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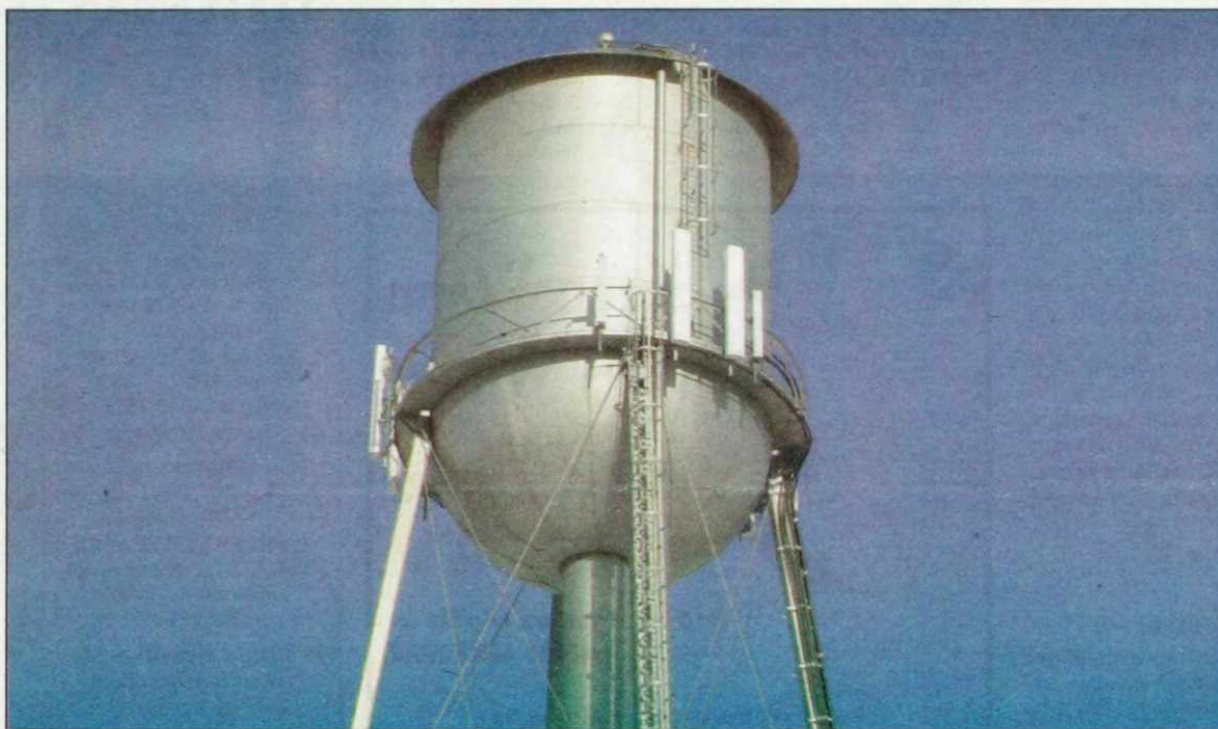
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Water utility, wireless phone users get boost from antennas



Users of wireless phones from Sprint and Verizon are not the only people to benefit from a recent project that placed antennas on a village water tower. Customers of the village's water utility will also enjoy the rental income the village will receive for allowing these companies to attach antennas to water towers in the village. At the end of the 20-year agreements almost \$2 million will be placed into the utility to ease costs for customers. See page 5 for a complete article.

Kewaskum police officers receive annual four percent pay raise

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KEWASKUM- The village of Kewaskum approved a new three-year contract with their police officers at the January 22 village board meeting. The new contract gives police officers a two-percent increase in pay twice a year, and reflects changes in their health insurance.

The pay increase is for each employee, full or part-time. They receive one two-percent increase January 1 of the current year and another on July 1.

Because the health insurance plan in their last contract is no longer available, officers agreed to a different plan with much higher deductibles, office visit charges and increased prescription co-pays. However through a Flexible Spending Account (FSA) the increase in deductibles is evening out.

Village Administrator Jay Sham-

beau says that when Anthem bought out Blue Cross - Blue Shield the company stopped offering the plan afforded to police officers. In their last contract a single-person plan had a deductible of \$250 while a husband/wife and family plan had a \$500 deductible.

Out-of-pocket expenses will remain the same even though the new plan reflects a single person now having a \$1,000 deductible, a husband and wife \$2,000 and a family, \$3,000. To make up for the increased out-of-pocket expenses, the village will reimburse those increased expenses through a flexible spending account. After the village makes up for the increase by annually adding to the FSA, the deductible remains the same.

Shambeau says the addition of a FSA opens up new avenues for the police officers because they can use the money in their FSA to pay for things like vision and dental care. Those items are not covered under their current plan. The money can also be

spent on other out-of-pocket expenses like office visits and prescriptions.

After the village contributes their agreed upon FSA portion, employees can contribute on their own as well. Employee Benefits Corporation of Madison will administer and manage the FSA accounts for the village. The company also manages health savings accounts for the village.

With both parties agreeing to the contract, a pending grievance filed by four police officers was dismissed. The grievance was based on those officers not being paid overtime for attending a non-required meeting concerning health insurance coverage.

KHS students to receive new courses

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KEWASKUM- Kewaskum High School students will have some new choices for classes in the upcoming school year. Six new classes were approved by the Board of Education at their December meeting. Four of those classes will center on a student's life and employment during and after their school careers.

The first course allows a KHS student studying abroad to enroll in a foreign exchange independent study. The class also allows students who take an extended travel overseas to receive up to three credits for journaling and documenting their experience in the new culture. Two students studying abroad this year are not eligible to enroll in the class.

A statistics and trigonometry course will replace transitional math. KHS principal Christine Horbas says the class will be placed between Algebra 2 and pre-calculus. She states, a reason for the course is because algebra two has such a wide array of topics.

"Teachers have to push so hard that the percentage of comprehension is lost," Horbas said. She further stated that all standardized tests include questions regarding statistics so she sees a need for that type of comprehension.

Three of the four-course series Life/Work Skills will be required for graduation. The first course of the four, half-credit courses will hone in on job skills. Employability and communication will also be discussed. The student will be taught job search skills, interview skills and written and oral communication within the workplace. The class will be required for all

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WEEK'S WIT

Lots of things are opened by mistake, but none so often as the mouth.

ON THE RECORD



Rescue Calls

On January 24, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the Town of Kewaskum for an unresponsive person. A transport was made.

On January 24, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person that needed help getting up. No transport was made.

On January 25, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for an unresponsive person. A transport was made.

On January 25, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person that had weakness. A transport was made.

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Wednesday, Feb. 7 -- Chunky vegetable soup, BBQ chicken on a bun, rosemary roasted potatoes, tropical fruit salad, oatmeal raisin cookie.

Thursday, Feb. 8 -- Liver and onions, mashed potatoes with gravy, garden blend vegetables, whole wheat bread, frosted orange cake.

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On January 25, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person that fell. No transport was made.

On January 26, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with knee pain. A transport was made.

On January 26, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person that was confused. A transport was made.

On January 28, Kewaskum Rescue and Kohlsville First Responders were dispatched to the Town of Wayne for a person with chest pain. A transport was made.

On January 29, Kewaskum Rescue and Boltonville First Responders were dispatched to the Town of Farmington for a person with chest pain. A transport was made.

On January 29, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the Town of Auburn for a person with chest pain. A transport was made.

On January 29, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the Town of Barton for a person with neck pain. A transport was made.

XYZ CARD RESULTS

The winners at cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wednesday, Jan. 24th were:

SKAT: Teresa Peterson, 19-3-16 net; Fred Lettow, 10-0-10 net.

SHEEPSHEAD: Allen Reindl, Ruth Campbell, Bruce Petri and Ray Ruplinger.



TUSTIN -- A son, William Allen, was born to Angela and Bill Tustin of Fredonia on January 19, 2007 at St. Joseph's Hospital. William weighed seven pounds, 11 ounces and was 20 inches long.

PETERS -- A son, Lucas Scott, was born to Jennifer and Christopher Peters of Kewaskum on January 21, 2007 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Lucas weighed six pounds, 10 ounces and was 20 inches long.

NAGEL -- A son, Austin Louis, was born to Gina and John Nagel of Kewaskum on January 14, 2007 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Austin weighed six pounds, 15 ounces and was 20 inches long.

MAYER -- A daughter, Chesney Lynn, was born to Lori and Matthew Mayer of Adell on January 16, 2007 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Chesney weighed eight pounds, eight ounces and was 22 inches long.

BROWN -- A son, Ryan Patrick, was born to Christine Johanski-Brown and Kevin Brown of West Bend on January 18, 2007 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Ryan weighed seven pounds, 9 ounces and was 21 inches long.

SICKLER -- A son, Caleb Evan, was born to Kelly Holl and Michael Sickler of West Bend on January 18, 2007 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Caleb weighed seven pounds, nine ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

HENRICKSEN -- A son, Riley Joaquin Izaak, was born to Andre Henricksen of West Bend on January 19, 2007 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Riley weighed seven pounds, five ounces and was 21 inches long.

DORN -- A son, David Carl, was born to Wanda and David Dorn of Kewaskum on January 23, 2007 at the Aurora Medical Center, Hartford. David was eight pounds and was 19 1/2 inches long.

TUESDAY NIGHT SHEEPSHEAD WINNERS

Five handed winners on Tuesday, January 22nd were: Lloyd Herriges, 55-8-47, 20-5-15; Bernice Robers, 52-6-46, 23-5-18; Nick Martinez, 52-8-44, 17-6-11; Debbie Tiedt, 49-7-42, 15-4-11; Gerald Stern, 18 most losses; Ken Bastian, 14 low points.

The next 5 handed call-an-ace will be Tuesday, Feb. 6th at 7:30 p.m. sharp. American Legion Hall.

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COMMUNITY

Police Chief's traffic citation creates positive media stir

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KEWASKUM- The village of Kewaskum received some positive press this week after newspapers and television stations caught word that Kewaskum's Police Chief Richard Knoebel issued a \$235 traffic citation to himself. Knoebel, who has been chief of police since 1988, accidentally (and illegally) passed a school bus while its lights were flashing.

Knoebel told reporters that as he was driving to work he became distracted by a stopped truck on one side of the road. With his attention diverted to the truck, he passed



Chief Richard Knoebel

a Johnson school bus stopped on Highway 45 with its lights flashing and the stop sign on the side of the bus visible.

After realizing his error, Knoebel made contact with

the bus driver and made sure no children were put in harm's way, by his distraction.

The chief stated in the interview that he does not see himself above the law and wrote himself the traffic citation. Possessing a clear driving record throughout his entire 25-year career in law enforcement, Knoebel's citation now knocks four points off his driving record.

Village of Kewaskum president, Matt Heiser, was delighted, but not surprised by Knoebel's actions. "I think this is typical of his attitude in public service and it is a great example of why we enjoy working with him so much," he stated.

Waukesha man charged in sexual assault of 15-year old Kewaskum teen

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TOWN of SCOTT- A 20-year-old musician from Waukesha has been charged with second-degree sexual assault of a child. The charge comes after he allegedly had sexual intercourse with a 15-year-old Kewaskum girl in his car.

The teen met Randall "RJ" Shesto, on the popular internet networking site, myspace.com. On Friday, January 12, the man made the trip to the town of Scott home of the teen and picked her up after she snuck out of her parents' Maple Tree Road home.

The pair drove around on

town of Scott roads until Shesto pulled into a field entrance off Forestview Road and the two had sex. The teen told authorities that Shesto did not use any force and she "fully consented" to the sexual encounter.

In Wisconsin, persons under the age of 18 are not lawfully able to make decisions regarding consensual sex.

After the pair were finished, Shesto accidentally crashed his car while returning the teen to her home. He is facing a citation for inattentive driving from the Sheboygan County Sheriff's Department, along with the other charges.

On Wednesday, January 24, Shesto was back in court for his preliminary hearing

before Judge Timothy M. Van Akkeren. Assistant District Attorney, James Haasch, was unavailable to comment on the hearing at this writing.

Shesto is the lead singer of a band called Nailwounds.

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New courses offered

juniors.

The follow-up to that course, Life/Work Skills II will focus on home and car care. The elective will replace home maintenance. Horbas' hope is to give all students basic skills needed to do minor home and auto repairs. The course will include use of basic hand tools, various building materials and auto care. Sophomores will be required to take the class.

In Life/Work Skills III personal finance will be discussed. This course will be required of all seniors wishing to graduate. Students taking the class are hoped to become more productive consumers, workers and citizens by learning financial responsibility. Topics will include budgets, financial institutions, insurance and housing.

The final course, Life/Work Skills IV will sharpen parenting and life skills. The course is replacing single living and money and parenting skills (MAPS). It will be a

requirement for all seniors in the fall of 2008, however, it will be offered in 2007.

Life/Work Skills IV will run through necessary skills to manage a household and learn the various developmental stages of children. Students will learn basic food preparation, clothing repair and managing various relationships. The class will use Parenting magazine in their studies.

The courses are expected to cost around \$12,000. Funding for textbooks will be used with referendum money. Lab fees will also be charged for a number of the courses.

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POLICE REPORTS

Vending machine theft

On September 1, at 8 a.m. the KHS police liaison officer met with a teacher regarding a theft from a vending machine.

The teacher informed the officer that he believed that money was being taken between fillings. A padlock was placed over the lock, however days later the padlock was cut with a bolt cutters. Product and about half the money was missing from the machine.

The teacher believed that the thefts started in August and amounted to about \$300 to \$400.

Another teacher approached the officer regarding another vending machine that was missing money. The lock was changed and again money was missing. That teacher filed a report totalling \$1,200.

This report was not printed because police were actively investigating the situation and publishing could have affected the investigation.

Underage OWI

On January 7 at 3:39 a.m. a Kewaskum Police Officer observed a westbound vehicle coming from the 200 block of Main Street with no headlights or taillights. After a brief chase the vehicle was stopped on Hwy 28 west and Edgewood Road.

The officer approached the vehicle, which had one 19-year-old male driver. He detected the slight odor of intoxicants coming from the driver who denied drinking.

Upon asking for his driver's license the officer noticed the teen leave one license in his wallet and present another. When questioned about this the teen produced the license

in the wallet that belonged to his 21-year-old brother.

The teen later admitted to drinking. Because the teen passed a number of field sobriety tests the officer informed him he would not be arrested for operating while under influence. However since the teen was under age and admitted to drinking. He would receive a citation for underage drinking and one for operating without headlights.

The teen called his parents who later took custody of him.

Theft from truck

On January 9 at 1:53 pm a Kewaskum police officer met with the complainant in the parking lot of BP Gas Station.

Upon arrival the complainant stated that on December 27, one of his company's trucks was backed on the back of BP parking lot. The next day when they returned, they found both taillight assemblies were removed from the truck.

A few days later, a 15-foot red fiberglass extension ladder was removed from the truck.

Total estimated loss is \$260.00.

Police reports are compiled and written by staff member Andrew Kuehl with the cooperation of the Kewaskum Police Department. If you have information on any of these incidents please contact the department at 262.626.2323

Character cannot be developed in ease and quiet. Only through experience of trial and suffering can the soul be strengthened, ambition inspired and success achieved.
-Helen Keller

Fire Dept. receives \$300 donation



The Kewaskum Eager Beavers Homemakers Club presented Kewaskum Fire Chief Mark Groeschel with a donation of \$300. The group of about ten ladies contributed to a fund in lieu of giving gifts to each other at Christmas. Representing the Eager Beavers is Kay Butzke, left and Judy Kahn, right. The money will be used to purchase new vests for EMTs



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Village negotiates wireless phone antenna contracts United Way looking for a few good volunteers

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KEWASKUM- Wireless phone users in the village of Kewaskum will soon receive better reception on their phones if they are Sprint or Verizon Wireless customers. Work on the erection of an antenna attached to the village's water tower on Reigle Drive and housing below the antenna is nearing completion while an agreement with Verizon is waiting for signatures.

Renting out space on the village's water towers is nothing new for Kewaskum. The village started entering into negotiations with Sprint in 1996.

Village Administrator Jay Shambeau states that T-Mobile and Sprint are the only providers that lease space on village-owned water towers.

In September 2006 Sprint came before the board asking to upgrade their current antenna configuration on the Reigle Drive water tower. At a public hearing held on October 2, 2006, both Sprint and Verizon Wireless were approved to erect antennas.

Sprint is currently working on upgrading six of their current antennas and adding six more. They have also constructed a new equipment shelter adjacent to the tower. The new antennas are from two to eight feet in length.

Sprint has entered into a 15-year lease agreement with the village. Under terms in the lease, this year the village will receive \$40,460 from Sprint. That amount increases annually until October 2021 when the agreement ends. In the last year of the agreement the

village is paid \$74,392. A 20-year deal with Verizon Wireless will see a maximum of nine antennas placed on the water tower adjacent to the Department of Public Works garage. In the first year of the agreement Verizon Wireless will pay the village \$42,000 for space on the tower. Each successive year, the rent will be raised and in year 20 of the agreement the village will receive \$73,648.

"We are very proud of the negotiations that took place in 2006. These contracts position our water utility to be in sound financial condition for many years and assist in keeping rates in check," concluded Shambeau

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also must have some free time or a flexible work schedule because there will be 5 to 6 half-day panel meetings during the business day in April and May."

Each volunteer is assigned to a panel that reviews programs in one of United Way's five impact areas: Supporting People in Crisis, Strengthening Families, Developing Successful Children & Youth, Building Strong & Healthy Communities, and Promoting Self-Sufficiency.

Panel volunteers will attend an orientation in April

at which they will learn about the fund distribution process, health and human service needs within Washington County, the effect services from 40 funded programs have on clients and how to access program results.

In May, panel volunteers visit agencies to conduct fact-to-face program review meetings. Funding recommendations made by panels are forwarded to the United Way Board of Directors for final deliberation in June.

"Their careful review of our member agency programs ensures accountability and that donor pledges make an impact for those in need in our community," stated Joe Calabrese, United Way Executive Director.

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NEIGHBORS

Campbellsport Chamber issues CAB grant



The CAB (Campbellsport Assisting Business) program awarded yet another matching grant program to Creative Image and Sound. The grant program provides financing to existing businesses to improve their facade. Creative Image and Sound is the fifth local business to receive the \$500 grant. "With a lot of help from the Fond du Lac County Economical Development Corporation, we were able to develop an aggressive program to help the business climate in Campbellsport," stated Chamber President, Tom Krueger. Shown above are, from left to right, Kevin Riley and Heidi Riley, Creative Image and Sound, Joel Fleischman, Campbellsport Building Supply, CAB coordinator and Tom Krueger, Fin-n-Feather Chamber President. For more information on the CAB program visit www.campbellsport.org

Submitted photo

NKMHTA reflects on 2006

As 2006 comes to a close, and 2007 just gets started, it seems an appropriate time for personal reflection. Since its inception in 2003, the Northern Kettle Moraine Horse Trail Association (NKMHTA) has logged over 950 labor hours and invested \$12,900 on improvements in the Kettle Moraine State Forest - Northern Unit (NKMSF - NU). The Association has established a solid core of group members, and continues to engage the future of the KMSF-NU.

Over a four-year period the NKMHTA has completed a variety of projects on the 41 miles of horse trails that meander through the forest, and in the equestrian campground. The scope of projects include installing lighting in the horse shelter and pit toilets at the campground; adding board height to the horse shelter for added safety; installing mile markers and road crossing signs along the 33-mile linear trail; and ongoing participation in trail maintenance by trimming encroaching brush along the trail. Recently, the Association, along with a grant from the Wisconsin State Horse Council, funded 58% of the cost for a segment of trail repair just south of Greenbush.

Additional projects completed in 2006 included installing 4 sets of mounting blocks and hitching rails at rest areas

along the trail including near New Fane by the river, and at parking areas by the Greenbush Group Camp, Highways 67 and H. The Jersey Flats beautification project, completed as part of the Equestrian Land Conservation Act (ELCR) National Trails Day, included the planting of 15 hardwood shade trees, and the installation of a hitching rail and mounting block. The Association has also purchased picnic tables for these five rest areas which will be set in place in spring just in time for the start of the riding season. These projects were funded in part from a grant through the Wisconsin State Horse Council and Distance Riders of Wisconsin (DRAW).

All of this hard, and time-consuming labor is possible through dedicated volunteers and friends of the NKMHTA. Meeting the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm at the Campbellsport Community Center, the NKMHTA's mission statement is to provide area equestrians an opportunity to make an impact as part of a group working cooperatively with the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) towards preserving, improving, and developing equestrian facilities in the Northern Kettle Moraine State Forest. The NKMHTA as a group gets its strength through dedicated officers, board mem-

bers, and a growing list of members. Those who are unable to attend the structured business meetings, continue to volunteer time and energy to complete organized tasks.

As a way to reminisce about the riding season, promote a strong fellowship with equestrians, and generate funds for future projects, the NKMHTA holds an annual dinner, dance and silent auction at the Amerahn in Kewaskum the second Saturday in November. Recalling this past November, once again, the food was excellent, the silent auction a success and the smiles and laughter of the two hundred people in attendance remains a wonderful memory.

The past four years have established a solid foundation for the future. And the future holds even more excitement as the Association partners with the DNR and local clubs like the Plymouth Trail Riders and Kin Krest Saddle Club in providing feedback on the design plans for the complete renovation and expansion of the Horse Rider's Camp located near New Prospect. Work is expected to begin in early summer.

What does the future hold for the NKMHTA? If our past deeds are an indication of the group's future, our mission statement is firmly in place.

- Eric Silvis- Campbellsport

Neighbors IN BRIEF

Musicians sought for Farmer's Market

WEST BEND- Local bands and musicians looking for more exposure now have an opportunity to perform throughout the summer thanks to the Downtown West Bend Association (DWBA).

Through Wednesday, February 28, DWBA is taking entertainment registrations for the 2007 Farmers' Market season, which will run every Saturday from June 2 through October 27, 2007. Market hours are 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., with musical performances generally taking place from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

This year there will be two locations for musical performances:

Old Settlers Park-There is electricity available and the park has a natural elevation above Main Street. This is a great location for larger bands that require more space.

North Main Street-This location is in the new expansion area of the Market located on the corner of Cedar Street and Main Street. There is no electricity available at this location. Groups or individuals that don't require electricity (i.e. percussion, string instruments, etc.) would be a great fit.

Registration forms can be picked up at DWBA (128 South Sixth Avenue, Suite One in West Bend) or requested by calling Albrecht at (262) 338-3909. For more information about DWBA visit www.downtownwestbend.com.

Lake Twelve now open to public

FILLMORE- Lake Twelve located northeast of Fillmore is now open to the public. Not that it wasn't before, but the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) has completed a gravel road and parking lot, along with a 120-foot pier and handicap accessible path.

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PEOPLE NEWS

Christmas in Germany

"Frohe Weihnachten!" ("Merry Christmas!") I learned this phrase, and some others that I had trouble pronouncing, for my first Christmas in Germany. There were some people that insisted on extending a "Merry Christmas!" to me, but I definitely preferred the term "Frohe Weihnachten!". While, I've had plenty of Christmases, this was my first "Weihnachten". A different experience requires a different name. It was quite an occasion, the biggest difference being that I was not celebrating it with my family back home, but there were other differences too. Such as Christmas being celebrated on 2 separate days, other than Christmas Eve.

Christmas break at my school started after school was finished on the 20th of December. Ahhh... two and a half weeks without school. The first thing I did during my Christmas break was get a haircut. It had not been cut since June, and my host-family kept implying that they thought it was quite long. Not to mention I had been missing more shots in basketball during phy. ed. It was a nice change to get it cut, except I seem to get colder easier now.

In my first week of break, on the twenty-second of December, I made a trip to Bremen to the large Christmas market (Weihnachtsmarkt). I went with two friends from school, both were very pleasant and excited to show me some German traditions, one of them being the Christmas market itself. While in Bremen I ate some Bratwursts, did some Christmas shopping, and drank some hot apple cider. The two girls I was with had McDonalds. It was a great experience, with the lights, the people, and the whole Christmas atmosphere.

The core of my Christmas experience with my host-family started on Christmas Eve. On Christmas Eve my whole host-family was together, not unusual, and ate a semi-traditional supper, finishing it off with some Christmas goodies for dessert. We then moved ourselves from the dining room to my Host-Grandma's living room, where the tree was. I helped decorate it with my host-brothers a few days before, with wooden ornaments and fake candle lights. First we sang some grand ole German Christmas songs. The tunes of some were quite familiar to me, and I had even sang "O Tannenbaum" in German before, or "Oh Christmas Tree" as it is in English.

After singing, with my Host-Sister on the guitar, my Host-Dad read the Christmas Story from the Bible to the family. Then we all got to open our presents, something that normally takes place on Christmas morning in my family. It was fun, and I enjoyed receiving presents from my family, along with being able to give each one of them something special from the states.

Finally, we ended this part of our evening by spending some time together as a family. Well sort of, we were all in the

same room as we admired our recently received presents and played with the toys for a while. It seemed as my little host-brother's were the most popular presents of the night.

The night was not yet over. After our time as a family, a few of us went to the local church for the annual eleven o'clock Christmas Eve service. I was able to hear the Christmas Story again, and also sing some more traditional Christmas songs.

The following day, the first day of Christmas, of the two Germany celebrates, we went to celebrate Christmas at my host-father's family.

Along with Christmas, we celebrated the dedication of my new twin host-cousins. Which we had all attended earlier that day. My host-sister is the God-mother of one of them. The experience was nice, good food, interesting people, and on the long car ride there and back I finished the little homework I had gotten over break.

On the second day of Christmas, something I am quite unaccustomed to having, we went to my host-grandmother's house, the mother of my host-mother. That was also pleasant, with a few, but not all, of the other relatives there. The grandma even gave me a nice present of chocolate, an orange, and money; all of which was appreciated.

The other gifts I received from my host-family and friends consisted of a photo album, slippers, a towel, a picture and frame, a journal book, and some other goodies to eat. I do not know if I will ever have Christmas in Germany again, but I thoroughly enjoyed this one. It was interesting to look at another culture's traditions on one of the most international holidays. Perhaps I will even keep the tradition of two days of Christmas, I sort of like that.

- Jacob Cochran

Five Generations



Shown in the above photo, front row, left to right are great-grandpa, Duane Sabish; great-great-grandparents Carl and Ruby Hohlweck; great-grandma, Darleen Rochwite; grandma, Stephanie Jung, and great grandparents, Isabelle and Steve Zacher. Back row: grandpa, Steve Sabish; great-grandma, Judy Sabish; grandma, Luan Sabish; parents, Steven Sabish and Sara Jung, holding baby, Hunter David; great-grandma Shirley Jung, and grandpa, David Jung. Great-great-grandma Frieda Kuehl is not pictured. Hunter was born on September 3, 2006.

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Birthdays will no longer be carried over on an annual basis.
 All birthdays must be called in yearly.

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 There is a deadline 3 pm Monday for Thursday publication.

EVENTS

Artwork of 20 area educators featured

Artists Who Teach exhibit at UWWC



Shown above is Kewaskum High School art teacher Lynn Molenda's watercolor titled "Thonon LaBain." Lynn's says it is a view of bathers in France on a hot June day - just before a storm coming in from Switzerland on Lake Geneva."

UW-Washington County (UW-WC) is hosting an ARTISTS WHO TEACH exhibition from February 2 through February 12. The display is in conjunction with the FINE ARTS FESTIVAL planned for Sunday, February 11. The ARTISTS WHO TEACH exhibit includes a collection of work created by art educators who instruct K-college level art students. It is a remarkable representation of the diverse, aesthetic talents of these educators. Each artist was able to submit one or two pieces of artwork. A "pair of musical chairs" by Grafton High School teacher, Marcia Gorra-Patek is one of the more unique designs. The small chairs hand-painted with pears and musical notes, Gorra-Patek indicates, can also be interpreted as "musical chairs with pears." Ceramic sculptures, oil paintings, watercolors, jewelry, and photographs round out this interesting and impressive exhibit.

The purpose of the exhibit is to showcase the artistic and creative talents of area art educators. As dedicated teachers, it can be difficult to make time for themselves as artists. In addition to providing information and inspiration for the artwork, the educators were asked, "What they enjoy most about teaching art." Their responses (included with each piece of art) reflect a love of teaching as well as a desire to help students reflect their individuality and creativity.

The exhibition features works by: P. J. Wetak, Allenton Elementary; Karel Judd, Badger Middle School; Tina Mitchell, Badger Middle School; Camille Walters, Beverly Hills Studio 1; Linda Boehlke, Campbellsport High School; Deb Mortl, Cedar-

burg High School; Marcia Gorra-Patek, Grafton High School; Gina Studelska, Grafton High School; Brad Domres, Holy Trinity School; Lynn Molenda, Kewaskum Middle School; Wendy Renard, Living Word

Lutheran High School; Julie Moyer, Lomira High School; Rebecca Nimm, Saylesville School, Rubicon; Vicki Ebben, Silverbrook Middle School; Gail Hefti, Slinger Middle School; Cindy Wolf, St Mary's School, West Bend; Cynthia Wellman, St Paul Lutheran, Grafton; Sr. Eloise Hirlemann, St. Boniface, Germantown; Josh Lesniak, UW-Washington County and Tom Gross, UW-Washington County.

The artwork can be viewed during the Fine Arts Festival on Sunday, February 11 from 1pm to 6pm. In addition, the gallery will be open for the Winter Jazz concert on February 2 from 6:30pm to 9:30pm and from 9am to 3pm Monday through Friday (February 5 to 12).

In addition to the ARTISTS WHO TEACH exhibit, the Fine Arts Festival will feature over 400 pieces of student artwork from area middle, high school and college level students. Music and dance performances and a concert by the Dallas Brass are also planned. For festival highlights and updates, including art contest participants and winners, visit the campus website at: www.washington.uwc.edu. For more information about the Fine Arts Festival, contact Sue Survis, Director of University Relations at 262-335-5233 or by email at susan.survis@uwc.edu.

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Community Events For Feb. 4 thru Feb. 11

Sunday, Feb. 4: LONG LAKE ICE FISHEREE, Tent located on the lake just out from Mr. Ed's Campgrounds on Hwy. 67. Food, refreshments, raffles and prizes. The Dundee Sportsman's Club will also be open from 8 am to 5 pm for food, beverages, raffle tables, fish registration and the fish board. Fish prizes will be awarded at 4 pm, at the Dundee Sportsman's Club.

Monday, Feb. 5: KEWASKUM COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE, 2:00 - 7:00 pm. St. Lucas School Gym, 1410 Parkview Dr. To schedule your appointment call 1-800-GIVELIFE or log onto www.gifelife.org "Together We Can Save a Life."

February 6, 7pm. How Government Works - Court System
Topics will include structure of courts, sentencing guidelines, discretion in arrests, how & why fine money is collected, record-keeping, etc. Guest speakers include Sheriff Dale Schmidt, Clerk of Courts Kristine Deiss & Judge Annette Ziegler. Fourth lecture in the series. Free admission. No reservation required. Presented in Room 228. For more information, contact the UW-WC Department of University Relations at (262) 335-5208.

Friday, Feb. 9. Amity/Rolls Relay for Life team is sponsoring a fish fry Feb. 9th at the KC Hall 2 pc. dinner \$6.40, 3 pc \$7.50 chicken strips \$3.50. Beautiful baskets will be raffled off and a chance to win two autographed packer footballs. All proceeds to the American Cancer Society. Come have a great meal and a fun filled evening.

February 11, 1:00-6:00pm Fine Arts Festival
Campus-wide festival. Don't miss the student art exhibits (over 400), music & dance performances. Free Admission to the Festival. More information at www.washington.uwc.edu or contact the UW-WC Department of University Relations at (262) 335-5208.

To be included in the Community Events, FREE OF CHARGE, please submit your event prior to our 3 pm Monday deadline, at our office at 240 Main Street, Kewaskum; e-mail - ckuehl@kewaskumstatesman.com or on the web www.kewaskumstatesman.com. PLEASE NOTE, businesses offering specials or events for profit are not accepted. Events are listed at the Editor's discretion.

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EVENTS

Dallas Brass to perform at UWWC

One of America's foremost musical ensembles, the Dallas Brass, is planning a concert performance at UW-Washington County on Sunday, February 11. The concert, entitled "An American Musical Journey," starts at 4pm in the gymnasium. The Dallas Brass was founded in 1983 and includes seven very talented musicians that combine traditional brass instruments with a full complement of drums and percussion. The concert educates as well as entertains and motivates. It is intended for all ages, from 5 to 95 and includes a wide variety of music including classical masterpieces, Dixieland, swing, Broadway, Hollywood and patriotic music.

The group has a strong dedication to working with young musicians, frequently going into public schools to present clinics and workshops for students of all ages. The musicians will meet with band

students from Kewaskum, Germantown, Slinger and West Bend High Schools as well as UW-Washington County students in the afternoon. These students will learn techniques about practicing, breathing, posture, intonation, and showmanship at the clinic. Students will also rehearse "An American Tableau" which they will perform with the Dallas Brass for the finale.

Current members of the Dallas Brass include: Michael Levine (Director, Trombone), Brian Neal (Trumpet), D. J. Barraclough (Trumpet), Chris Castellanos (Horn), Nat McIntosh (Tuba) and Jeff Handel (Drums and Percussion). The ensemble has released five recordings: Debut, Dallas Brass II, A Merry Christmas with Brass, Windborne and Nutcracker.

Chair seating is \$12 and bleacher seating is \$9. To purchase tickets, phone UW-WC at (262) 335-5208 during nor-

mal business hours (Monday through Friday from 8am to 4:30pm) or at the door (while supply lasts). The University is located at 400 University Drive (off Hwy. 33 West) in West Bend.

Long Lake Fisheree Sunday

The Long Lake Fishing Club is sponsoring their annual "Long Lake Ice Fisheree" Sunday, February 4th. The event is for fish caught on Long Lake and provides an opportunity for area fisherman to show their stuff and is always a fun time for families and friends to gather and talk about fishing.

The club will be placing a small tent on the lake just out from Mr. Ed's Campgrounds on Highway 67. The lake will be the place to see the live fish tank and get the scoop on where the fish are being caught, as well as buy food and beverages.

The Dundee Sportsman's Club will also be open from 8am to 5 pm for food, beverages, raffle tables, fish registration and the fish board. The fish prizes will be awarded at 4pm February 4th at the Dundee Sportsman's Club.

This year's grand prize for the winter raffle ticket is a 2007 Polaris ATV or \$4,500 in cash, drawing held February 11th at D&D Country Tap in Dundee.

Lighthouse concert Feb. 2

Lighthouse Ministries, Inc., a nondenominational ministry, which has been putting on concerts for the past 20 years, invites the public to a free Christian concert with a coffeehouse atmosphere on Friday, Feb. 2 from 7-10 pm.

The guest will be "Strait and Narrow" which is a bluegrass gospel band that will bring guitar, banjo, mandolin, and bass guitar into blended artistry. Their music is a mixture of many styles with emphasis on God, family, and good times.

Also this evening, a talented six piece contemporary group, "For a Reason," will perform. They bring a vocal harmony of musical blends addressing life's challenges and encourages all to seek God for help.

Free admission and door prizes. Refreshments available. Lighthouse meets at Silverbrook School, 120 N. Silverbrook Drive, West Bend, enter and park in rear of school. For more information call (262) 338-0205 or visit www.lighthouseconcerts.com

Old Settlers' Club Banquet to feature Town of Addison

The Washington County Historical Society is pleased to announce the 20th annual revival of the Old Settlers' Club Banquet. This year the Town of Addison will be featured. The banquet will be held on Sunday, February 18, 2007, at the Addison Elementary School, 5050 Indian Drive in the Town of Addison.

The event will open at 10:30 A.M. for viewing of displays highlighting the history of the Town of Addison. The program will follow a dinner buffet by Catering by Bryan.

Cost for the Banquet is \$16 per person. Reservations are required and must be received by February 9, 2007. Space is limited and reservations will be honored on a first come first served basis. Please call 262-335-4678 to make a reservation or send your check directly to the Washington County Historical Society at 320 South Fifth Avenue, West Bend, Wisconsin 53095. Be sure to include the first and last name(s) of those attending the banquet.

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

For more information about the Society and other upcoming events please check their website at www.historyisfun.com, or call 262-335-4678.

If you are interested in volunteering at the Society please contact Ted Condé, Volunteer Coordinator, at 262-335-4678 to learn more about volunteer opportunities.



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SCHOOL NEWS

KHS Dance team holds junior clinic



Junior dancers from Farmington, Kewaskum and Wayne Elementary Schools performed at the KHS Field House along with the KHS Dance Team on Thursday, January 25.

Statesman photo Amber Donath

By Amber Donath
Statesman Correspondent

January 22-24, 2007, the Kewaskum High School (KHS) Dance Team held a junior dance clinic fundraiser open to all kindergarten through fifth grade students attending Farmington Elementary School, Kewaskum Elementary School and Wayne Elementary School.

Over the three-day clinic, more than 50 junior dancers were taught a dance routine that was performed in the KHS Field House Thursday, January 25, during halftime of the KHS varsity girls basketball game.

The dancers performed their routine to the hit song

"Do You Love Me (Now that I Can Dance)". Many people are familiar with the song from the popular movie "Dirty Dancing."

As the junior dancers marched onto the gym floor in their matching T-shirts, the crowd hushed, the music started, and it was hard to tell who was having more fun - the dancers or the audience.

It was a great performance achieved through the hard work and dedication of the KHS Dance Team: Lindsay Krautkramer, Elisa Schoofs, Kate Peters, Mandi Forbes, Krystal Holl, Alyssa Krautkramer, Lisa Schulz, Hannah Vanoooyen, Melissa Anderson, Becky Steinert, Christa

Theisen, Danielle Donnelly, Caitlin VanWormer, Rachel Rieden, Brittany Barlow, and Monica Dehler along with, coach Allison Lauber and assistant coach Carrie Berlin.

Campus Notes

Amber Averill of Kewaskum, majoring in Community Health Education, is among the 30 students from the University of Wisconsin - LaCrosse who have been named to the 2007 edition of Who's Who Among American Universities and Colleges.

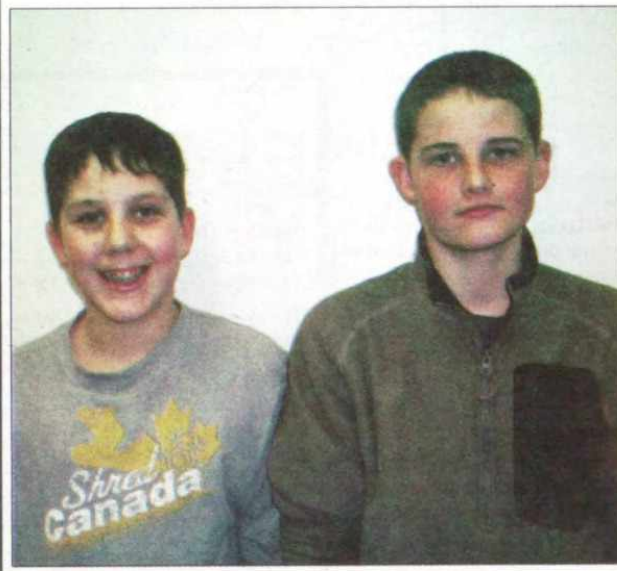
Selection to Who's Who is based on academic achievement, service to the community, work experience, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success. A campus committed chooses nominees in the fall. Students from 2,000 institutions of higher learning in the 50 states, the District of Columbia and several foreign nations were selected for this honor.

KSD students perform at Choral Directors convention



On Saturday, January 13, three students from the Kewaskum School District performed at the Wisconsin Choral Directors convention in Madison. Lindsay Krautkramer (above) performed with the High School Women's All-State Choir under the direction of Henry Leck. Mr. Leck, associate professor and director of choral activities at Butler University, is internationally recognized as a clinician, conductor, and composer. Austin Luedtke, below right, and Coleman Bartow, below left, were members of the Middle Level All-State Choir under the direction of Rollo A. Dilworth, another internationally known conductor, composer, educator, author, and clinician, from North Park University School of Music in Chicago. The students arrived in Madison on Friday morning, spent the rest of the day and all day Saturday rehearsing with the conductors, and met other students from many parts of the state of Wisconsin.

Submitted photos



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SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

KEWASKUM SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday, Feb. 5 - NO SCHOOL.

Tuesday, Feb. 6 - Soft shell taco or taco w/ tortilla chips, refried beans, corn & Spanish rice. *Italian toasted cheese. (2) Mini corn puppies.

Wednesday, Feb. 7 - Chicken patty/bun, Mandarin oranges, fresh veggies & dip, peach slices. *Mexican salad bar. (2) Mini corn puppies.

Thursday, Feb. 8 - Chicken tenders, mashed potatoes/gravy, carrot coins, fresh fruit, dinner roll. *Chef's salad. (2) Mini corn puppies.

Friday, Feb. 9 - School-made pizza, corn, buttery asparagus, French bread w/ garlic butter & pear slices. *Sloppy Joes. (2) Mini corn puppies.

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Monday, Feb. 5 - NO SCHOOL.

Tuesday, Feb. 6 - Nachos grande, fluffy rice, carrot coins, assorted fruit, chocolate chip cookie, milk.

Wednesday, Feb. 7 - French bread pizza or pizza buns, lettuce salad, applesauce, chocolate brownie, milk.

Thursday, Feb. 8 - Italian spaghetti, twisty garlic rolls, cauliflower/broccoli, pears, peanut butter cookie, milk.

Friday, Feb. 9 - Hot turkey on a bun, fluffy rice, corn, peaches, cookie/Birthday cupcake.

ST. LUCAS LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Monday, Feb. 5 - NO SCHOOL.

Tuesday, Feb. 6 - Chicken patty on a bun, carrots, potato wedges, cookies.

Wednesday, Feb. 7 - Baked potato bar, mac & cheese, peas, applesauce, chocolate cake.

Thursday, Feb. 8 - Sloppy joes on a bun, green beans, peaches, cupcakes.

Friday, Feb. 9 - Corn puppies, tator tots, corn, applesauce, chocolate eclairs.

CAMPBELLSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday, Feb. 5 - Sausage, egg, cheese on an English muffin, hashbrowns, applesauce, orange wedges, milk.

Tuesday, Feb. 6 - Spaghetti casserole, coleslaw, assorted fruit, French bread, milk.

Wednesday, Feb. 7 - Hot ham/bun, cheese slice, pickles, tater tots, fruit mix, milk.

Thursday, Feb. 8 - HS - Baked chicken. Elem - chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes/gravy, golden corn, cranberry cup, juice bar, bread, milk.

Friday, Feb. 9 - Pepperoni pizza, lettuce salad, raw veggies, fresh fruit, milk.

ST. MATTHEW'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Monday, Feb. 5 - Taco, cheese, lettuce, corn, pineapple or orange, cookie, milk.

Tuesday, Feb. 6 - Chicken noodle soup, ham sandwich, raw veggies, pears or mixed fruit, crackers, milk.

Wednesday, Feb. 7 - 4th grade menu - pizza dippers, French fries, corn, strawberries or grapes, vanilla pudding, milk.

Thursday, Feb. 8 - Mini corn dogs, tri taters, lettuce salad, green beans, peaches or

apple, cookie, milk.

Friday, Feb. 9 - Tuna, egg salad or peanut butter sandwich, potato salad or chips, raw veggies & dip, applesauce or banana, milk.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Monday, Feb. 5 - Pizza sticks/sauce, mixed veggies, French bread, applesauce.

Tuesday, Feb. 6 - Sliced ham, dirty potatoes, home-style bread, peaches.

Wednesday, Feb. 7 - Hot dog/chili dog, assorted oven potatoes, fresh apples.

Thursday, Feb. 8 - Italian spaghetti, tossed salad, garlic bread, en fajita, cornbread, refried beans, pineapple.

Friday, Feb. 9 - Chick-

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St. Joseph's Hospital

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Restless legs and periodic limb movements in sleep are discussed.

Tuesday, February 20, 7:00 p.m.

Fee: No Charge

St. Joseph's Hospital, Conference Room A

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BreatheFree Asthma Education

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Program is designed to help children and their parents understand the importance of maintaining a healthy weight. Information on the food guide pyramid and nutrition facts labels. Children must be accompanied by a parent.

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Ages 9-12, Saturday, March 10, 1:00 - 2:30 pm

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St. Joseph's Hospital, Lobby Conference Room

To register, call 262-836-7014.

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Thursdays, February 1, 8 and 15, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Basic Carb Counting

Provides a basic understanding of carbohydrate counting to self-manage food intake. Information on portion size, carb counting, and meal planning.

Monday, February 26, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday, February 7 or 21, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Fee: \$50 (may be covered by insurance)

Diabetes Express

This fast-paced class reviews skills needed to begin to self-manage the disease. Class is offered to those who have gone through prior education or whose busy lifestyle cannot accommodate a more intensive education session.

Monday, February 26, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Fee: \$120 (may be covered by insurance)

Advanced Carb Counting

For insulin and insulin pump patients. Provides an advanced understanding of the relationship of food intake to the amount of insulin taken.

Wednesday, February 21, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Fee: \$100 (may be covered by insurance)

Diabetes Education Classes are held at the Cancer Care Center, 1110 Oak Street, West Bend. To register, call Centralized Scheduling at 262-836-8347.

SUPPORT GROUPS

Smoking Cessation Discussion Group

Learn more about methods to help you quit the use of tobacco products.

First Wednesday of Each Month, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

St. Joseph's Hospital, Meeting Room A

Fee: No Charge

For more information or to register, call 262-836-7007.

St. Joseph's Hospital offers "Living With Cancer," "The Hearty Bunch, Cardiac Rehab," Pregnancy and Infant Loss, Prostate Cancer, Pulmonary, Diabetes, and Stroke support groups.

For information about SynergyHealth support groups, contact public relations at 262-334-8584.

Registration Information

Visit www.synergyhealth.org for more information and on-line registration.

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OBITUARIES

WILMA M. KENWORTHY

Wilma M. Kenworthy, 78, of Kewaskum, formerly of Newton, Iowa, passed away on Tuesday, January 30, 2007, at Mapledale Manor in Kewaskum.

She was born on June 24, 1928, in Springfield, Missouri, the daughter of the late Wesley and Lera (Foland) Haseltine. She was raised in California and was a graduate of Excelsior Union High School. In 1950 she graduated from Iowa Wesleyan College. On November 25, 1953, she was united in marriage to John W. Kenworthy and the couple made their home in Newton, Iowa.

Wilma was a former member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Newton, Iowa, the Mary Martha Circle and was a founding member of Make Today Count. She taught art in Newton Elementary Schools in Iowa for several decades. In 2005 Wilma and John moved to Kewaskum.

Survivors include her loving husband of 53 years, John; two children, John D. (Denise) Kenworthy of Kewaskum and Mary Kay (Brad) Speaks of Independence, Missouri; four grandchildren, Ciera Speaks, Nathan, Dylan, and Ian Kenworthy and other relatives and friends.

A funeral service for Wilma will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, February 2, 2007, at the Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum. Reverend David Schoob and Father Edwin Kornath will officiate and burial will be at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday at Washington County Memorial Park in West Bend.

Relatives and friends may call on Friday at the Miller Funeral Home from 5:00 p.m. until the time of service.

Memorials to the American Cancer Society are appreciated. Additional information and guest book may be found at www.millermartinfh.com.

The Kenworthy family wishes to express their sincere thanks to the staff at Mapledale Manor and Heartland Hospice for the care provided to Wilma and to Pastor David Schoob for his visits.

EDWARD A. 'EDDIE' HOERCHNER



Edward A. "Eddie" Hoerchner, age 52, went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, January 24th, 2007 at his home in Kewaskum.

Eddie was born to Allen and Gladys (nee Vogel) Hoerchner at St. Alphonsus Hospital in

Port Washington, Wisconsin on January 22nd, 1955. Eddie was raised in the town of Jackson having graduated from West Bend East High School in 1974. He made his living by farming and doing masonry work in the Jackson and West Bend areas. Eddie loved spending his time hunting, playing softball, racing and especially spending time with his adored grandchildren. Eddie was married to Peggy (nee Kruepke), having three darling children with her. He was a proud partner of #60 Hoerchner Racing team.

Eddie will be deeply missed and forever loved by his three cherished children Dawn (Patrick) Prescott, West Bend; Carrie (Antonio Ovale), West Bend; and Jeffrey Hoerchner (Lynette Schwartz), West Bend; his dear siblings, John Hoerchner, Kewaskum, James (Sheri) Hoerchner, Cedarburg, Judith (Gilbert) Luebbe, Cedarburg, Janice (Paul) Filber, West Bend, and Mark Hoerchner, Jackson; his treasured grandchildren, Jada, Nolan, Josephine, Diego, Joaquin, and Oliver; and his loving parents, Allen and Gladys Hoerchner. He will also be missed by many nieces, nephews, other special relatives, and many dear friends.

Eddie was preceded in death by his grandparents, Godparents, aunts, and uncles.

A Funeral Service to honor Eddie was held on Sunday, January 28, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. at the Phillip Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Paul Mittermaier officiating. A gathering of family and friends was also held at the funeral home on Sunday from 11:00 a.m. until the time of the Funeral Service at 2:00 p.m.

Interment took place at Washington County Memorial Park in West Bend on Monday, January 29, 2007 at 12:00 Noon.

Memorials are appreciated, in lieu of flowers.

DONALD J. ODEKIRK

Donald J. Odekirk, 66, of Campbellsport, died Monday, Jan. 22, 2007, at his residence.

He was born on Aug. 11, 1940, at the family homestead in Campbellsport, the son of Donald R. Odekirk and Lucille A. Dieringer.

On June 30, 1962, he married Sandra "Sandy" L. Lemke at Redeemer Ev. Lutheran Church, Fond du Lac.

Don was a graduate of Winnebago Lutheran Academy

Class of 1958. After graduation from school he enlisted in the U. S. Navy, retiring as a chief petty officer in 1978.

After retiring from the service, he worked at Wells Manufacturing for five years and later was employed with Mercury Marine for 35 years, retiring in 2002. He was a member of Redeemer Ev. Lutheran Church and the Tuesday Night Mercury Men's Golf League, for which he served as secretary for many years. Don enjoyed golfing, bowling, traveling and hunting.

Survivors include his wife, Sandra "Sandy" L. Odekirk of Campbellsport; a daughter, Lori (friend Greg Mohr) Odekirk of Campbellsport; a son, Alan (Michelle) Odekirk of Fond du Lac; three grandchildren, Kayla Driscoll and Megan and Malory Odekirk; his mother, Lucille Odekirk of Campbellsport; one brother, Thomas (Sandra) Odekirk of Fond du Lac; a sister, Linda (Duane) Pieper of Campbellsport; his mother-in-law, LaVerne Lemke of Fond du Lac; sisters and brothers-in-law, Peter and Sue Friess, Robert and Sherry Schaub and Dale and Shelly Simon, all of Fond du Lac; nieces and nephews; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and loved ones.

Don was preceded in death by his father, Donald R. Odekirk; and his father-in-law, Harry Lemke.

Visitation was from 3 to 9 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 25, 2007, at the Uecker-Witt Funeral Home. Friends also called from 11 a.m. to the hour of services on Friday at the church.

Funeral services were held at noon on Friday, Jan. 26, 2007, at Redeemer Ev. Lutheran Church. The Rev. Fred Toppe officiated. Entombment followed at the Veterans Wall of Honor at Ledgeview Memorial Park. Trier-Puddy American Legion Post No. 75 conducted military graveside services.

Uecker-Witt Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

GREGOR L. DIERINGER

Gregor L. Dieringer, 80, formerly of Campbellsport died Wednesday Jan. 24, 2007, at ManorCare Nursing Home in Fond du Lac where he has resided the past four years.

He was born on Jan. 17, 1927, in Campbellsport the son of Thomas A. and Olive J. Gremminger Dieringer.

Gregor was a member of Redeemer Lutheran Church in Fond du Lac and was employed at Brooks Industries for a number of years.

He enjoyed puzzles, coloring pictures, and walking. Gregor also enjoyed television and was a car enthusiast.

Survivors include his siblings, Lucille Odekirk of Campbellsport, Andrew (Audrey) of Port Washington, Adolph (Jean) of Port Washington, Phyllis Stemper of Fredonia, Thomas (Barbara) of Belgium, Francis (Patricia) of Hartford, James (Laneille) of Fredonia, and Betty Grant of Catersville, Ga.; many nieces and nephews; cousins; and other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Olive; and three brothers-in-law.

Funeral services were held at 12 Noon on Monday Jan. 29, 2007, at Redeemer Ev. Lutheran Church in Fond du Lac. The Rev. Fred Toppe officiated and inurnment will be at St. Matthew's Cemetery in Campbellsport at a later date.

Visitation was on Sunday, Jan. 28, 2007, at the Twohig Funeral Home, Fond du Lac and from 11 a.m. to the time of services on Monday at the church.

Memorials may be directed to Redeemer Lutheran Church or ManorCare Health Services.

Twohig Funeral Home, Fond du Lac, served the family.

RONALD H. CONRAD

Ronald H. Conrad, 74, of West Bend died on Saturday, Jan. 27, 2007 at the Kathy Hospice, town of Polk.

He was born on Dec. 4, 1932 in West Bend to the late Orrin W. and Lucy M. (nee Volz) Conrad.

Being a lifelong resident of West Bend, Ron attended local schools, graduating from West Bend High School.

While in high school, he worked at the former West Bend Canning Co. and Sager's Men's Apparel. He then began working at Amity Leather Products as a leather finisher, retiring after more than 45 years of employment.

Following his retirement from Amity, he kept busy working as a maintenance man at B.C. Ziegler and Co. and also Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School.

On June 30, 1972, Ron was united in marriage to Donna Newsom in Waukegan, Ill.


Donna predeceased March 30, 1991.

Ron was an avid fan of many different kinds and levels of sports. From high school to professional, from golfing to the Packers, sports were part of his life.

Ron was a charter member of the West Bend Lodge 1398 Loyal Order Of Moose, a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, the Washington County Historical Society, the West Bend Gallery of Fine Arts (now the Wisconsin Museum of Art), Lac Lawrann Conservancy and ARC-Washington County Chapter.


Survivors include four children, Dan (Carol) Schiller of Oskaloosa, Iowa, Linda (Tom) Henn of Navarino, Diana Boehlen of the town of Farmington and Lee "Thomas" (Susan) Schiller of West Bend; 13 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Marvin (Shirley) and Eugene, both of West Bend; a sister, Betty (Bill) Tiefentahler of Redlins, Calif.; other relatives and friends.

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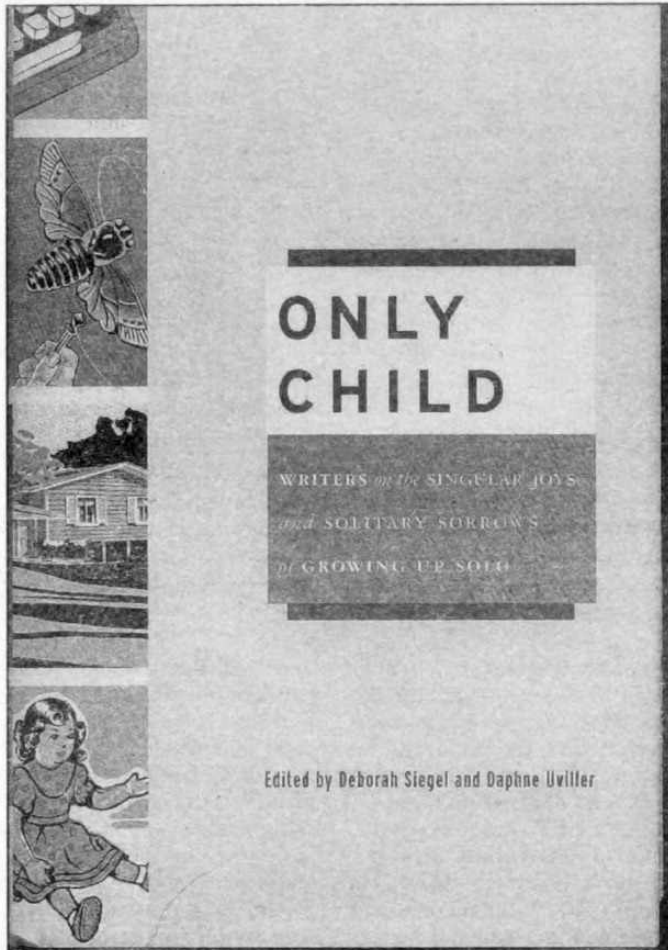


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ONLY CHILD

WRITERS on the SINGULAR JOYS
and SOLITARY SORROWS
of GROWING UP SOLO

Edited by Deborah Siegel and Daphne Uviller

"I'M TELLING MOM!!"

How many times a day did those words echo through the halls of your house when you were a kid? How many transgressions - real or imagined - were tearfully recounted to a not-so-sympathetic parent?

Oh.

So you say "none" because there was nobody to tattle on and nobody to tattle on you? You were an only kid. But did "only" necessarily mean "lonely" when you were growing up? For some onlies, it did. Others loved their singular status. Read more in "Only Child: Writers on the Singular Joys and Solitary Sorrows of Growing Up Solo", edited by Deborah Siegel and Daphne Uviller.

When writers Siegel and Uviller met for coffee one day, they began to discuss their only-child childhoods and were struck by the differences. Uviller realized that she loved being an only. She loved the undivided attention she got from adults, she loved the solitude of having her bedroom to herself, and, well, she just loved it all.

Siegel, on the other hand, wasn't comfortable with attention and she yearned for built-in playmates like her friends with siblings had. She dreamed of the day that her mother would announce an impending little brother or sister.

Intrigued, the two decided to ask only-child writers how they felt about their solitary status. This book was born.

So what was it like, being an only child? Almost all writers mention being asked that, and almost all say it was a silly question. How can you know anything about that which you never had? Still, many of them mention the desire - the need,

almost - to hang out with playmates with siblings, enjoying the raucousness. Most writers remember begging for a sister or brother; a surprising number dreamed of an older sibling. And now, as adults, many of them are looking ahead, wondering who will keep memories alive when those memory-makers are all gone.

Broken up basically into four sections, this book is helpful to onlies and to parents who are considering stopping at one child and it's interesting but very much on the repetitive side. I was disappointed that there weren't more chapters from people who enjoyed being onlies and fewer angst-ridden "what-if"s. I was initially touched by childish yens for siblings, but that quickly became "old". I wanted more from an adult perspective: how dating, marriage, and relationships might vary (particularly among only couples), how friendships are different than they were thirty years ago, what kinds of personal social issues might solitary childhood affect?

On the other hand, I was intrigued by stories from only-child parents who were considering having more children - or not - and I was fascinated by the few heart-wrenching chapters from adult onlies facing the future alone.

These last two segments make "Only Child" worth reading. Too bad there weren't enough like them.

If you're an only child or if you're considering naming your first child "Quits", then pick up "Only Child". If you've got sibs or more than one child yourself, this book will only be a waste of time.

OBITUARIES

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He was preceded in death by a brother, Jerry.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Jan. 30 at 7 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in West Bend, with Rev. David Schoob officiating.

Burial was Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. in Union Cemetery, West Bend.

Visitation was at the church only on Tuesday from 3 p.m. until the time of the services.

In lieu of flowers the family request memorials be made out to the family so they can donate to Ron's favorite charities, some of which will include Trinity Lutheran Church and Kettle Mo-

raine Lutheran High School.

The Schmidt Funeral Home of West Bend served the family.

RITA M. FECHTER

Rita M. Fechter, 70, of West Bend died on Sunday, Jan. 28, 2007 at the Samaritan Health Center.

She was born on Dec. 15, 1936 on the family homestead in the town of Trenton to the late Paul and Martha (nee Kultgen) Fechter.

For about 15 years, Rita was employed as an assembler at Doerr Electric in Cedarburg.

She lived in Newburg until becoming a resident at the Samaritan Health Center in April, 2003.

Survivors include three brothers, Paul Jr. (Eva) of Cedarburg, John (Karen) of West Bend and Donald (Shirley) of Campbellsport; nieces; nephews; other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Clement.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Wednesday, Jan. 31, at 6 p.m. at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Newburg, with Father Guy Gurath presiding.

Burial was Thursday at 10 a.m. in Holy Trinity Cemetery.

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

The Schmidt Funeral Home of West Bend served the family.



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25 Years Ago

January 29, 1982

An accident Monday morning between a Johnson school bus and a car, resulted in transportation of six children to the hospital. The accident occurred on Hickory Drive, just north of Highway 28, at 8:48 a.m., when a southbound car came over the crest of a hill and met the northbound bus. Both drivers applied their brakes, however, due to the large snowbanks on each side of the road, the left sides of the vehicles collided. The Washington County Sheriff's office stated the roadway was too narrow for both vehicles to pass each other. None of the injuries were serious.

The Kewaskum Historical Society, Inc. met in regular session on January 19 and held the election of officers for 1982. Re-elected for another term were Daniel Schmidt, President; Minerva Martin, Secretary; Sylvester Schmidt, Treasurer; and Marshal Reysen, Director. Newly elected was Michael Paul, Vice President. Lloyd Westerman is the retiring Vice President. Both Ronald Markus and Delores Kleinke are Directors and are finishing out their three-year terms. Rosie Westerman was appointed again as the Society's Sunshine Lady.

A daughter was born to Mark and Mary Steinhart, Kewaskum, on January 23. A son was born to Steven and Patricia Dye, Campbellsport, on January 24.

45 Years Ago

February 2, 1957

Another new business venture will be entered into and another new commercial building will be constructed in our continuously expanding commu-

nity of Kewaskum. This will be the seventh new business place to be built here within the past year or so, the others being the IGA Foodliner, H.J. Lay Lumber Company buildings, Hon-E-Kor Country Club, Wunderberg Ski Hill Chalet, Ollie's Texaco Service Station, and General Telephone Company office building. The newest building will be a modern, six-unit, one-story motel with accompanying office and residence to be constructed by Desmond (Des) Smith and his wife, the former Valeria Korable. It will be located just off Highway 45 at the south end of the Kewaskum hill.

The grand openings of the new Marx IGA Foodliner and new H.J. Lay Lumber Company January 24-27 were outstanding successes with crowds way beyond expectations attending the events.

In another business transaction completed this week, the former Marx IGA store building on Main Street was purchased from the owner, John Marx, by John "Jack" Jadro, owner of Jack's Appliance, which will be moved there from its present location in the Kewaskum theater building on Fond du Lac Avenue.

Upon the recommendation of the Kewaskum Fire Department, Armin Oppermann was approved as Chief of the Kewaskum Fire Department for a period of five years at the regular monthly session of the Village Board on January 8.

The operetta, "Gypsy Baron" will be held at Kewaskum High School on February 3. In lead roles are Mariel Seefeldt, Carolyn Maedke, Janet Volm, Ann Schaefer, Russell Wampler, Ed Ferber, Bill Mertz and Carol Schladweiler.

Carol Schladweiler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schladweiler, Route 1, Kewaskum, was named recipient of the DAR good citizenship award at Kewaskum High School.



We have been told this photo was taken about 60 years ago during a particularly harsh winter. We also were informed the photo shows Joe Miller and Frank Felix, we think they are the first two on the left. Can anyone identify the rest of the gentlemen, or explain WHY these guys posed with their shovels amidst all that snow? Or was this just a fun, random photo? If you can identify this group, give The Statesman a call at 262-626-2626, or drop a line to PO Box 98, Kewaskum, WI 53040.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alois Bremser, Route 2, Kewaskum, on January 25.

75 Years Ago

January 29, 1932

Damage estimated at about \$300 was caused by fire which broke out in the basement of the building of school district No. 11, Spring Valley, Town of Wayne, Monday morning. The Kewaskum Fire Department responded to the alarm and were instrumental in checking the fire so that no more serious damage was done. The fire started near the furnace pipe and worked its way through the walls between the studding. The school was in session at the time of the fire, but through the coolness of the teacher, Mrs. Edwin Ramthun, all pupils were quietly marched out of the building before they realized what was the trouble.

A fire alarm, coming from the home of Elmer Schaefer, about four miles southwest of

Kewaskum, shortly before midnight Tuesday, brought out the local fire department. A chimney caught fire and was out before the arrival of the department. No damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wittman of Kewaskum were at Oshkosh Wednesday where his brother, W.J. Wittman, returned after winning national honors with the speedy midget plane, Chief Oshkosh, which he built himself. He landed at the airport while whistles screamed a welcome.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Herman, Kewaskum, on Wednesday. Baby boys were also born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mayer and to Mr. and Mrs. George Keding, both of Wayne Center.

100 Years Ago

January 26, 1907

A.A. Perschbacher of Kewaskum had the misfortune of having three of his fingers

taken off while working on a planer in his shop last Tuesday morning. He was working some wood over a jointer when his hand slipped and got caught in the knives. The second joint and his little finger was smashed so badly that the doctor found it advisable to cut it off.

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A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jake Weinert of Kewaskum last Tuesday. A baby boy was also born to Mr. and Mrs. John Backhaus of Wayne on Wednesday.

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Dated this 29th day of January, 2007.

Jay Shambeau,
Administrator/Clerk
Village of Kewaskum
Washington County, Wisconsin
WNAXLP 2-1 & 2-15

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, February 5, 2007, at 7:00 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. WNAXLP

TOWN OF FARMINGTON MONTHLY TOWN MEETING

The Board of Supervisors of the Town of Farmington will meet on the first Tuesday each month, next meeting is, Feb. 6, 2007, at the Town Hall, 9422 Hwy. 144 in Boltonville at 7:00 P.M. to conduct its regular business and to consider such matters as are authorized by law.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

STATE OF WISCONSIN COUNTY OF WASHINGTON VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM

Public notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, that a Spring Election will be held in the Village of Kewaskum on the 20th day of February 2007.

Notice is further given that the election will be held at the usual polling place in the Municipal Building, 204 First Street, and that the polls will open 7:00 a.m. in the morning and will remain open until 8:00 p.m. in the evening.

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OPEN ENROLLMENT APPLICATION INFORMATION

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Under the full-time public school open enrollment program, parents must apply during the application period to the school district they wish their children to attend. Early and late applications are not accepted. Parents may submit applications to no more than three nonresident school districts for each child during the open enrollment application period. Submitting more than three applications to nonresident school districts will result in all applications being invalidated. Parents will be informed by April 6, 2007 whether their open enrollment applications have been approved or denied.

Transportation is the responsibility of the parent. However, some school districts may elect to provide partial transportation. Parents with questions about transportation should call both resident and nonresident school district offices to find out if any transportation will be provided. Reimbursement of some transportation costs is available for low-income parents whose children are eligible for free or reduced-price lunches under the federal school lunch program.

Most students who attended a nonresident school district under open enrollment last year are not required to reapply for the 2007-08 school year. However, if the student will be entering middle or high school in the 2007-08 school year, parents should call the nonresident school district to find out if reapplication will be required.

Parents may apply for their children to attend 4-year-old kindergarten under open enrollment only if the resident school district also offers a 4-year-old kindergarten program for which the child is eligible.

More information is available from the DPI's open enrollment Web site at www.dpi.gov/sms/psctoc.html or from Mary Jo Cleaver, DPI, 888-245-2732, or maryjo.cleaver@dpi.state.wi.us. 2-1-2t WNAXLP

Public Test Spring Primary Election, February 20, 2007

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

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Indian matmen have Campbellsport's number again

BY JUDY HARLOW
Statesman Correspondent

The outcome didn't have as much of an impact on the host team as it did on the visitors, but not much motivation is ever needed to get the wrestlers from Kewaskum and Campbellsport fired up for their annual encounter.

The CHS gymnasium was packed and electric Jan. 16 as the Indians and Cougars squared off, and it was the Indians, behind a fast start and a solid ending, coming away a 40-27 winner.

With the victory, Kewaskum improved to a perfect 6-0 in the Eastern Wisconsin Conference, while the Cougars dropped to 3-3.

"This is the third year in a row," KHS coach Dennis Aupperle said, referring to the Indians' run of wins over Campbellsport after a growth that stretched a couple decades.

Aupperle said he had been working extra hard with his charges on riding, and while the rides to cradles, were successful, he said, "I thought we looked pretty good on our feet today."

The draw to start at 103 pounds couldn't have been better for the winners, who jumped out to an 18-0 lead. Andrew Haugen was a forfeit winner at 103, then bang-bang, it was Calob Olla pinning Greg Blotz in 1:24 and Stephan "Bud" Kattar catching Tom Beck in a vice of a cradle and putting him away in 1:19.

"Calob came out and got us started," Aupperle said, adding, "Beck's been wrestling a while, and Kattar went out and had a good match against him and got that cradle in tight."

Kewaskum fans were ecstatic, but the lead disappeared after two Campbellsport pins and the KHS forfeit at 125.

And which team was going to take the lead after the 18-18 tie? With Mason Smith and Eric Ogi coming up, it was a good bet it would be the Indians, and the two seniors came through in grand style.

Smith came out very aggressive and quickly disposed of Neal Scannel. It was the third, first-period (1:21) pin by the Indians, and even though Ogi couldn't duplicate the time, he got a pin, which was his 102nd win and 21st of the season, over junior Mason Salm.

Salm actually looked in good position twice to score on Ogi, who rolled right through the head throw attempt to put Salm to his back.

Ogi's pin time was 3:09. "Mason's looking real good. He's really done a nice job the last few weeks," Aupperle said, and he didn't have to say much about Ogi, who is strong, disciplined and inspired to have an outstanding season.

Adding to the victory strong

was 152-pound Mike Pfothauer, who joined the team in mid-December and is starting to look very good. Using a tackle move perhaps he took from his excellent football season, Pfothauer started off with a quick 2-0 lead and never looked back, winning a 9-0 major decision over Todd Rosenstiel.

With a 34-18 lead, it was looking like the Indians were in command, but three straight decisions, by Wes Bangle at 160, Zach Wetzel at 171 and Billy Mayer at 189, the Cougars were still mathematically in the match.

Mayer squared off against arch rival, Jake Turowski in the headliner match of the night.

The Kewaskum athlete led until the final 34 seconds when Mayer was awarded a penalty point when the official deemed Turowski was stalling. Then Mayer used a double leg takedown for a 6-4 win.

"I think Billy has beaten him every time, but only by one or two points," CHS Coach Mark Peterson said. "Those two will tangle a few more times this year ... like Derek Toshner and (Mike) Farchione."

Farchione, who died in a car accident last year, lost to Toshner a couple times during the regular season, then beat him for the Division 2 state title.

Aupperle said Mayer has such an advantage with his long arms, "then he goes in for that double."

"Those two guys go at it.

Effort is much better in game vs. Plymouth

BY JUDY HARLOW
Statesman Correspondent

After the rather disastrous loss to Ozaukee, the Kewaskum High girls basketball team turned around two nights later and played very well, falling to Eastern Wisconsin Conference foe Plymouth by a score of 51-36.

"It was probably the best game we played all year," KHS coach Jeff Gosse said, but, "It was a game of misses ... missed opportunities ... missed layups and missed free throws," or it would have been even closer.

Kewaskum fell behind 20-2 but did well in the remaining 24 minutes of play.

The Indians' best quarter was the third when they scored 17 points, their high point total in one quarter for the whole season, in fact, Gosse went so far as to say, "It was probably the best for the least three years."

When it came to bright spots, Gosse liked the way his girls broke the Panthers' press and added, "We attacked the basket very well."

By going hard to the basket, the Indians drew foul after foul, but unfortunately had difficulty converting.

You never know what can happen there," he said.

Mayer lifted the Cougars to within seven points, 34-27, but P.J. Krueger and Tyler Swanson saw to it the host would not score another point. Krueger outpointed the veteran Brett Galligan, one of three CHS wrestlers honored during the team's annual Senior Night celebration, 5-1 and Swanson, again giving up quite a bit of weight, used a takedown early in the match toward a 2-0 effort.

Peterson admitted he didn't think his wrestlers at 119 and 140 would get pinned but added, "No excuses (about losing to Kewaskum). We're just a very young team."

Kewaskum 40, Campbellsport 27
103 Haugen by forfeit; 112 Olla pinned Blatz, 1:24; 119 Kattar pinned Beck, 1:19; 125 Nathan Seitz was pinned by Cody Wilch, 5:00; 130 KHS forfeits to Derrick Sippel; 135 Jeremy Parker was pinned by James Stukenberg, 1:57; 140 Smith pinned Scannel, 1:21; 145 Ogi pinned Slam, 3:01; 152 Pfothauer dec. Rosenstiel, 9-0; 160 Seibel was dec. by West Bengel 5-6; 171 Matt Buker was dec. by Zach Wetzel 2-6; 189 Turowski was dec. by Mayer, 6-4; 189 Krueger dec. Galligan, 5-1; Swanson dec. Justin Wilch 2-0.

Writer's note: Two of the Campbellsport wrestlers have Kewaskum ties. Tom Beck's dad, Steve, wrestled for Kewaskum in the late 1970s, and his mother, Donna (Lehmann), is also a KHS grad.

Mason Salm's mom, Darcel (Schmidt), also graduated for KHS where she was a wrestling cheerleader.

"We actually went to the line 24 times," the coach said, but I think we were one of nine in the first quarter." For the game, Kewaskum ended up making just seven out of the 24 attempts from the line.

The Indians did much better rebounding, especially on the offensive side of the court where they had 14. "That might be the most we've had all year," the coach said.

Nine Indians scored in the game, led by 5-foot-10 sophomore Kelsey Goetsch, who had seven. Lauren Hughes added six, and freshman Alyssa Miller, who has seen more playing time in recent games, also hit for six.

"She gave us a real spark," Gosse said about the 5-9 Miller. "When she plays, she gets Kelsey away from the basket where she's a lot more effective" with her good shooting.

Gosse also lauded the play of Hughes and said, "Kelsey did well but she has to shoot more. She had the hot hand and she only shot five times."

Alicia West wasn't shy about shooting for the Panthers, and she connected, too, scoring a game-high 19 points. With the win, Plymouth improved to 5-4 in the EWC, while Kewaskum's

Late flurry helps Falcons overtake Kewaskum wrestlers

BY JUDY HARLOW
Statesman Correspondent

Momentum took a roller coaster ride in the Kewaskum High gymnasium last Tuesday as the 6-0 Indians and 6-0 Sheboygan Falls wrestling teams met to determine which of the two would claim the 2006-07 Eastern Wisconsin Conference wrestling title.

First, it was the Falcons on top after two matches and two quick pins.

Then it was the Indians, behind veterans Eric Ogi, Mason Smith and Jake Turowski, and three of the underclassmen on the team, Cody Seibel, Matt Buker and P.J. Krueger, taking over the point lead, much to the delight of a highly energetic home crowd.

In the end, however, it was the power Sheboygan Falls has on the lighter end of its lineup that was the determining factor in the 42-25 decision in the Falcons' favor.

"We had some good matches, and some not-so-good matches," KHS coach Dennis Aupperle said after his team was denied a three-peat. (The Indians shared the title with Campbellsport and Plymouth in 2004, and held the title outright last year.) "They're tough in the lower weights. From one hundred and three through one thirty five, they are very solid."

No one could argue that fact. Falls polished off the title with a pin by Nathan Brown over Andrew Haugen in 3:50 at 103, an 18-6 major decision by Jordan Williams over Calob Olla at 112, a convincing 10-0 major decision by Josh Hammond over Stephen "Bud" Kattar at 119, and a pin in 1:36 by Tony Johnson over Nathan Seitz at 125.

Those 22 points helped wipe out a 25-15 lead after Krueger won a somewhat controversial match at 215 pounds.

The controversy began because the scoring table missed the second period, going right from the first to the third on the scoreboard on both ends of the gym.

Krueger, who looked like dynamite against Ian Ryan, was leading 11-0 at the end of the second buzzer and the official went to lift his arm in victory.

When the error was discovered, Aupperle said opposing coach Fred Brown argued the match was over. Had that been

record fell to 0-9 in the EWC and 0-15 overall.

Still, "We fought to the end," Gosse said.

The Lady Indians are at New Holstein on Friday night.

PLYMOUTH 20-13-13-5 — 51
KEWASKUM 2-8-17-8 — 35

Kewaskum: Droese 2, M. Rinzel 1, Wicklund 3, Hughes 6, Liniewski 2, Goetsch 7, Kison 4, S. Rinzel 4, Miller 6, 3-point goals—Wicklund, Goetsch. FTs—7x27. Fouls—10.
Plymouth: Grahn 7, Kulow 2, Perl 4, Rortvedt 14, West 19, Hansen 2, Bowe 2, Reil 1. 3-point goals—West 9/2, Grahn. FTs—4x5. Fouls—15.

the case, the Falcons would have given up just four points for a major decision.

Aupperle contended, and rightly so, the error was correctable and the match should go on, and Krueger had a chance for the pin and six points. After a five-minute debate, it did go on, and Krueger added four points to his total but could not pin Ryan.

Still, "P.J. looked good," Aupperle said of the big sophomore, who improved to 25-3 with the victory.

Kewaskum also expected a pin or at least a major decision at 189, but Turowski had trouble budging Collin Conklin and the score ended at 3-1.

"I was thinking he (Turowski) would beat him (Conklin) better," Aupperle said, stopping short of saying Conklin was hugging the mat as most of the Indian fans were convinced he was doing.

No one will have to say much to Turowski next week as he closes in on the 100-win mark, first with a match at West Bend East, then the EWC Tournament where Turowski hopes to end his long drought to Campbellsport's Billy Mayer.

Turowski, currently 22-4, said he now has 98 wins, "So it will be ninety nine probably against East. If I win that, then 100 will be the first match at conference," he said. "Mayer beat me last week, so he'll have the top seed. I should be the second seed, so I should have a winnable match."

Ogi moved to 24-2 after a convincing effort over Travis Meyer in 3:42. The only other Indian to post a pin was Buker, and it drew a thunderous ovation because the match was 2-2 early in the second period when he wiggled out of a precarious position to take Alex Schielke right to his back and got the pin in 2:39.

"He caught him (Schielke) with his head down and threw in a half," Aupperle said about Buker. "He's coming around. He's wrestling well. He's a tough kid."

Smith also looked very solid in a tight match with Dan Justinger. With his 3-2 decision, he moved to 18-9 for the year.

After Tuesday's match against East, the Indians will use a couple days to fine tune their skills in preparation for Saturday's (Feb. 3) EWC Tournament at Manitowoc Roncalli.

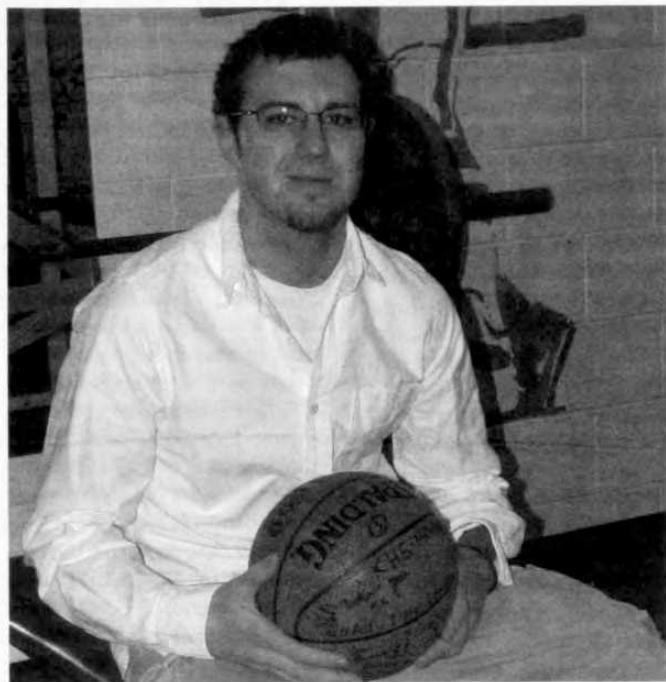
Sheboygan Falls 42, Kewaskum 25

130 Cassidy O' Handley was pinned by Ben Chappa, 1:20; 135 Jeremy Parker was pinned by Nick Jens, 2:12; 140 Ogi pinned Travis Meyer, 3:42; 145 Smith decided Dan Justinger 3-2; 152 Mike Pfothauer lost to Kyle Broetzman, 9-11; 160 Seibel dec. Max Fischer 7-1; 171 Buker pinned Alex Schielke, 2:39; 189 Turowski decided Conklin 3-1; 215 Krueger won by major decision over Ryan, 15-2; 285 Tyler Swanson lost to Zach Kattner by disqualification; 103 Haugen was pinned by Brown, 3:50; 112 Olla lost by tech fall to Jordan Williams, 6-21; 119 Kattar lost by major decision to Hammon, 0-10; 125 Seitz was pinned by Johnson, 1:46.

All Kewaskum wrestlers are listed first.

SPORTS

Parrent reaches new high in KHS basketball scoring



Matt Parrent recently broke the scoring record at KHS set by Travis Kempf. Statesman photo by Judy Harlow

BY JUDY HARLOW
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When Matt Parrent completes the baseball season in July, he will leave Kewaskum High School as probably the most decorated athlete ever to have competed in athletics there ... and as the first male athlete in the school's history to score 1,000 points in basketball.

Parrent, who already has three varsity letters and three all-Eastern Wisconsin Conference awards in football, will also have four letters and three all-EWC awards in basketball and four letters and three EWC honors in baseball.

Lost in the shuffle of the big three sports is track where Parrent did well for two years but passed up competing in the sport his junior year.

Back to basketball, Parrent, a 6-foot-4 post player who can battle with the big guys underneath the basket or drain the threes from beyond the arc, reached a major milestone in the sport on Jan. 4 against Kiel.

With his 17th point in that game, "Big Daddy" as he is affectionately referred to by Dave Rockhill, Kewaskum's entertaining basketball announcer, Parrent became the school's all-time leading scorer.

That point was Parrent's 874th, surpassing the mark of 873 set by Travis Kempf, who was a three-and-a-half year starter from 2000 to 2003.

And did Parrent know at the end of December and early January, he was drawing near the record? "No, actually I didn't," Parrent said last week, indicating, "My mom (Debbie) did."

Debbie Parrent knew her son had scored 249 points both his freshman and sophomore seasons and added another 293 last year. With Kempf's total posted on the KHS web site —

basketball is a little more complete than some of the other sports — it was easy to figure he needed just 78 points to eclipse that mark.

There was no announcement during the Kiel game, a thrilling overtime win in which Parrent scored 25 points, that any record had been broken. "I told a couple guys I broke it after the game, but not a lot of people knew," he said.

A special presentation was made several games later, however, when the Indians hosted Roncalli.

"They actually didn't tell me anything (about the presentation)," Parrent said. "They just presented me with a basketball. All the guys on the team signed it" along with coach Bannasch and all the assistants.

Parrent received a big ovation, then went on to turn in a spirited, 17-point effort against league-leading Roncalli. He also received a nice e-mail from Kempf congratulating him on the new record.

With those 17 points against the Jets, plus the seven he scored at Slinger and 14 in the Campbellsport game, Parrent's total now stands at 929, meaning he has just 71 to go to the coveted 1,000-point mark.

The ball is safely sitting in Parrent's bedroom while the family is looking for a case for it, but the likable senior still has designs on putting a little distance between Kempf's old mark and the total he will finally end up with.

Parrent's career in the sport began in fifth grade when he participated on one of the KYB (Kewaskum Youth Basketball) teams. His first coaches were Dean Scheel and John Breese.

And was Parrent a good scorer? "I think so, I was about five inches taller than everybody," he said, indicating when he was in eighth grade, his

coaches started bringing him outside to shoot the treys' Currently, Parrent has 12 of them this year, which is the second most on the team. Casey Scheel has the most with 17 in 58 attempts.

When he got to KHS, he immediately jumped up to the varsity, which had only a few upperclassmen who contributed. Parrent remembers well his first game.

"I remember it was at Whitefish Bay ... I scored eight or nine points. I was pretty nervous," Parrent said, quick to add, "I didn't want to do anything to upset the coach."

As it turns out, Parrent rarely upsets a coach. Quite the contrary, the coaches he's had are extremely complimentary in their assessments of his talents, work ethics and attitude.

"Matt is the hardest working guy I've ever been around. He's a definite leader. Every day he comes and practices hard," Bannasch said, indicating younger athletes should look to him for someone to emulate.

"He's a model student and athlete," the first-year coach said.

Jason Piittmann, who coached Parrent in football, said, "Matt is a very driven young man, a perfectionist. He does not accept mediocrity from himself nor his teammates. He pushes himself harder than anyone, to be a good example, to be a leader."

"Matt has those qualities in just about every aspect of his life that I have seen through four years with him at KHS," he said.

And baseball head man Dave Donath had this to say about Parrent. "When it comes to baseball, you wish you had nine kids like him," Donath said. "He has tremendous athletic talent and is very coachable."

Another big asset Parrent brings to a team is a great competitive spirit. "He hates to lose," Donath said.

Parrent believes they have all been instrumental in his development, and he thanks his parents, Rick and Debbie, for all their support. They were in attendance when their son was honored during the Roncalli game. Also there were Parrent's brother, Josh, and his girl friend Melissa and his sister, Jessica, and her boyfriend Matt.

Parrent's grandparents were also on hand. He calls his grandpa "a super fan."

Even though their record isn't the best this season, Parrent is convinced the Indians are better. "We're showing improvement, I think."

Looking ahead, Parrent is now focused on the century mark and on helping his team win some more Eastern Wisconsin Conference games.

"I think we can win at least three or four more," he said, indicating the Indians already

Short-handed Indians no match for Ozaukee

BY JUDY HARLOW
Statesman Correspondent

Height isn't everything in girls basketball. Kewaskum coach Jeff Gosse will attest to that after his Indians played against non-conference Ozaukee at Fredonia on Tuesday evening.

"They're a small team, but they play so well together. They shoot so well, and they communicate on defense," Gosse said about the Lady Warriors, who scored 39 points in the first half on their way to a 74 to 26 victory over Kewaskum.

Ozaukee has only lost once this year and has 12 wins to its credit, while the Indians dropped to 0-14.

"That was ugly," Gosse went on, reporting his team has been slowed by illness the last week, and, "We played without two starters."

The Indians scored 16 points in the first half but went scoreless for the first eight minutes after the break, falling far behind the hosts.

Sam Droese and Sara Lehnerz led the Indians with five points each. "Sara came off the bench and gave us a little spark in the fourth quarter,"

Gosse said.

Three of the Warriors, Kaitlyn Thill (14), Jen Huiras (17) and Kelsey Wallisch (16), combined for 47 of their team's points, and it was Wallisch, who was especially impressive, according to Gosse. He said it wasn't her height (5-foot-10) but her strength which hurt the Indians.

Players who have the bigger bodies create matchup problems for the Indians, according to Gosse, who said sophomore Heather Schaller turned in a nice effort for his team.

OZAUKEE 18-21-16-19 — 74
KEWASKUM 4-12-0-10 — 26
Kewaskum: Droese 5, Lauren Hughes 3, Kelsey Goetsch 2, Kison 2, Rinzel 4, Schaller 3, Lehnerz 5, Taylor 2. 3-point shots—Hughes, Lehnerz. FTs—6x10. Fouls—15.
Ozaukee: Thill 14, Huiras 17, Johnson 2, Paulus 5, Preisler 7, Bares 8, Lauters 5, Wallisch 16. 3-point goals—Thill (2). Fts—8x18. Fouls—13.

If you're never scared or embarrassed or hurt, it means you never take any chances.

—Julia Sorel

beat New Holstein and Kiel, while the game against Two Rivers was close the first time the two teams met.

Concerning next year, Parrent is considering Ripon College. "I'm thinking possibly Ripon to play baseball and bas-

ketball, if I can play both," he said.

Wherever Parrent goes, look for him to take aim at high personal and team goals and perhaps even some collegiate records.

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Santa Slam basketball camp held at KHS



Shown above are the participants of the Santa Slam basketball camp. Front row, left to right, Luke Hupfer, Liam Hupfer, John May, Charlie Witek, John Daley and Gavin Schreier. Row two: Bryn Polster, Almee Solheim, Mystic Schroeter, Elisabeth Held and Amy Daley. Row three: camp counselors (both days), Michelle Bohn, Anna Butler and Elissa Miller.

The second annual youth basketball camp, known as Santa Slam, was recently held at Kewaskum High School on Wednesday, December 27th and Thursday, December 28th. The two days (six hours) of stretching, instruction, skill development, competitions and games were conducted in the KHS fieldhouse for boys and girls ages five through 12. Only 11 area participants took advantage of this holiday season activity.

This activity is organized and sponsored by the Milwaukee Bucks, Varsity Gold and the Kewaskum High School girls

and boys basketball programs. Besides providing a ticket to a NBA game, the Milwaukee Bucks supplied NBA logo posters, calendars, pins, bracelets, water bottles, notebooks, folders, t-shirts and opportunities to purchase additional tickets at a reduced cost. Varsity Gold provided basketballs, t-shirts, certificates and awards for each camper in Santa Slam. Lower or adjustable baskets were also available.

The KHS basketball program provided the staffing for this annual (fundraiser) camp with the help of former head boys and girls basketball coach,

Glenn Eichstedt. Players assisting Coach Eichstedt were Michelle Bohn, Anna Butler, Elissa Miller, Candace Beine, Jenna Buker, Ashley Faber and Erica Rammer. Camp counselors were provided with an NBA ticket to a Milwaukee Bucks game, certificates, t-shirts and lunch.

On behalf of the NBA, the Milwaukee Bucks, Varsity Gold and the KHS basketball program, the organizers would like to thank all the participants involved in the second annual Santa Slam.

Lackluster effort hampers Indians

BY JUDY HARLOW
Statesman Correspondent

It wasn't the kind of effort coach Bobby Bannasch wanted, nor was it the effort he expected from his Kewaskum High boys basketball team Friday night.

Traveling to Plymouth to face an Eastern Wisconsin Conference rival, the Indians managed just four points in the first quarter and six in the third as they went down to defeat by a score of 55-37.

"We didn't come out with any energy, but they did, and they ended up taking it to us pretty good," Bannasch said Monday, reporting Matt Parrent and John Holt were the only two to score in the first quarter.

Still, the Indians were only down by four at the first buzzer and by seven at half-time, but any chances of victory were pretty well snuffed out right after the break.

"We came out in the third quarter and really had a let-down," Bannasch went on, explaining while the Indians were pretty ineffective on offense, Plymouth's center, Adam Doebert, was on a tear.

"He's a 6-foot-8 guy. He's very tough to stop when he gets down inside by the basketball. He played an excellent game."

Doebert, who was pretty much held in check by the Indians in their first meeting when he scored just two points, wound up with a game-high 20 points.

Mike Flood chipped in with an even dozen points, while Logan Dellger added nine.

Dellger was pretty much the star when the two teams met on Dec. 8 when the Pan-

thers came away with a 56-41 victory.

For Kewaskum, the lone player in double figures was Parrent. He hit ten points, including two in the first, third and fourth quarters and four in the second.

Next came Holt with seven, followed by junior James Wiedmeyer, who came off the bench in the final eight minutes to toss in a pair of long-range bombs for six points.

Kewaskum got to the free throw line just nine times, making five, while Plymouth made 18 of its points from the line, going 18x27.

With the loss, the Indians dropped to 2-6 in EWC play and 2-9 overall.

Concerning what he can do to get his team more focused for the remaining games in the conference schedule and the Division 2 playoffs, Bannasch said, "We're going to continue to work hard in practice ... offense is something I obviously have to work on. It's going to come down to execution."

Kewaskum hosts New Holstein tomorrow (Friday) night.

PLYMOUTH 8-16-21-10 - 55
KEWASKUM 4-13-6-14 - 37

Kewaskum: Dan Shea 2, Wiedmeyer 6, Casey Scheel 5, Holt 7, Dan Parker, Parrent 10. 3-point shots—Scheel, Parker, Wiedmeyer. FTs—5x9. Fouls—22.

Plymouth: Cl Comerford 3, Feick 2, Co Comerford 4, Rooker 3, Dellger 9, Horneckek 2, Flood 12, Doebert 20. 3-point goals—Flood (2). Dellger. FTs—18x27. Fouls—12.

What's money? A man is a success if he gets up in the morning and gets to bed at night and in between does what he wants to do.

-Bob Dylan

Kewaskum Youth Basketball results

6th Grade Boys

Head Coach - Jeff Bischoff

Game 1

Kewaskum - 43 Oakfield - 33

Game 2

Kewaskum - 41

North Fond du Lac - 21

Jacob Hardy scored a season high of 10 points.

6th Grade Girls - Green

Head Coach - Mike Miller

Game 1

Kewaskum - 18 Laconia - 6
Eve Amadon was money in the bank.

Game 2

Kewaskum - 20

North Fond du Lac - 11

Leah Martin rebounded well and took some good shots.

6th Grade Girls - White

Head Coach - Jim Herriges

No score called in.

5th Grade Boys

Head Coach - Dan Shay

Kewaskum - 22

North Fond du Lac - 34

5th Grade Girls - Green

Head Coach - Mike Hintz

Kewaskum - 16

Campbellsport - 6

Cassidy Enright scored 10 points.

5th Grade Girls - White

Head Coach - Katie Kurer

No score called in.

4th/5th Grade Boys

Head Coach - Todd Warnecke

No score called in.

4th Grade Girls

Head Coaches - Denise Stahl

and Kerrie Bohn

Kewaskum - 14

North Fond du Lac - 15

Rebecca Strigenz and Kayla Gaudynski played a good game.

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