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Camp 5's Saturday Fall Festival



This Saturday, September 29th, Camp 5 Museum and the Lumberjack Steam Train will be open for the Saturday Fall Festival. It is a great time to enjoy one of the North's most interesting attractions.

Enjoy the award-winning Green Treasure Forest Tour, pumpkin patch, live music, games, face painting, prizes, and a marshmallow roast. You don't have to be a kid to enjoy this day!

Next Saturday, October 6th, the Cowboys will be back at Camp 5. You can witness a train robbery, a cowboy shootout and some great horses and horsemanship.

The Lumberjack Special leaves the depot on Hwy 8 at 11:00 a.m. and on the hour with the last train leaving at 2:00 p.m.

Lakewood Reunion From 8 to 98!



These three Reunion attendees were 90 years of age or older. They include left to right: Bill Greasby; Fran Jackson, the oldest attendee at age 98; and Barney Jeranek, the oldest World

The recently held Lakewood Reunion was well attended and enjoyed by a large group of "friends who love Lakewood." After many years of trying to convince people that the reunion was no longer an "Old-Timers

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Nicolet College Academic Success Centers open for fall

Nicolet College Academic Success Centers are open for fall, offering free instructional services to people preparing to attend college, building academic skills for the workplace, earning a GED or HSED, or learning to

Forest County Potawatomi-The center is located in the Cultural Center Library, 5460 Everybody's Rd., and open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

In Carter, the center is located in the Wee Care 312 Hwy. 32 S and open Mondays Wednesdays from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Crandon

In Crandon, the center is located at 100A W. Washington St. and is open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Mole Lake

In Mole Lake, instruction is available at the Family Services Center, 10808 Sokaogon Dr. Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Math and Writing Tutoring Labs In addition, the Math and Writing Tutoring Labs are open on the Nicolet Campus.

The Math Tutoring Lab is open Mondays 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Tuesdays and Thursdays 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. and noon to 4 p.m.; Wednesdays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and Fridays from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Math Lab is located in the University Transfer Center 101.

The Writing Tutoring Lab is open Mondays and Wednesdays from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Writing Lab is located in the Learning Resources Center second floor commons area.

For more information, contact the Academic Success Department at (715) 365-4455, toll-free at 1-800-544-3039, ext. 4455; or TDD (715) 365-4448. Information is also available on the web at nicoletcollege.edu.

WD Flooring to expand in Laona

Lt. Governor Kleefisch visits the plant

By Mike Monte

With some help from a \$750,000 loan through the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation(WEDC), WD Flooring, in Laona, is expanding its product line to engineered flooring. The expansion will add 58 new jobs and support the retention of over 100 jobs at the Laona industrial site, by adding to the lumber market for Nicolet Hardwoods.

Currently, WD Flooring is the largest hardwood flooring manufacturer in the Midwest. The investment by the company, coupled with the loan from WEDC, will widen the markets available to WD Flooring. The engineered flooring is a hardwood covering over a plywood backing that is more stable than pure hardwood flooring, offers more versatile installations, and is less costly.



Peter Connor explains the process of turning a hard maple into quality hardwood flooring to Lt. Governor Kleefisch.



The Lieutenant Governor chats with the employees at WD Flooring.

The manufactured type of flooring does look and feel like hardwood flooring, and, indeed, the face of flooring will be made from locally logged hardwoods. In addition, and a nice touch, is that different styles of the Otter Creek line of flooring are named after some of the pioneer families that came to Laona when the mill was built back in 1898. At a glance, the display held a Stauber line, a Carter and a Sturzl line. There is also a line of European styles and a traditional line of flooring.

WD Flooring currently produces a million square feet of flooring per month. Production should

double after the new facility is added to the Laona industrial complex. The new facility should be operational in about 90 days. Lieutenant Governor Rebecca Kleefisch was on hand in the flooring mill for the initial announcement of the WDEC loan. She toured the plant with WD CEO Peter Connor, asked a lot of pertinent questions, and talked to the employees of the mill. She said, "What an honor to be here and help you grow!" She talked of the importance of jobs, especially in northern Wisconsin and in the forest products industry. She also said, "We celebrate you guys and congratulate and thank you for

Of interest is that hardwood flooring has been produced in Laona for over 110 years. It was also mentioned that Kleefisch was the second Lieutenant Governor to visit the site. The first was W.D. Connor, namesake of the flooring mill and past CEO of the Connor industries. Floors made in Laona from our Great Lakes hardwoods that are of note include the Detroit Art Institute, Weisman Art Museum, the Latvian National Gallery, the Country Music Hall of Fame, the practice facility of the Beijing Olympics, the African Intercontinental Basketball Championship and a Laona-produced floor was installed in the New

keeping our economy going." Kleefisch said she was proud of our manufacturing and forestry heritage.

York Stock Exchange years back.

Sirens of the 60s

The Three Lakes School/Community Arts Association is bringing the Sirens of the 60s to our area and era. This time Colleen Raye and Debra O'Keefe, from the Girl Singers of the Hit Parade, partner with Katie Gerty to provide an exciting look back at the great female vocalists of the 1960s. Their program includes songs of many legends including Barbara Streisand, Brenda Lee, Dionne Warwick, Cher, Lesley Gore, Dusty Springfield, Petula Clark, and Marilyn McCoo.

This very "groovy" stroll down memory lane begins Monday, October 15th, 7:30pm in the Three Lakes High School auditorium. The evening is made possible through grants from Arts Midwest and the Wisconsin Arts Board, which is supported by funds from the State of Wisconsin and the National Endowment for the Arts. Tickets are \$20 per adult and \$5 per student and can be purchased at the M&I /BMO Harris Banks in Three Lakes, Rhinelander and Eagle River or at the door the evening of the performance. For more information, call Mary Ann at 715-546-8306.

Paul Davis apprehended and Randall Pari convicted on 4 counts

The Forest County Sheriffs Department and North Central Drug Enforcement Group reports Paul D Davis MIB 12/14/1983 of South Holland, Illinois has been arrested by Illinois authorities on a valid warrant out of Forest County. Paul waived his extradition and is currently being held in the Forest County Jail on two felony counts of delivery of THC and two felony counts of possession of THC second offense. Paul is being charged with delivery of THC that took place at the Bottom's Up Bar located in the Town of Wabeno.

Randall A Pari MIW 08/02/1985 of Wabeno has been convicted of four felony counts of delivery of THC. Four felony charges of possession of THC second offense have been dismissed but read in. Randall sold marijuana to undercover officers at the Bottom's Up Bar located in the Town of Wabeno. Randall is currently in the Forest County Jail.

Pelican Lake Women's Civic Club Annual Style Show & Luncheon



The Pelican Lake Women's Civic Club will hold its Annual Style Show and Luncheon at the Holiday Inn, Rhinelander, Thursday, October 11, at noon.

The show will feature club members modeling ensembles provided by area merchants. This year's merchants will Include Turn of the Century, Latitudes, Kohl's Penney's She's All That in Crandon and Schroeder's in Antigo.

Event proceeds are used for Scholarships along with the welfare and needs of the community.

Tickets are available by calling Marsha at 715-

Unwanted prescription drug drop off on September 29th

On Saturday, September 29, at 2:00 p.m., the County Sheriff's Department and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) will give the public another opportunity to prevent pill abuse and theft by ridding their homes of potentially dangerous expired, unused and unwanted prescription drugs. Bring your medication for disposal to the Sheriff's Department. The service is free and anonymous, no questions asked.

This initiative addresses a vital public safety and public health issue. Medicines laying around homes are highly susceptible to diversion, misuse and abuse. Studies show that a majority of abused prescription drugs are obtained from family and friends, including the home medicine cabinet. The usual methods for disposing of unused medicines is flushing them down the toilet or throwing them in the trash. Both methods pose potential safety and health hazards.



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Laona Library Lore

The Edith Evans Community Library is pleased to report that the following new items have been added to their growing collection for your reading and/or viewing

Adult Fiction: "By starlight" by Dorothy Garlock; "Faithful to Laura" by Kathleen Fuller; "Inn at Rose Harbor" by Debbie Macomber; "Spymasters" by W.E.B. Griffin; "Sweet talk" by Julie Garwood; "Taming the wind" by Tracie Peterson; "Tombs" by Clive Cussler; and "Zoo" by James Patterson

Movies: "Hatfield & McCoys"; "Hunger games"; "Jungle bunch"; "Lorax"; "Lucky one"; "Mystery woman: Mystery weekend"; "One special night"; "Ordinary miracles"; "Pirates"; "Pledge"; "Song from the heart"; "Think like a man"; and "21 Jump Street"

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203 Forest River Sierra Camper- 35' 5th wheel\$10,900

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA 2012 October 1 - 5 **LUNCH MENU**

MON: Pizza burger/bun, sweet potato tator tots, applesauce TUES: PBJ sandwich, potato soup, WED: Brd. fish sandwich/ bun, potato salad, pineapple/Mand.

THURS: Chili, chili/ cheese quesadilla, grapes FRI: Hot dog/ bun, baked beans, coleslaw, watermelon wedge PLEASE NOTE - ROMAINE SALAD BAR & MILK AVAILABLE DAILY. BREADS, **BUNS & PASTA ARE WHOLE GRAIN.** Menus are subject to change

CLASS OF 1986 REUNION

Saturday, September 29 7 p.m. Start at Super Bowl Bar Hop in Crandon Any questions call: Missy at 715-889-1169 or Tammy 715-478-2513 P24

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Wreath Makers Northwoods Evergreen 715-536-6060



CELLULITE SISTERS/CRANDON RED HAT LADIES

FALL STYLE SHOW

Tuesday, Oct. 16th, Cheney's Supper Club 5:00 pm Cocktails, 6:00 Dinner Style Show to Follow (by She's All That) Menu: Chicken & Ham Dinner \$15.00 including tax & tip Reservations Please by Monday, Oct 8th Jo: 715-674-4401, Jeanne: 715-674-6208 Barb: 715-674-2677

Laona Community Blood Drive



Kneeling front, left to right: Logan Chrisman, Zach Reeves Back row standing, left to right: Samantha Trebtoske, Kim Mentz, Morgan Krawze, Nikki Babich, Alanna Benaszeski, Megan Milan. Not pictured: Danielle Flannery

The Laona Chapter of the National Honor Society will be hosting an American Red Cross Blood Drive as one of its community-service projects. The Laona Community Blood Drive will be held from 12:00 noon until 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 2, in the Multi-Purpose Room in the Laona School complex.

October is National Liver Awareness Month. Recently, two patients at a hospital served by the Red Cross Mid-America Blood Services Division underwent liver transplants and received more than 130 units of red blood cells. According to Greg Novinska, CEO of the Red Cross Badger-Hawkeye Blood Services Region, "Because of our dedicated blood donors, the Red Cross was able to meet the needs of these two patients and countless others."

Anyone interested in donating one pint of blood is asked to call 1-800-733-2767 to make an appointment, or visit the website at www.redcrossblood.org for more information. A blood-donor card or a driver's license, or two other forms of identification, are required at the check-in station.

Individuals who are seventeen years of age, weigh at least one hundred and ten pounds, and are in generally good health are eligible to donate their blood. All blood types are needed to ensure a reliable supply for all patients. (Parental consent forms need to be filed, in advance, for those donors who are sixteen years of age and meet the rest of the requirements.)

We look forward to seeing you on October 2! Our goal for this blood drive is thirty pints and a scholarship will be made available to our students if that goal is achieved. Please help us help our community, and our students!

Historical Society to meet September 27th

The annual meeting of the Forest County Historical and Genealogical Society will be held on Thursday, September 27 the museum at 7:00 p.m. Discussion will be held on projects for the winter, organization of written material currently being stored and

Bids & Notices

Laona School District PUBLIC NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for a timber sale located on Laona School property will be received in the Laona School District Office until 3:00 p.m., Friday October 5, 2012.

This sale contains a total estimated volume of: •620 cords of pulpwood and sawbolts on approximately 20 acres.

A timber sale prospectus and detailed info can be obtained by contacting the DNR, 404 N. Lake Ave, Crandon, WI 54520 or Laona High School, 5216 Forest Ave. Laona WI 54541.

Sealed bids must be submitted on the approved bid form. Bids will be opened at the Regular School Board meeting on Monday, October 8, 2012.

A certificate of insurance showing proof of Worker's Compensation and General Liability coverage is required at contract signing.

A performance bond equal to 10% of the bid price, SFI training certificate and a presale meeting with the DNR forester will be required prior to beginning any work on the

The School District of Laona reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid they deem most advantageous to the District.

NOTICE TOWN OF LAONA FALL CLEAN UP **DAYS**

Fall clean up is scheduled for October 8th, 2012 for the Monday route and October 10th, 2012 for the Wednesday route. Please have all trash curbside by 7:00 a.m.

The following items will be accepted: Large household items (Furniture, carpet and appliances) other household trash must be bagged. The following items will NOT BE ACCEPTED: Building demolition, automotive parts, boats, tires, liquid paints, waste oil, lead acid batteries, liquid petroleum products, microwaves, hazardous waste, yard waste, and ELECTRONICS.

Appliances that contain Freon must be certified that the Freon has been removed. Just a reminder that the clean up is for household items.

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If you have any questions please call us at 1-800-606-3804.

Laona Town Board

election of Board Members/Officiers. All current members are strongly urged to attend this important meeting. Anyone interested in knowing more about the activities of the Society is welcome to attend this meeting.

The museum is closed for the winter. Interested in working as a guide next summer call (715)478-3753. Museum will open next Memorial Day.

Ansil Harpold Concert September 30th

Forest Larger Parish Presbyterian Church will be holding their eight annual Fall Evangelism Concert at 7:00 P.M. at the Wabeno High School Auditorium on Sunday, September 30. Besides, the Northwoods Gospel Quartet, the FLPPC Praise Band, and the Presbyterian Puppet Choir, we will be bringing in Ansil Harpold who sings professionally to support his prison ministry. It will be an evening of good music, inspiring testimony and an all around good time.

As in the past, the admission is FREE although we will collect a love offering to support Ansil's ministry.

As a special treat, we also have engaged the services of a couple of motivational speakers to keep the evening lively. (Their names are Dennis and Wendy

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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

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA 2012 **October 1 - 5 BREAKFAST MENU**

MON: Cereal, donut, fruit TUES: Cheese omelet, sausage patty, fruit WED: LATE START NO BREAKFAST THURS: Egg, cheese bagel, apple FRI: Cinnamon French toast slices, Strawberries

PLEASE NOTE - 100% FRUIT JUICE, MILK & HOT CHOCOLATE **AVAILABLE DAILY** Menus are subject to change

Public Library Hours

Lakes Country Public Library - Lakewood - Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday 2:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Saturday 9:00 a.m. -2:00 p.m. • 715-276-9020.

Wabeno Public Library - Tues & Fri. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Wed. & Thurs. Noon - 5; Sat. 9 - Noon. Closed MONDAYS & SUNDAYS. Wifi signal: 8 a.m.-9 p.m., 7 days/week. 715-473-4131

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

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- Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. To arrange a tour or for questions please call 715-478-3753 to make arrangements.

Forest County Potawatomi Cultural Center & Museum - Monday -Thursday 7 a.m. - 5 p.m. If you have special research needs or want to inquire about collection, please call 715-478-4841.

NOTICE TOWN OF LAONA

Please remove all old flowers and ornaments that you want to keep from the cemetery by October 15th, 2012. The cemetery is being cleaned up for winter.

Reminder

It is unlawful to dig in the cemetery, place markers, plant trees and bushes, or place any other permanent structure without preapproval from the Cemetery Caretaker or Cemetery Board. Violations will be addressed.

Laona Cemetery Board

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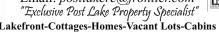
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New Listing - 4162 High Ridge Lane • \$157,900



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New Listing - 700 Zinzer Rd., Crandon • \$119,900



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Home in the Flower Lake Area 15923 Flower Lake Drive This 3 BR custom built open concept home is tastefully done w/ceramic

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Mary Lake Area- 3 BR, 1.5 BA, fireplace, 1.61 Acs, full basement, garage, across from public boat ramp. \$195,000

Elton - 4 BR, 1.5 BA, 2 fireplaces, garden room, LL family room, garage with large workshop, 7.22 Acres. \$195,000

Ada Lake Area- 3 BR, 2 BA, gas fireplace, partial basement, deck, attached garage, 6.36 acres. \$160,000

Flower Lake Area-3 BR, 1 BA, fireplace, full basement, 3+car garage, 1.52 Acres wooded lot, new roofs and furnace. \$149,000

Town of Evergreen-35 wooded ac. 3 BR. 1 ½ BA. open concept floor plan. 3

season rm close to McGee Lake. \$144.000 White Lake-4BRs, 2 BAs, 1.35 acres, 1650 sq. ft., hardwood floors, steel roof,

attached garage, full basement. \$142,000 Crivitz-2 BR, gas stove, sunroom, 2060 Sq. Ft. 1.67 Acres, 2 decks, garage

with workshop, close to Grindle Lake. \$129,900 Maiden Lake Road-2.34 Wooded acres, 3 Bdrm, 2 bath, attached and

detached garages, rec room, three season room, walk out. \$125,000 Crooked Lake Area-2 BR, 2 BA, Sunroom, fireplace, full basement, 2 garages, close to lakes and trails. \$124,900

Town of Wolf River-1.7 Acres, 3 Bdrm, 2 Bath w/handicapped features inc walk-in tub, 3 ramped decks, Generac generator, oversized garage, 5 minutes to White Lake, \$114,900

Riverview-Wooded lot, 3 Bdrm 2 Baths, 2 Decks, Fireplace, Det. garage with drive through & room for bunkhouse or workshop. \$99,900

Lakewood-3 BR mobile, deck, 25' deeded access to Waubee Lake, pier, 1.61 wooded acres, central A/C. \$89,900

Mountain - 3 BR, 2 BA, mobile, 5.97 Acres, detached garage, outbuildings including barn, set up as farmette. \$80,000

White Lake-2 BR, 1 BA, 4.64 wooded acres, 3 season room, multiple outbuildings, wood stove. \$89,000

White Lake-2 BR, new garage, deck, LR addition, windows, wiring, plumbing, roof, flooring, pellet stove. 3 Acs. \$79,900

White Lake - 3 BRs, 1 BA, 1107 sq. ft., 2 Acres, new flooring, roof, furnace, water heater, appliances, & more, additional acreage available. \$74,900 Village of White Lake Duplex-2 bedroom units, 725 sq. ft. in each unit, 2 car garage, laundry in basement, \$75,500

Village of White Lake - 2 BR, 2 BA, full basement, 1420 sq. ft., detached garage, walk to the lake. \$74,900

Village of White Lake-4 BR, 2 ½ BA, 1673 sq. ft., deck, 3 season room, new updates, nice back yard. \$72,000

White Lake-1 BR, 1 BA, attached garage, radiant heat, 3 acres, maintenance free. \$69.900

White Lake- 3 Bdrm, fireplace, 4 Season room, deck and an extra lot. \$68,000

Mountain-2 BR, loft, appliances, garage, 1.61 Acres, well and septic, storage shed. \$54.900

White Lake - 1 BR, 1 BA w/laundry hook-ups, 4 season room, 2 car garage, shed. .76 acres. \$57.000

Lily - 3 BR, 1.24 acres, 832 sq. ft. fixer-upper in good location close to rivers

Mountain- 2 BR, sunroom, 3+ acres, garage and storage sheds, corner lot,

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Riverview - 2 BR mobile, detached garage with bunk room, appliances, furnishings, 3.2 Acres. \$48,000

Mountain - 2 BR, 1 BA, screened porch, wood stove, 1.59 acres, remodeled and well maintained, 2 storage sheds. \$47,900

Riverview-2 BR, 1 BA, some updates, range and refrigerator, a short walk to Crooked lake beach, \$44,900

Town of Stephenson-2 Bedroom mobile, 1.74 Acres, many updates including furnace, carpeting & vinyl, drilled well, septic and patio some furnishings included. \$42,000

Crooked Lake Area - 2 Bedroom mobile, many new updates, very well maintained, appliances and furnishings. \$40,000

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HOUSE FOR RENT: Available Oct. 1st. 3 bdrm house in City of Crandon. \$500 per month plus

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FOR RENT IN CRANDON: 1 Bdrm Upper \$350/mo. plus heat & Elec; 1 bdrm main floor apt \$400/mo., includes utilities; no pets & references required; contact Peggy Houle @ 715-478-2531.

FOR RENT: 2 bdrm home in City of Crandon. No animals, renter responsible for utilities. Security deposit required. Call 715-889-1479 or 715-649-3148.

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100+ acres off Hwy 52, Lily

100.5 Acres of wooded rolling hills that adjoins Wisconsin DNR Land.. With the Wolf River that can easily be accessed through the SE parcel and miles of the Wolf River Nature Trail, plus being right near the Croker Hills and other recreational areas there are ample opportunities for hunting to bag the big one, nature walking, cross country skiing, fishing, canoeing etc. etc. You won't be lost on activities to keep you busy. Don't let this Hunter's Paradise slip through your fingers! Priced to sell at \$209.900



8896 Hwy 55, Argonne

Cute Cozy Cabin nestled in the Forest is all ready for you to use. It is furnished with bunk beds, a cot, an easy chair, appliances large and small, dinette set and all the necessities. There is a good supply of firewood and even a lawn mower. This 4.5 acre parcel is completely wooded and borders 1000's of acres of the Nicolet National Forest on the north and east sides. There is buried power and a heated outhouse, and a percs for a conventional septic. Just think of all the possibilities of this place. It could be your seasonal getaway to enjoy the peace and guiet or that hunting cabin you have always wanted for only \$39.900



4464 Hwy 8, on the Peshtigo River, Cavour

Listen to the flowing water tumbling over and through the rocks of the Peshtigo River all while taking in the great views from the deck of your new home. With 2 acres and 748 feet of river front you'll find this get-a-way hard to beat. 2 bedrooms upstairs with open concept living/dining/kitchen and a family room with bonus rooms in the basement make this a must see property. Add to that the insulated and heated garage, large yard and spectacular views you'll be wondering if your dreaming as it is only



10710 Winchester Ln, on Pine Lake

If peaceful and private is what you're looking for you've just found it in this beautiful 3 season cottage on 1600 acre Pine Lake which is the headwaters of the Wolf River. With its awesome field stone fireplace, hard wood floors and screened in porch you'll find you won't want to leave. Property offers 1.3 acres of level land with 199 ft. of sandy frontage and all at the end of a private road so there is an abundance of privacy. All this is only \$209,900



W11241 Loop Road, on Black Oak Lake Kempster

This home on Black Oak Lake is insulated and completely remodeled. First floor has tongue and groove reclaimed cedar, except the kitchen and wide plank pine flooring. The walk out lower level has bathroom and family room that could be used for extra sleeping area. The garage can be used for your boat or ATV storage. If you're not out on the lake fishing you can relax on the 6x32 ft. deck or around the camp fire. Dock, boat lift and 8x10 raft are all included. This home is located in a very scenic area of rolling hills and full growth woods. You really need to see this year around home if you're interested in a Northwoods getaway at only \$139 900

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orthwoods Fall Art Tour October 5, 6,

Fall in the north woods is a favorite time of year for many. Mother Nature puts on a colorful show for residents and visitors alike. The artists in the area join in the celebration of color adding texture, line, space, pattern and movement to the mix. They will share the results of their creativity and labor when they open their private studios to the public for the Northwoods Fall Art Tour October 5, 6, 7. Color brochures and maps are available at local businesses, area galleries and chambers of commerce or can be downloaded at www.northwoodsarttour.com.

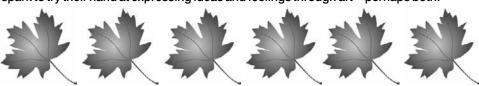
Across the north in Vilas, Oneida, Iron, Langlade and Lincoln counties thirty sites will welcome visitors to private spaces and galleries. There will be demonstrations of art processes, discussion of art ideas, creative motivation and original regional art available for purchase at all locations. Guests may enjoy a self-guided drive through the beautiful back roads and visit as many or as few locations as their time and interest allows. A diverse selection of painters, photographers, potters, furniture makers, wood carvers, jewelers, and fiber artists are opening their private creative spaces so that visitors may learn more about art, art techniques and artistic vision.

One of the original founders of the Art Tour, Carl Gromoll creates laminated and carved sculptural furniture and objects in his Eagle River studio. A graduate of UW Madison the artist built a successful art business in Madison, but missed his Eagle River home and returned to the land his grandparents lived on when he was a boy growing up in Eagle River. His studio has been there ever since. "I think my work is about connections. I feel the wind, I watch snow drift, water work around a rock. How can I express what I feel in a singular object made ordinary by the work it is built to do?" The relationship with visitors comes with "the look in the eye, the energy you get back from someone who appreciates what you have connected."

Oil painter Ann Waisbrot of St Germain also enjoys the connection with art appreciators the tour provides. "I sell most of my paintings through galleries so I often don't get to meet the buyer. It's enlightening and motivating to get the direct feedback from people who enjoy your work."

Galleries and public art spaces are adding special features for the tour visitors. Your Arts Program in Manitowish Waters is featuring the art of violin making with guest artist and fiddler Tess Stephens. Stephens started playing the fiddle at age eight and won the Kansas State Fiddling and Picking Championships in her division. "My joy of the instrument and music has blossomed into wanting to learn how to build violins. I am currently attending the New World School of Violin Making. This experience has been the most challenging and rewarding thing I have ever done. Not only are instruments an art form, they serve a very big purpose and every musician has a preference for style and sound. The learning that is involved with building an instrument is a never-ending process. I find that exciting.'

There is such variety of quality work on the tour from the highly technical to the intuitive, the whimsical to the inspirational. Visitors are sure to sure to find an art form that appeals to them whether they return home with a treasured possession or a creative spark to try their hand at expressing ideas and feelings through art—perhaps both.



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Sunday, Sept. 30, 1-3 p.m. Nicolet Country Club, 5245 Fairway Court, Laona Speakers: Rep. Jeffrey Mursau of the 36th Assem. Dist., Rep. Tom Tiffany, Kim Simac Political Activist, Tommy Thompson Rep. & Sean Duffy Rep. Free Appetizers & Cash Bar **ROMNEÝ/RYAN T-SHIRTS, HATS &** PHOTO BUTTONS FREE ROMNEY/RYAN YARD SIGNS

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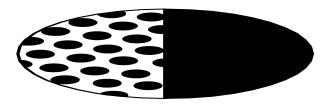
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- AA Meetings: Tuesday nights, 7 p.m., Indian Springs, Carter. Closed ≥ meeting. Barb at 715-473-3904
- Forest County Big Book Closed AA Meeting: Thurs.7 p.m., Crandon Library. 478-2598 or 715-889-1829.
- Al-Anon Meetings Courage to Change Group. Every Friday, 7-8 p.m., lower level Crandon Library.
- Forest Cty. Humane Society; Open to public every Sat. from 10-2. Cal
- •FREE Road Construction Class: Starts in Sept., Mon Thurs. Space
- limited. For info call 715-478-7633. • Forest County Marine Corps League Meeting - 1st Wednesday of
- month. 6 p.m., VFW Hall, Crandon. For info (715) 889-0371.
- Tri-County Council Domestic Violence Support Group: for dates, location & times: 715-478-362-6841 or 1-800-236-1222. Crandon Teen Group Thurs. 3:15-4:15 for location or info call 715-478-3780.
- 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
- •Crandon Lions Board Meetings 1st Monday of month at Crandon Library at 6:30 p.m. (downstairs)
- 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 cal (715)848-4884. Call the Health Dept. for more information at 715-
- •Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Hwy. 55N, Crandon. Sunday service 9:30 a.m. No Saturday services.
- Christian Motorcyclist Association Spirit Ryders Chapter of 2nd Tues. of each month at Goodwill, Antigo at 6:30 pm. George (715) 350-1679.
- ADRC: Aging & Disability Resource Center for Forest County residents. 300A Lake Ave., Crandon, WI 54520 - (715)478-2162. A No cost, one stop source of info & assistance to access services.
- Highway 55 Flea & Craft Market Every Wednesday, Nashville Town Hall, Hwys 55 & B, Crandon. Vendors or more info call 715-484-7271
- Crandon PTO 1st Monday of every 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 715-889-4902
- •Fo. Co. Health Dept. Immunization Clinics Tues, Oct. 16, Wabeno Town Hall, 3:30 to 4; Mon., Oct. 22, Laona Town Hall, 3:30-4; Wed., Oct. 24, Crandon Health Dept. 1:30-4. Call 715-478-3371 for
- Animal Lovers for Animal Shelter Thurs., Oct. 4, 5:30 p.m., Crandon City Hall. We need volunteers to make sure we keep the shelter open an efficient. Funding is foremost. Contact Larry Berg 715-478-7777 or Steve Bunda 715-478-3186.

Area Events

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Saturday, September 29th - 8am-12pm New Hope Ministries, 601 N. Summit. Crandon



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Grades 4K - 8th Everyone Welcome!

Area Events

13th Annual Antigo Elks Sportsmen's Banquet

Saturday, October 6th, 2012 Antigo Elks Club, 622 Clermont St.



Doors open at 4:00 p.m. • Dinner at 6:30 p.m. • Raffles to Follow Tickets \$50 - Includes Dinner & Chance for Door Prizes

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Crooked Lake Oktoberfest Celebration

Get ready to grab your lederhosen and head to Crooked Lake for the Third Annual Oktoberfest on Saturday October 13, sponsored by the Crooked Lake/Mountain Lions Club. The fun starts at 11 a.m. with free hay rides through Crooked Lake, minnow races and a free pumpkin decorating area for children at the Community Center. You can keep the pumpkin you decorate! At 1:00 there will be a meat raffle and all day beer and wine will be served in an authentic Beer Garden while German music is played by our area's favorite DJ, Whitey. You will be able to browse the vendor area, looking for the perfect craft item. If you are interested in having an 8 x 10 free space to sell your treasurer's (there are a couple of spots still open), please contact Cassie at 715-276-6196.

The main event is the Spanferkel (Pig Roast) with stuffing, apple sauce, sauerkraut, hot German potato salad, baby red potatoes and marble rye bread. For dessert, who could resist a piece of Black Forest Torte or a Bavarian crème puff? Dinner tickets are \$10 (\$9.00 in advance at local businesses in Crooked Lake or from any Lion member); \$5.00 for children ten years of age and under; children five years of age and under can eat free! Dinners will be served from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m. Mark your calendars now so you don't miss this Oktoberfest Celebration!

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AUCTION

FOR EUGENE & GRACE SEIDLER

SATURDAY OCTOBER 6th. 2012 At 10:30 am. 2412 South River Rd. Rhinelander, Wl. 54501

DIRECTIONS: South of Rhinelander take Hwy 17 South approx. 4 miles. Go west on Hat rapids road 2 miles to south river road north to auction site. From Wausau, WI. 16 miles north on State Hwy 51 north to Merrill, WI. Exit 208 right on Hwy 64 to Hwy 17 north/left. 33 mile to Hat rapids Road west 2 miles to south river road to auction site.

<u>Auctioneers Note:</u> Due to the death of Eugene Seidler, the family has decided to discontinue beef farming. Offered up for auction is a very nice selection of tractors, Machinery and Angus cattle.

30 HEAD ANGUS BEEF CATTLE & FARM MACHINERY:

11 head feeder calves; 13 angus cows; 3 YR. old steer; 1 YRL. old steer; 2 YRL. heifers; Angus Bull; Jumper bull; 1 YRL. Bull; 1968 GMC 5500 cattle truck; Deutz D-6806 tractor w/ loader- 8839 HRS. good rubber; Farmall M NF -like new rubber; Farmall M-needs work; New Holland 717 super chopper w/ 1 row corn & hay; OMcCormick 80 combine; Hesston 1010 Hydro swing Haybine; JD 2 row 3 pt. corn planter; NH 65 baler; New Idea 1 row corn picker; 12' disc; New Holland 510 spreader; gravity box; New Holland 55 rake; 12' Vibrashank w/ levelers; Massey 74 3pt. 4 bottom plow; 3 pt. 8' Pittsburg cultivator; 8' JD 65 back blade; H&S HD twin auger w/ 10 ton gear 16' -like new"; older chopper wagon w/ Kory 6872 gear; older H&S chopper wagon w/ Knowles gear; Flat wagon; 3 pt. bale mover; JD FB-17-7B Grain drill; Brillion 10' sure seeder; New Idea 109 Broadcaster; Disc for parts; 3 pt. sprayer-200 gal.; I beams; Red King pull type grader; Bale spear; INT. 56 blower; 8HP. troy built rear tine tiller; Paul JR 2000 cattle scale; cattle head chute; Pipe elevator; small grain auger; Hammer mill; 18' Silage elevator; Fanning mill; LOTS of scrap iron; Poly tank; Several rolls of barb wire & other wire; Implement tires; bale twine, wagon full of farm related items; Electric motors; Many steel fence posts; round bale feeder; & Much more!

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Sun. Oct. 21, 10:30am, Deerbrook, WI, Langlade Co.



Approx. 12 miles North of Antigo, WI on Hwy. 45 to Knight Rd., then left to Cty. B, then right 1 mile to Bocus Rd. Follow to Strasser Ln. (#7768). Approx. 130' of frontage on Lower Bass Lake w/ open concept home & large out buildings. Located on ATV & snowmobile trails. OPENING BID AND RESERVE ARE ONLY \$138,000!!! (Must see!). Terms: \$7,500 down payment non-refundable cashier's check. Closing upon paper completion. (10% buyer's fee.) Bidders must request a bid form by calling St. Louis Auctions LLC. 715-367-1668. (6728 Whitefish Lk. Rd., Three Lakes, WI 54562). (R.W.A's) Col. Rene' Brass (#424), Col. Robert St.Louis (#450)



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ABSOLUTE AUCTION!

EVERY ITEM SELLS TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER NO MINIMUMS – NO RESERVES FRANCIS FRENCH – OWNER N19001 GRAVEL LN., PEMBINE, WI. THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11 11:00 AM.

LOCATED: From Pembine take US Hwy. 141 north 1½ miles.

REAL ESTATE: To Be Sold At 12:00 Noon: Sold To The Highest Bidder Regardless of Price.

Approx. 20 +/- Acres with Pembonwon River running through. Approx. ½ mile of frontage on US Hwy. 141; there is a 40' x 60' steel pole shed w/ 10' x 40' lean-to & 10' x 20' office w/ concrete floor. There is a drilled well & electrical service. Parcel # 022-01065.00 SW of SW; S26 T 37N R 20E; lying north of US Hwy. 141. 2011 taxes; \$1,862.25.

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Town of Wabeno Selected For Community Design and Landscape Project

The University of Wisconsin-Madison's Department of Landscape Architecture has selected the Town of Wabeno for a 2012-13 Capstone project. The Department has a long history of community and regional service with a program that includes faculty supervised participatory design and planning projects. The project was first suggested by UW-Extension's Steve Nelson and the grant application was written by Forest County Economic Development Partnership (FCEDP).

"With a very small investment to cover out of pocket expenses, we have the opportunity to bring our community together on a design plan to take advantage of our newly-acquired lands and the many great things we already offer including excellent local businesses, museum, library and soon-to-be replaced band shell," proclaimed Wabeno Town Chairman Butch Piontek.

Wabeno has several great fishing and recreational venues within the town including a class "A" trout stream and lakes such as Range Line and Trump. Fireman's Park and recreational facilities are also a plus. The proximity to the Casino and the potential synergy is an advantage.

Capstone student Emily Groh met with town officials last weekend and it is likely that the steering committee will grow. "Either communities plan for their future or they are not likely to provide the services desired by citizens," stated Wabeno Supervisor Dennis Kopecky. "We are looking forward to helping pilot our future in a positive way," added Wabeno Town Supervisor Paul Ehlinger.

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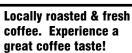
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Death Notices



JAMES E. **DIGGLES**, age 67, of Crandon

passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, September 15, 2012. He was born on December 19, 1944 in Plainfield, WI to Norris and Doris (Abbott) Diggles.

Jim graduated from Plainfield High School class of 1963. He served his country from 1963-1967 in the U.S. Navy. He moved to Janesville in 1967 and began working at General Motors. Jim was united in marriage to

Patricia Konkol on June 7, 1969. After his retirement, with 30 years of service at General Motors, they moved to Crandon where they resided for 14 years.

Jim was an outdoor enthusiast. He enjoyed hunting, camping and gardening. He was an avid runner and ran many marathons. One of his greatest accomplishments was running the Boston Marathon. He also loved to read and loved all sports. Jim was well known for being seen walking his faithful four legged companions on Airport Road in Crandon.

Jim will be dearly missed by many including his wife Pat of 43 years, his son John and daughter Monica Diggles (Pete) Drozdowicz, both of Janesville. He will also be missed by his grand children Justin and Megan Diggles, as well as Daniel, Sam and Alex Drozdowicz, his nieces Sherri-Ann Rosengren, Tracy Steiner and Vicki Diggles and great-nephew Roarke Steiner and greatniece Shyla Diggles and dog Oso.

He was proceeded in death by his parents and brother Ronald.

A celebration of his life will be held on October 6, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. at the Crandon V.F.W.

"What lies behind you and what lies before you are tiny matters compared to what lies within you. - Semper Fi"

CHARLES KEITH MYERS, age 70, of Wabeno, WI, passed away peacefully surrounded by his family Saturday, September 15, 2012, after suffering a massive stroke.

Beloved husband of 50 years to Sharon (nee Paddon). Loving father of Tamara Wenzel (fiancé Jim Peterleus), Bret (Dawn) and Nicole (Jason) Oehldrich. Proud grandfather of Katie (Mark) Kirby, Meghan (Justin) Klos, Rebecca Wenzel, Andrew and Benjamin Myers, Charlie and Jackson Oehldrich. Great-grandfather of Jordan, Dylan, Makenzie and Sophia. Loving brother of Barbara (Wayne) Sedgwick, James (Betty), Gene (Ann) and Cindy Binger.

Preceded in death by his parents Harold and Adeline Myers, father and mother-in-law Fred and Agnes Paddon, brothers Wayne and Harold. Further survived by many family and friends.

Chuck graduated from Custer High School in 1960. He served active duty in the Army from 1961-1962, then Air Force Reserves 1962-1979. He became a Milwaukee Police Officer in 1964. He served on the Tactical Enforcement Squad from 1967-1972, and then retired in 1985 due to work injuries. Chuck was very active in the American Legion, past commander of Post #44, Wabeno and current commander Forest County. Chuck was a friend to many and never too busy to lend a helping hand.

Special thanks to Aspirus Hospital, Dr. Beaumont and nurses Barb and Char.

Visitation was held at the Funeral Home Thursday, September 20, from 4-7 PM. Visitation was also held at Atonement Lutheran Church, 4500 N. Sherman Blvd., on Friday at 9:30 AM until the time of Funeral Service at 11 AM.

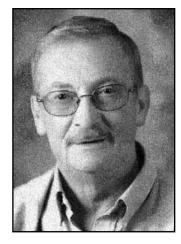
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PAUL ASCHENBRENNER, age 60, passed away unexpectedly at St. Mary's Hospital on September 19, 2012. Paul was born in Laona, WI on December 31, 1951 the son of Arnold and Helen (Schiesel) Aschenbrenner.

He Graduated from Laona High School in 1970, he then went on to the University of Wisconsin Stevens Point and graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree. He

married his wife, Beth (Brooks) in 1979, and moved to Cavour in 1982, where he built a house and lived out his life.

Paul started working for Forest County in 1981 as the property lister for 4 years and then in 1985 took office as the Register of Deeds where he worked until presently. He also worked as the Tax Assessor for the Town of Caswell for 28 years. Paul was an active member of the St. Leonard's Catholic Church and was an alter server all his life. He enjoyed hunting, watching football, baseball and Nascar.

Paul is survived by his wife Beth, three sons Jim, Jake, and John, brother, Peter and sister, Victoria. He was preceded in death by his parents Helen and Arnold, and brothers, Patrick and Michael.

Visitation was held on Sunday, September 23rd at Weber-Hill Funeral Chapel from 4-8pm. Visitation followed on Monday, September 24th at St. Leonard's Catholic Church from 9-11am, Funeral Mass at 11am, Burial followed at Cavour Cemetery. Online condolences www.weberhillfuneralhome.com



RAYMOND BAILEY, 67, of Crandon, went to be with God on Sunday, September 23, 2012 at his home after a battle with cancer. He was born in Laona April 6, 1945 to James Rollie Bailey and Vergie Burnett. Ray lived in the Crandon area most of his life. He was an avid fisherman. hunter and trapper. He spent his last few years feeding the birds and squirrels.

He is survived by his children: Melanie Shea of Berlin; Ray Bailey, Jr., Oshkosh; Peggy Bailey, Kiel. Sisters: Betty Socha, Fiefield; Janice Tappa, Tomah; Irene Kincaid, Crandon; Emily Jameson, Crandon. Brother: Jerome Bailey, Virginia. Grandchildren: Matthew Ingram, Lukas Shea, Gabriel Shea, Caitlin Bailey, Caleb Bailey, Virginia Bailey, Matilda Bailey and Olivia Bailey.

Preceded in death by his brothers, James, Carl & Charlie; sister, Naomi and his parents, James and Vergie.

A celebration of life will be on Saturday, September 29 at 1:00 p.m. at the Church of God, Crandon. Online condolences www.weberhillfuneralhome.com

CONSTANCE T. LANG NEE LABELLE, of the Mole Lake Reservation, passed away peacefully at her home with her family by her side on Saturday, September 22, 2012. Constance was diagnosed with cancer in May. Connie was born in Wauwatosa on July 27, 1930 the daughter of Cecelia Elizabeth (LaBelle) McGee.

Connie married William "Bill" Lang on July 30, 1949 in Reno, NV. After Bill's military service they returned to Manitowoc. There they renewed their wedding vows one year later (much to the delight of both Connie & Bill's mother) in a church ceremony.

Connie was an elder with the Sokaogon/Chippewa Band of the Ojibwa Nation. After coming back many times as a child and young adult, her and Bill finally called the Mole Lake Reservation home in 1999.

Connie enjoyed doing many things with the elderly community, helping cook in the kitchen for the elderly lunch program, being a monitor for the Boy's and Girl's Club, Elderly Bingo, GLEANA and being a foster grandmother to the children of Mole Lake. She really looked forward to pontoon outings on Lake Metonga in the fall to take in all the beautiful colors that nature has to share.

Connie is survived by her husband of 63 years, Bill. Daughter: Debby (Craig) Kubnick. Four grandchildren: Jesse, Jericka, Jenny and Andrew. Great grandson: Connor Michael.

Connie is preceded in death by her mother, Cecelia and son, Michael.

A memorial mass will at 11:00 a.m. Thursday. October 4, 2012 at St. Mary Catholic Church, Hwy 55, Pickerel with Father Jerry Worman officiating. Visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Inurnment will be at Calvary Chapel Mausoleum, Manitowoc.

The family would like to thank everyone who helped in the last few months of Connie's life especially Velma Landru. A special thanks goes out to the young men of the Mole Lake Tribe who kept the fire burning while keeping with the Native American Tradition. Thank you.





THOMAS 'TOM' PRINSEN, age 62, of Crandon, formerly of New London, passed away after fighting a courageous battle with kidney cancer on Tuesday, September 25, 2012. He was born in Racine, WI on July 12, 1950 the son of Tony and Dorothy (Steibel) Prinsen.

Tom grew up in New London, WI and graduated from New London High School in 1968. In 2003, he married Carole Stamper. Tom retired from the New London Highway Department in 2005,

after 33 years of service.

Everyone will remember Tom as being a happy go lucky guy, who always had a smile on his face; even when he was sick. He helped many people with home projects. Tom loved to fish and hunt; now the 'Bum Shack' is decorated with all of his hunting trophies. Good times and precious memories were made there. Tom also enjoyed playing cards, golfing and bowling.

He is survived by his wife, Carole, son, Corey (Yvonne) Prinsen, New London, daughter, Michelle (Eric) May, New London, 8 grandchildren; McKenzie (Ryan) Cameron, Alex, Grant, Bailey, Chase, Connor and Caden and 2 great-grandchildren, Skyler and Abby, all of New London. Also surviving Tom are step-children, Brent (Beth) Stamper, Shan Stamper, Gina (Mike) Votis, Keith (Kim) Stamper and Travis (Jodi) Stamper, all of Crandon, 17 stepgrandchildren and 7 step-great-grandchildren. He is further survived by his mother, Dorothy Prinsen, brother, Tony (Connie) Prinsen, sisters, Sandy (Luke) Luedtke, Sherry Prinsen, Patty (Bob) Weber, Joy Prinsen (Norman Walbruck) and Penny (Brian) Siewert, all of New London and many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Tom was preceded in death by his father, Tony, sister, Cindy and niece, Tara Walbruck.

A gathering of family and friends will be held on Monday, October 1 from 12:00 noon until 1:00 p.m. at Praise Chapel Community Church, Crandon. Memorial Service will follow at 1:00 p.m. with Pastor Bill Farr officiating. Weber-Hill Funeral Home, Crandon is assisting the family. Online condolences at www.weberhillfuneralhome.com.

The family would like to say a special thank you to Tom's sister, Sandy Luedtke, Kim Stamper and nurse, Jodi Stamper for their exceptional care and loving support of Tom during his last days at home.

PETER PEMMA, JR, age 56, of Carter, passed away September 25, 2012 as the result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident. Visitation will be held on Thursday, September 27 after 4:00 p.m. Big Drum Services will begin with the Feast at 12:00 noon on Friday, September 28 with Mr. Billy Daniels leading services, all will be at the Potawatomi Recreational Center, Crandon. Interment will be in the Potawatomi Tribal Cemetery, Blackwell. Weber-Hill Funeral Home, Crandon is assisting the family.



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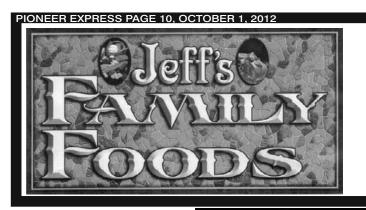
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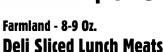
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'This is not a political issue, this is a matter of public safety," said Allan Johnson with WisDOT's Bureau of Highway Maintenance. Improperly-placed signs:

- · Distract motorists or obstruct their view, especially at intersections;
- · Pose a safety risk to people who enter highway right-of-way to install a sign, and to road maintenance workers who will remove the sign;
- Damage or disable mowers and other equipment, and can potentially injure maintenance workers or others. Signs with wire supports degrade in the weather, leaving only the wire frame that is difficult to see.

State law prohibits the placement of signs within highway right-of-way, except for official traffic signs. This prohibition extends to all numbered state, federal and interstate highways, along with county highways, town roads, municipal streets, alleys, bike and pedestrian paths. In general, highway right-of-way in a rural area extends to beyond shoulders, ditches and any adjoining fence line. In urban areas, right-of-way











Signposts and street name marker posts are always within the right-of-way. Most utility poles are within highway right-of-way and can be used as a rough guide for sign placement. If a sign is placed between a utility pole and a roadway - it is likely in an illegal location. Signs are not allowed within street terrace areas, highway medians or roundabouts. With the landowner's consent, political signs are permitted on private property without a billboard permit as long as the signs do not exceed 32 square feet and contain no flashing lights or moving parts.

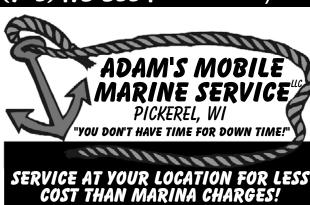
Improperly-located signs are dealt with as part of regular highway maintenance. A sign that poses a traffic safety hazard will be promptly removed. Road maintenance crews are asked to make reasonable attempts to preserve larger, improperly-placed campaign signs and provide campaign offices an opportunity to retrieve them.

"If you see road maintenance workers removing improperly-located signs, remember, they're simply enforcing state law and keeping roadways as safe as possible for everyone," Johnson said.

State law (Section 86.19) provides for a fine from \$10 to \$500 for signs that violate the law. Local municipalities may have additional guidelines regulating the placement of signs along county highways or local roads and streets. Persons who illegally place signs may also be liable for any damages caused to equipment or people.

More information on state laws pertaining to the placement of political signs can be found on the WisDOT Web site at: www.dot.wisconsin.gov/business/rules/propertysigns-political.htm.





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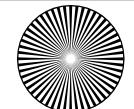
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MADISON - A statewide youth deer hunt will be held the weekend of October 6-7 in Wisconsin. The hunt is designed to give youth hunters ages 10-15 an opportunity to hunt deer and gain valuable hunting experience at a time when other hunters are not authorized to hunt deer with a firearm.

Since 2009, hunters ages 10 through 15 have been able to participate in the youth gun deer hunt, which is open to both resident and non-resident youth hunters.

The hunt is open in all deer management units, except state park units and areas where permits are not issued by the Department of Natural Resources. The bag limit is one buck with a gun buck deer carcass tag, plus an additional antlerless deer per antlerless deer carcass tag valid for the DMU or a junior antlerless deer tag, which is valid statewide. Archery deer hunters are required to wear blaze orange clothing whenever any gun deer hunt is open, including during the youth deer hunt.

Youth hunters do not have to have a hunter safety certificate, but are subject to certain restrictions depending on their age.

Youth ages 10 and 11 and youth ages 12 through 15 years who do not possess a hunter education certificate can participate if they are "mentored" by an adult who is within arm's reach at all times during the hunt. Only one firearm, bow or crossbow may be possessed jointly between the mentor and youth who is age 10 or 11, or who has not completed hunter education, if participating in the youth gun deer hunt.

Youth ages 12 through 15 who possess a hunter education certificate can participate if they are accompanied by an adult 18 years of age or older. To "accompany" means the adult is within both visual and voice contact of the youth. Adults accompanying youth hunters may not "gun hunt" for deer during the youth hunt, but may possess a bow or gun and hunt for a game species that is open for them to hunt at that time. The adult does not have to be a licensed hunter or a hunter education graduate to accompany one or two youth hunters who are at least 12 years old and have completed a hunter education course.

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DNR statement on decision not to dismiss wolf lawsuit

MADISON -- Department of Natural Resources Spokesman Bill Cosh issued the following statement on Dane County Judge Peter C. Anderson's September 14 decision not to dismiss a lawsuit challenging the use of dogs in the Wisconsin wolf hunting season:

First and foremost it is important for the 1,160 successful wolf license applicants to know that Wisconsin's first modern day wolf season will continue.

The judge's injunction on the use of dogs still stands.

We will continue to work on that issue and try to find a resolution prior to the end of November when the use of dogs for hunting would have been allowed if the injunction had not been issued.

In light of Judge Anderson's decision to not rule in favor of the department's motion to dismiss, we will continue to discuss our options with our legal team and develop a strategy in the coming weeks.

The goal would be to ultimately resolve this issue prior to November 26; the day when the use of dogs for wolf hunting would begin.

For more information on the Wisconsin wolf hunt, search "wolf" on the DNR website.

Barb's Valley Inn Golf Outing

The rain held off but the wind gave us some challenges on Wednesday, September 19th for the 7th annual Barb's Valley Inn golf outing at McCauslin Brook Golf Course. Sixteen foursomes played a 9-hole scramble and then returned to the Valley Inn, north of Townsend, for a fabulous dinner provided by Jim and Barb.

This year's winners were newcomers PCCH II, followed by the Old Guys. Eighth place winners were Army's Army and bringing up the rear, for the third year in a row, were the Full Monty's.

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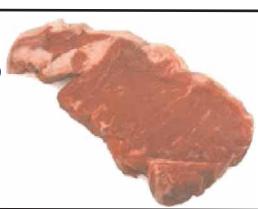
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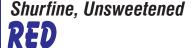


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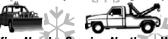
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Returning to Learning open house at Nicolet for adults seeking an education



The Returning to Learning open house at Nicolet College Oct. 11 will give adults the chance to learn about many different aspects of college in a relaxed environment.

Adults looking to attend college are invited to an open house at Nicolet College Thursday, Oct. 11, that will lay out the roadmap to the education that will help them get ahead in life.

The Returning to Learning event will run from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Northwoods Center on the Rhinelander campus. People can drop by anytime to learn

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about a wide variety of topics that include how to pay for college; balance school, work and family; and choosing a career. Informal roundtable discussions will begin every 30 minutes on these topics and others. Information booths will also be available.

Those attending will have the opportunity to speak with current adult students about their experiences, learn about new programs at the college, and get a hands-on feel for taking classes online. Nicolet will also waive the application fee for all people filling out an application for admission that evening.

For more information about the event, contact Nicolet at (715) 365-4512, 1-800-544-3039, ext. 4512, or TDD (715) 365-4448. General information about the college is available online at nicoletcollege.edu.

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Way to Step it Up at Wabeno Elementary!



Mrs. Blondheim's 4K students are learning about classroom expectations. Her Monday-Tuesday group won the traveling trophy for making good choices during their time at school. Keep up the good work 4K students!

Lakewood Reunion Cont. from pg. 1

Reunion" it appears to have worked. This year's guests ranged in age from 8 years old - to 98 years old. The youngest attendee was Emma Sampselle, great, great granddaughter of well-known Lakewood business owner and town chairman, Gilbert Thielke. The oldest attendee was Fran Jackson. Fran has attended all 29 Lakewood Reunions. It seemed no matter the age, all had a good time.

The theme of the evening was, "2012 - The Year of the Veteran". The gathering place was decorated in red, white, and blue. A collection of service items and of 107 veterans pictures were matted and on display. The collection, compiled by Rita Blazewicz, included pictures of Don Swanson, Don Bartels, Sonny Jackson, brothers Glen and Gerald Thielke, as well as Harry Lowery, Tug Flynn, and Hank Wurzer - to mention a few. These pictures will also be on display at the Wabeno High School Veterans Day Program in November. Proudly, the oldest World War II Veteran present at the reunion was Lakewood's own Barney Jeranek.

Once again, Richard Lowery read one of his poems about Lakewood. Those who have been in the Lakewood area for a while recognized many of the people mentioned in the poem. Richard's poetic talents are always enjoyed as he seems to be able to put into words the thoughts of many Lakewood residents.

Appropriately, the evening ended on the notes of a beautiful song sung by Faye Thielke, wife of Lakewood native and author of A History of Lakewood, Wisconsin Small Town Success in the Northwoods. Tom Thielke. Faye sang "God Bless the USA", by Lee Greenwood and was recognized for her talents with a standing ovation.

Next year, the 30th Annual Lakewood Reunion, will be held in September 2013 and we sure home you can enjoy the fun with us.



One of the many collections of veteran photographs displayed at the reunion.



The youngest attendee of the Lakewood Reunion was Emma Sampselle, shown here on the lower right, with sister Abby, and parents Matt and Karla Sampselle.



Faye Thielke closing out the evening with her beautiful rendition of "God Bless the USA".

Do You Recognize These Veterans? **Veterans Picture Collection Continues**





Over 100 veterans pictures were collected and on display at the Lakewood Reunion. This same collection of photos will be on display at the Wabeno High School Veterans Day Program in November. Rita Blazewicz has been assembling this collection and continues to need your help. The pictures have all been matted and mounted on six, three by four foot displays.

Although 100 photos sounds like a lot, it is only a fraction of the Lakewood, Townsend, Carter, Wabeno area vets that could have their pictures on display. If you know a veteran, please ask if his/her picture has been submitted for display. If it hasn't been, let Rita know and she will make arrangements to scan the photo or will make a copy of the photo sent to her, and return the original. Pictures range from that of Harry Lowery taken about 1938, to Nate Mortson taken a few months ago. Thank a veteran, show how proud you are - supply a photo for display. For more information contact: Rita Blazewicz, 14245 Glenwood Lane, Lakewood, WI 54138 - (715) 276-6225 - riblaze@centurvtel.net.

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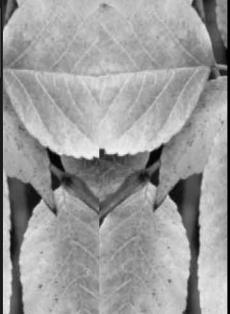
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Mccaslin Lions induct 5 new members



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Yawn Away

"Yawning is your body's way of cooling down the brain, essentially waking it up," explains Andrew Gallup, PhD, a research associate at Princeton University.

Get Moving

Two hours. That's how long you'll feel revved up after taking just a 10-minute walk, according to a study in Personality and Social Psychology.

Go to YouTube

dancing hamster video at work. A good laugh raises your blood pressure and boosts heart rate, too, which can pump you up when you're feeling sluggish, says Robert R. Provine, PhD, author of Laughter.

See Some Red

Spotting something scarlet can actually kick you into high gear. Seeing the fiery color makes your muscles move faster and work harder, giving you a burst of energy when you need it most, according to University of Rochester research.

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Submitted by Kate Schultz

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french toast w/praline topping, apple sauce

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA

TUESDAY - October 2 - Chicken Veronique, rice pilaf, monte carlo vegetables, fruit, dill bread, brownies

TUESDAY - October 9 - Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, It's official: We give you permission to watch that herbed carrots, corn muffin, ice cream

CRANDON

WEDNESDAY - October 3 - Pulled pork sandwich, German potato salad, cole slaw, cream puff

WEDNESDAY - October 10 - Baked Chicken, 1/2 baked potato w/sour cream, broccoli, sourdough bread, chocolate chip cookie - BINGO -

LAONA

THURSDAY - October 4 - Pulled pork sandwich, German potato salad, cole slaw, cream puff

THURSDAY - October 11 - Baked Chicken, 1/2 baked potato w/sour cream, broccoli, sourdough bread, chocolate chip cookie

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TUESDAY - October 9 - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, cream salad, garlic bread, cake - BINGO -**ALVIN**

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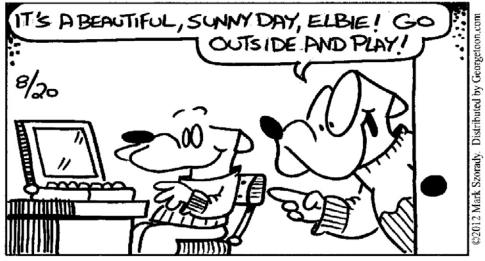
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Is A Reverse Mortgage for You?

A reverse mortgage is a way of generating monthly income from the equity and value of one's home, without having to sell the home or repay a loan each month. This type of loan is typically available to seniors 62 and older that own and live in their home. A reverse mortgage can pay out income in several ways:

- · All at once, in a single lump sum of cash
- · As a regular monthly cash advance
- As a "credit-line" account that lets the senior decide when and how much of his or her available cash is paid to him or her
- Or any combination of these payment methods
 No matter how the loan is paid out, the loan
 typically does not have to be paid back until the owner
 dies, sells the home, or permanently moves out of the
 home. A move to an assisted living or nursing home will
 usually trigger repayment of the loan. Additionally, a
 lender can also require repayment if a borrower fails to pay
 property taxes, fails to repair the home, or fails to keep the
 home insured.

Rising Debt, Falling Equity

Reverse mortgages have a different purpose than forward mortgages do. With a forward mortgage, a borrower uses his or her income ro repay debt, and this builds up equity in the home. But with a reverse mortgage, the borrower is taking the equity out in cash. So with a reverse mortgage the borrower's debt increases, and the borrower's home equity decreases.

Common Features:

Although there are different types of reverse mortgages, all of them are similar in certain ways. Here are the features that most of them have in common:

Home Ownership: with a reverse mortgage, the senior remains the owner of the home just like when the senior had a forward mortgage. The homeowner is still responsible for paying property taxes and homeowner insurance, and for making property repairs.

Financing Fees: A borrower can use the money from a reverse mortgage to pay the various fees that are charged on the loan. This is called "financing" the loan costs. The costs are added to the loan balance and the borrower pays them back plus interest when the loan is

Loan Amounts: The amount of money a senior can borrow depends most on the specific reverse mortgage plan that is selected. It also depends on the kind of cash advances a senior chooses. Some reverse mortgages cost a lot more than others, and this reduces the amount of cash one can get from them. Within each loan program, the cash amounts a borrower can get generally depend on the borrower's age and the home's value:

- •The older you are, the more cash you can get
- The more your home is worth, the more cash you can get

Debt Payoff: Reverse mortgages generally must be "first" mortgages. So, if a senior owes any money on his or her property, he or she generally must do one of two things: pay off the old debt before he or she gets the reverse mortgage or pay off the old debt with the money he or she gets from a reverse mortgage.

Debt Limit: The debt a borrower owes on a reverse mortgage equals all the loan advances the borrower receives (including any used to finance loan costs or pay off prior debt), plus all the interest that is added to the loan balance. If that amount is less than a borrower's home is worth when the loan is repaid, then the borrower (or the borrower's estate) keeps whatever amount is left over.

But if the rising loan balance ever grows to equal the value of the borrower's home, then the total debt is limited by the value of the home. A borrower can never owe more than what the borrower's home is worth at the time the loan is repaid. This overall cap on the loan balance is called a non-recourse limit. It means that the lender, when seeking repayment of the loan, does not have legal recourse to anything other than home's value. The lender may not seek repayment from a borrower's income, other assets, or heirs. A home equity conversion mortgage (HECM) is the only reverse mortgage that is federally insured and over 90 percent of reverse mortgages are HECMs. The federal housing administration tells HECM lenders how much they can lend a Home Equity Conversion Mortgage borrower, based on his or her age and home value. Typically the older the borrower and the larger the value of his or her home, the larger the loan amount will be. The HECM program limits a borrower's loan costs and the FHA guarantees that lenders will meet their obligations. Furthermore, HECM loans generally provide the largest loan advances of any available reverse mortgage. The HECM reverse mortgage is also generally less expensive than other private sector reverse mortgages.

In general to be eligible for HECM reverse mortgage, the owner(s) of the home must be 62 or older and live in the home as a principal residence. Additionally, the home must be at least one year old and meet HUD's minimum property standards, but the HECM loan may be used to pay for repairs necessary to qualify. Also the borrower(s) must discuss the program with a counselor

from a HUD approved counseling agency and the home must be a single-family residence in a 1 to 4 unit-dwelling or part of a planned unit development (PUD) or HUD approved condominium. Some manufactured housing is eligible, but cooperatives and most mobile homes are not.

Precious to October, 2010, there was only one type of HECM reverse mortgage available. now there is also the option of the HECM Saver reverse mortgage. The HECM Saver allows the individual to borrow less than with the HECM Standard but the tradeoff is that the costs associated with the Saver will be less than the Standard. The up-front insurance premium is substantially less than what's charged for a HECM Standard, .01% of the home's value vs. 2%. The HECM Saver may make more sense for borrowers who need a relatively small loan, or if they expect to remain in the home for only a short amount of time. For borrowers who want or need to borrow the most possible, the HECM Standard may be the better option.

Payday Loans: An Expensive Option

"FAST CASH NOW!" "BAD CREDIT, NO PROBLEM!" These enticing slogans are used to lure unsuspecting borrowers into very expensive loans. They are called many different things: payday loans, cash advance loans, check advance loans, post-dated check loans, or deferred deposit loans. Whatever they are called, these loans come at a very high cost.

Payday loans are small-dollar, short-term, unsecured loans that borrowers promise to repay out of their next paycheck or regular income payment. Typically, there is a fixed-dollar fee which represents the finance charge to the borrower. While Wisconsin law does provide some protections for consumers, because these loans are short-term, the annual percentage rate usually ranges from 100% to more than 500%. To illustrate: Say you needed to borrow \$100 for two weeks. You wright a check for \$115, which includes a \$15 fee. The check is held for two weeks at which time the lender will either deposit the check or you must pay the full amount by cash or money order. Paying \$15 does not sound like a lot but the cost of this \$100 loan is an annual percentage rate or 391 percent! You could alternatively agree to extend the loan for another two weeks and pay an additional fee and even higher APR.

Payday loans are usually less that \$500 and in Wisconsin, total outstanding loans cannot be more than \$1,500 or 35% of the borrower's gross monthly income, whichever is less. This limit applies in the aggregate. This means that an individual may only borrow a total of \$1,500, which includes principle, interest and fees, from any and all licensed payday lenders in Wisconsin.

Consequences for Failure to Make Payment

If a lender deposits a check and it is returned or debits the borrower's account and there are not sufficient funds, the lender may charge a \$15 fee. The lender may only electronically debit the account or present the check for payment one time. If the borrower fails to make a payment, the lender must offer the borrower the opportunity to repay the outstanding balance of the loan in four (4) equal installments. If this repayment arrangement fails, the lender may attempt to collect on the loan through phone calls, letters or personal visits as long as those contacts are not harassing. They may report the delinquent to a credit reporting agency or assign it to a collection agency. The lender or the collection agency may file a small claims action in court to try to get a judgment against the borrower. The lender cannot take any other action to collect the debt unless they have a judgment. They may not garnish wages or threaten criminal action.

The bottom line: If you must use a payday loan, you should try to limit the amount and make sure you are using the funds only for absolutely necessary expenses. Try to find other sources to pay for outstanding bills. For example, if you need assistance with energy cots, seek out available energy assistance programs or contact your energy company to arrange a payment plan. If you have exhausted your options, borrow only as much as you can afford to pay with your next income payment, and still have enough to make it to the next. Doing this will prevent astronomical fees and the cycle of payday loans that trap so many borrowers.



Animal Resource Fund News

By Cory Campbell

Our busy season of work, raising funds to replenish our working revenue, has now slowed enough to give us a breather.

Our "Kentucky Sweet Tea" proved to be a hit at Kentuck Day, along with a couple of other choices for iced tea. We met a lot of wonderful people at that event, and were able to direct them to a new service in our community.

The Fix Is In is a spay/neuter clinic being held bimonthly at the V.F.W. hall in Crandon. A.R.F. is trying to assist this new venture, and hope that it proves to be an on-going success.

One of our Board members, Amanda Collette of Pure Poise Photography, scheduled a fund raising event

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on September 8th. She offered portrait sessions at special prices, and encouraged that pets be included in the event. This fund raiser was made possible through the offer of Brain and Patti Wellmon to allow the sessions to be held on their beautiful lake front property. This was received enthusiastically by the public and gave our funds a boost.

Board member Judy Zimmermann of Milwaukee (and Forest County) held a rummage sale in Milwaukee which benefitted A.R.F. also. Judy gathers donations at her Winter home down there during the year to add to our annual Spring sale here at the Nashville town Hall. Each of our members contributes in some way to keep our organization afloat.

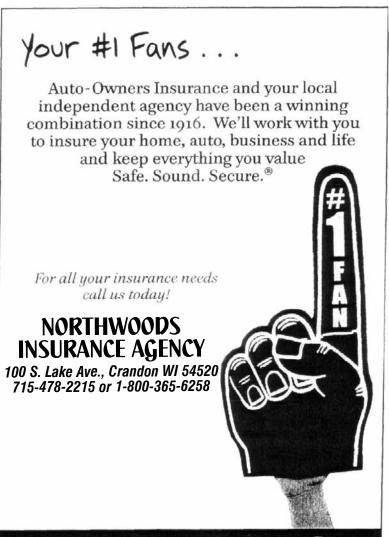
Next came the work at the Brush Run, and we turned out in full force for those days of volunteering.

At Art In The Square, we were there with our caramel apple booth. The apples have proved to be an excellent choice for this special event. With the Fall themes at the Square, caramel apples were just the right fit. We had many people come back to comment on how much they enjoyed the apples, and especially that we served them sliced in a bowl, caramel on top, and a fork for easy eating! This year the booth was especially successful.

Of course our weekly donations to the food pantry at NewCap in Crandon remain an on-going project. Each week we keep the shelves of the pantry stocked with both dog and cat food. Hopefully this project

is helping families keep their pets and give them proper nourishment.

Amanda Collette has set up a new web site title for us www.animalresourcefund.com which shortened it up, thus making it easier access for people trying to find us on the web. We can still be reached through the old address also. Check us out for foster pets in our care, current news, and plans for future events.

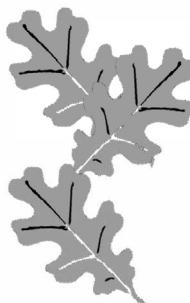


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Families came and counted at the Wabeno Elementary Gym and Library for Math Night!

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Math Night gave us an opportunity to share with parents and community members some of the ways, websites, and tools we use to teach our students." - Mrs. Brauer

The Wabeno Home and School Organization sponsored a raffle during Math Night for students and parents who participated in the event.





Picnic at Nu-Roc



Mark and Amy Gatton, owners of The Hotel Crandon, recently treated the staff and residents at Nu-Roc Community Healthcare in Laona to a picnic lunch. Amy is well acquainted with Nu-Roc as she is the Health Occupations instructor at Blackwell Job Corps center, and has her students volunteer and do clinicals at the facility. These students also assisted with the picnic.

Mark manned the grill, preparing bar be que ribs and chicken, while Amy and her students kept busy dishing up the sides, serving, and cleaning up. With all that help, Nu-Roc staff was able to sit down and enjoy having lunch with the residents.





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Nicolet's Criminal Justice program more than law enforcement training



Ira LaBarge, left, and Christie Kondzela run through an impaired driver training scenario in Nicolet's Law Enforcement Academy held this past summer. This was the third year that the academy has been held at Nicolet. Graduates from the first two years have a 90 percent job placement rate.

Time was when a person could start a career in law enforcement with little more than a high school diploma. Those days are no more.

"Law enforcement officers today have to undergo extensive training to work in the field," Nicolet College Criminal Justice Instructor Phil Schmidt told the college's Board of Trustees. "Increasingly, Nicolet is providing this higher level of training right here in the Northwoods."

Schmidt gave the report to the board during the trustee's regular September monthly meeting.

Along with the two-year associate degree in Criminal Justice, which the college has offered for many years, the college now offers numerous other training opportunities and academic credentials, he explained. These include:

- The 520-hour Law Enforcement Academy, which is required by the Wisconsin Department of Justice in order for personnel to be certified to work in law enforcement.
- a one-year technical diploma in Corrections.
- a 160-hour Jail Academy.
- and more than 30 Continuing Education classes for those already working in the field.

"In the past, local agencies had to send people to other parts of the state to get this training," Schmidt said. "That meant they had to pay for travel, lodging and meals, which can get costly, especially for the more in-depth training which is held over a longer length of time. It's a definite cost savings for local agencies to get this training right in the Northwoods."

Nicolet Board Trustee Bob Egan, who formerly chaired the Vilas County Law Enforcement and Emergency Management Committee, said that having this training available locally has resulted in significant savings for Vilas County.

"I know for the Jail Academy alone, we were saving \$2,000 to \$3,000 per student. That can really add up over time," he said.

Nicolet has offered the Jail Academy since 2008 in partnership with the Vilas County Sheriff's Department, which hosts the training at the Vilas County Jail.

The benefits are also more than just monetary. The instructors in just about every Nicolet offering have worked in the Northwoods and know first-hand the unique challenges of the region.

"We need to train people for rural policing," he said. "That's a much different approach than what you will get if you went to, say, Milwaukee, for training."

Schmidt went on to explain to the board that along with teaching the technical skills students need to work in law enforcement, he also strives to instill a sense of community service in the curriculum.

"That's really what law enforcement is all about," said Schmidt, who served with the Oneida County Sheriff's Department for 22 years before joining Nicolet in 2009.

Over those years he's served on numerous hiring committees and he would frequently ask candidates why they wanted to be in law enforcement. A common answer was that they wanted to serve their community. "Then I would follow up and ask for examples of how they have served their communities in the past. More often than not I would get this blank look. They couldn't give any examples. That always made me question their level of commitment," he said.

If Nicolet Criminal Justice graduates are ever asked that question in an interview, they will have no problem giving multiple examples. Every year students in Schmidt's classes volunteer many hundreds of hours to numerous community events, most commonly helping with security and parking.

These events include the Tomahawk Fall Ride. Minocqua's Beef-A-Rama, the Living History Encounter in Eagle River, 4th of July parades, and area Halloween events.

"I'm very proud of the Criminal Justice program and a lot of that has to do with the quality of the graduates that come out of the program," he said.

Way to Step it Up at Wabeno Elementary!



Mrs. Laurie Christianson's 2nd graders have already been stepping it up this year. Her class won the traveling trophy for being respectful to others. They were especially respectful to their substitute teacher while Mrs. Christianson was at a conference. Keep up the good work 2nd Grade!

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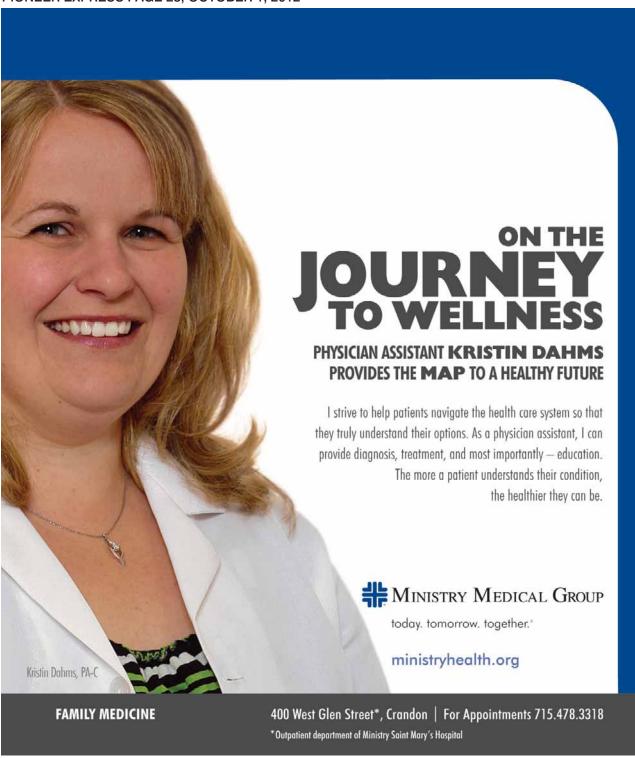
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Janice, formerly Janice Brass from Argonne, and Francis "Frankie" Kowalkowski cut the 50-year anniversary cake together. The anniversary gathering was hosted by their children, Mike, Todd, Colette, and Michelle, which included a sit down buffet and a dance. The dress behind the couple was one worn by a bridesmaid at their wedding 50 years ago September 15.



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