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Crandon International prepares for 23rd Forest County Potawatomi Community Brush Run Weekend



TORC: The Off-Road Championship presented by AMSOIL heads to the legendary Crandon International Raceway this weekend for Big House Brawl, Rounds 5 and 6 of the 2016 national championship.

The doubleheader weekend features pro racing in three classes: the powerful, four-wheel drive PRO 4WD trucks, the 900 horsepower rear-wheel drive PRO 2WD machines, and the fiercely competitive Atturo Tire PRO Lights. The TORC Series races are part of the 23rd annual Forest County Potawatomi Community Brush Run event, which also features Crandon Sportsman Off-Road Series running 10 unique classes of unique short-course machinery.

At the top of the standings in the TORC Series after four races this season are Johnny Greaves in PRO 4WD, Crandon local Keegan Kincaid in PRO 2WD, and Kyle Hart in Atturo Tire PRO Light. Greaves hails from nearby Abrams, Wisconsin, while Hart is from Kelly, Louisiana.

In addition to three days of TORC PRO and Crandon Sportsman competition, the Forest County Potawatomi Community Brush Run event weekend features camping and concerts. Thousands of fans are expected to load into the facility, which includes 2,500

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The Crandon Summer School Drama Program presents....



Crandon Summer School Drama program will present a comedy/mystery one-act play "And Then..." on Thursday, June 30th at 7 pm. This mystery is a spoof of the great Agatha Christie novel "And Then There Were None."

Before and after the play, the Middle School art students will have their creative media explorations displayed in the high school lunchroom. Admission is free, but donations are accepted. Come and enjoy the art and have a few laughs. Everyone is welcome.

7th Annual Run for the Paws 5K Run/Walk

The Crandon High School Cross Country Team will host the 7th Annual Run for the Paws 5K Run/Walk on Saturday, July 2nd. Proceeds will benefit both the cross country team and the Forest County Humane Society. The race begins at 8:00 a.m. in front of the Forest County Courthouse.

On-line registration and race details are available at www.run4thepaws.com. The registration fee is \$25 for those who register before June 25th, and \$30 for those who register the weekend of the event. If you have questions, feel free to contact Jessica Keao at: keaojess@sdofofcrandon.com.

The Lumberjack Steam Train begins its 100th Year on the job



Take a step back in time with a ride on the 100 year-old Lumberjack Steam Train.

It will be the beginning of a very special season when the Lumberjack Steam Train starts its runs for 2016 on Thursday, June 23rd. This year marks the 100th Birthday of the Vulcan steam engine affectionately called Old 4-Spot. It has been a century since this Vulcan steam engine rolled out of the factory doors back in 1916, and 4-Spot has a very distinguished career.

Hauling logs and lumber in the early days, the Lumberjack Steam Train now hauls passengers to the Camp 5 Museum complex, where they spend an enjoyable day in the highly-rated logging museum, meet the animals in the petting zoo, take a fun but educational ride on the Green Treasure Forest Tour, peruse the wares in the Cracker Barrel Gift Store and enjoy a lunch in the open-air restaurant. A corn maze in the shape of the old Vulcan will be an attraction later in the season, and should be a great deal of fun!

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Forest County Association of Lakes 2016 Essay Contest winners

The title of this year's FCAL essay contest was "The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly in Forest County Lakes and Streams". This essay contest is one of the events FCAL uses to raise the awareness of our youth to the importance of our waterways and their part in being good stewards of those waterways. 5th and 6th grade students in Forest County once again stepped up to write essays on the topic. 86 essays were written by Crandon students, 15 Laona students and 45 Wabeno students. Cash awards of \$100 for 1st place, \$50 for 2nd place and \$25 for 3rd place at each school were awarded recently.

The winners are as follows: Crandon's winners: Carter Bissonette 1st, Elle Reeder 2nd, and Haley Walentowski 3rd; Laona's winners: Grace Krawze 1st, Kaden Matuszewski 2nd and Wyatt Collins 3rd; Wabeno's winners: Benny Peters 1st, Hailey Krueger 2nd, and Owen Seeber 3rd.

The winning essays will be on display at the Crandon Public Library until Kentuck Day, July 30th, after which time they will be on display at the FCAL booth.

The essay contest winners and their parents will be invited as guests to the FCAL annual meeting in October and will be given an opportunity to read their essays. We hope that many of them will be able to attend this dinner event.

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Crandon Community Blood Drive

A Crandon Community Blood Drive will be held on Thursday, July 7, 2016, at 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church (in the gathering room) at 501 North Park Avenue in Crandon.

To schedule a donation appointment, please call The Community Blood Center at 800-280-4102 or schedule a donation appointment online at www.communityblood.org. Appointments are preferred!

We provide 100% of the blood used by your local hospitals and couldn't do it without volunteers like you!

Wabeno Annual Craft Sale July 9th

The Annual Craft show at Wabeno Park in Wabeno will be on Saturday, July 9th from 9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. There will be food and refreshments available and of course all of the treasures that are in the craft show. The Wabeno Chamber has some spots still available. If you are interested in being a vendor or are looking for more information, contact Dawn at (715) 473-2311 or email dawnjakubiec@hotmail.com

Ray Hoffman to celebrate 100th Birthday on Saturday July 9th!



By Mike Monte

Mole Lake's Ray Hoffman is a Forest County original. He entered this world on July 10, 1916, and he will be celebrating his centennial birthday this July 10 with friends and family.

Ray was born on the banks of Swamp Creek, just below Rice Lake, in a logging camp. His father was Joe Hoffman and his mother was Elizabeth. They came to Forest County from the Hatley-Bevent area.

Ray's in-laws, the Jaskie family, worked in McGee's logging camp that was located in the vicinity of Ackley Circle and the Mole Lake Pow Wow grounds. Their daughter, Maymie, was born there just nine months after Ray first saw daylight. Unfortunately, Maymie has since passed on.

Ray had four brothers and four sisters. One sister, Elmyra, is still alive and lives in Antigo.

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July programs at the Lakes Country Public Library

The Lakes Country Library in Lakewood will have the following programs in July:

- Dr. Seuss Reader's Theater on Saturday, July 2 at Noon
- Movie: Star Wars: The Force Awakens on Saturday, July 23 at Noon
- Story Time Saturdays at 10 a.m.
- Mark Schug Financial Lecture Series 1 on Thursday, July 14 at 3 p.m.: "You Can Be a Millionaire, Too! Building Wealth Over the Long Term"
- Book Club on Thurs., July 7 at 11:00 - The Arsonist by Sue Miller
- Up North Author's Circle on Wed., July 13 at 5:00 p.m. - new members welcome.
- Knitters Group on Wed., July 13 and 27 at 2:00 p.m. - new members welcome (bring a project.)
- Friends of the Library Brat Sale at the Supervalu Brat Shack: July 29 from 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

The Lakes Country Public Library is at 15235 Hwy. 32 in Lakewood. Phone: 715-276-9020. Open Mon., Tues., Thurs. from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Wed. & Fri. 2 to 8 p.m. and Sat. 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Visit our website at LakesCountryLibrary.org.

Free Zoo tickets still available for Vets and Military people

Forest County Veteran's Service Officer Robb Koplien says there are still free tickets for the Milwaukee County Zoo available at his office for serving military personnel and veterans.

The date for the zoo visit is Sunday, July 3rd. The tickets are for immediate family only with a limit of ten per family.

In addition to the zoo visit, veterans can learn more about possible benefits at the Veteran's Benefit Expo at the U.S. Bank Gathering Place from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Contact Mr. Koplien for further details.

McCaslin Lioness Blood Drive

The blood drive will be at the Townsend Town Hall on Hwy 32, Monday, June 27, 2016, 12 p.m. - 5 p.m.

For an appointment, please call Evie at 715-276-9067. Walk-ins welcome

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Help Wanted School District of Crandon

Head Wrestling Coach

Wage for this position is \$3,150 per year.

Assistant Softball Coach

Wage for this position is \$1,500 per year.

Assistant Baseball Coach

Wage for this position is \$1,500 per year.

Middle School Cross Country Coaches (2)

Wage for this position is \$1,050 per year.

Middle School Girls Basketball Coach

Wage for this position is \$1,050 per year.

6th Grade Basketball Coach

Wage for this position is \$850 per year.

Middle School Golf Coach

Wage for this position is \$700 per year.

These coaching positions will be for the 2016-17 school year, with no other benefits offered.

Any persons interested in any of these positions should complete a support staff application, located on the district webpage: www.crandon.k12.wi.us, along with a letter explaining your qualifications for the position.

Please return applications to the District Office,

Attention: Tracy Cassidy, Activities Director

School District of Crandon

9750 US HWY 8 W, Crandon, WI 54520

Questions regarding these positions can be addressed to Mrs. Cassidy at 715-478-6124.

Deadline for applications: Friday, July 1st at 3:00 p.m.

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Help Wanted - School District of Crandon Full Time Computer Aide

This position will begin for the 2016-17 school year and wage will be \$16.24 per hour. Applicant must have previous experience with children and must possess basic computer skills as well as good human relations skills.

The goal for this position is to assist with a smooth and efficient operation of the Elementary School computer labs to students and staff, as a means of meeting educational objectives. Applicant will be responsible to assist students, staff and others with computer related inquiries and to assist with the instruction of word processing, database, spreadsheet and other appropriate programs. Applicant must pass a background check and have a clean criminal record.

Any persons interested in this position should complete a support staff application, located on the district webpage, www.crandon.k12.wi.us and return it to the District Office,

Attention: Jamee Belland, Elementary Principal
School District of Crandon
9750 US HWY 8 W, Crandon, WI 54520

Deadline for applications: 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 5th, 2016

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Help Wanted

Bartenders, Dishwashers, Cooks & Waitstaff needed

Apply at in person at Main Street Ed's. 715-649-3810

HELP WANTED

THE WABENO SANITARY DISTRICT IS SEEKING APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF OFFICE MANAGER/CLERK

JOB DESCRIPTION: The Wabeno Sanitary is seeking applications for the part time position of Office Manager/Clerk.

NATURE OF JOB: Be able to function as an office manager assuming responsibility of the district office. Be responsible for performing clerical duties for the Board of Commissioners and administrative duties for the District office.

QUALIFICATION: Proficient computer skills in Office Product software. The District uses the Casselle Accounting System, which includes Utility Billing, Fund Accounting and Payroll. Applicant must have a good accounting background with the ability to learn this System. Clerical experience will be helpful in filling this position.

Must be able to be bonded.

Have strong written and communication skills and have the ability to work well with customers, contractors, Board Members and other employees.

Be accountable to the Board of Commissioners for timely and accurate processing of all assigned District functions. Attend monthly meetings.

A complete job description is available at the District Office.

HOW TO APPLY: Interested candidates should pick up an application from the District Office located at 1735 Third St., Wabeno, WI. Office hours are 7:00am to 12:00 noon Monday thru Friday. The Phone number is (715)473-2905. A resume and the application must be submitted to the District Office by July 8, 2016, 12:00 noon in order to be considered for the position.

POSTING INFORMATION: Wabeno Sanitary District Residences Preference Applies

The Wabeno Sanitary District is an Equal Opportunity Employer

HELP WANTED - General Laborer

Must be dependable & have a good driving record. Apply in person at Motor Sports Marine, N10306 Hwy. 55, Pearson

Volunteers Needed For Happy Tails Re-Sale Shop Only



Contact Emily at: 715-784-0256

POTAWATOMI CARTER CASINO HOTEL CAREER OPPORTUNITY

ASSISTANT GRAPHIC ARTIST

Status: Full-Time, Hourly

Purpose: Assist in the design and creation of graphic material under the direction of the Lead Graphic Artist.

Qualifications

- Minimum 2-year degree in Graphic Design is preferred; a minimum of 2 years verifiable experience is required.
- Must possess working knowledge of Mac Graphics Programs including Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, and InDesign, with basic knowledge of Microsoft programs.
- Ability to uphold complete confidentiality is required.
- Must work well with people, possess excellent customer service skills, strong oral & written communications skills, and sensitivity to diverse cultures.
- Ability to maintain a professional demeanor in stressful situations is necessary.

Conditions of Employment

- Must be at least 18 years old and have no misdemeanor or felony convictions involving theft, fraud or embezzlement.
- Must pass pre-employment and random drug testing.
- Must obtain and maintain Gaming License issued by Forest County Potawatomi Gaming Commission.
- Must be available to work flexible shifts as dictated by volume of business.
- Must satisfactorily complete an introductory period.

Posting Information: TRIBAL/NATIVE AMERICAN PREFERENCE APPLIES
Post Date: June 27, 2016 Closing Date: July 11, 2016

Complete job description available at www.cartercasino.com

Submit applications/resumes to: Jean Kluss, Human Resources Manager
618 State Hwy 32, Wabeno, WI 54566 | FAX: 715.473.6021

E-mail: jkluss@cartercasino.com -or- online at www.cartercasino.com

SERVERS WANTED. EARN GREAT MONEY IN A FUN, UPBEAT RESTAURANT & BAR. MUST BE AVAILABLE FOR ROTATING EVENINGS AND WEEKENDS. EXPERIENCE PREFERRED BUT PERSONALITY AND ATTITUDE WINS OUT. COME SEE CAROLYN AT HOTEL CRANDON. 715-478-2414 Betc4

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CAGE/VAULT SUPERVISOR Full-Time, Hourly

Purpose: Supervise & accurately handle all monetary transactions in the Cage/Vault involving cash & tickets. Assist all Cage & Vault Cashiers to ensure excellent guest service is provided. Assist the Cage/Vault Manager in operating functions of the department.

Qualifications

- Associate Degree in Accounting or Finance preferred; a minimum of two years verifiable experience is required.
- One year verifiable supervisory experience is preferred.
- Ability to uphold complete confidentiality is required.
- Must display professionalism when representing PCCCH.
- Must work well with people, possess excellent customer service skills and sensitivity to diverse cultures.
- Excellent organizational skills & the ability to maintain accuracy is required.
- Ability to maintain a professional demeanor in stressful situations is necessary.

Conditions of Employment

- Must be at least 18 years old and have no misdemeanor or felony convictions involving theft, fraud or embezzlement.
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E-mail: jkluss@cartercasino.com -or- online at www.cartercasino.com

POSITION: C-Store Cook, Supervisor CLASSIFICATION: Non-Exempt DEPT: C-Store • GRADE: NE4 SUPERVISOR: C-Store Asstant Manager

Minimum Qualifications: High school degree or GED, five years of recent experience as a cook in a food service institution. Serv Safe Management Certificate required. Must successfully pass a pre-employment drug/alcohol screen, and background investigation.

To apply contact:

Forest County Potawatomi
Human Resources Department
P.O. Box 340
Crandon, WI 54520
www.fcpotawatomi.com



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MOLE LAKE CASINO • LODGE

We are accepting applications for the following positions:

- Restaurant:** Cook & Wait Staff
- Bar:** Bartenders & Cocktail Servers
- Bingo:** Floor workers & Callers
- Bingo :** Manager
- Table Games :** Manager
- Table Games:** Dealers (will train)
- Surveillance:** Officers
- Security:** Officers

Applications available online at www.molelakecasino.com or at the Player's Club Desk. For more information contact the HR Office at 715-478-7549.

HELP WANTED: Schaefer's deli. Evenings and weekends, part to full-time. If interested, please apply at the deli. Attention Judy. B11

HELP WANTED

Position Vacancy: The Forest County Office on Aging is accepting applications for a part-time Bus/Van driver position.

Applicants must possess a valid Wisconsin's Driver's License, and have a good driving record.

This position requires a Passenger Endorsed CDL or the ability to obtain one. Applications and Job Descriptions are available at the County Clerk's office.

Applications should be returned to the County Clerk's office, 200 East Madison St. Courthouse Crandon, WI 54520, by 4:30, Friday, June 24th, 2016.

Forest County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

School District of Laona Elementary Interventionist Job Opening

The Laona School District is accepting applicants for an Elementary Interventionist Teacher. This position facilitates and coordinates the implementation of a K-6 classroom intervention program, provides special instruction to individuals and small groups of students with identified needs; and does other related functions as required. This is a one year only contract and will be full time position during the 2016-17 school year. Candidates must be certified to teach at the elementary level.

How to Apply: Interested and licensed candidates should submit a letter of interest, resume, transcripts, copy of license(s), and three (3) current letters of reference to:

Larry Palubicki, District Administrator, 5216 Forest Ave, ST A, Laona, WI 54541 or apply through WECAN. Application closes on July 1, 2016.

The Laona Schools, in accordance with the Wisconsin Fair Employment Practices Act, Wis. Stat. 111.31, does not discriminate in hiring practice on the basis of age, race, color, creed, handicap, national origin, political affiliation, marital status, sex, sexual orientation, physical, mental, emotional, or learning disability or handicap, arrest record or conviction record. The School District of Laona reserves the right to accept or reject any or all applications. The School District is an equal opportunity employer.

School District of Wabeno Area Full Time Special Education Director/Pupil Services Administrator

Job Description: The School District of Wabeno Area is looking for a full time Director of Special Education/Pupil Services Administrator to begin for the 2016-2017 school year. A director of special education and pupil services Wisconsin license is required of a person to administer a special education program/pupil services program. This is a 220 day contract with wages to be negotiated.

Qualifications: The applicant shall have completed an approved program leading to licensure as a director of special education/pupil services. Preference will be given to a person who holds a current Wisconsin 80 license. This person will be responsible for maintaining and meeting special education state requirements and laws in addition to assisting faculty members meet IEP requirements and PBIS and Rtl interventions.

Requirements: Current Wisconsin 80 license.

How to Apply: Interested candidates should submit a letter of application, resume, three current letters of recommendation, copy of director license, and transcripts to:

Jennifer Vogler, District Administrator
School District of Wabeno Area
PO Box 460
Wabeno, WI 54566.

The School District of Wabeno Area is an Equal Opportunity employer. The School District does not discriminate against applicants or employees based on race; age; sex or sexual orientation; creed or religion; color; handicap or disability; marital, citizenship, or veteran status; membership in the National Guard, state defense force, or reserves; national origin or ancestry; arrest or conviction record; use or non-use of lawful products off the District's premises during non-working hours; or any other characteristic protected by law.

MOLE LAKE CASINO • LODGE HELP WANTED -

Surveillance Officers (Full time) Supervisor: Surveillance Director

Summary: The Surveillance Officer is a critical part of the safety and security of Casino Operations. As an integral member of an observation team, the officer ensures that policies and procedures are followed; gaming laws and regulations are met; and casino assets are protected. In addition, the officer monitors the premises to ensure the safety and well-being of casino guests and employees.

Duties:

- Safeguards casino assets and premises.
- Writes reports on incidents and violations.
- Conducts tape reviews as per management & Gaming Commission request.
- Provides maintenance for Surveillance equipment.
- Contacts appropriate outside authorities when necessary.
- Observes/records department transactions as required.
- Completes all duties assigned by the Surveillance Director.

Qualifications:

- High School Diploma or equivalent
- Previous Surveillance experience preferred
- Excellent observation skills (detail oriented position)
- Ability to work well with co-workers and be courteous in all interactions
- Excellent report writing skills and verbal communication
- Must be able to sit for long periods of time and successfully perform all job responsibilities
- Must be willing to learn all casino related rules and regulations, emergency procedures, internal controls and Title 31 mandates (pass Title 31 test within 30 days).

This position is subject to the following conditions: obtain and maintain a valid Sokaogon Chippewa Gaming Commission license and pass pre-employment and random drug & alcohol screenings. The job description is not intended to be an exhaustive list of all duties or qualifications.

Native American preference is granted according to P.L. 93-638.

Applications available online at molelakecasino.com or at Player's Club Desk. Submit completed applications to Sokaogon Chippewa Gaming Enterprise Donna Vodar, HR Manager P.O. Box 277, Crandon WI 54520 715-478-7549 • 715-478-5745 (fax) email - hr@molelake.com

MOLE LAKE CASINO • LODGE HELP WANTED -

Bingo Manager (Full time) Supervisor: Casino General Manager

Duties & Resonsibilities:

- Maintain Bingo SGEC Internal Control Standards
- Safe guard casino assets.
- Perform stockroom, floor worker/caller, payout-clerk, and front line cashier duties.
- Train staff for all Bingo positions.
- Ensure policy and procedures are maintained.
- Ensure all key protocol is followed.
- Maintain all games in the Bingo Department.
- Create the monthly Bingo schedules.
- Track and record all monies received and generated.
- Review employee timecards, +
- Prepare employee work schedules to ensure sufficient coverage.
- Record employee issues, prepare Incident Reports, and follow disciplinary protocol as necessary.
- Provide supervision and leadership to entire department.
- Evaluate employees and review reports with Human Resources Manager and General Manager.
- Complete other duties as assigned.

Qualifications/Requirement:

- High School graduate or equivalent
- 2 - 3 years management experience.
- Excellent customer relations experience and the ability to interact well with others.
- Experience with planning, organizing, coordinating, assigning and evaluating staff.
- Excellent math skills.
- Obtain SGEC Gaming License.

Submit completed applications to molelakecasino.com or in person at the casino. Applications available at Player's Club Desk.

Intern to Work with Wisconsin Wins Program

Elizabeth Mors from Nicolet Area Technical College, is joining the Wisconsin Wins project and visiting tobacco license holders to find out which businesses are complying with the law and which ones may need to provide their employees with more training regarding tobacco sales. Mors will be working in six counties: Oneida, Forest, Lincoln, Florence, Vilas, and Price.

WI Wins was launched in the spring of 2002 as part of a comprehensive approach to preventing youth access to tobacco. According to Mors, "Wisconsin Wins is an exciting program. I appreciate the opportunity to work with the youth, as well as, play an active role in the continuing culture change surrounding tobacco in the Northwoods."

The CDC states that on average, smokers die 10 years earlier than nonsmokers and that cigarette smoking causes more than 480,000 deaths each year in the United States. This is about one in five deaths! Yet, every day in the United States 3,600 young people between the ages of 12 and 17 years initiate cigarette smoking. When clerks make a difference to decrease youth access to tobacco products, Wisconsin wins.

For more information regarding the Wisconsin Wins program contact Maria Otterholt, Oneida County Tobacco Coordinator at 715-369-6110.

MOLE LAKE CASINO • LODGE

Is looking for Experienced Cooks, Line Cooks, & Prep Cooks. Also hiring Dining Room Wait Staff & Bartenders/Cocktail Servers

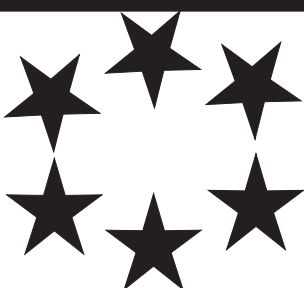
We offer competitive wages and a comprehensive benefit package, including health (Casino pays 74% of premium), dental, vision, and life insurance. We also offer paid vacation and holiday pay. Don't miss this opportunity to hone your skills in a fast paced and growing establishment.

Applications are available on line at www.molelakecasino.com or at the casino Player's Club. Contact the Human Resources Department at 715-478-7549.

TOWN OF LINCOLN - HELP WANTED

The Town Of Lincoln will be accepting applications for a Part-Time Zoning Administrator. Applicant must be able to interpret the Town Of Lincoln's Zoning Ordinance and work independently. Applications may be obtained by contacting Tressa Votis, Clerk at 715-478-2985 (please leave a message) or by email at: tressavotis@gmail.com. You may also contact Lynne Black, Chairperson at 715-478-3103. Applications will be accepted through July 6, 2016.

HELP WANTED: Looking for someone to mow and trim grass at my home in Crandon. Will provide riding mower, trimmer and gas. Takes 2 1/2-3 hours. Call 715-362-1941. P11



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N10948 Circle Dr - 1515 sq.ft. 3BR, 2BA, 90' level Sand frtg. Like New Home w/Breathtaking Views! walkout - \$289,000
N10627 W. Isle of Pines Dr - Like NEW 3BR, 2BA Home many amenities, 1200 sq.ft. - 107' frtg. level area shoreline, boathouse w/track system, Big 1+ ac. privacy lot, only \$279,900
W8910 N. Point Ln - 4BR, 2BA Upper Post Lake, 110' frtg. Huge Master BR w/patio door, bath, whirlpool tub, NG fireplace 1,564 sq.ft. Open Concept, great location, Make Offer, \$279,900
N11280 Woodland Ln - 2 BR, 1.5 BA Immaculate cottage/home extra sleeping, large scenic lot, sunset views, 100' sand frontage heated garage, newer Alum dock & lift. Must see @ \$278,000
N11598 Post Lake Dr - 4BR, 3BA, Lake Level Home, walkout 1933 sq.ft. Picturesque lakeview & sunsets, asking \$250,000
W8533 Toepfer Ln - 1500 sq.ft. Lake Home, 3BR, 2BA Ranch new Maple kitchen cabinets, granite counters, huge fireplace, 130' frtg. 1+ acre, 'MANCAVE' GARAGE, Must See \$249,900
CTH U - 108 acres of Hunting & Tillable Land! Boatable creek into Post Lake chain, hunting cabin, food plot, asking \$249,900
N10950 Circle Dr - well maintained, 1452 sq. ft. 3BR, 1.5BA 100' sand frtg. Amazing Sunsets, boathouse, asking \$245,900
112 Pratt Junction Rd - 1641 sq.ft Bi-level Home, 3BR, 2BA lower level and most upper built in 2005, fireplace, wood stove 199' Upper Post Lake frtg. 1+ ac lot, lots of storage, \$245,000
N10667 W. Isle of Pines Dr - Nicely remodeled, move in ready 3BR, 1BA, Fireplace, 3stall garage, 100' sand frtg. \$209,000
CTH U - 45 acres awesome hunting land on navigable creek, boat into Lower Post Lake. Gravel roads throughout, 35' camper large storage unit, Aluminum pier, gated drive, asking \$189,900
Fond Du Lac Ln - AFFORDABLE! Vacant lake lot at southern end of Post Lake chain. 105' frtg, 230' deep. asking \$79,900
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Nicolet College to Launch New AODA Associate Degree This Fall

With demand strong for substance abuse counselors in the Northwoods and nationally, this fall Nicolet College will launch a new, two-year associate degree to train professionals to treat people struggling with drug, alcohol and other issues.

"It's no secret that Wisconsin is at or near the top of just about every list that ranks alcohol consumption," said Lenore Blemke, dean of Health Occupations at Nicolet College. "Couple that with the increasing problem of opioid use and addiction, and it's easy to see which direction demand is going for professionals trained to help people successfully deal with these issues."

The 64-credit Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse (AODA) degree will help students develop skills in counseling, diagnosis, treatment planning, group facilitation, and crisis management.

Blemke noted the credential is perfect for anyone looking to start a career in the field as well as for those working in a related health care field looking to add to their resume. Graduates will be eligible for licensure in Wisconsin as Substance Abuse Counselors-in-training. Full Substance Abuse Counselor licensure is granted after 4,000 hours of on-the-job experience and 360 hours of state-approved continuing education.

In 2015, Nicolet surveyed potential area employers and other professionals working in the field and received "a very strong and positive response indicating that jobs are available for individuals with the right skills," Blemke noted.

Across the nation, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics recently found the profession will grow "much faster than average" compared to other occupations, with 22 percent job growth through 2024. A driving factor in this growth is that addiction and mental health counseling are increasingly being covered by insurance policies, the Bureau noted.

Across the state, median entry-level wages for 2015 graduates with an AODA associate degree were \$33,599 year, according to the latest Wisconsin Technical College System Graduate Outcomes report.

Potential employers from both the public and private sector include clinics, hospitals, community residential facilities, counseling centers, corrections facilities, and social service agencies, Blemke explained. Fall Semester classes start Sept. 1.

For more information, or to register, visit nicoletcollege.edu or call the Nicolet Welcome Center at (715) 365-4493; TDD 1-800-947-3529 or 711.

Crandon Library News

Pint Sized Polkas and Fun @ Your Library
 It's no secret that polka music is the happiest form of music on the face of the earth! Children of all ages are invited to the Crandon Public Library on Tuesday, July 5th at 6:00 p.m. to discover the good, clean fun of Wisconsin polka music. Children's polka musician Mike Schneider (a.k.a. Uncle Mike) from Milwaukee, WI will be performing his Pint Size Polkas program as part of our Summer Reading program. Audience participation is encouraged through numerous sing-along and volunteer opportunities, including the "Chicken Dance." No registration is required and this program is for all ages.
Interested in the game of Pickleball?
 Interested in learning about the game of Pickleball? The Crandon Public Library will be hosting an informal get-together on Thursday, July 7th at 6:30 p.m. for residents and visitors to the area interested in playing pickle ball this summer. What is pickleball? Pickleball was invented in the mid 1960s as a children's backyard pastime but quickly became popular among adults as a fun game for players of all levels. The Forest County Health Department will offer Pickleball equipment for loan to those interested in participating. For more information, please attend on July 7th at 6:30 p.m.

The Crandon Public Library is open six days a week: Monday, Tuesday and Friday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Wednesday and Thursday 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. - Noon. Please visit us online at www.crandonpl.org.

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Grab your blankets, lawn chairs, family and friends for a family friendly movie in the square!

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ANOTHER AUCTION WITH COL. RENÉ BRASS

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Home, cottage, pole building and 15 +/- acres on the Deerskin River ALL being sold regardless of price! Mr. John Otto has passed away.

Sun. July 17 (10:30 AM) Eagle River, WI (Vilas Co.)
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Forest County Association of Lakes Essay Contest Chairman Harry Resch (far left) and FCAL President Pam Schroeder (far right) present awards to the FCAL Essay Contest winners at Laona Elementary School. Winners are Left to right - Wyatt Collins 3rd, Kaden Matuszewski 2nd and Grace Krawze 1st place.

"Forest County Lakes"

By: Grace K. Krawze, Laona School

Introduction

In this paper I will be telling you about my experience with Forest County Lakes.

Good

One day I was playing a board game with my friends, and my nanny told us to go outside or do something. So my friends and I went to the beach.

I love the beach because I love swimming, playing on the rafts, and plenty more.

Every time the softball season is over, we go to the Laona beach

Bad

Once I was in my camper at the dam in Crandon, and my family and I were playing cards and Elizabeth and I wanted to go to the beach part. So we did. When we got there we ran into the lake right away. When I got in the lake I sliced my foot on a clump of zebra mussels.

Ugly

"COME HERE QUICK!" shouted Nadia. I ran down to the place where she was. "WOW!" I said.

I thought to myself, "How did all this garbage get here? Deer? Racoons? Squirrels? Hhhmm...what if we clean it up?" I thought to myself again.

I ran up to my grandma's house. When I got there I grabbed some garbage bags and plastic gloves, and ran back down to where Nadia was. "Here, take this and these", I explained as I was handing her the bag and gloves. "Clean it up", I said. "Great idea!" replied Nadia.

The End

ANOTHER AUCTION WITH COL. RENÉ BRASS

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James A Fumk has passed away. (Most items excellent) Fri. July 1 Starts 10:30 AM (View 9:30) (Lunch) (May sell in 2 rings) 3 miles South of Mercer WI on US HWY 51 to (N4364) **Autos:** 2009 Dodge Town & Country LE minivan **ATV:** Bp Outlander 4x4 **Snowmobile:** Ski-Doo Grand Touring **Enclosed trailer:** 14' **Home & Commercial generators:** (1- 25KW 1- 35KW) Commercial Kerosene heaters: (Kelley) & others. **Ditch Witch trencher:** (1420) Lawn tractor: Cub Cadet. **Snowblower:** JD **Boats:** Alumacraft & Pelican w/outboards & trailers, trolling motor. **Tools etc:** Stihl chain saws, Rigid pipe threader, table saw, Hyd. pipe bender, welder, battery charger, transit, Porta cable & Makita miter saws, (DeWalt: planer, impact, driver set) (Milwaukee: Hole Haws, band saw, shear, screw guns), Paslode, Bostich nail guns & others, porta power, meters, Craftsman saw, ladders, ram set, high lift jacks & stands, power washer, shop lights, Bostich air compressors, straps, radial arm saw, new hot water heater, hyd rams, treated lumber, lg amount of hand & power tools, approx. 20 rolls of insulation & more! **Electrical Supplies:** Lg amount of new copper ground wire, boxes, fuse panels, breakers, wire, switches, & much more! **Sporting:** Canoe, portable-ice shack, ice fishing, reloading supplies, lantern, turkey cooker, camping, grills, fishing rods, spotting scope, Vexlar, Aqua view, lg amount of fishing, coolers, ramps, plastic pond & more! **Home:** washer, dryer, lg lawyers bookcase, table w/bench, bar stools, flat screen tv, couch & chair, beds, dressers, x-mas & much more! **Scrap:** Dodge van, wire & misc. **Terms:** Cash or good check, credit cards. Sales tax on some items. Not responsible for loss or accidents. Settlement made before removing items. **Conditions:** Sold as is, where is. Announcements made on auction day take precedence over printed material. **R.W.A. Col. Rene' Brass #424, Col. Robert St. Louis #450, 6728 Whitefish Lk. Rd., Three Lakes, WI 54562. PH: 715-367-1668.**



FCAL Winning Essays



President Pam Schroeder (far left) and Essay Contest Chairman Harry Resch (far right) award prizes to FCAL Essay Contest Winners at Crandon Elementary School.

(l-r) Carter Bissonette 1st Place, Elle Reeder 2nd, Haley Walentowski 3rd

"Forest County Lakes and Streams" Carter Bissonette - Crandon Middle School 6th Grader

Forest County has many amazing lakes and streams. Therefore, they provide excellent locations for fishing and swimming and many other water activities. Our lakes are wonderful, from the beautiful sunsets to the great fishing, swimming and boating. Even our wildlife benefits from our waterways.

But there are many downfalls of our Forest County lakes and streams. For example, in Lake Metonga there are the invasive species, like zebra mussels, the milfoil and rusty crayfish! So we have to treat the milfoil because it is taking over the lake: from there, the chemicals are harming the fish. The invasive species got into the lake from careless people who did not rinse their boats before they entered the lake. Also, people are being harmful to even our wildlife living on and in all Forest County lakes by throwing garbage and old fishing lines into the lakes. This hurts the wildlife. The fishing line gets into the gills of fish and they die; it also gets into the boat motors.

Our Forest County lakes are very good for businesses because they bring tourists from all over. If you love to see many birds or waterfowl our Forest County lakes have them all. How about fishing? Our lakes have so many species, from Walleye to Northern Pike to Bass and lots of panfish.

In conclusion, all the Forest County lakes are beautiful. From the beautiful lakes to the wildlife and sunsets, the lakes and rivers of Forest County are amazing. Lets' keep them that way.



FCAL Essay Contest Winners at Wabeno Elementary receive their cash awards from FCAL President Pam Schroeder (far right) and Committee Chairman Harry Resch (far left). The winners are from left to right: Owen Seeber 3rd, Hailey Krueger 2nd, and Benny Peters 1st Place.

"Lakes Essay"

By: Benny Peters, Wabeno School

Hello to whoever is reading this. Have you ever thought of our lakes and streams here in Forest County? Well, if you have you might have thought why do some of our freshwater lakes and streams look trashed and disgusting and others look so beautiful and clear? That's the same thing I always have in my head. This essay is about my thought about them.

I think that the ugly in the lakes and streams is pollution. The reason why I think this is because I have seen people throw their garbage and junk in the water. I feel so mad inside that they are polluting the water and they don't realize that they are doing it. I also think that they should throw their bait away or put it in a fish tank because it might ruin the ecosystem in that lake or stream.

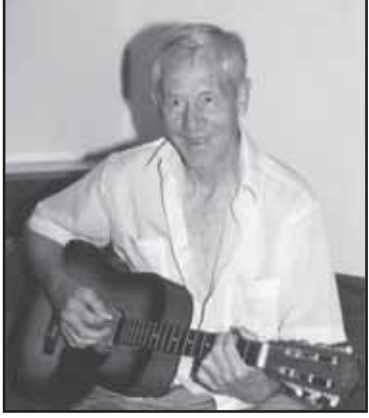
I think the bad in the lakes and streams is invasive species. Invasive species wreck the ecosystem in that environment. There are different invasive species in our lakes and streams here in Forest County and the names of them are: the banded mystery snail, freshwater jellyfish, rusty crayfish, Chinese mystery snail, narrow-leaf cattail, spiny waterflea, eurasian water-milfoil, purple loosestrife, curly-leaf pondweed, phragmites, rainbow smelt, yellow floating heart, yellow iris, and the zebra mussel.

I absolutely love the lakes and streams that are clear and clean. I always wondered why they are so clean and refreshing. I think that the lakes that I think are clean are very secluded.

In conclusion I think that the ugly in lakes is pollution, the bad is invasive species, and the good is clean and refreshing. So whoever is reading this, always think about this essay. Thank you for reading this essay.



Death Notices



Carl William (Bill) Packard, of Crandon, WI, left the bonds of earth and went to be with his maker on Sunday, June 12, 2016, departing from Nampa, Idaho where he had been snow-birding for the winter. He died of natural causes having lived for 83.98 years. Billy was born in Clintonville on June 22, 1932, many weeks

early weighing about 2 pounds, his mother dying during childbirth. His aunt, Myrtle Packard, asked to take Billy home. The doctor said, "You might as well take him. He is going to die anyway. There is nothing we can do for him." So Myrtle took him home and put him in a shoe box lined with hot water bottles. She watched him around the clock and fed him with an eyedropper. Under her loving care, miraculously, Billy survived.

Bill graduated from Crandon High School in the class of 1950.

He entered the Air Force in 1952 and served in the Korean Conflict, serving in Alaska. It was there that he found the Lord and got "saved."

In 1956, he returned to Crandon and met Flora Thornton, the preacher's daughter, and married her. They moved to Janesville, had a son, and he got a job with General Motors building Chevrolets.

After 30 years, he retired and moved back to Crandon where he spent the last 30 years.

He served in the VFW and American Legion Honor Guard for many years. He loved his country, his family, and his God.

- He enjoyed singing and playing the guitar.
- He loved hunting, fishing, and camping.
- He was a loving, devoted husband and father.
- He loved people.

Bill is survived by his wife, Flora; a son, Billy (Mary), of Nampa, Idaho; and his sister, Virginia Husnick (Don), of Antigo.

He was preceded in death by his infant son, Bobby.

Services were held at Praise Chapel Community Church in Crandon on Tuesday, June 21 at 2 p.m. Rev. Bill Farr officiated. Visitation was from 1 p.m. until the time of service at the church. Inurnment was at the Crandon Lakeside Cemetery. Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements and online condolences may be left for the family at weberhillfuneralhome.com.

He was loved by all. He often said, "I don't want people to be sad at my funeral, but to be happy and celebrate." So we celebrate the Good Life of Billy Packard.

Letters to the Editor

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

Crandon Youth Football Sign Up July 10

Crandon Cardinal Youth Football sign up will be Sunday, July 10 from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Crandon City Beach. All players must be 8 years old by August 1 and not over 12 years old on August 1.

It is important that, if interested, you sign up on this date. If this date doesn't work for you, please call. It is important to have early sign ups so equipment can be ordered and schedules can be made. There will also be reminders in the local papers.

No players will be allowed to sign up after July 10. Complete practice schedules will be available during sign ups. Cost per player will be \$25, due at sign up. Also, there will be a \$50 refundable deposit due at sign up for equipment.

Any parents or past coaches planning on helping with coaching this year, get in touch with Joe Kane at 715-889-1415 or Ray Keepers at 715-784-1063 prior to sign-ups. They are always in need of extra coaches or helpers. Parents are the key to a successful athlete and they appreciate your help during the football season.

If you have any questions, contact Joe Kane or Ray Keepers.

Ray Hoffman Cont. from pg. 1

Ray and Maymie raised two girls, Chris and Julie. Chris lives in Ladysmith and Julie in Eau Claire. His daughters have provided Ray with six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

I asked Ray if the world had changed since he was born, and he said; "You bet! And not necessarily for the better!"

What did Ray do in the hundred years he has lived in Mole Lake? He said that he farmed with his parents on the farm just west of his current home until he married, then built a small house where he now lives. The small house is still there.

According to Ray, there was logging in the winter and farming in the summer. He also did carpentry work, and built a number of cottages on Sand Lake, just east of his home. He hunted and fished, and they used to eat lots of wild rice. He remembers ricing with Chief Willard Ackley many years ago.

Ray also built the nice home he resides in today, along with the outbuildings. It is a pretty spot with plenty of windows to let in the outdoors.

He showed us two birthday greetings he recently received. One was from Governor Scott Walker and the other was from First Lady Michelle Obama.

What advice, I asked, do you have for us younger folks?

Ray answered with; "Work hard. I built all of my farm buildings from scratch and cleared the land for farming, as well as milked cows."

It must be good advice, his hundredth birthday seems to prove that it worked for him!

A birthday celebration is planned for Ray's 100th Birthday on Saturday July 9th, from 1 to 4:00 p.m. at the Nashville Town Hall. All are invited.



Ray and Maymie start their life together

Nicolet AARP



AARP Brat Fry workers. Harvy Hallam, Karen Prueter, Jim Bowman, Lois Griffin & Don Prueter.

The Nicolet AARP group dinner at the Anderson Supper Club in Lakewood was well attended by 27 members who enjoyed a fine meal, mostly choosing the excellent ribs dinner. Dick Culver, the Public Relations Chairman, received a rousing welcome when he arrived a little late after going to the wrong restaurant. The group likes to keep its outings lively and does support and sometimes kid its members.

Being a little late Dick Culver was fortunate to be seated with Jean Forest and Lois Trever. The ladies were looking forward to the upcoming Townsend Tent Revival which is a Townsend Centennial event. Jean Forest had fond memories of attending a tent revival held in Laona when she was a child and found it very inspirational.

The speaker for the Nicolet AARP meeting on June 28 will be Jim Biernes. Jim Biernes will talk to the AARP members about bees. Bees are important pollinators and their population decline is a concern. Members were reminded of the brat fry on Friday at the Lakewood Super Valu.

All persons 50 and over are invited to join the local AARP Chapter. AARP meetings are social, entertaining, and informative. Meetings are held at the Lakewood Presbyterian Church on the fourth Tuesday of the month starting at 7:00 PM. Contact Joyce West, Membership Chairman, at 715-276-9409.

Nicolet College Trustees Approve 2016-17 Budget

The Nicolet College Board of Trustees recently approved next year's budget for the college which holds the line on expenditures while providing additional skills training opportunities for students in the fall.

"The college continues to work hard to be fiscally responsible while at the same time expanding job training opportunities," said Nicolet College President Richard Nelson.

"This strategy keeps costs in check while giving more individuals the opportunity to build better lives for themselves. It also provides area employers with the skilled workforce they need to be efficient, productive, and profitable. These objectives, when combined, will help drive economic development in the region."

The \$36,589,653 budget for 2016-17 represents a 5.36 percent reduction from the previous year.

New academic offerings this fall will include a Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse (AODA) associate degree; a Drafting Design Technician technical diploma, evening Welding classes, and two new Auto technical diplomas.

Nicolet will be able to fund these new programs, in part, with a 1.5 percent increase in tuition, a 3 percent projected increase in enrollment, and reductions in operational costs in other parts of the college.

In addition, the budget passed at the board's June meeting calls for a projected 60-cent tax increase for every \$100,000 in property valuation in the district. This would bring the total tax levy to \$6,515,766 in the six-county district.

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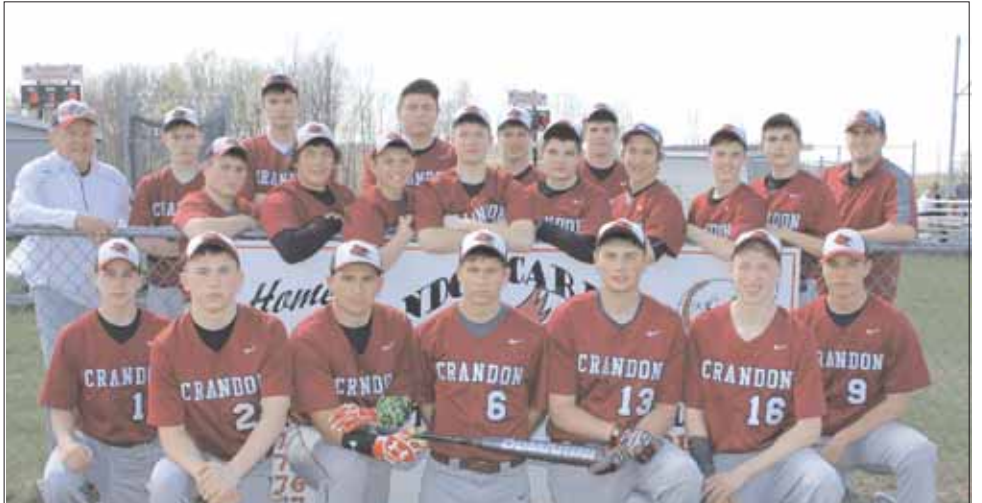
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The Lakewood Trout Rearing Station, which had been closed for several years, was revitalized in 2015 by the NOCTA, a group of fishing enthusiasts who wanted to see a return of trout to local waters. Through months of hard work and negotiating, a plan was formed between the DNR and the NOCTA to reopen the Lakewood site using all volunteer workers. Scott Vanlanen, NOCTA Director, reports that the 2016 season will see approximately 25,000 fish, 4,000 Brown Trout and 21,000 Brook Trout reared at the facility with distribution to local waters sometime this October. That is an increase of 10,000 fish reared in the 2015 season.

Vanlanen also announced that this year tours will be held every Saturday in July, 11 am - 2 pm, free of charge. Although donations toward fish feed would be very welcome.

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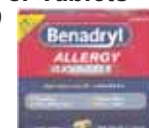
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 The Alzheimer's Association announces several education programs for those who have questions about Alzheimer's disease or related dementias. There is no charge to attend. These workshops are open to families and caregivers and presented by Alzheimer's Association staff and trained representatives. Registration is not required. These programs are made possible, in part, by funds raised through the Walk to End Alzheimer's®.

July offerings include:
Caregiver Stress - Take Care of Yourself
 Caregivers will gain a better understanding of dementia, the changes, and how these changes may affect the caregiving journey. Learn about stress, how to identify it and initiate an action plan to lessen caregiver stress.

- Tuesday, July 19, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. - Oneida Senior Center (Spruce Room), 100 Keenan Street, Rhinelander
- Thursday, July 21, 12:30 – 2:00 p.m. - Vilas County Commission on Aging Building, 521 E Wall Street, Eagle River

Healthy Living for Your Brain & Body: Tips from the Latest Research
 Participants learn about diet, exercise, cognitive activity, social engagement and how to create a plan for healthy aging.

- Tuesday, July 12, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. - Crandon Public Library (Lower Level Meeting Room), 110 W. Polk Street, Crandon

Know the 10 Signs: Early Detection Matters
 The warning signs of Alzheimer's disease are often dismissed as side effects of normal aging. This training shares the 10 warning signs of Alzheimer's disease, separating myth from reality and addressing commonly-held fears.

- Thursday, July 14, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. - Minocqua Public Library (Large Meeting Room), 415 Menominee Street, Ste B, Minocqua

The Basics: Memory Loss, Dementia and Alzheimer's Disease
 This program explores the difference between normal age-related memory changes and more serious memory problems that may require medical attention.

- Wednesday, July 6, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. - Tomahawk Senior Center, 113 S Tomahawk Avenue, Tomahawk

The Vintage Tea Party

Saturday, the lawn at the Forest County Museum was decorated with pastel colored tables, beautiful flowers and ladies in colorful dresses, hats and even a few with gloves reminiscent of the "old days". Three of the attendants looked like they had walked off the set of Downton Abbey. The ladies enjoyed finger sandwiches, desserts and a variety of beverages including tea. A special treat was beautiful background music provided by Roger Geldon who volunteered to play when he saw the tables being set up. The raffle prize of a basket of variety of tea and teapot was won by Janet Hayes.

All proceeds from this event will go toward a matching mini-grant from the Wisconsin Historical Society for archival supplies. This event would not have been possible without the leadership of Linnea Dorau with help from Sandy Plummer and Shirley Mueller who provided the beautiful flowers, set-up/take down by Warren Dorau, RT and Ronnie Krueger and Jim Hansen and especially all the ladies who attended the event.

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LARGE MULTI-FAMILY RUMMAGE SALE: ELCHO - W10770 Enterprise Lake Rd. July 1, 8 a.m. - 7 p.m. and July 2, 8 a.m. - 9.5 Evinrude boat motor, boat trailer, bathroom vanity, extensive guys/gals, adult and teen clothes (mall brands - Jordan, Gap, A&F, UA, Nike, Forever 21) S-XL. Household items, bedding, misc. Items, tools and small appliances. P13



Senior Chatter

Submitted by Kathy O'Melia

It's the Berries!

The results looked "berry" good for berries for 2004 when United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) researches released a list of the top 20 antioxidant-rich foods in a study of over 100 commonly consumed foods tested.

Wild blueberries, cultivated blueberries, cranberries, blackberries, raspberries and strawberries took six of the top 11 spots. Here's the complete top 20 list - from highest to lowest in antioxidant activity - based on serving size.

1. Small red beans (dry, cooked), 1/2 cup
2. Wild blueberries, 1 cup
3. Red kidney beans (dry, cooked) 1/2 cup
4. Pinto beans (dry, cooked), 1/2 cup
5. Blueberries (cultivated), 1 cup
6. Cranberries, 1 cup whole
7. Artichokes (cooked), 1 cup hearts
8. Blackberries, 1 cup
9. Prunes, 1/2 cup
10. Raspberries, 1 cup
11. Strawberries, 1 cup
12. Red delicious apples, 1
13. Granny Smith apples, 1
14. Pecans, 1 ounce
15. Sweet cherries, 1 cup
16. Black plums, 1
17. Russet potato (cooked), 1
18. Black beans (dry, cooked) 1/2 cup
19. Plums, 1
20. Gala apples, 1

"Just like rust on a car, oxidation can cause damage to cells and may contribute to aging," states the American Dietetic Association. Antioxidants may help increase our immune function and protect against cancer and heart disease. They function by neutralizing the damaging effects of "free radicals" that form during cell metabolism as oxygen is burned.

RUMMAGE SALE: ARMSTRONG CREEK - 8698 Wall Rd. Saturday, June 25, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Numerous kids' books, elementary learning materials, craft supplies, clean vending machine, stuffed animals, toys, decor, men's large clothes, women's wool blend, ski pants size 10+, lots of misc. B12

YARD SALE: ARMSTRONG CREEK - 451 Hwy. 8. July 1 and 2. New crafts, kids' stuff, ladies' jackets, men's shirts, blankets, chairs, clothes, books, Packer stuff, air conditioner, household items, etc. P12

LAKWOOD

RUMMAGE SALE: LAKWOOD - 17600 W. Wheeler Lake Lane. Friday-Sunday, June 30-July 2, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Fishing, Red Hatter items, pots and pans, lots of misc. B12

TOWNSEND

GARAGE SALE: TOWNSEND - 17250 Brookside Court. Friday & Saturday, July 1 & 2, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Household items, furniture, glassware, jewelry, seasonal items, some collectibles, adult clothing, shoes, purses, books, plants, gardening supplies, and more. B13

In identifying these foods, researchers cautioned their antioxidant activity in the laboratory may differ from their antioxidant activity in the body. Absorption capacity may vary, and cooking processes may affect antioxidant levels. For example, cooking increased the antioxidant content of tomatoes but decreased levels in carrots. While a food didn't make the top 20 for antioxidant activity, it may still be a source of other health benefits.

Foods offer advantages over supplements in supplying antioxidants. They may provide compounds that offer benefits of which we're presently unaware. Foods also may contain additional substances that work with antioxidants to make them effective.

The American Heart Association (AHA) states, "At this time, the scientific evidence supports a diet high in food sources of antioxidants and other heart-protecting nutrients, such as fruits, vegetables, whole grains and nuts instead of antioxidant supplements to reduce the risk of CVD (coronary vascular disease). AHA further advises, "Some studies even suggest that antioxidant supplement use could have harmful effects."

While we wait for more to be known about antioxidants, we already have a good reason to eat berries. They taste good!

Bus Schedule

Tuesday - July 5 - Carter, Wabeno and Laona to Rhinelander (Crandon standby) - **Bus Driver:** Dan Pedersen

Wednesday - July 6 - Armstrong Creek, Newald, Popple River and Cavour to Iron Mountain (Crandon and Laona standby) - **Bus Driver:** Bob Shepherd

Thursday - July 7 - Argonne, Hiles and Crandon to Rhinelander - **Bus Driver:** Dan Pedersen

For reservations please call the bus driver for that day.

Bob Shepherd: 715-478-2683
Dan Pedersen: 715-478-4254

TOPIC OF THE MONTH

"Staying Well"

MEAL SCHEDULE

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA

Monday - June 27 - Beef tips over egg noodles, herbed carrots, fruit, dinner roll, peanut pudding pie square

Monday - July 4 - No Meal - Independence Day

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK

Tuesday - June 28 - Baked ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, wheat bread, blueberry lemon bar - **MUSIC: Armstrong Creek**

Tuesday - July 5 - Brat with bun, potato salad, baked beans, watermelon, strawberry shortcake - **BINGO: Armstrong Creek**

CRANDON

Wednesday - June 29 - Cream of chicken and wild rice soup, salad bar with chicken, dinner roll, caramel oat bars - **BINGO**

Wednesday - July 6 - Cream of broccoli soup, salad bar with chicken, bread stick, chocolate chip cookie

LAONA, WABENO CONGREGATE

Thursday - June 30 - Chicken ala king, brown rice, tossed salad, biscuit, tres leches cake - **BIRTHDAY PARTY & BINGO - LAONA**

Thursday - July 7 - Beef lasagna, tossed salad, fruit, garlic bread, jello

ALVIN

Thursday - June 30 - Chicken, potato casserole, mixed vegetables, pears, dinner rolls, birthday cake

Thursday - July 7 - Lasagna, salad, peaches, garlic bread, bars

The local number for the ADRC: 478-2162 is no longer in service. The only number for the ADRC is the 800-699-6704.

The Forest County Elderly Benefits Specialist, Kathy O'Melia, has a new local telephone number. Kathy can be reached at 715-478-3067.

Please register with Commission on Aging - 800-699-6704.

Crandon site manager Pat Raml 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.

Wabeno interim site manager Chris Geski at 715-473-6312 (site). Meal served at 11:30 a.m. on Monday and Tuesday. Home delivered on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

Armstrong Creek interim site manager Sharon Giles at 715-674-3532 (home) or 715-336-2218 (site). Meal served at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday.

Lumberjack Steam Train Cont. from pg. 1



When was the last time you took a ride in an antique caboose?

The Lumberjack Steam Train leaves the depot on Laona's west side on U.S. Hwy 8, four times a day, on the hour, beginning at 11:00 a.m. with the last train leaving the depot at 2:00 a.m. The summer season ends on August 20, but the fall season begins on September 3 and will run on September 10, 17, 24, and October 1.

If you like old cowboy movies, you should mark your calendar for July 16 and October 1. The Cowboys will be at Camp 5, and you can bet that the Lumberjack Steam Train will be stopped and robbed by these bad guys, but never fear, there will be a marshal on board to protect everyone from the bad guys! These re-enactors ride pretty horses, sport vintage firearms and authentic clothing from all walks of life, including a preacher, who never has any luck reforming these roughneck train robbers.

Make plans for your ride on the historic Vulcan Lumberjack Steam Train this summer or fall. Old 4-Spot is in fine shape after its first century of service, and the oldest engine of its type operating in the world. All it takes is plenty of ongoing restoration, new paint and polishing to keep the Vulcan in tip-top shape and on the job. There may even be birthday cake to celebrate the 100th Birthday of the Lumberjack Steam Train.



The Camp 5 Logging Museum is a great place to experience the old days in the logging business, and you can watch a blacksmith practice his trade as well.

Bernie Miller's Hole-in-one at High Noon



by Thomas J. Rice

As the Laona alarm sounded its noon notice on Monday, June 13, 2016, Bernie Miller of Wabeno addressed his golf ball on the Nicolet Country Club, par-3 hole #12. His golf partners (and witnesses to history), Tom Rice and Dennis Sadowski, joked that Bernie should hit his ball between the two of theirs, which had previously reached the green on either side of the flag. Bernie teed off and his ball sailed over the swamp, hit on the green and bounced directly into the bottom of the hole!

He achieved this hole-in-one within a week after his 91st birthday. He previously has four other aces at the Nicolet Country Club. Bernie later celebrated with bar drinks and snacks for his companions and the NCC staff. He also earned a year's supply of Klement's bratwursts and a souvenir yellow flag commemorating his ace.

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COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

- **Silver Lake Preservation Association** meeting will be Saturday, July 2 at 9 a.m. in the Laona Senior Citizens Room at the Fire House Building. Highlights include a DNR speaker on Healthy Lakes Support.
- **Post Lake Improvement Fun Fest** will be Saturday, July 2 at 4 p.m. The boat parade will take place at upper Post on July 2 at noon and the fireworks will take place on Sunday, July 3 at dark on lower Post.
- **The Senior Snoop Shop** meets every 2nd Thursday of the month from May through September in the Associated Ban at 9:00 a.m. All consignees and interested parties (50 years of age or older, living or owning property in Forest County or adjacent counties) are welcome.
- **Cathedral Church of the Northwoods Arbutus Lutheran Church**, ELCA, W6607 Church Ln., Pearson, invites anyone and all to worship with them Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. Sunday School is at 11 a.m. Communion is open to all on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month. For more information, call 715-484-5055 or 715-623-6850.
- **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.
- **Good Shepard Lutheran Church** - Hwy 55N, Crandon. Sunday service 9:30 a.m. with Communion on 1st & 3rd Sunday. No Saturday services.
- **Trinity Evangelical Church (Wels)** - 1741 Forest Avenue, Wabeno. Sunday morning service at 9:30 a.m.; Youth Bible Study at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesdays with service held at 5:30 p.m.
- **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.
- **Elcho Area Community Food Pantry** moved into a new location at 11224 Antigo St, Elcho, WI 54428. It will be open each week: Mon. 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.; Wed. 4 - 6 p.m. and Thur. 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. If any further information is needed please contact David A. Schindler at (715) 610-5886.
- **Forest County Humane Society** - Open to public Monday - Friday, 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.
- **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. May meeting will be held at LaFetta. June through September meetings will be held at the Lions Clubhouse in the courthouse 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.
- **Christian Motorcyclist Association** - Spirit Ryders Chapter of Langlade & Forest Co. invites you to attend our meetings on the last Saturday of each month. Call George 715-350-1679.
- **Town of Lincoln Board Meetings** - 2nd Monday of each month, 6 p.m., Town of Lincoln Hall.
- **Town of Nashville Town Board Meeting** - Wednesday, June 15 at 7 p.m. North Town Hall.
- **Nashville Craft & Flea Market** - Will begin May 4 and be held every Wednesday at 10 a.m. - 4 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 a.m. with meeting following at 7:45 a.m. For more info call 715-473-2613.
- **Crandon PTO** - 1st Monday of month, 6-7 p.m., Crandon Elementary School Cafeteria.
- **Support Group for Parent of Children with Disabilities** - Call Chris at 715-784-0058.
- **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 info call Sue at 715-275-5399.
- **Crandon VFW Post** - Meets the second Tuesday of the month. 1:30 p.m. at the VFW building, 104 N Forest.
- **Crandon Public Library Board Monthly** meeting. 6:00 p.m. Lower Level. 715.478.3784. www.crandonpl.org.
- **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.
- **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
- **AA Meetings** - Back Door Group - Open meetings Monday & Thurs. nights at 7 p.m., Lakewood Lakes Country Library. Call Mary at 715-276-2318 or Bill at 715-882-3512.
- **AA Meeting** - Saturdays, 9 a.m., Wabeno Fire Station, side entrance.
- **AA Meeting** - Antigo Hospital, Saturdays at 7:00 p.m.
- **AA Meeting** - White Lake, Sunday Morning, 10:00 AM at the White Lake Fire House. Mike at 715-882-8901 or Bill at 715-882-3512.
- **AA Meeting** - Every Tuesday at 7 p.m. at Carter Springs. Contact Peggy at 715-889-3116 for more information.

Bids & Notices

ANNUAL MEETING Pine Lake Protection and Rehabilitation District

WHEN: July 2, 2016
TIME: 9:00 A.M.
WHERE: Hiles Town Hall, Hiles, Wisconsin
Meet your neighbor 8:30 coffee and doughnuts

- AGENDA**
- ** 9:00 A.M. Call to Order
 - ** Roll Call
 - ** Approval of minutes from last Annual Meeting
 - ** **Accept—**
 - ** **Second--**
 - ** **Treasurer's report**
 - ** **Accept—**
 - ** **Second—**
 - ** **Old Business**
 - ** **Sediment Removal**
 - ** **Weed cutting**
 - ** **Fish Bass**
 - ** **Clean Boats Clean Water**
 - ** **Any Other business to come before the Commission**
 - ** **Election of One board members**
 - ** **Nominees**
 - ** **Ballot Clerks**
 - ** **Vote**
 - ** **Budget hearing**
 - ** **Accept**
 - ** **Second**
 - ** **Adjourn**
 - ** **Quarterly Meeting**
 - ** **Approval of Minutes of last Quarterly meeting**
 - ** **Accept**
 - ** **Second**
 - ** **Election of Officers**
 - ** **Any other business to come before commission**
 - ** **Adjourn**

NOTICE-TOWN OF LAONA

The Town of Laona is looking for an individual to serve on the Library Board. The new member will begin serving in August 2016. Anyone interested in being on the Library Board should submit a letter of interest to:
Town of Laona
PO Box 36
Laona, WI 54541
Letters will be accepted until July 5, 2016.
Erin Lane, Clerk/Treasurer

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 • 715-478-3784.
Laona Edith Evans Community Library - June 6th - Sept 2nd hours: Monday: noon to 6 p.m., Tuesday thru Thursday: 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Friday: 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Closed Saturday & Sunday • 715-674-4751

Museum Hours

Forest County Museum- Located at 105 W. Jackson in Crandon. Open Monday - Friday, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m., beginning June 13.
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 a.m. - 4 p.m.; Friday & Saturday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; and Sunday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Our Core Purpose: Personalized Proficiency for All
 Our Mission: As a culturally diverse community, the School District of Wabeno Area will work in harmony with respect for one another, providing a safe and superior learning environment, enabling individuals to reach their fullest potential and become caring, contributing life-long learners in our ever-changing local and global society.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING WEDNESDAY, JULY 6, 2016 Elementary Library - Wabeno Elementary School 6:30PM AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll call
- III. Pledge of Allegiance
- IV. Agenda Approval
- V. Public Comment (5 Minute Maximum per Person)
 This is a listening session for the community to address the Board. The maximum time limit for this section is 30 minutes. The purpose of this segment of the meeting is for the Board to listen to the views of our community. Please understand that although the Board may not necessarily comment or ask questions, this does not mean your concerns have not been recognized or understood.
- VI. Approval of Minutes of the Special Board Meeting on June 8, 2016 and the Regular School Board Meeting on June 1, 2016.
- VII. Approval of Vouchers and Payroll
- VIII. Informational Items
 - a. Jennifer Vogler, District Administrator, will present updates and information.
 - b. Bill Taylor, Jr./Sr. High School Principal, will present updates and information.
 - c. Allison Space, Elementary Principal, will present updates and information.
 - d. Board member reports.
- IX. Action Items
 - a. Discuss and take possible action on blacktop quote.
 - b. Discuss and take possible action on sealing blacktop quote.
 - c. Discuss and take possible action on the resignation of a teaching staff member.
 - d. Discuss and take action on hiring a teacher.
 - e. Discuss and take possible action on the resignation of the director of special education.
 - f. Discuss and take possible action on the hiring of a director of special education.
 - g. Discuss and take possible action on the resignation of the Junior/Senior High school Title VII Aide.
 - h. Discuss and take possible action on hiring a Varsity Football Coach for the 2016-2017 school year.
 - i. Discuss and take possible action on approval of a contract with the United Area Rescue Squad for the 2016-2017 school year.
 - j. Discuss and take possible action on Elementary Student Handbooks for the 2016-2017 school year.
 - k. Discuss and take possible action on Junior/Senior High Student Handbooks for the 2016-2017 school year.
 - l. Discuss and take possible action on Mentor Handbook for the 2016-2017 school year.
 - m. Discuss and take possible action on Staff Handbooks for the 2016-2017 school year.
 - n. Discuss and take possible action on the Co-Curricular Code of Conduct for the 2016-2017 school year.
 - o. Discuss and take possible action on updating the WIAA Senior High Membership Application for the 2016-2017 school year.
 - p. Discuss and report on Seclusion and Restraint for the 2015-2016 school year.
 - q. Discuss and take possible action on 2016-2017 District Goals.
- X. Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes 19.85 (1) (c) the Board will enter into closed session to discuss employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility:
 - a. Employee performance matter.
 - b. Employee contract.
- XI. Return to open session to take possible action on items discussed in closed session.
- XII. Adjourn

NOTE: THE AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS ALLOWED BY LAW.

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The following poem was brought in by Tim Connor, who found it somewhere. To the reader that doesn't know what "250" is, I will explain.

The Soo Line was the east to west railroad in Forest County starting in about 1887. In places where logging was active, the railroad would put in a siding which are extra tracks where rail cars could be left and filled with logs or pulpwood. The number designates the mileage from Minneapolis-St. Paul Minnesota to that siding. This landing was later used by Consolidated Papers for years to load out pulpwood and buy truck delivered pulpwood for shipment to their paper mills in Wisconsin Rapids, Byron, and Stevens Point.

Like the Hess camp, this activity also came to an end.

By the way, we also don't understand some of the slang in the poem, and it either has gone out of style or it just rhymed!

The Camp in the Woods at 250

Written by the cook, James Nemetz-About 1920

There's a shack in the woods at 250,
Nine miles from Cavour on the Soo.
Where twelve men answer the rollcall,
Leo Hess and his log-eating crew.

They are the pick of the State of Wisconsin,
Sod-busters nearly all.
It's a fright when the cook calls breakfast,
The way they hit the ball.

There's Leo Hess, the bunter,
Who tells them how and when.
He sticks to his nest in the morning,
Like a faithful old setting hen.

There is Raymond Bouck, they say he can load,
He stands on the sleigh like a big black toad.
"Go ahead" and "come back" is all he knows.
With a smile on his map like a last summer's rose.

Here is a chap from Algoma,
He's good with the tropical breeze.
He claims that down home in Algoma,
The foxes roost up in the trees.

Here comes One-Horse Bill, a brother of his,
Who dreams of wealth and fame.
He doesn't say much, but he thinks a lot,
And he gets there just the same.

Next come Novak and Taylor,
Each one a whaler, and Cardinal is a bull moose,
It's really no fun, for you can't see the sun,
For chips when these boys turn loose.

Here comes Ed with the bob-tailed goats,
They eat their weight in hay and oats.
You can yell and lick them till they do their best,
And they can't pull a chicadee off his nest.

Here is Walter with the bald-faced bay,
With Old King along side, he makes her pay,
He zig-zags along like Gruman's Ford,
And hits the landing with a half a cord.

Next comes Hugo with Ed Hess's heavers,
They can eat up sawlogs like couple of beavers.
They would easily be the winning team,
If they wouldn't run out of gasoline.

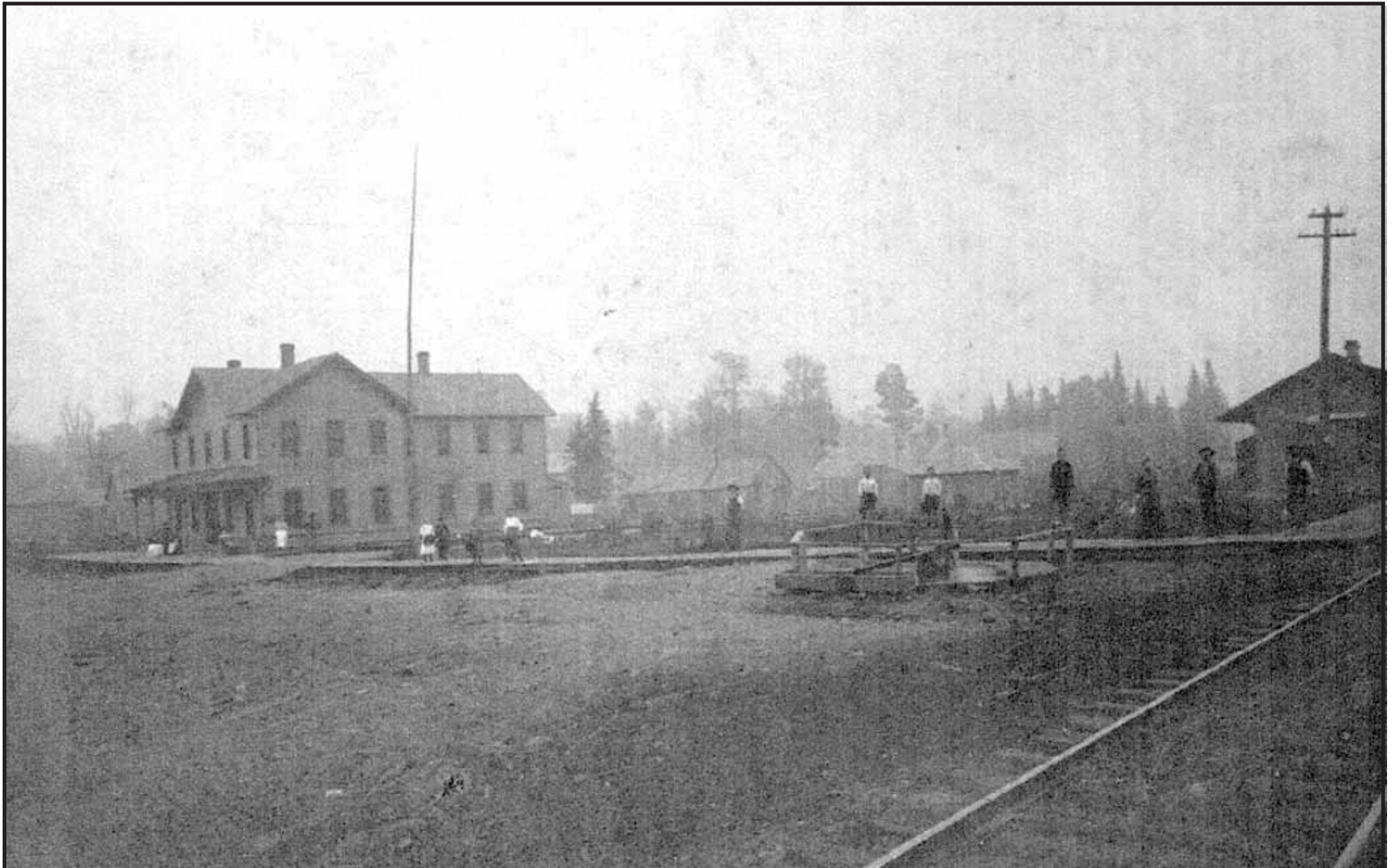
Here comes the cook with his hash and his stew,
He's been staged out of every camp on the Soo.
He bakes cement biscuits and sour bread,
Pancakes like sweatpads and doughnuts like lead.

We wish him no harm, but we sure do hope,
To see him dangling on the end of a rope,
Till his neck stretches long and his eyes pop out,
And his mouth opens wide like a rainbow trout.

We will send a message to old Nick below,
And ask him to give this greaser a show.
But we'll never tell him that he used to cook,
For Haywire Hess, on Gunny Sack Brook.

There is Luthey from Crandon, the man with the cash,
He puts pep in the crew and fear in the push.
They say in Crandon that before next spring,
That all of his cash will take to wing.
And when the robin northward flies,
He'll look down with tear-stained eyes.
Joint ahead and center back,
Luthey's working on the track.

For Old Time's Sake



We apologize for the condition of this old photo, but when you are this old, you won't look so good either! The VanZile Hotel is on the left, the Soo Line Depot is on the right. If you are thinking that they called this town Argonne, you would be wrong. It was taken in VanZile. Of course, the name was later changed to North Crandon, and in 1921, it was changed to Argonne, but it was not Argonne when the picture was snapped!

The VanZile Hotel sat where the old bank is now, and there are numerous businesses on the street that runs parallel to the railroad tracks where the ball diamond and town park is today. The Hill family owned the hotel in later years, but it burned down one day when Mrs. Hill was making pies in the wood-fired kitchen stove. This is according to the late Russell Samz.

The year was probably some time not too long after 1887, as the Soo Line came through in that year, and started calling VanZile North Crandon.



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groomed grass campsites. Wisconsin's own Zac Matthews Band plays Saturday night in a concert that is free to fans camping on-site.

"2016 will be the best race season in our history, and it all starts with the upcoming Forest County Brush Run weekend," said Crandon President Cliff Flannery. "Our schedule is packed from Friday afternoon through Sunday, and we know our fans will have a great time."

This weekend's event is the first of two major TORC Series stops at Crandon International Raceway this year: the stars of the series return to the legendary venue in the heart of Wisconsin's scenic Northwoods for the season-ender in September.

Crandon International open its gates to the public all three days beginning at 8:00am. Weekend admission is \$45 for adults, and free for children 12 and under and seniors 75 and older. One-day admission is \$25 for adults and free for children under 12 and seniors 75 or older. Saturday night-only admission to enjoy the Zac Matthews Band concert is \$10.

Off-road racing began in Crandon, Wisconsin, in 1970 with the inaugural Brush Run 101 race through the forest surrounding the small town. The event grew so large that in the 1980s track officials added a spring race -- renamed the Brush Run -- to augment the hugely popular fall World Championship Off-Road Races that attract up to 45,000 fans each Labor Day holiday weekend.



2016 FOREST COUNTY POTAWATOMI BRUSH RUN SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, JUNE 24th
9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
1:00 PM
3:00PM
4:00 PM

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8:00 AM
9:00 AM to 10:00 AM
10:30 AM
11:10 AM
11:50 AM
12:30 PM
1:10 PM
1:50 PM
2:30 PM
3:10 PM
3:50 PM
4:30 PM
5:10 PM
8:00 PM

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23rd Annual Forest County Potawatomi Community Cup Challenge

Around the Area

Brett and Frisk in Concert on the Riverwalk Wednesday

One of the most popular musical acts in the Northwoods, Brett and Frisk, will perform at Concerts on the Riverwalk on Wednesday, June 29, 7 p.m., at the bandshell near Trig's in downtown Rhinelander.

The duo has been delighting audiences for the past 24 years with a high-energy mix of original and favorite folk song tunes. As always, concerts are free and a few benches are available for seating.

Music lovers are encouraged to bring lawn chairs or blankets and a few dollars for the collection bucket. Free popcorn will be served. This week's show is being sponsored by the Eye Clinic of Wisconsin.

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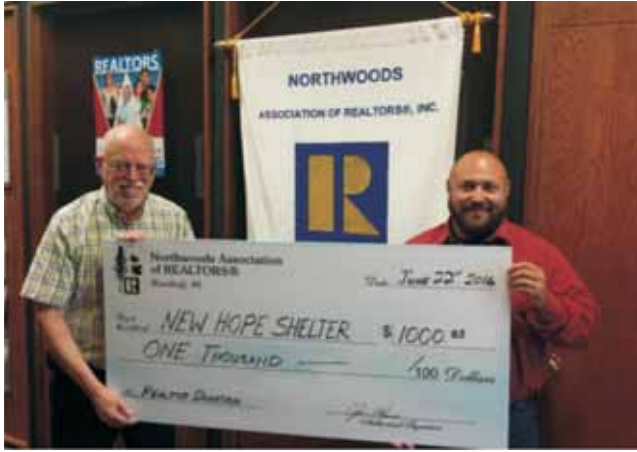
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