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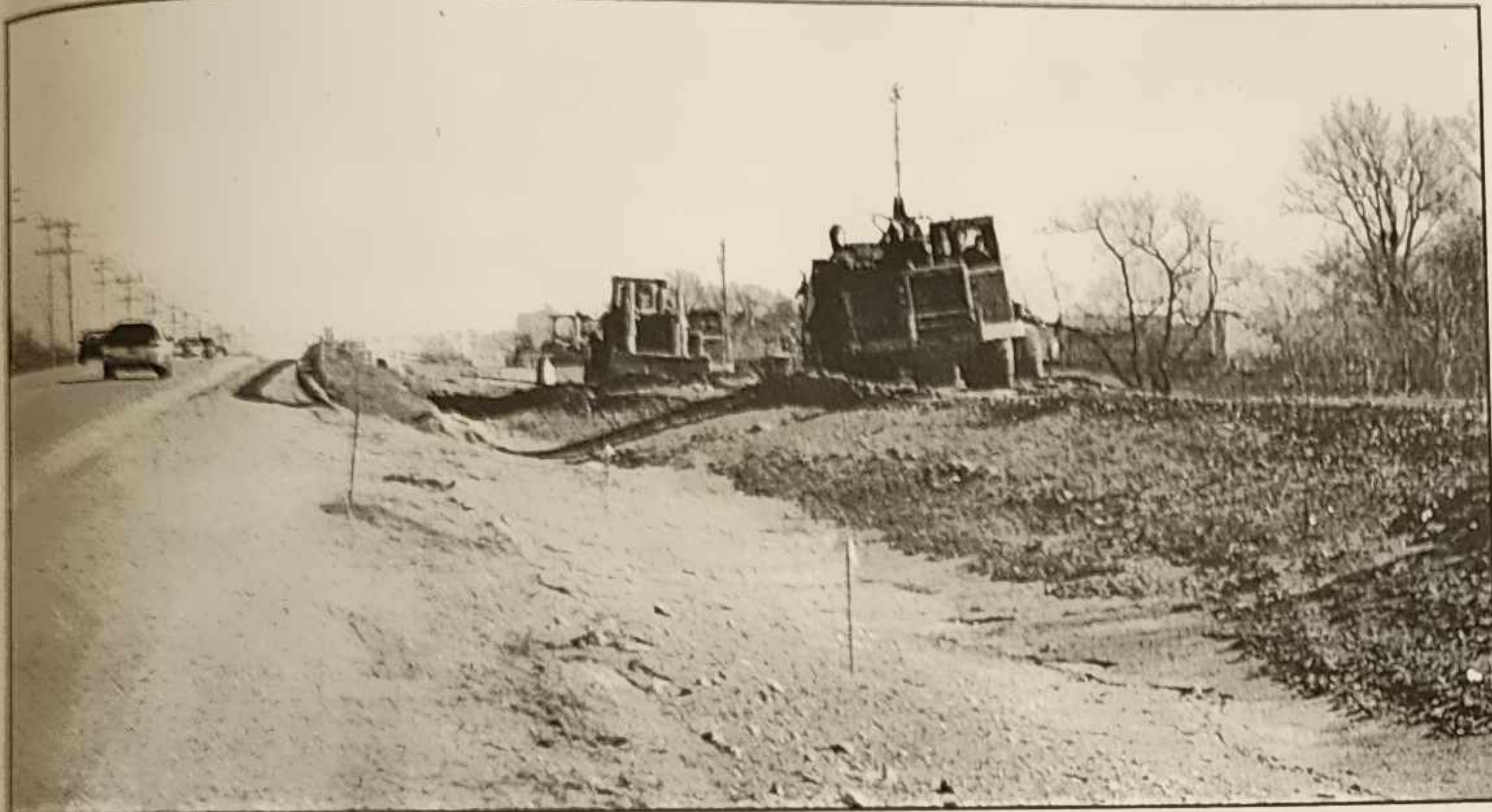
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## Work Resumes on USH 45



The resumption of work has begun again on the USH 45 reconstruction project. Crews are now removing the surcharge put on the southbound lanes over winter. Project manager Jeanne Marchant says this aspect of the project should be complete by early next week. They will be laying gravel next week in anticipation of starting to pave the first week in May. It is hoped traffic will be using the southbound lanes by June. Marchant wishes to clarify the issue of a road being placed behind Strobel Propane. This is not a public road, but is instead a haul road for crews removing the surcharge. Temporary lights that have been installed at the Badger Road, USH 45 intersection will remain there as long as possible and hopefully until the permanent lighting and signals are installed. Residents with questions are able to reach Marchant and her staff at 262-626-4804.

Statesman Photo: Andrew Kuehl

## Vehicle Registration Service Now Available at K.P.D.

Today the Kewaskum Police Department announced their appointment as an electronic agent of the Wisconsin Division of Motor Vehicles. This appointment allows the department to process most of the vehicle registration and registration renewal transactions that are available at DMV offices, including the issuance of license plates, transferring of registrations and registration renewals.

Police Chief Richard Knoebel expects this new service offering to be a large benefit to local residents as they no longer need to travel to far away DMV offices or rely on the mail for vehicle registration services.

There is a service fee charged to the customer which pays for the software as well as the police department time.

The new electronic service is provided via a program supplied by Computerized Vehicle Registration (CVR). CVR is the major supplier of this service in Wisconsin and serves nearly six hundred auto dealers, credit unions, banks and municipal agents in the state

### Wisconsin License Plates Available

The department has available for immediate issue regular automobile plates, light truck plates, motorcycle plates and Green Bay Packer plates. Their system will also speed the issuance of dual purpose farm, University of Wisconsin, Ducks Unlimited, Endangered Resources, Celebrate Children and dual purpose truck plates.

Title printing will continue to be processed by the DMV but the new electronic service will greatly speed the delivery of titles to customers. The typical turn around time for customers to receive a title with the new service will be seven to ten

## Auburn Holds Monthly, Annual Meetings

By ANDREW KUEHL  
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Town of Auburn officials acted on tabled business at their April meeting held this past Monday among other items.

Chairman Howard Laubenstein and the supervisors announced they will meet April 21st to go out and inspect the town's roads. They will report back to the town at the May meeting.

Temporary Class B Malt beverage licences were approved for the Milwaukee Beagle Club.

Next on the agenda was a rezoning request tabled from the March meeting. The supervisors heard comments from a packed town hall including a number of hot tempered residents who voiced concerns over the possible rezoning or not rezoning of three lots in the Timber Trails subdivision at that March meeting. The developers were asking to have lots one through three changed to rural residential

Less than half of those speaking against the rezoning

attended April's meeting that had the town's attorney, John St. Peter present.

St. Peter entertained a question from resident, Gil Salm, who was unclear why there was not a meeting held to amend the town's comprehensive plan. He alluded to a law that stated any changes to the comprehensive plan must be done at a meeting of the town board, posted no less than 30 days prior.

St. Peter replied there was nothing amended on the comprehensive plan but the town board was indeed acting on a request for rezoning, two separate issues.

He also indicated to the residents that the comprehensive zoning plan is not a binding document and acts as a reference document to control zoning. The town board may re-zone property at anytime at their discretion. He did affirm however that a meeting, posted 30 days in advance is required to open the comprehensive plan and amend it.

Alice Linnabury asked St. Peter what the protocol is for subdivisions wanting to be developed in the future.

He answered by saying they will need to be decided on a case by case basis.

The rezoning request was unanimously approved.

Information on the town's annual meeting was not ready at press time. It will be included in next week's edition. Details of that meeting can be found on our website.

## Dinner and Style Show April 21st

The 14th Annual Kewaskum Chamber of Commerce Dinner and Style Show will be held on Wednesday, April, 21 at the Amerahn Ballroom. The event is held in honor of Administrative professionals day.

Doors open at 5pm. There will be games, raffles and exhibits.

The dinner will start at 6pm and will be catered by J.O.'s of Kewaskum. The cost is \$15.00 per person. Tickets are available at Auto Body Dynamics, Hair on Main and St. Francis Bank.

Due to limited seating, the

last day to make reservations is Friday, April 16th. Please contact any chamber member or stop and pick up your tickets at the local businesses.

Area business professionals will model fashions from Maurices and Dress Barn in West Bend. Washington Cty CCSA will also be sponsoring a model.

Please show your appreciation to that special someone, by giving them a night out at the 14th Annual Kewaskum Chamber of Commerce Dinner and Style Show.

## NEWS BRIEFS

● **ATTEMPTED ROBBERY** has left village police with no clues or suspects. The attempted robbery took place on Tuesday, April 6 at 11:35 p.m. at the home of a resident in the Whispering Willows subdivision. The victim was asked for money, when he told the suspected black males he didn't have any they left the scene.

● **KOHLVILLE SMOKER** - will be held Saturday, April 17, at the Kohlsville Fire Station, Hwy WW in beautiful Kohlsville. The Smoker is an evening full of raffles and free door prizes with food and fun. Highlighting the evening is a huge raffle with nine \$1000 winners and many more cash prizes.

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LUNCH MENUS

KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday, April 19 -- Pop-corn chicken, mandarin oranges, tater tots, bread & a Trixyogurt

Tuesday, April 20 -- Nachos grandes, apple, veggie salad bar & Frito Lay Cheetos. \*Gyro. (2) Mini-corn puppies.

Wednesday, April 21 -- M.S. & H.S. - Pasta bar elem. Cheeseburger/bun, fries, grapes, orange juice & a ranger cookie.

Thursday, April 22 -- KES Grandparents Day. Chicken tenders, French fries, peach slices, whole wheat or white bread & a brownie cookie. \*Sausage pizza. (2) Mini-corn puppies.

Friday, April 23 -- Cheese pizza, strawberries, corn, bread & chocolate chip cookie dough. \*Beef quesadilla. (2) Mini-corn puppies.

HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL

Monday, April 19 -- Beef taco/chicken fajita (cheese, lettuce, tomato, salsa, peppers, sour cream), green beans, peaches, choc. covered surprise, milk.

Tuesday, April 20 -- Cheezy garlic bread, or sloppy Joe, pears, applesauce, peanut butter bar, milk.

Wednesday, April 21 -- Egg sandwich, hot ham on a bun, broccoli/cauliflower, mandarin oranges, chocolate chip cookie, milk.

Thursday, April 22 -- Earth Day. Hot dog on a bun, trees w/cheese, mixed fruit, dirt cake, milk.

Friday, April 23 -- Meatball/meatloaf, whipped potatoes w/gravy, golden corn, mandarin oranges, dinner roll, cookie, milk.

ST. LUCAS SCHOOL

Monday, April 19 -- Hot dog on bun, tater tots, fresh veggies/dill dip, Heath Bar cake.

Tuesday, April 20 -- Beefy shepherd's pie, dinner roll, corn, hot cinnamon apples, pudding cup.

Wednesday, April 21 -- Submarine sandwiches/lunch meat or meatball, spudsters, peaches, sugar cookie.

Thursday, April 22 -- Baked chicken, mashed potatoes w/gravy, peas, pears, brownie.

Friday, April 23 -- Nachos grande, rice, carrot coins, pineapple, peanut butter bar.

ST. MATTHEWS SCHOOL

Monday, April 19 -- Chicken nuggets, tri-taters, broccoli & cauliflower, pears or banana, dinner roll, bar, milk.

Tuesday, April 20 -- Hamburger/bun, French fries, carrot sticks, apple or grapes, pickles, milk.

Wednesday, April 21 -- April Birthday Party. Diced chicken & gravy, mashed

potatoes, cranberry sauce, corn, fresh fruit, salad, French bread, birthday cake, milk.

Thursday, April 22 -- Taco, cheese, lettuce, green beans, pineapple or melons, cookie, milk.

Friday, April 23 -- Cheese pizza, wax beans, coleslaw, mixed fruit, milk.

CAMPBELLSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday, April 19 -- Grilled ham & cheese, buttered corn, fruit choice, pudding cup, milk.

Tuesday, April 20 -- Diced chicken/gravy, mashed potatoes, rice, peas & carrots, milk, cranberries, cookie.

Wednesday, April 21 -- Mini corn dogs, yogurt, French fries, fruit choice, milk, peanut butter bar.

Thursday, April 22 -- Hard or soft tacos, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, sour cream, fruit, French bread.

Friday, April 23 -- Chicken nuggets/dip, tri tater, fruit choice, milk.

KEWASKUM SENIOR DINING CENTER For the Elderly Menu Meadowcreek Complex 262-483-2056

Monday, April 19 -- Glazed ham, au gratin potatoes, spinach, cornbread muffin, rice pudding.

Tuesday, April 20 -- Stuffed green peppers, oven browned potatoes, capri blend vegetables, Italian bread, raspberry pie.

Wednesday, April 21 -- Chilled grape juice, steak fingers, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, kaiser roll, macaron cookie.

Friday, April 23 -- Fried fish, baked potato with sour cream, creamy coleslaw, pumpernickel rye bread, cherry tart.

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

New Births

DORN-- A daughter, Madelyn Nicole, to Shannon and Derek Dorn, Kewaskum, born on April 10, 2004. She weighed eight pounds and 15 ounces, and was 22 inches long.

XYZ CARD RESULTS

The winners at cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, April 7th were: SKAT: Teresa Peterson, 18-3--15 net; Byron Gessner, 16-2--14 net; Francis Gilboy, Diamond solo vs 4.

SHEEPSHEAD: Mary Schultz, Marvin Marquardt, Harold Backhaus and Reiny Follmann.

MONDAY NIGHT SKAT

Skat winners on Monday, April 5th were: David Nett, 21-2--19 net; Wes Darmody, 666 points; Roger Wehrmann, 20-2--18 net; Henry Schmitz, 64 high play.

The next skat will be Monday, April 19th at 7:00 p.m. sharp.

TUESDAY NIGHT SHEEPSHEAD WINNERS

Five handed winners on Tuesday, April 6th were: Jerry Darmody, 82-9--73, 26-6--20; Ralph Stern, 61-6--55, 25-3--22; Betty Schibline, 67-12--55, 22-8--13; Ruth Campbell, 55-2--53, 18-1--17; Syl Stern, 54-6--48, 23-3--20; Jim Ellenbecker, 13 most losses; Delores Mielke, 8 low points.

The next 5 handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, April 20th at 7:30 p.m. sharp. Angie D's K-Town Saloon.

Have patience and the mulberry leaf will become satin. -Spanish proverb

On February 23, Kewaskum police were dispatched to a Riverview Drive residence in reference to a criminal damage to property complaint.

The complainant stated that someone had slashed one of the tires of her daughter's car.

The complainant was given a restitution form to fill out. There are no suspects at this time.

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On February 26, Kewaskum police were contacted by a complainant regarding a bomb scare message left at her residence.

The complainant stated that when she returned to her home, she found two messages on her answering machine, one of them being a bomb threat from a number from Toronto, Canada.

The officer checked the basement and the yard and did not locate any footprints and nothing suspicious was found.

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On March 31, Kewaskum Police were stopped by a complainant in reference to a car that appeared to have been keyed.

The complainant stated that while her vehicle had been parked at the high school someone had keyed the car. She had no idea who would have done it.

There are no suspects at this time.

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On April 3, Kewaskum Police were dispatched to Hardware Hank in reference to a shoplifter.

The complainant was able to see the license plate number of the vehicle and police were able to locate the suspect.

The complainant stated that the suspect had been shoplifting at both the Kewaskum and Campbellsport stores since they started going out of business. The store owner stated that he wanted the man prosecuted due to the fact that he has been doing this for the past several months.

RESCUE CALLS

On March 27, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with abdominal pain. A transport was made.

On March 28, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person who had a medical emergency. A transport was made.

On April 1, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with abdominal pain. A transport was made.

On April 5, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a

person with a laceration to the head. A transport was made.

Also on April 5, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the Town of Barton for a person who was not responding. A transport was made.

On April 6, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person involved in a car accident. A transport was made.

On April 8, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with nausea and dizziness. A transport was made.

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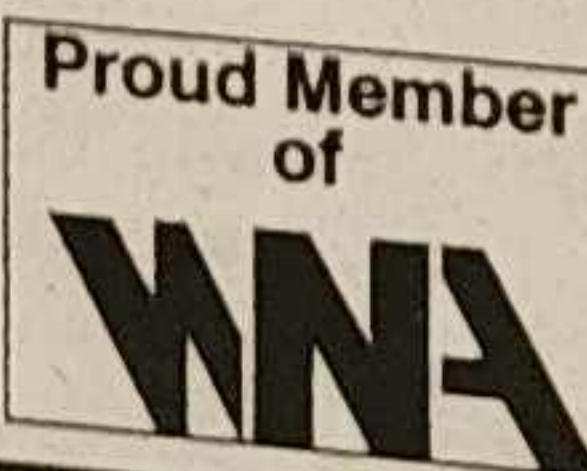
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COMMUNITY NEWS

## Farmington Board Discusses Lake 12 Access

BY LISA LICKEL  
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On election day the Town of Farmington met for its regular monthly meeting with an audience of over twenty residents. Public presentation issues focused around road repair and drainage on Jay Road, and brush cutting in the Town.

"Brush in the Town has not been cut for twenty years or so, so it's bad," Chairman Jim Dieringer said. "We've spent a lot of money catching up. We've got a good crew out every weekend." Supervisor Ike Roell added, "We're cutting first where the bus company complained."

Building Inspector John Derler reported that six new homes were going up in the Town, compared to eight at this time in 2003 and six in 2002. "All other communities around us are busy. The new development in Fredonia is half sold already," he told Dieringer.

Other items of interest addressed by the Board include a new property owner's request on Forest View Road to abandon a .13 section of town road that served as egress onto his 55-acre property. "It wasn't noted on the title anywhere," the owner told the board. "It's a safety and privacy issue. I don't want to build a home there if anyone can come back there."

After a brief discussion, the property owner and his lawyer agreed to return next month to settle the issue. The property owner volunteered to pay the cost of having his own private attorney draw up the paperwork for abandoning the section of road, which is not up to current code and not maintained. "I didn't buy the property for development," the owner stated. "But it's up to you. If I can't build on it, I'll develop it."

The Committee for Preservation of Lake 12 representative, Rick White, brought up some new issues regarding the DNR proposed public access site being built on land owned by the Ozaukee Trust. Their concern, besides use of gasoline-powered motors on boats, was enforcement and policing of the site. The DNR apparently informed the group that the Town would have complete jurisdiction over enforcement of ordinances and care for the site. "Not so," and "No way," Farmington Board members stated. "We were vehemently

opposed to the DNR opening the site to begin with," White said. "Maybe you should think about this whole thing some more." Clerk Joanne Oneska questioned whether the access was ever formally approved by the Board.

The Board requested White to gain signatures of all property owners in agreement with the proposed ordinance to ban gasoline motor use on the Lake and return next month. "We (the property owners) tried to buy the property to prevent this from happening, but we just couldn't swing it," he told the audience.

The Town of Farmington is joining thirteen other communities in Washington County in seeking state grant money to help cover the costs of developing the state mandated Smart Growth plan. Ann Enright and Karen Wollner will be part of the representation from Farmington. "If we ignore this (developing ordinances to cover future development of Town Property in several aspects), we lose our power of zoning in our Township. The county takes over," Dieringer told the audience. Working with the county group is projected to save quite a bit of money, instead of working alone.

Finally, Dieringer presented information regarding a scholarship for high school seniors from the Rural Insurance Company. Six students may be selected by the organization from communities which are covered by the company. The scholarships of \$750 and \$1000 will be awarded based on an essay about how computer technology and the Internet can help Townships, due by May 19. For more information, contact Kewaskum High School.

## LeMahieu's I-43 Bill Made Law

State Representative Dan LeMahieu (R-Oostburg), expressed his gratitude as Governor Doyle signed the Representative's second bill into law on Wednesday, April 7th. Assembly Bill 471 allows fire departments and rescue units to bill insurance companies directly for accident calls on interstate and state highways. Assembly Bill 471 comes as a direct result of the tragic accident that claimed 10 lives, which occurred on Interstate 43 within the 59th Assembly District on October 11, 2003.

Representative Le Mahieu stated, "I would like to thank my legislative colleagues, as well as the citizens and media of Sheboygan County as they were instrumental in helping to get Assembly Bill 471 passed and signed into law."

The Wisconsin State Assembly passed AB 471 by voice vote on January 27, 2004, while the State Senate passed the bill by voice vote March 11, 2004.

LeMahieu's purpose for authoring this bill was due in part to the circumstances subsequent to the accident, once local volunteer fire and rescue departments attempted to recover part of their expenses due to the massive financial cost of the accident. Under current law, volunteer fire and rescue may recover costs from those involved in

the accident up to \$500 per individual.

When the Village of Cedar Grove Fire Department sent reimbursement bills after the October 11th accident, they were criticized by family members and media for being insensitive for sending invoices to the victims or families involved in the accident. Assembly Bill 471 will allow volunteer fire and rescue departments the ability to re-

cover that same reimbursement, however departments may now attempt to directly bill the victim's insurance company rather than sending an invoice directly to the victim or the victim's family.

*The only sure thing about luck is that it will change.*  
-Bret Harte

### PROCLAMATION ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS WEEK

April 18 - 24, 2004

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WHEREAS, administrative professionals contribute greatly to office excellence;

WHEREAS, administrative professionals are valued members of business throughout our community; and

WHEREAS, the week of April 18-24 has been designated Administrative Professionals by Administrative Professionals International, it's founder and sponsor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mathew A. Heiser, President of the Village of Kewaskum, do hereby proclaim the week of April 18-24, ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS WEEK and ask that management everywhere join in recognizing these outstanding professionals in their employ especially on Wednesday, April 21, 2004 ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS DAY.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Village of Kewaskum to be affixed this 5th day of April 2004.

|s|  
Mathew A. Heiser, President

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Daniel S. Schmidt, Administrator

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### VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM SPRING CLEAN UP SATURDAY APRIL 24, 2004 9 AM - 2 PM

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Appliances, (absolutely **no** TV, radio, refrigeration or other appliances) hazardous materials or debris from contractors ARE **NOT** allowed!

Note, the procedure for paint containers is to air dry all paint materials and place them and dried paint in the normal garbage pick up. (For informational brochure contact the municipal building).

There will be a Village employee available for any questions or assistance that day. If you have any questions prior to that date, please call the Municipal Building at 626-8484 between the hours of 7:30 AM and 4:30 PM, M-F or the Department of Public Works at 626-4310.

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

## Historically Speaking



From Left to right Ron Bollhoffer, Jeanne Kreilkamp, John Kreilkamp, Sharon Bollhoffer, Kathy Strobel, and John Strobel enjoy a catered meal in the Old Washington County Historical Society.

BY: DAVID GOSA  
CURATOR OF EDUCATION

As we reflect upon the month of March at the Washington County Historical Society, we are able to reflect back on several wonderful events. But before we focus on each event I would like to thank all the wonderful volunteers that made these events possible. Without loyal volunteers at the support from our community none of these events would be possible.

The first event of interest was our catered meal for six at the Old Jailhouse. The catered meal was one of our auction items from last year Roaring 20's Casino Night.

On Friday March 12, 2004 three couples enjoyed a catered meal sponsored by The Linden Inn and Jeff's

Spirits on Main. After the elegant meal our guest were treated to a tour of the Old Jailhouse. This years Roaring 20's Casino Night will be held on October 16, 2004. While attending this year's event you will be able to play poker, black-jack, roulette and craps. To top off the night you can use all the money that won gambling and bid all kinds of exciting auction items like the catered meal in the Old Jailhouse. More information about the event will be included in upcoming articles.

On March 4th at the Old Courthouse Museum over 120 visitors attended our own version of the Antique Road Show. Visitors brought in their prized possessions and had world renown auctioneer Mike Paul tell them a short

history of the item and roughly how much it was worth. This is an annual event so if you missed it this year, you can look forward to next year.

The Washington County Historical Society is currently accepting nominations for its annual Preservation Awards. These awards are held in May during National Preservation Week, a celebration sponsored by The National Trust for Historic Preservation. The

Preservation Awards are designed to recognize Washington County sites, organizations, families, individuals and histories. List below is description of all the different awards.

The President's Award for preservation of historic Washington County commercial and residential buildings or sites.

The President's Commercial Award is for the acknowledgement of an individual or individuals responsible for the preservation of a public building or site.

The President's Residential Award is for the acknowledgement of an individual or individuals responsible for the preservation of a private building. Last years winner was the Amity Apartments - Stonehouse Development, Commercial Award.

The Edith B. Heidner Award for documentation of Washington County History. Acknowledgement of an individual(s) responsible for the preservation of Washington County history through any medium, including print, audio, video or computer technology, that documents County history and provides a physical and permanent record of that history for future generations.

Last years winner was Richard Klumb for the History of Holy Angels Parish.

The Zella Loomer Award for lifetime achievement in history is given to acknowledge an individual for a lifetime of dedication to the

preservation of Washington County history, including, but not limited to, achievements in written local histories, achievements in genealogical research and documentation, achievements in volunteer activities on behalf of local historical organizations, and other achievements related to the preservation of local artifacts, objects, sites and/or history. Last years winner was Marge Holzbog for her work with the Richfield Historical Society.

The Sila Lydia Bast Award for documentation of family histories, genealogies and other stories related to Washington County families

Acknowledgement of an individual(s) for documentation of family histories, genealogies and other stories relevant to Washington County families past or present. Last years winner was Ronald Klumb for The Klumb Family History.

Please submit nominations for the Preservation Awards no later than Monday, May 3, 2004. All nominations will be recognized at the Society's Bi-monthly program at 7:00pm on Tuesday, May 18, 2004. Additional application forms can be obtained at the Washington County Historical Society, located at 320 S. 5th Ave, West Bend. For additional information please call Liz at 262-335-4678 or email research@historyisfun.com.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Women's Club Salad Luncheon a Success!



Shown above are Women's Club member Jeanne Goeden, left with hat queen Pat Borkowski of Pewaukee. Pat provided the entertainment at the Women's Club Salad Luncheon held recently at Peace United Church of Christ in Kewaskum. Pat brought along approximately 75 hats and shared stories of each hat with attendees. Her hat collection ranges from styles of the early 1900's, the 40's and today. She also has novelty hats such as a crab hat. Pat started collecting the hats over 20 years ago as she moved around the state.



Betty Homuth, left and Lois Bunkelman, right, model their hats at the salad luncheon. Attendees were asked to wear hats to the luncheon and those that did received an extra ticket for door prizes.



Women's Club member Gwen Dreher mans the door prize table.



Shown at left are new members, left to right, Joan Wszalek, Ruth Falevsky and Jane Siegel serving coffee.



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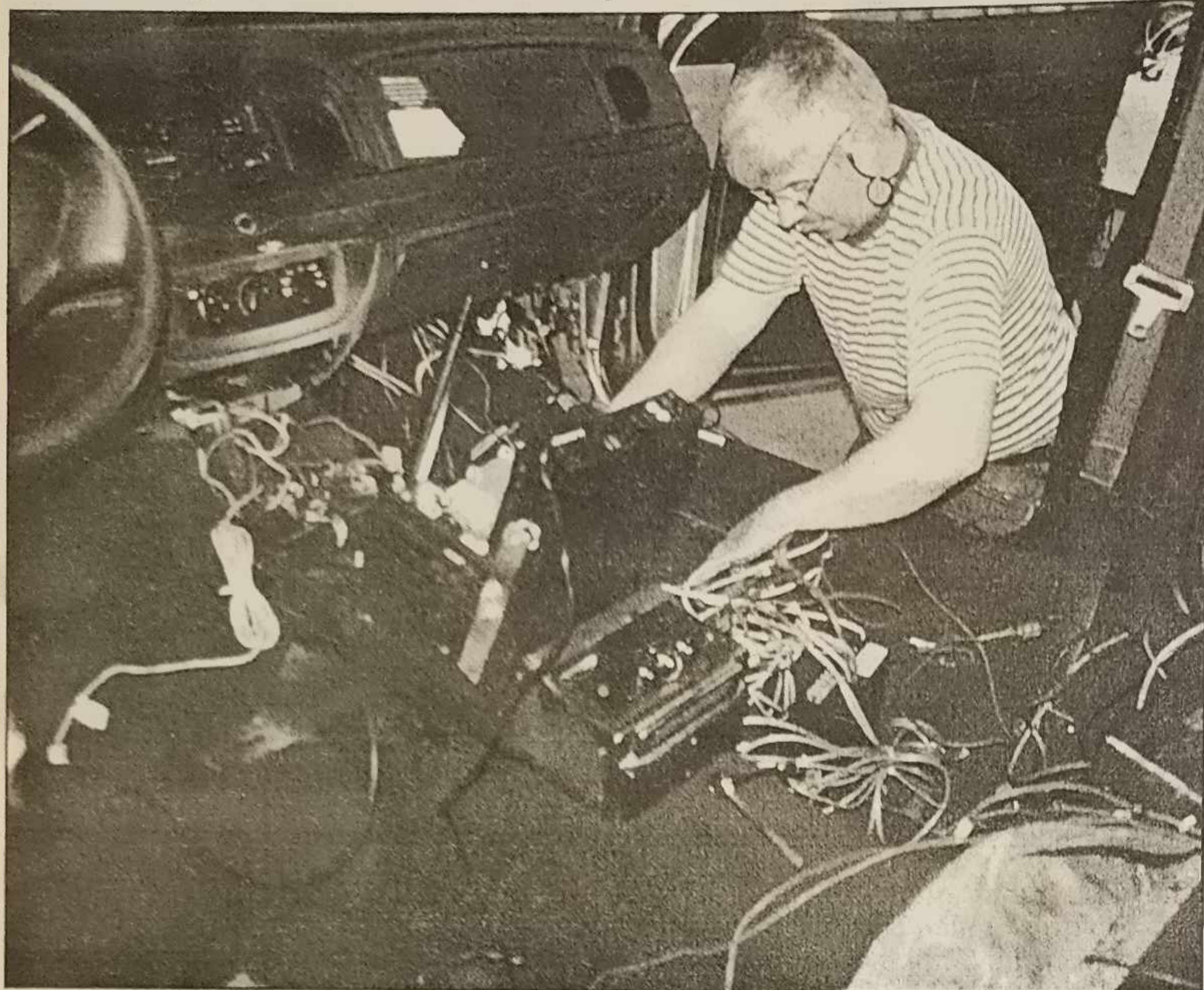
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**SUN SEEKERS**



COMMUNITY NEWS

# Kewaskum Officers Get New Squad Ready for Service



Kewaskum Police Officer Bob Buddenhagen works on wiring the marked squad car. According to Police Chief Richard Knoebel it takes he and Buddenhagen about eight hours to get the squad functioning properly. Kewaskum rotates squads and gets a new squad each year by entering into a lease program. The new 2004 Ford Crown Victoria will serve as the unmarked squad this year and a marked car in 2005 so the department can take advantage of the warranty offered by Ford. Why not two marked squads? It cost's the village an extra \$8,000 to put lights and the needed components for a marked squad. The above squad was put into full service on March 30. The new unmarked squad was also put into service shortly before.

Statesman Photo: Andrew Kuehl

## Exodus House Selling Elder Beerman Coupon Books

Exodus House, a halfway house for recovering alcoholics and drug addicts, is participating in Elder Beerman's "Care to Share" fund raising opportunity. Elder Beerman provides agencies with a money saving coupon book which can be purchased for \$5.00. This book can be used on Saturday, June 5,

2004 from 7 a.m. to noon only. Exodus House keeps 100% of the proceeds from this sale.

The coupons are for 30% off regular, sale and clearance merchandise, 20% off in the Home Dept. and 10% off Cosmetics, small electrics, certified value and early bird specials. There are also nine

exclusive buy items available in the coupon book for that day.

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## LLFC Scholarship Awarded

BY: NANCY DURN

Every year the Long Lake Fishing Club, Inc. awards a \$500 scholarship to a student at UW-Stevens Point majoring in a natural resource program.

This year the scholarship recipient is Kenneth Thiele from Hartford. Kenneth is majoring in Soil Science and Waste Management. he is a national member of the Soil and Water Conservation Society, as well as a member of the Fire Crew. While employed by the Fond du Lac County Code Enforcement office this past summer, he obtained his soil test certification.

His other interests include weight lifting, basketball and volleyball. Kenneth would like to find a career in the

field of Soil Science or Waste Management, specifically in the code enforcement area.

The award ceremony will be held on Friday, April 16 at UW-Stevens Point from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Prior to the ceremony the CNR Student Research Symposium will be from 12:30 to 5 p.m. with a cook out from 5:30-6:30.

## Women's Club Meeting April 22

The Kewaskum Women's Club will beholding their April 22nd meeting at the Annex at 7 p.m.

This will be a wrap-up meeting, with election of officers, disbursements of monies, and finalizing plans on upcoming brat fries, future programs, etc.

The public is invited to attend.

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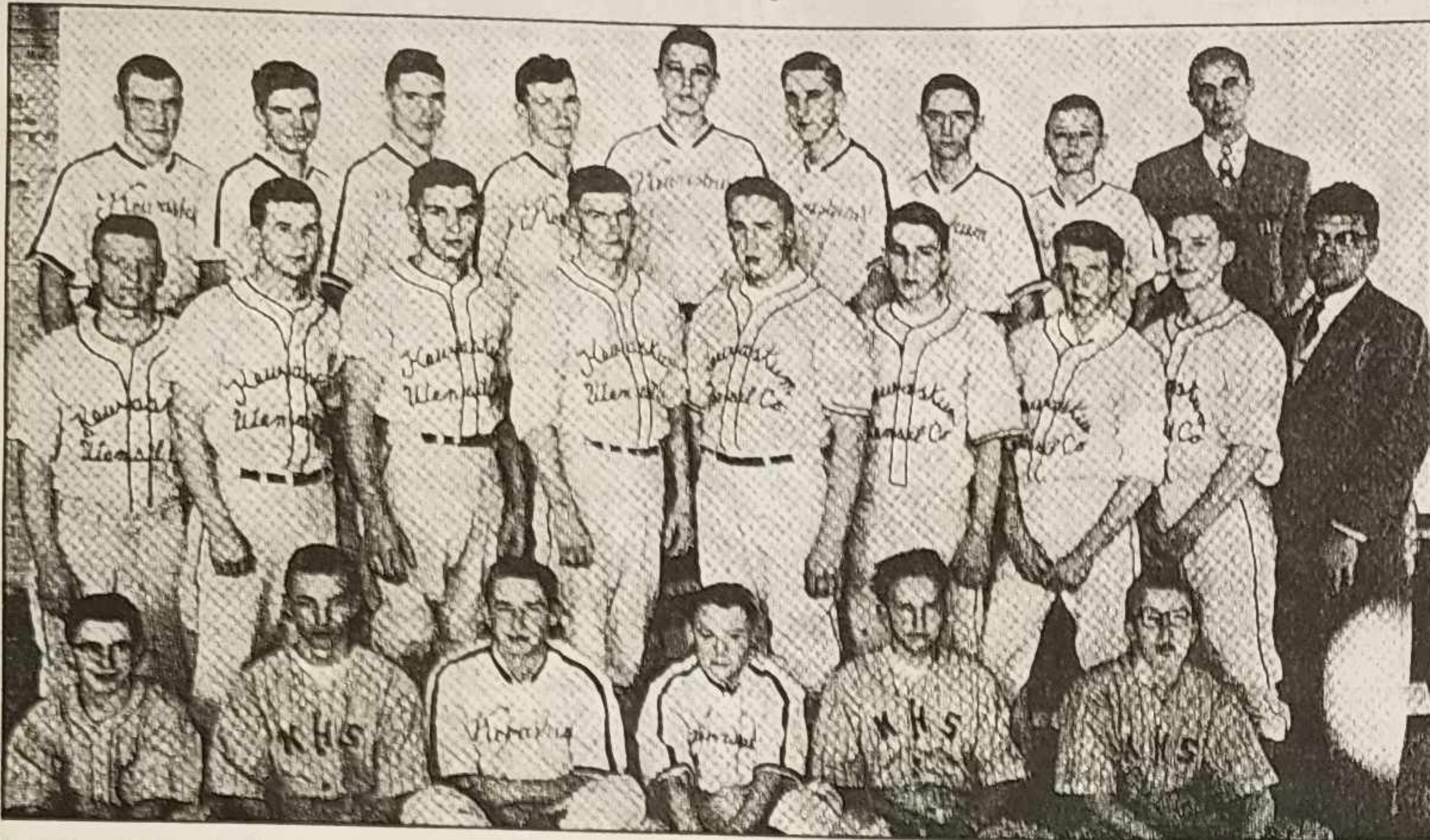
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PEOPLE NEWS

# Death of 'Doc' Mitchell Closes Chapter in History of KHS Sports



Ernie "Doc" Mitchell proudly poses with his 1953 KHS baseball team. Mitchell's team finished in second that season.

BY JUDY HARLOW  
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Anyone who has ever read a biography of the late, great Vince Lombardi knows he was dedicated to his faith, family and the Green Bay Packers.

The same could be said for Clarence "Ernie" Mitchell, retired Kewaskum High School educator and coach, who passed away Friday, April 9th at Maple Dale Manor at the age of 88.

Mitchell was a dedicated member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church. He was devoted to Marion, his wife of 62 years, to his two daughters, Patty (Carriveau) and Pam, and his grandchildren, Chris and Danielle, were the apples of his eye.

And oh how Mitchell loved the Green Bay Packers ... and the Wisconsin Badgers, his alma mater. His room at Maple Dale Manor was full of items showing the green and gold and "Big Red," and during the fall months, the television was always on when either team was playing.

And he had a special place in his heart for the teams from Kewaskum High where he coached for several decades.

"He was my first good friend here," Walt Bade, a teaching and coaching colleague, said about Mitchell last weekend. "In fact, I didn't have a place to live when I first came here (in 1950), and Ernie (and Marion) took me in. I stayed with Ernie about a week before I found a place for my family."

Mitchell, who was teaching science at the time but later became a guidance counselor and athletic director, took Bade, who was in physical education and taught one science class, under his wing.

"I was assistant coach to Ernie in football, basketball and baseball when I started here," Bade said, noting the high school only had an enrollment of around 200 students at the time so instructor and coaches were expect-

ed to accept a variety of assignments.

And what did Bade feel were Mitchell's great strengths?

"He was very thorough. He had very hard practices," Bade said, adding, "We didn't stop practicing until we had it right."

The Indians were members of the old Fox Valley Tri-County League at the time, with Campbellsport, Lomira, Brandon, Rosendale, Oakfield and North Fond du Lac competing against each other for conference bragging rights.

"I was very fortunate to have associated with him. He broke me in good," Bade said, and when Mitchell felt Bade was ready, he turned the head baseball job over to him in the late 50s, and the basketball reins several years later.

One particular game Bade remembers coaching with Mitchell was against arch rival Campbellsport.

"In those days, we shot free throws in overtime," Bade said, reporting that particular evening, "We did not shoot our free throws very well, but in the overtime, our kids made four of five and that won the game."

Bade recalls Jerry Opgenorth and Mark Rodenkirch were on that team.

Bade said he will always remember his former colleague as being "hardworking ...

very fundamental and very dedicated."

Ralph Koth played for Mitchell for three years, 1942 to '45. "My sophomore year was his first year here," Koth said, recalling how he played for Mitchell in football, basketball and baseball which was all the school offered.

Practices were tough, according to Koth, who said the players always knew when Mitchell wasn't pleased with the way things were going. "When he got mad at us, he'd say, 'Fellas.'"

Mitchell didn't have to worry about his players being ready for games against Campbellsport. "They were the number one rival ... we never lost to them in football. That was the biggest game of the season," Koth said, indicating, "It was different in those days. You appreciated playing."

Kewaskum played six-man football when Mitchell started as coach. "You know, he had the championship two years in a row," Koth said, recalling how he and Leland Schaub were the halfbacks, and one of the championship years, Merle Krueger was the quarterback and Alan Tassar called signals the other.

After the games, the team had a tradition of stopping for something to eat. "We'd stop at Milt's in Fond du Lac and get a hamburger and a malt for a quarter," Koth said, indicating the school would

## Community Bulletin Board

### Birthdays

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| April 15: | Randy Dreher      | Nicole Enright |
| April 16: | Chad Martin       | Dick Gust      |
| April 17: | Angie Zacho       | Kelly Scannell |
|           | Jessica Schwan    | Ben Esser      |
|           | Craig Thull       |                |
| April 18: | Iris Seefeldt     | Cliff Thiemer  |
| April 19: | Harold Westermann | Matt Bauer     |
| April 20: | Tom & Tim Hug     | Ray Schaefer   |
| April 21: | Harold Pesch      |                |

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buy "if we won ... That was Mr. (Clifford) Rose and him (Mitchell)."

Were there any big pep talks Koth remembers Mitchell giving? "No, he just told us what to do. He used to say every play in football is a touchdown, if every player does what he is assigned to do."

Koth would have walked over hot coals for Mitchell had he asked. Like his senior season in basketball. The team needed a center, so Koth, who had been a guard for three years, moved into the post, and he only stood 5 feet, 10 inches tall.

During his early years of coaching, boys on the teams didn't often go to the doctor for their bumps and bruises and sprained ankles, and there weren't trainers at any of the games, so Mitchell took care of minor injuries, prompting the initiation of the nickname "Doc" that stuck with him for the rest of his career.

"They said, Doc you take care of everything," daughter Patty Carriveau said, relaying the nickname tale and telling about how her parents met, during the first of the three years her dad taught and coached in Lena, Wisconsin before coming to Kewaskum.

"He lived in a rooming house right across the street from where my mom lived and where her dad had his

business," Carriveau said. They started dating and it was a match made in heaven.

When asked about her father's influence on her and her sister, Carriveau said, "He's the one who taught us the glass is half full," to find the bright spot in every person and every situation.

Carriveau said her dad would explain the consequences of unwise decision, but, "He was just always there for us ... He was that way for my two kids, too."

Wanting to have the freedom to travel to Wyoming to see his grandchildren prompted Mitchell to retire from KHS in 1980, according to Carriveau, who said, "He'd come every year at least once to see him (Chris) play. When he came he would even go to the practices, sit in the top of the bleachers and take notes." Later, she said, he would offer suggestions on how Chris could do things better.

And Mitchell enjoyed his special morning times with Danielle, according to Carriveau, who said, "He would always take her to school."

Husband, father, friend, colleague, coach, Mitchell, like Lombardi, was determined to be the best he could be.

A complete obituary can be found on page 10.

## THANKFUL PRAISES

We're told it **TAKES A VILLAGE TO RAISE A CHILD.** It takes the **HEART FELT FEELINGS** of villagers to support each other in a crisis!

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We watched as the news unfolded. The pressure, all were experiencing, was evident! Admiration in the way the students, chaperones and emergency personnel acted, answered our prayers.

Best wishes for a speedy and full recovery go out to the injured chaperones.

May all the bumps and bruises, for all concerned, be gone soon.

This village is raising their voices, with thanks and **PRAISE TO THE LORD!**

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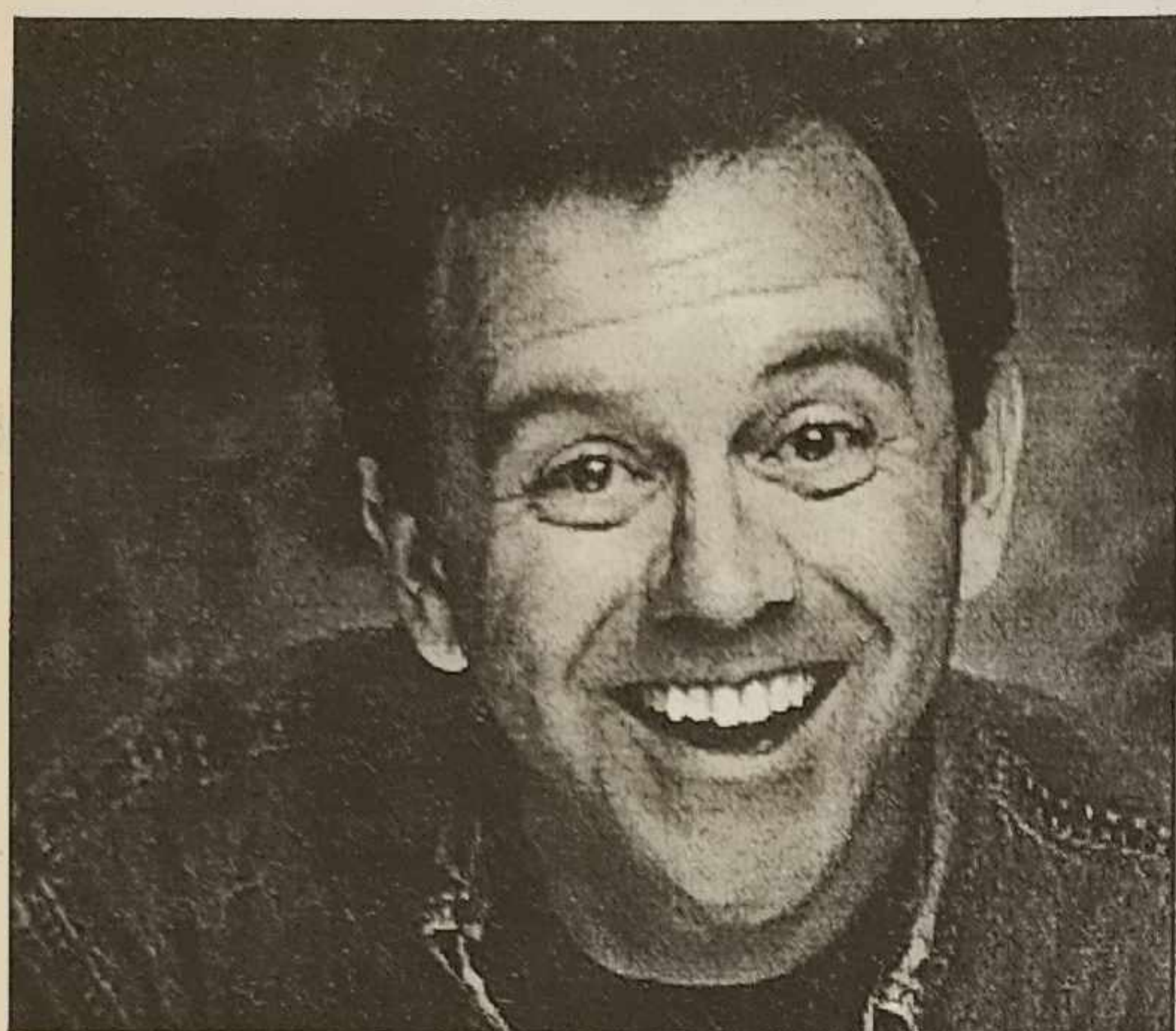




LOCAL EVENTS

**'Moliere Than Thou!'  
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The University is located at 400 University Drive in West Bend. For more information, check the campus website at [www.washington.uwc.edu](http://www.washington.uwc.edu).



**VW's on the Mountain  
May 15th**

The second annual VW's on the Mountain Camping and Volkswagen Show will be held at Sunburst Recreation area on Saturday, May 15 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Camping will be Friday night with check-in at 5 p.m. and a \$10 fee. There will be a breakfast served Saturday morning from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m.

Registration for VWs will be \$10 for the first vehicle and \$5 for additional vehicles. For vendors, the fee will be \$20.

There will be 13 show classes: Bus 67 and earlier, Bus 68 and later, Camper bus, Bug 67 and earlier, Bug 68 and later, Type 3/Thing/Karmann Ghia, Single/Double Cab Pick Up, Modified Beetle, Baja Buggy, New Beetles, Vangoon, Water Colled "stock" all years, water colled "modified" all years, Diamond in the Rough and Best of Show.

For more information contact Dave or Sharyl at Sunburst at 262-626-6413; or email [chefsharyl@hnet.net](mailto:chefsharyl@hnet.net). All proceeds will be donated to Camp Hope in Stevens Point.

Comedy, satire, and irony is planned for Friday evening, April 30 at UW-Washington County when the works of the French playwright, Moliere will be performed. The one man play, created and performed by talented actor, Timothy Mooney, begins at 7:30 pm in the theatre.

Through a hilarious succession of favorite speeches that trace Moliere's illustrious career, Mooney performs routines from Tartuffe, Don Juan, The Doctor in Spite of Himself, The Precious Young Maidens, The Misanthrope and The School for Wives, among others.

Mooney, who plays Moliere, created the "greatest hits" of sorts when he realized he was writing material faster than theatres could produce it. He notes that this "gives Moliere the perfect opportunity to explain his process of working on these plays while managing to take a few deft stabs at some of his enemies: the doctors, the lawyers, and the sanctimonious hypocrites who would attack him through the years."

In addition to acting, Mooney's twenty-year artistic background includes directing, staging sword fights, juggling and filling positions from literary manager to artistic director at theatres across the country. He is associated with some of the most powerful champions of new plays, working with the

Milwaukee Repertory Theatre, the Seattle Repertory Theatre and The Alley Theatre in Houston, Texas. He has also written several children's stories, including Issac and the Dinosaurs and The Monsters Can't Find You In The Dark.

Tickets for "Moliere than Thou" are \$8 adults, \$6 seniors (over 62) and youth (under 18). Students at UW-WC are admitted free with student id. Tickets can be purchased at the main office on campus or by calling (262)-335-5208 Monday through Friday (8am - 4:30pm). Reservations are suggested.

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**Community Events For  
April 15 - 22, 2004**

**April 16 thru May 16** -- Ninth Annual Juried Exhibit Opens in Gallery, 110 North, in the Plymouth Center. Announces the opening of Alive in the Arts, Joan Kohn Juried Exhibition. The public is invited to celebrate with the 50 participating Wisconsin artists at a gala opening reception on Friday, April 16, 5-8 p.m. The Plymouth Center is located on the corner of Mill and North Street, downtown Plymouth. Gallery is open Tues. thru Sat., noon til 4 p.m. and Sundays, 1-4 p.m. Admission is free. Call 920-892-8409, email [paf@excel.net](mailto:paf@excel.net) or visit the PAF website: [www.plymoutharts.org](http://www.plymoutharts.org) for more info.

**Saturday, April 17** -- 14th Annual Carving Show "Artistry In Woods, at Sheboygan Falls Municipal Building, Buffalo St., Sheboygan Falls, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Donation \$2.00 Woodcarving and wood carvings for sale. Brat fry and refreshments supplied by the Sheboygan Falls Chamber. Chain saw carver, demonstrations by members of the Kettle Karvers.

**Saturday, April 17**-- Kohlsville Vol. Fire Dept. Smoker Raffle Night: The Kohlsville Vol. Fire Depts. only fundraiser. The Smoker is an evening full of raffles and free door prizes with food and fun. Highlights the evening is a huge raffle with 9 - \$1000 winners and more cash prizes. Kohlsville Fire Dept. building is located Hwy. WW.

**Wednesday, April 21**--14th Annual Kewaskum Chamber of Commerce Dinner & Style Show. Amerahn Ballroom, Hwy. 45 north of Kewaskum. Door open at 5 p.m., Games, Raffles, Exhibits. Sit-down dinner at 6 p.m. Catered by J.O.'s in Kewaskum. Cost \$15 per person. Limited seating. Three locations to call or pick up tickets: 626-8780 Auto Body Dynamics, 1235 Fond du Lac Ave.; 626-2616 Hair on Main, 227 Main St.; St. Francis Bank, 1225 Fond du Lac Ave.

**Thursday, April 22**--"Rainbow of Fashion," Richfield Lioness Club fashion show. Held at the Richfield Chalet, Hwy. 175 and Hubertus Road, at 7:00 p.m. Fashions for men, women and teens will be presented by the Dress Barn and South-40 Western wear. Prom and wedding will be compliments of Amelishan Wedding Center. Advance tickets are \$6 and at the door \$7. Tickets available at Hansen's Piggly Wiggly and M&I Bank of Richfield or any Lioness members. Door prizes, refreshments.

**WEDNESDAYS** --Country Dance Lessons. Classes held on every Wednesday evening either at Circle B, Hwy. 60, Cedarburg or Country Keg, Hwy. NN Cedarburg. 6:45 to 9:30 p.m. Line & Partner Dancing - All levels welcome. Special "Step Lessons" for new dances at 6:30 p.m. First time is free - Join the Fun! Call us 262-367-4846 or visit our website for location of classes each week. [www.trentandmary.com](http://www.trentandmary.com).

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LOCAL EVENTS

Modern Woodmen Members Plan Fundraiser for Barbara Liegl

Local Modern Woodmen of America members recently announced plans to use the fraternal financial services organization's Matching Fund Program to raise funds for Barbara Liegl to help pay for medical bills.

The card party to benefit Liegl will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, April 22 at the Amerahn Ballroom, Hwy. 45, just north of Kewaskum. Cost of the event is just \$3. All popular card games will be played and a lunch will be served following the party.

"With the Matching Fund Program, we help carry out Modern Woodmen's mission to improve quality of life for members and their communities," says Jeff Jaeger, Modern Woodmen camp secretary.

"Each year the program enables over 1,500 camps (chapters) across the nation to make a positive impact in the communities," says Jaeger. When matched by Modern Woodmen's home office by up to \$2,500 per project, that's more than \$5 mil-

lion raised annually.

Founded in 1883 as a fraternal benefit society, today Modern Woodmen of America offers financial services and fraternal member benefits to individuals and families throughout the United States. The organization's Kewaskum camp provides a number of volunteer service and social activities for local members.

For more information regarding the card party, call Jeff Jaeger at 262-626-4139.

Campbellsport Alliance Church To Present Piano Concert

Campbellsport Alliance Church invites you to a piano concert given by Sam Rotman, on Wednesday, April 21 at 7 p.m. Sam Rotman, of Eastern European descent, was brought up in a traditional Jewish home. In May 1971, he became a follower of Jesus Christ and has since served the Lord both as a concert pianist and minister of the Gospel.

Since the age of 11, Sam's goal was to become a concert pianist. This eventually led him to the Julliard School in NYC, one of the world's greatest schools of music, where he received his bachelor and master's degree of music. He made his orchestral debut at the age of 16 with the San Antonio Symphony Orchestra,

performing before an audience of 6,000 and has continued to perform with orchestras. He has given over 1,200 performances in 45 countries. He has been among the winners in five piano competitions both in the US and Europe, including the 4th International Beethoven Piano Competition in Vienna, Austria, and represented the United States in the 6th International Tchaikovsky Piano Competition in Moscow, Russia.

His concerts include several elements. Besides a full program of classical music, Sam takes a few moments to explain the music to enhance the listener's appreciation. Sam also shares his testimony of God's salvation to him in

Jesus Christ and the relationship between Christianity and the fine arts, encouraging God's people to appreciate and enjoy all of God's goodness and his gifts to us.

Preceding the concert, which will begin at 7 p.m., Sam will conduct a mini-workshop for interested piano and music students at 6 p.m. Campbellsport Alliance Church is located at N1876 Hwy. V in Campbellsport. A freewill offering will be taken. For more information, call 920-533-5123

*No one can make you feel inferior without your consent.*  
-Eleanor Roosevelt

Mother-Daughter Luncheon May 8

The Kewaskum Junior Women are sponsoring their 2nd annual Mother Daughter Luncheon. It will be held on Saturday, May 8th, 2004 from 12:00 - 3:00 at the Kewaskum Annex Building. An appetizing lunch is being planned with mouth-watering desserts. There will be time to socialize, relax and have the opportunity to win unique gifts.

We have some new and exciting activities planned for the day.. You can get your picture taken in our "Lilac Garden" or keep your hands busy with creating something special. We will have fresh-smelling handmade soaps for sale and unique beaded jewelry for all ages. Relaxing music will keep your ears intent and your heart light.

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APRIL 21 - 14TH ANNUAL KEWASKUM CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DINNER & STYLE SHOW, Wednesday, April 21, at Amerahn Ballroom, Doors open at 5 p.m., Sit down dinner at 6:00 p.m. Catered by JO's of Kewaskum. Games, Raffles, Exhibits. Cost \$15. Limited Seating. Tickets available at Auto Body Dynamics, Hair on Main, St. Francis Bank, Kewaskum; or mail order to Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 300, Kewaskum, WI 53040.

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## OBITUARIES

CLARENCE ERNEST  
'ERNIE' MITCHELL

C. Ernest "Ernie" "Doc" Mitchell, age 88, of Kewaskum, passed away on Friday, April 9, 2004 at Mapledale Manor in Kewaskum.

He was born on October 27, 1915 in Mineral Point, the son of the late Clarence and Isabelle (Kendall) Mitchell, and on June 3, 1941 he was united in marriage to Marion Kinziger in Lena, Wisconsin.

Education was his life. Ernie was a dedicated teacher, coach, counselor, principal and mentor. He received his teaching degree from U.W. Madison and his master's degree in guidance counseling from U.W. Milwaukee. He taught three years in Lena before coming to Kewaskum High School, where his career spanned 39 years until his retirement in 1980.

He served as the first athletic director for Kewaskum High School and coached many different sports. His teams won numerous trophies and awards.

Ernie was very active in his community and church. He was a charter member and past president of the Kewaskum Kiwanis Club and organized the Kewaskum summer swimming program.

He was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum, where he served as a lector and usher. He was a member and past president of the Holy Name Society, a member of Knights of Columbus Father Casper Rehrl Council 1964 West Bend and a member of Phi Delta Kapa fraternity. He was a loving husband and father who will be deeply missed by his wife, his family and all who knew him.

Survivors include his loving wife of 62 years, Marion; two daughters, Pat Carriveau of San Jose, California and Pam Mitchell of Chicago, Illinois; two grandchildren, Chris (Ann) Carriveau and Danielle Carriveau; two great-grandchildren, Taylor and Ryan Carriveau; a brother, Bob (Ruth) Mitchell of Mineral Point, many nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Tuesday, April 13, 2004 at 11:00 a.m. 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 on Monday at the Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum from 4:00 until 8:00 p.m. where a prayer vigil will be held at 7:30 p.m.

Memorials to KEYS or Holy Trinity Catholic Church are appreciated.

## LILLIAN BUSS

Lillian Buss, age 78, of Kewaskum, passed away on Thursday, April 8, 2004 at Hospice Home of Hope in Fond du Lac.

She was born on June 27, 1925 in Kewaskum, the daughter of the late Emil and Henrietta (Meisner) Werner, and on May 11, 1946, she was united in marriage to Arthur Buss at St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church in Kewaskum.

Lillian was a member of St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church in Kewaskum.

Survivors include her loving husband of 57 years, Arthur; six children, Barbara (Butch) Gengler, James Buss, and Artie Buss all of Kewaskum, Terry (Janine) Buss of Campbellsport, Douglas Buss of Kewaskum and Brian (Tami) Buss of West Bend; 12 grandchildren, Jason Gengler, Jodi Sippel, Tim, Jennifer, Julie, Lisa, Laurie, David and Daniel Buss, Shirley, Victoria and Courtney; a great-granddaughter, Alexis Whaley; two brothers, William (Erna) Werner of Tucson, Arizona and Clark (Delores) Werner of Kewaskum, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Thomas and Patrick and a brother, Walter Werner.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, April 12, 2004 at St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church in Kewaskum. Rev. Edwin Fredrich officiated and burial followed in Union Cemetery in Campbellsport.

Friends called on Monday at the church from 11:00 a.m. until the time of services.

Memorials to St. Lucas Evangelical Lutheran Church or Hospice Home of Hope, Fond du Lac are appreciated.

The Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum served the family.

## FLORENCE HARTMANN

Florence Hartmann, age 88, of Allenton, passed away on Saturday, April 10, 2004 at Hospice Home of Hope in Fond du Lac.

She was born on February 19, 1916 in Kewaskum, the daughter of the late Edward and Alvina (Wahlen) Westerman, and on June 12, 1943, she was united in marriage to Roman Hartmann at St. Bridget Catholic Church in the town of Wayne.

Florence was a leader in her church and community. She was a member of Resurrection Catholic Church in Allenton, the Good Samaritan Guild, the Retired Teachers Association, the MACCW and the Washington County Historical Society. She did extensive volunteer work as a member of the Catholic Life

Insurance Company and loved to sing. During her 60 years of marriage, she was a faithful member of SS. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Nenno. She was a loving wife and mother and will be deeply missed.

Survivors include her loving husband, Roman; a daughter, Rosalie Hartmann of Plymouth; two brothers, Harold (Lilly) Westerman of the town of Wayne and Cyril (Priscilla) Westerman of West Bend; a sister, Beulah (Byron) Beisbier of West Bend, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by an infant daughter, Jeanne and a son-in-law, Bill Wolff.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 13, 2004 at Resurrection Catholic Church in Allenton. Father Richard C. Breitbach officiated and burial was at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday in SS. Peter and Paul Catholic Cemetery in Nenno.

Friends called at the church on Tuesday from 2:00 p.m. until the time of services.

In lieu of flowers, memorials to St. Lawrence Seminary or the charity of one's choice are appreciated.

The Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum served the family.

## REV. JAMES P. BETTIN



The Reverend James P. Bettin died early morning at home April 6, 2004 due to complications of lymphoma cancer. His immediate survivors are his wife Betty, daughters, Ivy Bettin and Amy Funnell and her husband Steve. Grandchildren are Sonja, Eve, Dawn, Max, and Trinity Funnell all of Oshkosh. His only sister is Jacqueline Smith and brother-in-law, Dr. Don B. Smith of Wyandotte, Mich. Nieces and nephews are Dr. Scott R. Smith and wife Joyce and Drs. Peter and Diane Smith, also of Michigan. Great nieces and nephews of those families are six in number. He also had many loving cousins in various states as well as dear friends locally and from every parish he served.

James graduated from Oshkosh High School in 1947 and went on to earn his four year degree from Oshkosh State Teacher's College in 1951. He started in the art department in Kewaunee, Wis., where he also taught high school civics. By 1953, he was called by God to enter Mission House Seminary near Sheboygan, graduating in 1957. He was ordained and installed as pastor of Bethany

United Church of Christ and New Elm Church near Van Dyne in Oshkosh, where he spent four years, and then St. Paul's UCC in Sheboygan, where he served three years. The call to the United Church Home for 84 well aged senior citizens was his next position as Administrator Chaplain with a staff of 40 workers. Emmanuel UCC in Lafayette, Ind. then called him as senior pastor of three for 10 years. Next, he served as senior pastor at St. John UCC for four years in Arlington Heights, Ill. His final 11 years pastorate was at Kewaskum, Wis., at Peace UCC. The church came to work in close cooperation with Holy Trinity Catholic Church across the street from Peace UCC. He retired in 1996.

He served several pastorates in the Oshkosh area for Sunday supply work as needed. In 1996, the Bettin's built a home in the Algoma Township section of Oshkosh to be close to their children and grandchildren.

A memorial service for Rev. Bettin will be held at Emmanuel UCC in Oshkosh on

Sunday, April 25, at 1:30 p.m. with dessert to follow in the Fellowship Hall. The Rev. David Gaskill, Bettin's pastor, will officiate. The memorial designated will be for Habitat for Humanity International. Millard Fuller, the leader of this grass roots housing institution has been a dear friend. James took crews to build homes for 10 years every summer. This work continues from Kewaskum twice each summer now. Amy and Steve Funnell worked in Americus, Ga. for three months in 1985.

The Konrad-Behlman Funeral Homes and Crematory of Oshkosh is serving the family.

## JIM A. WEYER

Jim A. Weyer, 81, of West Bend, died on Saturday, April 10, 2004 at the Samaritan Health Center.

He was born on July 2, 1922 in Germantown to the late Ben and Rose (nee Werner) Weyer and married Virginia K. Bingen on Aug. 31, 1946 at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in St. Anthony.

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Jim served in the 82nd Airborne with the U.S. Army in the European Theatre during World War II.

Following his discharge, he worked for Baumann's Meat Market in Lomira before opening Weyer's Meat Market in Campbellsport.

After the couple moved to West Bend, Jim worked at Ullmann Inc. in Butler until retiring in 1984.

He enjoyed fishing and playing sheephead and cribbage.

Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Virginia; two daughters, Kathy (Bob) Zautner of Mukwonago and Judy (Larry) Wilkens of West Bend, and five grandchildren, Josh and B.J. Zautner, Ryan Thompson and Cassie and Greg Wilkens.

He is also survived by five siblings, Betty Rattenbach of Hartford, Bernie (Phyllis) Weyer and Mary Wolf, both of West Bend, Rex (Ruby) Weyer of Allenton and Ronald Weyer of Warrens; four sisters-in-law, Barbara Weyer of West Bend, Delores Weyer of Appleton, Marie Konrath of Allenton and Veronica Yogerst of Fond du Lac; a brother-in-law, Norbert (Alice) Bingen of Allenton; nieces; nephews; and other relatives and friends.

Preceding him in death were a daughter, Kristie, in infancy; a son, Jimmy, in 1977; and two brothers, David and Dan.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Tuesday, April 13 at 6 p.m. at St. Frances Cabrini Church, West Bend.

Rev. Jeffrey Haines was the presider, and burial was Wednesday in St. Matthew's Cemetery in Campbellsport.

Visitation at the church only was on Tuesday from 4 until 5:45 p.m.

The Schmidt Funeral Home, West Bend, is serving the family.

### IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of JAMES DONATH, who passed away one year ago today, April 15, 2004:

The memories always linger  
In the shadows of my mind...  
The pain is always present  
As life and death unwind...  
The past is not forgotten  
When it was a part of you...

And a torch burns for others  
Whose dreams did not come true...

It hurts to lose a loved one  
Whose flower never bloomed...  
But dreams can be reborn  
If by you they are assumed...  
The flame of life may flicker  
or become mere residue...  
But it cannot be extinguished  
If it brightly burns in you.

Miss and love u forever,  
Kerry

### IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of JAMES DONATH, who passed away one year ago, today, April 15, 2004:

God looked around his garden,  
And he found an empty place.  
He then looked down upon this earth,  
And saw your tired face.  
He put His arms around you  
and lifted you to rest.  
God's gardens must be beautiful,  
He always takes the best.  
He knew that you were suffering,  
He knew you were in pain.  
He knew that you would never get well on earth.  
He saw that the road was getting rougher,  
And the hills were hard to climb.  
So he closed your weary eyelids,  
And whispered "Peace be thine."  
It broke our hearts to lose you,  
But you didn't go alone,  
For part of us went with you,  
The day God called you home.

Loved and deeply missed  
by wife Kerry and children  
Adam and Alissa.

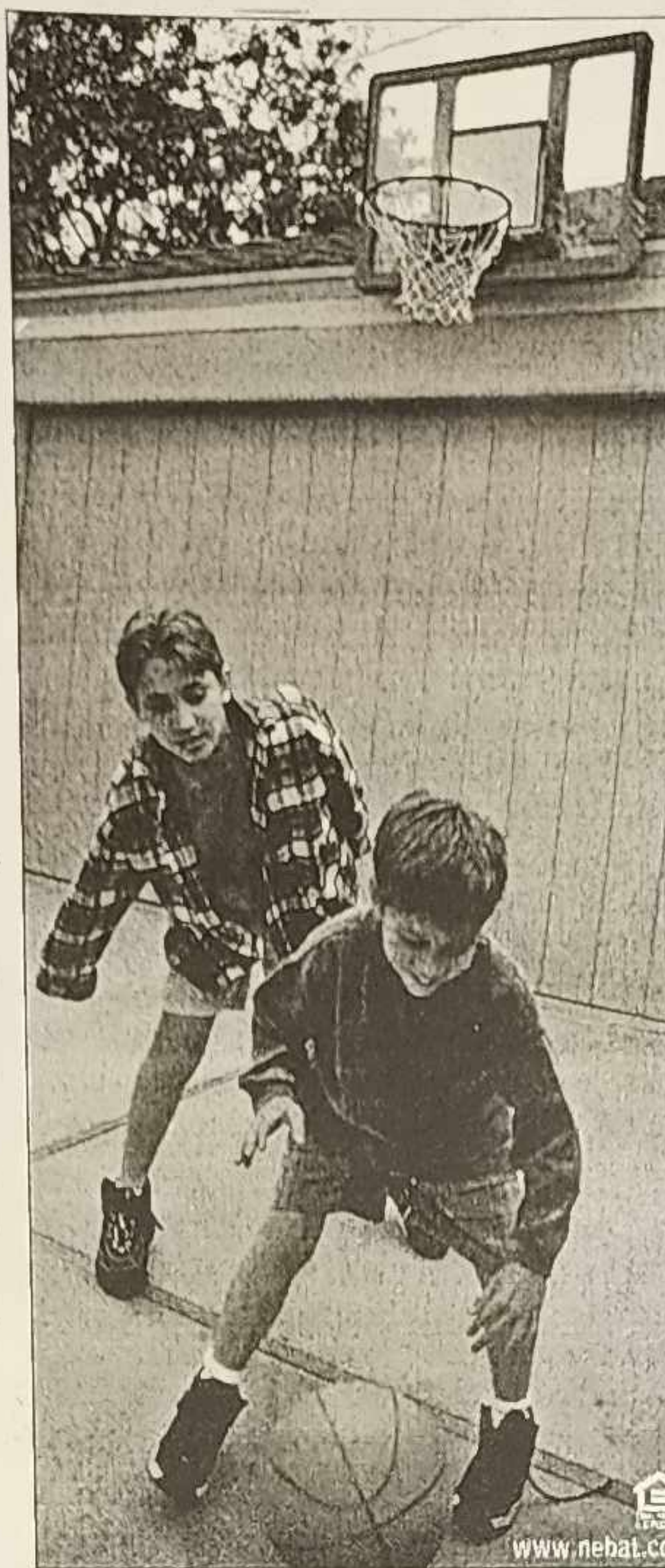
### IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of SAMUEL LAWRENZ, who passed away 10 years ago on April 18, 1994:

Sadly missed along life's way,  
But quietly remembered every day.  
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# SCHOOL NEWS

## Stern Competes in Wisconsin National Geographic Bee



Shown above is Alyssa Stern with St. Lucas principal Steve Strassburg.

On April 2, 2004, Alyssa Stern attended the state of Wisconsin National Geographic Bee sponsored by ING in Madison at the American Family Headquarters. She was one of 101 finalists out of 17,000 elementary school fourth through eighth grade participants in the state of Wisconsin.

The 101 finalists were separated into five rooms for the preliminary round. Each finalist responded in turn to a unique question while the other contestants and the audience all thought to themselves, "That's easy!" or "I haven't a clue what they're talking about!" Everyone had been strongly cautioned to not even whisper responses while the competitor mulled his or her answer. Except for one or two infant siblings making noise, everyone else pretty much attempted to follow the request.

At the conclusion of the eight question preliminary round, Alyssa had the most correct responses (7) in her breakout group. This success garnered her a spot in the tie-breaker round with 11 other hopefuls looking to fill the five open spots in the final round. This round was held behind closed doors. The first of three questions asked in the tie-breaker eliminated half the competition, including Alyssa.

Competition was fierce in

the final round. Many questions were asked and answered, with several tie breakers, before Bo Sun was declared Wisconsin's delegate to the National finals in Washington, D.C. in late May. We wish Bo well at nationals!

Alyssa is grateful for the prayers and moral support of her fellow students and faculty at St. Lucas, as well as Kewaskum area residents.

Alyssa was just an infant when her big brother Jim participated in the bee from 1990-92. She, along with her parents, accompanied him to the state competition. Perhaps yet another Stern from Kewaskum will be raised up for the bee, when baby Amelia has another 10 years under her belt!

## St. Mary's Honor Roll

The following is the third quarter honor roll from St. Mary's School in West Bend.

**HIGH HONORS - 4.00 -**  
Grade 8: Annie Chapman, Holly Fait, Melissa Jansen, Leann Knuth, Devan Maurer, Lisa Peters, Sarah Reichert, Kelsey Stubbe.

Grade 7: Michelle Cahoon, Mitch Kutz and Sara Lehnerz.

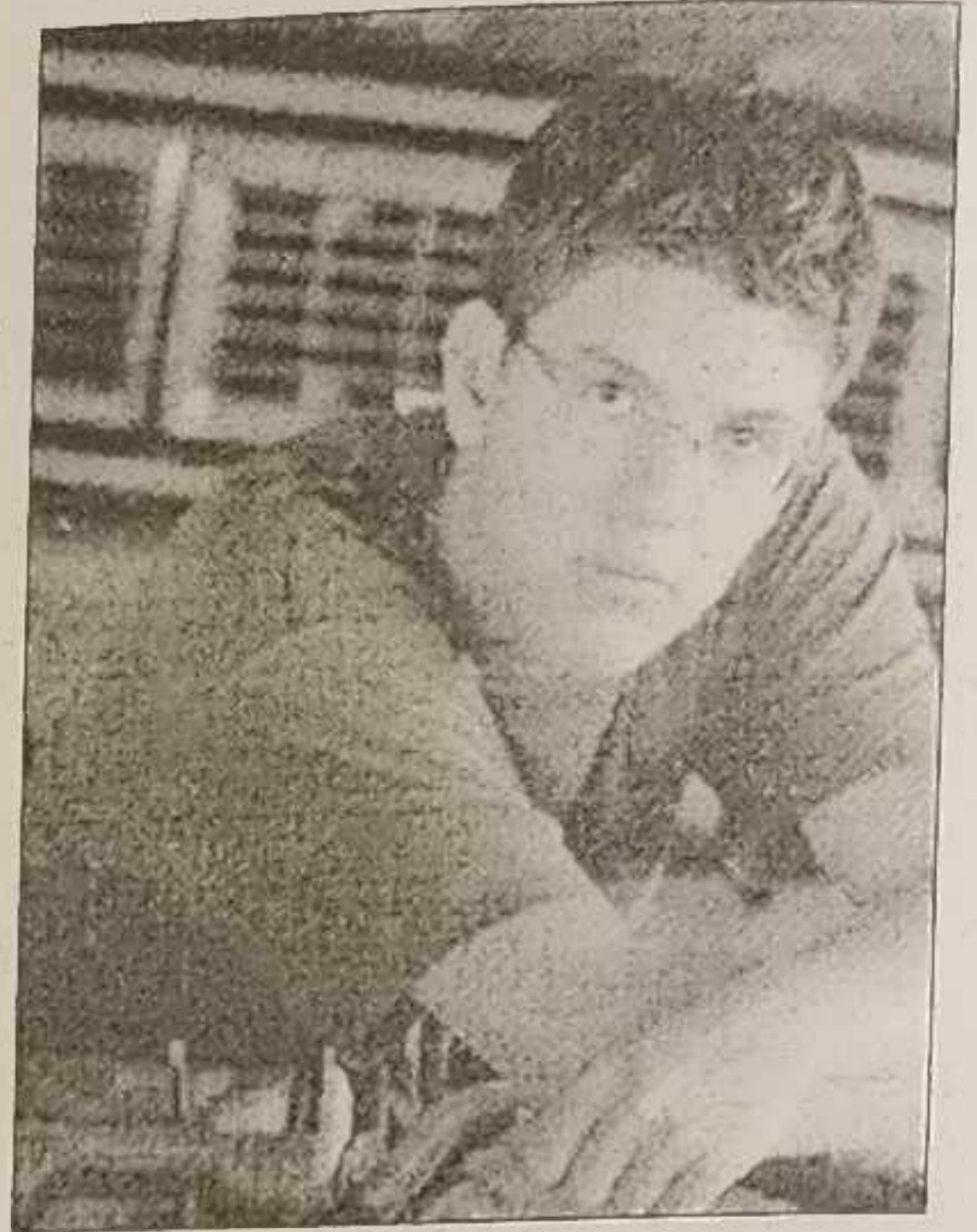
Grade 6: Adam Fettig and Nathan Pollnow.

Grade 5: Jenny Albertson, Ben Breuer, Rachel Geenen,

## Kiwanis Students of the Month



Bree Boettcher



Eric Vogt

Bree Boettcher and Eric Vogt were named Kiwanis Students of the Month for the month of April. Bree is the daughter of Tracy and Bruce Boettcher. Bree is the president of the Key Club, member and historian of the Student Council, Public Relations of HOPE Club and co-editor of the yearbook. She also is a member of the Spanish Club, NHS, the mock trial team and is involved in Habitat for Humanity youth trips. After graduation, Bree will attend UW-LaCrosse majoring in Psychiatry and a double minor in business and Spanish. Eric is the son of Lea and Ralph Vogt. Eric is an active member of NHS and HOPE club. The Kewaskum Lions Club also awarded him a scholarship to attend the World Affairs Seminar held last summer in Whitewater. He has been a member of the varsity tennis team for all four years. He recently obtained his Real Estate Broker License and plans to further his education in business at either Marquette or UW-Milwaukee. Students and their parents were honored at a recent Kiwanis Club dinner meeting.

Kelsey Jashinsky and Megan Theisen.

**HONORS - 3.00 - 3.99 -**  
Grade 8: Jordan Benike, Sara Emanuele, Quint Frohling, Danielle Kempfer, Elizabeth Kriefall, Jennifer Lehnerz, Brian Pollnow, and Richard Radmann.

Grade 7: Melissa Breuer, Haley Britz, Nicole Crowell, Amber Graf, Ashley Graf,

Cody Kerr, Danielle Klug, Kari Polenski and Chris Reichert.

Grade 6: Dan Dricken, Jessica Manchester, Luke Waala and Sean Walters.

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# 4-H State Adult Youth Volunteer Conference



Shown above front row, left to right: Alison Kescenovitz, Gladys Ramel, Bridgette Flasch, Alexandra Boden, Jenna Kannenberg. Back row: Pam Kescenovitz, Ruth Flasch, Agnes Wagner, Marge Slaughter, Norb Yogerst, Barb Yogerst.

The 2004 4-H State Leaders Conference was held March 19-21 in Oshkosh. More than 125 youth and adult volunteers from the state of Wisconsin attended educational workshops, listened to speakers and participated in many activities.

The theme for the conference was "Energize through 4H" which planted new teaching ideas, fun, and friendship. Delegates attended sessions relating to Photography, Build Your Own 4-H Project Kits, Club Activities,

Power of Youth, Basketry, Ceramics and many more. Volunteer delegates also had the opportunity to exchange ideas and share knowledge with others. Adult and youth leaders will have the opportunity to apply the new ideas in their own club, county and community programs in Washington County.

Washington County 4-H program had four youth leaders and seven adult volunteer delegates attend this year's conference in Oshkosh. Five adult leaders and three youth

leaders taught educational workshops at the conference.

The delegates were Norb and Barb Yogerst from the Kirchhain Trotters 4-H Club, Gladys Ramel from the Kewaskum 4-H'ers, Marjorie Slaughter, Alison and Pam Kescenovitz from the Hi-Lite Happy Workers 4-H Club, Bridgette and Ruth Flasch, Alexandra Boden and Jenna Kannenberg and Agnes Wagner (State Volunteer Steering Committee) from the St. Lawrence Eager Beavers 4-H Club. Scholarships were provided by a grant from the Ziegler Family Foundation Fund.

## Kewaskum Senior Meal Site To Host Falls Risk Expert

Cedar Haven Rehabilitation Agency, in cooperation with the Washington County Office on Aging's Nutrition Program, will present its senior wellness education program, "Don't Risk a Fall!" at the Kewaskum meal site, 1119 Roseland Drive on Tuesday, April 27 at 10:30 a.m.

Mary Schroeder, a Cedar Haven physical therapist specializing in fall prevention, injury assessment and treatment, will discuss potential risk factors and outline tips and techniques to help older adults improve balance and strength to avoid falls.

Falls are the number one cause of hospitalizations among adults age 65 and older. "The fear of falling is a leading reason for many adults to become less active," Schroeder said. Cedar Haven developed the program as part of its "Better Than Ever" senior wellness series. The series targets a number of senior health issues, including incontinence, low vision, arthritis and joint protection, senior fitness, memory loss

and edema. In October 2002, the agency was awarded the Lynn Phillippi Geriatric Advocacy Grant from the Wisconsin Physical Therapy Association to help bring the programs to community groups across southeast Wisconsin.

Attendees of the free Falls Risk program are invited to enjoy an affordable, home-style meal immediately following. To order a meal, please call Gwen Dreher, Meal Site Coordinator, at 262-483-2056 by noon on Monday, April 26.

Cedar Haven is a division of Cedar Community, a not-for-profit, church-affiliated provider of health care, education, rehabilitation and senior housing. Cedar Haven provides physical, occupational, speech and massage therapy for adults and children throughout Washington, Ozaukee and Sheboygan counties. For details on outpatient rehab services or the "Better Than Ever" series, please call Cedar Haven at 1-800-317-8899.

## Earth Day Activities Planned at UWWC



Over 100 students at UW-Washington County are making plans to clean up the Milwaukee River on Saturday morning April 24. The project is in conjunction with the non-profit group, "Friends of Milwaukee's Rivers" (FMR) 9th Annual River Clean Up Project. The UW-WC students are the largest group working on the river clean up. FMR's mission is to "protect water quality and wildlife habitat in the river corridors and to advocate for sound land use in the Milwaukee, Menomonee, and Kinnickinnic River."

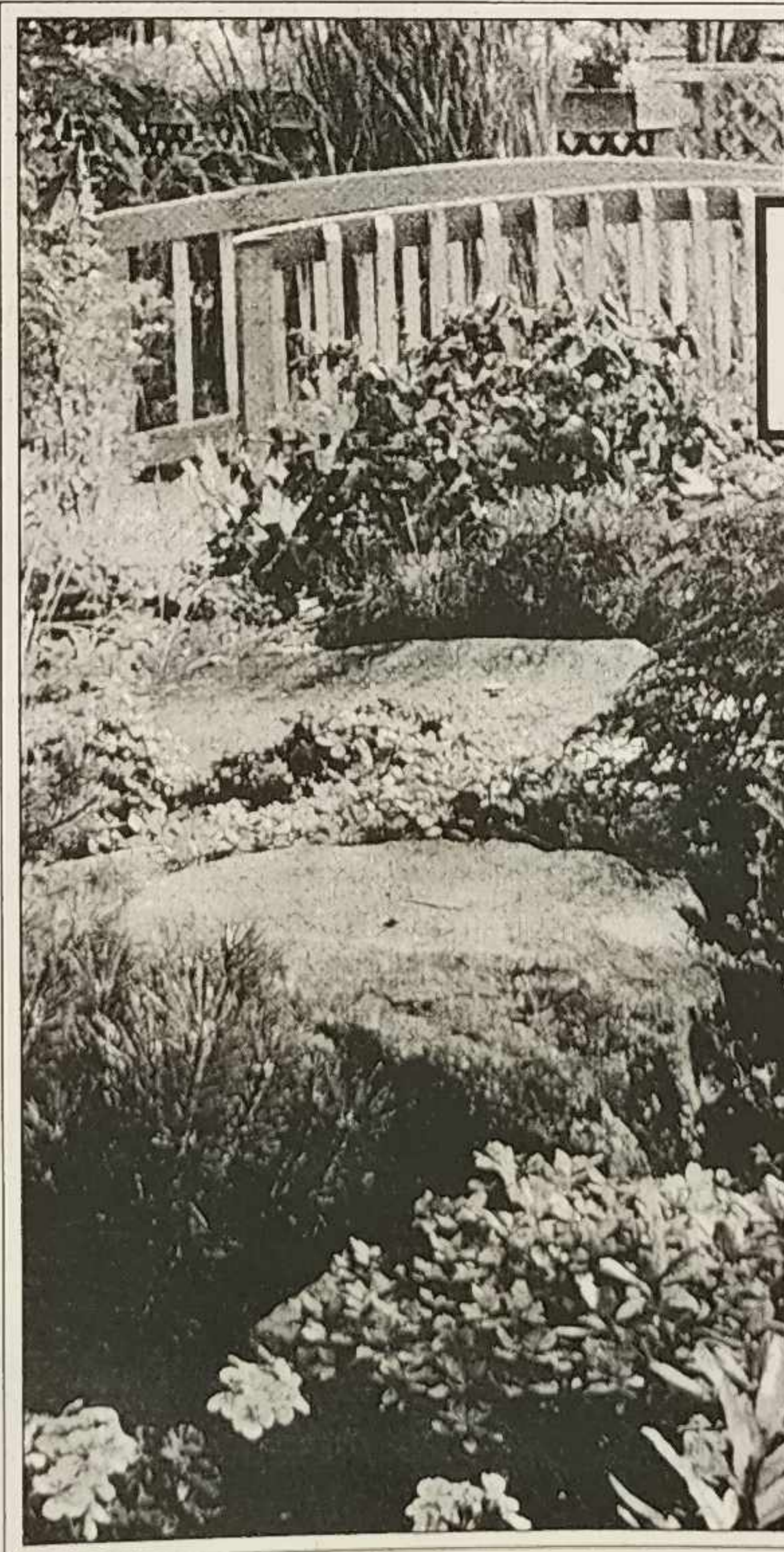
The annual river cleanup is part of Keep America Beautiful's Great American Cleanup, the nation's largest annual community improvement program. Several UW-WC professors will also take part in Saturday's activities including: Paul Price (Geology & Geography), Wayne Schaefer (Biological Sciences), Peter Gibeau (Music) and Mark Peterson (Philosophy). The group will meet at 8am on the north side of Hwy. 33 on the west side of the river and will work until noon.

Other events planned for

Earth Day on April 22 include:

Lecture from noon - 1pm: The Science & Math Club is sponsoring a free lecture by Dr. Russell Cuhel, Senior Scientist, Great Lakes Water Institute, UW-Milwaukee. Dr. Cuhel will talk about his adventure of over 100 days at sea in the Antarctica. He will also discuss career paths that are available in environmental sciences as well as internships for students in aquatic sciences. Everyone is welcome. No admission fee. Room 228

Earth Day Arithmetic: 4pm-5:15pm The Mathematics Department is sponsoring a free video by Dr. Albert Bartlett, Professor of Physics at the University of Colorado, Boulder. Entitled, "Arithmetic, Population and Energy," the thought-provoking video focuses on how long our earth's resources will last. According to Bartlett, "The greatest shortcoming of the human race is our inability to understand the exponential function." Everyone is welcome. No admission fee. Room 228.



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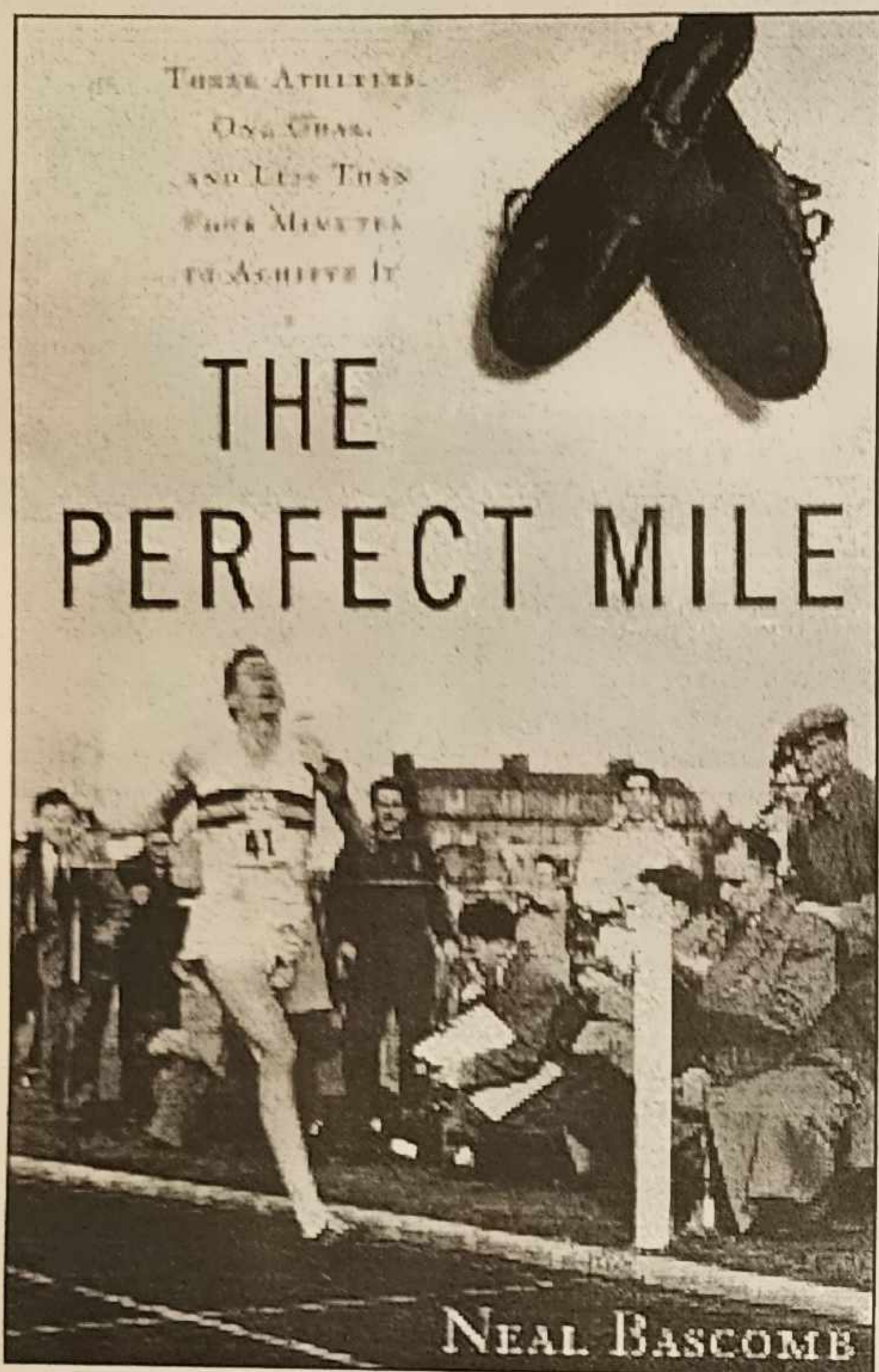


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THE STATESMAN



**The Bookworm Sez**  
By Terri Schlichenmeyer  
**The Perfect Mile**  
By: Neal Bascomb



Did you ever notice that you can't go far these days without seeing someone out for a run? Rain or shine, cold weather or hot, feet like a metronome, they're out there and it's no wonder. Running is cheap exercise. A decent pair of shoes and you're good to go. No fees, no pricey equipment, no fancy outfit, no competition unless you want to invite a friend along. It's a safe bet that some of those runners are only out to fulfill a promise to their doctors. Some of them, however, are out there for the run of their lives. "The Perfect Mile" by Neal Bascomb (c.2004, Houghton Mifflin) is the story of the race to break the four-minute mile.

Australian John Landy was an agriculture student and butterfly collector when he decided he wanted to run in the Olympics in Helsinki. Although Landy always had a talent for speed, running was not considered a sport worth funding in 1952's Australia, so Landy raised the money to pay his own way. After a shocking loss in Helsinki, Landy began to follow the advice of a fellow runner, launching into a hard-training regiment, studying his shadow to change his form, varying his lap speed, and running, sometimes to the point of crippling exhaustion. American Wes Santee grew up on a ranch with a cruel, nasty-tempered father. For Wes, running was play, and he ran everywhere, soon learning that running fast was a way to run away from his life and his father. In college, Santee

found a man he could really look up to: his coach, a man who treated him like a son and gave him the self-assuredness to compete. Santee gained confidence and speed, but his boldness was tempered by his 1952 loss at the Helsinki Olympics. Stunned by his defeat, Santee trained harder, proclaiming the elusive four-minute mile to be his.

Englishman Roger Bannister, a medical student with a flair for running, was told as a schoolboy that if he kept up his fast pace, it would kill him by age twenty-one. Ignoring that advice, Bannister continued to run, but when he was surprisingly defeated at the 1952 Helsinki Olympics, Bannister chose to work harder despite a grueling hospital schedule, and, keeping an eye on Landy's and Santee's careers, began to train for his place in history.

Although you probably know the outcome of this event, "The Perfect Mile" is an exciting and heartbreaking book. Author Neal Bascomb laces history, science, and real people together, allowing you to feel the agony of these men in their training and in their defeats. While you might agree that Bannister was a hero, I was more impressed with Santee; although he was a bit of a braggart, I thought that what he did with his life afterward made him the real victor.

"The Perfect Mile" is the perfect book, full of drama and real-life stories of real champions. Run out and get your copy today.

## Why Didn't the Referendum Pass?

By NICOLE KUEHL  
STATESMAN STAFF  
nkuehl@kewaskumstatesman.com

This is my first attempt at an editorial/opinion piece. And many of you will be happy to know that I tend not to be as conservative as my husband. I would just like to offer my opinion on the school referendum. I know it's too late to make a difference at this point, but normally my job is to cover the news, and not to offer my opinion.

Some topics are harder than others to cover in this way. I try my best to do so by just reporting the hard facts. There are also concerns that I hear from others, but it is not my job to address them either. However, since the referendum is a thing of the past, at least for now, I'd just like to give our readers some food for thought.

First off, I want everyone to know, whether for or against, that I don't have the magical answer to solve the district's problems and I don't claim to.

I was fortunate enough to go to a high school that had very good technology, at least for a school. I attended Horlick High School in Racine, just for those of you who care, and I had a wonderful high school experience. I'm not naive enough to think that my school district didn't have financial problems. They also had three failed school referendums this April, however, they seemed to make the best of the situation. But a district can only do that for so long also.

I know the importance of technology! I use it everyday. Without technology (computers and the software that is used), there would be no Statesman. I also know firsthand how things advance! Technology is so important in this day and age that without it, good luck finding a job. At my high school, I was fortunate enough to work on relatively new computers and use newer programs. With that under my belt, I was able to walk into my job at the Statesman three and a half years ago with excellent experience and minimal training.

But in those three and half years, things have changed! We now do the paper totally by computer. No pages are pasted up by hand anymore as it was since the inception of the newspaper. We, as a small newspaper, are faced with the need to upgrade our technology and we know how ridiculously expensive computers and programs are! But upgrades are needed.

I know how much the kids at the high school are struggling with the lack of technology. The students who are involved in the newspaper and yearbook can't even email us pictures! It's not that the students need super fancy

equipment or even top of the line, but email is the way of the world now and they don't even have the ability to do that! I would like to challenge any person who voted no and who wouldn't have voted yes for technology to go one whole day without email or a computer at home and at work. I know for a fact that I couldn't.

The textbooks! That I shouldn't even have to say anything about and maybe that as a separate question would have passed. I have a feeling that this will be a referendum question again at another point in time, maybe by itself. I for one, even being a parent who has a child that will not be ready for school for another two years, feel that this is so important. The world has changed so much in even the three and a half years I've been out of high school and I can't imagine my son learning history from the same books his father or I were taught from.

Maintenance. I personally am afraid from just being in the buildings and going through the thorough report from the architecture company who assessed the building, that if the community and the district don't do something soon, we're going to be forced to. How long can you ignore a school before it is condemned? Then what? Where will the kids go? Are we going to be forced to smash more kids into already small schools? Or will we divide them between West Bend and Campbellsport? But maybe if we just wait long enough, they'll all be there anyway through open enrollment. Then what? People are so worried about their taxes, and I understand that, we're taxed enough and then some, but what about when you try to resell your house and you have nice families look at it, but nobody wants to live here because the schools are in such bad shape.

I understand this all costs money that, as somebody put it, "nobody wants to spend." But how long can we put it off?

I also understand the district should have allowances in their budget for all three things but when you're so far behind how do you catch up? How many people take out second mortgages and or loans when they desperately need money to play catch up? I understand loan and mortgage money is paid back, whereas the referendum money is not, but the idea of borrowing money you need is the same.

I feel that the district could have marketed the referendum just a tad better. We all received mailings, saw the placemats, articles and inserts. But how many actually paid attention? How many people saw the amount their

taxes would increase and automatically voted no without even considering the impact on the kids?

There were others, however, that had questions about the referendum that they did not seek out answers for. One of the biggest misconceptions was that the money from the referendum could be used for teacher's salaries and benefits. This is untrue. Legally, the district can only use the money for items specified in the referendum question. For those of you who had this concern, a detailed budget was drawn up by Business Manager Paul Reichert. All anybody had to do was call and request a copy.

Another question was why can't you take money away from the salaries and benefits? Two words: Teachers Union. The district did what most companies do, they didn't rehire numerous positions that were left vacant at the end of last school year. How many people would continue to work for a company that decreased your salary or took away your benefits? I understand not giving them more benefits, but you can't just take them away. No union I've ever heard of works that way. And not only that, the contracts are negotiated between the teacher's union and the district. There are certain things the district cannot do. For example, as I understood it from past school board meetings, the district cannot even price out the cost of insurance coverage among different companies due to the fact that the company serving the teachers is written in their contracts.

I would be willing to bet that all of these items will come before the community again, however, I also challenge more of you to voice your opinions to the board and the administration of the district. Voice your opinions! They do count. Want a new high school? Tell them so. Want to fix what we have? Tell them that then. All contact information is available on the district's website [www.kewaskumschools.org](http://www.kewaskumschools.org).

The whole process was summed up very simply "We need the items, but it's money that nobody wants to spend."

*My ideas do not necessarily represent the ideas of the entire Statesman staff.*

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## Boltonville Memories

## Bucket Brigades

Not until the twentieth century did rural communities in our part of the state establish fire departments. Boltonville residents watched many buildings go up in flames before 1917, when they banded together under the direction of local leaders to form a volunteer aid group with purchased equipment.

But where did the idea first come from? As early as the year 1600, in London, England where fire raged commonly throughout the rag-tag unkempt buildings, killing many and rendering other homeless, a system of community involvement was worked out. Three-gallon fire buckets made of cowhide were made available to residents. When the watcher called the alarm or the church bell rang, citizens were told to "throw out their buckets." Everyone was a fireman. Two lines would form between the nearest water source and the fire. One line of strong young men would pass along full buckets to the fire, dousing it, then the empties would pass along the other line of women and children to be refilled.

The idea came along to America. Local ordinances in many communities commanded that every household keep a fire bucket handy.

Public cisterns were automatically included in the design of communities to provide for convenient water access. In 1736, Benjamin Franklin is credited with urging Philadelphians to form fire-fighting companies. Insurance companies would visibly "fire



mark" their insured buildings to aid fire fighters should the buildings go up in flames. Incentives by such insurance companies were instrumental in the development of sometimes more than friendly rivalry between companies of fire fighters.

The paid professional fire fighter concept began in 1853 with their modern equipment: the steam-driven water pump.

In Boltonville, the fire department was first organized at a meeting on May 24, 1917. A committee composed of Casper Klunke, William Groeschel, Oscar Marbes,

Paul Belger and Oscar Frauenheim was appointed to investigate and assemble information to establish an effective fire department.

This committee also raised funds to purchase the first equipment, two Number 10 chemical engines, through dances and picnics.

At a meeting held in January 1918, the constitution and by-laws were adopted.

The first fire house was built in 1917 and housed equipment of the department, including a bell to sound the fire alarm. In 1947 the bell was replaced by a siren and is now on a stand near the present fire house.

In 1955 the current fire house was built in the village. It was added onto in 1996.

On June 26 & 27, 2004, Boltonville celebrates its 150th anniversary of founding, with most activities beginning from the firehouse grounds. An old-time bucket brigade is being planned, along with children's activities, a polka dance, encampment, tours and displays and lots of food. Come and hear Abe Lincoln on Sunday.

Don't forget to pick up your calendar, \$5, at the Statesman office, Marshall's Country Corner, or the Kewaskum Antique Mall. Call Ann at 692-2607 for more information.

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Germantown Lock-In -- Adult volunteers needed to

chaperone a middle school lock-in on Friday, May 14. Take a shift from 5:30-8:30 p.m. or 8-11 p.m. to ensure the safety of the youth and promote a positive experience.

Scoreboard Operator - A fun job for anyone who enjoys people and softball. Run the scoreboard 2-4 hours per evening Mondays, Thursdays, or Saturdays May - August in Hartford.

Plant Sale Assistants- Help during a plant sale/fundraiser by carrying plants to people's cars or directing traffic in the parking lot during the event on Saturday, May 5 from 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

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 or in Hartford at 262-670-1003.

## Share Your News

- Does your organization have an upcoming event that needs to be publicized?
- Did someone at your business get a promotion or special honor?
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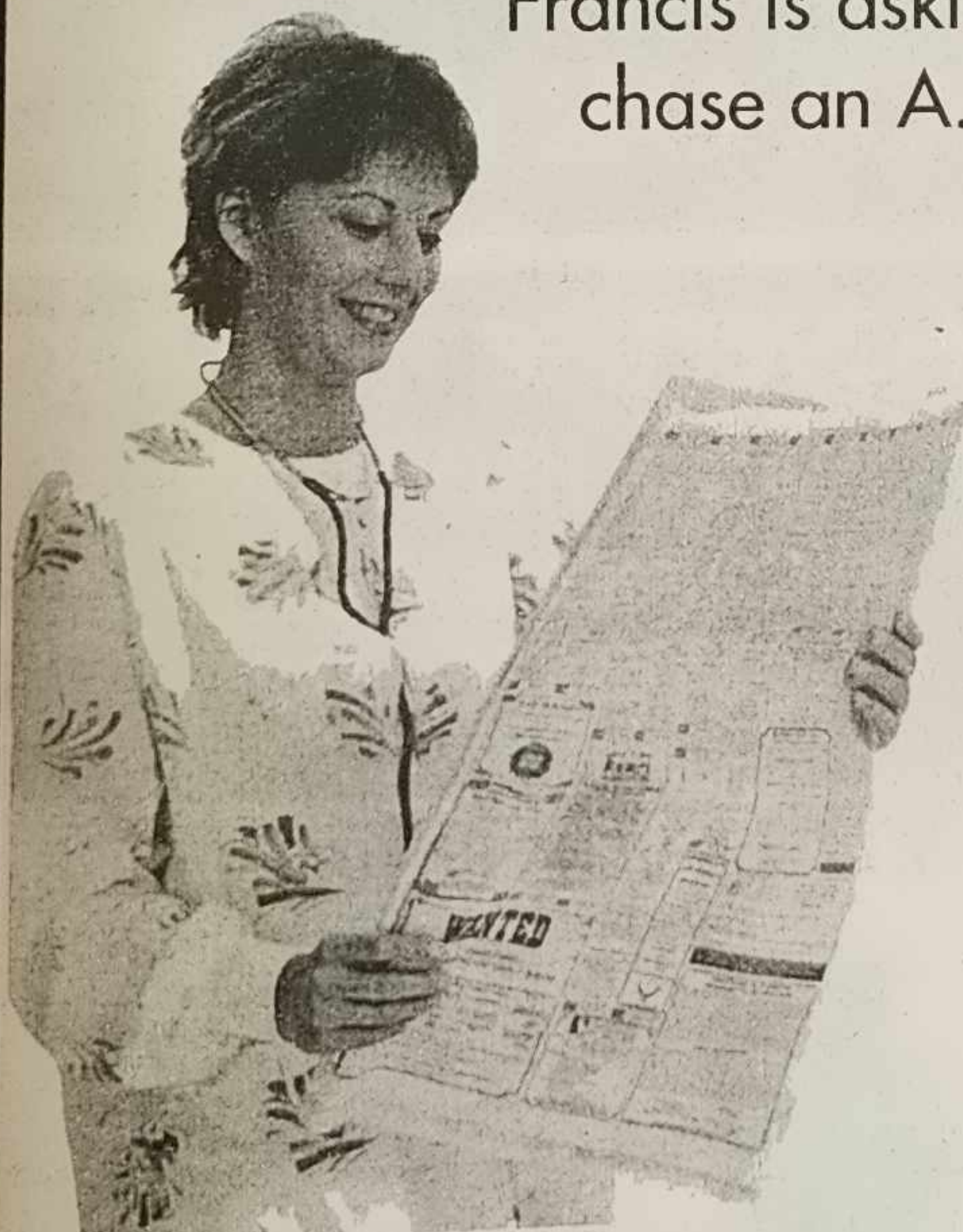
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# BUSINESS NEWS

## Kewaskum Frozen Foods Wins Awards At Meat Processors Convention

The quality of meat products produced by Kewaskum Frozen Foods of Kewaskum, was recognized at the 65th annual convention of the Wisconsin Association of Meat Processors, held in Madison on April 2 and 3. At the huge Meat Product Show held in conjunction with that meeting, Kewaskum Frozen Foods received the following awards: for fresh brats, champion, traditional bratwurst, and pre-cooked brats, reserve champion, pre-cooked brats.

Bob Beisbier, owner of Kewaskum Frozen Foods, along with seven employees attended this year's convention,

which was held at Marriott Convention Center.

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

Meat processing plants and meat markets from throughout the state this year entered 900 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 3. Each product is scored for external appearance 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.

## Goschey Qualifies as Certified Carpet Cleaning Technician

The Institute of Inspection, Cleaning and Restoration Certification (IICRC) is proud to announce that Timm Goschey of Syl's Carpet and Upholstery, Inc. in West Bend, recently has qualified by education and examination as a Certified Carpet Cleaning Technician. This student has sacrificed many hours and a great deal of time and study to reach this level of certification.

Tom Hill, IICRC Executive Administrator, states "Timm Foschey is an example of the type of individual who cares about consumers and their belongings as well as his industry. He has demonstrated the desire to provide cus-

tomers with thorough, professional, and caring service."

The IICRC is a nonprofit certifying and standard-setting organization dedicated to raising industry standards through technical proficiency. By administering a strict process of certification, the IICRC provides a means by which consumers can receive the highest quality of service from trained, knowledgeable, professional technicians.

Timm Goschey joins the ranks of the true professionals within the cleaning, restoration, and inspection industry. The IICRC welcomes his participation and continuing education.

## WCCVB Releases 2004-2005 Visitors Guide

The Washington County Convention and Visitors Bureau (WCCVB) was pleased to unveil the 2004-2005 Official Visitors Guide at their annual meeting last month. Free copies are available at many businesses and public buildings in the county or by calling the WCCVB office at 262-677-5069.

According to Roger Kist, Executive Director, the following members were elected at the March 23rd annual meeting to three-year terms on the WCCVB Board of Directors: Dave Wolf of AmericInn, West Bend; Julie Kuper of AmericInn, Germantown and Ed Kubicek of Johnson Controls.

Also at the annual meeting, the 2003 Volunteer of the Year Award was presented to Philip Fritsche for his dedication and service to the WCCVB by his strong leadership during the transition period and in planning for the Harley event last year.

Kist further announced that at the WCCVB April 2, 2004 board meeting, the following board members were elected to one-year terms as officers of the WCCVB board of directors: President - Dave Wolf of AmericInn, West Bend; Vice-President - John Wald of Kettle Moraine State Forest - Pike Lake Unit; Secretary - Scott Lopas of WTKM Radio, Hartford and Treasurer - Ed Kubicek of Johnson Controls.

Any citizen interested in becoming involved with the

Washington County Convention and Visitors Bureau are invited to attend the May 11, 2004 Spring Breakfast to kick off Tourism Week in Wisconsin which will be held at the Mine Shaft in Hartford.

For more information, contact the office at 262-677-5069.

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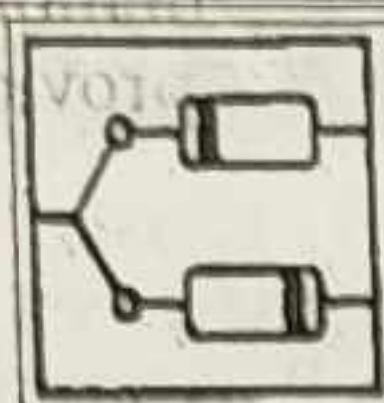
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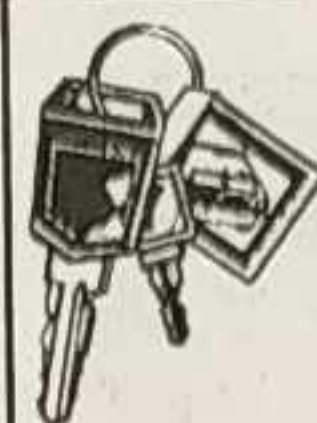
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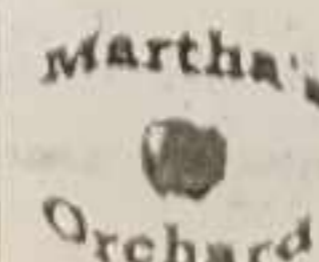
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**St. Joseph's Community Hospital of West Bend Classes, Programs, Support Groups, and Events April 2004**

(All classes, programs, and support groups are held at St. Joseph's Community Hospital unless otherwise noted. Call 262-306-7888 to register or for more information)

**Health**

**BODY FAT ANALYSIS**

Body fat analysis is one method of assessing health and fitness. Extensive body fat analysis includes a computer generated, personalized exercise and diet program for safe and effective weight loss/management. Cost: \$50

Limited body fat analysis includes a full print out of your body composition and goal weight. Cost: \$25

Follow-up analysis will provide a brief print out of your body composition and is used for those who have had the extensive body fat analysis. Cost: \$15

Call 262-334-8302 for an appointment.

**CAR SEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM**

Safety seat inspections are available by appointment and take approximately 30

minutes per seat. For more information call 262-306-7716. Free

**CESAREAN BIRTH CLASS**

This one-session class is designed for parents anticipating a cesarean birth. It includes a video and discussion of cesarean birth and recovery.

For dates and times call 262-306-7888 Fee: \$5

**DIABETIC EXERCISE CLASS**

Learn how to decrease the complications of diabetes through exercise.

**Wednesdays and Fridays** 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Cost: \$50 per month

**MOMS IN MOTION**

Pregnant and postpartum women learn low impact aerobics and toning exercises to help keep their body fit. Some aspects of the class include safety during exercise, cardiovascular fitness, appropriate calisthenics and stretching, appropriate body mechanics during pregnancy, and physiological changes during pregnancy. The program consists of 12 classes, and new members are welcome at any time. **Mondays and Thursdays** 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Cost: \$5 per class or \$60 for an entire 6-week session

**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
Kewaskum, WI  
**SUNDAY, APRIL 18, 9:00am**  
8:00 pm inspection  
**LOCATION:** Hwy 45 or 28 to Kewaskum, east at downtown lights on Hwy 28, 3 blocks to Cty "S", then north 1.5 miles to Paul Auction hall.  
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LEGAL NOTICES

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**Support FIBROMYALGIA SUPPORT GROUP**

Fibromyalgia is a chronic musculoskeletal condition causing fatigue and widespread muscle pain. The support group educates and provides support for patients affected by fibromyalgia.

**Meets the first Monday of each month.**

7 to 8:30 p.m.  
Sue Knuth, PT  
262-334-8237

**"LIVING WITH CANCER" SUPPORT GROUP**

Support and education for cancer patients and family members. Co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society.

**Meets the third Wednesday of each month.**

7 p.m.  
Carol Clingan, RN and  
Martina Hartwell, RN  
262-334-7423 and 262-629-5204

**OSTOMY SUPPORT GROUP**

Provides education and support for people affected by an ostomy.

**Meets the fourth Thursday of each month.**

7 p.m.  
Chris Otto  
262-306-7826

**PREGNANCY AND INFANT LOSS SUPPORT GROUP**

Provides support for people who have experienced a pregnancy loss or the loss of an infant through the first year of life.

**Meets the first Thursday of each month.**

7 p.m.  
Jennifer Klug, RN  
262-306-7718 or 262-334-8361

**PROSTATE CANCER SUPPORT GROUP**

Provides education and support for patients and families affected by prostate cancer.

**Thursday, April 22**  
5 to 6 p.m.

Brenda Epping, FNP Masters  
in Nursing  
262-334-3451

**RESTLESS LEGS SYNDROME GROUP**

Information on restless legs and periodic limb movements in sleep is discussed.

**Tuesday, April 20**  
7 p.m.

To register call 1-888-810-7575 or 262-306-7373

**STROKE SUPPORT GROUP**

Provides information, education, and socialization for stroke survivors, family, and friends.

**Meets the third Tuesday of each month.**

3 to 4 p.m.  
Pat Waters, OTR and Mary  
Sherman  
262-334-8237 and 262-306-3452

West Bend Clinic Board Room

*The human race is governed  
by its imagination.*

-Napoleon Bonaparte

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Edgewood Road Reconstruction and CTH "H" Utility Extension Village of Kewaskum**

Washington County, Wisconsin  
Sealed bids will be received by Village of Kewaskum at 204 First Street, P.O. Box 38, Kewaskum, WI 53040-0038 no later than 11:00 a.m. local time on April 22, 2004. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the above time and place.

Project involves Edgewood Road Reconstruction consisting of: Installation of approximately 70 L.F. of 8" water main, water main appurtenances, 60 L.F. of 8" sanitary sewer, 270 L.F. of 12" storm sewer, 4,100 L.F. of 24" concrete curb and gutter and 4,500 S.Y. of bituminous pavement. CTH "H" Utility Extension consisting of: Installation of approximately 740 L.F. of 12" water main, water main appurtenances, 710 L.F. of 8" and 12" sanitary sewer, 2,500 L.F. of 12", 15" and 30" storm sewer, 3,980 L.F. of concrete curb and gutter, 12,500 S.F. of concrete sidewalk, and 7,300 S.Y. of bituminous pavement.

All Work is included in a single prime contract.

Bidding Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, may be examined at the offices of: the Village of Kewaskum, F.W. Dodge (Milwaukee), Milwaukee Builders' Exchange, Contractors' Exchange (West Allis), Reed Construction Data (Brookfield), Bid+Builders Exchange (Madison), and the Consulting Engineer.

Bidding Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, may be obtained from the Consulting Engineer: Ruekert/Mielke W233 N2080 Ridgeview Parkway, Waukesha, Wisconsin 53188-1020, phone (262) 542-5733, upon a deposit of \$50 for each set. Deposit will be refunded upon return of documents within fifteen (15) calendar days after the bid opening in an unmarked and reusable condition. Contractors holding multiple sets of documents will receive a full refund for up to three sets of documents if they submit a responsive bid for this project. All others will receive a \$25 refund for return of the second and third set within fifteen (15) calendar days of the bid opening date in an unmarked and reusable condition. Except for the apparent low bidder, all contractors, subcontractors, and suppliers must return documents to obtain a refund. To obtain copies of the documents by mail, submit a separate and nonrefundable check for \$10 per set to cover postage and handling. Bidding Documents in electronic format are not available.

A bidder's qualification statement must be delivered to the Village of Kewaskum at least 5 days before the bid opening date. Bids shall be accompanied by a Bond or Certified Check payable to the Village of Kewaskum equal to 5 percent of the bid. If the successful bidder fails to execute the contract and furnish payment and performance bonds within 15 days after the award, the Check or

Bid Bond shall be forfeited to the Village of Kewaskum as liquidated damages, Section 62.15(3), Wisconsin Statutes.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of 60 days after the opening date.

Prevailing wage rates for all trades and occupations involved in the Work shall be in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes 66.0903 and the Prevailing Wage Rate Determination issued by Wisconsin Department Of Workforce Development for this project.

Construction time is of the essence. Completion delays are subject to liquidated damages.

The Village of Kewaskum reserves the right to accept the most advantageous bid, or to reject any and all bids. Award of Work described herein is subject to the provisions of the Wisconsin Statutes.

Village Administrator  
Daniel S. Schmidt  
Administrator

RUEKERT/MIELKE  
W233 N2080 Ridgeview Parkway  
Waukesha, Wisconsin 53188-1020  
Phone: (262) 542-5733  
Fax: (262) 542-5631  
Published: April 8, 2004  
April 15, 2004

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Clinton Street Sanitary Sewer and Water Main Improvements Village of Kewaskum**

Washington County, Wisconsin  
Sealed bids will be received by Village of Kewaskum at 204 First Street, P.O. Box 38, Kewaskum, WI 53040-0038 no later than 11:00 a.m. local time on April 22, 2004. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the above time and place.

Project involves approximately 950 L.F. of 8-inch and 10-inch diameter sanitary sewer in open cut, 1,230 L.F. of 6-inch through 8-inch diameter water main in open cut, 180 L.F. of 12-inch diameter storm sewer, 4,300 S.Y. of asphaltic pavement pulverizing, 2,500 tons of crushed aggregate base course, 400 L.F. of concrete curb and gutter, 940 tons of asphaltic pavement, erosion control, manholes, service laterals, valves, hydrants, catch basins, driveways, sidewalk, lawn restoration and miscellaneous associated work.

All Work is included in a single prime contract.

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Submit Invoice to: Village of Kewaskum

Daniel Schmidt,  
Village Administrator  
Clerk/Treasurer

RUEKERT/MIELKE  
W233 N2080 Ridgeview Parkway  
Waukesha, WI 53188-1020  
(262) 542-5733  
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**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, April 19, 2004, 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.

**State of Wisconsin Circuit Court Washington County IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ALICE L. FRANK Notice to Creditors (Informal Administration)**

Case No. 04-IN-0042  
An application has been filed for informal administration of the estate of the decedent, whose date of birth was September 3, 1924 and date of death was January 31, 2004. The decedent died domiciled in Washington County, State of Wisconsin, with a post office address of: 1414 Riverview Drive, Kewaskum, Wisconsin 53040.

All interested persons have waived notice.

Creditors' claims must be filed with the probate registrar on or before June 30, 2004.

Creditors may bring an action by:  
Kay F. Morlen  
Probate Registrar  
March 25, 2004  
Attorney Gerald A. Kiefer  
1225 Fond du Lac Avenue  
Suite 100, P.O. Box 456  
Kewaskum, WI 53040-0456  
(262) 626-8432  
Publish April 8, 15, 22

**PUBLIC MEETING NOTICES TOWN OF KEWASKUM**

The Plan Commission and Town Board will hold their regular monthly meeting on Monday, April 19, 2004 at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Hall, 9019 Kettle Moraine Dr. A complete agenda will be posted at the Town Hall, St. Francis Bank and at posting boards at Badger Rd and Prospect Dr, and at VanVechtin Highland Dr Cemetery on Thursday preceding the meeting.

Sandra Stern, Clerk

**April 5, 2004 Notice of Public Information Meeting For The**

**Riverview Drive Sanitary Sewer, Water Main And Street Improvements - Phase 1 & Phase 2 Projects**

This meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 22, 2004 - 7:00 p.m. At the Municipal Building Annex 1308 Fond du Lac Avenue Kewaskum, WI

The Village of Kewaskum will be hosting the informational meeting. The Village Engineers, Contractors, Village Representatives, County Representatives and related other parties will be present to answer questions.

**All interested parties are invited to attend!**

Daniel S. Schmidt  
Administrator

Publish April 15 & 22

**NOTICE OF OPEN BOOK Town of Kewaskum, Washington County**

Pursuant to Sec. 70.45 of Wis. Statutes the assessment roll for the Year 2004 assessment will be open for examination on the 3rd day of May, 2004 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at the new office of Grota Appraisals, N88 W16573 Main Street, Menomonee Falls. Instructional material about the assessment and board of review procedures will be available at that time for information on how to file an objection and the board of review procedures under Wisconsin law.

Notice is hereby given this 12th day of April, 2004 by:

Sandra Stern, Town Clerk



## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

## Letter to the Editor:

I was disappointed, frustrated and somewhat dismayed to find out the results of the Kewaskum school referendum that did not pass during the election last week. I grew up in Kewaskum and have loved this community enough to want to raise my two children here as well. I am proud of making my home in our Village and believe we have a kind, tight knit group of people who live here and who are concerned about the neighbors they live next to.

That is why I truly do not understand why this referendum did not pass. We were not talking about a referendum that asked Kewaskum voters to support the building of new schools. (Though I think any of us who have ever spent any time in the middle school and high school would agree that is shameful to see the facilities our educators and students have to learn in.) This referendum asked voters to merely approve the basics - that is new textbooks, computers and maintenance on our existing facilities. These are basic needs - not wants or desires.

It is perplexing to me to see that the people who live in our community who are so kind and generous in so many areas then vote against our children for such items as improving necessities that are important to the education of our young people. Furthermore, even if you choose to believe that our children are not important (and I do not think for a minute that most of my neighbors are of that mind set), it is difficult for me to see how people can not recognize that we are only hurting property values of our homes by not keeping our schools vital and competitive.

I am not sure where our school board, our school administrators, our teachers and most of all, those of us who support the continued excellence of our school system in Kewaskum, should go from here now that this referendum has not passed. However, I do know that all of us who are so caring in this fine community of ours should feel ashamed that we have let our children down.

Deborah Strigenz

## Letter to the Editor and to the residents of the Kewaskum School District:

I would like to take this opportunity to first of all congratulate Tammy Weyer, on her win this past Tuesday for the Kewaskum School Board. I am looking forward to working with her, as well as the rest of the board.

Next, I would like to thank all the people that went door to door on my behalf. Also to those that supported me in

talking with their families friends and neighbors. A special thank you for all those that placed signs in their yards for me.

I would also like to thank the many voters that voted for me on Tuesday. I will do my best to live up to your expectations and confidence that you have placed in me. During my campaign I have met many new people in the district. I am only sorry that I wasn't able to meet everyone. When one understands that our school district is about 144 square miles in area, it is hard to try and reach everyone. In the past when I had the privilege of serving the residents of the Kewaskum School District, I had an open door policy and will continue to have that same policy this time. I welcome your ideas and opinions. The better informed I can be, the better I can represent you.

Sincerely,  
Neal Weare  
School Board Member

## To the Editor:

A group called PRAT "Public Relations Awareness Team" recently circulated a letter asking us NOT to vote for Neal Weare for Kewaskum school board. This letter was not signed, and was put in newspaper boxes around the area. If the members of PRAT have issues with Neal Weare's school board policies, that is their right. In that letter the group refers to Kim Weare (Kauth). This is the part of the letter we are addressing. PRAT states, and we quote, bad spelling and all, "Kim was recently thought to be pulling a scam with her father in asking the town for money do to an accident with her daughter. We found that Kim had insurance thru Badger Care and Title 19."

To those of you who don't know, Kim's daughter, Chrystal, was a victim of a near fatal car crash in October 2003. Chrystal was taken via Flight for Life to Froedtert Hospital. Chrystal's family was at her side for days and weeks, at times fearing she would not make it. The injuries were extensive, Chrystal spent weeks in the brain trauma rehab center. As a result, Chrystal's sister, Tabitha and her family began fund raising efforts. Out of love for her sister and a need to do something to help, Tabitha made donation boxes and set them around town. The love of a 17 year old sister trying to help her family does not sound like a scam to us. There are so many expenses that are not covered by insurance when a family is faced with trauma such as this.

This is where we come in. We are Kim and Tabitha's co-workers. We want people who received that letter from PRAT to know that when we learned what happened, we wanted to help in any way we could. Kim

and Tabitha had both taken leaves of absence from work to be at Chrystal's side. On November 6, 2003, The Kewaskum Statesman ran a front page article regarding the crash, Chrystal's rehab and the fundraisers. In addition to Tabitha's efforts with the donation boxes, we (Kim's co-workers) began organizing a fundraiser, which was held on January 24, 2004. We find it offensive that PRAT would use Chrystal's accident and the pain and emotional suffering that the family experienced to sway a school board vote. If you don't want Neal Weare on the school board, state the pertinent facts, but don't add to the families stress and suffering. We have worked with Kim at Bridges of Wisconsin for most of a year and she is truly a loving and caring person. The care and support she provides the developmentally disabled clients of Bridges is outstanding.

We were a major part of that fund raising for Chrystal's benefit and it was not a scam. We want to thank all those who did donate money, food, the use of the Amerahn, time and energy, the band Guilt Trip, merchandise for door prizes and so forth. But most of all, we want to thank those who pulled together with prayers and support for Chrystal and her family.

Thank you,  
Sue Seefeldt  
Julia Lovett  
Cyndi Lovett and  
Teresa Kuehmel

## Dear Editor:

The sale of tobacco products to minors in Washington County is up. Recently, the Council on Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse, with the support of local law enforcement, completed a compliance survey to determine tobacco license holders' compliance with laws regarding sales to minors. A similar survey was completed in the fall of 2003 in which 16% of the license holders' checked sold tobacco products to our

## THE 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: nkuehl@kewaskumstatesman.com. Mailed to: PO Box 98, Kewaskum WI 53040. Faxed to: (262) 626-1382. THANK YOU

youth. In the most recent round of checks, 37% of the license holders sold.

Compliance surveys provide opportunities for the community to monitor the level of accessibility of tobacco products to our youth. Research continues to demonstrate that the easier it is for youth to access tobacco the higher the rate of tobacco use. With a 21% increase in non-compliance to the laws, Washington County's youth are at risk. For any effort to prevent youth use of tobacco products to be effective, everyone must do their part including the retailers who sell tobacco products. While we understand the challenges retailers face in operating their businesses efficiently and effectively, every effort should be made to follow the law.

The retailers in Jackson were 100% compliant with the law. We hope retailers in all other Washington County communities will follow suit.

Sincerely,  
Mary S. Simon  
Executive Director

## LETTER TO EDITOR:

Parents and teachers are the driving force in Wisconsin's rapidly expanding charter schools sector. They are the creators of the newest and most innovative charter schools. Grants, up to \$10,000, are available from the Wis. Dept. of Public Instruction to support planning of new-start charter schools.

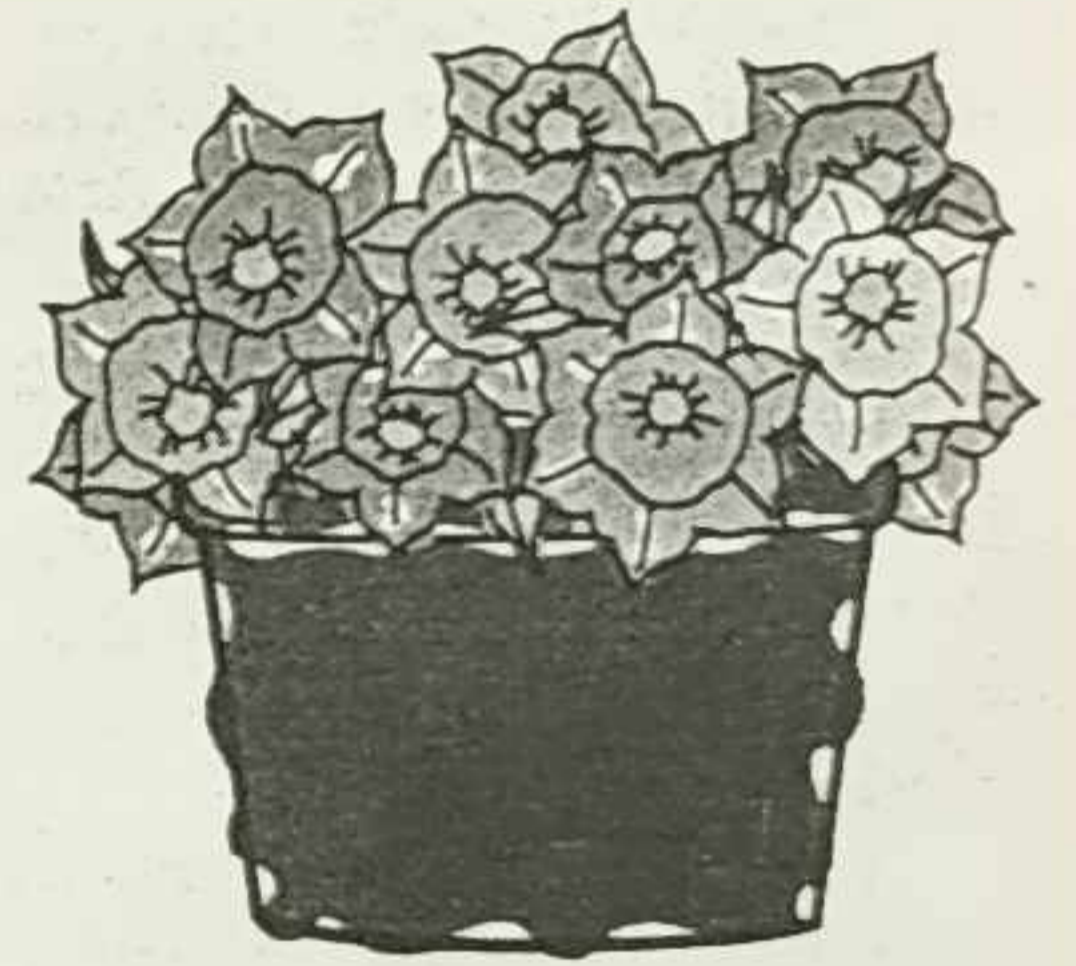
Governor Jim Doyle has issued an official proclamation celebrating Charter Schools Week in Wisconsin on May 3-7, 2004. It proclaims that the

State of Wisconsin joins the Wisconsin Charter Schools Association (WCSA) and Wis. Dept. of Public Instruction in celebrating the accomplishments and contributions of public charter schools during Charter Schools Week.

Charter schools are public, nonsectarian schools created through a contract authorized by a school board or other public authorizer. A bill (SB 253), passed by the Wisconsin Legislature, would allow 5 public universities to authorize charter schools. Under current law, the UW-Milwaukee and UW-Parkside may sponsor public charter schools. The proposal is designed to create a more dynamic environment in public education in which new and different schools can be created and succeed.

The WCSA is a leader in fostering choices in public education through charter schools. For additional information about planning grants and designing new-start charter schools, see the WCSA's website at: <http://www.wicharter-schools.org>.

Senn Brown, Secretary  
Wisconsin Charter  
Schools Association



## ENOUGH ENOUGH!

Psalm 37:7 is of special interest to all who claim the CROSS. In light of what is happening in the gay community. Massachusetts has legalized gay marriage and hundreds are now getting married illegally in San Francisco and Oregon. We are grieving so deeply at this lawlessness of the true God ordained marriage. Many denominations are blaspheming the Holy Scriptures by allowing homosexuals and lesbians to not only remain as ministers, but giving their stamp of approval.

The lawlessness and the mockery of true God-ordained marriage, and the openly mockery of God's holy word must grieve the heart of our God. America is now indulging in a sin not even known in Sodom and Gomorra. There are no Biblical records of gays marrying or becoming ministers in those wicked societies.

Psalm 37:7: "Fret not thyself because of him who prospereth in his way, because of the man that bringeth devices to pass." God hears the deep, inner groaning of his people. And the Lord has been very patient. But there is a line that is now being crossed. Then God says, "Evildoers shall be cut off...the Lord shall laugh at him...and their plots...for he seeth that his day is coming" (Psalm 37:9-13).

Let no evildoer think for a moment that God is going to be patient and overlook such blatant disobedience and mockery of his word. All through the Bible, we see God sending judgment when lawlessness envelops a society.

Hear us well: Let the scoffers laugh, but soon the whole world is going to witness God's answer to these satanic attacks on Bible-based marriage and false Shepherd's. Christ likened the female, the wife, as a type of his church-his bride. Satan has decided to ridicule that Biblical type and to answer and to cause Americans to reject the Bible as the final moral rule of law.

Soon God is going to breathe his breath of wrath on those people and on all Sodom-like cities and states. Severe weather changes, financial disasters, fearful shakings, and floods-it will be unlike anything we have ever seen. Everyone will know that God has a controversy with this nation. We believe God has already cried, "ENOUGH!" The hour of chastisement is coming.

To the glory of Christ and no other reason,

Pastor Bobbie Minor (Whitewoodfamilychurch.com) Sunday service 10 am

Names of Support, Pastor Ralph Ovadal Pilgrim Church, Pastor David Wilkerson (Founder of Teen Challenge, and Sr. Pastor Times Square Church, New York City) Karen Minor, Brittany Stankey, Tim Stopac, Kathy Nelson, Andy Kornach, Barb Kornach, Pete Vinenne, Rick Thompson, Wisconsin Christians United, Linda Beckman, RJ Kirton, Cheryl Kirton, Mark Heinze, Jean Heinze, Scott Hayes, Christie Hayes.



STATESMAN SPORTS

# Lady Indians Nipped 3-2 in Soccer



The 2004 KHS Girls Soccer team. Front row, left to right: Ashley Corey, Elisa Schoofs, Katherine Hunter, Christine Behn, Cassie Delgado, and Krystal Cochran. Second row: Maggie Dickmann, Jessica Jung, Dawn-Marie Miller, Cora Werdermann, Danielle Yanke, Katie Schoofs, and Coach Marie Lippe. Back row: Marie Terlinden, Jessica Rust, Nicole Hesprih, Leah Sabel, Katie Uelmen, and Erica Christie. Missing from picture is Kristin Lesch.

BY JUDY HARLOW  
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A never-say-die attitude was exhibited by the Kewaskum High School girls soccer team Monday afternoon, but unfortunately the enthusiastic Indians could not hold off a late scoring drive by visiting Roncalli and wound up on the short side of a 3-2 score.

With just a little over two minutes remaining, Roncalli's Ann Gottsacker broke a 2-2 tie with a long kick inside the left post.

"We almost had it ... nice job," KHS Coach Marie Lippe told her young charges. The second-year coach had high praise for her defenders who

not only had to contend with several nifty Jet forwards in the second half, but a strong north wind as well.

Time after time, junior goalie Cora Werdermann stopped Jet shots. Lippe reported Werdermann stopped 20 shots, and the best one came around the 55-minute mark when she jumped to get her hands on a shot, bobbled the ball momentarily and then grabbed it securely.

Werdermann's teammates appreciated her efforts and gave her a round of applause at the game's conclusion.

Freshman Nicole Hesprih also turned in a stellar defensive effort.

Kewaskum's first goal was made by Katie Uelmen early

in the first half.

Goal number two was scored by senior Christine Behn on a penalty kick at 70:00. The Indians were threatening when Krystal Cochran made a perfect cross to Erica Christie, who was pushed to the ground by a Jet defender, and the penalty was called.

After Roncalli took the lead for the last time, Kewaskum threatened once more on a cross to Christie, who was quickly double-teamed and was unable to get off a shot.

The Indians, now 0-2 in the Eastern Wisconsin Conference, had 10 shots, according to Lippe, who said, "It was a tough one. They have a very quick team."

## Improved Lake Accesses

BY JERRY LEITERMAN  
FOREST SUPERINTENDENT

There are seven primary lakes within or bordering the Kettle Moraine State Forest. These lakes range in size from 427 acres (Long Lake) to less than seven acres (Butler Lake). Auburn, Crooked, Forest, Mauthe and Lake Seven make up the remaining lakes found in the state forest. Last fall, a number of fishing and boat accesses in the forest were upgraded. These improvements made facilities safer, increased accessibility for the mobility impaired and eliminated some long standing maintenance deficiencies.

At Mauthe Lake, a new boarding dock measuring five feet wide by 26 feet long was installed. The dock's walking surface is constructed out of plastic deck boards providing a non-slip, handicap accessible surface. The dock is supported by pipes driven 16 feet into the lake bed insuring a stable and level dock well into the future.

The problem of the routine flooding at Mauthe's boat launch parking lot was also addressed. Even with minor rainfall, the parking lot would be flooded requiring the lot to be closed until the water receded. To solve the problem, the lot's surface was raised approximately 14 inches.

A unique and scenic area adjacent to the boat landing is the Mauthe Lake Spillway Bridge. Before last fall, it was better known as just a three-foot wide walkway. This 100 foot long structure was widened to 10 feet. Included in the new design are three fishing "bumpouts" which will allow anglers and hikers ample room to use the bridge without disturbing each other. This impressive facility is very accessible for the mobility impaired. I highly recommend checking this improvement out!

Auburn, Crooked and Lake Seven all received the same facelifts. New boarding docks

were installed similar to the one installed at Mauthe - non-slip plastic deck boards supported with pipes driven into the lakebed. Recessed tie-downs were installed on all boarding dock surfaces. No longer will you have to worry about tripping over those high profile cleats.

Additionally, the entrance roads all received a new layer of gravel, and graded and rolled, providing a smooth driving surface.

More maintenance is scheduled for later this spring at two popular lakes. Erosion caused by power loading boats at Crooked and Long Lake will be addressed. At Crooked Lake, a gravel bar has developed just beyond the boarding dock. This boating obstruction will be removed by minor dredging. The power loading at Long Lake has caused undermining of the boat launch's concrete apron slabs. To stop this erosion, rock will be placed at the end of the slabs.

The state forest website provides a variety of information on boating and fishing such as lake depth maps, fish species in the lakes and regulations. You can access the state forest website at [www.wiparks.net](http://www.wiparks.net) and look for Kettle Moraine - Northern Unit. I invite all of you to visit these upgraded facilities in your state forest. Let us know how we are doing.

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**Girls Soccer**

- 4/15 - A - Campbellsport
- 4/17 - A - CWC Tournament
- 4/20 - H - Kiel
- 4/22 - A - Plymouth
- 4/23 - A - Wash. Cty. Tournament  
Germantown, 9 a.m.
- 4/24 - A - Wash. Co. Germantown
- 4/26 - H - Sheboygan Falls
- 4/27 - A - JV - Hartford
- 4/29 - A - New Holstein
- 5/03 - H - JV - Ozaukee
- 5/04 - H - Two Rivers
- 5/05 - A - KML
- 5/10 - A - Roncalli
- 5/13 - H - Campbellsport
- 5/18 - A - Kiel
- 5/20 - H - Plymouth
- 5/24 - H - Sheboygan Falls

Head Coach  
Marie Lippe

Starting time:  
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STATESMAN SPORTS

# KHS Girls Soccer Team Begins 'Rebuilding' Season



Marie Lippe

By JUDY HARLOW  
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Kewaskum High girls soccer Coach Marie Lippe is approaching the 2004 season with realistic goals.

"It'd definitely going to be a rebuilding year," Lippe, the second-year coach, said late last week, "We lost a lot of seniors. I had nine of them last year."

Kewaskum finished in fifth place in the Eastern Wisconsin Conference. The Lady Indians made progress all season, according to Lippe, who said the highlight came right at the end when, "We won the first round of regionals (a 1-0 double overtime shootout against Sheboygan Falls). That was a huge step for Kewaskum."

How true that statement is. Without many players who come up through club or YM-CA ranks, Kewaskum has struggled to get its program airborne, but when the school found Lippe, who played collegiately for Concordia College and assisted there for one year, they may have found the pilot to get it off the ground.

"I have a teaching degree, but I'm staying home with my three children," Lippe said, indicating she was excited when this opportunity to coach came along because it's a chance to stay close to the game she loves.

Lippe has six letter win-

ners returning this year, led by seniors Erica Christie and Christine Behn.

Christie plays forward for the Indians, while Behn is "our sweeper for defensive, according to Lippe, who said, "I'm hoping Erica Christie will be my big scorer" along with junior Jessica Jung, who will miss the first several games because of an athletic code suspension.

The juniors returning include Krystal Cochran, a midfielder and Leah Sabel, who was a backup in 2003 but will play a key role on the defense this spring.

Danielle Yanke won a letter as a freshman, playing as center midfielder, while Cassie Delgado also had enough playing time to win a letter as a freshman and will be the team's right midfielder this year.

Lippe said she is currently working with 14 girls on the varsity, including one freshman Nicole Hesprich, who is a fullback.

"She's really a hard worker and she wants to learn," Lippe said about Hesprich, adding the junior varsity is comprised of 14 girls. "Our JV team is looking very strong, and they're all freshmen."

When it came to talking about the title race in the conference, there was no hesitation on Lippe's part. "Plymouth will have the top team in the conference," she said, adding, "Roncalli will probably be second."

Lippe has been pleased with the progress the girls have made during preseason workouts. "They have real good attitudes," Lippe said. "There's good team morale at the varsity and JV level."

### Indians fall in opener

In the season-opener last Tuesday, Kewaskum was defeated by visiting Two Rivers 3-1.

All the scoring came in the first half with Christie putting the Indians on the board with a goal at the 10:47 mark.

"She beat the defender one-on-one," Lippe said, re-

porting Christie then kicked the ball past the Raider goalie.

In goal for KHS was senior Coral Werdermann, who had 10 saves. Werdermann will be in the nets for the Indians until Kristin Lesch recovers from the knee injury she suffered in the bus accident on the way home from the school's music trip to Florida.

"She'll be out with that until the end of April," Lippe said. Lesch was the JV goalie last season, and the coach said, "She'll be a good goalie when she gets back and gets strong."

After playing at Campbellsport on April 15, the Indians travel to Waupun Saturday for the Central Wisconsin Christian Tournament.

### Submit Your Youth Sports Information

If you have results, future events or other youth sports information for The Statesman's sports pages, send it via email to nkuehl@kewaskumstatesman.com, by fax to 262-626-1382 or drop it off at the Statesman office, 250 Main Street, Kewaskum.

Youth teams and coaches are encouraged to report accomplishments of local youth and results of local events.

Please include a phone number of a contact person for clarification purposes and in case enclosed photos are wanted back.

The Statesman welcomes pictures of youth athletes and teams. Please be sure to include full names for all those in the photo, front to back, left to right and send emailed photos at jpegs.

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# Indian Golfers Finish Fourth In 10-Team Invitational

By JUDY HARLOW  
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If organizers of the annual Marshland Invitational thought a new format might help knock the Pewaukee High School golfers out of their lofty position as four-time champions of the event, they were sadly mistaken.

Three Pirates twosomes combined for a 218 total on April 7th to take home their fifth straight title, and they had 10 strokes to spare over runner-up Beaver Dam.

The teams of Koepke and Bremberger and Heinen and Borchard shared the medal, shooting 1-over-par 71s, using a format where each two-man team played the first six holes using a best ball format, the Nos. 7-12 holes with an alternate shot score and the final six holes using a scramble score.

Kewaskum wound up

fifth at 245 until meet officials learned one of the Slinger players failed to putt out one hole. The violation disqualified the Owls, who originally came in at 239, and Kewaskum moved up a spot to fourth.

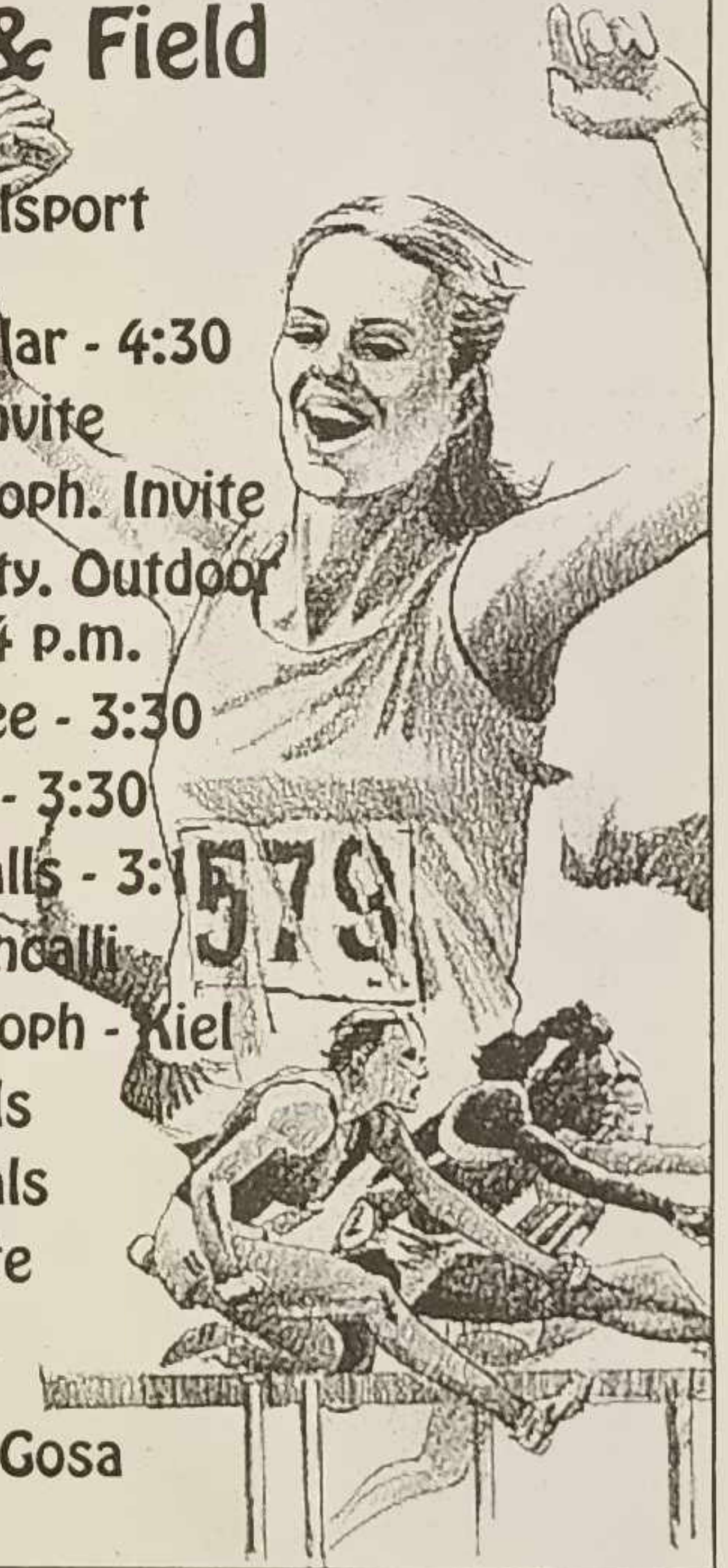
Leading the way for Kewaskum were senior Peter Paulus and junior Adam Lehnerz, who combined for an 80, which was 11th out of the 30 pairs in the competition.

The senior-sophomore duo of Ryan Koepke and Chad Piwoni came in two shots off the pace set by Paulus and Lehnerz, while junior Luke Koch and freshman Casey Scheel posted an 83.

Coach Glenn Eichstedt will take his charges to the annual Washington County Invitational Saturday, April 17th at the Washington County Golf Course in Hartford.

## Track & Field

- 4/15 - A - Campbellsport Quad - 4:15
- 4/20 - H - Triangular - 4:30
- 4/23 - H - Indian Invite
- 4/26 - A - Frosh/Soph. Invite
- 4/27 - A - Wash. Cty. Outdoor West Bend, 4 p.m.
- 4/30 - A - Pewaukee - 3:30
- 5/04 - A - Roncalli - 3:30
- 5/07 - A - Sheb. Falls - 3:30
- 5/18 - A - EWC Roncalli
- 5/20 - A - Frosh/Soph - Kiel
- 5/24 - A - Regionals
- 5/27 - H - Sectionals
- 6/04 & 6/05 - State



Head coach: Jerry Gosa

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# Kewaskum Gridiron Club Makes Plans for 2004 Season

While March sightings of robins usually bring to mind the imminent arrival of spring, along with it waning harsh winter weather, the end of basketball and other winter sports seasons, it normally doesn't bring about thoughts of football.

Not so for members of the Kewaskum Gridiron Club's Board of Directors. Even though the 2003 youth football season ended after last October, the ground work had already begun to be put in place planning for the 2004 season by the end of December. This planning process typically includes monthly meetings at the local level, as well as having key board members attending the required off season league meetings on a regular basis during the winter months.

With that, the Kewaskum Gridiron Club has announced they will hold their annual spring registration for the fall 2004 football season on Saturday, April 24, 2004 at Hon-E-Kor Golf and Country Club, 1411 Riverview Drive, Kewaskum. Registration will take place from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. This registration will include both football players and cheerleaders.

Participation is open to youths entering the fifth thru eighth grades in the fall of 2004. There are strict residency requirements, as all participants must live in the Kewaskum School District.

A parent or legal guardian must accompany any child registering. This process includes completing necessary forms, supplying signatures by both participants and parents, and paying participation fees. All fees must be paid, and all forms must be completed before any player will be issued equipment.

This year's participation fee remains the same as in recent years at \$135 for football players, and \$35 for cheerleaders.

The Kewaskum Gridiron Club, a local, all volunteer organization, is dedicated to teaching the fundamentals of full contact football to our area youth, to better prepare

them to play at the high school level.

Because the club is all voluntary, including board members and coaches alike, they rely heavily on parents of participants, and interested community individuals, for assistance keeping game days and other activities running smoothly. The parents of each participant are required to

perform a volunteer duty on at least one home game day or other activity. There are several easy but necessary duties to choose from, ranging from concessions help to cleanup after games.

Over recent years the Gridiron Club has grown steadily from its beginning in 1997 fielding only sixth, seventh, and eight grade teams. In

2000, the Club expanded to include a fifth grade team. Last season's eighth graders became the first group to be able to compete for all four full seasons, giving them valuable experience as they head to high school next year.

Two year's ago the Club expanded once again to include a cheerleading squad and this spring's registration will include prospective cheerleaders as well.

To assure yourself a spot on this year's team roster, be sure to register on April 24th. They would hate to see any-

one miss out on the opportunity to participate by not registering in a timely fashion.

If you have questions, wish further information or are unable to register on April 24th, please contact one of the following Gridiron Club officers: Jim Korth at 262-626-2520 or Joe Backhaus at 262-626-2327.

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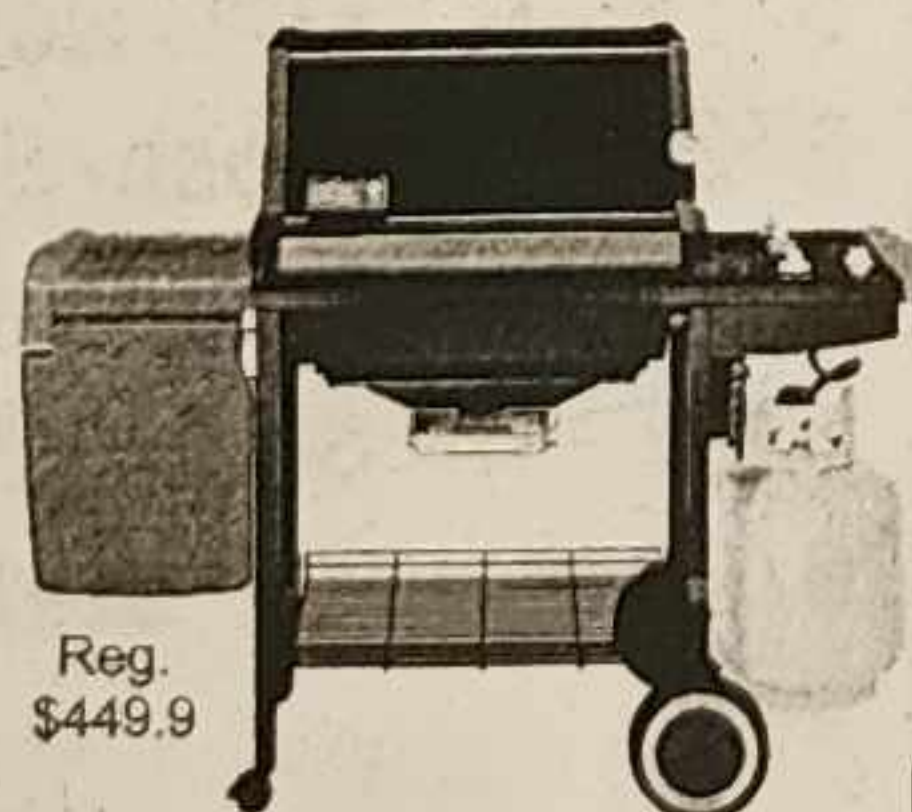
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