



DETERMINED VOTERS

Voters line up outside of Shawano City Hall as they wait to vote Nov. 3. Waiting seems to be a key word in this election, as results from the presidential election have been coming in slowly. However, local results show District Attorney Greg Parker will be holding on to his seat, the Clintonville School District has passed a \$37 million referendum and that state Rep. Gary Tauchen has once again defeated challenger Richard Sarnwick. **FOR LOCAL ELECTION RESULTS, SEE PAGES 3, 10 AND 11.**

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Some Shawano sheriff staff get hazard duty pay

The Shawano County Board of Supervisors approved a \$1,500 bonus from the Cares Act to some members of the sheriff's department.

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High rate of COVID-19 alarms hospital, schools

Local leaders ask the community to cooperate in stopping the virus in the face of high case numbers and deaths.

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Packers need to fill holes in roster

The Packers have almost what they need for a championship season. Find out what else they need in the Green and Gold Express.

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State and county ethics complaints filed against DA

Damrau accuses Parker of violating victims' rights

By **CAROL RYCZEK**
Editor-in-chief

Attorney Aaron Damrau filed state and county ethics complaints against Shawano County District Attorney Greg Parker on Oct. 30.

The complaints were filed with the Wisconsin Ethics Commission and the Shawano County Ethics Committee.

Damrau, who is challenging Parker for the DA position in Tuesday's election as an independent, accuses Parker of violating victims' rights during a Facebook exchange. In that exchange, Parker also referenced a warrant that has been issued and discussed a domestic violence case, including what Damrau said is information that is not in the public record.

Parker said he did post the Facebook comments in question, but that they only contained information that was already public record. He said the complaint was filed on Friday afternoon and he had not seen it prior to being contacted Friday evening. The names are not being used in this story as the Leader does not release names until someone is charged.

The complaint states that the Facebook post was made on Oct. 27 on the Greg Parker for District Attorney Facebook page, which is his campaign's page. The posts no longer appear on the page, but in his complaint to the state, Damrau included screen captures of the posts.

One of the exchanges included in the complaint began with a long post with the writer detailing why she did not plan to vote for Parker.

In his Facebook response, Parker discussed the charges filed against the writer and her ex-husband. The cases involved several instances of domestic abuse. The response also addressed the writer's questions about a



AARON DAMRAU



GREG PARKER

divorce proceeding and fines.

In Parker's response, Damrau claims, Parker included the writer's former married name, identifying the ex-husband as a victim of abuse. Damrau also said the post also included information on referrals made for the victim. This information is for internal use and is not public record, he said.

In Parker's Facebook post, he said that as Damrau and his campaign's treasurer were both attorneys who represented the writer, "I find it hard to believe that it is a coincidence with respect to sending your post — I doubt that there is."

Damrau said he did not ask the writer to submit her post.

"No, of course not," he said.

The woman who posted the initial comment said she was not asked by Damrau to post it.

"I was not prompted by anybody," she said. "I saw the post and decided I had to say something."

Damrau said his rationale for filing the complaint was based in part on Marsy's Law, a recent amendment to the state constitution that specifies rights for crime victims. These include the right to be treated with dignity, respect, courtesy, sensitivity and fairness, and privacy. The constitutional amendment was approved by voters in April.

Damrau also noted that by nam-

ing someone wanted on an outstanding warrant would potentially create prejudicial pre-trial publicity in a criminal case. When discussing these warrants publicly, Damrau said, the DA must add a disclaimer that the person in the warrant is innocent until proven guilty.

Parker said he was providing the same information that he would provide to any individual who had an outstanding warrant.

The person named in the warrant said he felt the Facebook post was a continuation of practices that discriminate against Native Americans.

"The way he did it is unprofessional," he said, referring to the public message in the Facebook exchange. "He couldn't just comment to me on the side? He put it out there for all of Shawano and surrounding counties to see."

The state ethics commission has five days to review the complaint and choose whether or not it will proceed with an investigation, Damrau said. That means the complaint is unlikely to be resolved before election day.

"It won't be before the election, but it brings up ethical issues," Damrau said.

"This is a guy who is so desperate he will do anything he possibly can for political purposes," Parker said.

In the county complaint, Damrau alleges that Parker had county staff "fact check" Damrau's campaign advertising, using resources that were available only through the DA's office.

The county ethics committee has two county board members, Gene Hoppe and Theresa Serrano. The committee positions for three citizen members are currently vacant.

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"This is a guy who is so desperate he will do anything he possibly can for political purposes."

GREG PARKER, Shawano-Menominee County district attorney, referencing Aaron Damrau, who filed complaints against him with the Wisconsin Ethics Commission and Shawano County Ethics Committee

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, ext. 7018

Parker holds on to DA seat

Incumbent wins by 55-45% margin

By **TIM RYAN**
Reporter

Incumbent Republican Shawano-Menominee County District Attorney Greg Parker held onto his seat Tuesday against a contentious election challenge from independent candidate Aaron Damrau.

Parker, who has been district attorney since 2007, emphasized his experience and modeled himself as the law and order candidate, while Tigerton-based attorney Damrau leveled numerous charges that Parker has mismanaged the office.

He claimed that mismanagement was responsible for a number of cases being dismissed.

Damrau maintained the district attorney's office consisted of "bullies" who were unwilling the let defendants move on with their lives.

He also alleged outside attorneys refuse to come to Shawano County because of the district attorney's office refusal to negotiate plea agreements up until the trial date.

Despite those allegations, Parker won 55% of the vote in Shawano and Menominee counties, 12,739 to Damrau's 10,322.

The results still need to be certified by the Board of Canvass.

Parker could not be reached for a comment by press time Wednesday. In a Facebook posting, he thanked those who came out to vote and the volunteers that helped his campaign.

Damrau posted a statement on his Facebook page saying his primary objective in running for district attorney was to expose what he claims is going on the the district attorney's office.

"This election has made clear that voters want transparency and accountability in their DA's office and in local government," he wrote. "Even though I



Shawano County Clerk Pam Schmidt scans voter counts on paper and electronically as she and her staff tally the votes from Shawano County on Tuesday night.

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won't be district attorney, I will continue to serve on the Shawano County Board and promise to continue to work hard to ensure that all elected officials are held accountable."

In Shawano County, Damrau had his best showings in Tigerton and the Town of Red Springs, and finished ahead of Parker in the city of Shawano, 2,101 to 1,887.

Damrau, who was elected to the Shawano County Board last spring, graduated from the University of Minnesota in 2015 and has worked as a public defender in Wausau.

Shawano County Clerk Pam Schmidt, Treasurer Deb Wallace and Register of Deeds Amy Dillenberg were also on the ballot Tuesday in uncontested races.

Clintonville school referendum gets 58.3% approval

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

The Clintonville School District received the green light from voters Tuesday to proceed with its \$37 million referendum project, which will allow it to reduce the number of campuses from three to two while creating some needed upgrades of the current middle and high school buildings.

Voters in Shawano and Waupaca counties gave their blessing to a project that officials promised would not increase taxes beyond the \$10.74 rate property owners are currently paying in school taxes. The last debt payment for the current Clintonville High School will be paid this year.

The vote tally came to 2,538 in favor of the referendum and 1,816 against, a

BY THE NUMBERS

Clintonville School District referendum results:

Municipality	Yes	No
City of Clintonville	1,181	685
Town of Bear Creek	194	188
Town of Belle Plaine	330	151
Town of Larrabee	333	351
Town of Matteson	317	280
Town of Navarino	13	7
Town of Pella	52	43
Village of Embarrass	98	86
Total	2,538	1,816

58.3% approval for what Superintendent David Dyb has touted as "setting up the district for our future success."

"I'm so excited for our students and our community's future," Dyb said in a phone interview Wednesday morning.

The numbers show consistent support in almost all of the communities

that make up the district, especially the city of Clintonville, which cast 1,181 votes in favor compared with 685 against, and the town of Belle Plaine, which cast a two-to-one approval of 330 yes votes to 151 no votes.

Dyb said he was particularly impressed with how many people turned out for the election, which to him truly gauges whether district residents approve of the project. The district had opted for a referendum now instead of in April because voters are more likely to turn out when state and national races are on the line.

"It was very good to see the high voter turnout in the city of Clintonville, which the clerks told me was around 80% turnout," Dyb said. "That speaks volumes about having an accurate depiction of our community."

There were only two communities that had more votes against the referendum than for it, both of them in Waupaca County and both by thin margins. The Town of Union had 25 votes against the referendum and 20 for it, and the Town of Larabee cast 351 votes against and 333 in favor.

Dyb said the district plans to get to work immediately on finalizing architecture and design plans for the project, as well as working with financial advisers on establishing the terms for the municipal bonds that will pay for the construction and renovations.

"I'm totally excited about the opportunity," Dyb said. "It's going to be a great thing for Clintonville."

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COURT NEWS

Recent proceedings in Shawano-Menominee County Circuit Court:

- Rogelio Cuenica, 40, of Shawano, was charged Nov. 3 with a felony count of possession of methamphetamine.

He could face a maximum 3½ years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. Cuenica was scheduled

for an initial court appearance Nov. 4.

- Lucas J. Ashenbrenner, 25, of Shawano, was charged Nov. 2 with 34 counts of possession of child pornography. He could face a maximum 25 years in prison and \$100,000 fine on each count if convicted.

A warrant has been issued for

Ashenbrenner's arrest.

- Terry N. Hoffman, 65, of Gresham, was charged Oct. 30 with two felony counts of strangulation and suffocation. He could face a maximum six years in prison and \$10,000 fine on each count if convicted. Hoffman posted a cash bond of \$2,500 and is due back in court for an adjourned

initial appearance Nov. 16.

- Sara L. Holoubek, 32 of Wittenberg, was charged with a felony count of possession of methamphetamine. She could face a maximum 3½ years in prison and \$10,000 fine if convicted. Holoubek is free on a \$2,000 signature bond was scheduled for a preliminary hearing Jan. 5, 2021.

Probation given for Facebook photo

By **KEVIN MURPHY**
Correspondent

A former monitor at a Menominee Indian tribal school was placed on five years' probation Oct. 31 for receiving and posting on his Facebook page a sexually explicit photo of a minor female.

Kelly L. Turney, 24, of Zoar, gave no explanation during the combined plea and sentencing hearing as to why he committed the offense. He did say that he "was sorry that it happened, and I won't do it again."

Turney also said he was a hall monitor at a tribal school for 4.5 years until his arrest earlier this year.

According to the plea agreement:

The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children notified the Wisconsin Department of Justice-Division of Criminal Investigation, that Facebook had flagged an image as pos-

sible child pornography. The image of an underage female had been uploaded to its site by a user.

Facebook deleted the image from its site before sending a copy to the NCMEC.

A state DCI agent obtained the subscriber information for the Facebook account user who posted the image and learned that the account belong to Turney.

Turney told investigators that he used his phone on Jan. 12, 2018, to seek sexually explicit images of young women on the internet and obtained a photo of the girl referenced in the case.

He then posted the photo to his Facebook page and created a new Facebook account after his first was deactivated.

Turney's attorney, Krista Halla-Valdes, said that a search of her client's phone and computer located only one

obscene photo involving a child and that photo was on Facebook "for less than an hour."

"He has no (other) record, no arrests ... this is a good outcome," Halla-Valdes said of the five-year probation sentence both parties recommended to U.S. District Judge William Griesbach.

Turney faced maximum statutory penalties of five years in prison, a \$250,000 fine and three years' supervised release.

Griesbach accepted the sentencing recommendation and told Turney that his offense was a serious matter as it invades the privacy of children. Although Turney didn't take the photo, he contributed to the violation of the girl's privacy by downloading the photo and sharing it on Facebook, Griesbach said.

"This (offense) has a bad effect on children and on you. It changes you," the judge said.

Woman indicted for intent to murder

By **KEVIN MURPHY**
Correspondent

A Keshena woman has been indicted in federal court for assault with the intent to commit murder, the U.S. Attorney's Office announced Monday.

If convicted, Michelle L. Pamonicutt, 35, faces maximum penalties of 20 years in prison, a \$250,000 fine and three years' supervised release.

The indictment issued Oct. 20 alleged that Pamonicutt assaulted a man identified only as John Doe on Oct. 27, 2019 on the Menominee Reservation.

Pamonicutt was arraigned on Oct. 23. Her release order prohibited her from having any contact with the victim or witnesses to the alleged incident.

A Jan. 4, 2021, trial date was set for the case before District Judge William Griesbach in Green Bay.

PUBLIC RECORD

SHAWANO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Nov. 2

Deputies logged 37 incidents, including a citation for operating after revocation on state Highway 117 in Cecil; injury accidents on Hemlock Road in the Town of Wittenberg and County Road C in the Town of Green Valley.

Nov. 1

Deputies logged 52 incidents, including property thefts on Evergreen Road in the Town of Belle Plaine, Ellms Street in Wittenberg and Carroll Road in the Town of Green Valley; a domestic disturbance on Knoke Street in Gresham; a disturbance on County Road E in the Town of Washington.

Oct. 31

Deputies logged 53 incidents, including a domestic disturbance on Pioneer Avenue in Wittenberg; burglaries on Park Street in the Town of Angelica, Big Lake Road and Sumac Lane in the Town of Red Springs and Taylor Street in Wittenberg; an arrest for operating while

intoxicated on state Highway 160 in the Town of Angelica.

Oct. 30

Deputies logged 33 incidents, including a citation for operating after revocation on Robin Road in Wittenberg; a property theft on state Highway 47-55 in the Town of Wescott.

Oct. 29

Deputies logged 33 incidents, including criminal damage to property on Sarah Street in Birnamwood; a domestic disturbance on Ebert Street in Gresham; a drug complaint on Golfview Road in Cecil.

Oct. 28

Deputies logged 31 incidents, including a property theft on County Road OO in Eland; disorderly conduct at the Shawano County Jail, 405 N. Main St. in Shawano.

Oct. 27

Deputies logged 40 incidents, including citations for operating after revocation on state Highway 22 in Cecil and Bluebird Road in Birnamwood; disturbances on Leopold Road in the Town of Herman and Julius Street in the

Town of Angelica; disorderly conduct on Main Street in Birnamwood; domestic disturbances on Pioneer Avenue in Wittenberg and Bartlett Street in Gresham.

SHAWANO POLICE DEPARTMENT

Nov. 2

Police logged 27 incidents, including a property theft in the 900 block of East Fifth Street; criminal damage to property in the 900 block of South Franklin Street; disturbances in the 1300 block of South Union Street and 700 block of South River Street.

Nov. 1

Police logged 20 incidents, including a stolen vehicle recovered in the 200 block of North Washington Street; a property theft in the 200 block of East Division Street; a disturbance in the 500 block of South Franklin Street.

Oct. 31

Police did not provide an incident list.

Oct. 30

Police logged 17 incidents, including

disorderly conduct in the 100 block of Aspen Court; a disturbance at Birch Hill Care Center, 1475 Birch Hill Lane; shoplifting at Family Dollar, 413 S. Main St.

Oct. 29

Police logged 20 incidents, including two shoplifting incidents reported at Charlie's County Market, 521 S. Main St., and at The Store, 404 E. Green Bay St.

Oct. 28

Police logged 20 incidents, including disturbances in the 300 block of East Maurer Street and 300 block of West Picnic Street; disorderly conduct in the 300 block of South Washington Street.

Oct. 27

Police logged 25 incidents, including a burglary in the 400 block of Humphrey Circle; disorderly conduct in the 300 block of Prospect Circle; disturbances in the 1000 block of South River Street and 1200 block of East Green Bay Street; property thefts in the 300 block of West Green Bay Street and 1000 block of East Richmond Street

State to resume Produce Safety Rule training online

The Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) is offering virtual food safety training to help growers comply with the Produce Safety Rule (PSR). In-person training was suspended earlier this year to help slow the spread of COVID-19.

Farms covered by the Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA) are required to have at least one person attend an approved food safety class.

The PSR is under the Food and Drug Administration's FSMA signed into law in 2011. The regulation sets the first-ever federal regulatory standards for the production, harvest, and handling of fruits and vegetables to prevent contamination and reduce

foodborne illnesses from fresh produce.

The rule provides a qualified exemption and modified requirements for farms that have food sales averaging less than \$500,000 per year during the previous three years and make most sales directly to consumers or restaurants or retail establishments.

Instead, these farms are required to include their name and complete business address either on the label of the produce that would otherwise be covered (if a label is required under the FD&C Act and its implementing regulations) or to display the same information at the point-of-purchase. These farms are also required to establish and keep certain documentation.

DATCP, in cooperation with the Produce Safety Alliance, is offering two eight-hour, two-day online courses that meet FSMA and PSR requirements. The courses will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Nov. 17-18 and Dec. 15-16.

The courses will help produce farmers understand how their farm's practices match with PSR regulations. The course will cover key areas of the PSR, including introduction to produce safety; worker health, hygiene and training; soil amendments; wildlife, domesticated animals and land use; agricultural water; post-harvest handling and sanitation; how to develop a farm food safety plan. Farmers also will learn more about exceptions and

exemptions available under the rule.

The course is free but attendees must register at least two weeks before the course date at www.safeproduce.wi.gov.

Participants must be able to engage through video and audio during the training, so access to a reliable internet connection and a computer or tablet with AV capabilities is critical. After attending the course, participants can request an Association of Food and Drug Officials Certificate of Completion, which satisfies a key requirement for farms covered by the PSR.

Wisconsin is second in the nation in number of certified organic farms, and more than 1,000 farms are covered by the PSR.

OBITUARIES

James C. Bethurem

James C. "Jim" Bethurem, 79, Green Bay, formerly of Cecil, died Wednesday, Sept. 30, 2020. He was born on Nov. 11, 1940, in Green Bay to Walter C. and Leona M. (LeGros) Bethurem.

After graduating from Green Bay East High School in 1959, Jim joined the U.S. Air Force and began a 20-year career primarily serving in the PMEL field. He married Marcia Blanshan on Dec. 26, 1964, at First United Methodist Church in Green Bay. Together they enjoyed the opportunities to travel extensively, especially on his overseas assignments.



This also inspired his passion for photography, which he shared with their daughter, Jenny. They had many photo excursions with Marci driving the car while Jim and

Jenny looked for those perfect photo ops.

Jim never shied away from a project challenge, whether it was building a new computer, designing and building the cabinets for their

home, moving a set of stairs, or tearing something apart and rebuilding it. He had the ability to envision what the final product would look like and make it happen.

Jim is survived by his wife, Marci; daughter, Jenny; brother, Richard (Lynn) Bethurem and their family; half-brother Walter Bethurem, sister-in-law Sue (Barbara Smith) Blanshan; cousin, Ronald (Jean) LeGros and their family; and many other family members and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and aunts, Lorraine Zastrow and Evelyn Hoth.

Visitation will be at First United Methodist Church from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 11, followed by a memorial service and military Honors at 1 p.m. Burial will be in Nicolet Memorial Gardens. Blaney Funeral Home is assisting the family. To send online condolences, please go to www.BlaneyFuneralHome.com.

The family would like to thank the caring physicians and staff of Green Bay Oncology and the incredible staff of Unity Hospice.

In lieu of flowers donations may be sent to the Salvation Army and Unity Hospice.

Eldien A. Jarvis

Eldien A. Jarvis, age 86 of Shawano, passed away on Friday, October 23, 2020 at Birch Hill Health Services from COVID-19.

Eldien was born July 22, 1934 in Antigo, a daughter of the late Walter and Lucille (Nutmeg) Albrecht. She grew up in Antigo and graduated from Antigo High School. Following high school, she worked at the Southern Colony Group Home in Union Grove. On October 11, 1954, Eldien was united in marriage to Wayne E.



Jarvis in Union Grove. Eldien was employed for over 15 years at American Roller Company as a Quality Control Technician. She was also a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church. In 2000 the couple relocated to Shawano, shortly after she retired. Eldien enjoyed baking

and spending time with her family.

Survivors include her sons, Jeff Jarvis of Colorado, James Jarvis of Rhinelander, and Jerry Jarvis of Shawano; her granddaughter, Morgan of Toledo, Ohio; her brothers, Butch Albrecht and Everett Albrecht; her brother-in-law, Marvin Jarvis of Eagle River; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Wayne, on April 11, 2019; her brother, Walter Albrecht, Jr.; her sister, Thelma Brehm; and her

sister-in-law, Betty Jarvis.

Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, private family services will be held.

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



Jerry M. Brandt

Jerry M. Brandt, 79, of Shawano, passed away Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 27, 2020, at St. Vincent Hospital in Green Bay where he had been a patient for the past three weeks. Jerry was born Oct. 17, 1941, in Shawano, a son of the late Milton and Viola (Goree) Brandt. On Aug. 6, 1960, he was united in marriage to the former Amy Kay Clough. Jerry was employed at Hotz Manufacturing before beginning his



own woodworking business. He enjoyed watching the Packers.

Survivors include his wife, Amy, of Gresham; his children, Sheri (Mike) Krause, of Shawano, Tom

(Terri Kosky) Brandt, of Shawano,

Karen (Bill) Burghardt, of Neenah, and Tim (Christy) Brandt, of Shawano; 13 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren; his sister, Peggy (Bill) Tyson, of North Pole, Alaska; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his brother and sister-in-law, David and Niece Brandt; his sister, Nancy Schultz; and his in-laws, Edward and Anita Clough.

Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, private family services will be held.

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



OBITUARIES

Donald L. Teske

Donald Lester Teske, 81, of the Town of Pella, passed away on Saturday, Oct. 31, 2020, in Brown County, surrounded by the compassionate caregivers at Patient Pines Assisted Living and AseraCare Hospice. It has been a difficult, heartbreaking battle during COVID-19, but Don fought a long courageous battle against his Lewy Body Dementia with his family by his side.

Don was born on June 12, 1939, in the Town of Bear Creek, Waupaca County. He was the son of the late Clarence and Anita (Fredrick) Teske. Don was united in marriage to Mary Ann Rysewyk on July 2, 1960, at St. John Lutheran Church Hermansfort. The couple was married for 58 endearing years and lived in Shawano County for their entire marriage. Mary devoted her final years caring for Don with his dementia until she entered her



final resting place on April 10, 2019. Don was a hardworking and devoted family man. He started his long working career as a foundry worker in Milwaukee, which is where he met his soulmate, Mary. He went to Bertram's Auto and FWD in Clintonville before beginning his long career in 1966 at Marion Body Works, Inc., in which he retired from in 2005 after 39 years of hard work.

Don enjoyed the outdoors, everything from working on demo cars with the boys to deer and turkey hunting, bear hunting with his son, Roger, and all the bass fishing tournaments he could do. Don was a lifelong

member of the Shawano Bassmasters. He enjoyed his flowers and the garden that he planted every year. Before Mary's passing, Don and Mary enjoyed watching all the deer and turkeys from their patio window and spending time with their dogs Buster, Tuffy and Skippy, which kept them busy as they enjoyed their retirement years together.

Don is survived by his two sons, Roger (Cindy) Teske and Greg (Jackie) Teske; step-grandson, Justin Scott; and one brother, Gerald Teske.

Don was preceded in death by his wife, Mary; parents, Clarence and Anita Teske; his father- and mother-in-law, Casey and Doris (Dunst) Rysewyk; brother-in-law, Albert (Charlotte) Rysewyk; and sister-in-law, Evelyn (Harry) Tischer.

Funeral services for Don will be

held on Saturday, Nov. 7, 2020, at 11 a.m. at Swedberg Funeral Home in Shawano, with the Rev. Steve Conrad officiating. Burial will be at St. John Lutheran Church Hermansfort cemetery. Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Saturday from 9 a.m. until the time of service. Face masks will be required.

The family would like to extend a special thank you for the exceptional care that Don received over the past year at Patient Pines Assisted Living. All the caregivers and Toni Carter the owner went above and beyond to make sure he was always comfortable and loved every single day. The family would like to extend an additional thank you to all the AseraCare Hospice caregivers that helped every step of the way.

www.swedbergfuneralhome.com

Richard L. Garbelman

Richard L. Garbelman died peacefully on Saturday, October 31, 2020 at Mariposa Hospice House in The Villages, Florida. He was 73. He was born on Jan. 8, 1947, in St. Charles, Illinois. Richard's family moved to Wisconsin when he was 1 year old.

Richard and his wife, Pat, moved to The Villages, in Lady Lake in 2019 for health reasons. They enjoyed all The Villages offered especially the entertainment and pools. He regularly went to the pool for water therapy. Although he had many health problems, Richard persevered at trying to maintain independence and working



on his therapy. Richard enjoyed golfing, motorcycling, and working on and driving his classic cars. He won many trophies at car shows. He was a quiet peaceful man. When he had something to say it was usually sarcastic and funny. His sense of humor made people laugh. Richard never had a bad word to say about others. He was well respected by all that knew him. Richard was 32

years sober and a grateful member of AA.

Richard is survived by his wife of 37 years, Pat, his son, Mike (Amy) Garbelman, of Shawano; his daughter, Kelly Garbelman (Steve), of Marquette, Michigan; his sister, Bobbette Hull, of Shawano; three sisters-in-law, Bonnie, JoEllyn and Kathy; three brothers-in-law, Jim, John and Tom (Steven); three grandchildren, Brad (Amelia), Jeremy (Angela) and Jessica (Tim); and six great-grandchildren, Ivy, Vivian, Addison, Michaela, Aubrey, and Kaylee. He is further survived by

his uncle, Richard Beane, of Illinois; many cousins, nieces, nephews, and the best friends ever.

Preceding him in death are his parents, Myron and Juanita Garbelman; one granddaughter, Kayla; his in-laws, Richard and Patricia Jerow; and four brother-in-laws, Bill Olson, Doc Hull, Mike VanLieshout, and Jim Dutcher.

No services will be held.

In lieu of flowers please consider making a donation to Mariposa Hospice House in The Villages, and thank you for keeping him comfortable in his final days. Rest in peace with love.

Joshua J. Krueger

Joshua Jo Krueger, 32, of Gillett passed away unexpectedly Monday October 26, 2020.

Josh was born Aug. 2, 1988, in Bellevue Washington. Josh and family moved to Gillett when he was 7 years old. Josh was a colorful soul and loved dirt track racing, working on anything with a motor, camping and being outdoors. He was a jack of all trades master of none, always had a gypsy soul, never liked to do the same thing for too long — but most of all he loved his family.

Josh was employed with the family business, Iron Horse, and also worked for his dear friends Orlin and Roger at R&R Tree Service. Josh was a father, brother, son, and uncle and wore every title very well.

Joshua was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather and grandmother, Chuck, and Iris Perala and his paternal grandmother Kathleen



(Cookie) Krueger and his mother Ellie Krueger. Josh is survived and missed greatly by his daughter, Journi Anne Loberger; his father, Troy Krueger; his stepmother, Laura Anderson; his siblings Robert (Amy) Krueger, Kellie Krueger, Dylan Krueger, Grandfather Robert (Bob) Krueger, Nephews Gavin, Mason and Braxtyn and many other relatives and close friends.

Kuehl Funeral Home, Gillett, is honored to assist the family. Visitation was held Thursday, Nov. 5, 2020, from 4-7 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, the family has established a Memorial Fund in Josh's name for his daughter, Journi.

Edwin John Greenwald, 81, of Cecil, passed away Sunday, Oct. 25, 2020. Edwin was born Oct. 18, 1939, in Wauwatosa. Following graduation from high school, Edwin proudly went on to serve his country in the United States Army for 27 years. While serving his country, he was stationed in Korea and Vietnam. After retiring from the military, he went on to work in security.

Edwin took pride in his yard and enjoyed working on small projects. He was funny, a great joke teller and a prankster. Edwin was a warm-hearted and wonderful man who loved his family dearly. He will be missed by all who knew and loved him.

Edwin is survived by his sister Elsie Stalker; nieces, nephews,



other relatives and friends. He is further survived by his close friend Joanne Krueger; her children, Dean (Debbie) Krueger, Brad (Missy) Krueger

and Layla (Jeremy) Jensen; Joanne's granddaughter, Marissa (Sheldon); and Joanne's great-grandchildren, Lilly, Jordan, Dakota and Trenton.

He was preceded in death by his parents, John and Stella (Inman) Tronnier; and siblings, Kenneth Tronnier, John Tronnier Jr., Richard Tronnier, Nettie Kryll and Joyce Fakler.

Due to COVID-19, a memorial service is being planned for a later date.

www.swedbergfuneralhome.com

Gerarda M. (Okimosh) Peters

Gerarda M. (Okimosh) Peters, 67, of Keshena, passed away Monday, Oct. 26, 2020, at ThedaCare Regional Medical Center in Appleton. Gerarda was born March 28, 1953, in Keshena to the late Peter Sr. and Delvinia (Waters) Okimosh. She graduated from Shawano High School. On Nov. 25, 1991, Gerarda was united in marriage to Darrell Peters.

Gerarda worked at Menominee Indian High School and at Menominee Casino. She enjoyed going to the casino, hunting, fishing and riding in the woods. Gerarda was the best cook ever. She loved her family dearly, especially her grandchildren. Gerarda will be missed dearly by all who knew and loved her.

Gerarda is survived by her husband, Darrell; children, Frank (Tina) Okimosh, Ree Okimosh, Leslie (Geronimo) House, Delvinia (William) Okimosh, Justin Okimosh, Justina Okimosh and Fallan Okimosh; grandchildren, Frank Jr., Darrell, Hunter, Channing, Isabella, Bryce, Payton, Dean III, Delvinia, DaVannee, Kesoq, Koda, Audra, Kenai, Carl III, Cyrius, Casheous and Chance,



(Denise) Okimosh, Diane Boivin and John Teller Sr.; nieces and nephews, including a special niece, Michelle Mauritson; special nephew, Brett "Chip" Okimosh; and special friend Dean Waupoose Jr.

She is further survived by other relatives and friends, including the Arikara family.

She was preceded in death by her parents and siblings, Davey Jean Okimosh Reiter, Elthea Richmond and Anna Mauritson.

Visitation was held for Gerarda on Thursday, Oct. 29, 2020, at Swedberg Funeral Home in Shawano. The procession then left for Okimosh Cemetery in Keshena with Nahwahquaw officiating.

www.swedbergfuneralhome.com

Jack A. Ossmann

Jack A. Ossmann, 84, of Gillett, entered his heavenly home Monday, Oct. 26, 2020, with family by his side. Jack was born May 23, 1936, to his late parents, Kurt and Ruth (Pope) Ossmann, in Waukesha. After graduating from Waukesha High in 1954, Jack entered the workforce and Air Force Guard. He married his wife, Suzanne, on Feb. 14, 1959. Jack started his longtime career at International Harvester shortly after marriage. He was honorably discharged in 1961 from the U.S. Air Force. They moved to Gillett in 1976, where they continued to raise the family homestead. Jack retired in 1986.

Jack loved spending time with his family. He was an avid outdoorsman – most of his stories consisted of hunting and fishing. He was also a big sports fan.

Jack is survived by his wife, Suzanne (Huff), of 61 years; his six children: Calvin (Patty) Ossmann, Jackie Begolke (Larry Buchholz), Rhonda (Patrick) Nelson, Shelly (Paul) Morrow, Robert (Holli) Ossmann and Amanda Ossmann; 12 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; sister, Susie Sweet; many nieces, nephews and



other relatives.

Jack is preceded in death by his parents; sister, Delores Furrer; son-in-law, Loren Begolke; three brothers-in-law; sister-in-law.

His family would like to thank Shawano Health Services, ThedaCare Appleton and ThedaCare Hospice for their care.

Visitation was held Saturday, Oct. 31, 2020, at Christ Lutheran Church in Hintz from 9 a.m. until the funeral service at 11 a.m. with Pastor Michael Pahlke officiating. Jack will be interred at Christ Lutheran Cemetery. Gruetzmacher Funeral Home in Suring is assisting the family with arrangements. Online condolences can be expressed at www.gruetzmacherfuneralhome.com.



Gary V. Burden



Adele Burden, Rice Lake.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Paul and Virginia Burden.

Due to COVID-19, no public services will be

held. A portion of Gary's cremains will be scattered in Douglas County, where he deer hunted for over 50 years. Final internment to be in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Candler (Asheville), North Carolina.

The family wishes to thank Unity Hospice, DePere, for the extraordinary care provided during Gary's illness, especially RN Cindy and CNA Amy. Your support and expertise during the past eleven months were surpassed only by your compassion and love. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Unity Hospice.

Pfotenhauer Funeral Home is assisting the family. Online condolences are welcome at www.pfotenhauerfuneralhome.com.

Gary Vincent Burden, 70, Green Bay, passed away at home on Oct. 22, 2020. Gary was born on Nov. 5, 1949, in Shell Lake to Paul V. and Virginia M. Burden. He was a 1968 graduate of Spooner High School, Spooner.

On June 15, 1969, Gary married Deborah Ann Griffin in Virginia Beach, Virginia. Gary worked all his life in the veneer and hardwood plywood industry, ending his career as co-owner of Burkel-Piette in Oconto Falls. He had a passion for deer hunting, fishing and gardening. He loved traveling, among his favorite destinations were International Beatles Week in Liverpool, England and more recently Venice and Rome, Italy.

Gary is survived by wife, Debbie; daughters, Christine (Laura) Burden of Saukville, and Jodi (Richard) Petersen, of Combined Locks; son, Jeffery Burden, of Madison; grandchildren, Kyle and Lauren Katchem, Claire and Bella Petersen; and great-granddaughter, Noelle Jourdan. Gary is also survived by sisters, Jean (Chris) Burden, of West Salem, and

Judy Rounsaville

Judy Jean French Rounsaville, 73, passed away Oct. 23, 2020, at Jackson Madison County General Hospital.

She was born Oct. 8, 1947, in International Falls, Minnesota, the daughter of the late Maxwell S. French and Madeline Inez-Elinore Schroeder Bartlett. She grew up in Shawano. She was a postal worker with the U.S. Postal Service for over 20 years, retiring in 2004. She married Jack Rounsaville on Feb. 19, 1993. They made their home in Oklahoma City, Henderson, Nevada and then moved to Finger, Tennessee, in 2008.

She enjoyed visiting casinos. She loved life and enjoyed being alive and spending time with her grandchildren.

Mrs. Rounsaville is survived by her husband, Jack Charles Rounsaville, of Finger; a daughter, Trisha Leanne Deary (James) of Humble,

Texas; one son, Billy Wendell Goode, Jr. (Zola), of Peru; three stepsons, Roger Scott Rounsaville (Shawana), of Yukon, Oklahoma, and Russell Shawn Rounsaville, of Yukon, Oklahoma, and Michael Lance Rounsaville (Stephanie), of El Reno, Oklahoma; eight grandchildren, Holly Deary, Emily Deary, Bane O'Rion Goode, Libby Rounsaville, Jackson Rounsaville, Evinn Rounsaville, Wyatt Cole Rounsaville and Cheyenne Renee Rounsaville; three sisters, Patricia Wiseman, of Clarksville, Tennessee, Rita Preston, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, and Lana Hintz, of Shawano; and several nieces and nephews who loved her dearly.

She was preceded in death by her parents and two sisters, Beverly Montour and Aleen Kern.

Shackelford Funeral Directors of Henderson. 731-989-2421

Lorraine I. Riemer

Lorraine I. Riemer, 90, of Shawano, passed away Sunday, Nov. 1, 2020, at ThedaCare Regional Medical

Center-Appleton.

Beil-Didier Funeral Home, Clintonville, is assisting the family.

Linda J. Radtke

Linda J. Radtke, 72, of Shawano, formerly Marion, passed away Thursday, Oct. 29, 2020, at ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano.

Beil-Didier Funeral Home, Clintonville, is assisting with the arrangements.

Library offers coupon deals in November, December

Library patrons can gobble up some holiday savings at the Shawano County Library during November and December.

Beginning Nov. 9, several coupon

deals will be available at the library locations, on the library's website at shawanolibrary.org, or on the library's Facebook page. Grab or print your coupons and bring them at a

library near you!

The coupons can be redeemed for savings at any of the library locations. Coupons include 50% fines (unlimited value), free replacement

library cards (\$3 value), 4 free prints (\$1 value), \$1 off faxing, and a free cocoa and candy cane treat.

For more information, call 715-526-3829.

Public Notice-Unclaimed Patronage Capital Funds

Central Wisconsin Electric Cooperative has unclaimed patronage capital funds for former members of Central Wisconsin Electric Cooperative.

Funds for these people have been unclaimed for three years. In accordance with Cooperative bylaws, after 60 days from this publication, the unclaimed funds shall be forfeited from the Cooperative to be used for educational loans, scholarships, or charitable purposes.

The listing of names is published on our website: www.cwecoop.com. On the main page under About Us select Capital Credits, where you will find a button 2020 Member List of Unclaimed Patronage. If you do not have access to our website online, you may request a listing by contacting our office during regular business hours.

If you know the whereabouts of these former members, please ask either the individual member or the estate executor to contact us at 800-377-2932. When writing to us, please include information to verify the person is the same one we are trying to locate. A previous mailing address, service address, street, road, or fire number where service was received would be helpful.

Regular business hours are from 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Monday – Friday. If you prefer e-mail, address your message to cwec@cwecoop.com

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Specialized Transportation Assistance Grant Application for 2021 is scheduled for a public hearing on Wednesday November 18, 2020 at 9:00am at Shawano County Department of Human Services, W7327 Anderson Avenue, Shawano, Wisconsin.

The public hearing will be held for the purpose of receiving comments for Shawano County's proposed plan for spending the allocation of \$126,523.00, authorized under Section 85.21 of the Wisconsin Statutes to implement an elderly and disabled transportation program, which includes a volunteer driver escort program, mini bus service, user side subsidy for the City of Shawano taxi service, Emergency Room transportation home and a marketing plan.

The meeting will only be held virtually and interested parties may join the link at <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/426200693>

Or call 1-866-899-4679 or 1-571-317-3116.

Access Code: 426-200-693

Those persons unable to attend the hearing and wishing to submit comments in advance may do so by mailing their comments prior to the hearing to:

Heidi Russell, Director of Aging
Shawano County Department of Human Services
W7327 Anderson Avenue
Shawano, WI 54166
heidi.russell@co.shawano.wi.us

The application will be available for public review prior to the hearing at Shawano County Department of Human Services, W7327 Anderson Avenue, Shawano, WI.

Persons with disabilities, which require special accommodations and who wish to virtually attend the hearing, should contact the Department of Human Services at 715-526-4700 or toll free 1-866-526-2130, prior to November 17, 2020.

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For a complete list of needs, please check out our website or FaceBook page.

Cash donations made December 1st-15th to CoVantage Cares at the Shawano locations will be matched & given to Safe Haven.



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Sheriff's first responders getting hazard pay

One-time payment of \$1,500 going to 104 employees

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

The Shawano County Board approved paying first responders Wednesday with the sheriff's department a one-time \$1,500 hazard payment from Cares Act funding the county is receiving.

First responders in the sheriff's department will include deputies, correctional officers with the jail, kitchen staff, evidence storage facility employees, sergeants, lieutenants and dispatchers, along with the communications supervisor. The hazard pay will not go to Sheriff Adam Bieber, the jail director or the chief deputy.

Finance director Nitta Charnon noted that \$145,000 will be paid out to 104 employees with the sheriff's department. Charnon said the funding would come from the \$679,000 the county received from the Cares Act.

County Board Chairman Tom Kautza praised the measure, noting that it wouldn't cost the county anything while helping jail staff and that the county was having a hard time finding a place to spend the money. Kautza noted it received the blessing of the executive committee and was seen as a way to help increase the starting pay for jail staff.

"Our jailers come and go, and I believe our starting pay for our jailers is \$2 to \$3 less than surrounding counties," Kautza said. "All we are is a training ground. As soon as they get started and we train them, they get certified, but they're not going to stay here for \$2 to \$3 less. They're going to leave."

Even though the measure passed, it came with its fair share of criticism.

Supervisor Joe Miller criticized the fact that the sheriff's department was getting the funding when Sheriff Adam Bieber had announced earlier this year that he was not going to enforce the mask mandate from the state of Wisconsin.

"I need somebody to define the hazard. I need someone to sit up and explain to me what the hazard is," Miller said. "Everything I have seen — the rhetoric coming directly from Sheriff Bieber over the past months — is there's no hazard."

Bieber said he required masks at the



Shawano County Supervisor Joe Miller asks a question to Sheriff Adam Bieber about sheriff's department first responders getting hazard pay during Wednesday's County Board meeting. Miller took exception to the department asking for the funds when the sheriff has stated he would not enforce the state's mask mandate.

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jail "right from the get-go" and made sure all employees in his department had N95 masks for use when they worked.

"Despite what's being said out in the public, I do care about safety. I care about my employees' safety," Bieber said. "This is something that I pushed for back in April, to make sure they got hazard pay because I required them to wear masks. We have a lot of employees that have health risks, and they have family that are at risk, and they're in an environment that was hazardous."

Bieber acknowledged he prefers to give the public the choice whether to mask up or not, but when it comes to his employees, he prefers to pull out the stops to keep them safe and working.

"Whether I enforce the mask mandate or not does not mean I don't take the health threat seriously," Bieber said, "but I believe in people's right to choose what they do with their health and how they act. That's what I believe."

Miller, who abstained from the vote on the hazard pay, clarified that he has respect for law enforcement, noting he carried a gun and a badge in the county years ago.

"I just hope everybody in the county takes this issue seriously," he said.

Supervisor Deb Noffke questioned why the hazard pay did not extend to office staff, noting that she understood why other employees were receiving the hazard pay but didn't understand why some with the sheriff's department were being excluded.

"We have office staff that has to deal with the public through the window," Noffke said. "If it's money that's there and available, shouldn't we give it to everyone that's eligible?"

Charnon noted the Cares Act funding is specified for first responders by the federal government. She checked with the state on the restrictions but pointed out that she would have liked to given it to all of the sheriff's employees.

"There have been a lot of employees that have been here are worked through this (pandemic)," Charnon said. "I'm not discounting them at all. However, deputies have not had any deviation to their work schedules. They've had to be here and respond to the public."

Supervisors also questioned why the county was not also extending hazard pay to firefighters, who are also considered first responders with law

enforcement. Despite the clarification that fire departments are funded through cities, villages and towns, some on the board felt the county should try to help them, too.

"They volunteer their lives to go out," said Supervisor Sandy Steinke. "I know several firefighters, even in the Shawano fire department that have come in contact in COVID from going into situations."

Noffke also felt that the county should extend the hazard pay to all first responders working in the county, even if they don't work for the county.

"We don't have a county fire department, but let's face it, all these smaller municipalities are part of the county," Noffke said. "Have we reached out to the local fire departments to see if we can at least assist them. We could give them some advice and say here's something to apply for, can't we?"

Kautza pointed out that municipalities received their own pool of Cares Act funding that can be used to help their fire departments.

The pay must be distributed to the sheriff's first responders no later than Nov. 6, according to Charnon.

Election brings voters out in force



ABOVE: President Donald Trump speaks directly to supporters at an Oct. 30 rally at Austin Straubel International Airport in Green Bay. As Wisconsin was considered a key state in the presidential race, Trump visited the area several times prior to the election.

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ABOVE RIGHT: Chantel Alvshire wears a "Natives Vote" mask as she helps distribute candy at a Halloween event in Keshena on Saturday. Alvshire said that, prior to the candy, volunteers handed out masks, signs and other items to encourage Keshena residents to vote.

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RIGHT: Shawano voters found a new normal for inside voting with plexiglass barriers, hand sanitizers and six foot spacing between voters.

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Gallagher defeats Stuck to stay in Congress

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

U.S. Rep. Mike Gallagher will be representing northeast Wisconsin for a third term in Congress after handily winning Tuesday's election for the 8th Congressional District.

Gallagher, a Republican, won 64% of the vote with 267,862 votes, according to The Associated Press. His Democratic challenger, state Rep. Amanda Stuck, received 150,824 votes or 36% with all 412 precincts reporting.



MIKE GALLAGHER

tee, the Transportation and Infrastructure Committee, the chairman of the Cyberspace Solarium Commis-

Gallagher is a seventh-generation Green Bay native who lives with his wife, Anne, and their baby daughter, Grace. He is a member of the House Armed Services Commit-



AMANDA STUCK

officer in the Middle East and North Africa, deploying twice to Iraq.

Stuck is a lifelong resident of

sion and the only Wisconsinite on the House China Task Force. Prior to Congress, he spent seven years in the Marines, earning the rank of captain. He served as a counterintelligence

Appleton. She worked her way through college at the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh by serving in AmeriCorps at Habitat for Humanity and the Red Cross, and as a rural mail carrier. Stuck earned her Master's in Public Administration from UW-Oshkosh and worked for former U.S. Rep. Steve Kagen and the Appleton Housing Authority. Stuck helped to found and co-chairs Wisconsin's Future Caucus, a bi-partisan group of young state legislators. Stuck and her husband have four children.

Tauchen wins another term in Assembly

Sarnwick's second attempt to unseat incumbent fails

By **TIM RYAN**
Reporter

Republican incumbent Rep. Gary Tauchen secured another term in the Wisconsin Assembly's 6th District after turning back for the second time a challenge from Richard Sarnwick.

Sarnwick, a Shawano area doctor, was making another run against Tauchen after being defeated two years ago.

Tauchen won 21,283 votes to 9,452 for Sarnwick.



GARY TAUCHEN

The numbers still need to be certified by the Board of Canvassers. "For me, personally, I'm pretty happy," Tauchen said. "Of course, I really admire anybody who runs for office. It's important because we live in a democracy, it's important that people will actually run for office and represent their constituents. So I appreciate Dr. Sarnwick putting his name out there and getting involved. I wish him the best of luck in the future."

Tauchen said his victory was assisted by Republican Party support. "The Republican Party in Sha-



RICHARD SARNWICK

wano County was very active," he said. "Everybody worked together very hard from the Trump organization down to the local level to try to get the candidates elected. I think that kind of cooperation really leads to good things. It utilizes resources in the best possible way. That had a lot to do with it because they all work together to try to make things better."

Tauchen said a combination of issues also played in the race and the results.

"This was such an odd year, with COVID-19 being so prominent," he said. "I think health care is important

to people. Lower taxes are important to people. There's just any number of issues. I think it's a combination of issues, and what people try to do, I think, to vote their values and find a candidate that does represent that."

Tauchen will have been in the Assembly 14 years in January. He said this was his last run for the office.

"This is my last term," he said. "I wanted to let people know that so they could prepare. I know I spent a couple years in preparation and trying to get my ducks in a row to prepare for it. I want other people to have the same opportunity so that we have the best possible candidates representing our district."

Sarnwick declined to comment for this story.

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GARY TAUCHEN, representing the 6th Assembly District, on his competitor, Richard Sarnwick

Republican candidates sweep Oconto County

County one of the reddest in Wisconsin

By **NEW MEDIA STAFF**

The 12th District seat in the Wisconsin Senate formerly held by U.S. Rep. Tom Tiffany remains in Republican hands after Tuesday's election.

State Rep. Mary Felzkowski, R-Irma, garnered two-thirds of the vote against Democratic opponent Ed Vocke to secure a four-year term in the state Senate. Felzkowski has served the 35th Assembly District for four two-year terms and is the current assistant majority leader in the Senate.

The 12th District is comprised of parts of 10 counties; in Oconto County she will represent the cities of Gillett and Oconto Falls, the villages of Suring and Lena, and the towns of Bagley, Brazeau, Breed, Chase, Doty, Gillett, How, Lake-wood, Lena, Maple Valley, Morgan, Mountain, Oconto Falls, Riverview, Spruce, Townsend and Underhill. Meanwhile, the GOP captured



MARY FELZKOWSKI



ED VOCKE

the 30th Senate District seat for the first time in 20 years, as attorney Eric Wimberger earned about 60% of the vote against Jonathon Hansen, the nephew of retiring Sen. Dave Hansen.

Wimberger received about 9,000 more votes this year than he did in 2016, when he ran against Dave Hansen and lost by a margin of 51.3% to 48.7%. Hansen's five terms matched

the previous longest-serving lawmaker in the seat, the late Reuben La Fave of Oconto, a Republican who held the post from 1957 to 1976.

The 30th District spans Brown, Oconto and Marinette counties, including the city of Oconto and the towns of Abrams, Little River, Little Suamico, Oconto, Pensaukee and Stiles.



ERIC WIMBERGER



JONATHON HANSEN

State Rep. Jeff Mursau, whose 36th Assembly District covers the same municipalities in Oconto County as the 12th Senate District, was unopposed for reelection.

State Rep. John Nygren, R-Marinette, won his eighth two-year term serving the 89th Assembly District, which is part of the 30th Senate District.

Nygren picked up close to 70% of the vote over Democrat Karl Jaeger, a member of the Marinette County Board.

A referendum in the Town of Spruce, asking if the town clerk and treasurer be appointed positions, passed by a margin of 56.9% to 43.1%. The unofficial tally was 296 yes, 224 no.

All of the numbers are consid-



JOHN NYGREN



KARL JAEGER

ered unofficial until ratified by the board of canvassers, which is scheduled to meet at 9 a.m. Tuesday in the conference rooms at the county Law Enforcement Center in Oconto.

Oconto County was one of the reddest counties in Wisconsin with President Donald Trump receiving about 70% of the vote for president.

The candidates for four county offices were all unopposed. Earning new terms were District Attorney Edward Burke, County Clerk Kim Pytleski, and County Treasurer Tanya Peterson, and Deputy Register of Deeds Laurie Wusterbarth will succeed Annette Behringer, her boss, upon her retirement from the office in January.

Virus can be controlled with community effort



Little Rapids Paper Mill is one of many businesses in Shawano having multiple people not reporting to work because they're either quarantining as a precaution or testing positive for the coronavirus. General manager Mike Bogenschutz said in a ThedaCare forum last week that he has an average of 10% of his workforce out presently because of the community virus spread.

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Medical, community leaders lay out how coronavirus pandemic has impacted them, their employees

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

Officials with ThedaCare and other key sectors of Shawano reported in an online presentation Oct. 30 that the coronavirus pandemic is worsening in the region and that more community cooperation is needed to stem the tide.

Shawano and Menominee counties are currently seeing a positivity rate in coronavirus cases of 30-35%, according to Frank Mellon, ThedaCare chief innovation officer, and the death rate in the nine-county region that ThedaCare serves has more than doubled. Shawano is seeing 1,000 cases per 100,000 people, Mellon said, while Menominee is seeing 1,400 per 100,000 people.

"Even though testing has increased from 1,500 (tests) per day to 2,000," Mellon said. "If we were getting the virus under control, we'd be expecting that number to come down."

Julie Chikowski, vice president for critical access hospitals, said that

ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano has been overburdened with cases the last six weeks, and the deaths have jumped up, with four in the Shawano facility this week and six last week.

"We're seeing some very sick people in my hospital," Chikowski said. "Today, every bed is full. Thank God we are in a system that allows us to transfer people and we continue to care. People are not getting sick in the hospital; they're coming here sick. I want everyone to understand that."

The curve has increased drastically in Shawano County, Chikowski said. There were less than 100 cases every two weeks through Sept. 5, but the average for a two-week period in the last month has been 650.

"That's very, very scary to me," Chikowski said. "I've been here for over two years. Those numbers just don't happen here. This is alive and well and living in Shawano."

She added that the ThedaCare system has 150 to 250 employees absent per day because they're having

to quarantine, with one-third of those being nurses.

"Do we need to be here with COVID? I don't believe we do," Chikowski said. "Wear your masks, wash your hands, social distance and take care of your family and loved ones. Think of the power of one."

Mindy Frimodig, a family practice physician with ThedaCare, has been practicing in Shawano for 13 years, and she has not seen as much change in practicing medicine as she has in 2020.

"The practice of medicine is an ever-changing field but it doesn't usually change at such a warp speed ... like it has these last several months," Frimodig said. "Unfortunately, I think that is part of the reason — this rapid pace of change — that has generated some of the uncertainty and mistrust at times from the public and even within the health care system itself."

One of the issues of mistrust is regarding the wearing of masks, according to Frimodig. The start of the pandemic saw health care officials

not recommending masks to stave off infection, but then the medical community changed its message to suggest masks would impact the risk of spreading the coronavirus.

"To be honest, after doing a 12-24 hour call in an N95 mask, the really tight ones that cut the bridge of your nose sometimes, in order to keep us and our patients safe, it is really disheartening to stop for a quick cup of coffee on the way home and see the majority of other customers and even employees not wearing a simple mask to protect others," Frimodig said. "Especially knowing we just left a hospital full of patients who seemingly picked up the virus doing something harmless like this."

Medical professionals are feeling the toll, Frimodig said, not only from the increased number of coronavirus cases hitting the hospital but also the "vitriol" from the community, implying that all they care about is COVID-19 and ignoring things like the higher rates of suicide, substance abuse, depression and more.

"I understand that people are

sick of this — they are sick of masks, sick of missing out on social gatherings. So are we,” Frimodig said. “We want our lives back to normal, too. However, we know acting like this isn’t a big deal is not going to get us to normal.”

Laura Thayer, a medical and surgical nurse in Shawano, pointed out that staff members have had to work extra shifts to keep up with the demand.

That demand is not just limited to the elderly, she said, and it won’t be stopped if people do not cooperate with health officials.

“It’s hard to watch,” Thayer said. “It’s hard to know that you’re the last face somebody’s loved ones are seeing before they pass.”

The forum also included some community impacts of the coronavirus. Mike Bogenschutz, general manager for the Little Rapids Paper Mill, noted that he has 185 employees, but an average 10% of the employees are out on a daily basis because they’ve registered positive or potentially been exposed to someone in the community who is positive.

Bogenschutz noted that the mill has a number of safety measures in place to ensure their employees don’t get sick at work, while admitting Little Rapids didn’t start requiring

masks until July. Those measures also help ensure that the customers who receive Little Rapids’ products and the people those products are distributed to don’t get the coronavirus from its materials.

“Us staying viable is important for the Shawano community,” Bogenschutz said, noting that many of the paper items, such as coffee filters, used locally were manufactured by Little Rapids. “It’s also important for the rest of Wisconsin.

About 70% of our products made here in Shawano are distributed and then converted by other Wisconsin companies like Kimberly Clark.”

Randi Anderson, Shawano School District superintendent, said the district has made a lot of changes in order to prepare for students to return to school at least part of the time, but they did not make a difference because district officials can’t control what happens outside of the schools.

The Shawano district is the hot zone out of all of the districts in the county, she said.

“The infections aren’t happening in our buildings,” Anderson said. “They’re happening in the community.”

Anderson compared the local district’s COVID-19 numbers with a met-



Beds at ThedaCare Medical Center-Shawano have been full or close to full in recent weeks due to the sharp increase in coronavirus cases in Shawano and Menominee counties. ThedaCare officials are concerned that the continued rise will leave most health care providers with a shortage of available beds for patients, not only those afflicted with the virus, but those with other health issues.

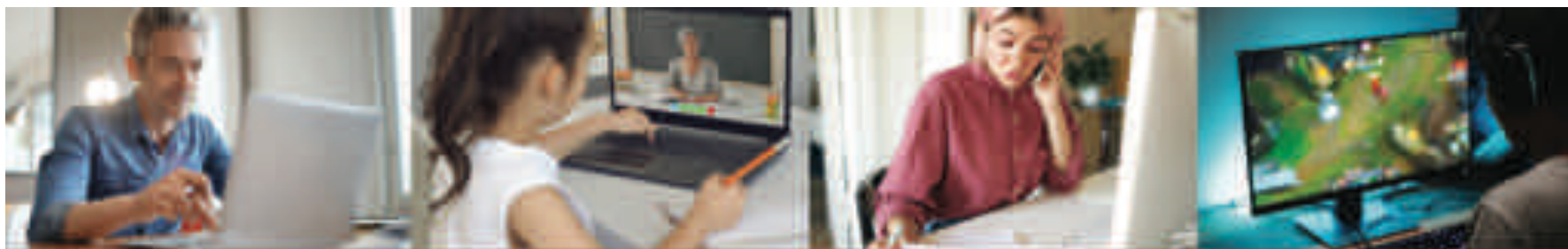
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ropolitan school district with higher counts of students and staff members but started with a hybrid model of learning like Shawano. While the positive cases with the urban school district registered less than 0.1%, Shawano has seen a 1.5% infection rate among students and a 6% infection rate among staff members.

“If I try to find 6% of subs out in the community, I don’t have a line

of substitute teachers to come in,” Anderson said. “If I take that number and say what is the total impact on my staff, since the start of the school year, over 30% of my staff have either been positive or quarantined. I am unable to fill my classrooms with teachers to have that learning happening.”

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Tax rate drops 7.5% for Shawano County

Proposed budget includes 1.5% pay raise for county employees

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

The Shawano County Board of Supervisors approved a tax levy for almost \$18 million after holding a public hearing on the county budget Oct. 28.

The new budget will cost county property owners a little less as the tax rate will drop 39 cents — about 7.5% — to \$4.99 per \$1,000 of equalized valuation. That means the owner of a property worth \$100,000 will pay \$499 in county taxes.

Equalized valuation for properties across the county increased by 1.08%, which finance director Nitta Charnon noted was a good thing in keeping county taxes down. There was also an increase of more than \$1.2 million in new construction, she said.

County Board Chairman Tom Kautza noted that, while the budget looks good, he is concerned about the exodus of officials from the county's employ. The county is currently without an administrative coordinator, a permanent public health officer, a zoning administrator and other employees that have left for places that offer bigger paychecks.

"I'm going to get up on my soapbox about how we've had an awful lot of people leaving the county, and some of the reason is pay," Kautza said during his regular report at the County Board meeting.

Kautza said he spoke with former administrative coordinator Brent Miller and was shown that Miller is getting \$33,000 more in pay by taking an administrative position in Sauk County than he did working for Shawano County.

He noted that the board had consultants from Carlson Dettman come up with a plan to keep county employees' pay consistent with other counties, but that has gone by the wayside. Kautza recommended that county department heads and committees look at ways to cut costs elsewhere so the county can remain within budget but still keep employees from seeking greener pastures.

"We're falling behind because of the labor shortage," Kautza said. "It isn't just within the county; it's everywhere to the point where we're not



Shawano County Board Chairman Tom Kautza speaks about the issues with employees leaving the county, including the recent departures of the administrative coordinator and public health officer. He recommended that department heads and committees look at their budgets to find ways of increasing pay for employees.

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staying up to pace with the demand that's there."

The 2021 budget includes a 1.5% pay raise across the board for employees, with Kautza noting that much of the money for that pay raise comes from lesser use of the county's health insurance.

"The state already limits us for what we have for a tax levy," Kautza said. "The more efficient we can make things, the more we can save."

Charnon said that the county was expecting to pay out \$6.1 million for health insurance needs, but it now appears that there will be \$5.8 million in expenses, allowing for the pay raise. She noted that the pay increase would total \$262,446 between all of the employees.

Budgets are always best estimates, according to Charnon, but putting together the 2021 budget was particularly interesting due to all the issues with the coronavirus pandemic.

"Who would have ever thought this was the year when COVID made things a little crazy?" Charnon said.

"We've lost a little revenue from passport stuff this year, but we also have gains in revenues from other areas. It's just kind of crazy where things are at."

Charnon noted the county's debt is 10.5% of the limit set by the state, so that puts the county in pretty good shape.

"We've always been a county that doesn't want to take out a lot of debt, and it shows," Charnon said.

Most of the budget saw little discussion from county board members, but some supervisors criticized the budget when it came to providing veteran services. Supervisor Aaron Damrau noted that there was not enough in the budget for veteran services officer Nick Benzinger to travel to Wittenberg on a monthly basis to work with veterans on the west side of the county.

"This office is not provided enough funding to support the basic operations," Damrau said. "I know that there's tough issues all across the board, but one thing (Benzinger) noted about my side of the county

is that, once a month, he goes out to Wittenberg once a month to meet with veterans at the community center, and it's about \$300 that he's cut out of his budget to do that. Even though that is cut from his budget, he is going to continue to do that."

Supervisor Deb Noffke suggested using some of the health insurance savings to help pay for Benzinger's expenses when he meets with veterans.

"That would cover Nick, and then some," Noffke said.

Charnon noted that she was aware of Benzinger using his personal vehicle for travel and highly discouraged it, noting that savings could easily come from elsewhere.

"That shows the character of the employees you have here, that they're willing to do those kinds of things," Charnon said. "It's kind of like a teacher at school. She doesn't get enough money to cover her classroom supplies, and she goes out and buys her own. Is that fair? Absolutely not."

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Rabideau given Shawano police chief badge

Commission 'proud and happy' to promote veteran captain

By **DAVID WILHELMS**
Correspondent

Brad Rabideau has been named as Shawano's police chief.

Rabideau, currently the force's captain, will succeed Police Chief Dan Mauel on Jan. 8, the day of Mauel's retirement. Mauel became chief in 2017 after the departure of former chief Mark Kohl and is capping a 41-year

career in law enforcement, most of that time with the Shawano Police Department.

"We're very happy and proud to have the talent to promote from within the department," Tony Zielinski, president of the city's police and fire commission, said of Rabideau's appointment Oct. 29.

Zielinski added it has been an objective of the commission to have

the training and processes in place to cultivate talent among current police members.

Rabideau is a veteran of the force, joining as a patrol officer 21 years ago. He rose to lieutenant in 2007 and pinned on the captain's bars three years ago when Mauel became chief.

Rabideau holds a Bachelor of Science in criminal justice from the University of Wisconsin-Platteville. He also holds a variety of state and professional certifications in policing techniques. He was recognized as the department's Officer of the Year in 2012.

"I never started out wanting to be chief," Rabideau said.

As his career progressed, he realized he could do more for an organization, for a community by having a seat at the table through gaining higher ranks.

Rabideau doesn't plan any major changes for the department he's taking over. He credited Mauel with doing a great job and wants to build on that.

In describing his department, Rabideau said he wanted it to be a presence and a stakeholder and that Shawano residents see the police not as law enforcement tools but as part of the community.

Although "community policing" has become something of a buzzword in recent years, Rabideau maintained that the Shawano department was doing community policing before it was even widely identified as a format for law enforcement. A lot of that is officers getting out of their cars and maintaining contact with people, the new chief said.

To make his point, he related an anecdote from the recent Black Lives Matter demonstration. Rabideau said one of the officers walking on the



BRAD RABIDEAU

street with the participants was asked what he thought of the demonstration.

"Looks like freedom," Rabideau quoted the officer as saying. "And that's what it is."

Another way of relating to the community is how Rabideau wants to be addressed. Rabideau prefers to be called Brad and not chief, Mr. Rabideau or some other title.

Looking ahead to an election where threats, intimidation and presence of armed persons showing up at polls have generated headlines in recent days, Rabideau doesn't think the city will see those kinds of problems. Part of the reason for his confidence is the standing of the police department in the community, Rabideau said.

Rabideau said he finds the Shawano department to be a great size. As a Dane County deputy sheriff, he felt like a number in such a large department and being one of six officers in the city of Algoma police was, "Being everything to the community all of the time."

Rabideau gave a shout-out to his wife, Wendy. Like other police officers, especially those on shifts, Rabideau's wife took up the slack with the soccer games and hockey matches and other activities of their four children, he said.

"Without her support, I wouldn't be here," Rabideau said.

Not only did Rabideau find Shawano to be really the type of community he wanted but he and his wife have family in the Green Bay area.

So how will it feel to become 551, the chief's radio call?

"I don't know. It's still taking some getting used to," Rabideau said.

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Packers having sustained success, but limited titles, with roster approach

The Green Bay Packers are known as a franchise that primarily builds through the NFL Draft, not making too many big free agent signings or blockbuster trades.



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It's led to sustained success and numerous playoff appearances, but it's also held the organization back from hoisting the Lombardi Trophy more often. While the success during the Brett Favre and Aaron

Rodgers eras in Green Bay is right up there with the top teams in the league, only having combined for two titles over that stretch has left fans unsatisfied.

Take the last couple years as an example.

After the team hired Matt LaFleur after missing out on the postseason in the 2017 and 2018 seasons, Packers general manager Brian Gutekunst made four big free agent signings, picking up linebackers Za'Darius Smith and Preston Smith, safety Adrian Amos and offensive lineman Billy Turner. It was a drastic change on how the organization typically operated during the offseason, but fans were thrilled.

The moves paid off in a big way, as LaFleur guided the Packers to a 13-3 regular season record and NFC North title before claiming a home playoff win against the Seattle Seahawks in the divisional round.

Of course, the team's season came to a screeching halt the following week, when the Packers defense that carried the team most of the year was ripped apart by the San Francisco 49ers ground attack.

The team's offense, which was led by receiver Davante Adams and running back Aaron Jones, struggled for large stretches of the season and went silent against the Niners.

The season-ending loss appeared to highlight two big areas the team needed to address in the offseason — the run defense and playmakers on offense.

While it might have been unre-



Green Bay Packers head coach Matt LaFleur, right, talks to general manager Brian Gutekunst during a training camp practice on Aug. 15 in Green Bay. After reaching the NFC Championship Game in 2019, the Packers did little in the offseason or the recent trade deadline to improve its roster and now similar issues are popping up again.

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alistic for fans to expect the team to make several more big free agent moves this past offseason, many expected the team to make at least one flashy signing.

The big move never came, with the team instead addressing the areas of need with linebacker Christian Kirksey and wide receiver Devin Funchess, who weren't considered among the top-end players at those positions. To complicate matters, Funchess later opted out of the season due to coronavirus concerns.

Fans then turned their attention to the NFL Draft, where they expected the organization to fill in some of the voids.

Instead, the team set itself up for the future, drafting a quarterback (Jordan Love), running back (AJ Dillon) and tight end, fullback hybrid (Josiah Deguara) in the first three rounds to send the NFL world in a frenzy.

In a perfect scenario, Love can learn behind Rodgers for a couple of seasons while Dillon and Deguara serve complimentary roles the next couple years before developing into the full-time starters down the road. It sets the Packers up for potential long-term success, but doesn't do much to move the needle on the Packers Super Bowl chances now.

The team finally addressed an area of need when drafting linebacker Kamal Martin in the fifth round, but it was too little, too late to appease Packer nation.

Through eight weeks of the NFL season, the same two issues have popped up again and have left fans saying "told ya so!" and wondering if this year's team is truly a Super Bowl contender.

The Packers defense is allowing just under five yards a carry and was exposed by the Minnesota Vikings in a game that was reminiscent of the NFC title loss to the 49ers. Tackling has been a major issue for the green and gold too.

As far as playmakers go on the other side of the ball, Jones and Adams have again carried the Packers offense. Jones has 550 total yards, while Adams leads the team with 502 receiving yards.

The 1,052 combined yards accounts for over 35% of the team's offense, and that's with Adams and Jones each missing two of the team's first seven games.

The Packers had another chance to address some of its issues at the trade deadline that passed at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, but stood pat, so the team will be banking on the returns of Kirksey and receiver Allen Lazard, who have missed the past

several games with injuries.

While the Packers have a way of doing things and a solid track record, fans are begging for the organization to go all-in and try and capitalize on the final years of Rodgers' career.

To add some fuel to the fan's frustrations, some of the other top teams in the NFC bolstered their rosters over the past couple weeks, picking up players they think the Packers could have used.

The Tampa Bay Buccaneers signed wide receiver Antonio Brown, who has had his share of issues, but his talent is undeniable when he's on the field. Instead, he'll join the Buccaneers, who handed the Packers their first loss of the season.

The New Orleans Saints traded for linebacker Kwon Alexander, a former Pro Bowl player, to bolster their defense.

Only time will tell how well those moves pan out for those two playoff-determined teams. And maybe having Kirksey and Lazard back in the lineup will serve almost like an addition at the trade deadline for the Packers, but the green and gold faithful would like to see the organization try some different approaches instead of relying on what the team started the season with.

Many organizations would give anything to have the kind of success that the Packers have had over the past couple decades, but the standards are different in Green Bay. LaFleur often talks about trying to win Super Bowls each and every season, but one could also argue the organization isn't fully invested in that idea and instead of trying to win just now, thinks a bit too much about its future.

It's not a horrible approach by any means, but I'm probably not alone when I say the approach needs some tweaking should the team want to compete for Super Bowls each and every season. Unfortunately for fans, the same build from within approach will likely determine how this year's team finishes.

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PACKERS MAP TO THE SUPER BOWL

By **BILL HUBER**
Correspondent

The Green Bay Packers' run to the NFC Championship Game last season and hot start to this season shows they're strong contenders to reach this year's Super Bowl.

Here's the six-part roadmap to playing on Feb. 7 in Tampa, Florida:

1. Health on offense

A healthy roster is important for every team, obviously. But it's especially true for the Packers, who have little margin for error.

Offensively, while Jamaal Williams is a solid No. 2 choice, Aaron Jones is a rare talent at running back. He can run, he can catch and he can score at any time.

Just look at the career stats. Both drafted in 2017, Jones has averaged 5.0 yards per rush in his career and 5.2 yards this season while Williams has averaged 4.0 yards per rush in his career and 4.3 yards this season. For their careers, 13.1% of Jones' carries have gone for 10-plus yards, while Williams' 10-yard run rate is only 7.3%.

The impact of Allen Lazard is apparent with a look at Aaron Rodgers' numbers. In the first three games with Lazard, Rodgers had a 121.1 passer rating and averaged 8.37 yards per attempt. In the next four games, Rodgers had a 107 rating and averaged 7.42 yards per attempt.

Marquez Valdes-Scantling hasn't been a consistent option. Equanimous St. Brown has been a major disappointment, and Darrius Shepherd and Malik Taylor aren't good enough to contribute consistently.

David Bakhtiari, who missed time with a chest injury, is a four-time All-Pro left tackle for a reason. He's one of the best in the business, and he plays one of the weakest positions in the NFL.

With a healthy Bakhtiari, Jones and Lazard, the offense can compete against any team in the NFL.

"Yeah, that's a good point," Rodgers said. "I love the effort that Jamaal's given us, but we're a better team when we're at full strength, and having '33' (Jones) and '13' (Lazard) back would be big jumps. When we're at full strength, we're really tough."

2. Run defense

Green Bay's run defense was bad last season, and it's been bad to start this season. The results aren't a surprise, given the Packers

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are counting on the same defensive linemen as last season and are depending on rookies at inside linebacker.

Packers coach Matt LaFleur, who generally hides his emotions during his postgame news conferences, was noticeably irked after the week eight loss to Minnesota in which Vikings running back Dalvin Cook rushed for 163 yards and three touchdowns.

On a miserably windy afternoon, in which it would have been a tremendous advantage to force mistake-prone Vikings quarterback Kirk Cousins into passing situations, the Vikings had 34 runs vs. 15 passes.

"I'm focused on trying to find solutions," LaFleur said. "We have what we have. It is what it is. We've got to find solutions, and we all have to play better. We've got to coach better, and it starts with me. We've got to make sure that we take care of our own business. When we know that teams are going to try to run the football, we can't let them. We cannot let them. We've got to force them to throw it. Whether that's within the call or whatever it may be, we've got to be in the business of finding solutions."

Now, look at the NFC's powers. San Francisco's Raheem Mostert, who ran circles around the Packers in last year's NFC Championship Game, Seattle's Chris Carson, New Orleans' Alvin Kamara and Tampa Bay's Ronald Jones are all among the NFC leaders in yards per attempt. If the Packers can't improve this phase of the game, it will be a short January.

3. Smith bros.

It's no secret. A team's most expensive players must be among its best players. That was the case last year, when Za'Darius Smith and Preston Smith were driving forces in the Packers' unexpected run to the NFC Championship Game.

The big plays that highlighted last season have been mostly absent this season. While Za'Darius Smith ranks among the NFL leaders in sacks, his play-to-play impact is down drastically after leading the league in quarterback hits and pressures last year.

Preston Smith has gone AWOL. After recording seven sacks in the



Green Bay Packers wide receiver Allen Lazard runs with the ball during the team's win over the New Orleans Saints on Sept. 27 in New Orleans. The return of Lazard, who has been injured, could help the Packers passing game and take some of the attention off Davante Adams.

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first seven games last season, he had a half-sack in the first seven games of this season.

4. Turnovers

To be sure, better run defense would help set up the Smiths for more pass-rushing opportunities. It also might help create some more turnovers.

For years, the Packers have been among the best teams in the league at creating takeaways. That was true in every season under former defensive coordinator Dom Capers, and it was true last year under Mike Pettine, when the Packers finished seventh with 25 takeaways. In the first seven games of this season, the Packers had forced a league-low four turnovers.

Pettine keeps saying his players are doing the right things on the practice field and that the results will show up on game days. The key to getting it done starts with creating more obvious passing situations, which will improve the odds of interceptions and sacks/strips.

"We have got to find ways to create turnovers," LaFleur said. "That is the big difference between where we were a year ago. I never want to compare two years but, cer-

tainly, we have not come up with the turnovers this year."

5. Pass pro

Despite a bit of a revolving door at times on the offensive line, Rodgers generally has benefited from strong pass protection. By sack percentage, the Packers have been well within the top 10 all season.

No different than most quarterbacks, Rodgers needs protection. When Rodgers has been operating from a clean pocket, he's been unstoppable. According to Pro Football Focus, he's got a 73.8% completion percentage, averaged 8.4 yards per attempt and fashioned a 126.8 passer rating when not facing pressure. However, when pressured, those numbers plummet to 37%, 5.8 yards per attempt and a 63.1 passer rating.

A healthy Bakhtiari will make a huge difference, obviously, with his ability to eliminate the man across from him. And Billy Turner has been a revelation at right tackle after struggling at right guard. When healthy, this is a very good offensive line that has played an unsung role in Rodgers' success.

6. Repeat on special teams

Green Bay's special teams were struggling through the 2019 season until Tyler Ervin arrived. Suddenly, the Packers' return units went from major weakness to key strength. Meanwhile, the coverage units rounded into form down the stretch. With those late-season gains and kicker Mason Crosby's excellent performance, the Packers rode strong special teams into the playoffs.

Crosby has been excellent again but, through seven games, Green Bay was one of just a few teams to rank 20th or worse in punt returns, kickoff returns, punt coverage and kickoff coverage. Including a blocked punt and a botched onside kick, there's been too many yards given away to opponents.

If the first half of the season demonstrated anything, it's that the Packers can be an excellent team, but they don't have the personnel to be consistently excellent. If the Packers can tighten up on the run defense and create more third-and-longs on defense, if they can get healthy, protect Rodgers on offense and start trending the right way on special teams, this can be a juggernaut when the playoffs begin in January.

Tonyan rises in TE group with varied experiences

Lewis a veteran in TE room as Tonyan and Sternberger develop

By **BILL HUBER**
Correspondent

In 2015, Marcedes Lewis started all 16 games as the Jacksonville Jaguars' 10th-year tight end, Robert Tonyan was a senior receiver at Indiana State and Jace Sternberger was in his redshirt season at Kansas.

The man who eventually would coach them for the Green Bay Packers, Justin Outten, was a high school coach in Houston.

While the 36-year-old Lewis is about six months younger than Outten, his 15 years of NFL experience are more than everyone else's in the tight ends room combined. Outten, who broke into the NFL as an offensive assistant with the Atlanta Falcons in 2017, is happy to have the veteran to lend his 200-plus games' worth of experience.

"It's really refreshing to have those guys lean on Cedee," Outten said. "And it's not just the tight ends. There's other position groups that go up to him on a constant basis. And it's normally not about football. It's about the routine part of it off the field, and I feel like he brings a lot to the table as far as taking care of your body, keeping your mind right, your spirit right and all those things that help you off the field."

"Because when they walk out of this building, they're facing other issues that are not football. They have real lives, they have real issues and problems. They have real-life problems, just like me and you. Those are the things that he can be



Green Bay Packers tight end Marcedes Lewis (89) blocks during a game against the Houston Texans on Oct. 25 in Houston. Lewis is a veteran presence inside the Packers tight ends room.

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a huge asset for those young guys."

A disillusioned Lewis almost retired after the 2018 season. He signed with the Packers in free agency but barely played. General manager Brian Gutekunst persuaded Lewis to come back for

2019, telling him he would be used much more by the new coach, Matt LaFleur, than he was by the former coach, Mike McCarthy.

This time, those promises were fulfilled. Lewis played a key role in the Packers' run to the NFC Cham-

pionship Game, and the odd-couple pairing of the veteran Lewis and the first-time position coach Outten proved to be a hit.

"I think mentally and physically, I was in a really good place this year," Lewis said at the end of the

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season. "Having this offense and knowing conceptually what they wanted, and having Justin Outten as my tight ends coach, I got better every day. It was really dope."

Tonyan has gotten better every day, too. At Indiana State, he went from inaccurate quarterback to big-play receiver. He went undrafted in 2017, signed with Detroit as a free agent and moved to tight end. He failed to make the roster and joined the Packers' practice squad in December.

After showing glimpses of his potential in 2018 and when healthy in 2019, he's emerged as a go-to player this season. In his first seven games, he caught 23-of-27 targeted passes for 309 yards and five touchdowns. He had 98 yards and three touchdowns against Atlanta and made a diving 45-yard catch against Minnesota in week eight.

Suddenly, despite the third-round selections of Sternberger in 2019 and Josiah Deguara in 2020, Tonyan has emerged as the tight end the Packers have lacked since Jared Cook's one season with the team in 2016.

"Robert and I have had a good connection since he got here," quarterback Aaron Rodgers said. "I just appreciate his work ethic, his approach. I think he's a really good pro. Like the great pros, when there's something you've got to work on, he's very critical of his own game and always trying to improve."

"You would think that's a normal thing for every single player. It's just not. There's guys who are just kind of wired a little bit different. I think he's got a really good feel for the passing game. He's done a better job blocking. He's just a solid all-around player, got great hands."

Without the draft pedigree,

Tonyan had to work himself onto an NFL roster. Without years of experience at the position, Tonyan had to work himself into becoming a contributor. Sharing an agent with San Francisco 49ers star George Kittle, they've formed a close relationship and become offseason workout partners.

"Constantly I'm thinking about making plays, all day, whether I'm at home on my couch, sitting, I'm just thinking about making plays, just playing the game over and over in my head," Tonyan said.

"I think the game has slowed down for me and is coming to me a lot easier. There's a lot of things I want to keep improving on and getting better at and change, but being mentally at peace when I go out on that field, it's so relieving. That's really like my getaway is just to get out on that field and play football and be happy. I'm with my brothers and it's a great time."

Count Lewis as Tonyan's older brother by 10 years. As Lewis likes to say, "The road to success is always under construction." Tonyan, brick by brick, has paved that road. With Lewis providing the experience and Outten the know-how, Tonyan is turning into the difference-maker the Packers sorely needed.

"It's definitely not a surprise," Lewis said of Tonyan's success. "In the classroom, in the building, is where he's made his biggest strides. He's always been athletic, can catch the rock; good straight-ahead speed, athletic. Those things he already brought to the table, but it's about how good of a student can you be? Can you ask the right questions? And he's doing that and I think that's speeding up his process to being a really good player in this league."



Green Bay Packers tight end Robert Tonyan runs with the ball during Sunday's game against the Minnesota Vikings in Green Bay. Tonyan is one of the tight ends the Packers are developing, and he's played a big role with the team so far in 2020.

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"I'm just excited for him and I'm excited for his maturation and me to be here for whatever he needs. It's my 15th year. I was there once, you know what I mean? So, it's definitely a blessing to see the younger guys come up, and then for me have a little bit to do with it as far as how he approaches the game and how well he prepares. I'm definitely proud of him from that standpoint, but he knows already from the conversations that we have that he hasn't arrived. I always talk about living your life like you're on a one-day contract. Whatever it is you're doing on that given day, if you're not giving your personal best, then you can't renew your contract for the next day."

STANDINGS

AFC East				NFC East			
Team	W	L	T	Team	W	L	T
Buffalo	6	2	0	Philadelphia	3	4	1
Miami	4	3	0	Washington	2	5	0
New England	2	5	0	Dallas	2	6	0
N.Y. Jets	0	8	0	N.Y. Giants	1	7	0
North				North			
Team	W	L	T	Team	W	L	T
Pittsburgh	7	0	0	Green Bay	5	2	0
Baltimore	5	2	0	Chicago	5	3	0
Cleveland	5	3	0	Detroit	3	4	0
Cincinnati	2	5	1	Minnesota	2	5	0
South				South			
Team	W	L	T	Team	W	L	T
Tennessee	5	2	0	Tampa Bay	6	2	0
Indianapolis	5	2	0	New Orleans	5	2	0
Houston	1	6	0	Carolina	3	5	0
Jacksonville	1	6	0	Atlanta	2	6	0
West				West			
Team	W	L	T	Team	W	L	T
Kansas City	7	1	0	Seattle	6	1	0
Las Vegas	4	3	0	Arizona	5	2	0
Denver	3	4	0	L.A. Rams	5	3	0
L.A. Chargers	2	5	0	San Francisco	4	4	0

SCHEDULE

Sunday's Games

N.Y. Giants at Washington, noon
Chicago at Tennessee, noon
Detroit at Minnesota, noon
Carolina at Kansas City, noon
Houston at Jacksonville, noon
Baltimore at Indianapolis, noon
Seattle at Buffalo, noon
Denver at Atlanta, noon
Las Vegas at L.A. Chargers, 3:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Dallas, 3:25 p.m.
Miami at Arizona, 3:25 p.m.
New Orleans at Tampa Bay, 7:20 p.m.

Monday's Game

New England at N.Y. Jets, 7:15 p.m.

Thursday's Game

Indianapolis at Tennessee, 7:20 p.m.

Bye weeks: Philadelphia, L.A. Rams, Cleveland, Cincinnati

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Week 9 Games: Sunday, Nov. 8

Teams on bye: Cincinnati, Cleveland, LA Rams & Philadelphia

Denver @ Atlanta
Seattle @ Buffalo
Baltimore @ Indianapolis
Houston @ Jacksonville
Carolina @ Kansas City
Detroit @ Minnesota
Chicago @ Tennessee
NY Giants @ Washington
Las Vegas Raiders @ LA Chargers
Miami @ Arizona
Pittsburgh @ Dallas
New Orleans @ Tampa Bay
New England @ NY Jets Mon., Nov. 9

Tie Breaker Game:
Green Bay @ San Francisco-Thursday, November 5

Weekly Standings

	Weekly Record	Overall Record
Robertson Ryan.....	9-5.....	83-33-1
Twig's Beverage.....	9-5.....	79-37-1
Buss Automotive.....	7-7.....	78-38-1
Shawano Four Seasons.....	7-7.....	77-39-1
Tim Murphy.....	7-7.....	77-39-1
22 Shell.....	9-5.....	76-40-1
Aspen.....	9-5.....	76-40-1
Dennis Brei.....	5-9.....	76-40-1
Generations.....	8-6.....	76-40-1
Hawkeye.....	9-5.....	76-40-1

Weekly Standings

	Weekly Record	Overall Record
State Farm Idell Johnston.....	8-6.....	76-40-1
Senn Insurance.....	7-7.....	76-40-1
Morgan Rode.....	8-6.....	75-41-1
Tower Clock.....	8-6.....	75-41-1
American Marine.....	8-6.....	73-43-1
The Cottages.....	8-6.....	70-46-1
Warren Nett.....	8-6.....	70-46-1
Gene's Floor Coverings.....	8-6.....	69-47-1
Shawano Health Services.....	7-7.....	69-47-1
Smokey Joe's.....	5-9.....	69-47-1



Morgan Rode
Shawano
Leader

This Week's Picks:

Denver	Tennessee	New England
Buffalo	NY Giants	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Detroit	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score : Green Bay 17 @ San Francisco 24



Dennis Brei
Shawano
Leader

This Week's Picks:

Denver	Chicago	New England
Buffalo	Washington	
Baltimore	LA Chargers	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tapa bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 31 @ San Francisco 17



Aspen
Shawano
Leader

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	NY Jets
Buffalo	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Jacksonville	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 21 @ San Francisco 14



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Oconto County
Times Herald

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 37 @ San Francisco 27

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Week's
Winner:**

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This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Buffalo	NY Giants	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	New Orleans	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 31 @ San Francisco 27



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This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	NY Jets
Buffalo	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 42 @ San Francisco 17



Staff
The
Cottages

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Chicago	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Indianapolis	LA Chargers	
Jacksonville	Miami	
Carolina	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	New Orleans	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 21 @ San Francisco 24



Robert Buss
Buss
Automotive

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Chicago	New England
Buffalo	Washington	
Baltimore	LA Chargers	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 28 @ San Francisco 24



Shane Senn
Senn
Insurance

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Indianapolis	Las Vegas	
Jacksonville	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 23 @ San Francisco 31



Jim Wiegand
Tower Clock
Eye Center

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 24 @ San Francisco 27



Emma
Generations

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Detroit	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 31 @ San Francisco 24



Miranda
Shawano
Health Services

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green bay 37 @ San Francisco 23



Sundrop Maggie
Twig's
Beverage

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 35 @ San Francisco 24



Gene Maas
Gene's
Floor Coverings

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Chicago	New England
Seattle	NY Giants	
Indianapolis	Las Vegas	
Houston	Miami	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 31 @ San Francisco 28



Brenda
22 Shell

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Buffalo	Washington	
Baltimore	LA Chargers	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Detroit	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 31 @ San Francisco 21



Mary Nett
Warren Nett
& Associates

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Detroit	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 24 @ San Francisco 17



Dale
Hawkeye
Hearth & Home

This Week's Picks:

Denver	Chicago	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Baltimore	LA Chargers	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 28 @ San Francisco 14



Amber
Smokey Joes

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	NY Jets
Buffalo	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Jacksonville	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Detroit	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 31 @ San Francisco 28



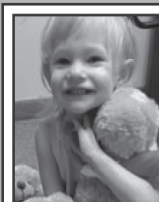
Aaron
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This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Houston	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Minnesota	New Orleans	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 17 @ San Francisco 27



Sophie
Idell Johnston, Agent

This Week's Picks:

Atlanta	Tennessee	New England
Seattle	Washington	
Baltimore	Las Vegas	
Jacksonville	Arizona	
Kansas City	Pittsburgh	
Detroit	Tampa Bay	

Tie Breaker Game:

Final Score: Green Bay 35 @ San Francisco 20

GREEN BAY 2020 PACKERS SCHEDULE	
REGULAR SEASON	
1 Sunday, September 13 12 p.m.	at Minnesota Vikings FOX
2 Sunday, September 20 12 p.m.	DETROIT LIONS FOX
3 Sunday, September 27 7:20 p.m.	at New Orleans Saints NBC
4 Monday, October 5 7:15 p.m.	ATLANTA FALCONS ESPN
5	BYE WEEK
6 Sunday, October 18 7:25 p.m.	at Tampa Bay Buccaneers FOX
7 Sunday, October 25 7:12 p.m.	at Houston Texans FOX
8 Sunday, November 1 7:12 p.m.	MINNESOTA VIKINGS FOX
9 Thursday, November 5 7:20 p.m.	at San Francisco 49ers FOX
10 Sunday, November 15 7:12 p.m.	JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS FOX
11 Sunday, November 22 7:12 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 7:12 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 7:12 p.m.	at Chicago Bears FOX

Packers upset by Vikings at Lambeau

Adams hauls in 3 touchdowns

By **MORGAN RODE**
Sports Editor

The Green Bay Packers suffered a shocking 28-22 loss to the Minnesota Vikings on a cold and windy Sunday afternoon at Lambeau Field.

After a strange first half that was chewed up by four long possessions, the Vikings took control with a pair of third-quarter touchdowns before holding on late for the upset win.

All seven touchdowns scored in the game were by Vikings running back Dalvin Cook or Packers wide receiver Davante Adams.

“We knew that in order to win this football game, a couple things had to happen. We knew we had to stop the run. That didn’t happen. We knew we had to play penalty free. That didn’t happen. Penalties were a big part of it. And when you do that, you’re going to get beat and that’s exactly what happened today,” said Packers coach Matt LaFleur in his opening statement after the game.

After scoring on both of its two first-half possessions, Minnesota received the kickoff to start the second half and drove down the field to take its first lead.

The Packers defense appeared to have made two stops on third downs that would have held the Vikings to a field goal attempt, but cornerbacks Jaire Alexander and Josh Jackson were tagged with defensive pass interference penalties.

Cook eventually scored from a yard out.

Green Bay’s offense marched into Vikings’ territory on the ensuing drive before quarterback Aaron Rodgers threw four straight incompletions.

Minnesota needed just four plays to go 63 yards and extend the lead to 14. Cook hauled in a screen pass from Kirk Cousins on third-and-9, made a Packers defender miss and took it the distance for a 50-yard score.

Cook finished the game with 163 yards and three touchdowns on 30 rushing attempts and added two receptions for 63 yards and his other score.

“Just start tackling the man with the ball,” said Packers safety Adrian Amos on what the defense needs to do to shore up its run defense. “We



Green Bay Packers cornerback Josh Jackson tries to bring down Minnesota Vikings running back Dalvin Cook during the second half of Sunday's game in Green Bay.

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FYI

The game story from the Packers’ Thursday night matchup against the 49ers will appear in the Oct. 13 edition of Green & Gold Express and can be found online at www.newmedia-wi.com.

got to look at film and see where we were out of gaps, but it comes down to tackling the man with the ball and getting off blocks.”

Green Bay’s offense had another promising drive going, getting into Minnesota territory again before a pair of holding penalties put the Pack in a first-and-30 situation. The hosts eventually had to punt.

After the Packers defense stopped the Vikings for the first time all game, Green Bay had another possession go deep into Minnesota territory. The Packers appeared to have converted a fourth-and-9 as a flag was thrown when a defender made contact with tight end Robert Tonyan before the pass arrived, but the flag was picked up, and Minnesota took over on downs.

“From my vantage point, it wasn’t even close,” said Rodgers of the non-call. “It actually helped that the ball kind of fluttered up in the air a little bit because it threw off the timing slightly and (Eric) Kendricks got there clearly early. It didn’t seem like a tough call to me.”

After forcing another Vikings punt, the Pack finally finished off a drive, with Rodgers connecting with

Adams for a 7-yard score that capped a 74-yard drive. Running back Jamaal Williams then powered in for a two-point conversion to make it a six-point game.

Green Bay’s defense allowed one first down, but eventually forced a Minnesota punt, which gave the Packers offense a chance to win it in the final minute.

Two 7-yard passes from Rodgers to Williams before a 17-yard completion to Tonyan got the ball to the Minnesota 41 with 12 seconds left. While trying to attempt a deep pass to Adams on the next play, Rodgers was hit from behind and fumbled, which drained the remaining seconds in the game.

Rodgers finished the game with 291 passing yards and the three touchdowns to Adams, who had seven catches for 53 yards total.

Williams tallied 75 rushing yards to lead a Packers rushing attack without starter Aaron Jones, who missed a second-straight game with an injury. The team averaged 4.5 yards a carry but couldn’t stick with the running game after going down multiple scores in the third quarter.

Much like in the team’s NFC Championship Game loss to the San Francisco 49ers, the Vikings leaned on the running game heavily.

Cousins attempted just 14 passes, completing 11 for 160 yards. Cook had all but four of the team’s rushing

attempts and broke several tackle attempts along the way.

The first have included just five possessions, with the final one lasting just a play before time expired.

“We knew exactly what they were going to do, in terms of, they were going to ride (Cook). And also, just with the conditions out there — it was pretty windy and we never put them in a situation where they had to drop back and throw the football. Or at least not too many times,” said LaFleur.

The Packers opened the game with a 13-play, 75-yard drive that ended with a 5-yard touchdown pass to Adams. Williams carried the ball seven times on the drive. Rookie back AJ Dillon was the bell cow in the second drive, helping the Packers put together a 15-play, 72-yard drive that was finished off with a 1-yard touchdown pass to Adams.

The two drives combined to take up 16 minutes, 53 seconds of game clock. All but 31 of the other seconds were taken up by the two Minnesota first-half drives.

The Vikings first drive went 73 yards in 10 plays, with Cook capping it with a 21-yard run. The second drive was 12 plays for 67 yards, finished off by a 1-yard Cook run.

It marked the first loss to an NFC North opponent under LaFleur.

Herb Adderley, star cornerback with 6 NFL titles, dies at 81

CB won 5 NFL championships with Green Bay

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Herb Adderley, the Hall of Fame cornerback who joined the NFL as a running back and became part of a record six championship teams with the Packers and Cowboys, has died. He was 81.

His death was confirmed by the team Friday, with no details given. Nasir Adderley, a safety for the Los Angeles Chargers, tweeted that his cousin was a “unique soul who has had such an incredible influence on my life.”

Herb Adderley played in four of the first six Super Bowls and won five NFL championships with Green Bay and one with Dallas during his 12-year career.

But he was always a Packer at heart.

“I’m the only man with a Dallas Cowboys Super Bowl ring who doesn’t wear it. I’m a Green Bay Packer,” Adderley said in the book “Distant Replay,” a memoir by former Packers teammate Jerry Kramer.

Along with former teammates Fuzzy Thurston and Forrest Gregg, Adderley is one of four players in pro football history to play on six championship teams. Tom Brady is the other. Adderley was enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1980.

Bart Starr, the Hall of Fame quarterback and a former Packers teammate, once called Adderley the “greatest cornerback to ever play the game.”

Born on June 8, 1939, in Philadelphia, Adderley was a three-sport star in high school. He excelled at running back at Michigan State and was the 12th pick overall of the 1961 draft. He came to training camp expecting to compete for a starting job against future Hall of Fame running backs Jim Taylor and Paul Hornung.

Midway through the season, Packers coach Vince Lombardi switched Adderley to defense to replace injured starter Hank Gremminger.

The move paid immediate dividends.

Adderley’s speed and instincts made him a quick learner in his new position, which helped propel him into a stalwart of Green Bay’s secondary. Adderley intercepted 48 passes, returning them for 1,046 yards and seven touchdowns.

“Herb Adderley simply wouldn’t let me get to the outside,” Hall of Fame receiver Tommy McDonald once said.

“He’d just beat me up, force me to turn underneath routes all the time. ... Other guys tried the same tactic, but he was the only one tough enough and fast enough to get it done.”

The 6-foot-1, 205-pound Adderley had a career-best seven interceptions in 1962. He also led the league in interceptions in 1965 and 1969. Adderley also returned kickoffs in all but the final year of his playing days with the Packers, averaging 25.7 yards per return.

Packers President Mark Murphy called Adderley “one of the greatest defensive backs to ever play the game” and “instrumental in the great success of the Lombardi teams.”

In the early days of football on television, Adderley made his appearances count and is most remembered for his postseason contributions.

He was a member of all five of Lombardi’s NFL title teams and played in the first two Super Bowls. In the second Super Bowl in 1968, he returned an interception 60 yards for the clinching touchdown over the Raiders.

“I was too stubborn to switch him to defense until I had to,” Lombardi said. “Now when I think of what Adderley means to our defense, it scares me to think of how I almost mishandled him.”

Adderley played in two more Super Bowls with Dallas in 1971 and 1972, winning his sixth title with the Cowboys in his final season. Adderley was an All-Pro seven times from 1962-67 and again in 1969.

“Herb Adderley was yet another dominant figure for us on the Packers,” former Packers teammate Bill Curry tweeted. “He was quiet, but when he did speak, everybody listened. When he performed, no one was better!”

After his retirement, Adderley was a crusader for the rights of former players. In 2007, Adderley and two other retired players filed a class-action lawsuit against the NFL Players Association, alleging nonpayment of licensing fees. He had received only \$126.85 per month in pension from the NFL.

He became the lead plaintiff in the case on behalf of more than 2,000 retired players who claimed the NFLPA breached licensing and marketing terms by using their images in video games, sports trading cards and other items. The case was settled for \$26.25 million in 2009.



Former NFL player Herb Adderley poses next to a copy of his Hall of Fame bust in a room full of memorabilia from his playing days at his Mantua, New Jersey, home in 2008. Adderley died recently at the age of 81.

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RIGHT: Trick-or-treaters rode in the backs of pickups as they received candy during the drive-through event Oct. 31. The Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin sponsored the contact-free, mask-required event in Neopit and Keshena.



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Masks were not only required — some were terrifying, as a trio added to the Halloween decor at the fairgrounds in Keshena. From left are: Sha'nae Wynos, with dog Chichi; Juanita Wilber; and Taylor Wilber with Nala, a smiling black labrador and part-time dragon.

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Haunted tales and art

Kaitlynn Kupsky's fifth grade class at Sacred Heart Catholic School worked hard in class the week of Oct. 26 creating two-dimensional drawings of haunted houses using different kinds of lines and shapes. Shown are Wyatt Mathwich, back left; Kevin Kroenke, back right; and Keegan Kroenke. The students then wrote fictional narratives about their haunted houses.

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Board approves upgrading its voting equipment

New system would allow for meetings to be held remotely

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

The Shawano County Board approved spending \$16,470 of Cares Act money Oct. 28 to upgrade its Roll Call voting system, which could allow the board to hold meetings remotely.

Roll Call was recently bought out by Open Meeting Technology, and the new agency is offering the county the chance to upgrade the current system, which includes remote access. The upgrade is coming at a discount because the county had already paid for the initial software purchase and four years of maintenance fees. The upgrade would include five years of subscription fees.

Finance director Nitta Charnon noted that if the county opted not to upgrade the system now using Cares Act funding, it would have to pay full price for any future purchase. Open Meeting officials told the county that the current system would no longer be supported in four years.

"If we do it now, we get it free through the COVID act," Charnon said.

The approval was not unanimous. Supervisor Aaron Damrau, one of two who voted against the measure, felt the money would be better served toward upgrading technology in county courtrooms to allow for compliance in holding remote court hearings.

"I practice in Waupaca County and Langlade County, and I practice here," said Damrau. "We have some of the poorest courtroom technology for remote uses, and I'm disappointed that no COVID money was used to

upgrade our equipment in the courtrooms. It is a hindrance to our court system."

Damrau noted that the court system is in operation five days a week and brings in significant money for the county, so paying for courtroom technology upgrades made more sense to him than to change the computer system that he and his fellow supervisors use to vote on measures.

Supervisor Dennis Knaak, the other vote in opposition, questioned how the purchase could be considered relevant to the Cares Act, which helps offset government expenses related to the coronavirus pandemic.

"Almost anyone should be able to get a COVID grant like this," Knaak said.

Charnon reiterated the board could hold meetings remotely with the technology, which makes it related to the ongoing pandemic.

"If the pandemic doesn't die down, and you guys decide you didn't want to be in this board room, then you'd be able to do it remote through this package," Charnon said.

Knaak pointed out existing county policy doesn't allow for remote meetings like other government entities have done, but County Board Chairman Tom Kautza said it would merely require the board voting to change its rules.

Meetings like the one held Oct. 28 have been in the county board room, which still puts supervisors well within six feet of each other. Supervisors and most other people in the room wore masks.

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Assorted characters hit Shawano streets



Trick-or-treaters and their parents return from Forest Hill Court in Shawano after getting Halloween goodies. The pandemic did not deter local families from hitting the streets and foraging for treats.



Landon Lewis, 2, of Shawano, plays the role of Shrek while riding Donkey, and another trick-or-treater says hello on Halloween as residents traversed Park Street looking for goodies.



One home on South Washington Street kept up its frights and delights for trick-or-treaters on Halloween but changed the flow of traffic so there was one entrance and one exit due to the pandemic.

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Signs of snow



Tyler Dayton, Bonduel, grabs a assortment of directional and informational signs to mark a snowmobile trail north of Shawano on Saturday. Dayton, working with Brandon Higgins and Keith Zastrow, are members of the Shawano Lake Snowblasters. They joined other volunteers who were marking the trails for the upcoming snowmobile season.

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Lakeshore Lanes — Guys and Dolls					
Team	W	L			
9 Pin Tappers	39	17			
Happy Old Farts	39	17			
A Team	37	19			
Slingers	28 1/2	27 1/2			
Good Times	28	28			
SSI's	27	29			
The Aces	27	29			
4 Masked Bowlers	25 1/2	30 1/2			
Hilly's Helpers	19	37			
High individual games (women): Patricia Nathan 178, Marlene Schultz 175, Tammy Morotz 170.					
High individual games (men): John Campbell 221, Clark Radatz 205, Don Hudson 200.					
Resch Lanes — Wednesday Night Handicap					
Team	W	L			
Slammers	29	27			
Tavern Front	25	31			
Resch Lanes (1)	24	32			
Liberty Potatoes	21	35			
Kemmer Electronics	19	37			
Resch Lanes (2)	18	38			
			Mama's Place	17	39
			Hanke's Sentry Foods	15	41
			High team handicap games (top 3): Tavern Front 1,235, Slammers 1,213, Liberty Potatoes 1,195.		
			High individual handicap games (top 7): Brian Mattmiller 295, Hugh McAloon 287, Paul Giddings 286, Randall Skaggs 283, Greg Rosenow 279, Jim Borchardt 261, Dave Steger Jr. 260.		
			High team handicap series (top 3): Tavern Front 3,510, Liberty Potatoes 3,507, Resch Lanes (1) 3,495.		
			High individual handicap series (top 7): Brian Mattmiller 829, Hugh McAloon 786, Randall Skaggs 735, Jim Borchardt 725, Greg Rosenow 719, Steve Burkhart 719, Danny Schrank 718.		
			Resch Lanes — Monday Ladies Handicap		
			Team	W	L
			Tavern Front	13	8
			Gulliver's Landing	12	9
			Lisa's Lakeside	11	10
			Resch Lanes	9	12
			Strike-a-pose	5	16
			Kropf's Meats	3	18
			High team handicap games (top 3): Gulliver's Landing 836, Resch Lanes 816, Tavern Front 810.		
			High individual handicap games (top 7): Jennifer Resch 248, Heather Giddings 244, Jordyn Krueger 240, Kelly Rosenow 225, Jenny Schrank 225, Kristine Beran 206, Heather Schultz 205.		
			High team handicap series (top 3): Gulliver's Landing 2,339, Tavern Front 2,323, Resch Lanes 2,311.		
			High individual handicap series (top 7): Heather Giddings 695, Jennifer Resch 643, Jenny Schrank 621, Kelly Rosenow 612, Jordyn Krueger 607, Janet Wickman 575, Kristine Beran 575.		
			Resch Lanes — Thursday Men's League		
			Team	W	L
			Legacy Seed Pro	24	18
			Gutt'er Done	23	19
			Melody Mill	23	19
			Gullivers	23	19
			Cherek Transport	21	21
			Resch Lanes	20	22
			RJ Auto Repair	19	23
			Legacy Seed	13	29
			High team scratch games (top 3): Gullivers 1,030, Legacy Seed Pro 1,014, Resch Lanes 971.		
			High individual scratch games (top 7): Jason Resch 259, Joe Onesti 256, Randall Skaggs 252, Doug Koeller 243, Erik Steigerwald 240, Chris Wendt 234, Jeff Arndt 226.		
			High team scratch series (top 3): Resch Lanes 2,857, Gullivers 2,816, Legacy Seed Pro 2,811.		
			High individual scratch series (top 7): Jason Resch 774, Joe Onesti 696, Randall Skaggs 662, Erik Steigerwald 620, Jim Schultz 617, Doug Koeller 612, Chris Wendt 603.		
			Lakeshore Lanes — Tuesday Afternoon Ladies		
			Team	W	L
			Lisa's Floral	26 1/2	13 1/2
			Mike's Plumbing	23	17
			Lakeshore Lanes	20	20
			Mike's Girls	20	20
			Tim's Harvest Queens	20	20
			Lake Drive Solutions	19	21
			Spinning Wheel	17	23
			Boettcher Tax Service	14 1/2	25 1/2
			High individual games: Peggy Buchholz 207, Jill Grosskruetz 191, Marsha Johnson 187, Connie Rusch 181, Shirley Rank 177.		
			High individual series: Connie Rusch 508, Jill Grosskruetz 487, Hilda Schultz 462.		

SPORTS

HIGH SCHOOL SWIM

Clintonville's Foth wins 2 Bay events

Shawano claims 3rd as team

By **MORGAN RODE**
Sports Editor

Clintonville High School senior swimmer Brianna Foth won two individual events during the Bay Conference Championships on Oct. 29.

Shawano also competed, posting a third-place finish as a team. Clintonville took sixth.

The conference meet was unlike any before it, as it was split into two venues, with neither hosting spectators. Clintonville hosted Shawano and Wittenberg-Birnamwood, while Seymour hosted Marinette and New London to round out the conference.

The times for all the events were combined between the two meets, but because the Clintonville meet started earlier, swimmers didn't know their exact finish until well after they completed the event.

Foth was the conference's top finisher in the 200-yard freestyle (2 minutes, 7.7 seconds) and 500 freestyle (5:43.84).

"Before the meet I just kinda kept to myself and ignored everybody and everything," said Foth. "I wanted to be in the right mindset and not worry about anything but my events."

"With those two finishes, I am leaning more towards possibly swimming in college. It gives me more confidence that I am good, and can do good things with swimming."

Foth teamed up with Bella Koep-



Clintonville's Brianna Foth leads the way in the 500-yard freestyle during the Bay Conference Championships on Oct. 29 in Clintonville. Foth ended up taking first in the event. MORGAN RODE | NEW MEDIA

pen, Keara Denzin and Danielle Huss for a fourth-place finish in the 200 medley relay (2:11.8) and joined Kelli Smith, Emma Wittman and Koepfen on the fifth-place finishing 400 freestyle relay (4:27.05).

Shawano was led by a third-place finish from its 200 medley relay team. Alli Brown, Gabi Bukoski, Anne Carrier and Allison Langlois combined for a time of 2:10.61.

Isabel Colon, Macy Monfils, Langlois and Brown formed the 200 freestyle relay team that placed fourth in 1:57.67.

Individually, Brown took fourth in the 100 backstroke (1:12.72) and 10th in the 200 IM (2:48.55).

"I knew at the beginning of the 100 backstroke it was up to me to get the place and time I was hoping for," said Brown. "In the last lap, I saw another girl come up behind me and I pushed myself to finish strong."

"This year our team has been working really hard on beating our

times, staying positive, and doing the best that we can do. By finishing third (as a team), it proves our hard work and dedication to the Shawano girls swim team."

Colon placed fifth in the 50 freestyle (27.97) and sixth in the 100 freestyle (1:03.09).

Bukoski finished fourth in the 200 IM (2:41.32) and was seventh in the 500 freestyle (6:14.13). Langlois was sixth in the 50 freestyle (28.25) and 10th in the 100 backstroke (1:23.88) in her individual events.

Carrier claimed fourth in the 100 butterfly (1:16.25), while Lydia Quandt (1:27.66) was seventh and Rose Bunker (1:33.31) ninth. Carly Stefl took 10th in the 500 freestyle (7:27.1).

Monfils, Carrier, Bukoski and Colon formed Shawano's top-finishing 400 freestyle relay team. The quartet took seventh in 4:33.47.

"It really means a lot to the team," said Colon of the team's third-place finish. "We have come

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so far together and it really shows that all of our hard work paid off. It is a really good achievement and we all couldn't be prouder. It was not something that we were expecting, so it was a nice feeling to be in the top three.

"For some of our swimmers, it was their last meet so it was a really gratifying end to their season. To the rest of us moving forward to sectionals, it was rewarding to place so high. It really fuels our motivation to continue to do our best and push ourselves in practice. Nothing is more satisfying then being recognized for all the work you've put in."

Clintonville's Smith was the eighth-place finisher in the 200 freestyle (2:23.1) and sixth-place finisher in the 500 freestyle (6:13.39). Koepfen came in ninth in the 200 IM (2:47.37).

Denzin was fifth in the 100 breaststroke (1:25.45), while Huss claimed ninth in 1:30.78.

Smith, Wittman, Denzin and Huss teamed up on the 200 freestyle relay team and took seventh in 2:00.67.

Shawano and Clintonville are scheduled to return to the Clintonville pool on Saturday for the Division 2 Clintonville Sectional to open postseason action.

Team scores: 1. Seymour 537.5; 2. New London 414.5; 3. Shawano 316; 4. Marinette/Peshtigo 244; 5. Wittenberg-Birnamwood 222; 6. Clintonville 204.

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BOWLER SCHOOL DISTRICT 2020-21 PROPOSED BUDGET			
GENERAL FUND	Audited 2018-19	Unaudited 2019-20	Budget 2020-21
Beginning Fund Balance	1,902,962.20	2,654,723.48	2,657,741.10
Ending Fund Balance	2,654,723.48	2,657,741.10	2,688,905.09
REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES			
Transfers-In (Source 100)	0.00	0.00	0.00
Local Sources (Source 200)	1,891,239.78	1,842,117.72	1,571,557.00
Inter-district Payments (Source 300 + 400)	60,222.00	167,100.00	247,183.00
Intermediate Sources (Source 500)	8,350.85	23,002.84	6,898.00
State Sources (Source 600)	3,741,807.77	3,694,727.89	3,962,797.00
Federal Sources (Source 700)	1,012,052.26	1,020,207.26	920,047.00
All Other Sources (Source 800 + 900)	125,852.94	16,370.99	9,675.00
TOTAL REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	6,839,525.60	6,763,526.70	6,718,157.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES			
Instruction (Function 100 000)	2,231,448.69	2,310,540.22	2,615,750.01
Support Services (Function 200 000)	2,534,840.63	2,836,323.72	2,767,071.00
Non-Program Transactions (Function 400 000)	1,321,475.00	1,613,645.14	1,404,172.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	6,087,764.32	6,760,509.08	6,786,993.01
SPECIAL PROJECTS FUND	Audited 2018-19	Unaudited 2019-20	Budget 2020-21
Beginning Fund Balance	3,578.13	3,342.34	3,417.85
Ending Fund Balance	3,342.34	3,417.85	59,021.85
REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	930,291.90	949,620.38	1,073,764.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	930,527.69	949,544.87	1,018,160.00
DEBT SERVICE FUND	Audited 2018-19	Unaudited 2019-20	Budget 2020-21
Beginning Fund Balance	63,294.98	63,558.50	63,745.98
Ending Fund Balance	63,558.50	63,745.98	50,831.98
REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	25,677.59	25,800.71	12,500.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	25,414.07	25,413.23	25,414.00
CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND	Audited 2018-19	Unaudited 2019-20	Budget 2020-21
Beginning Fund Balance	107,304.10	0.00	235,009.91
Ending Fund Balance	0.00	235,009.91	235,249.91
REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	0.00	235,009.91	240.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	107,304.10	0.00	0.00
FOOD SERVICE FUND	Audited 2018-19	Unaudited 2019-20	Budget 2020-21
Beginning Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ending Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	17,174.00
REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	237,041.78	362,181.73	216,706.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	237,041.78	362,181.73	199,532.00
COMMUNITY SERVICE FUND	Audited 2018-19	Unaudited 2019-20	Budget 2020-21
Beginning Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	96,349.38
Ending Fund Balance	0.00	96,349.38	96,349.38
REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	0.00	158,432.00	98,426.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	0.00	62,082.62	98,426.00
PACKAGE & COOPERATIVE PROGRAM FUND	Audited 2018-19	Unaudited 2019-20	Budget 2020-21
Beginning Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ending Fund Balance	0.00	0.00	0.00
REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	0.00	0.00	0.00
EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	0.00	0.00	0.00

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Bonduel dominates Northland Pines for 5th-straight win

Sokolski, Robaidek each score 2 touchdowns for Bears

By MORGAN RODE
Sports Editor

The Bonduel High School football team dominated from start to finish in its 41-7 nonconference win over Northland Pines on Oct. 30 in Bonduel.

It marked Bonduel’s fifth-straight win. The team’s lone loss was a nonconference one to ranked Lourdes Academy back on Sept. 25.

Seniors Max Sokolski and Carson Robaidek each scored two touchdowns, with Sokolski tallying his on the ground on Robaidek hauling in a pair of passing scores from freshman quarterback Noah Weier. Seniors Max Marohl and Logan Majewski each ran for a touchdown.

On the defensive side of the ball, Bonduel had three takeaways, made several critical stops and didn’t allow any points until the fourth quarter.

“I thought the kids did a really good job locking into the gameplan this week, and we executed it pretty well,” said Bonduel coach James Westrich. “They countered on some of the stuff we were doing defensively, so we had to try to counter back and did the best we could with that. Really happy with the effort and the physicality our kids played with tonight.”

Bonduel’s defense started the game by forcing a three-and-out but fumbled the ball back to Northland Pines on the punt. The Bears didn’t hang their heads and got the ball four plays later after a turnover on downs.

Starting at their own 47-yard line, the Bears leaned on Sokolski to drive the ball down the field and into the end zone. Weier connected on a 19-yard pass to Robaidek and 9-yard pass to senior Cole Anderson for first downs, and Sokolski carried the ball six times — the last being a 4-yard run for a touchdown.

Northland Pines’ next possession also reached Bonduel territory, but Sokolski made a big tackle for loss on a fourth-and-1 play to get the hosts the

BOWLER SCHOOL DISTRICT 2020-21 PROPOSED BUDGET			
Total Expenditures and Other Financing Uses			
ALL FUNDS	Audited 2018-19	Unaudited 2019-20	Budget 2020-21
GROSS TOTAL EXPENDITURES -- ALL FUNDS	7,388,051.96	8,159,731.53	8,128,525.01
Interfund Transfers (Source 100) - ALL FUNDS	694,543.25	740,266.45	649,614.00
Refinancing Expenditures (FUND 30)	0.00	0.00	0.00
NET TOTAL EXPENDITURES -- ALL FUNDS	6,693,508.71	7,419,465.08	7,478,911.01
PERCENTAGE INCREASE -- NET TOTAL FUND EXPENDITURES FROM PRIOR YEAR		10.85%	0.80%
PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX LEVY			
FUND	Audited 2018-19	Unaudited 2019-20	Budget 2020-21
General Fund	1,845,817.00	1,702,375.00	1,558,173.00
Referendum Debt Service Fund	0.00	0.00	0.00
Non-Referendum Debt Service Fund	25,400.00	25,400.00	12,400.00
Capital Expansion Fund	0.00	0.00	0.00
Community Service Fund	0.00	158,432.00	98,426.00
TOTAL SCHOOL LEVY	1,871,217.00	1,886,207.00	1,668,999.00
PERCENTAGE INCREASE --			
TOTAL LEVY FROM PRIOR YEAR		0.80%	-11.52%
MILL RATE	11.53	11.05%	9.72%
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ball back.

After two runs from Sokolski got the ball near midfield and gave Bonduel a new set of downs, Marohl broke free for a 52-yard touchdown run.

"I got to give all the credit to our linemen. We can pass, we can run, but it all starts up front," said Sokolski, on why the team's offense has been so successful this fall.

After the teams traded punts, the Bonduel defense forced another turnover on downs on its side of the field.

On the second play of the ensuing possession, Weier threw a perfect pass up the left sideline to Robaidek, who made the catch and finished off the 69-yard play.

"Last game against Oconto, we put that in during the week as a new play. We ran that pretty good, the corners bit on it (the double move route). We knew that was going to happen here again. Coach (Brad) Gravold called it, I got (the corner) to bite and then Noah made a good throw," said Robaidek.

Bonduel's defense then forced its first turnover when Majewski made a leaping interception, which set the hosts up at their own 37-yard line with 3 minutes, 52 seconds to play in the



Bonduel's Max Sokolski (23) runs with the ball behind blocking from teammates during a nonconference win over Northland Pines on Oct. 30 in Bonduel.

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opening half.

The Bears' offense decided to go up-tempo for the first time all game, and it paid off in a big way. After a 6-yard run from Sokolski on first down, Marohl broke free for a 25-yard run. The next play, Weier found Robaidek wide open for a 32-yard touchdown. The drive lasted 46 seconds.

The visitors then put together their best drive in the waning minutes of the first half. Again, Bonduel's defense rose to the challenge, stuffing Northland Pines on a pair of plays inside the 2 and then kept the visitors out the end zone on a pass play as time expired.

Bonduel's defense continued to provide its offense with momentum in

the second half, forcing and recovering fumbles on the first two possessions. The Bears turned the takeaways into 13 points to start the running clock and seal up the win.

Majewski capped the host's first offensive drive with a 4-yard touchdown run before Sokolski powered in for a 2-yard score.

"The (offensive) line's putting in the work every week. The running backs are doing good — they're all seniors, and they want to make their mark. They're pushing hard; I just got to give them the ball and they're doing their job," said Weier of the offense. "So, if we keep clicking like that, I don't see why we can't win out this

season and have a great 2020 year."

It wasn't until Bonduel had some backups in on defense that Northland Pines was able to get into the end zone with less than six minutes to play in the game.

Riding its five-game winning streak, Bonduel will look the cap the regular season with a big conference road win over Southern Door on Friday. Both teams will enter the contest with perfect records in Packerland Conference play.

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First quarter

B: Max Sokolski 4-yard run (Sokolski run), 3:57

B: Max Marohl 52-yard run (pass failed), 0:27

Second quarter

B: Carson Robaidek 69-yard pass from Noah Weier (pass failed), 4:58

B: Robaidek 32-yard pass from Weier (Sokolski run), 3:06

Third quarter

B: Logan Majewski 4-yard run (pass failed), 8:36

B: Sokolski 2-yard run (Louis Hrabik kick), 4:08

Fourth quarter

NP: Luke Rhode 40-yard run (Andrew Hartwig kick), 5:34

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SHAWANO LAKE SANITARY DISTRICT NO. 1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to Section 65.90(3) of the Wisconsin State Statutes, the Commission of the Shawano Lake Sanitary District No. 1 have tentatively adopted the Budget for 2021 as hereinafter set forth. Said Budget is available for public inspection at the office of the Shawano Lake Sanitary District No. 1 beginning with the date thereof. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that on November 24, 2020, at the hour of 10:30 AM, in the conference room at the Shawano Lake Sanitary District No. 1, a Public Hearing will be held on said Budget.

Summary					
	Actual 2019	Projected 2020	Budgeted 2020	2021 Proposed Budget	
				Water	Sewer
Expenditures:					
Water Dist.	\$436,767	\$391,519	\$419,200	\$429,200	\$-
Collections	\$408,686	\$389,374	\$394,100	\$-	\$415,000
Sewerage Treatment	\$577,145	\$577,868	\$578,363	\$-	\$587,565
Debt Service	\$81,012	\$21,012	\$21,012	\$16,810	\$4,202
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,503,589	\$1,379,771	\$1,412,675	\$446,010	\$1,006,767
Revenues:					
Local Customer Serv.					
Water	\$448,502	\$450,500	\$450,000	\$517,500	\$-
Sewerage	\$806,494	\$810,000	\$795,000	\$-	\$805,000
Outside User Charge					
Jetting/Rent/Misc	\$53,187	\$50,892	\$42,440	\$33,940	\$19,000
Funding from GP	\$164,187	\$163,665	\$163,665	\$-	\$182,767
Proj. Surplus/Return	\$31,170	\$(95,286)	\$(38,430)	\$(105,430)	\$-
TOTAL REVENUES	\$1,503,589	\$1,379,771	\$1,412,675	\$446,010	\$1,006,767
Detail of Operating Expenditures					
Sewer Collection:					
Labor and Benefits	\$187,776	\$187,600	\$184,500	\$-	\$193,400
Lift Station Power	\$77,966	\$70,000	\$75,000	\$-	\$75,000
Operating Supplies	\$16,458	\$12,800	\$16,700	\$-	\$16,700
Transportation	\$7,039	\$6,500	\$7,500	\$-	\$7,500
Maintenance/Replace	\$50,291	\$42,000	\$30,000	\$-	\$30,000
Outside Services	\$16,800	\$14,000	\$15,000	\$-	\$15,000
Insurance	\$7,375	\$12,416	\$8,000	\$-	\$12,000

General Expense	\$4,479	\$4,058	\$5,400	\$-	\$5,400
Contingency/Maint	\$40,702	\$40,000	\$52,000	\$-	\$60,000
TOTAL	\$408,686	\$389,374	\$394,100	\$-	\$415,000
Water Dist. System:					
Labor and Benefits	\$247,716	\$244,600	\$251,000	\$252,400	\$-
Utilities	\$26,657	\$27,200	\$32,000	\$31,000	\$-
Operating Supplies	\$22,305	\$19,600	\$22,800	\$22,800	\$-
Repairs/Replace	\$72,555	\$35,000	\$35,000	\$35,000	\$-
Transportation	\$6,913	\$6,500	\$7,500	\$7,500	\$-
Outside Services	\$21,538	\$20,000	\$18,000	\$20,000	\$-
Insurance	\$8,103	\$8,971	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$-
General Expense	\$5,218	\$4,648	\$5,400	\$5,500	\$-
Contingency/Maint	\$25,702	\$25,000	\$37,500	\$45,000	\$-
TOTAL	\$436,767	\$391,519	\$419,200	\$429,200	\$-
Depreciation Fund					
Beginning Balance	\$230,000	\$230,000	\$230,000	\$230,000	
Revenues	\$6,990	\$1,423	\$4,800	\$1,200	
Expenditures	\$(6,990)	\$(1,423)	\$(4,800)	\$(1,200)	
Ending Balance	\$230,000	\$230,000	\$230,000	\$230,000	
Operations Plan Fund					
Beginning Balance	\$975,370	\$1,017,742	\$956,606	\$570,246	
Revenues	\$211,569	\$38,967	\$65,020	\$128,748	
Expenditures	\$(164,197)	\$(486,463)	\$(163,665)	\$(182,767)	
Ending Balance	\$1,017,742	\$570,246	\$857,961	\$516,227	
SHAWANO LAKE SANITARY NO. 1 COMMISSIONERS, Edward Zettler, President					
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OPINION

Native American values trump 'misinformation'

Editor's note: This is the first of a series of monthly columns by Ryan Winn, a member of the faculty at the College of Menominee Nation. The columns will explore Native American culture and history and the impact on both native and non-native communities. The first column expands on an earlier Shawano Leader story, "Misinformation, the stories we choose to tell."

To paraphrase Cherokee writer Diane Glancy, if America is a melting pot, then the Native cultural practices that endure today are things that wouldn't melt — and for very good reasons. Gerald Vizenor (White Earth Anishinaabe) defines Native perseverance against settler colonialism as "survivance" — which combines both survival and resistance as a process rather than an ending point. Survivance is an active act that doesn't succumb to assimilation—meaning that culture that endures does so to protect native people.

This preamble is to say, it is an impossible task to reduce the 574 distinct Native American nations within the United States to a single survivance response on any topic, that includes recognizing misinformation. That being noted, there are some common threads across native teachings.

First of all, misinformation is, obviously words that are intended to persuade an audience. Words are nec-



RYAN WINN

essary for stories, and, according to Cherokee scholar Thomas King, "Stories are all we are." This is a philosophy that is reflected in all Native American creation stories, because these stories, often told through an oral tradition, explain the worldview, beliefs, values, and culture of a given society.

Similarly, the Biblical book of John affirms the values of words (and by extension stories) in Christian's creation beliefs — "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God." Since the United States is, at its heart, or at least its founding, a Judeo-Christian nation, my hope is that we can all agree that words form the foundation for core beliefs in which one steers their lifeways.

Second, one of the things that didn't melt is that across the United States, Native people begin orations by introducing themselves. This is often done in one's indigenous language, but I contend that it can be in English (or Spanish) and still convey the cultural practice of stating one's name and perhaps ties to one's community or family.

The point is this — Native people

begin by staking their reputation on the words they are about to share. This predates candidates being forced to say, "I approve this message" in their campaigns, but the purpose is intended to be the same — an affirmation stating that the speaker stands behind the words being spoken. In short, honesty is a cultural value that is ingrained in communicative practice of Native people. If stories are all we are; they better be true stories.

Third, Native people's stories are not privileged in American society. From tales of the Wild West to the battles to protect water sources, Native stories and Native views are not elevated as the most significant stories being told.

Case in point, it is impossible to tell the story of 1920s women's suffrage without the contributions of Gertrude Simmons Bonnin (Yankton Dakota), Louise Bottineau Baldwin (Turtle Mountain Chippewa), and Laura Cornelius Kellogg (Wisconsin Oneida), but how often have we heard their names in this year's centennial celebrations? The Native stories shared most are of people best known for giving land away — Pocahontas and Sacagawea — because they fit the narrative of Manifest Destiny.

Fourth, since their stories are not privileged, the aspects of information most interrogated by Native people

are those that speak directly to their values. The Menominee tribe's value statement reads, "As Omāēqnome-nēwak (People of the Wild Rice), we value our children, elders, and each other, preserving our language, tradition, history and culture." Misinformation that conflicts with those values are most likely to be refuted.

Fifth, native people are earning post-secondary degrees in American institutions which teach all of their students how to spot misinformation. The best schools, such as Tribal Colleges and Universities including the College of Menominee Nation, teach these principles of critical thinking in culturally affirming ways.

So, if stories are all we are — then words are sacred. People and entities who advance misinformation are therefore profane. To combat this affront, Americans could look to the First Nations people for guidance on how to spot and resist profane misinformation by privileging Native American stories. When they do, they will discover a model of how best to stake their reputation on their words, their words on their values, and their values on their future.

Ryan Winn teaches English, theater and liberal studies at the College of Menominee Nation. He also writes regular columns for the Tribal College Journal and American History Magazine.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Beef producers want input on future plans

To the editor:

The Northeast Wisconsin Beef Producers (NWBP) started selling feeder cattle through the Equity Cooperative Livestock Sales Association in Bonduel in 1962. NWBP sales were held twice a year, with two being held in the spring of the year and three sales in the fall.

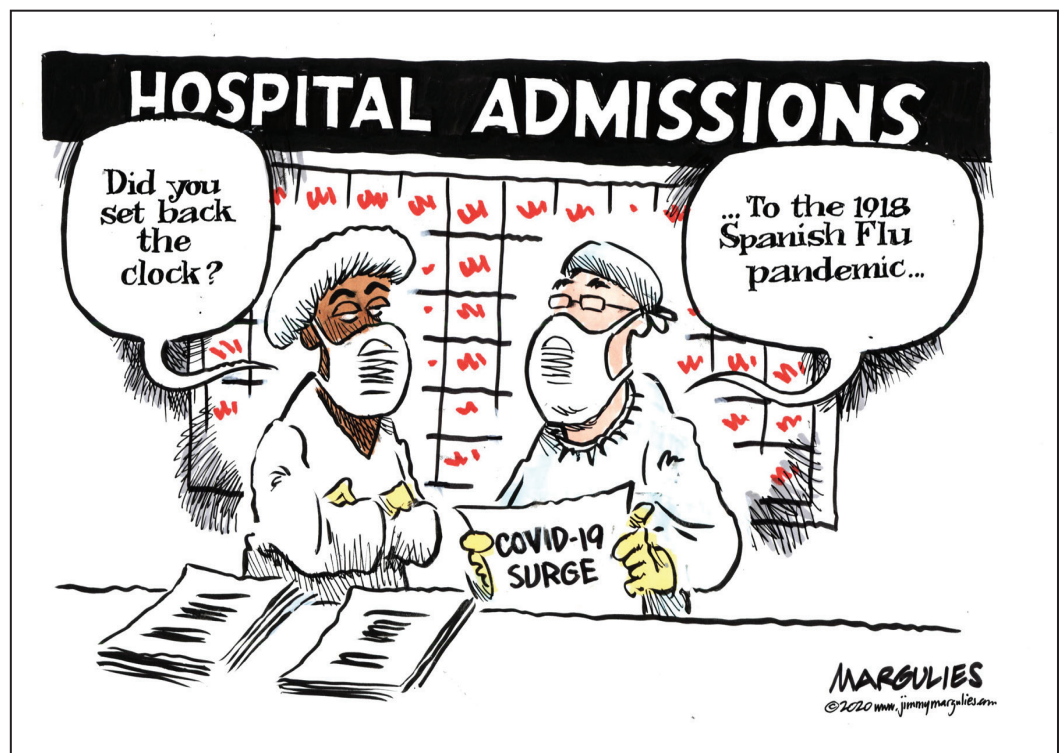
This year, the last NWBP sale was held May 1. On Sept. 23, the president of NWBP Cooperative, Tom Edler, received a letter from Curt Larson, president and CEO of the Equity Cooperative Livestock Sales Association. In the letter, Larson stated NWBP Cooperative would not be able to host feeder sales this year; no reason given why.

The NWBP is considering options for future sales. Two of those options are to hold sales at Premier Sales Market or to ship livestock to the Bloomington Sales Market.

The NWBP board of directors is asking for your interest and input and would appreciate your response. You may contact NWBP president Thomas Edler at 715-851-6160.

Bill Buchholz, Gillett

Vice president, board of directors, Northeast Wisconsin Beef Producers Cooperative



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October 23, 30 & November 06, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 20-CV-56

Notice of Foreclosure
COVANTAGE CREDIT UNION
Plaintiff,
v.

DAVID DEMASKI
UNKNOWN SPOUSE
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SHAWANO COUNTY
Defendants.

PLEASETAKE NOTICE, that by virtue of and pursuant to a Judgment entered in the above-entitled action on July 7, 2020, the undersigned, Adam Bieber, Sheriff of Shawano County, or his authorized designees, will sell at public auction on the steps outside the main public entrance of the Shawano County courthouse, 311 N Main Street, Shawano, Wisconsin, on November 11, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. the following described mortgaged premises, which are to be sold together as indivisible homestead property: W12610 County Road A, Bowler, WI 54416; 008-264-30000

Lot One (1) of Shawano County Certified survey Map #3642, recorded in Volume 15 of Survey Maps, page 327 as Document #647556; being a part of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SW1/4 - SE1/4), Section 26, Township 28 North, Range 13 East, town of Bartelme, Shawano County, Wisconsin.

TERMS OF SALE: A down payment required at the time of Sheriff's Sale in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the winning bid; said payment being made in the form of cash, money order, cashier's check or certified check made payable to the Shawano County Clerk of Courts; balance of sale price is due in full within ten (10) days of confirmation of sale by the Court, Failure to post the remaining balance due shall result in the forfeiture of the down payment to the Plaintiff. Property to be sold as a whole as is and subject to all real estate taxes, accrued and accruing, special assessments, if any, penalties and interest, and any existing first in time mortgages or leasehold interests, and the right of the United States of America to redeem said property after sale within the period provided by 28 U.S.C. Section 2410. Purchaser to pay all transfer and recording fees and the cost of title evidence.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 2020.

/s/ Adam Bieber
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Justin J. Bates, Esq.
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October 23, 30, & November 06, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY

Notice Setting Time to Hear Application and Deadline for Filing Claims
Case No. 20-PR-56

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
Kenneth F. Sambs AKA Kenneth Frank Sambs
DOD August 10, 2020

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

1. An application for informal administration was filed.
2. The decedent, the date of birth November 22, 1933 and date of death August 10, 2020, was domiciled in Shawano County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of 415 Butternut St. Tigerton, WI 54486.
3. The application will be heard at the Shawano County Courthouse, Shawano, Wisconsin, Room probate office, before Darlene Hoffman, Probate Registrar, on November 24, 2020 at 9:00am.

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

4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is February 15, 2021.
5. A claim may be filed at the Shawano Courthouse, Shawano, Wisconsin, Room probate office.
6. This publication is noticed to any persons whose names or address are unknown.

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October 30 & November 06, 13, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MENOMINEE COUNTY
Case No. 2020NC04

Notice and Order for Name Change Hearing
In the Matter of the Name Change of:
Sienna Senih Turney
By (Petitioner) Sienna Senih Turney

Notice is Given:
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From: Sienna Senih Turney
To: Sienna Senih Wapos
Birth Certificate: Sienna Senih Turney
It is Ordered:
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Menominee County, State of Wisconsin:
Judge's Name: Mercedes Martin
Place: Menominee Tribal Court
Date: November 25, 2020
Time: 9:30 AM
WNAXLP

#1604
November 6, 13, 20, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
MENOMINEE COUNTY
Case No. 20NC05

Notice and Order for Name Change Hearing
In the Matter of the Name Change of:
Tracey Ann Corn
By (Petitioner) Tracey Ann Corn

Notice is Given:
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From: Tracey Ann Corn
To: Tracey Ann Fowler
Birth Certificate: Tracey Ann Corn
It is Ordered:
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Menominee County, State of Wisconsin:
Judge's Name: Hon. Bridget Long
Place: Menominee Tribal Courts
W3293 Wolf River Dr.
Keshena, WI 54135
Date: December 03, 2020
Time: 11:00 AM
WNAXLP

#1607
November 6, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 2020SC490

Publication Summons and Notice (Small Claims)
Plaintiff(s):
Mariner Finance, LLC
2272 W. Mason Street
Green Bay, WI 54303

-vs-
Defendant(s):
Tessa Rusch
531 E Green Bay St
Bonduel, WI 54107

Publication Summons and Notice of Filing TO THE PERSON(S) NAMED ABOVE AS DEFENDANT(S):
You are being sued by the person(s) named above as Plaintiff(s). A copy of the claim has been sent to you at your address as stated in the caption above.
The lawsuit will be heard in the following small claims court: Shawano County Courthouse
Telephone Number of clerk of court: 715-526-9347
Courtroom/Room Number: Branch 2
Address: 311 North Main Street
Shawano, WI 54166
Date: November 23rd, 2020 at 1:00pm

If you do not attend the hearing, the court may enter a judgment against you in favor of the person(s) suing you. A copy of the claim has been sent to you at your address as stated in the caption above. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate (property) you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You may have the option to Answer without appearing in court on the court date by filing a written Answer with the clerk of court **before** the court date. You must send a copy of your Answer to the Plaintiff(s) named above at their address. You may contact the clerk of court at the telephone number above to determine if there are other methods to answer a Small Claims complaint in that county.
/s/ Meghan P. MacKelly
10/28/2020
State Bar No. 1037746
Dobberstein Law Firm, LLC
225 S. Executive Dr. Suite 201
Brookfield, WI 53005
262-641-3715
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#1606
November 6, 13, 20, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Case No. 2020FA94

Summons Without Minor Children Divoce-40101
IN RE: THE MARRIGE OF

Petitioner
Tricia Marie Netzer
101 E State Street
Black Creek, WI 54106
And

Respondent
Andrew Eugene Netzer
N2482 Lawn Road
Pulaski, WI 54162
The State of Wisconsin, to the person named above as respondent:
You are notified that your spouse has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. The **Petition**, which is attached, states the nature and basis of the legal action.
Within 20days of receiving this **Summons**, you must provide a written response, as that term is used in ch. 802, Wis. Stats., to the **Petition**. The court may reject or disregard a response that does not follow the requirements of the statutes.

The response must be sent or delivered to the following government office:

Clerk of Court
Shawano County
311 N Main Street
Shawano, WI 54166

The response must also be mailed or delivered within 20 days to the petitioner at the address above.
It is recommended, but not required, that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not provide a proper response with 20 days, the court may grant judgment against you, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Petition.

A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

/s/ Tricia Marie Netzer
August 05, 2020
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#1611
Notice of Public Sale
Lakeland Storage 722 Waukechon St. Shawano, WI 54166
December 3rd, 2020 at 12:00pm. Bidding is on complete contents of unit.
Owner - Bradley Cameron Contents: Motorcycle, tools, misc
Owner - Keri Vorpahl Contents: furniture, deep freeze, misc
Owner - Garrett Keshena Contents: totes, misc
MyStorageHome.com
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Legals
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#1610
November 6, 13, 20, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
SHAWANO COUNTY
Notice to Creditors
Case No. 20-PR-57

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
John Lee Gerhard AKA John L. Gerhard
DOD September 25, 2020

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

1. An application for informal administration was filed.
2. The decedent, the date of birth February 19, 1952 and date of death September 25, 2020, was domiciled in Shawano County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of 1029 S. Main St. Shawano, WI 54166.
3. All interested persons waived notice.
4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is March 1, 2021.
5. A claim may be filed at the Shawano County Courthouse, Shawano, Wisconsin, Room 202. J. Edison Woods, JR.
208 W. Green Bay St.
Shawano, WI 54166
715-526-3191
Bar No. 1013125
WNAXLP

#1612
November 6, 13, 20, 2020
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MENOMINEE COUNTY
Case No. 20NC06

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

Randi Jean Corn
By (Petitioner) Randi Jean Corn
Notice is Given:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From: Randi Jean Corn
To: Randi Jean Chevalier
Birth Certificate: Randi Jean Corn
It is Ordered:
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Menominee County, State of Wisconsin:
Judge's Name: Hon. Bridget Long
Place: Menominee Tribal Courts
W3293 Wolf River Dr.
Keshena, WI 54135
Date: December 3, 2020
Time: 11:30 AM
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County adds to largest barn quilt trail

The nation's largest barn quilt trail continues to add to its record with another quilt now on display.

Pete and Cindy Fannin have sponsored Shawano County's 366th barn quilt on their barn at N4756 North Branch Road, Caroline. It's the second quilt they have sponsored, the first being in 2018.

"We decided to get a second barn quilt because one just isn't enough," Cindy said. "In reality, when the first one went up on the east end of our barn in 2018, Jim Leuenberger suggested we think about getting a second one for the south side as well. Our farm sits on a 90-degree curve, with the barn close to the road, so the first quilt is only visible when coming from the east. Now, with a second quilt, anyone driving from either direction will get to enjoy the view of a beautiful barn quilt."

The pattern Pete and Cindy chose for their second quilt is called Feathered Sunflower.

"We chose the pattern simply because we thought it was beautiful, we liked the colors and we hadn't seen one like it," Cindy said. "And now

that it is up, it's even more beautiful than I had imagined."

The farm was originally homesteaded in 1885 by Joseph and Katarina Assenbrenner. Joseph sold it to his son, Matthew, in 1894. The original section of the existing house was built around 1895 and an addition built in 1927 to accommodate a growing family. Matthew and his wife, Anna, raised 13 children. The barn on which the quilt is displayed was built sometime shortly after the house was finished.

Somewhere along the way, the last name of Assenbrenner was changed to Aschenbrenner. The farm stayed in the family until 2006, when Pete and Cindy bought the buildings and 10 acres of land from Mike Mijal, an Assenbrenner descendant.

When Pete and Cindy purchased the property, both the house and barn were in severe disrepair since they hadn't been occupied for many years. Now Pete and Cindy, with the help of their sons, Brian and Andy Ziegler, have completely restored the buildings.

Pete and Cindy raise a breed of

hair sheep called Katahdin, a breed of domestic sheep developed in Maine. The breed is named after the state's highest peak, Mount Katahdin. The sheep are known for their mild meat and docile nature and are raised for

breeding stock and meat.

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



Pete and Cindy Fannin are shown with Shawano County's 366th barn quilt on their farm at N4756 North Branch Road, Caroline.

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exploded healthcare costs in the United States

November 21st

Dr. David Belk, Private Practice and Author,
The True cost of Healthcare



Hosted by
Dr. Brian Grieves, DC, MPH

Public Notice

Legend Lake Protection & Rehabilitation District is applying for a permit to apply aquatic herbicide ProcellaCOR to approximately 100.90 acres on Legend Lake, Menominee County, for control of Eurasian watermilfoil, an invasive exotic aquatic plant. The treatment application will most likely occur in May/June 2021. Warning signs will be posted prior to treatment. There are no restrictions on swimming, eating fish from treated water bodies, or using water for drinking. There is no restriction for irrigation of turf (homeowner grass), however there are restriction for all non-turf applications. Refer to the latest copy of the label for all irrigation requirements. Adjacent riparian property owners will receive a copy of the permit application. The applicant will hold a public informational meeting on the proposed treatment if five or more individuals, organizations, special units of government, or local units of government request one. The person or entity requesting the meeting shall state a specific agenda of topics including problems and alternatives to be discussed. The request for the public informational meeting must be sent in writing to: Jeremy Johnson, P O Box 95, Keshena, WI, 54135 and a copy to: the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources – Northeast Region Headquarters, 2984 Shawno Avenue, Green Bay, WI 54313-6727 within five days after the public notice is made.

For additional information, contact Legend Lake Protection & Rehabilitation District representative: Jeremy Johnson 715-799-5710

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**Before the Town Of Hartland Planning Commission**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on Monday, November 9, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. at the Hartland Town Hall, W3454 County Road BE, Bonduel, the Town of Hartland Planning Commission will hold a public hearing for the purpose of considering the following:

1. Amending the Town Comprehensive Plan text and related Future Land Use Map to facilitate the zoning change request referenced below. The current Comprehensive Plan was adopted on November 8, 2005, was amended on September 19, 2012, and further amended on August 11, 2014, September 14, 2015, April 18, 2017, November 11, 2019 and March 9, 2020. The Future Land Use Map was adopted and amended on these dates also.
2. Zoning Change #2020-3: Garrett Borowski requests a zoning change from Farm-land Preservation to Commercial on an approximately 2.4 acre parcel, parcel number 022-15440-0010, address of W3306 County Road BE.
3. CU #2020-8: A Conditional Use is requested related to the above parcel. Garrett would like to operate a shop to rebuild agricultural and automobile parts. The use (shop greater than 3500 square feet) requires a Conditional Use with Commercial Zoning (per Section 3.5(4)B.1).

The hearing is open to the public and all interested parties are encouraged to attend. Contact Scott Schara, Zoning Administrator at 920-788-0829 for more information. Posted October 23, 2020 at the Hartland Town Hall and www.townofhartlandwi.com by the Town Clerk.

Posted October 30 and November 6, 2020 in the Shawano Leader by the Town Clerk.

WNAXLP**TOWN OF WESCOTT**

PLAN COMMISSION MEETING & PUBLIC HEARING
LOCATION: TOWN OFFICE AT N5794 OLD KESHENA ROAD
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2020
9:00 AM

1. CALL TO ORDER.
2. ROLL CALL.
3. REVIEW & APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE AUGUST 16, 2020 MEETING.
4. PUBLIC COMMENTS.
5. CORRESPONDENCE.
6. CU-4-20: RANDALL NELSON & TINA ADERMAN REQUEST CONDITIONAL USE APPROVAL TO CONDUCT A MAJOR HOME OCCUPATION FOR A MACHINE SHOP LOCATED IN THE RURAL RESIDENTIAL ZONING DISTRICT. THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED AND DESCRIBED AS E 260' OF THE W 410' OF THE S 410' OF THE SE ¼ SE ¼ SECTION 8 T27N-R16E. TAX PARCEL #048-08440-0080. SITE ADDRESS: W6580 OLD LAKE LANE.
7. Z-1-20: TRAVIS & ELIZABETH MUELLER, AGENTS FOR SIGRID BRONKHORST, OWNER, REQUEST ZONE CHANGE FROM BUSINESS TO WATERFRONT RESIDENTIAL FOR THE PURPOSE ON CONVERTING A TAVERN INTO A SINGLE-FAMILY DWELLING. THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED AND DESCRIBED AS KAEMPF PLAT OF LOON LAKE SECTION 12 T27N-R16E LOT 1 & PART OF LOT 2 BLOCK 1 & THAT PART OF GOVERNMENT LOT 2 DESCRIBED IN VOLUME 414 PAGE 51 EXCEPT PART DESCRIBED IN DOCUMENT #742762 OF COUNTY RECORDS. TAX PARCEL #48-60200-0000. SITE ADDRESS: N6709 LOON LAKE DRIVE.
8. DISCUSS AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION TO AMEND SECTION 18.07.6 "FENCES" OF THE TOWN ZONING ORDINANCE WITH RESPECT TO ROADWAY SETBACKS.
9. DISCUSS AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION TO AMEND THE JUNKED VEHICLE SECTION OF THE TOWN NUISANCE ORDINANCE TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF JUNKED VEHICLES.
10. DISCUSS AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION TO AMEND THE CONDITIONS OF CU-1-16 CONCERNING BROTHERS PUB FOR ACCESS TO THE BUSINESS AND PARKING LOT PAINTING REQUIREMENTS.
11. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT MAY LAWFULLY COME BEFORE THE PLAN COMMISSION.
12. CONSIDER SETTING NEXT MEETING DATE IF DEEMED NECESSARY.
13. ADJOURN.

THE PLAN COMMISSION MAY CONSIDER AND MAKE A DECISION REGARDING EACH REQUEST WHEN THE PETITION IS MADE.

It is possible that members of and possibly a quorum of other governmental bodies of the municipality may be in attendance at the above stated meeting to gather information; no action will be taken by any governmental body at the above stated meeting other than the governmental body specifically referred to above in this notice.

POSTED THREE (3) PLACES ON OCTOBER 23, 2020 BY: ROBERT JACOBSON

- TOWN OFFICE
- SHAWANO COUNTY COURTHOUSE
- FIRE DEPARTMENT STATION

Town requests persons requiring assistance to enable attendance and participation to provide at least twenty-four-hour notice. Written comments/correspondence must bear a legible signature of the author in order to be read into the record.

WNAXLP**NOTICE OF PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING FOR TOWN OF HERMAN**

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, November 11, 2020 at 6:00 pm a PUBLIC HEARING on the PROPOSED 2021 BUDGET of the Town of Herman will be held at the Town of Herman Hall. The proposed budget in detail is available from the clerk (phone 715-853-6853) or at the Town of Herman web site townofherman-shawano.com.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a special Town Meeting of the Town of Herman, Shawano County, Wisconsin will be held on Tuesday, November 11, 2020 immediately following the Public Hearing noticed above for the following purpose:

1. To adopt the 2021 Town Tax levy to be paid in 2021 pursuant to sec. 60.10(1)(a) of the Wisconsin Statutes.
2. To approve the 2021 Town of Herman Budget.

Dated this 26th Day of October, 2020

By: Lori Schmidt – Town Clerk

WNAXLP**WOLF TREATMENT PLANT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to Section 65.90(3) of the Wisconsin State Statutes, the Commission of the Wolf Treatment Plant have tentatively adopted the Budget for 2021 as hereinafter set forth. Said Budget is available for public inspection at the office of the Wolf Treatment Plant beginning with the date thereof. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that on November 24, 2020 at the hour of 10:00 AM, in the conference room at the Wolf Treatment Plant, a Public Hearing will be held on said Budget.

Summary				
	Actual 2019	Projected 2020	Budgeted 2020	2021 Proposed Budget
Expenditures:				
Sewage Treatment	\$1,793,779	\$1,796,886	\$1,797,800	\$1,826,100
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,793,779	\$1,796,886	\$1,797,800	\$1,826,100
Revenues:				
Outside User Chgs:				
City of Shawano	\$936,988	\$937,042	\$937,635	\$953,328
SLSD#1	\$577,146	\$577,666	\$578,363	\$587,565
Richmond	\$55,687	\$56,115	\$56,004	\$57,086
Village of Bonduel	\$147,983	\$148,328	\$148,313	\$150,763
BPW District	\$7,522	\$7,464	\$7,494	\$7,600
Village of Cecil	\$68,473	\$70,071	\$69,991	\$69,758
TOTAL REVENUES	\$1,793,779	\$1,796,886	\$1,797,800	\$1,826,100
Detail of Operating Expenditures				
Sewerage Treatment Plant:				
Labor and Benefits	\$573,807	\$587,210	\$591,200	\$604,300
Utilities	\$210,259	\$200,000	\$219,000	\$215,000
Chemicals	\$38,013	\$38,083	\$36,000	\$39,500
Operating Supplies	\$28,822	\$23,103	\$21,000	\$22,000
Transportation	\$6,029	\$5,000	\$6,000	\$6,000
Maintenance/Replace	\$75,947	\$50,000	\$49,000	\$53,000
Outside Services	\$24,892	\$14,600	\$15,000	\$15,000
Insurance	\$29,680	\$34,212	\$33,000	\$34,000
General Expense	\$16,506	\$18,013	\$18,800	\$19,300
Transfer to Funds	\$833,600	\$822,100	\$822,100	\$822,100
Sludge Hauling	\$51,400	\$45,000	\$46,000	\$46,000
SUBTOTAL	\$1,888,955	\$1,837,321	\$1,857,100	\$1,876,200
Less: Misc Revenues	\$(100,625)	\$(74,700)	\$(84,300)	\$(75,100)
Contingency	\$5,449	\$34,265	\$25,000	\$25,000
TOTAL	\$1,793,779	\$1,796,886	\$1,797,800	\$1,826,100
Replacement Fund*				
Beginning Balance	\$1,182,454	\$1,278,275	\$1,282,124	\$1,375,847
Revenues	\$95,821	\$97,572	\$203,100	\$87,100
Expenditures	\$-	\$-	\$(100,000)	\$-
Ending Balance	\$1,278,275	\$1,375,847	\$1,385,224	\$1,462,947
* Contingent upon Commission Use of Fund				
Outstanding indebtedness: \$-				WNAXLP
WOLF TREATMENT PLANT COMMISSIONERS, Jane Krueger, President				

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