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Yoga classes offered at the Namaste Center



By Mike Monte

Betty Thunder, at the Namaste Center, located at 300 South Lake Avenue, Crandon, is offering yoga classes, and you are all invited to join in. Whether you are familiar with the exercise or a beginner, Betty has a class

She is offering a gentle yoga, or as she called it, elder yoga. If you are younger or just more flexible and adventurous, power yoga is offered, and she also offers Hatha yoga.

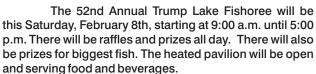
Power yoga is held Monday and Thursdays, from 5:30 p.m. for about 60 to 90 minutes. Gentle yoga is scheduled for Monday and Friday mornings at 10:00 a.m., and Hatha yoga is held on Saturday mornings beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Betty says to give her a call for the pricing at 715-478-1117.

She recommends yoga exercising for a variety of good results. Betty says it is good for arthritis sufferers and as people age, it also improves balance. Yoga also builds stamina and strength and is great for breath control. She says to start slow and work your way into the regimen.

With 200 hours of instruction completed, Betty is a registered yoga teacher, and says she can help you improve your health, so give her a call.

52nd Annual Trump Lake Fishoree Saturday, February 8th



The event is a fun filled day for the entire family. The event is sponsored by the Wabeno Sylvan Post #44 and the Wabeno Lions Club. All proceeds help sponsor school and community activities.

Town of Argonne receives grant to redevelop former school site

Several months ago the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC) announced a new Community Development Investment (CDI) grant program. CDI grants were developed with a goal of supporting "shovel-ready" projects with an emphasis on community-driven efforts. The program seemed like a natural for Argonne's former school site, and Argonne officials, including Chairman Dan Samz and Clerk Don Gordon met with WEDC and FCEDP to commission a grant for the program.

"We have several ideas for what to do with the site but we will first commission North Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission (NCWRPC) to complete a feasibility study on best use of the site," stated Argonne Chairman Dan Samz. "This grant will provide a great opportunity for new development in Argonne and allow us to expand our tax base," added Argonne Clerk Don Gordon.

The grant, written by FCEDP, provides for up to \$29,234 in matching funds from the WEDC to clear and remove asbestos from the building site, potential expansion of the town hall parking lot, cleanup of the site, feasibility study for redevelopment, and execution of the redevelopment plan. The grant will be administered by FCEDP.

The feasibility study will begin in the next few weeks. Site cleanup will begin in the spring. The marketing strategy for redevelopment should occur later





Relay For Life 3rd Annual Ice Bowling at Water's Edge

The Forest County Relay for Life American Cancer Society team "My Wish" 3rd Annual Ice Bowling event will be on Saturday, February 8th at 11:00 a.m. The fun will be at Water's Edge, off County W, on Lake Lucerne.

There will be four-man teams at \$10/person, and one throw per person per frame. The paddle wheel raffle as well as a meat raffle will start around noon.

All proceeds donated on behalf of team "My Wish."

Guest Editorial

Opportunity for Local Schools

Dear Editor,

The recent announcement of the state's budget surplus has initiated the conversation of what to do with these dollars. Obviously, these are taxpayer dollars and the suggestion of returning a majority of these dollars to the taxpayers seems realistic. So, what will these returns be to northern Wisconsin taxpayers and what will each of us do with our share?

The initial proposal for a tax return would be about \$12.50 per month for the average Wisconsin taxpayer. A return of \$150 annually no one would deny. However, in our area where personal income is below average and a majority of the residents own property valued below the state average of \$151,000, I suspect that for most any tax return will be significantly less than the projected \$150. This would be especially true for those who rent and do not own property. Residents in northern Wisconsin will once again be on the short end of the stick. We found ourselves in a similar situation last fall. The announcement this past October of an additional \$100 million dollars in state aid for public schools contributed as little as \$38 to the Goodman-Armstrong Creek School District and slightly more to the School District of Florence County at \$104. These numbers are correct...there is not a zero or two missing. These are not the real dollars that will help our schools sustain and prosper; these amounts simply illustrate a major flaw in our current school funding formula.

So what do we do...what can we do? We need to make our voices heard. Our challenge in northern Wisconsin in this matter is not that of partisan politics, it's that of representation. This is not to say that our area representatives aren't doing their jobs, but their voices (Senator Tom Tiffany, Representative Rob Swearingen and Representative Jeff Mursau) are only 3 of the 132 in the state senate and assembly that can advocate for Forest, Florence and Marinette Counties and our schools. I see great opportunities for our rural schools with these surplus dollars. Let's take a step towards more equitably funding our rural schools with new and meaningful state aids via the state budget surplus.

Representative Swearingen chairs the Rural School Task Force Committee, and Representative Mursau is a committee member. This bipartisan committee has come to better understand the issues rural schools face via testimony provided by school administrators at public meetings throughout the state in recent months. I have great optimism that they will work towards a common ground for solutions to the financial challenges facing our rural schools. Yes, there will be some differences as to exactly how, but overall members

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Forest County Republican Caucus Saturday, February 8th

The Forest County Republican Party will hold their 2014 annual caucus at the Crandon Public Library in the lower level on February 8th, starting at 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. There will be a potluck luncheon afterwards.

The agenda includes electing delegates for the 7th Congressional District Caucus, the Wisconsin State Convention held in Milwaukee on May 2-4, resolution proposals for the party platform and the planning of the Lincoln - Reagan Dinner. Anyone that is interested is encouraged and invited to come.





Pelican Lake Ice Fishing **Derby**

Get your tipups thawed out for the Pelican Lake Area Chamber of Commerce 36th Annual Ice Fishing Derby, February 22nd, at Hope's Landing Bar & Grill 889 Hwy 45, Pelican Lake. Fishing is from 7a.m.-4:30 p.m., Drawings at 5:30 p.m. Cash and merchandise prizes will be available for adults and children.

For more info call 715-487-5222.

Sarah Remington Ginter, raised in Hiles writes her first novel, "Snowbound"



Sarah (Remington) Ginter, born and raised in Hiles, self-published her first book, Snowbound, in January 2014. Now a resident of Cody, Wyoming, and she used the western landscape as inspiration for her romantic novel. Several scenes deal with the dangers of hypothermia, something she learned about from her father, Larry Remington, as a young deer hunter in the Northwoods. Ginter is a 2002 Crandon High School graduate.

She's married to Tim Ginter, a former Crandon resident, and they have two sons: Evan (9) and Max (5). The book, suitable for a mature audience, is available at Amazon.com as a Kindle download or paperback under her pen name, Sarah Winter.

Big fish registered at the Hiles Fishoree



The Wilson family took first and third with these Northerns

The Hiles Annual Fishoree took place Saturday February 1st at the Hiles Town Hall. This years contest saw lots of great sized fish come in and great stories of how the massive fish were caught.

The fish were measured and weighed and the winners were determined by weight this year and if there was a tie in weight the length was used as a tiebreaker. This was done for six categories of fish; northern, walleye, bass, perch, bluegill and crappie. Continued on page 06



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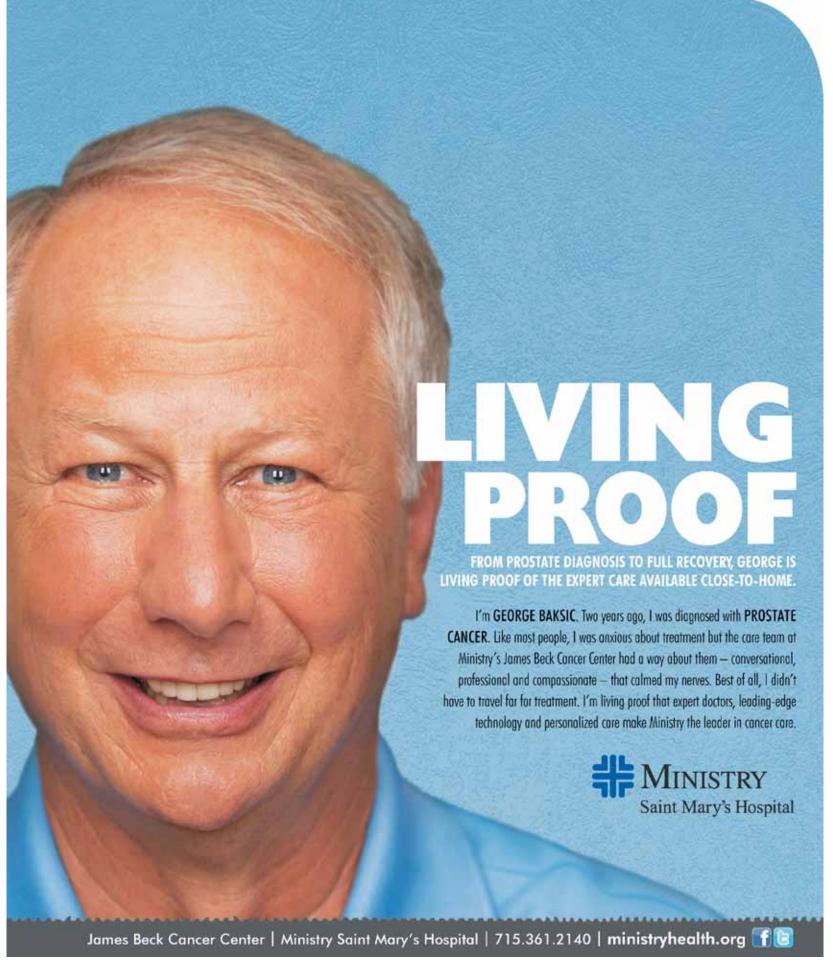


Northern Lakes Conference Wrestling Tournament

On Saturday, February 8th, Elcho School will host the Northern Lakes Conference Wrestling Tournament. The Elcho High School Gymnasium will be the location of a day of exciting competition. The Hornets will be host the NLC teams including Crandon, Elcho, Florence, Three Lakes and Wabeno. The tournament will include both Varsity and Middle School matches.

Wrestling will begin at 10:00 AM with Round 1 Varsity Matches, followed by Round 1 Middle School matches. Round 2 is slated to begin around 11:00am with Round 3 following at approximately 12:00. After the lunch break around 1:00, the last 2 rounds of the Varsity tournament will resume, with wrestling to conclude at approximately 3:30. Wrestlers will be competing for team placement, with a trophy for the first place varsity team and in the weight classes for 1st and 2nd places.

Tickets for the day's events are available at the door. The prices are: Adults - \$5.00; Students - \$3.00. Hope you can make it!



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Area Events St. John's Winter Winner Dinner \$65,000 Cash Raffel Tickets \$50 Each or 3 for \$100 Final Drawing April 26, 2014 • 6-7:30pm at St. John's Catholic Church Join us February 21 • 5-7:30pm - The Deep Family Heritage Dinner (Sponsors: Dr. John & Elsa McKenna - Strasser-Roller Funeral Home) *Sauteed Potatoes, Cauliflower & Peas, Yogurt Salad - an Indian classic to mellow spices, Flavored Basmati Rice, Traditional Indian Bread, Chicken Curry in a Cashew & Sour Cream Sauce, DESSERT: layered Cake, Fruit, Nuts, Jello, Indian Custard w/Whipping Cream Join us March 25 • 5-7:30pm - A Fish Fry for Father Seis's Mission (Sponsor: The Tradewell Company) RSVP by March 25 Join us April 26 • 5-7:30pm - Greek Family Dinner (Sponsor: The Herb Husnick Family) **RSVP by April 16** Dinner: \$10 Adults • \$5 Children • 10 & Under Call 715-623-2024 to RSVP Find more information at www.stjohnantigo.com 1st: \$15,000 • 2nd: \$7,000 • 3rd: \$4,000 • 4th-5th: \$2,000 6th-10th: \$1,500 · 11th-20th: \$1,000 · 21st-30th: \$750 31st-45th: \$500 . 46th-60th: \$100 . 61st-80th: \$50 TICKETS AVAILABLE AT: St. John's: 715-623-2024 o TV & Appliance: 715-623-2909 or ar

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Saturday, Feb. 8th, 1 p.m. **Beavers Bar & Grill**

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Saturday, February 15th, 2014 Weigh-In deadline 6:00 pm Registration by Fri., Feb. 14th Runners 10 Man Max - Callers 3 Man Max

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Help make donation to Pelican Lake Fire Dept. and Little League

INFO CALL 715-487-4261

Post Lake Improvement Association's 16th Annual Ice Fishing Jamboree

On Upper & Lower Post Lake

All Activities & Fish Registration will take place at the PLIA Building, W8684 Cty. Rd. K, Post Lake - Corner of Post Lake Drive & County Road K Saturday, Feb. 15, Dawn to 4 p.m.

Kattle Ticket Cash Prizes 1st: \$500 • 2nd: \$400 3rd: \$300 • 4th: \$200 • 5th: \$100 (Tickets \$2 each or 3 for \$5) Raffle Ticket needed for Fish Registration!!! Prizes Given for Largest Fish (By Length)

Type	Adult 1st	Adult 2nd	(12 & under) Children
Northern	\$100.00	\$25.00	7
Walleye	\$100.00	\$25.00	$\overline{\mathcal{D}}$
Perch	\$50.00	\$25.00	
Crappie	\$50.00	\$25.00	N 1
Blue Gill	\$50.00	\$25.00	
Bass	\$50.00	\$25.00	S

Fish Registration Ends at 4 p.m.

For more information. call 275-3881 275-4610

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BONUS RAFFLE: Jiffy Ice Auger & MarCum Fish Flasher • Tickets \$5 each

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 AA Meetings - Back Door Group - Open meetings Monday & Thurs. Nights @ 7 p.m., Lakewood Lakes Country Library. Call Mary 715-276-2318 or Bill 715-889-3512.

• Forest Co. Big Book Closed AA Meeting - Thurs. 7 p.m., Crandon Library. 715-478-2598 or 715-889-1829.

• Al-Anon Meetings - Courage to Change Group. Every Friday, 7-8 p.m., lower level Crandon Library.

• Forest Cty. Humane Society - Open to public every Sat. from 1-4 p.m. Call for more info. 715-478-2098.

• AA Meeting - Saturdays, 9 a.m., Wabeno Fire Station, side entrance.

• Crandon VFW Post - Meets every first Tuesday of the month. 6 p.m. at the VFW building, 104 N. Forest. • Support Group for Parents of Children with Disabilities - Call Chris at 715-784-0058.

• Crandon Lions Board Meetings - 1st Monday of the month at Crandon Library at 7 p.m. (downstairs). Member Meeting - 3rd Monday of Month at 5:30 p.m.

• Bridge Community Dental Health Clinic - This project serves people of all ages in Forest County for people who have Badger Care, medical Assistance & UNINSURED. To schedule an appointment call (715) 848-4884. Call the Health Dept. for more information at 715-478-3371.

• Good Shepherd Lutheran Church - Hwy. 55N, Crandon. Sunday service 9:30 a.m. No Saturday services.

• Christian Motorcyclist Association - Spirit Ryders Chapter of Langlade & Forest Co. Invites you to attend out monthly meetings on the last Saturday of each month. Call George 715-350-1679.

• Crandon PTO - 1st Monday of month, 6-7 p.m., Elementary Cafeteria.

• Wellbriety 12 Step Meeting (AA/NA) - Monday nights, 6 p.m. - ? Lower level of the FCP Museum, Mish • Ko • Swin Lane, Crandon. Call Brooks Boyd for more info. at 7158-889-4902.

• Mole Lake Flea & Craft Sale - Every Thursday, Mole Lake Casino Bingo Hall. 9-4 p.m. Free coffee and soda. \$5.00 tables. Everyone welcome. Call 715-478-7557 for more information.

Town of Lincoln Board meetings - 2nd Monday of each month, 6 p.m., Town of Lincoln Hall.

• AA Meeting - Antigo Hospital, Saturdays at 7:00 p.m.

• Forest County Humane Society Meeting - Every fourth Monday of the month, 6:30 p.m., Crandon Library. • Women's Closed AA Meeting - Sundays from 6:30-7:30 p.m., 300 S. Lake Ave, Crandon. Questions 715-

478-1117 or 784-0680 Pickerel Area 50 Plus will meet for our Valentine luncheon at the Northwoods Inn, Hwy 55 & A, on Thurs Feb 13th at 12 noon. Please call so we can have a count. Bob 715-478-5199 or Marge 715-484-2205.

• Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church in Wabeno, WI announces that the Monday night service has changed to Wednesday night at 5:30 p.m. and Ladies Aid Meeting will be the second Tuesday of the month at 1:30 in the afternoon. Call 715-473-5633 for more info. or check our web site www.trinityrisensavior.com.



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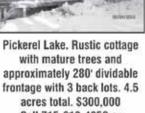
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Guest Editorial

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of both political parties on the committee recognize our challenges. The high cost of student transportation as a percentage of our budgets and the challenges of poverty in our communities are two of the most identifiable obstacles. The immediate allocation of even a small percentage of the current state budget surplus to rural schools would surely contribute to offsetting these challenges.

School funding is complex to say the least, and the time will never be right or perfect to take that first big step towards a new, more equitable funding formula. But I ask if not now, when? Our current funding formula was put in place in 1993 and no longer adequately funds our schools; even for those that would differ in opinion, the fact is that schools in property rich, rural Wisconsin pay significantly more per pupil via local property taxes than do taxpayers in other parts of the state. This trend will only continue unless there is real reform to the state funding formula. The current formula will continue to ask our area taxpayers to contribute more for less. We'll all be contributing more to a system that is regressing in its ability to adequately fund our area schools for long-term sustainment.

State Superintendent Dr. Tony Evers introduced a new school funding formula in 2012, Fair Funding for Our Future. Currently this proposed bill, LRB 2673/2, has more than 30 sponsors who have signed on. This plan would recommit Wisconsin to more equitable funding throughout the state for every child, regardless of residence. The major challenge that is hindering this new funding formula is the lack of dollars to hold harmless, or subsidize, those districts that may not see sustainment of their current funding in the short term during the transition from one funding formula to the other. The funding is now available to resolve this specific matter via the budget surplus. No longer would we have a funding formula that is solely based on a district's property valuations, but one that would better account for a school district's household incomes and poverty levels, all while holding the line on

I would ask that you contact your area representatives and also those who chair the Senate Education Committee, State Senator Luther Olsen, and the Assembly Education Committee, Representative Steve Kestell. Key legislators beyond our local elected officials need to hear our voice from northern Wisconsin. We need to make it known that if there was ever a time to fix our school's funding shortfalls, now is the time. Please show your support for your local schools and our children's education by asking your local representatives, along with the state assembly and senate education chairs, to invest some of the state's budget surplus back to our local schools. A quick email is all it takes.

State Senator Tom Tiffany – sen.tiffany@legis.wi.gov Representative Rob Swearingen rep.swearingen@legis.wi.gov

Representative Jeff Mursau - rep.mursau@legis.wi.gov State Senator Luther Olsen - sen.olsen@legis.wi.gov Representative Steve Kestell - rep.kestell@legis.wi.gov Sincerely,

Ben Niehaus, Superintendent Goodman-Armstrong Creek School District and the School District of Florence County

Bids & Notices

Crandon School District Board of Education Notice/Agenda - Monday, February 10, 2014 Regular Meeting - Middle/High School IMC at 6:00 p.m.

The agenda could be subject to last minute change(s).

This meeting of the Board of Education is held for the purpose of conducting the school district's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is a time for citizens/delegations participation during the meeting, as indicated on the agenda.

A. Opening Items

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Recitation of Mission Statement

The mission of the School District of Crandon is to inspire children in a student centered environment that cultivates character, fosters academic excellence, and embraces diversity through the collaborative efforts of staff, parents and the community.

- 4. Roll Call: Establish a Quorum
- 5. Approval of Agenda
- B. Acknowledgments: Recognizing those community members, partner agencies or students who have unselfishly given of themselves for the enhancement of the school district.
 - 1. Kerri Fox for volunteering to teach Zumba courses for High School Physical Education
 - 2. Sandy Conley for volunteering to transport High School Physical Education students to the bowling alley
 - 3. Barbie Marvin for the donation of 20 shirts for Pack the House night

 - 4. Laurie Ison and Mary Kay Mullins for providing Professional Development.

C. Information

1. Early Childhood Center - Mrs. Belland

D. Consent Agenda: For the consent agenda, the board has been furnished with background material on each item or has discussed it at a previous meeting. These will be acted upon with one vote without discussion. If a board member wants to discuss any item, it will be pulled out of the consent agenda and will be voted on separately.

- 1. Finance Meeting of January 13, 2014 (5:30 p.m.)
- 2. Regular Meeting of January 13, 2014 (6:00 p.m.)
- 3. Workshop Meeting of January 27, 2014 (4:30 p.m.)
- 4. Financial Report and Presentation of Vouchers and Receipts

E. Separate Approvals

- 1. First Reading of Policy 860 & 860 Rule: Visitors to the Schools Procedure
- 2. Crandon Trap Team
- 3. Teacher Retirement
- 4. 2012-13 Audit

F. Presentations

- 1. Social Studies with Board MS/HS Social Studies Departments
- 2. District Administrator Report Mr. Asher
- 3. Budget Review Mr. Engebretson
- 4. Principal Reports Mrs. Belland and Mr. Space
- 5. Pupil Services Report Mr. Palubicki6. Dean of Students/Activities Report Mr. Quesinberry

G. Correspondence

H. Citizens' Comments: The board respectfully asks that comments remain focused on the topic or issue being brought to the board's attention, but not on specific personnel, as personnel is handled through other avenues. No more than 15 minutes will be provided for citizens' comments. If more than one person wishes to comment, the time will be divided between/amongst those individuals wishing to comment.

I. Closed Session

1. Motion to Adjourn to Closed Session

Pursuant to WI Statutes 19.85 (1) (c) (f) - (c) Considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility. (f) Considering financial, medical, social or personal histories or disciplinary data of specific persons.

- 2. Extra-Curricular Vacancy
- 2. a. Assistant Softball Coach 2. b. Assistant Golf Coach
- 3. Support Staff Vacancy
- 3. a. Weekend Custodial 4. Teacher Vacancy
- 4. a. Social Studies Teacher 5. Personnel

6. District Administrator Evaluation J. Return to Open Session

1. To Take Possible Action on Items Discussed in Closed Session

K. Adjournment

CALLING ALL MARINES - WE WANT YOU! The Forest County Detachment of the Marine Corps League is

looking for new regular members and associate members to come join us the first Wednesday of every month at the VFW Hall in Crandon. Food & Door Prizes. For more information please call Micah Dewing at 715-889-0371 OU/50

Crandon Freshmen Surpass National Average on EXPLORE Test

The EXPLORE test is a pre-ACT test given to 9th graders in the United States. Crandon High School freshmen took the test this fall and just received their results. Crandon 9th graders' scores as a class average were above the national average in all four areas: English, math, reading, and science.

As individuals, 57% of the CHS students scored at or above the benchmark score for college readiness in English, 33% did in math, 25% did in reading, and 20% did in science. Two students from the class received perfect scores in reading. If you know any Crandon freshmen, please congratulate them on this accomplishment. The Crandon School District staff is very proud of these



CELLULITE SISTERS GRANDON RED HAT LADIES



February Activities: Lunch at LaFetta at 11:00 am

With a visit with the

ladies at the Crandon Nursing Home for dessert and games at 1:00 pm, Thursday, February 13.For reservations call Gwyn 715-478-5414 or

Chris 715-478-2614 **NOTE:** If Crandon

Schools are closed due To weather, this event

will be cancelled.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA 2014 **February 10 - 14 BREAKFAST MENU**

MON: Mini corn dogs, oval hashbrown, Mandarin oranges TUES: Cereal, muffin, apple slices WED: Breakfast skillet (eggs, ham & cheese), peaches, sun butter

. THURS: French toast slices, strawberries

FRI: Mini choc. chip pancakes, turkey sausage links, orange wedaes

PLEASE NOTE - 100% FRUIT JUICE& MILK AVAILABLE DAILY. BREADS, **BUNS & PASTA ARE WHOLE GRAIN.** Menus are subject to change.

> SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA 2014 **February 10 - 14 LUNCH MENU**

MON: Hot dog, baked beans, peppered fries, peaches TUES: BBQ chicken, brown rice, gravy, peas & carrots, fruit cocktail, roll WED: Deli ham slices, sweet

potato puffs, pears THURS: Hamburger casserole, dinner roll, broccoli/ cheese, green grapes

FRI: Heart shaped chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes/ gravy, apple slices, frosted choc. cake PLEASE NOTE - ROMAINE SALAD BAR & MILK AVAILABLE DAILY. BREADS. BUINS & PASTA ARE WHOLE GRAIN. Menus are subject to change

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Crandon Public Library - Monday, Tuesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.; Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.; Saturday 9:00 a.m. Noon • 715-478-3784.

Laona Edith Evans Community Library - SUMMER HOURS: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. & extended hours on Tuesday 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. CLOSED Saturday & Sunday • 715-674-4751

Museum Hours

Forest County Museum- Summer Hours: 10-4 on Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

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Wabeno Museum - Memorial Day - Through Labor Day -Monday-Thursday: 11:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.; Friday-Saturday: 10:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.; Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

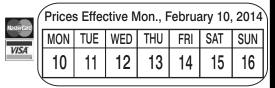


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The winners this year were starting with the northern pike, Ryan Wilson with 9 pounds 4 ounces followed by Bobby Pfeiffer at 8 pound 7 ounces and Mike Wilson came in third with a 7 pound 11 ounce northern. Bass winners were Nolan Bradley, Kelsey Wilson and Bob Anderson. Abby Pease took first, second and third place in the crappie division. Ben Druckrey's 7 ounce 8.25 inch bluegill won first place and Tyler and Mitch Radke finished second and third with a 7 ounce bluegill measuring 8 inches and 7.5 inches respectively. The perch division was won by the Kircher family, Dave took first, while Deegan and Drake finished in second and third. No one brought in a walleye this year, I guess they are just waiting to get a little bigger for next years event.



Reid Votis holds up his Northern Pike



Kelsey Votis is proud of her catch



Crandon Library News

Family Story Time Dance Party

The month of February is American Heart Month and the Crandon Public Library's Story Hour program is teaming up with the Crandon School District, Ministry Crandon and Laona clinics and the Forest County Health Department to get our families hearts pumping at a Family Story Time Dance Party. Join us at this fun and free

program on Monday, February 10th at 6:00 p.m. Families with toddlers and preschool aged children will be encouraged to dance, get moving, and increase your heart rate for yourself, your family and the ones you love! There is no need to register for this program, so please bring a play date or two. Valentine projects and healthy snacks will also be provided. For more information, please contact Michelle at 715-478-3784.

Explore the Incredible Life of Ernest Wilson

This month the David Brezovar Memorial display case located inside the Crandon Public Library reveals the identity of the mystery object from last month's exhibit. While no one person was able to correctly identify the object, many people did come close when they guessed the item was a jewelry case. Stop in at the library to find out exactly what the conch shell's purpose was. Due to the fact that there were no correct entries, local history librarian Amanda Flannery chose a name from the 50+ entries and declared Kathy Hayes of Crandon our winner. Kathy has won a copy of the book Crandon 1906: Its Industries and Resources. This book is available for purchase from the Forest County Historical Society.

The library's display case also features the life story of the donor of the mystery object, Ernest Wilson. The display gives a summary of the major events in Ernest's life as well as his accomplishments. There are fantastic photographs from Mr. Wilson's days as a one man band and as a member of the Whoopee Cowboys. You can also glimpse other objects donated by Ernest Wilson to the Crandon Public Library Museum in the late 1930's.

<u>Library Hours</u>: The Crandon Public Library is open Mondays 9-5, Tuesdays 9-5, Wednesdays 9-7, Thursdays 9-7, Fridays 9-5 and Saturdays 9-Noon.

Death Notices



LISA ANN KOEPPEL, age 46, of Neenah, passed away on February 1, 2014, at home, surrounded by family and friends. Lisa was born on March 4, 1967, in Dover, New Jersey to the late Audrey and Jerry Ferrigno. Lisa married Eric Koeppel on July 24, 2004. Lisa is wellknown for her hospitality to friends, family and new neighbors. She was always there when people needed her, offering gifts,

understanding and friendship. Lisa loved animals. Her dog Antonio and her cat Thomas were truly a part of the family.

Survivors include her husband of nine years, Eric, her step-daughter Anna, her brothers and sisters, Dennis Ferrigno; Denise (George) Agnew; Donna (Tim) Kuzdzal; Charlie (Carol) Ferrigno, Robert (Manny) Ferrigno and John R. (Kim) Ferrigno. She is further survived by many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her first husband Dale Henningfeld and her favorite dog Michael. Lisa was also preceded in death by her beloved Nana and Baba and Grandma Ferrigno; Eric's parents Rosemary and Martin Koeppel of Phlox, and three of Eric's sisters, Lucy, Anne and Frannie.

Memorial services were held in both Menasha and Phlox. The Menasha service was at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 4, 2014, at the WICHMANN FUNERAL HOME, TRI-COUNTY CHAPEL, 1592 Oneida Street, Menasha, with Deacon Tony DeBroux officiating. The Phlox service was at 11:00 am on Wednesday, February 5, 2014, at ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH in Phlox with Father Charles Hoffman and Deacon Tom Hartman officiating.

Lisa's family would like to extend a sincere thank you to the staff at Affinity Hospice for their loving care. Eric would also like to sincerely thank his co-workers and management at Webex Inc. in Neenah. Online condolences may be offered at www.wichmannfargo.com. In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund is being established in Lisa's

DOROTHY CHRISTENSON, 78, of Crandon, died February 5, 2014 at Nu-Roc Community Healthcare Center in Blackwell. She was born July 28, 1935 in Kentucky to Grover and Pearl (Caldwell) Johnson.

Dorothy married Donald Christenson. They lived in the Appleton area and in the early 1990's built a home on Horseshoe Lake outside of Crandon. She enjoyed Crocheting and throwing horseshoes with her husband.

Dorothy is survived by her husband Don, three daughters: Valorie (Tom) Sutheimer, Kris (Pete) Biesterveld, and Doreen McHugh, and one son Mike (Donna) Christenson, one brother J.C. Johnson, nine grandchildren, and 3 great grandchildren. She is further survived by brothers and sisters-in-law: Gerald (Jan) Christenson, Marge (Buck) Bialcik, and Dorothy Phillips.

She was preceded in death by sisters: Cindy Fisher, Audrey Lawrence, brother-in-law Bob Lawrence and granddaughter Danielle Sutheimer.

A memorial service for Dorothy will be held on Saturday February 8, 2014 at 11:00 a.m. at the Weber-Hill Funeral Home in Crandon. Visitation will be 9:00 a.m. until the time of service. Deacon Jerry Cross will officiate. Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family. Online condolences at www.weberhillfuneralhome.com

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Forest County Commission on Aging DOT Bus Schedule

WEDNESDAY February 12-

- City Route to Schaefer's / Downtown / Clinic / Crandon Public Library (8:00-12:00 p.m.)
- Wabeno, Blackwell, Laona and Crandon to Crandon (1:00-4:30 p.m.) Bus Driver: Hal Weisnicht
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TOPIC OF THE MONTH "Color Meals Red" **MEAL SCHEDULE**

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA

Monday - February 10 - Beef stew with potatoes, carrots, onions and celery, fruit, biscuits, snicker doodle cookie Monday - February 17 - Roast pork statzle, sweet & sour cabbage, fruit, dinner roll, Oh Henry Bar -PRESIDENTS DAY-

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA

Tuesday - February 11 - Chicken stir fry, stir fry vegetables, brown rice, fruit, egg roll, tapioca pudding Tuesday - February 18 - Baked haddock, brown rice, broccoli, fruit, sourdough bread, Jell-O **CRANDON**

Wednesday - February 12 - Turkey sandwich on whole wheat, broccoli salad, fruit, banana cake -BINGO-

Wednesday - February 19 - Chicken Dijon, roasted potatoes, beets, corn muffins, peach cobbler

LAONA Thursday - February 13 - Turkey sandwich on whole wheat, broccoli salad, fruit, banana cake

Thursday - February 20 - Chicken Dijon, roasted potatoes, beets, corn muffins, peach cobbler **ARMSTRONG CREEK**

Tuesday - February 11 - Chicken stir fry, stir fry vegetables, brown rice, fruit, egg roll, tapioca pudding -**BINGO-**

Tuesday - February 18 - Baked haddock, brown rice, broccoli, fruit, sourdough bread, Jell-O -MUSIC-**ALVIN**

Thursday - February 13 - Meatloaf, baked potatoes, green beans, applesauce, rolls, cookies

Thursday - February 20 - Chicken pot pie, cole slaw, pineapple, wheat bread, bars

WABENO HOME DELIVERED MENU

MONDAY, TUESDAY same as CRANDON THURSDAY same as LAONA

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Laona site manager Peggy Alderton at 715-889-3116 (cell). Meal served at 12:00 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

Wabeno site manager Diana Reed at 715-850-0626 (home) or 715-473-4333 (site). Meal served at 11:30 a.m. on Monday and Tuesday. Home delivered on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

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We welcome letter to the Editor; however the letters should be legible, in good taste, not libelous and pertinent to current issues. Names will not be withheld upon request, except for very special circumstances. NAME AND PHONE NUMBER SHOULD BE INCLUDED FOR VERIFICATION PURPOSES. We reserve the right to reject any and all letters.

Random Acts of Kindness week is February 10-16. Please consider carrying out a random act of kindness, with no expectation of reward, and hopefully one day someone might do the same for you. Paying it forward is easy, doesn't cost anything and it feels great.

Jan Leschke

Proposed off road park in Forest county

I bought my property in Forest county for the nature and tranquility. I can not understand how anyone can believe the people of Forest County will benefit from an off road vehicle park. The only people who will benefit are the people who own the gas station and hotel at the park, and collect the fees. I don't know if people really understand the impact this would have on the area. First of all lets be clear what this off road park is. 10,000 acres is 15.625 square miles. Now add a thousand, 500 horsepower, open exhaust vehicles ripping around with no laws to follow. Add beer and fireworks and now the family fun is complete.

Is this the reason for the secrecy? Is this the reason for an undisclosed location? I for one will be moving if this comes anywhere near me---that is if my property is worth anything. If you want to race go to Crandon---there already is an off road park there.

Tom Searing Nashville, Wi.

To the Editor:

I belong to a writers' group, Up North Authors Circle (UNAC), facilitated by Kathleen Marsh of Townsend. We meet at the public library in Lakewood, which is my hometown. Both Kathleen and I have written local history books about our communities. This past year saw the passing of one relatively young, dynamic community leader from each of these small towns: Richard Pintsch of Townsend and Terry Rank of Lakewood. Neither was an elected political leader. Each served his community in the retail business. But Rich and Terry were giants in the vital area of community service, supporting our fire departments, rescue squads, community events, veterans groups, and yes, even UNAC.

Richard Pintsch was an important resource for Kathleen, who was not originally from Townsend, as she researched Townsend's history to write her three books. He also provided much support in her efforts to save the Holt & Balcolm Logging Camp Museum in Lakewood. Terry Rank eagerly shared with me whatever information he had about Lakewood. To show his pride in a town he loved, he named different areas of his SuperValu grocery store after people who had played a part in Lakewood's history. Terry chose to sell the books written by local authors without taking any percentage of the sales price to cover his costs. That was a significant factor in these authors being able to afford the high cost of publishing a book.

Family and friends of Rich and Terry, UNAC members, and all of northern Oconto County continue to mourn the loss of these two irreplaceable human beings. Fortunately, both left behind strong families that are stepping forward to fill the void and maintain their legacies. This is critical as we live in a time when nearly all of our top local graduates must leave us in order to pursue their dreams. But as Rich and Terry would say, "We will endure; we always do."

Tom Thielke Crandon

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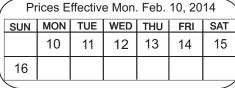
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Title of Position: Full-Time Road Maintenance Worker

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Brief Description of Position: This position primarily involves the maintenance and improvement of the roads within the Town of Argonne. The employee is expected to service the roads with appropriate maintenance practices. The employee must sometimes exercise independent judgment and perform tasks in the absence of supervision. Maintain time records and turn in to Supervisor as required for pay. Maintain a Job Log on all work performed for the Town. The employee is expected to perform the duties in a professional manner. As an employee of the Town, the employee is expected to be courteous at all times and represent the Town in a professional and positive manner. **Essential Functions of the Position**

- Ability to perform heavy manual labor.
- · Ability to service and make repairs and adjustments to equipment.
- · Sufficient communication skills to be able to read, write and correctly interpret written information, policies and
- Must possess a valid Wisconsin Commercial Drivers License (CDL) or obtain one within 60 days of employment.
- Available nights, holidays and weekends during snow, ice and/or wind storms, and other emergencies
- Ability to bend and lift moderately heavy (50 pound) objects on a regular basis of two (2) hours per day and heavier objects on an occasional basis.
- Ábility to sit and stand for up to eight (8) consecutive hours per work shift with periodic breaks.
- Ability to walk two (2) miles per work shift.
- A demonstrated acceptable driving record.
- Other duties as directed by the Town Board of Supervisors.

Duties of the Position

- Maintain Town roads, patch holes and service roads with appropriate maintenance practices
- · Maintain culverts and ditches.
- Check and replace damaged and/or missing road signs.
- Plow snow and apply ice control material as needed.
- Maintain shoulders, mow grass, cut brush, clean trash, trim or remove trees and any related task involved in road
- · Operate equipment including grader, truck, loader, tractor mower, chipper, chain saw and similar equipment of comparable size and complexity.
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- See that equipment is serviced with fuel, oil, water and lubricants as needed and perform minor to moderate repairs to tools and equipment. Order and secure required materials and parts for equipment maintenance.
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- Perform other duties as necessary and as requested such as maintaining Town buildings and grounds, parks, recreational areas, etc..
- ullet Take responsibility for implementing and following Town policies such as personal safety, lock-out/tag-out, etc. .
- Desired Knowledge, Skills and Experience Experience and/or training in highway maintenance and construction work, which includes operating intermediate
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- Knowledge of traffic laws and regulations as they apply to motorized construction and maintenance equipment.
- Knowledge and ability to operate moderate sized motorized construction and maintenance equipment, chain saws, and similar tools and equipment.
- It is preferable that the employee/applicant is a resident of the Town.

If interested, please submit a cover letter and a resume' or a letter that outlines your qualifications that meets the above criteria for this position to Don Gordon, Town Clerk, PO Box 158, Argonne, Wi 54511. They need to be received by February 10, 2014. Successful applicants will be contacted for interviews shortly thereafter. The Town of Argonne is an equal opportunity employer

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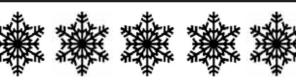
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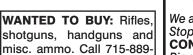
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Nicolet College Foundation now accepting online scholarship applications

Nicolet College Foundation is now accepting scholarship applications for anyone looking to potentially receive funding for the 2014-15 academic year at Nicolet.

Last year the Foundation awarded more than 250 scholarships ranging in value from \$400 to \$3,000, said Heather Schallock, Foundation executive director.

"We strongly encourage anyone planning on attending Nicolet next fall to apply for a scholarship," Schallock said. "We know that paying for college is often a challenge for students and scholarships can go a long way in helping students meet that challenge."

This year the Foundation launched an online application process. Paper applications are no longer available.

To help students navigate the new online application process, the Foundation has set up two workshops to assist students. One will be held Tuesday, Feb. 11, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and the second Wednesday, Feb. 12, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Both workshops will be held in University Transfer Center 102.

The online application can be found on the Foundation page at nicoletcollege.edu.

Completed applications must be submitted by Friday, March 7.

Nicolet scholarships are available for both new and continuing students enrolling at Nicolet College next fall.

Scholarship funds are applied directly to tuition costs. Students taking nine or more credits per semester can receive between \$500 and \$3,000 and students taking three to eight credits per semester can receive a \$400 scholarship. All applicants must have a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.5.

The \$1,000 University Transfer Liberal Arts Program Award, the \$1,000 Robert Steger Award, and the \$500 Irma Braunstein/Northwoods Branch AAUW Scholarship are also available. They will be awarded to current Nicolet students in the University Transfer Liberal Arts Program who will be transferring to a four-year college

For more information, contact the Nicolet College Foundation office at (715) 365-4518, 1-800-544-3039, ext. 4518; TDD (715) 365-4558, 711 relay, or by email at hschallock@nicoletcollege.edu





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