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Remembering the deceased with the ringing of the bells



If you heard the church bell at the Presbyterian Church in Lakewood or Laona on January 19, it was rung 66 times to remember the 66 from Oconto and Forest Counties who have died from COVID-19 as of that date. Margaret Brubaker (pictured above with the church bell) of Forest Larger Parish, along with her husband Barry arranged for this simple commemoration with prayers and readings in Lakewood, and Samantha Johnvin rang the Laona church bell. Mary Ellen Keller and Lori Brooks did a brief Facebook Live Memorial including music, Psalms, prayers provided by Pastor Josh McKenna, and the ringing of handbells at the Wabeno location.

This can be seen on the Forest Larger Parish Presbyterian Church Facebook page. May God comfort all the families who have lost loved ones.

Pack Em Inn Predator Hunt to benefit Crandon Trap Team



Pack Em Inn is inviting all interested predator hunters to participate in their 1st Annual Predator Hunt and Fundraiser on Saturday, January 30 to benefit the Crandon Trap Team. The event will be held at Pack Em Inn located at 216 N. Lake Avenue in Crandon.

This is a hunt for dog hunters and callers, and it is mandatory to register for the hunt and pick up a packet of mouth pieces between noon and 10 p.m. on Friday, January 29 at Pack Em Inn.

There will be prizes for largest coyote and bobcat, every coyote gets a prize. All prizes determined by weight. All predators must be taken the day of the hunt, and no trapped animals are allowed. 100% of the entry money is returned to the winners.

Even is you don't hunt, this is a fun event, with prizes, raffles, food and refreshments. There will also be live music by ALL IN from 8 to midnight. For more info or if you want to donate to the hunt call Pack Em Inn at 715-478-3850. William Bednarz is recipient of the Herb Kohl Scholarship at Goodman-Armstrong Creek High School



The Goodman-Armstrong Creek High School is pleased to announce that senior William Bednarz has been selected to receive a 2021 Herb Kohl Initiative Scholarship Award in the amount of \$10,000.

Each year the Herb Kohl Educational Foundation selects approximately 100 different Wisconsin High Schools for this award. Locally, schools determine a recipient through an internal selection process. The scholarship is awarded in the spring and is made available directly to the student's selected higher education institution in late summer.

It is Billy's intention to attend the University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point this coming fall. He intends to pursue studies in Natural Resources leading to certification as a Department of Natural Resources warden.

Trump Lake Fish-A-Ree Cancelled

The Trump Lake Fish-a-ree scheduled for February 13th has been cancelled due to covid-19. The cancellation adds to the long list of events canceled because of the pandemic. Let us hope next year is better!

Forest County Forestry Committee meets

By Mike Monte

The Forest County Forestry Committee met last Monday. The Veteran's Memorial Park was on the agenda.

In a conversation with County Forester Carly DeVet, she stated that there is hope for the reopening of the park in early summer. Much of the determination of the reopening will depend on the weather. If we have a wet spring and early summer, it may delay the work.

It is also upcoming business for the committee to find another person to run the Forestry office. Ms. DeVet is leaving the employ of the county on February 4th for a new job in Crystal Falls, Michigan, doing forestry work for Iron County.

Forest County Office on Aging needs community input



The Aging Unit is beginning to work on 2022-2024 Aging Plan for Forest County. We need your help developing a three- year plan. How can you help? It's actually pretty easy. Tell us what you think about how the Aging Unit can make getting older in our community A SUCCESSFUL enterprise. We want to know what

Forest County COVID vaccine update

The Forest County Health Department is currently helping to provide COVID-19 vaccine to frontline healthcare personnel, EMS, those who provide direct patient service or other healthcare services, law enforcement and fire personnel.

The Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) announced that anyone 65 and older will also be eligible for the vaccine beginning January 25th. There are approximately 700,000 Wisconsinites who are 65 and older and Wisconsin currently receives around 70,000 first-dose vaccines per week from the federal government. It will take time to vaccinate this population in Wisconsin.

We will continue to share more information about vaccine availability for other individuals and phases as it becomes available from DHS.

Please continue to practice every day preventative measures including:

- Practice physical distancing
- Wear a mask in public
- Wash your hands frequently
- Avoid large gatherings

• Stay home if you are sick and contact your healthcare provider to be tested

If you have any questions or are interested in receiving the vaccine, please call our office at 715-478-3371. You can also contact your healthcare provider to ask about vaccine availability.

901 cases of covid-19 (6 active) confirmed in Forest County

Forest County Public Health officials have confirmed additional persons have been diagnosed with novel coronavirus infection (COVID-19) for a total of 901 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 4,119 negative test results. There are currently 6 active cases in isolation, 873 released from isolation, 0 hospitalized, and 25 deaths related to COVID-19.

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.

Maple Syrup program at Florence Natural Resource and Wild Rivers Interpretive Center

An International program on maple syrup techniques will be neid on Thursday, February 18th, 2021 at the Florence Natural Resource and Wild Rivers Interpretive Center. Our panel of experts is Fred Hedmark and Ernie Dagostino. These two men are maple syrup producers of varying production, so we will have all levels of production present from small to very big. Both men have been making maple syrup their entire life and are vastly knowledgeable in the production of maple syrup. Hedmark's Maple Ridge, who is a maple supplies dealer, will also have maple equipment and supplies on display and for sale. This program should be of interest to those considering making maple syrup, those who want to compare experience and techniques and to those curious about the process of obtaining this tasty and necessary pancake product If you would like to learn more about maple syrup, please join us! The program will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the lower level conference room at the Florence Natural Resource and Wild Rivers Interpretive Center located on the corner of U.S. 2 and Highway 101/70 in Florence. The Environmental Stewardship Program Series are put on by the Friends of the Wild Rivers Interpretive Center and are open to the public and free of charge. Because of CO-VID, face coverings will be required, and social distancing will be implemented. For more information on this or any programs, contact Lori Moore in the Florence Natural Resource and Interpretive Center at (715) 528-5377.

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.

In the last few weeks I have been completing reviews of permitted non-metallic mines (otherwise known as gravel pits) across the County. Once the reviews are completed, I will be sending out annual renewal notices to local mine owners. In all, Forest County has 20 mines with reclamation permits. Reclamation permits are required under County ordinance for every mine where material is sold or utilized commercially. Mines utilized by the owner for use on their own lands or utilized only for municipal purposes are not required to have a permit. There are about 35 additional non-metallic mines in Forest County which do not require a permit, with the US Forest Service operating 15 of those and remaining 19 operated by Towns, the County, companies and private landowners.

Each year the permitted sites have the areas calculated utilizing GPS, aerial photographs and boots on the ground. Continued on pg 9

services you value, what things concern you about getting older and how we can work to promote our shared vision for older adults in Forest County.

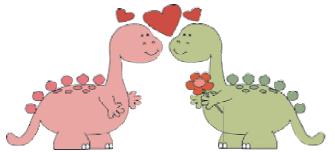
Tell everyone that you know that their input is welcome. We want to hear from all ages, income levels and living arrangements, everyone can weigh in. Watch for opportunities to give us your input in community Engagement events over the next several months. We will be starting with a short survey that you can access using your smart phone or computer, ipad, etc. If you have a smartphone, all you have to do it use your phone camera and scan the code below to access the survey. Otherwise, you can access the survey from a computer or any ipad, etc. by going to our website www.fcaging.com < http://www.fcaging.com > and under 2022-2024 Aging Plan tab, you will be able to click on the link to take you to the survey. If you are on Facebook please like our page so that you will see Aging Plan Community Engagement meetings and for other programming that we are offering. If you would like a paper copy of the survey, please contact our office at 715-478-7712.

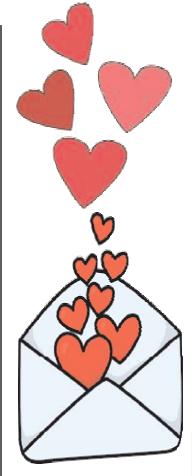
We are looking forward to everyone's ideas and input.

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John "Jack" Palubicki, 83, of Crandon, WI passed away p peacefully, surrounded by family 2 Thursday, January 21, 2021. Jack a was born May 23, 1937 in the Township of Schoepke, WI, the son of the late John and Germain-

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Death Notices

(Habersaat) Palubicki. As a young boy, Jack worked in the woods around Jennings till he

left to Kenosha where he worked at American Brass Company for years, raising his family. His love for the outdoors and Crandon would relocate him back where he worked at Daniels Packaging -(Print Pack) in Rhinelander, then working his own logging business and logging for others till his retirement.

He was married to Patricia (Shorey) for 61 years. Jack enjoyed joking with his acquaintances. Jack had a friendly smile and will be remembered for his genuine kindness. Jack enjoyed spending time with his kids and watching them grow up. He loved to deer hunt and fish. Jack was a very hard worker. He was working before the sunrise and after sunset. He had a handshake on him, like shaking a bear's paw. He much loved working to create his homestead and mainly his yard with wife Pat. More than anything, Jack loved spending time with his grandkids and great grand kids. He could get the crabbiest baby to laugh and smile, bouncing them on his knee with his own recital of gitty- up. He loved to follow his grandchildren in sports and school activities. Josh and Craig Kircher in little league and wrestling, Timmy Palubicki in football and snowmobile racing and Claire Palubicki in dance. His best friend and fishing partner was Grea Eldred.

Jack is survived by wife Patricia; son, Todd Palubicki; daughter, Kimberly (Dave) Kircher and son, Jack (Shelley) Palubicki; grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews, too many to mention from the huge Palubicki family. Brother, George (Mary Ann) Palubicki, and sisters, Mary Jane Flannery and Rosalie Dunn.

Jack was preceded in death by brothers, Raymond, Roy, Bernard, August, Robert, and sister, Clara Mae Flannery; brothers-in-law, Buddy Dunn, Kenny Flannery, Carl Flannery; sisters-in-law, Betty Palubicki, Jean Palubicki, Mary Palubicki, Karen Barker; and –inlaws, Jeanette Shorey/McMillion, Harold Shorey and stepfather, George McMillion. A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date. We want to THANK ASCENSION HOSPICE for their loving care toward Jack. Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements. Online condolences for the family may be directed to www.weberhillfuneralhome.com

Leonard "Bud" Fisher, age 84, of Townsend, passed away unexpectedly at home on Sunday, January 24. 2021. Bud was born on August 6, 1936 to the late Lyle and Laura (Wiesenhofer) Fisher. He joined the army in 1954 after graduating from Suring High School. On February 15, 1958, Bud married Cynthia Johnson at the Evangelical United Brethren Church in Hayes. The couple had their daughter, Keli, in 1966. For many years, Bud worked as a millwright at Giddings & Lewis and Rayovac in the Fox Valley. He was then recruited by the State of WI Vocational Technical School System to teach millwright apprenticeship. After 8 years, Bud was offered a different circuit in the state and in 1979, the family moved to the "cottage" up north. While living up north, Cindy used her real estate brokers license at Rodencal Realty in Lakewood. Bud soon realized that he didn't enjoy having the summers off while Cindy was busy with her summer sales and they couldn't spend much time together, so Bud got his real estate brokers license as well. The couple teamed up with Herman Rodencal who expressed the desire to retire and the office became Rodencal-Fisher and then Fisher Realty, Inc. by 1981. In 1984 Keli joined them in real estate. The couple decided to sell the real estate office and retire to a slower pace in 2001. Bud enjoyed fishing, spending time outdoors, and cutting wood. He was able to fix anything he puts his hands on. Bud greatly enjoyed spending time with his family and lovingly "picking on" them.

Bud was a truly wonderful man, always ready with a helping hand or friendly ear. His smile and laugh will be greatly missed by friends, neighbors, and family.

Bud is survived by his significant other, Diane Fischer; daughter, Keli (Dominic) Derfus; 2 grandchildren, Ian and Lauren; brother, Ken (Jane) Fisher; sister, Evelyn School; brother-in-law, Jay (Nancy) Johnson; sisters-inlaw, Barbara Fisher and Sally Martindale. He is further survived by many nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Cindy, in 2010; 2 brothers, Larry Fisher and Loren Fisher; sisters-in-law, Audrey (Bob) Lawrence and Dorothy (Don) Christenson; brother-in-law, Bill School.

A private memorial service will be held at Gruetzmacher Funeral Home. A public Celebration of Life will be held in the future, with an announcement of the day when it is available. Gruetzmacher Funeral Home in Suring is assisting the family with arrangements. Online c o n d o l e n c e s c a n b e e x p r e s s e d a t www.gruetzmacherfuneralhome.com. The family would like to thank the Lakewood-Townsend Rescue Squad and Oconto County Sheriff's Officer Jacob Kasten for the care and compassion offered to Bud and his family during their time of need.



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Terry L. Hansen, age 77, of Crandon, passed away Thursday, January 21, 2021, at home after a short battle with cancer. He was born on June 11, 1943, in Edmore, MI, Montcalm County a son of Max and Dorothy Hansen. He married Virgelene Young on July 28, 1962.

Terry enjoyed hunting, fishing, campfires and anything outdoors. He enjoyed playing cards with family and friends.

He was owner and operator of Hansen's Double Top Pizza in Crandon for 17 years.

Terry is survived by his wife of 57 years; children, Troy (Debbie) of Pelican Lake, Mark of Maribel, Tera (Mark G.) of Green Bay and Trent (Angela) of Wittenberg; eight grandchildren, Tanya, Danielle, ShayLynn, Bradlee, Richard, Joshua, Kody and Kolton; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Terry was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Yvonne Jourdan; brother-in-law, John Jourdan and brother, Donald Hansen.

There will be no service per Terry's request. A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

Online condolences at www.bradleyfh.com.

AREA EVENTS



Forest County Office on Aging has made the decision to resume bus transportation out of county starting, Tuesday, February 2nd. As of right now, we will only be traveling to Rhinelander, WI. The bus will be traveling to Rhinelander every Tuesday in Febraury and will be stopping at Walmarts and Aldis. We will not be stopping for passengers to dine out. These routes will be "short routes" getting to Rhinelander no later than 10:00 a.m and departing by 1:00 p.m. Due to inclement weather, the bus will not leave the bus garage until 8:00 a.m. We will be providing in county only bus route on the first Thursday of the month.

If there are residents who live in Alvin or Armstrong Creek areas and would like to utilize bus services, please call Tammy. We will accommodate those areas as well. We are testing the water to see how many residents are interested in going shopping outside of Forest County and we put a schedule together to see how things go. The schedules are subject to change. We are hoping to continue to resume these routes but if we feel that the safety of our driver and passengers are at risk, we will adjust routes as needed.

In order to keep everyone safe as possible, all passengers will be required to wear a mask while on the bus and we strongly encourage all passenger to wear masks while in stores. In addition, we will only be allowing 4 passengers to ride the bus per trip in order to provide appropriate social distancing. We ask that everyone sanitize their hands upon entering the bus with hand sanitizer.

To schedule a ride, please contact bus driver, Pam Blank at 715-784-1079. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Forest County Office on Aging Department at 715-478-3256.



FEBRUARY BUS SCHEDULE

February 2nd - "Short Route"

Hiles, Argonne, Crandon, Laona and Wabeno to Rhinelander by 10:00 A.M. Walmart complex and Aldi's only. No Lunch Depart Rhinelander at 1:00 P.M. Bus **Driver Pam Blank**

February 4th - Thurday - Crandon shopping only. Hiles, Argonne, Crandon, Laona and Wabeno to Crandon by 9:00 A.M. Depart Crandon by 12:00 P.M.

Bus Driver Pam Blank

February 9th - "Short Route" Hiles, Argonne, Crandon, Laona and Wabeno to Rhinelander by 10:00 A.M. Walmart complex and Aldi's

Driver Pam Blank February 16th - "Short Route"

Hiles, Argonne, Crandon, Laona and Wabeno to Rhinelander by 10:00 A.M. Walmart complex and Aldi's only. No Lunch Depart Rhinelander at 1:00 P.M. Bus **Driver Pam Blank**

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February 23rd - "Short Route"

Hiles, Argonne, Crandon, Laona and Wabeno to Rhinelander by 10:00 A.M. Walmart complex and Aldi's only. No Lunch Depart Rhinelander at 1:00 P.M. Bus **Driver Pam Blank**

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Rapids Resort	49.5
Tony's Redi Mix	49
Big T	41
Laona State Bank 2	40
Hillcrest Lodge	36
Cassidys Café	35.5
Wabeno Bowl 2	34
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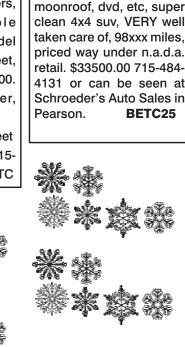
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Nicolet College announces Dean's List for Fall Term 2020

Numerous students from the Forest County area earned a place on the Nicolet College Dean's List for the Fall 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:

Argonne - Jessa Emin Belland, Deion M. Okrasinski, Ally Marie Pease, Isabelle M. Thomaschefsky.

Crandon - Michelle L. Berdan, Michael M. Bryner, Rachelle N. Cappel, Ashley M. Clark, Carlie D. Conley, Sage J. Dalton, Kaele N. DeLeeuw, Brooke Erin Dewing, Trevor Steven Hefter, Michelle Lynn Huml, Sonya M. Knueppel, Anjelina Jo Lyons, Lynzee Nicole McGeshick, Dylan Raymond Potter, Alexis Kay Quade, Kayla Jean Smith. Laona - Katie R. Frisque, Jade Ranae Kitchmaster, Anna Marie Hope Savard, Kathryn M. Shepard, Alexis Mary Barbara Thompson.

Monico - Emma Elizabeth Edinger, Savannah Marie Edwards, Catherine A. Fisher, Natalie E. Lassig, Nicholas G. Wagner.

Pickerel - Makayla Lee Siebers.

Townsend - Tammy L. Exferd Wabeno - Patricia K. Pemma.

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The sites are reviewed for reclamation activities and potential issues that may affect reclamation. Once the area determinations recorded, they are utilized to calculate the annual fees required for the mine to operate. These fees are based upon acreage with portions retained by the County and part of the fee paid to the State of Wisconsin.

The area is also required to calculate the amount of reclamation bond which the operator needs to maintain to insure that the mine area follows the reclamation plan. Bond amounts of \$3,000 per acre are required to be maintained for each acre which is not reclaimed. The bonds, in the form of letters of credit, cash, or actual bonds from bonding companies are held by Forest County to insure appropriate reclamation of mine sites.

Reclamation of sites include water resource protections such as retention berms and silt fence to retain storm water in wetlands established with a site. Reclamation also includes leveling of sites to no more than a 3:1 slope and seeding and planting of sites to native vegetation to prevent and eliminate future erosion. Some sites have active reclamation on part of the mine as they become inactive, others wait to complete reclamation when all activity is complete.

If you know of commercial activity on non-metallic mines or if you have concerns with the operation of a non-metallic mine in your area, please contact our office. Actively monitoring non-metallic mines to insure proper reclamation is just another way that Forest County Land Conservation strives to maintain our water quality and our natural beauty for all to enjoy while providing for business opportunities and providing materials that we need everyday!

Notice-Town of Laona Job Posting Police Chief

Town of Laona is accepting applications for a full time Police Chief. Individual will be required to work a mix of day and night shifts, weekends and some holidays as the Laona Town Board dictates.

Salary & Benefits: The hourly starting rate of pay for this position is \$19.00 per hour, wage may be negotiable based upon experience with wage increases each year as budget allows. Health insurance package that includes medical, dental and vision. **Enrollment in the Wisconsin Retirement System and paid vacation and sick** time.

Qualifications: Must be 21 years of age; US citizen; high school graduate or equivalent; have valid Wisconsin driver's license: have successfully completed Wisconsin certified recruit training; have earned 60 college credit or an Associate's Degree or a Bachelor's Degree from an accredited institution in a related field; is presently certified as a law enforcement officer by the State of Wisconsin; ability to use all police equipment, and have the ability to physically

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Thursday: French toast sticks, sausage links,

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Friday: Early risers.

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Action Items: a. Review Achievement Gap Reduction (AGR) end of fall semester report regarding progress made on growth objectives.

a. Approval of the minutes of the Regular School Board Meeting on January 6, 2021.

a. Jeff Walsh, District Administrator, will present updates and information.

c. Tim Brauer, Elementary Principal, will present updates and information.

b. Bill Taylor, Jr./Sr. High School Principal, will present updates and information.

d. Bob Tucker, Director of Pupil Services, will present updates and information.

b. Discuss and take possible action on school calendar for 2021 - 2022. c. Discuss and take possible action on E-Rate equipment proposals.

the Board to listen to the views of our community.

c. Public Participation

Approval of Vouchers and Payroll.

e. Board Member Reports.

Approval of Minutes:

Informational Items:

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e. Discuss appointing two election canvassers for April School Board election. f. Discuss and take possible action on Junior High Boys' Basketball Coach. Х. Motion and roll call vote to go into closed session. Pursuant to Wisconsin Statues 19.85(1)(c)(e), the Board may convene in closed session for the purpose of : a. Discussion of Elementary and High School Teacher Evaluations. b. District Administrator Evaluation. XI. Motion and roll call vote to return open session to announce or take action, if any, and if appropriate. XII. Discussion of Establishing Dates for Future Board Meetings and Establish Future Agenda Items. No substantive discussion will occur concerning future agenda items. XIII. Adjourn NOTE: THE AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS ALLOWED BY LAW. Approved for Publication/Posting by: **District Administrator** Upon reasonable notice, the District shall make reasonable accommodation to accommodate the needs of people with disabilities through appropriate aids and services including the provision of informational material in an alternative format for a disabled person to be able to attend this meeting. For additional information or to request this service, contact the District Office at 715,473,2592 Sent to: Board of Education Administrative Team Pioneer and Lake/Forest Beacon Newspapers The agenda as noted above was sent more than twenty-four hours prior to the meeting date. Due to this fact, the Agenda published in the newspaper(s) listed above may have been altered after delivery to the above listed newspaper(s). The most up to date Agenda information is also available on District Website: https://www.wabeno.k12.wi.us/#

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