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COVID-19 cases in **Forest County**

At the time of printing of this edition of the Pioneer Express, September 22, Forest County has posted a total of 229 cases of COVID-19. 68 cases are active. 149 people have been released from isolation, 8 people are currently hospitalized and we have had 4 deaths. There have been 2,220 negative test results. Based on burden and trajectory the current activity level of COVID-19 is high in Forest County and the burden is 1002.

Checking the state covid sites, Forest County has the distinction of having the highest per capita covid rate in the state with the 2002 burden. Florence comes in second with about half of Forest County's rate. It should be noted, however, that the state isn't real quick to update their sites, with the last update on September 16th.

Governor Evers has extended the mask mandate into November, but their is opposition to this from the Republican side of state government.

Wearing a mask is a "big deal" to many, who ignore the warnings to wear a mask. Others look at a mask as a chance to cut their chances of being infected with the covid 19 virus, and follow the advice of the CDC officials who advice the wearing of masks. To each his

Conservation Corner

Conservation Corner is a weekly article produced by the Forest County Land &Water Conservation Department. For more information contact Steve Kircher, County Conservationist-Land Information/GIS Director at 715-478-1387 or by e-mail at Icc@co.forest.wi.us.

By the time you read this, we will have passed the Autumnal Equinox that arrived on Tuesday, September 22nd. Did you know that Equinox comes from the latin meaning equal night? During the equinox, the sun crosses the celestial equinox creating days and nights of equal length followed by days of shorter daylight. The sun rises and sets due east and west, respectively. The sun will set before 7 p.m. from now until the middle of February.

As the days become shorter and the temperatures become cooler, a chemical change takes place within Wisconsin's deciduous (which means falling off at maturity) tree leaves. In the summer, these leaves use the process of photosynthesis - when chlorophyll (green pigment in leaves) absorbs sunlight's energy to transform water and carbon dioxide into starches and sugars - to fuel the tree's growth and release oxygen.

As the hours of sunlight decline and cooler weather comes, trees respond to these changes by making less and less chlorophyll until they stop making it. This allows the carotenoids (yellow and orange pigments) existing within the leaves to show through.

Researchers have found some tree species have leaves that produce red anthocyanins pigments at this time of year. These pigments create leaves of bright oranges and reds, and deep purple colors. The brilliance of anthocyanins each year is weather dependent. During warm, sunny autumn days, trees still produce sugars but the cooler nights prevent these sugars from moving into the branches and trunk. Anthocyanins allow these trees to recover nutrients found in the leaves before the leaves fall

In the fall, you can identify trees by the colors the leaves change to.

Dogwoods and sumacs - reds/purples Birches - bright yellows Aspen/poplars - golden yellows Sugar maples - orange-reds Red maples - bright scarlett Hickories - golden bronze Oaks - reds, russet browns Larches/tamaracks - golden yellows

Also during this time, a special layer of cells is created at the point where the leaves attach to the branches. These special cells gradually cut the tissues that hold the leaves to the trees, while the trees seal the cut by creating leaf scars when the leaves fall off the trees. Trees lose their leaves because the leaves will not be able to survive the cold. Oak trees are an exception - they hang onto their leaves through the winter!

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Forest County horse tests positive for Eastern Equine Encephalitis Virus Protect yourself against mosquito bites

The Forest County Health Department reports that a horse in Forest County has tested positive for eastern equine encephalitis (EEE), which is caused by the EEE virus. This report follows two human cases of EEE confirmed in the state this year in residents of Eau Claire County and Chippewa County, and reports of several other EEE cases in horses in northern and western regions of Wisconsin. Prior to 2020, only three human cases of EEE had been reported in the state between 1964 and

EEE virus is spread to humans, horses, and other animals through the bite of an infected mosquito. Mosquitoes acquire EEE virus by feeding on infected birds. The virus is not spread person to person or directly between animals or between animals and humans. Presence of a EEE positive horse confirms that there are mosquitoes in the area infected with the EEE virus that can spread the virus to people and other animals.

Many people infected with EEE virus do not get sick. Those who do become ill may develop fever, headache, chills, and vomiting. The illness may become severe resulting in encephalitis (inflammation of the brain), disorientation, seizures, coma, or death. There is no specific vaccine or treatment for EEE illness available for people.

Signs of EEE infection in horses include depression, loss of appetite, drooping eyelids and lower lip, blindness, paralysis, and death. Horse owners can vaccinate their horses against EEE virus to protect them from becoming ill.

Even though temperatures have cooled off, as long as mosquitoes are active, the risk of EEE and other illnesses spread by mosquitoes can continue through much of the fall. Since EEE virus is known to be circulating in Forest County, residents and visitors to should be vigilant in preventing mosquito bites. The Forest County Health Department offers these tips to protect yourself and your family against mosquito bites:

Avoid Mosquito Bites

Apply an insect repellent with DEET, picaridin, oil of lemon eucalyptus, or IR3535 to exposed skin and clothing.

Prior to heading outdoors, treat clothing with permethrin; do not apply permethrin directly to skin.

Consider rescheduling outdoor activities that occur during evening or early morning hours, when mosquitoes are most active. **Continued on page 03**

Pennies add up to make a difference



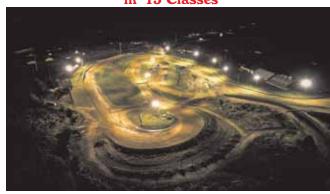
Community Change Shows Concern for Community through charitable donations

Community Change is a project of Oconto Electric Cooperative. Members can sign up to have their electric bills rounded up to the next whole dollar, with the extra money going into the Community Change fund. In addition, due to the generosity of the former Bay Lakes Cooperative, Community Change has additional funding available that will be used for special grants that can provide far-reaching enhancement for a neighborhood or community.

Libraries are a vital part of the communities that they serve, providing endless opportunities for children and adults alike. Recently, the Community Change board was able to present a donation of \$600 to the following libraries in our area: Coleman, Gillett, Lakewood, Lena, Oconto, Oconto Falls, and Suring.

The libraries used some of their funding to purchase protective equipment and supplies needed to re-open their doors.

Season Championships, Saturday Night Lights and FCP Cup Finale Add Sizzle to Crandon Brush Run Weekend Champ Off-Road to Crown 2020 Champions in 15 Classes



Off-Road's "Big House" to offer fans excitement of night racing

The thickly wooded forests surrounding Crandon International Raceway are now celebrating the changing seasons with the rich colors of fall in Wisconsin. While 2020 has been a challenging year for motorsports of all genres, for short-course off-road racing in the Midwest next weekend's Champ Off-Road season finale at Crandon will offer fans a triumphant end to the inaugural season of the new series -- plus lots more.

Originally set for Father's Day weekend in June, the rescheduled 27th annual Forest County Potawatomi Crandon Brush Run will now take place at the "Big House" on September 25th - 27th. After successfully hosting its traditional Polaris World Championship Off-Road Race and Crandon World Cup event on Labor Day weekend, the famed track is preparing to see another full weekend of competition that also incorporates some unique additions and features.



First and foremost, the 2020 Crandon FCP Brush run schedule will feature two full days and 30 races of Champ Off-Road Pro and Sportsman series competition. The Crandon Brush Run is the culmination of a 2020 season that took racers to dual events at Minnesota's ERX Motor Park in July and August for two rounds of racing, a back-to-back weekend of competition at Wisconsin's Dirt City Motorplex before coming to Crandon Labor Day weekend. Despite the logistical and executional challenges brought out by the COVID-19 virus, the sanctioning body, tracks, race teams, corporate partners and enthusiastic fans have worked together in order to make the 2020 championship a reality.

A major storyline for all of the weekend's competition will be racers putting everything on the line to bring home coveted 2020 Champ Off-Road class titles. Leading this charge will Wisconsin's own CJ Greaves, a Crandon favorite currently in position to claim three season crowns, including Pro 4, Pro Stock SxS and Pro Mod SxS. In the sport's premier class, Greaves (Monster Energy/Maxxis Toyota) lies second to Kyle LuDuc in the Pro 4 battle, but is leading the points rankings in Pro Stock SxS and Pro Mod SxS piloting a Yamaha.

Other leaders coming into the Crandon weekend include local favorite Keegan Kincaid in Pro 2 and Kyle Greaves in Pro-Lite.

The massive golden gates will swing open to welcome guests to Camp Crandon beginning on Thursday, September 24th at 12:00 noon (CST)

Friday, September 25th will be free for fans of all ages to enjoy a full afternoon and evening of Pro and Sportsman practice, including a first ever night session for the Pro category racers. The Saturday night schedule includes Champ Off-Road points paying rounds for Pro Stock SXS, Pro-Lite, Pro Mod SxS, Pro 2 and Pro 4.

Track management has spent the better part of the summer of 2020 installing the new infield light towers, which will illuminate the track's primary infield

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Notice of Annual Meeting and Budget Hearing School District of Goodman-Armstrong Creek Sections 120.08(1) and 65.90(4)

Notice is hereby given to qualified electors of the School District of Goodman-Armstrona Creek, Goodman, Wisconsin, that the 2020-2021 Budget Hearing of said district will be held at 5:30 p.m. and the 2020-2021 Annual Meeting will be held directly thereafter in the high school gymnasium on Wednesday, October 7, 2020.

Copies of the proposed budget may be procured for inspection eight (8) days prior to the said meeting from the Administrative Office of the Goodman-Armstrong Creek School.

It is anticipated that more than one-half of the school board members will attend the Annual Meeting. This notice of anticipated board member attendance is given in order to comply with the open meeting law.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 2020 Samantha Smith, District Clerk

Notice-Town of Laona

There will be NO Fall clean up days scheduled this year. We will resume with clean up days next Spring.

Laona Town Board

DOUBLE TAKE

CITY OF CRANDON LARGE ITEM PICK-UP

Bids & Notices

Eagle Waste will be picking up "large items" (furniture,

boxes of clothes, random toys) placed at curbside on Tuesday, October 6, 2020. Please have items out at curb by 5:00 A.M.

NOT INCLUDED in pick-up: Demolition waste, hazardous waste, liquid waste, tires, boats, batteries, appliances containing freon, microwaves, any metal and/orelectronics.

If you have any questions regarding item that are allowed for pick-up, please call Eagle Waste at 715-477-0077.

E-WASTE PICK-UP - CITY OF CRANDON

E-waste pick-up for the city of Crandon will be held at the City Street Shop, 904 N Lake Ave (located next to the fire station) on Friday, October 9, from 8:00a.m. until 3:00p.m. and then again on Saturday, October 10 from 8:00 a.m. until noon. There will be a charge for the items dropped off as follows:

IVS & Computer Monitors (up to 30")	\$15.UU EQCN
TV (Over 30")	\$30.00 Each
TV Floor Model & Projections	\$40.00 Each
ComputerCPU/Laptop	No charge
Copier(table top)/Printer	\$2.00 Each
DVD/VCR/TV receiver	\$2.00 Each

SCHOOL **BREAKFAST**

By Mark Szorady

GOOD EVENING!

Wabeno School **Breakfast Menu** Sept. 28-30

Monday - Breakfast sandwich, hash browns patties, pears, fruit juice,

Tuesday - Breakfast pizza, pineapple chunks, fruit juice, milk

Wednesday - Delivered

Thursday - Cinnamon rolls, grapes, fruit juice,

Wabeno School **Breakfast Menu** Oct. 1-2

Thursday - Granola bar, mixed fruit, fruit juice, milk **Friday** - Early risers. oranges. fruit juice, milk

Wabeno School Lunch Menu Sept. 28-30

Monday - Hot dogs, potato wedges, peas & carrots, tropical fruit, garden bar, milk

potato wedges, baked beans, pears, garden bar,

Wednesday - Delivered meals

Thursday -Chicken patty, chips, carrots, apple sauce, garden bar, milk

Public Hearing Notice

By Order of: Bill Chaney, Chairman, Forestry and **Recreation Committee**

The Forest County Forestry and Recreation Committee will hold a Public Hearing October 12, 2020 at 4:30 p.m. in the County Board Room, Room 107. at 200 E Madison St., Crandon, WI 54520.

This hearing is in regards to the Forest County Forestry and Recreation Dept. building and maintaining the continuation of the Hwy 8 trail from Old Hwy 8 Rd. to the Oneida County Border.

Both written and oral testimony will be entered into the record and considered when making the decision. All persons wishing to be heard are invited to be present or give written testimony at or prior to the hearing. Upon request, maps showing location of the trail may be viewed in the Forest County Forestry and Recreation office at 200 E Madison St. Crandon, WI 54520. E-mail documentation can be requested at carly@co.forest.wi.us

Prior to this hearing, notice was given to the public on 9/16/2020 posting of notice on the east and west entrance doors of the Forest County Courthouse. The Forest Republican was noticed 9/16/2020. The notice is also posted on the county website.

Every effort will be made to reasonably accommodate persons with special needs. Please contact this office at 715-478-3475 to address you concerns.

This meeting will be made accessible to the public by Go-To Meeting. Committee Members wishing not to attend may also use go to Go-To Meeting. Please find below the instruction to join the meeting in listen only mode via computer, tablet, smartphone, or by telephone. If you are unable to use any of these venues, please contact the County Forest Administrator at (715)478-3475 to make provisions to hear the meeting.

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Access Code: 639-557-693 **Carly DeVet, Forest County Forestry and Recreation Administrator**

bar, milk

Tuesday - Cheeseburger,

Wabeno School **Lunch Menu** Oct. 1-2

Thursday - Crispitos, Spanish rice, corn, pears Scooby snacks, garden

Friday - Hot dogs, chips, cookies, grapes, garden bar, milk



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Donald G. Whisman, 69, of Lakewood, WI passed away unexpectedly on Sunday, September 13, 2020. Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, September 26, 2020 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. with a service at 4:00 p.m. at 17258 North Road, Lakewood (Baseball Field). Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family with the arrangements. Online condolences for the family may be directed to www.weberhillfuneralhome.com



William A. Dutton, 87, of Townsend, WI passed away Wednesday, September 16, 2020 at his home. William was born May 14, 1933 in Milwaukee the son of Lawrence and Elizabeth (Molus) Dutton.

Bill was united in marriage on July 23, 1955 to Nancy Weiss. He was a member of St. Mary's of the Lakes Catholic Church.

Surviving are his wife of 65 years, Nancy Dutton, Townsend; daughter, Janine (Frank) Dutton-Slatinsky, Winchester; sons, Lawrence Dutton (Darcy Dalgar), Green Bay; Stephen Dutton (Colleen Wirth), Milwaukee; Richard (Dana) Dutton, Weston; grandchildren, Brandon and Jack.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Lawrence and Elizabeth Dutton

Memorial Mass will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday September 24, 2020 at St. Mary's of the Lakes Catholic Church with Fr. Philip Dinh-Van-Thiep officiating. Burial to follow at St. Mary's of the Lakes Catholic Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. to time of service at church.

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

Judy A. Wolff, 73, of Laona, WI passed away Friday September 18, 2020 at her home surrounded by her loving family. Judy was born February 18, 1947 in Laona the daughter of Matt and Edna (Redlich) Groh. She was united in marriage to Roger Wolff.

Surviving are her husband, Roger Wolff; sons, Russell Wolff, Laona; Randy Wolff, South Milwaukee; two grandchildren; sisters, Eileen (William) Karl; Laona; Beverly (Dennis) Collins, Laona; Linda (Charles) Hetfield, Laona.

She was preceded in death by her parents and brother, Kenneth Groh.

Honoring her wishes, no services will be held.

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Death Notices



Joseph A. Alsteen, 61, of Wausau, WI passed away Thursday, September 17, 2020 at St. Clare's Hospital, Weston. Joseph was born June 29, 1959 in Laona the son of Frank and Josephine (Paszak) Alsteen. Joe loved watching pro football and going to high school games. Surviving Joe are his sisters,

Joan Alsteen, Laona; Jackie Kellman, Rhinelander; Darlene Alsteen (Rusty Bytell), Laona; brothers, Larry (Connie) Alsteen, Crandon; Dewaine (Judy) Alsteen, Fond du Lac; nephews, Brian (Noel), Casey (Trisha) Alsteen of Crandon, Alex Kellman, Florida, nieces, Tanya (Jaymie), Turtle Lake, Melaine (Walt) Cooper, Crandon; three great nephews, four great nieces, six great-great nephews, and two great-great nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Josephine Alsteen; sister, Yvonne; nephew, Thomas; great niece, Kayla and great nephew Bruce.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday September 23, 2020 at St. Leonard Catholic Church with Fr. John Cerkas officiating. Burial to follow at Laona Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 9:00 a.m. to time of services at church.

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



Denver A. (Tyler) Kalkofen, age 66, of New Holstein, passed away Wednesday, September 16, 2020, at Sharon S. Richardson Hospice in Sheboygan Falls after a short battle with cancer.

She was born June 1, 1954, to the late Glen "Duck" Tyler & Marie (King) Borg. On October 1, 1983, she married James Kalkofen.

Denver worked as a financial planner most of her life. She enjoyed her family vacations in

Crivitz and spending time with her brother in North Carolina. Denver was an avid Packers fan.

Survivors include her husband, James Kalkofen; her children, Jill (David) Zuydhoek of West Bend and Dave "DJ" (Jody) Kalkofen of New Holstein; her grandchildren, Tyler and Jenna Zuydhoek and Kollin and Kolton Kalkofen; her brother, Tom "Toby" (Barbara) Tyler of Belmont, North Carolina; her two nieces, Liza and Jacqueline; and her four legged friend, Calvin. She is also survived by her husband's family and other relatives and friends.

Preceding her in death were her parents; Glen Tyler and Marie Borg; an infant sister, Jacqueline; her beloved aunt, Grace King; her father-in-law & mother-in-law, Alvin & Beatrice Kalkofen; and her brother-in-law, Larry Kalkofen.

Private services will be held at a later date.

Denver was always the life of the party. She was well known to be the party planner; always willing to help with an event (holidays/vacations were always top priority).

The Sippel Funeral Home in New Holstein, WI is assisting Denver's family (920) 898-4300 www.sippelfuneralhome.net.

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** Wear long-sleeves, long pants, and socks when outdoors to help keep mosquitoes away from your skin.

Mosquito-Proof Your Home

** Make sure window and door screens are intact and tightly-fitted to prevent mosquitoes from getting into your home.

** Prevent mosquitoes from breeding around your home by removing stagnant water from items around your property, such as tin cans, plastic containers, flower pots, discarded tires, roof gutters, and downspouts.

** Turn over wheelbarrows, kiddie pools, buckets, and small boats such as canoes and kayaks when not in use.

** Change the water in bird baths and pet dishes at least every three days.

** Clean and chlorinate swimming pools, outdoor saunas, and hot tubs; drain water from pool covers.

** Trim or mow tall grass, weeds, and vines since mosquitoes use these areas to rest during hot daylight hours.

Please call our office with any questions or concerns at 715-478-3371.

Vendors wanted for Oktoberfest

It's an outdoor event that draws approximately 200 people. The Crooked Lake/Mountain Lions Club is sponsoring the eleventh annual Oktoberfest at the Crooked Lake Community Center on Saturday, October 10th. For only \$10, crafters can sell their goods in a 10 X 10 outside space. Vendors will need to supply their own tables, etc.

There are only twelve spaces available so everyone attending the Oktoberfest will have time to check out all the displays. In addition to the craft fair, the Beer Garden opens at 11 a.m. with a meat raffle starting at noon. Bring school supplies to donate to Suring School and get \$1 off your first beverage. There will be minnow races for young and old and pumpkin decorating for the little ones. Jeff Olson will offer free hayrides through picturesque Crooked Lake throughout the day. A fire-roasted pig dinner will be served from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. with dining inside or outside. Carry-out meals will also be available. Beginning around noon our favorite DJ, Whitey, will be playing appropriate Oktoberfest music for all to enjoy. The cost of the dinner is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children 1 and under and children 5 and under are free.

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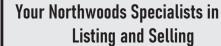
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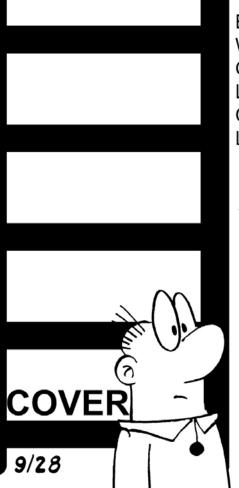
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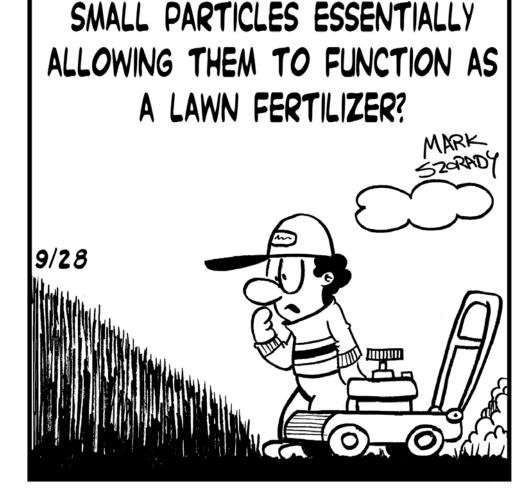
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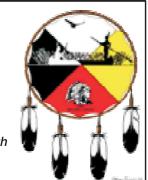
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The School District of Wabeno Area has an opening for a Building and Grounds and Transportation Director. This position may be just the Buildings and Grounds Director depending on candidate qualifications or it could include the two positions combined. The position will consist of operation, maintenance, improvement, safety and security of buildings, grounds, and related equipment for the district. This position could also include the maintenance, scheduling, and directing of all transportation.

The successful candidate will understand the importance of being a working supervisor who may need to assist in the maintenance, custodial, operations, transportation, and buildings and grounds services while balancing the leadership responsibilities of oversight, evaluation of staff, budget development, long-range planning, and staff training. The ability to work with outside vendors and contracted services and to think critically and strategically is critical to this role.

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Qualifications

3-5 years of custodial or maintenance experience; associate's degree or training or education in electricity, heating, cooling, mechanical, and plumbing beneficial. Diesel, gas and propane mechanical experience is a plus.

You may obtain an application for this position at the District Office or at www.wabeno.k12.wi.us, District Employment Opportunities/Employment Applications. Send cover letter, application, resume, and 3 current letters of recommendation to Mr. Jeffrey J. Walsh, District Administrator, P.O. Box 460, Wabeno WI 54566. Applications will be received until the position is filled.

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The text might say, "You were chosen to receive food stamps or SNAP."

FoodShare members and applicants should never share personal information with individuals or organizations they do not know. Personal information includes a Social Security number, bank information, or QUEST card number and PIN.

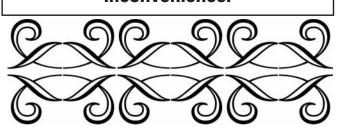
If members or applicants receive a text message that they think is a scam, they should not reply to it. Instead, they should delete it. If they are unsure if a request for information is valid, they should contact their income maintenance or tribal agency.

As a reminder, DHS recommends using the ACCESS website to apply for benefits and the ACCESS website or MyACCESS app to manage benefits. The ebtEDGE mobile app can also be used to view FoodShare account information.



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CRANDON, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK

Wednesday - Sept. 30 - Beef lasagna, green beans, fruit, garlic bread, jello w/fruit.

WABENO CONGREGATE & HOME DELIVERED

Thursday - Oct. 1 - Beef lasagna, green beans, fruit, garlic bread, jello w/fruit.

ALVIN - No Meals in the Month of September

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 - 478-

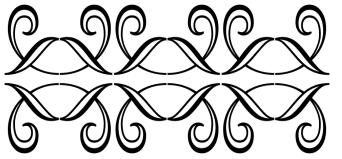
Crandon site manager Pat Raml is at 715-478-0742 (home) or 715-478-3040 (site). Serving at 12:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

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

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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 and Wednesday.



RUMMAGE

RUMMAGE SALE: 306 N. Park Ave. Crandon Friday & Sat Sept. 18 & 19, 9am - 3 pm.

Sporting goods, ammo & other, some tools, womens tops - 2x & 3x, jeans size 18 & 20, most clothes new with tags, household goods, furniture etc, cancelled last week, but on this week.

SUNDAY GARAGE SALE September 27 1-4 p.m.

Multi family sale, including holiday and household decor, lots of pictures, lamps decorative pillows, Blankets, dishes, shoes, purses, clothing and much, much more.

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GARAGE SALE: Saturday, September 19, 10-4. 8615 Potawatomi Trail (Dump Road) ALL clothes, fill a bag for \$1.00. 2 saddles, and other tack table with 4 chairs, horse blankets, horse figurines, Christmas stuff, entertainment center, winter coats & much more.

Brush Run Cont. from pg. 1

configuration. The upcoming Brush Run "Saturday Night Lights" competition will be the first for Pro-category competition in Crandon's rich history.

Crandon fans have been enthusiatic about their excitement for this historic first. After announcing news of the track's "Saturday Night Lights event last week.

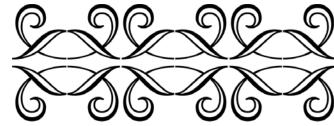
The weekend and 2020 Crandon season will culminate in the always dramatic Forest County Potawatomi Community Cup race, an all-out competition that pits unlimited Pro 2 versus Pro 4 trucks in a staggered time start. This year the Chairman's Cup will also represent the final bragging rights and paycheck of the year for Midwest short-course off-road racing, as a total purse of \$28,000 in cash is on the line (including a \$10,000 cash payout to the winner).

Crandon International Raceway has released a comprehensive 2020 COVID-19 operational plan to local law enforcement and health officials, as well as fans, racers and corporate partners, on its new website at www.crandonoffroad.com. Series officials in the Champ Off-Road will also be working closely with Crandon officials to ensure that all phases of the race weekend protocols are executed in an integrated manner.

Crandon International race fans and teams will continue to retain all of their original 2020 Brush Run event camping, pitting admission and grandstand reservations. There is no refund policy, but reservation holders can transfer their admittance and Camp Crandon tickets to other fans if desired. Those seeking help or assistance can contact the Crandon office directly via $email\,at\,track of fice@crandon of froad.com.$

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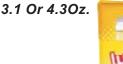
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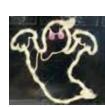
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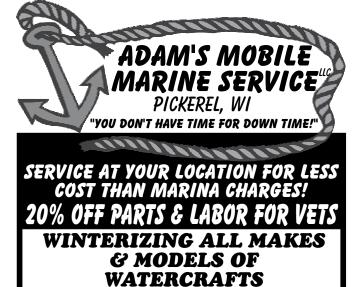
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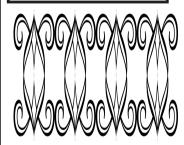
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Nicolet College Dean's List for Summer Term 2020

Numerous students from the Forest County area earned a place on the Nicolet College Dean's List for the Summer Term 2020. To qualify, students must have achieved a grade point average of 3.5 or higher, based on a 4.0 scale. Students, by community, include:

Crandon - Jordan L. Keeble, Alexandria S. McCorkle, Kaylee Lynn McGeshick, Alexis Kay Quade, Kayla Smith. **Laona** - Caitlin Orchid Rose Cassidy, Jade R. Kitchmaster. **Monico** - Natalie E. Lassig.

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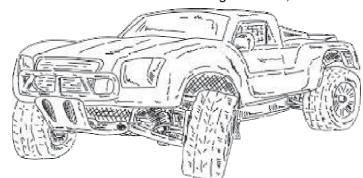
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The early off-road races weren't quite as sophisticated as the races today! The racers left the fairgrounds on Crandon's east side and put in four 25.25 mile laps that added up to 101 miles. Thus the name: Brush Run 101.

In truth, few vehicles completed the race, and one year, none did. The winner was the racer that went the furthest before breaking down. But, it was fun!





This view of the parade that began the Brush Run gives a good idea of the variety of vehicles that entered this race through mud and rocks. Racers often had to help each other through mudholes, with plenty of laughing and joking. That, of course, added to the fun.



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Crandon Cross-Country Invitational Meet



Girls left to right, Addison May, Damon Ingram Coach, Marissa Flannery.

The School District of Crandon hosted the Crandon Invitational CC Meet on Tuesday, Sept. 15th. The Middle School boys team and the girls team each took first place overall. Individually for the girls, Marissa Flannery placed fourth and Addison May placed seventh. The boys also had a great night with Taylor Karcz - 1st, Jaxon Keepers - 2nd, Mason Dewing 4th, and Brody Lemaster -

Keep up the great work Cardinals!



Boys left to right: Brody Lemaster, Jaxon Keepers, Mason

For Old Time's Sake



The original North School building. An elementary school, it moved over and made room for High School classes during the time the High School was building its own building. It was located at the site of the present day elementary school on the North side of Glen Street between Park and Forest Avenues. The school burned in 1925, and was rebuilt the following year. Additions have been made through the years. But part of the original building remain, and are incorporated into the present structure.

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Hunters and organizations encouraged to join the fight against chronic wasting disease

No one cares more about Wisconsin deer than Wisconsin hunters, which is why for the past two years, individuals and organizations around the state have partnered with the Department of Natural Resources to place more chronic wasting disease (CWD) self-service kiosks and carcass disposal dumpsters for hunters to help monitor and slow the spread of CWD.

This year, the Adopt-a-Kiosk (AAK) and Adopt-a-Dumpster (AAD) programs are looking for more volunteers to help us to continue to grow these programs, bringing convenient CWD testing and proper carcass disposal options to even more hunters in Wisconsin.

"We know hunters want to participate in providing CWD sampling and proper carcass disposal options because the original idea for these two programs came from hunters themselves," said Amanda Kamps, DNR wildlife health conservation specialist. "The AAK and AAD programs give more hunters convenient opportunities to participate in CWD management around the state."

Proper disposal of deer carcass waste is a major factor in containing the spread of CWD. The DNR is committed to providing safe, convenient disposal options to hunters, especially in areas where options are limited or unavailable.

CWD is a contagious neurological disease of deer, elk moose and reindeer 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 hunter-harvested deer in November 2001.

CWD can be spread among deer by both direct contact between animals and indirectly through exposure to environments contaminated with CWD prions, the protein that causes the disease. Exposure to an area where a CWD-positive carcass has decomposed could be enough to cause infection in deer. Because of this risk, it is vital that deer carcasses are disposed of in a way to reduce this infection risk.

Participants in both programs are responsible for all costs associated with the adoption of dumpsters and kiosks as a donation (with the exception for those enrolled in cost-sharing for dumpsters are responsible for their share), and for following program guidelines. Volunteers will receive DNR recognition and a certificate of appreciation at the end of the season. For the second year, a cost-sharing option is available to those wishing to participate in the Adopt-a-Dumpster program.

Visit the DNR website to learn how you or your organization can get involved with Adopt-a-Kiosk or Adopt-a-Dumpster this year.



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Northwoods Fall Art Tour October 9,10,11



Wave Dance, 29 x 29 wall quilt, cut free hand, machine pieced and quilted, embellished with Swarovski crystals and Angelina fibers. It has a sleeve on the back to make it real for hanging. by Louise Schotz, Outback Studio, Irma. Outback studio is open

While many things have changed during this challenging year, some of the things that we love and that renew our spirit have remained the same. Our beautiful backroads of Iron, Vilas, Oneida and Lincoln counties are getting dressed in their most stunning colors to welcome guests. The artists of the Northwoods Fall Art Tour are getting studios ready to share their newest art work and inspirations with visitors.

Members of Northwoods Art Tour will be welcoming visitors in a variety of ways this Oct 9th,10th and 11th. The 39 studios and three guest artists each made individual decisions regarding their ability to safely be open to the public during the current Covid 19 Pandemic. Twenty-one studios will be open as usual. Five will be open by appointment only. Four will be closed, but offer online options for viewing and sales. Ten will be closed for the fall tour. Open studios will welcome visitors from 10am 5pm each day. A status list of all the studios with links to their contact information including webpages is available on the Northwoods Art tour website:

www.northwoodsarttour.com. Because tour members value and respect their visitors, all open studios and galleries will be following recommended safety guidelines. Visitors should be prepared to wear masks, use hand sanitizer and observe social distancing conventions.

Guests are invited into the private sanctuaries where artists live and create. Tour members have been working throughout the year so all open studios will have new work to share and artists will be demonstrating their approaches to art making. Whether visitors are shopping, wanting to learn about art processes, or just browsing, all the artists are pleased to welcome you to their creative space, to share their joy in art making, and their knowledge of process.

Old friendships will be renewed and new ones made, with the sharing of ideas and creativity, Each tour provides a unique experience for both the visitors and the artist.

Each studio and artist is special. Whether your interest lies in pottery, painting in many media, photography, art glass, practical or decorative fiber works, sculpture in wood or clay, reproduction or original prints, jewelry, handmade or custom furniture or just learning more about art, there is something for a variety of interests and tastes. You might just find that unique one-of-kind gift or a piece for your home that elevates your space and your spirit.

The tour is self guided. Studios are like open houses in which you come and go as your schedule allows. Visitors select which studios to visit based on their interests and time. Colorful brochures featuring each studio with driving directions, contact information and a map are available at area Chambers of Commerce and brochure racks located in many area businesses and on the tour's website. Because brochures were printed early in the year, a list of the open status of each studio is only available the website: wwwnorthwoodsarttour.com





Back in the Woods, one of a kind foiled, stained and fused glass Lantern by Jack Stayer, Sand Lake Trading Company, Lac du Flambeau. While the trees may look like prints, they are actually etched glass enamel paint designs created by Jack and then fired into the four wispy white glass panels. The piece is further highlighted by original "tree bark" sculptured soldering and patina work. Sand Lake Trading Company will be open for the tour.

After the Rain, oil on canvas, 24 x 18 by Sandy Cashman, Manitowish Waters. Sandy's birchbark Studio will be open to the public for the tour.







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