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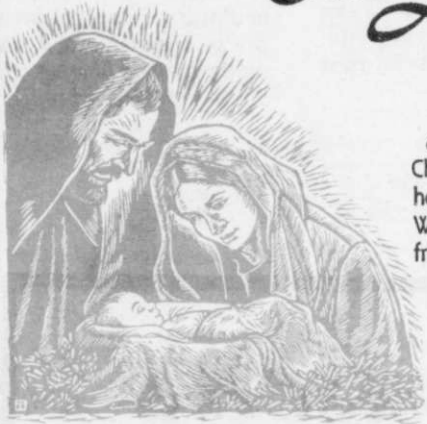
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**KEWASKUM
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Beechwood School to Reopen??

Administrators, Facilities Planning Group Discuss School District Expansion, Remodeling Needs

By Sharon Callaway Roznik

Should Beechwood School be reopened to help alleviate overcrowding at Kewaskum and Farmington Elementary Schools?

This is just one of several options explored at Monday night's Facilities Planning Group meeting, as they wrestled with the difficult task of establishing a comprehensive capital expenditure plan capable of meeting the needs of the district for at least 15 years.

After several months of work sessions, meetings with SEWRPC and Town

Chairpersons, assessments of outlying schools, and studying the results of a district-wide survey, the group, with assistance from Cravillion Architecture of Wautoma, worked up a series of alternative solutions to address district growth projections, keeping in mind the taxpayer's desire to preserve the concept of community schools.

In the forefront was the overwhelming need to remodel the district's four elementary schools, with the consensus indicating money would be better spent building a new Kewaskum Elementary School rather than trying to repair and modernize a 1920 structure. Cravillion estimates the cost of a new grade school would run around \$6 million, not including the land. Superintendent Dr. Charles Johnson stated the KES options were very open ended and multiple, and included ideas such as tearing the building down and using the land as an athletic field, using the building for community and/or administrative purposes, or selling the structure.

Cost estimates for remodeling and expanding the three operating elementary schools are: KES - \$3,587,000; Farmington - \$2,968,000, and Wayne - \$1,326,000. Plans include additional classrooms, increased storage space,

Instructional Materials Centers, new entrances, computer labs, and increased gym and cafeteria space.

Business Manager George Allmann told the group that his main concern was the overcrowded class sizes at KES and Farmington, and relief could be seen if Beechwood was reopened.

"A year of relief would give us another year of letting the planning process continue," he stated, as it became apparent the group was having a difficult time deciding which options to bring before the school board in January, how to prioritize the needs, whether to build, buy, relocate, or remodel, and in what order.

Beechwood School, which has remained vacant for the past ten years, would require building repairs in the amount of \$159,992, start up purchases of \$48,865, and an estimated first year operating cost (compared with Wayne) of \$328,651, for a total cost of reopening the school at \$537,508.

District Director of Building and Grounds, Chad Kyle, said in house labor would cut some of the costs in half, and it would require about three months of work, including clean up time, to get the school ready. The proposed remodeling figure is \$1,388,000.

The future of Kewaskum Middle School and Kewaskum High School also plays a big part in the scheme of things, as to the grade levels at each school. One option involves physically joining KMS to KHS with seventh and eighth grade attending KMS, and the grade schools housing K-6. An auditorium, third gym station, the conversion of Rose Hall to an IMC, and some additional remodeling of KHS would cost the taxpayers around \$4 million dollars. KMS principal Clark Pearson expressed concern over the fact gym classes were now peaking in the range of 40-50 students per class.

Another alternative discussed was building a new sixth through ninth grade KMS with the purchase of

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YMCA's Camp Matawa Holds Open House



Camp Matawa's new facilities will include an outdoor pool complex with a water slide, a climbing tower and an equestrian riding center.

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Statesman Holiday Deadline Friday Noon

Due to the Christmas and New Year's holidays both falling on Wednesday this year, the deadline for all news and advertising copy for both weeks' (Dec. 26 and Jan. 2) issues will be Friday noon (Dec. 20 and Dec. 27).

All pictures that need to be printed in those issues must be in our office on Thursday prior to publication.

The paper will leave our

office to be printed at 9 a.m. on Monday (Dec. 23 and Dec. 30), therefore we cannot accept ANYTHING (except money, of course), after the Friday noon deadline.

Most area subscribers will receive their papers on Tuesday (Dec. 24 and Dec. 31). Therefore, a complete listing of holiday church services will be published in next week's issue.

We thank you for your

cooperation in putting up with our "middle of the week holiday dilemma" and extend our best wishes for a happy holiday season to all.



Board Discusses All Day Kindergarten

By Sharon Callaway Roznik

Kewaskum's School Board listened to the pros and cons of initiating an optional full day kindergarten program, promoted by the administration, at their monthly meeting last Thursday.

The District has been looking into the prospect of full day kindergarten for the past several years, and state statistics indicate at least 40% of the Wisconsin school districts offer some type of all day kindergarten for five-year-olds. Superintendent Dr. Charles Johnson told the board that this is not an action item at this time, but simply a formal request to initiate discussion.

George Allmann, Curriculum Resource Specialist/Business Manager, stated that the basic argument against it has always been the cost element, but for this district, the concern would be a facility issue. According to his figures, creating an all day kindergarten program would reduce bussing costs by \$45,108 per year, and increase the state equalized aid fund by \$137,000, based on student totals.

District costs would include increasing two part time teachers to full time (\$52,000), and hiring two more full time teachers (\$62,500), plus an estimated \$4,000 for additional equipment needed. Allmann told the board the district could see a savings of around \$63,500, if the full time kindergarten program was implemented.

With the development of last year's Language Arts Program, the kindergarten and early childhood teachers feel that there isn't enough time to individualize with the students in a 2 1/2 hour kindergarten program.

After a series of faculty meetings on the subject, the district sent out 160 surveys to parents of four-year-olds, asking for their input on all day kindergarten. Of the 60 returned so far, results indicated 50 parents support the all day program, and ten favor half days, or private school.

Allmann stressed the fact that administration is recommending both the full and half day kindergarten program for the district. "It would be the parents' choice," he pointed out, with the second half of the day focusing on an enrichment program.

The real problem lies in space limitations at Kewaskum and Farmington Elementary Schools. "Facilities is an important aspect of this program, and that's what the board has to consider," Allmann related, and said the plan would not create a space problem at Wayne Elementary School.

Kieth Kriewaldt, principal of the three elementary schools, was also a proponent of the move to full day kindergarten, citing it helped children prepare for

an academic career. "We are not looking at increasing the amount of curriculum we're teaching -- that is a big no-no," he told the board. "It has to remain age appropriate, to help kids develop emotionally and socially." By expanding classroom time, students can learn in a relaxed, less hurried setting, he maintained, thereby allowing the opportunity for teachers to help children with problems, and detect potential learning difficulties.

Board member Jon Downs felt that the district may be creating its own inequity by offering both half and full time kindergarten. "I see a duality here, we're going to see some students moving ahead of other students because they're there all day," he remarked. Kriewaldt said that most likely children who remain at home get reinforcement there, and the program would be set up to allow half time students to change over to full time in January.

Another board member, Neal Weare, said he was inclined to hold off on making any decisions until the faculty issue was addressed. "I can understand from an academic standpoint, but I'm also looking at things that I've heard, things that I've seen, where the fiscal, the dollar, comes into play more prominently, and that's unfortunate, and I think we have to be aware of that fact," he told those in attendance. "I'm not saying that that's the reason we're doing it here, but I think we have to be up front and cognizant of it."

Dr. Johnson agreed that it wasn't good to be talking about making money off a district program such as this. "That's why this is not an action item," he pointed out. "This might fit in, after some of those (facility) decisions or a direction is made clear. That's where you're committing, actually, to the space itself," he told the board.

Johnson also stated that the Beechwood issue has some ties to this program, if the board was looking at beginning the kindergarten program as early as next year. (Facility alternatives were addressed at a separate Capital Improvements committee meeting held this past Monday evening.)

"We're just doing the homework, and trying to get it out in front of you early. With all the Strategic Planning, and all these other huge things we're doing, we don't all of a sudden want to jump on you with a revelation about all day kindergarten," he expressed.

Board member Tom Timblin supported the plan as one that would help the district stay on the cutting edge. "We don't want to be last here, we've been last too often here in Kewaskum, and we're turning the corner, we want to get our

test scores up, we want to do all little things that help our kids, and give them that edge, and I think this is one important step," he asserted.

District residents Mike and Mary Miller attended the meeting, and expressed their support for full day kindergarten. "We have a four year old who has gone to preschool for two years, and I never considered full year kindergarten until hearing the talk about this, doing the survey, and actually we're very much in favor of it, because of the enrichment aspect of it, and hearing your explanation now. Either way, of course, we're sending her to kindergarten, but she's asking to go," Mrs. Miller related to the board.

Julaine Luedtke, another parent of a four year old,

and an early childhood teacher in West Bend, argued against the preliminary proposal. "It is not developmentally appropriate for a five year old to be in a structured setting for six to seven hours a day," she pointed out. "They're not emotionally ready to handle it." She stated that although children this age may not show it in school, when they get home after a full day of school, their stress is expressed through crankiness. "I feel like you're telling me my child is better off with you, than with me," she emphasized, adding that she felt the survey parents received was biased, because it stressed the fact that the teachers were in favor of the program, before parents could form their own opinions.

"It isn't a done deal," Board President Jean Goeden told everyone. "Right now, this is just

more or less like a workshop to discuss it." Full time kindergarten will receive further exploration in 1997, after the district's facility concerns are addressed in depth.

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Modern Woodmen Honor Isabelle Muckerheide



A service recognition presentation was made to Isabelle Muckerheide, right, of Kewaskum, from Willard Prost, Counsel of Modern Woodmen Camp 2233 recently, at a dinner for members and guests at the Kewaskum Labor Center.

Isabelle Muckerheide of Kewaskum was recently honored for service recognition by the Modern Woodmen Camp 2233.

Isabelle was born July 6, 1913 in Neshkoro, Wisconsin to Stella and Anton Yeska. She had two brothers, both deceased, three sisters, Helen, Dorothy and Lucy. She attended Neshkoro Elementary School and graduated from Neshkoro High School in 1935.

She is a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church, and the Christian Mothers Society for which she has held all offices, with four years in each office. Isabelle is a member of the Kewaskum Historical Society and serves as secretary and a member of the Kewaskum American Legion Auxiliary and is its secretary.

She served on the Commission on Aging for several years. Transporting people shopping, to church, etc. is part of her generosity

to the community. Isabelle served as cook for the Catholic Church functions for many years, gratis.

Upon graduation from high school, Isabelle worked as a cook at Carvers for seven summers. It was just up the road from the Heidel House on Green Lake. While there, she cooked for Spencer Tracy and friends when he received an honorary degree from Ripon College.

Other notables she served included Miss

McNalley of Rand McNalley Publishing Company and Mrs. Simon Kander, author of the Settlement Cookbook.

The Glacier Inn was another restaurant she administrated her cooking skills. Before her marriage to Al Muckerheide, she worked as a clerk in the dry goods department in the local department store known as L. Rosenheimers.

Isabelle met her husband, Al, while he was working for Jaeger Brothers, building an overhead bridge at Neshkoro. After a five year courtship, they were married on October 10, 1942, while Al was still in the military service at Truax Field in Madison.

In 1943 he received a discharge from the service and they remained in Madison where Al worked for Oscar Mayer Sausage Company. Upon returning to this area, they made their home with Al's folks, Henry and Rose Muckerheide, during which time they built their present home. Since this was post war era, some materials were hard to get, so part of this house has parts of two churches as its makeup.

Isabelle is quite a renowned poet. She composed a poem in Jimmy Gantner's honor when he left the Brewers active baseball team in August of 1995. She also wrote a "Tribute to Elda Walvoord" who was a piano teacher in this area for many years. For this tribute, she received the Golden Poet Award in 1982, presented by Bob Hope in Washington, D.C. She is

also proud of the opportunity to have been present at the graduation of her nephew, Tony Kerhing, Jr., (her sister Dorothy's son) from West Point.

Other community services Isabelle has worked on include working at the local blood bank and selling poppies for the Legion. She sang in the church choir for many years.

For entertainment, she bowled at the Frontier Bowl for ten years where she rolled a 210 game. Her hobbies include gardening, participating in farmers' markets and flea markets, auctions, needlework and Bingo.

Isabelle still writes poems and articles for the paper, along with submitting her antique postcards for special occasions and holidays.

Both Isabelle and her husband helped at the annual Legion-Firemen's picnic in Kewaskum. They have donated many articles to the Kewaskum museum. She was also a tour guide of

the local "log house" for the Cable Company at West Bend during "Early Farm Days" of which she has been a part of since its beginning.

Hospital Offers 'Caring for Baby'

St. Joseph's Community Hospital of West Bend is offering a "Caring for Baby" class Saturday, December 21, from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the hospital's New Life Center classroom.

This infant care class is designed for expectant parents, siblings over the age of 12, grandparents, child-care providers and adoptive parents. Topics include: feeding, safety, crying and colic, how to take a baby's temperature and when to call the doctor. An infant bath demonstration is included.

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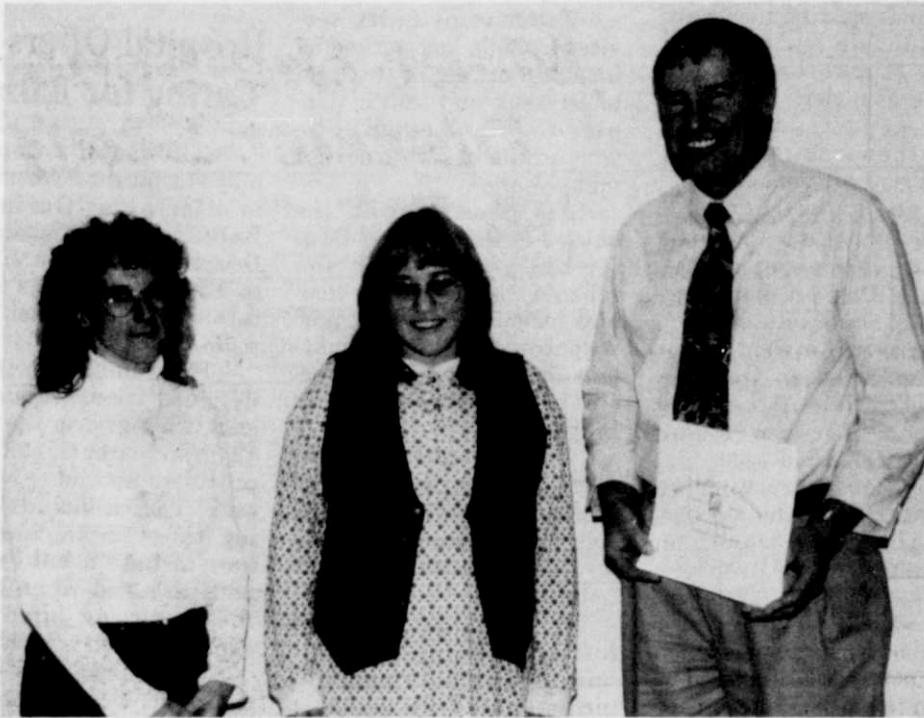
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Left to right: Mother Sandy Braun, Kewaskum Middle School Student of the Quarter, eighth grader Sarah Braun, and Middle School Principal Clark Pearson.

Allenton Girl Injured In Head On Collision

KEWASKUM- On Thursday, December 12, at approximately 6:00 p.m., a motor vehicle accident occurred in the Town of Kewaskum on CTH H at CTH B/Highland Dr.

Gerald Brath, 51 of Kewaskum, driving a 1995 Oldsmobile Cutlass, was traveling west on CTH H. He made a left turn on to CTH B and turned in front of an east-bound vehicle driven by Angela Vogt 17, of Allenton who was driving a 1987 Plymouth. Brath struck Vogt

in the area of the left front tire causing a head on collision.

Vogt was transported to St. Joseph's Community Hospital in West Bend by Kewaskum Rescue for treatment of her injuries. Brath was not transported. Both vehicles sustained severe damage.

Both Brath and Vogt were driving alone at the time of the collision. Vogt is reported to be in satisfactory condition at St. Joseph's Hospital.

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The little blonde gal on the rescue squad was exceptionally good and very nice.

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Board Reviews Possible New Course Offerings for KHS

By Sharon Callaway Roznik

A good part of this month's school board meeting was spent going over a list of new Kewaskum high school course offerings scheduled for the 1997-98 school year, recommended by the District Evaluation Committee.

According to school board policy, all courses taught within the district must have a developed standard curriculum that meets board approval. The courses brought before the board Monday night were reviewed in outline form, based on student competencies, and further curriculum development will include conditions (assessment instruments), performance standards, and learning objectives. The finished products will be brought to the board in March.

The following courses are being offered in enough students to justify the class: English 1A, World Studies 1A, and Basic Skills 11 for students who have deficits in reading, writing, and understanding historical concepts; Advanced Cabinet Making; Small Animal Care and Management; Probability and Statistics - a higher level course for students interested in math, science, and research; Keyboarding Applications; Graphics Co-op - three students working for and paid by the district in job printing; and Art 1 (3-D).

Curriculum Resource Specialist George Allmann stated that the district works closely with representatives from every major industry, through a program entitled, "Education For Employment," involving Tech. Ed., Ag., Business Ed. and FACE. "We were told by the business people at the first meeting, everybody from Quad Tool, West Bend Elevator, to Serigraph, that

we have to do more with these kids to make them service oriented, that they understand the customer comes first," he stated. "What the industry representatives say they require, is what we want to teach our kids."

Both board members Larry Fechter and Neal Wearo pointed out that students working in some of the advanced courses will need updated tools and resources in order to excel, and this will also be an added cost to the district, but one that is needed in order to prepare students for the work force.

A concerned parent addressed the board about a letter his daughter received from school regarding parental permission to learn about reproduction in a high school biology class. Mark Janz told the board he felt it was an "omission slip," not a permission slip, and although he does not intend to withdraw his daughter from the class, he did voice his objection to bringing parental involvement into play after the fact.

"Letters could have been sent out very early in the year, asking the parents to come in for public viewing of the material, and then if you want your child to take the course, you can then sign the permission slip, instead of just the opposite. Our curriculum should not be established by 14 and 15 year olds, it should be set up by adults. Taking this type of position is very arrogant, it allows someone else, outside of the general public, to establish ethical, moral viewpoints outside of those of the public," Janz stated in a lengthy statement to the board. Board President Jean Goeden avoided discussion by using the chain of command, and referred Mr. Janz to high school

principal Larry Wilson.

Under action items, the board approved a change in life insurance carriers, offered under employee fringe benefits, from WEA Wisconsin Public Employers Group Life Insurance Plan, for a yearly savings to the district of \$11,598, for the same amount of coverage.

Other approvals that evening included upgrading the custodial coordinator of the night shift to second head custodian at KHS, and allowing the district to acquire an American Express charge card, for use in situations where purchase orders and requisitions are not workable.

A long list of specific job descriptions were to be replaced by a separate district manual, that is available for viewing at the district office.

KHS Student Representative Jamie Gaffke reported that the recent student council blood drive had a record turnout of 90 donors, and the KEYS donors raised over \$500 for the scholarship fund. The students are currently involved in a Christmas Sharing program, in which two home-rooms join forces and adopt a family for the holidays, raising money for food and Christmas gifts.

The board accepted the resignation of Carla Pritzlaff as KHS girls tennis coach, a leave of absence for Barbara Hoeft-Olsen, and the appointments of Kristine Dreher as sixth grade intramurals coordinator, and Jamie Jastrab as KHS assistant boys basketball coach.

Payroll and accounts

payable was approved in the amount of \$974,488.20.

Beginning in January, the school board meetings will be switched back to the

second Monday of every month. The next meeting will be held Monday, January 9, at 7 p.m. in the KHS cafeteria.

Meet the School District Staff



Lynn Pokorski

Lynn Pokorski, a fourth grade teacher at Kewaskum Elementary, admits to having some difficulty writing her name. It isn't that Pokorski is such a hard name to spell, it's just that up until a month ago, Mrs. Pokorski was Miss Heinz.

"(Writing my new name) has taken a little getting used to," Mrs. Pokorski said. "Sometimes the old name just seems to flow a little bit easier."

The students, too, are getting used to it a little at a time.

"About half of the students use my new name and half call me Miss Heinz," she stated, then smiled and added, "but I still answer anyway."

Mrs. Pokorski is in her fifth year of teaching fourth grade at Kewaskum Elementary. For her, it's been a

great experience.

"I really like working with the kids. For example, we just finished a unit on Native Americans. There were projects galore, everything from villages, to stories, to jewelry, to instruments. It was a lot of fun."

For fun outside of school, Mrs. Pokorski has inherited along with her new name, a new hobby, as well. Her husband, Paul, races a highly modified stock car during the summer months near Plymouth.

She helps with some race preparations, and works on keeping the statistics of the race. Although cars aren't something she knows particularly about, she's "learning more all the time."

When not at school or the race course, Mrs. Pokorski keeps busy with pastimes

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Obituaries



LUCILLE E. BATH

Mrs. Lucille E. Bath, age 63, of the Town of Kewaskum, passed away on Monday, December 16, 1996 at St. Joseph's Community Hospital in West Bend.

She was born on October 30, 1933 in the Town of Trenton, the daughter of the late Alvin and Eleanor (Kluever) Voigt and on April 21, 1951, she was united in marriage to Clarence Bath at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum.

Mrs. Bath was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum and was employed by Cedar Lake Health Care Center in West Bend for 16 years.

Survivors include her husband, Clarence, of the Town of Kewaskum; five sons, David H. and Ronald M. (Rosemary) both of West Bend, Daniel R. (Janice) of Campbellsport, Allen J. (Marie) and Gary D., both of Kewaskum; two daughters, Jean M. (Allen) Bath and Joan M. (Marvin) Crites; 11 grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Friday, December 20, at the Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum with a Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum with Father John Brophy officiating. Burial will follow at Holy Trinity Catholic Church Cemetery, Highway 28 East in Kewaskum.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. at the funeral home on Thursday where a parish vigil will be held at 7 p.m.

HAROLD R. NARGES

Harold R. Narges, 75, of Eden, died Sunday, December 15, 1996, at Graceland Nursing Center, Fond du Lac.

He was born in Campbellsport on December 18, 1920, the son of Charles and Marie Jandre Narges. He married Jeanette Bremser on May 19, 1945 at St. Michael's Church, Kewaskum.

He was a 1939 graduate of Winnebago Lutheran Academy. He farmed in the Towns of Eden and Osceola and was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church, Campbellsport and the Church Council. He served as a Supervisor for the Town of Osceola for 26 years, and was active with the Waucousta and Long Lake baseball teams in the Rock River League. He also volunteered his services in many other areas.

He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mary McCready and her husband James, and Sue Peters and her husband, Tom, all of Eden; two sons, Craig and Joel and his wife, Nancy, all of Eden; eight grandchildren, Melissa Cochran and her husband, Paul, Michael and Seamus McCready,

Heather and Nicole Peters, Jill, Amy and Brian Narges; two brothers, Donald and his wife, Helen, of Campbellsport, and Howard and his wife Phyllis of Waucousta, other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Shirley Justman.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, December 18, at 7:30 p.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Campbellsport. Rev. Paul A. Cerny officiated.

Burial will be Thursday, December 19, at St. Mary's Cemetery, Eden. Visitation was held Wednesday from 4 p.m. until the time of services at the Church.

Memorials will be appreciated. Twohigh Funeral Home, Campbellsport, handled arrangements.

PHYLIS 'PJ' WINGAD

Phylis "PJ" Wingad, nee Witta, of West Bend, died Thursday, December 12, 1996, at St. Joseph's Community Hospital at the age of 79.

She was born September 16, 1917, in Baron, Wisconsin, to Nick and Mayme (nee Gellerman) Witta, and was raised in the Eau Claire area.

In May, 1946, she married George F. Wingad. In 1957 the couple moved to Milwaukee. They settled in Kewaskum in 1989.

She had been a resident of Cedar Lake Health Care Center for the past two years.

Survivors include one daughter, Cheryl (Larry) Richter of Allenton; one granddaughter, Nicole (Jim)

Bruder of Allenton; one sister, Marj (Chet) Peterson of Roseville, Minnesota; two nephews, Jeff Peterson, of St. Paul, Minnesota, and Steve Peterson of Poughkeepsie, New York.

She is preceded in death by her husband, who died on May 31, 1989, and two brothers, Norm, and Robert Witta.

Mrs. Wingad was a member of Divine Peace Lutheran Church in Milwaukee.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 16, at 10 a.m. at Phillip Funeral Home of West Bend.

Burial followed in Wood National Cemetery. Visitation was at the funeral home, just prior to the service.

Memorials to Divine Peace Lutheran Church in Milwaukee are appreciated.

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such as horseback riding and piano. She also plays flute in the Lake Shore Symphonic Band, a community group that performs several concerts throughout the area each year.

Additionally, Mrs. Pokorski is even pursuing a Masters in Education at Viterbo College.

Mrs. Pokorski and her husband Paul, both from Manitowoc, now live in West Bend with their new six-month-old black Labrador, Maggie.

And, once she finishes learning about race cars, and housebreaking a puppy, and playing in band concerts, and continuing her Masters studies, and preparing exciting lessons for her fourth graders, maybe, just maybe, she can get back to practicing writing the new last name.

St. Lucas Lutheran Pre-School Receives Grant from AAL

St. Lucas Lutheran Pre-School, Kewaskum, has been awarded a \$500 grant from Aid Association for Lutherans (AAL).

The grant is designed to help the staff of Lutheran early childhood centers pursue professional staff development opportunities and resource center expansion.

The grant was provided through the AAL Lutheran Early Childhood Education Grant Program, which was offered to more than 4,000 Lutheran early childhood centers throughout the country.

"AAL recognizes the role that Lutheran early childhood educators play in providing the building blocks needed for children to grow in their education and their faith," said Marya McCrae, manager of AAL grant programs. "We are happy to support their work."

AAL, based in Appleton, is one of the nation's leading fraternal benefit societies. Founded in 1902, AAL's purpose is to enable Lutherans to help them-

selves and others. AAL accomplishes this by providing scholarship and grant programs, volunteer opportunities, insurance protection and self-help educational programs.

Holiday Hours at Random Lake Library

Holiday hours at the Lakeview Community Library in Random Lake will be December 24 and 25, Closed; December 26 and 27, 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; December 28, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; December 30, 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; December 31, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; January 1, Closed.

Regular library hours will resume on Thursday, January 2.



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KEYS, Inc. to Award \$30,500 In Scholarships in Spring

The Board of Directors of Kewaskum Youth Scholarships, Inc. has announced that eleven scholarships totaling \$30,500 will be awarded to the Kewaskum High School Class of 1997.

The following is a listing of the amount and number of each kind of scholarship:

Two four-year college scholarships, each worth a total of \$10,000 (\$2,500 a year for four years) are being offered. One of these \$10,000 scholarships is provided by the KEYS scholarship fund, and the other is provided by the Oscar C. and Augusta Schlegel Foundation.

Two \$2,000 KEYS College or Technical Scholarships (\$1,000 per year for two years) will also be awarded. KEYS will also award a \$1,000 Technical School Scholarship. The Barbara York College Scholarship worth \$1,200 will also be awarded for the fourth time this year.

Three Memorial Scholarships will also be awarded this year: The Ann-Marie Horner Memorial Scholarship will be presented for

the eighth time, The Kilian A. Honeck Memorial Scholarship will be presented for the sixth time, and the Evelyn Joyce Gruber Memorial Scholarship will be presented for the fifth time. Each memorial scholarship is worth \$1,000. The James and Sarah Andre Scholarship, also worth \$1,000, will be awarded for the sixth time this year. A \$300 scholarship will be awarded for the winner of the KEYS 5K Run/ Walk T-shirt design contest.

The \$30,500 in scholarships to be awarded in the spring of 1997, brings the total amount awarded to \$201,400 since 1986! The KEYS organization wishes to thank the alumni, businesses, organizations and community members for their generous donations which make these scholarships possible.

KEYS officials hope that the community senses the pride that is involved in this accomplishment. Even with this kind of success, KEYS realizes that additional funds must be raised to provide for even more scholarship help. If KEYS is

to continue to grow, donations are necessary from the whole community. Past and new donors are asked to please continue contributing to KEYS.

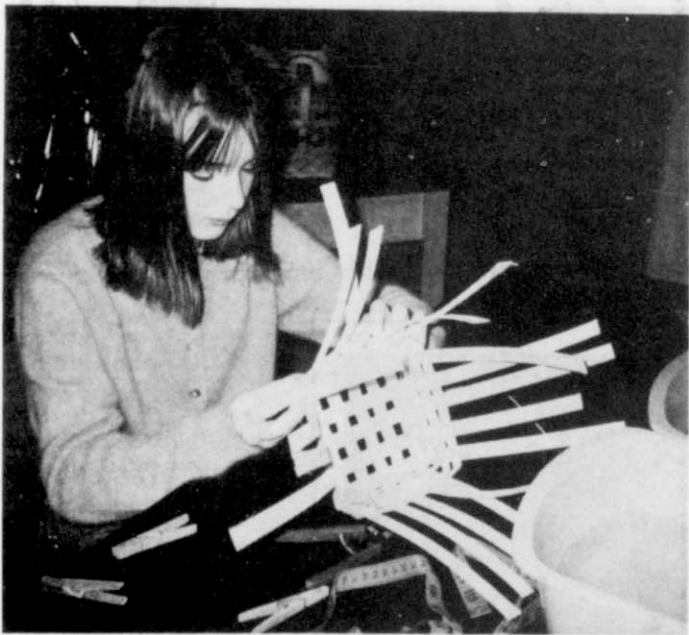
If anyone is interested in making a contribution to KEYS, please do so by making out a check payable to KEYS, Inc. and sending your donation to KEYS, Inc., P.O. Box 124, Kewaskum, WI 53040. Remember that KEYS is the community's scholarship organization: Help take ownership in our scholarship organization by making a donation, and thus feel the pride in what the KEYS scholarship organization has done!

XYZ CARD RESULTS

The winners at cards played by the XYZ Senior Citizens at the Municipal Building on Wednesday, Dec. 11th were: SKAT: Tresea Peterson, 21-3--18 net; Harold Eggert, 16-0--16 net; Fred Klein, 19-5--14 net.

SHEEPSHEAD: Eileen Petrie, Ione Schmidt, Bruce Petrie and Sally Reindl.

Activity Day Held at KMS



Eighth grader Stephanie Bartley weaves a basket.



Heidi Terlinden puts the finishing touches on her "gingerbread house."

From old jails to new nails, Kewaskum Middle School's Activity Day had it all!

On a recent half day, students had the chance to choose courses not usually taught in the curriculum -- taught by community members, or teachers with a special interest.

Courses included tours of West Bend's Old Courthouse/Jail Museum, Harley-Davidson, and the Horicon Marsh, among others, and other outside activities such as rollerskating, movies, or being a teacher's aide at the Elementary School.

At KMS, topics ranged from manicures to commercial art to comedy improvisation to weaving baskets. There were over forty activities from which students could choose!

KMS sixth grade teacher Kathy Daniels, who was in charge of this fall's Activity Day, stated, "We have a committee that worked very hard, but it couldn't be done without the support and talents of our staff, our parents, and our community volunteers, as well."

The twice-yearly Activity Day is funded through candy sales in the fall and pizza sales in the spring. Ideas and volunteers are already being sought for spring, so community members are invited to call KMS for more information about participating in this exciting and innovative event.

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Open House Held at Camp Matawa



The Scenic Kettle Moraine plays host to the YMCA's new 30 acre youth camp.



Camp Matawa's main building, previously built for use by the DNR's Youth Camp.

By Sharon Callaway Roznik

The YMCA's Camp Matawa in Campbellsport hosted an open house this past weekend to acquaint the public with its new resident camp, scheduled to debut the summer of '97.

Located along Youth Camp Road, Camp Matawa is nestled into 30 acres of land leased from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, where the DNR formerly ran its Youth Camp within the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest.

YMCA branch executive Bruce Greer, said the new 1.2 million dollar facilities will serve thousands of children and their families each year, through Y sponsored programs.

Prior to coming to Wisconsin, Bruce served as executive director at Camp H.R. Erdman in Honolulu, Hawaii. "Both my wife and I are from the midwest and have family here, so we're looking forward to getting to know the community," he stated.

Since moving here this past spring, the YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee brought youth up from the city to enjoy the unique beauty of the Kettle Moraine, with its varying landscaped and abundant wildlife.

The non-profit organization will be offering traditional camps throughout the summer, and its facilities will be utilized by schools for outdoor education programs during the fall and winter seasons.

New camp facilities are already under construction, and include a 6,800 square

foot Program Center, an outdoor pool complex with water slide, a 50 foot Alpine Climbing Tower, and an indoor/outdoor Equestrian Riding Center. Program is slated for June, 1997.

Camp Matawa will offer family weekends, four (week-long) traditional Y camps, and Equestrian Camps, for members and non-members. Camp scholarships are available for those in need of financial assistance.

Director Bruce Greer said the new camping facilities will create local job opportunities for full-time, part-time and seasonal work. Anyone interested in becoming a part of the camp crew, should contact him at 626-2149. The YMCA's mission states, "To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind, and body for all."



Pictured, left to right, YMCA Branch Executive Bruce Greer, Jerry Ninnemann, owner-editor Campbellsport Village President Rick Heisler, take a tour of the cabins at the new "Y" camp.

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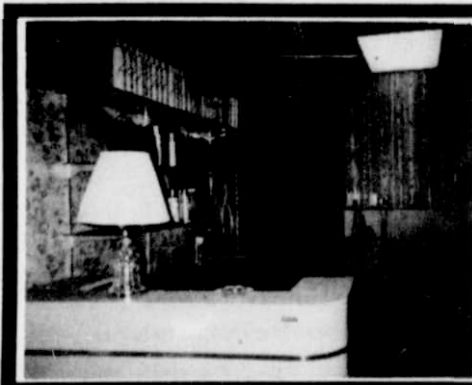
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Expansion

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land, joining KMS and KHS into one big high school complex, and teaching K-6 at the four grade schools. The district has been looking into purchasing land near the village limits, with several options and locations, all under investigation at this time. Board member Tom Timblin felt now was the time to buy, with the cost of land rising every year. Dr. Johnson told the group, "We have to be continually reassessing patterns of growth to know when to build."

Timblin supported a third option, building a new KHS, and said he had a problem with spending the largest amount of money on improving outlying schools, when the high school is the focal point of the community. "We're going to have trouble getting this to fly," Timblin told other members of the group, pointing out that Village taxpayers will be paying for any new schools, or remodeling. He also felt remodeling KES would be a bad move. "I got a lot of phone calls on this, and others agree," he related.

Dr. Johnson, elementary principal Kieth Kriewaldt, and community resident Vernon Jung all supported the plan to rejuvenate the outlying schools, repeating that it was the will of the community to retain them. "We are saying outlying schools are important," Johnson asserted. Mr. Kriewaldt observed that an increase in grades at the middle school would cause many students to get lost in

the shuffle. "Bigger is not better," he maintained, "parental involvement is always better in small schools."

Mr. Jung also pointed out that residents of the outlying districts had already paid for a referendum to remodel schools within the village, and now they needed the same kind of support.

The third option would also include joining KHS to KMS, for use as a middle school complex serving grades five through eight, with K-4 located at the grade schools, and the new high school containing ninth through twelfth grades.

Board member Neal Weare said the board will have to make some kind of decision regarding Beechwood shortly after the first of the year, if they planned on reopening the school in time for the 1997-98 school year.

The Capital Improvement Planning Committee is scheduled to bring all options, and perhaps some new ones, to the school board on Thursday, January 9, at 6 p.m. "These ideas have no seniority," Johnson reminded the group. "They all have their own weight, and the board will want many options."

The architect's plans are by no means approved. The ultimate decision rests on the board, who will be responsible for establishing the district's Capital Improvement Plan. These various building and remodeling conceptions are important projections of where the district needs to be ten years from now.

Weekly Meeting of Separated, Divorced

The Washington County separated and divorced support group for men and women meets weekly every Friday from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church in Allenton.

Their purpose is to provide a means to share ideas, concerns, support, fellowship and love from a Christian perspective. There are guest speakers, panel discussions, small group sharing and other activities.

The group is open to singles, widows and widowers. Many of the topics pertain to single parents and other individuals rebuilding their lives and relationships.

A food drive for the Washington County Food Pantry will be held during November and December. Please bring a non-perishable food to any meeting.

The meeting on December 20 will feature a Pot Luck Christmas Party with a Secret Santa and music. Please bring a dish to pass.

"Relationships and Etiquette of Dating" will be the topic of the meeting on December 27. The speaker will be announced at a later time.

On December 31, a New Year's Eve Dance will be held at Holy Angels Parish School, 230 N. 8th Avenue in West Bend at 8 p.m. Advance tickets are \$8 or \$12 will be charged at the door.





School District of Kewaskum

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



December 19 - January 2

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

- *KMS Christmas Concert - 7 p.m.
- * KHS Wrestling at Chilton

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

LAST DAY OF CLASSES BEFORE CHRISTMAS BREAK
(Classes resume January 2)

- * KHS Girls Basketball at Two Rivers
- * JV Wrestling at Lomira


FRIDAY & SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27 & 28

- * KHS Wrestling at Oshkosh Tourney

THURSDAY, JANUARY 2

CLASSES RESUME

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Shown above is Kewaskum Chevrolet's entry in the Annual Christmas Parade. The gaily decorated float won third place in the prize competition.

Governor Approves Three Bridge Repairs in County

Governor Tommy Thompson has approved a \$362,474 contract for repairs to three bridges northwest of Germantown in Washington County.

Asphalt overlays are scheduled on the two WIS 145 bridges over US 41/US 45 and the US 45 southbound bridge over US 41.

Payne & Dolan, Inc. of Waukesha, is expected to begin work about May 1 and finish in August, weather permitting.

The two-lane bridges will remain open to one lane

of traffic in both directions. However, the WIS 145 to US 45 southbound on-ramp will be closed for about a month during work on the US 45 southbound bridge over US 41, said Darwin Derge, project manager for the Wisconsin Department of Transportation.

The new surface will

halt deterioration of the bridges, and new beam guards will be installed to enhance safety, Derge said.

State transportation funds will pay the entire cost of the project.

Marriage License

Julio Munoz, Kewaskum, and Robin A. McBride, Kewaskum. Wedding Dec. 14.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

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For the 1996 Christmas and 1997 New Year's Holiday, the Municipal Building Office hours will be as follows:

Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 24 & 25 **CLOSED**

Monday, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 23, 26 & 27
OPEN 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM

Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 31 and Jan. 1 **CLOSED**

Monday, Dec. 30 and Thursday, Jan. 2
OPEN 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 P.M.

Holiday Garbage & Recycling Collection will be
Thursday, Dec. 26, 1996 and Thursday, Jan. 2, 1997.

Discarded Christmas trees will be picked up/chipped **January 6 & 13**, if placed at the curb in an orderly manner. Please remove all decorations and metal from trees and plastic bags from around trees. Thank you for your cooperation.

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The Hon-E-Kor Country Club/Sentry Foods float won fifth place in the Annual Christmas Parade held recently.

Christmas Trees Going On Sale

Still haven't found that Christmas tree for your living room? Well, look no further, but hurry on over to the KHS band tree lot located at the Kewaskum Mall.

There are still trees left and they are going on sale. That's right, on sale! Starting Thursday, from 3:30 to 6 p.m., all Balsam and Frasers will be marked down to \$25, while the Scotch and White Pine will be going for \$15. Enjoy a wreath and take \$2 off the price.

On Friday, from 3:30 to 6

p.m., a further reduction will be given. All remaining Balsam and Frasers will be on sale for \$20 and the Scotch and White Pine will go for \$12. All wreaths will go at \$5 below the posted prices.

Saturday, December 21, will be the last of the tree sales. KHS band students

will be cleaning up from 9 to 10:30 a.m. at which time all remaining trees will be sold for \$10, or even make us an offer. Hope to see you this Thursday, Friday or Saturday for the big tree sale of the year.

Music Box Display At RL Library

The display case of the Lakeview Community Library is filled to the brim with Christmas music boxes owned by Ann Wilson, a resident of Slinger.

She received her first music box twenty years ago as a gift, but now concentrates on collecting animated Christmas music boxes. The display contains "water balls," trains, ceramic, cloth as well as wooden music boxes.

The music box collection will be on display at the Lakeview Community Library, located at 112 Butler Street in Random Lake through Tuesday, December 31.

Library hours are Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., Friday, 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Library hours will vary during the week between Christmas and New Year's Day.

Holiday Hours At Post Office

The Post Office has announced it will close retail window operations two hours early on Christmas Eve, December 24, 1996. Last minute package pickup and shipping via Express Mail service will be available prior to the early closing.

The early closing will not impact the delivery of mail on December 24. All packages, cards and letters received in the local post office on Christmas Eve will be delivered. Throughout much of the United States, postal employees will continue to deliver Express Mail packages on Christmas Day.

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MEMORIES



Candlelight Service At Salem U.C.C. Christmas Eve

Salem United Church of Christ extends a warm welcome to you to join them at the very inspirational, heart lifting Candlelight Service at 11 p.m. at Salem Church in Wayne at the intersection of Highways H and W on Christmas Eve, December 24.

People are still talking

about the wonderful experience had, as they sang all the great Christmas Carols. While holding the lit candles in hand, they experienced the warmth and fellowship in the light of those flickering flames. It was wonderful.

And it will be wonderful again this year, as the congregation repeats that spiritually moving celebration at 11 p.m. on Christmas Eve. And remember, you are always welcome at Salem in Wayne!

Kewaskum Fire and Rescue Squad Calls

Monday, Dec. 9 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad responded to a call at 7:54 p.m. at Kewaskum High School for a female patient who was ill. No transport was made.

Monday, Dec. 9 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad was summoned at 8:20 p.m. in the Village of Kewaskum for a male child who was ill. No transport was made.

Tuesday, Dec. 10 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad was dispatched at 7:28 p.m. in the Village of Kewaskum for a male patient experiencing difficulty breathing. The patient was transported to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend.

Thursday, Dec. 12 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad and the Jaws of Life responded to a call at 5:19 p.m. in the Town of Kewaskum for a motor vehicle accident. One patient was transported to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend, for treatment of injuries received. The Jaws was not needed.

Monday, Dec. 16 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad responded to a call in the Village of Kewaskum at 1 a.m. for a female patient who was ill. No transport was made.

Holiday Preparations Begun at KES



"It's a small, small world," as Kewaskum Elementary School's holiday preparations include class celebrations focusing around seasonal holiday celebrations from around the globe. Here, fourth grader Danny Hammes puts the finishing touches on a German-style advent wreath.

Season's Greetings

Whatever you do, we hope the joys of the season become precious memories to cherish in the year ahead.

We're really proud to be of service and gratefully acknowledge your loyal support.
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Thank you for your kindness and good will. To all we wish a very merry Christmas season.



WEST BEND COMPANY

November is Deadliest In Past Seventeen Years

Following one of the safest Octobers on record, the month of November went down in the record books as the deadliest in the last 17 years.

Preliminary information from the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) indicates that 83 people lost their lives in crashes during the month of November. That's the highest number since 1979, when 100 were killed. In October, 57 people were killed, making it the second safest October since the end of World War II. Some 61 died in November, 1995. The five year average for November is 58. The safest post-World War II Novembers were in 1981 and 1991 when 50 people were killed. The deadliest November was in 1973 when 110 people lost their lives.

"The number of people who were killed in November is very discouraging, given what we felt was a positive trend in October's lower numbers and the fact that, traditionally, there are fewer traffic fatalities recorded during November than October," said WisDOT Secretary Charles H. Thompson. "I continue to urge motorists to slow down, drive only when sober, and to buckle up."

According to preliminary data from WisDOT, 54 drivers, 23 passengers, five pedestrians and one bicyclist were killed in crashes last month. That compares to 36 drivers, 17 passengers, seven pedestrians, and one bicyclist who were killed during November, 1995.

That brings the totals through November to 682, the same as for the first eleven months of 1995, and a five-year average of 663.

So far for the year, through November, 402 drivers, 166 passengers, 50 pedestrians, 39 motorcycle drivers, ten motorcycle passengers and 13 bicyclists have died on the state's roads. Preliminary information shows that 10 people lost their lives during the four-day Thanksgiving holiday. Over the last eight years, the average has been

eight deaths. The fewest deaths were recorded in 1990 and 1992, when there were four fatalities recorded in each year. The highest number of fatalities during that period was in 1989 when 16 people died. Last year, nine people died in traffic crashes during the Thanksgiving holiday.

A Christmas Challenge

While driving down country roads or city boulevards and marveling at the Christmas decorations--do you ever try to imagine what's going on in those homes? Somehow, at Christmastime we seem to feel closer to people we don't even know. There seems to be a special magic about Christmas knowing that for these few days, anyway, we all share the same hopes and happiness.

Like those around us, we're enjoying the traditional things-- friends stopping in to visit, pleas-

ant aromas coming from the kitchen, endless hours of shopping and the fun of decorating. It's a time of smiles and a time to say, "Merry Christmas" to someone who suddenly becomes more than a stranger.

Christmas seems to prove that we see our fellowman differently when we find something in common. Suddenly we start to care as his world becomes a part of ours.



SAY CHEESE!

Dairy Council of Wisconsin suggests a fun family activity: Create a batch of Santa's Milk Mustache Punch by combining a pint of vanilla frozen yogurt with a pint of dairy case eggnog and adding two teaspoons of almond extract. Pour into serving glasses and drink. Then, photograph children sporting a milk mustache for your holiday photo album or scrapbook.

RESOLUTION NO. 96-29

TO AMEND THE 1996 VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM GENERAL FUND ADOPTED BUDGET

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amendments be made to the adopted 1996 General Fund Budget to reflect those revenues and expenditures anticipated for 1996:

ACCT #	DESCRIPTION	INCREASE/DECREASE	AMENDED BUDGET
413100-10	Water Dept Taxes	(2,276)	44,224
432100-10	Cablevision Franchise Fee	+ 16,200	24,000
435100-10	Building Permits	+ 2,720	18,000
435200-10	Electrical Permits	+ 600	4,100
435300-10	Plumbing Permits	+ 400	3,600
435900-10	Miscellaneous Permits	+ 350	1,750
437300-10	Other Awards	+ 5,420	5,660
445300-10	Public Works	+ 800	2,200
447330-10	Zoning	+ 550	1,750
471100-10	Private Donations	+ 2,215	6,927
482900-10	Miscellaneous Rent	+ 902	902
486100-10	Police Equipment Sales	+ 2,335	8,035
486200-10	Sale of Village Property	+183,684	183,684
TOTAL INCREASE/DECREASE		+213,900	

EXPENDITURES:			
512090-10	Election Expense	(1,000)	650
513000-10	CVC Salaries	+ 500	562
513010-10	CVC Wages	+ 735	809
513073-10	CVC Repairs/Maintenance	+ 546	618
513085-10	CVC Electricity	+ 253	525
513086-10	CVC Gas	+ 1,464	2,260
519490-10	Property/Liability Insurance	(9,000)	63,000
521795-10	Police Outlay	+ 2,335	23,014
523095-10	Fire Dept Outlay	+ 5,000	109,269
524110-10	Building Inspection	+ 3,720	19,470
541090-10	Village Garage Misc	+ 5,500	8,720
549010-10	Storm Sewer Wages	+ 2,500	3,929
549090-10	Storm Sewer Miscellaneous	+ 9,446	12,813
552110-10	Park Wages	+ 8,500	31,139
552190-10	Park Miscellaneous	+ 7,000	20,444
552295-10	Park Outlay	(2,215)	22,780
552510-10	Recreation Wages	(1,000)	1,800
563290-10	Land Use Planning	+175,186	421,071
TOTAL INCREASE/DECREASE		+213,900	

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a transfer of funds in the amount of Eleven Thousand Three Hundred Twenty-Eight Dollars and Zero Cents (\$11,328.00) be made from Account #100110 Special Revenue Funds Open Space Fund to cover those expenses related to the razing of 140 Main Street (Old Sentry Store);

479200-10	Pre-budgeted Transfer	+11,328	193,578
563290-10	Land Use Planning	+11,328	432,399

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that those amounts received over the budgeted amounts for 1996 in the following revenue accounts be placed in Account #100150 Designated Funds under their related categories;

471500-10	Centennial Celebration		
553400-10	553490-10 Celebration Expenses		

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a transfer of funds in the amount of Three Thousand Fifty-Four Dollars and Zero Cents (\$3,054.00) be made from Account #100150 Designated Funds from the Sub-Account #540595 Storm Sewer Outlay to cover those expenses under Account #549090 Storm Sewer Maintenance;

479200-10	Prebudgeted Transfer	+ 3,054	196,632
549090-10	Storm Sewer Miscellaneous	+ 3,054	15,867

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 9th day of December, 1996 by the Kewaskum Village Board.

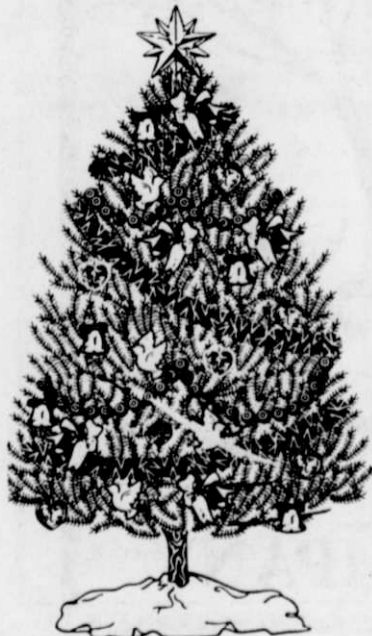
Robert H. Wagner
Village President

ATTEST:

Daniel S. Schmidt
Administrator/Clerk

Introduced by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann
Motion for adoption by Trustee Harry Roecker
Motion for adoption seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy

Roll call vote was 6 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 1 "Absent"



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Village Board Meeting Minutes

Mid-Monthly Meeting
November 25, 1996
8:00 p.m.

The Village Board of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, met in Regular Special Session in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 204 First Street.

President Robert Wagner presided. All Trustee Members were present. A quorum was present.

The meeting was opened with a Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance.

On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee Harry Roecker and unanimously carried by voice vote, the minutes of the November 4, 1996 meeting were approved as printed.

A public hearing was held on the rezoning request of Butler Financial Group for rezoning 1551 Fond du Lac Avenue from R-3 Two-Family Residence District to B-1 Limited Retail and Service District. It was noted that 16 certified notices of the public hearing were mailed. Also Trustee David Goeden informed the Board that the Plan Commission reviewed the matter and has sent it to the Board with a favorable recommendation for rezoning. No one else was in attendance either for or against said rezoning. On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board closed the public hearing. Roll call vote was 7 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent."

The public hearing was held on the proposed budget for 1997 as noticed in the November 7, 1996 Kewaskum Statesman. It was noted two reporters were present. A review of both the revenues and expenditures were gone over by the Administrator with questions being asked and answered. The budget as proposed and heard, would equal a general budget decrease of 9.3% or \$169,382. The tax levy as discussed would equal an increase of \$49,598 or 8.6% partially caused from the real growth within the Village, while the Village tax rate also reflects an increase of .288C or 5.5% per \$1,000 assessed value. The Village's rate as proposed would equal \$5.545 per \$1,000 assessed value. Several other vital tax facts were reviewed in conjunction with the proposed budget. On a motion by Trustee Harry Roecker, seconded by Trustee Gary Gavin and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board closed the public hearing. Roll call vote was 7 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent."

Administrator Daniel Schmidt reviewed the assessment process as determined by the State of Wisconsin, Department of Revenue and also looked at what has happened and what has been accomplished over the last years as well as looking at where the Village will be going in the future. A comparison to how the Village is doing financially with reference to the other taxing entities was also reviewed. The matter of the lottery credit or lack thereof on this year was also discussed.

The public hearing was held on the proposed Library Fund, TIF Fund, Capital Projects Fund, Debt Service Fund and Special Revenue Fund budgets for 1997. A review of the funds revealed no major changes on the accounts and it was pointed out that the TIF district has had substantial growth and that the TIF budget reflects zero and that the district has been closed out by the Village Board 6 years early. On a motion by Trustee Gary Gavin, seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board closed the public hearing. Roll call vote was 7 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent."

The public hearing was held on the proposed Water Department budget for 1997. The Board

reviewed the budget and it was noted the utility was meeting the PSC's requirement in reference to a rate of return. No rate adjustment is needed at this time and the utility is in fair financial condition. On a motion by Trustee John Kenworthy, seconded by Trustee Warren Dums and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board closed the public hearing. Roll call vote was 7 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent."

The public hearing was held on the proposed Water Pollution Control Department Budget for 1997. The Board reviewed the budget and noted that a continued review of the existing rate structure will take place during 1997, probably during the 3rd quarter. On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee Gary Gavin and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board closed the public hearing. Roll call vote was 7 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent."

A public hearing was held on the application for a Combination Class "A" Fermented Malt Beverage and Intoxicating Liquor License as noticed for Kuehl's Suds & Spirits - Dennis Kuehl. There were no objections to the issuance of said license. On a motion by Trustee Gary Gavin, seconded by Trustee Harry Roecker and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board closed the public hearing. Roll call vote was 7 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent."

Assistant Fire Chief Mark Herriges indicated the October report would be given at the next meeting. The Board was informed that the advertisement for bids on the proposed tank truck have been mailed. It was also noted that the Fire Contract from the Town of Kewaskum has been received and will be brought to the Board on December 9, 1996.

Assistant Fire Chief Mark Herriges presented the October 1996 monthly report:

Fire calls - 25;
Jaws of life - 1, Year to date - 21;
Rescue calls - 17.

Chief of Police Richard L. Knoebel presented the October 1996 monthly report:

Criminal arrests - 42, Criminal investigations - 39; Traffic warnings - 131, Traffic citations - 44; Adult arrests - 20, Juvenile arrests - 23; Property stolen - \$685, Property recovered - \$1,005; Parking warnings - 7, Parking tags - 8.

Director of Public Works, Jerry Gilles reported that the Christmas decorations are in the process of being installed for the holidays. The snow has arrived and it was noted several property owners did not clear their sidewalks in a timely manner. Letters have been sent out to over 25 informing them of the Village snow removing rules. Also a news notes has been taken to the paper for publication.

Administrator Daniel S. Schmidt reviewed the following with the Board:

1) Review of the budget control sheet for October 1996.
2) Review of Taxpayer and League bulletins.

3) Review of correspondence.
Chairman of the Park and Recreation Committee, Gary Gavin reviewed a request to accept a merry go round from a school district resident for placement at River Hill Park. The consensus of the Board was favorable and they asked the Director of Public Works to check out the merry go round to make sure it would be safe for children to play on.

Board Representative for the Plan Commission, Trustee David Goeden on behalf of the Plan Commission, asked the Board to authorize sending a request to SEWRPC to schedule and assist with the amending of the Village of Kewaskum Zoning Ordinance to correspond with the proposed Land Use Plan. On a motion by Trustee Gary Gavin, seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board directed the Administrator to file such a request with SEWRPC.

Board Representative for the Plan Commission, Trustee David

Goeden announced the scheduled Commission Meeting for Tuesday, December 10, 1996 at 7:00 p.m.

Action was taken on Ordinance No. 96-11 An Ordinance To Amend The Zoning of Village Land as heard at public hearing and attached hereto:

The Board reviewed the proposed budget for 1997 as heard at the public hearing and reviewed the taxpayer informational memo, including Holiday Municipal Building hours. On a motion by Trustee Gary Gavin, seconded by Trustee Warren Dums and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board approved the General Budget as proposed for 1997, the format for the taxpayer memo and holiday office schedule. President Robert Wagner, along with the entire Board, thanked the Administrator and all Department Heads and employees for continuing to work hard on maintaining a sound and reasonable budget.

On a motion by Trustee Gary Gavin, seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board approved the Village of Kewaskum Taxes & Accounts Receivable Refund Policy as both the Wisconsin Department of Revenue and Washington County Treasurer.

On a motion by Trustee Warren Dums, seconded by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board approved the Library Fund, TIF Fund, Capital Projects Fund, Debt Service Fund and Special Revenue Fund Budgets as heard at public hearing for 1997.

Action was taken on Resolution No. 96-27 a resolution setting the 1996 tax rate as attached hereto:

On a motion by Trustee Gary Gavin, seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board approved the Water Department budget for 1997 as heard at public hearing.

On a motion by Trustee John Kenworthy, seconded by Trustee Warren Dums and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board approved the Water Pollution Control Department budget for 1997 as heard at public hearing.

On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee Gary Gavin and carried by the majority roll call vote, the Board approved the Combination Class "A" Fermented Malt Beverage and Intoxicating Liquor License for Kuehl's Suds & Spirits - Dennis Kuehl as heard at public hearing and authorized the office to issue said license after payment of fees.

Action was taken on Resolution No. 96-24 a Resolution Accepting By Dedication Improvements Relating To Sunset Estates Phase I and II as requested by Gary and Linda Gavin as attached hereto:

Action was taken on Resolution No. 96-26 a Resolution Authorizing the Sale of Village Owned Property Known by Tax Key No. V4-0248 as attached hereto:

On a motion by Trustee Gary Gavin, seconded by Trustee Warren Dums and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board authorized the signing of an Easement Agreement regarding parking for lot V4-0248 on the Village owned lot known by Tax Key No. V4-0249.

On a motion by Trustee Gary Gavin, seconded by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board authorized the signing of a Reciprocal Easement Agreement between Regal Ware Inc. and the Village of Kewaskum for access to Water Tower No. One and across property adjacent to Tower No. One.

The Village Board reviewed price quotes and comparisons to coverage from the Village's current carrier, Kettle Moraine Agency, and Wausau Insurance. It was noted both provide excellent coverage and are very reputable companies. The differences were pointed out as well as the cost variances. It was noted that up front the premiums for coverage from the Kettle Moraine Agency were approximately \$7,000

lower; however after potential dividends are applied and received the difference reverses itself making Wausau approximately \$4,000 lower. It was noted there are no guarantees to the dividends and if Wausau Insurance was used instead of the State of Wisconsin pool the difference would be reduced to probably \$500. A question as to a retroactive insurance date was discussed with still some unanswered view points. A few other points were addressed and the Administrator was asked how claims and services are provided for by the Kettle Moraine Agency. The service and response to claims are excellent. On a motion by Trustee Gary Gavin, seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board authorized staying with Kettle Moraine Agency acknowledging the Agency being a local company and the type of service provided. It was noted the next time quotes are asked for a prior review by the Leagues Consultant or a similar firm look at the adequacy of coverage to get a better comparison.

Discussion was held on the Subdivision Agreement and Financial Guarantee Agreement for Whispering Willow Creek. It was noted the Financial Guarantee is for all purposes the same as other agreements in the past. The Subdivision is similar to those previously acted on with two exceptions; 1) The donation of 6.14 acres of land in lieu of open space fees equalling a possible \$18,600 and 2) The section on mail delivery receptacles.

The land in lieu of open space fees led to a substantial amount of discussion. Trustee David Goeden informed the Board that the Plan Commission did send a favorable recommendation to the Board regarding this matter and pointed out he did not agree with the Commission and still did not. It was noted that each situation is different and that each case should be looked at on an individual basis. On a motion by Trustee David Goeden to authorize the signing of said agreement less the approval of the land in lieu of open space fee section died for lack of a second. On a motion by Trustee Harry Roecker, seconded by Trustee Warren Dums and carried by the majority voice vote, the Board authorized the signing of said guarantee and agreement as prepared. Roll call vote was 5 "Aye" 1 "Nay" 0 "Absent" 1 "Abstain." Trustee David Goeden voting nay and Trustee Gary Gavin abstaining.

A review of the final plat for Whispering Willow Creek took place with Trustee John Kenworthy noting the need for an easement across lot 27 for the trail system. A couple alterations need to be added as advised by the Engineers. The topic of Brooklane Drive access to the subdivision was reviewed in conjunction with a letter received from South East Wisconsin Regional Plan Commission. It was noted the letter covered the questions as asked by the Board. Action was taken on Resolution No. 96-25 A Resolution Accepting the Final Plat for Whispering Willow Creek as attached hereto:

Action was taken on

Ordinance No. 96-12 An Ordinance To Amend ss. 25.04(6) Of The Municipal Code (Penalty) Of The Juvenile Penalty) as attached here to:

On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee Gary Gavin and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board authorized the signing of the "Bill of Sale" for the street lights as installed in conjunction with the 1995 USH "45" project.

Trustee David Goeden asked if the Plan Commission would be able to hold a public hearing on a rezoning issue rather than the Village Board. The Plan Commission may decide to hold the public hearing. It is basically their choice. The Village Board would still have to act on the Ordinance. Some general discussion on the topic took place.

On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee Gary Gavin and carried by the majority roll call vote, to adjourn. Roll call vote was 7 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent."

Daniel S. Schmidt
Administrator
Approved 12-09-96
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Tuesday, Dec. 24 -- All Meal Sites Closed. Christmas Eve.

Thursday, Dec. 26 -- Turkey w/gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, sour dough bread, butterscotch pudding.

Ceramics at 10:00 a.m. every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month.

KEWASKUM TOWN BOARD MEETING

DECEMBER 23, 1996

The Town of Kewaskum Town Board will meet Monday, December 23, 1996, 8:00 p.m., at the Kewaskum Town Hall, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum, WI.

AGENDA - TOWN BOARD MEETING

I Chairperson Dorn call meeting to order
A. Official meeting notification
B. Pledge of Allegiance
C. Roll call

II Public presentation (15 minutes)

III Old business

A.

IV New business

A. Per closed meeting to set up work responsibilities of Town employees, per closed meeting with employee on 12-9-96.
B. Change date of January 1997 Town Caucus for the purpose of nominating Town candidates for the Spring Election April 1, 1997.

Dated this 16th day of December, 1996

Barbara L. Wenzlaff,
Town Clerk

Wayne Brownies, Junior Girl Scouts Enjoy Camping Trip



The Wayne Elementary School Brownie Girl Scout Troop #6222 and Junior Girl Scout Troop #282 had a great time at a weekend camping trip at Crystal Lake on October 25-27. They all worked hard to earn this weekend through their 1996 cookie sales last spring. Good job girls! Shown above, front row, left to right: Shelly Carlson, Ashley Weiss, special helper Lindsey Weiss, Ashley Corey, special helper T.J. Corey. Back row: Jodi Winter, Jena Roskopf, Kerrie Leander, Erika Brock, Samantha Bothwell. A special thank you to the leaders and co-leaders who also attended the trip and organized it, Dawn Weiss, Jean Roskopf, Marlene Corey and Kathy Carlson.

Blood Donors Please Give the 'Gift of Life'

As the Christmas season approaches, the American Red Cross reminds us that blood, the gift of life, is needed all year round. One-year old Ryder Toth of Milton is just one of the thousands who are alive today because total strangers gave blood through the Red Cross.

In the fall of 1995, Becky Toth began having trouble during her pregnancy. Her blood was not compatible with her baby and the infant's life was in danger. Doctors recommended intrauterine blood transfusions for the baby.

Red Cross volunteers and staff worked to find the one person in every 1,600 blood donors who would match the blood type the baby needed to survive.

They were rewarded for their efforts when Ryder Toth was born strong and healthy that November.

In this region over 700 people must give blood through the Red Cross everyday. The next opportunity to share the gift of life will be Friday, December 20, at the Campbellsport Community Center.

This blood drive is sponsored by the Bishop Salvator Schlaefel council 11301 of the Knights of Columbus. If you have any questions please call Blood Drive Coordinator Carl Plaum at 533-5473.



Holiday Hours at County Offices

The Washington County Offices will be closed as follows for the Christmas/New Year's holidays:

Closed at 12 noon on Tuesday, Dec. 24, in observance of Christmas Eve.

Closed all day Wednesday, Dec. 25, in observance

of Christmas Day.

The offices will be open for business as usual at 8 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 26.

Closed at 12 noon on Tuesday, Dec. 31 in observance of New Year's Eve.

Closed all day Wednesday, Jan. 1, in observance of New Year's Day.

The offices will open for business as usual at 8 a.m. Thursday morning, January 2, 1997.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- JANUARY -

5 - JUNIOR INDIANS BOYS BASKETBALL REGISTRATION from 5:40 to 6 p.m. at Kewaskum High School. Boys basketball games for 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th graders will be played Sunday nights from 6 to 7:30 p.m. 12-19-96

There is a 3.00 (pre-paid) charge for publishing your event up to three times in the Community Calendar column.



DECK THE HALLS!

Don't let guests leave empty-handed. Put homemade goodies (such as butter cookies, seasoned nuts, homemade fudge, etc.) into inexpensive mugs or glasses, sniffers, canisters, boxes or tins and wrap with clear plastic. Add a pretty bow. Place gifts on a tray near the door, and let guests choose one as they depart.

SWEET ENDINGS

Dairy Council of Wisconsin suggests you use real dairy whipping cream as a great finish to a superb meal. Top desserts -- from pies to brownies -- with a dollop of fresh, homemade whipped cream. Add red or green candies or food coloring for Christmas color.

RESOLUTION NO. 96-28

ELECTION INSPECTORS SCHEDULE

WHEREAS, the Village of Kewaskum has a sufficient number of Election Inspectors, it would be advantageous to the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, Polks; and

WHEREAS, if the need arises in the future that the splitting of shifts for Election Inspectors may be ordered by the Village Administrator/Clerk;

WHEREAS, it should be noted that the Chairman and Co-Chairman of Election Inspectors will normally not work a split shift unless so authorized by the Village Administrator/Clerk and an alternate Chairman or Co-Chairman are so designated to that position position.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Village Board of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, will authorize the splitting of shifts for Election Inspectors as determined by the Village Administrator/Clerk.

Adopted and approved this December 9, 1996, by the Kewaskum Village Board.

Robert H. Wagner
Village President

ATTEST:
Daniel S. Schmidt
Administrator/Clerk

Introduced by Trustee Warren Dums
Motion for adoption seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy
Roll call vote was 6 'Aye' 0 'Nay' 1 'Absent'

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Fifth Grade Enterprise Builds Birdhouses

Building a business through building birdhouses was the goal of fifth graders in Mrs. Wenzlaff's class at Kewaskum Elementary School.

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5 handed winner's on Thursday, Dec. 12th were: Butch Schmitt, 79-10--69, 18-6--12; Jerry Geiger, 59-8-51, 25-6--19; Whitey Heisler, 48-5--43, 18-3--15; Jean Becker, 48-6--42, 17-4-13; Andy Bonlender, 44-5--39, 19-3--16.

The next 5 handed will be Thursday, Dec. 26th and Wednesday, Jan. 1st, 1997 at 8:00 p.m. sharp. Cash prizes, lunch. Schmitt's Never Inn.

springtime field trip to Chicago, fifth graders created a business, "Fifth Grade Enterprise." The class determined that birdhouses were a product they could both make and sell. Students took orders for birdhouses and found a parent volunteer, Mr. Gitter, willing to pre-cut the necessary pieces.

Fifth graders then travelled to the high school, where Tech. Ed. students from Mr. Stradtman's fourth hour supervised the birdhouse construction. Students pounded nails, lined up pieces, and attached brackets and dowls over the course of two days.

The enterprise, and the activity, were each a tremendous success, and a lot of fun.



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Letters to The Editor

December 12, 1996

Dear Friends:

Donated Health Care Services, Inc. is a non-profit organization established to deliver basic health services to individuals residing in the Washington County area and who lack sufficient resources to otherwise obtain those services.

What was but a nebulous dream in early October 1995, was conceived as "Project Hope" October 30, 1995. It was born as "Donated Health Care Services, Inc." on December 4, 1995 and received The Articles of Incorporation and bylaws two weeks later. Our tax free designation was dated July 10, 1996.

Dedicated volunteers worked with enthusiasm to build a sound foundation that resulted in a non-publicized practical training session with one volunteer patient being evaluated at our first clinic on October 17, 1996. A limited publicity caused our second clinic on October 24 to be attended by seven people. They provided proof that we will fill a need. Three of them came from West Bend, and one each from Hartford, Kewaskum, Campbellsport and Fredonia.

Except for Thanksgiving the clinic has been open every Thursday night from 6 to 9 p.m. in quality space provided by St. Joseph's Community Hospital at no charge. The variety of problems is amazing. Some have been present for months or years. Several patients have been referred to physicians who accept our vouchers with agreed upon reduced fees. West Bend Pharmacists have been cooperative in accepting our vouchers for medications at substantial discounts.

I am aware of seeing two vouchers from dentists to whom we referred patients with serious dental problems marked "no charge" for services worth over \$200 each!

While our volunteers work without monetary pay, our costs may reach as much as \$200,000 a year: That is the reason for this letter. Is it possible that you might be in a position to help with a fully tax deductible year end contribution?

Please help us to help those less fortunate who rely on our help. With sincere gratitude and best wishes for a blessed Holiday Season.

James Albrecht, M.D.
President
Donated Health Care Services, Inc.

December 12, 1996

Dear Editor,

Now that 1996 is ending it might be a good time for area residents to review some of the activity of our state lawmaking body and

state judicial system. Several years ago, with the help of a state referendum, our legislators inacted a law creating a state lottery with the profits to be used only to compensate state homeowners because of the high school taxes. At the time these provisions were considered legal by our learned representatives and had nothing to do with the property tax itself.

There are now laws in the state requiring only Southeastern Wisconsin residents to have emission tests and use ethanol fuel in their vehicles because of supposed air pollution, although access to and from the state for all vehicles leaving or entering the state from the North or South without the same restrictions being applied. The judicial system evidently feels these requirements are fair and equal treatment.

State legislators have now inacted a law which requires five Southeastern counties to pay a sales tax to build a stadium for a private corporation. The wealthy who will be able to afford leasing luxury boxes at the stadium will not be required to pay any sales tax whatsoever for these boxes. This is considered fair and equitable by our judicial system.

I believe that corporate school taxes are now based on a different percentage than homeowners so that they pay a lower rate, although they benefit more directly from schools and when the state increased their share of school cost, corporations were equally included. This is considered fair and equal taxation by our justice system.

Now, out of the clear blue sky, a state judge has

declared that the lottery refund is unconstitutional and is not fair and equitable to out of state vacation homeowners. I am beginning to wonder who these fair and equitable laws were made for. I was under the impression that laws were to protect the general public, not an elite few.

I wonder if our legislators realize that if those lottery benefits were mailed separately and not included with the property tax bill they might be considered constitutional, even by our justice system. I also think 1997 would be a good time for the Wisconsin general public to start letting their representatives know what they think of their laws and how they are representing them.

Thank you.

Lloyd A. Koch

Kewaskum FFA Holds Meeting

The Kewaskum FFA Chapter held its monthly meeting at the Kohlsville Fire Department for the month of November. There, the firemen showed FFA members how to use fire extinguishers and how to put out small fires. They explained which fires could be put out with certain fire extinguishers.

FFA members discussed old business which included: the Slow Moving Vehicle (S.M.V.) sign giveaway, the State Alumni Raffle, Sand Barrels, Fruit Sale Winners and the Toy/Craft Show.

Each farmer who received two free S.M.V. signs may receive one more.

These farmers should contact an FFA member, or stop at the High School Agriculture Department.

Members were asked to turn in the State Alumni Raffle tickets they haven't sold, so other members can sell them. These raffle tickets are sold to help the community with the River Walk and other projects throughout the area. The top three prizes for the raffle consist of a Chevy truck, a four wheeler, and a boat. The tickets are being sold for \$2 each or 3/\$5. Contact any FFA member for more information.

For an ongoing safety project throughout the winter, the FFA Chapter will be putting sand barrels on the six most dangerous intersections throughout the school district.

The top three fruit sale winners this year were: First Place - Brad Oelhafen; Second Place - Jeremy Hawig, and Third Place - Heather Maas. Thanks to all who sold and purchased fruit.

The Toy/Craft Show will be held February 16, 1997. Members discussed having a few extra attractions, such as a pedal tractor pull to make the show more enjoyable for people of all ages.

Under New Business, members discussed a purchase for the Kohlsville Fire Department, smoke alarms, donating a ham to the high school's homeroom families and the local FFA Alumni Hog Raffle tickets.

It was decided to purchase the Kohlsville Fire Department two pass alarms. Pass alarms are sensors to tell the firemen when it is too hot or sense

when they do not move for a certain amount of time while they're inside a burning building. A very loud siren is sounded from the alarm to alert the fireman or other firemen if or when they are in danger. This alarm will definitely help the department improve upon the safety of the firemen.

Members discussed donating smoke alarms to members of the community. They could not decide how many alarms to purchase, so the item was laid on the table until the next meeting when they will have more information regarding the alarms and the amount of interest within the community.

It was also decided that for the Christmas season, the FFA Chapter will be donating a five-pound ham to each homeroom family.

The FFA Chapter will be selling hog raffle tickets for the FFA Alumni Association who will also be selling the tickets. The top two prizes are half a hog. Each prize will consist of about 55-75 pounds of meat.

Several weeks ago, the Kewaskum FFA Chapter sent Peter Muth, Charlie Berres, Bruce Gundrum, and Dan Zuehlke to Kansas City for the yearly National Convention. At this convention, 44,000 FFA members from around the United States gathered to discuss leadership programs and events. These four candidates will give a presentation to the rest of the members at the next meeting.

The FFA wishes everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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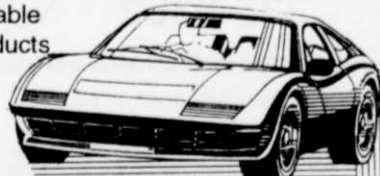
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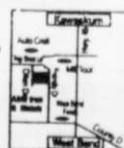
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Indian Matmen Have Successful Season Opener

By Sally N. Cochran

The Kewaskum Indians' wrestling team had an impressive season-opener in Lomira on Saturday, December 7. The Indian matmen came through with a 4-1 record at the team tournament losing only to Cedar Grove, 52-19, who finished 5-0 in the competition.

The other matches were much more favorable. Kewaskum snuck by Lomira 35-32; whooped Pardeeville 57-15; pounded Princeton 66-12, and just barely came out ahead of St. Lawrence 40-36.

Senior Joel Dziedzic hit a milestone after a very exciting battle with Pardeeville's Craig Klawitter. The 8-7 win gave Joel his 100th career victory. Wrestling at 140 pounds, Joel came out of the tournament with four pins, three of them under one minute.

KHS Coach John Nell was very pleased with the team's efforts. At 125 pounds Josh Dieringer won all his matches, along with teammates Erik Kopecky and Glen Schnabel, who were also perfect in their weight classes, 152 and 160.

Freshman Mark Farchione pinned three of his opponents in the 171 pound weight class and finished the day 4-1. Senior Bruce Gundrum also finished 4-1 with three pins and a forfeit.

Come and cheer on the mighty Indian matmen tonight (December 19) in their match with Chilton there at 6:30 p.m. and wish them good luck for Saturday's tournament in Oostburg.

HT Boys A Team Beats Mayville

The Holy Trinity boys' A team had it all together when they beat St. Marys of Mayville by the score of 48 to 31 on Friday, December 13 at the Kewaskum Middle School.

The Wildcat's tough defense held the Celtics scoreless for the first four minutes of the first quarter while scoring 15 points themselves. At the end of the first quarter, the score was 19 to 4, Wildcats.

The Celtics woke up in the second and third quarter and played an even game with the Wildcats, but they could never get the edge on Holy Trinity and make up the deficit.

In the fourth quarter, Holy Trinity again tightened their defense and contained the Celtic's big center allowing only six points to their 11.

The Wildcats, although plagued by fouls (15 team fouls), robbed the Celtics of the ball 22 times. Many of those turnovers turned into Holy Trinity points.

Those scoring for the Wildcats were Jon Boedeker, Luke Piwoni, Jacob Stoffel and Mitch Strobel, all with eight points; Paul Mertz with six points, and Mark Schrauth, Bryan Kraft, John Neumann, Josh Repovsch and Nick Thorn, all with two points.

Holy Trinity's next

game will be on December 20, against St. Mary's of Barton in Barton.

Lettow Leads JV Matmen

By Sally N. Cochran

Dave Lettow was the sole first place winner for the Indians at the JV tournament in which no team scores were calculated.

"Everyone got lots of mat time and experience," stated JV Coach Kevin Chambers. "That's just what they need right now."

In addition to the outstanding finish brought in by Lettow, Kevin Pamperin and Dan Sabish both had second place finishes. Five wrestlers came in third place, namely Pat Bohn, Andy Charland, Steve Gundrum, Nick Martin and Cory Peplinski.

The JV team comes up against Chilton tonight (December 19) here in Kewaskum at 6:30 p.m. On Friday they travel to Lomira for a tournament.



Grid Iron Football Club Seeds Donations

A six, seventh, and eighth grade tackle football club is currently forming for all youth in Kewaskum and the surrounding districts.

The "Kewaskum Grid Iron Club" is open to all students of the school district, including those that attend public, private, and home schools.

Although start-up costs are expensive, the club plans to be self-supportive after the first year.

If you would like to support the club with a tax-deductible donation, please send it to: Kewaskum Grid Iron Club, P.O. Box 388, Kewaskum, WI 53040.

For information or questions about the program contact Dave Donath at 626-2916, or Kevin Darmody at 626-4684.



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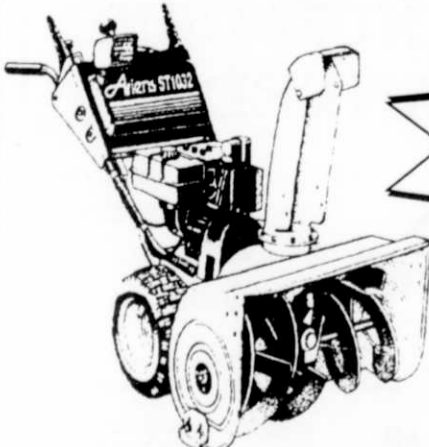
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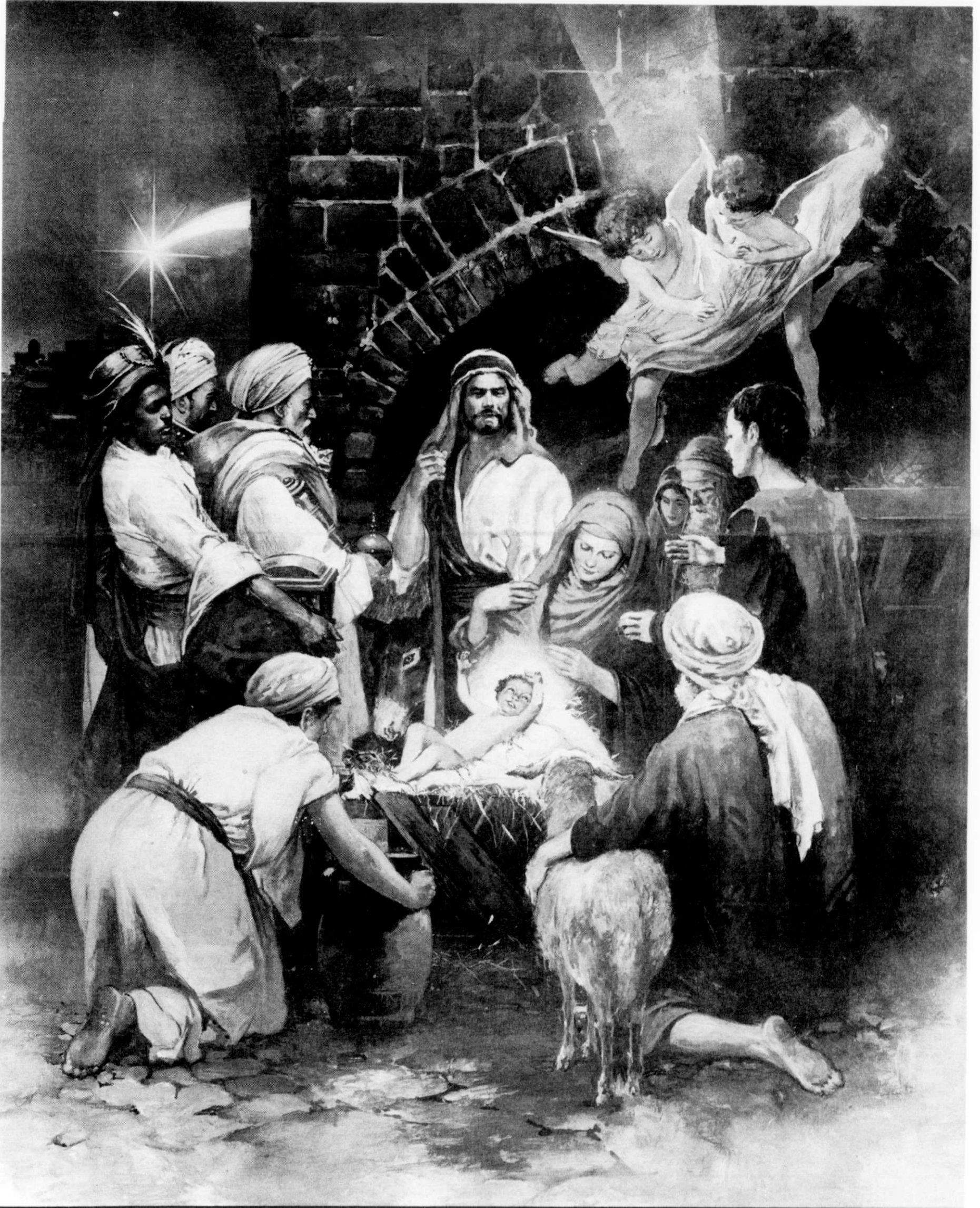


SECTION TWO

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Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God.

— Matthew 5:9

A Cheesehead's Christmas Wish

By Dave Dickson

'Tis the season for round ball and hockey,
Now football success becomes rocky.
But, each farmer agrees...
'Tis the season for cheese
In Chicago, Fort Worth or Milwaukee

Snow glistens from hillsides and ledges,
Good children make wishes and pledges.
With pride to proclaim,
Each Packer home game,
Finds fans in those crazy cheese wedges!

Cheeseheads! Imagine! They're smashin'!
If it's yellow with holes it's in fashion!
But dairymen dream,
Of a cheese eating team,
Where pizza's the national passion!

Wisconsin, New York, Pennsylvania,
Where dairies milk cows to sustain ya,
Just head out to buy
A cheese hat or a tie!
Take credit for all this cheese mania!

I'm sure there's no national quota;
If you've worked with a cow one iota,
Or if Edam or Swiss
Give your palate a kiss,
Why, we'll even adopt Minnesota!

This Christmas just schedule a party,
Serve Brick, Provolone or Havarti.
What better than cheese
Friends and family to please;
Mozzarella or Colby taste hearty!

Consumers, c'mon get "cheese heady!"
Try Gouda, you'll start going steady!
Don't sit on your hands,
Jump high in the stands,
Start cheering for cheese... your team's ready!

Children dreaming of tractors and cow toys,
Growing up to be farmers or "plow boys."
Yes, Cheesehead's a name
We'll all proudly claim,
But, PLEASE... NEVER call us the Cowboys!

This is the 29th annual holiday poem by Dave Dickson, poet laureate and retired professor of dairy science and dairy extension at the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences, University of Wisconsin-Madison. Dickson will be spending the holidays (and wearing a cheesehead hat while watching the Copper Bowl and Packer playoffs) at his family's dairy farm near Everson, Wisconsin.

Copies of the complete collection of Dickson's holiday poems are still available. "Christmas in Dairyland" offers 60 pages of fun and reminiscence about cows, country living and Christmas. To order, send a \$10 donation plus \$2 shipping and handling to the UW Foundation-Dickson Fund. All proceeds will go to support CALS dairy cattle judging team scholarships and activities. Send your requests (with your donation) to POEMS, Dairy Science Department, 1675 Observatory Drive, Madison, WI 53706.



In Sweden, flowers rather than evergreens tend to make up most of the Christmas decorations, because the evergreen there symbolizes grief.



"Jiggs" Mannigel, formerly of "Two Hits and a Miss" fame, was in fine form, singing Christmas carols as he rode in the Kewaskum Christmas Parade.

Traditions Add Joy to The Christmas Season

Whether it's grandma's delicious fruitcake that she makes every year or the angel that's been in the family for generations and has to be put on the tree, every family has traditions that make Christmas special. Many are based on the family's culture and the way ancestors celebrated the holiday. People in different countries have their own way of observing Christmas. Following are some traditions from around the world.

CHINA - Although the majority of Chinese people are not Christian, those who are celebrate by decorating their homes with paper lanterns and their Christmas trees, called "Trees of Light," with paper chains, paper flowers and paper lanterns. Santa Claus is known as Dun Che Lao Ren, meaning "Christmas Old Man."

FRANCE - The Nativity scene is the focus of the Christmas celebration in France. Nearly every home displays one. The reveillon, the grand feast of the season, is celebrated after midnight mass. A traditional part of the meal is the *Buche de Noel*, or "Christmas log," a yule log-shaped cake. The main course of the feast varies throughout the regions of the country. In Alsace, it is goose, while in Burgundy, it is turkey with chestnuts.

GREECE - On Christmas Eve, children travel from house to house singing *kalanda*, the equivalent of carols. They usually are rewarded with sweets and dried fruits.

INDIA - During the Christmas season, Christians in India decorate mango or banana trees, and they adorn their homes with mango leaves. Churches are decorated with poinsettias and candles for the Christmas Eve service.

ITALY - To announce the beginning of the holiday season, cannons are fired in

Rome. A 24-hour fast ends with an elaborate Christmas feast, and small presents are given. The main exchange of gifts occurs on January 6, the Feast of the Epiphany.

MEXICO - The main celebration in Mexico, *las posadas*, re-enacts Joseph and Mary's search for a place to stay in Bethlehem. Beginning nine days before Christmas, representing Joseph and Mary's nine-day journey, families divide into pilgrims and innkeepers. The pilgrims travel from house to house seeking shelter and are refused until

they reach the house where an altar and Nativity scene are set up. Then, a prayer is said, and the festivities begin.

POLAND - Beginning on Christmas Eve, people observe a strict 24-hour fast, which ends with a Christmas feast. In honor of the star of Bethlehem, the meal does not begin until the first star appears. Once it does, a rice wafer blessed by a priest, *oplatek*, is broken and shared by everyone. Then, the 12-course meal, one course for each apostle, begins.

SPAIN - Since the country's patron saint is the Virgin Mary, Christmas is a deeply religious holiday in Spain, and the Christmas season begins on December 8, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. Families rejoice and feast together on Christmas Eve, known as *Noche buena* or "the Good Night." A traditional treat is *turrón*, an almond candy. As in many countries throughout Europe, children receive gifts on the Feast of the Epiphany.

No matter how varied, these customs put the holiday spirit in Christmas for those who observe them.

A HONEY OF A SAUCE

For a quick and easy dessert that's nutritious, too, Dairy Council of Wisconsin suggests cutting up fresh fruit and angel food or pound cake and serving it with Honey-Yogurt Sauce: 1-1/2 cups plain yogurt, 3 tablespoons honey, 2 teaspoons fresh lemon juice and 1-1/2 teaspoons vanilla. Whisk together in a medium bowl and refrigerate until ready to use.



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We'd like to add your name to the listings of good people we'd like to thank this holiday season and hope that happiness and good fortune will visit your home in the year ahead.

We're always glad to be of service and are happy to call this fine community our home.

VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM



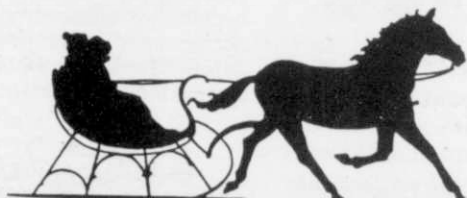
George and Bert Clements, familiar faces in the Kewaskum schools, brought their llamas to the Kewaskum Christmas Parade and heard the ooohs and aahs of the children as they passed by.

Season's Greetings

She brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room at the inn.

-Luke 2:7

At this special time of year, we offer our thanks and join with you in celebrating the birth of our Savior.



Down Home Greetings

There's nothing like celebrating Christmas in the country with our good friends and neighbors. Thanks for your valued patronage and have a very happy holiday season!

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SENDING OUR BEST

To all of you who mean so much,
It's a joy to keep in touch.
May your season deliver parcels of cheer,
And lots of good fortune for those you hold dear.
This greeting is sealed with best wishes for you
For a very fine season and a great new year, too!

KEWASKUM POST OFFICE EMPLOYEES

LIGHT UP THE WORLD... IT'S CHRISTMAS!

All the halls are decked and bright
With candles, wreaths and strings of light.
The tree is trimmed, and snow is falling;
The windows glow, and friends come calling
To spread good wishes, and to say,
"Merry Christmas to all — have a great holiday!"

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Memories



Our faithful "holiday postcard lady," Isabelle Muckerheide, submitted the above Christmas postcard dated 1914. Thanks Isabelle for always sharing your collection with our readers throughout the year.

CHRISTMAS TOWNS by O.J. Robertson

Many towns in the United States have names that remind one of Christmas. In fact, one town in Florida is called Christmas. Christmas Cove is in Maine and Oregon has Christmas Valley.

Quite a few towns have the name of places Jesus visited while He lived on earth. Palestine is in Illinois, West Virginia and Texas. Mount Olivet is in Kentucky, Olivet is in Michigan and Illinois, and three states - Mississippi, Illinois and North Carolina - have a Mount Olive.

Bethlehem is found in at least six states: Georgia, Kentucky, Maryland, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, and South Dakota.

The states of Illinois, Kentucky, Ohio and Oklahoma all have towns named Bethany. Jordan is in Montana. Texas and Pennsylvania both have a Nazareth. Damascus is a town in Virginia. Lebanon is found in Wisconsin, Vir-

ginia, Tennessee, Pennsylvania, Oregon, New York, Kentucky, Indiana, Missouri and Ohio.

Christmas plants have been remembered by those naming towns. Mistletoe is in Kentucky, Evergreen in Louisiana, Cranberry in West Virginia and Pennsylvania, and Cranberry Lake in New Jersey.

Three states have a Mount Holly: New Jersey, Vermont and Virginia. Holly is in Colorado. Hollybush and Hollyhill are in Kentucky. You can visit Holly Ridge in Louisiana, Mississippi, and North Carolina. North Carolina also has Holly Springs and so does Mississippi. And Mississippi also has Holly Bluff.

St. Joseph is found in Minnesota, Missouri, Illinois, Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, and Tennessee. Oregon has a town named Joseph. Arizona has a Joseph City.

There is a St. Mary in Kentucky and Montana. St. Marys is in Indiana, Ohio, Kansas and Missouri. St. Marys City is in Maryland.

The most famous Christmas town is in Indiana. It is called Santa Claus. (There is also a Santa Claus in California, but for some reason few people know about it.)

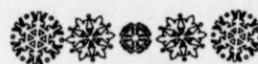
Thousands of people send cards and packages to Santa Claus, Indiana where the postmaster adds

the Santa Claus postmark before sending them on through the mail. However adequate postage must be added by the original sender for the mail to be forwarded.

Santa has a big castle in the Indiana town named for him. Every year during the holiday season, thousands of people visit the jolly man's castle.

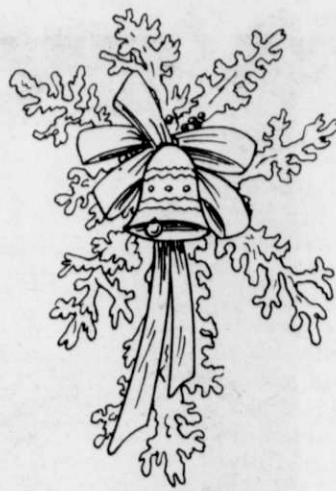
How did the town of Santa Claus, Indiana get its name? It was not always called this. When the town was founded years ago, it was known as Santafee. Another town in Indiana had this name. A state cannot have two towns with the same name so citizens of one Santafee had a meeting to decide on a new name. The meeting took place on Christmas Eve, 1855 and so Santa Claus was the name chosen for the town.

Perhaps there are other towns in the United States that have a Christmas-related name. Be on the lookout for them.



A LITTLE AT A TIME

To accommodate the short attention span of children, the Dairy Council of Wisconsin says to break recipes into small steps. For example, bake butter cookies one day and decorate them the next day.



Flocked Door Swag

Pull a wire coat hanger into a diamond shape. The hook stays at the top. Now cover this frame with chicken wire.

Stick the ends of flocked evergreen branches into the holes of the chicken wire bringing the stems under the wire and up into another hole to hold the branch secure. Make a radiating design.

Fasten a Styrofoam (or otherwise) Christmas bell in the center. Add a group of pink Christmas baubles (or whatever color you decide upon), and pink glitter daisies. Tie a pink metallic bow that has long streamers on the bell.



Christmas Memories

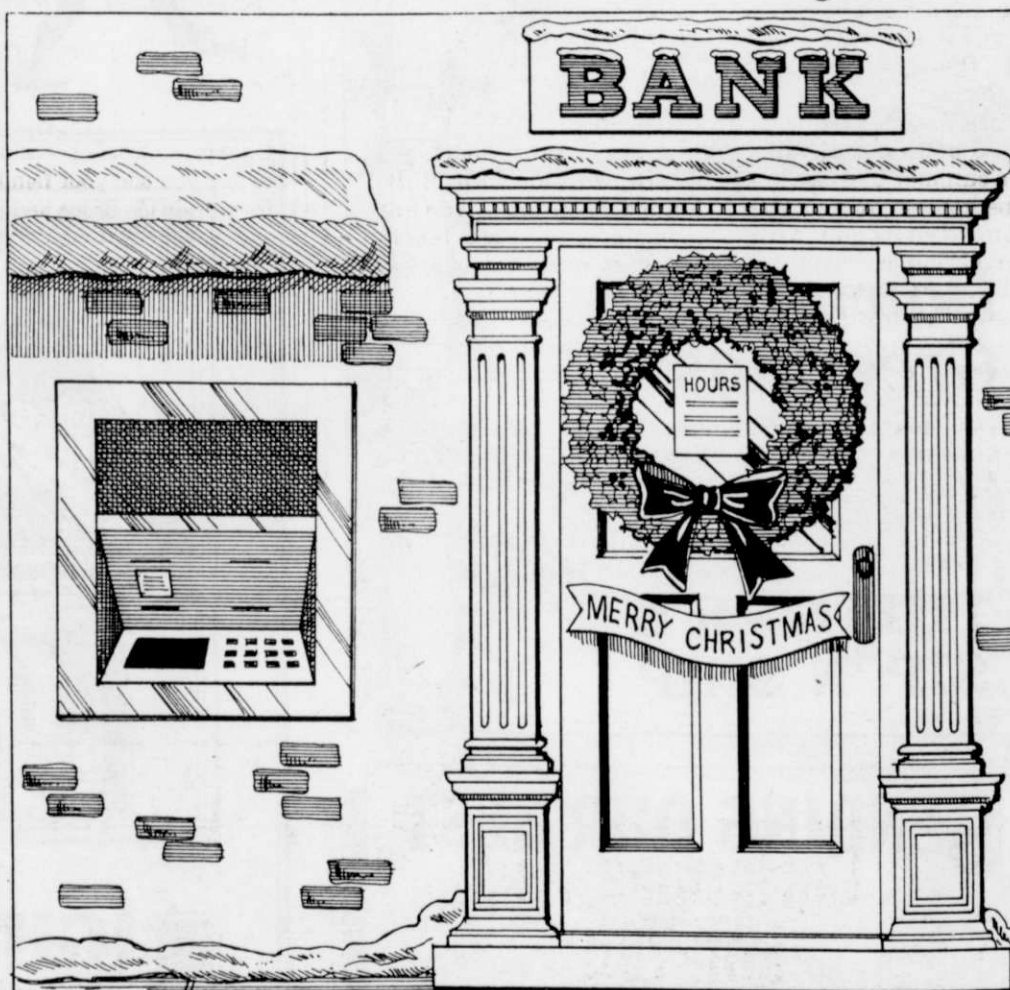
Let the celebration begin, and may you carry the magic of this Christmas with you for many years to come!

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Happy Holidays

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WE LIKE IT HERE!

By Joe Harbor

Slush in my shoes. Windshields that never defrost. Something called "wind chill." About this time every year, when snows and Arctic blasts make their way into Wisconsin, I try to remember... I really do... why it is that I'm still here.

Sometimes that list seems awfully short, especially when stacked up against a dead car battery or heating bills that rival the national debt and still make me scrape frost from my bathroom mirror.

Friends offer what they think is encouragement like, "The rest of the year is beautiful," or "You get the four seasons here." Well, here's a news flash for Wisconsinites: Even in the Sun Belt they have a season called winter... the difference, however, is there it lasts less than six months.

I thought about this as we got our first "measurable snowfall" the other day, which is really only another way to say we won't see the grass again until the Brewers are nearing the All-Star break. "Measurable" is an important distinction, too, because I'm pretty sure we probably have snow flurries year 'round... there's always stuff flying through the air... but the state covers it up, no doubt, so as to not discourage the summer tourists.

To be honest, though, the first snowfall is magnificent, remarkable, beautiful. It really is. It changes the drab, winter landscape, makes it new again, like a weathered fence with a fresh coat of whitewash. The trees look as though they're wearing robes of white fur, sparkling as if sprinkled with diamonds in the cool, crisp sunshine. Taking it all in is a most breathtaking experience, indeed.

It's a wonderful five min-

utes.

After you've adorned your leather shoes with two plastic bags from the Pick 'N Save because your boots are nowhere to be found (perhaps they were left somewhere in June, after the last snowfall), you trudge out to brush the snow from your car.

Within seconds, you become Frosty the Snowman. And as your coat sleeves, and your slowly reddening, stiffening hands try to push the snow off the hood and the top and the windows of your car... but end up blanketing your pants, your shirt cuffs and the insides of the plastic bags around your leather shoes, instead... you are amazed, truly amazed, that even though it comes roughly the same time every year, winter has come yet again.

And you think how truly amazing it is that humankind, a supposedly intelligent species, could not... even one year... have its boots, or its gloves, or its snow brush ready to go by the time winter hits.

As you continue the brushing... even as you vow that next year you'll be ready... strings of indelicate words fly from your mouth, attacking everything even remotely suggestive of winter, from Snow White to Robert Frost.

And thoughts drift, yet again, to the Sun Belt, where problems, at that moment, may be which sunscreen to wear, or which flavor daiquiri to order.

And more snow makes its way into your shoes.

I know I'm not alone in this. I know because I'm a pretty good judge of how others are feeling. That, and the fact I can see them, too, brushing snow off their cars into their shoes, with lips moving in words certainly not the Lord's Prayer.

So why do we stay?

Some people ski. Some

skate, some enjoy other winter activities. Some perhaps merely like to complain. I think for most of us, though, it just feels like home. Yeah, that's it. It's remembering making snow angels every time you see an untouched snow-covered lawn; it's trying your luck at hitting the mailbox with a snowball on a day you notice the snow is perfect for packing. It's realizing how heavenly a mug of rich, steamy hot chocolate feels on an ice-cold day. And I can see, finally, that these kinds of special experiences make us want to stay in Wisconsin.

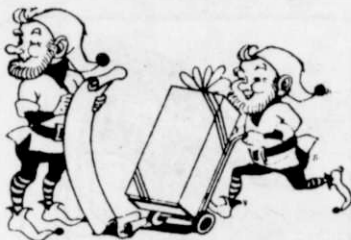
And I understand perhaps the greatest reason of all we're still here:

We like it here. And we're nuts.

Now excuse me... I have a snow angel to make.



Shown above is one of the festive banners that decorate the village streets. And think about how appropriate they are... yes, if it's winter in Kewaskum there must be snowflakes here somewhere.



*God rest you merry, gentlemen,
Let nothing you dismay;
Remember Christ our Savior,
Was born on Christmas Day.*

—Carol

On this most holy occasion, we'd like to join you and your family in praying for worldwide peace and harmony amongst all God's creatures.

May the light of His love brighten your home and warm your heart this holiday season.

Merry Christmas!

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Kewaskum*



A Christmas Wish For You

*We're hoping that your season brings
Lots of glad tidings and beautiful things,
The warmth of family,
The blessing of friends,
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Chamber of Commerce members, left to right, Gwen Dreher, Lisa Stockhausen, John Meisser and Mary Andera placed the lights that were purchased by community members on the trees that were located next to the Visitor's Gazebo on the south side of Kewaskum. All the money donated for the lights is used toward the Christmas parade.



A Sparkling Season

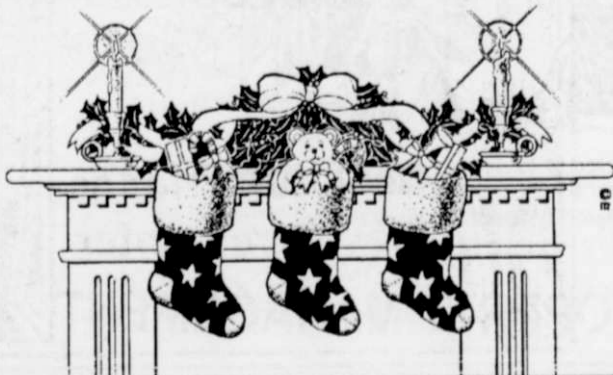
May peace and joy be your gifts at Christmas, and may love, health and hope be yours to treasure in the new year. Best wishes to all of you for a gem of a season.

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HAPPY HOLIDAYS

May happiness and good fortune visit your home at Christmastime.
Thank you for visiting us this past year.

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WARM 'EM UP

The Dairy Council of Wisconsin suggests keeping a supply of your own hot cocoa "mix" on hand for a chocolatey treat on chilly winter days. Share some with your favorite teacher for a warming holiday gift. (Don't forget to include a festive holiday mug and a few butter cookies): 10-1/3 cups of non-fat dry milk, 3-3/4 cups of powdered sugar, 1/2 cup cocoa. Mix all ingredients. When ready to make hot chocolate, fill a six ounce coffee cup or mug 1/4 to 1/3 full (approximately 1/4 cup) with the dry mix. Add hot water and stir well. (Use warm milk for an extra-creamy drink).



JUST IN THE NICK OF TIME

...We're Sending Our Warm Wishes Your Way

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Merry Christmas!

VIDEO SQUARE

WE ARE NOT ALONE

Just in time for Christmas is the new book by Robert Marsh entitled *We Are Not Alone, How ECK Masters Guide Our Spiritual Lives Today*.

Robert Marsh's guidance from guardian angels has continued from childhood to the present. In his new book, he shows how guardian angels will work one-on-one with anyone to break down the barriers that keep us from controlling our own destiny.

In situations ranging from mundane to life-threatening, Marsh demonstrates how the guidance of angels can help us through the trials of our daily lives. And, by

linking mystical experiences and practical daily techniques, he shows how to uncover for ourselves the secrets of dreams, out-of-body experiences, miracles, premonitions, reincarnation, and divine love.

Marsh also shows how guardian angels will help anyone, regardless of religion or background. He sees true religion as a link between us and God, a source where ordinary people find large and small miracles daily.

After reading Robert Marsh's book, you'll know with certainty that we are not alone and will have a newer and more meaningful awareness of the mysteries surrounding this holiday season.

★ HOPE YOUR SEASON IS ★

Heavenly!

It's been a privilege and a pleasure to serve you this past year.

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HAVE A REALLY HOT CHRISTMAS!

North, south, east or west...
Wherever you celebrate,
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With bright wishes to everyone, everywhere, this holiday season.

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Keep Your Holidays Happy and Healthy

A whirl of holiday parties... last-minute shopping... marathon cookie-baking sessions -- they can only mean one thing. It's holiday time!

But do year-end deadlines and an over-booked holiday calendar leave you feeling less than jolly? This year, try these simple strategies from the Centrum Center for Nutrition Science to keep your holiday season filled with good cheer:

There isn't time to do everything. Do you really have to bake 12 different kinds of cookies, write personalized cards to everyone you ever knew, and go to every party? Make a list of the things you really need and want to do, then prioritize the activities -- delegating whenever possible.

Remember the basics -- eat wisely. Don't let too many holiday treats crowd out a healthful diet. Try to eat balanced meals every day based on the USDA

Food Guide Pyramid, which identifies the appropriate balance among the food groups necessary for a healthy diet. Get added assurance by taking a complete multi-vitamin and mineral supplement that contains 100% of the Daily Value (DV) for essential vitamins.

Stay in step with physical activity. Exercise helps to relieve holiday tension and burn extra calories from too many servings of eggnog. If you can't squeeze in your usual fitness routine, take a few extra turns around the mall or dance the night away at holiday parties. For an average person weighing about 150 pounds, one hour on the dance floor can burn approximately 210 calories.

Be a smart snacker. Don't go to parties hungry -- have a piece of fruit or cut-up vegetables for a snack before you leave. Savor small portions of once-a-year favorites and take a pass on high-calorie snacks you can eat any time. One glass of holiday eggnog has

ap-proximately 342 calories and 19 grams of fat.

Nix a post-party hang-over. If you drink, keep alcohol... and calories... under control by alternating alcoholic drinks with sparkling water or diet soda. A 12 ounce can of beer contains approximately 150 calories compared to a diet cola which has zero calories. Also remember, never drink and drive.

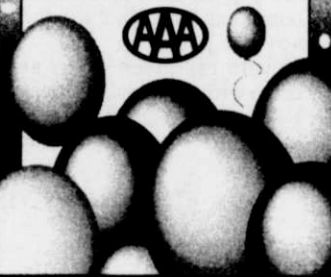
Keep holiday spirits bright. Calm jangled nerves with soothing activities... take a bubble bath, read a good book or listen to your favorite symphony, for instance. Don't let anxiety about pulling off a perfect holiday season cause you stress... remember you can't be all things to everyone!



Be the LIFE of the Party

During this holiday season... be a responsible party host. See that your guests have a good time and arrive home safely.

First A Friend Then A Host



Trimmed with a Wish



Here's hoping good friends and good times play a starring role in your holiday season. Thanks, friend!

VILLAGE HAIR STYLISTS

Sandi, Wendi & Vickie

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LOOKS LIKE CHRISTMAS IS HERE!



With decorated trees of pine, Poinsettias and boughs of holly, The scene is sending out a sign, That now's the time to be jolly!

Merry Christmas to all our friends who helped us blossom, this year!

Kewaskum Floral, Inc.

Dairy Sour Cream-Lemon Pie

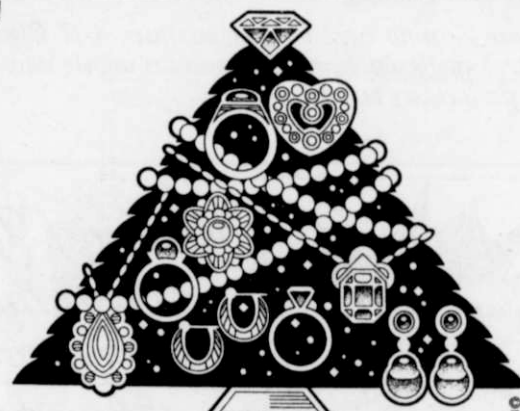
- 1 cup sugar
- 3/4 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1 tablespoon grated lemon zest (rind)
- 1/2 cup fresh lemon juice
- 1 cup milk
- 3 large egg yolks, slightly beaten
- 4 tablespoons butter
- 1 cup dairy sour cream
- 1 baked 9" pie shell
- 1 cup whipping cream, whipped
- lemon twists for garnish (optional)

In a 2-quart saucepan, combine sugar, cornstarch, lemon zest, lemon juice and milk. Beat in egg yolks. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, for 3-5 minutes or until mixture comes to a full boil and thickens. Remove from heat and stir in butter. Cover and refrigerate for 2-3 hours, mixing occasionally, or until completely cooled.

Stir in dairy sour cream. Spoon lemon filling into pie shell. Cover with whipped cream and garnish with lemon twists. Store in refrigerator. Makes 8 servings.



Dairy Farmers of Wisconsin
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We just want to wish everybody a sparkling holiday and extend our thanks to all of you for the precious gift of your friendship! Merry Christmas!

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A CHORUS OF HOLIDAY GREETINGS

The Doctors Inn
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Jules & Gwen Dreher
Kewaskum

Here Comes Christmas!

It's so easy to be of good cheer, For the day is very nearly here, With goodies for little girls and boys, Brightly wrapped boxes all filled with toys, And sharing every special moment, Of this joyful annual event; So we're sending thanks to all our friends, And we're hoping your fun never ends!

My Little Friends
Day Care Center

626-4155



Bonnie Zanow and the Kewaskum 4-H Club gave the tree at Kewaskum Chevrolet a whole new festive look on Friday evening.



Holiday Hanging Fun!

Make 2 holes opposite each other near the top of each half of a L'eggs container.

Use pretty silver egg containers (or paint others as you wish) and glue on sequins, beads, etc. Add stripes with ribbon.

Cut a strand of pretty yarn about 38" long. Mark the center with a paperclip. Slip the ends of the yarn through the holes you made in the smaller egg half, about 11" from the center mark and knot the yarn being sure the egg is exactly level.

Now put the yarn ends through the bigger egg half. Knot the ends. Remove the paperclip.

Fill with evergreen sprigs and decorate with tiny decorations or fill with soil and small plants to give as a gift.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

GET SET FOR FUN!



Hope everything runs smoothly for you and your family this Christmas. With warm regards from all of us.

ROOKIES SPORTS BAR & GRILL



Wishing You All Things Merry and Bright

Christmas is in full bloom and we're glad to be part of the local color.

Thank you to all our good friends and neighbors for providing a bright spot in our year.



Christmas Greetings from THE GLACIER INN, LTD. AND STAFF

Enjoy!

Here's hoping the season brings everything you dreamed of!

Homeplate

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Hope Christmas Brings Loads of Happiness!

May you rein in the love and laughter of those you hold "deer" all through the holiday season. We'd like to deliver our heartfelt appreciation to our loyal customers for bringing us so much joy!

GRAND LARSONY
Kewaskum



Happy Holidays

Hope all your holiday plans run smoothly! We're very grateful you turned to us all year long.

GENERAL STORE ANTIQUE MALL
Kewaskum



The little elves at My Little Friends Day Care Center put the holiday touches to the tree located in front of Bank Wisconsin.

Holiday Spending Caution: Heed It or Weep

PEWAUKEE -- Remember how television depicted the Waltons' Christmas? One carefully chosen gift, or a lovingly handmade item for each; all happily exchanged in the warm glow of their fireplace.

Thankfully, we've come a long way since the Great Depression when that glowing fireplace was perhaps our only source of heat. But sometimes the excesses of what we've become some sixty years later can bring some not-so-great depression in the months following the holidays as we try to repair the financial damage we've created by holiday spending.

Before beginning holiday shopping, set your limits. Make lists and decide how much to spend for each person on that list. If the list is too big, consider drawing names: the person whose name you draw receives a "real" gift, the other members of your group or family get a token

gift, which can be just as much fun.

Once you've made your list, do comparison shopping. The very same item can have three or four different prices, depending on where you buy. If you don't like battling holiday shopping crowds, let your fingers do the walking; use the phone for your comparisons and save on gas, too.

Hosting a holiday meal and the budget won't handle it? Consider a potluck dinner, where everyone brings a dish to share; or a traveling dinner with each course at a different home. (Drawbacks to the last: everyone has to prepare the house for guests, and often our winter weather can make the travel part hazardous).

However you choose to

deal with the issue of holiday spending, exercise caution. Big credit card bills come in January, when many homeowners also pay property taxes.

As the new year begins, give some thought to opening a Christmas Club account at your local credit union or other financial institution. Then you'll be all set for the '97 holidays.



Christmas Island is one of the largest islands in the Pacific formed by coral. The first European to reach the island was British explorer James Cook on Christmas

EASY SANDWICH COOKIE

Have little ones spread buttercream frosting between two butter cookies to make a sandwich cookie. Here's a recipe from the Dairy Council of Wisconsin for Quick Buttercream: Combine two cups powdered sugar and three tablespoons softened butter. Add milk or cream, one tablespoon at a time, to reach desired consistency. Add a few drops of red or green food coloring for a festive touch.



AMERAHN BAR & HALL



Play It Again, Santa!

Here's hoping your holiday hits all the high notes this year. Thanks for helping us have a harmonious season.

PRIME TIME PUB



Your friendship and support make it a snap for us to do business. Thanks!

F & F
Photography
Cat & Vic Fronck



MERRY CHRISTMAS

We're serving up our best wishes for a joy-filled season!

ECKL'S MAIN STREET INN



EXPRESSLY FOR YOU

The Christmas season is building up steam, and we'd like to get on board with our very best wishes and praise for all our customers and friends. Thanks for helping us stay on track!

RUSTIC INN
215 Main Street, Kewaskum

Pile On The Cheer...

Christmastime Will Soon Be Here!
As we prepare for another festive season, our thoughts turn to the many individuals who have helped us grow this past year.

Thank you for putting your trust in us.

KUEHL'S
SUDS & SPIRITS





The tree in front of Eccentrics by Kimetha was decorated by parade committee members Jane Korth, Debbie Timblin, Ruthie Butler and Head Decorator Jodi Strobel. The festive trees were increased this year and there were not enough groups and students available to "adopt" one of the trees and give it the "holiday touch." Anyone who would be interested in decorating one of the trees for next year, please contact Jane Korth. More trees could be arranged for next year but they need to have someone to make them "look pretty." The trees add so much to our "downtown decor," so consider adopting a tree in 1997.

Going Home for the Holidays Can Cause Much Stress for College Students

MILWAUKEE -- As the fall semester comes to a close, students look forward to the reduction in stress that the end of final exams brings.

However, for students away at school for the first time, returning home may cause a new set of problems. Students feel they no longer have to follow the rules set down by their parents on anything from curfew to cleaning their rooms.

It is common for families to experience difficulties in adjusting to children coming home from college and wanting to change the nature of their relationships with their families.

"The students think that they have made a quantum leap in maturity. They're used to the freedom of college," said Marvin Berkowitz, professor of psychology at Marquette University. "Their families still see them as they were when they left, and will treat them the same way."

The best way for par-

ents to deal with this tension is through open communication. "Parents should negotiate with their children, but shouldn't give in because a child asks for different treatment," said Berkowitz. He also advises students to be prepared for the return to family life. "Things will go back to the way they were before you left home. All the old conflicts will still be there as well."

BUTTER 'EM UP

Served in a decorative bowl or crock, flavored butters make delicious gifts that even the littlest chef could prepare, says the Dairy Council of Wisconsin. For Orange Honey Butter, cream together with an electric mixer: 1/2 cup butter, three tablespoons honey and one teaspoon grated orange peel. Transfer to serving container, cover, and refrigerate until ready to use.



STRIKE UP THE JOY!

We hope you're fixing to have the best Christmas ever. Thank you for visiting us this past year. Merry Christmas to all our friends and neighbors.

COAST to COAST
HARDWARE
Kewaskum



HAVE A Beautiful SEASON!

Now that the holidays are near, we'd like to give a hand to all our customers who have trusted theirs to us. Hope your holiday is a perfect "10" in every way! Merry Christmas and sincere thanks.

B&B
PRODUCTIONS
Hair & Nail Studio

'Merry Christmas' Around the World

Christmas is a meaningful holiday celebrated around the world. Those who are traveling at Christmastime don't have to be left out of the celebration just because they don't speak the language. Here's how to say "Merry Christmas" in many different languages:

- Afrikander — Een Plesierige Kerfees
- Danish — Glædelig Jul
- Dutch — Vrolijk Kerstfeest en een Gelukkig Nieuwjaar
- Finnish — Hyvää joulua
- French — Joyeux Noël
- German — Fröhliche Weihnachten
- Greek — Kala Christouyenna
- Hawaiian — Mele Kalikimaka
- Indonesian — Selamat Hari Natal
- Irish — Nollaig Shona Dhuit
- Italian — Buone Feste Natalizie
- Japanese — Kurisumasu Omedeto
- Korean — Sung Tan Chuk Ha
- Norwegian — God Jul
- Polish — Wesolych Swiat Bozego Narodzenia
- Spanish — Feliz Navidad
- Yugoslavian — Cestitamo Bozic

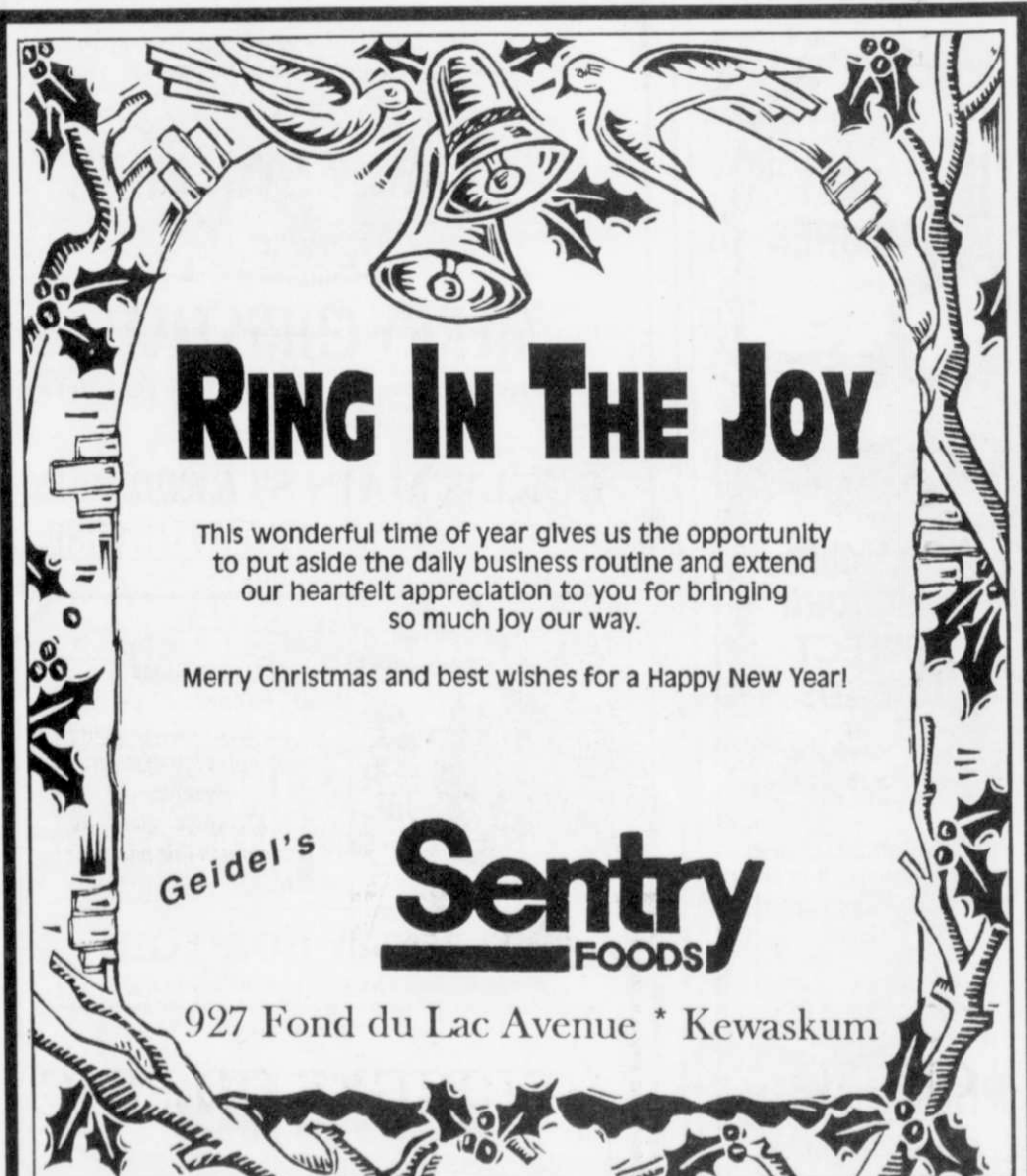
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Joy TO THE World!

May your dreams take wing and may your joy know no boundaries this holiday season.

KEWASKUM PHARMACY
927 Fond du Lac Ave., Kewaskum
626-4222



RING IN THE JOY

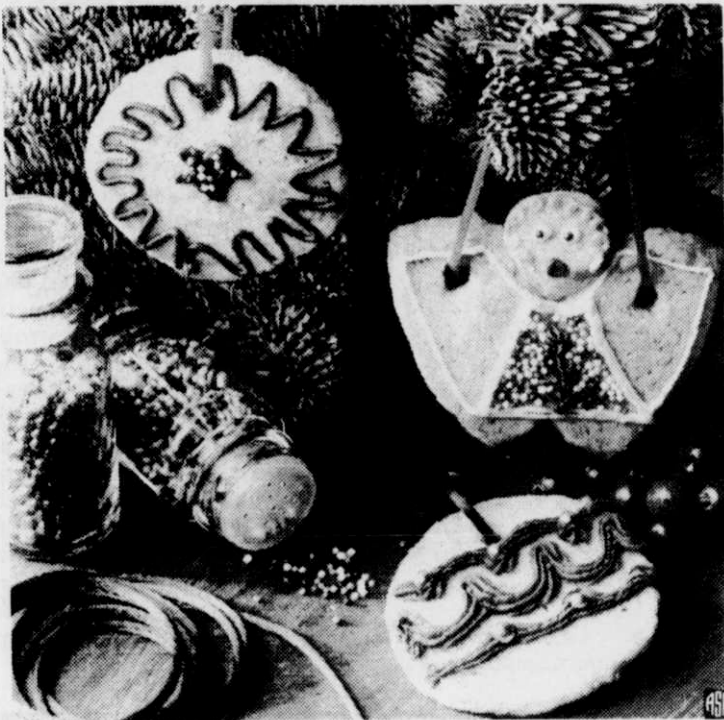
This wonderful time of year gives us the opportunity to put aside the dally business routine and extend our heartfelt appreciation to you for bringing so much Joy our way.

Merry Christmas and best wishes for a Happy New Year!

Geidel's **Sentry** FOODS

927 Fond du Lac Avenue * Kewaskum

Trim The Tree With Cookies



Beat butter, sugar and vanilla until creamy. Add combined flour, oats and salt; mix well. Divide dough in half; shape each half into a roll, about two inches in diameter. Wrap in plastic wrap; chill about three hours. Heat oven to 350 degrees F. Unwrap rolls and cut into 1/4-inch slices.

Place about one inch apart on ungreased cookie sheets. Poke hole at top of each cookie with drinking straw. (Repeat immediately after baking if hole closes.)

Bake 11 to 13 minutes or until edges are light golden brown. Cool one minute on cookie sheets; remove to wire rack. Cool completely. Insert candy licorice string or ribbon through hole of decorated cookie. Tie ends together.

About 3-1/2 dozen

half circles. Place half circles on cookie sheet so round edges touch. Make heads by rolling small portions of dough into balls; gently press between tops of wings. Poke hole at top of each wing; bake as directed. Decorate as desired.

Christmas Trees: Place small tree-shaped cookie cutter in center of each cookie slice. Sprinkle area around cookie cutter with green sugar crystals. Carefully lift up cookie cutter. Poke hole at top; bake as directed.



Kids love to be involved in holiday preparations and baking cookie ornaments to hang on the tree is a project children of all ages will enjoy.

Choose a homemade cookie recipe that's quick and versatile. *Easy Cookie Ornaments*, a slice and bake oatmeal cookie, offers several ways for young bakers to shape and decorate.

The recipe uses on-hand ingredients including whole grain oats which impart a nutty, wholesome flavor. After all, Quaker oats has been a trusted baking ingredient for generations.

Depending upon a child's age and skill level, the chilled dough can be sliced to form round ornaments or the slices can be shaped into angels. Before baking, poke a hole in the top of each cookie. To hang the ornaments on the tree, thread a licorice string through the hole and tie into a loop.

For more holiday recipes, send name and complete address to: Holiday Favorites from Quaker Oats, P.O. Box 487, Dept. N, Chicago, Illinois 60690-0487. Please allow three to four weeks for delivery.

EASY COOKIE ORNAMENTS

- 1 cup (2 sticks) butter or margarine, softened
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 cup Quaker oats (quick or old fashioned, uncooked)
- 1/4 teaspoon salt (optional)

DECORATING IDEAS

Glitter Cookies: Sprinkle cookie slices with colored sugar crystals before baking.

Holiday Gem Cookies: Decorate cooled cookies with purchased icing and small candies.

Heavenly Angels: Cut each slice in half, forming



Joy to the World

Wishing you every happiness this holiday season and beyond.
Thanks for coming round to see us this past year.

AUTO BODY DYNAMICS

Kewaskum

GEARING UP FOR CHRISTMAS

The Christmas season is here, and we hope yours runs smoothly from the front end to the back. We'd like to wish everyone a great Christmas with miles of smiles!

AUTO CRAFT
Kewaskum

TRIMMED WITH LOVE

Before you wrap up all your Christmas preparations, please accept our sincere appreciation for your loyal support.

All the best to our friends all over town!

KOHN'S CITGO

A WORD FROM THE WISE: "REJOICE!"

May your holiday season be filled with the gifts of love and friendship, plus lots of great presents, too!

Thanks for giving us so much this past year.

HERRIGES OIL, INC.

MERRY MOTORING

At Christmastime and anytime, we're always proud to be of service and offer the following tip for a trouble-free holiday season:

Fill up on good cheer,
Shift into holiday gear,
But remember to think...
Don't drive and drink!

Merry Christmas and many thanks for your valued business.

ROGER & DAN'S AUTO SERVICE

Christmas Tree is Bedecked With Customs and History

Of all Christmas customs, perhaps the most universally treasured is the Christmas tree. Brightly decorated with shimmering lights and glittering ornaments, the tree is as likely to reflect the traditions of each individual family as it does those of the world at large.

From the exciting moment when the tree is erected, usually some days in advance of Christmas Eve, it commands a position of central importance during holiday festivities.

So much so that it is difficult to believe that 200 years ago the custom of trimming a tree at Christmastime was not widely observed outside its native Germany.

One legend credits Martin Luther, the 16th-century theologian, with having set up the very first Christmas tree. According to this legend, Luther conceived of a tree alight with countless candles as a way of representing to his children the glory of the starlit heaven.

However, historical sources indicate that the first Christmas tree can be traced to the early 17th century, when fir trees -- decorated with colored paper, gold foil, apples, toys and candies -- were reported in the German city of Stasbourg.

What are the antique origins of the Christmas tree? Historians point to a multitude of sources, among

them the Roman custom of decking residences with evergreens during the festival of the Kalends, which occurred in the early part of January.

Parallels between the Roman observation of Kalends and traditional Christmas festivities are many and include those of decorating the home with lights and extending lavish hospitality to friends and family, as well as extravagant gift-giving.

Many early Christian beliefs stand behind the tradition of trimming a tree at Christmas. For instance, it was customary for people to bring flowering trees, like hawthorn or cherry, indoors during the autumn so that they might bloom and bring forth fruit on Christmas Eve.

This tradition may be derived from the belief that St. Joseph of Arimathea, settling at Glastonbury in western England, planted his staff in the earth, whereupon it became a thorn tree and sprouted leaves. Furthermore, it miraculously blossomed.

December 24, according to the old church calendar, was the Feast of Adam and Eve, on which day it was traditional to hang a fir tree with red apples. This

Paradise Tree, as it was called, is certainly a forerunner of the Christmas tree as it is known today.

There are some very pretty stories associated with both pine and fir trees, among the most popular choices for Christmas trees. According to one legend, the pine tree provided a hiding place for the Holy Family when they were fleeing from the soldiers of Herod.

The fir tree, according to another legend, boasted both flowers and fruits until Eve discovered the tree and plucked its treasures. From that time on, the legend continues, only needles grew on the fir tree until, on the evening of the Nativity, it suddenly blossomed once again.

Today, centuries later, the Christmas spirit is still represented in the timeless manifestation of the ever-beautiful, ever-enchanting Christmas tree. Whether decorated with candles and strings of popcorn or colorful lights and shiny ornaments, it is an important part of the holiday season.



It's Beginning to Look A Lot Like Christmas

Thanksgiving weekend began The Salvation Army's Red Kettle Drive in 71 rural communities. These communities are part of the Service Extension Program's kettle goal of \$325,000. This is part of the \$887,000 Christmas goal for this program.

"Our volunteers take on the task of ringing the bells and raising funds to assist those in need, not only during the holiday season but throughout the coming year," says Ken Tregellas, Service Extension Director for the Wisconsin and Upper Michigan Division of The Salvation Army.

"At this time, the Christmas campaign is run-

ning \$22,000 behind last year and with the changes in welfare reform, our needs have increased. Your continued support is needed more than ever," said Tregellas.

Most individuals have a tender heart and would like to reach out to those in need. The continual problem for most is finding the time to accomplish these tasks with their hectic holiday schedules. The Salvation Army is here to accomplish that for you. With your donation, they can reach out to those who live in you: community and let them know their friends and neighbors care about the situation.



Glory to the Newborn King

May the Miracle of Christmas be yours to cherish, filled with the gifts of happiness, family and friends. We feel gifted to count you among ours.

A joyous Noel to one and all.

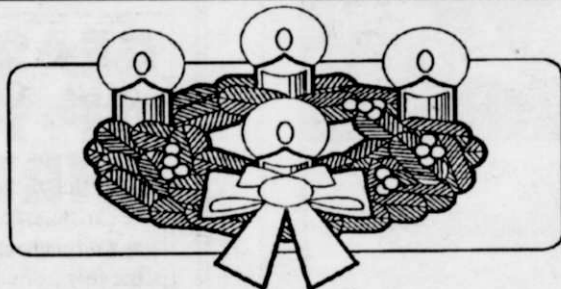
KEWASKUM JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB

a Vintage Christmas

May you make many happy memories with family and friends, this season.

Thanks to all!

KEWASKUM WOMEN'S CLUB



Lighten Up...It's Christmastime!

Hope your season is positively glowing. We really appreciate having neighbors like you.

KEWASKUM HISTORICAL SOCIETY



Thanks to You

for giving us the precious gift of your friendship!

KEWASKUM LIONS CLUB



Yuletide Greetings

Santa's sleigh is on the way and so are our very best wishes. Hope your season delivers a whole load of fun.

Merry Christmas, everyone!

KEWASKUM KIWANIS



Sharon Shaw and her Girl Scouts decorated the tree in front of Miller's Furniture.

AAA Offers Alcohol-Free Drink Recipes

AAA Wisconsin can help holiday party hosts serve up some delicious beverages that won't contribute to a drunk driving tragedy when guests leave.

A brochure featuring alcohol-free drink recipes is available to the general public at any of the 13 AAA offices around the state or by writing to AAA Wisconsin. Each drink has an automotive theme, such as "Liquid Limo," "Piston Packin' Punch," and "Cappuccino Cabby." The recipes were submitted by Wisconsin residents as part of AAA's First A Friend, Then A Host holiday safety campaign.

Single copies are available by sending a self-addressed, stamped business-size envelope to "Holiday Recipes," AAA Wisconsin Public Relations, 8030 Excelsior Drive, Madison, WI 53717-1939.

EGG(NOG) 'EM ON
Kids will love this cold and creamy treat, says the Dairy Council of Wisconsin. Fill an ice cube tray with dairy eggnog. When the cubes are almost frozen, insert a wooden stick in each cube. Freeze until firm.

Buttermilk Chocolate Cake

Norwegian-born Christian Larson bought a tract of land in southwestern Wisconsin in 1884. His daughter and son-in-law, Dina and Jacob Hoffland, took over the farm in 1936. Forty years later, their son, Gerhard, and his wife, Patty, acquired the farm and additional acreage. Their son, Scott, is the fourth generation to live and work on the land Christian purchased. Their farm consists of 50 cows and 250 acres.

- 1 cup hot water
- 1/2 cup cocoa
- 2 1/2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup butter, softened
- 2 cups sugar
- 2 large eggs
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 cup buttermilk

In a small bowl, combine hot water and cocoa. Mix until smooth. Set aside.

Preheat oven to 350°F. Lightly butter and flour a 9" x 13" baking pan.

In a medium bowl, combine flour, baking soda and salt.

In a large mixing bowl, cream butter and sugar. Add eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Stir in vanilla and buttermilk. Add cocoa mixture and combine. Gradually add flour mixture and mix just until smooth. Pour into prepared pan. Bake for 30-40 minutes or until a toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool completely. Frost with Peanut Butter Frosting. Makes about 8-10 servings.

Peanut Butter Frosting

- 2 1/2 cups confectioner's sugar
- 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla
- 1/2 cup smooth or crunchy peanut butter
- 3-5 tablespoons milk

In a medium bowl, mix confectioner's sugar, vanilla and peanut butter. Gradually add milk and beat until smooth and creamy. Makes about 2 cups.



Dairy Farmers of Wisconsin
Wisconsin Milk Marketing Board



WISHING
YOU ALL THE
TRIMMINGS



OF A
SPARKLING
SEASON

May your holiday be merry and your future prospects, bright. Thank you for putting your trust in us.

DUNDEE
SAND & GRAVEL

With Heartfelt Thanks
We appreciate your friendship and support. Merry Christmas to one and all.

NEW FANE SPORTSMEN

Have A Bright And Beautiful Holiday Season!

May your spirits soar and your dreams take wing this holiday season. Thanks for being a part of our life this past year. Hope to see you again, soon.

WINGS OVER WISCONSIN
Kettle Moraine Chapter

ESPECIALLY FOR YOU!

Wishing you a basketful of cheer, at Christmastime and throughout the year.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA
Camp 2233

ALL THINGS MERRY AND BRIGHT

The season is here, For friends and good cheer, Hearts light all around, And laughter abounds!

Wishing you a truly brilliant Christmas!

AMERICAN LEGION
Robert G. Romaine Post 384



If you look closely at the tree in front of the Doctors Inn on Fond du Lac Avenue you will see up close this decorative ornament hand-crafted by members of the Wayne Crusaders 4-H Club. The ornament was made out of empty soda cans which were painted white and then the faces were painted on with the other features. If you look at the top left hand corner of this photo, you will see a portion of the garland which was put on the tree. Cookie cutters were used to outline stars, which were then cut out of the tops of ice cream containers. The pieces were then spray-painted gold, strung together and placed on the tree. Great ideas... and completely recyclable.

Baking a Holiday Tradition

The holidays are a time when favorite things come to life, and the smell of rich, buttery cookies coming from the oven is one of the best parts of the holiday season.

This year, do something fun with the "little ones" in your life; set aside an afternoon to bake with your children and grandchildren. Beatrice Ojakangas, grandmother and author of more than a dozen cookbooks including *Beatrice Ojakangas' Great Holiday Baking Book*, says baking butter cookies is a great activity because it is easy to do and allows the children to experience a simple and fun tradition.

"Children are naturally drawn to the kitchen during holiday time," says Ojakangas. "Baking cookies together is the perfect opportunity to have fun and talk with the children in your life. Everyone loves the taste of butter cookies. After 35 years of baking, I can tell you nothing duplicates the taste of real butter when it comes to home-baked treats."

A wide variety of butter cookie recipes ideal for baking with children can be found in the American Dairy Association's leaflet, *"Real Butter Brings Out the Best in Holiday Baking."*

For a fun-filled after-

noon of baking, Ojakangas recommends these simple tips for children ages 7-10:

- * Give children a choice between two of your favorite butter cookie recipes from the *"Real Butter Brings Out the Best in Holiday Baking"* leaflet.

- * Kitchen safety should be a priority. Knives and electrical appliances should be used by adults or with adult supervision.

- * Show children how to use pot holders when placing pans in the oven.

- * Have children wash their hands, tie back their hair and roll up their sleeves before they start.

- * Make a shopping list and check for necessary utensils -- and mark the day as a special day on the calendar! Children love to have something to look forward to.

- * Make sure the tasks are clear: follow each step of the recipe, organize the utensils, and gather and measure the ingredients.

- * If you have more than one child, assign different

tasks to each. Encourage them to take turns.

- * Discuss the various ingredients and what they do -- e.g. how butter works to bring out the flavor and texture in the dough.

- * Set a festive mood by taking turns singing favorite holiday songs. Give children the opportunity to make a batch of cookies just for Santa Claus.

- * Have children package their cookies for special gifts.

- * Sampling the final creations is a must! A platter of warm, freshly-baked butter cookies and glasses of ice-cold milk will make this an event long to be remembered!

To receive your free copy of butter cookie recipes, send a self-addressed, business-sized envelope to: *Real Butter Brings Out the Best in Holiday Baking*, %American Dairy Association, P.O. Box 760, Rosemont, IL 60018-7760. This offer is good while supplies last.

AGE APPROPRIATE TASKS

The Dairy Council of Wisconsin suggests delegating simple tasks, such as rolling dough, stirring ingredients or sprinkling cakes and cookies with colored sugar, to two-to-five-year-olds. With your supervision, gradeschoolers can handle more involved tasks, such as measuring ingredients and removing pans from the oven. Older kids may prefer to prepare a recipe with minimal supervision, depending on their skill and comfort level.



A-Carolling We Will Go!

May the music of Christmas fill the air, bringing joy and contentment everywhere. Thank you for giving us something to sing about. Merry Christmas!

HILLTOP LAUNDRY

NAIL DOWN A GREAT HOLIDAY!

There's no place like home for the holidays, and we hope that yours is filled with love and laughter this holiday season.

Thank you for your building trust in us.

Thanks for your patronage.

R.H. IMPROVEMENTS
Kewaskum



Holiday Reflection



Hope things look good for you this Christmas, since you made us look good all year long!

Eccentrics By *Kimetha*



GOD BLESS ALL LIVING CREATURES at CHRISTMASTIME

Our best wishes are with you and yours as we celebrate the Miracle of His birth.

May your spirits be lifted by the beauty of the season, just as ours have been by the privilege of knowing good people like you.

Happy Holidays and many thanks.

DAIRYLAND SEED CO., INC.



Snowflakes fluttered as Kewaskum Elementary students decorated the tree in front of Henry Timblin Trucking on Main Street.

Making Old Fashioned, Spicy Gingerbread Men Cookies...

One of the special and most delicious customs at Christmas is snappy, spicy gingerbread men cookies. Since the whole family loves them, why not have the whole family join together in a happy baking spree? Here's our quick 'n' easy recipe:

- Gingerbread Cookies:**
 1 cup packed brown sugar
 3 eggs
 1 cup margarine or butter, softened
 1 1/4 cups molasses
 1 teaspoon salt
 1 tablespoon baking soda
 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
 1 teaspoon ground allspice
 1 teaspoon ground cloves
 1 teaspoon ground ginger
 3 cups all-purpose flour *plus*
 5-6 cups (to be used later)
 8" gingerbread man cookie cutter

Early in day: In a large bowl with mixer at low

speed, beat first 11 ingredients, until just mixed, constantly scraping bowl with rubber spatula. Increasing speed to medium, beat 2 more minutes, scraping occasionally. Using a wooden spoon, stir additional 5 to 6 cups of flour into dough, to make it stiff. Divide dough in half and wrap in plastic wrap. Dough can be used immediately or refrigerated for up to two days.

Preheat oven to 350° F. On a lightly floured surface roll half the dough with a lightly floured rolling pin, until 1/8" thick. With gingerbread man cookie cutter, cut as many cookies as possible. Using a pancake turner, arrange cookies on lightly greased cookie sheet, handling carefully. Bake 12 minutes until cookie edges are firm; loosen cookies



from sheet and remove to wire rack to cool.

Reroll scraps and using remaining dough, repeat.

Using white frosting, prepared or your own home made favorite, and raisins, decorate gingerbread men.

Recipe makes about 2 dozen cookies.

CHRISTMAS Greetings



REELS OF GOOD WISHES

Hope your holiday is filled with laughter, action, adventure and lots of happy endings. Thanks for hopping by to see us this past year.

Merry Christmas from Joan & the gang!

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With BRIGHT Wishes

WE APPRECIATE THE WARMTH of your friendship.

DON HERRIGES
HEATING



All the Best to You On Christmas

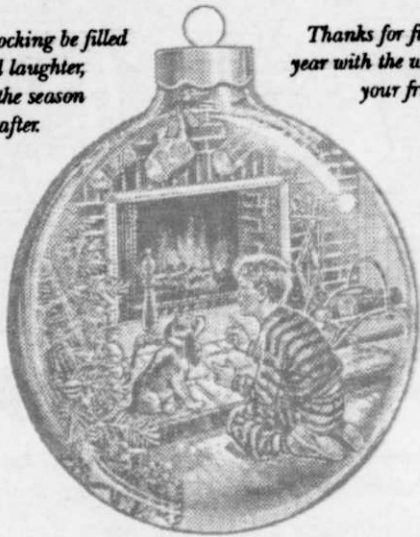
Here's hoping your holiday is stuffed with the gifts of family, friends and good fortune. We appreciate all you've given us throughout the year and look forward to continuing to serve you in the future. Happy Holiday and many thanks.

JIM SCHAUB
HOME IMPROVEMENT

Warm Christmas Wishes

May your stocking be filled with joy and laughter, throughout the season and forever after.

Thanks for filling our year with the warmth of your friendship.



L.K. HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING
357 Main St., Kewaskum

Peace At Christmastime

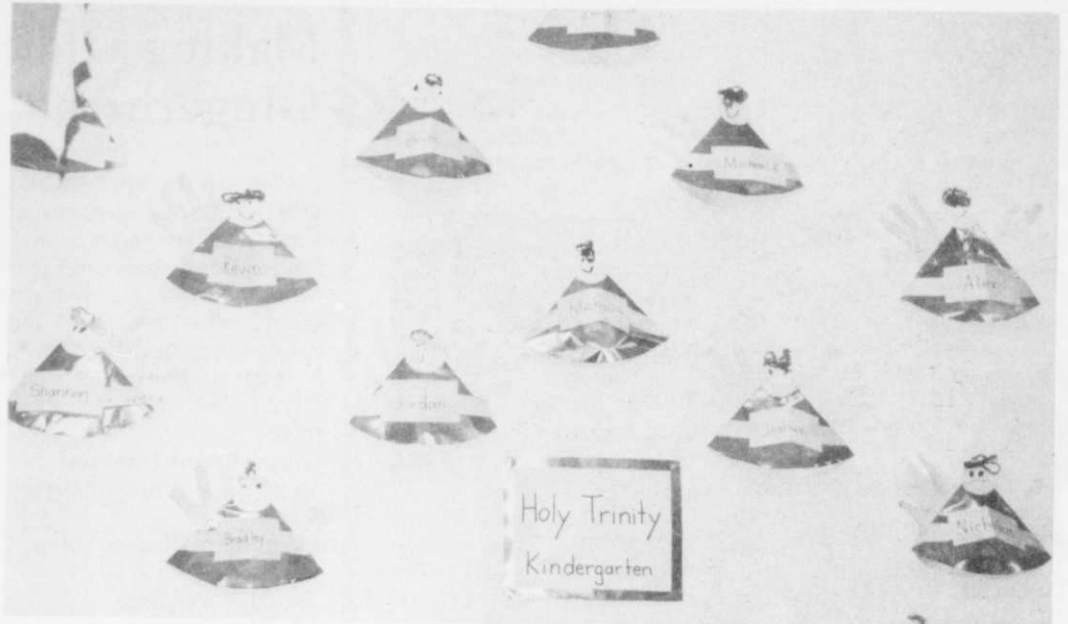
May the holiday season bring you as much joy as you have brought us!



HENRY TIMBLIN TRUCKING
Kewaskum



IT'S BEGINNING TO LOOK ALOT LIKE CHRISTMAS as Holy Trinity School students take advantage of the first good "packing" snow to build levels of snowmen larger than they were.



The Holy Trinity kindergarten class used their little hands to make these gorgeous gold holiday angels that decorate the south wall of the Kewaskum post office. Stop in the post office and take a few minutes to really look at all the work of our artistic area students. It is guaranteed to bring a Christmastime smile to your face.



Warmest Wishes

Have a cozy and comfortable holiday at home with those you love, and may health and happiness surround you always.

BOB'S HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING

HAVE A VERY MERRY!

We're taking note of all the kind people we'd like to thank and you're at the top of the list! Hope your Christmas delivers in every way. Thanks for being so good to us!

HOHLWECK'S TUB & SHOWER SALE

You're Always Welcome, Here!

May your holiday season be filled with good times and fond memories for a long time to come. Thank you for visiting us this past year.

BONNE BELLE MOTEL
Kewaskum

We're Sending You All Our Best For The Holidays!

Balloons By Brenda
Brenda Kirchner
Kewaskum

A Shining Christmas Wish

May the light of the season enter your heart and bestow the gift of love upon you. Merry Christmas to all our friends, past, present and future!

KETTLE MORAINE ELECTRIC

Color It Merry!

Paint the town red (and green) and have a fun-filled holiday season with best regards from all of us. Thank you for making things look bright for us.

LR TROPHY & SPORTSWEAR

Gift Ideas for the Cook

Amateur at-home cooks as well as seasoned professionals will find these holiday gifts helpful tools for preparing healthy meals. "In order to ensure that home meals are healthy, heated foods need to reach specific temperatures to ensure that bacteria, which can cause serious food illness, are destroyed. The only way to be absolutely certain is to use a thermometer," said Mike Barnett, food safety specialist with the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

Here are few items every health conscious cook should have:

* Instant read cooking thermometer. This handy tool when inserted into a hot or cold dish gives an instant temperature reading. Use it to check temperatures on re-heated leftovers or newly prepared dishes. Your cook will know immediately if the food has reached the minimum internal temperature to be considered to be safe to eat. Approximate retail cost: \$12.

* Microwave-safe thermometer. Unlike the other thermometers, this tool can be used in the microwave while it is operating. When inserted in foods, this thermometer provides your cook with instant knowledge of internal food temperatures. This is especially helpful

because microwaves tend to heat foods unevenly and tend not to heat deeply, causing some areas to remain undercooked.

Leftovers, depending on how they were handled and stored, can contain bacteria that can multiply during storage. If minimum temperatures are not reached, your cook could be exposing your family to food illness bacteria, which can result in flu-like symptoms or hospitalization. Approximate retail cost: \$16.

* Meat thermometer (for use in conventional ovens). Insert this spike-like gadget into your turkey, roast, meat loaf, casserole, or other large dish and leave it in during the cooking process. When the dial indicates that the minimal safe internal temperature has been reached, your cook will know for certain that harmful bacteria such as E. Coli and Salmonella have been destroyed. Approximate retail cost: \$7.

"Often bacteria that cause food illness cannot be seen, tasted, or smelled.

Each year in the U.S. there are an estimated 80 million cases of food illness. One of the best ways to protect your family from illness is to make sure every dish you serve has been heated or cooled to the critical temperature necessary to prevent food borne illness. Be a health conscious Santa, give a gift that can protect the health of your entire family," said Barnett.

For more information call your local health department or the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection - Division of Food Safety regional office serving your area: Madison/Milwaukee (608) 224-4661; Green Bay/Northeastern Wisconsin (414) 448-5120, Eau Claire/Northwestern Wisconsin (715) 839-3844.

CUTTING UP

For fun-to-make appetizers that don't require cooking, use holiday cookie cutters to make decorative shapes from slices of Wisconsin Colby, Cheddar or Swiss cheese. Place the cheese slices on crackers or cocktail bread for festive mini-cheese sandwiches.



The holiday art projects of the creative students at Kewaskum Elementary School decorate the inside of the west window at the Kewaskum Post Office. Every year the students seem to outdo themselves adding that festive touch and bringing the Christmas spirit to all who use the post office daily.

TOP IT OFF WITH CHEER!

A very, merry season to all of you.

Merry Christmas and Many Thanks!

Butch's Construction

Butch Winninghoff
Kewaskum

Silent Night

May this holy season blanket you and your loved ones with warmth and contentment.
Merry Christmas from all of us.

HEBERER BROS. CONSTRUCTION
Kewaskum

FOR THE FINAL TOUCH...

We'd like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas. You're a real star to us!

STAR AUTO SALVAGE

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

PAINT THE TOWN RED & GREEN

Hope the season brings a fresh coat of white and spreads lots of good cheer to you and yours!

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

From Our House To Yours

Home is where the heart is, and we love being a part of this great community. Thanks for making us feel right at home.

BUNKELMAN BUILDERS



HAPPY BIRTHDAY JESUS!



Here's a picture for the children to color



The St. Lucas School kindergarteners designed this wall mural with their own little hands... literally! You'll see their handprints if you look at the photo carefully. The mural hangs on the west wall of the Kewaskum Post Office, along with many, many beautiful holiday art projects made by the creative children in the Kewaskum School District.



Hark! It's Christmastime!

As we herald another glorious season, we'd like to get on the horn and thank all of you who have given us so much to celebrate. Hope your holiday is a resounding success!

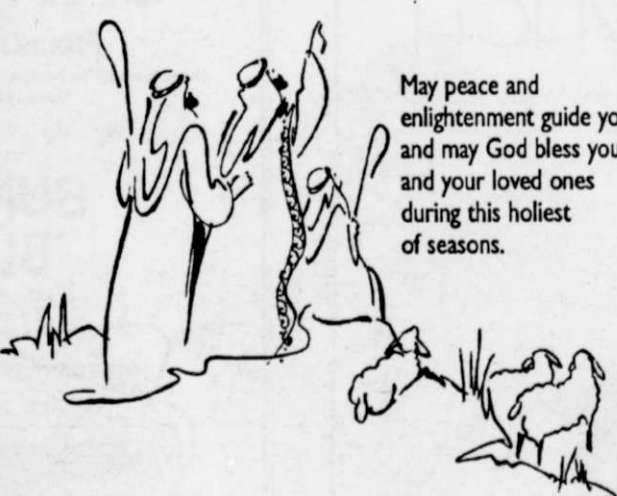
Dr. J. Dennis Connor

Joy
TO THE WORLD

...And a world of good wishes to all of you who have brought us so much happiness this past year. Merry Christmas!

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May peace and enlightenment guide you, and may God bless you and your loved ones during this holiest of seasons.

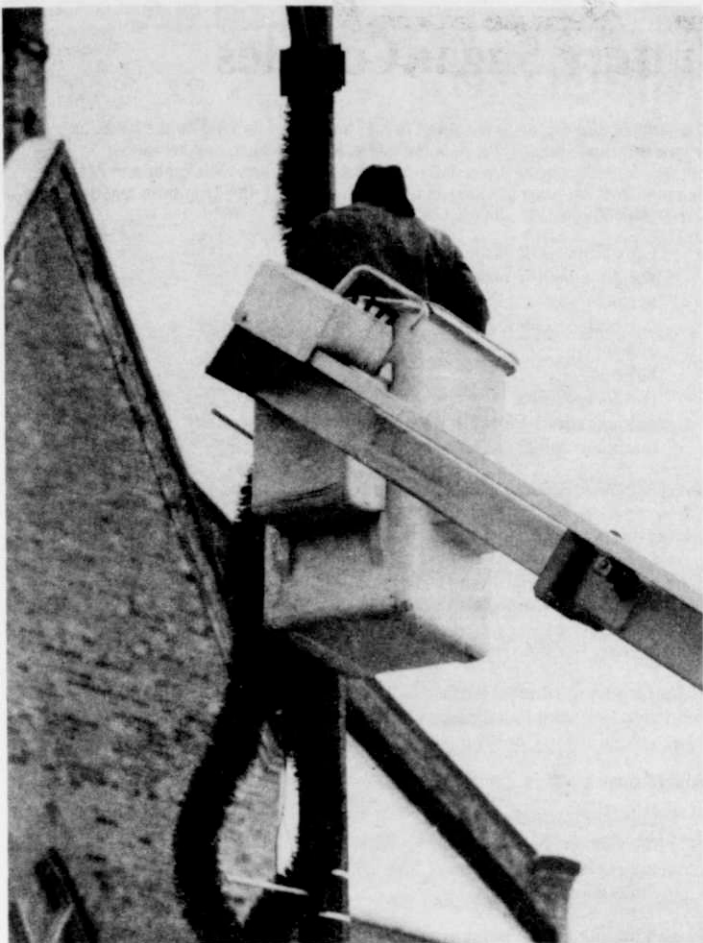
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Kewaskum



Every creature of God is good...
-- The First Epistle of Paul the Apostle to Timothy 4:4

We wish everyone in creation a truly wonderful Christmastime!
We love taking care of your animals!

VETERINARY CLINIC
Kewaskum - Allenton



Village worker Craig Gruber began the tedious process of winding the Christmas garland around the light poles just a few short weeks ago. Whoever took care of scheduling this year better not make the same mistake of placing Thanksgiving and Christmas this close together again for a long time. Or another thought might be to postpone Christmas until January 25 or perhaps switching Christmas with Valentine's Day. That would work... so much to do... so little time.

Give the Gift That Lasts the Whole Year... Holiday Spirit

A lovely family dinner with traditional holiday foods...

A Christmas party with 50 close friends...

An exciting morning of tearing open colorfully wrapped gifts with the children...

A romantic evening by the fire with a loved one...

A walk through a snowy wonderland while sipping warm apple cider...

Christmastime means many things to many people, but one thing remains constant -- the holidays are a time of "goodwill toward men."

After a year of hustle and bustle and dealing with the stress of day-to-day living, Christmas is when people can relax and enjoy the happiness that infuses the

season. Warmth and generosity seem to fill everyone's heart as people spread joy to their family, friends and even strangers on the street.

Whether remembering the delightful Christmases spent with grandma and grandpa or planning a special holiday for their own children and grandchildren, people are filled with the spirit of the season. A feeling of harmony is in the air, bringing people from far and wide together. They share their time, their thoughts and even special gifts with each other, and they seem to forget about the troubles they faced just a short while ago.

Christmas is a time of

reflection and rejuvenation, allowing people to recover from their hectic daily lifestyles. This feeling of calmness, a part of the fabric of the holidays, helps people prepare for the new year ahead of them. However, once Christmastime has passed, many people go back to the way they were -- stressed, frustrated and too busy to take time out for the pleasures of life.

This year, they should let the spirit of Christmas live throughout the year. Not only will they be happier, but their kindness will brighten another person's life, and hopefully, he or she will spread this joy on to others. This is just one small way to make the world a better place.

So, to their Christmas list, people can add a wish that the holiday spirit lasts the whole year through.

**Venite, Adoremus
Dominum**

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**HOPE IT'S
UPBEAT!**

Best wishes for a fun-filled season. Thanks for marching in to see us this year.

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SERVICE**

**TRADITIONAL
HOLIDAY
GREETINGS**

May you celebrate a good old-fashioned holiday filled with joyous song and dance. Thank you ever so much for stepping in to see us this year.

Merry Christmas to all.

**BARTELT
INSURANCE**

**A CHRISTMAS WISH
FROM OUR HOME TO YOURS**

May peace and good fortune visit your home this holiday season.

Thank you for visiting us this past year.

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**Peace On
Christmas**

May you enjoy the glory of this heavenly season with your loved ones.
Many thanks to all for your devoted patronage.

GERALD A. KIEFER
Attorney



St. Lucas School students placed their handmade decorations on the tree located at Kewaskum Floral.

Who Has Paid?

Who has paid the light bill for the warmth and light of the sun?

Who has paid the water bill for the waters that quench our thirst and wash the earth?

Who has paid the transportation bill for two good legs that carry each of us about?

Who has bought the tickets for the movies seen each day—the colorful birds, the majestic mountains, the delicate flowers, blazing sunsets, and the diamonds glistening in the snow?

Who has paid the great Physician's fee for health and strength—the price of all the tonics for our happiness?

All these things and many, many more are FREE gifts we receive all year long. But Christmas is a special time to think of these gifts and with a heart full of gratitude and love, sincerely thank our loving Benefactor and pass these blessings and our love on to others.

Put CHRIST in CHRISTmas by giving from the heart, through CHRISTian love!

Fruity Christmas Tree

Turn a trellis upside down and attach to a wall with a pretty green or red plastic waste can underneath. Fill the spaces between the trellis bars with plastic fruit and greenery.

Place pretty, wrapped packages in the waste can.

Attach a bow at the top.

Buttery Sugar Cookies

Bohemian Tom Burch came to Wisconsin in 1867 and began farming on the land that is now owned by Tom's great-great granddaughter, Rosalie Geiger, and her husband, Randy. The farm has passed down through several generations, with Randy and Rosalie taking over from her parents, Elmer and Julie Pritzl, in 1981. The dairy farm consists of 255 acres with 60 cows and 70 heifers.

- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup butter, softened
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1 large egg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 teaspoon grated fresh orange zest (rind)
- 4 teaspoons milk

In a medium bowl, combine flour, baking powder and salt.

In a large mixing bowl, cream butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in egg. Add vanilla and orange zest. Stir in milk. Gradually add flour mixture to wet ingredients and stir just until combined and a ball forms. Refrigerate 1-2 hours or until firm enough to handle.

Preheat oven to 375°F. Lightly butter cookie sheets.

Roll dough out on a floured surface to 1/8" thickness. Cut with 3" cookie cutter. Place 1 1/2" apart on prepared cookie sheets. Bake 6-8 minutes or until a delicate golden color. Cool completely on racks. Glaze with Vanilla Frosting.

Vanilla Frosting

- 3 cups confectioner's sugar
- 6 tablespoons butter, softened
- 2 teaspoons vanilla
- 3-4 tablespoons milk

In a small mixing bowl, combine powdered sugar, butter and vanilla. Gradually add milk and beat until smooth and creamy. *Makes about 2 cups. Makes about 4 dozen 3" cookies.*



Dairy Farmers of Wisconsin

Wisconsin Milk Marketing Board

A LEARNING EXPERIENCE

Dairy Council of Wisconsin education experts say you can turn holiday baking into an opportunity for little chefs to practice basic math and language skills: younger children can measure ingredients to learn about fractions, and older kids can read the recipes.



*Ring
in the
Good
Cheer...*

Ring in the good cheer
With those you hold so dear,
Put spirits in high gear,
'Cause Christmastime is here!

MILL TOOL
& Mfg. Corp.



IT'S CHRISTMAS...
May Your Spirits Soar!
Our best wishes for a wonderful holiday.

JOHNSON BUS
Kewaskum



**WELCOME TO THE
MERRIEST SEASON OF THE YEAR!**

*We wish you a Christmas filled with lots of
love and fun with friends and family.
Thanks so much for coming to see us throughout the year.
You're always welcome here!*

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OUR BEST
WISHES**

Ho...ho...hope your
season is loaded
with cheer.



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**Gather Round For
CHRISTMAS**

Here's hoping you have the best Christmas in creation

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CHOOSING and CARING FOR A REAL CHRISTMAS TREE

This Choose and Cut Guide is a publication of the Wisconsin Christmas Tree Producers Association (WCTPA). The WCTPA is an association of Christmas tree growers and related industry people who are interested in promoting the production of *Quality Christmas Trees* grown in Wisconsin.

Wisconsin harvests over 3/4 million trees each year. An estimated 300,000 trees stay within the state and the rest go to out-of-state buyers. Most of the trees that stay in the state are sold through wholesale buyers, but the "Choose and Cut" option is becoming more and more popular with both growers and the families who want to select their tree directly from the farm.

Use the following guidelines to help you select and care for your tree.

1. Determine the height and shape of tree you want before you leave home.
2. Be sure to allow enough time to travel to the farm, select a tree and tie it on your vehicle before dark. Most choose & cut farms are open only during daylight hours.
3. When you get your tree home, place the tree in a cool, sheltered area, such as a unheated garage or basement, where it is protected from the wind and the sun.
4. When you are ready to put your tree up, make a fresh cut on the trunk at least one inch or more above the original cut to enable the tree to take up water. (The cut removes possible clotted resins that could prevent the tree from absorbing water.)
5. Place the tree in a large capacity, water holding stand. Don't let the water supply run out because a seal will form on the tree trunk and the tree cannot take on any more water. A real Christmas tree with high moisture content will not support combustion.
6. Check the water supply daily. A tree may absorb from a pint to a gallon of water each day, depending upon its size and condition.
7. Don't place your tree near heat sources, such as a fireplace, heating vent or stove as this will tend to dry it out.
8. Check your electric lights and cords and discard any with frayed or worn spots. Use only U.L. approved electrical decorations.
9. Sit back and enjoy the fresh cut fragrance and delight in the natural beauty of your real Christmas tree.

Colorants - Most Christmas trees, especially those in the pine family, tend to lose their bright green color in the fall of the year as the trees go into dormancy to protect themselves against our harsh winter temperatures. To enhance its appearance, some trees are colored with a colorant that is formulated with pigments and acrylic latex. The pigment or acrylic latex components do not contain any ingredient that may be toxic to children, pets or the environment.

Legend Says Mary Died In Ephesus, Turkey

A ruined city in Turkey may have been the last home of the Virgin Mary.

Ephesus, a ghost city, lies some 35 miles from Izmir, near the Aegean Sea. Ephesus is frequented by archaeologists, chiefly interested in the Temple of Diana, one of the Seven Wonders of the World. In recent years, Christians have come to Ephesus in increasing numbers, drawn by the legend that Mary spent her last years here, cared for by St. John the Apostle.

Amid the ruins of the 6th century Church of St. John, a tiny chapel is believed by many to stand over the site of Mary's home. Local tradition says that both Mary and John died in Ephesus, but their tombs have never been discovered.

Ephesus was destroyed by Goths in A.D. 262 but the Christianized city revived and became the seat of two of the most important councils in Roman Catholic history. Later invasions by Arabs, Turks and Mongols completed its ruin.

THANKS!

We couldn't have done it without your support.

Merry Christmas to all.

BARTON TV
West Bend



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May you enjoy all the splendor and wonder of this magical season.
We really enjoy having neighbors like you!

DAIRYLAND DELIGHTS



All The Best To You And Yours

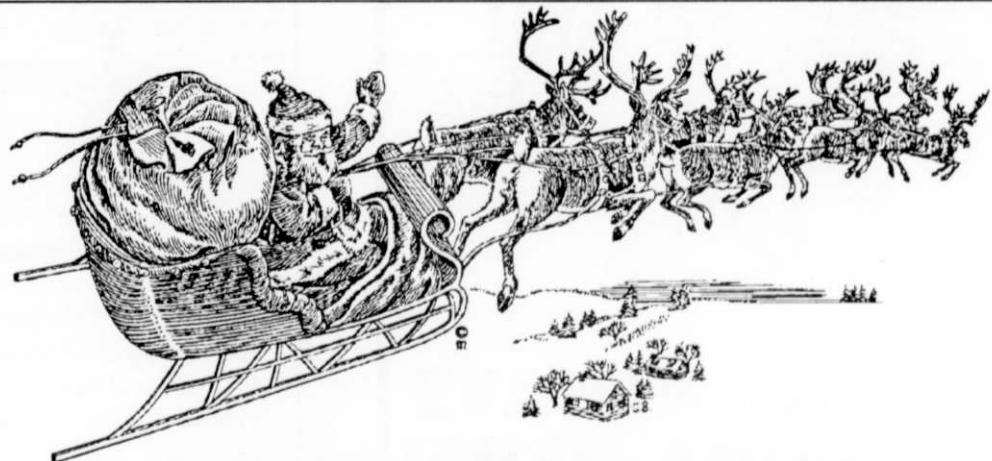
We'd like to extend our warm wishes and gratitude to all our kind neighbors this holiday season. It's been a privilege and a pleasure serving you.

HOLSTEIN HAVEN DAIRY
The Neumanns & Shackelfords



*It seems just like the good old days of yore.
With family, friends and the folks from next door.
So enjoy this time of laughter and fun.
As we send our best wishes to everyone!*

SCHMIDT ACRES, INC.
Bud and Dean



CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Here's hoping your season gets off to a flying start, and brings much joy throughout!

KEMP'S from MARIGOLD FOODS

Surprise! Surprise! Have a Hearty Barbequed Christmas Dinner!

How about a Christmas barbeque!

The Christmas holidays are celebrated in many parts of this country, and around the world, in warm and often tropical climates. How appropriate to ask friends and family to share a Christmas barbeque dinner! This recipe for an unusual and tasty main course, and some of the trimmings, should add variety to a heretofore traditional menu.

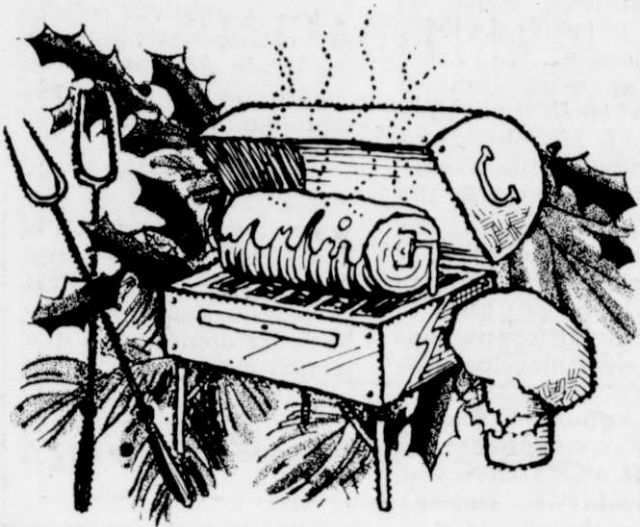
After serving your favorite hors d'oeuvre and holiday potions try this barbequed honey glazed pork loin . . . you may never serve anything else at Christmas again!

Barbequed Honey Glazed Pork Loin:

About 3 hours before you plan to serve, prepare outdoor covered grill, using manufacturer's instructions for indirect heat cooking.

Glaze: Stir 1/2 cup honey, 1 teaspoon ground ginger and 1/4 cup brandy together in a bowl. Mix well and set aside.

Roast: Rub 1 tablespoon salt and 1 teaspoon cracked pepper into a 4 1/2 pound double top loin pork roast. Insert meat thermometer into mid-



dle and place roast on grill, over drip pan, with fat side up. Roast 2 1/2 hours on covered grill, adding more briquettes to sides of grill every hour, as directed by manufacturer. Baste meat often with Honey Glaze during last 1/2 hour of cooking.

Set meat on previously heated platter, remove strings and let stand about 15 minutes. While waiting to carve roast, set out salad and trimmings.

Grilled Scalloped Potatoes:

Peel a medium size potato

for each serving. On squares of aluminum foil, lay thin slices in overlapping layers and dot with 1 tablespoon butter, salt and pepper. Add 2 tablespoons milk. Seal package with double fold and cook on grill, close to coals for about 15 minutes.

Test for tenderness, and if necessary reseat for longer cooking.

Orange slaw or a salad combining fresh orange sections, avocado slices and romaine lettuce will add piquant flavor and holiday color to your delicious feast! Enjoy! Enjoy!

GINGERBREAD COOKIE BARS

- 1/2 cups all purpose flour
- 1/4 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoons ground ginger
- 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1/2 cup shortening
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 cup molasses
- 1/2 cup buttermilk or sour milk

Preheat oven to 350° F. Grease and lightly flour a 13x9x2 inch pan.

Assemble mixer. Sift flour, baking soda, salt and spices together and set aside.

Cream shortening and sugar together in large bowl at a medium speed until fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition.

Mix buttermilk or sour milk with molasses. Add to creamed mixture alternately with the dry ingredients, mixing well.

Pour into prepared pan and bake 25-30 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

Cool completely. Frost with Apple Cream Cheese frosting (below).

Yield: 24 bars

APPLE CREAM CHEESE FROSTING

- 4 ounces cream cheese, softened
- 2 cups powdered sugar
- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine, softened
- 2 tablespoons apple juice concentrate, thawed

Assemble mixer. In small mixer bowl, combine all ingredients at a low speed until smooth. Increase speed to medium and mix until a spreading consistency is reached.

Yield: 1 1/3 cups

DECK THE HALLS!

Don't forget the candles. Place groupings of candles around each room for a beautiful soft glow. Mix and match candle holders for a unique look.

The Most Spectacular Scene

A number of years ago, Cecil B. DeMille was being interviewed by a radio program. Upon being asked what he considered the most spectacular scene in motion picture production he told of the following incident:

"It was during the scene being portrayed of the crucifixion, on a Christmas Eve. There was a large cast of two thousand people—among whom were selected hard-faced, rough men, who made up the Roman army. They were a dust-laden, brawling mob. There was the hill with its three crosses, a soft light playing as a halo around the middle one.

"The very atmosphere was charged with a sacred emotion—memorial of the event. Suddenly a pipe organ began to sound the hallowed strains of 'Holy Night.' Silence settled over the vast crowd of participators and then an unusual thing happened: All two thousand actors knelt toward the cross for a full moment with tears streaming down their dusty faces.

"That was the most dramatic, unrehearsed act I ever witnessed. It was strangely beautiful."

Christmas Greetings

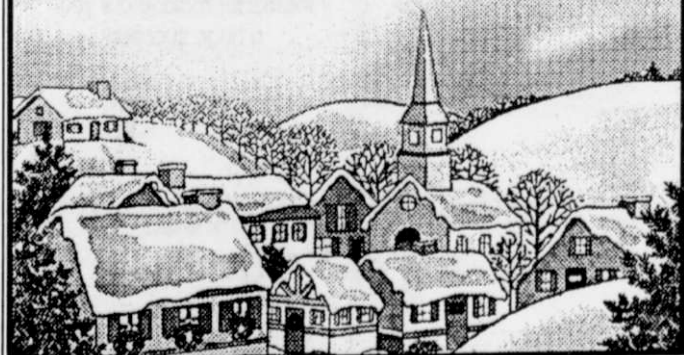
We wish you a warm and bright holiday season. You really lit up our lives with your visits!



A Blessed Event

May the Heavens grace you with the gift of answered prayers in this season of Miracles.

BEECHWOOD CHEESE FACTORY



In the Spirit of the Season...

Here's hoping your Christmas joy is deeper, friendships stronger, and your days brighter in this and every season throughout the year.

Merry Christmas to all our loyal customers!

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Boltonville

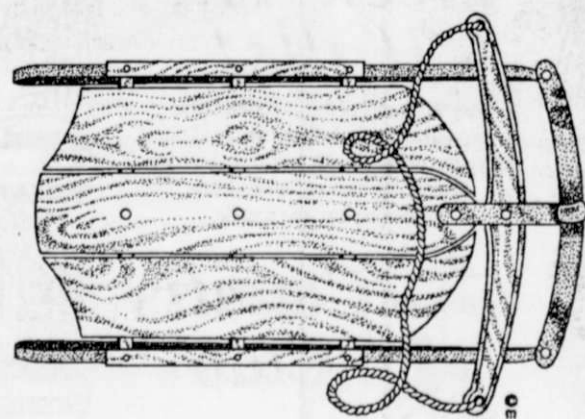
BEECHWOOD REST HOME



PILE ON THE CHEER

Get ready... get set... GO... for a great holiday season. Merry Christmas!

HOEFT'S RESORT
Crooked Lake



Distinguished Marquette Scholar of Children's Literature Selects Best Christmas Books for Children

MILWAUKEE - Wandering through bookstores looking for the right Christmas book for that special little one is no easy task.

Barbara Elleman, distinguished scholar of children's literature in the School of Education at Marquette University and winner of the 1996 Hope S. Dean Memorial Award for outstanding contributions to children's literature, recommends the following books for preschoolers through third grade:

* Brent, Isabelle - "Cats Love Christmas Too: A Seasonal Celebration in Poetry and Prose," (Little, Brown). Cat lovers young and old will enjoy these poetic treats that aptly feature charming felines on every page.

* Brown, Margaret Wise (Illustrated by Nancy Edwards Calder) - "On Christmas Eve" (Harper Collins). Unable to sleep, four children creep downstairs and experience the magic of Christmas Eve.

* Choraio, Kay - "The Christmas Story" (Holiday House). Soft, earthy colors warm this retelling about the night Baby Jesus was born.

* Clements, Andrew (Illustrations by Kate Kiesler) - "Bright Christmas: An Angel Remembers" (Clarion). Graceful artwork vitalizes this nostalgic story of an angel, present at the birth of Jesus, who tells about that special night.

* Dickens, Charles (Illustrated by Carter Goodrich) - "A Christmas Carol" (Morrow). Dickens' shorter, highly spirited version of his popular "A Christmas Carol" is presented here with atmospheric paintings that appropriately set the mood.

* Dunbar, Joyce (Illustrations by Gary Blythe) - "This Is the Star" (Harcourt). The well-loved Nativity story is beautifully

re-created through lyrical words and magnificent paintings.

* Ferguson, Alane (Illustrated by Tom Sully) - "Tumbleweed Christmas" (Simon & Schuster). Young Scotty has been looking to spending Christmas with his grandparents, but when his mother's car breaks down in the desert he discovers a new way to celebrate the holiday.

* Forward, Toby (Illustrations by Ruth Brown) - "Ben's Christmas Carol" (Dutton). Two mice have vastly different views about Christmas in a story that echoes another "Christmas Carol." Keen-eyes will find a story-within-a-story in the luminous pictures.

* Hague, Michael - "The Perfect Present" (Morrow). After choosing a special gift for his sweetheart -- a bouncing kangaroo toy -- Jack finds himself chasing it all over town; eventually the toy arrives at Ginger's door just in time for Christmas.

* Jennings, Linda (Illustrations by Catherine Walters) - "The Best Christmas Present of All" (Dutton). In this heartwarming tale, the dog Buster makes an old, ailing man happy on Christmas.

* McQuade, Jacqueline. "Christmas with Teddy Bear." (Dial). McQuade captures the essence of Christmas with rich oil painting and a beguiling story about a Teddy Bear's preparation for the holiday.

* O'Brien, John - "Mother Hubbard's Christmas" (Boyd's Mills Press).

This traditional nursery rhyme is given an amusing new holiday twist as Mother Hubbard gets ready for Christmas.

* Rahaman, Vashanti (Illustrations by Frane Lessac) - "O Christmas Tree" (Boyd's Mills Press). In this story, set in the West Indies, a young boy wants a real live Christmas tree more than anything in the world; he gets his wish in a far different, but nonetheless pleasing, way than he ever expects.

* Sanderson, Ruth - "The Nativity: From the Gospels of Matthew and Luke" (Little, Brown). Coupling the age-old story with classical style paintings bordered with intricate designs make this book a family treasure.

* Smalls, Irene (Illustrated by Medodye Rosales) - "Irene Jennie and the Christmas Masquerade" (Little, Brown). On a North Carolina plantation in the 1800s, a young slave girl gets swept up in the music and dancing of Johnkankus, a holiday parade she witnesses as she waits for her parents to come home.

* Stevenson, James - "The Oldest Elf" (Greenwillow). In this amusing story, Elwyn, Santa's oldest elf, and Blitzen, a retired reindeer, help Santa out one last time as they race through the skies on Christmas Eve.

* Sykes, Julie (Illustrations by Tim Warnes) - "Shhh!" (Little Tiger Press). Santa enjoys his Christmas delivery tasks so much that he sings and laughs and

almost wakes all the sleeping children on Christmas Eve.

* Tyrell, Frances - "Woodland Christmas: Twelve Days of Christmas in the North Woods" (Scholastic). A woodland setting provides the backdrop for the loving courtship of two black bears in this new presentation of an old holiday favorite.

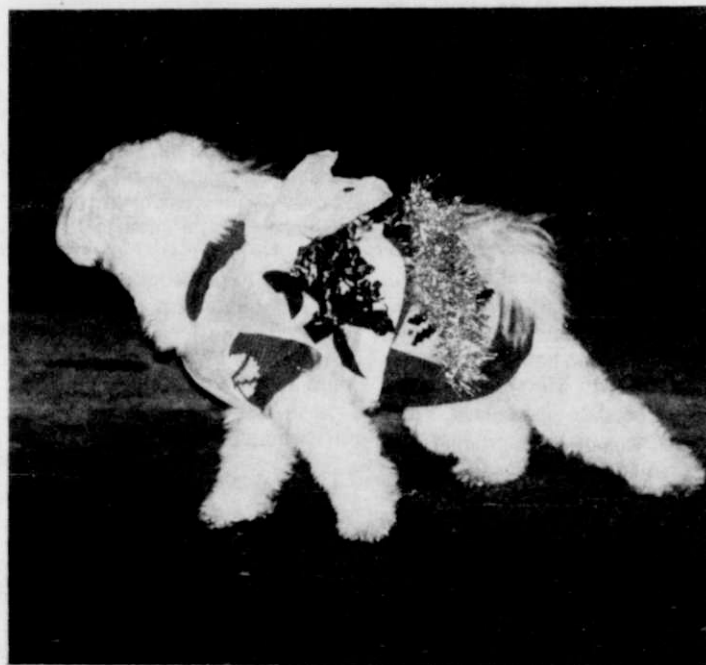
* Van Rynbach, Iris - "Deck the Halls: An Old Welsh Carol" (Boyd's Mills Press). All the spirit and fun of this familiar carol unfolds in Van Rynbach's bustling depiction of one family's celebration.

* Watts, Bernadette - "The Christmas Bird" (North-South Books). A

young girl travels far to visit baby Jesus in the manger and experiences a magical happening when she discovers that her only gift, a wooden bird whistle, is broken.

"The holidays are naturally filled with fun and festive activities but quiet reading times should also be part of the celebration," said Elleman.

Elleman is the former editor of *Book Links*, and this fall was named distinguished scholar of children's literature in the School of Education at Marquette. Prior to her appointment, she had been a visiting lecturer at the university since 1989.



This "decked out doggie" was all dressed up in his holiday finery and patiently waiting to see Santa Claus. He was one of the many doggie participants in the Joys of Grooming entry "Good Things Come in Small Paw-kages."



Season's Greetings

With warm wishes and heartfelt thanks from all of us.

C & R CATERING
Allenton

HAPPY Holidays

Santa called us up to say,
His entourage is on the way;
Led by heartfelt thanks
And best wishes, too...
From all of us, to all of you!



THE HITCHING POST
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CELEBRATE THE SEASON WITH CHEER!

Many thanks for making our year.



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Deck The Halls!

May the beauty of the season surround you, and may your holiday contain all the trimmings of love, health, wealth and success.
Merry Christmas and many thanks for making our year sparkle.

Camelot Country Club



SEASON'S GREETINGS



To our many fine customers and friends, we extend our very best wishes for a season filled with joy and all the white stuff.
Thanks for making our year a huge success!

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The Jewish Christmas

Among the holidays at this time of year is the Jewish celebration of Hanukkah. Because Hanukkah is generally celebrated in December, it is sometimes referred to as the Jewish Christmas. It is similar to the Christian holiday in that gifts are exchanged, candles are lit and it is a time of rejoicing. However, that is where the similarity ends, for their origins and meanings are entirely different and Hanukkah actually predates Christmas.

Hanukkah is an eight-day festival commemorating the military and spiritual victory of Judas Maccabaeus and his army over the King of Syria, who attempted to crush the Jewish faith in one God. Hanukkah, derived from the Hebrew word meaning dedication, is also called the "Feast of Dedication" and "The Festival of Lights." It always starts on the 25th day of the Jewish month of Kislev.

Because the Jewish calendar is based on the moon rather than the sun, the Jewish holidays fall each year on varying dates of the solar three hundred sixty five day calendar.

The Hanukkah festival not only commemorates a victory but is a celebration of the obtaining of religious freedom.

APPLE DIPPERS

Kids of all ages will live this sweet, creamy fruit dip: In a medium bowl, stir together one cup Wisconsin Mascarpone cheese, 1/4 cup honey and 1/2 teaspoon vanilla. Serve with apple wedges tossed in cinnamon and sugar.

Holiday Traditions Have Ties to English History

Singing carols, exchanging gifts, enjoying a holiday feast and wishing others good cheer — this is what Christmas is all about to many people. However, some may not know that these traditions are related to English celebrations.

Giving gifts on Christmas is a Victorian custom. Before that time, people exchanged gifts on New Year's Day or Twelfth Night. Beginning in the Victorian era, British children would write letters to Father Christmas and throw them into the fireplace. They believed the draft would carry the letters up the chimney and Father Christmas would be able to read the smoke.

The tradition of hanging stockings from the mantel also comes from this time period. According to legend, Father Christmas once dropped some gold coins while coming down a chimney. Instead of falling through the ash grate, the coins landed in a stocking that had been hung on the mantelpiece to dry. From then on, children have hung out their stockings in hope of finding them filled with gifts.

Singing carols at Christmas also has English origins. In the Middle Ages, groups of singers and musicians, called waits, would roam from house to house singing carols to

spread the holiday spirit. Most of the popular carols sung today were written during the Victorian era.

Decorating the home with holly and other greenery is an English winter tradition that began long before the Christian era. Historians believe this was done to lift people's spirits and remind them that spring would soon arrive. Hanging mistletoe has become especially popular today, because people enjoy kissing under the mistletoe. This custom descended from ancient Druid ceremonies.

Drinking wassail is another English custom that continues today. Derived from the Anglo-Saxon phrase "wæs hæl," meaning "good health," wassail was meant to enhance the merriment of the holiday season. It originally was made of mulled ale, cream, roasted apples, nuts, eggs and spices. Throughout the years, people have developed quite a ceremony for drinking wassail. First, the bowl is carried into the room. Then, people sing a traditional carol about the drink. Finally, the hot beverage is served.

This year, as people decorate their homes and raise their glasses in a toast of good cheer, they can know that they are carrying on centuries-old traditions. SX964379

THE SPIRIT OF Christmas

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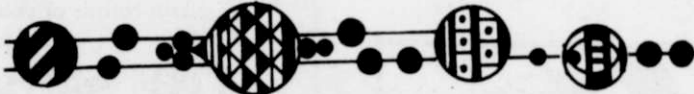
LIFT YOUR SPIRITS!



Another great Christmas is shaping up, and we'd like to extend our warm wishes for a happy and healthy holiday to all our members and friends. Many thanks for choosing us.

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HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Warm wishes for a wonderful season to all our friends. We appreciate your support!

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**Oh What Fun It Is...
To Wish You Merry Christmas!**

We just want to tell you what fun we had serving you this year!

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Pub 'N' Restaurant
Campbellsport

Greetings of the Season

Here's hoping you enjoy the jolliest of times all through the holidays. Thanks for stopping by!

Bar N Ranch Hat Bar
Campbellsport

KICK UP YOUR HEELS AND CELEBRATE!

We hope your holidays find you sitting tall in the saddle! We're mighty happy you moseyed in this year, and hope to see you again soon. Thanks, partners!

BAR-N ANNEX
Hwy. GGG, Campbellsport

SEASON'S GREETINGS

May the warmth of the season be shared by you and yours. We appreciate your valued patronage.

Merry Christmas, everyone!

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New Prospect



QUICK QUIZ

America's Favorite Christmas Classic

(NAPS)—How many times have you seen the Christmas classic, *It's A Wonderful Life*? How many "wonderful life" details can you remember? Lovers of Frank Capra's heart-warming cinematic treasure will be happy to know that this year, to celebrate the film's 50th anniversary, Republic Pictures Home Video presents a state-of-the-art deluxe version of this timeless tale. Answer these trivia questions, add up the correct answers and see if you qualify for honorary citizenship in Bedford Falls:



Would Christmas be as wonderful if you didn't see *It's A Wonderful Life*? A state-of-the-art deluxe version celebrates the film's 50th anniversary.

QUESTIONS:

1. What was George Bailey's brother's name?
2. What was the name of the book that Clarence The Angel read from?
3. Who really lost the \$8,000?
4. What would have been Mary's profession, had she not married George Bailey?
5. What did George most love about Mary's house?
6. If George Bailey was never born, what would have been the name of the town where he and Mary live?
7. How do we know when angels are given their heavenly wings?

ANSWERS:

1. George Bailey saved his brother Harry, from drowning when he was a child. Thanks to George, Harry survived to become a World War II hero.
2. *Tom Sawyer*—an original edition. It had been quite a while since the angel had been earth-side.
3. George's uncle loses the bankroll and the cruel Mr. Potter sees it as an excuse to ruin George. Drunk and depressed, kind-hearted George wishes he had never been born.
4. Librarian spinster.
5. The scent of pine needles.
6. Pottersville. If George had never been born, Bedford Falls would have been at the mercy of Mr.

Potter, who cared less for people than he did for making money. Once George saw how awful Pottersville was, he realized his was indeed "a wonderful life."

7. Bells ring.

The anniversary edition of the movie features a 365-page hardbound book, the film's original trailer, a collection of photos, a theatrical poster, a featurette on the making of the movie, plus a CD of movie music. Available for \$79.98 from Republic Pictures Home Video, this specially packaged edition makes a great Christmas present.

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All 7 Correct Answers. "Wing-ed"

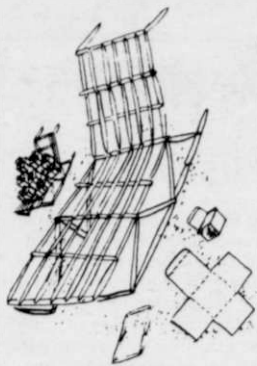
You've seen the movie enough times to have earned your wings. But you may still watch it as often as you like.

4-6 Correct Answers "Wonderful"

You've learned a lot about what it takes to make a wonderful life, but keep studying. It can only get better.

1-3 Correct Answers "Not 'wonderful' enough"

You could use a little more Christmas spirit. Antidote—round up some candy canes, gingerbread, hot chocolate and watch *It's A Wonderful Life*.



A Sled of New Year Gifts

For a special New Year's gift to a friend, make this tiny Eskimo sled from toothpicks and glue!

Start with 6 cross boards of the sled's seat and build according to the picture. Make 12 tiny gift boxes by cutting out a box form from pretty paper and folding it into a box, taping the sides together in the inside.

On 12 small pieces of paper write, for each month of the year, something you wish for your friend: "I wish you a gift of happiness in January." "I wish you the gift of love in February," etc., etc. Tuck each piece of paper in the tiny box, writing the name of the month on the box. Tie a tiny ribbon around each box and attach a bow. Pile the Eskimo sled high with its special New Year's gift.



Yuletide Greetings

We appreciate having you as our customers.

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BEARY BEST WISHES

Hope everything goes your way this holiday season.



LOEHR'S MEAT SERVICE
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A Special Christmas Wish



Here's hoping you enjoy generous portions of love and laughter with family and friends for the main course of your Christmas season!

THE AMBER HOTEL
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Stocked With Joy



May all of our "deer" friends enjoy a season overflowing with the milk of human kindness and a new year as sweet as honey.

Thanks for shopping with us!

STRAUB PIGGLY WIGGLY
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Wishing you all the joy and wonder of the Christmas season. Thanks for stopping by!

MR. ED'S RESORT & CAMPGROUND
Long Lake

The Party's At Our Place

It's Always Nice To See You!

Won't you drop in again soon? We'd love to wish you a Merry Christmas in person.

Meanwhile, happy, happy to you and yours!

The Pony Express Supper Club



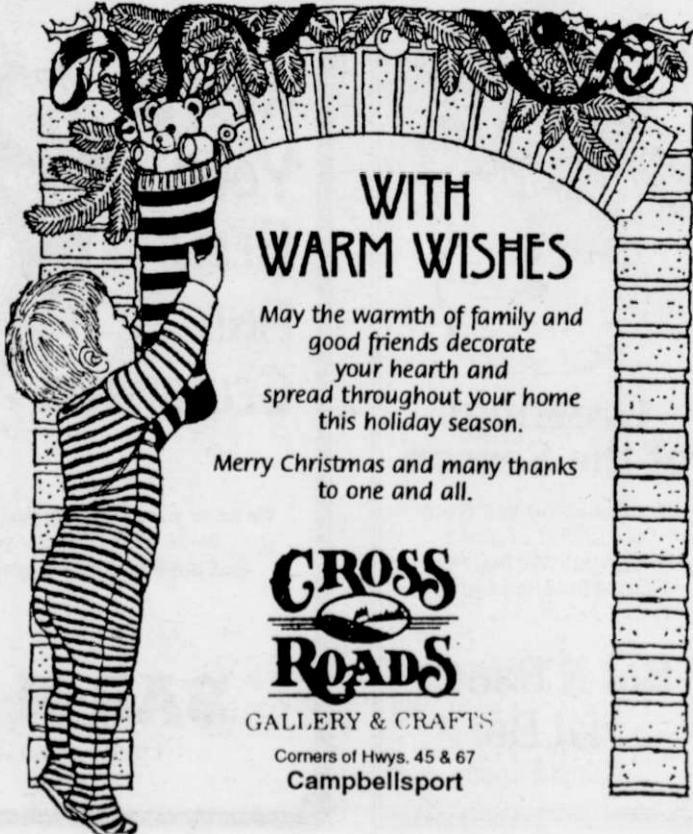
WITH WARM WISHES

May the warmth of family and good friends decorate your hearth and spread throughout your home this holiday season.

Merry Christmas and many thanks to one and all.

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Back to the Basics: The ABC's of Baking

MADISON -- Holiday baking can be a stressful affair. Staying up past midnight to finish that last batch of cookies, searching for a dessert idea that will please your mother-in-law, and facing the prospect of cleaning a kitchen that appears to have been hit by a hurricane of flour may not fill you with holiday cheer.

To avoid the seasonal anxiety brought on by a whirlwind of baking, you need only return to the basics. By taking a few simple short-cuts, holiday baking can be stress-free, enjoyable and rewarding.

Mary Bergin, executive pastry chef of Spago restaurants -- chic establishments famous for magnificent desserts and celebrity diners -- emphasizes preparation. Says Bergin, "It takes the stress out and keeps the fun in!" She offers the following time-saving techniques:

* Decide early on the amount and variety of baked goods you want to make.

* Photocopy recipes found in a cookbook or on a recipe card -- this way, the original recipe is protected from spills and fingerprints.

* Start your baking a month or two in advance and simply freeze your baked goods. (Be sure your recipe can be frozen).

* Purchase large quantities of basic ingredients, such as flour, sugars and butter in advance. To mini-

mize costs, try buying your basics from food clubs or during sales.

* For butter cookies, make your dough when you have time and then refrigerate it for up to three days. When you're ready to bake the cookies, simply pull the dough out of the refrigerator, shape it and pop it in the oven. Butter cookie dough can also be frozen for up to three months. Simply defrost, bake and decorate.

* Use a pastry cloth to make rolling dough easier and help prevent dough from sticking. Rubbing flour over the rolling pin and pastry cloth also makes for easier handling. Lastly, if the dough appears to be too soft, refrigerate it for an hour.

* If a recipe calls for self-rising flour, substitute with one cup plain flour, 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder and 1/2 teaspoon salt per cup of self-rising flour.

* Never substitute self-rising flour in a recipe that calls for yeast. Strange things tend to happen with two different leavening agents in one bread.

* To prevent overly browned pie crusts, shield edges with aluminum foil before end of baking time, or reduce oven temperature.

* If your pie crust isn't flaky, keep all the ingredients and dough cold, and cut the shortening into the flour only until pea-sized chunks form.

* Avoid baking a batch of cookies that spread into each other. Before baking a full batch, bake a test cookie to get an indication of dough condition. A spreading cookie is usually a sign of soft dough. Try adding one or two tablespoons of flour in the dough, or refrigerate it until it is well chilled (one to two hours).

Bergin offers one final tip for saving time, as well as creating wonderful holiday memories... try making



His fans were happy to see WBKV Radio's Program Director Bob Bonenfant (minus his Dallas Cowboys cheerleader's uniform) as he made an appearance in the annual Kewaskum Christmas Parade.

cookies with a friend. By combining your efforts and alternating houses, you can cut the baking load in half while enjoying each other's company at the same time!



Christmas Baskets

Make neat Christmas baskets to hold presents or pretty greenery sprigs, cards, piles of baubles, etc.

1. Ask your grocer if he has any wooden mushroom baskets he's throwing away. Put two coats of polyurethane on the basket, letting each coat dry thoroughly.

2. Iron rickrack to get package creases out. Glue jumbo rickrack around basket's top and bottom bands, beginning and ending at center back overlapping ends. Glue contrasting baby rickrack to center of jumbo rickrack.

3. Glue a piece of ribbon vertically in the basket's center. Make a bow to later attach at the top of this ribbon.

4. Glue strips of contrasting rickrack vertically all around the basket leaving about 1-5/8" between them.

5. Glue on the bow. Hold in place to dry with a clothespin.

Christmas Greetings

We know you've been good... especially to us! Many thanks to all for making our year merry.



DON SCHMIDT PLUMBING

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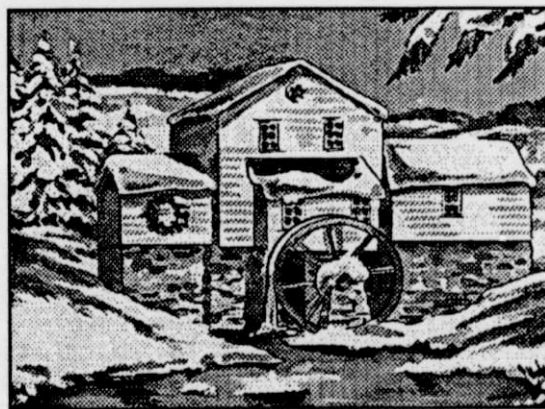
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Hope Christmas brings the best of times, above and beyond your expectations, just as you've brought us this past year!

We look forward to serving our friends and neighbors, all through '97.

**LOMIRA
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&
KOUNTRY
KORNERS**



A SEASON OF JOY

May the hope and happiness of the Christmas season flow into your life.

Thank you for making our season a very special one.

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Have A Ball!

To have a really fine time this holiday season, gather the whole family together and invite plenty of good friends over. Then spread the love and laughter all around...very much like the kind way you treated us all year long.

All the best to our family of loyal customers!

**MUELLER
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Raggedy Ann and Andy walked along the Kewaskum Christmas Parade route, much to the delight of those of us who grew up reading their stories (and of course, the kids, too).



Old-Fashioned Christmas Greetings

The air is filled with anticipation,
Of the day of the big celebration,
With friends and family galore,
Just like back in the days of yore!

Have a good old time on Christmas!

HON-E-KOR COUNTRY CLUB

Jim, Jane, Bud and Tudy

Cranberry Brownies

(Makes one 9" square)

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
Melt over hot water in double boiler:

- 1/2 cup shortening
- 2 squares (1 oz. each) unsweetened chocolate

Blend in:

- 1 cup sugar
- 2 eggs, well beaten
- 1/2 cup whole berry cranberry sauce
- 1 tsp. vanilla

In a separate bowl stir in:

- 1 cup sifted flour
- 1/2 tsp. baking powder
- 1/4 tsp. baking soda
- 1/4 tsp. salt

Blend this dry mixture into the other mixture. Stir in:
1/2 cup chopped nuts

Spread into well-greased, floured 9" x 9" x 2" baking pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 35-40 minutes until top springs back when lightly touched. Cut while still warm.



HO-HO-HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Have a magnificent season with friends and family!

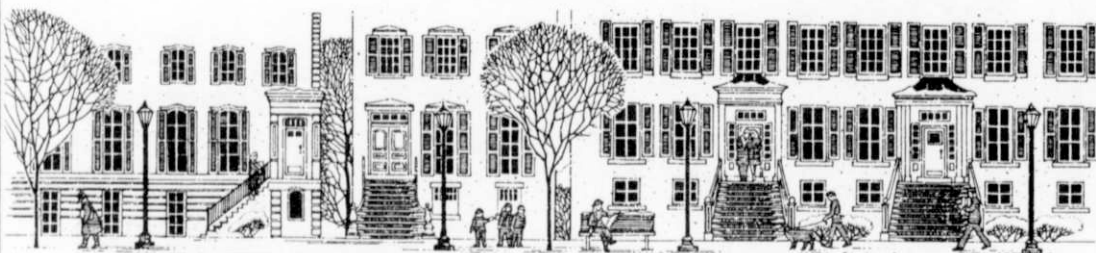
ENGELHARDT & SONS



IT'S CHRISTMASTIME,



HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE!



Wherever you're celebrating, in the country or in the city,
over the river and through the woods,
may you and yours share a season of magic and memories.

Happy holidays and thanks to our friends,
all over the region!

KEWASKUM STATESMAN

Lana, Marcie, Cheryl, Sharon & Andrew



THANK YOU FOR YOUR HEARTWARMING PATRONAGE!

Our warmest greetings go out to you, but please don't forget to open the flue! (You never know who might drop in).

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