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## The Blackwell Centennial Blackwell history



The Blackwell store and Post Office

Blackwell will be celebrating its centennial this year on July 9th with trolley rides, food, games, music, and fireworks. The town began as a sawdust town.

After the Civil War there was a high demand for lumber, bringing lumbermen such as George C. Flanner to northern Wisconsin. He established the Flanner/Steger Lumber Company and John Blackwell, for the whom the town was named, was the treasurer.

The heyday of logging in the area that is now the Nicolet National Forest came in the second decade of the 1900's, after the cutover of the white pines. With the arrival of railroads providing transportation, the means for full-scale logging of the area hardwoods began. At the height of the mill's operation, Blackwell was a bustling community of around 1,000 people, with a post office, store, boarding house, school, bank, dance hall, and jail.

Today, the tracks along the Rat River that used to transport logs from the Flanner Mill in Blackwell to Laona, has become a non-motorized trail for walkers and bikers. On June 5th, there will be a family bike ride and wiener roast on the trail. Meet at the Blackwell Town Hall, on the corner of County T and County H, at 1:00 p.m. In October, the Annual Wellness will take place on the trail. On July 9th, a trolley has been hired for a one-time event to give rides to all who want to see this scenic trail.

## Conservation Corner



Adult hemlock woolly adelgids on/near ovisac



Waxy 'wool' called ovisacs are about 1/4 the size of a cotton swab

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

As we move into the summer season, my office is busy working with our Tri-County Aquatic Invasive Species Coordinator (FLOW AIS) and our Cooperative Invasive Species Management Area (CISMA). Here in Forest County, our CISMA is managed by the Wild Rivers Invasive Species Coalition (WRISC). They are responsible for Invasive Species in Forest, Florence, Dickinson and Menominee Counties.

Over the Winter, a new 'invader' has been making its way to Wisconsin. That invader is called Hemlock Woolly Adelgid (HWA). Currently, HWA is NOT found in Wisconsin but is a potential threat to Wisconsin's eastern hemlocks. Eastern hemlock is the only hemlock species naturally found in Wisconsin. Currently HWA is well-established in several counties along the Lake Michigan shoreline, in the western portion of Lower Michigan. What is an adelgid?

An adult adelgid is a tiny soft-bodied sap-sucking insect that is always associated with conifer (cone bearing) trees. Adelgids are known for creating woolly masses and/or galls on the host plant. Depending on the adelgid species and the host plant the adelgid may feed on needles, stems, through the bark or within galls. Also dependent on the species and host plant is the capacity of potential damage ranging from being an aesthetic nuisance to killing the host plant. In the case of HWA, the insect feeds at the base of the needle inserting its piercing

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## Tryke's Treats & Eats now open in Wabeno



Scott "Tryke" Shaffer Jr. is proud to announce the opening of his drive in, Tryke's Treats and Eats in Wabeno. Tryke's Treats and Eats is the former Knothole and is located at 4470 Branch Street.

Tryke and his crew are serving all the favorites, burgers, corn dogs, popcorn chicken and more. Tryke will add new menu items in time and don't forget about the ice cream! Tryke's Treats & Eats has all the soft serve summer treats. Cones, malts, shakes, banana splits, flurries and more. There is also daily specials to order.

Tryke's Treats & Eats offers inside or outside dining as well as take out. There is a game room in the back of the dining room for all to enjoy while they wait. Tryke looks forward to seeing old friends and making new ones. His hours of operation are Monday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 7 p.m., Sunday 11 a.m. - 6 p.m. To place your order you just need to stop in or call 715-473-3000.

The staff at the Pioneer Express wish Tryke and his staff the best in this endeavor.



## Hiles and Crandon Memorial Day Services

The Crandon American Legion will start its Memorial Day Services in Hiles from 9 a.m. until 10 a.m. The service will be followed by a lunch.

Then the Legion will move to Crandon for a service beginning at 1 p.m. on the courthouse grounds. The guest speaker will be Bill Farr for both events.

## Laona's Memorial Day Services

The Laona VFW will be holding their Memorial Day Services on Memorial Day starting in Newald at 9 a.m., Cavour at 10 a.m. and Laona at 11 a.m.

This year's guest speaker is Abby Peterson.

## Visit a very special place to commemorate Memorial Day 2022 in Wabeno



Veterans Park in Wabeno

By Kathleen and Jon Marsh, Townsend

Looking for a place to commemorate Memorial Day this year? We recommend you attend Sylvan Post #44 American Legion Ceremony, Monday, at 10:00 a.m. at Veterans Park in Wabeno. Jon is a Legionnaire and Kathleen is an Auxiliary member. When you go, be sure to visit the memorial honoring Wisconsin military killed in Afghanistan and Iraq. Here is the story behind it.

With the war in Afghanistan already underway, the Iraq War began with an invasion in March 2003. We did not

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## Benefit for Nancy May at Kathy's Inn-Argonne this weekend

There will be a Benefit for Nancy May at Kathy's Inn, in Argonne, on Saturday, May 28th from 4 to 8 p.m.

Nancy is suffering from cancer, and she can use the financial help to cover the expenses of her treatment.

There will be 50/50 raffles, meat raffles, paddle board, bake sale, and music, and all are urged to come.

To see more details, see the ad on page 3 of this issue.



## Laona Lion Spring Trap Shoot this weekend at Padus

The Laona Lions Club will holding their Spring Trap Shoot for the 32nd time, starting at 11 a.m. at the Padus Gun Club on Sunday, May 29th. The Padus Gun Club is located on Trump Lake Road off of Hwy 32 between Laona and Wabeno.

There will be ammo and ear protection to purchase at the shoot, and shooters can participate in a variety of trap shooting games.

For more info, see the ad on page 3.

## Positive cases of covid-19 in Forest County

Forest County Public Health officials have confirmed 23 individuals have been diagnosed with novel coronavirus infection (COVID-19) since May 1, 2022 with either a PCR, antigen, or home test. County health officials and local partners are contacting individuals who test positive as able. There have been 7 deaths this year related to COVID-19. This is a snapshot of the numbers as they are continuously changing throughout the day.

The Forest County Health Department encourages community members to get vaccinated, practice good hand hygiene, wear a mask or cloth face covering when necessary, and stay alert for symptoms of COVID-19. If you are experiencing any symptoms or have been exposed to someone with COVID-19, please contact your health care provider and ask to be tested. If positive, please isolate yourself away from others for 5 days since symptom onset and wear a mask for the 5 days following your release from isolation.

In an effort to keep our community members up-to-date on COVID-19, the Forest County Health Department will continue to update our Facebook page and local newspapers every Friday with current COVID-19 case counts as capacity allows. Please call our office at 715-478-3371 with any questions or concerns.

## Jennings Stovewood Building starts summer hours

The fully restored and historic Stovewood Building in Jennings is opening June 4th. The building will be open every weekend until Labor Day on Saturday and Sunday from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m.

The big event, Stovewood Days, will be held on August 6th, with a pig roast, crafts, raffles, old-time photos, old cars and tractors, a great bakery and much more!

## Wabeno Lions to hold Mega Meat Raffle fundraiser

Like most charitable organizations, the Wabeno Lions Club was negatively impacted by the 2020 pandemic. It was deemed necessary to cancel the annual Fish-O-Ree that was to be held in February. Unfortunately, that event has always been the club's main source of funds for the year. Those funds are all returned to the community through projects such as:

- 2 Wabeno scholarships
- St. John's and NEWCAP food pantries
- Wabeno Elementary book fair
- Rebel youth football and Rebel youth basketball camp
- Wabeno Museum Fund
- High school awards and senior banquet
- Eyeglass Early Screening program
- Padus Gun Club Youth Trap Shoot
- Annual veterans golf outing
- Senior citizens banquet

In an effort to raise money to continue funding community projects, the Lions Club will be holding a Mega Meat Raffle Fundraiser at the Wabeno Firefighters Grounds on Saturday, June 26, 2022 from noon to 5 p.m. Come to join in the fund, stock your freezer and help them continue with their service to the Wabeno area community.



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**Couples Golf League  
begins June 6th  
at McCauslin Brook**

The Couples 9 hole golf league at McCauslin Brook Country Club in Lakewood will begin play on Monday, June 6th. Please sign in between 2:30 and 2:45 p.m. There will be a 15 minute meeting before the shotgun start at 3 p.m. Five dollars per couple will be collected to cover event prizes.

The league is open to all couples interested in a fun, noncompetitive league. All ability levels are welcome and there is no commitment to playing every week. **C o n t a c t** lauracerletty@gmail.com if you have questions.

**AREA EVENTS**

**Nashville Town Hall  
Craft & Flea Market**  
Hwy. 55 & B, Crandon  
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**Friday, May 27th  
&  
Saturday, May 28th**  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
FOR VENDOR INFO, CONTACT  
LINDY AT  
715-484-3152

**Crandon Library**

**Storytime, Tuesdays in May  
thru June 7th @ 10:30 am.**  
Storytime will begin again  
after the completion of the  
**Summer Reading Program**  
which begins in July this  
year.

**Wiggle Giggle Shake,  
Thursdays at 10:30 am.**

**Life/Tech Skills Walk-In,  
Wednesdays at 3:45-4:45 pm.**

**Crandon High Class of 1963  
Reunion**

The Reunion is June 14th 2 p.m.  
at Charlie's on Metonga's South  
Side.  
If you would like to attend, call  
Jim Gilmore at  
715-889-4904

**BENEFIT FOR  
NANCY MAY**

Nancy has stage 2 breast cancer and has gone through mastectomy, many trips to the doctors and has started her 7 week radiation treatment in April of this year. She will be staying in Wausau for the treatment and because she has pre-existing health issues.

**There will be a Benefit to  
help Nancy at Kathy's Inn  
on Saturday, May 28th from  
4-8 p.m. to help Nancy**

*There will be 50/50 Raffles,  
Meat Raffles, Paddle Board,  
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**LAONA LIONS CLUB**



32<sup>nd</sup> Annual



**Spring Trap Shoot**



**Padus Gun Club**

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**11:00am Sunday May 29th**

**Ticket Raffle Drawing at 5:00pm**

**Fun for the whole family!**

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A variety of Trap Shooting Games

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**John Wethington Cancer Benefit**

June 11, 2022 - 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

**Holly Wood Hill Saloon & Event Center**

10209 Kemp Lane, Crandon

John Wethington and his family moved from Illinois to Wisconsin about a year ago, shortly after John was diagnosed with kidney cancer. John was planning to undergo surgery to remove the cancer when his doctors found the cancer had spread to his lungs, pushing back his surgery. John is currently receiving immunotherapy treatments to shrink the lung cancer tumors, in hopes to then be rescheduled for surgery.

Join us for this event as we open our hearts to the Wethington family, who is bound for a long journey towards recovery and health.

**Raffles • Rummage Sale • Live Music by TRAINWRECK**

*All money raised will go to the Wethington family for any medical bills and expenses.*



**You are invited to be a part of the  
Forest County Chambers, Shank Open  
Melinda Otto Memorial Golf Outing**

**Friday, June 10, 2022, Noon start**

**Nicolet Country Club, Laona, WI**

**Price for the event is \$85.00 per person**

**Includes: 18 holes of golf, cart, dinner and  
drink tickets**

**Call 715-478-3450 or email**

**info@visitforestcounty.com**

**Registration appreciated by June 3, 2022**

**Sponsorship Opportunities also available**

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the hole)**

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**Hole Prize Sponsor: \$50 each Mens/Womens  
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and shortest drive, Best dressed/themed  
team, Best Score mens/womens and  
mixed(your name will be displayed)**

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**Otter Springs Recreation  
Trail Walk**



When: Thursday, June 9th from 4:00-6:00 pm

Where: 5638 Otter Creek Road #5498, off Hwy 8 in Crandon

Join the Forest County Health Department and the Forest County Forestry Department as they host a trail walk at Otter Springs trail on Thursday, June 9th. The trail walk will highlight several benches made by the Laona and Crandon School's woodshop classes.

FREE summer challenge bags will be given away at the event which will contain trail brochures, water bottles, summer challenge activity sheets, sunscreen, and more! Turn in your summer challenge sheet when completed to the Forest County Health Department by August 31<sup>st</sup> for a ticket into a drawing for a prize!

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Post commanders of post 44, Ron Boeldt and Al Heisler presented \$1,000.00 checks to each of the following services:



Ron Boeldt and Al Heisler presented to Steve Harkema of the Nicolet Fire District



Ron Boeldt and Al Heisler presented \$1,000.00 checks to:  
 -Tammy Wilson / AEMT, Wabeno and Laona Ambulance Service  
 -Christopher Schultz / Administrator/AEMT Mountain Ambulance Service  
 Steve Harkema / Adminstrator/AEMT Lakewood and Townsend Ambulance Service

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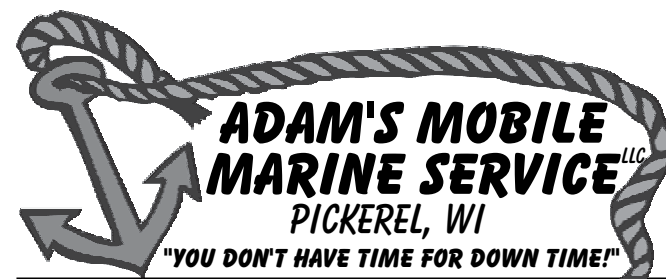
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**MARK SZORADY**

**5/30**

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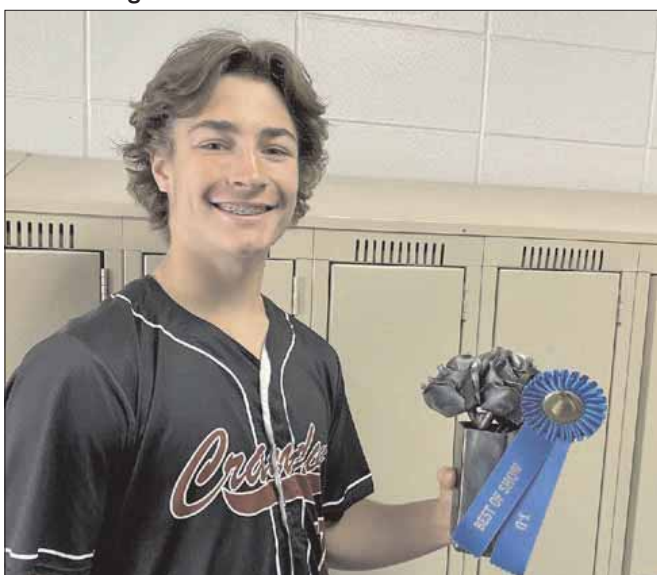
**Northern Lakes Art Show Crandon has two winners**



Kendal Tichenor with her award-winning painting titled "Moonlight".

The Northern Lakes Conference Art Show was held earlier this month at the Elcho High School. Students from six schools had their art on display with over 100 pieces being juried. Two Crandon students were awarded the highest award, Best of Show.

Congratulations to Kendall Tichenor, freshman, on receiving Best of Show 2D and Cole Shepherd, junior, on receiving Best of Show 3D.



Cole Shepherd with his award-winning metal art titled "Stealing Attention".



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### News of area college students

The following student(s) have been named to the 2022 spring semester dean's list at St. Norbert College. A minimum 3.5 grade point average is required for academic eligibility.

Kassidy Ashbeck-Wabeno  
St. Norbert College held its commencement ceremony on Sunday, May 15, at 11 a.m., outdoors on the college's De Pere, Wis. campus. There were 508 students in the 2022 graduating class, including 490 candidates for baccalaureate degrees and 18 candidates for master's degrees.  
Kassidy Ashbeck, Bachelor of Arts, Magna Cum Laude

The following individuals from your area are among the 3,181 prospective candidates for degree attending University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee commencement exercises Sunday, May 22, 2022 in Milwaukee.  
Crandon-Nicholas Dachelet, College of Engineering and Applied Science, Bachelor of Science in Engineering

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**BIDS AND NOTICES**

**5K and 4K Enrollment Day**

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- 5K students must be 5 years of age by September 1, 2022 who have not attended 4K at the School District of Crandon
  - 4K students must be 4 years of age by September 1, 2022 who have not already participated in a 4K open house
  - Bring child's birth certificate and immunization record
  - Monday, June 6th, 2022
  - 8:00am - 11:00am
  - Crandon Elementary School
  - The office will buzz you in
- If you have any questions, please contact the elementary office 715-478-6123

**Notice request for Bid**

**Sokaogon Chippewa Housing Authority**

**Window Replacement on 9 residential homes and 5 duplexes**

Scope of work consists of;

- Removal/disposal of existing windows.
- Install new Vinyl windows
- Finish interior and exterior

If interested please contact the Sokaogon Chippewa housing office 715-478-2001, to make arrangements to view the homes  
Deadline to bid on the project will be June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022

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**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA  
REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING  
Wednesday, June 1, 2022**

**High School Library - Wabeno Junior High / High School  
6:00 P.M.  
AGENDA**

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. Roll Call – Verification of Quorum
- III. Verification of Meeting Notice (Compliance with Open Meeting Law Notification (Wis.Stats. 19.84(2))) IV. Pledge of Allegiance
- V. Amended Agenda Approval
- VI. Public Participation at Board Meetings - See Board Policy 0167.3
  - a. Welcome and Guidelines for Public Comments (5 Minute Maximum per Person)
  - b. This is a listening session for the community to address the Board. The maximum time limit for this section is 30 minutes. The purpose of this segment of the meeting is for the Board to listen to the views of our community.
  - c. Public Participation
- VII. Approval of Minutes
  - a. Approval of the minutes of the Organizational Meeting Minutes on May 4, 2022.
  - b. Approval of the minutes of the Regular School Board Meeting Minutes on May 4, 2022.
  - c. Approval of the minutes of the Special Board Meeting Minutes on May 5, 2022.
- VIII. Approval of Vouchers and Payroll.
- IX. Informational Items:
  - a. Jeff Walsh, District Administrator will present updates and information.
  - b. Bill Taylor, Jr./Sr. High School Principal, will present updates and information.
  - c. Tim Brauer, Elementary Principal, will present updates and information.
  - d. Bob Tucker, Director of Special Education, will present updates and information.
  - e. Board Member Reports.
- X. Action Items:
  - a. Discuss and take possible action on designating the District's fund balance at the end of the 2021-2022 school year.
  - b. Discuss and take possible action on resignation(s)/retirement(s).
  - c. Discuss and take possible action on staff hiring(s).
  - d. Discuss and take possible action on District Office summer hours.
  - e. Discuss and take possible action on open enrollment in and out of the District for 2022-23 school year.
  - f. Discuss and take possible action on Boys Basketball Summer Tournament overnight trip.
  - g. Discuss and take possible action on job descriptions.
  - h. Discuss and take possible action on adding a Title I position.
- XI. Motion and roll call vote to go into closed session. Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes 19.85(1)(c)(e)(f), the Board may convene in closed session for the purpose of:
  - a. Meet and discuss administrative positions with administrators.
- XII. Motion and roll call vote to return open session to announce or take action, if any, and if appropriate.
- XIII. Discussion of Establishing Dates for Future Board Meetings and Establish Future Agenda Items. No substantive discussion will occur concerning future agenda items.
- XIV. Adjourn

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

Approved for Publication/Posting by:

District Administrator

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Sent to:

Board of Education  
Administrative Team

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<https://www.wabeno.k12.wi.us/#>

**FOREST COUNTY FORESTRY  
AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT  
PUBLIC NOTICE OF TIMBER SALES  
-Invitation for Bids-**

Sealed bids will be accepted at the Forest County Forestry Department, Courthouse, 200 East Madison Street, Crandon, WI 54520 until Monday, June 13, 2022 at 9:00 a.m., for five (5) sales located in Forest County. Sales are as listed:

**Tract 1-22: Parts of SESE, Sec.9, NENE, NWNE, SWNE Sec. 16 T35N- R13E 51 Acres**

**Tract 2-22: Parts of NE ¼, Parts of NW ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 32, T36N- R12E 78 Acres**

**Tract 3-22: Parts of SENW, NESW, NWSE, SWNE and NESE, SENE Section. 2 T36N-R13E 75 Acres**

**Tract 4-22: Parts of SENE, NESE, SWSE, SESE Sec. 11, SWNW, NWSW, SWSW Sec. 12 T35N-R13E 73 Acres**

**Tract 5-22: NESW, NWSE, NESE, SWSE, SESE Sec. 12 T35N-R13E 60 Acres**

A timber prospectus including maps of each tract and bid forms, can be obtained online at the website <https://forestcountywi.com/> or by contacting:

Forestry and Recreation Department  
Courthouse,  
200 E. Madison Street  
Crandon, WI 54520  
715-478-3475

Bids must be submitted on Forestry and Recreation Department's *Timber Sale Bid Sheet*. Appraised minimum stumpage prices will be set by the Forestry and Recreation Department. The bid must meet or exceed the total timber sale value that was advertised.

**Bids will be opened in the Forestry and Recreation Department office, Courthouse, Crandon, at 9 a.m. on Monday, June 13, 2022. The Forest County Forestry and Recreation Committee will approve and accept the bids at the meeting set for Wednesday, June 15<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.**

The Forest County Forestry and Recreation Committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids or accept the bid most advantageous to Forest County.

A 25% bid bond, SFI training certificate and certificate of Liability and Worker's Compensation Insurance coverage are required prior to signing the contract. Sample timber sale contracts are available upon request.

**Notice:** All successful bidders must meet and maintain Wisconsin SFI Training Standards prior to harvesting the timber sale. In addition, at least one person working on the timber sale must also be SFI Certified.

# Bids & Notices

## Media Release Seamless Summer Option

The School District of Wabeno Area is participating in the USDA Seamless Summer Option (SSO) for the 2022 summer from June 8-July 1, 2022. This program provides free breakfast and lunch to all community children 18 & younger or up to age 21 for students receiving special education services.

All students will be served breakfast and lunch at no charge at the following sites:

Wabeno Elementary School

- Breakfast 8-8:30 a.m.
- Lunch 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Summer school runs from June 8 through July 1.

For additional information please contact: School District of Wabeno Area, Attention: Thomas Swearingen, Food Service Director, 715-473-5105, tswearingen@wabeno.k12.wi.us.

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Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights  
1400 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410;



### Wabeno School Breakfast Menu May 30 - 31

**Monday** - No School  
**Tuesday** - Pancake bites, bacon, yogurt, grapes, fruit juice, milk

### Wabeno School Lunch Menu May 30 - 31

**Monday** - No School  
**Tuesday** - Popcorn chicken, buttered noodles, green beans, pineapple tidbits, garden bar, milk

### Wabeno School Breakfast Menu June 1 & 2

**Wednesday** - Muffins, yogurt, fruit juice, apple sauce cups, milk  
**Thursday** - Cereal, yogurt, fruit juice, pears, milk

### Wabeno School Lunch Menu June 1 & 2

**Wednesday** - Assorted pizza, garlic breadstick, green beans, Mandarin orange garden bar, milk  
**Thursday** - Cheeseburgers, potato wedges, corn apple slices, garden bar, milk

## Notice Forest County

### Veteran's Memorial Park

**The opening of Veteran's Memorial Park has been delayed. Unfortunately, the late spring and other unforeseen circumstances have led to a delay in completing the work. We want to allow enough time to get all work completed to ensure that campers and visitors have a safe and enjoyable stay. Veteran's Memorial Park will be ready to welcome campers and visitors back on June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022.**

**We apologize for any inconvenience and change in plans this may have caused.**

**Forest County  
Forestry and Recreation**

## Lazzeroni given Lowery Educator of Excellence Award in Laona



Dan Lazzeroni received the 2021-2022 Richard T. Lowery Educator of Excellence Award for the Laona School District. He was selected by the faculty. This award is sponsored by the Nicolet Oconto Retired Teachers Association (NORTA).

Dan is retiring this year after teaching for 25 years. He is known for inspiring a love of history in his 5th grade students and making the past come alive. He also has a passion for teaching math and working with all grades of elementary students doing math interventions. Outside of school Dan enjoys fishing. Best of luck on your retirement and congratulations on winning this award!

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## Notice request for Bid Sokaogon Chippewa Housing Authority

### Exterior door Replacement

Scope of work consists of;

Removal and disposal of 3 exterior doors  
Installation of new doors  
Finish exterior and interior  
Doors to include push bars and closers

If interested please contact the Sokaogon Chippewa housing office 715-478-2001, to make arrangements to view the project.  
Deadline to bid on the project will be June 3<sup>rd</sup> 2022

## Memorial Day Wabeno Cont. from pg. 1

support the decision made by the Bush Administration to invade Iraq. However, we unconditionally supported the men and women of the U.S. military called upon to do the fighting.

Reports of casualties appeared in the media, as we knew they would. We grieved, heartbroken over each, knowing every single one had a family, friends, schoolmates, co-workers, military comrades...a LIFE. Fearing, as so often happens, that these precious war dead would be quickly forgotten, we wanted to make sure this did not happen. We searched for ways to accomplish our goal, finally deciding to establish Marsh Memorial Island on a tiny island we own in the Townsend Flowage.

At first, the goal was to recognize the sacrifice of every soldier, sailor, marine, and airman killed in action in Afghanistan and Iraq. But as the KIAs quickly mounted, we knew that was impossible. Instead, we decided to honor those who had deep ties to Wisconsin. With the help of Bruce Beno, we cleared the center of the island and enclosed it with a white picket fence. Each of the heroes would be memorialized with a cross that included his/her name and hometown. Bruce made the crosses from composite lumber. Kathie ordered the nameplates from a business in Antigo; Jon fastened them to the crosses. Jon and Wayne Deja installed a large aluminum flagpole, its flag lighted and easily visible from all around the Southern part of the Flowage. A small dock was added to facilitate access.

Much to our dismay, the Memorial grew and grew and grew. Each time we added a cross, we said aloud all the names that preceded it, then lovingly placed the new one amid its brethren. We always said a solemn prayer of gratitude while standing near a four-foot white cross that stood guard over the site. That special cross memorialized Jon's uncle, Lester Marsh, an Army Sergeant killed in action in New Guinea in 1943.

Word spread. Kayakers, jet skiers, and boaters stopped to pay tribute to the fallen; families and friends of those honored came. We took scores of loved ones out on our pontoon boat to visit the island. It was emotionally draining as we cried and hugged and agreed on the futility of war to solve human problems. We will never forget the time a little girl ran up the path and searched until she found her father's cross. "Look, Mommy," she cried out. "Somebody loves my daddy as much as I do!"

As the wars dragged on, more and more crosses were added. Each time a new cross, a new nameplate, a new tragic loss occurred, we were more determined than ever to preserve the memory of those fallen military. We lovingly tended the Memorial for over a decade until it all proved too much. Our children live far away, and we wondered what would happen when we could no longer keep it up. Then, from out of nowhere, the answer came.

Gerry LaFont of Boy Scout Troop 1048 in Lakewood approached American Legion Post #44 in Wabeno, looking for an endeavor to earn his Eagle Badge. The project he chose was to move the crosses from Marsh Memorial Island in the Townsend Flowage to the Legion Memorial Park in Wabeno. The Legion's involvement was critical in helping with the transition, as was Blackwell Job Corps. Today, we are pleased that what we like to call a "Mini-Arlington" is easily accessible from Highway 32.

Of all those honored there, the only one either of us knew is Jesse Thiry. Jesse was a Marine corporal from Casco who was killed in 2004 in Anbar Province. Jesse worked at Mike's Supermarket one summer. Kathie, who would walk to Mike's each morning to get a newspaper, struck up a conversation with him, and they became friendly. She will never forget how his face lit up as he often shared his dream of becoming a Marine. Jesse's gold-star mother still lives in Townsend.

Life is a series of small moments that create monumental memories. Who would have thought at the time that we would be forever linked by our determination that his life and the lives of all honored there will never be forgotten.

Kathleen & Jon Marsh-Townsend

## Notice of Public Hearing

The Sokaogon Chippewa Community, Natural Resources Board will hold an in-person public hearing on June 9, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. at 3051 Sand Lake Road, Crandon, WI 54520. We are seeking input regarding a request for a temporary short-term anti-degradation determination for road restoration and culvert replacement projects located within the Sokaogon Reservation.

Interested tribal members, public officials and private citizens are welcome to attend. The meeting documents can be obtained by contacting Tina L. Van Zile, Sokaogon Environmental Director at (715) 478-7605 or email [tina.vanzile@scc-nsn.gov](mailto:tina.vanzile@scc-nsn.gov)

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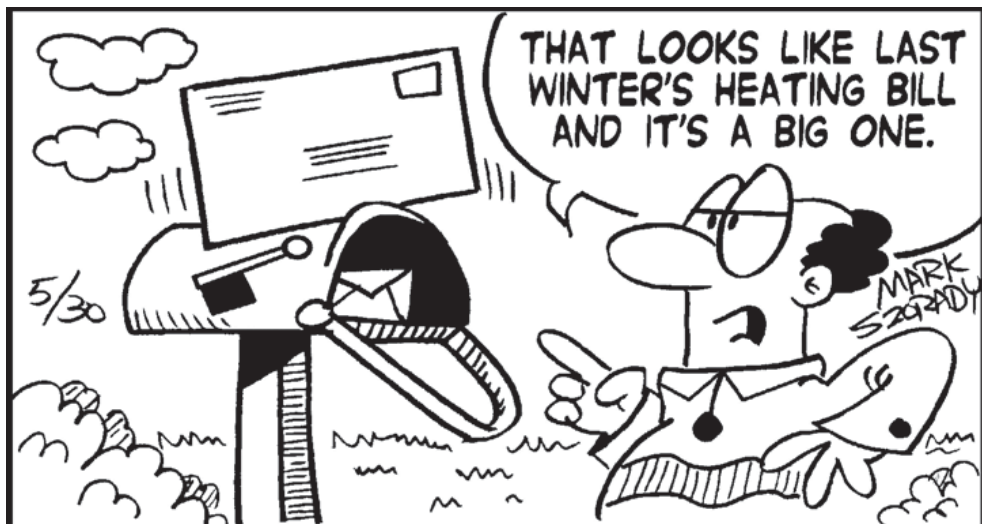
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## POPPLER RIVER

**YARD SALE:** Popple River on Hwy 139, May 19 thru May 30, 9 to 6. 2 large & 3 small windows with screens, small patio table with chair, 3 decorated milk cans, 6 decorated ladders, floral arrangements for cemeteries, 2 Harley shadow boxes, Harley men's & ladies clothes - size med. to XLL, lots of miscellaneous- Too much to mention. P07

## FENCE

**Estate/ Garage Sale:** May 27-29th, 8am - 4 pm N20723 Lafave Drive, Fence Wi 2030 John Deere tractor log splitter, garden tiller lawn furniture, household, small appliances, dishes, decoration and craft items table umbrellas, bikes, helmets life jackets and much more. P8

## WABENO

**RUMMAGE SALE:** May 26 & 27, 8 to 5. 4120 McGraw St, Wabeno. Furniture, household items, clothing & much more. P07

## NASHVILLE

**RUMMAGE AND CRAFT SALES:** NASHVILLE - Nashville Town Hall, Friday and Saturday, May 27-28, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. I will be set up with knit dishcloths, scrubbers, hats, baby washcloths, new canning jars and rings, Hobby Lobby wall hangings, Depends ladies size large and x-large, yarn and much more. All priced to go. Come and check out all the vendors. P8

## RUMMAGE

### HILBERT LAKE RD

**Rummage Sale:** May 26, 27, 28, 29, & 30th 9390 Hilbert Lake Drive. 8 to 5. Antiques, 10 gallon crock, copper items, lamps, 2 like new La-Z boy recliners, wing back chair, end tables, lawn furniture, bedding, cookware, 2 complete golf sets with carts, pressure washer, animal traps, many tools. P08

### ARMSTRONG CREEK

**GARAGE SALES:** Multi family household and garage items. May 26, 27, & 28. Dallman Rd in the Armstrong Creek area. For more info call 513-292 3003 Ws8

### LAKWOOD

**ESTATE AND GARAGE SALE: LAKWOOD** - Lakewood Airpark, 15539 Cessna La. Friday and Saturday, May 27-28, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Longenberger basket collection, custom cabinets, furniture, roll top desk, house decor, wire decor, sterling silverware, crystal and glassware, garden decor, Christmas decor, vacuum cleaners, custom jewelry, kids toys, grocery cart walkers, floral and many misc. items. B8

### HILES

**RUMMAGE SALE!** 9284 Old 32 Road, Hiles (Right on Hwy 32) House, Tools, Garden, Art, Antiques, Fish, Hunt, Bike, LARGE VARIETY! Saturday & Sunday May 28 & 29 9am-4pm. P8

### PICKEREL

**HUGE RUMMAGE SALE:** 1271 Blue Heron Way, Pickerel, May 26-28, 8-4 daily, lots of tools, hunting stuff, household misc. P07

### ROLLING STONE LAKE

**LARGE RUMMAGE SALE: ROLLING STONE LAKE** - 3 miles south of Mole Lake, follow signs. May 26-28, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. or longer. P08

### ANTIGO

**Rummage Sale:** May 20 & 21 at 8:30, W8672 Hwy 64, Antigo, 3 1/2 miles east of Walmart. Sled dog harness and backpack, 60-7016 pull compound bow with win free release, Barnett quad 400 crossbow for parts or repair, house, a low vera and bohemiide and garden plants, books, dvds, toys, glassware, 220 Case lawnmower, older Maytag washing machine \$100. P7

### CRANDON

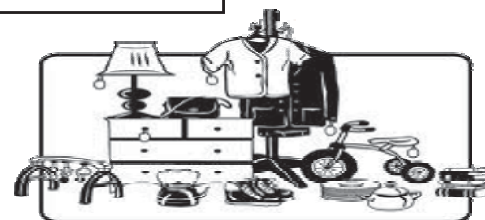
**Rummage Sale:** Thursday, Friday & Saturday, May 26-28, 8-4, 4419 East Lakeview St. (East shore of Lake Metonga) Crandon. Collectables, dishes, TV, kitchen stuff, Xmas, outdoor furniture cushions, 2 log fire pit benches, misc, and loads of quality womens clothing size M to XL. (Chicos, Title Nine, Lole, Talbots, Athletic, Roxy, E.B. Etc.) P8

**Moving Sale:** 9460 Schalk Lane, Crandon, May 28, 8 am - 2 pm. Dining tables and chairs, sofas, ping pong table, kitchen items, baby cribs & more! P8

**YARD SALE: CRANDON** - 1500 Spring Rd. Top of the hill. May 28-29, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. P08

**GARAGE SALE:** 3706 Cty Hwy W, Crandon - Friday, May 27 and Saturday, May 28, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. both days. Lots of home decor, household items, fishing equipment, 14 ft. alum. boat and trailer with 10 hp motor, paddle boat, hunting clothes. P08

**GARAGE SALE: CRANDON** - 4551 Westimeyer Rd., From Hwy 55S and Cty. B, 1 mile west on B, then 1 mile north. Friday and Saturday, May 27-28, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Washer/dryer, gun cabinet, Louis L'Amour novels \$1 each, PB, \$3 HDCVR, golf balls, paintings/pictures, tackle box with some tackle, many indoor/outdoor items. P08



## LAONA

**Multi Party Rummage Sale:** May 21 & 22th 4473 Airport Lane, Laona 8:00 am - 3:00 pm daily. Indoor/outdoor home decor, seasonal items, books, glassware, boys & womens clothing, some mens clothing, large Connor cradle, some furniture, much more P07

**Rummage Sale:** If you are out and about in Laona this weekend Sat & Sun May 21st and 22nd from 9:00-2:00 stop by the back room at the Clubhouse Cafe 4839 Mill St. We have tons at great prices!! Gifts for Fathers Day, tools, yard tools, automotive stuff, new and used name brand clothes, outside summer toys and inside toys, swim toys, household items and much more. P7

**RUMMAGE SALE: LAONA** - 5248 Fairway Ct., by the golf course. June 3, 4 and 5, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Household and outdoor items, seasonal decorations, adult and children's clothes, toys, men's stuff, furniture and much more. P09

## TOWNSEND

**Rummage Sale:** 16639 Orchard Road, Townsend (Behind Pintsch's Hardware & Long Branch 2 blocks) Friday, May 27th Saturday May 28 9am-4pm and Sunday May 29th 9am-1pm. House decor, tools, furniture, clothing, housewares, moped, floating dock, paddle boat & much more. P8

**RUMMAGE SALE:** May 27 & 28, 8-4, May 29 8-12, household items craft supplies, yarn, christmas, clothing & blankets, card making and scrapbooking supplies mens stuff, lots of misc. 16909 Cty rd T, Townsend P8

**YARD SALE: TOWNSEND** - 18757 Valley View Rd. May 27-28, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Furniture, tools, household items, gas stove, misc. P08

## Opportunities for Rural Artists

(WABENO, WISCONSIN) Rural Regenerator Fellowship! Applications are now open for the Rural Regenerator Fellowship, Springboard's learning and exchange program for rural artists, creatives, culture bearers and other rural changemakers committed to advancing the role of art, culture and creativity in rural development and community building. Fellows participate in peer learning and exchange, receive a \$10,000 unrestricted stipend, and more. Deadline to apply is June 7, 2022. Learn more at Rural Regenerator Fellowship - Springboard for the Arts.

The Wabeno Art and Music (WAM) Fest now has two opportunities for area artists to show and sell their fine art. The first opportunity is to participate in the Wabeno Art Exhibit, which is open to anyone who would like to create an original piece of artwork highlighting the history, landscape and/or cultures of Northern Wisconsin. Artists may sell their artwork in a gallery open from June 10-Sept 5, 2022, located at the Wabeno Logging Museum. To learn more and get an application which must accompany each artwork, go to [https://wabenoartandmusicfest.org/art\\_options/](https://wabenoartandmusicfest.org/art_options/) or contact Darlene Edlebeck as listed on the application. The other opportunity is on July 16th at the Wabeno Art and Music Fest for a day of music and art at the Wabeno Firefighter's Grounds. Artists interested in having a booth at WAM Fest are encouraged to contact Colleen Ansbrough, [ansbroughcolleen@gmail.com](mailto:ansbroughcolleen@gmail.com) 920-684-0860 or Mary Beck at [mfbeck@charter.net](mailto:mfbeck@charter.net) 608-628-0757 to discuss this opportunity.

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## Forest County Commission on Aging Nutrition Program SENIOR MEALS

**CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA**  
**Monday - May 30 - NO MEAL - Memorial Day**  
**Monday - June 6** - Salisbury steak with gravy, mashed potato, green beans, dinner roll, fruit cup  
**CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK**  
**Tuesday - May 31** - Brat with sauerkraut, whole grain bun, potato salad, broccoli salad, pear crisp  
**Tuesday - June 7** - Pork chop with gravy, mashed potato, carrots, oat bread, fruit cup  
**CRANDON, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK**  
**Wednesday - June 1** - Fish with tartar sauce, parsley potato, peas, sourdough bread, blueberry lemon bar  
**Wednesday - June 8** - Bean soup with bacon, tossed salad with egg, fruit, whole grain breadstick, snickerdoodle cookie  
**WABENO CONGREGATE & HOME DELIVERED**  
**Thursday - June 2** - Creamy chicken casserole with brown rice, mixed vegetables, fruit, sweet potato pie  
**Thursday - June 9** - Bean soup with bacon, tossed salad with egg, fruit, whole grain breadstick, snickerdoodle  
**ALVIN**  
**Thursday - June 2** - Beef tips and gravy over mashed potatoes, broccoli, mashed potatoes, biscuit, banana pudding  
**Thursday - June 9** - Chicken stir fry, stir fry veggie mix, fruit salad, rice, garlic knot, snickerdoodle cookie  
 Please register with Commission on Aging - 478-3256.

Crandon site manager Debbie Brock is at 920-946-3020. Serving at 12:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.  
 Alvin nutrition site manager Tammy Wolfe is 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.



Another message from Mark Gatton... Where is everybody??? Did I mention that 55 years and up can ride? Caregivers can come along at no charge? How about that we shop, sight-see, enjoy lunch at various restaurants and, overall, have a great time? We pick you up at home between 8 and 9 a.m. with most trips returning you home by 2 p.m. We even help with your packages! All for just \$4!

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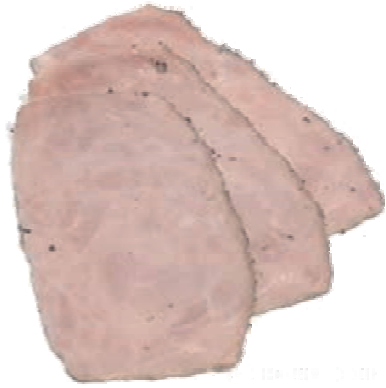
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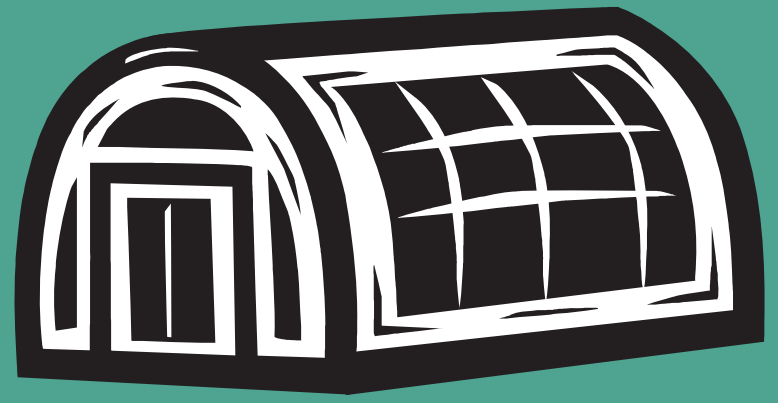
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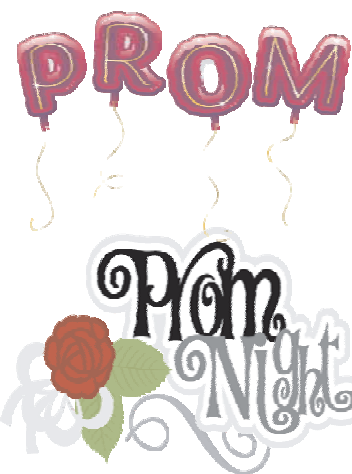
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Almost six thousand dollars was raised at the dinner, but the building committee realizes it has a long way to go. "As we have repeatedly said, the lack of any kind of school in our area makes us the only Community Learning and Information Center (CLIC) available," says Building Expansion Committee Co-chair Tom Thielke. "Expansion has been on the table for over 15 years, but now we are at a tipping point. Our library is severely cramped for space and unable to meet the rising demand for 21st Century services our patrons need and deserve."

Fundraising Co-chair Kathleen Marsh agrees. "Lakes Country Library does offer the usual fare; books, newspapers, periodicals, DVDs, manipulatives, etc., but it must do so much more. It is the only public place in Northern Oconto County for free, fast and reliable broadband, getting copies made, tutoring from experienced staff, help with employment issues, accessing telemedicine, special children's programs, and so much more. A recent survey found patrons cherish the library, which is why we have chosen 'the little library we love' as our fundraising motto."

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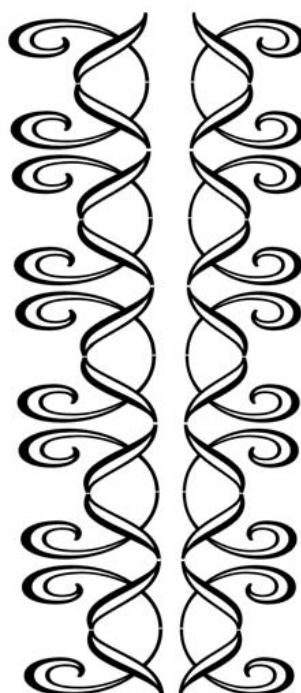
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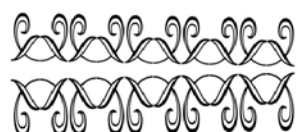
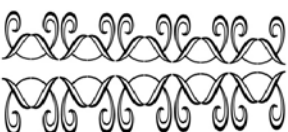
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Recent events surrounding the leak at the Supreme Court brings out the Democratic best!

No condemnation of ILLEGAL protesting from administration/Democratic Congressional Leaders, no investigation by the DOJ/FBI into ongoing threats of violence (this country will un-governable)! And how about the abortions up and including the day of BIRTH? (Put the baby in a room, make comfortable, close the door). I call that murder! Yup, a platform to be proud of!

A Proud American  
Jim Kobylarz

### Northwoods Pride Festival June 25, Drag Workshop June 18 at Nicolet College

The Northwoods Pride Festival will return as an in-person event this year with workshops, entertainment, and special events from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, June 25, in the Lakeside Center at Nicolet College.

The festival, sponsored by the Rainbow Hodags student club at Nicolet, will also include a drag show, with a special workshop a week prior from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, June 18, in the Nicolet College Theatre.

Local performers of all levels of experience are invited to register for this workshop, which will be led by Nicolet Players Artistic Producer K. Woodzick (they/them) and other community members. Participants will have access to the Nicolet Players costume stock and wig collection, and the Nicolet Cosmetology Program is lending their support to the workshop as well.

"With the popularity of television shows like RuPaul's Drag Race, Dragula, and We're Here, the art of drag has become a mainstream cultural phenomenon," Woodzick shared. "Drag and theater are so closely related and the Nicolet Players is proud to support local artists of all genders in empowering them to create performances for Northwoods Pride."

Interested performers can sign up for the Drag Workshop by visiting [nicoletcollege.edu/northwoodspride](http://nicoletcollege.edu/northwoodspride) and clicking on the Drag Workshop & Show link.

The festival will also feature a keynote speaker, food, and a resource fair. Details are available at [nicoletcollege.edu/northwoodspride](http://nicoletcollege.edu/northwoodspride).

"In the current cultural climate, it's more important now than ever for everyone to show their support of the LGBT+ community," said Woodzick. "We want folks from all walks of life to come and join this festival. There will be something for everyone!"

Northwoods Pride Festival is hosted by Nicolet College Rainbow Hodags. Community volunteers help support the event. All proceeds and donations go towards LGBT+ student scholarships. The mission is to build trusting relationships and space for the LGBT+ community and to provide entertainment, interactions, and educational opportunities to celebrate the history, diversity, and acceptance of LGBT+ individuals in the Northwoods of Wisconsin, Woodzick explained.

**Leck Myron Johnson**, 61, of Crandon, WI, born December 15, 1960, passed away peacefully on May 13, 2022. Our Heavenly Father has lifted him from pain and suffering after battling cancer and strokes for so many years. His two sisters, Dorla and Becky were at his side. Leck was the son of the late Allen and Louise Johnson of Crandon, WI. He last lived in Eagle River, at Options Residential Care Facility.



Leck was the youngest of six children. He was a beautiful baby. He was spoiled by his parents and siblings. He loved and was very close to his crippled brother, Robbie. They pretended they were Batman and Robin. Leck worked with his dad in roofing. He also lived and worked in Sheboygan as a truck driver for a time. He worked other various jobs throughout the years and had his home in Crandon.

As his health declined, he moved to Fairfield apartments approximately 12 years ago. He had many friends and was well liked there by Arkansas, Keg, Kevin, and many others. He helped his special friend, Leola Lodes, and took her to appointments, did her shopping, etc., until she passed away a few years ago.

Leck played guitar and loved music. He was very adept with wiring and was computer savvy. He was a good cook, but always loved his mom's fried potatoes the best; loved chocolate and coffee. He enjoyed his computer games, news, and driving around. Often he would drive down to Lake Metonga and enjoyed watching the ducks there in summer. He will be missed. He loved the Lord and told us he was ready to go. He passed shortly afterwards into his new eternal home.

Surviving Leck are two sisters, Dorla (Melvin) Donek of Crandon and Becky (Pastor Kenneth Eades) of Eagle River; two aunts, Jean Waalkens and Dorla Pitts, an uncle, John (we call him Jack) Johnson; and many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Preceding Leck in death besides his parents, Allen and Louise, were siblings Jeffrey, Robbie, and Lonah. He was also preceded by many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

A graveside service will be held for Leck at Nashville Cemetery, south of Crandon, on Saturday, June 4, 2022 at 11:30 a.m., with Pastor Ken Eades officiating and music by John Johnson.

Online condolences for the family may be directed to [www.weberhillfuneralhome.com](http://www.weberhillfuneralhome.com).

**Judith Ann "Judy" (DeMars) White**, age 76, passed away peacefully on May 18, 2022, at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, under the care of her loving family.



She was born on October 31, 1945, in Crandon, to Curtis and Fern (Rose) DeMars. She grew up and remained in Crandon her entire life. She married Louis White in June 1964. They later divorced.

Judy is survived by daughters, Jodi (Edward) Space of Elcho and Leah (Craig) Lau of Tomahawk. She is further survived by five grandchildren, Nick (Tara) Alden, Bekah (Dan) Imig, Libby (Dylan) McCorkle, Celia (Nate Anderson) Space, and Ian Charbarneau, as well as six great-grandchildren, Kalli, Emme, Averie, Cullen, Owen, and Jack. Judy is also survived by many beloved nieces, nephews, and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents and son-in-law Bud Charbarneau.

Judy loved her family fiercely. She made many friends over the years through her various places of employment including Twist Drill, Schaefer's, Flowers From the Heart, Valley Bar, and Home Depot. Some of her closest friends were her nieces whom she cherished. She enjoyed nothing more than gathering with family or friends around the table for a good coffee klatch. She enjoyed crocheting, and every family member has received at least one of her creations: a baby afghan, Christmas ornament, or doily. She was an amazing gardener and we were so fortunate to have her help and guidance with our flower selections and care over the years, including deciphering what was a weed and what wasn't. Judy was a very giving person and you could count on her for most anything. She was the best secret keeper and friend a person could ask for. She will be missed beyond measure.

We, her daughters, had the great honor of caring for Mom in her final days, along with help from Compassus Hospice. We would like to thank the hospice team as well as mom's primary care provider, Cortney Cleereman, APNP, for the care given to her.

Per her wishes, a graveside service will be held on May 28, 2022, at 11 a.m., at Crandon Lakeside Cemetery. There will be a Celebration of Life to follow at Elcho Community Pavilion, N11283 Dorr Street, Elcho, WI 54428.

**Mary Frances Retzlaff** passed away May 15, 2022 while residing at The Bay at Nu-Roc Health and Rehab Center in Blackwell, at the age of 89.

She was the daughter to Edward and Emma Collins. Mary was born January 18, 1933 in the Town of Laona, where she was also raised. In 1954 she married the late Roland Retzlaff. Together they raised eight children and were also parents to two other children, Daniel and Lyle, who both passed away as infants.

Mary worked many different jobs throughout her life...all of which she did with much pride, but nothing made her more proud, than being a mother to her children. All that she did, was done out of love and wanting to provide for them. Even during her last days with them, she was making sure that they were all feeling ok, not working too hard, all getting enough rest, and making sure that anyone who came to visit her, all made it home safe. Her love for her family was constant...always present...and always felt.

She will be greatly missed by all that were fortunate enough to have known her, and blessed to be loved by her...none more than the children she leaves behind. Those children are: Rusty (Peggy) Retzlaff and family, Eugene (Brenda) Retzlaff and family, James (Sherri) Retzlaff and family, Ed Retzlaff and family, Doris (Rick) Campbell and family, and Darlene (Dave) Calhoun and family; and daughter-in-law, Patti (Ronald) Collins. Also, included are her grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, four children, five brothers and one sister.

Visitation was on Friday, May 20, 2022 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church in Laona. Funeral services will follow at noon with Pastor Franz Gerber officiating. Interment will be at the Laona Cemetery. Online condolences may be left for the family at [www.weberhillfuneralhome.com](http://www.weberhillfuneralhome.com).

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sap-sucking mouthparts into the twig. Eventually the twig is depleted of stored nutrients and resources causing the needle to die. The HWA itself is tiny in size and difficult to see with the naked eye, but the woolly structures it produces, to protect adults and eggs, is the best identification characteristic.

**Where did HWA come from and how did it get here?**

HWA is native to Asia. In its native range there are several predatory beetles that feed on HWA and the host plants show resistance to the adelgid. It first appeared in western U.S. in 1924, likely from imported ornamental Japanese hemlocks. In the west, the adelgid can be found on mountain hemlock and western hemlock which both show resistance. The first report of HWA in eastern U.S. was in Richmond, Virginia in 1951. In eastern U.S. both the eastern hemlock, Carolina hemlock, and cultivars created from each show little to no resistance to the adelgid. In the state of Wisconsin, HWA has the potential to be a major threat to eastern hemlocks.

**How does HWA spread? How fast?**

On average, HWA spreads about 15-20 miles per year as a result of wind, humans, birds, and other animals. The long-distance means of spreading HWA is by movement of infested hemlock materials. Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection (DATCP) has imposed an exterior quarantine that restricts movement of hemlock materials into Wisconsin. These materials include hemlock nursery stock, decorative greenery, logs, and firewood from other states where HWA is present. HWA can survive very cold temperatures in its native range, but its spread and population increase appears to be slowed in the north eastern portion of the U.S. that experience cold weather conditions.

**Current and potential impacts of infestation**

Heavy infestations can kill hemlocks within 4-10 years. Some trees recover, but the means by which they do so is currently poorly understood. In most cases the trees eventually die. In eastern U.S., heavy hemlock mortality has often resulted in altered forest structure, degraded fish habitat, and increased invasion of non-native plants. Although eastern hemlock is not an important timber species in Wisconsin it is a long-lived, ecologically important tree species that provides habitat benefits to many wildlife species. Hemlocks that are infested will develop needles that yellow and eventually fall off, leaving dead, bare branches and thin crowns. Over the several years of infestation a hemlock will become weakened and made vulnerable to attack by other insects and diseases.

If a suspected HWA infestation is found, you can contact my office or contact the DATCP Pest Hotline at 1-866-440-7523 or DATCPPestHotline@wi.gov. Individuals reporting possible HWA are encouraged to send clear, close-up photos to help with identification. There are some HWA look-alikes but if you are questioning something you find, it is best to reach out to professionals.

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**Missy,**

**We hope your birthday is filled with love, laughter and lots of cheesecake!!**

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**Matthew, Benjamin, Boyd, Linda & Mike**

**Wabeno Kindergarten Garden Project**



Last year began our kindergarten gardening project when the Class of 2033 started pumpkin seeds. We planted our pumpkins shortly before school ended last year. Near the end of September 2021, we harvested the pumpkins with the Class of 2034, our current kindergarteners. Ms. Keeble and Mrs. Derozier went to work baking pumpkins, roasting seeds, and making the puree. Throughout the fall, kindergarten students made Pumpkin Cookies and Pumpkin Fluff. Kindergarteners sampled a number of other items that Ms. Keeble and Mrs. Derozier baked, which included Pumpkin Brownies and Banana, Pumpkin, Applesauce Bread. This year's first graders, who started the project (Class of 2033), also had a chance to sample some of the goodies. Now our kindergarten classes are planning to plant pumpkins again but also add rainbow carrots and cucumbers to the mix. Pickles anyone?



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**Requirements:** Candidates must have appropriate DPI license (1300-English).

**How to Apply:** Interested and licensed candidates should submit a letter of interest, resume, transcripts, copy of license(s), and three (3) current letters of reference to:

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  - Oversees all aspects of public relations media.

- Qualifications**
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Submit applications/resumes to: Louis Bath, Human Resources Assistant  
 618 State Hwy 32, Wabeno, WI 54566 | FAX: 715.473.6021  
 E-mail: [louis.bath@cartercasino.com](mailto:louis.bath@cartercasino.com) -or- online at [www.cartercasino.com](http://www.cartercasino.com)

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## NETWORK ENGINEER Full-Time, Exempt

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- Major Duties**
- Manage, maintain & troubleshoot Cisco network infrastructure in an aggressive, latency-sensitive environment.
  - Manage & maintain policy-based firewalls such as Cisco.
  - Program routers, switches & other networking hardware.
  - Design & implement best practice network strategies to interface software & hardware with all needed departments.
  - Assist with implementation of all software to meet the needs of the Casino while ensuring network security is not compromised.

- Qualifications**
- Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science or related field is preferred; minimum of five years verifiable experience required.
  - Current Certification in at least one CCNP, CCIE and/or CISSP
  - Comprehensive understanding of network services and networks such as TCP/IP, OSPF and EIGRP
  - In-depth understanding & practical knowledge of networking systems such as LAN, firewalls & routers.

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## Employment Opportunity Forest County Building Maintenance Worker

Forest County is currently accepting applications for one (1) full-time (40 hours per week) Building Maintenance Worker. Preferred applicants will have experience in all facets of buildings and grounds maintenance including maintenance of all County owned properties.

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

The deadline for applications returned to the County Clerk is Monday, June 6, 2022, at 4:30 p.m.

Forest County is an Equal Opportunity Employer

## POSITIONS OPEN for 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR:

### ELEMENTARY TEACHER- Grades 3/4

Full Time Position

Applicants must have, or be eligible to obtain necessary licensure from the Department of Public Instruction. In addition to licensure, it is desired that prospective candidates be able to support students academically and emotionally. GAC is a small school with a family feel. We have small class sizes so we can make a difference in the lives of the students we serve.

### K-12 GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

Full Time or Part Time Available

Applicants must have, or be eligible to obtain necessary licensure from the Department of Public Instruction. The Goodman-Armstrong Creek School District is seeking a full time or part time counselor to work with K-12th grade students. High school responsibilities include scheduling, personal counseling, community and parent contacts, school-to-work including youth apprenticeship and career tech ed, working with Start College Now and Wisconsin Virtual School and scholarships. Elementary responsibilities include classroom programming 4K-6, personal counseling, parent contacts and other duties as they arise. The candidate should be able to create trusting bonds with students and work with staff to help. District responsibilities are coordinating and scheduling of state and other testing programs.

Please submit a letter of interest, resume, and credentials either through WECAN or directly to the district administrator.

Amy Wysocki, District Administrator  
[awysocki@goodman.k12.wi.us](mailto:awysocki@goodman.k12.wi.us)  
 Goodman-Armstrong Creek School District  
 PO Box 160 Goodman, WI 54125  
 (715)-336-2575

## School District of Laona 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Elementary Teacher

In order to benefit our students and keep class sizes smaller, the Laona School District is seeking to fill a 1<sup>st</sup> grade teacher opening. The District has also updated its salary schedule and time off benefits. This is a full-time position to begin in the 2022-23 school year. Candidates must have an appropriate DPI license. Interested and licensed candidates should submit a letter of interest, resume, transcripts, copy of license(s), and three (3) current letters of reference. All applications need to be submitted by May 31, 2022. You may also apply on WECAN.

School District of Laona  
 Attn: Melissa Chrisman – District Administrator  
 5216 Forest Ave Ste A  
 Laona, WI 54541

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## HELP WANTED SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LAONA

The School District of Laona is looking to fill a custodial/maintenance assistant position. This position will begin June 27, 2022. Some of the responsibilities and requirements include:

- Custodial duties such as mopping, vacuuming, dusting, scrubbing floors, spot cleaning
- Attend to bathrooms and clean classrooms
- Prep and clean up cafeteria for lunch
- Clean and set up gym for activities
- Assist contracted custodial staff with summer cleaning projects
- Assist maintenance director as needed
- Heavy lifting required
- Able to operate machinery such as a tool cat, lawnmower, weed trimmer and snow blower

The position is for 40 hours per week with starting pay beginning at \$15.00 per hour. Hours would be 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. This is a full time position and includes benefits.

If interested in applying for the position, please send a letter of interest by May 31, 2022 to:

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# HELP WANTED

## CHILD CARE TEACHER SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA

We are looking for an enthusiastic, kid-friendly lead teacher in our child care program. The position is full-time. This person should have the qualifications to be a lead teacher. We offer a competitive hourly wage and some benefits. The position is for 40 hours per week and reports directly to the Daycare Director.

To apply for the position, please contact the District Office for an employment application or go to [www.wabeno.k12.wi.us/District/Employment/Opportunities/Employment Applications](http://www.wabeno.k12.wi.us/District/Employment/Opportunities/Employment%20Applications). Send the application and registry level, along with any recommendations to Jeffrey Walsh, District Administrator, 4346 Mill Lane/ P.O. Box 460, Wabeno, WI 54566. Applications will be received until position is filled.

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## Congrats to Emma Barfknecht!



Emma Barfknecht of Wabeno graduated May 14 from Bellin College with a BSN (Bachelor of Science in Nursing). Summa Cum Laude. Congratulations!

## Help Wanted Little Logrollers Daycare located inside Wabeno Elementary School Part-Time Childcare Assistant Teacher

- The hours will be flexible with a maximum of 59 total hours every 2 weeks.
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- Trainings: shaken baby, sudden infant death, CPR, and First Aid.
- Level 3 registry preferred but not required.
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- A background check with fingerprinting is required
- Sign-on bonus.

please contact Nikki DeMars at 715.473.2592 ext. 4531 with any questions. to apply for the position, please contact the District Office for an

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- Top 5 Entry Level**  
 Evan Plummer - 23  
 Michael Hobbs - 22  
 Lindsey Mihalko - 20  
 Reid Votis - 20  
 Jesse Sears - 19  
 Nolan Bradley - 19
- Top 5 Jr. Varsity**  
 Jaxon Keepers - 17  
 Conor Flannery - 16  
 Tyler Lawrence - 15  
 Matthew Jahnke - 15  
 Riley Johnson - 15
- Top 5 Varsity**  
 Harley Bukovic - 23  
 Carter Bissonette - 23  
 Conner Lawrence - 21  
 Kruz Kulinski - 20  
 Kadin Wilson - 19  
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## Elder Benefit Specialist

Aging and Disability Resource Center of the Northwoods is seeking a part-time (32 hrs/wk) Elder Benefit Specialist to provide services for individuals ages 60 and older in Forest County.

This position focuses on Medicare, insurance and helping clients navigate the complex world of benefit programs and in some cases under the supervision of an attorney.

For a position description or to submit a resume with a letter of interest & references contact John Brensinger, Interim Regional Manager, by phone 1-800-699-6704, by mail 300A S. Lake Ave, Crandon, WI 54520 or by email [jbrensinger@adrcofthenorthwoods.org](mailto:jbrensinger@adrcofthenorthwoods.org).

Resumes are accepted until 4:30 P.M. on June 10, 2022.

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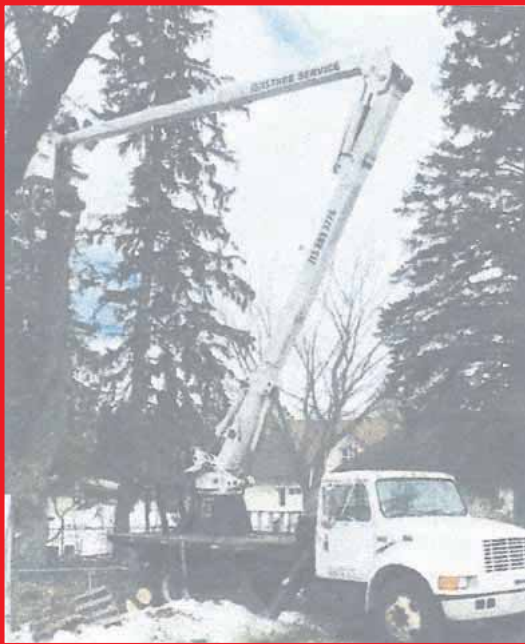
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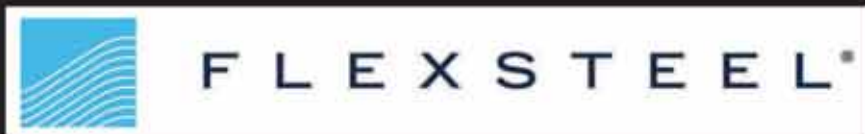
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