



Public meeting set for US 63 improvements in Cumberland on October 30th

Work includes replacing culvert and Lake Street Bridge with new bridge, dredging Beaver Dam Lake, reconstructing portions of local streets to tie into project

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is holding a public involvement meeting to share details about improvements proposed for US 63 around Beaver Dam Lake in the Barron County city of Cumberland.

The public is encouraged to attend the meeting to learn more about the proposed improvements, review maps and other information and ask questions of project staff.

When: 5 to 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 30

A presentation is planned for 5 p.m.

Where: Cumberland City Hall, 950 1st Ave.

The pavement on US 63 is showing signs of deterioration, and the city wants to increase the navigational clearance under the structure separating the west and east portions of Beaver Dam Lake. Proposed works include:

Removing the box culvert under US 63 and the Lake Street Bridge.

Replacing both structures with a single bridge on US 63.

Dredging Beaver Dam Lake under US 63 and Lake Street.

Replacing curb, gutter, sidewalk, asphalt approach pavement and pavement markings.

Reconstructing portions of Lake Street, Nedvidek Street and Babcock Avenue

to match the raised profile of US 63.

During construction, US 63 will be closed, and through traffic will be detoured via WIS 48, US 53 and WIS 70. The existing Lake Street Bridge will be used by emergency vehicles during a portion of construction, and access to the boat landing will be maintained at all times.

Hard-of-hearing, deaf, deaf-blind or those with a speech disability needing accommodations should contact the Wisconsin Telecommunication Relay Service via 711 at least three days before the meeting.

Those who can't attend the meeting can view materials on the project website. Comments on the proposed project are being accepted through Nov. 13 by:

Email: tyson.pelkofer@dot.wi.gov

Mail: Wisconsin Department of Transportation 718 W. Clairemont Ave. Eau Claire, WI 54701 Attn.: Tyson Pelkofer

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Rice Lake Man at Center of International Sex Trafficking Indictment Related to Abercrombie & Fitch

A Rice Lake man is at the center of a federal indictment. It alleges he recruited and paid men to perform sex acts for the former CEO of Abercrombie & Fitch and his partner.

James Jacobson, along with two others, is charged in federal court with sex trafficking, and 15 counts of interstate prostitution. The indictment was filed with the Eastern District of New York federal office last week but was unsealed Tuesday morning.

The Barron County Sheriff's Department assisted the FBI with the arrest just outside of Rice Lake Tuesday morning.

According to the indictment, Jacobson, who is also known as "Jim Jake," "Mrs. Cook," and "Todd," was employed by former

Abercrombie & Fitch CEO Mike Jeffries and his partner, Matthew Smith. Jacobson's role was to facilitate Jeffries' and Smith's international sex trafficking and prostitution business from 2008 to 2015, which helped fulfill their own sexual desires. Jacobson allegedly recruited and interviewed men for sex parties. The process included "tryouts", in which the men had to engage in sex acts with Jacobson.

The indictment alleges that Jacobson, Jeffries, and Smith led the victims to believe that performing sex acts would benefit their careers, and/or could lead to modeling opportunities with Abercrombie & Fitch.

According to the indictment, they intentionally

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State Runner Up!



Pictured from left Drum Majors Nadia Benson and Shadow Maudal along with Color Guard Captains Kaely Wenzel and Kelsey Reidy proudly pose with the second place trophy the Cumberland Marching Band earned at the State Championships held on Saturday, October 19th in Whitewater. Congratulations on another outstanding season. The tradition continues!

Cumberland Marching Band Places 2nd at State Championships

On Saturday October 19, 2024, the Cumberland High School Marching Band traveled to Whitewater, WI to take part in Wisconsin School Music Association's State Marching Band

Championships. 35 marching bands from across the state competed for top honors in music, marching, percussion, and colorguard in front of a panel of 8 national adjudicators.

As they have done all season, the Cumberland Band continued to improve their overall performance and had their best presentation of the season on a beautiful October evening in south-

ern Wisconsin.

When the scores were tallied at the end of the evening, Cumberland took home 2nd place honors in their division behind

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Massive Fire in Rice Lake Destroys Four Businesses

At approximately 3:40 pm, on Thursday, October 17th, the Rice Lake Fire Department was dispatched to a reported building on fire at 17 East Messenger Street in the city of Rice Lake. The building housed kitchen and floor decor warehouse, Finewood Inc., Cheese Louise and Agonic Brewing.

The first fire department

unit arrived at approximately 3:42 pm to find a multi-story building with the south and east decks completely engulfed in flames and smoke and flames coming from the second story on the south side. Firefighters initiated an aggressive exterior attack with a 1 3/4" hand line and a 2 1/2" Blitzfire attack line. As the

wind driven fire grew, an additional exterior attack was performed with multiple hand lines, Blitzfire attack lines, apparatus mounted master streams and two aerial ladders.

Firefighting efforts were hampered by downed power lines, a broken natural gas line and strong wind gusts.

Water was supplied by hy-

drants, water shuttle and directly from Rice Lake.

The fire spread to grass and a vinyl fence on the north side of the property, and also flower beds at 11 East Newton Street, one block to the north of the incident.

The fire was placed under control at approximately

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Rice Lake firefighters pour water on a huge fire that destroyed four businesses last Thursday, October 17th. A strong wind made fighting the fire extra difficult. Fortunately there was only one minor injury. The cause of the fire is under investigation at this time.

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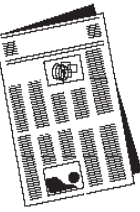
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Northwoods Notebook: Art and red ink in Cumberland by Larry Werner

The board of directors for Enrichment Through Culture (ETC) was meeting, as it does monthly, in the basement of the old church that is the Cumberland Arts Center. I've been attending these meetings for about 10 years since I was convinced to get involved and handle publicity for the nonprofit that oversees music, drama and the visual arts in my adopted town.

After President Lori Bock asked for approval of last month's minutes, she turned our attention to the treasurer's report, which is produced by Deanna Snow, our accountant. At the bottom of the monthly P&L is a negative number, which is what we see virtually every month.

In a discussion of our finances, Bock asked whether we can keep spending money we don't have.

ETC finished its last fiscal year June 30 with a loss of more than \$8,000. So far this fiscal year — July, August and September — the loss is a little more than \$4,000. The budget discussion dovetailed with a report on a new program ETC started last year that was called "Art Making Mondays." The name has been changed to "After School Arts" because so many kids want to take classes that now they are held on Tuesdays as well.

The program was started by Virginia Spurrier, an artist who, with her husband, owns Brickyard Pottery and Folk House near Barronett. Another artist, Angela Nelli,

has joined Spurrier in conducting art classes for kids who walk across the street from the elementary school to the arts center each Monday and Tuesday.

Last school year, about 35 elementary-school students participated. This year, Spurrier said, there are 53, with 10 on a waiting list. So doesn't that bring in some revenue? you might ask. No, because the classes are free.

ETC's revenue comes from donations (about \$13,000 last fiscal year), ticket sales (\$21,000), sponsorships (about \$3,000) and rental of the building to the school district in February and March (\$2,000) for the high school play.

So what are ETC's expenses?

Among them: more than \$13,000 in maintenance, utilities and insurance on the old church. ETC paid more than \$6,000 last year for scripts and royalties for the plays that were produced. Advertising expenses were more than \$3,000, musicians' and directors' fees about \$7,000, and the cost of teaching those after-school art classes were about \$9,000 last year and are budgeted for twice that amount this school year.

Spurrier said many of the parents who pick up their kids from classes in the lower level of the arts center don't know what goes on at ETC.

Well, in the past year, your arts council present-

ed two Christmas concerts — the Community Choir concert and the Home Again/Hay River Sisters concert — and the play "Beauty & the Beast."

There was Cabaret Cumberland at the arts center in February and, in summer, the annual Celebration of the Arts and 10 Island City Music concerts in Tourist Park. This fall, ETC presented the companion plays "Grace-land" and "Asleep on the Wind."

Coming up: Nov. 9 at 7 p.m. is "USO Days," a cabaret of songs related to veterans, and the two holiday concerts — the Home Again/Hay River Sisters Christmas Concert and Bake Sale at 4 p.m. Dec. 1 and the Community Choir Christmas Concert at 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. on Dec. 8 at Northern Lakes Church.

A play, "The Gift of the Magi," will be presented at the arts center Dec. 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14 and 15.

The little nonprofit does a lot for the community and isn't supposed to make a big profit doing it. But it can't keep losing money either.

You can go to cumberlandetc.com, click on the "get involved" button and donate.

Jeremy Westin, an ETC board member, saw a bright spot in the most recent financial statement.

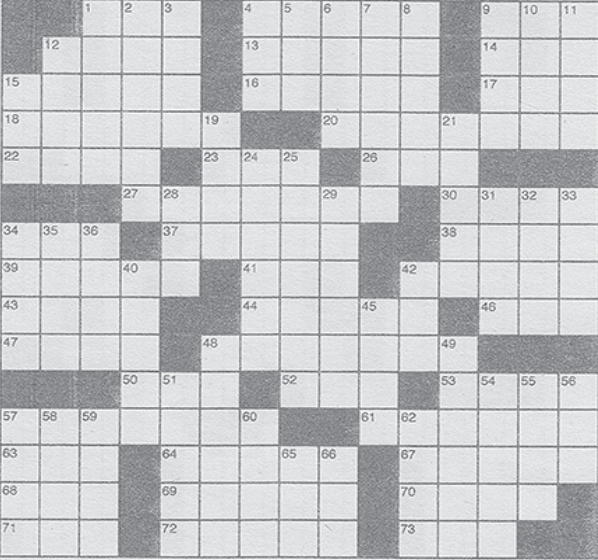
"At least we're losing money at a slower rate," he joked.

Larry Werner's email is lhwner47@gmail.com.

Sudoku Puzzle #4148-D

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PUZZLE



ACROSS

1 Pace

4 Slow

9 Foreign Agricultural Service

12 Monetary unit

13 Jacob's father

14 Spanish "one"

15 City

16 Charge

17 Gross national product (abbr.)

18 River

20 Below genus

22 Elias ____, sewing machine

23 Animal doctor

26 Airport abbr.

27 Kenya capital

30 Space ship builders

34 Expression of surprise

37 Philosopher

38 Allege

39 Color with dye

41 Surface to air missile

42 Defense

43 Brand of sandwich cookie

44 Nudge

46 Body of water

47 Cat cries

48 In theory

50 Fen

52 Henna

53 Island

57 Doing what you're told

61 Can ____

63 Puppy

64 Lazes about

67 Snobs

68 Manipulate

69 Belch

70 Totals

71 That girl

72 Detain

73 Compass point

DOWN

1 Corporate rule

2 Typewriter roller

3 Coin

4 Topper

5 East southeast

6 Nails

7 National capital

8 Group of eight

9 Apple type

10 Green Gables dweller

11 Saturates

12 Granary

15 Miles per hour

19 Diabolic

21 Irrigation ditch

24 Rubbed

25 Compiled

28 Clever

29 Indian city

31 Car rental agency

32 Compass point

33 Opera solo

34 Molecule

35 Employ

36 Afresh

40 Comedian Bill

42 Hole punching tool

45 Tub spread

48 Disregard

49 Succumbs

51 Lubricated

54 Ridiculing remark

55 Allows

56 Bard's before

57 Musical composition

58 Barbara or George

59 Fencing sword

60 Ancient European region

62 Green legumes

65 Farm credit administration (abbr.)

66 Eye infection

Opinion

Out My Window

by Paul Bucher, Editor



Well as I write this column, we are exactly two weeks from the Presidential election. I’m sure most of you have had about enough of the constant ads on the radio and the television. It is such an important election. No matter which side you choose, make sure your voice is heard and get out and vote. I just hope when the smoke settles we as a country can all get along. Its getting to the point where you can’t even have a conversation about it. There seems to be no gray area. Your either voting for Trump or Harris and the other side is wrong. I believe both sides have some good policies and strong points. Just remember no matter which way the election goes, we still live in the best country in the world.

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This coming Saturday morning is the annual Cumberland Safe Trick or Treat from noon til 2 pm in downtown Cumberland. Thank you to all the merchants who make this event happen. Hundreds of kids all dressed up in costumes take over Main Street for two hours. It is a lot of fun to see all the costumes. Thank you to the firemen who help at the crosswalks on Main Street. Hope to see you there.

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It’s the Dodgers and the Yankees in the World Series this year. It should make for some good T.V. ratings with two big market teams. I don’t particularly care for either team, but it will be fun to watch Shohei Ohtani and Mookie Betts of the Dodgers take on Aaron Judge, Juan Soto and Giancarlo Stanton of the Yankees. It usually takes good pitching to win the World Series but this one could see lots of runs. Should be fun to watch.

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Another week without rain and way above normal temperatures. It sure has been nice aside from those awful asian beetles. I’m going to take advantage and get in as much fall fishing as possible. The woodshed is almost full and the fall chores are almost done. Take advantage while you can.

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Congratulations to the Cumberland High School Marching Band for yet another successful season. The kids spend a ton of time working on their performance. It’s no coincidence they are always good.

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Next Wednesday, October 30, there is a DOT Public Meeting scheduled for 5 pm at City Hall to share details of next summer’s Highway 63 improvement project. It is going to be a major project with big implications for downtown businesses and residents. Make plans to attend. Have a great week!

LETTERS

Library Funding

To the Editor:

This is my first letter to the editor and it is prompted by a proposal from the Barron County Board of Supervisors that would significantly reduce funding to our libraries. In 2022, the Board approved a Barron County Library Plan to increase funding by 1% each year from 2023 to 2028, however, now the Board is proposing an 8% cut. This would translate to a \$60,000 budget cut to all Barron County libraries including a \$16,000 cut to Cumberland’s Thomas St.

Angelo Public Library. The result would be cuts to staff, library hours, and programming. The tax savings to homeowners would amount to approximately \$6 on a \$300,000 home.

Our libraries provide vital services to our community. Of course the library provides access to books, magazines, newspapers, the internet, etc. The library also provides programs for children of all ages, programs

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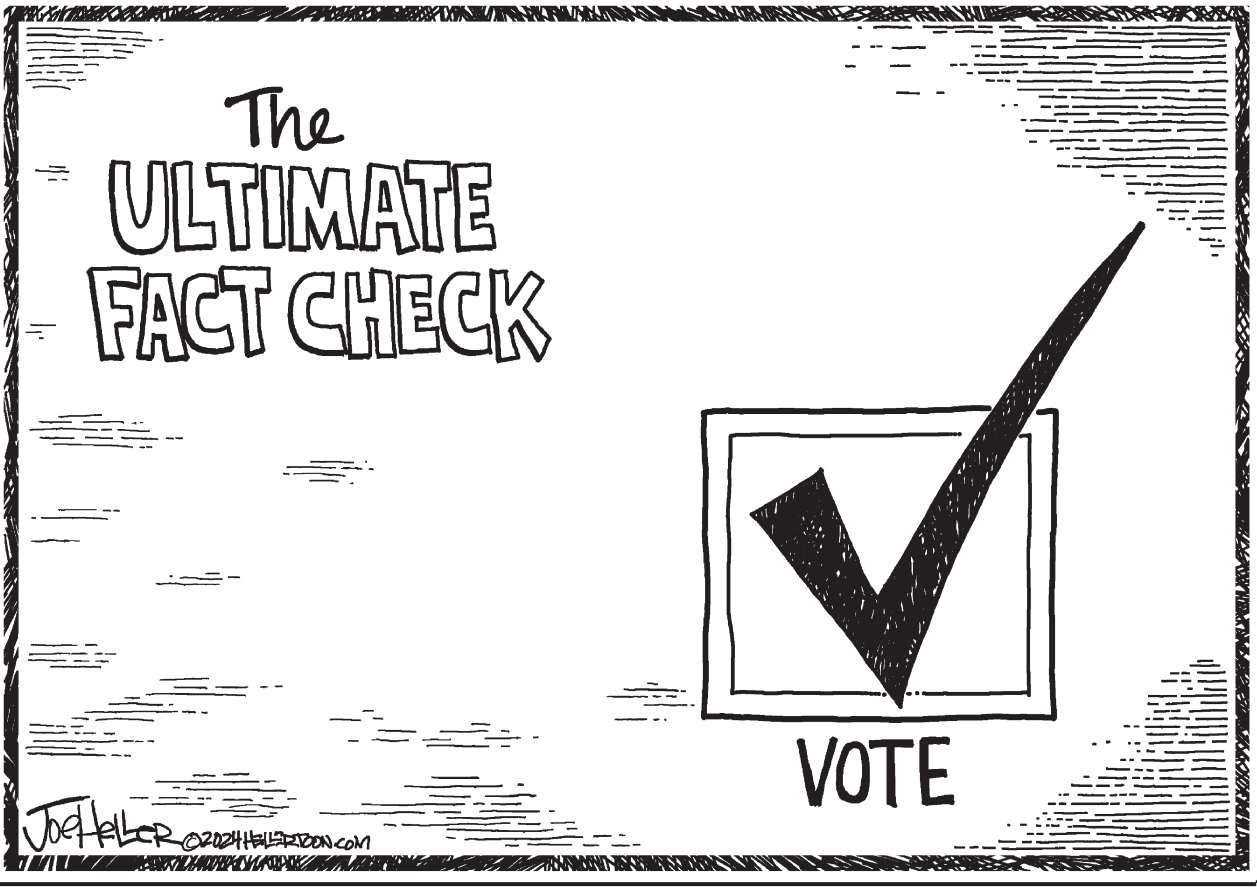
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Weekly deadline is 2:00 p.m. on Friday



Inside Wisconsin

by Tom Still

“Regenerative farming techniques can help drive future of agriculture”

BLANCHARDVILLE, Wis. – Dan Truttman’s introduction to “regenerative farming” came when he was a kid growing up on his family’s dairy farm and he was dispatched to pick rocks in a field.

“I remember thinking, ‘We picked these rocks last year... why do they keep coming back?’” Truttman recalled. “That’s when I realized the more the soil was tilled, the more soil would get washed away and the more rocks would pop up.”

Although his grandfather was among the region’s first contour farmers, the process of using rotational “cover crops” and terraces to curb runoff and replenish tired soil was still a work in progress at the time. It remains a priority today on this fifth-generation farm as Truttman, his family and farm hands strive to make a 525-head herd more productive through technology and careful husbandry of land and animals alike.

It’s the kind of management practice that could become even more prevalent in Wisconsin if a coalition of farmers, producers, researchers and others win a National Science Foundation grant focused on sustainable agriculture throughout the food chain.

A recent tour of the 1,000-acre farm, which straddles the border between Dane and Green counties near New Glarus, began in the barn where calves are housed within hours of their birth. “Look at that little beauty,” remarked Truttman, adding that caring for calves is his favorite job – and one of the most profitable in the long run if they’re healthy and happy.

About 40 calves are born each month. Each receives colostrum within hours to build their immune system; treatments to prevent respiratory troubles and other ailments follow.

Almost all the farm’s dairy cows are Jerseys because they produce high butterfat milk, which is used to produce Feta, Brie and Camembert cheese through a southwest Wisconsin buyer. About 30,000 pounds of milk are produced per day by the 450 cows that are milked.

The farm uses a mix of technologies, short of robotic milkers, to keep the dairy herd as well as some beef cattle healthy and well-fed. Examples include software programs to track nutrient mix in feed, vaccinations, udder health and fertility timing to hold down use of hormones. With tons of feed

used every day, getting the right blend is essential for growth, production and animal health.

“It physically hurts us when we can’t cure animals when they’re sick,” Truttman said.

Cover crops such as winter rye and wheat, along with contouring of fields, help enhance the living biology of the soil while capturing carbon and reducing emission of nitrous oxide. That provides a net reduction of “greenhouse gas,” which is known to trap atmospheric heat and contribute to climate change. More permanent covers can nourish grass-fed beef, as well.

“We’ve been taking care of the land in what we think is the right way for a long time,” Truttman said.

Just down the road on the Dane County side of the line is neighbor Jonathan Barry, who has been a farmer, elected public official and business executive over the decades. He’s also a fan of “regenerative farming” and quotes evidence to suggest if all farmers followed those practices, soils would be rebuilt and roughly 150 years of carbon buildup in the air could be reversed.

When it comes to resource preservation and enhancing farm profitability in the bargain, Barry said, “what far

too many farmers are doing today is short-sighted.”

Better practices from farm to market are among the goals of WiSys, which promotes research, innovation and entrepreneurship through Universities of Wisconsin campuses outside UW-Madison and UW-Milwaukee. It hopes to take a \$1-million NSF award to the next level in the coming months by demonstrating Wisconsin can be a laboratory for the nation when it comes to agriculture.

Only 44 of the \$1-million Type I Regional Innovation Engine grants were awarded nationwide; Wisconsin scored two between WiSys and a coalition led by The Water Council in Milwaukee.

Even with better technology, dairy farming is labor-intensive and often unforgiving of the time concerns of those who do the work. For Truttman, however, it’s a way of life that can and should be preserved for generations to come. Smarter practices throughout the food chain can help keep dairying, cheesemaking and associated industries a part of the Wisconsin landscape for years to come.

Still is president of the Wisconsin Technology Council. He can be reached at tstill@wisconsinotechnologycouncil.com.

A Look Back

10 Years Ago October 29, 2014

On October 22, 2014, the Barron Police Department was notified of a threatening message found in the bathroom by staff members at Barron High School. A search was conducted by the Barron County Sheriff’s Department and the Barron Police Department. The message stated that someone was going to bring a gun to school and kill everyone. A search was immediately performed and no firearms or other dangerous weapons were found. The next day, more information was obtained, and the suspect was interviewed.

20 Years Ago October 27, 2004

3M Corporation recently made a contribution of \$1,500 to the University of Wisconsin-Barron County Foundation to provide financial assistance to programs and activities that enhance and promote education at the University of Wisconsin-Barron County.

The Cumberland Fire Department has been presented with a Life Safety Achievement Award for 2003 by the Residential Fire Safety Institute. The Cumberland Fire Department qualified for this award in 2003 because it recorded zero fire deaths in structures during the year.

30 Years Ago October 26, 1994

On Friday, November 4, Cumberland’s longtime Wrestling Coach Joe Hegenbarth, will be inducted into the George Martin Wrestling Hall of Fame. The hall of fame is sponsored by the Wisconsin Wrestling Coaches Association and was started in 1977. The hall of fame display case is located in the University of Wisconsin Fieldhouse. Coach Hegenbarth will be presented for induction by former Cumberland wrestler Chad Olson.

40 Years Ago October 24, 1984

Firefighters extinguished a blaze Friday afternoon at the Route 2 Cumberland residence of Lisa Galbraith. Cumberland Fire Chief Bob Mack said that though the fire started near the chimney of the house, there was no fire going in the stove at the time. The cause of the fire remains undetermined.

Cumberland Police report that sometime late Saturday night or early Sunday, at least five yards in the city were vandalized by someone driving an automobile or truck. The vehicle was driven through the yards, tearing up the rain-softened ground. The incidents are under investigation.

50 Years Ago

October 24, 1974

The annual Realtor of the Year Award of the Barron-Washburn Counties Board of Realtors was presented to Lloyd M. Wickre, of Cumberland at the Wisconsin Realtors Association Convention in Madison last week.

The 1974 Homecoming Court were: Lisa Newhouse, Larry Loverude, Nancy Stoll, Joe Muench, Joyce Heffernan, Brinden Johnson, 1974 King Brian Shaw, 1974 Queen Debbie Lang, Cindy Bentz, Steve Coleman, Molly Clark and Bob Johnson.

60 Years Ago October 29, 1964

Airman First Class John Lloyd of Cumberland has been awarded a trophy and special recognition in his unit of the USAF in Europe at West Ruislip Royal Air Force Station, England. An AF Intelligence Specialist, he was honored for his service with the London Ramrods, a precision drill team.

70 Years Ago October 28, 1954

Mrs. I.N. Toftness was named president elect of the Women’s Auxiliary to the Wisconsin Chiropractic Association at the annual convention of the group held at Green Bay.

80 Years Ago October 26, 1944

One of the worst fire losses in many years came

to Polk County last week as the result of carelessness in the practice of burning off brush. The burning of a total area estimated at 2,000 acres resulted. There were three large fires, two of them admittedly set for the purpose of burning brush. The third one is suspected to have been started by hunters.

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Date	Hi	Lo	Precip
10/15	49	32	-
10/16	48	28	-
10/17	57	28	-
10/18	65	40	-
10/19	70	48	-
10/20	63	47	-
10/21	75	54	-

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Sports

Football Season Concludes with a 28-8 Loss to the Barron Bears

The 2024 Cumberland Football season came to an end last Friday night, with a 28-8 loss to the Barron Bears in Endeavor Stadium. A young group of Beavers players, dealing with several injuries suffered in the Hayward game last week, battled but were unable to defeat the Bears, who move on to the WIAA Playoffs this week. St. Croix Falls is the undefeated 2024 HON Champion, while Northwestern, Cameron, and Barron join the Saints on the Playoff list.

The Cumberland Seniors led the effort in their last varsity game.

Chayden Berghammer threw a touchdown pass to Uriah Johnson, while adding 43 yards rushing on 10 carries and two receptions for 44 yards. Johnson was 10 for 21 passing for 105 yards, while his leading receiver was Sloan McCreary, who caught six passes for 34 yards, while adding 10 tackles on defense.

Harrison Ruppel played both ways adding four tackles on defense, while unfortunately, Seniors Derrick Gideo and Jack Owens were unable to play in their last game due to injury. Coach Dan Henken said he was, “Very proud of the senior’s effort tonight and all season as well as the entire team.”

Injuries forced Coach Henken to shuffle around his line-up as underclassmen Logan Peterson and Brody Gilbertson saw their first action in the back-field, rushing for 36 and 26 yards respectively. Peterson added one reception for 10 yards. The Beavers suffered with three big turnovers in the contest.

Defensively, Max Odden had a nice game with 11 tackles, while Gilbertson had eight tackles and a quarterback sack. Barron did a bulk of their damage through the air as quarterback Glendon Thompson passed for 217 yards and two scores.

Soccer Team Loses 2-1 to Washburn; Tournament Action begins Thursday

The Cumberland Soccer Team saw its chance for a Conference Championship end last week, when they dropped a tough 2-1 decision to Washburn in Endeavor Stadium. The team finished up the regular season with a game on Monday against a shorthanded Ashland team and then move into D4 WIAA Tournament play this Thursday at 5:00 with a home contest against Amery.

In the Washburn game, the Beavers took control of the contest in the early going, taking a 1-0 lead halfway through the game’s first half when Jack Richter scored on an assist from Gustavo Sonora. The score remained that way at intermission.

Unfortunately, Washburn would tie the contest at 1-1 with their own score early

in the second half. The remainder of the game went back and forth until the Castle Guards scored a second goal with eight minutes left to play and hung on for the victory.

“We struggled to get the ball inside in the game’s final minutes as their defense packed tightly in front of their goal to shut down any offensive pressure. We couldn’t come up with a tying goal, leaving us short of a victory,” concluded Coach Brent Sellent.

Should the Beavers win in Thursday’s Tournament opener, they will get another opportunity to knock off the Castle Guards, when they would head to Washburn this Saturday for a second-round game at a time yet to be determined.

Good Shooting!



Cumberland Trap Team member Kyle Carlson scored a 49 of a possible 50 including a perfect round of 25 in week 4 action at the Almena Trap Club.

Week 4 Fall Competition			
Athlete	Round 1 Possible 25	Round 2 Possible 25	Score Possible 50
CARLSON, KYLE	24	25	49
KNUTSON, ELLIOT	21	22	43
RIEBE, BRAXTON	19	22	41
MANOR, JACK	18	18	36
KNUTSON, AUGUST	17	16	33
RIEBE, BRENDON	18	13	31
RASMUSSEN, CODIE	13	16	29
EKENSTEDT, DANIEL	16	11	27
MCMILLAN, TOWNES	10	16	26
MEWES, PATRICK	16	10	26
ROUZER, IRA	12	14	26
WOHLK, CAMERON	8	16	24
MATHISON, COEHN	9	13	22
FURSETH, MARCO			0
HARTMAN, DECLAN			0
NELSON, JONATHAN			0

Beavers Fall To Bears In Season Finale!



A host of Beaver defenders chase down Barron quarterback Glendon Thompson Friday night in Cumberland. Photo by Greta Weaver



Logan Peterson gets a hand shake from Head Coach Dan Henken during the Beavers last game of the season vs Barron. Photo by Greta Weaver.



Cumberland's Gustavo Sonora splits a pair of Castleguard defenders during the Beavers hard fought 2-1 loss to Washburn last Thursday night at Endeavor Stadium.

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10/26 Sat	1:26	7:37	1:48	7:59	07:39	06:03	1:34a	4:01p	8:55a	9:16p	*
10/27 Sun	2:05	8:15	2:25	8:35	07:40	06:01	2:41a	4:18p	9:36a	9:56p	*
10/28 Mon	2:40	8:49	2:59	9:09	07:42	06:00	3:46a	4:33p	10:16a	10:33p	*
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An Outdoorsman's Journal

By Mark Walters

WRPCO's Deer Hunt for Hunters with Disabilities was Amazing

Hello friends,
This is a guaranteed week where I simply cannot even put 25% of what I would like to in a column due to space. In simple terms, I had an amazing weekend.

First, Chuck and Kathie Stelzner live at Howards Grove and read this column in The Plymouth Review. Several years ago, the Stelzner's sent me a Christmas card and, in the years since, we have become very good friends. Last June Chuck asked me if I would help him if he was chosen to participate in a deer hunt with disabilities, naturally I said yes.

Second, want to see why the USA is the greatest country on the planet? Watch the maybe 20 volunteers that ran this hunt from cooks to guides. These men and women give their time year-round maintaining blinds, shooting lanes and food plots, simply put, they are the best of the best and the CEO of this corporation should be very proud as they are all employees of WRPCO.

Third, The Petenwell Wildlife Area is 750 acres of land, water and marsh that is basically blocked to the north by the Petenwell Flowage, the south by highway 21 and the west by the Wisconsin River and the dam that holds the water for the Petenwell Flowage. This area is a wildlife refuge with the only hunting that takes place being this annual hunt where 10 hunters are given an incredible experience

Fourth, My home is a mile as the crow flies from the refuge.

**Friday, October 11th
High 75, low 53**

Here is where I have to be quite vague. Ten hunters with disabilities ranging from blindness, wheel chair bound or serious illness, and their guides, which in some cases such as Chuck's were friends or family members or WRPCO employees/volunteers, listened to what I would call the Hunt Master, Ben Johnson give a serious and also humorous talk on the entire weekends plan with SAFETY being the number one subject.

Afterwards everyone, which was maybe 40 people, introduced themselves and then each hunt team was taken out for the evening hunt by a WRPCO helper.

Chuck and I would be watching about a 400-yard stretch of open area and had a very comfortable hunt but did not see a deer. Most hunters did see deer and what I thought was the coolest story of the night was the father/daughter team of Richard Havey and his daughter April Havey. April is blind and has an excellent "can do" attitude, she is 36, from West Allis and with the coaching of her father made an excellent shot on an adult doe that died right in its tracks.

After dark a lasagna dinner, which is this hunts tradition, was provided and 4 of the 10 hunters were tagged out.

**Saturday, October 12th
High 61, low 43**

Chuck is staying at my house, and we were back to headquarters at 5:00 this morning then driven to a different stand. You are offered 4 hunts and each hunt you are in a different stand which is a well-built, close to ground level, box stand with a roof. Chuck and I are good buddies and while watching for deer we are either talking pretty intelligently or as all of our new friends often witnessed, giving each other a hard time.

Chuck Stelzner, who is 80, has lived a very full and successful life and is an excellent mentor to me.

This morning, we saw 11 deer and the last one had a large and very beautiful coyote chasing it. Only one deer is allowed on this hunt and even though Chuck had a doe tag, he was holding out for an outside the ears buck. After our hunt, the Necedah Lions Club cooked up about as tasty of a breakfast for 40 people as you could imagine.

I have tried to mingle with everyone that is a part of this awesome American story of giving back, and two new friends for me are Dennis Wesaby of Menominee and his brother Keith of Owen.

Keith, who used to be a janitor for the Thorp school district is blind. These 2 had a couple of slow hunts but kept an excellent attitude and mingled with everyone at the headquarters all weekend. On their afternoon hunt, there were lots of doe and excitement, then a beautiful 8-point buck entered the field and was 70 yards away and Dennis tried talking Keith through a shot. Next thing you know, the buck got in a bad position with one of the pillars in the blind and

Wednesday, October 23, 2024 7



Richard Havey and his daughter April are a proud team after April harvested this doe during WRPCO's Deer Hunt for Hunters with Disabilities.



Keith Wesaby who is blind and lives in Owen harvested this 8-point buck with the help of his brother Dennis Wesaby during WRPCO's Deer Hunt for Hunters with Disabilities.

Kieth goes from shooting right-handed to left-handed and drops that 8-pointer! If that is not enough meat in that story, it had been 45 years, 1979, since Kieth shot a deer.

Folks, this is a hunt that people with a Class A, B, C, or D disability could have a strong chance of getting into next year. The application process begins in March with a June deadline. Check out wisconriver-powercom. I give everyone involved an A plus for a job well done.

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Conference CC Meet!



Cumberland's Greta Weaver and Caylin Schmidt chase a Comet runner at the HON Conference CC meet held in Chetek.

Cross Country Participates in HON Meet; Dettinger Finishes Fifth

The Cumberland Cross Country Team headed to Chetek last week, where they participated in the HON Conference Meet. Nine Schools participated, with Cameron taking home the Championship for the girls and Hayward for the boys. The Cumberland Girl's Team finished in ninth place, while the Cumberland Boy's Team was seventh.

Cameron Sophomore Inez Schmidt was the girl's champion with a time of 20:15, 30 seconds ahead of second place. Cameron

placed three of their competitors among the top-eight runners.

Eighty-three runners competed, with Cumberland's top runner, Sophomore Greta Weaver, finishing 44th with a run of 25:36. Charlotte Odden ran a 27:08 to take 49th place and Jasmine Delgado a 27:17 to take 50th.

Taking first in the field of 97 runners in the boy's division, was Ladysmith Senior Gavin Stewart, who ran a 16:44. Cumberland Junior Tommy Dettinger had an excellent performance tak-

ing 5th overall with a run of 17:36. Finishing 30th was his Freshman brother, Ben Dettinger, who ran a 19:53. Sophomore Bryce McNulty was 36th with a run of 20:11.

Next up for the Cumberland runners is the D3 Sectional at Hidden Greens hosted by Solon Springs this Saturday, October 26th. Girl runners take off at 2:00 pm followed by the boys. Qualifiers will run at the State Meet in Wisconsin Rapids on Saturday, November 2.

Volleyball Team Ends Regular Season; Heads into WIAA Tournament Play

The Cumberland Volleyball Team concluded their regular season with losses to two of the Conferences best last week, dropping regular season finales to St. Croix Falls and the Conference Champion Barron Bears. The team now moves into D3 WIAA Tournament play, having hosted Spooner Tuesday night to open up Regional competition. A win over the Rails, a team they defeated earlier this fall, will send them into the

second round, with a return date in Barron set to take place this Thursday at 7:00 pm.

In the three-set loss to St. Croix Falls Morgan Monchilovich had a strong game with a team-high six kills to go along with nine digs. Idella Clark led the team with 10 digs, while Natalie Anderson had eight assists.

Cumberland did take one game in the loss to Barron, one of only three games they lost in HON play all

fall. "They are a powerhouse and our girls played hard and with a lot of heart the whole match," said Coach Erin Miller.

Senior Macy Beecroft had two serving aces, while Senior Melody Taylor had a very nice night with seven digs, seven kills and 13 assists. Raegan Beecroft led the team with nine kills, while Mya Anderson added seven more.

Cumberland Mixed-Up Bowling League

1st Half Team Standings

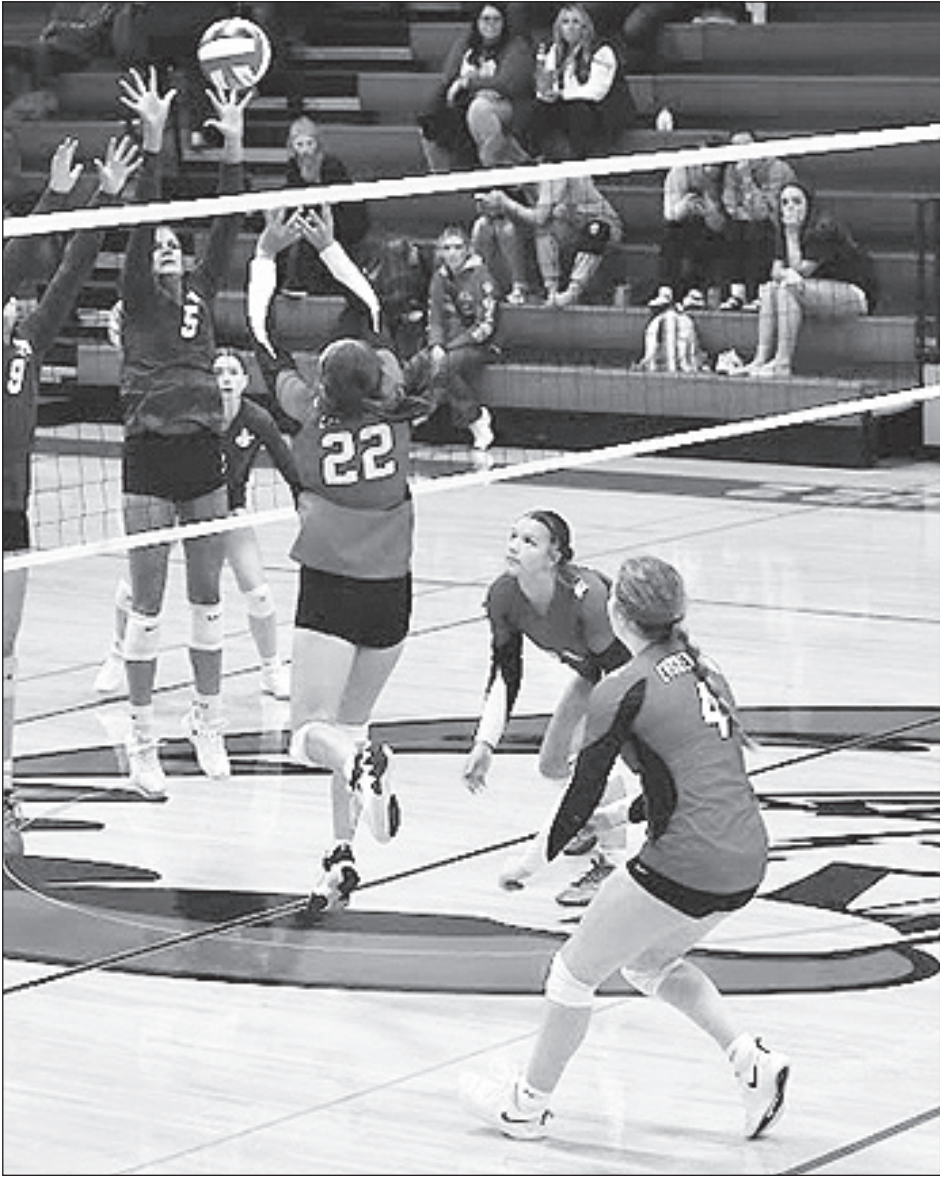
Cumberland Bus - 15
Club Cumberland - 11
Cumberland Federal - 9
Grandma's Gang - 8.5
Pasko's RPM - 6.5
3 High Scratch Games
Mark Peichel - 201
Tommy Yousten - 173
Shannon Ries - 151
3 High Scratch Series
Mark Peichel - 471
Tom Bariil - 440
Tommy Yousten - 434

Spare Time Monday Night Ladies Bowling League Standing

Team Standings

Becker's Trucking - 36
Clear Lake Self Storage - 36
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5 High Scratch Games
Judy Ullom - 183
Sheila LaBlanc - 182
Brenda Levine - 181
Kelley VanHeuklom - 180
Danielle Vadnais - 177
5 High Scratch Series
Brenda Levine - 485
Judy Ullom - 472
Kelley VanHeuklom - 466
Sam Larson - 463
Polly Henke - 447

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#22 Sarina Lang tips the ball over a pair of St. Croix Falls defenders last week in Cumberland. Photo by Cole Gallipo.

Sports Calendar
Thursday, Oct. 24
Soccer Regional home vs Amey 5:00
Volleyball Regional @ Barron 7:00 TBD

Saturday, Oct. 26
Soccer Regional TBD
CC Sectional @ Hidden Greens 2:00
Volleyball Regional TBD

Soccer Standings

TEAM	TEAM	W	L	T	PTS	PCT	OVERALL
Washburn	WASH	10	2	0	20	.833	10-4-1
Barron	BARRON	7	2	3	17	.583	8-8-3
Cumberland	CUMB	7	3	1	15	.636	8-7-1
Hayward	HAYWD	7	3	2	16	.583	8-6-3
Unity/St. Croix Falls	UNITY	5	7	0	10	.417	6-13-1
Ashland	ASHLND	0	9	0	0	.000	0-9-0
Spooner/Shell Lake	SP/SL	0	10	0	0	.000	0-14-0

Volleyball Standings

TEAM	TEAM	W	L	T	PCT	OVERALL
Barron	BARRON	9	0	0	1.000	30-2-0
St. Croix Falls	SCF	8	1	0	.889	20-8-0
Cameron	CAMER	7	2	0	.778	17-11-0
Hayward	HAY	5	4	0	.556	9-12-0
Northwestern	NWERN	4	5	0	.444	14-13-0
Ladysmith	LADYS	4	5	0	.444	12-23-0
Cumberland	CUMB	3	6	0	.333	11-20-0
Chetek-Weyerhaeuser	CH-WY	3	6	0	.333	7-17-0
Spooner	SPOON	2	7	0	.222	3-19-0
Ashland	ASHL	0	9	0	.000	0-19-0

Football Standings

TEAM	TEAM	W	L	FOR	AGAINST	+/-	PCT	OVERALL
Saint Croix Falls	SCF	7	0	270	88	182	1.000	9-0-0
Northwestern	NWERN	6	1	359	70	289	.857	7-2-0
Spooner	SPOON	5	2	207	151	56	.714	6-3-0
Barron	BARRON	4	3	182	206	-24	.571	6-3-0
Hayward	HAY	2	5	105	191	-86	.286	2-7-0
Bloomer	BLOOM	2	5	125	247	-122	.286	2-7-0
Ashland	ASHL	1	6	84	231	-147	.143	1-8-0
Cumberland	CUMB	1	6	64	212	-148	.143	1-8-0

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Philadelphia _____ vs Cincinnati _____

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*TIE BREAKER

Week #7

1st Place
John Schwanke 11

2nd Place
Jim Slawter 10*

3rd Place
Ed Nicholson 10*

WINNERS!

LETTERS



for adults and meeting space for community groups. The library provides services to support members of our community who are otherwise under served in a town with out a community cen-

ter and limited supportive services. If you agree that our library is worth \$6 per year, please contact your representative on the Barron County Board off Supervisors and express

your support for our libraries before the November 4th vote on the proposed cut to library funding.

**Joanne Faltz Bailey
Cumberland**

Barronett News

By Judy Pieper

I cannot get over how beautiful our area is this fall. Earlier it seemed that the leaves were never going to turn the beautiful colors, and then, suddenly, everything was just breathtakingly lovely. There is one place in particular, heading north on 63, on the east side of the road, right before the rest area, that is almost worth stopping, sitting by the side of the road, relaxing and enjoying the view. (Probably wouldn't be a good idea, what with the traffic and all, but it is certainly beautiful.)

The Fireside apples are probably the best this year that they have ever been. Duane planted trees years ago – Mackintosh, Connel Red, Honey Crisp, and a couple others that I can't remember the names of right now – but, as far as I'm concerned, he could have stopped with the Fireside. They are so crisp and sweet. If it's true that an apple a day keeps the doctor away, I won't be visiting the doctor for a long time.

Oh, I hope you will be happy to hear, I did find almond paste for the Norwegian wedding cakes. Duane had an appointment in Woodbury, Minnesota last week, and there is a big Cub store right at the exit we took. So, just on the off chance that they would have some, I went in and, sure enough, there were lots of boxes on the shelf. I picked up enough to make seven cakes. Tina Anderson is going to be helping with the Scandinavian Smorgasbord this year, and she said that she would decorate them for me. Yea!! Baking them is easy, but my hands get so cramped from piping that frosting on.

The Scandinavian Smorgasbord is coming up way too fast – Sunday, November 3rd. That's only about a week and a half from

now. Most of the shopping is done – I have ordered the rutabagas and ham, and I will be calling Louie's to order the hamburger and pork sausage for the Swedish meat balls this week. There have been several people who have volunteered to help make lefse on the 2nd, so we should have plenty of that. I will mix it up, of course, with my secret ingredient included, but the others will help roll it out and cook it. (If you want to know the secret ingredient, I'm sure you can talk Wrigley Marsh into revealing it to you.)

(There was one woman at the Smorgasbord last year who said she would like to help with the lefse, but I can't find the piece of paper I wrote her name on. If that was you, please give me a call and I will be glad to have you come over and help. It's not just a work day, it's a gathering of friends and we have lots of fun gabbing while we are doing the work.)

My grandma used to make lefse a lot. She would have us over for Sunday dinner, and if there were any mashed potatoes left (and there were always leftovers) I would ask her if we could make it. She almost always agreed to make it. She had a wood stove with a flat top in the kitchen, and she would cook the lefse right on top of that stove. Great memories!!

Suzy and Ryan Lehmann stopped by our house for a couple games of smear on Sunday afternoon. It had been over a month since we last played, and things hadn't changed much. Suzy and I would be ahead for the first three or four hands, then those dang guys would suddenly start getting fantastic hands, sneak up, and get to 21 just as we thought we would win. The score

turned out to be: Guys 2, us 0. Just wait – if we can't start winning, we will resort to doing sneaky hand signals or something.

Geri Pittman, Duane and I went to Hilltop for supper one day this past week, and Justin made a wonderful pasta dish for me. It had a red sauce and lots of different vegetables mixed in – and, of course, a breadstick. It was so good that I almost hurt myself. I should have taken about half of it home, but I just couldn't stop myself – I ate it all.

Before we left, Mark, Tinille and Ivana Bellefeuille stopped in for supper and joined us at our table. Ivana is such a sweet, smiley baby – well, almost a one-year-old. I told Tinille that, it doesn't matter what Ivana does, when she gives a person that smile, she could get away with anything. We love her!

Jill Adams kids, Ryley and Gabi Otto, were home this past weekend. We had a big family get-together for breakfast at Hilltop on Sunday morning so we could all visit with them before they had to head back to school. They are both doing great, by the way. Our gathering included Jerry Marsh and Jodi Ladd, Suzy, Ryan, Alyse and Tru Lehmann, Art and Jill and the kids (naturally,) Pat Olson, and Duane and me.

We had a safety meeting (also known as breakfast) at Red Brick this past week with Miriah and Jeremy Olson. Jeremy will be heading to Bemidji this weekend to compete in finals for calf roping. We won't be able to be among the spectators this year, but we wish him best of luck.

That's about all I know from Barronett this week. Enjoy the beautiful fall colors and weather. See you later.

Genealogy Society Announces Open House

The Blue Hills Genealogical Society invites the public to an open house of their new Resource Library October 28. The Resource Library is located at the old Cameron school, 600 Wisconsin, Cameron, Room 102. Parking is found on the north side of the school on Wisconsin street. Enter the doors at the ramp on the north side of the building. The open house will be held from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Society board members will give tours of the library and be available to answer questions individuals may have about family history.

If you have items dealing

with Barron County genealogy that you would like to donate to the Society, you may bring them to the open house. "This is a wonderful place to preserve your family history," said Society president Gloria Dobberfuhl. "Materials are stored permanently in a temperature controlled atmosphere and will be available for research into the future." The Resource Library is open free to the public for research by appointment with Lookup Chair Rosella Amundson. Contact her at 715-537-5760, or rjainwi@charter.net to make an appointment.

The Blue Hills Genealogi-

cal Society will be headquartered in the new Welcome Center building the Pioneer Village Museum is planning to build. "We are now in the fundraising stage for that building," Mrs. Dobberfuhl said. "We will have donation pledge forms available at our open house that people may use to donate towards the Welcome Center."

Membership applications will also be available at the open house if you would like to join The Blue Hills Genealogical Society. The next program meeting of the Society is Thursday, November 7, 3:00 p.m. at the Barron Senior Center.

Senior News

By Gloria Lindeman

HUGE HUGE THANK YOU !!!!

Once again we had a great success with our annual Fall Festival, Every year it gets better and better. Thank you to all who helped us we really do appreciate it.

THANK YOU to --- All the business places who contributed for our auction and raffles.

People who brought in items for the garage sale,

Rita who made the chili. People who worked in the kitchen, garage sale crew, selling raffle tickets and 50 -50 tickets. All the people who worked ahead of time to get everything ready and cleaned up afterwards. Thanks to all who brought treats. Also can't forget all the ones who came in and bought items in our auction and raffles.

It was a fun day. Hope

to see you next year Like I said it gets better and better every year..

Sorry we ran out of chili so early we will make more for next year. Hard to predict how much we need. It was a good day for it cold and rainy outside.

Enjoy the pretty leaves as they will be disappearing fast in this wind..

Thanks again to everyone.

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Thursday, October 24

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Friday, October 25

Creamy chicken and mixed vegetables over a warm biscuit, buttered beets, berry crisp.

Monday, October 28

Beef, barley and vegetable soup, turkey and cheese sandwich, fruit and yogurt parfait.

Tuesday, October 29

Baked chicken, cheesy hash browns, green beans, pumpkin bread, applesauce.

Wednesday, October 30

NO MEALS due to All-Staff Training.

Lunch is served at 11:45 am and includes milk and/or coffee. Suggested contribution is \$8.00 per meal for anyone 60 years or older and \$15.00 full cost for those under 60. Please reserve your meal 24 hours ahead of time by calling The Cumberland Senior Center at 715-822-8794. MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
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Dolores E. Huser
Dolores Ethel Huser, 93, died Saturday October 19, 2024 at Parnly on the Lake in Chisago City, MN. She was born on February 5, 1931 in Cumberland, WI to George and Ethel (Parker) Adascheck. She was raised in Cumberland and graduated from high school there. She worked at 3M for several years before marrying Harold Huser in Pine City, MN. Harold and Dolores made their home and raised their daughter in Luck, WI. During her working years she enjoyed her time at Duncan Yo-Yo, Luck

Greenhouse, and the Milltown Senior Dining Center. Dolores' biggest joy was her family; she loved cooking for family and friends (especially her famous potato salad). She also enjoyed gardening, bowling and pitching horseshoe. She will always be remembered for her laugh and fun-loving nature. She is survived by her daughter, Linda (Earl) Nelson; granddaughters Carrie Peper and Tonya (Tim) Crombie; great grandchildren Alex (Abbie) Peper, Jared (Reide) Peper, Addie Crombie and Josie Crombie; 3 great great grandchildren, Jace Peper, Noa Peper, and Wren Peper, other relatives and friends. Dolores was preceded in death by her husband, Harold, her grandson Shaun, her brother Paul Adascheck and his wife Phyllis, her sister-in-law, Virginia and her husband Bud Coyour. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 A.M. Friday,

October 25, 2024 at Skinner Funeral Home in Cumberland, Wi. Pastor Angie Kutney will be officiating. Lunch will be served immediately after the service, with burial to follow at McKinley Cemetery. Pallbearers are David Adascheck, Kevin Adascheck, Rodney Coyour, Doug Coyour, Tim Crombie and Robert Einweck. Visitation will be one hour prior to service. Skinner Funeral Home of Cumberland is serving the family.



Dorothy J. (Lindfors) Clausen
Dorothy Jeanne (Lindfors) Clausen, age 91, of Shakopee MN entered eternal life on

October 21, 2024. Dorothy was born on February 1, 1933 to Elmer and Ruth (Peterson) Lindfors in Cumberland, WI. Dorothy was the fifth child of their six children. She was sister to Loren, Norman, John, Helen, and Glenn. Dorothy attended school in Cumberland, WI and graduated from Cumberland High School in 1951. After high school, Dorothy moved to Minneapolis and worked for a telephone company. In 1952, Dorothy traveled with her good friend, Vicky to Blackduck, MN. They went to a dance, where Dorothy met Vicky's cousin Clifford Clausen, the beginning of a relationship. They were married at First Lutheran Church in Cumberland on Aug 27, 1955. Dorothy and Cliff began their marriage living in Minneapolis, where their daughter, Yvonne, was born. After a couple of years, they then moved to Rockford and in December 1962 moved to Shakopee to be close to Clifford's work. Their son Bruce was born the next year, and she enjoyed being a stay-at-home mom for many years. As her children grew up

Dorothy transitioned back to the workforce as a Scott County Public Health secretary and then later worked as a secretary in the legal department at Rosemount Aerospace. Dorothy was active in many local activities including serving as a Cub Scout Leader, a member of the Shakopee VFW Auxiliary, St. John's Lutheran Church, Weight Watchers and volunteering at the Shakopee Library. Dorothy enjoyed watching sports from a young age and was an avid Twins fan, she had many Homer Hankies in her bin of special items. Dorothy especially enjoyed her seven grandchildren and spent many hours caring for each of them. As they grew up each grandchild shared various times and adventures with grandma. Dorothy was preceded in death by her husband, Clifford Leroy Clausen; parents, Elmer and Ruth Lindfors; and 5 siblings. Dorothy is survived by her daughter, Yvonne (Ritch) Anderson of Prior Lake; son, Bruce (Candi) Clausen of Shakopee; grandchildren, Matthew (Amanda) Anderson, Tim

(Michelle) Anderson, Sarah (Kevin) Williams, Clarissa (Nick) Spande, Joshua Clausen, Anna Clausen, Jack Clausen; seven great-grandchildren. A special thank you to the staff at Benedictine The Gardens who took great care of her over the last 5 years. Dorothy is now in her heavenly home rejoicing with all the angels. Visitation Saturday, October 26, 2024, from 9-10:30 AM; followed by Funeral Service at 10:30 AM, at McNearney-Schmidt Funeral and Cremation, 1220 3rd Ave. E., Shakopee. Livestream of the service can be viewed at McNearney-Schmidt Facebook page. Interment Valley Cemetery, Shakopee. Condolences may be shared at www.mcnearneyfuneralhome.com



Church Directory

“ A Thankful Invitation to Healing and Fellowship”
by Pastor Matthew Earls
Northern Lakes Community Church

As Thanksgiving approaches, I find myself reflecting on the many blessings that fill our lives, even in times of difficulty and uncertainty. This season serves as a beautiful reminder to pause and express our gratitude. I am writing to extend heartfelt wishes to all the residents of Cumberland and to offer a message of hope and renewal. Scripture encourages us to embrace gratitude in all circumstances. The apostle Paul writes in 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 (NIV), “Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.” Whether in joy or in trial, cultivating a spirit of thankfulness nurtures our souls and draws us closer to God’s love and grace.

This Thanksgiving, I would like to invite everyone in our community to seek and experience healing and renewal in the sacred spaces around us. Any of our local houses of worship in Cumberland offer a safe haven, a place to find peace, community, and spiritual restoration. Each congregation, regardless of denomination, with its unique traditions and expressions of faith, contributes to the rich tapestry of belief and fellowship in our town. It is my hope that everyone feels welcome to explore and find solace in these spaces, no matter your background or life circumstance.

At Northern Lakes Church, we are committed to fostering an environment where individuals and families can come together to worship, support one another, and grow in faith. We would be honored to have you join us any Sunday morning at 10am. Our doors are open to all with a warm invitation to belong, to heal, and to celebrate the gifts of life and faith. I am certain I speak for my fellow pastors in Cumberland that the strength of our faith community lies in the woven connections we share, as neighbors, friends, and faithful sojourners. We find common ground and unity when we lift each other up, sharing both our burdens and our joys. Hebrews 10:24-25 (NIV) urges us: “And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together... but encouraging one another and all the more as you see the Day approaching.”

As you gather with family and friends this Thanksgiving, may your hearts be filled with gratitude for one another and for the many blessings we often overlook. Remember, you always have a home in faith at Northern Lakes Church and across our community’s spiritual homes. Thank you for considering this message and for the unique and wonderful role that each of our communities of worship play in serving our shared purpose to build a compassionate, nurturing, and united Cumberland in the image of our Savior Jesus Christ.

In grace and peace,
Pastor Matthew Earls
Northern Lakes Church

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Worship Service: 9 a.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Holy Communion at all services.

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12 Wednesday, October 23, 2024

Marching Band...

perennial rival Baldwin-Woodville High School. Complete results for class A were as follows:

- Class A
- 1st Place - Baldwin-Woodville High School - 83.1
 - 2nd Place - Cumberland High School - 75.838
 - 3rd Place - Columbus High School - 73.369
 - 4th Place - Portage High School - 71.525
 - 5th Place - Platteville High School - 70.975
 - 6th Place - Cudahy High School - 63.775
- Exhibition - St. Croix Falls High School
- Exhibition - Arcadia High School

Rice Lake Fire...

6:56 pm.

The building and contents are a total loss. All fire units were placed back in service at 10:05 pm.

The cause of the fire is under investigation at this time. No damage estimates are available at this time.

One firefighter suffered an arm injury. There were no civilian injuries. Twenty five firefighters from the Rice Lake Fire Department were utilized during the incident.

Three engines, one Aerial Ladder, one Tender, one Command Unit, one utility

School

The entire marching band staff would like to congratulate the students on a fine performance at state and for the tremendous effort shown for the duration of the season. Every member of the band can be proud of their achievements and of every performance.

The band will have their final performance of the season at their indoor marching band concert on Tuesday October 29, 2024 in the Cumberland High School Gymnasium. The concert will begin at 7:30pm and is free and open to the public.

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Rice Lake Man...

recruited heterosexual men and pressured them to engage in sex acts. Smith and Jeffries are charged with the same crimes as Jacobson. Jacobson became a Rice Lake resident sometime after he allegedly worked for the other defendants. They report he has denied the allegations and told reporters he hasn't had any contact with Jeffries and Smith since 2015. The sex trafficking charge alone carries a maximum penalty of life in prison. The minimum sentence on that charge is 15 years imprisonment. Each count of the prostitution charges carries a maximum sentence of 20 years imprisonment. According to the Associated Press, Jeffries and Smith were arrested in Florida and are scheduled to make an initial court appearance Tuesday afternoon in West Palm Beach. Jacobson will appear in a St. Paul courtroom Tuesday. A press release with more information will be out soon. A press conference was scheduled Tuesday afternoon in New York with the FBI, police officials and U.S. Attorney Breon Peace.

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Cumberland Area Trails Alliance

Since receiving our 501c3 designation in September, we have been working with the city on updating the City of Cumberland Recreation Plan. Proposals we have put forward are safe Highway 63 crossing, Rabbit Island nature trail, Collingwood Lake trail, Library Lake trail and handicap kayak launch at City Hall park. The Cumberland Area Trails Alliance (CATA) is working with the Ice Age Trail and Cumberland Elementary school to promote the Think Outside Program which is for fourth graders. This will launch in the spring of 2025. Also the CATA group is organizing to have a whole town/small business/family walking challenge in the first quarter of 2025. More details to come as they are determined. There is a public hearing hosted by the DOT about the Highway 63 bridge and roadway upgrade which is planned for the near future. The meeting is open to the public and will take place at Cumberland City Hall on Wednesday Oct 30 at 5 pm. The Cumberland Area Trails Alliance group is particularly interested in a safe crossing of Highway 63 for both pedestrians and bikers. Also please consider becoming a member of the Cumberland Area Trails Alliance. Your membership supports our initiatives and gives a voice to silent sports. An individual membership is \$20 and a family membership is \$30. Becoming a member now will be a 14 month membership and renewable in 2026. You can mail your membership to CATA Box 922, Cumberland, WI 54829. Our website www.cumberlandareatrailalliance continues to be updated and now has photos of late summer wildflowers which were taken on the hospital trail. All are welcome at our monthly meetings. The November meeting in Thursday Nov 14 at 5 pm at the Thomas St. Angelo Public Library. Hope to see you there.

“Colors of the Orchestra” with Red Cedar Symphony

Red Cedar Symphony's upcoming concert series, “Colors of the Orchestra,” is a vibrant celebration of orchestral music. Concerts will take place at 7 pm on Saturday, November 2, at Augustana Lutheran Church in Cumberland and at 4 pm on Sunday, November 3, at Bethany Lutheran Church in Rice Lake. These concerts feature music highlighting the unique timbre and expressive capabilities of each section of the orchestra. Maurice Ravel's famous Bolero begins with a simple theme, presented by various instruments, each adding its colorful expression layer upon layer, showcasing the rich palette of sounds only a full orchestra can provide. From bright and lively hues to the more haunting shades, Conductor Adam Bever will guide listeners through the musical depictions of Victor Hartmann's artwork in Pictures at an Exhibition by Modeste Mussorgsky. The varied movements in this piece display the versatility of color created through orchestral sound. Let the Red Cedar Symphony brighten your weekend with live classical music at one of the two concerts in the fall series, “Colors of the Orchestra.” Established in 1983 and housed at Bethany Lutheran Church in Rice Lake, the RCS draws classical musicians from throughout northwestern Wisconsin, including Rice Lake, Osseo, Cumberland, Ladysmith, Spooner, Chetek, Gordon, Trego, Springbrook, Bruce, Hayward, Cable, Winter, Bloomer, Chippewa Falls, Eau Claire, and Foster. For more information, please visit our website at www.RedCedar-Symphony.org.

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9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Morning: Coffee & Roll
Lunch: Hamburger Vegetable Soup, Barbeque & Pie
Bake Sale: Including Traditional, Italian & Scandinavian Christmas Foods
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SCHOOL LUNCH

Thursday, October 24
Chicken patty, baked beans, carrots, peaches.
MS/HS: (2nd option) Flatbread pizza.
ES: (2nd option) Sunbutter & Jelly.

Friday, October 25
Pizza, broccoli, coleslaw, applesauce.
MS/HS: (2nd Option) Spicy chicken sandwich.
ES: (2nd Option) Sunbutter & Jelly.

Monday, October 28
Beef vegetable soup, grilled cheese, green beans, pears. MS/HS: (2nd option) Flat bread pizza.
ES: (2nd option) Sunbutter & jelly.

Tuesday, October 29
Glazed drumstick, whole grain waffle, broccoli, peaches. MS/HS: (2nd option) Beef vegetable soup with grilled cheese. ES: (2nd option) Sunbutter & jelly.

Wednesday, October 30
Cheese quesadilla, brown rice, corn, refried beans, candy corn parfait.
MS/HS: (2nd option) Glazed drumstick.
ES: (2nd option) Sunbutter & jelly.

All meals are served with a variety of 1/2 pint of milk, fresh, frozen and canned fruits and vegetables.
MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO VENDOR AVAILABILITY.
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The American Legion Auxiliary Unit 98 members participated in “Farmers Helping Farmers” where they donated items to benefit hurricane victims.

Cumberland American Legion Auxiliary Participates in “Farmers Helping Farmers”

The Cumberland American Legion Auxiliary Unit 98 members recently participated in the “Farmers Helping Farmers” event by donating items to benefit hurricane victims. Items donated included, paper products, diapers, baby supplies, food and farm supplies. Not all Auxiliary members who donated were available for the photo. The Cumberland Legion Post 98 made cash donation to help with the cost of delivering the supplies. This was a wonderful opportunity for the Cumberland Legion Family to reach out to other communities. Thank-you to all who donated!

WINTER PARKING REGULATIONS

ALL NIGHT PARKING PROHIBITED:

There will be no parking on any city street between the hours of 2:30 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. on any day between November 1 through April 1. Violators may be ticketed or towed.

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CUMBERLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS

COMMUNITY EDUCATION OFFERINGS

THURSDAY, OCT. 24: • 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 5-7:30 pm HS Boys Soccer Home vs Amery • 5:45-6:45 Daisy Girl Scouts Troop #3054 Meeting •

FRIDAY, OCT. 25: • 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 8:30 am -3 pm Flu Shot Clinic •

SATURDAY, OCT. 26: • 10 am-1 pm HS Cross Country Sectional @ Solon Springs • 1-3 pm CCE: Pickleball •

MONDAY, OCT. 28: • 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 4-5 pm CCE: Choose Fit/Bench Stepping @ MS • 7-9 pm Annual Budget Meeting - School Board Meeting to follow Budget Meeting •

TUESDAY, OCT. 29: • 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 7:30-9 pm Indoor Marching Band Concert • 8-10 pm CCE: Adult Volleyball •

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 30: • 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 4:30-5:30 pm CCE: ChooseFit/Bench Stepping • 6-8 pm CCE: Pickleball.

NORDIC WEDNESDAYS at Timberland Hills Are BACK!
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SKI/SNOWSHOE 2024-2025

* Wednesdays @ 1:00 pm beginning October 23, 2024 until Spring meet to Cross-Country Ski or Snowshoe with others.

(We will not meet: November 20 & 27)

Each time we will meet and break into groups of similar ski ability to enjoy the outdoors! All abilities are welcome! Can't ski but love Winter? Bring snowshoes and take hike. No Snow? Just Hike...

You will need to bring your own equipment and if you are not a member of Timberland Hills Foundation or CASTA bring a little cash for a donation.

Information: Contact: Mary Kay Burmesch at mkbskis@gmail.com Susan Bridger CCE Director, sbrid@csdmail.com,

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**CUMBERLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTICE FOR BUDGET HEARING AND ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING
WISCONSIN STATUTE 120.08(1)**

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Cumberland School District that the budget hearing and annual meeting of said district for the transaction of business will be held in the Middle School Commons on Monday, the 28th of October, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.

Budget Hearing Agenda
7:00 p.m.

1. Call to order, Eric Stone, Board President.
2. Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Presentation of the Proposed 2024-2025 Budget, Stephen Mann and Makenna Rademacher.
4. Adjourn Budget Hearing.

Annual Meeting Agenda
Immediately following Budget Hearing

1. Call to order, Eric Stone, Board President.
2. Elect a meeting chairperson.
3. Approval of agenda.
4. Approval of the 10/26/23 Annual Meeting Minutes.
5. Presentation of Treasurer's Report for 2023-2024, Jonelle Gideo, Treasurer.
6. Authorization to levy a school tax to include:
 - A. General Fund Operations \$7,020,602
 - B. Referendum Approved Debit \$2,163,000
 - C. Community Service Fund \$250,000
7. Set salaries of the school board members and authorize payment for travel and actual expenses incurred while traveling outside the district in performance of duties:
 - President - \$100 per meeting
 - Vice President - \$100 per meeting
 - Clerk - \$100 per meeting
 - Treasurer - \$100 per meeting
 - Member - \$100 per meeting
 - Reimbursement \$100 per day plus actual expenses (out of district)
 - Negotiation Committee Members - \$100 per meeting
8. Authorize the Board to pursue cash flow borrowing if needed to maintain current fiscal operations.
9. Authorize the Board to apply any remaining fund balance to be designated for working capital.
10. Authorize the Board to legally defend or prosecute any action or proceedings in which the district deems appropriate and necessary.
11. Authorize the Board to provide school breakfast and lunch programs with appropriate funds allocated for that purpose.
12. Authorize the Board to provide and furnish academic textbooks.
13. Authorize the Board to purchase, operate and maintain transportation vehicles and to purchase liability insurance for such vehicles.
14. Authorize the Board to purchase or lease suitable sites for school buildings, to build, rent, lease or purchase and furnish, equip and maintain school district buildings.
15. Authorize the sale of property and disposal of unused property belonging to and not needed by the district.
16. Establish the date for next year's annual meeting.
17. Adjourn the meeting.

**Dated this 17th day of September, 2024
Jennifer Hyatt, District Clerk**

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**CITY OF CUMBERLAND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
2025 GENERAL FUND OPERATING BUDGET**

On Tuesday November 12, 2024, at 4:30 pm, a Public Hearing will be conducted before the Common Council. The Hearing will be held in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 950 1st Ave. The purpose of this hearing is to obtain citizen input on the 2025 General Fund Operating Budget. A copy of the proposed budget is available at City Hall during regular business hours. Questions can be directed to the City Administrator at (715) 822-2752.

City of Cumberland 2025 General Fund Summary Operating Budget

	2024 Adopted Budget	2025 Proposed Budget	% Change
Taxes	\$2,040,790	\$ 2,090,734	2.4%
Special Assessments	4,000	2,234	
Intergovernmental Revenues	994,229	1,143,586	15.0%
Licenses & Permits	34,290	64,456	88.0%
Fines & Forfeitures	19,500	20,220	3.7 %
Public Charge for Services	457,838	155,929	-65.9%
Special Funds	4,500	4,500	
Miscellaneous	80,275	119,095	48.4%
Other Financing Sources	120,811	-	
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 3,756,233	\$ 3,600,754	- 4.1%
Other Funds Applied	-	-	
Transfers in	-	-	
Total Funds Allocated	3,756,233	3,600,754	- 4.1%
Gen. Gov/Administration	\$ 619,783	\$ 566,955	- 8.5%
Public Safety	1,012,668	1,121,314	10.7%
Public Works	809,508	536,946	- 33.7%
Health & Human Services	63,278	7,125	- 88.7%
Culture, Recreation & Education	442,942	148,836	- 66.4%
Conservaton & Development	3,667	7,167	95.4%
Capital Improvement	113,200	369,297	226.2%
Interest/Debit	-	-	---
Interfund Transfers	\$ 661,590	\$ 843,114	27.4%
Total Expenditures	\$ 3,726,636	\$ 3,600,754	- 3.4%
Property Tax Levy included above:	\$ 1,676,417	\$ 1,712,542	2.2%

**Arlene Frisinger, Clerk
City of Cumberland**

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Under Wisconsin State Statute 5.84(1), public tests of the electronic ballot tabulation system will be held to ascertain that the equipment will correctly count the November 05, 2024, 2024 General Election votes cast for all offices and on all measures. All tests are open to the public.

City of Cumberland

Tuesday, October 29, 2024, at 1:00 p.m.
Municipal Administrative Building
950 1st Avenue, Cumberland, WI
Arlene Frisinger, Clerk
715-822-2752

Town of Crystal Lake

Monday, October 28, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.
Town Hall
1876 Hwy. 63, Comstock, WI
Arlene Frisinger, Clerk-Treasurer
715-822-8039

Town of Cumberland

Tuesday, October 29, 2024, at 12:00 p.m.
Town Hall
902 20th Avenue, Cumberland, WI
Holly Nyhus, Clerk
715-357-6154

Town of Lakeland

Monday, October 28, 2024, at 4:00 p.m.
Town Hall
791 29 11/16th Avenue, Barronett, WI
Danielle Maxwell-Parker, Clerk
715-529-2741

Town of Maple Plain

Tuesday, October 29, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.
Town Hall
393 26th Avenue, Cumberland, WI
Danielle Maxwell-Parker, Clerk
715-529-2741

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NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Maple Plain will hold a Budget Hearing concurrently with the monthly meeting on **Thursday, November 7, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.**, held at the Town Hall, located at 393 26th Avenue, to hear public input as relates to the Proposed 2025 Budget. The hall is accessible to all persons. The Town Monthly meeting will follow the budget hearing. The budget summary is posted and is available on the Town's website, www.townofmapleplain.wi.gov

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors for Town of Maple Plain will hold its monthly meeting on **Thursday, November 7, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.**, at the Town Hall, located at 393 26th Avenue. The hall is accessible to all persons.

The agenda will be posted no later than 24 hours in advance of the meeting and on the Town's website, www.townofmapleplain.wi.gov

**Danielle Maxwell-Parker
Clerk,
Town of Maple Plain**

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NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Lakeland will hold a Budget Hearing concurrently with the monthly meeting on **Tuesday, November 12, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.**, at the Town Hall, located at 791 - 29 11/16th Avenue, to hear public input as relates to the Proposed 2025 Budget. The hall is accessible to all persons. The Town Monthly meeting will follow the budget hearing. The budget summary is posted and is available on the Town's website, www.townoflakeland.wi.gov

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors for the Town of Lakeland will hold its monthly meeting on **Tuesday, November 12, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.**, at the Town Hall, located at 791 - 29 11/16th Avenue. The hall is accessible to all persons.

The agenda will be posted no later than 24 hours in advance of the meeting and can also be found on the Town's website, www.townoflakeland.wi.gov

**Danielle Maxwell-Parker,
Clerk
Town of Lakeland**

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Regular Monthly Meeting of the Cumberland School District Board of Education shall be held immediately following the annual meeting on Monday, October 28, 2024, in the middle school commons.

The following is the proposed agenda:

1. Approve vouchers, receipts, and invoices.
 2. Recognize delegates, visitors, and donations.
 3. Consider approval of the 2024 – 2025 budget.
 4. Consider approval of the 2024 – 2025 school levy.
 5. Consider approval of Early College Credit Program for second semester 2024-25 school year.
 6. Consider approval of Start College Now Program for second semester 2024-25 school year.
 7. Consider approval of JaKoda Hendren's resignation as Special Education Aide.
 8. Consider employment of Heather Schell as Special Education Teacher.
 9. Consider approval of William Rosenow as Art Club Co-Advisor.
 10. Consider approval of Holly Waterman as Art Club Co-Advisor.
 11. Consider approval of Graham Severson as Pep Club Advisor.
 12. Consider approval of Tirzah Zipperer as Ski Club Advisor.
 13. Consider approval of Lorne Majewski as Middle School Boys' Basketball Coach.
 14. Consider approval of bids:
 - a. Demolition and Site Prep at Location 1160 8th Avenue
 - b. New Construction of Maintenance Building
 15. Hear discussion items and administrator reports.
 16. Set meeting dates and events.
- A copy of the agenda is posted in the elementary school, middle school, high school, and administration building.

**Jennifer Hyatt
Cumberland School
District Clerk**

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