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Marijuana growers busted



In the early morning hours of Sat October 8th 2016, The Forest County Sheriff's Office Drug Task Force along with the assistance of several Deputies executed a Search Warrant on a very large outdoor Marijuana grow operation in the Town of Armstrong Creek, Forest County. Several plants were seized with a total weight of over 600 pounds.

Three individuals, Dennis J. Pratt age 51 of Waukesha, Steven P. Wasechek age 32 of Milwaukee and Kevin M. Hying age 35 of Big Bend, were taken into custody while harvesting the plants. Inside the residence was found Marijuana, Drug Paraphernalia and Cocaine. All three are being held at the Forest County Jail on charges of Manufacturing THC, Possession with Intent to Deliver and Possession of Paraphernalia and Possession of Cocaine. Sheriff Dennee states that this investigation was started after a concerned citizen contacted the Forest County Sheriff's Office Drug Task Force and reported finding a suspected marijuana grow near property they own. Sheriff Dennee stated that the execution and the arrests went as smooth as they did because of a very thorough investigation and the assistance of the Drug Task Force, other Sheriff's Deputies as well as his Dispatchers and Corrections staff. This investigation is just a small part of the Sheriff's Office's proactive approach to working with and for communities in Forest County.

Candidate Spotlight

Anyone seeking political office is invited and encouraged to announce their candidacy in the Candidate Spotlight. It is an opportunity to tell the voters why you are running, goals if elected, etc. It is not a forum for bashing an opponent, and there is no charge.



Tom Tiffany
Incumbent Candidate for 12 District State Senate

Hello, my name is Tom Tiffany. Many of you might know me as Captain Tom from my days operating Wilderness Cruises. For the last four years I have been your state senator.

Four years ago, I promised voters that if they elected me, I would work to balance the budget, reduce red tape, and hold the line on property taxes. Unlike most politicians, I delivered on those commitments and produced real results.

I helped erase a \$3.6 billion deficit left behind by Madison career politicians without raising taxes. Wisconsin's unemployment rate is at 4.2 percent and our state now has a record number of people working. Workers that want full-time employment are now having an easier time finding it. Property taxes in Wisconsin are also lower for an average homeowner than they were before I took office.

Yet, we cannot lose focus on getting people back to work.

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Wisconsin County Forests Assoc. celebrates National Forest Products Week

Rhineland, WI – In recognition of National Forest Products Week (October 16 – 22), Wisconsin County Forests Association (WCFA) is celebrating the sustainable benefits of wood materials and their important role in the U.S. economy. The wood products and forestry industry supports more than 575,000 direct jobs and contributes nearly \$1 billion in state and local taxes annually. And with the global marketplace for green building materials expected to reach \$529 billion by 2020, support is growing for the use of wood in construction.

"National Forest Products Week is a time for us to celebrate and discuss the economic role of wood products in our country, as well as the function of sustainable forestry in maintaining our quality of life. WCFA welcomes the recognition National Forest Products Week gives the vast array of wood products essential to our daily lives," said Jane Severt, WCFA Executive Director.

Collectively, the 29 county forests in Wisconsin represent the largest public landholding in the state covering 2.4 million acres. These lands contribute significantly to Wisconsin's \$24 billion per year forest industry employing over 60,000 full-time workers.

The focus of the Wisconsin County Forests is to insure the long-term health and sustainability of forest ecosystems while providing benefits to the public. Primary objectives of these forests include resource and timber management, recreational opportunities, wildlife habitat improvement and watershed protection. The Wisconsin's County Forest system provides more than 6,000 miles of snowmobile, ATV, skiing/hiking trails and forest roads along with a wealth of outdoor recreation opportunities for visitors.

"As a testament to the importance of innovative wood products, the halls of Washington, D.C., have been echoing with support for wood as a building material with the introduction in both the House and Senate of the Timber Innovation Act. This encouragement, coupled with the growing green construction trend, illustrates the importance and recognition of the inherent benefits of wood in building construction," said American Wood Council (AWC) President and CEO Robert Glowinski. "Made from renewable resources and easily recycled, the products our members make are a true environmental success story."

Oconto County featured on Discover Wisconsin, With some local stars!

Residents from across Wisconsin and beyond will soon discover Oconto County! The episode "Oconto County – a place for you" follows hosts Mariah Haberman and Eric Paulsen from Discover Wisconsin around the county for endless opportunities of adventure!

The episode will show off Oconto County's hundreds of miles in snowmobile and ATV/UTV trails, the Bay of Green Bay, artist Joan White, Sweet Memories Candy Shoppe, the Nicolet National Forest and the history of Oconto County!

Several festivals – such as Copperfest, Oconto Fly-In and the Lakes Country Arts and Crafts show are also featured.

The episode concludes with scenes from a guided fishing excursion with Don Loch on the Bay of Green Bay for some world class walleye fishing.

The episode will air in Northeast Wisconsin on October 15th at 10:00am on FSN Wisconsin or WFRV Channel 5 October 15th at 6:30pm. Discover Wisconsin TV airs in eight states across the Midwest. Check out their broadcast guide online at www.discoverwisconsin.com to find out when you can catch the show in your neck of the woods.

The 20-minute episode will also be available online at: www.discoverwisconsin.com or www.ocontocounty.org

Johnson announces staff mobile office hours

WASHINGTON — Sen. Ron Johnson (R-Wis.) announced Tuesday that his staff will be available for the mobile office hours listed below. Mobile office hours allow constituents to meet with the senator's staff to request assistance with a federal agency or regarding other federal matters.

Note: Staff-led mobile office hours are closed to press. Recording devices of any kind are not allowed. These restrictions are put in place for the privacy of constituents we are here to assist.

Wednesday, Oct. 19, 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Crandon Public Library
110 W. Polk St., Crandon



Grouse hunting in late October. Don't worry about the grouse. Birds are pretty safe when this guy's shooting!

Fall Harvest Craft Show Goodman/Armstrong Creek Gym on October 22

The Goodman-Armstrong Creek Varsity Club will again be hosting their annual Fall Harvest Craft Show Saturday, October 22nd at the G-AC High School Gym from 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

This 12th annual event will be free of charge and offer over 30 crafters. It will feature a Polish food concession, and there will also be a bake sale. The Varsity Club has funded great things such as scholarships; team jerseys, warm-ups, and equipment, athletic camps, school maintenance, and our press box. Please come out and support this worthy cause.

Interested vendors can call Colette at 715-336-2211.

A cowboy named Ted

The following is an old story modernized a bit. If you are as tired of this election as most of us are, at least, you can have a good laugh!

A cowboy named Ted was overseeing his herd in a remote pasture in Montana when suddenly a brand-new 2016 BMW advanced toward him out of a cloud of dust.

The driver, a young man in a Brioni® suit, Gucci® shoes, RayBan® sunglasses and YSL® tie, leaned out the window and asked Ted the cowboy:

"If I tell you exactly how many cows and calves you have in your herd, will you give me a calf?"

Ted the cowboy looks at the man, who obviously is a yuppie, then looks at his peacefully grazing herd and calmly answers, "Sure, why not?"

The yuppie parks his car, whips out his Dell® notebook computer, connects it to his Apple iPhone, and surfs to a NASA page on the Internet, where he calls up a GPS satellite to get an exact fix on his location which he then feeds to another NASA satellite that scans the area in an ultra-high-resolution photo.

The young man then opens the digital photo in Adobe Photoshop® and exports it to an image processing facility in Hamburg, Germany.

Within seconds, he receives an email on his Apple iPad® that the image has been processed and the data stored. He then accesses an MS-SQL® database through an ODBC connected Excel® spreadsheet with email on his Galaxy S5® and, after a few minutes, receives a response.

Finally, he prints out a full-color, 150-page report on his hi-tech, miniaturized HP LaserJet® printer, turns to Ted the cowboy and says, "You have exactly 1,586 cows and calves."

"That's right. Well, I guess you can take one of my calves," says Ted the cowboy.

He watches the young man select one of the animals and looks on with amusement as the young man stuffs it into the trunk of his car.

Then Ted the cowboy says to the young man, "Hey, if I can tell you exactly what your business is, will you give me back my calf?"

The young man thinks about it for a second and then says, "Okay, why not?"

"You're a Congressman for the U.S. Government", says Ted the cowboy.

"Wow! That's correct," says the yuppie, "but how did you guess that?"

"No guessing required." answered Ted the cowboy. "You showed up here even though nobody called you; you want to get paid for an answer I already knew, to a question I never asked. You used millions of dollars worth of equipment trying to show me how much smarter than me you are; and you don't know crap about how working people make a living - or about cows, for that matter."

"This is a herd of sheep."

"Now give me back my dog."

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Around the Area

MCPL Wausau to host climate change art exhibit beginning Oct. 16

WAUSAU – Visit the Marathon County Public Library this fall to view over 20 stunning artistic images focusing on the matter of climate change! The Marathon County Public Library present the "We Are the Storm" art portfolio October 16 through November 12 at the MCPL Wausau Headquarters, 300 N. First St., Wausau.

The 22-piece art portfolio is the result of a partnership between the Justseeds Artist Cooperative and CultureStrike, an environmental justice organization, and aims to bring attention to the impacts of climate change on vulnerable communities around the globe. These 22 striking images will be on display during regular business hours at MCPL Wausau at no charge.

Please note that the views expressed in this exhibit are those of the artists and organizations with whom they worked and do not necessarily reflect the views and opinions of Marathon County Public Library.

This event is free and open to the public with no registration required. For more information, call 715-261-7230 or visit https://mcpl.us/events/?event_id=3017.



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Crandon Library News

Green Bay Packers on Display

For the month of October, the David Brezovar Memorial Display case offers a collection of Green Bay Packer items collected by Denny Abney of Crandon. The display includes many Packer-related gems including a 1962 yearbook with Vince Lombardi, a card with quarterback Aaron Rodgers, lots of older football cards, and a Bart Starr autographed football. Come see the collection of green and gold here at the library this month.

October Craft Program

We are upcycling crusty, old library books to decorate as an eerie but simple 'Spell Book' for the fall Halloween season. We will be attaching creepy trinkets to the face of the book, molding the musty embellishments with tissue, staining, and antiquing. This concoction of procedures will yield a decrepit volume bursting with suspicion you can display on All Hallows' Eve. The craft program is scheduled for Thursday, October 20th at 12:30 p.m. This free program is open to all ages.

New Books

Some of the recent titles added to our collection include the following: *Think Better, Live Better: A Victorious Life Begins in Your Mind* by Joel Osteen, *Two by Two* by Nicholas Sparks, *Missing* by James Patterson, *Winter Storms* by Elin Hilderbrand, *The Trespasser* by Tana French, *Twelve Days of Christmas* by Debbie Macomber, *An Irish Country Love Story* by Patrick Taylor, *Broken Trust* by W.E.B Griffin, *Reckless Creed* by Alex Kava, *Darkest Journey* by Heather Graham and *Christmas Caramel Murder* by Joanna Fluke.

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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Deadline for Forest County Visitors Guide

The Forest County Chamber of Commerce would like to remind all area businesses to get their ads in for the Official 2017 Forest County Visitors Guide! A hard deadline of November 30 is set in order to make sure the guides are at the first sport show of the season in mid-January. That show, alone, has several thousand attendees. The guide will also be distributed at two additional shows, one later in January and one in March.

Advertising reservations forms were mailed out or delivered over the last several weeks to all businesses throughout the County. The form explains how to place an ad in the upcoming issue of the guide. Ad prices remain low thanks to the Forest County Tourism Commission, and assistance in producing ads is available free of charge.

Area groups and organizations also need to set their event dates for 2017 and submit them to the Chamber no later than November 30 to be included in the guide. If you didn't get a media kit, contact the Chamber office at (715)478-3450, or email info@visitforestcounty.com to have a copy of the media sheet sent to you.

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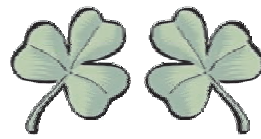
Wabeno History!

Come be part of History in Wabeno as Trinity Lutheran Church celebrates the 100th anniversary of their current church building. First dedicated for worship on October 16th, 1916 and now being rededicated in a festival worship service on Sunday, October 16, 2016 at 9:30 a.m. Trinity's church building is one of the oldest buildings still in regular use in Wabeno.

All are invited to worship with us, the members of Trinity, as we remember and thank the Lord for all of his blessings and all of his work that has taken place in this building over the years. Also, all are invited to a meal served by Trinity's Ladies' Aide after the service.

Service: Sunday, October 16, 2016 at 9:30 a.m.
Meal and Fellowship: After the service at 11a.m.

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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.

Dear Editor:

Seems like some people were upset as to the article I wrote.

I was called a liar and uninformed! However, I stand by my article.

There are two things I don't do! I don't lie and I don't steal!

If you are so concerned about the things I say, maybe you should attend the Humane Society meetings. Get your own information first hand. Check the minutes and the financial report. See what your donations are used for.

Yes, I was aware of the cats from the fire seeing the vet. Bad break!

As for saving the injured dog, this I'm sure was a board call. I'm fine with that, and yes, I know the board members are not paid.

But, please don't tell me we can't take in cats because we don't have the money.

I stand by this statement, as it is what I was told when I asked, "Are we taking in cats?"

Also, my letter was not intended to be rude or disrespectful to anyone. As for being untrue, well, that's your opinion, and we all have one. People who really know me, know that's not my way.

It's great people go to the shelter just to hold the kittens. They need that, but, where were you guys when we had cats waiting in live traps for three days, full of cat waste. Is there room for a litter box? We also had no kennels to transfer them to.

Kennels should not be permanent, but they are the safety net between the workers and the animals. I'm not in favor of permanent kenneling by no means!

I worked at the shelter for about 15 years, until about four years ago, when the shelter again changed hands.

Kennels are recommended by most vets for a time, until they are compatible. Have you ever experienced a cat fight up close in a small room with other animals? It's not pretty or safe.

As far as putting an animal down, that's a personal call. Not fun. They are a family member, but you must choose what is best for them, not you. It is a hard call to make.

On a lighter side, four kittens were brought in on Saturday, and they couldn't eat by themselves. I took my six year-old granddaughter with me and showed her and the kittens how to eat from a dish. Another lesson learned by all. Yes, I'm on call again at the shelter-not a permanent job.

Now you have a nice day,
 Glenda Conn

P.S. Did we meet our Cold Hands Project? Yes, a year ago. It took us, me and my granddaughter Whitney, five years, but we made and gave away 1,000 pairs of mittens to needy kids.



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Death Notices

Shirley Calhoun Johnson, 82, of Laona passed away Tuesday, October 11, 2016 at her home. Memorial services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Monday, October 17, 2016 at St. John Lutheran Church in Laona. Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. to time of services. Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family with the arrangements. Online condolences for the family may be directed to www.weberhillfuneralhome.com.

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 Light snack at the school (Cafeteria)
 Student presentations (Cafeteria/Auditorium)
 6:00 PM Mike McGowan - "Together We Stand"
 Mike McGowan is a nationally known trainer, consultant and motivational speaker.
 He will present on the importance of coming together as a community to stand against drug abuse.

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

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Museum Hours

Forest County Museum- Located at 105 W. Jackson in Crandon. Closed for the season.

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.

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Sirloin & All You Can Eat Shrimp For \$15.95 or enjoy a cut of our Prime Rib! We have the BEST Salad Bar in the area, 10 draft beers, wine specials and so much more!

Sunday Breakfast Buffet

You get a FULL HOT & COLD BUFFET with all the standards including fresh fruits, pancakes, waffles, sausage gravy and much more! ONLY \$9.95! Seniors \$6.95 (9 a.m. - noon)

Wednesday Pizza & Salad Bar Buffet
 only \$8.95. Available 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Thursday Night Wing Night - 35¢ Wings!

Check out our Daily Specials at hotelcrandon.com or on Facebook at Hotel Crandon Restaurant & Bar



Dining & Entertainment

SILVER LAKE INN AND SUPPER CLUB
 5527 E Silver Lake Road, Laona WI 54541
Great Daily Specials!
 Open Thursday - Saturday 3 p.m. to close
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 Banquet Hall Available • Private Parties Welcome
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Wisconsin vs. Ohio State GAME SPECIALS!
Saturday, Oct. 14

- Get an appetizer basket for only \$5 with any pizza!
- Get a 12" Italian fries for only \$5 or a 9" Italian fries for only \$4 with the purchase of any 16" pizza

GO BADGERS! 

Tuesday, Oct. 18 - Free samples of dumplings - 3 kinds!

Weekly Menu Specials
 Tuesday: Dumpling Day
 Wednesday: Cashew Chicken
 Thursday: Noodle Day
 Friday: Fried Rice
 Saturday: Something different

Sushi Days are Wednesday-Saturday

BEACH'S STEAKS & SPIRITS
Halloween Bash
 October 21st 6 p.m. to 2 a.m.
 Music by Mixin' Matt
 Ghost & Goblin Halloween Drinks plus \$100 CASH for Best Costume!
 2nd - \$25 Gift Certificate 3rd - Bottle of Boozie
 Come join us for lots of SPOOKY fun!
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THANK YOUS & PERSONALS

Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!
 To Tricia's Treasures for your generous donations kicking off our Annual Veterans Day Fundraiser!
 We celebrate Friday, November 11, 2016 at LaFetta's Italian Restaurant, Crandon, Social Hour 5 p.m., followed by Dinner with a baked and fried Fish and Chicken dinner with salad bar at 6pm. Entertainment will be provided by DJ Greg Tallier. We hope Veterans and their families will bring their stories of service help us raise funds to support the FC Veterans Memorial Building!



Thank You!
 Thank you to all our good neighbors and friends for your support, kind words and prayers. A very special thank you to LeRoyer Hospice for your excellent care and compassion.
The Family of Marge Ragen

Thank you!
 Glen & Geraldine Votis would like to thank their family, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and everyone that could make it for their birthdays on September 28 & October 13. We are proud to have such a beautiful family. It was the best birthday we ever had. They worked all day and brought all of the food for a great meal. We love them all.

Vet's Corner
It's Time to Get Your Flu Shot!
2016 Walk-in Clinic Dates

Oscar G. Johnson VA Medical Center
Outpatient Lobby
October 11-13 & October 17-19
8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. (CT)
October 24-28 8:30 a.m.-Noon (CT)

Community Based Outpatient Clinic (CBOC)
Rhinelanders
Friday, October 28, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Friday, November 4, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Friday, November 25, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Flu shots are also available upon request at regularly scheduled appointments

WXPR Fall Auction & Fundraiser
November 6th

WXPR Public Radio 91.7FM will sponsor the Annual Fall Auction and Concert Fundraiser on Sunday, November 6th at Holiday Acres Resort in Rhinelanders.

Silent Auction items will be on display starting at 2:00 p.m. At 3:00 p.m. the Live Auction and music with Bret and Frisk begins.

Those attending will bid on getaway weekends, dinner certificates, a stand up paddle board, concert and event tickets, flying and sailing tours and more, plus the very finest in pottery, paintings, jewelry, photography and quilting.

Complimentary wine and hors d'oeuvres will also be served and admission for the day is \$25.00 or \$20.00 for WXPR members.

The Fall Auction is sponsored by WXPR, an independent community-sponsored public radio station. For more information or if you would like to donate, call WXPR Development Director Dave Havel at 715-362-6000.

Public hearing planned for Forest County Library Board
 The Forest County Library Board and the Forest County Library Committee will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, November 1, 2016, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Room of the Forest County Courthouse, 200 East Madison

Street, Crandon, Wisconsin, to accept comments on the proposed Plan of Library Service for Forest County pursuant to Wis. Stats. 43.11(3)(a).

The plan will serve as a guide for future decision-making about the library services that are available to Forest County residents. The plan in accordance with state statutes includes data concerning circulation statistics, existing conditions, and provides goals for the future.

For additional information regarding the plan, contact Carol Bartlein, Forest County Library Board President, (715)-473-5466, carolbartlein@gmail.com. During the 30-day review period, a copy of the plan will be available for review during normal business hours at the Forest County Clerk's Office - 200 East Madison Street, Crandon 54520, the Crandon Public Library - 110 West Polk Street, Crandon 54520, the Edith Evans Community Library - 5216 Forest Avenue, Laona, 54541, and the Wabeno Public Library - 4556 North Brach Street, Wabeno 54566.

Written comments may be forwarded prior to the hearing to: Carol Bartlein, Forest County Library Board President, 920 Kohloff Lane, Post Office Box 325, Wabeno, WI 54566-0325.

All interested persons will be given an opportunity to be heard. Any person planning to attend this meeting who needs some type of special accommodation in order to participate should call the Forest County Clerk's Office at 715-478-2422, or e-mail nmatuszewski@co.forest.wi.us one business day before the meeting.



MOLE LAKE CASINO • LODGE

We are accepting applications for the following positions:

Restaurant: Cook & Wait Staff
Bingo: All Positions
Lodge: Housekeepers / Front Desk
Marketing: Player's Club Representatives
Surveillance: Officers
Security: Officers

Applications available online at www.molelakecasino.com or at the Player's Club Desk.



MOLE LAKE CASINO • LODGE

Is looking for Experienced Cooks

Starting wage minimum is \$13.50 per hour with 2 years restaurant cooking experience and 1 year as lead cook. We offer a comprehensive benefit package, including health (Casino pays 74% of employee's premium), dental, vision, and life insurance. We also offer paid vacation and holiday pay. Don't miss this opportunity to hone your skills in one of the fastest growing restaurants in the county!

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.

HELP WANTED

Part Time Housekeeping



Starting wage \$9 an hour.
 Call 715-478-4000 for more information.

BEST WESTERN CRANDON INN & SUITES
 9075 E Pioneer Street
 Crandon, WI 54520
www.bestwestern.com/crandoninnandsuites

Employment Opportunity Forest County Victim Witness Coordinator/ Administrative Assistant/Legal Secretary Position

The Forest County District Attorney's office is currently accepting applications for a full-time (40 hours per week) Victim Witness Coordinator/Administrative Assistant/Legal Secretary position.

Preferred applicants will have knowledge of criminal justice system as it relates to the Victim/Witness Assistance Program, including revisions in the law. Extensive knowledge of the legal system, in particular, criminal and juvenile procedures, and ability to navigate and understand the Wisconsin Statutes. Also secretarial, and well-rounded computer knowledge.

Application and position description may be obtained at www.co.forest.wi.gov or in the County Clerk's Office, Forest County Courthouse, 200 E. Madison Street, Crandon, Wisconsin 54520.

The deadline for applications and resumes returned to the County Clerk is Friday, October 21, 2016.

Forest County is an Equal Opportunity Employer

HELP WANTED - WAITRESSES & BARTENDERS. APPLY AT BEACHSIDE BAR & GRILL.

HELP WANTED



MOLE LAKE CASINO • LODGE

Is looking for Player's Club Representatives

We offer a comprehensive benefit package, including health (Casino pays 74% of employee's premium), dental, vision, and life insurance. We also offer paid vacation and holiday pay. If you have excellent customer service skills and know how to use a computer, this might be the right position for you!

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.

Help Wanted

Victory Janitorial is looking to fill a part-time position in Monico. Flexible start times. Must pass background check. Send email requesting application to:

victoryjanitorial@victoryjanitorial.com or call 715-369-2000 with contact information for a hiring manager to reach out to you.



CAREER OPPORTUNITY

COMPETITIVE WAGES • EXCELLENT BENEFIT PACKAGE

CARTER CLUB HOST

Full-Time, Hourly

Purpose Perform the daily operations of the Carter Club under the direction of the Carter Club Supervisor. Consistently provide excellent guest service by greeting and communicating with all guests in a professional, prompt and courteous manner.

Qualifications

- High school diploma or equivalent preferred.
- Basic computer experience is required.
- Ability to uphold complete confidentiality is required.
- Must display professionalism when representing PCCCH.
- Must work well with people, possess excellent guest service skills and sensitivity to diverse cultures.
- Excellent organizational skills and 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.
- Must obtain and maintain Gaming License issued by Forest County Potawatomi Gaming Commission.
- Must be able to work flexible shifts as dictated by volume of business.

Posting Information: TRIBAL/NATIVE AMERICAN PREFERENCE APPLIES
 Post Date: October 10, 2016 Closing Date: October 24, 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

Bus Driver Wanted



Full-time Route & Substitute Drivers

We help you do all necessary training.

Call Pitts Bus Service Inc. for details at 715-478-2780

We are Currently Seeking

COOK / DIETARY AIDE - Full Time (Includes every other weekend)

Application can filled out online or in person. Please contact Craig Newton or Sherri Cook at 715-674-4477 for more information.



Nu-Roc COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE

www.Nu-Roc.com
 715-674-4477
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We are Currently Seeking

RN/LPN - 2nd Shift

CNA - 2nd Shift

Full Time/Part Time - Includes every other weekend
\$1000 SIGN ON BONUS AVAILABLE

CNA - 3rd Shift

Full Time - Includes every other weekend
\$1500 SIGN ON BONUS AVAILABLE

Applications may be filled out online or in person. For more information, please call Nu-Roc at 715-674-4477 and ask for Craig Newton or Sherri Cook



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 18+ years experience.
 Call 715-889-9577. P27



CAREER OPPORTUNITY

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BINGO CLERK

Full-Time, Hourly

Purpose Consistently provide excellent service by greeting and communicating with all guests in a professional, prompt & courteous manner. Quickly & accurately verify games & perform large cash transactions. Cross-train & perform all functions/tasks of the money room and floor.

Qualifications

- High school diploma or equivalent preferred.
- A good understanding of Bingo positions with one to two years experience preferred.
- Accurate cash handling experience & good math skills required.
- Basic computer experience required.
- Ability to uphold complete confidentiality is required.
- Must work well with people, possess excellent customer service skills and sensitivity to diverse cultures.
- Must possess strong oral & written communication skills.
- Ability to maintain a professional demeanor in stressful situations is required.

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 be available to work flexible shifts as dictated by volume of business.

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HELP WANTED - Certified AODA Counselor

The Certified AODA counselor is responsible for providing comprehensive services from intake through aftercare for chemically dependent individuals and their families. This position is also responsible for court mandated treatment services, coordinating referrals and liaison to outside agencies. This position would provide AODA counseling for Outpatient clients on a regular basis. The counselor will provide comprehensive counseling and case management services to individuals presenting with AODA issues.

Duties & Qualifications

- Bachelor's Degree or minimum of two years' experience in the AODA field. Certified Counselor (SAC of CSAC)
- Good interpersonal skills and the ability to get along with diverse populations
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Demonstrated knowledge of and sensitivity for Chippewa culture and traditions.
- Maintain client charts and proper documentation for efficient work flow.
- Personal commitment to a drug and alcohol- free lifestyle consistent with the accepted norms for abstinence and sobriety.

Submit completed applications to:
 Donna Vodar, HR Director
 3051 Sand Lake Road
 Crandon WI 54520 • Phone:(715) 478-7663
 Email: donna.vodar@scc-nsn.gov



HELP WANTED

POTAWATOMI CARTER CASINO • HOTEL **CAREER OPPORTUNITY**
COMPETITIVE WAGES • EXCELLENT BENEFIT PACKAGE

SLOT TECHNICIAN Status: Full-Time

Purpose Ensure normal operation of slot machines through the ability to set up, take down, troubleshoot & repair machines. Consistently provide excellent guest service by greeting and communicating with guests in a professional & courteous manner.

Qualifications

- One year certificate in Computer Science or related field is preferred.
- A minimum of two years verifiable experience with electronic gaming equipment maintenance is preferred.
- Ability to uphold complete confidentiality is required.
- Must work well with people, possess excellent guest service skills and sensitivity to diverse cultures.
- Must possess strong verbal & written communication skills.
- The 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 & maintain Gaming License issued by FCP GC.
- Must be available to work flexible shifts.

Posting Information: TRIBAL/NATIVE AMERICAN PREFERENCE APPLIES
Post Date: October 17, 2016 **Closing Date:** October 31, 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

POTAWATOMI CARTER CASINO • HOTEL **CAREER OPPORTUNITY**
COMPETITIVE WAGES • EXCELLENT BENEFIT PACKAGE

SECURITY OFFICER 3rd Shift | Full-Time, Hourly

Purpose Maintain presence & take action to ensure the safety and security of guests, Team Members and organizational assets.

Qualifications

- High school diploma or equivalent preferred.
- One year verifiable security or related experience is preferred.
- Ability to uphold complete confidentiality is required.
- Must display professionalism when representing PCCH.
- Must work well with people, possess excellent customer service skills and sensitivity to diverse cultures.
- Must possess strong oral & written communication skills.
- 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 possess and maintain a valid driver's license.
- 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.

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POTAWATOMI CARTER CASINO • HOTEL **CAREER OPPORTUNITY**
COMPETITIVE WAGES • EXCELLENT BENEFIT PACKAGE

DROP TEAM MEMBER Full-Time, Hourly

Purpose Responsible for the efficient count and drop per PCCH policies (removal, exchange and collection of cash boxes and TITO tickets found inside all slot machines, and the removal of currency & documentation from table games boxes for verification & count).

Qualifications

- High school diploma or equivalent is preferred.
- Accurate cash-handling experience & good math skills required.
- Basic computer experience preferred.
- Ability to uphold complete confidentiality is required.
- Must display professionalism when representing PCCH.
- Must work well with people, possess excellent customer service skills and sensitivity to diverse cultures.

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 know & abide by all PCCH policies & procedures.
- Must be available to work flexible shifts as dictated by volume of business.

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HELP WANTED:
WE WOULD LOVE YOU ON OUR TEAM! PLUMBERS ASSISTANCE AS WELL AS JOURNEYMAN/ APPRENTICE POSITIONS AVAILABLE AT MAIDEN LAKE PLUMBING LAKEWOOD WI
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maidenlakeplumbing@gmail.com

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Will train
Must have a High School Diploma
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AUCTION

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Lovely Country Home With 2 Car Garage. All Being Sold Regardless Of Price! Dorothy Birmingham passed away
Oct. 15 - 20th - (Ending 7 PM) (Hiles, WI) (Forest Co.)



2 miles South of Hiles WI and 4 Miles North of Argonne WI on HWY. 32 to (9896) Lovely 2 bedroom ranch home w/ decorative wood stove, 1 1/2 bath, full basement, sun deck, attached garage & more! This property is nestled in the trees & includes a manicured lawn & blacktop driveway. All being sold regardless of price! **Terms:** \$5,000 down payment non-refundable cashier's check. Closing 45-60 days or upon paper completion. (10% buyer's fee added to winning bid). Bidders must request bid form by calling St. Louis Auctions LLC. 715-367-1668. (6728 Whitefish Lk. Rd., Three Lakes, WI 54562). **R.W.A.'s:** Col. Rene' Brass #424, Col. Robert St. Louis #450.

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Prestigious Laona Plaza All Being Sold to the Highest Bidder! Regardless of Price!
ONLINE ONLY. (NO Minimum Bid)
Oct. 22 - Nov. 1 • Ending at 6 p.m. (Laona, WI) (Forest Co.)

Laona Plaza

Laona Plaza & Grocery Store has endless opportunities. Property could be developed into an apartment complex, office space, supper club or even a convenience store. Located in the heart of downtown Laona with so much potential! **Terms:** \$5,000 down payment non-refundable cashier's check. Closing 45-60 days or upon paper completion. (10% buyer's fee added to winning bid). Bidders must request bid form by calling St. Louis Auctions LLC. 715-367-1668. (6728 Whitefish Lk. Rd., Three Lakes, WI 54562). **R.W.A.'s:** Col. Rene' Brass #424, Col. Robert St. Louis #450.

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Viking Builders - (Most items excellent) Sun. Oct. 16 Starts 10:30 AM (View 9:30) (Lunch) (Due to a job-site fall & spinal injury, owner-Dave (D.J.) Johnson must sell construction & office equipment, tools, & more. 1 block North of Conover WI on 45N to (720) **Bobcat Skidsteer:** 753 (1150 hours) w/ Bucket. Forks. **Mini- Excavator:** Takeuchi TB035 (2560 hours) 12" 24" 36" Buckets, thumb. **Lawn tractors:** John Deere 335 w/ like new snow blade & like new tiller, John Deere Z Track commercial zero turn mower, Simplicity Broadmoor w/snowblower, chains & weights. **Trucks:** 2006 Ford F150 ext.cab (4x4), 2002 Ford F250 (4x4) w/Boss plow. **Enclosed trailer:** 6x12. **Tools etc:** 15" Hitachi & Milw. miter saws, 16" Makita circular saw, 10" brake, Aluminum planks, Delta Jointer, table saw, 10 scaffold sets, Jet dust collector, power elevator, ladders, Onan generator, compressors, Hitachi cordless saw, pump jacks, grinders, log bits, router, belt sander, torpedo heater, clamps, air tank, hand tools, air tools, roller stands, insulating masonry blankets, roof jacks, Roto Zip, cement cutter, cords, containers, fuel cans, nails, screws, hardware, truck rack, Hydraulic & screw jacks, levels, tripods, ladder jacks & more! **Construction materials:** new pine doors, kitchen cabinets, furnace, base bd heaters, siding, paneling, flooring, oak lumber, elect supplies, mesh, 600 paver bricks, duct work & more. **Yard & Sporting:** Like new Snowblower, wheelbarrow, live trap, picnic grill, sled, ice fish gear, bikes, camp stove, hose reel & more! **Office & Home:** Power backups, phones, printers, computers, fax machine, file cabs, York safe, chairs, desks, shredder, shelving unit, tables, vac, bedroom set, sm appliances, x-mas, pictures, coat rack, range & more! **Terms:** Cash or good check, credit cards. Sales tax charged. 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

City Of Crandon Police Department
From the desk of Chief Packard

September 2016 CPD Activity Report:

- 1 Accident(s)
- 3 Alarm Call(s)
- 2 Animal Incident(s)
- 2 Assists to Citizens/Motorists
- 6 Assists to Forest County Sheriff's Dept.
- 2 ATV/UTV Incident(s) (1 CITATION ISSUED)
- 1 Child Custody Matter/Dispute Incident(s)
- 2 Child Neglect/Abuse/Possible Child Abuse Complaint(s)
- 4 Civil Matter/Dispute

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Laona Plaza & Grocery Store. Going out of Business Online Only (Most items excellent) (Oct. 22- Nov. 1) (Ends Nov. 1 (6PM) Located downtown Laona WI (4894 Mill St.)
Kitchen & Bakery Equipment: Gas range, Hobart 30qt mixer, Hobart meat grinder, Hobart meat tenderizer, Hobart meat saw, poly meat cutting table, meat bunkers, meat carts w/ meat ladders, Gas mod. 1800 broaster, Super Systems proof & bake unit, elect convection oven, 12" Berkel slicer, Oliver bread slicer, stainless steel work tables, many sinks, storage racks, Houseman deli display, Toledo & Hobart scales, ingredient rack, bakers bench, heat sealer machines, Grindmaster coffee grinder, self serve donut & bakery case, sheet pan dollies, dunnage racks & more! **Refrigeration & Freezers etc:** Hussman refrigerated open displays & meat cases, 2 dairy coolers, frozen bunker cases, produce case, 8 zero zone display freezers, 5 Copeland compressors, gas monitor system & more! Ice Machine: Manitowoc, Package Ice freezer **Shelving:** Wall Run, double sided & end cap shelving, card rack **Check out stands:** w/registers. **Shopping Carts:** 25, **Office Equip, & more!** **Pick up Date November 5 (8AM-1PM) Terms:** Cash or good check, credit cards. Sales tax charged. 10% buyers fee. 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

- 3 Criminal Damage to Property/Vandalism Incident(s)
- 1 Curfew Violation(s) (5 CITATIONS ISSUED)
- 13 Disorderly Conduct/Fight (2 CITATIONS ISSUED / 2 ARRESTS)
- 5 Domestic Dispute/Disturbance (4 ARRESTS)
- 1 Drug Abuse Incident(s)
- 1 Fire Complaint(s)
- 2 Fraud/Scam Incident(s)
- 1 Garbage/Littering/Illegal Dumping Incident(s)
- 3 Gas Drive-Off Incident(s)
- 1 Harassment/Threat Incident(s)
- 7 Health/Safety/Welfare Incident(s)/911 Calls
- 1 Internet Fraud/Scam
- 3 Intoxicated Subject Incident(s)
- 2 Lost/Missing Property Incident(s)
- 2 Lost/Missing/Runaway Person(s)
- 4 Noise/Disturb Peace Incident(s)
- 1 Obstruct/Resist/Flee Officer Incident(s) (1 ARREST)
- 1 O.W.I.
- 1 Probation/Parole Violation(s)
- 2 Property Damage Complaint(s)
- 4 Property Dispute Incident(s)
- 27 Security Checks--Businesses/Residences
- 1 Sexual Abuse/Assault or Possible Sexual Abuse/Assault Incident(s)
- 6 Suspicious Person/Activity/Package/Vehicle Incident(s)
- 5 Theft Incident(s)
- 4 Traffic/Driving/Parking Incident(s)
- 2 Trespassing Complaint(s)
- 4 Vehicle Lockout(s)
- 3 Warrant Arrest(s)
- 1 Weapons Complaint(s)
- 9 Citations Issued re: Traffic-Related Matters
- 1 Warning(s) to ATV/UTV Operator(s)/Passenger(s)
- 15 Warnings to Drivers (re: Vehicle or Traffic Safety)

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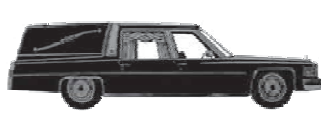
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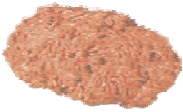
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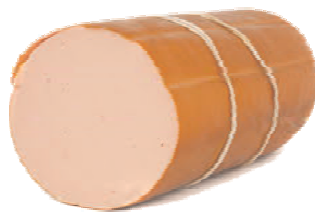
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circulating, Wisconsin residents and visitors to the state should be vigilant in taking measures to prevent mosquito bites. It is important that people contact their healthcare provider if they suspect they have EEE illness.

The best way to avoid mosquito-borne diseases is to reduce exposure to mosquitoes and eliminate mosquito breeding sites.

The Forest County Health Department recommends the following:

1. Limit time spent outside at dawn and dusk, when mosquitoes are most active.
2. Apply insect repellent to clothing as well as exposed skin since mosquitoes may bite through clothing.
3. Make sure window and door screens are in good repair to prevent mosquito entry.
4. Properly dispose of items that hold water, such as tin cans, plastic containers, ceramic pots, or discarded tires.
5. Clean roof gutters and downspouts for proper drainage.
6. Turn over wheelbarrows, wading pools, boats, and canoes when not in use.
7. Change the water in birdbaths and pet dishes at least every three days.
8. Clean and chlorinate swimming pools, outdoor saunas, and hot tubs; drain water from pool covers.
9. Trim tall grass, weeds, and vines since mosquitoes use these areas to rest during hot daylight hours.
10. Landscape to prevent water from pooling in low-lying areas.

For more information about EEE virus, please visit: <http://www.cdc.gov/easternequineencephalitis/> or call the Forest County Health Department with any questions at 715-478-3371.

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Forest County horses test positive for Eastern Equine Encephalitis

The Forest County Health Department reports that three horses in Forest County have tested positive for Eastern equine encephalitis (EEE) which is caused by the EEE virus. The EEE virus is transmitted by mosquitoes. No EEE cases in humans have been reported in Wisconsin this year or any year since 2011. The human EEE case in 2011 was only the second case known to have occurred in Wisconsin since 1984.

EEE virus is transmitted to humans, horses, birds, and other animals during bites from infected mosquitoes. Mosquitoes acquire EEE virus by feeding on infected birds. The virus is not transmitted person to person or directly between animals or between animals and humans. Presence of a EEE positive horse confirms that there are mosquitoes in the area infected with the EEE virus that can transmit the virus to people and other animals.

Most people infected with EEE virus do not have symptoms. However, some infected people develop encephalitis (inflammation of the brain) that typically begins with sudden onset of fever, headache, chills, and vomiting. The illness may become severe resulting in disorientation, seizures, coma, or death. There is no specific treatment for this EEE illness.

Clinical signs of EEE infection in horses include depression, loss of appetite, drooping eyelids and lower lip, blindness, paralysis, and death. Horse owners can vaccinate their horses against EEE virus to protect them from becoming ill.

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Vision & hearing screening McCaslin & Wabeno Lions Clubs

Friday, September 16, members of the McCaslin Lioness, Lions and Wabeno Lions Clubs were at Wabeno Elementary School to conduct Vision screening and Hearing testing on over 80 students.

The children were screened, using the SPOT PediaVision camera. This free screening, which just takes seconds, allows early detection of a mix of vision problems with young children. This does not replace a complete, comprehensive eye examination by an optometrist, however, it provides the parents with a printout to help them determine if follow-up care is needed.

The Lions/Lioness also conducted hearing tests utilizing a portable audiometer. The children put on a head set, and motioned when they heard the frequencies. If necessary, the school contacts the parents for further testing.

Bids & Notices

Wabeno School Breakfast Menu

Oct. 17-21

Monday - Cereal, yogurt cup, mandarin oranges, fruit juice, milk

Tuesday - Malt-O Meal, cinnamon apples, banana nut bread, fruit juice, milk

Wednesday - Blueberry pancake, pears, fruit juice, milk

Thursday - Cheese omelet, muffin, grapes, fruit juice, milk

Friday - French toast sticks, fruit cocktail, fruit juice choice, milk choice

Wabeno School Lunch Menu

Oct. 17-21

Monday - Pepperoni pizza, sweet potato fries, apple wedges, vanilla yogurt, garden salad, milk

Tuesday - Popcorn chicken, dinner roll, baked beans, pears, garden salad, milk

Wednesday - Hot turkey sandwich, hashbrowns, oranges, garden salad, milk

Thursday - Scalloped ham & potatoes with biscuit, zucchini, red grapes, garden salad, milk

Friday - Italian style chicken strips with garlic bread, broccoli, honeydew cup, garden salad, milk

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING School District of Wabeno Area

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the School District of Wabeno Area that the budget hearing will be held at the Wabeno High School Auditorium, on the 24th day of October, 2016 at 6:30 P.M. The summary of the budget is printed below. Detailed copies of the budget will be available for inspection in the district office at Wabeno Elementary School, Laona State Bank in Wabeno and Lakewood, and Firstmerit Bank in Townsend as of October 14, 2016.

Dated this 12th day of October, 2016.
/s/Patricia A. Manthey, District Clerk

ATTENTION LAONA/WABENO ATHLETES:

There is a mandatory **Parent/Athlete meeting** for all students in grades 7-12 wishing to participate in **WINTER SPORTS**. This meeting will take place at **Wabeno Area High School on Monday, October 24th at 6pm**. All athletes and parents should plan to attend. If you are an athlete and have not completed an Impact Test this school year please contact your high school office to set that up. The Impact Test is mandatory and needs to be done annually. If you have any questions, please contact Terri Palubicki at 715.473.5122.

Notice for Annual School District Meeting School District of Wabeno Area

Notice is hereby given to qualified electors of the School District of Wabeno Area that the Annual Meeting of said District for the transaction of business will be held in the Wabeno High School Auditorium on Monday, October 24, 2016, at 6:30 P.M.

Dated this 12th day of October, 2016.

Patricia A. Manthey, District Clerk

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA BUDGET PUBLICATION 2016 - 2017

GENERAL - FUND 10	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
Beginning Fund Balance	4,443,070	4,691,417	4,837,010
Ending Fund Balance	4,691,417	4,837,010	4,346,266
REVENUES			
Local Sources (Source 200)	5,062,017	4,846,584	4,789,080
Interdistrict Payments (Source 300)	220,498	249,267	242,713
State Sources (Source 600)	640,344	650,055	541,765
Federal Sources (Source 700)	548,723	495,679	336,733
All Other Sources (Source 800-900)	12,360	9,538	10,500
TOTAL REVENUES	6,483,942	6,251,123	5,920,791
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction (Function 100 000)	2,847,842	2,856,825	2,829,354
Support Services (Function 200 000)	2,477,226	2,250,096	2,536,934
Non-Program Transactions (Function 400 000)	910,527	998,609	1,045,247
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	6,235,595	6,105,530	6,411,535
Percentage Increase/Decrease General Fund	+5.59	+3.10	-10.16

SPECIAL PROJECTS	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
SPECIAL REVENUE TRUST FUND - FUND 21			
Beginning Fund Balance	47,144	68,516	100,547
Ending Fund Balance	68,516	100,547	100,547
REVENUES	163,841	256,030	177,532
EXPENDITURES	142,469	223,999	177,532

SPECIAL EDUCATION - FUND 27	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
Beginning Fund Balance	0	0	0
Ending Fund Balance	0	0	0
REVENUES	968,969	982,201	965,727
EXPENDITURES	968,969	982,201	965,727

INDIAN EDUCATION - FUND 29	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
Beginning Fund Balance	0	0	0
Ending Fund Balance	0	0	0
REVENUES	20,847	21,422	21,963
EXPENDITURES	20,847	21,422	21,963

LT IMPROVEMENT CAPITAL TRUST - FUND 46	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
Beginning Fund Balance	0	22,394	22,478
Ending Fund Balance	22,394	22,478	22,478
REVENUES	22,394	84	0
EXPENDITURES	0	0	0

FOOD SERVICE - FUND 50	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
Beginning Fund Balance	0	0	0
Ending Fund Balance	0	0	0
REVENUES	335,729	363,811	348,347
EXPENDITURES	335,729	363,811	348,347

AGENCY - FUND 60	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
Assets	74,945	101,550	45,891
Liabilities	101,550	45,891	45,891

EXPENDABLE/NON-EXPENDABLE TRUST - FD 72	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
Beginning Fund Balance	49,517	47,728	44,911
Ending Fund Balance	47,728	44,911	44,911
REVENUES	2,695	3,895	8,050
EXPENDITURES	4,484	6,712	8,050

ALL FUNDS	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
TOTAL EXPENDITURES - ALL FUNDS	7,708,093	7,703,675	7,933,154
Percentage Increase/Decrease			
Total Expenditures From Prior Year	+3.63	-0.06	+2.98

PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX LEVY	Audited 2014-2015	Unaudited 2015-2016	Budget 2016-2017
General Fund	5,017,764	4,814,825	4,764,880
TOTAL SCHOOL LEVY	5,017,764	4,814,825	4,764,880
Percentage Increase/Decrease			
Total Levy From Prior Year	+13.3	-4.04	-1.04

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA BOARD OF EDUCATION

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2016

6:45 PM

(Approximate time immediately following the Annual Meeting)

High School Auditorium - Wabeno Jr/Sr High School

AGENDA

- I. Call Meeting to Order and Roll Call
- II. Notice of Meeting per Wisconsin Statute 19.84 to Declare a Legal Meeting
- III. Approval of Agenda
- IV. Discuss and take possible action on a 2016-2017 Budget and Tax Levy Resolution.
- V. Adjourn

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

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ELIGIBILITY

Your household may be eligible for WHEAP and WAP services based on a number of factors. However, if the gross income for your household is less than the amount shown on the following chart, you might be eligible to receive assistance. Applications for both programs are accepted at your local WHEAP agency.

Program services are available without regard to race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, or mental/physical handicap. Income for people who are self-employed, farmers or seasonal workers is based on federal income tax forms for the previous year.

3 MONTH COMBINED INCOME

Family Size	Family Income
1	\$6,544
2	\$8,557
3	\$10,571
4	\$12,584
5	\$14,597
6	\$16,611
7	\$16,988
8	\$17,366

An Outreach Worker will be at the following:

- Wabeno Community Building, Mon., Oct. 24, 10:30 - 12:00
- Armstrong Creek Nutrition Site: Tues., Oct. 25, 10:30 - 12:00
- Crandon Community Building, Wed., Oct. 26, 10:30 - 12:00
- Alvin Town Hall, Thurs., Oct. 27, 10:30 - 12:00
- Laona Sr. Center: Mon., Oct. 31, 10:30 - 12:00

WHAT TO BRING WITH YOU:

- Proof of household income for prior 3 months
- Benefit letters for Social Security, retirement & veteran's benefits
- Seasonal income, copy of your 1040 including all W2's and 1099's
 - Latest energy bill from WPS or WE Energies
 - Fuel costs from 9/1/2015 - 8/31/2016
- First time applicants need Soc. Sec. cards/numbers for all household members
- First time applicants need a photo ID

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Bids & Notices

COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

**School District of Laona
Notice of Budget Hearing
Wis. Stat. 65.90 (4)
NOTICE OF ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING
Wis. Stat. 120.08 (1)**

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the School District of Laona that a Budget Hearing will be held Monday, October 24, 2016 at 5:30 p.m. in Room 24, C.L. Robinson Elementary School. Detailed copies of the budget are available for inspection in the District Office at C.L. Robinson Elementary School.

The Annual Meeting of said District for the transaction of business will be held on Monday, October 24, 2016 following the Budget Hearing.

Dated this 11th day of October, 2016.

/s/ Samantha Hoffman
District Clerk

**Financial Aid night
10/25/16**

GLHEC staff will host a free financial aid presentation for Wabeno and Laona students at Wabeno High School on Tuesday, October 25, beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the Wabeno High School Library. Any senior planning to enroll in a post-secondary education program in 2017-2018, is encouraged to complete an online financial aid form. Completion of a financial aid form is the first step in accessing money for higher education.

Information will be provided on the financial aid process, scholarships and additional resources. Wabeno and Laona high school seniors and their parents are especially encouraged to attend. Bring your chromebook if you would like help in completing the FAFSA.

GLHEC programs are designed to provide fundamental support in preparation for post-secondary education. For more information contact Michele Rocole at 715-473-5122 or Lianne Davis at 715-674-3801.

- **Cathedral Church of the Northwoods Arbutus\Lutheran Church, ELCA**, W6607 Church Ln., Pearson, invites any 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 Shepherd 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 Wednesday.
- **Bethel Baptist Church** - 1761 East Ave., Wabeno. Worship service Sunday at 9 a.m. Bible study Wednesday at 2 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.
- **Forest County Humane Society Meeting** - Every fourth Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. in the lower level of the Crandon Public Library. The January 24th meeting will be held at the Crandon Community Building. The public is always welcome.
- **Crandon Lions Board Meetings** - 1st Monday of the month at Crandon Library at 6 p.m. (downstairs).
- **Crandon Lions Membership Meeting** - 3rd Monday of month. Social hour 5:30 p.m., dinner at 6:30 p.m. & meeting at 7 p.m. October through January meetings held at Duck's Bar.
- **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 Nashville Town Board Meeting** - Wednesday, October 19, North Town Hall at 7p.m.
- **Town of Lincoln Board Meetings** - 2nd Monday of each month, 6 p.m., Town of Lincoln Hall.
- **Nashville Craft & Flea Market** - 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.
- **Pickerel area 50 Plus** will meet at St John's Church in Pickerel on Thursday Oct. 13th at 11:00 am. We will car pool to Crandon and tour the Crandon Trolley Co. at 11:45 am. Lunch at La Fetta to follow. Call Bob at 715-478-5199 or Marge 715-484-2205.
- **Tops** - will meet at Wabeno Town Hall on Mondays. Weigh in at 7:35 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 Public Library Board Monthly** meeting. 6 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.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LAONA PROPOSED BUDGET SUMMARY 2016-17

GENERAL FUND	Audited 2014-15	Unaudited 2015-16	Budget 2016-17
Beginning Fund Balance	1,343,054.23	1,385,127.24	1,532,530.23
Ending Fund Balance	1,385,127.24	1,532,530.23	1,421,146.55
REVENUE AND OTHER FINANCING RESOURCES			
Transfers In (Source 100)	0.00	38,561.04	0.00
Local Sources (Source 200)	1,987,176.12	2,151,717.82	1,949,525.00
Inter-district Payments (Source 300 & 400)	80,441.17	144,658.18	224,188.00
Intermediate Sources (Source 500)	2,591.00	1,934.00	2,870.00
State Sources (Source 600)	1,051,508.99	966,356.34	1,158,218.00
Federal Sources (Source 700)	165,763.39	188,669.39	182,633.95
All Other Sources (800 & 900)	22,784.48	3,460.03	5,000.00
TOTAL REVENUE & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	3,310,265.15	3,495,356.80	3,522,434.95
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES			
Instruction (Function 100 000)	1,308,429.04	1,453,254.02	1,571,615.40
Support Services (Function 200 000)	1,496,185.17	1,359,371.90	1,453,390.05
Non-Program Transactions (Function 400 000)	463,577.93	535,327.89	608,813.18
TOTAL EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	3,268,192.14	3,347,953.81	3,633,818.63
SPECIAL PROJECTS FUND	Audited 2014-15	Unaudited 2015-16	Budget 2016-17
Beginning Fund Balance	11,850.95	18,959.69	16,525.47
Ending Fund Balance	18,959.69	16,525.47	16,525.47
REVENUE & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	411,783.32	404,749.59	454,274.44
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	404,674.58	407,183.81	454,274.44
DEBT SERVICE FUND	Audited 2014-15	Unaudited 2015-16	Budget 2016-17
Beginning Fund Balance	38,198.90	38,554.17	0.00
Ending Fund Balance	38,554.17	0.00	0.00
REVENUE & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	249,980.94	106,738.35	100,000.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	249,625.67	145,292.52	100,000.00
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND	Audited 2014-15	Unaudited 2015-16	Budget 2016-17
Beginning Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ending Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00
REVENUE & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	0.00	0.00	0.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	0.00	0.00	0.00
FOOD SERVICE FUND	Audited 2014-15	Unaudited 2015-16	Budget 2016-17
Beginning Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ending Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00
REVENUE & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	201,841.95	198,277.19	224,843.18
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	201,841.95	198,277.19	224,843.18
COMMUNITY SERVICE FUND	Audited 2014-15	Unaudited 2015-16	Budget 2016-17
Beginning Fund Balance	2,898.57	542.80	839.66
Ending Fund Balance	542.80	839.66	1,353.89
REVENUE & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	77,227.70	98,240.68	110,000.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	79,583.47	97,943.82	109,485.77
PACKAGE & COOPERATIVE PROGRAM FUND	Audited 2014-15	Unaudited 2015-16	Budget 2016-17
Beginning Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ending Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00
REVENUE & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	0.00	0.00	0.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES			
ALL FUNDS	Audited 2014-15	Unaudited 2015-16	Budget 2016-17
GROSS TOTAL EXPENDITURES - ALL FUNDS	4,203,917.81	4,196,651.15	4,522,422.02
Interfund Transfers (Source 100) - ALL FUNDS	344,654.60	379,583.86	382,113.18
Refinancing Expenditures (FUND 30)	0.00	0.00	0.00
NET TOTAL EXPENDITURES - ALL FUNDS	3,859,263.21	3,817,067.29	4,140,308.84
PERCENT INCREASE - NET TOTAL FUND EXPENDITURE FROM PRIOR YEAR		-1.09%	8.47%
PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX LEVY			
FUND	Audited 2014-15	Unaudited 2015-16	Budget 2016-17
General Fund	1,922,033.00	2,086,764.56	1,925,935.00
Referendum Debt Service Fund	209,474.14	0.00	0.00
Non-Referendum Debt Service Fund	40,151.53	68,170.44	100,000.00
Capital Expansion Fund	0.00	0.00	0.00
Community Service Fund	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL SCHOOL LEVY	2,171,658.67	2,154,935.00	2,025,935.00
PERCENTAGE INCREASE - TOTAL LEVY FROM PRIOR YEAR		-0.77%	-5.99%
The below listed new or discontinued programs have a financial impact on the proposed 2016-17 budget:			
DISCONTINUED PROGRAMS	FINANCIAL IMPACT		
NEW PROGRAMS	FINANCIAL IMPACT		



Bids & Notices

Regular Meeting Laona Board of Education

Monday, September 12, 2016, 5:30 p.m.
C.L. Robinson Elementary - Room 24

President Jim Aschinger **Called the Regular Meeting to Order** at 5:33 p.m. Present: Scott Reeves, Samantha Hoffman, Melissa McLaughlin, Jim Aschinger, Larry Palubicki, Jim Bradley, Tiffany Pakulski, and Sherry Kramer to take the minutes. There were two (2) guests in attendance. Notice has been posted in accordance with Wis. Stat. 19.84.

Scott Reeves led the **Pledge of Allegiance**.

Motion by Reeves, seconded by Hoffman to approve the **Agenda**. All in favor, motion carried.

Frank Shepard, Jr. arrived at 5:35 p.m.

PUBLIC FORUM (10 minutes):

Scott Reeves would like to see the school approved as a designated shelter for the community in case of an emergency evacuation of any kind. This will be explored further.

Consent Agenda - Open and Closed Regular Meeting Minutes dated Monday, August 8, 2016.

Open and Closed Special Meeting Minutes dated Monday, August 29, 2016.

School Disbursements and Wires paid from 8/1/16-8/31/16 = \$168,031.16

Purchase Orders for period 8/7/16-9/9/16 = \$13,349.90

Cash Receipts for period 8/1/16-8/31/16 = \$3643.44

Motion by Hoffman, seconded by Shepard to approve the **Consent Agenda**. All in favor, motion carried.

OPEN ACTION ITEMS:

The **Fundraising Policy** was presented and reviewed. After discussion, the current policy will be continued with no changes.

Discussion was held on **Building and Grounds**. A tentative date of September 22 is set for the start of concrete removal and pouring for sidewalk behind the building. Jim Smith will be volunteering to work with the tech ed students as a learning experience.

The courtyard may receive a new pergola made by the tech ed class with a donation of materials. Water drainage problems will also be addressed.

Two (2) **Snowplowing Bids** were received from Tony's Wabeno Redi Mix and Stauber Trucking. This will be taken into closed session.

The **WIAA Conference Realignment for the fall of 2017** was shared. The Laona/Wabeno Rebels will be included in the small-11 person football conference with 8 other schools; Crandon, Crivitz, Elcho/White Lake, Florence, Gillett, Suring, Three Lakes/Phelps, and Wausaukee.

Business Manager Discussion was moved to closed.

There is no one available for the **Special Education Director Position** through CESA 8 at this time. Mr. Palubicki has agreed to fill this position for our district. This was taken into closed session.

Mr. Palubicki was contacted by the **Forest Republican** inquiring about the Laona School District using them to publish school board agendas and minutes. The Laona School District currently has their paper of record as the Pioneer Express. After discussion, no change will be made as the Board feels more community members are reached weekly with the Pioneer Express because it's delivered to all residents.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS:

Tiffany Pakulski, **Business Manager**, gave a budget update and feels good about where the budget is at now compared to this time last year. The annual report has also been filed with the Dept. of Public Instruction.

Jim Bradley submitted a written **High School Principal's Report** that can be found on the school website under the District School Board Agenda Board docs link. Other information shared:

- Good opening to the school year
- Thank you to Kim Winkelman and Tiffany Pakulski for all the food prepared for inservice.

• The staff is working hard to provide the best education possible for all students.

Administrator's Report - Mr. Palubicki shared that it's been a smooth transition. He has enjoyed the start of the school year with the students, staff, and community members. He feels it's a fantastic school and is happy to be a part of it.

Board Members shared the following:

Melissa McLaughlin enjoyed the open house and the new lunch tables are fantastic.

Samantha Hoffman brings her children each morning and enjoys being greeted by the new administrator.

Scott Reeves has received good feedback from parents about our new administrator.

Jim Ashinger did a tour of the courtyard and said a good job was done in sprucing it up.

Motion by McLaughlin, seconded by Shepard to **enter into closed session** pursuant to Wis. Statute 19.85 (1)(c) for considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility and (e) competitive bidding.

Motion carried with McLaughlin, Shepard, Aschinger, Reeves, and Hoffman voting yes.

Scott Reeves left the closed meeting at 6:43 p.m.

After **Returning from Closed Session**, the following action was taken:

Motion by Shepard, seconded by McLaughlin to accept Tony's Wabeno Redi Mix snowplowing bid. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Shepard, seconded by Aschinger to approve Tiffany Pakulski receiving a stipend. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Shepard, seconded by Aschinger to offer Larry Palubicki the special education director position. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Shepard, seconded by Aschinger to **Adjourn** the meeting. All in favor, motion carried. (7:22 p.m.)

Candidate Spotlight Cont. from pg. 1


Tourism, forestry and manufacturing are industries that provide great jobs all across the district. We have taken steps to simplify tax policy, invest in workforce development programs, and eliminate bureaucracy and red tape that have been stifling jobs here in Northern Wisconsin. In the last state budget, I also helped ensure the Wisconsin DNR and the federal government could establish the Good Neighbor Authority.

The Good Neighbor Authority allows the state to assist the federal government in managing land in the Chequamegon Nicolet National Forest. This partnership will increase the amount of timber harvested by 25 percent and help Wisconsin's forest products industry grow. The forest products industry supports 60,000 jobs and provides \$4 billion

School District of Wabeno Area Annual School District Meeting Monday, October 24, 2016 - 6:30 P.M. Wabeno High School Auditorium

Agenda

1. Call the meeting to order.
2. Review the qualifications for voting.
3. Election of chairperson.
4. Read and approve the minutes of the last Annual Meeting held on October 26, 2015.
5. Treasurer's report.
6. Presentation of the Budget - President of the Board.
7. Hearing on the budget.
8. Adoption of tax levy.
Action on the following resolution:
Resolve that a tax of \$4,764,880 be and is hereby levied against all real and personal property in the School District of Wabeno Area in the respective proportionate amounts as set forth to be used for operation and capital costs of the elementary and secondary schools of the School District of Wabeno Area.
9. Authorize the board to pay legal fees for actions involving the school district.
10. Authorize the board to provide student accident insurance.
11. Approve regular salaries for Board of Education members and salaries for days spent on school business.
12. Approve payment of actual and necessary expenses of a school board member when traveling in the performance of duties.
13. Approve providing free breakfast and lunch to all students for the 2016-2017 school year and until the Annual Meeting in October 2017.
14. Authorize the board to furnish free textbooks to students.
15. Authorize the board to acquire or dispose of property through purchase or condemnation as they deem necessary.
16. Authorize the board to set the annual meeting date for 2017.
17. Other business.
18. Adjourn.



TOM TIFFANY

STATE SENATE

TOM TIFFANY	KNOW THE FACTS	VAN STIPPEN
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✓ YES	SUPPORTS PROPERTY RIGHTS	NO
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✓ NO	SUPPORTS PAY INCREASE FOR POLITICIANS	YES

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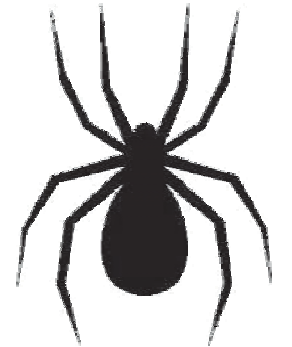
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We also must continue to ensure that our workforce has the skills employers need. There are over 90,000 jobs on the state's job website waiting to be filled and we must continue to invest in job training programs that deliver these skills. This starts with our schools.

With investing in our schools being a top priority, school funding has increased every year since 2012 and remains above the national average. This includes an extra \$100 per student for the most recent school year. I also fought for an additional \$13.4 million specifically for rural schools in the form of Sparsity Aid and High Cost Transportation Aid payments. Fabrication labs are spreading all across the Northwoods with help from state grants. Fab labs are helping connect rural education with 21st Century STEM fields and are providing our children hands-on opportunities to learn the skills they need to succeed.


These inputs, in conjunction with outputs, should be used to evaluate and improve our public schools. Wisconsin's public schools were recently ranked 5th in the nation and our graduation rates are among the best in the country.

As a longtime resident of the Northwoods, my focus has also been on building stronger communities. Recent reforms have helped nearly 15,000 able-bodied adults get off food stamps and find jobs. These are individuals who can now support their families and contribute to their communities. We've also passed reforms to help those struggling with addiction find a pathway to sobriety, while providing more tools for local law enforcement to fight the heroin epidemic.

We've helped our elderly population by fully funding SeniorCare so they can afford their prescription drugs. We also increased funding for families with loved ones suffering from Alzheimer's and dementia.

My work over the last four years has one common theme: empowering individuals. Whether this be jobs, schools, or the community I will continue to fight for families like yours.

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Senior Chatter

Submitted by Kathy O'Melia

Cooking with Color

When you add color to your plate, you are painting the picture of health. Fruits and vegetables in bright hues of red, green, orange and purple are rich in compounds beneficial to health. They help fight disease by reducing the formation of free radicals – molecules that cause oxygen-inducing cellular damage.

Scientists believe the most intensely colored fruit and vegetables have the highest levels of protective nutrients. Several servings may reduce the risk of heart attack, stroke, diabetes, and possibly, cancer, Alzheimers and macular degeneration. The more you consume, the more protection you gain, according to health officials.

Visit the produce aisle in your market at least once a week. You'll find a growing variety of apples, tomatoes, salad greens, squash and melons. Your goal: Include as many in your diet as possible – from 5-9 servings daily.

- Ideas for adding more color to your plate:
- Top your cereal with blueberries, raisins or cranberries
 - Have a slice of melon mid-morning
 - Pack an apple or orange slices every day
 - Toss frozen berries into a smoothie
 - Steam broccoli or asparagus
 - Serve sliced tomatoes with bagged multicolored salad mixes
 - Add orange bell pepper or red cabbage to a stir fry
 - Replace baked potatoes with baked winter squash

Think color for dessert too. Blend a sliced nectarine with chopped dates and walnuts. To help make cooking easier, the American Institute for Cancer Research offers quick and easy healthful recipes at their website, Recipe Corner, www.aicr.org.

Bus Schedule

Tuesday - October 18 - Wabeno, Laona and Crandon to Rhineland by 9 a.m. Walmart complex and Aldi's only. No lunch. Depart Rhineland at 11:45 a.m. - **Bus driver:** Dan Pedersen

Wednesday - October 19 - Armstrong Creek, Newald, Cavour, Laona and Crandon to Rhineland (Crandon and Laona standby) - **Bus driver:** Bob Schultheis

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MEAL SCHEDULE

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Monday - October 17 - Chicken stir fry, brown rice, peas and carrots, fruit, bread, poppyseed cupcake
Monday - October 24 - Pork tamale pie with cornbread crust, sour cream, tossed salad, fruit, tres leches cake
CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK
Tuesday - October 18 - Kielbasa, parsley potato, sourkraut, rye bread, spice cake - **MUSIC: Armstrong Creek**
Tuesday - October 25 - Chicken veronique, roasted red potato, herbed carrots, sourdough bread, chocolate pudding - **BINGO: Armstrong Creek**
CRANDON
Wednesday - October 19 - Cream of broccoli soup, salad bar with chicken, bread stick, brownie - **BINGO**
Wednesday - October 26 - Beef barley soup, salad bar with egg, dinner roll, dessert bar
LAONA, WABENO CONGREGATE
Thursday - October 13 - Pulled pork sandwich on a bun, carrot raisin salad, fruit, apple crisp
Thursday - October 20 - Swedish meatballs, mashed potato, Harvard beets, fruit, corn muffin, peanut butter cookie
ALVIN
Thursday - October 13 - Chili, beans, pears, wheat bread, bar
Thursday - October 20 - Beef tips over noodles, green beans, applesauce, dinner roll, cookie
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.
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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.
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and there is now a nice selection of maternity wear.

Bedding, too, is available; and there are toys and books for the children.

There are no forms to fill out and no questions are asked--everyone is welcome regardless of their income or circumstances and everything is free. Please bring a bag for your items. We look forward to seeing you!

Two more complete the Townsend Centennial Road Warrior Challenge



Cheryl Bank (L) and Ronda Fischer show off their Centennial Road Warrior Challenge T-shirts.

Road Warrior Cont.

Cheryl Bank and Ronda Fischer are the latest walkers to complete the Townsend Centennial Road Warrior Challenge. Cheryl and Ronda teamed up in May to take the challenge of walking a hundred miles for a hundred years to commemorate Townsend's one hundredth birthday. The ladies completed the last leg of the walk in late September.

The course included 97 miles of Town roads, many of which are dead-ends so the total mileage turned out to far more than a hundred. "It was a wonderful chance to rise to a challenge but also to spend quality time with a good friend," Cheryl said. "I thoroughly enjoyed the entire experience. I have to admit that we are both a bit directionally-challenged, so now and then we had to put on some extra miles. We laughed a lot about that, and it was all good."

Ronda concurred. "I enjoyed every single outing with Cheryl. We walked a lot of side roads that I would never have traveled otherwise. Seeing Townsend from the ground up and on foot gave me a deeper appreciation for the natural beauty of the township I call home. And yes, getting the T-Shirt did motivate us to complete all 20 segments of the walk before the October 31 deadline. All in all, the Challenge was a great idea, and I want to compliment the Centennial Committee for organizing it."

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