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Bell Ringers Needed for The Red Kettle Campaign

The Salvation Army of Polk & Barron Counties needs your help to reach our combined bell ringing goal of \$160,000. Donating your time to ring the bell will help to open one of two buildings at The Family House next month and will enable us to continue to offer services to prevent homelessness and to assist homeless families and individuals on their road to self-sufficiency. Proceeds will remain in Polk & Barron Counties for the new shelter that will serve both counties.

Bell ringing starts on November 16th and runs through December 31st except for Sundays and holidays. Both groups and individuals can sign up for bell ringing at www.registertorring.com. It is particularly helpful when groups such as

churches, businesses, civic groups, community clubs, social groups or families sign up to cover a full day of bell ringing. It only requires four individuals to cover a day of bell ringing. Those who are unable to ring but wish to donate to the campaign can go to www.registertorring.com and click on 'I'm a Virtual Ringer.'

If you can help us fill all bell ringing shifts on Wednesday, November 22nd, Black Friday, November 24th, and Saturday November 25th you will have helped us raise one-third of all red kettle donations for 2023. Ringing locations in Polk County include Austad's Super Valu in Turtle Lake, Dick's Fresh Market in Amery and Osceola, Marketplace (two doors) and Walmart (2 doors) in

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Waltzing Skeletons and Other Spooks to Haunt the Music of Dreams; Red Cedar Symphony's Fall Concerts

Halloween legends and stories from around the world will be told through music at the Red Cedar Symphony 40th Anniversary concerts at 7 p.m. on Saturday, November 4, at Augustana Lutheran Church in Cumberland, and at 4 p.m. on Sunday, November 5, at Bethany Lutheran Church in Rice Lake.

In the Hall of the Mountain King by Edvard Grieg begins with an ominous tiptoe through a cavernous mountain. The tension builds into a frantic chase by trolls until our hero, Peer Gynt, is saved by the morning church bells. In Danse Macabre by Saint-Saens the music evokes the waltzing and swaying of rickety skeletons as they celebrate Halloween, their

one night of freedom from death's grip. Night on Bald Mountain by Mussorgsky depicts the celebration of the Ukrainian version of Halloween by supernatural creatures led by the chief demon, Chernobog until, once again, the festivities are ended by dawn and church bells. The program is rounded out by Finlandia by Sibelius, the intense emotion and uncertainty of Beethoven's famous Allegretto from his Seventh Symphony, and, appropriately for this concert, Fantasy on "Sleepers, Wake," by J. S. Bach.

With Adam Bever conducting, "Music of Dreams" will be a concert to remember. Tickets \$15 at the door; ages 21 and under admitted free.

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The New Home Of Hope Community Church!



Pastor Paul Green (left) and Pat Schradle former co owner of the Das Lach Haus.

Northwoods Notebook: Our banquet hall was prayed into a church

By Larry Werner

Pastor Paul Green says his congregation was praying for a solution to the problem of their church – the old Boys & Girls Club building -- being too small.

Pat Schradle said his wife, Shannon, was praying for a successful sale of the building after three years of working long hours without pay running Das Lach House.

So last week, prayers were answered when Cumberland's banquet and event center became Hope Com-

munity Church, which bought the building the late Carl Bents sold four years ago to the Shradles and three of Pat's brothers and their wives.

"Pat blames it on Shannon praying," Green said one day last week. "I had a lot of people praying. So we were attacking Him from both sides. First week in July, we came to an agreement."

"Pastor called me," Schradle said over coffee. "We talked for an hour. Within

a week, we had an accepted offer."

Both the buyers and sellers are happy. And both admit it's a loss for the community that Cumberland no longer has a banquet hall.

"When we talked to Carl about buying it, we knew it would be a challenge," Schradle said. "We didn't exactly know what that was. It was getting to the point Shannon and I wouldn't be able to continue. We were putting in a thousand to 1,500 hours a year. It was

pretty much break even. It wasn't enough to start paying Shannon for her work."

So she prayed.

Then a friend of Pat's, who happens to be a member of Hope Church, said he'd see if the Shradles might be interested in selling.

They were.

"This was not even a thought for us," Green said of the banquet center. "We had one person who had a conversation with

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Autumn Leaves To Expand!



Autumn Leaves Assisted Living Estates Inc., located on 7th Avenue in Cumberland, opened its doors in May of 2017 to care for the elderly population of the Menonite community. They have operated at full occupancy and are planning on breaking ground soon on a new 14 bed community-based residential facility with four independent living apartments attached. To add to our senior community, we have built one duplex and are starting another one, used for independent senior living with more planned in the future. Our goal is to care for our elders and have several rooms open to serve the community. We are excited and enthused on these developments in making 7th Avenue a senior living campus! A big thank you to the City of Cumberland for how they have worked with us to make this possible. We are so excited to be part of this community! Top photo is a rendering of the future facility.



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SCHOOL
LUNCH

Thursday, October 26
Spaghetti hot dish, bread sticks, green beans,
pears. MS/HS: Hamburger/cheeseburger, chips.

Friday, October 27
Pizza, broccoli, coleslaw, applesauce.
MS/HS: Chicken nuggets, chips.

Monday, October 30
Chicken patty, whole grain bun, fries, green
beans, peaches. MS/HS: Garlic cheese bread.

Tuesday, October 31
Tacos, refried beans, brown rice, corn,
pineapple. MS/HS: Pizza.

Wednesday, November 1
Cheese omelet, french toast sticks,
sausage patty, carrots.
MS/HS: Walking tacos, Doritos.

Lunch menu includes assorted fresh vegetables,
fruit and salad bar daily, with choice of milk.
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Planning at the
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Building Tour

Building Needs Presentation

Community Input Opportunity

Question and Answer Session



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CUMBERLAND
SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS

Upcoming Events

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26: • 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 5:45
-6:45pm Daisy Girl Scouts Troop #3054 meeting • 7-9 pm Annual
Budget meeting & School Board meeting to follow •

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27: 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 12:10-2 pm
6th Grade to Dragsmith Farm •

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28: • 1-3 pm CCE: Pickle Ball •

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30: • 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickle Ball • 6:30-8
pm NHS & NJHS Banquet •

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31: • 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickle Ball • 8-10
pm CCE: Adult Co-Ed Volleyball •

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1: • 6:30-7:30 am CCE: Pickleball • 9:30
am -2:45 pm 5th Grade to School Forest• 6-8 pm CCE: Pickle Ball •

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° You'll learn how easy it is to make bone broth (& tricks of the trade) by
covering several methods for making it - as well as using it & storing it!
° Packed with information and a taste-testing, this class will motivate &
inspire you to add nutritious foods to your day - one meal at a time.

Make it Yourself! Real Food!

Thursday, November 9 at 5:00 pm

- Cumberland High School FACE Room

- Cost: \$5 - There will be tastings!

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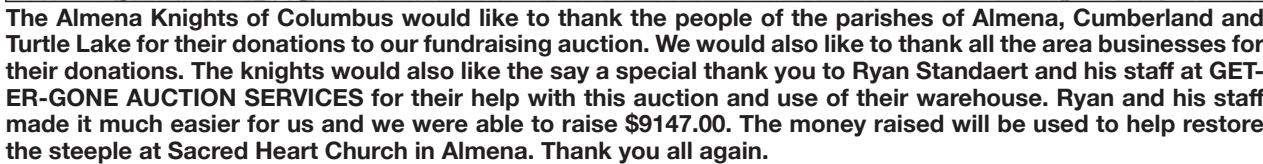
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When the weather forces you inside...visit the Cumberland Elementary School
(Enter through the Gym doors-open from 6:30-7:30 am)



The girls in the High School kitchen do an awesome job! Here, Jamie, Beth and Carol have a little fun breaking up a long day in the kitchen.

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



Out My Window

by Paul Bucher, Editor

There will be a Cumberland high school Facility Planning session in the cafeteria on Thursday, November 2nd, at 6:00 pm. There will be building tours, a building needs presentation, a community input session and a question and answer session. This is in preparation for the upcoming referendum scheduled for February of 2024. This is a major issue that needs to be dealt with. Community input is very important. Plan on attending if you can.

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Congratulations to the Cumberland Boys Soccer team on winning the Regional title in a thrilling shoot out over Three Lakes/Phelps last Saturday in Cumberland. The team now travels to Washburn on Thursday to play the Castle Guards, a team they played to a 0-0 tie just a couple of weeks ago. The winner then will be one game away from the State Tournament. The game most likely would take place in Arcadia on Saturday. Good luck guys!

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This Saturday is the annual Chamber of Commerce Safe Trick or Treat in downtown Cumberland from 12 pm to 2 pm. It is so much fun watching the little ones dress up for Halloween. Hundreds of people will be in town for this annual event. Thank you to all the businesses for handing out candy and to the Cumberland Firefighters who man the crosswalks in town helping kids cross the streets safely.

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In the sports world, the Texas Rangers knocked off the Houston Astro’s to advance to the World Series. What a crazy series it was with the road team winning all seven games. I’m not sure if that has ever happened before. On the National League side, the Arizona Diamondbacks forced a game seven scheduled for Tuesday night in Philadelphia. Game 7’s in any sport are a blast to watch. The World Series is set to open this Friday night in Texas. The Packers lost to the Denver Bronco’s on Sunday, while the Vikings beat the San Francisco 49’ers on Monday night football. The two border rivals are set to meet next Sunday at Lambeau Field in Green Bay. Those games are always fun to watch no matter the records of the two teams.

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The weather looks like it’s going to turn a little chilly by the end of the week with the S word in the forecast. We all knew it was coming, but I for one hope for a little “Indian Summer” yet to come. The wood still needs stacking and the fish are biting! Have a great week!



Inside Wisconsin

by Tom Still

“Need for skilled workers justifies investment in campus tech buildings”

MADISON, Wis. -- In La Crosse, business leaders from Trane Industries, Mayo Clinic, Kwik Trip and more want the next phase of a thrice-rejected health and science center to be built on the UW-La Crosse campus. Why? Those companies and others need future students from the Prairie Springs Science Center to work in their labs, clinics and production facilities.

In Madison, 322 corporations and other major employers attended a three-day “career fair” in September to compete for upcoming graduates of the College of Engineering. More than 235 of those mostly large employers have operations in Wisconsin. Why were they there? To find and recruit talented workers from today’s limited engineering pool. A new building would accommodate about 1,000 additional graduates per year.

Businesses across Wisconsin see the connection between educating science, technology and engineering students and building a more resilient 21st century workforce. It’s time for the Wisconsin Legislature to pay closer attention to what those employers are telling them.

The \$347 million engineering building proposed for the UW-Madison cam-

pus and the \$180 million structure at UW-La Crosse are two prominent examples of stalled projects that have left many business leaders scratching their heads. Although topping the UW Board of Regents request list, they have failed to pass muster in the Legislature – despite evidence of business workforce needs and, especially in the case of the Madison engineering hall, private donor support.

The reasons why they have not yet been approved are complicated.

Is cost a factor? Perhaps, but waiting year after year only gives inflation a chance to eat away at private and public dollars alike.

Public universities in Wisconsin are under enrollment stress, depending on the campus, and some two-year centers will likely shut down. There may be a larger downsizing underway. But the Madison and La Crosse buildings would serve campuses with growing enrollments, especially among students with science, engineering and tech leanings.

Assembly Speaker Robin Vos is not happy with 189 diversity, equity and inclusion hirings at all UW campuses, which admittedly seems like a lot, but it’s hard to identify a direct link between those DEI positions and the build-

ings.

Are there other political barriers in the way? There aren’t any Republican lawmakers in La Crosse or Madison districts, which means there may not be a local advocate inside GOP caucus meetings.

In La Crosse, a community that has been disappointed in the past, the second phase of the Prairie Springs project would help a surprising range of companies, according to panelists and others who took part in an Oct. 18 Tech Council Innovation Network luncheon.

Mayo needs healthcare workers of all types, including in physical therapy; Kwik Trip wants technicians, food scientists and more to support a growing chain of 855 stores, and Trane Industries needs expertise to support its manufacturing lines in the La Crosse area and beyond.

T.J. Brooks, the business school dean at UW-La Crosse, noted that students from his school would also likely take courses in the health science sequence. That’s because such students usually take far more credits outside their major than within it, mainly to become more well-rounded in a multi-disciplinary world.

“As business students, they want to be able to interact with students in health

and science disciplines,” Brooks said.

The UW-Madison “Career Day” is an annual event where the number of job offerings far outnumber available students. The placement rate is about 92%, according to reports from previous years, and the average starting salary is \$75,193 with a median of \$72,000.

If the engineering building is constructed with private donations and state support, the pool of students would climb over time and provide more hiring opportunities for Wisconsin companies. Right now, the UW-Madison College of Engineering is the third smallest in the Big 10, despite being highly rated.

Workforce is emerging as a defining issue of the decade and beyond. Wisconsin needs to keep talented students at home, especially those in science, technology, engineering and mathematics, and do a better job of attracting such students from elsewhere. Lengthy delays in building much-needed buildings in those fields doesn’t do the state’s businesses any favors.

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

A Look Back

10 Years Ago October 30, 2013

The Barron County 4-H Awards Program was held on October 19, to celebrate the achievement of its youth member. The awards are in recognition in areas such as cat project, home economics, dairy, livestock, and outstanding club secretary books. The following members received awards: Kaitlyn Peichel, Brill Harvesters, Kendra Cutsforth, Mitchell Devine, Ted Devine, Conrad Nelson, Tonja Rae, Sierra Sirianni, Danielle Toman, Jenna Tomesh, Kaia Johnson, Tanner Johnsonk, Emma Kupferschmidt, Makenna Olson, Reid Olson, Benett Schramski, Desirae Slayton, Alec Koser, Montana Weaver and Morgan Weaver.

20 Years Ago October 29, 2003

CenturyTel, local telecommunications provider for Cumberland and several neighboring communities, has completed its final installment of a \$10,000 donation to the Cumberland Youth Hockey Association. For the past four years, the company’s \$2,500 donations have helped maintain a skating facility for figure, community, elementary and high school skating programs.

30 Years Ago October 27, 1993

Nathan Nelson, a junior at Cumberland High School, recently participated in the State Tractor Safety Contest,

held at Arlington Experimental Farm near Madison. Nelson finished in fifth place in the state contest. The contest involved a 50 question test, spotting safety hazards on “bugged” tractors, and maneuvering a 4-wheel and a 2-wheel wagon into proper position.

Two contests were recently held for students at the Cumberland Elementary School. A coloring contest and a “Letter to the Editor.” Both contests were to create awareness of the smoking dangers. Winners were: Jessica Nolan, Jaime Wineinger, Christine Armstrong, Katie Conkey, Justin Greene, Devon Anderson, and Katie Clark.

40 Years Ago October 26, 1983

Lowell Dague, of Cumberland Insurance Service, was recently named a member of the Western Life/St. Paul Life Marketing Communique Panel. Dague was chosen for this honor out of more than \$10,000 agents nationwide.

Steve Wickre, Century 21 Wickre Agency in Cumberland was presented with a plaque by Norm Flynn of Madison, President of the Wisconsin Realtors Association. Wickre was given the award for having been named Realtor of the Year by the Barron-Washburn Counties Board of Realtors.

50 Years Ago October 25, 1973

The resignation of

Wayne Erickson as chief of the Cumberland Fire Department was accepted by the Common Council of the City of Cumberland at their meeting last week. Named to replace Erickson was Bob Mack, longtime member of the local fire fighting force.

Pete Zappa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zappa of Cumberland, is the new president of the Barron County 4-H Junior Leaders Association.

60 Years Ago October 25, 1963

Lee Jacobson, son of Dr. and Mrs. Ray Jacobson of Cumberland, and a second year student and Illinois College of Optometry, recently was awarded an alumni achievement award on the basis of character, leadership, and scholastic achievement.

80 Years Ago October 28, 1943

Registration of Wisconsin automobiles for 1944 will be indicated by attaching a green and white metal tag to the present rear license plate, and displaying a green sticker alongside the 1943 black and yellow numerical sticker on the windshield.

90 Years Ago October 26, 1933

Scores of Wisconsin truckers had filed to file first mileage tax returns for September on October 15, as required under the new truck law effective on Sep-

tember 1, and are subject to enforcement proceedings.



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10/20	56	41	0.04	
10/21	62	41	0.02	
10/22	53	39	0.05	
10/23	54	38	0.02	
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Sports

Cumberland Soccer Wins Regional Title in Shoot-Out

The Cumberland Beavers Soccer Team raised their record to 15-3-1 on the year with a pair of victories in WIAA D4 Regional play last week. A 4-0 shutout of Amery and a thrilling shoot-out win over Three Lakes/Phelps gave the Beavers a Regional Championship and a Sectional date against Washburn/Bayfield this Thursday night in Washburn at a time TBD.

The week started with Cumberland hosting Amery last Thursday to open up Tournament play. The game was scoreless until the 34-minute mark when the Beavers scored the first goal of the game on a breakaway by School Record holder Nelson Vasquez. They didn't wait long for their second goal, when Jack Richter found the back of the net on a rebound off another Vasquez shot just 63 seconds later. The scored remained 2-0 in favor of Beavers at the intermission.

The same two Cumberland players would add scores in the second half. Richter found the corner of the net on a long crossing shot off a pass from Alex Effertz, while Vasquez finished the evenings scoring with his second goal at the 72-minute mark. From here, the defense and goal keeper Gavn Prinsen completed yet another Beaver shutout victory.

This set up a showdown for the Regional Title last Saturday in Endeavor Stadium. A nice crowd showed up to see the Beavers take-on Three Lakes/Phelps for the title.

It was a classic battle which would end in a 1-1 tie. Cumberland scored first on a penalty kick by Vasquez at the 20-minute mark of the game. The lead held until early in the second half, when Tobias Volkman tied up the contest with his 57th goal of the year. Volkman is the second

highest scorer in the State this fall.

“Volkman demonstrated why he has 57 goals this season and following defensive miscommunication, he slipped between our defense and finished a cross into the back of the net,” said Head Coach David Stone.

The score would remain this way through the rest of the half and a tense overtime period, setting up an exciting shoot-out between the two teams for the victory.

Each team picked out five players to participate with Coaches Sellent and Stone going with Gustavo Sonora, Riley Brown, Alex Effertz, Nelson Vasquez, and Jack Richter. As the crowd roared, the Beavers would place four of their kicks in the net, while Three Lakes/Phelps would only get three kicks past goalkeeper Gavin Prinsen. The results left a happy group of players and coaches celebrating a hard-earned Regional Championship.

This sets up the season's third match-up against Conference foe Washburn/Bayfield on Thursday night. “We are looking forward to the trip up north said Coach Brent Sellent.” “We have played them to close loss and a tie this year and will look to make it a victory on Thursday,” said Coach Stone.

Stone was a player on the last Cumberland Regional Championship Team 10-years ago. “I feel blessed to have been on both sides of Cumberland's Regional Titles, first as a player and now as a coach. I would like to thank our players, managers, and especially the parents and families of our players for everything they have contributed to help us reach this point in our season,” he concluded.

Football Team Sees Season End in Grantsburg

The Cumberland Football Team saw their season come to an end last Friday night in Grantsburg, when they dropped an opening round WIAA Playoff contest to the Pirates by a score of 56 to 9. With the loss, the Beavers finish with a final record of 4 and 6, while Grantsburg moves into the second round of the playoff series with a season's mark of 10 and 0.

The contest was over early in Friday's night match-up, when Grantsburg jumped to a 42-0 lead after quarter one. The Pirates scored four touchdowns in a total of 14 plays from scrimmage, while adding a score on an interception return and another when their player took a Cumberland punt back for a score. In staying undefeated, the Pirates definitely showed in the game's first twelve minutes, why they are undefeated and ranked 6th in the State in Division 6.

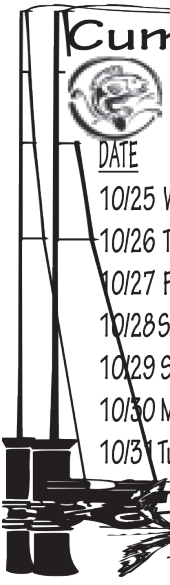
Grantsburg would add two more scores in the second quarter for a 56-0 halftime lead. The Beavers continued to battle as the game went into the second half, howev-

er, scoring twice on a safety and a touchdown run by Roman Ranallo in the games last three minutes. A Boaz West extra point made the final 56-9.

The Beavers Roman Ranallo had another nice game, rushing for 63 yards in 16 attempts, while catching one pass for eight yards. He finishes the season with 921 rushing yards on the year.

Chayden Berghammer completed 18 of 34 attempts for 110 yards, with many of the shovel pass variety. Sloan McCreary caught eight of those balls for 52 yards, Derrick Gideo three for 28, and Uriah Johnson three for 16. Gideo finishes the year with 26 receptions for 417 yards and four scores.

Coach Tony DiSalvo called Grantsburg, “A very good team.” The Pirates next play Ladysmith on Friday in another home game. Disalvo also thanked the coaches and players for their hard work this fall and the team for finishing 4 and 3 in Conference play and securing another WIAA Playoff berth.



Cumberland Area Fishing & Hunting Table

DATE	SOLAR TIMES		LUNAR TIMES		MOON	DST					
	AM	PM	Minor	Major							
10/25 Wed	2:35	8:48	3:00	9:13	07:36	06:06	4:51p	3:24a	10:40p	10:16a	*
10/26 Thu	3:19	9:31	3:43	9:56	07:38	06:04	5:11p	4:44a	11:29p	11:05a	*
10/27 Fri	4:03	10:15	4:27	10:40	07:39	06:03	5:32p	6:03a	NoMoon	11:54a	*
10/28 Sat >	4:50	11:02	5:15	11:28	07:40	06:01	5:54p	7:23a	12:19a	12:44p	*
10/29 Sun F	5:41	11:55	6:08	-----	07:42	06:00	6:19p	8:44a	1:10a	1:37p	*
10/30 Mon >	6:38	12:24	7:05	12:52	07:43	05:58	6:51p	10:04a	2:04a	2:31p	*
10/31 Tue >	7:38	1:24	8:06	1:52	07:45	05:56	7:31p	11:20a	3:00a	3:28p	*

Major = 2 hours / Minor = 1 hour • Times are centered on the major/minor window

F=Full Moon N=New Moon Q=Quarter Moon >= Peak Activity

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Regional Champions!

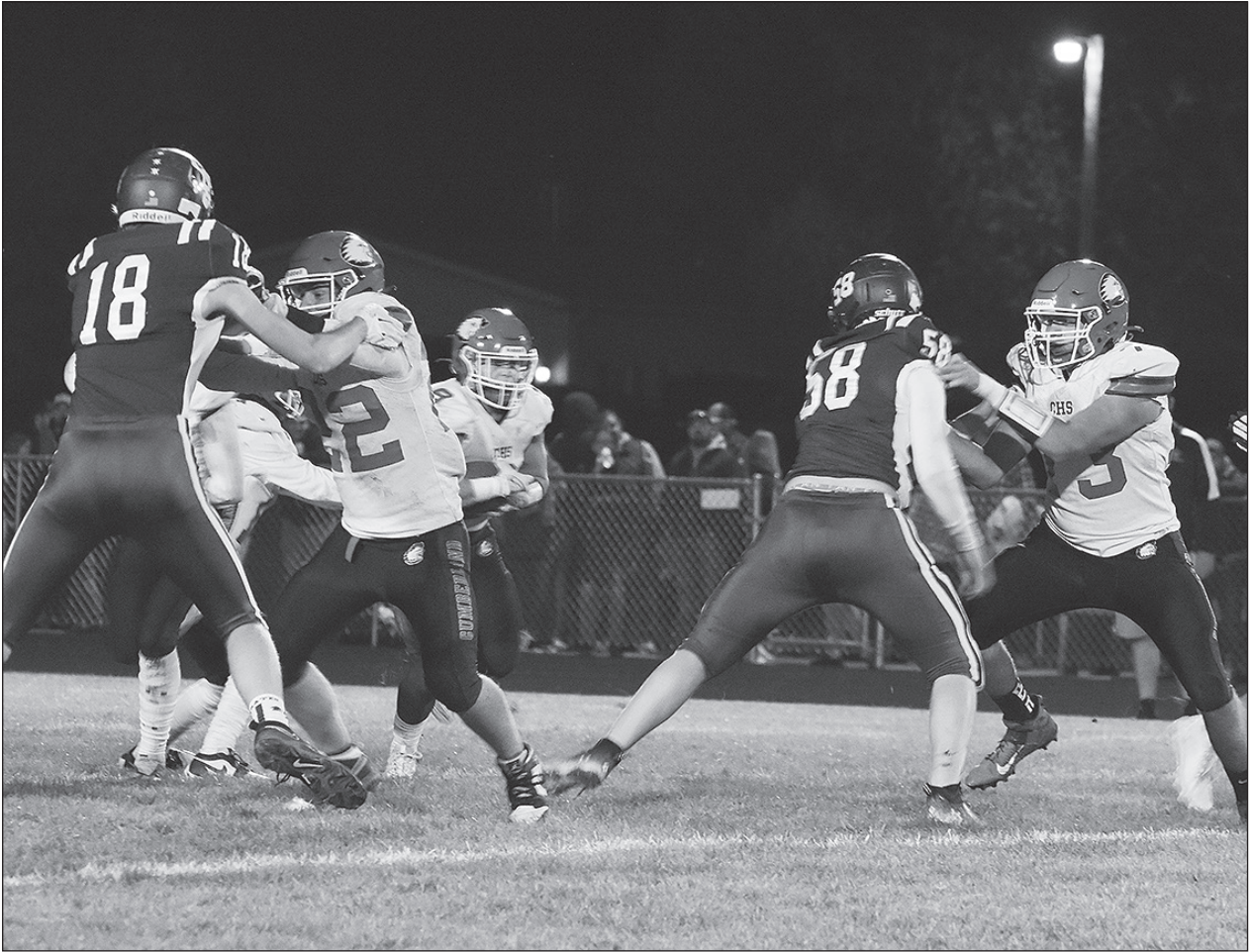


Congratulations to the Cumberland Beavers Soccer Team for claiming the Region Championship last Saturday at Endeavor Stadium. Pictured are back row from left to right Manager Jasmine Delgado, Co-Head Coach David Stone, Ian Sellent, Calvin Cunningham, Riley Brown, Carter Wohlk, Shae Longtine, Camden Johnson, Alex Effertz, Manager Ismael Flores, Braden Johnson, Evan Hornstein, Co-Head Coach Brent Sellent and Manager Miah Mendoza. Front row from left to right are Cash Rouzer, Gustavo Sanora, Jack Richter, Gavin Prinsen, Nelson Vasquez, Ryan Lundmark, and Brody Chartraw.



Jack Richter heads the ball in front of the Cumberland goal in Saturday's Regional final vs Three lakes/Phelps at Endeavor Stadium. Ryan Lundmark, Ian Sellent, Alex Effertz, Riley Brown and Braden Johnson were all there to help get the ball out of in front of the Beavers goal.

Tough Opponent!



#22 Derrick Gideo and #73 Ben Cunningham open a hole for running back #Roman Ranallo Friday night in Grantsburg. The Beavers season came to a close at the hands of the Pirates.

Cross Country Season Ends in Sectionals

The Cumberland Cross Country Season came to an end last Saturday at the D3 Sectional at Solon Springs. There, Phillips and Chequamegon advanced to the Girl's State Tournament, while the Boy's team qualifiers were Solon Springs/Northwood

and Phillips. The Cumberland Girl's squad finished sixth out of 10 teams and the boy's ninth out of 13. Unfortunately, none of the Cumberland runners qualified to advance to Wisconsin Rapids. The closest Cumberland

runner to make a State trip was Senior Andie Otto, who came up less than a second from securing a spot. The School record holder ran a 21:00 to finish 10th overall but heartbreakingly just short of advancing.

Teammate and 2022 State participant Carly McCreary was also close, finishing in 12th with a 21:06. She also broke the previous School Record during the regular season. Freshman Greta Weaver was the third Cumberland finisher with a 24:47 and Jasmine Woodley next at 24:48.

Leading the way in the 77-person field was Senior Autumn Michalski of Chequamegon, who took Medalist honors with a time of 17:45.

The boy's were led by Solon Springs Junior, Isaac Dickenson, who ran a 16:16. Cumberland's top time came from Sophomore Tommy Dettinger, who finished 18th with a run of 17:41. Cumberland School Record holder Josh Swint finished 22nd with a time of 17:51, while Junior Ashton Brannan finished 53rd in the 100-person field with a 19:29.

Qualifiers will head to Wisconsin Rapids next Saturday for the State Championships. Cumberland will lose four seniors off this year's girls team, while the boys lose two seniors. Among those in their final year are Otto, McCreary, and Swint, who each set School records during this fall's competition.



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An Outdoorsman's Journal

by Mark Walters

KAMO Bear Hunt!

Hello friends,
This week's column is about some hard work in an attempt to get a couple of teenagers, Dylan Pangburn and Chase Flietner, both of New Lisbon their first black bear. Kids And Mentors Outdoors has a strong chapter in the New Lisbon/Necedah area "The Meadow Valley Chapter" and the members came up with an idea to do a Learn to Hunt for black bear. James Newlun and Kevin Peterson who own and operate Scenic Bluffs Outfitters and are a solid part of Meadow Valley did an excellent job of making this project work.
Dylan Pangburn is a senior at New Lisbon High School and when he graduates, he wants to become an auto mechanic. Dylan goes to a lot of the chapter meetings and is also very active in The New Lisbon High School Fishing Club which is an off shoot of KAMO. Chase Flietner is in 8th grade, and he loves to hunt and fish. Actually the day after one of our hunts Chase was going on his first date and he was taking his date fishing.
The main reason I decided to write a column on this is because for the boys, as well as Kevin and James, this was an entire summer project. They were required to run baits at least once a week, which in this case meant running 15 that are throughout the Juneau and Monroe County areas.
There were other KAMO members that helped, and they were Aaron Bigalke and Bob Nicksic, Bob and Dylan had so much fun that Bob took Dylan on a Canadian fishing trip. If you can see where I am going with all of this, KAMO is trying to create an outdoor atmosphere for Wisconsin's youth in each of the six parts of Wisconsin where we have chapters. The boys loved the baiting and the adventure

of it which meant lots of bear and wolf experiences, lots of sweating, and many good memories created at the Cranberry Country Cafe in Warrens which is owned and operated by Kevin ad Traci Peterson and a very interesting place to have a meal as it is also a museum dedicated to the cranberry industry.
The Meadow Valley Chapter purchased 2, two man tree stands and also a couple of cellular trail cameras and as you can see this was a 4 month project that did not come without expenses.
Chase and Dylan had an entire summer and early fall of holy moly type of pictures coming across their phones and though I was mostly on the side lines for this project it was very satisfying to hear how both kids and mentors evolved in such a positive way.
So in reality, Bob, Aaron, James and myself sat with the young hunters as this was a Learn to Hunt and we were all teachers. Kevin would drop us off near the baits and for Chase there were 11 nights in a tree and I believe 4 for Dylan. Dylan was sitting with James Newlun when a real nice bear came in and he did exactly what he was supposed and harvested his first bear.
Chase had a chance, in his case the bear lived to see another day but he did harvest 2 deer during The Youth Deer Hunt.
I spent 5 afternoons and evenings in trees with Chase and Dylan and it was very cool to see what KAMO members had made happen.
KAMO is always open to starting new chapters, finding new mentors and helping introduce our youth to the outdoors, you can check us out at www.kamokids.org
Sunset



Mark and Dylan during the Learn to Hunt for black bear.



Chasing black bears was a fun and exciting time for all involved.

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Big Win!



#14 Brody Chartraw battles a pair of Bluejay players during Cumberland's Regional Championship win on Saturday at Endeavor Stadium.



#6 Sloan McCreary and the rest of the Beavers found the going tough Friday night at Grantsburg. The Pirates showed why they are undefeated on the season.

Volleyball Season Ends in Regional Opener

The Cumberland Volleyball Team dropped its WIAA D3 Tournament opener to the Grantsburg Pirates last week, ending its 2023 season. "Our girls played their best, but Grantsburg had some powerful hitters, which defensively we just couldn't match," said Head Coach Erin Miller.
Grantsburg swept the three games by scores of 25-12, 25-16, and 25-13. Grantsburg was beaten by Phillips in five sets in the second round, who in turn was beaten by HON Champion St. Croix Falls on Saturday night, as the Saints took home the Regional Championship.
"I want to thank the players and coaches for their work all season. I especially want to thank our five seniors, Hannah Callow, Josie Capra, Brooklyn Tschirhart, Natalie Gonzales, and Alora Garibaldi for their dedication to the program. They will be greatly missed," added Coach Miller

Cumberland Mixed-Up Bowling League

1st Half Team Standings	Laura Valles - 172
Cumberland Federal - 17.5	Michael Cifaldi - 170
Club Cumberland - 8	Blake Cifaldi - 170
Corner Bar - 6	3 High Scratch Series
Cumberland Bus - 5.5	Kevin Larson - 487
Grandma's Gang - 3	Blake Cifaldi - 480
3 High Scratch Games	Laura Valles - 462
Kevin Larson - 197	

Spare Time Monday Night Ladies Bowling League Standing

Team Standings	Pam Klatt - 188
Becker's Trucking - 35	Patty Talbot - 177
Bourbon's - 34	Heidi VanHeuklom - 168
Clear Lake Self Storage - 30	Jen Huebner - 168
Austad's Super Valu - 29	5 High Scratch Series
Bowlin Buddies- 27	Judy Ullom - 547
Northwoods Septic - 26	Pam Klatt - 477
Dane Arthur Real Estate-20	Heidi VanHeuklom - 464
Four Chops - 15	Gwen Johannsen - 444
5 High Scratch Games	Brenda Levine - 439
Judy Ullom - 197	

Trap results

WEEK 4 COMPETITION - October 15, 2023			
Athlete	Round 1	Round 2	Score
MANOR, JACK	19	23	42
JOHNSON, CAMDEN	22	19	41
CARLSON, KYLE	20	20	40
RIEBE, BRAXTON	20	16	36
KNUTSON, ELLIOT	17	15	32
NELSON, JONATHAN	14	17	31
GRAMBERG, COLTON	14	15	29
GALLIPO, COLE	15	11	26
RASMUSSEN, CODIE	8	15	23
SHAFFER, KEENAN	12	10	22
WEAVER, GRIFFIN	12	5	17
ROUZER, IRA	7	4	11
WEAVER, MITCHELL	6	3	9
RIEBE, TANI	5	2	7
Cumberland High School Trap Team - Grades 6-12			
OVERALL STANDINGS THROUGH WEEK 4 FALL 2023 Cumberland High School Trap Team			
Athlete	Round 1	Round 2	Score
MANOR, JACK	80	80	160
JOHNSON, CAMDEN	79	77	156
KNUTSON, ELLIOT	76	66	142
RIEBE, BRAXTON	72	70	142
CARLSON, KYLE	69	72	141
NELSON, JONATHAN	55	61	116
GRAMBERG, COLTON	54	60	114
WEAVER, MITCHELL	64	45	109
RASMUSSEN, CODIE	48	60	108
GALLIPO, COLE	51	54	105
SHAFFER, KEENAN	50	50	100
WEAVER, GRIFFIN	55	44	99
ROUZER, IRA	39	34	73
RIEBE, TANI	22	14	36
Grades 6-12			

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Cumberland Police Dept. 822-2754
Barron County Sheriff 537-3106
Polk County Sheriff 485-8300

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TEAM	TEAM	W	L	T	+/-	OVERALL
Washburn/Bayfield	WA/B	11	0	1	52	14-0-2
Cumberland	CUMB	9	2	1	31	14-3-3
Unity/St. Croix Falls	UNITY	6	5	1	-3	9-11-1
Ashland	ASHLND	4	7	1	-15	4-11-2
Barron	BARRON	3	9	0	-20	4-16-0
Hayward	HAYWD	2	6	4	-17	2-12-4
Spooner/Shell Lake	SP/SL	2	8	2	-28	2-14-2

TEAM	TEAM	W	L	FOR	AGAINST	+/-	STRK	OVERALL
Cameron	CAMER	6	1	276	115	161	W3	8-2-0
Northwestern	NWERN	6	1	314	72	242	W4	9-1-0
Saint Croix Falls	SCF	5	2	242	109	133	W5	6-4-0
Cumberland	CUMB	4	3	130	207	-77	L3	4-6-0
Bloomer	BLOOM	4	3	178	159	19	L1	4-6-0
Spooner	SPOON	2	5	120	210	-90	W1	2-7-0
Chetek-Weyerhaeuser	CH-WY	1	6	79	263	-184	L5	1-8-0
Barron	BARRON	0	7	108	312	-204	L7	0-9-0

TEAM	TEAM	W	L	T	OVERALL
St. Croix Falls	SCF	9	0	0	31-2-0
Barron	BARRON	8	1	0	29-4-0
Spooner	SPOON	6	2	0	16-10-0
Cameron	CAMER	6	3	0	10-19-0
Hayward	HAY	5	3	0	19-13-0
Ashland	ASHL	4	5	0	10-16-0
Ladysmith	LADYS	3	6	0	6-30-0
Northwestern	NWERN	2	7	0	5-25-0
Chetek-Weyerhaeuser	CH-WY	1	8	0	3-21-0
Cumberland	CUMB	0	9	0	5-21-0

WEEK 8

2023 Cumberland Advocate Football Contest

WEEK 8

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TIE-BREAKER (Please indicate game score)

Pittsburgh _____ vs Jacksonville _____

Entries Must be postmarked, dropped off at the Advocate or emailed to: news@cumberland-advocate.com (please mark "Football" in the subject line) by Friday of each week. ONE ENTRY PER PERSON! TWO ENTRIES PER SUBSCRIPTION!

GOOD LUCK TO ALL!

Week #7

WINNERS!

1st Place
Tim Moynihan
* 9 tie

2nd Place
Ed Burke
* 9 tie

3rd Place
Doris Laursen
* 9 tie

The garden is almost clean!! Tina Anderson was up there with me this past week and, while I was getting rid of the cucumber vines, she dug up the corn stalks. What a difference that made. You know, you can't just pull those dang things up – unless you're younger than forty years old and very strong, that is – and I don't qualify for either of those categories. Anyway, Lynn Thon came and carted some off for us to use as fall decorations, and Tina is going to put some by her house too. Everything is coming together nicely. Duane has been busy picking apples. He bags them in the summer to keep the worms away – It's so much work, but it works great! Now I have lots to peel, cut up and put in the freezer to make pies this winter. And, Cheryl Lehmann mentioned that she had Cortland apples, which are great for pies, and she brought over a five-gallon pail full of them. Life is good!

Jim Copus was at his campground this past week to get everything winterized so he and Donna can leave for their winter home in Florida. While he was here Pat Olson decided to have a family get-together at her house and fixed us all a wonderful dinner of beef stew and vegetable lasagna – plus lots of other side dishes and some fantastic brownies. It was so nice to visit with everyone.

I hadn't been to Pat's house since Jay and Marcia had been there, and, I have to tell you, they really did a lot of work on the side of her yard that looks out to the lake. It was so overgrown with brush before, and now it looks so clean. Maybe I'll invite them to a "yard cleaning" party at our place next year.

Did you watch the Packer game on Sunday? The first

half was awful, but the Packers – and Love – really rallied the second half. It's his first year as starting quarterback, you know, but I think he will be every bit as good as the last two quarterbacks by next year. I think the team just needs time to get everything coordinated.

We will be having our annual pumpkin carving party this Saturday with all the grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Let's see now, if they all came, we would have eighteen jack-o-lanterns to decorate the front of the house. Of course, Sanara and Olivia, who are both living in Massachusetts now won't be here, but maybe someone will carve two so we will still have eighteen. And, Duane likes to carve them too, so we should have plenty. Please be sure to check them out while you're in town – they will be in the flower bed on the east side of our house. And, we hope to have some sitting proudly by Sal's on 63 too.

Time flies – Halloween is this coming week. I buy way too much candy to pass out, but we don't get many trick-or-treaters here. It would be nice if some of the little ones from the Barronett suburbs of Cumberland, Shell Lake, Sarona and Haugen would come to our big town to do their house-to-house trick-or-treating. We would love to see their costumes.

We are only a couple weeks from the Scandinavian Smorgasbord now. Our cousins, Sue Meier and Karen Hefty, are both planning to come over to help with the rolling out and cooking of lefse. It seems that, no matter how many pieces we make, we could have used more. Duane is busy getting the centerpieces ready. Lots of our volunteers will be getting the decorations ready for the stage. I will start making Norwegian wedding cakes soon.

There is just so much to do to, but we absolutely love it. Duane and I were talking about it just lately, and I told him that there are lots of Scandinavian dinners at different places this time of year, and everyone has really good food, but we have the prettiest decorations. Actually, I think our food is best too, but I guess, if you want to know for sure, you will have to go to lots of the dinners and then compare them to ours. You can stop by the kitchen and let me know if I'm right or not. You know, of course, that our dinner is held at the Barronett community center on November 5th starting at noon. I sure hope to see you there.

I guess that's about all I know from Barronett this week. I hope you are enjoying our fall weather and paying attention to how beautiful the leaves are. Have a great week, and I'll see you next time.

SENIOR DINING

Thursday, October 26

Chicken ala king, homemade biscuit, peas and carrots, Mandarin orange whip.

Friday, October 27

Meaty lasagna, brussels sprouts, assorted bread, glazed apple bar.

Monday, October 30

Chicken Parmesan over noodles, salad, assorted bread, ice cream.

Tuesday, October 31

Beef and macaroni 'Ghoulash', Gravestone green beans, Garlic Broomstick, Candy Corn brownie.

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 & \$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. (No reservation needed for Soup & Salad Bar days on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month served 11:30 am - 12:30 pm.) The Senior Center is located at 1255 Webb St.

OBITUARIES



Robert D. Berg

Robert D. Berg, age 75, of Eau Claire, passed away on October 19, 2023, at home. Bob was born December 28, 1947, to Carl and Agnes (Johnson) Berg. He grew up in Strum, Wisconsin, graduating from Elewa-Strum Central High School in 1966. Bob graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire in 1970 with majors in Psychology and Sociology. He married Roxanne Semingson on May 23, 1970.

Bob served in the U.S. Army from 1970 to 1973. Following that he worked as a counselor for the Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs Outreach Program, a program designed to help Vietnam era veterans. Bob graduated from Luther Theological Seminary-St. Paul, Minnesota, in 1979, and served as a pastor at Trinity Lutheran in Kintyre, North Dakota and St. Andrew's Lutheran in Zealand, North Dakota (1979-1982); Trinity Lutheran in Cumberland, Wisconsin and Georgetown Lutheran in Balsam Lake, Wisconsin (1982-1990); and Chetek Lutheran in Chetek, Wisconsin (1990-1995). He

was elected Bishop of the Northwest Synod of Wisconsin in 1995 and served two terms until 2007. He then received a call as Assistant to the President/CEO of Portico Benefit Services, responsible for health and retirement plans of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (2007-2013). He later served as an interim bishop in the East Central Synod of Wisconsin and interim and half-time Pastor at Bethany Lutheran Church, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.

Bob served on many church-related boards including, Board of Regents at St. Olaf and Augsburg Colleges in Minnesota, and Spirit in the Desert Retreat Center in Carefree, Arizona. He helped to establish and lead the companion synod relationship with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Malawi, Africa, creating and supporting feeding centers for orphans, providing bed nets to fight Malaria, clean water wells, medical clinics, mobile health clinics, church buildings, parsonages, and motor and pedal bikes for clergy.

Bob was a member of the American Legion and Lions Club. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, golf, clock repair, wood working, and collecting and restoring antiques.

He is survived by his wife, Roxie; daughters Missy (Lee) Herek and Michelle (Ricardo) Garay; grandchildren Emma Herek, Claire Herek, Rico (Celeste) Garay, and Lauren Garay; sister Carol (Stuart) Dodge; German exchange daughter Regina

Leurs; brother-in-law Ron Semingson; sisters-in-law Inez Semingson, Lois (Jim) Anderson, Donna Peterson, and Karen Kees. He is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents Carl and Agnes Berg; in-laws Odin and Ruth Semingson; brothers-in-law Eugene Semingson, Duane Peterson, and Dick Kees.

A visitation will be held on Thursday, October 26, 2023, from 3:00-7:00 PM at Trinity Lutheran Church, 1314 E Lexington Blvd, Eau Claire, WI 54701. Visitation time will continue Friday, October 27, 2023 from 9:30 AM until the time of the funeral service. A funeral service will be held on Friday October 27, 2023, 11:00 AM at Trinity Lutheran Church in Eau Claire. The burial with military honors will take place at St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery in Strum, at 4 PM.

Memorial gifts may be directed to the Emma and Claire Malawi Clean Water Well Fund (made out to the Northwest Synod of WI), Northwest Synod of Wisconsin ministries or Trinity Lutheran Church, Eau Claire. Friends and family may offer condolences online at www.hulkefamilyfh.com.

Hulke Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services, 3209 Rudolph Road, Eau Claire, WI 54701 is assisting the family with the arrangements.

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Family Caregivers...You Are Invited!

If you help your spouse, mom, dad, adult child with a disability, or friend with reminders, meals, medications, doctor appointments and more...then you are a family caregiver. The Aging & Disability Resource Center (ADRC) is inviting you to attend a special event, "Family Caregiver Voices", on Thursday, November 2nd, from 12:30 p.m.-3:00 p.m. at Turtleback Golf, Restaurant & Event Center in Rice Lake, WI. This event is designed to recognize the incredible care, commitment, and advocacy you provide or provided to your loved one and to give you an opportunity to share with our State Legislators what is needed to help you and the person you care for now and in the future. The agenda includes a buffet lunch, followed by the screening of the film documentary, "Unconditional: A Journey of Selfless Love" (filmed right here in Wisconsin), and concludes with an opportunity for you to share your story and advocate for any changes you think would help meet caregiver

needs. Both oral and written testimony is welcome.

ADRC staff have heard from many of you regarding challenges related to the current systems and resources that were designed to help in your journey, but instead may have left you frustrated and perhaps even more overwhelmed. The way to make needed change to help you and other caregivers overcome these challenges is by connecting with elected officials who can help bring about changes. We have the power to use our collective voice to share what matters most with Senator Romaine Quinn and Representative Dave Armstrong. I encourage you to share your story (experiences) with them, including how the following areas impact you:

- *Financial costs associated with care
- *Your experience finding respite care, quality of providers and available options
- *Your experience with healthcare providers/hospital systems

*Your experience with memory care facilities and their quality, training of staff, etc.

*Your experience with long term care resources, including the ADRC and managed care organizations

*How you were impacted, emotionally, financially, health-wise, etc.

*What would help...what is needed

Please do not worry about having a perfect story or using the right words, we just need you to be you and share what matters. If you would like additional help or feedback on your story or if you need someone to stay with your loved one so you can attend, please contact Trisha Witham or Alisa Lammers at the ADRC, 715-537-6225. RSVP is requested online at www.adrcconnections.org/registrations or call 715-537-6225. If possible, please bring a picture of the person you are caring for or cared for. Please consider joining us.

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OBITUARIES



Carol “Jean” Seabrook
Jean Seabrook, 92, of Cumberland passed away peacefully on Monday, October 9, 2023, surrounded by her family at Care and Rehab of Cumberland. She was born on April 29, 1931, in Turtle Lake, WI to Stephen and Esther (Young) Jansen. She was married on June 6, 1949, to her loving husband Everett Hillman Seabrook who preceded her in death on December 17, 2001.
Jean was devoted to her husband and family. She

followed Everett, a bridge engineer for United States Steel, to many distant locations far from her Cumberland hometown. With family in tow, they lived in Lisbon Portugal, Everett Washington, Libby Montana, Oakdale California and Los Angeles, to name a few. She never missed a day of rising early with him to see him off to work and set about the day in the loving care of her three children, Jan, Jim and Jeff. Jean was also the Prom Queen of Cumberland High School and was the lead trombone player in the band. She was beautiful on the outside but had an even more beautiful heart and soul. Each of her children and grandchildren felt her genuine love and affection whenever they were in her presence. She had an amazing gift of sharing herself, her experiences and life knowledge to all those she left behind and who will carry those memories

always. She cherished her “5:00 Happy Hour” with family and friends. Her meticulous care for her home and everything surrounding led to her much-earned moniker of “Clean Jean”. She will be missed by all.
She is preceded in death by her daughter Jan Seabrook; her sister Barb (Allen) Carlson; her brother-in-law Darrell (Pete) Peterson; and her sister-in-law Mary Jane (DeDominges) Jansen. She is survived by her sons Jim (Lori Ficocello) and Jeff (Sandra) Seabrook; her brother Steve (Mary) Jansen and sister Dianne (Pete) Peterson; grandchildren Nicole (Matt) LeStange; Kris (Jamie) Seabrook; Ryan (Bre) Seabrook; Kelsey (Jeremy) Ecks; Jeffrey Ray and Jennifer (Jimmy) Hoong; great-grandchildren, Lennon, Lincoln, Cassidy, Kaden, Kole, Hayley, Scarlett, Logan, Dex Everett and Lauren.
Funeral Services were

held at St. Anthony’s Catholic Church on October 23, 2023. Burial was held at Lakeside Cemetery.
Skinner Funeral Home of Cumberland is serving the family.
William “Bill” C. Clark
William “Bill” C. Clark, 82, of Turtle Lake, WI passed away on Monday, October 16 at Cedar Creek Manor in Kronenwetter, WI after a long illness.
Bill was born on September 12, 1941, to M. Theodore and Gladys (Newville) Clark in New Richmond, WI. He graduated from Turtle Lake High School in 1960 and immediately joined the US Army in the 85th Quartermaster Corps. He married Lois Ann Kolba in 1964 and they raised 4 children together.
Bill was a dairy farmer for 15 years. He especially enjoyed working his fields of corn, hay, and sorghum. After

he left farming, Bill went back to school to become a licensed butcher and worked as one at County Market in Hudson, WI until his retirement. Bill loved to spend time outdoors, especially if it meant hunting or fishing. He took several trips to Canada over the years to fish with his brothers and enjoyed teaching his children to hunt. Bill also made multiple trips to Yellowstone National Park to enjoy the scenery and to watch the wildlife.
Bill is survived by his children: Connie (Greg) Koch, Wanda Clark, Chester (Heather) Clark, and Aaron (Erin) Clark; grandchildren Jamie Koch, Steven Koch, Kimberly Hudson, Isabelle Hudson, Micah Clark, Daniel Clark, Bunni Clark, Isaiah Clark, Josef Clark, and Ivy Clark; great-grandchildren Jace Koch, Avery Koch, and Emmitt Koch; and numerous nieces, nephews, and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his parents, Theodore M. Clark and Gladys

(Newville) Buchholz; siblings Phyllis (Clark) Annis, Theodore “Ted” Clark, and JoAnn (Clark) Yeske; half-siblings Frederick “Sonny” Buchholz, Glen Clark, and Scott Clark; daughter Shirley Clark; and grandson, Austin Hudson.
Visitation will be at 10am, Saturday, October 28th, 2023 at Trinity Lutheran Church in McKinley, WI with the service to follow at 11am with Pastor Diane Norstad officiating. Burial will be in McKinley cemetery with lunch served following the service.

We here at the Advocate sincerely apologize for the mistake on the Jean Seabrook obituary in last week's paper. We feel terrible when mistakes are made. Again, we are truly sorry for the error.

Church Directory

“Our World Needs to turn Back to God”
by Pastor Tim Carlson
Timberland Free Lutheran Church

Jonah 1:1-2
The word of the Lord came to Jonah...”Go to the great city of Nineveh and preach against it, because its wickedness has come up before me.”
In days of old, Jonah was told to go to Nineveh and inform the entire city they were under the judgment of God for their wickedness and violence, and that their city was about to be overthrown. The book of Nahum describes Nineveh’s wickedness in more detail. Its citizens “plotted evil against the Lord” and practiced cruelty and plundering in war, prostitution, witchcraft, and commercial exploitation. Sound familiar?
Jonah resisted God’s call to preach, but finally delivered God’s message to the city, expecting it to be rejected. Instead, a strange thing happened. The people of Nineveh believed God and repented. They sat in sackcloth awaiting God’s judgment. Their king told his people to “call urgently on God. Let them give up their evil ways and their violence.” God saw that their faith and that their sorrow was genuine, so he relented and gave them compassion. For this outcome I pray today.
Hatred, anguish, suffering, brutality, fear, vengeance, cruelty, hopelessness — these are just a few of the many words describing the condition of mankind amidst the events of this last month. As we all seek justice — as we see it — there is a greater judgment we will all face someday. Now, more than ever, our world needs to turn from evil and back to the one true God of the Bible. The end result for all people will depend on it.
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**Jennifer Hyatt
Cumberland School District Clerk**
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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors for the Town of Lakeland will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, November 14, 2023, at 7:00 p.m., at the Town Hall, located at 791 - 29 11/16th Avenue. The hall is accessible to all persons. The agenda will be posted no later than 24 hours in advance of the meeting and can also be found on the Town's website, www.townoflakeland.wi.gov

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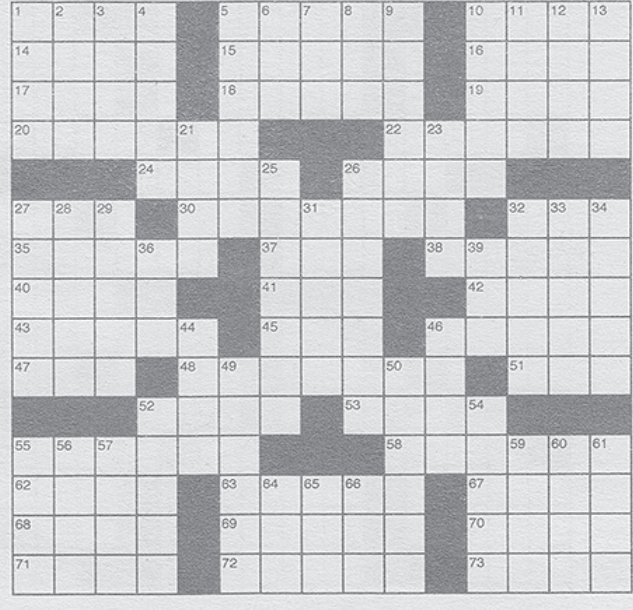




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5 Quoth
10 Charts
14 Awkward person
15 Computer code for characters
16 Location
17 Compass point
18 Aviator
19 Planet
20 Rhododendron
22 Verse meter
24 Withered
26 Merely
27 Primed
30 Liners
32 American College of Physicians (abbr.)
35 Tic tac's competitor
37 Average (abbr.)
38 Waste
40 Opera solo
41 Box
42 Decorative needle case

DOWN

1 Major (Big Dipper)
2 Canal name
3 Father
4 Senses
5 Hunting expedition
6 American sign language
7 Slippery frigid
8 Draw
9 Employing
10 Character on "Gone With the Wind"
11 Middle East dweller
12 South American nation
13 Back talk
21 Snaky fish
23 Ditto
25 Renders able
26 Unity
27 What a snake skin is
28 Strange
29 Snips
31 Crawling vines

32 Not before
33 Effect
34 Supplied
36 Charges
39 February (abbr.)
44 Opaque gem
46 Scent
49 African nation
50 Skirted
52 English river
54 Awkward
55 Surrender
56 Nerve fiber
57 Hairless
59 One of Columbus' ships
60 Graphical Interface (GUI)
61 Bound
64 Electric spark
65 Family
66 Adam's wife

Sudoku Puzzle #4151-D

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OJJDP Enhancement Grant Awarded to Barron DHHS will Continue to Expand Family Recovery Court

Barron, WI. – Engage and Enhance: Improving the Barron County Family Recovery Court for Families. By following the Family Treatment Court Best Practice Standards, Barron County will be able to provide services that address the needs of the entire family, including direct services to children and parents served in this program. Family Recovery Court improves outcomes for children, parents, and families affected by substance use and co-occurring disorders who are involved in the child welfare system.

As of October 1st, 2023, Barron County Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) received additional funding of \$896,785 from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP). The OJJDP Enhancement Grant will allow Barron County to improve the Family Recovery Court’s ability to treat substance abuse disorders and mental health disorders for children and families, and formally engage pregnant individuals and caregivers. It will also enhance data collection processes and evaluation methods to support the FRC.

Family Recovery Court Judge, Honorable James C. Babler, has expressed his enthusiasm saying, “The Barron County Circuit Court Judges are excited about this new opportunity and what the future holds for the Barron County Family Recovery Court. We are totally committed to Family Recovery Court (FRC) and have found it to be instrumental in changing moms and dads into safe, sober and clean parents. This enhancement grant will allow us to continue to improve our existing program by entering into new partnerships with community agencies to address the needs of infants af-

fect by substance use and improve the services provided to FRC participants and children.”

Since starting, The Barron County Family Recovery Court (FRC) has served over 44 adults and 55 youth within the community to provide treatment and accountability to parents with substance use and co-occurring disorders. The impact that Family Recovery Court and the services provided has on these individuals is profound, creating healthier parents and families.

This enhancement will allow Barron County to expand the treatment to include pregnant individuals with alcohol and other drug abuse by partnering with local medical professionals. It will also allow further partnerships with other community organizations to assist these individuals. In addition, there will be funds to support expanded recovery services. Including substance abuse disorder treatment services, sustainable peer support, and mental health needs. These funds will allow for supplementary drug testing methods and ability to respond appropriately. The added funds will also support adding community partners to assist with meeting mental health needs and recovery coaching services. Another primary component of the enhancement grant will be data collection, analysis and evaluation to determine the effectiveness of the services and programming provided within the FRC. We have seen early success with the FRC and we want to be able to continue that with not only the human success stories but the supporting data as well.

For more information about the grant award visit: <https://ojjdp.ojp.gov/funding/awards/15pjdp-23-gg-03560-coap>

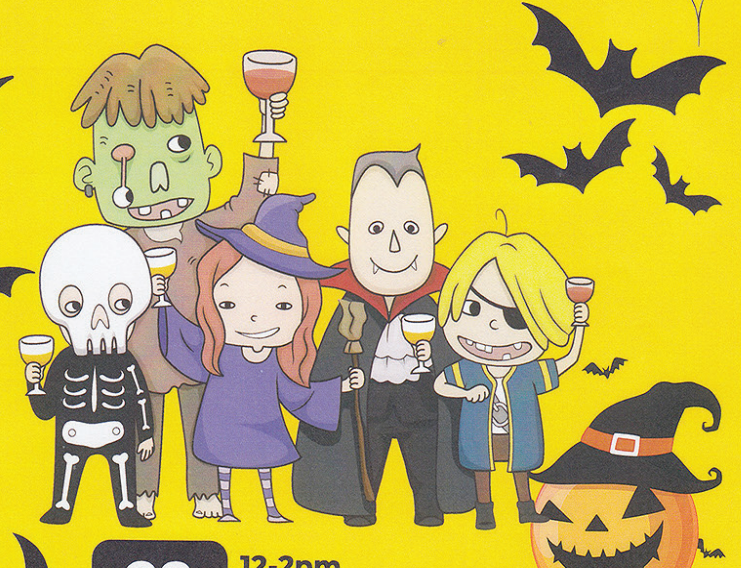
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