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Run For The Cause to be held June 30th

The Crandon High School Cross Country Team will host the Run for the Cause 5K Run/Walk on Saturday, June 30th. This is the same great race with a new name!

The race, formerly known as the Run for the Paws will now help a different local cause each year. Proceeds this year will benefit both the cross country team and Team Kollin. The race begins at 8:00 a.m. in front of the Forest County Courthouse. Online registration and race details are available at www.runforthecause.com.

The registration fee is \$25 for those who register before June 23rd, and \$30 for those who register the weekend of the event.

If you have questions, feel free to contact Jessica Keao at keaojess@sdofcrandon.com. We look forward to seeing you there!

Flexible college programs featured at Nicolet Quick Start June 20

Anyone who wants to attend college but thinks they have too much going on in their lives is urged to attend Nicolet College's Quick Start event Wednesday, June 20, to learn about a host of new college options.

"Nicolet now has a growing number of academic programs where students set their own schedules," said Nicolet College Career Coach Angeline von Neupert.

"By featuring open labs and online classes, the students decide when they complete their coursework. This makes it much more convenient to earn a college credential."

Quick Start will take place all day June 20 from 9

Continued on page 13 Candidate Spotlight

Anyone seeking political office is invited and encouraged to announce their candidacy in the Candidate Spotlight. It is an opportunity to tell the voters why you are running, goals if elected, etc. It is not a forum for bashing an opponent, and there is no charge.



Chris Meier announces candidacy for State Representative 34th Assembly District

Chris Meier of Eagle River is running in the race for State Representative in the 34th Assembly District, which includes portions of Vilas, Oneida, Florence, and Forest Counties. The contest will be decided by voters in Wisconsin's November 6, 2018 general election. "Our campaign is all about local issues and practical needs, not outside interests and politics as usual," Meier said. "There are holes in our roads, holes in our school budgets, and holes in our county budgets. I was taught when you find yourself in a hole, you stop digging. We can't expect to solve these problems with the thinking that got us here. There's a better way forward, and that's why I'm running." A major priority for Meier is economic development and job creation that is compatible with the 34th Assembly District's thriving tourism economy. "To support and grow our tourism industry, we need a Marshall Plan for robust, reliable, reasonably-priced broad-band, high-speed internet," he said. A Wisconsin native and 25-year resident of Vilas County, Meier is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. He was a classroom teacher in the Phelps School District for 16 years and is an Adjunct Instructor at Nicolet Technical College in Rhinelander. Meier also holds certification from the University of Wisconsin-Madison as a Substance Abuse Counselor. He has extensive experience working with individuals and families struggling with addiction and substance abuse. "Substance abuse is everybody's business in the 34th Assembly District. No one is immune from the effects of this public health epidemic," he said. Meier is a United States Army veteran. He and his wife, Cheryl, are the parents of three sons, all in their 20's. "We're excited about rolling up our sleeves and getting to work to help build a more healthy and prosperous future for all our families and communities in the 34th Assembly District!"

Wolf River Pharmacy sponsors Paw Prints to support Crandon K-9 Unit



Kayla Smith, shown above, had a great idea to raise money for the future Crandon K-9 Unit. Customers at the Wolf River Pharmacy can purchase a paw print with their name written in it for a dollar bill. In return, the Wolf River Pharmacy will match the donations at the end of July. The paw prints are on display at the pharmacy, and if you would like to help the Crandon Police Department fight crime, you can help with your dollar.

Officer Ryan Wilson will be the K-9 officer. Wilson will take training. The dog will actually live with Officer Wilson at his home, and will be available as needed for searches. The dog will be trained to sniff out drugs. The addition of the dog is planned for next year.

The entire program will be funded by community fundraisers and donations.

Chronic Wasting Disease just discovered in Marinette County

I am the Wildlife Biologist for Marinette County. I wish our first contact contained some happier news. As you may or may not have seen, Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) has been confirmed in Marinette County The detection was on a private deer farm, and the farm is now under quarantine. For more information, please see the Dept. of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection press release at the following link: https://datcp.wi.gov/Pages/News_Media/180618CWDMa rinetteCty.aspx

This is a developing situation, with new information being shared minute by minute, so I will do my best to keep you informed as things progress. What I can say now is that Marinette County will be under a baiting and feeding ban in accordance with state statute 29.336, Wis. Stats, which requires WDNR to enact the ban in any county within 10 miles of a captive or free-roaming deer that tests positive for CWD.

I've asked the Marinette CDAC to keep their calendars open in order to schedule public meetings to address this issue. I advise you to do the same, not only in the event Forest County needs to schedule meetings, but also so you can be involved in the CWD containment in Northeastern Wisconsin. CDAC and local citizen involvement will be critical in spreading the word about the disease and monitoring it within Marinette County and adjacent counties.

Argonne hit by storm on Sunday afternoon



By Mike Monte

Argonne was hit by a severe thunderstorm on Sunday, and the winds were severe. A great many trees went over in town, and this tree was pushed into the electrical wires, causing the tree top to catch fire. The entire area has been hit by storms, but Argonne had the bad luck to get the worst in the area. Much chainsaw work will be needed in the days to come, and Public Service was busy on Monday, restoring electricity to the town.





Forest County Board passes new mining ordinance

By Mike Monte

The mining ordinance approved in the Land and Water Conservation Committee meeting was approved by the Forest County Board at the full board meeting on Tuesday evening. As reported earlier, this is a one-page ordinance, drafted by the county's assistant corporate counsel. Since that draft, the Wisconsin Counties Association has completed and made available a 46-page mining ordinance that can be modified to fit the needs of the individual counties. The Forest County committee did not use that draft. Time is cited as the reason for not using the more comprehensive mining ordinance. The state has set a time limit on county ordinances, and it says that an ordinance must be in place by July 1, or any existing ordinance will be what a potential mine will use. The ordinance can be changed after the July deadline, but if a mining company files a notice of intent on July 2, the existing ordinance will be used. According to Committee Member Bunda, the larger ordinance is being considered to replace the onepage document in the weeks ahead. If that happens before the next full board meeting in August, it could then be adopted by the full board. State Senator Tiffany is an open supporter of mining in northern Wisconsin. Mining is, and always will be, a contentious issue, and it is especially so when the potential ore bodies are sulfide based. While Tiffany claims that modern mining techniques will prevent any problems

Just in case you need a refresher on CWD, I have included some useful resources below:

W D N R B a i t i n g B a n F A Q : https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/hunt/documents/baitFAQ.pdf

W D N R C W D P a g e : https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/wildlifehabitat/regulations.html

CWD Alliance Page: http://cwd-info.org/faq/ CWD in Wisconsin Video: https://uwexvideochannel.org/2016/12/05/chronicwasting-disease-in-wisconsin/

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me or Chuck McCullough. Additionally, if you receive any questions from the public about CWD that you're unsure of answering, feel free to direct those contacts to either one of us. Thank you for your time and dedication to deer management in Wisconsin, and hopefully we can all work together to fight the spread of CWD any further! Sincerely,

Caroline Ward-Wildlife Biologist, WI DNR

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ATV safety course held by Red Arrow and Hidden Bear Trail



The Hidden Bear Trail ATV Club and Red Arrow Snowmobile ATV Club held a DNR ATV Safety Course on June 5, 2018. The event was held at the USDA Forest Service Ranger Station in Lakewood.

Instructors Brian Fitzpatrick (Lead), Jim Wisneski, Larry Westphal, and Larry Market provided the training, and were extremely pleased with the attentiveness and participation of the students. Department of Natural Resources Conservation Warden Paul Hartrick provided insight into relevant information as identified in the Wisconsin Off-Highway Vehicle Regulations.

Ten students successfully completing the DNR ATV Safety Course included: Ryan Bell, John Christianson, Clayton Cochrane, Austin Kalkofen, Melanie Matchett, Jake Pedersen, Ashley Phillips, Matthew Pickar, Scott Rogers, and Kourtney Witkowuak. Congratulations to all the USDA Forest Service employees. Individuals born after January 1, 1988 must complete the course to drive an ATV legally in Wisconsin. Currently that means that anyone 30 years old or younger must have completed the course. An on-line version is available through the DNR, but younger students are highly encouraged to take the classroom version for maximum effect. Instructors stressed the requirement that everyone under the age of 18 must wear a helmet when riding on public trails, including all passengers in a UTV. The Hidden Bear Trail ATV Club is active in the communities of Doty, Riverview, and Lakewood. The Red Arrow Snowmobile ATV Club has been serving the Townsend area since 1968

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AREA EVENTS

Annual Antique/Rummage Sale by the Animal Resource Fund

At the Nashville Town Hall, 4 miles south of Crandon at the corner of Hwy 55 and Cty Hwy B.

The sale runs Saturday, June 23 from 8:00 a.m. and Sunday, June 24.

Everything from furniture to jewelry and everything in between.

All sale proceeds go directly to help animals in need in our area and finances the FREE clinics we hold for the public.



Join the Kiddie Parade!



The City of Crandon's 4th of July parade will once again offer a kiddie parade sponsored by UW-Extension Youth Development. The kiddie parade will start at noon from Associated Bank's parking lot. All bikes, trikes, wagons and strollers may be decorated. Please no motorized vehicles allowed in the kiddie parade. The kiddie parade route will start at Associated Bank and ending at the Hotel Crandon. This will allow the kiddies and their parents to enjoy the rest of Crandon's parade. The theme for this year is "Red, White & Blue"

Additionally, all Forest County Youth organizations including Scouts, 4-H, Little League, school and church groups, are encouraged to start planning and recruiting youth for participation in our county's parades.

Youth that participate in community events like parades, realize the benefits of being a positive part of a community and the satisfaction of working cooperatively toward a common goal. In addition, being part of an engaged community leads to increased self-esteem and provides a sense of belonging to all.

The following communities will offer community parades this season:

Crandon, Saturday, June 30th at Noon Laona, Saturday, June 30th at Noon Wabeno, Sunday, July 8th at Noon and Armgstrong Creek, Saturday, July 28th at Noon.

For more information about positive youth development activities in Forest County, please call Michelle Gobert at 715-478-779

Goodman Fire Department 4th of July Street Dance

The Goodman Fire Department will be holding its annual 4th of July Street Dance on Friday July 6th from 7 pm -11 pm at the Goodman Fire Hall (506 Mill Street) in Goodman. Music is by DJski. There will be food, refreshments, raffles and a kids bouncy house. Admission is free. No carry ins allowed. All proceeds go toward needed emergency equipment. For more info or raffle prize donations contact Mike at 715-336-2786. 50th Reunion Class of 1968 Crandon High School September 22, 2018 More info: please call 920-866-2323



Beer, food & drinks, 50/50, Wheel of Fortune Drawings and MANY GREAT PRIZES to be raffled!

Parade at noon starting at JARS Picnic to follow at Silver Lake Beach Fireworks at dusk at JARS

Raffle Ticket Drawing at 5 p.m.

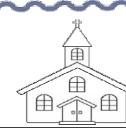
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CLASS OF 1963 REUNION: August 25, 2018. Held at Charlie's Lake Metonga Resort, starting at 4 p.m., with dinner at 6 p.m. Questions call Sandi Plummer Pfefferman at 920-609-7576. POEW11-19





Praise Chapel Community Church 200 East Sixth Street Sunday Service - 10 am Wed. Kids Club 3:15 pm Bible Study Wed. 6:30 pm





• Cathedral Church of the Northwoods Arbutus\Lutheran Church, ELCA, W6607 Church Ln., Pearson, invites any and all to worship with them Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. Sunday School is at 11 a.m. Communion is open to all on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month. For more information, call 715-484-5055 or 715-623-6850.

• Forest Larger Parish Presbyterian Church – Sunday Worship: Lakewood – 8:00 (15552 Hwy. 32), Wabeno – 10:00 (4347 North Branch St.), Laona – 11:30 (5265 Linden St.). Call 715-473-3603 for more information.

• **St. John's Lutheran Church** - N8934 State Highway 55. Worship at 9:00 a.m. Sunday. Located at the corner of 55 and Cty. A in Pickerel. Call 715-484-3382 for more information.

• **Good Shepherd Lutheran Church -** Hwy 55N, Crandon. All Services will be held at St. John Lutheran Church located at 5502 Beech St. in Laona, until further notice.

• **St John Lutheran Church** - 5502 Beech Street, Laona, Sunday Service at 9:00 a.m. Bible School Mondays at 3:30 p.m.

• **Trinity Evengelical Church (WELS)** - 1741 Forest Avenue, Wabeno. Sunday morning service at 9:30 a.m.; Youth Bible Study at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday.

• **Bethel Baptist Church** - 1761 East Ave., Wabeno. Worship service Sunday at 9 a.m. Bible study Wed. at 2 p.m.

• Lakeland Baptist Church - Sunday Service at 10 a.m, Sunday School 9 a.m. Sunday night at 5 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 6 p.m.

• **St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church (WELS)** - 501 N. Park Avenue, Crandon. Sunday worship service at 9 a.m.; Youth Bible School (grades pre k - 8) on Wednesday at 3:45 - 5 p.m. 715-478-5620.





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Trinity Lutheran Church 1741 Forest Ave, Wabeno, WI

Monday, July 16 - Friday, July 20 9 AM-12 PM Risen Savior Lutheran Church 13825 HWY 32, Mountain, WI

Tuesday, July 24 - Thursday, July 26 9 AM—11:30 AM **PIONEER EXPRESS PAGE 4, JUNE 25, 2018**



government relations director for ACS CAN. "Rep. Mursau worked tirelessly this past session to keep kids from browsing products like candy flavored brown cigarettes the same way they do snacks. He remains committed to continuing this effort next year and to ensuring that all tobacco products are treated the same way, placed out of reach of our children."

ACS CAN leadership volunteers presented Mursau the award and thanked him for his hard work on behalf of Wisconsin cancer patients, survivors and their



MADISON, Wis. – June 19, 2018 – The American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN) recently recognized State Rep. Jeff Mursau with its Wisconsin Distinguished Advocacy Award for his exceptional efforts on tobacco legislation.

Mursau received the honor for authoring legislation that would have required stores to place all tobacco products behind the counter. Currently, only cigarettes and chewing tobacco must be displayed in this way, leaving other tobacco products in easy reach of children.

"Tobacco products shouldn't be on the same shelves as candy and chips," said Sara Sahli, Wisconsin

families. The ceremony took place Monday at an event in downtown Madison to celebrate Congress' passage of the STAR Act, which will advance childhood cancer research, treatment and survivorship. About ACS CAN

ACS CAN, the nonprofit, nonpartisan advocacy affiliate of the American Cancer Society, supports evidence-based policy and legislative solutions designed to eliminate cancer as a major health problem. ACS CAN works to encourage elected officials and candidates to make cancer a top national priority. ACS CAN gives ordinary people extraordinary power to fight cancer with the training and tools they need to make their voices heard. For more information, visit www.acscan.org.



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The Hiles Service Club thanks everyone who made our Memorial Day celebration the great event it was: the VFW for the flag ceremony, gun salute b and Taps; our speaker, Master Sergeant David Ferris; our master of ceremonies, Mark Ferris; the helping hands of the husbands, friends, children and volunteers who do the heavy lifting and last minute tasks; the cooks who provide the delicious food; and the clean-up crew.

Thanks also to the 100-plus guests who attended. We hope it enriched you with solemn remembrance. Thanks also to the children who participated in the p poster contest.

> Thanks again, **Hiles Service Club**

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THANK YOU Our son Kollin was diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia on January 2, 2018. There are no words to truly express how incredibly grateful Keary and I are for the tremendous amount of support we have received from our family, friends, community and even strangers. Your kindness and concern for our family, especially Kollin, means everything to us. We genuinely appreciate all the prayers, kind words, meals, monetary donations, gifts, and cards you have sent over the past several months.

Kollin is one brave little boy and his strength and courage continues to amaze us each and every day! Please continue to keep Kollin in your prayers as he continues with his chemotherapy treatments over the next three years.

We thank you from the bottom of our hearts! Keary & Becca Gerow



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Internet Terms, **Song 2 Did Partner**, (Suffix Outly 17) (Starts 10:30 AM)(View 9:30) (Lunch) 4 miles South of Eagle River WI on HWY 45 to Meta Lake Rd. (#884) <u>Boats</u>: Sweet Water pontoon boat w/Yamaha 40hp, trolling motor & trailer, Spectrum Pro-Avenger SC fishing boat w/125hp & 9.9 kicker motor Lawn Tractor: JD 140 Log Splitter: hydraulic Golf Cart: Ez-Go Trailer: utility 17 Guns: Brownings, Colts, LC Smith, Herler's, FN, Rugers, Remington's, S&W, Winchesters, Ithaca & many more! (see website for details) (guns are being stored off location) <u>Reloading & Gun Supplies</u>: gun smithing tools, 5 Mec reloaders, many dies, stocks, LG amount ammo, brass, scope mounts, books, firing pins, primers, barrels, scopes, gun bolts, bullets, ammo boxes, shooting rest, LG. amount of reloading supplies including powder & more! <u>Metal Lathes & milling Machine</u>: Rivett Lathe Mod. 715, Rivett lathe Mod. 957, South Bend lathe, Milling Drilling Machine, chucks, tooling, calipers, micrometers & more! <u>Tools, Etc.</u>; belt/disc sander, Grizzley buffer/grinder, mig, tig & stick welder, air compressor, press, sand blast cabinet, metal bandsaw, routers, Shop Vac, rolling cart, machinist tool box, air reel, band saw, battery charger, drill press, Roto-Zip, Sawzall, Greenlee bandsaw, clamps, vise, hand tools, trailer dolly, radialarm saw, ladders, Knack boxes, floor jack, hitch carrier & more! <u>Home, Collectables</u>; log bunkbeds + dressers, log bed, Hickory bed set, roll top desk, prints, sofa, chair, flat screen tv, old chest w/mirror, lantern, blow torch collection antique tools & more! <u>Sporting, Outdoors</u>; LG amount of rods/reels, fishing tackle, props, snowshoes, outboard motors, scooler, troll motor, tree stands, chainsaw, snowblower, tongs, utility trailer, paddle board, cement mixer, Stihl blower, utility cart, timmers, generator, yard tools, water skis, snowmobile dolly, patio furmiture, exercise machine, kids play set & more! <u>Terms</u>: Cash or good hed, credit cards. Sales taxon some items. Not responsible for loss or acci-dents. Terms: Cash or good check, credit cards. Sales tax on some items. Not responsible for loss or acci dents. Settlement made before removing items. Conditions: Sold as is, where is. Announcements made on auction day take precedence over printed material. R.W.A. Col. Rene' Brass #424, Col. Robert St. Louis #450, 6728 Whitefish Lk. Rd., Three Lakes, WI 54562. PH: 715-367-1668

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4th of July Seafood Sale

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Nicolet College announces Spring 2018 Graduates

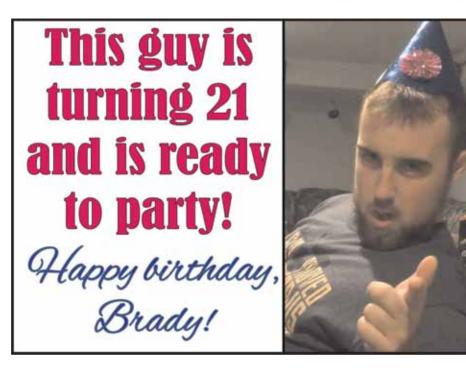
Numerous students from the Forest County area graduated from Nicolet College in the Spring of 2018. Students, by community, along with the credential(s) earned include:

Argonne - Julia Kaye Cline, Medical Assistant, Technical Diploma; Tiffany K. Hauser, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Kelly Marie Heidenreich, IT-Computer Support Specialist, Associates of Applied Science and IT User Support Technician, Technical Diploma; IT Virtualization, Technical Diploma; Alexis Nicole Marvin, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Bradley Dalson Mihalko, Sales and Marketing, Technical Diploma; Christie J. Schmidt, Business Management Operations, Mgmt, Associates of Applied Science; Alexandra Statezny, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma.

Crandon - Tina M. Campo, Graphic Communication, Technical Diploma; Destiny Dawn England, Medical Assistant, Technical Diploma; Jeanine M. Fisher, Practical Nursing, Technical Diploma; Lois J. Frank, Medical Assistant, Technical Diploma; Stephanie Lynn Ginter, Professional Communication, Technical Certificate; Stephanie Lynn Ginter, Accounting, Associates of Applied Science; Sara E. Johnson, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Maia R. Kegley, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Kaden Alan Krabbe, Electromechanical Technology, Associates of Applied Science; Autumn Breeze Lyons, Supervision, Technical Diploma; Tanner A. Marvin, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Breanna Sky McGeshick, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Garrett Henry Mills, Corrections Specialist, Technical Diploma; Brooke A. Modjewski, Liberal Arts - Associate of Arts; Makayla Starr Polar, Liberal Arts - Associate of Science, Associate of Science; Rana L. Queen, Medical Assistant, Technical Diploma; Alex M. Schmidt, Law Enforcement Recruit, Technical Diploma; Alexis Mary Barbara Thompson, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Mikayla Ann Weber, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma. Laona - Destinee R. Alloway, Sales and Marketing, Technical Diploma; Micheala Anne Cleereman, Nursing Degree, Associates of Applied Science; Katie R. Frisque, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Steven E. Klingensmith, Industrial Maintenance Mechanic, Technical Diploma and, Mechanical Maintenance, Technical Diploma; Cherish Renee Moss, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Samantha Jo Peterson, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma: William Claude Peterson, Drafting and Design Technician, Technical Diploma; Timothy M. Phillips, Bookkeeper, Technical Diploma; Reece James Westimayer, Welding, Technical Diploma and Welding/Maintenance and Fabrication, Technical Diploma; Tara L. Yaeger, Practical Nursing, Technical Diploma.

Happy 0 3rd **Birthday Matthew!** You are D in the such a super Happy kid! Love, birthda Mom, Dad, Grandma and Grandpa

Happy birthday! Happy birthday!



Long Lake - Nicole R. Fiebrantz, Phlebotomy, Technical Certificate. Pickerel - Valerie Ann Strzyz, Accounting Assistant, Technical Diploma. Townsend - Ava Oceana Holdener, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma.

Wabeno - Kaitlyn Rose Ashbeck, Liberal Arts - Associate of Arts, Associate of Arts; Emma Jane Barfknecht, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Terri L. Bodoh, Accounting Assistant, Technical Diploma and Bookkeeper, Technical Diploma; Justin E. Cassidy, Automotive Service Technician, Technical Diploma; Alissa Nikole Gill, Nursing Assistant, Technical Diploma; Ashlyn Sara Hooper, Medical Assistant, Technical Diploma; Jessica Marie Miller, Nursing - Associate Degree, Associates of Applied Science; Jennifer N. Shepard, Cosmetology, Technical Diploma.

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HELP WANTED: Mike's Septic Service is taking applications. Clean CDL required. Job includes driving and manual labor. Send applications to 0231 Croker Rd., Eagle River, WI 54521 or call 715-479-3315. Betc50 WANTED EXPERIENCED COOKS: Good team players who will work well with the rest of the staff at Charlie's Lake Metonga Resort Please Call 715-610-4915 B. 10-14

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HELP WANTED Family Services Director

Position Summary- This position is responsible for the overall operations of the Family Service Programs including: TANF, Health Care, Food Share, Energy Assistance, Child Care etc. The Director is also responsible for supervision of all Family Services Staff.

Qualifications-

• Associates degree in social services, human services, public administration or business administration

• Good interpersonal skills and the ability to get along with diverse populations

• Excellent written and verbal communication skills.

• Three years supervisory experience.

• Two or more years experience in income maintenance policies, procedures, and regulations.

• Extensive computer knowledge and the ability to become proficient with all programs used in the department.

• Willing to travel for meetings and trainings.

For complete job description/qualifications and to submit a completed resumes contact:

Donna Vodar, HR Director 3051 Sand Lake Road

Crandon WI 54520 • Phone:(715) 478-7663 Email: donna.vodar@scc-nsn.gov Posted date: 2/22/18 • Closing date: 3/15/18

HELP WANTED: Gardening and yard work on Hemlock Lake. Decent rate of pay. Just call 715-478-1936 or 847-525-3076.

SERVERS WANTED: Permanent positions available waiting tables at Hotel Crandon. Variable hours. Stop in or call 715-889-0859. Betc8



NOTICE

Forest County Sheriff's Department is now accepting applications for Full Time and Part Time Correctional Officer/Dispatcher positions and to establish an eligibility list for future positions.

Individuals will be required to work day and night shifts, weekends, and holidays as shift rotations dictate. Applicants will be responsible for operations of the telephone and radio systems, jail responsibilities, clerical duties and 911 operations

Salary & Benefits: The starting hourly rate for full time pay for this position is \$17.26 per hour, \$17.86 per hour after one year; and \$18.21 per hour after two years of service, based on 2018 wages. Benefits include: Wisconsin Retirement Fund, Health Insurance, Life Insurance, Sick Leave, Vacation Time, 9 Paid Holidays, Uniform Allowance, Deferred Compensation and Education Incentive Pay, if applicable.

Qualifications: Must be 18 years of age; US citizen; high school graduate or equivalent; have a valid Wisconsin driver's license; good verbal and written communications skills; basic knowledge of computers; ability to handle stressful situations and the ability to work varied shifts. Applicants must be self-motivated and able to work independently of others.

Apply: Submit Wisconsin Law Enforcement Standards Board Form, a current DJ-LE-330 Application, Cover Letter and Resume to:

Attention: Chief Deputy Alex Walrath Forest County Sheriff's Department

100 South Park Avenue Crandon WI 54520

Applications must be received by Thursday July 12th, 2018 at 4:00 PM.

Forms are available at the Forest County Sheriff's Department or online at www.wilenet.org. All questions on the application MUST be completed, including Section 6 - Questions A, B & C and your social security number. Applications that are not accurately completed will be rejected.

NOTE: Successful applicants will be required to submit to a written examination, oral interviews, extensive background investigation, a physical fitness test, and a medical and drug examination.

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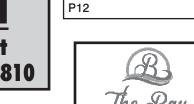
LAONA/WABENO COACHING POSITIONS AVAILABLE

The Laona and Wabeno School Districts are taking applications for the following coaching positions for Fall of 2018 & Spring 2019 school year:

- JH Girls Volleyball Coach 7th and 8th grade
- JH Boys Basketball Coach 7^{th} and 8^{th} grade
- JV Reserve Volleyball Coach
- Assistant Track Coach

Candidates should send a letter of interest by Monday, July 13, 2018 by 12pm to: Michelle Boor, Laona/Wabeno Athletic Director, P.O. Box 460, Wabeno, WI 54566 or email: <u>mboor@wabeno.k12.wi.us</u>

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Applications available online at www.molelakecasino.com or at the Player's Club Desk.

Death Notices

Willard L. McGeshick, Sr., age 74, of Mole Lake, passed away Saturday, June 16, 2018 at the Iron County Medical Care Facility in Crystal Falls, MI. Willard was born January 22, 1944, the son of Charles McGeshick and Sylvia Ackley.

He served in the US. Army during the Vietnam Era.

Surviving Willard is his daughter, Laurel (Dan) Doering of Merrill; son, Willard McGeshick Jr. of Mole Lake; 7 grandchildren; 4 great-grandchildren; and sisters, Joyce Einertson of Mole Lake and Sylvia Ducat of Mole Lake.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Elaine Burnett and Lorraine VanZile; and brothers, Bill, Archie, Charles, and Roger McGeshick.

Native American Services were held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, June 19, 2018 at the Mole Lake Cultural Center with Mr. Jim Williams, Sr. officiating. Visitation started at 5 p.m. on Monday, June 18, 2018 at the Mole Lake Cultural Center. Burial was held at Mole Lake Tribal Cemetery.

Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family with the arrangements. Online condolences for the family may be directed to www.weberhillfuneralhome.com.

Miles (Miley) Gary Joseph

Phalen, age 79, a resident of Crandon for 79 years, passed away at his home on Thursday, June 14, 2018 surrounded by his family and friends. Miles was born on March 24,

1939 in a cabin near Lake Lucerne, the son of Patrick Phalen, Sr. and Lillian (Gilbert) Phalen.

Miles grew up in Mole Lake

and Crandon and never had a desire to live elsewhere.

On June 29, 1963 he married the love of his life, Barbara Jean Skubal.

Miles had a love of cars and started a salvage yard in the 1960's in Mole Lake. He later worked road construction and then became the custodian of Mole Lake Elementary (a school that had previously been cared for by his uncle, Miles and father, Pat) until its closing in 1988. Miles ran his salvage business, towing service and worked as a custodian until he retired in the mid 90's.

Later he worked for the Town of Nashville, taking care of the roads in "north" Nashville. A job he loved and was forced to retire from at age 77 because of his health.

He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Barbara; two sons, Michael (Irina) Phalen of New York, NY and Mark Phalen of Crandon; his mother, Lillian Phalen of Crandon; brother, Patrick (Susan) Phalen of Conover; his sister, Candice (Brian) Norberg of Rhinelander; eight grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; and numerous nephews, a niece and other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, Patrick Phalen; and brothers, Wayne Phalen and Jack Phalen.

Visitation was held at Weber-Hill Funeral Home on Monday, June 18, 2018 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Tuesday, June 19 from 10 a.m. followed by funeral services at 11 a.m. with Pastor Don Dewing officiating. Interment will be held immediately after at Crandon Lakeside Cemetery. Online condolences may be left for the family at www.weberhillfuneralhome.com.

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Marty was born on March 28, 1939 in Goodman, Wisconsin to Stanley and Irene Kadubek (née Hanson). He is a 1957 graduate of Goodman-Armstrong



Creek High School. He married the former Patricia Estreen in 1960. After moving to Lake Hilbert, Marty began a lumber and woodworking career that spanned close to 60 years. He spent the majority of his working years at Goodman Forest Industries located in Goodman and Connor Forest Industries in Laona. Over a period of 9 years Marty and Pat welcomed 4 children into their home: Laurie Giles (Robert Giles) of River Grove, IL, Deborah Tomack (Mark Tomack) of Auburn, WA, Brent Kadubek of Gleason, WI and Jayne Kadubek of Lakewood, WA.

Marty was passionate about woodworking and shared many of his creations and skills. From building picnic tables and outdoor furniture in Misawa, Japan to making pasta rollers for shipment to Italy. He was known throughout northern Wisconsin for his furniture and cabinet-making skills in addition to his vast technical expertise with industrial wood planers. He was a rare and true craftsman in all respects.

Marty was also an avid hunter and fisherman. Some of his fondest memories are the times spent in the Northwoods with his family, whether it was in deer camp or spending an evening at "the shack," to fishing in Canada with his son and grandson.

Marty is survived by two brothers, Wayne and Wes Kadubek of Armstrong Creek, four grandchildren, Jamie Recchia (Nicholas Giles), Ryan Giles, Derrick and Carlee Kadubek; and one great-grandchild, Bella Mia Recchia. He was uncle of Brenda Powell (née Kadubek), Cheryl Belott (née Estreen), Mike Estreen, Nikki Tessman (née Wittig) and Jason Wittig; and great-uncle of Jared and Benjamin Powell.

In addition to his parents, Marty was preceded in death by his brother, Art.

A memorial service was scheduled for June 18, at 10 a.m. in the Armstrong Creek Community Center, with a luncheon to follow at noon. Pastor David Wilton officiated the ceremony. All were welcome to attend and celebrate Marty's life. Please send flowers to Armstrong Creek Community Center. Online condolences may be left for the family at www.weberhillfuneralhome.com.

Letters to the Editor

We welcome letter to the Editor; however the letters should be legible, in good taste, not libelous and pertinent to current issues. Names will not be withheld upon request, except for very special circumstances. NAME AND PHONE NUMBER SHOULD BE INCLUDED FOR VERIFICATION PURPOSES. We reserve the right to reject any and all letters.

Dear Editor,

My name is Ron Eveland, I am an 86 year-old Veteran. I am a veteran of the Korea and Vietnam Conflicts. I gave 26 years of my life to the USAF. When I came home, I gave 31 years of my life to my community.

It all started when I was a little boy in the Boy Scouts during WWII. During WWII American Pride was at its high The veterans marched down Main Street with the flag waving and their heads held high on the Fourth of July.

The Boy Scouts followed the veterans. We were so proud to be marching with all the veterans. This instilled pride in me that has lasted all my life. During the war as a little child, we said the pledge to the flag before class started. We need to bring the WWII spirit back.

When you go to a ball game, everyone stands. We have the best country in the world.

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Summer Challenges

This summer the Forest County Coalition on Activity and Nutrition (CAN!) is sponsoring three challenges to Forest County residents and visitors to the area. Our 2nd annual 100 Mile challenge, challenges you to walk, run, or stroll 100 miles between June 1st and August 31st, can be logged on our walking challenge log, w h i c h is a vailable to download at <u>www.forestcountycan.org</u>. Those who complete 100 miles or more will be entered into a drawing for a \$100 gift card and will also be added to our 100 Mile Club list of all people who completed the challenge.

This year, we've also added a physical activity challenge which allows anyone, at any fitness level, to be active for at least 30 minutes a day. Children and young people are encouraged to aim higher by spending at least 60 minutes per day being physically active.

The physical activity challenge is a great way to get active by picking any activity that fits into your lifestyle: gardening, walking the dog, weightlifting, biking, yoga or playing a game of pickleball. The physical activity challenge log can also be downloaded at www.forestcountycan.org.

Finally, don't forget about our Geocache challenge that combines treasure hunting, Forest County trails and technology. The first 50 participants that complete the challenge and turn in their log sheet will receive a goody bag of local prizes including a wooden key chain designed and fabricated by students in the Wabeno School District's fab lab.

Together our coalition hopes to promote active lifestyles to both residents and summer visitors to Forest County. Challenge yourself and invite a friend to join with you.

Follow us on Facebook or visit our website for group meet ups, tips for new places to walk, and additional geocaching hints and tips.

For more information about the Forest County CAN coalition, please call the Forest County Health Department at 715.478.3371 or visit our website at <u>www.forestcountycan.org.</u>

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Ron Eveland

President of the Northwoods Veterans Center

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"I tried to get a job on a pit crew out at the Brush Run, but nobody would hire me!"

Actually, this is a picture from the Paul family collection. We don't know who he is, but assume he is trying his hand at being a mechanic back in the 1920's. He obviously couldn't find a pair of coveralls that fit.





WABENO

Man's Garage Sale June 22-23, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. 960 MacArthur Tr., Wabeno

Tools, truck supplies, chains, nuts, screws, bolts, lawn equipment and yard supplies, ceiling lights, trailer supplies, assortment of equipment and supplies from a former truck driver ranging from nuts and bolts, chains, tighteners, binders, lights, tools, generator, winches, woodsplitter, transit, cement mixer, planer, table saw, PVC pipe, lumber, planks.

Specialty Shops



Rummage Sales

LAONA

RUMMAGE SALE: LAONA - Laona Community Building (5233 Beech St.) Saturday, June 23, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Girls and women's clothing, men and boys' clothing, household items, dishes and much P11



RUMMAGE SALE: LAONA - 4793 Section Line Rd. Friday, June 29, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Saturday, June 30, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sunday, July 1, 9 a.m.-? Girls clothes 5-8, some baby girl's through 2T, women's S-L, boy's 10-12, household, bedding, men's bike and lots of misc. P11

LAKEWOOD **HUGE RUMMAGE SALE:**

LAKEWOOD - 17837 E. Wheeler Lake Lane, Hwy. F. Friday, June 29 and Saturday, June 30. Antiques and much more. P12

NASHVILLE Nashville Town Hall Craft & Flea Market Hwy 55 & B South of Crandon Wednesdays 10 a.m.-4 p.m. New vendors welcomed. **RE-OPENING JUNE 27!** For info, call Lindy 715-484-3152.

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HUGE RUMMAGE SALE: Hall. June 22 and 23, 8 a.m.-4 **CRANDON** - Former Big Foot Lumber Store on the p.m. Lots of items including north end of main street. Friday, June 29 from 4-7 p.m. and Saturday, June 30 from 8 a.m.-noon. Household furniture, office desks and chairs, file cabinets, end tables, linens, brand new office supplies, sofas, easy chairs, foot stools, table and chairs, 6 matching pressed back chairs, dishes, pots and pans, coffee pots, blenders, large assortment of wine glasses, 20 fans, vintage refrig, dressers, wheel chairs, wardrobes, canes, walkers. Any questions, contact Jim or Peggy Houle as this huge inventory is from the home at the nursing home as well as the two story building. B12

RUMMAGE SALE: WABENO - 1549 Rangeline Rd. Friday and Saturday all summer. Something for P15 everyone.





HUGE MULTI-FAMILY RUMMAGE SALE: ELCHO - W10770 Enterprise Lake Rd. Easy parking close to road. Friday, July 6, 8 a.m.-6 p.m. and Saturday, July 7, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Many household items, tools, welding helmet and bag, TVs, drill, lawnmower, weed trimmer, wicker patio set, lighting, bathroom pedestal sink, extensive clothing (mall brands - Loft, Under Armour, Jordan, Nike, Gap - men's sizes m-2XL+ and women's sizes XS-2XL, handbags, jewelry, shoes, coats and much more. Don't miss this P12 one.



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SALE: ARGONNE - 8372

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a.m.-2 p.m. Tools,

woodcrafts, furniture,

boats, motors, trailers, air

boat, 3500 Watt Honda

generator, old Tonka toys,

small tiller, antiques,

bedding, dishes, name

brand clothing, Christmas

items and so much more.

Something for everyone.

RUMMAGE SALE:

ARGONNE - Argonne Town

clothes, toys, books, decor,

bicycle trailer, sandbox,

Bradford Exchange plates,

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MOVING SALE: CRANDON - 4045 Lakeside Lane. Friday, June 22 and Saturday, June 23, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Blue hide-a-bed, loveseat and 2 recliners. White gas stove and fridge. Gold washer and dryer. Antique wood table with 4 chairs, metal top table, pine corner shelf, queen headboard, dresser and nightstand, Weber charcoal grill, bird bath, planter fence, indoor/outdoor carpet, aluminum extension ladder, garage windows, boat ramp rollers, skis, prints, lots of up north decor, bedding sets, indoor/outdoor misc. P11





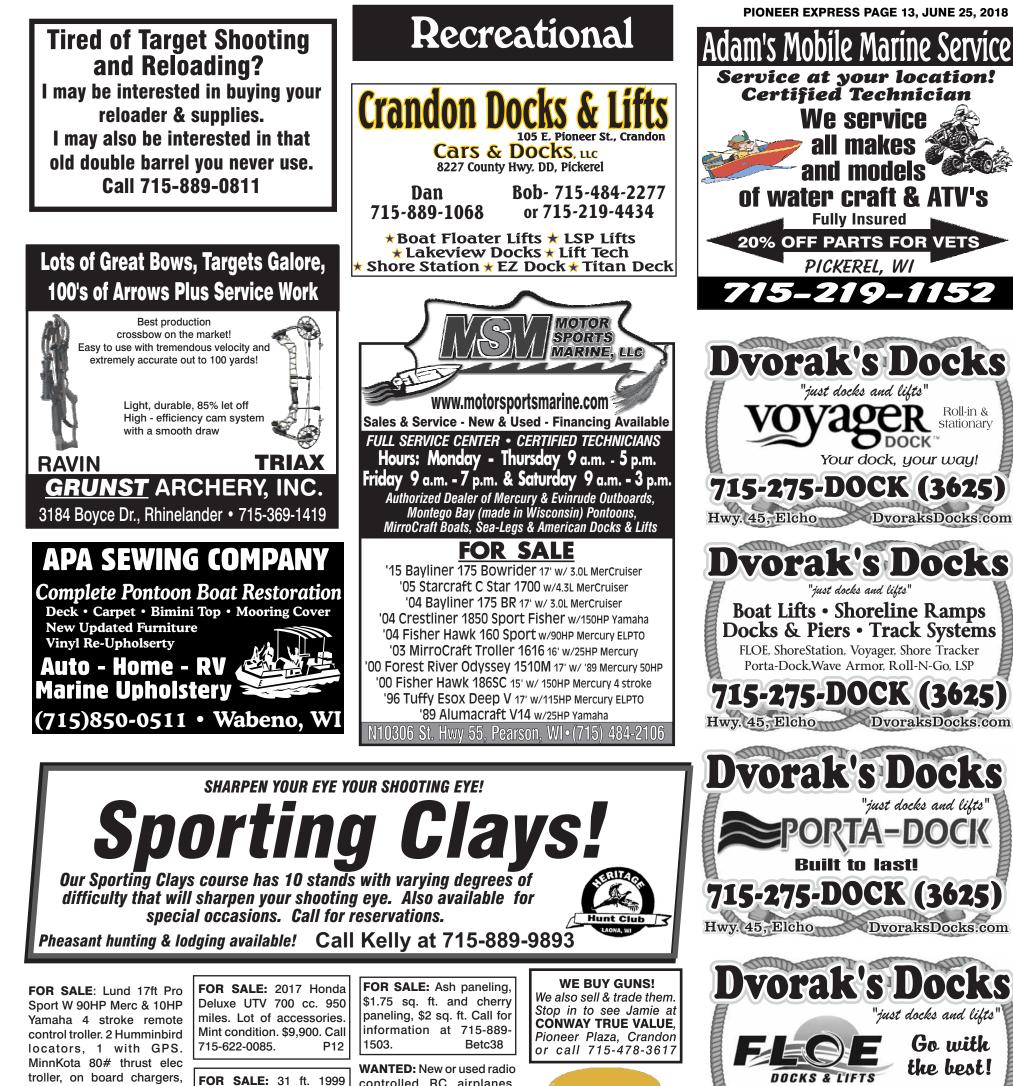
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a.m. to 6 p.m. in the Red Oak Center. At the event students will be able to complete many, if not all, of the steps necessary to enroll at Nicolet.

At Quick Start people will be able to:

- Meet with a Career Coach to discuss career options and the various academic paths available to train for a career.

- Talk with an Academic Advisor to register for classes and set up a class schedule that fits in with other responsibilities. - Complete the Admission Application.

Learn about financial aid and start the financial aid application process.

- Learn about payment plans the college has available.

Individuals looking to enroll should also bring their high school or college transcripts, if available. If not, Nicolet staff will be on hand to help students retrieve transcripts electronically. There's often a fee to do this, so a credit or debit card will be needed.

Those attending Quick Start will have Nicolet's \$30 admission fee waived along with all assessment fees, which combined can total more than \$60 in savings.

Individuals planning on attending Quick Start are asked to RSVP at nicoletcollege.edu/visit.

The college recently launched the highly-flexible Nicolet My Way model for the Welding program. This features a combination of online classes and flexible open

labs. Students progress at their own pace, mastering one skill set before moving on to the next.

"I don't think I would have been to attend college if it wasn't for this flexibility," said Welding student Joe Mutter. "It just makes it so convenient"

The Information Technology program will move to the new Nicolet My Way format this fall. Other programs are expected to follow in 2019.

The college has also significantly increased its number of online and hybrid classes with more than 100 offered last semester and more expected in the future.

All-online associate's degrees now include both Business Management and Accounting with more also expected in the future.

Nicolet also offers numerous academic programs in the traditional classroom and lab setting for those who prefer that structure.

The college features more than 60 certificates, diplomas, associate's degrees, and apprenticeships.

Most Fall Semester classes start Monday, August 27. The next Welding classes start July 9.

The Nicolet Campus is located one mile south of Rhinelander just off of Hwy. G.

For more information about Nicolet, visit nicoletcollege.edu or call the Welcome Center at (715) 365-4493, 1-800-544-3039, ext. 4493; TTY 1-800-947-3529 or 711.





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Proposal to Decrease Prescription Drug Prices By the GWAAR Legal Services Team

Senior citizens often struggle with paying for medications. Seniors often daily take multiple The cost of these drugs frequently medications. represents a significant burden.

Unfortunately, the amount Americans spend on prescription drugs has nearly doubled since the 1990s, a 2017 government investigation found. Seniors have not been immune to these rising drug prices. The prices of the 20 most commonly prescribed brand-name drugs for seniors have risen nearly 10 times more than the annual rate of inflation over the past five years.

President Trump's Administration recently released a 44-page blueprint to address the high cost of drug prices, titled, "American Patients First." The President can implement many of these ideas without Congressional action. For example, the administration intends to put pressure on foreign countries to relax drug price controls. The theory is that if pharmaceutical companies can make more overseas, they will lower prices in the United States.

The blueprint also includes several legislative proposals from the President's 2019 budget request. One legislative proposal would allow low-income people on Medicare to obtain free generic drugs without copayments. Another would establish an overall limit on Medicare beneficiaries' out-of-pocket costs for prescription drugs.

However, the blueprint did not include one of President Trump's major campaign promises. Under a 2003 law, the federal government may not negotiate Medicare drug prices. One of President Trump's frequent campaign pledges was that the federal government should negotiate lower drug prices for Medicare recipients. Many health policy experts and consumer advocates say that the federal government could use its heft to negotiate much lower prices for the more than 57 million Americans in the Medicare program. Drug companies, however, have lobbied hard to prevent government involvement. President Trump's blueprint does not include seeking legislation to authorize the federal government to negotiate for lower Medicare prescription drug prices.







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Tuesday - June 26 - Beef pot roast, mashed potato, Harvard beets, sunflower flax bread, apple pie square -**BINGO: Armstrong Creek**

CRANDON

Wednesday - June 27 - Cream of chicken and wild rice soup, salad bar with egg, raisins, dinner roll, caramel oat bars

LAONA, WABENO CONGREGATE

Thursday - June 21 - Pulled turkey sandwiches on bun, coleslaw, 3 bean salad, fruit, chocolate pudding

Thursday - June 28 - Turkey sandwich on whole wheat, potato salad, baked beans, fruit, Oh Henry bar -**BIRTHDAY PARTY & BINGO**

ALVIN

Thursday - June 21- Ham, mashed potatoes, carrots and peas, fruit, cocktail, whole grain roll, bars

Thursday - June 28 - Spaghetti and meatballs with whole grain noodles, salad with mixed greens, green beans, applesauce, garlic bread, birthday cake

The local number for the ADRC: 478-2162 is no longer in service. The only number for the ADRC is the 800-699-6704.

Please register with Commission on Aging -800-699-6704.

Crandon site manager Pat Raml is at 715-478-0742 (home) or 715-478-3040 (site). Serving at 12:00 p.m. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Alvin site manager Florence Kostka at 715-545-4063 (home) or 715-545-3323 (site). Meal served at 4 p.m. on Thursday.

Laona site manager Peggy Alderton at 715-889-3116 (cell). Meal served at 12:00 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

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TOPIC OF THE MONTH "Staying Well" **MEAL SCHEDULE** CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA

Monday - June 25 - Soft tacos with chicken, peppers, onions and sour cream, Spanish rice, black beans, fruit sorbet

Wabeno site manager Linda McEwan at 715-889-0123 (cell). Meal served at 11:30 a.m. on Monday and Tuesday. Home delivered on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

Armstrong Creek site manager Sharon Giles at 715-674-3532 (home) or 715-336-2218 (site). Meal served at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday.



Hours: Mon. - Fri., 7:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.; Sat. 8 - Noon 6516 Cty G, Cavour, WI, 715-649-3223



Calling All School Bus Drivers



Build a bus to race July 1 at Crandon International Off-Road Raceway during the Forest County Festival. Prizes - 1st - \$700, 2nd - \$400, 3rd - \$200

School Bus Rules

<u>School Dus Mules</u>					
1. Minimum of 65 passenger	6. Must move battery inside				
bus.	cab with cover.				
2. Stock suspension and	7. Must be 18 years or older.				
tires.	8. All entries must				
3. 4-point seat belt harness	participate in 4th of July				
with helmet.	parade to be judged for				
4. Remove all glass,					
windshield can stay	9. Registration is Sunday,				
5. Fire extinguisher within	July 1 at 1 p.m.				
reach of driver.					

Truck Tug of War - June 30th

Must be street stock Chevy versus Ford versus Dodge Registration is Satuday at 5 p.m. **Prízes - 1st - \$300, 2nd - \$200, 3rd - \$100**



NOTICE City of Crandon Dock for Sale

The City of Crandon is taking bids on a 32' by 4' aluminum dock, in fair condition. The dock can be seen at the City Street Shop, 904 N. Lake Ave.

There is a minimum bid of \$75.00. The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids to be received by 4:00 P.M. on Thursday, July 5th, 2018.

Public Property Committee City of Crandon

Mining ordinance Cont. from pg. 1

Bids & Notices

NOTICE - SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CRANDON PUBLIC SUMMER HOURS

The School District of Crandon public hours will be: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. From June 15th to August 15th, 2018

School Office Contact Information: District – 715-478-6200 Elementary – 715-478-6123 Middle/High – 715-478-6125

ANNUAL MEETING Pine Lake Protection and Rehabilitation District

WHEN: July 7, 2018 Visitation 8:30 to 9:00 Coffee and Sweets TIME: 9:00 A.M. WHERE: Hiles Town Hall, Hiles, Wisconsin

AGENDA • 9:00 A.M. Call to Order

- 9:00 A.M. Call to O
 Roll Call
- Approval of minutes from last Annual Meeting
- Accept—
- Second--
- Treasurer's report
- Accept—
- Second--
- Old Business
- Lake management plan
- Plant cutting
- Dredging
- Dreaging
 Clean boats
- Speed limits
- Commissioner's report
- Any Other business to come before the Commission
- Board member
- Election of one board member
- Nominees
- Vote
- Budget hearing
- Accept
- Second
- Adjourn
- Quarterly Meeting
- Approval of Minutes of last Quarterly meeting
- Accept
- Second
- Election of Officers
- Any other business to come before commission
- Adjourn



COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

• **Overeaters Anonymous meeting** - Thursday at 4:30 p.m. in Associated Bank at 210 S Lake Ave., Crandon. Contact Debra at 715-784-0031 for more information.

• Stitch'n Sisters Needlework Group - We invite anyone interested in needle arts to join us Tuesdays from 9 a.m. – noon in the Associated Bank Community Room, located at 210 S. Lake Ave., Crandon.

• Elcho Area Community Food Pantry moved into a new location at 11224 Antigo St, Elcho, WI 54428. It will be open each week: Mon. 11 a.m. -1 p.m.; Wed. 4-6 p.m. and Thur. 11 a.m. -1 p.m. If any further information is needed please contact David A. Schindler at (715) 610-5886.

• Forest County Humane Society - Open to public Monday - Friday, 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Saturday from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. Call for more info. 715-478-2098.

• Forest County Humane Society Meeting - Every fourth Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. in the lower level of the Crandon Public Library. The public is always welcome.

• Crandon Lions Board Meetings - 1st Monday of the month at Ducks Bar at 6 p.m.

• Crandon Lions Membership Meeting - 3rd Monday of month. Social hour 5:30 p.m., dinner at 6:30 p.m. & meeting at 7 p.m.

• Forest Co. Ag Society, Inc. will have their monthly meeting on Saturday, May 19, 6 p.m. at the Fair Grounds.

• **Bridge Community Dental Health Clinic** - This project serves people of all ages in Forest County for people who have Badger Care, medical Assistance & UNINSURED to schedule an appointment call (715) 848-4884.

• **Red Wheelers** - Next meeting will be at Valley Inn. Lunch to follow. Call Percy for information. 715-2763870.

• Christian Motorcyclist Association - Spirit Ryders Chapter of Langlade & Forest Co. invites you to attend our meetings on the last Saturday of each month. Call George 715-350-1679.

• Town of Lincoln Board Meetings - 2nd Monday of each month, 6 p.m., Town of Lincoln Hall.

• **Tops** - will meet at Wabeno Town Hall on Mondays. Weigh in at 7:35 a.m. with meeting following at 7:45 a.m. For more info call 715-473-2613.

• Crandon PTO - 1st Monday of month, 6-7 p.m., Crandon Elementary School Cafeteria.

• Support Group for Parent of Children with Disabilities - Call Chris at 715-784-0058.

• Survivors of Suicide Support Group - Support group for those who have lost a loved one to suicide will gather the third Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. until noon at the Curran Building located at 315 South Oneida Avenue in Rhinelander. For info call Sue at 715-275-5399.

• Crandon Public Library Board Monthly meeting. 6 p.m. Lower Level. 715.478.3784. www.crandonpl.org.

• **The Senior Snoop Shop** will be opening for the season on Friday, May 25th and will then be open six days a week until Labor Day. Monday-Friday 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Saturdays 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

• Senior Snoop Shop business meetings are held every second Thursday of the month, May through September, at 9:00 a.m. at Associated Bank Conference Room. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.

• The Silver Lake Preservation Association (SLPA) will hold its annual meeting on Saturday, July 7 at 9:00 a.m. at the Laona Senior Center (next to the fire station).

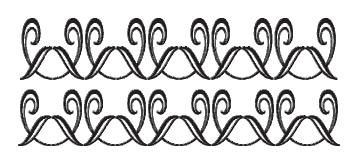
• Town of Nashville Board Meetings- 3rd Wednesday of each month, 7 p.m., North Town Hall (alternating months, North and South Halls locations).

• Nashville Town Hall Craft & Flea Market, located at Hwy 55 and B, south of Crandon, will be re-opening June 27 and will be held Wednesdays from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. New vendors are welcome. Call Lindy at 715-484-3152.

with sulfide based mines, that viewpoint isn't necessarily shared by all members of the public.

As of yet, there are no announced mining developments in Forest County, but that can change in one day, and the arguments will start. Memories of the Crandon mine debate still linger. Time will tell, and hopefully, there will be no notice of intent to mine before Forest County can pass a mining ordinance as recommended by the Wisconsin Counties Association.

Oneida County has been arguing the mining issue as well. The known Town of Lynne ore body is in a water rich area, and it is also located on county forest land. From reports on the local radio, Oneida County will hold a referendum on the issue of the Lynne mine because it is public lands.





The Sturm Humanitarian Foundation of Lions District 27-B2 is sponsoring a golf outing on Saturday, July 14th at Golden Sands Golf Course in Cecil. This Foundation provides funding for health and/or individual needs within District 27-B2, which includes Florence, Forest, Marinette, Langlade, Menominee, Oconto, Shawano, Waupaca, Outagamie, Brown, Kewaunee and Door Counties. Funds are distributed and used for assistance with medical expenses and/or related to recovery expenses. This golf outing is the only fundraiser sponsored by the Sturm Humanitarian Foundation which disperses grants of up to \$3,000 per approved applicant. This event is not limited to Lions Club members. Everyone is invited.

The outing includes 18 holes of golf, a cart and a steak dinner at Golden Sands Golf Course. There will be bucket raffles, hole prizes and a 50/50 raffle. Cost is \$75 per golfer or \$300 per team with a shotgun start beginning at 12:30 p.m. Reservations required by July 7. For more information contact Dan Decker in Niagara at 920-883-0526, Ted Handrick in Green Bay at 920-434-0209 or Jim Zittlow in Crooked Lake at 715-276-6196.

AREA AA MEETINGS

• **AA Meetings** - Back Door Group - Open meeting Thursday nights at 7 p.m., Lakewood Lakes Country Library. Call Mary at 715-276-2318 or Bill at 715-882-3512.

• **AA Meeting** - Saturdays, 9 a.m., Wabeno Fire Station, side entrance.

• AA Meeting - Antigo Hospital, Saturdays at 7:00 p.m.

• **AA Meeting** - White Lake, Sundays at 10 a.m. at the White Lake Fire House. Mike at 715-882-8901 or Bill at 715-882-3512.

• **AA Meeting** - Every Tuesday at 7 p.m. at Carter Springs. Contact Peggy at 715-889-3116 for more information.

• Wellbriety 12 Step Meeting (AA/NA) - Mondays at 6 p.m. - ? lower level of FCP Museum, Mish • Ko • Swin Lane, Crandon. Call Brooks Boyd for info at 715-889-4902.

FOR SALE: 2004 SeaDoo GTI104, 718.2cc jet ski and trailer, low miles, runs great, clean, \$2,900. Jet ski lift, like new, \$500. Aluminum dock sections (two), 10'x4', \$325 each. Paddle boat, great condition, \$50. Bunk beds, \$100. Snowmobile trailer, double, new decking, 102" wide, 10' long, \$450. Located on Lake Lucerne. Call 815-222-4273. P10

Bids & Notices

Regular Meeting Laona Board of Education

Monday, June 11, 2018, 5:30 p.m. C.L. Robinson Elementary - Room 24

President Scott Reeves **Called the Regular Meeting to Order** at 5:30 p.m. Present: Melissa McLaughlin, Jim Aschinger, Scott Reeves, Larry Palubicki, Jim Bradley, Tiffany Pakulski, and Katie Shepard to take the minutes. Frank Shepard, Jr. and Samantha Hoffman were absent. There were six (6) guests in attendance. Notice has been posted in accordance with Wis. Stat. 19.84.

Scott Reeves led the **Pledge of Allegiance**.

Motion by Aschinger, seconded by McLaughlin to approve the **Agenda** after being amended to remove Tennis Courts- Mary Thornton and add 2018-2019 Junior Prom under Open Action Items. Amend item A. under Consent Agenda to Meeting Minutes and add Personnel under Closed Session. All in favor, motion carried.

PUBLIC FORUM (10 minutes): None

Consent Agenda - Open and Closed Regular Meeting Minutes dated Monday, May 7, 2018.

Purchase Orders from 5/05/18 – 6/08/18 - \$ 2,507.19

Disbursements & Wires from 5/1/18 – 5/31/18 - \$ 185,352.52

Cash Receipts from 5/1/18 - 5/31/18 - \$22,861.82

Motion by McLaughlin, seconded by Aschinger to approve the **Consent Agenda**. All in favor, motion carried.

OPEN ACTION ITEMS:

Two junior class students and Ms. Thurston presented a proposal requesting the **2018-2019 Junior Prom** be held at Carter Casino and Hotel. This will be tabled and discussed at July meeting.

Motion by Aschinger, seconded by McLaughlin to approve the **Policy Updates** on the Appleton Decision 27-1.

Andrew Harrison shared his plans for the **Dells Trip** this Tuesday and Wednesday.

After discussion, motion by McLaughlin, seconded by Aschinger to approve courses for **Start College Now**. All in favor, motion carried.

Mr. Bradley gave an update on High School Finals.

Motion by Aschinger, seconded by Reeves to approve the 2018-2019 Victory Janitorial Contract. All in favor, motion carried.

Information given on the **ESSA Plan**. Every Student Succeeds Act formally known as No Child Left Behind Act.

The 66.03 Agreement with Florence for the **School Psychologist Contract** was discussed. Motion by McLaughlin, seconded by Aschinger to accept the 66.03 Agreement with Florence as presented for services. All in favor, motion carried.

Discussed **AGR End of Year Report**. The Achievement Gap Reduction Grant, formerly known as the SAGE Program, has been submitted.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS:

Tiffany Pakulski submitted a written **Business Manager's Report** that can be found on the school website under District, School Board, Board Agendas, Boarddocs link. She also gave information on the School Safety Grant and shared that it has been submitted.

Jim Bradley submitted a written **High School Principal's Report** that can be found on the school website under District, School Board, Board Agendas, Boarddocs link.

• Two students have been accepted for the Youth Apprenticeship Program at Cleereman Industries for next year.

Two students signed up for the Nicolet Hardwoods Apprenticeship Program also.

One student has her CNA and will be working at Nu-Roc Community Healthcare.

 No students failed core classes this grading period, everyone will be cleared for extracurriculars for fall.

 Map testing went well, 65% of the students met their Reading goal and 67% of the students met their Math goal.

Administrator's Report

Congratulations to Ms. Okray and Mr. Bradley on Graduation.

Thank you to our PTO for the bounce house and rootbeer floats the last week

of school.

• Thank you to Kim Winkelman for the art donation.

• Attendance rate for the elementary was a 94.1%.

Board Member Reports

McLaughlin - Thank you to Administration and staff for the nice day at Silver Lake beach. Graduation was very nice also.

Aschinger - Graduation was very nice and the stage looked very nice with the flowers. Thank you to everyone for organizing the staff golf outing.

Reeves - Thank you to all staff for another successful year.

Motion by McLaughlin, seconded by Aschinger to **Enter into Closed Session** pursuant to Wis. Statute 19.85 (1)(c) for considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility. Motion carried with McLaughlin, Aschinger, and Reeves voting yes.

"Fairness for Forest"

As candidate for Forest County Sheriff, I am looking over several areas of interest to the community. I want to address safety, but also be fiscally responsible to the community I live in. One of the areas that has not had light shed on it yet and is a considerable burden to the taxpayers is the jail kitchen.

Many of you may not be aware that The Forest County Jail Kitchen is operated by the sheriff. Forest County is one of very few counties remaining in that state that still operate in this manner. This is also a large source of income to the sheriff on top of the sheriff's annual salary. I requested the kitchen payout vouchers from the Forest County Clerk along with the jail revenue records, which contains data I would like to make the public aware of. Keep in mind, all of the kitchen equipment, supplies, maintenance, etc. are paid for by the county. Ultimately, what this means is that the only expense to the sheriff is the cost of food for the inmates and wages for one parttime staff member.

Dennee Food Service LLC showed a total gross income of \$1,430,268 from 2011 to 2017. These gross incomes steadily increased over the years to a yearly gross of \$235,149 in 2016 and \$232,203 in 2017. I obtained records that showed the total kitchen operating cost to the Sheriff from 2009 and 2010. The expense for food and employee costs from the records showed a total operating expense average of \$7,870 per month. Considering not only inflation on food cost, but also having a lower inmate population, I estimate the current monthly operating cost of Dennee Food Service LLC to be at or below that average. One of the reasons for this lower estimation is because according to current jail staff, inmates are now being served powdered milk, which only further increases the profits of Dennee Food Service LLC

In 2012, Dennee Food Service grossed a total of \$200,943.61 with receiving a meal rate of \$8.00 per inmate. Mr. Dennee, however, was able to further convince the County Board to raise the meal rate to \$9.00 per inmate effective January 1, 2013.

Dennee Food Service LLC showed approximately a 42% increase on kitchen revenue from 2011 to 2017. This income is at the cost of the taxpayers and profited by Dennee Food Service LLC. Since the time our current Sheriff has been in office, the jail revenue records indicate a decline of 22% from 2010-2017, compared with seven years prior. The jail revenue is a major source of income for the county. A decline in the jail revenue accompanied by a 42% increase in revenue to the kitchen is startling. This comparison accurately shows where Mr. Dennee's interest is focused.

The records I was able to obtain provided me with information to project a yearly profit close to \$140,500 for Dennee Food Service LLC. Mr. Dennee also receives an additional \$65,423 as an annual salary as sheriff for 2018. Since 2010, Mr. Dennee has requested and accepted an increase in salary every year in office. Furthermore, Mr. Dennee lobbied for and accepted an additional 6% salary increase starting in 2019. Being aware of the current financial situation of Forest County, these salary increases contradict the meaning of fiscal responsibility.

As my values and dedication are centered around bringing fairness to Forest County, I feel these profits are both unreasonable and a major distraction when it comes to prioritizing the best interest of the taxpayers. By taking this risk in my career in running for Forest County Sheriff, I am not focused on financial gain or riding out the last years of my career, but am rather focused on standing up for what is right to our entire county and its citizens.

If elected as your sheriff, I strongly feel the jail kitchen operations need a complete re-evaluation by the County Board in order to minimize the current expenses and to maximize the effects of taxpayer dollars. The operation of the kitchen would be most cost efficient and beneficial to the taxpayer if this service was put out on bid for catering service. This option would eliminate any overspending on this service and give local businesses in the community a fair opportunity. I spoke with one local county who is paying a food catering service \$2.25 less daily per inmate compared to the rate our county is currently paying Dennee Food Service LLC. At this rate and at an average of sixty inmates, it would save taxpayers nearly \$50,000 a year. This amount saved could be used in a variety of ways to lessen the burden placed on taxpayers. One potential way these funds could be utilized is for the possibility of upcoming courthouse renovations. My interests are less about operating a food service for personal benefit and more about prioritizing what is most important: The safety and fairness for each and every citizen of Forest County.

Sincerely, Jason Novak

Authorized and Paid For By Jason Novak-Crandon

After Returning from **Closed Session**, no action was taken.

Motion by Aschinger, seconded by McLaughlin to **Adjourn** the meeting. All in favor, motion carried. (7:30 p.m.)

City Of Crandon Police Department From The Desk Of Chief Packard

May 2018 CPD Activity Report:

2 Accident(s)

1 Alarm Call(s)

5 Animal Incident(s) (1 CITATION ISSUED)

1 Assists to Citizens/Motorists

17 Assists to Forest County Sheriff's Dept.

1 Breaking & Entering/Burglary Incident(s)

2 Child Custody Matter/Dispute Incident(s)

3 Child Neglect/Abuse/Possible Child Abuse Complaint(s)

3 Civil Matter/Dispute(s)

3 Criminal Damage to Property/Vandalism Incident(s)

1 Disorderly Conduct/Fight(s)

1 Domestic Dispute/Disturbance

2 Drug Abuse/Possible Drug Abuse Incident(s) (1 CITATION ISSUED)

1 Fraud/Scam Incident(s)

1 Garbage/Littering/Illegal Dumping Incident(s) 1 Gas Drive-Off Incident(s) 2 Harassment/Threat Incident(s) 9 Health/Safety/Welfare Incident(s)/911 Calls 1 Mail Tampering Incident(s) 4 Noise/Disturb Peace Incident(s) 1 O.W.I. 1 Property Dispute Incident(s) 26 Security Checks--Businesses/Residences 1 Sexual Abuse/Assault or Possible Sexual Abuse/Assault Incident(s) 5 Suspicious Person/Activity/Package/Vehicle Incident(s) 1 Theft/Possible Theft Incident(s) (1 ARREST) 5 Traffic/Driving/Parking Incident(s) 3 Traffic Hazard/Obstruction Complaint(s) 1 Trespassing Complaint(s) (1 CITATION ISSUED) 8 Vehicle Lockout(s) 3 Warrant Arrest(s)/Apprehension Request(s) 4 Citations Issued re: Traffic-Related Matters 2 Warning(s) to ATV/UTV Operator(s)/Passenger(s)

19 Warning(s) to Drivers (re: Vehicle or Traffic Safety)

District Honor Roll Term 4 2017 2018

High Honors

Seniors: Hagan Braaten, Rachel Braaten, Kimberly Cole, Kirstyn Gardner, Trevor Kalkofen, Stanley Kessel, Jared Knutson, Devin Kowalkowski, Tieley Schwechel Juniors: Stanley Maruszczak, Madelynn Mitchem, Caleb Nelson, Colby Nelson, Briar Nichols Sophomores: Sophia Wysocki Freshman: William Bednarz, Daniel Cole, Sierra Dettman, Lamarr Lewis, Katelyn Nelson, Michael Rock, Gabriel Wysocki 8th Grade: Natalie Balcerzak, Emily Goode, Erik Kalkofen, Landon Kalkofen, Jacob Kessel, Grace Kowalkowski, Boone Larison, Shelby Loback, JaKota Milan, Owen Wysocki 7th Grade: Lucas Barribeau, Josephine Rock, Joshua Wvsocki Honors Seniors: Jason Blasier Juniors: Sandra Burnett Sophomores: Jocelyn Bellemare, Michal Sciborowski Freshman: Tyler Moddie 8th Grade: Nathan Balcerzak, JoHanna Milan 7th Grade: Marlie Bednarz, Layla Yang

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Mursau to chair State and Tribal Relations Committee

PIONEER EXPRESS PAGE 18, JUNE 25, 2018

Representative Jeff Mursau (R–Crivitz) has been chosen to Chair the Special Committee on State and Tribal Relations. The committee will begin meeting in the coming weeks.

"It's a privilege to be reappointed as chair of the special committee," said Mursau. "Over the years, we've been able to pass legislation that recognizes the tribes in existing state laws as well as advancing new initiatives important to the tribes."

The Special Committee on State and Tribal Relations is tasked with studying issues relating to American Indian tribes and bands in Wisconsin and developing recommendations and legislative proposals to address those issues. The committee consists of 8 state legislators and 10 public members representing the tribes. Joining Representative Mursau on the committee are Gary Besaw from the Menominee Indian Tribe and Chairman Gus Frank form the Forest County Potawatomi Community.

"I've thoroughly enjoyed working alongside the tribes to address the concerns of their communities," expressed Mursau. "Having the opportunity to learn about their culture and traditions has been a rewarding experience for me and I look forward to continuing the work of the committee in the coming months."

Several bills were signed into law by Governor Walker earlier this year because of the work of the special committee during the previous legislative session. One of the new laws allows the use of a tribal identification card for a variety of state purposes including registering to vote and picking up prescription medications.

For more information about the Special Committee on State and Tribal Relations, please visit the committee webpage at: https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/misc/lc/study/2018/1792

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Johnson, & others introduce legislation to keep families together

WASHINGTON — U.S. Senator Ron Johnson (R-Wis.), chairman of the Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee, and 26 fellow Senators today, introduced the Keep Families Together and Enforce the Law Act, which keeps families together while ensuring the integrity of our nation's immigration laws. The legislation requires that children and their parents remain together during their legal proceedings.

In addition to keeping children and their parents together, the legislation also keeps children safe by requiring children to be removed from an individual who presents a clear and present danger to the health and safety of the child, including: situations in which DHS cannot verify an individual is the parent of the child; a parent with a violent history of committing aggravated felonies; a child who is a victim of sexual or domestic abuse; a child who is a victim of trafficking.

"This bill would protect children and ensure families are not separated while their cases are being adjudicated in court, and would end catch and release of families at the border," said Johnson. "But, the real issue at hand is a broader immigration issue. We need to stop incentivizing people to come to this country illegally. I hope that my Democrat colleagues in the Senate will take this issue seriously, and work with us to find a solution." **Background:**

The Keep Families Together and Enforce the Law Act includes provisions to ensure the humane and fair treatment of migrant children and families by setting mandatory standards of care for family residential centers. Families will be ensured access to suitable living accommodations, food and water, medical assistance, and any other service necessary for their care.

To prioritize the timely adjudication of family cases, the legislation authorizes 225 new immigration judges and requires the Secretary of Homeland Security and the Attorney General to prioritize resolving the cases of children and families in family residential centers

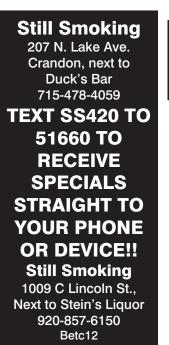
Unlike other proposals – which incentivize illegal immigration by codifying "catch and release" policies into law – this legislation actually solves the problem by keeping families together while also ensuring the integrity of our immigration laws.

Original co-sponsors include Senators Thom Tillis (R-N.C.), Marco Rubio (R-Fla.), Lindsey Graham (R-S.C.), Tom Cotton (R-Ark.), and Ted Cruz (R-Texas), Dean Heller (R-Nev.), John Cornyn (R-Texas), Chuck Grassley (R-IA), James Lankford (R-OK), Deb Fischer (R-NE), Joni Ernst (R-IA), Jerry Moran (R-KS), Ben Sasse (R-NE), Pat Roberts (R-KS), Steve Daines (R-MT), Johnny Isakson (R-GA), Jeff Flake (R-AZ), Orrin Hatch (R-UT), Jim Inhofe (R-OK), John Thune (R-SD), Bob Corker (R-TN), Mike Crapo (R-ID), John Hoeven (R-ND), John Boozman (R-AR), Rob Portman (R-OH), and Mitch McConnell (R-KY).

Responsibilities of all pet owners in Forest County

Pet ownership has its rewards. Bringing a kitten or puppy home is always an exciting time for the animal as well as the owner. Along with that excitement there are many very important responsibilities that need to be addressed. One very important responsibility is that you keep your new pet leashed when out in the community, and confined on your property so that it is not roaming around where it could bite an unsuspecting person. Your new pet also needs to be properly vaccinated against diseases that could make them sick. One of the REQUIRED vaccinations is for rabies. Rabies is a rare viral disease affecting the nervous system. It is transmitted from infected animals to humans and is virtually always fatal once symptoms appear. By state law, animal owners are required to have their dog or cat vaccinated by age 5 months by a licensed veterinary, and are required to have proof of said vaccination in their possession. The tag for the vaccination is also to be in the owners possession and worn on the pet or on the pet's collar. To read the complete state law go to: Wisconsin State Legislature, State Statute 95.21, Requirement for vaccination. There is very good reason for these state laws that protect all of us. There are penalties if a pet owner does not comply with the state laws, along with those penalties, pet owners need to be aware that the Forest County Health Department investigates all reports of cat or dog bites, and we will require that you provide us with a copy of your pet's rabies vaccination. Along with that your pet will have to be quarantined for 10 days to make sure that it does not have rabies, and you will have to take it to the vet 3 times within that 10 day period at your expense. If your pet bites

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someone and is not vaccinated-it will be required that the animal is quarantined within 24 hours at a licensed veterinary at your expense for 10 days.

With it being summer and Forest County being the beautiful place it is, we have a lot more people visiting and attending all the great outdoor activities that are offered. Pets that are shy or timid should not be brought to crowded events like parades, or large outdoor gatherings. Animals that are frightened can bite out of fear. It is not fair to the animal or the unsuspecting person that gets bitten by a frightened animal. It is best to leave your pet at home where they are safe and comfortable if you plan to attend a community gathering. Along with that suggestion, if you don't know an animal, do not assume they are going to appreciate you walking up to it and petting it. Also please watch your children around strange animals because they trust animals, and do not know to stay away from them.

Let us all do our part and be responsible pet owners. Keep your pet properly leashed, and vaccinated. And let's all have a great summer!

If you have any questions or concerns please call the Forest County Health Department at 715-478-3371.

Mardi Gras schedule of events

The 65th Annual Lakewood Mardi Gras is now just over a month away and the organizing committee has set the daily time schedule for the many events taking place on July 13-15, 2018.

Friday the 13th is the kickoff for this year's celebration and the first activity is truly unique. Human Foosball is something not found at many venues, but it will be played for the second year starting at 4:00 p.m. The midway will feature Spectrum Carnival Rides starting at 5:00 p.m., with a Wrist Band Period from 6:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. (Carnival Wrist Bands will cost \$20.00 in advance and may be purchased at local businesses or online, or for \$25.00 on the Midway.) Providing entertainment Friday night will be "A-Town Unplugged" taking the stage at 7:00 p.m.

It is full throttle ahead with a busy schedule for Saturday, July 14th, and it gets started early with the first pitch of the annual Mardi Gras Softball Tournament slated for 8:00 a.m. Also Saturday morning, a Fun Scramble Pickleball Tournament will begin at 9:00 a.m. Spectrum Carnival Rides will be on the midway with two Wrist Band sessions; the first one running from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m., and the second session running from 6:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. The FREE Museum For A Weekend II, featuring local history exhibits, will open in the Community Building at 11:00 a.m. and remain open to the public until 6:00 p.m. A 12:00 Noon start has been scheduled for the Cornhole Tournament, and Noon is also the tentative starting time for the Kids' Fishing Pond, courtesy of the Lions and Trout Unlimited. A Pig Roast has been set for 3:00 p.m., with a promise of a larger supply than last year, when the supply of pork was quickly exhausted. Finally to close out Saturday, the popular group "Crankin Yankees" will be performing on stage at 7:00 p.m. Sunday gets an early start as the Softball Tournament resumes play at 8:00 a.m. The Museum For A Weekend II will open at 10:00 a.m. to allow people arriving early for the Noon parade to visit the exhibits before the parade; and will remain open until 4:00 p.m. The highlight of Sunday is the Mardi Gras Parade, which starts on the west end of town at High Noon. Parade participants are encouraged to line up early in the area near the Lakewood Cemetery. Spectrum Rides will again be operating on the midway, with a Wrist Band session from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. A Meat Raffle has been tentatively scheduled for Sunday afternoon and entertainment will be provided by DJ Greg Tallier.



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Museum For A Weekend II in Lakewood

After a successful run last year when more than 330 people toured the Museum for a Weekend historical displays during the annual Lakewood Mardi Gras celebration, the organizers of the 2018 Mardi Gras have decided to offer the Museum for a Weekend again. Volunteers will again turn the community building adjacent to the Mardi Gras grounds into a museum celebrating Lakewood's past, and also the military veterans of the area. The displays will be open to the public for FREE viewing on Saturday, July 14th from 11:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m., and on Sunday, July 15th, from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. The earlier opening on Sunday morning will accommodate those people who come into town for the noon parade to tour the exhibits before the parade.

The Lakewood area has no permanent museum focusing on the town's colorful history, but this Museum For A Weekend provides people the opportunity to become more familiar with its past. Whether you want your children to learn some history of the area, or you are a seasonal resident and you want to learn about the area, or you just want the opportunity to reminisce about the past, this event is made for you. There are sure to be several of Lakewood's older residents wandering amongst the exhibits and willing to share their knowledge.

Many of the displays are courtesy of the Thielke family with its large collection of photos and artifacts, but many other people in the area have made contributions to the event. Organizers have indicated that there will be several new displays this year and those who attended last year will have something new and different to see. Also new this year will be a baseball memorabilia collection featuring gloves belonging to Lakewood's major leaguer, Russ Bauers, and a set of vintage autographed photographs of Wisconsin's 1948 Racine Belles, the women's professional baseball team made famous by the 1992 motion picture, "A League of Their Own." The large display honoring the military veterans with connections to the Lakewood area will again be provided by Rita (Thielke) Blazewicz. She has more than a dozen large display boards with pictures of, and information about, the many deceased and living vets of the area. The photo boards are complimented with a collection of posters and military memorabilia. This always popular display allows many local veterans the opportunity to see the focus put on their military service. Mark your calendar to take advantage of this very limited opportunity to learn some history with a local flavor. Hopefully parents bringing children to the Mardi Gras will take a few minutes to stop by the Museum and show the kids what life was like in the area many years ago. Mardi Gras organizers are also hoping that visitors will consider trips out to the Holt & Balcom Logging Camp Museum, the Lakewood Fish Hatchery, and the Cathedral Pines, among other area highlights, to get the true flavor of the Lakewood area on Mardi Gras weekend.

With all of the activities that have been scheduled, a variety of food and beverage stands will operate at different times throughout the weekend; and the menu includes pizza and corn. The organizers of the Mardi Gras are hoping for good weather that will bring out even more people than attended last year's successful event. **PIONEER EXPRESS PAGE 20, JUNE 25, 2018**



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Melissa Statezny-Sheldon competes in the Bellin Run



Post 44 presents Dennis M Larsen with **3 Prestigious Awards**







Northwoods favorite "Scott Kirby"

performs live at Nicolet College

Local headliner Scott Kirby with a group of musician Friends will entertain crowds during a summertime event on Tuesday, June 26 at 7:30 p.m. in the Nicolet College Theatre. The Rhinelander native calls his

Melissa Statezny-Sheldon competed in the 41st Bellin Run in Green Bay on Saturday, June 2. This race is one of the largest 10k (6.2 miles) runs in the nation. Melissa completed the race in 46 minutes, 33 seconds. She placed 17th out of 696 females in the 35 - 39 year old age group; she was 85th of 5307 females. There were 12,050 total participants; Melissa placed 515th overall.

Melissa grew up in Crandon, the daughter of Larry and Karen Statezny. She now lives in Shawano with her husband Dennis and six children, ages 3 to 15 years old. She began running religiously approximately eight years ago. One of her recent accomplishments is that she ran a minimum of 2 miles per day for over 400 consecutive days. She gets up earlier than her family each morning to give her the time she needs to work out and run. She is setting a wonderful example, not only for her children, but people from all walks of life. Congratulations on a job well done!

This photo is Melissa and her 4 oldest kids at the race on Saturday.

Dennis M Larsen was presented the Legionnaire of the Year Award, 50 Years Continuous Membership Award, and an award for recruiting the most new members at the 2018 Annual Awards Banquet. Dennis proudly spends his time helping at the Wabeno Legion Post 44 and VFW projects. He is a life member of both organizations and serves on the Color Guard honoring Veterans on their "last call". Dennis is also recognized for his assistance at the Fisheries, Poultryshoots, and Wienerfest fundraisers where he helps sell tickets and helps set up/tear down the equipment. Dennis also takes time to help with spring and fall clean up at the Wabeno Veteran's War Memorial Park.

Dennis also participates in the numerous Legion activies and projects throughout the year. Dennis is an excellent advocate for the American Legion by always talking about the Legion with others and recruiting new members.

Dennis has been married for 47 years to his lovely wife, Donna. They have three children and four grandsons. Dennis was born and raised in Wabeno. His father, brother, uncle and son all served in the military. His son, Mike, followed in Dennis' footsteps by joining the Navy. Mike just returned back to the states after being deployed in Behrain following three years stationed in Italy. Dennis enjoys golfing, playing with his grandsons, watching the Packers, and retirement.

signature musical style "blue-country-folk-grass," and says he's inspired from a variety of musical influences including Johnny Cash, Tom Petty, and REM to name a few. Kirby's performances usually include guitar looping, harmonica, and kick drum, and feature upbeat tunes with meaningful and memorable themes.

Scott Kirby started songwriting and playing music inspired by his life experiences, family, and friends since he was 12 years old. With six albums to his credit, and a new single released in 2017 called "Love is Just," Kirby maintains a jam-packed performance schedule, and enjoys discovering and featuring local talent during his performances. Several musician friends will join Kirby on the Nicolet stage including, Traci Stinebrink, Brett Albertson, Shannon and Joy Hauser, Chris Skinner, Kyle Anderson, Shoestring Joe, and Star Thief, and Tuck Pence. In addition to music, Kirby is passionate about the Northwoods community and often partners with several locally-based charitable organizations including Toys for Tots, Angel on My Shoulder, and the Rhinelander Area Food Pantry.

Scott Kirby and Friends will perform on Tuesday, June 26 at 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$10. Beer and wine will be available at Bytes before the event. You can purchase tickets online at www.nicoletlive.com or call the Box Office at 715-365-4646.