

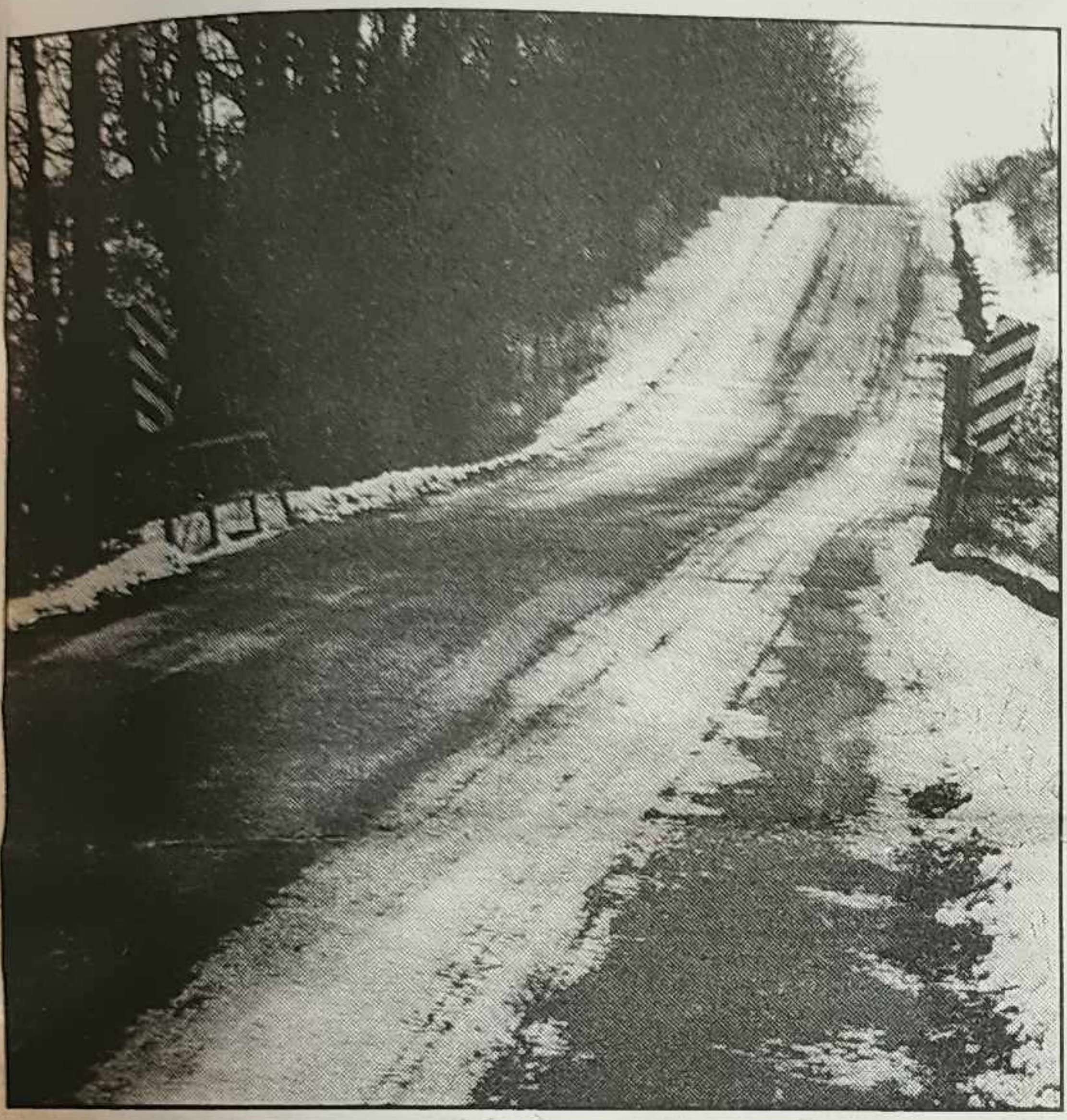
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T.Kewaskum Officials Friends Planning Mardi Gras Dance for March 5 Look at Future Road Improvement



Shown above is a view of County Line Road in the Town of Kewaskum. At their December meeting town supervisors and the chairman decided that money will be budgeted to fix the roadway and bridge. Town Chairman Mike Lettow stated in a later interview that he hoped the town could receive some state money for the bridge project. He further stated that the town will be asking the Town of Auburn if they would like to participate in the project since a mile of the road is in their township. Increased traffic and safety concerns by residents prompted the town to take action on mending the road. Lettow also hoped that the town could budget the money over two to four years so they would not have to borrow the money.

Statesman Photo: Andrew Kuehl

Village Board Ok's Plan for Development

By Andrew Kuehl
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The Kewaskum Village Board voted Monday to support a plan offered by Tom Timblin for a senior citizen apartment complex consisting of 122 units. Timblin originally came to the village's planning commission with 132 units but due to not meeting side yard requirements the project was scaled back. In front of the planning commission Timblin stated

that most of those units, would be in a very attractive three story brick building with underground parking and elevators.

The other units would be four family duplex ranch units. They would be single story brick structures and have one or two car garages.

Timblin further said the floor plans will vary to fit the needs of everyone.

The development would be located on Pleasantwood

Please see Development: Page 2

The Friends of Kewaskum have announced their plans for a Mardi Gras celebration scheduled for Friday, March 5, at the Amerahn in Kewaskum.

Tentative plans for the event include an authentic Mardi Gras buffet, a dance featuring popular entertainer Downtown Harrison and lots of beads, masks, games, fun and surprises.

It has been hinted that unless the Friends sponsor a Ms. Mardi Gras contest, the male counterparts nominated to participate in the previous Kettle Kountry Kolors Mr. October contest, will go under formal protest and storm the citadel. So the Ms. Mardi Gras contest will definitely be on the top of the agenda at the Friends Meeting on Saturday, January 10 at the Statesman at 10 a.m.

If you have any ideas regarding the Mardi Gras celebration, the Ms. Mardi Gras contest, or Kettle Kountry Kolors 2004, or would just like

to become involved in a great bunch of "Friends," please feel free to join in at the meeting.

The Friends are always looking for additional volunteers who would like to put a little time and effort into unique fundraisers designed to raise monies to donate back into the community.

A special committee has been created inside the Friends group to begin work on an auditorium fund for the community. This committee is just forming and needs alot of manpower for this huge undertaking. A portion of the proceeds that were donated to the Holiday Memorial Wreath has already been earmarked for the auditorium fund.

Whether you have just a little time or alot, consider joining the Friends of Kewaskum. There are no dues, there are no mandatory meetings or commitments, just a great bunch of people who want to have fun making things better.

Two Vie for Seats On KSD Board

By Nicole Kuehl
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At the close of the day Tuesday, January 6, two candidates had taken out and returned papers for the two seats up for election on the Kewaskum Board of Education.

The two seats were occupied by current board vice president Mark Steinhardt, who filed non-candidacy papers, and Tammy Weyer, who was appointed to a one-year position, and is now up for re-election.

Steinhardt, has served on the board since he was elected for a three year term in April of 2001. He is currently the chair of the Finance-Transportation-Building and Grounds committee and also serves on the negotiations committee. Steinhardt could not be reached for comment.

Tammy Weyer was appointed to the board in June

of 2003 to finish out the last year of John Schulte's term. She will serve a full term if elected. Weyer currently serves on the Policy Committee. Weyer has been very involved in the researching of technology/computers for the school district.

Neal Weare, who is no stranger to the board, is once again hoping for a seat. Weare also competed for the seat that Weyer won, and also an earlier seat that was won by Beth Steiner. Weare served on the board from 1988 to 1996 and also ran for a seat in April of 2002.

Anyone who is interested in the position may still campaign as a write-in candidate. If the write-in candidate would receive more votes then one of the candidates on the ballot, they would receive the seat.

The Statesman will be running information on the spring elections in upcoming editions.

NEWS BRIEFS

● **FRIENDS OF KEWASKUM MEETING-** changed to Saturday, Jan. 10 at 10 a.m. in The Statesman office.

● **TOWN OF KEWASKUM-** officials finalized cost details on re-vamping the town's code of ordinances. The town had not made amendments to the code since 1996. They spent \$3,700 and made the appropriate changes. The major change was computerizing the ordinances so changes can be made easier in the future. The town will have books available for purchase at a later date.

● **KOHLVILLE KRUISERS-** Will be holding their annual brat fry/fisheree at The Hitching Post in Kohlsville, on Sunday. The Brat Fry runs from 10:30 AM - 6:00 PM and the Fisheree runs from 6:00 AM - 3:00 PM.

● **C-SPORT K.C. BLOOD DRIVE-** will be held Tuesday, January 12 from 11:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. inside Campbellsport Elementary School located on CTH W.

● **LIBRARY TO HOLD MAGAZINE SALE -** on Friday, January 16 and Saturday, January 17. The sale will run from 1 to 5 p.m. on Friday and from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday. They will be selling all of their 2002 year magazines, in complete sets, for \$2.00 per bundle. The library has over 70 subscriptions, a complete list of which can be found on their website - www.kewaskum.lib.wi.us. They are also accepting donations of clean, gently-used magazines that are 1-2 years old.

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ON THE RECORD

LUNCH MENUS

KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday, Jan. 12 -- Golden chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes & gravy, warm apple slices, green beans, bread & a brownie cookie. *Meatloaf & gravy. (2) Hamburger/bun.

Tuesday, Jan. 13 -- Ham & turkey submarine sandwich, French fries, tangy baked beans & Frito Lay Cheetos. *Johnsonville bratwurst bun. (2) Hamburger/bun.

Wednesday, Jan. 14 -- Elem. Surprise Day! Chicken patty/bun, twister fries, peach slices & an oatmeal cookie w/craisins. *Mexican salad bar. (2) Hamburger/bun.

Thursday, Jan. 15 -- Chef Boyardee ravioli, warm French bread, broccoli & cheese sauce, corn & a green apple juice treat. *Cheese stuffed potato skins. (2) Hamburger/bun.

Friday, Jan. 16 -- Cheese-fries w/marinara sauce, pear slices, fresh veggies & Hidden Valley Ranch dip, applesauce & a molasses kringle cookie. *B.B.Q. pork/bun. (2) Hamburger/bun.

HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL

Monday, Jan. 12 -- Spaghetti, golden corn, bread w/butter, pears, oatmeal bar, milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 13 -- Meatball/meatloaf, whipped potatoes w/gravy, green beans, peaches, dinner roll, Amish sugar cookie, milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 14 -- Breaded or grilled chicken patty on a bun, broccoli/cauliflower, pineapple, cookie, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 15 -- Stromboli, peanut butter/jelly sandwich, orange wedges, fruit cup, Kit Kat bar, milk.

Friday, Jan. 16 -- Hot turkey slice on a bun, fluffy rice, buttered carrots, applesauce, cookie, milk.

ST. LUCAS SCHOOL

Monday, Jan. 12 -- Hamburger/cheeseburger, fries, mandarin oranges, Rice Krispie bar.

Tuesday, Jan. 13 -- Baked potato bar or macaroni & cheese, chicken steak, peas, peaches, Jello cup.

Wednesday, Jan. 14 -- Turkey slice/bun, tri-tator,

pears, pickle spears, peanut butter cookie.

Thursday, Jan. 15 -- Toasted cheese sandwich, tomato or chicken soup, pickle spears, mixed fruit, cherry cake.

Friday, Jan. 16 -- Fish nuggets, tator tots, pineapple, apple crisp.

ST. MATTHEWS SCHOOL

Monday, Jan. 12 -- No School.

Tuesday, Jan. 13 -- Ground beef & gravy, mashed potatoes, garden salad, peas, apple or orange, dinner roll, milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 14 -- Chicken nuggets, potato salad or chips, green beans, kiwi or melon, pudding cup, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 15 -- Turkey sandwich, potato wedges, coleslaw, cranberries, mixed fruit, milk.

Friday, Jan. 16 -- Grilled cheese, tomato soup, raw veggies & dip, banana or grapes, bar, milk.

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Tuesday, Jan. 13 -- Chicken noodle soup, cabbage roll, garlic mashed, potatoes, garden blend vegetables, sourdough bread, brownie.

Wednesday, Jan. 14 -- Chicken quarters w/bbq sauce, baked potato w/sour cream marinated vegetable salad, French bread, chocolate chip cookie.

Thursday, Jan. 15 -- Pork chop, cornbread stuffing, Italian green beans, cinnamon applesauce, biscuit, Louisiana crunch creme cake.

Bingo every Monday, 10 - 11:30 a.m. Bring 50¢ prize to participate.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM

Adeline Bath to Frank and Paula Kutz, \$16,071.

Lorena Ramel and Frank Kutz to Frank and Paula Kutz, \$74,858.

Michael and Heidi Theisen to Rodger and Judith Fisher, \$152,900.

Ramko LLC to Leeroy and Margaret Swanson, \$57,900.

TOWN OF KEWASKUM

Elizabeth Edwards to David and Lanette Adkins, \$39,900.

Mark Bledsoe and Mark Chad Bledsoe to Brian Derewicz and Karrin Miller.

TOWN OF FARMINGTON

Richard and Kimberle Dahl to Joseph Novotny, \$314,900.

Ervin Degner to Boltonville Volunteer Fire Dept., \$3,000.

TOWN OF WAYNE

Jack Walters & Sons Corp to AVEL Properties LLC, \$140,000.

Norbert Klumb to Sara Dedert, \$115,000.

Christopher and Susanne Bakken to David and Janet Schneiss, \$60,000.

VILLAGE OF CAMPBELLSPORT

Arlen and Hazel Ortlieb to Chad Nagel.

Michael and Lynda Strowig to Patrick Nell.

TOWN OF ASHFORD

William Baumhardt to Brian and Wanda Schwartz.

Development

From Page 1

Drive and would extend Timblin Drive past Memorial Drive to Pleasantwood Drive. In order to extend Pleasantwood, Timblin will have to erect a bridge over the Kewaskum Creek that will run through the development.

The parcel of land he is using is west of his home and he plans to divide the property.

The board gave a nod of approval to the plan and Timblin was told to bring a certified survey map to the plan commission showing the divide. Once that is completed and approved he can then move on to rezoning the 23 acre parcel.

Once the plan commission gives a favorable recommendation on the rezoning a public hearing will be held and the village board can approve or deny the request.

Peanut Butter-Molasses Cookies

Yield: 2 dozen

8 Tbsp. (1 stick) unsalted butter
1/2 cup chunky peanut butter
3/4 cup Grandma's Molasses
1 egg
1 1/3 cup flour
1/2 tsp. baking soda
1/2 cup each chopped peanuts and chocolate chips (opt.)

Heat oven to 350°F. Cream butter, peanut butter and molasses until light. Beat in egg. In separate bowl, mix flour with remaining ingredients. Grad-ually combine this into butter mixture. Drop by rounded spoonfuls onto baking sheet. Flatten tops with fork tines. Bake 8 minutes. Remove and cool.



RESCUE CALLS

On December 29, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the Town of Kewaskum for a motor vehicle accident. A transport was made.

On December 30, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person that passed out. A transport was made.

On December 31, Kewaskum Rescue and Boltonville First Responders were dispatched to the Town of Farmington for a person that fell. A transport was made.

On January 1, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person that fell. A transport was made.

On January 2, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person that had a cut to the hand. A transport was made.

On January 4, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the Town of Kewaskum for a motor vehicle accident. A transport was made.

Also on January 4, Kewaskum Rescue and Kohlsville First Responders were dispatched to the Town of Wayne for a person that had difficulty breathing. A transport was made.

New Births

CZUPPA -- A daughter, Jacee Jo, born to Shawn and Tricia, on Dec. 12, 2003. Maternal grandparents are Tony and Sue Butschlick of Kewaskum. Paternal grandparents are John and Sandy Czuppa of West Bend.

GAUDYNSKI -- A son, Carter John LeRoy, born to Bobbi and Joe Gaudynski of Kewaskum, on December 29, 2003. He weighed eight pounds 14 ounces, and was 22 inches long.

THEUSCH -- A daughter, Anna Rose, was born to Erin and Bruce Theusch, Kewaskum, on Saturday, December 27, 2003, at Aurora Sinai Hospital, Milwaukee. She weighed six pounds, six ounces and measured 20 1/2 inches. Paternal grandparents are Ken and Karen Theusch of Kewaskum. Maternal grandparents are Richard and Linda Frey of Sauk City. Paternal great-grandmother is Bonnie Theusch of Kewaskum. Anna Rose joins her sister, Leah, age two, at home.

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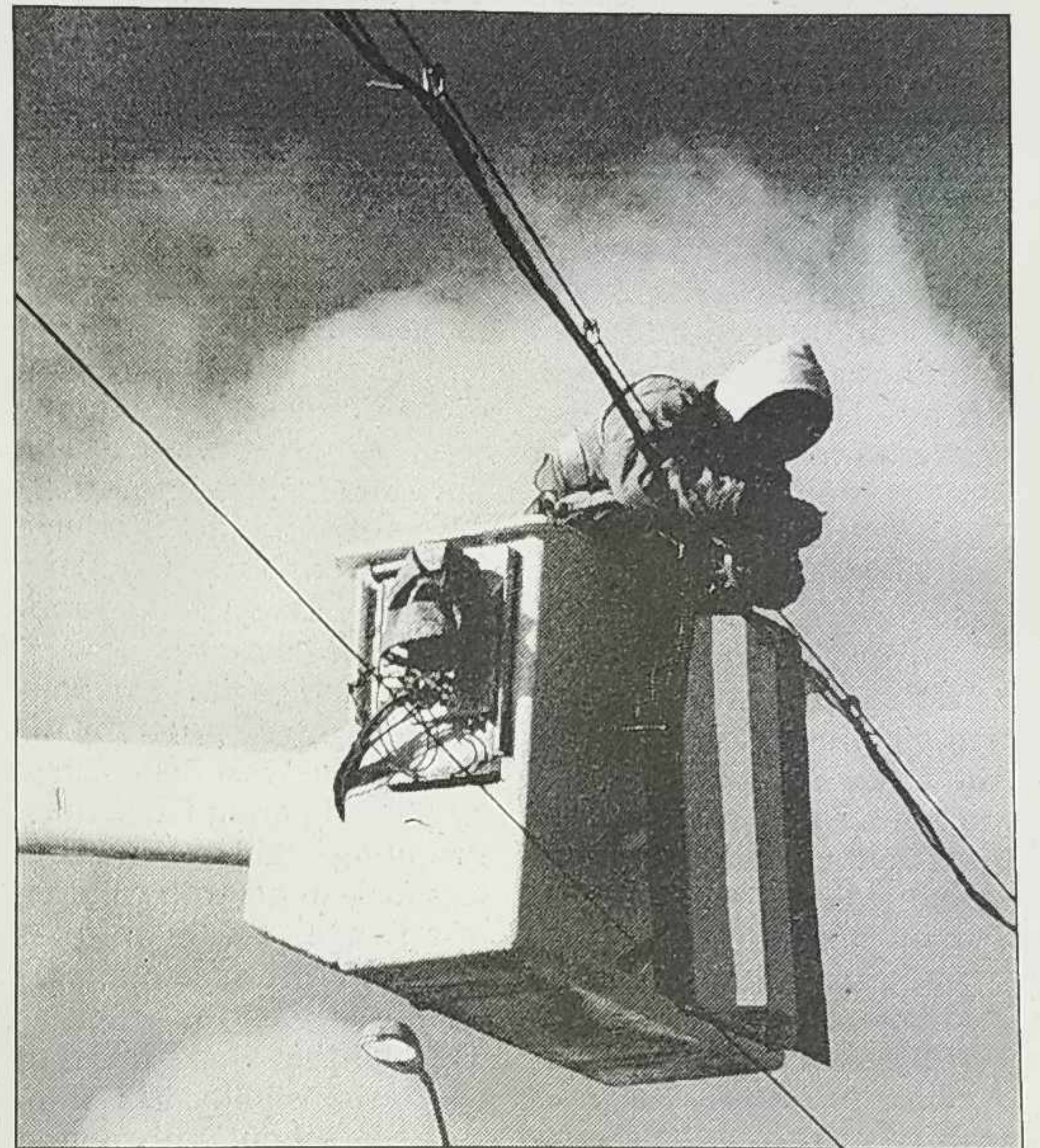
Fire Dept. Responds to Family Dollar



Kewaskum Fire Department along with the rescue squad and police department responded to the Family Dollar in the Kewaskum Mall Tuesday afternoon for a report of smoke coming from the bathroom. Further information was unavailable at press time.

Statesman Photo: Andrew Kuehl

Bone Chilling Job



An electrician from Habermehl Electric of Milwaukee had a chilly job Tuesday as he disassembled temporary traffic lights at the USH 45 and CTH H west intersection. Permanent lights were installed before the holidays and crews from Habermehl and the D.O.T. made them operational Tuesday. After more than three inches of snow Sunday, temperatures in the single digits and windchills in the double negative digits were suffered by all in The Statesman's coverage area early this week.

Statesman Photo: Andrew Kuehl

Maintenance, Computers and Textbooks Items in Possible 2004 Spring Referendum

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maintenance plan that keeps getting pushed off. Items just continually get pushed back and it's gotten to the point that a boiler in one of the schools will need to be replaced without fail within the next year to two years.

The computer/technology portion is becoming a dire need for the district. The students at the high school have very little to no computer access outside of scheduled classroom time. The computers they have are very old to the point of being obsolete. The elementary school received many new computers when it was built, but eventually those will need upkeep/replacement. The students at the new element school have better computers than the middle and high schools.

Parents are concerned that the lack of technology/computers is hampering their children's education and preventing them from being as computer literate as they should be. It was also pointed out that there are not enough computers at the middle and high schools to meet state standards.

There are guidelines for what students should be able to do on computers at different levels and because of the lack of computer lab time, the teachers are neglecting, not by their choice, to teach these things to the students.

The majority of the board is hoping for an April referendum, but will not vote on it until their meeting on Monday. They invite the public to contact them with any questions, comments or concerns they may have. All board members' email addresses are on the school district website www.kewaskum-schools.org.

The Kewaskum Board of Education held a workshop Monday night to discuss with the public ideas for their possible upcoming referendum. The board will not vote on whether or not to have the referendum until their regular board meeting Monday, January 12 at 7 p.m.

A very small group of concerned citizens and parents assembled to discuss openly ideas with the board. Board President Gordie Dickman started the workshop by giving those in attendance a little background on the state of the district and why they felt the need for the possible referendum. He stated that he did not see a bright future for the district until they receive more revenue.

The need for the referendum comes from the fact that the district, obviously, doesn't have much extra money for things that need to be done on a continual basis.

For example, the textbook portion comes in to play due to the fact that the district has had to cut their textbook budget 45% in the last five years.

While the money has been cut again and again, the cost of textbooks continues to rise, making it nearly impossible for the district to replace the textbooks on the five year cycle it would like to keep. The need for the funding for maintenance comes from much of the same thing. The maintenance budget is the thing that gets cut first when the budget needs balancing. The district has a five-year

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Parenting Class Offered at West Bend Clinic

Becoming a parent can bring many of life's most rewarding moments, but raising a child can also have its frustrations and challenges. "Parenting with Love and Logic" presents useful methods to help parents deal with these challenges, improve communication and achieve healthy relationships with their children. The parenting class is offered by the West Bend Clinic, a member of SynergyHealth, and will begin in February.

This six-week series focuses on consistent use of four basic concepts in the Love and Logic program that result in happy, responsible and healthy relationships between children and parents. These concepts include shared control and appropriate ownership, shared thinking/decision making, empathy and consequences, and maintaining a child's self-concept. With guidance and support from parents, consistent use of these techniques teach children how to solve problems, make decisions

and learn from their choices, while developing a sense of self-confidence, respect and responsibility.

"I went through this program as a parent myself, and highly recommend this course for any parent. The thought processes and reactions in my children changed dramatically using the simple rephrasing techniques. The Love and Logic approach really works and makes a huge difference," said Dr. Tony Guthrie, Jackson Clinic Family Practice Physician.

Love and Logic is a nationally recognized program, offered at the West Bend Clinic by trained parent facilitators. Parenting with Love and Logic is for parents with children of any age. Its techniques can benefit numerous parenting situations, such as children that won't listen or take responsibility, lack of interest in school, uncooperative behavior, refusal to complete chores or homework, arguments and more.

Parenting with Love and Logic is a six-week course

held on Mondays, beginning February 16 through March 22, 2004, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. at the West Bend Clinic, 1700 W. Paradise Dr., West Bend. Cost is \$25 per person or \$35 per couple. Class size is limited and pre-registration is required. To register call 262-306-6257.

Love and Logic was founded by Jim Fay, a talented educator with nearly 50 years experience working with children, families and schools, and Foster W. Cline, M.D., an internationally renowned child and adult psychiatrist, lecturer and consultant.

The West Bend Clinic has locations in West Bend, Jackson, Kewaskum and at Cedar Community, and provides ambulatory day surgery services at the West Bend Surgery Center. The West Bend Clinic, a primary care and multi-specialty group with over 50 physicians, is a member of the Synergy-Health regional health system.

Girl Scouts of the USA Announces Appointment of New Chief Executive Officer

NEW YORK - Girl Scouts of the USA announces the appointment of Kathy Cloninger as its Chief Executive Officer. Cloninger brings to the Girl Scouts extensive knowledge in change management, fund development, and program enhancement to meet the needs of today's girls. Cloninger will be based in the organization's New York City headquarters, and report to the 40-person National Board of Directors.

During her tenure as National CEO, Cloninger, in conjunction with the Girl Scouts National Board of Directors, will maximize new opportunities which will continue to provide cutting-edge programs that enhance girls' experiences in such life skills as science, technology, and financial literacy.

"I'm honored to be the new face of leadership for

Girl Scouts of the USA - an organization that instills confidence, strength, and character in the world's future female leaders," said Cloninger. "I know that with Girl Scouts' high-caliber national and regional staff, we will continue to prepare and lead generations of girls and young women."

Cloninger will spearhead an organization that encompasses 320 Girl Scout Councils nationwide, including Girl Scouts of Manitou Council which serves girls and adult volunteers in the seven counties of Calumet, Dodge, Fond du Lac, Manitowoc, Ozaukee, Sheboygan and Washington.

Girl Scouts of the USA is the preeminent organization for girls, and has more than 3.8 million girl and adult members.

County to Conduct Information/ Input Session on West Bend to Eden Trail Corridor Development

The Washington County Planning and Parks Department will be conducting an informational/input session on the West Bend to Eden Trail Corridor Development Project. The public meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, January 8, 2004 in Rooms 1113A and 1113B of the Public Agency Center, 333 East Washington Street in West Bend.

A brief presentation will highlight the history of the rail corridor, the location of the abandoned rail section

that is proposed for trail development and an overview of the future steps necessary to convert the rail corridor into a usable trail.

The public will have an opportunity to comment on the West Bend to Eden Trail Corridor Development and the types of recreational trail uses they would prefer to

have on the trail.

If you have any questions regarding the public information/input meeting, please contact Paul Mueller, Planning and Parks Department Administrator or Debora Sielski, Assistant Administrator for Planning at 262-335-4445.

Campus Notes

EAU CLAIRE - Winter commencement exercises for 643 students at the University of Wisconsin - Eau Claire were Saturday, December 20 in Zorn Arena. A total of 623 students received bachelor's degrees and master's degrees were awarded to 18 students.

Local students who received their degrees and their fields of study are: Emma Chambers, Kewaskum, German, BA and Nicole Martiny, nursing, BSN, Campbell-sport.

Campus Notes

The University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point conferred 600 midyear graduates during the university's 2003 fall commencement services on Saturday, December 13 at Quandt Fieldhouse.

Graduates, their guests and faculty were addressed by Robert Summerfelt, a professor in the Department of Natural Resource Ecology and Management at Iowa State University and 1957 graduate of UWSP.

Members of the class included: Carol Neumann, Elementary Education, BS, Summa Cum Laude; Eric Lieven, Cis-Computer Info Systems, BS, both of Kewaskum and Michael Bowen, Art-Sculpture Emphasis, BFA, Allenton.

National Crossing Guard Recognition Week Jan. 12-16, 2004

The Kewaskum School District would like to say Thank You to:

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COMMUNITY NEWS

St. Lucas Students Celebrate Birth of Jesus



During the month of December, St. Lucas observed the anniversary of Christ's birth in Bethlehem. It was a time to remember He came to earth to save us from our sins and on Judgement Day take us to Him in heaven. Christmas Eve both Sunday School and day school students honored Jesus' birth by singing songs and recitations. Jeremy Zima, left, was the guitarist for the Sunday School for the singing of Silent Night. Sunday school is at 9:15 am. on Sunday mornings. Cory Henning is the music director and Wendi Dreher is the superintendent of Sunday School.

Girl Scout Cookie Sale Jan. 8-25

What comes to your mind when you hear the phrase "Girl Scout Cookies?" For most of us, visions of our personal favorites magically appear complete with that mouth-watering craving for a sweet and delicious treat. But Girl Scout cookies are so much more than a mixture of tasty ingredients. Each box is chock-full of the hopes, dreams and aspirations of girls nationwide.

Girl Scouts in Girls Scouts of Manitou Council will start selling Girl Scout cookies on January 8 and continue through January 25. There are eight varieties offered for sale including the two new varieties, Double Dutch for chocolate lovers and Lemon Coolers, with bite-size bursts of cool lemon flavor and the most popular Thin Mint.

Remember when you buy a box of Girl Scout Cookies; you do so much more than satisfy your sweet tooth. You are helping to support your local Girl Scout organization and the many ways it helps prepare today's girls to become the leaders of tomorrow.

If no Girl Scout comes to your door and you would like to purchase Girl Scout cookies, contact Lois at 262-626-4555.

Girls selling Girl Scout cookies have been part of American life for more than 85 years. In fact, many of

day's top businesswomen credit the Girl Scout Cookie Program Activity as their first entrepreneurial experience.

Through the yearly ritual, Girl Scouts learn to set goals and develop a plan for reaching those goals. Under the watchful and experienced eye of Girl Scout volunteers, they gain first-hand experience in handling money, taking orders, tallying sales and arranging for deliveries. From beginning to end, the Girl Scout Cookie Program Activities are a tested and proven training ground for future business owners, corporate executives and entrepreneurs.

Girl Scouts of Manitou Council, a United Way

Agency, serves more than 5,800 girls and 1,500 adult volunteers in the seven counties of Calumet, Dodge, Fond du Lac, Manitowoc, Sheboygan, Ozaukee and Washington.

K-TOWN SHEEPSHEAD WINNERS

Five handed winners on Tuesday, Dec. 30, were: Butch Schmitt, 74-14-60, 24-7--17; Jerry Darmody, 61-8--53, 16-5--11; Whitey Heisler, 56-9--47, 23-4--19; Shirley Krautkramer, 53-8--45, 19-6--13; Bob Kuells, 55-11--44, 19-7--12; Diane Stern, most losses 17; Judy Lickman low points, 13.

The next 5 handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, Jan. 14th at 7:30 p.m. sharp. Come join the fun. Angie D's K-Town Saloon

Local Residents Participate in West Bend Christmas Parade



Shown above are Katie and Hannah Nelson, Kewaskum, participating in the West Bend Christmas Parade with the Mirror Image Dance Academy's float advertising for their performance of the Nutcracker that was held right before Christmas.

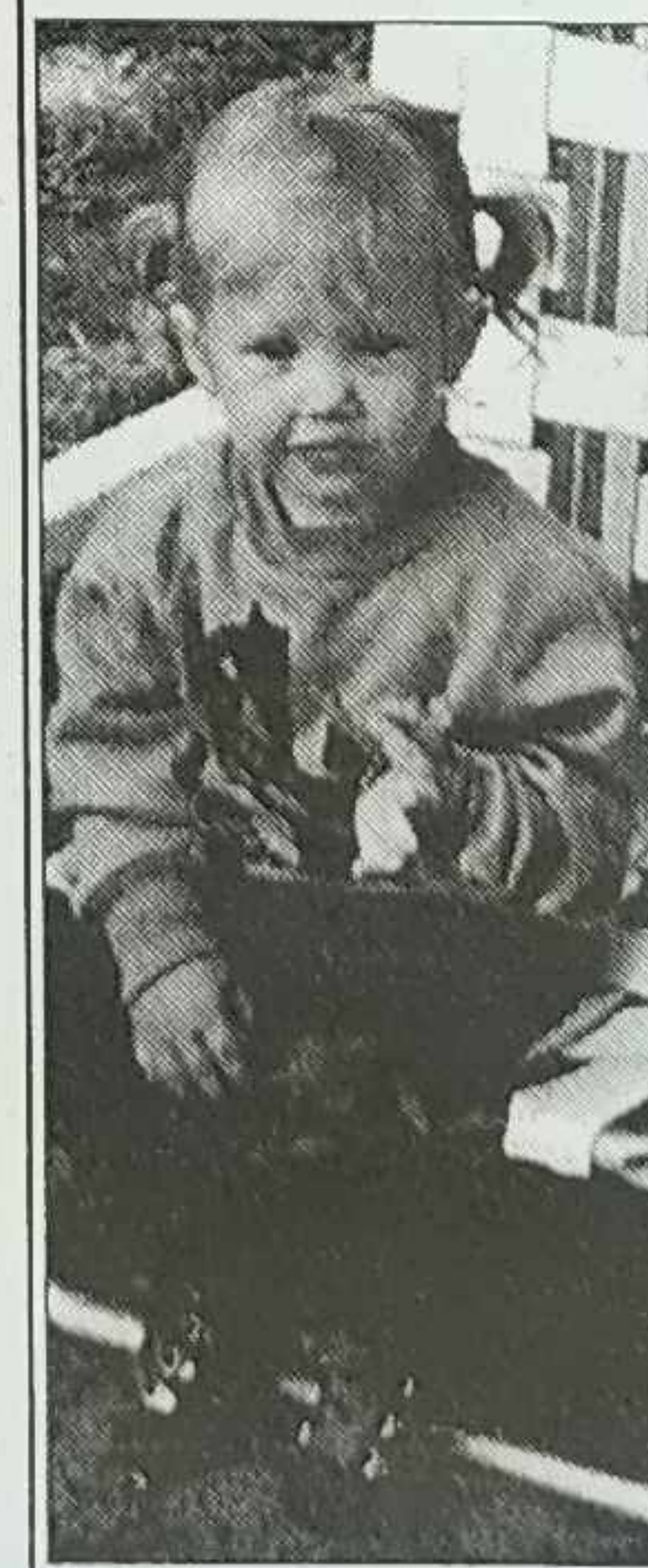
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PEOPLE NEWS

Thull Receives 'Lifetime Achievement Award' From Polka Hall of Fame



Shown above are Bill Thull, right, and his wife Cyrilla.

bands. The fourth generation is on the way!

Currently the Bill Thull Orchestra plays for public dances, firemen's picnics, church functions, and any other occasion where people want to dance and have a good time. For bookings/recordings contact Bill Thull at 2537 Cty. Hwy. H Kewaskum, WI 53040, phone 262-334-3255.

Bill Thull and his wife Cyrilla currently reside on the family farm East of Kewaskum where he is still very active in the partnership with two of his sons.

Campus Notes

TOPEKA - Washburn University has released the names of students who were named to the fall semester President's Honor Roll. To be named to the list, a student must be enrolled in at least 12 semester credit hours and attain a semester grade point average of 4.0.

Local students include: Jean Spangenberg of Campbelsport.

The following individuals from the area were among the more than 1,600 candidates for degree attending the University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee commencement exercises Sunday, December 21 in Milwaukee.

Local students include:

KEWASKUM: David Michael Schneider, BSE, College Engineering/Applied Science and Nicole Jean Averill, BA, College of Letters and Science.

CAMPBELLSPORT: Jeremy Paul Olbrys, BS, School Arch and Urban Planning and Nicole D. Benson, BS, School of Education.

WEST BEND: Jacob Daniel Gundrum, MS, College of Letters and Science; Jessica Ann Sederstrom, BA, College of Letters and Science and Mercedes Anna Hacker, BA, Peck School of the Arts.

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Gretchen Gauger and Anthony Engel have announced their engagement.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Kenneth and Sharon Gauger of Kewaskum and the future groom is the

son of Wolfgang and Cathie Engel of West Bend.

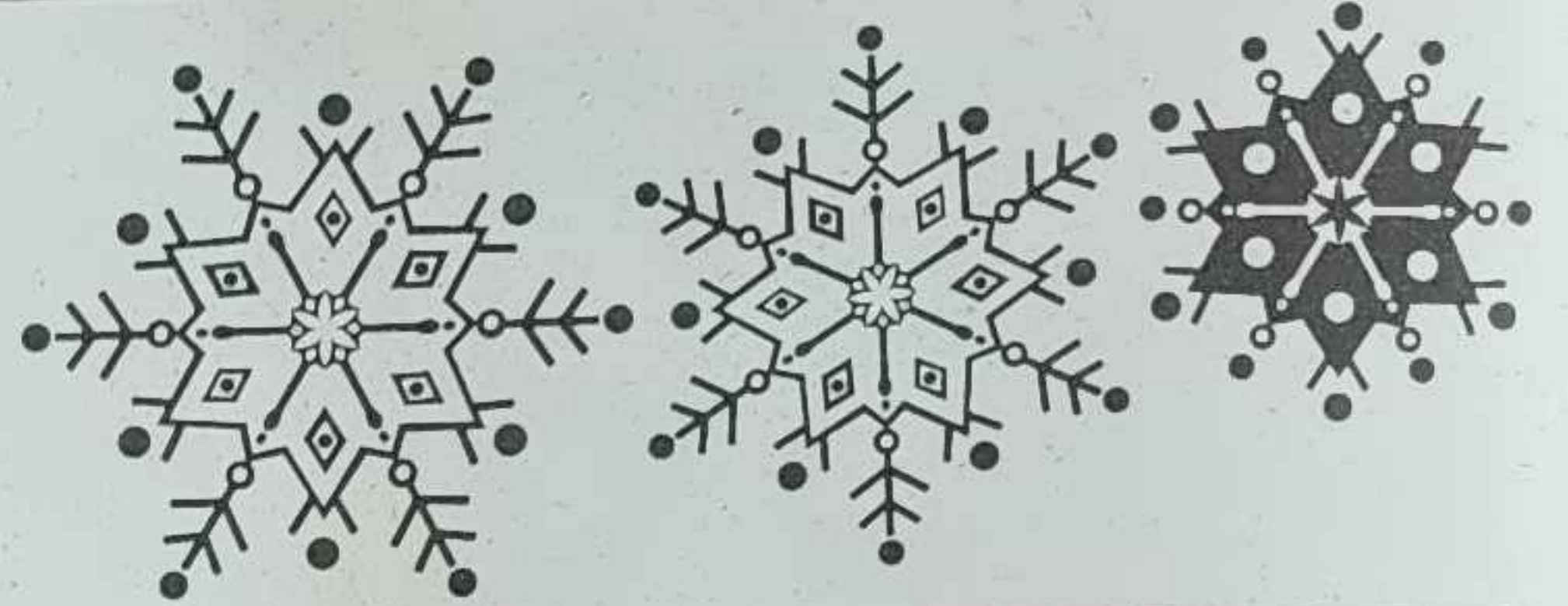
Their wedding will take place at St. Kilian Catholic Church in Hartford on October 9, 2004.

Community Bulletin Board

Birthdays

- Jan. 8: Dick Kuehl
Katie Fahney
- Jan. 9: Danielle Dreher
- Jan. 10: Mark Kuehl
Cooper Schmidt
- Jan. 11: Tanner J. Schmidt
Rick Hansen Sr.

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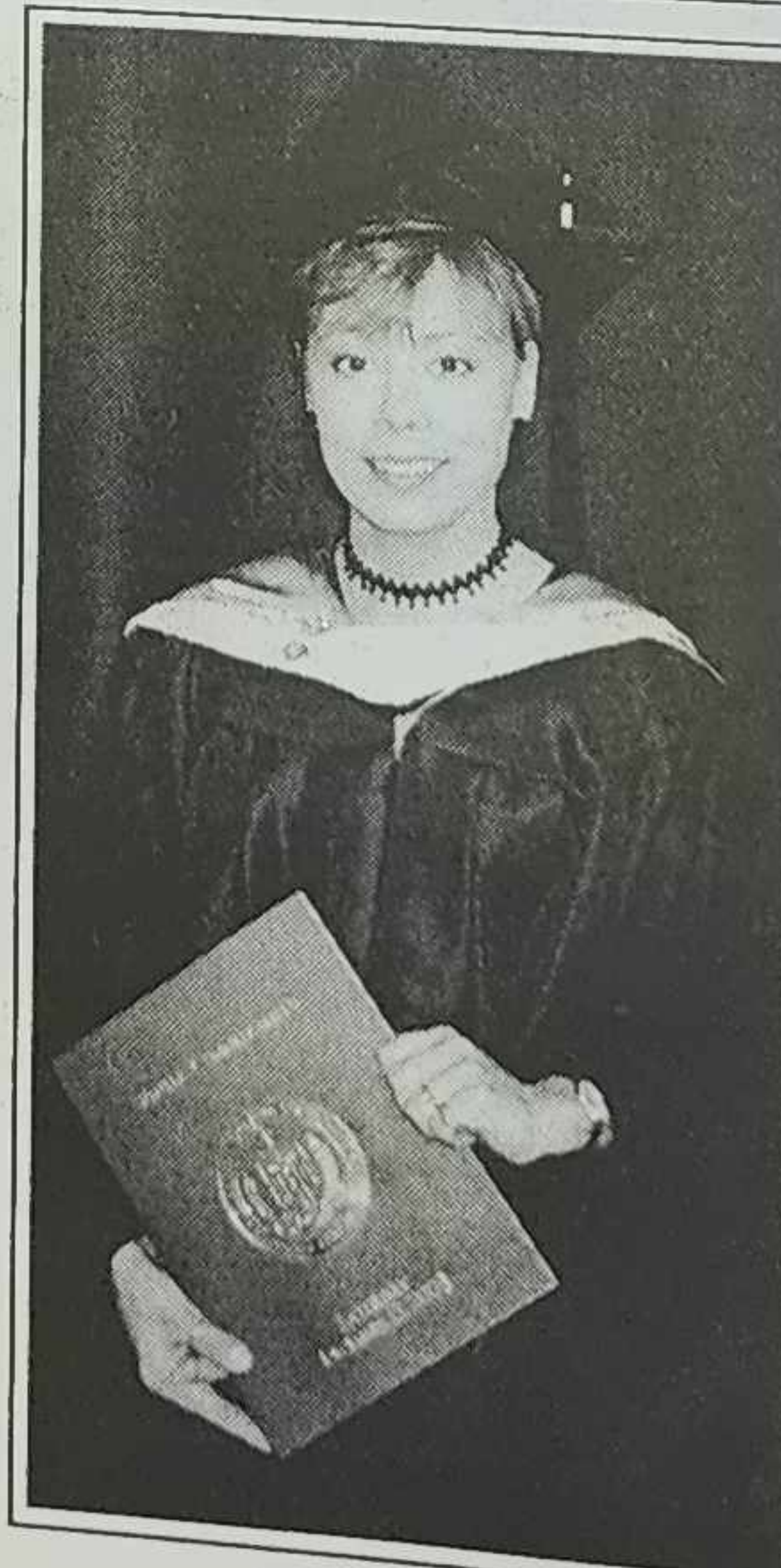
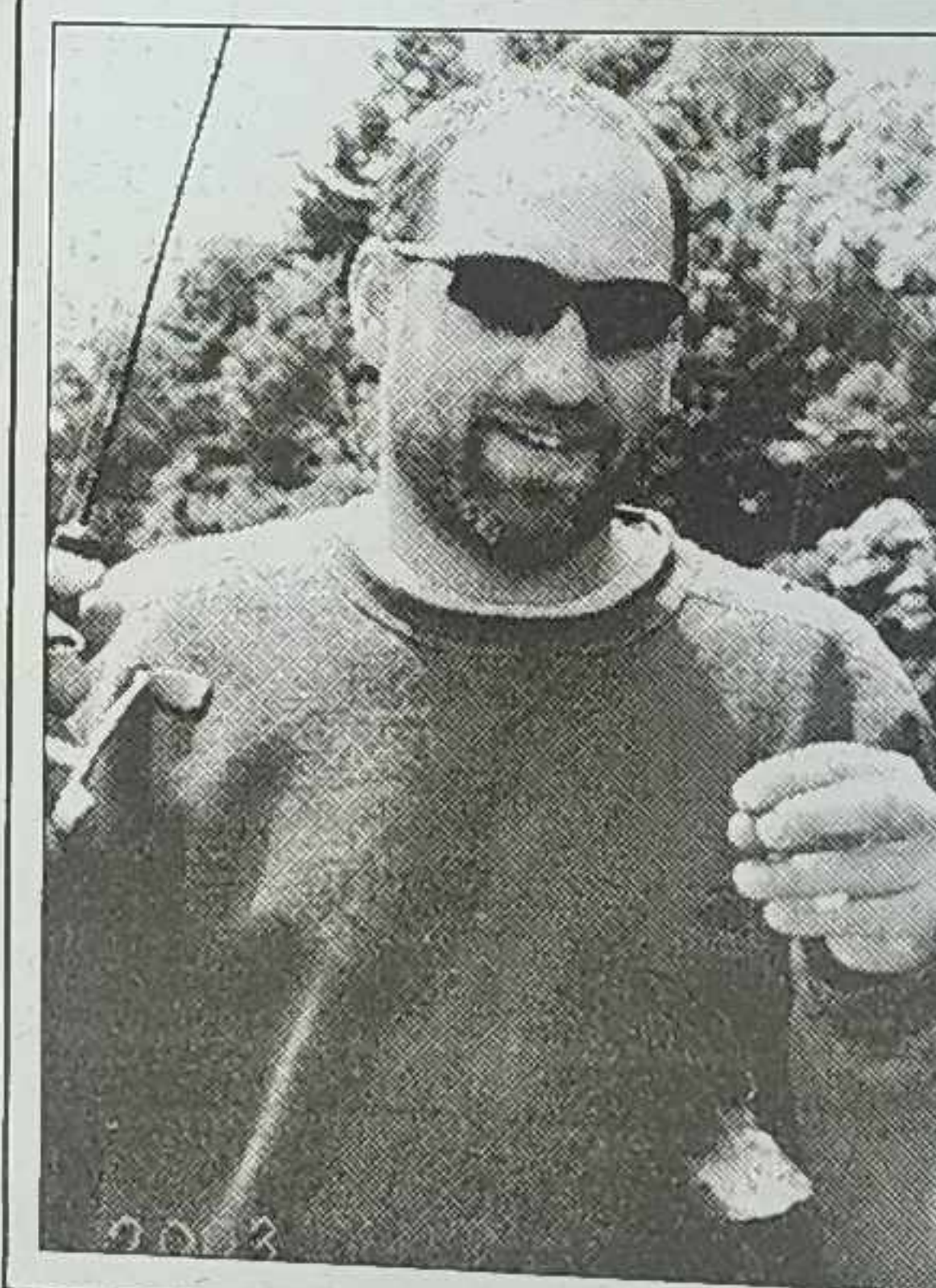
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PFC Jessica Janz is currently stationed in Ansbach, Germany as an M.P. She would love to hear from her hometown!

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LOCAL EVENTS

'Tie the Knot' During County Bridal Expo

The Washington County Fair Park is hosting a contest for eligible residents who would like to "tie the knot" during the Washington County Bridal Expo on February 1, 2004 at 3 p.m. The Fair Park event will give one special couple a wedding to remember, if you are ready and willing to start your married life at the beautiful Washington County Fair Park.

To enter, you must write an essay of 200 words or less why you and your fiancée should be the lucky couple who wins.

To qualify, the bride and groom must be a resident of Wisconsin and

both must be 21 or older. No purchase is necessary. Both the bride and groom will undergo a background check to verify eligibility. Prizes have no cash value and are subject to change. Vendors/employees are not eligible. The essay deadline is January 19, 2004.

Both the bride and the groom must submit the following information by Janu-

To Kewaskum Area Senior Citizens

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ary 19th: complete names, addresses, Social Security numbers, phone numbers, and your

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Come join in for this chance to get your wedding paid for, without taking any money out of your own pocket!

For more information, call 262-677-5060 or visit www.co.washington.wi.us/fpk.

Women's Club Founders Day Luncheon Jan. 17

The Kewaskum Women's Club Christmas Home Decoration Judging Committee would like to thank all who so beautifully decorated their homes in Kewaskum for the holiday season. Plaques were presented to the winners on Saturday, December 20, 2003. Judging was difficult.

The Kewaskum Women's Club will be having their Founders Day Luncheon at noon on Saturday, January 17, 2004 at Woody's Steakhouse in Kewaskum. Attendees will be entertained with renditions by Dorothy Arndt on her marimba.

Lunch is \$12 (tax and tip included) and consists of garden breast of chicken, salad and dessert. Guests are invited and welcome. Please secure your reservation by calling Jean Moe at 262-626-2408 before January 12th.

They hope to see you there!

Long Lake Snow Golf Jan. 24

As you plan your January schedule don't forget to add the annual Snow Golf Tournament, Saturday, January 24, 2004.

Once again, they will be creating a magnificent 9-hole course that will run around the edge of Tittle Lake. Benson's Hide A Way will serve as the clubhouse with tee off starting at 9 a.m.

Prizes are awarded for high male and female scores, team scores, longest drive and longest putt. There will also be a raffle table with many items to take a chance on.

The club will be serving a hot lunch of chili, brats and burgers. This a fund raiser so remember to patronize the food area.

To schedule your tee time and register your team, call Donna Samens at 920-533-4807.

KC Basketball Free-Throw And Knowledge Contest

The Knights of Columbus, Father Casper Rehrl Council 1964 of West Bend in cooperation with the "Wisconsin State Knights of Columbus" is sponsoring a Knowledge and Basketball Free Throw Contest on Saturday, January 10, 2004 at St. Frances Cabrini School, 1025 S. 7th Avenue, West Bend. Park in lot in back of church.

Knowledge Contest is open to all youth grades 5, 6, 7, and 8. They will only be competing against people in their own grade level. The contest will take place at St. Frances Cabrini School, with spelling starting at 10:30 a.m. and math at 11:15. On site registration.

The Basketball Free-Throw contest is open to all youth ages 10-14 inclusive. The contest will take place at St. Frances Cabrini School Gym at 1 p.m. On-site registration starts at 12:30 p.m. Ten and 11 year

olds can use the 12 ft. free throw line - 12, 13 and 14 year olds must use the 15 ft. free throw line. Ten and 11 year old boys and all girls can use the smaller girls ball. Twelve, 13 and 14 year old boys must use the regulation size basketball. Please wear tennis shoes.

These contest are open to all boys and girls irregardless of which school they attend. There are no fees, and registration will be for all on the same day before each event. All materials and equipment will be provided. Basketball participants may bring their own basketball for practice. All first place winners at each event will advance to the next level of competition.

Additional information on the contest may be obtained by calling John P. Beisbier, Knights of Columbus youth director at 262-338-8663.

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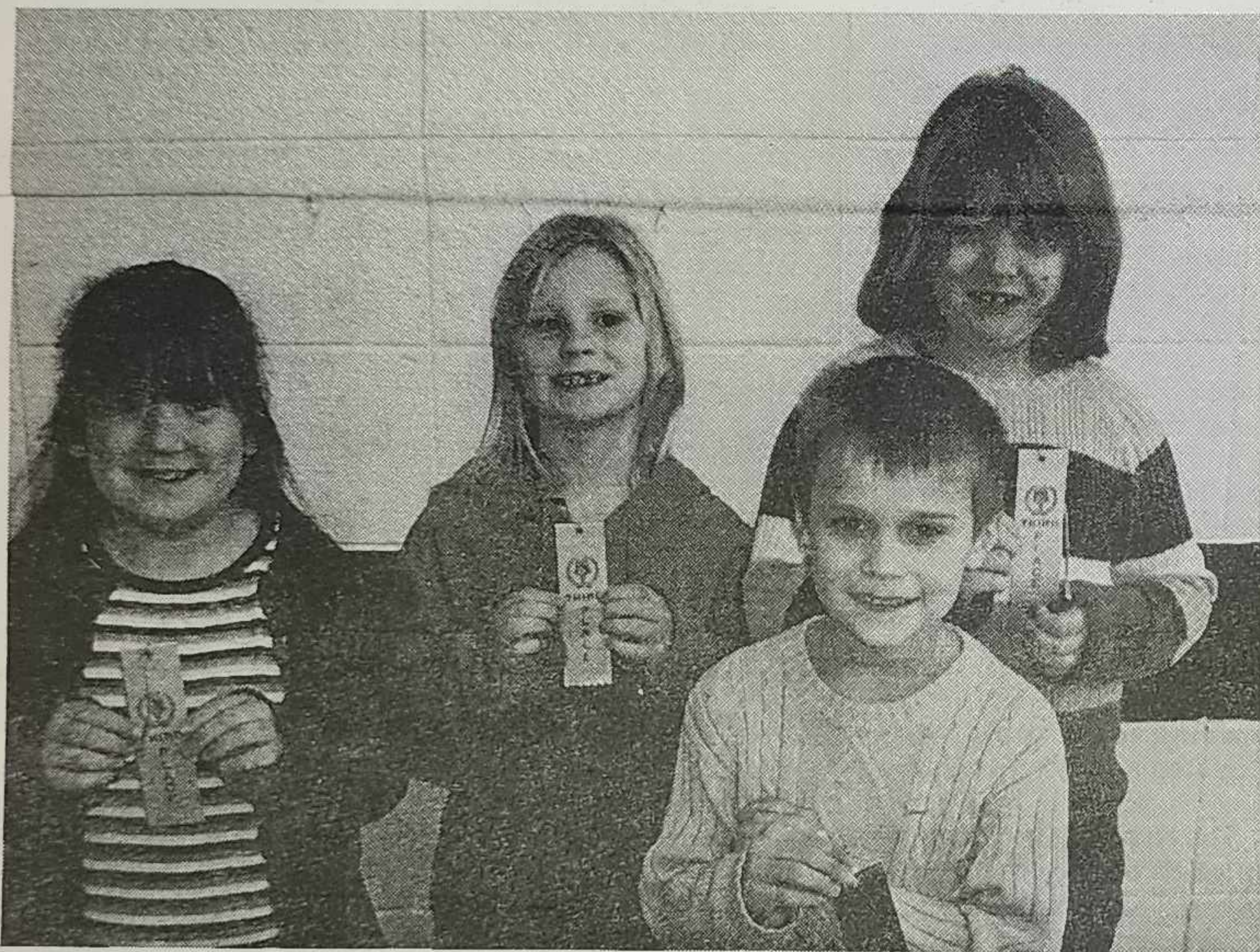
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LOCAL EVENTS

Knights of Columbus Poster Contest Winners



Eden poster contest winners, left to right: Izaak Floyd, Justin Troville, Ali Ottery, Annalea Friedel, Kelly Konen.



St. Matt poster contest winners, left to right: Jodi Newhauser, Summer Shay, Tanner Konen, Jill Batzler.

The Knights of Columbus Bishop Salvator Schlaefel Council #11301, in conjunction with the Wisconsin State Council would like to announce the winners in their local "Christmas Poster Contest" held during the month of December.

This year's contest had 57 participants from St. Matthew's School, Campbellport and Shepherd Of The Hills School in Eden. The contest was open to all students in grades 1-4.

The theme of this year's contest was "The True Meaning of Christmas". Posters were judged on the three following criteria: expression of theme, originality, and artistic quality.

Medallions were awarded for first place winners in each

grade. Ribbons were awarded for second and third place in each grade. In addition the first place winners are eligible to compete at the Diocesan and State levels of competition.

The following students were award winners:

First Grade

First - Ali Ottery (Shepherd Of The Hills School); second - Tanner Konen (St. Matthews School) and third - Summer Shay (St. Matthews School).

Second Grade

First - Izaak Floyd (Shepherd Of The Hills School); second - Kelly Konen (Shepherd Of The Hills School) and third - Jodi Newhauser (St. Matthews School).

Third Grade

First - Annalea Friedel (Shepherd Of The Hills School);

second - Justin Troville (Shepherd Of The Hills School) and third - Jill Batzler (St. Matthews School).

Congratulations to all the award winners as well as all those who competed in this year's competition!

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Historical Society to Present Program on Laura Ingalls Wilder

Most Washington County readers have grown up enjoying the Laura Ingalls Wilder book series often referred to as the "Little House" books. On Saturday, February 7, 2004, the public will have an opportunity to attend a presentation by Lynn Urban entitled "From Pepin to Mansfield and in Between" which is based on the life and writings of Laura Ingalls Wilder.

Lynn Urban is an educator who has been connected with Racine's 1888 Museum school house and with Old World Wisconsin, and she has done extensive research. Dressed in period costume, she shares some of the personal experiences not mentioned in the "Little House" books or in the long-running television series.

There will be a filmstrip video, a display of pictures and artifacts, and time at the end of the program for questions.

The February 7th program will begin at 1:30 p.m. and

will be held in the second floor courtroom of the Washington County Historical Society Museum at 320 South Fifth Avenue, West Bend. Sponsors of the program are the Historical Society, the West Bend Community Memorial Library, and the Washington County Retired Educators. There is no charge for the program; however, space is limited and reservations are necessary. Please call the museum at (262) 335-4678 to make a reservation.

The Washington County Historical Society is a not-for-profit organization which is funded largely through public support. To support the Society please send your check to the Washington County Historical Society, 320 South Fifth Avenue, West Bend, Wisconsin 53095.

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Letter to the Editor:

January 1, 2004

Dear Andy Kuehl
(Managing Editor),

I have been a reader of the Kewaskum Tabloid, oh excuse me, the Kewaskum Statesman, for over a year and half and finally found time to write an opinion of your reporting style.

I am tired of the narrow mindedness, bias, slandering style of news reporting you have to offer to this small town. I am responding to the article on the front page of January 1, 2004 edition introducing Greg Bernau as a candidate for the Kewaskum Village Board. I feel there is no need to bring up old news in a way to form a negative opinion of Mr. Bernau to your readers. You did not call Mr. Bernau for any type of information or background as you supposedly tried to with Mr. Stoltzmann and Mr. Roecker as "neither was available for comment."

I did a little research on Mr. Bernau and found out that he is a thirty-four year old resident of Kewaskum who successfully obtained 37 signatures of residents of Kewaskum to be considered to run for election for the Kewaskum Village Board. He graduated from John Marshall High School located in Milwaukee in 1988 and served one year in the United States Navy. He is currently working full time as office support specialist for Manpower in Milwaukee and is enrolled at Cardinal Stritch University and is graduating with honors in June with his degree in law which he would start in the fall. He has resided in Wauwatosa, Milwaukee, San Diego, CA, Minneapolis, MN, and Houston, TX. In his spare time he is a carpenter and has completed many home remodeling projects around his residence and other acquaintances residences. I did not read any of this information in your article.

I believe that the experience and diversity Mr. Bernau has encountered living in several metropolitan cities might have some positive influence serving on the Kewaskum Village Board. It is time for some new blood and perspectives for the future of Kewaskum.

Respectfully submitted,
Jeffrey Klister

P.S. Pi-Gee, the pot-bellied pig, was not available for comment

Dear Mr. Klister-

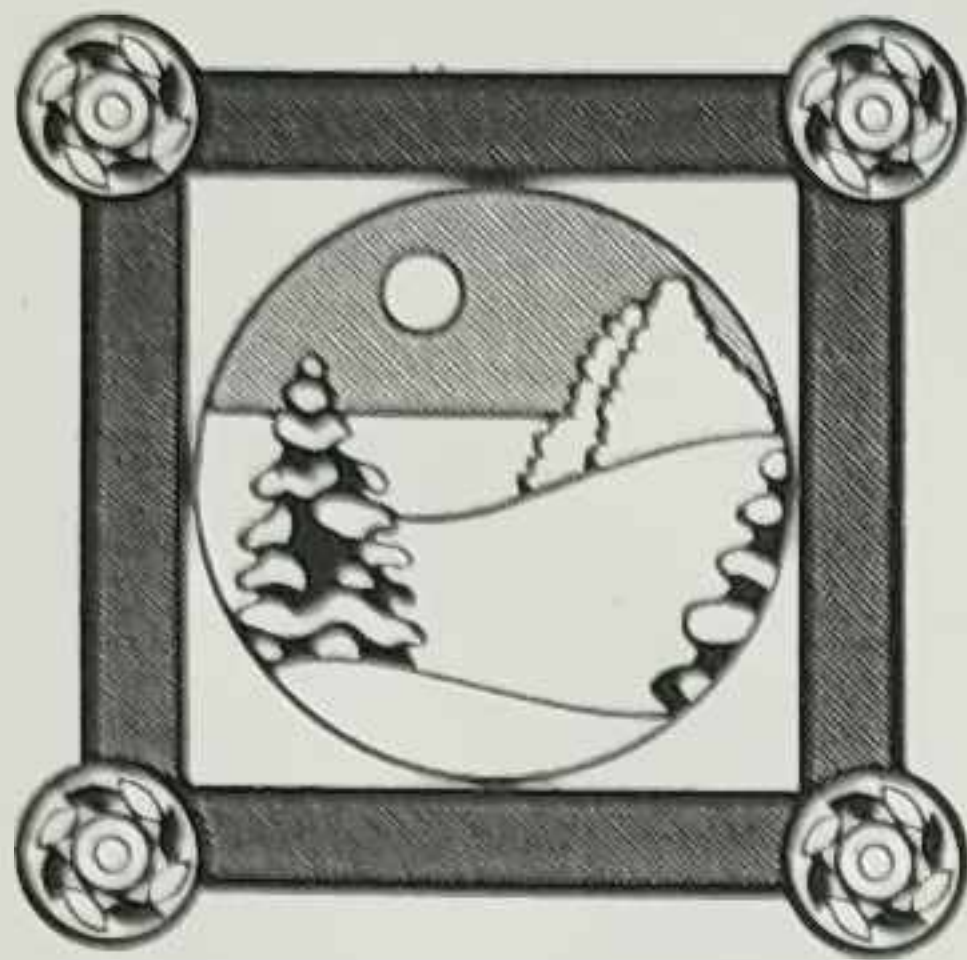
Thank you for reading our publication and bringing your thoughts to my attention. I would like you to realize that the reason Mr. Bernau was not contacted for comment was due to the fact that he officially filed his candidacy papers at press time. Trustee Scheunemann was also not contacted for this reason. When I stated that the other two incumbents were not available

for comment, I should have written that they were not available to confirm that they would be filing their papers officially after press time. I have since learned that they both have.

The Statesman will feature complete biographies of EACH candidate closer to the election as in the past.

I thank you for your thoughts and taking the time to bring your feelings to my attention.

Andrew Kuehl
Statesman Managing Editor



Kewaskum Kiwanis Wrapping Up Entertainment Coupon Book Sale Fundraiser

The Kewaskum Kiwanis Club is starting to wrap up their now annual Entertainment coupon books for \$35 each. Fond du Lac-Green Bay books are also available for \$25.

The club would like to thank all those who already purchased books and made the sale a success. Monies raised from the sale were used to fund programs like the Jake's Free Fishing Day, Public Library Summer Reading program and high school scholarships.

The books are available at any Kewaskum or West Bend Dairy Queen, The Statesman or The Kewaskum Veterinary Clinic.

Coupons in the book can be redeemed at some of the following local businesses: Dairy Queen- SIX buy one get one FREE coupons!, Charcoal Grill, West Bend- buy one lunch or dinner entree, get the second at

no charge! (an \$9 value), Northwinds Supper Club, Eden- buy one dinner entree, get the second at no charge! (an \$18 value), Susie's Home Cooking, Lomira- buy one meal get the second at no charge! (an \$6 value). Just after eating at these four fabulous restaurants your book is paid for!

Others include, El Rey Mexican Restaurant in West Bend, The Fireside in Allenton and many others! In addition to the above restaurants all TGI Friday's, Pizza Huts, KFC, Pick N Saves offer coupons. Also offering various coupons are the following attractions: Milwaukee Admirals, Brewers, County Zoo, Mustangs and Wave. National chains offering coupons are: Target.com, Continental Airlines, Hertz

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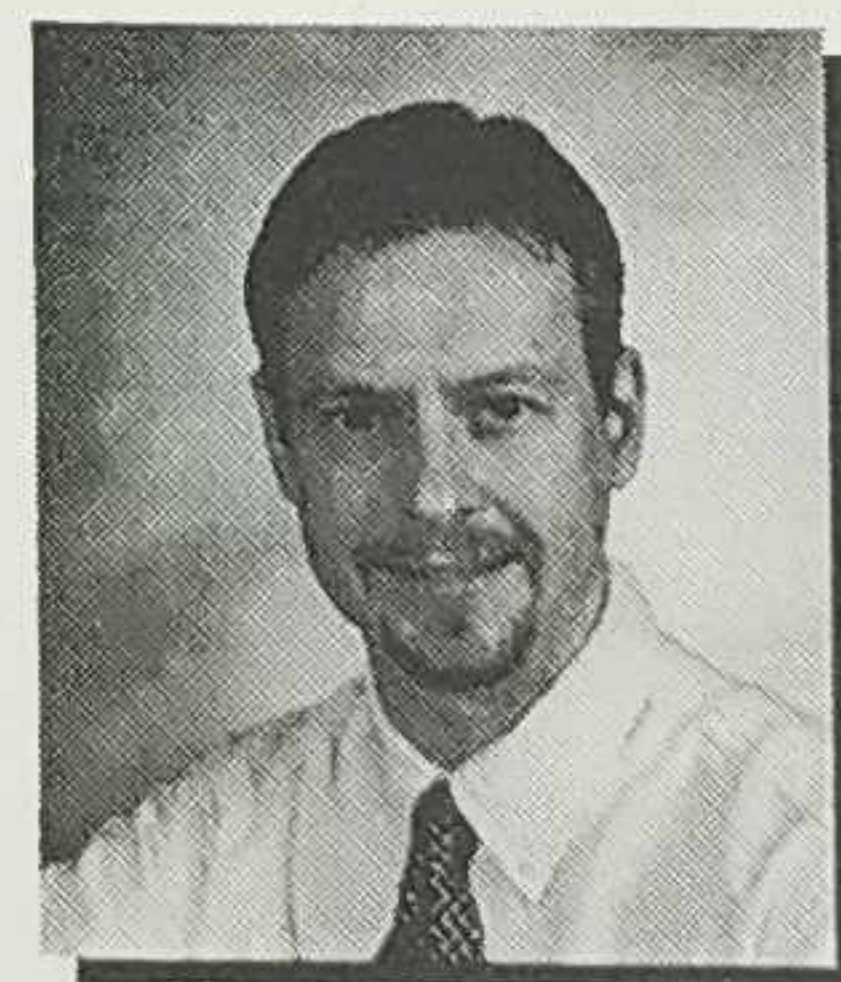


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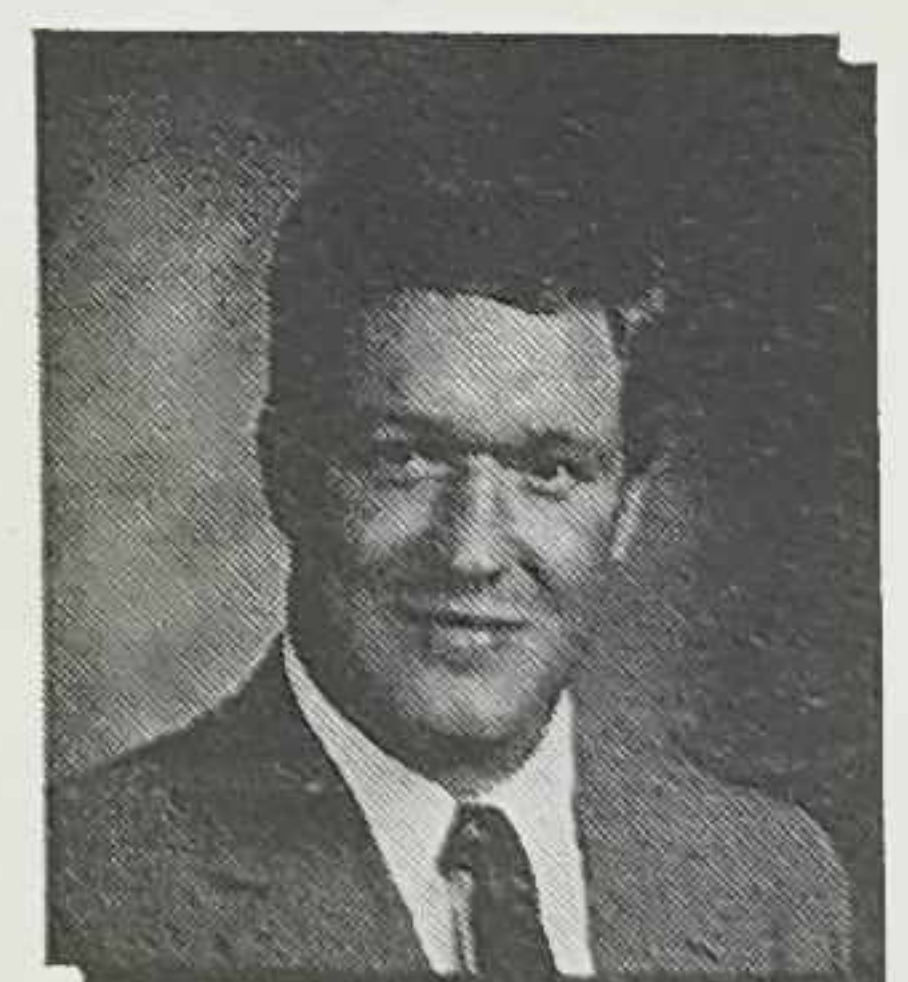
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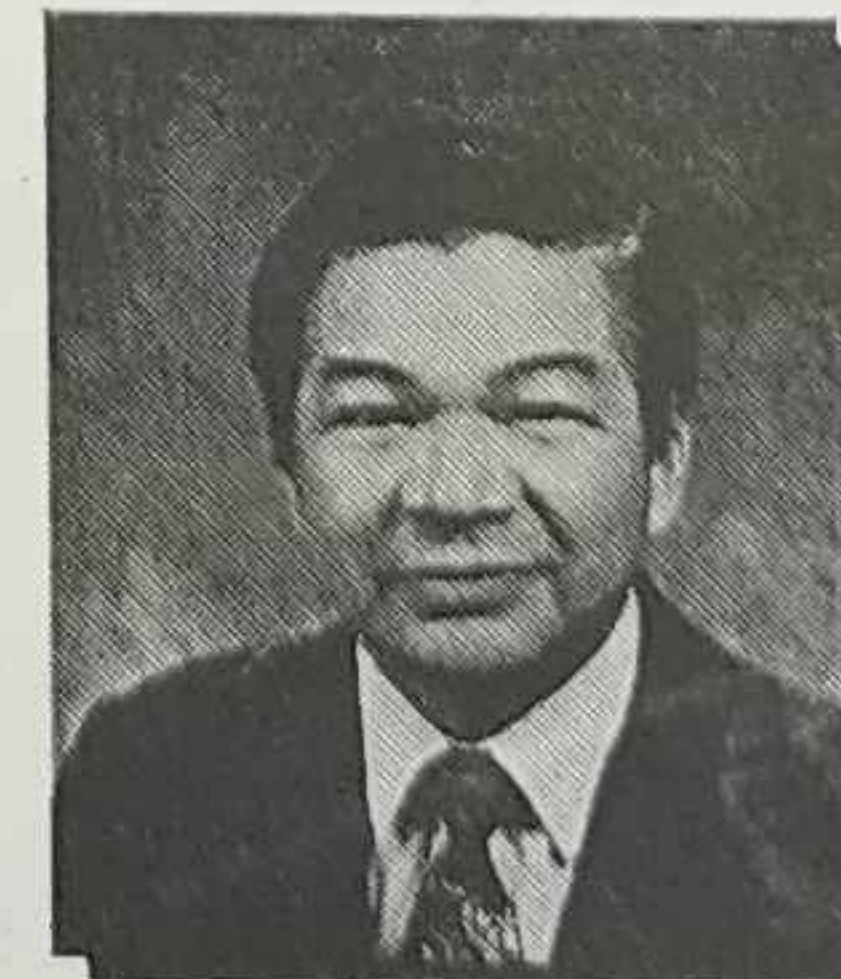
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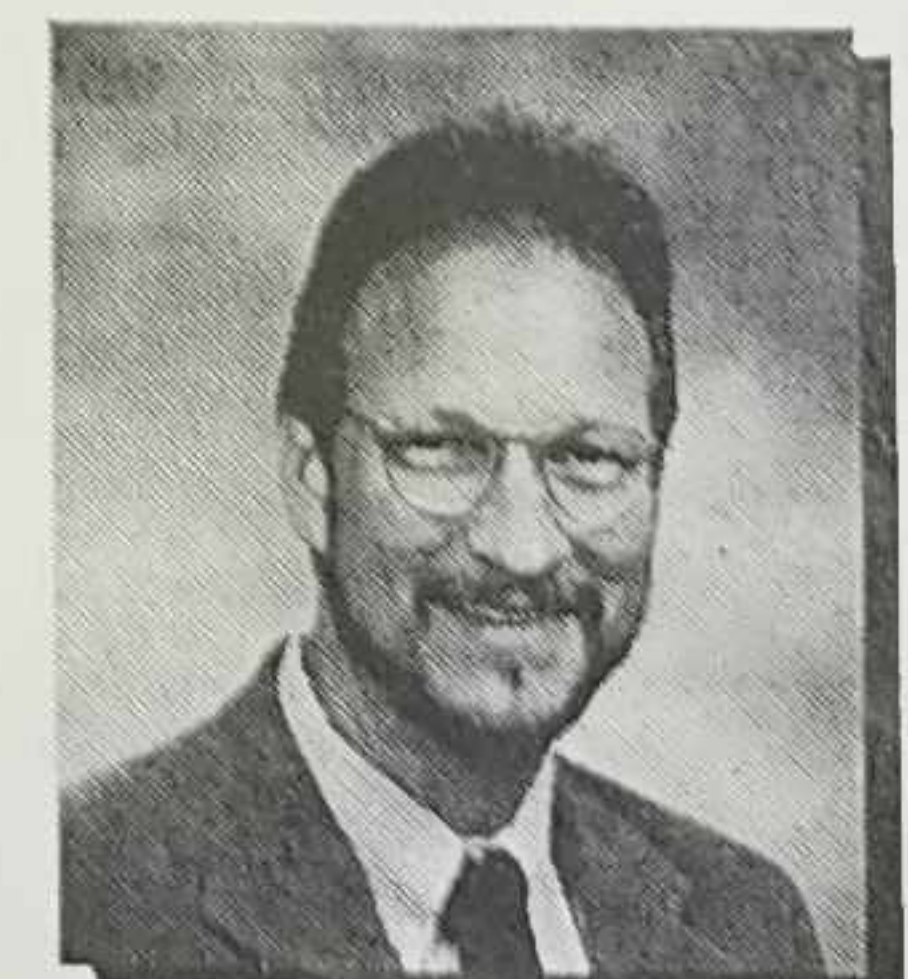
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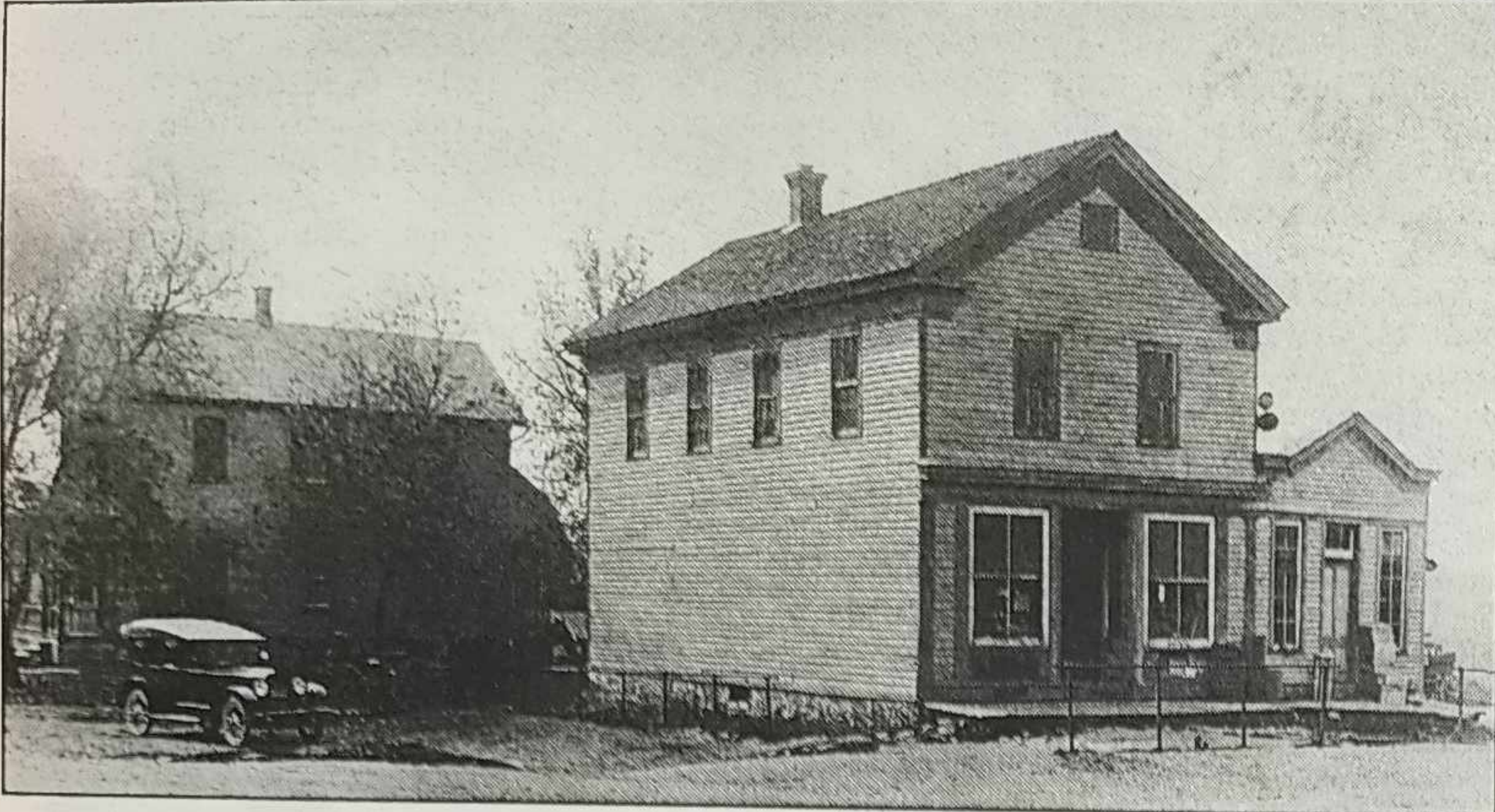
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DAYS GONE BY



The photo postcard above is the Petri General Store at the CTH H and W intersection in the town of Wayne. This weeks column highlights the sale of the business 25 years ago. The building burned years ago and since that time a new building was built and is now home to Little Folks Schoolhouse. This photo postcard memory was submitted by Earl Petri. Anyone wishing to submit old photographs for the "Days Gone By" column should contact Andrew at 262-626-3312 or email akuehl@kewaskumstatesman.com Please note that we can not use past newspaper clippings for quality purposes.

25 Years Ago

October 6, 1978

Noel Stollenwerk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stollenwerk of Kewaskum, will never forget the summer of '78. Noel, eight years old, was invited by personal letter from Sal Bando and Larry Hisle to participate in a special baseball clinic sponsored by Wausau Insurance and Sports Illustrated. Twenty youngsters met with Bando and Hisle to learn basic fundamentals of batting, fielding, pitching and baserunning. Noel had his picture

taken in the bullpen with the two Brewer stars in June.

Peace United Church of Christ, Kewaskum, was the wedding scene for the 2:30 p.m. ceremony on September 9, uniting Linda Backhaus and Lloyd Bundelman in marriage.

A daughter, Heather Marie, was born to John and Carol Osterman, Campbellsport on September 20.

Daughters were also born to Wulf and Sybil Schoenweitz of Campbellsport on September 26, and to Richard and Jo Anne Heisdorf of Kewaskum, on September 27.

A son, Timothy Matthew, was born to Robert and Deb-

orah Reese. Campbellsport, on September 19.

A son, Lee Michael, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Darold Buslaff, Campbellsport, on September 14.

A son, Geoffrey Alan, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baumhardt, Campbellsport, on September 12.

Sons were also born to Scott and Denise Walsh, Kewaskum, on September 26, and to William and Sandra Braun, Kewaskum, on October 1.

October 13, 1978

Owners Bob and Kathy Kougl have opened a busi-

ness under the name of Kougl's Cheese Mongere in the former Ours Laundromat building at 411 E. Main Street in Kewaskum. The store sells 49 kinds of cheese, sausage, lunch meats, bulk spices, party trays, gift boxes, bulk popcorn, crackers, baklava, pocket bread and snack breads. Additional stock will be added in the future.

After being in the family over 120 years, the Petri General Store in Wayne has been sold by the present operator, Paula Petri, to Ken Merz of Butler, Wisconsin. The new owner will take possession on October 15. The new business will be operated as Warehouse Supplies for Merz' arts and crafts business and will be known as KLM Sales. The original owner of the store was Wendell Petri II, son of Wendel and Maria, who was born in 1835 in Hesse Darmstadt Germany. He came to America with the family in 1848. They settled first in the Town of Polk and then came to the Town of Wayne in 1857, opening the store some years later.

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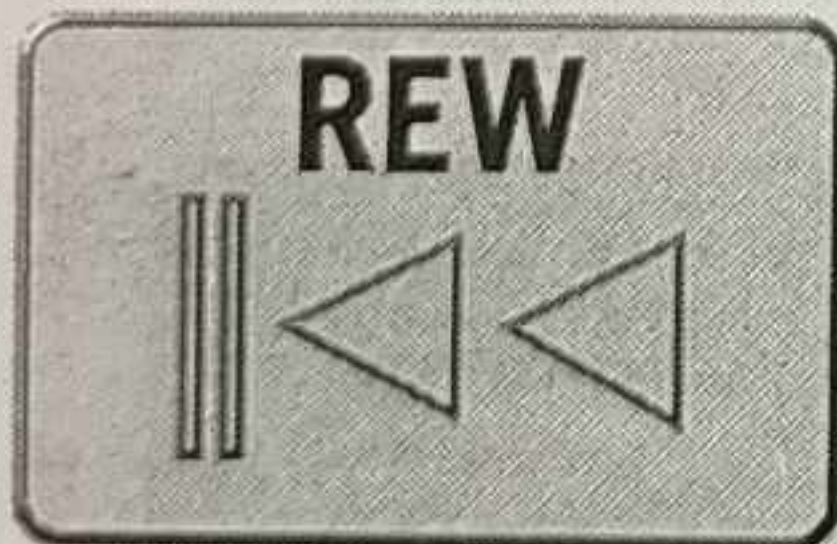
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2003 Gridiron Cheerleaders



The 2003 KHS Gridiron Cheerleaders, front row, left to right: cheerleading coaches Amanda Breit and Jennifer Simonson. Row two: Ashley Bronkhorst, Haylie Hansen, Ashley Roeske, Kirstie Dorzok, Theresa Ratzel, and Haley Gregoriou. Row three: Jenna Buker, Rachel Gonia, Cassie Prom, Tiffany Wenninger, Erika Koffke, Michelle Bohn, Morgan Gradinjan and Lindsay Turnmeyer. Row four: Jennifer Beiswenger, Bekah Hoffman, Jessica Hron, Ali Dixon, Chelsea Mengsol, Jessica Becker, Erin Cullen. Row five: Samantha Biermann, Leah Gullickson, Amy Bronkhorst, Brittany Conroy, Wendy Gessner, Ashley Gonia. Row six: Karlenna Anderson, Amanda Witek, Ashley Mehring, Liz Staege, Amanda Meyer, Courtney Meyer, Erika Martin. Missing from photo: Courtney Strom and Sara Bria.

KHS Boys Wrestling Results

The Kewaskum High School boys wrestling team improved to 3-0 in conference on Thursday beating Kiel 55-18.

Ashley Turner improved to 4-4 with a forfeit. Winning by pin were Mason Smith, Zach Holm, Scott Rhoads, Dan Shileny, and Noah Olla.

Eric Ogi remains undefeated by winning 10-2 over Jordan Truttschel. Nick Bartley also won by decision 10-6.

The team is done with conference duals until January 8th when they host New Holstein.

On Saturday the team finished fourth in the Oostburg tournament behind Freedom, Oostburg and Lomira.

Taking first and improving to 11-0 was Eric Ogi. Nick Bartley finished second. Levi Spaeth and Scott Rhoads were third. Placing fourth were Jon and Noah Olla. Jason Jahnke finished fifth while Jacob Turowski and Dan Shileny were sixth. The team was then off until the 29th and 30th of December when they were at the 48 team Oshkosh On the Water Classic.

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OBITUARIES

JOHN P. KELROY

John P. Kelroy, 68, of Allenton, died on Sunday, Dec. 28, 2003 at Cedar Community.

He was born on Oct. 12, 1935 in the town of Byron to the late Edward and Ethel (nee Kelley) Kelroy and married Darlene H. Kohlmann on May 6, 1961 at St. Michael's Church in Dotyville.

John was raised in the town of Byron before his family moved to Fond du Lac when he was 13. He graduated from St. Mary's Springs High School.

He was the superintendent of sewage and treatment for Mayville for 12 years, and then worked at Purity Cheese until the plant closed. He then worked in the maintenance department for Dodge County until retiring in December, 2001.

In his retirement John worked part time for the town of Addison, and enjoyed helping on his daughter and son-in-law's family farm.

Survivors include his wife of 42 years, Darlene; a daughter, Annette (Roger) Gundrum of Allenton; two grandchildren, Krista and Sarah; his siblings, Margaret Schmitz, Robert Kelroy, Edward (Shirley) Kelroy and Rosemary (Donald) Schmitz, all of Fond du Lac; a sister-in-law, Elaine (Alfred) Keller of St. Cloud; a brother-in-law, Harold (Yvonne) Kohlmann of Fond du Lac; nieces; nephews; and other relatives and friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Wednesday, Dec. 31 at 1:30 p.m. at Resurrection Catholic Church, Allenton.

Rev. Richard Breitbach presided and burial followed in Sacred Heart Cemetery.

Visitation at the church only was on Wednesday from 10:30 a.m. until 1:15 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Resurrection Catholic Church.

The Schmidt Funeral Home, West Bend, served the family.

Memorials are appreciated.

PEARL O. RETZLAFF

Pearl O. Retzlaff, nee Derge, 83, of Hartford, passed away on Thursday, Jan. 1, 2004 at the Aurora Medical Center of Hartford.

She was born on Feb. 11, 1920 in the town of Herman to the late Elmer and Martha (Schreier) Derge, and married Harvey Retzlaff on Dec. 10, 1938 at Emmanuel Lutheran Church.

He passed away in 1983.

Pearl was dedicated to the former Gateway Nursing Home, now known as Hartford Care Center, for 17 years as its food service director.

She was also an active member of Hartford Senior Friends.

Survivors include four children, Bonnie Kirsch of Allenton, Jerry Retzlaff of Hagen, Dean Retzlaff of Campbellsport and Nancy (Tim) Friedemann of Hartford; 12 grandchildren, Connie and Candi Kirsch, Joy, Jason, Ly-

dia, Anna, Laz and Jesse Retzlaff, Robin Mueller, Daniel Dubey and Conner and Ben Friedemann; two great-grandchildren, Stephanie and Katie; nieces; nephews; other relatives and friends.

Preceding her in death were her beloved grandson, Timothy "Timmy" Mueller, and two brothers, Melvin and Dale Derge.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Jan. 5 at 11 a.m. at the Phillip Funeral Home, Slinger, with cremation at Paradise Cremation Services of West Bend.

Visitation at the funeral home was on Monday from 10 a.m. until the time of services.

HENRY F. PIEPER

Henry F. Pieper, 89, of Eden, died Sunday, Jan. 4, 2004, at his home.

He was born in Waucousta on May 30, 1914, the son of Henry and Amelia Schultz Pieper.

He was baptized on June 21, 1914, at Free Church in Waucousta by the Rev. Aeppler and confirmed by the Rev. Gutekunst in 1928.

On June 5, 1945, Henry married Dorothy M. Backhaus in Kewaskum. She preceded him in death on Dec. 21, 1981.

He was the cofounder and operator of Shefond Oil and LP&D until retirement. He was a member of Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church, Campbellsport, and served on the Church Council in numerous positions.

He was also involved with the Wisconsin Lutheran Child and Family Services and Winnebago Lutheran Academy. Henry was a Little League coach and enjoyed hunting, fishing up North at Star Lake and watching softball, baseball and basketball, especially his grandchildren's games, and the Brewers.

Survivors include his daughters, Mary (George) Herbst of Bay City, Mich.; Diane (Jack) Douglass and Joan (Richard) Dostal, both of Cincinnati, Ohio; Ellen Pieper of South St. Paul, Minn.; and Beth (Pete) Jones of Campbellsport; his son, Fred (Roxanne) of Campbellsport, 15 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; his special

friend Luise Wachs; sister, Adela Benson of Campbellsport; sister-in-law and brothers-in-law, Beatty Dins and Vern and Bill Lenz, all of Campbellsport.

Besides his wife, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Victor, Walner and Herbert, and two sisters, Verona Gutekunst and Paula Schaefer.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 8, 2004, at Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church, Campbellsport. The Rev. Paul Cerny will officiate and entombment will follow at Ledgeview Memorial Park, Fond du Lac.

Visitation was from 5 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 7, 2004, at the church and from 11 a.m. until the time of services on Thursday at the church.

Memorials may be directed to Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church of Campbellsport, Waucousta Lutheran Grade School, Winnebago Lutheran Academy or Eden Junior Athletic Assoc.

Twohig Funeral Home, Campbellsport, is serving the family.

IN MEMORY

In loving memory of JEFF SABISH, who passed away four years ago on Jan. 8, 2000:

We little knew that morning
That God was going to call
your name.
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we do the same.
It broke our hearts to lose
you,
You did not go alone;
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you
home.
You left us peaceful memories,
Your love is still our guide;
And though we cannot see
you,
You are always at our side.
Our family chain is broken,
And nothing seems the
same;
But as God calls us one by
one,
The Chain will link again.

*Always missed and
loved by Mom,
Tammy & Henri,
Kim, Sam, Maddie & Mason*

IN MEMORY

In loving memory of JEFF "SHEISTY" SABISH, Jan. 8, 2000:

I remember the times of
laughter,
I remember the times of
tears.
These are the precious mem-
ories
My heart will hold so dear.
Gone are the moments of
hurting,
Gone is the pain and fear.
He's with his blessed Saviour
now
For all the coming years.
They're walking streets of
gold now
And communing hand in
hand.
His home is now in Heaven,
That blessed promised land.
So I'll dry my eyes and praise
the Lord
For the plan that He has
made
That takes us from this world
of pain
And brings a brighter day.
I will cry when my heart
needs to
But I'll let laughter come
again
And I know that I'll be with
him
When God fulfills His plan.

*Love,
Larry Sabish*

IN MEMORY

In loving memory of LELAND VETTER, who passed away 12 years ago, January 7, 1992:

Just 12 years ago you left us,
And we miss you very much.
But we know that you are
With the Lord,
And feel His gentle touch.
We know that you are happy
there
And that He loves you, too.
And we will meet again some
day
Beyond the skies of blue.

*Sadly missed by Vivian and
family.*

IN MEMORY

In loving memory of WESLEY F. FICKERT, who passed away five years ago, January 4, 1999:

We cannot bring the good
times back
His hands we cannot touch
But we still have the memo-
ries
Of one we loved so much.

*Sadly missed by wife, Rose-
mary*

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks and appreciation to our relatives, friends and neighbors for their kindness and prayers at the time of our sorrow when Philip Moe passed away on Dec. 27, 2003.

Special thanks to Pastor E. Fredrich, nurses and staff at All About Life, Millers Funeral Home, Holy Cross Chapel, Legionnaires, and all who called, gave memorials, or sent flowers and cards.

Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

The Moe Family

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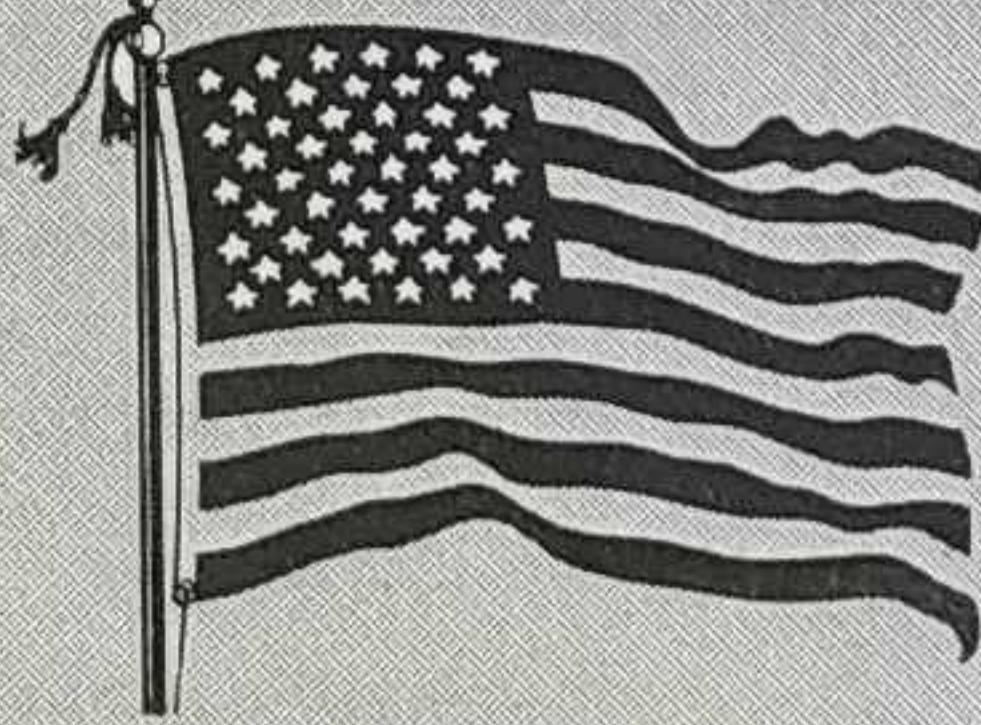
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

An open letter to the residents of the School District of Kewaskum:

With the cold weather Monday night, many people may have been unable to attend the School Board Workshop and Special Board meeting. The purpose of the workshop was to seek public input regarding a possible referendum for the School District of Kewaskum. We still want to give every community member the opportunity to provide input, give suggestions or express opinions and do so directly to the School Board.

My e-mail address, and those of all seven School Board members, can be found on our district web-site at www.kewaskumschools.org. Your comments and suggestions are appreciated so please take the time to write and share them with us. If you do not have access to a computer, you are encouraged to write a letter and mail it to the district office at 1455 School Street, Kewaskum, WI 53040.

You are also welcome to call me directly at 626-4487. The Board has a regular meeting on January 12 so you are asked to contact us before 4 p.m. on that date.

Wayne P. Graczyk
Superintendent of Schools

Letter to the Editor:

This is in response to Kevin Scheunemann's letter regarding Travis Krueger's prior letter to the editor. There are a lot of your statements which I will not address. However, your statement that taking farmland out of production or destroying it is one way of controlling supply and demand is a complete fallacy. Since we can no longer feed ourselves because we have been destroying so much farmland in the last few years, we are in effect destroying ourselves and future generations.

I have some figures here which are very up to date concerning dairy farmers and cattle farmers. Commercial use as of this past month was up 1.7%, imports were down 4.4%, slaughter dairy cows were up 11.0%. In the top 20 dairy producing states there are 70,000 less cows. Commercial cheese inventory is down 2%. The farmers are facing a tremendous feed shortage due to drought. This all brings about a 92 cents per 100 pounds drop to the dairy farmers and all because a few buyers on the Chicago Board of Trade wanted to buy the raw product cheaper, they bid the market lower. That is why young farmers are leaving the farm. Your theory, Kevin, of taking the land out of production is on a collision course with anarchy. In 1950, we had 23.6 million acres of farmland. In the year 2000, we were down to 16.2 million. The number of farms in 1950 were 174,000. The number of farms in 2000 was down to 77,000. In the State of Wisconsin, these numbers are relevant. In the United States, we

are losing two acres of farmland per minute. In 10 years, where are we going to be Kevin? We are going to be subservient to some dictator type government for substandard imports. We may lose our democracy because of this as we will no longer remain a super power. Back in the cold war days, the communist said they would destroy us from within. Now it seems we are doing it to ourselves. I can remember back in the 1970's when beef was going up in price. Our then president, Richard Nixon, threw a beef freeze on and it has never been the same since. This is not supply and demand.

Instead of throwing a lot of figures out there to a young man who wants to farm, you should have been congratulating him on his upcoming work ethic. There is a tremendous culture clash coming between farmers and city folks moving out here. But there are a lot of people out here that sympathize with the farmers, and we all appreciate them. You mentioned technology, you can only force the land to produce so much before it retaliates. Our underground aquifers are being poisoned along with our air. Some people might think that you can triple the output of food per acre by using technology, but the quality of the food will diminish. This is one of the reasons for the influx of cancer in children and adults which you are seeing right now. Allergies are also on the rise in children. When I was a boy, allergies were almost non-existent. When some child had leukemia, it was front page news it was so rare.

You mention that there is so much food in this country is the reason for so many obese people. Part of that is true because people do not work as hard as they used to. But part of that is your farm technology theory. When cattle are implanted so they eat more and grow faster, then when this meat is cooked, it does not break down and thus it results in the same effect on the human being consuming it. They do the same with pork, chickens, and all poultry. Check out a chicken bone and see how dark it is. Then check out a free range chicken, one that is running around the yard, and you will see that the bone is almost white. Let's take a look at the e-coli outbreak in beef from these corporation feedlots. Remember they control 85% of the feeding and the processing industry. There must be something done wrong as there were no problems where the family farmer did the producing.

You mentioned, Kevin, that you wanted to see Kewaskum grow. I can remember the old Kewaskum when there were four implement dealers, a John Deere dealer, an Allis Chalmers dealer, a Massey Ferguson dealer and an International dealer. There were also two grist mills where the farmer could buy

just about anything he wanted, a big malt house where the farmers could sell their barley, there was a two story department store, and there was a condensery. The condensery is still there, I am not sure what it is doing, but the rest are all gone because farmers were paid low prices which forced them out of business. The only thing that will grow around Kewaskum now are houses.

I have to agree with Travis Krueger. These developers are like a big steam roller rolling over the countryside. It is all about their profit and nothing but greed. When I see farmers getting soil conservation awards for installing contour strips and using other implements to control erosion, and then they turn around and sell it for development, it bothers me greatly.

I have often said I came with nothing and I will leave with nothing. All that I have is just a gift from the Lord above. Why would I destroy it so that somebody else would suffer from the lack of food or the use of chemicals? I just wish Travis Krueger all the luck in the world!

Sincerely,
Art Filbert
Concerned Citizen
for the Town of Wayne

Volunteer!

Now that the holidays have come and gone, you may be looking for something to do! The best gift you can give someone now is time. Below are a few volunteer opportunities that involve volunteering one-on-one with someone to make a difference!

Friendly Visitor - Give a few hours a week to an elderly person living at home. Stop by, play a round of cards, go grocery shopping, or catch a movie. A great friendship can develop!

Meal Deliverer - This is a great way to spend one lunch hour a week. Deliver hot, nutritious meals to elderly people living at home with your personal touch and a smile! Meal delivery takes place all over the county.

Advocate - Become an advocate and friend to a person with a developmental disability. This long-term relationship is meant to provide enjoyment for both of you and an opportunity for you to become an ally in someone's life.

Mentor - Develop a long-term relationship with a child who needs someone special in his/her life! Do this alone, with your partner, or as a family. Mentor the child for an hour a week at school or for a few hours a month outside the classroom. Do activities that you both will enjoy and most importantly, have fun!

This is just a sampling of the 200 volunteer opportunities that are waiting for you at the Volunteer Center of Washington County. Call us in West Bend at 262-338-8256.

Upcoming Events at UWWC

The following is a list of upcoming events at UW-Washington County. For more information on any of these programs, contact the UWWC Department of Continuing Education at 262-335-5218.

Microsoft Word, January 12 & 13, 8:30 to 12 p.m.

Learn how to create a variety of documents. Discover standard techniques and shortcuts to change text appearance, save, print, spell check and more. Gain proficiency using program time-savers.

Fee: \$110.

Microsoft Access, January 12 & 13, 1 to 4:30 p.m.

This program can handle the database needs of a wide variety of businesses and institutions, large and small. Learn how to build and customize tables to hold data. Create and modify custom reports. Build queries to view selected data in tables. Use queries and tables with MS Word to create form letters.

Fee: \$110.

West Bend Children's Choir, January 13 to May 9, 2004, 4 to 5 p.m.

Boys and girls ages 8-14. Tuition: Second semester new, \$100, second semester continuing, \$50.

Choral selections include pop, folk, classical and Broadway. Music literacy, ear-training, and choral technique will be incorporated within the weekly lessons.

Microsoft Excel, January 14 & 15, 8:30 to 12 p.m.

Experience the effective use of this powerful spreadsheet program. Learn to enter and manipulate data, save and retrieve, use formulas and functions and produce attractive graphs to summarize data. Display budgets and forecasts and manage lists of information.

Fee: \$110.

Microsoft Word - The Next Step, January 14 & 15, 1 to 4 p.m.

Create outlines, columns and simple macros. Learn to insert pictures, clip art and other graphics. Customize toolbars and create your own forms and templates. Perform mail merges and generate envelopes. Acquire techniques that will help you be a more efficient Word User.

Fee: \$110.

Community Book Club, January 16, 1:30 to 3 p.m.

Book lovers gather together to discuss the monthly selection. January's reading is "The Five People You Meet in Heaven" by Mitch Albom. All books are available at the Fireside Bookstore in West Bend or your local library.

Meeting place: Room 213A
Fee: \$15 per semester.

Moraine Symphonic Band, Tuesday, January 27, 2004. 7 to 9:30 p.m.

New members welcome to join. Rehearsals are every Tuesday evening. No membership fee to join. For more information, call Dr. Daniel Ackley at 262-677-0234.

Auditions for Bridegroom of Blowing Rock, January 29, 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Auditions are scheduled in the University Theatre. Performances on March 5, 6, 12 & 13, 2004. Cast needed: one woman (40 to 50 years old), three women (late teens to early 20's) and three men (early to late 20's).

For more information, contact Professor Brad Ford at 262-335-5222.

Tai Chi, January 30 - May 14, 2004, Mondays and Fridays, 12 - 1 p.m.

Traditional Yang style long form of 108 movements. Wear comfortable clothes. UWWC Gym.

Fee: \$50.

Winning Numbers In Your Inbox

MADISON - Wisconsin Lottery players will soon have another way to check their numbers to see if they hold winning tickets. Beginning January 1, the Lottery will send winning numbers to interested players in daily email updates.

Players can join the "Players Club" on the Lottery's website at www.wilottery.com to subscribe to the service.

The emails include winning numbers for all of Wisconsin's on-line games and the multi-state jackpot game Powerball, recent winner information, and current jackpot amounts. The Wisconsin Lottery is one of many lotteries now offering this service to players.

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Pesticide Applicator Certification Programs

Washington and Ozaukee County agricultural producers will have the opportunity to become certified or recertified as applicators of restricted use pesticides at three scheduled programs.

Two Pesticide Applicator Training (PAT) are scheduled for Wednesday, January 21, 2004 and Tuesday, February 24, 2004 at the Public Agency Center in West Bend. The third session is scheduled for Wednesday, March 10, 2004 at the Ozaukee County Administration Center in Port Washington. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m., the program begins at 9 a.m. and will finish about 4 p.m.

Individuals planning to at-

tend these sessions must register in advance at either the Washington or Ozaukee County UW-Extension Offices. The cost of the program is \$45 if materials are picked up and \$50 if mailed. Registration should be made a minimum of one week before the session.

These programs are designed for private applicators, not commercial applicators. A private applicator is an individual that applies pesticides on land owned or rented by themselves or their employer and produces an agricultural product. Commercial applicators are certified at area meetings. Contact the UW-Extension Offices for in-

formation about the commercial certification sessions.

The second way to become certified is to purchase the materials for \$35 and study on your own. When prepared, the exam can be arranged at the UW-Extension office. Those choosing the self-study option must receive a score over 70% in order to successfully complete the program. Persons taking the one-day program need a passing score of over 50%.

Please stop at either the Washington or Ozaukee County UW-Extension office for registration forms or information. In Washington County you may call 262-335-4477, or 711 for Relay, and in Wisconsin 1-800-616-0446. You may contact Ozaukee County at 262-284-8288.

Dairyland Seed Announces Wisconsin Yieldmaster Contest Winners

Dairyland Seed recently announced the National and State winners for its annual Corn and Soybean Yieldmaster Contests

The title of National Corn Yieldmaster was awarded to Doug Bush of Fulton, Ill. bushels with a yield of 281,01 bushels per acre with Stealth-1409. Doug Brander of Spring Green, WI was awarded National Soybean Yieldmaster with a yield of 70.0 bushels per acre with DSR-218.

Individual state winners were also awarded as follows:

Wisconsin Corn Yieldmasters: First place, Doug Brander, of Spring Green; second place, Mike Cerny of Sharon; and third place went to Richard Levash of Brillion.

Wisconsin Soybean Yieldmasters: First place, Doug Brander of Spring Green; second place, Gary Hynek of Whitelaw; and third place went to Ralph Hopfensperger

of Kaukauna.

According to Tom Strachota, CEO, "These are fabulous yields from outstanding producers. Our goal is to develop improved genetics because I know these producers have the capability of hitting even higher yield levels. With 15% of our revenues invested in research, I'm confident that together we can accomplish this goal."

Dairy Seed recently celebrated its 95th Anniversary in 2002. Dairyland spends 15% of its revenue on plant breeding and is the only family-held seed company with breeding in hybrid corn, alfalfa and soybeans.

For more information on Dairyland Seed, 1-800-236-0613, write PO Box 958, West Bend, WI 53095 or visit the website at www.dairylandseed.com.

Gov. Doyle Announces \$1.2 Million In State Shelter Subsidy Grants

MADISON - Gov. Jim Doyle announced that 39 Wisconsin agencies would receive \$1.2 million in awards from the State Shelter Subsidy Grant program administered by the Bureau of Housing in the Department of Commerce.

"These awards will assist several community groups to continue to provide shelter for homeless people in Wisconsin," Gov. Doyle said.

"The projects funded by today's awards will have a positive impact in Wisconsin, allowing these agencies to meet the needs of our homeless population," Commerce Secretary Cory L. Nettles said.

The State Shelter Subsidy Grant Program was initiated by the legislature in 1985. The grant provides up to 50% of the operating budget of a generic homeless-shelter facility or homeless voucher program. The program is open to government or private nonprofit agencies.

The following lists the local successful proposals.

Bethany House of Hospitality, Fond du Lac, Fond du Lac County, \$10,000.

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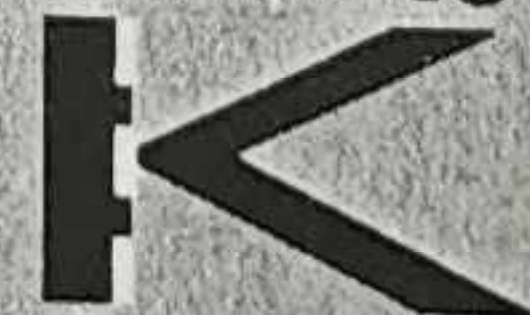
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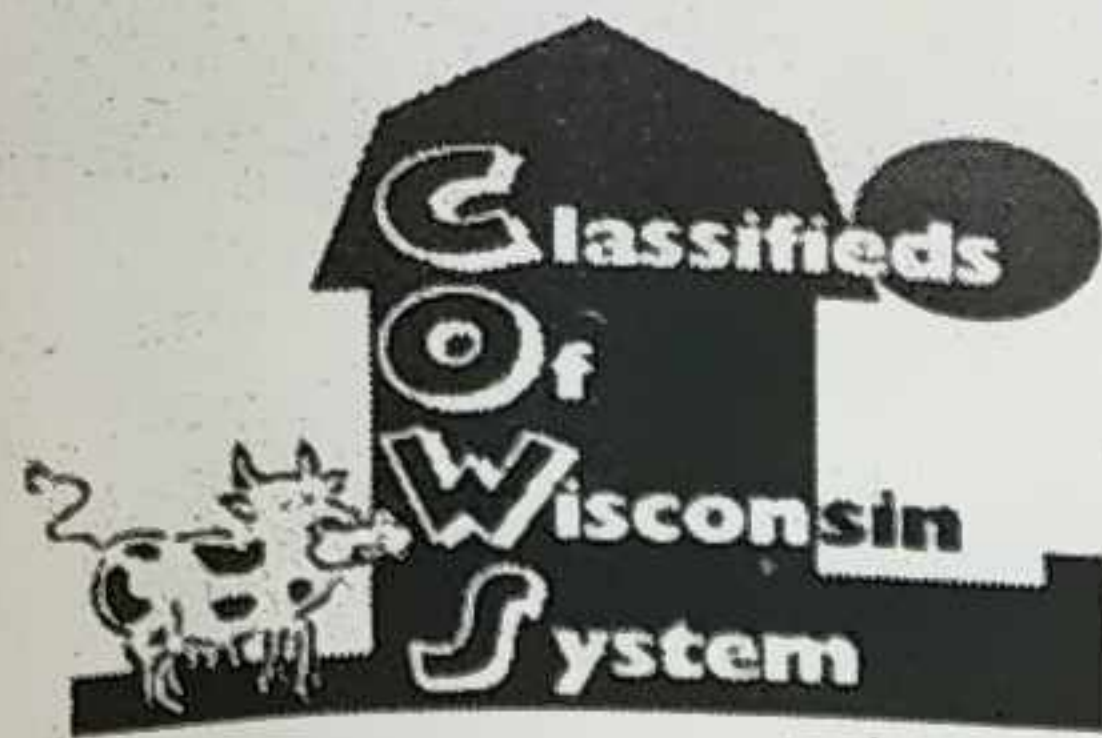
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St. Joseph's Community Hospital of West Bend Classes, Programs, Support Groups, & Events January 2004

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STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT WASHINGTON COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF **AUGUST E. KOCH a/k/a AUGUST KOCH**

NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Informal Administration)

Case No. 03-IN-0173
An application has been filed for informal administration of the estate of the decedent, whose date of birth was February 18, 1914 and date of death was September 27, 2003. The decedent died domiciled in Washington County, State of Wisconsin, with a post office address of: 1185 Parkview Drive, Kewaskum, Wisconsin 53040

All interested persons have waived notice.

Creditors' claims must be filed with the probate registrar on or before April 2, 2004.

Kay F. Morlen
Probate Registrar
December 29, 2003

Attorney Gerald A. Kiefer
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CLAIMS DEADLINE NOTICE IN THE MATTER OF THE AUGUST E. KOCH REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST

Pursuant to Section 701.065, Wisconsin Statutes, August T. Koch and Barbara Schmidt, as Co-Trustees of the August E. Koch Revocable Living Trust, with power to pay the debts of August E. Koch, Deceased, (DOD 9/27/03), hereby provides notice that the deadline for filing claims for payment of debts of August E. Koch with August T. Koch and Barbara Schmidt, as Co-Trustees of the August E. Koch Revocable Living Trust is May 10, 2004, being the date four (4) months after the date of the first insertion of this Notice.

August T. Koch & Barbara Schmidt
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PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE TOWN OF AUBURN

The Town Board will hold their regular monthly meeting on Monday, January 12, 2004 at 8:00 p.m. at the Town Hall, W1728 Sunset Drive. A complete agenda will be posted at the Town Hall, Transit Station, Zahn's Trading Post, Fran's Beauty Salon, Kettle Moraine Hair Design and Thieme's Barber Shop on Saturday preceding the meeting.

Bonnie Berg
Town Clerk

December 11, 2003
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Village of Kewaskum, Wisconsin

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Village Board of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, will conduct a public hearing at 8:00 p.m., Monday evening, January 19, 2004, in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 204 First Street. The public hearing will be on the request of Robert Hackbarth for the rezoning of the parcel at 887 Prospect Drive of the Village of Kewaskum, Wisconsin. (V4-0617), from B-2 General Retail and Service District to R-1 Single-Family Residence District. To accurately reflect the use of said parcel seeing the house portion of the lot has been separated from business portion by a CSM.

All interested persons will be given an opportunity to be heard.

Daniel S. Schmidt
Administrator

Publish January 1 & Jan. 8, 2004

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Village of Kewaskum
Jerry Gilles, Director of Public Works

NOTICE OF HEARING
Town of Kewaskum Board of Appeals

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town of Kewaskum Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the application of appeal filed by Wilmer Schmidt. The hearing will be held at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum, WI, 53040, on Monday, January 26, 2004 at 7:30 p.m. The applicant's property is located in the Town of Kewaskum, Section 5, at 4350 State Hwy. 28, and is zoned EA-Exclusive Agricultural District. The appeal seeks a variance from the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance 3.03 (a) (14) and 6.03 (A) (1), and if granted will permit the applicant to construct another accessory structure 54x36x20 feet tall. The applicant exceeds the maximum number of accessory structures and he will exceed the maximum height allowed.

Dated this 2nd day of January, 2004.

Sandra Stern, Town Clerk
Town of Kewaskum

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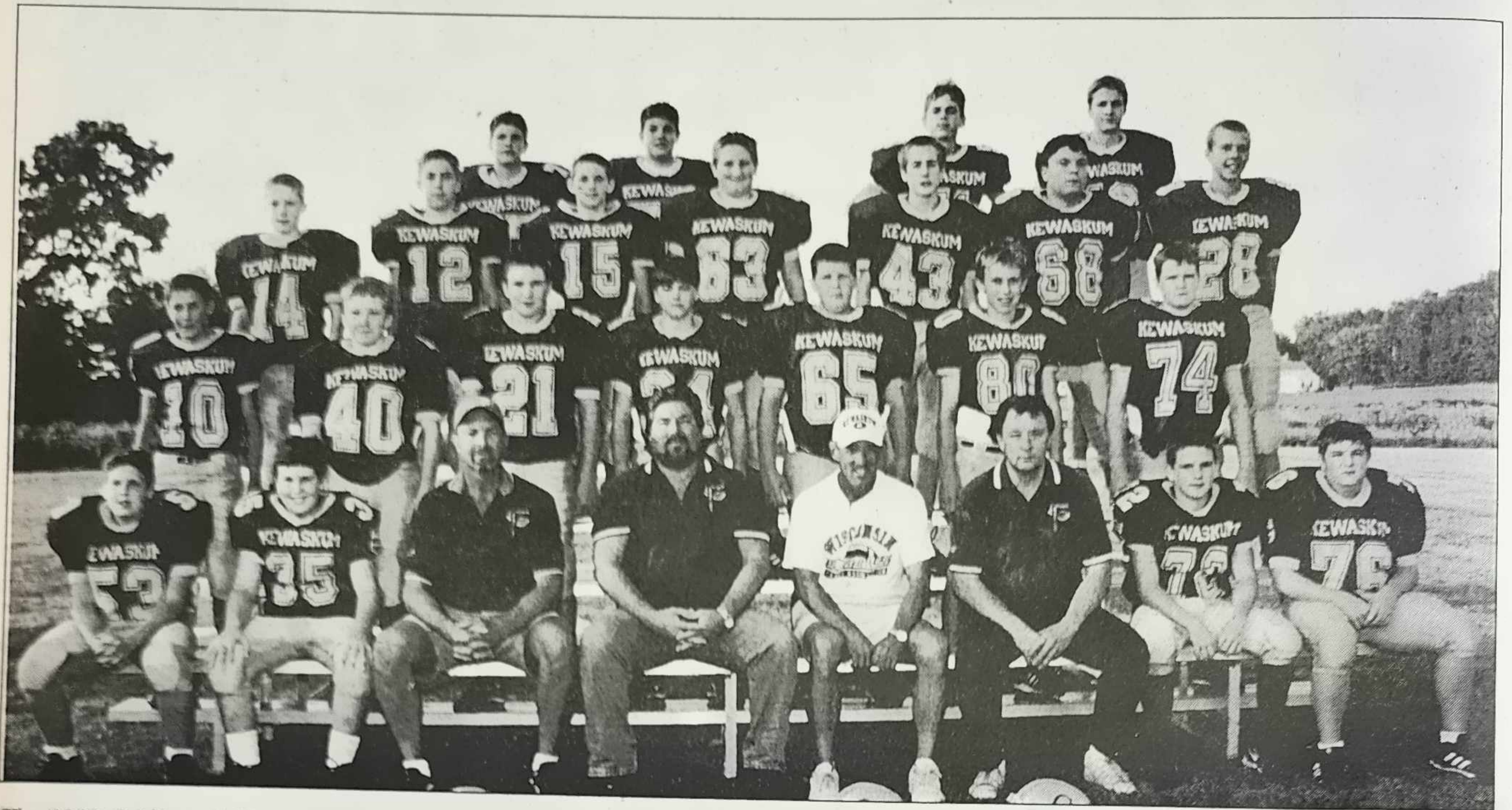
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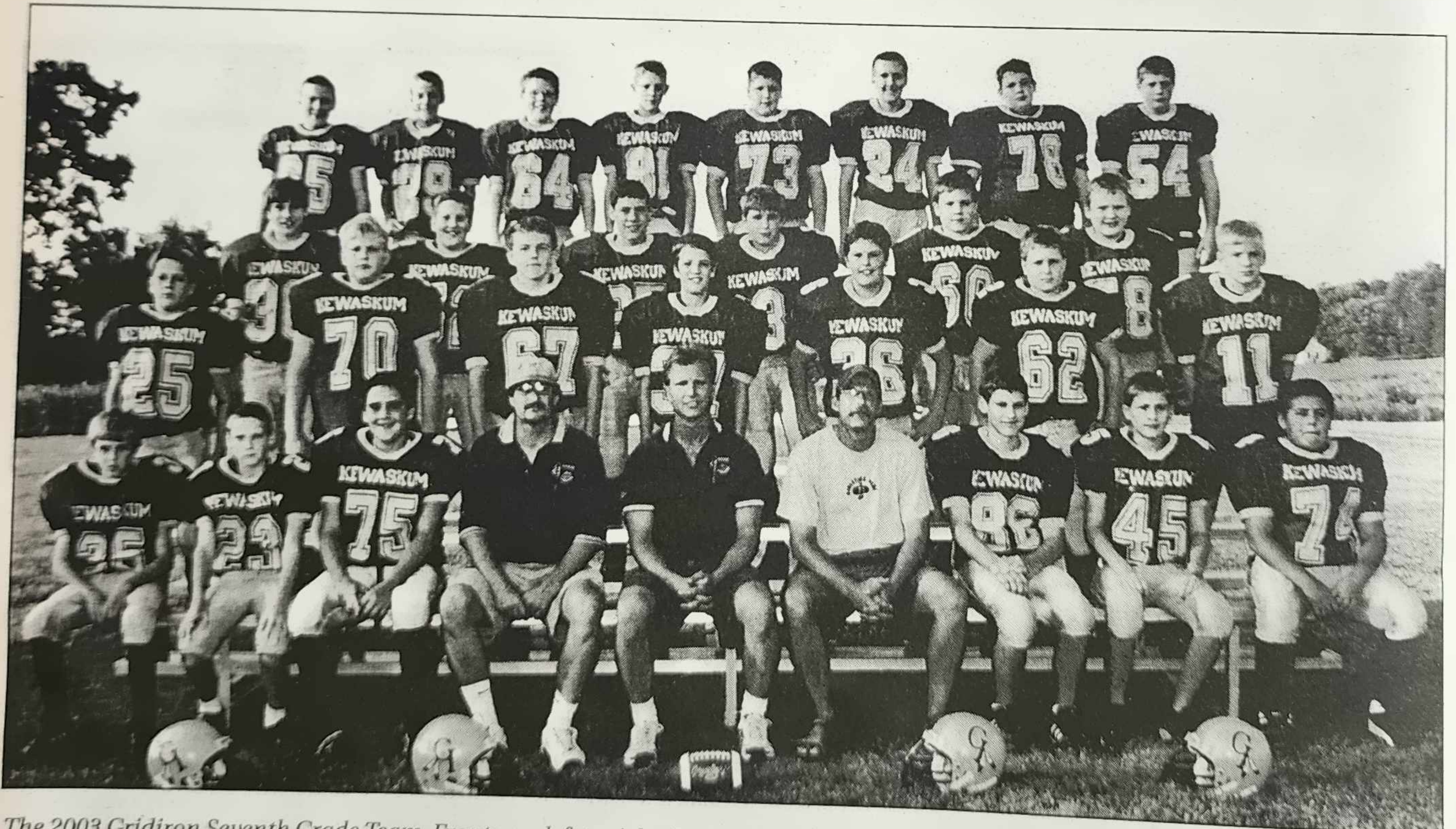
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KEWASKUM SPORTS

2003 Gridiron Teams



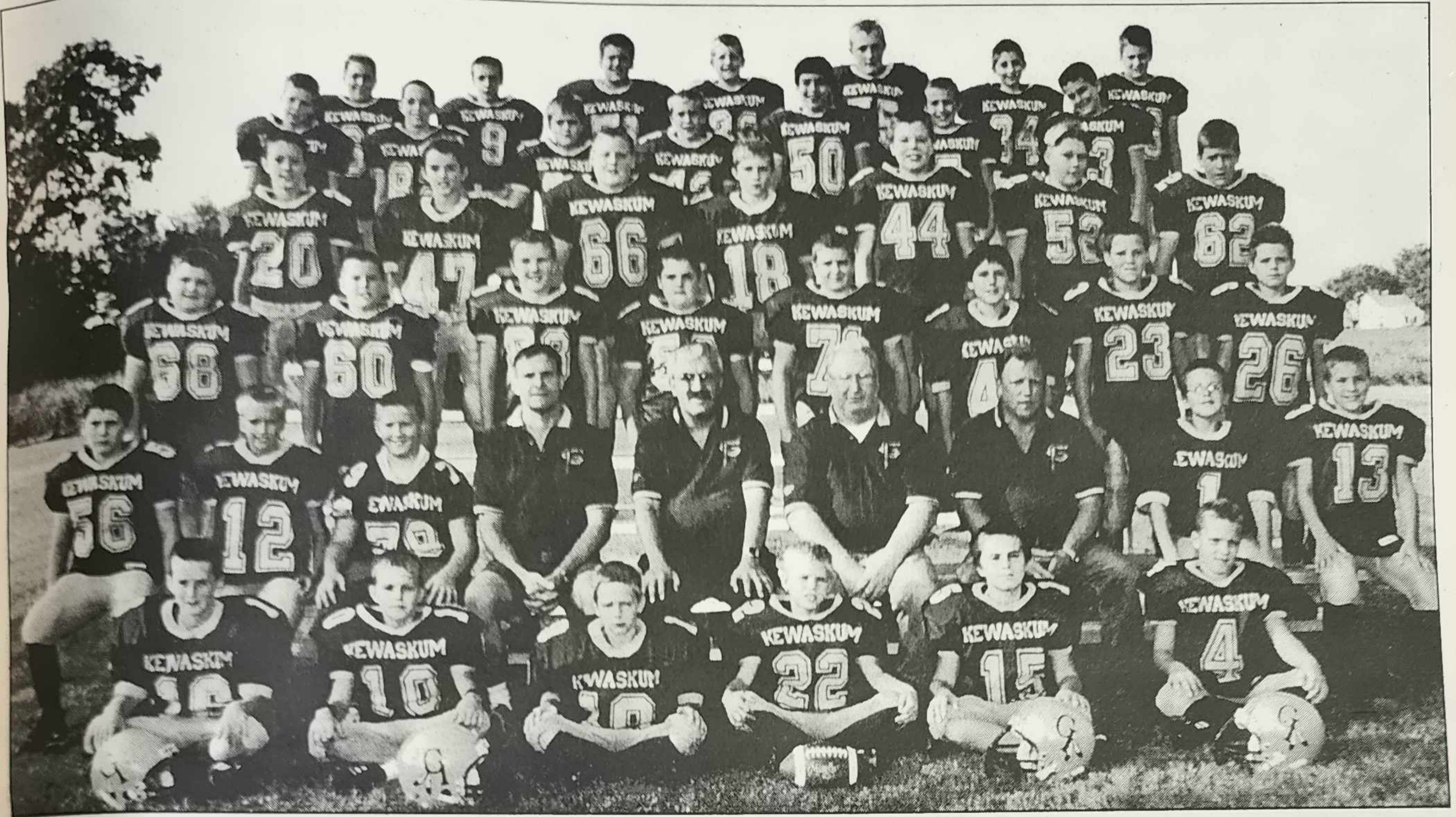
The 2003 Gridiron "A" Team. Front row, left to right: Joshua O'Brien, Nick Thull, Coach Larry Rauch, Coach Gil DeLaurier, Head Coach Jim "Jonesy" Korth, Coach Rolly Maul, Zachary Garbisch, and Zach Kempfer. Second row: Kurtis Wetzel, Matthew Ratzel, Justin Krueger, David Spang, Erik Anderson, and Nick Ebert. Third row: Ben Butler, Josh Harbin, Cory Watzig, Travis Williams, photo: Ryan Wunsch and Dan Dymond. Fourth row: Tom Thull, Tim Thull, Michael Bunkelman and Matt Donath. Missing from



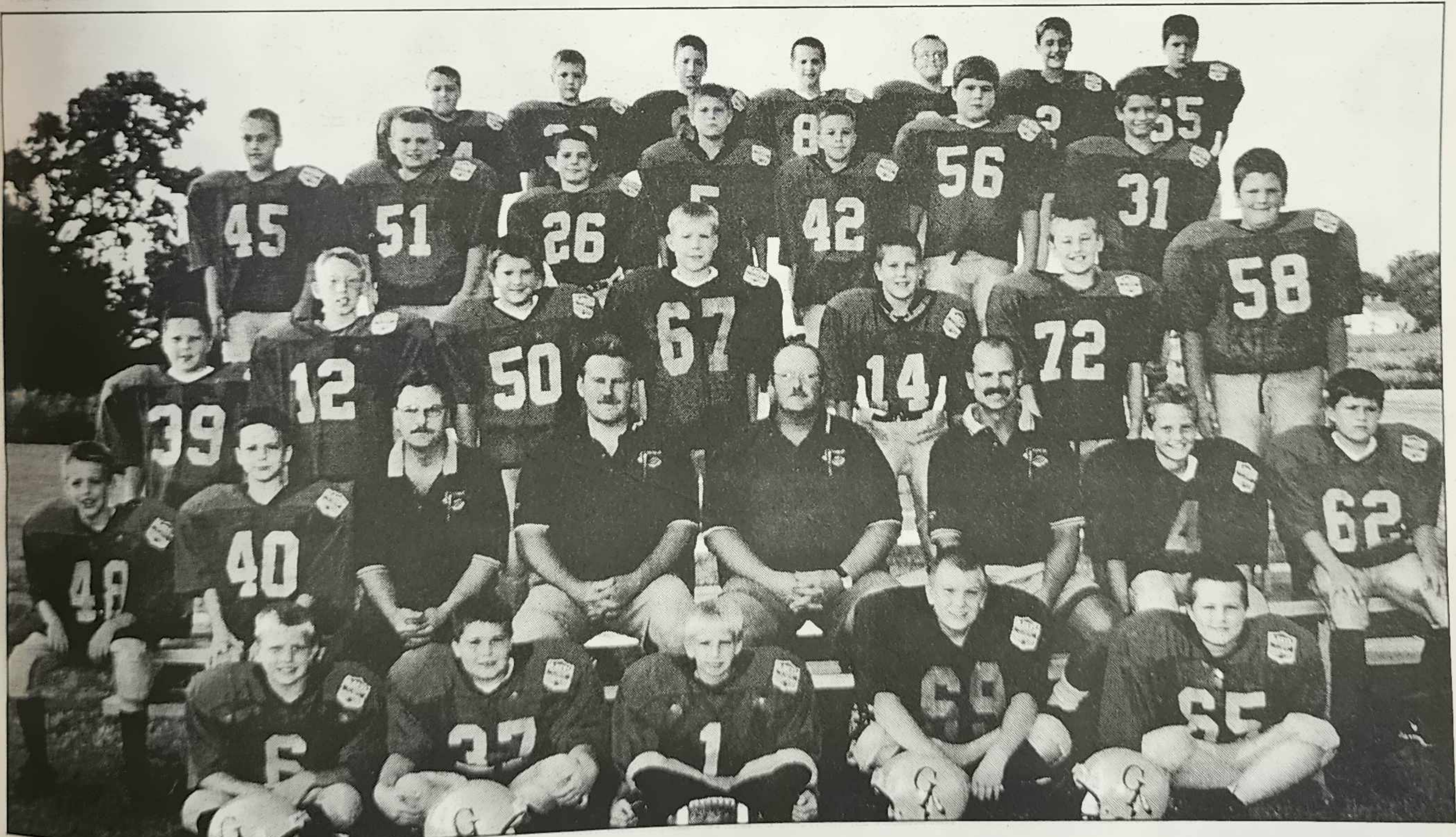
The 2003 Gridiron Seventh Grade Team. Front row, left to right: Ian Des Rosier, Nathan Seitz, Mason Shier, Coach Dick Pfothenauer, Head Coach Kyle Walcheske, Justin Beimborn, Josh Mueller, Nathan Wiedmeyer, and Paul Anderson. Row two: Connor Klug, Dan Rabuck, Ray Wollner, Nickolas Olla, P.J. Krueger, and Andy McDonald. Row three: Nathan Westerman, Matthew Prunty, Brandon Peter, Brian Backhaus, Adam Kleinke and Joey Paulus. Missing from picture: Coach Kyle Darmody.

STATESMAN SPORTS

2003 Gridiron Teams



The 2003 Gridiron Sixth Grade Team. Front row, left to right: Zach Herriges, Coltyn Sprinkman, Andy Rinzel, Alex Roeske, Tim Boettcher, and Jacob Büffittä. Row two: Steve Chapman, Steven Kudek, Jake Imler, Head Coach Joe Backhaus, Coach Jeff Brettingen, Coach Al Ratzel, Coach Wayne Koester, Earl Meyer III and Adam Fettig. Row three: Brad Wolf, Eric Mantz, Ryan Gibson, Nick Dombrowski, Kyle Jurss, Jason Sabel, Caleb Zapf and Derik Muckerheide. Row four: Trevor Kohn, Ryan Sopinski, Tyler Hoerig, Scott Steldt II, Taylor Russell, Brandon Martin, and Scott Doll. Row five: Jacob O'Brien, Jordan Blank, Daniel Ermer, Jr., Brandon Zolp, Matt Toles, Cal Bowe, Jr., Nathan Lamm. Sixth row: Allen Weisinger, Cody Lemke, Weston Rodenkirch, Brian Bottleman, Cody Enright, Beau Backhaus and Mike Eggert.



The 2003 Gridiron Fifth Grade Team. Front row, left to right: Tim Otten, Tyler Schultz, Mitch Heberer, Brandon Ehn, Stephen Knoll. Row two: Garrett Maurer, Rob Maertz, Coach Cory Wiedmeyer, Head Coach Mark Walcheske, Coach Jeff Logan, Coach Gary Nuernberg, Austin Luedtke, and Terry Straight. Row three: Andrew Bullette, Bryan Naumann, Joseph Stoffel, Luke Kopeschka, Christopher Wetzal, Nic Gerhartz and Tanner Schaub. Row four: Ian Panzer, Kyle Wesenberg, Bradley Conroy, Cody Nuernberg, Jared Koffke, Alex Larsen, and Mitch Luedtke. Row five: Matt Ballard, Jonathan Kegley, Ryan Ogi, Michael Schladweiler, Paul Gutjahr, Eric Enright and Cole Roberts.

KEWASKUM SPORTS

KHS Presents Gifts to Plymouth and County

Kewaskum High School boys basketball teams and fans were very charitable on Thursday, December 18th during their Eastern Wisconsin Conference contest versus the Plymouth Panthers. Both the Indians and their generous supporters were in a gift-giving mood one week prior to Christmas.

Many area fans graciously donated toys, games, CD's and the like to the Youth and Family Project of Washington County as admission to the junior varsity and varsity games at the K.H.S. Fieldhouse. Unfortunately, the Indians proved to be as kindly to the visitors as the fans were to the needy children of the county.

The night started with

the Jayvees coming up short in their attempt to maintain their winning streak. The Indians did not match the energy or offensive firepower of their counterparts, thereby dropping their league ledger to 3-1. The Indians evenly battled the taller and more physical junior Panthers for three periods before Plymouth pulled away to win 52 to 42.

The Kewaskum varsity boys team did their best to impersonate Santa Claus (one week early) by giving Plymouth possession of the ball through numerous turnovers and offensive rebounds. That combination of magnanimous benevolence resulted in Kewaskum receiving a 78 to 26 pouncing by the Panthers.

Both varsity teams entered the contest with 0 and 4 overall records and 0-2 conference status. The Indians headed into their Holiday Tournament at Hortonville in much need of a confidence building outcome. Kewaskum was once again led by freshman Matt Parrent with eight points and six rebounds.

On a more merry note, the K.H.S. frosh boys team recorded their first victory of the young season with a convincing final score of 50 to 38. The 1 and 3 little Indians were led by Dan Shea with 17 points, Eric Cullen with 12 tallies and Jon Wicklund who totalled 11 points as well.

The freshmen played their first-ever game at the new K.E.S. gymnasium with resounding success. Congratulations to freshmen Coach Jim Hillier, who was celebrating his first win at Kewaskum as well as his birthday.

Overall, the Indians dropped two of three games to the visiting Panthers of Plymouth. However, the Washington County Youth and Family Project was able to provide "baskets" of food, clothing and gifts to over 100 area families due to the helpful fans of Kewaskum H.S. boys basketball.



In 1874, the men of Harvard charged admission to a football game between Harvard and McGill University. This marked the first time that admission was charged for a collegiate sporting event. The money went toward entertaining the McGill team.

Junior Varsity Boys Win Tournament Title

For the third consecutive year, the Kewaskum High School boys basketball teams participated in the Hortonville Holiday Hoops Tournament. Teams from Berlin, Grafton, Hortonville and Kewaskum competed in the 9th Annual Hortonville Tournament. All junior varsity and varsity teams played at 6:00 and 7:30 p.m. at Hortonville High School on December 29th and 30th.

On Monday, the K.H.S. junior varsity and varsity teams challenged the host Polar Bears on their home floor, with Berlin playing Grafton in the other bracket. Consolation Rounds were scheduled for Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. with the Championships played at 8:00 p.m. in both gymnasiums. First place teams were awarded a team plaque.

The Indian Jayvees started out somewhat slow and lethargic coming off of their Christmas break and found themselves trailing 29 to 18 at the half.

With Coach Steve Weddig providing the motivation the junior varsity came back with a hard fought and inspired 56 to 55 victory. The hometown hoopsters of Hortonville recorded a seven-point play after the Indians had rallied to take a 48 to 40 lead during the fourth period.

With every team member contributing points to their overall tally, this was truly a total team effort. Sophomores Austin Flanders (13) and Zach Wollner (12) were the junior varsity offensive leaders while Brian Coster was the top rebounder in the game. Grafton blew out Berlin to advance to the title game as well.

Kewaskum found themselves in a real dogfight as the Indians faced a zone

defense for the first time all season. The Black Hawks traded the lead with KHS throughout the first three periods.

When Kewaskum established their first four point lead in the fourth period, the Indians took control of the ball, the tempo and the game. The Indians won the tournament title going away by the final score of 60 to 49.

The junior varsity team recorded 40 second half points to improve their record to 5 and 2. The champions were led by frosh Casey Scheel (20 points), and sophomores Austin Flanders (17 points) and Eric Cain (13 points). The Jayvees demonstrated great poise, shooting and ball handling in the second half.

Kewaskum converted on 13 of 14 free throws in the fourth period to gradually pull away from their up tempo and taller opponents. Congratulations to the K.H.S. junior varsity and Coaches Steve Weddig and Tom Theusch on winning the 2003 Hortonville Holiday Hoopla Title.

KHS Varsity Boys Continue to Improve

Kewaskum got off to a poor start in the Annual Hortonville Holiday Hoops Tournament, by trailing Hortonville, 27 to 12, at half-time. The Indians were forced to outscore the hosts 17 to 6 in the third period to creep within 33 to 29. Kewaskum was unable to maintain their momentum throughout the fourth quarter.

Freshman post player, Matt Parrent recorded 21 points and eight boards to lead the Indians. Junior Todd Warnecke tallied 12 points with only two other team members scoring.

Kewaskum took chances near the end of the game in the attempt to garner their first victory of the 2003-4 season.

Hortonville had ten

players score leading to their 48 to 40 win over the visiting Indians. Kewaskum benefitted from a gradual but yet noticeable improvement in the second half versus the Polar Bears. The hosts eventually lost the final to Berlin to finish second overall.

Matt Parrent (12), Todd Warnecke (8) and Paul Gaynor (7) were Kewaskum's point leaders in their consolation loss to Grafton 62 to 34, thus dropping to 0 and 7. Yet, this young team continues to consistently develop their team offensive skills while competing against much deeper and more experienced teams.

Kewaskum hits the road with E.W.C. games at New Holstein (01-06), Sheboygan Falls (01-09) and Manitowoc Roncalli (01-13).

These young cagers hope to return home with not only valuable experience but with better execution and production.



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