



Gerry Doran, flanked by two of her teammates, sifts through some of the 500 pieces to locate matches that can be put together and help form the final puzzle during Puzzles and Pints, held March 5 at the Barn at Sunset Acres in Pulaski. Doran has lived in Pulaski for more than 30 years.

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Puzzle contest leaves teams sifting to put pieces together

Visiting team wins \$500 first prize, despite vanishing final piece

By LEE PULASKI
City Editor

A contest took place March 5 at the Barn at Sunset Acres where the sole goal was to fit in.

The main challenge was to make 500 pieces of a jigsaw puzzle form a picture before anyone else could do so at the Puzzles and Pints competition. Thirty teams with four people each came armed with sorting trays, extra lights and a lot of determination to piece together the puzzles that showed some of the figures and icons of Pulaski's past to kick off the village's annual Casimir Pulaski Days.

It wasn't just local residents who came out to watch or attempt to assemble the puzzle the fastest as some journeyed from around the state, including Stevens Point and Fond du Lac, to attend the party. It was actually a team from outside the village — Appleton and Sheboygan, specifically

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The team Puzzled and Confused, consisting of, from left, Julie Schroeder, Nicole Woosen-craft, Patty Delebreau and Kristine Behnke, quickly gets to work sorting out pieces to a 500-piece puzzle that includes imagery from Pulaski's history during Puzzles and Pints on March 5.

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4 seek 2 Gillett School Board seats

Finances will play leading role in upcoming decisions

By KEVIN PASSON
Editor-in-Chief

At least one new face will join the Gillett School Board at the next swearing-in ceremony.

One incumbent and three challengers will compete for two seats in the April 7 election. The winners will serve three-year terms.

Jamie J. Heroux is the incumbent. Challengers are Nicole Blaskowski, Ben Korth and Elizabeth Telford.

What made you decide to run for this position?

Blaskowski: As a mother of three children in the Gillett School District, I felt that to ensure my children receive the best possible education and school experiences, I needed to be a part of the team that guides the decisions that make it possible. I want to be an advocate for all students, school staff and community members who have a vested interest in our school community.

Heroux: I believe our community deserves an education system where every student can succeed. Before running again, I reflected on whether I was up for another three years. As a parent who has seen our district's strengths and challenges, and with 11 years of board service, I still have the energy and desire to serve. As an engineer and problem solver, I bring analytical, unbiased decision-making. I would like to use my experience and strengths to help the district succeed.

Korth: I believe that fresh perspective is something that would be beneficial to the district. As a parent of two young kids that attend Gillett Schools, I see what the value of the school is not only to my kids but for the future generations and the community as a whole. We're already doing great things here, but there's still great potential in this district, and I believe we can achieve it together.

Telford: I care about the education and community that my children and their peers are growing up in. Our school district creates a sense of community in our area. Our schools provide not only an

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Oconto Falls man guilty of killing someone while intoxicated.

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Oconto Falls man guilty of homicide by OWI

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

After three days of testimony and a little more than three hours of deliberation, an Oconto County jury on March 6 found an Oconto Falls man guilty of homicide by drunken driving.

Thomas Edward Wolf, 59, was convicted of homicide by the intoxicated use of a motor vehicle, homicide by the operation

of a motor vehicle with a prohibited alcohol content (PAC) and a misdemeanor charge of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated (third offense), in connection with a 2022 crash that claimed the life of Bart Erdman, 60, also of Oconto Falls.

The jury found him not guilty of a second misdemeanor count of operating a motor vehicle with a PAC.

Judge Michael Judge immediately revoked Wolf's \$50,000 cash bond and ordered him taken into custody. He set a March 9 scheduling conference to arrange for a sentencing date. Wolf faces a maximum of 40 years in prison and a \$100,000 fine for each of the two felony homicide counts, along with an additional year in jail and fines for the third OWI conviction.

The original criminal complaint indicates Wolf was driving a pickup truck and Erdman was on a motorcycle, both of them traveling south on County Road I near Beaver Lake Road in the Town of Oconto Falls, when the truck rear-ended the motorcycle around 8:45 p.m. the evening of Aug. 3, 2022.

The impact threw the Harley-Davidson into the

east ditch and caused the pickup to spin counter-clockwise and turn over at least once, also coming to rest in the ditch, the complaint said. Erdman was ejected and pronounced dead at the scene.

Sgt. Ben Schindel of the Oconto County Sheriff's Department interviewed Wolf later that night in the hospital. Wolf allegedly said he was traveling south on County Road I

at about 50 mph "when he all of a sudden saw a bright light come out of nowhere." He tried to stop but didn't remember anything specific until his pickup overturned and came to rest in the ditch, the complaint said.

A preliminary breath test at the hospital showed a blood alcohol content of 0.124%, or more than 1½ times the legal limit, according to the complaint.

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education to our youths but local jobs, activities, sports and camaraderie. I was once blessed with a public education provided by my community that helped me shape my life. I wish to now be an advocate for our children and future generations.

What experience do you have to serve in this position?

Blaskowski: Having served a career in law enforcement, volunteering and holding board positions with several nonprofit groups, I have experience working for publicly funded organizations. I understand the challenges that exist with restricted budgets and how to maximize what is received that will make the biggest impact for those we serve. Through my professional and volunteer experience, I have gained knowledge in policy and performance improvement, data analysis, fiscal management and parliamentary procedures.

Heroux: My 11 years on the Gillett School Board have provided valuable governance experience. I currently serve as board



NICOLE BLASKOWSKI



JAMIE HEROUX

president and am on the CESA 8 board of control. All four of my children attended and graduated from

Gillett schools, giving me firsthand parental perspective. I've served on multiple committees and attended Wisconsin Association of School Boards training sessions. This combination of leadership, parental insight and professional development uniquely qualifies me for this position.

Korth: As a business owner and AEMT, something I pride myself in is being able to think outside of the box. I'm not afraid to have difficult, candid conversations and ask the tough questions. With living, working and volunteering in the community, I see the vast different demographics we have here. I realize that not everyone's at the same place in life, but they should have the same voice, and it should be heard.

BEN KORTH

Telford: Before becoming a local business owner,



ELIZABETH TELFORD

I was a registered nurse in our community. It has been an honor to serve all ages, cultures, businesses as well as local governments. I've worked closely with the families of those who have children in the district and those who no longer do. I would like to bring all of the diverse perspectives I have experienced to our school board to best serve our students, families and taxpayers.

What is one of the biggest challenges facing the school district, and how do you plan to address it?

Blaskowski: The biggest challenge facing our school district is its current financial situation. Historically, there has been a lack of proper management of the district's finances, which we are now seeing the dramatic impacts of. Having knowledge and experience in financial management, I plan to make it a priority to study and dissect our district's budget. I want to ensure our community that every dollar coming in is being utilized to its maximum potential.

Heroux: Our biggest

challenge is balancing safety, fiscal responsibility, quality staff and programs, and facility stewardship. Positive change requires honestly assessing areas needing improvement through community, teacher and student input, then working collaboratively. Our buildings, ranging from the 1920s to 1990s, require ongoing maintenance to stay relevant with today's technology and safety standards. I'll advocate for fair staff wages with accountability, quality programs at all levels and careful spending that balances student needs with taxpayer needs.

Korth: Our district is facing many hard decisions in the coming months. As a member of the strategic planning committee, I agree that recruiting and retaining competent, caring and passionate staff should be our No. 1 priority. While I do not think throwing money at a problem necessarily solves it, the staff should be compensated a fair and competitive wage. This needs to be achieved while being fiscally responsible and completely transparent with the district.

Telford: Our current biggest challenge is how to simply maintain our current state of the district. The upcoming referendum vote in April would hopefully allow the district to maintain

and improve some areas while being fiscally responsible. I am actively addressing this by encouraging families and constituents to involve themselves in the referendum informational meetings to understand just how important this referendum is for the livelihood of a quality school district and the opportunities for our students.

Do you favor searching for new revenue streams or reducing programs, staff or other expenses?

Blaskowski: Realistically, there are very little cuts to be made. I'm planning to search for additional funding through grants, community partnerships and possibly growing the Tiger Enterprise program. If anything, our district could use additional student support staff, not less. Many of our school clubs and activities run on donations, fundraising and volunteers. Our music, tech ed and ag departments are a crucial part of our school programming, and we cannot afford to cut those.

Heroux: State-imposed revenue limits since 1993 severely limit school district options. Our current referendum addresses revenue shortfalls. If it fails, I will not favor closing the school but will listen to community input about what type

of school they want. If it passes, I'll advocate spending on current programs, not new initiatives or pet projects. Community input and fiscal responsibility will guide my approach and decisions to balancing our budget.

Korth: I believe that there has to be a combination of these for the district to be successful. I think there was a disservice done to both the students and community by removing the wraparound care. It's something that attracts families to the district and gets them in the door, and I think this should be brought back. I also think that there are areas where some cuts could be made to reduce duplicating job responsibilities.

Telford: The schools are the heart of our community. I do not wish to see any programs cut, essential staff to be cut or the district dissolved. If we want a quality community, then research shows we need to maintain a quality and competitive school district. Advocating for rural school funding both on a state and federal level, promoting community discussion and engagement such as the strategic planning, and fiscal transparency is what I favor.

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named Harry Puzzler and the Chamber of Lost Pieces – that finished first by putting its puzzle together in 31 minutes and 50 seconds, winning the \$400 main prize that more than made up for the \$40 entry fee it paid to participate the fray.

The team's name proved to be apt when the final puzzle piece, an end piece connected to the bottom of the puzzle, was nowhere to be found as teammates took almost two minutes to make sure it hadn't fallen to the floor, dropped onto one of the seats or maybe was hidden by the puzzle box or sorting trays. Despite

DID YOU KNOW?

There is a Wisconsin Jigsaw Puzzle Association that holds a number of puzzle events around the state and serves as an affiliate of the United States of America Jigsaw Puzzle Association. The state group hosts an annual jigsaw puzzle championship, the last one taking place in November, along with speed puzzle competitions, puzzle swaps and casual puzzle events.

the missing piece, the Harry Puzzler team won well ahead of its competitors, many of whom were

only halfway through the puzzles when the winners were announced.

Tim Bodway, the team's spokesman, noted that he and his teammates, Kayli Bodway, Kaboa Lor and Megan Bodway, have entered many contests, but the main goal is to have fun.

"It's just kind of our thing we do," Tim Bodway said. "We were just coming on out to support Pulaski. We travel all over. We're actually going to nationals in Atlanta at the end of this month."

He added that not having the final piece didn't impact his team's enthusiasm.

"When that happens, it's fine," he said.

Some of the locals found the evening to be quietly energizing as the puzzle competition followed a performance by local musician Bryce Hunter and a free taco bar, along with the alcohol-filled pints that formed part of the event's name.

One Pulaski-based team that called itself Puzzled and Confused found a lot of joy coming together and meeting the goal of completing an image, but their joy came from a variety of motivations.

"Lots of beer," Patty

Delebreaud said as her teammates laughed heartily to a question about what strategy the team was employing to put together its puzzle first.

Teammate Kristine Behnke noted that she and the others were not as practiced in the art of jigsaw puzzles, but it was fun listening to music and having fellowship with friends and co-workers.

"The strategy is not having done a puzzle since the kids were toddlers and I was on the floor with them," Behnke said. "That was the last time I did a puzzle. I'm not rocking

this, I'm telling you."

Nicole Woosencraft, another member of Puzzled and Confused, also enjoyed the event.

"It's when you reach the end result and finding a piece that matches," she said. "We get to see how great we work together as a team."

Besides the puzzle competition, Casimir Pulaski Days included a polka jam session, dance, worship service and brunch at St. Casimir Catholic Church and an open house at Pulaski Museum.

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Roys among crowded field in governor race

Candidate shares plans over lunch on what she plans to do

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

Kelda Roys got to do something that she hasn't had a lot of time to do while campaigning to be Wisconsin's next governor – sit down and eat.

Roys got the opportunity March 7 when she visited Shawano and joined more than a dozen local Democrats for a lunchtime event at Luigi's. She is one of nine liberal-leaning candidates in the running to succeed Tony Evers, a field that currently also consists of Mandela Barnes, Joel Brennan, David Crowley, Francesca Hong, Missy Hughes, Brett Hulsey, Sara Rodriguez and Zachary Roper, according to Ballotpedia.

Roys said she wants to be the next governor because of the current state of affairs in the United States under President Donald Trump. Current U.S. Rep. Tom Tiffany, a Trump ally, is running on the Republican side of the ticket, and Roys said she believes Wisconsin's next governor should stand up to Trump's policies.

"We are in the midst of a very scary and dangerous moment in this country's history," Roys said. "We are living in an authoritarian regime with a president who is shredding the Constitution and



State Sen. Kelda Roys, left, one of seven Democrats hoping to succeed Tony Evers as governor, speaks with Kathy Weidner of the Democratic Party of Shawano-Menominee Counties prior to making public remarks March 7 at a campaign event at Luigi's in Shawano. Roys spoke about funding public schools, helping homegrown businesses to be successful over larger corporations and raising the minimum wage in the state. LEE PULASKI | NEW MEDIA

undermining the rule of law every single day, has unleashed a violent paramilitary force on American communities and is raising costs for every single one of us through his cuts to health care and education, his disastrous and illegal tariff policy, and is hurting families and farmers and small businesses."

Roys noted that it hasn't been an easy time to be a Democrat, noting the Republican dominance of both the state Assembly and Senate for the last 16 years. She expressed confidence that, under the new legislative district maps Democrats should be able to control the Senate next year but conceded that Republicans still have

enough power to hold the Assembly.

"The idea of having just Republicans in total control, no matter what we do, is over," Roys said. "We have new more competitive and fairer maps – not completely fair but fairer."

Roys said the governor will have a different focus in 2027, compared to Evers, who served as the veto to a lot of Republican bills over the last eight years. She said having experience and knowledge in state policy will be essential to the state's next top executive.

"We need our most experienced fighter, who is ready and able, to maneuver the legislature and use the levers of power to make change that we

need," Roys said.

Born in Marshfield in a rural area where her closest neighbors were Amish, Roys touted what she has done in the state, singling out how she, as the executive director of NARAL Pro-Choice Wisconsin, helped to pass a pro-choice abortion law, the first one in Wisconsin in 30 years in 2008 with a Democratic-controlled Senate and Republican-controlled Assembly.

"When I say I can get

things done in tough environments, that's what I've been talking about," Roys said. "I've been doing it for 20 years (including six years in the Senate), and I'm the only Democrat with that kind of record. That's what we're going to need from our next governor."

Public school funding is one key issue that Roys is running on. She's looking for a way to help school districts pay for their needs without having to resort to operational referenda, noting that Gillett is pursuing one this spring to stay solvent. She wants to couple that with bringing property taxes down.

"I'm seeing it everywhere I travel," Roys said. "Door County, Trempealeau, Rock County, Kenosha, Burnett – all of these school districts are having really tough times because the Republicans ... have starved our public schools and our local governments of these resources. Our kids deserve the best public education we can give them, the same public education I got in rural northern Wisconsin and urban Madison, Wisconsin. We're failing them, and it's costing property owners an arm and a leg. We can't do that anymore."

Roys also intends to

raise Wisconsin's minimum wage of \$7.25, which was set in 2010 after the federal minimum wage reached that level. She also plans to restore collective bargaining rights that were reduced to almost nothing when Scott Walker became governor in 2011.

"I think the way you have good, strong economies is by supporting smart people who are hard working and have good ideas, not by getting on your knees and begging Foxconn to come to the state while throwing millions of dollars at them," Roys said. "It's helping your own homegrown folks to be successful, whether it's family farmers, whether that's somebody that wants to open a coffee shop on Main Street or a great restaurant, whether it's somebody who wants to have a big manufacturing company. We can do that here in Wisconsin."

Being on the Wisconsin Legislature's Joint Finance Committee also gives Roys an advantage in experience, in her view.

"I don't need State Budget 101," Roys said. "I know where the Republicans have hidden our money."

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Oconto Falls Fire Department to host spaghetti dinner

The Oconto Falls Fire Department will host its annual spaghetti dinner fundraiser from 4:30-7:30 p.m. March 21.

Dinner, desserts, refreshments and bucket raffles will be offered at the fire station at 431 Union Ave., Oconto Falls.

Prices are \$10 for adults, \$8 for seniors 60 and older, \$5 for children ages 5-12 and free for those 4 and younger.

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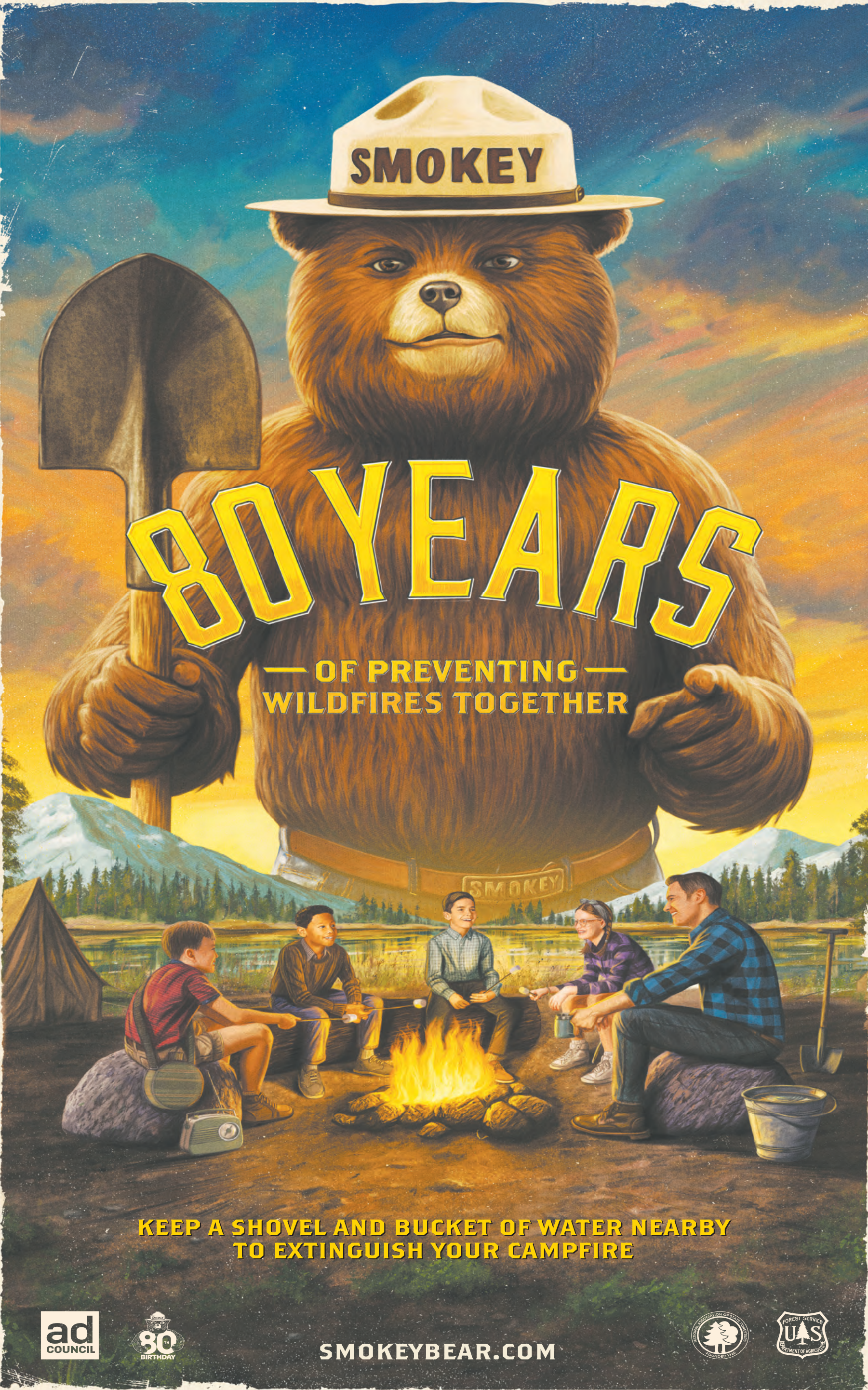
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Deputy, K-9 leave Shawano for Menominee County

By KEVIN PASSON
Editor-in-Chief

The Shawano County Sheriff's Department is down two officers — one human and one K-9. Deputy Cody Vigue's last day was March 1. When he quit to accept a

job with the Menominee County Sheriff's Department, he took his K-9 partner Rascal with him. "They are going to purchase the dog from SOS K-9," Shawano County Sheriff George Lenzner said about the neighboring county's plans to buy

the dog. Officials figured Rascal is about two-thirds of the way through his career. Valued at \$15,000 new, the dog's value is \$5,000 today, which is what Menominee County will pay for him. Of course, that money would go back to SOS K-9

to purchase the next dog," Lenzner said. "It seems like it's going to be awhile before we can get another dog." Rascal joined the department in December 2021. Deputy Jacob Ostrowski is the handler of

Ruckus, the department's newest K-9. The dog has been with the department since October 2024. As for the deputy position, the county website indicates the job will be posted until 12:59 a.m. March 14. "We do have a process,

and we probably have about 10 applications," the sheriff said. "Our goal is always to try to get someone hired quickly." The wage is between \$31.28 and \$36.75 per hour.

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Police suicide prevention proactive in Shawano

Counselors, chaplains, apps among ways city addresses mental health

By LEE PULASKI
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Four former Waukesha County Sheriff's Department deputies took their own lives over a six-year period, according to a recent investigation done by The Badger Project, an independent Wisconsin news nonprofit organization. In all four cases, trauma — whether it was on the job or off — was a factor that caused mental health issues, according to the investigation. The Shawano Police Department has a number of mental health protocols in place to try and prevent its officers and other staff from considering suicide or self-harm. According to Police Chief Mike Musolff, the first step to providing help is to reduce the stigma. "If you have issues or things going on in life or at work, you know that you can come and get help if you need it," Musolff said. "We make sure that none of the officers think that they can't do that, and I think we've done a really good job." Musolff noted that it's important for police officers to be in a state of good mental health so that they make good decisions when they go out on calls. That serves the community more effectively, he said. "Officers deal with some people on their worst possible day," Musolff said. "That takes a

toll on the officers' wellness. For years and years, it was, 'You just deal with it.' If you had a bad call, there really was no talking about it afterwards. I think that was a travesty, because you build up those traumas in your brain, and nobody ever knows them except for the officer." Officer wellness initiatives have been pushed by many law enforcement agencies across the state to try and prevent incidents like what Waukesha County has gone through, according to Musolff. Capt. Shane Stange, who coordinates the mental health protocols for city police officers, noted that most people go through an average of two or three traumatic experiences in their lifetime. That average is much higher for law enforcement, he said, as officers and other first responders can witness or experience 30-40 traumatic incidents, with the majority of them on the job. "About four or five years ago, we discovered a lot of police officers were committing suicide," Stange said, noting that those suicides were happening in other police departments. "We wanted to get ahead of it and be proactive, not reactive." He added that officers don't usually get to "push the pause button" following a traumatic call, as many times there are

other calls that need attention and only so many officers to respond in a smaller community. Stress can wreak havoc on a person's body, Stange said, and dealing with so much trauma is akin to death by a thousand cuts. Shawano police officers are required to, at least twice annually, speak with a counselor contracted with the department. Stange said the stigma made city officers resistant at first, not wanting to tell their feelings to a counselor. The counseling sessions are an hour long, and the officers get paid overtime for the time spent with the counselor, according to Stange. Department administrators are not told what officers

discuss with counselors unless they say they plan to harm themselves in the near future. Now, years after implementation, officers actually look forward to speaking to the counselor, a retired police officer in Appleton, according to Stange. "We don't expect you to spill your deepest, darkest secrets to a stranger you just met," he said. "When you get your fourth or fifth session with a counselor, that's when you start to say, 'Here's what I have going on.'" Besides the counselor, officers are also permitted to do athletic workouts on-duty, usually during the lunch period, according to Stange. "Studies have shown

that, if you exercise, it's a great stress reliever," he said. The department also has a "debrief" within a week of a major traumatic call, Stange said, either with the counselor or with Wellness Command Post, to discuss with other first responders what they're going through. "Administration typically isn't involved in those in order to avoid the whole: 'I don't want my supervisor hearing what I have to say,'" Stange said. He noted that the city also works with three chaplains, which include former police officers, as an outlet for officers to speak about any mental health concerns they're dealing with. Stange said there are three, because every person has a particular way they worship

or practice their faith. "If you don't want to speak with a counselor, you can speak with a chaplain," he said. One other resource for city officers is the Guardian app. Musolff said the app was set up by the state's law enforcement death response team that allows local law enforcement to contact other officers, chaplains or command staff for peer support. "You have the app, and you can just hit the button," Musolff said. "You can talk to people in other departments, and you're not talking with people in your own department, where you have to worry about them going, 'Oh, look at Jimmy. He did this,' or 'Jimmy's suicidal.'"

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Checking forecast best before spreading manure

The Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) is reminding farmers and manure applicators to check the Runoff Risk Advisory Forecast before spreading manure on fields.

This tool helps determine the potential for manure runoff from a field depending on weather conditions and soil temperature. Users can access this tool at <https://runoffriskadvisory.wi.gov>.

The Runoff Risk Advisory Forecast includes maps showing short-term runoff risk for manure application. The maps account for soil saturation, temperature, and precipitation on a scale of 1.5 square-mile grids. The risk maps are updated four times daily with the latest information from the National Weather Service.

“Nutrient management planning is essential to applying manure responsibly and protecting water quality,” said Andrea Topper, DATCP nutrient management outreach specialist. “The Runoff Risk Advisory Forecast supports that effort by helping farmers evaluate current field conditions and short-term weather before spreading.”

For more information about nutrient management planning, visit https://datcp.wi.gov/pages/programs_services/nutrientmanagement.aspx.

Farmers should contact their crop consultant or county land conservation office for help identifying alternatives to high-risk spreading. Larger farms with a Wisconsin Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit can also contact the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR). These professionals can help identify fields where the risk is lower and alternative practices, such as stacking manure in a safe location.

DATCP reminds manure haulers and drivers to put safety first when traveling on roadways in order to avoid spilling manure, prevent injuries, and protect the health of people and the environment.

“Recent data shows that late winter and early spring runoff incidents dropped by more than 30% from 2020 to 2024, compared to those that occurred from 2015 to 2019,” said Kevin Erb, University of Wisconsin-Madison Division of Extension conservation professional training program manager. “This decline in runoff is due in part to farmers and professional applicators utilizing tools like the Runoff Risk Advisory Forecast and changing their practices.”

All agriculture and livestock operations must report spills or runoff that have the potential to impact surface or groundwater to the DNR’s 24-hour emergency spills hotline at 800-943-0003. More information about planning and prevention is available at <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/agbusiness/manurespills.html>.

Pediatrician recommends managing kids’ respiratory problems

Distinguishing between a basic respiratory illness and a more serious condition in children may pose a challenge for some caregivers.

That’s why a ThedaCare pediatrician offered advice on when to manage the symptoms at home and when to seek help.

“Having a sick child can often be stressful, from the illness itself to the logistical challenges of navigating caregiving amid working and other life obligations,” said Dr. Kevin Gentile with ThedaCare Physicians Pediatrics. “Following a few suggestions may help ease the stress and get you and your child through the illness.”

Respiratory illnesses like the common cold, flu, respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) and pneumonia are among the most common ailments children experience. Gentile shared general guidelines for helping a little one through such respiratory illnesses, including common symptoms, when to seek care and prevention steps.

Many ailments fall under the umbrella of respiratory viruses. These include the flu, COVID-19, RSV and several other types of viruses lumped under the category of “common cold.”

The average child experiences an estimated six to eight colds each year, according to the American Academy of Pediatrics.

“Day cares and schools are wonderful places for kids to learn and socialize,” Gentile said. “These environments can also lead to the spread of germs, especially during fall and winter. This is because kids often spend more time indoors and are still learning hygiene habits and building their immune systems.”

Respiratory illness symptoms can have a lot of similarities with their related conditions – flu, RSV, pneumonia, etc. That can make it a challenge to determine the cause of the sickness, Gentile said.

Common respiratory symptoms can include body and muscle aches, congestion, runny nose or sneezing, cough, fatigue and fever, headache and sore throat.

“Knowing exactly which illness your child has isn’t as important as monitoring their symptoms and taking steps to help them feel comfortable as they recover,” Gentile said. “And if they aren’t recovering well, it’s important to know when to get them in to see a medical provider.”

Most kids will recover from a respiratory illness on their own within about a week with comfort measures and home care, Gentile said. As they recuperate, it’s important for children to get plenty of rest and fluids. Over-the-counter fever-reducing medications, including acetaminophen and ibuprofen, may help provide relief.

Gentile said caregivers should consider making an appointment if the child:

- Has a high fever (above 100.4 degrees) and is under 3 months of age.
- Shows signs of dehydration (not urinating regularly).
- Has a cough that worsens or causes trouble breathing.
- Experiences symptoms lasting more than 10 days.
- Has symptoms that fail to improve with over-the-counter medication.

He recommended caregivers seek emergency care for a child exhibiting symptoms such as heavy or fast breathing, blue color around the lips and face, vomiting all food and drink and dehydration.

“It’s difficult for kids to avoid getting respiratory illnesses altogether,” Gentile said. “Fortunately, parents and caregivers can take steps to help reduce the number of times their child gets sick.”

Vaccination is key, he said. He encouraged an annual flu shot for everyone ages 6 months and older. He also recommended vaccination against RSV, pneumonia and COVID-19.

2026 Event Schedule

Near Memorial Park, Shawano

Friday June 5th

EVENT TIME • 4:00 PM-10:00 PM

KID ZONE • 4:00 PM-8:00 PM

INFLATABLES AND YARD GAMES

Free Admission

Music

MC Whitehorse 4:30

Wet Possum 7:00

Saturday June 6th

FLEA MARKET & ANTIQUES • 6AM

FARMERS BREWERY

5K RUN / WALK • 9AM

CRAFT FAIR • 10AM - 4PM

KID ZONE • 10AM - 8PM

Music

Trigger Trippers	Noon
Spicy Tie Band	3:00
The Glam Band	6:45



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Bert, played by Tristan Herro, and Mary Poppins, played by Annika Jannusch, are surrounded by dozens of chimney sweeps after performing the song "Step in Time" for the second act of "Mary Poppins." The Wolf River Homeschoolers Performing Arts will perform the show four times, starting March 19, at Clintonville High School.

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Spoonful of sugar helpful to produce latest musical

Wolf River Homeschoolers bring 'Mary Poppins' alive

By **LEE PULASKI**
City Editor

The classic tale of a nanny flying in and showing a family how to love and care will be brought to life by more than 60 children later this month.

"Mary Poppins" will be the annual musical for the Wolf River Homeschoolers Performing Arts program, premiering March 19 at Clintonville High School, 64 W. Green Tree Road, Clintonville. Twenty families provide the cast for this classic tale for all ages.

"This is a very classic and beautiful story of a family," said Julia Herro, the show's director. "We need a musical where we can have a lot of our talented students showcased. A lot of musicals will have one or two main leads and one or two supporting characters, and then there's, like, no other real cast. It's expensive to put on a musical, and you don't want a ton of people, usually. We have the opposite problem where we have a ton of people, and we want to get them on stage."

This show provides a lot of different parts for the children, most of whom are in Shawano County. From the titular character to the Banks family to the chimney sweeps and more, there's a lot to sort out. Herro noted that she has seven children, so multitasking is not a problem for her, but with a group of children nine times the size of her family, she admitted wrangling the entire cast is not something she can do alone.

The show follows the Banks family, especially the children, Jane and Michael, as they have sent previous nannies packing by being unpleasant little urchins. That changes when Mary Poppins flies in. She



George Banks, played by Jameson Byars, gets a hug from his children, Michael, played by Theo Schwahn, and Jane, played by Abby Watabanjongkul, before they go to bed in a second-act scene of "Mary Poppins." The Wolf River Homeschoolers are performing this show for free later this month.

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AT A GLANCE

WHAT: "Mary Poppins," performed by the Wolf River Homeschoolers Performing Arts
WHEN: 7 p.m. March 19-20, 6 p.m. March 21 and 2 p.m. March 22

WHERE: Clintonville High School, 64 W. Green Tree Road, Clintonville

ADMISSION: Free, although donations will be accepted to offset production costs.

teaches not only the children but also the parents and others around them about the importance of valuing each other and having faith in themselves.

The homeschoolers are using the Broadway version of "Mary Poppins," which interweaves the original books by

P.L. Travers with elements from the Disney film in a way that sets it apart from the classic film that has enchanted generations of children. Herro said she likes how the musical honors both versions but still makes it something different that stands alone.

"Our society exists because you have a mother and a father and children," Herro said. "It's the same story over and over again. You want love. You want to be loved. You want your parents' acceptance. You want to grow. Then, we also see and hear that grown-ups have problems, too. It's not just the kids that have problems; it's the grown-ups, too."

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Bee-friendly shrubs boost beauty of landscape

Plant a variety of bee-friendly shrubs and enjoy year-round beauty and loads of pollinator appeal. Include a mix of spring, summer and fall bloomers, providing nectar and pollen for visiting bees throughout the season. Selecting bee-friendly shrubs suited to the growing conditions and the available space also boosts your landscape's beauty and reduces maintenance.

Start the season off with dwarf fothergilla (Fothergilla gardenia). Its honey scented white flowers first appear before the leaves, offering food to early foraging bees and other pollinators. The blue-green leaves turn shades of red, orange and yellow in the fall.

Include black (Aronia melanocarpa) and red chokeberries (Aronia arbutifolia) with white flowers in spring, great fall color and the black or red fruit that persists into winter. These plants tolerate some shade, wet and occasionally dry soil.

Grow the native ninebark (Physocarpus opulifolius) in those sunny, well-drained locations. This durable drought-tolerant shrub also tolerates occasionally wet soil. White flowers with a pinkish tinge appear in late spring, and the rugged exfoliating bark adds texture to the winter landscape.

If you are dealing with black walnut toxicity and dry locations, consider planting New Jersey Tea (Ceanothus americanus). This North American native shrub is deer-resistant and prefers full-sun and well-drained soil. White flowers appear in summer that not only support bees and other pollinators, but this plant is also a host for several butterflies.

Your garden will be abuzz with bee activity when growing Kalm's St. John's Wort (Hypericum kalmianum). This small shrub is covered with bright yellow flowers in mid-summer. Grow this drought-tolerant shrub in full to part sun and well-drained soil.

For moist to wet locations, consider Buttonbush (Cephalanthus occidentalis). Its round white flowers appear mid-summer, inviting a variety of pollinators to the garden.

Summersweet (Clethra alnifolia) and Virginia sweetspire (Itea virginica) are two more summer-blooming shrubs that are shade and moist to wet soil tolerant. Look for varieties of these deer-resistant shrubs that fit your available space and garden design.

For dry shade, consider dwarf bush

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Kalm's St. John's Wort is a bee-friendly shrub.

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Shazz festival at Shawano High in its 16th year

The 16th annual Shazz Festival, a day-long celebration of music, mentorship and performance, will take place March 14 at Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B, Shawano.

This year's festival highlights the contributions of women in jazz, featuring three renowned members of the Diva Jazz Orchestra: Sherrie Maricle, Leigh Pilzer and Jen Krupa.

High school and middle school jazz bands from across Wisconsin and Michigan will gather to perform, learn and compete in an environment designed to inspire musical excellence and collaboration. Throughout the day, student ensembles will participate in sectionals and receive instrument-specific instruction from experienced clinicians.

Each band will perform for adjudicators between 8 a.m. and 1 p.m., receiving feedback and guidance before competing

for awards by category. In addition, the festival offers a master class led by the guest artists, providing hands-on learning opportunities for students, directors and community members alike.

Student performances and the master class are free.

The celebration culminates in the finale concert at 4:30 p.m. The performance will feature Maricle, Pilzer and Krupa alongside the festival's own All-Star Band. The concert also includes the festival's awards ceremony, recognizing outstanding student musicians and ensembles from throughout the day.

Shazz serves not only as a celebration of artistry, but as a platform for growth, collaboration and lifelong learning, according to a press release.

Finale tickets are available for \$15 at <https://shawanotheater.ludus.com> or at the door.



The Shawano Community High School jazz band, shown in 2023, will be the host band for the 16th annual Shazz Festival, which takes place March 14. FILE | NEW MEDIA

Writing tends to be better when it's original

In a recent column, I mentioned a film, "Finding Forrester" starring Sean Connery. A gifted actor, Connery is best known for his depiction of "Bond, James Bond" in a blockbuster series of iconic suspense movies.

While doing Christmas cleaning, I ran across my DVD of the film, which I consider his best work.

As I previously wrote, the plot revolves around William Forrester, an aging author who forms an unexpected attachment to Jamal, a teen who is determined to become a successful writer himself.

I watched the film again, stopping to rewind and rewatch my favorite scene. It's the one where Jamal asks William to explain how he goes about his craft. The old man's response: "No thinking; that comes later. You write your first draft with your heart. You rewrite with your head. The key to writing is to write, not to think."

I smile with satisfaction



KATHLEEN MARSH
COLUMNIST

because I used that same method when teaching middle and high school kids. It worked, especially for teen boys who found putting their thoughts on paper very difficult.

Sadly, most English teachers don't teach writing today. It's tough duty, and taking all those paragraphs, essays, term papers, poems and short stories home for evaluation is a monumental task. Now teachers must reckon with written assignments done using ChatGPT.

This "shortcut" may not be plagiarism, but isn't it at least cheating light? Sure, there's software a teacher can use to detect work that has been generated with AI, but imagine the time it takes to grade 135 assignments, much less put them through the detection process.

I do understand the temptation for students, but it doesn't take an English degree to tell when a piece is not self-created. Case in point: I recently

evaluated essays written by high school juniors who wanted to be chosen for a special award. Of the four submissions, two were too "perfect." Out of curiosity, I used the appropriate software to check.

Bingo. Their submissions were indeed too good to be true, or truly their own work. What to do? Choose the ones whose work was original or the ones who used available technology to submit a polished, professional piece? I will leave it up to you to guess which ones made the cut.

I honestly get why this happens. Kids are expected to produce quality work, often without being given a process to accomplish it. I know the hardest part is getting started. I found that, if I got them going before the class ended, they would produce something. Some would wail, "But I don't have anything to write about!" I taught them to begin with writing from the heart, a process called stream-of-consciousness or freewriting.

In this method, you write down whatever you're thinking, basically dumping your thoughts

onto the page. One example I recall is Stan, who started with this: "I hate this class & I hate Mizz Marsh. She makes us do this stupid writing. I hate writing! Its dumb. I wood rather hang out with Willie cuz we play vidyo games and eat Doritos which my mom won't buy. Scott's cool. I'm knowhere near as smart or poplar!!!"

Stan went on to describe his friend with sharp imagery and self-deprecating humor. When he finally came up for air, he was shocked to see he had filled two whole pages. Yes, his piece was filled with errors in spelling, punctuation, grammar and sentence structure. It needed extensive editing, but he had something to edit, which was the whole point. I helped him perfect his piece, which he presented to Willie as a birthday gift.

There are a lot of Kaukauna people who have strong ties to Townsend, and I run into former students on a regular basis. Almost all of them recognize me, which is nice, especially when they tell me I haven't changed a bit. Either I looked very old when

I was young, or they are being ever so nice.

Problem is, in 35 years, I had thousands of students, some for only nine weeks, so I may not recognize them. Plus, the guys have more tummy and less hair. The girls have different hair styles, wisdom lines and many have put on a few pounds. I used to pretend, but I've learned to apologize and ask for a name. As soon as they tell me, I remember every single one of them.

I love hearing about what they did with their lives. With few exceptions, they tell me I made a big difference at a critical time. It warms my heart when they proudly introduce me to spouses, children and, good grief, grandchildren. In some cases, I've waited a very long time for that gesture of affection and appreciation, but that's OK. Better late than never.

Kathleen Marsh is a lifelong educator, writer and community advocate. She has published eight books, four on the history of Townsend, where she and husband Jon are happily retired on the beautiful Townsend Flowage.

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honeysuckle (Diervilla lonicera). This is not one of the invasive honeysuckles but rather a native plant with yellow summer flowers and leaves that turn from yellow to orange and red then purple in fall.

Brighten your late summer and fall landscape with Rose of Sharon (Hibiscus syriacus). This large shrub appeals to several specialized bees, prefers full sun to partial shade and is moderately deer resistant.

Finish off the season with Seven-son flower (Heptacodium miconioides) considered a large shrub or small tree. You and the many visiting pollinators will appreciate the late season fragrant white blossoms. The rosy-purple calyx persists and the attractive exfoliating bark extends its ornamental appeal through winter.

Protect shrubs that are susceptible to animal

damage with an organic repellent like Plantskydd. It is safe for pollinators and rain and snow resistant, which means fewer applications are needed. Apply any repellent you select before animals start feeding and according to label directions for best results.

Adding bee-friendly shrubs is an excellent way to support these important members of our community. Don't stop there. Consider including some pollinator-friendly flowers in your gardens to further extend the bloom time and beauty of your landscape.

Melinda Myers has written more than 20 gardening books, including the "Midwest Gardener's Handbook, 2nd Edition" and "Small Space Gardening." She hosts The Great Courses "How to Grow Anything" streaming courses and the nationally syndicated Melinda's Garden Moment radio program. Her website is www.melindamyers.com.

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People "resonate" to the show, in Herro's view, because it reflects on how adults try to make their way in the world and children get older and realize what it means to be growing up.

"No one gives you a manual when you have kids," she said. "They just give you the kids and say, 'Go home.' We always want to do it the right way and don't want to necessarily repeat the problems of the past. Then we repeat the problems of the past and say, 'Why is this happening again?'"

The show follows the Travers books more closely, with Herro noting that Walt Disney changed things drastically for the film. For example, there is a villain in the show — Miss Andrew, the nanny who takes over after Mary flies away at the end of the first act and



The Birdwoman, played by Emma Bonnin, is out and about to feed the birds in the second act of "Mary Poppins."

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terrorizes the children.

Herro noted that the Disney film showed Mary as a sweet and wonderful nanny, with a little firmness but a lot of kindness. The books had more firmness than sweetness, and

that's what audiences will see in the homeschoolers' musical.

"She's very dictatorial and not very nice at all," Herro said. "We have this dichotomy between the movie version and the stage version."

George Banks, the patriarch, goes through the most change in the musical, Herro noted. He believes everyone should do whatever he says when ever he says it. Then he learns that his children need him to be more than just the strong backbone of the family — someone who also exhibits love.

Shows like "Mary Poppins" help to bring children into the world of theater, with everyone from ages 4-18 bringing the show to life.

"The beautiful thing about having such a wide age range is that you allow the younger kids to be involved," Herro said.

"Usually, they don't get to be involved until way later and they learn how to be on a set, how to care for a set, how all of this kind of comes together."

Involved in theater in college, Herro said that the musicals also give the families a chance to come together and form an even bigger family.

"We're working together very closely to develop something out of nothing, and then you form these amazing friendships, some of which have lasted my entire life," Herro said. "(The homeschoolers) get to form these very close relationships with their friends as they're growing up, and they get to see and they get to learn these timeless tales. We've done 'The Little Mermaid,' 'Chitty Chitty Bang Bang' and now we're doing 'Mary Poppins.'"

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Words matter at TCU's language summit

The sentiment in Omaha, Nebraska, last month, was one of reciprocity.

The Gate-City of the West hosted the 2026 American Indian Higher Education Consortium's fourth annual Tribal College Native Languages Summit, enabling teachers and advocates from across Turtle Island to share and learn from one another.

Under the theme "From the Elder's Voice to the Young at Heart: Living Our Language into the Future," the event sought to foster a dialogue around key issues facing Tribal Colleges and Universities language programs. Attendees were treated to 17 presentations from a diverse collection of speakers, covering issues from building a curriculum, to working with archives, to protecting Native nations' intellectual sovereignty.

The presenters showcased some of the ways communities are working to preserve, revitalize, and even normalize the use of the traditional languages of America's first citizens. This is not to say that the presenters were all in agreement. Opinions varied on topics including the order in which components of language acquisition should be taught, as well what role the use

of technology, including generative artificial intelligence, should play in language perpetuation.

The conference also corrected some misconceptions, including the pronunciation of the nation whose ancestral land we gathered upon. As tribal member Rudi Mitchell shared in his opening remarks, his people should be addressed as the "Oh-mah-ha" and not the Americanized "Oh-muh-ha."

As a seasoned College of Menominee Nation faculty member, I've long known that I should think of myself as what Menominee elder and teacher John Teller Sr. refers to as "a conduit of language and culture." As such, I attended the conference to fortify my own efforts as a language ally, and I soon found my notebook filled with truisms that confirmed my belief in the necessity of language accusation.

Navajo tribal member Jolyana Begay-Kroupa shared that "Language loss is about losing a worldview. It's about losing a connection to our ancestors who have sustained us for centuries."

"Education becomes powerful when it reflects the students that it serves," Begay-Kroupa added.

Aaniiih and Nakoda language teacher Michael Turcotte shared some of Life's Language Lodge's success on the Fort Belknap Reservation in Montana, saying, "There's no harder work in Indian Country than language work."

"The creator gave us these languages," said Lani Moran-Samqua, an archiving assistant at Nebraska Indian Community College. "He hears it and he says, that's my Omaha people. Our language is what makes us us."

Oglala Lakota College's Lakota Studies chair, Alex Fire Thunder, shared some powerful points about the imposition of English. He discussed the boarding schools' efforts to erase culture, as well as how the introduction of radios and televisions into tribal homes helped to hasten the shift away from traditional language usage. Yet, Fire Thunder asserted the path forward must be linguistically specific.

"An elder said we don't need to 'update,' we need to 'transform' how we teach the language. Words are powerful, even in English, and we need to recognize that," Fire Thunder said.

He also noted that many reductive voices come from those not working in the field, wryly stating, "A lot of arguments about Native languages happen in English."

American Indian



Samson Falcon, left, illustrates his point about the Hoocak curriculum while Jessi Falcon looks on from the podium.

RYAN WINN

College Fund Transfer and Program Admissions Administrator Nicolette Weston affirmed the role of TCUs in language work.

"Tribal colleges are becoming a place in our communities to learn your culture, to learn your language," she said.

Ho-Chunk tribal members Jessi and Samson Falcon discussed their work for Hoocak Waazijja Hacı Language Division and Curriculum in Black River Falls, encouraging partnerships and collaborations. The husband-and-wife team shared that their daughter was raised as a Ho-Chunk first language speaker, eventually learning to speak English with a Ho-Chunk dialect.

CMN's registrar and adjunct Menominee language teacher, Richard Oshkeshequoam attended the summit alongside me, and the Falcons' points are the ones that most resonated with him.

"Jessi Falcon shared resources about how she approached proficiency and language acquisition to teach the Ho-Chunk language in her area schools," Oshkeshequoam said. "The classes were designed for the high school students to gain credit for an undergraduate degree, but she stressed the current efforts in implementing her courses in the local universities. It's inspiring to hear about what other nations are doing."

Considering the messages of gratitude shared by conference attendees throughout the submit, Oshkeshequoam's words reflected those of the collective, as the 2026 TCU Native Languages Summit was a gathering embodying linguistic reciprocity. Ryan Winn, Ph.D., teaches communications, English, history and theater at the College of Menominee Nation. Visit www.menominee.edu for more information about the school.

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WHAT'S HAPPENING

FRIDAY, MARCH 13

SHAWANO: Sacred Heart Rumage Sale, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sacred Heart Catholic School, 124 E. Center St.

KESHENA: Winter Farmers Market, 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., College of Menominee Nation Cultural Learning Center, N172 State Highway 47-55. Presented by CMN Sustainable Development Institute. Local vendors, healthy food, artisan crafts and more.

OCONTO: Storytime, 10:30 a.m., Farnsworth Public Library, 715 Main St. Story and crafts for preschool children. A caregiver must stay with the child.

SURING: Recovery Talking Circle, 6-8 p.m. South Branch Community Center, W1281 County Road M.

SATURDAY, MARCH 14

OCONTO FALLS: Spring Vendor Show, 8-11 a.m., Milk and Honey Cafe, 323 Highland Drive.

SHAWANO: Sacred Heart Rumage Sale, 8:30 a.m. to noon Sacred Heart Catholic School, 124 E. Center St.

SHAWANO: Zurko's Indoor Flea Market, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Shawano Community Hall, 115 E. Division St. Free admission.

SHAWANO: Cabin Fever Craft Fair, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Shawano Civic Center, 225 S. Main St.

SHAWANO: Mooseyard St. Patrick's Day Celebration, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Parade from Shawano Lake Golf Course to South North Bay Circle 11 a.m., awards presented 3 p.m. at golf course. Mooseyard bus runs 1-10 p.m.

between Coachlight, Golfside, Shawano Lake Golf Course, Big Time, Classics, Higher Wire and Brothers Pub.

TOWNSEND: Third annual Polar Plunge, 1 p.m., Little Topsy, 17875 State Highway 32. Registration begins at noon. Proceeds benefit Lakewood/Townsend Ambulance Services. Entry fee \$20, 50/50 raffle, costume contest, UJ the DJ.

OCONTO: Wedding Showcase, 2 p.m., Room 902, 902 Main St. Free to attend; VIP Experience \$15.

BARTELMME: Hairball, 8 p.m., North Star Casino Resort, W12180 County Road A. "The Bombastic Celebration of Arena Rock." Ticket information at <https://ticketstar.venue.net/events/MNS>.

SUNDAY, MARCH 15

SHAWANO: Porkie Pancake Breakfast, 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Sacred Heart Catholic School, 124 E. Center St. Hosted by Knights of Columbus. Adults \$8, Children 6-12 \$4, younger than 6 free.

TUESDAY, MARCH 17

OCONTO: Small Group Bible Study, 6-8 p.m., The Good Place Bowling Center, 1128 Main St. For information, call 920-516-7390.

KESHENA: Recovery talking circle, 6-8 p.m. Omaeqnomenewak Wethohkatikamek Center, 2700 Mi-anaceqtawak Road. Information: Mindy Thunder at 715-799-3835 or mthunder@mitw.org.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

SHAWANO: Discover the Power of Nutrition, 10-11:30 a.m., Shawano Civic Center, 225 S. Main St.

Free statewide virtual presentation hosted by Aging and Disability Resource Center of the Wolf River Region.

NAVARINO: Storytime, 10-11:30 a.m., Navarino Nature Center, W5646 Lindsten Road. Topic: Leprechauns. Admission \$3.

SHAWANO: Adult Open Swim, 4-7 p.m., Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B. \$3 at the door. Lap swim lanes and water walking available. Age 16 and older; no registration needed. Entry not permitted after 6:30 p.m.

KESHENA: Recovery talking circle, 6-8 p.m. Omaeqnomenewak Wethohkatikamek Center, 2700 Mi-anaceqtawak Road. Information: Mindy Thunder at 715-799-3835 or mthunder@mitw.org.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19

SHAWANO: God's Little Wonders: Parent/Tot Hour, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Zion Lutheran Church, 1254 S. Union St. Hands-on activities and crafts, songs and stories, faith nurturing.

OCONTO: Thursday Play Group, 10:30 a.m. to noon, Farnsworth Public Library, 715 Main St. Meant for children to play and interact with other children at the library. A caregiver must stay with the child.

OCONTO: Second Thursday Book Club, 2 p.m., Farnsworth Public Library, 715 Main St. Open discussion of interesting books with no assigned reading.

OCONTO: Faithful Readers Community Bible Study, 2:30 p.m., Farnsworth Public Library, 715 Main St. Multidenominational

study of the book of Genesis. For information, call/text Steve at 920-360-0883.

CLINTONVILLE: "Mary Poppins," 6 p.m., Clintonville High School, 64 W. Green Tree Road. Presented by Wolf River Homeschoolers Performing Arts. Admission free; donations accepted.

BOWLER: Native American Talking Circle, 7-9 p.m., Mohican Family Center, N8605 Oak St. Information: Yvonne Burr, 715-326-0891.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20

OCONTO: Storytime, 10:30 a.m., Farnsworth Public Library, 715 Main St. Story and crafts for preschool children. A caregiver must stay with the child.

WITTENBERG: Murder Mystery Dinner Theater, 6 p.m., WOW-SPACE, 114 Vinal St. Crossroads Community Theatre presents "Eat, Drink and Be Murdered (An Irish Family Feud)." Dinner catered by Hidden Valley Supper Club. Doors open 5:30 p.m. Advance tickets only, available at Wittenberg Sentry Foods, Wittenberg or call 715-253-3525.

CLINTONVILLE: "Mary Poppins," 6 p.m., Clintonville High School, 64 W. Green Tree Road. Presented by Wolf River Homeschoolers Performing Arts. Admission free; donations accepted.

OCONTO: Dukes and Darlings, 6-8 p.m., Room 902, 902 Main St. Black-tie event for fathers and daughters. Tickets \$52.81 available through eventbrite.com. Details at Room 902 Facebook page.

SURING: Recovery Talking Circle,

6-8 p.m. South Branch Community Center, W1281 County Road M.

SATURDAY, MARCH 21

MOUNTAIN: Maple Sugar Festival, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., 14000 Bear Paw Camp Lane. Details at Bear Paw Maple Syrup page on Facebook.

SHAWANO: Cooking School and Expo, 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Shawano Community High School, 220 County Road B. Shawano Flavorfest. Vendor fair and open house 9 a.m. to noon; cooking school 12:30-2:30 p.m., Amish haystack meal 3-5 p.m. Must pre-register, no walk-ins, registration fee \$15. Call 715-526-2192, ext. 3202.

NAVARINO: Willow Trellis Workshop, 9 a.m. to noon, Navarino Nature Center, W5646 Lindsten Road. Make your own willow trellis with real willow harvested from the wildlife area. Registration fee \$50, space limited to 10 people, call 715-758-6999.

SHAWANO: Zurko's Indoor Flea Market, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Shawano Community Hall, 115 E. Division St. Free admission.

BONDUEL: Meat raffle for Mit Libe German Shepherd Dog Rescue, noon, Lumberyard Bar and Grill, 815 North St.

NAVARINO: Piece Out Fundraiser, 2-4 p.m., Navarino Nature Center, W5646 Lindsten Road. Teams of four compete to finish a 500-piece puzzle in the shortest amount of time. Light refreshments and snacks, limited to first 16 teams to register for \$50 at 715-758-6999. Prizes donated by Ravensburger and Gnome Games.

3/6/26 and 3/13/26

NOTICE OF UNREDEEMED 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022 SHAWANO COUNTY TAX CERTIFICATES
FOLLOWING LANDS TO BE REDEEMED ON OR BEFORE SEPTEMBER 30, 2026
IF NOT REDEEMED THEY WILL BE CONVEYED TO SHAWANO COUNTY

Description	Owners	Ctf. No.	Year Sold	Tax Year	Amount of Tax	Interest to 9/30/2026	Charges	Total
TOWN OF ALMON								
E 208.7' OF W 708.7' OF S 208. 7' SW 1/4 SW 1/4 EX E 104. 354' OF S 100' SEC 10 T28N R12E PARCEL #002-10330-0020	PAMELA KAY JONES	13,391	2023	2022	268.72	118.24	250.00	1,310.12
N 363' OF E 247.5' OF SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SEC 22 T28N R12E N8397 REGINA RD-REGINA CEMETERY PARCEL #002-22140-0010	BETHANY A SCHMUDE	13401	2023	2022	4,707.99	1,504.01	250.00	6,462.00
TOWN OF ANGELICA								
NW 1/4 SW 1/4 N 441.92' OF W 441.92' SEC 11 T26N R18E PARCEL #004-11320-0010	WILLIE E LANGE ANGELA LANGE	13451	2023	2022	1,771.70	502.16	250.00	2,523.86
TOWN OF ANIWA								
W 428' OF N 278' OF S.E.1/4 S.W.1/4 SEC.19 T.29 R.11 E PARCEL #006-19340-0010	MARK A LOW	13474	2023	2022	3,098.68	976.95	250.00	4,325.63
S.W.1/4 S.W.1/4 SEC.25 T.29 R.11 E. PARCEL #006-25330-0000	PATSY C PINGEL	13463	2023	2022	2,420.38	760.52	250.00	3,430.90
S.W.1/4 S.E.1/4 SEC.26 T.29 R.11 E. PARCEL #006-26430-0000	PATSY C PINGEL	13476	2023	2022	2,301.84	722.89	250.00	3,274.73
S.E.1/4 S.E.1/4 EX E 209' OF N 418' SEC.26 T.29 R.11 E. PARCEL #006-26440-0010	PATSY C PINGEL	13477	2023	2022	3,342.60	1,039.25	250.00	4,631.85
PRT OF NW 1/4 NE 1/4 & PRT OF NE 1/4 NW 1/4 KNOWN AS LOT 1 CSM V15 P190 MAP #3577 SEC 30 T29N R11E PARCEL #006-30210-0010	SHIRLEY NIEMUTH	13478	2023	2022	383.48	168.73	250.00	802.21
N.W.1/4 N.E.1/4 SEC.35 T.29 R.11 E PARCEL #006-35120-0000	PATSY C PINGEL	13480	2023	2022	837.81	368.64	250.00	1,456.45
N.W.1/4 S.E.1/4 SEC.35 T.29 R.11 E PARCEL #006-35420-0000	WILLIAM J PINGEL JR	13469	2023	2022	721.22	317.34	250.00	1,288.56
S.W.1/4 S.E.1/4 SEC.35 T.29 R.11 E PARCEL #006-35430-0000	WILLIAM J PINGEL JR	13481	2023	2022	557.40	245.26	250.00	1,052.66
N.W.1/4 N.E.1/4 SEC.36 T.29 R.11 E PARCEL #006-36120-0000	PATSY C PINGEL	13482	2023	2022	740.19	325.68	250.00	1,315.87
TOWN OF BELLE PLAINE								
PRT OF GOVT LOT 2 SEC 33 T26N R15E LOT 1 CSM V1 P169 MAP #166 TH PRT DES V490 P148 PARCEL #010-33120-0140	VINCENT MCGINN RITA MCGINN	13543	2023	2022	19.40	8.54	250.00	277.94
COM 610.4'E & 6.55'S OF NW COR GOVT LOT 2 TH S 46DEG RT ALG HWY 300'TH 17DEG 30' RT 60' HERE IS BEG TH 90DEG RT TO LAKE TH NW ALG LAKE 45'TH NE TO BEG (LOT 17) SEC 33 T26N R15E PARCEL #010-33120-0300	FRANZ MAURER DONNA Maurer	13500	2023	2022	2,161.44	951.03	250.00	3,362.47
TOWN OF FAIRBANKS								
S.W.1/4 S.W.1/4 KNOWN AS LOT 1 CERT SUR REC V.16 P.156 MAP #3733 SEC.24 T.26N R.12E PARCEL #014-24330-0000	JAMES ASHENBRENNER BRENDA ASHENBRENNER	13616	2023	2022	1,041.73	458.36	250.00	1,750.09
COM SW COR NE 1/4 SE 1/4 TH E 12' TH TO PT 12' N OF BEG TH S TO BEG SEC 5 T26N R12E PARCEL #014-05410-0010	EMIL KASSUBE	8613	2019	2018	1.90	1.75	250.00	253.65
TOWN OF GERMANIA								
NW 1/4 FRAC NW 1/4 SEC 4 T26N R11E PARCEL #016-04220-0000	LYN R WOLFF	13622	2023	2022	1,668.95	361.55	250.00	2,280.50
TOWN OF GRANT								
S 1/2 OF E 1/2 OF SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SEC 7 T26N R13E ACREAGE PER PLAT OF SURVEY PARCEL #018-07430-0020	CRAIG R ARMOUR	13644	2023	2022	5.58	2.46	250.00	258.04
NE 1/4 NE 1/4 SEC 18 T26N R13E PARCEL #018-18110-0000	CRAIG R ARMOUR	13647	2023	2022	8.55	3.76	250.00	262.31
N 1/2 OF E 1/2 OF SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SEC 7 T26N R13E ACREAGE PER PLAT OF SURVEY PARCEL #018-07430-0000	CRAIG R ARMOUR	13630	2023	2022	5.68	2.50	250.00	258.18
ASSESSORS PLAT WEST MIDDLE BRANCH VALLEY PRT W 1/2 NE 1/4 SEC 9 T26N R13E LOT 3 AND LOT 17 PARCEL #018-65300-0130	CARL BESSETTE CASIE BESSETTE	13659	2023	2022	546.45	240.44	250.00	1,036.89
SE 1/4 NE 1/4 EX HWY EX THAT PRT DES IN DOC #671688 SEC 34 T26N R13E NKA LOT 1 V20 CSM P262 MAP #4134 PARCEL #018-34140-0000	JOHN GRUNEWALD	13661	2023	2022	1,268.38	558.09	250.00	2,076.47
TOWN OF GREEN VALLEY								
COM AT PT 175'W OF NW COR LOT 7 BLK 2 ISSACSONS ADD VIL OF GREEN VALLEY TH 95'W 125'S TH 95'E TH N TO POB PRT OF NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SEC 25 T27N R18E PARCEL #020-25220-0050	ANN ANDREWS	13695	2023	2022	767.45	337.68	250.00	1,355.13
PRT OF S 1/2 OF S.W.1/4 WAS LOT 2 V5 P267 CSM #1452 SEC 24 T27N R18E & LOT 1 V7 P7 CSM #1873 NKA LOT 2 V18 P37 CSM #3906 PARCEL #020-24340-0020	ARTHUR E OTTO C/O JOE & CLANCY ANDRUS	13673	2023	2022	126.46	55.64	250.00	432.10
PRT OF S 1/2 OF SW 1/4 WAS LOT 2 V5 P267 CSM #1452 SEC 24 T27N R18E & LOT 1 V7 P7 CSM #1873 NKA LOT 1 V18 P37 CSM #3906 NS756 CO-OP AVE-SHOP/HOUSE PARCEL #020-24340-0010	ARTHUR E OTTO C/O JOE & CLANCY ANDRUS	13693	2023	2022	974.80	428.91	250.00	1,653.71
TOWN OF HERMAN								
VIL. OF LYNDHURST SEC 4 T27N R14E LOT 7 BLK.8 & ALL OF VACATED SHAWANO STREET ADJACENT TO LOT 7 PARCEL #024-65150-0540	IRA R HARRISON SKY R HARRISON	13764	2023	2022	173.95	76.54	250.00	500.49
TOWN OF HUTCHINS								
S 330' OF S.W.1/4 N.E.1/4 SEC.2 T.29 R.12 E. PARCEL #026-02130-0030	STEVEN J MAUS MARGARET RAGETH	13779	2023	2022	835.07	367.43	250.00	1,452.50

PRT OF SE 1/4 NW 1/4 DES V523 P76 SEC 21 T29N R12E PARCEL #026-21240-0030	JUDY VERSTOPPEN	13782	2023	2022	1,059.94	466.37	250.00	1,776.31
S 665' OF W 660' OF TH N.W.1/4 N.W.1/4 SEC.32 T.29N R.12 E, PARCEL #026-32220-0010	BARBARA H HAMMONS	13786	2023	2022	1,285.04	565.42	250.00	2,100.46
TOWN OF MAPLE GROVE								
SE 1/4 SE 1/4 EX COM NW COR SD40 TH E 20'TH SWLY TO PT 20'S OF BEG TH N20'TO POB HWY 29 EX V788 P461 & EX CERT SUR REC V4 P79 SEC 23 T25N R18E PARCEL #030-23440-0000	RANDAL J GRACYALNY KIM M GRACYALNY MARGARET GRACYALNY, VENDOR	13836	2023	2022	364.33	160.31	250.00	774.64
SW 1/4 NE 1/4 EX RD DES V363 P605 & V788 P461 SEC 25 T25N R18E PARCEL #030-25130-0000	RANDAL J GRACYALNY KIM M GRACYALNY MARGARET GRACYALNY, VENDOR	13820	2023	2022	126.97	55.87	250.00	432.84
SE 1/4 NW 1/4 EX RD DES V363 P605 & V788 P461 SEC 25 T25N R18E PARCEL #030-25240-0000	RANDAL J GRACYALNY KIM M GRACYALNY MARGARET GRACYALNY, VENDOR	13821	2023	2022	2,966.14	1,305.11	250.00	4,521.25
PRT OF THE SW 1/4 SE 1/4 THE N 28 1/4' OF E 28 1/4' SEC 26 T25N R18E (PARCEL IS A TRIANGLE) PARCEL #030-26430-0010	RAYMOND KRAUTKRAMER	3402	2015	2014	1.71	2.39	250.00	254.10
TOWN OF MORRIS								
NW 1/4 FRAC NE 1/4 COM NE COR SD 40 TH S 1270.83' TH W 1320.84' TH N 1270.72' TH E TO POB & S 50' DES DOC. 707256 EX THE E 50.01' DES DOC #707257 SEC 6 T27N R12E PARCEL #032-06120-0000	PETER KLINNER	13855	2023	2022	2,775.42	1,221.18	250.00	4,246.60
SE 1/4 SW 1/4 EX THE E 305' OF N 128' EX HWY DOC #722198 SEC 12 T27N R12E PARCEL #032-12340-0010	DION WAHL RYAN ZANDER	13869	2023	2022	1,675.16	737.07	250.00	2,662.23
TOWN OF PELLA								
NW 1/4 NE 1/4 SEC 28 T26N R14E PARCEL #036-28120-0000	DENNIS L WESTPHAL MATTHEW WESTPHAL	13884	2023	2022	701.29	308.57	250.00	1,259.86
N 1/2 OF SW 1/4 NE 1/4 SEC 28 T26N R14E PARCEL #036-28130-0000	DENNIS L WESTPHAL MATTHEW WESTPHAL	13895	2023	2022	339.20	149.25	250.00	738.45
NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SEC 28 T26N R14E PARCEL #036-28330-0000	DENNIS L WESTPHAL SHARYL WESTPHAL	13896	2023	2022	197.66	86.97	250.00	534.63
PRT W 1/2 OF NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SEC 28 T26N R14E NKA LOT 2 V23 CSM P227 MAP #4367 PARCEL #036-28320-0020	DENNIS L WESTPHAL SHARYL WESTPHAL	13897	2023	2022	5.80	2.55	250.00	258.35
N 1/2 OF SE 1/4 NW 1/4 EX W 660' OF N 330'S EC 28 T26N R14E PARCEL #036-28240-0000	DENNIS L WESTPHAL SHARYL WESTPHAL	13885	2023	2022	60.86	26.78	250.00	337.64
TOWN OF RED SPRINGS								
W 6 ACRES OF SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SEC 9 T28N R14E AND W10988 LITTLE ROAD PARCEL #038-09140-0020	RHONDA S MADOSH	13898	2023	2022	1,909.76	840.29	250.00	3,000.05
E 1/2 OF SE 1/4 NE 1/4 EX E 33 RDS & EX E 5'4 IN OF S 396' SEC 14 T28N R14E PARCEL #038-14140-0060	UNITED STATE OF AMERICA IN TRUST DOUGLAS MILLER RICHENDA MILLER	13901	2023	2022	5.00	2.20	250.00	257.20
TOWN OF SENECA								
SE 1/4 SE 1/4 SEC 16 T27N R13E NKA LOT 2 V18 P248 CSM #3973 PARCEL #042-16440-0000	LYNN M KERSTEN	13982	2023	2022	1,411.03	620.85	250.00	2,281.88
SE 1/4 NW 1/4 SEC 21 T27N R13E PARCEL #042-21240-0000	LYNN M KERSTEN	13983	2023	2022	637.71	280.59	250.00	1,168.30
PRT NE 1/4 NW 1/4 SEC 21 T27N R13E WAS LOT 1 V24 CSM P131 MAP #4415 NKA OUTLOT 1 V25 CSM P222 MAP #4516 PARCEL #042-21210-0030	LYNN M KERSTEN	13976	2023	2022	57.70	25.39	250.00	333.09
TOWN OF WASHINGTON								
HIDDEN PINES PART N.E.1/4 S.W.1/4 & FRAC N.W.1/4 S.W 1/4 SEC.6 T.27 R.17 E. LOT 13 PARCEL #044-60150-0120	STEVEN J MATEKEL	14052	2023	2022	774.41	340.74	250.00	1,365.15
TOWN OF WAUKECHON								
GOVT LOT 7 SEC 32 T26N R16E PARCEL #046-32320-0010	ROBERT SEMPLE MARY SEMPLE ET AL.	9256	2019	2018	10.95	10.07	250.00	271.02
TOWN OF WESCOTT								
E 260' OF W 410' OF S 410' OF S.E.1/4 S.E.1/4 SEC.8 T.27 R.16 E. PARCEL #048-08440-0080	RANDALL J NELSON	12947	2022	2021	1,248.55	699.19	250.00	2,197.74
COM NW COR N.W.1/4 N.W.1/4 TH S ALG SEC LN 285'TO POB TH CONT SD LN85'S TH E TO E BDY NW-NW-NW TH N 21'TH N85 DEG44'W TO POB S.30T.27R.16 PARCEL #048-30220-0040	DR R C SAMANTA ROY INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, INCORPORATED	14155	2023	2022	2,281.92	1,004.04	250.00	3,535.96
N 140' OF S 290' N.W.1/4 N.W. 1/4 N.W.1/4 & TH PRT DES V. 664 P.739 SEC.30 T.27 R.16 E. PARCEL #048-30220-0050	DR R C SAMANTA ROY INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, INCORPORATED	14156	2023	2022	6,070.25	2,670.91	250.00	8,991.16
S 150' OF N.W.1/4 N.W.1/4 N. W.1/4 EX PRT DES V.664 P. 739 SEC.30 T.27 R.16 E. AND N5654 ST 47-55 HWY PARCEL #048-30220-0060	MIDWEST PROPERTIES OF SHAWANO LLC	14102	2023	2022	3,732.77	1,642.42	250.00	5,625.19
ACHTEN'S FIRST ADDITION TO SUNSET VIEW SEC 24 T27N R15E LOT 7 BLK 3 PARCEL #048-40100-0060	BEIT MAMTAKIM CORPORATION OF USA INCORPORATED	14105	2023	2022	5,522.42	2,429.86	250.00	8,202.28
WESCOTT ACRES PRT OF N FRAC 1/2 OF NE 1/4 DES V421 P109 SEC 1 T27N R16E LOT 3 PARCEL #048-85150-0020	JEFFREY P ZEISE AMBER R SCHULTZ	14132	2023	2022	736.40	324.02	250.00	1,310.42
COZY OAKS III PRT FRAC NE-NE & SE-NE & NE-SE SEC 2 T27N R16E LOT 120	CHERYL A MEYER	14108	2023	2022	95.63	42.08	250.00	387.71

PARCEL #048-45220-0380								
LAKEWOOD ESTATES PLAT PART S.W.1/4 S.E.1/4 SEC.11 T.27 R.16 E. LOT 3 PARCEL #048-65150-0020	JOHN H BUDISH NORMA BUDISH	14172	2023	2022	254.02	111.77	250.00	615.79
OAKWOOD PARK PRT GOVT LOTS 1 & 2 & NW-SE & NE-SW SEC 1 T27N R16E LOT 7 PARCEL #048-70300-0060	WAYNE W BORSCHJE JR	14117	2023	2022	81.47	35.85	250.00	367.32
OAKWOOD PARK PRT GOVT LOTS 1 & 2 & NW-SE & NE-SW SEC 1 T27N R16E LOT 8 PARCEL #048-70300-0070	WAYNE W BORSCHJE JR	14118	2023	2022	1,257.04	553.10	250.00	2,060.14
WESCOTT WOODLANDS 1ST ADD E 1/2 SE 1/4 V463 P232 SEC 1 T27N R16E LOT 81 PARCEL #048-85210-0480	WAYNE W BORSCHJE JR	14284	2023	2022	102.24	44.99	250.00	397.23
WESCOTT ACRES PRT OF N FRAC 1/2 OF NE 1/4 DES V.427 P2 SEC 1 T27N R16E LOT 17 PARCEL #048-85150-0160	RODNEY A BORKENHAGEN	14133	2023	2022	96.57	42.49	250.00	389.06
WESCOTT ACRES PRT OF N FRAC 1/2 OF NE 1/4 DES V427 P2 SEC 1 T27N R16E LOT 18 PARCEL #048-85150-0170	RODNEY A BORKENHAGEN	14281	2023	2022	96.86	42.62	250.00	389.48
WESCOTT ACRES PRT OF N FRAC 1/2 OF NE 1/4 DES V427 P2 SEC 1 T27N R16E LOT 19 PARCEL #048-85150-0180	RODNEY A BORKENHAGEN	14282	2023	2022	94.17	41.43	250.00	385.60
TOWN OF WITTENBERG								
W 150'OF E 300'OF S 290.39' OF SE 1/4 SW 1/4 SEC 23 T27N R11E PARCEL #050-23340-0020	ROSANN J MULLER	14429	2023	2022	338.38	148.89	250.00	737.27
E 208.71'OF S 208.71'OF S.E.1/4 S.W.1/4 SEC.33 T.27 R.11 E. PARCEL #050-33340-0010	DAVID A FLETCHER LINDA FLETCHER	14404	2023	2022	903.88	397.71	250.00	1,551.59
VILLAGE OF ANIWA								
VIL OF ANIWA PRT OF SE 1/4 SE 1/4 SEC 7 T29N R11E LOT 1 CSM V3 P242 MAP #889 PARCEL #101-07440-0010	STEVEN M MARTYN	14207	2023	2022	589.82	259.52	250.00	1,099.34
VIL OF ANIWA ORIGINAL PLAT LOT 6 BLK 17 PARCEL #101-70100-0590	RONALD K MONTEITH	14206	2023	2022	384.82	142.38	250.00	777.20
VIL OF ANIWA OBERWIESER'S SUB BLK 26 LOT 3 BLK 2 PARCEL #101-70050-0130	TERESA A ADKINS	14208	2023	2022	153.53	67.55	250.00	471.08
VILLAGE OF BONDUEL								
VIL OF BONDUEL WHITNEE WOODS PLAT SEC 8 T26N R17E LOT 7 PARCEL #107-87100-0060	JAMES F HUTTER SUZANNE HUTTER	14193	2023	2022	612.41	269.46	250.00	1,131.87
VILLAGE OF CECIL								
VIL OF CECIL FREEBORNS ADD LOT 6 BLK 1 SEC 20 T27N R17E PARCEL #111-50050-0060	ELLEN S KOEPPEN JORDAN E KOEPPEN	14229	2023	2022	1,881.00	827.64	250.00	2,958.64
VILLAGE OF ELAND								
VIL OF ELAND ORIGINAL PLAT COM NW COR BLK 15 TH SE 200 FT TH NE 70' NW 200' SW 70' TO POB PARCEL #121-70050-0610	RONALD P STEEBBS	14247	2023	2011	216.48	381.00	250.00	847.48
VIL OF ELAND W 132' OF N 363' NE 1/4 NE 1/4 SEC 31 T28N R11E PARCEL #121-31110-0030	JERRY VAN PATTEN KARI VAN PATTEN	14243	2023	2022	474.85	208.93	250.00	933.78
VILLAGE OF GRESHAM								
VILLAGE OF GRESHAM ASSESSOR PLAT PRT NW-SE SEC 3 T27N R14E LOT 4 BLK 24 PARCEL #131-40050-1790	VINCENT D NINHAM	14299	2023	2022	861.96	379.26	250.00	1,491.22
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Ice Bears win back-to-back state titles

Bay Area claims third championship in 4 years

The Bay Area Ice Bears won their second straight state title and third in their last four years, but not before they held off a rally by the St. Croix Fusion, to earn a last-minute 5-4 victory March 7 at the Legacy20 Arena in Middleton.

"First off, St. Croix Fusion, Class A organization, had a heck of a season," Ice Bears head coach Mike Buchan said. "You know, gave us everything that we could handle. They're a great hockey team, well coached and pushed us the whole time. Just hats off to them."

Buchan then turned to his two seniors, Addison Dahl and Faye Brunke.

"They battle, this group, they battled all year," he said. "You know again, it's just the determination of this group, I can't express the words. From our leadership from these two girls right here, from Ava McDonald and Anna Von Haden, our seniors have really driven the bus."

Dahl and Brunke played a part in all five goals as the Ice Bears built a seemingly safe 5-1 lead. Brunke established herself as the most dominant player in state

tournament history with a hat trick and a record 13 goals in eight games. Together with linemates Aisling Buchan, who contributed a goal and three assists and Lily Lyons, two assists, they accounted for four of their five goals. Dahl assisted on the first goal and scored the second goal.

The Fusion comeback began at 11:23 in the third period. The team connected on three goals within four minutes.

The final 47 seconds felt like an eternity for the Ice Bears, as Bay Area kept the puck on the perimeter and ran out the clock.

The win for the Ice Bear family, the first team to play in four straight

championship games, was significant. It is their fourth state title, moving them ahead of the Fusion and one behind the Central Wisconsin Storm at the top with five.

Thursday, March 5 Bay Area 5, Cap City 1

The Bay Area Ice Bears advanced to the state girls hockey championship game with a 5-1 win over the Cap City Cougars.

The girls will try to earn back-to-back titles when they face the St. Croix Valley Fusion at 3 p.m. March 7.

Against the Cougars, the Ice Bears had a 3-0 lead in the second period before Cap City scored its only goal. Bay Area responded with two more goals in the third period

to seal the win.

Piper Losey scored first at 1:44 in the first period with a Jordyn Clarke assist. Aisling Buchan scored at 15:41 with Addison Dahl assisting.

In the second period, Faye Brunke scored unassisted at 3:15.

Leading 3-1 at 16:13 in the third period, Buchan scored her second goal with assists from Lily Lyons and Ava McDonald. Brunke scored her second goal of the game, again unassisted, at 16:51.

Bay Area goalie Reese Spiering made 11 saves, while Cap City's Sofia Martinelli had 35.

Each team had two penalties for four minutes.

The fourth-seeded Cougars include girls from

Sun Prairie West, DeForest, Madison East, Madison La Follette, Sun Prairie East and Waunakee. The co-op qualified for the third straight year and, essentially, for the seventh time with the only difference being the split of Sun Prairie into two schools.

The Cap City Cougars' most notable experience in the former co-op arrangement was a runner-up finish in 2018.

After placing second in the Badger Conference this season, they make their return to state by virtue of a 2-0 shutout over the Beaver Dam co-op in the sectional final hosted at Beaver Dam.

Wisconsin Prep Hockey contributed to this report.

Balanced scoring helps Tigers in opening round

Boys cruise in D5 regional game

By GREG SEUBERT
Correspondent

Following an undefeated regular season and a third straight Central Wisconsin Conference-North championship, the Tigerton boys basketball team turned its attention to the WIAA state tournament.

If an 82-34 opening-round win over Goodman/Pembine is any indication, the Tigers are well on their way to a deep run in the playoffs.

Tigerton hosted the Patriots on March 3 for a Division 5 regional quarterfinal. The Tigers entered the postseason with a No. 1 seed, while Goodman/Pembine received a No. 16 seed.

Tigerton scored 23 of the game's first 25 points and led 50-18 at halftime after connecting on eight 3-pointers, which is the start that coach Dan Hoffa was looking for from his

team.

"We shot the ball really well to start," he said. "They had a plan for James (Brady) from the start, so they were double- and triple-teaming him."

The Patriots held Tigerton's leading scorer during the season to four points in the first half and he finished the game with 10, one of four Tigers to finish in double figures.

"We hit a few outside shots early to loosen up the defense and then we were able to feed him inside a little," Hoffa said. "That's the beauty of our team."

While the Patriots were able to keep Brady in check scoring-wise, they couldn't stop Sam Anheuser, who led all players with 25 points.

Brady Miller and Tanner Dent also finished in double figures for Tigerton with 14 and 12 points, respectively, while Auron



Caleb Dahlstrom plays defense for Tigerton against Goodman/Pembine.

GREG SEUBERT

Garrow led Goodman/Pembine with 11.

Tigerton led by as many as 55 points in the second half, and the game was over in less than an hour after the teams played most of the second half with a running clock.

"Defensively, we played really well, but I know we can play a lot better,"

Hoffa said. "The score doesn't indicate that, but they had a lot of open looks. I told them at halftime, 'If we aren't hitting and they're hitting, this game is completely different.' I wasn't too fond of that and, at times, we just looked sluggish."

"I was able to get some film on them, but you can only learn so much on film than actually seeing them in person: how big they are, how fast they are. You can't see that on film. I'm always nervous as a coach and not having that familiarity, that kind of throws another wrinkle into the whole thing."

The Tigers are one of only three boys teams that made it through the regular season unbeaten, along with defending Division 1 state champion Wisconsin Lutheran and Kewaunee.

While basketball fans know all about Wisconsin Lutheran, which also won the Division 2 state championship in 2023, they don't know about

Tigerton, which is fine with Hoffa.

"I want to kind of fly under the radar," he said. "I don't want that target. I want to be able to sneak up on people. We always preach 1-0, but when these 1-0s keep adding up to 24-0, it's hard to not take notice. People are going to notice, and the publicity starts coming. It's kind of hard to do when you're 24-0, now 25-0."

Winning a third consecutive CWC-North championship was the team's first goal, according to Hoffa.

"That's always a big thing, because you're able to hang another number on the banner, and no one can take that away from you," he said. "Goal No. 2 is to get out of the regional. Honestly, 24-0 was the farthest thing from my mind."

"The last couple of weeks got a little tougher, because all of a sudden, that became a goal. There was a possibility, and we were able to do it."



Tigerton's James Brady grabs a rebound for the Tigers between a pair of Goodman/Pembine players, including Auron Garrow.

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Gavin Kielblock guards a Goodman/Pembine player in the first half of Tigerton's Division 5 regional quarterfinal win over the Patriots.

GREG SEUBERT

Bonduel, Tigerton boys move on to sectionals

By NEW MEDIA STAFF

Saturday, March 7
Bonduel 70, Iola-Scandinavia 65

All five Bonduel starters scored in double digits as the Bears held to defeat Iola-Scandinavia 70-65 and advance to WIAA sectional play.

Bonduel will play against Kewaunee on March 12 at Kaukauna.

Bonduel's 41-32 half-time lead slipped in the second half, as Iola-Scandinavia outscored the Bears 33-29. But, Bonduel stayed strong at the end to earn the win.

Quinn Wesenberg led the team with 17 points. Ryan Westrich and Carter Moesch each scored 16 points. Griffin Uelmen scored 11, and Jack Zernicke added 10.

Tigerton 71, Newman Catholic 57

Tigerton advanced to 27-0 with a regional championship win over Newman Catholic. Tigerton's 71-57 win pushed them into sectional play.

The Tigers will play Wabeno/Laona on March 12 in Antigo.

Freedom 95, Oconto Falls 65

With the exception of the start of the game, Oconto Falls trailed Freedom through the regional title game and came up short 95-65.

James Beaman led the Panthers with 38 points, followed by Brady Bursa and J.J. Pytleski with seven each.

Collin Radtke and Bursa each pulled down seven rebounds, and Beaman had three. Radtke, Bursa and Beaman each had one steal.

Bursa and Pytleski each recorded three assists, and Radtke had one.

Oconto Falls ended the season with an 18-8 record.

Notre Dame 60, Pulaski 47

Pulaski's season ended with a 60-47 loss to Notre Dame in the regional championship game.

The Red Raiders were 11-15 on the season.

Seymour 56, Wittenberg-Birnamwood 35

Wittenberg-Birnamwood suffered through a pair of scoring droughts that led to a 56-35 loss to Seymour for the regional title.

The Chargers went through half of the first half before they finally put points on the board. The last half of the second half was the same as the team was stuck at 35 points.

The Chargers end the season at 19-7.

Friday, March 6
Bonduel 82, Oconto 40

Bonduel improved to 22-3 on the season with a dominating 82-40 win over Oconto in a Division 4 semifinal regional game.

Quinn Wesenberg led the Bears with 33 points, seven rebounds and five assets. Ryan Westrich had 22 points and 12 rebounds.

Jack Zernicke chipped in 10 points.

Bonduel opened up a huge 47-13 lead at the half and cruised to the win.

Tigerton 75, Tri-County 42

Tigerton rolled over Tri-County 75-42 in the Division 5 regional semifinal.

James Brady led the Tigers with 30 points and 14 rebounds.

Sam Anheuser scored 16 points and pulled down seven rebounds while leading the team with eight assists. Izaiah Lederhaus scored 10 points.

Caleb Dahlstrom led Tigerton with five steals.

Tigerton opened up a 42-18 lead at the half.

Oconto Falls 67, Peshtigo 65

James Beaman led the Panthers with 26 points as Oconto Falls held on at the end to defeat Peshtigo 67-65 to advance to the Division 3 regional final.

Oconto Falls held a 36-31 lead at the half, but the Bulldogs stayed tough throughout the second half, making a comeback that came up short at the end.

J.J. Pytleski scored 19 points for the Panthers, and Carson McDermid added 13.

Pytleski led the team with eight rebounds and four steals, while adding one block. Teagan Tate had four rebounds. Beaman pulled down two rebounds, and had one block and a steal.

Brady Bursa dished out five assists, with Pytleski credited with four and McDermid getting three.

Pulaski 73, Sheboygan South 64

The Red Raiders advanced to the Division 2 regional championship game after defeating Sheboygan South 73-64.

Wittenberg-Birnamwood 47, Denmark 38

Zandy Barke led the Chargers with 27 points as Wittenberg-Birnamwood defeated Denmark 47-38 in the Division 3 regional semifinal game.

Logan Gibson and Milo Salvesen each scored six points.

Oliver Fraaza led with 10 rebounds and contributed one steal. Eddie Nowinsky and Kaden Yaeger each had a pair of steals, with Nowinsky pulling down seven rebounds and Yaeger grabbing four.

Nowinsky led with four assists. Fraaza had three, and Barke had one.

Seymour 77, Menominee Nation 36

The Eagles ended their season at 14-12 following a 77-36 loss to Seymour in the Division 3 regional semifinal game.

Seymour opened up a big lead early and never let up, going into the half with a 36-20 advantage and stretching it from there.

Wabeno/Laona 82, Bowler 29

Bowler was no match for Wabeno/Laona in the Division 5 regional semifinal, losing 82-29.

The Panthers season ended with an 11-13 overall record.

BOYS, continued on page 19



Shawano's Leah Nordin and Rice Lake's Adaline Sheplee are ready for the opening tip of the Hawks' season-ending 59-45 loss to the Warriors on March 7.

GREG SEUBERT

Rice Lake girls have Shawano's number

Season ends with 59-45 loss in sectional final

By GREG SEUBERT
Correspondent

Basketball fans in Shawano and Rice Lake got the matchup they wanted for a WIAA Division 2 girls sectional final.

The game, played March 7 in Stevens Point, featured a pair of University of Wisconsin recruits in Shawano's Leah Nordin and Rice Lake's Adaline Sheplee, and for the second season in a row, Sheplee led the Warriors to a trip to state with a win over Nordin and the Hawks.

Sheplee's game-high 23 points and 18 from freshman teammate Brielle Balts helped Rice Lake end Shawano's season with a 59-45 loss.

The Hawks never had the lead and ended their season with an 18-10 record, while the Warriors improved to 25-3 and advanced to state for the second year in a row.

Rice Lake led by as many as 13 points in the first half and took a 36-26 lead into the locker room at halftime.

While Sheplee led the Warriors with 16 points at the break, Shawano didn't have an answer for Balts, who scored 10 straight points for the Warriors with two 3-pointers, a

3-point play and a free throw. She finished the half with 15 points.

Meanwhile, Nordin and Jadyn Brown combined for 24 of the Hawks' 26 points in the first half with 13 and 11, respectively.

Three baskets from Nordin cut Rice Lake's lead to five, four and six points in the second half. Her basket with 10:18 remaining made it 44-40, but Shawano never got any closer.

Her final points of her high school career cut the lead to six, but Shawano didn't score in the game's final five minutes.

"We had the lead late in the game last year," coach Ryan Koenig said. "This year, we closed it to four (points) and just ran out of gas. We made our run, and that was the end of it."

Sheplee and Nordin led their teams in scoring, but neither of them took the game over.

"I think that was the coaches' plan, not to let them go nuts," Koenig said. "We knew they were going to cancel each other out."

"We were worried about (Addison) Schmidt in the middle. We held her to five (points) and wanted to hold her to 10 to 12."

Schmidt, a volleyball and basketball commit to the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, finished with seven points, but also grabbed 19 rebounds.

"The girls did a great job being as physical as they could and boxing out, but she's really tough," Koenig said. "They have two really good studs over there. We battled hard,

but came up a little short."

While the Hawks were able to keep Schmidt in check offensively, they couldn't stop Balts, who finished with four 3-pointers.

"She was their X factor," Koenig said. "Someone like that has to step up in a big game. For us, Jaydn Brown hit a couple shots for us, but we didn't have that other player to have 20 points along with Leah."

Nordin and Brown scored all but nine of the Hawks' points, and Brown finished with 14 to go with Nordin's 22.

"We had to hold them to 45 or 50 and obviously, 59's too much," Koenig said. "That's kind of the way it's been all year."

It was the final high school game for Nordin and seniors Maci Beyer and Anna Dreier.

Nordin will leave some big shoes to fill, and Koenig said other players will have that opportunity.

"Other players can step up and work to make their name known in the summer and offseason," he said. "She's a generational talent and what she did is have the young girls come out, cheer for her, see her play and understand that that could be you someday. That's what's good for the program. We're going to miss her, Anna and Maci quite a bit next year."

"I'm so proud of the girls. They're really awesome and I love them. It was a good season. We wanted to go another week, but unfortunately, we're not going to be able to."

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Mosinee ends Chargers' perfect 26-0 season

By GREG SEUBERT
Correspondent

A loss to Xavier in a sectional final kept the Wittenberg-Birnamwood girls basketball team from making its first trip to state in program history last season.

This season turned out to be Mosinee's turn, as it handed the Chargers a 58-53 loss March 5 in a WIAA Division 3 sectional semifinal at D.C. Everest High School in Weston.

It was the first loss of the season for the Chargers, who came into the game with a 26-0 record. Meanwhile, Mosinee improved to 23-4 and advanced to a sectional final against St. Croix Central.

Mosinee led by as many as eight points in the first half, but the Chargers ended the half with a 15-4 run to take a 32-28

lead at the break. The lead changed hands four times in the second half before Addy Henrich's 3-pointer with 5:22 remaining in the game turned the Chargers' 48-47 lead into a 50-48 deficit.

Wittenberg-Birnamwood never got the lead back but had opportunities down the stretch.

Melaina Granquist's 3-pointer with 18 seconds to go cut Mosinee's lead to 56-53.

A traveling call on Mosinee's Paetyn Jirschele gave the ball back to the Chargers, but Granquist's attempt to tie the game with another 3-pointer was off the mark, and Henrich sealed the win with a pair of late free throws.

Offensive rebounds gave Mosinee second chances during the game,

according to coach Nick Mechelke.

"That was the main point of the game," he said. "We had to win the rebounding battle and clean up on the defensive end, and we didn't do it, plain and simple. They got an offensive rebound and two points. That was almost every time they got an offensive rebound. They made more plays than we did."

It was the second time the Chargers had faced Mosinee, as Wittenberg-Birnamwood headed there in November and returned home with a 63-44 win.

"That was their first game and our second game," Mechelke said. "They had to learn how to play without Taelyn (Jirschele), who was out with an ACL injury, and they played well down the

stretch." Mosinee headed into its second matchup with the Chargers on a 17-game winning streak.

The sectional semifinal turned out to be the final high school basketball game for seniors Granquist, Rory Salvesen and Brieleigh Ladika.

Salvesen and Granquist led all scorers with 20 and 16 points, respectively, but Mechelke singled out Ladika.

"Brie gets pushed to the side all the time," he said. "I have to give her a lot of credit. She plays hard defense all the time. I talk about Rory and Melaina all the time, and she needs to be talked about."

Mechelke said next season's version of the Chargers will look different without those three seniors.

"They put a lot of time

in and got a lot of wins for this program," he said. "They put their footprints on our program. You've got Rory with over 2,000 points, you've got Melaina with over 1,800 points and 1,000 rebounds. Those are kids who are irreplaceable."

"Next year is a big rebuilding year. Who's going to fill in those 40 points? It's going to take special people or a whole team effort to get that back."

The Chargers' accomplishments this year included a second consecutive Central Wisconsin Conference-East championship and undefeated regular season.

"We had 26 (wins) in a row and conference champs, but in the end, we had to win that big one," Mechelke said. "Mosinee did it tonight."

Thursday, March 5

Shawano 50, Rhinelander 47

Shawano advanced to the WIAA Division 2 sectional final with a 50-47 semifinal win over Rhinelander in Antigo.

The game came down to the final seconds, but the No. 1 seed Hawks won out over the No. 3 Hodags.

Shawano will play against Rice Lake on March 7 at Stevens Point Area Senior High. The winner will advance to the state tournament beginning March 13.

The Hawks are 18-9, while Rhinelander's season ended with a 16-11 mark.

Florence 50, Lena 48

The Wildcats season came to an end with a 50-48 loss to Florence in the WIAA Division 5 semifinal game at Peshtigo.

Lena ended the season with a 23-4 record.

BOYS, continued from page 18

Tuesday, March 3
Bowler 66, White Lake 52

Bowler's boys basketball team beat White Lake 66-52 to advance to the WIAA regional semifinals in Division 5.

Bowler, seeded seventh, will travel to Wabeno/Laona, the second seed, on March 6.

Menominee Nation 59, Sturgeon Bay 57

Menominee Nation won its Division 3 regional quarterfinal game 59-57 over Sturgeon Bay.

The seventh-seeded Eagles will travel to No. 2

seed Seymour on March 6 for the regional semifinal game.

Menasha 83, Shawano 60

The Shawano Hawks season came to a close with an 83-60 loss to the Menasha Bluejays in the WIAA regional quarterfinals in Menasha.

The Hawks were seeded ninth, and the Bluejays were the eighth seed in the Division 2 matchup.

"Despite the final score, the Hawks showed determination and grit, battling evenly with Menasha for much of the night," coach

Joel Doxtator said.

Shawano came out ready to compete and matched Menasha point for point in the first half. The two teams went into the locker room tied at halftime, setting up what looked to be a tightly contested finish. The Hawks executed well offensively early on and played with strong energy on both ends of the floor.

In the second half, the game remained within reach as Shawano continued to fight and keep pace. However, with about four minutes remaining,

Menasha began to create separation.

A late run by the Bluejays proved to be the difference, as they capitalized on key possessions down the stretch to pull away and secure the victory.

The Hawks were led by Jack Nordin, who delivered 33 points. Anderson Schmidt contributed eight points, providing support on the offensive end. Shawano finishes the season with a 9-16 overall record.

Newman Catholic 75, Gresham 39

The 12th-seed Wildcats bowed out of the playoff

picture with a 75-39 loss to No. 5 Newman Catholic in a Division 5 regional game. Gresham ended the year with a 10-15 overall record.

Providence Academy 70, Lena 43

Lena's season ended in the Division 5 regional quarterfinal with a 70-43 loss to Providence Academy. The Wildcats finished 6-19 overall.

Reedsville 90, Gillett 35

Gillett, seeded 16th in its Division 5 regional game against No. 1 seed Reedsville, lost 90-35 to close out its season.

The Tigers were 2-23 overall.

Gibraltar 56, Suring 54

Gibraltar escaped from Suring High School with a 56-54 win over the Eagles in Division 5 regional quarterfinal action. Suring's season ended with a 13-10 overall mark.

Three Lakes 81, Mari-on 52

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OBITUARIES

MARY ELLEN ESLIEN

Mary Ellen (M.E.) Eslien (née Merline) passed away peacefully surrounded by her loving family Feb. 28, 2026. She was 82.

Born on Dec. 21, 1943, Mary Ellen was the oldest of Dr. Gerald and Frances Merline's 12 children. She observed her father attend to patients upon his return from military service and took on responsibility quickly in helping her mother look after her young siblings. She often reminisced about their family home on Wisconsin Street in De Pere, alive with a constant stream of family and friends who were always welcome to stay for dinner. They always managed to make one more spot at the table.

She fondly remembered friends from St. Frances Grade School and St. Joseph's Academy, class of 1962. Inspired by her father's medical practice, she pursued an education in X-Ray technology, trained at Mercy Hospital in Oshkosh and worked at St Vincent Hospital in Green Bay.

Soon thereafter, Mary Ellen was skiing at Pine Mountain where she met the love of her life, Dean Eslien. With a signature flair for the dramatic, she "accidentally" skied into



him, then wrote her phone number in the snow on his windshield. It was no surprise when he called, as she told it, since she knew it was meant to be. They were married Aug. 28, 1965, and began building a life and love that would span 61 beautiful years.

To Dean, she became M.E. – an adoring wife and devoted mother to Heidi, Dean Jr., Scott and Robert. The family moved to Abrams and established Windrow Farm, where M.E. curated a most loving home open to all family, friends and neighbors.

An excellent cook, she was adept at preparing all the wild game that showed up in her kitchen over dozens of hunting seasons. She set picnics for her children on their land, welcoming their horses to



graze in the yard alongside them. She always had time to play and encouraged her children to explore freely, so long as they promised to share the treasures they discovered upon their return.

M.E. and Robert shared an especially deep, enduring bond as she dedicated her life to his care. Together, M.E. and Dean's generosity over decades supported special education and programs for those with disabilities across Oconto and Brown counties, including Syble Hopp School, Aspiro Inc., and Special Olympics. To Robert's friends, and later their grandchildren, M.E. and Dean affectionately became "Mis Emy and Old Father."

Mis Emy and Old Father replicated the best of their

childhoods for their family and lifelong friends. Just as all were welcome on North Wisconsin Street, so, too, were they ushered in with a warm hug and a sweet treat to the farm in Abrams, the cottage on Thunder Lake and the condo in Siesta Key. Whether hosting for a few, or a few hundred, M.E. had a special gift for making people feel welcomed and loved. Their home, dazzling every Christmas, mirrored her joy and warmth. She blamed the elves, but the magic was hers.

M.E.'s greatest joy was a summer day spent with family at Thunder Lake, which became a gathering place for generations. Childhood memories became treasured tradition as her grandchildren grew up there, enjoying midnight swims, pontoon rides and Sunday lunch. In winter on Siesta Key, those became walks on the beach, tide pool scavenger hunts and boat rides on the intracoastal. Wherever she was, she loved watching the sunset and always sealed it with a kiss.

Mis Emy was an exceptional grandmother and infinitely proud of her grandchildren. Rarely a week passed without a hand-written note from

Mis Emy in the mail. She cheered the loudest in gymnasiums and auditoriums. She spent patient hours teaching her daughter and granddaughters knitting and needlepoint, sharing what she inherited from her grandmother and creating exquisite, knitted heirlooms of her own.

A 30-year breast cancer survivor, M.E. demonstrated quiet strength throughout her life. In later years, she faced health challenges with grace, supported by the love of her family.

Mary Ellen is survived by her beloved husband, Dean Eslien Sr.; cherished children, Heidi (Tom) Kitslaar, Dean Jr. (Cathy Therrien), Scott (Julie) and Robert Eslien; adoring grandchildren, Hannah Kitslaar, Joseph (Stephanie) Kitslaar, Benjamin Kitslaar, Elizabeth Kitslaar, Katherine Kitslaar, Nicholas (Alyssa) Eslien, Al Therrien and Claire (Alex, Grant) Luther; loving siblings, Ann (Chuck) Meyer, Judy (Doug) Martin, John Merline, Kathy Johnson, Jeanne McKenna, Jim Merline, Molly (Todd) Laverty, Susan (Kevin) Pasterski and Bob Merline; brothers-in-law, Howard (Sharon) Eslien Jr. and Clark Steinhardt; sisters-in-law, Marianne Rider and Maureen

Merline; and many dear nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Dr. Gerald and Frances Merline; siblings, Marilyn "Meg" Steinhardt and Tom Merline; father- and mother-in-law, Howard Eslien Sr. and Bernice Eslien; and brothers-in-law, Dan Rider and Tim McKenna.

A note of special thanks to the care teams at Bellin Hospital, Care Patrol, The Cottages at Lake Park Marinette, Moments Hospice, and Jones Funeral Service whose kindness, expertise, and compassion enabled peace and dignity for Mary Ellen at the end of her life.

Our Mary Ellen, M.E., Mis Emy will be greatly missed and always remembered for her warmth, generosity, devotion to family and the way she made others feel deeply loved.

Her family will gather privately to honor Mary Ellen's life.

A memorial fund has been established in Mary Ellen's name for the benefit of Syble Hopp School. Checks may be mailed to the school (755 Scheuring Road, De Pere, WI 54115) or donations may be made online (<https://www.syblehopp.org/donation-form>).

MELODIE WARDECKE

Melodie J. (Tousey) Wardecke, 83, of Suring, passed away in the home where she grew up Thursday, Nov. 20, 2025, with her family by her side.

She was born June 10, 1942, to the late Gordon and Ethel (Kopitzke) Tousey in Oconto Falls Hospital. In her early years, Melodie was a free spirit; there were never enough recesses for her. She graduated from Suring High School in 1960 and went on to earn her CNA license from Hinsdale Hospital.

On Aug. 6, 1961, she married Duane Wardecke at the Underhill Seventh-day Adventist Church. The couple first settled at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, where Duane was stationed in the U.S. Army, and later moved to



Maryland where he served at the Walter Reed Medical Center. Their first child, Rachel, was born there.

They returned to Wisconsin for a time, where their second child, Greg, was born.

The family later moved to Walla Walla, Washington, living there for three

years and welcoming their third child, Kent.

In 1968, they relocated to Hamburg, Pennsylvania, where their fourth child, Camilla, was born.

In 2006, Melodie and Duane moved for the final time, retiring to Suring, a place deeply meaningful to her.

In 1977, Melodie graduated from Reading Area Community College in Reading, Pennsylvania, with a degree in nursing. She excelled working as a registered nurse at Laurel Nursing Home and then at Community General Hospital for 31 years. Upon her retirement and move to Suring, Melodie was employed by Community Memorial Hospital and worked in their clinics as an RN.

Melodie loved her birds and enjoyed feeding and watching them from her windows. The view of the water behind their home gave her peace and joy.

Melodie is survived by her husband of 64 years, Duane; four children, Rachel Wardecke, Gregory (Lisa Wilber) Wardecke,

Her church was an important part of her life, and no matter where they lived, she was involved in different aspects of church life. She especially enjoyed teaching the adult Bible study class so she could make people think.

Melodie was a proud member of the Stockbridge-Munsee Band of Mohican Indians. She was also a founding member of the Suring Historical Society.

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RONALD JOSEPH CURRAN

Ronald Joseph Curran, 89, passed away peacefully March 3, 2026, in Oconto Falls.

Ron was born Dec. 18, 1936, in Green Bay to Hubert and Dorothy (Van Haren) Curran. The family moved to Oconto Falls, and Ron grew up there, graduating from Oconto Falls High School in 1954. He attended UW-Oshkosh.

In 1966, Ron started GTC Auto Parts in Oconto Falls and expanded the business to become Power Sports, which he owned until 1990, located in the Industrial Park. Through the years, Ron also owned auto parts stores in Oconto and



Pulaski, and the Oconto Marina. After selling these businesses, he created Cedar Ridge Development in 1992, building about 30 homes in and around

Oconto Falls. Ron concluded his business career by owning Fast Stop of Oconto Falls from 1998 to 2007.

Ron was also mayor of Oconto Falls, was a member of the city council, led the water and light commission for the city, and he was a fireman. Additionally, he was part of the Oconto County Economic Development board, the Farmers State Bank board, served as chairman of the Oconto Falls Hospital board and was on the finance board for St. Anthony Catholic Church. He ran the Christmas tree stand in town for many years.

Ron enjoyed traveling

with Joan. They went to St. Thomas many times and RV'd around the country, oftentimes with their dear friends, Jeannie and Vernon Colbert. They lived full time in their RV for about 10 years.

He enjoyed woodworking; the homes of many relatives contain furniture that he made. He was an avid snowmobile enthusiast, enjoyed fishing trips to Canada for 25 years, his Bichon Tara, and spending time with his grandchildren.

Ron is survived by his wife of 45 years, Joan Grady Curran; his daughter, Sarah Curran King, and her husband, Steve King. He had

two grandchildren, Audrey King (age 25) and Brian King (age 28) and Brian's fiancée, Lauren Barrett.

He is further survived by his mother-in-law, Marie (Shallow) Grady; brothers, Bill (Roseanne) Curran and Pat Curran; sister-in-law, Ruth Curran; brothers-in-law, Chuck (Debbie Kane) Grady and Tim Lisowe; and sister-in-law, Debbie Leja Grady. He is leaving behind many cherished nieces and nephews.

Ron was preceded in death by his parents, Hubert Curran and Dorothy (Van Haren) Curran; his father-in-law, Bill Grady; his brothers, Doug Curran and

family with arrangements. Online condolences may be expressed at www.gruetzmacherfuneralhome.com.

A special thank you goes to Melodie's family, dear friends, her many caregivers and her church family for their support during her time of need.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are appreciated to Adventist Development and Relief Agency (adra.org).



Larry Curran; and his ex-wife, Nancy Gauthier Curran. He was also preceded in death by sisters-in-law, Patty Curran, Marie Curran, Jean (Grady) Lisowe; and brother-in-law, Timm Grady.

Per family wishes, a private memorial service will be held. Jones Funeral Service is assisting the Curran family with arrangements.

In lieu of flowers or other memorials, donations may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital. Donations can be made at www.stjude.org, mailed to 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or by calling 800-805-5856.

PUBLIC RECORD

OCONTO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

March 8

Deputies responded to 71 incidents, including property damage on West Main Street in Lena; 18 traffic stops, seven traffic offenses, three citizen assists, two miscellaneous traffic incidents, one welfare check; two open-line 911 calls; three ambulance calls; one crash.

March 7

Deputies responded to 67 incidents, including suspicious activity on County Road E in the Town of Morgan; a noise disturbance on state Highway 22 in the Town of Oconto Falls; suspicious activity near Pine Tree Road and County Road T in the Town of Townsend; a disturbance on Havenwood Hills Drive in the Town of Little Suamico; suspicious activity near Bloom Road and County Road R in the Town of How; 10 traffic stops, two traffic hazards, one citizen assist, one miscellaneous traffic incident; one open-line 911 call; six ambulance calls; three crashes, one involving deer.

March 6

Deputies responded to 75 incidents, including internet fraud on Brookside Cemetery Road in the Town of Pensaukee; suspicious activity on Morgan Road in the Town of Underhill; suspicious activity in the Law Enforcement Center lobby, 220 Arbutus Ave., Oconto; a disturbance on Froelick Road in the Town of Pensaukee; suspicious activity near state Highway 22 and Duame Road in the Town of Stiles; threatening on West Crooked Lake Lane in the Town of River-view; suspicious activity on County Road S in the Town of Little River; a wrong-way driver on U.S. Highway 141 near County Road A in the Town of Lena; nine traffic stops, two traffic hazards, five traffic offenses, two citizen assists, three miscellaneous traffic incidents, one welfare check; one 911

hangup and two open lines; two ambulance calls; one crash.

March 5

Deputies responded to 60 incidents, including illegal burning on Old U Road in the Town of Gillett; suspicious activity in Breakwater Park, Harbor and Bayshore roads, Oconto; an internet crimes against children incident at an undisclosed location; theft on North McKenzie Street in Gillett; suspicious activity and a K-9 deployment on U.S. Highway 41 in the Town of Oconto; three traffic stops, five miscellaneous traffic incidents, two welfare checks; one open-line 911 call; 10 ambulance calls; three crashes, all involving deer.

March 4

Deputies responded to 72 incidents, including a disturbance on County Road WW in the Town of Little River; fire on County Road S in the Town of Little Suamico; fraud on Settlement Road in the Town of Underhill; five traffic stops, one traffic offense, three citizen assists, two miscellaneous traffic incidents, four welfare checks; four open-line 911 calls; nine ambulance calls; four crashes, one involving deer.

March 3

Deputies responded to 66 incidents, including suspicious activity on state Highway 32 in the Town of Maple Valley; harassment on West Main Street in Lena; fraud on Stable Lane in the Town of Chase; seven traffic stops, two traffic offenses, three welfare checks; one 911 hangup and three open lines; five ambulance calls; one crash.

March 2

Deputies responded to 51 incidents, including a disturbance on Chestnut Road in the Town of Oconto Falls; a fire control burn on Business 41 in the Town of Oconto; suspicious activity on West Main Street in Lena; two traffic stops, five traffic offenses, two citizen assists, two miscellaneous traffic incidents;

one 911 hangup and one open line; six ambulance calls; one crash.

March 1

Deputies responded to 42 incidents, including a disturbance on Duame Road in the Town of Stiles; theft at Dollar General, 17210 Emma Lea Lane, Town of Lakewood; eight traffic stops, one citizen assist, three miscellaneous traffic incidents, two welfare checks; one 911 hangup and two open lines; four ambulance calls; one crash, involving deer.

Feb. 28

Deputies responded to 85 incidents, including an unwanted party on Splinter Creek Lane in the Town of Oconto Falls; property damage on West Crooked Lake Lane in the Town of River-view; a noise disturbance on Main Street in the Town of Abrams; suspicious activity near East Brown and Bayside roads in the Town of Little Suamico; underage alcohol at an undisclosed location; 13 traffic stops, three traffic hazards, three traffic offenses, two citizen assists, three miscellaneous traffic incidents, one welfare check; two open-line 911 calls; four ambulance calls; two crashes.

Feb. 27

Deputies responded to 58 incidents, including a disturbance on Maiden Lake Road in the Town of Riverview; suspicious activity at Reliable Inventory, 400 State Highway 32, Town of Chase; child abuse at an undisclosed location; suspicious activity on state Highway 32 in the Town of Lakewood; a noise disturbance on Warrington Lake Drive in the Town of Underhill; suspicious activity on East Shay Lake Lane in the Town of Brazeau; harassment on County Road G in the Town of Brazeau; five traffic stops, three traffic hazards, four traffic offenses, one citizen assist, four miscellaneous traffic incidents, four welfare checks; two 911 hangups and four open lines; five ambulance calls; one crash.

How do you choose level of care for children?

Many children lead active, rough-and-tumble lives as they play, grow and explore, so parents, caregivers and trusted adults often may become accustomed to handling the occasional bump or bruise.

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That's why Dr. William Kumprey, The-daCare emergency medicine physician, offered advice on seeking the appropriate level of care for children.

"We understand how frightening it can be when your child is in distress," he said. "Knowing your options in advance can help you keep calm when medical emergencies arise."

Options for medical attention often range from emergency care to urgent and walk-in care. Knowing when to seek the appropriate level of care is important, Kumprey said.

"Emergency care is generally for medical emergencies when a delay could be harmful or even life-threatening," he said. "Consider going to the emergency department for respiratory distress like trouble breathing, wheezing or rapid breathing that could indicate severe asthma or infection."

Other issues that may indicate emergency care is needed are:

- High fevers in infants and/or if accompanied by other concerning symptoms like lethargy, difficulty breathing, abdominal pain or skin rash.
- Seizures, especially if new onset, repetitive or prolonged, as they require immediate attention to determine the cause and proper treatment.

• Severe allergic reactions that can lead to rapid breathing and throat swelling.

• Injuries and accidents, including serious fractures or sprains with a deformity or difficulty bearing weight or using the extremity. Large or deep cuts and significant head injuries also warrant a visit to the emergency department.

• Moderate to severe dehydration, especially from prolonged vomiting and diarrhea with concerning lethargy or significant weakness.

• Ingestion of poison or other harmful substances.

"An ambulance may be necessary if a child's condition is potentially life-threatening, like difficulty breathing, loss of consciousness, heavy bleeding or serious head injury," Kumprey said. "Another reason to call 911 is if moving the person might cause more injuries, like after a serious fall or other physical trauma."

Urgent and walk-in care offer prompt care for non-life-threatening injuries, Kumprey said. They often serve as a bridge between primary care and emergency services.

Urgent and walk-in care clinics typically offer early evening and weekend hours, along with daytime hours.

A good guideline for when to choose urgent care is when a child needs prompt attention but their regular health care provider isn't available. Urgent and walk-in care can be an option when seeking extended or more flexible hours, such as weekend or holiday care.

If the urgent care clinician identifies a serious condition, they can collaborate with the emergency department team to expedite a transfer to the emergency department.

OBITUARIES

CHARLOTTE LEWIS

Charlotte Ruth Lewis, 84, passed away peacefully March 2, 2026, in Oconto Falls.

She was born Jan. 31, 1942, in Detroit to the late Kleber and Eva Jane (Frye) Andre. On July 30, 1959, Charlotte married the love of her life, Harold Lewis, in Milwaukee. He later preceded her in death March 7, 2024.

Charlotte was kind and creative. She loved to daydream, sing and dance. She was a selfless woman and always took to the time to help others. In her free time, Charlotte enjoyed drawing and especially



using her pastels. She will be deeply missed.

Charlotte is survived by her children, Sally Lewis, of Milwaukee, Jeff Lewis,

of Milwaukee, Timothy Lewis, of Oshkosh, Tammy Lewis, of Oconto Falls, Patrick Lewis, of Oconto Falls, and Betty (Shane) Stange; her grandchildren, Dana (Dan) Lundgren and Hayden Stange; her great-grandchildren; Mia and Evelyn.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harold; her parents, Kleber and Eva; her brothers, Andy Benjamin "Benny" and Charles.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday March 21, 2026, at United Methodist Church in Oconto Falls with Pastor Shadrach Muhima officiating.

COURT NEWS

• Dillon William Eckstein, 29, St. Edward, Nebraska, pleaded no contest March 2 to misdemeanor charges of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated (third offense), resisting/failing to stop, resisting or obstructing an officer and disorderly conduct. A related felony count was dismissed in a plea agreement. Judge Michael Judge withheld sentencing and placed him on two years of probation with conditions, including 270 days in county jail.

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☐ Golf Course - Shawano Lake Golf Course

☐ Campground - Pine Grove Campground

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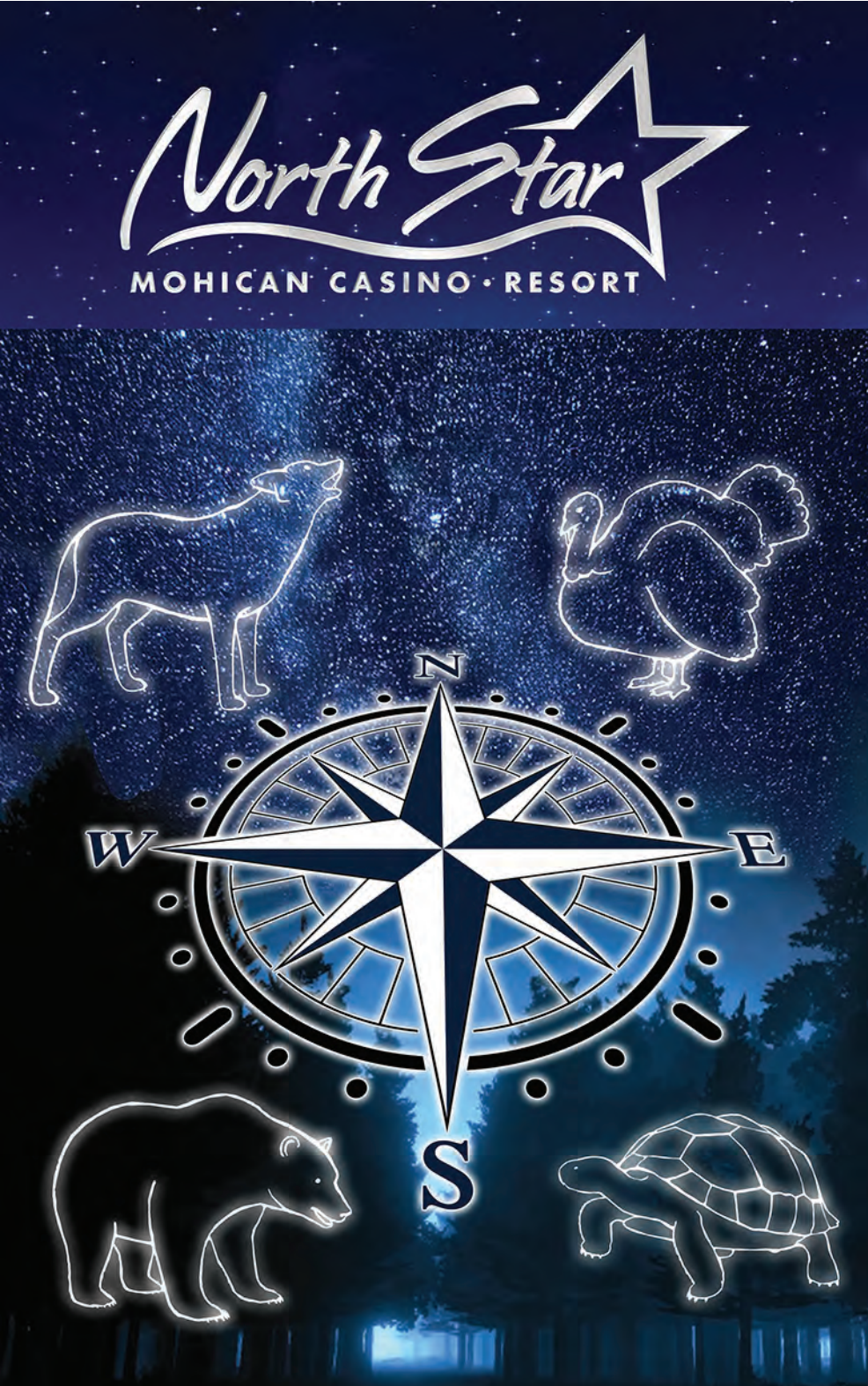
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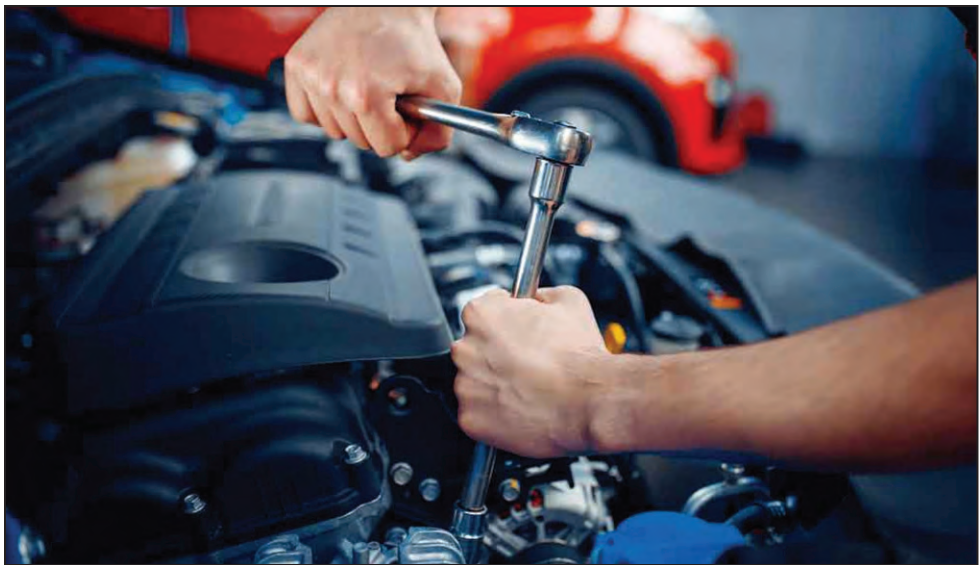
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- ❑ Grocery Store - Aldi Grocery Store
- ❑ Hardware Store - Wittenberg True Value
- ❑ Tile/Flooring - Woodstock Flooring & Design Center

Best Services:

- ❑ A/C & Heating - ArchAngel Climate LLC,
- ❑ Chiropractor - Long Chiropractic Center
- ❑ Credit Union - CoVantage Credit Union
- ❑ Dentist - Szmanda Dental Center
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2025 RESULTS - BALLOT #2

Best Thing To Do:

- ❑ Bowling Alley - Wittenberg Lanes, Wittenberg
- ❑ Casino - Ho-Chunk Gaming
- ❑ Happy Hour - Straight Home Bar & Grill
- ❑ Live Music - Jungle's on Main, Gresham
- ❑ Meat Market - Nueske's Applewood Meats
- ❑ Night Spot - Jungle's on Main, Gresham

Best Outdoor Activities:

- ❑ Bait/Tackle Shop - Wittenberg Shell Station
- ❑ Golf Course - Maple Hills Golf Course
- ❑ Lawn/Garden - Jim's Lawn Care LLC

Best Vehicle Services:

- ❑ Auto Body Repair - Kessen Auto Body & Sales, Birnamwood
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2025 RESULTS - BALLOT #3

Food/Dining:

- ❑ Bar - Straight Home Bar & Grill
- ❑ Burger - Truck's Place Restaurant
- ❑ Dessert - Grandma's Bakery
- ❑ Dinner - Chet & Emil's Restaurant
- ❑ Fish Fry - Truck's Place Restaurant
- ❑ Lunch - Taco John's
- ❑ Pizza - Wittenberg Lanes
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Best Lunch, Witt-Birn

A photograph of a Taco John's meal. In the center are two large burritos on a brown paper wrapper. To the left is a cup of potato olés. To the right is another cup of potato olés. In front of the burritos is a small container of yellow sauce. To the right of the burritos is a drink in a clear plastic cup with a red straw. A hand is holding a small taco in the foreground. The background is a light-colored surface.

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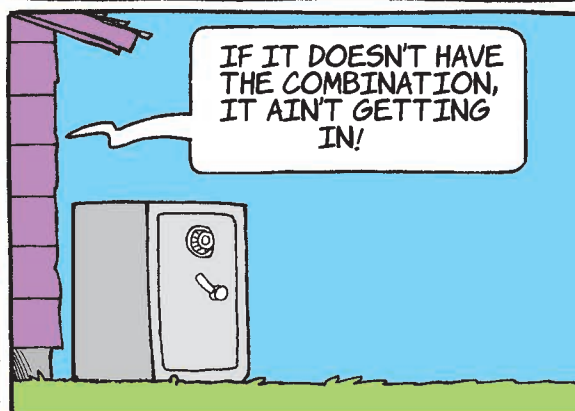
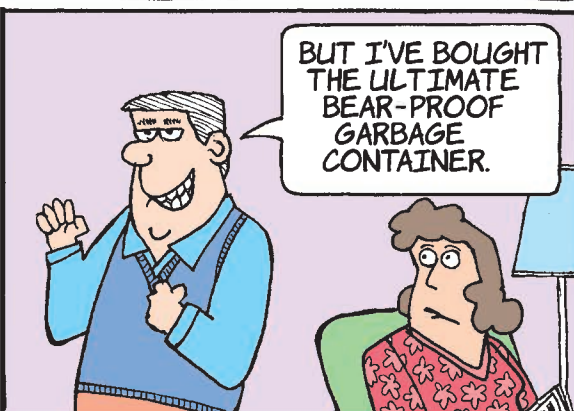
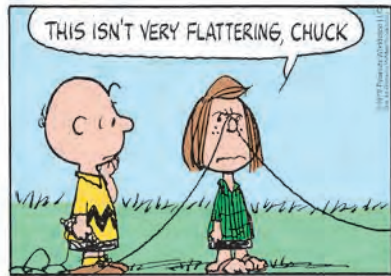
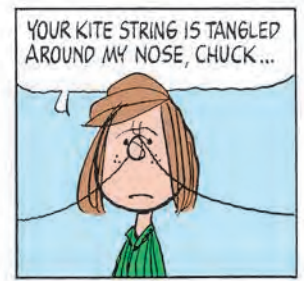
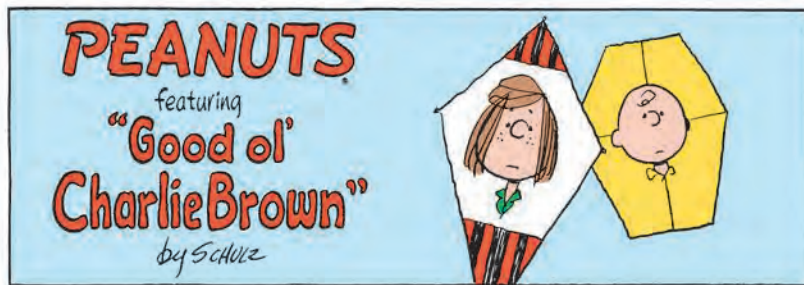


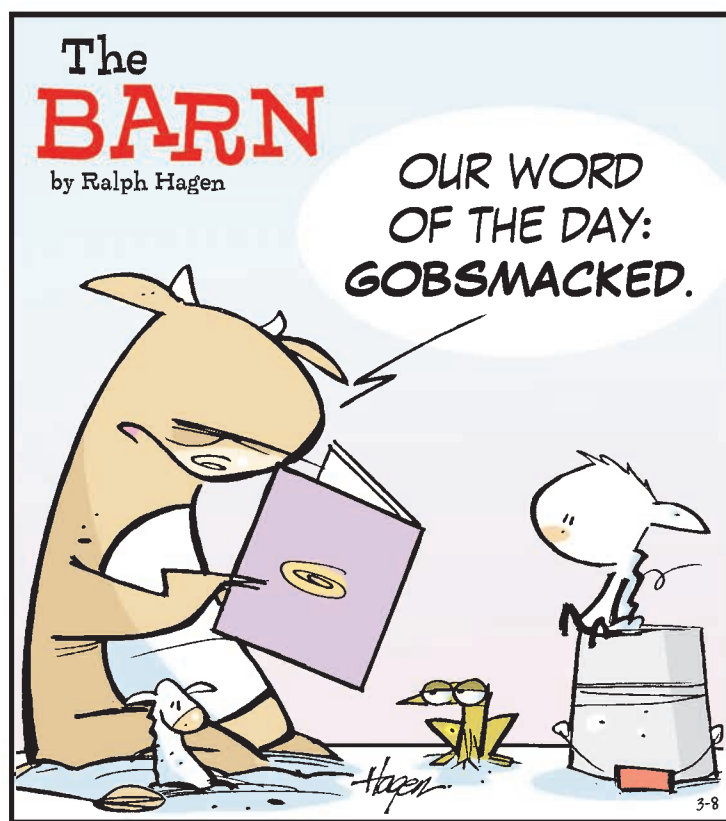
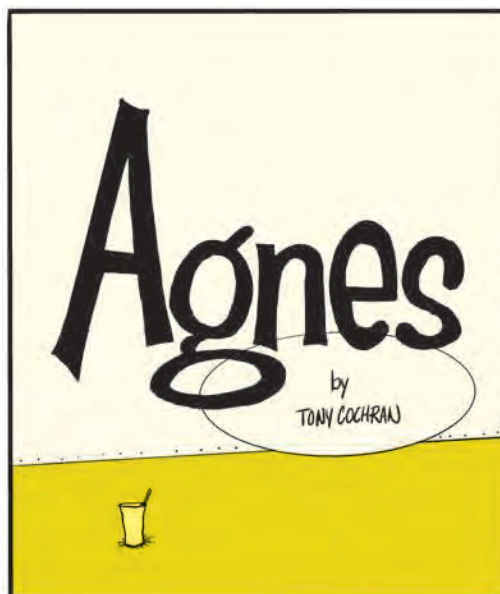
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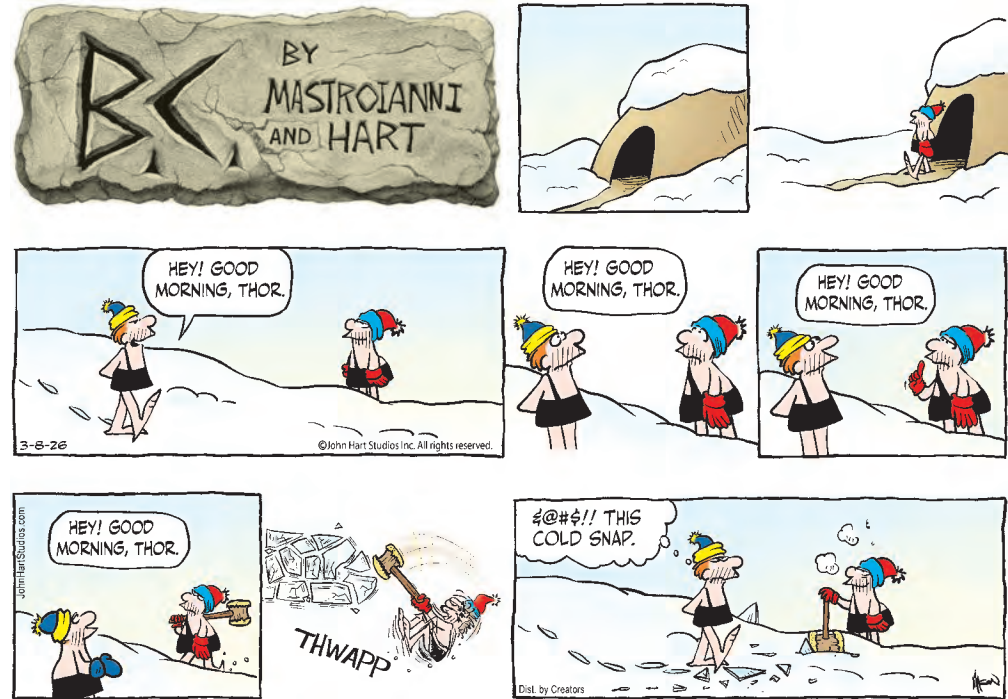
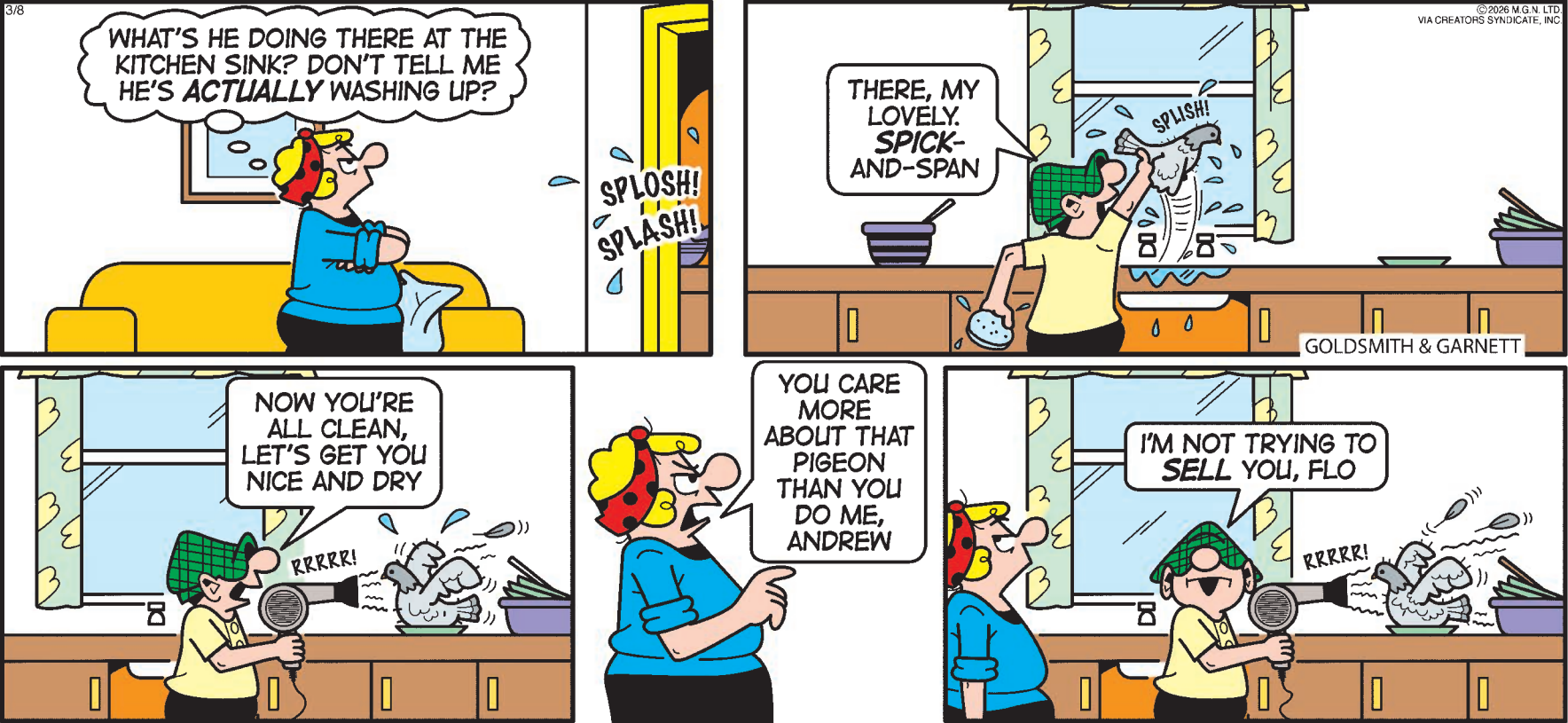


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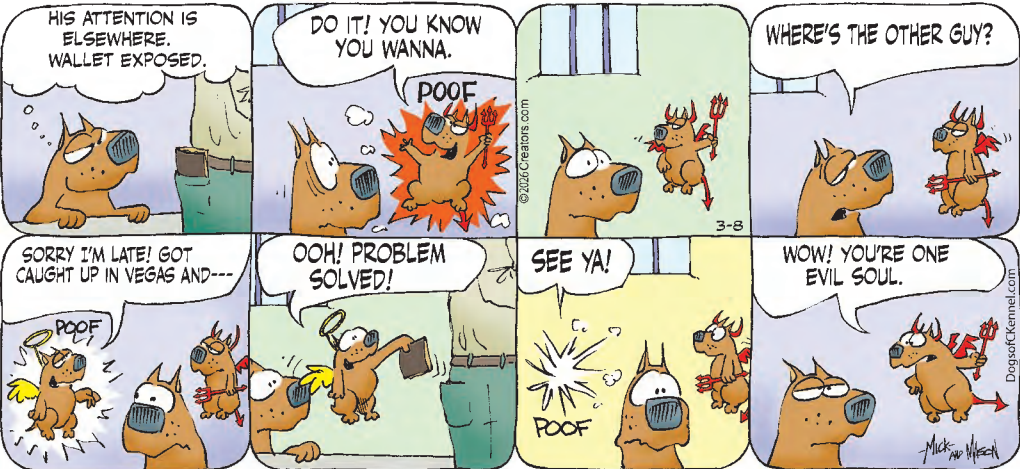
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