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Mid-State names Altmann-Austin dean of Rapids Campus

She will also oversee Schools of Applied Technology, General Education

FOR CITY TIMES

WISCONSIN RAPIDS -- Dr. Brigitta Altmann-Austin was named dean of Wisconsin Rapids Campus and Schools of Applied Technology and General Education at Mid-State Technical College in July.

Altmann-Austin joined Mid-State in July 2023 as the dean of General Education. In this role, her responsibilities included overseeing a wide array of courses and faculty, ensuring high-quality education for all students. She will continue this work in addition to leading the Wisconsin

sin Rapids Campus and School of Applied Technology.

Altmann-Austin is also a senior lecturer at the University of Wisconsin-Stout where she teaches graduate-level courses in educational administration and leadership in career and technical education.

Prior to working at Mid-State, Altmann-Austin held positions with public school districts across Wisconsin and Illinois, including assistant principal, career and technical education (CTE) coordinator, college and career readiness coordinator and family and consumer science instructor.



Altmann-Austin

As assistant principal and CTE coordinator for the Stevens Point Area Public School District, she consistently demonstrated her commitment to strengthening local economies through education, a testament to her dedication to preparing students for successful careers. She played a key role in managing youth apprenticeship programs, aligning CTE curricula with state standards, and securing significant grant funding to support manufacturing and advanced machining initiatives.

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Stuff the School Bus serves hundreds

FOR CITY TIMES

WISCONSIN RAPIDS -- Thanks to hundreds of donors and volunteers, 946 local students will begin the academic year with essential school supplies provided through Stuff the School Bus/Stuff the Desk events. On Aug. 1, community members donated school supplies at the Stuff the Bus event during Lunch by the River, and on Aug. 16 and 17 the items were distributed to students who registered to receive supplies.

2024 Statistics:

- Of the students served, 97 percent qualified for free or reduced school meals.
- Over 100 volunteers lent a hand during collection, set up, pre-packing and distribution.

- A sampling of some of the items collected during Stuff the School Bus include: 240 backpacks, 341 boxes of colored pencils, 390 boxes of crayons, 1,602 folders, 996 glue sticks, 1,304 notebooks, 350 scissors, 55 rulers and 301 boxes of markers.

If you missed Stuff the Desk and your student needs school supplies, contact your school counselor or social worker.

The Stuff the School Bus Committee would like to thank everyone who helped to make this possible: the volunteers, the organizations who held school supply drives, and everyone



who donated school supplies and/or monetary donations. We'd also like to thank our local media who helped to promote these events. Thanks to everyone working together, our students have school supplies to help them start the school year off on the right track.

About the Stuff the School Bus/Stuff the Desk Committee

Stuff the School Bus is a collaborative effort of sev-

eral local non-profit, government and school agencies. Every year, the Stuff the School Bus/Stuff the Desk Committee asks the community to stuff a school bus with donations of school supplies. The event is held during Lunch by the River. Later, the donated school supplies are distributed to local students in need during the Stuff the Desk event. All families who are in financial need are eligible.

Arkdale man killed in single vehicle accident

FOR THE CITY TIMES

ADAMS COUNTY -- An early Thursday morning accident resulted in the death of an Arkdale man. The Adams County Sheriff's Office is reporting a single vehicle accident Aug. 22 in the 700 block of County Hwy Z in the township of Monroe. Law enforcement arrived and found a vehicle in the ditch and confirmed Joseph D.

Artuso, 35, suffered fatal injuries and was pronounced dead at the scene.

A law enforcement report stated Artuso's vehicle was southbound on Co. Hwy Z, left the roadway, entered the ditch, struck a culvert and overturned. He was not wearing a seatbelt. The report notes alcohol, speed and failure to maintain control of the vehicle appear to be con-

tributing factors.

This crash remains under investigation and no further information will be released at this time. The Adams County Sheriff's Office was assisted at the scene by the Town of Rome Police Department, Lifestar EMS, Big Flats Fires, Adams County and Rescue, Adams County Medical Examiner's Office, and Murray's Towing.

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"Dr. Altmann-Austin brings over two decades of educational leadership and an unwavering commitment to our communities," said Mid-State Vice President of Academics Chris Severson. "I am excited for her to continue to lead the School of General Education and thrilled to see what she can do within the School of Applied Technology as well as supporting the Wisconsin Rapids Campus. She is focused and dedicated, and her expertise, vision and passion for education will undoubtedly lead to continued growth and success for the College and its students."

In Wisconsin Rapids Altmann-Austin will be responsible for providing leadership, direction and support for all campus operations, including serving as the first point of contact for local business and industry in need of college services. She will provide support and leadership for approximately 35 full- and part-time faculty and staff within the Schools of Applied Technology and General Education.

"As dean of the Wisconsin Rapids Campus and Schools of Applied Technology and General Education, I'm excited to further my impact on the Wisconsin Rapids community and maintain current partnerships while building new ones," said

Altmann-Austin. "I am committed to ensuring that Mid-State Technical College remains a cornerstone of education and workforce development in the region."

Altmann-Austin holds an Ed.D. in leadership and career and technical education from the University of Wisconsin-Stout, where her research focused on the critical role of youth apprenticeship programs in enhancing employability skills and influencing post-secondary career decisions. She also holds a master of science in educational administration and leadership from Lewis University in Illinois and a bachelor of science from the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point.

Supplement safety: How to manage natural products alongside your medications

FOR CITY TIMES

WAUSAU -- Many people incorporate natural products and supplements into their health routines to enhance their well-being alongside prescribed medications. While these supplements can offer added benefits, it is crucial to use them safely and effectively. Olivia Bishop, a pharmacy resident with Aspirus Health, emphasizes the need for open communication with health care providers to ensure that supple-

ments complement your medications without causing harm.

"Natural products can affect how your medications break down in your body," Bishop explains. "Sometimes, they can cause a medication to be broken down too quickly or too slowly, which might impact its effectiveness or increase side effects."

Several common natural products can interact with medications in significant ways. For instance, activated

charcoal, used for various purposes, can reduce the absorption of medications, potentially affecting the efficacy of birth control or Prozac. Additionally, supplements like turmeric, bitter orange,

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The Meaning of Labor Day

Dear Reader,

As summer begins to wane and the promise of autumn lingers in the air, we find ourselves on the cusp of another Labor Day. To many, this holiday may simply signify the end of vacation season, marked by parades, barbecues, and perhaps a final trip to the beach. However, beyond the festive atmosphere and political speeches lies a deeper, more profound significance.

Labor Day was instituted to honor the contributions of the everyday worker—the men and women who rise each morning, don their uniforms, and perform the myriad tasks that keep our society functioning smoothly. It’s a day dedicated to the recognition of the sweat and resilience of those who tirelessly contribute to our collective well-being.

Historically, Labor Day emerged from the labor movement in the late 19th century, a time fraught with industrial strife and the struggle for workers’ rights. It was a time when workers came together to demand fair wages, reasonable hours, and safer working conditions. Their efforts laid the ground-



work for the labor protections many of us take for granted today.

But beyond its historical roots, Labor Day serves as a poignant reminder to pause and reflect on the value of hard work. It’s a moment to appreciate the quiet dignity of those who grind it out day after day, doing whatever it takes to provide for their families. These are the individuals who form the backbone of our communities—the teachers, nurses, factory workers, farmers, and countless others whose labor often goes unnoticed, yet is essential to our daily lives.

As we enjoy the holiday’s festivities, let us also take a moment to honor the spirit of Labor Day. Let’s remember that it is not just a day off, but a day to celebrate the perseverance, skill, and hard work of our fellow citizens. May we carry this appreciation with us throughout the year, recognizing that every contribution, no matter how small, is worthy of respect and gratitude.

PATRICK J. WOOD

Publisher

Author of “Reflections” a new book now available on Amazon.

MEDICATIONS

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and ashwagandha, while beneficial for general health, may lower blood sugar levels when taken with diabetes medications. Similarly, ginger, ginkgo, and high levels of fish oil can increase bleeding risk for those on blood thinners such as Eliquis, Xarelto, or Warfarin.

To ensure that your medications and supplements work together harmoniously, Bishop advises consulting with your health care providers. “Before starting any new supplement, talk with your doctor or pharmacist. They can check for potential interactions and help you make informed decisions,” she says. “Always inform them about all the medications and supplements you’re taking.”

It is also important to understand that natural supplements are regulated differently from prescription drugs. “Unlike prescription drugs, which require FDA approval, natural supplements

are primarily the manufacturer’s responsibility,” Bishop notes.

For added safety, look for quality certifications, such as the United States Pharmacopeia (USP) mark on the label. This certification verifies that the product’s contents are as stated and safe for use.

“The biggest advice I have is to talk to your doctor or pharmacist before starting a new product,” advises Bishop. “We want to make sure your medication is working the best it can and that the natural supplements are helping you as well.”

By taking these precautions, you can confidently use natural supplements to support your health while minimizing the risk of adverse interactions.

DOJ investigating shooting in Rapids

Suspect, law enforcement exchanged gun fire

FOR CITY TIMES

WISCONSIN RAPIDS – The Wisconsin Department of Justice (DOJ) Division of Criminal Investigation (DCI) is investigating an officer-involved shooting in Wisconsin Rapids that occurred on the morning of Tuesday, Aug. 20.

At approximately 12:32 a.m., Wisconsin Rapids police officers responded to a report of domestic violence at residence on the 900 block of 14th Street south. The subject fled the scene in their vehicle. Soon after, a Portage County Sheriff’s deputy located the subject’s vehicle and attempted a traffic stop. The subject fled and a pursuit ensued heading westbound on State Highway 54. During the pursuit, the subject fired a handgun multiple times at law enforcement. The subject’s vehicle became disabled near 8th Street and east Grand Avenue. The subject fired additional shots at law enforcement, striking law enforcement vehicles and fled on foot.

Shortly thereafter, the subject was located by a drone on the roof of a residence near 9th and Grape Street in Wisconsin Rapids. The subject fired additional shots at the drone and law enforcement; law enforcement returned fire and struck the subject.

Law enforcement began lifesaving measures, and the subject was transported to a local hospital and is undergoing treatment.

Officers involved in the incident have been placed on administrative assignment, per agency policies. The officers were wearing body cameras.

DCI is leading this investigation and is assisted by the Wisconsin State Patrol Technical Reconstruction Unit, DCI’s Digital Evidence Unit, and a DCI Crime Response Specialist. All involved law enforcement are fully cooperating with DCI during this investigation.

DCI is continuing to review evidence and determine the facts of this incident and will turn over investigative reports to the Wood County District Attorney when the investigation concludes.

Please direct all media inquiries to Wisconsin DOJ.

Find this press release on the Wisconsin DOJ website here.

Obituaries

Ronald E. Fregien



Ronald E. Fregien, age 86, of the Town of Rome, passed away August 16, 2024 at his residence. A memorial service was held at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 25 at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in the Town of Saratoga. Pastor Paul Tullberg officiated. The family greeted relatives and friends at the church from 1:00 p.m. until the time of service. Military rites were provided by American Legion Post 9 of

Wisconsin Rapids.

Ron was born December 3, 1937 in Racine, WI to Edward and Ella (Klaus) Fregien. He graduated from West Allis Central High School and immediately enlisted in the United States Air Force. Two years after he enlisted, he married his high school sweetheart, Fern Gilbert. Ron became an In-Flight Refueling Specialist (“Boomer”), loved his job, attained the rank of Senior Master Sergeant, and retired in 1979 after 24 years of service.

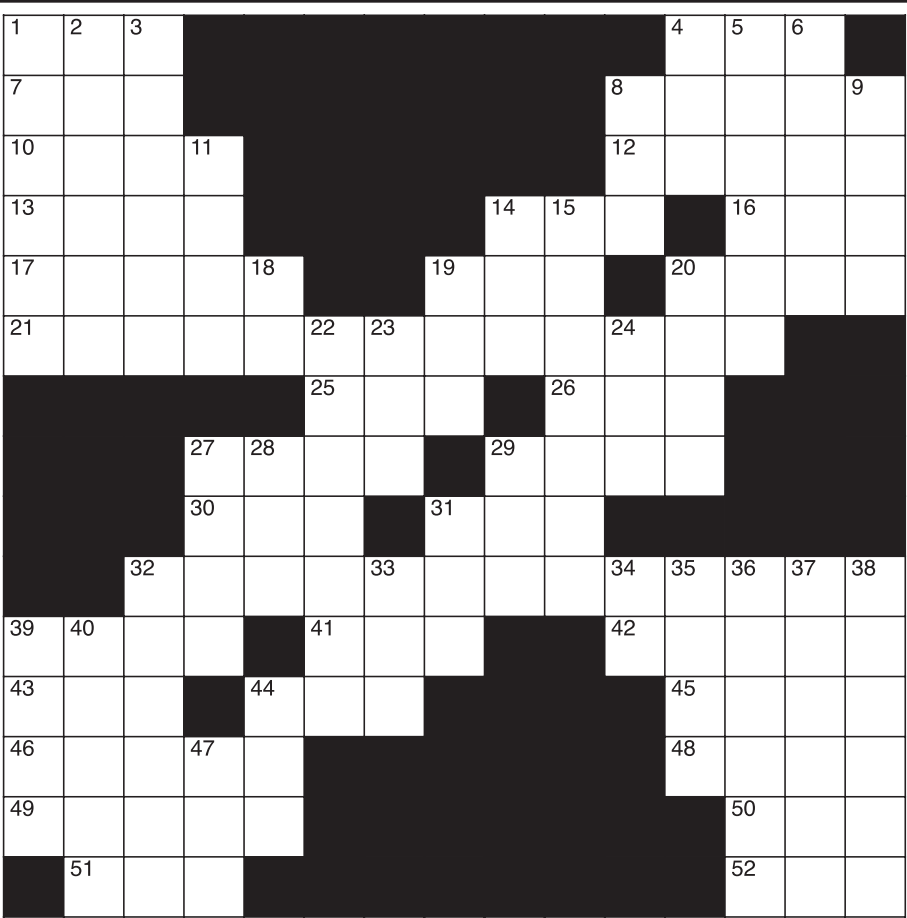
Following his retirement, he held several “careers” such as insurance sales, school bus driver, over-the-road trucker, and public works director. In his “final” retirement, he was a very active volunteer, serving his church in various council officer positions, properties chairman, stewardship chairman, and chief lawn mower.

He also traveled around the United States with his wife, Fern, helping construct churches and schools with Builders for Christ. He was also active in the community, acting as President of the Friends of the Library and Chairman of the Planning and Zoning Commission for several years, as well as serving on the Rome Fire Department.

As a member of the American Legion, he served in many capacities such as Post Commander, District 8 Commander, County Commander, Chaplain, and Finance Officer. Fishing and deer hunting brought Ron many pleasurable hours, especially memorable times spent at the cabin in Rusk County with the camaraderie of family and friends. He also loved dancing and cutting firewood.

Ron is survived by his wife of 67 years, Fern, and children: Linda Wallace, Palmyra, WI, Michael (Elizabeth) Fregien, Nekoosa, WI, and Michelle (Richard) Schoof, Waterford, WI; seven grandchildren; and eleven great-grandchildren. He is also survived by two sisters, Judith Willms and Joan (Jim) Burton; brother-in-law Dwight (Jane) Gilbert; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. He was preceded in death by many beloved family members and cherished friends. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be designated to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church or Lutheran Military Support Group.

Herman-Taylor Funeral Home is honored to have assisted the family.



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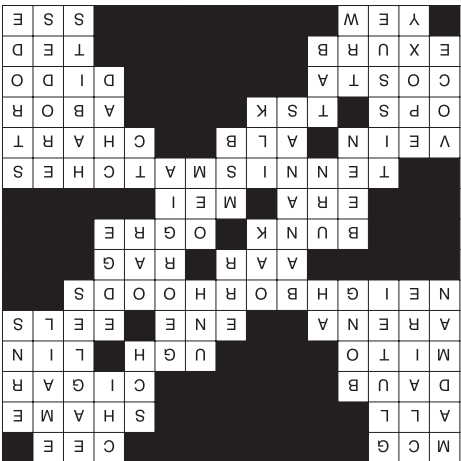
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- 1. Microgram
- 4. After B
- 7. Everything
- 8. An unfortunate development
- 10. Coat with sticky substance
- 12. Cylinder of tobacco for smoking
- 13. Minimum interval take off
- 14. Yuck!
- 16. NBA sensation Jeremy
- 17. Where some rockers work
- 19. Midway between northeast and east
- 20. Snake-like fishes
- 21. Groups of homes
- 25. Swiss river
- 26. Useful towel
- 27. “The Wire” character “Moreland”
- 29. Oafish creature
- 30. A major division of geological time
- 31. Bird-like Chinese dinosaur
- 32. Sporting events
- 39. Body part
- 41. Clerical vestment
- 42. Shows data
- 43. Some are “special”
- 44. Expression of disappointment
- 45. Students’ rights document (abbr.)
- 46. Vacation locale Costa ____

- 48. Pop singer
- 49. Distract outside a city
- 50. Mark Wahlberg comedy
- 51. Coniferous tree
- 52. Midway between south and southeast

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Lunatic
- 2. Actress Danes
- 3. Buttock muscles
- 4. The 22nd letter of the Greek alphabet
- 5. Popular 70s rockers
- 6. Electronic communication
- 8. Trigraph
- 9. Sea eagles
- 11. Low-pitched, resonant sound
- 14. Northeastern US university (abbr.)
- 15. Home of the Bulldogs
- 18. Exclamation of surprise
- 19. Make a mistake
- 20. Advantage
- 22. Monkeys love them
- 23. Wood
- 24. Paddle
- 27. Past participle of be
- 28. Tall, rounded vase
- 29. Device manufacturers
- 31. Financial institution (abbr.)
- 32. Paper product
- 33. A type
- 34. Atomic #43
- 35. Red Hot Chili Peppers’ drummer
- 36. Behaviors
- 37. Decays
- 38. Walked confidently
- 39. Voice (Italian)
- 40. Class of adhesives
- 44. Bar bill
- 47. One-time aerospace firm



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- Wednesday Movies: 1st Wednesday of the month @ 5:30 pm
- Fiber Arts Group: Wednesdays @ 1:00 pm
- Rome Garden Club: Wednesdays @ 9:30 am
- Lake Arrowhead Artists: 1st & 3rd Wednesdays @ 1:00-4:00 pm
- Community Card Games Group: 2nd & 4th Wednesday @ 1:30-3:30 PM
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Friday, August 30 (and EVERY Friday) Rome Farmers Market 9:00 AM-1:00 PM
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Saturday, August 31 @ 6:00 PM:
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3001: A Space Odyssey
Come to the Lake Arrowhead Dam and watch the final Shermalot Ski Team performance for the 2024 season!

Saturday, August 31
Lake Arrowhead Craft Fair
9:00 AM-3:00 PM
Welcome Crafters and Craft Lovers! This show has been a community favorite for over 25 years! We welcome over 75 crafters from the tri-state area to showcase their homemade goods.

Saturday, August 31
Visit Rome, WI "Grand Opening"
11:00 AM-1:00 PM
You are invited to the official "grand opening" of Visit Rome's new location! Stop by for a free hot dog and/or ice cream, check out the building, or just pop in to say hello! Our address is 1146 County Rd D, Nekoosa, WI 54457

Saturday, September 7
Historic Point Basse Foraging Class
9:00 AM-11:00 AM
Come and learn about living off the land and the edible plants you have in your own backyard. Cost - \$10 Class Size Minimum - 5; Class size Maximum - 15
Meet at the Columbia Schoolhouse, Historic Point Basse, 365 Wakely Rd., Nekoosa, WI

Historic Point Basse Harvest Fair
10:00 AM-4:00 PM
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Saturday, September 7
Guided Fat Tire Bike Ride @ Sand Valley
10:00 AM-12:00 PM
On September 7, 2024 join us for our inaugural Guided Fat Tire Bike Group Ride! We will be traversing the newest addition to Rome's fat tire biking trails!

Wednesday, September 11
Lake Arrowhead Golf Course, Rome.
20th Annual Tee Off Fore the Girls.
Luncheon, raffles, silent auction, fashion show, and more!

Sunday, September 15
Cookie Decorating Class @ Up North Brewing Company
10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Limited seats available
Blue House Cakery owner Kelly Lawler will be teaching the basics of cookie decorating, while taking you through step-by-step instructions of decorating an assortment of cookies!

Thursday, September 19
Shandini Magic at Hoozels at the Lakes
6:00-8:00 PM

Saturday, September 21 and Sunday, September 22
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LIVE MUSIC IN ROME

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- August 30th : Sonic Circus @ The Lure Bar & Grill, 6-10 PM
- August 30th : Tumbleweed Preacher @ Hoozels at the Lakes, 7-11 PM
- September 6th : Carbon Road @ The Lure Bar & Grill, 6-10 PM
- September 13th : The Third Wheel @ The Lure Bar & Grill, 6-10 PM

SATURDAY AFTERNOON/NIGHTS

- August 31st : All In @ The Lure Bar & Grill, 6-10 PM
- August 31st : Rising Phoenix @ Hoozels at the Lakes, 6-11 PM
- September 7th : Blame It On Waylon @ The Lure Bar & Grill, 6-10 PM
- September 14th That 90s Band @ The Lure Bar & Grill, 7-11 PM

SUNDAY AFTERNOON/NIGHTS

- September 1st : Mark Croft @ The Lure Bar & Grill, 1-4 PM
- September 1st : The Positions @ Hoozels at the Lakes, 7-11 PM

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Friday – Sunday August 30 - Sept. 1, 8am-3p OVER 100 VARIETIES Blues Minis-GIANTS, Sun-Tolerant Fragrant, Gold & Variegated. South of Waupaca Hwy K past Red Mill. Left on East Rd N1850 East Rd Waupaca

The Holly Shoppe Rummage Sale Lincoln Center 1519 Water Street Stevens Point, WI 54481 Sept 4th & 6th 8-4pm Sept 6th 8-12pm. Books, yarn, house-ware, home décor, toys, crafts and much more!

Rummage Sales Upcoming7202

Wis. Rapids 1187 Kester Road Sept 6th & 7th 7am-5pm
Kids to 2X clothing, furniture, tons of home décor, wall art, Red Hats attire, skates, hammock, something for everyone!

Estate Sales7208

Estate Specialists
Estate-Moving Sale
Friday & Saturday
August 30 & 31 @ 9:00am
331 Robindale Court, Nekoosa
Town of Rome

Nice Selection of Tools, Antiques & Outdoor Items on This Sale. Well Worth the Trip!!

Tools & Outdoor Items To Include: Craftsman Tools To Include: Drill Press, Belt & Disc Sander, 12" Band Saw, 10" Table Saw, Bench Grinder, Socket Sets, Wrench Sets, Socket Wrenches, Machinist Chest And More. Starrett Precision Tools, Cummings Drill Press, Pipe & Crescent Wrenches, Pipe & C-Clamps, Pry Bars, Hardware, Nuts & Bolts, Tap & Die Set, Pipe Threaders, Bench Vise, Angle Grinder, Jig Saws, Sanders, Step & Ext Ladders, Shop Vac, Welding Clamps, Hammers, Old Drills, Air Compressor, Lawn & Garden Tools, Wheel Barrow, Ryobi 10" Table Saw, LP Tanks, Gas Grill, Leaf blower, Jack Stands, Sawzall, Circular Saws, Fishing Poles & Reels And Many More.

Antiques To Include: Several Pieces Of Cast Iron Cookware, Limoges China Set, Currier & Ives Dishes, Old Tools, Oil Cans, Cranberry Cruet Set, Depression Glass, Large Collection Of Dickens X-Mas Village Pieces All In Box, 10 Gallon RW Crock, Pie Crust Table, Meat Cleavers, Cast Iron Waffle Maker, Primitives, Oak Sideboard, Round Oak Table & Chairs Set, Round Glass China Cabinet, Old Camp Stoves, Coleman Lanterns, Finger Oil Lamps, Ruby Glass, Cups & Saucers, Wall Mount Coffee Grinder, Glass Butter churn, Beer Steins, Clown Pin-ball Game, Victorian Dog Pictures, Sewing Chest, Vintage Display Cabinet Oak Wash Stand, Large Toboggan Sled, Mantle Clock, Old Toy Trucks, Countertop Scale, Ice Tongs, Wash Wringer, And Much More.

Household To Include: Stainless Cookware, Bakeware, Small Appliances, Roasters, Crock Pots, Pyrex, Pizza Oven, Meat Slicer, Corning Ware, Mixing Bowls, Apt Size Electric Range, Canning Jars, Vintage Commercial Bread Mixer, Older Side By Side Refrigerator, Cook-books, Microwave, 4 Piece Queen Size Bedroom Set, Sewing Chest, Floor Safe, Draffing Table, Storage Totes And More.

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Auctions7282

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HOLIDAY FLEA MARKET Aug 3 & Sun Sept.1st ANTIGO Langlade Co. Fairgrounds (Hwy 45)1633 Neva Rd Vendors Welcome! 715-526-9769 zurkopromotions.com

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ON STAGE
Pete Revelle & 4 on the Floor • Thurs. 9/5, Central Wisconsin Cultural Center, 2651 8th St, S, Wisconsin Rapids. Jazz. Starts at 2 pm. Free admission. <https://culturalcenterarts.com>

Barefoot Americans • Wed. 9/18, Central Wisconsin Cultural Center, 2651 8th St, S, Wisconsin Rapids. Folk-rock. Doors open at 5:30 pm. Music starts at 6 pm. \$10 admission. <https://culturalcenterarts.com>

ONGOING
Sunday Brunch on the Farm • Every Sunday through October, Lonely Oak Farm, 11946 County Rd S., Milladore. Serving from 10 am-2 pm. No pets please. lonelyoakfarm.net

EVENTS
Christian Women's Connection Ladies Brunch • Tues. 9/10, Bullseye Golf Club, Wisconsin Rapids. Speaker is LeAnn Brechler of Stevens Point. LeAnn's presentation topic is “Family Matters-How to Find Contentment in Disappointment”. Special feature will be our Annual County Fair with Live Auction! Reservations are essential. Starts at 9:30 am. \$20 includes meal,

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Harvest Fair • Sat. 9/7, Historic Point Basse, Nekoosa. Enjoy tasty samples of delicious fall fare featuring harvest activities like making sauerkraut, apple pressing for cider, corn shelling & grinding. Games throughout the day. Starts at 10 am. \$3 adults, \$1 students. <https://historicpointbasse.com>

20th Annual Tee Off Fore the Girls • Wed. 9/11, Lake Arrowhead Golf Course, Rome. Luncheon, raffles, silent auction, fashioned show & more. Golf spots are all filled. Starts at 8 am for check-in, 9 am for tee off & noon for lunch. \$20 entry fee for Aspirus Riverview Foundation Women's Cancer Fund. 715-315-2481 or Tee Off Fore the Girls Facebook to register

ARTS/EXHIBITS
The Alexander House • Opens Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1131, Wisconsin River Drive, Port Edwards. Art gallery and historical museum with a focus on lumbering and papermaking exhibits. Opens 1 pm-4 pm. <http://alexanderhouseonline.org/>

Central Wisconsin Cultural Center • Opens Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays, 2651 8th St S, Wisconsin Rapids. Open from 10 am-5 pm. Free admission. <http://www.culturalcenterarts.com/index.html>

South Wood County Historical Museum • Exhibit season open thru Labor Day, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays & Sundays, 540 3rd St. S, Wisconsin Rapids. Open from 1 pm-4 pm. Office hours are Tues.-Thurs. from 1 pm-3 pm. <http://www.swch-museum.com/>

World War I and America • Sun.-Thurs. 8/4-8/29, 540 3rd St. S, Wisconsin Rapids. This exhibition documents & illustrates the United States's role in World War I. Among the highlights are recruitment broadsides, a pro-war letter by Theodore Roosevelt, Woodrow Wilson's 1917 message to Congress, letters, diary entries, photographs from the Western Front, and more. The Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History provides the display. Leon Schmidt & William Parker presentation on Sun. 8/11 at 2 pm. <http://www.swch-museum.com/>

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS
Historic Point Basse Foraging Class • Sat. 9/7, Columbia Schoolhouse, Historic Point Basse, Nekoosa. Learn about living off the land & the edible plants you have in your backyard. Find out how to safely search & collect edible plants found in the central parts of Wisconsin. Starts at 9 am. \$10. <https://historicpointbasse.com>

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