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Chamber Announces Big Winners in Fall Run Cash Raffle



George Stamper wins the \$10,000!

The Forest County Chamber of Commerce announced the winners of the Fall Run Cash Raffle with the winners drawn at the 52nd Anniversary World Championship Off-Road Races® on September 5, 2021. The 10 lucky winners are as follows:

First Prize (\$10,000.00) George Stamper Second Prize (\$2,500.00) Katie Beckwith Third Prize (\$500.00) Ken EhrensBerger Fourth Prize (\$500.00) Jake Wozniak Sixth Prize (\$500.00) Brian Juedes Seventh Prize (\$500.00) Eric Hiiger Eighth Prize (\$500.00) Kristin Gabrielsen Ninth Prize (\$500.00) Hilary Barstone Tenth Prize (\$500.00) Dan Krozel



2nd place, \$2,500, goes to Katie Beckwith Conservation Corner

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

We have another predator making its way toward Forest County. If you appreciate your trees, now is the time to take a few minutes to check your trees for invasive Asian long-horned beetles and the damage their larvae leave behind.

Festi-Fall to feature local musicians, craft fair



Local musicians perform outside of various shops during the Festi-Fall event in Lakewood.

On September 18, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. the Enchanting Shops of Lakewood (with financial support from the Lakewood Area Chamber of Commerce) will host the 9th Annual Festi-Fall in downtown Lakewood along Hwy. 32, Gage St. and Big Hill Rd. Many creative vendors set up outside the various shops to sell their hand made items such as rugs, wood signs, jewelry, ceramics, jams, local honey, mittens and much more.

It's a prime opportunity to begin your Christmas shopping. Non-profit groups are given free booth locations to sell food at the event.

What sets Festi-Fall apart from other craft fairs are the talented musicians that perform throughout the day outside the various shops. Behind Subway at Nicolet Studio & Gallery, Gage St., high energy favorites Cheri & Paul will play all your favorite hits. At Sweet Memories Candy Shoppe on Hwy. 32. you can tap your toes to the talented group Tim Can Hooptie featuring singer/songwriter Ken Dennison. Solo artist Gary Baum will once again serenade his fans with his eclectic jazz/folk/swing/pop/country style in front of Northern Perks Coffee Shop on Hwy. 32. Based out of Nashville, Milwaukee born singer/songwriter Brady Lee will wow the crowd in front of Nicolet Pharmacy/The Green Banana on Hwy. 32 with his country-pop style. Farther up Big Hill Rd., Woodland Trail Winery will host Ed Marsh, playing a John Prine tribute. Many of the musicians will also have merchandise for sale.

It's a fantastic day of great music, food, shopping and fun, so join them and support local community musicians and vendors.



Forest County Fair Schedule of Events September 10th, 11th & 12th



Thursday, September 9 Entry Day

Open Class Building and Barn will accept exhibits from 5:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.

4-H Building will accept exhibits from 3:30pm until 7:00 p.m.

Friday, September 10

Judging and Youth Group Day

8 a.m. Youth and Open Class Judging 4 p.m. Carnival by Spectrum Carnival Wristands 6 p.m. 10 p.m.

6 p.m. Youth Talent Contest Special Moments DJ Service

Saturday, September 11

Children's Day		
8:30 a.m.	Animal Judging and	
	Showmanship	
	(Arena and Barn)	
9:30 a.m.	4-H and Open	
	Horse Judging	
Noon	Pie Contest and Auction	
1 p.m.	Gymkhana Competition	
1 p.m.	Carnival Rides	
	by Spectrum Carnival	
	Trick Rider Show (Arena)	
1 p.m. 5 p.m.	Wristbands	
6 p.m10 p.m	n. Wristbands	
6 p.m.	Open Karaoke Contest	
e e	Special Moments DJ Service	
Sunday, September 12		
Forest County Heritage Day		

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Asian Long-Horned Beetle



To date, the beetle has not been detected in Wisconsin or Michigan, but has been confirmed in six states, including Illinois and Ohio. Discovering early signs of infestation can prevent widespread damage to forest resources, urban landscapes and maple syrup production.

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Vendors sell their wares while musicians perform outside shops. Baked goods can also be found.

Art In The Square call for vendors

Come join us for the annual "Art in the Square" taking place on Saturday, September 18, from 10:00 a.m. till 3:00 p.m. The Forest County Courthouse Square, located on Crandon's main street, providing a beautiful, tree-filled backdrop for this popular autumn event sponsored annually by the Forest County Chamber of Commerce.

Original arts and crafts will be juried, and prizes will be awarded. The First Prize winner will be awarded \$150.00, Second Prize, \$100.00, and 3rd Prize, \$50.00.

The popular Flea Market section will be set up along Polk Street once again. A variety of great fall home made foods will be available to delight all tastes in the center food court.

For further information or to reserve a space at this event, go to:

https://forestcountychamberofcommerce.growthzoneap p.com/ap/Events/Register/ep0wby4r or contact the Forest County Chamber of Commerce at (715)478-3450. 10:00 a.m.Youth and Open TrailObstacle Course (Horse Arena)NoonCarnival Rides bySpectrum CarnivalNoon 4 p.m.WristbandsNoon 3 p.m.Trigger Trippers (OldiesRock n Roll and Classic Country Music)4:05 p.m.Exhibits can be picked up.



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Wabeno Post 44 **American Legion Social**

Enjoy the fellowship of your comrades at Weatherwood Supper Club for our Social scheduled for October 4, 2021, hosted by Dave & Mary Ellen Krizek. Cocktails 4:30 p.m. and dinner at 6:00 p.m. Reservations/payment with check & choice payable to Weatherwood Supper Club, in the amount of \$20.00 includes tax and tip, should be sent to Dave & Mary Ellen Krizek, 14814 Iron Bridge Road, Mountain, WI 54149. RSVP September 24, 2021.

For information, contact Dave & Mary Ellen Krizek, 715-276-9016. Reminder postcards are being mailed to persons attending at least one of the 2019-21 socials. All that is required to receive notice by postcard is to attend one of the socials. Dates of socials are listed in the Bugler Newsletter, submitted to the newspapers and posted at the Legion Hall.

Big 4+ Sportsman's Club elections

The Big 4+ Sportsman's Club in Long Lake. Wisconsin, will hold their election of officers at their annual general membership meeting on Tuesday, October 12. Several board member positions are open. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. at the Big 4+ Clubhouse in Long Lake, WI. Any questions can be directed to JoAnne Smith at 715-674-2020.

JoAnne Smith Big 4+ Treasurer



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Country Fall Fest Menu -2021-46-46 October 1 thru November 18.

Dinner only 4:30 -9:00 Pork Hocks with Kraut, Dumplings and Gravy Roast duck with Cranberry Stuffing, Dumplings, Gravy and Orange or Plum sauce Fall combo Plate (brat, knockwurst and smoked pork chop) with Kraut Dumplings and Gravy

Smoked Ribs and Kraut Served with Kraut, Dumplings, and Gravy

Lamb Shank with Red Cabbage, Mint Jelly. Kraut, Dumplings and Gravy Kessler Ribs Served with Kraut, dumpling and Gravy Wednesday and Thursday Nights Only Serving Jumbo Pork Schnitzel with Red Cabbage, Kraut, Dumplings and Gravy: **Broasted Chicken Daily** Sunday Broasted Chicken: All you can eat dinner

Log Cabin Cafe 502 S. Lake ave - Crandon Mondays can be STRESSFUL...

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Crandon Farmer's and Makers Market every Tuesday from 9-1 now- October.

Located at Jameson's Whiskey Darlin 306 N Lake Ave., Our market has Fresh Bakery, Honey, Maple Syrup, Canned Goods, Jams & Salsa, Plants, Vegetables, Grandma Dotties Dips and so much More!

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helping to control the spread of CWD. Each hunting season, hunters who have their deer tested for CWD, properly dispose of deer carcass waste and follow baiting and feeding regulations help the DNR monitor the disease and slow its spread.

While planning your hunt, be sure to check baiting and feeding restrictions in your county. Even where baiting and feeding are allowed, the DNR encourages hunters to reconsider using these practices to reduce the risk for disease transmission, which can spread through body fluids like feces, saliva, blood and urine. Large concentrations of animals in one area increase the risk of an infection spreading from between them.

CWD is a contagious neurological disease of deer, elk, moose and reindeer (caribou) caused by misshapen proteins that slowly degrade the central nervous system. The disease is always fatal and can have an incubation period of over a year, so infected deer can appear healthy for many months before showing clinical signs. In the clinical stage, CWD causes drastic weight loss, drooping of the head and ears, loss of coordination, excessive salivation and no fear of humans.

CWD is also referred to as "transmissible spongiform encephalopathy" or prion disease. The disease triggers normal proteins in a deer's brain to fold abnormally, causing holes to form.

By having their deer tested, hunters provide the raw data needed to understand where CWD exists or doesn't exist on the landscape. As part of an ongoing multiyear statewide sweep, the DNR especially encourages hunters in 17 counties of northeast Wisconsin to have their adult deer tested this year. In addition to the northeast part of the state, the department monitors several additional sampling areas where samples are needed. No matter where you hunt in the state, all hunters can have their deer tested for CWD.



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Once hunters have finished processing their harvested deer, they can safely dispose of deer carcass waste in designated deer carcass dumpsters provided in conjunction with many partnering individuals and organizations around the state. Proper carcass disposal helps slow the spread of CWD by removing potentially infected deer carcasses from the landscape.

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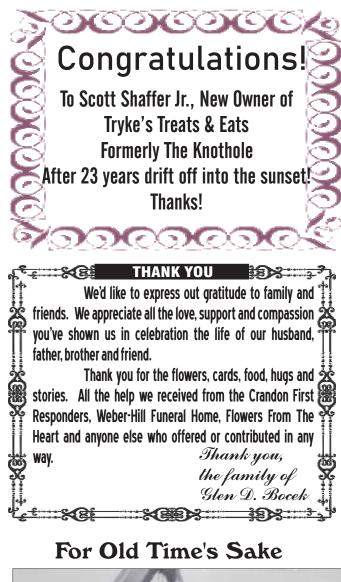
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CWD testing, proper carcass disposal and following baiting and feeding regulations are three key ways to slow the spread. The DNR's guide to slowing the spread of CWD provides even more ways hunters can help.

While there has not been a documented case of CWD in humans, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS), the Centers for Disease Control and World Health Organization recommend against consuming meat from CWD-infected deer. Because infected deer can look healthy, DHS encourages testing for the disease regardless of your harvested deer's physical condition.



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This photo from the mid 1940s was taken in

There is a form in each hunter's Go Wild harvest history to assist hunters with getting their deer tested for CWD after registering their harvest. The form automatically fills in name, contact information, customer ID number and harvest registration number. This online form also makes it easier to find the location the deer was harvested through an interactive map that allows the hunter to tap on the harvest location rather than writing out the county, town, range and section on the paper form.

The DNR offers four easy ways to submit a sample:

- Self-service kiosks where hunters can submit their deer's head for testing
- A network of cooperating meat processors, taxidermists and other businesses who can assist with CWD sampling
- By-appointment sampling with your county wildlife biologist and
- Kits for hunters to extract lymph node tissue themselves to submit to the DNR for testing Continued in next column

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Argonne, behind the old bank building. The two kids in the photo are Forrest "Tooky" Houle on the left and Larry Sparks on the right. At the time, Vic and Ella Sparks owned the grocery store that is off of the photo on the right.

The bear was likely shot by Tooky's father, Jess Houle. The building in the background was, at the time, a garage run by Harold Schumacher, and later by Boyd Monte.

The Deadline for the **Pioneer Express** is Tuesdays at 5:00 p.m.

Grace Jeannette Ort, 86,

passed away on September 5, 2021 at Copperleaf in Marathon, Wisconsin.

Grace was born on November 23, 1934, to Florence (Bessa) and Walter Huven, Sr. in Monico, Wisconsin. She attended Three Lakes High School and was a member of the class of 1952. She



married Ralph (Dan) Ort on March 13, 1952 at Saint James Catholic Church in Monico.

Grace was a hard worker all her life. She was particularly proud of her time spent teaching Sunday school and of her work establishing the local chapter of the organization now known as The Arc, a national advocacy organization for adults and children with intellectual disabilities. Together with her son, Kirk, she owned and operated Club Monico/Ort's Bar from 1972-1982, and she worked several bookkeeping jobs in Rhinelander and Marshfield over the years. She and her husband grew and sold Christmas trees in Milwaukee, Wisconsin for over 50 years.

Grace loved knitting, baking, dancing, driving, and hosting Halloween parties for her grandchildren. She was a talented cook and a dedicated genealogist, compiling an extensive family history and maintaining correspondence with distant relatives in Germany. She took pride and joy in knitting christening gowns for her granddaughters and hundreds of afghans as wedding and baby gifts for friends and family. She was an active member of Saint Peter's Lutheran Church in Marshfield for more than 30 years.

In her golden years, Grace moved to Arizona and had the opportunity to discover her passion for traveling, venturing to the Grand Canyon, Hawaii, Niagara Falls, Chicago, and New York City. She also loved the chance to go out dancing several times a week with her sister-in-law and good friend Karen and to attend live theater with her daughter and son-in-law.

Grace is survived by her beloved dog, Tiny Toes; daughter, Lisa (Jack); sons, Mark, Kirk (Betty) and Bradley (Carrie); grandchildren, Stephane (Keith), Stacie (Erick), Chelsea (Steve), Josh (Jessie), Jason (Joanna), Bradley, Danielle, Amanda (Dan), Mariah (Aaron), and Maeve (Jordan); three step-grandchildren, Laura (Paul), Kurt, and Leslie (Tony); 14 great-grandchildren; friend and sister-in-law, Karen Horsley; and several nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her husband, Ralph; son, Craig; "like a son" Tim Schneider; her parents; brothers, Walter and Robert; and lifelong friend, Trink Kincaid.

Special thanks to the amazing staff at Copperleaf in Marathon for their compassionate care of Grace. Through their dedicated commitment over the past 19 months, they truly became part of her family.

Services for Grace will be at Rembs Funeral Home in Marshfield, Wisconsin on Friday, September 10. Visitation begins at 10 a.m. with service at 11 a.m. Due to COVID-19, face masks are required. The service will be I i v e streamed at www.facebook.com/rembsfuneralhomes. In lieu of flowers memorials preferred to an educational trust being created in Grace's name.

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Death Notices

Alan "Cowboy Al" LaPlant, 68, of Lakewood passed away Friday September 3, 2021 in Green Bay. He was born November 14, 1952 in Marinette to the late Alfred "Pat" and Muriel (Lynch) LaPlant and graduated from Marinette High School in 1971. Al had worked in construction, at Simon Cheese Factory and Pintche's Hardware. He enjoyed hunting, western music, karaoke, roller skating. He also served as a volunteer firefighter in Menasha and was proud to have built his dream home in Lakewood.

Al is survived by two sisters Mary (Andrew) Kveton of Menominee and Nancy Rector of Port Charlotte, FL; a brother Bill (Kathy) LaPlant of Vacaville, CA; and longtime friend Annette Raby. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother Harold and a brother in law Harry Rector.

Graveside services are Friday September 10th at 10:30am at St Wenceslas Cemetery in Klondike. In lieu of flowers please consider having a Mass said in Al's name. Thielen Funeral Home is assisting the family.



Daniel Buschatz, 95, Townsend, died unexpectedly, September 2, 2021. Dan was born in Milwaukee on April 3, 1926 to the late Max and Joan (Krenz) Buschatz. He graduated from Pulaski High School in Milwaukee in 1944 and enlisted in the United States Air Force where he became an Aerial Gunner during WWII. After he was

honorably discharged, Dan attended the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse and went to teach phy ed and science, touching the lives of hundreds of students and fellow faculty members for 33 years at Soloman Juneau High School in Milwaukee. He also coached girls volleyball and served as the Athletic Director. Dan married his life-long sweetheart, Laurel Rathburn, in Green Bay on Aug. 18, 1951. He was a devoted husband for 66 years and he and his wife had two daughters. Margaret (Duane) Anderson and Barbara Brodahl. Dan was preceded in death by his wife, Laurel; oldest daughter, Margaret; brother, Bruno; sister, Betty (Millard) Newton; and his parents. Dan was a head lifeguard at Bradford Beach, an active member of the Lakewood Lions Club for over 30 years, an avid fisherman and golfer, and a member of the Loyal Order of the Moose in Chiefland, FL, where he and Laurel spent many winters. At 95 years old, Dan still played golf and walked each day to the Post Office where he loved to socialize and tease the Post Mistress. Almost every Saturday night you could find Dan tapping his toe to Lawrence Welk with his little dog on his lap.

He is survived by his daughter, Barbara Brodahl, Coleman; granddaughter, Ashley Brodahl, Green Bay; two great-grandchildren, Dylan Brodahl and Katie Knaus, Green Bay; sister, Rita (Bud) Kuhrasch, Laona; and many loving in-laws, nephews, nieces and great friends including: Larry, Dolly, and Mort.

He will be dearly missed.

Online condolences may be expressed at www.simplycremationgb.com

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spot the round, drill-like holes made by the Asian longhorned beetle. What to look for:

• Dime-sized perfectly round exit holes in trunks or branches.

• Shallow chew marks in the bark where the beetle lays its eggs.

• Material resembling wood shavings at the base of the tree or where the branches meet the trunk.

- Dead branches on otherwise leafy trees.
- Shiny black beetles, 3/4 to 1 1/2 inches in length with white spots and white striped antennae.

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Bus Schedule

Tuesday - September 14 - Nelma, Alvin, Laona and Crandon to Iron Mountain by 10 a.m. Will stop for lunch. Depart Iron Mountain by 2 p.m. - **Bus driver**: Pam Blank

Thursday - September 16 - Hiles, Argonne, Crandon, Laona and Wabeno to Rhinelander by 10 a.m. Walmart complex and Aldi's only. Will stop for lunch. Depart Rhinelander at 2 p.m. **- Bus driver:** Pam Blank

For reservations please call the bus driver for that day.

Pam Blank: 715-784-1079

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.

Forest County Commission on Aging



<u>CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA</u>

Monday - September 13 - Pork boiled dinner with potatoes, carrots, rutabaga and cabbage, corn muffin, apple crisp

Monday - September 20 - Salisbury steak with gravy, mashed potato, broccoli, dinner roll, fruit cup

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK Tuesday - September 14 - Fish with tartar sauce, baked potato with sour cream, peas and carrots, sourdough

bread, raspberry lemon bar **Tuesday - September 21** - Pork chop, roasted potato, carrots, Italian bread, applesauce

CRANDON, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK

Wednesday - September 15 - Chicken thigh, Spanish rice, corn O'Brien, fruit, mandarin orange, jello

Wednesday - September 22 - Bean soup with bacon, tossed salad with ham, fruit, corn muffin, snickerdoodle cookie

WABENO CONGREGATE & HOME DELIVERED

Thursday - September 16 - Chicken thigh, Spanish rice, corn O'Brien, fruit, mandarin orange, jello

Thursday - September 23 - Bean soup with bacon, tossed salad with ham, fruit, corn muffin, snickerdoodle cookie

ALVIN

Thursday - September 16 - Baked chicken, broccoli and carrots with cheese, mashed potatoes, bread, brownie Thursday - September 23 - Meatloaf, pork and beans, coleslaw, biscuit, fruit jello

Please register with Commission on Aging - 478-3256.

Crandon site manager Debbie Brock is at 715-478-3040 (site). Serving at 12:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Alvin nutrition site at 715-545-3323.

Laona site manager Peggy Alderton at 715-889-3116 (cell). Meal served at 12:00 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Wabeno site manager Linda McEwen at 715-889-0123 (cell). Meal served at 11:30 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. 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 and Wednesday.

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Asian long-horned beetle is believed to have entered North America from Asia stowed away in wood packing materials. The insect was likely accidentally introduced several times before regulations were put in place requiring the treatment of wood packing materials to eliminate hitchhiking insects and fungi. Under Wisconsin's invasive species rule NR 40 Wis. Admin. Code, ALB is classified as a prohibited species.

Asian long-horned beetle (ALB) is native to China and the Koreas. ALB populations have not been found in Wisconsin. Infestations have been found in six states (Illinois, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, Ohio and South Carolina), Ontario, Canada, and several countries in Europe. Some of these infestations have been successfully eradicated by cutting and destroying thousands of suitable host trees, and eradication efforts continue at other infestations.

The preferred hosts are maples (Norway, sugar, silver and red), but the insect has also attacked birch, horse chestnut, poplar, willow, elm, ash and black locust. If Asian long-horned beetles become established in North America, there will be serious environmental and eonomic impacts, especially to maple forests and industries that use maple products.

ALB pose a major threat to North American forests and urban areas because they can attack trees of all species regardless in individual tree health.

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Larval tunneling damages branches, and sufficient damage can cause tree mortality. ALB can easily hide in firewood, so do not move firewood long distances.

The white-spotted pine sawyer beetle is a longhorned beetle native to Wisconsin is often mistaken for ALB, but there are differences. ALB has a thick, robust body with a smooth shiny appearance and distinct white spots on black wing covers. The pine sawyer look-alike is slimmer in appearance, with a body that appears pitted or dusty and with less distinct and sometimes absent white spots. A distinct feature of the pine sawyer beetle is a white spot between its "shoulders" where the wing covers meet. Asian long-horned beetle does not have this feature.

It you see an ALB, or a tree that appears to have ALB damage, report it. If possible, capture the beetle in a jar, take photos, record the location and report it as soon as p o s s i b l e o n l i n e a t : https://www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/resources/pestsdiseases/asian-longhorned-beetle/reportit

For more information contact Steve Kircher, County Conservationist-Land Information/GIS Director at 715-478-1387 or by e-mail at icc@co.forest.wi.us.



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BIKES FOR SALE

Two English Style Schwinn bikes for sale. One boys and one girls style. Both ten speeds and in good condition. Can be seen and purchased at the Pioneer Express office. \$300 for the pair.



Wabeno School Breakfast Menu Wabeno School Lunch Menu Sept. 13 - 17

Crandon Water & Sewer Utility PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Cradon Water & Sewer Department will be flushing hydrants the week of September 13th - 17th

You may experience discoloration in your water, so be sure to check your water before using. If you have any questions, call 715-278-2836 **Ross Crum, Superintendent**

Laona Board of Education **Regular Meeting**

Monday, September 13, 2021 • 5:30 p.m. Room 24, C.L. Robinson Elementary School

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance Chad Albrecht
- 3. Approval of the Agenda
- 4. Public Forum (10 Minutes)
- 5. Consent Agenda
 - A. Bills and Claims
 - **B. Meeting Minutes**
- 6. Items for Discussion and/or Action
 - A. Credit Approval Julia Barwick
 - B. AD Representation from both Schools C. Baseball and softball field bleacher
 - discussion
 - D. Share PD plan for the year
 - E. #Laona212 update
 - F. Staff Kick Off recap
 - G. School Board Committees
- 7. Informational Items:
 - A. Business Manager's Report
 - **B. Elementary Principal's Report**
 - C. Administrator/HS Principal's Report
 - **D. Board Member Reports**

8. Enter Closed Session Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes 19.85(1)(c) for considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee.

A. Personnel

9. Return to Open Session to possibly take action on items discussed in closed session.

10. Adjourn:

Notes: "This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting.

The agenda could be subject to last minute change(s)

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BIDS AND NOTICES

Public Notice

Notice is hereby given to Jeffrey Rosio that on October 30, 2020, a Petition to Appoint Custodial Guardian for a Minor was filed in the Probate Division of Superior Court in the matter of In Re: Hailey Rosio, 20-PR-01589. On September 24, 2021, at 11:00 am, a hearing will be held on that petition in the Superior Court of Vermont, Chittenden Unit, **Probate Division. The Court is located at 175** Main Street in Burlington, Vermont. The Court can be contacted by calling (802) 651-1518. If no one appears at the hearing the relief requested may be granted. You must notify the Court by filing a Notice of Appearance form that can be found on the Vermont Judiciary website.

NOTICE OF BID **Town of Townsend**

The Town of Townsend is requesting lawn care bids for 2022

Lawn care includes mowing and trimming of the following properties:

Townsend Town Hall, Elm Street

Forest Home Cemetery, Village View Ln

Lakewood/Townsend ambulance building, Hwy 32

- Townsend Ball Field, School Street
- Oughton Park, Pickerel Lake Rd
- Brookside Park, Brookside Crt.
- Old School House lot, School St. Townsend Dam Park, Townsend Dam Rd Grove Street lot, Grove St

This service would be provided May through October. Contractor will provide their own mowers, trimmers, tools, gas, oil and any parts needed. Please send bids along with proof of insurance to: Town of Townsend Atten: Clerk P.O. Box 227 Townsend, WI 54175 Or e-mail to: Townsend54175@gmail.com Bids need to be in by 3pm, Friday, October 8, 2021



Bids for Cemetery Sexton

The Town of Townsend will be accepting bids for Sexton at Forest Home Cemetery, Village View Ln, Townsend, WI This service includes maintaining the resident inventory and availability of plots. Working with funeral homes and, or mortuaries for head stone placement as well as digging the gravesites within specific time periods. BUYING-Popple pole Duties include, but are not restricted to: stumpage. For more • Ensure the graves are properly prepared before information call Tom at & after burial B29 • Make arrangements for grave relocations as necessary • Coordinate tasks associated with burials with funeral directors, families and any others involved • Available to accommodate plot owners or buvers. • Maintain and update records of burials and plots • Explain burial and plot sale requirements to the public This service will be as needed throughout the year. Contractor should have their own backhoe and equipment to dig graves. Interested parties send bids to: Town of Townsend Atten: Clerk P.O. Box 117 Townsend, WI 5 4175 Or e-mail to: Townsend54175@gmail.com Bids need to be in by 3pm, Friday, October 8, 2021

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Monday - Breakfast sandwiches, yogurt, grapes, fruit juice, milk Tuesday -French toast sticks, bacon, yogurt, peaches, fruit juice, milk Wednesday -Granola bar, Banana bread, cereal, yogurt, Mandarin orange cups, fruit juice, milk Thursday - Belgium waffles, strawberries, sausage patty, yogurt, fruit juice, milk Friday - muffins, yogurt, orange wedges, fruit juice, milk

Monday - Chicken patty, potato wedges, corn, pears, garden bar, milk Tuesday - Assorted pizza, garlic bread stick, green beans, apple sauce, garden bar, milk Wednesday - Sloppy Joe, potato wedges, peas & carrots, peaches garden bar, milk Thursday - Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, corn, Mandarin oranges, garden bar, milk Friday -Shrimp Scampi, zucchini noodles, Malibu blend vegetable, tropical fruit, ice cream cup, garden bar, milk









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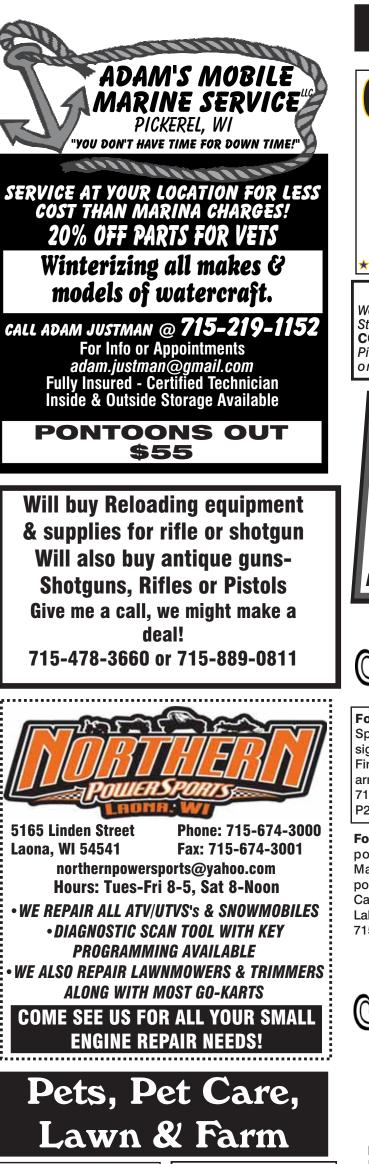
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harvesting permit should call the district office nearest their harvesting activities to confirm hours and availability before seeking a permit.

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If harvesting is for personal use, the local district office may issue a free use permit. Commercial balsam bough permits cost \$80 for up to two tons of material. Additional permits cost \$40 per ton. Transportation authorization tags allow for 200 pounds per tag. Permits and tags are valid for three months from the date of purchase.

It's important that permittees protect forest resources while harvesting. Permittees must use only motor vehicle-designated roads and trails as shown on the forest's motor vehicle use map, available at https://go.usa.gov/xMcmn. The forest also asks that permittees only harvest branches from the lower half of trees and not more than one-third of each branch to support regrowth.

Forest products permits information, including maps, is available at https://go.usa.gov/xM3Sv. District office staff can also answer questions, share maps of harvest areas and outline areas to avoid.

More information about the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest is available on the forest's website at https://www.fs.usda.gov/CNNF and through social media on Facebook and Twitter.

Just a few minutes of preventative action can help preserve and protect hunting lands for generations to come. Before launching into and leaving a waterbody, waterfowl hunters should:

·Inspect waders, boats, trailers, motors and hunting equipment, including boots, blinds and dogs

·Remove all plants, animals and mud to the best of their ability

 Drain all water from decoys, boats, motors, livewells and other hunting equipment

·Remove all seed heads and roots when using vegetation for duck blinds

·Never move plants or live animals, such as snails, away from a water body

In addition, the DNR and UW Madison Extension AIS Program often team up with the Wisconsin Waterfowl Association, Ducks Unlimited and other partners to place boot brush stations at access points near lake and river launches as well as some walk-in sites. If you are an organization interested in building and setting up your own boot brush stations, please contact DNRAISinfo@wisconsin.gov for more information.



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School District of Wabeno Area 6th Grade Teaching Position

Job Description: 6th Grade Teaching Position starting on or about October 1, 2021 for the 2021-2022 school year and beyond. This is a full time, regular position. Wisconsin DPI certification in elementary education is required, K-6 preferred.

Qualifications: We are seeking a qualified teacher who possesses skills and understanding of balanced literacy and the writing process. Applicants must have a solid understanding of reform based mathematics and inquiry based science. This position will require confident technology skills and background in differentiation strategies. Successful applicants will be a contributing team member with strong communication skills and have the ability to develop positive collegial and parent relationships.

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

Interested and licensed candidates may apply on WECAN or may submit a letter of interest, resume, transcripts, copy of license(s), and three (3) current letters of reference to: Jeffrey Walsh, District Administrator, 4346 Mill Lane/ P.O. Box 460, Wabeno, WI 54566. This position will remain open until filled.

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Forest County is currently accepting applications for the full-time position of Forestry Administrative Assistant. This position is full time, forty (40) hours per week. The Administrative Assistant will work under the direction of the Forestry Administrator.

Applicants must have experience in bookkeeping, preparing grant applications, good computer skills, and the ability to maintain complex clerical records and prepare reports from such records. Assists the public is obtaining maps, air photos, brochures wood permits, bough permits and county park information.

Application materials, including the position description and summary of benefits may be obtained at www.co.forest.wi.gov or in the County Clerk's Office, Forest County Courthouse, 200 E Madison Street, Crandon, Wisconsin 54520 or by calling (715) 478-2422. The deadline for applications returned to the County Clerk is Friday, October 1, 2021 by 4:30 p.m. Forest County is an Equal Opportunity Employeer

Consumers want variety, and this is what the proprietor of this store must have been thinking. The name on the sign is A.S. Carterton. He opened what appears to be a variety store to compete with the Connor Lumber & Land company store a block or so from his store. Was he successful? I'm sure nobody is around Laona that would know, but his effort is an example of the free enterprise system we still enjoy in this country.

Position Vacancy-Bus Driver

The Forest County Office on Aging is accepting applications for a part-time Bus/Van driver position. Applicants must possess a valid Wisconsin's Driver's License, and have a good driving record.

Applications and Job Descriptions are available at the County Clerk's office. Applications should be returned by mail to the County Clerk's office, 200 East Madison St. Courthouse Crandon, WI 54520, or by email at nmatuszewski@co.forest.wi.us by 4:30, Friday, October 1, 2021.

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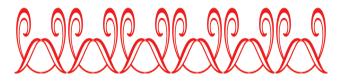


Grace Krawze & #10 Alli Albrecht

#15 Jaclyn St. Peter

The Laona/Wabeno Rebels girls volleyball team hosted the Three Lakes Blue Jays on September 7th. It was nail biting back and forth games. It came down to the last game and the Blue Jays edged out Rebels for the win. Elizabeth Krawze led the Rebels with 36 kills followed by Alli Albrecht with 8 and Jaclyn St Peter and Malerie Krawze both with 6. Grace Krawze led with 46 assists. Grace Krawze and Elizabeth Krawze each had 3 ace serves.

Games: 23-25, 25-23, 25-21, 23-25, 15-17 #2





#22 Elizabeth Krawze



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