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Crandon School announces Valedictorians/Salutatorian



From the left: Co-Valedictorian Brooke Berdan, Co-Valedictorian Brooke Kalata and Salutatorian Madison Champine

Crandon High School is pleased to announce the valedictorian and salutatorian for the Class of 2017.

Brooke Berdan and Brooke Kalata are the class of 2017 co-valedictorians. Brooke Berdan is the daughter of Dan and Michelle Berdan. Brooke plans to attend Nicolet College to pursue a degree in nursing with an emphasis in psychiatry. Brooke Kalata is the daughter of Bill and Jody Kalata. Brooke plans to attend University of Wisconsin - Green Bay to pursue a degree in dentistry in hopes of becoming an oral surgeon.

Madison Champine is the salutatorian for the class. Madison is the daughter of Jeremy and Monica Stamper, Madison plans to attend Winona State University to pursue a degree in cell and molecular biology with a minor in Spanish in hopes of becoming a genetic counselor.

Memorial Day Services for Newald, Cavour and Laona

Paul W. Thorton, Commander of Cook Elfors VFW Post #6823 of Laona, has announced Memorial Day services on Monday, May 29 for Newald at 9:00 a.m., Cavour at 10:00 a.m. and Laona at approximately noon following a millitary parade at 11:00 a.m.

The guest speaker will be Joe Verich and the Laona High School Band, under the direction of Steve Benaszeski, will participate in all events. Father Felix Penetrante will read the invocation and the Ladies Auxiliary will join in with the services at Laona.

Following all events, a luncheon will be held at JARS in Laona for all VFW and Auxiliary members and their families. All currently serving personnel, participation veterans and their families are also invited to the luncheon, which will be donated by Jane and Rick Albrecht.

a.m.

All VFW members are to meet at JARS at 7:30

Wabeno 2017 Commencement Speaker William L. **Taylor**

Graduation is next week and all the seniors are (not so patiently) waiting to put on their cap and gowns. This year, the guest speaker will be our very own principal,

Mr. Taylor, son of Richard and Margaret Taylor, was born and raised in Armstrong Creek, Wisconsin. He grew up with two older brothers. He attended Goodman High School, and graduated in 1990. He then continued his education at University of Superior. While there, he earned a Bachelor's degree in science in K-8 education, a minor is social studies, and a Master's degree in educational leadership.

After college, Bill Taylor began his teaching career in 2008 at Wabeno High School, teaching 7th grade science and social studies for four years. His last two years as a teacher, he taught social studies and grammar. In 2014, Mr. Taylor became the Wabeno School principal. In his time here so far, he has coached basketball and football.

Mr. Taylor married Tina, who is a guidance counselor at Crandon High school, and had two children. In his free time he enjoys hunting, fishing, and playing baseball and softball.

Crandon School announces graduation speaker

Brig. Gen. Vincent B. Barker is a native of Crandon, WI. He is a former enlisted United States Marine, having served on active duty from 1981-84. He received his commission from the Army ROTC program at the University of Wisconsin -Stevens Point in 1987. He holds a B.S. Degree in Geography from UW-Stevens Point, an M.S. Degree in Management



and Organizational Behavior from Silver Lake College in Manitowoc, WI, and an M.S. Degree in Strategic Studies from the U.S. Army War College in Carlisle, PA.

Prior to his promotion to Brigadier General and current post as the Commanding General of the 310th Sustainment Command (Expeditionary), headquartered in Fort Benjamin Harrison, IN, his most recent assignment was Chief of Staff, 85th Army Reserve Support Command

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Brian Price, owner of the Crandon Best Western, donates \$1,500 to the Crandon Library



Crandon Librarian Michelle Gobert, along with Library Friend Amy Coughlin, Library Board members Jill krueger, Pete Davison and Cara met with Brian Price, new owner of the Crandon Best Western and his staff, for a check presentation in the amount of \$1,500 in support of the Crandon Public Library's 2017 Summer Reading Program.

Crandon Public Library's summer reading program "Build a Better World" offers children of all ages the opportunity to stay busy all summer by reading and participating in weekly library activities. A full calendar of the library's summer calendar of events will be available soon.

Laona Valedictorian Senior Spotlight - Danielle Johnson

Danielle Johnson, daughter of Paula and Hubert Johnson, is the valedictorian of the Laona High School Class of 2017.



During all four years of high school,

Danielle has played volleyball, basketball, and softball, and was also a member of the National Honor Society. Danielle was a member of student council, the president of her class, and one of Laona's 2016 Badger Girls State Delegates. She has had an active role as a volunteer at the school and in the community, helping with the rescue squad, at blood drives, and at basketball, volleyball, and wrestling tournaments.

On top of completing her high school courses with a 3.95 GPA, Danielle has earned 15 college credits from Nicolet College through the Course Options and Youth Options programs.

Danielle's favorite memory from high school is dressing up during Homecoming week and participating in Battle of the Classes.

This fall Danielle will be attending UW-Oshkosh to pursue a degree in finance.

Laona Salutatorian Senior Spotlight - Kyle Tinsman

Kyle Tinsman, son of Mandi Stamper and Eric Tinsman, is the salutatorian of the Laona High School Class of 2017.

During all four years of high school, Kyle has played football, basketball, and baseball, and was also a member of the National Honor Society. Kyle has been very involved in the school and community by volunteering for



the youth basketball program as a referee and coach, at blood drives, and at his church. Kyle has shown his leadership skills by being a captain on his football and basketball teams, and by participating in Leadercast 2017.

On top of completing his high school courses with a 3.90 GPA, Kyle has earned 9 college credits from Nicolet College through the Course Options and Youth Options programs.

Kyle's favorite memory from high school is when the basketball team won conference 3 years in a row.

This fall Kyle will be attending UW-Green Bay to pursue a degree in secondary education with a focus in mathematics.

Crandon Memorial Day Program Monday, May 29, 2017 **9:00 - Flags lowered in front of Forest County

Veterans Memorial Building

**9:30 - Parade will start at the North end of Lake Ave at the intersection of Hwys 8 & 32/55

- **Band will play Memorial Melody
- **Welcome by Tim Bahr, MC
- **Invocation by Pastor Don Dewing
- **Pledge of Allegiance **Band plays Star Spangled Banner
- **Raising of the Flag by American Legion Honor Guard under command of Larry Alsteen, CDR
- **Introduction of Speaker, HM2 Sherry J. Conley USNR
- **Benediction by Paster Don Dewing
- **Rifle Salute by American Legion Honor Guard
- **Taps
- **Closing by MC Bahr

Laona Lions Trap **Shoot at Padus**

Trap shooters can have a full day of shooting at the Laona Lions Trap Shoot. The shoot is held this year at the Padus Nicolet Gun Club and not at the Cavour range. The Padus club is located on Padus Rd. between Laona and Wabeno. Turn east and you can't miss it!

There are prizes to win, food, refreshments and raffles, and the money raised helps the community! The shooting starts at noon and ends when its over! For more info, call 715-674-4005





Laona Senior

Spotlight -

Reece Westimayer

Reece Westimayer,

son of Joe and Ruby

Westimayer, said his best

high school memory was of

fooling around with his

friends, Nathan and Tripp.

Laona Senior Spotlight -Kaylee Babich



Kaylee Babich - No information provided.



He plans on

working at the Rhinelander

Paper Mill after graduation.

Laona Senior

Spotlight -

Zatrina McGeshick

Zatrina McGeshick, daughter of Tamarr Vollmar (Charlie Marvin), said her favorite high school memories would definitely have to be junior prom with friends and spending time on Myrtle Beach with the whole class.

After high school, she plans to go to St. Norbert College to pursue a degree in biology and pre-med. She will then venture out to medical school in hopes of becoming a pediatric general surgeon.

Laona Senior Spotlight -Fletcher Cleereman



Congratulations & Best Wishes, Abigail Schallock, Kayla Littleton, & Shalynn Stamper













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high school memory would

be the class trip to Myrtle

Nicolet Tech and receive an associate of arts degree.

Laona Senior

Spotlight -

Sarah Matuszewski

She plans to got to

Beach, SC.

He plans to be manager of C.N.V. after graduation.

Cleereman, son of Tom and

Sara, said his best high

school memory was of his

first time trying to weld.

Laona Senior Spotlight -**Bradley Stauber**



Bradley Stauber, son of Gregg and Debbie Stauber, said his favorite memory of high school was making friends, having fun Matuszewski, daughter of with his buddies in school and learning, of course.

He plans on going into the workforce to run with her class for heavy equipment in the homecoming. logging industry.

Laona Senior Spotlight -Kayla McHugh





Laona Senior Spotlight -

Michael Johnvin. son of Michael Johnvin Sr. and Samantha Johnvin, said his favorite high school memory was having a winning season in football his senior year.

He plans on attending Nicolet College in the fall and transferring after two years to pursue a degree in teaching.

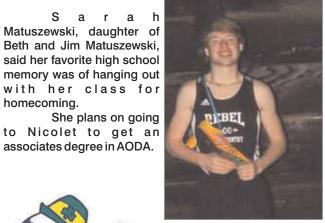
Laona Senior Spotlight -**Preston Olson**



Preston Olson, son of Billie Radliff and Chad Zanon, said his favorite high school memory was of working in the shop room.

He plans to go to NWTC College for Law Enforcement.

Laona Senior Spotlight - Ty Heuer



Ty Heuer, son of Faith Goodacre-Reinke, said his favorite high school memory was of going to state at cross country. It was a blast and he got to meet a lot of tough runners.

He plans to be running at Lawrence University in Appleton.





Beth and Jim Matuszewski,

said her favorite high school

to Nicolet to get an

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Crandon Postmaster offers tips for mailbox maintenance

With summer just a month away, the U.S. Postal Service is asking all area homeowners to inspect and repair their mailboxes.

"Repairing suburban and rural mailboxes The Holt & Balcom Logging Camp Museum in improves the appearance of our community and makes delivering and receiving mail safer for our carriers and

The Postal Service makes this annual request last winter."

Some of the typical activities that may need to be done include:

- Replacing loose hinges on a mailbox door.
- Repainting a mailbox that may have rusted or
 - Remounting a mailbox post if loosened. Replacing or adding house numbers.
- "If a homeowner plans to install a new mailbox or replace a worn one, he or she must use only Postal Service-approved traditional, contemporary or locking full/limited service mailboxes," said Aszman. "Customers should be careful when purchasing curbside mail receptacles because the use of unapproved boxes is

but they must consult with my office to ensure it conforms to guidelines applying to flag, size, strength, and quality of For more information on the use of names or numbers on mailboxes, or answers to any other questions, please contact Crandon Postmaster Jackie Aszman at

175-478-2356.

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Season 2017 Begins at the Holt & **Balcom Logging Camp Museum**



By Kathleen Marie Marsh, Camp Curator

Lakewood is again hosting hundreds of students and dozens of chaperones from area schools. This year we welcome customers," says Crandon Postmaster Jackie Aszman. Wausaukee, Suring and White Lake, and for the first time in recent memory, Oconto and Gillette. It's great fun to watch because of the wear and tear that occurs to mailboxes the excitement build as fourth graders studying Wisconsin every year. "This is especially important after the effects of history bounce off their school buses to "live like a lumberjack" for a couple of hours.

As always, we will be open Summer Saturdays 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. from Memorial Day to Labor Day. Special tours can be arranged by calling Camp Manager Bob Brown (715-276-3505) or Curator Kathleen Marsh (715-276-6515). We started peeling. are excited to welcome three new volunteers to our staff: Kristen Stehula, and Dave and Linda Zuleger. If you would like to get involved, contact Bob Brown (715-276-3505) or Kathleen Marsh (715-276-6515). You will never regret it!

In regard to the Camp, we have good news and bad news. Let's get the bad out of the way first. Last summer, we were shocked to learn that we would need to raise an additional \$25,000 to save the Museum. This is a long story but suffice it to say, the news was devastating. But with very generous donations from Holt descendants Marcia Wahoske and Laurie Davidson, the WPS Foundation, the Kindt Foundation, Bill Leege, Larry Paphlam, and Tom Thielke, we raised enough that we were able to hire Mountain Log Homes to complete an emergency phase of restoration work. However, we are far short of our goal and would be very grateful for donations of any size. Please send (taxdeductible) contributions to: Kathleen Marsh, Curator; Holt &

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Any individual or group may set up a game for kids to play. Anyone wishing to participate may contact the lions by email pearsonpickerellions@gmail.com. or call Christine Giles at 715-219-5216, or Amy Quig at 715-484-

Join the 100 Mile Challenge

This summer the Forest County Health Department encourages people of all ages to get out and enjoy the beautiful scenery of Forest County and improve your health by completing our 100 Mile Challenge. The challenge starts June 1st and ends August 31st and you can walk, run, stroll, bike or paddle your way to better health! Physical activity decreases your risk of disease, makes you stronger, improves your mental health and helps you sleep better. It is also a healthy way to socialize and connect with others.

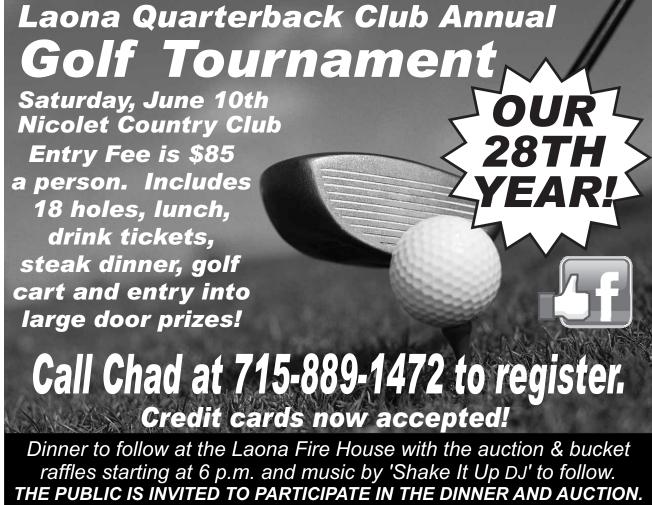
Keep track of your miles on the tracking log and turn them in at the end of August. Those who complete 100 miles or more will be entered into a drawing for a \$100 gift card and will also be added to our 100 Mile Club list of all people who completed the challenge.

There are some other great programs this summer that you won't want to miss and will help you reach your mile goals. There is a 30 Days Wild Program that will get you and your family out exploring nature and a Library Summer Bingo Program- watch for more information coming soon from the Crandon Public Library. There will be a Garden Tour in July and there are multiple opportunities to enter 5K walk/runs this summer. You can stay tuned of current events on the Forest County Chamber of Commerce Website at www.goforestcounty.com.

Also, Forest County has received designation as a Scenic Byway in honor of two of its nationally recognized resources; the Wolf River and the Nicolet National Forest. A variety of recreational opportunities are available ranging from activities on the multi-use trail systems to water based sports. There will be a mobile friendly website that will allow you to explore the Byway's trails maps with parking information, campgrounds and more. Stay tuned! If you have ever wanted to visit some of the walking/hiking trails but you are not sure where to go or how to get there, we will be having some group walks this summer to help you out. The first walk will be June 14th at Rat River Trail in Blackwell. We will meet at the Blackwell Town Hall at 6:00 pm. On June 21st we will meet at the Crandon Farmer's Market on the courthouse grounds at 3:30 p.m. and walk part of the Crandon City Pedestrian Trail. We will publish a full list of other group walks soon.

Visit the Health Department at the courthouse in

Crandon or a Forest County library to pick up a packet or go to www.forestcountypublichealth.org to print your own. The website will have other resources and links to help you along the way. Like us on Facebook to follow the progress and get more tips. If you have questions about your health or your activity level, please talk with your doctor. Please feel free to call us with any questions at 715-478-3371.



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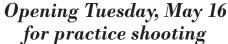
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in Arlington Heights, IL. Before serving as Chief of Staff, Brig. Gen. Barker served as the Assistant Chief of Staff, Operations (G3). From March 2012 to March 2014, Brig. Gen. Barker commanded the Army Sustainment Command - Army Reserve Element, Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, IL. He served as Assistant Chief of Staff, G4, 85th Support Command in 2011.

Prior to being promoted to Colonel, he served as the Executive Officer, 646th Regional Support Group, United States Army Reserve, in Madison, WI. In June 2010 he returned from a nine month deployment with HQ, 82nd Airborne Division, Bagram, Afghanistan, in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. From September 2006 to September 2009 he commanded the 757th Transportation Battalion (Railway), in Milwaukee, WI.

Other assignments since receiving his commission include: Company and Battalion Fire Support Officer, Battery Fire Direction Officer, Battalion Intelligence Officer, Battery Commander, Logistics Operations Officer, and Battalion Executive Officer. He mobilized in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom from September 2003 to March 2004, serving as a Reserve Affairs Liaison Officer at HQ, U.S. 3rd Army/Coalition Forces Land Component Command (CFLCC), Camp Doha, Kuwait. He later mobilized again for two years serving at Ft. McCoy, WI, as the Senior Operations Officer, and later Chief of the Mobilizing Unit In-Processing Center, Brig. Gen. Barker is a 2012 graduate of the United States Army War College His military education also includes the Advanced Joint Primary Military Education Course, U.S. Army Command & General Staff College, the Combined Arms Services Staff School, Senior Transportation Officer Qualification Course, Support Operations Course, Field Artillery Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, and the Marine Corps Communication & Electronics School.

Brig. Gen. Barker's awards include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal w/2 oak leaf clusters, the Joint Service Commendation Medal, the Army Commendation Medal w/2 oak leaf clusters, the Joint Service Achievement Medal, the Army Achievement Medal w/oak leaf cluster, the Marine Corps Good Conduct Medal, the Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal w/silver oak leaf cluster, National Defense Service Medal w/Service Star, Afghanistan Campaign Medal w/campaign star, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Military

Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal w/Bronze hourglass, "M" device, and "3" device, Army Service Ribbon, Army Reserve Component Overseas Training Ribbon w/"3" device, the Navy-Marine Corps Sea Service Deployment Ribbon, and the NATO (Afghanistan) Medal.

In 2015 Brig. Gen. Barker retired from his civilian career, having worked over 23 years as an Adjudicator and Adjudication Supervisor with the State of Wisconsin, Department of Workforce Development, Unemployment Insurance Division.

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building, and operating the sophisticated robot. This camp is perfect for students who love to tinker, love programming or design, or simply have an imaginative mind and like to explore new things."

aircraft operation and have the opportunity to fly a

the basis for some of the most rapidly growing careers in the nation, said Nicolet College Career Coach Joe Haferman.

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For more information about the camp, and to register, visit nicoletcollege.edu/robot or call the college at (715) 365-4493, 1-800-544-3039, ext. 4493; TTY 1-800-947-3529 or 711. Questions can also be directed to careercoach@nicoletcollege.edu.

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The four-day camp will run from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, June 26 to 29, in Northwoods Center 207 on the Nicolet campus.

Cost is \$30 and includes lunch each day. The camp is subsidized by a grant from the AMN-NW Gold Collar Careers and Collaborative Efforts in Manufacturing

initiative in conjunction with the Wisconsin Technical College System.

Seating is limited with students admitted on a

Robotics Club. "This includes designing, programming,

Students will also be introduced to drone

quadcopter, Wojtusik added. The skills participants will learn in the camp are

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FIVE FAMILY SALE: CRANDON - 4580 Sportsman Lane, Lake Metonga. Friday and Saturday, May 26 and 27, 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. Twin bed frame, bedspreads, wood garbage bins, home accessories, plants, clothes and much more. P7

HUGE RUMMAGE SALE: CRANDON - 4419 E. Lakeview St., East shore of Lake Metonga. Thursday and Friday, May 25 and 26, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.; and Saturday, May 27, 8 a.m. noon. Antiques, bedding, quilt and wool blankets, books, furniture, large otter sled, crocks, x-mas tree and decor, old English riding boots, pewter, lots of great women's clothing, skis, oil lamps, oil paintings, household, toys and guy stuff.

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> **4 FAMILY RUMMAGE** SALE: CRANDON - Keith and Linda Gade residence, 401 S. Wisconsin Ave. Saturday, May 27, 9 a.m. whenever. Over 20 tables and garage. 22 foot Terry camper, 2004 Jeep Liberty, guns, tools, antiques, vacuum cleaner, legos, cash register, jewelry, record player. Way too much to list. Come check us out! P7

> **MULTI-FAMILY RUMMAGE** SALE & MAN CAVE: CRANDON - 404 S. Wisconsin Ave. May 26 and 27, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

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RUMMAGE SALE: CRANDON - 106 N. Boulevard Ave. Friday, May 26, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. and Saturday, May 27, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Men's and women's clothing/shoes, baby girl clothing newborn and up (great condition and name brand), lots of toys (age range: baby to toddler), hunting and fishing items, cutting torch, Sawzall, household items, decorations, drugstore and high end makeup, beauty products.

LAKEWOOD

HUGE GARAGE SALE: LAKEWOOD - 15917 Archibald Lake Rd. May 26 and 27, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Sporting, bows, bamboo rods, ultra-lite canoe, old motors, ice drill, game mounts, antlers, antiques, all size clothes, ATV, UTV, lots of misc.

GARAGE/MOVING SALE: LAKEWOOD - 17289 Pinkowsky Lane off East Chain Lake Rd. Saturday, May 27 only, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Tools, household, boat and motor. P7

MULTI-FAMILY **RUMMAGE: LAKEWOOD** - 17361 Lake John Rd (Cty F to Lake John Rd). Friday & Saturday, May 26-27, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Wool & cotton fabric, yarn, jewelrymaking supplies, handmade felted knit purses, medical scrubs (size M), boys' clothes size 5-6, lawn trimmers, FoodSaver, computer desk, NEW Usborne children's books at half off retail!

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ARMSTRONG CREEK

RUMMAGE SALE: **ARMSTRONG CREEK -**1309 Hwy. 8. May 25-26, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.; And May 27-28, 8 a.m. - noon. Items for kitchen, living room and bedroom, clothes, jewelry, furniture and misc.

LAONA

RUMMAGE SALE: LAONA - 4501 Airport Lane. May 26-27, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Household, furniture, men's, women's and girls' infant to toddler clothing.

RUMMAGE SALE: LAONA - 5485 Beech St. Friday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Sunday, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Jewelry, purses, jeans, shoes, cleats and pants, clothing, Avon, Pampered Chef, Rooster stuff and much more.

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TWO PARTY RUMMAGE SALE: ARGONNE - 8524 Zimmer Lane. Friday, May 26, 4:30 - 7 p.m.; Saturday, May 27, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Lots of clothes (kids to adult sizes), Red Avon glass, perennials, camping tents, toys, Bradford bird plates, 4 ft. Jewelry armoire, Halloween decor and much more. Rain or shine!

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RUMMAGE SALE: PICKEREL - 9127 Doemel Ln.. North shore Crane Lake. May 27 and 28, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Misc. Household, yard tools, furniture, life vests, helmets, oil lamps, lawn mower, aluminum boat, ATV, pump and more.

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TOWNSEND

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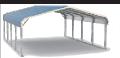
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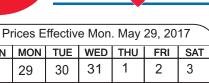












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Sunday, June 11 (10:30AM)(New London, WI) (Outagamie Co.)

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Mr. Joe Doleshal passed away. (Most items excellent)
Sun. May. 28 Starts 10:30 AM (View 9:30) (Lunch) 11
mile west of Watersmeet MI on Hwy. US 2 to N. Cisco Lk. Rd., North to Old US 2 West & S. Beatons Lk. Rd. (across from Roger's Bar) 2 miles to E. Beatons Lk. Rd., 1 mile to (6315) Mini Excavator: Kobelco 35 SR2 (2400 hours) Bulldozer: D2 Cat Loader: Michigan 55B (new engine/trans) Grader: Galion Mod. 503 Roller: John Deere tire compactor 1955 Oshkosh Truck: w/v-plow & wing, 220 Cummin, 22,000 miles (stored inside) 1-Ton Dump Truck: Ford F-350 Compact Tractor: Farm Trac 30 4wd w/loader + grapple (700 hours) **Farmall Tractors:** H (running), MD (single wheel), W-4 & (2) C 3pt. attachments, Hydraulic Log Grapple loader on wheels: Gas self contained Wallenstein 3pt. Skidding Winch: Like new Commercial Tiller: rear tine (pd.\$2300) Like new Portable Saw Mills: Wood-Mizer LT10, Chainsaw mill Firewood Wrapper: Wood Beaver bundle wrapper (pd.\$2,400) Like New Commercial Wood-splitter: Timber Wolf TW5 w/Honda 11hp Like New ATV: Kawasaki 4wd Trailers: 14' Dump trailer, Rugged Road tandem, Triton portion trailer, 5x10 enclosed, tri-axle flat bed, boat & more! Tools, Sporting + Outdoors items. 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

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Meeting set for Little Rice Lake Lake Management Plan to be developed

Fishing used to be pretty good on Little Rice Lake in the town of Crandon. But a couple of tough winters and changes in the way the lake water levels are managed have created challenges with fishing and access for property owners, according to Chris Dockry, a property owner on the

There will be a meeting at 6 p.m., June 10, at Mays Bar, 11696 Old Highway 8 Road. All lake property owners and others interested in helping or learning more about Little Rice Lake are welcome. At the meeting, there will be discussion of creating a lake association and raising funds to create a lake management plan. A grant for the creation of a lake management plan has been obtained.

Little Rice Lake is a flowage on the Wolf River and water levels are controlled by a dam along Old 8 Road. Dockry said through the years he has owned property on the lake there have been occasional fish kills during harsh winters including in 2006.

But Dockry said in consecutive winters of 2012-13 and 2013-14, the winter fish kills were about 98 percent,

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ANOTHER AUCTION WITH COL. RENÉ BRASS www.colrene.net

Lake home with 200' +/- of sandy frontage on 2+/- acres! Carl Nisen passed away. All Being Sold to highest bidder w/no reserve! Fri. June. 16 -(10:30AM) Arbor Vitae, WI (Vilas Co.)

2 miles west of Woodruff, WI on Hwy. 47 to right on Mattke Rd. (#1510)

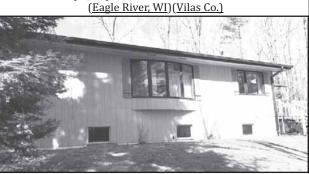


Well maintained lake home over looking Sumach Lake. Home includes lovely kitchen w/granite counter tops & Hickory cabinets, 2 full bathrooms, full walk

out basement, + so much more! Property also features a 2 car garage. All being sold to the highest bidder! Terms; \$7,500 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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Lake home with 100' +/- of frontage on Dollar Lake! Mr. Robert Friedl passed away. All Being Sold to highest bidder with no reserve! Sunday, July 16. Starts at 10:30 A.M.



One mile East of Eagle River, WI on Hwy. 70 to Dollar Lake Road, 1/2 mile to Tackle Trail (4131)

Beautiful 3 bedroom lake home features an open concept, Lg. bay windows overlooking the lake, full basement, extensive storage and an attached 3 seasons porch. Property also includes a 2 car garage and a black top driveway, all in a park like setting!

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Mr. Mark Jeske has passed away. (Most items excellent) Sunday, June 4 Starts 10:30 AM (View 9:30) (Lunch)

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Home on Thousand Island Lake with 200 feet of frontage and 3 acres! Russ & Carolyn Paepke passed away!



Wednesday, June 21 10:30 a.m. Watersmeet, Michigan (Gogebic Co.)

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Michelle Herminath, Jody Fryar, Brandon and Brenda \_God bless you ~ 

## Thank You

Thank you to the Crandon Nursing Home staff, residents, and the whole Crandon community for your support during the difficult time of closing AGI Healthcare. We could not have gotten through it without your prayers, hugs and support. We have a great community family.

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WE NEED YOUR HELP PLEASE! Recently someone stole our European elk mount out of the bar. We would like it back. If you have any contact Sherry at 715-478-241 or PO Box 6, Crandon, WI 54520 or Facebook as Sherry Sparks Connor. Thank you! - Sherry and Jim Sparks



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## Aide & Housekeeping

Applications may be filled out online at www.nu-roc.com or call Corie LaRocque at 715-674-4477.
All applications for all departments are kept on file for future employment. Feel free to apply.



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#### Help Wanted School District of Wabeno Area

#### K-12 Math Interventionist

**Job Description:** One full time K-12 Math Interventionist Position for the School District of Wabeno Area for the 2017-2018 school year. This position is a full time position. This candidate will be running K-12 interventions for math. We are looking for an energetic individual with a passion for teaching to join our team. Candidates should be familiar with a variety of teaching strategies and a willingness to work with students in grade levels K-12.

**Qualifications:** Candidates must have appropriate DPI Licenses. Wisconsin DPI certification in regular education (1777) is required. **Requirements:** Candidates must have appropriate DPI licensure. (1777 Regular Education)

**How to Apply**: Interested and licensed candidates may apply through WECAN or may submit a letter of interest, resume, transcripts, copy of license(s), three (3) current letters of reference to: Jennifer Vogler, District Administrator, PO Box 460 Wabeno, WI 54566. This position will remain open until filled.

#### **Elementary Library Aide**

The School District of Wabeno Area has a full-time elementary library aide position available for the 2017-2018 school year. This position will be 37.5 hours per week. The duties will include facilitating elementary library classes (under the direction of the district librarian), checking out/checking in library materials, reshelving materials, and assisting with lunchroom and playground supervision. Individual must have a high school diploma and post-secondary education. Preference will be given to those applicants with library experience and computer/technology skills. Applications are available in the administrative office.

**Applications** and complete job description can be picked up at the district office, located at the Wabeno Elementary School, or on the school's website at <a href="https://www.wabeno.k12.wi.us">www.wabeno.k12.wi.us</a> on the District Home Page under "Employment Opportunities." Interested persons must submit an application and list of three current references with contact information, either in person or by mail no later than 12:00 P.M. on Monday, June 5, 2017 to the District Office, or mail them to: Jennifer Vogler, District Administrator, PO Box 460, Wabeno, WI 54566.

#### Wabeno/Laona Athletic Director

The Wabeno and Laona School Districts are seeking a new athletic director. These school districts co-op the athletic programs. The athletic director is responsible for scheduling games and referees, arranging bus transportation for games and practices, planning people to work at the athletic events, monitoring/supervising athletic events, practices, and events, evaluating coaches, participating in the interview process and making recommendations for coaches, participating in NLC athletic director meetings, fulfill all WIAA obligations, and other duties associated with this position. People interested in this position should complete a job application located on the School District of Wabeno Area webpage or stop by the Wabeno or Laona District office to pick up an application for this position. Please provide three (3) letters of recommendation and a resume with the application, either in person or by mail, no later than 4:00 P.M. on Monday, June 5, 2017 to the District Office, or mail them to: Jennifer Vogler, District Administrator, PO Box 460, Wabeno, WI 54566.

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#### School District of Laona Vacancy K-12 School Counselor

The School District of Laona is seeking a K-12 school counselor. The school counselor works collaboratively with teachers, administrators, families and community organizations to design and deliver a comprehensive system of student supports.

Applicants must have a Master's Degree in school counseling and have or be eligible to obtain a Wisconsin Dept of Public Instruction (DPI) School Guidance Counselor license.

Please submit a letter of interest, resume, transcripts, copy of license and 3 current letters of reference by Friday, June 9, 2017 to: Larry Palubicki, District Administrator, 5216 Forest Ave Suite A, Laona, WI 54541.

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#### **Town of Laona Job Posting**

The Laona Town Board is accepting applications for 3 to 4 people to work July 11th to August 3rd , for the summer park-n-rec program in Laona.

Applicants who are 16yrs or older are preferred. The job will be approximately 24 hours per week (Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursdays). The applicant will be required to help supervise 20-40 kids ages 6-13. There will be field trips, indoor activities and considerable time will be spent at the beach.

Anyone interested is encouraged to stop in and fill out an application at the Laona Town Hall. Hiring will be approved by the Town Board based upon requirements, qualifications and experience. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all applications. Please have your application in by June 7th, 2017 to be considered.

The Town of Laona would also appreciate any one over 15 years of age who would like to volunteer their time to help supervise the children, pending approval from the director. Volunteers may be eligible for free admission for field trips if they volunteer for a minimum of 2 days before each field trip, pending approval from the director. The program is sponsored by the town, but is mostly run of off donations, any volunteering is greatly appreciated.

Any questions please call Erin Lane, Clerk 715-674-4071. Applications can be picked up at the Laona Town Hall 5146 Linden Street, Laona.

## **HELP WANTED**

#### **Town of Laona Job Posting**

The Laona Town Board is accepting applications for a cook for the summer park-n-rec program that runs from July 11th to August 3rd.

Applicants must be 18yrs or older. Cooking experience is preferred! The applicant will be required to prepare and cook breakfast, lunch and snack for 30-40 children and then clean up after each meal. The job will be approximately 24 hours per week (Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursdays).

Anyone interested is encouraged to stop in and fill out an application at the Laona Town Hall. Hiring will be approved by the Town Board based upon requirements, qualifications and experience. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all applications. Please have your application in by 3:00pm, June 7th, 2017 to be considered.

Any questions please call Erin Lane, Clerk 715-674-4071. Applications can be picked up at the Laona Town Hall 5146 Linden Street, Laona.



#### **Help Wanted** School District of Wabeno Area

#### **Kindergarten Teaching Position**

Job Description: The School District of Wabeno Area has a Kindergarten Teaching Position available for the 2017-2018 school year. This is a full time, regular Co-teaching position. Wisconsin DPI certification in elementary education is required, K-6 preferred. Dual licenses are a plus for this position. We are seeking a qualified teacher who possesses skills in the current initiatives in the state of Wisconsin including successful completion of student teaching experience, knowledge of current reading and math practices, Rtl as well as PBIS.

Qualifications: We are looking for an energetic individual with a passion for teaching to join our team. We are seeking a professional who is a team player and is dedicated to making a difference in the lives of children.

Requirements: Wisconsin DPI certification in elementary education is required, K-6 preferred.

How to Apply: Interested and licensed candidates may apply through WECAN or may submit a letter of interest, resume, transcripts, copy of license(s), three (3) current letters of reference to: Jennifer Vogler, District Administrator, PO Box 460 Wabeno, WI 54566. This position will remain open until filled.

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## Eastview by MGM Healthcare

MEDICAL & REHABILITATION CENTER

## **Full-Time RN** Clinical Manager **AM Shift Monday - Friday**

Sign On Bonus of \$5,000.00 On call every 3rd week Pay based on experience Previous experience preferred CPR Certification Wound Certified a plus

#### **Benefits Available:**

-Medical -Paid Holiday -Dental -Paid Vacation -Vision -401K

-Paid Tuition

Apply at Eastview Medical and Rehabilitation Center or contact Cindy Papendieck at 715-623-2356 x2011 Or apply online at http://eastview.jobapponline.com

Drug-Free/EOE

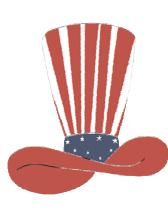
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## **HELP WANTED**

## Waitress & Kitchen Help



Willing to Train Apply in person at the Log Cabin Cafe, 502 S. Lake Ave. Crandon, WI 54520



#### **NOTICE-ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR A FULL-TIME DEPUTY SHERIFF POSITION**

Forest County Sheriff's Department is now accepting applications for a full time Deputy Sheriff position.

Individuals will be required to work day and/or night shifts, weekends, and holidays as shift rotations dictate.

Salary & Benefits: The hourly starting rate of pay for this position is \$21.70 per hour, with wage increases to \$24.01 per hour after two years of service, based on 2017 wages.

Qualifications: Must be 21 years of age; US citizen; high school graduate or equivalent; have valid Wisconsin driver's license; have earned 60 college credits or an Associates Degree or a Bachelors Degree from an accredited institution in a related field, or is able to obtain 60 college credits within the first five years of employment, and is eligible to be certified per State of Wisconsin standards; have successfully completed Wisconsin certified recruit training or will complete recruit training prior to appointment, or presently be certified as a law enforcement officer by the State of Wisconsin; ability to use all police equipment, and have the ability to physically perform all police tasks.

Apply: Submit Wisconsin Law Enforcement Standards Board form, DJ-LE-330 (forms available at the Forest County Sheriff's Department or on www.wilenet.org), by Thursday, June 1st, 2017 at 12:00 PM, to the Forest County Sheriff's Department, 100 South Park Avenue, Crandon, WI 54520 Attention: Chief Deputy Alex Walrath. Please include a cover letter, a current DJ-LE-330 application, and a resume. All questions on the application MUST be completed. This includes Section 6 - Questions A, B & C and your social security number. Applications that are not completely and accurately filled out will be rejected.

NOTE: Successful applicants will be required to submit to oral interviews, an extensive background investigation, a physical fitness test, and a medical and drug examination.

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## **Position Vacancy-Bus/Van Driver**

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. 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, Monday, June 12th, 2017.

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#### **COMMUNITY BILLBOARD**

- Nashville Craft & Flea Market Hwy 55 & B Crandon. Opening Thursday, May 25, 2017. 10 a.m.- 4 p.m. For info, call Lindy at 715-484-3152.
- Senior Snoop Shop check-In days are Wednesday, May 24<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, May 25<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m to 2:00 p.m. The official opening day of the shop will be Friday, May 26<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. til 4:00 p.m. The shop will be open six days a week, closed on Sundays.
- 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.
- Forest Larger Parish Presbyterian Church Sunday Worship: Lakewood 8:00 (15552 Hwy. 32), Wabeno 10:00 (4347 North Branch St.), Laona 11:30 (5265 Linden St.). Call 715-473-3603 for more information
- 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.
- St John Lutheran Church 5502 Beech Street, Laona, Sunday Service at 8:00 a.m. Bible School Mondays at 3:30 p.m.
- Trinity Evengelical 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 Wed. at 2 p.m.
- Lakeland Baptist Church Sunday Service at 10 a.m, Sunday School 9 a.m. Sunday night at 5 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 6 p.m.
- St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS) 501 N. Park Avenue, Crandon. Sunday worship service at 9 a.m.; Youth Bible School (grades pre k - 8) on Wednesday at 3:45 - 5 p.m. 715-478-5620.
- Overeaters Anonymous meeting Thursday at 4:30 p.m. in the basement of the Crandon Library. Contact Debra at 715-784-0031 for more information.
- 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 public is always welcome.
- Crandon Lions Board Meetings 1st Monday of the month at Ducks Bar at 6 p.m.
- **Pickerel area 50 Plus** will meet at St John's Church on Thursday, May 11th at 12 noon. Our guest speaker is from the Health Aging Admin. Bring friends and a dish to pass.
- 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. February - May meetings held at Ducks.
- Nashville Town Board Meeting Wednesday, May 17th at 7 p.m.
   1038 County Rd. Q, Pickerel.
- 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.
- Nashville Craft & Flea Market Will open for the season at the Nashville Town Hall May 25, 2017. Interested vendors or for more information, call Lindy at 715-484-3152.
- **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.
- Wellbriety 12 Step Meeting (AA/NA) Mondays at 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
- AA Meeting Antigo Hospital, Saturdays at 7:00 p.m.
- AA Meeting White Lake, Sundays at 10 a.m. 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

#### **Janitorial Services Bid Request**

The School District of Laona is accepting bids for janitorial services beginning July 1, 2017. General bid instructions are as follows:

- 1. The Board of Education is requesting bids to furnish janitorial services for the School District of Laona for one year beginning July 1, 2017. The agreement may be extended for two (2) additional years by mutual agreement.
- 2. It shall be the responsibility of the bidder to field study all facilities prior to bidding. Appointments can be made by contacting Travis Matuszewski, Maintenance Director, at 715-674-2143 ext. 207.
- 3. The School District of Laona reserves the right to reject any and all bids; to accept bids either in whole or in part and to waive any irregularities or defects in any proposals should it be deemed to be in the best interest of the School District to do so. The Board of Education further reserves the right to negotiate a reduction in any bid.
- 4. Awarding of the contract will be made by the District on the basis of the proposal which, in the District's sole and absolute judgment, will best serve the interests of the District.
- 5. References of at least two (2) other school districts currently being serviced by the contractor are recommended.
- Bid prices shall include all labor (hourly rate specific), applicable taxes and expenses necessary to provide services as specified.

#### **District Contract**

For the purpose of this contract and to request a list of the full contractor's qualifications and bid specifications, Mr. Larry Palubicki (District Administrator - ext. 202) or Travis Matuszewski (Maintenance Director - ext. 207) shall be designated District contacts. The telephone number which they may be reached at is 715-674-2143.

#### **Term of Contract**

The contractor shall enter into a contract for providing janitorial services for a period from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018. The District reserves the right to extend the contract without bidding upon mutual agreement between the contractor and the District.

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## SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CRANDON CHILD FIND & CHILD SCREENING

#### The SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CRANDON

will be offering speech and language and general developmental screenings for all children ages 3-5 years old who reside within the School District of Crandon. It will be held in the Elementary School, Room 13 on June 7th, 8th, and 9th from 7am-5pm each day.

The goal of this developmental screening is to determine whether children are performing skills appropriate for their age level.

There are no appointments needed for screening. Your child will not be separated from you. All children screened will receive a free Cardinal T-shirt and goody bag.

For questions call

Valerie Wagoner at 715-478-6142.

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA REQUEST FOR BIDS

The School District of Wabeno Area is seeking bids for a 2000 71 passenger Blue Bird –I/C, stick shift transmission, with approximately 149,000. If interested, please call Lee Mattern at 715-473-2603 for more information, or to set up a time to view the bus.

Bids must be received either in person or by mail no later than 3:00 P.M., Tuesday, June 6, 2017. A minimum bid of \$900.00 is required. Bids should be submitted to: Jennifer Vogler, District Administrator, PO Box 460, Wabeno, WI 54566.

The board has the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

#### Wabeno School Lunch Menu May 29-June 2

Monday - Memorial Day NO SCHOOL

**Tuesday** - Assorted pizza, garlic bread, oven roasted baby reds, assorted fresh fruit, garden salad, milk

Wednesday - Italian chicken strips, buttered noodles, mandarin oranges, corn, garden salad, milk

Thursday - Taco bar, nachos w/ cheese, watermelon, garden bar, milk

**Friday** - Hamburger or brat, potato salad, corn on the cob, strawberries, garden salad, milk

#### Wabeno School Breakfast Menu May 29-June 2

Monday - Memorial Day -NO SCHOOL

Tuesday - Breakfast sandwich, mixed fruit, fruit juice, milk

Wednesday - Scrambled eggs, sausage patties, breakfast potatoes, citrus fruit cup, fruit juice, milk

**Thursday** - Breakfast taco with tomato salsa, kiwi, fruit juice, milk

**Friday** - Whole grain cereal, banana, fruit juice, milk

## **Notice - Town of Laona**

Town of Laona property owners please make sure you bring your garbage/recycling cans up from the road within 12 hrs of pick up. This is pursuant of town ordinance 13.02(5.3)

Laona Town Board

#### Little Rice: Continued from Page 15

leaving the lake with almost no fish in the spring of 2014. Dockry said the lake levels, which are normally lowered in the fall, were not handled well.

Part of the cause was an old leaky dam that has since been replaced. In addition, the winters were cold and snowy.

Dockry said about three years ago, there was a complaint that lake levels were not being maintained according to a 1985 order that had set the levels. Over the years, water levels had usually been higher than the 1985 order.

So the DNR began managing the dam so lake levels meet the 1985 order. The result, according to Dockry, has been a proliferation of weeds and wild rice. He said it has limited access to the lake for some property owners.

A meeting was held with the DNR in July 2015. It was well attended and allowed the 84 property owners as well as other interested parties to provide some feedback to the DNR.

Dockry said the DNR told everyone that no action could be taken unless a lake management plan was created. Little Rice Lake does not have a lake association so Dockry took \$800 out of his own pocket to hire Flambeau Engineering of Park Falls to help write a lake planning grant.

The grant application was initially denied, in part because there was no lake association. But funds became available and the next step is to raise \$7,000 in private funds for creation of a lake management plan. Dockry said that is one-third of the cost for a lake management plan. It is possible that some of the private investment could include in-kind donations, such as helping to collect water samples, measure water clarity and compile data from surveys.

To get this done, Dockry said creation of a lake association is the next likely step. To get involved, people are encouraged to attend the meeting at 6 p.m., June 10, at Mays Bar, 11696 Old Highway 8 Road. There will be two additional meetings as the lake management plan progresses.

#### Public Library Hours

Lakes Country Public Library - Lakewood - Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Wednesday 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Story Time: Wednesdays at 10 a.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 - HOURS: Monday: noon to 5 p.m., Tuesday thru Thursday: 8:30 a.m. to 4 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.

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** - Open everyday from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend, 10:30 a.m. to 4:30

## Bids & Notices

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, JUNE 7, 2017

**Elementary Library - Wabeno Elementary School** 6:30PM **AGENDA** 

- Call to Order
- II. Roll call

V.

- Pledge of Allegiance III.
- IV. Agenda Approval
  - 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 Regular School Board Meeting on May 3, 2017, and Special School Board Meeting on May 11.
- Approval of Vouchers and Payroll VII.
- VIII. Informational Items
  - Jennifer Vogler, District Administrator, will present updates and
  - Allison Space, Elementary Principal, will present updates and information. b.
  - Bill Taylor, Jr./Sr. High School Principal, will present updates and c. information.
- d. **Board Member Reports**
- IX. Action Items
  - Discuss and take possible action on the resignation of the elementary a. library aide position.
  - b. Discuss and take possible action on the resignation of a teacher.
  - Discuss and take possible action on 2017-2018 Membership with the c. Community Coalition of Forest County,
  - d. Discuss and take possible action on 2017-2018 Forest County Chamber of Commerce Membership.
  - Discuss and take possible action on girl's basketball team overnight trip. e.
  - f. Discuss and take possible action on 2018 Senior Class Trip.
  - Discuss and take possible action on purchasing student chrome books. g.
  - Discuss the Achievement Gap Reduction (AGR) 2016-2017 goals. h.
  - Discuss and take action on the 2017-2018 elementary student handbook. Discuss and take action on the 2017-2018 junior high/high school student
  - handbook
  - k. Discuss and report on Seclusion and Restraint for the 2016-2017 school
  - Discuss and take possible action on designating the district's fund balance 1. at the end of the 2016-2017 school year.
  - Discuss and take action on the designation of banks as depositories for m. district funds.
  - Discuss process of selling school property. n.
- X. Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes 19.85 (1) (c) (e) (f) 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
  - Maintenance supervisor contract for 2017-2018 a.
  - b. Support staff member contract for 2017-2018
  - Elementary principal, JH/HS principal, Director of Special Education and c.
- XI.
- XII.

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

## district administrator wages and contracts for 2017-2018 d. Review open enrollment survey information Return to open session to take possible action on items discussed in closed session.

Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDKD) suggests small changes to maintain a healthy weight. For example, the NIDDKD suggests that people drink a glass of water before meals, eat off smaller plates and use whole grain bread. Each of these small actions can help you maintain a healthy weight and positively impact your health.

If you believe you may be at risk for developping type-2 diabetes, speak to your healthcare provider. Medicare may cover a diabetes screening. Generally, Medicare Part B covers diabetes screenings any of the following: hypertension, a history of abnormal cholesterol and triglyceride levels, or a history of high blood sugar. Additionally, Medicare may cover your diabetes screening if you are obese. Part B may also cover these tests if you meet two or more of the following criteria: you are at least 65 years old, you are overweight, or you have a family history of diabetes or gestational diabetes.

For more information, visit: https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/diabetes/index.htm, https://www.medicare.gov/coverage/diabetesscreenings.html, http://www.diabetes.org/are-you-at-risk/, or https://www.niddk.nih.gov/healthinformation/diabetes/overview/preventing-type-2diabetes/50-ways.

#### **Bus Schedule**

Monday - June 5 - Alvin, Nelma, Laona ana Crandon to Rhinelander - Bus driver: Dan Pedersen

Tuesday - June 6 - Carter, Wabeno, Laona and Crandon to Rhinelander - Bus driver: Dan Pedersen

Wednesday - June 7 - Armstrong Creek, Cavour, Newald, Popple River, Laona and Crandon to Iron Mountain - Bus driver: Dan Pedersen

Thursday - June 8 - Hiles, Argonne and Crandon to Rhinelander - Bus driver: Dan Pedersen

For reservations please call the bus driver for **Bob Shepherd: 715-478-2683** Dan Pedersen: 715-478-4254

#### **School District of Crandon - Summer Food Service Program**

Stressing the importance of offering nutritious meals to children during the summer months, the School district of Crandon announces the sponsorship of the Summer Food Service Program.

The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP), which is funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and is administered by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, provides nutritious meals to children during the summer, when free and reduced-price school meals are typically unavailable. Free meals will be made available to children 18 years of age and under. Persons over 18 years of age who are determined by a state or local public educational agency to be mentally or physically disabled and who also participate in a public or private non-profit school program during the regular school year may receive free meals as well.

Crandon Elementary School cafeteria will be serving the free meals this summer at the School District of Crandon location, 9750 US Highway 8 W, Crandon, WI. Breakfast and lunch will be served from June 12th through July 24th, Monday thru Friday, excluding weekends. Breakfast is served from 7:30 a.m. -8:30 a.m. and lunch is served from 10:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Meals are provided to eligible children regardless of race, color, national origin, age, gender or disability and there will be no discrimination in the course of meal service.

"This program fills a void created when school lunches are not available," said Dr. Kryder.. "Helping parents meet the nutritional needs of their children is the strength of this program."

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#### **TOPIC OF THE MONTH** "Staying Well" **MEAL SCHEDULE**

#### **CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA**

Monday - May 29 - No Meal - HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY Monday - June 5 - Pork chop, roasted red potato, cauliflower, dinner roll, cran-appe crisp CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK

Tuesday - May 30 - Chicken alfredo pasta, broccoli, fruit, Italian bread, marble cake - BINGO: Armstrong Creek Tuesday - June 6 - Beef chili with beans, salad bar with cheese, wheat bread, chocolate pie -  ${f MUSIC: Armstrong}$ 

#### **CRANDON**

Wednesday - May 31 - Beef tips over mashed potatoes, carrots, dinner roll, rice pudding - BINGO

Wednesday - June 7 - Chicken enchilada with peppers

and onions, Spanish rice, fruit, sherbet

#### **LAONA, WABENO CONGREGATE**

Thursday - June 1 - Baked cod with sauce, ½ baked potato with sour cream, asparagus, bread stick, lemon

Thursday - June 8 - Beef pot roast, mashed potato, Harvard beets, biscuit, oatmeal raisin bar

**ALVIN** Thursday - June 1 - Kielbasa, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut, applesauce, dinner roll, bars

Thursday - June 8 - BBQ sandwich, potato salad, coleslaw, pears, bun cookies

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

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

## When You Can't Afford a Funeral Submitted by Kathy O'Melia

By the GWAAR Legal Services Team

Diabetes is a disease in which blood glucose levels are above normal. When you have diabetes, your body either doesn't make enough insulin or doesn't use its own insulin as well as it should. This causes sugar to build up in your blood. As a result, individuals with diabetes may have high blood sugar levels. Diabetes can contribute to serious health complications, including heart disease, blindness, kidney failure and lower-extremity amputations.

The Wisconsin Department of Health Services website provides the following facts and figures to highlight diabetes in Wisconsin:

- Approximately 8% of Wisconsin adults have diabetes.
- · Approximately 3% of Wisconsin adults have diabetes and don't know it. · Nearly 40% of Wisconsin adults have pre-
- diabetes. The direct (medical care) and indirect (lost productivity costs) of diabetes in Wisconsin total an
- estimated \$3.9 billion annually. · Diabetes is the seventh leading cause of death

The American Diabetes Association states that individuals can prevent or delay type-2 diabetes by remaining at a healthy weight, eating well, and remaining active. It is believed that even modest lifestyle changes can greatly impact one's health as it relates to type-2 diabetes. In fact, the National Institute of Diabetes and

## **Death Notices**

Alice E. Peterson, 88, of Shawano, WI formerly of Wabeno, WI passed away Sunday, May 21, 2017 at The Cottages on Golden Pond Assisted Living, Shawano, WI.

Alice was born August 9, 1928 in Shawano, WI, the daughter of Paul and Mathilda (Jeske) Rusch. Alice was united in marriage to Philip J. Peterson September 20, 1947 in Shawano and he preceded her in death on May 5, 2003.



She was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary for the Forest Larger Presbyterian Church in Wabeno, the Town Clerk/Treasurer for Laona Township, and the 911 dispatcher for Wabeno. She loved her gardening and canning.

Surviving Alice are her daughter, Phyllis (Randy) Ratz of Green Bay; sons, James (Diane) Peterson of Kaukauna, Steve (Laurel) Peterson of Crandon, and Michael (Diane) Peterson of Greenville; 8 grandchildren, Jeffrey (Karen), Timothy (Linda), Jeremy (Ruth), Greg (Courtney), Roxanne (Dan), Gregory, Patrick, and David (Dawn); and 6 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; 2 grandchildren, Tyler Peterson and Jason Ratz; sisters, Dorothy (Rupert) Braatz, Irene (George) Braatz and May (Lester) Schmoldt; and a brother, Clarence (Agnes) Rusch.

Services for Alice were held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, May 24, 2017 at the Forest Larger Presbyterian Church in Wabeno with Pastor Lee Jennings officiating. Burial followed at Forest Hill Cemetery. Visitation was held from 9:00 a.m. to time of service at the church. Online condolence for the family may be directed to www.weberhillfuneralhome.com.

**Donald Gene Koch**, 88, of Lakewood passed on to his eternal rest on May 22, 2017.

Don was born to Louis and Ruth (Martin) Koch on November 30, 1928 in Carter, Wisconsin where he lived until 1940 when his family moved to Lakewood. He attended school in Carter through the 5th grade and subsequently graduated from



Lakewood School. He attended high school in Wabeno, receiving his diploma in 2001.

He was drafted into the U.S. Army on November 30, 1950 and served in Germany with the Cold War 793rd Field Artillery battalion. After his discharge on December 4th, 1952, he returned to Lakewood, cutting lumber in the woods, and also working in Milwaukee.

He married Virginia Heil on February 28, 1958 in Chicago. They settled in Woodridge, Illinois, and together they raised two children, Denise who lives in Blue Grass, Iowa and David who lives in Plano, Illinois.

Don was a meticulous craftsman, and for 30 years he helped families beautify and improve their homes using his carpentry skills. After retiring in 1988, he moved back to Lakewood where he could enjoy his love for the outdoors and pursue his hobbies of hunting, fishing, gardening, and especially working with his sawmill and logging. Above all, he dearly loved his wife of 59 years, Virginia, and his children.

He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church in Wabeno and American Legion Post 44.

Don is survived and lovingly remembered by his wife, Virginia; his daughter, Denise (Troy) Hollmer; his son, David (Kim) Koch; his grandsons, Nathan Koch and Branden (Amanda) Hoolehan; great-grandsons, Jackson and Grant; his brother, Lou; his sister, Avis; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his mother and father; his sister, Dorothy Hess; and her husband, John; his sister-in-law, Norma Koch; and his brother-in-law, Tug Flynn.

A memorial service is scheduled at noon on June 17 at Bethel Baptist Church in Wabeno. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. until the time of the service. Pastor Dennis Larson will officiate.

**Marilyn D. Harrison**, age 86, of Fence, passed away in Green Bay on May 23, 2017.

Visitation will be held on Friday, May 26, 2017 at St. Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Church, Armstrong Creek, WI. Funeral mass will follow at 11:00 a.m. with Monsignor Paul Koszarek officiating. Interment will be at the Fence Cemetery.

Online condolences may be left for the family at www.weberhillfuneralhome.com.

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Billie Bula, of Antigo, died Thursday, May 18, 2017 at Care Partners under the care of his family and LeRoyer Hospice. He was 100 years old. He was born on February 15, 1917 in Uniontown, PA, a son of Stanley and Mary (Klamerus) Bula, Sr. He married Waymeth Roy on January 3, 1941. She preceded him in death on July 17, 2001.

He was raised in the town of Ackley and worked in the Civilian

Conservation Corps in Ashland and Camp McCoy, Wisconsin. In January of 1941 he enlisted in the United States Army where he attained the rank of Sergeant. He served on the west coast of the United States and in Germany during WWII and was discharged in October of 1945

Following military service Mr. Bula returned to Antigo and began a 32 year career working for the Chicago Northwestern Railroad as a switchman. He retired in 1976. Billie loved to farm. While working on the railroad he farmed with his father, Stanley, and brother, George, in the town of Ackley. In retirement he farmed at Mole Lake with his sons.

He was a member of the United Transportation Union, Antigo Rails, the Msgr. Conrad Saile Knights of Columbus Council 1002, Sparks-Doernenburg American Legion Post #3, Leland Tollefson Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2653 and St. John Catholic Church.

Survivors include two sons, David and Edward Bula of Mole Lake; a daughter, Mary (Stephen) Bradley, Antigo; a sister, Angeline Cejka, Antigo; a brother, Raymond (Mary) Bula, Cross Plains; six grandchildren, Richie (Terri) Bula, Cindy Bula, Paul (Kate) Bradley, Sarah (Carl) Meidl, Stan Bula Sr. and fiancee Britney and Justin Bula; and 10 great-grandchildren, Jake, Alex, Stan Jr., Sierra, River, Connor, Holden, Sydney, Meredith and Lainey.

In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by two sons, Charles and his wife Angie Bula and Daniel Bula; three sisters, Anne (Jumbo) Ziebarth, Martha (Alex) Zaganczyk, and an infant sister, Dorothy Bula; four brothers, Stanley (Edna) Bula, Jr., George (Mae) Bula, Theodore Bula and Edward Bula; and a brother-in-law, Norman Cejka.

The funeral Mass was celebrated on Monday, May 22, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. at St. John Catholic Church in Antigo with Rev. Charles Hoffmann officiating. Burial took place in Queen of Peace Cemetery where the Antigo veterans conducted military honors. Visitation was 1 to 5 p.m. on Sunday at the Bradley Funeral Home and 9 to 10 a.m. on Monday also at the funeral home. The Knights of Columbus recited the rosary at 2 p.m. Sunday and a parish wake service was held at 4:30 p.m. Sunday all at the Bradley Funeral Home. Online condolences at www.bradleyfh.com.

## 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.

To the Editor,

I always look forward to the beginning of fishing season, not because I catch very much, but because I enjoy being out on the water.

We usually go out on Metonga, but the life of me, I can't figure out why the city wasn't ready for opening day. The big dock was still on land, so we had to use the small short dock. This wasn't quite so bad, except for the fact that they should have put some two - by - fours along the side and across the end of it so that you didn't get your boat all scratched up.

I know that some people would laugh about that, but when you have put out about fifty or sixty thousand dollars for it, you tend to get a little mad about getting it all scratched up.

I would not think that this would be good advertisement for the city if they are looking to get more tourism in the community.

Sincerely, Bill Chaney





Student loan debt has swelled to \$1.4 trillion, surpassing total amount of credit card debt

WASHINGTON, D.C. – U.S. Senator Tammy Baldwin joined Senator Elizabeth Warren (D-MA) and 36 of their Senate colleagues in introducing the Bank on Students Emergency Loan Refinancing Act. The legislation would allow those with outstanding student loan debt to refinance at the interest rates offered to new federal borrowers in the 2016-2017 school year. A previous version of the bill was voted on in the 113th Congress, and every Senate Democrat and three Senate Republicans voted to move the bill forward, falling just short of breaking a Republican fillibuster.

Since the original bill was introduced, student loan debt has grown by about \$200 billion. In 2015, 70% of college seniors graduated with debt. And this year, more than one in four borrowers are in delinquency or in default on their student loans. According to a recent analysis, a quarter of borrowers default over the life of their loans. It is clear that the student loan debt crisis is getting increasingly worse, with no signs of slowing down. It is a crisis that threatens our economy, and the futures of young people all across America. With interest rates scheduled to rise again this summer, the urgency for Congress to address the student debt crisis and to allow borrowers to access today's lower rates is stronger than ever.

"A college education should be a path to prosperity not a path to indebtedness, but student loan debt is holding back an entire generation and creating a drag on economic growth for our country," said Senator Baldwin. "This legislation well help address the student loan debt crisis by providing relief to Wisconsin students and families. It is past time for Washington to act with legislation that will help give Wisconsin students a fair shot at getting ahead and building a stronger future for themselves."

#### Rep. Mursau-Working to Protect the Sustainability of Wisconsin's Forest Industry

There is a great deal of discussion circulating around the Forestry Mill Tax, which recently has been nicknamed, "the Statewide Property Tax". Governor Walker has proposed eliminating this tax and instead shifts funding from GPR (income and sales tax revenues) to support forestry efforts. I've been vocal in my opposition to the Governor's proposal because forestry is one of the top five employers in my district (first or second in 3 counties). I'm not willing to gamble away a secure funding source and put the people I represent at risk.

After the budget was introduced, I sent a survey to my district asking for input on budget priorities. I also asked if they support keeping the Forestry Mill Tax or the Governor's provision to remove it from the property tax bill. Over 80% of respondents are in favor of keeping the Forestry Mill Tax. They understand how the funding source equates to having healthy and sustainable forests and job security for their families.

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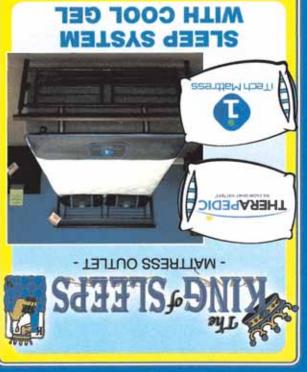
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I have supported every budget the Governor has introduced and he's always been a strong supporter of our forestry industry. On this particular issue however, I disagree with him and I'm not alone. The Governor's Council of Forestry, which advises him on forestry issues, voted today to oppose the Governor's proposal.

I believe we can reduce property taxes and support forestry at the same time. I've proposed, and the Governor's Council of Forestry supports, an audit of the Forestry Account by the independent Audit Bureau. Let's make sure the funds are being used appropriately before we make hasty decisions we can't take back. If the audit shows we're collecting more than we need or the funds are being mismanaged, we can adjust the mill tax accordingly and save property taxpayers some money.

The forest product industry employs more than 64,000 people and is the number one employer in several Wisconsin counties. Our printing industry employs an additional 29,000 workers and Wisconsin is the number one paper-producer in the United States. Our forestry industry has an output of \$24.7 billion. If we don't ensure that we have a healthy and sustainable crop, we put all of this in jeopardy.

If we fund forestry efforts with GPR than forestry will be forced to compete in future budgets with transportation, education, and health care for adequate funding. I am certain that forestry will always lose because it isn't a statewide priority. This means our forests suffer, my constituents will be out of work, and we'll no longer be the envy of other states that currently can't compete with our timber quality and production.

Lastly, we get quite a lot for our annual \$27 investment. This includes supporting our local volunteer fire departments when wildfires occur and just last week the Governor declared a State of Emergency in response to elevated wildfire conditions in the state. We don't want to experience what the state of Kansas did this year when almost 700,000 acres were destroyed by fires. Similar to rural Wisconsin, most of the fire departments in Kansas are volunteer and they weren't equipped to handle that type of fire and the state didn't have additional resources in place to help the local towns. They lost so many trees and families lost their homes.

I believe an audit of the forestry account is a reasonable compromise. We keep our industry intact, establish integrity of the forestry account, and offer tax relief to property owners.























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#### Laona Senior Spotlight -William Bonack III



son of William C. Bonack, Casey (KC) Bonack, Leah Mihalko and Todd Mihalko, and grandson of Mike and Linda Mentz, said his favorite high school memory was coming to school with a big smile on his big ol' face. this blessed school district, Mr. Bradley, and getting in buddies, Ter and Reecers.

He plans to go to natural resources, then two graduation.

furthering his studies.

#### Laona Senior Spotlight -**Nathan Terry**

Nathan Terry, son of cheering up the individuals in Lloyd Terry and Heather Terry, said his favorite high school memory was of trouble with his good causing trouble with his friends Tripp and Reece.

He plans to attend a Nicolet for two years for technical college after



#### Laona Senior Spotlight -

Madelyn Krawze Madelyn Krawze,

daughter of Mike and Kathy Krawze, said her favorite high school memories are of winning conference champs in softball, the class trip and junior prom.

She plans to attend Lakeland University for prevet, attend UW-Madison for veterinary school, and eventually open her own vet clinic.

#### Laona Senior Spotlight -Chloe Krawze



Chloe Krawze. daughter of Joe and Annie Krawze of Laona, said her best high school memories were Homecoming, Junior Prom, and spending time in the art room.

In the past 12 years she has learned to work hard for what you want to accomplish, and being your own person is totally okay and it's ok to be unique.

After high school she plans to attend Nicolet College and pursue a degree in Nursing.

She would like to thank her friends and family for pushing her to do her best, especially her mom and dad who supported her no matter the circumstances.

#### Laona Senior Spotlight -Nicole Eggert



Nicole Eggert, daughter of David and Sherry Renkas of Wabeno, said some of her best high school memories include sports events, homecoming, winterfest, prom and the senior class trip.

In the past 12 years, she's learned that hard work does pay off, to not have fear of messing up, and change is

After high school, she plans to attend Nicolet College and strive for a degree in radiology.

She would like to thank her friends, family, and parents for always keeping her on track, pushing her and being supportive.

