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Cardinal wrestling sends four to sectionals

By Ryan Broege
EDITOR

The Brodhead-Juda Cardinal wrestling team is sending four wrestlers to sectionals next week in Madison, Wis. Trent Davis, wrestling in the 220-lb. class, took first place at the Regional meet. Davis defeated Edgerton's Reed Farrington in the championship match to take the Regional title. Kaleb Erb will return to the sectional meet, on the strength of a second-place finish in the 160-pound

class. Erb lost to Patrick Rielly of Monroe in the first-place match, but defeated Tyler Aasen of Evansville/Albany in the second-place match to secure his spot at Sectionals. Russell Waeffler defeated Edgerton's Quinn Kotnour twice on his way to a second-place finish in the 113-lb. class to secure his spot at sectionals. Jackson Hauri took first at 152 pounds, after an overtime victory over conference champion Nolan Kicmol of Evansville/Albany.



From left, Russell Waeffler, Jackson Hauri, Caleb Erb and Trent Davis.

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Legislative leaders support property tax increase for homeowners

Refusing legislative action to address 'Dark Store' tax scheme

By Sen. Janis Ringhand
15TH SENATE DISTRICT SENATOR

Earlier this week, Senate Majority Leader Scott Fitzgerald (R-Juneau) and Assembly Speaker Robin Vos (R-Burlington) declared that legislation to reign in the "Dark Store" property tax scheme will not be addressed in the final weeks of the legislative session. I have joined more than 60 legislators from all parts of Wisconsin to introduce two bi-partisan bills to reign in the Dark Store problem.

But the lobbyists for the Big Box chains know that they only need the support of Majority Leader Fitzgerald, Speaker Vos and Governor Walker to stick it to homeowners and keep the Dark Store tax scheme in place.

Simply put, failure to address the Dark Store tax scheme will lead to property tax increases for homeowners throughout Wisconsin.

Here's how Dark Store tax scheme works. Big Box retailers have a developed the "Dark Store Theory" to lower the value of their commercial property and shift their property tax burden onto local homeowners. Using the Dark Store theory, corporate tax lawyers argue that new, fully operational Big Box stores be assessed at the same value as the empty, abandoned store they have left behind.

The corporate attorneys then seek massive property tax refunds from municipalities and threaten to sue if their request is rejected. They know that the deep pockets of the Big Box chains can extend a lawsuit for years and pressure the municipalities to settle for far less than the Big Box chain would pay under normal circumstances. This increases property taxes for homeowners, often by hundreds of dollars a year.

Make no mistake; by shifting the property tax burden, the Big Box chains are sticking it to local homeowners. From my vantage point, it seems that the only people who believe the Dark Store tax scheme is fair are the lawyers who developed the scheme and the Big Box corporations who are making both rich.

Many say that as partisan legislative leaders, Majority Leader Fitzgerald and Speaker Vos are merely making a political calculation. They would rather risk raising the property taxes for thousands of homeowners throughout the state than stand up to some of their biggest political supporters.

The Dark Store legislation that I have co-sponsored are two of the most bi-partisan pieces of legislation to be introduced this session. Legislators from all parts of the state, Republican and Democrat, have joined to oppose the Dark Store tax scheme.

The Dark Store legislation has been unanimously approved by the Senate Committee on Revenue, Financial Institutions and Rural Affairs and would likely pass by wide margins, if only Senator Fitzgerald and Speaker Vos would allow them to come to a vote.

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Local students plot their futures in agriculture at Ag Day at state capitol

By Becky Wellnitz
CORRESPONDENT

Between college assignments, farm chores, and activities on campus, three area students were able to take part in this year's Wisconsin Farm Bureau Ag Day at the Capitol held in Madison on January 24th. Colleen Toberman, age, hometown, Sarah Strathman, age, hometown, and Erin Marchant, all Brodhead area residents, are studying agriculture at the college level. They joined 400 other Wisconsin Farm Bureau members and agriculture (different word) from across the state to help farmers address state legislators with an informed, unified voice.

"As a young agriculturist, I want to learn more about agriculture policy," said Strathman. "That's why I became a [Farm Bureau] member and decided to get more involved ... I will be graduating from college in December and plan to stay involved with the swine industry."

One of the policies discussed at the event was the livestock premises registration program and the much needed financial support for its continued success.

"I feel it is important for consumers to know where their food is being produced, and this program ensures the funding needed to keep

the program in place, where each farm has a premises ID number," said Strathman.

Strathman has found success raising swine on her family's farm just outside of Brodhead, and she has won several competitions showing her pigs at the local, state and national levels.

Other policy topics discussed during Ag Day at the Capitol pertained to securing sparsity aid for rural schools, growing hemp in Wisconsin, groundwater contamination, and the pending transfer of regulatory authority over Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations (CAFOs) from the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP).

Former Brodhead High School graduate Erin Marchant, who currently serves as the UW-Platteville Collegiate Farm Bureau Chapter president, said she was most intrigued by the process of policy making and how issues are brought to the attention of the lawmakers.

"I got to meet with Senator Howard Marklein and we were able to talk with him about agriculture issues specific to our District 17 area, which covers the southwest area of Wisconsin," said Marchant.



Erin Marchant, far left, and Sarah Strathman, second from left, joined fellow UW-Platteville Farm Bureau members at Ag Day at the State Capitol.

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While Marchant was focused on learning more about how policies are developed at the state level, Colleen Toberman found the DATCP's hemp pilot program details to be informational.

Toberman, who graduated in 2017 from Parkview High School, is studying agribusiness, science and technology at Blackhawk Technical College. This was her first trip to Ag Day at the Capitol, and she left with the intention to become more involved with the organiza-

tion at the local and state level.

"Farmers now have another crop they can use in their field rotations aside from the common corn, soybean and wheat fields that are frequently planted in this area," said Toberman. "I learned that DATCP is establishing a hemp pilot program to study the growth, cultivation and marketing of industrial hemp, and that by March 2 of this year the emergency growing rules will be in place and applications to be a grower or a processor will be

accepted."

Since Governor Walker signed WI Act 100 into law in late November of last year, farmers can legally grow hemp for the first time in nearly 60 years.

"Farm Bureau's Ag Day at the Capitol is just one of many events I plan to attend in order to stay connected with current issues in agriculture," Strathman said.

"It was a very educational day and I'm glad we took the opportunity to attend."

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Colleen Toberman, a freshman at Blackhawk Technical College, stands with fellow Rock County Farm Bureau board members at Ag Day.

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Green Co. dairy royalty attends Ag Day
Paige Bittner, Green County Dairy Princess, left, and Haley Mueller, Green County Dairy Queen, right, had the opportunity to attend "Ag Day at the Capital" on Jan. 24. Governor Walker spoke about issues addressing Wisconsin farmers.

Fury head to sectionals on a high note

The Fury hosted Appleton United in their last game of regular season on Feb. 10. The Fury got a slow start with Appleton scoring the lone goal in the first period on a power play.

Midway through the second period on passes from Dani Heitsman and Alyssa Knauf, Presley Kovacevich got the Fury on the board. Appleton responded with two more goals. The Fury brought some fire in the third period.

Zoie Steig earned her second hat

trick of the season with two assists from Haley Knauf and Dani Heitsman earning a playmaker. The Fury held onto their lead and defeated Appleton 4-3. McKaylie Buescher was strong in net with 27 saves.

The Fury have an impressive season record of 19-3-2 including 12 shutouts as they head into Sectional playoffs as #1 seed for Section 3. Their first game will be Friday, February 16 at 7:00 pm at Janesville Ice Arena vs. Badger Lightning.

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(Right) Anika Einbeck, Alyssa Knauf and Haley Knauf crash the net on a scoring attempt.



(Below) Zoie Steig celebrates a goal off the assist from Haley Knauf.



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Albany Schools 2nd quarter Honor Roll

High School

12th Grade High Honors

- Hailey Stefanik *
- Kassi Heins *
- Emma Guenther *
- Haley Freitag *
- Lillyann Baertschi *
- Samantha Detra *
- Kyli Wilke
- Brook Kahler
- Paige Blumer
- Hunter Overland
- Madeline Halverson
- Harmon Garvoille
- Logun Parker
- Hunter Gough

Honors

- Garrett Hlavachek
- Jacey Lyons
- Ainsley Krueger
- Jeb Beck
- Radhika Flannery
- Kaleigh Krueger
- Alana O'Bel

11th Grade High Honors

- Kirsten Oliver *
- Payton Zurfluh *
- Sydney Bloedel *
- Kaitlyn Trow
- Brittney Vine
- Evan Blumer
- Jessica Short
- Sydney Mortaloni
- Madison Peters
- Josh Dahl
- Libby Beck
- Megan Anderson
- Benjamin Lent

11th Grade Honors

- Jamison Stauffacher
- Jasmine Marcellus
- Jacob Flood
- 10th Grade High Honors
- Haley Mueller

- Ivy Horn
- Nathaniel Ross
- Brandon Janes
- Haley Knauf
- Kristin O'Bel
- McKenna Overland
- Kaleigh Dallman

Honors

- Thomas Fry
- ShayLee Levin
- Anna Laughlin
- Averey Marean

9th Grade High Honors

- Lily Larson
- Lily Brewer
- Olivia Roth
- Kaitlyn Dunphy
- Alyssa Knauf
- Cortney Moore
- Jada Flannery
- Kloe Huffman-Heins
- Hailey Seavert
- Megan Peters

Honors

- Cecilia Larson
- Marques Flood
- Jared Brewer
- Elizabeth Graves
- Justin Eastwood
- Madysen Conway

Albany Community Middle School

8th Grade High Honors

- Kaiya Zurfluh *
- Rhylie Gough*
- Caden Maire
- Brianna Dahl
- Payton Wachholz
- Whitney Clason
- Sierra Groebner
- Alex Schliem
- Emileigh Dallman

Honors

- Shaianna Parker

- Brett Marean
- Andrew Gertsch
- Jillian Lent
- Nathan Garvoille
- Chad Karolczak
- Payton Firth
- Chase French

7th Grade High Honors

- Linsey Mueller
- McKenzie Briggs
- Peyton Pendergrass
- McKenna Broughton
- Gage Roth
- Branden Ruthe

Honors

- Gracie Freitag
- Elizabeth Halverson
- David Laughlin
- Hunter Karch
- Kyle Cooke
- Abigail Hennessey
- Max Steinfeldt

6th Grade High Honors

- Ava Ahnen
- Brayden Bakken
- Alana Durtschi
- Allison Rhyner
- Andrew Sertle
- Rhylin Brewer
- Maiya O'Bel
- Hannah Garvoille
- Carson Brewer
- Avary Briggs
- Delani Blakely
- Myah Johnson
- Joseph Flood
- Jayden Anderson
- Jeb Letcher
- Jayden O'Bel

Honors

- Daniel Finley
- Rachel Wildt
- Aiden Brewer
- Omega Wildt

Albany Comet News

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14

- *Early Release for students 2:29 p.m.
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.
- Adult Open Gym 7 to 9 p.m.

THURSDAY, FEB. 15

- *Freshman girls bake sale 6 to 9 p.m.
- *HS Girls basketball at Juda 6 p.m.

FRIDAY FEB. 16

- *MS Wrestling at Clinton Invitational (Clinton HS) 4:30 p.m.
- *HS Boys Basketball Home v. Pecatonica *Parents Night* 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEB. 17

- *WSMA Solo and Ensemble 7 p.m.

SUNDAY, FEB. 18

- *H.S. Softball Open Gym 1 to 3 p.m.

MONDAY, FEB. 19

- FFA Week
- *HS Boys Basketball Home v. Madison Country Day *Senior Night* 7 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEB. 20

- FFA Week
- *MS Wrestling H Tri Meet v. Edgerton and Parkview 4 p.m.

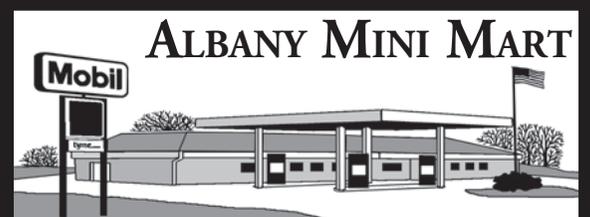
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- *Early Release for students 2:29 p.m.
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- Adult Open Gym 7 to 9 p.m.

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Sheaffer crowned spelling champ of Juda

By Ryan Broege
EDITOR

Ruby Sheaffer, Champion, and Kyle Ellefson-Jones, runner-up, took a few moments to answer questions for the Brodhead Independent-Register about their spelling mastery.

First-place speller Ruby Sheaffer said she did not exactly study or prepare for the spelling bee, but "I read a lot, so I know how to spell a lot of words."

Despite her heavy reading habits, she had never come across the word "vitiate," and neither had her parents. Sheaffer ended her run at the bee on the word. The word means "to spoil or impair the legal validity of something." As in, "Not even exiting on the word itself could vitiate the legitimacy of Ruby's spelling bee victory."

Some of Sheaffer's favorite books include "Hawk's Hill," "All the Light We Cannot See," "The Return of Hawk's Hill," and "We are all Made of Molecules."

Kyle Ellefson-Jones was runner-up, and said he also did not study for the bee, despite his impressive showing. Ellefson-Jones was not sure what word he found toughest, just that he had heard it before. His favorite books are the "BONES" series.



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Juda 2018 Spelling Bee winner Ruby Shafferr, left, and runner-up Kyle Ellefson-Jones, right.

Open Enrollment has started at Brodhead School District

By Lenny Lueck
BRODHEAD SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT

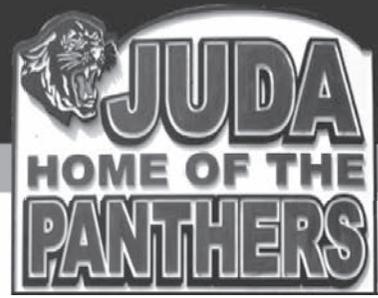
Another season of School Open Enrollment started February 5th. This State-wide option allows parents/guardians to enroll students in school districts other than the one they reside in. Brodhead has seen a mix of results with this option. Last year there were more students open enrolled out of the District than in. The two previous years saw more students coming in to the District. There are a multitude of reasons why parents choose this option including virtual schools and parent day care options. When residents make this choice, they take over \$7,000 of revenue with them to the non-resident district.

The Brodhead School District is hoping to attract new students, but our main goal is to keep our own resident students in Brodhead. The District will be mailing fliers to residents that have chosen to open enroll out of the District in hopes of getting them back. There are numerous reasons to choose the Brodhead School District. As a District, we rated as "Exceeds Expectations" on the latest State Report Card. Our graduation rate averages around 97% every year and the attendance rate is approximately 94%. The majority of our classes have less than 20 students, with a District average of 15 students per teacher.

Technology has been a major focus for the last several years with substantial increases to this budget. A complete switch from copper wire connections to fiber was completed last year. The District has added numerous Chromebooks, iPads, laptops, and desk computers. Thanks to a donation from the Brodhead Area Foundation and additional State aid, a new 1:1 program will be starting at the High School next year. The entire District now has wireless capabilities and has enhanced the infrastructure to handle this type of Technology.

Our District has made a commitment to community service as well. Our District understands that there is more involved with educating a student than just scoring high on tests. We prepare our students to be successful citizens that care about others. Our students and student organizations spend countless hours serving community groups and participating in programs that stress the importance of helping others.

There are countless other reasons to attend school in Brodhead. We have an excellent Staff that is committed to serving our students and community. Brodhead has a variety of programs to meet the needs of all of our students, no matter what kind of issues may be involved. Please call, email, or stop in for more information regarding our schools. We truly believe in our motto, "Learning Today for a Better Tomorrow" and would love to share our story with you.



Panthers on the Prowl

Written by Nickole Becker, Dakota Davis, Trent Davis, Victoria Euclide-Petig, Almanzo Friedly, Keagen Haffele, Jenna Jordan, Hailey Kammerer, Zoe Rathsack, Mariah Riese, Sharlene Swedlund, and Kyle Walters

ALL DRESSED UP

Go get All Dressed Up (for prom) with the Junior League of Madison. They will pair you with a personal shopper to help you find your dream dress and an accessory for free! This will take place on Saturday, March 3, from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Madison College. You can register online and find more information at ADU-madison.com. Online registration is required.

WRESTLING

The Brodhead-Juda Wrestling Team traveled to Jefferson on Saturday, February 3, for the Rock Valley Conference Tournament. Jayson Star placed fifth at the 126-pound weight class, Brian McCullough placed third at the 145-pound weight class, and Trent Davis placed second at the 220-pound weight class. Congratulations to the Juda wrestlers. The Wrestling Team also traveled to Belleville for the Regional Tournament on Saturday, February 10. Results from that tournament will be posted in next week's paper. Good luck at Sectionals, wrestlers.

BOYS' BASKETBALL

The boys played Blackhawk on Thursday night. The game was moved up to 6 p.m. due to snow. The score will be posted next week. The boys also played Belmont on Parents' night on February 12. The boys then played a home game on Tuesday against Platteville. Their next game is Friday at Barneveld at 7 p.m. The boys are 6-11 on the year and 4-5 in conference play.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

On Saturday, February 3, the girls beat Wayland Academy 48-19 at home. Lead scorers for this game were Erika Decker with 15 points, Hailey Kammerer with 12 points, and Maddie Roth and Hannah Powers each with 6 points. On February 6, the girls beat Pecatonica 57-19 at Peca-

tonica. The lead scorers for this game were Montanna Steinman with 19 points, Maddie Roth with 12 points, and Karlee Kessler with 6 points. The girls play Albany at home on February 15. The girls have the first round of regionals starting February 20. Good luck to the girls as they finish out their season.

SPANISH CLUB

Yesterday, the Spanish Club worked concessions. They also held a bake sale for Valentine's Day. At the game they sold color-coordinated carnations: white/peach - You're a good friend, pink - I like you, red - I love you. The sayings are in English and Spanish and will be sold in Mrs. Williams' room the rest of the week.

MATH DEPARTMENT

The Pre-Calculus class is learning how to plan for retirement using exponential growth. Mr. Anderson said they're learning how to better prepare for their future and how to save money for when they grow old and want to retire. They're also learning how the earlier they retire, the more money they have to have saved for retirement, and at what rate the amount they have to have saved increases.

STEAM

The groups have continued running tests on their vehicles. The teams have to make a team name, a logo, and a video on why their robot is the best. The structures for the contest have been constructed, and the contest has been changed from February to March.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Reminder to all Solo and Ensemble participants that Solo and Ensemble is on Saturday, February 17. The bus leaves at 7 a.m. for those who are riding it to Argyle. Good luck to all who are participating.

ART DEPARTMENT

Last week the kindergarteners had a super fun art day, and the first graders

made romero britto hearts. The second graders also had a super fun art day, and the third graders worked on paper macheing. The fourth graders created monsters, and the fifth graders made glue mandalas. The sixth graders learned about calligraphy, and the Odyssey of the Mind teams had work days. The high schoolers continued working on their furniture projects. The furniture auction will run from March 1-23.

FFA

Rachel McCullough and Jacob Mahlkuch will be participating in the Sectional Leadership Development Events, better known as the Speaking Contest. Rachel will be competing in Job Interview, and Jacob will be competing in Discussion Meet. The Competition will be held in Oregon. The FFA would like to wish them the best of luck! There are FFA apparel order forms in Mr. Johnson's room.

FFA SPRING FRUIT AND MEAT SALE

The FFA Spring Fruit and Meat sale is now underway. The FFA asks that all members looking to participate in the sale pick up an order form from Mr. Johnson's room. Also, anyone who would like to order fruit can contact the school district's office and place an order.

ELEMENTARY PRESENTATIONS

The elementary attended a presentation that was held in the gym at Juda school. This presentation was by Ryan Haack, and it was sponsored by Tyler's Team Foundation. The students learned all about being different and how it is okay to be different. Thank you to Tyler's Team and Ryan Haack for making this happen. The Kindergarten and 1st grade also attended another presentation in Monroe. This one was all about the book Dragons Love Tacos. This is a very popular children's book. They enjoyed this

presentation very much.

NHS/STUDENT COUNCIL

The National Honors Society will be partnering with Student Council to put on a teen night on Saturday, February 17, from 7 to 11 p.m. There will be a dance, activities, concessions, and a volleyball tournament that is open to all high school students. The cost for admission is \$3 for the dance and activities. Participation in the volleyball tournament is an additional \$5 for a team of 4 players. Concessions will be open from 9 to 10 p.m. If your team is interested in signing up for the tournament, please see Hailey Kammerer or Trent Davis for more information. We hope to see you there.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

On January 30, Mrs. Elmer attended a conference entitled High-Functioning Autism: Proven and Practical Interventions for Challenging Behaviors in Children, Adolescents, and Young Adults. The presenter, Gregory Mancil, Ph.D., explained treatments for co-occurring deficits such as social skills, sensory, depression, ADHD, communications, anxiety, meltdowns, OCD, and others.

LUNCH

Thursday, February 15, breakfast will be breakfast bar; lunch will be Juda special, cinnamon rolls, carrots, and pears. Friday, February 16, breakfast will be long johns; lunch will be french toast, sausage links, baked beans, and applesauce. Monday, February 19, breakfast will be muffins; lunch will be quesadillas, corn, and mixed fruit. Tuesday, February 20, breakfast will be pancake wraps; lunch will be tacos, soft or hard shell, corn, carrots, and applesauce. Wednesday, February 21, breakfast will be toast and sausage; lunch will be chicken strips, fish sticks, au gratin potatoes, mandarin oranges, and fresh bread.

Parkview's conference title hopes dashed by Deerfield

By Derek Hoesly
CORRESPONDENT

Facing a must win to keep their conference title hopes alive, the Parkview Vikings (11-7 overall, 5-4 Trailways South) dropped a 68-56 Trailways South decision to first-place Deerfield (15-4 overall, 8-1 Trailways South) last Thursday.

"That really hurt us because with Palmyra-Eagle only having one loss and Deerfield only having one loss we had to win tonight. We had to win out to even be second," head coach Mike Striegl said.

The Demons jumped out to a 14-3 lead five minutes in. Noah Gjermo scored on a putback and drilled a mid-range jumper during the early blitz. Nate Siewert converted a transition lay-in off an assist by Carson Knapp. Deerfield snatched sever-

al weak-side offensive rebounds throughout the contest.

"We had three guys in there, but nobody was boxing out. They were letting a guy come over the top, and they got the height on us," Striegl said.

The Vikings stormed back with a 13-4 run to slice the deficit to 18-16 midway through the half. Parkview connected on three three-pointers to fuel the run. Junior Eli Hoscheit buried a trey and junior Justin Balch drilled two threes.

"We just finally started running our offense. We also got a little tougher on defense and started reacting to what they were doing against our defense," Striegl said. "We just kind of got our heads in the game. It took us a little while."

Gjermo exploded baseline for

a bucket at the rim and Tyler Haak found the bottom of the net on a right wing three to put Deerfield up 29-23. Gjermo had a game-high 30 points.

The Vikings played behind Gjermo in the first half and tried to front him in the second half, but neither strategy worked. The Demons took a 31-24 halftime lead.

"Once Gjermo got the ball he's so athletic and can really jump. That eight to 10 foot range he was just wicked. He killed us," Striegl said.

Junior Aydon Campbell used a crossover dribble to blow by his defender and finished at the rim early in the half. Balch continued his scorching shooting with a trey and senior Riley Carroll buried a tough floater to cut the deficit to 39-38. The opening eight minutes was a seesaw affair.

With the score even at 44 and

10:38 on the clock, the Demons went on a game-changing 11-0 run. Gjermo did major damage connecting on a fast break pull-up jumper in the lane. Gjermo also knocked down two hard to defend turnaround shots on the block.

"We got overextended. We let them go baseline a few times. We started fouling and they put in some free throws. They were hitting their shots and we weren't," Striegl said.

The closest Parkview would get over the final five minutes was 61-53.

Hoscheit knocked down three free throws and Campbell finished down low. The Demons relentless defensive pressure limited the number of Vikings uncontested threes. Parkview cooled down from the perimeter in the second half.

"Unfortunately we're living or dy-

ing by that three. We got some really good three-point shooters, but with that pressure defense we weren't getting uncontested threes," Striegl said. "I have to give them credit, the intensity level on defense was phenomenal and that's what won that game for them."

Deerfield responded with a 7-0 run to go up 68-53. The Demons buried five free throws in the final minute of regulation to seal the win. The intimidator Siewert had seven blocks, and was a key factor in the win.

Balch paced the Vikings' offensive attack with 23 points. Hoscheit contributed 11 points and Campbell chipped in 10 points.

"Balch can be explosive like that. He's looking to score more this year he's done a good job with that" Striegl said.

Pastor's Corner

Joy in the Upside Down

BY REV. ANDY TWITON

Perhaps if you're like me you've been drawn into the popular Netflix show Stranger Things. It can be suspenseful at times, but I love the characters at the center of the story. (I got into my trouble for recommending it to my spouse who doesn't like scary shows. I described it as "other-worldly," which made her think it was going to be like Narnia or Lord of the Rings. But it's more like Stephen King than J.R.R. Tolkien.)

I don't think it's giving too much away (consider this your spoiler alert!) to say the young characters in the series encounter an alternate dimension called the Upside Down. The Upside Down is like a mirror version of our world. It shares the same locations and infrastructure of this world, but is full of decay, darkness, and monsters.

In a recent episode, one of the characters who has been to and returned from the Upside Down starts to have apparent flashbacks. He likens his flashback experiences as being similar to being stuck between frames of a View-Master. (If you lived in the 1980s or 90s, perhaps you remember those orange View-Masters that would allow

you to click through tiny pictures.) In one frame, he sees our world. In the other frame, he sees the Upside Down. It's like he's stuck between these two frames.

Strangely, this in-betweenness reminds me of what it's like to be a Christian. There's an in-betweenness in the life of faith that is hard to describe.

The Bible speaks of the in-betweenness of the Christian life in a few different ways. The Apostle Paul in 1 Corinthians 10:11 refers to Christians as those "on whom the end of the ages has come" (NRSV). One age is ending, another is beginning, and Christians live where the two overlap. Pastor Mary Albing, a mentor of mine, put the same idea in spatial terms: Christians live with one foot on earth and another in heaven. It's like we are stuck between two frames: in one frame is a weary world and in the other is a new creation.

Birth metaphors are also used to describe this in-betweenness for individuals, communities, and all of creation. In Romans 8:22-23, Paul writes, "We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labor pains until now; not only creation but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies." We are

living in the in-between time of labor before a new birth.

We are also called ambassadors for Christ (2 Corinthians 5:20) – who experience the in-betweenness of being a representative of a distant land. Like the characters in Stranger Things, Christians enter the world as representatives of a different reality, an alternate dimension.

Faith, in many ways, is about having a new vision of reality. It's as if we live the Upside Down, but we've been given a vision of the Right-Side Up in Jesus Christ and his Kingdom. We catch that Right-Side Up Kingdom in glimpses now, but we anticipate it coming someday in its fullness.

C.S. Lewis – the author of the Narnia books and several works about the Christian faith – loved to talk about joy and often compared life with God to playing and dancing. Some people criticized him for comparing something so serious to something as frivolous as dancing, but in his book Letters to Malcolm he responded. He defended himself: "Dance and games are frivolous, unimportant down here; for 'down here' is not their natural place. Here, they are a moment's rest from the life we were placed here to live. But in this world everything is upside-down."

And he concluded: "Joy is the serious business of heaven."

My point is this: faith allows us to find joy even in the Upside Down. Because we are given this new vision, we are given the courage to stay human in the face of inhumanity; we are given the courage to face monsters without becoming monsters ourselves. We come to see the world as upside-down

even as we cling to our vision of the Right-side Up: a place where foolishness is wisdom, weakness is strength, death is life, and crucifixion is victory (see 1 Corinthians 1:18-31). And with Lewis, we might add: frivolity is serious business.

May God give you courage and joy! And may God turn our world right-side up!

Albany Police Report

Jan. 11

Cited for Disorderly Conduct was Elizabeth A. M. Broshous, 22, of Albany, Wis.

Cited for Disorderly Conduct was Susan K. Fiorucci, 54, of Albany, Wis.

A juvenile was referred for Disorderly Conduct.

Jan. 15

A juvenile was referred for Disorderly Conduct.

Jan. 18

A juvenile was referred for Truancy.

Jan. 20

A juvenile was referred for Disorderly Conduct.

Jan. 22

A juvenile was referred for Disorderly Conduct.

Jan. 23

Cited for Operation After Revocation was Jeremy A. Moore, 35, of Janesville, Wis.

Cited for Operating a Motor Ve-

hicle without Insurance was Nicholas W. L. Nyman, 23, of Brodhead, Wis.

Jan. 30

Cited for Operation After Suspension was Shawn R. Lounsbury, 24, of Albany, Wis.

Jan. 31

Cited for Liability Insurance Required was Derrick P. Nipple, 29, of Belleville, Wis.

A juvenile was referred for Disorderly Conduct.

Cited for Operation After Suspension was Shawn R. Lounsbury, 24, of Albany, Wis.

Feb. 3

Cited for Non-Registration of a Vehicle and Liability Insurance Required was Lester R. Wise, 56, of Albany, Wis.

Cited for Open Burning within 25 feet of a Structure was Jeff A. Calkins, 52, of Albany, Wis.

A juvenile was referred for Disorderly Conduct.

Free tax software available now through Free File

The tax filing season officially opened Jan. 29, and taxpayers starting today can prepare and e-file their taxes for free with IRS Free File software. Free File software will automatically submit returns as soon as the filing season begins.

A dozen brand-name Free File partners, acting through the Free File Alliance, offer their software free to eligible taxpayers. Each partner sets its own criteria, but any taxpayer earning \$66,000 or less will find one or more software products available. Some providers offer both free federal and free state tax preparation, a seamless way to file taxes.

Active duty military personnel with incomes of \$66,000 or less may use any Free File software product of their choice without regard to the criteria.

Use the Free File Software Lookup Tool to find free federal and free state return options that match your situation.

Taxpayers now may use their smart phones or tablets to electronically prepare and file their federal and state tax returns through IRS Free File. Taxpayers may access the products using mobile devices in two ways: (1) Use the IRS2Go app, which has a link to the Free File Software Lookup Tool, or (2) use the device's browser to go to www.irs.gov/freefile. The IRS2Go app is available for Android and iOS devices.

The Internal Revenue Service and Free File Alliance mark their 16th year of providing free tax preparation products to taxpayers.

In those 16 years, taxpayers have filed 51.1 million free federal tax returns. This means a savings of \$1.5 billion to taxpayers, using a conservative \$30 per return preparation fee.

For taxpayers who earned more than \$66,000, there are Free File Fillable Forms, which will be available Jan. 29.

Free File Fillable Forms, provided by the Free File Alliance, is best for those taxpayers experienced in preparing returns by hand and with limited assistance.

The IRS urges taxpayers to prepare and file their returns only when they have all the tax documents they need to support their claims on income, credits and deductions. Taxpayers who use a final pay stub instead of a Form W-2 could end up with errors on their returns.

Although taxpayers may complete and file their taxes now through Free File, the returns will not be submitted to the IRS for processing until Jan. 29. The fastest way to get a refund remains e-file and direct deposit. The IRS issues most refunds in less than 21 days, although some require additional time.

The IRS reminds taxpayers that if their refund includes the Earned Income Tax Credit or the Additional Child Tax Credit, the agency by law must hold that refund until mid-February.

News from Parkview High School

Viking Times

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14

- HS Spirit Squad 3:30 to 5:15 p.m.
- Curriculum Committee meeting 3:30 p.m.
- PTO meeting 6 p.m.

THURSDAY, FEB. 15

- 5th grade trip to Milwaukee 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
- HS Spirit Squad 3:30 to 5:15 p.m.
- Girls basketball 8th game 4 p.m.
- Girls basketball 7th game 4 p.m.
- Zumba 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
- JV basketball girls game 6 p.m.
- Community 6 to 8 p.m.
- Varsity basketball girls game 7:15 p.m.

FRIDAY FEB. 16

- Wrestling MS Invitational 4:30 to 9 p.m.
- JV basketball boys game 6 p.m.
- JV 2 basketball boys game 6 p.m. Varsity basketball Boys Varsity game 7:15 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEB. 17

- Wrestling Varsity WIAA Sectional
- Community noon to 2 p.m.
- High School 7 to 10 p.m.

SUNDAY, FEB. 18

- No events scheduled
- #### MONDAY, FEB. 19
- Zumba 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.
 - JV basketball Boys game 6 p.m.
 - JV 2 basketball Boys game 6 p.m.
 - Show Choir 6 to 8 p.m.
 - Board Meeting 6:30 p.m.
 - Varsity basketball Boys game 7:15 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEB. 20

- Varsity basketball Girls WIAA Regional
- Wrestling MS Triangular 4 p.m.
- Community 6 to 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 21

- HS Spirit Squad 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.
- Zumba 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

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Visit <http://z.umn.edu/transitionmodule> to learn more

Humane Society collecting funds to rescue gunshot victim Rottweiler, 'Hoss'



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Hoss is a Rottweiler puppy undergoing surgery for a bullet wound. The Green County Humane Society is collecting funds to help pay for the surgery.

By Laci Westgard
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS,
GREEN COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY

We love dogs and cats at Green County Humane Society, but every so often a special animal captures the hearts of all the staff. These animals usually require some special care and often spend more time at the shelter getting healthy.

Hoss is one of the coolest dogs we've had come through our doors. He's a young Rottweiler, around 1-2 years old, and he's all puppy. Nothing seems to bother him, not even a gunshot injury to his leg.

In September, he made his way to a kill shelter down south as a stray. That shelter was able to do surgery to remove the bullet, but was unable to do the orthopedic surgery needed to repair a calcaneus fracture caused by the injury. This has left Hoss with a deformed leg and the inability of his Achilles tendon to properly function. Hoss has a noticeable limp and obvious pain, but he hasn't let it dampen his spirits. Hoss is 90 pounds of love and all he wants is to run and play!

When Hoss arrived at our shelter on a transfer, we took him to a specialist who recommended amputation. This is the least expensive option, for sure, but Hoss is a big guy and it would diminish his quality of life. After seeing a second specialist in an attempt to save his leg, Hoss is scheduled for surgery on Valentine's Day to repair his calcaneus with a



Hoss is a lovable little fella, as evidenced by this photo.

pin and return normal functioning to his leg. He'll always have a deformity, but he won't have pain.

GCHS has a Reserve Medical Fund for animals like Hoss, but his surgery is expensive due to the extent of the damage, and there isn't

enough in the fund.

If you'd like to help Hoss and animals like him, please donate using this link. https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd=_s-xclick&hosted_button_id=TSV93X4RWWJKJ

Brodhead FFA soliciting attendees to John Deere Tour Day

The Brodhead FFA is hosting the second annual John Deere Tour Day on Friday, Feb. 23. The purpose of this event is to expose students and community members to various agricultural careers, foster community relations between students and community members and celebrate FFA week (February 17-24).

This year, the group will be touring the John Deere Tractor & Engine Museum and the Tractor Cab Assembly Plant in Waterloo, Iowa.

Anyone over the age of 13 is welcome to sign up. The day trip will last roughly from 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. There is a transportation fee of \$15. If interested, please contact Brodhead FFA Advisor Lauren Metcalf by phone at 608-897-2155, ext. 141, or by e-mail at lmetcalf@brodhead.k12.wi.us.

Green County Master Gardeners present Parrfection Produce speaker

The Green County Master Gardeners will be holding their monthly meeting on Thursday, February 22nd, at 7:00pm at the Green County Justice Center, Multi-Purpose Rooms. Meetings usually include speakers or tours for learning and are open to the public to attend.

This month's meeting will feature David Parr, of Parrfection Produce, speaking on "Local Produce & Wholesale Markets". Parrfection Produce is a leading distributor of local produce throughout Wisconsin and the Upper Midwest. They currently service many grocers, hospitals, schools, restaurants, and distributors throughout the region. Discussions will include how they achieved their current business and their plans for the future.

Parrfection Produce was started by David Parr in 2009 as a result of his lifelong passion for quality local produce and family farms. His grandparents encouraged his interest in agriculture from an early age, giving him a miniature hoe and rake set and \$25 for seeds when he was 5. Because of

his enthusiasm and success at growing vegetables, he accidentally grew too many peas and radishes and they would go to waste. By the time he was 16, David found a better use for the extra vegetables – he started selling his produce at the local farmers' market in downtown Monroe. After the market closed each day, he would still have extra veggies. He began talking with local restaurants to see if they wanted to buy his available vegetables. The orders for produce increased quickly, so David began buying local fruits and vegetables from other growers. At 19, David launched Parrfection Produce. He bought an abandoned building in Albany, Wisconsin and set up a retail location selling locally grown fruits, vegetables, and flowers. The orders for local produce continued to increase and he started selling to hospitals, schools, universities, and grocery stores in Wisconsin, Illinois, and Iowa. Parrfection Produce continues to grow and provides both conventional and organic products. Most recently they are now supplying honey and maple syrup.

The Green County Wisconsin Master Gardeners Association was formed in Green County in 2004 to provide Master Gardeners with opportunities for professional development and community service. This past year members of the association volunteered 177 hours of community education and 1976 hours in community service projects in Green County. Master Gardener Volunteers also assist the UW-Extension Office in responding to horticulture questions.

The Green County Master Gardeners Association meets on the fourth Thursday of the month from February through October. Association officers for 2018 will include Rae Wellnitz, President; Tanna McKeon, Vice President; Kristi Leonard, Secretary; and Lynn Lokken as Treasurer. Anyone interested in horticulture and gardening is welcome to join the association and you do not have to be a Master Gardener to be a member. For more information on the UW-Extension Master Gardener program contact Jayne Butts, Green County UW-Extension at 608-328-9440.



Close To The Red Vest

By Tim Stocks, Candidate for Mayor
Issue 13 • February 13, 2018

Downtown

"When you're alone and life is making you lonely you can always go downtown." — Petula Clark

No statement of position for a mayoral candidate in Brodhead would be complete without addressing our downtown. Make no mistake; our downtown is our city's flagship. It's the welcome mat for visitors, entrepreneurs or other new industries and businesses. It also serves as the city's showplace and favorite spot for celebration with the various festivals, dances, car shows and the like.

Yes, we have a treasure in our downtown area, a treasure with great potential. Surveying the area I marvel at the beauty of the old buildings and puzzle at the vacant spaces. Those who built these structures surely had fewer funds than we have now, so how did they do it? What was their motivation? I think they had faith, faith and confidence in the future of Brodhead. The challenge for us all today is restoring, in ourselves, the faith and confidence of our Founders. It's the difference between thinking "It can't be done" as compared to "How can we do this"?

As your mayor I will call upon organizations like the Chamber of Commerce, the Business Improvement District, our Historic Preservation Committee, the Economic Development Committee, our banking community, tax exempt organizations, and most importantly our citizens to step up and work with me in "round table" discussions to develop revenue producing solutions to our downtown dilemma. Only a private sector/public sector partnership *investing* in our downtown will provide the results we desire: a vibrant, beautiful, populated downtown.

I ask you to please vote for me to serve as your next mayor and restore faith and confidence in Brodhead. Help support my campaign by sending your personal check to:

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Pet of the Week

Green Co. Humane Society

Finn is a 6-month-old, altered male Catahoula mix. This handsome young boy can't wait to find his forever home! Finn is a wonderful pup who loves to play and be outside exploring. He loves to have other dog friends to run and play with too. Stop by and meet this sweet pup and he'll be sure to melt your heart.

Material Needs For the Dogs

Hot dogs, canned dog food, Mounds Dog Power, rawhide retriever sticks, Kongs, Frisbees, tennis balls, peanut butter

For the Cats

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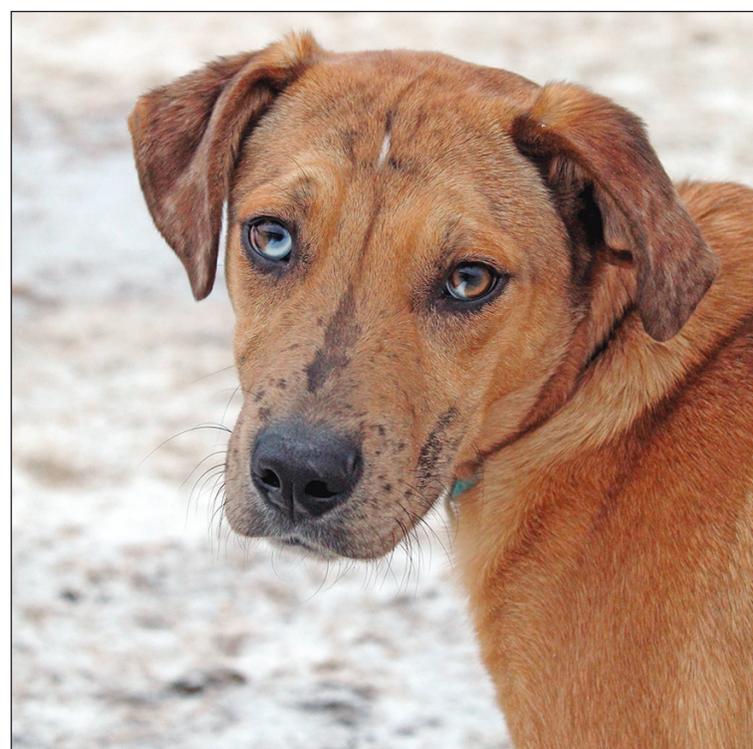
Misc. Supplies

Laundry detergent, Dawn Dish Soap, Clorox Bleach, paper towels, stamps, copy paper, hand sanitizer, hand soap

Aluminum Cans are a good source of income, too.

Thanks so much for donating from the above list.

Check our website at www.green-countyhumane.org for new arrivals of cats and dogs, adoption fees, and upcoming events, etc.



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Finn is patiently waiting for his forever home.

4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl team takes 4th at state competition

Members of the Green County 4-H Senior Dairy Quiz Bowl team recently took 4th place out of 11 teams at the state 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl Competition held on February 3 on the UW-Madison campus.

Team members included, from left to right, Natalie Roe (Washington Center), Marissa Vosberg (Young Americans), Emily Makos (Spring Grove Honest Workers) and Rachel McCullough (Juda Jolly Juniors).

Competition in 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl encourages a 4-H member to develop a more complete knowledge of dairy animals and related subjects. This contest provides an educational dairy program for all dairy project members, including those who may not own a dairy project animal, and provides a way to develop alertness and self-confidence.

Dairy Quiz Bowl is a "quiz bowl" competition where all questions deal with dairy topics. Teams of four members compete with each other in giving oral answers to questions posed by a moderator. Teams receive points for correct answers and may lose points for incorrect answers. The team with the highest final score is the winner.

For more information about Green County 4-H or Dairy Quiz Bowl, please contact Ellen Andrews, 4-H Youth Development Educator, at 608-328-9440 or ellen.andrews@ces.uwex.edu.

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(Right) The Green County Dairy Quiz Bowl team performed well at state, taking fourth place.



Sugar River Farmers sending bus to cover crop conference

The Wisconsin Cover Crop Conference is being held in Stevens Point on Tuesday, February 27, 2018. The conference features Barry Fisher as the keynote speaker. Fisher is the Indiana State Soil Health Specialist and has worked for the Natural Resources Conservation Service for over 30 years. The conference has sessions planned for all farmers using or planning to use cover crops.

Attendees will choose from sessions using cover crops in grain or livestock systems; no till planter set up or risk management and soil health economics; and cover crop basics or advanced cover cropping- seeding into standing crops and

covers. The conference finishes with cover crop dos and don'ts and a farmer roundtable discussion.

Farmers of the Sugar River is a newly formed producer-led watershed group that includes land that flows to the Middle and Lower Sugar River from southern Dane, western Rock and eastern Green Counties.

Goals for the group are to show the profitability of conservation practices like no till and cover crops, increase adoption and encourage more innovative conservation practices and to enhance public awareness of the efforts farmers are implementing on their land. By improving soil health in the

watershed, the water quality will improve. Planting cover crops is one of the tools that farmers have to protect their soil from erosion.

The group has chartered a bus to the Cover Crop Conference on Feb. 27. The bus will leave the Albany Lions Club at 6AM the morning of the conference. Interested individuals can register and pay the \$40 fee for the conference online at <https://fyi.uwex.edu/covercrop/conference/> Contact Tonya Gratz at the Green County Land and Water Conservation Department 608-325-4195 ext 121 or by email at Tonya.Gratz@wi.nacdn.net to sign up to ride the bus.

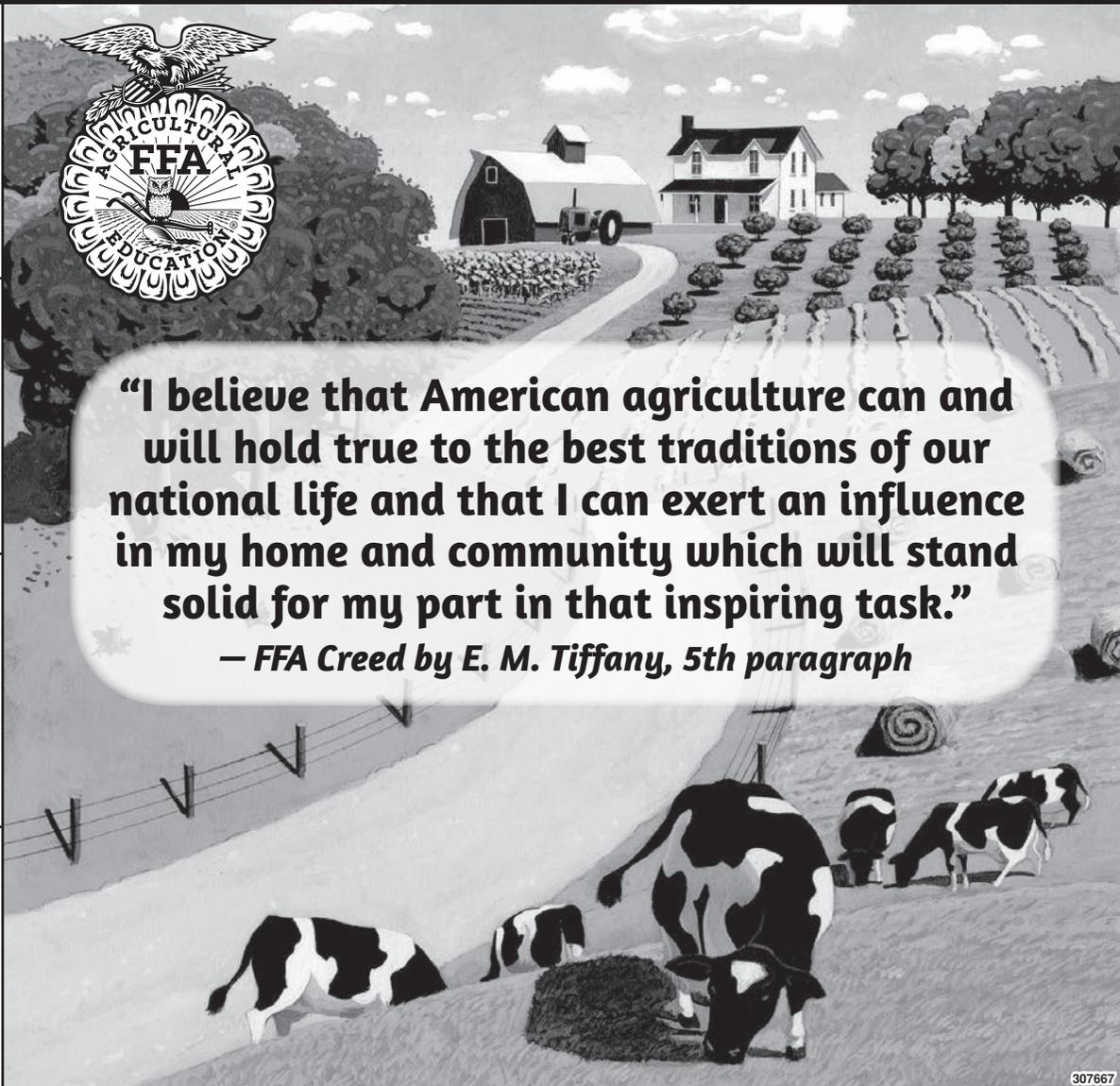
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Wisconsin featured in the movies

We're no Hollywood, but Wisconsin has made an appearance in many noteworthy movies. From being set in Wisconsin to just having a small mention, several Tinseltown flicks have put Wisconsin on the map. Here are just a few

"Titanic"

As films go, it doesn't get much bigger than this Hollywood blockbuster. Leonardo DiCaprio's character, Jack Dawson, hails from Chippewa Falls and recalls ice fishing back home on Lake Wissota. Lake Wissota, however, is a man-made lake that wasn't filled until 1917...five years after the Titanic sank. We're still thankful for the mention, though.

"Bridesmaids"

Much of this movie was filmed in downtown Milwaukee, where Kristen Wiig's character resides, including Annie's apartment on South Kinnickinnic Avenue, the jewelry store on W. Mitchell Street, and the bar on West Cameron Avenue.

"Amityville Horror"

While the actual Amityville Horror

house can be found in New York, the home used in this 2005 remake is on Silver Lake Rd. in Salem, Wis. The Wohlford estate dates back four generations to 1910, and was fitted with a \$60,000 fake façade for the movie. The home recently sold for \$1 million.

"The Blues Brothers"

This 1980 classic was filmed mostly around Chicago, but one particular scene (you know, the one where the car hangs off the bridge?) was filmed on the Daniel Hoan Memorial Bridge in Milwaukee.

"Major League"

Though the film follows the Cleveland Indians, all of the stadium scenes were shot at County Stadium in Milwaukee, and with no Milwaukee baseball scene complete without him, Bob Uecker played the Indians' broadcaster. Several outdoor scenes were shot in Milwaukee's Third Ward, and some interior shots were filmed at a home on the corner of Kilbourn and Cass.

"Anchorman"

None of Anchorman was filmed in Wisconsin, but a pretty iconic line

came from the movie. "Baxter, is that you? Baxter! Bark twice if you're in Milwaukee." Again, we'll take any mention we can get.

"Love Actually"

Can't you just hear "Wisconsin" in Colin's excited British accent? While none of the filming takes place in the U.S, let alone in Wisconsin, we do make quite the cameo. In the film, Colin flies into "Milwaukee International Airport" and then heads to a "typical Wisconsin bar". I guess we are just classic Americana.

"That Thing You Do!"

The musical film starring Tom Hanks follows a Pennsylvania rock band as their stardom grows. They're in the midst of touring state fairs across the Midwest, and when in Wisconsin, the band is mobbed by fans. As girls climb onto their car, one of the band members states, "I like Wisconsin." Us too, kid. Us too.

"Tommy Boy"

Chris Farley's character must know Milwaukee pretty well, as he's on the seven-year plan at Marquette University. His lack of leadership skills when taking over the family business is not indicative, however, of Marquette's quality of education in real life. Disclaimer.

"Wayne's World"

In the famous exchange between Wayne and Alice Cooper, we learn that Milwaukee is Algonquin for

"the good land." Who knew Wayne's World was ... educational?

"The Prince and Me"

Fairly certain every girl in Wisconsin dreamed of marrying a prince after seeing this movie. Julia Styles' character is a student at UW-Madison and unknowingly winds up dating a Danish prince who also attends UW (but under a different name). She even takes him back to her hometown of Manitowoc for Thanksgiving. Though, the green grass and leafy trees tells me it wasn't actually filmed in Wisconsin in November.

"Public Enemies"

Did you know that real-life gangsters often fled to Wisconsin during the prohibition era? John Dillinger had a shootout with the FBI in Manitowish Waters (where, at Little Bohemia Lodge, you can still find bullet holes and items left behind). Scenes were filmed in Milwaukee, Madison, Manitowish Waters, Oshkosh, Beaver Dam, Columbus and Darlington.

"The American President"

Though no presidents have yet hailed from Wisconsin, one of the more famous movie-presidents has. Michael Douglas' character is a former Wisconsin Governor who previously taught history at the University of Wisconsin and is a big Green Bay Packers fan.

"Up in the Air"

In a film that focuses on travel

and, well, constantly being up in the air, we learn that George Clooney's character grew up in a town near Waupaca. He returns for his sister's wedding and, like many Wisconsin-ites who leave their small town, realizes the value of growing up in such a place.

"Cheaper by the Dozen II"

Okay, this movie might not be the talk of the town, and it hasn't won tons of awards, but it's Wisconsin in a nutshell. Steve Martin and Bonnie Hunt's characters have 12 children and, in an effort to bring their family together for a memorable vacation, they bring them to Lake Winnetka, Wisconsin. And I think a fun-filled, memorable weekend on a Wisconsin lake is something we can all relate to.

Wisconsin may not be known for film sets, movie stars and all things glamorous, but that doesn't mean we can't make the occasional appearance on the big screen. Have any movies to add to this list? Let us know on social media using #discoverwisconsin!

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Green County Library Board seeks Trustees

The Green County Library Board seeks citizens interested in serving as Trustees. Trustees collaboratively protect and advance library services in the County through governance of the county library budget, promote literacy and lifelong learning, and advocate for current and future library services. Interested citizens are committed to library services; able to attend regularly scheduled meetings; and willing to become familiar with Wisconsin library law, standards, principles, and practices. Commitment to freedom of expression and inquiry for all people is essential.

Libraries serving Green County are located in Albany, Belleville, Brodhead, Monroe, Monticello, and New Glarus. The Green County Library Board meets the fourth Monday of February, April, June, August, and

October at libraries throughout the County. Terms are for three years and individuals must be confirmed by the Green County Board of Supervisors. Interested individuals must be at least 18 years old and reside within Green County.

If you are interested in serving as a Green County Library Board Trustee, please email current Green County Library Board President, Gary Neuenschwander, at garyneuenschwander@gmail.com by Friday, Feb. 23, 2018.

Fiscal Facts: Key decisions on spring ballots this year

Although Wisconsin ranks among the top states in the nation for voter turnout in presidential races, the nonpartisan spring elections are typically low-turnout affairs. In part, this is due to the fact that many races are not contested.

This spring, however, voters will elect a new state Supreme Court justice to the first vacant seat in more than a decade. Voters in the February 20 primary will decide which two of three candidates – Madison attorney Tim Burns, Milwaukee County Circuit Court Judge Rebecca Dallet, or Sauk County Circuit Court Judge Michael Screnock – face each other in the April 3 general election. The April winner will serve a 10-year term on the high court.

Additionally, voters will also elect county boards in all 72 counties, plus county executives in three counties. Many cities, villages, towns, and school boards

also will have races on the ballot.

The biggest financial impact of this spring's elections may be felt by taxpayers in school districts where referenda to borrow money or exceed state-imposed revenue limits are on the ballot.

Thirty school districts are asking spring voters to approve borrowing a total of \$596.3 million. Twenty-six districts are seeking \$109.4 million in time-limited exemptions from state-imposed revenue caps, and seven districts are asking for \$6.3 million in ongoing exemptions from the caps. Voter approvals of referenda have risen from about 50% during 1995-2010 to roughly 75% in recent years.

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New Horizons 4-H shares activities

By Shannon Day
CO-REPORTER

Members of New Horizons 4-H Club have been busy this past month. There were school Christmas concerts. Families made Christmas cookies and spent

Christmas and New Year's eve together. Besides these activities, members were busy doing other things.

Chance Ace rang bells for the Salvation Army at Pick 'n Save. He went to Rock 'n Jump and had fun. He got to see the movie Ferdinand the Bull. He went to a party at the church. There was a party for his brother's 16th birthday. Chance has been having chiropractic visits to keep healthy. He does chores like keep his room clean, sweeps, and helps with animals.

Roxane Ace helps with dishes and the animals and uses the vacuum. She spends time with her "Big Sister." They went to Madison and saw African drummers and dancers.

Roxy went to a party at the church. She has been having visits with a chiropractor. She saw Ferdinand the Bull and went to Rock 'n Jump in Madison. She went to her brother's 16th birthday party. She saw the movie "The Black Stallion" with horse and pony project members.

Addyson Brauer rang bells for the Salvation Army at Pick 'n Save and Shopko.

She was involved with the cheerleading program for younger students at school and went to the closing party. She has started doing chores at home.

Jaydon Brauer spent time with his "Big Sister" Jody. He rang bells twice for the Salvation Army. It is fun when people give you the money to put in the red bucket. He has chores at home and helps when needed.

Maylee Brauer enjoyed ringing bells at Pick 'n Save and Shopko. She is busy with school and getting ready for solo and ensemble. She helps out a lot at home.

Royce Brauer has been going to Confirmation. He enjoys doing activities with his "Big Couple." His basketball season continues with practices and games.

He rang bells at Shopko for the Salvation Army. For his birthday, Royce got to go see Jeff Dunham in Madison. He applied for the 4-H Drama Company which appears at State Conference. He helps at home.

Shannon Day belongs to Girl Scouts. She has fun with their activities.

She does things with her "Big Sister" every week. They have fun. She walks the dog and spends time with him so they get used to each other. She is taking the dog project in 4-H. Shannon has playdates with friends and went to the party at church. She helps mom at home.

Ashlyn Hicks rang bells for the Salvation Army at Pick 'n Save. She had playdates with friends. She helps at home.

Jaena LeGault is milking cows morning and

night seven days a week. She does chores and works with her animals. She went hunting.

Justin Moore helps with household chores and helps take care of the animals. He had surgery and spent time watching movies with his grandma. He visits with his dad every weekend, works on a derby car, and helps there. His family had a party for his 16th birthday.

Jude Myers is new to 4-H. He plans to show his dog for the dog project. He is busy in school and helps out at home.

Josh Ommodt is involved with the church youth group. He enjoys their many activities. He has been involved in middle school basketball and helps at home.

Lillyanna Schmid rang bells at Shopko. She helps at home and baby sits her siblings when her mom is busy. She belongs to Girl Scouts and does their activities. She worked on STEAM projects and earned her steam and authority badges.

Roth previews election season, reviews county board business

By Erica Roth
COUNTY BOARD SUPERVISOR

Most residents of Green County are aware that there is an election the first Tuesday of April - April 3. But, there is also an election on Tuesday February 20. This is a primary election, and there is only one primary race on the ballot, Justice of the Supreme Court. Don't forget to vote! You can find your polling location and other pertinent information at the Green County website, www.co.green.wi.gov.

The County Board meeting on Tuesday February 13 will consider eight resolutions and one ordinance. The next county board meeting will be Tuesday March 13 at 7 p.m.

The County Board meetings are held in the County Board Room on the second floor of the Historic Courthouse on the square in Monroe. The meeting agenda is published and available to view about one week before the meeting on the county website, www.co.green.wi.gov.

The Green County Hydrogeologic Study has been completed and was presented to the Livestock Facility Study Group and the public on January 30, 2018. The presentation took place in the multipurpose rooms on the lower level of the Justice Center

in Monroe. It was well done, and the information gathered and assembled for this study will benefit the county in future planning and general knowledge. The Livestock Facility Study Group will be using the information to make recommendations to Green County, which will be presented to the Board sometime after the April elections. After the presentation was a time for questions from both the Study Group and the public.

There were quite a few county board supervisors in attendance, and the rest of the room was filled with Green County residents. I always appreciate the question/answer time after a presentation because it gives me a chance to have my questions

answered as well as getting to hear questions I didn't think of; there were some very good questions asked. If you were unable to attend, you can find the presentation and the maps that were made for this study on the UW-Extension site, under the agriculture heading at www.green.uwex.edu/livestock-facility-study.

I think it would be beneficial if we were able overlay all of the maps that were created for this study, so we could see at a glance, in one overlay map, all of the information for any area of Green County - Depth to Bedrock, Bedrock Geology, Groundwater Susceptibility, Groundwater Recharge, Water Table, etc. This information and the maps are the property of Green County. You may

access it through the county by contacting the Land and Water Conservation Department.

All of the upcoming committee meetings and agendas for those meetings are listed on the Green County website at www.co.green.wi.gov. All meetings are open to the public. Your Supervisor's contact information can be found on the website as well. Supervisors welcome

hearing from the residents of Green County, after all we represent you.

Especially for those in Green County represented by Sen. Erpenbach, please note State Senator Jon Erpenbach is holding a Community Listening Session at the New Glarus Village Hall, Community Meeting Room, on Saturday February 17 from 10:45 to 11:45 am. You are welcome to attend.

Playtime at Albertson Memorial Library

Albertson Memorial Library will provide space for a bi-monthly playtime for young children and their caregivers on the second and fourth Wednesday mornings of the month starting January 24.

Playtime provides an opportunity for children to socialize and use library books, games, and toys; caregivers can meet other caregivers and have a free place for children in their care to play in winter months.

Playtime would be an unstructured program on Wednesday mornings when storytime is not scheduled. The program will rely on parent volunteers to rotate responsibility for the play group.

This month, the program is available Feb. 14 and 28.

This is a drop-in program with no required registration.

DLMRA holding benefit Saturday at Little Maya

The Decatur Lake and Mill Race Association (DLMRA) will be hosting a Benefit and Social Event, and invites the public to attend. There will be social time, and at 12:00 will have a status update of the DLMRA projects, including the Decatur Lake Protection and Development Grant, the Sugar River Signage, and proposed Just-for-Fun Flotilla down the Mill Race. The action will begin at 12:30 p.m., with the 50-50 raffle drawing at 1:30 p.m. The event will be on Saturday, Feb. 17, at Little Maya Restaurant, 2107 First Center Ave., from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

There will be an enticing fajita buffet, chips and salsa, and soft drinks. A cash bar is also available. Ticket cost is \$15.

There is still time to woo your Valentine, and to meet with your friends and neighbors. For more information, call Keith at 608-774-1659 or by email at dlmra.org@gmail.com. Check out the website at dlmra.org and also our Facebook page.

NOTICE OF SPRING PRIMARY AND SAMPLE BALLOTS — FEBRUARY 20, 2018

OFFICE OF THE GREEN COUNTY CLERK TO THE VOTERS OF GREEN COUNTY:

Notice is hereby given of a spring primary election to be held in Green County on February 20, 2018, at which the officers named below shall be nominated. The names of the candidates for each office, whose nominations have been certified to this office, are given under the title of the office, each in its proper column, in the sample ballot below.

INFORMATION TO VOTERS

Upon entering the polling place, a voter shall state his or her name and address, show an acceptable form of photo identification and sign the poll book before being permitted to vote. If a voter is not registered to vote, a voter may register to vote at the polling place serving his or her residence, if the voter presents proof of residence in a form specified by law. Where ballots are distributed to electors, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot. Upon being permitted to vote, the voter shall retire alone to a voting booth and cast his or her ballot except that a voter who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the voter's minor child or minor ward. An election official may inform the voter of the proper manner for casting a vote, but the official may not in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

Where Optical Scan Voting is Used

The voter shall fill in the oval next to the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote, and fill in the oval next to the write-in line.

When using an electronic ballot marking device ("ImageCast Evolution-ICE") to mark an optical scan ballot, the voter shall touch the screen or use the keypad to select the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall type in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote.

The vote should not be cast in any other manner. Not more than five minutes' time shall be allowed inside a voting booth. Sample ballots or other materials to assist the voter in casting his or her vote may be taken into the booth and copied. The sample ballot shall not be shown to anyone so as to reveal how the ballot is marked.

If the voter spoils an optical scan ballot, he or she shall return it to an election official who

shall issue another ballot in its place, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one elector. If the ballot has not been initialed by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the voter shall return it to the election official, who shall issue a proper ballot in its place.

After Marking the Ballot

After an official optical scan ballot is marked, the voter shall insert the ballot in the voting device and shall leave the polling place promptly.

A voter may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the voter declares to the presiding official that he or she is unable to read, has difficulty reading, writing or understanding English or that due to disability is unable to cast his or her ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the voter's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the voter.

The following is a sample of the official ballot: (See Official Spring Primary Ballot)



Michael J. Doyle,
Green County Clerk

GREEN COUNTY POLLING PLACES

All polling places are accessible to elderly and disabled voters.

ALL POLLING PLACES WILL OPEN AT 7:00 a.m. AND WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 p.m.

TOWNSHIP	ADDRESS
Adams	Town Hall, N5705 Biggs Road, Argyle, WI 53504
Albany	Town Hall, N6065 County E, Albany, WI 53502
Brooklyn	Town Hall, 400 Main Street, Brooklyn, WI 53521
Cadiz	Town Hall, W8445 County B, Browntown, WI 53522
Clarno	Town Hall, W6126 County B, Monroe, WI 53566
Decatur	Town Hall, 1408 14 th Street, Brodhead, WI 53520
Exeter	Town Hall, W2998 Highway 92, Belleville, WI 53508

Jefferson	Juda Community Center, W2895 County KS, Juda, WI 53550
Jordan	Town Hall, W8495 Highway 81, Argyle, WI 53504
Monroe	Town Hall, N3302 Monroe Road, Monroe, WI 53566
Mt. Pleasant	Zwingli United Church of Christ, 416 E. Lake Avenue, Monticello, WI 53570
New Glarus	Town Hall, 26 5 th Avenue, New Glarus, WI 53574
Spring Grove	Town Hall, N2475 Highway GG, Brodhead, WI 53520
Sylvester	Town Hall, N4505 Highway 59, Albany, WI 53502
Washington	Town Hall, W6113 County C, Monticello, WI 53570
York	Town Hall, N8105 Postville Road, Blanchardville, WI 53516

VILLAGE	ADDRESS
Albany	Village Hall, 206 N. Water Street, Albany, WI 53502
Belleville	Village Hall, 24 W. Main Street, Belleville, WI 53508
Brooklyn	Village Hall, 102 N. Rutland Avenue, Brooklyn, WI 53521
Browntown	Village Hall, 110 S. Mill Street, Browntown, WI 53522
Monticello	Village Hall, 140 N. Main Street, Monticello, WI 53570
New Glarus	Village Hall, 319 2 nd Street, New Glarus, WI 53574
CITY	ADDRESS
Brodhead	City Hall, 1111 W. 2 nd Avenue, Brodhead, WI 53520
Monroe	Fire Station #1, 601 W 17 th Street, Monroe, WI 53566

ant to the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 19.84, the Election Inspectors at each polling place will convene as the Local Canvassing Board for the purpose of conducting the local canvass

pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 7.51. This meeting will be open to the public pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§ 19.81-89.

Ballot ID: 2523 City of Brodhead W1-6

Official Primary Ballot
Nonpartisan Office
February 20, 2018

Notice to voters: If you are voting on Election Day, your ballot must be initialed by two election inspectors. If you are voting absentee, your ballot must be initialed by the municipal clerk or deputy clerk. Your ballot may not be counted without initials. (See end of ballot for initials.)

Instructions

If you make a mistake on your ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help. (Absentee voters: Contact your municipal clerk.)

To vote for a name on the ballot, fill in the oval next to the name like this: ●

To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name on the line marked "write-in" and fill in the oval next to the name like this: ●

Judicial

Justice of the Supreme Court
Vote for 1

Rebecca Dallet

Michael Srenock

Tim Burns

write-in:

Official Primary Ballot
Nonpartisan Office
February 20, 2018
for
City of Brodhead W1-6
Green County

Ballot issued by _____

Initials of election inspectors _____

Absentee ballot issued by _____

Initials of municipal clerk or deputy clerk. (If issued by SVDs, both SVDs must initial.) _____

Certification of Voter Assistance
I certify that I marked or read aloud this ballot at the request and direction of a voter who is authorized under Wis. Stat. § 6.82 to receive assistance.

Signature of assistor _____

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Inspectors: Identify ballots required to be remade.

Reason for remarking ballot:

Overvoted

Damaged

Other

Original Ballot No. or Duplicate Ballot No. _____

Initials of inspectors who remade ballot _____

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Legal Notices

**STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
GREEN COUNTY**
IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF
ERIKA R. WENGEL
**Notice Setting Time to Hear
Application and Deadline for
Filing Claims
(Informal Administration)
Case No. 18-PR-10**
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

1. An application for informal administration was filed.
2. The decedent, with date of birth 7/10/1923 and date of death 1/03/2018 was domiciled in Green County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing address of N6619 English Settlement Rd., Albany, WI 53502.
3. The application will be heard at the Green County Justice Center, County Courthouse, 2841 6th St., Monroe, Wisconsin, before Gloria A. Baertschi, Probate Registrar, on 03-01-2018 at 8:30 A.M.
You do not need to appear unless you object.
The application may be granted if there is no objection.

4. The deadline for filing a claim against the decedent's estate is 05-07-2018.
5. A claim may be filed at the Green County Justice Center, County Courthouse, 2841 6th St., Monroe, Wisconsin.
6. This publication is notice to any persons whose names or address are unknown.
The names or addresses of the following interested persons (if any) are not known or reasonably ascertainable: Katherine Young and Elizabeth Wood.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 608-328-9433 at least 10 working days prior to the scheduled court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation.

GLORIA A. BAERTSCHI
Probate Registrar
01-29-2018
Attorney Walter Shannon
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24 E. Main St.,
Evansville, WI 53536
608-882-5944
Bar Number 1055751
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Advertisement for Bids
February 2018
For the Pleasant View Nursing Home Remodeling/Abatement Project

The Pleasant View Nursing Home and Community Living Solutions are accepting bids for the Skilled Nursing project. The project consists of hazardous material abatement necessary to facilitate a 10,600 gross square feet of remodeling project broken into two (2) areas. Contractor scope will include hazardous material abatement to facilitate remodeling work.

Plans and specifications for this project will be available starting February 14, 2018 from Environmental Management Consulting, Inc (EMC). There will be a Pre-Bid walk thru at the facility on Thursday, February 22, 2018 at 11:00 A.M. for contractors to review the existing building and conditions. Environmental Management Consulting is working with Pleasant View Nursing Home as their Hazardous Material Abatement Manager for this project. For further information contact EMC at 920-648-6343.

Bids will be accepted until 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at the Pleasant View Nursing Home, N3150 State Rd 81, Monroe, WI 53566, Attention: Terry Snow, 608-325-2171.

Pleasant View Nursing Home reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any technicality, and to accept any bid which is advantageous. Pleasant View Nursing Home is an equal opportunity employer.
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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF JUDA
Regular School Board Meeting
February 14, 2018, 7:00 pm

Juda School Learning Commons
N2385 Spring St.
The Juda School Building and Grounds Committee will have a meeting on Wednesday, February 14, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Learning Commons.

AGENDA
I. Call to Order by President Pfingsten
II. Roll Call: Dennis Pfingsten, Eric Makos, Pat Daniels, Joann Goecks, Tonya Whitney, Joanne Salzwedel, Stefanie Baum
III. Pledge of Allegiance
IV. Proof of Notice
V. Acceptance of Agenda
VI. Open Forum
VII. Consent Agenda - Consent agenda items will be approved in one motion; however, any Board member may ask that any individual item be acted on separately.

1. Approval of the minutes of the regular board meeting held on January 10, 2018 (Action)
2. Treasurer and Financial reports (Action)
3. Approval of Contracts: (Action)
4. Resignations (Action)
• Baseball coach
5. Donations (Action)
VIII. Reports
1. School Staff/Student Report
• Big Brothers/Big Sisters/Mentors
2. School Board President's Report
• Board Convention Review
3. Administrative Report
• JAM Update
• Staffing discussions
• Student Data System Update
4. Recreation Department Report
IX. Referendum Updates: Discussion/action
X. Five Minute Recess
XI. Adjourn into Executive Session according to Wis. State Statutes 19.85 (1) (c) (f)
XII. Reconvene into open session and take appropriate action as necessary
XIII. Future board agenda items and meetings: (discussion/action)
• March 14, 2018
• March 21, 2018-Joint meeting
XIV. Adjournment

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**VILLAGE OF ORFORDVILLE
Planning Commission Meeting**
The Planning Commission of the Village of Orfordville will meet on Monday, February 26, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. to consider changing the C-1 Commercial Zoning for residential homes in the downtown area to R-1 Single Family. The following addresses will be included in the discussion: 104 N. Richards Street, 105 N. Richards Street, 109 N. Richards Street, 111 N. Richards Street, 306 W. Beloit Street, 308 W. Beloit Street, and 208 W. Brodhead Street. Restrictions on residential lending have created a hardship for property owners of residential homes in Commercial Zoning to sell their residential home. The Planning Commission will make a recommendation to the Village Board at the Regular Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, February 26, 2018. Both meetings will be held at the Village Hall at 303 E. Beloit Street in Orfordville. Landowners and landowners within 100 feet of the above mentioned properties will be notified separately by mail.
Sherri Waege
Village Clerk
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**TOWN OF SPRING VALLEY
LOCATION AND HOURS OF
POLLING PLACE**
At the Spring Primary Election to be held on February 20, 2018, in the Town of Spring Valley, the following polling place will be used: Orfordville Fire Station, 173 N. Wright Street, Orfordville, WI.
THE POLLS WILL OPEN AT 7:00 A.M. AND WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.
If you have any questions concerning your polling place, contact the municipal clerk Julie Gerke
5656 S. Nelson Road
Brodhead, WI 53520
608-897-5092

svclerk@ckhweb.com
www.townofspringvalley.com
The polling place is accessible to elderly and disabled voters.

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LEGAL NOTICE:
There will be a public hearing before the Green County Board of Adjustment to consider an application for a conditional use permit from Chad & Tracy Freitag, landowner: for the operation of a auto repair business. The land is zoned agricultural, and is located at N225 Martintown Road, Section 32, T1N-R6E, Town of Cadiz. The public hearing will be held in the County Board Room at the Green County Courthouse, 1016 16th Avenue, Monroe, Wisconsin on Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. All those who are concerned or affected by such action are urged to attend.
GREEN COUNTY
ZONING ADMINISTRATION
ADAM M. WIEGAL
Adam M. Wiegel
Zoning Administrator
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WNAXLP 306977

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Public Hearing will be held before the City of Brodhead Planning Commission on March 5, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. at the City of Brodhead Municipal Building located at 1111 W. Second Avenue, Brodhead, Wisconsin to consider an Ordinance amending Sections 480-32, 480-45, 480-43C 480-46, 480-107A (3), and 480-107D(1) Code of Ordinances in the City of Brodhead concerning Zoning conforming to Wisconsin Act 67.
A full and complete copy of the Ordinance is on file in the office of the City Clerk-Treasurer for the City of Brodhead.
Dated this 9th day of February 2018
Teresa Withee, Clerk/Treasurer
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WNAXLP 307816

LEGAL NOTICE:
There will be a public hearing before the Green County Board of Adjustment to consider a variance from Eric & Kristi Pulvermacher, landowner; for the construction of a barn in the setback area of a residential lot line, 18' from the lot line -vs.-county code minimum of 100'. The land is zoned agricultural, and is located at W5460 Sandrock Road, Section 2, T4N-R7E, Town of New Glarus. The public hearing will be held in the County Board Room at the Green County Courthouse, 1016 16th Avenue, Monroe, Wisconsin on Wednesday, February 28, 2018, at 8:30 p.m. All those who are concerned or affected by such action are urged to attend.
GREEN COUNTY
ZONING ADMINISTRATION
ADAM M. WIEGAL
Adam M. Wiegel
Zoning Administrator
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WNAXLP 306981

**VILLAGE OF ORFORDVILLE
LOCATIONS AND HOURS OF
POLLING PLACES**
At the Spring Primary Election to be held on Tuesday, February 20, 2018, in the Village of Orfordville, the following polling place locations will be used for the wards indicated:
LOCATION WARDS
Orfordville Village Hall Wards 1 & 2
303 E. Beloit Street
Orfordville, WI 53576
THE POLLING PLACE WILL BE OPEN AT 7:00 A.M. AND WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.
If you have any questions concerning your polling place, contact the municipal clerk Sherri Waege

Village Clerk
608-879-2004
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WNAXLP 307325

Meeting Notice
The Town Of Spring Grove Monthly Board Meeting Will Be Held On Wednesday, February 21, 2018 At 6:00 P.M. at the Town Hall, N2475 County Hwy GG, Brodhead, WI
Meeting Agenda:
1. Call To Order
2. Approval Of Agenda
3. Reading Of January Meeting Minutes
4. Treasurers Report
5. Review Of Monthly Bills
6. Public Input
7. Town Hall Heating System Repairs/Updates
8. Election Results
9. District Meeting Update
10. Road Projects
a. Giese Rd Tree Trimming Project/Update
11. Tax Collection/Settlements
12. Driveway Permits
13. Adjournment
Deb Cline, Clerk
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WNAXLP 307702

LEGAL NOTICE:
There will be a public hearing before the Green County Board of Adjustment to consider an application for a conditional use permit from Lester & Katie Schmucker, landowner: for the operation of a bulk food general store. The land is zoned agricultural, and is located at N4210 County E, Section 12, T2N-R9E, Town of Decatur. The public hearing will be held in the County Board Room at the Green County Courthouse, 1016 16th Avenue, Monroe, Wisconsin on Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at 7:30 p.m. All those who are concerned or affected by such action are urged to attend.
GREEN COUNTY
ZONING ADMINISTRATION
ADAM M. WIEGAL
Adam M. Wiegel
Zoning Administrator
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WNAXLP 306979

LEGAL NOTICE:
There will be a public hearing before the Green County Board of Adjustment to consider an application for a conditional use permit from Willie Living Trust, landowner: for the operation of a auto repair business. The land is zoned agricultural, and is located at W814 Amidon Road, Section 11, T4N-R9E, Town of Brooklyn. The public hearing will be held in the County Board Room at the Green County Courthouse, 1016 16th Avenue, Monroe, Wisconsin on Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at 8:00 p.m. All those who are concerned or affected by such action are urged to attend.
GREEN COUNTY
ZONING ADMINISTRATION
ADAM M. WIEGAL
Adam M. Wiegel
Zoning Administrator
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WNAXLP 306980

**LOCATION AND HOURS OF
POLLING PLACE**
At the Spring Primary Election to be held on February 20, 2018, in the Town of Avon, the following polling place location will be used:
Avon Town Hall
16513 W. Beloit Newark Road
Brodhead, WI 53520
THE POLLING PLACE WILL OPEN AT 7:00 A.M. AND WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.
If you have any questions concerning your polling place, contact the Municipal Clerk.
Stephanie Schwartzlow
15444 W. Skinner Road, Brodhead, WI
608-921-3656 (Office Hours 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.)
All polling places are accessible to elderly and disabled voters.
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**TOWN OF DECATUR
SPRING PRIMARY ELECTION
TUESDAY, February 20, 2018
7:00 AM - 8:00 PM**
At the Town Hall - 1408 14th Street
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all electors residing in the Town of Decatur for the purpose of voting in the Spring Primary Election for Justice of the Supreme Court.
For absentee ballot or further information contact the Town Clerk at 1408 14th Street, P. O. Box 333, Brodhead, WI 53520; or phone 897-4965 (Town Hall) or 897-2534 (Home).
Ann L. Schwartz
Clerk/Treasurer
The Independent Register
2/14/2018
WNAXLP 307477

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Notice is hereby given that the Public Test of the Imagecast voting equipment to be used at the Spring Primary on Tuesday, February 20, 2018 in the Town of Albany will be conducted at the Town Hall, N6065 County E at 8:00 a.m., Thursday, February 15, 2018.
Bonnie Zee
Clerk
The Independent Register
2/14/2018
WNAXLP 307508

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Notice is hereby given that the Public Test of the optical scan tabulating equipment and the hand-capped accessible voting machine, to be used at the Spring Primary Election on Tuesday, February 20, 2018, in the Town of Spring Grove, will be conducted at the Town Hall, N2475 Hwy GG, Brodhead, WI on Thursday, February 15, 2018 at 5:00 P.M.
Deb Cline, Clerk
The Independent Register
2/14/2018
WNAXLP 307703

**NOTICE
SPRING PRIMARY ELECTION
TOWN OF ALBANY**
N6065 County E
Justice of Supreme Court
Tuesday, February 20, 2018
Polls open 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Bonnie Zee, Clerk
The Independent Register
2/14/2018
WNAXLP 307509

**NOTICE OF TESTING
TOWN OF AVON**
Notice is hereby given there will be a public test of electronic voting equipment on Thursday, February 15, 2018 at 9:30 a.m. at the Avon Town Hall, 16513 W. Beloit Newark Road, Brodhead, WI, which will be used at the Spring Primary Election on February 20, 2018.
Stephanie Schwartzlow
Avon Town Clerk
The Independent Register
2/14/2018
WNAXLP 307787

**Notice of
Spring Primary
TOWN OF SPRING GROVE**
Tuesday, February 20, 2018
Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Spring Grove Town Hall, N2475 Hwy GG, Brodhead, WI
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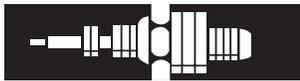
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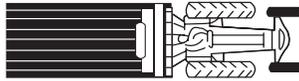
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Hours: 11:10 a.m. – 3:40 p.m. [Monday thru Friday]

Pay: \$10.00/hour

Send letter of interest, resume and application to: Mrs. Sarah Wadsworth, Brodhead School District, 2501 W. 5th Avenue, Brodhead, WI 53520.

Deadline for Applications: February 19, 2018

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Pet Talk

Pets celebrate Valentine's Day everyday

With Valentine's Day just around the corner, many of us can't help but look at our pets and remember the day we fell in love with them. We are fortunate to share our lives with such caring (and cute) animals, which is why we do everything we can to keep our pets happy and healthy.

However, pets do a lot for us, too. They teach us how to love unconditionally and be a good friend. They are also there to lend a comforting paw in times of need.

In the spirit of Valentine's Day, Dr. Sarah Griffin, a lecturer at the Texas A&M College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences, described some of the ways our furry friends show us love and af-

fection.

"Cats show affection by purring, sitting in your lap, rubbing against your leg, and following you around," Griffin said. "Sometimes, they may even gently nip or bite you."

Cat owners may also find that their pet brings them toys; random, found objects (such as hair ties); or even a small bird or mouse. This is

considered a present and is a sign that your kitty loves and cares for you.

Dogs show affection through tail wagging, licking, and playing with their owners, Griffin said. Dogs may also curl up next to you for a nap, especially after a relaxing walk. When this happens, it is common courtesy to go ahead and take a nap, too.

With all the love our pets show us, it's no surprise that they have plenty of love for other animals.

Both dogs and cats will play, cuddle, groom each other, and nap together. Though dogs and cats are sometimes portrayed as enemies, it is actually common for dogs and cats to become cuddle-buddies and friends.

There is no doubt that pets are a special part of the family. This Valentine's Day (and every day), appreciate the gift of unconditional love from your pet. Reciprocate love not only to your pet, but also to the family and friends in your life.

Pet Talk is a service of the Texas A&M College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences. Stories can be viewed on the web at vetmed.tamu.edu/pet-talk. Suggestions for future topics may be directed to editor@cvm.tamu.edu.

Lenten Worship at St. Peter Lutheran

St. Peter Lutheran will be observing of the 40 days of Lent with six weekly Wednesday evening services at 7:00 p.m., beginning with its Ash Wednesday service on Wednesday, March 1.

Each week, there will be a Lenten Supper at 6 p.m., with the 7 p.m. service following.

All are invited to come and consider the passion history of Jesus, as He sacrificed Himself on the cross for our sins.

St. Peter Lutheran is located at the corner of 17th St., and W. 5th Ave in Brodhead. If you wish more information, please call the church at 608-897-2092.

Tell Green Co. Farm Bureau about great agricultural inventions

The Green County Farm Bureau, in conjunction with state sponsors, is providing the opportunity for students to participate in the Ag in the Classroom Essay Contest.

This year's theme is "Inventions that have made agriculture great." The contest is open to fourth and fifth grade students in Green County. Essays must be between 100 and 300 words and will be judged based on content, grammar, spelling and neatness. Students must submit essays in handwritten ink or be computer generated.

The Green County Ag in the Classroom committee will award \$150.00 to the classroom of the 1st place winning essay, \$100.00 to the classroom of the 2nd place essay and \$75.00 to the classroom of the 3rd place essay. In addition, \$50 gift cards will be awarded to all remaining classrooms that participate entirely. Essays must be post-marked by April 2, 2018 and can be mailed to Devan Klopfenstein, Essay Coordinator, at N4390 State Road 59 Monroe, WI 53566.

For more information, please call Devan at 608-558-2646.

Obituaries

ROGER CLARK

Roger F. Clark, age 95, of Beloit, formerly of Brodhead, passed away on Thursday, February 8, 2018, at the Beloit Memorial Hospital. He was born on August 2, 1922 in Avon Township, Rock County, the son of Frank and Bertha (Schultz) Clark. He married Marion E. Smith on November 29, 1941 in Brooklyn Township. She passed away on April 21, 1992. He later married Francis Zahn on March 4, 2000.

Roger graduated from Brodhead High School and farmed in the Brooklyn area from 1956 until 1975. He was a member of the Congregational United Church of Christ, Brodhead and also the Brodhead Bicknell Masonic Lodge #94. He had worked as a mail carrier for the U.S. Postal Service and enjoyed hunting, camping, playing cards, and dancing. Roger's stepchildren always thought



of him as their real father.

Roger is survived by his wife Fran, Beloit; his children, Donald (Patty) Clark, Brodhead, WI, Dee Ann Burwitz, Wentzville, MO; a daughter-in-law, Sheree Clark, Brodhead; stepchildren, Jackie (Tom) Roehl, Steve (Bonnie) Zahn, Janet Zahn, Carol (Greg) Kinson, John (Ann) Zahn, Rob (Andrea) Zahn; eight grandchildren, Tara, Tracy, Tammy, Tiffany, Eric, Marion, Kathryn, Kristina; and sixteen great-grandchildren; eight step-grandchildren and three step-great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, first wife Marion, two sons, Dean Lee and Duane, and three brothers, Floyd, Frank and Clifford.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, February 13, 2018, at the Congregational United Church of Christ, Brodhead, WI, with Rev. David Frey officiating and Masonic members present. Visitation was held from noon until time services at the church. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery, Brodhead, WI. The D.L. Newcomer Funeral Home, Brodhead, WI, is assisting the family. Online condolences may be made at www.dlnewcomerfuneralhome.com

MABEL HANSEN ONSGARD

Mabel A. "Mae" Hansen Onsgard, was blessed with 95 years when she went to be with the Lord on February 4, 2018.

She was born March 13, 1922 in Beloit, the daughter of Knut and Margaret (Bakkerud) Haugen, having two brothers, Harold and Alfred Haugen and two sisters, Alice Onsgard and Irene Engen.

She grew up in rural Orfordville, WI on a dairy farm and lived her entire life in the Orfordville, Beloit and Evansville areas. She was a Christian who helped with many church activities as a member of Luther Valley Lutheran Church. She was proud of her Norwegian heritage and had traveled to Norway to visit her many relatives there.

Mabel married Herbert J. Hansen and was blessed with two sons, Robert G. and Ronald R. Hansen. Herb passed away in 1963. She later married Selmer M. Onsgard who passed in 2003. Selmer had previously been



married to Mae's sister Alice, who passed in 1958, having one son, Donald R. Onsgard.

When Mae and Selmer married, these 2 families blended together in love and faith and all involved will be eternally grateful.

She is survived by her:

sons Robert Hansen and Donald Onsgard, brother Harold Haugen, sister Irene Engen, grandson Erik Hansen, granddaughters Holly Hansen-Holyfield, Jennifer Hansen-Shanin, 7 great-grandchildren Elijah, Kaitlyn, Kellyann, Braden, Jackson, Erik and Lucas.

Mae was a loving and devoted daughter, sister, wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. The world is a better place because she was in it.

Funeral services were held at the Newcomer-Silverthorn Chapel on the Hill, 3008 S Coon Island Rd, Orfordville, at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 8, 2018 with Pastor Josh Brumbaugh officiating. A visitation was held at 12:00 p.m. until the time of service at the funeral home on Thursday.

Burial will be in Luther Valley Cemetery.

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