



VIRTUAL LEARNING STILL IN PLACE

Missy Goers, an agriculture teacher at Shawano Community High School, uses her cell phone to instruct her students on horticulture from the greenhouse at the school. Teachers are having to use a variety of technology to teach students in a virtual environment. **FOR MORE ABOUT SCHOOLS PROVIDING LEARNING IN A VIRTUAL ENVIRONMENT, SEE PAGES 12-13.**

CONTRIBUTED

Ed Whealon steps down from mayor's position

Nearing the end of his first term in his office, Ed Whealon submitted his letter of resignation as Shawano's mayor.

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Bill Erdmann looks back on tree committee

The man who spent 18 years chairing Shawano's tree advisory committee looks back on how the city has done with its governmental green thumb.

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New guide touts activities for fall

From hodag hunting in Rhinelander to cruising scenic byways, there's plenty for folks to do during the autumn season.

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The mayor's parking space will be empty at Shawano City Hall with the departure of the current mayor, Ed Whealon at the end of this year. The mayor announced his intent to retire before the end of his term and asked that the city hold a special election to fill his position.

DAVID WILHELMS

Shawano mayor to step down at end of year

Council will determine how to address vacancy

By TIM RYAN
Reporter

Shawano Mayor Ed Whealon confirmed Tuesday he will resign his office by the end of the year, leaving a vacancy that will have to be addressed by the Shawano Common Council.

Whealon was re-elected to his second two-year term as mayor in April after facing no challengers.

He defeated incumbent Jeanne Cronce for the post in 2018.

The pending mayoral vacancy was included as an agenda item on the council's meeting agenda for Oct. 14.

Asked how pending the vacancy would be, Whealon said, "The end of the year."



ED WHEALON

Whealon declined to discuss the upcoming resignation, saying he wanted to first share that with council members at Wednesday's meeting.

Whealon purchased a second home in the Town of Wescott earlier this year, but still has a residence in the city.

Asked about that purchase several months ago, he said he still resides in the city, and pays his taxes and votes here.

City Administrator Eddie Shep-

pard said Whealon first mentioned his plans to finance committee members at an Oct. 8 meeting, along with his intention to put his Shawano residence on the market.

Sheppard said the council will have three options to discuss, including leaving the mayor's office vacant until the April 2022 election; appointing a council member to fill the vacancy until a special election can be held in April 2021; or appointing a council member to fill out the rest of the term.

Whealon said it would be up to the council to decide what to do, but said he hoped there would be a special election.

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CORRECTIONS

Accuracy is important to the Shawano Leader, and it wants to correct mistakes promptly. Call errors to our attention by phone at 715-526-2121.

Wisconsin judge upholds mask order for enclosed spaces

By **SCOTT BAUER**
AND **TODD RICHMOND**
The Associated Press

Editor's note: As of Oct. 12, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services reports 1,616 COVID-19 cases and seven deaths reported in Shawano County since the beginning of the pandemic; 1,548 total cases and four deaths in Oconto County and 170 cases and no deaths in Menominee County.

A Wisconsin judge on Monday allowed the state's mask mandate to stand, rejecting an attempt by the Republican-controlled Legislature and a conservative law firm to overturn it, even as cases are spiking.

The judge noted in his ruling that the Legislature could vote to overturn the order from Democratic Gov. Tony Evers if they wanted to, but they haven't so far.

The Wisconsin Institute for Law and Liberty, which brought the case, will appeal, said the group's president Rick Esenberg. He did not say if they would attempt to skip the state appeals court by asking the conservative-controlled Wisconsin Supreme Court to take the case. Esenberg called the issue a "critical constitutional matter."

Republican legislative leaders did not immediately return messages seeking comment. The Legislature filed a brief in support of the lawsuit.

The lawsuit argued that Evers overstepped his authority by issuing multiple emergency orders to curb the coronavirus pandemic. Evers defended the mask order, saying it was within his power to impose the requirement and that he followed the recommendations of public health experts.

Evers called the ruling a victory in the fight against COVID-19.

"We will continue doing everything we can to prevent the spread of this virus," Evers said. "We ask Wisconsinites to please stay home as much as possible, limit travel and going to public gatherings, and wear a mask whenever out and about."

St. Croix County Circuit Judge R. Michael Waterman said in his ruling that nothing prevents a governor from issuing multiple emergency declarations "when the emergency conditions continue to exist."

"And, if the Legislature is unconvinced that a state of emergency does exist, the Legislature has the ultimate power to terminate it," the judge said.

The judge also noted that overturning the mask mandate, in place since August, would "affect every person in Wisconsin by a judicial act that usurps the governor's power to declare a state of emergency and the Legislature's power to end one."

Wisconsin Attorney General Josh

Kaul, a Democrat, praised the ruling and encouraged Republicans to "stop supporting this attack on the mask requirement and instead to work with Governor Evers to adopt statewide policies that will allow us to more effectively to fight the virus and keep Wisconsin safe."

Evers first declared a public health emergency in March and renewed it in July after the Legislature declined to extend it. The July order mandated the wearing of masks starting in August for anyone aged 5 and up in all enclosed spaces except at home. He issued another order in September that extended the mask mandate until Nov. 21. Violators are subject to a \$200 fine.

The lawsuit argues that Evers can issue only one emergency declaration per crisis. Attorney Anthony LoCoco said during a hearing last week that the multiple declarations amount to a power grab and that the mask mandate is an "invasion" of personal liberty.

The lawsuit also argued that masks are ineffective since Wisconsin's infection numbers have continued to rise since Evers' mandate was imposed.

Assistant Attorney General Colin

Hector argued for the state that the three orders were designed to address the growing pandemic.

Wisconsin is among the worst COVID-19 hot spots in the country, with more than 152,000 positive cases as of Monday. The seven-day average of new confirmed cases reached a new record high of 2,547, up from 2,395 a week ago, the state Department of Health Services said. Medical experts have attributed Wisconsin's spike to colleges and K-12 schools reopening and general fatigue with precautions such as wearing masks and socially distancing.

The rising tide has some hospitals nearing capacity, especially in northeast and central Wisconsin, and the governor's office has announced the activation of a field hospital at the state fairgrounds to accommodate the increase in patients.

Republican legislators in May succeeded in getting the conservative-controlled Wisconsin Supreme Court to strike down Evers' virus-related stay-at-home order. The high court ruled that the Evers administration had overstepped its authority when it extended the order without consulting lawmakers.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Public Hearing will be held before the Plan Commission of the City of Shawano, WI on Wednesday, October 28, 2020 at 5:00 PM at Shawano City Hall, 127 S. Sawyer St., Shawano, WI to consider the following: Zoning Map amendment pursuant to Section 10-170 to rezone the following from Planned Development (PD) to Two Family Residential-6 (TR-6) the properties more commonly known as:

- 115/117 Madison Way: Parcel #281-331200003, Legal description: City of Shawano Prt of NE ¼ was Lot 2 V12 CSM P371 Map #3050 Section 33, T27N R16E NKA Lot 2 CSM Map #4557;
- 119/121 Madison Way: Parcel #281-331200002, Legal description: City of Shawano Prt of NE ¼ was Lot 2 V12 CSM P371 Map #3050 Section 33, T27N R16E NKA Lot 1 CSM Map #4557;
- 123/125 Madison Way: Parcel #281-331200005, Legal description: City of Shawano Prt of NE ¼ was Lot 2 V12 CSM P371 Map #3050 Section 33, T27N R16E NKA Lot 3 CSM Map #4558;
- 127/129 Madison Way: Parcel #281-331200004, Legal description: City of Shawano Prt of NE ¼ was Lot 2 V12 CSM P371 Map #3050 Section 33, T27N R16E NKA Lot 2 CSM Map #4558;
- 131/133 Madison Way: Parcel #281-331200000, Legal description: City of Shawano Prt of NE ¼ was Lot 2 V12 CSM P371 Map #3050 Section 33, T27N R16E NKA Lot 1 CSM Map #4558;

The appellant is requesting the zoning change to construct two family dwellings. At the above time and place all interested persons will be given the opportunity to be heard.

Lesley Nemetz, City Clerk
City of Shawano

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COURT NEWS

Recent proceedings in Shawano-Menominee County Circuit Court:

- Jamie L. Erbrecht, 65, of Shawano, was charged Oct. 12 with a felony count fifth-offense operating while intoxicated. She could face a maximum 10 years in prison and \$25,000 fine if convicted. Erbrecht posted a \$500 cash bond was due back in court for an adjourned initial appearance Oct. 19.
- Samantha L. Salmon, 26, of Green Bay, was charged Oct. 12 with felony counts of second or subsequent possession of marijuana, possession of methamphetamine and bail jumping. She could face a maximum 3½ years and \$10,000 fine on each of the drug charges if convicted and six years and a \$10,000 fine for bail jumping. Salmon was ordered held on a \$2,500 cash bond was scheduled for an adjourned initial appearance Oct. 26.
- Anthony M. S. Hamilton, 31, of Green Bay, was charged Oct. 12 with felony counts of false imprisonment and strangulation and suffocation and misdemeanor counts of battery and disorderly conduct. He could face a maximum six years in prison and \$10,000 fine on each of the felony counts if convicted. Hamilton was ordered held on a \$2,500 cash bond was scheduled for an adjourned initial appearance Nov. 2.
- Jordell T. Justice, 18, of Madison, was charged Oct. 8 with a felony

count of second-offense taking and driving a vehicle without consent. He could face a maximum 12½ years in prison and \$25,000 fine if convicted. Justice was ordered held on a \$5,000 cash bond and pleaded not guilty to the charged. He is scheduled for a pre-trial conference Nov. 5.

- Derrick R. Johnsen, 22, of Shawano, was charged Oct. 8 with a felony count of strangulation and suffocation and multiple misdemeanor counts including battery and disorderly conduct. He could face a maximum six years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. Johnsen was ordered held on a \$2,500 cash bond and was scheduled for an adjourned initial appearance Oct. 26.
- Miguel K. Rosas, 24, of Milwaukee, was charged Oct. 7 with a felony count of eluding an officer in a vehicle. He could face a maximum 3½ years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. Rosas was ordered held on a \$3,500 cash bond was scheduled for a preliminary hearing Oct. 15.
- James N. Johnson-Long, 33, of Shawano, was charged Oct. 6 with a felony count of possession of methamphetamine. He could face a maximum 3½ years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. Johnson-Long was ordered held on a \$2,500 cash bond. He has pleaded not guilty to the charge.
- Romaine O. Waupoose, 30, of

Keshena, was charged Oct. 5 with a felony county of fourth-offense operating while intoxicated. She could face a maximum six years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. Waupoose was ordered held on a \$500 cash bond. She has pleaded not guilty and is scheduled for a pre-trial conference Nov. 5

- Christopher E. Kilgore, 42, of Chicago, was charged Oct. 5 with felony counts of possession with intent to deliver amphetamine, manufacture/delivery of amphetamine and possession of methamphetamine. He could face a maximum 12½ years in prison and \$25,000 fine if convicted on each of the amphetamine counts. Kilgore was ordered held on a \$5,000 cash bond and was scheduled for an adjourned initial appearance Oct. 26.
- Ashlee N. Webster, 25, of Keshena, was charged Oct. 2 with a felony count of possession of methamphetamine. She could face a maximum 3½ years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. Webster is free on a \$2,500 signature bond and is scheduled for a preliminary hearing Nov. 18.
- Andrew B. Warrington, 43, of Keshena, was charged Oct. 2 with a felony count of possession of methamphetamine. He could face a maximum 3½ years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. Warrington was ordered held on a \$500 cash bond and is scheduled for a preliminary

hearing Oct. 28.

- Austin M. Krause, 22, of Milwaukee, was charged Oct. 1 with felony counts of eluding an officer in a vehicle and driving or operating a vehicle without consent. He could face a maximum 3½ years and \$10,000 fine on each count if convicted. Krause was ordered held on a \$3,000 cash bond and was scheduled for an adjourned initial appearance Nov. 9.
- Holly J. Marquette, 36, of Cecil, was charged Oct. 1 with a felony count of child abuse/failure to prevent harm. She could face a maximum six years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. Marquette is scheduled for an initial court appearance Oct. 26.
- Darryl J. Larock, 54, of Green Bay was charged Oct. 1 with felony counts of false imprisonment and intimidation of a victim with use or attempted force. He could face a maximum 10 years in prison and \$25,000 fine if convicted of intimidation. Larock is scheduled for an initial court appearance Oct. 26.
- Dylan L. Meulemans, 20, of Seymour, was charged Sept. 30 with felony counts of burglary/committing battery on a person and strangulation and suffocation. He could face a maximum 15 years in prison and \$50,000 fine if convicted of the burglary and battery charge. Meulemans is free on a \$2,500 signature bond and scheduled for a preliminary hearing Nov. 3.

PUBLIC RECORD

SHAWANO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Oct. 12

Deputies logged 31 incidents, including a property damage hit-and-run on Resort Toad in the Town of Washington; property theft complaints on Elm Road in the Town of Richmond and Main Street in Shawano; and Woods Road in the Town of Wescott; a fraud complaint on Cherry Road in the Town of Richmond; a disturbance on Julius Street in the Town of Angelica.

Oct. 11

Deputies logged 37 incidents, including domestic disturbances on County Road A

in the Town of Richmond and Oak Street in Bowler; a disturbance on Cedar Street in Tigerton; injury accidents on County Road G in the Town of Grant and Town Hall Road in the Town of Red Springs.

Oct. 10

Deputies logged 41 incidents, including disorderly conduct on Warrington Avenue in Cecil; a domestic disturbance on state Highway 29 in the Town of Belle Plaine; property theft complaints on Lake Drive in the Town of Wescott, County Road C in the Town of Angelica and U.S. Highway 45 in the Town of Wittenberg.

Oct. 9

Deputies logged 36 incidents, including

a disturbance on County Road T in the Town of Waukechon; property theft on Lake Drive in the Town of Wescott; a scam complaint on Mill Street in Bonduel; a drug complaint on Cecil Street in Bonduel.

Oct. 8

Deputies logged 42 incidents, including a disturbance on County Road BB in the Town of Green Valley; property theft on Mohawk Street in Wittenberg; identity theft on Labutzke Drive in the Town of Washington; a scam complaint on state Highway 160 in the Town of Angelica; a disturbance on Little Road in Gresham.

Oct. 7

Deputies logged 41 incidents, including an injury accident on U.S. Highway 45 in the Town of Wittenberg; property theft complaints on Cedar Street in Eland and Mohawk Street Wittenberg; a drug complaint on Waukechon Street in Shawano.

SHAWANO POLICE DEPARTMENT

Oct. 12

Police logged 18 incidents, including a property theft complaint at Sharona's Bar, 111 S. Washington St.; a property damage hit-and-run in the 1400 block of South

Lincoln Street; a disturbance in the 200 block of South Union Street.

Oct. 11

Police logged 16 incidents, including a domestic disturbance at the Wisconsin House, 216 E. Green Bay St.; burglary to a storage shed on Beauprey Road; a disturbance at Walmart, 1244 E. Green Bay St.; a drug complaint in the 100 block of Mountain Bay Trail Drive.

Oct. 10

Police logged 14 incidents, including trespassing at the Super 8 Motel, 211 Waukechon St.

Oct. 9

Police logged 21 incidents, including a disturbance in the 400 block of East Zingler Avenue; vandalism in the 500 block of South Union Street; a property damage hit-and-run in the 1200 block of East Green Bay Street.

Oct. 8

Police logged 22 incidents, including a domestic disturbance in the 500 block of Prospect Circle; vandalism in the 400 block of South Union Street; property theft in the 200 block of South Franklin Street; a drug complaint in the 500 block of Prospect Circle.

TOWN OF LESSOR

SHAWANO COUNTY, WISCONSIN

Public Hearing

Plan Commission

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing in the Town of Lessor, in the County of Shawano, State of Wisconsin, regarding a conditional use permit application submitted by Jeffrey S Lehdorf on parcel #028162100000 to move 8,000-12,000 yards of dirt to build a new barn, will be held at the Town Hall in said Town on Monday, October 26, 2020 at 6 P.M. Copies of the application may be viewed by appointment in the Clerk's office. Any interested person may address the Town Plan Commission by letter or appear in person or by agent and be heard at said public hearing. Notice given by Katie Sprangers, Town Clerk, town.lessor@gmail.com, 920-833-1377.

WNAXLP

As deer activity increases, drivers need to be alert

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Wisconsin State Patrol and partner law enforcement agencies are reminding motorists to be alert for the potential of deer darting across roadways during upcoming weeks.

Deer/vehicle crashes typically peak during the October and November “rutting” period when bucks pursue potential mates.

“The best strategy to protect yourself and minimize the chance of hitting a deer is to buckle up, slow down and watch the road ahead carefully,” said David Pabst, director of DOT’s bureau of transportation safety. “Deer can be seen any time of day, but they’re especially active around dusk and dawn.”

Last year in Wisconsin, there were 18,414 reported deer/vehicle crashes that resulted in injuries to 556 motorists and nine fatalities (six were motorcyclists). Counties with higher traffic volumes and deer populations tend to record the

most crashes.

To avoid deer crashes and motorist injuries, slow down, eliminate distractions and make sure all vehicle occupants are buckled up. If you see one deer cross in front of you, watch for more. One long blast from your vehicle’s horn may frighten the deer away.

If a collision with a deer is unavoidable, brake firmly and stay in your lane. Avoid sudden swerving, which can result in a loss of vehicle control and a more serious crash.

If you hit a deer, get your vehicle safely off the road if possible and call law enforcement. Be prepared to describe your specific location. It’s generally safest to stay buckled up inside your vehicle. Walking along a highway is always dangerous as you could be struck by another vehicle. Don’t attempt to move an injured deer.

The increase in deer activity this time of year also results in more car-killed deer along Wis-

consin roadways. WisDOT works with private vendors, county highway departments and law enforcement to handle deer carcass removal along the state highway system. Counties are responsible for removing deer carcasses along county highways. Municipalities handle deer carcass removal along local roads.

To report car-killed deer:

- Deer carcasses on the active, traveled portion of a highway represent an urgent safety hazard and should be reported by calling 911.
- If the carcass is off the traveled portion of the roadway, contact the appropriate county sheriff’s department using the agency’s non-emergency phone number.
- To facilitate the efficient and prompt removal of a deer carcass, provide specific location information such as proximity to a mile post, intersecting highway, exit or mailbox number.

OBITUARIES

Orville J. Emon

Peacefully and surrounded by his family, Orville J. Emon passed away Sept. 28, 2020, at the age of 82 in Appleton.

Orv was born in Wausau on Aug. 6, 1938, to John and Leona (Geiger) Emon. He developed a love for basketball early in life, becoming a basketball jock in high school. As a young man, Orv often enjoyed being at the local fishing hole rather than class (this proved useful in his later years). In 1956, Orv joined the Navy as a radio man.

Upon returning, he met his beloved Virginia “Ginnie” Eckerle. They were married Nov. 21, 1959, at St. Mary Catholic Church in Wausau.

Orv and Ginnie welcomed daughter Kim in 1960, followed by son Todd in 1961 and rounded out their family with daughter Stacy in 1967. Orv went on to work for Wisconsin



Fuel and Heating as a service technician for over 30 years. They raised their family in Kenosha before retiring to Legend Lake into “the house that ginseng built,” after ginseng farming with his brother, Jim (as well as a touch of free labor via the aforementioned children).

Orv enjoyed many of the “simple things” in life — he loved Legend Lake, his hunting cabin (what happens at the hunting cabin, stays at the hunting cabin), playing daily cribbage with his wife Ginnie, the Packers (he was a proud season ticket holder), the Brewers and any and all things basketball (but preferably high school ball, please). His smile and laugh were contagious. He kept his family laughing until the

very end.

He will be greatly missed by his dear wife of 60 years, Ginnie; children, Kim (Cary) DeGrazia, Todd (Linda) Emon and Stacy (Gregg) Althoff; grandchildren Michelle (Joe), Elizabeth (Jake), Emily (Kyle), Joseph, Kyle (Kayla), Geena (James), Stephanie, Anthony and Michael; great-grandchildren Kiara, Myah, Ryleigh, Masyn, Kennedy, and his first great-grandson due in early 2021. He is also survived by his brother, James (Carol) Emon; brother-in-law DuWayne Darrin; many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Yvonne Darrin.

It was evident to all who knew him how greatly Orv enjoyed being a husband, father and a grandfather. He loved openly and will be fondly remembered as the grandpa who never hesitated to teach his grandkids to fish (we told you those local

fishing holes would prove useful), give them rides up and down the hillside on his lawnmower, dig an ice cave out of a snowbank for them to play in or teach them how to polka. He will forever be remembered as the very best breakfast chef in the Northwoods and the greatest (and most patient) pontoon boat driver ever.

He was truly “one in a million” — his family feels exceptionally lucky to have hit that jackpot and been blessed with the years they had with him. Save us a polka in heaven, Orv.

Funeral services for Orv were held Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2020. The family has requested memorial remembrances be directed to the charity of your choice.

Draeger-Langendorf Funeral Home and Crematory, William J. Althaus. 262-552-9000. www.draeger-langendorf.com

R. David Petty

R. David Petty, M.D., 85, died Thursday, Oct. 8, 2020, peacefully at his home.

David was born Feb. 8, 1935, in Antioch, Illinois. He attended Carroll College in Waukesha, and then the University of Illinois Medical School in Chicago. He was a member of the American Medical Association. David practiced medicine in Woodstock, Illinois, for five years and spent two years in the U.S. Army as a major.



David settled in Shawano to raise a family and practice medicine. He spent many of his 29 years working in obstetrics and gynecology. David retired in

1998 and moved with his wife Karin to Smithville, Tennessee. He loved retirement, spending time working on his hobby farm and rescuing

neglected animals. In 2018, David and Karin moved back to Wisconsin to be closer to family.

David is survived by his wife, Karin; their children, Dave, Drs. Elizabeth Petty (Karen Milner), Sarah (Martin) Deluca, Trinitie (Jeff) Wilke and Travis (Christa) Johnson; and 10 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his

parents, William and Lillie (Murphy) Petty; and two brothers, Frank and William.

At David’s request, there will be no visitation or service. His family will have a celebration of life at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Carroll College, your local hospice or public library.

Bruce A. Lamers

Bruce A. Lamers, 57, of Shawano, passed away on Friday, Oct. 9, 2020.

Valley Funeral Home of Appleton is serving the family.

OBITUARIES

Irene Violetta Waubanasum, 77, of Keshena, died peacefully in her home Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2020, surrounded by her family.

Irene was born Nov. 13, 1942, in Keshena and was the youngest child of Madeline "Patches" (Westcott) and Thomas "Buster" Whitney. Irene, her brother Thomas (deceased) and sister Dolores (deceased) spent their childhood in South Branch, and she graduated from St. Joseph Catholic High School.

Irene married Richard Groll (deceased) in 1962, and together they had four children. During this time, Irene attended hair and cosmetology school, sold Avon and attended secretarial school. The family lived in Manitowoc until she and Richard divorced in 1971. Irene moved to Milwaukee and eventually married John Koski (deceased) and they had one child together. After she and John divorced, Irene moved back to Keshena in 1984 where she met and married Bernard "Benno" Waubanasum, who tragically preceded her in death in 1991.

In 1979, Irene enrolled in MATC Nursing School, completed her degree and began a very satisfying and rewarding nursing career. Her early work was director of nursing for a nursing home and then labor and

Gloria Ann (Madison) Hoefs, 76, of Shawano, passed away peacefully at home on Thursday, Oct. 8, 2020, after a short battle with brain cancer. Gloria was born on Jan. 18, 1944, in Green Bay to the late Marvin and Violet (Wetzel) Madison. She was the youngest of two children. She was educated in the Pulcifer and Gillett school systems and was a graduate from the class of 1962. Gloria was married and blessed with three beautiful children. She worked hard to provide for her family and moved to Shawano to raise them.

Gloria was a dedicated employee as a lab technician for 20-plus years for Vlasic Foods until starting a job with KI. After retiring, she worked part time at the Shawano Leader.

Roger E. Rosenow, 82, of Gresham, passed away Wednesday, Oct. 7, 2020, at his home, surrounded by his family.

Roger was born on July 9, 1938, in Shawano, a son of the late Rueben and Esther (Schoenike) Rosenow. He earned his diploma from Shawano High School. On Aug. 24, 1957, Roger was united in marriage to Joan Bowman at Peace United Church of



Eagle's Nest located at the time on Highway 47-55 where they worked side by side serving breakfast and lunch.

Truly, her life's work was her devotion and service as a community health nurse to Menominee Nation tribal members from 1988 until her retirement in 2010. She loved the variety, the constant learning, the tremendous responsibility and getting out into the community. She is fondly remembered, respected and appreciated by many as a deeply compassionate, competent, caring nurse.

Irene's greatest legacy is her role as mother and grandmother. Raising five children virtually on her own, Irene was a strict, no-nonsense mother. Her deepest sense of accomplishment was seeing her children grow into productive, happy, family-oriented adults. Irene found tremendous joy in being a "gramma" and great-gramma, rarely

delivery nurse in Milwaukee and Shawano. For a brief time, while she was waiting for an opening at Menominee Tribal Clinic, Irene and Benno leased the restaurant The

missing a birthday, graduation or special event.

Irene enjoyed traveling, preferring road trips back and forth to Milwaukee, and to places like Las Vegas and New Mexico. She made exceptions to fears of flying and ventured to Colorado, Hawaii, New Orleans and Washington, D.C. Irene was quick witted and had a great sense of humor. She loved family gatherings, dancing and softball games, and she was an avid Brewers and Packers fan. She had a knack for trivia games, enjoyed playing cards and listening to music.

Irene was an expert seamstress, and she had a passion for reading. Her favorite series was Clan of the Cave Bear, finishing all six books. She also enjoyed non-fiction reading to include biographies, Native American history and studying the complexities of religion and spirituality.

While Irene's final years were spent under a shadow of illness, which resulted in her needing specialized memory care, she never lost her desire to participate in trivia games, watch her favorite television game shows, play Bingo and enjoying getting her hair and nails done. Recently losing her ability to speak, she still enjoyed being around family listening to stories, smiling big when

she heard something funny or gesturing to all if someone got the story wrong.

Irene is survived by her children, Patti (Tony) Hildebrand, Tony (Carrie) Groll, Amy (Phil) Domagalski and Jacqui (Rollan Jr. "Corky") Caldwell; 12 grandchildren, Alyson (Matt), Alyvia, Annalise, Rachel, Brittney (Daniel), Zach, Jesse (Katie), Harlan, Whitney, Rollan III, Aaron and Carlos; and 12 great-grandchildren, Holden, Dakota, Danika, Liam, Carson, Ophelia, Savannah, Serenity, Alicia, Rollan IV, Braidon and Kai.

Irene was preceded in death by her youngest daughter, Kari Fernandez; and granddaughter Sarah Wahsqoon-aikeshik.

A celebration of life will be held Oct. 24, 2020, at Swedberg Funeral Home, 518 W. Fifth St., Shawano, at 1 p.m., with visitation preceding at 11:30 a.m. If you are uncomfortable attending, please direct cards and well wishes to the family in care of Swedberg Funeral Home, 518 W. Fifth St., Shawano, WI 54166.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests a donation to the Alzheimer's Association in memory of Irene Waubanasum at <http://act.alz.org/goto/inmemoryofirene>.

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health prevented her services.

Gloria loved her faith, spending time with her family, gardening, mowing her lawn, and decorating her yard with many handmade cutouts for all seasons. She was known for her famous potato salad and pear applesauce, her love of dark chocolate, and huge collection of frogs. At noon on weekdays, you could always

Gloria Ann (Madison) Hoefs

Gloria was a member of the St. James Lutheran Church and loved attending services. She was the treasurer of the TOPS group that she met with weekly until her

find Gloria in her chair watching her soap opera, "Days of Our Lives." On the weekends, she enjoyed attending events that her grandchildren were involved in as well as catching up with her sister on the phone gossiping about the week events she encountered.

Gloria was a loving mother, sister, grandmother, aunt, cousin, and friend. She leaves to cherish her beautiful soul, her children, Lou (Deb) Hoefs, Linda (Kyle) Gawlick, and Bill (Simone) Hoefs; grandchildren, Courtney Amundson, Casey (Gobby) Hoefs, Nicole Hoefs, Will Hoefs, and Alyssa Alcorta; her sister, Ramona (Donald) Genke. She is further survived by many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins and friends.

Roger E. Rosenow

Christ in Clintonville. He worked at Noritage Inc. in Embarrass, retiring after 30 years as a production manager. Roger enjoyed hunting, fishing and spending time with his family.

Left to cherish his memory are his three sons, Randy, Rick and Russ Rosenow; three grandchildren, Sheldon (Amy) Rosenow, Risk (Olivia) Rosenow and Crystal (Lester) Moesch; nine great-grandchildren,

Parker, Mallory, Roselynn, Revel, Rouge, Roman and Jayden Santiago, and Chance and Gary Moesch; his sister-in-law, Bonnie Mass; his brother-in-law, Peter Bowman; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Joan, and his brother-in-law, Sydney Maas.

Per Roger's wishes, there will be no formal services held, but please

Funeral services for Gloria will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, Oct. 16, 2020, at St. James Lutheran Church in Shawano, Wisconsin. Burial will be held at Woodlawn Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Friday at the church from 9:30 a.m. until the time of services.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund has been established in Gloria's name for the St. James children's reading fund.

The family would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to the care team at Theda Clark Medical Center in Neenah, ThedaCare of Appleton, the Appleton Cancer Center, and the many registered nurses and CNAs from Compassus who cared for her.

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take a moment to remember him.

Mickelson Funeral and Cremation Service of Shawano is assisting the family with arrangements. Please share online condolences at www.mickelsonfs.com.



Marion J. Beyer

Marion J. Beyer, 92, of Shawano, went to her heavenly home on Wednesday, Oct. 7, 2020.

Marion was born May 1, 1928, in Dale, a daughter of the late George and Lillian (Camfield) Lapp. She often told people she came over on the Mayflower. She attended and graduated from Washington High School in New London with the Class of 1946. On Sept. 24, 1955, Marion was united in marriage to Wallace L. Beyer in Dale.

Marion is a current member of Resurrection Lutheran Church in Shawano. Previously, she had been a member of St. James Lutheran Church and the Ladies Aid. She worked at Helwig Carbon Products and Birch Hill Nursing Home.

Marion was a life member of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary, where she served as the president and secretary and held other offices. She belonged to AARP Chapter 186 and the Red Hats



bingo at the Shawano Senior Center and listening to the Gary Kuchenbecker radio program.

Survivors include her children, Darlene (David) Rogers, of New Mexico, and their children Samuel (Sarah) Rogers and Daniel (special friend Stacey) Rogers; Duane (Rose) Beyer, of Shawano, and their children, Jennifer (Mark) Podevels and Jared (Jenni) Beyer; Dawn (Gary) DeYoung, of Shawano, and their children, Michael (Stacey) Homan, Melissa (special friend, Jeremiah) Homan, and Mat-

thew (special friend, Katlynn) Homan; and Karen (Richard) Bohl of Bloomer, and their children, Deanna (John) Caterer and Dawn (Aaron) Wright; 10 great-grandchildren, Colton and Emma Podevels, Weston, Alice and Aubrey Beyer, Kasen and Everly Homan, Katlyn and Amber Caterer, and Noah Burton (Wright); several children who called her "Grandma Marion" whom she babysat or served hot lunch to; and many nieces, nephews and friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Wallace, on Dec. 31, 1995; her brothers and sisters; and brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law.

A funeral service for Marion will be held Saturday, Oct. 17, 2020, at 11 a.m. at Mickelson Funeral Service in Shawano. Pastor Steve Conradt will officiate. Interment will take place in Woodlawn Cemetery in Shawano. Visitation will begin at 10 a.m. at the funeral home and continue until the time of service. In

lieu of flowers and plants, the family prefers memorials in Marion's name to the St. James radio broadcast or Heartland Hospice of DePere.

Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, the family requests masks be worn while in attendance, and social distancing be followed for safety precautions. If you would like to remember Marion, please say a prayer or play a game of solitaire in her memory.

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The family would like to thank the staff at Kindred Hearts, Heartland Hospice and the City Cab.



Richard J. Durica Sr.

Richard J. Durica Sr., 89, of Shawano, formerly of Sussex, passed away peacefully Saturday morning, Oct. 10, 2020, at his home in Shawano.

Richard was born May 12, 1931, in Youngstown, Ohio, a son of the late John J. and Margaret (Liptak) Durica. He attended and graduated from Youngstown East High School in 1950. Following high school, Richard worked on the railroad in Youngstown.

On June 12, 1952, Richard was drafted into the U.S. Army where he served for two years in Korea as the yardmaster in the Transport Division. He was honorably discharged on June 1, 1954, having achieved the rank of corporal. Upon returning from the service, Richard worked various jobs until becoming



a bus driver for the Milwaukee County Transit System.

On June 30, 1956, Richard was united in marriage to the former Eleanor Haas at St. Pat-

rick's Catholic Church in Eau Claire. Following their marriage, the couple lived in Sussex for over 44 years. Richard retired from the Milwaukee County Transit System in 2003 after 29 years of service. Wanting to stay active following his retirement, Richard drove a school bus for nearly seven years.

He is a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Shawano, and he was a very active member of St. James Catholic Church in Menominee Falls, where he sang in the choir.

While living in Sussex, he was a member of the American Legion. Richard enjoyed deer hunting with his family, camping and traveling.

Survivors include his loving wife of 64 years, Eleanor, of Shawano; his children, Barbara (Gary) Cumberland, of Shawano, Richard J. (Julia) Durica II, of Lannon, David A. (Pauline) Durica, of Emory, Texas, and Michael S. (Lisa) Durica, of North Port, Florida; 10 grandchildren, Matthew (Jessica) Cumberland, Andrew (Jennifer) Cumberland, Nathaniel Cumberland, Thomas Cumberland, Rebecca (Nicholas) Remsha, Joseph Durica, Sarah Durica, Bryce Durica, Brianna Durica and Alexander Durica; and two great-grandchildren, Ellie and Rylea Cumberland.

Richard was preceded in death by his sister, Marsha Durica.

A funeral Mass for Richard will be

celebrated Friday, Oct. 16, 2020, at 11 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Shawano. The Rev. Scott Valentyn will be the celebrant. Interment will be in Lake Drive Cemetery, Town of Wescott. Full military honors will be conducted by Shawano AmVets Post 10 at the cemetery. Visitation will begin at the church at 10 a.m. and continue until the time of Mass.

Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, the family requests masks be worn while in attendance and social distancing be followed.

Mickelson Funeral and Cremation Service of Shawano is assisting the family with arrangements. Please share online condolences at www.mickelsonfs.com.



Paul A. Heger Jr.

Paul A. Heger Jr., 90, of Shawano, passed away Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2020, at ThedaCare Medical Center-Waupaca.

Paul Alfred Heger was born Nov. 2, 1929, in the Town of Fairbanks, Shawano County, to Paul and Ruby (Frailing) Heger Sr. He graduated from Tigerton High School in 1943. Paul was united in marriage on June 20, 1953, to Lorraine A. Bucher at Peace Lutheran Church in Split Rock. In his early years, Paul worked on the family farm in Tigerton. Then he was employed as an electrician for 30 years, wiring trucks at FWD Corporation in Clintonville. The couple



lived most of their lives in Split Rock and settled in Shawano in 1995. Paul's wife preceded him in death on Nov. 9, 2015.

Paul was a life-long member of Peace Lutheran Church, Split Rock. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, working on cars and playing horseshoes and cards. Paul especially loved spending time with his family and friends.

Survivors include four children, Marjorie (friend William

Baraniak) Dankmeyer, of Appleton, Karen (Greg) Wiley, of Kalamazoo, Michigan, David (Kathy) Heger, of Neenah, and Gary (Tammy) Heger, of Manawa. There are nine grandchildren, Lori (friend Brad Stevens) Kleman, Scott (Cyndi Polakowski) Dankmeyer, Christopher (Leslie) Wiley, James (Heather) Wiley, Paula Wiley, Amy (Michael) Berguis, Layla (friend Dakota Zanin) Heger, Nicole Heger and April Heger.

There are 13 great-grandchildren: Emily (fiancé Brandon), Megan, Matthew, Noah, Nathan, Natalie, Nicole, Nolan, Austin, Jenna, Brianna, Isabelle and Brielle. He is further

survived by one sister, Jean (Carlton) Benz, of Shawano, and many other relatives and friends.

Paul was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Lorraine; two sisters, Alice and Marion; a grandson, Niles Wiley; and son-in-law, Lee Dankmeyer.

Graveside service will be held Friday, Oct. 16, at 11 a.m. at Peace Lutheran Cemetery, Split Rock, with the Rev. Craig Nehring officiating.

Beil-Didier Funeral Home, Tigerton, is assisting the family. Please go to www.beil-didier.com to sign the online guestbook or to leave condolences to the family.

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IRON	45,255	1,000	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
LAMAR	45,255	1,000	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
MONROE	45,255	1,000	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
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ThedaCare at capacity for local hospital beds

Medical center seeks to increase staff so bed capacity can go up

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano has been at capacity or extremely close to it for several weeks, ever since northeast Wisconsin saw coronavirus cases explode in mid-September.

It won't get any better, either, unless people take the mask mandate and other pandemic safety precautions seriously, according to Julie Chikowski, vice president of critical access hospitals at ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano.

The local hospital currently has 23 beds in its facility, with all but four in its medical and surgical unit, and all of them were filled on the afternoon of Oct. 9. Although a couple of patients were due to leave that evening, the increase in cases and hospitalizations likely means those beds will be full again in short order, according to Chikowski.

"Obviously, we're busy. All of health care is very busy right now," Chikowski said. "This pandemic has put us into a situation where it's all hands on deck. Everybody is working together trying to meet the health care needs — all of our community members, all of our patients."

Personal protective equipment is not an issue, Chikowski said, noting that ThedaCare has plenty of the needed supplies on hand. Despite that, she has more than 20 employees who are quarantined because they came into contact with people who had shown signs or were potentially positive with the coronavirus.

"We have had no exposures here in the hospital to any of our employees," Chikowski said. "Our employees are reporting that they feel safer at work than they do out in the community and at home."

The hospital has set up break areas where employees can rest while enforcing the physical dis-

tancing requirements of 6 feet or more, according to Chikowski. The facility has hand sanitizing stations everywhere, she said, and mask requirements are being vigorously enforced.

"We are very vigilant about continually cleaning all touched areas," Chikowski said. "We've been very intentional about keeping everybody safe here so that we can continue to provide a high-quality health care experience for everyone."

Continuous cases of people needing hospitalization have kept the hospital full, with any patients needing hospitalization once it has reached capacity being sent to other facilities outside Shawano for their care.

"We're at capacity now," Chikowski said on Oct. 9, "but we'll probably have a bed available in an hour. It changes constantly. It's a very fluid type of thing."

However, there have been good news cases about people recovering. Chikowski noted a patient diagnosed with coronavirus was recently discharged after 14 days of care, and staff members celebrated the discharge by lining the halls.

"We've been fortunate to have a number of those," Chikowski said.

ThedaCare-Shawano is looking at increasing its staff to increase the bed capacity, according to Chikowski, but with so many employees currently out of commission due to pandemic precautions, ThedaCare is trying to recruit more nurses and other staff members to come to Shawano to help.

Gov. Tony Evers recently signed an executive order allowing medical practitioners licensed in other states to work in Wisconsin to battle the pandemic, and Chikowski said that FEMA has sent out an alert seeking practitioners to come to Wisconsin as the Midwest has become the newest hotspot in the United States for the coronavirus.

"We're hoping we can get some

additional assistance — not only with nurses but with respiratory therapists, with CNAs (certified nursing assistants) and in many different disciplines that are needed to deal with the pandemic," Chikowski said.

The recent resignation of Vicki Dantoin, health officer for Shawano and Menominee counties, is not expected to impact ThedaCare much, according to Chikowski. She noted that she works constantly with the county health department, along with the clinics for the Menominee and Stockbridge-Munsee tribes, to coordinate efforts in dealing with the pandemic.

Like most other health experts, Chikowski emphasized the importance of washing hands, wearing masks when out in public, maintaining a physical distance from other people and staying home as much as possible.

"We have the ability to flatten this curve," Chikowski said. "We

do not need to be in a health care crisis right at this point in time. We don't just have COVID(-19) patients. We deliver 270 babies a year. We have people who need surgery and people who have other medical care needs, and we want them to feel comfortable coming to the hospital."

ThedaCare joined with Prevea, Aurora and the tribal clinics to send out a message to the area chambers of commerce emphasizing the need for the safety measures in the hopes of further getting the word out, according to Chikowski. The local doctors have also made yard signs to spread the message, she said.

With the flu season coming up, the medical center will be taxed even more as the coronavirus is not going away anytime soon. Chikowski said the local ThedaCare clinic has been holding flu vaccination clinics and plans to hold even more.

"This is science," Chikowski said of the pandemic. "This is not opinion. This is proven facts."

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JULIE CHIKOWSKI, vice president of critical access hospitals at ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano



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Virtual learning staying in place for schools



Lynn Trochil teaches virtually from her fifth-grade classroom at Olga Brener Intermediate School in Shawano recently. Most schools in Shawano County have had to go to an all-virtual format due to the rising number of coronavirus cases. CONTRIBUTED

Staffing, higher COVID-19 cases among the reasons for building doors staying closed

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

With some area schools starting out in a hybrid learning environment or going full throttle with in-person education, many of those schools are now navigating their way through virtual education as a sharp increase in coronavirus cases for Shawano and Menominee counties has required them to close their doors again.

The results are mixed, with schools reporting various reasons for going to virtual learning.

Two more weeks for Shawano schools
Shawano School District had to

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go to virtual on Sept. 23 after starting the year with its elementary schools in session five days a week, its middle school going two days in person and three days online, and its high school having only one day per week in person. Superintendent Randi Anderson announced last week that the district would need to remain in virtual learning until Oct. 23.

“I was hoping in the first two weeks that we might see a plateau and have our numbers start coming down, but unfortunately, they’re not right now,” Anderson said. “If we do start to see that, we’re going to get our kids back in as soon as possible.”

As of Monday, 1,616 positive cases were reported in Shawano County, seven of them resulting in death, according to the Wisconsin Department of Health Services. The Shawano-Menominee Counties Health Department reported that 762 of those cases took place in the last two weeks.

Anderson noted that principals are working to identify which

students lack the internet infrastructure to provide additional support, whether it is through kajeets — or hotspots specifically for schools — or an alternative way of providing education, such as written materials sent to homes. She added that, because the schools are fairly empty at the moment, students without internet capabilities can be brought into the school with their Chromebooks to access classes that way.

“Our staff has done an outstanding job transitioning to the virtual environment, and they continue to work with our parents and our students,” Anderson said. “They have gone above and beyond learning a

platform, new environment, new resources, but we're leveraging Google Meets at all levels. Our teachers are engaging with their students on a daily basis."

For some families, though, there are some difficulties transitioning to online learning. Discussion threads on the Concerned Parents for Shawano Schools Facebook page are filled with parents describing issues they're having with accessing the lessons, school emails and more. One parent even described that her son used to enjoy school and was taking advanced classes, but technical difficulties have put his grades at risk.

Menominee in extended virtual mode

Menominee Indian School District started out its year by delaying the actual start of school until Sept. 14, with the intent of having students in school for two days per week and three online. However, a shutdown of the reservation prompted the district to go to all virtual learning until Nov. 4.

"With the rising number of cases in our area and Shawano, we decided to go virtual," Assistant Superintendent Karl Morrin said. "Staff was working from school. Then last week, we made the decision to have staff work remotely because of the increasing numbers."

Office and technical staff are working three days per week, four hours each day, at the schools, but otherwise the schools are empty, Morrin said. He noted that it was important to test the virtual learning environment for a full quarter and then examine what can be done differently.

"We want to make sure that our students are safe, our staff are safe and the community is safe," Morrin said.

As of Monday, 179 positive cases were reported in Menominee County, but so far there have been no deaths. The health department reported that 99 of those cases took place in the last two weeks.

Menominee Indian has set up some mobile sites throughout the reservation so that students without internet access could get the information they need and use their Chromebooks, with teachers staffing them to help students who are having difficulties.

"We're still having some problems with Wi-Fi connections in some of the outer regions, so we upped our Wi-Fi capability for all of our data ... and we bought extra hotspots," Morrin said. "We're checking hotspots out to students so they're able to get on to their Google classrooms."



Dan Mead teaches a fifth-grade class virtually at Olga Brener Intermediate School in Shawano recently. Mead was hired as an interventionist for the school, but he and other staff members had to do double duty as teachers when school was open in order to keep class sizes small during the pandemic.

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Besides the academic lessons, staff members are trying to teach social and emotional issues, as well.

"We think that's a high priority so that our students have that person to be in touch with," Morrin said.

Rising cases cause Gresham closure

Gresham School District had planned four days of in-person learning with Wednesdays being online so the district could do some deep cleaning. However, increased cases of COVID-19 prompted the district to switch to all virtual on Sept. 23.

"We had rising COVID in our building, rising COVID all over the place," Superintendent Newell Haffner said, noting that his district would remain in virtual mode at least until Oct. 23.

Haffner said the change to virtual has gone better than it did last spring when the state shut down all schools for over three months, but virtual learning is no substitute for educating students face to face. Gresham has a particular challenge with

internet infrastructure in its boundaries, and Haffner noted that those students are usually a week behind other students in learning.

"Our problem is that we have kids without internet," Haffner said. "So, if we don't bring our kids into school and let them sit in the parking lot to download videos and download the lessons from the teachers, we have to send it out to them on a flash drive. We have 25 kids that we're sending flash drives home to every week."

Deadlines have to be flexible for students in virtual learning as a result, according to Haffner, which means teachers have to be careful with the end of the quarter coming up.

"When you're virtual, you lose a lot of control that the school has in helping kids get things done," Haffner said.

He noted that his middle and high school students seem to be grasping the virtual learning technology, but it's a little more difficult for his elementary students.

Lack of staff prompts Bonduel closure

Bonduel School District was bold in its back-to-school approach, going all five days in person for all schools. However, the district had to go virtual on Sept. 28, and an Oct. 6 notice to parents said the virtual mode would be in effect through Oct. 16.

"For us, it was mostly an issue of covering staff," said Superintendent Joe Dawidziak, explaining why his district went to virtual learning. "I believe that it's going to come to an end soon, but that is still the issue."

Dawidziak said the transition to virtual learning has been easier this year, but higher expectations are attached regarding attendance and classwork. Regarding when the district might go back to in-person learning, he said, "We're evaluating that daily."

"The way things are going, it could change tomorrow," Dawidziak said. "We're tracking it pretty closely."

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING SHAWANO COUNTY, WISCONSIN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Public Hearing on the proposed Shawano County Budget for 2021, as prepared by the County Board Executive Committee, will be held in the County Board Room, Courthouse, City of Shawano, Shawano County, Wisconsin on the 28th day of October, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. Any resident or taxpayer of Shawano County may appear at said meeting and have the opportunity to provide written and oral comments or questions regarding the proposed budget.

Copies of the entire proposed 2021 budget for Shawano County are on file and available for public inspection at the Shawano County Department of Administration/Finance Division offices located in the Shawano County Courthouse, 311 North Main Street, Room 101, Shawano, Wisconsin.

A summary of the proposed budget is presented below:

	Actual 2019	Amended Budget 2020	Proposed Budget 2021	% Change
EXPENDITURES				
General Fund				
General Government	7,060,463	7,777,422	8,634,290	11.02%
Public Safety	11,554,922	11,038,645	11,123,427	0.77%
Public Works	14,662	17,690	16,616	-6.07%
Health & Social Services	588,758	605,013	611,037	1.00%
Leisure and Education	1,379,900	1,145,674	1,068,255	-6.76%
Conservation & Development	967,065	1,238,319	1,552,429	25.37%
Total General Fund Expenditures	21,515,800	21,822,763	23,006,054	5.42%
Special Revenue Funds				
Public Health	656,680	686,877	715,472	4.16%
Human Services	10,782,354	12,116,178	11,808,319	-2.54%
City-County Library	916,766	824,556	817,456	-0.86%
County Roads & Bridges	5,488,713	4,904,604	4,989,604	1.73%
Jail Assessment Fund	73,431	75,000	75,000	0.00%
Wisconsin Development Fund	6,207	32,475	19,875	-38.80%
Crime Prevention Fund	566	1,600	300	100.00%
Small Cities Housing CDBG	38,323	24,060	16,060	-33.25%
Environmental Impact Fees	98,443	344,150	109,500	-68.18%
Airport	90,750	73,164	88,764	21.32%
Debt Service Fund	15,555,169	1,918,213	1,574,254	-17.93%
Capital Projects Fund	15,673,106	7,119,061	792,000	-88.87%
Enterprise Funds				
Lakeland Industries	156,645	199,206	224,090	12.49%
Water and Sewer Utility	48,429	57,250	60,000	4.80%
Internal Service Funds				
Highway Department	11,893,450	12,126,573	12,160,443	0.28%
Technology Services	1,836,397	1,867,560	1,902,189	1.85%
Workers Compensation	468,565	220,000	245,652	11.66%
Comp/Collision Self-funding	38,220	20,000	20,000	0.00%
Property Ins. Deductible	-	10,000	10,000	0.00%
Leased Vehicles	7,750	91,300	98,900	8.32%
Long-term Sick Leave	28,808	12,724	12,724	0.00%
Trust Funds				
Transportation Trust	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures-All Funds	85,354,610	64,547,347	58,746,656	-6.99%

REVENUES				
General Fund				
Taxes (Other than property)	3,550,087	3,712,650	3,681,500	-0.84%
Intergovernmental	2,902,603	2,966,911	3,182,614	7.27%
Regulation and Compliance	602,602	603,190	614,713	1.91%
Public Charges for Services	1,407,561	1,502,144	1,487,797	-0.96%
Intergovernmental Charges	1,126,957	1,423,220	1,494,673	5.02%
Miscellaneous	1,179,983	799,283	806,220	0.87%
Other Financing Sources	31,199	172,196	24,256	-
Total General Fund Revenues	10,853,992	11,179,594	11,291,775	1.00%
Special Revenue Funds				
Public Health	456,034	444,323	473,540	6.58%
Human Services	9,059,645	10,496,882	10,102,561	-3.76%
City-County Library	49,696	51,007	40,621	-20.36%
County Roads & Bridges	2,201,378	2,037,000	1,772,000	-13.01%
Jail Assessment Fund	66,906	75,000	75,000	0.00%
Wisconsin Development Fund	35,321	32,475	19,875	-38.80%
Crime Prevention Fund	-	200	300	50.00%
Small Cities Housing CDBG	19,649	24,060	15,500	-35.58%
Environmental Impact Fees	162,431	344,150	-	-
Airport	49,849	42,782	58,382	36.46%
Debt Service Fund	15,089,327	153,000	-	-100.00%
Capital Projects Fund	6,796,911	7,143,131	792,000	-88.91%
Enterprise Funds				
Lakeland Industries	171,633	199,206	250,000	25.50%
Water & Sewer Utility	57,996	57,250	60,000	4.80%
Internal Service Funds				
Highway Department	12,507,349	12,126,573	12,000,771	-1.04%
Technology Services	1,522,584	1,867,787	1,902,189	1.84%
Workers Compensation	250,505	220,000	245,652	11.66%
Comp/Collision Self-funding	20,000	20,000	20,000	0.00%
Property Ins. Deductible	10,000	10,000	10,000	0.00%
Leased Vehicles	30,261	84,733	98,900	16.72%
Long-term Sick Leave	116,230	114,784	114,784	0.00%
Trust Funds				
Transportation Trust	19,476	-	-	0.00%
Total Revenues-All Funds	59,527,163	46,723,937	39,343,850	-15.80%

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General Fund	12,729,061	12,537,098	12,723,533		
Special Revenue Funds					
Public Health	269,877	242,564	241,932		
City-County Library	739,360	776,835	776,835		
County Roads & Bridges	2,879,435	2,867,604	2,867,604		
Airport	30,382	30,382	30,382		
Human Services	1,619,296	1,619,296	1,619,296		
Debt Service Fund	466,871	1,765,212	1,574,254		
Internal Service Funds					
Highway Department	-	-	-		
	18,734,282	19,838,991	19,833,836		
Less: Sales Tax	(2,917,872)	(2,560,000)	(2,536,000)		
Total Gen'l Property Tax-All Funds	15,816,410	17,278,991	17,297,836		

FUND BALANCES/NET ASSETS

Governmental Funds	25,795,157	26,452,680	24,379,412		
Proprietary Funds	21,038,997	21,075,325	21,043,623		

Shawano County outstanding indebtedness as of December 31, 2019 was \$ as follows:

Landfill			150,000		
Capital Improvement Projects-2009			205,000		
Capital Improvement Projects-2010			58,828		
Capital Improvement Projects-2012			395,000		
Capital Human Services Facility-2019			13,865,000		
Capital Improvement Project Jail Locks/ Disptach-2019			4,506,000		
Debt Service Fund			1,574,254		
Highway Department			-		
			19,833,836		
Less: Sales Tax			(2,536,000)		
Total Gen'l Property Tax-All Funds			17,297,836		

Respectfully submitted by the Shawano County Executive Committee:

Thomas Kautza - Chairman, Gerald Erdmann, Rick Giese,
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Dated: October 9, 2020

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DNR program accepting seedling orders

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources' Reforestation Program is accepting seedling orders from Wisconsin forest landowners for trees and shrubs to be planted in spring 2021.

Seedlings grown at the state nurseries are used for reforestation and conservation plantings on private, industrial and state/county forest lands. A minimum order consists of a packet of 300 trees or shrubs of the landowner's choosing in increments of 100 of each species, or 500 shrubs or 1,000 tree seedlings. Seedlings can also be purchased by youth groups and educational organizations for their reforestation and conservation planting projects.

For more than 100 years, the Wisconsin nurseries have provided high-quality seedlings of native species that are appropriate for planting throughout Wisconsin.

"The DNR Division of Forestry grows 3 (million) to 5 million seedlings annually," said Joseph Vande Hey, DNR reforestation team leader at the Wilson State Nursery in Boscobel. "Planting trees or shrubs is a great way to improve wildlife habitat, increase land value, reduce soil erosion, produce future wood products and improve the overall aesthetics of your property."

While the state nurseries have strong inventories of many different conifer, hardwood and shrub seedlings, Vande Hey suggests

ordering as early as possible.

"Some species sell out quickly, especially now that those affected by the previous year's tornadoes and windstorms are completing their cleanup efforts," he said. "These landowners are now looking to replace their lost forests."

Forest landowners may create an order using the online form found on the DNR website or by printing the order form and mailing it to the Griffith Nursery at 473 Griffith Ave., Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494. Customers may also contact the reforestation staff or their local DNR forester for personal assistance.

Regardless of how a customer orders, all orders are batched and entered into the system at random,

ensuring that everyone has the same opportunity to procure the seedlings they need.

Along with the online form, customers can also find current tree and shrub inventory, tree planting tips and more on the reforestation section of the DNR website.

In addition to growing seedlings for use in Wisconsin, the reforestation program participates in research efforts, including tree improvement, nursery soils, nursery insect and disease and reforestation monitoring efforts. DNR nurseries also purchases tree seeds collected by state residents.

For information, call 715-424-3700.

Website update helps farmers conduct business with USDA

An update to farmers.gov offsite link image now provides access to farmers and ranchers who are members of an entity, as well as individuals and entities with pow-

ers of attorney, to conduct online business with USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service.

Additionally, online services once available through NRCS's

Conservation Client Gateway will be moved to farmers.gov in the coming weeks.

"Here at NRCS, we are committed to providing excellent customer service, whether it's through our network of USDA Service Centers across the country or online at farmers.gov where we have new self-service features related to our conservation programs," said Angela Biggs, state conservationist in Wisconsin. "We're proud to announce that both farmers and ranchers acting as entities as well as those acting on a farmer's behalf have access to self-service options online."

Self-service features were added to farmers.gov in June, and this latest update expands the scope to include farmers and ranchers who are members of an entity, as well as people with a power of attorney form on file with USDA's Farm Service Agency.

Now on farmers.gov, producers, entities and those acting on their behalf can securely interact with NRCS, sign and download documents and view conservation contract information. Once entity or power of attorney information is filed with FSA, farmers.gov automatically gives customers access to their profile and any other profiles

they have the authority to represent in the customer's farmers.gov account. This is an upgrade from the client gateway system that required producers to request access as an entity or power of attorney and provide documentation.

Producers can access these conservation features by desktop computer, tablet or phone.

To access their information, producers will need a USDA eAuth account to log in to farmers.gov. After obtaining an eAuth account, producers should visit farmers.gov offsite link image and sign into the site's authenticated portal via the "Sign In/Sign Up" link offsite link image at the top right of the website.

Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox or Microsoft Edge are the recommended browsers to access the feature.

Client gateway's functionalities are being moved to farmers.gov to give producers one place to do business with NRCS, FSA, and other USDA agencies.

Current client gateway users can use their existing login and password to access the conservation features on farmers.gov. The system will be maintained and supported until all core components are moved to farmers.gov later this year.

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Erdmann reviews tree committee work

Former chairman called tenure fun and meaningful

By DAVID WILHELMS
Correspondent

Bill Erdmann, who stepped down this past summer from the city of Shawano's Tree Advisory Committee, looks back on 18 years as chairman as "fun and meaningful"

Erdmann said his greatest accomplishment was Franklin Park's development. He called it the most extensive in terms of tree planting, the biggest and most satisfying.

His second biggest accomplishment was organizing and presiding over the Nature's Friend award, a part of the annual Arbor Day celebration. He said he took on the event after the death of Al Waelchli, former city forester.

"After that, it was my project," Erdmann said.

The Nature's Friend award is given



Bill Erdmann takes in a late morning in the backyard of his Shawano home. The heavily treed lot reflects Erdmann's advocacy of trees for the city and his long tenure on the Tree Advisory Committee. He said he doesn't have a favorite tree in the city but likes maples at this time of year and also enjoys the city's large pine trees.

DAVID WILHELMS

annually to individuals who have shown leadership and commitment to

planting and protecting trees and landscape plants on their properties.

It was definitely not been a ceremonial or honorary position, Erdmann said. "It wasn't that we just sat on the committee and told the forester 'do this' or 'do that,'" he said. "I worked with them."

He pointed out the recent efforts in Co-op Park on Elizabeth Street and the earlier Kuckuk Park project where most committee members have showed up to help with planting or other chores.

The former information technology employee said he now enjoys the abundance of trees, especially along city streets. He added he doesn't have a favorite tree in the city, although he called a red oak at the city recreational center "outstanding." He allowed that he liked maples for their colors in the fall and also enjoys the city's large pine trees.

He stays interested and is looking forward to seeing the results of a recent tree census in Shawano.

Erdmann said Ronnie Cooper talked him into joining the committee, but he added he grew up on a farm and received a degree in agriculture from the vocational school in Wausau, now Northcentral Technical College. "So I had some aptitude," Erdmann said.

He stayed on the committee because "when you get on these things, you never get off. But it interested me."

A committee goal has been to replant at least one tree for every one that has died. "You have a lot of loss. People don't realize how many trees die every year," he said.

He also recalled working with Mike Harris and Mike Kroenke, the current city forester.

Trees do a lot of things besides look nice, Erdmann said. He gave as examples the shade over streets keeps them from getting too hot in the summer, and trees protect property from winter storms.

They also make a city more attractive to people who want to relocate and add resale value to a property, he said.

Another goal has been to diversify the trees planted and maintained on city property, Erdmann said. He called it devastating when trees have diseases like Dutch Elm Disease or Oak Wilt.

He agrees with a Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources recommendation that no single species account for more than 5% of trees planted in a year, and each site should have five to six different species. Erdmann also acknowledged the state agency as a good partner.

Erdmann noted the desired tree species have changed over the years, as arborists find diseases or other problems.

"It's not like years ago when we planted only elm trees," he said.

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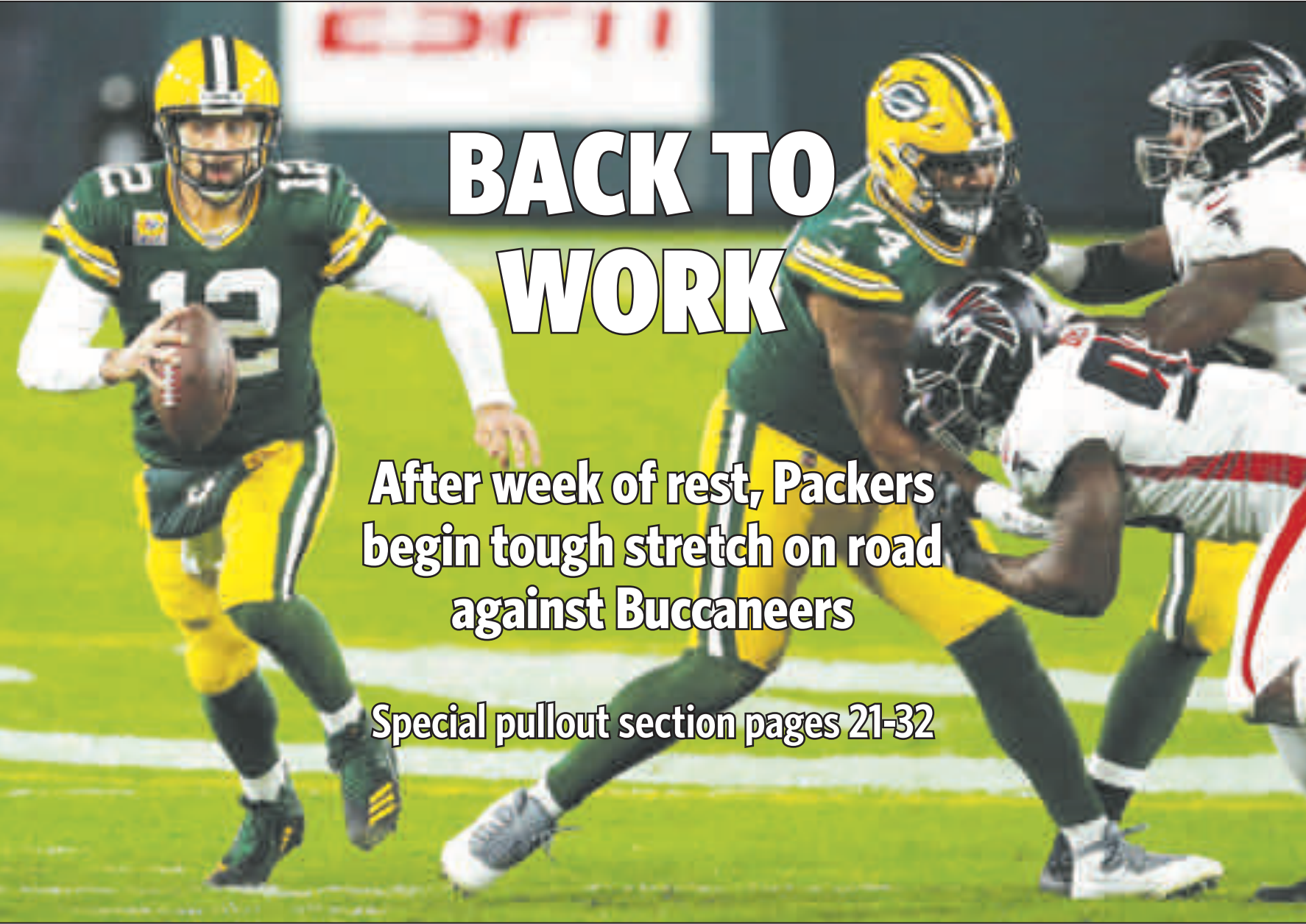
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Green Bay hoping to continue strong start

Packers could return several players, while Buccaneers could be missing several big pieces

By **MORGAN RODE**
Sports Editor

Fresh off their bye week, the Green Bay Packers are now gearing up to play their toughest stretch of games.

First up for the red-hot Pack is a road contest with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers on Sunday.

The Bucs' roster underwent a roster overhaul during the off-season, with the signing of quarterback Tom Brady dominating the headlines. Despite all the additions, Tampa Bay is off to just a 3-2 start, including a one-point loss to the Chicago Bears to kick off week five.

The Buccaneers offense amassed 339 total yards in the loss to the Bears — which was just under their average of 365 for the season. Tampa's defense surrendered 243 total yards — even better than its season average of 298.2.

Hoping to avoid a two-game losing streak and keep pace in the NFC South, the Buccaneers will try and bounce back against the Packers.

While the record might suggest the Bucs are a slightly above average team, Packers coach Matt LaFleur doesn't see things that way.

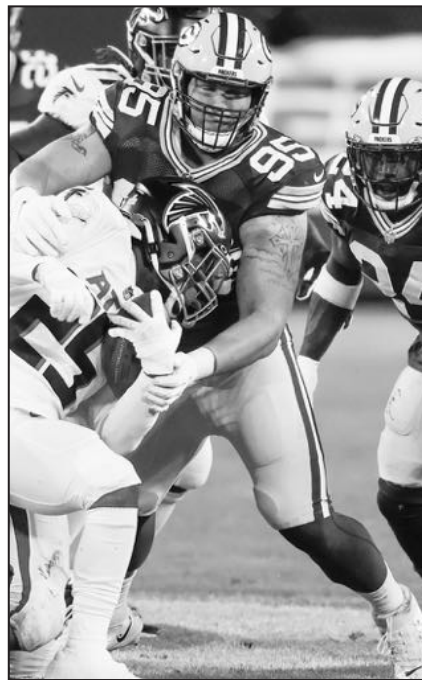
"They're as good as any team, I feel, in the league," said LaFleur during his Monday press conference. "When you look at their roster, they got great coaches that have proven success so we got a great challenge in front of us..."

Like Green Bay, Tampa Bay has been hampered by injuries to some key players. The teams seem to be trending in opposite directions in that regard though.

The Buccaneers lost tight end O.J. Howard two weeks ago to a ruptured Achilles tendon and then saw defensive lineman Vita Vea leave the Bears game with a broken right leg. Receiver Chris Godwin has missed three of the team's past four games.

The Packers will be without rookie tight end Josiah Deguara the rest of the season after he tore his ACL, but the team could get several others back.

Receiver Davante Adams and defensive lineman Kenny Clark both were listed as questionable heading into the game against the Atlanta



Green Bay Packers defensive tackle Tyler Lancaster (95) tackles Atlanta Falcons running back Ito Smith (25) during a game on Oct. 5 in Green Bay. Lancaster and the Packers defense will be tasked with slowing down the Buccaneers loaded offense on Sunday.

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Falcons, and after not playing and then having the bye week, both players are expected to be back on the field this Sunday.

Linebacker Rashan Gary and tight end Marcedes Lewis could also return for the Packers after missing the Falcons game.

Despite some of the big injury issues facing Tampa Bay, LaFleur still sees plenty of playmakers on both sides of the ball.

"Offensively, they're capable of some big-time plays — they got great skill positions," said LaFleur. "I think their o-line is really good. And then obviously, they got a Hall of Fame quarterback."

"They got two extraordinary runners. They just got a lot of good pieces."

Going into Sunday's game, receiver Mike Evans will serve as the biggest threat as a pass-catcher for Tampa. Should Godwin miss the game, the Bucs might lean on rookie receiver Tyler Johnson again after his four-catch, 61-yard showing against Chicago.

Even with Howard out, Tampa



Green Bay Packers running back Aaron Jones (33) runs during the win over the Atlanta Falcons on Oct. 5 in Green Bay. Jones and the Packers rushing attack will face a stiff test against the Buccaneers on Sunday.

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Bay has plenty of tight end talent remaining, including Rob Gronkowski and Cameron Brate.

Ronald Jones II and Leonard Fournette are the two backs LaFleur was talking about. The duo has just under 500 rushing yards and three touchdowns combined already, although Fournette is dealing with an ankle injury that limited him to one offensive snap against Chicago.

"Defensively, going against (defensive coordinator) Todd Bowles a few times, I think he's a tough guy to go against," said LaFleur. "They have a really sound defense that can present a lot of different challenges. They've got playmakers and they're very, very fast on the defensive side of the ball."

With Vea out, the Buccaneers might have to send more bodies at Packers quarterback Aaron Rodgers on blitzes, which would open up some opportunities in the passing game.

The absence of Vea could also open up the running game a bit for Green Bay's Aaron Jones and Jamaal Williams. Tampa Bay comes

into the contest allowing a league-low of 58.4 rush yards per game.

Tampa's pass defense has been average so far, so with Adams back, the Packers offense could be in store for another big showing.

Sunday's game will serve as a big measuring stick for the Packers.

"It's going to be a great challenge for us and we're going to have to put our best effort throughout the week in our preparation to go down there and get the result that we want to get," said LaFleur.

Fans in the stands

For the first time in the 2020 season, the Packers will play a game in front of fans.

It's expected for Raymond James Stadium to have approximately 25 percent of its seating capacity for Sunday's showdown. The stadium has a capacity of 65,890.

"Even though it's going to be a limited number of people, I think just the opportunity to kind of get a little bit of feel of what is normal to them, I think it will be good for us," said LaFleur.

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PACKERS

Active

#	NAME	POS.	EXP.
2	Mason Crosby	K	14
6	JK Scott	P	3
8	Tim Boyle	QB	3
10	Jordan Love	QB	R
12	Aaron Rodgers	QB	16
17	Davante Adams	WR	7
20	Kevin King	CB	4
23	Jaire Alexander	CB	3
24	Raven Greene	S	3
25	Will Redmond	S	5
26	Darnell Savage	S	2
28	AJ Dillon	RB	R
29	Ka'dar Hollman	CB	2
30	Jamaal Williams	RB	4
31	Adrian Amos	S	6
32	Tyler Ervin	RB	5
33	Aaron Jones	RB	4
35	Parry Nickerson	CB	3
36	Vernon Scott	S	R
37	Josh Jackson	CB	3
39	Chandon Sullivan	CB	3
42	Oren Burks	LB	3
43	Hunter Bradley	LS	3
44	Ty Summers	LB	2
45	John Lovett	TE	2
51	Krys Barnes	LB	R
52	Rashan Gary	LB	2
53	Jonathan Garvin	LB	R
55	Za'Darius Smith	LB	6
56	Randy Ramsey	LB	1
62	Lucas Patrick	G	4
63	Corey Linsley	C	7
69	David Bakhtiari	T	8
71	Rick Wagner	T	8
73	Yosh Nijman	T	1
74	Elgton Jenkins	G	2
76	Jon Runyan	G	R
77	Billy Turner	G/T	7
81	Josiah Deguara	TE	R
82	Darrius Shepherd	WR	2
83	Marquez Valdes-Scantling	WR	3
85	Robert Tonyan	TE	3
86	Malik Taylor	WR	1
87	Jace Sternberger	TE	2
89	Mercedes Lewis	TE	15
90	Montravius Adams	DL	4
91	Preston Smith	LB	6
94	Dean Lowry	DL	5
95	Tyler Lancaster	DL	3
96	Kingsley Keke	DL	2
97	Kenny Clark	DL	5

Reserve/Injured

13	Allen Lazard	WR	2
19	Equanimeous St. Brown	WR	3
48	Kabion Ento	CB	1
54	Kamal Martin	LB	R
58	Christian Kirksey	LB	7
65	Lane Taylor	G	8

Reserve/Non-Football Injury

27	Patrick Taylor	RB	R
72	Simon Stepaniak	G	R

Practice Squad

16	Robert Foster	WR	3
22	Dexter Williams	RB	2
41	Henry Black	S	R
46	Stanford Samuels	CB	R
49	Dominique Dafney	TE	R
50	Tipa Galeai	LB	R
59	De'Jon Harris	LB	R
67	Jake Hanson	C	R
68	Zack Johnson	G	R
78	Ryan Pope	T	1
80	Nakia Griffin-Stewart	TE	R
84	Reggie Begelton	WR	1
88	Juwann Winfree	WR	2
93	Billy Winn	DL	7
98	Delontae Scott	DL	R
99	Wilmington Previlon	DL	R

Reserve/Opt-Out

11	Devin Funchess	WR	6
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BUCCANEERS

Active

#	NAME	POS.	EXP.
3	Ryan Succop	K	12
4	Ryan Griffin	QB	7
8	Bradley Pinion	P	6
10	Scotty Miller	WR	2
11	Blaine Gabbert	QB	10
12	Tom Brady	QB	21
13	Mike Evans	WR	7
14	Chris Godwin	WR	4
15	Cyril Grayson	WR	1
17	Justin Watson	WR	3
18	Tyler Johnson	WR	R
23	Sean Murphy-Bunting	CB	2
24	Carlton Davis	CB	3
25	LeSean McCoy	RB	12
26	Andrew Adams	S	5
27	Ronald Jones II	RB	3
28	Leonard Fournette	RB	4
29	Ryan Smith	CB	5
30	Ke'Shawn Vaughn	RB	R
31	Antoine Winfield Jr.	S	R
32	Mike Edwards	S	2
33	Jordan Whitehead	S	3
35	Jamel Dean	CB	2
43	Ross Cockrell	CB	7
45	Devin White	ILB	2
49	Cam Gill	OLB	R
51	Kevin Minter	ILB	8
53	Chapelle Russell	ILB	R
54	Lavonte David	ILB	9
56	Rakeem Nunez-Roches	DL	6
57	Quinton Bell	OLB	1
58	Shaquil Barrett	OLB	7
62	A.Q. Shipley	C	9
64	Aaron Stinnie	G	3
65	Alex Cappa	G	3
66	Ryan Jensen	C	7
72	Josh Wells	T	6
73	Joe Haeg	T	5
74	Ali Marpet	G	6
76	Donovan Smith	T	6
78	Tristan Wirfs	T	R
79	Patrick O'Connor	DL	2
84	Cameron Brate	TE	6
85	Jaydon Mickens	WR	3
87	Rob Gronkowski	TE	10
88	Tanner Hudson	TE	2
90	Jason Pierre-Paul	OLB	11
92	William Gholston	DL	8
93	Ndamukong Suh	DL	11
94	Khalil Davis	DL	R
97	Zach Triner	LS	2
98	Anthony Nelson	OLB	2

Reserve/Injured

5	John Franklin	WR	1
6	John Hurst	WR	R
22	T.J. Logan	RB	4
48	Jack Cichy	ILB	3
50	Vita Vea	DL	3
75	John Molchon	G	R
80	O.J. Howard	TE	4
82	Antony Auclair	TE	4

Reserve/Physically Unable to Perform

21	Justin Evans	S	4
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Practice Squad

1	Greg Joseph	K	2
2	Josh Rosen	QB	3
16	Travis Jonsen	WR	R
19	Isaac Whitney	WR	2
34	Javon Hagan	S	R
36	Herb Miller	CB	1
38	D'Cota Dixon	S	2
41	Aca'Cedric Ware	RB	1
46	Tegray Scales	ILB	1
60	Nick Leverett	G	R
61	Zack Bailey	G	2
86	Codey McElroy	TE	1
89	Josh Pearson	WR	R
91	Benning Potoa'e	DL	R
95	Jeremiah Ledbetter	DL	2

Reserve/Opt-Out

62	Brad Seaton	T	1
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PACKERS NOTEBOOK

By **BILL HUBER**
Correspondent

Coming back healthier

Last season, the Green Bay Packers were one of the healthiest teams in the NFL. According to the subscription site ManGamesLost.com, they were the eighth-healthiest team based on number of games lost to injury.

Through week four of this season, the Packers ranked 16th in games lost. Two of the team's best players, receiver Davante Adams and defensive tackle Kenny Clark, have been sidelined by injuries. Moreover, cornerbacks Kevin King and Chandon Sullivan were unable to finish the Atlanta game.

So, while a week five bye might be too early — especially for a team that's been on a roll with a 4-0 start — coach Matt LaFleur was happy to get it ahead of this week's game at the powerful Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

"The bye hit at a pretty good time just in terms of trying to get some guys back," he said on Monday. "I think you're always a little concerned when you hit the pause button when you have that momentum because I think momentum is real and, once it goes one way or the other, it just gets rolling. But I thought it did give us an opportunity to look back and make sure we're doing things the right way in all three phases."

During a typical bye week, the players are free to leave town to go home or take a brief vacation. Due to coronavirus restrictions, however, the players had to stay in Green Bay. Thus, LaFleur relied on his position coaches to stay engaged with the players.

"Certainly, we were limited in the things that we could provide for them, in terms of we couldn't do anything outside our facility and then you have your limitations when you're inside your facility," he said. "So, it definitely was a challenge, but we've got a mature football team that I think handled themselves the right way and did what they have to do. We've got a big stretch in front of us. Anytime you have that early bye, it makes for a longer season."

Big-time Barnes

The Packers had only one player selected to ProFootballFocus.com's all-rookie team from the first four games of the season. It wasn't any of the draft picks. Rather, it was undrafted linebacker Krys Barnes.

Statistically, Barnes has been the



Green Bay Packers linebacker Krys Barnes (51) nearly intercepts a pass against the Atlanta Falcons in a game on Oct. 5 in Green Bay. Barnes has played a larger role than expected in the Packers defense after a couple injuries to starting linebackers.

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team's best linebacker. He is second on the team with 23 tackles (including two for losses) in 85 snaps. That's a tackle rate of one for every 3.70 snaps. Veteran addition Christian Kirksey, who is on injured reserve with a shoulder injury, has a team-leading 27 tackles (zero for losses) in 128 snaps, or one for every 4.74 snaps.

Barnes played a career-high 38 snaps against the Falcons. He had six tackles, was close to an interception and helped run the defense as the main communicator.

"No matter how many I did get, you just want to treat it like it was gold," Barnes said. "For me, to be able to get the chance to go out there and display my ability and contribute to the team in some sort of fashion is all I could ask for. It's tremendous for me to get out there and be able to see the things I want to see to get better at. Talking with my coach on this bye week, we covered some things to help me make that next step coming up for this next game."

Barnes got his shot due to injuries to Kirksey and fifth-round rookie Kamal Martin. Martin had won a

starting job but suffered a knee injury that required surgery late in training camp and sent him to injured reserve. He practiced for the first time since the surgery on Monday. It will be interesting to see when Martin is given some snaps on defense.

"It's a little different," Barnes said of game speed, "but I think we practice at a high speed. We practice going all out every chance that we get. We run to the ball. We're doing everything we're supposed to be doing so, by the time game time comes, it's not a surprise. For him, he's had a tremendous camp. He was drafted. He's a tremendous player all the way around, so we're excited to get him back hopefully here pretty soon and I'm excited to see him play and produce like we all know he will. So, I'm excited for him."

Summer swelter

Fall has arrived in Green Bay. Sunday's predicted high temperature is 45 with perhaps even a flurry of snow in the morning.

Summer, however, remains the season in Tampa. The predicted high for Sunday's game is 88. With that,

LaFleur cranked up the heat in the Don Hutson Center on Monday.

"I think that's a tough thing to simulate. We'll do our best," LaFleur said afterward. "We definitely had it cranked up in there and it was nice and 'sweltry,' if that's the right word. But our guys are going to have to do a great job during the week making sure that they're taking in the proper fluids because we don't want any problems on Sunday."

The Bucs' fine line

Tampa Bay's offensive line has powered the team's offensive success. In the running game, Ronald Jones is coming off back-to-back games of 100-plus rushing yards. In the passing game, the Bucs are sixth in opponent sack percentage.

"I think the most growth is on the offensive line," Buccaneers coach Bruce Arians told reporters this week. "We're running the ball at a really good rate right now, which sets up a lot of the play-action passes. Their pass protection has been outstanding. Everybody knows about our receivers and the backs, but the offensive line is playing at a really high level right now."

The running game has been important for quarterback Tom Brady. On play-action passes, he has a 70.6 percent completion rate and 114.1 passer rating. On standard passes, his completion percentage is 63.0 and his passer rating is 93.2.

That's a big difference, which is why stopping the run will be paramount for the Packers. While they're 25th in the league with 4.81 yards allowed per carry, they yielded only 3.12 against Atlanta. The return of Clark, who hasn't played since the second quarter at Minnesota in week one, should help.

"This game was certainly our best to date," defensive coordinator Mike Pettine said last week. "I just think some of the missed tackles, especially in the backfield, we still made plays but we had a chance to have an 8- or 9-yard loss but instead it was a no gain. Or we had a chance for a 4- or 5-yard loss and it ended up being a yard gain."

"So, some of it was not being able to finish. And then missing some tackles down on the goal line on both touchdowns, we had opportunities to get him on the ground and weren't able to. Always room for improvement there, but we just feel the d-line especially led by Tyler Lancaster, they really stepped up with Kenny being out and took the challenge."

GAME VITALS PACKERS DEPTH CHART

GREEN BAY PACKERS (4-0) at TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS (3-2)
WHEN: 3:25 p.m., Sunday
WHERE: Raymond James Stadium
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THE SERIES

Packers vs. Buccaneers
All-time, regular season: 32-21-1
All-time, postseason: 1-0
All-time, at Tampa Bay: 14-13-1
Streaks: The Green Bay Packers have won the past three matchups, but the teams have split their previous six meetings dating back to 2005.
Last meeting, regular season: Dec. 3, 2017, Packers won 26-20 in overtime at Lambeau Field.

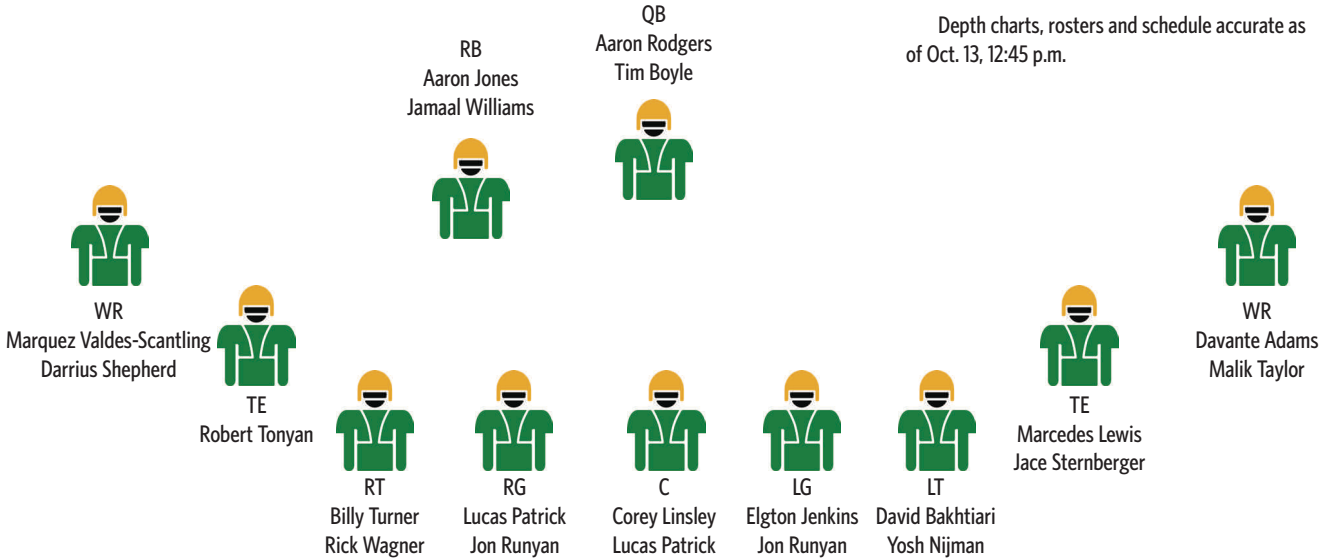
SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time	TV
Sept. 13	at Minnesota	Win 43-34	
Sept. 20	vs. Detroit	Win 42-21	
Sept. 27	at New Orleans	Win 37-30	
Oct. 5	vs. Atlanta	Win 30-16	
Oct. 11	BYE WEEK		
Oct. 18	at Tampa Bay	3:25 p.m.	FOX
Oct. 25	at Houston	noon	FOX
Nov. 1	vs. Minnesota	noon	FOX
Nov. 5	at San Francisco	7:20 p.m.	FOX
Nov. 15	vs. Jacksonville	noon	FOX
Nov. 22	at Indianapolis	noon	FOX
Nov. 29	vs. Chicago	7:20 p.m.	NBC
Dec. 6	vs. Philadelphia	3:25 p.m.	CBS
Dec. 13	at Detroit	noon	FOX
Dec. 19/20	vs. Carolina	TBD	TBD
Dec. 27	vs. Tennessee	7:20 p.m.	NBC
Jan. 3	at Chicago	noon	FOX

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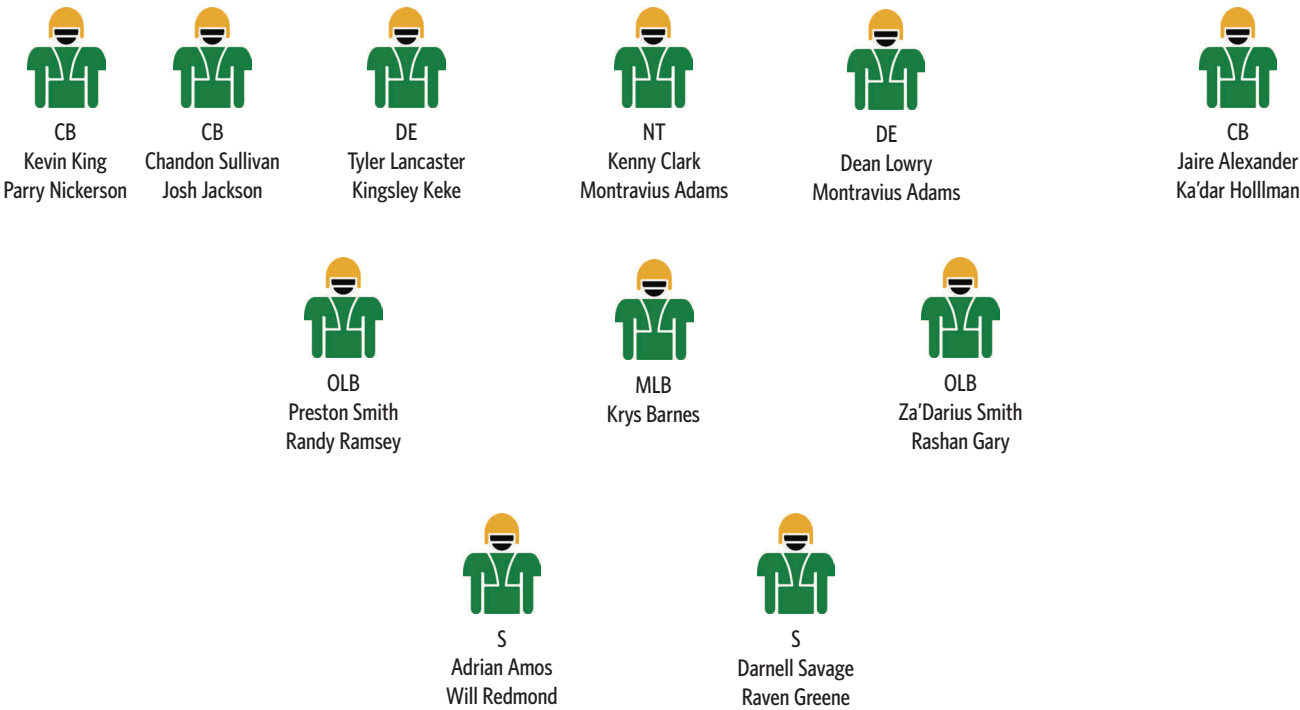
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Rob Gronkowski



RT
Tristan Wirfs
Joe Haeg



RG
Alex Cappa



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TE
Cameron Brate
Tanner Hudson



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ILB
Lavonte David



ILB
Devin White
Kevin Minter



OLB
Jason Pierre-Paul
Anthony Nelson



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Antoine Winfield Jr.
Mike Edwards



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Jordan Whitehead
Andrew Adams



2020 NFL STANDINGS

AFC East				NFC East			
Team	W	L	T	Team	W	L	T
Buffalo	4	1	0	Dallas	2	3	0
New England	2	2	0	Philadelphia	1	3	1
Miami	2	3	0	Washington	1	4	0
N.Y. Jets	0	5	0	N.Y. Giants	0	5	0
North				North			
Team	W	L	T	Team	W	L	T
Pittsburgh	4	0	0	Green Bay	4	0	0
Baltimore	4	1	0	Chicago	4	1	0
Cleveland	4	1	0	Detroit	1	3	0
Cincinnati	1	3	1	Minnesota	1	4	0
South				South			
Team	W	L	T	Team	W	L	T
Tennessee	4	0	0	New Orleans	3	2	0
Indianapolis	3	2	0	Tampa Bay	3	2	0
Houston	1	4	0	Carolina	3	2	0
Jacksonville	1	4	0	Atlanta	0	5	0
West				West			
Team	W	L	T	Team	W	L	T
Kansas City	4	1	0	Seattle	5	0	0
Las Vegas	3	2	0	L.A. Rams	4	1	0
Denver	1	3	0	Arizona	3	2	0
L.A. Chargers	1	4	0	San Francisco	2	3	0

SCHEDULE

Sunday's Games
Denver at New England, noon
Houston at Tennessee, noon
Cleveland at Pittsburgh, noon
Baltimore at Philadelphia, noon
Washington at N.Y. Giants, noon
Atlanta at Minnesota, noon
Detroit at Jacksonville, noon
Cincinnati at Indianapolis, noon
Chicago at Carolina, noon
N.Y. Jets at Miami, 3:05 p.m.
Green Bay at Tampa Bay, 3:25 p.m.
L.A. Rams at San Francisco, 7:20 p.m.

Monday's Games
Kansas City at Buffalo, 4 p.m.
Arizona at Dallas, 7:15 p.m.

Thursday's Game
N.Y. Giants at Philadelphia, 7:20 p.m.

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Teams on bye:

Las Vegas, New England, New Orleans, Seattle

Kansas City @ Buffalo Thurs., Oct. 15

Chicago @ Carolina

Detroit @ Jacksonville

Cincinnati @ Indianapolis

Atlanta @ Minnesota

Washington @ NY Giants

Cleveland @ Pittsburgh

Houston @ Tennessee

Miami @ Denver

NY Jets @ LA Chargers

Green Bay @ Tampa Bay

LA Rams @ San Francisco

Arizona @ Dallas Mon., Oct. 19

Tie Breaker Game: Baltimore @ Philadelphia

Weekly Standings

	Weekly Record	Overall Record
Dennis Bnei	10-4	55-21-1
Robertson Ryan	9-5	55-21-1
Aspen	11-3	54-22-1
Senn Insurance	9-5	54-22-1
Twig's Beverage	9-5	54-22-1
Buss Automotive	11-3	52-24-1
Generations	9-5	51-25-1
Hawkeye	8-6	51-25-1
Tim Murphy	8-6	51-25-1
Tower Clock Eye Center	9-5	51-25-1

Weekly Standings

	Weekly Record	Overall Record
22 Shell	8-6	50-26-1
Shawano Four Seasons	10-4	50-26-1
State Farm-Idell Johnston	9-5	50-26-1
Morgan Rode	10-4	49-27-1
Shawano Health Services	10-4	48-28-1
American Marine	8-6	47-29-1
The Cottages	9-5	47-29-1
Warren Nett	8-6	47-29-1
Smokey Joe's	10-4	46-30-1
Gene's Flooring	9-5	45-31-1



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This Week's Picks:

Kansas City Pittsburgh Dallas
Chicago Houston
Jacksonville Denver
Indianapolis LA Chargers
Minnesota Green Bay
NY Giants San Francisco

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 31 @ Philadelphia 17



Dennis Bnei
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This Week's Picks:

Kansas City Cleveland Arizona
Chicago Tennessee
Detroit Miami
Indianapolis LA Chargers
Minnesota Green Bay
Washington LA Rams

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 31 @ Philadelphia 21



Aspen
New Media

This Week's Picks:

Buffalo Pittsburgh Dallas
Carolina Tennessee
Jacksonville Miami
Indianapolis LA Chargers
Minnesota Green Bay
NY Giants LA Rams

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 31 @ Philadelphia 21



Tim Murphy
New Media

This Week's Picks:

Kansas City Pittsburgh Arizona
Chicago Tennessee
Detroit Miami
Indianapolis LA Chargers
Minnesota Tampa Bay
NY Giants LA Rams

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 27 @ Philadelphia 10

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This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Arizona
Chicago	Tennessee	
Detroit	Miami	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Atlanta	Green Bay	
Washington	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 27 @ Philadelphia 12



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This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Arizona
Carolina	Tennessee	
Detroit	Denver	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
NY Giants	San Francisco	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 31 @ Philadelphia 17



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This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Cleveland	Arizona
Chicago	Tennessee	
Jacksonville	Denver	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
Washington	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 27 @ Philadelphia 13



Robert Buss
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Automotive

This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Dallas
Carolina	Tennessee	
Detroit	Miami	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
NY Giants	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 35 @ Philadelphia 17



Shane Senn
Senn
Insurance

This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Cleveland	Arizona
Carolina	Tennessee	
Detroit	Miami	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
NY Giants	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 31 @ Philadelphia 24



Jim Wiegand
Tower Clock
Eye Center

This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Arizona
Chicago	Houston	
Detroit	Miami	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
Washington	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 27 @ Philadelphia 13



Emma
Generations

This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Arizona
Carolina	Tennessee	
Detroit	Miami	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
Washington	San Francisco	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 28 @ Philadelphia 20



Miranda
Shawano
Health Services

This Week's Picks:

Buffalo	Pittsburgh	Dallas
Chicago	Tennessee	
Detroit	Miami	
Cincinnati	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
Washington	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 28 @ Philadelphia 10



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Twig's
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This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Cleveland	Arizona
Chicago	Tennessee	
Jacksonville	Miami	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Atlanta	Green Bay	
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Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 35 @ Philadelphia 17



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Flooring

This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Cleveland	Arizona
Chicago	Houston	
Detroit	Denver	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
NY Giants	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 24 @ Philadelphia 28



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22 Shell

This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Arizona
Carolina	Tennessee	
Detroit	Miami	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
Washington	San Francisco	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 35 @ Philadelphia 16



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Warren Nett
& Associates

This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Arizona
Chicago	Tennessee	
Jacksonville	Denver	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
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Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 24 @ Philadelphia 17



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This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Dallas
Chicago	Tennessee	
Jacksonville	Denver	
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Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 28 @ Philadelphia 21



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This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Dallas
Chicago	Tennessee	
Detroit	Denver	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
NY Giants	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 23 @ Philadelphia 20



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This Week's Picks:

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Chicago	Tennessee	
Detroit	Miami	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
NY Giants	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 27 @ Philadelphia 13



Caroline
Idell Johnston, Agent

This Week's Picks:

Kansas City	Pittsburgh	Dallas
Chicago	Tennessee	
Detroit	Denver	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Minnesota	Green Bay	
NY Giants	LA Rams	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Baltimore 35 @ Philadelphia 21

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1 Sunday, September 13 12 p.m.	at Minnesota Vikings FOX
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5	BYE WEEK
6 Sunday, October 18 7:25 p.m.	at Tampa Bay Buccaneers FOX
7 Sunday, October 25 12 p.m.	at Houston Texans FOX
8 Sunday, November 1 12 p.m.	MINNESOTA VIKINGS FOX
9 Thursday, November 5 7:20 p.m.	at San Francisco 49ers FOX
10 Sunday, November 15 12 p.m.	JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS FOX
11 Sunday, November 22 12 p.m.	at Indianapolis Colts FOX
12 Sunday, November 29 7:20 p.m.	CHICAGO BEARS NBC
13 Sunday, December 6 7:25 p.m.	PHILADELPHIA EAGLES CBS
14 Sunday, December 13 12 p.m.	at Detroit Lions FOX
15 December 19 or 20 TBD	CAROLINA PANTHERS TBD
16 Sunday, December 27 7:20 p.m.	TENNESSEE TITANS NBC
17 Sunday, January 3 12 p.m.	at Chicago Bears FOX



Green Bay Packers cornerback Kevin King, left, cannot bring down Atlanta Falcons running back Todd Gurley during a game on Oct. 5 in Green Bay. King and the Packers defense will try and hold the Buccaneers offense in check this Sunday.

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KEYS TO THE GAME

By BILL HUBER
Correspondent

The Green Bay Packers (4-0) host the Tampa Bay Buccaneers (3-2) at 3:25 p.m. Sunday at Raymond James Stadium in Tampa Bay. FOX televises the game.

Coaches

Green Bay — Matt LaFleur, second season (17-3). Tampa Bay — Bruce Arians, second season with Buccaneers (59-41-1 overall in eight seasons; 10-11 with Buccaneers).

History

Packers lead 32-21-1 and won the last three matchups.

When the Packers have the ball

This will be the biggest challenge to date for Green Bay's offense, which is No. 1 in the league in scoring and has moved the ball exceptionally well on the ground and through the air.

Tampa Bay, which operates out of an attacking 3-4 alignment, is eighth in the NFL with 22.4 points allowed

per game. The Buccaneers are 11th in opponent passer rating and have been an impenetrable force vs. the run. They have allowed 2.68 yards per carry, which leads the NFL by almost two-thirds of a yard, and given up less than 50 rushing yards in each of their last three games.

That run defense suffered a major blow when run-stuffing defensive tackle Vita Vea suffered a season-ending injury vs. Chicago. Now, longtime standout Ndamukong Suh is joined by Rakeem Nunez-Roches and William Gholston on the line. If the Packers are going to run the football, it will be because of their success blocking that group.

"I don't know if there was a better nose tackle out there," Arians said of Vea. "He was getting sacks. He was getting pressure up the middle. (He) got hurt on a great hustle play on the side going back and forth and it was really friendly fire that got his leg. He was playing really, really well."

Running the ball will be critical because the Bucs can bring an enormous

amount of pressure through their front. Outside linebackers Shaquil Barrett and Jason Pierre-Paul might be the best tandem of pass rushers in the NFL.

Last season, Barrett led the NFL with 19.5 sacks and added six forced fumbles while Pierre-Paul contributed 8.5 sacks. This season, Pierre-Paul has a team-high four sacks while Barrett has three. Barrett will rush almost exclusively against right tackle Billy Turner. While Barrett and Pierre-Paul provide the sacks, Gholston (seven) and Suh (six) lead the way in quarterback hits.

At inside linebacker, Devin White (40 tackles) and Lavonte David (39) are the leading tacklers. They have speed to burn and a nose for the football. David is an elite coverage defender, as well.

When quarterbacks have had time, they've had success with a 70.9 percent completion rate but seven touchdowns vs. six interceptions. The secondary is formed by cornerbacks Carlton Davis and Sean Murphy-Bunting and safe-

ties Antoine Winfield Jr. and Jordan Whitehead.

In passing situations, Murphy-Bunting moves to the slot and Jamel Dean enters. Davis is tied for the NFL lead with three interceptions and leads the team with six passes defended.

Murphy-Bunting has been by far the weakest link. Dean broke up four passes against Chicago. Whitehead is in constant attack mode. He leads the team with five tackles for losses. He and Winfield each have two sacks.

When the Buccaneers have the ball

The free-agent addition of six-time Super Bowl-winning quarterback Tom Brady made the Buccaneers instant contenders. While he hasn't been great, he's been an enormous upgrade over Jameis Winston, who threw a franchise-killing 30 interceptions last year. Brady has led the team to an 11th-ranked 27.8 points per game.

Brady, who has 12 touchdowns vs. four interceptions, is just 16th with a passer rating of 96.8.

He's been challenged by a revolving

door of players at the skill positions. Receiver Chris Godwin, who led the team with 86 receptions for 1,333 yards and nine touchdowns last season, has caught only 11 passes this season. He missed time with a concussion and then the last two games with a hamstring injury. Arians is hopeful he'll be back this week. Plus, tight end O.J. Howard is out with a torn Achilles.

If Godwin is back, the Buccaneers will line up with Godwin and Mike Evans as the receivers, Rob Gronkowski and Cameron Brate as the tight ends, and Ronald Jones, Leonard Fournette and LeSean McCoy as the running backs.

Green Bay's cornerbacks turned in a strong performance vs. Atlanta receivers Julio Jones and Calvin Ridley last week. They'll have to do it again.

The 6-foot-5 Evans leads the team with 22 receptions, 271 yards and six touchdowns. He's scored in every game. Godwin has 4.42 speed in the 40 to get behind defenses. If healthy, Kevin King presumably would line up against Evans while Jaire Alexander would square off against Godwin.

At tight end, Gronkowski came out of retirement to join Brady. Perhaps the best tight end of the era, he hasn't done much as a receiver or a blocker. He's caught 12 passes for 140 yards and hasn't scored.

Jones is the main man in the backfield with 359 rushing yards. He has averaged 4.9 yards per carry for the season and has back-to-back 100-yard games. Fournette is the former Jacksonville bruiser. McCoy, once an elite player, is more of a receiver (nine catches) than runner (two attempts).

Up front, it's left tackle Donovan Smith, left guard Ali Marpet, center Ryan Jensen, right guard Alex Cappa and right tackle Tristan Wirfs, the team's first-round pick. It's a strong unit, with Marpet being the best of the bunch. According to Pro Football Focus, Smith has given up three sacks.

Special teams

Kicker Ryan Succop is 9-of-11 on field goals; he's 7-of-7 from inside of the 40 yards but 2-of-4 from beyond. He's in his 12th season. Last season with Tennessee, he made just one of his six attempts but is 82.2 percent for his career.

Punter Bradley Pinion is averaging 46.7 yards per punt and is 11th with a net average of 42.0 yards. He also handles kickoffs, with 26 of his 29 kicks producing touchbacks.

Jaydon Mickens handles returns. He is averaging 22.0 yards per kickoff return and 6.8 yards per punt return. He returned a punt for a touchdown in 2017.

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"We are extremely grateful to Reach Out and Read Wisconsin for this generous donation," said Stephanie Piwoni, a staff member at ThedaCare Physicians Pediatrics-Neenah. "Through these books, parents and caregivers will be supported in building skills to develop bonds with their children, enhancing their development."

ThedaCare clinics have been participating in the Reach Out and Read program for several years. This year marked a milestone as every ThedaCare clinic is now participating in the program — including Shawano, Tigerton and Clintonville. Shawano received 130 books for the program, while 25 went to Clintonville and 10 went to Tigerton.

Reach Out and Read started as a local initiative between ThedaCare-Shawano and neighboring clinics in Tigerton and Clintonville before it became a systemwide initiative, according to ThedaCare spokeswoman Cassandra Wallace.

During regularly scheduled checkups from 6 months to 5 years, children's books are used to assess developmental status of children and model engagement techniques with parents. They are given to the child to take home and enjoy again. Through Reach Out and Read, each child starts kindergarten with a home library of up to eight books.

In this program, medical providers use the Well Child visits to talk with families about the importance of talking, singing and reading aloud with babies from birth on.

"The provider will be using this as an opportunity to do some developmental surveillance. So, when they hand the child the book, they can see how the child interacts with it and how the parent or caregiver interacts with the child and the book," Piwoni said. "They look for developmentally appropriate things and can then have a conversation with the



Stephanie Piwoni, left, of ThedaCare Physicians Pediatrics-Neenah, receives books from Karin Mahony, Reach Out and Read Wisconsin project manager. CONTRIBUTED

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Temporomandibular disorders a pain in the neck

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Symptoms of TMD include pain (which may occur in or around the ear), difficulty chewing, clicking or locking of the jaw or a combination of these. Unfortunately, TMD is not an uncommon problem, occurring in about 10% of the population.

Most symptoms are mild in nature, vary over time and don't cause severe disability. But some people with TMD progress to chronic TMD and suffer with serious pain and disability.



BRIAN GRIEVES

Many health care professionals believe that symptoms arise from problems with the muscles of the jaw or with the joint itself. However, there is also some evidence of the interconnection between the cervical spine (neck) and TMD.

The underlying cause of TMD is not clear and can be difficult to determine. It may be due to a combination of factors such as injury, stress, jaw alignment and clenching or grinding of teeth.

A recent research study found the endurance of the muscles in the neck was 45% lower in people with TMD versus who didn't have TMD. These results suggested weakness in the muscles of the neck play a role in TMD.

Findings from other clinical studies also support the connection between cervical spine muscles, the jaw and jaw muscles. In one such study, a group of patients with neck pain syndrome received pain injections into various trigger points of the neck and upper back.

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and the cervical muscles that could explain the overlapping of symptoms between patients with jaw and neck pain.

Knowing more about the connection between the muscles of the cervical spine and jaw can aid clinicians in evaluating and treating TMD.

Endurance testing of the cervical spine in patients with TMD is a prudent protocol. Fortunately, there are established exercise programs that can effectively improve the endurance the cervical spine muscles.

Dr. Brian Grieves is a doctor of chiropractic with a master's in public health and a member of the Shawano Community Health Action Team (CHAT). Call 715-524-8722 for more information.



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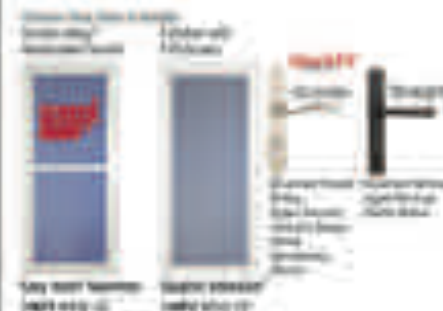
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“Early detection saves lives, so please get your mammograms,” said Dr. Colette Salm-Schmid, breast surgeon for Prevea Health. “You can be assured that amidst this pandemic we are all facing, that we have taken every step possible to ensure your health and safety while in our care, and we are here and ready to care for your breast health. Make October the month you remember your mammogram.”

All women should talk with their health care providers about the appropriate timing for screening mammograms, especially women who are age 40 or at high risk. A mammogram schedule will be based upon an individual’s health. At age 40, any woman may wish to begin regular screening mammograms. By age 45, women should have a screening mammogram and continue to have one at least every other year.

There are many factors that can contribute to the cause of breast cancer in women and men:

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Common steroids may reduce COVID-19 deaths

Drugs not a cure, but may help critically ill patients

The use of three common corticosteroid drugs reduced deaths by up to 30% for those seriously ill with COVID-19, the Journal of the American Medical Association reported in early September.

"This is very encouraging news," said Dr. Jennifer Frank, chief medical officer of the ThedaCare Clinically Integrated Network. "The novel SARS-CoV-2 virus, commonly known as COVID-19, is a challenging disease to treat because it is so different from other coronaviruses. This is an important step in the treatment of COVID-19 and highlights the benefits of the worldwide



JENNIFER FRANK

health care community working together. It offers hope for the continuing discovery of more treatment options." Corticosteroids are anti-inflammatory drugs that reduce the effects of an overactive immune system when reacting to a disease, Frank explained.

The World Health Organization coordinated the analysis of seven independent studies that took place in Britain, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Spain and the United States between February and June of this year. The studies involved more than 1,700 critically ill patients who were hospitalized in intensive care units and supported by ventilators or receiving other oxygen support.

The findings led the WHO, in early September, to recommend corticosteroids for the treatment of patients with severe and critical COVID-19 disease, but not for non-severe cases.

The WHO cautioned that giving steroids to those with moderate or mild cases of COVID-19 might dampen the immune system of those patients and allow the virus to increase its activity within their bodies. It could also deplete the supply of available corticosteroids.

The U.S. National Institutes of Health also supports the use of corticosteroids for those on ventilators or other oxygen support because of COVID-19. Frank noted that corticosteroids do not directly attack the coronavirus, but rather prevent it from attacking the lungs, which can result in a serious and often fatal condition called acute respiratory distress syndrome, which has re-

sulted in vast numbers of COVID-19 deaths throughout the world.

She cautioned that while the discovery that corticosteroids can reduce deaths from COVID-19 is important news, these drugs do not prevent the disease.

"We have no cures for COVID-19 at this time and vaccines are still under development," she said. "That means it is still extremely important that people continue to follow the common prevention guidelines.

"The new information about steroids is not an excuse to relax from preventive behaviors," Frank said. "COVID-19 is still a dangerous disease, and it is imperative that we continue to follow the guidelines recommended to reduce the spread of the disease and protect those who are most vulnerable to becoming seriously ill. Until there are reliable vaccines, these guidelines will need to be followed."

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Area organizations receive Packers grants

Local groups receive part of \$1 million awarded through Packers Foundation

Three area organizations are among the 237 groups statewide to receive a portion of \$1 million awarded through Packers Foundation.

Kingdom Come, Inc. Oconto Falls; St. Michael's Parish, Keshena and Shawano Area Matthew 25 Inc, were named as grant recipients. The amount of individual grants was not disclosed.

The Green Bay Packers Foundation announced this week it has distributed \$1 million in annual grants to 237 civic and charitable groups throughout the state of Wisconsin in its annual distribution of grants. Tom Cardella, chairperson of the foundation, made the announcement, and checks recently were mailed to the organizations.

The recipient groups typically receive the grants at a luncheon in the Lambeau Field Atrium in December, but due to the pandemic, this year's grants were issued earlier to assist those organizations impacted by the pandemic.

Through Kingdom Come, Inc, funds will support the only weekly food pantry in Oconto County by helping with the purchase of quality food and milk for its clients. At St. Michael's

Parish, the grant will pay some of the costs associated with the purchase of vegetables and fruit in addition to meat, milk, butter, cheese, and egg, as well as costs associated with fuel, truck maintenance and facility repairs.

In Shawano, the grant will pay for laundry and snow removal expenses associated with SAM's house, an emergency housing shelter operated by Shawano Area Matthew 25, Inc.

"We're proud to award \$1 million through our annual Packers Foundation grants this year, a year in which many nonprofits are seeing a greater need in their communities due to the pandemic," Packers President/CEO Mark Murphy said. "So many people from the recipient organizations are on the front lines, and we are inspired by them and honored to help as they continue to serve those in need every day."

This year's grant cycle focused on organizations that will direct the funds toward the need areas of elderly, homelessness, human services and hunger. The grants awarded by the foundation must be used for the specific program or initiative for which the organizations applied. These grants are not recurring, and the 2020 recipient organizations will not be eligible to apply for grants again until 2023.

Of the foundation's contributions in 2020, 26 grants – aggregating \$114,000

– were awarded to Brown County organizations. Additional grants, totaling \$886,000, were made to 211 other groups around the state.

The foundation now has distributed more than \$14.43 million for charitable purposes since it was established in 1986 by Judge Robert J. Parins, then president of the Packers Corporation, "as a vehicle to assure continued contributions to charity."

Additionally, under the Packers Scholarship Program established in 2002, \$53,000 was awarded – \$26,500 to Scholarships Inc., for distribution to students in four-year colleges, and \$26,500 to Northeast Wisconsin Technical College (NWTC) – for distribution to students in two-year associate degree or apprenticeship trades programs.

A portion of the scholarship funds come from National Football League Properties which, at the Packers' request, returns to the foundation royalty fees paid for using the Packers logo on Wisconsin automobile license plates. Because the royalties do not fully cover the scholarships, the Green Bay Packers fund the remainder of the amount, a figure which totals \$401,000 since 2006. As in recent years, the Packers Foundation will also distribute additional dollars to various NFL Foundation programs later this fall.

The Green Bay Packers Founda-

tion Trustees, in addition to Cardella, include Marcia Anderson, Nancy Armbrust, Susan Finco, Jeffrey Joerres, D.J. Long, Jr., Larry McCarren, Dexter McNabb, Eric Torkelson and Mike Weller. The Green Bay Packers Foundation and its annual grants are part of Green Bay Packers Give Back, the Packers' all-encompassing community outreach initiative that comprises appearances made by players, alumni, coaches and staff, football outreach, cash and in-kind donations, Make-A-Wish visits and community events.

Overall, including \$500,000 in impact grants to groups in Milwaukee County and Brown County for COVID-19 relief and \$250,000 awarded to Give BIG Green Bay, \$1.75 million has been awarded through Packers Foundation impact grants this year.

The \$1.75 million awarded through the Packers Foundation this year adds to several notable donations given this year through Packers Give Back, the organization's all-encompassing community outreach initiative, to help those impacted by the pandemic and to address social justice concerns.

In total, including the Packers Foundation annual grants and various other Packers Give Back donations, the Packers organization has awarded \$4 million in grants to nonprofit organizations thus far in 2020.

TeenTober activities include tour of Shawano County Library, kitty litter

Shawano County Library will be celebrating TeenTober during October.

TeenTober is a new, nationwide celebration hosted by libraries in October and aims to celebrate teens, promote year-round teen services and the innovative ways teen services helps teens learn new skills,

and fuel their passions in and outside the library.

Teens are encouraged to virtually explore the teen area of the main library through a Beanstack challenge that will run throughout the month. Take a virtual tour of the teen area, sample some teen books and leave a book review to complete the

challenge. All those who complete the challenge will receive a \$5 gift certificate from Old Glory Candy to be mailed in mid-November. Download Beanstack Tracker to get started or register online at shawanolibrary.beanstack.org.

Take-n-Make edible "kitty litter" is also available to pick up at the

main library, starting Oct. 22 until supplies run out. The kits can be picked up Mondays 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Thursdays 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. or by contactless curbside pickup appointment on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays or Saturdays.

For information, contact the library at 715-526-3829.



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SPORTS

ATHLETE PROFILE: KALEB LOWNEY

Shawano back off to strong start to senior year

The Shawano Community High School football team is off to a 2-1 start this season, which helped the team get recognized among some of the state's best. Senior running back Kaleb Lowney has been a big part of the team's offensive success, both as a runner and pass-catcher.

In the team's season-opening 27-0 win over Seymour on Sept. 25, Lowney rushed for over 100 yards and finished with over 150 total yards.

Shawano picked up a 44-27 win over New London on Oct. 2, with Lowney again rushing for over 100 yards and also scoring two rushing touchdowns. After the win, the Hawks moved up to No. 7 in Division 3 of the wissports.net coaches poll with their 2-0 start.

Despite Friday's 44-18 loss to Xavier — who was ranked No. 2 in Division 4 — Lowney still had a big impact on the game. Lowney rushed for a touchdown and also caught a 77-yard touchdown pass.

Q: When did your interest in football begin?

A: It began ever since I could remember. Being a Lowney, football is in your blood.

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

A: I'd say just having the opportunity to play this year since so many other kids do not have that opportunity right now.

Q: What has the game of football taught you over the years?

A: This sport is like no other. Teaches you to be physical, patient, disciplined, trusting and so many others. Also teaches you to be mentally prepared in all those aspects.

Q: As a senior, how do you try and lead the team, yet also enjoy your final season?



Shawano's Kaleb Lowney runs with the ball during a 2019 Bay Conference win over Green Bay East in Shawano.

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A: Just think of it as any other year; we got a job, and we gotta get the job done. But being a senior gives me little more responsibility to that job being complete.

Q: A couple games into the season, what does the team need to keep doing well, and what could use improvement?

A: Well, this is the best start Shawano has had in six years. We have a winning mentality. We just gotta keep our minds right and focus on playing the game to the fullest we know we can.

Q: What's your favorite memory of competing on the Shawano football team?

AT A GLANCE

ATHLETE: Kaleb Lowney

SPORT: Football

POSITION: Running back

SCHOOL: Shawano Community High School

YEAR: Senior

A: Favorite memory happened this year, shutting out rival Seymour. I believe that was first time in the program we did that, so that was very cool to be part of.

Q: Your team is starting to gain some attention around the state after a strong start. What does that mean to you, especially since you're a senior this season?

A: As a team we are very happy that we are gaining some recognition, but as a senior, we gotta keep this momentum going into further weeks to keep that same recognition.

Q: Favorite TV show, movie and musical artist?

A: TV show — "Friends." Movie — War genre movies. Musical artist — Queen.

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

A: I would stick my neck out for anybody. And I am always here for somebody to talk to.

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

A: Keep working hard and eventually it will come. But a quote I work by is: "The hardest walk is walking alone, but it's the walk that makes you the strongest."

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

A: Well my plan is to go into law enforcement (K-9), so I hope to accomplish on getting into a good department and hopefully change people's lives for the good.



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HIGH SCHOOL CROSS-COUNTRY

Shawano boys 2nd at Bay Championship

Girls team 3rd behind Chelberg

By MORGAN RODE
Sports Editor

The Shawano Community High School cross-country teams competed in a unique Bay Conference Championship on Saturday in Seymour.

With only three conference teams in action, the Shawano boys placed second and the girls third.

Due to coronavirus concerns, Bay Conference meets this fall typically only featured two teams running against each other. On rare occasions, there would be three teams squaring off.

The conference meet was supposed to be the first meet where the entire conference participated at the same time, but with a number of schools going virtual over the past few weeks, only Shawano, Seymour and Xavier competed on Saturday.

It was a disappointing culminating event for the conference, but Shawano coach Steve Stomberg said he was just happy that the Hawks could participate.

“What really fired me up (to run despite it not being a full Bay Conference event) was running against some teams we already did and trying to compete better with them,” said Shawano runner Ethan



Shawano's Aidan Preston navigates the course during Saturday's Bay Conference Championship in Seymour.

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Onesti. “So I had that in the back of my mind.”

Onesti was the top finisher for the Shawano boys team, placing second with a time of 18 minutes, 2.1 seconds.

Aidan Preston (18:25.8), Alec White (18:43.1) and Andon Chelberg

(18:48.7) also finished in the top 10, taking seventh, ninth and 10th, respectively. Will Chelberg (19:13) capped the team score by placing 11th.

Grace Chelberg and Lily Guenther each turned in top-10 finishes for the Shawano girls team. Chel-



Shawano's Lily Guenther competes during Saturday's Bay Conference Championship in Seymour.

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berg was third in 21:44.6 and Guenther took seventh in 22:25.5.

Timea Kovacs (25:45.4), Onna Hermann (26:37.1) and Jenna Arens (26:41.8) rounded out the team score, taking 15th, 16th and 18th, respectively.

“I’m very proud on how the girls on my team placed and they all ran hard,” said Chelberg. “We all love pushing each other in each race!”

With the conference season now in the rear view mirror, Shawano will ready itself for postseason action. The Hawks are scheduled to next run in a Division 1 Neenah Subsectional on Tuesday, Oct. 20.

Boys team scores: 1. Seymour 19; 2. Shawano 39; 3. Xavier 70.

Girls team scores: 1. Xavier 26; 2. Seymour 48; 3. Shawano 59.

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HIGH SCHOOL CROSS-COUNTRY

Bonduel girls 2nd, boys 5th at Don Chase Relays

Witt-Birn boys claim 3rd

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

The Bonduel High School girls cross-country team posted a score of 35 to place second at the Don Chase Relays on Oct. 8 in Weyauwega.

Kara Troxel led Bonduel with a third-place finish in 21 minutes, 29 seconds.

Ashlyn Kurey (22:22) and Kalleigh Schroeder (22:53) placed sixth and 10th, respectively. Kendra Troxel (23:11) took 12th and Breanna Schnell

(24:09) 15th to round out the team score.

The Wittenberg-Birnamwood boys claimed third place with a score of 82. Tommy Bruski was the team’s top finisher, claiming third in 18:04. Simon Schairer finished sixth in 18:46.

Nash Wojnowiak (19:18), Ian Resch (20:36) and Ian Salveson (20:37) capped the team score, placing 16th, 28th and 29th, respectively.

The Witt-Birn girls took fourth, led by Ruby Nowinsky, who took 17th in 24:58.

Annika Resch (25:56) placed 20th and Lauren Dombeck (28:17) was

27th. Ava Wepner (29:39) claimed 31st, while Amelia Bessert (31:02) was 35th.

The Bonduel boys took fifth as a team with a score of 116. Jack Johnson led the Bears with a 11th-place finish in 18:56, while Cooper Uelmen was 14th in 18:59.

Ayden Dunst (20:04), Ben O’Brien (21:12) and Alex Jasch (21:32) rounded out the team score, placing 22nd, 35th and 36th, respectively.

Marion also competed, but didn’t qualify for any team scores.

Jaden Stuhr (20:41) was the top Marion boys finisher, taking 31st. Jesse Trebus (23:36), Jackson Krohn

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(23:53) and Jack VanKooy (28:49) took 44th, 46th and 52nd, respectively.

Kelsey Zillmer (29:40), Haiyle Larson (32:35) and Claire Brei (35:05) ran for the Marion girls, finishing 32nd, 37th and 38th, respectively.

Girls team scores: 1. Amherst 22; 2. Bonduel 35; 3. Iola-Scandinavia 95; 4. Wittenberg-Birnamwood 96.

Boys team scores: 1. Pacelli 26; 2. Iola-Scandinavia 76; 3. Wittenberg-Birnamwood 82; 4. Weyauwega-Fremont 104; 5. Bonduel 116; 6. Amherst 130; 7. Manawa 162.

HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS

Shawano duo of Moesch, Van Eperen reaches sectional

No. 3 doubles pair went 2-0 at subsectional

By **MORGAN RODE**
Sports Editor

The Shawano Community High School No. 3 doubles tennis team of Adison Moesch and Morgan Van Eperen battled but came up short of earning any wins at the Division 1 Wausau West Sectional on Oct. 7 in Wausau.

The pair of losses ended the season for the duo, but not before making some history. Moesch and Van Eperen became the first Shawano tennis players to advance to sectionals since 2009, when Abigail Stock did it as a No. 1 singles player.

Moesch, a freshman, and Van Eperen, a sophomore, dropped a 6-2, 6-1 match to Hudson to open the sectional. The Shawano duo then dropped a hard-fought 6-3, 6-1 match to Menomonie in the third-place match.

"With me just being a sophomore, going to sectionals was a wonderful learning experience because I was able to see how the big leagues are and can pick out some things that I need to work on after watching the other teams play," said Van Eperen.

"I'm very grateful for my fellow teammates and coaches for helping me improve and get this far," said Moesch. "It was a great experience to go this far and learn what it takes to win. I am hoping to get better every year and try to make it to

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Full results from the tennis postseason can be found at <https://www.wiaawi.org/Sports/Fall/Girls-Tennis/Tournament>.

sectionals once again."

Both players also talked about being supportive of each other and how they've grown and become a strong duo over the season.

The doubles pair advanced to the sectional after winning both of their subsectional matches on Oct. 5. Shawano competed in the Wausau West Subsectional.

The duo won their first match 7-6 (3), 7-6 (2) against Antigo before a 6-4, 6-4 win over Marshfield.

Jenna Ainsworth also earned a win for the Hawks at No. 3 singles, but she fell short in her second match of the day.

Subsectional Singles: No. 1: Annika Johnson (Rhinelander) def. Rylie Anderson, 6-0, 6-1;

No. 2: Kelly Alekna (Wisconsin Rapids) def. Kate Williams, 6-3, 6-1; **No. 3:** Jenna Ainsworth (Shawano) def. Callie Hubatch (Antigo), 6-0, 6-0; Kat Metropoulos (Rhinelander) def. Ainsworth, 6-4, 6-4; **No. 4:** Corrine Sazama (Wisconsin Rapids) def. Elise Pyatskowitz, 6-2, 7-5 (3).

Subsectional Doubles: No. 1: Greta Parsons-Jenna Lenzer (Antigo) def. Anna Cuenca-Grace Licausi, 6-1, 6-1; **No. 2:** Kylee Younker-Alexis Engelking (Rhinelander) def. Jillian Black-Aubree Zastrow, 6-1, 6-4; **No. 3:** Adison Moesch-Morgan Van Eperen (Shawano) def. Faith Bussiere-Ellie Packard (Antigo) 7-6 (3), 7-6 (2); Moesch-Van Eperen def. Chloe Belant-Zoey Dreikosen (Marshfield) 6-4, 6-4.

Sectional Doubles: No. 3: Sophie Pope-Bailey Finch (Hudson) def. Moesch-Van Eperen, 6-2, 6-1; Anna Wheeler-Jaycie Luzinski (Menomonie) def. Moesch-Van Eperen, 6-3, 6-1.

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HIGH SCHOOL GOLF

Shawano's Johnson just misses out on qualifying for state

By **MORGAN RODE**
Sports Editor

Shawano Community High School's Taylor Johnson tied for ninth place as an individual at the Division 1 Notre Dame Sectional on Oct. 6 at Thornberry Creek at Oneida Golf Course in Oneida.

Her 18-hole round of 92 just missed out on qualifying the senior for state.

"I played some of the best golf I've ever played in my life aside from my putting," said Johnson. "I hit about 15 out of 18 greens in regulation and really was feeling it today. I came up a little short of the goal I had for myself today, but I am happy with the way I finished my season."

Notre Dame and Hortonville had their teams qualify for state after placing first and second at the sectional.

The top three individuals from any

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Full results from the sectional can be found at <http://www.wiaagolf.org/ScoreEntry/girlsgolf2020venuescores.php?course=Notre+Dame>.

of the other schools at the sectional qualified for state. The third qualifier posted a round of 89.

After posting a score of 47 on the front nine, Johnson was even better on the back nine, tallying a 45.

"Finishing as one of the top golfers in the state is a huge accomplishment for me and it is something I was striving for the whole season," said Johnson. "It's a great way to leave Shawano golf. Although I was four strokes short of a state appearance, I appreciate the opportunity to have made it as far as I did and I will cherish the memories from this sport forever."

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Lakeshore Lanes — Tuesday Afternoon Ladies

Team	W	L
Lisa's Floral	18 1/2	9 1/2
Mike's Plumbing	16	12
Lake Drive Solutions	15	13
Tim's Harvest Queens	14	14
Lakeshore Lanes	14	14
Mike's Girls	12	16
Spinning Wheel	12	16
Boettcher Tax Service	10 1/2	17 1/2

High individual games: Connie Rusch 227, Gayle Springborn 213, Terri Robley 184, Connie Babino 181, Helen Heimerl 178, Marsha Johnson 175.

High individual series: Connie Rusch 569, Terri Robley 503, Helen Heimerl 482

Lakeshore Lanes — Guys and Dolls

Team	W	L
9 Pin Tappers	23	12

A Team	23	12
Good Times	20	15
Happy Old Farts	20	15
Slingers	19 1/2	15 1/2
4 Masked Bowlers	18 1/2	16 1/2
SSI's	16	19
The Aces	16	19
Hilly's Helpers	13	22

High individual game (women): Patricia Nathan 214, Hilda Schultz 188, Ronda Nolan 175, Patricia Nathan 173, Patricia Nathan 171.

High individual game (men): Charles Poling 230, Tim DeCoster 227, John Campbell 222, Jim Schwaller 221, John Campbell 213, Tim DeCoster 210, John Campbell 209.

High individual series (women): Patricia Nathan 558.

High individual series (men): John Campbell 644, Tim DeCoster 609.

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OPINION

It's time to pass the torch of women's rights

Calling all women voters: This election is crucial to your rights as women.

Women have been fighting to have equal rights for over a century. The women's rights movement began in Seneca, New York, in 1848. At this very first woman's rights convention in the United States, women discussed their social, civil and religious condition and lack of rights for women. This event triggered the fight for women's suffrage and the 19th Amendment giving women the right to vote.

Up until this time, women's voices remained unheard of in a world where men's voices dominated. The leaders of the Seneca Falls Convention vowed to work toward a society where women's voices would resound loudly and their rights would be equal to men's.

It took women 70 years of conventions, protest marches, arrests and hunger strikes to finally convince the men in power that women should be able to express their opinions on who should be elected to government positions. Today, women continue that struggle to be equal and have their voices heard in issues including family, the workplace, immigration, reproductive rights and gender equality.

Nothing affects women and their families more than access to affordable health care coverage. The cost of some life-saving prescription medications is ridiculously high. Living with a preexisting condition can quickly send a family into bankruptcy. Nevertheless, President



JAN KOCH

Women have also been fighting to have equality in the workplace. It took until 1993 with the Family and Medical Leave Act for employees to be able to take job-protected and unpaid leave from their jobs for qualified medical and family reasons. Beginning this month, government employees can get 12 weeks of paid time for the birth, adoption or foster of a new child.

Although these events are steps forward for working women, they are woefully inadequate especially in the era of COVID-19. Other countries around the world offer much more help to women and their families.

The New Zealand government offers paid parental leave when you stop working to look after a child under 6. You can receive at least the equivalent of 10 hours per week at minimum wage.

Canada allows 52 weeks of parental leave at 55% salary per week for the year. Norway gives you 49 weeks of parental leave with 100% salary. In Germany, you can get one year of paid leave at 67% salary. By contrast, the United States, with zero paid leave days, has a long way

Donald Trump and the Republicans are moving ahead with trying to repeal the Affordable Care Act that more than 1 million Wisconsinites use to get health insurance.

to go.

Discrimination in the payment of wages on the basis of sex continues to exist decades after the enactment of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

Despite the enactment of the Equal Pay Act of 1963, many women continue to earn significantly lower pay than men for equal work. These pay disparities exist in both the private and governmental sectors. Pay disparities are especially severe for women and girls of color.

Because this act has not worked as Congress originally intended, improvements and modifications to the law are necessary. In 2020, women are paid 81 cents for every dollar made by men for comparable work. The gap is wider when examining pay data for black and Hispanic women, according to the research firm PayScale.

New to the gender pay gap report for 2020 is analysis on the impact of lost wages on lifetime earnings. Among the top 20 jobs with the highest gender pay gap ranged from 83 cents (anesthesiologists) to 90 cents (sales representatives) showing that the gender pay gap is very real and larger for women in certain occupations.

Lilly Ledbetter worked for Good-year and was denied a settlement for backpay when she found out she was being paid less than her male counterparts for the same job. Because of President Barack Obama's signing of the Lilly Ledbetter Act, employees now have the right to

file suit 180 days after the last pay violation if they prove that they have been receiving less pay.

Women are less likely to negotiate pay and more likely to be penalized when they try. They are also often pushed out of the highest-paying professions in the country, which reward workers who put in long hours — schedules that disproportionately hurt working mothers. About a third of the pay gap, however, is the result of discrimination against women. In March 2019, the House of Representatives passed the Paycheck Fairness Act in a bipartisan vote. The Republican-controlled Senate has refused to even discuss this bill.

In her time on the court, the late Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg was fierce in her support for gender equality, access to abortion, rights for immigrants and so much more. Women need to thank her for the right to sign a mortgage without a man, the right to have a bank account and a credit card without a male co-signer and the right to be pregnant or have kids and still be able to work.

Ginsburg was a great leader. She always acknowledged the groundbreakers before her and stayed laser-focused on the future women who would follow her. Today, we are that future.

Let her memory be a revolution. Let's vote to continue her fight.

Jan Koch is a Shawano resident and the chairwoman for the Shawano County Democratic Party.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Damrau gets new resident's vote for DA

To the editor:

I am new to Shawano County, and this will be my first time voting here. However, regardless of where I have lived, I take the right to vote as a privilege and one that should be taken seriously with time put into collecting information to make an informed decision.

Although I know neither district attorney candidate from other than the information in ads and listening

to the forum, my choice was easily Aaron Damrau.

However, wanting to make sure I was not missing anything, I called the DA's office this morning (Oct. 12) with some simple questions to give Greg Parker the benefit of the doubt and the chance to clarify some things for me.

These "stumpers" I asked were, for example, wondering if the two-thirds of defendants in the Shawano County judicial system who are Native American were representative of the population of these counties, or if they were being singled out (I

was just trying to get facts to make a decision). They didn't know what percentage of the population was Native American Indian.

Ditto asking for information on the drug court. I have no idea how it works, and if it has been beneficial for the community. Again, they didn't know. I was referred to social services or the internet.

I did my due diligence; Damrau will get my vote. Sometimes being younger is not a disadvantage, but advantage. He appears able to provide insight into issues that people my age (middle age) do not have

the same grasp of.

He has hands-on experience in the DA's office, and I agree with him that over 50 misdemeanor cases being filed over a year after the incident is a disgrace.

Parker states it was because felony cases take priority. If so, why were eight felony cases dismissed because even that paperwork was not filed on time?

Years of experience does not mean years of success. This DA's office needs an overhaul. Vote Damrau.

Kristina Nikolai, Shawano

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October 02, 09, 16, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 20CV144

Notice and Order for Name Change Hearing
In the Matter of the Name Change of:

Maria Lee King

By (Petitioner) Maria Lee King

Notice is Given:

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

From: Maria Lee King

To: Marcas Lee King

Birth Certificate: Maria Lee King

It is Ordered:

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

Judge's Name: Hon. William F. Kussel JR.

Place: Circuit Court Branch 2

Date: November 12, 2020

Time: 10:30 AM

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Ocotber 9,16, 23, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Notice to Creditors
Case No. 20-PR-54

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Wyatt J. Pues

DOD September 05, 2020

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

1. An application for informal administration was filed.

2. The decedent, the date of birth April 29, 1996 and date of death

September 05, 2020, was domiciled in Shawano County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of 513 Sawyer Street, Shawano, WI 54166.

3. All interested persons waived notice.

4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is January 29, 2021.

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

Attorney Rebekah J. Cheslock

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October 16, 23, 30, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 2020PR55

Order Setting Time to Hear Petition for Administration and Deadline for Filing Claims

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

LOREN K. BUETTNER

DOD August 20, 2020

A Petition for Formal Administration was filed.

THE COURT FINDS:

The decedent, with date of birth January 25, 1951 and the date of death August 20, 2020 of Shawano County, Wisconsin, with mailing address of W4721 Emily Lane, Shawano, WI 54166.

THE COURT ORDERS:

1. The Petition will be heard at the Shawano County Courthouse, 311 N Main St., Shawano, Wisconsin, 2nd floor, before Circuit Court Judge Hon. Katie Sloma, on November 02, 2020 at 8:30am.

You do not need to appear unless you object. The petition may be granted if there is no objection.

2. The deadline for filing a claim against the estate is February 5, 2021.

3. A claim may be filed at the Shawano County Courthouse, Shawano, Wisconsin, probate office.

4. Publication of this notice is notice to any persons whose addresses are unknown.

The names or addresses of the following interested persons are not known: Vasiliki Rickerman, Vanessa Buettner, Paul Buettner Jr., Donna Nigbus, Pamela Shawano, Thomas Buettner, Jamie Buettner, Michelle Buettner

Atty. Sarah Ponath

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October 16, 23, 30, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 20 CV 1
Case Code No. 30404

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

GREENSTONE FARM CREDIT SERVICES, FLCA,

Plaintiff,

v.

BRADLEY J. MILLER

LEAH E. MILLER

COVANTAGE CREDIT UNION

And

STATE OF WISCONSIN

Acting through the Department of Children & Families

Defendants.

By virtue of and pursuant to a Judgment of foreclosure entered in favor of the plaintiff, GreenStone Farm Credit Services, FLCA, by the Clerk of Court in the above-entitled action on the 1st day of April, 2020, in the amount of \$119,335.51 (calculated through February 19, 2020, with attorneys fees and costs calculated through January 31, 2020), I will sell at public auction in the front lobby of the Shawano County Courthouse, 311 N. Main Street, Shawano, Wisconsin, 54166, on the 11th day of November, 2020, at 9:00 A.M., the following described mortgaged premises, to-wit:

Land situated in the Town of Pella, County of Shawano, State of Wisconsin described as follows:

That part of the Southeast _ of the Southeast _ of Section 10, Township 26 North, Range 14 East, Shawano County, Wisconsin, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of the said Section 10; thence North 86 deg. 38' 38" West along the section line 357.59 feet; thence North 00 deg. 50' 25" West 484.55 feet; thence North 86 deg. 38' 38" West 243.70 feet; thence South 00 deg. 50' 25" East 484.55 feet to the section line; thence North 86 deg. 38' 38" West along the section line 678.61 feet to the one-sixteenth corner; thence North 02 deg. 29' 41" East along the one-sixteenth line 1342.64 feet to the one-sixteenth corner; thence South 87 deg. 28' 44" East along the one-sixteenth line 1295.81 feet to the one-sixteenth corner; thence South 03 deg. 10' 13" West along the section line 1361.38 feet to the place of beginning.

Subject to existing easements, highways and restrictions of record.

For reference purposes only:

Tax Parcel ID No. 036-10440-0000

Non-homestead address: Valley View Road

The property will be offered for sale as a whole.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash.

DOWN PAYMENT DUE IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING SALE: Ten percent (10%) of amount bid to be paid to the Sheriff at the time of sale by cash or certified check (made payable to the Clerk of Courts); balance of bid to be paid in like funds to the Clerk of Courts within ten (10) days following confirmation of the sale by the Court.

SALE HEREUNDER IS SUBJECT TO ALL DELINQUENT AND UNPAID REAL ESTATE TAXES AND ANY AND ALL OTHER LEGAL LIENS AND ENCUMBRANCES WHICH AFFECT THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED ABOVE; THIS SALE IS ALSO SUBJECT TO THE RIGHTS OF TENANTS, IF ANY. THE PROPERTY SHALL BE SOLD IN ITS PRESENT CONDITION, AS IS. ANY TRANSFER TAX REQUIRED SHALL BE PAID BY THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER.

NOTICE REGARDING MINIMUM BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS: If you are a 3rd-party bidder and are the successful bidder, you will be required to submit an affidavit to the court affirming that you meet the minimum bidder qualifications set forth in §46.155, Wis. Stats. before the sale may be confirmed. See the following website for additional information:

https://www.co.shawano.wi.us/departments/page_2efb349a4351/?department=caa27d351746&subdepartment=aa9642e d0774

Dated at Shawano County, Wisconsin, this 5th day of October, 2020.

/s/ Adam Bieber

Adam Bieber, Sheriff

Shawano County, Wisconsin

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Notice of Public Hearing
Planning, Development and Zoning Committee Meeting
Wednesday, November 4, 2020 @ 9:00 AM
Shawano County Courthouse, Rooms A, B & C
Members: Ken Capelle, Kevin Conradt, Steven Gueths, Gene Hoppe, Kathy Luebke

CU-33-20: T.J. Miles, Wausau Homes, agent for Samuel V Sr. and Diette Sousek, owners, request conditional use permit for filling and grading in excess of 2,000 square feet on slopes of less than 12% of an area within 300 feet of the ordinary high water mark of Big Lake pursuant to the Shawano County Shoreland - Wetland Zoning Ordinance No. 6-16, Section 8.2 (3) for the purpose of razing an existing single family dwelling and construction of a new single family dwelling with screen porch and deck; and also for placement of approximately 208 cubic yards of fill pursuant to the Shawano County Zoning Ordinance No. 7-14, Table X.3.02 and Section X.9.03(120). Property is located and described as that part of the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 2, T28N R14E described as follows: Commencing at the North East corner of Lot 4 CSM 266753 V1 CSM P15; thence South along the East line of said Lot 4 247.75' to an iron stake; thence continue on the same line 36' more or less to the water's edge of Big Lake; thence 90' more or less along the water's edge in an Easterly direction to the West line of the Britzke lot; thence Northeasterly along the Westerly line of the Britzke lot to the North West corner of the said Britzke lot; thence Northwesterly along roadway 150' to an iron stake; thence Westerly 203' to the place of beginning. Tax parcel #038-02340-0070. Town of Red Springs. Property address: W10351 Litzen Drive

NOTE: 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.

Accommodations due to disability can be made by calling: 715-526-6766

Meeting notice emailed/posted: Shawano County Courthouse, Department of Human Services, Shawano County Library, Shawano Leader, WTCH Radio, Shawano County Civic website @ coshawanowi.civicweb.net

#1593

October 16, 23 & 30, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 2019CV000187
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

U.S. Bank National Association successor by merger to U.S. Bank National Association ND, Plaintiff,

vs.

Estate of William W. Kinziger,

Defendant.

By virtue of a judgment of foreclosure made in the above-entitled action on December 23, 2019, in the amount of \$67,129.65, I will sell at public auction in the main lobby of the Shawano County Courthouse, located at, 311 North Main Street, Shawano, WI 54166-2198, on **November 11, 2020, at 9:00 AM**, all of the following described premises, to wit: That part of Lot 5 in Block 32 of Sawyer and Andrews Plat, according to the Assessor's Plat of the City of Shawano, Shawano County, Wisconsin, which is bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the Northeast corner of Lot 3 in Block 32 of Sawyer and Andrews Plat of the Village, now City, of Shawano, Wisconsin; thence running South on the East line of said Lot, 23 feet, and there shall be the place of beginning; thence continue South 45 1/2 feet; thence West 111 feet; thence North 45 1/2 feet; thence East 111 feet to the place of beginning

Tax Key No. 281 751002560

Address: 119-121 South Andrews Street, Shawano, WI 54166

THE PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD SUBJECT TO ALL LEGAL ENCUMBRANCES.

TERMS OF SALE:

1. At the time of sale: a downpayment (CASH or CASHIER'S CHECK only) in an amount not less than 10% of the successful bid; and
2. No later than ten (10) days after the Court confirms the sale:

a. The balance due on the sale;

b. The amount of the transfer fee due under Section 77.22, Wis. Stats., if any; and

c. The amount of the fee due under Section 59.43(2), Wis. Stats., to record the deed and any other document required for such recordation.

DATED at Shawano, Wisconsin on, October 7, 2020.

/s/ Adam Bieber

Sheriff of Shawano, Wisconsin

Bass & Moglowsky, S.C.

Attorneys for Plaintiff

Bass & Moglowsky, S.C. is a law firm / debt collector representing a creditor in the collection of a debt owed to said creditor. We are attempting to collect such debt and any information obtained from this communication will be used for that purpose.

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October 9, 16 & 23, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 20-CV-000055

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

U.S. Bank Trust National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Owner Trustee for VRMTG Asset Trust Plaintiff,

Vs.

Barbara E. Hopfensperger, Norman J. Hopfensperger and Tower Clock Eye Center, S.C.

Defendants.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure entered on April 15, 2020, in the amount of \$253,570.99, the Sheriff will sell the described premises at public auction as follows:

TIME: November 11, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

TERMS: Pursuant to said judgment, 10% of the successful bid must be paid to the sheriff at the sale in cash, cashier's check or certified funds, payable to the clerk of courts (personal checks cannot and will not be accepted). The balance of the successful bid must be paid to the clerk of courts in cash, cashier's check or certified funds no later than ten days after the court's confirmation of the sale or else the 10% down payment is forfeited to the plaintiff. The property is sold 'as is' and subject to all liens and encumbrances.

PLACE: In the front lobby of the Shawano County Courthouse, City and County of Shawano

DESCRIPTION: LOT ONE (1), IN BLOCK ONE (1), ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT OF UPPER WOLF PLAINS, BEING A SUBDIVISION OF A PART OF GOVERNMENT LOT 6, IN SECTION 13, AND A PART OF GOVERNMENT LOTS 7 & 8, IN SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 15 EAST, TOWN OF RICHMOND, SHAWANO COUNTY, WISCONSIN, AND COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 1 OF CERTIFIED SURVEY RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS OF SHAWANO COUNTY IN VOL. 1 OF CERTIFIED SURVEYS, ON PAGE 39 AS DOCUMENT NO. 284272 (LYING IN AND COMPRISING A PART OF GOVT. LOT 7 IN SEC. 13, TOWN 27 NORTH, OF RANGE 15 EAST), AND THERE IS THE PLACE OF BEGINNING; THENCE WESTERLY ALONG SOUTHERLY BOUNDARY OF SAID LOT 1 OF CERTIFIED SURVEY A DISTANCE OF 18 FEET; THENCE NORTHERLY, PARALLEL TO THE EASTERLY LINE OF THE SAID LOT 1 OF CERTIFIED SURVEY A DISTANCE OF 106 FEET; THENCE NORTHEASTERLY TO A 2" BY 3" IRON PIPE SET IN THE EASTERLY BOUNDARY OF SAID LOT 1 OF CERTIFIED SURVEY (WHICH IRON PIPE IS SET 57 FEET MORE OR LESS SOUTHERLY FROM THE WATER EDGE OF WOLF RIVER); AND THENCE SOUTHERLY ALONG THE EASTERLY BOUNDARY LINE OF SAID LOT 1 OF CERTIFIED SURVEY TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING. PROPERTY ADDRESS: N6180 Wolf River Rd, Shawano, WI 54166-6006
DATED: August 25, 2020
Gray & Associates, L.L.P.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
16345 West Glendale Drive
New Berlin, WI 53151-2841
(414) 224-8404
Please go to www.gray-law.com to obtain the bid for this sale.

Gray & Associates, L.L.P. is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. If you have previously received a discharge in a chapter 7 bankruptcy case, this communication should not be construed as an attempt to hold you personally liable for the debt.

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Barn quilt near Krakow features farmer, tractor

Richard and Judy Ferfecki have sponsored Shawano County's 364th barn quilt for their barn at W427 Angelica Drive near Krakow in eastern Shawano County.

The beautiful barn quilt is the second one the Ferfeckis have sponsored to be displayed on the barn, the first one having been put up in 2012.

The quilt pattern has been named "There's a Little Farmer in All of Us." The pattern features a farmer and an image of a 1958 Case 600 tractor, which was the first tractor Richard ever owned. He still has the tractor and is in the process of restoring it.

"My dad actually purchased the tractor at an auction," Judy said.

"But I paid for it," Richard added.

Over the past two years, Richard has completely restored the exterior

of the barn, which is more than 100 years old.

"Now I'm going to start on the inside," Richard said.

The land on which the barn sits was first owned by H.J. Hoff. Later it was owned by the Bajorek family. In 1947, Charlie and Sophie (Bajorek) Wagner purchased the farm and kept it until Richard and Judy bought it in 1973. Richard was a dairy farmer for many years but did not have cows in this historic barn.

Richard and Judy will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary in 2021 and hope to host a celebration in the barn.

The barn quilt was painted by the Shawano County barn quilt committee and was put on display by LeRoy and Keith Raddant of Raddant Electric in Shawano.

Richard and Judy Ferfecki are shown with Shawano County's 364th barn quilt on their beautifully restored barn at W427 Angelica Drive near Krakow.

JIM LEUENBERGER



CLUB NOTES

Shawano Optimist Club

The Shawano Optimist Club recently held its annual installation and awards meeting, albeit in a virtual setting rather than at a banquet as it had in the past.

District Lt. Gov. Chris Neilsen conducted the installation of officers and directors for the 2020-21 year. Prior to the installation, Neilsen told the Shawano Optimists in attendance that Optimist International is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year, and the new Wisconsin governor has chosen the theme to be "Optimism - Fun for All."

He added, "You should be very proud of your club and what it has accomplished since it was started in 1976. I've always heard great things about what your club is doing for the youth of the Shawano area. Keep up the great work."

Installed as the officers for 2020-21 were: Jim Black, president; Axel Rehder, vice president for fundraising; Robyn Shingler, vice president for student activities; Gail Moesch, secretary; Dawn Knope, treasurer; and



JIM BLACK

Jen Schroeder, immediate past president.

The six new directors installed were Jim Liesner, Dan Mauel, Greg Parker, Jeanne Cronce, Troy Edwards and Brian Morstad.

"The Shawano Optimist club has a great history of focusing on the betterment of the youth of our community," Black said. "I am proud to be part of this and honored to take on the president's role. With the strength of our club members working together and their creativity, I hope to help the club take what we've built in the past and find new ways to still reach area youth in the upcoming year. There will certainly be challenges and, yet, I know as a team we can persevere. After all, it's all about the kids."

Schroeder, who was commended for her great work as the president of the club during the past year, said,

"Although this past year was definitely not what I envisioned a year ago, I truly believe the work we have done together has been meaningful and impactful and continues to move us forward together in our mission to serve our community's children."

Greg Parker was named the Shawano Optimist of the Year for 2019-20. In making the presentation, Schroeder said, "Greg has consistently provided great service to the club. His wisdom on the board exemplifies what it means to be an Optimist."

The Shawano Optimists have annually presented a life membership in Optimist International to a member who has gone above and beyond serving the club during the previous year. This year's recipient, Dan Mauel, has been in the club only four years.

"But," said presenter Jim Liesner, "he has always been there when we've needed someone and a year ago did an outstanding job as our club president."

"I love this club because it's all about engaging the kids," Mauel said, "and it's always a team effort."

Each year, the Shawano Optimist

members who achieve a certain level of attendance at club meetings and service projects are given a perfect attendance award.

Receiving awards for perfect attendance this year were Jeanne Cronce, one year; Brian Morstad, two years; Jen Schroeder and Jim Liesner, three years; Dan Mauel, four years; Lorine Raddant, five years; Greg Parker and Dawn Knope, seven years; Troy Edwards, 12 years; Ryan Alexander, 13 years; Steve Peterson, 16 years; Michael Sleeper, 20 years; Gail Moesch, 21 years; Jim Black, 22 years; and Jim Leuenberger, 43 years — 39 of which were consecutive.

The Shawano Optimists meet the first and third Wednesdays of each month at 6:45 a.m. at Angie's Main Cafe in downtown Shawano. Anyone wishing to learn about joining the club can contact Black at jimblackoptimist1@gmail.com.

Clubs and organizations in Shawano and Menominee counties are welcome to submit stories about their meetings, awards and more for the Club Notes feature. Information should be sent to news@newmedia-wi.com.

Have a story idea? Email us at news@newmedia-wi.com

COLLEGE NOTES

Northcentral Technical College

Northcentral Technical College is pleased to announce the president's list for outstanding academic achievement for the fall 2019 and spring 2020 terms. The following students enrolled in a post-secondary program, earned a 3.75 grade-point average or above and successfully completed a minimum of six credits during the following terms:

- Aniwa: Christopher Gromiuk, Esther Manteufel, Gary Wilton
- Birnamwood: Mikayla Bullman, Dakota Marien, Braxton Resch, Jacob Stuffle, Alainna VanProoyen, Elizabeth Walter
- Bowler: Winter DeRoos
- Eland: Angela Bembenek, Mandy Landwehr, Benjamin Stensberg
- Mattoon: Brian Horrell, SueAnn Milanowski
- Shawano: Natalie Stepniewski, Shawanna VanRit
- Tigerton: Amy Seefeldt
- Wittenberg: Evelyn Kizewski, Lindsey Schwalbach, Ian Spieth, Andrew Stoinski, Mary Stoinski, Dylan

Wieland, Olivia Zoromski

The following students made the president's list during the spring 2020 term:

- Aniwa: Jaime Dziemarski, Esther Manteufel, Steven Springer, Gary Wilton, Rachel Zahrt
- Birnamwood: Jacquelyn Bell, Jordan Carlson, Hailey Kolpack, Magen Malueg, Alainna VanProoyen, Elizabeth Walter
- Clintonville: Emily Galica
- Eland: Tyler Giddings, Mandy Landwehr, Benjamin Stensberg
- Mattoon: SueAnn Milanowski
- Shawano: Jocelyn Schroeder
- Tigerton: Renee Menge, Nick Schultz, Amy Seefeldt
- Wittenberg: Erin Mlodik, Stefanie Roskopf, Lindsey Schwalbach, Andrew Stoinski, Dylan Wieland, Ian Spieth

The College of St. Scholastica

Stephanie Dunlavy, of Clintonville, graduated from the College of St. Scholastica with a Doctor of Physical Therapy.

GRESHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND BUDGET HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Gresham School District's Annual Meeting and budget hearing will be held on Monday, October 19, 2020 at 7pm in the Media Center of Gresham School located at 501 Schabow St., Gresham WI, County Shawano, pursuant to Sec. 120.08(1) of the Wisconsin Statutes. The budget in detail may be examined at the school office during regular business hours. Posting Date October 9th, 2020 and October 16th, 2020.

Grace Schwefel
Gresham School District Clerk

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Notice for Annual District Meeting For the Menominee Indian School District (Section 120.08(1))

Notice is hereby given to qualified electors of the Menominee Indian School District, that the annual meeting of said district for the transaction of business, will be held in the MISD District Office and via a ZOOM meeting, on the 21st day of October, 2020, at 5:00 pm.

The Zoom meeting link can be found on the MISD website: www.misd.k12.wi.us

Geradette Richmond, CLERK
Board of Education

Menominee Indian School District
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BID NOTICE

Shawano County Land Conservation Department (LCD) is accepting sealed bids for the following projects:

Closure of Waste Storage Facility #4

Closure of Waste Storage Facility #5

Specifications and bid forms may be obtained at the LCD office: 311 N. Main St., Shawano, WI 54166 or call 715-526-4820. Sealed bids marked with project name (above) must be in the LCD office no later than 4:30 PM, Thursday October 29, 2020.

Contracting landowner reserves the right to accept or reject any bids and accept the bid most advantageous to him/her.

Village of Bonduel Public Hearing Notice

The Village of Bonduel Plan Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, October 26, 2020, at 6:00 p.m., at the Bonduel Village Hall, 117 W. Green Bay Street, Bonduel. The purpose is to hear the requests for:

1. Request from the Bonduel High School Agriculture Department, for a conditional use permit to raise chickens on Parcel #107-08420-0000, School District of Bonduel property, in a Public Zoning District.
2. Request from the Bonduel High School Agriculture Department, for a conditional use permit to conduct beekeeping on Parcel #107-08420-0010, School District of Bonduel property, in a Public Zoning District.

The Plan Commission will take comments from the public and make recommendations to the Village Board immediately following the public hearing.

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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BONDUEL

BONDUEL, WISCONSIN 54107

Regular Board Meeting

7:00 PM Bonduel High School/Junior High Library Media Center
October 19, 2020

Agenda

1. Call to Order— (Posting Notice: **October 9, 2020** the agenda for the meeting was sent to the Shawano Leader, WTCH radio, and the clerks of the municipalities within the District's boundaries. Copies were also posted on the bulletin boards in the District office, Bonduel High School office, Bonduel Elementary School, the bus garage, the Bonduel State Bank, and the Village of Bonduel Office). Please visit our District website on the Fridays before Board meetings at www.bonduel.k12.wi.us for the most up to date agenda.
2. Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Public Appearances:
4. Approval to Deviate from the Order of the Items on the Agenda.
5. Approval of Minutes.
6. Approval to Pay Bills.
7. New Business—Action Items
8. Discussion.
9. Reports.
10. Meetings to Attend.
11. Adjourn to Closed Session.
12. Reconvene to Open Session.
13. Adjourn.

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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BONDUEL

BONDUEL, WISCONSIN 54107

Regular Board Meeting

7:00 PM Bonduel High School/Middle School Library Media Center
September 21st, 2020

Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Board President Dennis Bergsbaken at 7:01 p.m. All Board members were in attendance with the exception of Dale Bergsbaken and Dave Bohm. Also in attendance were Administration, staff, parents, and a student.

The following motions were made seconded, and carried to approve:

- For approval to Deviate from the Order of the Items on the Agenda, moving items 7b and 8a to the top of the agenda.
- For approval of the Early Graduation Request as presented. The motion carried 5-0.
- For approval of Minutes of the September 8th, 2020, Regular Meeting and Special Meeting on September 14th, 2020.
- For Voucher approval of checks numbered 105739 through 105784 for the period of 9/5/20 through 9/18/20 in the amount of \$77,536.09.
- For Co-Curricular voucher approval of checks numbered 31969 through 31969 for the period of 9/5/20 through 9/16/20 in the amount of \$77.60.
- To approve the resignation as presented.
- To adjourn to closed session as authorized under Wisconsin Statute 19.85(1)(c) for the purposes of considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility.
- To reconvene to open session. The motion carried 5-0.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:39 p.m.

Board Clerk, Greg Borowski

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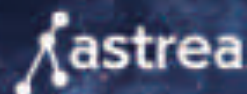
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