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## Conservation Corner

### EMERGENCY LOCATION- THIS APP COULD SAVE A LIFE!

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](mailto:lcc@co.forest.wi.us).

This week we will discuss some of the land information duties of our office. The county land information program is involved with collecting and generating data related to land with particular projects related to Geographic Information System (GIS) mapping. Over the winter our office had a discussion with a local rescue unit who explained their difficulty in finding a caller injured on our hundreds of miles of snowmobile trails. This led our office to quickly develop a mapping app which utilized current trail intersection locations and google maps to allow for faster locations. The discussion also led to a near future project with multiple county departments related to creating and posting emergency location signage across the county to improve the ability of people in need to accurately relay their position to the 911 system. Trial systems will be a priority in the near future. This signage will take some time and effort of many people and groups.

Emergency response at the national level utilizes a location grid called the US National Grid (USNG) which is similar to GPS but with a different location base. In Forest County and many regions across the country we have remote areas with no addresses for locations. This lack of available addresses as well as the inability of many people to describe their actual location in the event of an emergency, making emergency response difficult.

An app exists which allows GPS from cell phone and mobile device users to identify their USNG location. Relaying the USNG location to 911 attendants will allow for location of people in remote areas and provide for improved response times. The app only needs data connection for the initial download, after that data connection and phone service is not required for the location to be shown. The app is free and can be downloaded from [www.usngapp.org](http://www.usngapp.org)

When installed and opened the device will show locations much like the sign below.



When calling for emergencies, the caller should provide the numbers and letters from top to bottom like this:  
"15T XN 2975 3883"

Note that the app may only display 3 numbers in the bottom lines and red crossed out numbers, provide only the numbers that are not crossed out.

Even if you get nothing else from this article, get this: visit [USNGApp.org](http://USNGApp.org) today on your smartphone, and save it as favorite. You may never end up needing to use the app, but in case you do, you'll have quick access to accurate GPS coordinates for emergencies.

### Living Well Workshops help people live better with chronic conditions

For people with chronic health conditions, good medical care is just half of the equation. Equally important is their ability to make healthy decisions, follow their doctor's recommendations, and take care of their conditions.

Living Well with Chronic Conditions, a workshop offered Forest County, taught people with lifelong health conditions to do just that. Participants have less pain, more energy and fewer hospitalizations.

The workshop is offered at the ADRC of the Northwoods at 300 A. S. Lake Avenue, Crandon. The class will start Tuesday, April 30 9 to 11:30 and will be facilitated by Arlene Kerstner and Sara Richie. This workshop is for adults of all ages who have a chronic disease. Chronic diseases are lifelong health conditions and include diabetes, arthritis, HIV/AIDS, high blood pressure, depression, heart disease, chronic pain, anxiety, multiple sclerosis, fibromyalgia and others.

There's a significant need for support for people with chronic diseases which the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention calls the most common, costly and preventable of all health problems. They are also the leading causes of death and disability, responsible for seven out of ten deaths each year.

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## Forest County Deer Advisory Council to meet April 18th



The final meeting of the Forest County Deer Advisory Council (CDAC) will take place on April 18 in the lower level of the Crandon Public Library, from 7-9 p.m.

CDACs develop recommendations on antlerless harvest quotas, permit levels and hunting season structure based on public participation and feedback.

### Wabeno Area Players open auditions for the musical "Working!"

On April 22nd and 23rd at 6:00 pm, the Players will be holding open auditions for the musical "Working." The audition will be held at Madonna Hall (1793 Elm Ave., Wabeno, WI 54566). You will be doing a cold reading and will be required to sing a short song that will be taught to you at the audition. If you would like more information please contact the Players at (715) 889-1606 or email [wabenoareaplayers@gmail.com](mailto:wabenoareaplayers@gmail.com). This production will be performed July 18, 19, 20, 25, 26 & 27 at 7:00pm and 21 at 1:00pm in the Nancy Volk Auditorium (Wabeno High School, 4325 Branch St., Wabeno, WI 54566).

"Working" is the extraordinary genre-defining musical from Grammy and Academy Award-winner Stephen Schwartz (Wicked, Godspell) based on Studs Terkel's best-selling book of interviews with the American workforce: "Working: People Talk About What They Do All Day and How They Feel About What They Do." This highly original and universal portrait of the American workday is told from the perspective of those that the world so often overlooks – the schoolteacher, the millworker, the mason, the housewife, the fireman and the waitress amongst many – whose daily grind and aspirations reflect the truths of the people that make up a nation. Working employs a range of musical styles and genres from contributing composers, including five-time Grammy Award-winner James Taylor. Nominated for six Tony Awards, this classic has been updated for a modern age, featuring new songs by Tony Award-winning and Pulitzer Prize-winner Lin-Manuel Miranda.

### Crandon School District still searching for District Administrator

By Boyd Monte

The Crandon School Board met for their monthly meeting on Monday, April 8 in the auditorium at the Crandon High School. The board swore in the newly elected board that consists of Jeff Ackley, John Doane, Michelle Gobert, Kadie VanCleve and Bryan Schallock. Bryan was the only person who was not already on the board and he will be seated on Monday, April 22. Skye Alloway is the representative for the Forest County Potawatomi and Joe Kane is the representative for the Sokaogon Chippewa Community. The board also recognized and showed their appreciation to the public for attending the special board meeting on April 3rd when the district administrator finalist was introduced.

The principals, Jamee Belland and Jewel Mucklin gave reports on the high school and elementary schools.

The elementary school has spring programs starting. There will be a math and literacy night on this coming Tuesday. A conference will be in May and a color run. Forward testing has begun.

Ms. Mucklin has started testing in 8th grade. ACT Aspire testing has started. ACT preliminary results are back. Growth in testing is the preliminary prognosis. Junior prom will be April 27. Progress reports were sent out last week. The staff are getting ready for scheduling next year. The school wants to change the way they schedule classes to make it more student oriented. They are also looking at a long term substitute for band.

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## Sydney Rabe heads to Dallas to the Volleyball Championships



Sydney Rabe, of Lakewood, will be competing in the USA Volleyball 2019 Girls 18s Junior National Championships in Dallas, Texas April 26 through April 28. Sydney is currently 17 years old, a junior at Wabeno High School, and she plays club volleyball on the One Wisconsin-Bay 18-1 national team based in Green Bay.

The One Wisconsin-Bay 18-1 team earned the Badger Region Volleyball Association's American Division bid for the National Championships in the girls 18s age division. Good luck in Dallas!

## Forest County Building Committee meeting

By Mike Monte

The Forest County Building Committee met on Monday, April 8. Courthouse repairs and the law enforcement remodeling was discussed.

The financing has been approved for the new 911 center in the Law Enforcement Center. The cost estimate is \$130,000. The next step will be the bidding process, which will be handled by Mr. Musson, the advisor facilitator for the various projects in and around the courthouse complex.

However, the project will be put on hold until the funding is arrived at for the six new employees that will be needed to man the 911 center. The reason for this move is that the dispatcher has dual duties, both working as the jailer and the dispatcher, and there can and likely will be problems when one person has to handle emergency calls and keep order in the jail.

A referendum was discussed to put the problem in front of the voters and taxpayers. This could happen in 2020.

Another issue discussed was the old jail and sheriff's quarters. The building was inspected and found to be sound. The abatement of any lead paint and asbestos would have to be done whether or not the building is kept for future use or demolished. A firm will be hired to assess the problem. It would appear that the building committee is in favor in saving the old structure for any future uses.

Like any buildings, things like heating systems age and have to be repaired and replaced. The analysis of the entire complex will be done, and the necessary updates and repairs or replacements will be taken care of.

At this time, there was no discussion of future building plans, and the entire project will be decided after further analysis.

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### Wabeno Lion's Club honors W.H.S. Classroom Excellence



On Monday April 8, the Wabeno Lion's Club held their 44th Annual Honors Banquet at Carter Casino Hotel. Each year, lead educators at Wabeno High School nominate their top student, regardless of year in school, for Award Recognition by the Lion's. The gala event started with fellowship and conversation, followed by a delightful meal.

Next, it was the "good stuff", the presentation of each Honor student by their respective educator, complete with descriptive bio's, examples of their classroom excellence, and how these students stand out and inspire others. If that were not enough, former Lion's Honor student Katryna VanEperen gave an equally inspiring keynote address to the Honor students, their families and loved ones, Lion's members, educators and administrative leadership and school Board of Education members. To close the memorable evening's events, long-time Vocal Music educator Mary Ellen Keller lead the entire group with a heartfelt rendition of "God Bless America". On behalf of the Wabeno Lion's Club, we give credit to these excellent student's parents and loved ones...their "first" educators, and, next, to their incredible educators and WHS staff, who inspire and challenge them each day to excel. Finally, congratulations to those students honored as "best" in their respective classrooms!

In the photo above: L. to R.: Aidan Lowery, Senior, Vocal Music. Alexis Stoffregen, Senior, English Language Arts. Autumn Stoffregen, Soph, Family and Consumer Science. Alexis Childress, Junior, Physical Science. Dominik Prince, Junior, Technology Education. Kelly Boor, Junior, Instrumental Music. Grace Novak, Soph, Art. Grace Warner, Senior, Girls Phy Ed. Jacob Christianson, Senior, Mathematics. Robert Brauer, Senior, Life Science. (Not pictured: Brandon Hansen, Jr., Boys Phy Ed. Logan Riebe, Jr., Social Studies.)



Master of Ceremonies Gregg Tallier, Honors Banquet Guest Speaker Katryna VanEperen, Mathematics Honor Student Jacob Christianson, Lions Club President Rich Wickersheim.

### For Old Time's Sake



### Forest County Office on Aging offering 3 Strong Bodies classes

Healthy aging is all about quality of life. No matter how old you are, you do not have to get weaker with age. Strength training can help you stay vital, strong and independent throughout your life. The Strong Bodies Program is a 12-week, research-based exercise program for all ages of men and women. Each class includes progressive weight training, flexibility, and balance activities. Benefits from taking part in a program of strength training, which have been shown by research, include maintaining bone density, reducing falls, improving arthritis symptoms, increasing flexibility, and increasing strength. In addition, mental health benefits include improved mood and attitude, decreased depression, sleeping more soundly, increased energy levels and enjoyment of a new circle of friends.

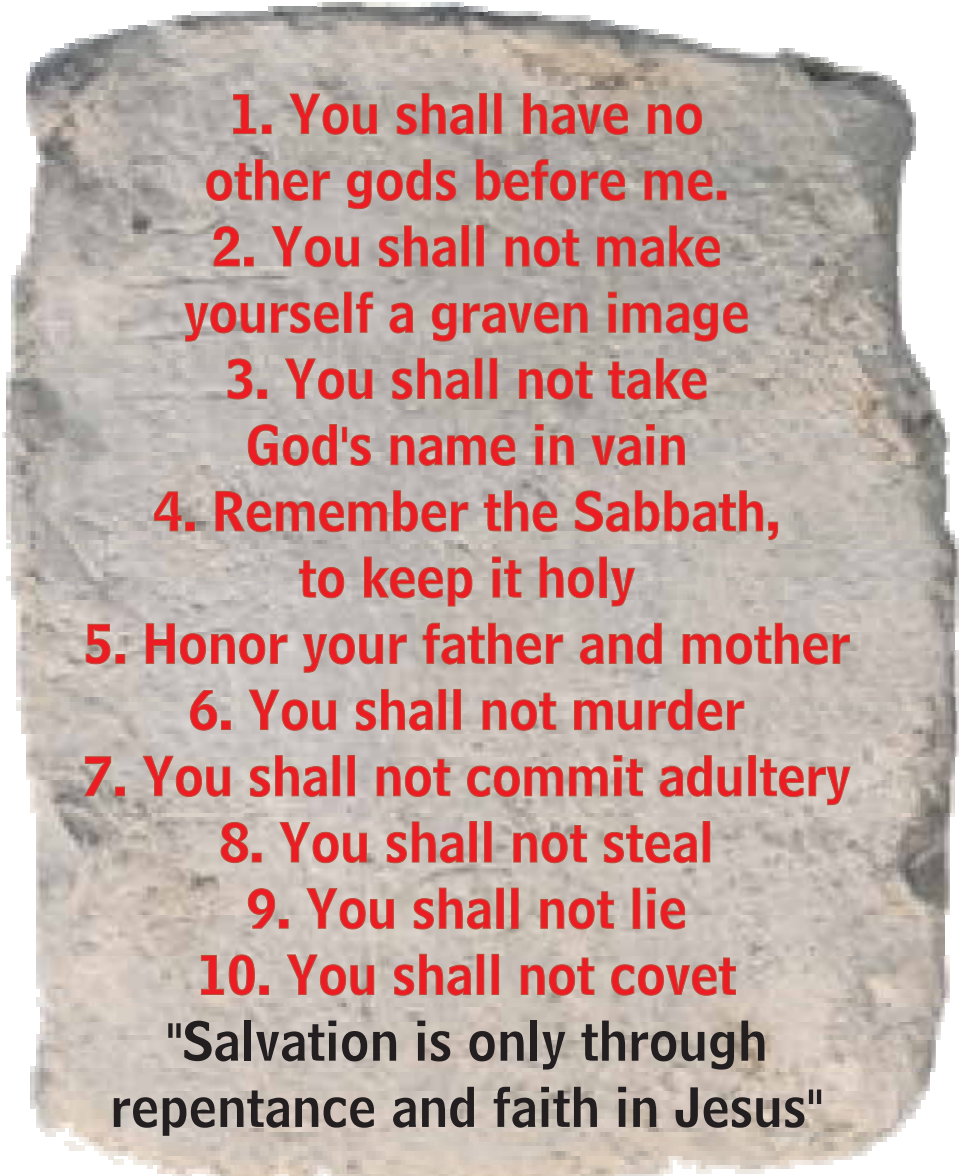
Former Laona instructor Ginnie Riley notes that, for her, MRI images showed improvements in bone density over a three-year period. Instructor Wendy Abney and participant Barb Ludeman also note improvements in bone density. As Wendy says, "Keep lifting!"

Strong Bodies classes are offered in Crandon and Laona. Strong Bodies Basic is intended for new participants or for those who are not interested in an Advanced session. A Basic session will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, May 6 to July 31, 2019, at the Crandon Public Library, Lower Level. Strong Bodies Advanced is intended for those who have participated in Strong Bodies for at least one twelve-week session with good attendance within the last calendar year. Exercises in the Advanced class will add variety and difficulty for those seeking challenges. Participants in the Advanced program will, as a group, determine the exercises used.

There will be a Strong Bodies Advanced session in Crandon at 1:00 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays, May 7, to July 30, 2019, at the Crandon Public Library, Lower Level.

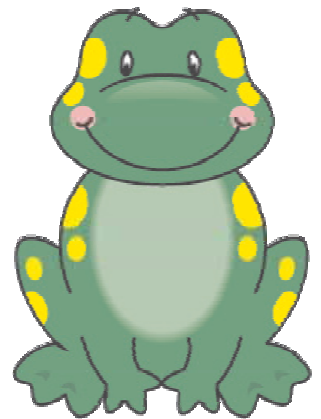
A Strong Bodies Basic session will also take place in Laona at 8:30 a.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays, May 6 to July 31, 2019, at the Laona Community Building. There is no charge to participants for any of these sessions and weights will be provided.

To begin the enrollment process, contact the Forest County Office on Aging at 715-478-3256.



1. You shall have no other gods before me.
  2. You shall not make yourself a graven image
  3. You shall not take God's name in vain
  4. Remember the Sabbath, to keep it holy
  5. Honor your father and mother
  6. You shall not murder
  7. You shall not commit adultery
  8. You shall not steal
  9. You shall not lie
  10. You shall not covet
- "Salvation is only through repentance and faith in Jesus"

Left: We all see log trucks running all day and sometimes into the night to beat the upcoming mud season, and it wasn't any different back in the 1920's when this picture was likely taken in this area. Unfortunately, we don't know who was pulling these heavy sleighs with their 5-Ton Holt tractor, but you can bet that he didn't want to see any of the winter's logging left in the woods.



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**Crandon Senior  
Spotlight -  
Sydney Gretzinger**



Sydney Gretzinger, daughter of Sonny and Jenny Gretzinger, said her favorite high school memories include track and field sectionals and state basketball. Her biggest accomplishment has been maintaining a 4.0 all throughout high school.

Throughout her time in school, she has learned many important lessons. She's learned the importance of hard work, communication and dedication. Her favorite lessons she's learned are the importance of taking chances, having fun with life and not taking friends, family or opportunities for granted.

In the fall, she will be attending UWSP. There, she will major in special education and run track. Following that, she plans to pursue a career as a special education teacher and hopefully receive an opportunity to coach track.

She would like to thank her mom; dad; her brother, Chevy; and all her other family members for helping her make it this far. She would also like to thank her teachers, track coaches (club and school), volleyball coaches, and all of her past basketball coaches. You have all pushed her to be her best and she would not be who she is without all of your support. Lastly, she would like to thank her friends for always challenging and encouraging her and making things fun.

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**Non-Emergency Medical  
Transportation in Wisconsin**

Submitted by Kathy O'Melia

Non-emergency medical transportation is a benefit provided to Wisconsin residents who are enrolled in Medicaid or BadgerCare Plus and have no other means of getting to medical appointments. Under a contract with the Wisconsin Department of Health Services, a company called Medical Transportation Management (MTM), Inc. coordinates, schedules, and provides rides to members across the state. The following is a list of some frequently asked questions about non-emergency medical transportation.

**Who is eligible for transportation services through MTM?**

Most people who receive Wisconsin Medicaid (including IRIS), BadgerCare Plus, or Family Planning Only Services are eligible for non-emergency medical transportation through MTM.

The following people are not eligible for transportation services through MTM:

- People who are enrolled in FamilyCare, Partnership or PACE
- People who reside in a nursing home (unless enrolled in hospice)

Transportation to a nursing home is provided by MTM if the person is not yet admitted as a resident. Likewise, transportation from a nursing home back home is provided if the person has already been discharged from the nursing home.

**How do I schedule a ride?**

Wisconsin Medicaid members can call MTM at 866-907-1493 to schedule a ride at least two days before the medical appointment.

**What information do I need to have to schedule a ride?**

Have the following information ready when calling to schedule a ride:

- Name, home address and phone number
- Forward Health ID Number
- Pick-up address
- Address and phone number of the healthcare provider you are seeing
- The date and start time of the appointment
- The end time of your appointment, if known
- Any special needs, including if you need someone to ride with you
- General reason for the appointment (check-up, eye appointment, etc.)

MTM will ask the member a series of questions to determine the type of transportation the person requires for the ride. MTM, Inc. offers the following types of rides:

- Mileage reimbursement
- Bus tickets
- Ambulatory vehicles, including a car, van or taxi
- Wheelchair and stretcher vehicles

**How far in advance can I schedule rides for recurring appointments?**

Rides for recurring medical appointments can be scheduled three months in advance. People on dialysis can schedule recurring rides up to six months in advance.

**What if I need a ride to a medical appointment right away?**

If it's a medical emergency, call 911 and have an ambulance transport you.

If you do not have an emergency, but need to see your medical provider right away, you may qualify for an urgent ride through MTM. An urgent ride can be provided if you cannot wait two business days to see a healthcare provider, if you are being discharged from the hospital, or if you have a follow-up appointment scheduled within two days of a previous appointment. In these situations, call the main phone number and ask for an urgent ride.

**What if my request for a ride is denied?**

You can call MTM's "We Care" line at 866-436-0457. To file a complaint with MTM, Inc., send a letter to: MTM, Inc., Attn.: Quality Management, 5117 W. Terrace, Suite 400, Madison, WI 53718.

You also have the right to file for a fair hearing through the Wisconsin Department of Hearings & Appeals.

For more information about non-emergency medical transportation, including videos, visit <http://www.mtm-inc.net/wisconsin/members/resources/>

Here is a quick reference to keep the contact information handy.

MTM non-emergency medical transportation:

To schedule a ride call - 866-907-1493

If you need an urgent ride, call - 866-907-1493

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We have a wonderful lineup of presenters starting with our keynote presenter, Pam Van Kampen, RDN, CD with her presentation "Get Busy Living! Create, Connect, Contribute....Pam is skilled at presenting information in an entertaining way with a high energy personality and infectious smile. This keynote will focus on the May 2019 Older American's Month theme, Connect, Create, Contribute, which encourages older adults to connect with friends, family, and local services and resources; Create through activities that promote learning, health and personal enrichment; and contribute time, talent and life experience to benefit others.

Registration fliers have been mailed out the week of April 8th to participants who attended this event in the last 2 years. If you are not already on our mailing list you can request a flier by contacting the Forest County Office on Aging at 715-478-7712 or tqueen@co.forest.wi.us <mailto:tqueen@co.forest.wi.us>

The registration fee for this is \$18.00 for anyone 60 and over and \$20.00 for anyone under 60.

This day is made possible by our major sponsor, Rennes Health & Rehab Center. The Forest County Office on Aging and ADRC of Vilas County are partners supporting this event and the ADRC of Oneida County who is the hosting agency.

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**Sophomores**  
Madelin Keepers  
**Freshmen**  
Braylee Chrisman, Elizabeth Krawze, Josie Lempel

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Hunter Cronauer, Grace Krawze, Kaylyn LaRock  
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Gavin Connor, Brady Shepard, Cameron Sorenson

**High Honor Roll (3.5-3.99)**  
**Seniors**  
Asia Bauer, Trevor Cleereman, Camille Dawidowicz, Jade Kitchmaster, Halle Lazzeroni, Elizabeth Tinsman, Ieasha VanPrice  
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Rebekah Goodacre-Reinke, Takara Hatfield, Carson Kalata, Georgia Matuszewski, Ethan Westmayer  
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Halia Babich, Matthew Bauer, Taylar Cleereman, Savannah Collins, Seth Lempel, Zandrea McGeshick, Zack McLaughlin, Michael Stamper

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**Honor Roll (3.0-3.49)**  
**Seniors**  
Ryan Ashbeck, Solomen Fellie, Jessalyn Peterson  
**Sophomores**  
Morgan Adkins  
**Freshmen**  
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 PO Box 38, Laona, WI 54541  
 877-674-2601  
 Email: thad@laonamachine.com

**Crandon School Continued From pg 1**

John Doane gave an update on the Unesco project. Bids have been accepted on doors and windows. The bids have come in at a lower cost, which means the district has the option to upgrade more in the building.

Mr. Jeager said that all the safety drills are up to date and that the fire department looked through the school and there were no problems.

Kadie Vanclave told the public the entire process of finding a district administrator. There were 20 initial inquiries. 3 candidates withdrew and 1 candidate did not complete the application. The administrative team independently completed the rating and ranking

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**4/9/2019**  
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**9750 US Highway 8 W**  
**Crandon, WI 54520**

**Position Description:**  
 The School District of Crandon is a Wisconsin Public Pre-K through 12 district governed by a five-person board. The 2018-19 population is 921 students with 456 students in the elementary school, and 465 students in grades 6-12. The annual budget is 14.5 million dollars and the District employs 70 teachers, 50 support staff, and 7 administrators.

The School District of Crandon is located in Northern Wisconsin. It serves 7 municipalities' in Forest County and is home to the Forest County Potawatomi and Sokaogon Chippewa Native American tribes. The district is a member of CESA 8 and the Northern Lakes Conference.

Additional information about the District can be found on its website at [www.sdoofcrandon.com](http://www.sdoofcrandon.com).

**Applications must include the following:**

- A letter of introduction/application
- A current resume/vita
- Three letters of recommendation
- Transcripts and Credentials from college/university
- A copy of (or evidence of eligibility for) a current Wisconsin District Administrators license
- A Data Information Form that will be sent to all applicants that must be completed, dated and signed

**Application materials should be sent to:**  
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 DR. PATRICK C. SAUNDERS  
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 CRANDON, WI 54520  
 Email preferred (Courier acceptable). Patrick C. Saunders: [saundpat@sdoofcrandon.com](mailto:saundpat@sdoofcrandon.com)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Postmarked by, **APRIL 19, 2019**

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form and brought them to the board. The board selected 6 people to interview. Of those 6, 1 declined an interview, 1 was eliminated due to unfavorable work history. The board interviewed the remaining 4 candidates. The interview team selected two candidates from those interviews, Mr. Robert Way and Ms. Kelly Fassbender. On April 1, Robert Way withdrew his application. Ms. Fassbender met with the public on April 3 and she withdrew her application on April 5.

The board has posted the job again, it will be posted until April 19. The board will then convene on April 22 to look over the applicants who applied.

# Thank You's and Personals

## Thank You !!

I would like to thank everybody who voted for me for the Crandon School Board.

**Jeff Ackley**

Thank you for your support and electing me Town of Lincoln Supervisor.

**Ryan Wilson**

Thank You  
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For Your Support in the  
April 3 Election  
**Claude Bowman**

Engagement Announcement  
**Jacee Anderson - Evan Shepard**



Jacee Anderson and Evan Shepard of Lakewood, WI, are happy to announce their engagement. Jacee is the daughter of Jonelle Bradley and Bill Anderson of Crandon, and Evan is the son of Lorrie and Frank Shepard of Wabeno.

Jacee is a 2010 graduate of Crandon High School and a 2015 graduate of UW-Oshkosh. She is currently employed as the Director of the Forest County Health Department.

Evan is a 2006 graduate of Wabeno High School and is currently employed at Tony's Wabeno Redi-Mix in Wabeno.

A July 20, 2019 wedding is being planned.

## Crandon Senior Spotlights - Ryan Kalkofen



Ryan Kalkofen, son of Steve and Amy Kalkofen, said two of his greatest high school accomplishments would have to be becoming a member of the National Honor Society and having perfect attendance for all four years. The best memories he has from high school, that he will remember forever, include going to and participating in all of the different sporting events. He will also remember all the great moments he has spend over the years with his friends.

A few things he's learned over the course of the last twelve years includes learning how to manage his time wisely as well as learning how to get along with everyone no matter how different you may be from them. He has also learned that getting along with someone is way more important than agreeing with them.

He plans on attending Nicolet Area Technical College for the first two years and then he's planning on possibly transferring to either UW-Green Bay or UW-Stevens Point to expand his knowledge in the science field. After college, he plans on either working in a laboratory or possibly becoming a science teacher.

The people he would like to thank for helping him make it this far include all of his close friends. Most importantly, he would like to thank his mom and dad for encouraging him to be his best even if that means no always being the best. Also, he would like to thank his grandparents for all their encouraging words and fun times they shared. He would also like to thank all of his teachers for supplying him with the knowledge that will be very helpful to him and that he will be able to use in the future.



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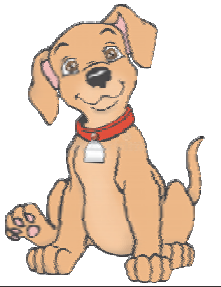
A guy from Cambridge named Ole Evinrude.



### Forest Larger Parish helps out



Karen Pruetter, Audrey Peterson, Suzanne Bell and Linda Mentz of the Mission/Evangelism Committee of Forest Larger Parish drop off Easter hams and winter coats for next fall at NEWCAP in Crandon. The same group is pictured at Schaffer's in Crandon shopping for dry goods to supplement the food pantry located at NEWCAP. Other hams were delivered for the food pantry at St. John Lutheran in Townsend and at the New Hope Homeless Shelter in Crandon.



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"R" Place, 45  
Cassidy's Café, 36  
Rusty's Back Ups, 30  
Prospect Lodge, 22  
Rusty's, 21

#### Ind. high game

Kellee Gallion, 196  
Darlene Edlebeck, 180  
Lorna Shawano, 170  
Ind. handicap game  
Kellee Gallion, 228  
Lorna Shawano, 221  
Darlene Edlebeck, 218

#### Ind. high series

Agnes Brown, 480  
Chris Geske, 472  
Betty Jo Keeble, 467  
Ind. handicap series  
Lorna Shawano, 618  
Sasha Shepard, 585  
Alice Sturzl, 584

#### Team high game

Whitetail Logging, 651  
Splits N Giggles, 628  
Bruce's Mistakes, 587  
Team handicap game  
Splits N Giggles, 782  
Bruce's Mistakes, 774  
Whitetail Logging, 760  
Team high series

Whitetail Logging, 1794  
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#### Team handicap series

Splits N Giggles, 2246  
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Rusty's Back Ups, 2162  
Six pack: Kellee Gallion, 228  
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Lisa Mermuys, 149  
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The proposed rehabilitation project involves the removal of a high percentage of the largemouth bass and northern pike populations in Roberts Lake. Overpopulation of these two species have created major obstacles for walleye and yellow perch management and have led to a major population decline.

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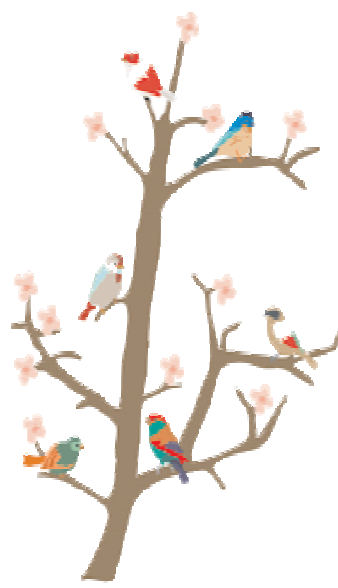
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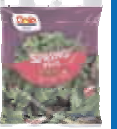
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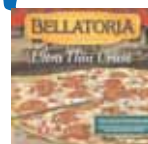
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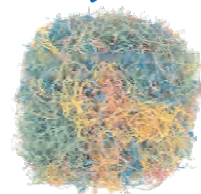
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# Death Notices

**Marilyn J. LaRock**, 87, of Wabeno, WI passed away Sunday, March 17, 2019 at St. Mary's Hospital, Rhinelander. Marilyn was born January 27, 1932 in Milwaukee, WI, the daughter of Charles and Bernice (Graham) Connell.

She was united in marriage to Allen LaRock, who precedes her in death.

Surviving Marilyn are her daughter, Lynn LaRock, (Fiance, Kevin Podjaski) of Wabeno; sons, Allen (Jeanne) LaRock of Fletcher, OK and Randy (Ken) LaRock of New Orleans; grandchildren, Jacy (Kevin) and McKayen "Mack" (Jessica); and great-grandchildren, Kaden, Sasha, Kiley, Addison, Taylor, and Hadley.

She was preceded in death by her parents and sister, Joyce.

We would like to thank all staff members at Nu Roc, Laona Rescue Squad, and St. Mary's Hospital staff for the special care of our mother.

Honoring her wishes, no services will be held.

Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family. Online condolences for the family may be directed to [www.weberhillfuneralhome.com](http://www.weberhillfuneralhome.com).

**Linda L. Vargo**, age 73, passed on Saturday, April 6th, 2019, in Shawano following a month-long battle with cancer.



Linda was born January 22, 1946, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin to Ralph and Mona (Ison) Hanson. She graduated from Cudahy High School in 1964 and continued on to Rush University College of Nursing in Chicago, Illinois, where she received her Bachelor's in Nursing.

On February 14, 1969, Linda married Andrew Vargo. Together they had two children, a daughter, Elizabeth, and a son, Bradley.

In 1976, Andy and Linda moved the family "up north" to Crandon. Linda accepted a job as Public Health Nurse of Forest County.

Eventually, the two would retire to build their dream home on her beloved Ada Lake where she could fish to her heart's content and fish she did! Linda will be remembered as a loving mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend.

She was an amazing cook, loved to keep all the wildlife fed, and had a very green thumb while tending her beautiful plant and flowers.

Linda is survived by her daughter, Elizabeth (Denis) Kraning; her son, Bradley (Marci) Vargo; grandsons, Tyler, Hunter, and Michael; her sister, Paula Crapitto; and brother-in-law, Joe Crapitto; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Andy; and her beloved sister, Judy Jesse; and brother-in-law, Roy Jesse.

A Celebration of Life will be held for Linda and her sister Judy on June 29, 2019 at Hill's Still, Pearson, from noon to 4 p.m.

Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family with the arrangements. Online condolences for the family may be made to [www.weberhillfuneralhome.com](http://www.weberhillfuneralhome.com).

**Joyce Elaine (Matchie) Gatton**, age 91, entered into the peace of our Lord on Wednesday, April 10, 2019 after a long battle with Alzheimer's disease.

Joyce was born at Pelican Lake, WI on March 17, 1928, to Frank and Clara (Keeler) Matchie. She graduated from Antigo High School, married her life-long love, Gerald Gatton and moved to Milwaukee where, together, they raised their family.

Surviving Joyce are her daughter, Cheri (Quentin) Strong of Lily; sons, Gary (Linda) of Milwaukee, Mark (Amy) of Crandon and Rodney (Kate) of Antigo; and sister, Yvonne Jensen. She is further survived by grandchildren, Amanda, Mathew, Mark, Amber, Tony, Nick, Holly, Abby and Kyle; and great-grandchildren, Eric, Grace and Evelyn.

Joyce was preceded in death by her husband Gerald; son, Terry (Marie); parents; brother, Robert Matchie; and sister, Eilene (Howard) Schroeder.

Visitation and services for Joyce will be at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church in Milwaukee, on Monday, April 15 at 3 and 5 p.m. respectively with graveside service the following day at the Enterprise Cemetery in Pelican Lake at 11 a.m. where she will be laid to rest alongside her husband, Gerald. A luncheon will follow at Hotel Crandon.

In lieu of flowers, her family would like contributions directed to the Alzheimer's Association.

Online condolences may be left for the family at <http://foresthometfunerals.com>.

**Geraldine Alice Young (Scheel)**, who's deepest desire was only to make everyone around her happy, passed onto a more peaceful place on April 1, 2019, surrounded by her loving family in Green Bay, WI. Gerri survived a challenging childhood. After graduation from West Milwaukee High School, she traveled to Augsburg, Germany, where she lived for a year and accumulated stories she would share for the rest of her life.



Gerri had four loves of her life - "my guys" as she'd say. The first arrived in 1973 when her son, Ross, was born. She cherished her relationship with Ross, and worked tirelessly for his happiness.

Five long years later, she met the second love of her life, Don. Don introduced her to excitement and happiness she never before experienced and added joy to both her and Ross's lives. Gerri experienced a rare true love with Don, she cherished every moment with him, and was never afraid to express her affection for him.

The third came only a few years later in 1982, with the birth of her second son, Aaron. She showered affection upon Aaron and Ross, only wanted for their success and happiness, and was immensely proud of the men they became.

The last love of her life showed up in 2007, with Murphy the dog. She showered blankets of love upon Murphy, who returned the love to her in even bigger quantities.

Her career was incredibly important to her. She loved working with Tom and Jeff at Legacy Capital Partners in Milwaukee, WI. She worked as an Operations Manager, and cared tremendously about her role there. She considered her workmates family, and spoke of them as fondly as she did her own family.

After retiring from Legacy Capital Partners in 2006, she began making greeting cards as a hobby, which turned into her second career. The cards she made brought joy and console to others, which brought joy to her own life.

Her favorite activities revolved around being with her family while taking full advantage of the forests around Townsend, WI. She loved walking through the woods with Murphy, enjoying the trilliums. She found great joy in going on scooter and ATV rides, especially during blackberry season, where she would find secret hotspots of blackberries. She also loved going camping with Don and Murphy to the local parks, Madeline Island, and a cross country road trip touring Colorado, the Tetons, and Glacier Park. Some of her favorite meals she had at Karla's Kountry Kitchen in Townsend, and The Big Easel Bistro in Wabeno.

Gerri found great solace and empathy with her sister, Jackie. They spoke many times a day to share both their joys and sorrows with compassion and empathy. They visited each other as often as they could, and loved and cared for each other deeply. She was also extremely fond of Aaron's wife Becky, whom she loved to share crafting ideas with, and shop for any elephant-related item she could gift to Becky, to express her deep love for her.

She is survived by her husband, Donald Young; sons, Ross and Aaron (Becky); sister, Jackie Jaquish (Scheel); and Murphy the dog.

Celebration of Life will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 13, 2019 at the Townsend Town Hall, 16564 Elm St. Townsend, 54175. Donation may be made in Gerri's name to the "Christian Thrift Store", Wabeno, 4541 N Branch St. Wabeno, 54566.

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**Germaine A. Turek**, 89, of Crandon, WI passed away Friday, April 5, 2019 at Sacred Heart Hospital, Tomahawk, WI. Germaine was born May 13, 1929 in Green Bay, WI, the daughter of Stephan and Camille (Francois) Trudell.

Surviving are her grandchildren, Kellie (Troy) Wagoner, Betsy (Jeff) Kau, Cynthia Collins, and Chad (Whitney) Collins; great-grandchildren, Kyle, Riley, Tori Wagoner, Cassandra and Devin Collins; great-great-granddaughter, Paisley Gunderson; son-in-law, Gary Collins; and brother-in-law, Bill Parshen.

She was preceded in death by her parents; daughter, Jennifer Collins; sister, LaVerne Parshen; and brothers, Rodney and Robert Trudell.

Per Germaine request no services will be held.

Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family with the arrangements. Online condolences for the family may be directed to [www.weberhillfuneralhome.com](http://www.weberhillfuneralhome.com).

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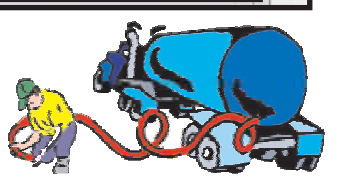
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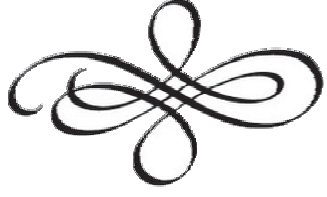
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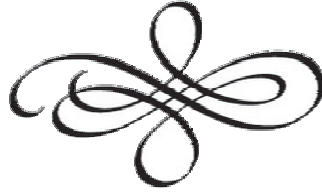
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**Spring snowmelt and rain can contaminate wells; well owners encouraged to be vigilant as the seasons change**

MADISON - Warming temperatures, snow melt, rain and lingering frozen ground can create conditions that may affect private wells and drinking water.

"Our recent rain, mixed precipitation and local flooding throughout the state is a reminder that changing spring weather can lead to well contamination," said Liesa Lehmann, DNR private water section chief. "At this time of year we encourage well owners to watch for signs of flooding and note any change in the color, smell or taste of their drinking water."

Owners who see flood waters very near or over their wells should assume their drinking water could be contaminated. Take the following steps:

Stop drinking the water and find another safe source.

Once the waters recede, make sure the well is properly disinfected.

Before drinking the water again, sample the well to assure the water is safe.

Flood waters and rain runoff may contain bacteria and other contaminants that can affect water supplies and cause illness. Wells located in pits, basements and low-lying areas are especially susceptible to contamination.

"Disinfection and sampling is best done by a licensed well driller or pump installer," says Lehmann. Any water supply system that has been submerged by flood waters should be pumped out once the floodwater recedes, then thoroughly disinfected and tested to determine that the water is safe, she adds.

To ensure safe drinking water, well owners are encouraged to learn whether they have a properly constructed well and test it annually for bacteria. More information on bacterial contamination of drinking water wells, along with lists of licensed well drillers, pump installers and labs certified to analyze water samples can be found on DNR's website.

For individuals who receive drinking water from a public water supply, these systems are designed and operated to keep out contaminants. If you have concerns about the safety of your community's drinking water, contact your public water supplier.

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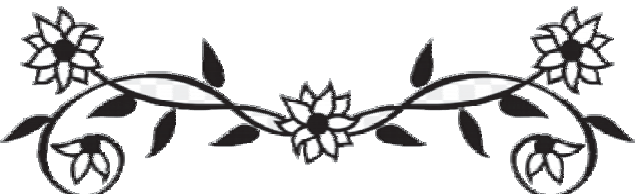


**Wabeno Jr./Sr High School 2018-19 Quarter 3 Honor Roll**

**Highest Honors (4.0 GPA)**  
 SENIORS- Rhiannon Hooper and Madelyn Korbas  
 JUNIORS- Kelly Boor and Annalise Sommer  
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 FRESHMAN- Reed Christianson  
 8th GRADE- Adam Seeber  
 7th GRADE-

**High Honors (3.99 to 3.5 GPA)**  
 SENIORS- Robert Brauer, Baylen Caley, Jacob Christianson, Hunter Exferd, Ava Holdener, Eavin Lewis, Lindsey Schuhart, Alexis Stoffregen, Grace Warner  
 JUNIORS- Alexis Childress, Morgan Mattern, Connor Monnot, Jesse Pakulski, Logan Porter, Sydney Rabe, Logan Riebe, Jade Schmidt, Alexandra Taylor  
 SOPHOMORES- Emily Christianson, Dylan Cloud, Clayton Janesch, Alexzandra Kaster, Grace Novak, Matthew Seeber, Autumn Stoffregen, Evan Thomas, Trista Weiss  
 FRESHMAN- Halee Henkel, Natalie Johnson, Hailey Krueger, Jesse Prasser, Jaclyn St. Peter, Bekkah VanEperen, Myla Volk  
 8th GRADE- Kelsey Beaver, Pfeiffer Bodoh, Braden Brauer, Zoie Cayan, Daniel Harris, Carter Janesch, Kierra O'Keefe, Owen Seeber  
 7th GRADE- Lauren Harris, Gage Liptack, Hailey Monnot, Neena Osborne, Trentin Ponton, Brian Sears, Lawton Webb, William Winkler

**Honors (3.49 to 3.0 GPA)**  
 SENIORS- Nathan Beyer, Connor Brunette, Aidan Lowery, Jennifer Shopodock  
 JUNIORS- Jordyn Calhoun, Ethan Higgins, Dominik Prince  
 SOPHOMORES- Conor Lowery, Kiara Moravec, Maya Roeder  
 FRESHMAN- Shane Mason, Paige Peterson, Ryan Simonis, Connor Taylor  
 8th GRADE- Maddyson Calhoun, Paul Lewis, Laney Peters, Christopher Quinn, Ryan Roy, Nathan Shepard, Araena Soman  
 7th GRADE- Gatlin Bohl, Allisia Cisneros Tuckwab, Justin Hernandez, Myla Peterson, Thomas VanThiel, Korbin VanZile



**Forest County master gardener training**

Forest County's UW-Madison, Division of Extension is excited to announce a Level 1 Master Gardener program will be offered in Crandon beginning in May of 2019.

UW-Extension Master Gardener Volunteers are trained in a wide range of horticultural topics via a multi-session training course that will be held every other Wednesday evening May October 2019. The classes will be held at the Crandon Public Library, beginning from 6:00 8:00 p.m.

The first class, Wednesday, May 1st, will be an introduction to the Master Gardener program and will allow participants the opportunity to meet instructor Jill Krueger, review the course materials, and decide if this course is the right fit for you.

Master Gardener course work teaches plant management principles and prepares participants to help others in their community by assisting with community beautification projects, horticultural demonstrations, answering plant care questions, and many other volunteer opportunities. The course instruction is free, although the instructional materials cost \$100 for an individual or \$160 for a couple. Included in these materials are the instruction manual, a handbook of UW-Extension publications, and numerous materials that you will take home as part of the hands-on skill-building sessions that are the main feature of the course.

Although each evening will deal with a different topic, there will be some type of hands-on and/or outside activity nearly every session, allowing participants to better understand plant management principles that they can then use to help others. The 'costs' of the free instruction are repaid with the volunteer hours that new Master Gardeners return to their community. All area residents are welcome to be a part of this opportunity to grow in your own horticultural knowledge and share those skills & knowledge with others.

Interested persons should call the Forest County Extension office at 715-478-7797 and talk to Michelle to get their questions answered and to request a training application. You can also download the training brochure and application at the Forest County Extension website at <https://forest.extension.wisc.edu> or e-mail michelle.gobert@wisc.edu

# Bids & Notices

**TOWN OF FREEDOM  
NOTICE OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**  
The Freedom Annual Town meeting will be held at the Freedom Town Hall on Tuesday, April 16th, 2019, at 7:00 P.M.  
  
Patricia Valley, Clerk

**Annual Meeting Notice  
Town of Lincoln**  
Tuesday, April 16, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.  
\* The regular April Town Board meeting will follow the annual meeting.

**NOTICE-TOWN OF LINCOLN  
OPEN BOOK AND BOARD OF REVIEW**  
**OPEN BOOK** The assessment roll will be open for public inspection at the Lincoln Town Hall, 5376 County Road W, Crandon from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 1, 2019 from 4-6 PM.  
  
**BOARD OF REVIEW** Will be held at the Town Hall, 5376 County Road W, Crandon on Thursday, May 9, 2019 from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.  
  
All persons wishing to appear at the Board of Review must file a formal objection form with the town clerk at least 48 hours prior to the day of the Board of Review. Forms will be available by contacting the Town Clerk at (715)478-2985 or tressavotis@gmail.com (or the Town Assessor at the Open Book).  
Town of Lincoln,  
Tressa L. Votis-Clerk/Treasurer

## COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

- **The Pickerel Area 50 Plus Club** will hold a meeting on Thursday, April 11, 2019 at St. John's Lutheran Church at noon. Please bring a dish to pass and a joke to tell.
- **Crandon American Legion Post 94** - First Thursday of every month (except Sept.) at 7 p.m. at the new American Legion Hall.
- **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. at the training center at the shelter. 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.
- **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.
- **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 Rhineland. 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.

**Wabeno School District  
Breakfast Menu  
April 15-19, 2019**  
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.: NO SCHOOL

**Wabeno School District  
Lunch Menu  
April 15-19, 2019**  
Mon.: Chicken patty, potato wedges, corn, pears, garden bar, milk  
Tue.: Mini corn dogs, mac n cheese, baked beans, grapes, garden bar, milk  
Wed.: Chili dog, W. G. crackers, baked beans, apple slices, garden bar, milk  
Thurs.: Chicken nuggets, mashed potato, gravy, corn, strawberries, garden bar, milk  
Fri.: NO SCHOOL



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## 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. Bible study 8:00 A.M. with Worship at 9:00 a.m. Sunday. After School Program is Wednesdays at 4:15 p.m. Lenten services begin Wed. Mar 6 at 5:30 p.m. Located at the corner of 55 and Cty. A in Pickerel. Call 715-484-3382 for more information.
- **Good Shepherd Lutheran Church** - 1507 N Lake Ave, Crandon. Sunday Service 9:30 A.M. Pastor Verage - 715-889-3474.
- **St John Lutheran Church** - 5502 Beech Street, Laona, Sunday Service at 8:00 a.m. Bible School Mondays at 3:30 p.m.
- **Trinity Evangelical Church (WELS)** - 1741 Forest Avenue, Wabeno. Sunday morning service at 9:30 a.m.; Youth Bible Study at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday.
- **Bethel Baptist Church** - 1761 East Ave., Wabeno. Sunday Worship Service at 9 AM, Wednesday Prayer & Bible study 6 PM (winter-time 2PM). Pastor Benjamin Larson (715) 610-1420
- **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. Northwoods Lutheran.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.gospelmisionfellowshippcg.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
- **St. John Lutheran Church (LCMS)**, 17963 Hwy 32, Townsend, worship at 5:30 p.m. Saturday and 9 a.m. Sunday, with Sunday School at 10 a.m. Call 715-276-7214 for more information.
- **St. Mary's Catholic Church** N9184 WI-55, Pickerel, WI 54465. Mass on Wednesdays and Thursdays at 9 a.m., Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

**Invitation for Bids A-Binoojii Child Development Center  
Sokaogon Chippewa Community**  
**A-Binoojii Child Development Center/Sokaogon Chippewa Community is accepting sealed bids for the services listed below. All bids must be received at the Director's Office at A-Binoojii Child Development Center, 3120 Eagle's Nest Lane, Crandon, WI no later than 4 pm on April 15, 2019, either in person or by mail to: Brenda Flannery, A-Binoojii Child Development Center - Sokaogon Chippewa Community, 3051 Sand Lake Rd, Crandon, WI 54520. Please label the BID envelopes accordingly. You are not required to bid on both indoor and outdoor projects.**  
  
**Indoor:**  
\*\* Reset children's lavatory  
\*\* Add food disposal on three compartment sink.  
\*\* Add an economizer to exterior heating/cooling unit.  
\*\* Add Zone Dampers and thermostats throughout the HVAC duct system to allow separate control of room areas.  
  
**Outdoor:**  
\*\* Landscape work to (2) fenced in playground areas.  
  
Additional information and specifications must be obtained from and discussed with Brenda Flannery, Early Childhood Director at A-Binoojii Child Development Center at 715-478-6444. All BIDS shall include proof of insurance. Agreement to adhere to project completion timelines will be required upon acceptance of BID.  
  
The Sokaogon Chippewa Community reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

**Annual Meeting  
Town of Crandon  
April 16 at 7 p.m.  
in Town of Crandon  
Town Hall**

**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. - 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.

## 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 Community Center on School St.. 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•Swin Lane, Crandon. Call Brooks Boyd for info at 715-889-4902.
- **Lost Marbles Group - Open AA meeting** - Saturday mornings at 9 a.m. Wabeno Fire Station, side entrance.



# Senior Chatter

April 16th is National Health Care

## Decisions Day!

Submitted by Kathy O'Melia

Celebrating National Health Care Decisions day is a great time to review your own advance planning documents or create advance planning documents if you have not already done so! Everyone over the age of 18 should be planning in the event incapacity would occur. Be sure to discuss your wishes with your agent or use this as an opportunity to have another conversation with them to ensure your wishes are clear!

The law on advance care planning documents and authority varies by state. In Wisconsin, practitioners typically recommend the following documents:

- Power of Attorney for Finances and Property;
- Power of Attorney for Health Care;
- Declaration to Physicians (a/k/a Living Will); and
- Authorization for Final Disposition (burial & funeral arrangements).

Advance planning documents can be executed with or without an attorney. Even though the basic forms are available online for free, an attorney can provide legal advice and counseling regarding the person's specific circumstances to ensure that the person's wishes are stated and carried out as desired. It is important that the power of attorney for health care is signed before two unrelated and disinterested witnesses. Although the power of attorney for finances does not technically require witnesses, it is granted important protections under Wisconsin law if it is notarized when signed.

Powers of attorney provide authority for someone to make financial and health care decisions for another person. Unlike other states, Wisconsin is not a "next of kin" state, meaning that family members do not have the ability to make health care decisions on behalf of another person just by virtue of being a relative (or spouse). Wisconsin law requires that a person be granted specific authority to act--either authority from the individual person (via a power of attorney document), or from a court (usually through a guardianship action).

Power of attorney documents are valid once they are drafted and signed. When they are activated depends on the language within the document. Typically, a power of attorney for health care is activated by two physicians or a physician and a psychologist when the principal has an incapacity to make health care decisions. A power of attorney for finances is typically active upon signing, however, can be activated upon incapacity instead if those instructions are provided within the document.

A Living Will is a document that on its face may look similar to a power of attorney for health care; however, there are several important differences. In writing a Living Will, a person is making a directive to his or her doctor regarding the person's end of life decisions. There is no authority given to another person to act as an agent on the principal's behalf, as is the case in the power of attorney documents. Additionally, a Living Will only applies in limited situations, such as if you have a terminal condition or are in a persistent vegetative state. By contrast, a power of attorney for health care provides for an agent to have broad authority to make decisions in a wide range of situations. A person can have both a power of attorney for health care and a Living Will, if desired, or one or the other. If the documents are inconsistent, the power of attorney for health care takes precedence.

Finally, the Authorization for Final Disposition allows a person to indicate his or her funeral and burial preferences in writing and to appoint a representative to carry out those wishes upon the person's death. This document is recommended as part of a comprehensive estate plan because the authority under a power of attorney ends upon the principal's death. If no agent is appointed under an Authorization for Final Disposition form, Wisconsin law indicates that a surviving spouse, children, parent, or siblings (in that respective order) can make funeral and burial decisions on behalf of a decedent. If there are surviving children or siblings that are making the decision, a majority of that group must agree and that can potentially cause issues and delays.

Advance Directive forms can be found on the Department of Health Services website. More information on advance directives and how to complete these forms are also available on our website.

Myth-busting false beliefs about POA's:

1. I do not need a POA because my spouse or family can make decisions on my behalf.
  - a. Wisconsin is not a "next of kin" state, meaning that family members do not have inherent authority to make decisions solely based on their relationship with you. Authority must be specifically given to a person through a POA document or a court order.
2. I do not need a POA until I am older or sick.
  - a. Too often, people wait until it is too late to do advance planning. If a person no longer has the capacity to execute a POA document, then a guardianship action in court may be needed. All adults over the age of 18 should consider creating advance directives.
3. Once I create a POA, I'm set for life.
  - a. POA documents are not locked in stone. They can be revoked at any time or re-executed if the principal is of sound mind. Honoring Choices recommends that advance planning documents be reviewed if any of the 4 "d's" occur:

- i. Death (if any of the agents named in your POA pass away);
- ii. Decade (if it has been more than 10 years since you drafted or reviewed your documents);
- iii. Divorce (if you subsequently get a divorce after drafting your POA in Wisconsin, this invalidates your documents by law);
- iv. Disease (if you become sick or are diagnosed with an illness).

In reviewing your documents, you want to ensure that the agent(s) you chose would still be able and/or willing to serve, that the principal and witnesses signed on the same date, that the witnesses are not related to the principal, that the document still reflects your current wishes and that nothing is crossed out.

4. I don't have a lot of money or property, so I don't need a Power of Attorney for Finance.

a. A Power of Attorney for Finance may be needed to apply for or manage insurance and public benefits like Medicaid.

b. A Power of Attorney for Finance agent would be the one who could sign contracts regarding property, represent your interests in litigation or sign a lease.

c. A Power of Attorney for Finance can establish a special needs or burial trust.

d. You determine exactly what authority you want your agent to have or not have.

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### Bus Schedule

**Tuesday - April 16** - Wabeno, Laona, and Crandon to Rhinelander by 9 a.m. Walmart complex and Aldi's only. No lunch. Depart Rhinelander by 11:45 a.m. - **Bus driver:** Dan Pedersen

**Wednesday - April 17** - Armstrong Creek, Cavour, Newald, Popple River, Laona and Crandon to Iron Mountain - **Bus driver:** Gary Schrimpf

**Thursday - April 18** - Hiles, Argonne and Crandon to Rhinelander - **Bus driver:** Gary Schrimpf

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**Gary Schrimpf: 920-946-4014**

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### TOPIC OF THE MONTH

"Staying Well"

### MEAL SCHEDULE

#### CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA

**Monday - April 15** - Chicken ala king, brown rice, tossed salad, biscuit, pear crisp

**Monday - April 22** - Pork boiled dinner with potato, carrots, rutabaga and cabbage, corn muffin, apple crisp

#### CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK

**Tuesday - April 16** - Baked ham, scalloped potato, green beans, applesauce, sourdough bread, cream puffs - **MUSIC: Armstrong Creek; BINGO: Crandon**

**Tuesday - April 23** - Spaghetti with meatballs and sauce, tossed salad, raisins, garlic bread, berry sponge cake - **BINGO: Armstrong Creek**

#### CRANDON

**Wednesday - April 17** - Beef tips with onions and mushrooms, mashed potato, carrots, dinner roll, applesauce

**Wednesday - April 24** - Baked chicken, broccoli salad, baked beans, bread stick, peach cobbler

#### LAONA, WABENO CONGREGATE

**Thursday - April 18** - Beef tips with onions and mushrooms, mashed potato, carrots, dinner roll, applesauce

**Thursday - April 25** - Baked chicken, broccoli salad, baked beans, bread stick, peach cobbler - **BIRTHDAY PARTY & BINGO**

#### ALVIN

**Thursday - April 18** - Ham, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, pineapple, bars, wheat bread, margarine

**Thursday - April 25** - Beef taco salad, corn shells, tomato and lettuce, pears, margarine, birthday cake

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

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

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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.

## Bids & Notices

### School District of Wabeno Area Special School Board Meeting Thursday March 7, 2019 5:30 P.M.

#### Wabeno Junior High/High School Conference Room

The meeting called to order at 5:32 P.M. by School Board Vice President Katryna VanEperen.

Members present: Katryna VanEperen, Dave Seeber, Dan Christianson, and Trinity Shepard. Members absent: Janet Opiela, Dawn Jakubiec, and Lori Mattern.

Verification of Meeting Notice (Compliance with Open Meeting Law Notification (Wis. Stats. 19.84(2))

Pledge of Allegiance

Agenda Revisions

Motion by Dave Seeber seconded by Dan Christianson to approve the amended agenda. Motion by Dan Christianson seconded by Trinity Shepard to approve the hiring of Janielle Kirk as new elementary teacher. Carried 4 to 0.

Motion by Katryna VanEperen seconded by Dave Christianson to go into closed session at 5:36 PM. Pursuant to Wisconsin State Statute 19.85 (1) (c) (e) and (f). Roll call vote: Dave Seeber, yes; Katryna VanEperen, yes; Trinity Shepard, yes; and Dan Christianson, yes. Carried 4 to 0.

Discussion the acceptance of investigative report.

Motion by Dave Seeber seconded by Trinity VanEperen to return to open session at 8:31 PM. to announce or take action, if any and if appropriate. Roll call vote: Dave Seeber, yes; Katryna VanEperen, yes; Trinity Shepard, yes; and Dan Christianson, yes. Carried 4 to 0.

Motion by Katryna VanEperen seconded by Dan Christianson to adjourn at 8:32 PM. Carried 4 to 0.

Trinity Shepard, School Board Member

### School District of Wabeno Area Special School Board Meeting Wednesday, March 20, 2019 7:00 P.M.

#### Wabeno Junior High/High School Conference Room

Meeting called to order at 7:00 P.M. by School Board President Janet Opiela.

Board members present: Janet Opiela, Katryna VanEperen, Dawn Jakubiec, Dave Seeber, Dan Christianson, Trinity Shepard and Lori Mattern.

Verification of Meeting Notice (Compliance with Open Meeting Law Notification (Wis. Stats. 19.84(2))

Motion by Katryna VanEperen seconded by Trinity Shepard to approve the agenda. Motion carried 7 to 0.

Motion by Dave Seeber seconded by Trinity Shepard to accept the resignation of Andrew Maurer. Motion carried 7 to 0.

Motion by Dan Christianson seconded by Lori Mattern to go into closed session at 7:02PM. Pursuant to Wisconsin State Statute 19.85 (1) (c) (e) and (f). Roll call vote: Janet Opiela, yes; Dawn Jakubiec, yes; Dave Seeber, yes; Lori Mattern, yes; Katryna VanEperen, yes; Trinity Shepard, yes; and Dan Christianson, yes. Motion carried 7 to 0.

Janet Opiela and Dawn Jakubiec excused themselves from the closed session at 7:02PM to discuss items A and B.

a. Discussion and potential action to accept an administrator contract.

b. Discussion and potential action to accept the investigators' report of a complaint filed underneath Board Policy 1662 and 3362.

Janet Opiela and Dawn Jakubiec returned to meeting at 7:59PM.

c. Discussion and potential action regarding administrator contracts.

Motion by Katryna VanEperen seconded by Dave Seeber to return to open session at 9:06PM. Roll call vote: Janet Opiela, yes; Dawn Jakubiec, yes; Dave Seeber, yes; Lori Mattern, yes; Katryna VanEperen, yes; Trinity Shepard, yes; and Dan Christianson, yes. Motion carried 7 to 0.

Motion by Lori Mattern seconded by Dan Christianson to accept Jennifer Vogler's resignation from employment effective at the end of the business day on September 6, 2018 and pay out unused vacation days. Motion carried 5 to 0. Janet Opiela and Dawn Jakubiec abstained.

Motion by Dawn Jakubiec seconded by Dan Christianson to adjourn at 9:10PM. Motion carried 7 to 0.

Lenora Mattern, District Clerk

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### Crandon Senior Spotlight - Richard Alloway



Richard Alloway, son of Samuel and Rachel Alloway, said some of his best high school memories would include the time his cousin Kiana twisted his ankle in the English classroom and everyone thought he was lying, the time he spent the weekend with close friends for his junior prom, and all of the times he and Kiana were annoying and hyped everyone up ever day.

In the past twelve years, he has learned to be real and true to himself and others, let go of the past and worry about the present and future, and to always push himself through all of the doubts and struggles life throws at him.

He plans to attend the Institute of American Indian Arts in Sante Fe, NM to study business and entrepreneurship, before eventually coming back and working for his Bodewadmi (Potawatomi) community and better it.

He would like to thank his father, Mrs. Ison and Mrs. Flannery and his family and peers who pushed him to succeed.

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Medicaid/ Badger Care coverage for tobacco dependence treatment applies to treatment provided by any Medicaid-certified Wisconsin physician, nurse practitioner or physician assistant. This FREE treatment includes the following tobacco cessation medications: Bupropion SR (Zyban, Wellbutrin or generic) Nicotine lozenge (over the counter), Nicotine inhaler (Nicotrol), Nicotine patch (over the counter or prescription), Nicotine gum (over the counter), and Varenicline (Chantix). Medicaid cessation benefit is unique from other cessation services because repeated courses of treatment are allowed, there are no co-pays for tobacco cessation, and evaluation and management visits for tobacco cessation are covered.

New Year's is the perfect time to quit tobacco. The sooner you quit the more you can reduce your chances of getting cancer and other diseases. Within minutes of smoking your last cigarette, your body begins to recover. Your heart rate and blood pressure drop within 20 minutes. The carbon monoxide level in your blood drops to normal within 12 hours of quitting. Your circulation improves and your lung function increases 2 weeks to 3 months after quitting. Coughing and shortness of breath decrease 1 to 9 months after quitting. The tiny hair-like structures called cilia that move mucus out of your lungs, start to regain their ability to handle mucus, clean the lungs, and reduce the risk of infection. One year after quitting smoking the excess risk of coronary heart disease is half that of someone who still smokes. Your risk of having a heart attack also drops dramatically. 5 years after quitting your risk of cancers of the mouth, throat, esophagus, and bladder is cut in half. Cervical cancer risk falls to that of a nonsmoker. Your risk of stroke can fall to that of a non-smoker after 2-5 years. 10 years after quitting your risk of dying from cancer is about half that of a person who is still smoking. Your risk of cancer of the larynx (voice box) and pancreas decreases. 15 years after quitting your risk of coronary heart disease is that of a non-smoker's.

These are just a few of the benefits of quitting smoking. Quitting smoking also lowers your risk of diabetes, lets blood vessels work better, and helps your heart and lungs. The life-expectancy for smokers is at least 10 years shorter than that of a non-smoker. Quitting smoking before the age of 40 reduces the risk of dying from smoking related disease by about 90%.

You can start your quitting journey for free by talking to your doctor about the Medicaid benefit or by calling the Wisconsin Tobacco Quit-Line at 1-800-Quit Now (784-8669). You can get involved in local tobacco prevention efforts by visiting www.nwtfc.org. For more information, call the Forest County Health Department at 715-478-3371.

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### Chronic Cont. from Pg. 1

"The good news," Tammy Queen, Aging Director, "is that people who know how to take care of their health conditions can live successfully with their disease. The Living Well workshops are a wonderful complement to medical care, equipping people to live well outside the doctor's office so they can make the most of their treatment and live the lives they want."

Living Well workshops are delivered in six two-and-a-half-hour weekly sessions. They are taught by two certified leaders; either one or both are non-health professionals who have a chronic disease themselves and will lead the workshop from their own experience. During the six-week session, participants receive support from trained leaders and other workshop participants, learn practical ways to manage their pain and fatigue, learn about nutrition and exercise options, understand new treatment choices and learn better ways to communicate about their conditions with doctors and family members. Living Well with Chronic Conditions was created by Stanford University's Patient education Research Center and is supported by the Wisconsin Institute for Healthy Aging. The state's goal is to put healthy options within reach for all Wisconsinites, and offering these self-management workshops is a way to ensure that people with Chronic diseases have the support they need to access those options and live well.

For Information on the workshops, call Tammy Queen at (715) 478-7712.

### Wisconsin Basketball Coaches Assoc. 2019 Girls All-star Games



Alexa Neilitz of Crandon High School has been named to the Wisconsin Basketball Coaches Association All Star Team. A Cardinal leader both on and off the court, Neilitz has amassed numerous athletic and academic awards. The four sport scholar athlete had an outstanding career as a Cardinal finishing as a four year letter winner, four year Northern Lakes All-Conference recipient (2016 second team, 2017 & 2018 first team, and 2019 unanimous first team), 1000 point scorer, led her team to state in 2018, sectional finals in 2019.

Recognizing that the classroom is as important as the hardwood, Neilitz has maintained a 3.68 GPA while taking advanced placement and college level classes since her sophomore year and been recognized for National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society and the YMCA Teen Character Award. Neilitz will further her academic and basketball career at UW-Stout this fall.

Neilitz will be a member of the North Team for Division 4, coached by Joey Arneson. Arneson is the head coach of the 2018 and 2019 State Runner-up Melrose-Mindoro Mustangs. It is an honor to be named a participant in the WBCA All-Star games as this event showcases seniors of each division who possess great talent and tremendous character. The WBCA All-Star games began back in 1978 and each year a focus of these games is to raise funds to help fight against childhood cancer. Since 1978, the WBCA has donated over \$2.8 million to the MACC Fund (Midwest Athletes Against Childhood Cancer) in the effort to combat childhood cancer. When the games started, the success rate of saving a child with cancer was down near 10%. Now, with the help of the WBCA All-Star games and MANY others, the success rate of saving a child is up to around 80%!!!

If you would like to make a donation to support Alexa in her efforts to fight Childhood Cancer please visit <https://www.wisbca.org/allstar-game/donation-banner/> The WBCA All Star Games will be played at Justagame Fieldhouse in Wisconsin Dells on Friday, June 14th, 2019 with Division 4 North/South beginning at 10:45 A.M.



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### Wabeno American Legion sponsors six girls for Badger Girls State

American Legion Auxiliary Unit #44 Wabeno proudly announces that a record number of six Wabeno and Laona students have been selected to represent their high schools at the 2019 Badger Girls State Convention. Held in the Gruenhagen Conference Center at University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh every summer, this year's session is scheduled for June 16-21.

Sponsored by Unit #44 and representing Laona High School will be juniors Rebecca Goodacre-Reinke, daughter of Faith Goodacre-Reinke; and Georgia Matuszewski, daughter of James and Elizabeth Matuszewski. Rebecca's future plans include attending Lakeland University to pursue a PHD in psychology. Georgia wants to attend Marquette University and envisions a career in law.

Also sponsored by Unit #44 will be Wabeno High School juniors Alee Taylor, daughter of Tina and William Taylor; and Kelly Boor, daughter of Michelle and Jason Boor. Alee sees her future career as a neonatal nurse-practitioner, and Kelly would like to work in the arts, perhaps as a museum curator.

Representing Wabeno High School and sponsored by Legion Post #66 (Athelstane-Crivitz) are Morgan Mattern, daughter of Lori and Lee Mattern; and Alexis Childress, daughter of Krista Wolf and Nathaniel Childress. Morgan has her sights set on the field of elementary/special education; Alexis plans to join the Navy after graduation.

Organized in 1937, Badger Girls State is a major project for the Department of Wisconsin American Legion Auxiliary and Unit #44 Wabeno. It is a non-political, non-partisan activity designed to train future stateswomen in the science of government and to develop their leadership skills. The program has grown over the decades and annually hosts over 700 high school girls from all over the state of Wisconsin.

"Unit #44 has sponsored from two to four delegates for the past 12 years," says BGS program coordinator and Auxiliary Vice-President Kathleen Marsh. "Our unit had only enough funding available to send four girls, two from each high school. When we found it impossible to choose from among these outstanding candidates, we went looking for outside sponsorship, and Legion Post #66 (Athelstane-Crivitz) stepped up. We are so grateful to them for their generosity in supporting this worthwhile experience for these exceptional young women."



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Upon successfully completing their course and passing their written exam, the 13 graduates received their ATV certificates from Warden Dahlquist and a \$100 gift certificate toward an ATV helmet from the Wabeno Lions Club.

The Wabeno Lions Club formed a relationship with Smith Sport and Hobby and the Carter Casino Hotel called Helmets For Kids and raised funds that would be used, specifically, providing helmets for young people who successfully complete their ATV or snowmobile safety course in Forest County. Smith Sport and Hobby provides these helmets and will custom-fit each graduate for their order.

Pictured with the graduates are Forest County Sheriff Department officers Don Belland and Chad Mullis, Wisconsin DNR Warden Bradley Dahlquist, and Wabeno Lions Club members Cheryl and Paul Ehlinger and Barb and Gregg Tallier.

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