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Soldiers of the 432nd Civil Affairs Battalion (CA BN) render honors with the playing of the National Anthem on Saturday, June 8, at Lambeau Field, during an Army battalion change of command ceremony and homecoming celebration. The event recognized Lieutenant Colonel Andrew Prewitt and welcomed the new commander, Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Brady, and celebrated the soldiers of Alpha Company and their safe return home from mobilization. See more photos inside on page 4.
John Craemer photo

Slate set for Wisconsin Senate and Assembly races

BY DUKE BEHNKE
NEW NEWS LAB

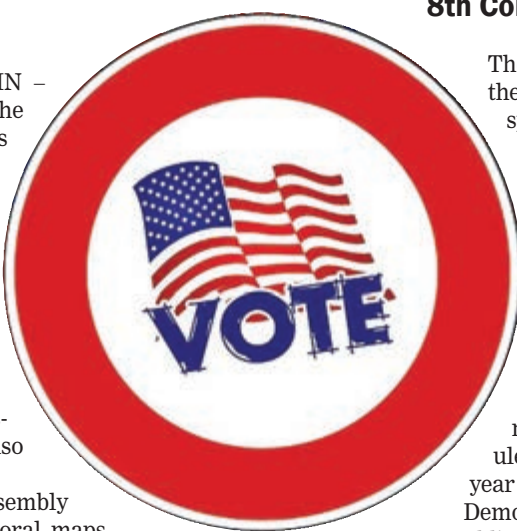
NORTHEAST WISCONSIN – The slate of candidates for the fall elections in Wisconsin is coming into focus.

The partisan elections cover the offices of the U.S. president, U.S. Senate, U.S. House, Wisconsin Senate (even-numbered districts) and Wisconsin Assembly.

County offices such as district attorney, clerk, register of deeds and treasurer also are at stake.

The state Senate and Assembly races will reflect new electoral maps that were signed into law by Gov. Tony Evers.

The deadline to file nomination papers was June 3 at 5 p.m.



8th Congressional District (two-year term)

The candidates will appear on the ballot twice — once for a special election to serve out the remaining two months of Mike Gallagher's term and once for the regularly scheduled election.

Gallagher, R-Green Bay, departed in April and didn't seek reelection.

The winner of the special election will serve until Jan. 3, after which the winner of the regularly scheduled election will serve a two-year term.

Democrat: Kristin Lyerly

Republicans: Andre Jacque, Roger Roth and Tony Wied. A primary election will be held Aug. 13 to narrow the field to one candidate.

See **ELECTION** page 9

New North Summit features leaps, leaders and legacies

BY KAITY COISMAN
CONTRIBUTING EDITOR

NORTHEAST WISCONSIN – The theme “Leaps, Leaders and Legacies” packed the Lambeau Field Atrium for the New North Summit on June 6.

New North region encapsulates 18 counties, including Brown, Calumet, Door, Florence, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Marinette, Marquette, Menominee, Oconto, Outagamie, Shawano, Sheboygan, Waupaca, Waushara and Winnebago.

Co-chairs Michelle Schuler, Sachin Shivaram and Mary Goggans opened the event with a recap of New North programs, business advancements and community highlights.

Goggans said this included 51 local projects and brought over \$23 million in investment and leveraged over \$346 million in personal and private investment as well as supported over 4,200 jobs in the region.

Another standout project was Environmental Social Governance (ESG), run by Goggans, which gathered like-minded people to brainstorm about sustainability and social inclusion in the area.

Goggans said this also includes expanding diversity, equity and inclusion (DEI) initiatives to support these communities and bring them to northeast Wisconsin.

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City of Green Bay receives energy outreach funding

BY EVA WESTEIN
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

GREEN BAY – The city of Green Bay recently received \$159,610 from the U.S. Department of Energy's Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program (EECBG).

These grants are meant to support local government's efforts to improve energy efficiency and lower carbon emissions.

The city of Green Bay will be using the grant money to hire an outreach and engagement specialist, called the clean energy connector, to lead an electrification and energy efficiency outreach campaign.

In this role, the specialist will develop a strategy and outreach materials to implement the Clean Energy Green Bay Plan, which is an initiative meant to promote equitable access to renewable energy in the community.

Action items from this plan include providing technical assistance to residents on best energy practices and available incentives for home electrification and energy efficiency upgrades.

Green Bay will also informally collaborate with the Oneida Nation to provide tribal members with tailored resources on utilizing the Inflation Reduction Act's Home Energy Rebates Programs.



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Kris Leonhardt photo

This will also be executed through the role of the clean energy connector, who will focus on doing outreach with members of the Oneida Nation and citizens of Green Bay to unite their already similar energy goals.

"To have a person dedicated to do outreach with the community to help the community understand all of the different financial benefits that are coming through with the Inflation Reduction Act...it's a big opportunity to be able to have an additional staff person being able to focus on that," said city of Green Bay Resiliency Coordinator Melissa Schmitz.

The Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program is a \$550-million program that was initially authorized in 2007 and first appropri-

ated by Congress in 2009 under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

Now this program has been funded for a second time by Congress through the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law.

There are 2,708 eligible state, local and tribal governments spread across the country that are eligible to receive portions of the grant money.

As the largest clean energy grant program at the Department of Energy (DOE) in terms of the number of eligible entities, the EECBG Program holds an important role in community outreach.

"What EECBG provides is a formal touch point with these communities allows us to engage formally with them and make connections to other opportunities throughout the Department of Energy," said EECBG Program Project Manager Adam Guzzo.

The program's reach provides communities with easy access to other opportunities within the DOE.

In Wisconsin, there are 34 local governments and 11 local tribes that are eligible to receive a grant.

However, only Green Bay and two other cities have been awarded funds.

Additionally, the state of Wisconsin is required to sub-grant at least 60% of its funds out to local

Packers Family Night is Aug. 3

BY PRESS TIMES STAFF

GREEN BAY – The Green Bay Packers will hold their 23rd Packers Family Night on Saturday, Aug. 3, at Lambeau Field.

This year's format will once again be a full practice for the team.

"The evening remains family-focused and will feature a game-like atmosphere, featuring a thunderstick giveaway courtesy of Bellin Health, Pick 'n' Save and Metro Market, Sargento and Walbec Group, use of the video boards featuring promotions by Scheels, TDS and other partners, game-day music and a fireworks show presented by Ticketmaster at the end of the night. New this year, families attending can look forward to more kid-favorite food items at select concession stands, with specific menu items and their locations to be announced as the event approaches," a Packers release stated.

"New this year, fans must purchase a mobile parking pass in advance to park in the Lambeau Field parking lots for Family Night. Mobile parking passes are available at checkout when purchasing tickets for Family Night via



The Green Bay Packers will hold their 23rd Packers Family Night on Saturday, Aug. 3, at Lambeau Field. **File photo**

Ticketmaster and the parking pass can be added to a mobile device's digital wallet, similar to mobile tickets. Only one mobile parking pass per transaction may be purchased. Drivers will be permitted into the lot once they show the attendant their parking pass on their mobile device. Mobile parking passes are \$5, with net proceeds to benefit Meijer's Simply Give program and its mission to feed hungry families through local food pantry partners, including Paul's Pantry, the Salvation Army of Green Bay and the Giving Tree."

A group ticket program

— restricted to approved groups — will be offered at <https://static.clubs.nfl.com/image/upload/packers/olsdgsjbrnp0ar498a3> or by calling 920-569-7501.

"In case of inclement weather, no refunds will be issued unless all stadium activities – from 5:30 p.m. until the end of the fireworks show – are cancelled," the release added.

Tickets will go on sale Wednesday, June 26, at 10 a.m., and are available for purchase solely online through Ticketmaster at Ticketmaster.com.

Doors will open at 5:30 p.m., with the team taking the field for warm-ups at 7 p.m.

Practice begins at 7:30 p.m.

governments that are not eligible to receive a formula grant from the Department of Energy.

"If you're a local government in the State of Wisconsin, and particularly in the Green Bay

area, that's maybe not on the list of entities that we're going to fund, I would encourage them to go directly to their state and ask about how they could get access to the funds that the State has

to push through as sub-grants," added Guzzo.

Local governments have until Oct. 31 to reach out and take advantage of the EECBG Program and tribes have until May 31 of 2025.

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The custodian of the unit colors, Battalion Command Sergeant Major (CSM) Daniel Voelker passes the 432nd CA BN unit colors to outgoing Commander Lieutenant Colonel (LTC) Andrew Prewitt. **John Craemer photos**



Thirty-two soldiers from A Company 432nd CA BN led by Major (MAJ) Nicholas Berger and nine Soldiers from Headquarters and Headquarters Company 432nd CA BN were welcomed home as part of the day's ceremony.



LTC Prewitt is awarded the Meritorious Service Medal and presented a gift from unit for his hard work and dedication to the unit and its soldiers.



Yellow roses are presented to LTC Brady's wife, Mandy. The yellow roses signify friendship and new beginnings.

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Governor Evers also made a virtual appearance during the event to share his excitement for the advancements throughout northeast Wisconsin, including but not limited to bridging the digital divide in schools and homes, bettering the roads across the region, investments in the Wisconsin Department of Tourism and the 2025 NFL draft coming to Green Bay in April.

New North's Workplace Excellence Award encompasses nine characteristics from forward-thinking leadership, the development of human resources and managerial experiences and their ability to have lasting positive impacts on the community.

This year, the award went to Schreiber Foods.

"If you really want to get to know who Schreiber Foods is, you need to know our stories, our individual stories... If you want to get to know who we are, you have to know our stories because we are a collection of 10,000 stories and partners throughout the world, and we all have our own unique stories and contributions to Schreiber Foods. There isn't one title or one position that is more important than another," said Schreiber Foods President/CEO Ron Dunford, adding that the company was built on its values and responsibilities to the communities they serve.

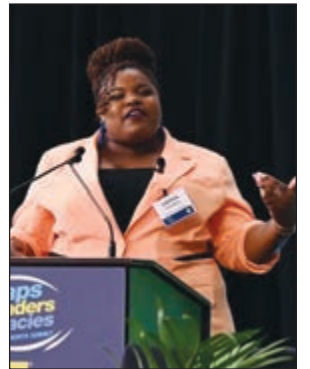
The first keynote speaker — Microsoft Executive Vice President Mary Snapp — spoke about the innovation and technology behind Microsoft.

Snapp talked about generative artificial intelligence (AI), stating that companies are taking leaps in technology to make it better in the future.

Snapp described how the leaps in innovation behind generative AI sponsor growth in surrounding technology and create an economy expanded by its various uses.

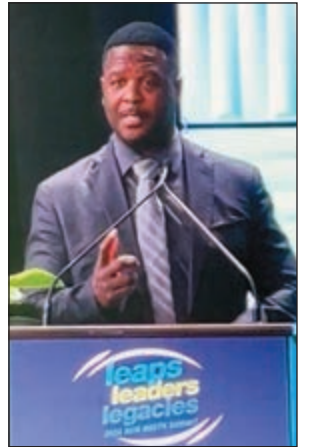
She said that Microsoft has been using highly secure data centers around the world to become a leaders and create a lasting legacy in technology.

Some leadership initiatives include sustainability pillars of being carbon negative, water positive, zero waste and protecting ecosystems by 2030, in addition to offsetting all the greenhouse emissions



The event's second keynote speaker was performer, playwright, lyricist, composer and director of NOVA Programming for Northern Sky Theater Lachrisa Grandberry. Grandberry told her story of her ascent from a challenging upbringing to a flourishing career.

New North photo



Former Defensive Back for the Green Bay Packers and New North Keynote speaker Leroy Butler. **Kaity Coisman photo**

since the founding of Microsoft by 2050.

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Grandberry told the story of her ascent from a challenging upbringing to a flourishing career.

She was able to walk the audience through the importance of taking leaps toward advancement and having leaders who encourage growth.

This leadership has brought Grandberry to a place where she is now a leader to the younger generation and has been able to build a legacy of success after being named one of Wisconsin's 52 most influential black leaders.

Other speakers included Green Bay Packers former defensive back and inventor of the Lambeau Leap, LeRoy Butler, and Co-founder and CEO of Axios Jim VandeHei.

VandeHei spoke about his entrepreneurship experience in creating a media company focused on breaking news and providing insight across business, politics, technology and the world.

VandeHei has led Axios to a digital media success story, and he discussed entrepreneurial leaps and how he has led his company to a successful future.

Butler spoke about how he leapt from growing up in a low-income community to the National Football League (NFL).

Throughout his journey, he had leaders who took a "leap of faith" to give Butler a chance at playing football in college and the NFL.

Butler played for the Green Bay Packers for 12 years and cemented his legacy with a spot in the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 2022.

Connecting generations through art

BY GRACELYN GIESE
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

BROWN COUNTY – Art has always been a uniting force that brings people of different backgrounds together, and the English students at UW-Green Bay are utilizing this ability.

Through a collaboration with TimeSlips' Tele-Stories and the Brown County Aging & Disability Resource Center (ADRC), 12 college students were partnered with elders to learn from one another and celebrate with an art presentation.

TimeSlips is a nation-wide organization that hosts Tele-Stories, which is "a series of calls provided to isolated/under-connected seniors that spark creativity and facilitate meaningful engagement" explained Jackie Kostichka, Milwaukee-based program manager and certified trainer for TimeSlips.

She said that the overall goal of this wide-reaching project is to "provide added, meaningful creative engagement opportunities for people who lack them, increase positive connections with isolated seniors and share the creative outputs with people in their community and beyond."

With these goals in mind, professor of writing, English and humanities Dr. Rebecca



Through a collaboration with TimeSlips' Tele-Stories and the Brown County Aging & Disability Resource Center (ADRC), 12 college students were partnered with elders to learn from one another and celebrate with an art presentation. Pictured are Aubrey Laux, second from right, and her collaborator "Jacki," center, presenting their Tele-Stories partner "Nancy," second from left, with an apron. **Dr. Rebecca Meacham photo**

Meacham chose to collaborate with TimeSlips and the ADRC a second time for her English 309 Co-Creative Writing class.

Explaining the process Dr. Meacham said, "During [the spring] semester, my 12 students partnered with elders at the ADRC for a month of conversations, then created gifts of art and writing from those conversations."

One of the students who

participated in the course was Aubrey Laux, a rising senior.

She enrolled in the course out of curiosity about what co-creative writing would be.

Laux reflected, "It was very wholesome and inspiring. It felt like we were all close and connected, both through class and calls, and like everyone around us was open and happy to be there."

Laux and her collaborator,

"Jacki," partnered to make an apron for "Nancy" to celebrate her volunteer work in the kitchen at the ADRC.

"This was a great experience that shows how communication and connection can change the world," Laux said.

UW-Green Bay is a verified creative community of care through TimeSlips.

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A taste of college life

Due to an early morning fire, classes were cancelled on June 4 for Aldo Leopold students. Crews suspected that the fire started in the art room of the school, located at 622 Eliza Street in Green Bay. Green Bay Metro Fire Department and Green Bay Area Public Schools administration determined not to hold classes in the school building for the remainder of the week. Instead, classes were held at UW-Green Bay to finish out the school year.

GBAPS photos



Packers annual meeting to be held July 22

Training camp practice set to start same day

FOR THE PRESS TIMES

GREEN BAY – This year, the Green Bay Packers will host their annual meeting and opening practice of training camp on the same day — July 22.

“With the early beginning to training camp due to the team kicking off the season in Brazil on Friday, Sept. 6, shareholders can enjoy practice at Ray Nitschke Field at 10:30 a.m. and then plan to attend the meeting in Lambeau Field at 3 p.m. As the Atrium will be open to the public throughout the day, instructions regarding parking and entry for the meeting will be shared with shareholders as those details are finalized,” a Green Bay Packers release stated.

“The Packers will present two candidates for shareholder vote at the annual meeting to join the Packers Board of Directors: Michael Alexander and Bill Jartz. The candidate information will be included in proxy information being sent this month to more than 539,000 shareholders in advance of the annual meeting. The two candidates were presented to the organization’s board of directors at its recent meeting.”

Alexander is the current UW-Green Bay chancellor — a role he has held since 2020.

Jartz is a television news anchor for WBAY-TV, having started in the business more than 40 years ago, and the public address announcer at Lambeau Field during Packers home games.

“We’re excited to present two nominees for a vote of our shareholders,” said Packers President/CEO Mark Murphy. “Michael’s leadership at UW-Green Bay has enhanced the university’s role as a community resource and his perspective will be a valuable addition to the board. Bill has shared his talents with our community for decades as a newscaster and on game days at Lambeau Field and we are looking forward to having his voice on our board, as well. Bill’s experience playing football at Northwestern University will also be helpful to us.”

The shareholders meeting also will see



Alexander

Jartz

three members take on emeritus status — Tom Cardella (elected in 2010), Susan Finco (2000) and Johnnie Gray (2009).

“We are especially grateful for Susan’s incredible impact on our organization as Lead Director. Her talent and leadership has helped us be successful both on and off the field,” Murphy said. “We appreciate Tom’s leadership on the Foundation committee and Johnnie’s many valuable contributions during their time on the Board. They have provided key viewpoints from their experiences and we thank them for all they’ve done for the Packers.”

“Proposed to succeed Finco as vice president and lead director is Mike Simmer, retired CEO of BMO Harris Bank Green Bay, who has been a member of the board since 2005 and executive committee since 2017. He has served as Treasurer since 2018. Proposed to become Treasurer is Karl Schmidt, president and CEO of Belmark Inc., who has been a member of the board since 2017 and executive committee since 2021. Proposed to become a member at large on the executive committee is Michael Barber, retired chief diversity officer for General Electric, who has been a member of the board since 2021,” the release added.

Shareholders will be provided four annual meeting tickets for each shareholder account, including accounts that have a joint or custodial registration.

Information about the annual meeting, which will be updated as the date approaches, can be found online at packers.com/community/shareholders or packersowner.com.

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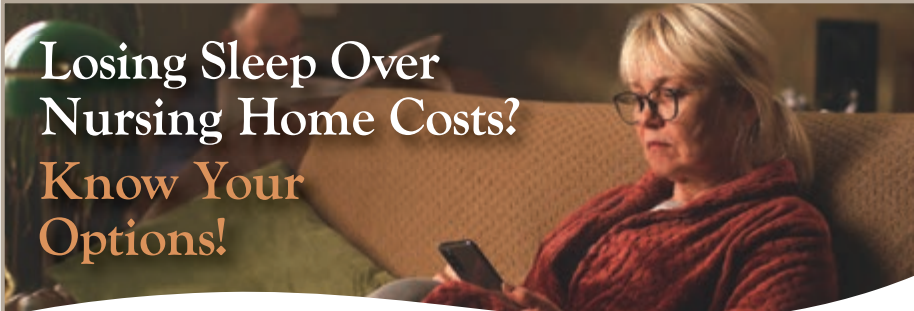
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Providing a level of structure through the summer

BY GRACELYN GIESE
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

GREEN BAY – While summer brings about the excitement of freedom for children, it can also bring forward uncertainty.

Being in school offers a level of structure and access to care, meals, mental health support and socialization, and for rural, working or low-income families fulfilling all of those needs can become difficult.

However, Wisconsin Out-of-School Time Alliance has developed a variety of programs to aid children and their families.

The Wisconsin Out-of-School Time Alliance (WOSTA) is a program of the Marshfield Clinic Health System and has partnered with many out-of-school time (OST) organizations to create a variety of programs to accommodate different needs.

“The mission of the Wisconsin Out of School Time Alliance (WOSTA) is to support all out-of-school time providers, schools and community partners in delivering high quality programming that promotes academic success, social-emotional development, health and wellness and family engagement. WOSTA believes that quality out-of-school time programming benefits



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youth participants and their families as well as the broader [community],” explained Randy Neve, manager and WOSTA network lead.

While WOSTA has school and community partnerships across the state, there are many out-of-school time providers locally that they have partnered with.

Through WOSTA’s partnership with the 21st Century Community Learning Centers grant, there are many elementary schools in the Green Bay Area Public School District (GBAPS) system that offer after school programs in addition to the Green Bay Boys & Girls Club as well as the Green Bay YMCA.

For the 2024-25 school year families can enroll

their kindergarten through fifth grade students in afterschool programs at a variety of GBAPS elementary schools, including Baird, Beaumont, Danz, Doty, Eisenhower, Fort Howard, Howe, Kennedy, Lincoln, Nicolet, Sullivan and Tank.

Noting the importance of afterschool programs, Director of Communications and Public Relations Lori Blakeslee said “Students have a sense of belonging.”

“Students are able to participate in activities that they would not have otherwise had the opportunity, i.e. Karate,” she added.

For more information, visit www.wiafterschool-network.org and look for the “OST Resource Center” page.

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Germany-based Fielmann Group announced on June 10 that it has entered into a definitive agreement in which its U.S. subsidiary, Fielmann USA, will acquire 100% equity ownership in Shopko Optical. **Kris Leonhardt photo**

Shopko Optical acquired by Fielmann

FOR THE PRESS TIMES

GREEN BAY – The Fielmann Group announced on June 10 that it has entered into a definitive agreement in which its U.S. subsidiary, Fielmann USA, will acquire 100% equity ownership in Shopko Optical, based in Green Bay, from Monarch Alternative Capital LP.

The transaction is expected to close in the third quarter of 2024, subject to customary closing conditions and regulatory approvals.

Shopko Optical has been providing eyecare to Midwest communities for over four decades.

The company operates more than 140 stores across 13 U.S. states and generated \$168 million in sales in 2023.

Upon closing, Fielmann USA intends to integrate Shopko Optical into its omnichannel — store, mobile and online — sales platform that, following the completion of the transaction, would serve customers via digital sales channels and more than 220 retail practices across 19 U.S. states, predominantly in the Midwest.

“Fielmann’s purpose is to help everyone hear and see the beauty in the world. Our acquisition of Shopko Optical is in line with our Vision 2025 growth strategy to expand our business further internationally, particularly in the US market. This acquisition is the next step in our long-

term plan to re-define what US consumers can expect of eyecare and eyewear,” Marc Fielmann, CEO of the Fielmann Group, stated.

“Over its 50-year history, the Fielmann Group has helped shape the European eyewear market with its signature customer-centricity. Having integrated recent acquisitions, SVS Vision and Befitting, Fielmann USA today offers a unique omnichannel shopping experience for customers with vision insurance. The addition of Shopko Optical is going to enable us to make affordable quality eyewear and eyecare accessible to more people across the Midwest,” Lukas Ruecker, CEO of Fielmann USA, Inc. added.

“As part of Fielmann USA, Shopko Optical will continue to provide quality, trusted care to our patients,” Russ Steinhorst, Shopko Optical CEO said. “Like Shopko Optical, Fielmann focuses on making affordable quality eyewear and eye care accessible in the upper Midwest. Patients in our communities will continue to receive the care they’ve come to expect from our centers, staff and doctors. After closing, as Shopko Optical is going to gain access to Fielmann’s global supply chain and omnichannel business model, patients can expect attractive new product and service innovations.”

GBAPS board of education gets look at ‘Scenario C’

BY KRIS LEONHARDT
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

GREEN BAY – During the June 10 Green Bay Area Public School (GBAPS) Board of Education work session, Woolpert Consultant Justin Rich presented “Scenario C” for the district’s impending boundary changes to address declining enrollment in the district.

During the presentation, Rich recalled the Boundary Adjustment Advisory Committee’s work to implement the school consolidations and closures proposed in a June 2023 approved board resolution.

“In the first committee meeting, we really talked about process,” Rich explained.

“At the second meeting, we presented the initial options, and that focused on consolidations and also the 4k-8 conversions, and then got feedback from the committee on those various options.

“In the third meeting, we presented our initial scenarios, which we named ‘Scenarios A and B,’ with all of the demographic information that accompanied that and then we asked for feedback on those options and we got a lot of feedback.

“We then presented slightly revised versions of those based on the input from the committee, to the community at that

first community dialogue, and then we had a survey in order to collect all that feedback.

“We came back to the committee and recognized that we needed to pivot a little bit. We presented the results of the survey at that time. We reviewed those minor changes that we made to those scenarios, and then we just had a frank discussion about the 4k-8 options and the grade level configuration changes that were being proposed.

“At the fifth meeting, we presented alternative options and that is mostly what you will see tonight in Scenario C.

“There were some specific options in that Scenario C originally, and we asked for feedback from the committee on what their preference was, which is what we used when we went out to the community for the second time.

“Again, we deployed a community survey.

“We compiled all of that reported back to the committee in that sixth meeting that we had with them, and then asked them for their vote for a recommendation.”

Rich said that Scenario C was developed using “information and principles that were taken from the Facility Task Force recommendations, looking at the education adequacy of the buildings, looking at

the enrollment, looking at the short- and long-term maintenance needs. Recognizing that we still had to make school closures; looking forward to the budget deficits the district needed to do that,” he said.

Rich explained that with Scenario C, just the elementary schools would be affected by the closings and consolidations.

Scenario C includes the construction of a new west side elementary school at Kennedy site and consolidation of Kennedy, Keller and part of MacArthur boundaries, with some MacArthur students reassigned to King.

Referendum projects to make this possible include the construction of a new elementary school for 600 students.

It would also include

consolidating Elmore into Chappell and Lincoln, with a gym addition needed at Chappell along with building updates, as well as the consolidation of Langlade into Doty and reassigning part of Langlade into Webster.

Referendum projects needed at Doty include a new addition, including a gym and building updates.

The Beaumont boundary would also be adjusted to include the area south of Mason Street, with a gym addition needed along with building updates.

The northern corner of Sullivan boundary would be reassigned to Nicolet and the southern portion of Danz reassigned to Martin.

The board will vote on Scenario C at their June 24 meeting.

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Lambeau: The birth of a rivalry

BY KRIS LEONHARDT
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Continued from previous week

Curly Lambeau continued performing with the Elks Club, showcasing his baritone voice.

An April 14, 1921, *Press-Gazette* ad used Lambeau's celebrity persona to help fill seats at the Orpheum.

"Earl Lambeau, he will make you like it," the ad read.

The April Elks Minstrels show saw him performing "I Love the Ladies," but football was always at the top of Lambeau's mind.

"The Packers were always very important to him," Marguerite Lambeau told *Press-Gazette* Writer Tom Perry in 1999. "He thought of football most of the time."

Marguerite also recalled that Lambeau would often wake up in the middle of the



Carr

night and "diagram football plays in pencil on their pillowcases."

But while the Packers were showing their strength, their sponsor — Indian Packing Company — was struggling.

"I knew that they sold stock, but I knew nothing about what was called the Curb Market... the Curb Market was an outdoor market in New York, on Broad Street in



Lambeau
Green Bay Packers
Hall of Fame photo

front of — I think the Wall Street Journal building — where they sold stock on the windows, second story windows and that's how Acme and Indian stock was sold; it wasn't on the New York Stock Exchange. So, as a result, there were a lot of shysters involved in the process. And I think that has led to some of their financial issues," Green Bay Packers Historian Cliff Christl explained.

In December 1920, the Acme Packing company of Chicago announced its plans to purchase the Indian Packing company.

By that time, Indian Packing stock had dropped to \$3.25 from a high of \$50.25.

Acme took over the plant and the name of the baseball and football teams in 1921.

The Acme Packers began practice in early August with Lambeau once again serving as captain, while former Green Bay East and University of Wisconsin star Joe Hoeffel took over as coach.

Meanwhile, professional football was making its move on a national level, threatening an American pastime.

"Professional football last year drew crowds as large as many big league baseball games did," said American Professional Football Association (APFA) President Joseph F. Carr.

"With the popular interest already shown and with the successful light we are making on contract-breaking and other wild cat practices, we are confident of a big league standing before long," he predicted in 1921.

The league had been assembled the previous year in Canton, Ohio, with 14 loosely-organized teams.

During the league's Aug. 27, 1921, meeting held at the Hotel LaSalle in Chicago, the Acme Packing football team was accepted into the APFA alongside Minneapolis and Evansville, who were also admitted that day.

Two months after the Packers joined the league, the



Hagemeister Park in the early 1920s.

Neville Public Museum of Brown County photo

Acme company found themselves in financial trouble and the team and company parted ways.

"The Acme Packing Company does not own nor financially back the Packer team. The team is owned and managed and is financially backed by Messrs. J. Emmett and John Clair of the Acme Packing Company," an editorial note in the Oct. 30, 1921, *Dope Sheet* stated.

"The Acme Packing Company equipped the team and started it out with uniforms bearing their names but the interest in the team aside from this is none other than that of a progressive Green Bay plant wishing to see a Green Bay team clean up the country."

J. Emmett Clair had replaced Neil Murphy as manager of the Packers, and was the only representative from Green Bay at the August 1921 APFA meeting.

Earlier that year, an enclosed ballpark was reassembled at Hagemeister Park for city baseball, under the direction of Curly's father Marcel, which would also accommodate the upcoming football season.

"Plans to make the football field at Hagemeister Park one of the best in the middle west have been mapped out by the Packers management. A seating capacity of 3,600 is arranged for the bleachers and grandstand seats will be constructed on both sides of the field from the 20-yard lines. These seats will be fronted by the row of boxes on each side of the gridiron," a *Press-Gazette* article stated.

"At the north end of the playing field, there will be a standing room space for the 'knot-hole' gang, better known as the youngsters who will be admitted for a cut-rate price of admission. The seating chart will be prepared this week and season reservations for the box seats can be made with Curly Lambeau."

But, its use could not be

guaranteed for more than one year, as in August the city council approved the building of East High School on the site.

The Packers finished league play 3-2-1, but weeks later after playing Racine in a non-league game at Milwaukee — billed as a state championship showdown — they found themselves in trouble with the APFA.

On Dec. 9, Notre Dame's Faculty Board of Athletics learned that three of Knute Rockne's players had played under assumed names for the Packers in that play-for-pay game against Racine, jeopardizing their amateur status.

The *South Bend Tribune* reported on the scandal on Dec. 13, and an outcry erupted over the unscrupulous conduct of pro football teams, along with demands to ban the Packers from the APFA.

Chicago Tribune Writer Frank Smith, in a Dec. 15, 1921, column wrote:

"At least one football team in the American Professional Football league should be banished from that organization for all time. Tampering with college players by commercialized sport has at times put the amateur game on the rocks. The fight for the almighty dollar seems to be greater than fair play. It probably always will be, but the men who go out of their way to increase their earnings by enticing college players to their ranks and play them under their own or assumed names, not only are a menace to their own organization and to amateur sport, but to their own community as well," Smith wrote.

"An infraction of this nature has been called to the attention of the sporting public by the athletic authorities at Notre Dame. These authorities have declared three of their football players ineligible for further competition in athletics at Notre Dame, have revoked letters awarded them and have erased their names from the list of monogram men for playing profes-

sional football.

"The Green Bay Packers, a member of Mr. Carr's organization, broke this rule into small bits. Hartley Anderson, Arthur Garvey and Fred Larson played on that team while still students at Notre Dame, and the athletic authorities there found it out and set down the boys involved."

On Jan. 28, 1922, J. Emmett Clair surrendered Green Bay's franchise back to the league, but Lambeau, accompanied by friend Don Murphy, also traveled to Canton, Ohio, in January for the league meeting to defend the Packers.

After the meeting, Carr sent a letter to the *Chicago Tribune* declaring the results.

"Magnates of the American Professional Football Association, in session here today, ousted the Green Bay Packers club from membership, because the Packers last fall used players still in college, thereby violating the rules of the association," the letter stated.

"A rule was adopted providing for a deposit of \$1,000 by each club to guarantee observation of this rule. No agreement was reached on a standard salary. A player limit of 18 was also adopted.

Along with that was the news that George Halas and E.C. "Dutch" Sternaman of the Decatur Staleys retained ownership by an 8-2 vote over a third owner, Bill Harley, and would be free to move the franchise to Chicago.

Continued next week
The *Press Times* staff thanks Deb and Hannah at the UW-Green Bay Archives, Sam and Katie at Packers Hall of Fame Inc., Packers Historian Cliff Christl, Mary Jane and Jeff at the Brown County Library History Room, Kristin and Joe with the Belgian Heritage Center, Tom Hutchison and all of those individuals who shared their knowledge and memories over the past year of research.

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Bay Beach photo

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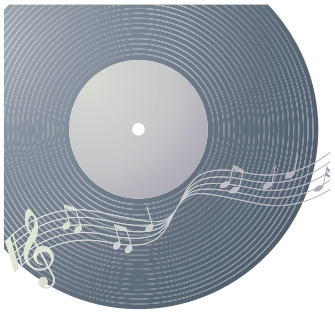
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By City Pages Staff

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"We are excited to kick off this season of Fridays on the Fox. This event has become the heartbeat of summer in Green Bay, a cherished tradition where families, friends, and music enthusiasts come together to enjoy live music and the vibrant atmosphere of downtown," said Jeff Mirkes, Executive Director of Downtown Green Bay, Inc. "I love to see the CityDeck docks filled with a fleet of pontoon boats and yachts to take in this summer tradition."

Kicking off the series on June 14 is an exciting performance by the NEW Dueling Pianos, set to ignite the stage with their infectious energy and crowd-pleasing tunes.

Seating is limited on the CityDeck, so attendees are encouraged to bring lawn chairs.

Hagemeister Park will be serving food and drinks on their patio starting at 5 p.m.

The full lineup for this season of Fridays on the Fox includes NEW Dueling Pianos on June 14, Copper Box on June 21, Brass Differential and Cover Fire Army Band on June 28, Fire on High on July 5, The Cougars on July 12, Big Mouth and the Power Tool Horns on July 19, Pat McCurdy on July 26 and Star Six Nine on Aug. 2.

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ABOVE: HELENA NELSON, FROM HOWARD, CONQUERS THE BIG SLIDE AT ALLOUEZFEST.



LEFT: IRELAND, FROM KAUKAUNA, GETS HER FACE PAINTED BY A MEMBER OF THE GREEN BAY NOTRE DAME GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM. STAFF PHOTOS



ABOVE: MEMBERS OF THE ALLOUEZ OPTIMIST CLUB COOK UP BRATS FOR THE ALLOUEZFEST PICNIC AT GREEN ISLE PARK.

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The Sleeveens

Dirtnap Records

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This band hails from Nashville/Dublin and has members who are traveling the furthest to play at the GBUFO Invasion Fest 2024.

The Sleeveens are one of the 16 bands playing at the Historic Tarlton Theatre on Sunday July 21, as part of the GBUFO Invasion Fest 2024.

GBUFO Invasion Fest 2024 will run July 19 through July 21 — all three days (and 48 bands) at the venue that once hosted Mother Maybelle and the Carter Family.

The Sleeveens are playing between Big Clown from Memphis making their Green Bay debut (I'm very excited about this, also Lucy Isadora of Big Clown will be MCing at the GBUFO Invasion Fest 2024) and Timmy's Organism from Detroit, who wowed Green Bay last year with a stellar performance at the last show I ever booked at the Lyric Room.

The Sleeveens even has a Wisconsin connection, because the label that released this album is Dirtnap Records — a Wisconsin record label and a proud sponsor of the GBUFOIF24.

Count on seeing Dirtnap Records owner Ken Cheppaikode rocking out to The Sleeveens in Green Bay.

When planning the GBUFOIF24, the GBUFO had a list of bands that we really hoped we could book for the festival and The Sleeveens was near the top of the list.

I would put them in the top five bands we were able to book, up there with The Neckbones, Plasticland, Freezing Hands, and the Brides.

So what exactly do The Sleeveens sound like? Gritty rock'n'roll cranked out to appeal to working class punks.

Yes, their singer Stephan Murphy is Irish and they do an Undertones cover, but it's more than just rousing Irish punk rock.

A weird hybrid of punk and pub rock that also has, to me, a lot of Southern California hardcore.

Just think if Social Distortion, the Adolescents, and D. I. had spent a year in Dublin and then moved to Nashville and then broke up and the members that didn't



move back to California formed a band, it just might sound like The Sleeveens.

The Sleeveens, I believe, make music that would be taken to heart by fans of The Undertones, Social Distortion, Bruce Springsteen and the E Street Band, The Clash, Dropkick Murphys and the Modern Machines.

The album kicks off with "Give My Regards to The Dancing Girls" and what a great way to start an album off with a blast.

This song may be all it needs to convince you this might be the band you dance the hardest to in Green Bay this Summer. The second song, "Tales From The Megaplex," will have no problem keeping you dancing, same with the third song, "Metallica Font," that reminds me of the Nervous Eaters.

"Dry Cider" makes me think of T.Rex and Hanoi Rocks.

Another favorite track of mine is "Aretha Franklin."

The Undertones song they cover is "Get Over You" and they do it much justice, enough that the punks pushing 60 years of age and older should make note that The Sleeveens is a band they should really check out on record and live.

See you in the pit on July 21.

Tom Smith was the store manager at Green Bay's Exclusive Company and currently works at the Green Bay UFO Museum Gift Shop and Records. He has a vast knowledge and a lifelong love of vinyl.



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▲ "Reaching" by Emilee Taxman

PLUS: Embracing identity and inclusivity at The Art Garage

By Janelle Fisher
City Pages Editor

exploring themes of representation, identity and queer inclusiveness.

Throughout the month of June, The Art Garage will display *PLUS:*, a group exhibit

The exhibit marks the fourth annual show highlighting LGBTQ+ voices, but



▲ "Egg Sigil" by Adrian Wood



▲ "Hand on Blue and White" by Wyatt Tiel

Programming Director Lindsay Olson said this year, artists were encouraged to embrace elements of care and community that emerge in the face of marginalization and censorship.

"I was thinking about all the times that we call on communities that have been marginalized and ask them to talk about that and to show that, but there's something really beautiful about the queer community and being on the other side of that marginalization causes us to build our own families and identities and our own ways of dealing with that," Olson said. "I wanted this to be a show that focused on the community that comes out of that difficulty and how that catapults into really finding a place for yourself — a home for yourself. A lot of this exhibit includes things like literature that you can sit and look at and read, comfortable places to think and be, ways to represent yourself, making your own pride flag and building up your own community."

For artist Emilee Taxman, being a part of the exhibit means focusing on finding joy in community rather than the hardships facing their community.

"When queer people see my work, it's the idea of feeling seen and understood and feeling like there are others out there," Taxman said. "The idea of spreading trans joy, instead of focusing on negativity or hard things that are happening with trans people."

Artists involved in the exhibit not only have the opportunity to share their work with others, but also see what other artists in their community have created.

"There's so many really cool works here," said artist Wyatt Tiel. "I'm so excited to get to meet everybody and talk to them about their artistic goals and the intersection with their identities. I feel humbled to be in a



▲ "T-Rex Club" by Riley Chattin



▲ "Erasure" by Michelle Engel

space like this."

"It makes me really happy to have my work here, surrounded by others who are working with similar themes and experiences," Taxman said. "It's exactly how I want my work to be shown. It's perfect."

Olson said she hopes all those who come to see the exhibit feel that sense of community that runs throughout the exhibit.

"I hope they see a space for themselves," she said. "I hope that they see themselves. I hope there's a sense that these creative voices are valued and important in our community and they deserve a platform."

The annual show, Olson said, is

designed to give LGBTQ+ voices that platform and share their art with the community.

"Every one of our shows includes queer artists, but it is important to highlight the magnitude of their contribution to the arts," Olson said. "So often, and in previous iterations of any art, we've been silenced. We've been hidden. Bringing them together as a collective adds to the relevance and the accessibility so that we can underscore the fact that we're here."

PLUS: will be on display at The Art Garage through June 29. Learn more about the exhibit and upcoming events on The Art Garage's Facebook page. **GP**

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SHANE GILLIS

SATURDAY, JUNE 15 | 8 P.M.
RESCH CENTER, ASHWAUBENON.

Stand-up comedy show. \$43+. Learn more and purchase tickets at reschcomplex.com.

LIVE MUSIC

Sunday, June 16

Big Richard • Leicht Memorial Park, Green Bay. Part of the Levitt AMP Green Bay Music Series. 4-6:30 p.m. Free. See downtowngreenbay.com to learn more.

Wednesday, June 19

Music Jar Band • Klipstine Park, Ashwaubenon. All-genre cover band. 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Free. See ashwaubenon.gov/events to learn more.

Thursday, June 20

SixtiesMania • Meyer Theatre, Green Bay. Covers of the Beatles British invasion to the music of Woodstock and everything in between and after. 7 p.m. \$35. See meyertheatre.org to find more details and purchase tickets.

Ongoing

Historic West Fest • The Tarlton Theatre, Green Bay. Live music festival celebrating 100 years since the construction of the theater. June 13, 14 and 15 \$20+. Find more details at thetarlton.com/historic-west-fest.

Jazz, Blues, and Brews • Copper State Brewing Co., Green Bay. Tuesdays at 6 p.m. No cover charge. Visit Copper State Brewing Co.'s Facebook page for more information.

Bluegrass and Bourbon • Paradise North Distillery, Green Bay. Blend of music and spirits to soothe the soul. Last Wednesday of each month, through November. Find out more on Paradise North Distillery's Facebook page.

Open Jam • The Depot, Green Bay. Drums, keyboards, two mics and direct plug-ins available. Thursdays from 6:30-10 p.m., through June 27. See The Depot Green Bay's Facebook page for more details.

Live in the Garden Outdoor Summer Concert Series • Badger State Brewing, Green Bay. Live music, craft beer and food trucks. Fridays from 7-10 p.m., through Oct. 19. Free. For a complete lineup of musicians, see Badger State Brewing's Facebook page.

Music in the Meadow • Cocoon Brewing, Ledgeview. Summer concert series. Multiple dates/times through Aug. 25. See Cocoon Brewing's Facebook page for more details and complete lineup of musicians.

ON STAGE/SCREEN

Saturday, June 15

Shane Gillis • Resch Center, Ashwaubenon. Stand-up comedy show. 8 p.m. \$43+. Learn more and purchase tickets at reschcomplex.com.

Ongoing

ComedyCity Grown-Up Show • ComedyCity, De Pere. Fridays at 7:30 p.m., Saturdays at 8:30 p.m. (18+) See thegreenroomonline.com for more details.

ARTS/EXHIBITS

Saturday, June 15

igNight Market • Broadway District, Green Bay. Live art demonstrations, artisan vendors and more. 5-10 p.m. Free. Head to downtowngreenbay.com to learn more.

Ongoing

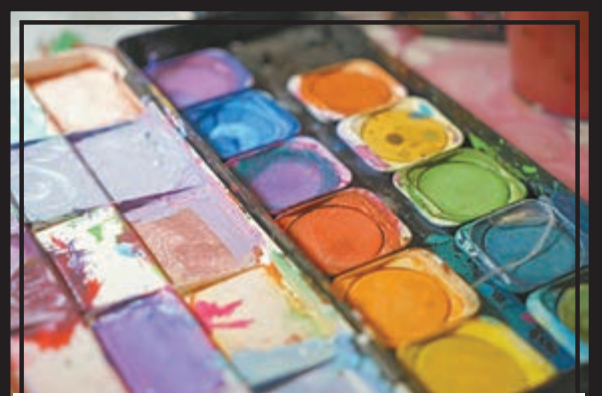
ART at LARGE • newARTSpace, De Pere. Juried show put on by the Wisconsin Visual Artists Northeast Chapter. Open through July 20. Free admission. Learn more at newartspace124.com.

Creatures Of Wonder • newARTSpace, De Pere. Curated selection of artwork by Craig Blietz. Open through July 20. Free admission. Learn more at newartspace124.com.

Bricktionary: The Interactive Exhibition • Mulva Cultural Center, De Pere. Immersive LEGO brick experience featuring LEGO brick creations and hands-on building activities. Open through Sept. 2. \$25. Learn more and purchase tickets at mulvaculturalcenter.org.

Reclaimed Creations • Neville Public Museum, Green Bay. Exhibit of sculptures by Sayaka Ganz. Open through Sept. 29. Included with general admission. See nevillepublicmuseum.org to learn more.

Telling Our Stories: LGBTQ+ Voices of Northeastern Wisconsin • Neville Public Museum, Green Bay. Exhibit showcasing the history and experiences of Northeast Wisconsin's LGBTQ+ community through archival research and community engagement. Open through Nov. 3. Included with general admission. Visit nevillepublicmuseum.org to find out more.



NORTHEAST WISCONSIN WATERCOLOR SOCIETY MONTHLY MEETINGS

FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH AT 6:30 P.M., SEPT. THROUGH MAY.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, ASHWAUBENON.

Monthly group meeting with social time and demonstrations. Find more details at newiswatercolors.com.

Railroad Tools: Building for our Future • National Railroad Museum, Ashwaubenon. Exhibit featuring tools that were used for railroad building. Open during normal museum hours through Dec. 31. Included with daily admission. Find more details at nationalrrmuseum.org.

Northeast Wisconsin Watercolor Society Monthly Meetings • St. John's Lutheran Church, Ashwaubenon. Monthly group meeting with social time and demonstrations. First Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m., Sept. through May. Find more details at newiswatercolors.com.

Green Bay Arts Unlimited Meetings • St. John's Lutheran Church, Ashwaubenon. Artist demonstrations, meeting, networking and fellowship. Second Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Visit gbartsunlimited.wixsite.com for more details.

FOOD/DRINK

Ongoing

Food Truck Fridays • Brown County Library - Central Branch, Green Bay. Variety of the area's best food truck offerings. Fridays from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., through Aug. 30. Visit browncountylibrary.org to learn more.

Dutch Treat Breakfast • Bay Family Restaurant, Green Bay. Opportunity for Lifelong Learning Institute members and non-members to socialize outside of the classroom setting. Fourth Wednesday of every month at 8:30 a.m. Contact Keith Pamperin at kjpamperin@aol.com for more details.

Brunch Special • WINEaLOT Vineyards, Greenleaf. First Sunday of every month from 12-3 p.m. (All minors must be accompanied by an adult.) Visit winealotvineyards.com for more information.

Afternoon Tea • Cultivate Taste Tea Salon, Green Bay. Sundays at 12 p.m. \$50 per person. Follow Cultivate Taste Tea Salon's Facebook page for more details and to purchase tickets.

GAMES/COMPETITIONS

Ongoing

Think and Drink Trivia • Zambaldi Beer, Green Bay. Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. (21+) Follow Zambaldi Beer on Facebook for more details.

Brewery Bingo Night • Zambaldi Beer, Green Bay. Old-school bingo with prizes each round. Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. Free to play. See Zambaldi Beer's Facebook page for more information.

DJ Bingo Fridays • WINEaLOT Vineyards, Green Leaf. Put your music knowledge to the test. Fridays from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Visit winealotvineyards.com for more details.

OUTDOORS/RECREATION

Thursday, June 20

Swing for a Mission • Hilly Haven Golf Course, De Pere. Four lady scramble benefiting Wild and Free Rescue. 9 a.m. \$100 per person. Head to hillyhaven.com for more information and to sign up.

Ongoing

Starting New at Golf • Hilly Haven Practice Facility, Greenleaf. Learn the basics of golf. May 18, 25 and 31; June 22; July 13; Aug. 3 and 9; and Sept. 7. \$10. (Ages 4-10) Find more details at hillyhaven.com.

Tuesday Night Rides • Pete's Garage, Green Bay. Road ride and opportunity to meet other cyclists in the community while getting in some riding during the week. Tuesdays at 6 p.m., through Sept. 3. Free. See Pete's Garage's Facebook page for more details and route info.

Green Bay Juggling Club • Howard Commons Activity Complex, Howard. Learn and practice juggling, unicycling and other circus arts. Second and fourth Mondays from 5-8 p.m. See the Green Bay Juggling Club's Facebook page to learn more.

Yoga Wednesdays • WINEaLOT Vineyards, Green Leaf. Yoga class led by Tiffany Pavek of Karma Yoga. Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. \$10 per person. Visit winealotvineyards.com for more details.

Sunset Yoga • Paradise North Distillery, Green Bay. Yoga on the patio. Thursdays at 6:30 p.m., through Sept. 26. \$15, includes a cocktail token. Find out more on Paradise North Distillery's Facebook page.

Learn to Square Dance • Oak Park Place, Green Bay. No experience needed. Couples, families and solo dancers welcome. Second and fourth Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. First lesson is free. Follow the Green Bay Square Dance Club on Facebook for more details.

5 Stand, Skeet and Trap Shooting • Brown County Sportsmen's Club, Green Bay. All are welcome. Free instructions. Open shooting on Wednesdays from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and Saturdays from 12-4 p.m., league shooting on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. Visit skeetandtrap.com for more information.

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FARMERS' MARKETS

ONGOING

Weekly Farmers' Market • Howard Commons Activity Complex, Howard. Sale of produce, crafts and more. 5-8 p.m., through Sept. 30. Check out the Howard Commons Activity Complex's Facebook page for more details.

Seymour Farmers' Market • Woodland Plaza, Seymour. Local vendors, small businesses, crafters and food trucks. Tuesdays from 2-6 p.m., through Aug. 27. Visit Seymour Market's Facebook page for more details.

Farmers' Market on Broadway • Broadway District, Green Bay. More than 110 local vendors offering fresh produce, baked goods, carry out foods, coffee and teas, meats, cheeses, flowers and plants, handcrafted goods, soaps and more. Wednesdays from 3-8 p.m., through Sept. 25. Visit downtowngreenbay.com for more details.

Oneida Farmers' Market • N7284 County Road J, Oneida. Outlet for fruits, vegetables, pre-packaged honey, maple syrup and related items, flowers, plants, sweet grass and more. Thursdays from 12-6 p.m., through Oct. 3. Follow Oneida Farmers Market (Wisconsin) on Facebook for more details.

Market on Military • 216 S Military Ave, Green Bay. Sale of locally-grown, -raised, -made, -created and -crafted goods. Thursdays from 2-7 p.m., through Oct. 31. Visit militaryave.org for more information.

Downtown De Pere Farmers' Market • George Street Plaza, De Pere. Local growers and makers, plus weekly featured musicians. Thursdays from 3-8 p.m., through Sept. 26. See definitelydepere.org for more details.

Titletown Night Market • Titletown, Ashwaubenon. Mix of food, drinks, local shopping and live entertainment. Thursdays from 4:30-8:30 p.m. Head to titletown.com for more information.

Saturday Farmers' Market • Downtown Green Bay, Green Bay. Fresh, locally-grown produce, artisanal baked goods, carry out foods, coffee and teas, meats, cheeses, flowers and plants, handcrafted goods and more from more than 100 local vendors. Saturdays from 7 a.m.-12 p.m., through Oct. 26. Visit downtowngreenbay.com for more details.



UKULELE JAM SESSION

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19 | 1:30 P.M.
BROWN COUNTY LIBRARY -
KRESS FAMILY BRANCH, DE PERE.

Bring your ukulele or other instrument for singing and strumming. (Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.) Text (920) 328-5171 for more information.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Monday, June 17

VA S.A.V.E. • Brown County Library - Weyers-Hilliard Branch, Howard. Gain an understanding of the scope of veteran suicide and how to act with care and compassion if you identify a veteran who is in crisis or having thoughts of suicide. 2 p.m. Free. Visit browncountylibrary.org for more details.

Wednesday, June 19

Ukulele Jam Session • Brown County Library - Kress Family Branch, De Pere. Bring your ukulele or other instrument for singing and strumming. 1:30 p.m. (Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.) Text (920) 328-5171 for more information.

Thursday, June 20

History at the Park • Ashwaubenon Community Center, Ashwaubenon. Stories of living and deceased Ashwaubenon residents and local businesses. 6 p.m. \$10. For more information, see ashwaubenonmuseum.org.

Antiquarian Society Open House • Hazelwood Historic House, Green Bay. See the home and the historical artifacts on display. 4-7 p.m. Free. Find more details at antiquariansocietygbdp.org.

Ongoing

Iridian Moon • The Artemystic, Green Bay. Drop-in resource center for LGBTQ+ teens in the Green Bay area. Mondays at 11 a.m. Free. Find more details at wiarthemystic.com.

Becoming My True Song: A Guided Meditation and Gong Experience • Celestial Sound, Green Bay. Group class hosted by CBD American Shaman. First Sunday of each month at 5 p.m., through Dec. 31. \$15 per class. Find more information at celestialsoundgb.com.

Becoming My True Song: A Guided Meditation, Gong and Reiki Experience • Celestial Sound, Green Bay. Group class hosted by

Mindful Reiki and Meditation. Second Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m., through Dec. 31. \$40 per class. Find more information at celestialsoundgb.com.

Full Moon Gong Meditation • Celestial Sound, Green Bay. Monthly on the full moon at 7 p.m., through Dec. 31. Free. Gratuities appreciated. Find more information at celestialsoundgb.com.

FAMILY/KIDS

Monday, June 17

Jump in to Creative Journaling • Brown County Library - East Branch, Green Bay. Decorate a journal and try out writing prompts and techniques. 1:30 p.m. Free. (Grades 6-12) Visit browncountylibrary.org for more details.

Tuesday, June 18

Mindful Movement • Brown County Library - Weyers-Hilliard Branch, Howard. Class led by Mary from Joyful Yoga. 10 a.m. Free. (Ages 3-5) Visit browncountylibrary.org for more details.

Summer Carnival • Brown County Library - Southwest Branch, Green Bay. Entertainment, popcorn, cotton candy, carnival games and prizes. 1 p.m. Free. Visit browncountylibrary.org for more details.

Sunflower Celebration: An Edible Garden Adventure • Brown County Library - Central Branch, Green Bay. Learn fascinating facts about sunflowers and how to grow them in containers or gardens, enjoy sunflower science and craft activities and more. 6 p.m. Free. Visit browncountylibrary.org for more details.

Wednesday, June 19

Pop-Up Art Adventures with Brown County 4-H • Brown County Library - Central Branch, Green Bay. Hands-on session exploring paper engineering basics around how pop-up art works. 1 p.m. Free. Advance registration required. (Grades K-5) Visit browncountylibrary.org for more details.

Thursday, June 20

Picnic and Play: Summer Fun • Brown County Library - Kress Family Branch, De Pere. Stories and an art project about favorite summer pastimes with a mid-program picnic break. 10:30 a.m. Free. Visit browncountylibrary.org for more details.

Ongoing

Brown County Book Buddies • Brown County Library - Southwest Branch, Green Bay. Opportunity for children to practice their reading skills with a high school-age Book Buddy. 4:30-5:30 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Free. Visit browncountylibrary.org for more details.



SUNFLOWER CELEBRATION: AN EDIBLE GARDEN ADVENTURE

TUESDAY, JUNE 18 | 6 P.M.

BROWN COUNTY LIBRARY -

CENTRAL BRANCH, GREEN BAY.

Learn fascinating facts about sunflowers and how to grow them in containers or gardens, enjoy sunflower science and craft activities and more. Free. Visit browncountylibrary.org for more details.

Wiggle, Move and Giggle • The Children's Museum of Green Bay, Green Bay. Games, music and movement activities for toddlers. Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. \$8. (Ages 5 and under) Visit gbchildrensmuseum.org/programs for more information.

ComedyCity Family Fun Show • ComedyCity, De Pere. Saturdays at 6:30 p.m. Find more info at thegreenroomonline.com.

COMMUNITY EVENTS/RESOURCES

Saturday, June 15

Pie on the Porch • Hazelwood Historic House, Green Bay. Homemade pie, live music and more. 12 p.m. Learn more at browncohistoricalsoc.org.

Ongoing

Brown County Community Women's Club General Member Meeting • De Pere Community Center, De Pere. Learn about the nonprofit group and see if you'd like to join. Third Wednesday of each month at 12:25 p.m. For more information, see bccwc.org.

Green Bay Area Retired Men's Club • Brown County Library - Central Branch, Green Bay. Weekly meeting with coffee, donuts and speakers. Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m. The speaker for June 18 will be Richard Searler discussing Tour along Danube River. Dues are \$20 per year. Prospective members welcome. Visit gbretiredmensclub.com for more details.

Veterans Supporting Veterans • St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, Green Bay. Veterans are invited to come together to talk, share stories, and find connections with other Veterans. First Wednesday of the month at 9 a.m. Free. Email mpeters@seasgb.org or call (920) 499-1546 ext. 109 for more information.

Gamblers Anonymous • Annunciation Parish, Green Bay. 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays, 7 p.m. Thursdays, 9 a.m. Saturdays. Free. Contact Brandon at 920-676-9498 or greenbaywisconsin.org.

Alcoholics Anonymous • The Bridge, Green Bay. Free. Find a schedule of meetings and more information at thebridgeofgb.com.

Al-Anon • Support group for people affected by someone else's drinking. Visit al-anon.org/meetings for a complete list of meeting locations and times or call 1-888-4Al-Anon (1-888-425-2666).

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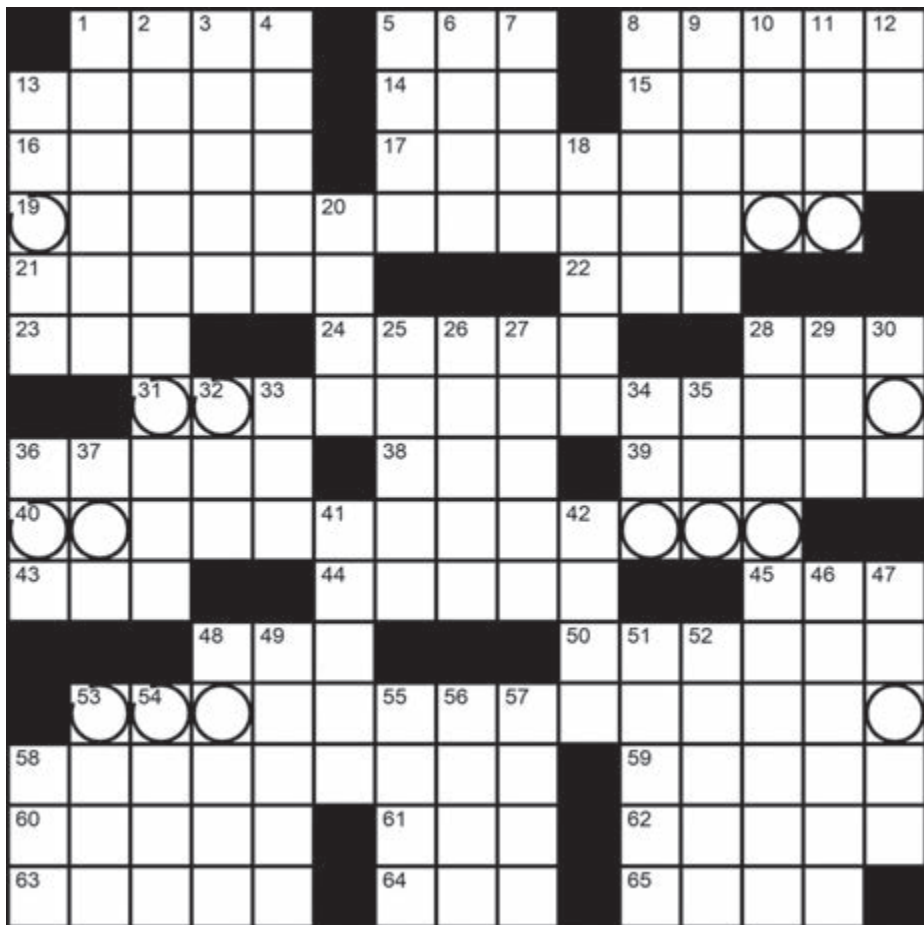
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Crossword answers on page 7. No peeking!

Across

1. Adoption org.
5. Dallas player, for short
8. Because of
13. “Relax!”
14. St. crosser
15. Ambassador’s assistant
16. Religious leader’s maxims (unrelated to late actor Robert)
17. Fight back
19. Night of amateur comedy or music, more formally
21. 100% accurate
22. Like the Woodsman of Oz
23. Hallow ender
24. Licorice-scented herb
28. TV network headquartered in Ottawa
31. City between Cleveland and Akron which hosts an annual festival for multiple births
36. All-encompassing
38. Tire filler
39. Schedule listing
40. Shel Silverstein children’s book that has drawn controversy
43. Roll of grass
44. More weird
45. “Grease” band ___ Na Na
48. “Superstore” actor Feldman
50. Be less strict
53. Washington, for one
58. Vince Gilligan, for “Better Call Saul”
59. “Circle of Friends” novelist Binchy
60. Native American emblem
61. Long period of time
62. Complete confusion
63. Like some stares or brooks
64. Miffed
65. ‘Rents, more rudely

Down

1. “Ye Olde” establishment
2. With feet turned in
3. Gorillaz song “___ Eastwood”
4. Texas mission to “remember”
5. “The Life and Slimes of ___ Summers” (solo performance from the host of “Double Dare”)
6. Positively profess
7. Presidential bill blocker
8. “New” capital
9. Worker’s organization
10. Lemonheads lead singer Dando
11. Carryall
12. “___ Como Va” (Santana song)
13. Almost there
18. More appropriate
20. ___ instant
25. Anti-inflammatory drug acronym
26. “___ you, Nancy, from doing harm ...” (line from “The Craft”)
27. ___ pricing
28. Green Bay Packers fan
29. Recycling container
30. Narrow bed
32. Make like a happy tail
33. “The Last King of Scotland” subject Amin
34. Neighbor of Belg.
35. “A Man Called ___” (Fredrik Backman novel turned into a Tom Hanks movie)
36. “Dynamite” K-pop band
37. 17th letter of the Greek alphabet
41. Singer/songwriter Shepard who recurred on “Ally McBeal”
42. Not kosher, in Jewish dietary law
46. ___ rancheros (Mexican breakfast)
47. ___-ski (lodge lounging)
48. President Martin Van ___
49. Foe
51. Transmission repair franchise with a “beep beep” ad
52. “60 Minutes” reporter Lesley with an appearance in “Marcel the Shell With Shoes On”
53. Arch location
54. Eight, for starters?
55. “Big-ticket” thing
56. “You’ve Got Mail” director Ephron
57. June honoree
58. Dollar fractions, briefly

arts & entertainment

HIGHLIGHTS

by Janelle Fisher



Historic West Fest

June 14 and 15 | The Tarlton Theatre, Green Bay

Live music festival celebrating 100 years since the construction of the theater. Concerts will take place at The Tarlton Theatre and At The Tracks. Headliners include Dead Horses, Chicago Farmer and The Fieldnotes, Chicken Wire Empire, 20 Watt Tombstone and Motherwind. Supporting performers include Feed the Dog, NEWSKI, Listening Party, Stephen Cooper and The Nobody Famous, Red Ben and The Missing Miles, Saltydog, High Gallows and more. Tickets start at \$20. Find more details at thetarlton.com/historic-west-fest.

igNight Market

Saturday, June 15 | Broadway District, Green Bay

Live art demonstrations, artisan vendors and more. Traveling Suitcase, Nasty Snacks and Alto Moon will perform live music. A silent disco will take place, sponsored by Howe Community Center. Taylor Berman will do a live mural painting. Fab Collab will begin work on a large community sculpture. More than 30 vendors will be selling art and handmade goods. This event will run from 5-10 p.m. and is free to attend. Head to downtowngreenbay.com to learn more.



Pie on the Porch

Saturday, June 15

Hazelwood Historic House, Green Bay
Live bluegrass music by John Abbot and the Posse. Homemade pie (with or without ice cream), hot dogs, chips and beverages will be available for purchase. The event will run from 12-2 p.m. Learn more at browncohistoricalsoc.org.



Big Richard

Sunday, June 16 | Leicht Memorial Park, Green Bay

Country/bluegrass music, part of the Levitt AMP Green Bay Music Series. Lena Marie Schiffer will open at 4 p.m. Bollywood dancers will perform during intermission at 4:45 p.m. Kings and Associates will take the stage at 5 p.m. Food and beverages will be available from Bay Area Burger and Jb Arepas. This event is free to attend. See downtowngreenbay.com to learn more.

ELECTION
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Wisconsin Senate District 2 (four-year term)

The district covers Little Chute and a portion of Kaukauna along its southern border and stretches north covering Seymour, Clintonville and Shawano.

Democrat: Kelly Peterson
Republican: Eric Wimberger, who currently represents District 30

Incumbent Robert Cowles, R-Allouez, who has served since 1987, didn't seek reelection.

Wisconsin Senate District 30 (four-year term)

The district covers Green Bay and some of its suburbs.

Democrat: Jamie Wall
Republican: Jim Rafter

The new maps placed three senators — Wimberger, Cowles and Jacque — into District 30. Jacque is running for the 8th Congressional District seat and represents the 1st Senate District, which isn't up for election this year. Cowles is retiring, and Wimberger is running for the 2nd Senate District.

Note: Assembly seats have two-year terms.

Assembly District 1

The 1st Assembly District covers Door and Kewaunee counties and a small portion of northeastern Brown County.

Democrat: Milt Swagel, Renee Papham

and Julia Henley, Blue River (Pending nomination papers)

Republican: Incumbent Joel Kitchens Swagel and Papham will meet in a primary on Aug. 13.

Assembly District 2

The district covers Kimberly, parts of Kaukauna, Wrightstown, Denmark, Mishicot and Reedsville.

Democrat: Alicia Saunders
Republican: Incumbent Shae Sortwell

Assembly District 4

The 4th Assembly District resembles the old 89th Assembly District, for the most part.

Democrat: Alexia Unertl and Jane Benson

Republican: Incumbent David Steffen and Darwin Behnke (pending state review)

Unertl and Benson will meet in a Democratic primary on Aug. 13; Steffen and Behnke may also have a primary as Behnke's nomination papers were pending approval.

Behnke's son, Rep. Elijah Behnke, R-Oconto, represented the 89th Assembly District, but was drawn into District 4 with the new maps. However, he plans to run for the 6th Assembly District and move into that district if he wins.

Assembly District 5

The district covers parts of Outagamie and Brown counties.

Democrat: Greg Sampson
Republican: Incumbent Joy Goeben

Assembly District 6

The 6th Assembly District covers municipalities on the western edge of Oconto County and areas in Brown, Menominee, Shawano, Outagamie and Waupaca counties.

Democrat: Shirley Hinze
Republican: Incumbent Peter Schmidt and Elijah Behnke

Schmidt and Elijah Behnke will face off in a primary on Aug. 13. Both are incumbents but under the new legislative map, Behnke was drawn out of his current area, District 89.

Assembly District 88

The 88th Assembly District includes Green Bay suburbs, losing the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay but gaining De Pere.

Democrat: Christy Welch
Republican: Benjamin Franklin and Phil Collins

A primary between Franklin and Collins will be held on Aug. 13.

Incumbent Rep. John Macco, R-Ledgewick, represented the 88th but was drawn out of his district under the new maps and will retire from the Assembly at the end of his term.

Assembly District 89

The 89th Assembly District includes Ashwaubenon and west Green Bay.

Democrat: Ryan Spaude
Republican: Patrick Buckley

Under the new maps, the District 89 legislator, incumbent Rep. Elijah Behnke, was drawn into District 4, but is running for re-

election in the 6th District.

Assembly District 90

The 90th Assembly District now includes UW-Green Bay.

Democrat: Amaad Rivera Wagner
Republican: Jessica Henderson
Incumbent, Rep. Kristina Shelton, D-Green Bay, is not running for reelection.

Brown County clerk (four-year term)

Democrat: None
Republican: Incumbent Patrick Moynihan Jr.

Brown County district attorney (four-year term)

Democrat: None
Republican: Incumbent David Lasee

Brown County register of deeds (four-year term)

Democrat: None
Republican: Incumbent Cheryl Berken

Brown County treasurer (four-year term)

Democrat: Dana Vaughan
Republican: Ray Suennen
Former Treasurer Paul Zeller resigned in December.

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Suamico takes a look at mini cow ownership

BY GRACELYN GIESE
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

SUAMICO – The Suamico Village Board held their most recent meeting on Monday, June 10, where board members addressed residential ownership of miniature cows.

The board began by discussing a proposal for personal ownership of two mini cows.

The conditional use application for housing the mini cows on Elmtree Road in Suamico was approved with four conditions.

This included a maximum of two mini cows, appropriate shelter and containment area and waste maintenance, with the village holding the right to review the condi-

tional use application if the stipulations are not upheld.

Next, the board heard a building application to construct an additional house and storage shed on a current lot with a single-family dwelling and vacant land.

To construct the new home the lot would have to be split, with the current house being placed on less than the required two-acre minimum.

The board chose to relax their requirements and approved construction and splitting the property.

The Suamico Village Board will hold their next meeting on Monday, June 17, at 6 p.m. at the Municipal Services Center on 12781 Velp Ave. in Suamico.

Inland lake fishing action heating up



In the Outdoors

BY KEVIN NAZE
GUEST COLUMNIST

Green Bay perch and walleye and Lake Michigan trout and salmon often get the headlines around the Great Lakes, but there are plenty of other species and places worth fishing.

As spring gets ready to turn to summer in the coming week, we've entered prime time for inland lake action.

Bluegills, crappies, pumpkinseeds and largemouth

bass may be the most common catches on many lakes, but some also offer northern pike, walleyes, muskies and trout.

You can go with your favorite spinners, plastics, stickbaits or crankbaits, or simply tie on a hook and add a minnow, worm, leech or nightcrawler.

Some fish are still on shallow nest sites, but many are now working the deeper

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Bluegills just might be the most-caught fish in Wisconsin. You don't need many to make a delicious supper when they're this size.

Kevin Naze photo

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PUBLISHER'S LETTER

Celebrating Fatherhood: Reflections on Father's Day

Dear Reader,

As we approach Father's Day, it's a fitting time to reflect on the diverse experiences of fatherhood and the significance of this special day. Fatherhood, like any role in life, comes with its challenges and triumphs. Some fathers embrace their responsibilities with unwavering dedication, while others falter along the way.



It's essential to recognize and honor those fathers who embody the true spirit of fatherhood—the ones who consistently show up, provide guidance, and offer unconditional love and support to their children. These are the fathers who deserve to be celebrated, for their commitment and sacrifices often go unnoticed in the hustle and bustle of everyday life.

Being a father is not always easy. It requires patience, understanding, and a willingness to learn and grow alongside your children. But despite the challenges, the rewards of fatherhood are immeasurable. The bond between a father and child is a treasure beyond compare, built on a foundation of love, respect, and shared experiences.

So as we mark this Father's Day, let's take a moment to celebrate all the fathers who play a positive and nurturing role in their children's lives. Whether biological fathers, stepfathers, adoptive fathers, or father figures, their influence leaves an indelible mark on the hearts and minds of the next generation.

To all the good fathers out there—Happy Father's Day!

PATRICK J. WOOD

Publisher

Author of "Reflections" a new book now available on Amazon.

Notice

To ensure ample space for local news, sports and information, the Press Times will not be accepting letters/opinion pieces regarding this year's presidential election.

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weed edges nearby.

Take along the bug repellent, sunscreen, snacks and water, then head to your favorite lake, river or pond.

No boat? There are public docks and shoreline picnic spots on many lakes and flowages.

Whether you head out solo or go with friends or family members, inland waters can offer a nice escape while providing the makings for a pan-fried supper.

Need inspiration?

The American Sportfishing Association has a short, 1-1/2-minute video available called, "The Gift of Fishing."

The Future Angler Foundation, with its president Pat Neu headquartered in southern Door County, has a link on its site at <https://future-angler.org/share-the-fun-of-fishing-this-summer>.

The Future Angler Foundation was formed 12 years ago. Its mission is to create new anglers and boaters through its support of education and safety programs hosted by passionate, knowledgeable volunteers throughout the U.S. and through its "Getting Families Fishing" initiative, a series of free source digital educational programs developed to engage young anglers and boaters.

More info at www.future-angler.org.

Colorful bird book

"Birds of North America: A Photographic Atlas," is a new book providing photos and information on the 1,144 known bird species found in North America, including Hawaii.

The book features more

than 1,200 full-color photographs and illustrations and more than 700 large format range maps.

Unlike field guides, the author describes each species' ecology, behavior, seasonal movements, nesting biology and conservation status.

Special sections provide information on choosing birding gear, planning field trips and introduce conservation groups.

There are also sections on the most popular apps and websites for birders, as well as birding community initiatives such as Project Feeder-Watch.

You can get a sneak peek at www.press.jhu.edu/books/title/12817/birds-north-america#book_information.

More cheaters caught

Two more cheaters were recently caught in fishing tournaments, including a Louisiana man who stuffed 2.59 pounds of lead weights in a largemouth bass in an event on Toledo Bend.

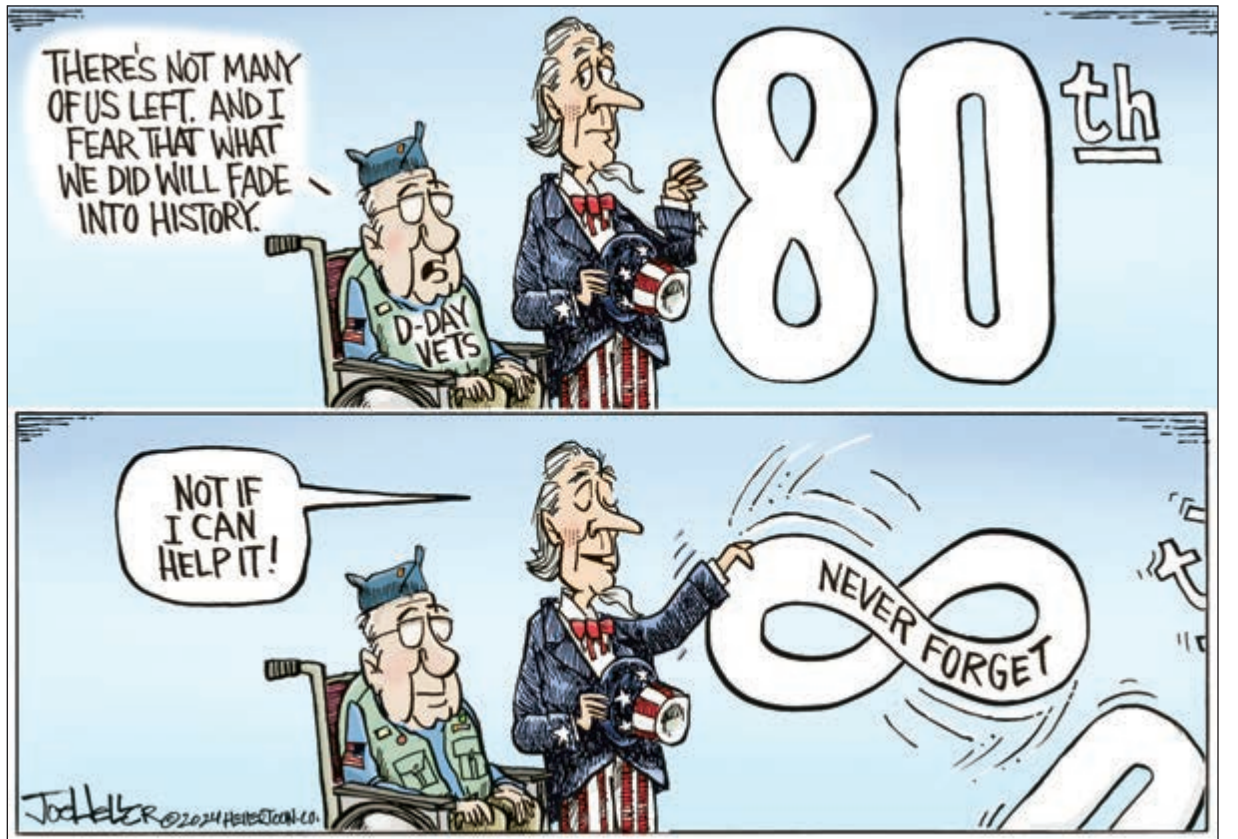
Closer to home, an Indiana man was recently cited on six charges, including attempting to commit theft, for cheating in a bass fishing tournament in Illinois.

A witness had seen the man acting suspicious on a river the night before the event.

Conservation officers followed up and learned the angler had hid four small-mouth bass on a stringer.

They set up surveillance the next morning and observed him take the fish and place them into the boat's livewell.

The weight of his catch would have been big enough to win the event by more than four pounds.



BE OUR GUEST

Showcasing our ability to adapt

BY RANDY VAN STRATEN
BELLIN RUN EXECUTIVE
RACE DIRECTOR



VanStraten

As rain fell from the sky on Saturday morning, a sense of unity and determination filled the streets of Green Bay.

The 48th annual Bellin Run was not just an event; it was a testament to the strength and resilience of our community.

And so, I write this letter with a heart full of gratitude and admiration for each and every one of you who made this year's run a resounding success.

From the families who gathered at Astor Park on Friday for our pre-event festivities to the thousands of runners who crossed the finish line on Saturday, your commitment to

health and wellness was truly inspiring.

The smiles that lit up the park on Friday evening served as a reminder of the joy that comes from coming together as a community.

And as I stood on the starting platform Saturday, admiring the sea of nearly 7,000 participants, I could feel the electric energy pulsing through the

crowd, preparing each of us for the challenge ahead.

Yes, the conditions were wet. But that did not dampen our spirits or take away from the accomplishment of completing the Bellin Run.

If anything, it made the experience even more memorable, showcasing our ability to adapt and overcome whatever obstacles come our way.

And that, to me, is the true essence of the Bellin Run — a celebration of resilience, perseverance and sheer determination.

Over the past 48 years, some things have changed and evolved.

But one thing has remained constant — the unwavering support we have for one another on the second Saturday in June, year after year.

Despite the challenges we face, both on and off the course, we continue to stand together, cheering and advocating for one another in pursuit of our goals.

So, thank you. Thank you for your dedication, your passion, your unity and your strength.

Thank you for being a part of this incredible community we have created.

And thank you for making the 48th annual Bellin Run one to remember.

I look forward to seeing each and every one of you back on the streets of Green Bay next year for the 49th annual Bellin Run on Saturday, June 14, 2025.

Together, we will continue to amplify the health and wellness of our community, one step at a time.

Atlantics killed

Very rarely, a wandering Atlantic salmon is caught in Lake Michigan.

There may be fewer of them in the coming years after the Michigan DNR had to kill more than 31,000 that were infected with bacterial kidney disease (BKD).

BKD is believed to be largely responsible for the decline in Great Lakes Chinook salmon populations in the mid-1980s.

A prescribed 28-day antibiotic treatment was not fully effective in eliminating the infection.

Since the fish still showed signs of active BKD, they could not be stocked.

There were just over 100,000 Atlantics in another hatchery that were healthy and were to be stocked at four locations, including more than 26,000 in the St. Mary's River at Sault Ste. Marie.

Lake levels update

Lake Michigan and Green Bay's water levels are still rising, up four inches in the past month and expected to increase at least another inch by early July.

Lake levels are about four inches above the long-term average, though down about 30 inches since the monthly high set in June 2020.

Weekly Fishing Report

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Warmer weather means better walleye activity

Walleye action in some areas of Green Bay has started to pick up.

The west shore areas near the weeds with warmer waters have begun producing some catches of walleye.

Dead Horse Bay, Suamico, Geanos Beach and Pensaukee have all had some increase in activity. Trolling spinners over the weeds has worked well along with casting hair jigs and plastics and jigging spoons like Bink's Spoons.

The key is to be a little agile and be willing to move around a bit to find active fish.

The lower bay has seen catches of rough fish along with an occasional walleye.

The east shore walleye activity has been minimal, and your best bet would be an evening trip trolling the shorelines or structure like Volks Reef.

The perch bite continues to be good if you are willing to put in some time and search for them with your electronics.

Minnows suspended below slip bobbers or on a drop shot have been the best.

Some anglers are reporting success using small plastics like two-inch Keitech Easy Shiners when they locate fish.

In Door County, small mouth bass activity has continued to be good.

Getting out away from bedding fish has been very good throwing Ned Rigs, swim baits and spin-

ner baits.

The little heat wave headed our way locally should do the trick to push out the remaining alewife and bring us better walleye activity soon.

Musky fishing has been tough due to the influx of alewives in the system; hopefully, they will be gone in the next couple of weeks. Shore fishermen are reporting catches of sheephead, cats, perch, bass and a few walleye out of metro.

As always, be safe on the water.

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The following renewal applications have been received for a Class "A" Retail License (BEER):
 Krist Oil Company dba Krist Food Mart #87 2531 Babcock Rd Agent: Jennifer Leyva-Quinones Walgreen Co. dba Walgreens #03133 2301 S. Oneida St Agent: Thomas J. Bittner
 The following renewal applications have been received for a Class "A" Retail License (BEER) and "Class A" LIQUOR (CIDER):
 Kwik Trip, Inc. dba Kwik Trip #125 940 Waube Lane Agent: Steven J. Brunner
 Kwik Trip, Inc. dba Kwik Trip #430 871 Hansen Rd Agent: Laura A. Kenzior
 Kwik Trip, Inc. dba Kwik Trip #114 2282 S. Ridge Rd Agent: Shaun Dix
 Kwik Trip, Inc. dba Kwik Trip #1270 2499 South Point Road Agent: Susan C. Fuller
 True North Energy, LLC dba True North #810 2530 Babcock Rd Agent: Michelle A. Knox
 The following renewal applications have been received for a Class "A" Retail License (BEER) and "Class A" LIQUOR (COMBO):
 Amba India Bazaar, LLC dba Amba India Bazaar 2321 S. Oneida St. Suite 4 Agent: Damodhar Shankar
 Hy-Vee, Inc. dba Hy-Vee (wine & spirits dept. & store) 2401 S. Oneida St, Suite 100 Agent: Jake Dryer
 Khodiarna Inc. dba Americlnn by Wyndham Green Bay Near Stadium 2815 Ramada Way Agent: Jaykumar Patel
 Lakes Venture LLC dba Fresh Thyme Farmers Market 2767 S. Oneida St Agent: Rich Kostecki
 Ultimate Mart, LLC dba Metro Market #107 1291 Lombardi Access Rd Agent: Jonathan Soffa
 The following renewal applications have been received for a Class "B" Retail License (BEER):
 Creative Edge Media LLC dba Edge VR Arcade 2642 Packerland Dr., Ste. 1 Agent: James A. Gaskins
 The following renewal applications have been received for a Class "B" Retail License (BEER) and "Class B" LIQUOR (COMBO):
 Belair Cantina Green Bay dba Belair Cantina 1025 Lombardi Ave Suite 100 Agent: Kristyn Eitel
 Ganesh Green Bay LLC dba Aloft Green Bay 465 Pilgrim Way Agent: David Bleuer
 Hy-Vee, Inc. dba Hy-Vee (bar/food hall/patio only) 2401 S. Oneida St Agent: Jake Dryer
 India Bhavan LLC dba India Bhavan 2611 Holmgren Way Agent: Damodhar Shankar
 Red Lobster Hospitality LLC dba Red Lobster #155 1251 Lombardi Access Road Agent: James A. Deal
 Sammy's Pizza of Green Bay, Inc. dba Sammy's Pizza 2161 S. Oneida St Agent: Jesse A. Reckelberg
 The following renewal applications have been received for a Class "B" Retail License (BEER) and "Class B" LIQUOR (COMBO-EXCEPTION) under exception to quota:
 Dave & Buster's of Wisconsin LLC dba Dave & Buster's 431 Bay Park Square Agent: Jason E. Stolpa
 LOF2 Green Bay TRS LLC dba Delta Hotels by Marriott 2750 Ramada Way Agent: Jonathan Hicks
 The following renewal applications have been received for a retail Class "B" Retail License (BEER) and "Class C" License (WINE):
 Mongolian Grill Restaurant Oper. dba HuHot Mongolian Grill 2621 S. Oneida St, Suite 103 Agent: Andrew Weston
 Vap
 MC Ashwaubenon Inc. dba

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Millions Crab 2800 S. Oneida St. Agent: Sze Yin Commi Tong
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LIQUOR LICENSES 2024-2025
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS TO DEAL IN INTOXICATING LIQUOR AND/OR FERMENTED MALT BEVERAGES HAVE BEEN FILED WITH THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF DE PERE, BROWN COUNTY, WISCONSIN:
CLASS "A" BEER & "CLASS A" LIQUOR
 1. Braj Convenience Store LLC (DBA Main Avenue BP), 1501 Main Av. Submitted by Braj Convenience Store LLC, Agent: Basudev Adhikari, Kohler WI.
 2. Ganesh Enterprise Inc. (DBA Reid St Mobil), 401 Reid St. Submitted by Ganesh Enterprise Inc., Agent: Pradip Patel, De Pere WI.
 3. Krist Oil Company (DBA Krist Food Mart #92), 1218 Grant St. Submitted by Krist Oil Company, Agent: Rebecca Armstrong, De Pere WI.
 4. Kwik Trip, Inc. (DBA Kwik Trip #127), 746 Main Av. Submitted by Kwik Trip, Inc., Agent: Robert Gartzke, Green Bay WI.
 5. Kwik Trip, Inc. (DBA Kwik Trip #1060), 1620 Lawrence Dr. Submitted by Kwik Trip, Inc., Agent: Daniel Schmidt, Wrightstown WI.
 6. Saeva-Johnson Liquor LLC (DBA The Wine Cellar), 813 Main Av. Submitted by Saeva-Johnson Liquor LLC, Agent: Patrick Johnson, Green Bay WI.
 7. SmithMaker Artisan Co., LLC (DBA SmithMaker Artisan Co.), 116 N Broadway. Submitted by SmithMaker Artisan Co., LLC, Agent: Ruth Fameree, De Pere WI.
 8. Trackside Fort LLC (DBA Fairground BP), 1605 Ft Howard Av. Submitted by Trackside Fort LLC, Agent: Emraj Sen, De Pere WI.
CLASS "B" BEER
 1. Radue Cinemas Inc. (DBA De Pere Cinema), 417 George St. Submitted by Radue Cinemas Inc., Agent: Vicki Radue, Luxemburg WI.
CLASS "B" BEER/"CLASS C" WINE
 1. Aurora Rose LLC (DBA Delights Bakery & Café), 143 N Wisconsin St. Submitted by Aurora Rose LLC, Agent: Heather Weisspeters, Denmark WI.
CLASS "B" BEER & "CLASS B" LIQUOR
 1. Alchris LLC (DBA Drift Inn), 1535 N Ashland Av. Submitted by Alchris LLC, Agent: Gail Koslovsky, De Pere WI.
 2. Baba Louies LLC (DBA Baba Louies), 419 Main Av. Submitted by Baba Louies LLC, Agent: James Kropp, Green Bay WI.
 3. Bryan Vander Bloomen (DBA Replay Sports Bar & Grill), 1731 Ft. Howard Av. Agent: Bryan Vander Bloomen, De Pere WI.
 4. Caliente, Inc. (DBA Caliente), 623 George St. Submitted by Caliente, Inc., Agent: Ann DeCleene, De Pere WI.
 5. DC Restaurant Inc. (DBA Chicago Street Pub/Island Sushi/Swan Club), 875 Heritage Rd. Submitted by DC Restaurant Inc., Agent: Greg DeCleene, De Pere WI.
 6. De Pere Cultural Foundation, Inc. (DBA Mulva Cultural Center), 221 S Broadway. Submitted by De Pere Cultural Foundation, Inc., Agent: Marvin Wall, De Pere WI.
 7. El Maya Mexican Restaurant, Inc. (DBA El Maya), 1049 Main Av. Submitted by El Maya Mexican Restaurant, Inc., Agent: Fe Montalvo, Kaukauna WI.
 8. L & S Enterprises of Green

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Bay LLC (DBA Get Reck'd), 617 Birch St. Submitted by L & S Enterprises of Green Bay LLC, Agent: Scott Reckelberg, Green Bay WI.
 9. La Catrina Restaurant & Tortilleria (DBA La Catrina Restaurant), 310 N Wisconsin St Suite F. Submitted by La Catrina Restaurant & Tortilleria, Agent: Samuel Eason, Green Bay WI.
 10. La Vie Carrie, LLC (DBA La Vie Taverne), 421 George St. Submitted by La Vie Carrie, LLC, Agent: Carrie Cameron-McDonald, De Pere WI.
 11. The Landing Bar & Grill LLC (DBA The Landing Bar & Grill), 1605 Ft Howard Av. Submitted by The Landing Bar & Grill LLC, Agent: Elizabeth Vandeyacht, Suamico WI.
 12. Nuk's Thai LLC (DBA Nuk's Thai Cuisine & Executive Suites), 201 James St. Submitted by Nuk's Thai LLC, Agent: Manasanoke Chanthasena, De Pere WI.
 13. The Porch Bar LLC (DBA The Porch), 365 Main Av Suite D. Submitted by The Porch Bar LLC, Agent: Jackson Mankowski, De Pere WI.
 14. Re-Serve Capacity & Supply, LLC (DBA The Longbranch), 334 Main Av. Submitted by Re-Serve Capacity & Supply, LLC, Agent: Kevin Bauer, De Pere WI.
 15. Stella's on Main LLC (DBA Stella's on Main), 401 Main Av. Submitted by Stella's on Main LLC, Agent: William Schleis, Green Bay WI.
CLASS "B" BEER & "CLASS B" LIQUOR RESERVE
 1. Birder Studio of Performing Arts (DBA Broadway Theatre), 123 S Broadway. Submitted by Birder Studio of Performing Arts, Agent: Paul Bakken, De Pere WI.
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Notice of Branch Establishment
 Notice is hereby given that North Shore Bank, 15700 West Bluemound Road, Brookfield, Wisconsin, 53005 has made application to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation for purposes of establishing a branch office location at 820 Main Avenue, De Pere, WI 54115.
 Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his or her comments in writing with the regional director of the FDIC's Chicago Regional Office at 300 South Riverside Plaza, Suite 1700 Chicago, Illinois 60606, not later than June 30, 2024. The non-confidential portions of the application are on file at the appropriate FDIC office and are available for public inspection during business hours. Photocopies of the non-confidential portion of the application will be made available upon request.
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STATE OF WISCONSIN - CIRCUIT COURT - BROWN COUNTY
CREATIVE FINANCE, INC.
 815 Business Park Road PO Box 454
 Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965, Plaintiff,
 v.
JACQUEZ SHALIQUE SCHWARTZ
 942 Rockwell Road
 Green Bay, WI 54313
 Defendant.
 Case No. 24CV722
SUMMONS

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN
 To each person named above as a Defendant:
 You are hereby notified that the Plaintiff named above Creative Finance, Inc., by its attorney, Christopher M. Kern, filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you.

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Within Forty (40) days the 11th day of June, 2024, you must respond with a written demand for a copy of the Complaint. The demand must be sent or delivered to the Court, whose address is: Clerk of Circuit Court, Brown County Courthouse, 100 South Jefferson Street, PO Box 23600, Green Bay, Wisconsin 54305, and to Plaintiff's attorney, Christopher M. Kern, 815 Business Park Road, PO Box 454, Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin, 53965. You may have an attorney help or represent you.
 If you do not provide a proper answer within forty (40) days, the Court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the Complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.
 Dated this 11th day of June, 2024.
General Counsel for Plaintiff
Signed By: Christopher M. Kern
 Christopher M. Kern
 State Bar Number: 1093883
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Hobart WNAXLP

VILLAGE OF HOBART NOTICE OF LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATIONS
 The Village of Hobart has received the following renewal applications for Combination Class "B" Beer and "Class B" Liquor Retail Licenses for the 2024-2025 licensing period:
 1. Long Drive Inn, LLC dba Long Drive Supper Club – 897 Riverdale Drive
 Agent: Thomas Jackson – 2693 E. River Drive, Green Bay, WI 54301
 2. Oneida Golf Enterprise dba Thornberry Creek at Oneida – 4470 N. Pine Tree Road
 Agent: Brandon Bunker – 3182 Trenton Lane, Green Bay, WI 54313
 3. Fleet & Alice's Gas Light Inn – 915 Edgar Drive
 Agent: David Jordan – 915 Edgar Drive, Hobart, WI 54155
 4. White Eagle Bar & Grill – 2994 E Service Road
 Agent: Wayne Metoxen – 254 Florist Drive, De Pere, WI 54115
 The Village of Hobart has received the following renewal application for Combination Class "B" Beer and Reserve "Class B" Liquor Retail License for the 2024-2025 licensing period:
 1. D2 of Hobart dba D2 Sports Pub– 530 Larsen Orchard Parkway
 Agent: Howard Johnston – 2743 St. Ann Drive, Green Bay, WI 54311
 The Village of Hobart has received the following renewal application for Class "B" Beer Retail License:
 1. Scott's Subs Hobart, LLC – 550 Centennial Centre Boulevard
 Agent: Heather Leonard – 565 Sunlite Drive, Hobart, WI 54155
 The Village of Hobart has received the following renewal applications for Cigarette, Tobacco, and Electronic Vaping Device Retail License:
 1. Jimmy O's Golf Shop – 897 Riverdale Drive
 Agent: James Ostrowski – 1475 W. Marhill Rd, Green Bay, WI 54313
 2. Oneida Golf Enterprise dba

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Thornberry Creek at Oneida – 4470 N. Pine Tree Road
 Agent: Joe Hanrahan – 3481 Baywatch Drive, Green Bay, WI 54311
 The applicants will be considered for licenses at the June 18, 2024 Village of Hobart Board Meeting at 6:00pm.
 Lisa Vanden Heuvel, Hobart Village Clerk
 Published June 7, 2024
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Howard WNAXLP

Resolution 2024-14
RESOLUTION FOR THE APPLICATION OF POTABLE WELL AND SEPTIC SYSTEM CREDITS FOR SANITARY SEWER AND WATER ASSESSMENTS ON PARCEL VH-118-4 AS ESTABLISHED IN RESOLUTION 2024-08
WHEREAS, the Village of Howard approved Resolution 2024-08 on April 12th, 2024 authorizing levying of special assessments against benefited property for sanitary sewer & laterals, watermain & service, and roadway reconstruction on Lineville Road, and Brookfield Avenue, and
WHEREAS, parcel VH-118-4 is located within the area being assessed and is receiving a total assessment of \$29,039.98, and
WHEREAS, the Village of Howard's Policy for Determining Special Assessments approved under resolution 2018-29 allows for a Septic System Credit on properties that can demonstrate the installation of onsite systems within five (5) years previous to the project being assessed based on a five (5) year depreciation schedule of 20% per year if proof of installation is provided that includes a receipt for the work, proof of payment, and copy of permit from Brown County, and
WHEREAS, Village of Howard's Policy for Determining Special Assessments approved under resolution 2018-29 allows for a Potable Well Credit on properties that can demonstrate the installation of onsite systems within five (5) years previous to the project being assessed based on a five (5) year depreciation schedule of 20% per year if proof of installation is provided that includes receipt for the work, and proof of payment., and
WHEREAS, the property owner of parcel VH-118-4 provided the required documentation for these credits on May 8th, 2024, and has shown that they paid \$6,390 for septic system and \$7,200 for a potable well in 2021 and,
WHEREAS, the septic system and well are three years old now creating a depreciation of 60% per policy, which allows for a 40% potable well credit of \$2,880 and a 40% septic system credit of \$2,556,
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Village Board of Howard hereby directs the Village of Howard staff to apply a potable well credit of \$2,880 and a septic system credit of \$2,556 to parcel VH-118-4 for the sanitary sewer and water assessments applied to the property under Resolution 2024-08.
 Approved and adopted by the Village Board of the Village of Howard this 10th day of June, 2024.

Burt McIntyre, Village President
 ATTEST:

Christopher Haltom, Village Clerk
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RESOLUTION NO. 2024 - 15 FINAL RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING LEVYING OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AGAINST BENEFITED PROPERTY FOR SANITARY SEWER & LATERALS, WATERMAIN & SERVICES, STORM SEWER & LATERALS, STORM WATER MANAGEMENT FACILITIES, DRIVEWAYS, SIDEWALKS, CURB & GUTTER, AND ROADWAY RECONSTRUCTION ON SECURITY BOULEVARD, AND THE PLAT OF LANCASTER CREEK RESIDENTIAL ADDITION
 WHEREAS, the Developer waived the public hearing concerning the Preliminary Resolution and the report of the Village Engineer on the proposed improvement, construction, and installation of sanitary sewer & laterals, watermain & services, storm sewer & laterals, storm water management facilities, driveways, sidewalk, curb & gutter, and roadway reconstruction. The areas to be assessed shall be:
 A. The northerly and southerly sides of Security Boulevard, beginning approximately 50 feet west of the intersection with United Drive, continuing westerly along Security Boulevard approximately 300 feet, for sanitary sewer and laterals including: Parcel VH – 727-106-1 Parcel VH – 727-101
 A. The Plat of Lancaster Creek Residential Addition for sanitary sewer and laterals, water main and water services, storm sewer and laterals, sidewalks, concrete roadway, and storm water management facility construction including: Parcel VH – 4337 through VH – 4345
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Village Board of the Village of Howard, Brown County, Wisconsin, as follows:
(1) That the report of the Village Engineer and/or consulting engineers pertaining to the construction of the above described public improvements for installation of sanitary sewer and laterals, watermain and services, storm sewer and laterals, storm water management facilities, driveways, sidewalk, curb and gutter, and roadway reconstruction, including plans and specifications therefore, is adopted and approved.
(2) The Village engineer is authorized to carry out construction and installation in accordance with the Engineer's Report.
(3) That payment for the improvements shall be made by assessing the costs thereof against the above described benefited properties as indicated in the Engineer's Report.
(4) That the Village Board, based in its view of the property and its review of such report determines that the above-described properties are benefited by such public improvements and that the benefits and amounts assessed against each parcel on the basis shown in the report, representing an exercise of the police power, are determined to be on a reasonable basis and are hereby confirmed and approved.
(5) Financing and Payments:
(D) Type G Payment Plan
 i. Special assessments levied against properties as set forth in the Schedule C of the Engineer's Report denoted as "assessment Type G" shall allow deferred payment with bearing interest, at the rate defined in the recorded development agreement annually until such time that

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any of the following events occur:
 1. The property is sold or transferred.
 2. Upon the expiration of a given time set forth in the recorded development agreement from the date of special assessment approval.
 ii. At the time events "1" or "2" occur, the balance of principal, late fees, and penalties, including accrued interest, shall be immediately due and payable in full. Where owners of affected property have not paid the amount due within 30 days, such unpaid amounts shall bear interest on the unpaid balance at the rate set forth in the recorded development agreement annually including late fees, and penalties.
(6) Installment Notice: Notice is hereby given that a contract has been or is about to be let for the above described the improvement and that the amount of the special assessment for the improvement has been determined as to each parcel of real estate affected and a statement of the assessment is on file with the Village Clerk; it is proposed that some of the assessments as described above may be paid in installments, as provided for by section 66.0715 of the Wisconsin Statutes, with interest as described above; that all assessments eligible for installments will be collected in installments as provided above except assessments on property where the owner files with the Village Clerk within 30 days from date of this notice a written notice that the owner elects to pay the special assessment on the owner's property, describing the property, to the Village Treasurer on or before the following November 1, unless the election is revoked. If, after making the election, the property owner fails to make the payment to the Village Treasurer, the entire assessment shall be placed on the following tax roll.
(7) The total amount assessed against benefited properties shall not exceed the total cost of the improvements.
(8) That the Village Clerk of the Village of Howard is directed to publish this resolution as a Class I Notice and is further directed to mail a copy of this resolution and a statement of the Final Assessment against the benefited property to every property owner whose name appears on the assessment roll whose post office address is known or can, with reasonable diligence be ascertained.
(9) If any section, sentence, or clause of this Resolution or any Special Assessment set forth or referenced herein shall be declared invalid for any reasons whatsoever, such decision shall not affect the remaining sections or assessments approved herein, which shall remain in full force and effect.
(10) This Resolution shall remain in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law. Adopted by the Village Board of the Village of Howard, Wisconsin this 10th day of June 2024.
 VILLAGE OF HOWARD
 Burt R McIntyre, Village President
 ATTEST:
 Christopher A. Haltom, Village Clerk
 Published: 06 14 24 WNAXLP

Howard WNAXLP
The Village of Howard Board of Trustees has received the following renewal 2024-2025 Class A beer and liquor license applications:
Establishment Applicant
 Walgreen Co. / Walgreen's # 06569, 464 Cardinal Ln., Green Bay Andrew Hartman
The Village of Howard

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Board of Trustees has received the following renewal 2024-2025 Class B beer and liquor license applications:
Establishment Applicant
 Boehmer's II LLC, / B2 Bar & Grill, 4054 Shawano Ave., Green Bay Eric Boehm Boehmer's II LLC, / Boehmer's Bar, 2318 Velp Ave., Green Bay Eric Boehm FR Marshall Enterprises LLC / Josephine's Pizza and Pastaria, 2560 Glendale Ave., Green Bay Frank Marshall The Clubhouse Indoor Golf, 2445 Lineville Rd, Green Bay Andrew Hucek
 The Watering Hole, 2107 Velp Ave, Green Bay, Green Bay Benjamin Brunette
The Village Board will consider the license applications on June 24th, 2024 at 6:30 pm. All license applications are open to public inspection from 7:30 am-5:00 pm, Monday through Thursday Friday 7:30 am to 11:30 am at Howard's Village Hall, 2456 Glendale Avenue. Publish 06.14.24 WNAXLP

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Ashwaubenon WNAXLP
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING / PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Public Hearing will be held by the Village Board of the Village of Ashwaubenon, Brown County, Wisconsin, on June 25th, 2024, at 6:00 pm in the Ashwaubenon Village Hall, 2155 Holmgren Way, at which time the Village Board will consider the request to rezone parcels VA-195-7 and VA-195-9 from R-1 One Family Residence to R-3 Multi-Family Residence in the Village of Ashwaubenon, Wisconsin. / **Affected Parcels:** VA-195-7, VA-195-9 / The request is available for inspection during regular business hours at the office of the Village Clerk, 2155 Holmgren Way, Ashwaubenon, Wisconsin. / All interested persons, firms and corporations wishing to be heard are invited to be present and may be heard at this hearing. / Dated this 29th day of May 2024. /s/ Kris A. Teske, Village Clerk
 Publish / RUN: June 7, 2024 & June 14, 2024.

De Pere WNAXLP

Common Council Regular Meeting Final Minutes Tuesday, May 7, 2024 7:30 PM
Council Chambers & Virtual
 The following is a summary of actions taken at the 5/7/24 Common Council meeting. A complete copy of the minutes is available in the Clerk's office at 335 S Broadway, De Pere WI or online at www.deperecitywi.iqm2.com/Citizens/Default.asp
 1. Call to Order. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Mayor James Boyd. Present were Aids. Carpenter, Eserkain, Gantz, Hansen, Kundingler, Ledvina, Perock, & Quigley.
 2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
 3. Appointment of Mike Eserkain as Third District Alderperson to fill vacancy. Motion Ledvina second Kundingler **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
 4. Swearing-in ceremony for Alderperson Mike Eserkain.
 5. Approval of the minutes of the April 16, 2024 Common Council meeting. Motion Carpenter second Perock **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
 6. Public comment upon matters not on the agenda. Comments made during the public comment period shall pertain only to matters under the jurisdiction of the Common Council. §6-3(f) DPMC
 7. Proclamation for National Police Week May 12-18, 2024.
 8. Recommendation from the License Committee on a request by Jared Crampton to

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appear regarding the denial of his operator license application. Motion Carpenter second Gantz **LICENSE GRANTED [UNANIMOUS]**
 9. Recommendation from the Board of Park Commissioners to accept a \$2,500 donation from Greta Johnson to Recreation Scholarship Fund. Motion Kundingler second Ledvina **ACCEPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
 10. Recommendation from the Board of Park Commissioners to accept a \$600 donation from GRAEF for prizes for Beer Gardens. Motion Kundingler second Gantz **ACCEPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
 11. Recommendation from the Board of Park Commissioners on approval of Rental Fees for Nelson Family Pavilion. Motion Hansen second Quigley **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
 12. Recommendation of the Board of Park Commissioners to Approve funding from Pool Referendum for opening Tot Pool during swim lessons at Legion Pool. Motion Ledvina second Gantz **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
 13. Resolution #24-40 Approving the Proposed Project Plan Amendment to Modify the District Boundaries for Tax Incremental Financing District No. 10, City of De Pere, Wisconsin (Boundary Amendment #2) Motion Hansen second Perock **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
 14. Resolution #24-41 Establishing the District Boundaries of and Approving the Project Plan for Tax Incremental Financing District No. 18, City of De Pere, Wisconsin. Motion Quigley second Gantz **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**
 15. Appointment by Mayor Boyd to the Historic Preservation Commission. Motion Hansen second Perock **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
 16. Appointment of Alderperson Eserkain to the Board of Park Commissioners and the Board of Public Works. Motion Ledvina second Gantz **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
 17. Future agenda items.
 18. Adjournment. Motion Perock second Eserkain to adjourn the meeting at 7:48 PM. [UNANIMOUS]
 Respectfully submitted, City Clerk Carey Danen Publish 06.14.24 WNAXLP

De Pere WNAXLP

License Committee Regular Meeting Final Minutes Tuesday, May 7, 2024 7:00 PM
Council Chambers & Virtual
 The following is a summary of actions taken at the 5/7/24 License Committee meeting. A complete copy of the minutes is available in the Clerk's office at 335 S Broadway, De Pere WI or online at <http://deperecitywi.iqm2.com/Citizens/Default.asp>
 1. Call to Order. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Alderperson Dan Carpenter. Present were Aids. Carpenter, Gantz, & Perock, City Attorney Tony Wachewicz and City Clerk Carey Danen.
 2. Approval of the minutes of the April 16, 2024 License Committee meeting. Motion Carpenter second Perock **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
 3. Public comment upon matters not on the agenda. Comments made during the public comment period shall pertain only to matters under the jurisdiction of the License Committee. §6-3(f) DPMC
 4. Election of the Chair. Perock nominated Carpenter as Chair, seconded by Gantz. **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
 5. Election of the Vice Chair. Perock nominated Gantz as Vice Chair, seconded by Carpenter. **APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]**
 6. Request by Jared Crampton to appear before the License Committee

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regarding the denial of his operator license application.* Motion Carpenter second Perock to open the meeting. [UNANIMOUS] The applicant answered questions from committee members. Motion Carpenter second Perock to close the meeting. [UNANIMOUS] Motion Gantz second Carpenter **LICENSE GRANTED [UNANIMOUS]**
 7. Future agenda items.
 8. Adjournment.
 Motion Carpenter second Perock to adjourn the meeting at 7:18 PM. [UNANIMOUS]
 Respectfully submitted, City Clerk Carey Danen Publish 06.14.24 WNAXLP

Hobart WNAXLP

VILLAGE OF HOBART - NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING July 2nd 2024 (6:00 PM) 2703 South Pine Tree Road, Hobart WI 54155
 The Hobart Village Board will hold the following Public Hearing on July 2nd 2024 at 6:00 p.m. at the Hobart Fire Station #1 (2703 South Pine Tree Road, Hobart WI 54155) for the purpose of gathering input on the following:
 1. Consider a Conditional Use Permit for a Community Living Arrangement (4735 Fonda Fields Court) – This is a continuation of the June 4th Public Hearing.
 The materials for the hearing will be available on the Village website at www.hobart-wi.org/village-board and at the Village office for public inspection starting June 5th 2024 through July 2nd 2024 during regular office hours. Office hours are Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The Village Board will take comments from the public and act on the proposed items at the board meeting immediately following the public hearing.
 Lisa Vanden Heuvel, Hobart Village Clerk
 Published June 7th 2024 and June 14th 2024 WNAXLP

Suamico WNAXLP

VILLAGE OF SUAMICO NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
 The Village of Suamico Board of Appeals will be holding the following Public Hearing at the Suamico Municipal Services Center, 12781 Velp Avenue on **Tuesday, June 25, 2024** starting at **6:00 P.M.** for the following:
 A variance request by Julie and Andrew Podlasik, 2131 Roberta Court, to allow for a reduced side yard set-back to construct a pool on parcel SU-2605. The property is located on the west side of Roberta Court, 140 feet north of Moose Creek Trail.
 Michelle Bartoletti, Clerk Village of Suamico Publish 06.14.24 WNAXLP

Suamico WNAXLP

VILLAGE OF SUAMICO NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
 The Village of Suamico Board of Appeals will be holding the following Public Hearing at the Suamico Municipal Services Center, 12781 Velp Avenue on **Tuesday, June 25, 2024** starting at **6:00 P.M.** for the following:
 A variance request by Dave Schill, 2318 Skyline Pines for a front yard garage on Parcel SU-933-C-22. The property is located on the west side of Skyline Pines, 700 feet south of Rustic Haven Lane..
 Michelle Bartoletti, Clerk Village of Suamico Publish 06.14.24 WNAXLP

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Howard-Suamico WNAXLP
Regular Board of Education Meeting – May 13, 2024 Present: Greg Klimek, Amy Rubright, Chrissy Amtmann, Allen McGuire, Vanessa Moran, Jessica Gagan, Student Representative

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Also Present: Damian LaCroix, Mark Smith, Mike Juech, Kimberly Uelmen, Jennie Garceau, Elisa Lewis
Excused: Rachelle Paulsen, Scott Jandrin
 President Greg Klimek called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.
Clergy and Civic Community Conversation – Several leaders representing clergy and civic participated in a conversation with Board members and District staff regarding partnerships and collaboration.
 6:25 p.m. **Madeline Thoreson arrived. Recognition of Staff Appreciation Week May 6-10 and Student Representative to the Board, Madeline Thoreson** – Board President, Greg Klimek, recognized Madeline Thoreson for her outstanding service and commitment as a Student Representative to the Board. Klimek also read a resolution in recognition of **Staff Appreciation Week (May 6-10)**.
 A MOTION was made by Chrissy Amtmann and seconded by Amy Rubright to adopt the agenda. A vote was taken on the motion; 5-YES; **MOTION CARRIED.**
Consent Agenda: A MOTION was made by Chrissy Amtmann and seconded by Amy Rubright to approve the consent agenda, including minutes of the Regular Board Meeting April 29, 2024; approval of vouchers and invoices in the amount of \$3,632,124.13 through May 13, 2024; resignation of Carisa Lueck, employment of Amelia Carlson, Erin Gleason, Emily Landwehr, Kerri Katzka, Carly Richards, Lydiah Styczynski, Robin Wabalickis, and Ashley Zipperer, contingent upon successful completion of all pre-employment requirements including release of contract from other District if applicable, as detailed in the consent materials.. A vote was taken on the motion; 5 – YES – **MOTION CARRIED.**
Reports
Administrative Superintendent Behavioral Framework Informational Update – Deputy Superintendent Mark Smith gave a brief introduction followed by a presentation led by Angela Buchenauer, Dir. of Student Services, & Jennie Garceau, Exec. Dir. of Student Services, along with staff from Lineville and Bay Harbor. An update on the district's efforts to implement a consistent behavioral framework for K-8 was provided.
Board Student Representatives to the Board Report – Student representatives shared information on state forensics, the results of the musical, athletic updates, and graduation planning.
CESA 7 Report – Amy Rubright reported that the WASB spring workshop is May 14, followed by the delegate convention on May 22. Amy also shared that Head Start would be reducing its overall headcount.
Public Policy Report – Vanessa Moran provided an Act 20 update.
Board President Board Development Student Representative to the Board Introduction – Greg Klimek introduced the new Student Representative to the Board, Heidi Wustrack, who will officially begin her term in June.
Governance Process GP-6 Board Committees Monitoring Report – A MOTION was made by Chrissy Amtmann and seconded by Vanessa Moran to approve GP-6 Board Committees Monitoring Report at level 1, in full compliance. A vote was taken on the motion; 5 – YES – **MOTION CARRIED.**
Review May Broadcast Communication Article – The Board reviewed the May Broadcast Communication Article – *Student Representative to the Board.*

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Greg Klimek will draft the June article – *Bay Port Commencement.*
Discuss WASB Convention 2025 Request for Session Proposal – The Board discussed submitting a proposal on the Staff Appreciation event/CARE Awards which involved a lot of collaboration. Scott Jandrin was nominated to write the proposal for submission.
Discuss School Board Resolutions for Delegate Assembly – The purpose of this agenda item was to give Board members adequate time to think about the submission of possible resolutions prior to the September 15, 2024 deadline.
Upcoming Events – Board members reviewed upcoming events.
June Board Meeting Agenda Items – The Board reviewed the Agenda Planning Calendar.
Debrief Community Conversation – Board members shared initial feedback from today's Clergy & Civic Community Conversation.
 A MOTION was made by Greg Klimek and seconded by Chrissy Amtmann to adjourn at 7:51 p.m. A vote was taken on the motion; 5-YES; **MOTION CARRIED.**
 Respectfully submitted, Kelly Garland & Lisa Harmann, Recording Secretaries Publish 06.14.24 WNAXLP

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Nicolet NATIONAL BANK PRESENTS **Senior Spotlight**

Easton Arendt, De Pere High School, baseball and football

Parents' names: Jason and Karianne Arendt
Siblings: Siena and Jordiana Arendt
Instagram: @easton.arendt
Twitter: @EastonArendt
Position or events: Baseball-outfield and pitcher; football-QB and DB
Career highlight: It would either be hitting a solo home run to tie the game in the sectional final or making a one handed diving touchdown in a football game.
At what age did you start playing your main sport? Three to five years old.
Who introduced you to the sport? My dad.
Has this always been

your favorite sport? No.
How has balancing academics and athletics been different for you from your freshman year to your senior year? Freshman year was more of a grind academically than senior year.
What is your favorite part about this sport? What about it has caused you to stick with it for this long? The bond of teammates and how playing the game makes me feel.
Is there a professional athlete you look up to? If so, who? Ronald Acuna Jr. because of his work ethic and how he plays the sport.
What would you say is



Arendt

your biggest asset on the field? My athletic ability along with my knowledge of the

game(s).
What has been your most memorable experience in high school sports so far? Making it to the State Tournament for baseball my senior year.
How does it feel as a senior, to look back throughout high school and see your growth (as a person and athlete)? It feels great! Looking back to see how much I've grown in my sport and as a person is incredible.
Do you have any pre-match rituals/routines/superstitions? Listen to music and pray.
Do you take any extra steps to prepare for a big match/game/meet, outside of regular practices?

No. I do everything the same — superstition!
Any memorable coaches or teammates you'd like to give a shout out to? My dad for sure.
Any hobbies outside of sports? Hanging out with friends and family.
Favorite song? There are too many good songs to pick a favorite.
Sports drinks like Gatorade and Powerade or water? Gatorade or energy drinks.
What is a fun fact about yourself? I only have seven fingers.
Future Plans? Playing college baseball at Winona State University.



Bellin Children's Run

The 2024 Bellin Children's Run brought out hundreds of young participants to kick off the Bellin Run weekend on Friday, June 7. **Staff photo**

Rockers topple the Chinooks for second time in two days

Green Bay sweeps first series of the summer against Lakeshore

ASHWAUBENON – The Rockers weathered a series of storms from the Chinooks en route to a 5-3 victory at Capital Credit Union Park. By the end of the contest, Green Bay stranded 13 Lakeshore batters on base. Though, it was the Rocker offense that came out the gates with urgency. With back-to-back RBI singles from DH Jake Bold (Princeton) and infielder Sam Miller (Columbia), Green Bay got out to an early 2-0 lead.



The Green Bay Rockers secured the sweep against the Lakeshore Chinooks in their recent matchup. **Green Bay Rockers photo**

The Rockers maintained that advantage behind some stellar pitching from Jagger Edwards (Columbia). The Texas native went four innings in his first start of the summer, only giving up one run while fanning seven at the plate. Lakeshore eventually responded with a pair of runs: one in the fourth and one in the fifth. However, that was as close as the Chinooks would get. In the bottom of the sixth inning, Green Bay

infielder Cooper Kelly (Oral Roberts) and catcher Mason Eckelman (Ohio State) brought in runners with consecutive singles. Then, infielder Lane Allen (Blinn) added a third score on a fielder's choice RBI. The Chinooks made a push at the top of the seventh, loading the bases with no outs, down three. But that's when the Rockers went to bullpen and called on Nainoa Cardinez (Hawaii). The third-year Rocker entered the

contest and proceeded to strike out two batters to escape the jam. From there, Cardinez only gave up one hit over the final two frames and helped seal the deal for Green Bay. And in doing so, the rightly propelled the Rockers to their first back-to-back wins of the summer. The Rockers set out to make it three in a row when they hosted the Wisconsin Rapids Rafters on Tuesday, June 11 at 6:35 p.m.

GCAW announces Academic All-State Awards

FOR THE PRESS TIMES

The Golf Coaches Association of Wisconsin (GCAW) has recently announced their Academic All-State awards and honorees. The team award recognizes high school golf teams for their academic accomplishments based on the highest GPAs in the area at the time of the WIAA Regional Tournament. The three highest GPAs in the area are recognized with gold, silver and bronze notoriety while every other team with a cumulative GPA over 3.25 is recognized with honorable mention. Individual awards require that a participant has a cumulative 3.25 GPA, participated in 75% of their 2024 high school meets, must be in good standing with the school and must be a sophomore, junior or senior. Recipients received either honors, high honors or highest honors recognition.

Girls Team Division 1

- Ashwaubenon High School, Bronze
- Bay Port High School, Honorable Mention
- De Pere High School, Honorable Mention
- Green Bay Preble Co-op, Honorable Mention

Girls Team Division 2

- Notre Dame Academy, Honorable Mention

Boys Team Division 1

- Ashwaubenon High School, Honorable Mention
- Green Bay Preble High School, Honorable Mention
- Notre Dame Academy, Honorable Mention

Girls Individual Division 1

- Sophia Zabel, Ella Senger, Lainey Prunty, Ava Gerend, Bella Dual - Ashwaubenon High School
- Ava Beranek, Kristina Kruse, Chloe Strunk, Payton Duda, Adalyn Johnston - Bay Port High School
- Mallory Buntin, Julianne Bradford, Gabby Hauser - De Pere High School
- Audra Kasper, Lily Wiitanen - Green Bay Preble High School
- Vivien Ninham, Ella Ficarri, Grace Olson, Charlie Lasecki, Ella Trewartha - Pulaski High School
- Lillian Spry, Reese Osowski, Ava Hoffman - West De Pere High School

Boys Individual Division 1

- Zachary Kelly, Robby Smits, Michael Nelson, Gavin Averbeck, Ryan Beyer - Ashwaubenon High School
- Austin Soli, Brandon Kugel, Andrew VandenAvond, Carson LeCapitaine - Green Bay Preble High School
- Ethan LeCaptain, Sam Behrend, Thomas Bobinski - Notre Dame Academy
- Dylan Carley, Connor Burant, Colin Schultz - Pulaski High School
- Cody Gevers, Mason Haupt, Isaac Sinkula, Ethan Heck - West De Pere High School

Boys Individual Division 2

- Pace Jefferson, Nathaniel Krull, Charlie Laurent - Seymour High School

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Get to Know Your Green Bay Rockers

Jake Bold

Position: Catcher
Jersey Number: 18
Hometown: La Jolla, Calif.
School: Princeton
Instagram: @jake_bold13
Number of Seasons with Rockers:
 This is my first year
Career Highlight: A walkoff single against Columbia my freshman year.



Bold

Who has been the biggest influence on your baseball career?

My high school baseball coach John Edman.

What is something unique that you have learned through playing baseball?

How to deal with failure and stay positive after an error or a strikeout.

What professional baseball player have you always looked up to? Why?

Tommy Edman because he is from my high school and was able to help teach me some things about the game and be a good role model as someone who is a good person and a hard worker.

What kind of music do you like to listen to before a game?

I like to listen to rap and house music.

Favorite form of recovery?

Sleep and cold tub/hot tub.

Who is your biggest supporter?

My family; my dad, mom and sister.

What's your favorite board game/

video game?

"MLB: The Show."

What's your favorite ice cream flavor?

Cookies and cream.

Would you rather play a game under the lights or during the day?

Under the lights.

Have you ever played any other sports before?

I played basketball and football in middle school.

What's your favorite sports movie?

"Moneyball."

McCABE

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He averaged 25 points as a junior, committing to West Virginia before the season.

McCabe led all scorers with 32 points in the Division 2 state championship game as a senior in 2018 and made the game-winning shot with 3.5 seconds left in a 76-74 victory over Milwaukee Washington.

After his senior season, he earned Associated Press State Player of the Year and was named Mr. Basketball by the Wisconsin Basketball Coaches Association.

McCabe finished his high school career as the state's sixth all-time leading scorer with 2,442 points and was a four-year starter at Kaukauna (2015-18), averaging almost 27 points per contest during his high school career.

Through all the accolades, McCabe said his coaching at such a young age – as he did for a year at West Virginia in 2023-24 under interim head coach Josh Eilert – prepared him for coaching at UWGB.

"I've thought about the age gap between me and the players I coach," he said. "How does that dynamic work and what kind of value do you bring? What I figured out is, I can be a bridge between player and coach in an impactful way – I'm still navigating that. I think there is a lot of value in what I can bring to a team. With my

close age to the players, I can relate more and connect with them."

Getting hired at UWGB

McCabe said his relationship with Wicks started way before his playing career ended.

"I think it was at a Chris Paul (NBA player for the Golden State Warriors) camp in late middle school or early high school," he said. "Coach Wicks was helping at that camp and was my coach there – I fell in love with his energy, and it had a lasting impact."

McCabe said when Wicks left for Wyoming after this past season, "there was a sense of uncertainty, but I wasn't nervous."

"In the new world of college basketball, change is the only constant (with the transfer portal and players leaving early for the NBA draft)," he said. "When Coach Gottlieb was hired, we were all confident in a matter of days in his ability to connect with people and his vision going forward."

Gottlieb was named the 10th head coach in Green Bay men's basketball history in mid-May.

Gottlieb, well-known for his broadcasting career, brings with him a wealth of experience as a player, commentator, analyst and coach in the basketball world.

As a broadcaster, he

currently hosts the Doug Gottlieb Show on Fox Sports Radio and All Ball, a podcast covering the biggest stories across college basketball and the NBA.

"At first, I think there was uncertainty for (Gottlieb) as well," McCabe said. "The way he and I talked early on, I think he saw the vision Coach Wicks had for me as a recruiter assistant. Being from the (Fox) Valley. When I walk into a high school gym in Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois and Michigan, it will be nice to have a recognizable face for those athletes – that gets the conversation started. I think (Gottlieb) trusted in my ability to foster and grow relationships everywhere, but specifically in recruiting. He had enough trust and faith to keep me onboard in that spot."

McCabe said it's a new coach's choice if they retain assistants for the program.

"It's all up them – whether they retain an assistant coach or cut 'dead weight,'" he said. "I can say, there was no 'dead weight' left here at Green Bay with how they put together the staff. It's a two-party deal, and both parties have to come to an agreement that this is the right place for them. Coach Gottlieb and I came to that conclusion quite quickly."

JAMES

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tively impact the community through his knowledge and experience with living a healthy lifestyle.

"I currently visit schools to do fitness promotions and to talk about the importance of health. I just visited Eisenhower Elementary. It was my second year and I was invited back this year to their career fair. That is something I want to keep doing – I believe that is what I feel like I am called to do," said James.

James said that the main purpose of all the work he has put into the Mr. Health and Fitness competition has been to not only serve as an inspiration to those around him, but to affect actual change for children and families experiencing the physical, financial and mental hardship of childhood cancer.

"That's why this is so important to me. The Andrew McDonough B+ Foundation is so important because there are so many lives being saved through it and it is necessary to represent the Green Bay community," said James.

"There are people in different communities who depend on this and I really want to make a difference for these kids. Being a father and husband, I look at my own family. Through my work at Peak Performance I can see how this is helping so many people, but to be able to spread awareness and positivity across the nation through this, I think that is like a win-win."

How to help

As the competition has intensified, James said that he is thankful for the support of the entire Green Bay community.

"This week is so critical for this challenge. I want to continue helping, but I can't if I don't make it through," said James.

The competition looks to select a winner of the Mr. Health and Fitness title by July.

"I didn't just want to do this as a fitness competition, because that's not what this is. I think it represents a well-rounded person who does everything they can for their community and believes fully in what they are doing. Muscle Magazine decided to team up with the Andrew McDonough B+ Foundation as a charity. This is actually a charity through the foundation as they are attached to the magazine for Mr. Health and Fitness 2024," said James.

"That's the reason behind this all. I figured it was my time to do this. I've never done a fitness show or physique show before. This is much more important to me than just that side of it. I do believe in the health and fitness side, so this al-



Local personal trainer and business owner Cortez James has been in the running for Mr. Health and Fitness 2024 in an effort to promote a healthy lifestyle and to raise funding for the Andrew McDonough B+ Foundation for childhood cancer.

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lows me to put my passions together."

People from the local community can help James advance to the next round of the Mr. Health and Fitness competition to support the Green Bay community and the B+ Foundation by making monetary donations or casting free votes through the Mr. Health and Fitness website.

"Honestly, right now, I can't believe that there are this many people that want me to win this. I mean, I'm a personal trainer in Green Bay. Outside of Wisconsin, people think of Green Bay and they hear about the Packers and that's all really popular but no one really knows about all of this that's going on. I think this is almost hidden, but this is on a national scale. There are so many people now who want to get involved and help out. For me, it's not even about winning this competition, I just know what I can bring to the community if I do get a chance to win," said James.

Making fitness a lifestyle

James said that on a personal level, he has become even more enamored with the power of living a healthy lifestyle through his own fitness journey.

"Just seeing how much a human being can do is inspiring. I think that humanity is the greatest gift given. To be able to take care of yourself is to be able to take care of others. I've seen myself grow mentally and physically. I've seen people in my family grow mentally and physically, as well as my clients. If that is working for everyone in my community, why not anywhere else," said James.

James said that although his training has been intense, he continues to prioritize the competition because of the good it can do for families across the nation.

"Right now I do everything I can to go through every endurance challenge. I do crossfit, bodybuilding. I ride my bike and do

sprints to burn body fat. My diet goes from low-carb to high-carb every other week so that way I am even. I believe that hypertrophy is the answer to burning fat, through bulking. I make sure that through my diet I am bulking in areas I need to be bulking in and remaining lean in areas that need leanness. I challenge myself to everything," said James.

"Everything I teach my clients, I have to know how to do, too."

Helping the local community has become a true passion for James, and he said he is hoping to be able to continue this work on the national level by advancing through the Mr. Health and Fitness competition.

"My goal is to make sure that I am not doing just a bodybuilding or fitness competition. There is so much more to me than just lifting weights and things of that nature. I take care of so many people. The people that come in here can then take care of their families because I am showing them that health and fitness is a lifestyle," said James.

James said that he is thrilled to know that even attempting this competition has served as an inspiration to his clients and the local community.

"Through everything I do outside with visiting schools and doing promotions and then being here all day too making sure my clients are doing okay and to be able to still train for a competition through this – I think the mental side of things is so underrated," said James.

Since James began the competition, only 60 people were selected for his group out of the multitude who applied nationally.

For more information on James's progress and Peak Performance LLC, follow @peakperflc on Facebook.

Votes for James can be cast at mrhealthandfit.com/2024/cortez-james

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Boys Basketball

First Team

- Will Hornseth, De Pere, 12
- Zach Kinziger, De Pere, 11
- Drew Tomashek, Ashwaubenon, 12
- Colin Schultz, Pulaski, 11
- Jayden Schoen, Ashwaubenon, 12
- Cale Buboltz, Sheboygan

- North, 11
- Pryce Gregoire, De Pere, 11

Second Team

- Jackson Sims, Ashwaubenon, 12
- Blake Buchinger, Bay Port, 12
- Brayden Steinbecker, Manitowoc Lincoln, 11
- Adam Guyette, Notre Dame, 11

- Edward Bolchen, Manitowoc Lincoln, 11
- Roan Demovsky, De Pere, 11

Honorable Mention

- Maddox Coarnette, Bay Port, 11
- Ben Willihnganz, De Pere, 12

- Blake Buhr, Sheboygan North, 10
- Andrew Rader, Notre Dame, 11
- Jack Thorpe, Green Bay Preble, 12
- AJ Uhl, Bay Port, 12
- Aidan Niehuis, Sheboygan

- South, 12
- Sawyer Durkee, Bay Port, 10
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James recently visited Eisenhower Elementary School in an effort to promote health and fitness to the children at their 2024 career fair.

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Local trainer looks to community to help in battle against childhood cancer

Cortez James in running for Mr. Health and Fitness, B+ Foundation

BY TORI WITTENBROCK
ASSOCIATE SPORTS EDITOR

GREEN BAY – Local personal trainer and business owner Cortez James, 41, has been in the running for Mr. Health and Fitness 2024 with the mission to bring awareness and funding to the Andrew McDonough B+ Foundation to battle childhood cancer.

Through a national platform, supporters cast their votes as well as monetary donations to push James through to the next round in pursuit of the 2024 Mr. Health and Fitness title.

“This is really all about the B+

Foundation — not me or Peak Performance. This is all for the local community and society as a whole. It’s not just about me winning. It would be cool if Green Bay gets it, but I want them to understand why they are giving their time and money,” said James.

As the owner of Peak Performance LLC, James said that he has been dedicated to improving the lives of those seeking health and fitness expertise in the Green Bay area for over 14 years.

“I first started out as an engineer. While I was working in engineering, I got injured by tearing my ACL and then my patellar, so I

was out of work for a while.” said James.

“I came back and was rehabbing myself to even better health. I realized that was kind of the path for me and I got really into health and fitness and it just kind of blew up from there.”

James said that his life experiences have greatly influenced who he is today and his priorities as a husband, father and trainer.

“I came to the U.S. at two years of age from Montego Bay, Jamaica, and ever since then I have only been encouraged to see the good in all things and all people,” said James.

A family man

After meeting his wife in Milwaukee and working as a personal trainer at Xperience Fitness for three to four years, the couple decided to relocate to the Green Bay area where James continued his work as a trainer for another six to seven years.

James said that throughout their nine years of marriage, he and his wife have always worked to prioritize the needs of their community over themselves — something they look to teach their seven-year-old son as well.

“My wife does a lot for the com-

munity. She is a social worker for the VA. I am a husband and father, and outside of that, health and fitness is my life,” said James.

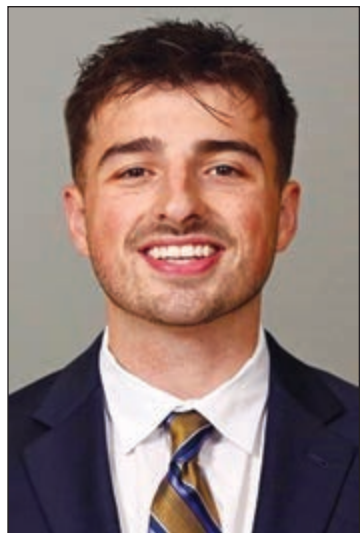
Eventually, Cortez decided to branch out on his own and became the sole owner of Peak Performance LLC, where he has been working for four years out of his location in Green Bay.

Prioritizing the community

Aside from his work and family life, James said that he is constantly looking for ways to posi-

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McCabe back home with Green Bay Phoenix men’s basketball



McCabe

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CONTRIBUTING WRITER

GREEN BAY – Former Kaukauna High School basketball standout Jordan McCabe is back home.

The West Virginia University and UNLV (University of Nevada, Las Vegas) collegiate player was recently announced as an assistant coach for the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay (UWGB) men’s basketball team.

McCabe was offered the job when former UWGB Coach Sundance Wicks was still on staff, but current Coach Doug Gottlieb retained him.

After leading the Phoenix to an overall record of 18-14 and 13-7 in Horizon League play this season, Wicks accepted the head job at the University of Wyoming.

“It means everything to come back home to me,” McCabe said. “The Fox Valley area is the place that raised me – I moved around a lot as a kid. But Northeastern Wisconsin is my family and the place I call home. I couldn’t be more excited to push a great culture forward at Green Bay.”

The 25-year-old McCabe said coaching was always in the back of his mind, even when he was playing in high school.

“Funny enough, coaching start-

ed to become front of mind when I was playing at Kaukauna,” he said. “I’ve had the privilege of playing for some great coaches, but I think the one who put the bug in my ear (about coaching) was Coach (Michael) Schalow at Kaukauna. He showed me the impact you can make on a group of players positively – that’s when it started. I don’t think you can say enough great things about Coach Schalow – he’s a great person and coach.”

McCabe said toward the end of his collegiate playing career, he reached out to former West Virginia Coach Bob Huggins, who coached there from 2007-23, about a possible assistant coaching role.

Huggins also coached McCabe when he was a member of the Mountaineers’ team from 2018-21.

“Huggins got me directly into the coaching world,” McCabe said. “After (Huggins) left West Virginia, I was able to stay on (as an assistant coach). I was in love with the job – I hate to even call it a job.”

Coaching at a young age

As a sophomore in 2016, McCabe helped lead the Ghosts to a Division 2 state championship win over Wauwaukee, 91-62 – he was also named the Fox Valley Association Player of the Year.

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