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Wildcats score like crazy to defeat Panthers

It was the third game in a two-week period between Gresham and Bowler's girls basketball teams, but the Wildcats wound up with the upper hand.

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SCEPI still on hunt for leader

SCEPI is still looking for an economic development officer after a chosen candidate backed out.

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POTENTIAL LEADERS QUESTIONED BY FUTURE LEADERS

Wapo Sanapaw, left, listens as Cedar Fernandez fires off a question to five candidates running for the Menominee Tribal Legislature on Friday in the gymnasium at Menominee Tribal School in Neopit. The candidates took part in the second of two forums put on by Menikanaekhem. **FOR THE FULL STORY, SEE PAGES 16-17.**

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Tiny house project comes to WBHS

New teacher embraces the challenge

By **MIRIAM NELSON**
News Editor

WITTENBERG — Caleb McPhail, the new technology education and woodworking teacher at Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School, found a project that gives students the opportunity to learn several aspects of the construction trades industry.

Building a tiny house is a year-long project that will be a hands-on experience for about 35 students, encompassing different classes.

At the beginning of the school year, there was a speaker who came to address the WBHS teachers. A slide show presentation showed a school in Missouri doing this kind of project. McPhail contacted the teacher in Missouri, who put him in contact with the tiny house buyer in Colorado.

The buyer has a large lot in a high elevation city in Colorado. He buys the tiny houses, puts them on his lot and rents them out through Airbnb, an online marketing service for lodging accommodations in homes in travel destinations.

According to McPhail, the cost of materials is \$30,000. The buyer pays for materials and pays an additional 10 percent, which goes to fund future programs at WBHS.

The design was established ahead of time. The 26-foot trailer holds a 400 square-foot house which has a bedroom, loft, kitchen, living room and bathroom. The building and trailer cannot be more than 13 feet higher there would need to be special permits to transport it. The developer will come to transport it once the unit is completed at the end of the school year.

Senior Sam Fraaza has been accepted into the University of Wisconsin-Platteville for civil engineering and is working on the tiny house project.

"It's interesting to see how to get everything to fit within the confines of the tiny house," said Fraaza, "I think this is a little different aspect of building because of the steel structure rather than the traditional wood."

There is a queen-size bed in the main level bedroom and one in the loft as well. The L-shaped couch can be used as an extra bed or the short part of the couch can be stored underneath the bed if more room is needed.

The kitchen will have a small sink, two cabinets and an apartment-size



Caleb McPhail is the new technology education and woodshop teacher at Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School. He is standing outside of the 400 square foot tiny house, a project for his junior and seniors students.

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refrigerator that is 24 inches wide. It will also have a two-burner electric cooktop and a microwave.

The students will design and build a barn door slide for the bathroom which will have a toilet, sink and shower. The toilet and water plumbing works with the same standard hookups used in recreation vehicles.

There are also specific building requirements to follow regarding plumbing and insulation, and special windows designed for high altitude living.

Prior to this year, McPhail worked in private industry. He had his own business for several years doing custom wood cabinetry and also worked in Crandon at Pump Town Manufacturing managing the wood department for several years.

"I coached high school hockey in Antigo for several years so I knew I liked working with that age group," said McPhail. "I hadn't planned on being a teacher but when I found out I could teach high school based on my work experience it seemed like it would be a good fit."

McPhail wanted to do something more than just a project of sides and roofs and framing. He wanted something that was small enough scale that it could be completed within the

school year but would also teach skills for electrical, plumbing and flooring.

"Even though it's a small project there is a lot to finish it up by the end of the school year," said McPhail.

McPhail has been proactive in securing donations to help out the program. When he learned WBHS is a customer of Wisconsin Public Service he applied for and received a \$1,000 grant, which will be used to buy tools needed to do the detail work on the tiny house project.

McPhail saw a picture in a magazine where a school was thanking Milwaukee Tool for their donations. He went on their website and sent them a letter about the tiny house project. Milwaukee Tool sent them a pallet of cordless saws and drills. McPhail estimates it was about a \$12,000 to \$15,000 donation.

"For the kids it was like an early Christmas present," said McPhail.

The building trades class, a group of 12 boys, is responsible for most of the build as part of their year-long class. The drafting, furniture design and construction methods classes have been involved. McPhail noted that most of the students in his classes are boys, but there are several girls taking the architecture and design classes.

Walmart sues city over property assessment

Suit cites dark store loophole to claim taxes should be lowered

By **TIM RYAN**
Reporter

The city of Shawano is the latest municipality to get hit with a civil suit by the real estate arm of Wal-Mart Inc. over property valuations assessed on their big box stores.

Wal-Mart Real Estate Business Trust filed suit against the city on Dec. 26 asking that the court lower the property value placed on its Shawano store and demanding that the city refund the “excessive real estate taxes” that were levied on the property.

The city valued the Shawano Walmart at \$9.3 million in 2018 and 2019. It had been valued at about \$8.9 million from 2014 through 2017.

The civil suit claims the property should be valued at only \$5.9 million.

The city would lose \$32,407 in 2019 property taxes from Walmart at the lower assessment, forcing that shortfall to be made up by other property owners to meet the

city’s tax levy needs.

If valued at \$5.9 million, Walmart would owe \$55,458 in property taxes for 2019 compared to the \$87,505 in taxes the store was assessed at the city’s valuation of \$9.3 million.

The suit cites a state statute that has come to be known as the “dark store loophole.”

That law allows big box stores to claim significantly lower property values because, they claim, those properties can’t be used for anything else once they’re vacated.

Those companies argue their properties should be assessed as if they were vacant when taxes come due.

Counties and municipalities across the state have been critical of the issue since a state Supreme Court decision in 2008 that sided with the big box stores.

Wal-Mart Real Estate Business Trust has been on a litigation spree for the last several years, filing similar suits against municipalities

across the state.

More than 30 municipalities were targeted in 2019 alone. Most of those cases are still open, but some municipalities did reach a settlement with Wal-Mart.

City Administrator Eddie Sheppard said the city has been expecting Wal-Mart would eventually file suit against Shawano making the same argument.

“And now that’s happened,” he said.

The city of Shawano has 20 days to respond to the civil suit, though as of Monday the city had not yet been served notice of the suit, according to Sheppard.

The Wisconsin League of Municipalities has been lobbying the state Legislature to close the dark store loophole, but in spite of

widespread support for changing the law legislative efforts to do that have failed.

“I know it keeps coming up and it keeps getting shot down,” Sheppard said. “I don’t understand why the Legislature hasn’t been more supportive of it.”

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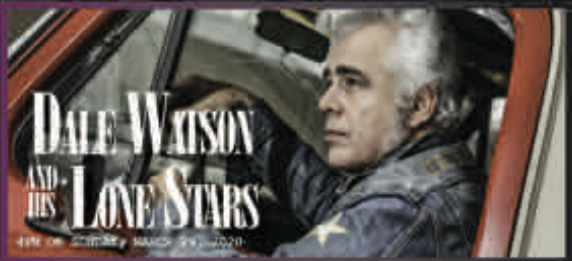
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Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. local time, Wednesday, February 12, 2020 at the Village of Wittenberg Hall, 208 W. Vinyl Street, Wittenberg, Wisconsin at which time and place all proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud. Public is welcome to attend the bid opening.

Bids: Proposals shall be prepared and submitted on the forms provided in the bid documents. All proposals shall be submitted in a sealed envelope labeled "Proposal – South Webb Street, Village of Wittenberg". No proposal shall be accepted after 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 12, 2020.

Examination/Purchase: The Information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond, and Performance and Payment Bond are on file and may be examined at the following locations. There will be one full set of plans & bid documents (hard copy) for viewing.

Viewing Locations:

Martenson and Eisele, Inc.: 1377 Midway Rd., Menasha, WI 54952 (920) 731-0381
Builders Exchange of WI: W2518 County Road JJ, Appleton, WI (920) 687-8782
Blueprint Services offers website viewing at www.m-eplanroom.com prior to purchase

Purchase Method:

Plans and Specifications can be purchased at www.m-eplanroom.com from Blueprint Services.

Bid Security/Withdrawal/Rejection: No bid will be received unless accompanied by a certified check or bid bond equal to at least 5% but not more than 10% of the bid payable to the Village of Wittenberg as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted, the Bidder will execute and file the Contract, Performance and Payment Bonds, and Certificate of Insurance within fifteen days after the award of the Contract. If the successful Bidder so files the Contract, Bonds, and Certificate of Insurance, the Owner shall return the check or bond upon execution of the Contract. If the Bidder fails to file the Contract, Bonds, and Certificate of Insurance, the amount of the check or bid bond shall be forfeited to the Village of Wittenberg as liquidated damages.

No bid shall be withdrawn after the opening of the bids, without the consent of the Owner, for a period of sixty (60) days after the scheduled time for closing of the bids. The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in the bidding.

Prequalification: All Contractors that supply a proposal shall be a pre-qualified contractor by Village of Wittenberg. A "Bidders Proof of Responsibility" form and information shall be filed with the Village prior to the bid opening. Pre-qualification information shall be submitted to Martenson & Eisele, Inc. at 1377 Midway Road, P.O. Box 449, Menasha, WI 54952 not later than 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 5, 2020.

Community Development Block Grant Program: The project is proposed to be funded with federal funding from the Community Development Block Grant Program that has statutory requirements described in the bid documents, pertaining to:

- Potential Conflict of Interest Disclosure
- Debared and Ineligible Contractors
- Equal Opportunity Clause
- Use of Local, Small, Minority-Owned and/or Women-Owned Businesses (MBE, WBE, DBE)
- Section 3 Provisions HUD Act of 1968
- Lobbying Restrictions
- Labor Standards, including Davis-Bacon Requirements

Davis-Bacon Requirements: The successful bidder will be required to conform to requirements prescribed by Section 68.0903 of the Wisconsin Statutes pertaining to municipal wage scales and federal Davis-Bacon and Related Acts which requires that all laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and sub-contractors performing on contracts funded in whole or in part with federal funds pay their laborers and mechanics not less than the prevailing wage rates and fringe benefits, as determined by the Secretary of Labor, for corresponding classes of laborers and mechanics employed on similar projects in the area.

DBE's: Disadvantaged Business Enterprises, including minority business enterprises and women business enterprises, are encouraged to submit bid proposals. Contractors are encouraged to use DBE's as subcontractors.

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Search for SCEPI chief continues

Selected candidate turns job down

By **TIM RYAN**
Reporter

The search for a new head of Shawano County Economic Progress, Inc. is continuing into the new year, even though it was expected to be wrapped up before the end of 2019.

A search committee including representatives from the city, county and SCEPI board interviewed six candidates before finally settling on one who was offered the job.

"We had a person selected and accept and notified us last week that they will no longer be taking the position," said Shawano City Administrator Ed-die Sheppard, who is a member of the search committee.

Sheppard said the committee is re-engaging in a search and hopes to have another pool of candidates within a couple of weeks.

"We invited a couple of candidates back from the original recruitment, and our hope is to add a couple more from a new crop," he said. "We hope to have a mix of previously interviewed candidates that scored high and then adding a couple new and then being able to compare all the candidates together."

Dennis Heling, who was hired as chief economic development officer in

2013, informed the SCEPI Board of Directors in June of his plans to retire by the end of 2019 or as soon as someone could be named to take his place.

Heling said he will stay on to assist the new chief through the transition.

In the meantime, Heling still on the job at SCEPI, where, he said, it's still business as usual.

Heling was hired as part of a shakeup of the SCEPI office in 2013, replacing executive director Steve Sengstock.

In August 2013, the city of Shawano and the SCEPI board agreed to a memorandum of understanding outlining the job of a chief economic development officer who would technically be a city employee, but would answer to the SCEPI board of directors and its executive committee.

An oversight committee was also created to make recommendations to the SCEPI board. That committee consists of two representatives each from the city, the county and the SCEPI board.

The agreement called for the chief economic development officer to technically be a city employee so that health, retirement and other benefits could be provided.

According to the agreement, all of the city's expenses related to the job — including the \$85,000 salary — would be reimbursed by SCEPI.

That salary is currently about \$86,000.

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Winter Whirl returns to Clintonville

By **GRACE KIRCHNER**
Correspondent

CLINTONVILLE — The annual Winter Whirl sponsored by the Clintonville Parks and Recreation Department will be held Jan. 18 at Memory Lanes Bar and Grill, 250 County Road I, Clintonville.

"Donations are still being accepted for the event, and sponsors will be recognized at the event and on the Facebook page," said Justin McAuly, park and recreation director.

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., the 31st Annual Tummy Warmer Cook-off will be held. There will be activities for the kids, and vendors during

that time.

At 11 a.m. there will be music by "Grayling — A One Man Band."

Bowling specials and food specials will be available from noon until 5 p.m.

From 2 p.m. to 6 p.m., the third annual cornhole tourney, doubles, and double elimination will be held. The fee is \$20 per team and 100% will be given back in cash prizes. To register, contact McAuly at 715-823-7660.

Live music will be furnished by Remington's Ride with no cover charge during the cornhole tournament, and there will be no cover charge for the live music by "Wasted Stay" from 8 p.m. until midnight.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 8

COFFEE CONNECTIONS: Glas Coffeehouse, 511 N. Main St., Shawano. 8-9 a.m. Business networking and idea sharing over coffee. Sponsored by Shawano Country Chamber of Commerce. 715-524-2139 or chamber@shawano.com.

GARRY WESLEY: Lounge, Menominee Casino Resort, N277 State Highway 47-55, Keshena. 8 p.m. Free. 715-799-3600. www.menomineecasinoresort.com.

THURSDAY, JAN. 9

JESUS CARES MINISTRIES BIBLE STUDY: Divine Savior Lutheran Church, 102 Northridge Drive, Shawano. 5:30 p.m. Interactive worship service geared to help those with special needs but open to entire public.

GARRY WESLEY: Lounge, Menominee Casino Resort, N277 State Highway 47-55, Keshena. 8 p.m. Free. 715-799-3600. www.menomineecasinoresort.com.

FRIDAY, JAN. 10

GARRY WESLEY: Lounge, Menominee Casino Resort, N277 State Highway 47-55, Keshena. 8 p.m. Free. 715-799-3600. www.menomineecasinoresort.com.

LOVIN' COUNTRY: Ho-Chunk Gaming Wittenberg, N7198 U.S. Highway 45, Wittenberg. 8-11 p.m. 715-253-4400. www.ho-chunkgaming.com/wittenberg.

GOVERNMENT MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 8

SHAWANO COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE: James Stoltenow Training Room, Shawano County Sheriff's Office, 405 N. Main St., Shawano. 9 a.m. Agenda includes approval to purchase training range storage shed from donations.

EAST CENTRAL REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION COMMUNITY FACILITIES COMMITTEE: 400 Ahnaip St., Suite 100, Menasha. 10 a.m.

EAST CENTRAL REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION OPEN SPACE AND ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE: 400 Ahnaip St., Suite 100, Menasha. 1:30 p.m.

SHAWANO COUNTY LAND INFORMATION COUNCIL: Room 7, Shawano County Courthouse, 311 N. Main St., Shawano. 2:30 p.m. Agenda include a review of the orthophotography contract with Ayres Associates.

SHAWANO BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT BOARD: Community Room, City Hall, 127 S. Sawyer St., Shawano. 3:30 p.m. Agenda includes approving an amended 2020 budget and discussing the BID annual meeting on April 16.

THURSDAY, JAN. 9

SHAWANO COUNTY TRIBAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE: Room 202, Shawano County Courthouse, 311 N. Main St., Shawano. 8 a.m. Agenda



Bazooka Joe will be performing at 8 p.m. Friday in the Groove Lounge at North Star Mohican Casino Resort in Bowler.

CONTRIBUTED

PAT SCHORR: Classic's Restaurant and Lounge, W6026 Lake Drive, Shawano. 8 p.m. 715-524-8711. www.classicshawano.com.

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

includes action to rename the tribal affairs committee and a closed session on land-to-trust issues with the Doug and Richenda Miller 2.77-acre parcel.

SHAWANO COUNTY LAND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE: Room 7, Shawano County Courthouse, 311 N. Main St., Shawano. 8 a.m. Agenda includes action on 2019 wildlife damage, abatement and claims program crop damage claims.

SHAWANO COUNTY AGRICULTURE AND EXTENSION COMMITTEE: Room 7, Shawano County Courthouse, 311 N. Main St., Shawano. 9:30 a.m. Agenda includes approval of fairgrounds maintenance projects.

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. Agenda also includes reviewing and taking action on 2020 orthophotograph contract.

EAST CENTRAL WISCONSIN REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING COMMITTEE: 400 Ahnaip St., Suite 100, Menasha. 10 a.m. Agenda includes a comprehensive plan update for the city of Shawano.

THURSDAY, JAN. 16

SHAWANO COUNTY BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT: Rooms A and B, Shawano County Courthouse, 311 N. Main St., Shawano. 9 a.m. Public hearings scheduled.

SATURDAY, JAN. 11

HOOPIN' FOR HOPE: Gymnasium, Sacred Heart Catholic School, 124 E. Center St., Shawano. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Basketball games begin at 9 a.m. Cancer survivor recognition at 1 p.m. Raffle winners announced at 4 p.m. Proceeds benefit Peace and Love for Alex, Inc.

SUPPORT GROUPS

WEEKLY MEETINGS

WEDNESDAYS

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

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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.

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.

BAMBOO BASS AND NORTHERN FISHING TOURNAMENT AND KIDS FISHING DERBY:

Bamboo Bar, W5884 Cedar Ct., Shawano. Mear raffle. 715-201-1158.

TODDLER TIME WITH JESUS: Divine Savior Lutheran Church, 102 Northridge Drive, Shawano. 10 a.m. Free.

GUIDED SNOWSHOE HIKE: Kroenke Lake State Natural Area, eight miles northwest of downtown Shawano on Beech Road, just north of Butternut Road. 1:15 p.m. Free. After the hike, hot chocolate, snacks and a history discussion at the home of Sally and Mike Kroenke. Sponsored by Shawano Pathways. Register by Jan. 10 with Mike at 715-851-5233 or wildalaskamike@hotmail.com.

GARRY WESLEY: Lounge, Menominee Casino Resort, N277 State Highway 47-55, Keshena. 8 p.m. Free. 715-799-3600. www.menomineecasinoresort.com.

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TUESDAY, JAN. 14

KENNY JAMES: Casino floor, North Star Mohican Casino Resort, W12180 County Road A, Bowler. 4-7 p.m. 715-787-3110. www.northstarcasinoresort.com.

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, 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 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. Jan, 715-853-1635.

SPORTS EVENTS

THURSDAY, JAN. 9

BOYS SWIM: Shawano vs. Lakeland Union, 5:30 p.m., Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B, Shawano.

WRESTLING: Shawano vs. West De Pere, 6:30 p.m., Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B, Shawano.

WRESTLING: Clintonville vs. Marinette, 6:30 p.m., Clintonville High School, 64 W. Green Tree Road, Clintonville.

WRESTLING: Bonduel vs. Weyauwega-Fremont, 7 p.m., Bonduel High School, 400 W. Green Bay St., Bonduel.

WRESTLING: Menominee Indian vs. Pittsville, 7 p.m., Menominee Indian High School, N500 State Highway 47-55, Keshena.

WRESTLING: Wittenberg-Birnamwood at Manawa, 7 p.m., Manawa Elementary School, 800 Beech St., Manawa.

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

BOYS BASKETBALL: Bowler vs. Wisconsin Valley Lutheran, 7 p.m., Wisconsin Valley Lutheran High School, 601 Maple Ridge Road, Mosinee.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Clintonville at Marinette, 7 p.m., Marinette High School, 2135 Pierce Ave., Marinette.

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Menominee Indian at Shiocton, 7:30 p.m., Shiocton High School, N5650 Broad St., Shiocton.

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

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Bowler vs. Marion, 7:15 p.m., Bowler High School, 500 S. Almon St., Bowler.

FRIDAY, JAN. 10

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Marion vs. Tigerton, 6 p.m., Marion Elementary Field House, 1002 N. Main St., Marion.

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.

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

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Shawano at Menasha, 7 p.m., Menasha High School, 420 Seventh St., Menasha.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Shawano vs. New London, 7 p.m., Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B, Shawano.

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

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Bonduel vs. Iola-Scandinavia, 7:30 p.m., Bonduel High School, 400 W. Green Bay St., Bonduel.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Bonduel at Iola-Scandinavia, 7:30 p.m., Iola-Scandinavia High School, 540 S. Jackson St., Iola.

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Gresham at Suring, 7:15 p.m., Suring High School, 411 Algoma St., Suring.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Menominee Indian vs. Shiocton, 7:30 p.m., Menominee Indian High School, N500 State Highway 47-55, Keshena.

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.

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.

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Wittenberg-Birnamwood at Weyauwega-Fremont, 7:30 p.m., Weyauwega-Fremont High School, 410 E. Ann St., Weyauwega.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Marion vs. Tigerton, 7:30 p.m., Marion Elementary Field House, 1002 N. Main St., Marion.

SATURDAY, JAN. 11

WRESTLING: Wittenberg-Birnamwood at invitational, 8 a.m., Merrill High School, 1201 N. Sales St., Merrill.

BOYS SWIM: Shawano at invitational, 9 a.m., Ashwaubenon High School, 2391 S. Ridge Road, Green Bay.

WRESTLING: Bonduel at invitational, 10 a.m., Marshfield High School, 1401 E. Becker Road, Marshfield.

GIRLS BASKETBALL: Tigerton vs. Lena, 2 p.m., Tigerton High School, 213 Spaulding St., Tigerton.

BOYS BASKETBALL: Tigerton vs. Lena, 3:30 p.m., Tigerton High School, 213 Spaulding St., Tigerton.

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.

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.

OBITUARIES

William H. "Bill" Bahrke, 90, formerly of the town of Belle Plaine, passed away peacefully Tuesday morning, Dec. 31, 2019, in Cranberry Township, Pennsylvania.

Bill was born Sept. 15, 1929, in Racine, a son of the late William G. and Clara (Belland) Bahrke. On Sept. 26, 1946, he entered the United States Army and was stationed in Germany where he served his country for the next two years. Upon returning from service, Bill studied engineering at Marquette University under the G.I. Bill. On Nov. 19, 1952, he was united in marriage to the former Mae Jean Dittman in Racine. The couple lived in Milwaukee until Bill graduated from Marquette with a Bachelor of Science in mechanical engineering.

In 1953, Bill took a job with Combustion Engineering in Long Island,



Albert "Doc" Pfefferle, 76, of Birnamwood, died peacefully Wednesday, Jan. 1, 2020, at his home surrounded by family and friends.

Doc was born Nov. 18, 1943, in Milwaukee, the son of the late Ray and Ruth (Sweet) Pfefferle.

On Feb. 21, 2009, Doc was united in marriage to Carolyn (Low) Wickman after a blind date brought them together on Dec. 10, 1988. It was love at first sight.

Doc entered the armed services in July 1965 as part of the Army Airborne Division. He was decorated five times as a war hero and received a bronze star and silver wings, which he wore proudly.

He retired at the age of 64 from manufacturing where he worked as a maintenance man. Doc was known



Mary Ann Steinke, 88, of Leopolis, passed away Saturday, Jan. 4, 2020, at ThedaCare Regional Medical Center in Appleton. Mary was born Nov. 20, 1931, in Gresham, to the late Raymond and Laura (Ready) Schmidt.

On April 3, 1948, Mary was united in marriage to Allen "Swampy" Steinke in Leopolis. Allen preceded her in death on Aug. 12, 1988. She lived in the Gresham and Leopolis area all of her life. Mary worked at Eagle Knit, Patio Restaurant, Westerfield Oil and Shawano County Jail as a cook. She loved camping, watching baseball games in



New York. He had a long and successful career in engineering, working his way from sweeping the floors to becoming the CEO.

Bill, Mae Jean and their family lived in Kingston and Athens, Tennessee; Beaumont, Texas; Moonachie and Ramsey, New Jersey; Chicago, Illinois; Kansas City, Missouri; Avon, Connecticut; and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. While in Pittsburgh, Bill was an engineer at Dravo Constructors, Inc., retiring in 1989 after 10 years with the company. In 1990, Bill and Mae Jean moved to Shawano.

Bill was a good and faithful member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Shawano. He served on the Finance Committee and the Phase I Renovation Committee, where he was instru-

mental in planning the addition of the church's gathering space. Bill also served on the Shawano Police and Fire Commission, where he was actively engaged in establishing the first K9 Unit for the city of Shawano.

He was an active member of the Clintonville American Legion Post 63 as well as the Clintonville VFW Post 664. Bill was privileged to go on an Old Glory Honor Flight on April 9, 2015. In his free time, he loved to work in the woods and hunt. He also loved traveling and taking his family on amazing trips. Every year from 2008 to 2014, they went on a different dream trip.

Survivors include his children, Joan Bahrke of Farmington, Connecticut, Susan (Ted) Bell of Bettendorf, Iowa, and Nancy (Christopher) Hyatt of Glenshaw, Pennsylvania; his grandchildren, Katelyn (Tyler) Horbach and Jeffrey Bell, of Iowa, and Jonathan, Andrew and Anna Hyatt of Pennsylvania; and two nieces and one nephew.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mae Jean, on Dec. 11, 2014; and two brothers, Kenneth in infancy, and Milton Bahrke.

A funeral Mass for Bill Bahrke will be celebrated Saturday, Jan. 11, 2020, at 11 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Shawano. The Rev. Scott Valentyn will be the celebrant. Entombment will take place at the Sacred Heart Mausoleum, with full military honors conducted by the American Legion Post 63. Visitation will begin at 9 a.m. and continue until 11 a.m. at the church.

In lieu of flowers and plants, memorials are preferred in Bill's name to Sacred Heart Catholic Church or the Old Glory Honor Flight, P.O. Box 482, Menasha, WI 54952.



Albert 'Doc' Pfefferle



as the man who could fix anything.

Doc was an active member of the United Methodist Church in Wittenberg.

Hunting, fishing and gardening

were Doc's favorite things to do. He also spent much of his time with his cats that he loved, especially Katie and Lillie. Doc was a very giving man and spent many hours being involved with the local food pantry, Operation Christmas Child and Operation Backpack.

Doc is survived by the love of his life, Carolyn; one son, Kevin (Cathy) Ebert; one stepson, Todd (friend Liz) Wickman; one stepdaughter, Tammy Froehlich; three grandchildren, Clint

(fiancée Lauren) Ebert, Dillon (friend Janelle) Ebert and Jesse (friend Emily) Ebert; seven step-grandchildren, Josh Wickman, Brittany Peters, Shawn (Danielle) Fielding, Jesse (friend Vicki) Fielding, Brandon Wickman, Karina Wickman and Caleb Wickman; seven great-grandchildren; one brother, Scott Pfefferle; two sisters, Rosemarie Reiherzer and Kathy (Dave) Boss; two sisters-in-law, Marlene Pfefferle and Esther Pfefferle; and special niece, Becky Pfefferle.

Doc was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, Jim Pfefferle, Raymond "Butch" Pfefferle and Gary Pfefferle; one sister, Sharon Zehner; one stepson, Timothy Wickman; and one brother-in-law, Al Reiherzer.

A funeral service was held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, 2020, at New Horizons Methodist Church in Wittenberg. The Rev. Loretta Waegli

officiated. Military rites were conducted by Bloecher-Johnson American Legion Post 502. Visitation was held from 4-7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 3, 2020, at Schmidt and Schulta Funeral Home in Wittenberg and again on Saturday from 9:30 a.m. until the time of service at the church.

Memories and messages of support may be shared at schmidtschulta.com.

A special thank you to Kenny Jensen for driving Doc to his doctor appointments and being a good friend; Greg and Vicki Guse for being good friends and his hunting and fishing buddies; Abigail who helped Doc during his home care; Tammy and Josh for the loving and dedicated care they provided to Doc during his battle with cancer. Thank you to Ascension at Home Hospice for the special care provided to Doc and to the family during this difficult time.

Mary Ann Steinke



Leopolis and going to the cabin in Vilas County.

Mary is survived by her daughters, Sue (Dennis) Radtke, of Suamico, and Kathy (LeRoy) Hillmer, of Mont-

tello; her sons, Tom (Lynn) Steinke, of Shawano, and Mike (Debra) Steinke, of Shawano; son-in-law, Gordon Schwersenska; 13 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; her siblings,

Donna Jaeger, of Minneapolis, Warren "Corney" Schmidt, of Pella, James Schmidt, of Leopolis, and Robert Schmidt, of Leopolis; and sister-in-law, Ruby Schmidt, of Shawano. She is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband; two daughters, Sandra and Sally Schwersenska; her parents; one

brother, John "Jack" Schmidt; one brother-in-law, Jim Jaeger; and one sister-in-law, Jeanne Schmidt.

A gathering of family and friends will be held at Swedberg Funeral Home in Gresham on Saturday, Jan. 11, 2020, from 10 a.m. until noon. Spring burial will be held in St. Mary's Cemetery in Leopolis.

www.swedbergfuneralhome.com

Susan Schuster

Susan Schuster, 85, of Shawano, passed away Jan. 1, 2020.

Swedberg Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements. www.swedbergfuneralhome.com

Donald Karcz

Donald Karcz, 81, of Birnamwood, formerly of Bowler, died Friday, Jan. 3, 2020, at his home under the care of his family and Interim Hospice.

Don was born March 6, 1938, in Two Rivers, the son of the late John and Angeline (Wijas) Karcz.

Don was an Air Force retiree and lived in all parts of the U.S. and world for over 20 years.

On Nov. 30, 1957, Don was united in marriage to Venita Piekola in Marble, Minnesota. She preceded him in death on July 8, 2018.

The couple purchased the Melody Mill in Aniwa in June 1967 and also owned Karcz Home Sales. For the past 25 years, they



Don was a blue jeans and T-shirt man. The family invites all those attending to wear blue jeans and T-shirts in his honor.

Survivors include his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Donna (Tom Lex) Karcz of Bowler and her children, Joey (Keleigh) Baretincic and their children

owned and operated V's Star Campsite in Bowler. Don enjoyed going on trips, especially cruises, and he enjoyed baseball, the Green Bay Packers and loved to watch game shows.

Anna and Jackson, and Andrea (Chris) Mrozinski and their children Clara and Clayton "Zane," Cindy (Jerry) Geiss of Merrill and her children, Stephan Miller and Alex (Kim) Miller, Rodney (Shelly) Karcz of Birnamwood and their children, Matthew (Kandi) Karcz and his son Jayden, and Adam (Kaylin) Karcz, the late Gary Karcz's daughter Amanda (Mark) Hein and her son Donaven, Mike (Connie) Karcz of Birnamwood and their daughter Jennifer Quinn Hegewald and her children, Kaden and Kennlie, and Bonnie (Bradley) Resch of Birnamwood and their children, Brooks, Braydin, Brogan (Eric Engle) and Braxton Resch; siblings, Myron Karcz of Pulaski, Mardell Wirtz of Sobieski, Carol Walla of Green Bay

and Larry (Donna) Karcz of Sobieski and many nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Don was preceded in death by his wife, Vee; a son, Gary; parents; brother Leonard Karcz; son-in-law, Gordy Miller; a sister-in-law, Carol Karcz and brother-in-law, James Wirtz.

A Mass of Christian burial will take place at 11 a.m., Thursday, Jan. 9, 2020 at St. Philomena Catholic Church in Birnamwood. The Rev. Vicente Llagas will officiate. Burial will be in St. Boniface Catholic Cemetery in Aniwa with military rites conducted by the Darling Gunderson American Legion 341, Birnamwood. Visitation will be held Thursday from 9 a.m. until the time of mass at the church.

Richard M. Gosz

Richard Michael Gosz, 78, Kaukauna, died Dec. 31, 2019. He was born in Shawano on Feb. 17, 1941, the son of the late Norbert and Catherine (Heinz) Gosz.

Dick graduated from Shawano High School in 1959. He was employed at Shawano Journal Printing and then at the Shawano Evening Leader. He married Regis Rosenow at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Shawano in 1963. Following their residence in Shawano, Dick and Regis moved to Menasha, where Dick worked at Graphic Composition. They then moved to Kaukauna, where he was employed at the Kaukauna Times for 33 years until his retire-



ment in 1999. Dick served as secretary treasurer for his local union for many years and was a member of St. John Nepomucene Catholic Church in Little Chute.

Dick was an avid fisherman his whole life and enjoyed many other hobbies, especially custom wood-working and model airplane building and flying. He also enjoyed working on home improvement projects and spending weekends on their boat at the Manitowoc Marina. Dick was a

very family oriented man and also enjoyed socializing and conversing with friends.

Richard is survived by his wife, Regis; their children, Joan (David) Jansen, Appleton, Michael (Mary Lee) Gosz, Chicago, and Jeffrey (Andrea) Gosz, Chicago; and grandchildren, Madeline and David (Mike and Mary Lee) and Andrew and Jack (Jeff and Andrea). He is further survived by his brothers, Thomas Gosz, Shawano, Patrick (Mary) Gosz, Wausau, and John (Marilyn) Gosz, Schofield; brother-in-law, Ronald (Wendy) Rosenow, Shawano; and nieces and nephews.

Richard was preceded in death by his parents, Norbert and Catherine

Gosz; brother, Daniel Gosz; and mother- and father-in-law, Vernal and Marjorie Rosenow.

The funeral liturgy for Richard will be held at St. John Nepomucene Catholic Church, 323 S. Pine St., Little Chute, with the Rev. Ron Belitz officiating. Family and friends will be welcomed at the church on Friday, Jan. 10, 2020, from 10 a.m. until the time of service at noon.

In lieu of flowers, donations to St. John's Catholic Church would be greatly appreciated.

Verkuilen-Van Deurzen Family Funeral Home, 101 Canal St., Little Chute. 920-788-3321. www.verkuilenfh.com

Sarah J. Ash

Sarah Jane Murfey "Sally" Ash, 99, of Northbrook, Illinois, formerly of Highland Park, Glenview and Shawano; at rest Jan. 3, 2020.

Beloved wife of the late R.E. George Ash. Loving mother of Pamela Ash, Reggie (Tammy) Ash, Willie (Debbi) Ash, Sally (Joe) Rouse, Cindy (Tom) Vigil, Charles (Shelly Mandry) Ash, Tommy (Tracy) Ash and the late Janie (Jack) Wash. Proud grandmother of 29, dear great-grandmother of 54 and great-great-grand-

mother of five.

Family and friends will meet for memorial service Saturday, Jan. 11, at 2:30 p.m. at St. James the Less Episcopal Church, 550 Sunset Ridge, Northfield, Illinois.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. John Episcopal Church, 141 S. Smalley St., Shawano, WI 54166.

Arrangements by N.H. Scott and Hanekamp Funeral Home, Glenview, Illinois. Funeral info, 847-998-1020.

James 'J.R.' Reynolds

James "J.R." Reynolds, 70, of Gresham, passed away Thursday, Jan. 2, 2020. Jim was born June 12, 1949, in Racine.

He graduated from Washington Park High School in Racine. Jim proudly served his country in the United States Army Reserve. On May 23, 1970, Jim was united in marriage to Kathryn Skowronski in Racine. Upon retirement Jim and Kathy moved to Gresham. Upon retirement, he worked as a Gresham school bus driver, cut



weeds in the local waterways and worked at North Star Casino.

Jim is survived by his wife of 49 years, Kathy. He is further survived by other relatives and friends.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date.
www.swedbergfuneralhome.com

Michael M. Anderson

Michael M. Anderson, 23, of the township of Green Valley, Shawano County, passed away unexpectedly early Sunday morning, Jan. 5, 2020, at

his residence.

The Eberhardt-Stevenson Funeral Home and Crematory in Clintonville is assisting the Anderson family.

Harlan Fedders

Harlan Fedders, 84, of Legend Lake, passed away Thursday, Jan. 2, 2020.

Arrangements are being made with Swedberg Funeral Home.
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► FAMILY OF CHRIST, 600 S. Main St., Clintonville, Dick Vanman, pastor. SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Bible Study, 10 a.m. worship; WEDNESDAY: 10 a.m. prayer, 6:30 p.m. family night.

► HILLSIDE, Gillett. Pastor Paul Carlson. 920-855-2962. The Lord's Supper is commemorated on the last Sunday of every month. SUNDAY: Christian education (during the school year) 9 a.m., worship service 10 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Family Night (during the school year) 6:45-8 p.m.

► HILLSIDE, 2023 County Road Q, Pound, Pastor Paul Carlson. 920-897-2791. SUNDAY: Continental breakfast 8:30 a.m. Service 9 a.m. Kingdom Kids 9:30 a.m.

► KESHENA, Matt Golie, pastor, 715-799-3372. SUNDAY: Breakfast 9:30 a.m. Service 10:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible study 9:30-11 a.m.

► MORGAN SIDING, Jonathan Biffert, lead pastor. SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:45 a.m., services 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.; WEDNESDAY: Bible study 7 p.m.

► MY CHURCH, 161 McDonald St., Oconto. Pastor Nick and Amy Badendick. 920-737-8345. SUNDAY: Worship service 10:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible study 6:30 p.m.

► RIVER VALLEY CHURCH, 131 N. Franklin St., 715-524-4129, Dan Taylor, pastor. SUNDAY: Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship 9 a.m., Worship Service 9:30 a.m. www.rvc.shawano.com.

Baptist

► BETHANY, W12902 State Highway 29, Tilleda. 715-851-2506. SUNDAY: Prayer 9:30 a.m., worship 10:30 a.m.

► FAIRHAVEN, 5584 S. U.S. Highway 41, Oconto. Pastor Richard King. 920-834-3927. SUNDAY: worship services 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. FRIDAY: worship service 7 p.m.

► FIRST, S.B.C. Clintonville, 15 5th St., 715-823-6976, Eric Hess, pastor. SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:30 a.m. service 10:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study and prayer 7 p.m.

► GILLETT, 10780 Town Hall Road. Pastor Reggie Reinhold. 920-855-6012. SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:30 a.m., worship service 10:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY: 6 p.m. Bible study for adults and teens, Patch the Pirate Club for children.

► MARANATHA, Shiocton, W6607 State Highway 156, 715-758-2311; Joel Smith, pastor, 715-701-1719. SUNDAY: Sunday School and adult Bible class 9:30 a.m., services 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer service 6:30 p.m. www.mbcnavarino.org

► SECTION EIGHT, W10088 W. 20th Road, Pound. Pastor Kevin Holland. 920-897-2502. SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:30 a.m., worship services 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Family Night 6:30 p.m.

► SHAWANO, 710 E. Green Bay St., Shawano. Pastor Matthew Weber. SUNDAY: Worship, 10:45 a.m. Bible study, 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Midweek prayer meeting, 7 p.m. 715-201-1176 or info@shawanobaptist.com; shawanobaptist.com online.

Bible Church

► COMMUNITY, U.S. Highway 141, Lena. Pastor Stephen Hamilton. 920-829-6385. SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:30 a.m., worship service 10:30 a.m.

► GRACE, 401 W. Main St., Bowler. SUNDAY: Service 10 a.m., Bible study and Sunday School 9 a.m.

► NORTHWOODS BIBLE FELLOWSHIP, Lakewood. Pastor Scott VanLaanen. 715-850-2904. SUNDAY: Sunday School 9-9:45 a.m., worship services 10-11 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: prayer service 6:30-7:30 p.m.

► STOCKBRIDGE, Camp 14 Road, Bowler. Pastor Ed Zook. 715-793-4933. SUNDAY: worship 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m., Sunday school 9:30 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Awana 6:30 p.m.

Catholic

► HOLY TRINITY, 716 Madison St., Oconto. Rev. Joel Sember, 716 Madison St., Oconto. 920-835-5900. THURSDAY & FRIDAY: 8 a.m. Mass; SATURDAY: Confession 3:45-4:15 p.m., Mass 4:30 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 10:45 a.m.

► HOLY FAMILY-ST. WILLIAM, 202 N. Ellms St., Wittenberg. Pastor Matt Settle. 715-535-2571. SUNDAY: Mass 8 a.m.

► SACRED HEART: Shawano, Rev. Scott Valentyn, pastor. SATURDAY: Mass 4:30 p.m. SUNDAY: 7:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

► ST. ADALBERT, 3314 St. Adalbert Road, Rosholt. Pastor Jeffrey Hennes. WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY: Mass 8:15 a.m. SATURDAY: Vigil 7 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 10:30 a.m.

► ST. ANNE, 228 E. Main St., Coleman. Rev. Nonito Jesus Sirios Barra. 920-897-3226. SATURDAY: Mass 6 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 8:30 a.m.

► ST. ANNE, LENA-SPRUCE. Rev. Felix Abano. 920-897-3226. Weekend liturgies in Lena: SATURDAY: 4 p.m. SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m.

► ST. ANTHONY, Neopit, Nonito Jesus Barra, pastor. SUNDAY: Mass 10:30 a.m.

► ST. ANTHONY, 430 Swanke St., Tigerton, Pastor Matt Settle. 715-535-2571. SATURDAY: Mass 4 p.m.

► ST. ANTHONY, 253 N. Franklin St., Oconto Falls. Rev. Joel Sember. 920-846-2276. SUNDAY: Mass 9 a.m. WEDNESDAY: Mass 8:30 a.m.

► ST. BONIFACE, W19104 Church St., Aniwa. Rev. Vincente Llagas. 715-449-2104. SUNDAY: Mass 8:30 a.m. SATURDAY: Mass 4 p.m.

► ST. FLORIAN PARISH, 500 Church Lane, Hatley. Pastor Greg Bohren. 715-446-3085. SUNDAY: Mass 10:30 a.m. SATURDAY: Mass 4 p.m. TUESDAY, FRIDAY: Mass 8:30 a.m.

► ST. FRANCIS, Gresham, Nonito Jesus Barra, pastor. SUNDAY: Mass 8:30 a.m., confessions before Mass.

► ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, 127 S. Garden Ave., Gillett. Pastor: Rev. Robert Ni Ni. SATURDAY: Mass: 4 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 10 a.m.

► ST. JOSEPH HOLY FAMILY, W7365 State Highway 47, Phlox. Pastor Edmundo Siguenza. SATURDAY: Mass 4:30 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 10 a.m.; confessions before Mass.

► ST. JOSEPH PARISH-GALLOWAY, 8846 County Road C, Wittenberg. 715-454-6431. SATURDAY: Mass 4 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 8:30 a.m.

► ST. LADISLAUS CHURCH-BEVENT, 6455 State Highway 153, Hatley. 715-454-6770. Pastor Augustine Bentil. 715-446-3060. SATURDAY: Mass 6 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 10:10 a.m.

► ST. LAWRENCE, Navarino, Rev. Donald Zuleger, pastor. 715-758-8161; SUNDAY: Mass 10 a.m.

► ST. MARTIN OF TOURS, Cecil, Todd Raether, pastoral coordinator. SATURDAY: Mass 4 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 9 a.m.

► ST. MARY, Leopolis, Rev. Nonito Jesus Barra. SUNDAY: Mass 10 a.m.

► ST. MARY, 725 Seventh St., Marion, Pastor Matt Settle. 715-535-2571. SUNDAY: Mass 10:30 a.m.

► ST. MARY OF THE LAKES, Lakewood. Pastor: Rev. Philip Dinh-Van-Thiep. 715-276-7364. SATURDAY: Mass 4 p.m. Lakewood, 5:30 p.m. Silver Cliff. SUNDAY: Mass 9 a.m. Lakewood, 7:30 a.m. Crooked Lake.

► ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE, 6051 Noble St., Sobieski. Rev. Antonio de los Santos. 920-822-5255. SATURDAY: Confession 11:30 a.m., Mass 4 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 8 a.m. and 9:45 a.m. Confessions by appointment.

► ST. MICHAEL, Keshena, Nonito Jesus Barra, pastor. SATURDAY: Mass 5 p.m. SUNDAY: Mass 9 a.m.

► ST. MICHAEL, Chute Pond, 12492 Highway 32/64, Suring. Rev. Robert Ni Ni. SATURDAY: Mass: 6 p.m. (Memorial Day to Labor Day). SUNDAY: Mass 7:30 a.m.

► ST. MICHAEL, 210 S. Krueger St., Suring. Pastor: Rev. Robert Ni Ni. SUNDAY: Mass 8:45 a.m.

► 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 Andrew Jantz. 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 Stuebs. 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. lgrapertup@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.stjakob.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**, Leopolis. 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/~stjohnigtigerton. 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 Brian Staude. 920-826-7785. SUNDAY: Worship service 9 a.m. (Communion held weekly), 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, ELCS, 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 Cahr 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,

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THE GARDENING YEAR

Domes showcase variety of plants

One of my favorite destinations during the coldest days of winter is the Mitchell Park Horticultural Park and Domes in Milwaukee. Recently, I visited there to catch the beauty and elaborate design of the annual holiday show dome, as well as to immerse myself in the warmth and atmosphere of the tropical dome, as well as the desert oasis of the arid dome.

If you haven't visited the "domes" in recent years, it is time to go back. What a joy to stroll among pathways leading deep into a tropical jungle, or through the deserts of the world, especially during the peak of the win-



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ter season. Step inside another world and lose yourself for a few hours of botanical beauty.

Lovers of house plants and foliage plants will enjoy the majesty and beauty of the tropical dome, laden with spectacular specimens of many of our favorite indoor houseplants.

In addition to walls of colorful

orchids, mounted staghorn fern, towering palms and waterfall draped in colorful philodendrons and pathos, the pathways lead through a dripping oasis of foliage and bloom that will take your breath away.

Elephant ears, featuring massive leaves in spectacular patterns and shades of blue, green, silver and more tower and sprawl in this jungle oasis. Popular Chinese evergreens in a number of different colors and varieties line the pathways alongside spectacular calatheas, bromeliads, anthuriums and many more indoor favorites.

Here, one is able to see just what

monstrous specimens many of our favorite houseplants can become when provided the exact growing conditions needed for them to thrive and do their thing.

The desert beauty of the arid dome is equally impressive, showcasing vignettes of the world's most spectacular desert panoramas. Incredible specimen plants from around the world adorn the dry sand and colorful rock formations found here, including some of the biggest cacti specimens you'll see just about anywhere.

In addition to the impressive cacti collection, you'll find a number of jade



plants, including many in bloom, as well as succulents of many different varieties, kalanchoes, yuccas and other specimen plants that enjoy warm and dry climates.

I was able to catch the amazing holiday display in the revolving show dome that, this year, displayed many classic holiday plants in a number of settings both playful and extremely elegant.

Hundreds, if not thousands of poinsettias in a variety of colors and forms decorated the show dome, along with swaths of color provided by coleus, cyclamen, amaryllis and many other holiday favorites. Botanical beauty was intertwined with classical and traditional holiday themes such as Christmas trees, a sleigh setting, decorative containers and urns, musical instruments and more.

A return visit to the domes is always a nostalgic trip, as memories of school field trips and family adventures re-emerge, a testament to the long-standing history of this landmark destination.

Plan a road trip to the Milwaukee “domes” this winter season and step into another world, if only for a few brief hours, as the heart of winter descends upon us here in Wisconsin.

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☐ Bank _____

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☐ Credit Union _____

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☐ Live Music _____

☐ Meat Market _____

☐ Night Spot _____

Best Outdoor Activities:

☐ Bait/Tackle Shop _____

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5 sound off at Menominee candidate forum



Menominee Tribal Legislature candidate Vincent Grignon answers a question about the good qualities of a leader as moderator Cedar Fernandez listens during Friday's candidate forum at Menominee Tribal School.

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Legislative hopefuls discuss alcohol, drugs, economy, leadership

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

(Editor's note: This is the first of two stories regarding an election forum for the Menominee Tribal Legislature.)

NEOPIT — Five candidates for the Menominee Tribal Legislature made their case for being elected Friday at Menominee Tribal School as they discussed alcohol and drug problems, the tribe's economic woes and what makes a good leader.

The forum was the second of two hosted by Menikanaehkem and the College of Menominee Nation Sustainability Development Institute, with local teens firing off the questions over a two-hour period. Although there were less than a dozen people attending in person, the forum was streamed live on

Facebook in the hope of getting more attention from tribal voters.

"There are less and less, it seems," said Guy Reiter, Menikanaehkem executive director. "We've been doing this for four years, and it seems less and less people are concerned about where we're going as a tribe."

Alcohol and drug abuse

The topic of alcohol and drug abuse by those living on the reservation dominated several questions, and solutions ranged from having more positive alternatives for young people to having more opportunities and services for adults who become addicted. A common thread, however, was finding a way to get Menominee people back to their traditional heritage.

"We have to have alternative things, positive things, going on especially on our weekend nights," said Ron Corn Sr., an incumbent and administrator for the Woodland Boys and Girls Club. "We also need to invest more into our language and our culture. They're our biggest tools — I'll call them pills — that we have as a people to battle against those issues."

To tackle the drug problem is a matter of addressing health, according to challenger Gena Kakkak.

"There's a lot of healing that needs to take place," Kakkak said. "There are a lot of grassroots groups in our community looking to change things, and as a legislator, I'd enhance the programs we have and the resources we have to focus on healing."

Investing in youth and their mental health is a key factor in curbing drug and alcohol addiction, said challenger Karl Peters.

"They need to not just know, but believe that anything is possible and anything can be accomplished," Peters said. "It's all about being healthy and taking care of yourself."

Challenger Ron Waukau Sr. noted the tribe has the Maehnowesekiyah Wellness Center, but there needs to be more options.

"There are more things than there have been in the past," he said.

Challenger Vincent Grignon Jr. noted that a lot of the alcohol and drug abuse among teens takes place at night, so providing other outlets at later times might help combat the issue. He claimed some instances of underage drinking and drugs results

from boredom.

“We should look at building other things up here, whether it’s a small bowling alley or someplace for people to hang out,” Grignon said. “Also, video games. If we can get some type of family center, maybe there could be a place where they could play video games.”

Tribal economy

To accomplish any legislative programs, however, requires income for the government, and businesses on the reservation are very few. For some running for the legislature, more needs to be done.

“Our mill is failing, and our casino is not long behind it,” Peters said. “I think we need to invest in more business opportunities in order to create jobs and become a more powerful, financially stable economy. There’s a reason we’re the most impoverished county in Wisconsin.”

It also requires people living in the community to spend money on the businesses. Currently, the tribe has more than 9,000 members, but less than half live on the reservation, about 4,300 according to the 2010 Census figures.

“I think we need to have more training in schools,” Waukau said. “Starting in grade school or younger, we should make it easier for them to see what jobs are available.”

Grignon, using baseball terminology, suggested creating local businesses on the reservations for their “hits” instead of trying to score a “home run” with reviving the Kenosha casino project.

“We need to invest more in our youth,” he said. “Maybe we can help with prepping them for college and paying for college. That would help a lot.”

Kakkak noted there are youth summer job programs with the tribe, but she suggested a year-round program might encourage the young people to stay on the reservation or return once they’ve achieved their higher education.

“Being able to have that job is going to be able to help with their self-esteem and better themselves,” Kakkak said. “If we can work toward making our Menominee people employable and keeping them employed ... we can help.”

Corn suggested using the alcohol issue to combat the economic issue. He recommended an alcohol tax and using the money generated from it to provide employment assistance, noting an existing tobacco tax is used to fund tribal youth programs.



Incumbent Ron Corn Sr. talks about his qualifications for office with the Menominee Tribal Legislature as challenger Gena Kakkak listens during Friday's candidate forum at Menominee Tribal School.

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Menominee Tribal Legislature candidate Karl Peters, right, talks about what needs to be done to address teen alcohol and drug abuse as fellow candidate Ron Waukau Sr. listens during Friday's candidate forum at Menominee Tribal School.

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“If our youth are involved in positive programs and have positive opportunities, they’re less likely to be involved in those negative behaviors,” Corn said.

Improving leadership

The candidates were asked what the qualities of good leadership were, and the answers were varied.

For Kakkak, leaders on the legislature need to be accountable.

“A leader is leading in a positive way,” she said. “As a leader, I would like to go back to our cultural teachings. What am I going to leave

behind for the next generations that are coming?”

A leader needs to provide, protect and be open-minded, in Peters’ view.

“The way I view a leader is the way I coach, the way I’m a teacher to my kids about being respectful,” Peters said. “We need to do that to come up with the best decisions possible.”

Trusting subordinates to do their jobs with micromanaging is necessary for legislators to be good leaders, in Waukau’s view.

“I’ve always felt you should lead the way you want to be led,” Wau-

kau said.

Being a leader means helping others learn how to lead, according to Grignon.

“A leader will do and not just delegate,” Grignon said.

Corn, who is finishing his first term on the legislature, feels leaders need to have the ability to listen to, not just hear, their constituents.

“We need to address concerns in a good way that makes them feel like they’re a part of the solution and not just a part of the problem,” Corn said. “You create an environment where people are comfortable.”

PUBLIC RECORD

SHAWANO POLICE DEPARTMENT

Jan. 5

Police logged 11 incidents, including the following:

Suspicious — A suspicious person was reported in the 700 block of West Richmond Street.

Reckless Driving — Police responded to a reckless driving complaint in the 1200 block of East Green Bay Street.

Jan. 4

Police logged 12 incidents, including the following:

Theft — A storage unit was reported broken into in the 1000 block of Waukechon Street.

Assault — An assault that took place in the 800 block of East Richmond Street was reported at ThedaCare Medical Center, 100 County Road B.

Hit and Run — Police investigated a property damage hit-and-run in the 700 block of South Lincoln Street.

Jan. 3

Police logged 30 incidents, including the following:

OAR — A 52-year-old man was cited for operating after revocation in the 200 block of East Division Street.

Juvenile — Police responded to juvenile problems at Franklin Park, 235 S. Washington St., and at the Recreation Center, 220 E. Division St.

Theft — Luigi's, 607 S. Main St., reported a party left after eating without paying.

Jan. 2

Police logged 35 incidents, including the following:

Accidents — Police responded to a two-vehicle property damage accident at Waukechon and Richmond streets and another property damage accident in the 900 block of East Green Bay Street.

Juvenile — Police responded to juvenile problems at Olga Brener Intermediate School, 1300 S. Union St., and in the 500 block of North Lafayette Street.

Truancy — Police logged four truancy complaints from Shawano Community Middle School, 1050 S. Union St.

Jan. 1

Police logged 19 incidents, including the following:

Disturbances — Police responded to disturbances in the 700 block of South Lincoln Street, at Walmart, 1244 E. Green Bay St., and at ThedaCare Medical Center, 100 County Road B.

Juvenile — Police responded to a juvenile problem in the 600 block of South Lincoln Street.

Fire — Police assisted the Shawano Area Fire Department at a house fire in the 1300 block of South Evergreen Street.

Dec. 31

Police logged 24 incidents, including the following:

Disturbance — Police responded to a disturbance in the 800 block of East Richmond Street.

Fraud — Police investigated an identity theft complaint in the 400 block of Fairview Way and a forgery complaint in the 100 block of South Bartlett Street.

Auto Theft — A vehicle was reported stolen at Walmart, 1244 E. Green Bay St.

Hit and Run — Police investigated a property damage hit-and-run at Lafayette and Picnic streets.

Harassment — Harassment was reported in the 100 block of North Bartlett Street.

Dec. 30

Police logged 15 incidents, including the following:

Accidents — Police responded to two separate two-vehicle property damage accidents, both at Green Bay and Lincoln streets.

Dec. 29

Police logged 15 incidents, including the following:

Intoxicated Person — Police responded to an intoxicated person complaint at Walmart, 1244 E. Green Bay St.

Disturbances — Police responded to a disturbance in the 700 block of South Franklin Street and a domestic disturbance in the 500 block of South Union Street.

Accident — Police responded to a two-vehicle property damage accident in the 900 block of South River Street.

SHAWANO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Jan. 5

Deputies logged 23 incidents, including the following:

Sex Offense — A sex offense was under investigation on Hemlock Road in the town of Wittenberg.

Accidents — Authorities responded to injury accidents on state Highway 29 in the town of Seneca and U.S. Highway 45 in Aniwa.

Jan. 4

Deputies logged 42 incidents, including the following:

Disturbances — Authorities responded to a disturbance on Elm Street in Birnamwood and a domestic disturbance on Paradise Lane in the town of Hartland.

Hit and Run — Authorities investigated a property damage hit-and-run on state Highway 156 in the town of Navarino.

Fraud — Authorities investigated a fraud complaint on Opperman Way in the town of Richmond.

Accidents — Authorities responded to an injury accident on state Highway 29 in the town of Hartland and logged nine other accidents.

Jan. 3

Deputies logged 49 incidents,

including the following:

Fraud — Wittenberg R Store, W17256 Red Oak Lane in the town of Wittenberg, reported a counterfeit \$20 bill.

OWI — A 44-year-old woman was arrested for operating while intoxicated on County Road R in the town of Washington.

Warrants — A 44-year-old man was arrested on a warrant after a traffic stop on state Highway 47-55 in the town of Wescott. A 39-year-old woman was arrested on a warrant after a traffic stop on state Highway 47-55 in the town of Wescott.

OAR — A 54-year-old man was cited for operating after revocation after a traffic stop on state Highway 47-55 in the town of Wescott.

Theft — Tools were reported stolen on County Road S in the town of Maple Grove.

Burglary — A burglary to storage units was reported on state Highway 47-55 in the town of Wescott.

Accident — Authorities responded to an injury accident on County Road N in the town of Almon.

Jan. 2

Deputies logged 42 incidents, including the following:

Disturbance — Authorities responded to disturbances on Park Avenue in the town of Wescott and Upper Red Lake Road in the town of Red Springs.

Child Abuse — Authorities investigated a child abuse complaint in the town of Grant.

Juvenile — Authorities responded to a juvenile problem at Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B in Shawano.

Drug Offense — Authorities investigated a drug complaint on U.S. Highway 45 in the town of Grant.

Jan. 1

Deputies logged 42 incidents, including the following:

Disturbances — Authorities responded to disturbances on County Road MM in the town of Richmond, Forest Haven Road in the town of Richmond and Church Road in the town of Morris.

Theft — Money was reported stolen from a cash box on U.S. Highway 45 in Birnamwood.

Dec. 31

Deputies logged 36 incidents, including the following:

Disturbance — A fight in progress was reported on North Main Street in Shawano. A disturbance was reported on state Highway 22 in the town of Green Valley.

Shoplifting — Kwik Trip, 102 W. Express Way in Bonduel, reported a shoplifting incident.

Theft — Authorities responded to a property theft complaint on state Highway 22 in the town of Belle Plaine.

Accident — Authorities responded to

an injury accident on state Highway 160 in the town of Maple Grove.

Dec. 30

Deputies logged 52 incidents, including the following:

Disturbance — A disturbance was reported at Oak Avenue Pub and Grill, W8903 Oak Ave., in the town of Richmond.

Fraud — Wittenberg R Store, W17256 Red Oak Lane in the town of Wittenberg, reported a counterfeit \$100 bill.

Accidents — Authorities logged 21 minor accidents.

Dec. 29

Deputies logged 38 incidents, including the following:

Disturbance — A fight in progress was reported on North Main Street in Shawano. Authorities responded to a domestic disturbance on South Union Street in Shawano.

Accidents — Authorities logged nine accidents, including two deer-related crashes.

CLINTONVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Jan. 5

Police logged 10 incidents, including the following:

Burglary — A burglary was reported on Brent Street.

Warrant — A 29-year-old Clintonville woman was taken into custody on a warrant through Outagamie County after a traffic stop on West Madison Street.

Jan. 2

Police logged 12 incidents, including the following:

Theft — A theft was reported on 11th Street.

Accident — A property damage accident was reported on Bennett Street.

Jan. 1

Police logged four incidents, including the following:

Drug Offense — A 40-year-old Marion woman was arrested following a traffic stop on South Main Street for possession of methamphetamines and obstructing.

Dec. 31

Police logged seven incidents, including the following:

Theft — A theft was reported on West Greentree Road.

Disturbance — A family disturbance was reported on Pearl Street.

Disorderly — A 60-year-old Clintonville man was arrested for disorderly conduct and misuse of 911 on West 14th Street.

Dec. 30

Police logged nine incidents, including the following:

Accidents — One-vehicle accidents were reported on East Madison Street, at Main and First streets and on Anne Street.

Disturbance — A family disturbance was reported on Ninth Street.

Blood drive marks new ThedaCare partnership

APPLETON — The Community Blood Center has expanded its ThedaCare partnership to include ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano and is the sole supplier of blood products transfused to local patients at the hospital.

To mark this new partnership, a blood drive will be held from 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday. Community

members are urged to sign up to donate blood by calling 800-280-4102 or visiting www.communityblood.org.

"We have had a long-standing partnership with ThedaCare, and this relationship has always been predicated on serving patients in need," says John Hagins, president and CEO of The Community Blood Center. "Extending our partnership to include Shawano further supports our mission and com-

mitment to the local community."

The Community Blood Center hosts more than 100 mobile blood drives monthly, in addition to donor centers in Appleton, Oshkosh, Little Chute and Woodruff.

"There is no substitute for human blood," Hagins explains. "We rely on volunteer blood donors and blood drive sponsors to provide the support necessary for a strong and stable blood

supply. We are honored to partner with ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano to do just that."

"We are excited to welcome The Community Blood Center to our campus," said Julie Chikowski, vice president of Critical Access Hospitals and ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano. "We are grateful for lifesaving resources provided by CBC for the Shawano community."

Sacred Heart event to raise funds for cancer families

SHAWANO — Sacred Heart Catholic School will hold its third annual Hoopin' for Hope "Pink Out" cancer awareness event Saturday, Jan. 11 benefiting Peace and Love for Alex, Inc., a Wisconsin nonprofit.

Doors open at 8 a.m.; basketball

games among local Christian schools will kick off at 8:30 a.m.

The event will also feature numerous bucket raffles, 50/50 drawings, concessions and refreshments, said Scott Marohl, event organizer and Sacred Heart middle school teacher and athletics director. A recognition of

cancer survivors, victims and fighters will be held at 12:30 p.m.

Past "Pink Out" events have raised nearly \$8,000 for Peace and Love for Alex, which was founded in 2013 by Mary Brennan in honor of her late son. To date, the nonprofit has provided financial support of more than \$80,000 to families who are fighting cancer diagnoses. All funds raised Saturday will stay in our area.

For information on the fundraiser or to make a donation, call 715-526-5328.

Snowshoe hike planned

Shawano Pathways plans to host a guided snowshoe hike at 1:15 p.m. on Jan. 11 at the Kroenke Lake State Natural Area.

A parking lot is available on Beech Road. The site is eight miles northwest of downtown Shawano on Beech Road, just north of Butternut Road. There are no restroom facilities at the site. No experience is necessary to go

on the hike, but hikers should bring snowshoes. Anyone who would like to attend but does not have snowshoes should specify at registration so the club can find some to use.

After the hike, there will be hot chocolate, snacks and a history discussion at the home of Sally and Mike Kroenke. The event is free, but participants should register by Jan. 10 by contacting Mike at 715-851-5233 or wildalaskamike@hotmail.com.

Full Time Parks & Recreation Position

The City of Shawano Parks and Recreation Department is seeking applications for a full time Aquatics Coordinator. This person will be responsible for operations of the community pool and activity-based programming at the Shawano Recreation Center. The complete job description as well as information regarding the application process can be found online at www.cityofshawano.com, or by stopping in at City Hall 127 S. Sawyer St. or at the Recreation Center 220 E. Division St. The starting salary will be \$18.00-\$18.27/hour with potential increase up to \$19.98/hour upon completion of the probationary period and training. This position also provides an excellent fringe benefits package. Applications are due to Shawano City Hall by noon on Friday January 10, 2020

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PUBLIC WORKS OPERATOR-TRUCK DRIVER POSITION

The City of Shawano is looking to fill a full-time position for Public Works Operator – Truck Driver. Standard working hours are Monday through Friday from 7 AM to 3 PM. Applicants must be available for overtime and on-call. The position offers wage of \$20.22 - \$23.79 per hour, depending upon qualifications, plus benefits.

A full job description and application form are available on the City website at www.cityofshawano.com or by stopping in at City Hall.

All applications must be received at the address below by Friday, January 10, 2020 by 12:00 pm (noon) for consideration.

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IRS Job# 16961

You are hereby invited to bid on a roofing replacement project utilizing EPDM single-ply roofing and metal roofing on an educational building, approximately 1 story in height. The project encompasses approximately 43,000 square feet. The Work is to be started in June 2020, and shall be completed by the dates listed in the Summary of Work, Section 01010, within the project documents.

There will be a **mandatory pre-bid meeting** held for the purpose of reviewing the job-site conditions, the specifications, and other pertinent information regarding the roofing replacement project as follows:

Pre-bid meeting: Tuesday, January 21, 2020 at 11:00 am
Menominee Indian Middle School
N3455 State Highway 47
Neopit, Wisconsin

Bid due date/opening: Tuesday, February 4, 2020 at 2:00 pm
Menominee Indian School District
N522 State Highway 47-55 (PO Box 1330)
Keshena, Wisconsin 54135

Sealed bids for this project will be received by Menominee Indian School District, before the date and time indicated above, at which time they will be opened publicly. Bids shall be on a lump-sum basis; unit pricing and a time & material (T&M) rate shall be submitted for the repair of latent defects.

Qualified bidders will be provided access to the Bidding Documents via the Consultant's Website, at no charge. Please call Industrial Roofing Services at (800) 236-3477 to request access to the Bidding Documents.

The Owner reserves the right to waive informalities in the bidding and to reject any and all proposals, parts of any and all proposals or to waive technical errors or omissions in submitted proposals. No submitted bid may be withdrawn until a period of sixty (60) days after the bid opening date, without written consent of the Owner.

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SPORTS

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Gresham girls outlast Bowler in CWC-North clash

Four Wildcats score 10 or more points

By **MORGAN RODE**
Sports Editor

GRESHAM — For the third time in a little over two weeks, the Bowler and Gresham girls basketball teams squared off Saturday.

The Central Wisconsin Conference-North Division battle featured 73 free-throw attempts and five players fouling out. In the end, it was Gresham's better shooting from outside and from the free-throw line that paved the way to their 72-55 victory.

The win helped Gresham take the season series two games to one. The Wildcats won the first conference matchup Dec. 19 before Bowler won the Gresham Tournament clash Dec. 27.

"We've been talking about shooting free throws for the last two, three, four games because we knew this could happen," said Gresham coach Newell Haffner, who said Saturday's win was similar to the team's Dec. 19 win at Bowler.

"Hannah (Cerveney) made a bunch of free throws tonight to help us separate, and then Kaylee Bohm hit her free throws, and then it kind of just grew from there. The confidence started to grow. I'm still not happy about the way it ended, but we won ugly. After playing them three times in two weeks, one ugly one is OK."

It was a back-and-forth battle in the first half. Gresham was able to create a bit of separation near the end of the half, going on a 10-4 run to grab a 32-24 halftime lead.

Gresham knocked down five 3-pointers in the opening half, with juniors Makayla Belongia and Destiny Reindl hitting triples during the late first-half run. Sophomore Valarie Cerveney and Belongia each hit two 3s in the half.

After going scoreless for about the first 10 minutes of the half, sophomore Hannah Cerveney scored seven points in less than two minutes. She knocked down a couple



Gresham's Hannah Cerveney, left, races down the court while being defended by Bowler's Kayla Pecore during a CWC-North battle on Saturday in Gresham.

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mid-range jumpers and finished the half with nine points.

Gresham continued to extend its lead at the start of the second half, with Reindl hitting another triple and Hannah Cerveney, junior Bohm and Valarie Cerveney also chipping in. The Wildcats' seventh and final 3-pointer was also hit by Reindl, which pushed the hosts' lead to 45-29 with 11:20 to play.

The Wildcats built the lead up to 17 points at several occasions in the half before the visiting Panthers made one final push.

Senior Kayla Pecore led the

comeback attempt for Bowler, scoring eight points in just over three minutes to help trim the deficit to 11 points, at 59-48, with 3:50 to play.

There were only two field goals made the rest of the game — a bucket by Pecore and one for Bowler senior Brooke Thiex.

The teams combined for 31 free-throw attempts over that stretch. Gresham was able to seal its win from the line, making 13-of-18 attempts, while Bowler only hit three of its 13 attempts.

For the game, Gresham attempted one less free throw (36) than

Bowler (37), but the Wildcats hit 25 of them to the Panthers' 14.

"It's always fun to play Gresham because we know each other so well. But it just so happened that the shots weren't falling for us, and they were falling for Gresham," said Bowler coach Tonia Pagryzinski, who was proud of her team's fight until the final buzzer sounded. "We didn't do very great on our free throws tonight; that kind of killed us, too. It was just a tough game."

Hannah Cerveney finished off a 22-point evening by hitting seven free throws down the stretch for

the hosts.

Valarie Cerveney tallied seven second-half points to finish with 17 for the contest. Reindl converted seven free throws in a 16-point performance, while Belongia had 10 points.

Valarie Cerveney was also credited with 11 rebounds, seven assists and five steals, while Bohm and freshman Chloe Bohl pulled down seven boards each. Belongia dished out six assists, Hannah Cerveney totaled five rebounds and three assists and Reindl had four steals.

“This one really boosts our confidence, and I think we’ll be able to have a great end to the season,” said Hannah Cerveney.

Pecore finished with a team-leading 24 points for Bowler, hitting the team’s only 3-pointer and making eight of the team’s 20 field

goals on the night.

Thiex and senior Alyssa Strassburg each added eight points, while junior Tynea Johnson chipped in seven points.

“Even though we got down, we kept pushing and pushing and not wanting to give up, and it just shows our love for the game,” said Pecore on the team’s ability to keep playing hard despite facing long odds to come back.

Bowler 24 31 — 55

Gresham 32 40 — 72

Gresham (72): Makayla Belongia 2-3 10, Kaylee Bohm 5-8 5, Hannah Cerveney 8-10 22, Destiny Reindl 7-9 16, Alexandria Vele 0-0 2, Valarie Cerveney 3-6 17.

Bowler (55): Tynea Johnson 1-6 7, Liani Coon 2-2 4, Brooke Thiex 0-4 8, Ireland DeRoos 2-6 4, Alyssa Strassburg 4-4 8, Kayla Pecore 5-15 24.

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Bowler’s Brooke Thiex, right, puts up a shot while Gresham’s Valarie Cerveney tries to block it during a CWC-North matchup on Saturday in Gresham.

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Gresham’s Destiny Reindl prepares to shoot a 3-pointer during a CWC-North clash against Bowler on Saturday in Gresham.

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HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

WRESTLING

Shawano takes third at invitational

Four Shawano wrestlers won their weight classes to help the team to a third-place finish at the Omro Invitational on Saturday.

Ben Carroll (152), Andrew Popp (170), Keith Tourtillott (220) and Nick Kohn (285) earned the first-place individual finishes. Kohn and Popp each went 5-0 on the day, while Tourtillott and Carroll went 4-0 after receiving opening-round byes.

“Ben continues to wrestle at a high level,” said Shawano coach Michael Homan. “Andrew has done a really good job of getting better each week; he is wrestling much better than in the beginning of the season. We look for him to continue that the rest of the way. Keith and Nick both continue to do really good things on the mat. They are

two of the most consistent wrestlers on our roster.”

Wyatt Brandt (126) placed second for the Hawks, while Noah Jones (138) and Carter Schmidt (145) each came in third.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Wittenberg-Birnamwood 89

Abbotsford 19

Wittenberg-Birnamwood dominated Abbotsford from start to finish in a nonconference matchup Friday in Wittenberg. The Chargers led 62-7 at halftime and converted 34 free throws in the game.

Emma Herb finished with 24 points and seven rebounds to lead Witt-Birn. Abi Fraaza added 17 points and four assists, while Olivia Curley had 16 points, three steals and five assists.

Kaylee Schram posted 10 points and five rebounds for the Chargers. Amara Schoepke grabbed five boards and chipped in eight points, while Reese Rogowski contributed

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seven points, six assists and four steals.

“Coming off a long break, it was nice to get back into action,” said Witt-Birn coach Nick Mechelke. “We played a nice team game to-night, and we shared the ball well. I was very pleased how we played defense tonight. We needed to play well to get ready for Amherst on Tuesday.”

Bonduel 48

Peshtigo 26

Bonduel pulled away in the second half for a nonconference road win over Peshtigo on Thursday.

Kara Troxel scored 22 points and registered four steals for Bonduel. Allaina Robaidek had 12 points and six steals, while Kylie Hoffman totaled 10 rebounds and six points.

Bonduel outscored Peshtigo 25-9

in the second half.

“Our defensive effort was unbelievable,” said Bonduel coach Jerry Reinke. “We were able to score at the rim a little better in the second half.”

BOYS BASKETBALL

Clintonville 59

Bonduel 44

Clintonville built a 10-point halftime lead and went on to earn a nonconference win over Bonduel on Friday in Bonduel. The Truckers led 29-19 at the break.

Aiden Polzin hit five 3-pointers and scored 27 points to lead Clintonville on the court. Cameron Mauel added 12 points, while Cole Rosenow and Nathan Morse chipped in six each.

Cole Letter scored 19 points to pace Bonduel. Noah Beilfuss was the only other Bear with more than five points, recording six on a pair of triples.

RECREATION SCOREBOARD

BOWLING

Lakeshore Masters

Team	W	L
Golfside	95 1/2	16 1/2
Premier Insurance	74	38
Launching Pad	71 1/2	40 1/2
Farmall Fanatics	71 1/2	40 1/2
SLS Construction	65 1/2	46 1/2
Lakeshore Lanes	57	55
Full Service Tents	48	64
Dearco Distributors	44	68

Brother’s	43	69
Torborg	38 1/2	73 1/2
Pin Pricks	38 1/2	73 1/2
Shawano Auto Sales	25	87

High team game: Golfside 737, Dearco Distributors 710, Premier Insurance 709, Farmall Fanatics 700.

High individual game: Mark Cornish 279, Dave Druckrey 279, Bryant Rankin 279, Brad Weisnicht 269, Ed Brusky 257, Landon Braatz 256, Carl Malueg 249, Dave Hackbarth 246, Mike Cavanaugh 246, George Fields 246.

High team series: Golfside 2,123, Farmall Fanatics 2,004, Premier Insurance 1,991, Lakeshore Lanes 1,906.

High individual series: Mark Cornish 783, Brad Weisnicht 773, Bryant Rankin 736, Ed Brusky 720, Carl Malueg 703, Landon Braatz 692, Scott Nelson 689, George Fields 676, Dave Hackbarth 671, Don Pedersen 669.

Tuesday Afternoon Ladies

Team	W	L
Lisa’s Floral	6	2
Boettcher Tax Service	6	2
Auto Gals	6	2

Mike’s Girls	5	3
Mike’s Plumbing	5	3
Spinning Wheel	3	5
Lake Drive Solutions	3	5
Lakeshore Lanes	3	5
Lee’s Gas	3	5

High individual game: Stephanie Harkey 214, Genia Cornish 210, Darlene Boettcher 186, Cheryl Pruetz 175. High individual series: Genia Cornish 512, Stephanie Harkey 492.

ATHLETE PROFILE: SIMON STEWART

Witt-Birn senior finding scoring touch on basketball court

WITTENBERG — The Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School boys basketball team will try to keep the momentum it built up near the holidays during the next couple months on the court. Senior Simon Stewart figures to play a big role in continuing that success.

Stewart, who is averaging about six points per game, scored 13 points in a loss to Northland Pines on Dec. 31 and 12 more against Menominee Indian on Thursday in the team's last two games.

The big man also makes a huge impact on the defensive side of the floor, pulling down about six rebounds and blocking more than one shot per game.

"Simon continues to improve his overall game every night he steps on the floor," said Witt-Birn coach Garrett Rogowski. "He is an excellent passer who sees the floor very well. From a defensive standpoint, he is often asked to stop teams' best scorers both inside and on the perimeter. We are a better team every possession we play through him."

Q: When did your interest in basketball begin?

A: My interest in basketball started in second grade when the third grade coach asked me to play with them because they didn't have enough guys. I wrestled the year before and I was really bad at it, so I'm glad the coach asked me to play.

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

A: My favorite part about the basketball season is either the first game of the year because I'm all excited to start playing games and see how good we are or all the home games because it's fun to play in front of your own town.

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



Wittenberg-Birnamwood's Simon Stewart, right, looks to make a move in the post in a CWC-East game against Amherst in 2018. Stewart plays center and is often asked to defend the top scorers from the opposing teams.

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A: As a senior, I want to just be someone that my teammates can rely on. If it's to score on offense or guard a good player on defense, I want to be a player that my teammates can rely on.

Q: What has basketball done for you?

A: Basketball has given me many friendships over the years and has taught me how to be a team player.

Q: What areas of the game does the team need to improve in as the season continues on?

A: We need to continue limiting turnovers and keep working on playing together on both offense

and defense.

Q: What's your favorite memory of competing on the Wittenberg-Birnamwood boys basketball team?

A: My favorite memory was my junior year — for senior night, we came back against Bonduel when we were down by 11 with two minutes to go. We ended up losing the game on a buzzer beater, though.

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

A: I'm going to miss everything about high school sports. The bus rides, the games, the practices, my teammates and coaches and play-

AT A GLANCE

ATHLETE: Simon Stewart

SPORT: Boys basketball

POSITION: Center

SCHOOL: Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School

YEAR: Senior

ing in front of my community. I'm really going to miss it all.

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 when not in school or competing in sports is to relax or play my brothers (Jack and Johnny) in a game of Madden or (NBA) 2K on the Xbox.

Q: Favorite movie, TV show and musical artist?

A: My favorite movie would be either "Major League" or "When the Game Stands Tall." My favorite TV show is "Criminal Minds," and I don't have a favorite musical artist, but any country singer would do.

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

A: One thing that most people don't know is that I am pretty good at playing the piano.

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

A: The best piece of advice that I have ever received was from my uncle Howie (Wagner), and it was: "A man's got to do what a man's got to do."

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

A: After high school, I will be attending St. Norbert College in De Pere, where I'll be pursuing a degree in business administration and playing football. I also hope to visit every MLB stadium at some point in my life.

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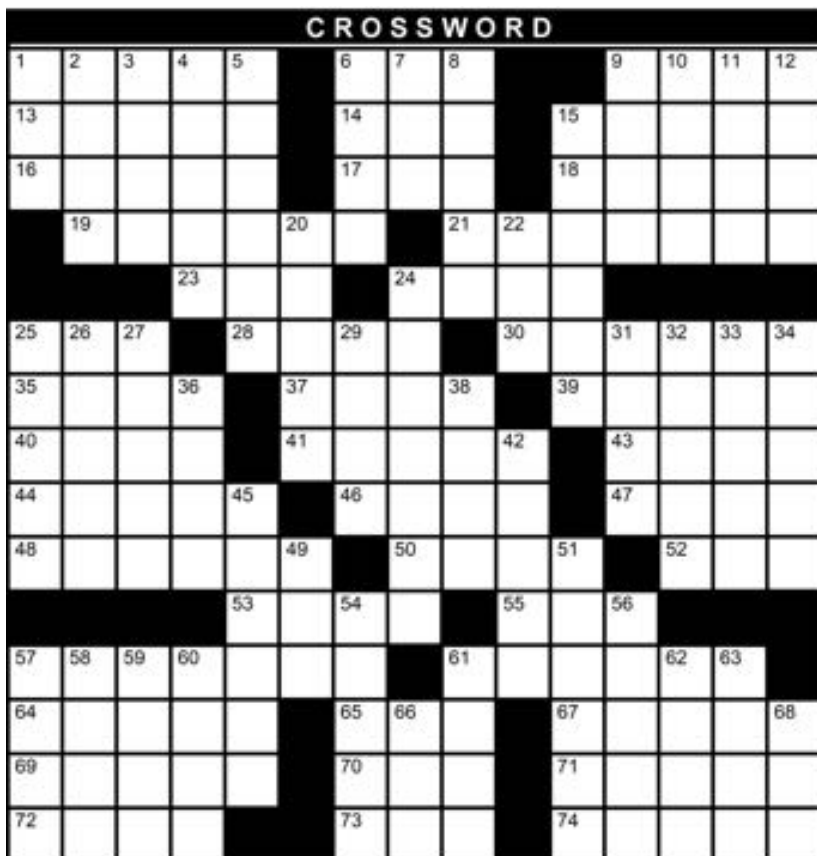
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One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

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THEME: MOVIE CHARACTERS

ACROSS

1. CuraÁao neighbor
6. Lungful
9. Not on a rolling stone
13. British unemployment checks
14. Schiller's famous poem, e.g.
15. "Will comply" in radio communication
16. Opposite of liability
17. Napoleon Bonaparte or Louis Vuitton, e.g.
18. Embedded design
19. *Teen with telescopic powers
21. *Adventurous professor with fear of snakes
23. *He played it in "Casablanca"
24. Sign of escape
25. Steampunk decoration
28. Thanksgiving tubers
30. Fear of flying, e.g.
35. Bun baker
37. "CliffsNotes," e.g.
39. Bound by oath
40. Nay, to a baby
41. Bread spreads
43. *She takes on PG&E
44. Sacrificial spot
46. Wedding promise?
47. Not yet final
48. Eats between meals
50. Blood-related problem
52. Ship pronoun
53. Diamond's corner
55. Be obliged
57. Name before X
61. *Orphan who wanted more gruel
64. Love between Abēlard and HēloÔse
65. Pitching stat
67. Nostrils, anatomically speaking
69. Pine
70. Fleur-de-_____
71. Novelist Wharton
72. *Adopted orphan of Green Gables
73. Auction set
74. Like a disreputable neighborhood

DOWN

1. Palindromic title
2. CISC alternative
3. *Female Superman foe alongside General Zod
4. Afrikaners' ancestors
5. Off course
6. First-rate
7. Nuptial agreement
8. Version of a song
9. Mr. Bean's ride
10. Paella pot
11. Diagnostic test
12. Bean that rhymes with Goya
15. Distance from side to side, pl.
20. Insect in adult stage
22. Tiny bite
24. Most vital part
25. *A barbarian
26. Convex molding
27. Ladies and _____, for short
29. *a.k.a. The Mayor of Castro Street
31. *Hutch actor in 2004's "Starsky & Hutch"
32. *Famous Frankenstein portrayer
33. Like Michael Collins
34. *One of Miss Hannigan's orphans
36. *Russell Crowe's Biblical role
38. _____ of the trade
42. Bar seat
45. Type of realistic baby doll
49. *Pizzeria owner in "Do the Right Thing"
51. Strings
54. Olfactory sensation
56. Avoid
57. Poet Angelou
58. Flock's affirmation
59. Bank's provision
60. Dry or salt
61. Brewer's kiln
62. Great Lake
63. Retired, shortened
66. Spanish river
68. Like a wallflower

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Witt-Birn boys pull away from Menominee Indian



Wittenberg-Birnamwood's Austin Gibson, center, drives to the basket while being defended by Menominee Indian's Tiger Dixon, left, Norman Kakwitsch, back, and Allen Smith, right, during Thursday's CWC-East clash in Wittenberg.

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Three Chargers score in double digits

By **MORGAN RODE**
Sports Editor

WITTENBERG — The Wittenberg-Birnamwood High School boys basketball took control of a back-and-forth Central Wisconsin Conference-East Division battle with Menominee Indian with an 11-0 second-half run and held on late for a 67-59 victory on Thursday.

Knotted at 44 with under eight

minutes to play, junior Austin Gibson converted the go-ahead bucket and sparked Witt-Birn's run.

Senior Simon Stewart converted a shot that forced a Menominee Indian timeout, but the Chargers kept the momentum. Senior Brendan Resch converted his fourth 3-pointer of the game before Stewart and sophomore Jack Fraaza made two throws each to complete the run and put the hosts up 55-44 with just over four minutes to play.

Over the stretch, Witt-Birn switched up its defense multiple times to keep Menominee Indian's fast-paced attack off rhythm.

"I think they (Menominee Indian) were getting comfortable and we needed to kind of take them out of rhythm. So, I think switching from man to zone kind of got them a little out of rhythm, forced them to take some rushed shots. We were able to capitalize on some mistakes, some bad passes out of the zone. Then, once we were ahead, I felt like we were a little more patient with the ball, we worked for good shots and finished around the rim," said Witt-Birn coach Garrett Rogowski.

Menominee Indian continued to battle until the final whistle,

cutting the deficit to four, 57-53, with 1:10 to play after a 3-pointer from senior Norman Kakwitsch and two free throws from junior Mason Frechette.

The Chargers were able to seal up their win from the free throw line, making 10 of their final 14 attempts.

Resch led a 3-point barrage for Witt-Birn in the opening half, which saw the teams trade runs. Of the host's 26 first-half points, 18 came from behind the 3-point arc — Resch hit three of the six triples and led the team with 21 points for the contest.

Senior Logan Balliett hit two first-half 3-pointers and finished with nine points, while Gibson hit the other 3.

It was Gibson and Resch that powered the hosts in the second half. Resch scored 12 points and hit seven free throws, while Gibson tallied 11 points and made five free throws.

Stewart scored 12 points while helping keep Menominee Indian off the offensive glass. Sophomore Ben Wesolowski contributed seven points.

Rogowski said the game was similar to many the team has played this season, with the score being tight in the latter part of the second half. He thinks the win could be big for the team moving forward as it was able to come out on the right side of the scoreboard after failing to do so in previous contests.

“We’re just trying to keep our hopes up. We know we’re capable of it, so we’re just trying to keep going and get the wins because we’re in all the games pretty much — except for one this year. So, we’re just trying to stay on the right track,” said Resch.

Despite coming up short at the final buzzer, Menominee Indian showed that it could rally from deficits multiple times in the contest.



Menominee Indian's Andre Corn, left, goes up for a shot while being defended by Wittenberg-Birnamwood's Jack Fraaza during Thursday's CWC-East clash in Wittenberg. MORGAN RODE | NEW MEDIA

The Eagles trailed 24-17 with under six minutes to play in the first half before going on a 7-2 run to end the half and go into halftime down just two.

When faced with the 11-point deficit in the second half, the Eagles

didn't hang their heads, stayed aggressive to get to the line and hit some clutch 3s to hang around.

“We were just fouling too much,” said Menominee Indian sophomore Andre Corn on what led to the 11-0 Witt-Birn run. “We

weren't hitting shots. We turned the ball over a couple times.”

Kakwitsch scored a team-high 20 points, 13 of which came in the second half. Sophomore Wendell Waukau and Corn each chipped in 10 points.

Waukau and Kakwitsch helped the team ease into the game, splitting the first 12 points. Corn scored all 10 of his points in the second half, including the team's first six points.

“If we lose a game and we're playing hard and we're just not hitting shots, I can live with that and sleep good at night,” said Menominee Indian coach James Oshkeshewoam. “Our guys played hard, we played defense and rebounded, so I'm going to walk away happy. We didn't shoot the best, so it's a tough loss but a good one because we played hard.”

Menominee Indian 24 35 — 59

Wittenberg-Birnamwood 26 41 — 67

Wittenberg-Birnamwood (67): Brendan Resch 7-10 21, Ben Wesolowski 1-2 7, Jack Fraaza 4-4 4, Logan Balliett 3-4 9, Simon Stewart 2-4, 12, Austin Gibson 5-11 14.

Menominee Indian (59): Tiger Dixon 0-0 3, Allen Smith 2-2 2, Menom Powless 0-0 6, Andre Corn 2-5 10, Mason Frechette 3-4 6, Wendell Waukau 2-3 10, Raymond Fish 0-2 2, Norman Kakwitsch 4-6 20.

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COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

Oakland City

Bowler High School graduate Reanne Kietlinski is off to a strong start to her sophomore season as a member of the Oakland City women's basketball team.

As of Friday, Kietlinski has started in all 13 of the team's games, averaging 29.4 minutes per game. Along with totaling 45 assists, 17 steals and five blocks, the Bowler grad is scoring 9.4 points and pulling down 3.4 rebounds per game. She's shooting 0.411% from the field and 0.833% on free throws.

Kietlinski has scored in every game, including five games with over 10

points. Her season high was 20 points in the team's season-opening loss to Campbellsville University.

Bemidji State

Wittenberg-Birnamwood graduate Taylor Nier appeared in two matches for the Bemidji State volleyball team this fall. She had four digs.

Nier, a junior, also made the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference All-Academic Team of Excellence (fall academic team).

UW-Stevens Point

Witt-Birn graduate Hannah Flak has been a fixture in the pool for the UW-Stevens Point women's swim

team this season.

At the Wheaton Invite on Dec. 6-7, Flak placed 27th in the 200-yard backstroke, 35th in the 100 backstroke and 36th in the 200 IM. She was also on three relay teams, the 200 freestyle (14th place), 200 medley (21st) and 400 freestyle (25th).

In a dual win over UW-Whitewater on Nov. 23, Flak came in fifth in the 200 backstroke and 10th in the 200 freestyle and was on the fifth-place finishing 200 freestyle relay team. In a loss to Northern Michigan on Nov. 9, Flak was sixth in the 200 backstroke and 10th in the 100 backstroke while helping form the 200 medley and 400 freestyle relay teams.

In a triangular against Minnesota State and Gustavus Adolphus on Nov. 2, the Witt-Birn grad came in 13th in the 100 backstroke, 16th in the 200 backstroke and 18th in the 200 IM. In a dual loss to UW-Eau Claire on Oct. 25, she was ninth in the 200 freestyle, 11th in the 100 backstroke and a member of the 200 medley relay.

Winona State

Witt-Birn graduate Maddy Pietz opened her sophomore season of track and field at Winona State competing in the Chuck Peterson Open in Mankato, Minn. on Dec. 7.

Pietz ran the 60 and 200 dashes, finishing 11th in both events.

Clintonville graduate helps out with ESPN3 playoff football broadcast

WHITEWATER — Sami Huggins, of Clintonville, worked with national sports channel ESPN3 during the Dec. 14 NCAA Division III semifinal championship football game at the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater. Huggins is a journalism and English

student at the university and helped broadcast the game from the school's Perkins Stadium.

UW-Whitewater came away with a 35-32 win against St. John's at the game, securing their first trip to the Stagg Bowl since 2014. They were

later defeated 41-14 by North Central College at Woodforest Bank Stadium in Shenandoah, Texas.

As an employee of UWW-TV, the college TV station, each student worked alongside industry professionals and served as a production

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January 1 & 8, 2019

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION

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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"

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 Carriveau 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, Cicla, 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, furniture, years of collectibles, household goods.

Reese Schultz Units H-27 & DS-40, Last Known address:
1634 Oak Street, Marinette WI. 54143. Items include tools,
furniture, 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 Tellel Unit F-03, Last Known address: 826-E Richmond
St, Shawano WI 54166. Items include Furniture, household
goods, cloths.

All outstanding balances must be paid in full before the
auction begins on Tuesday January 14, 2020. or units listed
will be sold to satisfy unpaid balances on unit accounts.

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January 1, 8, 15, 2020

STATE OF WISCONSIN

CIRCUIT COURT

MENOMINEE COUNTY

Summons

Case No. 2019CV000011

Plaintiff:

Nationstar Mortgage LLC Dd/b/a Mr. Cooper
8950 Cypress Waters Blvd.
Dallas, TX75019

-vs-

Defendant(s):

Linea Arthur

W1883 Broken Bow Road

Keshena, WI 54135

THE 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, W3269 Courthouse Lane, Keshena, WI
54135, and to Bass & Moglowsky, S.C., plaintiff's attorneys,
whose address is Bass & Moglowsky, 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
award of money or other legal action requested in the
Complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything
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money may become a lien against any real estate you own
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Dated: December 23, 2019.

Bass & Moglowsky, S.C.

Attorneys for Plaintiff

Steven W. Moglowsky

WI State Bay N. 1017104

501 West Northshore Drive

Suite 300

Milwaukee, WI 53217

Telephone: 414-228-6700

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January 1, 8, 15

State of Wisconsin

Circuit Court

Shawano County

Case No. 19CV227

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. Habeck

Place: Shawano County Courthouse Branch I

Date: January 24, 2020

Time: 3:00 PM

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January 08, 15, 22, 2020

STATE OF WISCONSIN

CIRCUIT COURT

SHAWANO COUNTY

Case No. 19 PR 99

Notice to Creditor (Informal Administration)

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:

Clyde O. Hoffman

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

1. An application for informal administration was
filed.

2. The decedent, with the birth November 28,
1928 and date of death July 16, 2018, was domiciled in
Shawano County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address
of W11222 County Road A, Gresham, WI 54128.

3. All interested persons waived notice.

4. The deadline for filing a claim against the
decedent's estate is April 06, 2020.

5. A claim may be filed at the Shawano County
Courthouse, Shawano, Wisconsin, Room Register in
Probate Office.

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Notice of Public Hearing

Planning, Development and Zoning Committee Meeting
Wednesday, January 15, 2020 @9:00 am
Shawano County Courthouse, Rooms A & B
211 N Main St., Shawano, WI
Members: Alan Beyer, Yvonne Evens, Robert Korth,
John Stosnek, Gary Thomaek

First Altercation: Bill Bowers, Thomas Tauler

1/1-20: Jay Boucher and Emily Yarnall request variance for 1) construction of a 36' x 40' attached garage to be 43 feet 6 inches (40' 6") from the centerline of Kaskaskia Road where 50 feet (50') is required, 2) construction of a 8' x 36' porch addition to be 28 feet 6 inches (25' 6") from the center line of Kaskaskia Road where 50 feet (50') is required and 40 feet 6 inches (40' 6") from the centerline of Wendt Road where 50 feet (50') is required pursuant to the Shawano County Zoning Ordinance 3-14 Table 3.2.03B. Property is located and described as the NW 1/4 of fractional NW 1/4, Section 4, T20N R10E. Tax parcel #014-0000-0000. Town of Fountains. Property address: W18000 Wendt Road.

1/1-20: Jim Oederich, agent for Tigrion Lumber Company and Cornet Creek Sanctuary, owners, request variance to construct a single family dwelling with an attached garage to be 650 feet (650') from the centerline of Kaskaskia Road where 503 feet (503') is the maximum distance permitted between principal residential structure and public road right-of-way centerline on property located in the OAR, Open Lands, Agriculture and Residential Zoning District pursuant to the Shawano County Zoning Ordinance 3-14, Section 3.2.01 (3) and Table 3.2.03A. Property is located and described as the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 25, T20N R11E. Tax parcel #000-25000-0000. Town of Germania. Currently vacant land.

1/1-20: Tim Vlasland, Wetland Associate Land Surveyors, agent for Rhonda Roth, Tangle Horn LLC, owner, request variance to construct a 10' 9 5/8" x 40' addition to be located within the vegetative buffer zone to be 20' from the Ordinary High Water Mark of Packard Creek where 75' is required, and also a 20' 7 1/4" x 27' 6" seating area addition to be 47' from the Ordinary High Water Mark of Packard Creek where 75' is required, all to an existing tavern. Property is located and described as part of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 23, T20N R11E, commencing at the Northeast corner of said quarter-quarter, thence westerly along the Section line 250.75 feet, thence angle 92.59° to the left, along the centerline of a town road, 390 feet, more or less to the waters edge of Packard Creek and the place of beginning, thence retraced the last described line, 360 feet, more or less, thence angle 87.02° to the left, 340 feet, more or less, to the waters edge of Packard Creek, and thence following said waters edge in a general southeasterly direction, to the place of beginning and part of vacated road described in document #708006. Tax parcel #010-33100-0010. Town of Sunnyside. Property address: W18220 Elend Road.

Any interested person may address the Board of Adjustment by letter or appear in person or by agent and be heard at the public hearing. Written correspondence must bear a legible signature or the author. The Board of Adjustment will be meeting after the public hearing to deliberate and take possible action on the following items:

1. Public hearing decisions
- 1.1 Discuss and take possible action on Variance 1-20
- 1.2 Discuss and take possible action on Variance 3-20
- 1.3 Discuss and take possible action on Variance 3-20
2. Discuss, review and take possible action on public hearing request 1/13-18, postponed from the December 12, 2019 meeting.
3. Approval of minutes from previous meeting.
- Approval of December 12, 2019 Board of Adjustment Meeting Minutes.
4. Board member comments or new business to be considered at a future meeting.
5. Correspondence.
6. Set next public hearing date.
7. Adjournment.

Accommodations due to disability can be made by calling: 715-526-6788

Meeting notice emailed/posted: Shawano County Courthouse, Department of Human Services, Shawano County Library (Shawano Leader, WTCN Radio, Shawano County Civic website @ cohawano.wi.com) web-site: wnaixlp

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#13171

January 8, 2020

STATE OF WISCONSIN

CIRCUIT COURT

MENOMONEE COUNTY

Case No. 19SC000009

SMALL CLAIMS

AARON/CO. SARGON

CREDIT ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION Plaintiff,

vs.

CASSANDRA COX Defendant

TC: CASSANDRA COX

N558 BURNETT LAKE PO BOX 744

KESHENA WI 54103

You are being sued by: CREDIT ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION in the Small Claims Court of MENOMONEE County, located at PO BOX 275440266 COURTHOUSE LAKE KESHENA WI 54103.

A hearing will be held at 1:00 PM on February 3, 2020 at the Shawano County Courthouse located at 211 N. Main St. Shawano, WI 54155. If you do not appear, a judgment may be given for 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 18, 2019

KCHN LAW FIRM S.C.

ELECTRONICALLY SIGNED BY:

JASON D. HERRMANN

Plaintiff's Attorney

State Bar No. 1049546

705 N. Water St., Suite 1000

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STATE OF MINNESOTA

CARLTON COUNTY

DISTRICT COURT

Notice of Hearing by Publication

(Minn. Stat. §16B.01, subd. 6)

Judicial District Sixth

Court File Number: 09-FA-19-2404

Case Type: Domestic Abuse

In the Matter of:

Samantha Northrup

Petitioner

Vs.

Tyronne Joseph Mohr

Respondent

Re: Respondent named above:

An order has been issued directing you to appear at 301 Walnut Ave. Carlton, MN 56218 on January 16, 2020 at 10:15 A.M. and explain why the relief sought in the Petition for the Order for Protection should not be granted.

You may obtain a copy of the Petition and any order issued from the court from the Carlton County Court Administrator's Office.

If you do not appear at the scheduled hearing, the Petitioner's request may be granted as a default matter. Failure to appear will not be a defense to prosecution for violation of the County Order.

Dated: January 5, 2020

Sharon Senne

Court Administrator / Deputy

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#13200

Notice of Public Hearing

Planning, Development and Zoning Committee Meeting
Wednesday, January 15, 2020 @9:00 am
Shawano County Courthouse, Rooms A & B
Members: Ken Capella, Marvin Corbelli, Steven Guthrie,
Gene Hoppe, Thomas Kautz

01/1-20: Allen R. La Brosse request conditional use permit for filling and grading in excess of 1,000 square feet on slopes of 12% - 20% (18%) of an area that is within 300 feet of the Ordinary High Water Mark of the Oconto River pursuant to the Shawano County Shoreland-Wetland Zoning Ordinance No. 3-16, Section 3.21(2) for the purpose of raising an existing single family dwelling and also for the future construction of a new single family dwelling. The property is located and described as the South 53.5 feet of Lot Three (3), Block Two (2) according to the recorded Plat of the Village of Pucoder, and commencing at the northeast corner of Lot Four (4), Block Two (2) thence southeasterly on lot line 132 feet, thence southeasterly 30 feet parallel with the State Road 22, thence southeasterly parallel with the lot line 102 feet to intersect with lot line on State Road 22, thence southeasterly along lot line to place of beginning, all located in Section Six (6), T27N R18E. Tax parcel #020-70000-0170. Town of Green Valley. Property address:

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#00000 State 22 Highway

01/1-20: Lee Lanning, James J. Calmes & Sons, Inc., agent for Camp Takasatha Retreat & Conference Center Inc., owner, request conditional use permit for filling and grading in excess of 1,000 square feet on slopes of less than 12% of an area that is within 300 feet of the Ordinary High Water Mark of Union Lake pursuant to the Shawano County Shoreland-Wetland Zoning Ordinance No. 3-16, Section 3.21 (3) for the purpose of constructing a 51' x 51' 4" meeting room and washroom addition along with a 20' x 10' mechanical room with outdoor shower area to an already existing structure. The property is located and described as Government Lot B except the Plat of Shady Rest Inn and except the road and Zonal Trailer Court (Shawano County for complete descriptions, Section 12, T27N R18E. Tax parcel #046-12000-0000. Town of Plescott. Property address: W8248 Lake Drive.

01/1-20: Jason Johnson, Outagamie Clean Energy Partners, agent for Green Valley Dairy LLC, owner, request conditional use permit for filling and grading in excess of 2,000 square feet on slopes of less than 12% of an area that is within 300 feet of the Ordinary High Water Mark of an unnamed creek pursuant to the Shawano County Shoreland-Wetland Zoning Ordinance No. 3-16, Section 3.21(3) for the purpose of constructing a 60' x 70' building for storing and shipping of gas produced by two-digesters located on the farm. Property is located and described as the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Section 27, T27N R18E except Highway described in document #000000 and including the North 100' of the NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 24, T27N R18E. Tax parcel #000-21440-0010. Town of Green Valley. Property address: N5065 Hinds Road.

01/1-20: Barry R. Kaufman request conditional use permit for filling and grading in excess of 2,000 square feet on slopes of less than 12% of an area that is within 300 feet of the Ordinary High Water Mark of the North Branch of the Pigeon River pursuant to the Shawano County Shoreland-Wetland Ordinance No. 3-16, Section 3.21 (3) for the purpose of constructing a 60' x 60' storage shed. The property is located and described as the NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 25, T28N R18E. Tax parcel #014-20110-0000. Town of Fountains. Property address: W14001 105-40 Highway. 2/1-20: Gerard Rohan, agent for Maranatha Baptist Church, and Matt Ruch-Holstern LLC, owner, request zone change from FF: Farmland and Forest Preservation Zoning District to OAR, Open Land, Agriculture and Residential Zoning District on approximately 8 acres of land obtained from parcel #004-20410-0000, which will then be combined with parcel #004-20410-0000 for the purpose of expanding or rebuilding the existing church. The property is located and described as that part of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4, Section 26, T28N R18E, commencing at the East 1/4 corner of the said Section (3); thence N65/50°30'W along the 1/4 section line 131.97 feet to the (one-sixteenth corner, thence S00/04°12'W along the one-sixteenth line 33.34 feet to a found 1" iron pipe at the intersection with the south line the 57th 116° and the place of beginning, thence S05/54°12'W continuing along the line 483.88 feet to a found 3/8" iron rod, thence N65/54°17'E 495.32 feet, thence N05/04°12'E 440.71 feet to the intersection with the south line of 57th 116°, thence S65/04°12'W along the said south line 495.32 feet to the place of beginning. Town of Nazareth. Vacant land.

01/1-20: Gary Johnson, agent for Forest L. and Joyce Ziemer, owners, request conditional use permit for filling and grading of more than 1,000 square feet on slopes of 12% - 20% of an area within 300 feet of the Ordinary High Water Mark of the Red River pursuant to the Shawano County Shoreland-Wetland Ordinance No. 3-16, Section 3.21 (2) for the purpose of constructing a detached garage. The property is located and described as the NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 lying east of river, Section 17, T27N R18E. Tax parcel #06-1710-0000. Town of Richmond. Property address: W8085 Ctp A Road. N070. Any person may appear at the public hearing and be heard and/or submit comments to be read into the record for Committee consideration. Correspondence must bear a legible signature of the author. A quorum of the Highway/Parks Committee may be present. However, no action will be taken on behalf of that committee.

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UW forum looks at farmers' challenging times ahead

GREEN BAY — UW-Extension programs in Brown, Kewaunee, Door, Marinette, Oconto, Outagamie and Shawano counties will be hosting “Supporting Farmers During Challenging Times” on Jan. 31 at Tundra Lodge, Green Bay.

There will be two sessions: 9-11:30 a.m. for agribusiness professionals and agency staff and 12:30-3 p.m. for producers and farmers.

In both sessions, Dr. Mark Stephenson, director of dairy policy analysis for the UW-Madison Division of Extension, will present a session titled “Hardening Your Client’s Business.” Jerry Clark, agriculture agent for the Chippewa County Division of Extension, will present on the changing weather in the state and how it’s impacting Wisconsin agriculture.

There will be producer panels in both sessions. For the agribusiness session, producers will discuss experiences and tips about working with clients exiting/transitioning to a different enterprise, while producers and farmers will get a session where local producers discuss adjusting to life after farming or transitioning to a different enterprise.

The meetings are open to all individuals wishing to learn more on how to support their farm families and clientele.

RSVPs are required by Jan. 15. For information, go to <https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/dairy/events/supporting-farmers-during-challenging-times-7>.

To register, visit <https://supportingfarmers.eventbrite.com> or contact Shawano County agriculture agent Kimberly Schmidt at 715-526-6136.

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- ▶ Once you've taken your photos, examine them in your camera's viewfinder. Zoom in on the view to make sure there's no blur; don't accept the initial view as a sign the photo isn't blurry.

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WITTENBERG

ENTERPRISE & BIRNAMWOOD NEWS

Wittenberg Telephone Co. adds more fiber optic cable

By **MIRIAM NELSON**
News Editor

WITTENBERG — Wittenberg Telephone Company and its subsidiary Cirrinity are in the third year of an eight-year project to offer fiber optic broadband connections in the area.

According to CEO Scott Nyman, the company has already laid 106 miles of cable. The area covered is between Galloway to Elderon, the whole village of Eland, rural areas toward County Road OO and state Highway 29 and east of Eland toward Shepley. Those projects are ongoing.

Also added this year was the village of Birnamwood. WTC is connecting to homes instead of to just cell towers.

"Our core services of internet, telephone or television are done with fiber optic connections which can provide gigabit speed," said Nyman, "which is the fastest connection you can have for residential use."

This summer WTC/Cirrinity hooked the Matsche Center in Birnamwood to the fiber optic broadband. Nyman noted that though they've always been in the area, the competitors have done a better job of letting customers know what is being offered. Nyman hopes to get the word out, where WTC is connecting directly to homes.

Cirrinity is the name for services provided outside of the Wittenberg

area. According to Nyman, the city of Antigo had built a fiber network and then ran into some roadblocks. WTC bought them out in 2010 and named the company Cirrinity.

The state of Wisconsin has been offering grants through the Public Service Commission to increase broadband in rural unserved or underserved areas. Through these grants, Cirrinity has been able to expand the service area. Nyman says any new grants are being used on fiber optic networks.

The company encourages input from local residents, according to Nyman. They log each inquiry and use the data to help determine where should be the next expansions.

Nyman said that according to a recent seminar by the Realtor Association, "What internet is available?" is one of the most asked questions of people looking to buy homes.

"With more people using the internet for education, medical attention and working from home we like to work with local realtors to make sure people will have their needs met before purchasing a home," said Nyman.

WTC is a privately-owned, third generation family company. In 2021, it will be celebrating 100 years in business.

More information is available at wittenbergnet.net or cirrinity.net. or call 715-253-2111.

Soup's on at Shawano library

Shawano County Library is "soup-er" excited for the return of Soup on Fridays during January.

A different soup will be provided for free each week. Soups include lasagna soup Friday Jan. 10, loaded

hash brown on Jan. 17, loaded cauliflower on Jan. 24 and hearty vegetable barley on Jan. 31. Soup will be available from 11 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. or until the soup is gone.

These programs are funded by the Friends of Shawano County Libraries, Inc. For information, contact the library at 715-526-3829.

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