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Former Cumberland Resident gets Promoted to U.S. Coast Guard Commander



Hans Holmes (left) is the son of Michael and Jill Holmes of Cumberland, WI. Travis Thul is the son of Wanda Shepard (and step-son of Tom Shepard) of New Richmond, WI and Michael Thul (and step-son of Joy Thul) of Sarona, WI. He is the grandson of Lavonne and the late Vernon Nelson of Cumberland, WI and the son-in-law of Debby and Harold Johnson of Rice Lake, WI. Hans followed his late grandfathers into service. His paternal grandfather was a Marine wounded on Okinawa who received the Purple Heart during World War II's Pacific Campaign. His paternal step-grandfather and maternal-grandfather also served during World War II in the Navy and Marine Corps, respectively. Travis followed his father, father-in-law, grandfather, great-grandfather, and many other uncles, aunts, and cousins into military service. Travis' father and father-in-law enlisted during the Vietnam War, his maternal grandfather was a veteran of the Korean War, and his great-grandfather served on the Western Front in World War I.

This past weekend, U.S. Navy Senior Chief (ITCS) Hans Holmes presided over my (Travis Thul) U.S. Coast Guard promotion to Commander. He and I are both alumni of the Cumberland School District (having left in 2001) and still have family in the area. He enlisted into the Navy after graduation and I commissioned into the Coast Guard after

graduate school in 2008. Hans has been a friend of mine since we were both quite young and graduated with my wife (Bonny Thul - formally Johnson). His parents played an instrumental role in my youth as well, providing guidance and mentorship throughout high school and beyond. Through sheer serendipity,

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Ribbon Cutting!



A ribbon cutting ceremony was held for NorthLakes Community Clinic Thursday, July 27th. Tours were given and a light lunch was provided during the grand opening. Congratulations and welcome to Cumberland. Pictured from left to right are Chamber employee Shelly Heup-Briese, Chamber Board member Louis Muench, Chamber President Jon Hile, NorthLakes CEO Reba Rice, NorthLakes Clinic Manager Nikki Liedl, NorthLakes Director of Regional Operations Tara Skar, Chamber Coordinator Emily Schutte, and Chamber Board members Ben Stevens and Krista Johnson.

NorthLakes Community Clinic - Cumberland Celebrates Grand Opening with Ribbon Cutting Celebration

Cumberland, Wisconsin, NorthLakes Community Clinic - Cumberland has moved into a new location to be able to offer better accessibility to the community. The Cumberland Clinic currently offers Behavioral Health, Psychiatry, and Patient Supports, such as Health Insurance Enrollment, Sliding Fee Scale Assistance, and Social Supports.

NorthLakes took over these services from Cumberland Healthcare earlier

this year and has worked closely with them to make the transition easy for the patients receiving care at this location.

"We are pleased to be able to serve the people of Cumberland," NorthLakes CEO Reba Rice shared. "Any time we can work with a community partner to ensure we can maintain access in a community is a win-win for patients and the greater community." A ribbon cutting hosted by the Cumberland Chamber of

Commerce was held Thursday, July 27th to honor the occasion and was attended by local and state officials.

NorthLakes is a Federally Qualified Health Center that accepts most types of insurance, Medicaid, Medicare, and offers a Sliding Fee Scale to those who qualify. NorthLakes Mission is to respond to the health care needs of our communities with an integrated array of quality services and actively remove barriers to care. Cumberland is one of 16

clinic locations, including several that are in nearby communities including Birchwood, Hayward, Minong, Rice Lake and Turtle Lake that provide high quality care to everyone regardless of their ability to pay.

To connect with NorthLakes call the Cumberland Clinic at: (715) 822-1000 where you can get more information and schedule an appointment. Learn more about NorthLakes on their website: nlccwi.org.

Cumberland Woman Charged With First Degree Reckless Homicide

Rosemarie F. Hart, 38, of Cumberland, has been charged with first degree reckless homicide and second degree recklessly endangering safety.

A sergeant, with the City of Rice Lake Police Department,

reports on May 3, 2023, at approximately 10:25 pm, he was on duty when he responded to a motel, located in Rice Lake. The sergeant reports he responded to the motel for a welfare check on a subject,

after a female called the Barron County Communications Center expressing concern about the subject, who she had not heard from since Sunday (April 30, 2023). The female advised the subject's vehicle and bicycle

were at the residence.

Upon arrival, the sergeant reports he made contact with another female outside the subject's apartment. The female was attempting to call the subject. The sergeant re-

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Going Going Gone!



The old building located between St. Croix Dock & Lift and Roots Coffee on Main Street was demolished and removed late last week. The building had housed various small businesses the past couple years but changed frequently. We will have to wait and see what happens with the now open space. The owners of the property were unavailable for comment.

C a m e r o n Man Arrested for Terrorist Threats

On Sunday, July 30, 2023, at 11:20 p.m., the Barron County 911 Center received a 911 call from Ben and Maggie's Town Pump reported a male subject just brandished a firearm at the front door and made some threats.

Deputies from the Barron County Sheriff's Department responded to the area and after a short search located a male suspect matching the description. The suspect was taken into custody and had a firearm in his possession.

Scott Popple, 34 of Cameron, is being held in the Barron County Jail on charges of Terrorist Threats and is awaiting formal charges by the Barron County District Attorney's Office

Per Chris Fitzgerald, Barron County Sheriff

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Golden 'Baga Hunt 2023

Clue #1

Its August and the
time was right

but you already missed the
shadows in the night

A drab pitch,
as one might say,
across the road
turn night into day

How many times does one
go into three,
one thing for sure,
you can't ask Marie

REMEMBER!

The 'Baga medallion will only be found on PUBLIC land. It is NOT at the Library! Again, we ask each of the 'Baga hunters to respect private property and confine your hunt to public areas. Good Luck.

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2 Wednesday, August 2, 2023

Dovre Lodge, Sons of Norway Meeting

Members of Dovre Lodge and the public are invited to attend “Music in the Park” featuring the Red Symphony Orchestra, Tuesday, August 8, 2023. The concert will be at 7 pm at Veterans’ Park band shell, 20 East Stout St. Rice Lake, WI. Dovre Lodge members are invited to arrive early and bring a picnic supper or purchase sup-

per and snacks from the Golden Kiwanis food truck. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy some wonderful music. Sons of Norway is a non-profit organization for women, men and young people interested in Nordic culture and heritage. Come and join us for an evening of fellowship, fun and music.

Card of Thanks

A big heartfelt thank you to everyone who helped look, and spread the word for our dogs who went missing during the storm. Unfortunately both were found deceased after getting hit by a vehicle.

Pat and Mary Kolstad

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Good wishes to JEFF STREETER as he retires from the Cumberland Food Pantry!

From the early days in the furnace room and court room in the old City Hall building to the short move to the old Police Department in the old City Hall and finally to the new facility built specifically for the pantry, Jeff has been involved – from unloading deliveries, filling food boxes, ordering food, building shelving, and, yes, in the old days, even playing cards on a slow Friday. Through many years and many changes, Jeff has been a mainstay at the pantry.

From the Board of Directors, volunteers, and the families you’ve served – grateful thanks



Vincent

- ETC Presents -

Written by Leonard Nimoy
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Directed & performed by Philip Warner

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7 pm

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Jeremy Westin, left, and Gerard Bents are the Polk-Barron Street Project. They will be playing from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 8, on Library Lake as part of the Island City Music concert series. They are sponsored by Louie's on the Lake, which will be serving food at the concert.

Polk-Barron Street Project plays Aug. 8

Two-fifths of the band that played last week on Library Lake will play Tuesday, Aug. 8, in the next Island City Music concert. Gerard Bents and Jeremy Westin, who are part of Cool To The Touch, perform as the Polk-Barron Street Project and will be on stage from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The concert is sponsored by Louie's on the Lake, which will also be serving food at

the free performance. There is one more concert after Tuesday's — Balterdash, sponsored by Northwoods Brew Pub, on Aug. 15. The Tuesday concerts are presented by Enrichment Through Culture (ETC), Cumberland's arts council, along with local businesses and organizations. Also on concert Tuesdays, the Cumberland Farmers Market is set up alongside the library,

and the school district's kayaks are available for use during the music. Bring a chair. If it should rain, the concert will move to the Cumberland Arts Center, as will the farmers market. Questions? Email lhwer-ner47@gmail.com.



ETC (Enrichment Through Culture) is proud to bring you the

Island City Music Concert Series
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Join us on **Tuesday, August 8 • 6-8 pm**

Polk-Barron Street Project

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THE SWAN BEACH VENDOR EVENTS WILL BE ON THE GROUNDS ALL WEEKEND!
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**Ruby's Pantry**

Saturday, August 5

Distribution will be held at Cumberland Fire Hall as a drive through Pantry. Everyone Welcome! Please do not arrive before 6:30 AM NO Registration Required Distribution from 8 to 9:30 AM

Donation is \$25 per share
Cash Preferred - No Checks Please
✓ Cumberland's Ruby's Pantry will remain a drive through Pantry at the Cumberland Fire Hall.
✓ The Fire Hall is located behind the Elementary School. You will be directed to line up in the 3M parking lot. Please follow our parking directors.
✓ Fast Track guests will line up on the far side of the 3M parking lot.

We would like to recognize and thank our community partners for their continued support:
3M, Ardisam, R Local Sanitation, City of Cumberland, Cumberland Fire Department, our monthly volunteer groups, our on-call volunteers that join us on short notice.
We couldn't have Ruby's without all of you.

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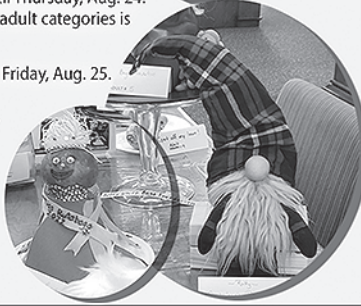
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DRESS A 'BAGA Contest 2023

BE PART OF THE CUMBERLAND FUN! WIN CUMBERLAND CHAMBER BUCKS! OPEN TO ALL AGES.

- Purchase your rutabaga or pick one up at the TSAP Library beginning Wednesday, Aug. 16.
- Get your 'baga dressed and to the library by Monday, Aug. 21.
- Vote from Tuesday, Aug. 22 until Thursday, Aug. 24. One vote per day for youth and adult categories is allowed.
- Winners will be announced on Friday, Aug. 25. GOOD LUCK!

Pick up your dressed 'baga by Monday, Aug. 28. (Unclaimed baggy will be thrown away).
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**CUMBERLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS**
Upcoming Events

THURSDAY, August 3 • 6 - 7:30 am CCE: Pickleball •
FRIDAY, August 4 • 6 - 7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 11:15 am - 12:00 pm HS Impact Testing
SATURDAY, August 5 • 9 am - 12 pm Beaver Dam Lake Management District • 1 - 3:00 am CCE: Pickleball
MONDAY, August 7 • 6 - 7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 4:30 - 6 pm CCE: Choose Fit • 5 - 7:00 pm CCE: Pickleball
TUESDAY, August 8 • 6 - 7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 7:30 - 10 pm CCE: Adult Coed Volleyball
WEDNESDAY, August 9 • 6 - 7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 4:30 - 6 pm CCE: Choose Fit • 5 - 7:00 pm CCE: Pickleball • 7 - 8:30 pm Wrestling OTI for K-12 grade

COMMUNITY ED OFFERINGS

Kayaks & Music on Beaver Dam Lake
Cumberland Community Education is proud to announce for the 7th year that Cumberland School District kayaks and life jackets will be available on Tuesday evenings during the Concert Series on the shores of Library Lake from 6-8 p.m.
Kayaks will be available beginning: Tuesday, June 20, 2023
Cost: Free however, donations will be much appreciated! So come on down, listen to some tunes, and bring the whole family! ***Launch located across from Auto Value Highway 63**
So that we are prepared and know you are interested please reserve your kayaks by Tuesday morning of the week you wish to use them by calling the following number: Susan Bridger CCE Director, HS 715-822-5121 ext. 403 / sbbrid@csdmail.com

Summer Tabata Fitness:
Tabata-style workouts are comprised of 20 seconds of all-out effort followed by 10 seconds of recovery. Each Tabata consists of 4 exercises repeated twice lasting 4 minutes with a minute in between each Tabata. This HIIT (High-Intensity Interval Training) workout routine will get your heart rate pumping while sculpting your muscles. Modifications will be provided making this class beneficial for a wide range of fitness levels.
Join NETA (National Exercise Trainer Association) certified fitness: Tirzah Zipperer for a 45-minute Tabata workout session
Time: 5:15 pm to 6:00 pm
Location: The patio on Endeavor • unless bad weather then middle school gym
Date range: 5 Sessions: July 11, July 18, July 20, July 25 and July 27
Cost: \$35 for all 5 classes or \$8 per class
Bring: Yoga mat and light hand weights if own plus a water bottle
To register for this class or for more information contact: Susan Bridger CCE Director HS 715-822-5121 ext. 403 / sbbrid@csdmail.com

Cumberland Pickleball for All Seasons
ANY DAY - ALL DAY come and enjoy the Pickleball/All Sport Courts at ISLANDER PARK (at the end of 8th Avenue by the Hockey Arena) Open and ready to use! Bring your own equipment. When the weather forces you inside, visit the Cumberland Elementary School (Enter through the Gym Doors - Open from 6:30-7:30 am)
Monday Evening • 5:00 - 7:00 pm
Wednesday Evenings • 6:00 - 8:00 pm
Saturday Afternoons • 1:00 - 3:00 pm
Cost: FREE

Class of 1959!



The Cumberland High School class of 1959 celebrated their 64th class reunion on July 7th at Hilltop Retreat. Pictured seated in front row from left to right are: Judy (Goldsmith) Haupt, Judy (Paffel) Greener, and Susan (Curnow) Breedlove. Second row from left to right are: Donna (Heppnen) Newell, Norma (Coleman) Halbeck, and Raymond Nelson. Back row from left to right are: Richard Barrows, Gerald Cordes, LaVonne (Olson) Batalden and Bob Johnson.

Generous Donation!



Pictured from left to right: Northwood Technical College Senior Advancement Officer, Brian Schroeder, Northwood Technical College Foundation Executive Director, Kim Pearson, WESTconsin Business Loan Officer, Josh Lindseth, and WESTconsin Vice President – New Richmond, Marie Gremore.

WESTconsin Credit Union Donates \$25,000 to Help Launch New Medical Program

WESTconsin Credit Union is pleased to announce the donation of \$25,000 to Northwood Technical College Foundation. The donation will support the college's new Medical Laboratory Technician (MLT) program that was created in partnership with Westfields Hospital after years of struggling to fill the many vacancies in the field. The \$4.75 million project will provide students with lectures, labs, and clinical experiences they need help meet the workforce shortages for all hospitals within the St. Croix Valley and beyond. "WESTconsin Credit Union is proud to support Northwood Technical College as they look to better the healthcare workforce

of western Wisconsin. Our contribution will help the college give students quality education and training for aspiring medical laboratory technicians and address the growing demand," said Stephanie Rasmussen, Chief Experience Officer. "Together, we are Inspiring Better." The MLT program was approved in 2018, but the college has struggled to secure enough funding to officially enroll students. With WESTconsin's donation and others gifted to Northwood Technical College Foundation and Westfields Hospital Foundation, the college's goal is to enroll students for the fall 2024 semester. WESTconsin Credit Union has been serving

members since 1939, and membership is open to anyone who lives or works in the Wisconsin counties of Barron, Buffalo, Burnett, Chippewa, Clark, Dunn, Eau Claire, Jackson, Pepin, Pierce, Polk, Rusk, St. Croix, Sawyer, Taylor, Trempealeau, and Washburn, or the Minnesota counties of Anoka, Chisago, Dakota, Goodhue, Hennepin, Isanti, Pine, Ramsey, Scott, Wabasha, and Washington, with a \$5 minimum deposit in a Membership Savings Account. Credit unions are financial institutions owned by their account-holders, and member funds are federally insured by the National Credit Union Administration (NCUA) up to at least \$250,000.

PIT Count Results for Barron County

On Wednesday night, July 26th, a handful of staff and volunteers from The Salvation Army paired up and hit the streets at 10:00 p.m. in sweltering weather to count the number of unsheltered people in Barron County. This bi-annual Point-In-Time Count (PIT Count), required by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), provides a snapshot of homelessness throughout the entire county. The searchers - equipped with backpacks containing shelter contact information, snacks, water, hygiene items, a towel, blanket (to

lay on) and bug spray - explored the places where homeless individuals are commonly found, living in their cars in parking lots or on park benches, and the remainder of the county. Any unsheltered individuals would be given a backpack and offered shelter. By the end of the search, which lasted into the wee hours of the morning, two unsheltered individuals were discovered. HUD then compares this number with the 24 homeless individuals that were sheltered at Benjamin House that night. Thus, preliminary data determined

that on July 26, 2023, there were a total of 26 homeless individuals in Barron County - 24 of whom were sheltered and two unsheltered. The mission of The Salvation Army is to preach the gospel of Jesus Christ and to meet human needs in his name without discrimination. For more information as to how The Salvation Army is working toward combating homelessness in Barron County go to: <https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/barroncounty> or visit: www.facebook.com/BarronCountySalvationArmy.

Northwoods Notebook: A retired teacher's serious one-act play By Larry Werner



Phil Warner

I got to know Phil Warner several years ago when he and I were in a play called "Death by Design." It was typical of plays ETC puts on at the Cumberland Arts Center — wacky and fun. Phil, who was the music teacher at Cumberland Elementary at the time, played a vain playwright named Edward Bennett married to an equally vain actress named Sorrell. I was asked to play an escaped mental patient with socialist tendencies.

Several of you have remarked the role suited me perfectly. I was blown away by the acting ability of Phil, who truly became Edward Bennett as the cast acted its way through the comedy about a murder in a cottage where the Bennetts, the socialist and other strange folks had gathered.

A couple years later, Phil stole the show in the play "Guys & Does," in which he played two characters: Joe Jimmy Ray Bob Johnson III, an arrogant Texas big-game hunter, and Staghart of the Golden Horns, an albino buck being pursued by the Texas hunter. "I've always had an easy time on stage, easier on stage than addressing people as myself," Warner said last week at the arts center, where he has been rehearsing for a play very different from anything he's ever done and different from anything ETC has ever presented.

Not only is "Vincent" not a comedy, it's a play with one character — Phil Warner as the brother of famous Dutch painter Vincent van Gogh. I should warn parents upfront that this guy who spent his career teaching music to kids, and directed children's plays at ETC, says Vincent "is not for kids." It deals with issues such as suicide and prostitution. So how, I asked, did this former elementary teacher, this brilliant comic actor, come to be doing such a serious play?

"When I retired, I needed something to keep myself busy," he said. "So I read a number of small-cast plays. This was one that struck me as something that could be done here."

Phil said he's always loved van Gogh's work, but he became fascinated by the story of the man, who faced many mental challenges before ending his life, and Phil was taken by the letters the artist had written to his brother. The play consists of Phil, as Theo van Gogh, and sometimes as Vincent, reading from the letters and showing van Gogh paintings on large screens on either side of the stage.

The play takes place a week after van Gogh had died in July of 1890. Theo, who was so grief-stricken he couldn't speak at his brother's funeral, had rented a lecture hall in Paris to tell admirers about Vincent's

life. "That's what this play is: It's Theo van Gogh telling this group of admirers in Paris about Vincent," Warner said. Something else unusual about this play is it was written — and acted around the country — by Leonard Nimoy. Yes, that Leonard Nimoy: Spock of "Star Wars." Warner said he suggested the play to Mike Clay, ETC's theater chair, and Mike suggested it for Rutabaga Festival week: Aug. 23-26. "I said, 'I don't know if it's the right mood for Rutabaga,'" Warner said. "He said, 'It's perfect because I don't have to try and find a big cast, which is always hard because people are busy doing other things during Rutabaga'" Clay said he agreed to the idea because "Phil wanted to do it. Phil is one of the most talented, artistic people we have. So when Phil wants to do something, I try to make it happen." So on the Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of Baga week, you can take a break from the heat, rides, games and music downtown and watch a one-person play in air-conditioned comfort. The tickets are \$12 and can be purchased at Peter & Annie's Coffee Shop & Café or can be reserved by calling 715-822-2787.

So what else is Phil Warner doing since retiring from teaching a few years ago? He plays guitar and sings in a trio called Home Again, raises chickens on a plot of land south of Haugen and takes care of his elderly mother, who lives with him. He said this play, which he calls "a retirement project," is the kind of drama ETC should offer, in addition to the funny stuff. "I think there's a place for all types of things in theater," he said. "Not just the fun, which I love. I think we can be exposed to other things in theater as well, and I think that's important. I hope people come to it and think it's worthwhile. I do." Larry Werner's email is lhwner47@gmail.com.

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Out My Window

by Paul Bucher, Editor

Well gas prices have jumped .30 cents in the last week. .30 cents in one week!!! It’s crazy how fast they go up, but how slowly they come back down. It’s pretty unusual this time of summer to see the increase. I’m reading excessive heat and production caps are the culprits. The U.S. average is \$3.80 per gallon. Here in Cumberland we are at \$3.84. If it’s not one thing it’s another. Look around, you might be able to save a few bucks.

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The first BAGA clue is in this weeks paper. It’s hard to believe it is August already and Rutabaga is just a few weeks away. Man this summer is flying by. They seem to go faster and faster every year. You always hear when you’re younger, that time flies but don’t really pay attention to it. I can assure you I pay attention to it now. Anyway, I have lots yet to get done this summer then it will be wood season. Get out on the lake while the getting is good!

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Football practice opens up this morning on Endeavor Field. It will be nice to see some activity. These past couple of weeks have been super slow sports wise. It seems that baseball and softball summer programs are shorter every year. I guess that’s just a sign of the times. Less youngsters playing sports, fishing, hunting and so on. Too much computer time and social media stuff as far as I’m concerned but that’s just me.

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Check out Almena Fun Days this Friday and Saturday. There will be tractor and truck pulls, a pedal pull for the youngsters and good food and drinks available. Proceeds to benefit the Almena Fire District and Knights of Columbus. The event takes place at Shadyside Park both Friday and Saturday. Stop by for some fun entertainment and to support two great causes. Get outside, and have a great week!

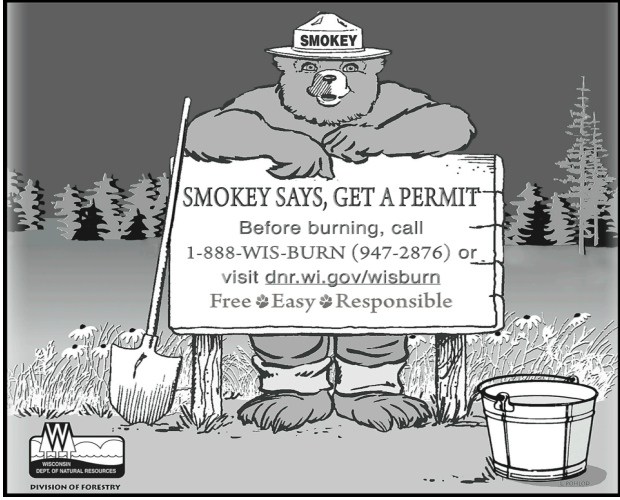
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Weekly deadline is 2:00 p.m. on Friday

Inside Wisconsin

by Tom Still

“A tale of two cities: One seeks to grow and prosper”

SUPERIOR, Wis. – They are twin cities in many ways, but it’s much more fraternal than identical. Superior, Wis., and Duluth, Minn., are both port towns on the western shore of Lake Superior. Separated only by a bay and connected by two bridges, they share a history tied to shipbuilding, railroads, iron ore, grain, timber and many other cargo goods. Both are cool in the summer, cold in the winter and surrounded by North Country beauty year-round. There are more differences than similarities, however, especially when it comes to the cities’ respective economies. During a recent visit for a Wisconsin Technology Council event, my “compare and contrast” was a reminder that cities must constantly refresh themselves and their economies to compete in the region, the nation and the world. For the moment, Duluth has a distinct edge – but Superior is planning ways to come back. In days gone by, Superior and Duluth were somewhat closer in population – about 40,000 in Superior in the early to mid-1900s versus 78,000 for Duluth in the same era. The split wid-

ened over time to about 27,000 for Superior today and 87,000 for Duluth. Superior retains something of a working-class heritage while Duluth almost feels like an extension of the Minneapolis-St. Paul region to the south – more techy, a bit more artsy and somewhat more prosperous. Household income data and other metrics bear that out, and so does the industry mix, which currently tilts in Duluth’s favor when it comes to sector diversity. That could swing back in a positive way for Superior if some current and planned initiatives work out. About a year ago, a mix of entities focused on promoting startup growth took up residence in a refurbished post office building in downtown Superior. The Superior Entrepreneurship Center will be joined soon by the latest branch of the WiSys “VentureHome” project, a University of Wisconsin System initiative to combine statewide and local resources to help launch and grow young companies – often building off campus-based technology. The center also features co-working space and other spots for young businesses. Nearby is the UW-Superior campus, where an Applied Research Center will open this fall. Other existing research help foster the region’s role as a transportation and natural resources hub, such as the Great Lakes Maritime Research Institute, the Lake Superior National Estuarine Research Reserve, and the Transportation and Logistics Center. Some commerce-ready ideas could spring from those types of programs. Meanwhile, the Superior Business Improvement District – Wisconsin’s largest in area – is working to rejuvenate core retail businesses and generally increase “foot traffic” by visitors and residents alike. Superior can attract visitors year-round, and director Kelly Peterson thinks a convention center might spur further growth. More working capital and a bigger workforce are among the goals of business and academic leaders in Superior, including UW-Superior Chancellor Renée Wachter, whose priorities include business engagement throughout the region. Parts of the campus “Forward Superior” plan that runs through 2024 emphasize forging strategic partnerships and translating research into commercial or other action. Another trend may be

working in Superior’s favor: The arrival of so-called “climate refugees.” Amid one of the hottest summers on record and with water in short supply in some places, there is solid evidence that migrations are taking place globally and even nationally. Some economists predict cooler communities near bodies of water will become a draw, much like southern U.S. cities were after the widespread adoption of air-conditioning in homes. Finally, Wisconsin’s tax climate – much maligned by some but always in need of improvement – is more favorable than conditions in Minnesota. Tax Foundation rankings for business taxes show Wisconsin at 27th among the 50 states, while Minnesota stands at 45th. So why not locate on the Superior side of the bridge? Different cities can build on their own unique attributes, even if fortune and past decisions haunt them. Superior is one example of a city working to improve. *Still is president of the Wisconsin Technology Council. He can be reached at tstill@wisconsintechologycouncil.com.*

A Look Back

10 Years Ago
August 7, 2013
Cumberland Healthcare’s Governing Board has approved plans to move forward with expanding services to Turtle Lake by opening a medical clinic in the community. The new clinic will offer family practice, laboratory, radiology and rehabilitation services. The new 5,000 square foot clinic be located on Highway 8 in Turtle Lake (the former Torgy’s).

20 Years Ago
August 6, 2003
Donald Lloyd, who served as a police officer in Cumberland for 28 years and eight months has retired from the force. He has served Cumberland as a patrol officer, and investigator and as an evidence technician. He will be greatly missed by his community. Russell Laursen, of Cumberland, is one of nine undergraduates from around the country chosen to participate in a national science foundation research program at the Milwaukee School of Engineering. Laursen is studying fluid flow applications of solid free form fabrication.

30 Years Ago
August 4, 1993
The employees of the Irwin Company in Cumberland are literally putting their money where their mouths would be. In

a most generous vote, the employees decided to forfeit this year’s company picnic and donate the amount of money budgeted for the event to assist flood victims. A check in the amount of \$2,350.00 will be donated on behalf of the Irwin employees. A new Ad Agency has arrived in Cumberland. The business, run by Vonnie Baum-Olson is located at Iargon Lake Court. The business will work in print, radio, and television. They will produce brochures, coupons, bumper stickers and much more.

40 Years Ago
August 3, 1983
Cumberland Fire Chief Bob Mack said the fire department was called to extinguish a truck fire on a highway three miles south of town. The truck, owned by Gary Nyhus, Cumberland, was a total loss. The fire may have been caused by a broken gas line. Top Cumberland blood donors were Wanda Flesch (45 pints), Salita Hilton (31 pints), and Cora Bergstrom (44 pints).

50 Years Ago
August 2, 1973
Workmen last week poured the walls for the vault at the new city hall in downtown Cumberland-the old Cumberland Clinic building. The walk-in vault, which is an extension to the north of the building, is next to the present city hall. Airman Debra Ann Gideo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gideo, has been appointed to the rate of Aviation Storekeeper Third Class in U.S. Navy. She is a 1971 graduate of Cumberland High School.

60 Years Ago
August 8, 1963
In an effort to help local police combat, some juvenile delinquency and “prospective” delinquents, the city council passed a new curfew ordinance for 16 and 17 year old youngsters. The curfew is 10:00 pm on Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays and 11:00 pm on Fridays and Saturdays. There will be a \$25 fine for any violation.

80 Years Ago
August 5, 1943
One end of the barn was moved about six inches off its foundation on the Nick Nelson farm east of Cumberland by the strong wind Wednesday evening last week. Other damage at his place included the chicken coop which was blown over with the loss of about a dozen chickens.

90 Years Ago
August 3, 1933
The special offer of a renewal or new subscription to the Cumberland Advocate for \$1.00 per year is drawing to a close. This special offer will be in effect only three more weeks.

2023 WEATHER

Date	Hi	Lo	Pre.
7/25	83	63	-
7/26	89	64	.13
7/27	87	67	Tr.
7/28	91	64	1.35
7/29	85	57	.03
7/30	75	55	-
7/31	74	55	-

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Welcome to the 91st

AUGUST 24-27

Sports

The 2023 Football Team Opens Practice

by Mark Fuller

Tuesday marked the opening day of practice for the 2023 Cumberland Football Team. The Beavers are coming off a 6 and 4 season that ended with an opening round loss to Stratford in the WIAA Playoffs.

The team is under the direction of first-year coach Tony Disalvo, who was an All-State running back for the Beavers before graduating in 1980. Disalvo played on one of Cumberland's six Conference Championship teams, when the 1978 squad went 7 and 1 in the HON to capture the Title.

High School Football in Cumberland goes back to the 1890s, when Cumberland first played the sport under the guidance of Principal Pease with player names like Jacobson, Doar, and Sampair. Football had evolved from a combination of soccer and rugby with touchdowns worth only five points until 1913.

The early field was located below Mill Hill across from what is now Seneca Foods, the land was quite low and loads of dirt and pallets from the cannery used for fill. A player would occasionally hit a spot on the field where they would break through and step onto a pallet during a game.

In 1925, 1887 Cumberland graduate F. W. Miller donated a large portion of money to build a new field for the community. It occurred right after the building of the new school building, which opened in February of that year.

On May 25th, the Beaver Booster announced the major project would soon be starting on District athletic facilities saying, "Our high school has recently been presented with another much-needed gift. Our football teams have been forced to play on a very rough and dangerous piece of ground, which visiting coaches have always criticized. But those days are gone forever, thanks to Mr. Fred Miller."

The Advocate would eventually say, "It was a very short time before the football field was alive with men, teams, and scrapers. Soon, we will have within four blocks of the school, one of the finest places for a gridiron in the state of Wisconsin."

The first game on this new football field took place against Barron on September 2, 1926. The Beavers defeated their southern neighbor 20 to 0 as the Beaver Booster described, "The main reasons for Cumberland's scoring were Ben Strickland's line plunging and Clarence Alfonse passing."

Seven years later, three years into the Depression, the School Board decided to purchase a new football field site which adjoined the Heberlein addition where 3-M stands today. Secured for \$1,200, Board President W. N. Fuller said the new location would be called, "Moser Field," and indicated work for the project would come from a National Civil Works Fund, which would pay a bulk of the money needed to employ the eventual 67 men needed to fill in the swampy area.

A representative from the

Federal Emergency Relief Act eventually met with the School Board and gave them a quote of 43,000 yards of dirt needed to properly fill the site. Turned over to the city, the City Council eventually approved their share of the money, \$2,182.80 needed to complete the project.

The first games were played on Moser Field in 1936. The Beavers football teams would win five Conference Titles while playing there from 1936 to 2012.

The first came in 1945, when the Beavers went 4 and 1, suffering only a 10-7 loss to Spooner. Led by Coach Elmer Beran, the team featured the strong running of Nick Gargaro and Cal Skinner and a passing attack led by quarterback Vernon Youngberg and receiver Jack Young. Among their wins was a one-point victory over Rice Lake to take home the Cowbell and a 1-0 forfeit over Barron, when all but eight of the Bears players skipped school on their Homecoming game day.

The second Title came in 1958, when the Beavers went 5 and 2 in Conference play to secure the HON Championship. Led by the running of Bill Ovitt and Ed Norton, Cumberland defeated Spooner 27-13 to become Co-champions with Ladysmith. Jim Dimick served as the Beavers Head Coach and had a strong group of 13 seniors which put together the Championship season.

Twenty years later, the Beavers secured title number three. The 1978 team, led by Coach Roger Wistrcill, went 7 and 1 in the HON and were led by a strong set of ball carriers, including Disalvo, Tom Peichel, Ryan Lehmann, and Steve Jansen. Disalvo would lead the way with 1,191 yards in 182 carries.

The fourth Championship on Moser Field came in 1998, when the Beavers again went 7 and 1 in HON play to claim the top spot over eight competitors. Coach Mark Fuller's Beavers featured a strong running game led by Adam Diesterhaft and Jake Naesen, who combined for over 2100 yards on the ground. Solid defensive play from the likes of Trevor Ault and Adam Skinner, and outstanding Special Teams led by All-State kicker Jay Gagner, made for a team tough to beat.

There would be several other strong Cumberland teams over the next 14 years, but it wouldn't be until 2012 when the Beavers Claimed HON Title number five. This time it was Coach JR Buckley and a strong group of seniors who took home first place with a 6 and 1 mark.

Kyle Narges was the First Team All-Conference quarterback, while the speed of running backs Travis Miller and Zach Nyhus and the toughness of linebacker Jaylen Lansin provided plenty of big moments for Cumberland fans that fall.

The reason that would be the last Championship at Moser Field was that in 2013, the Beavers moved into beautiful Endeavor



Beautiful Endeavor Stadium is ready for another fun fall!

Opening Practice!



Beavers opening day practice for the 2023 football season. Good luck guys!

Stadium, set into the hillside on the east side of the Cumberland School District Campus.

With the swamp that had been filled 77-years earlier no longer able to host the Beavers without a major overhaul and through the hard work of Superintendent Dr. Barry Rose, the School Board, and the generosity of Claire and Marjorie Johnson and other community individuals and groups, a new era began for Cumberland Football.

The first home game on the gorgeous new facility

took place on September 6, 2013.

The most recent Championship came three years ago, when the 2020 Beavers took home the sixth First place finish. Playing during the year of Covid restrictions, Cumberland under Coach Corey Berghammer went 7 and 0 with a strong passing attack that featured Maddux Allen, Jack Martens, Sam Schradle and Da Shaun Ames. It was another magical year of football for the fans of the "Island City."

Looking to add to the long line of football memories

this fall are a group of enthusiastic coaches and players. First Team HON linebacker Jack Chafer, joins Second Team linebacker Roman Ranallo, as two players on which Coach Disalvo can build this year's team. Ranallo also returns as the Conferences 8th leading rusher with 404 yards last fall.

Other top returners are Ryker Allen, Ben Cunningham, Boaz West, Cooper Schramski, Chayden Berghammer, Derek Gideo, and Gabe Erickson among others.

Disalvo says his goal is for the team to, "Play hard, play as a team, and enjoy the sport." Helping him will be assistants Jace Martens, Isaac Lundquist, John Peterson, Spike Gideo, and Ben Gilbertson. Fans will have an opportunity to get a first look at the team at a home scrimmage scheduled for August 11, with the season opener scheduled with Hayward on August 18.

It's time for another season of Cumberland football. "Go Big Red."

Grades 5-12 Athletes and Parents Code of Conduct Meeting will be on Monday, August 14 at 6:15 pm in the High School Gym. This is a Mandatory Meeting

Cumberland Area Fishing & Hunting Table

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08/04 Fri >	8:20	2:07	8:45	2:32	05:55	08:31	10:27p	9:26a	3:40a	4:05p	*
08/05 Sat	9:16	3:04	9:41	3:29	05:56	08:30	10:47p	10:46a	4:29a	4:54p	*
08/06 Sun	10:11	3:59	10:35	4:23	05:57	08:28	11:08p	12:04p	5:18a	5:42p	*
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An Outdoorsman's Journal

by Mark Walters

The Garden of Eaten!

Hello friends,
This week I can say I am living on the edge of crazy. Last night my editor, Selina Walters told me that she had to move my deadline up 4 days. I decided to do my annual garden/independent living story. Today an infection that I had in my hand spread to my left arm, shoulder and chest and it was taking me down in a heartbeat. I went to one clinic, then a hospital where good people tried saving the day. I just drove home from that and Selina needs this column because she lives in a super remote area, meaning no reception.

Also, Selina has held this position since she was a junior in high school and she is flawless.

The Garden! It's not just a garden, it's a way of life for me, kind of like heating with wood and having the stove in my living room. In the winter, my cattle are fed hay and grain in my garden which is next to my house. The hay that does not get consumed helps my sand to hold moisture in the summer. Northern Juneau County has some of the worst soil in the state, not my garden.

I know it's not right but since I lost Michelle, the garden, my pond, the pups and firewood seem to be keeping me positive. I am dam good at gardening; and I have the right to be proud.

In a week I will start harvesting my first of four crops of sweet corn, and at about that same time my 26 tomato plants and five different types of peppers and onions and garlic will just be getting ripe for chili. Last year I made and froze 26 gallons in either 1 quart or 1-gallon bags. I will use either elk, venison or bear burger, double bag the chili and Selina and I will have enough until next August.

Potatoes. I have 260 hills planted of Yukon Golds and Norland Reds. I still have some left from last

year but have been sneaking some fresh "reds" for the perfect meal. Here is a very typical MGW meal. Norland Reds, either broccoli, peas, or green beans fresh from the garden and either fish fillets or venison, elk, or bear.

Selina is gone all summer and has been every summer since the end of her freshmen year at UWSP. Because I know how much she likes fresh veggies, I just planted a crapola load of broccoli, bean and peas that will be ready when she gets home in late August. The 3rd and 4th crops of sweet corn will also be here for her in September.

The chickens. I have grown a ton of zucchini of which though there is plenty now, the majority will be ready starting late August. Zucchini is fresh food for my hens

The calves. Red my golden retriever pup loved the last group, and she loves this group as well and they love her. Red will hang out with them in their pen and in the pasture, she will taunt them into chasing her.

The Pond! The pond is 15 paces out my front door, it is work and a learning process. About all I can say is that it will be the best tv on earth and will be deep enough to provide me with some panfish for the table.

I will swim, ice skate, fish and most importantly, look at it!

In closing, you can only imagine how close I came to losing my health today due to this infection. I have now been home from the hospital for a grand total of 2 hours. The pain will not let me sleep but it will pass, and the sun will come up in the morning!

Now I gotta send my jibberish to my editor!

Sunset



This winter the cattle that you see in the background will be where the garden presently is, that is one of the reasons Mark Walters has a very healthy garden.



Growing extra large zucchini is excellent for bread and fresh chicken feed.

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From the Rough Riders



DNR Seeking Landowners To Host Fall Gun Deer Hunt For Hunters With Disabilities

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources is looking for landowners to host hunters with disabilities for the 2023 Gun Deer Hunt For Hunters With Disabilities.

Participating landowners, the event's sponsors, have opened their properties for this special hunt since 1992, providing opportunities for approximately 400 hunters each year. The 2023 hunt will take place Oct. 7-15, 2023.

To host a Gun Deer Hunt For Hunters With Disabilities, landowners must have at least 60 acres available and be able to host at least three hunters. To sign up, fill out an application by Aug. 1. Be sure to fill out all the property information fields.

"For over 30 years, this unique hunt has allowed hunters with disabilities to experience the thrill of hunting whitetails," said

Ally Magnin, DNR Assistant Deer and Elk Specialist. "It's a special opportunity for those who experience unique challenges and is only possible through the generous support of our landowner sponsors. Their willingness to partner with hunters and open their land is why this hunt continues to thrive."

Wisconsin's outdoor experiences are for everyone. The DNR is committed to providing various hunting, fishing and recreational permits and unique opportunities designed to give people with disabilities the opportunity to partake in Wisconsin's time-honored traditions and enjoy the state's abundant natural resources.

For more information, visit the DNR's Deer Hunting for Hunters with Disabilities webpage or contact Ally Magnin at ally.magnin@wisconsin.gov.

Sports Look Back, August 8 1963

Russ Laursen of Cumberland officially broke the all-time record in the time trial event at the Rice Lake Speed Pit Saturday night when he sped around the oval in 15.32 seconds. Later in the program, Laursen sprinted into victory in the super modified feature event nearly half a lap ahead of the second place car. Following him to the checkered flag was Dick Wilhelm of Duluth, MN., and Buddy

Mayala of Barron.

Axel Dahlberg of Rice Lake drove on to a victory in the late model feature race, with Dick Breimeister of Clear Lake and Bud Havel of Rice Lake grabbing second and third spots.

Harlan Dahlberg of Poskin was first to the finish line in the stock feature. Jerry Amundson of Rice Lake took second and Aldy Knutson of Rice Lake settled for third.



The lines were long on Monday, July 31st as people waited for Bob's Barronett Produce sweet corn and other tasty veggies. Look for the truck at the four corners for the next several weeks!

DNR Offers Unique Deer Hunting Opportunity To Assist With Research Study

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is offering a unique hunting experience this fall at the Sandhill Wildlife Area in Babcock to help with a research study on deer density. This special permit hunt will be held on Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, 2023. Applications are due Aug. 14.

"The last time an archery hunt was held in Sandhill was 1968, so we are looking forward to offering this opportunity to archers this fall," said Darren Ladwig, DNR Wildlife Biologist at Sandhill.

This hunt is open to all licensed archery hunters and is restricted to archery equipment, which includes crossbows and vertical bows. A limited number of applicants will be accepted.

Successful applicants will be required to review the special hunting rules and regulations for Sandhill before the hunt. Hunters will be issued two harvest authorizations, an either-sex permit and an antlerless-only harvest authorizations. These harvest authorizations are only valid at Sandhill during the two-day hunt.

Successful applicants will be notified a week after the deadline. Unsuccessful applicants won't be notified.

Apply for the 2023 Sandhill archery deer hunt by downloading a copy of the application and mailing it to the following address before Aug. 14, 2023:

DNR - Archery Deer Hunt
Sandhill Wildlife Area
PO Box 156
Babcock, WI 54413

Almena Sportsman's Club Summer Trap League Results

Team Totals

5 Guys – 650
Nyhus Insurance – 646
Echo Valley – 612
Rouzer Farms #1 –603
Wisconsin Arc – 597
Becker's Trucking –591
Hotel Bar – 587
Toombs Septic –582
The Goonies –579
Spare Time –568
Vision Builders – 560
4 ½ Men – 559
Vets Club – 545
Ardisam – 538
Halco Press – 523
Almena Meat Co – 507
Rouzer Farms #2 –504
JJS Auto Body – 476
Twin Pines Ladies –434
Top Men
Brent Scribner-25

Brady Blechinger – 25

John Ricci – 24
Willie Manor-24
Ethan Yeske-24
Tom Rouser-24
Dillan Snowbank-24
Brandon Peetz-24
Top Women
JoAnn Scribner – 23
Kassy Coleman – 22
Mandy Rouzer – 21
Megan Waite – 19
Brenda Rouzer – 17
Ashli Hines-17
Stephanie Behling-17
Top Youth
Ryanne Nykannen –24
Brandon Wright – 22
Walker Nykannen –22
Vincent Stoll – 22
Braxton Riebe – 22

THANKS FOR READING THE ADVOCATE

By Judy Pieper

The Washburn County Fair was, once again this year, fantastic. Duane and I went to the fair on Saturday and had a great time. We ate way too much, naturally, I mean, who can resist the 4-H kitchen, the ice cream stand and all the fair food. It's a good thing there is only one fair per county per year or we'd weigh 300 pounds. Duane has been telling everyone about how delicious the garlic-butter French fries were at Papa something-or-other booth. I didn't have any so I can't vouch for it, but I'm going to have to sneakily get that recipe somehow.

We checked out the chicken and rabbit barn, the arts and crafts exhibit and went to the livestock auction. While we were walking around the grounds, we noticed a beautiful chainsaw carving of the front of a horse. Upon closer examination we saw that it had been done by Lucas Arnes. I'll tell you what – that young man has talent.

It was so great talking to people that we don't see often enough – Verna Dahlstrom, Dan Denver, Jase and Addie, the Arnes family – the list goes on and on. We even met one young man who enters calf roping competitions in rodeos and is a good friend of Jeremy Olson. It was a great way to spend a Saturday evening.

We had an overnight guest Saturday. Tina Anderson's little dog, Peanut, stayed with us while she enjoyed a night out

with friends, Pat and Lisa. They started out at the fair, then spent a little time at Kloppe and then spent the rest of the night just hanging out and visiting. She said that she had a very good time.

Now we can look forward to the Rutabaga Fest in Cumberland. We are going to have to take a quite a few brisk walks to wear off all the county fair calories before we start eating the hot pepper sandwiches and homemade pie at the Rutabaga Fest. It will be held the weekend before Labor Day weekend, and we are hoping that our friends, Bill and Sally Evans, will drive up from Stoughton to go to the Fest with us again this year. You know what – It would be really great if our friends, Julie and Tim, would travel up from Ft. Lauderdale for Rutabaga Fest. It's been way too long since we've seen them.

One other thing you can add to your calendar if you would like – the Scandinavian Smorgasbord, hosted by Oak View Adult Family Home, which will be held on November 5th, starting at noon. We look forward to all the fun (and work) of getting everything decorated beautifully, having the food ready and visiting with everyone who comes for dinner. We hope to see you at that time. (You can bet that I will remind you of this several times before the first of November.)

Our garden is going great. You know, of course, that we didn't have

any damage from either storm that went through last week. We have lots and lots of summer squash, cucumbers, peas, onions, tomatoes – and other stuff. I hope we can give lots of it to friends and neighbors because we are not going to be able to use it all ourselves. Duane has been working way too hard trying to keep everything picked. I think, maybe, next year we will try to have a community garden so that everyone can enjoy the fruits of their labor. Let me know what you think of that. I hate to admit it, but we are getting a little old for such hard work.

It seems like some of the corn that was damaged by hail last week is making a come-back. I wasn't sure if it would perk up again, but the fields on old 63 look almost okay. Man, I hope it will be okay – The farmers work way too hard and have enough to worry about without losing their crops.

I am very sorry to report that our good friend, Scott Tiffany, passed away last week. Scott has been a resident of Barronett since 2016, was a wonderful man and was well liked by everyone who knew him. Please pray for Jean and the rest of his family for comfort as they go through this time of great sorrow.

I think that's all I know from Barronett this week. Hope you have a great week, and I'll see you next time.

In Loving Memory

MOM

My Mom was not a big talker nor a big lady in stature. In fact, some would call her "petite." However, in my eyes and in my life she was very big. All I know is in time of need she was always there: to hug to listen, to console and to encourage. In school I accomplished good grades partly because I was a perfectionist and partly to make Mom proud.

Sometimes I have joked what made Mom and me so close was this petite woman birthed me at 9½ lbs, biggest of five. As a little boy, it was Mom who played football in the yard when a younger brother would rather watch TV. And the next day it was Mom who barely could get out of bed. You see, I had asked Mom to trade brother Tommy for the boy down the street who was shooting hoops in his driveway. Also it was Mom who I credit for my shooting prowess in basketball as she rebounded while I practiced.

Additionally, Mom was also a terrific caregiver. Yes, it was she who recovered from almost fainting to care for me when witnessing blood flowing from my face when I had fallen, knocked out my front teeth and poked a hole in the roof of my mouth. There were other accidents. When I climbed on anything she shouted, "Get down from there or you'll fall, break your neck and poke an eye out." A testament to my coordination or lack thereof.

I recall as a kid how she ironed our cotton bedding with an appliance called a mangle. It consisted of a large heated roller which pressed down on a feeder tray as the sheets passed through it. Later when the time came it was Mom who taught us all to drive a car.

In recent years Mom did not let up on me about dropping some pounds. Upon being served breakfast when hospitalized she called me and said, "You know, if you would lose some weight." The first morning I grew suspicious when I was served a breakfast which consisted of a small muffin and two orange slices. The second morning I was served a small muffin and one orange slice. Then I was certain that Mom had gotten word to the hospital kitchen.

As an adult I asked a dentist if I could have an extracted tooth to place under my pillow. Upon visiting Mom the next day there was a pillow where I usually sat. I picked it up and revealed a dollar bill. Ironically, she broke a tooth off that same day at lunch. That night under her bed pillow that same dollar bill reappeared.

Anyone who met Mom thought she was a "good person." None of us kids ever heard Mom cuss or swear, call someone a name nor for that matter even speak ill of anyone. Surely if someone ever deserved to go to heaven it was Mom. However, as a Christian I was perplexed. Will she really go to heaven? To be sure, not long ago when I shared from God; Mom accepted Jesus as her Savior, acknowledged Him as the Son of God and stated that she wanted to go to heaven. Since I never heard or saw Mom sin, I left her confession and subsequent forgiveness be between her and God. Now I am confident that Mom, Dad and my late wife are all residing in those heavenly realms. Since I chose previously to come to Christ, even though much less perfect than Mom, some day I will be with them all again. As Mom, Margaret, passed away this past week, a couple months shy of age 103, initial heartbreak and sadness have changed into great peace and great joy. It's not goodbye Mom. It's I will see you soon.

James Coil
Cumberland, WI

SENIOR DINING

Thursday, August 3

Baked ham, squash, buttered peas, assorted bread, pineapple chunks.

Friday, August 4

Meatloaf, mashed potatoes/gravy, steamed carrots, assorted bread, chocolate cake.

Monday, August 7

Baked fish, boiled potatoes, tomato and cucumber salad, assorted bread, chilled pears.

Tuesday, August 8

Chili baked potato topped with beef & bean chili, diced onions, shredded cheese, dinner roll, mixed fruit.

Wednesday, August 9

Liver and onions, mashed potatoes/gravy, buttered corn, assorted bread, Texas sheet cake.

Lunch is served at 11:45 am and includes milk and/or coffee. Suggested contribution is \$5.00 per meal for anyone 60 years or older and \$10.00 full cost for those under 60. Please reserve your meal 24 hours ahead of time by calling The Cumberland Senior Center at 715-822-8794.

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OBITUARIES



Phyllis J Harper

Phyllis J Harper, 63, of Hudson, WI died Saturday, July 29th, 2023 at Our Lady of Peace Hospice in St. Paul, MN after a 7 month battle with Acute Myeloid Leukemia.

She was born on January 21st, 1960 in Cumberland, WI to Ted and Annie (Graf) Adascheck. As a senior in High School she was crowned Miss Cumberland during the annual Rutabaga Festival and spent many a summer weekend riding the float at local festivals and also attending the St. Paul Winter Carnival. She graduated from Cumberland High School in 1978. After graduation she became an actor with the Rainbow Road Company Children's Theater out of U.W. B.C.C.

in Rice Lake, WI. She met her future husband , Tom, there in Rice Lake. They were married June 14th, 1980 in Hudson, WI where they resided.

Phyllis attended WITC New Richmond and earned a degree in accounting and held positions at Concordia College, St Paul and Erickson's Oil Products.

On August 13th, 1988 Phyllis and Tom were blessed with their son, Matthew, who was born with Cerebral Palsy. They became tireless advocates for their son and other disabled people in the Hudson area. They actively participated in the One Block Run for CP, Bridge for Community Life, and other charitable organizations. Phyllis worked for Hudson Area Schools in the Food Service area for 20 years, and managed the kitchen in the E.P. Rock Middle School. Even though food prep was her job, she loved to cook for family and friends. Her annual birthday party for son, Matt, was always a feast of lovingly prepared food.

The love of theater never left Phyllis and she loved movies, drama, comedy, and whatever related to acting.

She had a prodigious memory for the names of actors and could quote memorable lines from scores of movies.

Phyllis is survived by her husband, Tom and son, Matt. Also, siblings Arnold (Phyl)Adascheck, Norman (Kathy) Adascheck, Sandy (John) Bonneville, Candy (Jim) Cotone, and Beverly (Mike) Thomas, and brother-in-law Bud Ranallo. She was predeceased by her parents, Ted and Annie Adascheck, and sister Barbara Ranallo.

A Celebration of Life for Phyllis will be held Friday, August 4th, 2023 from 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at O'Connell Family Funeral Home of Hudson, 520 S Eleventh Street, Hudson, WI 54016.

Funeral services entrusted to O'Connell Family Funeral Home of Hudson.



Scott W. Tiffany

Scott W. Tiffany was born May 1, 1953, in Fountain City to William H. (Bill) and Jean C. (Holz) Tiffany. He passed away following a brief battle with cancer on July 27, 2023.

Scott grew up near Cameron, graduating from Cameron High School in 1971. He lived and worked in the area for the remainder of his life.

Scott was an avid outdoorsman, with special passions for fishing wall-eyes and hunting deer and grouse, whose numbers will surely rise with his passing.

Scott is survived by his loving partner Jeanie, children Jeremy and Theresa and brother Jim (Marianne).

Per Scott's wishes, there are no memorial services scheduled at this time.

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The Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) announces a new phone line is now available allowing all Wisconsinites to share their successes and challenges with a peer who will listen and offer support. Built by Mental Health America of Wisconsin under a grant from DHS for people experiencing mental health and substance use concerns, UpliftWI can be reached at 534-202-5438 daily from noon to midnight, with 24/7 operation expected by the end of the year. This non-emergency

service is free and confidential.

“We’re pleased to partner with Mental Health America of Wisconsin on this expansion of peer services in Wisconsin,” said DHS Deputy Secretary Deb Standridge. “The peer-to-peer support offered by UpliftWI is a proven way to help people get the help they need and stay healthy. This service is going to improve lives by providing preventive care for people experiencing stress or other challenges in their lives.”



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A real danger for people who have been Christians for a while is that they grow sleepy and careless in their security. They forget who they were and where they came from. They have lost their shock and awe at the fearful wrath of God on all evil. “The Lord’s curse is on the house of the wicked” (Proverbs 3:33).

We all need to remember the terrible punishment that our Savior Jesus Christ absorbed for our sake on the cross. We all need to re-appreciate how expensive the forgiveness is that he bought for us there. We all need to have an honest respect our enemy from hell. We all need to reaffirm our gratitude for Word and sacrament that bond us to Christ now and forever.

Lord, lead us not to be woke, but awaken us to your truth. You have named what sin is and it brings us death, but your forgiveness causes us to repent and brings the life you have won for us. Help us to remember we are slaves to you and not of the devil.

Yokes to God’s Word,

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BEAVER DAM LAKE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT 32ND ANNUAL MEETING
SATURDAY AUGUST 5, 2023
CUMBERLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL
CUMBERLAND, WISCONSIN 54829
DOORS OPEN AT 9:00 AM, MEETING BEGINS AT 9:30 AM

1. Welcome and Introductions – Tom Schroeder
2. Approval of 2022 Annual Meeting Minutes – Tom Schroeder
3. Annual Treasurer’s Report – Dr. Alan Carlson
4. Audit Report – submitted by Mary Biros Rogers, presented by Dr. Carlson
5. Present Budget for 2022-2023, discussion, approval – Dr. Alan Carlson
6. Election of Commissioners – Tom Schroeder
7. Jay Michels – EOR, update on SE Storm Water Pond
8. Review of District Activities – Tom Schroeder
9. Other items as needed
10. Adjourn

PROPOSED BUDGET 2023-24			
REVENUES		EXPENSES	
TAX REV.	\$210,723	Mailings, Notices, Mtgs.	\$ 3,000
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LPT 80532 SE Lib Lk Strom Const.-2	200,000	LPT-80532 SE Lib Lk Storm Constr 2	270,000
LPL 183022 Lib Lk Mgmt/Storm	6,198	LPL 73422 Lib Lk Prot/Reveg	61,020
LPL 181022 Lib Lk SE Plan 2	10,000	Milfoil/CLP Control w/Plant Surveys	175,000
LPL 73422 Lib Lk Prot/Reveg	50,000	Aquatic Plant Mgmt. Plan-ongoing	5,000
Cash Savings	88,899	Insurance	6,500
TOTAL REVENUES	\$565,820	Boat Landing Monitors	3,000
		Fireworks	1,500
		Water Safety	1,500
		Website Updates	300
		Shoreline Restoration Site	2,500
		Wickre Channel Plan	1,500
		Storm Water Pond Maintenance	15,000
		Library Lake Silt Restoration Pan	5,000
		BDLMD Lake Planning Grant	15,000
		TOTAL EXPENSES	\$565,820

Beaver Dam Lake Management District: Tom Schroeder – President; Alan Carlson MD – Treasurer; John Bavier – Secretary; Don Phernetton, Mike Werner – Commissioners; Doris Laursen – City of Cumberland Rep.; Craig Turcott – Barron County Rep.

Approximately 15 minutes following the adjournment of the Annual Meeting the BDLM will hold a brief Board meeting with the following agenda.

1. Approve minutes.
2. Treasurer’s Report – Dr. Alan Carlson
3. Election of officers
4. Approve lowest qualified contractor bid for SE storm water pond phase 2 construction
5. Set next meeting date
6. Adjourn

Note: Additional agenda items may be added up to 24 hours in advance of the meeting. The new agenda will be posted on the BDLM website, City Hall, Nilssen’s, and the City Library

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
Wastewater Collection System Improvements
Cumberland, Wisconsin

Bid Opening: Thursday, August 17, 2023 at 11:00 am local time

The City of Cumberland, hereinafter referred to as the Owner, will receive and accept bids for the construction of the Wastewater Collection System Improvements project through QuestCDN.com using the online electronic bid service or by sealed bids received at the office of CBS Squared, Inc. at 770 Technology Way, Suite 1A, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729 until Thursday, August 17, 2023, at 11:00 am local time. All bids will be downloaded and publicly read aloud at CBS Squared, Inc., 770 Technology Way, Suite 1A, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729, at that time.

The Project includes the following work:

The project consists of providing all labor and material for the construction of sanitary sewer, sewage force main, lift station replacements, and roadway restoration. Major work items include construction of approximately 3,900 LF of 8-inch sanitary sewer, 23,100 LF of 8-inch sanitary sewer lining, 400 LF of 4-inch sewage force main, 5 sewage lift station renovations, sewer laterals replacements, asphalt roadway restoration, curb and gutter restoration, and associated work.

The project will be divided into two contracts:

- Contract A – Sanitary Sewer and Lift Station Work
- Contract B – Sanitary Sewer Lining Work

Bids will be received for both Contracts. Bids shall be on a unit price basis as indicated in the Bid Form for each contract.

Bids shall be on the forms provided for each contract for that purpose and per the Contract Documents prepared by CBS Squared Inc. identified as “WASTEWATER COLLECTION SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS”.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: CBS Squared, Inc. located at 770 Technology Way, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729. Contact person is: Jeff Wolford, 920.621.0296, jwolford@cbssquaredinc.com.

Digital image copies of the Bidding Documents are available at <http://www.cbssquaredinc.com> for a fee of \$45. Documents may be downloaded by first selecting BIDDING from the menu tab, then selecting this project from the CBS SQUARED CURRENT BID INFORMATION link and by entering eBidDoc™ Number 8617295 or 8617296 on the SEARCH PROJECTS page. For assistance and free membership registration, contact QuestCDN at 952.233.1632 or info@questcdn.com. Paper copies of the Bidding Documents will be available at CBS Squared, Inc., 770 Technology Way, Suite 1A, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729 for a fee of \$2,000.00. Please notify Kristi Lentz at CBS Squared, Inc. prior to picking up bid documents, at 715.861.2239.

Contractors submitting an electronic bid will be charged an additional \$45 at the time of bid submission by the online electronic bid service at QuestCDN.com. To access the electronic bid form, download the project document and click the online bidding button at the top of the advertisement. All prospective bidders must be on the plan holders list through Quest CDN for bids to be accepted.

No proposal will be accepted unless accompanied by a certified check or bid bond equal to at least 5% of the amount bid, payable to the Owner as a guarantee that, if the bid is accepted, the bidder will execute and file the proper contract and bond within 15 days after the award of the contract. Bidder is required to deliver the original certified check or bid bond within 72 hours of the bid opening to CBS Squared, Inc., ATTN: Peyton Dibble, 770 Technology Way, Suite 1A, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729. The certified check or bid bond will be returned to the bidder in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

The City of Cumberland reserves the right to retain the deposits of the three (3) lowest bidders for a period not to exceed 60 days after the date and time set for the opening of bids. No bids may be withdrawn for a period of 60 Days after the date and time set for the opening of bids.

Bidders Proof of Responsibility must be submitted in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Bidders will be required to provide performance and payment bonds of 100 percent of bid amount.

This Contract is expected to be funded in part with funds provided by the United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Utilities Service (RUS). Information on applicable federal requirements is contained in the Project Manual.

Section 746 of Title VII of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2017 (Division A - Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2017) and subsequent statutes mandating domestic preference applies an American Iron and Steel requirement to this project. All listed iron and steel products used in this project must be produced in the United States. The term “iron and steel products” means the following products made primarily of iron or steel: lined

or unlined pipes and fittings, manhole covers and other municipal castings, hydrants, tanks, flanges, pipe clamps and restraints, valves, structural steel, reinforced precast concrete, and construction materials. The following waivers apply to this Contract: De Minimis, Minor Components, Pig iron and direct reduced iron, and project specific waivers: TBD.

The Owner encourages DBEs, MBEs, WBEs, and SBARs to submit Bid proposals.

Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action requirements apply to this Project.

The Offeror’s or Bidder’s attention is called to the “Equal Opportunity Clause” and the “Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specification” included in the specifications. The goals and timetables for minority and female participation, expressed in percentage terms for the Contractor’s aggregate workforce in each trade on all construction work in the covered area, are as follows:

- Goals for minority participation for each trade = 0.6% (Barron County)
- Goals for female participation in each trade = 6.9 %

The City of Cumberland reserves the right to reject any and all bids, without cause, to waive irregularities and informalities therein and to award all or part of the Contracts in the best interest of the City of Cumberland.

Arlene Frisinger, Deputy Clerk/Treasurer
City of Cumberland
950 1st Avenue
Cumberland, WI 54829

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
STATE OF WISCONSIN
SS
COUNTY OF BARRON
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, August 14, 2023 at 9:10 a.m. in Room 2106 of the Government Center, 335 E. Monroe Ave., Barron, Wisconsin, relative to a proposal for a special exception to the terms of the Barron County Land Use Ordinance as follows:

Requests a special exception to establish an enclosed storage facility in an Agricultural-2 district, property described as part SW-SE, consisting of 5.878 acres, located in Section 30, T36N, R13W, Town of Lakeland, 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 owner: Myrtle Herbst; Donald Borreson, Jr., Personal Representative

Applicant: Kym Latterell, Latty Lane, LLC

Property address: Unassigned US Hwy 63, Cumberland, Wisconsin

All persons interested are invited to attend said hearing.

Dated at Barron, Wisconsin, this 26th day of July, 2023.

Barron County
Board of Adjustment
Walt Organ, Chairman
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NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors for the Town of Lakeland will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, August 8, 2023 at 7:00 pm at the Town Hall, located at 791-29 11/16th Avenue. The hall is accessible to all persons.

The agenda will be posted no later than 24 hours in advance of the meeting and on the Town’s website: www.townoflakelandwi.com

Danielle Maxwell-Parker,
Clerk
Town of Lakeland
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NOTICE
Barron County is requesting proposals from communication vendors to supply enhancements and replacement or equipment to the county’s existing two-way public safety radio system. Due to current communications equipment surpassing end-of-life status, the county desires to improve entire system performance by upgrading to a simulcast platform to encompass Law, Fire, and EMS frequencies.

The RFP can be obtained from www.BarronCounty-WI.gov and questions concerning this RFP should be directed in-writing to Barron County Sheriff’s Department, Office of Emergency Management, Attn. Simulcast Project, 1420 STH 25 N, Barron, WI, 54812.

Proposals must be delivered by Thursday, August 31, 2023 at 8:00 AM and should be addressed to Barron County Sheriff’s Dept, Office of Emergency Management, 1420 STH 25 N, Barron, WI, 54812.

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NOTICE
City of Cumberland Planning Commission meeting, Thursday, August 17, 2023 at 8:30 a.m. at City Hall. (Mayor Shoemaker, J. Anderson, T. Goldsmith, P. Flottum, T. Schroeder, M. Werner and C. Wiita.)

There will be a meeting of the Cumberland City Planning Commission on Thursday, August 17, 2023 at 8:30 a.m. at the Cumberland City Hall to consider the following agenda item:

Consider Rezoning of parcel #212-1325-18-000, 1515 Lloyd St, from Residential 1 to Public Institute for a Care Facility.

Rick Rieper, Zoning Administrator
City of Cumberland
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NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors for the Town of Maple Plain will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, August 9, 2023 at 7:00 pm at the Town Hall, located at 393 26th Avenue. The hall is accessible to all persons.

The agenda will be posted no later than 24 hours in advance of the meeting and on the Town’s website: www.townofmapleplainwi.gov

Danielle Maxwell-Parker
Clerk
Town of Maple Plain
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NOTICE
Barron County is requesting proposals from communication vendors to provide annual maintenance to Barron County’s existing countywide public safety radio system. Communication equipment to be covered is listed within the RFP. The agreement shall also provide for 24/7/365 emergency service in the event of failure with under a 2-hour response time.

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ALERT

to TOWN of LAKE LAND

Residents who would like to have input into the next use of the Old Shop site on Highway 63 in Barronett.

Please attend the next Town meeting on Tuesday, August 8 at 7 pm at the Town Hall (same place residents vote)

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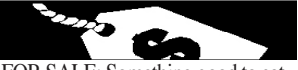


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BUSINESS SERVICES



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PERSONALS



AA-Mondays at 7 p.m., Augustana Church; Wednesdays at 7 p.m., Senior Citizen Center. Women's inspiration AA meeting: 6 pm Tuesdays at the Thomas St. Angelo Public Library Community Meeting Room 715-529-9592. tfn

Weekly AI-Anon Meetings: Mondays, 6:30 p.m. at Cumberland Baptist Church, Hwy 48, Cumberland. tfn

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Saturday, Aug. 5 • 8 am-12 pm

Household items including furniture (dressers, nightstands, bunk beds, twin size mattress & box spring, dining room table with 8 chairs); kitchen items, cookware, bedding & bath, appliances, lamps & lighting, window shades, ceiling fans, games, puzzles, clothing, shoes, purses & bags, fishing tackle & equipment, gardening items, tools and MORE!

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All proceeds will go to the Island City Food Co-op of Cumberland, WI



Friday, August 11
12:00pm – 6:00pm
\$5 Bag Sale
5:00pm – 6:00pm
2864 County Hwy E
Cumberland, WI 54829
about 4 miles north of McKinley on E (between 280th & 290th Ave)
islandcityfoodcoop.com

Indoor Sale: Final Day!

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Aug. 24-27

NorthLakes Community Clinic Rice Lake now offering Pediatric Therapies

NorthLakes Community Clinic is now offering Pediatric Occupational Therapy, Pediatric Physical Therapy and Pediatric Speech Therapy in Rice Lake. The new Rice Lake Clinic is operating out of the former space of Marshfield Children's Rice Lake Pediatric Therapy Clubhouse located at 1035 North Main Street after Marshfield Clinic Health System agreed to lease the space to NorthLakes and the two organizations worked closely to expedite the process.

“Since day one, our primary focus has been the transition of these children to becoming patients of NorthLakes with as little disruption as possible. We know how difficult uncertainty and any interruption of care can be, especially for children. We are grateful to everyone who worked together to make this Clinic a reality in just under two months,” said Reba Rice, CEO of NorthLakes Community Clinic.

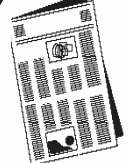
As a federally qualified health center (FQHC), NorthLakes is committed to serving all families, regardless of their ability to pay. This includes families with commercial insurance, no insurance, or on Medicaid/BadgerCare. NorthLakes also offers a Sliding Fee Scale for those who qualify.

All of the providers who worked at the former Clubhouse have signed with NorthLakes. Tricia Fredrickson, SLP, Taylor Nelson, OT, Samantha Barg, PT and Kari Berube, OT, along with experienced support staff, Jessica Kennen and Linda Johnson all started in June; with Beth Clark, PT starting in late August.

Marshfield Clinic Health System leaders are pleased specialized services will remain available in Rice Lake.

“NorthLakes is continuing a wonderful service,” said Brad Groseth, president of Marshfield Medical Center-Rice Lake. “We are appreciative of the many people at NorthLakes, the Health System, the community including Sen. Romaine Quinn and Rep. David Armstrong who came together to help make continuation of pediatric therapies in Rice Lake possible.”

To learn more about the service, please visit nlccwi.org or call (715) 719-1010.

 **Thank you for reading The Advocate** 

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR JAIL INMATE MEDICAL SERVICES

The Barron County Sheriff's Department is advertising a Request for Proposals for the Jail Inmate Medical Services. A complete Request for Proposal packet can be obtained by contacting the sheriff's department at the address below or by e-mail at: tim.evanson@co.barron.wi.us or at the barroncountywi.gov website.

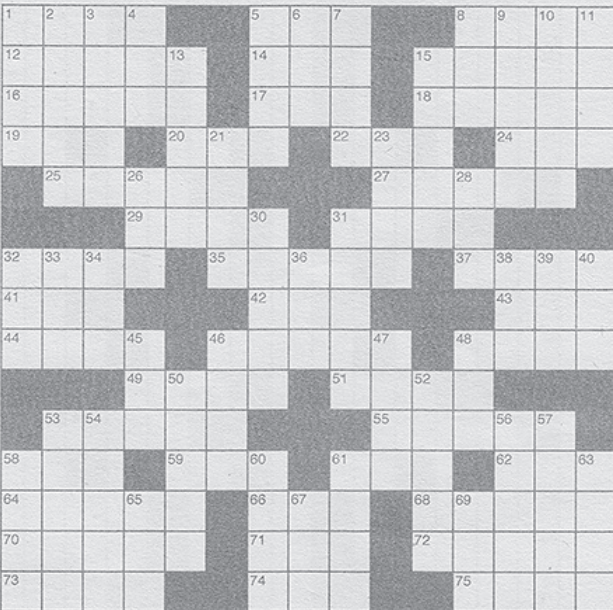
Proposals submitted must be in a sealed envelope/container showing your company name and marked “Jail Inmate Medical Services.”

The deadline for submissions is 4:00 p.m. on August 31, 2023 and must be mailed or delivered to:

Barron County Sheriff's Department
Tim Evenson, Jail Captain
Jail Inmate Medical Service
1420 Highway 25 N., Room 1000
Barron, WI 54812

Late submissions will not be accepted.

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48 Wildcat
49 Native ruler in Africa
51 Frolic
53 Architect Frank Wright
55 Longed
58 Body of water
59 Lysergic acid diethylamide
61 New Jersey's neighbor
62 Sink
64 Black and white bear
66 Boxer Muhammad
68 Broker
70 Movie award
71 Doctor (slang)
72 Gives a title to
73 Not us
74 Choose
75 Animal oil

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1 Horse command
2 Eagle's nest
3 Jeweled headdress
4 Explosive
5 Face
6 American College of Physicians (abbr.)
7 Sage
8 Turf
9 Chasm
10 What an actor has
11 Island
13 Enthusiasms
15 Ups
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23 Ca. University
26 Gained
28 Billion years
30 More aged
31 'love' (Italian)
32 Recede
33 Pain unit
34 The other half of Jima

36 Fall mo.
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40 Bewitch
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Multiple Vehicle Accident on Highway 48 Results in Injuries

On Saturday, July 29, 2023, at 9:47 p.m., the Barron County 911 center took a call of a multiple vehicle accident on Hwy 48 between Rice Lake and Cumberland.

Deputies from the Barron County Sheriff's Department along with the Cumberland Fire Department, Mayo Ambulance, Cumberland Ambulance, Marshfield Medical Ambulance, Life Link Helicopters, Birchwood Ambulance, WI State Patrol and Barron County First Responders responded to the scene.

Initial investigation shows a single-occupied truck was slowing to turn left into a driveway when a small SUV occupied by three ju-

veniles rear-ended the truck. The truck was pushed into oncoming traffic striking another truck that was occupied by an adult male and juvenile male. That truck was pushed off the roadway down an embankment into a garage.

One juvenile from the SUV was transported via Life Link to Mayo EC with non-life threatening injuries. Three others were transported to area hospitals with injuries and three were treated and released at the scene.

The accident remains under investigation by the Barron County Sheriff's Department.

Per Chris Fitzgerald, Barron County Sheriff



Two of the vehicles that were involved in the Highway 48 accident.

Cumberland Resident...

Hans and I are both stationed at the same location in Suffolk, VA (he on active duty and I on reserve duty).

While it is common to have the Commanding Officer preside over a promotion, given the uniqueness of Hans and I being on the same base so many years after we started our long and winding military journeys, I could think of no other person to oversee this momentous event. It was an honor to have Hans ceremoniously replace my gold Lieutenant Commander insignia with silver Commander insignia, as well as to present my official promotion letter from DHS Secretary Mayorkas. Having a senior enlisted person conduct the promotion for a field-grade officer is also very special.

Hans currently serves as the Navy Cyber Defense Team Senior Enlisted Leader at Navy Cyber Defense Operations Command. His career has spanned tours

in the Middle East, Italy, Groton CT, the Pentagon's Raven Rock Mountain Complex, and United States Strategic Command.

Travis currently serves as a reserve Cyber Officer on the United States' Joint Staff in Suffolk, VA. His career has included active duty and reserve service. Highlights have included serving as a White House Fellow, coordinating the resettlement of Afghan refugees during Operation Allies Welcome, and deploying to Incident Command Post San Juan Puerto Rico in support of reconstruction efforts in the aftermath of Hurricane Maria.

The above photos were taken at the United States' Coast Guard Base Portsmouth, in Portsmouth, VA. Hans noted he'd never been to a Coast Guard promotion ceremony, but was honored to not only attend, but to carry out the ceremonial promotion itself!

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