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Voters nix rec center

A scuttled city/school rec center project was the top story in 2019. See this and the other nine.

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Supervisor charged

Peter Schmidt, Bonduel, a county supervisor, has been charged with strangulation and suffocation.

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Shawano shootout

SCHS boys and girls basketball teams competed at the Kress Center in Green Bay.

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Abrupt halt to rec center plans top Leader story



Bill Foster, a consultant with School Perceptions, Inc., shows the results of the recreation center survey as it pertains to non-parent residents of the Shawano School District during a meeting in November at the Shawano Community High School Library.

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Native American culture issues take up two slots in top 10 list

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

A year-long effort to see whether the Shawano area was ready for a new recreation center jointly benefiting the city and the school district ended with a firm “no” from the community, generating enough interest to be the biggest story Of 2019 in the Shawano Leader.

Cultural issues involving Native Americans also dominated news pages in the Leader as Clintonville High School’s homecoming came to an abrupt halt following a dance contest where four students performed a mocking Native American dance, while Shawano School District signed on to a statewide effort to ban Native American mascots at schools. The death of Timothy J. Meade closed without any resolution, SAM’s House is in efforts to move and expand, and an explosion in the town of Grant killed three people to showcase just

some of the Leader’s top 10 stories.

Here’s a look at the headlines that dominated 2019:

1. Survey results kill off joint rec center

A proposed joint city-school district recreation center that had been the subject of an information blitz and numerous public meetings was effectively scuttled by overwhelmingly negative survey results in November.

By a margin of nearly 2-1, survey respondents said they would not support the project, which had an estimated price tag of \$28 million.

That would have meant property owners would have seen a \$57 hike in taxes on a piece of land worth \$100,000, which a majority of respondents cited as the main reason for their opposition.

Positive survey results wouldn’t necessarily have meant the project would have gone forward, but it would have cleared the way for a dis-

trict-wide referendum in the spring. The negative results also scrapped the referendum.

The proposed joint recreational and aquatic center would have replaced the city’s existing recreation center and expanded facilities at Shawano Community High School.

It would have been located adjacent to SCHS, on the north side of the building, and would have included the school’s existing competition pool.

It would have added a separate community pool area; a fitness area, including weights and cardiovascular equipment; a multi-purpose space; gymnasium; racquetball court; and indoor multi-purpose facility and walking track; as well as offices, bathrooms, lockers, storage and other amenities.

2. Homecoming cancelled due to mocking dance

Homecoming was abruptly can

celebrated at Clintonville High School after a video showing students mocking a Native American dance during a lunchtime activity went viral on social media.

The 45-second clip, posted numerous times on various Facebook sites, showed four male students dancing around in a circle as a recording of Native American drumbeats played in the background.

Shortly after area media outlets started inquiring about the video, the Clintonville School District website showed that all homecoming events, including the football game, had been canceled.

The district sent out two written statements apologizing for the incident, assuring people that the mocking dance is not indicative of the overall cultural atmosphere for Clintonville's public schools and saying it is working with officials to prevent such an incident from taking place again.

The district it would review its existing cultural diversity activities to see if things should be changed or added in order to educate students that mocking Native American traditions and spiritual beliefs can be offensive. Among the areas being examined are how well the district complies with Wisconsin Act 31, the law requiring schools teach about the state's 11 tribal nations.

3. Case closed on unsolved hit-and-run fatality

Shawano County authorities in June closed the books on the unsolved hit-and-run that took the life six years ago of Timothy J. Meade, but the investigation ends without clear answers as to how the accident happened or who was responsible.

Meade, 22, of Stephenson, Michigan, was found about 2:30 a.m. June 28, 2013, in the eastbound lane of traffic on County Road M at the state Highway 29 overpass in the town of Richmond.

Autopsy results indicate Meade was lying down in the road at the time he was struck. Toxicology reports



Timothy Meade's sisters, Autumn Edwards and Bobbie Jo Knaus, are embraced by Meade's mother, Eileen Edwards, at a 2014 balloon release in Meade's memory on the state Highway 29 overpass of County Road M where Meade died in 2013.

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indicate he had a blood-alcohol level of 0.25%. That would be three times higher than the 0.08% that would be legally too drunk to drive.

Meade's family, the Shawano County Sheriff's Department and the Shawano Leader, through stories written every year on the anniversary of the hit-and-run incident, have tried to keep the memory of his death in the public mind in the hopes that someone would come forward who could help solve the mystery.

That hasn't happened.

The case was officially closed June 28, 2019, because the statute of limitations had expired on any potential prosecution.

In what became a contentious sticking point in the now-shuttered investigation, Shawano County authorities maintain a key piece of information given to the Shawano Police Department about the crime in 2013 was never passed along to county investigators.

The city has denied that assertion and maintains the information was passed along, though it was never documented.

4. SAM's House relocates, expands

Shawano's emergency homeless

shelter announced plans in January to relocate and expand into the former New Era House at 105-107 E. Richmond St.

The building was purchased by Shawano Area Matthew 25.

SAM25 began as a grassroots effort by local citizens who were concerned about the growing poverty in the Shawano area. The group started meeting in 2013, organized as a 501(c)3 non-profit in 2014 and opened SAM's House emergency homeless shelter in November 2015.

SAM25 had been leasing the building that currently is utilized for SAM's House, located at 213 E. Green Bay St. since its inception. Shawano Municipal Utilities owns the building.

The new shelter will have on-site laundry as well as a large kitchen and dining area for serving donated meals, in addition to the resource space in the front of the building.

The capacity will also increase from five to eight guest rooms, with some larger rooms more appropriate for families.

The back area, where clients will

live, can be closed off from a resource center, thrift shop and what will eventually be a community clinic in the front of the building.

5. Town of Grant explosion claims lives of three men

An explosion and fire in the town of Grant in September claimed the lives of three men who succumbed to their injuries in the weeks that followed.

Four people were injured in the explosion, which remains under investigation by the state fire marshal's office.

Steve Verg, 62, died Sept. 25 as a result of the explosion and fire at his home at N4011 Verg Road. The address is the location of V & S Builders, Tigerton, which Verg started in the mid-1990s.

Michael Suehring, 64, of Shawano, died Sept. 27 as a result of his injuries. A third man, Daniel D. Young, 62, of Marion, passed away Oct. 17 at UW-Hospital in Madison.

Another man injured in the blast



An unidentified inspector looks over the wreckage after an explosion and fire at N4011 Verg Road in the town of Grant that claimed the life of Steve Verg, the owner of the building, and two other victims who succumbed to their injuries in the weeks that followed.

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and fire, Christopher Greipen, 69, of Marion, was hospitalized.

State officials have not provided any updates on the incident or the investigation.

There were early indications that a propane gas leak might have been responsible, but there has not been any confirmation of that, according to the sheriff's department.

6. Board joins native mascot ban effort

The Shawano School Board voted in August to join the Wausau School Board and other boards around Wisconsin in sponsoring a resolution seeking the ban of Indian mascots.

The board voted unanimously to be a co-sponsor of legislation to go to the Wisconsin Association of School Boards at its annual convention in January that would seek to force the 31 school districts who still have such mascots to change them to something less racially offensive. School districts in Madison and Sun Prairie have joined the effort, and school boards for Milwaukee, Green Bay, La Crosse and Eau Claire are scheduled to vote on the issue next week.

Shawano had previously had the Indian as a mascot until 1993, when the board voted to change it to today's mascot, the hawk. However, 31 other school districts in the state still have Native American mascots.

The Wausau resolution points out that having a Native American mascot in schools "teaches non-Native American children that it is acceptable to engage in culturally abusive behavior and perpetuate inaccurate misconceptions about Native American people, culture, history, sovereignty, government, customs and traditions."

The resolution also indicates that Native American mascots and nicknames are offensive to tribes. Shawano is within 30 miles of four Wisconsin federally recognized tribes — Menominee, Stockbridge-Munsee, Ho-Chunk and Oneida.

7. Shawano County opens new human services center

Shawano County held an open house in November to give the public a view of its new human services center.

The 13-acre campus at W7327 Anderson Ave., Shawano, houses Shawano County Human Services, the Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC) and Lakeland Industries. The property also contains a large shed that will be used for storage by the sheriff's and maintenance departments.



Rep. Gary Tauchen and Shawano County dispatcher Mary Beck, after Beck received a Hometown Hero award for her cool-headed response that helped a Shawano County couple deliver a baby while en route to the hospital.

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A new terminal at Wilmer Zueske Field, the Shawano City-County Municipal Airport, was dedicated in October.

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The agencies used to be housed in three different Shawano locations: Lakeland Industries, Lakeland Center and the Fellman Center, said Rick Kane, human services director.

In 2017, the county purchased the Dennison's Retail Lumber property in the town of Wescott for \$1.8 million after determining the Fellman and Lakeland centers were inadequate and expansion at those sites impractical. The Lakeland centers, located in the Shawano industrial park, will be sold.

On the new campus, the Dennison retail space was remodeled for a vocational training, and the department offices were built new.

The human services department provides "a umbrella of services," said Kane. These include economic support, mental health services, child protection, juvenile justice, aging and disability services, nutrition, transportation, alcohol and drug counseling, vocational development for people with developmental disabilities and drug court.

8. Dispatcher helps deliver baby

Shawano County sheriff's dis-

patcher Mary Beck, a 20-year veteran of the department who has been doing this work for about 30 years, found herself on Feb. 4 in a situation she had never experienced before.

In the midst of a hectic flurry of weather-related calls to the dispatch center, she took a call from a couple that was on the road during an onslaught of freezing rain with the wife going into labor.

The call came in shortly before 7 a.m., after Beck had already been on duty for about 11 hours, having come in early the night before.

Things were already hectic with the high volume of calls involving weather-related accidents around the county.

Beck knew from the outset the ambulance was probably not going to get there in time, given the icy road conditions.

Beck's partners in dispatch paged out the ambulance and tried to get the closest deputy possible out to the scene while she instructed the caller and his wife on what to do.

Beck read instructions from an emergency medical dispatch protocol that provides instructions for a variety of different situations, including child birth.

Luckily, with Beck talking the couple through the process step-by-step, the birth took place without a hitch.

9. Airport dedicates new terminal

A new terminal building at the Shawano City-County Airport was dedicated in October during a public ceremony and flag raising, but the

program was also a commemoration to the memory of the man for whom the airport is named.

Sgt. Wilmer Zeuske, Shawano native and World War II hero, was a member of the United States Army Air Corps, the Flying Tigers and the First American Volunteer Group (AVG).

Shawano City-County Airport, 248 Airport Road, was founded in 1940. Wilmer H. Zeuske Field was added to the name in 1954. Over the years, the field has grown from what was once an 80-acre plot of land into an airport of more than 340 acres.

Wilmer Zeuske Field caters to many of the area's businesses and private pilots, and is a general aviation field capable of handling small business jets on down. The field is unique as it is a seaplane landing area, basically one of a kind in Wisconsin because of the location of the airport on Shawano Lake.

The new terminal replaced a building that was erected in the 1940s and includes a few new amenities, including a pilot's lounge and a room for flight planning and training that also doubles as a conference room.

The airport commission was able to secure state and federal funding that paid for 95% of the project.

10. City takes ownership of SIST building

The city of Shawano in November took possession of two blighted and dilapidated buildings formerly owned by the Samanta Roy Institute of Science and Technology, marking the city's first significant breakthrough in addressing vacant SIST properties.

The Shawano Redevelopment Authority reached an agreement with SIST in April to purchase the buildings at 214-216 S. Main St. for \$36,000, a price considered fair market value.

The RDA, a semi-independent panel tasked with addressing vacant and blighted buildings in the city, filed a condemnation petition in March against the long-vacant SIST properties at 214-216 S. Main St. and 143-145 S. Main St., citing building inspections that raised health and safety concerns.

The matter had been slated for a condemnation hearing in court, but an agreement was ultimately reached that called for the city to purchase the buildings at 214-216 S. Main St. and let SIST keep the properties at 143-145 S. Main St. for the time being in hopes of eventually rehabilitating them.

2019 EMS personnel of the year honored

Shawano County deputies, fire, ambulance crew members named

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

The Shawano County Sheriff's Department has announced its awards for deputies and other emergency personnel of the year.

The awards are a first for the county and are a way to recognize law enforcement officers and emergency personnel throughout the county, Sheriff Adam Bieber said. The awards were presented at an event called the Ball of the Badges in October.

Receiving awards for 2019 were:

Corrections Officer of the Year

Kyle Gerhard was selected by his fellow corrections officers as



KYLE GERHARD

also a peer support officer, helping staff through stressful situations or incidents, whether home- or work-related.

Firefighter of the Year

Rob Woldt is the 2019 Firefighter of the Year. He started as a firefighter for the town of Hartland Fire Department in 1978 and became a lieutenant in the village of Bonduel Fire Department in 1985. In 1990, he was promoted to assistant fire chief and became chief in 1994, a position

he continues to serve in today.

Woldt was one of the main individuals involved in the merger of the town of Hartland Fire Department with the village of Bonduel Fire Department. The joint service was later renamed the Bonduel Area Fire Department.

Deputy of the Year

Shawn Copsey was named Shawano County Deputy of the Year. He started with the sheriff's department in 1997 and became a patrol deputy in 2000. He was selected as a member of the Special Response



SHAWN COPSEY

Team in 2004 and became one of two snipers in 2008. He is a firearms instructor, has taught boat safety, and helped with the Explorers post and citizen's academy.

Telecommunicator of the Year

Kasey Cross was chosen as Telecommunicator of the Year. She started her career as a dispatcher for the Shawano City Police Department in July 1996, and merged into the Shawano County coordinated dispatch center in 1998. She has been a lead telecommunicator



KASEY CROSS

for the Shawano County 911 Communication Center since 2007.

Firefighter of the Year, Western District

Ethan Schmidt joined the Gresham Fire Department at age 16 and has been a member for the past 12 years. He currently serves as vice president of the Gresham Fireman's Association. He co-chairs the association's only fundraiser, the beverage stand at the Shawano County Fair. He has been involved in setting up the department's annual recognition banquet and set up years of service awards and plaques for Gresham firefighters.

Emergency Medical Responder of the Year

Rover Baerenwald, who was instrumental in starting the Pella First Responders in 1983, was named Emergency Medical Responder of the Year. He remains active in the organization.

Behind the Badge

Keith Sorlie was unanimously chosen by Safe Haven staff as the first Behind the Badge Award Winner because of his outstanding commitment to assisting the agency and the people served by Safe Haven, a domestic abuse shelter in Shawano. The award is



KEITH SORLIE

for an individual who: demonstrates volunteerism and support of Safe Haven; actively connects victims of domestic abuse or sexual assault to Safe Haven; presents a clear understanding of abuse and assault issues and the cycle of violence; and supports and/or follows up with victims.

Shawano Area Fire Department Supporters of the Year

The Shawano Area Fire Department's Supporters of the Year are Toni Knope and Kathy Ashenbrenner. Former Chief Doug Knope's wife, Toni, was recognized for her service of 55 years, including 24 years when Doug served as fire chief. The award also honors Deputy Chief Duane Ashenbrenner's wife, Kathy, for her service of 57 years.



KATHY ASHENBRENNER



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"It is not taken for granted all the plans canceled, dinners missed, and time alone that they all endure when the pager goes off. We are very grateful and honored to be recognizing each of them as Supporters of the Year," the award announcement read.

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 ► ST. PATRICK, Stiles. Rev. Joel Sember. 920-846-2276. TUESDAY: Mass 8:30 a.m. SUNDAY: Mass 7:30 a.m.
 ► ST. PHILOMENA, 432 State Road, Birmamwood. Rev. Vincente Llagas. 715-449-0050. SUNDAY: Mass 10 a.m. TUESDAY: Mass 6 p.m. THURSDAY/FRIDAY: Mass 7:30 a.m. SATURDAY: Mass 7:30 p.m.
 ► ST. PIUS, 1211 County Road J, Suamico. Rev. Judah Pigon. 920-434-2024. SATURDAY: Mass 5:45 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 8:45 a.m.

Church of Christ

► HICKORY, Hickory Corners, 1/2 mile south of Hickory Corners on County Road G. Pastor Andrew Jantz. 920-842-2629. SUNDAY: Worship service 9:45 a.m. MONDAY: Bible study, time to be announced.
 ► MOUNTAIN, 14299 County Road W, Mountain. Preaching ministers: Nathan Walter, Larry Falish. 715-276-7112. SUNDAY: Worship service 8 a.m. 715-850-0985.

Christian and Missionary Alliance

► MAPLE VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH, County Road Z (just past the Oconto County shop), Suring. Pastor Bill Krauss. 920-842-2032 or 920-842-4644. SUNDAY: Sunday School for all ages 9:30 a.m., worship 10:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY (during school year): Lord Young Followers program for kindergarten through sixth grade 5-6:15 p.m., YFBI Youth Ministry for grades 7-12 6:15-8 p.m. ► OCONTO GOSPEL CHAPEL, 251 Michigan Ave., Oconto. Rev. Peter L. Dorn. 920-835-2330. SUNDAY: Worship services 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m., Sunday School for all ages 9:30 a.m, senior high youth group 6-8 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Junior high youth group 6:30-8 p.m.
 ► RIVERVIEW, 628 N. Main St., Oconto Falls. Rev. Kevin Kuhn. 920-846-8303. SUNDAY: Worship services 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Second service runs concurrently with Discovery Land (birth-sixth grade) and three adult and junior/senior high Sunday School classes. WEDNESDAY: Awana Clubs (3 years to sixth grade during school year), R.A.Y. youth group (grades 7-12) and adult Bible fellowship study 6:30 p.m.

Christian Science

► CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY OF OCONTO, corner of Main and Chicago streets. SUNDAY: Service 9:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY (first and third of each month): meeting 7 p.m.

Episcopal

► ST. JOHN, 141 S. Smalley St., Shawano, 715-526-3686. SUNDAY: Worship 10 a.m., Sunday school during service. WEDNESDAY: Worship noon. Hearing compatible sound system.
 ► ST. MARK'S, 408 Park Ave., Oconto. 920-834-4302. SUNDAY: Holy Eucharist 9 a.m. THURSDAY: Holy Eucharist 5 p.m.

Evangelical Free

► BETHANY FREE, Clintonville, 715-823-2770, Kurt Hettinga, pastor. SUNDAY: Worship 9:30 a.m., Sunday School 11 a.m.

Jehovah's Witnesses

► OCONTO FALLS, Kingdom Hall, 506 N. Chestnut Ave., Oconto Falls. 920-846-2914. SUNDAY: Public lecture 9:30 a.m., Watchtower study 10:05 a.m. THURSDAY: Life and Ministry meeting 7 p.m.
 ► SHAWANO, SUNDAY: Bible discourse 9:30 a.m., Watchtower study 10:10 a.m. THURSDAY: Bible study, Ministry school, service meeting 7 p.m.

Latter-day Saints

► GRESHAM, 1230 Schabow St., Randle Hoffman, bishop. 715-853-4185. SUNDAY: Sacrament meeting 9:30 a.m., Sunday School, Primary, Priesthood/Relief Society, Young Women 10:30 a.m.
 ► SHAWANO, Zingler and Evergreen streets, Matt Kaveinga, bishop. SUNDAY: Sacrament meeting 9 a.m., Sunday School, Primary 10:10 a.m., Priesthood/Relief Society, Young Women, 11 a.m., Family History center Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Betty Edgerton, director.

Lutheran

► ASCENSION, NALC, W6106 Navarino Road, Navarino, Pastor Marcia Sabin, 715-758-8312. SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Worship; Praise with Passion Contemporary Service, 5 p.m. meal, 6 p.m. Worship most Sundays. Handicap accessible.
 ► BEAVER AMERICAN, 19th Road, Pound. 920-897-3593. SUNDAY: Worship 8 a.m., Sunday School 9 a.m.
 ► BETHANY, 174071 Church Road, Aniwa, town of Easton. SUNDAY: worship 10:30 a.m.
 ► BETHEL, ELCA, N6955 County Road BB, Oconto Falls (four miles south of Gillett), Pastor Bill Gruenstern, 715-745-6461. Sunday School 8:45-9:45 a.m. Adult Bible study 8:45-9:45 a.m. except fourth Sunday; "Vittles & Verses" adult Bible study after church on fourth Sunday. Worship 10 a.m.
 ► BETHLEHEM, Pella. LCMC. W1105 County Road M. Pastor Tim Lofgren. SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. worship. Confirmation class 8:30 a.m., Sunday School 9 a.m. Sunday. WEDNESDAY: 6 p.m. service, with Bible study to follow.
 ► CALVARY (Wisconsin Synod), 5716 Main St., Abrams. Pastor Matt Stuebbs. 920-903-2221. SUNDAY: Divine worship 9 a.m. (Communion second and last Sunday of each month), Sunday School 10 a.m. (during the school year) WEDNESDAY: Confirmation class 6 p.m. (during the school year).
 ► CHRIST, Missouri Synod, Gillett, Red Bank Road and County Road H. Pastor Michael Pahlke, 920-842-2477. SUNDAY: 10:15 a.m. worship; Sunday School 10 a.m. Communion first and third Sundays. Sunday School September through May.
 ► CHRIST (LCMS), County Road H, west of Hintz. Rev. Michael Pahlke. 920-842-2488 or 920-842-2477. SUNDAY: Worship 8:30 a.m., Sunday school 9:45 a.m.
 ► CHRISTUS, LCMC, Clintonville, Brian Crocker, pastor. SUNDAY: Praise Service 8 a.m., Traditional Service 10:30 a.m., Sunday School and Adult Education 9:15 a.m.
 ► CHURCH OF THE WILDERNESS, N9157 Moh He Con Nuck Road, Bowler. SUNDAY: service 10 a.m., Sunday School 9 a.m.
 ► DIVINE SAVIOR, Wisconsin Synod, 102 Northridge Drive, Shawano, Wolf B. Parsons, pastor. SUNDAY: Worship 9 a.m. MONDAY: Worship 6:30 p.m. Communion second and fourth weekends. All special midweek services (Lent, Advent) 4:30 p.m.
 ► ELIAS, Town of Herman. Vicar Lois Graper, Lay Pastoral Leader Jim Hartleben. SUNDAY: 8:15 a.m. worship, Sunday School

9:15 a.m. at Elias. Holy Communion second Sunday of the month. 715-787-3367.
 ► EMMANUEL (Missouri Synod), 13346 County Road AA, Breed (rural Suring). Pastor Paul A. Scheunemann. 920-842-4600. SUNDAY: Worship 10 a.m. with Communion. Call 920-846-4600 for seasonal service times.
 ► EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOR, 323 Rosera St., Lena. Pastor Ryan J. Landwehr. 920-829-5544. SUNDAY: Worship 9 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m.
 ► FAITH UNITED (LCMS), 11465 Old U Road (one mile south of Gillett off state Highway 22). Rev. John Laatsch. 920-855-6464 or 800-370-2731. SUNDAY: Service 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Service 7 p.m. (Communion first and third weeks.)
 ► FRIEDENS, WELS, 405 E. State St., Bonduel, Virgil Hanson, pastor. SATURDAY: Service 6:30 p.m., SUNDAY: Service 8:30 a.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 ► GRACE (LCMC), 501 S. Main St., Oconto Falls. Rev. Gary Olson. 920-848-2177. Office hours 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday through Thursday. SUNDAY: Worship services at 8:30 a.m. (Traditional), 10:45 a.m. (Contemporary). Holy Communion first and third Sundays. Sunday school 9:30 a.m. TUESDAYS: Bible Study 7:30 a.m., Women of Grace 6:30 p.m. (second Tuesday). WEDNESDAYS: Confirmation class 6 p.m., Youth Group 6:30-8 p.m., Choir 7 p.m. SATURDAYS: Men's Breakfast 8 a.m. (third Saturday).
 ► IMMANUEL MOHICAN, County Road G at Mission Lake, Red Springs. Rev. Roland Golz. SUNDAY: Service 10:30 a.m. Communion first and third Sundays.
 ► IMMANUEL, ELCA, N9580 County Road X, Black Creek. SUNDAY: Worship 9 a.m., Communion first and third Sundays; Sunday School 10:15 a.m.; fellowship 10 a.m.
 ► IMMANUEL, LCMs, Caroline, 2 miles east on County Road M, Dean Suehring, pastor. SUNDAY: Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School at St. John Lutheran Church at 9:15 a.m.
 ► IMMANUEL, Missouri Synod, W3110 White Clay Lake Drive, Cecil. Pastor Steve Pockat. SUNDAY: Worship 10 a.m. Communion first and third Sundays.
 ► IMMANUEL, Town of Morris. Pastor John Hielsberg. SUNDAY: 10 a.m. worship; Sunday School 9 a.m. Holy Communion first and third Sundays. All are welcome.
 ► IMMANUEL, N5326 Church Road, Tigerton. Pastor John Hielsberg. SUNDAY: worship 10 a.m., Sunday School 9 a.m. Holy Communion first and third Sundays.
 ► MOUNT OLIVE (Missouri Synod), 206 N. Burk St., Suring. Rev. Michael Pahlke. 920-842-2488 or 920-842-2477. SUNDAY: Worship Service 10:15 a.m. (Holy Communion every Sunday), Sunday School (ages 3 through eighth grade) 9:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Junior Confirmation classes 6-7:30 p.m. (September-May); Ladies of Mount Olive 7 p.m. (third Wednesday in September, November, January, March, May and July.)
 ► OUR REDEEMER'S (ELCA), 11005 County Road M, Suring. Interim Pastor Frederick P. Mai, phone 920-412-4445. SUNDAY: Worship service 9 a.m. (Holy Communion every Sunday), Fellowship Hour after service, Sunday School 10 a.m. TUESDAY: WELCA quilting 9 a.m. and Bible study 1 p.m. (third Tuesday each month), Men's Fellowship 8:30 a.m. (third Tuesday).
 ► OUR SAVIOR'S, ELCA, Lessor, N1731 County Road S, Pulaski. Pastor Natalie Kramer. SUNDAY: Worship 10 a.m., Sunday School 8:45 a.m.
 ► OUR SAVIOR'S, Morgan Siding, Roy Rinehard, pastor. SUNDAY: Service 10 a.m.
 ► OUR SAVIOR'S, State Highway 49 N, Elderon. Pastor Harvey Abrahamson. 715-460-4888. revabrahamson@gmail.com. www.hope4elderon.com. SUNDAY: 9 a.m.
 ► PEACE, NALC, N3301 County Road SS, Split Rock. Pastor Craig Nehring. 715-754-5045. SUNDAY: service 8:30 a.m.
 ► PEACE, ELCA, N6135 County Road D, Tilleda. Pastor Lois Graper. 715-853-2549. lgrapertulp@gmail.com SUNDAY: worship 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School during worship. Holy Communion second Sunday of the month.
 ► REDEEMER, ELCA, W18205 College Ave., Wittenberg. 715-253-2590, redeemerWitt@gmail.com. SUNDAY: worship 10 a.m. Call for communion schedule.
 ► RESURRECTION, Missouri Synod, Boarders Inn and Suites, Shawano. Steve Conradt, interim pastor. SUNDAY: Worship 10:30 a.m. at Boarders Inn and Suites. 715-526-2068.
 ► RISEN SAVIOR (WELS), 13825 State Highway 32-64, Mountain. Pastor Craig Korth. 715-473-5633. SATURDAY: Worship service 6:30 p.m.
 ► ST. JAKOBI, Missouri Synod, County Road A, Town of Richmond, one mile west of Highway 47. Travis Kleinschmidt, pastor. SATURDAY: Service 6:30 p.m.; SUNDAY: Service 9 a.m., Education hour 10:30 a.m. 715-524-4347. www.stjakobi.org

► **ST. JAMES, LCMS, Shawano, 324 S. Andrews St.** Rev. Mark Drengler, senior pastor. Rev. Steve Schauder, associate pastor. Rev. Roy Rinehard, visitation pastor. SATURDAY: Service 5:30 p.m.; SUNDAY: Services 7:30, 9 a.m. (radio broadcast), Celebration Service 10:30 a.m. (gym) Sunday School 8:55 a.m. 715-524-4815.

► **ST. JOHN, Belle Plaine, Missouri Synod, N3299 Hunting Road, Clintonville, Pastor Todd Jerabek.** SUNDAY: Divine Service 11:30 a.m., Communion first, third and fifth Sunday of the month.

► **ST. JOHN, LCMS, Caroline, 3 miles west on County Road M, Dean Suehring, pastor.** SUNDAY: Worship 7:30 a.m. Sunday School at 9:15 a.m.

► **ST. JOHN, Gillett, LCMC, 101 W. Main St., Gillett.** 920-855-6215. SUNDAY: First-fourth Sundays, worship services 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.; fifth Sunday, worship service 9:30 a.m.; second Sunday, Gospel music. Holy Communion first and third Sundays. Sunday School 9:15 a.m. WEDNESDAY: J-Walkers (youth group) 6 p.m.

► **ST. JOHN, Cecil, LCMS, Nauman Road, between County Roads C and BB, Cecil.** John Laatsch, pastor. 715-745-4558. SUNDAY: Services 10:45 a.m. Holy Communion on first and third Sundays.

► **ST. JOHN, Hermansfort, state Highway 29, Steve Conradt, pastor.** SUNDAY: Worship 9 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. First and last Sunday Communion. WEDNESDAY: Confirmation class 6 p.m.

► **ST. JOHN, LCMS, 304 Flint Ave., Mattoon.** Vacancy Pastor Dean Bertsch. 715-489-3471. SUNDAY: worship 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m.

► **ST. JOHN, Leopoldis.** Vicar Lois Graper, Lay Pastoral Leader Jim Hartleben. SUNDAY: 8:15 a.m. worship. Holy Communion first Sunday of the month. 715-787-3367.

► **ST. JOHN, LCMS, 502 Cedar St., Tigerton.** Pastor Dean Suehring. 715-535-2282. www.frontiernet.net/~stjohntigerton. SUNDAY: worship 9 a.m., Bible study 8 a.m., Catechism and Sunday School at 8 a.m. Holy Communion the first, third and fifth Sundays.

► **ST. JOHN, ELCA, W17680 Church Road, Birnamwood.** SUNDAY: 9 a.m. 715-449-3342.

► **ST. JOHN'S (ELCA), MORGAN, 3374 County Road C, Morgan.** Pastor: Lloyd Luedman. 920-846-3453. SUNDAY: Worship with Communion service 8:30 a.m., Sunday School (age 3 to high school) 9:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Service with Communion 7 p.m.

► **ST. JOHN'S, Little Suamico (east of U.S. Highway 41-141 on County Road S, right on County Road J one-quarter mile).** Pastor Jerry Wirtley. 920-826-7785. SUNDAY: Worship service 9 a.m. (Communion first, second and third Sundays), Sunday School and coffee hour 10 a.m.

► **ST. JOHN'S RIVERSIDE (LCMS), southeast of Gillett on state Highway 32.** Pastor James Athey. 920-855-2625. SUNDAY: Worship 8:30 a.m. (Communion on first and third Sundays of each month), Sunday School 9:30 a.m. (September-May), Bible study 9:30 a.m. (first and third Sundays of each month), fellowship following service (second Sunday of the month).

► **ST. JOHN (Missouri Synod), 17963 State Highway 32, Townsend.** Pastor: Stephen Mueller. 715-276-7214. 866-390-0543. www.stjohn-townsend.org/stjohnnews.htm. SUNDAY: Worship 9 a.m. (Holy Communion). Fellowship Hour after Sunday Service. SATURDAY: Worship 5:30 p.m. (Holy Communion). Sunday school (preschool to eighth grade) 10:30 a.m. weekly. Sunday Bible Class 10:30 a.m. weekly. Wednesday Breakfast Bible Class 7 a.m. weekly. Thursday Bible Class 10 a.m. weekly. Bible Study (Pastor Neider), The Truth Project, first and third Thursday of month.

► **ST. JOHN, 8904 St. John Road, Hayes, town of How.** Pastor Nickolas Buchholz. 216-906-9870 or 920-842-4443 (school). SUNDAY: Worship 10 a.m., Sunday School, youth Bible class and adult Bible class 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY: School chapel service 8:15 a.m., Bible study 9:15 a.m. (when school is in session for 3- and 4-year-old preschool, kindergarten and grades 1-8).

► **ST. MARK (Wisconsin Synod), Spruce.** Pastor Ryan J.

Landwehr. SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:15 a.m., worship 10:30 a.m.

► **ST. MARTIN, Belle Plaine, ELS, Kurt Kluge, pastor.** SUNDAY: Service 9 a.m. Sunday School and Bible class after service.

► **ST. MARTIN, Missouri Synod, Clintonville, Rev. Chris Burg.** SUNDAY: Worship 8 a.m. (radio broadcast) and 10:30 a.m., Sunday school 9:10 a.m.

► **ST. MATTHEW, 138 Bissell St., White Lake.** 715-882-3111. SUNDAY: Sunday School 8:45 a.m., worship service 10 a.m.

► **ST. PAUL (Wisconsin Synod), 301 S. Chestnut Ave., Oconto Falls.** Pastor Matthew R. Arnold. 920-846-8397. SUNDAY: Worship 9 a.m. (Communion first and third Sunday of the month), adult Bible class and Sunday School 10:15 a.m. (Memorial Day through Labor Day), MONDAY: Worship service 7 p.m.

► **ST. PAUL, Missouri Synod, N9035 U.S. Highway 45, Birnamwood.** Pastor Matt Christians. 715-449-2101. SUNDAY: worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday School and Bible class 9 a.m. THURSDAY: worship 7 p.m. Holy Communion at every Divine service.

► **ST. PAUL, Missouri Synod, Bonduel, Timothy Shoup and Mark R. Palmer, pastors.** SATURDAY: Worship 7 p.m. SUNDAY: Worship 8 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. Holy Communion: first and third weekends. 715-758-8559. stpaulbonduel.com.

► **ST. PAUL, Missouri Synod, 201 E. Wall St., Bowler.** Pastor Michael Schram. 715-793-4608. SUNDAY: service 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY: service 7:30 p.m. Communion first and third weeks.

► **ST. PAUL STONY HILL, Missouri Synod, W9304 Oak Ave.** 1 mile west of Thornton at Hickory Road, Pastor John Eyer. SUNDAY: Sunday School and Adult Bible Class 8:45 a.m., worship 10 a.m.; Communion first, third and fifth Sundays.

► **ST. PAUL, Missouri Synod, County Road E and Oakcrest Drive, town of Washington, Steven Pockat, pastor.** SUNDAY: Worship 8:30 a.m.; Communion first and third Sundays.

► **ST. PAUL, Missouri Synod, 701 S. Home St., Wittenberg.** Pastor Matt Christians. 715-253-2790. www.stpaulwittenberg.com. SUNDAY: worship service with Communion 8:45 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m. WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m.

► **ST. PAUL, WELS, W1978 Church Drive, Zachow, Virgil Hanson, pastor.** SUNDAY: Service 8:30 a.m., Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

► **ST. PETER, Pella Opening, LCMS, Todd Jerabek, pastor,** 715-823-4459. SUNDAY: Sunday School 9 a.m., Service 10 a.m.; THURSDAY: Bible study 10 a.m. first, third and fifth Sundays, Communion/second and fourth Matins.

► **TABOR, 14153 Church Road, Mountain.** Rev. Paul A. Scheunemann. 715-276-7707. SUNDAY: Worship 8:30 a.m., THURSDAY, Worship 7 p.m. (Holy Communion second and last Sundays and Thursdays).

► **TRINITY (LCMS), Maple Valley, Suring.** Pastor Nicholas Buchholz. 920-392-9335. SUNDAY: Worship 8:30 a.m. (Communion first two Sundays and every fifth Sunday of the month). Visitors welcome.

► **TRINITY, 403 Birch St., Birnamwood.** SUNDAY: 10 a.m., Sunday school 9 a.m. 715-449-3778.

► **ZION, NALC, Caroline, Pastor Craig Nehring,** 715-754-5045. SUNDAY: Sunday School 9 a.m., Worship 10:15 a.m. MONDAY: Choir, 6:30 p.m.; WEDNESDAY: 6-8 p.m. Confirmation class.

► **ZION, N7630 Pine St., Eland.** Pastor Michael Schram. SUNDAY: service 10:45 a.m., Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Communion first and third Sunday.

► **ZION, Embarrass, LCMS, Todd Jerabek, pastor,** 715-823-3889. SUNDAY: Divine Service 8 a.m., Sunday School 9:10 a.m.; WEDNESDAY: Divine Service 6:30 p.m.; THURSDAY: Bible Study 7 p.m. Holy Communion celebrated every Sunday.

► **ZION, Missouri Synod, Gresham, 740 Main St. at County Roads A and G, Pastor John Eyer.** SUNDAY: worship 8:30 a.m., UIMet Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Communion first, third and fifth Sundays.

► **ZION, ELCA, 1254 S. Union St., Shawano, Scott Ludford, pastor.** SATURDAY: 5 p.m. SUNDAY: 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Education hour 9:15 a.m. Sunday. Memorial Day through

Labor Day, SATURDAY: 5 p.m. at Zion; SUNDAY: 8 a.m. at Zion, 9:30 a.m. at Shawano Lake County Park.

► **ZION, Missouri Synod, Zachow; N4437 County Road F, Bonduel; Pastor Richard R. Buhrke.** SUNDAY: United Intergenerational Ministry Education (UIM-SS/ABS) 9 a.m. September to May. Worship 10 a.m. September-May, 9 a.m. June-August; Communion first and third Sunday.

► **ZION (Missouri Synod), 1700 Superior Ave., Oconto.** 920-834-5037. SUNDAY: Worship 10:30 a.m.

► **ZION, ELCA, 511 Spaulding St., Tigerton.** 715-535-2312. Pastor Sharon Fox Bogen. SUNDAY: worship service with Holy Communion 10 a.m., Sunday School 9 a.m.

Methodist

► **ANGELICA, Lynn Tricker, pastor.** SUNDAY: Service and Sunday School 8:30 a.m.

► **CHURCH ON THE HILL, 1000 Engel Drive,** 715-526-5380, Claudia Deede, pastor. SUNDAY: Worship 10 a.m., Children's Chapel 9:50 a.m. Holy Communion on the first Sunday of the month. Handicapped accessible.

► **HICKORY, 9872 County Road M, Suring.** Pastor: David Lyman. 920-842-2110. SUNDAY: Worship service 11 a.m., Sunday School 11 a.m. All ages welcome.

► **NEW HORIZONS, 400 E. Front St., Wittenberg.** 715-253-2785. Pastor Loretta Waegli. 715-853-4444. SUNDAY: 10 a.m.

► **OCONTO, 641 Washington St., Oconto.** Pastor David Henke. 920-834-2955. SUNDAY: Worship service 10:30 a.m.

► **OCONTO FALLS, 165 N. Farm Road, Oconto Falls.** Pastor David Henke. 920-846-2154. SUNDAY: Worship service 9 a.m.

► **SALEM, Red River, Claudia Deede, pastor.** SUNDAY: Service 8:15 a.m., Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Handicap accessible/elevator. Communion on the first Sunday.

► **SURING, 314 Main St., Suring.** 920-842-2110. SUNDAY: Worship service 9:30 a.m.

► **TABOR, 120 W. Main St., Gillett.** Pastor David Lyman. 920-855-2066. SUNDAY: Worship service 8 a.m.

► **ZION, Bonduel, Lynn Tricker, pastor.** SUNDAY: Worship 10 a.m., Sunday School 10:15 a.m.; United Methodist Women Brunch Meeting 8:30 a.m. the first Sunday; Communion on the first Sunday. Handicap accessible/elevator.

Nondenominational

► **CORNERSTONE FAMILY CHURCH, 2780 School Lane, Green Bay.** Pastors Dennis and Sandy Toyne. 920-662-1146. SUNDAY: Services 8 a.m., 10 a.m. and 6:45 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Adult Sunday School 9 a.m. CFC Youth Group 6:45 p.m.

► **FELLOWSHIP BIBLE CHURCH, 509 Alma St., Pound.** Pastor Paul Smith. 920-606-4519. SUNDAY: Service 10 a.m., Bible study 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer meeting 6:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

► **FREEDOM BY THE WORD CHURCH: 820 E. Green Bay St., Shawano.** Beverly D. Kopp, senior pastor. 715-432-2390. fbtwc1@gmail.com. SUNDAY: Worship 10 a.m. New Generation Children's Church 10 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Worship 6:30 p.m.

► **FULL GOSPEL ASSEMBLY, 212 E. State St., Bonduel.** Pastors Danny and Lee Anne Hood. 920-471-7863. SUNDAY: Service 10 a.m.

► **GAME CHANGER MINISTRIES, 507 E. Vinal St., Wittenberg.** Pastor Bob Besch. 920-851-3241. SUNDAY: 10 a.m.

► **GRACE FAMILY CHURCH, 113 N. Main St., Marion.** Pastor Kelly Loken. 715-754-2550. SUNDAY: worship 9:30 a.m.

► **GROVER COMMUNITY CHURCH, Church Road, Peshtigo.** Pastors Rod Efta and Andy Davis. 920-582-4347. SUNDAY: Worship 10 a.m., Sunday School 9 a.m., family hour 6:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Connection (youth clubs, teens and adults) 6:30 p.m.

► **HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH, Shawano, John Anderson, lead pastor; Todd Bonnin, administrative pastor.** 302 Tristan Drive, 715-524-2320. SUNDAY: 8:45 a.m. and 10:30 a.m., with kids ministry during both services for birth through grade 5; interpreter for the deaf at 10:30 a.m. service the third, fourth and fifth Sunday. TUESDAY: 6 p.m. True North for grades K-5. WEDNESDAY: 6:30 p.m. EPIC Student Ministries for grades 6-12. office@shawanochurch.org. www.shawanochurch.org

► **LIVING WORD MINISTRIES, 940 Carney Blvd., Marinette.** Rev. Donald A. and Marcia L. Defnet. 715-735-3307. SATURDAY: Service and children's ministry with the Oogene Greene Puppet Family and Rovercomer the Faith Dog, 11 a.m.

► **NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, 516 Brazeau Ave., Oconto.** Pastor Bobbie Skelly. 920-834-2411. MONDAY and WEDNESDAY: Ministry hours 1-4:30 p.m. Pastoral counseling available.

► **SPOKEN WORD, 407 E. Division St., Shawano, L. Hamann, pastor.** SUNDAY: Services 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Service 7 p.m. taped message by William Marion Branham.

Pentecostal

► **CALVARY APOSTOLIC, 535 McKinley Ave., Clintonville,** 715-823-2202. www.calvaryapostolic.ws, Patrick Kloehn, pastor. SUNDAY: Services 10 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Adult and youth services 7 p.m.

► **GOOD SAMARITAN, 1086 State Highway 49, Eland.** Pastor Frank Ritchie. 715-446-5064. SUNDAY: 10 a.m. THURSDAY: 7 p.m.

► **LIFE CHURCH, 222 Mills St., Shawano, Michael McKinnie, pastor,** 715-526-6332. SUNDAY: Foundations 10 a.m.; Celebration Service 11 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Life and Discovery 7 p.m. facshawano.org

► **LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH, 821 Superior Ave., Oconto.** Pastor: Steven J. Dahl. 920-834-5510. www.ocontopentecostallighthouse.com. SUNDAY: Services 10 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Services 6:30 p.m.

Presbyterian

► **COVENANT LIFE, Sterling Plaza, 1415 E. Green Bay St., Suite 121B, Shawano, Rev. Gordon Oliver.** Services: 10:30 a.m. Sunday. 920-980-4180.

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► **ST. JOHN, Cecil, Rev. Moira Finley.** 715-745-2195, pastor's phone 715-851-3080. Sunday service 10:45 a.m., Communion first Sunday. Church school during worship hour.

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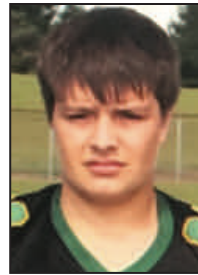
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OBITUARIES

Samuel Edward Egging, 16, of Birnamwood, died unexpectedly on Thursday, Dec. 19, 2019, in the town of Birnamwood as the result of an accident.

He was born on Dec. 29, 2002, in Antigo, the son of Michael and Ginger (Heidenreich) Egging.

Sam was a junior at Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School. He was on the Chargers football team, proudly wearing No. 66 and frequently could be seen lifting weights



driving his four-wheeler and was employed at Taco John's in Witten-

Samuel Edward Egging

at school. His-
tory was his
favorite subject
in school. Sam
loved driving his
car and would
chauffeur both
his brothers and
friends to school
and other places.
He enjoyed

berg and Antigo.

Sam is survived by his parents,
Michael and Ginger; his two young-
er brothers, Andrew and Henry;
grandparents, Thomas and Rose
Egging, of Mattoon, and Sandy and
Terry Heidenreich, of Birnamwood;
aunts and uncles, Mike (Becky)
Heidenreich, of Eland, T.J. (Kirstie)
Heidenreich, of Strum, Cassie
(special friend Zach) Heidenreich,
of Eau Claire, Hank (Courtney)
Heidenreich, of Eau Claire, Tony

(Jena) Egging, of Antigo, and Sara
(Todd) Willcome, of Birnamwood;
numerous cousins and extended
family and friends.

A funeral service was held at 1
p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 26, 2019 at
Schmidt and Schulta Funeral Home,
Birnamwood. Deacon Tom Hartman
officiated. Visitation was held on
Thursday from 10 a.m. until the time
of service at the funeral home.

Memories and condolences may
be shared at schmidtschulta.com

Norbert Miller

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Norbert Miller, husband, father,
brother, uncle, and friend, exempli-
fied his 67 winters on mother earth
before beginning his journey to the
spirit world on Dec. 26, 2019, with
his family by his side. Onĭ Kaew
Mo.hkata.qsow – He who makes
camp. He who does carpentry work.

Norbert was born on July 25,
1952, to the late Benjamin and Anna
June (Tebeau) Miller. Norbert was
a graduate of Shawano High School
and Fox Valley Technical College
where he honed his skills to become
a master carpenter. Upon gradua-
tion, he joined the carpenters union
where he used his skills in building



Menominee Indian Tribe of Wiscon-
sin where he spent the majority of
his life with his wife, Emmeretta, and
daughter, Dory.

Norbert had an avid interest
in the land and the forest of the

homes.

Norbert
established
two businesses,
K&M wood-
craft and Kenah
Mecem conve-
nience store in
Neopit. Norbert
was a proud
member of the

Menominee Indian Reservation.
Hunting, fishing, conservation, pro-
tection of the land of the Menominee
ranked high in Norbert's life. Nor-
bert also enjoyed sausage making
and smoking fish. He was a golden
glove champion and started the
Stockbridge-Munsee Boxing Club.

Norbert is survived by his wife of
38 years, Emmeretta; his daughter,
Dory (Robert Carlson) Miller; his
siblings, Adrian (Lynnette), of Kes-
hena, Rendell (Carolyn), of Green
Bay, Brenda (Chester) Gauthier,
of Neopit, Dana (Valarie) of Boise,
Idaho, David (Gina), of Keshena,
Diana (John), of Madison, Keith,

of Wisconsin Dells, and Kevine, of
Neopit. He is further survived by
nieces, nephews, other relatives and
friends.

He was preceded in death by his
parents and his brother, Gene Miller.

A funeral service was held for
Norbert at 11 a.m. on Monday, Dec.
30, 2019, at St. Anthony Catholic
Church with the Rev. Joel Jores of-
ficiating. Visitation was held after 4
p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 29, 2019 at the
Neopit Community Center.

The family of Norbert would like
to thank Unity Hospice for their
wonderful care.

www.swedbergfuneralhome.com

Lloyd J. Pecore Jr.

Lloyd Joseph Pecore Jr., 83, of Os-
hkosh, formerly of South Branch, Sur-
ing, passed away on Thursday, Dec. 26,
2019, with several of his close family
members by his bedside at Bella Vista
Assisted Living.

Lloyd was born at St. Joseph's
Hospital in Keshena on Nov. 29,
1936, to Lloyd J. Pecore Sr. and Mary
Margaret (White) Pecore. He attended
area schools and enlisted in the U.S.
Air Force during the Korean conflict,
proudly serving his country before be-
ing honorably discharged.



a logger. Lloyd had previously worked
in the logging industry in his youth,
assisting his father.

In 1960, Lloyd was married to

After his mili-
tary service, Lloyd
was employed in
manufacturing in
Rockford, Illinois,
for a time. He then
moved back to the
Menominee Res-
ervation, where
he found work as

former wife Judy (Schroeder) Pecore.
He became employed at the Universal
Foundry in Oshkosh and worked there
until 1970. Over the next two decades,
Lloyd was employed in the construc-
tion industry, doing iron work on sky-
scrapers in Houston, Texas, and bridge
building in Burlington, Wisconsin, and
in other locations.

For the last 10 years of his em-
ployment history, Lloyd worked for
Oconto County, retiring in 1998 at the
age of 62. Always one to stay busy,
Lloyd was a member of his local volun-
teer fire department for many years
after retirement.

Lloyd was an avid outdoorsman,
who loved to hunt and fish in his spare
time. He was a very hard worker who
was generous with his money, often
giving to those he knew who needed
help. Lloyd had a great sense of humor
and loved to kid around with his
friends and family. Most of all, later in
life Lloyd loved to spend time with his
grandchildren, watching them grow
and being proud of their accomplish-
ments. His smile and warm laughter
are already missed.

Lloyd was preceded in death by his
parents, Lloyd Pecore Sr. and Margaret
Pecore; his brother, Gerald D. Pecore;

and sister, Sue Carol (Pecore) Schultz.

He is survived by his former wife,
Judy M. (Schroeder) Pecore; two sons
and their wives, Dane Q. Pecore and
Cindy Schroeder Pecore, Ragan J.
Pecore and Chris (Cribben) Pecore;
and 10 grandchildren, Christian, Grant,
Marshall, Ali, Brock, Chase, Pierce,
Trey, Bennett and Helen.

Friends and relatives called on the
family on Monday, Dec. 30, 2019, from
4-7 p.m. at Gruetzmacher Funeral
Home, 116 Krueger St., Suring. A Mass
of Christian burial was celebrated on
Tuesday, Dec. 31, 2019, at 10 a.m. at St.
Michael's Catholic Church, Keshena.
A meal followed Mass in the hall at St.
Michael's. Interment followed at Pleas-
ant Hill Cemetery in Suring.

Gruetzmacher Funeral Home in
Suring is assisting the family with ar-
rangements. Online condolences can
be expressed at www.gruetzmacherfuneralhome.com.





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Patronage is a concept of giving back that originated among cooperatives many years ago. Most have abandoned the practice, but at CoVantage, patronage has been paid to member-owners for the past 39 consecutive years.

"The board determines how much income we need to pay regular dividends and operating expenses, and keep in reserves to ensure we remain strong during difficult times," said Lee Siler, CoVantage board chairman. "Because of our financial

strength, and the fact that more and more members are trusting CoVantage with their loans, deposits, and cards ... we are thrilled to be able to provide members over \$4 million — our largest patronage payment ever. In the last three years alone, our patronage program has returned over \$10 million to members. On behalf of the directors, I want to extend my thanks for new and long-time members, and for all who make their loan payments on time, as ongoing low delinquency was also a factor in this record return."

This year's patronage includes a bonus on dividends earned for those who save, and a loan interest rebate for those who borrow. CoVantage depositors received a 5% bonus on dividends earned on eligible savings, term share certificates and variable

rate accounts. Borrowers received a rebate of 5% of their total 2019 interest paid on qualifying vehicle, home equity, in-house mortgage, credit card, and commercial loans.

For instance, if \$5,000 of interest had been paid on a home loan, the member would receive \$250 in patronage for just that loan. In addition to patronage, CoVantage also provided nearly \$100,000 to members through the CoVantage match of the Change it Up debit card savings program. This year more members than ever are spending and saving with their CoVantage debit card and have collectively saved over \$2 million through Change it Up.

"Part of our mission is to provide outstanding everyday value, and I'm humbled to share that in September 2019, CoVantage was ranked fourth

out of 5,400 credit unions nationally for providing great rates and low fees (as reported by Callahan, an independent credit union research company)," CoVantage President Charlie Zanayed said. "This was the 13th year in a row CoVantage was honored to be in the top 1% of credit unions for providing outstanding value."

Further information about the CoVantage patronage program can be found at www.covantagecu.org/patronage.

CoVantage Credit Union, headquartered in Antigo, has \$1.9 billion in assets and serves over 120,000 members across all of its locations. Founded in 1953, the financial cooperative serves members living or working in 18 counties in Wisconsin and three counties in the U.P. of Michigan.

Frogwater performs



ABOVE: Susan and John "Jack" Nicholson use the blues to cheer up a rainy evening at a Cotter Creek house concert at the home of Joel Kroenke, near Shawano, on Saturday. Susan Nicholson said the band's name was taken from the label on jugs of water used for pet African clawed frogs, which required a special water chemistry to thrive. The name sounded funny, and it stuck, she said.

CAROL RYCZEK | NEW MEDIA

RIGHT: Samuel Donkowski and his father, John, respond with applause after a song by Frogwater at the home of Joel Kroenke on Saturday. Frogwater is one of a series of performers at Cotter Creek house concerts. The next performer will be the Yellow Bellied Sapsuckers on Jan. 18. Concerts begin with a potluck at 5:30 p.m. and music at 7 p.m. A suggested donation is \$15. Reservations can be made by calling 715-853-6879.

CAROL RYCZEK | NEW MEDIA



County supervisor faces felony charge

Schmidt charged with strangulation and suffocation

By **TIM RYAN**
Reporter

SHAWANO — A Shawano County supervisor has been charged in Shawano-Menominee Circuit Court

with a felony count of strangulation and suffocation as a result of an alleged attack on a farm employee in the village of Wittenberg on Nov. 22. Peter A. Schmidt, 27, of Bonduel, is accused of attacking an employee of the Schmidt family farm, who was staying at a residence provided by the farm and was late for work. According to the criminal complaint, Schmidt attacked one of the men, pushing him down on a bed and pressing the base of his neck. The incident was recorded on a

cellphone by one of the other employees, according to the complaint. According to the complaint, the man Schmidt allegedly attacked had difficulty breathing and started losing consciousness during the incident. The complaint states Schmidt kicked the employees out of the residence after the incident. Schmidt could face a maximum six years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. He is also charged with a misdemeanor count of disorderly conduct.

Schmidt posted a \$500 cash bond set by Judge William Kussel Jr. and is due back in court for a preliminary hearing Jan. 16. Schmidt is serving his first term as a Shawano County supervisor, representing the town of Hartland, Ward 1 of the town of Angelica and Ward 2 of the town of Washington. He has filed a notice of non-candidacy for the April election.

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PUBLIC RECORD

SHAWANO POLICE DEPARTMENT

Dec. 28
Police logged 18 incidents, including the following:
Juvenile — Police responded to a juvenile problem in the 400 block of West Richmond Street.
Disturbance — Police responded to a disturbance in the 300 block of South Andrews Street.
Vandalism — A window was reported vandalized in the 300 block of East Richmond Street.
Shoplifting — Walmart, 1244 E. Green Bay St., reported a shoplifting incident.
Dec. 27
Police logged 15 incidents, including the following:
Threatening — Police responded to a threatening complaint in the 600 block of West Picnic Street.
Shoplifting — Walmart, 1244 E. Green Bay St., reported a shoplifting incident.
Hit and Run — Police investigated a property damage hit-and-run at Walgreen's, 401 E. Green Bay St.
Disturbance — Police responded to a disturbance at Walmart, 1244 E. Green Bay St.
Dec. 26
Police logged 22 incidents, including the following:
Auto Theft — A vehicle was reported stolen in the 600 block of West Picnic Street.
Burglary — A burglary was reported in the 400 block of South Sawyer Street.
Disturbance — Police responded to a disturbances in the 1100 block of Waukechon Street and 200 block of East Maurer Street and a fight in progress involving juveniles at Walmart, 1244 E. Green Bay St.
Dec. 25
Police logged eight incidents, including the following:
Disturbance — Police responded to a disturbance in the 800 block of East

Richmond Street.
Dec. 24
Police logged 14 incidents, including the following:
Threatening — Police responded to a threatening complaint in the 300 block of Channel Trace Street.
Accident — A pedestrian was struck by a vehicle in a parking lot in the 500 block of South Main Street. Injuries were not known.
Dec. 23
Police logged 14 incidents, including the following:
Disturbance — A disturbance in the 400 block of South Smalley Street was determined to be a civil matter.
Extra Patrol — Extra patrols were requested after suspicious incidents in the 800 block of Oak Street and 1300 block of Industrial Drive.
Dec. 22
Police logged 11 incidents, including the following:
Disturbance — A male subject was taken into custody after a domestic disturbance in the 800 block of East Richmond Street.
Bail Jumping — A female subject was arrested for bail jumping in the 1300 block of East Elizabeth Street.

SHAWANO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Dec. 28
Deputies logged 54 incidents, including the following:
OWI — A male subject was arrested for operating while intoxicated on Elm Street in Birnamwood.
Burglary — A burglary was reported on state Highway 160 in the town of Maple Grove.
Trespass — Trespassing was reported on Webb Street in Wittenberg.
Theft — Authorities investigated a property theft on Madison Street in Birnamwood.
Dec. 27
Deputies logged 35 incidents,

including the following:
Disturbance — Authorities responded to a disturbance on Anderson Avenue in the town of Wescott.
Bail Jumping — Authorities responded to a bail jumping complaint on Golden Sands Avenue in Cecil.
Dec. 26
Deputies logged 29 incidents, including the following:
Theft — Authorities investigated property theft complaints on Wolf River Road in the town of Richmond and Railroad Avenue in the village of Birnamwood.
Disturbance — Authorities responded to a disturbance on state Highway 22 in the town of Belle Plaine.
Dec. 25
Deputies logged 33 incidents, including the following:
OWI — Authorities arrested a subject for operating while intoxicated on Warrington Avenue in Cecil.
Disturbance — Authorities responded to disturbances on Second Drive in the town of Washington, U.S. Highway 45 in the town of Grant, and Sandy Drive in the town of Washington.

Trespass — Trespassing was reported on County Road N in the town of Washington.
Auto Theft — A vehicle was reported stolen on Emily Lane in the town of Washington.
Dec. 24
Deputies logged 25 incidents, including the following:
Theft — A theft was reported on County Road A in Bowler.
Hit and Run — A property damage hit-and-run was reported on Jefferson Street in Bonduel.
Disturbance — A disturbance was reported on Jefferson Street in Bonduel.
Dec. 23
Deputies logged 34 incidents, including the following:
Burglary — A burglary was reported

on Birch Road in the town of Navarino.
Disorderly — Authorities responded to a disorderly conduct complaint on state Highway 22 in the town of Belle Plaine.
Disturbances — Authorities responded to disturbances on State Street in Bonduel, Main Street in Bowler and on County Road Y in the town of Belle Plaine.
Theft — Authorities investigated property theft complaints on Lyons Road in Birnamwood, Madison Street in Bonduel, and Pulcifer Road in the town of Green Valley.
Dec. 22
Deputies logged 20 incidents, including the following:
Disorderly — Authorities responded to a disorderly conduct complaint on Aspen Court in Shawano.
Harassment — Harassment was reported on Fourth Street in tMattoon.
Disturbance — A disturbance was reported on Cecil Street in Bonduel.

CLINTONVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Dec. 27
Police logged 11 incidents, including the following:
OAR — A 19-year-old Marion man was taken into custody on a warrant through Wood County after a traffic stop on SSGT Warren Hansen Drive and 16th Street and was transported to jail. A citation was also issued for Operating After Revocation.
Disturbance — Officers responded to Modoc Street for a domestic situation.
Dec. 24
Police logged five incidents, including the following:
Disturbance — Officers responded to Modoc Street for a domestic situation.
Dec. 23
Police logged 12 incidents, including the following:
Disturbance — Officers responded to Modoc Street for a domestic situation.

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CALENDAR

UPCOMING EVENTS

TUESDAY, DEC. 31
NOON YEAR'S EVE PARTY FOR KIDS: Shawano County Library, 128 S. Sawyer St., Shawano. 11 a.m. to noon. Snacks, games, balloons, noisemakers. 715-526-3829.

THE BLASTERZ: Classic's Restaurant and Lounge, W6026 Lake Drive, Shawano. 8 p.m. 715-524-8711. www.classicsshawano.com

ROBBY VEE: Lounge, Menominee Casino Resort, N277 State Highway 47-55, Keshena. 8 p.m. Free. 800-343-7778. www.menomineecasinoresort.com

ZACKARY Z BAND: Groove Lounge, North Star Mohican Casino Resort, W12180 County Road A, Bowler. 9 p.m. Free. 715-787-3110. www.northstarcasinoresort.com.

WADE FERNANDEZ AND KELLY JACKSON: Ho-Chunk Gaming Wittenberg, U.S. Highway 45, Wittenberg. 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. on the gaming floor; guest DJs in Club Edge, 10 p.m. 866-910-0150. www.ho-chunggaming.com/wittenberg

NEW SOUTH PLAYERS: Event center, Menominee Casino Resort, N277 State Highway 47-55, Keshena. 9 p.m. Free. 800-343-7778. www.menomineecasinoresort.com

BELLA CAIN: Groove Lounge, North Star Mohican Casino Resort, W12180 County Road A, Bowler. 10 p.m. Free. 715-787-3110. www.northstarcasinoresort.com.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 1
ANNUAL POLAR BEAR PLUNGE: The Lighthouse, W6440 Gumaer Road, Shawano. 2 p.m.

FRIDAY, JAN. 3
SCOTT DERCKS: Ho-Chunk Gaming Wittenberg, N7198 U.S. Highway 45, Wittenberg. 8-11 p.m. 866-910-0150. www.ho-chunggaming.com/wittenberg

SPORTS EVENTS

THURSDAY, JAN. 2
BOYS SWIM: Shawano at Medford, 5:30 p.m., Medford Area Senior High School, 1015 W. Broadway Ave., Medford.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Shawano at Waupaca, 7 p.m., Waupaca High School, E2325 King Road, Waupaca.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Wittenberg-Birnamwood vs. Menominee Indian, 7:15 p.m., Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School, 400 W. Grand Ave., Wittenberg.

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Bonduel at Peshtigo, 7:30 p.m., Peshtigo High School, 380 Green St., Peshtigo.

GOVERNMENT MEETINGS

FRIDAY, JAN. 3
SHAWANO COUNTY PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND ZONING COMMITTEE: Room A, Shawano County Courthouse, 311 N. Main St., Shawano. Noon. Onsite inspections planned.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 8
EAST CENTRAL REGIONAL PLANNING



Birds, berries and other sights of the winter woods are on the agenda for a winter walk through the Navarino Nature Center on January 4. See the events calendar for details.

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DOUG ALLEN NASH: Lounge, Menominee Casino Resort, N277 State Highway 47-55, Keshena. 8 p.m. Free. 800-343-7778. www.menomineecasinoresort.com

FAST TIMES: Groove Lounge, North Star Mohican Casino Resort, W12180 County Road A, Bowler. 8 p.m. Free. 715-787-3110. www.northstarcasinoresort.com.

COPPER BOX: Classic's Restaurant and Lounge, W6026 Lake Drive, Shawano. 8 p.m. 715-524-8711. www.classicsshawano.com

FRIDAY, JAN. 3
GIRLS BASKETBALL: Tigerton vs. Northeast Wisconsin Christian Homeschoolers Athletic Association, 6 p.m., Tigerton High School, 213 Spaulding St., Tigerton.

HOCKEY: Shawano co-op at Medford, 7 p.m., Simek Recreational Center, 1037 W. Broadway Ave., Medford.

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Clintonville vs. Freedom, 7 p.m., Clintonville High School, 64 W. Green Tree Road, Clintonville.

WRESTLING: Clintonville/Marion at Oakfield, 7 p.m.,

COMMISSION: 400 Ahnaip St., Suite 100, Menasha, 10 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 15
SHAWANO COUNTY PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND ZONING COMMITTEE: Room 7, Shawano County Courthouse, 311 N. Main St., Shawano. 9 a.m. Public hearings for conditional use permits planned.

SATURDAY, JAN. 4
WINTER MARKET: First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. 8 a.m. to noon. Healthy foods, handmade gifts, live music, cooking demonstrations. 715-526-5206.

WINTER WALK/INTRO TO SNOWSHOEING: Navarino Nature Center, W5646 Lindsten Road, Shiocton. 9-11 a.m. Join the Navarino Nature Center naturalist for a walk through the forests. Register at 715-758-6999.

KITTY KAT RACES: Bamboo Bar, W5884 Cedar Court, Shawano. 10 a.m. Registration at 7:30 a.m., hot laps at

Oakfield High School, 250 E. Church St., Oakfield.
GIRLS BASKETBALL: Shawano vs. Mosinee, 7:15 p.m., Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B, Shawano.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Bonduel vs. Clintonville, 7:30 p.m., Bonduel High School, 400 W. Green Bay St., Bonduel.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Gresham at Rosholt, 7:30 p.m., Rosholt High School, 346 W. Randolph St., Rosholt.

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Wittenberg-Birnamwood vs.

8:30 a.m. 715-201-1158. <https://wkcr.net/race-registration-bamboo-bar>

DOUG ALLEN NASH: Lounge, Menominee Casino Resort, N277 State Highway 47-55, Keshena. 8 p.m. Free. 800-343-7778. www.menomineecasinoresort.com

FAST TIMES: Groove Lounge, North Star Mohican Casino Resort, W12180 County Road A, Bowler. 8 p.m. Free. 715-787-3110. www.northstarcasinoresort.com.

MIKE MAGEE: Classic's Restaurant and Lounge, W6026 Lake Drive, Shawano. 8 p.m. 715-524-8711. www.classicsshawano.com

Abbotsford, 7:30 p.m., Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School, 400 W. Grand Ave., Wittenberg.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Marion vs. Gillett, 7:30 p.m., Marion High School, 105 School St., Marion.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Tigerton vs. Northeast Wisconsin Christian Homeschoolers Athletic Association, 7:30 p.m., Tigerton High School, 213 Spaulding St., Tigerton.

SATURDAY, JAN. 4
WRESTLING: Shawano at invitational, 10 a.m., Omro High School, 455 Fox Trail, Omro.

County Courthouse, 311 N. Main St., Shawano. 9 a.m. Public hearing will gather public input on a proposed update to the 2009 Shawano County Comprehensive Plan. The plan is used as a guid for making decisions on land use and development in the county. The proposed update to the Shawano County Comprehensive Plan is available at: <http://www.co.shawano.wi.us> or from the County Planning and Development Department at the Shawano County Courthouse during business hours.

ONGOING COMMUNITY EVENTS

WEDNESDAYS

COMMUNITY HALL WALKING: Shawano Community Middle School, 1050 S. Union St., Shawano. 4-8 p.m. only on days when school is in session. Free, but passes and lanyards must be obtained at Shawano Community Education office. 715-526-2102, ext. 3202.

STORY TIME: Children's Department, Shawano County Library, 128 S. Sawyer St., Shawano. 10 a.m. Stories, songs, finger plays, puppets, flannel board activities, dancing, and making a simple craft are included. 715-526-3829.

STORY TIME: Mattoon Public Library, 311 Slate Ave., Mattoon. 11 a.m. Books, music, crafts, and more. Thirty minutes of fun for preschoolers. Children must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver. 715-489-3333.

STORY TIME: Wittenberg Public Library, 302 S. Cherry St., Wittenberg. 11 a.m. Themed 25-minute program including reading books, singing songs, music, dancing and fun. 715-253-2936.

STORY TIME: Birnamwood Public Library, 337 Main St., Birnamwood. 2:30 p.m. 715-449-3120.

SHAWANO GETS REFIT: Divine Savior Lutheran Church, 102 Northridge Drive, Shawano. 4-5 p.m. Cardio workout program. \$5 per person. 715-584-3911.

STRONG BONES: Fellowship Hall, Zion Lutheran Church, 1254 S. Union St., Shawano, 8:30 a.m.; Total Fitness, 212 E. Green Bay St., Shawano, noon; Resource Room 201, Hillcrest Primary School, 1410 S. Waukechon St., Shawano, 4:30 p.m.; Mohican Family Center, N8605 Oak St., Bowler. 5 p.m. Kara Skarlupka, 715-526-4863.

SENIOR CITIZEN EXERCISE CLASS: Shawano Civic Center, 225 S. Main St., Shawano. 8:30-9:30 a.m.

AQUACISE: Shawano Recreation Center, 220 E. Division St., Shawano. 9-9:50 a.m. Swim experience not needed. Marcia Wilken, 715-853-4569.

TOPS (TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY): Christus Lutheran Church, 120 N. Main St., Clintonville. 9:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. 715-823-6521.

THURSDAYS

STORY TIME: Children's Department, Shawano County Library, 128 S. Sawyer St., Shawano. 10 a.m. Stories, songs, finger plays, puppets, flannel board activities, dancing, and making a simple craft are included. 715-526-3829.

SUPPORT GROUPS

WEDNESDAYS

AA: 11 a.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. Mike, 920-606-6954, or Macca, 920-323-3643.

AA: 7 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. Mike, 920-606-6954, or Macca, 920-323-3643.

THURSDAYS

AA: 11 a.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. Mike, 920-606-6954, or Macca, 920-323-3643.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE/SEXUAL ASSAULT SUPPORT GROUP FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN: 6-7:30 p.m., Safe Haven, 380 Lakeland Road, Shawano. 715-526-3421.

FOOD PANTRY: Divine Savior Lutheran Church, 102 Northridge Drive, Shawano. 1-3 p.m.

COMMUNITY HALL WALKING: Shawano Community Middle School, 1050 S. Union St., Shawano. 4-8 p.m. only on days when school is in session. Free, but passes and lanyards must be obtained at Shawano Community Education office. 715-526-2102, ext. 3202.

STRONG BONES: Fellowship Hall, Zion Lutheran Church, 1254 S. Union St., Shawano, 7:30 a.m.; Sacred Heart Parish, 321 S. Sawyer St., Shawano, 3:45 p.m.; St. Francis Solanus Catholic Church, 724 Mader St., Gresham, 4:05 p.m.; Peace Lutheran Church, N6315 County Road D, Tilleda, 5:15 p.m.; Holy Family Church, 202 N. Ellms St., Wittenberg. 4:30 p.m.; St. Anthony Catholic Church, 430 Swanke St., Tigerton. 4:30 p.m. Kara Skarlupka, 715-526-4863.

WATER AEROBICS: Pool, Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B, Shawano. 5:50-6:50 p.m. \$5 for members, \$6 for non-members. Punch cards available at Community Education office. 715-526-2192, ext. 3202.

CIVIL AIR PATROL: Civic Center, 225 S. Main St., Shawano. 7 p.m. 715-526-9311.

LATIN SPLASH: Pool, Shawano Recreation Center, 220 E. Division St., Shawano. 9-9:50 a.m. Marcia Wilken, 715-853-4569.

FRIDAYS

STRONG BONES: St. Paul Lutheran Church, 240 E. Green Bay St., Bonduel. 7:30 a.m. Kara Skarlupka, 715-526-4863.

SENIOR CITIZEN EXERCISE CLASS: Shawano Civic Center, 225 S. Main St., Shawano. 8:30-9:30 a.m.

NEEDLES R US: Knitting and crocheting. Shawano Public Library, 128 S. Sawyer St., Shawano. 9 a.m.

COMMUNITY HALL WALKING: Shawano Community Middle School, 1050 S. Union St., Shawano. 4-8 p.m. only on days when school is in session. Free, but passes and lanyards must be obtained at Shawano Community Education office. 715-526-2102, ext. 3202.

SATURDAYS

OPEN SWIM: Shawano Recreation Center, 220 E. Division St., Shawano. 1-3:45 p.m. and 6:30-8:45 p.m. \$2 adult, \$1 child, half-price with membership. 715-526-6171.

AA: 7 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. Mike, 920-606-6954, or Macca, 920-323-3643.

NA: 7 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. 866-285-7830

FRIDAYS

AA: 11 a.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. Mike, 920-606-6954, or Macca, 920-323-3643.

AA: 8 p.m., Ascension Lutheran Church, state Highway 156 and McDonald Road, Bonduel. 715-758-8312.

SATURDAYS

AA: 8 a.m., Red River Room, ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano, 100 County Road B, Shawano. 715-526-8800,

AL-ANON: 8 a.m., ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano,

OPEN SKATING: Crawford Center, 251 S. Waukechon St., Shawano. 6-8 p.m. Admission \$3, skate rental \$2.

SUNDAYS

SHAWANO GETS REFIT: Divine Savior Lutheran Church, 102 Northridge Drive, Shawano. 4-5 p.m. Cardio workout program. \$5 per person. 715-584-3911.

OPEN SKATING: Crawford Center, 251 S. Waukechon St., Shawano. 6-8 p.m. Admission \$3, skate rental \$2.

MONDAYS

STRING THEORY: Bonduel Public Library, 125 N. Washington St., Bonduel. 10 a.m. For knitters and crocheters. 715-526-3829.

STRONG BONES: St. Paul Lutheran Church, 240 E. Green Bay St., Bonduel, 7:30 a.m.; Fellowship Hall, Zion Lutheran Church, 1254 S. Union St., Shawano, 8:30 a.m.; Total Fitness, 212 E. Green Bay St., Shawano, noon; St. Francis Solanus Catholic Church, 724 Mader St., Gresham, 4:05 p.m.; Resource Room 201, Hillcrest Primary School, 1410 S. Waukechon St., Shawano, 4:30 p.m.; Mohican Family Center, N8605 Oak St., Bowler, 5 p.m.; Peace Lutheran Church, N6315 County Road D, Tilleda, 5:15 p.m.; Holy Family Church, 202 N. Ellms St., Wittenberg, 4:30 p.m.; St. Anthony Catholic Church, 430 Swanke St., Tigerton. 4:30 p.m. Kara Skarlupka, 715-526-4863.

HAND AND FOOT CARD CLUB: Room 146, Shawano Community Middle School, 1050 S. Union St., Shawano. 9-11:30 a.m. Community Education activity for ages 50+. New members welcome. Free. 715-526-2192, ext. 3102.

SENIOR CITIZEN EXERCISE CLASS: Shawano Civic Center, 225 S. Main St., Shawano. 8:30-9:30 a.m.

AQUACISE: Shawano Recreation Center, 220 E. Division St., Shawano. 9-9:50 a.m. Swim experience not needed. Marcia Wilken, 715-853-4569.

COMMUNITY HALL WALKING: Shawano Community Middle School, 1050 S. Union St., Shawano. 4-8 p.m. only on days when school is in session. Free, but passes and lanyards must be obtained at Shawano Community Education office. 715-526-2102, ext. 3202.

OPEN SWIM: Shawano Recreation Center, 220 E. Division St., Shawano. 6:15-7:45 p.m. \$2 adult, \$1 child, half-price with membership. 715-526-6171.

100 County Road B, Shawano. 715-526-2111.

OVERCOMERS OUTREACH: 6 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. Please use the Washington Street entrance. shawanoovercomersoutreach@gmail.com.

SUNDAYS

AA: 7 p.m., Peace United Church of Christ, 208 E. Maurer St., Shawano. 715-526-2916.

MONDAYS

AA: 11 a.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. Mike, 920-606-6954, or Macca, 920-323-3643.

EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS: 12 p.m., Shawano County Library, 128 S. Sawyer St., Shawano. 715-526-3829.

AA AND AL-ANON: 7 p.m., Holy Family-St. William

TUESDAYS

BABY AND ME LAPSIT: Children's Department, Shawano County Library, 128 S. Sawyer St., Shawano. 10 a.m. A 20-minute lapsit program for non-walking babies and their caregivers which includes traditional rhymes, finger plays, tickles, bounces, songs, and sturdy books. Playtime follows. 715-526-3829.

COMMUNITY HALL WALKING: Shawano Community Middle School, 1050 S. Union St., Shawano. 4-8 p.m. only on days when school is in session. Free, but passes and lanyards must be obtained at Shawano Community Education office. 715-526-2102, ext. 3202.

STORY TIME: Bonduel Public Library, 125 N. Washington St., Bonduel. 11 a.m. Thirty-minute programs including books, songs and a simple craft, and sometimes puppets, flannel board activities, and maybe dancing. All ages of children must be accompanied by parents/caregivers. 715-758-2267.

STRONG BONES: Fellowship Hall, Zion Lutheran Church, 1254 S. Union St., Shawano, 7:30 a.m.; Sacred Heart Parish, 321 S. Sawyer St., Shawano, 3:45 p.m. Kara Skarlupka, 715-526-4863.

STRETCH YOGA: Aquatic Center, 400 W. Grand Ave., Wittenberg. 6-7 a.m. \$8. Ashley Hegewald, 715-581-6062.

OPEN SWIM: Shawano Recreation Center, 220 E. Division St., Shawano. 6:15-7:45 p.m. \$2 adult, \$1 child, half-price with membership. 715-526-6171.

WATER AEROBICS: Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B, Shawano. 5:50-6:50 p.m. \$5 for members, \$6 for non-members. Punch cards available at Community Education office. 715-526-2192, ext. 3202.

TOPS (TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY): Shawano Public Library, 128 S. Sawyer St., Shawano. Weigh-in 8-9 a.m., meeting 9 a.m. 715-799-4343.

COMPUTER/INTERNET HELP: Sponsored by AARP. Glas Coffeehouse, 511 N. Main St., Shawano. 9 a.m. 715-754-5344.

SENIOR CITIZEN SWIM: Shawano Park and Recreation Department, 220 E. Division St. 9:30-10:30 a.m. Free with membership or \$2 per day.

FRED BEYER, "THE PIANO MAN": Classic's Restaurant and Lounge, W6026 Lake Drive, Shawano. 7 p.m. 715-524-8711.

Church, 106 N. Ellms St., Wittenberg. 715-253-2143.

NA: 7 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano.

AA: 7 p.m., 313 W. Wescott Ave., Shawano. 715-526-6758.

FRESH HOPE FOR MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT GROUP: Hope Community Church, 302 Tristan Drive, Shawano. 7 p.m. Jon, 715-853-1635.

TUESDAYS

AA: 11 a.m., First Presbyterian Church, 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. Mike, 920-606-6954, or Macca, 920-323-3643.

WOMEN'S AA: 7 p.m., First Presbyterian Church (west entrance), 100 Presbyterian St., Shawano. 715-526-3329.

AA AND AL-ANON: 7 p.m., Zion Lutheran Church, 1254 S. Lincoln St., Shawano. 715-526-2017.

THE GARDENING YEAR

Poinsettias can be cared for year-round



Poinsettias come in a variety of colors and are easy to grow, even well after the Christmas season.

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Colorful and traditional poinsettias are a holiday staple and many families enjoy the beauty of these classic plants during the season. It is possible to keep your poinsettias looking healthy and beautiful for most of the year, even to get them to re-bloom next year at about the same time.

Poinsettias make great house plants, even outdoor plants in the garden during much of summer, before they need to be brought back indoors to prepare for rebloom the following Christmas.



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Keeping the plant warm, away from cold drafts and properly wa-

terted are keys to keeping the plant alive and healthy through the winter season. Considered tender tropical plants here our area, poinsettias are fairly easy to grow and care for and it is worth the effort to try to experiment with these plants once the holiday season is over.

Overwatering is a common problem with poinsettia care. Good-intentioned growers assume the plants need to be much wetter than they truly need to be. Poinsettias can actually go fairly dry between waterings and do not respond well to heavy watering. Follow the directions on the care tag you should receive when purchasing the plant. The plant should be potted in light, fluffy potting soil and should not

feel overly heavy to the touch. For much of the winter season, simply keeping the poinsettia in a warm, bright place and watering appropriately is all that is needed up until early April. The location should be 65-70 degrees. By this time, the leaves will probably begin to fall off, and this is perfectly normal. You can begin to cease regular watering and allow the plant to go into a period of dormancy. You will still need to water occasionally to keep the stems looking green and healthy, even though



Poinsettias that have been dyed or painted will rebloom next year in white or pink, depending on the original color that was painted over to create the beautiful display.

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they will be leafless for sometime. Again, this is perfectly normal. The plant is not dead. It is just dormant. Once the leaves fall off, move the poinsettia to a cooler area, ideally about 60 degrees.

After about a month, in about the middle of May, many growers will prune back poinsettia plants to about 4-6 inches and begin regular watering once again, moving the plant back into a brighter and warmer location. Now is also the time to repot the plant, giving it a new home in a slightly larger pot. New growth will begin to appear in a few weeks.

Poinsettias grow quite well outdoors in our area and can spend the entire summer season in the garden in a location with partial shade or potted and grown on the deck or patio. Avoid direct, bright sunshine and during the summer.

Wait to move the plant outdoors until about June 1 or so, depending upon the weather. Poinsettias do not like temperatures below 50 degrees.

During the summer months, once in July and once in August,



Traditional red is still the top selling poinsettia color during the holiday season. There are many varieties of red poinsettias that come in different shades with different leaf coloration.

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pinch back the tips by an inch or two to allow full, bushy growth. You can simply pinch off the chips with your fingers, or, use a pruner or scissors. Fertilize the plants every two weeks or so with a well-balanced fertilizer.

In September, move the plant indoors once temperatures fall below 60-65 degrees.

The fall season is the most intimidating for poinsettia growers as the plant does need about 6-8 weeks of dark treatment in order to

produce the colorful bracts they are famous for.

Poinsettias need a minimum of 12 hours of total darkness each day during much of fall in order to produce the buds and bracts. While sunlight is still needed during the daytime, the plant needs to be placed somewhere where total darkness will be experienced for about 12 hours.

This may mean moving to a different location in the home, or, simply placing a box or other item over the plant for half of the day. Even small amounts of light can affect the coloration, so be sure the plant receives a period of complete, total darkness during this time period.

This period of alternating light and darkness should occur from about Oct. 1 into early November.

During mid to late November, move the plant back into a warm, lighted condition and enjoy the magic of the colorful transformation.

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SPORTS

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Shawano boys topple Preble at Sun Drop Shootout

Lady Hawks stumble against Ships

By MORGAN RODE
Sports Editor

GREEN BAY — The Shawano Community High School girls and boys basketball teams got the opportunity to compete at the Kress Center for the Sun Drop Shootout on Friday.

The boys team took advantage, claiming a hard-fought 75-60 win over Green Bay Preble. The Shawano girls came up short in a 67-61 setback to Manitowoc Lincoln.

Weisnicht, Sherman power Shawano boys to victory

The senior duo of Carter Weisnicht and Nick Sherman led the Shawano boys on the offensive end in the victory over Preble. Weisnicht scored 31 points, while Sherman tallied 24.

It was a back-and-forth battle in the first half, with Weisnicht scoring the Hawks first eight points.

Trailing 16-8, Shawano got back-to-back 3-pointers from sophomore Ethan Schwitzer and Sherman to get back in it. Schwitzer, Weisnicht and freshman Jacob Landon then converted field goals to put the Hawks ahead.

Preble was able to work back out to a four-point lead, 29-25, but the Hawks ended the half on an 12-4 run. Shawano senior Brayden Dickelman converted an and-one before junior Joe Mente made two free throws. Weisnicht and Sherman each made field goals before Sherman buried a 3-pointer at the buzzer to make it 37-33.

"It wasn't a great start to the game, but we got hot. I hit a few 3s outside that kind of got everybody going and then everyone started clicking and meshing together. Everyone was scoring after that," said Weisnicht.

Shawano was able to create a bit of a cushion at the start of the second half behind strong 3-point shooting and better defense.

Weisnicht again got the Hawks rolling, hitting two 3s and adding



Shawano's Carter Weisnicht, right, goes up for a shot during Friday's Sun Drop Shootout game against Green Bay Preble at the Kress Center in Green Bay.

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another bucket to give Shawano a 45-37 lead.

Sherman then caught fire from deep, hitting three triples before Mente drilled a 3 to push the lead to 13, 59-46, with 11:24 to play.

"I think we were being aggressive, and then when it came down to it, they started trying to stop us from getting to the hole and then we were able to kick it out and hit some 3s," said Sherman of the team's offense. "It kept going back-and-forth and we got to that point where it was a really good flow and balance between shooting and getting to the rim and free throw line."

While Shawano wasn't able to keep the momentum going the rest of the game, the team was able to convert enough of its free throws down the stretch to hold the lead and seal up a win.

It was Weisnicht and Sherman who confidently stepped to the line and knocked down the free throws. The duo combined to score the team's final 16 points and had all but five of the team's 38 second-half points.

The Hawks are hoping the win can help the team pick up some mo-

mentum heading into the new year.

"Obviously, you want to get back to those positive feelings," said Shawano coach David Ambrosius on the team snapping a two-game losing streak. "That (56-55) loss last week in Menasha really left a sour taste in our mouth and we thought we left one on the table there — there was a lot of things that we needed to do better. But the kids really bought in to what we needed to improve on. They came out here tonight and I really liked the energy and aggressiveness that we came out with."

Shawano 37 38 — 75

Green Bay Preble 33 27 — 60

Shawano (75): Nick Sherman 5-8 24, Sam Schulze 0-0 3, Joe Mente 2-2 7, Jacob Landon 0-0 2, Ethan Schwitzer 0-0 5, Brayden Dickelman 1-2 3, Carter Weisnicht 7-9 31.

Green Bay Preble (60): Nathan VanSeth 1-1 6, Nic Tuscan 5-5 15, Evan Holm 1-3 9, Connor Novitski 0-0 5, Ashton Markell 4-7 21, Mike Schultz Jr. 0-0 4.

Shawano girls cannot hold on to halftime lead

It was a tale of two halves in the girls matchup between Shawano and Manitowoc Lincoln. Shawano dominated the first half, but Manitowoc Lincoln outscored the Hawks 53-25

in the second half to come away with the win.

It was sophomore Brianna Wright and junior Rachel Reed that powered Shawano in its 36-point first half outburst.

Reed hit two 3-pointers and scored eight points as the Hawks jumped out to a 12-5 lead. Shawano was able to extend the lead to 15, 23-8, after field goals from Wright, Reed and junior Avery Dreier before Wright carried the team to halftime.

Wright hit a 3-pointer, added a field goal and hit two free throws to make it a 30-14 game. Wright then hit two more 3s before the halftime buzzer sounded to give Shawano a commanding lead.

"We really had our fundamentals down and our press really worked good for us," said Wright on the first half. "We trapped really well, executed and communicated."

Manitowoc Lincoln opened the second half on a 10-4 run, but Shawano got field goals from junior Lydia Beyer and sophomore Brooke Theis to bump the lead back up to 18, 44-26, with 14:16 to play.

The Ships went on a 9-0 run after the timeout to cut the deficit to single digits and force a Shawano timeout. The Hawks couldn't get the momentum swung back in their favor, eventually seeing their lead shrink to just three with 10:21 left.

Dreier scored the next six points for Shawano to make it 52-44, but Manitowoc Lincoln went on a 13-0 run to take a lead it wouldn't relinquish.

"It looked to me like we relaxed a little bit, especially on the defensive end," said Shawano coach Ryan Koenig of the second half. "When you do that and then shots don't go down, the other team catches up. Once they get momentum in a half game versus quarters, it really makes a big difference."

Shawano 36 25 — 61

Manitowoc Lincoln 14 53 — 67

Manitowoc Lincoln (67): Emily Bulaban 3-5 9, Claire Swoboda 2-3 24, Lauren Delmore 7-9 18, Cayla Gunderson 3-4 13, Hannah Goral 0-0 2, Moore 1-2 1.

Shawano (61): Lydia Beyer 3-7 7, Brianna Wright 8-8 23, Rachel Reed 0-0 10, Taylor Johnson 0-0 4, Brooke Theis 0-0 6, Avery Dreier 1-3 11.

Current and former Witt-Birn wrestlers enjoy big seasons

Marion/Tigerton football, Witt-Birn volleyball teams each earn conference titles

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

Editor's note: The following is a list of the top five sports stories for 2019, as voted on by the editorial staff of NEW Media.

1. Witt-Birn wrestlers achieve high honors at end of season

The Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School wrestling experienced a mixed bag of results during the 2018-19 season, but ended the season on a high note. Freshman Pierson Potrykus made it to state, while junior Will Urquhart won a Central Wisconsin Conference title.

After a strong regular season, Potrykus came in second at regionals and third at sectionals in the 106-pound weight class to qualify for the 76th annual WIAA Individual Wrestling Championship Tournament in Madison.

At state, Potrykus picked up a decision win to avoid elimination and advance to the second day of competition. Potrykus didn't earn another win at state, but ended his first season with a 40-11 record.

"To me, my freshman year was a success," Potrykus said. "It might not have went my way at the end, but I've made a lot of good memories with my teammates throughout the year, and not getting injured was also very good."

Urquhart turned in one of the highlights of the Chargers' season when he won a conference title at 145 pounds.

The then-junior pulled off a reversal in the final seconds of the third period to finish off a comeback in the title match. Urquhart trailed 4-2 with about 25 seconds left before getting a point when the opponent stalled and then won it with a reversal.

2. Vosters ends college career on high note

Witt-Birn graduate Ben Vosters capped a memorable college career with a strong senior season at UW-Stevens Point in 2018-19.

Vosters qualified for the Division III NCAA Championships to end the season, taking second in the 133-pound weight class.

"Overall I'm happy how I went out," Vosters said. "I put my heart on the line and I wrestled my match. I don't regret my performance



Wittenberg-Birnamwood's Pierson Potrykus, top, locks up Reedsville's Blake Delsman during a Division 3 106-pound weight class preliminary match at the WIAA Individual Wrestling Championship Tournament on Feb. 21 at the Kohl Center in Madison.

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because I left everything I had out there."

It marked the second time Vosters made it to nationals after doing so as a sophomore, when an injury led to an 0-2 finish. Vosters eventually had to sit out a season with the injury, making the nationals appearance as a senior all the more special.

After finishing his senior season with a 29-4 record that capped a 117-41 college career, Vosters was named the UW-Stevens Point male individual Subway Athlete of the Year.

"Looking back at what I did to receive this award, part of me is surprised at how far I've come, knowing that one instance could've changed the outcome of it all," said Vosters. "But at the same time, I know how hard I've worked and the things I've sacrificed throughout my college career to deserve this award and be recognized by the school."

3. Chargers volleyball team wins CWC-East title

The Witt-Birn volleyball entered the fall season with high expectations, and after lots of hard work, dominated its way to a CWC-East title.

The Chargers swept Weyauwega-Fremont on Oct. 8 to finish off a perfect 6-0 run through the conference.

"It means a lot to me because this is a major goal we wanted to



Wittenberg-Birnamwood's Marissa Groshek, right, tips the ball during a CWC-East match against Weyauwega-Fremont on Oct. 8 in Wittenberg.

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accomplish this season and I'm glad we did," said Marissa Groshek. "We worked hard everyday and bettered ourselves at practice to get to this point. We worked on certain skills and always stayed focused."

Groshek and junior Abi Fraaza each were named unanimous first-team conference selections after the season. Seniors Elizabeth Muscha and Kaitlyn Clark made the second team, while junior McKenna Metropulos and freshman Reese Rogowski were honorable mentions.

The Chargers went on to earn a No. 5 seed for the postseason, win-

ning a playoff game before having their season ended.

4. Marion/Tigerton turns in successful football season

Marion/Tigerton made the switch from 11-man to 8-man football for the fall season. After a winless 2018 season, the co-op posted a 6-3 record in the regular season to tie for the CWC 8-man title and earn a postseason berth this fall.

Sophomore quarterback Ethan Scheef led the team on offense, eventually being tabbed the conference's Offensive Player of the Year. Marion/Tigerton coach Lance Litchfield was tabbed the Co-Coach of the Year.

Seniors Allen Jobe (offensive lineman), Cayden Schoen (defensive line, running back), Jared Krueger (linebacker) and Austin Hoffmann (wide receiver) and junior Charles Schweitzer (defensive lineman) also made the first team all-conference for the co-op.

The co-op earned a No. 4 seed for the postseason, dropping its first game to top-seeded Newman Catholic.

Witt-Birn also made the playoffs at the 11-man level after a 6-3 regular season. The Chargers were a No. 6 seed for the playoffs, falling to third-seeded Chilton in the first round.

5. Witt-Birn represented at 2 state competitions

Along with strong fall seasons from the Witt-Birn volleyball and football teams, the team also had individuals make it to state from the cross-country and girls swim teams.

Junior Wyatt Dickman found a groove on cross-country courses in the final weeks of the season, taking third at the CWC Meet before placing fifth at the Tomahawk Sectional to qualify for state, where he took 99th.

Metropulos, a dual-sport athlete, qualified for two individual state girls swim events, while a Witt-Birn relay team also qualified.

Metropulos came in 16th in the 50-yard freestyle and 100 butterfly. The 200 freestyle relay team of Metropulos, seniors Christina Thrun and Lauren Bahr and freshman Anika Resch also came in 16th.

ATHLETE PROFILE: BRENDAN RESCH

Witt-Birn senior helping team settle in to basketball season

WITTENBERG — After losing an all-conference player and several other impact seniors from last year, the Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School boys basketball was looking for players to step up. Brendan Resch has done just that for the Chargers this season.

The senior point guard is averaging over 10 points, four rebounds, three assists and a steal per game as the team tries to find its groove on the court.

Resch has scored in double figures in four of five games, including a 19-point outing against Coleman on Dec. 17. He hit four 3-pointers in that game and is averaging over two triples made per game.

“Brendan initiates our offense very effectively with his unselfish play, skilled passing and ability to put people in positions on the floor where they can be successful,” said Witt-Birn coach Garrett Rogowski of Resch. “He is also asked to stop our opponents quickest guard each night. He is a great shooter and a true joy to coach.”

Q: When did your interest in basketball begin?

A: My interest in basketball began in third grade with our Great Northwest League team, but I wasn’t very serious about it until seventh grade.

Q: What is your favorite part about the basketball season?

A: My favorite part of the basketball season would have to be every home game. Playing in front of the home crowd has to be the best feeling out there.

Q: It’s been an up-and-down start to the season for the team so far. What things need improvement to start stacking some wins up?

A: Some things that we need to improve on is passing. We need to move the ball quicker and take better shots to be able to perform to our maximum potential.

Q: What has basketball done for you?

A: For me, basketball has done a lot. It has helped me become a better person, and gain lots of friendships along the way.

Q: As a senior, is there anything you personally hope to accomplish on the basketball court this winter?

A: This being my senior year, I want to make a deep run into playoffs, and I also want to just leave it all out on the court. I don’t want to look back and regret not doing this or that. I want to be able to look back and tell myself “you gave it your all.”

Q: What’s your favorite memory



Wittenberg-Birnamwood’s Brendan Resch spots up for a 3-point shot in a Central Wisconsin Conference-East Division game against Menominee Indian in 2018.

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of competing on the Wittenberg-Birnamwood boys basketball team?

A: My favorite memory playing for the Chargers would have to be my sophomore year when I got called up to varsity and I hit my first varsity 3-pointer. It was in the playoffs and it was a close game, so I was very nervous.

Q: What are you going to miss most about high school sports?

A: The thing I’m going to miss most about high school sports will be my teammates. Without the group of guys that surround me, sports wouldn’t be as fun. We all have each others backs.

Q: What is your favorite thing to do when you are not in school or competing in a high school sport?

A: My favorite thing to do other than high school sports is fishing by far. Most of my free time I spend on a lake, whether it’s open water or ice

fishing, I’m out there.

Q: Favorite movie, TV show and musical artist?

A: My favorite movie is “Kung Fu Panda.” My favorite TV show is “SpongeBob SquarePants,” and my favorite musical artist right now is Roddy Ricch.

Q: Name one thing about yourself that not many people know?

A: One thing that not many people know about me is that I have a YouTube channel named “Catch More Fish,” feel free to check it out.

Q: What is the greatest piece of advice you have ever been told?

A: The greatest piece of advice I’ve ever been told was from Coach (Garrett) Rogowski. He tells me every game if I start off slow to forget about it and that I need to have short-term memory on the basketball court. That simple phrase can change my whole

AT A GLANCE

ATHLETE: Brendan Resch

SPORT: Boys basketball

POSITION: Point guard

SCHOOL: Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School

YEAR: Senior

game because I just forget what the score is, and how I’ve been playing and just play the game how I know I can.

Q: What are some things you hope to accomplish after completing high school?

A: After completing high school, I hope to further my education in college.

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Clintonville ambulance director resigns

By **GRACE KIRCHNER**
Correspondent

CLINTONVILLE — Executive Director Don Kimlicka of the Clintonville Area Ambulance has submitted his resignation. He has accepted a position with the State of Wisconsin as Regional EMS Coordinator primarily covering most of the northern part of Wisconsin along the state Highway 29 line. Kimlicka begins his new duties on Jan. 21.

On Dec. 16, Clintonville Ambulance Commissioner Andy Werth was named interim executive director, and Shelly Schroeffer was

appointed interim director of operations. Meantime, the commission is accepting applications for the executive director position.

The commission has said that their have been rumors that the service is being sold but they are not interested or entertained the idea of selling the service to anyone, Werth said. He said they plan to continue the strives moving forward that they have made in the last few years.

Kimlicka will stay until Jan. 10 and to be of assistance even after he leaves to help make a smooth transition.

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#1257
December 18, 25, 2019 January 01, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 19PR63
Notice to Creditor (Informal Administration)
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:

Nicholas J. Diemel
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:
1. An application for informal administration was filed.
2. The decedent, with the birth September 25, 1984 and date of death July 24, 2019, was domiciled in Shawano County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of N628 Evergreen St., Bonduel, WI 54107.
3. All interested persons waived notice.
4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is March 30, 2020.
5. A claim may be filed at the Shawano County Courthouse, Shawano, Wisconsin, Room probate.
Attorney Jennifer L. Voigt
P.O. Box 67 Seymour, WI 54165
920-833-2356
Bar Number: 1061357
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#1258
December 18, 25, 2019 January 01, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 19PR64
Notice to Creditor (Informal Administration)
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:

Justin M. Diemel
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:
1. An application for informal administration was filed.
2. The decedent, with the birth May 09, 1995 and date of death July 24, 2019, was domiciled in Shawano County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of 3567 State Highway 156, Pulaski, WI 54162.
3. All interested persons waived notice.
4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is March 30, 2020.
5. A claim may be filed at the Shawano County Courthouse, Shawano, Wisconsin, Room probate.
Attorney Jennifer L. Voigt
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#1259
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
BROWN COUNTY
CASE NO. 19SC006041
SMALL CLAIMS AMENDED SUMMONS
COTTONWOOD FINANCIAL WISCONSIN

LLC DBA THE CASH STORE
A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Plaintiff
Vs.
JOSEPH E NICKOLAI
Defendant
To: JOSEPH E NICKOLAI
433 STENO TRL
PULASKI WI 54162
You are being sued by: COTTONWOOD FINANCIAL LLC DBA THE CASH STORE A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY in the Small Claims Court of BROWN County, located at 100 S JEFFERSON GREEN BAY WI 54305-3600.
A hearing will be held at 1:15 p.m. on January 15, 2020. If you do not appear, a judgment may be given to the party suing you. A copy of this amended summons along with the summons and complaint is being mailed to you.
Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this December 11, 2019.
KOHNS LAW FIRM S.C.
ELECTRONICALLY SIGNED BY:
/S/JASON D. HERMERSMANN
JASON D. HERMERSMANN
Plaintiff's Attorney
State Bar No. 1049948
735 N. Water St., Suite 1300
Milwaukee, WI 53202
(414) 276-0435
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#1264
January 1 & 8, 2019
NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION
In accordance with WI Statute, Chapter 704, Section 704.90 et Seq., Mooseyard Storage Intends to have a public auction on line at through Happy Trails Auction And Sales online at [HYPERLINK "http://www.happytrailsauctions.com"](http://www.happytrailsauctions.com) www.happytrailsauctions.com. This Auction will start at 12.00 Noon and January 14th 2020 and will continue until 7.00 pm January 19th 2020. This public auction is to satisfy operational liens. Said liens are being enforced to satisfy operations. Claims for delinquent rent and other charges. All unpaid rents and late fees must be paid in full before the beginning of the auction. The items to be auctioned are the contents of the leased spaces. Tenant names, rental unit numbers and last known address and general description of contents are as follows: This notice is being advertised in accordance with Section 704.90 (5) (b) (2), State please be advised that Mooseyard Storage has placed a lien on your personal property stored within the unit listed below located at Mooseyard Storage located at N 5857 State Hwy 47-55, and 1003 Waukechon Street, Shawano WI.
Dianna Thunder, Unit G-24, last known address: PO BOX 372 Keshena WI. 54135 Items include but not limited to home furnishings microwave.
Bernadette Bear Unit A-02, last known address: N4505 Ceremonial Rd, Neopit, WI 54150 Items Included:Cloths, Auto Parts, Electronics Household goods
Myrna Rudesilli Unit A-01, Last known address P.O. Box 559, Shawano WI 54166 Items Included:Cloths, Household goods.
Mary Neconish Unit B-03, Last known address W624 Red Wing Way, Keshena WI. 54135 Items Included:Washer Dryer Furniture, Landscape tools, household goods
Leroy Snapaw Unit B-13, Last known address P.O. Box 1333, Keshena WI 54135 Items included but not limited to: water heater, fine furniture, taxidermy, tools,Truck rims and tires,Sound system,sporting goods.
Martina Gauthier Unit B-18 Last known address 6204 Saber Ct NW Albuquerque NM 87102 Items included Bikes Sporting Goods,Electronics, household goods.
Patrica Felix Unit A-20 Last known address: 12442 South Shadow Cove Dr, Houston TX 77082. Items included but not limited to the entire contents of the house.
Keneth Perez Jr Unit C-05 Last known address: P.O. Box 311 Keshena WI 54135. Items included but not limited to: Household goods and furniture.
Sharade Skendore Unit D-04. Last known address: 112 Oak Court Shawano, WI 54166. Items included Washer, Dryer, Furniture, Household goods Clothing
Adam Cariveau Unit D-08. Last known address:1187 S Waukechon Street, Shawano WI. 54166. Items included but not limited to: Office furniture, bikes, Household goods
April Pecore Unit F-16. Last Known address: N 1375 Running Bear Rd, Keshena WI 54135. Items include but are not limited to: Furniture, Children's toys, Juvenile furniture cloths.
Stephannie Wilber Unit G-02. Last Known address: P.O. Box 1458 Keshena WI, 54135. Items include but are not limited to: Furniture, stroller, household goods.
James Cackovic Unit G-13. Last Known address: W5656 Garissa Road, Irma WI. 54442. Items include tools, engine parts automotive supplies.
Dawn-Ray Dickenson Unit G-11& I-38. Last Known address: W4325 Country Lane Lot 24, Cicile, WI. 54111Items include Household goods, Home decor.
Linda Johnson Unit H-10. Last Known address: N 4972 South Lodge Rd, Bonduel WI. 54107 Items include lots of antiques, finiture, years of collectibles, household goods.
Reese Schultz Units H-27 & DS-40. Last Known address: 1634 Oak Street, Marinette WI. 54143. Items include tools, finiture, home decor, toys, sporting goods.
Jane Mahkimetas Unit H-04. Last Known address:1024 E 5th street, Shawano WI. 54166 Items include Furniture, Sporting Goods, microwave, electronics, tools.
Tina Tellei Unit F-03, Last Known address: 826-E Richmond St, Shawano WI 54166. Items include Furniture, household goods, cloths.
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#1201
January 1, 8, 15, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
WINNEBAGO COUNTY
Summons
Case No. 2018CV000011

Plaintiff:
Nationaler Mortgage LLC/Debra M. Cooper
8900 Cypress Waters Blvd.
Dallas, TX 75219

-vs-
Defendant(s):
Linda Arthur
97083 Broken Bow Road
Keshena, WI 54135
Tel: STATE OF WISCONSIN

To each person named above as a defendant:
"You are hereby notified that the plaintiff named above has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you within 40 days after January 1, 2020," (which is the first day that this Summons was published in the newspaper) you must respond with a written demand for a copy of the Complaint. The demand must be sent or delivered to the Court, which address is: Menominee County Courthouse, P.O. Box 279, W5299 Courthouse Lane, Keshena, WI 54135, and to Bass & Mogrowsky, S.C., plaintiff's attorneys, whose address is Bass & Mogrowsky, S.C., 501 West Northshore Drive, Suite 300, Milwaukee, WI 53217. You may have an attorney help or represent you. If you do not demand a copy of the Complaint within 40 days, the Court may grant judgment against you for the amount of money or other legal action requested in the Complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be included in the Complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

Dated: December 23, 2019.
Bass & Mogrowsky, S.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
Steven M. Mogrowsky
98 State Bay N. 1017104
501 West Northshore Drive
Suite 300
Milwaukee, WI 53217
Telephone: 414-228-6700
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#1202
January 1, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MARATHON COUNTY
Notice and Order of Hearing
Case No. 19TP50

IN THE INTEREST OF
Mason Neizer
TO:

Nicole Kruger
91878 Bass Lake Road
Haley, WI 54440
and any unknown parent at unknown address.

Additional identifying information:
Date of birth: 2/16/2011
IT IS ORDERED:

This Notice be published advising you that a Petition for Termination of your parental rights in the named above child be heard at the Marathon County Courthouse, Neosho, Wisconsin, on January 14, 2020, at 2:30 PM. If YOU FILE, TO APPEAR, the court may hear testimony in support of the allegations in the Petition and grant the request of the petitioner to terminate your parental rights. You have the right to have an attorney present. If you desire to contest the matter and cannot afford an attorney, the state public defender may appoint an attorney to represent you. If you fail to appear and the court terminates your parental rights, a notice of intent to pursue relief from the judgment must be signed and filed in the trial court within 30 days after judgment is entered, in order to preserve the right to pursue such relief.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 715-261-1300 prior to the scheduled court date. please note that the court does not provide transportation.

Michael Puermer, Deputy Corporation Counsel
500 Forest Street
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#1203
January 1, 8, 15
State of Wisconsin
Circuit Court
Shawano County
Case No. 19CV007

Notice and Order for Name Changing Hearing
in the Matter of the Name Change of:

Caroline Manning Miller
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:

From: Caroline Manning Miller
To: Caroline Manning Miller Link
Birth Certificate: Caroline Manning Miller
IT IS ORDERED:

This Petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Shawano County, State of Wisconsin by:

James R. Halenik
Place: Shawano County Courthouse Branch 1
Date: January 14, 2020
Time: 3:00 PM
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#1204
January 1, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MARATHON COUNTY
Notice and Order of Hearing
Case No. 19TP50

IN THE INTEREST OF
Mason Neizer
TO:

Nicole Kruger
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Haley, WI 54440
and any unknown parent at unknown address.

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Resch Lanes hosts holiday fundraiser

Nine-pin tournament brings naughty, nice bowlers

By **MIRIAM NELSON**
News Editor

WITTENBERG — Five years ago, Jason Resch, owner of the Resch Lanes bowling center in Wittenberg, thought it would be fun to have a tournament during the Christmas season when the league bowlers are on break.

With a theme of “naughty and nice” as a nod to the Santa season and a unique way of keeping score where nine pins is considered a strike, the nine-pin tournament was born.

“I wanted to have a fun tournament during the holiday season which could also benefit a local charity,” said Resch. “I figured that filling the food pantry before Christmas was an easy choice considering the time of year.”

The 2019 Naughty and Nice nine-pin tournament entry fees raised \$315 and bowler Heather Giddings added \$20, bringing the total to \$335 for the Wittenberg Food Pantry.

Resch runs the tournament on the second and third weekends of December, which gives participants the flexibility they need during the busy season. He also offers three shifts which leads to the potential to field 24 teams in the tournament. This year’s event had a total of 21 teams with bowlers coming as far away as Merrill and Stevens Point.

“We do a number of events that people from around the area can only do here and they like coming to Wittenberg,” said Resch.

The Legacy Seed Pros is made up of local bowlers Jeremy Falkowski, Tim



The 2019 Naughty and Nice nine-pin tournament raised \$335 for the Wittenberg Food Pantry. Tammy Meverden, food pantry organizer receives check for tournament host Jason Resch of Resch Lanes in Wittenberg. CONTRIBUTED

Lemke and Ron Onesti, and they won the event this year to earn \$210.

Jennifer Shrank, Wittenberg, finished in first place in the singles event. She competed on the Wittenberg-Birnamwood girls varsity team in 2015 when they won the State High School Title. She currently attends University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point and bowls in the Monday night women’s league at Resch Lanes.

Heather Giddings and her teammates bowl Monday nights for the Lisa’s at Lakeside team and signed up for the tournament. According to Resch, Giddings had a great night, throwing two 300 games in the nine-pin tap meaning she only needed to knock down nine pins to count as a strike.

There were a total of 252 games bowled in the tournament, only 11 were 300s and Giddings had two of them which is a nice accomplishment, said Resch. There were 19 other bowlers that have averages equal or higher to hers and only one bowler did as well as she did.

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