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## **Upcoming** Little Notes ...

**Network Battle Lake** meets every Thursday at 7:30 a.m. in the Shoreline Restaurant back room at Battle Lake. Everyone is welcome.

Farmers Market is every Saturday throug September 9 a.m.-1 p.m. in Railroad Park on Hwy. 78 north of Larry's and across from Everts Lum-

**OTC Wrestling Boo**sters Race Night is Saturday, June 3 at the Shoreline in Battle Lake starting 6 p.m. Proceeds will support OTC Wrestling. Video horse racing is sponsored by The Ottertail Lions Club.

**Underwood Legion** Post #489 will meet Thursday, June 1 at 7 p.m. in the Post home. For more information including membership, call 218-826-6989.

Underwood City **Council** will meet Monday, June 5 at Underwood Community Center. EDA Committee meets at 6:45 p.m. with council at 7 p.m.

# **Underwood Americanism Essay** Winners

"How does learning about government and our America help you become a future guardian of the liberties of our country?" This was the title of the Americanism Essays sponsored by The Underwood American Legion Auxiliary. Students in grades 4, 5, and 6 used the Bill of Rights to answer the question.

Fourth grade: 1st place Kira Kirsch, 2nd Sofia Sand and 3rd Esme Larsen

Fifth grade: 1st place Elizabeth Lukken, 2nd Elsa Grunewald and 3rd Ezrah

Sixth grade: 1st place Emily Knutson, 2nd Cole Petersen and 3rd Bryce Peter-

Honorable Mention:

Fourth: Calab Olson, Connor Will and Holly Bond

Fifth: Julian Umlauf, Katie Hess, Brooklyn Christenson and Tiarra Veazie

Sixth: Alexis Hanson, Garrett Nelson, George Torgerson, Charlee Janu, Alayne Evavold, Becca Johnson and Jorja Gronner



# **UHS BPA Scores Top Awards At Nationals**



**Submitted by Angela Hartman** 

Four students from Underwood participated in the 51st Annual Business Professionals of America (BPA) National Leadership Conference in Orlando, Florida May 10-14. They competed with 5,500 top students from across the United States - the pinnacle of BPA competition.

To qualify: Members must excel at both the regional and state level to advance to the

national competition. Underwood had three students advance through competitive excellence. At the state level Erin Andersen finished 3rd in her contest, Administrative Support Research Project. Asante Creek also finished 3rd in her contest of Prepared Speech. At the state level in Extemporaneous Speech Kindra Peterson earned 4th place. This qualified the ladies to advance to the national competition.



13th! Also recognized at the National Conference for earning National Torch Awards (showing leadership, service, cooperation, knowledge, patriotism, and friendship) from Underwood were Erin Andersen, Carter Peterson, Jill Maahs and Theo Johnson.



toughest it has ever been, and sadly Theo wasn't voted into office. He did a great job reprian, Theo Johnson ran for a resenting Underwood and position as a national officer. Minnesota. We are very proud The competition was the

## **UHS Class 2017 Graduates**



Spencer Glen Beck was one of the 42 graduates who received their diplomas and handshakes from School Board member Michelle Peterson Saturday, May 20 during Underwood High School's 84th Commencement in the auditorium. More photos on page five. Photo by Emily Carlson

# Memorial Day Programs

# **Underwood Veterans Memorial**



The Underwood American Legion places the names of

nine community service members who made the ultimate

#### Memorial Day Programs and Other Events Monday, May 29

**Amor Community** Potluck Breakfast

The Amor 4-H Club is sponsoring a Community Potluck Breakfast at the town hall after Memorial Day service at the Amor Cemetery. The club will provide beverages and paper products. Free will donation will be collected for cemetery upkeep and marking of unmarked graves.

## Ashby —

Ashby American Legion's program starts 9:45 a.m. at the Ashby School with guest speaker Dr. Gary Coulter. Then they march down to the Veterans Memorial Park along Hwy. 78 south edge of Ashby. Everyone invited to to the hall for lunch and ice cream following the service.

#### Battle Lake -

The Memorial Day program is at 11 a.m. in the Battle Lake School. William "Billy" Norberg will be guest speaker. He is a 1964 graduate of BLHS and was commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant in the Arm in 1968 and servied in Vietnam in the 4th Infantry Division. Billy has been active in the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW), and worked in, owned and operated a business in The Twin Cities area. (See page 13 for more program details.)

### **Leaf Mountain Church**

Dinner — The Mountain Men" will be hosting their annual dinner from 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. at the church. Entertainment by

Flory Deo Bell Choir. Veter-

sacrifice in our country's wars in the Veterans Memorial. The memorial is located in Underwood's Myrt Trudeau and

Otto Kester Plaza. The nine Underwood men killed in previous wars are honored by showing their names, where they died, their

ages and units they served in. The memorial has eight concrete monuments (such as above with Post Historian Ron Shebeck and Post Commander Frank McKenzie) honoring those who served during war time. They deaths from Otter Tail County are noted under each conflict.

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Cemetery ceremony approximately 10 a.m. (See page 11 for more details.)

#### Millerville —

Inspiration Peak American Legion Post 527 of Millerville will be conducting military honors at 9:30 a.m. at Eagle Lake Church Cemetery. The public is invited to attend.

#### Underwood -

Starting at 10 a.m. in the Underwood School. Guest speaker will be Jeremy Nelson. He is a 1995 UHS graduate and son of Jerry and Betty Nelson of Battle Lake. Jeremy just recently retired after serving 20 years in the Army. He completed five tours overseas in Iraq, Afghanistan and Pakistan. He is also a decorated combat veteran. (See page 13 for more program details.)

# **Carlson Joins Review Staff**

Hello! I am Emily Carlson and I would like to introduce myself to Review readers and the town of Battle Lake, again! My duties at The Review as of today are proofreader, writer and photographer plus waiting on customers. I will be working with other staff Janet Widness, Sue Duncan, interns Rayne Salvevold and Karina Walvatne along with owner Ed Pawlenty.

I graduated from BLHS in 2013 after moving to the area with my family in 2004. My parents, Tim and Tammy along with my two siblings, Elise and Eli

moved us to the lakes area after living in The Twin Cities area

for a number of years. I recently graduated from Concordia College in May 2016. I recieved my Bachelor of Arts with a Communication Studies Major and Religion Minor. After spending my first year of postgraduation life in Moorhead, I am so excited to be back in the beautiful town of Battle Lake! On my days off from the newspaper and serving at Stella's, you can find me biking around

I cannot wait to see all of the friendly faces around town Don't be alarmed if you see me taking photos, I promise I am authorized to!

Glendalough, enjoying all the delicious food served in the area

or going on another fishing adventure with my family and

The Ashby-Dalton Post and Battle Lake Review Offices will be Closed Memorial Day to honor our heroes! The Post and Review will be one day late due to the holiday!

# **Tri-City Meeting At Thumper**



#### **Submitted by Battle Lake** City Clerk Val Martin

The Tri-City Living Partnership had their annual meeting at Thumper Resort May 4th. Guest speaker, Ben Winchester of the University of Minnesota, presented information on housing in our area. The presentation was titled

"Moving In, Moving Out, and Moving Over: Baby Boomers and the Rural Housing Supply". The discussion around workforce housing shortages is a narrow view of a complex continuum of residential housing dynamics. The baby boomer generation recently began expressing their residential preferences across America and the implications for rural communities can be profound. As rural communities have a greater proportion of those in this demographic group, we must explore the supply challenges, as well as the demand opportunities, this trend presents for small towns and rural places over the next

30 years. Ben has worked in and for small towns across the Midwest since 1997 - with a focus on his home State of Minnesota. He joined the Extension Center for Community Vitality in 2008. As Research Fellow for the center, Ben manages evaluation studies that monitor the effectiveness and outcomes of leadership, civic engagement and community economics programs for all of Extension.

Ben also conducts research

on topics relevant to community vitality. Currently, he is documenting a rural "brain gain" - the trend of 30-49 year-olds moving to rural areas - to identify the social and economic opportunities of this migration. He is also analyzing rural community leadership, especially as it affects community-wide requirements to support the public sector to "keep the town run-

Tri City Living Partnership was created 3 years ago to identify housing needs for our respective Cities of Battle Lake, Henning and Ottertail. The group has been working with a consultant, Traci Ryan of Ryan Development Consulting, to gather information and work together to address those needs.

The core group consists of the mayors and clerks of each city as well as Ms. Ryan. Nick Leonard and Erik Osberg, Otter Tail County Economic Development and Tourism, are also part of the core group that meets on a monthly basis to share ideas and develop collaborative efforts and to also discuss each of their special concerns. The group is considered an arm of the full councils of each city and each city shares equally in any financial needs. Annually all the councils will meet to discuss goals and the achievements of the

Tri-City Living partnership developed a website, www.tri cityliving.org, which interest-



ed persons can access to compare quality of life living in our area as well as explore jobs, housing, recreational activities and starting a business. The group has set goals to increase market rate rental housing in each city, explore daycare options for young families and the promotion of "moving into our cities." Currently each city has realized increase housing opportunities by the construction of new rental housing in each community.

Tri-City Living works cooperatively with Otter Tail County officials and the County HRA. The goal of Tri-City Living and the Cities of Battle Lake, Henning and Ottertail is to continue to address common issues within our communities with the knowledge that "when one does better, we all do better."

# -Obituary-



#### Lorraine Lykken

Lorraine Lykken, 92, of Battle Lake, died Wednesday, May 3, 2017 at Battle Lake Good Samaritan Center.

Memorial Service will be 2 p.m. Friday May 26, 2017, (Memorial Day Weekend) at the First Lutheran Church in Battle Lake. Interment will be in the First Lutheran Ceme-

Visitation will be one hour prior to the service.

Lorraine Anderson Lykken. daughter of Harry and Clara Anderson, was born October 30th, 1924 at St. Luke's Hospital in Fargo, North Dakota. She was baptized December 7th, 1924. At that time, her family was living in Walcott, North Dakota and Lorraine started her grade school education there. The family moved to Fargo in 1935 when Lorraine was 11 years old. They attended and became active members of Olivet

Lutheran Church in Fargo. Lorraine was confirmed May 28th, 1939 by Pastor J. Melvin Moe. Lorraine graduated from Fargo High School May 19th, 1942.

After graduating from high school, Lorraine joined Fargo National Bank in 1942 where she worked in all departments over the next five years.

Sam and Lorraine met at a Luther League convention in Kindred, North Dakota. They were married May 17th, 1947 in Olivet Lutheran Church. Lorraine and Sam moved between Jamestown and Devils Lake as Sam's career advanced. Lorraine worked at James River National Bank in Jamestown, ND and August 24th, 1950 their first child, son, David was born. Three years later, April 25th, 1953, son, Daniel was born.

In 1955 they moved to Battle Lake, Minnesota when Sam purchased an Allis Chalmers dealership and later Sam purchased a second dealership in Fergus Falls, Minnesota in 1957. Sam had farming in his blood and purchased farm land to raise a small herd of cattle. In need of more farm land for his growing herd of cattle, Sam purchased farm land with lake shore frontage and started developing lake shore lots.

Lorraine was a "stay-athome" mom until 1958 when she was offered a job at First National Bank of Battle Lake and worked there for the next 29 years. In August of 1967 she endured a traumatic bank robbery where she and other employees at gun point were locked in the bank vault. She

was promoted to vice president and continued until her retirement in 1987.

Lorraine's greatest joy was spending time with family, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and

dear friends. Lorraine was a member of The First Lutheran Church of Battle Lake, Mary Circle, WELFCA Progressive Club, American Legion Auxiliary, Battle Lake Food Shelf volunteer, Bridge Club and served on the Fergus Falls Concert Board for 25 years.

We want to especially thank the staff at Good Samaritan Senior Living Apartments and Good Samaritan Society nursing home for their loving support and heart felt care they provided Lorraine.

Lorraine is survived by sons, David and Daniel Lykken and their wives, Nancy and Cindy respectfully, grandchildren, Jonathan, James, Laura and Christina; great-granddaughters, Ellia, Ouinn, Beatrice and Ada. Also, surviving Lorraine is her sister, Betty Pederson and brother, Lyle Anderson.

Preceding Lorraine in death were her husband of 64 years, Samuel C. Lykken; parents, Harry and Clara Anderson; sister, Dorothy; and brothers, Harris and Wally.

The family asks that any remembrances be made to Good Samaritan Society, First Lutheran Church of Battle Lake or a charity of your

Arrangements are with the Glende-Nilson Funeral Home of Battle Lake.

#### LACC's 'Come To The Lakes' Begins Lakes Area Community Ventriloquist, James Wedghow they love to perform in

Center in Battle Lake will begin their 10th year of free summer concerts Thursday, June 1. The programs begin at 7:30 p.m. every Thursday in June, July and August and will offer a variety of entertainment with something for everyone.

Check the paper and our posters weekly for details of each program. There will be a couple programs to be held outside on LACC's east lawn and two, that need a Grand Piano, will be at First Lutheran Church. Each evening showcases talented performers from this area. Some are back by popular demand and many have commented on our setting with great acoustics and especially the friendly, welcoming audiences. There is no charge for each event, your freewill (tax deductible) donations to LACC are very much appreciated and necessary to keep this facility an active and vital part of this community. LACC is grateful to the local businesses who sponsor these programs, they allow your donations to go entirely to the maintenance and growth of LACC.

Mark your calendars to make Thursday your evening in Battle Lake. Come early and dine out, there are choices for all tastes. You can try a different one every Thursday!

wood will kick-off the season June 1 with his special blend of humor and cast of characters. This is a great program to bring the kids and grandkids but you can be sure, this skilled entertainer leaves no one out as his performance appeals to all ages!

Are you looking for a location for a family gathering or special celebration? Check out renting a party room at LACC. Phone 218-862-5222, email: lacc@arvig.net, webasite: ww w.lakesareacommunitycent er.org. LACC is conveniently located at 112 West Main Street in Battle Lake.

# Taking Blood Mobile Registrations

The Alliance Church of Battle Lake staff and Lions volunteers will be scheduling blood donors. Persons who are interested in donating blood should contact the Alliance Church office for an appointment. Local blood donors may sign up for the Wednesday, May 31 community blood drive at First Lutheran Church.

Donor appointments will be available from 12:30-6:30 p.m. Please call the Alliance Church office at 218-864-5539 during daytime hours for information and scheduling Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

The Red Cross will be running the Power Red draw if you wish to do that. It does take longer. For the PR donation, be sure to indicate that choice as there is a separate schedule. Make an appointment to make either type of donation by calling 218-864-5539 and ask for Brenda.

We are asking walk-in donors to please consider waiting until after 4 p.m. to walk-in as there are usually more openings later in the day.

The Federal Food and Drug Administration requires that you PRESENT A PHOTO ID, such as a driver's license. If you do not have a license, check the website below for what other type of identification that would suffice. You cannot be allowed to donate

To donate you will be asked certain questions to see if you are eligible. Generally you need to be at least 17 (16 with parental approval under new law) and at least 110 pounds. If you have any question or doubt about being eligible to donate due to travel out of the country, medications, surgery and treat-

#### Preparation -

Over several recent years some blood donors have shown up at the Blood Mobile and could not donate blood for a variety of reasons: (disallowed medications, recent surgeries, active infections, low iron levels, elevated blood pressure, travel outside of our country, and the lack of a photo ID).

The Red Cross suggests getting at least eight hours of sleep the night before donation, and eating a healthy breakfast and lunch before an afternoon donation of blood. Do not skip meals on the day of donation, and focus upon eating proteins (lean meat, cheese, and yogurt), and/or complex carbohydrates (bread, cereal, and fruit). For those experiencing iron deficiencies, the Red Cross recommends weeks and days of iron-rich foods, such as red meat, fish, poultry, beans, iron-fortified

cereals and raisins

The Red Cross also has advice regarding body hydration prior to donation of blood. They recommend drinking a few extra glasses of water or fluids in the days before one donates, and starting each day with water or orange juice. If you drink water within 10-30 minutes before donation, you will be less likely to experience dizziness and light headedness after donation.

#### **More Information** —

Red Cross website at www.redcrossblood.org or call the Donor Support Center at 1-866-236-3276 select option #3. This will help to prevent being turned down when you get to the donation location.

## **B. L. Farmers Market Season** Begins Sat.

The Battle Lake Farmers Market will open for the season on Memorial Day Weekend in Railroad Park with jams and jellies, early-season produce, wheatberries, baked goods and lotions. It will open Saturday, May 27 from 9 a.m.-

This is the market's 7th year. It will run every Saturday through September.

If affordability

we can help.

is an issue,

**Advanced Planning does not** 

have to cost anything.



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#### FIVE YEARS AGO - 2012

Kyle Klintworth was selected as Boys Stater from Battle Lake with Casey Haack as alternate.

Deaths: Elizabeth Myklestad, May 26; Floyd Estlick, April 23.

At the Battle Lake Good Samaritan Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon Valerie Schmid was named Auxilian of the Year with Tom Beason as Volunteer of the Year.

OTC boys and girls track teams were crowned Park Region Conference Champi-

graduation Underwood speakers were Alysse Fredrich, Cody Anderson, Collin Teich and Megan Thormod-

15 YEARS AGO - 2002

Students, teachers and area school district residents pitched in and planted trees and shrubs at the Battle Lake School.

Deaths: Earl Boyum, May

16; Donna Christopherson, May 14; Brett Hauberg, May The Red Cross Bloodmo-

bile collected 74 units at their recent visit to Battle Lake. Jerome Washek completed his 10th gallon. The OTC Softball team

were named Park Region Conference Champions.

Recipients of the John Philip Sousa Award at Battle Lake were Ashley Worden and Brenna Dalluge. The Arion Award for vocal music was presented to Ashley Worden. Carrie Herbranson was presented the Louis Armstrong Jazz Award and Andrea Gronbeck received the Director's

Award.

At the Underwood choral and band concert the National Choral Award was presented to Wade Miller and Jennifer Glesne and the John Philip Sousa Award to Harmony

#### 35 YEARS AGO - 1982

Everts Lumber Company was to celebrate 100 years of

John Schmid and Ronda Rowe were speakers at Battle Lake Commencement. Nuptial: Rebecca Harald-

son and Lauris Woessner, May Birth: Jessica Lee, May 17

to Mr, and Mrs. Steve Halstensgaard.

Denise Peterson and Jim Larsen of Underwood School

earned the State Choral Award.

Andrea Naumann was given the coveted Arion Choral Award at Battle Lake with Lusa Hartman presented the John Philip Sousa Award.

#### 75 YEARS AGO - 1942

The annual sermon at Baccalaureate services were to be by Rev. Frank Salveson with 33 seniors as honored guests.

First Lieutenant Ruben Parson was named Intelligence Officer of an infantry regiment stationed in South Car-

Specials at B & H Mercantile were Our Family Gelatin 5¢; Cherrioats 2/23¢; Hershey's cocoa, 1 lb.  $17\phi$ ; lemons, 27¢ dozen.

Specials at Nelson Bros. Grocery, were Bakers cocoanut 1 lb. pkg. 33¢; Crisco 3 lbs. 69¢; Ivory soap 4 bars for 19¢; bulk coffee, 21¢

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Every Wednesday Bible Study and Kids Club at 7:00

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.

Church Service at 10:45 a.m. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

#### OF BATTLE LAKE An American Baptist Church "Little Brown Church on the Hill" Lynn Hansen, Pastor http://firstbaptistbattlelake.org/

Worship Service at 9:30 a.m.

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#### ~ Catholic ~

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Our Lady of the Lake - Battle Lake Saturday Mass at 6 p.m. (Memorial-Labor Day) Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m. (Yéar round)

> St. James - Maine Saturday Mass at 5 p.m. (October-April) Sunday Mass at 8:30 a.m. (May-September)

> St. Edwards - Henning Saturday Mass at 4 p.m. (May-September) Sunday Mass at 8:30 a.m. (October-April)

#### C & M Alliance **BATTLE LAKE** ALLIANCE CHURCH

401 W. Gilbertson St. 218-864-5539 Derek Mansker, Pastor www.battlelake.org Sundays-

Worship Service at 10 a.m. Wednesdays-

AWANA Clubs - Will resume in fall.

MOPS - Will resume in fall

#### ~ Latter Day Saints ~ **COMMUNITY OF CHRIST**

(former Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints) Clitherall, MN - 218-864-5527 Elder Richard Harding, Pastor 218-864-8894 Scheduled worship services will resume in the spring

#### CHURCH OF JESUS **CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**

Located on Highway 34 East and Pelican River Road, Detroit Lakes Howard L. Olson. Branch President Sundays-

Sacrament at 10:00 a.m. Sunday School and Primary 11:15

a.m.

Relief Society, Priesthood 12:10

#### **CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**

14711 125th Ave., Wadena Robb Oyster, Branch President 218-924-4364

Sundays-Sacrament at 10:00 a.m. Sunday School and Primary 11:15

# **CHURCH OF JESUS**

CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

505 Richland Street, Wahpeton, ND 701-642-2463 Dan Anderson, Branch President 701-678-2774

Sundavs-Sacrament Meeting at 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School and Primary 11:15

a.m. Priesthood and Relief Society

Young Men and Women at 7 p.m. Family History Center, 9 a.m.-8:30 p.m. or by appointment, 218-557-9232.

#### ~ Lutheran ~ **AURDAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Aurdal Township, Fergus Falls, MN undays-

Corner of Hwy 1 and Hwy 35 Rural Underwood 218-826-6487 Worship Service at 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion first Sunday of each month. Sundays-

#### **BETHEL LUTHERAN CHURCH** Battle Lake Campus - Meets at

Lakes Area Community Center 112 West Main St., Battle Lake Pastor Kevin Foss - 218-862-4903 Website: bethellbc.org Email: office@bethellbc.org Sundays -

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Wednesday, May 24-

a.m. Coffee Fellowship

Wednesday, May 31

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Thursday, May 25-

Friday, May 26-

Sunday, May 28-

Staff at 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday, May 31—
TOPS at 10:30 a.m.

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Praise Team at 6:30 p.m.

at 8 a.m.

www.EagleLakeLutheranChurch.com (6 miles south of Battle Lake on Hwy.

78, 1 mile east on Hwy. 81)

Choir at 6:30 p.m.

Friday, May 26—
Graduation at Battle Lake at 7 p.m.

Sunday, May 28— Summer Schedule Begins.

Choir Rehearsal at 9 a.m. Contemporary Worship at 9:30

Tuesday, May 30— Men's Bible Study at 10 a.m.

FIRST LUTHERAN

**CHURCH** 

Bradley Skogen, Pastor 505 W. Holdt St. - PO Box 268 Battle Lake - 218-864-5686

Pastor's Text Study at 9:30 a.m. Good Sam at 10 a.m.

Hymnfest Practice at 5:30 p.m.

Coffee/Conversation at 9:30 a.m.

Red Cross Blood Drive 12:30-6:30

**FOLDEN LUTHERAN** 

**CHURCH** 

Rud Wasson, Jr., Pastor

(Hwy 40, five miles south of Vining)

**GRACE LUTHERAN** 

**CHURCH** 

Church of the Lutheran Brethren

Rud Wasson, Jr., Pastor 306 Holden Ave., Henning

Second Wednesday — Ladies Bible Study Group at 7 p.m.

**LEAF MOUNTAIN** 

**LUTHERAN CHURCH** 

Cty. Hwy. 6, rural Clitherall

Ben Johnson, Interim Pastor

Coffee Fellowship at 9:30 a.m.

N.W. Underwood-Co Rd. 35 & 18

Timothy Collins, Pastor

218-826-6643

Sunday School at 9 a.m. Worship at 10:15 a.m. Coffee Fel-

Worship at 6:30 p.m.
Communion: First Sunday of the

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**CHURCH** 

Chantell Lankford, Pastor

Sundays— Sept.-May—Sunday School and Confirmation at 9:15 a.m.

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(Three miles south of #210 on #47, 18638 Trefoldighed Road)

www.battlelakechurch.weebly.com trefoldighedchurch@gmail.com

218-864-5006

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**SVERDRUP LUTHERAN** 

CHURCH

209 Southern Ave.

Underwood

218-826-6919

Pastor Nancy Monke

Website: sverdruplutheran.org

Sunday School at 10:15 a.m. (Sept. to May).

TINGVOLD LUTHERAN

CHURCH

**Pastor Nancy Monke** 

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Fellowship coffee at 9:30 a.m. Sunday School at 10 a.m. (No Sunday School in May.)

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Worship at 11 a.m.

Sundays-

June-August-

February-May-

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Coffee at 8:15 a.m.

Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday School at 10 a.m.

Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.

MESSIAH LUTHERAN

**CHURCH** 

(Independent)

lowship following service.

Hymnfest Practice at 5:30 p.m.

Praise Team at 6:30 p.m.

Sundays — Worship Service at 11 a.m.

Sundays — Worship Service at 9 a.m.

Sundays-

Sundays-

Wednesdays -

Choir at 8 a.m

Worship at 8:30 a.m.

Coffee Fellowship at 9 a.m. Worship at 10 a.m. Noisy offering.

Tuesday, May 30— Men's Renewal at 6:45 a.m.

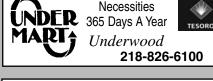
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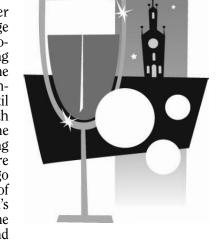
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**Sunday, May 28, 2017** 7th Sunday of Easter

Acts 1:6-14 1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11 John 17:1-11

## Sin Boldly?

There is a famous letter from Martin Luther to his fellow reformer Philip Melanchthon where Luther tells him to sin boldly. This passage has often been taken out of context to claim that Luther was a reprobate, but if we look carefully at the context in which Luther was advising Melanchthon to "sin boldly" we see that nothing could be further from the truth. Melanchthon was having doubts about the Catholic church withholding the wine from the laity in the distribution of the Eucharist. Until 1416, all members of the church could receive the Eucharist in both species, i.e. the bread and the wine, but after 1416 the church withheld the chalice from the laity. Melanchthon was worried that he might be sinning and Martin Luther essentially told him that in matters like this, where there is considerable doubt about whether you are sinning or not, to go ahead and sin boldly. He also said to "pray boldly for you are the boldest of sinners." Sometimes we fear that we are sinning, and may even doubt God's ability to forgive us, but none of us really know God's mind on these fine details of faith, and in that context, Luther's advice is apt. Sin boldly and trust that God's grace is sufficient. —Christopher Simon



The law was brought in so that the trespass might increase. But where sin increased, grave increased all the more, so that, just as sin reigned in death, so also grace might reign through righteousness to bring eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord. Romans 5:20-21 NIV

#### **VINING LUTHERAN CHURCH** Dawna Hochstein, Pastor

Wednesday, May 24-

Choir at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, May 28— Worship at 9 a.m.

Wednesday, May 31 –
Choir at 6:30 p.m.

#### ZION LUTHERAN-AMOR

James Gronbeck, Pastor

Wednesday, May 24 God's Acres Work Day at 9 a.m. Choir practice at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 25— Confrence Pastor meeting at 9

Sunday, May 28— Pancake Breakfast 8 a.m.-12 p.m. Traditional Worship at 8:15 a.m.

Informal Worship at 10 a.m. Monday, May 29-Military Honors at Zion Cemetery at 7:45 a.m.

Tuesday, May 30— Bible Study at 10 a.m Planting Harvest Garden at 1 p.m. Wednesday, May 31-

Choir practice at 6:30 p.m.

#### ~ Methodist ~ **OTTERTAIL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Rod Tournquist, Pastor Sundavs-Sunday Worship Service at 8:30

a.m. (November-April).
Sunday Worship Service at 8:45 a.m. (May-October).

#### **HENNING UNITED** METHODIST CHURCH Mark Bateson, Pastor 503 Holden Ave. Sundays-

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#### Missouri Synod ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN **CHURCH**

Missouri Synod Ottertail, MN - 218-367-2470 Dr. Karl Weber, Pastor

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# READ THE ADS

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## Theology in the Trenches

by Kathleen Kjolhaug

2000 Flushes!

I was in the mood to save me a buck or two. Looking at the items on the list needing to be purchased, I promised myself the best of the best in any given category was not necessary. It was merely a weekend visit to the cabin, and so getting by would be

Paper towels, dish soap, milk, and bowl cleaner were spelled out in no particular order. Some of the items were a must, but the tablets to plop into the toilet bowl tank were not. Yet, the blue in the bowl that keeps on working when we are not at the cabin comforts me. There is a feeling of cleanliness that sort of sparkles within knowing the bowl will be germ free upon our return. It psychologically helps me feel better about my role as housekeeper of the place.

When I hit the aisle in which this item is sold, the namebrand was about two bucks more than the off-brand. The least costly had a powerful label, "2000 Flushes...Blue plus Bleach!" Proud of my prudent plan to spend less, I placed it into the cart. Finishing up with the rest of my purchases, I was soon out the

door making my way back to the cabin. Once there, I put each item away and the last one was my 2000 Flush find. Lifting the heavy lid on the ceramic tank, I managed to carefully cut open the package which promised to kill 99.9% of all bacteria! Feeling quite satisfied with not only my purchase but with my standard of cleanliness, in went the round white solid tablet.

The large Alka-Seltzer look alike spiraled down to the bottom of the tank, and I waited in wonderment hoping to witness the bursting forth of color. Soon, the transparent water would change to a vibrant aqua blue. Honestly, it's worth the investment just based on the feeling of happy it brings within.

As it kerplunked to the bottom and sat there, so did I...sat there that is. I waited a bit longer and with little to no change in the color of the water before me, I was perplexed. Quickly, I ran into the kitchen to find a long utensil in order to prod it along in the process. Plunging it into the toilet tank of water, the solid chunk of round stuff still did absolutely nothing. No color, no fizz, no nothing!

Grabbing the package in order to reread the label, I found someone could actually advertise this as "BLUE plus BLEACH!" While the 2000 Flushes might be accurate, the BLUE was nowhere to be had...and I had been had. Apparently, the printing of the words in blue ink was "honest enough" for them to sell a product dishonestly.

Philippians 4:8 reminds me on what it is I need to focus. "Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable-if anything is excellent or praiseworthythink about such things."

And so, I think I'm thankful to have saved some bucks, thankful for 2000 flushes (although the tally marks have yet to be calculated) and thankful I own an extra place to keep clean. Amen.

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Kathryn Dean Elmer gradu-

ated from McGill University

with a Bachelor of Science

degree in Earth System Sci-

ence in February 2017. She

will walk in the convocation

ceremony June 5 at McGill

Elaine Elmer of Battle Lake.

She is the granddaughter of

Kathryn is employed as a

research assistant in the avia-

tion division of Canada's

National Research Council in

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State University candidates

for graduation was Brady

Cameron of Battle Lake. He

earned a MS in Strategic

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# **New Art Featured at OTCHS Museum**

The Otter Tail County Historical Society will be featuring the work of Chris Olson and Nikki Turner from May 15 until June 12.

A resident of Norcross, Chris Olson's current work consists of rare and/or occasional acts of nature that include weather, the changing of the seasons and other phenomena. Other areas of interest include Minnesota's diverse landscape. He describes his work as "created and driven through the passion and deep appreciation of nature and my natural surroundings including wildlife, landscapes, culture and people.

Nikki Turner of Barrett is displaying work she says represents what the artist thinks of when she thinks of Minnesota. She paints from photographs, about half of which she took her-





## 55+ Driver Improvement Program

The Minnesota Highway Safety Center will be offering a 55+ Driver Improvement 4-hour refresher course June 15, 12-4 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church of Amor, 36051 Co Hwy 74, Battle

The fee for the refresher course is \$22.00. For more information or to register, visit our website at www.mnsafetycenter.org or call toll free 1-888-234-1294.



# Good Samaritan Outlook

by Jim Wolf

Things to remember...

"Memorial Day" is a day to remember-a day to reflect on the commitment of so many brave men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice so that we are blessed to enjoy the freedoms we celebrate in so many ways.

These brave men and women is what this day is all about. It is a somber, not celebratory moment. Freedom meant so much that brave men and women did not even hold their lives dear, but gave them up for

We remember with deep gratitude their gift of life which is given to each of us in the form of the freedoms we enjoy every day in America.

300,000 soldiers, and other persons, are buried at Arlington National Cemetery. Most are faces and names most of us would not recog-But they are all important...They all have a common ancestry, a mother, father, grand-par-

They served under a president elected in a free democracy. They died-all for a common cause-to keep this, "One Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all" free!

Memorial Day is a U. S. federal holiday observed on the last Monday of May, formerly known as "Decoration Day."

It commemorates U.S. men and women who died while in military service. First enacted to honor Union soldiers of the American Civil War (it is celebrated near the day of reunification after the Civil War), it was expanded after World War I to include American casualties of any war or military action.

Many people will observe this holiday by visiting cemeteries and memorials. A National moment of remembrance takes place at 3 p.m.,

The National Memorial Day Concert takes place on the west lawn of the United States Capitol. The concert is broadcast on PBS and NPR.

Music will be performed, and respect paid to the men and women who sacrificed their lives for their

In addition to remembrance. Memorial Day is also a day when families come together for picnics, barbecues, family gatherings and sporting events.

One of the longest-standing traditions is the running of the Indianapolis 500, which has been held in conjunction with Memorial Day since

Battle Lake will hold their own National observance on Memorial Day-quite often in the high school gymnasium.

The band will play patriotic songs. The color guard of the American Legion Post will present the colors of America to what we hope will be a standing room only crowd.

We will remember the lives of fallen soldiers, many of whom we know. They are our "modern-day heroes"men and women who loved freedom more than life itself.

Prayers and a speech will be given that will lift up the legacy of life given us by the ultimate sacrifice made by brave men and women.

Lest We Forget...All those brave men and women who gave their lives in service to our nation: We honor them today, and we thank them for their sacrifice!

To Our POW/MIA's...You Are Never Forgotten. On Memorial Day, we remember these heroes and ALL OTHERS who gave their lives for the cause of freedom. (This list is by no means complete)

American Revolution-4,435....War 1812----2,260....Mexican War----13,283... War----620,000....Spanish American War----2,446.

World War I----116,708....World War II----407.316....Korean Conflict----33,651....Vietnam War----58,168.

Gulf War----293....Lebanon---254....Grenada----18....Somalia----29....USS Cole----17....Operation Enduring Freedom----128.

Operation Iraqi Freedom (War on Terror)----128 & ongoing....Operation Iraqi Freedom----4,491....War in Afghanistan----3,491......God Bless America!

Syttende Mai celebration on May 17th was a terrific success. A great turn-out of area folks and campus residents, enjoyed the many special foods provided for the occasion, along with some great toe-tapping music provided by Jean Moeller and Shirley Lundgren.

Folks are still commenting about the tasty Scandinavian goodies. The Auxiliary wishes to thank everyone who supported this fun event.

Auxiliary members hosting the celebration were Sandy Johnson, Pat Garza, Judy Kimpton, Shelly Scheer, Rita Heinrich, Laura Miller, Lois Susag, Eileen McNab, Anita Boyum and Dawn wolf.

#### Volunteer celebration

The annual Volunteer Recognition celebration is scheduled for Thursday, May 25th at the Shoreline Restaurant beginning at 11:30 a.m. with a tasty luncheon. We look forward to celebrating with our many wonderful volunteers. Chuckle...

Ole Olson walked into a watch company and asked for a job that paid \$100 a week. But after talking to the manager about it, he said that he wanted \$200 a week.

The manager asked, "Have you ever done precision work before?" "No," said Ole. "Well, then," said the manager, "Why do you want twice as much money?"

"Because it's harder ven ya don't know how ta do it," replied Ole.

## Otter Tail-Grant County Soybean-Corn Growers Award Local Students in Agriculture w/Scholarships

In an effort to reward students pursing a college education in agriculture, the Otter Tail -Grant Soybean – Corn Growers have awarded four students \$500.00 each in Otter Tail and Grant counties. The following individuals are the chosen scholarship winners:

Andrew Backman - Herman: Backman, son of Tim and Marilyn Backman, will be graduating on May 26 from Herman-Norcross Community schools and will be attending the University of Minnesota. His intentions are to graduate in 2021 and then apply and attend the University of Minnesota's School of Veterinary Medicine. His goal is to become a Small Animal Soft Tissue Veterinary Surgeon.

Benjamin Cole – Battle Lake: Cole, son of Dan Cole and Lisa Cole, is a 2017 graduate of Battle Lake Public School and has been accepted to Alexandria Technical College for the fall of 2017. He will be majoring in Mechatronics. Mechatronics combines mechanical, electrical and information technology into a single major. When he is done with school he plans to stay in a rural setting.

Alyssa K. Evavold – Battle Lake: Evavold, daughter of Les and Kathy Evavold, is a 2017 graduate of Battle Lake High School and will be attending Minnesota State Community and Technical College in Fergus Falls where she has been admitted to their Equine Science program. Upon completing her two years in Fergus Falls,

she will transfer to the University of Minnesota Crookston to finish her bachelor's degree in pre-veterinary medicine. Looking to the future she can see herself working with animals, preferably horses. However, she says growing up on a farm introduced her to dogs, cats, beef and dairy cattle, all of which she enjoyed.

Lydia Hansen - Vining: Hanson, daughter of Donald and Sandra Hansen, is a 2017 graduate of Henning Public School. She plans to attend the University of Minnesota, Crookston in the fall to study Agricultural Business and Animal Science. She says her career options are numerous and she has not decided what exact career path she plans to pursue.

The Otter Tail - Grant County Soybean -Corn Growers are proud of these individuals and excited for their future paths in agriculture. Agriculture is the nation's largest employer with more than 23 million jobs.

The Otter Tail - Grant County Soybean -Corn Growers are affiliated with the Minnesota Soybean Research & Promotion Council, which oversees the investment of soybean checkoff dollars on behalf of approximately 25,000 farmers in Minnesota. The Council is governed by the rules of a federally mandated checkoff program that requires all soybean producers pay a fee on the soybeans they sell. This money is used to promote, educate and develop market opportunities for soybeans.

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Week. Among the dozens taking up the offer was Shelly

Sagerhorn, a fabulous RN at Good Samaritan Society of Battle Lake. Shelly has worked as an RN for 24 years. This is the

fourth year Elmer's has offered complimentary dinners for

area nurses, in addition to offering appreciation dinners to

Photo by Rick Schara.



Good Sam Auxiliary hosting annual Syttende Mai celebration. Pictured are Laura Miller, Anita Boyum, Lois Susag, Rita Heinrich, Eileen McNab and Shelly Scheer. Not pictured Submitted photos Sandy Johnson, Pat Garza, Dawn Wolf and Judy Kimpton.



Sharing music for the Syttende Mai celebration were Jean Moeller and Shirley Lundgren.

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# ~ Area Meetings ~

**NA Support Group** NA will meet every Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the Henning Community Center.

#### AA and Al-Anon

AA and Al-Anon meet every Friday at 8 p.m. at the Battle Lake Senior Citizens Center.

AA meets every Friday at 8 p.m. (Joe and Charlie

Tape) at the Battle Lake Community Center.

AA meets every Sunday, Monday and Thursday evening at 7 p.m. at the Methodist Church in Ottertail.

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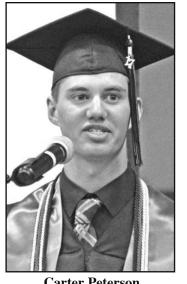
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Foreign Exchange Students Emma Britten and Anastasiya Ivankova







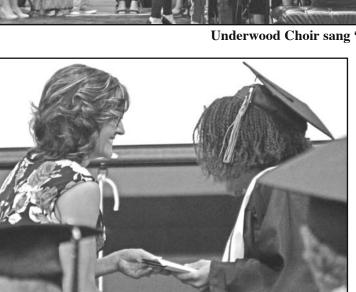
Underwood Band performed "Drums of the Saamis" as well as the processional and recessional.



Underwood Choir sang "I Lived" and "Jai Ho".



Spencer Beck receiving his diploma.



Assante Creek receiving her diploma.



Carter Peterson receiving his diploma from his mother, Michele Peterson.

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## 'Back To The Future Welcomes You'

Sibling duo, Linda Keller and Faron Flink, along with spouses Jeff and Sharon (respectively) would like to welcome everyone to their recently opened shop, "Back To The Future." Located just off of Highway 210 and on the edge of Battle Lake, the shop features antiques, furniture, jewelry, and so much more! Hours are: Sunday-Monday, Closed; Tuesday-Wednesday, 10-5 and Thursday-Saturday, 10-7.

Owning an antique shop didn't happened randomly for Linda, Faron, and their families. Faron has been collecting items since he was 14 years old and Linda always enjoyed refurbishing older items. Linda and Faron have both lived and worked around the Otter Tail County area for their whole lives. After renting a small space to sell their items in Fergus Falls, they knew they wanted to open up their own full shop. Battle Lake

proved to be the town for the job.

When asked what their favorite part of the job is, Faron responded saying, "Dealing with people, used stuff, and looking to make everyone happy. Seeing people with a smile is the best." After working as a CNA for many years, Linda is familiar with helping people. She commented that being able to help people is one of her favorite aspects of this job.

The team at "Back To The Future" would like to invite vendors to sign-up for the Flea Market this summer. Flea Markets in Battle Lake are held the first weekend of each month. Stop by their shop or call in to get sign-up!

Be sure to stop by "Back To The Future" for all your antique and unique shopping needs! You won't be disappointed!

Story and photos by Emily Carlson





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## **Battle Lake Pairs & Squares Mother's Day Dance**

It was Mother's Day. We received beautiful cards from our children. Some even received flowers. Why not? It was a sunny 80\* day and Mom's are special. So our dance took on that special feeling. With friends from around our region, Roger McNeil called the dance for all the *Pretty Women* in the hall. Three squares were there to enjoy his music and calling. Amanda was our first Round dance led by Bernadette McNeil. Roger's Sugar Pie Honey Bunch. Somehow I'm happy, you're happy from the Good ole days are right now came on. That sounds like if Ma Ma ain't happy no

one is. So with our circle of friends. Chicka Chicka line dance was on the agenda next. We pulsed on through the 4 heads and on with the Garden Party. We had some trouble. We looked like Bandy the Rodeo Clown at times, with all our missteps. So Roger Binga Bangda Boomed us back home, and we were done. The evening ended with I'll be your Baby Tonight, and Good Luck Charm. Yes, we had a great dance.
Our lunch had Mom's favorite cookies and

some sandwiches for all to enjoy.

Our next dance is May 28th at 7 p.m. Theme:

# Sew Sew Club Final Project



Ann Gibbs and her wonderful cew of volunteers have led Sew Sew Club throughiut the 2016-17 school year. Students meet once a month to learn STEAM skills (science, technology, engineering, art and math) through sewing and fabric construction. Students above model their final projects—pajama pants. From left to right: Emmy Olson, Emma Sauer, Addison Maethner, Laney Frost, Morgan Draeger, Brooklyn Smith, Kendra Petersen, Cadence Hartman; seated: Molly **Durbin and Madison Cameron. Submitted photo** 

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Lunch: Cook's choice. Friday, May 26—

Breakfast: Cook's choice of whole grain muffin, cinnamon roll, bagel/Danish or alternate.

Lunch: Cook's Choice. Last day of school.



NSI Senior Meals served at the Kountry Korner Kafe in Henning from 8-11 a.m. for breakfast and 11 a.m.-2 p.m. for lunch with milk, bread or roll. Meals on Wheels are available to anyone in the city limits seven days a week. Call 218-583-



Battle Lake Senior Dining is available to persons over the age of 60. Meals are served at the Battle Lake Senior Citizen Center Monday-Friday at 12 noon and Meals on Wheels are available to homebound seniors. Please call the Battle Lake Senior Center and leave a message by 9 a.m. to reserve a meal at 218-864-8768. The suggested voluntary donation rate is \$4 per meal and EBT cards are also accepted.

## **Underwood Senior Dining**

Underwood Senior Dining is no longer served in Underwood but is available to be delivered to persons over the age of 60. If you would like a meal delivered please call the Battle Lake Senior Center at 218-864-8768. The suggested voluntary donation rate is \$4.00 per meal and EBT cards are also accepted.



The Battle Lake Pairs and Squares will dance Sunday, May 28 at 7 p.m. at the Battle Lake Senior Center with caller Jim Lizakowski. Theme is Sports Night/Grandstand

Menu items offered daily: 1% milk, skim milk, skim chocolate milk, soy milk for special needs. Juice is no longer offered as a substitute for kids with milk allergies. They do not have to take milk. Water is provided in the lunchroom to students and soy milk is available for students. Cheese sandwich offered daily as an alternate.

Alternate menus include vegetables, fruit, whole grain breads, skim, 1% or skim chocolate milk.

Breakfast alternates: whole grain low sugar cereal or low fat yogurt and granola. Breakfasts include whole grain toast, jelly, fruit cup, one 4 oz. juice and milk.

#### Thursday, May 25—

Hot hamburger, potato, vegetable, dessert or fruit. Friday, May 26—

Liver/onions or alternate hamburger steak, potato, vegetable, roll, dessert.

Saturday, May 27-Cook's Choice. Sunday, May 28-

Meatloaf or chicken. Monday, May 29-CLOSED

Tuesday, May 30-German (kraut) burger,

soup, dessert. Wednesday, May 31—

Hotdish, salad, roll, dessert or fruit.

Thursday, May 25— Taco salad, ambrosia salad,

corn muffin, Jello chiffon. Cards (Pinochle) at 1 p.m.

Friday, May 26-Penny Bingo at 10 a.m.

Cook's Choice.

Monday, May 29-CLOSED.

Tuesday, May 30— Rotini w/meat sauce, mixed

vegetables, garlic toast medallions, fruit cup.

Cards (Pinochle) at 1 p.m. Wednesday, May 31—

Penny Bingo at 10 a.m. Tuna pasta salad, fresh

fruit, corn muffin, rice krispy

All meals served with low fat milk, bread and margarine.

Nutrition Services Inc. provides this service through a contract with the West Central Area Agency on Aging with funding from the Federal Older Americans' Act through the Minnesota Board on Aging.



Wednesday, May 31— Clitherall City Offices 10-

Vining Post Office 10:45-

11:15 a.m.









**Books and Bikes!** 

May is National Bike Month. At the Fergus Falls Public Library, we've got bikes on the brain this month not only because it's Bike Month but also because we're really excited about debuting our beta book bike this summer!

The librarian powered book bike will transport books to community locations where the books can be checked out. It's beta because this summer will be a trial run (ride?) to see how we can best use a bike to help bring the library book collection out into the community. If the pilot project is successful, we'll move forward on plans to acquire a more permanent book bike in the

To celebrate Bike Month and the future debut of the beta book bike, we've put together a list of bike-related books, all available for check-out at the library, for your reading pleasure. One cautionary note, reading while riding is not encouraged.

The City was fortunate to receive the gift of a bike maintenance station, courtesy of the Lake Alice 100 bike race. The repair station is located near the front entrance of the library. If you're interested in learning more about choosing a bike and/or maintaining and repairing a bike, we have a few books that might interest you:

The Bike Book: Complete step-by-step guide to choosing, maintaining, and repairing your bicycle" by Fred Milson-A great basic book covering bicycle parts and systems (includes an overview of kids' and adults' bikes), tools, and bike care.

"Zinn And The Art of Road Bike Maintenance" by Lennard Zinn.—Looking for a more comprehensive manual? This is it! Thorough text instructions and also includes detailed illustrations. We've also compiled some fun bike-related titles you can share with the children in your life who might be trying out their first two-wheeler:

Bike Books for Children, compiled by Arielle Krohn, Youth Services Librarian:

"A Bike Like Sergio's" by Maribeth Boelts (2016)—Ruben really wants a new bike like his friend Sergio has but his family cannot afford one. When Ruben sees a woman accidentally drop a \$100 bill on the ground he has to make a tough decision to figure out the right thing to do. A great picture book conversation starter! Grades K -2

"Joseph's Big Ride" by Terry Farish and Ken Daley (2016)— Joseph and his mother immigrate from Kenya to America where everything is strange to Joseph. A bicycle ends up being the key to feeling comfortable with his new life. A wonderfully-illustrated and important book which covers topics like friendship, moving, and refugees. Grades K -2

"Kids' Cycling Handbook: Tips, Facts and Know-How about Road, Track, BMX and Mountain Biking" edited by Dynamo Limited (2016)—A non-fiction guide to bike basics for kids. Full-color illustrations and photos as well as fun bike facts make this a handy handbook to check-out. Grades 2 - 6

### **Anton Jones Named New Artistic Director for CLIMB Theatre**

For the first time since its founding, 42 years ago, Twin Cities based CLIMB Theatre is under new leadership.

The CLIMB Theatre Board of Directors has announced the appointment of Anton Jones as their new Artistic Director and CEO. He assumes responsibilities now and will succeed the theatre's founder, Peg Wetli, who has retired after serving one of the longest tenures as Artistic Director in the state.

Before taking a fulltime position at CLIMB last September as the Director and Manager of the touring performance company, Anton had directed for CLIMB multiple times and had provided professional development workshops for employees over the past 10 years.

"It's very rare to find an organization who's mission is so closely tied to your personal mission as an artist and CLIMB presents that for me" Jones states, "I am extremely excited to build upon the strong foundation that has been developed over the past 42 years while strengthening CLIMB's partnership with other arts organizations, schools and organizations that serve youth both locally and nationally.

Anton Jones, whose personal mission has been "to change the face of the American Theatre Audience", will be one of the youngest Artistic Directors of an organization of this size in the state, however his connection to the Twin Cities arts scene predates his birth. His grandmother, Dr. Geneva Southall, was an instrumental force in the local music and arts education scene and served on the music and African Studies faculty of the University of Minnesota from the early seventies until her retirement in the early 90s. His mother was a founding member of Penumbra Theatre Company and an alumnus of the University of MN Theatre program. As a child, he grew up watching his mother work with August Wilson and Lloyd Richards (director







"Hero on a Bicycle" by Shirley Hughes (2013)—A WWII adventure story that takes place in Nazi-occupied Florence, Italy. 13-year-old Paolo is too young to fight in the war but yearns for action. He sneaks out every night to ride his bike through the dark streets only to be caught. How can he, his sister, and his bicycle play a part to oppose the German forces? Perfection for fans of historical fiction and thrilling stories. Grades 5 - 9.

Happy biking and reading (just not at the same time)!

Fergus Falls Public Library is taking its youth programs "on the move" this summer! We are excited to be offering the following youth events and programs:

Summer Story Walks—We're moving our weekly children's programs to the parks. Stop by and read an interactive picture book with your children and enjoy other fun outdoor activities. Call the library for weather cancellation info. Remember to bring your library card as select books will be available for check-out on our beta book bike! Tuesdays, June 6 - July 25-9:00 - 11:00 a.m. (No program

on July 4) Location: NP Park-Join us for picture book story walks and lawn games.

Wednesdays, June 7 - July 26—2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Location: Athletic Park-Join us for picture book story walks and the Kaddatz Family Art Table. Kaddatz Family Art Table—Wednesdays, June 7 - July 26,

2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Location: Athletic Park-Free, fun, and informal art events for all ages and abilities. Lunch Bunch Book Club—Thursdays, June 8 - July 27, 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Grades 4th - 8th, Location: StudioK-We will

be reading "Red: The True Story of Little Red Riding Hood" by Liesl Shurtliff. Registration is now closed for this program. Family Concert: Ralph's World Live!—Tuesday, June 27, 6:30 - 7:15 p.m. Location: KSS Auditorium, 601 Randolph Ave-Rock 'n' roll for the whole family! Grammy-nominated chil-

dren's musician Ralph Covert shares his humorous original songs in a solo acoustic, high-energy concert! This project was funded in part or in whole with monies from Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage fund. Sponsored by FFPL, Viking Library System, and Fergus Falls Community Education. All-Ages Book Club Night-Monday, July 11, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Children and adults are invited to our annual all-ages sum-

mer book discussion. We'll be reading "The Penderwicks" by Jeanne Birdsall. Fun activities and treats. You can request a copy of the book through the library. Location to be determined. Family Special Event: Passing Down the Tradition: Fiddle

fun with Musician Pamela Longtine - Wednesday, July 26, 6:30 - 7:15 p.m. Location: Otter Tail County Historical Society-Discover how the fiddle has been a part of our heritage through stories and live music. Learn about the magic of the fiddle and how it has been part of Minnesota and American tradition. Pamela Longtine will play fiddle tunes from a variety of cultures, many of which are specific to this area. Perfect for all ages!

Fergus Falls Public Library would like to thank the following sponsors and community partners: The Friends of the Fergus Falls Public Library, Kaddatz Galleries, City of Fergus Falls Parks and Recreation Department, Otter Tail County Historical Society, and the Lake Region Arts Council.

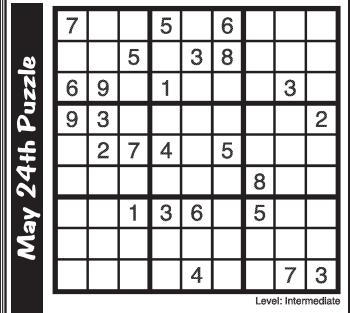
Arielle Krohn is the Youth Services Librarian at the Fergus Falls Public Library.

of the Broadwsay premiers of Raisin in the Son and Frances) as she served as Lloyd's assistant at Yale Repertory Theatre. With that foundation of education and theatre, he attended Grinnell College where he accidently fulfilled three majors (Theatre, Sociology ad American Studies) and received his MFA from the presitious University of Iowa Playwrights Workshop. For the past 12 years he has worked tirelessly as an advocate for arts integration, theatre for social change and youth empowerment in the theatre community as well as within schools both urban and suburban. He is a two time Jerome Many Voices Recipient, has had his plays developed at theatres such as Pillsobury House Theatre, Penumbra, Pangea World Theatre and the Illusion Theatre. His music and sound design work has been heard internationally as well as Off-Broadway. He has directed world premiers, Shakespeare, Hip-hop theatre pieces and devised works on all levels.



# SUDOKU... Fun By The Numbers!

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!



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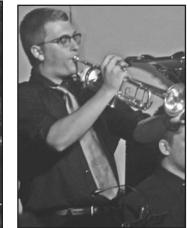


## Band Concert, June 15



**Senior High Band** 





**Braydon Consley** 





Braydon Consley sang a solo.

**Elementary Band** 

SENIORS-Back row: Brandon Nice, Ryan Hansen, Sam Swartz, Seth Johansen, Max Scott, Carter Peterson; front: Gabby Bernhardt, Isabella Weber, Jacob Thompson, Madison Hoeksta, Asante Creek, Kyle Anderson, Braydon Consley.

Photos courtesy of Roxanne Thompson and Crystal Hoekstra



Ensemble - Clancy Maihori, Abby Marfell, Jacob Thompson, Max Scott and Emma Fitzgibbons.

## Elementary Choir Concert, June 18



Grades 4-6 with their program titled "Jukebox Time Machine" featuring music from the different decades. Programs were directed by TJ Pelanek and Dana Flint. Photos by Roxanne Thompson



Grades 1-3 with their baseball themed program "It's A Hit".

# Congratulations to all participants! Thanks for the memories!

#### **Underwood Choral Department**



**Concert Choir** 



Director Dana Flint sang a tribute to the seniors.



**Junior High Choir** 



**Elementary Choir** 



**Chad Muchow and Abigail Marfell** 



Choir women sang "Girls Just Wanna Have Fun".



Asante Creek, Tina Tiffany, Isabella Weber, Sam Swartz, Carter Peterson, Jacob Thompson, Seth Johansen, Morgan Sande and Brianna Harthan.

# Legion Places Paver in Memory of Elroy Harworth

Underwood Legion Post placed a paver in memory of Master Sgt. Elroy E. Harworth at the Veteran's Memorial in Underwood.

Elroy graduated from Underwood Public School in 1959. Very active in school activities, he participated in Band 1-2-3-4, Class Plays 3-4, Football 1-2-3-4, Basketball 1-2-3-4, Baseball 1-2-3-4 and was Homecoming King.



Breaking the Dragon's Jaw by Walter J. Boyne

Some World War II targets-the refineries of Ploesti in Romania, the V-2 infrastructure at Peenemunde in Germany, the Japanese naval base at Truk-were so obviously important they immediately commanded the attention of both attackers and defenders.

Such was the case with the Thanh Hoa Bridge in North Vietnam, during the Vietnam War.

Supplies flowed in a torrent through this rugged span, from North Vietnamese ports and factories to the Ho Chi Minh Trail and on to South Vietnam. The Americans tried to use the irresistible force of their weaponry to destroy this vital conduit and bottleneck.

The North Vietnamese strove to make the bridge an immovable object with an incredibly powerful integrated defense system. The defenders succeeded in keeping the bridge in service for seven long, casualty filled years.

Officially called the Thanh Hoa Railroad and Highway Bridge, it was nicknamed the Ham Rong (Dragon's Jaw) because of its lay-Two concrete abutments were

each sited on slight elevations in the generally flat plain. The bridge was supported in the center with a massive concrete pier. To the North Vietnamese, the layout of the bridge looked like a gaping dragon's mouth. Located just three miles north-

east of Thanh Hoa, the capital of Annam province, the bridge had a special place in the minds of the North Vietnamese. In 1945, during their war against the French, the rebel Viet Minh forces destroyed the original structure by exploding two ammunition filled railroad trains

Reconstruction began in 1957. and Ho Chi Minh attended the opening ceremony in 1964. A conventional steel through truss structure, the new bridge was 540 feet long, 56 feet wide, and ran due west about 50 feet above the surface of the river Song Ma.

A single one-meter gauge railroad track passed down the center of the bridge, while roadways permitting foot and truck traffic were cantilevered on either side of the structure. The North Vietnamese knew it was vitally important and ultimately placed five air defense regiments nearby to defend it. A few

elderly MiG fighters were stationed

in proximity as well, and they proved surprisingly capable.

In 1965, the United States began a two-day assault on the bridge. US planners underestimated the Dragon's Jaw's strength and defenses and overestimated the capability of their own ordnance.

Lt. Col. Robinson Risner, an eight victory ace in the Korean War, was commander of the "Fighting Cocks," the 67th Tactical Fighter Squadron, flying out of Korat RTAB, Thailand. On April 3, his strike package consisted of 46 Republic F-105 Thunderchiefs, well supported by 21 North American F-100s, two McDonnell RF-101s, and 10 tankers. The entire North Vietnamese fighter strength at this time was 56 aircraft.

The F-105, designed as a supersonic long-range tactical nuclear bomber, on this mission carried two types of ordnance. Sixteen carried two AGM-12 Bullpup missiles each, while 30 carried 750-pound bombs.

Mounted externally, the bombs degraded the Thud's speed and adility. The rocket-powered Bullpup, an early precision guided missile, had a 250-pound warhead. The pilot tracked a flare in the back of the missile, using radio signals to steer it. The Bullpups were fired one at a time, requiring two passes

at the target. The precisely coordinated attack began at 2 p.m. on April 3, with Risner in the first airplane. The 32 Bullpups, released at about 12,000 feet, proved difficult to guide, and those that did hit the target did not do significant damage. The effect of the 120 conventional bombs that struck the bridge was also negligi-

An F-100 and an RF-101 were lost, and Risner's airplane was severely damaged, forcing him to land at Da Nang. A second assault

was ordered for the following day. This time 48 F-105s, accompanied by 21 F-100s, dropped their 750-pound bombs. Three hundred bombs struck the bridge, damaging it severely, but not knocking it

A surprise came from the success of the North Vietnamese MiG-17s, which scored their first kills of the war. In a well-planned counterattack, they shot down two F- I 105s. Air Force Chief of Staff, Gen. Joseph P. McConnell was furious that two of the elderly MiG-17s could shoot down the F-105s, and launched an inquiry.

The debacle led to a change in fighter tactics, training, and procurement, but another 334 "Thuds" would be lost in combat before the

Risner himself was shot down twice in F-105s over North Vietnam. The first time, in April 1965, he was rescued. The second time, in September 1965, he was shot down in an area near the Than Hoa Bridge, where he was captured and imprisoned by the North Vietnamese until 1973.

The American attacks against a variety of North Vietnamese bridges continued, and 25 of them were destroyed by the end of May

But the Thanh Hoa Bridge remained\_standing despite return attacks. The 750-pound bombs were simply inadequate to down the structure, and the North Vietnamese became expert in making

emergency repairs. The bridge was removed from the USAF target list when the "Route Package" system was initiated in November 1965. In the new system, the US Navy took over the attacks, with virtually the same lack

of results, for the next three years. The reason for the ineffectiveness was simple: The bridge was overbuilt and the bombs were understrength. Only 11 miles from the South China Sea, the bridge was often protected by bad weather, giving the enemy time to rebuild and strengthen it, adding eight concrete piers. At the same time, massive quantities of air defense supplies flowed in and vigilantly protected the area.

The exact strength of the five air defense regiments varied over time and from place to place, but each one usually had about 1,000 personnel operating about 36 medium or heavy anti-aircraft artillery guns. When surface-to-air missile batteries were provided, for a considerable period they added extra AAA batteries. Five air defense regiments at the time could have included anything from 150 to 200 AAA batteries of varying caliber, able to put up a dense defense.

Indestructible? The combination of rugged structure and a powerful integrated air defense made it obvious a new and far more powerful weapon was needed.

"The apparent invincibility of the bridge; its cost in men, aircraft, and ordinance; its potential strategic importance; its symbolic value to the North Vietnamese-all served as an incentive for US aviators to find different techniques to destroy it," according to USAF's monograph, "The Tale of Two Bridges and the Battle for the Skies Over North Viet-

The personnel of the Air Force Armament Laboratory at Eglin AFB, Fla., worked hard to develop a solution.

A new "mass-focus" weapon weighing about 5,000 pounds was produced. Shaped like a huge pancake, eight feet in diameter and about 30 inches thick, it was designed to focus the force of its explosion along its axis-in both directions. Much too large to be dropped by a fighter, and with unpredictable ballistic qualities, it was intended to be dropped by parachute into the Song Ma. Planning called for it to float down the river to the Dragon's Jaw. There the metal structure of the bridge would set off magnetic detonators and explode the bomb.

A task force was set up at Eglin's Tactical Air Warfare Center. Established in 1963, the TAWC was designed to develop instruments and tactics of armament, night operations, combat support, and command and control.

The task force opted to use the versatile Lockheed C-130 Hercules transport and two crews from the 61st Troop Carrier Squadron at Sewart AFB, Tenn.

There were two crews: one led by Maj. Richard T. Remers and the second by Maj. Thomas F. Case. An array of specialists and technicians were deployed to examine how to drop the weapon, what parachutes to use, and how to ensure the weapon would navigate the river, subject as it was to its depth and current.

After intense training, the C-130s and their crews arrived at Da Nang Air Base in South Vietnam on May 15, 1966.

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(Continued from page 9) Ten of the large mass-focus weapons were available, enough for two missions in what would become known as Operation Carolina Moon.

The operation depended on careful planning, skillful flying, and brave crews. Remers' crew was slated to make the first drop, entering North Vietnam at night and maintaining an altitude of no more than 500 feet.

A flight of two McDonnell F-4 Phantoms was scheduled for a diversionary attack on a highway 10 miles north of the bridge, just before the C-130 would drop its weapons. A Douglas EB-66 Destroyer provided electronic countermeasures protection.

Both aircraft commanders were confident the Hercules was strong enough to make the mission, but each had different ideas on crew safety. Intelligence revealed the North Vietnamese had greatly increased their anti-aircraft artillery capability at the bridge with the addition of five new AAA sites.

Weighing this, Remers felt that if the C-130 were too badly damaged, he should climb to altitude and bail the crew out. He decided that his crew would wear parachutes rather than flak jackets.

Case felt differently, believing that at low altitudes, the crew would be better off wearing flak jackets.

In the end, these decisions mat-

Just after midnight on May 30, Remers took off from Da Nang, flying just 100 feet over the water of the South China Sea until hitting his entry point on the coast of North Vietnam. In less than an hour he was "feet dry," heading up the Song Ma, under the guidance of two navigators, Capt. Norman G. Clanton and 1st Lt. William R. Edmondson. Two release points had been preselected, one two miles from the bridge, and one a single mile away.

Remers climbed to 400 feet, flying at 150 mph. The approach was without incident and he elected to use the second drop point. Just before the drop, the enemy opened up with heavy automatic weapons and anti-aircraft guns. Five of the mass-focus weapons dropped, and Remers picked up speed as he dove back

toward a 100-foot altitude and reversed his route to exit for an uneventful flight back to Da Nang.

Reconnaissance flights the following morning showed that the

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Lunch

Breakfast: Cereal, toast,

Lunch: Hoagie, toppings,

chips, carrots, baked beans.

Breakfast: Egg bake, fruit.

lettuce salad, cucumbers,

Lunch: Chili cheese Fritos,

Breakfast: 4 oz. fruit juice

and 8 oz. 1% white, fat free or

chocolate milk offered.

Lunch: 8 oz. 1% white, fat

free or chocolate milk. Condi-

Thursday, May 18—

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bridge still stood, and there was no evidence of the bombs.

The second mission was laid on for 1 a.m. on May 31. Case asked that Edmondson join his crew for the mission, feeling that his experience from the first mission might be invaluable. The same precautionary measures-diversion attacks and electronic countermeasures support-were supplied.

Finally, Success Case's C-130 departed Da Nang at 1 a.m. May 31 as planned, but nothing more was ever heard from it. One of the diversionary F-4 crews saw AAA fire and a big explosion near the bridge at about the scheduled drop time. The other F-4 was shot down, presumably killing 1st Lt. Ned R. Herrold and Lt. Col. Dayton W. Ragland, who had spent two years as a prisoner of war in Korea. It was Ragland's 98th mission in Vietnam, nearly time for him to return home.

The next morning's reconnaissance mission revealed no damage to the bridge or any evidence of survivors. An extensive search was conducted, but nothing that could be positively identified as belonging to either Case's C-130 or Ragland's F-4 was found. Much later, the interrogation of a captured North Vietnamese sailor revealed that while four of the five mines from Remers' mission had exploded, they had not damaged the bridge.

With this tragic finale, Operation Carolina Moon concluded and its remaining personnel returned to the United States. Their experiment had not been successful, and many years passed before the remains of several of the missing Carolina Moon crew members were recov-

In 1986, the remains of Case, 1st Lt. Armon D. Shingledecker, 1st Lt. Harold J. Zook, and A1C Elroy E. Harworth were returned to the United States for burial with honors. In 1998, the remains of A1C Phillip J. Stickney were returned.

The other Carolina Moon C-130 crew members, Edmondson, Capt. Emmett R. McDonald, and SSgt. Bobby J. Alberton are still listed as missing in action, with a presumptive finding of death.

The two F-4 crew members shot down while flying the diversionary strike, Herrold and Ragland, are

also listed as MIA, presumed dead. Naval aircraft resumed the attacks and continued to go after the bridge until 1968, when the United States halted bombing strikes against North Vietnam. Å

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wide range of aircraft launched different types of weapons-including the AGM-62 Walleye precision guided missile-with no significant

But when Operation Linebacker commenced in 1972, both the Navy Air Force were better equipped. Great progress had been made in the field of precision guided munitions, and these revolutionary weapons would ultimately bring down the Dragon's Jaw.

Air Force F-4 Phantoms from the 8th TFW used Paveway laser guided and TV guided bombs to attack the bridge on April 27, 1972. A section of the western end of the bridge was displaced and knocked into the Song Ma.

A follow-up attack on May 13 saw 14 Phantoms dropping 2,000pound and 3,000-pound LGBs. They knocked the Dragon's Jaw off an abutment and took the bridge out of action, although follow-on strikes were needed, as the North Vietnamese immediately went to work on repairing the bridge.

Final success occurred on Oct. 6, when four Vought A-7s from the carrier *America* attacked. Two were carrying the improved version of the Walleye, while two brought standard Mk 84 general purpose bombs. They struck the center piling and broke the structure in half.

At long last, after seven years, 871 sorties, tremendous expenditure in lives, 11 lost aircraft, and a bewildering array of expended munitions, the Dragon's Jaw was finally broken.

Walter J. Boyne, former director of the National Air and Space Museum in Washington, D.C., is a retired Air Force colonel. He has written more than 600 articles about aviation topics and 40 books, the most recent of which is How the Helicopter Changed Modern Warfare. His most recent article for Air Force Magazine, 'The Influence of Airpower on the Marne," appeared

North Vietnam's Thanh Hoa Bridge was a critical but seemingly invincible target. It took years of bravery, innovation and technological advances to finally take it out. Elroy Harworth from Underwood would lose his life on a mission to "take out" this bridge. This article appeared in the Air Force Magazine, August 2011, and was given to Ron Shebeck by Lucy Harworth, Elroy Harworth's mother.

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# Wins Over Wadena, Lose Two

by Coach Hendrickson

Otter Tail Central fell behind early and couldn't come back in a 9-3 loss to Breckenridge on Mon-

Breckenridge scored on an error and a double by Carson Yaggie in the first inning.

Breckenridge scored three runs in the seventh inning. The big inning for Breckenridge came thanks to a double by EJ Engen and a single by Andrew Etzler.

Westley Johnson earned the win for Breckenridge. He went three innings, allowing one run, four hits, striking out two, and walking zero. Mitch Porter threw three innings, as three relievers helped Breckenridge finish off the

Cole Brandner took the loss for Otter Tail Central. He threw six and two-thirds innings, allowing nine runs, only 3 earned, 11 hits, striking out three and walk-

"We took a step backwards today defensively" Coach Ryan Hendrickson mentioned of his team giving up 6 unearned runs on 6 errors. "We got a lot better defensively this year, but today was maybe a step back as we have put a lot of focus on our offense lately. When we put an all around game together we will be a tough team to beat. We have been playing better lately. I'm really looking for us to finish the year out

Otter Tail Central collected six hits. Kirby Lohse and Brodey Rocholl each collected multiple hits for Otter Tail Central. Rocholl and Lohse had two hits to lead Otter Tail Central.

"We are putting the ball into play now. Brodey is cutting it pretty well," Hendrickson said of Rocholl as he has had turned a corner offensively hitting a homerun and 2 hits Friday and now today having 2 more hits.

Breckenridge had 12 hits in the game. Andrew Kram, Tommy Hiedeman, Porter and Etzler each collected multiple hits for Breckenridge.

vs Wadena

Otter Tail Central beat Wadena-Deer Creek 6-1 on Thursday.

Wadena-Deer Creek took an early lead in the first inning on a lead off single by Warren. Warren later scored after an OTC

error and a SAC Fly by Dykhoff. Otter Tail Central took the lead for good with two runs in the fourth inning. The fourth inning was started with a Brodey Rocholl single and followed with another single this time by Cole Brandner. Rocholl was then scored on deep shot to right center field by Kirby Lohse. OTC was able to take the lead when Nic Haugen pinch ran for Lohse and scored on a throwing error of WDC.

Coach Hendrickson said this of Nic Haugen. "Nic really showed that he is a really good teammate. He sacrificed his play-

ing time, because of re-entry rule, to give us more speed on the bases. Because of his unselfishness we were able to take advantage of our opponents mistake. Nic is a great teammate and person, he is constantly looking for ways to improve himself; today he made his team better."

Otter Tail Central scored four runs in the seventh inning. Daxton Olson led the inning off with a 5 pitch walk and was bunted over by Drake Larsen.

"We have worked hard on our bunting as of late because we haven't been very good at it this year. After missing a couple bunting opportunities again today, I had to go back to what I saw this week out of Drake. He worked really hard at his bunting this week and he laid down a beauty today," said Coach Ryan Hendrickson. Isaac Roers then reached the base path by way of a defensive error and moved to second base on a wild pitch. Brodey Rocholl then came up with a huge one-out single to right field scoring both Olson and Roers. "I can't say enough about the leadership qualities of Brodey. Anyone who has taught or coached Brodey would say he is a great leader and teammate. And now as of late he is also swinging a very hot bat," Hendrickson mentioned, "as Rocholl has punched in 2 more hits today making that 6 hits in the last 3 games."

Otter Tail Central also had some defensive highlights as Bennet Cameron and Max Naddy both had an Outfield Assist apiece. Bennet's assist was to Isaac Roers at the plate nailing a would be run by WDC and Max's Assist was a 8-4-6 putout as he caught a runner trying to stretch a single into a double. Cole Brander was perfect from 3rd base with all 6 of his total chances.

Drake Larsen earned the win for Otter Tail Central. He threw seven innings, giving up one run, seven hits, and striking out two. "I saw a very confident and comfortable Drake Larsen today,' Coach Hendrickson said of his pitcher. "He had great command and mental toughness today. WDC is a good hitting team with great energy in their dugout, but today we had a pitcher on a mission. I could not be any prouder of Drake today with his physical and more so his mental game."

Ross took the loss for Wadena-Deer Creek. He went four innings, surrendering two runs, five hits, striking out one, and

Otter Tail Central had ten hits in the game. Cole Brandner, Isaac Roers, Lohse, and Brodey Rocholl each collected multiple hits for Otter Tail Central.

Wadena-Deer Creek collected seven hits. Justin Dykhoff and Take Dykhoff each collected multiple hits for Wadena-Deer

Creek. vs West Central Area

Otter Tail Central fell to West Central Area 7-6 on Friday on the final play of the game. The game was tied at six with West Central Area batting in the bottom of the seventh when Tanner Bennett singled off of Brodey Rocholl, driving in Gullickson for the winning

Despite the loss, Otter Tail Central did collect eight hits in the high-scoring affair. Unfortunately, West Central Area had 11 hits on the way to victory.

West Central Area captured the lead in the first inning. Sam Gullickson doubled on a 1-1 count in the first inning, scoring one run.

After Otter Tail Central scored three runs in the top of the second. West Central Area answered with three of their own. Otter Tail Central scored when Andrew

Weniger singled off of Mason Nibbe, driving in Bennet Cameron and Isaac Roers doubled off of Nibbe, driving in both Cameron and Andrew Weniger. Those 2 RBI's would just get Roers started on his 4 RBI night.

West Central Area then answered when there was an error, scoring one run and Trysten Gapp doubled off of Daxton Olson, driving in two runs.

OTC was able to push a couple more runs across the plate in the topside of the 5th and 6th innings. In the 5th inning, Brodey Rocholl led off with a hard hit ball through the shortstop, Brodey then stole 2nd base and was moved to 3rd on a Cole Brandner ground ball to the 2nd basemen. Brodey was scored when Kirby Lohse hit a rocket to the centerfield fence for a double. Coach Ryan Hendrickson commented on the inning, "That was some good small ball and clutch hitting from Lohse. I really thought we were going to get this OTC then took yet another

lead in the 6th inning when Drake Larsen opened things up with a 1 out walk. Larsen was then moved to third base by means of another big hit out of Weniger. "Andy has been on fire, his improvements have been outstanding!" Isaac Roers then capped his

night off by hitting in both Larsen and Weniger for RBI's number 3 and 4 on the night when he hit a double past the centerfielder. "I'm so proud of Isaac. He had 3 hits tonight and all of those were with 2 strikes. Two strike hitting and putting the ball in play has been our major focus offensively, and Isaac really pulled through with that tonight."

In the bottom of the sixth inning, West Central Area tied things up at six. Nathan Kaye grounded out, scoring Fernholz. Fernholz had a huge night for WCA as he had 2 singles and a big triple in the 6th inning. Fernholz led WCA with 3 hits, 1 stolen base, 3 runs scored, yet had 0 RBI.

Teigen Moritz earned the win for West Central Area. He went two and a third innings, surrendering three runs, two hits, and striking out three. Brodey Rocholl took the loss for Otter Tail Central. He tossed one and one-third innings, giving up two runs, four hits, and walking zero.

Olson started the game for Otter Tail Central. He pitched five innings, allowing five runs, seven hits, striking out one, and walking one. "Daxton really gave us a good chance of winning this game. Despite only having 2 errors, we didn't play very well on the defensive side of the ball with executing some little things." Nibbe started the game for West innings, allowing three runs, four hits, and walking one.

Roers, Weniger, and Bennet Cameron each collected multiple hits for Otter Tail Central. Cameron, Weniger, and Roers each collected two hits to lead Otter Tail Central. "Offensively we are coming around. With the way the weather has been on practice days, we have been able to really focus offensively with our indoor facilities, but now we have to pick up our defense again, which can be a real grind in the spring."

Caden Fernholz, Gullickson, and Tanner Bennett each collected multiple hits for West Central Area. Gapp went 1-for-3 at the plate as he led the team with two runs batted in.

#### served. Lactose reduced milk will be provided upon written request. Menu subject to change as needed. Underwood **Events**

Thursday, May 18— OTC Varsity Track at Pillager, TBD. Conference Meet. Friday, May 19— OTC JH Track at Battle

Lake at 4 p.m. OTC Baseball vs WCA

at Barrett at 4:30 p.m. OTC Softball Section Playoffs at highest seed at 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 20— Graduation at 2 p.m. Monday, May 22. OTC Baseball at Peli-

can Rapids at 5 p.m. Tuesday, May 23— OTC Softball Sections at Alexandria High School

at 4:30 p.m. OTC JV and Varsity Baseball at Barnesville at



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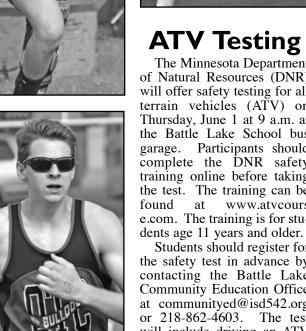




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### **Dustin Olson Joins 25 Club**

The Battlers have their first member of the 25 Club in the MN High School Clay Target League.

Dustin Olson had a spectacular week 3, with a total score of 49 to 50 clays being knocked out of the sky. Dustin has consistently been a high scoring shooter for the team over the years.

The Battlers consistent high scores keep 8 of their athletes in top 25 members in their conference. the Lady Battlers have kept their presence in the top 25 with the 3 athletes all being in the top 10 of those athletes.

The team will continue to develop their skills to make a strong showing at the state team tournament June 12.



### Battle Lake Events

Thursday, May 25—

OTC Softball Sections at Alexandria High School. OTC Track at Wadena-Deer Creek. Sub-Section.

Tuesday, May 30— OTC Baseball Sections at Highest Seed at 5 p.m.

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## Beautify Battle Lake May 15 - Citywide Cleanup---Partners are Key!

Submitted by Karalyn Harrington

Monday morning, May 15, Battle Lake High School students (117) and adults (came together to tackle 40+ projects to beautify Battle Lake. Twelve teams of students and "crew bosses" handled projects including: ditch cleaning along Highways 210, 78, 83, and 89 going into Battle Lake; "Request for Help" assistance to individual homeowners and businesses; sweeping sand off the sidewalks of the business district; and cleaning and dressing up the landscape at the school.

This year individuals and businesses turned in 17 "Request for Help" forms. About half the requests were yard waste pickups. The other

requests involved yard work. Most requests involved assistance for elderly or ailing community members.

Many area residents took advantage of the free metals/appliance and electronics collections located on KC Lawn property west of Trosdahl's on Highway 210.

A tasty lunch was prepared

and served to the entire crew by the Battle Lake First Lutheran Church.

There was a good deal of enthusiasm – some students did-

n't want to stop working for

lunch while others wanted to

return to work following lunch.
Two inspiring senior citizens
set quite the example of civic
responsibility. Ray Pleasant, 89,
a former Minnesota House Rep-

resentative and Bloomington City Council member, and Bob Wasson, 82, a former Battle Lake City Council member, worked with gusto on cleanup projects with the students.

The Beautify Battle Lake Committee (part of Network Battle Lake) extends a special "Thank You" to everyone involved directly or indirectly in the May 2017 citywide cleanup. During the last five years over a dozen cleanup events have happened - several days at the Battle Lake School, the Spruce-ups for Pumpkin Fest, and the spring/fall cleanups. None of these endeavors would have been accomplished without the students and adults experiencing the satisfaction of beautifying our community.



Lunch served by First Lutheran Church to hungry students.
All photos submitted by Karalyn Harrington



The metals/appliance collection trailer filled up.



One of the highway ditch cleaning teams taking a well-deserved break.

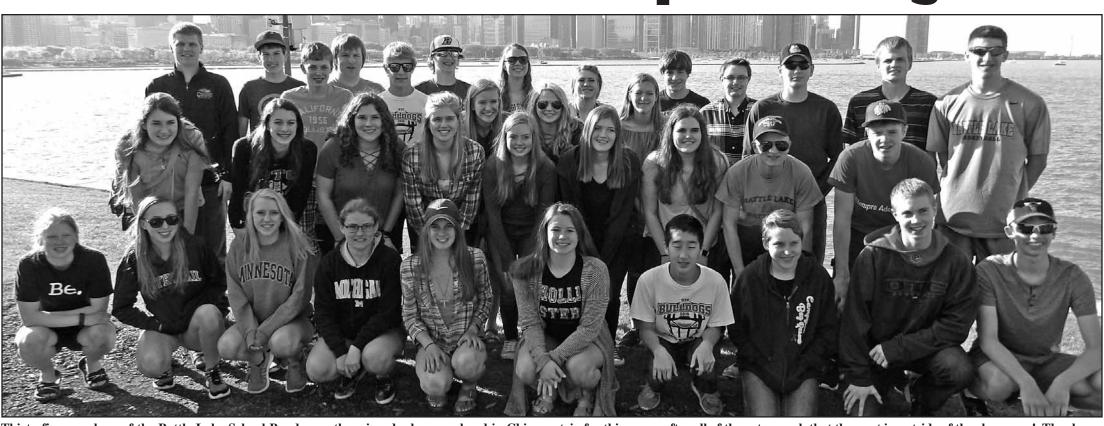


Work is done - heading back to school.



Tanner Kortlever, a 2016 Battle Lake graduate, evidently enjoyed cleanup days during high school so much he returned Monday to join in the fun. This year he brought his own equipment and did a super job. Tanner is studying Landscape Technology at Central Lakes College in Brainerd and has his own business - Tanner's Lawn Service.

# Battle Lake Band Trip to Chicago



Thirty-five members of the Battle Lake School Band recently enjoyed a long weekend in Chicago! They took in the Shedd Aquarium, the Field Museum of Natural History, Willis Tower, Medieval Times, the Blue Man Group, the Lincoln Park Zoo, the Hard Rock Cafe, Navy Pier, the Bean, bowling and a water park. It was a busy, educational, fun, exhausting, and well-deserved

trip for this group after all of the extra work that they put in outside of the classroom! Thank you to everyone who purchased items in their annual fall magazine + product sale which helped them to raise some of the funds for their trips. Like the Battle Lake School Bands Facebook page to see more photos and videos from the trip.

Submitted by JoAnn Orpen





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Civilians are expected to stand at the position of attention with their right hand placed over their heart for the same period, and the salute applies to the uniformed organizations as well (especially the Scouts). Since recently, veterans are expected to salute the colors too, like their military counterparts including personnel not in uniform.



# Battle Lake Memorial Day

Monday, May 29 • 11 a.m. Battle Lake School Gymnasium

Selections by BLHS Band Welcome

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
Invocation • Special Honor to Gerald Skibness
Cemetery Report

Address by Guest Speaker William "Billy" Norberg
Military Honor Salute To Departed
Comrades with playing Taps
Benediction • Retiring of Colors
Lunch at Senior Center by Auxiliary following

For God and Country ... Members of American Legion Paul Putnam Post 289 - Battle Lake

# Underwood Memorial Day

Monday, May 29 • 10 a.m. Underwood School Gymnasium

Advance of Colors • National Anthem Invocation • Welcome

"Armed Forces - The Pride of America" by UHS Band Introduction

> Address by Jeremy Nelson, Retired Army Quilters Embrace Presentation Benediction

Assemble at Miniature Cemetery Outside 30 Seconds of Silent Prayer For Departed Comrades Firing Squad

 $\sim$  Cemetery Visitations  $\sim$ 

Tordenskjold Free Mission Cemetery 6:40 • Tordenskjold 6:55

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## **LEGAL NOTICES**

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF PROCEEDING AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE

Date: April 11, 2017

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that a proceeding is about to be commenced by the undersigned YOU ARE NOTIFIED that a proceeding is about to be commenced by the undersigned to foreclose the Mortgage owned by the undersigned dated May 19, 2004, executed by Evelyn A. Guggisberg and Steven J. Guggisberg, as Mortgagors, American Federal Bank, a Minnesota Corporation, who is also the Lender, as Mortgagee, and filed for record May 20, 2004 as Document Number 954457, in the office of the County Recorder of Otter Tail County, Minnesota, for the following described real property which is located on Beech Ave East, Fergus Falls, Minnesota with Otter Tail County Minnesota tax parcel #71-002-99-0492-001.

See Attached Exhibit A

The undersigned hereby employs and empowers Paul S. Jensen and the Law Firm of CLINE JENSEN, P.A. as the undersigned's attorney at law to foreclose the Mortgage by advertisement and to do all things necessary and incident thereto.

There is no mortgage broker, mortgage servicer or transaction agent for the above ref-

AMERICAN FEDERAL BANK By: /s/ Mark Eifert Its: Vice President

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF OTTER TAIL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 11th day of April, 2017 by Mark Eifert, the Vice President of American Federal Bank, a Minnesota Corporation, on behalf of the Corporation, Mortgagee.

/s/ Mary Nicole Kaasa Notary Public

THIS INSTRUMENT WAS DRAFTED BY: Paul S. Jensen, # 337420 CLINE JENSEN, P.A.

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The West 52 feet of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 5 of C.J. Wright's First Addition to Fergus

Also known as:

Tract A: The westerly 52.00 feet of Lot 1, Block 5 of the plat of C.J. Wright's First Addito to the City of Fergus Falls, Minnesota AND that part of the westerly 52.00 feet of Lot 2 of said Block 5 lying northerly of the following described line: Commencing at the northeast corner of said Block 5; thence South 89 degrees 59 minutes 03 seconds West on an assumed bearing along the north line of said Block S a distance of 90.00 feet; thence South 00 degrees 19 minutes 37 seconds West along the easterly line of the westerly 52.00 feet of Lots 1 and 2 of said Block 5 a distance of 72.88 feet to the point of bearinging: thence North 88 degrees 12 minutes 23 seconds West 52.01 feet to point of beginning; thence North 88 degrees 12 minutes 23 seconds West 52.01 feet to the westerly line of Lot 2 of said Block 5 and said line there terminating. Containing 3,751 square feet, more or less, subject to easements of sight or record, if any.

Tract B: The westerly 52.00 feet of Lots 2 and 3, Block 5 of the plat of C.J. Wright's First Addition to the City of Fergus Falls, Minnesota EXCEPT that part of the westerly 52.00 feet of Lot 2 of said Block 5 lying northerly of the following described line: Commencing at the northeast corner of said Block 5; thence South 89 degrees 59 minutes 03 seconds West on an assumed bearing along the north line of said Block 5 a distance of 90.00 feet; thence South 00 degrees 19 minutes 37 seconds West along the easterly line of the westerly 52.00 feet of Lots 1 and 2 of said Block 5 a distance of 72.88 feet to the point of beginning; thence North 88 degrees 12 minutes 23 seconds West 52.01 feet to the westerly line of Lot 2 of said Block 5 and said line there terminating. Containing 4,062 square feet, more or less, subject to easements of sight or record, if any. (Published April 26, May 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31, 2017)

STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF OTTER TAIL

SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIVIL DIVISION Court File No. 56-CV-17-1339

IN DISTRICT COURT

Marcel Fogard, and Ray O. Pleasant and Arthur G. Pleasant as Trustees of the Pleasant Family Trust dated January 31, 1997,

E.W. Raddohl aka E. W. Raddahl; Edward W. Raddohl; Curtis E. Johnson, Claryce N. Johnson, Deborah K. Johnson, and Scott C. Johnson, as Trustees of the Trust created for the benefit of Curtis E. Johnson and Claryce N. Johnson dated November 15, 1996; Joshua W. Anderson; Meghan M. Clement; Meghan M. Anderson; Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.; and the unknown heirs of the above-named persons now deceased and any and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, or interest in the premises described bersin. described herein.

#### **SUMMONS**

1. YOU ARE BEING SUED. The Plaintiffs have started a lawsuit against you. The Plaintiffs' Complaint against you is on file in the office of the Court Administrator of the above-named Court. Do not throw these papers away. They are official papers that affect your rights. You must respond to this lawsuit even though it may not yet be filed with the Court and there may be no court file number on this Summons.

2. YOU MUST REPLY WITHIN 20 DAYS TO PROTECT YOUR RIGHTS. You must give or mail to the person who signed this summons a written response called an Answer within 20 days of the date on which you received this Summons. You must send a copy of your Answer to the person who signed this Summons located at:

Allen Haugrud

121 East Lincoln Avenue Fergus Falls, MN 56537 Attorney for Plaintiffs

3. YOU MUST RESPOND TO EACH CLAIM. The Answer is your written response to the Plaintiffs' Complaint. In your Answer you must state whether you agree or disagree with each paragraph of the Complaint. If you believe the Plaintiffs should not be given everything asked for in the Complaint, you must say so in your Answer.

4. YOU WILL LOSE YOUR CASE IF YOU DO NOT SEND A WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THE COMPLAINT TO THE PERSON WHO SIGNED THIS SUMMONS. If you do

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5. LEGAL ASSISTANCE. You may wish to get legal help from a lawyer. If you do not have a lawyer, the Court Administrator may have information about places where you can get legal assistance. Even if you cannot get legal help, you must still provide a written Answer to protect your rights or you may lose the case.

6. ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties may agree to or be ordered to participate in an alternative dispute resolution process under Rule 114 of the Minnesota General Rules of Practice. You must still send your written response to the Complaint even if you expect to use alternative means of resolving this dispute.

7. THIS LAWSUIT MAY AFFECT OR BRING INTO QUESTION TITLE TO REAL PROPERTY located in Otter Tail County, Minnesota, legally described as follows:

That part of Government Lot Two (2), Section Three (3), Township One Hundred Thirty-two (132), Range Forty (40), Otter Tail County, Minnesota, described as fol-

Commencing at the southeast corner of said Section Three (3); thence North 27 degrees 42 minutes 39 seconds West [for descriptive purposes only the east line of said Section Three (3) bears North 00 degrees 26 minutes 16 seconds West based on Otter Tail County Coordinates - 1996 adjustment] a distance of 3992.66 feet to an iron monument marked "RLS 13620" on the northerly right-of-way line of the former Burlington Northern Railroad; thence North 57 degrees 48 minutes 22 seconds West Lines and instance of 351.01 forth seconds West along said northerly right-of-way line, a distance of 351.01 feet; thence North 32 degrees 41 minutes 46 seconds East a distance of 320.96 feet; thence South 54 degrees 13 minutes 05 seconds East a distance of 99.71 feet to the point of beginning of the land to be described; thence North 54 degrees 13 minutes 05 seconds West a distance of 99.71 feet; thence North 32 degrees 41 minutes 46 seconds East a distance of 248 feet more or less to the shoreline of West Battle Lake; thence southeasterly along said shoreline to the intersection with a line which bears North 32 degrees 45 minutes 32 seconds East from the point of beginning; thence South 32 degrees 45 minutes 32 seconds West a distance of 251 feet more or less to the point of beginning. Containing 24,797 square feet more or less.

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Dated: April 14, 2017

By /s/ Allen Haugrud Allen Haugrud, #42420 121 East Lincoln Avenue Fergus Falls, MN 56537 Telephone No. 218-998-4299 Attorney for Plaintiffs (Published May 17, 24 and 31, 2017)

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF OTTER TAIL

IN DISTRICT COURT SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT CIVIL DIVISION Court File No. 56-CV-16-2035

Caterina M. Anger, Curtis G. Pederson, Jeanine A. Pederson, Todd L. Durand, Troy L. Sangrait, Doug B. Flitek, Danny G. Stroh, Paul Stroh, Angela Qual, James Kasowski aka Jim Kasowski, Roger Kasowski, Flint Kasowski, Carmen Gubrud, Daryl Kasowski, and Jeanne Vignes,

Marion F. Stoll; Louis W. Stoll; Gloria G. Basile; Patricia Augdahl; Janet M. Rayl; Eugene J. Stoll individually and as Personal Representative of the Estate of Anne V. Stoll; Marlys G. May; Walter E. Bendorf; Jesse W. Ramsey; Joan A. Ramsey; James Sorenson; Lance E. Olson; Kathleen A. Bruley formerly known as Kathleen A. Olson; Gene J. Lindell; Eleanor Lindell; Howard L. Favilla, Jr.; Sandra Vogt individually and as Personal Representative of the Estate of Raymond Vogt; Paul B. Fisher; Rose Monson; S. L. Huey; Rudolph Rheinlander; Martha R. Rheinlander; Robert W. May; Leonard Eriksson; Amos Marckel; Emma C. Marckel; George E. Marckel; Pocahontas Resort, LLC; Gonyea Family, LLC; and the unknown heirs of the above-named persons now deceased and any and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, or interest in the premises described herein, Defendants.

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Allen Haugrud 121 East Lincoln Avenue Fergus Falls, MN 56537 Attorney for Plaintiffs

3. YOU MUST RESPOND TO EACH CLAIM. The Answer is your written response to the Plaintiffs' Amended Complaint. In your Answer you must state whether you agree or disagree with each paragraph of the Amended Complaint. If you believe the Plainting of the Amended Complaint. tiffs should not be given everything asked for in the Amended Complaint, you must say

4. YOU WILL LOSE YOUR CASE IF YOU DO NOT SEND A WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THE COMPLAINT TO THE PERSON WHO SIGNED THIS SUMMONS. If you do not answer within 20 days, you will lose this case. You will not get to tell your side of the story, and the Court may decide against you and award the Plaintiffs everything asked for in the Amended Complaint. If you do not want to contest the claims stated in the Amended Complaint, you do not need to respond. A default judgment can then be entered against you for the relief requested in the Amended Complaint.

5. LEGAL ASSISTANCE. You may wish to get legal help from a lawyer. If you do no have a lawyer, the Court Administrator may have information about places where you can get legal assistance. Even if you cannot get legal help, you must still provide a written Answer to protect your rights or you may lose the case.

6. ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties may agree to or be ordered to participate in an alternative dispute resolution process under Rule 114 of the Minnesota General Rules of Practice. You must still send your written response to the Complaint even if you expect to use alternative means of resolving this dispute.

THIS LAWSUIT MAY AFFECT OR BRING INTO QUESTION TITLE TO REAL PROPERTY located in Otter Tail County, Minnesota, legally described as follows:

That part of Government Lot Two (2), Section Eighteen (18), Township One Hundred Thirty-five (135), Range Forty (40), Otter Tail County, Minnesota, described as

tollows:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of said Section Eighteen (18); thence North 00 degrees 21 minutes 45 seconds West [for descriptive purposes only the north line of said Section Eighteen (18) bears North 89 degrees 28 minutes 00 seconds West on an assumed bearing] a distance of 83.75 feet to a found iron monument thence South 56 degrees 51 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 210.00 feet thence South 45 degrees 06 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 203.00 feet thence South 36 degrees 06 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 164.08 feet thence South 36 degrees 06 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 164.98 feet thence South 12 degrees 07 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 164.98 feet thence South 12 degrees 07 minutes 57 seconds East a distance of 28.82 feet to the point of beginning of the land to be described; thence South 52 degrees 11 minutes 00 seconds West a distance of 187.22 feet; thence South 31 degrees 25 minutes 25 seconds West a distance of 822.95 feet; thence South 55 degrees 25 minutes 25 seconds East a distance of 61 feet more or less, to the shoreline or Dead Lets, thence porthogetards again the solid propriets with a line. Dead Lake; thence northeasterly along said shoreline to the intersection with a line which bears South 12 degrees 07 minutes 57 seconds East from point of beginning; thence North 12 degrees 07 minutes 57 seconds West 263 feet more or less to point of beginning, containing 3.55 acres more or less. Subject to County State Aid Highway No. 35 right-of-way easement.

All that part of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4 SE 1/4) Section Seven (7), all that part of Government Lot One (1), Section Eight (8); all that part of Government Lot Three (3), Section Seventeen (17); and all that part of Government Lot Two (2), Section Eighteen (18), Township One Hundred Thirty-five (135), Range Forty (40), Otter Tail County, Minnesota, described as follows:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of said Section Seven (7); thence North 00 degrees 21 minutes 45 seconds West [for descriptive purposes only the south line of said Section Seven (7) bears North 89 degrees 28 minutes 00 seconds West or an assumed bearing] a distance of 83.75 feet to a found iron monument; thence North 69 degrees 06 minutes 17 seconds East a distance of 145.36 feet to the point of the principal of the second of 145.36 feet to the point of the second of 145.36 feet to the point of the second of 145.36 feet to the point of the second of 145.36 feet to the point of the second of 145.36 feet to the point of the second of 145.36 feet to the point of the second of 145.36 feet to the point of the second of 145.36 feet to the point of 145.36 feet to the 145.36 feet to of beginning of the land to be described; thence South 69 degrees 06 minutes 17 seconds West a distance of 145.36 feet to a found iron monument; thence South 56 degrees 51 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 210.00 feet; thence South 56 degrees 51 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 210.00 feet; thence South 45 degrees 06 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 203.00 feet; thence South 36 degrees 06 minutes 15 seconds West a distance of 164.98 feet; thence South 12 degrees 07 minutes 57 seconds East a distance of 292 feet more or less, to the shoreline of Dead Lake; thence northeasterly along said shoreline to the intersection with a line which bears South 32 degrees 33 minutes 45 seconds East from point of beginning; thence North 32 degrees 33 minutes 45 seconds West 214 feet more or less to point of beginning, containing 4.18 acres more or less. Subject to County State Aid Highway No. 35 right-of-way easement. Subject to the rights of the public access in said Dead Lake along the northeasterly boundary thereof.

Dated: May 17, 2017

By\_/s/ Allen Haugrud Allen Haugrud, #42420 121 East Lincoln Avenue Fergus Falls, MN 56537 Telephone No. 218-998-4299 Attorney for Plaintiffs (Published May 24, 31 and June 7, 2017)

Certificate of Assumed Name

Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 333

Assumed Name: Principal Place of Business:

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Nameholder(s):

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By typing my name, I, the undersigned, certify that I am signing this document as the person whose signature is required, or as agent of the person(s) whose signature would be required who has authorized me to sign this document on his/her behalf, or in both capacities. I further certify that I have completed all required fields, and that the information in this document is true ad correct and in compliance with the applicable chapter of Minnesota Statutes. I understand that by signing this document I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in Section 609.48 as if I had signed this document. ment under oath Lynette Gaustad (Published May 24 and 31, 2017)

State of Minnesota County of Otter Tail

Pursuant to the provisions of Minnesota Statute 394.26 NOTICE is hereby given that a public hearing will be held before the Otter Tail County Board of Adjustment in the Comoom of the Otter Tail County Governme MN at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 8, 2017 for the purpose of considering an application for variance for the following:

6:30 p.m. - Thursday, June 8, 2017 Meeting

William and Wendy Grabowski, Lots 3 and 4 Clear Beach Resort, Fish Lake in Aurda Township, request variances from the maximum allowable impervious surface coverage within the shore impact zone and from the ordinary high water level setback requirement of the Shoreland Management Ordinance.

Detailed information regarding any specific application listed above is available on Otter Tail County's web site at www.co.otter-tail.mn.us, by contacting the Otter Tail County's Auditor's office by phone at (218) 998-8030 or by mail at 510 Fir Ave W, Fergus Falls MN 56537.

Individuals requiring special accommodations should contact the County Auditor's office prior to the date of the public hearing. (Published May 24, 2017)

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## **CLITHERALL TOWNSHIP PUBLIC HEARING AMEND ZONING POLICY**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Clitherall Township Board will hold a public hearing on June 8th, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. at the Battle Lake City Hall, which is located at 108 E. Main Street, Battle Lake, MN. The purpose of the hearing is to amend Clitherall Township Zoning Policy. (Published May 24 and 31, 2017)

## Folden Township Quotes For Gravel

Folden Township is soliciting quotes for Class 5 gravel, 2500 yards for its township roads in 2017.

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Jennifer Howard, Clerk

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STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF OTTER TAIL

Estate of Bruce Lee Runningen, Decedent SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT DISTRICT COURT PROBATE DIVISION Court File No. 56-PR-17-1282

NOTICE AND ORDER FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR DESCENT OF PROPERTY

A Petition for Determination of Descent has been filed with this Court. The Petition represents that the Decedent died more than three years ago, leaving property in Min-nesota and requests the probate of Decedent's last Will (if any), and the descent of such property be determined and assigned by this Court to the persons entitled to the

Any objections to the Petition must be filed with the Court prior to or raised at the earing. If proper, and no objections are filed or raised, the Petition may be granted.

IT IS ORDERED and Notice is further given, that the Petition will be heard on June, 2017, at 1:30 p.m., by this Court at 121 West Junius Avenue, Fergus Falls, Minneso-1. Notice shall be given to all interested persons (Minn. Stat. § 524.1-401) and per-

Notice shall be given by publishing this Notice and Order as provided by law and by mailing a copy of this Notice and Order at least 14 days prior to the hearing date.

Dated: May 8 2017 (COURT SEAL)

Attorney for Petitioner

/s/ Barbara R. Hanson Judge of District Court /s/ Dana Fifert

BY THE COURT

Susan Johnson-Drenth JD LEgal Planning PLLC 902 28th Street S., Suite 2 Fargo, ND 58103 Attorney License No.: 277289 Telephone: 701-304-3000 FAX: 701-364-9596 Email: sdrenth@jdlegalplanning.com (Published May 17 and 24 2017)

STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF OTTER TAIL

Monica M. Uhlmann, Deceased.

DISTRICT COURT SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

In Re: Estate of

Probate Division Court File No. 56-PR-17-1334

ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FORMAL PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

#### TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of June, 2017, at 1:30 p.m., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Fergus Falls, Minnesota for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the will of the above named decedent, dated February 4, 2002 and for the appointment of Jeffrey S. Kasten whose address is 3390 Lakeview Lane, Big Lake, MN 55309, as Personal Representative of the estate of the above named decedent in upsupervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the Court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, a personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: 5-10-17 (COURT SEAL) Barbara R. Hanson Judge of District Court Kathryn A. Ouren Court Administrator

NATHAN SEEGER LAW OFFICE Nathan L. Seeger 125 North Union Avenue, Ste. 201 Fergus Falls, MN 56537 218-739-4621

Atty Reg No. 0208152 (Published May 17, 24 and 31, 2017)

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STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF OTTER TAIL

Date: 5-10-17

(Published May 17 and 24, 2017)

Paul Hess /s/

IN DISTRICT COURT SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

14. OTHER CIVIL, REAL PROPERTY, QTA Court File # 56-CV-17-961

Deborah Wanek; Jonathan C. Piekarski; Brenda K Piekarski; Matthew J. Kennedy; Colleen L. Kennedy; Riverwood Bank; U.S. Bank National Ass.;

Plaintiffs;

vs Eugene A. Jewett; Mary Moen; E.O. Moen; Casper Nielsen; Casper Nelson; A.K. Nel-

son; O.H. Lee; the unknown heirs of Otto Erlandson, deceased; Otter Tail Power Company; the unknown heirs of Signe Erlandson, deceased; Lou Ann Wanek; Viola Bohn aka Viola Ferber; Robert E. Drechsel and Geri A. Johnson, Personal Representative of the estate of Warren Staub Johnson pursuant to Otter Tail County Distict Court File Number 56-PR-15-2277; Lorna J. Johnson; Swan Lake Club, Inc. fka Swan Lake Club (unincorporated); also the unknown heirs, successors or assigns of any of the above defendants, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest or lien in the real estate described in the complaint herein.

#### SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS:

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Plaintiffs' attorney an Answer to the Complaint which is on file in the office of the Court Administrator of the above-named Court, within twenty (20) days after service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

THIS ACTION involves, affects or brings into question real property situated in the County of Otter Tail. State of Minnegate described as follows:

County of Otter Tail, State of Minnesota described as follows

That part of Government Lots 2, 3 and 4 and that part of the land lying between Government Lots 2, 3 and 4 and the shorelines of Chautauqua and Swan Lake, which was erroneously shown as a meandered lake on the Original Government Survey in Section 19, Township 132, Range 42, Otter Tail County, Minnesota, described as fol-

Commencing at the Northeast corner of said Section 19; thence South 89 degrees 56 minutes 16 seconds West (bearing is based on Otter Tail County Coordinates – 2011 Adjustment) along the north line of said Section 19, a distance of 2640.00 feet to the North Quarter corner of said Section 19; thence South 23 degrees 16 min-utes 14 seconds East a distance of 3317.46 feet to the northwest corner of PARK DALE BEACH, according to the recorded plat thereof; thence South 89 degrees 40 minutes 37 seconds West a distance of 196.29 feet; thence North 86 degrees 52 minutes 23 seconds West a distance of 110.49 feet; thence North 78 degrees 41 minutes 23 seconds West a distance of 129.40 feet; thence North 74 degrees 30 minutes 23 seconds West a distance of 271.66 feet; thence North 77 degrees 00 minutes 23 seconds West a distance of 120.88 feet a point hereinafter referred to as Point C; thence North 28 degrees 15 minutes 36 seconds East a distance of 299.53 feet; thence North 11 degrees 38 minutes 03 seconds West a distance of 822.10 feet; thence North 89 degrees 54 minutes 33 seconds West a distance of 612.81 feet; thence North 03 degrees 53 minutes 47 seconds East a distance of 286.08 feet; thence North 07 degrees 46 minutes 27 seconds East a distance of 286.08 feet; thence North 07 degrees 46 minutes 27 seconds East a distance of 250.06 feet, thence South 89 degrees 46 minutes 27 seconds East a distance of 156.68 feet; thence South 89 degrees 14 minutes 18 seconds West a distance of 37.45 feet; thence South 08 degrees 27 minutes 52 seconds West a distance of 301.03 feet; thence South 77 degrees 02 minutes 19 seconds West a distance of 124.24 feet; thence South 22 degrees 00 minutes 47 seconds West a distance of 263.28 feet to the point of beginning of the land to be described; thence South 44 degrees 00 minutes 50 seconds East a distance of 506.39 feet; thence South 00 degrees 11 minutes 40 seconds East a distance of 650 feet more or less, to the benefits of crid Supp. Left; thence I advanced and the seconds of the seconds and the seconds of shoreline of said Swan Lake; thence in a general easterly direction, along said shoreline of Swan Lake to the intersection with a line which bears South 30 degrees 41 minutes 22 seconds West from the aforementioned Point C; thence North 30 degrees 41 minutes 22 seconds East a distance of 146 feet more or less, to the aforementioned Point C; thence North 28 degrees 15 minutes 36 seconds East a distance of 299.53 feet; thence North 11 degrees 38 minutes 03 seconds West a distance of 822.10 feet; thence North 43 degrees 57 minutes 27 seconds West a distance of 326.64 feet; thence North 35 degrees 26 minutes 59 seconds West a distance of 121.02 feet; thence North 25 degrees 14 minutes 31 seconds West a distance of 119.02 feet; thence North 00 degrees 26 minutes 52 seconds West a distance of 150.04 feet; thence North 00 degrees 26 minutes 52 seconds West a distance of 35.94 feet to the south line of Government Lot 1, said Section 19; thence South 89 degrees 33 minutes 08 seconds West along said south line of Government Lot 1, a distance of 604 feet more or less, to the shoreline of Chautauqua Lake; thence southerly, along said shoreline to the intersection with a line which bears North 44 degrees 00 minutes 50 seconds West from the point of beginning; thence South 44 degrees 00 minutes 50 seconds East a distance of 298 feet more of less to the point of heginning. Containing 15.28 green more or less more or less, to the point of beginning. Containing 15.28 acres more or less.

EXCEPT the lands below the waters of said Swan Lake Subject to the rights of the public in North Swan Lake Road. YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the object of this action is to obtain a judg-

ment that Plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the above-described real property as described and allocated in Plaintiffs' Complaint; and that the other than described and allocated in Plaintiffs' Complaint, the Defendants, and each of them, be declared to have no right, title, estate, right to possession, lien or interest in the real estate described above.

The Defendants will take notice that no personal claim is made by the Plaintiffs

against any of the defendants.

Civil cases are subject to Alternative Dispute Resolution processes as provided in Rule 114 of the General Rules of Practice for the District Courts. Alternative Dispute

Resolution includes mediation, arbitration, and other processes set forth in the rules. You may contact the Court Administrator for information about these processes and about resources available in your area.

Dated 3-29-17

/S/ Penn C. Brandborg Penn C. Brandborg, Attorney for Plaintiffs 315 S. Mill Street Fergus Falls, MN 56537 218-736-7447, Att. Reg. No. 166546 (Published May 10, 17 and 24, 2017)

### FOWNSHIP NOTICES

Clitherall Township regular monthly meeting will be **Thursday, June 8** at 7 p.m. in the Battle Lake City Hall. If you have a bill to present to the township clerk, it must be

received by the first of the month. Eagle Lake Town Board will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday,

**June 8** at the Eagle Lake Town Hall. Everts Township monthly meeting will be Tuesday, June 13 at the town hall at 7 p.m.

Leaf Mountain Township Board will meet Tuesday, June **13** at the town hall at 7 p.m.

**Sverdrup Township** monthly meeting will be **Tuesday, June 13** at 7 p.m. at the Township Shop.

Nidaros Township regular monthly meeting will be Wednesday, June 14 at 8 p.m.at the Nidaros Town Hall located at 18845 Nidaros Church Drive (across from Nidaros Church). Accepting gopher feet at 7:30 p.m.

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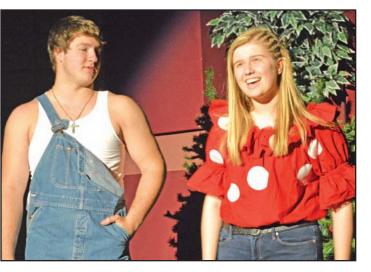


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