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#### Laona Lions Community Soup and Souper Run Saturday, August 3rd



The great tradition of the Laona Lions Community Soup is on for this Saturday, August 3, at Silver Lake Beach, in Laona. The Soup begins at noon, and runs until 5 p.m. This is the 99 year the Community Soup has been held, and it sustains the tradition of people from the community getting together and sharing the fixin's for a very large kettle of vegetable soup. Like the old days, you have to bring your own bowl.

Also on Saturday, August 3, the 40th Annual Souper Run. Race day registration begins at 7 a.m. at the Silver Lake Beach. The race is open to anyone from 6 and under to 65 and up.

## History on Tap features stories of Lake Metonga



The Crandon Area Historical Society is pleased to announce that its Monday, August 5, "History on Tap" program will offer the program, "It is a Sandy Beach: Stories of Lake Metonga." The program will feature photos, postcards and local history stories of the lake, its resorts, land owners, camps and the industries its supported through the years. The information for the program was researched and collected from information found within the Crandon Area Local History Room at the Crandon Public Library.

Historical society member Michelle Gobert will also provide information on an upcoming local history workshop series provided by the Division of Extension Forest County, that will offer tips and tricks to residents interested in researching local history and/or their family history.

The program will begin at 7 p.m. at the Historic Hotel Crandon. History on Tap is free of charge and is open to all ages. Complimentary snacks will be provided. Alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages are for sale. History on Tap is sponsored by the Crandon Area Historical Society and the Hotel Crandon. For more information, contact Michelle at 715-478-7797.

## National Night Out



On Tuesday, August 6, from 4:00-7:00 p.m., the Forest County Sheriff's Department and Crandon Police Department will be hosting National Night Out in the parking lot of the Sheriff's Department.

The following will be at the event: Drunk Goggles, Dunk Tank, High Strike, Archery, Teen Bedroom by Forest County Health Department, Diaper Drive by Nation Alliance for Drug Endangered Children and Community Coalition of Forest County (please give diapers of all sizes & pullups to help support Forest County Drug Endangered Youth), Taser and K9 Demo. There will also be food, drink and prizes.

Everybody is invited to attend and have a good time as well as learn.

#### Crandon Rocks to kick off 50th World Championship Off-Road Races Kid Rock comes to Crandon!



CRANDON, Wisconsin (July 26, 2019) – For fifty consecutive Labor Day weekends, the rolling hills near the tiny hamlet of Crandon, Wisconsin have come to life thanks to the roaring symphony of 900 horsepower trucks as part of the world's largest short course off-road race. Now this uniquely American Midwest tradition will explode as Crandon International Raceway today announced the appearance of Kid Rock as part of its new "Crandon Rocks" concert series.

Set to take place Friday, August 30 at Crandon International Raceway, the Kid Rock concert has now been officially added to the famed singer's 2019 tour schedule. His "Crandon Rocks" performance will incorporate a complete stadium-style production, including world class staging, sound, lighting, video and pyrotechnics executed in pure Kid Rock style.

Tickets for this historic Crandon concert will be available Monday, July 29 beginning at noon at www.crandonrocks.com. In keeping with a time-honored Crandon tradition of providing world-class entertainment for the everyman, tickets for Friday's day of racing and general admission to the concert will be just \$75.00. In contrast to many modern venues, "Crandon Rocks" will offer concert goers parking, food and beverages of all types at extremely affordable prices.

In addition, a limited supply of Gold Section tickets at three-tiered pricing will also be offered, which includes reserved seats, private concert entrance, VIP bar and catered food locations as well as a private bathroom facility.

Taking place August 28 through September 1, this year's five-day 50th Anniversary Polaris RZR Crandon World Championship Off-Road Races® will be the biggest off-road short course race anywhere, with a record crowd of more than 55,000 people expected to attend the weekend celebration. A complete slate of Lucas Oil Midwest Short Course League Pro and Sportsman races is scheduled, as are special events and unique fan experiences including the 2019 Crandon Rocks concert. Sunday, September 1 will feature the 4th annual Crandon World Cup, the sport's richest day of racing, that will attract the very best professional drivers and teams all competing on the track's legendary 1.75-mile course for coveted Crandon World Champion titles.

Kid Rock burst onto the music scene in 1998 with his Devil Without a Cause album and hasn't looked back. From hit singles like "Bawitdaba" and "Cowboy" to "Picture" and "All Summer Long," the recording artist has blazed his own trail in the music world, having sold over 26 million albums to date. Kid Rock holds the Michigan record for most tickets sold with 150,000 for a run of ten consecutive sold-out shows, and recently set the Little Caesars Arena attendance record in his hometown of Detroit with 86,893 attendees in six sold-out shows. On the heels of this arena success. Kid Rock hit the road in 2018 in support of his first album fully recorded in Nashville, Sweet Southern Sugar, with two hugely successful tours - winter's American Rock n Roll tour and summer's Red Blooded Rock n Roll Redneck Extravaganza. The year also saw the release of his first ever greatest hits project, Kid Rock Greatest Hits You Never Saw Coming. Kid Rock remains at the center of media attention in regard to his musical and personal ambitions, leaving his mark in a multitude of genres.

Located just two hours northwest of Green Bay in Wisconsin's scenic Northwoods, Crandon International Raceway is a 400-plus acre, purpose-built facility known by its three generations of fans as "the Big House." Since holding its first off-road race in 1970, Crandon has been home to a beloved Labor Day weekend tradition for racers and families alike, with more than 2,200 grass camping sites and lots of down home entertainment all adding up to an unforgettable and timeless "Crandon Experience."

# Lake Lucerne Advancement Association Family Fun Day & Auction

It will be fun for the whole family, at the Lake Lucerne Advancement Association Family Fun Day and Auction at the Lake Lucerne Community Center on County W. The fun begins at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 3.

The auction inspection is at 11:30 a.m., and after that be ready to bid on everything from sporting goods to furniture and appliances.

There will be plenty of refreshments and food, the big money raffle and more. There will be a bouncy house for young kids and plenty of conversation between friends and acquaintances. All are welcome!

## Governor Evers' order sends support to northern Wisconsin

To ensure power is restored to Wisconsin communities following the weekend's devastating storms, Governor Tony Evers directed state agencies to facilitate emergency responses.

Wisconsin Department of Transportation Secretary-designee Craig Thompson signed a waiver to allow out-of-state utility crews to obtain a no-fee permit to travel in the state. The waiver will expedite the restoration of power and related infrastructure to northern and central Wisconsin.

Certain utility trucks and equipment that are not registered in Wisconsin or enrolled in the International Registration Plan (IRP) or the International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA) may obtain a no-fee permit. The fee waiver remains in effect through October 20, 2019.

Governor Evers signed Executive Order 35 declaring a State of Emergency due to extreme weather causing exceptional damage to critical infrastructure.

## Annual Lakes Country Arts & Crafts Show Saturday, August 3 in Lakewood

The Annual Lakes Country Arts & Crafts Show is this Saturday, August 3. The event runs from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. There are 281 booths occupied by 215 vendors offering original work. It is free admission and free parking. The show is located at the Lakewood Town Hall and Activity Center. No pets allowed.

The Annual Lakes Country Arts and Crafts Show is sponsored by the McCaslin Lions Club. All money raised by the McCaslin Lions Club goes back into the community.

## Crandon Public Library Presents Randy's Rockin' Reading Show August 9

Join the Crandon Public Library in welcoming back Randy Peterson for another Rockin' Reading Show on August 9 at 2 p.m.

His show is a sing-along, clap-along concert that is perfect for kids and families. This year, the show is a musical story of the universe. Young patrons will blast off together, to sing and dance their way through space. Along the way, Randy will lead the children in songs such as the Mars Macarena, the Jupiter Jump and the Pluto Polka!

Randy's Rockin' Reading show is a fast-moving mix of music, education, humor and storytelling geared for kids, but will be enjoyed by everyone! This program is brought to you by the Friends of the Crandon Public Library

## DNR seeks input on ruffed grouse management plan



The public will have an opportunity to provide input and comments on a proposed ruffed grouse management plan for Wisconsin in person at a series of public hearings as wells as online. The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources is drafting a ruffed

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#### News updates for Veterans

This article is being penned to ensure all Veterans have access to the latest information as it pertains to their benefits. It will highlight two huge changes that have taken effect in the last 60 days, and what that means to you. HEALTH CARE

First is the MISSION Act that went into effect on June 6th. It is an overhaul of all of the VA's Community Care programs and allows Veteran increased options for their health care.

The major change is increased eligibility for Veterans to receive care locally if they choose not to get care at a VA facility, and they meet these expanded eligibility criteria. In future articles we will discuss the entire health care system in detail.

The other historic change that the MISSION Act authorizes is the use by Veterans, enrolled and current in the VA Health Care system, to visit Urgent Care (Walk-In) clinics. This benefit is available only at In-Network Urgent Care facilities. If the Urgent Care Clinic is not In-Network the bill for services will be solely the responsibility of the Veteran.

Use only a VA IN-NETWORK URGENT CARE facility. As of July 23, 2019, the only VA authorized In-Network Urgent Care facilities within 50 miles of Forest County are: The Marshfield Clinics Urgent Care facility in Minocqua. Be sure to let them know that you are utilizing your VA benefit. The most up to date list of In-Network Urgent Care facilities is available online at, https://vaurgentcarelocator.triwest.com/Locator/Care BLUE WATER NAVY

Earlier this year the Blue Water Navy Vietnam Veterans Act was signed into law. This will expand the number of Veterans who will be allowed disability for the presumptive illnesses associated with exposure to Agent Orange. The bill contained a provision that allowed the VA to delay implementation of the law. The VA has exercised this right and has issued a stay on all Blue Water Navy Claims. This delay should allow the VA to establish new parameters for qualification (ie define the new mile marker granting exposure), and get rules in place. What do Veterans and widows who may now be eligible do?

1. If you filed before or since the new ruling, whether you were denied or a decision has not been reached, just realize

that the clock has stopped and no one at the VA will do anything with your claim.

2. If you have filed an Intent to File; nothing changes. You need to ensure that you file the claim with in one year of the

Intent.
3. If you have not filed, either a claim or an Intent to File, and believe you may become eligible due to the Blue Water Navy expansion, stop by the office and file an Intent to File.

This applies to both Veterans, and widows of Veterans who died of one the presumptive illnesses caused by exposure to Agent Orange, and may qualify under the Blue Water Navy Vietnam Veterans Act.

If you have questions please call the County Veterans Service Office. (715) 478-3722

Check out our webpage at: www.co.forest.wi.gov

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I can and will assist you in completing all required application forms.

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**JOINT CLASS REUNION:** CHS Classes of 1950, 1951 and 1952 are having a joint reunion Saturday, Aug. 17 at Main Street Ed's and would welcome classmates of other years to join us. For further information or to make a reservation, please call Sharon at 715-478-3512 or Jim at 715-478-5634. P18





#### Tuesday August 13 5:00-8:00 p.m. **Cheeseheads documentary and tailgate!**

Join RDL at Rhinelander Masonic Lodge to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Packers with a tailgate preceeding a viewing of Cheeseheads, a documentary featuring local sites and folks. This film takes viewers on a tongue-in-cheek tour of Cheesehead culture in Wisconsin by exploring the factories, farms, museums, breweries, and people who have made the moniker globally recognizable. A question and answer session follows the film.

This program will be at the Rhinelander Masonic Lodge 242, 23 E. Davenport Street. Tailgate appropriate refreshments available for nominal cost courtesy of the Masonic Lodge and Rhinelander Brewery.

#### **Final performance at Concert on the Riverwalk Wednesday, August 7th**

The final Concert on the Riverwalk for the 2019 season will feature the Rhinelander Area Community Band at the bandshell near Trig's beginning at 7 p.m. on

Along with the usual rousing marches, familiar show tunes and traditional polkas. director Jim Pekol promises a few surprises. Free popcorn will be served and there are a few benches available.

In case of bad weather, the show will be held at the senior center (ADRC) building across the parking lot. This week's sponsor is RIPCO Credit Union.



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#### State wildlife reps agree on top-level priorities for controlling CWD

MADISON, Wis. - Expanded testing research, disease management evaluation and enhanced regional collaboration are among the top-level priorities identified by wildlife professionals from 12 Midwestern states, members of Wisconsin Tribal Nations, plus state and federal conservation groups who met this week in Madison to discuss preventing the spread of chronic wasting disease.

The two-day working meeting hosted by the Wisconsin DNR focused on the latest data available on how CWD is affecting each states' wild deer population as well as disease management strategies and collaboration opportunities. The meeting kicked off Wednesday with opening remarks from DNR Secretary-designee Preston Cole and a video message from Gov. Tony Evers.

"Working together on CWD management and research will help all of us address how CWD is affecting our deer herd and how it's impacting the sport of hunting we all know and love," Evers said. "CWD not only impacts hunters, but there is also a ripple effect that touches our residents and economies. By all of us working together, we will more effectively manage this disease and reduce the impacts of CWD."

CWD is a contagious neurological disease of deer, elk and moose that is caused by an abnormal protein called a prion. These prions cause brain degeneration in infected animals and lead to extreme weight loss, abnormal behavior and loss of bodily functions. This always fatal disease was first found in Wisconsin in 2002 through testing of hunterharvested deer in November 2001. There are currently 56 CWD affected counties across the state.

"This type of meeting of the minds around CWD research and collaboration is unprecedented," said Cole. "I applaud the many states, Tribal Nations and conservation groups who joined us in Madison to have a significant dialogue around the management of this disease. I am humbled by what I have heard and am hopeful the promises of a shared commitment to get ahead of this insidious disease will be kept."

Some priorities the group established are:

Expanded research into testing methods - The group agreed there is a need for more advanced research into testing methodologies that do not require lymph hode material. The desire is to develop live animal testing methods that use alternative tissue while still generating scientifically valid results.

Evaluation of management actions - While many states are initiating control actions, such as management zones and restrictions on carcass disposal, few have evaluated these actions to determine efficacy. The group agreed there is a greater need for empirical data to establish whether these actions are sufficiently effective in controlling CWD.

Enhanced collaboration on management and communication - There is a need for more consistent communications across state lines about each state's CWD management rules and how to inform hunters about how to comply with those rules. This collaboration especially comes into play when new CWD detections are made near state borders.

"We are excited and encouraged by the broad participation in this meeting, not only from the many states but also by the tribal nations, deer farming industry and wildlife organizations who are ready to work together to confront this problem," said Tami Ryan, acting director of the DNR's Bureau of Wildlife Management. She added that word of the DNR meeting spread to the South East Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies about the success of the Midwest CWD Collaboration Meeting, which prompted them to schedule a similar event in Mississippi next month.





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#### AREA CHURCH SERVICES

- 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-
- $\bullet \ \textbf{Forest Larger Parish Presbyterian Church} Sunday \ Worship: Lakewood 8:00$ (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. Sunday Worship at 9 a.m..Located at the corner of 55 and Cty. A in Pickerel. VBS starts July 22nd and runs to the 26th. 9 a.m. to noon. Call 715-484-3382 for more information.
- Good Shepherd Lutheran Church (LCMS)- 1507 N Lake Ave, Crandon. Sunday Service 9:30 a.m. 715-478-3555
- St John Lutheran Church (LCMS) 5502 Beech Street, Laona, Sunday Service at 8:00 a.m. 715-674-3836.
- 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. Sunday Worship Service at 9 AM, Wednesday Prayer & Bible study 6 PM (winter-time 2PM). Pastor Benjamin Larson (715) 610-1420
- 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 will be at 9:15 a.m. starting Aug. 4; Youth Bible School (grades pre k - 8) on Wednesday at 3:30 - 5 p.m. 715-478-5620.
- Christ Lutheran (WELS) located at 9139 S Main St in Hiles. Worship on Sunday at 7:45 a.m. beginning Aug. 4. NorthwoodsLutheran.org
- Praise Chapel 200 East Sixth St., Crandon, Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. kid's Club - 3:15 p.m., Bible Study Wed. - 6:30 p.m.
- St. Joseph's Catholic Church 208 N. Park Ave., Crandon, Saturday Service 5 p.m. Sunday Service 9 a.m. 715-478-3396.
- St. Luke's United Methodist Church 301 South Lake Ave., Crandon, Sunday Service 8:45 a.m. 715-478-3797. • Argonne United Methodist Church - 7945 Pine St., Argonne, Sunday Service
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#### COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

- The Silver Lake Preservation Association, Inc. (SLPA) will hold an annual meeting on Saturday, August 17, 9 a.m. at the Laona Community Center, 5233 Beech St., Laona
- The Pickerel Area 50 Plus Club will hold a Pontoon Ride and Picnic on Thursday August 8, 2019 at Jim Huss's home. The address is 9039 Page Lane, Pickerel. Pontoon Ride begins at noon. Picnic begins at 3 p.m. - Bring a dish to pass. RSVP:
- · Volunteers Needed Armstrong Creek Gardener. First 10 receive a free t-shirt. Please call Donna Mrugala at 1-715-336-2329 for more information.
- Town of Wabeno has set the first Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. to hold Town **Board Meetings**
- Crandon American Legion Post 94 First Thursday of every month (except Sept.) at 7 p.m. at the new American Legion Hall.
- Overeaters Anonymous meeting Thursday at 4:15-5:15 p.m. in Associated Bank at 210 S Lake Ave., Crandon. Contact Debra at 715-784-0031 for more
- 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. at the training center at the shelter. The public is always welcome.
- 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. at the Crandon City Beach 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. • Town of Lincoln Board Meetings - 2nd Monday of each month, 6 p.m., Town of
- Tops will meet at Wabeno Town Hall on Mondays. Weigh in at 7:45 a.m. with
- meeting following at 8:00 a.m. For more info call 715-473-2613.
- Support Group for Parent of Children with Disabilities Call Chris at 715-784-
- 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. Second Wednesday of the Month.
- 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, opened every Wednesday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- Forest County ATV Association Monthly meeting the second Saturday of the month at 9 a.m., in the Laona Senior Community Building, back entrance

#### 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-
- · 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 Community Center on School St.. 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-
- Fire Station, side entrance.

## Bids & Notices

#### **Public Library Hours**

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Crandon Public Library - Monday, Tuesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.; Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.; Saturday 9:00 a.m. - Noon • 715-478-3784.

Laona Edith Evans Community Library - HOURS: Monday: noon to 6 p.m., Tuesday thru Thursday: 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Friday: 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Closed Saturday & Sunday • 715-674-4751

#### **Museum Hours**

Forest County Museum - Located at 105 W. Jackson in Crandon. Forest County Potawatomi Cultural Center & Museum - Monday Thursday 7 a.m. - 5 p.m. If you have special research needs or want to inquire about collection, please call 715-478-4841.

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#### Arbutus Lutheran Church Fundraiser

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- •Booth Size: 12' x 10'
- Bring your own tables Set-up from 7:30-9:00 a.m.
- Vendor Cost:\$18.00 Contact Bob: 920-810-7819

or 920-766-0455 email: rjpautz@gmail.com



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#### UW-Platteville announces Dean's List

University of Wisconsin-Platteville recently announced that Ty Bradley was named to the Dean's Scholastic Honors List for the college for the spring 2019 semester. He earned a 3.61 GPA.

Congratulations on your accomplishments.

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#### SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

Wednesday, August 7, 2019 High School Library - Wabeno Junior High / High School 6:00 p.m. **AGENDA** 

Call Meeting to Order

Roll Call - Verification of Quorum

Verification of Meeting Notice (Compliance with Open Meeting Law Notification (Wis.

Stats. 19.84(2)) Pledge of Allegiance

Agenda Approval

Public Participation at Board Meetings - See Board Policy 0167.3

- a. Welcome and Guidelines for Public Comments (5 Minute Maximum per Person) b. This is a listening session for the community to address the Board. The maximum
- time limit for this section is 30 minutes. The purpose of this segment of the meeting is for the Board to listen to the views of our community.
- c. Public Participation

Approval of Minutes

- a. Approval of the minutes of the Regular School Board Meeting on July 9, 2019.
- b. Approval of minutes of the Special Board Meeting July 18, 2019.

Approval of Vouchers and Payroll Informational Items

- a. Jeff Walsh, District Administrator will present updates and information.
- b. Bill Taylor, Jr./Sr. High School Principal will present updates and information.
- c. Tim Brauer, Interim Elementary Principal will present updates and information.
- d. Board Member Reports.

Action Items

- a. Five Stones Presentation Jodi Harris from FCP
- Discuss and take action on milk bid.
- c. Discuss and take action on fuel bids.
- d. Discuss and take action on propane bids. e. Discuss and take action on snow removal bid.
- Discuss and take action on computer purchases.
- g. Discuss and take action on the hiring of personnel.
- h. Discuss and take action on substitute pay. Discuss and take action on resignations.
- Discuss and take action on KerberRose for three-year Auditor contract.
- k. Summer School Report
- I. Discuss and take action on Little Log Rollers Parent Handbook.
- m. Discuss and take action on final employee handbook changes.

Motion and roll call vote to go into closed session. XI.

- Pursuant to Wisconsin Statues 19.85(1)(e) to confer with legal counsel for the governmental body who is rendering oral or written advice concerning strategy to be adopted by the body with respect to a complaint filed by a former employee.
  - a. Discuss by the Board and counsel involving litigation.
- b. Motion and roll call vote to go into open session.
- Return to open session to take possible action on items discussed in closed session. XIII XIV. Discussion of Establishing Dates for Future Board Meetings and Establish Future

Agenda Items. No substantive discussion will occur concerning future agenda items.

NOTE: THE AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS ALLOWED BY LAW. Approved for Publication/Posting by: Superintendent of Schools. Upon reasonable notice, the District shall

make reasonable accommodation to accommodate the needs of people with disabilities through appropriate aids and services including the provision of informational material in an alternative format for a disabled person to be able to attend this meeting. For additional information or to request this service, contact the District Office at 715-473-2592. Sent to: Board of Education, Administrative Team. Pioneer and Lake/Forest Beacon Newspapers

The agenda as noted above was sent more than twenty-four hours prior to the meeting date. Due to this fact, the Agenda published in the newspaper(s) listed above may have been altered after delivery to the above listed newspaper(s). The most up to date Agenda information is also available on District Website: https://www.wabeno.k12.wi.us/#

#### **AARP 1191**



The speaker for the June meeting of the Nicolet AARP 1191 was Ruth Carriveau from the Oconto County Commission on Aging. Ruth Carriveau explained the services provided by the Commission to the community. Primary services include nutrition services, congregate meals, transportation, and legal services/benefit counseling. Most of the AARP members had utilized some of these services.

The AARP dinner at the Anderson Supper Club in June was enjoyed by thirty members. The July meeting for the group will be at 7:00 PM on July 30 instead of the usual scheduled day.

All persons 50 and over are invited to join the local AARP Chapter AARP meetings are social, entertaining, and informative. Meetings are held at the Lakewood Presbyterian Church on the fourth • Lost Marbles Group - Open AA meeting - Saturday mornings at 9 a.m. Wabeno Tuesday of the month starting at 7:00 PM. Contact Joyce West, Membership Chairman, at 715-850-0336.

Ruth Carriveau is pictured above. Submitted by Dick Culver, Public Relations Chairman.



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McNaughton inmates graduate from Nicolet Maintenance Mechanic program



Wisconsin Department of Corrections Secretary Kevin Carr, second from left, congratulates Nicolet student James Wertman during a recent graduation ceremony at Nicolet College. The ceremony honored Wertman and four other inmates from the McNaughton Correctional Center who completed the college's Maintenance Mechanic certificate program. Also onstage are, standing, Nicolet President Richard Nelson and Nicolet Executive Vice President of Academic and Student Affairs Kate Ferrel. In the background are, left, Jeff Labs, Nicolet dean of Trade, Industry, and Apprenticeships, and Howard Honig, Nicolet Maintenance Mechanic instructor.

"By getting an education, each of you has proven that you have the courage, strength, and determination to better your lives," Carr said in his address to the graduates.

This is the third graduating class from McNaughton to complete an academic program at Nicolet.



#### Nicolet Walk/Run a big success



The 16th Annual Nicolet Walk/Run was held on June 15th. It turned out to be a beautiful day for a walk around Maiden Lake. This year's event was dedicated to the memory of Jerry "J.D." Doucha. J.D. was one of this event's most committed supporters and will be missed by all who knew him.

Proceeds go to local EMS units, including Fire Departments, Ambulance and Nicolet Search Team. This year we were able to donate \$6,000. Over \$90,000 has been donated since this event began in 2003.

We sincerely appreciate our sponsors - TruVenture Composites, LLC; Northern Perks Coffee Shop; TriFitness, LLC; BDS Fastener & Supply, LLC; CoVantage Credit Union; Lotter's Lakewood Shell; Wipfli, LLP; Creative Planning, Inc.; Entec Polymers; Harding Portables, LLC; Uline; Laona State Bank; EH Wolf & Sons, Inc.; and HSHS St. Clare Memorial Hospital/Prevea Health for their contributions.

We'd also like to recognize all the businesses that supplied items for our participants and for the goodie bags -Lakewood Super Valu; Town of Riverview; Nicolet Pharmacy; Forest County; Potowatomi Carter Casino; NorthLakes Community Clinic Lakewood; GSF Mortgage Corp; Dama Plumbing; Maiden Lake Supper Club; Bellin Health Lakewood and Pour Haus Bar & Grill.

To all the volunteers and EMS Units, for all your help prior to and during this event, we are grateful for all you do. We couldn't do it without you!

And to our 143 participants, we hope you had fun and look forward to seeing you at next year's event on June 20, 2020!

Go to www.nicoletwalkrun.com for photos and results. Submitted by the Nicolet Walk/Run Committee.

## Death Notices

Beverly R. Collins, 75, of Rhinelander, WI passed away Thursday, July 25, 2019 at the Friendly Village Nursing Home in Rhinelander, surrounded by family. Beverly was born in Laona on November 12, 1943 the daughter of the late Glen and Helen (Brooks) Stanley. She was united in marriage to Hilton Collins on October 10, 1959 and he preceded her in death on



She and Hilton loved doing February 5, 2007. everything together. She also loved spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren and had a passion for cooking and baking.

Surviving Beverly are daughter, Tammy (Kevin) Collins of Laona; sons, Hilton "Buck" Collins Jr. of Rhinelander, Jeffrey (Amy) Collins of Argonne, Timothy (April) Collins of Lac Du Flambeau and Bruce (Cindy) Collins of Rhinelander; 15 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren; sister, Dorothy Wagoner of Crandon; and brother, William Stanley of Laona.

She was preceded in death by her parents, sisters, Sharon Newman, Mary Schmelling and Shirley Penasa; and grandson, George Bailey.

Honoring Beverly's wishes, a Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, August 24, 2019, from 11 a.m.- 2 p.m. at the Argonne Town Hall in Argonne. Private graveside services will be held at the Laona Cemetery.

The family would like to thank the staff at Friendly Village & Ascension Northern Hospice for the compassionate care they gave to Beverly.

Online condolences may be left for the family at www.weberhillfuneralhome.com.



Zachary James Brazeau, age 10, 11/13/2009 to 7/11/2019. Zachary was fighting a courageous battle with lymphoblastic leukemia. Even though he was starting to go into remission, his already weakened immune system took a hard hit from sepsis and a lung infection, and unfortunately he lost his life due to these complications.

As I sit here with tears in my eyes, I think about the 10

short years we had with Zachary. So many happy memories were made. Zachary was a wonderful son and awesome big brother. He was always a hard working kid. Always putting a big smile on his face no matter how terrible he was feeling. And his smile put a smile on the faces of all of his family and friends. We will remember him for his big heart, his mischievous laugh and for his

Zachary has many who miss him so very much. Starting with his siblings: Kaytlyn, 7 years old, Owen, 3 years old, Ava, 2 years old, and Ronan, 5 months old. His loving grandparents Pete and Chris Johnson and Bruce and Diane Brazeau. His aunts and uncles Luke & Andrea Johnson, Andy Johnson, Katie & Jeremy Kevilus, Ben Johnson, Bobbi-Jo Johnson, Elizabeth and Ethan Kurtz, cousins Ezra & Ryan, Kurtis, Rachel & Rebecca, and so many family members on both sides and friends that will miss him so very much. But missing him the most will be his dad and mom, Matthew and Cindy Brazeau. It is never going to be the same without our Zachary. Gone way too soon but never forgotten.

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# Semior Chatter

#### Wisconsin's SeniorCare Program Extended for 10 Years

By the GWAAR Legal Services Team (for reprint)

On April 12, 2019 the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) granted the Department of Health Services (DHS) a 10-year extension for the SeniorCare Prescription Drug Assistance Program. This program is utilized by nearly 50,000 seniors in Wisconsin. Those who use or are planning to use the program now have peace of mind knowing their prescription drug benefit will continue for the long term.

Since it began on September 1, 2002, the SeniorCare program has successfully delivered comprehensive outpatient drug benefits to more than 310,000 seniors in the state. SeniorCare covers most generic and brand name prescription medications and over-the-counter insulin. It has a simplified enrollment process, \$30 annual enrollment fee, income-based deductibles and copayments of \$5 for generic drugs and \$15 for brand-name drugs.

The previous 3-year extension expired in December, 2018, and the state had been operating on 1month extensions for January, February, and March of this year. With the 10-year extension, SeniorCare members will continue to have affordable access to prescription drugs for years to come!

#### **Bus Schedule**

Tuesday - Aug. 6 - Carter, Wabeno, Laona and Crandon to Rhinelander - Bus driver: Dan Pedersen

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Dan Pedersen: 715-478-4254

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#### **PIONEER EXPRESS PAGE 7, AUGUST 5, 2019**

**Forest County Commission on Aging Nutrition Program SENIOR MEALS** 

#### CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA

Monday - Aug. 5 - Meatloaf with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, dinner roll, jello with fruit

Monday - Aug. 12 - Roast pork, parsley potato, sweet and sour cabbage, dinner roll, fruit sorbet

CRANDON, WABENO, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK Tuesday - Aug. 6 - Pork chop, roasted potato, carrots, Italian bread, applesauce - MUSIC: Armstrong Creek Tuesday - Aug. 13 - Chicken alfredo over pasta, broccoli.

fruit, pumpkin pie - BINGO: Armstrong Creek CRANDON

Wednesday - Aug. 7 - Egg salad sandwich on whole wheat, coleslaw, baked beans, fruit, snickerdoodle

Wednesday - Aug. 14 - Beef tips with onions and mushrooms, mashed potatoes, carrots, dinner roll, applesauce

#### LAONA, WABENO CONGREGATE

Thursday - Aug. 8 - Egg salad sandwich on whole wheat, coleslaw, baked beans, fruit, snickerdoodle cookie

Thursday - Aug. 15 - Beef tips with onions and mushrooms, mashed potatoes, carrots, dinner roll, applesauce

#### **ALVIN**

Thursday - Aug. 8 - Chicken, rice, California blend veggies, peaches, coleslaw, cookies

Thursday - Aug. 15 - Boiled dinner ham, potatoes, cabbage, carrots and rutabaga, applesauce, bars

Wednesday - Aug. 7 - 1) Meatloaf, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, whole grain dinner roll, dessert and

2) Chicken chef salad (lettuce, spring mix, tomatoes, onions, black olives, cucumber, croutons, shredded cheddar, grilled chicken and choice of dressing), whole grain dinner roll, dessert and milk

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

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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.

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.

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#### ARGONNE

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#### Cellcom accepting applications for Green Gifts \$37,400 will be donated to environmental causes

Cellcom is now accepting applications for the 2019 Green Gifts program. Through Green Gifts, Cellcom donates proceeds from its cell phone recycling program to local organizations, programs and projects that are dedicated to or support environmental sustainability.

The program launched in 2010 to protect the environment and support conservation in Central and Northeast Wisconsin and Michigan's Upper Peninsula. Green Gifts complete the green cycle that starts with consumers being environmentally conscious and recycling their old handsets. Cellcom is proud to support organizations of all sizes, whose work is impacting the community and building a greener tomorrow.

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- · Provide environmental education programs for children. Provide educational opportunities for adults to learn about environmental sustainability, including training or
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This year a total of \$37,400 will be donated across Cellcom's service area. This includes an additional donation to the restoration of Bay Beach from devices collected in January and February of 2019.

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Following the fisheries discussion, a session will be held for any groups who plan to apply for a grant through the Oconto County Healthy Waters Cost Share Program. The deadline for applications is September 15, 2019 for projects that need funding support in 2020. Directions, guidelines, and tips for completing a successful application will be covered by OCLAWA representatives.

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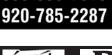
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Application materials, including the position description and summary of benefits may be obtained at www.co.forest.wi.gov or in the County Clerk's Office, Forest County Courthouse, 200 E Madison Street, Crandon, Wisconsin 54520 or by calling (715) 478-2422. The deadline for applications and resumes returned to the County Clerk is Friday, August 16, 2019, by 4:30 p.m.

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#### Wild turkey, pheasant and waterfowl stamp design contest winners announced

MADISON, Wis. - A Greenfield, Wis., artist took first place in the 2020 wild turkey and pheasant stamp contests while an Arbor Vitae, Wis., artist took first place in the 2020 waterfowl stamp contest.

The Department of Natural Resources received a total of 28 pieces of artwork from 16 different wildlife artists for the 2020 Wisconsin wild turkey, pheasant and waterfowl staged into a "virtual" line regardless of the actual time you stamp design contest. Contest judging took place July 24 at entered into the system. There is no advantage for the Natural Resources Building in Madison. The judges for customers who enter the site before 9:45 a.m. Please note the 2020 Wisconsin Wildlife Stamp Art Contest were Jeff that customers who enter the site after the randomization Maletzke from Ducks Unlimited, Sadie Odell from the US Fish that occurs at 10 a.m. will move to the end of the "virtual" and Wildlife Service, Andy Opichka from National Wild Turkey line in the order in which they arrive. All visitors to the site Federation and Gretchen Oleson from Pheasants Forever.

Wild Turkey Stamp



stamp contest with a painting of a gobbler and hen along a (all zones). field. He has been painting most of his life, having started in the fourth grade. Kuether's grandmother was a wildlife artist harvest authorizations are now available for distribution. A and taught him how to paint starting with watercolors, which Farmland (Zone 2) antlerless harvest authorization is sparked a life-long passion. Kuether went on to pursue a included with the purchase of each deer hunting license in degree in the arts with an emphasis in painting and has been units that offer them. Some units will offer more than one painting professionally in different capacities his entire adult antlerless deer harvest authorization with each deer life. From researching and sketching to designing and license. painting, Kuether said it can take up to 200 hours to complete one of his wildlife paintings. He explained that the most time- occasional email reminders can sign up to receive consuming parts include researching, observing the animals messages about season dates, license and harvest in their natural state, and laying out the design of his pieces. authorization types and other useful information. Visit The hours spent with a brush in hand taking the least amount dnr.wi.gov and click on the email icon near the bottom of of time. Kuether loves spending time in the outdoors, and he the page for "subscribe for updates for DNR topics." Then has plans to visit Yellowstone National Park this year to follow the prompts and select a list of your choice. research and gain inspiration for future paintings.

#### Ruffed Grouse Cont. from pg 1

grouse management plan that outlines objectives and strategies to guide ruffed grouse management in the state from 2020-2030.

A draft of the 2020-2030 ruffed grouse management plan is open for public comment from July 30 through August 26. Photo credit: DNR

The draft management plan will be available on the DNR website from July 30 through August 26. Anyone interested in reading the plan and submitting a comment can search the DNR website, dnr.wi.gov, for "ruffed grouse management."

DNR staff will also present the plan at three informational sessions around the state. All of the sessions will run from 7 to 8 p.m.

\*\*Tuesday, August 20, Spooner: Spooner DNR Service Center, 810 W Maple St.

\*\*Wednesday, August 21, Black River Falls: Black River Falls DNR Services Center, 910 Highway 54 E; and

\*\*Thursday, August 22, Rhinelander: Rhinelander DNR Service Center, 107 Sutliff Ave.

"Ruffed grouse are one of the most popular and widely-distributed game birds in the state of Wisconsin. They are a vital resource for Wisconsin's outdoor enthusiasts and economy and an important component of Wisconsin's outdoor heritage," noted Mark Witecha, DNR upland wildlife ecologist. "This management plan is intended to guide both long-term and emerging needs in ruffed grouse management, to serve as an outreach tool for increasing knowledge and awareness about ruffed grouse, and to providing opportunities to engage stakeholders and grouse enthusiasts on grouse management issues."

#### Bonus antlerless deer harvest authorizations available for purchase starting Aug. 19

MADISON - Bonus harvest authorizations (formerly known as tags) for antlerless deer during the 2019 Wisconsin deer hunting seasons will be available for purchase starting Monday, Aug. 19 at 10 a.m. through the Go Wild website and license sales locations.

The fall deer hunt is just around the corner. Hunters can search the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources website, dnr.wi.gov, for keyword "deer" to prepare for another season in the woods.

Bonus antlerless harvest authorizations will be sold at a rate of one per person per day until sold out or until the 2019 deer hunting season ends. The cost is \$12 each for Wisconsin residents, \$20 each for non-residents and \$5 each for youth ages 11 and under.

For a list of units with bonus antlerless harvest authorizations available for purchase, search for keywords "bonus availability." These and all other deer hunting licenses and harvest authorizations are available online through the Go Wild website or at any of more than 1,000 license sales locations.

To prepare for the sale, each day at 9:45 a.m., an online queuing system will be put in place to manage volume in the Go Wild system. At 10 a.m., all online users that are on the site will be randomly assigned a number and during this time will go into the queuing system.

When hunters access the Go Wild site, they should follow the prompts until they reach their personalized dashboard. To purchase a bonus antlerless harvest authorization, click the "Buy Licenses" button from the dashboard to open the sales catalog. From there, look for Bonus Antlerless Harvest Authorization at the very top of the list. People who haven't had the chance to get a license in advance will be able to purchase one through Go Wild after selecting the Bonus Antlerless Harvest Authorization

Hunters will need to know the deer management zone and unit in which they intend to hunt. They will also need to determine whether they will hunt on public or private land to make their purchase.

The first three days of bonus sales are management zone-specific and will be available as follows:

Aug. 19, 10 a.m. - Northern and Central Forest (Zone 1);

• Aug. 20, 10 a.m.- Central Farmland (Zone 2);

· Aug. 21, 10 a.m. - Southern Farmland (Zone 2); and Brian Kuether won the 2020 Wisconsin wild turkey Aug. 22, 10 a.m. - remaining bonus harvest authorizations

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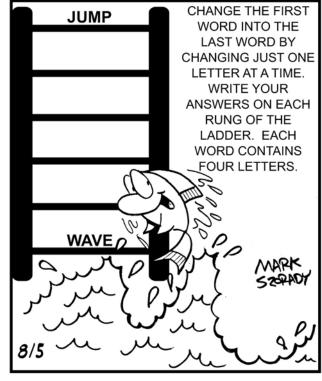
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## National Forest in Langlade and Oconto Counties this weekend

LAKEWOOD, Wis. (July 26, 2019) - The southern portion of the Lakewood-Laona Ranger District on the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest was damaged by a storm on July 19. Many of the Forest's recreation areas, roads and trails are closed until crews can clear the damage and safely reopen them.

"We are encouraging visitors to visit other parts of the National Forest not damaged by the storm," said Mike Brown, District Ranger on the Lakewood-Laona Ranger District of the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest. "We want everyone to be safe - there are many recreation areas in Forest County on the National Forest that provide similar recreation opportunities.'

Additional storms and rain are in the forecast for tonight and again on Sunday which could change conditions in the Forest.

"An area may look safe at first glance, but there could be dangerous limbs hanging above you or trees leaning nearly falling over that you are unaware of," said Brown. "Our crews that are clearing roads are having to clear trees on their way out that weren't there when they went in to a particular area earlier in the day."

Many of the Forest's developed and dispersed recreation sites including trails are closed until further notice in Langlade and Oconto County. There are numerous trees down in these areas and roadways are impassable.

"We are working to clear the primary roads on the forest and have numerous saw crews and heavy equipment operators working in the storm damage area," stated Brown. "Please stay off of closed roads and out of recreation sites that are closed for your safety and that of our crews working. We have law enforcement officers out patrolling to ensure everyone's safety."

A closure order is in place for roads, trails and recreation sites that were damaged during the storm. As areas are cleared the closure order will be updated daily. Please continue to check the Forest's website and social media for updates. Recreation areas currently open in the storm damage area include Ada Lake Campground, Boulder Lake Campground, Boot Lake Beach and Boat Landing and Bass Lake.

'The Forest is working to clear recreation areas of the storm damage and reopen those that we are able to at this time," said Brown. "We appreciate everyone's patience and understanding while we work to assess and clean-up the storm damage."

Drivers are advised to practice defensive driving techniques, reduce your speed, drive with your lights on and watch out for downed power lines, trees on roadways and other storm debris. In addition, Forest employees are out assessing roads and will be operating heavy equipment and dump trucks as repair work and clean-up efforts

For more information on the Storm Event please visit the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest website at www.fs.usda.gov/CNNF or follow us on Twitter at http://twitter.com/CNNF002 or like us on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/CNNF002. You may also contact the Lakewood-Laona Ranger District at 715-276-6333.

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#### Our Healthcare System's Ills and Proposed Remedies

The August meeting of the League of Women Voters of the Northwoods (LWVNOW) will take place Tuesday, August 13th, 5:30 to 7:00 pm at the Oneida County Department on Aging (ADRC of the Northwoods), 100 W. Keenan Street, in Rhinelander. Dorothy Skye, with audience input, will identify the shortcomings of the current healthcare system, discuss what bills have been proposed to the U. S. Congress to address those shortcomings, and the likelihood of passage.

Dorothy Skye, a retired physician, practiced at Ministry Healthcare in Rhinelander, in Obstetrics and Gynecology for 30 years, part of that time serving as Medical Director Previous to that, she trained and practiced at the Naval Regional Medical Center in San Diego, California. Currently, she is the president of the LWVNOW, and serves on the board of the League of Women Voters of Wisconsin, where she is a Legislative Committee member. Dorothy is uniquely qualified to lead a discussion on our healthcare system's ills and explain the ramifications of the bills being proposed in Washington D. C to the residents of Wisconsin and specifically the north woods.

The LWVNOW encompasses Florence, Forest, Langlade, Lincoln, Oneida and Vilas counties. Our local league belongs to the state and national League of Women Voters, a non-partisan organization devoted to helping members and fellow citizens develop educated political opinions and act upon them through the democratic process. Our monthly meetings and sponsored events are open to all. You can contact us at information@lwvnow.org. Our website is www.lwvnow.org.

## Stamp Contest

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Second place in the wild turkey stamp contest went to Betty Casper of Almond, who created a beautiful depiction of a gobbler. Jon Rickaby of Suamico, a veteran of the wildlife stamp contest, won third for his painting of a tom and hen walking together through the forest.

All turkey hunters are required to purchase the \$5.25 Wild Turkey Stamp to hunt turkeys in Wisconsin legally. Proceeds from stamp sales provide vital support for turkey management and hunting in Wisconsin and bring in over \$775,000 annually for habitat management and restoration projects, education, research, equipment purchases and management of the wild turkey program.

Pheasant Stamp



Kuether also won the 2020 pheasant stamp design with a striking rendition of a hen and rooster pheasant hiding in the grass.

Second place went to Robert Metropulos of Arbor Vitae, for his painting of a hen and rooster pheasant in a snow-covered field. Third place went to Jon Rickaby for his painting of a pair of pheasants with a barn on the horizon.

A \$10 Pheasant Stamp is required to hunt pheasants in the state of Wisconsin. Proceeds bring in approximately \$500,000 annually for the development, management, conservation and maintenance of wild pheasants and their habitat in Wisconsin. Stamp dollars also support the state game farm that raises pheasants for stocking efforts on Wisconsin's public hunting grounds.

Waterfowl Stamp



Robert Metropulos of Arbor Vitae won the 2020 Wisconsin waterfowl stamp contest. He learned how to paint from his mother, who was an artist herself. Growing up, Metropulos's mother used drawings and pictures as teaching tools. He felts this helped him to overcome dyslexia, a diagnosis he received later when he was in college. Metropulos said that he does not see dyslexia as a disability but instead feels it has helped him to become an even better painter. Metropulos has been painting since he was in high school and has owned an art gallery in northern Wisconsin for over 39 years. His advice to new painters is to find what makes you happy in life and go from there. "Happiness," he said, "is the greatest inspiration." In his free time, he enjoys gardening, disc golfing and photography.

Second place went to Keith Raddatz of Watertown, for his painting of a gadwall in fall. Third place went to Brian Kuether of Greenfield, for his painting of a northern shoveler.

Duck and goose hunters are required to purchase the \$7 Wisconsin Waterfowl Stamp in order to hunt waterfowl in the state. Revenue from these sales generates an estimated \$350,000 for managing, restoring and protecting habitat in Wisconsin and Canada for waterfowl and other wetland-associated species.

Please note that an electronic "stamp approval" is printed on the licenses of wild turkey, pheasant and waterfowl hunters at the time of purchase. Hunters will not receive an actual stamp unless they request it. To obtain a physical copy of a stamp, visit the Wildlife and Fish Collector Stamp webpage or go to any DNR Service Center.

For more information regarding Wisconsin's wildlife stamps, visit dnr.wi.gov and search keyword "wildlife stamps."



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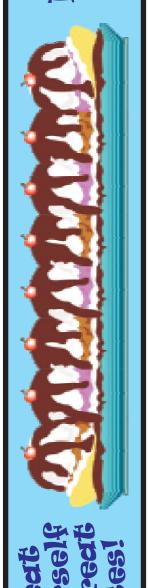
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