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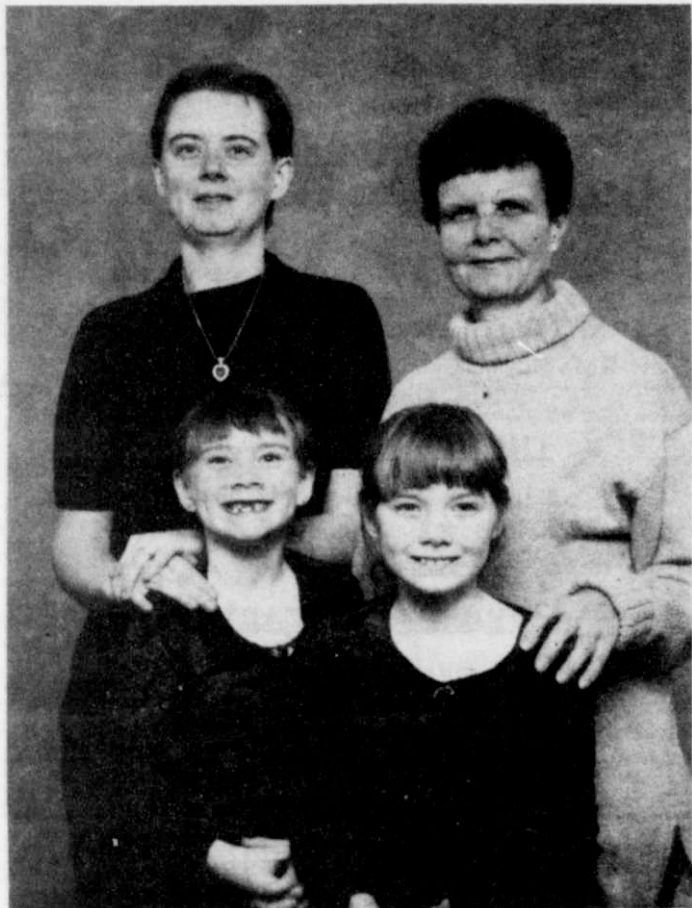
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## Lisa Bronkhorst Remains in Critical Condition



The Bronkhorst family includes Lisa, Sandra, Amy and Ashley.

By Laurie Ottery  
 Staff Writer/Photographer

None of us ever know what lies ahead in this uncertain world we live in. Lisa Bronkhorst has been a Kewaskum resident for the past six years. She moved here with her daughters, Amy, age 8, and Ashley, age 10. They attend St. Lucas School.

Lisa grew up an only child in the Waupun area. She chose Kewaskum as her new home because her mother, Sandra, also lives here.

She works full time at McDonalds and has completed a medical technician program, while attending school at night. Lisa is trying to make a better life for her and the girls. After seeking jobs in the medical field it soon became apparent that she needed more schooling to get the job that interested her. Those classes were to begin recently, but Lisa is unable to attend.

On Jan. 3 Lisa did not show up for her job at McDonalds. Her friend and co-worker, Peggy, became concerned and called Sandra. She went over to the house only to find Lisa disoriented and with a bloody nose. Lisa was taken to the hospital in West Bend where Flight for Life flew her to Froedtert Hospital in

Milwaukee.

There are a lot of unanswered questions about what happened and why. Doctors may never know for sure. In December Lisa had sinus surgery. She had returned home with medications for her recovery. Right after getting home she became very ill. Her symptoms were flu-like and that is what she thought was happening, but her condition was not improving.

"Her liver and kidneys had shut down," said Sandra. "Lisa was put on top priority to receive a liver transplant. The surgery was to take place on Jan. 7 with a liver from a man in Illinois. The liver was too large so surgery was delayed. Things became even more complicated because Lisa's brain had swollen and she slipped into a coma. She developed infections and was removed from the transplant list."

Sandra took a break from her job at the West Bend Company, took over the care of the girls and spent every chance she could with Lisa. She wanted the children's lives to remain as normal as possible because she was sure it was what their mother would want. They visited Lisa, but not while she was hooked up to all of the machines in intensive care. They only missed a few days

of school.

"The doctors did not give me much hope of her survival," said Sandra. "A Catscan showed that there was activity in the brain and that was hopeful. Her brain swelling was one of the major concerns at that point. Until we got the results from the test we didn't know if there was brain damage or any activity there at all. Despite good Catscan results, for a whole week they kept telling me that I should plan her funeral because her chances were not good."

On Friday, Jan. 14, Lisa miraculously came out of the coma. Doctors had searched through family history and ran several tests, but do not know why everything happened. They speculate it could have come about because of a combination of the sinus surgery and a mix in medication and Tylenol, but do not know for sure. There are no liver problems in the history.

Lisa's heart remained strong throughout her ordeal. By Monday, Jan. 17 her kidneys were functioning on their own, taking her off dialysis. The liver appears to be working as well.

"Things are still real touch and go with many unanswered questions," said Sandra. "Lisa was moved to a private room, but remained very weak. On Jan. 22 her condition took a turn for the worse. She

began having seizures and internal bleeding. On the 22nd doctors did surgery to repair arteries and control the bleeding. Lisa remains in intensive care. We just don't know what is what at this point."

Lisa is a single mother who, despite the financial hardships, has managed to keep her children at St. Lucas School. She is a Girl Scout leader and former Sunday school teacher. She remains in the hospital with many uncertainties lying ahead. Two accounts have been opened for donations to

her and the girls. One is located at West Bend Savings Bank where donations can be made to the account, "Donations for Lisa." The other account is located at St. Francis Bank under the name, "Sandra Bronkhorst - Donation Account."

Lutheran Brotherhood Branch #8434 of Washington County will be matching \$2.00 for every \$1.00 donated up to \$900. So now is the time to make your contribution add up even more

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## Two Town of Wayne Structures Destroyed By Fire

By Andrew R. Kuehl  
 Staff Writer/Photographer

TOWN OF WAYNE- On Saturday, at approximately 1:39 pm the Washington County Sheriff's Department was notified that a fire had broke out at the Walter Pamperin residence, 6172 CTH D

The rural, single-family, multi-story farmhouse suffered extensive damage from the blaze. The home was occupied at the time of the fire which was discovered by a relative of the homeowner.

Kohlsville Fire Department responded to battle the four and a half hour blaze. They received mutual assistance from Kewaskum, Allenton

and Theresa Fire Departments.

The cause of the fire has been determined as an electrical fire. The home sustained extensive damage. At press time no final damage estimates were available.

No injuries were reported from anyone near the home or fighting the fire.

Tuesday evening another fire broke out in the town. Non-confirmed reports say the fire occurred at approximately 7:30 pm somewhere near Spring Drive northwest of CTH W.

Campbellsport Fire Dept. responded and received assistance from Kewaskum, Kohlsville and Lomira Fire Depts.

## Local Dairy Queen to Unveil National Drive-Thru Champion Award

KEWASKUM, WI -- The local Dairy Queen will unveil the "Fastest drive-thru in the Nation" plaque Wednesday, January 26, 2000 at 4 p.m. Gary Furger, the local field consultant for International Dairy Queen, will present the award. The presentation will be made at the Dairy Queen located at the corner of U.S. 45 and Hwy. H in Kewaskum, a small farming village of 2500 about 30 miles north of Milwaukee, WI.

The crew of Kewaskum Dairy Queen earned the honor last June 27, 1999, when it set the National "DQ Speedway" record for most cars served by a drive-thru in one hour. From 6:40-7:40 p.m. Kewaskum Dairy Queen served 254 cars in one hour, easily crushing

the previous International Dairy Queen corporate record of 145 cars, set by the Bellingham, WA Dairy Queen.

This achievement came about when International Dairy Queen offered a program called "DQ Speedway" to its franchisees. This program is designed to turn the drive-thru into a racetrack in order to help Dairy Queen operators clip a minute or two off its service time. Kewaskum Dairy Queen was operating with a two-minute average service time per car before the program and achieved a 14.2 second service time per car during the record-setting hour.

"This is a great achievement for the crew and the community of Kewaskum," commented Kevin

Scheunemann, owner of the local Dairy Queen. "254 cars was far beyond all of our expectations, we were shooting for 150 cars, just enough to break the record," Scheunemann added. A large portion of the community participated in the event, including a crowd of onlookers witnessing the historic event.

International Dairy Queen, the parent franchisor, carefully scrutinized the records and videotape of the event. Certification was made five months after the event by International Dairy Queen (IDQ). After certification, International Dairy Queen then sends the traveling award to the DQ that set the record. The

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## Dairy Queen Bronkhorst Graduates of UW Stevens Point

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award previously resided at the Bellingham, WA Dairy Queen. The award will stay at Kewaskum Dairy Queen until another Dairy Queen serves 255 or more cars in their drive-thru in one hour.

QSR, a fast food industry-tracking firm has suggested this may be the drive-thru record for the entire industry. Other fast food chains simply refuse to release this information according to QSR. "We are claiming to hold the industry record, until someone proves us wrong with reliable documentation," says Scheunemann.

International Dairy Queen is working on expanding the drive-thru award system. Kewaskum Dairy Queen "...has put this record far out of reach for another DQ operators" according to Doug Pavelka, IDQ Vice President of Operations for the Pacific Northwest. Suggestions have included an award for most soft serve, hot food, or blizzards in drive-thru in one hour. "Most everyone in the Dairy Queen system is confident this will be a record that will never be broken," says Scheunemann. "However I have been 'stoking' other franchises in the system to challenge our drive-thru record. Some of the other franchises are naturally competitive and they will not be able to resist my overt flaunting of the industry drive-thru record. It would be exciting to challenge for an even higher standard than the one we set. I'm confident our crew would do all it can to regain the drive-thru championship, if we ever lost it," said Scheunemann.

Gary Furger, Kevin Scheunemann, and Jerry Mehring, the local director of Territory Operations, will be available for questions and comments from the press.



The first railroad tunnel was built in 1831. It was just over 36 miles long and connected Hollidaysburg, Pa. with Johnstown, Pa.

quickly.

"I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has offered prayers, food and have called to see how Lisa is," said Sandra. "The people at Froedtert have been super. They do everything they can for Lisa and I really don't believe she would have made it without them. It is nice being a part of a small community where people care and are there for us."

Audra Beyer runs a daycare in Kewaskum. At one time she had Amy and Ashley as students. "I want to do whatever I can to help," said Audra. "I hope the people of this community can find it in their hearts to donate to the accounts and help out."

Kewaskum is a small community and a great place to raise a family. Lisa and her daughters need your help. There are many bills from her ordeal and many more to come. Life is uncertain and none of us know what our future holds. Donate to the accounts that have been opened, and give from the heart, for a young mother and her daughters. Show the Bronkhorst family what being a part of Kewaskum is all about.

*Sooner or later every person opens his mouth and puts his foot in, but only a baby is admired for it.*

The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point conferred 600 bachelor's and master's degrees during the school's winter commencement ceremony held in December in the Quandt Fieldhouse.

Graduates, their guests and faculty were addressed by George Mead, chairman of the board of Consolidated Papers, Inc.

Members of the class included Tacee M. Blair, Kewaskum, who received a BA degree in Art, Janel L. Jones, Kewaskum, who received a BA degree in Communication, and Jaime C. Klemp, Fredonia, who received a BA degree in Communication.

West Bend area graduates included Melissa Buchmeier, who received a BFA degree in Art; Scott M. Woyak, who graduated Cum Laude with a BS degree in Biology; Brian M. Dean, who received a BS degree in Biology; Katie A. Kroening, who graduated magna cum laude and received a degree in Family and Consumer Education, Psychology and Social Science; Shelly M. Lange, who received a BS degree in Early Childhood Education; Geoff M. Raczkiewicz, who received a BS degree in Biology; Shannon K. Wiedmeyer, who received a BS degree in Dietetics, and Tracy L. Murray, who received a BS degree in Economics

### School District of Kewaskum

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January 27 - February 5

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 27

- \* KHS Boys Basketball at New Holstein
- \* KMS Boys Basketball - White at Silverbrook Bl. Green (Home) vs. Silverbrook White

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 28

- \* KHS Girls Basketball - Home vs. New Holstein
- \* KHS Wrestling at Plymouth

### MONDAY, JANUARY 31

- \* Special Board Meeting - 6 p.m. - KHS Library
- \* KHS Wrestling - Home vs. Milwaukee Pulaski

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

- \* KHS Girls Basketball - Home vs. Two Rivers
- \* KMS Boys Basketball - Green at Badger White White - Home vs. Badger Red

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3

- \* KAP Negotiations Meeting - 5:30 p.m. - KHS Library
- \* KHS Boys Basketball at Two Rivers
- \* KMS Boys Basketball - White vs. Green

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4

- \* KHS Girls Basketball at Roncalli

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5

- \* KHS Wrestling - EWC at Campbellsport



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## New State Pension Equals Five Brewers Stadiums

By Rep. Glenn Grothman

Late last year, the State Legislature voted on a state budget full of new spending and new state bonding. Quietly, on the same day, while the papers covered the budget, the State Legislature voted themselves and other state employees a pension increase.

The state retirement plan, which includes state, county, public school, university and most municipal employees, may already be the most generous plan in the state. For most employees, upon retirement they receive the average of their three highest salaries times years worked times 1.6%. For example, if one worked 35 years and makes \$40,000 ones initial pension is \$40,000 times .016 times 35 = \$22,400. After one starts to receive the pension, your annual increase is the greater of the increase in value of investments or a minimum percentage.

Currently, pressure for an increase is coming from public employee unions, which is understandable. The feeling is that since the trust fund is going up in value with the stock market, there should be an increase. However, the market can also go down. Further, by increasing pensions it means that the difference will slowly have to be made up through higher school, county, and municipal property taxes as well as university tuition.

Sadly, another group pushing for this increase is some state legislators themselves -- since we are part of the system. In debating this bill on the floor, they use the phrase "our money" when talking about the plan, showing that they have personalized the matter.

Not only will this increase result in higher taxes, but it also could be challenged in court. Just two years ago, legislative finagling with the state pension plan resulted in a \$250 million payback. Why change the plan and risk another lawsuit?

By rushing through the plan while the press was focusing on the budget, the Legislature was also avoiding the normal actuarial studies, which are done before a major bill like this is passed. (The pension plan proposed will transfer \$4 billion from one account to others.) At a time when the stock market took an eight percent drop in less than a month, this is highly irresponsible. Nevertheless, if the bill were given appropriate scrutiny and passed on a day other than the budget, it would be the headline of the day in most

daily newspapers.

Pay careful attention to this vote. This bill will cost taxpayers more than five county stadiums. I voted no.

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## NEWS OF SPORTS

### Super Bowl Facts And Figures

(NAPS)—Sports fans seem to thrive on trivia and football fans are no exception. Here are a few little-known facts and figures to whet your Super Bowl appetite.

Did you know:

- by winning last year, the Denver Broncos became the first AFC team to capture back-to-back Super Bowls since the Pittsburgh Steelers in 1979 and 1980,

- quarterbacks Bart Starr and Terry Bradshaw are the only players to earn back-to-back Super Bowl MVP awards,

- Super Bowl XXXV is scheduled for Tampa Bay in 2001. The game moves to New Orleans in 2002 and San Diego in 2003.

You are more than a casual fan if you know that:

- former New York Giant quarterback Phil Simms holds the Super Bowl career record for passing efficiency,

- former Oakland Raider Rod Martin still holds the single-game record he set in 1981 for most interceptions with three,

- the Dallas Cowboys didn't make their first appearance until Super Bowl V in 1971. However, they have since made up for lost time and hold the record for most appearances with eight, and

- according to Neilson Media Research, ten of the 20 most-watched television programs of all time were Super Bowl broadcasts.

Clearly, with an audience of that size, advertisers and retailers tend to be Super Bowl winners no matter who plays.

For example, the Midwest's



Superbowl t-shirts will be available online one hour after the game.


largest sporting goods retailer has announced it will offer official Super Bowl merchandise almost immediately following the end of the game.

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According to the company's chief executive officer Jeff Lynn, "Usually, Super Bowl merchandise is only available immediately in the city or state where the winning team is located. Now, with just a few clicks, fans who live elsewhere can purchase licensed apparel as well."

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## Celebrated Author To Lecture to UWWC

West Bend -- How can a loving, all-powerful, all-knowing Creator exist if He allows so much evil in the world? This theological problem has plagued thinkers and philosophers for centuries.

On March 1, the students in the University of Wisconsin-Washington County's Philosophy of Religion classes will discuss the issue, with the guidance of nationally known author James Morrow.

Morrow, whose prize-winning books "Towing Jehovah," "Blameless in Abaddon," and "The Eternal Footman" have met with widespread critical acclaim, will give a free public lecture titled "Stop Me before I Kill God Again," at 7 p.m., Feb. 28, at the University. The following day, he will lecture to classes at the University of Wisconsin-Waukesha, and present the same public lecture at UW at 7 p.m. that night. He returns to UWWC to speak to students the following day.

All Morrow's appearances are free and open to the public.

The author, who primarily has written science fiction works during his professional career, recently raised eyebrows with the books of his so-called "godhead trilogy," in which God dies, his Connecticut-sized body is turned into a sort of theme park (run by Baptists), and is, in turn, hauled off the Hague to be put on trial for the evil He allowed in the world.

Morrow says he wasn't sure where the trial scenes were going to go when he started writing the series. But in a recent online interview he said he realized the books were likely to cause consternation in some camps. In many interviews and talk shows, he explained, he has been castigated for his irreverence.

"Irreverent" isn't quite strong enough," he wrote. "Blasphemous...heretical...a candidate for hellfire...those are the sorts of blurbs I sometimes get on call-in shows. But I am reverent vis-a-vis the Universe. I think you have to be in awe of reality."

UWWC Philosophy instructor William Schneider says the books fit right in with the philosophical questions about evil he raises in class. "How can there be an all-knowing, all-powerful, benevolent God, if there is so much evil in the world?" he said. "How do you resolve a God with perfect knowledge.. knowledge of everything that goes on in the world or will go on in the world...with human free will?"

UWWC Philosophy professor Mark Peterson says that an intellectual examination of one's faith is

always in order. "You have to decide whether you want to have the kind of faith and beliefs that won't stand up to questions," he said. "Philosophy is all about answering some of those basic, eternal questions; 'Who am I?', 'Why am I here?', 'What do I do next?'"

Peterson said he realizes that some in the community may be disturbed by Morrow's presence on-campus, but said that kind of intellectual pursuit is what Universities are meant to nurture. "People want and need to think about these issues," Peterson said. "It's our job to help them do that."

Morrow, when posed with a similar question online, agreed, "I want to get people thinking until it hurts."

For more information about Morrow's West Bend appearances, or to obtain photographs of author Morrow, or UWWC staff members Peterson and Schenider, please contact William Breyfogle, UWWC Director of University Relations, at: (262) 335-5233.

For information regarding Morrow's Waukesha appearances, please contact Ms. Penny Keisey, UW-Waukesha director of University Relations, at: (262) 521-5258.

## In the Service

Army Reserve Spec. Nicole A. Schreiner has graduated from basic military training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, South Carolina.

During the training, the soldier received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Schreiner is the daughter of Craig A. and Cynthia K. Schreiner of 6680 Weis Street, Allenton.

The specialist is a 1995 graduate of Slinger High School and a 1999 graduate of Truman State University, Kirksville, Missouri.

## Sick of the Flu? Don't Ask for Antibiotics

By Edward Belongia, MD

Influenza is a serious problem that is widespread across the country now. But beyond the illness that it's causing, the flu is contributing to antibiotic resistance. That's when germs develop the ability to resist the medicine.

What does the flu virus have to do with antibiotics? It shouldn't have anything to do with them because antibiotics won't cure viral illnesses. Unfortunately, for a variety of reasons, some patients suffering from the flu are taking antibiotics. And when these powerful medicines are overused, they promote the spread of antibiotic-resistant germs.

To be clear, I am not talking about anti-viral medications intended for flu sufferers who have chronic illnesses or who are elderly. Instead, resistance occurs when patients suffering from cough, cold or flu viruses take antibiotics such as amoxicillin, erythromycin, or similar drugs. Antibiotics only kill bacteria, not viruses, so it is pointless to take them for the flu.

Antibiotic resistance is not a theoretical threat. Already in Wisconsin, 20% of the bacteria that cause ear and sinus infections are partly resistant to antibiotics. And although these infections can still be treated with other antibiotics, we're seeing more cases where there is multiple resistance to different types of antibiotics. This is happening rapidly and everybody should be concerned about it. Just 15 years ago, the germ that causes most ear and sinus infections hadn't developed any resistance!

The origins of the problem rest in the origins of antibiotics themselves. Developed during World War II, these powerful medications saved people who otherwise would have died. They were hailed as miracle drugs, and rightly so. Unfortunately, we have now grown to expect antibiotics for minor ailments. This leads patients to specifically ask their doctor for antibiotics when they really aren't

indicated.

Physicians, on the other hand, are under tremendous time pressure to see a growing number of patients, and may give in to their patients' wishes so they don't go away unhappy. Physicians and patients together must work to reduce inappropriate antibiotic use. So if you have the flu, ask your doctor how to best treat the symptoms, not for an antibiotic.

For example, over-the-counter decongestants, pain relievers and a humidifier can help you feel better during the 7 to 14 day course of the flu. As miserable as influenza can be, it usually goes away on its own.

But antibiotic resistance won't go away unless we address the problem. We all must do our part to make sure these medicines remain strong. If we don't, I fear we may run out of drugs to treat some infections, creating a crisis in

public health.

Wisconsin is on the forefront to pre-empt this threat, with the Marshfield Medical Research Foundation, the State Division of Public Health and the State Medical Society of Wisconsin, working collaboratively to reduce inappropriate antibiotic use in Wisconsin. Through a grant awarded by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, we are in the midst of an antibiotic education campaign aimed at the public and an effort to remind physicians about prescribing these medicines more judiciously.

With your help, these important medicines will remain potent for years to come.

Dr. Belongia, of the State Medical Society of Wisconsin, is a medical epidemiologist at the Marshfield Medical Research Foundation. He is also principal investigator for the Wisconsin Antibiotic Resistance Network (WARN). For more information, see wismed.com.



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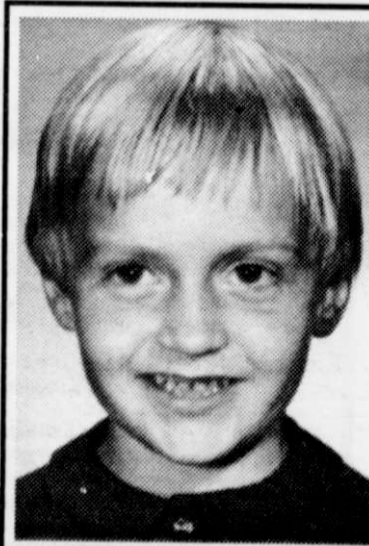
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## Grandaw - Martin



Ellen Mary Grandaw of Two Rivers and John Leo Martin of Kewaskum exchanged wedding vows during a 1:30 p.m. ceremony at Holy Redeemer Catholic Church on November 6, 1999. Rev. Robert Ryhner officiated.

Parents of the couple are Robert and Barbara Grandaw, Two Rivers, and John J. and Dorothy Martin, Kewaskum.

The bride chose her sister, Amy Grandaw of Kiel, as her maid of honor. The bridesmaid was Clarice

Hagen of Watertown, a friend of the bride.

Daniel Wideman of Neenah, a friend of the groom, served as best man. The groomsman was Jerry Bronson of Appleton, also a friend of the groom.

Scott Tyler of Appleton and Jonathan Sturm of Two Rivers shared ushering duties.

Following the ceremony, a reception, dinner and dance was held at the Inn on Maritime Bay in Manitowoc.

The bride received her

BS degree from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and is employed as a physical therapist.

The groom received a BS degree from the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh and his MS degree from Cardinal Stritch University. He is employed as a PC Development Coordinator.

The newlyweds spent their honeymoon in the British Isles and are residing at 621 Spring Court, Random Lake.

## Kewaskum Fire and Rescue Squad Calls

Monday, January 17 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad personnel responded to a call in the Village of Kewaskum at 10:50 a.m. to transport a male patient to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend, for loss of consciousness.

Monday, January 17 - The Kewaskum Fire Department was summoned at 10:19 p.m. in the Village of Kewaskum where a resident reported a smoke and gas odor. Firefighters thoroughly checked the area but did not locate anything unusual. Firefighters were on the scene for approximately 30 minutes.

Tuesday, January 18 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum at 6:25 p.m. to transport a male patient experiencing chest pain and difficulty breathing to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend.

Wednesday, January 19 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad was requested at 7:50 a.m. at a Town of Farmington residence where a male patient had lost consciousness. No transport was made.

Wednesday, January 19 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad responded to a call in the Town of Kewaskum at

9:15 a.m. for a male patient who was unresponsive. No transport was made.

Thursday, January 20 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad personnel was dispatched to a village of Kewaskum business at 11:52 a.m. for a male patient experiencing abdominal discomfort. The patient was transported to St. Mary's Hospital Ozaukee in the Town of Mequon.

Friday, January 21 - The Kewaskum Rescue Squad was summoned at 3:11 a.m. to a Town of Kewaskum residence to transport a female patient to St. Joseph's Community Hospital, West Bend, for treatment of breathing difficulties.

Saturday, January 22 - Mutual aid was provided by the Kewaskum Fire Department to the Kohlsville Fire Department for a house fire in the Town of Wayne. Firefighters responded at 1:43 p.m. and were at the scene for approximately three hours.

## Morales-Diaz Graduate of Moraine Park

Tracy R. Morales-Diaz, 1917 Greentree Road, West Bend, recently graduated from Moraine Park Technical College's Beaver Dam Campus.

Tracy received a technical degree in the Practical Nursing Program.

## Woolly Mammoth Sighted in Area?

Well, okay, it's a *bit* of an exaggeration, we admit. But, it is true, kind of. Well, at least it *was* true... like 12,400 years ago. That's our story and we're sticking to it, and so is Dr. David Overstreet. Overstreet is the director of the Great Lakes Archaeological Research Center. He shared his explorations into the past at the forum, "Life on the Ice Age Edge," held December 9 at the Ice Age Center near friendly Dundee.

The focus of Overstreet's work involved the excavation of a woolly mammoth kill site along the western shore of Lake Michigan. Mammoths are extinct cousins of today's elephants. At the site, which was dated over 12,000 years old, Overstreet and his team of student researchers found flint spear points and scraping tools located under the mass of disassembled mammoth bones.

The most important part of Overstreet's research indicates that early human habitation in this part of Wisconsin occurred much earlier than once believed. It now seems that our ancestors were roaming the region soon after the glaciers began to recede.

According to Overstreet, thousands of years ago it was open season on woolly mammoths as they were pursued by prehistoric hunters. These hunters used spears rather than

bow and arrow, as the bow wasn't invented yet. A short weighted shaft, called an atlatl, leveraged the spear greater distances than simple hand throwing. The findings also hint that the hunters preferred to track down lone male mammoths. The female mammoths, like today's elephants, were avoided as they were more dangerous to hunt due to their aggressive group defenses.

The forum was jointly sponsored by the Drumlin Protection Alliance and Ice Age Interpretive Center Naturalist Program. Exceptional holiday snacks and over 55 folks in attendance made for good company and a very interesting evening.

You can still discover

remnants of prehistoric life on the land in Fond du Lac and Washington Counties. Rock forms, bison effigy stones, mammoth effigy stones (some believe) and entire drumlin hills, in some cases, are now believed to have been important symbols for prehistoric cultures. The majority of these sites are located on privately owned land. Many land owners have chosen to preserve these features while others may not even realize they exist.

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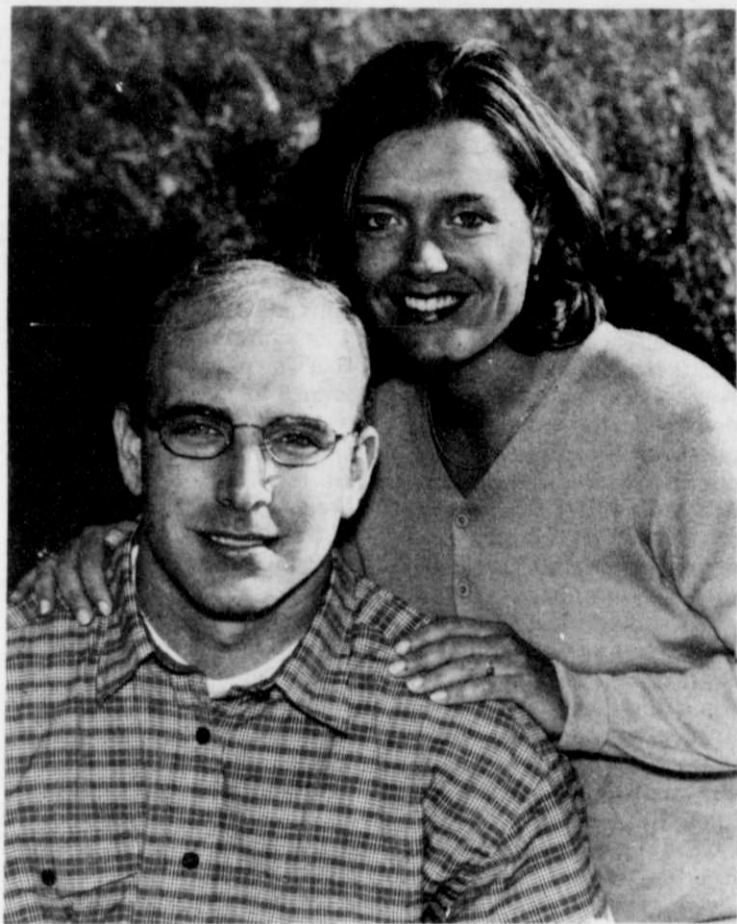
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## Binotto - Fleischman



Pamela Binotto of Lomira and Joel Fleischman of Kewaskum have announced their engagement.

Parents of the couple are Frank and Cathy Binotto, Lettau Drive, Brownsville, and Albert and Joan Fleischman, Auburn-Ashford Drive, Campbellsport.

Pamela is a 1993 graduate of Lomira High School

and a 1998 graduate of UW-Oshkosh. She is a special education teacher in the Fond du Lac School District.

Joel is a 1992 graduate of Kewaskum High School and a 1997 graduate of UW-Oshkosh. He is the manager of Campbellsport Building Supply.

The couple plans to marry on August 12, 2000.

## Let's Give a Hoot for Owls

The February program in the Evening with Nature Series at the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest is, "Let's Give a Hoot for Owls." The program will be held on Thursday, February 10, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Henry S. Reuss Ice Age Visitor Center. The Ice Age Visitor Center is located off of Hwy. 67 1/2 mile west of Dundee. The program is free, but donations are always gratefully accepted.

Through the darkness of night, owls fly on silent wings. With their incredible senses of sight and hearing, they are able to capture the prey they need to survive with only the light of the moon. Wisconsin is home to many different species of owls. Some are year round residents including the great horned, screech and barred owls. Other owls only spend part of the year in Wisconsin. Saw-whets migrate to this area for the warmer months while snowy and great gray owls enjoy our "mild" winters compared to the harsh conditions in the boreal forest and tundra.

Barb Harvey, a raptor rehabilitator from the Mayville area, and her live owl friends will be the featured presenters. Barb has been taking care of injured raptors, birds of prey, for many years and has gained a very intimate knowledge of owls. She will explain some of the owls amazing adaptations to surviving in the nocturnal world. Ms. Harvey will also introduce you to some of the owls that call Wisconsin home.

For further information or directions to the Ice Age Visitor Center, please contact Jackie S. Scharfenberg, Forest Naturalist. She may be reached at (920) 533-8322, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

is celebrating its 31st year of helping kids in 2000. Call 334-7896 and Do It For The Kids!

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## Big Brothers, Big Sisters Announce 'Bowl for Kids'

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Washington County is proud to announce its 14th annual "Bowl for Kids" event. This fund-raiser is being held on February 18, 19 and 20, 2000, at Weiland's FUN Center in West Bend.

All proceeds from the event are used to support Big Brothers Big Sisters mentoring efforts for the many children who are looking for a special friend to spend time with. The money you raise will give them a better chance at finding that friend.

Teams of five bowlers can register to bowl by calling 334-7896. A minimum pledge of \$60.00 qualifies each team member to receive a specially designed t-shirt, two free games of bowling, a lunch, and the chance to win fabulous raffle and door prizes. In addition, a minimum pledge of \$125 qualifies each bowler to receive two chances to win two round trip air tickets, courtesy of Shooting Star Travel.

The prizes for the highest pledge amounts collected includes \$500 in cash and YMCA memberships.

Big Brothers Big Sisters

## Steiner - Brennan



Laurie Steiner of Kewaskum and Joe Brennan of West Allis are engaged.

Parents of the couple are Carl and Judy Steiner of Kewaskum and Mary Ellen Brennan of Evansville, Wisconsin, and the late Robert Brennan.

Laurie received a degree

as a Registered Nurse from Moraine Park Technical College and is employed as a nurse by the West Bend Surgery Center.

Joe is employed as a supervisor with DHL Worldwide Express.

The couple is planning a September 2, 2000 wedding.

## Marriage License

Shawn L. Groh, Kewaskum, and Tabitha J. Staehler, Kewaskum. Wedding Feb. 11.

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## Four Generations



This four generation photo was recently taken and shows, left to right: Michael Marx, father; Cody Marx, son, and Allyana Marx, daughter; Donald Koerble, great-grandfather; Tristin Marx, son of Michael, and Susan Marx, grandmother.

## Four Generations



The above Four Generation photo was taken at the observation of the 74th birthday of Donald Koerble. From left, Donald Koerble, great-grandpa; Tyler Webb, son, Michelle Webb, mother, and Susan Marx, grandmother.

## Weiss to Chair Cancer Society Daffodil Days

Joan Weiss, of Kewaskum, will chair the local American Cancer Society Daffodil Days campaign, which brightens the lives of thousands of Wisconsin residents while raising money for patient services, advocacy, cancer research and education and prevention programs.

Each March, the American Cancer Society sells fresh, field-grown daffodils to raise money for the Society's fight against cancer. Anyone can purchase a bunch of 10 daffodils for themselves or loved ones. Larger quantities may be purchased to give to shut ins, hospital patients and nursing home residents, stay-at-home moms, employees or important clients. The flowers bring a smile while showing support for the American Cancer Society's mission to eliminate cancer as a major

health problem.

Additionally, the "Gift of Hope" is a way to brighten the day of local cancer patients. With a \$10 donation, you can anonymously send a bouquet of 10 daffodils in a vase to a cancer patient in your community. The "Gift of Hope" will be delivered by American Cancer Society volunteers. Due to the volume of orders, the "Gift of Hope" cannot be sent to a specific cancer patient.

To join the Daffodil Days team, please contact Joan Weiss at 626-8684.

The American Cancer Society is the nationwide, community-based voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives and diminishing suffering from cancer through research, education, advocacy, and service.

## Five Secrets to Building Wealth in the 21st Century

This article is about how to build personal wealth in the 21st century. However, if you're expecting hot stock tips or a nifty new way to use the internet to invest your money, you've come to the wrong place. In fact, we confess to being somewhat deceptive with the title. There are no "new" secrets for building wealth in the new millennium. They're really the same old secrets smart people used in the last century to get wealthy.

**1. Have a goal.** "I wanna build wealth" and "I wanna retire rich" aren't goals. They're dreams, and vague ones at that. To build wealth, you first need to determine what you want that wealth for. Do you need the money to buy your own business or retire in a certain place by a certain time? Then you can decide how much money you actually need to accomplish those goals.

Instead of thinking about becoming "wealthy," a better concept might be to become "financially independent." That suggests enough money to allow you to make the choices you want to make. Perhaps you want to have enough money to quit the job you're in so you can pursue another career that you love more but that doesn't pay as well. You may not need a lot of "wealth" to accomplish that goal.

**2. Spend less than you earn.** There isn't a millionaire on the planet who got that way by spending all the money they made. That means living below your means. It doesn't have to be far below your means, say Certified Financial practitioners, but it does mean not spending every penny you earn. Take housing, for example. People often buy the maximum amount of home they can afford. Yet for every dollar they don't spend on a house, they save approximately \$2.40 over the life of a 30-year mortgage.

One trick is to design and follow a spending plan, or budget, so your money goes exactly where you want it to. Another key is to spend wisely. Research has found that Americans "waste" 20 to 30 percent of their money by not getting the most for their dollars through such simple steps as using coupons, comparative shopping for the best buys from food to auto insurance, and a zillion other money-saving tricks.

**3. Minimize your debt.** It's difficult-and not always wise-to avoid debt entirely. Yet too many Americans saddle themselves with needless debts. It's little wonder bankruptcies are near an all-time high despite a booming economy. Too many consumers can't wait to spend. One key is to

avoid consumer debt that pays nothing in return (unlike mortgage or college debt), provides no tax breaks and is often high priced. This particularly applies to credit-card debt.

**4. Invest early, wisely, often and as much as you can afford.** "Early" is especially the key. Nothing consistently makes money like time. Investments that return even modestly over the years will usually make far more money than investments made hurriedly at the last minute. Other "old fashioned" 20th century secrets to investing include maximizing investments in tax-deferred accounts and investing regularly every month. And skip the day-trading and market timing. A recent study of mutual fund investors by the Boston-based financial services research firm of DALBAR found that investors who bought and held their stock mutual funds over the past 15 years earned 17.9 percent a year. The average investors, who switched in and out of funds every three years, earned just 7.25 percent a year.

**5. Protect your wealth.** As you build wealth, the last thing you want to do is lose it to an unexpected financial catastrophe. Most of us get the basic insurance-life, auto, home. But some of us skip medical coverage because it's expensive and tough to get sometimes, even though a serious medical illness can wipe you out financially. Many of us overlook disability coverage-insurance that replaces income last because of sickness or disability. Only a small percentage buy long-term care insurance, and many overlook liability insurance and the use of

asset protection trusts to protect us from someone suing us for all we're worth. You don't want others becoming wealthy on the money you worked so hard to save.

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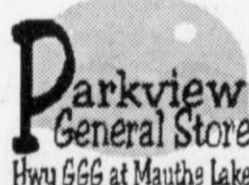
## AAL Presenting Educational Program, Chili Supper Feb. 8

AAL Branch #26 is presenting its' annual Educational Program/Chili Supper on Tuesday, February 8, 2000 in the Community Room in Kewaskum.

The chili supper will open at 5:30 p.m. with refreshments and eating at 6 p.m. All AAL members and their families are invited to a warm bowl of chili and a presentation by Donna Zimmel from the Kewaskum Rescue Squad.


Donna will explain what education is needed by rescue squad members and some of the equipment used. Do you know what a defibrillator does? A question and answer period will follow.

Reservations can be made by calling Lucille Marquardt at 626-2218 by Sunday, February 6, 2000. Fellowship and finding out about community rescue squad service should prove to be an interesting evening. See you all there!



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3. Fish should be entered on the date of catch by the catching fisherman
4. Prize winning fish will be selected on the basis of length measurement only. One prize for the longest fish of each species
5. Measurements and photos will be taken by PVGS staff only. Sorry we can't accept outside pictures or stories. Decision of Judges is final.
6. Fish entered in our contest should be taken from waters of the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest or surrounding area (Washington, Sheboygan or Fond du Lac Counties. Please no Winnebago catches)
7. This contest will be most fun if everyone plays fair. The prizes in this and all contests should be the reward for winning fair and square
8. This year we will run 2 month long contests, 1 for January and 1 for February. Entries for Jan. contest ends Sun. Jan. 30, 2000. Feb. contest closes Tue. Feb. 29, 2000.

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## 4-H Leaders Honored For Service to Youth



Over 70 adult 4-H volunteer leaders were recently recognized for their continued service to the youth of Washington County. Four-H volunteer leaders serve as project leaders, activity leaders, and organizational leaders for the youth of our county. They give of their time and talents to help youth develop project skills and leadership skills. First year leaders were recognized as follows: Maria McDaniel, Karen Bidwell, Diane Neu, Debra Yogerst, Ryan Heidtke, JoAnn Kieckhafer, Glen Hockerman, Bridget Krautkramer, Frederick Malchow, Laurie Malchow, Laura Wesner, Denise Ehlert, Elizabeth Yogerst, Lynda Chronister, Candy Reysen, Roger Uttech, Cherie Christian, Theresa Weisse, Arick Groth, Kristine Holl, Susan Nolte and Michelle Schiefelbein. Pictured above are those who were in attendance to receive their certificates: Pamela Benzing, Cindy Gundrum, Marilyn Stys, Charles Pamperin, Christine Burg, Patti Fischer, Ronald Heidtke, Ellen Schaefer, Miriam Komp, Roxann Reinders, Bonnie Reuwsaat, Gail Perrin, Timothy Perrin, and Susan Schnorenberg.

## KMS Honor Roll

Honor Roll for the Second Quarter of Kewaskum Middle School 1999-2000 School Year.

**GRADE 6** -- Jessica Alexandra, Katie Artymiuk, Kimberly Baker, Shane Barret-Sunday, Nicholas Bartley, James Basterash, Nathan Behring, Marcus Belger, Robbi Bode, Amy Bohman, Samantha Bothwell, Nicole Braun, James Brigowatz, Erika Brock, Ryan Brothen, Justin Clayton, Franklin Cole, Bryan Daggett, Garrett Donath, Danielle Dreher, David Duenkel, Emilee Garrett, Kayla Geidel, Brandon Goetsch, Jeremy Gurholt, Jonathan Hawig, Ryan Helland, Brandon Herman, Daniel Hoerig, Walter Huf, Jason Jahnke, Benjamin Johnson, Sara Jung, Jacob Junk, Nathan Kenworthy, Jessica Kerlin, Leanne Kison, Anthony Kudek, Jacquelyn Kwaterski, Andrea Landry, April Lettow.

Lindsey Lewandowski, Caitlin McDonald, Jackie McKee, Claire Michalek, Madaline Mihas, Danielle Miller, Michelle Monroe, Erica Mueller, Adam Nickel, Adam Nothem, Crystal Obright, Jeffrey Paulus, Mitchell Paulus, Stacey Petermann, Kayla Pierce, Ashley Rauch, Scott Rhoads, Krystal Rieder, Jonathan Roskopf, Jacob Sabel, Kevin Schaeffer, Adam Schladweiler, Katie Schroeder, Pamela Seil, Daniel Shileny, Austin Baye Shirley, Katherine Smith,

Nicole Stern, Ross Stockhausen, Ryan Uttech, Zachariah Vanderpool, Jamie Vogt, Rachel Vogt, Adam Wagner, Alexander Waranius, Robert Weber, Joshua Wolfenber, Jennifer Wollemann, Danielle Yanke, Savannah Zettler.

**GRADE 7** -- Amanda Bakken, Briana Bastian, Jennifer Bischoff, Rachel Breese, Justin Brockman, Joshua Bryant, Jessica Butler, Rita Canestra, John Carpenter, Eric Chilson, Krystal Cochran, Cassandra Delgado, Katie Dorn, Tami Dorzok, David Figge, Tracey Flasch, Abram Foerster, Justin Foley, Heidi Gaskell, Matthew Gercz, Kate Ginocchio, Samantha Hedlund, Craig Johann, Adam Jung, Jessica Jung, Natasha Klein, Jason Knoll, William Kumrow, Katie Kurer, Natasha Lawrence, Ian Meyer.

Justin Mueller, Eric Nothem, Kaitlyn Ogi, Lauren Parsons, Katie Patterson, Chad Peplinski, Whitney Pfeiffer, Jenna Roskopf, Nicole Sabish, Ashley Sajdowitz, Lee Schmidt, Leslie Schultz, Jacob Schweder, Jessica Spaeth, Claire Spang, Nathan Steiner, Luke Terlinden, Paige Thelen, Robin Thelen, Jamie Treptow, Theresa Trott, Jacqueline Vandrell, Adam Vogt, Elizabeth Vogt, Stephanie Walters, Daniel West, Kimberly Wunsch, Adam Ziebell, Amanda Zimdars, Brett Zimdars.

**GRADE 8** -- Ashley Allen, Melissa Backhaus, Katie Bandler, Sarah Bandler, Ramanda Bannenberg, Daniel Beimborn, Bree Boettcher, Amanda Breit, Megan Butler,

Jacob Clayton, Brandon Collins, Dustin Current, Vanessa Dehling, Crystal Dreher, Samantha Duenkel, Shannon Dwyer, Carissa Fay, James Fischer, Dana Garbisch, Ashley Gasner, Haley Gilles, Brandon Gitter, Mandy Glander, Amy Guelig, Amy Guttmann, Danielle Henderson, Adam Hickmann, Adam Hilderbrand, Sarah Hoerig, Jamie Juers, Becky Junk, Darren Keaton, Kevin Keller, Brett Klug, Ryan Koepke.

Alyssa Koppelerger, Jaime Krueger, Justin Krueger, Daniel Lettow, Catherine Lewko, Kyle Lickel, Crystal Marquardt, Jonathan Maul, Bridgette McDonald, Mindy McKay, Melissa McKee, Dean Pankratz, Nicholas Pankratz, Holly Parsons, Peter Paulus, Erin Rammer, Cody Repovsch, Priscilla Richter, Jennifer Simonson, Amanda Smolinski, Levi Spaeth, Sarah Stevenson, Corey Strom, Juliet Tofte, Timothy Trott, Eric Vogt, Michael Wagner, Michelle Weber, Michelle Weninger, Cora Werdermann, David Wicklund, Scott Wilke, Jamie Wilson, Jill Wittmann, Luann Zander.



The real name of the painting known as the Mona Lisa is La Gioconda. It is the portrait of a middle-class Florentine woman.

## Hunter Education Class Offered

Campbellsport's Hunter Safety Group Wisconsin Certified Hunter Safety Instructors, invite all young people interested in hunting and recreational shooting to enroll in a Wisconsin Education course.

Beginning Feb. 16, 2000, the course will be held each Wednesday, from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., at the Campbellsport Community Center, 163 E. Main Street. The course is sponsored by the Campbellsport Sportsmans Club, assisted by DNR Warden Bilgo. Students must be 12 years old within six months of completion of the class to enroll into the course. Persons born after January 1, 1973 must have a Hunter's Education Certificate to purchase any type of Wisconsin hunting license, including bow hunting.

Advance registration is required. Please contact: Ken Stuart 533-8470, Rick Heisler 533-4955, Jeff Linsley 533-5110, for registration and information. The course fee is \$7.00, and covers all necessary materials. There will be one Saturday for a field day, this is a **MUST ATTEND CLASS**.

The students must be with a parent or guardian on the first night of class.

Classes will cover responsibilities of hunters, firearms safety in the home and afield, knowledge of firearms and hunting equipment, wildlife identification and management, marksmanship and outdoor skills.

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for hunting in many states and Canadian Provinces. Young students certified will also be able to hunt and use firearms without being accompanied by a parent or guardian at age fourteen instead of sixteen.

Drs. Anthony and Ann Schlaefer will conduct a hunter vision test for all students as a public service.

Make Hunter Education a family affair, any adult is welcome.

## County Clerks Sponsoring Scholarship

The Wisconsin County Clerk's Association is sponsoring a scholarship for junior and senior college students majoring in Journalism, Mass Communications or Political Science for the 2000-2001 academic year.

One \$500 scholarship will be awarded this year at the County Clerk's Association summer seminar. Applications are now available in the County Clerk's office. The deadline for application is April 1, 2000.

Anyone wishing to receive an application should contact Marilyn Merten, Washington County Clerk, 432 E. Washington Street, P.O. Box 1986, West Bend, WI 53095-7986.

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# Guitars, Pretending, and Teaching Writing



Sarah McWilliams, a first grader at Wayne Elementary School, shares her writing with Barry Lane during a workshop session.



At a workshop session in the Kewaskum Elementary School gym, Barry Lane discusses making characters with fifth graders Tristin Wright, left, and Zack Parish.

Watching Barry Lane at work, you might not realize he's teaching writing.

At first glance, you might only notice that he's playing his guitar, or pretending to be a made-up character, or telling a story about his favorite teacher, Miss Foley.

But if you look deeper -- into his message, into the excited faces of the students and teachers with whom he worked recently at Kewaskum, Farmington and Wayne Elementary Schools -- you can see why he has earned national renown for his books and seminars on discovering writing.

He makes writing FUN! "Writing is hard work," Lane explains, "but why do all the hard work if you're not having a good time?"

To those ends, Lane met with all Kewaskum School District elementary teachers during a recent inservice, then worked with every class at each school, inviting students and teachers alike to participate in writing activities to help make writing more enjoyable.

He had students invent and become characters; he challenged students to get inside a feeling when writing about it; he explored the role of detail and how it makes writing more interesting for writers and readers alike. And it all was interspersed with personal anecdotes, silly jokes, and fun, self-penned songs that helped illustrate his teaching points.

"Fantastic!" and "I'm ready to go write right now," were just two of the comments heard from teachers following Lane's presentations.

Students were excited, as well.

Lane, an affable, forever smiling man, visited with each small group of students as they did actual writing as part of the work-

shop. Afterward, he often played one of his songs, be it about a favorite teacher, or the wolf's version of the Three Little Pigs.

"It was awesome," said KES second grader Emily Huf.

Lane, author of books including "Discovering the Writer Within: 40 Days to More Imaginative Writing," travels from his Vermont home about half the year for writing seminars and workshops like those he presented at Kewaskum.

"I call it Fairy Godteaching," says Lane of his seminars. "I go in, sprinkle a little fairy dust, and see what happens. The real satisfaction comes when I see the teachers that are able to use some of the things I presented to them in such a way that it makes students enjoy writing more and also inspires their learning."

"I want to leave teachers and kids with something they can recall that they can apply to their own

work," he explains. "I want to teach a little bit of the craft of writing that they can... use themselves."

And Lane's advice for anyone wanting to improve their writing?

"Do it (write). Just do it."

And through guitars, books and stories about his childhood teachers, Barry

Lane has been helping students across the country, and now kids right here in Kewaskum, do just that.

(Those wanting more information about Lane, his books, and his songs, may call 1-800-613-8055, or check out his website at [www.discoverwriting.com](http://www.discoverwriting.com)).

## THANK YOU

I would like to thank my family and friends for all your prayers, visits, cards, gifts and goodies. Your thoughtfulness certainly helped me get through the past 5 months and was very much appreciated.

Sincerely,  
Lloyd Herriges

## Recipe of the Week

This recipe, along with many others can be found in the new Kewaskum Junior Woman's Club red cookbook. You can find them for sale at Kewaskum Pharmacy, Kewaskum Frozen Foods, or by calling Karen Kletti at 334-0227.

### HAMBURGER SOUP

- 1 1/2 lb. ground beef, browned
- 1/2 c. onions, chopped
- 1 c. celery, chopped
- 1 c. cabbage, shredded
- 1 c. carrots, shredded
- 1 c. potatoes, cubed
- 1/4 c. rice
- 2 c. tomatoes (chunks)
- 6 c. water
- salt and pepper to taste

Cook all but potatoes and rice for 1/2 hour. Then add rice and potatoes and boil until they're done. Makes about 3 or 4 quarts.

Dolores Hammes

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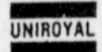
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I mentioned in last week's column that another schematic building design would be printed in this week's edition. The Wayne Elementary School floor plan can be seen elsewhere in today's paper. You will notice that there are a couple structural changes in the plans.

The existing gym was going to be expanded to the west but the structural limitations and cost considerations altered our original plan. The current gym will now be divided in half with the north end serving as the new music/art room and the south half functioning as a cafeteria and large group instruction room.

The new gym will be built off the north end of the building along with two unfinished classrooms (new addition). The new computer lab will be located immediately south of the unfinished classrooms but north of the new library. With this new format we will increase the overall square footage by about 2000 square feet, without increasing the projected cost. Once again, our goal is to be in the remodeled building by the first day of school this fall.

Hopefully, we will have dates scheduled so people can go through the construction sites as work is being completed. While many people like to see only the finished product, others

love to see it during the various construction phases. Of course, we will have an Open House for FES and WES in the fall, probably once the new gym is completed at FES. This will be in either October or November.

Stay tuned and don't forget that you're always invited to call or stop in and visit, ask questions, etc. Our telephone number is 626-8427 and the address is 1450 School Street, Kewaskum.

## Held-Messana Presented College Service Award

Colleen Held-Messana of Menomonee Falls, formerly of Kewaskum, received Lawrence University's Gertrude B. Jupp Outstanding Service Award at the college's annual reunion weekend celebration last summer.

A 1968 graduate of Lawrence, she served as class secretary for 10 years, writing a biannual newsletter to members of her class, served as chair of the 30-year class reunion, served six years as a member of the alumni association board of directors, volunteered as an admissions representative and represented Lawrence at the inauguration of the president of the University of Michigan in 1980.

Colleen is a 1964 graduate of Kewaskum High School.

## Graduates of Moraine Park

The following students recently graduated from Moraine Park Technical College:

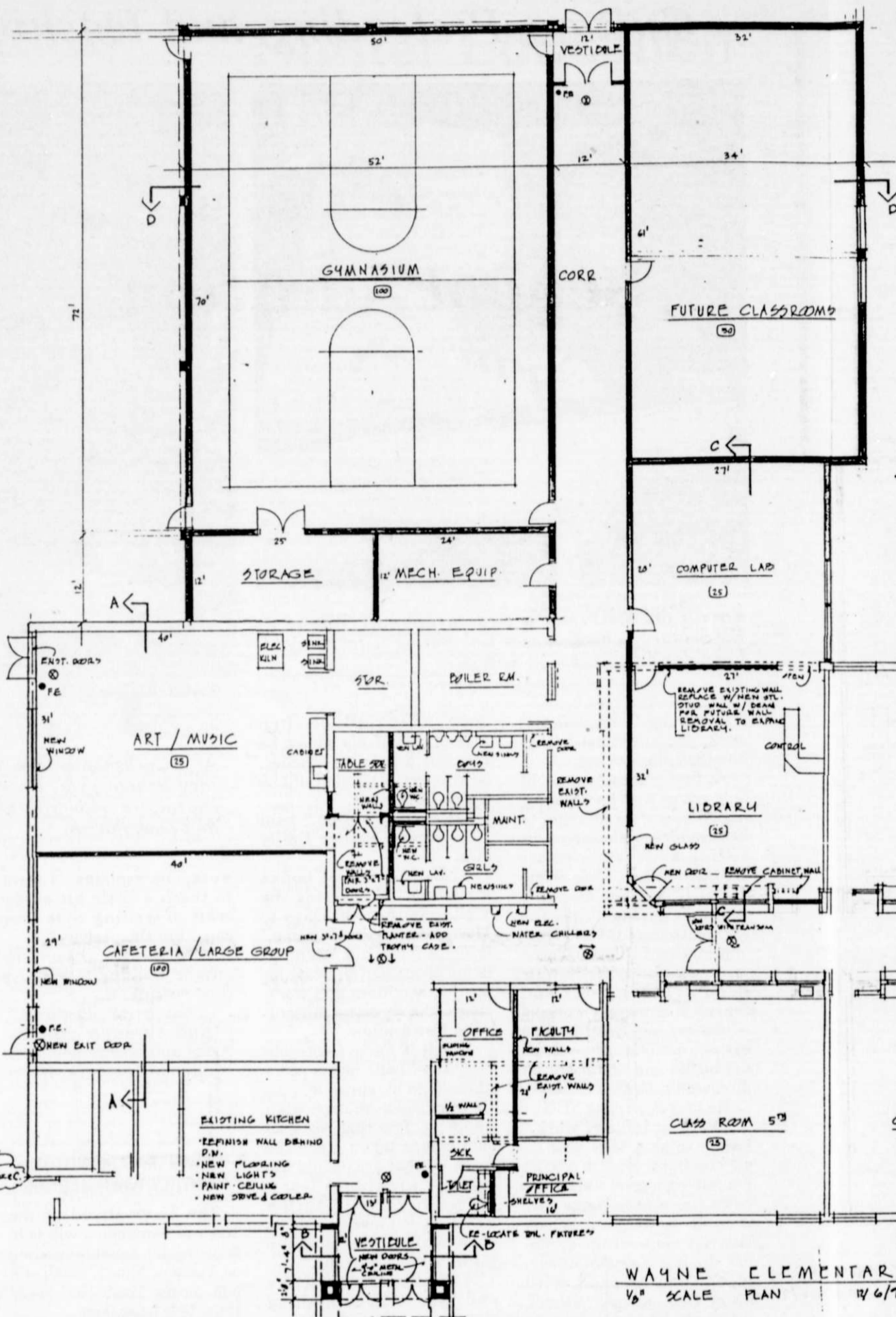
Automotive Technician Program, Fond du Lac Campus: Kevin James Staehler, 8265 Sandy Ridge Road, Kewaskum, received a technical diploma.

Child Care Services Program, Fond du Lac Campus: Jennifer Noel Krause-Brooks, N2306 Jenni Lane, Cascade, received a technical diploma.

Chiropractic Technician Program, West Bend Campus: Barbara Ann Ruplinger, N434 N. Paradise Road, Kewaskum, received a technical diploma with high honors.

Civil Engineering Technician-Structural Program, Fond du Lac Campus: Brian Michael Redig, 8105 Highway 144, Kewaskum, received an associate degree.

Emergency Medical Technician - Basic Program, West Bend Campus: Steven M. Staehler, 8929 Forest View Road, Kewaskum,



received a technical diploma with high honors.

Food Science Technician Program, Fond du Lac Campus: Karla Anne Martin, 701 Memorial Drive, Kewaskum, received an associate degree.

Industrial Engineering Technician Program, Fond du Lac Campus: Alice Anita Cochenet, 415 Lazy Lane, Kewaskum, received an associate degree with honors; Laura Jean Waehler, N1597 Highway DD, Campbellsport, received an associate degree with high honors.

Legal Secretary Program, West Bend Campus: Jill Lynn Broecker, 336 Main Street, Kewaskum, received an associate degree with high honors.

Nursing - Associate Degree Program, West Bend Campus: Kim L. Gizewski, 242 Timblin Drive, Kewaskum, received an associ-

ate degree.

Office Assistant Program, West Bend Campus: Mary J. Junk, 8039 Town Hall Road, Kewaskum, received a technical diploma with high honors; Kelly Jo Knoebel, 709 Moraine Court, Kewaskum, received a technical diploma with honors; Jennifer Lynn Ramthun, 9445 Highway BB, Campbellsport, received a technical diploma with high honors.

Practical Nursing Program, Beaver Dam Campus: Kristine J. Holl, 1724 Auburn-Ashford Road, Campbellsport, received a technical diploma; Amy Lynn Johnson, 350 Lazy Lane, Kewaskum, received a technical diploma; Jennifer Marie Johnson, 350 Lazy Lane, Kewaskum, received a technical diploma; Jennifer Ann Krieser, 1120 Roseland Drive, Kewaskum, received a tech-

nical diploma; Tracy Renee Morales-Diaz, 1917 Green Tree Road, West Bend, received a technical diploma; Kelly Ann Wagner, 805 Bel Ric Drive, Kewaskum, received a technical diploma.

Supervisory Management Program, West Bend Campus: Cindy Ann Koester, W1975 Rustic Drive, Campbellsport, received an associate degree with high honors.

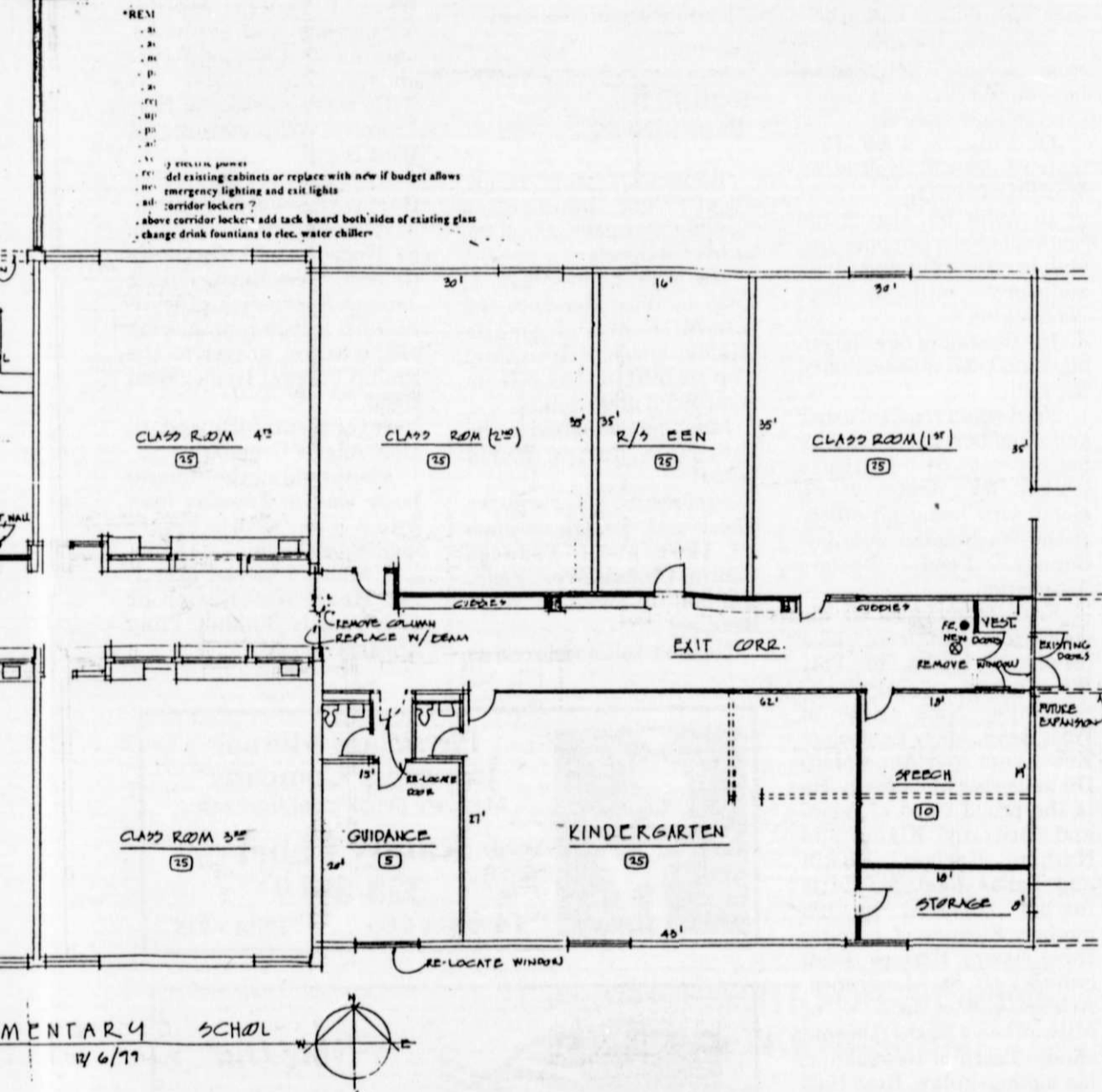
Tool and Die Design Technician Program, West Bend Campus: Nicholas Edward Spartz, 8539 Prospect Drive, Kewaskum, received an associate degree.

Tool and Die Making Program, West Bend Campus: Ryan Gregory Theusch, 9060 Highway 144, Kewaskum, received a technical diploma with high honors.

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# Future Wayne Elementary School Addition



## LUNCH MENU

### KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT MENU

Monday, Jan. 31 -- Bacon cheeseburger on a bun, tater tots, fresh veggies & dip and a chewy chocolate cookie. \*\*Mr. Rib on a bun. (2) Chicken Nuggets.

Tuesday, Feb. 1 -- Ham & turkey submarine sandwich, crispy French fries, WI blend veggies and a chocolate chip cookie. \*\*Hot meatball sub sandwich. (2) Chicken nuggets.

Wednesday, Feb. 2 -- Pizza hot pocket, French bread with garlic butter, corn, pears and a brownie. \*\*Salad bar. (2) Chicken nuggets.

Thursday, Feb. 3 -- Cheese fries with marinara dipping sauce, fruit cocktail, carrot coins, schoolmade bread and an oatmeal cookie. \*\*Chicken and bacon wrap. (2) Chicken nuggets.

Friday, Feb. 4 -- Bratwurst on a bun, mashed potatoes and beef gravy, coleslaw and apple kuchen. \*\*Fish nuggets with tater sauce (2) chicken nuggets.

All meals include choice of milk: skim, 2% or chocolate.

### HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL MENU

Monday, Jan. 31 -- Hamburger on bun with the works, golden corn, peaches, cookie dough, milk.

Tuesday, Feb. 1 -- Meatball or meatloaf, whipped potatoes w/gravy, green beans, pears, dinner roll, milk.

Wednesday, Feb. 2 -- Chicken nuggets, potato rounds, mixed fruit, apple wedges, peanut butter cook-

ie, milk.

Thursday, Feb. 3 -- Hot ham on bun, macaroni & cheese, buttered carrots, pineapple, bread w/butter, donut, milk.

Friday, Feb. 4 -- Chicken noodle soup, sandwich day - egg salad, tuna, peanut butter, peanut butter jelly, bananas, applesauce, cookie, milk.

### ST. LUCAS LUTHERAN SCHOOL MENU

Monday, Jan. 31 -- Ham slice/cheese/bun, fresh veggies & dip, mandarin oranges, fruit turnover.

Tuesday, Feb. 1 -- Nachos Grandes, rice, applesauce, peas. Stripe it rich cake.

Wednesday, Feb. 2 -- Sloppy Joe/bun, potatoe chips, pickle spears, fresh veggies & dill dip, fruit cocktail, peanut butter cookie.

Thursday, Feb. 3 -- Spaghetti/meatsauce, bread stick, mandarin oranges, green beans/mushroom soup, choc. cake.

Friday, Feb. 4 -- Turkey & gravy over mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, dinner roll, blueberry crisp.

### THURSDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE Lighthouse Lanes Jan. 20, 2000

Bestech Tool Corp., 19-9; Schmidt Funeral Home, 18-10; Inter Plan, 17-11; Lighthouse Lanes, 16-12; Paradise Gardens, 16-12; Reindl Repair, 15-13; Mosers Dozers, 13-15; Toms Pro Shop, 13-15; Teskers, 11-17; Ruppies Small Engine, 2-26.

Barry Zimdars, 212-236 (615); Rick Cooley, 220; Ty Jeranek, 205.

Eileen Mueller 524.

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## CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT

No. 2000 - CUP.01

State of Wisconsin  
Village of Kewaskum

WHEREAS, Voice Stream, PCS, has paid the sum of One Hundred Dollars to the Treasurer of said Municipality, as required by ordinances of said Municipality and complied with all the requirements necessary for obtaining this Permit.

NOW THEREFORE, By order of the Village Board of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County Wisconsin and by virtue hereof, the said applicant for a Conditional Use Permit, for permission to mount Personal Communication Services (PCS) antenna on the Village water tower located at 1004 Fond du Lac Avenue. Along with the placement of the antenna, Voice Stream will also be proposing to place its electronic communications equipment on the same property. The tax key number is V4-0186-00M. The property is zoned I-1 Institutional District. It is noted that the conditional use permit would reflect the following points as recommended:

- 1) This Conditional Use Permit does not take affect until such time, as a negotiated PCS Site Agreement has been affirmatively acted on by the Village Board and signed by all parties.
- 2) That all concerns and points of interest are included in the Agreement as discussed.
- 3) Adequate access by means of an easement or agreement are acquired from the Village of Kewaskum.
- 4) That the financial reimbursement arrangements are also included in the Agreement.

Given under my hand and the Corporate Seal of said Village of Kewaskum, affixed this 24th day of January 2000.

Robert H. Wagner, Village President

Daniel S. Schmidt, Administrator/Clerk

Motion for adoption by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann  
Motion for adoption seconded by Trustee Andy Pesch  
Roll call vote 6 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent"

Daniel S. Schmidt  
Administrator

## 25 Years Ago

January 24, 1975

The deadline for filing nomination papers for village offices in the spring election was at 5 p.m. Tuesday, January 21. Six candidates filed papers for the three village trustee offices to be elected. All three incumbents, Alfred Kral, Roger Strack and Daniel Schmidt are seeking reelection. Three newcomers will also seek seats on the board. They are David Nigh, Oscar Knoeck and Roger Schmitt. For the second time in a row, there will be just one candidate for village president. Incumbent Charles Miller declared himself a candidate for his second term and he will run unopposed. Geri Murre will open a

beauty shop in the Savings and Loan Building, formerly Mr. John's Barber Shop (rear entrance) at 114 Main Street. For the past nine months Geri has been employed at Dianne's Beauty Shop in Kewaskum. The new business will be known as Geri's Beauty Salon.

In a very chilly first half, Kewaskum hit only six of 29 shots (20%) and scored a mere 15 points to fall behind, 26-15, and as a result lost to second spot Kettle Moraine there Friday night, 58-49. Prior to this game they had three players among the league's top 10 scorers: Don Gruber, 5th with 83; Mike Koepke, 8th with 72, and Scott Koth, 10th with 71.

The Kewaskum High School girls basketball team opened Scenic Conference play with a win last Tuesday over Kettle

Moraine. The varsity won 50-32. Sophomore Grace Flynn led in scoring with 16 points. Vivian Schacht had 10 and Diane Strack, 8.

A daughter was born to Karl and Marilyn Brath, Route 3, West Bend, on January 15. Grandparents are Mrs. Frances Brath, Route 1, Allenton, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Reindl of Kewaskum.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Erickson of Campbellsport are the parents of a daughter, Sonya Lynn, born January 7, at St. Agnes Hospital, Fond du Lac.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fleischman of Lomira are the parents of a daughter, Sarah Ann, born January 7, at St. Agnes Hospital, Fond du Lac. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Fleischman of Lomira and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Amerling of St. Kilian.



# Obituaries

## LEROY C. BIER

Leroy C. Bier, age 65, of Kewaskum, passed away unexpectedly on Wednesday, January 9, 2000, at his home.

He was born on May 8, 1934 in the Town of Kewaskum, the son of the late Arnold and Bernice (Bingen) Bier and on June 23, 1956 he was united in marriage to Donna Ferber in Kewaskum.

Leroy was the owner and operator of Bier's Jewelry Store in Kewaskum for 40 years. He was a member of St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church in Kewaskum where he actively served, was a member and past president of the Kewaskum Lions Club, was a past member of the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce, was a past member of Watchmakers Association and Wisconsin Jeweler's Association.

He coached and sponsored community sports and enjoyed hunting, fishing and traveling with friends. His special sense of humor, his faith in God and his commitment to family and community will be lovingly remembered.

Leroy is lovingly survived by his wife of 43 years, Donna of Kewaskum; three daughters, Robin (Ken) Wilson of Marine on St. Croix, Minnesota, Julaine (Mark) Miller of San Diego, California, and Jeri Lynne (Steve) Lusk of Incurlik, Turkey; five grandsons, Craig, Scott and Geoffrey Wilson, and Kyle and Kristopher Lusk; a sister, Carol (Gerald) Zimmel of Fond du Lac; a brother, Ralph (Linda) Bier of Lyons, Colorado; two aunts, Edna Henderson of Racine and Rosemary Bingen of West Bend, nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. on Sunday, January 23, 2000 at St.

Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church in Kewaskum. Rev. Edwin Fredrich officiated and burial followed in Lutheran Memorial Park in Kewaskum.

Friends called from 1 p.m. until the time of services at the church only on Sunday.

The Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum served the family.

## ALEXANDER A. WENNINGER

Alexander A. Wenninger, 83, of Allenton, passed away on Thursday, Jan. 20, 2000, at the Hartford Care Center, Hartford.

He was born Feb. 18, 1916, in Allenton, to the late Jacob and Mary (nee Engelhardt) Wenninger, and married Violet Mauer (nee Jensen) on July 2, 1976, in

Milwaukee.

Alex was an independent painter.

He was a member of the Hartford Senior Friends and Resurrection Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Ralph (Kathy) Wenninger of Hustisford and Steven (Joyce) Wenninger of Allenton; three daughters, Rita (John) Boegel of Kewaskum, Charlotte (Herbert) Mueller of Hartford and Beverly (Allen) Schweitzer of West Bend; a stepdaughter, Mary (fiance Roger Reese) Schmidt of Elm Grove; 17 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; a sister, Marie Yogerst of West Bend; nieces; nephews; and other relatives and friends.

Preceding him in death were his first wife, Helen Weis; his second wife, Irene Katzenberger; a brother, Clarence; a sister, Olive Doll, and a step-granddaughter, Devon Schmidt.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Sunday, Jan. 23, at 7 p.m. at Resurrection Catholic Church, Allenton. Father Richard Breitbach officiated and interment was in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Allenton.

Visitation at the Shimon Funeral Home, Hartford, was on Sunday from 3 to 6:15 p.m.

Memorials to Hartford Senior Friends are appreciated.

## EUGENE M. HOERIG

Eugene M. Hoerig, 76, of Mesa, Ariz., died Friday, Jan. 14, 2000, in Mesa.

He was born in Kewaskum.

Survivors include a brother, Gerald (Marlyce); daughters, Mary (Greg) Patzer and Margaret (Jerry) Ash; sons, John, Kenneth (Helen) and Michael (Lori); six grandchildren; other relatives and friends.

His wife, Grace (nee Feiten) preceded him in

death in 1994.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held Saturday, Jan. 22 at 10 a.m. at Divine Word Catholic Church, Cedarburg.

Visitation at the Schramka-Gunther Funeral Home, Cedarburg, was Friday from 7 to 9 p.m.

## FRED A. 'FRITZ' LAATSCH

Fred A. "Fritz" Laatsch, 64, of Nabob, found peace with the Lord on Monday, Jan. 17, 2000, at his residence after a courageous battle against cancer.

He was born Dec. 16, 1935, on the family homestead to Alfred and Eleanor (nee Wenninger) Laatsch.

Following his graduation from Slinger High School, he entered the U.S. Navy, serving three years.

On July 18, 1959, Fred married Joan M. Hoff at St. Matthias Church.

In 1958 he also found Saukville Feed Supplies Inc. and in 1986 purchased an additional mill in Port Washington.

In December he began his 42nd year of operation of the mill.

Fred was a trustee, usher and member of the Men's Society at St. Matthias Parish for many years, along with being an officer of the Washington Ozaukee County Feed Dealers Association.

Fritz is survived by his wife; five children, Lisa (Michael) Klahn of Port Washington, Gary of Saukville, Nick (Kay) of West Bend, Mary Laatsch of Kewaskum and Anne (Jeff) Dietenberger of Jackson. He is the proud Papa of Adam and Brittany Klahn and Nathan, Karissa, Dustin and Lanae Laatsch. He is further survived by his mother, Eleanor of Lomira; three sisters, Bernice (Lyle) Schulz of St. Lawrence, Arlene McCardle of Milwaukee and Dianne (Andy) Pesch of Kewaskum; his mother-in-law, Rose Hoff of West Bend; sisters-in-law; brothers-in-law; nieces; nephews; and other rela-

tives and friends.

Preceding him in death were his father, Alfred; a sister, Dolores Schoeder; and a brother-in-law, Jerry McCardle.

Funeral services were held Friday, Jan. 21, at 9:45 a.m. at the Schmidt Funeral Home, West Bend with a Mass of Christian Burial at 10:30 a.m. at St. Matthias chapel, Nabob. Fr. Alois Van Beek was the presider, and burial followed in the parish cemetery.

Visitation at the funeral home was on Thursday from 3 p.m. until the rosary at 8:30 p.m., and also on Friday until the time of services.

Masses or memorials to the Threshold or the Special Olympics are appreciated.

## ROBERT C. 'BOB' HRON

Robert C. "Bob" Hron, 74, of West Bend, died Sunday, January 23, 2000, at his residence.

He was born June 8, 1925 in West Bend, to the late Michael and Amalia (Katzenberger) Hron, and graduated in 1944 from West Bend High School.

Later he served with the U.S. Navy during World War II.

After his marriage to Theresa M. Spaeth on June 10, 1961, at St. Frances Cabrini Church, West Bend, the couple lived in West Bend.

He was self-employed as

an architect for over 10 years. He was also the assessor for the city of West Bend from November 1, 1960 until retiring on June 7, 1995.

Survivors include his wife; two children, Jacqueline (Mark) Schomisch of Fond du Lac and Joanne (Bernie) Krantz of Madison; three grandchildren, Monica Schomisch of Fond du Lac and Robert and Katherine Krantz of Madison; a sister, Adeline Hron of West Bend, and on Theresa's side, a brother-in-law, William Spaeth of West Bend and three sisters-in-law, Armelia (Ralph) Schaefer of Hartford, Bernadette Spaeth of West Bend and Vivian (James) Lisko of West Bend. He is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

He was a member of Holy Angels Catholic Church, West Bend.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held Wednesday, January 26, at 10 a.m. at Holy Angels Catholic Church, West Bend. Father Jerome Repenshek officiated with a 9:30 a.m. closing of the casket prayer at the Phillip Funeral Home, West Bend.

Interment followed in Holy Angels Cemetery.

Visitation at the funeral home was on Tuesday from 4 to 8 p.m., with a prayer vigil at 7:30 p.m.

Memorials to the American Heart Association or Holy Angels Building Fund are appreciated.



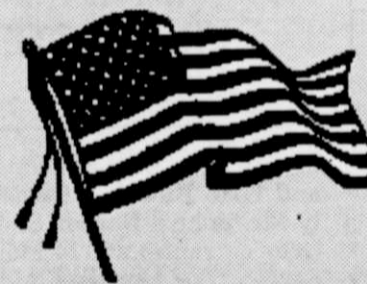
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## New Addition Made to Mauthe Lake Rec Area



The Fond du Lac County Wisconsin Conservation Corps (WCC) crew and forest staff recently completed the installation of new playground equipment at the Mauthe Lake Recreation Area in the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest. This is the first playground within the state forest and is designed for children of all ages and abilities. The hard work of the WCC crew and forest staff is sure to be a hit with young forest visitors and their parents. Shown above, front row, left to right: Ben Prissel and Jim Allen. Back row: Tom Treleven, crew leader (standing), Kirt Bryden, Kelly Liptow and Julie Musha.

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### TOWN OF WAYNE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held before the Town Board at the Town Hall located at 6030 Hwy. H, in the Town of Wayne at 7:30 P.M. on Feb. 16, 2000, to consider the application of Voice Stream for the issuance of a Conditional Use Permit under the Town Zoning Ordinance. Granting the permit will allow the applicant to add an additional antenna to the existing tower upon the applicant's property located at 6775 Hwy. 28, Allenton, WI 53002 in the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 8 of the Town.

Dated: Jan. 21, 2000

Orville Kern,  
 Town Clerk

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Specifications are available from the Village's Office in the Municipal Building, 204 First Street, Kewaskum, WI 53040-0038.

Submit proposals to Jerry Gilles, Director of Public Works, Municipal Building, 204 First Street, P.O. Box 38, Kewaskum, WI 53040-0038 no later than 4:30 P.M. C.S.T. Monday, February 7, 2000, clearly marked "Bid Proposal."

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days after the bid opening date without the consent of the Village.

The Village of Kewaskum reserves the right to accept any bid which it deems most advantageous to its interest, waive any technicality or reject any or all bids.

Bids will be reviewed and presented to the Village Board at the meeting scheduled to begin at 8:00 PM, Monday, February 7, 2000 at the Municipal Building, 204 First Street, Kewaskum, WI

Published by the authority of the Village of Kewaskum.  
 Dated: January 10, 2000

The Kewaskum Village Board  
 Jerry E. Gilles  
 Director of Public Works

1-20-2t

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### TOWN OF WAYNE APPLICATION AND PETITION FOR REZONING

To: The Town Board  
 Town of Wayne  
 Washington County, Wisconsin

In accordance with sec. 1.46 of the Town Zoning Ordinance, the undersigned hereby petitions the Town Board to amend the Town Zoning Map, established and maintained pursuant to sec. 1.09 of the Zoning Ordinance, by rezoning the land herein described from Agricultural District to Commercial B 1 District.

Attached and made a part of this application are the following items:

1. The complete legal description of the property to be rezoned.
2. A plot plan drawn to a scale of one inch equals 100 feet showing the area proposed to be rezoned, its location, its dimensions, the location and classification of adjacent zoning districts, and the location and existing use of all properties within 300 feet of the area proposed to be rezoned.
3. A list of the names and addresses of the owners of all property which is located within 500 feet of the property proposed to be rezoned.

The parcel proposed to be rezoned is a part of Tax Key Parcel No (s). 724 and contains approximately 19 acres.

The rezoning is requested for the purpose of erecting a billboard sign.

Dated: Jan. 21, 2000

Mike Husar  
 (owner)

1-27-2t

### REVISED AGENDA MEETING HELD IN H.S. LIBRARY

#### SCHOOL DISTRICT of KEWASKUM SPECIAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

There will be a Special Business Meeting of the School District of Kewaskum Board on Monday, January 31, 2000. Said meeting will commence at 6:00 p.m. and will be held in the HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY, 1510 BILGO LANE

#### AGENDA

1. Call meeting to order
2. Roll Call of members
3. Verification of public notice pursuant to s. 19.84(1)(2)(3)(4)
4. Agenda
  - a. Corrections and/or deletions
  - b. Approval
5. New Business (All items under New Business are subject to discussion and/or action)
  - a. Resolution Authorizing the Issuance and Awarding of the Sale of \$7,175,000 General Obligation Refunding Bonds; Providing the Form of the Bonds; and Levying a Tax in Connection Therewith.
  - b. Resignation of Instructional Staff
  - c. Instructional Contract
  - d. The Board will move to a Closed Session pursuant to s.19.85(1) (e)
    1. To consider negotiating impact of the September 1 Start legislation
  - e. The Board will remain in Closed Session pursuant to s. 19.85(1)(f)
    1. To consider the expulsion of a student





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Producers of agricultural commodities are faced with increasing risk of price changes. These changes can make the difference between being profitable or marketing your production at a loss.

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The topics on the first day will include:

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Determining a Price Objective based on Your Costs, Personal Objectives, and Business Objectives - Robin Schmahl, Commodity Broker, Allendale Inc. at Sheboygan. Lester Barthel, Stewart Peterson, West Bend.

Introduction to Marketing Strategies and Principles - Jack Trzebiatowski

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Registration for the two sessions workshop is \$5.00 per person or (\$10.00 per farm unit if more than one person is attending). Persons needing more information or interested in participating are asked to contact either the Washington County UW-Extension office at 262-335-4477 or the Sheboygan County UW-Extension Office at 920-467-5740. Additional information about this and other agricultural programs can be found at [WWW.uwex.edu/ces/cty/washington](http://WWW.uwex.edu/ces/cty/washington)



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James Broughton



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## Village Board Meeting Minutes

Village of Kewaskum  
Regular Meeting  
January 10, 2000  
8:00 p.m.

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

President Robert Wagner presided. Trustee Harry Roecker asked to be excused and was absent. It was noted Trustee Andrew Kuehl had resigned. A quorum was present.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence dedicated to the six firemen that died in the line of duty out east while performing their job.

On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee Andy Pesch and unanimously carried by voice vote, the minutes of the December 6, 1999 were approved as printed.

Fire Chief Mark Groeschel presented the December 1999 report: Fire calls- 0, Year-to-date- 32, Jaws calls- 0, Year-to-date- 17, Rescue calls- 29, Miles- 537

The Village Board was also informed of the final cost of the rehabilitation work taking place which should be completed in mid-February on the 1982 Pumper. It was further noted that a new pumper should also be ready for delivery in mid-February.

Fire Chief Mark Groeschel reported that the following were elected in December 1999 at the Annual Meeting: Assistant Chief- Mark Herriges, 1st Captain - Peter Dickman, 2nd Captain - Dan Jung, 1st Lieutenant - Jesse Korth, 2nd Lieutenant - Steve Heberer, Rescue Captain - Donna Zimmel, Rescue Lieutenant - Sandy Hahn, Lieutenant Secretary - Tom Herriges, Lieutenant Treasurer - Larry Martin

Chief of Police Richard L. Knoebel reported the following:

1) The new siren has been installed and only needs the wiring to be completed before being activated.  
2) The new squad should be placed into service in a week or so.

On a motion by Trustee Andy Pesch, seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy and unanimously carried by voice vote the Board authorized holding the annual Spring Clean Up on April 29, 2000.

On a motion by Trustee Warren Dums, seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board authorized the advertising for bids for a replacement lawn mower.

Director of Public Works, Jerry Gilles reported as follows:

1) The Water Pollution Control Department has been able to cut back on some of their testing requirement because of favorable results.

2) The Water Pollution Control Department is in the process of testing the receipt of septic sludge on a trial basis. It is going well so far and if it continues an amendment to the ordinance would be requested. This would help generate a small amount of revenue for plant operations.

3) It was noted that the new concrete deer were placed by the welcome sign and that a thank you should be sent to the Kewaskum Kiwanis for their generous donation for the purchase of said deer.

On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee Andy Pesch and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board approved the issuance of an Operator's License for 1999/2000 upon proper payment of fees and documentation for the following:

Brinkman, Jeanni Campbellsport, WI  
Gentz, Jacquelyn M. West Bend, WI

Note: The Police Department had no objection to the application.

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

1) Review of Taxpayer and League Bulletins.

2) Review of building permit report for December 1999.

3) Announcement of Mid-Moraine Municipal Association meeting to be held January 26, 2000.

4) Review of budget control sheet November 1999.

5) Review of tax collection for 1999/2000. It was noted collection was ahead by 11.65% from that of last year.

6) Review of correspondence.

a) Announcement of the drawing for ballot positions for the April election are 1- Robert Stoltzmann, 2- John Kenworthy, 3- open.

b) Announcement of a public hearing for a conditional use permit for a cellular antenna on the new water tower, scheduled for January 24, 2000 at 8:00 p.m.

c) Informed the Board that Congressman Sensenbrenner will be holding office hours Thursday, January 13, 2000 at 1:45 p.m.

d) Announced the scheduled EDAC meeting for Monday, January 17, 2000 at 4:00 p.m.

On a motion by Trustee Andy Pesch, seconded by Trustee Warren Dums and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board approved the payment of bills as recommended by the Administrative Committee. The totals of all claims as recommended are as follows:

General	\$353,322.74
Sewer	\$6,128.52
P/R Ck. #9487 - #9574	
Water	\$5,160.85
Payroll	\$58,316.14
A/P Ck. #16505- #16756	
Library	\$2,142.55

**TOTAL \$425,070.80**

On the recommendation to adjust the Meals, Lodging & Misc. Reimbursement Policy from 1986 by the Administrative Committee, Trustee Warren Dums moved, Trustee John Kenworthy seconded and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board adjusted the policy as presented.

Administrator Schmidt reported on behalf of Trustee Harry Roecker, Chairman of the Protection and Public Safety Committee that at the next meeting the request for the placement of a stop sign at the intersection of Braatz Drive and Gavin Parkway as well as limiting parking times at the intersection of Main Street and Parkview Drive will be discussed.

Trustee John Kenworthy, Chairman of the Park & Recreation Committee announced a meeting scheduled for Monday, January 24, 2000 at 7:30 p.m.

Board Representative for the Plan Commission Trustee Andy Pesch informed the Board that a meeting was held December 14, 2000 and a temporary sign permit was granted along with further review of the Zoning Ordinance. It was also announced that a Plan Commission Meeting is scheduled for January 25,

2000 at 7:00 p.m.

Library Board Representative Trustee John Kenworthy informed the Board that December and January meetings were held and that the Library closed the year with a positive balance as to expenditures.

Trustee Robert Stoltzmann informed the Board of an MMMA Legislative Committee Meeting scheduled for January 12, 2000 in West Bend at 7:00 p.m.

Attorney Jerry Kiefer reviewed the terms and conditions regarding the lease for 1308 Fond du Lac Avenue. The lease is with Regal Ware Inc. at \$2,000 per month. On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee Andy Pesch and unanimously carried by voice vote the Board authorized the Administrator to execute said lease on behalf of the Village.

Administrator Daniel Schmidt informed the Board that Trustee Andrew Kuehl submitted his resignation on January 4, 2000 which was affective immediately. The options on how to handle the vacant seat was discussed. On a motion by Trustee John Kenworthy, seconded by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann and unanimously carried voice vote the Board accepted Trustee Kuehl's resignation. The Administrator was directed to prepare a news release requesting anyone interested in fulfilling the unexpired term of Trustee Kuehl to submit a letter of interest. This will then be used to appoint someone to the Board. Village President Robert Wagner directed the Administrator to send Andrew Kuehl a letter thank you for his dedication and support of the Village.

Discussion was held on questions asked by O & R Development Enterprises regarding street improvements; how to pay for them and how to be reimbursed for them. No decision was made but the Administrator was asked to place the matter on the agenda for further discussion for the January 24, 2000.

On a motion by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann, seconded by Trustee John Kenworthy and unanimously carried by voice vote, the Board denied any Village utilities being extended outside of the Village corporate limits. Annexation is a criterion for said service.

Police Chief Richard Knoebel informed the Board that the Administrator, Director of Public Works and he are looking at the feasibility of renting the old village landfill site to the local Wings Chapter as a proposed food plot for wildlife. When additional information is available, the matter will come back to the Board.

On a motion by Trustee Warren Dums, seconded by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann and carried by the majority roll call vote, to adjourn. Roll call vote was 5 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 1 "Absent".

Daniel S. Schmidt  
Administrator  
Approved 1-24-00  
Pub. (K.S.) 1-27-00

## Resolution No. 00-01

### COMPLIANCE MAINTENANCE RESOLUTION

**RESOLVED**, that the Village of Kewaskum informs the Department of Natural Resources that the following actions were taken by the Village Board of the Village of Kewaskum, Wisconsin.

1. Reviewed the Compliance Maintenance Annual Report which is attached to this Resolution.

2. Set forth the following actions necessary to maintain effluent requirements contained in the WPDES Permit.

**PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED** this 24th day of January, 2000 by the Kewaskum Village Board.

\s/  
Robert H. Wagner/President

ATTEST:

\s/  
Daniel S. Schmidt/Administrator/Clerk

Motion for adoption by Trustee Robert Stoltzmann  
Motion for adoption seconded by Trustee Andy Pesch  
Roll Call Vote was 6 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent"

State of Wisconsin  
Circuit Court  
Washington County  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF  
ERVIN A. DEGNER

### AMEND ORDER GIVING NOTICE TO CREDITORS

File No. 99-PR-97

An application has been filed for Informal Administration of the estate of the above named person, domiciled in Washington County, Wisconsin, whose post office address was 1308 Scenic Drive, Kewaskum, WI 53040, and all interested persons have waived notice.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT** creditor's claims must be filed on or before April 3, 2000, or be barred.

**If you have a disability and need help in court, please call: 262-335-4334.**

BY THE COURT:

Kay F. Morlen  
January 3, 2000

Attorney Gerald A. Kiefer  
262-626-8432  
1225 Fond du Lac, P.O. Box 456  
Kewaskum, WI 53040-0456  
#1014058  
Jan. 13, 20 & 27

State of Wisconsin  
Circuit Court  
Washington County  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ALICE SCHILLER  
(deceased)

### ORDER GIVING NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Case No. 00-IN-006

An application has been filed for informal administration of the estate of the above named person, domiciled in Washington County, Wisconsin, whose post office address was 1209 Parkview Drive, Kewaskum, WI 53040, and all interested persons have waived notice.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT** creditor's claims must be filed on or before April 13, 2000, or be barred.

**If you have a disability and need help in court, please call: 262-335-4334.**

BY THE COURT:

Kay F. Morlen  
January 13, 2000

Lynn Morrissey  
P.O. Box 550  
Kewaskum, WI 53040  
Jan. 27, Feb. 3 & 10

## Resolution No. 00-02

TO AMEND RESOLUTION NO. 99-31 AND RESOLUTION NO. 99-40  
AND ESTABLISH A CAPITAL PROJECTS (CAPITAL OUTLAY) FUND

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Kewaskum expends a substantial amount of the annual budget for capital projects; and

**WHEREAS**, this has been reflected in the total annual budget of the Village of Kewaskum in the past; and

**WHEREAS**, this practice does not reflect an accurate annual operating budget for the Village of Kewaskum.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the establishment be made of a Capital Projects (Capital Outlay) Fund and amend Resolutions 99-31 and 99-40 to reflect the following:

1999 CAPITAL PROJECTS (CAPITAL OUTLAY) FUND	\$531,500
1999 GENERAL FUND BUDGET	(531,500)

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED** this 24th day of January, 2000 by the Kewaskum Village Board

\s/  
Robert H. Wagner, Village President

ATTEST:

\s/  
Daniel S. Schmidt, Administrator

Motion for adoption by Trustee Andy Pesch  
Motion for adoption seconded by Trustee Harry Roecker  
Roll Call vote was 6 "Aye" 0 "Nay" 0 "Absent"

Henri's Food Products Co, a unit of Best Foods Grocery  
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The duties of these 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> shift roles include mixing or compounding product in large quantities, either dry or liquid, strong math skills are a necessity and sanitation experience is a plus. If you are currently mixing or blending products, or have previous experience in this capacity, you may be qualified for this position.

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# Cougars Too Much for Indian Ladies



Coach Anne Sonnabend (center, kneeling on floor) discusses game strategy with her team members. Assistant coaches, David Kraft, (center, standing) and Ellen Kuphal, (far right) listen attentively.

After playing their second game in three days, the Lady Indians were no match for the Campbellsport Cougars.

Kewaskum lost to host Slinger on Tuesday, January 18, by a score of 61-40, with Heather Rieder and Colleen Gosa scoring 14 and 11 points respectively.

On Thursday, January 20, they traveled to Campbellsport and lost, 71-49, despite giving a good effort. The Indians are now 3-10 overall.

The Cougars set the tone in the opening quarter. Point guard Angela Flood had three three-point baskets and 13 points as Campbellsport had a 27-10 lead after the first eight minutes of play.

The Cougars continued their hot shooting by outscoring the Indians 16-10 in the second quarter to take a 43-20 lead into the locker room at halftime.

The Indians would not give up in the second half. They played hard and outscored Campbellsport, 20-14 in the fourth quarter, but it was too late as the Cougars left the game with an overall record of 10-4.

Heather Rieder led Kewaskum with 14 points and six assists. Jenny Kraft added 13 points and five assists. Flood led all scorers with 17 for the Cougars.

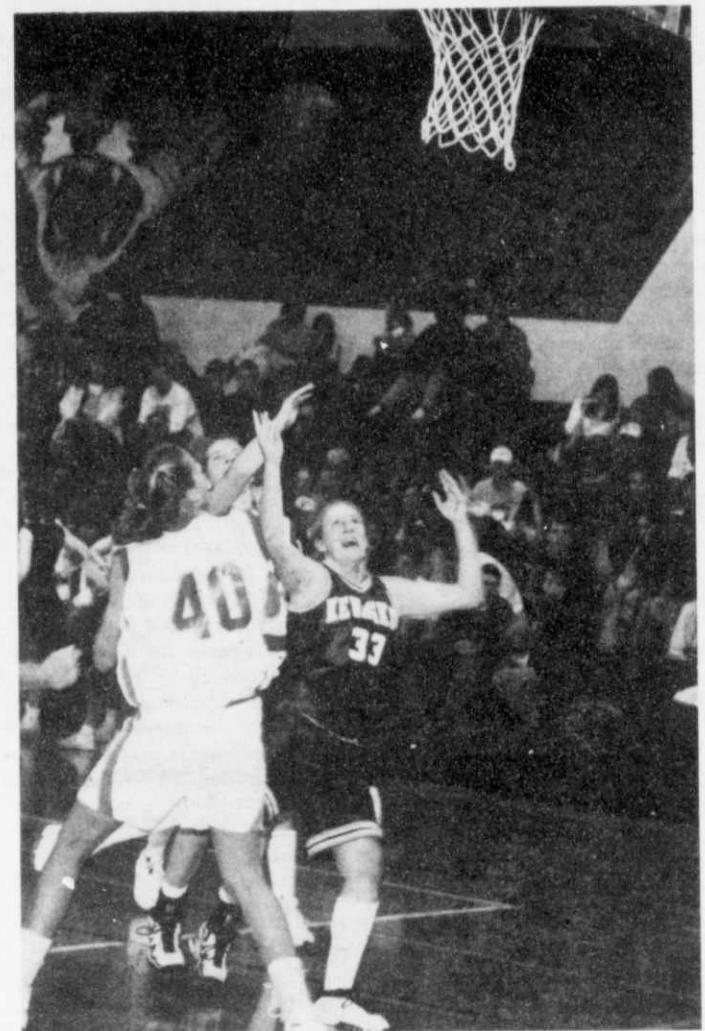
Camp	27	16	14	14
Kew	10	10	9	20

**Campbellsport:** Flood 17, Wiesner 15, M. Ketter 15, Rettler 6, Schanen 8, Thurk 4, Twohig 2, Galligan 2. K. Ketter 2. Three-point goals - Flood (3), M. Ketter, Schanen. FT's - 4x6.

**Kewaskum:** Rieder 14, Kraft 13, Logan 4, Gosa 4, Polzean 4, Strobel 4, Gavin 3, Lindgren 3. Three-point goals - Rieder (2), Kraft (2), Lindgren, Gavin. FT's - 7x13.



Bridget Polzean, #25 for the Lady Indians takes her best shot.



Kewaskum's Jenny Kraft, #33, fights for the ball with Campbellsport's Melissa Rettler.



Who says basketball isn't a physical game? Shown above, the Indian girls and a Campbellsport defender, all scramble for the loose ball.

## Campus Notes

Erin Renae Krueger, a sophomore at Carthage College in Kenosha, has recently been initiated into the Chi Omega fraternity.

Chi Omega, the first Greek organization of women was founded at Arkansas University in 1895 by four young women. It has grown to become the largest women's fraternity, finding over 200,000 women in the Chi Omega sisterhood throughout the United States.

Erin graduated from Kewaskum High School in 1998. She is the daughter of Harry and Jody Krueger of Kewaskum.

### FEATURED VEHICLES OF THE WEEK

<b>1991 CHEV EXT. CAB FULL SIZE 4X4 TRUCK</b> Cheyenne, stereo, 5 speed, 4.3 V-6, cap, clean. \$5995	<b>1984 FORD F250 4X4 EXT. CAB</b> 8 ft. box, 351 V-8, auto, good runner, very clean for the year. \$3995
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<b>1990 FORD FULL SIZE BRONCO 4X4</b> Auto, 2 tone paint, rallye wheels. \$4995	<b>1992 FORD F150 XLT SHORT BOX 4x4 TRUCK</b> Lighted visor, alloy wheels, V-8, auto, black gray cloth interior, power windows and more. \$5995
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<b>AUTOS</b> <b>1991 MERCURY TRACER 4 DR</b> Auto, air, clean, good runner, only. \$1995	<b>1993 FORD ESCORT LX 4 DR</b> Auto, air, stereo, rear defogger, good miles. \$3995
<b>1989 MERCURY TOPAZ 4 DR</b> Local trade, clean good running car, only. \$2495	<b>1992 MERCURY SABLE 4 DR</b> Deep maroon w/gray cloth bucket seats, auto w/console & floor shifter, 3.8 V-6, fully loaded, local trade. \$3995
<b>1989 PONTIAC GRAND AM 4 DR</b> Auto, tilt, cruise, cassette, air, only. \$2750	<b>1991 PONTIAC FIREBIRD</b> T-tops, rear spoiler, auto, alloy wheels, good miles, very clean, only. \$4495
<b>1990 GEO PRIZM 4 DR</b> Auto, air, rear defogger, clean. \$2995	<b>1992 BUICK LE SABRE 4 DR</b> 3800 V-6, power windows & locks, alloy wheels, local trade. \$4495
<b>1991 MERCURY COUGAR LS 2 DR</b> 3.8 V-6, auto, air, power windows and locks, very clean, local trade. \$3395	<b>1993 HONDA CIVIC DX COUPE</b> Rear seat, auto, air, sunroof, new tires. \$5750
<b>1994 PLYMOUTH SUNDANCE 2 DOOR HATCH</b> Auto, air, sunroof, alloy wheels, new tires, cassette. \$3495	<b>1995 CHRYSLER CONCORDE 4 DR</b> Bucket seats w/console, p. windows & locks, cruise, cass., alloys, local. \$7995
<b>1991 FORD ESCORT LX 2 DR</b> Only 43,000 mi., red w/gray cloth, 5 speed, stereo, rear defog. \$3695	<b>TRUCKS &amp; VANS</b> <b>1991 GMC SUBURBAN SLE 4x2</b> Power windows & locks, air, 350 V-8, rear panel doors, tilt, cruise, 9 tone blue & silver, clean. \$4995

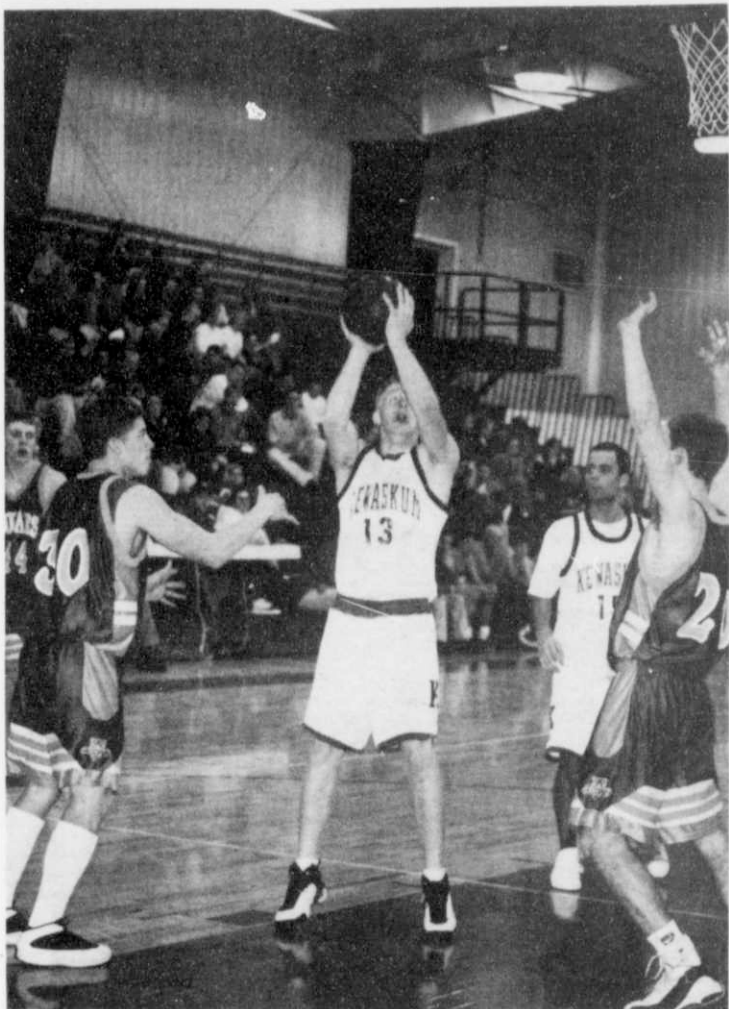
<b>1989 FORD F250 4x4 XL</b> V-8, auto, new tires, black, clean. \$6995	<b>1992 GMC 5-15 JIMMY 4x4</b> Only 64,000 miles, 4.3 V-6, auto, air, alloy wheels. \$7975
<b>1992 FORD F-150 SUPER CAB 4x4</b> 351 V-8, auto, XLT, cap, air, power windows & locks. \$6995	<b>1994 FORD RANGER 4X4 EXT. CAB XLT</b> 4.0 V-6, auto, air, bedliner, good miles. \$9850
<b>1996 CHEVROLET LS BLAZER 4 DR</b> One owner, local trade, 4.3 Vortec V-6, power seat, alloy wheels, burgundy, hwy. miles, only. \$10,495	<b>1992 GMC SLE EXT. CAB 4x4</b> 350 V-8, auto, air, power windows, dark blue. \$10,995
<b>1996 DODGE DAKOTA 4x4 EXT. CAB SLT PICKUP</b> 2 tone paint, chrome wheels, air, 5 speed, 3.9 V-6. \$10,995	

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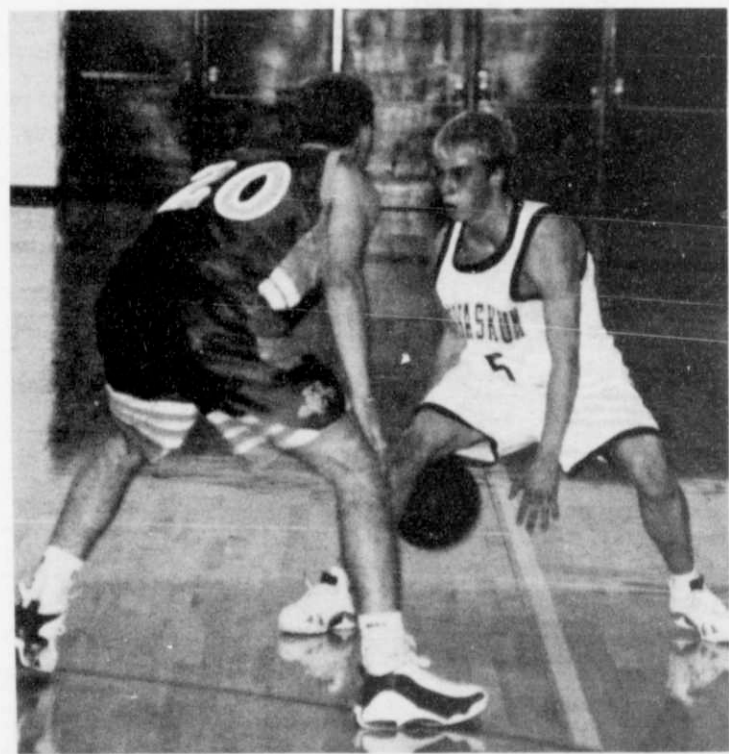
# Cougars Strike Again



The Indians Charlie Sparks #13 prepares to shoot a basket between Campbellsport defenders Dan Miller, left, #30, and Jake Flood, #20. The Indians were upstaged by the Cougars Friday night, 51-35.



Kewaskum's Billy Cook, #15, and Kevin Miller, right, get in the face of Campbellsport shooter Matt Millonig as they try to prevent the score.



Kewaskum's Curt Koth, #35, squares off against Campbellsport's Jake Flood, #20, on his journey down the basketball court.

## Schwinn to Receive Award Of Excellence

MILWAUKEE -- A record 245 girls will be presented as Award of Excellence recipients February 19 when the Women's Sports Advocates of Wisconsin will hold its Tenth Annual Awards Banquet.

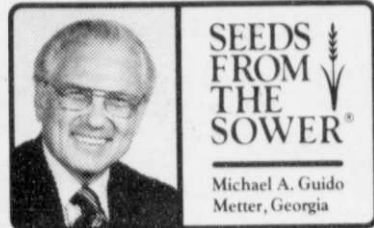
The Award of Excellence honorees are high school seniors with a minimum 3.0 cumulative gradepoint average and a letter in at least one varsity girls sport. Each year since the Award of Excellence was first conferred in 1991, the number of honored athletes has increased.

Included with this year's award recipients will be Laura Schwinn, a senior at Kewaskum High School.

The awards will be presented as part of WSAW's 20th Anniversary celebration at the Four Points Sheraton Milwaukee Air-

port Hotel. The WSAW Annual Awards Banquet is recognized by the Women's Sports Foundation as the state's official celebration of National Girls and Women in Sports Day.

In addition to the presen-



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This life means the beginning of love, the end of hatred, the defeat of sin and victory over death.

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tation of the student award recipients, the banquet will be highlighted by Sandra K. Freres, WSAW's Lifetime Achievement Award winner. Freres is a teacher, coach, department chair and athletic director at The Prairie School in Racine.

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## Early Antlerless Deer Hunt Being Considered

MADISON -- Three consecutive years of mild winters have caused the deer herd in northern Wisconsin to grow well beyond population goals. In response to a state Natural Resources Board request for recommendations on how to curb deer herd growth, wildlife biologists will recommend an early antlerless gun deer hunt similar to the Zone-T program held in the farmland regions of the state.

"This winter we have the second largest deer population in the north since the forties when deer numbers were at an all time high," said Dave Evenson, a Department of Natural Resources northern region biologist. "Farmers and foresters are telling us that these deer are causing short and long range economic problems. The deer harvest has increased with the increased deer numbers, but it appears that the regular nine-day gun season is not enough to curb the deer populations growth."

Evenson said foresters are increasingly reporting that heavy browsing by the deer herd is hurting the regeneration of oak, white pine, maple and hardwoods that provide raw materials for wood-using industries throughout the state.

In 1998, 27 deer management units in northern Wisconsin had unsold bonus antlerless deer tags at the end of the season, and the harvest was inadequate to trim the herd in many other units. There were even more units in 1999 with bonus permits remaining.

"By law, the department must manage the deer herd at established over-winter population goals," said Bill Mytton, DNR big game ecologist. "For the last several years most of the units in the north have had deer populations significantly over those goals. Even though we've continually increased the availability of bonus permits we have not been able to reduce the herd."

He added that should a harsh winter with deep snows and cold temperatures hit the north next winter, significant deer losses would occur similar to that seen in 1995-1996. During that winter more than 170,000 deer were lost to starvation and diseases caused by winter stress.

The early antlerless only hunt under consideration by the wildlife managers would be a tool to help trim the herd in conjunction with the bow and regular nine-day gun deer season. Mytton said it would be modeled after the Zone-T hunt that has been successfully used in the central and southern parts of the state to trim deer numbers in selected farmland deer management units. The department only has authorization to conduct Zone-T hunts in farmland

units.

This year the proposed early Zone-T hunt would run four days from Oct. 26 through 29. Three free antlerless tags would be issued per hunter for each license they buy for a possible total of six tags with the

purchase of a gun deer and an archery license. The free antlerless tags would be acceptable for use in deer management units where a special early antlerless season exists.

The archery season would also be extended an

extra four days in the units where the hunt would take place.

A preliminary proposal for an early northern hunt will go to the Natural Resources Board in February. If the board concurs, it will direct the

department to hold a series of public information meetings in March on the proposed northern forest special hunt. A final decision would have to be made on the special hunt by the board at its April meeting in order to be implemented in the fall of 2000.

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