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Teamwork by Local Firefighters Extinguishes Barn Fire in C-Sport

By Andrew R. Kuehl
Staff Writer/Photographer

Twelve area fire departments came together as one Friday as they fought a blaze at the Paul W. Waldschmidt farm late that morning.

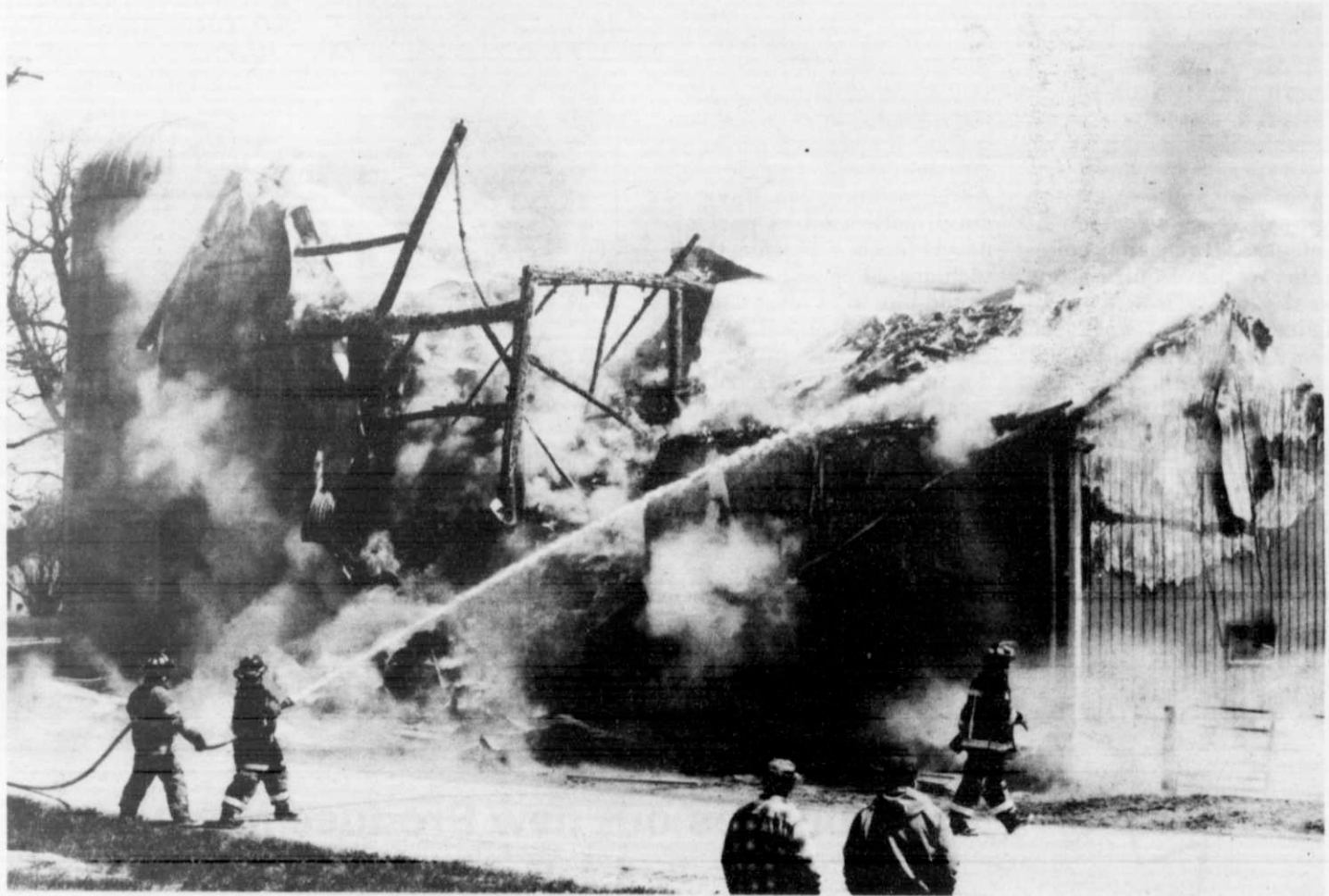
It has now been determined that the blaze was a result of sparks from an electric saw used by a Lindsley Construction worker who was doing some work on the roof of the structure.

Three silos are all that remain of the once 36 by 96 foot dairy barn located on Highway W, south of Highway F just outside of Waucousta. Highway W remained closed for several hours.

Campbellsport Fire Department received full mutual aid from Eden Fire Department and departments from Kewaskum, Kohlsville, Mount Calvary, Brownsville, Knowles, Town of Fond du Lac, Lomira, St. Cloud, Town of Calumet and Kekoskee trucked water to the scene.

Campbellsport remained on scene until around 8:30 p.m. Friday, but returned Saturday morning to investigate some hot spots.

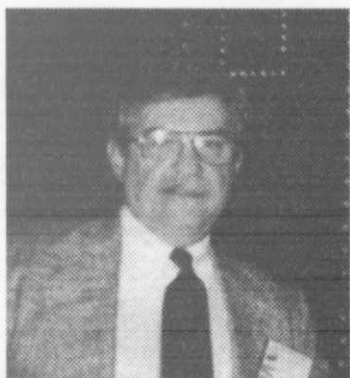
No one was injured, and the dairy cows were moved to Waldschmidt's brother's farm across the road.



Firefighters from Campbellsport and surrounding areas battled a fire at the Paul W. Waldschmidt Farm located on Highway W just south of Highway F in Waucousta. Twelve area departments were called to put out the blaze.

Statesman Photo: Andrew R. Kuehl

Frozen Foods Wins Awards at Meat Product Show



The quality of meat products produced by Kewaskum Frozen Foods of Kewaskum was recognized at the 63rd annual convention of the Wisconsin Association of Meat Processors, held in Madison on April 12 and 13. At the huge Meat Product Show held in conjunction with that meeting, Kewaskum Frozen Foods received the following prod-

uct awards:

Class - Bologna, Product - Ring Bologna, Award - Reserve Grand Champion.

Class - Bacon, Product - Bacon, Award - Reserve Grand Champion.

Class - Fresh or Precooked Sausage, Product - Breakfast Links, Award - Reserve Grand Champion.

Class - Traditional Snack Sticks, Product - Snack Sticks, Award - Reserve Grand Champion.

Class - Braunschweiger - Liver Sausage, Product - Braunschweiger, Award - Reserve Champion.

Class - Smoked Kielbasa or Polish Sausage, Product - Polish Sausage, Award - Champion.

The Wisconsin Meat Product Competition is the largest of its kind in the United States. Meat pro-

cessing plants and meat markets from throughout the state this year entered 969 individual products into 33 product categories, including summer sausage, bratwurst, ham, bacon, smoked poultry and many other types of meat products.

Over 40 judges including food scientists, out-of-state meat processors, and other food-industry professionals were required to effectively evaluate the many products during a marathon session on Saturday, April 13. Each product is scored for external appearances and eye-appeal, internal appearance (if relevant), and aroma and taste, using a scale of 1,000 points.

The size of this product show and the quality of its entries demonstrates the

important role that sausage and processed meats play in Wisconsin's meat industry and among state consumers. The state ranks third in the nation in total sausage production, and is well known around the U.S. for the quality of its meat products.

At the WAMP convention, Bob Beisbier was also elected president of the Wisconsin Association of Meat Processors.

Beisbier has been in the meat business since 1961 and was taken into the corporation in 1968. In 1979, Bob and David Nigh bought out Greg and Anna Nigh and in 1992, Bob bought out his partner David.

Kewaskum Frozen Foods, Inc. employs 40 full-time and part-time employees. KFF also has an outlet store in West Bend called

Sausage Plus. KFF does custom slaughtering and processing, sausage making, retail, wholesale and delivery. The Sausage Plus outlet store sells fresh meats, sausage, cheese and other related items.

Bob is active in the FFA and 4-H and has served on the Washington County

Animal Sale Committee for many years. He is also active in other community functions.

Bob attended high school in Campbellsport. He has three children and seven grandchildren.

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Library Ledger

By Steev Baker
Kewaskum Library Director
www.kewaskum.lib.wi.us

A month ago I logged in to my computer and found an e-mail from Germany. According to the letter, a man is doing genealogical research on a small town in what was once Prussia. He is researching the various emigrants from the town of Strohn and his research led him to the Kewaskum Public Library.

It was kind of strange, really, a letter about families that had not only crossed many miles, but also many years. He wanted information about the founding of St. Michaels and several of the families he mentioned are still prominent in this area: Herriges, Rodenkirch, and others.

As luck would have it, I have been for some time compiling a collection of genealogical research materials. We have quite a few locally-written and -published historical works on Kewaskum and the surrounding communities. And I was excited to find all of the information that was requested of me, which I quickly faxed overseas.

This was not an isolated incidence. On the contrary, over the past year I have gotten at least one e-mail every month from someone looking for historical or genealogical information. Too often, I am not able to help and I send them to the Washington County Historical Society. Which brings me to my point: as family histories get more and more popular and as a new generation begins to see the importance of tracing its family roots, a library in a place like Kewaskum, a Wisconsin frontier town built on the sweat of immigrants, should have a substantial collection of local history and genealogies available for public use. At this time, we have a small collection as part of our reference section that includes 20 or so books. We would like to at least double the size of this collection and invite the public to donate any copies of existing local historical records for this purpose.

What constitutes a historical record? It could be a

memoir, a bound collection of photographs, old year-books, locally published histories of the surrounding townships, family histories, family genealogies, and other such written material. At this time we are not equipped to handle anything that is not bound, but the Kewaskum Historical Society (which has been kind enough to lend us a mounted photograph from their collection as a "sign-post" for our collection) will always accept local historical items in any form.

With your help, we can continue to make the Kewaskum Public Library a more useful place to present and future generations.

Come visit us at our new website-

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Steven Baker
Kewaskum Public Library



In England, some believe it's necessary to leave the lid off the pot when cooking vegetables that grow on top of the ground.



As I See It

By Rochelle Pennington

It's a Matter of Attitude

The true story is told of two American salesmen who were employed by a large shoe company. Each was sent on an assignment to the continent of Africa.

Within twenty-four hours of the first salesman's arrival, he wired a message back to the main office which read, "RETURNING HOME IMMEDIATELY. HOPELESS SITUATION. NO ONE HERE WEARS SHOES."

Communication from the second salesman followed shortly: "CAN'T WAIT

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Artwork from five featured artist who have donated to this year's Channel 10 Great TV Auction will be available for bid during the may 3-11 auction. The work of Daniel Gerhartz, George Kovach, Christopher Malueg, Don Nedobek and Michael O'Connell will be featured.

Members of the community are invited to a preview of the artwork during the auction's Art Preview Friday, April 5, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Youth Building at State Fair Park, 640 S. 84th Street, West Allis.

Daniel Gerhartz of Kewaskum is the auction's National Collection Artist. His creation of "Strawberries," a 40"x30" oil painting, profiles a woman stand-

ing by a table cleaning strawberries. The print accentuates the woman's face by the use of light. Gerhartz has won numerous awards in national competitions.

A resident of Blackwell, Texas, Special Guest Artist George Kovach has crafted a 20"x26" oil painting on canvas. The scene entails an evening sky brilliantly lit by a colorful fireworks display over a lake. A full-time artist for the past 30 years, Kovach's work has included oils, watercolors, charcoal, pastels and sculpture. Kovach is the recipient of numerous awards, including Art of the West magazine's Top Brass Award.

Gallery Collection Artist Christopher Malueg of Lake Mills has donated 15 carved

pieces to the auction. The pieces, each carved in 11"x18" mahogany wood, entails three different designs, all featuring wolves. Malueg won the "People's Choice Award" for his carved wooden chair titled "Natural Wonders of Wisconsin" in last year's Take a Front Seat chair-decorating contest, sponsored by the auction.

Artwork from these and previous featured artists will be included in a 2003 calendar, available for bid during the auction. This will be the first time the calendars area available to members of the community.

This year's auction co-chairs are Joseph and Margie Gibbons. The auction is broadcast live from the Wisconsin State Fair Park grounds on MPTV (Channel 10) and airs from 5 p.m. to midnight May 3 and 1 p.m. to midnight May 4-11. The auction's goal is to raise more than \$1 million for Milwaukee Public Television, which will pay for ten minutes of every hour of MPTV programming for shows such as NOVA, Sesame Street, and Great Performances. The nine-day event depends on more than 2,000 volunteers, 6,000 donors, 23,000 items and 7,000 buyers to make is successful. For additional information, please visit the Internet at www.10-36friends.org.


WOW - CWC

Yes, WOW, that's what we say to the Campbellsport Women's Club of Campbellsport. What a luncheon, what good food, what a crowd of lovely ladies attended this special Annual Event.

Ladies came from as far away as Oshkosh, and surrounding areas to taste, to talk and to mingle.

All were entertained by the Campbellsport High School Swing Choir. What a delight!

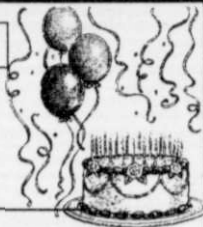
Thanks to everyone, for making the event such a success!



Community Bulletin Board

MAY BIRTHDAYS

- May 5: Megan Dreher
- May 10: Laura Klug
- May 11: Haylee Kuehl-Weisser



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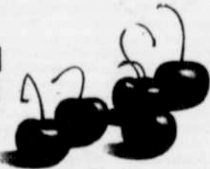
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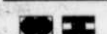
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If you are interested in registering for any of these screenings, please call 800-407-4557 to schedule an appointment. Each screening requires 10 minutes or less to complete and costs \$45. A package of all three vascular screenings is \$109, a savings of \$26. Ask your Life Line Screening representative for details when registering.

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The Village of Kewaskum Municipal Building Annex is located at 1308 Fond du Lac Avenue in Kewaskum.

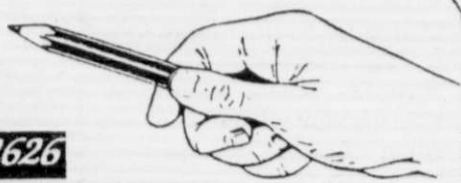
Also available at the screening will be free information on the identification and control of risk factors for stroke, vascular disease, abdominal aortic aneurysms, and osteoporosis. For additional information on Life Line Screening or one of their vascular and osteoporosis screenings, please contact them at 800-407-4557.

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ON THE RECORD

POLICE REPORTS

Golf Clubs Stolen From Truck

A Kewaskum police officer was dispatched to a Main Street business on April 23 for a theft complaint.

The complainant stated that the evening prior he had his golf clubs in the bed of his pick-up truck when he left Hon-E-Kor C.C. at 8:30 p.m. He then went to Wiseguys tavern and was there until 2 a.m.. He did not realize the clubs were gone until the morning of the complaint.

The clubs were valued at approximately \$1700. They have not yet been recovered.

Bathroom Vandalized at High School

The Kewaskum Schools Liaison Officer was notified by a high school student that some unknown person had wrote "Bomb at 2:00 tomorrow" on a bathroom wall in the 300 hall.

The matter was discussed with the principal and vice principal and was decided to be treated as a vandalism complaint.

Mailbox Vandalized

A county deputy responded to a Kettle View Drive residence for a mailbox vandalism on April 24.

The complainant stated that at one point in the evening two females drove up to his home and told him his mailbox was on fire. He thought they were joking but grabbed a bucket and checked and indeed the mailbox was on fire. He put the fire out but later saw a truck shining a spotlight in the woods and became suspicious.

Mail in the box was destroyed as well as the box itself. There are no suspects at this time.

Window Shot Out

A county deputy was dispatched to a residence on Highway S on April 24 at 8:20 am when a female complainant became concerned that her window had been shot out. The window was shot by a BB or pellet gun. The complaint is considered closed.

Kohlsville FD Responds To Truck Fire

A county deputy responded to a Sunset Drive residence on April 25 for a fire behind a farm.

The fire occurred while two males were trying to torch bolts off a bumper of a pick-up truck. The grass under truck caught fire and started. Kohlsville Fire Department was summoned and the fire was extinguished.

If anyone has information on any of the complaints, contact the Kewaskum Police Department at 626-2323 or the Washington County Chief's Tip Line at 1-800-232-0594. All calls are confidential.

Birth Announcements



MARCHELLO -- A son, Anthony William to Amy and Mark Marchello, Kewaskum, April 9.

POMEROY -- A son, Mason Jesse, born April 18, 2002, to Jesse and Barbara Pomeroy, weighed 7 lbs., 11 oz., 19 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Paul and Emily Land of Fond du Lac. Paternal grandparents Steve Pomeroy and Deborah Gahan, both of West Bend. Mason has one brother, Clayton at home.

VAN BEEK -- A daughter, Mackenzie Catherine, born

to Rebecca and John of Campbellsport, on April 22, 2002. Maternal grandparents are Joan and Zachary Stoffel of Kewaskum. Paternal grandparents are Jim and Sue Van Beek of St. Kilian. Mackenzie joins a older brother Zachary at home.

SCHMIDT -- A son, Kyle Daniel, born to Carol and Daniel Schmidt of Kewaskum, on April 23, 2002.

OSUSKI -- A daughter, Masie Marie, born to Carrie Hafermann and Brian Osuski of Kewaskum, on April 25, 2002.

ESPEN -- A daughter, Kellie Lee, born to Tina Eisentraut and Chad Espen of Kewaskum, on April 25, 2002.

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Concert of Music And Play At Campbellsport Library May 18

Join in at the Campbellsport Library on Saturday, May 18th at 11 a.m. as children's performer Jim Gill presents a concert filled with imaginative songs and play activities that are meant to be shared by children and the adults who care for them. It's as though everyone is playing together in the family room - even though it might be a room filled with 50 or 500 people!

Jim Gill has released four recordings of "Music Play" for young children. He has received many awards for his work including the "Parents Choice Award" and has been honored by the American Library Association for his "Notable Children's Recordings." With a Masters Degree in Early Childhood Education, Jim has spoken throughout the country to parents and childhood educators about play and its value in both the lives of children and those who care for them.

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May 11 & May 18 -- **CAR WASH**, at Peace United Church of Christ, 9 am to 3 p.m. High School Youth Bound for Habitat for Humanity in Michigan will wash your vehicle for \$5 donation to Habitat. 5-2-3p

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KEWASKUM SCHOOL NEWS



Kewaskum High School will be holding their prom this Saturday. Shown above is the prom court, the king and queen will be announced at a later date. Front row: Lindsay Gaffke, Lisa Boden, Ashley Benike, Cassie Laatsch and Becky Herriges. Second row: Adam Gitter,

Jeff Wade, Kala Rettler (MC), Josh Timblin, Kurtis Cochran and Andy Olla. Third row: Tanya Theisen, Jenny Harter, Heather Meyer, Breyan Donath and Katie Klug. Back row: Dave Markeland, Mike Donath, Travis Kempf, Matt Hartmann and Mike McKee.

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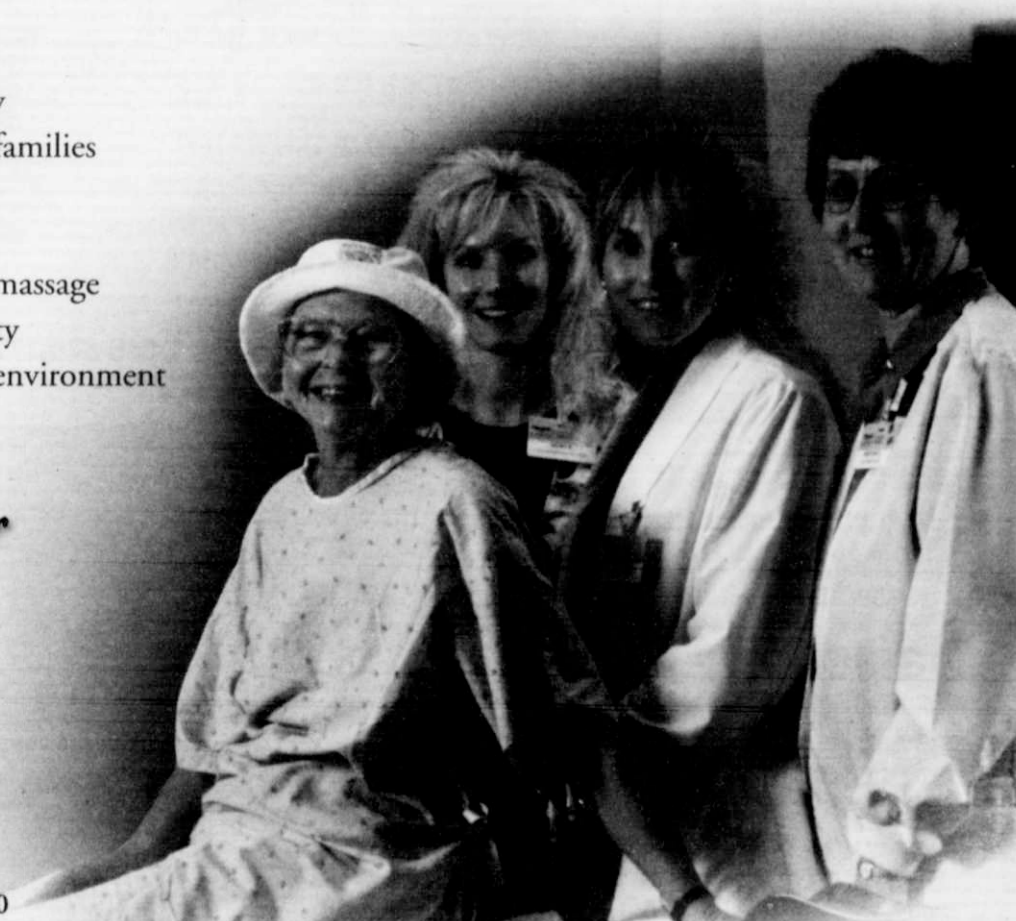
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KEWASKUM SCHOOL NEWS

Camp Dates Announced at UW-Washington County

The Athletic Department at the University of Wisconsin Washington County has scheduled basketball and volleyball camps for this summer. The goal of these camps is to develop both individual techniques and team tactics as they relate to the sport.

New this year is a co-ed basketball camp for grades four, five and six. This camp meets from 1 to 4 p.m., July 8 - July 11, 2002. Camp fee for the week is \$65. All applications and registration fees must be received by UWWC no later than July 3. There is a session limit of 40.

The boys' basketball camp for middle school, grades seven and eight will be from 1 to 4 p.m., July 29 - August 1, 2002. Camp fee for the week is \$65. All applications and registration fees must be received by UWWC no later than July 24. There is a session limit of 40.

The girls basketball camp for middle school grades seven and eight, will be from 1 to 4 p.m., July 15 - 18, 2002. Camp fee for the week is \$65. All applications and registration fees must be received by UWWC no later than July 10. There is a session limit of 40.

The girls volleyball camp for grades five and six will be from 1 to 4 p.m., June 25 - June 27. Camp fee is \$50. All applications and registration fees must be received by UWWC no later than June 19. There is a session limit of 40.

The girls volleyball camp for middle school grades seven and eight will be from 1 to 4 p.m., July 23 - 25, 2002. Camp fee is \$50. All applications and registration fees must be received no later than July 17. There is a session limit of 40.

The girls volleyball camp for high school grades nine - 12 will start August 15. Session 1 will meet from 1 to 4 p.m. Session 2 (for elite players only) will meet from 6 to 9 p.m. Camp fee is \$50. All applications and registration fees must be received by August 7. There

is a session limit of 40.

The UWWC basketball and volleyball camps are very popular in the community. Camps fill quickly, players are accepted on a first come, first served basis. Registration forms are available at UWWC and also at the West Bend Recreation Department. For further information contact Debbie Butschlick at 262-335-5238.

Summer's Here—Volunteer!

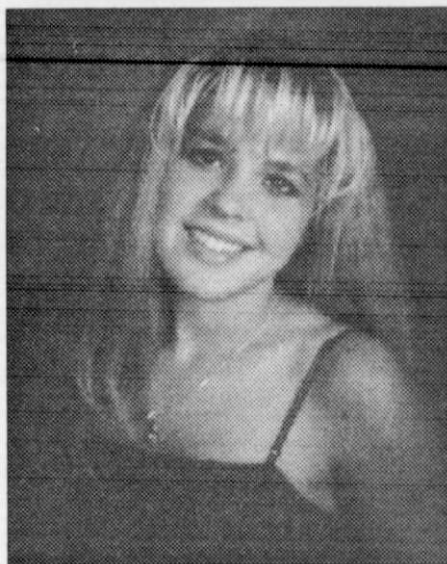
◆ **Habitat Helpers** – Give your time at a fundraiser benefiting a nonprofit that builds houses on Saturday, May 18th! Help with set-up, the selling of building supplies, and clean-up! Turn their excess supplies into cash for other necessary purchases.

◆ **Summer Crew Supervisors**– Adults wanted to supervise youth work crews made up of troubled teens. Lend your support and become a role model as you work with these kids.

◆ **Casino Day Volunteers**– Give your time to a nursing facility as they throw a daytime event for their elderly residents. Serve food, hand out prizes, and work the dice table on Thursday, May 23rd.

As summer approaches, it's time to get involved! Volunteer alone or with family and friends! We have over 175 service opportunities to choose from! Contact the Volunteer Center at (262) 338-8256.

Kiwanis Students of the Month



Courtney Timblin



Jennifer Stoll

March's Kewaskum Kiwanis students of the month were Courtney Timblin and Jennifer Stoll. Courtney is the daughter of Tom and Debbie Timblin. She has been involved in girls basketball for two years, Future Business Leaders for one year, softball for one year, soccer for two years and was named Most Improved, and Student Council for two years. She has also been on the golf team for four years while earning the honor of being named to the Academic All State Golf Team. For three years she was all conference in golf and for two years a state regional medalist as a junior and participated in the Little Ten Girls Golf Conference Championships last year. Courtney was elected queen at her junior prom and was on the Homecoming Court. She has also won the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel Student Achievement Award four straight years and has been listed in the Who's Who Among American High School Students for the past three years. Courtney was recently named a National Student Athlete from the National Consortium for Academics and Sports presented by the NCAA. In her free time she enjoys reading, spending time with family and riding horses. She will be attending the University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point where she will be participating in the women's golf program and pursuing a degree in Criminal Justice with hopes of working for the FBI or CIA. Jennifer is the daughter of Nikolaus and Janet Stoll. She has participated in Peers for Peers for two years, German Partnership Club for four years and was on the Prom Committee her junior year. She enjoys traveling, playing the piano and reading. Jennifer is employed at Hon-E-Kor. She will be attending the University of Wisconsin - Oshkosh in the fall and her intended major is History. Students and their parents were honored by the Kewaskum Kiwanis Club at a recent meeting.

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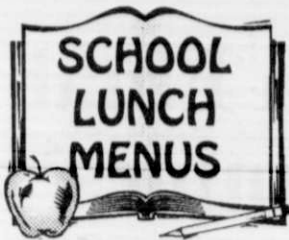
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ST. LUCAS EV. LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Monday, May 6 -- Chicken patty/bun, mandarin oranges, mashed potatoes & gravy, blueberry crisp.

Tuesday, May 7 -- Subs/lunchmeat or meatball, fresh fruit, corn, stripe-it-rich cake.

Wednesday, May 8 -- Toasted cheese sandwich, tomato or chicken noodle soup, tropical fruit, pickle spears, sugar cookie.

Thursday, May 9 -- Hamburger/bun with cheese, spudsters, pears, peanut butter cookie.

Friday, May 10 -- Chicken nuggets (grades 1-2), breaded chicken (grades 3-8), mashed potato & gravy, green bean/cream of mushroom soup, chocolate cake.

KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday, May 6 -- Bratwurst/bun, mashed potatoes & beef, gravy, corn, sauerkraut, & a Frito-Lay treat. *Taco-to-go. (2) Chicken nuggets.

Tuesday, May 7 -- Pancakes & syrup, cheddar omelet, hash brown patty, strawberries, O.J. & peanut butter cookie. *Ham, egg & cheese bagel. (2) Chicken nuggets.

Wednesday, May 8 -- Chicken patty/bun, pears, broccoli, cheese sauce, & a monster cookie. (p). *Baked potato bar. (2) Chicken nuggets.

Thursday, May 9 -- Meatball sub. sandwich, tater tots, peach slices & chocolate chip cookie dough. *Chicken nuggets. (2) Chicken nuggets.

Friday, May 10 -- Cheese pizza, tossed salad w/asst. dressing, apricots, bread & Skittles. *Chicken quesadillas. (2) Chicken nuggets.

HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL

Monday, May 6 -- Spaghetti, lettuce salad, pineapple, bread w/butter, cinnamon roll, milk.

Tuesday, May 7 -- Hot ham on bun, macaroni & cheese, buttered carrots, peaches, brownie, milk.

Wednesday, May 8 -- Meatball/meatloaf, whipped potatoes w/gravy, green beans, mixed fruit, dinner roll, milk.

Thursday, May 9 -- Hamburger on bun, golden corn, pears, fruit cup, cookie, milk.

Friday, May 10 -- French toast, scrambled eggs, mandarin oranges, pineapple, bread w/butter, blueberry coffee cake, milk.

Wayne Crusaders 4-H Club April Meeting

Our meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. The 4-H and American pledges were led by Kevin and Kule Banaszak. Roll call was also taken. Karla Koch gave the secretary's report and Jon Hawig gave the treasurer's report. Both were read and accepted.

Karla Koch also reported on Ambassadors. They discussed Breakfast on the Farm and teen recreational activities. Matt Koch reported on the Leader's Association Meeting. They talked about having a new family orientation. Kids were also offered to do posters on the history of their club's area. Jill Schmitt received an award from the Bowl-a-Thon for a high score of 126.

Mrs. Filber said that all of the candy money was handed in. Mr. Hawig and Mr. Janz are going to work on building a bulletin board to put up at Wayne Elementary School. The lumber was just received. Power of Youth pledge hour sheets are due at the end of May.

T-shirt orders were due at the meeting. New volunteer opportunities were at Puppyland on April 27 and The Great American Cleanup on April 20. 4-H cookbooks are for sale for \$12.50 each. The club gets \$2 per book sold. The books contain 911 recipes and brief histories of the 4-H clubs.

We are still looking for a chairperson for the Duck Derby food stand. It is one of our major fundraisers. Last year we made almost \$1,000 from it. There will be an Animal Display at Breakfast on the Farm. This means that the animals cannot be touched because of the E Coli outbreak at the Ozaukee County Fair. The Dei's will chair the annual display.

We will have a volleyball team at the fair. Volleyball is from 12 to 2:30 on July 27.

The Dairy Banquet is May 30 at the Amerhan. The Schoofs family volunteered to help with that. We want to start a club budget committee. There was a sign up sheet at the meeting.

Announcements:
1) Volunteers were needed to help on April 13 at the Fair Park with hands on crafts and activities.

2) Wild Wacky Weekdays Counselors are still needed.

3) Registrations for 4-H summer camp were accepted until April 25.

4) Relay for Life is the first weekend in August. Sign up on the 4-H team.

5) There was a rabbit Fun Match on April 13.

Submitted by:
Jill Schmitt
Club Reporter

KMS Students Celebrate Earth Day

April 22 was Earth Day and to celebrate this special day a group of middle school students, under the tutelage of Ms. Lyn Molenda, volunteered their noon hour time to help improve the river walk area along the Milwaukee River.

The students did this by hauling and spreading wood chips along the trail. In addition to this project, many of the same students are working on an ongoing project in the front of the middle school where the area is being converted to a natural setting by the planting of native plants and shrubs.

This very dedicated group of students along with their mentor Ms. Molenda has been hard at work on this project for a number of years. It is the intent of this undertaking to make the students more aware of the environmental challenges facing the world today and to help them make sound environmental decisions.



Left to right are Brittany Tock, Becky Rodenkirch and Erica Noren.



A group of Ms. Molenda's students are pictured moving wood chips. Ms. Molenda is in the center with the hooded jacket.

Pace Offers Scholarship

Two \$500 scholarships are available to assist Washington County women who are enrolling in a program or postsecondary education during the 2002-2003 school year. The scholarships are open to women over the age of 21 from Washington County or attending school in the county.

These scholarships are awarded on the basis of financial need. Two personal letters of recommendation and a personal interview are required along with the application. Application deadline is May 15.

If interested in applying contact Jane Weaver at West Bend Mutual Insurance Company, 334-6419, to request an application.

KMS Band Concert May 6

It's time for the spring band concert and that means pop and rock. The middle school bands will give their final regular concert of the year on Monday, May 6, at 7 p.m. in the KMS

gym. The concert will feature good old rock songs that everyone can remember and some familiar jazz tunes as well. The highlight of the night will be the performance of two guest artists, Mr. Leonard Soller, on guitar and Mr. Steve Solter, on sax, who perform with the KMS jazz ensemble.

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Kewaskum FFA Presents Food For America to Elementary Schools



Shown above left to right is FFA members Lisa Beck, Lauren Schultz, "Bessie" AKA Michelle Weber and Shannon Dwyer.

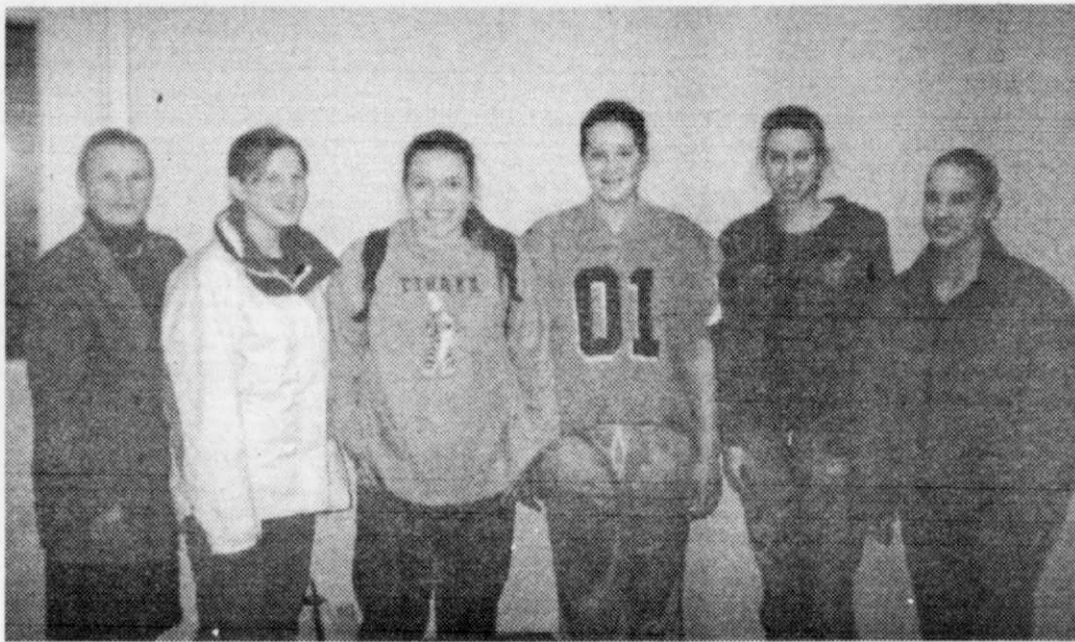
Food for America is a program in which FFA members visit elementary schools and teach kids about different aspects of agriculture. On March 15, Lisa Beck, Shannon Dwyer, Lauren Schultz and Michelle Weber visited many of the elementary schools in the area. Third graders from Kewaskum, Wayne and Farmington and fourth graders from Holy Trinity were all part of this program.

The basis of this year's program was dairy. The FFA members started off the hour with a short question session in which the students could talk about things they knew about dairy. The FFA members then showed a video that explained where milk comes from and how it gets to the grocery store. Next, they played the Parts-of-the-cow

game with Milky the cow. The children were asked to point out many parts of a cow.

They also handed out a coloring contest to the kids. The students were to color the cows as creatively as they could and the FFA members would return with prizes for the winners of each class. While they were busy coloring, they also received a little snack, a carton of milk and a stick of string cheese. The last thing they got a chance to do was answer any questions and take pictures with the elementary students. Some even got to stand by "Bessie" (Michelle Weber in her cow suit). At the end of the day, the girls were exhausted but also happy to know they have taught all of those kids about a very important part of their life, the dairy industry.

KHS Participates in Final 'Culinary Arts Olympics'



Left to right, advisor Mary Koch, Nicole Feucht, Amanda Goebel, Danyl Aberham, Mandy Will and Angela Bertrand.

The Moraine Park Foundation in cooperation with the School Relations/School to Work Department of Moraine Park Technical College sponsored the final Culinary Skills Olympics on Wednesday, March 13, 2002 at the Fond du Lac campus.

This year's event was attended by 67 high school student participants from 11 area high schools. Students competed for a scholarship of \$200 with gold, silver and bronze medals designating first, second and third respective placing. The scholarships must be used within two years. Honorable mention placings are also acknowledged.

The three contests included cake decorating, create a plate chicken entree and sandwich making relay. The day long event cost each participant a \$4 fee that covered lunch and entertainment. Contest specifications and judging criteria were

provided to each student one month prior to the event. Many students spent countless hours preparing for the events of the day.

Mary Koch, Family and Consumer Education Department at KHS, attended the event with five Kewaskum High School participants.

The following students from Kewaskum received recognition:

Angie Bertrand - first place in cake decorating. She has been granted a scholarship for her outstanding workmanship.

This is the first year that Kewaskum has made it into the top three in the Sandwich Relay. Team members were Danyl Aberham, Nicole Feucht and Amanda Goebel.

All KHS students, freshman through senior, were encouraged to explore this unique opportunity to pursue scholarships that can be applied toward any MPTC

course of the students' choice.

Though the scope of this competition has been altered considerably this year, students should look to the opportunity next year. All KHS students, freshman through senior, are encouraged to explore this unique opportunity for a scholarship.

For further information, please contact Mary Koch at KHS at 626-4239, ext. 4108.

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CAMPBELLSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Tuesday, May 7 -- Pancake/syrup, sausage links, tri tater, blueberries, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday, May 8 -- Breaded chicken, potatoes/gravy, green beans, cranberries, cookie.

Thursday, May 9 -- Mini corn dogs, mozz. cheese sticks, yogurt, milk, fruit choice.

Friday, May 10 -- Sub sandwich, buttered corn, pickle spears, chips, fruit choice, milk

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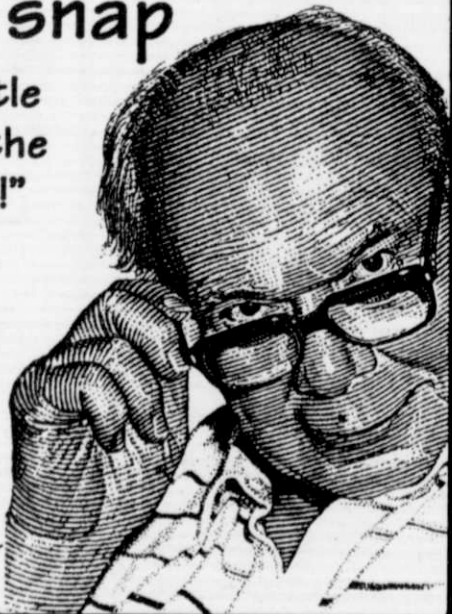
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To residents and teachers of the Kewaskum School District:

By now, many of you are aware of the budget crunch the district is facing for the 2002-2003 school year. That fact was evidenced by the large turnout at the Monday night school board meeting. It was both gratifying and encouraging to hear the overwhelming support for our students by not only the teachers and parents but also by members of the community who do not currently have children enrolled in the district.

We would like to start out by stating that my husband and myself are both CPAs. Doing budgets and finding smart ways to budget our clients' and employers' money is part of what we do for a living. We were both very interested to find out exactly what caused this budget shortfall, so we stayed for the second half of the meeting. One thing became clear during the course of the meeting, not only was the community blind-sided by the budget problems, but also so was the school board. We find this lack of communication between the board and the administration very disturbing. We know that if we were preparing the financials for our clients or employers, and management thought earnings were going to be fine, and then at the end of the month when the financials were completed it was found that our employer had a huge deficit, the first expenditure to be cut would be our salaries for not informing management that this may happen. One of the board members commented on the fact that student and athletic fees were set at the previous meeting, before the budget was set or discussed. Next year's financial outlook should have been reviewed before this happened. Good decisions cannot be made without adequate and prompt communication.

One specific item in the budget that we found to be completely inaccurate was the supposed savings to the district by cutting the German program. Most parents are aware that many colleges are requiring their students to have completed at least two years of a foreign language to gain entrance. It is probably safe to say that most of the students taking a foreign language are doing so to ensure that if they go on to college, that they will be prepared. We also understand from the meeting that the district would be required to pay tuition to another school such as UWWC or MPTC for any student wishing to continue their German studies if they so choose. This costs money. We saw no provision for this scenario in the budget. Additionally, it could be

safely assumed that many students would opt to take Spanish if German were no longer offered. It is also probably safe to assume that there would not be a sufficient supply of Spanish texts to cover the increase in enrollment. And, for all those not familiar with how most publishing companies operate, new editions are released every two to three years. This means that for the next four years the district would need to buy a completely new set of textbooks for Spanish classes. Also, can one teacher handle all the extra students? We doubt it. Another salary? We cannot ignore the possibility that under open enrollment, a student may choose to attend a school that offers ALL the classes he or she wants. Where in the budget are these additional costs that the district would have to pay to other schools? We don't believe this possibility can or should be ignored.

Another item that was discussed was the possibility of a recurring referendum to cover the costs of some of the programs that are currently being considered to be cut. Our superintendent did not seem to think that this possibility was feasible due to referendums not passing in other communities. He has a right and a duty to let his opinion be known to the board. However, we feel that by submitting the budget on so late a date (it needs to be finalized by June 30th and a referendum needs a 45 day lead time), he and the administration effectively took the decision away from the board by making it very difficult to explore this option due to timing issues. This option may indeed be needed in order to ensure that our students obtain a good education.

However, as accountants we must point out that while most present at the meeting were given a budget, it told us nothing. It was too summarized to be adequately evaluated by either the board or the public. For instance, the line item "Purchased Services" had a \$440,860 or 24.5% increase over the previous year. One of the board members asked what is a "purchased service." The business manager explained that it is defined by state law and includes items such as legal, auditing, electricity, phone, etc. that is provided by non-district employees. Our question is how much do each of these items comprise? Is the large increase due to one item or many? Is anyone checking, for example, other long distance carriers, auditing or legal firms, or paper suppliers to see if we can save money? Are there members of the community that would be willing to volunteer time to do some of

these things?

While some may say that many of these items may only save a small amount of money, we would like to point out that five or six "small saves" can amount to a lot of money. Note: reducing many extracurricular activities reduces spending by \$149,326. If one assumes 150 children per grade level, multiplied by 12 (assuming K-4 and K-5 children do not normally participate in many of these types of activities), it amounts to roughly \$83/student. This is also a relatively small save. Should the schools place ads in the paper asking for volunteer coaches and then hire the remaining? Or look into which coaches they feel need to be paid professionals or part of the staff? Maybe we need to look at what other schools charge for fees. As a parent with an active son in high school sports, we feel that it would be fair to charge per activity. And for those families that simply cannot afford it, the school can require parent or student volunteer time to sell tickets at games, help clean up after events, etc. to reduce staffing and help pay for the fee. Instead of making cuts in the music department, can we ask the students to buy their own music or help pay for a portion of their private band lessons? These are only some suggestions. Mr. Schulte asked if any creative ways to find savings were looked at. He had a valid point. While his suggestions may not have been feasible, all suggestions deserve discussion and should not be ruled out before they are discussed. While many may not work out, it does no harm in exploring all possibilities. Who knows, we may come up with some very good ideas.

The administration came up with the proposed budget. Did they inform the individual teachers of the budget problems and ask for their input? If not, shame on them for not realizing that the teachers, aids, and staff are the ones who work closest with the students and see many of the details that the administration may not see on a day to day basis. We would urge every district employee to come up with their own lists of money saving ideas and ideas for ways to pay for many of the items being cut. Or if there is something that is currently on the chopping block, list reasons why it should not be cut.

Enough about saving money, now it's time to discuss spending money. One gentleman (please forgive us for not remembering his name) spoke at the meeting. He was a farmer who no longer had children in school. As a businessman, he stated that when times

were tough you had to tighten your belt and see what could be cut back. However, the last thing that should be cut is the seed, the fertilizer, and the weed killer. Because without these things, you would not have a good crop and would bring in less revenue. Let's equate that to our schools. Our children are our future. If we take away the items that nourish their educational health like music, foreign language, reading help, gifted and talented activities, etc., they will not grow to their full potential. These items are the fertilizer. Additionally, if we take away the extracurricular activities such as sports, NHS, intramurals, etc., we leave ourselves wide open for our children to become bored, get into trouble, and not take their studies seriously. These are the weed killers. If this starts to happen we lose enrollment and increase the need for other community services. Remember, as was stated at the meeting by Mr. Kentworthy, Kewaskum Village President, this budget issue is not just a school problem but also a village problem, if it is not addressed properly.

For those who are not as concerned about our children's welfare as they are about what the possibility of a recurring referendum may do to their pocketbooks, we have this for you. There is an old saying, "It takes money to make money." If the money is spent wisely, this is correct. By offering these services to our children, we will in the long run save money by keeping teachers and reducing hiring costs, reducing reliance on other government entities such as the recreation and police departments, and reducing costs to the students and their families by increasing their chances of entering college and obtaining scholarships. Who knows, maybe we will see a net gain in open enrollment if we address our budget issues wisely. An increase in open enrollment students coming into our district would increase revenues.

At this time it is our duty as a community to ask for

the details we need to help the board make the right decisions. We need to put into writing our ideas for raising revenue and saving money. Whether this includes fundraisers, increased fees, or a recurring referendum, the board needs to know not only our opinions, but also our ideas on how to proceed.

Rick & Beth Steiner

To The RESIDENTS and STUDENTS of the Kewaskum School District:

On Monday night, April 22nd we were given an opportunity to express our opinions and concerns on the 2002-2003 school district budget and proposed cuts. Everyone that spoke did a very good job, from the students, parents and teaching staff. One young lady, I believe from the Wayne PTO mentioned a lack of communication between the school district and the residents. I agree with her 100%.

While I waited for some answers to all the questions and comments, NONE came from either administration or the school board. Board President Degnitz told us that this was the FIRST time that he had seen the proposed budget. Shouldn't the board have been kept informed as to the status of the budget since board policy states that the budget building process is to begin AFTER the last budget is approved at the annual meeting? Someone HAD to know the state of the budget prior to Monday nights meeting. Also knowing the state the budget was in, I have ONE question that begs to be answered. WHY was the board allowed to and even encouraged to give out MORE staff and extracurricular contracts? Are we to believe that NO one on the board or in administration knew that the budget was so far over spent? The teachers and students were already talking about it for about two weeks prior to Monday nights meeting.

The trouble as I see it, is

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that either the board or administration is either UNWILLING or UNABLE to control their spending and live within the revenue caps that the state has set forth several years ago. I know when I was on the board, I had to stay within the revenue caps. As for the wanton spending going on, in January, at the regular school board meeting, the board was asked to approve \$7,500 for the Ad Hoc committee so a site prep plan could be drawn up. At that time, the business manager informed the board that the money was NOT in the budget for this year so it was dropped. Then President Degnitz said, "PUT IT INTO NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET."

Then later in the same meeting, the board is given about a half hour presentation on "Distance Education." Very few questions are asked by the board. The board is told that they can apply for a grant to help cover some of the start-up costs. The grant may cover \$20,000 of the \$40-\$45,000 that are associated with the startup cost. The on going cost, I have learned will be \$50,000 PER YEAR. The board passed this with NO MONEY in the present budget, because they just turned down the \$7,500 proposal, AND administration should have told the board that there was NO MONEY in the next budget either. So where is this money going to come from? It was taken out of FUND BALANCE and will continue to come out of FUND BALANCE as long as it is around. So you can see, this IS NOT a budgeted item now or in the future.

It should also be pointed out that the district is not only OVER the budget for next year, but they have managed to OVER spend this year budget by \$156,000 and still counting as this budget goes until the end of June.

What I see coming is simply this. Since we as parents and residents of the school district don't want to see staff reductions or all the other proposed cuts that administration has talked about, we are going to be asked to approve a "REOC-CURRING REFERENDUM" to allow the board and administration to continue to spend as they see fit. How much that referendum will be is any ones guess but you can be sure it won't be small.

Thank you for your time and be sure to stay informed and attend the next meeting on May 6 at 6:30pm in the high school cafeteria.

Neal Weare
Parent of KMS Student
Former board member

To the Residents
of Kewaskum,

Thanks for the tremendous turnout at the April 22 School Board meeting to discuss budget cuts. It was a remarkable show of community spirit and pride as parents, students, concerned taxpayers, and teachers shared their views on what programs -- academic and athletic -- make this community and its children the best they can be.

The concern, the heartfelt passion, the hope and expectation of a bright future for our students came through in the remarks of all who spoke. It was truly uplifting, highlighting the dedication of the families and individuals that comprise this community.

I hope that everyone continues to make their voices heard: at School Board meetings, in discussions with other families, and at the voting booth in years to come.

Thank you, Kewaskum.

Sincerely,

Curt Casetta,
G/T and Enrichment
Coordinator/Teacher
School District of
Kewaskum

Letter to the Editor:

The Chamber of Commerce Dinner and Style Show was a great success.

I was a model this year, representing the Door County Cheesecake business which I own with my husband, Cliff. I understand that through the years of this Chamber of Commerce tradition, the committee has tried a professional narrator for the show, a show with a Hollywood flair, and a "dry tailored" show of the so-called "know-it-alls" from Chicago or New York. But let me tell you, Wendi Dreher of our "little town" of Kewaskum, did a mighty super job in the narrative department of this event. She added that human interest story of each model and gave the information of the clothing with professionalism, humor and grace.

She made sure that all the sponsors, advertisers and volunteers were announced. She added that "pizzazz" to the event that made it worthwhile to stay

for the entire show.

As friends and fellow entrepreneurs in the Village of Kewaskum, we would like to thank Wendi for her continued service and dedication to the Kewaskum Chamber of Commerce and this event.

She had so many friends and confidences to help with this style show, it would be hard to name them all... and make sure none are missed. But they know who they are... and I know Wendi always says she could not do it without them. Kathy Rohlinger is her right hand. Kathy is behind the scenes... "cracking the whip," keeping the models in order. There is also Audra, Jackie and Linda, with the raffles and prizes; Karen and Denise did all the decorations; Diane, Shawn, Carla, Amy and Ruthie for helping out Jody the caterer; Joyce did the ironing; Gwen Dreher added her special touch; Dave Wilson for the arch and lights and Earl and Marie from Amerahn. These are just some of the people I know who helped Wendi organize this event. Most of all, it was a great help for Sharron and all the employees from Miller's Furniture Store who took care of the tickets this year.

On Wednesday, a week before the event, there were 45 tickets sold. On the following Monday, there were 130 and by the evening of the event... over 150 dinners sold.

We are new in this community, but Wendi and her family have continued to embrace us with her positive attitude, family commitment and wonderful work ethics.

We enjoy this community. We hope to return the great warmth and rapport we have received from this community of Kewaskum. We want to continue to be a part of this busy little town and meet people who are just as proud to live here as we are... Bonnie and Cliff from the Door County Cheesecake business on Main Street.

If you weren't there, you missed the great food, entertaining models as they strutted their wears and good old Kewaskum camaraderie. The monies will be used to fund the Kewaskum Kettle Kountry Kolors, which benefits the entire community.

And thank you to the

150+ men and women who came out on a stormy night to enjoy an evening of fun and games.

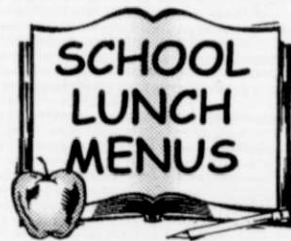
Cliff and Bonnie Demos

EDITOR'S NOTE: Photos of the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce Appreciation Dinner and Style Show will be published in next week's edition.

THE KEWASKUM STATESMAN WELCOMES LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

However, we do require that letters be legibly written or preferably typewritten, are limited to 300 words, that the author sign the letter and that a telephone number and address be included where the author can be reached. Only letters including the name of the writer will be published. Letters that are used as public thank yous will not be considered. Letters can be emailed to: ckuehl@kewaskumstatesman.com Mailed to: PO Box 98, Kewaskum WI 53040 Faxed to: (262) 626-1382

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Monday, May 6 -- Soup, grilled cheese sandwiches, relishes, pears, cookie. HS - Hamburger, MS - Pizza pocket.

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Thursday, May 9 -- Lasagna, bread sticks, lettuce, peaches, cookie. HS - Nachos & cheese, MS - Hamburger.

Friday, May 10 -- Chicken nuggets, french fries, pineapple, cake. HS - Fish, MS - Pretzel & cheese.

Seeking Century Farm and Home Owner in County

The Washington County Historical Society is encouraging residents to join the Sesquicentennial and Century Farm and Home Award Program sponsored by the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection and the Wisconsin State Fair.

This award is given to the owner of property who can prove continuous family ownership for more than 100 years for the Century award, or 150 for the Sesquicentennial award.

The awards are given annually at a breakfast at the Wisconsin State Fair in August, and consist of a certificate of recognition and a sign to display on your property. More than 7,400 properties in Wisconsin, including several in Washington county, have been honored since the beginning of the program in 1948.

Please contact the Washington County Historical Society, 320 South Fifth Avenue, West Bend, 53095, or call 335-4678 for more information or an application form. The deadline for this year's awards in May 1.

Cedar Campus Spring Plant Sale Returns

Cedar Campuses, 5595 County Road Z, invites everyone to their fifth annual plant sale on Thursday, May 9 and Friday, May 10 from 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. or while supplies last.

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VERONICA KIRST

Veronica Kirst, age 101, of Kewaskum, passed away on Tuesday, April 23, 2002 at the Samaritan Health Center in West Bend.

She was born on May 11, 1900 in Decada, the daughter of the late John and Margeritta (Deheck) Gasper, and on November 11, 1924 she was united in marriage to Matthew Kirst at St. Nicholas Catholic Church in Decada. Her husband preceded her in death in 1976.

Mrs. Kirst was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum.

Survivors include six children, Joseph (Hazel) Kirst of Fredonia, George (Rita) Kirst of Kewaskum, Eugene (Theresa) Kirst of New London, Robert (Mary Jane) Kirst of Kewaskum, Marie Fay of Saukville and Helen Sanem of Port Washington; 17 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren, four great-great-grandchildren; a sister-in-law, Margaret Gasper of Belgium; other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by three brothers and a sister.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 27, 2002 at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum. Father Mark Jones officiated and burial followed in St. Rose of Lima Cemetery in Fredonia.

Friends called at the church on Saturday from 9:00 a.m. until the time of services.

The Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum served the family.

EMMA GARMAN

Emma Garman, age 73, of Campbellsport, passed away peacefully at her home on Friday, April 26, 2002.

She was born on April 20, 1929 in Esmond, North Dakota, the daughter of the late Anton and Anna (Hoefner) Martian, and on November 19, 1947 she was united in marriage to Joseph Garman in North Dakota.

Mrs. Garman was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum and the Senior Citizen XYZ Card Club.

Survivors include her husband of 54 years, Joseph of Campbellsport; eight children, Jack (Mary) Garman of Townsend, Montana and their children Emma Rose, Anthony, Pamela and Claire; Joanne Owen of West Bend and her children, Kristin and Jamie; Dale (Wendy) Garman of Milwaukee and their children, Leah and Rachel; Shirley Walker (fiancé, Mike Bruner) of Cascade and her children, Sara, Jackie and Amanda; Barbara (Patrick) Storey of Copperopolis, California and their children, Joshua, Joey and Caleb; Anne (Bruce) Katzer

of West Bend and their children Melissa, Brad and Ben; Sheryll (Brian) Matter of Campbellsport and their children, Nathan, Eric and Jessica; Lois (Fred) Batzler of Campbellsport and their children, Ricky, Justin and Tyler; three brothers, Ed (Margaret) Martian of Rocklin, California, Thomas Martian of Redmond, Washington and Tony (Bernie) Martian of Arvada, Colorado; seven sisters, Ann Skrede of Las Vegas, Nevada, Alice Wack of Esmond, North Dakota, Violet Nilson of Maddock, North Dakota, Kay Burgard of West Allis, Jane (Louis) Gerlach of Enumclaw, Washington, Adella Feil of Lewistown, Montana and Betty (Gene) Wentz of Des Moines, Washington; two sisters-in-law, Kathy Martian of Towner, North Dakota and Betty Martian of Minot, North Dakota; a great-granddaughter, Kendall Rottman, other relatives and many friends.

She was preceded in death by two children, Mary and Richard and three brothers, Frank, Nick and Ray Martian.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 1, 2002 at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum, following a prayer service at 10:30 a.m. at the Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum. Father Mark Jones officiated and burial followed in the parish cemetery.

Friends called at the funeral home on Tuesday from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. A prayer vigil was held at 7:30 p.m.

EILEEN J. HEIN

Eileen Jane Hein, 73, of Holiday, Florida, died at Helen Ellis Memorial Hospital, Tarpon Springs, Florida, on Tuesday, April 23, 2002.

She was born in Kewaskum and was a retired clerk for the U.S. Postal Service.

She and her husband, Ralph, moved to the Florida area 27 years ago.

She was a member of the

Peace of Unity Church in Port Richey, Florida, and the V.F.W., Auxilliary Post, Holiday, A.P.W.U.

Survivors include her husband, Ralph, of Holiday, Florida; two sons, Steven Heisler of Reno, Nevada, and Stan Lee Heisler of Random Lake, Wisconsin; two brothers, Edwin Backus of Kewaskum, and Gerald Backus of Nekoosa, Wisconsin, and two grandchildren.

Faupel Funeral Home in Port Richey, Florida, handled the arrangements.

LINDA M. JUNK

Linda M. Junk (nee Staehler), 54, of the Town of Kewaskum, died Monday, April 22, 2002, at St. Joseph's Community Hospital in West Bend.

She was born November 9, 1947, in West Bend, to Sylvester and Margaret (nee Wier) Staehler and married Kenneth E. Junk on August 1, 1970, at Holy Angels Church, West Bend.

Linda graduated from West Bend High School before attending Sacred Heart in Milwaukee where she received a degree to become an LPN. She worked at various nursing homes in the area before going back to school at Moraine Park to become a registered nurse.

Survivors include her husband of 31 years, Kenneth; her children, Karen Junk of Phoenix, Jeffrey Junk of Kewaskum and Dan Junk of Boltonville; her mother, Margaret Staehler of West Bend; brothers and sisters, Shirley (Dave) Jagielski of the Town of Farmington, June (Randy) Adelmeyer of Dundee, Ken (Kathy) Staehler of West Bend and Betsy (Rich) Staehler of Milwaukee; her husband's parents, Ed and Helen Junk of West Bend; her husband's brothers and sisters, Jerry (Marlene) Junk of Wyoming, Mary (Bob) Fitzpatrick of West Bend, Andy (Bev) Junk of the Town of Barton, Dennis (Mary) Junk of Kewaskum, and Joel Junk of West Bend; nieces; nephews, other relatives and friends.

Linda is preceded in

death by her father, Sylvester Staehler; a sister in infancy, Mary; two brothers-in-law and their wives, Lloyd and Sandy Junk and Jim and Joan Junk; and a niece, Stephanie Junk.

Visitation was held Thursday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Schmidt Funeral Home in West Bend. Private funeral services were held Friday.

Burial was in the Newark Cemetery. Memorials are appreciated.

WANETA J. HANSEN

Waneta J. Hansen, 70, of Eden, died Thursday, April 25, 2002, at Hospice Home of Hope in Fond du Lac.

She was born in Florence, South Dakota, on January 19, 1932, the daughter of Rueben J. and Norma J. Sumner Popham. On October 7, 1949, she married Marvin D. Hansen in Florence. He preceded her in death on March 2, 1992.

Waneta worked at the Everglades in New Prospect for 22 years. She enjoyed gardening, reading and spending time with her grandchildren.

Survivors include her children, Cynthia (Clarence) Miller of Janesville, Cheri Kahlhamer of North Fond du Lac, Craig (Bonnie) Hansen of Fond du Lac, twins Charlene (Richard) Buddenhagen of West Bend and Christine Hansen of South Carolina and twins Cory Hansen of Eden and Candace (fiancee Marc Cribb) Hansen of Camp-

bellsport; her grandchildren, Melissa Jaccard, Kathryn Miller, Jessica, Jame, and Michael Tonn, Amy Dreikosen, Sharon and Anthony Hansen, Damien Sell and Malea and Megan Buddenhagen; her great-grandchildren, Jean Marvin, Austin and Ashley Dreikosen and Adam Hansen; her sisters and brother, Leoma (Grant) Utesch of South Dakota, Roma (Richard) Gehle of Nebraska, Jimmie (Cleta) Opham of Yuma, Arizona, and Carol (Wayne) Opperman of West Bend.

A memorial service was held on Monday at 6 p.m. at the Twohog Funeral Home in Campbellsport. Sister Marie Scott officiated. Cremation has taken place. Visitation was held on Monday from 5 to 6 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials are appreciated to Hospice Home of Hope, 400 Highway K, Fond du Lac.

NORMA JEAN MECHELKE

Norma Jean Mechelke, (nee Gross), 61, of West Bend, died Saturday, April 27, 2002, at St. Joseph's Community Hospital of West Bend.

She was born to Ray and Bertha (Baughman) Gross on July 18, 1940, in Marshall, Michigan. She was married to Richard Mechelke.

She was born and raised in Marshall, the Mergengo township. In the early 1970s she moved to West

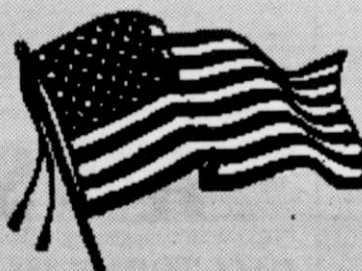
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Bend. She was employed as a factory worker for Pick Automotive of West Bend and later Serigraph of West Bend for 15 years.

She was a member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church of West Bend. She loved Las Vegas and the many games offered by local casinos.

She is survived by two daughters, Vicki Gross of Kewaskum and Sharon (Jeff) Zingsheim of Campbellsport; three grandchildren, Toby Gross and Tina and Charles Leitheiser; special friends Chas (Butch) Puckett of West Bend and their family, Sherry (George) Rickmeier and Tammy Schinker, both of Fond du Lac, and Jim (Carol) Lord of West Bend; one sister, Mary (Don) Anderson of Luther, Michigan; two brothers, Robert Gross of Marshall and Raymond Gross of Wisconsin; one sister-in-law, Rosemary Gross of Marshall; one brother-in-law, William Good of Marshall; nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two sisters and three brothers.

Funeral services were held on Monday, April 29, at 7 p.m. at the Philip Funeral Home of West Bend with Rev. James R. Ziesemer officiating. Cremation has taken place at Paradise Cremation Services of West Bend. Visitation was at the funeral home Monday from 4 to 7 p.m. Memorials are appreciated.

VIRGINIA A. 'GINNY' SCHMIT

Virginia A. "Ginny" Schmit (nee Rimmel), 83, of Port Washington, died Saturday, April 27, 2002, at St. Mary's Hospital-Ozaukee, Mequon.

She was born on December 1, 1918, in Kewaskum, the daughter of Joseph and Alma Meinecke Rimmel. She grew up in Barton where her father ran a meat market. One of the Barton bridges was christened by Virginia and named for her.

On July 9, 1938, she married William L. Schmit of Port Washington in Barton. He preceded her in death on May 22, 2001.

After she married she moved to Port Washington. There she raised her family and was a waitress at Smith Brothers Restaurant for over 20 years. She and her husband traveled the world together, exploring their family heritage in Europe and elsewhere.

She will be remembered for her dancing, independence, love and care. Virginia was a very good seamstress. As the children grew up she made many outfits from scratch. Also, with no training, she took up rug hooking, entering projects in shows or just for

family and friends to enjoy.

She began to dye her own wool when she wanted just the right shade. In later years, she tended to her home and flower garden.

She is survived by her daughter, Diane (the late Ernie) Etherton of Rio Rancho, New Mexico; three sons, Dennis Schmit of Maui, Hawaii, William (Trey) Schmit of Gualala, California, and Dan (Marie) Schmit of Stevens Point; nine grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; her brother, Elroy (the late Bernice) Rimmel of Hartford; other relatives and friends.

She is preceded in death by her husband, a brother, Sylvester "Sal" Rimmel, and her son-in-law.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 2, at St. Mary's Church, Port Washington. Reverend Allan Summer will be the celebrant. Interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, Port Washington.

Visitation will be after 4 p.m. Thursday at church. Poole Funeral Home, Port Washington, is assisting the family.

IN MEMORY

In loving memory of MATHILDA STERN, who passed away seven years ago, April 30, 1995:

Our loved one is not gone away,
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To awake upon another day,
Her time with God to keep.
Her life was long, her life was vast,
Her countenance was cheery;
To face each day and face each task,
But never did she weary.
Now she rests in peaceful slumber,
Her tasks on earth are done;
Among the angels she will number,
For her rich rewards are won.

Deeply missed by her children, Evelyn, Dolores & Syl

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LEGAL NOTICES

25 Years Ago April 15, 1977

Vocalist Carol Asch, a junior at Kewaskum High School and a member of the Concert Choir received a letter inviting her to be a member of the 1977 Wisconsin High School Honors Choir.

The Kewaskum Fire Department answered two calls the past week. Last Thursday firemen were summoned to the John Dahlke home on Badger Road, one mile south of Kewaskum, where a house trailer was gutted by fire. The blaze is believed to have been caused by an electric space heater in the trailer which was parked near the house. On Monday firemen were called to assist in putting out a grass fire on state owned land across Highway S and to the north of St. John's Lutheran Church Cemetery at New Fane.

Discussion of proposals for changes for 1977-78 continue to dominate the meetings of the Kewaskum Board of Education. At the Monday meeting, it was a proposal for adding an assistant administrator position and some proposals on remodeling. The remodeling proposal includes changing the library to what is presently the 700 area of the high school and then remodeling the present library for guidance and central administration offices and meeting areas. Concern was expressed also for expanding the art area and questions were raised as to the necessity of a larger library since enrollment is stabilizing. It was pointed out that the present library area is already crowded with materials and that future needs would be blocked if other possible library areas were used for

a different purpose. A daughter was born to Mark and Mary Rogers of Kewaskum on April 11.

Village Board Meeting Monday

Public notice is hereby given that the next meeting of the Village of Kewaskum, Wisconsin Village Board is scheduled for Monday, May 6, 2002, at 8:00 p.m. in the Municipal Building, 204 First Street.

The agendas for the meeting are prepared as of Wednesday noon preceding the meeting and are available at the office of the clerk at the Municipal Building on Thursday preceding the meeting.

Copies of the agenda are also posted in the lobby of the Kewaskum Post Office and lobby of St. Francis Bank.

MEETING NOTICE TOWN OF AUBURN

The Planning Commission of the Town of Auburn will meet Monday, May 6, 2002 at 7:30 p.m. to make a recommendation to the Town Board to rezone a parcel of real estate for Applicant, Lynn Schultz from EAG to RD.

The Town Board may be in attendance.

The Town Board will meet Monday, May 6, 2002 at 7:50 p.m. to consider the petition of Lynn Schultz to rezone real estate from EAG to RD.

The Town Board will meet Monday, May 6, 2002 at 8:00 p.m. for a regular monthly meeting. All of the above will be at the Town Hall, W1728 Sunset Drive. A complete agenda will be posted at the Town Hall, Transit Station, Zahn's Trading Post and Fran's Beauty Shop, Saturday preceding the meeting.

Camilla Butzke
Town Clerk

TOWN OF FARMINGTON MONTHLY TOWN MEETING

The Town Board of the Town of Farmington will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, May 7, 2002, at 8 p.m. in the Town Hall 9422, Hwy. 144, Kewaskum.

TOWN OF KEWASKUM NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held before the Town Board of the Town of Kewaskum at the Town Hall located at 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive in the Town of Kewaskum at 7:30 p.m., May 20, 2002 to consider the application of Robert B. and Kathleen B. Schreffler for the issuance of a Conditional Use Permit for a farm consolidation as provided for in Section 3.03 (C)(1) of the Town Zoning Ordinance. Granting the permit will allow the applicants to remove the house and farm buildings on a preexisting parcel zoned EA, Exclusive Agriculture, for sale purposes. The applicant's property is located at 9593 Hwy V in the NE 1/4 of Section Five (5) of the Town of Kewaskum.

Dated this 29th day of April 2002.

J. Sandra Stern,
Town Clerk

5-2-2t

SCHOOL DISTRICT of KEWASKUM SPECIAL SCHOOL BOARD BUSINESS MEETING

There will be a Special Meeting of the Kewaskum School District Board on Monday, May 6, 2002. Said meeting will commence at 6:30 p.m. and will be held in the High School Cafeteria, 1510 Bilgo Lane, Kewaskum.

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. Deliberations of 2002-03 Working Budget
6. Adjourn

NOTICE by the THE VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM

Notice is hereby served that pursuant to Wisc. Stats. 66.96(4) that every person is required by law to destroy all noxious weeds, as defined in this section, on lands in the municipality which the persons owns, occupies or controls.

The term "noxious weeds" as used in this chapter includes the following: Canada thistle, leafy spurge and field bindweed (creeping Jenny) and any other such weeds as defined by the governing body of any municipality.

By Order of the Village President

5-2-2t

PUBLIC NOTICE TOWN OF WAYNE

Every person owning, occupying or controlling land in the Town of Wayne, Washington County, Wisconsin is responsible for destroying noxious weeds on said lands. Noxious weeds are statutorily defined in Wisconsin Statutes 66.0407 as Canada thistle, leafy spurge and field bindweed. If you have any questions, please contact a member of the Town Board or the Weed Commissioner, William Rate.

Leander Herriges
Town Chairman

Publish 4-25-2t

Town of Wayne PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held in the Town of Wayne before the Town Board at the Town Hall, 6030 Mohawk Rd, Campbellsport, WI 53010 at 7:30pm on Tuesday, May 14, 2002 in the Town of Wayne, Washington County, Wisconsin to consider the application of Walters Buildings for the issuance of a Conditional Use Permit under the Town Zoning Ordinance. Granting the permit will allow the applicant to rebuild the barn which was taken down North side Midland Ct in the Street Yard of the property. The property is located at the NW corner of the intersection of Midland Ct and Midland Dr. and the tax key number is T12 0668 in section 29.

Christian T. Kuehn
Clerk

5-2-2t

TOWN OF WAYNE PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held at 7:30 pm on Tuesday, May 14, 2002 in the Town Hall of the Town of Wayne 6030 Mohawk Rd, Campbellsport, WI 53010. The purpose of the hearing will be to receive public comment on a proposed change to the zoning ordinance for the Town of Wayne. The purpose of the proposed change is to increase the size of accessory structures allowed in the zoning ordinance where limited to 864 square feet to 1200 square feet.

The complete text of the Zoning Ordinance is available in the West Bend or Kewaskum Public Library, or you may contact Christian T. Kuehn, Clerk at (262) 629-5032 to make an appointment to review the ordinance at the Town Hall.

The proposed change is as follows:

Ordinance to amend and create Zoning language of the TOWN OF WAYNE, Washington County, Wisconsin.

WHEREAS, The town Board initiated the within changes to the Zoning Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was duly held; and

WHEREAS, the Town Planning Commission made its recommendation on said Zoning language changes; now therefore

THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF WAYNE, WASHINGTON COUNTY, WISCONSIN DOES ORDAIN THAT THE TOWN ZONING ORDINANCE BE CHANGED IN THE FOLLOWING RESPECTS:

Section 1, Section 3.16 E. 3. is changed to read:

3.16 E.3. No accessory building shall exceed 15 feet in height or 1200 square feet in area

Section 2, Section 3.19 B. 1. is changed to read:

3.19 B.1. Gardening, tool, and storage sheds incidental to the residential use, with a floor area no greater than 1200 square feet, and in accordance with the requirements of Section 7.03.B.

Section 3, Section 7.03 A. is changed to read:

7.03. A. In an R-1, R-2, R-3, or R-4 District, no more than 2 accessory buildings shall be erected on a lot. One structure shall not exceed 1200 square feet and the second structure shall not exceed 150 square feet.

Section 4, This Ordinance shall become effective the day after proof of publication or posting the same in three (3) public places in the Town as required by law and has been filed and recorded by the Town Clerk.

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MONDAY,
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TOPIC:
Deliberations of 2002-
2003 Working Budget.

Meeting is open to the
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TOWN OF WAYNE PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held before the Town Board of the Town of Wayne, Washington County, Wisconsin at the Town Hall 6030 Mohawk Rd, Campbellsport, WI 53010 at 7:30 PM Tuesday, May 14, 2002 to consider the application for a Conditional Use Permit from Uncle Sam's Fireworks Inc. Granting the permit will allow the applicant to sell retail class C fireworks from a business located at 7655 Commercial Ln in section 32 of the Town of Wayne.

5-2-21

Christian T. Kuehn
Clerk

TOWN OF WAYNE PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held before the Town Board of the Town of Wayne, Washington County, Wisconsin at the Town Hall 6030 Mohawk Rd, Campbellsport, WI 53010 at 7:30 PM Tuesday, May 14, 2002 to consider the application for a Conditional Use Permit from Matthew Leithold. Granting the permit will allow the applicant to construct a pole barn for the purpose of storage and livestock housing in the street yard of his 25 acre property 7380 Aurora Rd, West Bend, WI 53090 tax key number T12 808 00D in section 36 to the Town of Wayne.

5-2-21

Christian T. Kuehn
Clerk

Town of Wayne PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held in the Town of Wayne before the Town Board at the Town Hall, 6030 Mohawk Rd, Campbellsport, WI 53010 at 7:30pm on Tuesday, May 14, 2002 in the Town of Wayne, Washington County, Wisconsin to consider the application of Donald Delaney for the issuance of a Conditional Use Permit under the Town Zoning Ordinance. Granting the permit will allow the applicant to construct a garage in the street yard of his property at 7890 West Bend Rd., Theresa, WI 53091. The tax key number is T12 0685 in section 30.

5-2-21

Christian T. Kuehn
Clerk

TOWN OF WAYNE PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held before the Town Board of the Town of Wayne, Washington County, Wisconsin at the Town Hall 6030 Mohawk Rd, Campbellsport, WI 53010 at 7:30 PM Tuesday, May 14, 2002 to consider the application for a Conditional Use Permit from Matthew Leithold. Granting the permit will allow the applicant to construct two ponds for the purpose of wildlife and recreation on his 25 acre property 7380 Aurora Rd, West Bend, WI 53090 tax key number T12 808 00D in section 36 to the Town of Wayne.

5-2-21

Christian T. Kuehn
Clerk

TOWN OF WAYNE PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held in the Town of Wayne before the Town Board at the Town Hall, 6030 Mohawk Rd, Campbellsport, WI 53010 at 7:30 pm on Tuesday, May 14, 2002 in the Town of Wayne, Washington County, Wisconsin to consider the application of Scott Walters for the issuance of a Conditional Use Permit under the Town Zoning Ordinance. Granting the permit will allow the applicant to construct a shed on the North side of their house between the house County Hwy D. The address of the property is 6001 Hwy D West Bend, WI 53090, the tax key number is T12 0753C in section 34.

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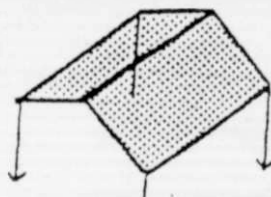
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Outdoor Adventures

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Mark Walters



The Green Wolf River Rig

Hello friends,

Four years ago, while doing a story with DNR fishery biologists on the Wolf River, I observed a very unique method of walleye fishing.

This past week, thanks to my good friends, Tony and Cheryl Brefelds, owners of Brefelds Resort, I was introduced to Don Pirks. We spent three very enjoyable days living on a houseboat on the Wolf River in Waupaca County near Freemont.

Tuesday, April 16
High 85-, Low 52-

Don Pirks is an apprentice plumber who makes a point of having free time each spring. Twenty-five years ago, when he was a young boy, Don, along with his father and brothers, built a 17x24' houseboat that comfortably sleeps four.

Each spring, the Pirks family anchors their boat on the same stretch of the Wolf for the annual walleye run as well as white bass and top-notch cat fishing. This unique tradition is shared by literally hundreds of other houseboats on the Wolf. But that's certainly not the whole story.

The method of fishing the walleye, called caning, is with cane poles and Rapalas. As luck would have it, I picked one of the worst springs in recent history as far as catching goes. However, I was still excited about spending 48 hours living on a houseboat.

Don and I met for the first time today at Brefelds Resort. We were soon running the river in his 14' boat heading towards his big float, which he calls "The Green Wolf River Rig." The location of his home on the water is perfect. With marsh on both sides of the river, wildlife viewing is pretty much non-stop.

The first thing Don did was to put out three cane poles. Each one was set up with a three-way swivel with a 2-ounce weight and Rapala. They were then put on rod holders. The theory

behind this method of fishing is that when walleye are swimming down river after spawning, they are very tired and basically let the current push them. When they spot an easy meal like a Rapala, they grab it and hook themselves. We also put out three rods and reels rigged with 3-way swivels and baited them with Milwaukee Shiners.

We watched day become night and lasted until midnight. Fish catching was slow, with only a few sheephead and small catfish for our efforts. With a stereo system that's better than the one in my home, along with 70-degree temperatures and a fantastic display of northern lights, we had a couple of cocktails and got to know each other.

Wednesday, April 17
High 76-, Low 49-

Good things happen to those who wait. A slow but steady turn-around of fish catching began today. I watched Don almost land a sturgeon yesterday with a cane pole. This morning, we both saw one of the cane poles double over and Don landed an 18" walleye. I could immediately see why this way of life has become an annual culture for so many fishermen on the Wolf. I call it forced relaxation in a perfect setting. In 24 hours, Don Pirks and I have become good buddies.

And the Big Green Wolf River Rig seems like a second home.

This afternoon, the catfish started biting, providing us with quality entertainment. When a channel cat hits, it appears to be pulling the whole boat down river. Fishing in 22 feet of water with a hard current makes a three-pounder feel like a state record.

Both nights, after turning out the lights, our home on the water was besieged by powerful storms, neither of which I would have been aware of had Don not told me the next morning.

On the last day, we were catching 5- to 10-pound cats and actually getting sore arms.

Tradition is a good thing!
Sunset

Weekly Kewaskum Statesman Columnist Mark Walters, lives in Necedah, WI.

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RECYCLING TIPS

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DISPOSING OF LATEX AND OIL-BASED PAINT

GENERAL INFORMATION

Paint stays in good condition for a long time; Oil-based paint for up to 15 years and latex paint for 10 years. As a general rule, paint that mixes smoothly when stirred can still be used. If latex paint has been frozen, brush it on a newspaper. If there are no lumps, it hasn't been damaged and can be used.

Disposal of leftover paint through a household hazardous waste program is expensive.

The best thing to do with usable paint is to use it up! If you can't use your leftover paint, give it to someone who can. Give your paint to:

- * friends and neighbors
- * recreation departments
- * park departments
- * theater groups
- * housing assistance organizations

Latex Paint and Mercury

Some latex paint contains mercury, a toxic metal. New federal regulations prohibit the use of mercury in interior latex paint manufactured after August 20, 1990. Be sure to use proper ventilation when applying paint indoors. Use outdoor paints for outdoor use only!

Disposal: When you can't use it up

Proper disposal depends on whether the paint is latex or oil-based. Oil-based paint contains solvents, container labels state "combustible," and the instructions on the can recommend cleanup with mineral spirits or other solvents. Latex paint contains water and the instructions recommend cleanup with water.

Disposal: Oil-Based Paint

The fumes from oil-based paint are a health and fire hazard. Large amounts of oil-based paint should not be disposed of at home.

Disposal: Latex and Small Amounts of Oil-Based Paint

Dry out latex paint and small quantities of oil-based paint according to the following directions:

Step 1 Find an outside work area away from children, pets and rain. Locked screen porches and storage sheds work well. Because oil-based paint contains solvents and some latex paint contains mercury, it's important to dry out paint outdoors in a safe place.

Step 2 Dry it out! Choose one of the drying methods described later on in this notice. Paint will take between several days and several months to dry - it depends on the type and quantity of paint that you have.

Step 3 Throw the dried paint, cans and other materials in the trash. Leave the lids off paint cans so trash collectors will see the paint is dry and accept them.

PAINT DRYING TECHNIQUES

For Small amounts (Oil-based and Latex):

Remove the lid and let the paint dry in the can. Stir the paint occasionally to speed drying. Or, brush paint in layers on newspaper or cardboard.

For larger amounts of latex:

Pour one-inch layers of paint into a cardboard box lined with plastic. Allow paint to dry one layer at a time - thin layers will speed up the drying process. Or, mix paint with cat litter, sawdust or sand in a cardboard box lined with plastic and let it dry.

For latex paint that has separated:

Pour the clear liquid on top into a cardboard box lined with plastic. Mix the liquid with an equal amount of cat litter or other absorbent and let it dry. Let the leftover paint in the bottom of the can dry out, using one of the above techniques.

Next Week: Glass



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General Inland Game Fish Season Opens Saturday

MADISON -- Wisconsin's general fishing season opens May 4 on inland waters across the state, with state fisheries biologists predicting a good turnout if the weather cooperates.

"We may have more people going out in early May than we normally do because they've got cabin fever," says Mike Staggs, director of the Department of Natural Resources Bureau of Fisheries Management and Habitat Protection.

"The winter ice fishing season was shorter than normal because of the warm winter weather, and then the cold spring weather discouraged many of the early season trout anglers, so there's probably going to be a lot of people anxious to get out."

About 45 percent of Wisconsin residents fish, according to a 1996 U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service National Survey of Fishing Hunting and Wildlife, well above the national average of 29 percent. During the last license year, the state sold 1.43 million fishing licenses.

The game fish season opens on inland waters for walleye, sauger, and northern pike statewide. The largemouth and smallmouth bass southern zone opens May 4 with a minimum length limit of 14 with a daily bag limit of five fish in total.

The largemouth and smallmouth bass northern zone opens for catch and release only from May 4 to June 14; from June 15 to March 1, there's a minimum length limit of 14 inches with a daily bag limit of five fish in total. The northern zone is the area north of highways 77, 64 and 29.

The musky season opens May 4 in the southern zone and May 25 in the northern zone, with Highway 10 the dividing line.

The seasons for rock, yellow and white bass, panfish, bullheads and rough fish, catfish, cisco and whitefish are open all year. Check the 2002-2003 Guide to Wisconsin Hook and Line Fishing Regulations for special regulations listed by county, for regulations on the Great Lakes and boundary waters, and for tributary streams to Green Bay and Lake Michigan.

Fisheries biologists across the state have reported healthy fish populations, based on population surveys conducted in 2001, and a few surveys conducted already this year, Staggs says.

Anglers can find specific forecasts for many popular fishing waters in the DNR 2002 Wisconsin Fishing Report. That report can be found online at <http://www.FishingWisconsin.org>

or in hard copy at DNR service centers and, in limited supply, at businesses that sell Wisconsin fishing licenses.

The 2002 Wisconsin Fishing Report also contains a list of major fishing regulation changes for 2002-2003, a statewide stocking report, and a variety of other stories to help anglers plan their fishing trips or learn more about Wisconsin's fisheries, Staggs says.

As far as current fishing conditions, fisheries biologists around Wisconsin report a mixed bag and remind anglers to be particularly careful on the water this time of year. Stay off the water during bad weather; on rivers, keep a safe distance from dams and spillways; wear warm clothes and stay dry, and above all else, wear a life jacket.

Steve AveLallemant, DNR fish expert for northern Wisconsin, reported that warm temperatures in the Northwoods in mid-April melted all the snow in four or five days, causing some of the highest river water levels in many years.

"Early trout season in the north was pretty much a non-event this year since we had cold conditions with lots of snow and within a few days rivers running out of their banks, on the other hand, the rapid melt put us 'back on schedule' for ice outs on lakes in the north. As of April 22, most of the lakes in the north are ice-free. Early spawners like walleyes are starting to spawn and should be finished in most waters by the opener."

In northeastern Wisconsin, water levels also are up on trout streams due to recent snow melt and rain. "Any more rain between now and May 4 will make stream fishing for trout difficult," says Lee Meyer, DNR fish expert for northeastern Wisconsin. "The walleyes in the northeast should be finished spawning by the opener."

In the western part of the state Patrick Short, a fisheries biologist stationed at Prairie du Chien on the Mississippi River, said water levels are still on the rise and minor flooding is occurring in low areas around there. "Fish are taking advantage of the rising water conditions and moving into flooded areas to feed," Short says. "However, the fisherman I talked to were not catching much, except for these bow fishermen who were taking a few carp."

Most fishing on the Mississippi River has slowed in the last few days due to unexpected high water, agreed David Heath, DNR Mississippi River fisheries biologist at La Crosse,

where river levels were well below normal until recently.

"Last week's rains have brought near flood stage levels, tripling flows in the last two weeks. Along with these higher flows, angling has slowed for many fish. Most backwater and side channel fish have taken refuge in flooded bottom lands and are more spread out making them difficult to locate."

Walleyes and saugers are nearly done spawning on the river and fishing for them should be very good in about one week. Although river levels were low during

this spring's northern pike spawning run, these fish should still be in backwaters feeding heavily.

Dave Vetrano, fisheries biologist for Crawford, La Crosse, Monroe and Vernon counties, was reporting good prospects for trout anglers in those counties, where surveys conducted on over 300 miles of streams between 1999-2002 has resulted in the classification of almost 200 miles of new or upgraded trout waters. In 1976 there were 545.5 miles of classified trout

water in the four counties; the number has increased to 810.5 miles, a 67 percent increase.

"Already this year during the early season a fair number of brown trout in excess of 22 inches have been hooked and released by area anglers," Vetrano says. "Stream conditions are good with high spring flow as a result of recent precipitation. Anglers should have no problem finding abundant numbers of 10- to 12-inch brown trout, and even an occasional 15-inch brook trout in coulee streams come May 4th."

2002 Fish Consumption Advisory Now Available

MADISON - An updated fish consumption advisory is now available in print and online to help people continue to enjoy fish meals but limit their exposure to environmental contaminants in fish they catch in Wisconsin waters and in commercial fish popularly sold in restaurants and stores.

The advisory, "Choose Wisely: A health guide for eating fish in Wisconsin," can be found on the Department of Natural Resources' website, www.dnr.state.wi.us. Use the drop-down topic menu and click on "fish consumption advisory." Printed copies are available at DNR service centers and regional offices.

The 2002 publication is an annual update which informs fish consumers about potential risks from eating contaminated fish, says Candy Schrank, DNR fish contaminant specialist. "This most recent advisory combines the fish consumption advice for PCBs with the general statewide advice for mercury and puts it in one location again. We hope that people more easily find and understand how they can continue to enjoy eating the fish they catch in Wisconsin while limiting their exposure to environmental contaminants."

The 2002 advisory also includes information on the federal Food and Drug Administration's guidance for some ocean fish popularly sold in restaurants and grocery stores, responding to common questions from the public about such information. Most ocean fish are low in contaminants, however, some contain elevated amounts of mercury. Such integrated information will better protect the health of all people who eat fish, says Dr. Henry Anderson, chief medical officer of the Division of Public Health, which jointly issues the advisory with DNR.

"It's important for fish consumers to understand it isn't just sport fish that contain environmental contaminants," Anderson says. "Many of the sport fish are in fact less contaminated than commercially caught

fish. So the fish consumer needs to be an informed consumer, and make wise choices to gain the benefits of eating fish while reducing exposure to environmental contaminants."

The nutritional benefits of fish outweigh the potential risk from contaminants as long as people follow advice for the number of meals and species they can safely eat, Anderson says. Fish are low in saturated fat, high in protein and some species contain high levels of Omega-3 fatty acids, which research suggests lowers the risk of heart disease and stroke, diabetes, cancer and reduces inflammation to ease symptoms of rheumatoid arthritis, menstrual cramps, and migraines.

Wisconsin issues fish consumption guidelines on the number of meals that people can safely eat. These "Safe Eating Guidelines" apply to most inland waters with the exception of 92 found to have higher mercury levels and 49 waters with that warrant specific PCB advisories.

Wisconsin adopted the statewide general guidance in 2001 based on recent studies on the effects of mercury on human health, and also at the federal government's recommendation to states. Forty-one states issue fish consumption advisories for mercury.

Mercury occurs in the environment naturally and as a result of human activity and enters lakes and other water in rain, snow and runoff. Certain bacteria convert mercury to a toxic form that's easily absorbed by insects and other small organisms. As small fish eat the insects and in turn are eaten by bigger fish, and ultimately, by humans, the amount of mercury accumulates at each step of the food chain.

Humans who frequently eat mercury-contaminated fish are at greater risk for health-related problems, especially fetuses and young children. The National Academy of Sciences, the prestigious group of scientist that advises Congress,

estimates that 60,000 children born each year in the United States are at risk of suffering neurological and learning problems because their mothers eat large amounts of mercury-contaminated fish and seafood during their pregnancy.

PCBs, man-made chemicals used in manufacturing electrical transformers, carbonless papers and hydraulic fluids until their ban in 1976, are found in contaminated sediments in the Great Lakes and rivers with heavy industrial use. As with mercury, PCBs can accumulate up the food chain and pose a health threat to humans who frequently eat fish.

Studies indicated that infants and children of women who frequently ate fish contaminated with PCBs may have lower birth weights and may be delayed in physical development and learning. In adults, PCBs may affect reproductive function and the immune system and are also associated with cancer risk.

"It's important to remember that MOST people do not eat enough fish to increase the risks to their health," Schrank says. "Fishing is a great Wisconsin tradition and a great activity for family and friends to share. If you want to eat your catch, follow the safe-eating guidelines."

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KEWASKUM INDIANS SPORTS

Indian Golfers Start Off Rocky, But End With Strong Finish

By Kyle Darnody
Student Reporter

The 2002 Kewaskum High School boys golf season should prove to be eventful as the local linksters strive to improve throughout their spring schedule. Members of the Indian Varsity, Junior Varsity and Reserve Teams have been and will continue to prepare, practice and play during the transitional months of April and May in pursuit of the state tournament in June.

With approximately 40 student-athletes participating on this year's boys golf team, the coaching staff anticipates strong competition for spots on the varsity and junior varsity squads. All team members will be challenging for only ten positions on the travelling team for away matches this season.

Most matches are comprised of five players both on varsity and JV.

The head coach of the team, Glenn Eichstedt, faces a challenge as he deals with his most least experienced team over the past four seasons. Yet, this team shows great promise and commitment to overall improvement in the early stages of the non-conference schedule.

J.V. coach Scott Rohlinger will continue to help develop the talents and skills of the younger team members as the season progresses.

The young and inexperienced Indians have suffered some growing pains early, but the coaching staff has confidence in the eventual development of this year's team into a very competitive program, from the varsity through the reserves. The team hopes to improve with the weather but needs to demonstrate greater consistency despite whatever playing conditions they may contend with.

Leading the varsity this spring are seniors, Andy Bauer and Noah Koch. Juniors, Brian Mertz, Mike Schilter, and Josh Timblin will be counted upon to solidify the Indians. Other varsity candidates are sophomores Shane Dreher, Brandon Gitter, Ryan Koepke, and Peter Paulus. Incoming freshmen who might be able to contribute on either team are Justin Brockman, Luke Koch, Chad Peplinski, Josh Riebe, and Jake Schweder.

Below is a synopsis of the team's progress thus far in the season.

On Friday April 12th the Kewaskum High School JV Golf team traveled to the Washington County Golf Course to take on Kettle Moraine Lutheran. The

young Kewaskum team lost with a score of 250 to 254 (on a basis of each teams five best scores added together)

Leading all the Indian golfers, was Sophomore, Ryan Koepke who shot a 45. One other notable scorer for the Indians was Freshman, Luke Koch with 49.

The varsity boys golf traveled to the Washington County Golf Course the next day but didn't do much better. Leading the Indians shooting a 48 out, and a 42 in, totalling his score to 90, was Senior Noah Koch. Even with that, the Indians did not fair well.

The team total was 473, which was last place out of the seven teams in attendance. The last place Indians were 25 strokes away from sixth place Kettle Moraine Lutheran and 71 strokes away from first place Hartford.

On another travel, the varsity team went up against some tough competition, and came out with a fifth place finish at the Rock River Hills Golf Course, Horicon in a nine team invitational.

The Pirates of Pewaukee, came away from the Invite with their third straight first place finish. The Indians however, did show improvement over their outing at the Washington County Tournament, but still wasn't enough to challenge the champs at Rock River Hills.

N. Koch and Koepke tied for team honors with 90's followed closely by L. Koch with a 93 tally. However if the Indians want to be more competitive they must get their individual scores down into the 80's.

On Tuesday April 16th the JV team traveled to play

Lomira on the back nine at the Golf Club at Camelot, Lomira. The Indians lost by a count of 205-217.

The back nine at Camelot, a par 35, gave the Indians plenty of problems, as their best individual scorer was Mike Schilter who shot a 51. Lomira's medalist, and over all medalist, Travis Casper, shot a 45.

"This proved to be a great opportunity for some of our more inexperienced team members to play on a course where future tournaments, conference championships, regionals, and sectionals will be played," stated KHS boys golf coach Glenn Eichstedt.

On Wednesday, April 24th, the varsity team also traveled to the Camelot to take place in a 21 team invitational. The teams were divided into three divisions with five teams and another with six.

The Kewaskum Indians with tough competition in their division, came out with a second place divisional finish with a score of 359 falling only behind Mayville who shot a 340. The Indians score of 359 was also good enough to take fourth among all twenty one teams.

Leading the Indians was L. Koch and N. Koch, who both showed improvement by being the first two players for the Indians this season to drop scores down into the 80's, with scores of 86 and 88.

The next day, the varsity and JV teams traveled to Sheboygan Town and Country in Sheboygan Falls to take on conference rival Sheboygan Falls in the boys' first conference match of the season.

On the heels of a second place finish in the Camelot

Invite on Wednesday, Kewaskum initiated their E.W.C. season with a dual match vs. the Falcons. The varsity team narrowly defeated the hosts by a final score of 194 to 196.

The Indians were led by N. Koch who shot a 46, and Koepke who shot a 48.

The JV visitors from Kewaskum posted the low team score of the day with a 189 to Falls' 202 in their conference opener. The overall medalist for the match was Brandon Gitter who recorded a 42, and was followed up by Andy Bauer and Josh Riebe who each posted 46's.

The Indians won't return to conference action until May 8th vs. New Holstein at the Badger Creek Golf Course.

The varsity team traveled to Whispering Springs Golf Club in Fond du Lac, to compete in an eight team invitational this past Saturday.

Despite the impending weather conditions, the 18 hole tournament started at

approximately noon. But due to the cold and deteriorating weather, coaches decided to limit the tournament to only nine holes.

All teams completed their nines even though the three's, four's, and five's started on the front nine and the one's, and two's played the back nine, both par 36's.

Mayville distanced itself as the Cardinals recorded three of the top four individual scorers. Campbellsport tallied three 45's and a 44 to place second, just one stroke ahead of FDL Springs. The host school, North Fondy, slipped passed CWC by one swing for a fourth place finish.

Kewaskum was forced to shuffle their lineup with three first time varsity participants due to schedule conflicts, but gained valuable experience. Only junior Josh Timblin broke fifty for the Indians as they went on to finish seventh out of eight teams.



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KEWASKUM INDIANS SPORTS

Indians Sneak Past Panthers

By Kyle Darmody
Student Reporter

The Kewaskum girls varsity fastpitch team traveled to Plymouth Tuesday, April 23 for their fifth conference game of the season. The Indians did get an 11-9 win but not without some problems.

The ladies took a while to get runs on the board, but when they did, they put a lot on and very quickly. They scored five runs in the fourth inning, and then went on to score every inning afterwards to finish out the game.

The story of the game may not have been the bats of Kewaskum, but more likely the defense of Plymouth. Pitcher Kara Krueger issued 11 free passes, while the rest of the Panthers had six errors.

The Indians however with combined efforts from Steph Herrick and Kala Sauer at the pitching spot, only gave up six walks while striking out eight batters.

Indians Swept By Undefeated Cougars

By Kyle Darmody
Student Reporter

The KHS varsity fastpitch team hosted Campbellsport on Thursday for a double header. The Indians did not fair well.

In game one Campbellsport pitcher Carissa Serwe began an outstanding night by picking up an 8-1 win. Serwe held the Indians to one run, on one hit and she didn't stop there. She also went two for four at the plate. The Cougars improved their record to 9-0 while the Indians dropped to 4-5.

In game two, Serwe showing no signs of fatigue pitched a complete game, one hit shut out as the Cougars won 4-0.

The Indians, now 4-6, were scheduled to take on Plymouth on Monday, but the game was cancelled due to bad field conditions. The Indians are also scheduled to take on Kiel Tuesday night, and then won't have another game until Monday when they take on Two Rivers in another double header.

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Sheboygan Falls Beats Indians, 2-1

The Kewaskum girls varsity soccer team hosted Sheboygan Falls on Monday, April 22. The Indians played an aggressive game on a cold windy day.

Kewaskum did an excellent job passing the ball and moving it down the field. The team's defense was solid most of the game.

Jamie Imler got her first goal of the season on a blazing shot to the corner of the goal.

Sheboygan Falls scored earlier on long passes to the Indians corners and good crosses.

Katie Klug, Christine Behm, Bridgette McDonald, and Alexa Nelson combined to eliminate the threat of the Sheboygan strikers.

Tanya Theisen, Jenny Koth, Krystal Cochran, Jac Chambers, and Audrey Dickmann played a great transition game at midfield, taking the ball to the Sheboygan goal for 16 shots.

Strikers Alison Yanke, Michelle Backhaus, and Imler challenged the Sheboygan defense.

Maggie Herriges made several major league saves on quality shots.

The team is playing very good soccer, but need to step in and control the entire game.

Kewaskum 2-1 At County

Kewaskum saved the best for last. After warming up with two good teams (Germantown, 6-0 and West Bend West, 6-0) at the Washington County Tournament on April 22, Kewaskum came alive and took the game to Kettle Moraine Lutheran.

After falling behind 2-0, Jenny Koth scored twice in the second half to send the game to penalty kicks. Alexa Nelson and Christine Behm scored on the penalty kicks to give Kewaskum the victory.

Maggie Herriges stopped two hard shots on the goal, saving the team's kick advantage at 2-1.

The entire team played well putting together many attacks on the KML goal. Kewaskum's defense played exceptional.

Indians Lose 2-1 To New Holstein

The Kewaskum girls varsity soccer team hosted New Holstein on Thursday, April 25. The Indians played an aggressive game on a cold windy day.

Kewaskum did an excellent job passing the ball and moving it down the field. The team's defense was solid most of the game.

Maria Cannestra got her first goal of the season on a dancing shot over the keepers head into New Holstein's goal. New Holstein scored midway in the second half on long passes to the Indian's corners.

Katie Klug, Katie Staehler, Christine Behm, Bridgette McDonald, Katie Staehler and Alexa Nelson combined to stop the attacks of New Holstein.

Tanya Theisen, Jenny Koth, Jac Chambers, Audrey Dickmann and Jamie Imler played a great transition game at midfield taking the ball to the New Holstein goal for 8 shots.

Strikers Alison Yanke, Bausch, Michelle Backhaus, and Krystal Cochran pressured the New Holstein's defense.

Maggie Herriges made several major league saves on quality shots.

The team is playing very good soccer, but need to bring home the bacon.

Campus Notes

Milwaukee School of Engineering (MSOE) has recently released its Winter Quarter Dean's List. Students on the Dean's List have earned a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.2 (out of 4.0) and have completed a minimum of 30 credits. Students on the list who have earned a cumulative GPA of 3.7 or more are listed as having high honors.

Local students who are on the Dean's list include: Joshua Mueller, Adell, Software Engineering and Karl Thornton Allenton Electrical Engineering Technology.



TEE PEE TALK



SOFTBALL (Games start 4:30, DH start at 4 p.m.)

5/6 - A - Two Rivers - DH
5/7 - H - Sheboygan Falls

BOYS GOLF (Matches start at 3:30 p.m.)

5/7 - A - Roncalli
5/8 - H - Two Rivers

GIRLS SOCCER (Games start at 4:30 p.m.)

5/6 - H - Campbellsport - Parents Night
5/7 - A - KML
5/9 - A - Kiel

BOYS TENNIS (Matches start at 3:30 p.m.)

5/4 - A - Wash. Cty. Invite - 8:30 a.m.
5/6 - A - Sheboygan Cty. Christian High School
5/7 - A - Kewaunee

TRACK

5/2 - A - FR Manitowoc
5/3 - A - Sheboygan Falls Vanderpan Invite -
Field - 3:45, Track 4:00
5/9 - H - EWC

KHS Girls Fifth At County Outdoor

By Jerry Gosa

HARTFORD -- The Kewaskum girls' track team finished fifth at the tough Washington County Outdoor Championships on Tuesday, April 23.

Host Hartford put on an impressive performance as they edged West Bend West, 125-123. West Bend East finished third with 104.5 points followed by Germantown's 83 points. Kewaskum scored a solid 77.5 points for fifth and Slinger finished sixth with 34 points, followed by Kettle Moraine Lutheran with 11 points.

Kewaskum had two individual winners and one first place in a relay.

Jenna Roecker won the 100m high hurdles with a time of 17.5 seconds and also finished second in the 300m low hurdles with a season best time of 50.7 seconds.

Nicole "Coco" Herrmann won the shot put with a throw of 34'1-3/4" and also placed fifth in the discus with a distance of 91'4".

The Kewaskum 4x200m relay team of Jessi Graham, Breyan Donath, Amanda Donath, and Becky Herriges won with a season best time of 1:51.4.

Graham also placed second in the pole vault with a season best height of 8'6". Herriges also finished third in the 100m dash with a time of 13.7 seconds and also placed fourth in the long jump with a personal best of 15'9-1/2".

Jessi Graham and Brey-

an Donath finished fourth and fifth in the 200m dash with season best times of 27.91 and 28.1 seconds respectively.

The Kewaskum 4x400m relay team of Herriges, Breyan Donath, Roecker and Graham ran well and finished third with a time of 4:18.6. WBW won the relay with a time of 4:12.

Amanda Donath finished fifth in the 400m dash with a time of 66.4 seconds and sixth in the 100m high hurdles with a time of 18.6 seconds. Julia Benson of Hartford won the 400m dash with a time of 59.3 seconds.

Jolene Clark tied for fifth in the high jump at 4'8". The 4x100m relay team of Katie Fahney, Katie Patterson, Jessie Butler and Amanda Magnus finished fifth with a season best time of 56.3 seconds. WBE won the 4x100m relay with an impressive time of 52.3 seconds.

Rachel Dums finished sixth in the 300m low hurdles with a time of 53.0 seconds to conclude the scoring for Kewaskum.

"We had better efforts tonight. I am very proud of the effort the girls make. Jessi Graham pole vaulted very well and then her and Breyan Donath both ran their best 200m dash times of the season. Becky Herriges jumped very well in the long jump. Those three and Amanda Donath ran a very good time in the 4x200m relay tonight," concluded Coach Gosa.

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KHS Boys Second At County Outdoor



Freshman Josh Meyer is making an impressive showing this season according to head coach Jerry Gosa. Meyer finished second in the 1600m run at the Washington County Outdoor Championships and finished third at the Alzheimer meet Friday. Meyer is shown to the left with an Elkhorn runner.

By Jerry Gosa

HARTFORD -- The Kewaskum boys' track team finished second at the Washington County Outdoor Championships with 91 points on Tuesday, April 23, at Hartford.

West Bend West won the team title with an impressive 135.5 points. Slinger finished third with 78 points followed by Hartford with 74.5 points. Germantown finished fifth with 69 points followed by West Bend East with 68 points and then Kettle Moraine Lutheran with 42 points.

Kewaskum's 91 points and second place finish is the KHS boys' team best in over 12 years.

Chris Canter won both the 100m dash and the 200m dash with times of 11.7 seconds and 23.1 seconds respectively. Canter's teammate, Tony Fitts, placed second in the 200m dash with a time of 23.9 seconds. Canter also placed fourth in the long jump with a jump of 20'2". Jerad Yapp of WBE won the long jump with a jump of 21'0". Canter was unable to run the 400m dash because of illness. Nick Brzeski of WBW and Canter were expected to battle it out for the 400m title. Brzeski won with a time of 50.8 seconds.

Troy Koefel won the shot put with a personal best throw of 50'6", almost one foot better than the rest of the county's shot putters. Koefel also placed fourth in the discus with a throw of 126'8" just behind teammate David Cibulka, who finished third with a distance of 134'10". Eric Brace of WBW won with a distance of 136.11".

Josh Meyer, a freshman, finished second in the

1600m run with a personal best time of 4:50.3. Joe Miller of Slinger won the 1600m race with a time of 4:40.7. Meyer also finished sixth in the 800m run with a time of 2:11.3, and again it was Miller of Slinger who posted the fastest time of the field in the 800m race with a time of 2:03.2.

The Kewaskum 4x100m relay team of Josh Uelmen, Tom Ogi, Matt Hartmann and Tony Fitts finished second to Germantown with a time of 46.2 seconds compared to the winner's time of 43.8 seconds.

The same Kewaskum foursome committed a couple of poor handoff exchanges in the 4x200m relay and consequently finished fourth with a time of 1:37.0. Germantown won with an incredible time of 1:30.0. "We definitely need to practice handoffs," commented Coach Jerry Gosa.

The Kewaskum 4x800m relay team of Josh Meyer, Tom Ramthun, Bryan Kraft and Alex Herriges finished third with a time of 8:50.8. Germantown won with a time of 8:18.2.

Tom Ogi tied for third in the high jump with a height of 5'10". Matt Hartmann tied for fourth in the 300m intermediate hurdles with a time of 43.4 seconds and also placed sixth in the triple jump with a personal best of 39'8-1/2". Bryan Kraft finished sixth in the 3200m run with a time of 11:08.

The Kewaskum 4x400m relay team of David Wicklund, Tom Ramthun, Josh Uelmen, and Adam Woebeking finished fifth with a time of 3:47.1 to conclude the scoring for Kewaskum.

Boys Repeat as Invite Champions, Setting Two KHS School Records



Shown left to right Chris Baker takes off after receiving the baton from Bryan Kraft in the 4x800m relay team. The foursome of Baker, Kraft, Tom Ramthun and Josh Meyer have already broken the school record twice this season.

By Jerry Gosa

PEWAUKEE - The Kewaskum boys' track and field team won the eight team Alzheimer Track Invitational for the second year in a row, Friday night, April 26.

Kewaskum scored 173 points to win the title compared to 123 points for Elkhorn. Host Pewaukee finished third with 82 points and New Berlin Eisenhower finished fourth with 63 points.

The Kewaskum boys set two new school records. The 4x800m relay team of Josh Meyer, Tom Ramthun, Bryan Kraft and Chris Baker broke their own school record that they set just one week earlier at the Cougar Invitational with a time Friday night of 8:42.6 (eight minutes and 42.6 seconds). Chris Canter also set a new mark in the 400m dash with a time of 51.13 seconds.

Canter and Bill McCarthy of Pewaukee battled the first 300 meters of the race, with Canter taking the lead down the stretch to the finish line. Canter also scored big points finishing second in both the 100m dash and 200m dash with times of 11.54 seconds and 23.48 seconds.

Troy Koefel had a great night for the Indians winning the discus and placing second in the shot put with career best throws in both events. Koefel added on almost eight feet in the discus with his winning throw of 134'3" and teammate David Cibulka placed third with a throw of 131'5".

In the shot put Koefel improved from 50'6" to 51'8-1/4". Ryan Saggau of Pewaukee won the shot put with a throw of 52'3".

Matt Hartmann had a big night winning the 300m intermediate hurdles with a personal best time of 41.88

seconds, placing second in the triple jump with a distance of 37'7-1/4", and running on both the winning 4x100m relay and second finishing 4x200m relay.

Matt really went out and attacked the first hurdle and kept his focus the whole race. Hartmann's teammate Mike Wagner finished third in the 300m hurdles and fourth in the 110m high hurdles, both with personal best times of 44.73 seconds and 17.83 seconds.

Tony Fitts competed in the long jump the first time this season and won with a distance of 19'5". Fitts hampered by an achilles tendon problem during the first half of the season has been training hard lately and is making good progress. Fitts teamed with Hartmann, and Tom Ogi and Josh Uelmen to win the 4x100m relay with a time of 46.09 seconds.

The same foursome ran a time of 1:36.29 in the 4x200m relay, but finished second to Elkhorn because of a couple of poor handoffs. Fitts also finished fourth in the 200m dash with a time of 23.71 seconds.

Mike McKee, who has been working hard to regain his form from last season, won the pole vault with a jump of 12' which equals his personal best from last year. Teammate Kurtis Cochran placed third at 11' to give Kewaskum 16 points in pole vaulting.

Josh Meyer continues to make great progress in both 1600m run and the 800m run. Meyer finished third in both events running a season best time of 4:41.7 in the 1600m run and 2:07.2 in the 800m run.

Meyer's teammate Chris Baker also ran season best times finishing fourth in the 800m run with a time of 2:09.2 and fifth in the 1600m run with a time of 4:56.2. Alex Herriges

returning from an injury ran a time of 2:17 in the 800m run, but did not place.

Bryan Kraft finished sixth and broke the 11 minute mark in the 3200m run for the first time in his career with a time of 10:52.4. The miles Bryan and Tom Ramthun put in this winter are really starting to pay off. The distance runners have made great progress this season and are scoring big points for the team.

Tom Ogi and Brian Cotter placed third and fourth in the high jump with season best jumps of 5'10" and 5'6". Chris Canter struggled with his steps but still placed fourth in the long jump with a distance of 17'6-1/4". Ogi also placed eighth in the 200m dash with a time of 24.9 seconds. Nate Steiner ran the 110m high hurdles in a season best time of 20.7, but did not place.

The Kewaskum 4x400m relay team was forced to run without regulars Matt Hartmann who subbed in the 4x100m relay for injured Andy Lickel; and David Wicklund, who went home sick from school on Friday.

Hurdler Mike Wagner, distance runner Tom Ramthun, 100m dash man Josh Uelmen, and newly converted sprinter Adam Woebeking did a good job and combined for a third place finish with a respectful time of 3:49.29.

The 600m repeats that the sprinters, distance runners, and hurdlers run in practice give them enough stamina to run the demanding 400m splits.

A lot of great efforts by everyone contributed to the team victory.

KEWASKUM INDIANS SPORTS

Graham Sets School Pole Vault Record

KHS Girls Repeat As Altheimer Invite Champs

By Jerry Gosa

PEWAUKEE - The Kewaskum girls' track and field team won the eight team Altheimer Track Invitational for the second year in a row Friday night, April 26. Kewaskum scored 141 points to 112 points for host Pewaukee.

Pewaukee's distance runners, who placed high at last fall's WIAA State Cross Country Meet, scored big points in the 3200m, 1600, and 800m runs, but Kewaskum was able to offset those points and win. Elkhorn finished third with 83 points.

Kewaskum won five individual events, two relays and had two athletes place in six events.

Jessi Graham won the pole vault and set a new school record with a jump of nine feet. The previous record of 8'7" was set by Jackie Krueger in 2001. Graham first cleared 8'6" the previous Tuesday at the Washington County Outdoor in Hartford, and has shown very good improvement in this event the last week.

Teammates Betsy Marx and Johnnajo Schicker placed fourth and fifth in the pole vault for an additional six team points with heights of 7'6" and 7' respectively.

Breyan Donath ran extremely well and won the 200m dash with a personal best time of 28.87 seconds. Breyan's teammate Jessi Graham finished third in the 200m dash with a time of 28.25 seconds. Breyan teamed with Graham, Rachel Dums, and Amanda Magnus earlier in the meet for the win in the 4x200m relay in 1:53.68.

Dums and Magnus did a good job subbing on the 4x200m relay team for Becky Herriges and Amanda Donath, so that Herriges and Donath could run in the very next event, the 400m dash. That decision proved to be worth 18 points as Herriges won the 400m dash and Amanda Donath ran very well and placed second with times of 1:03.49 and 1:04.57 respectively.

Herriges, besides winning the 400m dash and running on the winning 4x400m relay, also placed second in the long jump with a distance of 14'4-1/2" and fourth in the 100m dash with a time of 13.81 seconds. Rachel Dums finished fifth in the 100m dash with a time of 14.74 seconds.

Jenna Roecker ran two very good hurdle races Friday night. Roecker won the 300m low hurdles and finished second in the 100m high hurdles with personal



Shown left to right is Jessi Graham finishing third and Breyan Donath finishing first in the 200m dash at the Altheimer Invitational in Pewaukee. The KHS girls team defended their title and won the meet again this year.

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best times of 50.18 seconds and 16.43 seconds respectively. Amanda Donath finished fifth in the high hurdles with a personal best time of 17.34 seconds.

The 4x400m relay team of Graham, Breyan Donath, Roecker and Herriges returned to the top of the podium winning the 4x400m relay with a time of 4:19.95.

Nicole "Coco" Herrmann won the shot put with a season best throw of 35'3" and also placed third in the discus with a throw of 85'9". Jolene Clark placed second in the high jump with a season equaling her best jump of 5'0" and teammate Kayla McCormack also equaled her season best with a jump of 4'10" good for fourth place. McCormack also picked up another fourth place with her personal best time of 2:45.2 in the 800m run.

The 4x100 relay team of Megan Butler, Katie Paterson, Amanda Magnus and Jessie Butler finished fourth with a time of 56.82 seconds.

"Great effort by the girls' team. I am glad that they won, but actually more proud of the effort they made. It is definitely a nice team victory," concluded Coach Jerry Gosa.

The Kewaskum boys' and girls' track teams compete at the Vanderpan Invitational on Friday, May 3, and then host the Eastern Wisconsin Conference Track and Field Championships on Thursday, May 9.

Lady Indians Pound Kiel

By Kyle Darmody
Student Reporter

The Kewaskum girls varsity fastpitch team hosted Kiel on Tuesday for an Eastern Wisconsin Conference matchup. The Indians pounded Kiel and came away with a 9 to 1 win.

The Indians had no problems putting up runs on the weak Kiel defense, especially in the third inning where they scored five out of their nine runs. With the five runs came an unexpected and unwanted surprise, catcher Kala Rettler awkwardly twisted her ankle,

while running out a successful sacrifice bunt.

Rettler, the Indians only catcher, was forced to hand the job off to unexperienced Steph Schnable, who fared well, considering the tough situation.

The Indians defense was also solid, before and after Rettler's injury. Led once again by pitcher Kala Sauer, the Indians defense shut out the Raiders for six innings, before giving up Kiel's only run in the last inning. The Indians now 5-6 hope to improve their record to above .500 in a double header at Two Rivers, on Monday.

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