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Barron County Sheriff gets new equipment

Since 2015, the Barron County Emergency Response Team has been summoned to 19 high level critical incidents in Barron, Rusk, Polk, and Eau Claire Counties (2015 – 10, 2016 – 8, 2017 – 1). This year there has been only one call out even though this past June the Sheriff's Department purchased a 2005 Lenco G1 BearCat from the LaCrosse County Sheriff's Department. That vehicle, which was struck multiple times during a stand-off in 2008 near Viola (WI), was purchased by the Barron County Sheriff's Department and recently repainted, including resurfacing the areas struck by gunfire during the Viola incident.

The BearCat, which is capable of withstanding high powered rifle round blasts, will replace the current PeaceKeeper that was manufactured primarily to withstand handgun round blasts. The Peacekeeper will be turned over to the Rusk County Sheriff's Department, which at this time does not have an armored vehicle.

According to Captain Ron Baures who is also the team Commander, after the Sheriff's Department received the BearCat, arrangements to re-surface and re-paint the exterior were discussed with local business owner Bob Lorkwoski of L'Cars in Cameron and Bruce. Lorkowski agreed to donate the time to prep, re-surface, and paint the armored vehicle.

Sherwin Williams of Rice Lake donated the high end industrial paint while Mattson Spray Equipment a part of Rice Lake Weighing Systems in Rice Lake, donated the use of special equipment used during the painting process.



The new Barron County Bearcat

An all too common, sorrowful sight



The Flags at Endeavor Field are once again being flown at half mast this week in memory of the victims of the Las Vagas shootings. It is sadly becoming an all too familiar sight Please take a moment to remember those that have been lost.

Where in the world is my shoebox?

Each November, the people of northwest Wisconsin fill thousands of shoeboxes with gifts and necessities that are shipped to children all around the world.

Along with toys, personal hygiene items and school supplies, the shoeboxes collected and distributed by Operation Christmas Child also introduce children to the hope found in Jesus Christ.

But where do these shoeboxes go, and how do they get there? What is the impact on children and families? Does the relatively small gift really do any good?

Anyone interested in the answers to these and other questions or in becoming involved is invited to the Operation Christmas Child Kick-Off event at Siren Covenant Church on Sunday, Oct. 8, starting at 6:30 p.m. Siren Covenant Church is the official drop-off center for Burnett and northern Polk counties, and is located at 7686 Lofty Pines Drive, Siren , WI 54872.

Participants in the Oct. 8th event will have the opportunity to hear stories about the ministry, including some from Namibia in southern Africa where local shoeboxes were distributed last year. They will also be able to pray for the ministry, meet the local team, receive free materials and gifts to start their shoeboxes, and enjoy refreshments and conversation.

Northwoods Notebook: It's time to burn the golf course mortgage *by Larry Werner*

In the Twin Cities, where I spend some of my time, one of the recurrent news stories is that another golf course is being sold to a developer for houses, or one of the cities in the metropolitan area has decided that it doesn't make sense to keep losing money on golf.

Experts are quoted in those stories concerning the decline in the popularity of the sport, which has seen a significant drop in rounds since the golf peaked in 2000.

In fact, in the Minneapolis neighborhood where I lived for many years before selling my house in 2016, the city has decided to close Hiawatha Golf Course, which opened in 1934.

So it was interesting to hear that our little city is paying off its mortgage on Cumberland Golf Club and that the city's taxpayers have never had to pay a nickle toward operations or debt service since buying the course in 1968. During that time, courses in nearby communities have closed, but things are different here in The Island City.

What's amazing is that not only have revenues from green fees and memberships covered all expenses while paying down debt but the corporation that operates the course on a contract with the city has also expanded the course from nine holes to 18 and built a clubhouse without contributions from taxpayers.

Tom Goldsmith, a city council member and former president of the golf club board, said: "It gives me a great amount of satisfaction that we had this dream, and we made it happen, and it worked. It's good when you retire debt and it's free and clear. We should be happy about that."

The city bought the course in 1968 after it had been operated since 1927 by several private owners. According to Goldsmith, the purchase price was $35,000 for the 62-acre, nine-hole course. The city issued bonds to pay for the course and contracted with Cumberland Golf Club Inc., a separate management company, to operate the place with the understanding all expenses, including debt service, would be covered by the management company.



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CUMBERLAND'S
DOWNTOWN OPEN
HOUSE
&
SIDEWALK SALE
SATURDAY OCT. 14 10AM-2PM
TAKE A STROLL THROUGH DOWNTOWN CUMBERLAND!
SPECIALS AT OUR PARTICIPATING BUSINESSES
SNAP A PICTURE IN FRONT OF OUR SELFIE SPOTS!
COMPLETE SMALL SURVEY FOR YOUR CHANCE AT WINNING CHAMBER DOLLARS!
SEE YOU THERE!

New Signage



American Legion Anderson-Thomson Post 98 has a new front sign and marque! They would like to thank all that made it possible: Woodland Signs and Ron Helstern for donating the sign, his time and labor; Odden's Flowers for doing the landscaping; and all the Legion members who helped complete the project. Look here for upcoming Legion events and future activities!

People

Thomas St. Angelo Public Library Children's Story Hour 2017-2018

Story Hour is scheduled for Tuesday evenings at 6:30 PM and Wednesday mornings at 10:30 AM. The weekly themed activities will change each week of the month.

Miss Julie and Miss Rhea will read several stories and there will be a craft to go along with the theme. Stories and crafts are geared for ages 3-5, but younger and older children are also encouraged to attend. Parents and caregivers are encouraged to participate in the activities with their child.

Storyhour will be cancelled when the Cumberland School District closes for inclement weather.

October scheduled themes are: October 3 & 4-Squirrels; October 10 & 11-Pumpkins; October 17 & 18-Halloween Ghosts; October 24 & 25-Halloween Spiders; October 31 & November 1-Hibernation. Themes are subject to change.



Warwick-Brunclik Engagement

Kelly Warwick and Henry (Hank) Brunclik would like to formally announce their engagement.

Kelly is the daughter of Scott and Linda Warwick of Cumberland. Hank is the son of Lyman Brunclik and Debra and Leo Moos, also of Cumberland.

Kelly graduated from UW-River Falls with a Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture Education, and is currently an Agriculture Instructor at Luck High School.

Hank graduated from Navy Nuclear Power School in Goose Creek, SC and is a US Navy Submarine Veteran. He is currently employed as a Senior Radiation Protection Specialist at the Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant near Hastings, MN.

Hank and Kelly got engaged during the 2017 Rutabaga Festival. They have planned their wedding for the weekend before the 2018 'Baga Fest. The ceremony will be held on the Warwick Family Farm in Cumberland on August 18, 2018. The couple plans to reside near Hastings.

New Arrivals

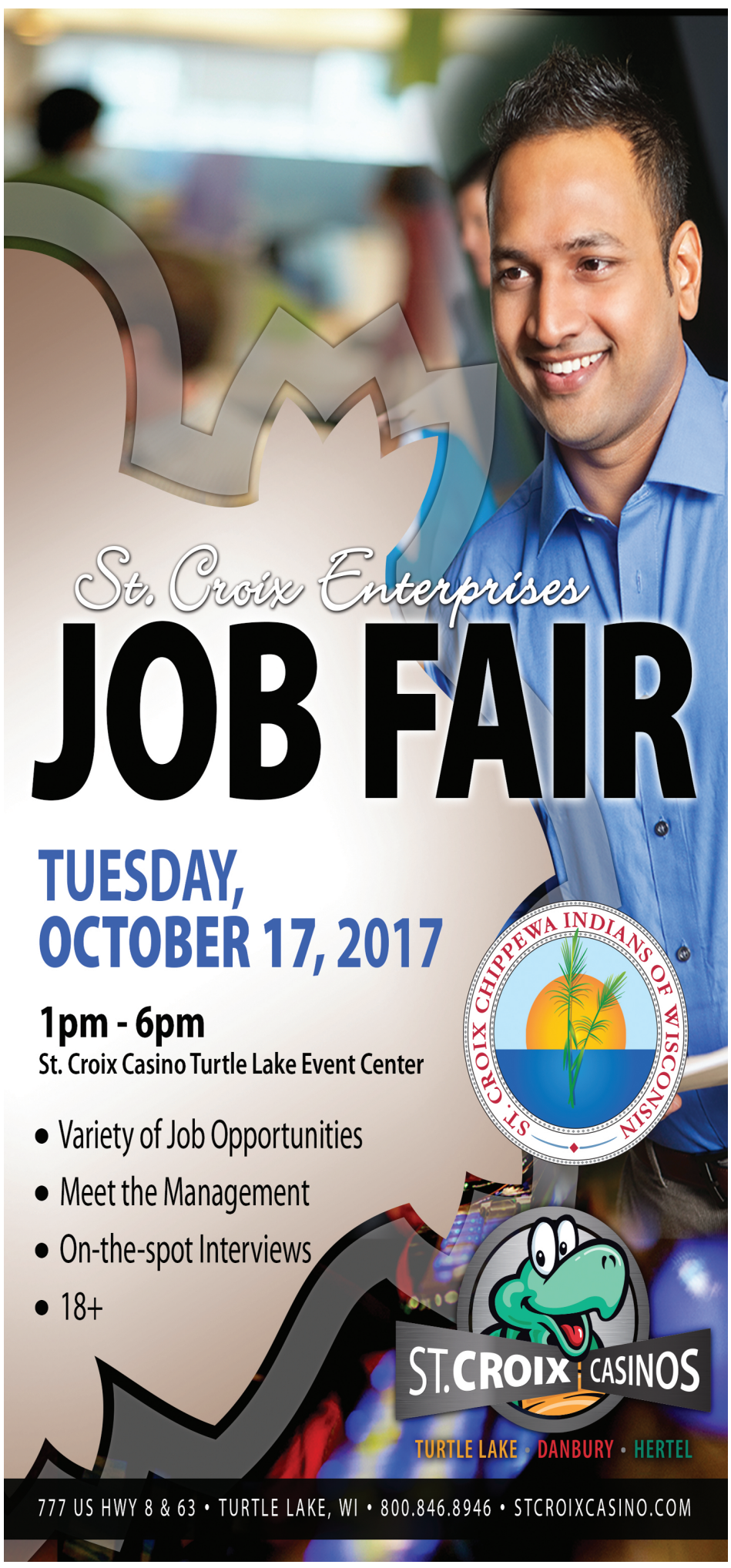
A son, Jackson Dominic Banicki weighing 6 lbs. 13 oz., to Chloe and Michael Banicki of Barronett on September 29, 2017.

A daughter, Taylee Mae, weighing 7 lbs. 3 oz., to Samantha and Ryan Feiertag of Comstock on September 27, 2017.

A daughter, Wren Louise, weighing 7 lbs. 1 oz., to Kelsey J. and Brian A. Thompson of Cumberland on September 20, 2017.

A daughter, Stella Mei, to Alaina and Nathan Holmes of Cumberland on August 28, 2017.

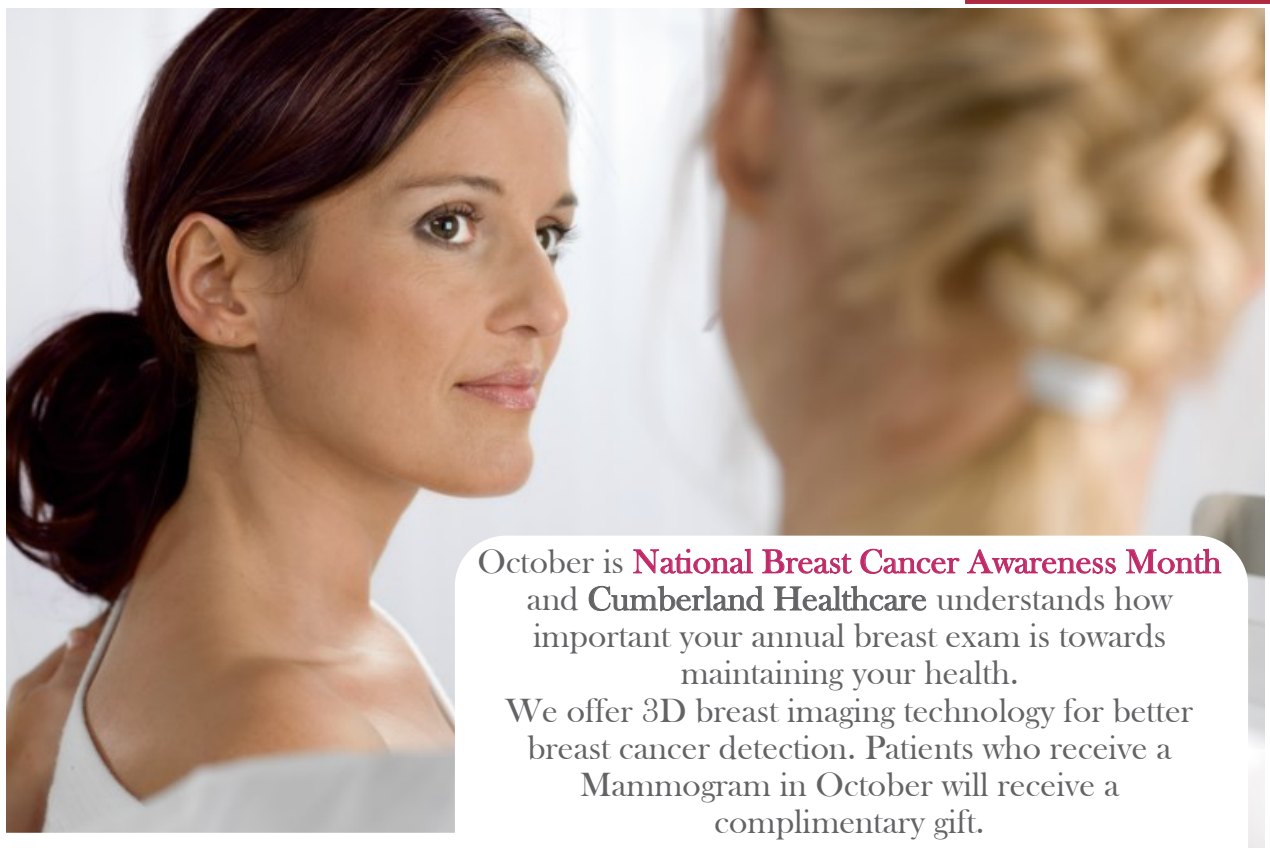

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Hammer Bar Booyah!
Proceeds to benefit "Shop with a Cop"
Saturday • Oct. 14th • 2pm-?
The Hammer Bar Beanbag League
Starts October 18-Dec. 18th
Wednesdays at 6 p.m.
Sign Up Now!





Ruby's Pantry
Cumberland Elementary School • 1530 2nd Ave.
Saturday, October 7th
Everyone Welcome!
Registration: 8 - 10 am • Distribution: 9 - 10:00 am
Donation $20 • Cash Only - No Checks Please

Dallas Oktoberfest
Saturday, Oct 7
"Rolling Out the Barrel" for the 21st YEAR!
Pancake Breakfast, Car Show, Kubb, Valkyrie Beer, Wiener Dog Race, Polka Music & Dancing, Arts & Crafts, Louies Brats, Vintage Baseball, Model Airplanes, Fire Dept. Gun Raffle, Dog Costume Contest, Book Sale, Thrift Sale, Antiques, Wood Fired Pizza, Pottery, Jewelry, Lefse, Cannon Blasts + More
Valkyrie Brewing Co.
715-837-1824
Clicker's Restaurant & Bar
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It's About Time Bar
Join Us. "We'll have a Barrel of Fun!"

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YEARS OF LOVE!
"SURPRISE PARTY"
OPEN HOUSE to celebrate the anniversary of :
Steven & Vallerie Tengbom
October 8, 2017
12:00 - 5:00
Charity Roff's House
414 East Clinton Street South
Almena, WI 54805
Across the street from Shadyside Park on Hwy P

Homecoming 2017



Cumberland High School hosted the 2017 Homecoming game vs. the Spooner Rails last Friday at Endeavor Stadium. Above: The Cross Country Team delivers the game ball in a pre-game ceremony. Middle: Principal Richie Narges and Superintendant Barry Rose serve up cavatils during the tailgating party before the game. Bottom: Face painting helped attendees get in the spirit during the tail gate party.





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SCHOOL LUNCH

Lunch menu includes assorted fresh vegetables, fresh fruit, and 1/2 pt. milk.
Salad bar served each day as an alternate.
Free & Reduced applications are available at the school office.
Menus subject to change.

Thurs., Oct. 5: Spaghetti with meat sauce, broccoli, garlic bread, pineapple.
Fri., Oct. 6: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup, crackers, pears, yogurt.
Mon., Oct. 9: Pizza, California blend vegetables, strawberries, ice cream cup.
Tues., Oct. 10: Chicken fajita's, green peppers and onions, corn/rice, mandarin oranges.
Wed., Oct. 11: BBQ pork sandwich, sweet potato bites, peas, warm apple slices.

NILSSEN'S FOODS
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CUMBERLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS

Upcoming Events

Friday, October 6th
7 pm • Prairie Fire Theater's "Tom Sawyer" • ES Gym
Saturday, October 7th
1 pm • Prairie Fire Theater's "Tom Sawyer" • ES Gym
Noon • CHS Marching Band • Chippewa Falls Band Show
Sunday, October 8th
Noon • CHS Marching Band • River Falls Band Show
Tuesday, October 10th
5:00 • MS Volleyball vs Bloomer • MS Gym
7 pm • Soccer vs. Osceola • Endeavor Field

Community Ed Classes

Celebrate Breast Cancer Awarness Month With Glass

October 17th at 5 p.m. in the High School Art Rm
Join Instructor Liz Alberg as she celebrates celebrates Breast Cancer Awareness Month with a very unique class offering. Class members will be making a finished torso with most of the class proceeds going to benefit research against this disease. If interested, please call Susan Bridger, CCE Director, 715-822-5121 ext. 403 or emailing sbrid@csdmail.com.

An Introduction to Gluten-Free Eating

Presented by Katrina Hasman
Wednesday • Oct. 18th • 6 pm • HS FACE Room
Do you think "Gluten-Free" is for you, but don't know where to begin? Do you think you'd do better living "Gluten-Free", but think it's too much work, & too expensive? At this "No-Cost" event you will discover practical ways of living "Gluten-Free" along with discussion, food demonstrations, and tasting! Come experience fun and tastey dishes made from quinoa, lentils and gluten-free flour!
Pre-registration is required for this class. Please call Susan Bridger, CCE Director, 715-822-5121 ext. 403 or email: sbrid@csdmail.com.

An Intro to Knitting

Instructor • Marcy Neuer • *Cost: $15*
Thursdays, Oct. 19 & 26 • 6-7:30 pm
Cumberland HS FACE Room
Have been meaning to learn the art of knitting, but haven't yet?" We are so lucky to have "experienced" Knitting Instructor Marcy Neuer to help you out! Class is intended for beginners, but certainly any level of expertise may participate! Please bring to class: Size 6 or 7 needles and 1 skein of yarn. Pre-register for this class by calling Susan Bridger, CCE Director, 715-822-5121 ext. 403 or emailing sbrid@csdmail.com.

Pickle Ball

Mondays & Wednesdays • 7-8 a.m.
beginning on October 23rd!
Cumberland High School Gym • FREE!
New to CCE Pickle Ball is a paddle sport created for all ages and skill levels. The rules are simple and the game is an easy one for beginners to learn. The game combines elements of tennis, badminton, and ping pong. It is played with a paddle and a plastic ball with holes and a modified tennis net. It can be played as doubles or singles. Questions? Please contact: Susan Bridger, CCE Director at 715-822-5121 ext. 403 or email: sbrid@csdmail.com

A NIGHT OF FLATTERING YOURSELF TO A "BETTER YOU"!

PLEASE NOTE DATE CHANGE!
Wednesday, October 25 • 6:00 pm
at NEZZY'S THEATER • FREE
Come let Julie Raven, a certified and experienced Color Consultant, Fashion Stylist, and Image Consultant show you how easily you can look and feel your best! There will be Door Prizes & Discount Coupons! Presented by CCE and local businesses: Mainstream Boutique, Idlewild, Twice As Nice On the Island, and Peter & Annie's No cost for this fun event, but we are asking you to reserve your spot by calling or emailing: Susan Bridger CCE Director, HS-715-822-5121 ext. 403, sbrid@csdmail.com

CHICKEN DINNER
Serving Since 1936
Sunday, October 8th
Serving begins at 11:00 A.M.
Christ Lutheran Church - Pipe Lake
1994 20th St. • Comstock, WI • Polk Co. Jct. T & G
Menu: All Broasted Chicken, Mashed Potatoes / Gravy, Corn, Cranberries, Cole Slaw, Buns, Pies, & Beverages
FAMILY STYLE DINNER
ADULTS: $9.00
6-12 YEARS: $5.00
5 & UNDER: FREE*
*Dining in with adult only.
Take Out Dinners Available
BAZAAR
BAKE SALE
VEGETABLES
PLANTS
SUNDAY SCHOOL FISH POND
Gift Certificates: Call 715-986-4574
No Sunday Worship Service on Sunday October 8
Worship Service will be held on Wed., October 4 at 7p.m.

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Check out our new Fall Menu!
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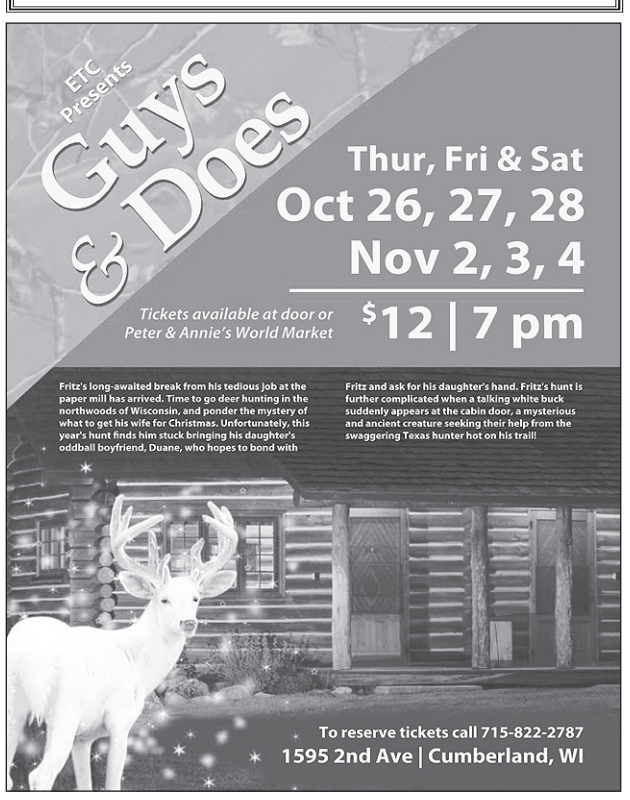
Dallas Oktoberfest this weekend!

Valkyrie Brewing Company will "Roll Out the Barrel" (well, several actually,) for the 21st Annual Dallas Oktoberfest Celebrations on Saturday, October 7th. This Oktoberfest promises to be one of Dallas' best celebrations yet! In fact, the whole town will be buzzing, flipping, dancing, singing, tossing, grooming and booming over it.

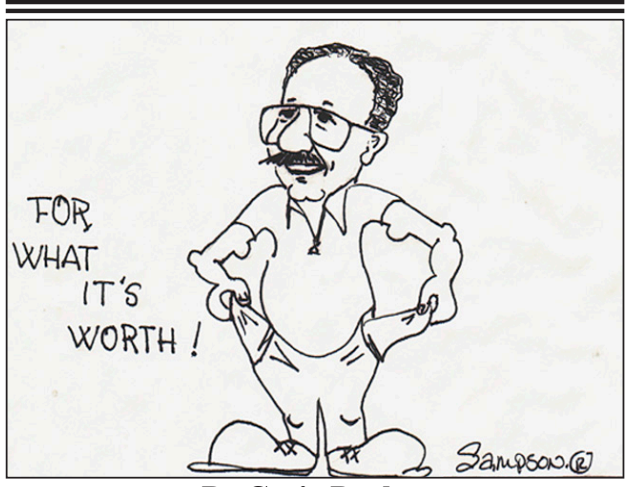
All of the events at the Dallas Oktoberfest are free to attend. Come to the Dallas Oktoberfest on October 7 for a whole lot of fun.

Dallas is located between Ridgeland and Chetek on Barron County A. From Chetek, take County I West, continuing straight on A into town. From Menomonie, take Hwy 25 North 2 miles past Ridgeland turning east on County A into town.

HELP CUMBERLAND BOY SCOUTS
Deposit Aluminum Cans in the Scout Bin Behind the City Shop.



Opinion



By Craig Bucher

"Death and taxes." The IRS is almost as certain as death. Yep, taxes are a fact of life. It doesn't make any difference if you live in New York City or Cumberland, "the tax man cometh." Taxes are needed to keep society humming along. Now, last week President Trump announced his new tax plan to revamp the federal tax system in the United States. It is long overdue as the last time significant changes were made, to the tax code, was in 1986. A headline, in the newspaper over the weekend, shouted "St. Paul aims to ease tax shock" as the city plans on a 23.9% tax levy increase. People get angry with tax increases and need explanations to see if the increase is justified. President Trump's top economic advisor Gary Cohn says "People don't care if the rich get richer." Time out! Here is one "People" who cares if the rich get richer on the backs of the middle class. Here is one "People" who believes tax increases or modifications need to be justified. I believe that taxes are necessary and I don't mind paying taxes. I do, however, want to know what will happen, to all income levels, under any new tax system or changes in the tax system. I also want to know how the new tax plan will affect President Trump and his wealthy buddies. I do want to see President Trumps tax returns so that a fair assessment can be made of the impact a new tax system will have on him and the super wealthy. I won't accept President trump's "believe me" about anything. I take a page out of President Reagan 's book, when he said " trust but verify."

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!

P.S. We did not get to Itasca last week. We got as far as the Brainerd area. The leaves were just beginning to turn and there was some color. It should be great this week.





Inside Wisconsin

by Tom Still

Quietly but steadily, health care innovation isn't waiting for Congress to act

MADISON, Wis. – The logjam in Washington, D.C., over federal health-care policy might lead some people to fear the "Obamacare" stalemate threatens to stifle innovation from top to bottom in health care.

Not so. At least, not in Wisconsin.

The latest effort to repeal the Affordable Care Act, or Obamacare, is emblematic of deep political divisions over how best to provide health-care coverage to millions of Americans. However, that debate is not standing in the way of hospitals, medical professionals, insurers, entrepreneurs and others from working on better, more efficient ways to care for patients.

That was evident last week in some massive settings, such as Epic System's annual user group meeting in Verona. Chief executive officer Judy Faulkner challenged her company's electronic health record customers to think about patients as not just a collection of "big data" but as people with health concerns and conditions that may be improved through emerging technologies.

Health-care innovators in other settings are also not content to wait for Congress to design a better way. Another close-to-home example involves WEA Trust, a health insurance carrier for many public employees, and Kiio, a young company with a novel patient engagement platform.

WEA Trust has invested $1 million in Madison-based Kiio to further develop its platform for involving patients in their own care through mobile technology and evidence-based treatment that can prevent more expensive care while yielding better results.

The insurance company will be more than a passive investor; it will become a customer for Kiio as it expands its platform from conditions such as lower back pain, joint replacement and physical rehabilitation to other protocols.

Kiio's lower back pain screening, assessment and exercise program has already shown results, diverting costly procedures such as imaging, surgeries and specialty visits while helping patients deal with pain and dysfunction. Because back surgeries don't always work the first time – or at all – the process saves money and frustration for all involved.

"We see the Kiio platform as becoming an engagement tool for our members across a broad spectrum of their health needs," said Michael Quist, president and chief executive officer for WEA Trust. "It's really limitless in terms of how it can be used to engage with patients."

It's also an example of how health care is moving from a bricks-and-mortar model that assumes all care takes place within a clinic or hospital to a future in which patients can get care where they work, at home or anywhere else that technology allows them to take an on-demand role in their own health.

WEA Trust was born in 1970 as an in-house insurance company for unionized Wisconsin teachers. That model changed abruptly with the passage of a 2011 law that eroded the power of the teachers' union and put WEA Trust in "survival mode" for a few years. It has returned to firm financial footing by focusing on health insurance and functioning as a Voluntary Employees Beneficiaries Association, which exists solely to serve its members.

Because WEA Trust isn't aligned with a specific health-care system, it is free to negotiate with many providers. The reimbursement strategy for the Kiio platform will rest on persuading a health-care provider that it works and can control costs while ensuring quality. For example, a pilot program might involve waiving copays on a back surgery if the patient follows the Kiio protocol first.

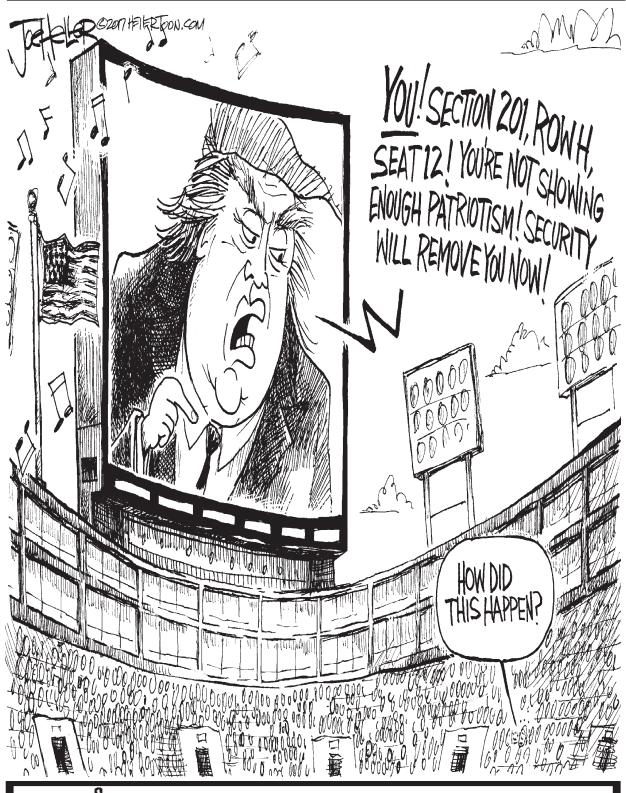
"We want to be at the forefront of figuring out reimbursement strategies," Quist said.

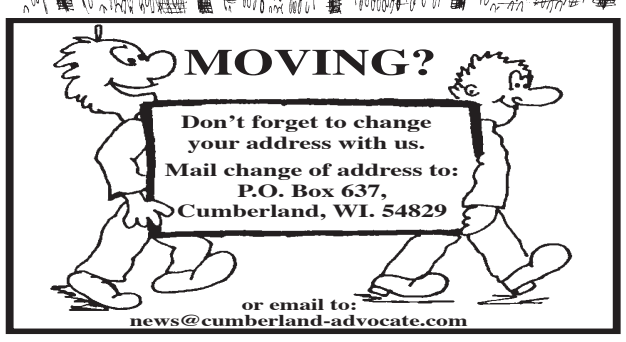
For Kiio founder Dave Grandin, the WEA Trust investment isn't just about the money. It's about engaging with an innovative partner.

"We believe we've working with a partner that has a vision about the future of health care, not only in terms of managing costs but in enhancing quality and helping patients," Grandin said. "For a young company like Kiio, that's a great fit."

Innovation in health care has been slow to come in some quarters, but information technology, patient choice and the need to control costs is accelerating change. That process will continue, with or without Congress.

Still is president of the Wisconsin Technology Council. He is the former associate editor of the Wisconsin State Journal.





A Look Back

15 Years Ago
October 2, 2002

The Cumberland School Board of Education voted 3-2 to present the district voters with a referendum of $800,000 for property acquisition and improvements at the Cumberland Elementary School. The $800,000 if passed, would include playground improvements at the Elementary School and acquisition of land parcels at 1610 and 1630 2nd Avenue and 1130 Marshall Street, acquisition of the hockey building, which sits on school district property, anticipated legal fees, relocation expenses, construction, water containment and parking, surveying appraisals, engineering and miscellaneous expenses.

Cumberland and Turtle Lake Firefighters fought a blaze at the Doug Rouzer Farm. The barn was a total loss. Livestock was out of the barn, so there was no loss of animal life.

A grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony was held at Cumberland Tire. Owners of the business are Rob and Tracy Thompson.

There were 80 participants at the annual Punt, Pass and Kick contest held September 29th at Moser Field.

20 Years Ago
October 1, 1997

A second Cumberland youngster hit a hole-in-one at the Cumberland Golf Course. Philip Capuzzi, got his hole-in-one on the 139 yard, 12th hole. Golfing with Philip were Tony Ficocello, Bret Toftness, and Kyle Krueger. Philip is the son of (never got a hole-in-one in my life) Rich and Renee Capuzzi.

Graham Miller, a 5-year-old from Cumberland, finished second in his age group at the Wisconsin State Pedal Pull at the Wisconsin State Pedal Pull held at the Polk County Fair Grounds. As the second place finisher in the state meet, he attended the national meet held in Omaha, Nebraska and finished fourth in his age group.

30 Years Ago
September 30, 1987

Members of the 1987 Homecoming Court are: Brenda Agen, Scott Bents, Catrina Schweiger, Brent Sirianni, Sheri Huebner, Mark Adler, Kathy Rohl, Mark Schoonveld, Tasha Johnson, Tom Baril, '86 Queen Jennifer Liberty, '86 King Eric Gislason, '87 Queen Barb Agen, '87 King Jeff Rieper, and Junior Royalty Danielle Neuer and Dan Lingen.

The Cumberland Volunteer Fire Department spent virtually all of Saturday evening and much of Sunday morning fighting three separate and successive fires. Dale Lake, of Comstock, and Jon Schmitz of rural Cumberland, are recovering from burns sustained late Saturday afternoon when flames broke out at Lakeside Station. The men were doing routine work on a vehicle on a hoist inside the station, when the fire, of undetermined origin, suddenly enveloped them. They were able to escape through the doorway, both men were hospitalized. The firefighters were then called to a mobile home fire near Twin Pines Tavern. A fire had broken out in straw bales surrounding the mobile home. No damage was done to the home. After returning to the fire hall, and while still there, at 12:20 a.m. they received a call on 2nd Avenue at the building which houses Jim's Barber Shop, Capra's Viking Sewing Machines, Nita's Cafe and an upstairs apartment. Firemen found flames "boiling out the back window." The blaze started in the apartment living room, but the cause is unknown. Nita's Cafe below sustained considerable damage. Jim Cotone, owner of the building, plans to talk with contractors and insurance adjustors before making plans for the building.

40 Years Ago
September 29, 1977

Members of the 1977 Homecoming Court are: Vivian Scribner, Sue Johnson, Dareen Lombard, Terry Jansen, Pam McLellan, Judy Stuntz, Steve Schneider, Mark Schultz, Doug Huebner, Mike Stetter, Mark Strickland, and John Odden.

50 Years Ago
October 5, 1967

Work on the administration wing to the Cumberland Memorial Hospital started this week by Lino Lake Builders of Circle Pines, MN. While the construction is going on all patients and visitors will be required to use the ambulance entrance at the rear of the south side.

The annual rutabaga harvest by the Company Store is now in full swing in the area with good quality and good tonnage, according to Bert Hines. About 300 acres of the vegetable are expected to be harvested. October is the top month for picking and storing the local warehouse.

60 Years Ago
October 3, 1957

A scale model of the proposed High School site has been prepared by Dobberman and Helske, Superior Architects for study by the School Board. The area which will be used by the school project is about 42 acres just northwest of Collingwood Lake. The proposed school building will be about 30 feet southeast of the hospital on a level several feet below the hospital. Between the two buildings at the foot of the hill, is a park-

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Court News

Barron County Circuit Court

Natasha A. Beck, 32, Chetek, operating a motor vehicle without insurance, $200.50, and operating a motor vehicle after suspension of her driver's license, $200.50; Devin E. Begay, 27, Cumberland, operating a motor vehicle without insurance, $200.50; Mahamed B. Bundid, 20, Barron, speeding, 40-44 mph over the speed limit, $452.50 + driver's license suspended for 15 days; Kayla M. Elwood, 22, Rice Lake, speeding, 30-34 mph over the speed limit, $295.00; Vance A. Fetting, 20, Barron, speeding, 20-24 mph over the sped limit, $225.70; Joshua J. Glinski, 34, Barron, speeding, 25-29 mph over the speed limit, $250.90; Amber M. Greene, 29, Chetek, speeding, $225.70; Amanda J. Groehler, 25, Turtle Lake inattentive driving, $187.90; Seth D. Hunt, 16, Barron, operating a motor vehicle left of center line, $213.10; Patricia W. Idle, 29, Rice Lake, operating a motor vehicle after suspension of her driver's license, $200.50; Kyle T. Jaenke-Annis, 31, Cameron, operating a motor vehicle after suspension of his driver's license, $200.50, and operating a motor vehicle without insurance, $200.50; Kevin C. McFarland, 21, Rice Lake, operating a motor vehicle after suspension of his driver's license, $200.50; Chase M. Measner, 28, Amery, speeding, 16-19 mph over the speed limit, $200.50; Nurah W. Osman, 26, Barron, failure to obey traffic officer/signal, $175.30; Cody J. Paul, 17, Cumberland, speeding, 20-24 mph over the speed limit, $225.70; Brian D. Redman, 20, Barron, speeding, $200.50; Elijah L. Redmond, 18, Chetek, operating a motor vehicle without insurance, $200.50; Jacob J. Schmitz, 21, Rice Lake, operating a motor vehicle without two headlights, $162.70; and Amber M. Swantish, 24, Barron, operating a motor vehicle without insurance, $200.50.

The following people were cited for operating a motor vehicle after revocation of their driver's license, (revocation due to alcohol/controlled substance/refusal), David J. Apfel, 38, Rice Lake, $443.00, David L. Kelley, 42, Turtle Lake, $443.00 and Jacob d. Netz, 34, Cameron, $516.00.

Carl L. Matherly, 54, of Chetek, pled guilty to a disorderly conduct charge. He was fined $200.50.

Zakariye D. Ali, 23, of Barron, pled guilty to charges of disorderly conduct and possession of marijuana. He was fined, $311.50.

Brian M. Vobeda, 46, of Cameron, pled no contest to charges of possession of drug paraphernalia, and possession of marijuana. He was fined $311.50.

Shaye D. Strenke, 25, of Rice Lake, pled guilty to a charge of disorderly conduct. He was fined $200.50.

Complaints

Anthony S. Lowe, Jr., 20, of Turtle Lake, has been charged with disorderly conduct. His court trial is scheduled for November 7, 2017.

Garrett W. Garvin, 33, of Luck, has been charged with disorderly conduct. He is scheduled to appear October 11, 2017.

Lorena R. Benjamin, 35, of Cumberland, has been charged with criminal damage to property, and disorderly conduct. Her court date has been set for October 11, 2017.

Kierstin L. Fox, 23, of Cameron, has been charged with possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia. She is scheduled to appear October 4, 2017.

Criminal Complaints

Joseph A. Moen, 49, Barron, has been charged with misdemeanor bail jumping. (Failure to comply with the terms of his bond by consuming alcohol. His adjourned initial appearance was scheduled for October 18, 2017.

Billlie Jo Rich, 42, of Rice Lake, has been charged with theft in a business setting. Her hearing will be held November 15, 2017.

Anthony J. Schaffner, 28, of Chetek, has been charged with misdemeanor bail jumping, possession of THC, and possession of drug paraphernalia. His arraignment is scheduled for November 8, 2017.

Danielle S. Melgaard, 24, of Cameron, and Ciera M. Espinoza, 19,of Rice Lake, have each been charged with possession with intent to deliver THC, as a party to a crime. Their preliminary hearings will be held October 30, 2017.

Nathan D. Schumann, 28, of Rice Lake, has been charged with battery to a law enforcement officer, and criminal damage to property.

The criminal complaint states that on Tuesday, September 26, 2017, at approximately 6:57 p.m. Rice Lake Police Officers Wolfe and Bach were dispatched to a residence located in the area of North Wilson Street. Officer Wolfe had been advised by Barron County Dispatch that one injured subject was outside the residence at that location and that the suspects had left in a black SUV. As Deputy Wolfe arrived in the area, she observed a black Chevy Tahoe stopped in the middle of the street in front of the residence with rear passenger side door open. She also observed that once the operator of the vehicle saw her squad car, he began to drive southbound. Given the fact that Officer Wolfe believed this vehicle may have been involved in the incident, she turned her squad car around to attempt to stop it. She was subsequently advised by Officer Phillips that a male passenger had fled from the vehicle and was running northbound wearing a black t-shirt. Officer Wolfe proceeded to try and locate this individual.

Officer Wolfe subsequently made contact with the male subject on West Marshall Street. When she made contact with him, she observed that he was bleeding from his nose and hands. When she asked him what had been going and why he was inured, he indicated that nothing had happened. She advised him he was being detained in order to determine what had happened to him and what his possible involvement was in the altercation that she and other officers had been dispatched to. The subject was identified as Nathan Schumann. He smelled strongly of intoxicants and had difficulty standing.

Schumann was transported back to the area where Officer Phillips had conducted a traffic stop on the Chevy Tahoe. She made contact with the driver of the vehicle, who advised he had picked up a male individual to give him a ride and that the individual subsequently beat up Schumann. He claimed to not know either of the two individuals. During the time Officer Wolfe was speaking with this individual, her attention was drawn to loud noises coming from her squad car. She observed the rear passenger door of her vehicle bowing out as if it was being kicked from the inside. She also observed Sgt. Bach speaking with Schumann. She observed Schumann attempting to get out of the vehicle and heard Officer Bach advise him to sit back down. Given the fact that Schumann was not complying with Officer Bach, he was directed back into the vehicle by Officer Bach. Officer Wolfe observed Schumann kick Officer Bach in the abdomen area several times, she also observed damage to the door of the squad car. She observed that the rear passenger door would not shut completely and was permanently bowed out. The plastic lining near the door frame was cracked and the squad camera in the rear seat was knocked loose and possibly damaged. She began transporting Schumann to the Barron County Jail and while en route, he stated he was going to "earn his felonies."

If convicted Schumann may be fined not more than $20,000 or imprisoned for not more than six years and nine moths, or both. His arraignment is scheduled for November 1, 2017.

Municipal Court In Session

Municipal Court was held in Cumberland, on September 21, 2017 with Judge Kathryn Ault officiating.

Default

Kyle A. Craine, 28, Cumberland, non-registration of auto, $98.80, and operating a motor vehicle without insurance, $124.00; Cara J. Hill, 21, Cumberland, possession of drug paraphernalia, $313.00; Michael E. Huntington, 40, Cumberland, operating a motor vehicle without proof of insurance, $10.00; Martin D. Ingalls, 32, Shell Lake, theft, $313.00; Stephanie E. Koehn, 24, Cameron, speeding, $98.80; Quang T. La, 42, Anaheim, CA., speeding, $98.80; Charles A. Leader, 49, New Lenox, IL.; improper stop/failure to stop at a stop sign, $98.80; Tanner W. Newville, 18, Cumberland, possession of a controlled substance, $313.00, and possession of drug paraphernalia, $313.00; Toni F. Paffel, 32, Amery, speeding, $98.80, and operating a motor vehicle after suspension of her driver's license, $124.00; Cody J. Paul, 17, Cumberland, disorderly conduct, $313.00; Deborah L. Peterson, 43, Cumberland, improper stop at a stop sign, $98.80, and operating a motor vehicle without a valid driver's license, $86.20; Dean M. Schlader, 36, Urbandale, IA., littering, $313.00; Charleton G. Skinner, 24, Houlton, speeding, $98.80; and Meghan A. Tomal, 24, Woodbury, MN., improper stop at a stop sign,$98.80.

No Contest

David O. Ammentorp, 34, Minneapolis, MN., speeding, $98.80; James D. Bruce, 77, Janesville, littering, $313.00; Thomas A. Dripps, 55, Rochester, MN., passing in a no-passing zone, $136.60; Jose J. Galvan Calvillo, 55, Cumberland, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence, $735.00; David W. George, 49, Ashland, speeding, $98.80; Tanya M. Hexum, 43, Iron River, speeding, $98.80; Amy A. Johnson, 50, Baldwin, improper stop at a stop sign, $98.80; Gary J. Kallsen, 76, Cumberland, non-registration of auto, $98.80; Andrew M. Long, 25, St. Paul, MN., failure to stop at a stop sign, $98.80; Jimmie A. Mehalek, 23, Barronett, unnecessary noise/display of power, $67.30; Crystal K. Potter, 37, Spooner, speeding, $98.80; and Feng Zhang, 39, Cumberland, improper stop at a stop sign, $98.80.

Cumberland Police Department Call Log

Monday, Sept. 18

Officer was notified of a gas drive off in the amount of $26.37.

Officer was notified of a dog in a parked vehicle in front of Subway. The barking dog had been in the vehicle for a half an hour. Officer found the owner in a bar, and he took the dog home.

Tuesday, Sept. 19

Citation was issued to a male subject for operating a motor vehicle with a prohibited alcohol concentration.

During transport of a subject, Officer located an intoxicated individual in Turtle Lake. He contacted the on-duty Turtle Lake Officer and assisted him with the subject.

Officer assisted Barron County Deputy with removal of traffic obstacles that had been placed in the northbound lane of Highways 63 and 8.

Officer was advised of a gas drive off in the amount of $23.31.

Officer assisted a subject who had called 911 regarding a possible intruder. They searched the residence-it was clear.

Wednesday, Sept. 20

Two warnings were given for a vehicle with a tail light out and driver who was speeding.

Officer was out with a vehicle towing another vehicle. Officer advised him to come back with a trailer.

Thursday, Sept. 21

Subject advised that her roommate was moving out and she found white residue in a cigarette wrapper and a few flakes of THC. She said she didn't want to get blamed for any of it. He will be moving out today.

Officer stopped a Fed Ex driver who was going the wrong way at 2nd Avenue and Donatelle.

Officer gave a former hospital patient a ride to his residence.

Friday, September 22

Officer contacted a subject about a boat he had parked on the road for two weeks.

Female subject wanted to fill out an informational complaint regarding a coworker who had been harassing her at work.

Saturday, Sept. 23

Subject advised Officer he received a note from a male subject who said he owned him money and threatened him. Officer advised him to get a restraining order.

Officer was advised of a gas drive off in the amount of $23.86.

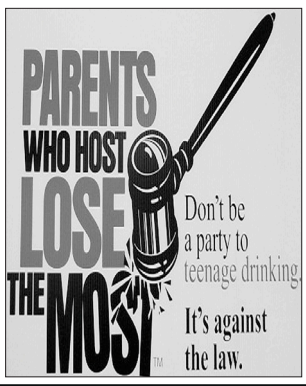
Sunday, Sept. 24

Subject called who had a 4-year-old lost child at her house. Officer located the child's mother.

Officer was advised of a gas drive off in the amount of $28.11.

Officer received a noise complaint. She advised the parties to keep it down.





Cumberland Fire Department

"Safety Tip of the Month"

Hunting safety

It's the time of year when hunters head to their favorite tree stand, jump in the duck boat off to their favorite pond or walk their favorite field in search of small game.

The Cumberland Fire District wants to remind all hunters of some important safety tips:

1. Always carry a waterproof fire-starting kit in a pocket. If you get wet, being able to start a fire is crucial to staving off hypothermia.

2. Have your boat, motor, and trailer serviced before the season starts. Make sure everything mechanical is in good running order and that batteries are at full charge.

3. Always wear a certified personal flotation device when running or paddling a boat.

4. Never go hunting without telling somebody where you're going and when you expect to return.

5. Stock your boat or ATV box with safety gear: survival rations, rope, flare gun, space blanket, hand axe, whistle, etc.

6. Attach a small compass to your parka via pin or string. This way, it'll always be there when you need it.

7. Never attempt to run an overloaded boat. If hunting on a large river or lake, use a boat that's big enough to handle rough water.

8. Treat every gun as if it's loaded, even when you're sure it's not.

9. Before each hunt, open your gun's action and check the muzzle for obstructions.

10. Carry a cell phone in a waterproof plastic bag when hunting. Cell phone service is available in most places around the country. If an emergency arises, you can call for help.

Tree Stand Safety Tips:

11. Always wear a full-body harness also known as a fall-arrest system. Connect to your tether line and keep your tether line short. The tether is designed to keep you in the seat, not to catch you after you fall.

12. Always have three points of contact while climbing into and out of the tree stand: This means two hands and one foot or two feet and one hand at all times.

13. Always use a haul line to raise and lower your unloaded firearm or bow into and out of the stand. You can also use the haul for other things like a heavy backpack.

14. Use a lifeline when climbing up and down, this keeps you connected from the time you leave the ground to the time you get back down.

Wishing all Hunters a successful and SAFE hunt!

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Sports

Rails runs past Beavers in Homecoming game

The Cumberland Beavers ran into a relentless Spooner Rail squad last Friday night dropping a 62-20 decision to their northern neighbors. The Beavers will try to rebound this Friday, when they travel to Maple to take on the Northwestern Tigers.

"We just weren't ready to go for some reason on Friday night, something we haven't seen from our kids this year. Credit Spooner with coming in here and being ready to play. They beat us in every spot," said Coach Corey Berghammer.

Spooner started quickly, jumping to a 16-0 first quarter lead and expanding that margin to 32-6 by halftime. The game ended with running clock.

Spooner provided strong line play and rushing attack, which led to ball control. The Rails had two 100-yard rushers with Ryan Lauterbach piling up 133 yards in 21 attempts and Chase Melton getting 128 yards in 24 carries as the team piled up 441 total yards.

The Beavers, meanwhile, had to play catch-up the entire night and would only rush six times for 60 yards, while completing 20 of 31 passes for 248 yards. The Beavers had a solid 308 yards in 37 offensive plays, but Spooner controlled the ball for over 60 percent of the games clock.

Kobe Berghammer had two touchdown passes in his 20 competitions, hitting Max Narges and Reid Olson with scoring tosses. Narges led the way with six receptions for 109 yards, while Olson caught five balls for 67 yards and Andrew Barnes had four receptions for 42 yards.

Olson led the Beavers rushing attack with 45 yards in four carries, while Berghammer added a rushing touchdown with 15 yards in two attempts.

Defensively, Adam Nyhus, Alex Ricci, Olson, and Berghammer led the team in tackles.

Northwestern shares the Conference lead with Bloomer after a 35-7 win over Hayward last week. They will provide another challenge on the ground for the Beavers defense as running back Regan Ruffi had 266-yards rushing in the contest. Game time in Maple is 7:00 pm. "This week will be an opportunity for us to see where we are as a team," concluded Coach Berghammer.

CC Runs Twice; Fountaine Medalist at Home Meet

The Cumberland Cross Country Team enjoyed participating in two meets last week, starting on Monday when 10 teams came to town for the Cumberland Invitational held at the Golf Course.

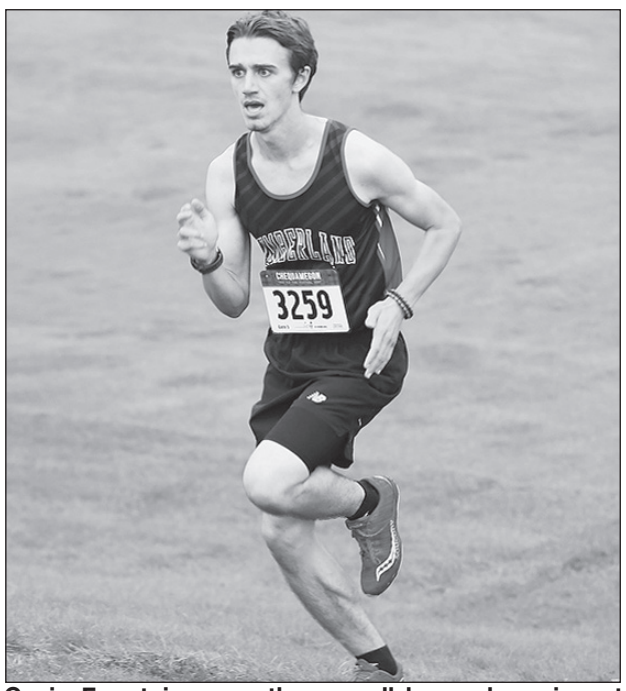
Northwestern would take the boys competition, while Hayward won the girls portion of the meet. For the hometown Beavers, the boys would finish 8th, while the girls would finish 7th.

Cumberland's Gavin Fountaine had a great run and was the boys overall champion with a winning time of 18:27. Zach Hollander was the next closest Cumberland runner, taking 23rd with a time of 20:25.

Nel Hanson of Hayward, meanwhile, won the girls competition with a run of 21:17. Teagan Benson was Cumberlands top finisher in 21st place with a run of 24:09, while Naomi Rodriquez finished 32nd with a run of 26:01.

Thursday, the team then traveled to Ladysmith for a five-team meet. Barron would take both the boys and girls competition, while the Cumberland girls finished third and the boys fourth.

Great Run!



Gavin Fountaine was the overall boys champion at the Cumberlan CC meet with a winning time of 18:27. Photo by Bob Nugent



Zach Hullander gives his all and had a nice run at the Cumberland home Cross Country meet held at the Cumberland Golf Course last Tuesday evening. Photo by Bob Nugent

Tough Night!



Reid Olson # 8 and a host of Beaver defenders combine to haul down Spooner rrunning back Chase Melton Friday night at Endeavor Field. Photo by Bob Nugent

Athletic Hall of Fame Banquet October 14

Tickets are on sale in the High School office for the Cumberland Athletic Hall of Fame Banquet on Saturday evening, October 14. The Banquet, at the Das Lach Haus, will include a Social from 6:00-7:00 pm, followed by the meal and the program. Tickets are $20.00 each.

Six individuals, who were a major part of the history of Cumberland athletics, will be Inducted that evening. They included Coach Bob Davis, Alumnus Bucky DiSalvo, and athletes Mary "Linder" Diemert, Steve King, Tony DiSalvo, and Adam Skinner.

"We need to order meals so we need to get a count of those coming. We hope a nice crowd joins us for this celebration of Cumberland athletic history, which goes back into the 1800's. It is always a great night when we celebrate our athletic accomplishments and some of the individuals who were a part of it," said Committee member, Mark R Fuller.

Middle School Football Teams Fall

The Middle School Football Teams traveled to Amery last week, dropping a 22-8 7th Grade decision to Amery, while the 8th Grade lost 32-14.

For the 7th Grade, Ed Chafer scored the lone touchdown on a 66-yard run. Quarterback David Olson then connected with Nick Casper for the two-point conversion. Cornerback Monty Peterson recovered a second-half fumble and Garrett Craine, Dylan Capra, and Alex Guile led the team in tackles.

In the 8th grade game, quarterback Maddox Allen and receiver Jay Green connected for several highlight reel pitch and catches. Allen and Gavin Jarchow, meanwhile, had the Beavers two rushing touchdown. On defense, Nathan Slawter, Blake Siebert, and Logan Olson led the team in tackles, while Jarchow recovered a fumble.

The teams end their seasons on Thursday, October 12 with games against Clhetek-Weyerhaueser, with the 7th grade starting at 4:00 pm.



Max Narges breaks away on the way to the endzone scoring touchdown on a pass from Kobe Berghammer during the Beavers loss to the Rails. Photo by Bob Nugent



Erik Sandman blasts a shot on goal during the Beavers 3-1 home loss to Barron. Photo by Bob Nugent

Soccer Team Drops Two Contests; At Hayward Thursday

The Cumberland Soccer Team dropped a pair of games last week, losing a 7-3 decision to Baldwin-Woodville and a 3-1 decision to Barron.

Baldwin-Woodville jumped to a 5-0 halftime lead last Monday to take control of that contest. The deficit grew to 7-0 before Erik Sandman added his 14th and 15th goals of the year in the second half. Lukas Bruehl added a final Cumberland goal on an assist from Kevin Koser.

The Barron game was a much closer contest, with the Bears holding a 1-0 lead at intermission. A Bruehl goal would make it 2-1 with 10 minutes remaining, but a final Bears goal gave them a 3-1 final score. "Even though we lost, I was proud of the heart they showed and the effort they put out," said Coach Larry Ruetz. The JV team dropped a 5-0 decision to Barron.

On Tuesday the Beavers hosted St. Croix-Unity in a Parents night game and on Thursday, the Beavers head up to Hayward to take on the Hurricanes in a 4:30 start.

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An Outdoorsman's Journal

by Mark Walters

The Metal that makes a Man

Hello friends,

My brother, Bob Walters is 351 days younger than me. When my parents divorced back in about 1970, Bob chose to live with my mom and spent about a third of his childhood in Florida, the same in Louisiana and the rest at our family home in Poynette.

In mid-May I received a call that changed the lives of myself as well my sisters Lynn, Chrissy and brothers, Mike and Tom. It is very hard for me to write this but Bob is very sick and on that day in May the five of us did the first of many group calls and agreed to take care of our brother in all facets of his life.

We have been doing shifts taking care of him in Walker, Louisiana and this past week I received word that I needed to get down to Walker ASAP. That call meant I had no time to do field work for a story so instead I am going to write about the river called the Mississippi that I followed as I did the 1122 mile drive by myself to see my brother.

When I graduated from high school in no way was I college material. At the time, my brothers, Tom and Mike sent me money in an envelope that said buy a one way ticket out of Poynette, you can always come home.

I chose to hunt all fall in Wisconsin and in early December of 1979, I flew to Baton Rouge, Louisiana to spend the winter with my mom and brother Bob.

One of my first thoughts was that I did not like the city or living in my moms duplex.

My next thought was that I wanted to be a deckhand on a riverboat and work 30-days on and then have 30-days off.

For seven weeks each Monday I had a taxi pick me up at my ma's at 7:00 a.m. and I parked my hiney on the steps of Choten Transportation which was a company that has several towboats that pushed fuel, grain and chemicals up the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers.

Six weeks in a row the personnel director, Roger Davies, walked by a skinny 18-year-old kid as he went up the steps of his building to work, until the 7th week Mr. Davies always said "no" and then I guess you could say persistence paid off and I was granted an interview and hired.

Long story short I became a deckhand on board The Universal Trader and worked 30 day shifts that I extended to 90 and would work six hours on, six hours off. We pushed gasoline and lube oil barges that were full from New Orleans to Louisville, Kentucky and the same barges, empty back home.

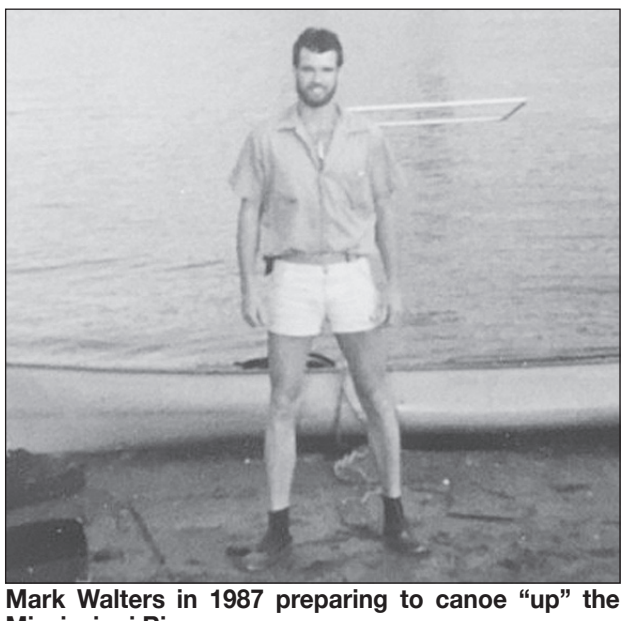
I had a ton of money, a very dangerous job and lots of time off and the adventures were nonstop for a kid that was a senior in high school the January before.

Fast-forward eight years, I have made the decision that I am going to attempt to canoe up the entire Mississippi River. I am 26 and have a huge pull in my soul to do something very different with my life (at this time I was a steel fabricator). I practiced on the Mississippi in Baton Rouge and let me tell you it is impossible to explain this part of the Mississippi. It is either 100-percent industrialized or as redneck and backcountry as you will find in the USA.

My journey covered 980-miles (I blew out a wrist and elbow) and it was incredible, danger was almost an hourly event and once I was sunk by a ship on The Gulf of Mexico.

Thunderstorms arrived almost every afternoon and I always ignored them. My friends piloting the riverboats learned of my story and always waved and often invited me on board for an awesome meal.

Once I was paddling upriver around a sharp bend that had almost more current then I had muscle. I was being hit by a storm that was so powerful that you could see no more then 50-yards.



Mark Walters in 1987 preparing to canoe "up" the Mississippi River

Bad luck came my way when just like that, a river boat headed south with empty barges arrived out of no where and was on a dead on collision to eat me like a whale consuming a minnow. I used every bit of my body and soul to pull right and the left blade of my kayak paddle actually hit the empty barges as they sailed by me.

At the very moment that the captain saw me a bolt of lightning hit the riverboat and myself and changed my life.

I should have drowned or blew up and instead, just like that, the storm passed and my life changed as I swear to God, that from that moment on, I knew I would never settle for a normal life again.

The following year I took a job managing a fishing camp in Canada, the year after "89" I started writing this column and have never missed a deadline.

Make your dreams become reality! Sunset.

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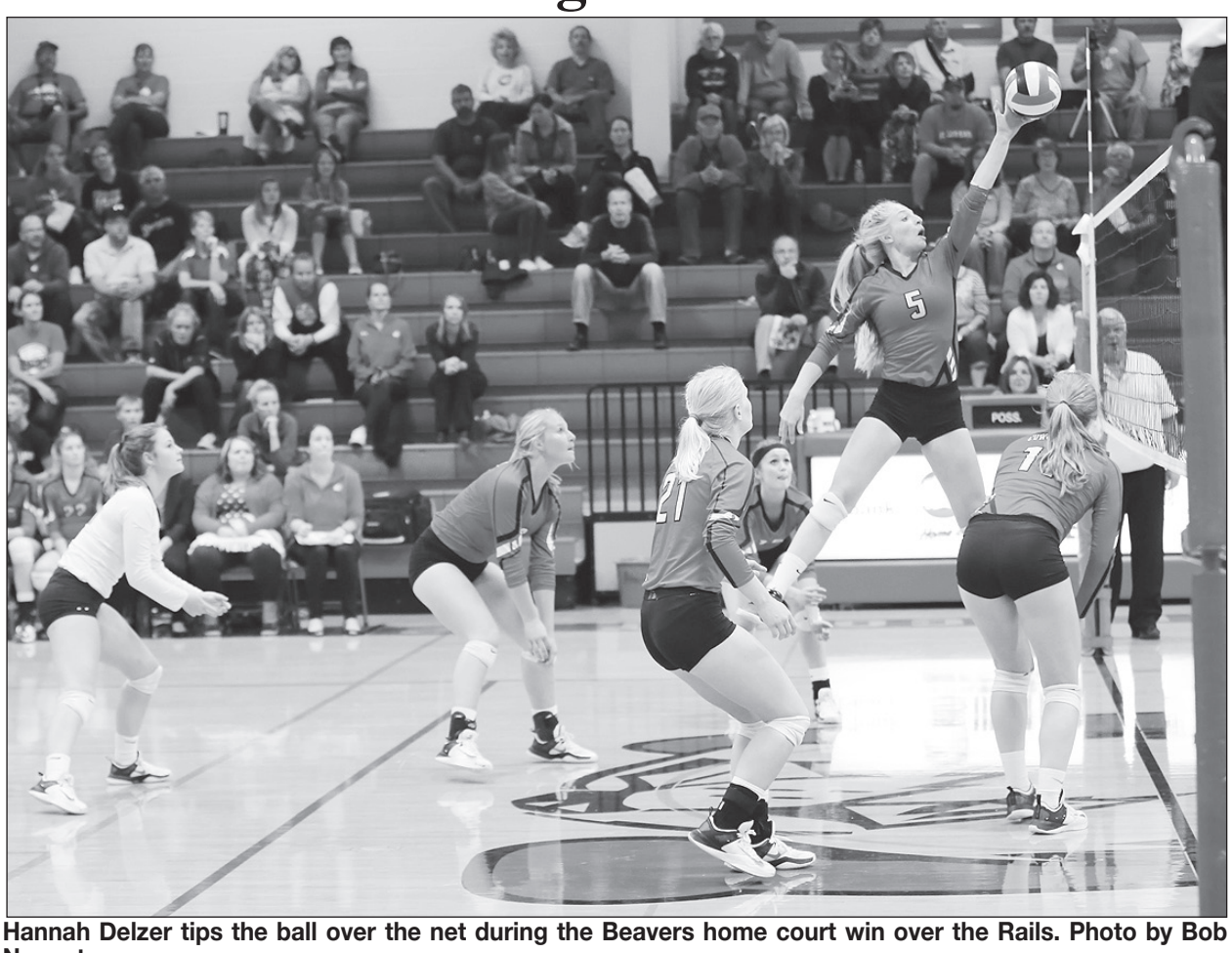
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Big Win!



Hannah Delzer tips the ball over the net during the Beavers home court win over the Rails. Photo by Bob Nugent

Volleyball Team beats Spooner;At HON Tournament Saturday

The Cumberland Volleyball Team played Spooner last week, defeating Spooner in what Coach Jessica Olson called, "a complete effort." We passed and served well and showed we can be very strong offensively when we put it all together," she added.

In the contest, Ania Hyatt had a team-high 12 kills, while Izzy West led the team with 21 digs and 21 assists. Lauren Green added 11 digs and Adreanna contributed six kills. West, Sophie Bassett, and Lauren Green all served well, with Green serving four aces.

The team now travels to Northwestern this Saturday for part of the HON Conference Tournament, held at two sites.

The C-Team and JV Team played in HON Quads last week. The C-Team went 2 and 1, while the JV was 1 and 2.

Hurley versus Augusta at Endeavor Stadium on Friday Night

For local football teams unable to travel to Northwestern on Friday to support the Beavers, there will be a High School game on Endeavor Stadium this Friday night.

Hurley and Augusta have contracted to play on Endeavor Stadium in a 6:00 start. In accordance with Cumberland athletic philosophy, there will be no charge for the contest.

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Jim Berndt is your 2017 Cumberlanf Golf Club Chamion. He beat last year's winner, Daniel Goldsmith, in the final match of the Championship Flight. The first flight of the Club Tournament was won by former Club Champion, Kimm Laursen, who defeated Scott Danca in the final match. There were only the two flights this year.

Sports Calendar

Thursday, October 5

MS Volleyball @ Rice Lake 4:30

Soccer @ Hayward 4:30

Friday, October 6

Football @ Northwestern 7:00

Hurley vs Augusta at Endeavor 6:00

Saturday, October 7

HON Volleyball @ Northwestern

Monday, October 9

Soccer @ Washburn 4:30

9-10 Football @ Hayward 6:00

Tuesday, October 10

HON CC Meet @ Hayward 4:30

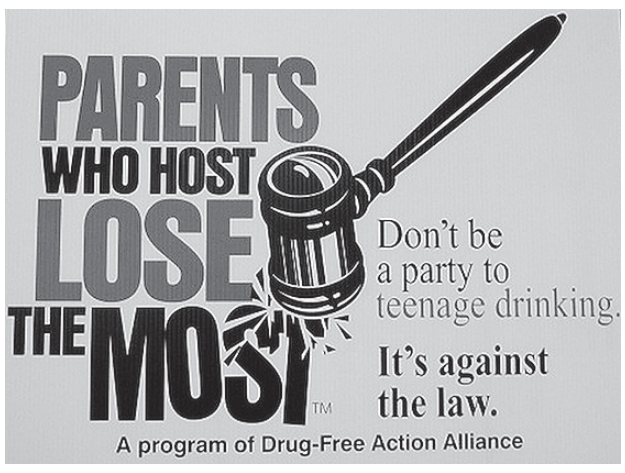
MS Volleyball home vs Bloomer 5:00

Soccer home vs Osceola 7:00

National Runner Up!



Brook Colburn from Almena placed 2nd at the Wisconsin State pedal pull in the 9-year-old girls class. The Pedal Pull was held in Reedsburg on September 2nd. She qualified for the National Pedal Pull which was held in Mitchel, South Dakota on September 23rd. Brook placed 2nd out of 15 pullers at the National Pedal Pull in the 9-year-old girls class. This is the fifth time Brook has qualified for the National Pull and has placed in the top five four out of the five years. There were 14 states represented at the National Pedal Pull. Brook is the daughter of Brent and Heather Colburn of Almena.





HON Volleyball

TEAM	WON	LOST
Bloomer	6	0
Barron	5	1
Hayward	4	2
Cumberland	4	2
Ladysmith	3	3
Northwestern	1	5
Chetek-Weyerhaeuser	1	5
Spooner	0	6

HON Football

TEAM	HON		OVERALL	
	WON	LOST	WON	LOST
BLOOMER	4	1	6	1
NORTHWESTERN	4	1	5	2
CHETEK-WEYERHAEUSER	3	2	5	2
CUMBERLAND	3	2	4	3
SPOONER	3	2	4	3
HAYWARD	2	3	2	5
LADYSMITH	1	4	3	4
BARRON	0	5	0	7

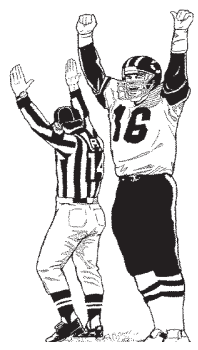
Middle Border Soccer

TEAM	TEAM	GP	W	L	T	PTS	FOI
Amery	AMER	9	7	0	2	16	42
Baldwin-Woodville	B-W	8	6	1	1	13	36
Barron	BARRON	7	5	1	1	11	27
New Richmond	NEWRCH	7	5	2	0	10	47
Cumberland	CUMB	8	4	4	0	8	22
Osceola	OSCEO	8	3	4	1	7	9
Hayward/Lac Courte Oreilles	HAY/LA	9	2	5	2	6	10
Somerset	SOMER	10	0	9	1	1	5
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Correspondents

Barronett News
By Judy Pieper

Imagine a drum roll here- our grandson, Garett Thon, graduated from the police academy at WITC on September 26th. Garett graduated near the top of his class, and he did get the "Top Gun" award for marksmanship. I guess I should probably mention that Garett is Lynn Thon's son, Kandice's husband and Kane's dad in addition to being our grandson. We are all very proud of him and know he will have a long and honorable career as an officer of the law.

Mary Kay Hefty, her helper, Brianna, and her daughter, son-in-law and grandsons, Jodi, Johnny, Dylan and Wyatt Kay, traveled from their home in Anchorage, Alaska to attend the wedding of Mary Kay's nephew Ryan Farr and Sarah Mann. The wedding was held at the Barron County Fairgrounds on September 30th. Guests sat in the grandstand, and the wedding party gathered on a flatbed trailer in the arena which was beautifully decorated in fall colors. The bride and her bridesmaids carried bouquets of fall flowers. Parents of the groom are Steve and Jane Farr, and parents of the bride are Steve and Patty Mann. Sharai Hefty was one of the many guests present to wish the newlyweds well, and she said that everyone had a wonderful time. We all wish the young couple many years of wedded bliss.

Jodi, Johnny, Dylan and Wyatt Kay had to return to Alaska on Monday, but Mary Kay and Brianna decided to spend a few extra days to visit with family and friends. There are so many people that Mary Kay would like to visit that she should probably spend a couple months, but I don't think that's the plan. Hopefully we will have a chance for a visit for at least a couple minutes.

Anitia Lehmann's cousins, John and Pam Peterson, traveled down from Superior to visit last Monday. The cousins picked up another cousin, Patty Miller, in Barron and then went to Family Restaurant in Rice Lake, they did some shopping, some visiting and laughing and just generally had a wonderful day filled with family time.

Randy Lehmann and John Libra traveled from Portland, Oregon to visit with friends and family. They stopped first in Two Harbors, Minnesota, to visit with some friends, and then went to Duluth to attend the Border Crossing Art Fair. After they left Duluth, they surprised Duane and me by stopping in at our bonfire on Saturday evening. (More about that later).

On Sunday morning Anitia, Suzy and Randy Lehmann, John Libra, Jerry Marsh, Dan and Debbie Labbe and Duane and I met at the Hilltop for breakfast before starting our busy day. Duane and I actually had a very lazy day, but anitia, Randy and John worked from the time they left the Hilltop until late that evening. When they got back to Anitia's house, Debbie and Robin Fankhauser also joined them and installed new storm doors. John, Randy and Anitia cleaned and organized shelves, cupboards and closets. I'm sure by the end of the day everyone was ready to sit down, put their feet up and just relax for a week or two.

If you didn't get a chance to visit with John and Randy while they were here, they plan to be back for Thanksgiving and then they will be staying for five days.

Dan Jaastad and Barry Schaffer had a great time during their fishing trip in Canada last week. They caught lots of fish and were able to bring home their limit. I talked to Cheryl Jaastad on Sunday evening and she said that Dan was preparing a nice fish dinner for her as we were speaking.

On Sunday afternoon Cheryl Jaastad, Judy Norton, Laura Schneider, Sarah Lundquist and Ruth Thoe traveled to Emily Hargrove's home in New Richmond to attend a bridal shower for Emily, hosted by her bridesmaids. Cheryl said that they played games, had a delicious lunch and had fun watching Emily open presents. Emily and Jeremy Bartz will be getting married on November 14.

Oh, and speaking of those particular ladies from the Barronett/Cumberland area, several of them are going to be doing a Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure in November. The group consists of Cheryl Jaastad, Judy Norton, Emily Hargrove, Laura Schneider, Debbie Arnes and Natalie Peterson. The entrants all need sponsors for the event, so if you would like to sponsor any or all of them, please give them a call and they will get the sponsorship form to you.

Duane and I invited a bunch of people to a bonfire by our garden on Saturday evening. We had that beanbag game in case anyone wanted to play-they didn't- and lots of food. Some of the guests brought a dish to pass, and just about everyone brought their own drinks. So-we have lots of leftovers. I hope our guests had as much fun visiting with everyone and laughing as we did. We plan to make a tradition of the bonfire the last Saturday in September.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Jeannie Jenkins who passed away last week. Please keep the family in your prayers during this time of sorrow.

I have a joke from my grandson, Wrigley Marsh this week. He called me and asked if I knew why the cookie went to the doctor. The answer was because he was feeling crummy. Now that's a great joke for a six year old.

That's about all I know from Barronett this week. Oh, I almost forgot, Pipe Lake Lutheran is having a chicken dinner this coming Sunday, October 8th. The church is located where County Road G and County Road T intersect. Hope to see you there.

A Look Back...

ing area for about 300 cars.

Showing at the Isle Theatre October 2-5 Elvis Presley starring in *"Loving You."*

Two new club champions were crowned at the Cumberland Country Club for both men and women. Rose Helen Nelson is the new ladies champ. She defeated Helen Lau in the finals. After meeting and beating Dorothy Bohn, Helen Lindfors and Dorothy Johnson in earlier rounds. Ellsworth Erickson is the proud possessor of the title for the men. He defeated Les Mathwig, L. J. Mayer, Norm Osland and Valmer Barrows to reach the finals, where he met and conquered Stub Duncan for the title.

70 Years Ago
October 2, 1947

Mrs. Fannie Zapatka bought the Coffee Cup restaurant on Wednesday from Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frye. The Frye's have operated the restaurant for the past two years.

Work on remodeling and redecorating Erickson Brothers Store was completed this week.

Erivn Linn passed away suddenly Saturday evening. He was employed on the Cumberland Police force, served as deputy sheriff for Barron County and was deputy game warden for two years.

75 Years Ago
October 1, 1942

The first five consecutive nights of killing frost came Wednesday evening when an official low of 30 degrees was registered at the light plant.

Florence Samlaska, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Samlaska, passed the examinations at Milwaukee last week and was inducted into the WAACs. She is the first girl to join from Cumberland.

A large crowd attended the bond show premier at the Isle Thursday after the premier picture showing had stimulated a record $12,550 bond sale in the city during the preceding week.

85 Years Ago
September 29, 1932

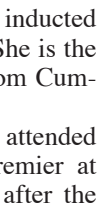
The Bank of Turtle Lake was held up Monday morning at about 11:30 when two men forced three employees and two customers to lie on the floor while the obtained over $1,900 and made their escape.

Farmers were warned to be on the lookout for cattle thieves said to be operating in this territory.

95 Years Ago
October 5, 1922

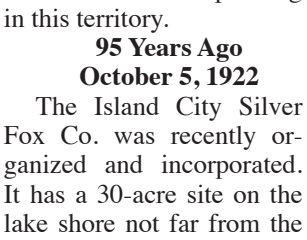
The Island City Silver Fox Co. was recently organized and incorporated. It has a 30-acre site on the lake shore not far from the city. Officers elected were E. N. Hedback, president, F. Schumaker, vice-president, Herb Ewald, secretary, W. G. Miller treasurer and R. L. Kuenzli, director.

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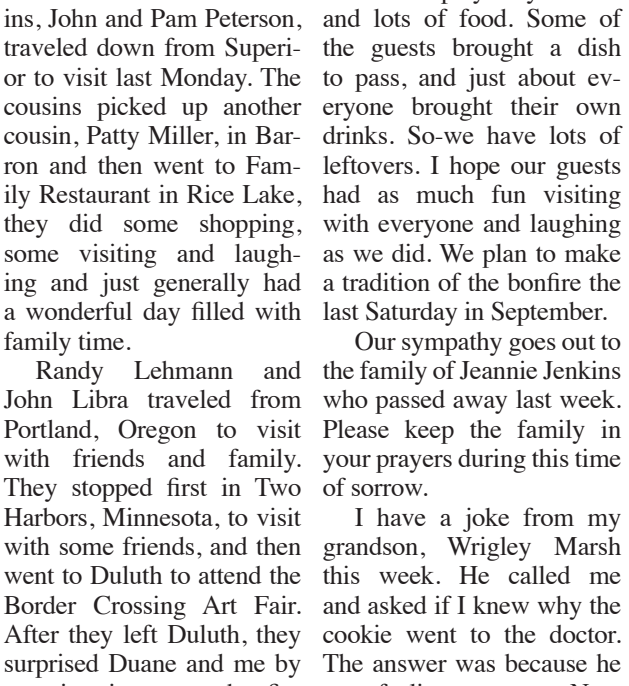


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Louie's Finer Meats participated in the 2017 Wisconsin State Fair meat products competition and came home with awards for six products.

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Products winning State Fair Awards included: Bone-in Ham - sold for $8100 (a new record for the auction); Smoked Polish Sausage - sold for $5000; Smoked Wisconsin Bratwurst - sold for $3000; Dried Beef - sold for $2500; Dry-cured Pepperoni - sold for $1250; Restructured Jerky (not included in the auction). Louie's products sold for a total of $19,850, all benefiting the Wisconsin 4-H Foundation.

Looking for folks born in 1917 or earlier!

Anyone born in 1917 or earlier can be honored at this years' Annual Centenarian Celebration, Thursday, November 16, 2017. The celebration is sponsored by the Aging and Disability Resource Center of Barron, Rusk and Washburn counties and will be held at Rolling Oaks Restaurant, 450 W. Division Street, in Barron. The program runs 10:30-11:30 a.m., followed by dinner for our centenarians, their families and friends that wish to stay. Please contact the Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC) at 715-537-6225 if you know a centenarian we should invite as one of our honored guests, or with any questions. The ADRC can help arrange transportation but requests a family member or caregiver accompany the centenarian.

"The annual Centenarian Celebration gives us an opportunity to pause to thank local residents for their contributions and recognize their wisdom," said Leslie Fijalkiewicz, ADRC Director. "The past century has brought about unprecedented change, and our centenarians provide perspective and insight on what matters most."

This year's celebration is the 18th annual event. In the first year, honorees included a local resident born in 1895! Over the years 42 centenarians have been honored, many of them for multiple years. It's not unusual for them to be accompanied by local siblings in their 90's, so it seems that living in Barron County may contribute to good health!

The ADRC of Barron, Rusk and Washburn Counties helps people live independently and stretch their money. Free, confidential consultations provide unbiased information about local resources for individuals ages 60 +, adults with disabilities and caregivers.

Contact: Kim Cobb, Resource Specialist, kim.cobb@co.barron.wi.us, 715-537-6225

Barron County Rural Schools at October Genealogy Meeting

Barron County rural schools dot the countryside. Remember the "good old days" when they were still open schools? Maybe you or one of your relatives went to a rural school. Carol Halverson, Cumberland native, will present a program on Barron County rural schools for the October 9 Blue Hills Genealogical Society meeting. The meeting will be held at the Barron Senior Center in the Library Complex in Barron, 12 N. 3rd St., Barron, with hospitality at 6:30 and program at 7:0 p.m. The public is invited to this free event.

Mrs. Halverson will show a map of 150 of the rural schools in Barron County and tell about the 1893-1942 8th Grade Graduation record recorded by Barron County Superintendent of Schools Hazel Calhoun. She will talk about what school was like in these rural schools and provide information for genealogists to "flesh out" their ancestors' stories.

Mrs. Halverson's Dahl relatives have been in Barron County since 1882. She attended Finley, Coolidge, Cumberland, and Vermillion schools and graduated from Cumberland High School. She taught 2nd grade at Baldwin-Woodville area schools.

The Blue Hills Genealogical Society has a collection of school histories and records at their Resource Center at 410 E. LaSalle Ave., Suite C, Barron. The Resource is open Mondays from 2:00-6:00 p.m. to the public.

Senior Dining

THURSDAY, OCT. 5
BBQ chicken, loaded mashed potatoes, green bean almondine, crasin walnut bread, blueberry pie.

FRIDAY, OCT. 6
Stuffed baked potato with ham, cheese and broccoli, sour cream and butter, French bread, juice, Oreo desert.

MONDAY, OCT. 9
Chili with sour cream and shredded cheese, cheese sandwich on marble rye bread, apple juice, ice cream.

TUESDAY, OCT. 10
Pineapple pepper chicken with brown rice, Slippery Hill tossed salad, sourdough bread, fresh plum.

WED., OCT. 11
Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, stewed tomatoes, dinner roll, mandarin oranges.

"All meals include milk, coffee and butter. Persons who dine at the Senior Center and those who receive Meals on Wheels are reminded they can use their QUEST Card (Food Share) for their meal donation. For more information call Joanne at 715-537-6225."

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Karen Eva Francisco

Karen Eva Francisco passed away on September 27, 2017. She was born on October 12, 1946 to Lawrence G. Paquin and Alice T. Paquin (nee DeMers) in Cumberland, where she attended school and graduated in 1965. She was united in marriage to Mark Francisco October,1971 in Torrance, Ca.

She is survived by her husband, Mark; daughters: Michelle Francisco, and Lisa Rinehart; two grandchildren; sisters: Barbara Adelman, Lucy Schliemann, Mary Smythe; and brother, Bob Paquin.

A Mass of Christian burial will be held on Thursday, October 5, 2017 at 10:30 AM at St. Anthony Catholic Church with Father Tom Thompson officiating. There will be no visitation prior to Mass. Burial will take place privately.

Skinner Funeral Home of Cumberland is serving the family.



Jeanie Kay Jenkins

Jeanie Kay Jenkins, 70, of Cumberland died unexpectedly on Thursday, September 28, 2017 at Star Valley Medical Center in Afton, WY. She was born March 28, 1947 in Glidden, to Dennis and Kathryn (Ernest) Rein. She was married in Glidden, on February 11, 1967 to Robert Wayne Jenkins. She worked for the Town of Maple Plain as both Treasurer and later as Clerk for over 40 years.

Jeanie loved to travel around the U.S. and the world. She was also a voracious collector of cookbooks, snowmen and thimbles from her many travels.

She is survived by her mother, Kathryn Rein of Glidden; four children: Julie (Dan) Hohweiler of Barronett, Candace Jenkins of Mosinee, Jeri Jenkins of St. Paul, MN and Dennis Jenkins of Cumberland; two grandchildren: Kirsten and Kylie Hohweiler; two brothers: Jim (Jean) Rein of Minocqua and Doug (Diana) Rein of Glidden; her sister, Michele Rein of Land O' Lakes; nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert; her father, Dennis; and her brother, Michael.

A celebration of Jeanie's life will be held at 1:00 PM Saturday, October 7, 2017 at the Skinner Funeral Home - Cumberland with Michele Rein officiating and with visitation to precede the service from 11 a.m. to - 1 p.m.





Aaron D. de Venecia

Aaron Donald de Venecia, 17, of Duluth, died on Friday, September 29th 2017. Aaron was born July 2nd, 2000, in Madison, and lived in Oregon, WI for the first eight years of his life before moving to Ashland. Most recently, he lived in Duluth, Minnesota and attended Marshall School since 2014. Aaron's greatest passions, other than his family and friends, were snowboarding, hunting, fishing and camping- skills he learned with his dad and loved to share with others. He enjoyed a variety of other outdoor activities, as well as photography.

He was silly and fun-loving, and loved to tease and entertain. Aaron brought spark and pizzazz to any gathering. He enjoyed helping others and his magnetic personality made him a natural leader. These attributes led to meaningful contributions in a variety of settings. Aaron was a captain on the Marshall robotics team, as well as a yearbook photographer. He participated in a variety of sports and loved being part of a team. He also enjoyed his new work community at the Tavern on the Hill. Aaron had his sights set on attending Colorado State University and ROTC / National Guard.

Aaron leaves behind a large and loving family, including his parents, Eric and Teresa (Johnson) de Venecia, his siblings, Nathan and Gretchen; his maternal grandparents, Claire and Marjorie Johnson of Cumberland; his paternal grandparents, Guillermo and Marta of Madison; uncles and aunts: Kurt and Katherine de Venecia of Engelwood, CO, Hans and Barb de Venecia of Belleville; Kelly (Johnson) and Paul Kautz of Eden Prairie, MN; Mary (Johnson) and Eric Hanson of Duluth, MN; and Karen (Johnson) and Eric Pardyjak of Salt Lake City, UT; and many cousins: Bryce, Connor and Ciara de Venecia, Ashley and Bryn de Venecia, Kory and Joshua Kautz, Signe, Cara, and William Hanson, and Nolan and Sonja Pardyjak. Eric, Teresa and all of the family wish to extend their sincere thanks to the Marshall School and others in the community for your overwhelming love and support.

Services will be held at 5:00pm on Wednesday, October 4th at the Marshall School Chapel in Duluth, Minnesota with a social gathering and refreshments to follow.

Memorial contributions in Aaron's honor may be made to Amber Wing (615 Pecan Ave, Duluth, MN 55811) or the Marshal School Scholarship Fund (1215 Rice Lake Rd, Duluth, MN 55811).

Arrangements by Dougherty Funeral Home, Duluth.

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Church Directory

"What Would I Say?"
By: Pastor Gary Dorn
Cumberland Baptist Church

As I pondered what to write for this week's Advocate article, I found myself wondering, "if I had the chance, what would I tell people?

I'd tell people that this life is not the whole story. We were created for something far greater than the few brief years we have in this world, by a God who desires relationship with His creatures. It was love, and a desire to share that love, that drove God to create us. It was love that moved God to provide a Savior to restore us to relationship with Him. It is love that pervades all that God has done, is doing, and will do.

If I had the chance, I'd tell people that "sin" isn't only a word of "judgement," it is a word of "discernment." "Sin" means "to miss God's mark." God, who in love, created us to be in loving relationship with Him, knows what is our best good, not just for this brief moment of earthly life, but for an eternity of existence, either with Him (heaven) or forever separated from Him (hell). I'd explain that "sin" keeps us from experiencing the best good in our life and from having the most abundant life.

If I had the opportunity, I'd tell people of the good news that God, in the greatest act of love imaginable, paid the penalty for all sin through Jesus Christ on the cross, so that we could learn to live in right relationship with God, instead of living in shame and guilt, fearing always the penalty of our sins. I would speak of grace, and the amazing opportunity that Jesus purchased for each of us to be transformed into the character of Christ, so that we could live in right relationship with God for eternity. I would share how, because of Jesus Christ, we can have peace with God, live always in grace from God, and be confident that God never condemns us..even as we continue to struggle with sin.

In a world filled with division and fear, If I had the chance, I'd tell people about a Savior who has already overcome this fallen world, and offers something far better, and far more permanent, than this world could ever offer. That is what I would say if I had the chance!

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OBITUARIES...



Edwin Carl Ernst

Edwin Carl Ernst, 89, of Cumberland died Friday, September 22, 2017 at Care and Rehab - Cumberland. He was born November 1, 1927 in Ladysmith, to Carl and Mathilda (Kunkel) Ernst. They later moved to Turtle Lake and farmed. He graduated from Turtle Lake High School and joined the Army during the Korean War in January 1953.

Ed was married in Minneapolis, MN on May 29, 1953 to Gloria Abt.

He was a fisherman and deer hunter. He enjoyed bowling and was the secretary for Old Pro's League for 30 years. Ed also worked for Armour Meat Company as a Food Service Salesman for 38 years.

He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Gloria Ernst; sister, Helen Tarman of Turtle Lake; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, John (Dick) of Richfield, MN; sister, Elsie Kent of Barron; nephews: Randall Kent of Cottage Grove, MN and Vernon Kent of Barron.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, October 3, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. at First United Methodist in Cumberland with Pastor Mike Brubaker officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service.

Burial will follow at Northern Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery. Military Honors will be accorded by Wisconsin Military Honors Team and also by the Anderson-Thompson Post # 98 American Legion of Cumberland.

Skinner Funeral Home of Cumberland is serving the family.

Northwoods Notebook...

Goldsmith said the course was profitable as a nine-hole facility, but "a round of golf is 18," and the board decided to get the city to borrow about $750,000 to expand. As president of the management company, Goldsmith, then a 39-year-old pharmacist, had to persuade the city council, on which he was not serving at the time, that the bonds would be paid back.

The money was used to buy additional property and to build nine more holes. The back nine opened in 1991, and that loan will be paid off with this month's payment.

So what's the secret to making Cumberland Golf Club successful when so many others are not? Goldsmith says municipal ownership means the course doesn't have to pay property taxes and the course qualifies for low-interest loans not available to private businesses.

Another factor is many volunteers do work caring for the grounds, painting and repairing buildings, expecting nothing in return.

In fact, the day Goldsmith and I chatted, he was doing some work on the course with his skid steer.

So what's a pharmacist, owner of The Apothecary, doing with a skid steer?

"Having fun," Goldsmith said.

Having grown up here and left only for college, he said he loves Cumberland and enjoys the making Cumberland a better place for the next generation.

Larry Werner's email is lhwerner47@gmail.com.

PUBLIC NOTICES

INVITATION TO BID

The City of Cumberland is accepting bids for a used 2100 gallon septic pumper truck. Vehicle and equipment specs and bid sheet can be obtained at the Cumberland City Hall , by calling 715-822-2752, or emailing publicworks@cityofcumberland.net, Sealed bids must be returned by no later than **Wednesday, October 11, 2017 at 4:30 pm.** To Keith Hardie Director of Public Works, 950 1st Avenue, Cumberland, Wisconsin 54829. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO REISSUE A WISCONSIN POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (WPDES) PERMIT No.WI-0052701-10-0

FOR THE COMPLETE PUBLIC NOTICE AND DETAILS GO TO THE WEB LINK: http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/wastewater/PublicNotices.html

Permittee: Seneca Foods Corporation, PO Box 35, Cumberland, WI 54829

Facility Where Discharge Occurs: Seneca Foods Corporation, 1055 Elm Street

Receiving Water and Location: Groundwater within the Hay River watershed of the Lower Chippewa River Drainage Basin in Barron County

Brief Facility Description: Seneca Foods produces canned and frozen snap beans for human consumption. The wastewater disposal system consists of three spray irrigation fields and the can cooling water is discharged to two absorption ponds or it may be discharged through the spray irrigation system if needed. Any groundwater impacts from the spray irrigation fields and absorption ponds are monitored by a system of 13 monitoring wells.

Permit Drafter: Sheri A. Snowbank, DNR, 810 Maple Street, Spooner, WI 54801, (715) 635-4131, sheri.snowbank@wisconsin.gov

Basin Engineer: Michelle Balk, DNR, 810 W Maple Street, Spooner, WI 54801, (715) 635-4054, Michelle.Balk@Wisconsin.gov

The Department has tentatively decided that the above specified WPDES permit should be reissued.

Persons wishing to comment on or object to the proposed permit action, or to request a public hearing, may write to the Department of Natural Resources at the permit drafter's address. All comments or suggestions received no later than 30 days after the publication date of this public notice will be considered along with other information on file in making a final decision regarding the permit. Anyone providing comments in response to this public notice will receive a notification of the Department's final decision when the permit is issued.

The Department may schedule a public informational hearing if requested by any person and shall schedule an informational hearing if a petition requesting a hearing is received from 5 or more persons or if response to this notice indicates significant public interest pursuant to s. 283.49, Stats. Information on requesting a hearing is at the above web link.

Limitations and conditions which the Department believes adequately protect the receiving water are included in the proposed permit.

Information on file for this permit action, including the draft permit, fact sheet and permit application, may be reviewed on the internet at the above web link or may be inspected and copied at the permit drafter's office during office hours. Information on this permit may also be obtained by calling the permit drafter or by writing to the Department. Reasonable costs (15 cents per page for copies and 7 cents per page for scanning) will be charged for information in the file other than the public notice, permit and fact sheet. Pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, reasonable accommodation, including the provision of informational material in an alternative format, will be made to qualified individuals upon request.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING STATE OF WISCONSIN SS COUNTY OF BARRON APPEAL #3757

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons in the County of Barron, Wisconsin, that a public hearing will be held on Monday, October 23, 2017 at 9:30 a.m. in Room 2106 of the Barron County Government Center, Barron, Wisconsin, relative to a proposal for a variance to the terms of the Barron County Land Use Ordinance as follows:

Requests a variance to construct an accessory structure exceeding the height limitations, property described as GL 8-9 & Plat 3-2, part of Govt 8 & SW-NE shown as Lot 2 CSM 41/88, consisting of 1.06 acres, located in Section 21, T36N, R14W, Town of Maple Plain, Barron County, Wisconsin.

The Board of Adjustment reserves the right to view the property and may convene in executive session prior to rendering a decision. Contact Zoning Office staff at 715-537-6375 with questions regarding this appeal.

Property owners: Kurt and Lynette Beinlich Trust

Property address: 2656 2 1/2 St., Cumberland, Wisconsin

All persons interested are invited to attend said hearing.

Dated at Barron, Wisconsin, this 4th day of October, 2017.

Barron County Board of Adjustment Jon Sleik, Chairman

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING STATE OF WISCONSIN SS COUNTY OF BARRON APPEAL #3758

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons in the County of Barron, Wisconsin, that a public hearing will be held on Monday, October 23, 2017 at 9:35a.m. in Room 2106 of the Barron County Government Center, Barron, Wisconsin, relative to a proposal for a variance to the terms of the Barron County Land Use Ordinance as follows:

Requests a variance to replace dwelling located within the setback to the side property line and to construct an accessoty structure within the setbacks to a town road and road right-of-way, property described as Lot 10 Tiger Bay, consisting of .3 acres, located in Section 27, T36N, R14W, Town of Maple Plain, Barron County, Wisconsin.

The Board of Adjustment reserves the right to view the property and may convene in executive session prior to rendering a decision. Contact Zoning Office staff at 715-537-6375 with questions regarding this appeal.

Property owners: Gary and Kathy Balster

Property address: 2565 3 5/8 St., Cumberland, Wisconsin

All persons interested are invited to attend said hearing.

Dated at Barron, Wisconsin, this 4th day of October, 2017.

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Holly Nyhus, Clerk Town of Cumberland

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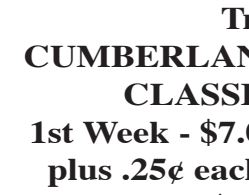
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Snowmobile and ATV "Power Sports Expo" on Oct. 7th

The Rice Lake Snow & Dirt Club's 4th annual "Power Sports Expo" will be held Saturday, Oct. 7 at the Barron County Fairgrounds in Rice Lake from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The event will feature displays, demo rides and sales of ATVs, UTVs and Side-by-Sides as well as Snowmobiles, Trailers and all related merchandise and services. Representatives from Wisconsin's Snowmobile and ATV Associations will also be on hand. This year the event will also feature a Dairyland Garden Tractor Pull starting at 10:30 a.m. Door prize drawings will be held throughout the day and food and refreshments will be available. Swap meet space is available to swappers at no additional charge.

General admission for everything is just $2 including parking (kids under 12 free). The event can be accessed by ATV from the Wild Rivers Trail.

For more information about the event, email dcraw4d1@charter.net or call Ken @ 715-296-3130 or Dennis @ 715-410-1436.

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Cumberland senior football players Colten Wilson (left) and Gio Torres read to elementary students as part of Homecoming activities. The kids all enjoyed listening to the "Big Kids".

The ADRC Will Continue The Work of Volunteer Services

With pride of the past 20 years and confidence that needed services will continue to be available, the Board of Directors announce the impending dissolution of Volunteer Services of Barron County, Inc. (VSBC). According to Charlene Oftedahl, a board member since the organization was formed, it was time to make that difficult decision. "Today there are more community resources available to help people in need than two decades ago when VSBC was created to fill service gaps. This includes more non-profit organizations today that must compete for volunteers, fund raising opportunities, and grants. We must consider who can stretch resources the furthest to provide and expand services."

In the mid-1990s the Barron County Commission on Aging and the staff of the Office on Aging (now the ADRC) were faced with program funding that was not keeping pace with the needs of a rapidly increasing older population. They felt this situation could be helped by creating a countywide volunteer organization as a partner in engaging local communities. A board of directors was appointed to create bylaws and apply for 501c3 charitable nonprofit status. Founding board members included Reverend Dennis Mullen, Dr. Greg Leitheiser, Sister Rosine, Pastor Rick Lund, Colleen Warner, and Charlene Oftedahl. Current board members are Carol Abbuehl, LaVonne Thompson, Karen Chilson, Joyce Haugestuen, Byron Miller, and Charlene Oftedahl.

In 1997 Volunteer Services successfully applied for a Faith-In-Action grant from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation which made possible the hiring of a part-time coordinator to recruit volunteers and develop a variety of community services. Rita Vanek was the first coordinator, assisted by Lynda Sirianni, followed by coordinator Vicki Ondell, and most recently Donna Bachowski. For many years office space was donated by Bethany Lutheran Church in Rice Lake. Currently Volunteer Services is co-located with the Aging and Disabilities Resource Center in Barron.

Volunteers of all ages, representing many organizations and churches, have responded to requests for help from older persons and persons with disabilities living in their communities. The specific services offered by VSBC over the years varied depending on the availability of grants and volunteers. Volunteers have provided rides to medical appointment within the county and to Eau Claire, Twin Cities, and Rochester. Volunteers also provided telephone reassurance, friendly visiting, peer counseling, shopping assistance, light household and yard chores, respite for caregivers, and basic computer instruction and troubleshooting. In the mid-2000s the Barron County Volunteer Senior Home Repair Program merged with Volunteer Services. This very successful program became available in Barron County in 1996 through a grant from the Retirement Research Foundation of Chicago through the Foundation for Rural Housing in Madison. Ken Mosentine and Gary Steglich were volunteer coordinators who recruited and worked with many volunteers to build and install wheelchair ramps throughout the county. Barron Electric Cooperative was the original contact point for ramp requests. Greeners Budget Lumber donated space for building and storing ramp sections. The volunteers also installed grab bars and did minor home repairs.

Volunteer Services' assets will be turned over to Barron County's Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC) which has a similar mission of helping people remain in their own homes. With one call to the ADRC people can get information and assistance in connecting with a wide variety of services and resources to meet their needs. That phone number is 715-537-6225. The ADRC is located in the Barron County Government Center at 335 E. Monroe Avenue, Barron.

The Volunteer Services Board of Directors and coordinator Donna Bachowski wish to thank all the dedicated volunteers who have selflessly given their time and talent to helping others. We also want to thank all the community members who helped with fundraisers over the past 20 years. Garden tours were held annually for the past 15 years. One of the first fundraisers was the musical "Trial of Job", followed later by "The Life and Time of King David," both featuring remarkable local talent. Other fundraisers included a golf tournament, raffles and silent auctions. Additionally we are grateful that the worth of our organization was recognized and rewarded by local United Ways and community funds, by clubs and organizations, by foundations, and through individual donations. Together we have made a difference in many people's lives for two decades. We are confident that the tradition of "connecting those who can help with those who truly need the help" will continue.





