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COVID-19 response in Forest **County school districts**

As many community members are aware, Forest County currently has the highest COVID-19 burden (case rate) of all counties in Wisconsin. This burden has started to take a toll on our area school districts. Forest County school districts have spent countless hours creating plans in preparation for the first day of school and continue to work around the clock to keep their students and staff in a safe and healthy learning environment.

The re-opening of schools creates a setting where non-household members are interacting, thereby increasing the risk of exposure to COVID-19 and the likelihood of spreading the virus. Each school district has been affected by illness, and isolation and quarantine of students and/or staff. They have been working closely with the health department to conduct a thorough investigation to track, contact trace and provide isolation and quarantine guidance to families as needed.

Proven actions that everyone can take to slow the spread of COVID-19 in Forest County include:

Avoid large gatherings and limit nonessential trips into the community

Stay home when you are sick and do not send students to school if they are ill

Watch for symptoms of COVID-19

Seek testing from a healthcare provider if you have symptoms

Wear a mask in public

Maintain physical distance from others

Frequently wash your hands and cover your coughs

Each district has the goal to keep their doors open to in-person instruction in a safe and healthy manner. As a community, we can all help achieve that goal by following these guidelines.

Get Your Flu Shot!



Get your flu shot! This is what health professionals are telling us on a daily basis. Getting the normal flu isn't as bad as getting the current pandemic covid 19, but the combination could be a disaster for those unlucky enough to get both.

The Forest County Health Department has set up the 2020 Flu Shot Clinic Schedule in communities around the county.

Turn to page 14 to find a flu shot clinic near you.

Senior **Harvest Dance** in Lakewood



A Senior Harvest Dance will be held on Saturday, October 3rd, from 7 p.m. until 11 p.m. at the McCauslin Brook Golf and Country Club in Lakewood

Schaefer family celebrates 85 years of doing business



The drawings of the various Schaefer stores were done by Doneda Schaefer, an accomplished artist. This building on Madison St. was the first Schaefer store.

It was in 1935 when Jack and Doneda Schaefer first saw the City of Crandon. They rode along from Appleton with Doneda's brother, who was interested in buying a funeral home in Crandon.

He didn't like the place, but Jack Schaefer fell in love with this little northern city, and before he left, he had a meat concession for one of the local grocers. Before long, he had opened his own store, and continued to supply meat and groceries to people in this area.

It was a tough time. His start in Crandon was in the middle of the Great Depression. However, he wasn't somebody who gave up easily. He moved his business to a variety of buildings that are still being in use today by other businesses. When he sensed that old age was catching up with him, he called on his son, Jack Schaefer, to return to Crandon and take over the business. At this time, the store was located where Northern Lakes Service is located today.

Experiencing crowding and lack of sales space, son Jack bought a piece of rough land on the southeast corner of Crandon, a small front end loader and started moving dirt from the hill to the lower ground. When the site was prepared, a new store was built and Pioneer Plaza was started. That store has been added to a number of times, Conway True Value moved to the new plaza and put up a new store, the Liquor Lode was built, a laundromat, and the old Soo Line depot was moved to the plaza and became the Cracker Box restaurant. This is the Gas Depot today.

Jack has since passed on, but the business is now in the hands of Jay Schaefer, the third generation, and the fourth generation, Jay's son John, is now involved in the business. **Continued on page 13**

Nicolet College Foundation encourages future and current students to apply for scholarships

Anyone planning on enrolling in Nicolet College credit classes in the Spring or Summer Terms of 2021 is encouraged to apply for any one of the more than 100 scholarships being offered by the Nicolet College Foundation.

Crandon International and Jamey Flannery Trucking support community law enforcement with special donation



Crandon International Promoter Marty Fiolka (left) and Forest County Deputy Sheriff DJ Wilson exchange a warm handshake after Sunday afternoon's announcement held on the track's legendary podium.

CRANDON, Wisconsin (September 29, 2020) -As has been the case since its inception, Crandon International Raceway has operated as a not-for-profit club that has donated millions of dollars back into the local community of Crandon and the Forest County that surrounds the track.

This important 51-year-old tradition continued this year as Crandon International Raceway and Jamey Flannery Trucking combined to support local law enforcement at the 2020 Forest County Potawatomi Brush Run event held last weekend. During opening ceremonies before the Pro category season finals track officials announced the donation of two new drug enforcement K9s to the Forest County Sheriff's Department.

The donation was inspired by the recent and unexpected loss of two K9 dogs serving the Sheriff's Department. In a statement made before the race weekend, the department said," It is with deep sadness that we share with you the loss of Forest County Sheriff's Department K9 Leroy. During his two years of service with the Forest County Sheriff's Office, he was involved in hundreds of narcotics searches and seizures throughout Northeast Wisconsin. K9 Leroy was an invaluable tool in the tracking of wanted subjects and the fight against illicit drugs in the Northwoods."

After more than eight years of service the department's second K9, this one named "Mek," is officially retiring on October 15th.

"This donations made by the Board of Directors at Crandon International Raceway and Jamey Flannery Trucking are so very much appreciated," explained Forest County Sheriff John Denney. "Without these type of donations programs like the K9 units wouldn't exist. These dogs are instrumental in fighting the drug and opioid epidemic that has been in our local area for a long time."

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290 cases of covid-19 (48 active) confirmed in Forest County

Forest County Public Health officials have confirm ed additional persons have been diagnose novel coronavirus infection (COVID-19) for a total of 290 cases in Forest County. County health officials and local partners are contacting others with whom the individuals who tested positive had close contact with. As of today, Forest County has 2,470 negative test results. There are currently 48 active cases in isolation, 230 released from isolation, 6 current hospitalizations, and 6 deaths. The Forest County Health Department encourages community members to minimize their contact with others by staying home when possible, practice physical distancing and good personal hygiene, wear a mask or cloth face covering, and stay alert for symptoms of COVID-19. If you are experiencing any symptoms or have been exposed to someone with COVID-19, please contact your health care provider and ask to be tested. In an effort to keep our community members up to date on COVID-19, the Forest County Health Department will continue to update our Facebook page daily and local newspapers weekly with current COVID-19 case counts. This will include the number of negative and positive cases in Forest County. Please call our office at 715-478-3371 with any questions or concerns.

This is a free event! There will be music by the popular "Lovin' Country" group. Put on your dancing shoes and enjoy the festivities!

Conservation Corner

When is the Best Time to Seed Your Prairie Flowers?

Fall is a great time to plant your prairie grasses and flowers. Smooth Phlox, Wild Petunia, Blue Vervain, and Wild Bergamot are just a few that are native to Wisconsin. These seeds need exposure to cold, damp conditions for better germination rates. Most of these flowers and grass seeds have a built-in dormancy that need to be exposed to the cold conditions for a specific amount of time. Once the soil starts to warm up in the spring the seed will know it is okay to germinate.

Early fall is also a good time to transplant your trilliums, bloodroot, Virginia bluebells, etc. By planting them early in the fall, this give the plants enough time to establish their roots for a head start come spring. Before the snow flies a good tip is to cover your early-blooming spring ephemerals with a few inches of straw.

Watch for the Forest County Land Conservation Plant Sale. Coming soon!

Submitted by Cassidy Neilitz, Land Conservationist-Land Information/GIS Technician at 715-478-1387 or by e-mail at lcctech@co.forest.wi.us.

"Scholarships can go a long way in helping students pay for college and we encourage anyone who plans to attend Nicolet next year to fill out the application," said Heather Schallock, executive director of the Nicolet College Foundation. "The application process is fairly easy and straightforward and we know scholarships can make a big difference in students' lives as they work their way to graduation."

All applications must be submitted online at nicoletcollege.edu/scholarships between Oct. 5 and Oct. 26.

Nicolet scholarships are available for both new and continuing students and range in value from \$250 to \$1,350. Funds are applied directly to the cost of tuition and books. Both part-time and full-time students with a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher are eligible to receive scholarships.

Schallock noted that the scholarships are available only because of the generosity of Foundation donors.

"They truly believe in the value of a college education," she said. "They see how it can improve the lives of individuals and also benefit the communities in which graduates live and work."

For more information about scholarships, contact the Nicolet College Foundation office at (715) 365-4518, 1-800-544-3039, ext. 4518; TTY 1-800-947-3529 or 711 relay; or by email at hschallock@nicoletcollege.edu.

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In case you have not been able to get out and enjoy the fall colors, here are some shots around the area for everyone to enjoy. This photo was taken out on Old Dump Road.

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Position: Dentist Salary: Commensurate with Education/Experience Hours: Full-time Reports to:Clinic Director

The Sokaogon Chippewa Health Clinic is located in beautiful northwoods Wisconsin. This area is known for forests, lakes,

golfing, and nature. It's an outdoor playground during all four seasons of the year. A truly beautiful place to live, play, and work! This clinic will give you the freedom to practice your dental expertise with a supportive staff, up to date and state of the art dental equipment and the opportunity to partner with a healthcare team who are all dedicated to making a difference in the health of our patient population.

Qualified applicant duties would include but are not limited to:

• Making clinical and radiographic examinations of the oral and soft tissues and a diagnosis of pathological or irregular conditions.

• Administering local anesthesia.

• Performing routine and moderately complicated tooth extractions, including surgical procedures.

• Studying results of examinations to determine the type of treatment and developing an acceptable treatment plan.

• Performing endodontic, prosthodontics, periodontics, surgical, and routine restorative procedures.

 Recognizing symptoms of an assortment of systemic diseases and referring cases for medical diagnosis.

A competitive salary package and loan repayment options are available.

A background check will be required

HELP WANTED



Help Wanted

Northwoods Evergreen Co. is seeking people to make wreaths, grave blankets and garland in Laona or at home. Call -715-889-0287 (Tom) For more information

WANTED: Local veteran s e e k i n g i n h o m e assistance. She is in need of part time care and would welcome the help of an older or retired female. Call Mary at 715-420-1115 after 4 p.m. Ou19etc HELP WANTED: Part time handy man for household repairs, maintenance, etc. Skills helpful, wage negotiable. Call 715-784-1447 BETC 25

HELP WANTED: Person with pick up to move RV 7 times seasonally from Wabeno to Bear Lake. Call 715-327-9052 P27

Help Wanted-Library Assistant

The Lakes Country Public Library seeks a part-time library assistant for 80 to 90 hours per month, including some evenings and weekends. Customer service and computer skills a must.

Send resume to:

Lakes Country Public Library, PO Box 220, Lakewood WI 54138

Applications will be accepted until filled.

Snowmobilers: Time to complete

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HELP WANTED

Position: Registered Nurse (R.N.) Location: Sokaogon Chippewa Community Health Clinic Supervisor: Clinic Director, FNP and MD



Salary: Commensurate with Education

and Experience

Position Summary: Under general direction, develops implements, evaluates, and manages the care and education of patients; supervises day-to-day activities of patient care; performs assessments of patients; attends educational in-services; and oversees medical/clinic

related grants.

Qualifications:

Graduate of an approved RN program

- Two (2) years of related clinical nursing experienceKnowledge of medical procedures, terminology,
- and equipment • Must have the ability to l

•Must have the ability to keep all information confidential – know rules and regulations related to HIPAA.

- Must be willing to attend offsite trainings and meetings.
- Must be able to pass a pre-employment drug

screening and background check

- Wisconsin RN licensure required.
- CPR Certified
- Valid Wisconsin driver's license

Submit completed applications/resumes to:

Sokaogon Chippewa Community

Donna Vodar, HR Director

3051 Sand Lake Road Crandon WI 54520

715-478-7663

Email: donna.vodar@scc-nsn.gov



Lakewood Sanitary District is looking for a Plant Manager/Operator. Under the direction of the Sanitary Commissioners, the Plant Manager will be responsible for overall management of the Sanitary District Facility and the town's Collection System. The manager will also perform general maintenance and repairs on facility equipment and structures, in addition to performing grounds maintenance. The Plant Manager will have supervisory responsibilities for the plant operator. Individual will also have to handle and process wastewater samples.

The Manager will have to obtain a Wastewater Operator Certification from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WI DNR) within one year of hiring, if not already certified. All work will be done in compliance with WI DNR, EPA, Hazmat and OSHA safety rules and regulations. If you have prior experience in a maintenance role, we encourage you to apply for this position, however, we are willing to train someone without experience and background who possesses a willingness to learn. Applicants must have a valid driver's license and pass a drug screening. If interested contact the Lakewood Sanitary District at 715-276-1830 or send resume to Lakewood Sanitary District, P.O. Box 309, Lakewood, WI 54138.



Qualified applicants please submit resumes to: Donna Vodar, HR Director Phone: (715) 478-7663 3051 Sand Lake Road Email: donna.vodar@scc-nsn.gov Crandon WI 54520

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required safety certificate course

MADISON, Wis. – Wisconsin is the birthplace of snowmobiling and continues to offer some of the best snowmobiling opportunities you are likely to find, especially in northern Wisconsin.

More than 200,000 registered snowmobiles hit Wisconsin's 25,000 miles of groomed trails each winter, which means safety is an important part of the ride.

Fall is the ideal time to take the first step of preparing for the upcoming snowmobile season by completing the safety course. The safety course seeks to ensure snowmobilers of all ages are safe while they are having fun on the trails. The course is required for operators born on or after Jan. 1, 1985 and who are 12 years of age or older.

Snowmobile safety is critical. In 2019, 16 fatal snowmobiling accidents occurred, with the top contributing factors being speed and operator error.

The safety course costs \$10 and includes six hours of classroom instruction with two optional hours of hands-on instruction or a simulated ride. For those age 16 and older, the course may be completed online.

To register for a classroom course or an online v e r s i o n , v i s i t dnr.wisconsin.gov/Education/OutdoorSkills/safetyEducati on ATTENTION! This could be your classified or display ad! Call 715-478-3640 or 1-800-234-2152 and let us help turn that stuff collecting dust into cash! **PIONEER EXPRESS PAGE 4, OCTOBER 05, 2020**

REAL ESTATE





heading into the field might notice something a little different this year. The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources has combined its hunting regulations into one convenient document.

with color photographs and graphics, along with simplified language for all huntable species in Wisconsin.

things simpler for hunters," said Scott Karel, DNR regulation policy specialist. "Rather than needing to track down multiple hunting regulations pamphlets for different hunting activities, all have been condensed down to one, reducing the number of lines of text and saving money at the same time."

agents throughout the state. They're also posted on the DNR website in English, Spanish and Hmong.

The DNR plans to continue producing separate trapping regulations pamphlets.

More information on hunting, including regulations and season dates, is available on the DNR website. For more updates throughout the fall hunting seasons, follow the DNR on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

Rusty's, 2063 6Pack: Cassie Alloway, 207 6Pack: Una Ross, 591 Pizza: Bruce's Misteaks, 2190 HIGH AVERAGES Penny Carter, 147 Chris Geske, 147 Lisa Mermuys, 143 Kris Anderson, 143

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Louise Johnson, age 89, passed away peacefully September 24, 2020, at Aspire Senior Living Center in Kimberly, WI.

Date of birth April 15,1931,in Crandon, WI. Louise was the daughter of the late John and Delilah Montgomery, of Nashville, WI .She was the

youngest child of ten children. Louise married Allen Roberts Johnson June 6,1946, at the age of 15. They lived in various states, and settled in Crandon, WI. Allen had a roofing business and Lumber Company, which Louise helped doing bookwork over the years, and was primarily a housewife, raising their 6 children. She was active in her church when younger, participating in Ladies Willing Workers-and loved baking, cooking, gardening and her beautiful flowers. She sang and played guitar when younger, and was very adept in sewing. She and Allen enjoyed winters in their home in Florida for many years, and loved fishing, having friends over, and going for scenic rides.

She loved her pets and took excellent care of them-her last pet, a Yorkie, Teka, who was always vigilant at her side.

Louise married again at age 87 on May 19,2018 to James Kroening. Jim was a wonderful husband to her, and took excellent care of her, They lived in his Rhinelander home in summer, and in winter months, at his home in Bullhead City, AZ.

God bless her now as she reunites with her many loved ones in Heaven.

She is survived by: Husband, James Allen Kroening of Rhinelander, WI. 3 Children: Dorla (Melvin) Donek of Crandon, WI.; Rebecca (Pastor Kenneth)Eades of Eagle River, WI ;and Leck Johnson, of Crandon, WI.

8 Grandchildren:Sharla(Kelly)Kitchmaster of Laona, WI.; Mel(Nancy)Donek of Argonne. WI; Pastor Jerry (Debbie)Johnson of Bemidji, MN, Robert Eades of Arvada, CO; Jamie(John)Paquet of Eagle River, WI; Ryan(Shawna) Johnson, Jeffrey(Samantha)Johnson all of Longmont, CO, and Shannon Wagoner of Idaho. 17 Great Grandchildren: Kayla (Frank) Gentz, Joshua Tree, CA; Kody Kitchmaster of Laona, WI; Jena(Jordan)Butcher-Green Bay, WI, Jade Kitchamster of Laona, WI; Jessica Donek(significant other Caine) of Laona, WI; and Ty Donek (significant other Kendall) of Argonne, WI; Callie, Tessa, Serena and Lydia Johnson of Bemidji, MN, Mariah Karpinski(significant other DJ) of Madison, WI, and Zoey Karpinski (significant other Donevin) of Phelps, WI; Ben & Brian Eades, & Megan & David Kellmer of Trenton, NJ; Sawyer Eades of Bismarck, North Dakota, Isaaic, Curtis, & Vanessa Johnson of Longmont, CO. 1 Great-Great Grandson, Cainan Lakai of Laona,WI (Son of Jessica Donek and Significant other, Caine Soman).

2 Great Great Granddaughters, Lejla Louise of Joshua Tree, CA(daughter of Frank and Kayla Gentz of Joshua Tree California and Jaylin May Butcher(Daughter of Jordan and Jena Butcher of Green Bay,WI.)

Surviving are her loving husband, Allan(Jim) Kroening whom she loved dearly, and all of his children and family),also her sisters-in-law:Jean Waalkens, Dorla Pitts, and 1 brother-in-law,Jack(John W.)Johnson;and many nieces and nephews, distant cousins and many friends.

Preceding her in death besides her parents, John and Delilah Montgomery, was beloved husband, Allen Roberts Johnson and three children, a daughter Lonah Diane Johnson; and 2 sons: Allen Roberts Johnson Jr, and Jeffrey Henry Johnson. Also preceding her in death were 5 brothers: Golden, James, Orville, Lenard, and Leck Montgomery, and 4 sisters: Lonah, Viola, Francis, and Denver, plus numerous brothers and sisters-in-law, aunts, uncles, neices, nephews, cousins,

Death Notices



Peter McGeshick Jr. "Ke-Che-Pe-Nay-Se, (Big Bird)" " Ase-Anse" (Little Shell), 80, of Mole Lake, passed away Thursday, September 24, 2020 at Aspirus Wausau Hospital, Wausau. Peter was born September 20, 1940 at Jim Whitehead Boat landing in Mole Lake the son of (Frank Smith), Peter McGeshick and

Mildred Ackley. Peter served in the U.S. Airforce. He was united in marriage August 10, 1963 to Caroline Hanes. Peter was the Elder Director for Mole Lake.

Surviving are his wife of 57 years, Caroline; daughters, Lisa McGeshick, Mole Lake; Dori McGeshick (Brian), Mole Lake; Dina Chapman (Barry), Green Bay; sons, Peter McGeshick III (Michelle), Mole Lake; Chris McGeshick, (Vickie), Mole Lake; 21 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren; sisters, Velma Landru, Mole Lake; Mildred "Dolly" McGeshick, Mole Lake; Dorothy "Dottie" McGeshick, Mole Lake; brothers, Charles McGeshick, Mole Lake; Raymond Sr. (Tina) McGeshick, Mole Lake; Albert McGeshick, Mole Lake; Garland McGeshick, Mole Lake.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son, Dean McGeshick; sisters, Charlene, Brenda and Myra; brothers, Terry and Fred Sr.

The family requests to keep funeral private for safest prevention strategy against COVID-19 Virus. Family requests no visitation due to High Covid Alert and Activity in the County/Area. Migwech for your understanding and consideration of their requests during this difficult time.

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



Charmeen E. (Sherry) Thomaschefsky, 81 of Argonne, WI passed away peacefully at her home surrounded by her family. Sherry was born November 21st, 1938 in Laona, WI.

She is survived by her loving husband of 61 years, Clifford (Bill) Thomaschefsky; her five daughters Lori (Kurt) Keao, Jeanne (Nick) Crum, Kris (Kevin) Plapper, Lisa (Ken) Bernhardt and Jeni (Marty) Weber; sister Annie Purcell and brother Mike (Michelle) Michlig; 10 grandchildren, 16 great-

grandchildren and many other loving relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents Philip and Doris Michlig, brother Richard and John Michlig, brother-in-law John Purcell and great grandson Riley VanCleve.

Private services will be held at St. Joseph's Catholic Church.



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Mary Jane Statler, 87, of Townsend, WI passed away Saturday, September 26, 2020 at The Bay at Suring Nursing Home. Mary was born October 5, 1932 the daughter of John and Appolonia (Schmitt) Flynn. She was united in marriage on June 1, 1951 to Joseph Statler at St. Mary of The Lakes Catholic Church, Townsend and he preceded her in death in August of 1992. Mary was the Town

Treasurer for Townsend.

Surviving are her daughter, Cynthia (Barry) Steckbauer, White Lake; son, Theodore Statler, Townsend; grandchildren, Amber (Jacob) Barber, Kyle Steckbauer, Ashlee (Robert) Rick; eight greatgrandchildren, Katie, Zelda, Alex, Mickayla, Calvin, Gage, Baileigh, Shay and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Joseph; eight brothers and four sisters.

Graveside services will be held at a later date.

Memorial donations may be made in to the Townsend/Lakewood Ambulance Rescue Squad.

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



Lynn T McKee, 78, of Crandon passed away on Sunday, September 27, 2020 at Wausau Aspirus Hospital. Lynn was born in Laona, WI on August 24, 1942 to Vernon & Esther (Rogge) McKee.

Lynn graduated from Crandon High School in 1960, he was enlisted in the Army from 1960 – 1962. On July 19, 1961, he married his high school

sweetheart, Brenda (Marvin) McKee, July 2021 would have marked their 60th wedding anniversary. He was a member of Argonne United Methodist Church.

Throughout his life, Lynn worked at various jobs in Milwaukee, Green Bay & Stevens Point, but his heart was always in Forest County, so in 1965, they moved back home & never left again. Before becoming a selfemployed logger, Lynn ran a snowmobile repair shop & opened a liquor store. Later he worked as a log truck driver, skidder operator and log cutter for Louie Geske. Louie taught him well, as logging became his passion. There is now a 3rd generation of loggers of which Lynn was so proud of and he liked to take credit for their careers. Thanks Tod, Randy, Chad & Ryan for becoming loggers.

Lynn previously served as a committee member for the City of Crandon Police and Fire Commission.

Together, Lynn & Brenda were blessed with 2 sons and a daughter, 7 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren with one more due in November. He loved spending time with his family and was so immensely proud of all of his grandchildren & great grandchildren. He was always willing to lift a hand and help whoever was in need.

Surviving are his wife, Brenda; sons, Tod (life partner, Doreen) McKee, Argonne; Randy (Coleen) McKee, Argonne; daughter, Amy (Jeff) Collins, Argonne; grandchildren, Travis (Michelle) McKee, Henderson, NV; Chad (Lacey) McKee, Argonne; Ryan McKee, Argonne; Erin (Matt) Samz, Argonne; Kaitlyn (Randy) Spencer, Argonne; Tyler (Kayla) Collins, Argonne. great grandchildren, Hayley, Keegan & Cullen McKee; Parker & Tucker McKee; Prentice, Piersyn & PortLynn McKee;

and friends.

Special thank you to her Niece, Lena Pence, who was vigilant visiting Louise at Aspire Senior Living in Kimberly, WI, and to a CNA named Ben-who sat by her during the night before she passed away and to her wonderful Hospice Nurse, Molly and Social Service worker, Ann for all of their care & concern, Also, many thanks and appreciation to any who sent get well cards, flowers, gifts, phone calls ;etc. in the last year of her life.

Due to C0-VID 19,there will only be a gravesite service on Saturday, October 10th from 11 AM til Noon at Nashville Cemetery. Anyone who wishes may come.Please wear your mask.

There will be no luncheon, as nothing is open for that, due to CO-VID 19. Please dress warm for outdoor service.

Officiating will be Pastor Kenneth Eades (son-inlaw) and Pastor Jerry Johnson(grandson) Gospel music to be provided by Pastor John W. Johnson Jr. (nephew).

On-line condolences at weberhillfuneralhome.com

Cards to be sent to:

- Family of Louise Johnson
- PO Box 935
- Eagle River. WI 54521

Letters to the Editor

We welcome letters to the Editor; however the letters should be legible, in good taste, not libelous and pertinent to current issues. Names will not be withheld upon request, except for very special circumstances. NAME AND PHONE NUMBER SHOULD BE INCLUDED FOR VERIFICATION PURPOSES. We reserve the right to reject any and all letters. Kaleb, Kaybree & Keaston Samz; & Zelia & Oaklynne Spencer; granddaughter-in-law, Patricia Pangelinan and children, Paige and Peter Deleon Guerrero; sister-in-law, Sue McKee.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Vernon & Esther; In-laws, Lloyd & Arletta McCorkle; brother, Dale McKee and grandson, Troy McKee.

Private family services will be held.

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

Outdoor Public Rosary at St. Mary's of the Lake

St. Mary's of the Lake parish, Lakewood WI will host a public outdoor rosary on Saturday, October 10, 2020 at 12:00 P.M. .

We will pray the rosary for our country the United States of America, for peace, for an end to the corona virus, for families and the strengthening of faith. All those interested are welcome to join us. If you cannot stand for a long period you may bring a chair to sit.

In case of inclement weather, we will pray inside church. Please wear a mask and we will practice social distancing. Please mark your calendar and join us as we pray for the needs of our country and the world.

If you have any questions, please call Lois at 715-276-3603.

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ITEMS*

Sale Starts Oct 1, 2020

CHRISTMAS

MERCHANDISE

IS POPPING UP

EVERY WEEK...

CHECK IT OUT!

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Buying Balsam, Fraser White Pine **Red Pine & Cedar** boughs starting October 15 -216-3111 623-0487 up available

Northwoods Evergreen Co. **NOW BUYING BALSAM BOUGHS &** WHITE BIRCH POLES

in Laona. Contact Tom at 715-889-0287

Brush Run Cont. from pg. 1

The German Shepards used by the department are highly training dogs that cost around \$18,000 each according to Denney.

Originally set for Father's Day weekend in June, the rescheduled 27th annual Forest County Potawatomi Crandon Brush Run took place at the "Big House" on September 25th - 27th. The weekend featured Saturday's historic first night race at Crandon International, as well as Kyle Kleiman's dominating victory in the 27th Forest County Potawatomi Community Cup race finale.

This facility and our history are built on the contributions of so many people in the past 51 years," explained Crandon President Cliff Flannery. "With the help of Jamey Flannery we were able to provide our Sheriff's Department with a contribution that will help this community for years. Giving back is a big part of our mission at Crandon International, and keeping that tradition alive in 2020 is a great feeling for all of us."

Admission tickets, camping and grandstand reservations for the 2021 season will go on sale at 12:00 noon (CST) on Friday, January 1st. More information on the track and its upcoming events are available by visiting www.crandonoffroad.com.



RUMMAGE

2 PARTY GARAGE SALE: October 3rd & 4th 9am-5p.m.

Lamp stands, bedding, some clothes, toys, huge robot, lots of decorating items, dishes, pots & pans (Blue) (Red), curtains, too many items. Masks required please. Free Coffee!

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Crandon Cross Country Team



L toR: Marissa Flannery, Taylor Karcz, and Brody Lemaster.

The rain didn't slow down the Crandon MS CC Team when they competed in the Three Lakes Invitational at Big Stone Golf Course on Sept. 24th. Taylor Karcz took 1st and Brody Lemaster took 3rd in the boys race. Marissa Flannery placed 4th for the girls.

The boys placed 1st as a team and the girls placed 2nd as a team.

Keep up the great work Cardinals.

DNR TO UPDATE WISCONSIN WALLEYE MANAGEMENT PLAN FIRST VIRTUAL MEETING OCT. 13

MADISON, Wis. - To continue managing walleye populations across the state, the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) will begin updating Wisconsin's Walleye Management Plan through regional public meetings and surveys.

"The Walleye Management Plan provides direction to fisheries managers as they implement stocking practices, regulation options, habitat projects and other important factors used to manage walleve populations around the state," said Mike Vogelsang, DNR fisheries supervisor. "The current plan is over 20 years old and needs updating to reflect current science and technology for managing walleye and to address emerging issues and angler desires."

Last completed in 1998, the current walleye management plan serves as a guide for one of the most sought-after fish species in Wisconsin and outlines seven goals and strategies for walleye management. The updating process will include a review of the existing plan, an analysis of available data and trends and significant public input on angling and management preferences. The DNR is seeking public input on stocking priorities, regulation acceptance and agency resource allocation among other things. Public input on the planning process will be gathered through: Comments from the public on walleye management preferences and issues via this public input form,

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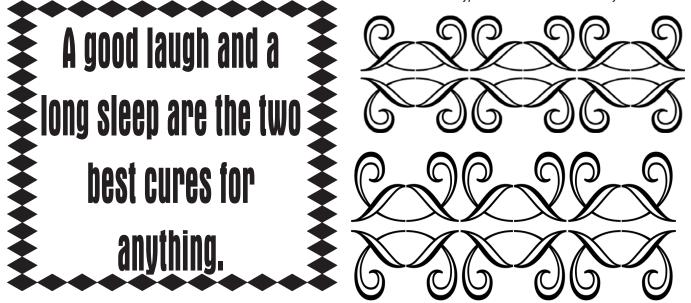
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Forest County Deputy Sheriff DJ Wilson and his K9 Leroy spent two years in local drug enforcement before the dog's recent passing. The highly trained members of the Sheriff's department are essential for this type of law enforcement activity.



Detailed random mail/online surveys of fishing license holders (both resident and non-resident) to scientifically gauge angler attitudes about management options, and

Regional virtual meetings with stakeholder groups and individuals to discuss local management issues and partnership opportunities.

The first regional meeting will be held virtually via Zoom on Oct. 13, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. for Douglas, Bayfield, Ashland and Iron counties. Individuals from those counties with a strong interest in walleye management and who would like to apply to participate should contact Max Wolter. Pre-registration is required.

More information on future walleye meetings can be found on the DNR's public meetings calendar.







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- When a person needs someone to talk to who
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life. Messages may also be left and video-calling may be an option. Please include a callback number with a good

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Where: Via phone or video-calling.

Contact: For more information, call the Chaplain Chatline directly at 715-240-0120.

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CRANDON, LAONA, ARMSTRONG CREEK

Wednesday - Oct. 07 - Chicken pot pie w/ veggies & biscuit top, kale salad, fruit, oatmeal raisin bar

WABENO CONGREGATE & HOME DELIVERED

Thursday - Oct. 08 - Chicken pot pie w/ veggies & biscuit top, kale salad, fruit, oatmeal raisin bar

ALVIN - No Meals in the Month of October

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 - 478-3256.

Crandon site manager Pat Raml is at 715-478 0742 (home) or 715-478-3040 (site). Serving at 12:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Alvin site manager Florence Kostka at 715-545-4063 (home) or 715-545-3323 (site). Meals canceled until further notice. Laona site manager Peggy Alderton at 715-889-3116 (cell). Meal served at 12:00 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Wabeno site manager Linda McEwen at 715-889-0123 (cell). Meal served at 11:30 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Home delivered on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Armstrong Creek site manager Sharon Giles at 715-674-3532 (home) or 715-336-2218 (site). Meal served at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday.



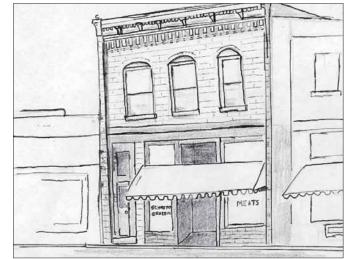
Schaefer Anniversary Cont. from pg. 1

85 years have passed since the first Jack Schaefer took a liking to Crandon and decided to move here. Jack and his wife Doneda put in hard work back in the days of the depression, and it paid off.

To celebrate 85 years of being in business, Schaefer's store is holding a big Anniversary Sale, and a flier with the details is in this issue of the *Pioneer*.



This store, we think, is now the north side of the Crandon branch of the Laona State Bank.



This former Schaefer store is now part of Tricia's Treasures.



Northern Lake Service is the current owner of this store that at one time was a car dealership, and then was the last store

PIONEER EXPRESS PAGE 13, OCTOBER 05, 2020 DNR has new way to count wolves

Extensive survey efforts conducted by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR), tribal biologists and more than 100 trained citizen volunteers indicate an increase in Wisconsin's wolf population from last year. This increase follows two years of steady abundance estimates and was measured in both the long-standing territory mapping method and the department's new occupancy-based model, which will provide a more robust estimate of the state's wolf population for years to come.

The territory mapping method produces a minimum count of wolves in Wisconsin. This year, the overwinter minimum wolf count was calculated to be 1,034-1,057 wolves, a 13% increase from the 2018-19 minimum estimate of 914-978 wolves. The number of packs detected increased from the previous year from 243 packs to 256.

Over the past seven years, the DNR has researched and developed a new occupancy model, which produces highly reliable estimates, provides a more realistic estimate of the total population size and efficiently makes use of state resources.

Using the new occupancy model, the DNR estimated that there are between 957 and 1,573 wolves in Wisconsin, with the most likely estimate being 1,195 wolves. This is an increase from the 2019 range of 835 to 1,333 wolves with the most likely estimate being 1,047 wolves.

After multiple years of research and testing, DNR researchers are confident transitioning to this new monitoring technique. For the past three years, the DNR has calculated both the outgoing minimum count using territory mapping and the incoming population range using the occupancy model. Each year, the minimum count fell within the occupancy model's population range, giving DNR researchers greater confidence that the new model is a reasonable and reliable alternative to territory mapping for Wisconsin's wolf population.

Moving forward, the DNR will report the wolf population estimate using the numbers calculated with the occupancy model. The department will no longer produce an overwinter minimum count.

To learn more about wolves and wolf monitoring in Wisconsin, visit the DNR website.

From Minimum Count To Occupancy – Changing Methods Since 1979, the DNR has monitored the state's wolf population using a territory mapping method, which produces a minimum count. The territory mapping method incorporates ground-based tracking, aerial observations and location data from collared wolves to map pack areas and estimate pack size. Data are then combined to estimate the minimum number of wolves each winter.

Territory mapping has been a reliable method for producing a minimum wolf count in Wisconsin for 31 years. However, as Wisconsin's wolf population has increased, the amount of effort and resources required to map every pack's territory and determine each pack's size has also increased. While territory mapping was feasible and warranted when the population was small and scattered during the early years of recovery, the need for a new method of monitoring wolves in Wisconsin has become more pressing, particularly now that the population exceeds 1,000 wolves.

Researchers at the DNR and the University of Wisconsin-Madison developed the department's new occupancy model with data from systematic winter tracking surveys and collared wolf packs to estimate the total area occupied by packs. The model then combines average pack territory size with the average number of wolves in each pack to estimate the state's wolf population.

Unlike the territory mapping method, occupancy models do not require that every pack's territory be fully mapped or that every wolf in a pack be counted. Similar to the population modeling tools used for other species, the wolf occupancy model uses statistical tools to estimate likely population levels in areas of the state where data may be lacking. When coupled with direct measures of data quality through a confidence interval, the new approach provides significant improvements over the prior methodology. Occupancy modeling was first implemented for a state wolf population in Montana in 2007 in response to their rising wolf population. Two years later, Idaho followed Montana's lead and adopted the occupancybased approach. Both states have been using occupancy models to monitor their wolves ever since. The Wisconsin DNR has built off the work of these states to develop an occupancy-based approach tailored to Wisconsin.

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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

Forest County Health Department 2020 Flu Shot Community Clinic Schedule

The Forest County Health Department will not be taking walk-ins at our office for flu shots this year. We apologize for any inconvenience. Please see the following community clinic options available:



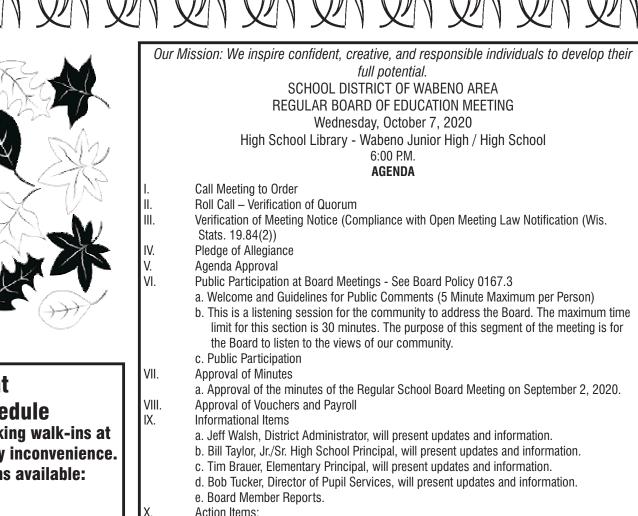
Notice of Annual Meeting and Budget Hearing School District of Goodman-Armstrong Creek Sections 120.08(1) and 65.90(4)

Notice is hereby given to qualified electors of the School District of Goodman-Armstrong 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 30th day of September, 2020 Samantha Smith, District Clerk



Thursday, October 15th 1:00 to 2:00 pm

ARMSTRONG CREEK Armstrong Creek Community Bldg. Tuesday, October 6th 11:00 am 1:00 pm

CRANDON Crandon Community Building Monday, October 5th 11:00 am to 3:00 pm Monday, October 12th 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm Wednesday, October 14th 11:00 am to 3:00 pm Monday, October 19th 3:00 pm to 6:00pm



WABENO - Wabeno Town Hall Thursday, October 8th 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

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	X.	Action Items:				
		a. Discuss and take possible action on September's prorated coach's pay action.				
		b. Discuss and take possible action on strategies for meeting the Achievement Gap				
		Reduction (AGR) guidelines according to Wisconsin Statute 118.44 (4) (a) 1.				
		c. Discuss and take possible action regarding 2021 graduation date.				
	XI.	Motion and Roll Call vote to go into closed session.				
	XII.	Motion and roll call vote to go into closed session. Pursuant to Wisconsin Statutes 19.85				
		(1)(c)(e), the Board may convene into closed sessions to:				
		a. Discuss change in employment and combining of three positions into two for Custodial/				
		Maintenance, Transportation, and Food Service.				
		 b. Take possible action regarding the closed session discussions. 				
	XIII.	Roll call and return to open session to take possible action on items discussed in				
		closed session.				
	XIV.	Discussion of Establishing Dates for Future Board Meetings and Establish Future Agenda				
		Items. No substantive discussion will occur concerning future agenda items.				
	XV.	Adjourn				
		THE AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS ALLOWED BY LAW.				
		ved for Publication/Posting by: District Administrator				
		reasonable notice, the District shall make reasonable accommodation to accommodate the				
		of people with disabilities through appropriate aids and services, including the provision of				
	ational 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 715.473.25					
		b: Board of Education Administrative Team				
		r 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 the				
	DISTRIC	t Website: https://www.wabeno.k12.wi.us/#				

Bids & Notices

Notice for Bids-Wabeno

Windfall Street Improvement- LRIP Crandon Ave. west to 30' west of Rangeline Creek Crossing. Length of project Approx. 950'

Work to be performed: Installation of 3 culverts

Winning bidder required to provide liability of Insurance for \$10000000

The Wabeno Town Board reserves the right to reject and all bids or to accept the bid most advantageous to the Town.

Send sealed bids to: Town of Wabeno PO Box 447 Wabeno, WI 54566

Deadline for submitting bids is October 16th @ 2.00 p.m. Mark LRIP Project on envelope

Any questions regarding Windfall project call Al Harrison 1-715-902-9031

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Widen Lane on North side 2'

Ditchline stabilization

Shoulder and ditch reconditioning

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RHINELANDER, WI, Sept. 24, 2020 – Permits for balsam bough harvesting on the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest will be available through Ranger District offices beginning Monday, Sept. 28.

Individuals interested in obtaining a bough harvesting permit should call the district office nearest their harvesting activities to confirm hours and availability before seeking a permit.

Eagle River:	715-479-2827	
Florence:	715-528-4464	
Lakewood:	715-276-6333	
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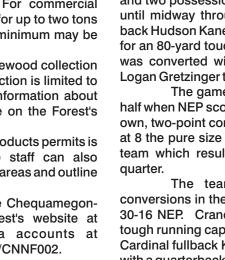
If harvesting is for personal use, the local district office may issue a Free Use Permit. For commercial harvest, the minimum permit cost is \$80 for up to two tons of material. Additional tons beyond the minimum may be purchased at a rate of \$40 per ton.

Through December 31, 2020, firewood collection does not require a permit, however collection is limited to personal use and may not be resold. Information about Christmas tree permits will be available on the Forest's website in mid-October.

More information about forest products permits is available at go.usa.gov/xGEwg. Office staff can also answer questions, share maps of harvest areas and outline areas to avoid.

For more information about the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest, visit the Forest's website at fs.usda.gov/CNNF or social media accounts at twitter.com/CNNF002 and facebook.com/CNNF002.

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PIONEER EXPRESS PAGE 15, OCTOBER 05, 2020 Football is back



Friday night the Crandon Cardinal varsity football team opened its season in a new football only conference Northwoods Football Conference (NFC) against a familiar foe. The Cardinals traveled to Niagara to take on the Northern Elite Predators a team comprised of three schools Goodman, Pembine, and Niagara. The two schools are the only remaining schools from the Northern Lakes conference playing 11-man football so to keep the tradition alive they played for the NLC Conference Cup, a traveling trophy designed and made by the Crandon technical education department.

Coming into the game on paper the youthful Cardinals knew they were up against a tall task taking on the very physically large senior dominated NEP team but the Cardinals did not back down. After exchanging blows and two possessions each the game remained scoreless until midway through the first quarter Cardinal running back Hudson Kane broke free along the left side of the line for an 80-yard touchdown scamper. The 2pt. conversion was converted with a pass from Cardinal quarterback Logan Gretzinger to tight end Carter Bissonette.

The game remained 8-0 until seconds left in the half when NEP scored with a tight end sucker pass of their own, two-point conversion good. Coming out of half tied at 8 the pure size of NEP began to wear on the Cardinal team which resulting in 15 points for NEP in the 3rd quarter.

The teams exchanged touch downs and conversions in the 4th quarter resulting in the final score 30-16 NEP. Crandons final score was a result of some tough running capped off with a 3-yard scoring plunge by Cardinal fullback Konnor Keao, 2pt conversion was good with a quarterback boot keep by Gretzinger.

Cardinals home opener is Friday October 2nd 7

p.m. Statistical leaders: Rushing Hudson Kane 4-88 1TD, Konnor Keao 11-48 1TD, Brett Palubicki 7-45, Caden Palubicki 5-11, Logan Gretzinger 3-3 2pt. Passing: Logan Gretzinger 2-4 28. Receiving: Carter Bissonette 2-28 2pt







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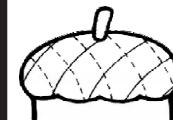


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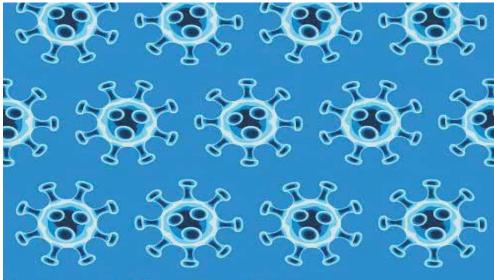
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