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Christmas at the Museum in Hiles



There will be a Christmas get-together at the Hiles Museum on Saturday, December 15, from noon until 4 p.m. There will be free soup, dessert, coffee and hot chocolate. The museum will be decorated for Christmas, and all are welcome!



Santa to visit Goodman Dec. 22 Watch for the fire truck!

Santa Claus is coming to Goodman on Saturday December 22, 2018 at 1p.m. at the Goodman Municipal Bldg. Arriving by fire engine, Santa will visit with all the little children. Parents are welcome to bring their camera to take pictures of your children with Santa. Children are encouraged to bring their lists!

Hot cocoa and sweet treats provided. Hope to see you there. Sponsored by the Goodman Fire Dept. and the American Legion Ladies Auxiliary.

Conservation Corner Land Information

Conservation Corner is a weekly article produced by the Forest County Land Conservation-Land Information Department. For more information contact Al Murray, County Conservationist-Land Information/GIS Director at 715-478-1387 or by e-mail at lcc@co.forest.wi.us.

Hello to our readers again, I must apologize for the lack of an article in the last two weeks! It has been very busy in this office with deadlines that must be met.

Some of the primary items that have deadlines include drafting of a response letter to the USFS regarding comments on proposed actions for recreational sites in the National Forest. Comments are due to the USFS by December 15th. This office has been working with the County Intergovernmental Relations Committee to provide an official response from the County pertaining to changes proposed. Don't forget to go on the USFS website and make your voice heard also!

Also keeping us busy is the relatively new expansion of this office to include the Land Information Department.

I bet you are asking, what is the Land Information Department?

Land information comes in many forms and from many sources. Data such as property ownership, property boundaries, road locations, voting districts, alderman districts, lake districts, public service areas, rescue response areas, police response areas, fire response areas, natural resources such as lakes, forests, and wildlife habitat are all forms of land information.

Land information is central to county operations, as many essential services rely on accurate and up-to-date geospatial data and land records. A countywide land information system supports economic development, emergency planning and response, and a host of other citizen services. The Forest County land information system integrates and enables efficient access to information that describes the physical characteristics of land, as well as the property boundaries and rights attributable to landowners. Land information is maintained in county files and now in the Geographic Information System (GIS). GIS allows maps to be made and for data to be drawn from the database to allow that information to be used in decision making. This is the basic description of land information and the duties of the land information department.

I appreciate the readers who provide me feedback on these articles. Time willing, they will continue. Merry Christmas to you and your family.

Potawatomi take aggressive steps to end opioid abuse in Forest County

Submitted by the Forest County Potawatomi (Crandon, WI) - The Forest County Potawatomi Community has launched a public awareness campaign aimed at eliminating opioid abuse in Forest County.

The public awareness campaign will begin with television ads and print displays around Forest County. It also includes a website, www.fcpchelp.com, with specific details on where people can find addiction treatment and inpatient / outpatient counseling services.

A copy of the television ad can be viewed on the Forest County Potawatomi Facebook page.

The Tribe hopes these ads will help bring attention to the opioid problem in Forest County and compel individuals to seek help for themselves or others fighting addiction.

"The opioid problem is devastating effect on Forest County. Too many lives have been lost and too many families have been torn apart," said Tribal Chairman Ned Daniels, Jr. "Together we can solve this problem, but we need the entire Forest County community to help."

The Tribe has taken a number of additional steps to help combat the opioid problem in Forest County in addition to the public awareness campaign.

Earlier this year, the FCPC made a commitment to provide additional funding to several Forest County law enforcement agencies to hire additional officers. The Forest County Sheriff's Department will receive nearly \$450,000 over the next two years to hire two additional drug enforcement officers. The Crandon Police Department will also receive more than \$225,000 over the next three years to hire an additional police officer. These contributions are in addition to the on-going support that the FCPC provides local law enforcement each year.

The Tribe has also brought together key stakeholders from state and local agencies to share information and discuss ways to improve the treatment and prevention of opioid addiction.

The FCPC is also taking a very aggressive approach to treat those struggling with addiction. FCPC AODA provides access to treatment services for not only the Tribal community, but Forest County and the surrounding area as well. With the help of a grant from the Wisconsin Department of Health Services, the Tribe has set up new programs and hired additional specialists to help those individuals struggling with addiction.

This includes the addition of, or enhancements to, the following programs:

- * Behavioral Health Services
- * Primary Care Services
- * Inpatient Treatment
- * Transitional Living Wellness & Tribal Court
- * Culturally-based Supports
- * Self-help Supports (NA/AA)
- * Recovery Coach Support

Rise in Opioid Abuse in Forest County

According to data from the Wisconsin Department of Health Services, Forest County has experienced some of the worst effects of the opioid epidemic based on population. From 2010 - 2016, the average Wisconsin county suffered a 74% increase in the rate of opioid-related discharges. However, Forest County has more than quintupled that average increase, seeing its rate explode by 415% over the same period.

In addition, opioid-related hospital encounters in Forest County have sky-rocketed. From 2011 to 2016 the number of opioid-related hospital encounters for people 15-24 years of age increased by 750%. Over the same period, the number of encounters for those between 25 and 44 years of age increased by an astounding 1,100%.

Combined, these two age groups comprised nearly 84% of all Forest County hospital counters due to opioids in 2016.

Data from the Forest County Sheriff's Department shows that the county has seen 37 non-fatal opioid related overdoses and nine deaths related to opioids so far in 2018.

The Laona Area Chamber announces its Festival of Lights is well underway!

In the student category, Laona School grades 7-12 decorated trees inside Maple Place (the old Connor store) at the kick-off event on November 30. Each tree is beautifully and uniquely decked and ready for viewing. In the home decorating category, nine signed on to participate; for the business category, there are six. Photos of each entry may be viewed on LACC's Facebook page located at www.facebook.com/LaonaAreaChamber.

Voting is open to everyone and ends at 2 p.m., December 23. Paper ballots and maps can be found at Laona State Bank (Laona branch), Laona Town Hall, Senolihn's Bar and JARS Bar & Grill. You can also vote online at www.laonaareachamber.com/laona-festival-of-lights. LACC encourages you to take a drive and enjoy all of the great decorations as the photos just don't do proper justice to the displays.

Good luck to all of our participants. You are making our first Festival of Lights a great success!

Crandon Drama team wins All State Award



On Friday, November 16, the Crandon Varsity Competitive Drama team performed at Viterbo University in La Crosse, Wisconsin for State Theater Festival. Our team had a small venue but an enormous crowd of people. There was laughter and clapping throughout the performance. Some of the characters said their opening lines and laughter filled the theater.

For their performance, the team won an All-State Award. Four individuals won acting awards for their performances: Elle Reeder for her performance of Little Red's grandmother who is eaten by the Big Bad Wolf, Sarah Cochrane and Matilda Statezny for their unified, hilarious execution of the Cinderella's evil stepsisters, and Bradley Shepherd for his fantastic execution of a Brooklyn accent while portraying a disgruntled fairy godmother.

Our entire group won another award, which is chosen especially for their success in teamwork throughout the performance. It is called an Ensemble Award. Six awards for one performance was definitely worth the trip. Our appreciation to everyone who contributed to our successful season. And to Jamie Baucknecht for driving the truck and trailer to both our Sectional and State competitions.



Congressman Sean Duffy holds Town Hall Meeting in Crandon



State Senator Tom Tiffany and U.S. Congressman Sean Duffy address Forest County residents

United States Congressman Sean Duffy visited Forest County on Friday, December 7, at Waters Edge in Crandon. The town hall meeting was for the congressman to listen to concerns of public and to update them on to what is happening in Washington. State Senator Tom Tiffany introduced the congressman and moderated the event.

Duffy explained that the government shutdown deadline that looming was extended because of the death of our 41 President George H.W. Bush.

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L-R: Klaira Collins, Aaron Ingram, Chloe Brass, Brielle Lykins, Kady Kincaid, Briley Erdmann, Brielle Thompson, and Leland Hanna



I Hear the Prophet Singin' Christmas Cantata



Forest Larger Parish Presbyterian Church invites you to join us for a special Christmas Cantata on Sunday, December 16, at 10 a.m. in our Lakewood location. This year's event features *I Hear the Prophet Callin'* by Pepper Choplin. Subtitled "The Christmas Story from Prophecy to Fulfillment," this unique cantata features folk tunes with an Appalachian style along with familiar songs and narration.

There will be a brunch provided following the service. Please join us for this musical event that is sure to lift your spirit during this Christmas season.

Free Community Holiday Concert Dec. 16 at Nicolet College

Nicolet College Theatre will ring with holiday cheer when the Rhinelander Male Chorus, Northwoods Choraliers, Lakeland Barbershop Chorus, and Hymns and Hys come together to celebrate the season in four-part harmony at 2 p.m. Sunday, December 16.

The four popular Northwoods vocal groups have a 30-year history of sharing their songs with area audiences. Each brings something special to the stage. The 12-member Rhinelander Male Chorus, under the direction of Colette Zunk, will showcase four seasonal numbers, one of which is a medley of holiday numbers.

"The songs will be familiar to the audience and sure to add to their holiday spirit," said long-time member Corky Stoxen. "We've been doing this a long time, and we always enjoy performing this concert. It's nice to be surrounded by other local vocalists."

Other singers will include the talented Northwoods Choraliers, a group of more than two dozen women ranging in age from 21 to 82. Directed by Bonnie Dawson and accompanied by Carmen Kreitlow, the group will perform songs of the holidays, both secular and non-secular. "This is the season of music," Dawson said. "It's a common thread for everybody at this time of year, and we enjoy sharing that with the audience."

The dozen-plus members of The Lakeland Barbershop Chorus will sing a cappella four-part harmony under the direction of Todd Oxly. The group includes two of its charter members from its formation in 1988.

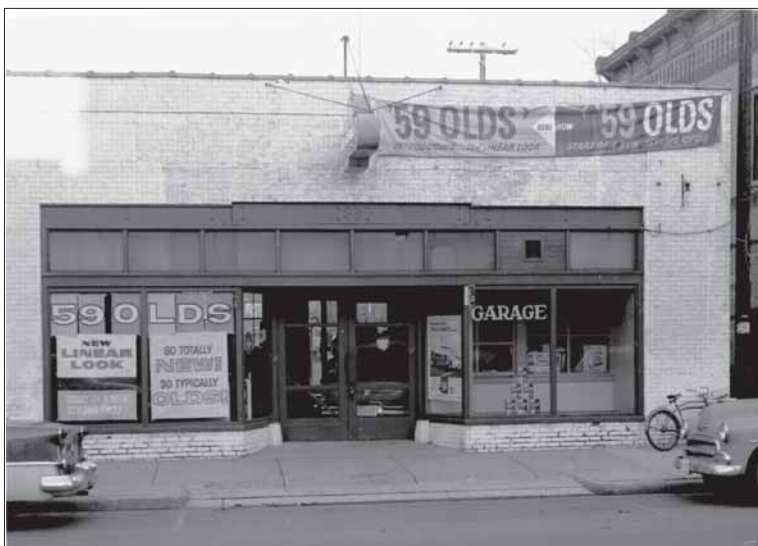
"Because most of our music is memorized, we get to have a lot of playful interaction with the audience," Oxly said. "They can see we're really having fun and relating to them."

The fourth group taking the Nicolet stage will be the Hymns and Hys, directed by Jim Priovolos. The group of about 20 area singers and musicians, some of whom also perform with the Chorus or Choraliers, is looking forward to a wonderful audience turnout. "It will be a cross section of all ages," said Dawson. "It pays to get there early for the best seating, especially since it's free."

The concert will culminate with all four groups joining together to sing the Hallelujah Chorus from Handel's Messiah. "That's about as traditional as it gets," Dawson added.

"Nicolet is happy to be hosting this holiday showcase of so much area talent," said Nicolet College Theatre Director Jim Nuttall. "Although admission is free, in keeping with the spirit of the season, attendees are encouraged to contribute non-perishable food and monetary donations for local food pantries."

For Old Time's Sake



Many of you enter this building yet today on a regular basis. This was the Freimuth Garage, and it isn't hard to figure out that it was in 1959! The Freimuth Garage was started by Gust Freimuth back in the early days of automobiles. His two sons, Art and Mel ran the garage until Mel's retirement. It is now part of the Laona State Bank's Crandon office on Lake Avenue.

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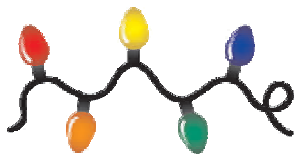
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This is a drug and alcohol free party offered to the whole community. We have entertained everyone of all ages from two months to ninety-nine years old!

The party starts with food and punch at 5:00 p.m. We will offer games, contests, gifts and our famous Bingo. We will also do a count down that will be at 9:00 p.m., which will be our "midnight".

Please bring family and friends and come "PLAY" with us.

Any questions, call Linda at 715-889-0123.



Stop into the Crandon Public Library and check out our new November titles. This month we have new titles from Nora Roberts, Laura Childs, W.E.B. Griffin, Tami Hoag, Lisa Jewell, Douglas Preston, Ian Rankin, Stuart Woods and more! Our new featured releases are *Deadfall* by Stephen Wallenfels, *This is Cuba* by David Ariosto, and *I'll be Your Blue Sky* by Marisa De Los Santos

Here's a new one for all those who adore suspense novels. *Deadfall* by Stephen Wallenfels tells the story of two twin brothers who stumble upon a car accident deep in the forest of the Pacific Northwest. The vehicle they find appears to be empty, until they hear a sound coming from the trunk. What they find in the trunk ensnares them in a nightmare neither of them could have imagined. Come take a look at our shelves today.

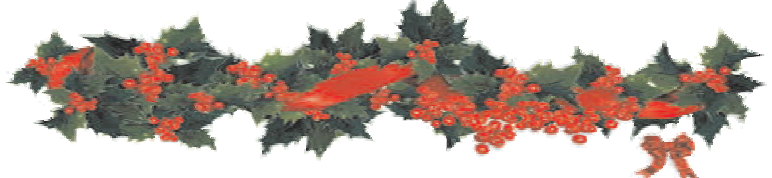
Ready to dive into one of America's best kept secrets? Check out *This is Cuba* by David Ariosto. In this intimate portrait of life in modern day Cuba, Ariosto constructs a narrative on societal changes occurring in the post-Castro Cuba. He claims that with Trump in the white house and the Castro regime aside, the future of Cuba has never been so uncertain. The author also suggests that the foundation for a new Cuban revolution may very well be set. Stop in and check it out today!

Looking for a heartwarming read? Check out *I'll be Your Blue Sky* by Marisa De Los Santos. After breaking off her engagement with her possessive fiancé, Clare Hobbs is willed a home in a quaint sea side town known as "Blue Sky House." The homes previous owner, Edith, helped give Clare the courage to stand up for herself in her abusive relationship. Therefore, Clare feels a deep connection to the home.

Exploring the house, Clare finds two mysterious ledgers hidden beneath the kitchen sink. Quickly Clare begins to piece together the story of Blue Sky House a decades-old mystery more complex and tangled than she could have imagined. As Clare immerses herself in Edith's belongings, she discovers that Edith's life was darker than she anticipated. Clare also finds that Edith's life story was one filled with love, heartbreak, sacrifice and courage. She also learns much about herself in the process.

If you'd rather kick back and enjoy a movie, stop in and check out the new DVD's this month. Our newest additions are *The Meg*, *Mission Impossible: Fallout*, *The Nun*, and *Christopher Robin*!

To check-out or reserve any of these new items, stop in to the Crandon Public Library, or call 715-478-3784.



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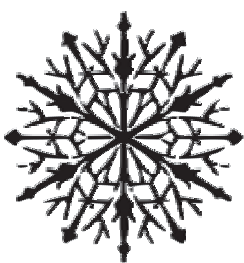
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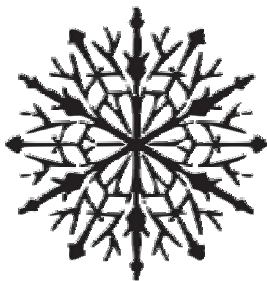
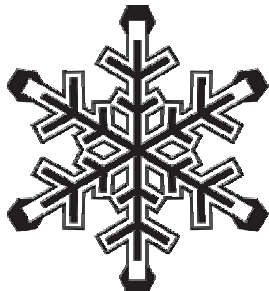
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"Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over" holiday campaign begins Friday - runs through January 1

To discourage impaired driving and support public safety, law enforcement agencies across Wisconsin will patrol in greater numbers for longer hours during the "Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over" holiday campaign that begins Friday and continues through New Year's Day. The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is utilizing federal funds to support the stepped-up law enforcement efforts, public education and outreach.

"The goal of this federal, state and local initiative is to prevent needless tragedies along our roadways and help ensure that everyone has a safe, enjoyable holiday season," WisDOT Secretary Dave Ross said. "We appreciate all those who will be working over the holidays to serve and protect the public. Motorists can do their part by buckling up, watching their speed and being patient and alert every trip."

Last year in Wisconsin, alcohol-related crashes resulted in 169 deaths and more than 3,000 injuries. Also last year, there were over 24,200 OWI convictions in Wisconsin. While alcohol-impaired driving remains a concern, Wisconsin and many other states see a growing challenge with drugged drivers - people whose ability to safely operate a motor vehicle is compromised by drugs including prescription or over-the-counter medications and illegal narcotics. To combat the problem, Wisconsin currently has:

- 25 multi-jurisdictional, high-visibility OWI enforcement task forces that operate year-round across the state.
 - About 3,800 law enforcement officers trained in Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (ARIDE) to help detect and remove impaired drivers from roadways.
 - 292 highly-trained Drug Recognition Experts - among the most in the nation.
- How citizens can help:
- If you suspect a driver of being impaired, call 911. Be prepared to provide as much detail as possible about the driver, vehicle and location.
 - If you plan to celebrate, identify a sober designated driver. Never allow someone else to get behind the wheel impaired.
 - Download the free "Drive Sober" mobile app from the WisDOT website. It includes a "find a ride" feature to help locate transportation alternatives.
 - Some taverns and restaurants have programs to provide patrons a safe ride home. Visit www.tlw.org/ and click on "Safe Ride."

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Nicolet partners with UW-Stevens Point to advance Nursing education



Northwoods students looking to earn a bachelor's degree in Nursing now have a new, more convenient option thanks to an innovative partnership between Nicolet College and the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point.

Under the 1+2+1 arrangement, students complete the first year of classes through UW-Stevens Point. Students then complete the two-year Nursing associate's degree at Nicolet and finish their Bachelor's of Science in Nursing with a final year of UW-Stevens Point classes online or face-to-face at the Wausau Campus.

The new partnership offers many benefits, said Nicolet College Dean of Health Occupations Candy Dailey.

"Students get a streamlined pathway to a rewarding career in Nursing, area healthcare facilities get the skilled workforce that is in such high demand, and we as members of the general public ultimately benefit by receiving highly-skilled care when we need it," Dailey said. Along with Nicolet, the UW-Stevens Point partnership also includes Nursing programs at Northcentral Technical College and Mid-State Technical College.

The combined effort of the four campuses is, in part, in response to the statewide shortage of trained nurses, which is particularly acute in rural areas, Dailey noted.

For more information about Nicolet's Nursing program, visit nicoletcollege.edu or call (715) 365-4493, 1-800-544-3039, ext. 4493; TTY 1-800-544-3039 or 711 relay.

Above: Nicolet College President Richard Nelson, left, joined other regional higher education leaders on the UW-Stevens Point to create a partnership to advance nursing education. He's pictured here with, left to right, Mid-State Technical College President Shelly Mondeik, Northcentral Technical College President Lori Weyers, and UW-Stevens Point Chancellor Bernie Patterson.

State Patrol reminds drivers that snowplows require extra room to operate

With another winter travel season underway, the Wisconsin State Patrol is reminding motorists to be extra cautious when driving near snowplows - and to consider staying off roadways when winter storms make travel treacherous.

"Most collisions between snowplows and other vehicles occur when the snowplow is rear-ended, usually by a driver travelling too fast for conditions," Wisconsin State Patrol Captain Adrian Logan of the Northcentral Region/Wausau Post said. "Snowplow operators may need to slow down or stop suddenly if they encounter a stranded vehicle or other obstacle. Visibility is poor during major winter storms and is another reason to simply stay off roadways until conditions improve."

State law (346.915) requires drivers to stay at least 200 feet behind a snowplow engaged in snow/ice removal upon any highway with a posted speed limit of more than 35 mph. Violations can result in a \$175 fine and assessment of three demerit points. Being involved in a crash however can have consequences much more serious than a citation. Since 2008, there have been 3,459 snowplow-related crashes in Wisconsin resulting in 571 injuries and five fatalities.

As part of the December Law of the Month, the State Patrol offers these winter travel tips:

Before your trip, check the 511 travel information system for the latest on road conditions and possible incidents.

During severe winter storms, postpone your trip if possible. Stranded motorists and vehicles become hazards that interfere with snow removal efforts.

If you must travel: buckle up, turn on your low-beam headlights, slow down, allow extra time and following distance (at least 200 feet behind a working snowplow).

If you must pass, be careful. Snowplows often create a cloud of snow that can obscure vision. Road conditions in front of the plow are often worse.

Don't be over-confident if you operate a four-wheel or all-wheel-drive vehicle. They still require a considerable distance to stop on slick roadways.

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation's website provides more tips on safe winter driving, things to consider should you become stranded, keeping your vehicle properly maintained and how to prepare an emergency winter travel kit.

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Senior Chatter

Staying Well - Cranberries

Submitted by UW-Extension

Types of Cranberries

- Fresh cranberries: bland but tart. They are generally added to recipes and not eaten alone. You can typically find fresh cranberries from October-early January. Some stores will have cranberries in the frozen section year round.

- Cranberry sauce, dried cranberries and cranberry juice/juice blends: processed cranberry products that usually have added sugar. Dried cranberries can be found without added sugar. These products are typically available all year.

- Red cranberries: deep red color is desirable. Tartness develops as color deepens.

- White cranberries: harvested for juice rather than sold fresh

The Basics

- Look for cranberries that range in color from light to dark red. They should be plump, glossy and firm. White berries mixed in with the red do not need to be discarded. They are mature and have a milder flavor.

- Avoid berries that are shriveled, soft or decaying.

- Store fresh cranberries in original packaging or lightly sealed plastic bag for up to 2 months in the refrigerator.

- Freeze fresh cranberries in original packaging or freezer bags for up to 1 year. They do not need to be thawed before using.

Bus Schedule

Thursday - December 20 - Hiles, Argonne and Crandon to Rhinelander - **Bus driver:** Dan Pedersen

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Forest County Office on Aging provides transportation to residents 55+ and the disabled. Bus route trip stops may include Aldi's, Crandon Library, Schaefer's and other area businesses including doctor appointments.

TOPIC OF THE MONTH

"Staying Well"

MEAL SCHEDULE

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA

Monday - Dec. 17 - Pork chop, parsley potatoes, carrots, dinner roll, applesauce

Monday - Dec. 24 - Christmas Eve - No Meal - Dining Sites Closed

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK

Tuesday - Dec. 18 - Beef en croute, roasted potatoes, green beans, fruit, cream puff - **MUSIC: Armstrong Creek; BINGO: Crandon**

Tuesday - Dec. 25 - Merry Christmas - No Meal - Dining Sites Closed

CRANDON

Wednesday - Dec. 19 - Ham sandwich on whole wheat, broccoli salad, baked beans, peach cobbler

Wednesday - Dec. 26 - No meal - Dining sites closed

LAONA, WABENO CONGREGATE

Thursday - Dec. 20 - Beef stew with potatoes, carrots, onion and celery, fruit, biscuit, oatmeal raisin bar - **BIRTHDAY PARTY & BINGO**

Thursday - Dec. 27 - No meal - Dining sites closed

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Thursday - Dec. 20 - Ham, mashed potatoes, baked beans, wheat rolls, bars, birthday cake

Thursday - Dec. 27 - No meal - Dining sites closed

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Please register with Commission on Aging - 478-3256.

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 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 Linda McEwan at 715-889-0123 (cell). Meal served at 11:30 a.m. on Monday and Tuesday. Home delivered on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

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.

Wabeno Women's Bowling Scores

(December 5- 6, 2018)

Week 13

Team standings

Whitetail Logging, 61

Prospect Lodge, 57

Rusty's Back Ups, 53

Rusty's, 42

Cassidy's Café, 40

Splits N Giggles, 35

"R" Place, 23

Ind. high game

Jody Jensen, 196

Chris Geske, 195

Betty Jo Keeble, 185

Ind. handicap game

Teresa Gilpin, 228

Jody Jensen, 228

Helen Berkhahn, 222

Ind. high series

Chris Geske, 503

Robin Spencer, 478

Jody Jensen, 471

Ind. handicap series

Ruth Pemma, 632

Robin Spencer, 628

Oopie Shepard, 590

Team high game

Whitetail Logging, 650

Splits N Giggles, 570

Bruce's Mistakes, 561

Team handicap game

Prospect Lodge, 779

Whitetail Logging, 755

Rusty's, 750

Team high series

Whitetail Logging, 1850

"R" Place, 1584

Splits N Giggles, 1581

Team handicap series

Rusty's, 2190

Whitetail Logging, 2165

"R" Place, 2157

Six pack: Teresa Gilpin, Jody Jensen 228

Six pack: Ruth Pemma, 632

Pizza: Rusty's, 2190

High averages

Chris Geske, 165

Penny Carter, 152

Agnes Brown, 148

Lisa Mermuys, 148



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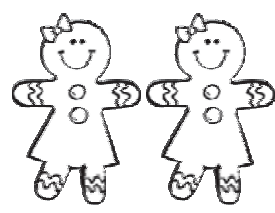
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Duffy said that he was hopeful to come to a resolution before Christmas so that everyone can be home for the holiday. Duffy also told the public of a bill on the floor that would give 5 billion dollars to border security and finally, Duffy stated that this next term will be the first term in which his party will be the minority party. In January, the whole house decides who will become the next speaker.

The floor was then opened to the public. Concerns brought before the congressman were, why it seems that Duffy has moved away from fixing the national debt, the legality of the Honduras caravan, the pension crisis, cannabis research and the cap on oil set by OPEC.

Duffy's responses were; the pension crisis is serious. The Butch Lewis proposal has the taxpayers back up the pension. Duffy stated that even though there is nothing set in stone, he will work towards a resolution that helps the pensioners and the taxpayers. The next concern was the national debt. Duffy stated that he is still focused on the national debt. He wants the best for the next generation. He is still working hard at solutions to the national debt, but other issues have been brought before the house and have been the center of attention. Work is still being done to fix the national debt.

Duffy's response to the caravan was that the system is broken, people looking to immigrate need to be vetted properly. The proposed wall would help in border problems. He feels compassion for people and what they have gone through, but he says we need to fix the system. The next issue was research on cannabis and declassifying it as a felony. Duffy stated that this has become a state issue more than a federal issue, the federal government is not stopping the states from legalizing cannabis even though it is still federally illegal. As far as research into the benefits, the federal government is not looking into it at this time.

Finally a citizen mentions the caps set by OPEC and if there was any literature on what America has to answer the decision. The congressman was not aware of any literature, but he said that the markets in America will determine the prices we pay at the pump and that if his office has any literature, he will release it to us.

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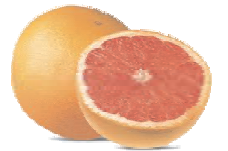
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American Legion Post 44 makes donation to UFFDA



American Legion member Wesley Tucker presents donation of \$400 to Tom Nickelson for the United Foundation For Disabled Archers (UFFDA). UFFDA helps all disabled individuals who enjoy archery hunting. This year 11 disabled veterans and 10 disabled civilians gathered at the Boy Scout Camp in Rhinelander with over 75 volunteers for the archery hunt.

Each hunter was provided a guide and hunting party. UFFDA is free to disabled archery hunters and a Class A permit is recommended but not required. The numbers were down this year due to the baiting laws.

Anyone interested in donating or volunteering, please contact Wesley at 715-850-2631.

Death Notices

Richard A. Weber "Rick", age 62, of Wabeno, passed away December 10, 2018 at St. Mary's Hospital in Rhinelander. Rick was born in Crandon on December 15, 1955, the son of Duane and Norma (Aird) Weber.



After high school Rick spent a short time in the Marines. He later returned to the Wabeno area and worked as a Union pipe fitter until his health forced him into early retirement.

He enjoyed fishing, watching Jeopardy and doing crossword puzzles.

He is survived by daughters, Amelia Weber of Wabeno and Angelina Weber of Oklahoma; sisters, Connie Weber of Wabeno, Bonnie Harris of Wabeno and Peggy (Dennis) Missall of Mountain; and brothers, Donald Weber of Green Bay and Jeff Weber of Wabeno.

He is preceded in death by his parents and three brothers.

Services will be held at a later date.

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

DNR does not monitor ice; ask locals for local conditions

MADISON - It's not January but a thaw is in the works, and Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources conservation wardens urge all outdoor enthusiasts and ice fishers to check with their local shops, fishing clubs and outfitters for local ice conditions before venturing out.

Capt. April Dombrowski of the DNR Bureau of Law Enforcement Recreation Safety and Outdoor Skills Section, says early season ice conditions vary greatly from waterbody to waterbody and with these temperature swings. This is why she stresses to all: No ice is safe.

"Since we at the Department of Natural Resources do not monitor ice conditions, we urge all who enjoy the outdoors to first check with local bait shops, fishing clubs, snowmobile clubs and outfitters for those local ice conditions," Dombrowski said. "These are the places locally most likely to have the most current information about the lakes and areas."

Dombrowski says extreme caution is always recommended when the topic is ice. "Even though it may look thick on the surface, moving water from streams, rivers and springs can cause ice to form unevenly."

She offers these tips for anyone considering going on the ice:

Know before you go. Don't travel in areas you are not familiar and don't travel at night or during reduced visibility.

Dress warmly in layers and consider wearing a life jacket or vest.

Do not go alone. Head out with friends or family. Take a cell phone and make sure someone knows where you are and when you are expected to return.

Avoid inlets, outlets or narrow that may have current that can thin the ice.

Look for clear ice, which is generally stronger than ice with snow on it or bubbles in it.

Carry some basic safety gear: ice claws or picks, a cellphone in a waterproof bag or case, a life jacket and length of rope, and a spud bar to check ice while walking to new areas.

Wear creepers attached to boots to prevent slipping on clear ice and take extra mittens or gloves so you always have a dry pair.

If you go through the ice:

Carry a set of ice picks in your pocket to help you climb out of the ice hole.

Once out of the water, do not stand up. Rather, walk on your forearms until the majority of your body is on solid surface.

Try to remain calm, call for help and take steps to get out of the water as soon as possible.

Common sense is the greatest ally in preventing ice related incidents. One rule of thumb remains the same. Treat all ice as unsafe.

The DNR also has information on its website about what to do should you fall through the ice and how to make ice claws. Learn more by searching the DNR website, dnr.wi.gov, for "ice safety."



December and January hold additional opportunities for deer hunters

MADISON - The nine-day gun deer hunt may be over, but hunters can still participate in the muzzleloader season, archery and crossbow seasons and two antlerless-only gun hunts.

The antlerless-only holiday hunt will be offered in 19 farmland units from Dec. 24 - Jan. 1, 2019. These seasons are used at the request of County Deer Advisory Councils and utilized in units with high deer numbers in need of antlerless harvest to slow overall herd growth. Hunters may fill any unused antlerless harvest authorizations in their proper deer management zone, county and land type. Any unit where the holiday hunt is not offered will be open for archery and crossbow hunting, and bucks may be taken.

Any legal firearm, crossbow or archery equipment may be used during the statewide antlerless-only and holiday hunts.

Additional opportunities are also available for U.S. Armed Forces members and Class A and C disability permit holders. More information is available in the 2018 regulations.

The archery and crossbow seasons will remain open statewide through Jan. 6, 2019.

All archery and crossbow seasons remain open through Jan. 31, 2019 in the extended archery season deer management units. All other archery and crossbow seasons close Jan. 6, 2019.

All hunters except waterfowl hunters are required to wear blaze orange or blaze pink clothing during any open firearm deer hunt. Other outdoor enthusiasts recreating on public lands are encouraged to wear bright colors for their own safety during these periods.

For more information regarding which hunts may be offered in each county, check out the interactive deer map at keyword "DMU."

Chronic wasting disease sampling

If hunters choose to have their deer CWD tested through a cooperating meet processor or taxidermist, a self-service kiosk, or through hunter service testing with their county biologist, they are reminded to contact sampling stations in advance to verify hours of operation and that CWD surveillance efforts focus on testing adult deer, since older deer are more likely to have the disease. For more information regarding where to take your deer for sampling, search keywords "CWD sampling" or contact local DNR wildlife management staff.

Hunters can search for CWD test results individually or view a summary. Hunters will need a customer ID or CWD sample barcode to search for individual results. The average turnaround time from when the deer is brought to a sampling station to when the results are available is typically two to three weeks. For information regarding CWD test results, search keywords "CWD results".

If test results come back positive for CWD, hunters should follow advice from the Center for Disease Control (exit DNR), Wisconsin Department of Health Services and World Health Organization (exit DNR) to not consume venison from that deer.

The cooperation of hunters and private businesses has become increasingly vital to the success of our CWD sampling process. DNR staff would like to thank all those who continue to assist with CWD surveillance.

Hunters asked to participate in online Deer Hunter Wildlife Survey

The Deer Hunter Wildlife Survey will remain active until all deer seasons have ended, and wildlife managers ask that hunters to submit a report of what they saw during their time in the field. This information will provide valuable data pertaining to Wisconsin's deer herd and other species.



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Mon.: Cheeseburger, potato wedges, corn, pears, garden bar, milk
Tue.: Crisпитos, Spanish rice, cheesy cauliflower, mixed fruit, garden bar, milk
Wed.: Chili dog, W.G. crackers, apple slices, garden bar, milk
Thurs.: BYO Asian rice bowl chicken or shrimp, rice, oriental stir fry veggies, Mandarin orange, garden bar, milk
Fri.: Assorted pizza, California blend, apple sauce, garden bar, milk

**Wabeno School District
Breakfast Menu - Dec. 17-21, 2018**

Mon.: Cheese omelet, tator tots, banana bread, fruit cup, fruit juice, milk
Tue.: Breakfast taco, Southwestern potatoes, tropical fruit, fruit juice, milk
Wed.: Scrambled eggs, country fried steak, orange wedges, fruit juice, milk
Thurs.: Whole grain cereal, fruit cup, fruit juice, milk
Fri.: Breakfast pizza, strawberries, fruit juice, milk

SUPERINTENDENT'S CORNER

The following narrative is taken from newscaster Paul Harvey who credited the original publication to the Associated Press. The author is unknown.

The fellow I am going to tell you about was not a Scrooge. He was a kind, a decent, mostly good man. He was generous to his family, upright in his dealings with other men. But, he didn't believe all that incarnation stuff which the churches proclaim at Christmas time. It just did not make sense and he was too honest to pretend otherwise. He just could not swallow the Jesus story about God coming to Earth as a man. He told his wife, "I am truly sorry to distress you, but I am not going with you to church this Christmas Eve." He said he would feel like a hypocrite. He said he would much rather stay home and would wait up for them. So he stayed and they went to the midnight service.

Shortly after the family drove away in the car, snow began to fall. He went to the window to watch the flurries getting heavier and heavier. He went back to his fireside chair and began to read his newspaper. Minutes later he was startled by a thudding sound....then another and then another. At first he thought somebody must be throwing snowballs against his living room window. When he went to the front door to investigate, he found a flock of birds huddled miserably in the snow. They had been caught in the storm and in a desperate search for shelter they had tried to fly through his large landscape window. Well, he couldn't let the poor creatures lie there to freeze. So, he remembered the barn where his children stabled their pony. That would provide a warm shelter if he could direct the birds to the barn. Quickly, he put on a coat and goulashes. He tramped through the deep snow to the barn. He opened the doors wide and turned on a light, but the birds did not come in.

He figured food would entice them in, so he hurried back to the house and fetched bread crumbs. He sprinkled them on the snow, making a trail to the yellow-lighted, wide open doorway of a stable. But, to his dismay, the birds ignored the bread crumbs and continued to just flop around helplessly out there in the snow. He tried chasing and catching them. That didn't work. He tried shooing them into the barn by walking around them and waving his arms. Instead, they scattered in every direction except into the warm, lighted barn. Then, he realized that they were afraid of him. To them, he reasoned, those tiny things, I am a strange and terrifying creature. If only I could think of some way to let them know that they can trust me; that I'm not trying to hurt them, but to help them. But, how could he do that? Any move he made tended to frighten and confuse them. They just would not follow. They would not be led; they would not be shooed because they feared him. If only I could be a bird and mingle with them and speak their language... and tell them to not be afraid...and show them the way to the safe warm barn. But, I would have to be one of them so they could see and hear and understand.

At that moment, the church bells began to ring. The sound reached his ears above the sounds of the wind. He stood there listening to the bells...listening to the bells peeling the glad tidings of Christmas and he sank to his knees in the snow.

On behalf of everyone associated with the School District of Crandon system, we wish you a very Merry Christmas.
 Patrick C. Saunders, Ed.D.
 Interim Superintendent
 School District of Crandon

**School District of Wabeno Area
Special School Board Meeting
Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2018 6:00 P.M.**

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 P.M. by School Board Vice-President Katryna VanEperen.
 Board members present: Katryna VanEperen, Trinity Shepard, Dave Seeber, Dan Christianson, and Lori Mattern.
 Board members absent: Janet Opiela and Dawn Jakubiec.
 Verification of Meeting Notice Compliance with Open Meeting Law Notification Wis. Stats. 19.84(2))
 A motion was made by Dan Christianson seconded by Trinity Shepard to approve the agenda. The motion carried 5 to 0.
 There was a motion and roll call by Trinity Shepard seconded by Dave Seeber to go into closed session at 5:31pm. Pursuant to Wisconsin State Statute 19.85 (1) (c) and (f) may move into closed session. A roll call vote was taken as follows: Katryna VanEperen, yes; Trinity Shepard, yes; Dave Seeber, yes; Dan Christianson, yes; and Lori Mattern, yes. The motion carried 5 to 0.
 a. Discussed procedural update regarding an investigation into alleged misconduct under Board Policy 1662 and 3362. Discussed and took action regarding the designation of an impartial investigator.
 b. Discussed the administrative contract of an individual employee.
 There was a motion by Trinity Shepard seconded by Dan Christianson to come out of closed session at 6:18 PM. A roll call vote was taken as follows: Katryna VanEperen, yes; Trinity Shepard, yes; Dave Seeber, yes; Dan Christianson, yes; and Lori Mattern, yes. The motion carried 5 to 0.
 There was a motion by Dave Seeber seconded by Katryna VanEperen to adjourn at 6:19 PM. The motion carried 5 to 0.
 Lenora Mattern, District Clerk

AREA CHURCH SERVICES

- **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** - N8934 State Highway 55. Worship at 9:00 a.m. Sunday. Advent Services at 5:30 Wednesday evenings. After School Program is Wednesdays at 4:15 p.m. Located at the corner of 55 and Cty. A in Pickerel. Call 715-484-3382 for more information.
- **Good Shepherd Lutheran Church** - Hwy 55N, Crandon. All Services will be held at St. John Lutheran Church located at 5502 Beech St. in Laona, until further notice.
- **St John Lutheran Church** - 5502 Beech Street, Laona, Sunday Service at 9:00 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 10 a.m.; Youth Bible School (grades pre k - 8) on Wednesday at 3:30 - 5 p.m. 715-478-5620.
- **Christ Lutheran (WELS)** located at 9139 S Main St in Hiles. Worship on Saturdays at 5pm. NorthwoodsLutheran.org
- **Praise Chapel** - 200 East Sixth St., Crandon, Sunday Service - 10 a.m., Wed. kid's Club - 3:15 p.m., Bible Study Wed. - 6:30 p.m.
- **St. Joseph's Catholic Church** - 208 N. Park Ave., Crandon, Saturday Service 5 p.m. Sunday Service 9 a.m. 715-478-3396.
- **St. Luke's United Methodist Church** - 301 South Lake Ave., Crandon, Sunday Service 8:45 a.m. 715-478-3797.
- **Argonne United Methodist Church** - 7945 Pine St., Argonne, Sunday Service 10:15 a.m. 715-478-3797.
- **Gospel Mission Fellowship** - 1901 Hwy 8 E. in Monico, WI. Sundays 10:30 a.m. - come join us in worship, prayer and a time in God's word. www.gospelmissionfellowshippcg.org
- **Upper Room Church**-18805 State Highway 32, Townsend, prayer 9:30 Sunday worship 10 am Sunday, Bible Study 10 am Tues. Pastor Jim 715-850-0733

NOTICE

The City of Crandon is accepting sealed bids on a used 2005 Chevrolet Silverado 1500 4WDWT. Sold as is. Minimum bid is \$1500. Can be seen at the City of Crandon Street Shop. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any bids. Bids must be at Crandon City Hall, 601 West Washington Street (PO Box 335) Crandon, WI 54520 by 3:00p.m. on Friday, December 28th, 2018.

COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

- **Pickerel Area 50 Plus Club** to hold their Christmas Party at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pickerel on Thursday, December 6, 2018 at noon. Bring dish to pass and 2 prizes for Bingo. Music provided.
- **Overeaters Anonymous meeting** - Thursday at 4:15-5:15 p.m. in Associated Bank at 210 S Lake Ave., Crandon. 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 Membership Meeting** - 3rd Monday of month. Social hour 5:30 p.m., dinner at 6:30 p.m. & meeting at 7 p.m. Meetings in October, November and December will be held at Ducks 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.
- **Forest County Agricultural Society Inc.** will hold a meeting on Saturday, September 29 at Lafetta's at 7 p.m.
- **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.
- **Tops** - will meet at Wabeno Town Hall on Mondays. Weigh in at 7:45 a.m. with meeting following at 8:00 a.m. For more info call 715-473-2613.
- **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. Second Wednesday of the Month.
- **Town of Nashville Board Meetings**- 3rd Wednesday of each month, 7 p.m., North Town Hall (alternating months, North and South Halls locations).
- **Nashville Town Hall Craft & Flea Market**, located at Hwy 55 and B, south of Crandon, will be closed until spring 2019 after Wednesday, Dec. 12.

AREA AA MEETINGS

- **AA Meetings** - Back Door Group - Open meeting Thursday 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, 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.
- **Wellbriety 12 Step Meeting (AA/NA)** - Mondays at 6 p.m. - ? lower level of FCP Museum, Mish•Ko•Swain Lane, Crandon. Call Brooks Boyd for info at 715-889-4902.
- **Breaking the Cycle Narcotics Anonymous** - Open meeting. Thursday at 6 p.m. 104 W. Washington St., Crandon. Contact Lindsey at 715-616-9540 or Sierra at 808-295-2174.

**School District of Wabeno Area
Regular School Board Meeting
Wednesday, November 7, 2018
Wabeno Junior High/High School Library**

School Board President Janet Opiela called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M.
Board members present: Janet Opiela, Dawn Jakubiec, Katryna VanEperen, Trinity Shepard, Lori Mattern, Dan Christianson, and Dave Seeber. Administrator staff present: William Taylor, Jr./Sr. High School Principal, Jeffrey Walsh, Elementary Principal, and Robert Tucker, Special Education Director.
Others present at the meeting: Emma Eisenschink, Raletta Ashbeck, Michelle Boor, Earl Wight, Joann Sisler, Carol Kitchenmaster, and Lee Mattern.
Verification of Meeting Notice (Compliance with Open Meeting Law Notification (Wis. Stats. 19.84(2)))
Pledge of Allegiance.
There was a motion made by Katryna VanEperen seconded by Dave Seeber to approve the amended agenda. The motion carried 7 to 0.
Public comment:
Michelle Boor discussed expenses for using school van.
Raletta Ashbeck disagreed with the charges for using the school van.
There was a motion by Katryna VanEperen seconded by Dan Christianson to approve the Regular School Board Meeting minutes on October 3, 2018. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Trinity Shepard seconded by Dawn Jakubiec to approve the Annual Board Meeting minutes and the Annual Budget Meeting minutes on October 22, 2018, and Special Meeting October 24, 2018. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Dawn Jakubiec seconded by Dave Seeber to approve the payment of vouchers by general checks 78877 to 79014 for \$345,180.07 and payroll checks 900036271 to 900036480 for \$207,510.00, and a state tax, 941 tax, and employee trust fund electronic transfer for \$115,414.18. The motion carried 7 to 0.
William Taylor, Jr/Sr High School Principal, reported on the following:
Mike McGowan spoke on Red Ribbon Day at the high school.
On Oct. 23, 2018 Excellence in Manufacturing/K-12 Partnership Award was given to Wabeno Area School District for partnering with Nicolet Plastics for several programs including youth apprenticeship, Lego League (Mrs. Romprey, Mrs. Calhoun, and Mrs. Lampereur) teacher externship program (Mrs. Calhoun and Mr. Falkowski), and technical assistance for school's new fab lab.
Parent/teacher conferences only had 20% attendance, while October full day attendance was at 84.94%.
Junior high students went to the school forest and participated in activities with Trees for Tomorrow employees on October 26, 2018,
All juniors had aptitude (ASVAB) testing on Nov 6, 2018.
November 9, 2018 will be our Veteran's Day Program at the high school. Breakfast at 8:30 A.M. and the program at 9:30 A.M.
Early release on Friday, November 16, 2018 at 1:00pm.
Mrs. Boor and Mrs. Keller asked to hold Large Group Music Festival again this year.
Jeffrey Walsh, Elementary Principal, reported the following:
Had a good turnout for Parent/Teacher conferences on October 18, 2018.
We are continuing our X-Matrix meetings with Jo Miller on October 25, 21018 and November 12, 2018 to align our Reading/Language Arts and Math.
There was a safety presentation on October 31, 2018, from area rescue squads. Emergency departments attending included: Lakewood, Wabeno, and Townsend Fire Depts., Lakewood-Townsend Community Ambulance, Laona Rescue Unit, Forest County Sheriff Dept. and Drug Task Force, U.S. Forest Service and School District of Wabeno Area Transportation Dept. Students rotated to different areas in the school to experience a variety of hands on activities. A big thank you to all the emergency departments that attended and a huge thanks to Home and School for a great job organizing this event.
Students, staff and parents enjoyed our Halloween parade and parties on October 31, 2018. Red Ribbon week was celebrated the week of October 22, 2018 with activities related to drug and alcohol abuse awareness.

Report cards were sent out on November 7, 2018.
Robert Tucker, Special Education Director, reported the following: Special Education Student/ Staffing updates that the student count as of November 7, 2018 is at 82, 45 Elementary and 37 High school.
Updated us on the Wi State Performance Plan and Forest County Birth to Three Interagency Agreement Meeting.
Special Education Staff will be attending State Sped Conference during Thanksgiving break in Wis. Dells.
Dan Christianson thanked all the teachers and parents that helped at the Lego League competition. Students did very well.
Trinity Shepard thanked all of the emergency responders for a great Safety Day.
Trinity Shepard and Lori Mattern congratulated Emma Eisenschink on getting her bus driver's license.
Dave Seeber talked about the Compensation meeting. It will be presented to the board when there is more information.
There was a motion by Dawn Jakubiec seconded by Dan Christianson to approve participation of high school students in Youth Options for second semester. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Dave Seeber seconded by Dan Christianson to approve Waubee Lodge as the location for Junior Prom on April 27, 2019. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Lori Mattern seconded by Trinity Shepard to table the senior class until more information is presented. The motion carried 6 to 1.
There was a motion by Dave Seeber seconded by Dan Christianson to approve changes on NEOLA School Board Policies. 3231-outside activities of staff and 4231-outside activities of support staff after changes to make A-H the same on both policies. Research and publishing will only be on Policy 3231. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Lori Mattern seconded by Trinity Shepard to approve the hiring of Robin Stich for Title VI Aide. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Dan Christianson seconded by Katryna VanEperen to approve Saturday June 1, 2019 at 2:00 P.M. for graduation. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Dave Seeber seconded by Dan Christianson to charge Co-op \$1/mile for the vans and Lamers rate for buses. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Dan Christianson seconded by Katryna VanEperen to approve hiring Dyllan Mittelstadt for JVGBB coach and assistant track coach. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Katryna VanEperen seconded by Dawn Jakubiec to have Bob Tucker and team-work on the special education plan. The motion carried 7 to 0.
Motion made by Dave Seeber seconded by Trinity Shepard to go into closed session at 8:10 PM. pursuant to Wisconsin State Statute 19.85 (1) (c) (e) and (f). A roll call vote was taken as follows: Janet Opiela, yes; Dawn Jakubiec, yes; Dave Seeber, yes; Lori Mattern, yes; Katryna VanEperen, yes; Trinity Shepard, yes; and Dan Christianson, yes. The motion carried 7 to 0.
a. Discussed the assignment of duties for individual administrative staff members.
b. Discussed individual administrator contracts for existing and future administrative staff positions.
c. Discussed procedural status update on employee complaint.
Motion by Dave Seeber seconded by Dawn Jakubiec to return to open session at 9:42 PM. to take possible action on items discussed in closed session. A roll call vote was taken as follows: Janet Opiela, yes; Dawn Jakubiec, yes; Dave Seeber, yes; Lori Mattern, yes; Katryna VanEperen, yes; Trinity Shepard, yes; and Dan Christianson, yes. The motion carried 7 to 0.
There was a motion by Dawn Jakubiec seconded by Trinity Shepard to adjourn at 9:42 P.M. The motion carried 7 to 0.
Lenora Mattern, District Clerk

TOWN OF LINCOLN NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Notice is hereby given that the 2018 tax roll is complete and in my hands for collection. Real estate taxes may be paid in full or by installments. First payment of 50% plus special charges, where applicable, but not less than \$99.99 per parcel, is due on or before January 31, 2019. Second payment is due and payable on or before July 31, 2019 to Christy Conley, Forest County Treasurer.

Tax payments may be mailed to the address on the tax bill (5376 County Road W, Crandon, WI 54520). I will also be collecting tax payments at the TOWN OF LINCOLN HALL:
-- Thursday, Dec. 27 from 9 a.m.-2 p.m.
-- Saturday, Jan. 12 from 9-11 a.m.
-- Monday, Jan. 14 from 4-6 p.m.

All dog licenses for 2019 are also due at this time. An application was mailed with the tax bills. Fees are \$3.00 for spayed/neutered animals, and \$8.00 for others. You must pay with a separate check and proof of rabies vaccination is required.

Tressa Votis, Clerk/Treasurer
Town of Lincoln

School District of Wabeno Area Special Board of Education Compensation Meeting Thursday, November 12, 2018 5:00 P.M. Wabeno Junior High/High School Library

The meeting called to order at 5:00 P.M. by Jeffrey Walsh. Committee members present: Chairperson, Jeffrey Walsh, William Taylor, Elizabeth Couillard, Lindsey Dailey, Emma Eisenschink, Dave Seeber, Dawn Jakubiec, Trinity Shepard, John Twardowski, Mary Ellen Keller, and Deb Heller.
Verification of Meeting Notice (Compliance with Open Meeting Law Notification (Wis. Stats. 19.84(2)))
A motion made by Dave Seeber seconded by Trinity Shepard to approve agenda.
Action Items:
Review and discussion of compensation models with Scatter Plots of salaries.
Recommend three or four lane plan to the School Board.
Discussion of what each lane includes with explanation.
Motion made by Trinity Shepard seconded by Dave Seeber to adjourn. Motion carried at 6:00 P.M.
Date for next meeting not available at this time.

School District of Wabeno Area Special Board of Education Compensation Meeting Thursday, November 1, 2018 6:00 P.M. Wabeno Junior High/High School Library

The meeting called to order at 6:02 P.M. by Jeffrey Walsh. Committee members present: Chairperson, Jeffrey Walsh, William Taylor, Elizabeth Couillard, Lindsey Dailey, Emma Eisenschink, Dave Seeber, Dawn Jakubiec, John Twardowski, Mary Ellen Keller, Diane Ashbeck, and Deb Heller. Trinity Shepard arrived at 6:45 P.M.
Verification of Meeting Notice (Compliance with Open Meeting Law Notification (Wis. Stats. 19.84(2)))
Motion to approve agenda by Dave Seeber seconded by Dawn Jakubiec. Motion carried.
Discussed ideas regarding compensation of surrounding districts.
Motion to adjourn by Trinity Shepard seconded by Dave Seeber. Motion carried.



Public Library Hours

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

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

Crandon Public Library - Monday, Tuesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.; Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.; Saturday 9:00 a.m. - Noon • 715-478-3784.

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

Museum Hours


Forest County Museum- Located at 105 W. Jackson in Crandon.

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 - Labor Day through color season, open Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

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Forest County Sheriff's Department HIGHER 2019 WAGE RATES!
 Forest County Sheriff's Department is now accepting applications for Full Time and Part Time **Correctional Officer/911 Dispatcher** positions.
 Individuals will be required to work day or night shifts, weekend and holidays as shift rotations dictate. Applicants will be responsible for operations of the telephone and radio systems, jail responsibilities, clerical duties and 911 operations. No experience necessary, on the job training.
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Apply: Submit Wisconsin Law Enforcement Standards Board Form, a current DJ-LE-330 Application, Cover Letter and Resume to:
Attention: Chief Deputy Alex Walrath
 Forest County Sheriff's Department
 100 South Park Avenue
 Crandon, WI 54520
 Applications must be received **by Tuesday, January 1, 2019 at 4 p.m.** Forms are available at the Forest County Sheriff's Department or online at www.wilenet.org. All questions on the application MUST be completed, including Section 6 - Questions A, B & C and must include your social security number. Applications that are not accurately completed will be rejected.
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 Part-time opening for office receptionist, two to three days per week from December to April. Computer proficiency, effective and professional communication and customer skills with attention to detail required.
 Send qualifications to: Office Receptionist, PO Box 249, Crandon, WI 54520

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FOOD & BEVERAGE MANAGER Status: Full-Time, Exempt
Purpose Achieve optimal profitability while maintaining a high-quality Food & Beverage (F&B) operation that provides excellence in guest service. Plan, organize, direct & coordinate the daily operations of PCCH's F&B outlets, while managing both the back-of-the-house and front-of-the-house Team Members.
Qualifications
 • Bachelor's Degree in Hospitality or F&B Management preferred; a minimum of four years verifiable experience preferred.
 • Three years verifiable supervisory experience preferred.
 • A minimum of one year verifiable cooking & bar, departmental budgeting and inventory control experience is preferred.
 • Advanced computer experience is required.
 • Ability to uphold complete confidentiality is required.
 • Must work well with people, possess excellent customer service skills and sensitivity to diverse cultures.
 • 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 obtain & maintain Gaming License issued by Forest County Potawatomi Gaming Commission.
 • Must satisfactorily complete an introductory period.
Posting Information: TRIBAL/NATIVE AMERICAN PREFERENCE APPLIES
Post Date: December 17, 2018 **Closing Date:** December 31, 2018
 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: jean.kluss@cartercasino.com -or- online at www.cartercasino.com

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FOOD & BEVERAGE ASST. CHEF Full-Time, Hourly
Purpose Responsible for providing & maintaining high quality standards & procedures when preparing all banquets / events & the day-to-day functions of the F&B outlets, to include food production, ordering, menu implementation and managing, coaching & training of the F&B Team. Communicates with the F&B Managers for coordination of all functions, & ensures operations are conducted in accordance with PCCH's procedures & standards.
Qualifications
 • Associate Degree in F&B Management preferred; a min. of two years verifiable experience required.
 • Foodservice operations / management / training a must.
 • A min. of one year verifiable cooking / bar experience is preferred.
 • Accurate cash handling experience & good math skill required.
 • Must work well with people, possess excellent guest service skills and sensitivity to diverse cultures.
 • Ability to maintain professional demeanor in stressful situations required.
 • Ability to maintain current Serve Safe Certification 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.
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 • Must be able to work a flexible schedule.
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NOTICE

Forest County Sheriff's Office is now accepting applications for a Full-Time Detective Sergeant position

Job Duties: Drug Investigations & drug education training. Other Law Enforcement duties. 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 \$25.48 per hour, based on 2019 wages. Benefits include; Wisconsin Retirement Fund, Health Insurance, Life Insurance, Sick Leave, Vacation Time, 9 Paid Holidays, Uniform Allowance, Deferred Compensation and Education Incentive Pay, if applicable.

Qualifications: Must be 21 years of age or older; 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. Drug Investigator training required. Drug Investigator experience preferred.

Apply: Submit Wisconsin Law Enforcement Standards Board form, a current DJ-LE-330 Application, a Cover Letter and Resume to:

Attention: Chief Deputy Alex Walrath
Forest County Sheriff's Office
100 South Park Avenue
Crandon, WI 54520

Applications must be received by Wednesday, January 2nd, 2019 at 12:00 PM.

Forms are available at the Forest County Sheriff's Office or online at www.wilenet.org. All questions on the application MUST be completed, including Section 6 - Questions A, B & C and your social security number. Applications that are not accurately completed 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.

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

Crandon High Students Inducted into National Honor Society



Back row: (Left to Right): Hailee Henrie, Navada Peterson, Lindsey Littleton, Leah Palubicki, Lynzee McGeshick, Jordan Kalata, Gracie Gunderson, Bradley Shepherd, Kale Poe, Halle Reeder, Brandi Okrasinski, Sarah Cochrane and Keyan Colburn (not pictured).

Front row seated: Tia Poe, Sydney Gretzinger, McKenna Stamper, Sarah Kalkofen, Hanna Evans, Autumn Schallcock, Ryan Kalkofen, Drew Boney, and Alexa Neilitz.

On November 26th, 2018 Crandon High School hosted its National Honor Society Induction Ceremony. National Honor Society is a prestigious academic group which selects its members based on their scholarship, leadership, service to others, and character. Each year juniors and seniors with excellent GPA's are eligible to apply for membership in the society. This year, NHS advisor Stephanie Schmidt, and the NHS Faculty Council welcomed thirteen new members into the society to join the nine current members.

The guest speakers at the event were Mary Mattson, National Honor Society member from 2011-2012 and Jacee Anderson, National Honor Society Member from 2009-2010. Mattson delivered an eloquent speech on the values of National Honor Society. Anderson then followed with an encouraging address on how membership in National Honor Society benefits students in their future. Schmidt, Mattson, and Anderson performed the candle lighting ceremony at the event.

The new inductees this year:

Sarah Cochrane, Hailee Henrie, Navada Peterson, Lindsey Littleton, Leah Palubicki, Lynzee McGeshick, Jordan Kalata, Gracie Gunderson, Bradley Shepherd, Kale Poe, Halle Reeder, Brandi Okrasinski, Sarah Cochrane and Keyan Colburn.

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Over 40 children ages 10 and under enjoyed the 38th annual McCaslin Lions Children's Christmas party held on December 1 at the Townsend Town Hall. The sirens of the Townsend Fire Truck could be heard all over town as it carried the stars of the party, Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus. Everyone sitting on Santa's lap received a goodie bag from Mrs. Santa Claus.

While waiting for Santa, children enjoyed face painting, games, prizes, and lunch. Many children walked away with presents while 20 children rode away in style with a new bike or trike.

The Town of Townsend and the Fire Department helped in making this a successful party.

NEW YEARS EVE CELEBRATION

MONDAY, DECEMBER 31

COMPLIMENTARY HORS D'OEUVRES & CHAMPAGNE
(11 AM - 1 PM -& 8 PM - 10 PM)

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