday, March 22. Checks should be made payable to Iola-Scandinavia Schools-Softball.

#### I-S softball team plans egg fundraiser la-Scandinavia Elementary comes a factor.

IOLA - The Iola-Scandinavia softball team will hold its annual Egg My House Easter egg hunt fundraiser.

This year's event will be held the evening of Saturday, March 30, the day before Easter.

"We will be taking orders through Friday, March 22," coach Tom Anderson said. "Most of our deliveries are in the Iola and Scandinavia areas, but we have also delivered to Waupaca, Amherst and Stevens Point. We do have a 30mile limit."

Players will deliver eggs even if the weather be"We will still deliver the

eggs, but we will put all the eggs in a plastic bag and put the bag near the front door," Anderson said. "Also, we would be happy to take your plastic eggs back after Easter. Return them to the elementary or high school offices."

The cost is \$25 for 25 eggs or \$30 for 35 eggs.

Last year, the team visited just over 45 houses and

hid more than 1,500 eggs. Orders can be placed by completing a registration form and returning with payment to the Iola-ScanSchool offices. Forms can also be emailed

to Anderson at andersont@ iola.k12.wi.us or leaving a voice message with him at 715-445-2411, ext. 5000.

"This is a great teambuilding experience for the girls and they love it," Anderson said. "We enjoy packing the eggs with candy, but the real fun is to venture out and deliver the eggs There is the thrill of sneaking into someone's yard and trying to stay quiet while staying out of sight. They all wear bunny ears just in case little eyes are peeking out the window."

## Timber Ratters to help softball team

dinavia High School or Io-

IOLA - Iola-Scandinavia High School's softball team and the Wisconsin Timber Rattlers are joining forces to help raise money for the softball team.

The Timber Rattlers, an Appleton-based Minor League baseball team, will play the Peoria Chiefs at 1:10 p.m. Saturday, April 6, at Fox Cities Stadium in Grand Chute.

Prior to the game, Iola-Scandinavia assistant softball coach Brooke Manley will participate in a Dash for Cash event on the field.

The Thunderbirds will earn \$3 for every ticket sold through a special Iola-Scandinavia softball link: fevo-enterprise.com/event/ Iolascandinavia24.

'The softball team is

inviting all community members, friends and families of the team to join us in the fun-filled day cheering on coach Manley and the Timber Rattlers," coach Tom Anderson said.

The T-Birds, the defending WIAA Division 4 state champion, are scheduled to open their season at 4:30 p.m. Monday, April 1, at home against Manawa.