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A kingfisher takes a rest on a wood duck house

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Weeds 'n Walleye Banquet off to a great start!

On August 15th, 2015 the Lake Metonga Association kicked off their Weeds 'n Walleye Banquet/Auction fund raising event being held at Mole Lake Casino on October 10th. The initial effort included a few "Fire Pits", Boat Rides and Aruba Vacation Boards at local Bars and Fund raising events. The local business stepped up and provided grocery store gift cards, hardware store gas grills, auto repairs, gravel and trucking certificates, septic tank pumping, archery range time and paddle board rentals. We thought an ice shanty might go over well, so we asked our local lumber yard and carpenter contractor to supply some material and found a couple of retired guys to build one. Some hunting stuff might be nice so we contacted a local hunting club and worked out a pheasant hunt and sporting clays. We heard about a gal who knew foreign cooking and a family that combined trap shooting with wine tasting and dinner and put a couple of auction items together. We mentioned to a few gals that a few gift baskets would be really neat, maybe a Badger basket, Packer basket, theater basket etc. Well 35 baskets later we now have at least one basket for every persons taste.

As word began to spread, this auction/banquet thing began to get a life of it's own. We had a call about casino packages, pole chainsaws, stand-up paddle boards, another pheasant hunt, a commemorative muzzle loading rifle, a quarter of beef, Badger tickets, authentic Brett Favre and Eddie Lacy prints and every day the list grows and grows.

The outpouring of support would be considered phenomenal anywhere else. In Crandon, it's kind of everyday. We just count on each other to get things done, and you come through. In the words of a local newspaper guy, "We won't cancel the party if you can't make it, but we sure will miss you."

See you October 10, 2015, Mole Lake.

Art in the Square on Saturday, September 19 in Crandon

Crandon's Art in the Square will return to the court house square, beneath the big trees, on Saturday, September 19, from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. This is a juried art show with prizes to the winners.

Visitors will enjoy arts and crafts for sale, some fine food, pumpkin painting, a pie baking contest, flea market, live art demos, horse-drawn wagon rides and some very good deals from the Crandon merchants who will set up in the store and on the sidewalk.

The Kendal Bug Shuffle 3K run will also start at Cardinal Park at 8:00 a.m., with the proceeds to go to the Children's Miracle Network.

Leinenkugel to talk hiring vets at Nicolet College Hire Up seminar Oct. 2

The many benefits and skills military veterans bring to the workplace will be the focus of Nicolet College's Hire Up seminar Friday, October 2, designed to give business professionals insights into hiring veterans.

Keynote speaker will be Dick Leinenkugel, a former Marine Corp officer, Wisconsin Department of Commerce Secretary, and the current president of the Jacob Leinenkugel Brewing Company.

Leinenkugel will discuss his military experience and how it has enabled him to lead large, multi-faceted organizations. He'll also talk about his belief that veterans are leaders, team builders, and problem solvers who have the unique potential to strengthen communities across the country.

He'll speak from 7:45 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. in the Nicolet College Theatre and be followed by Veterans Employment Representative Nancy Brown from the Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development (DWD).

Brown will talk about how the DWD can help businesses hire and retain veterans.

The first morning session, which is geared toward business professionals, will wrap up at 9 a.m.

A second morning session, which is geared for those working in higher education, will run from 9:15 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. Others are also welcome to register to attend all or part of the morning.

Presentation topics will include:

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Lumberjack Steam Train to start Fall Festival runs on September 19th



Fans of steam trains, vintage rail cars, autumn leaves and logging lore will love riding the Lumberjack Steam Train during the Fall Festival run that begins on September 19th and will run again on September 26th and October 3rd.

The vintage depot on Highway 8, on the west side of Laona, awaits those who would like to buy a ticket for an enjoyable and educational trip to Camp 5 Logging Museum and all of the attractions that are offered.

While a visit to the Camp 5 Logging Museum is a visit to the past, there are other attractions that the whole family will enjoy. The pumpkin patch, face painting, and roasting marshmallows are always a hit with the younger crowd.

The museum gives an insight into the life and times of those pioneer loggers and lumbermen who built sawmills and towns in the wilderness. A working blacksmith shows how everyday tools and implements were created to do the work that was needed for this huge enterprise.

On October 3rd, the Green Bush-Wacker Cowboy Re-enactors make the day an extra special event! Beautiful horses, ridden by skilled horsemen, all dressed in the clothing of the era, liven up the scene as they fire "pretend," but loud bullets, and will likely pull off several train robberies during the course of the day. But the Old West wasn't just populated with cowboys. You may ride the train and sit next to a preacher, or a sheriff with his prisoner. Dance hall girls have also been known to ride the Lumberjack Steam Train when the Cowboys visit. You will know them when you see them!

Fall Festival is a great family event, and people of all ages will enjoy the day, the train ride and the beautiful autumn leaves. The Lumberjack Steam Train leaves the depot at 11:00 a.m. and every hour on the hour until the last run at 2:00 p.m. Food is available on the grounds, and the Cracker Barrel store is well-stocked with candy and toys.

For more info, go to: lumberjacksteamtrain.com or call 715-674-3414.



International Food/Fall Festival on Sunday, September 13th

St. John Catholic Parish is sponsoring an International Food/Fall Festival at the Langlade County Fairgrounds, Hwy 45 N., Antigo on Sunday, September 13th. Admission is free.

This is a good opportunity to sample ethnic food and drink, and to experience a Polka Mass in the pavilion with "Smokey Express."

The International Food Court, the booths and silent auctions begin at 10:00 a.m. Kid's games run from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m., with an inflatable house.

Don't worry about missing the Packer Game, as it will be on the flat screen tv's in the Beer Garden. The drawing for the freezer full of meat will be at 4:00 p.m.

Be sure to buy plenty of tickets to win the 2015 GMC Terrain that will be raffled off at 5:00 p.m.



Very few people realize that bluejays can suffer from male-pattern baldness, even leading ornithologists. Yet, here is the proof. The poor bird could use a wig, but then where does a bluejay get a wig?

Anybody who has any information on bird toupees should give us a call. And, of course, this is all made up from thin air, and we don't know what is wrong with this bluejay.



Festi-Fall this weekend in Lakewood-art, music, wine and bargains!

Festi-Fall is coming to downtown Lakewood on Saturday, September 12th. You can enjoy an outdoor celebration of the Autumn Season with artists and musicians.

Sponsored by the Enchanting Shops of Lakewood, Festi-Fall will not only feature art and music, but will also have artist demonstrations, wine tasting antiques, and lots of good food.

Bargains can be had in the Enchanting Shops, and you can register for prize drawings.

Have some fun in Lakewood!

Healthy Harvest Event 2015

On Saturday, September 12th, Forest County Commission on Aging, Forest County Health Department, UW Extension and Ministry Health Care are sponsoring a Healthy Harvest Event. The event is free and will be held from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at the Forest County Fairgrounds in Crandon. All ages are encouraged to come and enjoy the festivities.

There will be informative displays provided by local agencies, registration to win a free crockpot, taste tests, recipes, farmer market coupons and kid activities. Healthy snacks and beverages will be provided along with soups prepared by local Chef Adam Dewing.

Lakewood Area Chamber meeting Sept. 21

The Lakewood Area Chamber of Commerce will be meeting on Monday, September 21, 6:00 p.m. at Nicolet Plastics, Inc., Hwy 32 South of Lakewood. This first meeting after the summer break will highlight recaps of Mardi Gras and Dueling Pianos as well as an update on the revitalization of the Lakewood Trout Rearing Station and efforts to reestablish the Mountain Fire Tower as a tourist destination. Following the meeting there will be a tour of the facility with Bob MacIntosh, CEO.

We are proud of our growth and efforts of the past year in supporting and nourishing the beauty of this wonderful area we live and work in. If you are interested in learning more about the Lakewood Area Chamber of Commerce, you are welcome to attend the meeting or call 715-276-6500.

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Red Light Saloon presents "Sweet Caroline"



Mary and Al Benson rehearse for Sweet Caroline at the Red Light Saloon Show.

The cast is in full rehearsal for "Sweet Caroline," the fourth annual Red Light Saloon Show to be held Saturday, October 3, at the Townsend Town Hall on Highway 32. A matinee of "Sweet Caroline" will be staged at 2:00 p.m. with an evening show at 7:00 p.m. Doors open one hour prior to each performance.

Written and directed by Kathleen Marie Marsh and narrated by Marcia Wahoske, this side-splitting musical comedy stars Al Benson as Deacon, a ladies man turned preacher who lives at the Saloon as he tends his tiny flock and keeps his brother Whiskey Jack (Jon Marsh) in line. Due to a train mishap, Deacon reconnects with Caroline Goodenough (Mary Benson), the girl he left behind. Determined not to lose his Sweet Caroline again, Deacon proposes, but Caroline refuses since he has no church and cannot provide a proper home.

In desperation, Deacon decides to head to the Klondike in search of gold. Equally desperate is Deacon's sister-in-law Cathouse Cate (Kathleen Marsh) who dare not let her husband Jack out from under Deacon's

watchful gaze. Cate persuades the local business owners to sponsor a Church-a-Thon to raise money for a parsonage and a church.

An all-volunteer supporting cast is eager to entertain what is sure to be a capacity audience: Shirley Ashbeck, Gary Baum, Jerry Bodoh, Judi Fellows, Bev Gerndt, Lee Gerndt, Don Franzen, Cindy Jonet, Bruce Karow, Marilyn Karow, Pat Lowery, Annette Neitzer, Bruce Resler, Cindy Resler, Kris Vandervest and Scott Wycherley. These talented actors, singers, and musicians guarantee another memorable show as they come to their friend Deacon's aid.

Sound like a great show you just have to see? Make plans to attend and be ready for two hours of frisky, frolicking fun. Proceeds go to the Holt & Balcom Logging Camp Museum in Lakewood.

Admission is \$8.00, at the door only, and musical entertainment will start a half-hour prior to each show. Beer, soda, and snacks will be available.

Crooked Lake/Mountain Lions present Melvin Jones Award to Mike Lintner



At the September meeting of the Crooked Lake/Mountain Lions Club, Past President Mike Lintner was presented with the Melvin Jones Fellowship Award. This award is the highest form of recognition in Lions International that can be bestowed upon an individual and the recipient is always a model of exemplary service to his club and the community in which he serves.

Mike has been a dedicated member of the club since May of 2009 and has served as President and the overall "handyman" for all of the fundraisers. Outside of the Lions Club, Mike is very active in his church and at Camp Luther, always there to lend a helping hand.

Pictured on the left is President Jim Zittlow presenting the award to Mike.



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 •Wednesday's - 12 Noon
 •Thursday, Adoration & Mass - 6:00 p.m.
 •Friday - 12 Noon

TURKEY SHOOT
Black Bear Sportsman's Club
 Range in Argonne
Sign-up begins at 10:30 and Shooting Begins at 11:00
Saturday, September 12th
Shoot for Prizes & a 50/50 Raffle
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COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

- **Stitch'n Sisters Needlework Group** - We invite anyone interested in needle arts to join us Tuesdays from 9 a.m. - noon in the Associated Bank Community Room, located at 210 S Lake Ave, Crandon.
- **St. John's Lutheran Church (LCMS)** - Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday and 6 p.m. Monday. Wednesday - children's after school. Located at N9834 Hwy. 55 in Pickerel. Call 715-484-3382 for more information.
- **AA Meetings** - Back Door Group - Open meetings Monday & Thurs. Nights @ 7 p.m., Lakewood Lakes Country Library. Call Mary 715-276-2318 or Bill 715-882-3512.
- **Forest Cty. Humane Society** - Open to public Mon-Fri 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Saturday from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. Call for more info. 715-478-2098.
- **AA Meeting** - Saturdays, 9 a.m., Wabeno Fire Station, side entrance.
- **Crandon VFW Post** - Meets the second Tuesday of the month. 1:30 p.m. at the VFW building, 104 N Forest.
- **Support Group for Parent of Children with Disabilities** - Call Chris at 715-784-0058.
- **Crandon Lions Board Meetings** - 1st Monday of the month at Crandon Library at 6 p.m. (downstairs). Member Meeting - 3rd Monday of month at 5:30 p.m.; June, July, August meeting will be held at the Club House in the Court House Square.
- **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 Shepard Lutheran Church** - Hwy 55N, Crandon. Sunday service 9:30 a.m. with Communion on 1st & 3rd Sunday. Wednesday service at 6pm with Communion on 2nd & 4th Wednesday. 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 FCP Museum, Mish•Ko•Swin Lane, Crandon. Call Brooks Boyd for more information at 715-889-4902
- **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.
- **Highway 55 Flea Market** - Every Wednesday and every 3rd Saturday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., at the Nashville Town hall, corner of Hwys. 55 & B, Crandon. Interested vendors or for more information, call Linda at 715-484-7271.
- **Tops** - will meet at Wabeno Town Hall on Mondays. Weigh in at 7:30 am with meeting following at 7:45. For more info call 715-473-2613.
- **AA Meeting** - White Lake, Sunday Morning, 10:00 AM at the White Lake Fire House. Mike - 175-882-8901 or Bill - 715-882-3512
- **AA Meeting** - Every Tuesday at 7 p.m. at Carter Springs. Contact Peggy at 715-889-3116 for more information.
- **Survivors of Suicide Support Group** - Support group for those who have lost a loved one to suicide will gather the third Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. until noon at the Curran Building located at 315 South Oneida Avenue in Rhinelander. For more info call Sue at 715-275-5399
- **Senior Snoop Shop meetings** are held the second Thursday of every month from May through September at 9:00 a.m. in the lower level of the Crandon Public Library.
- **Senior exercise classes** will start at Pickerel St John's Church on Monday Sept 14th at 10:00am. It is a 8 week session. Sign up at first session. Classes are every Monday & Thursday, one hour. Cost is one dollar per session.
- **Pickerel area 50 Plus** will meet at St John's church in Pickerel on Thursday Sept 10th at 12 noon. Pot luck lunch. Please bring friends and a dish to pass. On the agenda is a planning session for the Fall & Winter.
- **Crandon Public Library Board Monthly meeting.** 6:00 p.m. Lower Level. 715.478.3784. www.crandonpl.org.
- **Town of Nashville Town Board Meeting** September 16, 2015 at South End at 7 p.m.
- **Ske Gish Get (New Day) AA Meeting** held Fridays at 2 p.m. at 5519 Wej Mo Gek Court, Crandon. For more information Debbie or Peggy at 715-478-4370.

Bag - A - Bargain Rummage Sale in Wabeno comes to an end

By Boyd Monte
 The Bag - A - Bargain Rummage Sale has ended a long and successful run. The rummage sale started in 1993, Pope John Paul II was in Denver, Colorado. The Director of Religious Education, Linda McEwen, and the Church had a dream to send representatives from the Northwoods to meet him, so for 1 dollar, a person filled a brown paper bag. It was a win - win situation. St. Ambrose was able to send two bus loads of people! St. Ambrose also sent representatives to other papal visits in Paris, France and Toronto, Canada. St. Ambrose was also able to send representatives to the National Catholic Youth Conferences in St. Louis, Indianapolis, Houston, Atlanta, Columbus and Kansas City.
 When Linda retired as the Director of Religious Education, she felt that the sale could help other efforts, such as, The Forest County Humane Society, Suring Friends of the Library, Suring - Breed Medical Closet, many college bound students, new home owners, other churches and various missions, the Wabeno K9 Unit and many families that needed to stretch their budgets.
 After the K9 and police unit were absolved in Wabeno, the rummage sale volunteers decided to end the rummage sale. It is with mixed feelings, and everybody is leaving with great memories from years past.
The staff at the Pioneer Express congratulates everybody that volunteered and made a difference with the rummage sale.

Big 4+ Sportsman's Club to hold Autumn Trap Shoot-Long Lake

The Big 4+ Sportsman's Club will hold their annual autumn trap shoot at their clubhouse on Settlement Road in Long Lake on Saturday, September 19. There will be two events, a 50-Bird Lewis shoot and a meat shoot. Both events begin at 8 a.m. Those shooting the 50-Bird shoot must be registered by noon and will compete for cash prizes. Those shooting the meat shoot do not need to register and can arrive at any time during the day. Food and beverages will be available and everyone is welcome.
 Contact JoAnne at 715-674-2020 or visit www.big4sportsmansclub.com for more information.

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Laona Edith Evans Community Library - HOURS: Monday: noon to 5pm, Tuesday thru Thursday: 8:30am to 4pm, Friday: 8am to 12:30pm. Closed Saturday & Sunday • 715-674-4751

Museum Hours
Forest County Museum- Located at 105 W. Jackson in Crandon. From Labor Day to Art In the Square, Sept. 19 the museum will be open from 11a.m. - 3 p.m. on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Any one interested in becoming a guide please stop at the museum.
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.
Wabeno Museum - Memorial Day - Through Labor Day - Monday-Thursday: 11:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.; Friday-Saturday: 10 a.m.- 5 p.m.; Sunday: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.



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WANTED TO RENT: Cottage/home within 15 miles of Laona July, Aug. and Sept. 2016. Retired couple with references. Non-smokers. No pets. Reply by e-mail to: 3monrental@gmail.com. P21

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- Veteran Transitions – Reintegration into Civilian Life by Willa Panzer, associate vice president of Student Development and Assessment for the Wisconsin Technical College System. Panzer is also commander of the Wisconsin Air National Guard 115th Maintenance Squadron.

- Deployment Stress, PTSD, and Student Veterans – Mental Health of Service Members Returning from Afghanistan and Iraq by Dr. Rod Linder, clinical psychologist with the Department of Veterans Affairs. Dr. Linder has worked with numerous veterans over the years and currently serves at the VA Community Based Outpatient Center in Rhinelander.

- Veterans Returning to College – Challenges and Opportunities Veterans May Bring to the Classroom by Scott Lieburn, dean of students at Moraine Park Technical College. He also serves as inspector general for the Wisconsin Air National Guard 115th Fighter Wing in Madison.

A continental breakfast will be served from 7:15 a.m. to 7:45 a.m. and lunch beginning at 11:45 a.m. Admission is free and open to the public but registration is required by Sept. 25. To register, call Nicolet at (715) 365-4425, 1-800-544-3039, ext. 4425; TTY 1-800-947-3529 or 711.

All presentations will be held in the Nicolet College Theatre.

This is the first in a series of free Hire Up seminars at Nicolet College.

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Lake Metonga 132' of frontage is being sold regardless of price! Ron and Mary Ann Kalkofen. Sat. Sept. 12-(10:00 AM) Crandon, WI (Forest Co.) 1 1/2 miles S on HWY 55 to Airport Rd. 2 miles to Keith Siding Rd. 1/2 mile to Schalk La. and 9462 (follow to end of Rd)

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Wisconsin Public Service Foundation accepting applications for Innovative Educator Grants

Green Bay, WI – Applications are now being accepted for the Innovative Educator Grant program sponsored by Wisconsin Public Service Foundation, the philanthropic arm of Wisconsin Public Service. The Innovative Educator Grant, now in its ninth year, is an opportunity for 6-12 grade educators to receive grants up to \$1,000 for new projects with an academic focus and goals to improve student achievement in the areas of science, technology, engineering or math (STEM).

"Last year our foundation contributed more than \$300,000 to support educational efforts, and we look forward to continue our long standing tradition of supporting education, particularly in the STEM areas" said Karmen Lemke, Wisconsin Public Service Foundation Director. "We are trying to provide unique educational opportunities to reward innovative programs and projects in the schools."

Examples of the types of projects or programs that may be considered for funding include engineering mentoring programs, robotics programs, props for energy lessons, stream monitoring equipment and environmental projects. The grants may also be used to purchase certain types of equipment or curriculum materials. To be eligible, schools need to be a natural gas or electric customer of Wisconsin Public Service.

Since the program's inception, 105 projects received over \$97,000 in grants. Funding for the Innovative Educator Grant is through Wisconsin Public Service Foundation, which is supported by shareholders, not utility ratepayers. To view the guidelines, see a list of last year's recipients, or complete an application, log onto www.wisconsinpublicservice.com/innovativeeducator The deadline to apply is October 31, 2015.

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Bids & Notices

**Regular Meeting
Laona Board of Education**
Monday, September 14, 2015 – 5:30 p.m.
Room 24 – C. L. Robinson Elementary School

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance - Frank Shepard, Jr.
3. Approval of the Agenda
4. Public Forum (10 minutes)
5. Consent Agenda
 - A. Meeting Minutes
 - B. Bills and Claims
6. Items for Discussion and/or Action
 - A. Resignations - Daycare/Head Start Teacher
 - B. Hiring - Daycare Teacher, Junior High Girls' Basketball and Varsity Assistant/Junior Varsity Wrestling Coaches
 - C. Snow Removal Bid
 - D. Concrete Work Bid
 - E. Final Approval - Board Policy Book
7. Informational Items:
 - A. Business Manager's Report
 - B. High School Principal's Report
 - C. Administrator's Report
 - D. Board Member Reports
8. Enter Closed Session pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes 19.85(1)(e) for deliberating or negotiating the purchasing of public properties, the investing of public funds, or conducting other specified public business, whenever competitive or bargaining reasons require a closed session.
9. Return to Open Session to possibly take action on items discussed in closed session.
10. Adjourn

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

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH-WABENO

is offering Bible classes for the Children of the Lakewood, Laona, Townsend, Wabeno area at Centennial Hall next to the church, for grades K-6.

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Registration and classes begin Wednesday, Sept. 16, 2015, from 3:30 until 4:30 p.m. A bus will drop off from the school, and parents must let the school know. Parents must pick up children at 4:30 p.m. Laona parents must also bring their children.

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**Forest County Veterans
Memorial meeting Sept. 16**

The Forest County Veterans Memorial Association meeting is on Wednesday, September 16, at 6:00 p.m., at Ducks Bar. Volunteers are needed to help with Veterans Day Dinner Annual fundraiser, and they should attend this meeting.

Call Diane Fenske Joyner at 715.902.4780 if you need a ride to the meeting!

VENDORS WANTED

**Elcho / Pelican Lake Lioness Club
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September 27**

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In the Children's Court of Sokaogon Chippewa Band of Lake Superior Band of Indians

Summons

Mole Lake Reservation, State of Wisconsin

In the Matter of: D.R.E.
DOB: 5/03/2000
Case #2012-ICW-001

To: Lynette Evans, Mother of D.R.E.

You are hereby summoned and required to attend an **INITIAL HEARING** on the **TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS PETITION** on **September 29, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. (CDT)** in the Sokaogon Chippewa Tribal Court, 3051 Sand Lake Road, Crandon, WI 54520, (715) 478-7608. A copy of the Petition may be obtained by contacting the Sokaogon Chippewa Tribal Court. The Petition was filed on behalf of the Indian Child Welfare Department for the Sokaogon Chippewa Community by tribal attorney, Heidi A. Drobnick, 3120 Woodbury Dr., Suite 200, Woodbury, MN 55125, (651) 739-9615.

If you fail to attend this hearing, judgment or other appropriate relief will be rendered in said cause against you. Further, if you fail to attend this hearing, your parental rights will be terminated by default.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ Honorable Debra E. VanZile
Tribal Judge
Dated: 7-29-15

BIDS WANTED:
CoVantage Credit Union in Crandon is looking for a reliable company or person for 2015/2016 snow removal. Must have parking lot and sidewalks clear of snow and ice by 7:00 a.m. Occasional snow removal may be necessary during daytime hours. Bids should be submitted to CVCU, PO Box 365, Crandon, WI Attn: Kyle Lewis no later than October 12th. B25


FOR SALE: Canning tomatoes, 50¢/lb. 1/2 bushels - 25 lbs., full bushels - 50 lbs. Can be picked up in Laona by the intersection on Fridays and Lakewood by the bank on Hwy. 32 on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. B22

Liquor Licenses

The following beer and liquor license application has been applied for with the Town of Wabeno for July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016, with the Town Clerk. The license was approved at the September 8, 2015 Town Board meeting.

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CLASSIFICATION: Non-Exempt - DEPARTMENT: C-Store
SUPERVISOR: C-Store Supervisor - GRADE: NE2**

Position Summary:

Under direct supervision of the C-Store Supervisor, responsible for providing excellent customer service for all internal and external customers. Sells and services customers by utilizing excellent knowledge of company products. This list of duties and responsibilities is illustrative only of the tasks performed by this position and is not all-inclusive.

Minimum Qualifications:

High School Diploma or GED preferred; three months related cash handling, cashiering experience and/or training preferred. Must successfully pass a pre-employment drug/alcohol screen, and background investigation. This position doesn't require a driver's license.

Physical Demands:

While performing the duties of this job, the employee regularly is required to stand; walk; use hands to finger, handle, or feel; and reach with hands and arms. The employee frequently is required to stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl; and talk or hear. The employee occasionally is required to sit; climb or balance; and taste or smell. The employee must frequently lift and/or move up to 30 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move up to 50 pounds.

Work Environment:

Work is generally performed in an interior work environment and kitchen area with exposure to heat, fumes and steam. Evening, weekend, and/or holiday work will be required. Extended hours and irregular shifts will be required. There is frequent interaction with the public.

*Must have a valid Wisconsin Driver's license and be authorized as eligible for coverage under the Tribe's Insurance prior to an actual start date. *Must maintain a valid Wisconsin Driver's license as a condition of employment. *Must pass a background check, which will be performed on all applicants. *Must successfully pass a pre-employment drug screening.

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**Meeting in Antigo for the
Wisconsin Historical Society**



Sara Connor and George LaRock at the meeting

Museums from throughout Central and Northeastern Wisconsin gathered to hear innovative ideas from Janet Seymour, Northern Regional Director for the Wisconsin Historical Society in a morning lecture.

The afternoon lecture highlighted the Wisconsin Tourism supported project of "Family Fun Passport in Northeastern Wisconsin." Ms. Seymour indicated that it was a potential model that could be used throughout the State.

Incorporating 6 counties and 14 museums with an economic impact of \$3.5M and over 66,000 Visitors, the project features were discussed by Sara W. Connor, on behalf of the 14 museums. She said, "The first Passport has been turned in for the Grand Prize Drawing of a two-night stay at the Potawatomi Casino Hotel in Carter! The Grand Prize Drawing is on September 29th!"

Family Fun Passports in Northeastern Wisconsin are available at the participating museums, restaurants, gas stations, or local stores, and Chambers of Commerce in the Northeastern Wisconsin area.

Continuing, Ms. Connor said, "The Wisconsin Historical Society, Wisconsin Tourism, local Chambers of Commerce, elected officials, and museums have been so supportive of this Wisconsin Tourism project! It brings new meaning to the museums' interpretation of audience expansion, visitorship, membership, and development with the assistance of a technology component."

So many of the museums participating in the 'Family Fun Passport in Northeastern Wisconsin' attended the meeting. The Forest County Historical Society in Crandon, Camp 5 Museum/Lumberjack Steam Train in Laona, White Lake Historical Society in White Lake, Florence County Historical Society in Florence, and the host of the WHS Regional Meeting, the Langlade County Historical Society in Antigo to name a few.

Family Fun Passport in Northeastern Wisconsin allows the Northwoods' visitors to walk in 'The Sawdust Trail' of Wisconsin's pioneers and see the Northwoods from a new perspective. Having a 'Passport' throughout the Northwoods in each museum visited can be accomplished with a hand stamp or use of a cell phone and other electronic devices. Ms. Connor concluded, "It is exciting to bring Social Media to the museum project and new technologies to benefit the visitor, as well as the museums."



(Left to right) Sandy Plummer, Winnie Krueger, Karen Guth, and Shirley Mueller

**Wabeno Legion Post 44
ends season at
Suring Labor Day Parade**



On Labor Day, September 7, 2015, the American Legion Post 44, the Auxiliary and their military vehicles proudly led the Suring Labor Day Parade.

Spectators showed their respect as Old Glory passed with their applause and patriotism. It was the last parade of the season for Post 44, which included parades in Mountain, Wabeno, Townsend and Lakewood.

The Legion is important, helping veterans and their families. The Wabeno American Legion Post 44, hopes to attract the new generation of veterans as well as the old.

Meetings are held the third Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. in the Legion Hall in Wabeno. All veterans are invited to attend the meeting, the lunch and comradeship afterwards. For information to become a member, contact Dave Pitterle, membership chairman at 715-276-1126 or any Legion member.



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FREE EVENT: The Oconto County Public Libraries present a special performance by comedian and author June Melby, on Saturday, Sept. 26, 6 pm, at the Oconto Falls PAC. Melby's memoir, My Family and Other Hazards, chronicles a childhood at her family's Chain O' Lakes mini-golf course and her bittersweet farewell, years later, to the family business.

My Family and Other Hazards is the first OCONTO COUNTY READS selection. Books are available for checkout at the six Oconto County public libraries: Oconto (Farnsworth), Oconto Falls, Lena, Gillett, Suring and Lakewood (Lakes Country.)

"County- and city-wide reads are growing in popularity, giving communities the chance to enjoy and discuss books together," says Lakes Country Library director Nicole Lowery. "We chose Melby as our first author for her dynamic performance and writing skills, as well as her Wisconsin connections."

The Oconto Falls PAC event is free to the public and will include refreshments before the performance, as well as the chance to win a personally autographed copy of Melby's book.

For more information, call or stop in any of the Oconto County Public Libraries. FARNSWORTH: 920-834-7730, 715 Main St., Oconto. OCONTO FALLS: 920-846-2673, 251 N. Main St., Oconto Falls. LENA: 920-829-5335, 200 E. Main St., Lena. GILLETT: 920-855-6224, 200 E. Main St., Gillett. SURING: 920-842-4451, 604 E Main St., Suring. LAKEWOOD: 715-276-9020, 15235 Hwy. 32, Lakewood.

**Northwoods Geology
Club to meet**

The Northwoods Geology Club will meet Wednesday, September 23rd at 6:30 PM at the Florence Natural Resource Center, lower level. Admission is free, coffee, snacks and door prizes will be available. It will be rock identification night and also a rock exchange will take place. Bring your items for identification and for swapping. Our website is: northwoodsgeologyclub.org or find us on facebook.

A good example is the best sermon. - Unknown

Death Notices

Roy Thomas, age 93, of Crandon, passed away at AGI Healthcare on Friday September 4, 2015. He was born January 25, 1922 at Keith Siding in Crandon to Martin and Myrtle (Mckenzie) Thomas. Roy's Dad passed away when he was 5 years old. He left school at an early age and went to work to help out the family. He worked at various jobs in Crandon and in Ohio and Kentucky.

From July 1940 until February 1941 he was enrolled in the Civilian Conservation Corp (CCC) at the Scott Lake facility in northern Wisconsin. After leaving the CCC's, he held various jobs in Crandon and Milwaukee. Then in 1942 he enlisted in the Army. He was a Technician Fifth Grade with the 95th Chemical Service Company serving in the Central Burma Campaign. He was a supply clerk at the medical warehouse for the 181st General Hospital in Karachi India. He was honorably discharged in 1945.

Upon discharge for the Army he returned to Crandon where he met and married the "love of his life", Hazel [Pat] Brandenburg on March 16, 1946. She preceeded him in death on October 3, 2014. Roy worked 23 years for Connor Forest Industries. After he retired from Connors he worked 3 years for the Blackwell Job Corp.

He was a wonderful husband and father. Family always came first for him. He loved spending time with the family, especially the grandkids. He loved dogs and we always had a dog. He also liked to fish when ever he had the chance. His hobbies included gardening and wood working.

He is survived by two sons, Ron (Vicky), Gary (Linda), and one daughter, Judy (Bill) Mullins. Also grandchildren, Shawn, Jamie, Lisa, Christy, David, Wanda, Sarah, Billy, Lindsey, and Gary. He is further survived by great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren, and nieces and nephew.

He was preceeded in death by a brother Bob; three sisters, Margie, Gladys, and Imogene; step-father Frank Tomlin; granddaughter LiAnna; and two infant daughters.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m., Wednesday, September 9, at Praise Chapel Community Church. Pastor Bill Farr officiated. Visitation was from 10 a.m. until the time of service at the church. Burial was in Crandon Lakeside Cemetery. Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisted the family with arrangements. Online condolences may be left for the family at weberhillfuneralhome.com.

The family wishes to thank the staff at AGI Healthcare for the wonderful care Roy received while residing there.

Andrew Adkins, 95 of Wabeno passed away at the Nu-Roc Community Health Care Center, Blackwell on Thursday, September 4, 2015.

Andrew was born May 12, 1920 at Moosehead Kentucky, the son of Wiley and Raney (Eldrich) Adkins.

Andrew served in the U.S. Army during WWII from 1941 to 1945. Through life, Andrew worked at Borg Manufacturing Co. until 1983, he then moved back to the Wabeno area. In his early years, Andy enjoyed gardening, trout fishing, and raising rabbits. He also enjoyed cooking and was a Green Bay Packer fan.

Andrew is survived by daughters, Paulette (Rolt) Nelson of New York, Tracy of Iowa; sons, Jerry Adkins of Laona, Gregory Adkins of Elkhorn, Jack Adkins of Delavan and Monte Adkins of Beloit. He is further survived by 12 grandchildren and 9 great - grandchildren.

Honoring his wishes, no formal services will be held. Interment was at the Town of Crandon Cemetery. Online condolences may be directed to weberhillfuneralhome.com.

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THE RICH WOULD HAVE TO EAT MONEY, BUT LUCKILY THE POOR SUPPLY THE FOOD. RUSSIAN PROVERB

DOUBLE TAKE

By Mark Szorady



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• Wabeno, Blackwell, Laona and Crandon to Crandon (1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.) **Bus Driver: Hal Weisnicht**
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TOPIC OF THE MONTH
"Staying Well"
MEAL SCHEDULE

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA
Monday - September 14 - Chicken Marsala, roasted red potato, yellow beans, dinner roll, peach crisp
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Tuesday - September 15 - Kielbasa, parsley potato, sour kraut, rye bread, spice cake - **MUSIC: Armstrong Creek**
Tuesday - September 22 - Turkey tetrazzini with egg noodles, broccoli, fruit, sourdough bread, oatmeal raisin bar - **BINGO: Armstrong Creek**
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Wednesday - September 16 - Beef Lasagna, tossed salad, fruit, garlic bread, Jell-O - **BINGO**
Wednesday - September 23 - Ham sandwich on whole wheat, carrot raisin salad, fruit, molasses cookie
LAONA, WABENO CONGREGATE
Thursday - September 17 - Tuna salad sandwich on whole wheat, vegetable barley soup, fruit, chocolate cookie bar
Thursday - September 24 - Chicken Ala King, brown rice, tossed salad, biscuit, apple cake - **Birthday Party & Bingo:**
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corn, pears, dinner rolls, bars
Thursday - September 24 - Scalloped potatoes and ham, carrots, applesauce, dinner roll, birthday cake
The local number for the ADRC: 478-2162 is no longer in service. The only number for the ADRC is the 800-699-6704.

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Crandon site manager Pat Rami is at 715-478-0742 (home) or 715-478-3040 (site). Serving at 12:00 p.m. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Alvin site manager Florence Kostka at 715-545-4063 (home) or 715-545-3323 (site). Meal served at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday.

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

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Senior Chatter

Submitted by Kate Schultz

Social Security Payments, Dependents, and MAGI

by the GWAAR Legal Services Team

BadgerCare Plus and the Marketplace are two ways to gain health insurance. If you make below \$11,770 in 2015, you are eligible for BadgerCare Plus. If you make above that limit, you are eligible for subsidized Marketplace insurance. Obviously, both programs require applicants to disclose their household income. Even if only one person is applying for health insurance, he must provide his income, his spouse's income, and sometimes his dependent's income.

Whether a dependent's income is added to the applicant's total income requires a separate test be done for the dependent(s). Social Security payments are not counted toward the dependent's income when determining if she will have to add her income to the applicant's income. However, if it is determined that a dependent's income is high enough that she will be "expected to be required to file taxes," but both dependent's income and any Social Security payments that she had received are added to the applicant's household income.

However, if the applicant received Supplemental Security Income (SSI), it is not included as income. It is easy to confuse this type of income with Social Security for obvious reasons. However, SSI is not paid out of the Social Security trust and is not a form of Social Security payment.

Dependents of individuals applying for BadgerCare Plus, or the Marketplace, have different rules when adding their income to that of the applicant. A dependent's income, under MAGI, is only added to the tax-filer's income when that dependent is "expected to be required to file taxes." A dependent is seen as expected to be required to file taxes when she has earned annual income of \$6,300, or annual unearned income of \$1,050.

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Steve Foltz returns home to perform with Trout Steak Revival Sept. 24 at Nicolet College



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Foltz and his buddy D.J. Burdick entered the talent show at James Williams Middle School in Rhinelander. The 13-year-olds jammed on a medley of heavy metal cover tunes.

"It was pretty funny," Foltz said, fondly looking back. "We had another friend of ours running on stage to turn a strobe light on and off. We had a great time."

Let's just say his talents have grown considerably since his public musical debut 20 years ago.

On Thursday, September 24, Foltz will again take to the stage in Rhinelander, this time at Nicolet College with the fast-rising Trout Steak Revival, which is gaining national fame for its original bluegrass-inspired mountain music.

"I love the Northwoods and can't wait to get back to home," Foltz said during a phone interview from his current home in Colorado. "Rhinelander was a great place to grow up. I'm very happy and feel very lucky to come back as a professional musician."

Trout Steak's big break came in 2014 when it won top honors at the prestigious Telluride Bluegrass Festival, an event the band had played at since 2008 and which commonly attracts dozens of top bluegrass acts from across the country.

"That changed everything for us," said Foltz, a Class of 2000 Rhinelander High School graduate. "It was like climbing up from the bottom of a valley and looking out from the top of a mountain. All of our hard work had paid off."

The new level of national attention inspired the five band members to take on a higher level of commitment and work even harder.

Long known for writing their own original songs, "Telluride motivated us to write even more," he said. "We're also working on our four- and five-part harmony singing to expand our sound. It's important to all of us to always grow and improve as a band."

So what can one expect to experience at a Trout Steak show?

Foltz readily admits he's biased. "I like to think our shows are a great time. We have lots of fun playing and hope that comes through and translates into the audience having a lot of fun as well."

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When traveling through areas with abundant wildlife, remember a few quick safety tips

MILWAUKEE - Wisconsin's state parks, forests and wildlife areas are great places to experience the diversity of wildlife on our lands. As you are drive to and from these sites this fall be extra cautious, as many wildlife species are most active during dawn and dusk, traveling to and from foraging sites.

During August and September, more young wild animals are beginning to travel with the adults, and often know very little of the dangers of the road. Sandhill cranes and wild turkeys will commonly travel between roosting

sites and open forage fields, and young birds are still learning to fly during this time.

Below are some safety tips to keep in mind while driving in areas where wildlife may be most active:

- If you see an animal in the road, slow down to avoid an accident;
- Be vigilant in early morning and evening hours, the most active time for most wildlife; and
- Be especially cautious on roads bordered by woods or fields, or where streams cross under roads.

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Vendors will need to supply their own tables, etc. There are only ten spaces available so people attending the Oktoberfest will have time to check out all ten displays.

On a nice sunny fall day as many as 250 people will walk through the beer garden and browse at the crafts that are for sale. The event includes a meat raffle, hay rides through the area, pumpkins for kids to decorate, and music, all topped off with a delicious meal of roasted pig and German side dishes.

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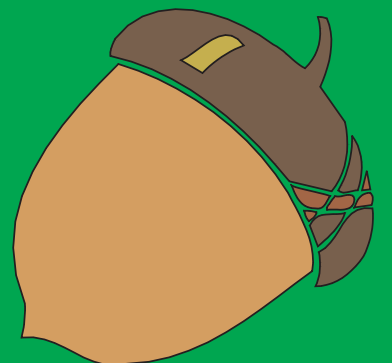


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