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Emergency drill is useful learning tool at KES



The Village of Kewaskum and School District of Kewaskum held an emergency drill at Kewaskum Elementary School on Tuesday, March 10. School officials simulated a fire in a stairwell, then evacuated the building and called the fire department. Over 20 fire department personnel took part in the drill. Also taking part was the Kewaskum Police Department. The drill included one school employee and student being injured for which Kewaskum EMS was summoned. Shown above is Kewaskum Assistant Fire Chief Mark Herriges, front right, leading a group of firefighters through the school looking for victims. Students evacuated the school and went to Kewaskum High School where a number of parents simulated student pick-ups. A story will follow on what worked and what didn't in next week's edition.

Harlow, Gundrum honored through KHS Alumni Achievement award

By Mitch Maersch

Larry Gundrum left Kewaskum High School as a self-described average student 48 years ago. He returned this week as anything but.

The retired senior vice president of operations for North America for Kraft Foods graciously accepted one of two Alumni Achievement Awards. "It was both humbling and exciting," he said of hearing the news he was selected for the honor.

Gundrum said he graduated high school without a direction but with something more important.

"When I graduated, I didn't have a clear vision of where I was going ... but I had a good set of values," he

Those values - honesty, integrity, hard work - were instilled by his parents and reinforced at Kewaskum High School.

Gundrum grew up on a farm two miles west of Boltonville and two miles east of St. Michaels, the oldest of 11 children (10 were boys and all graduated from Kewaskum High). His farm experience drew him to science. Gundrum took all the classes the high school offered at the time biology and chemistry. He also joined FFA, then known as the Future Farmers of America.

Gundrum studied biology at the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater and earned a bachelor's degree. Kraft hired him as a food technologist in

1966 and he was quickly moved into management when his boss became ill. By 1969, he was national sanitation supervisor. A year later, he became plant superintendent and five years after that, plant manager.

"People saw some potential in me I didn't know I had," Gundrum

Gundrum was promoted 16 times and held 17 different positions with the company in his 35-year career. That included a two-year stint living in Germany and Switzerland as director of operations.

When he retired, he was senior vice president of operations for North America, in charge of 18,000 employ-

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Schools say 'auf Wiedersehen' to German, Spanish will be focus

By Mitch Maersch

Kewaskum schools will be phasing out teaching German in middle and high school in favor of teaching Spanish in all 12 grades.

The Board of Education on Monday evening unanimously approved adding two Spanish teachers to elementary schools. One may be added at the middle school as well, depending on funding.

"We definitely have room in our budget for the two (elementary) Spanish teachers for next year," said Superintendent Michael Krumm.

German won't be taught at the middle school next year. The high school will offer German 2, 3 and 4 but not German 1. The following year it will offer German 3 and 4, and the year after just German 4.

Krumm said that phasing out allows high school students who started studying German the opportunity to finish it, at least at the high school level.

We're honoring the kids we have," he said.

Krumm called Spanish "essentially the second language in the and said research shows the best time to teach foreign language is in elementary school.

Krumm said 15 percent of households in the country speak Spanish while less than 2/10ths of 1 percent speak German.

The school district does not have the means to offer two languages, Krumm said. Now, middle school students are taught some Spanish and some German, but nothing in depth. Krumm wants students to be fluent in a second language, not just familiar with one or two.

"We would rather do one language well," he said.

No school districts in the surrounding area offer Spanish at the elementary level, he said.

The high school German teacher is certified in English and will be making the switch as German phases out, Krumm said.

Hiring a middle school Spanish teacher depends on the amount of leftover money from what is spent on facilities and how much dough Kewaskum could get through the federal government's stimulus package, Krumm said.

On the Record

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SMITH -- A daughter, Jacie Christine, was born to Jennifer and Pete Smith of West Bend on February 24, 2009 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Jacie weighed 10 pounds, five ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long.

DEXTER -- A son, Layton Edward, was born to Abby and Clinton Dexter of Farmington on February 24, 2009 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Layton weighed eight pounds, one ounce and was 20 1/4 inches

VOLESKY -- A daughter, Malia Lynn, was born to Lois and Josh Volesky of Kewaskum on February 25, 2009 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Malia weighed seven pounds, three ounces and was 20 inches long.

BLODGETT -- A daughter, Janice Marie, was born to Vicki Theusch and Dave Blodgett of West Bend on March 1, 2009 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Janice weighed four pounds, 13 ounces and was 18 1/2 inches long.

MOWRY -- A son, Thomas David, was born to Sarah (Theisen) and David Mowry of Campbellsport on February 28, 2009 at St. Agnes Hospital, Fond du Lac.

ELLIOTT -- A son, Dylan Michael, was born to Mallory Zimdahl and Ryan Elliott of Campbellsport on March 1,

2009 at St. Agnes Hospital, Fond du Lac.

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Wednesday, March 18 --Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, Harvard beets, whole wheat bread, apple cobbler. Alt: applesauce.

Thursday, March 19 --Roast pork, sweet potatoes, asparagus tips, multigrain bread, cheesecake with fruit topping. Alt: pears.

Public Health Nurse every first and third Thur., 9-11:30

CAMPBELLSPORT MEALSITE MENU

Campbellsport Community Center 920-533-8351 x1216

Wednesday, March 18 -Chicken breast, mashed potatoes, baby carrots, cranberry relish, cinnamon roll.

CAMPBELLSPORT SPORTSMENS CLUB Winter League 3/1/09

Division 1: Auburn Bluffs 2,1-2; Dundee Sand & Gravel 1, 8-5; Swede's, 6-6-1; Spectrum Electric, 6-6; Swedes 2, 5-7-1; Fillmore Trap, 4-9; Shlufty's,

Division 2: Amerahn, 8-5; Flying Eagles Cycles, 7-5-1; Auburn Bluffs 1, 7-6; On-Target Surveying, 7-6; Bahr Time 2, 5-7-1; Kons Escavating, 5-8; Bahr Time, 4-8-1.

Division 3: RDK Construction, 9-4; Dundee Sand & Gravel 2, 9-4; Steve's Country Cabinets, 7-4-2; Gerlach Trucking, 7-5-1; Flasch Excavating, 5-8; CC's, 4-9; Culleys, 2-11.

Each friend represents a world in us, a world possibly not born until they arrive, and it is only by this meeting that a new world is born.

-Anais Nin

Washington County's

Most Wanted

The Washington County Sheriff's Department is seeking:

Name: Elbert Earl Pope

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Race: Black

Height: 6'02" Weight: 280

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Sex: Male

Rescue

On March 2, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a per-

transport was made. On March 3, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the Town of Auburn for a person that needed to be transported.

son with chest pressure.

On March 5, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with flu like symptoms. A transport was made.

Municipal

Meetings

MONDAY, MARCH 16

Board - Town Hall, 9019 Kettle Mo-

raine Drive, 7 p.m.

Village Board - Council Room,

Town of Kewaskum Town

On March 6, Kewaskum

Rescue and Boltonville First Responders were dispatched to the Town of Farmington for a person that fell. No transport was made.

On March 6, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched in the Village of Kewaskum for a person with hypertension. A transport was made.

On March 6, Kewaskum Rescue was dispatched to the Town of Kewaskum for a person with a possible femur fracture. A transport was made.

Five handed winners on March 3 were: Jerry Wiedmeyer, 69-9-60, 21-5-16; Gladys Tackes, 61-3-58, 17-2-15; Nick Martinez, 56-4-52, 23-2-21; Raymond Kirchner, 53-1-52, 15-1-14; Raymond Sippel, 54-3-51, 20-2-18; Ralph Stern, 56-6-50, 19-3-16; Leroy Jaeger, 22 most losses; Delores Mielke, 9 low points.

The next 5 handed call an ace will be March 17 at 7:30 p.m. sharp. Cash prizes, bring your own drink. New players always welcome, bring a friend. Kewaskum Labor Center.

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New members are always welcome. Cards are played from 8:30-11:15 am every Wednesday.





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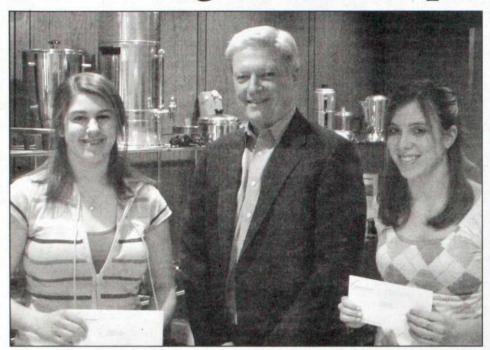
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POSTMASTER -

Regal Ware awards annual KHS Reigle Scholarship



Jeffrey Reigle, President and CEO of Regal Ware, Inc., center, is shown with the recipients of the annual J.O. Reigle scholarship that is given annually to two KHS students. Recipients Sara Lehnerz, left, and Danielle Fleischman, right, are pictured with Reigle.

Submitted photo

Danielle Fleischman and Sara Lehnerz have been named recipients of J.O. Reigle Scholarships for 2009. Regal Ware's scholarship program was estab-lished in 1963 in honor of the housewares firm's founder, the late J.O. Reigle.

The award recognizes the outstanding scholastic achievements of one or more graduat-ing seniors at Kewaskum High School, and is designed to assist the recipients in their pursuit of a college education.

Danielle, daughter of Anthony and Christine Fleischman of Kewaskum, will attend UW-Madison this Fall to study Animal Science, with the ultimate goal of becoming a veterinarian. She has worked with a local veterinary clinic as part of Kewaskum High School's school-to-work program. Additionally, she has participated

Cheesewurst

in Band, Spanish Club, Spanish Travelers, Student Government, National Honor Society, and the spring play during her

high school career. Sara is the daughter of Paul and Lori (Marx) Lehnerz of Kewaskum. Her activities at Kewaskum High School in-clude basketball, volleyball, National Honor Society, Spanish Club, Student Government, and Freshman Mentoring. She is involved with Youth Outreach through her church, and works part-time as a cashier at a local grocery store. She will study Middle/Elementary Education at Marian College in Fond du

To be eligible for the \$18,000 J.O. Reigle Scholarship a student must have attended Kewaskum High School for at least the previous two years, and maintained at least a "B" average for the first

31/2 years of high school. Each student will receive \$4,500 per year for each of their four-year college programs.

Veterans may be able to earn KHS diplomas

Kewaskum High School seeking American veterans who left Kewaskum High School to fight a war. Administration would like to honor these vets with their diploma.

In times of war, many young men left high school to fight for our freedom. Upon their return to Wisconsin, they did not return to school. They either helped their family with rebuilding after the war or they felt they were to old to return to high school. In either case, they never formally graduated high school.

If you know of a veteran who originally attended School, Kewaskum High please call Michelle Krueger at 262-626-8427, ext. 4125 with the veteran's name and contact information.

"Our hope is to honor these veterans this spring," stated KHS Principal Christine Horbas

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Dr. Pifel's professional interests include treating endocrine disorders such as diabetes mellitus, thyroid and calcium disorders, metabolic bone disease and menstrual disorders.

Dr. Pifel received her medical degree, completed her residency in internal medicine and fellowship in endocrinology from The Medical College of Wisconsin. She is board-certified in internal medicine and endocrinology, diabetes and metabolism.

The addition of Dr. Pifel enhances West Bend Clinic's comprehensive diabetes program, and offers an additional layer of care to support endocrine patients in managing their disease and limiting future complications.

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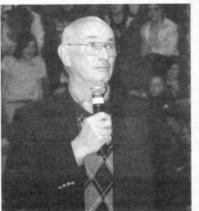
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Larry Gundrum addresses students at KHS on Monday.

ees at 104 plants in Canada, Mexico and the U.S.

During his career, Gundrum stayed involved with FFA through the FFA Foundation Sponsors Board, the major fundraising arm of the organization. In 2001, he served as president and helped raise more than \$8 million, then a record.

Gundrum has lived in Libertyville, Ill., the past several years - commuting distance to Kraft's headquarters in Northfield - with his wife. The couple have four grown children and nine grandchildren. Gundrum volunteers at church, works with the homeless and hungry in his community, and travels and skis.

Gundrum's high school class of 1961 was the first to go through the

"new" high school for all four years. He accepted his award in the new Rose Library named for his principal. He played football and was taught chemistry by Ernie Mitchell, the school's first athletic director, after whom the

football field and track are named. Gundrum said he has gratitude for his old teachers.

"I didn't realize it at the time, they did help me a great deal," he said.

Upon returning to school, Gundrum noticed the improvements in technical education - the electronics and robotics.

"I'm very impressed," he said.

In a talk to students Monday, Gundrum used his story as an average student who lacked direction leaving high school.

"If my experience can serve as an example and inspiration for students, that's a nice way to give back," he said.

The reason Chad Harlow couldn't make it back to his high school to accept his Alumni Achievement Award in person provides an inkling to why he was chosen for the honor.

Harlow was working a fundraiser in New York City with Susan Lucci and other stars from ABC daytime TV.

Parents Joe and Judy Harlow accepted on the actor's behalf.

Chad is the youngest recipient of the award so far.

"There's a lot of deserving people in Kewaskum," Judy said.

Chad has performed in every state except Hawaii, his mom said. The 1993 graduate recently hit a milestone by



Judy Harlow addresses students at KHS on Monday for her son Chad Harlow.

joining the actors union.

"So he has an agent," Judy said.

Earning a living in live theater doesn't carry the lavish lifestyle of stereotypical actors, however. It's more of a feast or famine schedule.

Last year, Chad passed on some smaller roles early in the year in favor of leads and got discouraged when work was slow for a few months.

In May, he got a call to be in a movie, "When in Rome," a takeoff on 1954's "Three Coins in a Fountain." The movie has a scheduled August release.

"He got done with that at 4 o'clock in the morning or 5, went to the train station," Judy said.

It was off to the Catskills to perform in "Of Thee I Sing." Then it was off to Philadelphia for more work.

After not working for a few months, Chad's schedule was jammed from May through December, Judy said. In Kewaskum, Chad performed under longtime choir and musical director Dave Bertelsen. University of Wisconsin-Washington County play director Brad Ford steered him to Stevens Point, a strong acting school. Chad earned a degree in musical theater/dance.

While working on "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat," Chad met a lady who had a three-bedroom place in New York City who said she would give him a place to stay.

Chad went to New York and never left. He still lives in the apartment on the north end of Manhattan.

The woman has gone on to marry and have children, and appear in "Law and Order Special Victims Unit."

Judy said Chad received key help along the way, mentioning Bertselsen, Ford and elementary school music teacher Terry Christie. Though her schedule was full, she squeezed in Chad for private piano lessons.

"She just was real supportive of everything," Judy said.

The live theater business has its highs and lows like any other career, she said.

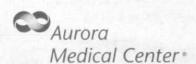
"You're never going to be rich," she aid.

"But he's doing something he loves," said Joe.

Chad's career is in stark contrast to his parents' interests. Joe was a longtime teacher and football and golf coach, Judy a longtime sportswriter for two area newspapers.

"This opened up a brand new door for us," Judy said in accepting the award for Chad. "We appreciate that the arts are being recognized."



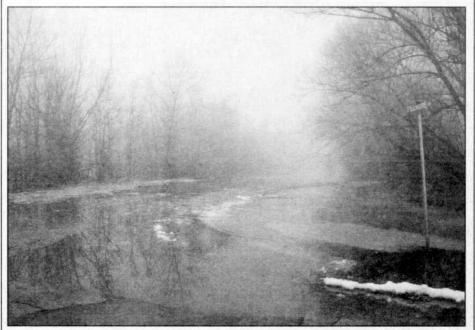


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Farmington's Jay Road CLOSED



Known for it's water problems and taking into account the recent rainfall and snow melting many residents of Farmington know to take a different route when it comes to driving Jay Road. However, due to safety concerns, Town Chairman Gary Schreiber announced the road will be closed to traffic effective immediately as a safety precaution. Schreiber explained the town will close the road at Camp Awana Road and Highway XX. Signs indicating high water and the road's closure have been stolen in the past, but Schreiber reminds those thinking about taking a sign to reconsider. The Washington County Sheriff's Department will be paying special attention to the area and anyone caught attempting to steal a sign will be prosecuted. Charges of endangering safety could also be considered due to the extreme safety issue with traveling on the road. Schreiber did not know when the road would be re-opened.

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Entrepreneurs find support and help in Southeastern Wisconsin

MILWAUKEE- According to survey findings released by the Ewing Marion Kaufmann Foundation, Americans see entrepreneurship as the answer to the current financial crisis – but worries about the economy are deterring them from taking the first steps on that path.

BizStarts Milwaukee in coordination with UW-Mil-waukee's Small Business Development Center is offering a 10 week program called Tech-VentureTM starting April 1st to help entrepreneurs strengthen their ideas & take some of the worry out of starting a business.

The program uses a Kauffman Foundation ten week curriculum supported by experienced instructors, expert guest speakers, and individualized support. And entrepreneurs also get connected to a network of resources. Participants walk away with a detailed business plan, executive summary presentation, and a strong understanding of how to finance their company.

The program is open to early-stage entrepreneurs who are developing growth concepts that need external funding. A Wisconsin Department of Commerce grant is available to cover 75% of tuition costs. Interested Entrepreneurs should contact, Chelsea Krause at 414-510-7294 for an application or visit their web-

site at www.bizstartsmilwaukee.com

BizStarts Milwaukee Inc., is a non-profit dedicated to creating a strong entrepreneurial climate in Southeast Wisconsin. BizStarts Milwaukee, Inc. is located at 10437 Innovation Drive, Milwaukee, WI.

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Grothman speaks on Indian mascot issue

By Glenn Grothman Sepator 20th District

While I've been spending most of my time on Wisconsin's current fiscal crisis, some Wisconsin legislators--almost all of the type who are quick to spend your tax dollars-- are trying one more time to force local school districts to change their nicknames if they could be deemed offensive to Native Americans. (Interestingly, I've recently met with several Native Americans on unrelated matters, and they refer to themselves as "Indians.")

This bill is a waste of time but is also wrong in a variety of ways. First, it is built on a lie and therefore an insult to our ancestors. The agitators who push this bill imply that the reason schools adopted Indian nicknames was to insult or demean Indians. Of course this is not true.

schools. Some Kewaskum, chose the name Indian to honor a specific tribe of an individual-in this case, Chief Kewaskum. Such schools probably spend more time than most in educating students about the Native Americans who lived in Wisconsin prior to the European migration. Other schools just choose the names Indian. Warrior, or Chieftans because they invoke general images of courage, independence, and nobility.

The second lie is that Native Americans find the name Indian objectionable. A Harris Poll done seven years

ago shows that 75-percent of Indians do not find these nicknames contribute to discrimination. This is pretty impressive in that the popular culture and the intelligentsia keep telling Indians they should be offended. Not surprisingly, this shows the av-erage Indian has more common sense than the average NCAA board member (which has tried to ban Indian nicknames). Over twice as many Indians (and 12 times as many Americans in general) like ethnic nicknames than dislike them (Celtics, Flying Dutchman, etc.) More Indians like the Tomahawk Chop (of the Atlanta Braves) than dislike it.

Finally, there would be a small cost to school districts. Whether new uniforms or legal fees paid to go through a process set up to appeal a department of public instruction decision, this would take money from school districts who claim they are short of funds.

In short, this bill insults our ancestors. It gives preference to a few angry Native Americans as to opposed to the more common sense of the majority.

As a member of the Senate Education Committee, I will vote against the bill and try to get the bill's authors Representative James Soletski (D-Green Bay) and Senator Spencer Coggs (D-Milwaukee) to focus on improving education in the state.



Business News

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Kettle Moraine Appliance moves for bigger, modern



"The

"They can actually get their hands on and feel how the actual machine will work in their house," Otten said.

K.M. Appliance will have their official grand opening March 26-28. They will be giving away gift certificates, a personal vending machine, a TV and offer complimentary food and beverages each day.

Otten assured customers would not be pressured into buying anything during the grand opening. He explained he wants people to come in and be able to see the new expanded store's offerings.

"You buy from us, you are-

ABOVE: The view inside Kettle Moraine Appliance & TV's new location on Highway D in the Town of Barton. The store was formerly located on Highway 144. It recently opened after an extensive remodeling project of what was F&I Equipment for many years. RIGHT: A view of the home theater department at Kettle Moraine Appliance & TV.

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By Patrick Neumuth

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TOWN of BARTON- Expanding a business is always a goal. It is a lot tougher during these economic times, but Jim Otten, owner of Kettle Moraine Appliance & TV, has opened the doors to a new and bigger store.

"For growth. Just to get bigger. More displays and a couple more product lines," Otten said about the need for a bigger store.

The new store is 17,000 square feet, 5,000 square feet more than the original store.

K.M. Appliance now carries the Electrolux line. Otten said Electrolux is a European made, high end line product.

The economy has impacted K.M. Appliance, but Otten has adapted his business accordingly.

"Instead of if they had 10-year-old appliances and the stove would go out, five years ago they would replace the whole kitchen," Otten said. "Now they are replacing individual pieces."

Customers will get a better discount for purchasing a whole new set of kitchen appliances, but Otten said his salespeople would never try to sell something the customer does not want or need.

Otten said the new store has an actual parts department for the do-it-yourself crowd. He explained their parts sales have climbed substantially during the recent downward spiral in the economy.

The home theater area has also expanded with the new store. Otten said they started carrying a complete line of home theater products about four years ago. This was one area he thought needed to expand. K.M. Appliance exclusively sells LG electronic

products and has a number of items in stock, but customers can special order any product they want.

Otten said buying a new appliance now might save money in the future. Customers can see the savings on their electric bill.

"A standard house with say, a family of four, by buying a front load washer and dryer can save between \$300 and \$400 a year," Otten remarked. "Their savings come in using half the water and half the detergent. The front load washers spin the water out better, so they dry faster.

"A lot of people will come

in and ask for the cheapest washing machine or least expensive washer. Well, it ain't necessarily the \$350 washing machine, it's probably the \$699 front loader because of the amount that they will save."

K.M. Appliance offers a 12-month free financing package on all appliances and electronics.

Something new for customers is the live displays. Otten said customers can come in and see first hand how each appliance functions and they can listen to hear how quiet

taken care of from the sales, delivery, through service," Otten said about what separates his business from competitors. "The service end of it is why you should buy from us. We service what we sell."

Otten said the new location off a U.S. Highway, was another perk for expanding. K.M. Appliance is located a mile off Highway 45 heading east off of the exit for County Road D. For more information about KM Appliance call (262) 334-1906.

Ramthun earns top producer awards from Catholic Knights Insurance

For the second consecutive month, Kathie Ramthun of Kewaskum was the leading agent for the Fond du Lac Catholic Knights Agency in sales. Ramthun has been with

Ramthun has been with Catholic Knights for 19 years. Catholic Knights is a not-forprofit, member-owned organization. Catholic Knights has been assisting Catholics for more than 124 years, offering a wide range of valuable membership benefits, social and charitable activities, and strong financial products and services.

Ramthun was also recognized for outstanding sales and at the Catholic Knights Sales Awards Celebration held January 24 at the Sheraton Milwauke

Sheraton Milwaukee Kathie Ramthun Brookfield Hotel in Brookfield.

Ramthun received the Eagle Award, which is presented to a representative that recommends a new financial services representative. In addition, she received the New Member Growth Award for bringing 62 new members to Catholic Knights and the 100 Lives Club Award for writing 101 new applications for life insurance certificates.

Each year, Catholic Knights members help to raise nearly \$1 million in support of parishes, school and communities.

For more information about Catholic Knights and its products and services, call Ramthun at 262-626-2869, or visit www. catholicknights.org.



Centenarian Sisters honored at Convent





Sister Elka Becker recently turned 105.

CAMPBELLSPORT - Just recently St. Joseph Convent, Campbellsport celebrated two centenarians, Sister Vitalis Koester, 104 years old and Sister Elka Becker, 105 years old.

Sister Vitalis was born in Earling, Iowa. In 1923 Sister started her ministry of teaching at various schools in the Chicago land area; and in 1934 Sister began a long service at Alvernia High School in Chicago. She taught various subjects, served as attendance clerk and enjoyed a very active second career as Alumnae Director. Even when she moved into retirement at St. Priscilla Convent, Chicago,

her activity with alumnae continued. Coming to Campbellsport in 2005, she still welcomes visits from those she served.

Sister Vitalis attends daily Mass and various activities.

She is rarely found without her Word Search book, avidly pursuing this hobby.

Sister Elka was born in Howells, Nebraska.

In 1920 Sister started her long ministry of teaching in various schools in Illinois and Wisconsin. Then in 1946 she was sent to her home state of Nebraska to teach, spending over forty years in Omaha. In 1988 Sister returned to Wisconsin and performed various duties in active retirement at Marian Hall, Milwaukee. In 1997 Sister Elka decided to retire to St. Joseph Convent in Campbellsport, Wisconsin, where she has been a "senior" member.

While her physical activity is limited, S. Elka is anything but passive. Any time a Sister passes S. Elka's door, she usually finds Sister deep in prayer. Sister also attends daily Mass and various activities with the sisters. Sister loves visitors and at her recent birthday party, responded to each song sung for her with a very appropriate comment.

Two-year-old fighting leukemia



Bella Mommaerts, 2, was diagnosed with Leukemia just before Christmas. Her mother, Maureen (Leitheiser) Mommaerts and family are originally from Kewaskum. Bella currently lives in Green Bay with her parents and brothers Zach and Benjamin.

Bella's family has set up a fund at Glacier Hills Credit Union to help with medical bills. Checks can be made out to Isabella Mommaerts and sent to 2150 S. Main Street, West Bend, WI 53095

The Mommaerts' have a website set up to let everyone know how things are going at www.caringbridge.org/visit/bellamommaerts

Tell Us About It!

As our community continues to grow, so do the stories of people who have tales to tell. Perhaps it's an unusual occupation or hobby, a new business venture, or someone whose service to others too often goes unnoticed.

If you fit into any of the above categories or know of someone who does, The Statesman would like to hear about it. Our feature stories function as a means to get to know each other better and that is what your community newspaper is all about.

Please call us with any suggestions you might have.

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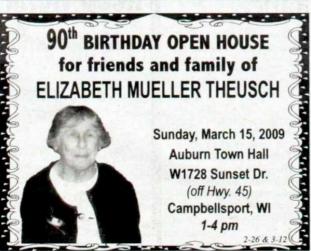
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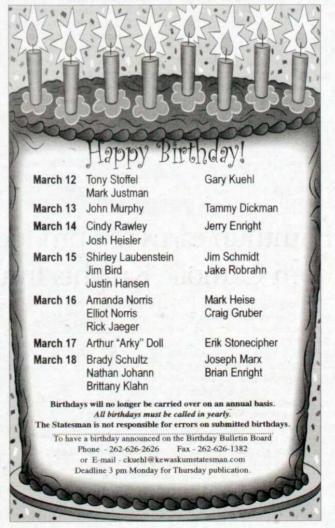
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Adrift in Macao at UWWC



The cast of Adrift in Macao, left to right, Amanda Gresch, Christophe Jenkins, Halie Becker, Kristofer Holly, Andrew Helman and Missy de Ireuste. Missing from photo is Amanda Spreeman.

WEST BEND -IIW-Washington County's Theatre on the Hill will take its' audience to China - back in 1952. Everyone that comes to Macao, (pronounced mah-cow) is waiting for something - yet none of them know exactly what that is. Fortunately, they all hang around to find out. Adrift in Macao spins the tale of five quirky characters stranded in this Casablancatype locale in the Far East. The musical comedy will be performed Friday, March 13 and Saturday, March 14 at 7:30pm and Sunday, March 15 at 1:30pm in the campus theatre, located on the second level of the campus at 400 University Drive, West Bend.

The cast of seven includes four UW-Washington County students: Andrew Helman of West Bend as Rick Shaw (the cynical Surf and Turf Nightclub and Gambling Casino owner); Christophe Jenkins of West Bend as Mitch (an American who is framed for murder); Halie Becker of West Bend as Jo; and Amanda Gresch of Fredonia as Daisy.

The remaining cast members include: Amanda Spreeman of West Bend as Lureena (a shapely blonde who finds herself alone and broke in a foreign city); Kristofer Holly of West Bend as Tempura (Rick's Chinese employee who has been "battered by life"); and Missy 'de Ireuste of Cedarburg as Corinna (a tough little gal who gets the boot when Lureena vamps her way into Rick's heart).

UW-WC Communications and Theatre Professor Brad Ford will produce and direct the one-act musical. Assistant director is Lisa Rowe of West Bend. Vocal director is Deanna Gibeau of West Bend and choreographer is Lisa Schnabel of West Bend. Musical coordinator is Tom Utschig who also plays the drums. Other band members include James Kishline (bass), Scott Currier (synthesizer).

Jason Goldsmith (reed) and Deanna Gibeau (piano). The stage manager is Amy Kottke and the production crew includes: Halie Becker, Rebecca Frank, Amanda Gresch, Andrew Helman, Kris Holly, Dan Koenings, Katie Kottke, Keith Lester, Lisa Rowe, Ginger Starr, Diane Thomas, Jesse Wulf. The lighting designer is Kurt Schnabel and the lighting operator is Katherine Smith.

The book and lyrics were written by celebrated playwright, Christopher Durang, with music composed by Peter Melnick. The story can best be described as fun, and opens with the glamorous band singer, Lureena coming to the city of Macao in search of a job. Lureena stands on a street corner and tries to hail a driver: "Rickshaw! Rickshaw!" Out of the darkness, a tough-looking stranger ap-"Hello," he says, Rick Shaw." Later, Rick Shaw hires Lureena to sing at his nightclub. This sort of silliness along with a playful melodic score provides the framework for the play that is built on laughs more than plot and character.

According to The New York Times review: "The dames are sheathed in satin and attitude, the guys have secrets to spare, and the gags come slathered in soy sauce." Theatre Mania describes it as a "very appealing and surprisingly old-fashioned musical

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240 Main St. Kewaskum 262-626-1382 comedy." The musical numbers will have you humming on your way out, and include "Ticky Ticky Tocky," "Mister McGuffin," and "Mambo Malaysian."

For ticket sales, phone the main office at 262-335-5208 (Monday through Friday 8am-4:30pm). Tickets are \$12 adults and \$9 for seniors (over 62) or youth (under 18). It is perfectly appropriate to bring older children to the production. They won't understand all the jokes, but like their parents, should find the musical comedy a fun diversion.

UW-Washington County is located at 400 University Drive in West Bend. The theatre is located on the second floor. Free parking is available.

Monte Carlo benefit night March 26

The second annual Monte Carlo Casino Night will be held on Thursday, March 26 at the Prairie Conference Center lo-cated at West Bend Mutual Insurance Company, the event will benefit the Alyce and Elmore Kraemer Cancer Care Center. Monte Carlo guests will enjoy an evening filled with a bountiful array of food stations and delectable desserts from local restaurants and vendors. Each ticket includes complimentary beer, wine and soda and \$300 in fun money to play blackjack, craps, roulette and Texas Hold'em Poker. In addition, there will be silent and live auctions throughout the night.

The Alyce and Elmore Kraemer Cancer Care Center is operated by St. Joseph's Hospital and is the only comprehensive cancer care center in Washington County. The center offers state-of-the-art technology and offers chemotherapy and radiation therapy for all kinds of cancer. With over 10,000 patient visits annually, this center fills a need for patients to be able to stay in their community, near their families, while receiving cancer care treatments.

"Proceeds from Monte Carlo Casino Night will help with the purchase of a new immobilization system used during radiation therapy at the cancer center", said Bill Tustin, Director of Oncology Services. Radiation therapy is precise and requires that the patient not move during treatment. This system will allow for accurate treatment with a higher level of care, while ensuring patients' comfort.

"Last year's casino night brought in more than 200 people and raised \$40,000 to benefit the Women's Breast Care Program at St. Joseph's Hospital. This year, we hope to increase our success and assist the cancer care center", said John Wundrock, Monte Carlo Casino Night Chair.

Casino Night Chair.

Tickets are available for \$75 each (\$25 of each ticket is tax deductible) and are available at the sponsor locations: West Bend Mutual Insurance Prairie Center, St. Joseph's Hospital lobby, West Bend Clinic, M & I Bank, Jeff's Spirits on Main, WBKV/WBWI Radio, or contact the St. Joseph's Community Foundation at 262-334-8254.



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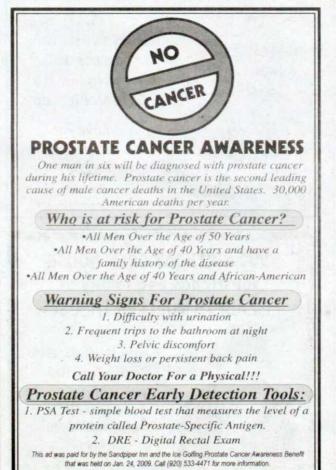
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Comedy Sportz comes to Kewaskum Theatre, will benefit Fitness Center

By Patrick Neumuth

Kewaskum High School is bringin back Comedy Sportz for a second consecutive year as a fundraiser for the KHS Fitness Center on Saturday, March 21.

"It's just a real interactive. sports-themed show, mostly for the kids in the community, and to get everyone involved," said Julie Craig, an organizer for the show. "It's really just a fun night to raise some money to keep some of the maintenance up and some of the small things we need."

What is Comedy Sportz?

Comedy Sportz is an improvisational style of comedy where the performers on stage play games based on audience suggestions. Audience members may be asked on stage to help assist the "actletes" on

There are two teams of three, along with a referee and sound and music guy.

Pretty much anyone they need for their skit at the time. They had six kids up at one time. They came out into the audience another time and they really get everyone in the audience involved as much as possible," Craig said about the

Who should come?

Craig said Comedy Sportz is fun for all ages. She said last year the audience was split between students and adults. Comedy Sportz is a family-oriented show. They challenge people for those who think "clean" is boring to come watch their show on their website.

"They are real good at keeping this "G" rated and make this grandma friendly and keeping everyone in line,

How much is it?

Tickets are on sale cur-rently and they can be purchased at KHS or at The Statesman office. Tickets are \$10 for each seat. They also offer front row V.I.P. seats for \$20. Craig said there are 15 total V.I.P. seats and about 12 left. Craig said the front row seats are for those who want to be "picked There are a total of 350 available for the show. Last year the show sold out.

The show will start at 7:30 p.m. and lasts about 90 minutes with no intermissions. Craig said the goal is to raise between \$1,200 and \$1,500 for the Fitness Center.

"It went over great (last year) and we hopefully sell out again. It's a good time for everybody," Craig said.

For more informa-tion about Comedy Sportz visit their website at comedysporstzmilwaukee.com.

Community Events For

March 13 - April 14

MARCH 13 – The Beads of Hope Relay Team is having a FISH FRY on March 13th at the K C Hall in West Bend. We will have a 2pc and 3pc meal and a 2pc Chicken Strip meal and there will be homemade desserts for sale. We will also have Raffle Prizes and More. All proceeds go to the American Cancer Society.

MARCH 13 & 14 at 7:30 pm; MARCH 15 at 1:30 pm. Adrift in Macao. A musical comedy set in Macao, China, in 1952. Sit back and enjoy lots of laughs and silly lyrics with romance, intrigue and discussions of existentialism! Tickets: \$12 adults, \$9 seniors & youth. Campus Theatre. For reservations, contact the UW-WC Department of University Relations at (262) 335-5208 or jean.kelley@uwc.edu

MARCH 14 – Washington County Tractor Safety Training, 9 am 4 pm, Public Agency Center. (262) 335-4477.

MARCH 17 – St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner. Lomira Legion Hall, 3 to 7:30 p.m. Donation: \$10 per person; \$5 for 8 and under. Donation for fund raiser for Town of Byron Veterans Memorial. Purchase tickets in advance: (920) 922-8753, (920) 923-2326, (920) 948-7619, (920) 921-5847. Tickets also available at the door.

MARCH 18 - WAKING UP YOUR BEDS FOR SPRING. The She boygan County Master Gardener Volunteers invite you to attend. This class will be presented by Kelly Bahr of Kelly's Landscape Design at 7 pm, at the UW Extension Office, 5 University Drive, Sheboygan - located on the east side of the UW-Sheboygan Campus.

APRIL 14 - JUST SCRAPPIN'. 9 am - ?? Held at the Annex (in Kewaskum). Cost \$15, payment required at time of sign-up. Bring a snack/dish to share with the group. Meals and your choice of beverage will be on your own. For those that want we may take up a collection to have supper brought in. All attendee's will receive a thank you gift, including one-day coupon to The Scrap Nook. Sign-up at The Scrap Nook, 127 Main Street, Kewaskum, 262-477-1033.

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.ke-waskumstatesman.com, PLEASE NOTE, businesses offering specials or events for profit are not accepted. Events are listed at the Editor's discretion.

Booster Club will sponsor Dodgeball Tourney

By Patrick Neumuth

You don't have to have a name like Blazer, Tazer or any other name with "azer" to enter this dodgeball tournament. The Kewaskum Booster Club is sponsoring the first annual double elimination dodgeball tournament Saturday, March

"We used to do a 3-on-3 tournament always the same weekend and last year the numbers were down for entries, so we decided to try something different this year, change it up and do dodgeball," president of the Booster Club Amy Ermer said.

There are three divisions for the tournament. There is a sixth through eighth grade division, ninth through twelfth grade division and an open 16-years-old and up division. Each division has a 20-team Ermer said about 12

Sunday, March 15 1:30pm

teams total have signed up already, some in each division.

Each team will have six members. The entry fee is \$30 per team, or \$5 per player. Admission for spectators will be \$1. It is a co-ed tournament, but there is no rule about how many players from each gender is needed for a team." Ermer said their can be a team of all boys, all girls or mixed.

"It's not going to be a huge money-maker, but it's going to be something and something for people to do," Ermer said.

The Booster Club will use this money for many different sports. Ermer said they helped out the girl's bowling team this year. She said the trapshooting team has asked the Booster Club for money for shooting bags and girl's softball has asked for money for new equipment. Ermer said a lot of the softball equip ment is out dated, especially at the IV level.

"It's everything to try and help out the kids at school with trying to keep fees down and help the kids get better equipment," Ermer said about the Booster Club's efforts with this tournament.

The concession stand will be open for the sale of food and drinks. The sixth through eighth grade division starts the tournament at 11 a.m. The ninth through twelfth grade division will start at about 3:30 p.m. and the open division will start at about 7:30 p.m.

Registration is due by March 20 to set up the brackets. For questions about registra-tions and how to get registration forms call (262) 626-4915 or (262) 707-6909. After the registration form is completed in full it can be sent to the KHS Booster Club at N537 Alpine Lane, Campbellsport, WI

Reserve by phone or purchase at the door

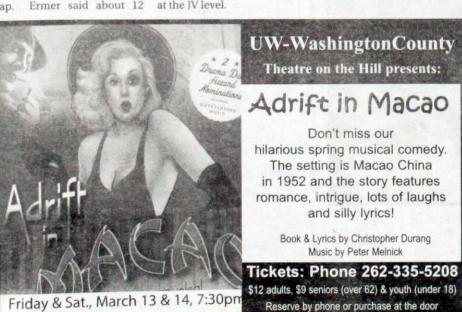
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HT students celebrate Catholic Schools Week by showing appreciation



The Catholic Schools Week theme at Holy Trinity School for the week of Jan 25-Jan 31 was celebrate service. On Monday the students at Holy Trinity met in their pride groups to package hygiene kits that will be taken down to St. Ben's in Milwaukee. The students packed shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, and deodorant into plastic bags that can be handed out to those in need. They also added notes or pictures to wish those receiving the bags well. Approximately 98 hygiene kits were packaged! On Tuesday each classroom wrote thank you notes to a variety of people who help to serve our community. Some of those receiving acknowledgements were bus drivers, crossing guards, firefighters, police officers, postal service, Fr. Ed, and the doctors and nurses in town.

HT student finalist in VW contest



Joe Kurer, Holy Trinity School student, was a local finalist in the VFW Patriot's Pen Essay Contest. There were 360 essays locally and Joe is now a top finalist at the district level. The local contest is sponsored by Legion Post 1393, West Bend, and is organized by John Kleinmaus. Joe's essay, "Why America's Veterans Should Be Honored," was read to fellow students on Thursday, December 11th when Mr. Kleinmaus announced that Joe was a local winner.

HT students earn forensic medals



Holy Trinity eighth graders, Anna Aycock, Jordan Donnelly, and Katie Melzer, placed third and received medals in the Group Acting category at the Badger Middle School Forensics Meet held on Saturday, February 7. The Holy Trinity team received four blue ribbons and 14 red ribbons. Congratulations on your performance!



Holy Trinity School OPEN HOUSE

March 16, 6:30-7:30 pm 305 Main Street, Kewaskum

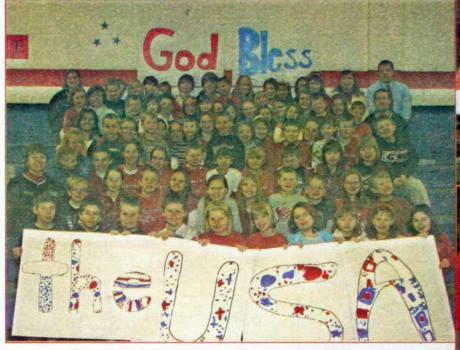
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St. Lucas students support the troops



Even children can support the troops. The St. Lucas Lutheran School children brought in items for the troops during the 2nd quarter. On January 23, 2009 the whole school joined in the gym to take a group picture. The students had made signs that said, "God Bless the U. S. A." The day was considered Red, White, and Blue Day to show patriotism. After the group picture was taken each student made a card and helped pack all of the items in boxes to be sent to the troops. A total of 17 boxes were sent to WELS (Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod) troops throughout the world. Friday mornings St. Lucas Lutheran School 'Drop Everything And Read' (DEAR). Since the whole school was together during DEAR time, Mrs. Derge read the book "A Picnic in October" by Eve Bunting. The story is about a family that visits the Statue of Liberty every year. St. Lucas Lutheran School children are thankful for what they have, and were really excited to be able to share with the troops!



Four and Five Year-Old Kindergarten Screening

The Kewaskum School District is having their four and five year old kindergarten screening and registration on Saturday, April 25th, 2009 from 8:00 a.m. to noon and Wednesday, April 29th, 2009 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

If your child will turn five on or before September 1, 2009 and you are new to the District or enrolling in our schools for the first time, please call the District office to share information on your child. You do not have to set up a time for screening unless you have concerns with your child's development.

If your child will turn four on or before September 1, 2009 and you would like your child screened for 4-K Kindergarten, please call the District office. When you call, Carol Gonwa will set up a time to have your child screened. At the screening, they are looking for kindergarten readiness and speech and language ability.

If your child will turn three on or before September 1, 2009 and you have concerns in the areas of speech and language or readiness skills, please call the District office. When you call, Carol Gonwa will set up a time to have your child screened. At the screening, they are looking for kindergarten readiness and speech and language ability.

It is very important for you to call to set up an appointment for screening your child so that they are able to plan accordingly for next school year. This is also important to ensure your child may attend the school in the area where you live. If you fail to call by March 27th, 2009 we may need to assign your child to a school that is not their neighborhood school.

Please bring in your child's birth certificate at screening/registration.

Call the District Office to register, you may contact Carol Gonwa, Receptionist at the District Office, at (262) 626-8427 ext. 8001 between 7:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. before March 27, 2009.

If you have any questions, other than to register, you may contact Tom Fischer, Principal of Kewaskum Elementary, at (262) 626-8427 ext. 1104.



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Saturday, March 21, 2009

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Place: Kewaskum High School Theatre

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\$10 each all other Seats

Tickets available at the KHS Office and at The Statesman

Kiwanis Students of the Month







Nathan Bandy

Melissa Prunty and Nathan Bandy were named Kiwanis Students of the Month for the month of December. Melissa is the daughter of Kristine and Douglas Prunty. She is active in student government, Peers 4 Peers and is a freshman mentor. Throughout high school, Melissa has participated in fast pitch, Key Club and has been a DARE role model. Melissa was inducted into the National Honor Society her junior year. Next fall Melissa plans on attending college to earn a degree in either accounting or social welfare. Nathan is the son of Patti and Leif Gardner and Kristy and Steve Bandy. He has been an avid athlete at KHS, participating in soccer as a freshman and varsity level tennis throughout high school. Nathan is an active member of student government, as well as a freshman mentor. Nathan was also inducted into National Honor Society his junior year. After graduation, Nathan plans on attending UW-Platteville to earn a degree in Mechanical Engineering, Students and their parents were honored at a December meeting of the Kewaskum Kiwanis Club.

KHS Honor Roll

The following is the second semester honor roll from Kewaskum High School.

HONORS, 3.0-3.499-

Seniors: Adam Anderson, Paul Anderson, Clare Braun, Ross Cain, Jocelyn Chambers, Austin Craig, Morgan Dombrowski, Fredrick Fellenz, Wendy Gessner, Andrew Gruber, Lauren Hahn, Joshua Harbin, Andrew Haugen, Tanya Hesprich, Jordan Hoss, Heather Jacobs, Robert Kearns, Amanda Kleppin, Keirstyn Koenings, Tanner Lauters, Samantha Loken, Chelsea Mengsol, Aaron Monte, Tiffany Mueller, Shelby Neelis, Joash Olla, Matthew Prunty, Marie Remmel, Suthida Sangsuwan, Eric Shaske, Elizabeth Staege, Courtney Strom, Lindy Taylor, Erik Thelen, Eric Turowski, Nathan Westerman, John Wright, Brittany Zorn.

JUNIORS: Benjamin Adkins, Beau Backhaus, Joshua Boettcher, Michelle Bohn, Cal Bowe Jr., Lauren Buth, Hermila Castaneda, Steven Chapman, Katelyn Dei, Jacob Durian, Michael Eggert, Jake Ekker, Cody Enright, Zachary Esselmann, Kara Fechter, Ryan Gibson, Lauren Gonring, Nicholas Groth, Tyler Haack, Haylie Hansen, Stephanie Jacklin, Rebecca Johnson, Kyle Jurss, Lea Kempfer, Trevor Kohn, Alyssa Krautkramer, Alex Kuehl, Samantha Landon, Anna Larson, Kasandra Legate, Andrew Luedtke, Josilin Moede, Adam Murphy, Bryan Nothem, Evan Orvis, Jared Pesch, Brendon Reichard, Hannah Reysen, Kyle Ruplinger, Vanessa Schellinger, Kayla Schoofs, Scott Steldt II, Karissa Uelmen, Allen Weisinger, Amanda Witek, Brandon

SOPHOMORES: Joel Bentley, Emily Bergeron, Ashley Chandler, Aubrey Deeter, Shawn Giese, Heather Gloege, Rachael Gonia, Matthew Gradinjan, Joshua Grauden, Leah Gullickson, Mitchell Heberer, Kaylene Herbst, Mary Holt, Shantell Kerr, Tyler Kirst, Alesander Larsen, Dianna Lightner, Jenna Martin, Heather McElhatton, Samantha Miller, Ryan Ogi, James Pok, Melissa Polster, Molly Potter, Nicholas Ray, Justine Rettler, Samantha Rick, Michael Schladweiler, Anthony Schlice, Erin Stonecipher, Meagan Struck, Rachel Sydorowicz, Ashley Thiemer, Courtney Weinert, Ryan Wojtalewicz, Samantha Zingsheim.

FRESHMEN: Ian Airaudi, Brooke Alexander, Amanda Blaine, Abbie Blecher, Daniel Bohn, Bradley Bottleman, Jacob Buck, Conrad Busse, Darren Campbell, Kaitlin Demmon, Leah Domask, Mackenzie Donath, Victoria Duemling, Ryan Elbe, Trent Ellis, Jennifer Fochs, Kalvin Guth, Jessica Haack, Danielle Hagen, Gabriela Haugen, Michael Hodroff, Erik Hofmaier, Cori Anne Hoss, Matthew Hrica, Taylor Janssen, Heidi Johnson, Jacob Kopeschka, Paula Krezinski, Brandon Kuebler, Hanna Lepp, Cody Marx, Christopher McDeavitt, Zachary Melton, Angelica Meyer, William Meyer, Brittany Mueller, Sarah Muench, Caitlynn Murray, Calvin Ranker, Randy Rudzitis, Daniel Schuette, Zachary Seitz, Dylan Tackes, Kyle Tessar, Kayli Thull, Alexis Timblin, Andrew Urbanczyk, Chelsea Watzig, Autumn Westenberg, Sarah Zeeb.

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JUNIORS: Shawn Anderson, Samantha Aycock, Jessica Beaupre, Candace Beine, Samantha Biermann, Joshua Blawat, Travis Brace, Anna Butler, Joseph Conerton, Ashley Cordes, Danielle Donnelly, Erika Heberer, Zachary Herriges, Tyler Hoerig, Krystal Holl, Erika Koffke, Daniel Laska, Eric Mantz, Earl Meyer III, Derik Muckerheide, Caleb Olla, Erica Rammer, Theresa Ratzel, Haley Rauch, Sadie Rick, Andrew Melissa Rodenkirch. Rinzel. Weston Rodenkirch, Aaron Schlosser, Dana Schraufnagel, Lisa Schulz, Cody Seibel, Coltyn Sprinkman, Christa Theisen, Dylan Tischendorf, Lindsay Turnmeyer, Natasha Wagner, Lindsey Weiss, Bradley Wolf.

SOPHOMORES: Amanda Abramovich, Abigail Amerling, Matthew Ballard, Christine Bohn, Jessica Bucheger, Lauren Czarapata, Joseph Ebert, Kandis Ellenberger, Eric Enright, Shawna Enright, Terrina Fellenz, Megan Gavin, Nicolai Gerhartz, Katelyn Herriges, Rachel Jensen, Samantha Johnson, Bryana Keller, Michael Kofler, Luca Kopeschka, Casie Krejcarek, Caitlin Kugler, Alex Lueck, Austin Luedtke, Cecily Mellenthin, Bryan Naumann, Katharine Oscar, Timothy Otten, Kyle Phillips, Cole Roberts, Elizabeth Schaller, Austen Schmidt, Andrew Schreier, Kelsi Schulz, Bo Seibel, Joseph Stoffel, Tanner Timblin, Kyle Wesenberg, Kate Winkler, Beth Wodsedalek, Heather Zuehlke.

FRESHMEN: Alex Andes, Anthony Artymiuk, Travis Averill, Abrielle Backhaus, Alyssa Backhaus, Natalie Bandy, Tess



Week of March 16

Kewaskum School District

Monday - Turkey bacon cheeseburger/bun, apricots, corn, kids snack mix. "Veggle pizza. (E) Yogurt & string cheese.

Tuesday - St. Patrick's Day - HS & MS - Pasta bar Elem. - Mini pancakes, sausage links, tri-taters, applesauce. (E) Yogurt & string cheese.

Wednesday - Chicken tenders, tater tots, green beans, bread, peach slices. *BBQ rib/bun. (E) Yogurt & string cheese.

Thursday - Soft shell taco or taco with tortilla chips, rice, refried beans, cooked carrots & a grape juice bar. *Chef salad. (E) Yogurt & string cheese.

Friday - Hot dog w/ the works/ bun, applesauce, French fries, sweet potato fries, fresh fruit. *Pizza dippers. (E) Yogurt & string cheese.

Holy Trinity School

-Monday - Pepperoni pizza sticks w/ marinara sauce, buttered wheat bread, carrot coins, pear, chewy chocolate cookie.

Tuesday - St. Patrick's Day - French bread pizza, lettuce salad, buttered wheat bread, Mandarin oranges, oatmeal bar.

Wednesday - Nachos grande or chicken fajita, fluffy rice, green beans, peaches, chocolate chip cookle dough.

Thursday - Meatballs/meatloaf, mashed potatoes, dinner roll, corn, pineapple, Rice Krispie bar.

Friday - Cheese omelets, pancakes, buttered wheat bread, hot apple slices, cookle.

St. Lucas School

Monday - Hamburger/cheeseburger on a bun, French fries, peaches, Jello ligglers.

Tuesday - Ham slice, cheesy potatoes, green beans, Tropical fruit, Stripe-it-rich cake.

Bandy, Kayla Bastian, Anna Berhagen, Jessica Beschta, Michael Bier, Bradley Boegel, Sabrina Boehlke, James Bucheger, Brandon Chapman, Haley Derge, Kendel Elliott, Taylor Elliott, Katherine Etta, Adam Fleischman, Colin Gliniecki, Autin Goeman, Anthony Gonring, Stephanie Grager, Colton Gruber, Amanda Hallstead, Gerogiana Haugen, Valerie Hedlund, Tyler Hetebrueg, Desiri Jantz, Zachary Janz, Austin Johann, Bryanna Juers, Mackenzie Kremer, Emily Kunst, Jared Luedtke, Matthew Martin, Raeanna Monte, Dylan Moore, Angela Murphy, Brett Nuernberg, Eric Perkins, Danielle Reichard, Amber Resop, Megan Ringwell, Caitlin Rinzel, Danielle Rodenkirch, Lydia Schneider, Jessica Smallish, Samantha Smallish, Katie Tillmann, Taylor Toth, Michael Tuyls, Rachel Van Eimeren, Jacob Verhaalen, Cody Wegner, Dustin Weiss, Savanna Wendelborn, Joseph Wollner, Garrett Yahr.

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SENIORS: Nathan Bandy, Wynelle Baum, Danielle Fleischman, Jessica Forbes, Kelsey Goetsch, Kelsey Guth, Shaylah Wednesday - BBQ on a bun, potato rounds, corn, orange slices, Goofy bars.

Thursday - Taco - Hard or soft shell, rice, peas, mixed fruit, cookie. Friday - NO SCHOOL.

Campbellsport School District

Monday - Sloppy Joes on a bun, cheese slice, pickles, smiley fries, green beans, pineapple tidbits, milk. A - Cheesy garlic bread or wrap.

Tuesday - JH & HS - Oven baked chicken. Elem.- Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes & gravy, fresh corn, cranberries, lime Jello, bread, milk. A - Assorted stuffed pretzels.

Wédnesday - beef ravioli or wrap, cheese stick, lettuce salad, sliced peaches, breadstick, milk. A - Taco bar.

Thursday - Pigs in a blanket, tritater, zesty baked beans, applesauce cups, cookie, bread, milk. A -Assorted sandwiches.

Friday - Mozzarella pizza dippers/ dip, seasoned potato wedges, broccoli with cheese sauce, fresh fruit, bread, milk. A - Assorted sandwiches.

St. Matthew School

Monday - Corn dogs, French fries, baked beans, carrot sticks, apple crisp, milk.

Tuesday - Turkey on a bun, potato wedge, pickles, corn, oranges/kiwi, milk

Wednesday - 4th GRADE MENU -Pizza meatball/spaghetti, veggies/ dip, strawberries, garlic bread, Jello, milk

Thursday - Ham sandwich, cheese slice, potato rounds, green beans, coleslaw, pineapple, milk.

Friday - Pizza dippers, curly fries, pickles, applesauce, cookie, milk.

St. Mary's School

Monday - Chicken fajitas, refried beans, cornbread, fresh apple.

Tuesday - Hamburger, beef stew w/ vegetables, homestyle biscuits, applesauce, shamrock, Jello.

Wednesday - Italian spaghetti, tossed salad, garlic bread, shape

Thursday - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, fresh breads.

Friday - Springing shrimp poppers, new life potatoes, Tropical fruit, cinnamon roll.

Haire, Michael Herriges, Nichole Kison, Desiree Kuehl, Sara Lehnerz, Jessica Liniewski, Erika Martin, Megan Ogi, Nickolas Olla, Amanda Osswald, Joseph Paulus, Garret Peterson, Melissa Prunty, Eric Sabel, Lindsay Schneider, Nathan Seitz, Kristin Vogt.

JUNIORS: Stephanie Abramovich, Brian Bottleman, Roxanne Etta, Morgan Gradinjan, Haley Gregoriou, Sadie Hennig, Elissa Miller, Megan Nickel, Rachel Rieden, Todd Scheid, Heather Schmitt, Elizabeth Schreier, Abigail Simonis, Karla Stoffel, Rachell Stoffel, Megan Thornton, Brooke Waala, Kyle Wegner.

SOPHOMORES: Jennifer Beiswenger, Olivia Gitter, Samantha Hebbring, Courtney Krueger, Nicholas Lewandowski, Sarah McWilliams, Cody Nuernberg, Rachel Ogi, Valerie Paulus, Sarah Ries, Sienna Warnecke.

FRESHMEN: Rebecca Fahney, Corey Frohna, Kelsie Hennig, Joseph Herriges, Hayley Hintz, Mikayla Kremer, Michele Marquardt, Samuel Olla, Andrew Reicher, Nichole Springer, Justin Steiner, Joel Turk.

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Honors Choir Festival held at KMS



Shown above, Clinician Marcia Russell directs the middle school singers, while Terry Christie plays piano.

On Saturday, January 31, the Kewaskum Middle School Choral Department hosted an Honor's Choir Festival. Students from Grafton, Cedarburg, Hartford, West Bend and

Kewaskum participated.

A performance was held in the Kewaskum High School Theater at 4:00. Marcia Russell, from the Platteville area, was the clinician. Marcia Russell has taught Choral Music students in the Platteville School District since 1997, teaching seven years at Platteville High School before making the move to Platteville Middle School in 2004.

She received a Bachelor of Music Degree in Voice Performance and Choral and General Music Education from Lawrence University in 1994, graduating magna cum laude. She conducts Con Gioia, an auditioned ensemble of 5th, 6th and 7th grade girls with the Madison Youth Choirs. She also conducts Choristers, an auditioned ensemble of 4th-7th grade unchanged voices with the Platteville Children's Choir.

Ms. Russell is an active member of ACDA and MENC, and has held many leadership roles. She recently completed a three year term with the Wisconsin School Music Association Middle Level Honors Choir Alto Coach, and served the WSMA High School Honors Project as Treble Choir Soprano 1 Coach in 2000 and 2001, and again as Treble Choir Coordinator and Alto 2 Coach in 2002 and 2003. She is a past chair for NextDi-

rection: The National Conference for High School Students Considering Careers in Choral Music, and has served two terms as the Southwest Representative to the Wisconsin Choral Directors Association. She is an active performer and soloist with the Platteville Chorale and the Heartland Singers.

KHS students participate in Tri-State Honors Band Festival



On February 20th and 21st, five KHS students participated in the Tri-State high school honors band festival at UW-Platteville. Lindsay Schneider, Rachel Jensen, Nicole Hallstead, Kelsey Guth, and Melissa Rodenkirch were selected to participate along with some of the best young musicians from Wisconsin, lowa, and Illinois. This 75-piece ensemble was directed by Mr. Dennis Glocke, Director of Bands at Penn State University. The group performed a wide variety of challenging literature. Students were also given the opportunity to participate in master classes on their specific instrument taught by university professors and professional musicians.

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JEANETTE PROCHNOW

Jeanette Prochnow, 77, of Campbellsport passed away Sat., March 7, 2009 at St. Agnes Hospital, Fond du Lac.

She was born on Sept. 3, 1931 in the Town of Ashford, the daughter of Edward and Agnes Senn Rauch.

On March 17, 1951 she married Alfred H. Prochnow in Dundee. Jeanette was a member of Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church in Campbellsport.

Jeanette was the main care giver for her husband Alfred for 29 years. She enjoyed playing bingo and solitaire, reminiscing about days gone by and most of all spending time with her children and grandchildren.

Survivors include her children, Dale (Bonnie), Kenneth (Delores), all of Campbellsport, Barbara (Melvin) Ruplinger of West Bend, Richard (Kriss), Donna (Tom) Toth, Robert (spec. friend Deb), Randall (Heidi) and Allen, all of Campbellsport; her grandchildren, Jeff (Jackie) Prochnow, Dawn (friend Tim) Prochnow, Gary (fiancé Jessica Karls) Ruplinger, Ashley (fiancé James Rutter) Ruplinger, Taylor Toth, Kaitlyn Toth, Amy Prochnow, Kyle Prochnow and Kody Prochnow; her great-granddaughter, Julia Prochnow; her brother, Roger Rauch of Fond du Lac; LaVerne sister-in-law, Rauch of Campbellsport; a special friend, Joyce Tucker of Campbellsport; nieces; nephews; other relatives and friends.

Jeanette was preceded in death by her husband, Alfred, on June 26, 2001; her son, Ronald; her brothers, Vernon, Norman and Eldon and her sisters, Lorraine Krueger, Marcella Howard, Marie Flitter and Audrey Martin.

Funeral services held on Wednesday, March 11 at 11:30 a.m. at Imman-Lutheran Church, Campbellsport. Rev. Paul A. Cerny officiated and burial followed in Elmore Cemetery in Campbellsport.

Visitation was Tuesday from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m. at Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church and on Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. until time of service at the church.

Twohig Funeral Home, Campbellsport, served the family.



MALCOM 'MIKE' BARNEY WADE

Malcolm Barney "Mike" Wade of King, formerly of Kewaskum, died on Saturday, March 7, 2009 at the Riverside Medical Center in Waupaca, at the age of 80.

He was born on May 1. 1928 in Little Rock, AR, the son of Barney and Carrie Belle (Evans) Wade.

Mike had served in the U.S. Air Force from July 26, 1946 until he was honorably discharged on April 29, 1954 having served in both WW II and the Korean War. He was a member of the Fohl-Martin American Legion Post #483 in Allenton,

For the past ten years he was living at the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King.

In his younger days he was a horse jockey, and he later became a horse trainer. He owned and had run several ranches, raising quarter horses

Mike married Iola "Ike" Moen, and they had four children.

He is survived by his four children and ten grandchil-dren, who loved him dearly, Mike and Wendy Wade of Theresa and their children, Jeff, Peter, Ryan, Ben, Bridgette, Eric, Gabrielle, Bill and Patty Wade of Valrico, FL and their son, Brandon, Chuck Wade of Houston TX, and his daughter Naomi, and a daughter, Judy Wade. He is further survived by his sister, Hilda (Bill) Eubank; a brother, Ronald (Karleen) Wade, and sister-in-law, Connie Wade.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and a brother, Dennis.

He will always be remembered in our hearts as a true Texas cowboy

A funeral service was held

on Thursday, March 12, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. at the Main Chapel of the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King.

Interment was in the Central Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery at King.

A visitation was held on Thursday from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. at the Main Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be directed to the Fohl-Martin American Legion Post # 483, P.O. Box 2, Allenton, WI 53302 in memory of Malcolm B. "Mike" Wade.

The Holly Funeral Home of Waupaca, assisted the family with arrangements.

FRANCIS 'FRANK' SCHULTZ



Francis 'Frank' Schultz, 30, passed away on Monday, March 9, 2009 at Franciscan Skemp in Arcadia, after a 20 year courageous battle with spinal cord cancer.

Frank was born on June 19, 1978 in Hancock, Michigan. He was adopted in August 1989 by Robert and Edna Schultz of 3825 Thoma Park Dr., West Bend, formerly of Cascade.

He is survived by his parent, aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. As per his wishes his body has been donated to Mayo Clinic for research. A private service and inurnment will take place at Beechwood

Cemetery at a later date.
The family would appreci-

ate any memorials in his name to be directed to Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School, Jackson or Midwest Athletes Against Childhood Cancer (MACC Fund).

IN MEMORY

In memory of Nick Vogt, who passed away four years ago on March 16, 2005:

A bouquet of memories, sprayed with a million tears, wishing God could have spared you, if just a few more years. It does not take a special day, for us to think of you.

Each Mass we hear, each prayer we say, is offered up for you. We can not bring the old days back, when we are all together.

Our family chain is broken now, but memories live forever.

We love you and miss you,

Your Family

CARD OF THANKS

We can only say Thank You as we continue to be overhelmed by the outpouring of sympathy over the sudden death of Michael.

Mike's passing has left an emptiness in all our hearts. It is our prayer that it will eventually be replaced by

beautiful and fond memories for all of us.

We continue to be comforted by the funeral service message 'In a little while..." by Pastor Mark Eckert. We thank Pastor Eckert and wish him well as he deals with his own health problems.

Thank you also to Twohig Funeral Home, the pallbearers and the St. Johns LCU.

God bless all of you.

The family of Michael H. Krueger

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Within months, her "living nightmare" began.

Pharmaceutical giant Pfizer, Inc. announced plans for a compound on waterfront property, near historic Fort Trumbull. The State of Connecticut got behind the project, as did the City of New London. There would be an upscale hotel and office buildings. The tax base would be greater and jobs would be created.

To proceed, the City needed to buy properties from the homeowners in the area. And when that didn't completely happen, they proceeded with eminent domain. One of the homes they wanted

In exercising eminent domain, the government appropriates private property for the sake of public use, for instance, as with a new road or bridge. Clearly, since the property was being taken for private use, this action would set precedents.

As homeowners resisted and the project fell behind schedule, the organization in charge of implementation turned up the heat. Residents of the neighborhood alternately felt intimidated, fearful, and angry. Undaunted, Susette Kelo, her neighbors and supporters contacted the Institute for Justice (a public-interest law firm) and dug in their heels all the way to the U.S. Supreme Court.

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As a rousing David-and-Goliath story, "Little Pink House" tells of legal maneuvers, politicking, and courage of conviction. It's a book that will make you want to keep tabs on city hall, just in case. It will make any homeowner terrified.

Author leff Benedict says that he interviewed many of the key players in this drama, and his authentic presentation will snatch your interest by Page Five. Though Benedict offers both viewpoints in the argument, it will be hard for you not to pick sides. Deciding to bury yourself in this true white-knuckler is, however, an easy

If you can't wait for your favorite legal-thriller author's next book, fill in the empty time with this tremendous, don't-miss book. "Little Pink House" may have you seeing red.

Days Gone By

25 Years Ago

February 17, 1984

On February 11, members of the Kewaskum Fire Department held their annual banquet at the fire station and meeting room with a large attendance present. Retired or honorary members of the department, together with their wives and lady friends of the firemen were guests of honor. Special tribute was paid to William Schaub, 93, the oldest honorary fireman present and his wife, Irene. Each year the department names one of its members as "Firefighter of the Year." This year Second Captain Bob Stoltzmann was recognized for this honor. Two members of the department who retired as active members during the past year, were also honored. They are Roger Reindl and Al Rohlinger.

The Kewaskum High School Graduation Requirements Committee has completed its study and released a report which recommends an increase in credits for graduation to 22 by the 1987-88 school year. The increase would go from the current 20 credits to 20-1/2 in 1985-86, 21 in 1986-87 and finally 22 credits by 1987-88.

Kewaskum Jaycees The Women would like to extend an invitation to all Kewaskum area women to attend their first organizational meeting on February 20. The Jaycee Women are open to all young, single or married, women between the ages of 18

Host Waupun won the team title in the Class A Regional wrestling tournament held Saturday with 161 points. Kewaskum qualified five wrestlers for the Sectional at Fond du Lac this Saturday and had one champion, Bob Callison, who won the 119-pound title. The Indians also got a second, two thirds and a fourth to qualify for the sectional and Coach John Nell commented that his team did a real nice job.

Mary Sleger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sleger, and Kirk Vogt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Vogt, all of rural Kewaskum, have been chosen as the Kiwanis students for the month of February

Airman Tracy A. Coulter, daughter of John and Patricia M. Coulter of Kewaskum, has been assigned to Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, after completing Air Force basic training.

Michael J. Casper, a 1975 graduate of Kewaskum High School, has been promoted in the US Air Force to the rank of

Army. Pvt. Earl R. Herth, son of James S. and Nancy L. Herth of Kewaskum, has arrived for duty at Fort Clayton, Panama.

A daughter, Nadine Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller, Campbellsport, on February 2. A daughter, Jamie Lynn, was born to Richard and Barbara Heisler, Campbellsport, on February 3.

50 Years Ago

February 19, 1959

The monthly meeting of the Kewaskum Business Association was held Monday evening with about 16 members present. Most of the meeting was devoted to discussing plans and arrangements for the big dairy day event to be sponsored at the high school March 21. The dairy day event will begin at 11 am and will continue throughout the afternoon and evening. The afternoon program will be mainly of educational value while that in the evening will be more of an entertaining nature. The main exhibit booths of the businessmen will be in the spacious gymnasium while farm machinery and automobiles will be exhibited in the agriculture room of the school.

Any person who has a special entertainment talent may enter the Kewaskum Dairy Day home talent show. Each contestant will be allowed from 5 to 10 minutes. Acts of instrumental numbers, imitations, dances, acrobatics, singing, speech, etc. are welcome. Prizes will be awarded.

The Girls' Athletic Association drill team of Kewaskum High School will perform during the half of the A team basketball game with Campbellsport here tonight. The girls have been practicing hard with Carol Bier as drill master. Members of the drill team are: Seniors -- Nancy Fickler, Eileen Hanselman, Pam Nolting and Joyce Rohlinger; Juniors -- Judy Abel, Judy Coulter, Pat Edwards, Rosie Ewert, Sharon Harbeck, Delores Ketter, Lynn Ann Remmel, Judy Rinzel, Marianne Schmidt, Sue Schmidt and Margo Weiss; Sophomores -- Bonnie Butzke, Nancy Hirsig, Jolene Miller, Helen Schaefer and Joanne Schmidt

Glenway Wescott, a native of Kewaskum, was recently named as the new president of the National Institute of Arts and Letters. Wescott was born on a farm near Kewaskum in 1901 and is an author of published novels (one won the Harper prize) and poems.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adashun, Route 2, Campbellsport, on February 9. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Wulff, Kewaskum, on February 17.

75 Years Ago

February 16, 1934

While Mrs. Ervin Ramthun, residing just east of this village, teacher of the Joint School District No. 3, of the Towns of Wayne and Theresa, six miles west of Kewaskum on Highway 28, was nearing her school Monday morning, she noticed smoke penetrating through the roof of the school building. Not stopping at the school, she drove speedily to the Mrs. Katherine Schmitt home a short distance away and telephoned for aid. The first call for aid was sent to the Theresa Fire Department

who refused to respond unless an official of the district school board OK'd the call. Then a call was telephoned to Harry Schaefer, chief of the local fire department, who immediately sent the engine to the scene. The building was completely destroyed, only the brick walls remained standing but the damage to these were to such an extent that they will have to be razed. It was estimated that the loss will reach \$5,000. The fire started in the attic presumably caused by a defective chimney. The cornerstone of the building has the inscription upon it of Mr. Opgenorth's signature and dated August 14, 1913.

Rumors are about this week that a Lomira man has developed an automobile engine which will produce about 200 horsepower and run a large car on one gallon of gasoline 300 miles. Not much could be learned of the new venture other than the engine is of an entirely new design, weighing only about 50 pounds and contains only three moving parts. Neither could anything be learned of the operating principle of the motor, but it is said that it does away with the back and forth movement of pistons.

The Senior Class of the Kewaskum High School is presenting its class play, "Treasurer Trove Tavern" Friday and Saturday. Members of the cast include: Earl Kohler, Robert Rosenheimer, Joseph Miller, Fred Klein, Ruth Kohn, Eleanor Hron, Florence Westerman, William Schaefer, Bernice Buddenhagen, Beulah Buddenhagen, Egidius Schoofs, Agnes Borchert, Edna Reysen, John Krautkramer and Edward

The opening of the Carl Gruendeman and Blanke cheese factory in Boltonville was largly attended and enjoyed by all.

A Holstein calf with five legs was born on the farm of Richard Hornburg north of Waucousta on Highway 55 last week Mon-

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mehlos at Milwaukee on February 11. Mrs. Mehlos is best remembered here as the former Miss Vinelda Klein.

100 Years Ago

February 27, 1909

Aloysius Haessly. 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haessly, living on the John Hess farm, met with a horrible death last Monday morning. The boy had been assisting his father in cutting feed and in some way his clothing got caught on the tumbling rod of the horsepower which whirled him to his death before the machinery could be stopped.

On account of the scaring of teams by locomotives, L. Rosenheimer has made arrangements so that potatoes can be unloaded at the west door of their warehouse.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zwaschka of Kewaskum on February 26.

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Village Board **Meeting Minutes**

Village Board Meeting February 16, 2009 7:00 p.m.

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

President Andy Pesch presided and called the meeting to order at 7:31 p.m. Board members present Steve Scheunemann, Harry Roecker, Kevin Scheunemann, Andy Pesch, Norman Kufahl, Tom Piwoni and Derek Peterson. Staff members present were Matt Heiser, Jerry Gilles, Chad Cook, and Stephanie Justmann also present was interested members from the community and the news media.

Notice of the meeting had been posted at the National City Bank, Kewaskum Post Office, and at the Municipal Building on February 13, 2009. Notice was also forwarded to the Village Board, Village Attorney, Village Engineer, and News Media.

Motion by Kevin Scheunemann to approve the minutes from the February 2, 2009 meeting, second by Norman Kufahl. Voice vote, motion

Motion by Kevin Scheunemann to adopt Ordinance #09-02 To Create Section 1-17 of the Municipal Code: Mandating of Employee Benefits for Private Business, second by Derek Peterson. Voice vote, motion car-

Administrator Matt Heiser gave an update on the TID #2.

In the absence of Police Chief Knoebel, Administrator Heiser presented the January 2009 police re-

Criminal arrests Criminal investigations 21 Traffic warnings 69 Traffic citations 46 11 Adult arrests Juvenile arrests \$28.00 Property stolen Property recovered \$0 Parking warnings 52 Parking Tags Director of Public Works Jerry Gilles reported on:

1. Structural reinforcement of the

2. Bilgo Lane water main break on Saturday, February 7, 2009

Truck maintenance

4. The proposed NR 528 regulations for management of accumulated sediment from storm water structures. Residents should contact the Department of Natural Resources with concerns, opinions, and questions

Zoning Administrator Chad Cook reported eight building permits were issued for January 2009

Administrator Matt Heiser reported:

1. An Emergency drill will be held on March 10th.

2. A joint meeting with the Kewaskum School District has been scheduled for March 23rd.

Derek Peterson, Representative for the Plan Commission announced the next meeting is scheduled for February 24, 2009.

Norman Kufahl, Representative for the Library Board, reported the circulation for January was 6,018

Administrator Heiser reported on the February 11, 2009 Legislative Sub-Committee meeting. The guest speaker was Daryl Laatsch, a candidate for the Mid-Moraine Municipal Judge

Motion by Kevin Scheunemann to adopt Resolution #2009-01 Surplus and Overdrafts on Outlay Accounts for the year ending December 31, 2007, second by Steve Scheunemann. Voice vote, motion carried.

Motion by Tom Piwoni, second by Kevin Scheunemann to approve the issuance of an operator's license for 2008/2009 as listed. Voice vote, motion carried.

Broughton, Stephanie Washington, WI

Rosbeck, Dana Kewaskum, WI Motion by Norman Kufahl to adjourn at 7:54 p.m., second by Tom Piwoni, and carried by roll call vote. S. Scheunemann-aye, Roecker-aye, Scheunemann-aye, Pesch-aye, Kufahl-aye, Piwoni-aye, Peterson-(7-0-0)

Stephanie Justmann Clerk/Deputy Treasurer Approved: March 2, 2009 Published: March 12, 2009 WNAXLP

> Town of Kewaskum **Town Board Meeting** March 16, 2009 7:00pm

at the Kewaskum Town Hall, 9019 Kettle Moraine Drive, Kewaskum,

AGENDA

- 1. Chairperson Kahn call the meeting to order.
- 2. Official meeting notification
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance
- 4. Roll call
- 5. Approval of Minutes
- •Town Board minutes from 2-14-09, 2-16-09 & 2-19-09
 - 6. Public Comment
- 7. Discussion and Possible action on temporarily closing Sandy Ridge Rd - Hwy H to Hwy 45
- 8. Discussion and Possible action on adding an administrative fee to all invoices
- 9. Discussion and Possible action on annual review of Fee Schedule and Recycling Center
- 10. Discussion and Possible action on generator for town hall
- 11. Discussion and Possible action on credit card for lead public works employee
- 12. Discussion and Possible ac-
- tion on salt contract for 2009-2010 13. Discussion and Possible ac-
- tion on on-site diesel fuel storage Town Engineer's Report

 - 15. Report on Building Permits 16. Treasurer's Report
 - Report of Finances
 - 17. Clerk's Report ·Annual Report/Newsletter
 - 18. Correspondence
 - 19. Future agenda items
 - Adjournment
- Dated this 9th day of March,
- · A sign language interpreter can be requested within 48 hours of no-
- · Requests from persons with disabilities who need assistance to participate in this meeting /hearing should be made to the Clerk's office at 266-626-2566 with as much advance notice as possible.

NOTICE OF KEWASKUM PLAN COMMISSION: Individual Plan Commission members may attend the above meeting. It is possible that such attendance may constitute a meeting of the Town Board or any of its committees pursuant to State ex rel. Badke v. Greendale Village Board, 173 Wis. 2d 553, 494 N.W. 2d 408 (1993). This notice does not authorize attendance at either the above meeting or the Badke meeting, but is given solely to comply with the notice requirements of the open meeting law

AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING: I hereby certify that this notice has been posted at the Town of Kewaskum Community Center, posting board at the Town of Kewaskum Buffalo Cemetery on East Moraine Drive, and the Town of Kewaskum Van-Vechtin Highland Drive cemetery; and faxed/e-mailed to the Kewaskum Statesman, West Bend News and radio stations WBKV and WTKM.

> Nancy Boden, Clerk Town of Kewaskum Agenda TB 3-16-09 WNAXLP

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Kewaskum Water Works Jerry Gilles, Director of Public Works

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS COMMITTEE MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 16, 2009 6:00 P.M.

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AGENDA

- 1. Call to order
- Roll Call of Members 2.
- 3: Agenda
 - a. Corrections and/or Deletions
 - b. Approval of Agenda
- 4. 2009-10 Maintenance Projects
- 5. Adjourn

WNAXLP

RESOLUTION NO. 2009-02 TO AMEND THE 2008 VILLAGE OF KEWASKUM GENERAL FUND ADOPTED BUDGET

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following amendments be made to the adopted 2008 General Fund Budget to reflect those revenues and expenditures realized in 2008:

ACCT # BUDGET	DESCRIPTION	INCREASE/DECREASE	AMENDED
REVENUES:			
100-42520	State Aid Law Enforcement	\$4,449	\$4,449
100-45790	Other Local Grants	14.473 \$18,922	14,473
EXPENDITUR	ES:		
100-51320	Administration	\$6,472	\$11,472
100-51430	Printing & Publication	(4,348)	4,152
100-51610	Legal	(11,780)	28,220
100-52110	Police Dept	4,449	33,289
100-52310	Fire Dept	14,473	31,273
100-52410	Building Inspection	(5,210)	2,290
100-54110	Machinery & Equipment	4,222	21,013
100-54120	Garage	4,743	8,966
100-54310	Street & Alleys	(64,227)	142,773
100-54330	Curb & Gutter	(4,855)	5,145
100-54340	Street Cleaning	5,771	9,986
100-54350	Snow & Ice	48,181	96,804
100-54420	Street Lighting Electric	23,457	110,957
100-54430	Tree & Brush	4,698	11,908
100-54450	Storm Sewer	3,191	7,981
100-54710	Garbage	5,242	117,342
100-55410	Park	(4,698)	24,427
100-56320	Land Use Plan	(5,242)	4,758
100-56370	Retiree Benefits	(<u>5.617</u>) \$18,922	3,383

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any funds over those budgeted in 2008 which remain in Account #100-54310-110 through #100-54310-342, Streets & Alleys, be placed into the Restricted Fund under their respective outlay sub-accounts for future expenditure.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 2nd day of March, 2009 by the Kewaskum Village

Andy Pesch Village President

ATTEST:

Stephanie Justmann Clerk/Deputy Treasurer

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W.B. Suns put baseball hopes in former Indian Heisdorf's hands



West Bend Suns' head Baseball coach, Mike Heisdorf, is shown with his son, Mike Heisdorf. A former Kewaskum Indian, Heisdorf will now lead the Suns.

Submitted photo

By Judy Harlow Statesman Correspondent

WEST BEND- Mike Heisdorf left his gritty, hustling trademark mark on Kewaskum High School athletics in the early 1980s, and now he is hoping to do the same as the new head baseball coach of the West Bend East Suns.

The announcement was made last week by East Athletic Director Jeff Rondorf that Heisdorf, who served as assistant varsity coach a year ago, had been selected from a list of 20 candidates.

Both sides were delighted with the outcome of the interviewing process.

"I know there were several reasons Mike stood out above the rest," Rondorf said. "First was his knowledge of the game of baseball, and then there was his experience, especially last year when he was assistant coach."

And Heisdorf, a 1982 KHS graduate who lettered in three

sports, can hardly wait for May 15 to roll around so he can start what he hopes will be the continuation of a strong legacy in the sport at East, going back to the state championship years of Gary Perkins and Doug Gonring, currently the head coach at Kewaskum High.

While his predecessor, Brian Chesick, did not win a state title during his tenure, Heisdorf praised the work he did while serving as the Sun mentor and noted, "Brian was a good coach and is a super, nice guy."

Even though the parents of a lot of his former Little League players often urged him to move up, Heisdorf didn't really plan on going into high school coaching, but when Chesick asked him to help the Suns last summer, he decided to give it a

"I had a lot of support from my wife (Donna) and my daughter (Holly)," Heisdorf said, adding, "I did it for free, and I enjoyed it."

East finished with a mark of 22-10 in 2008, unofficially placing third in what is a highly regarded baseball conference, the North Shore Conference, which is comprised of teams from the Wisconsin Little Ten and the North Shore Conferences.

"I was in charge of the in-

field last year," Heisdorf went on, indicating that should be one of the team's strengths this summer because "We have everybody back."

Looking at the 2008 roster and the prospects for this year's squad, the new coach says, "We have to replace our catcher," and, "We need to develop some pitching," a situation which is an annual challenge for nearly all prep coaches.

"The whole conference is going to be tough," Heisdorf said, explaining Germantown is always strong, "Cedarburg has its program going, and (West Bend) West is always up there with (coach) Billy Albrecht."

And what will Heisdorf emphasize philosophically? "I want a lot of respect and hustle," noting he wants his Sun players to show respect for one another and he will stress that they "play hard and play the game the right way."

As far as his coaching style, the new Sun boss will take a wait-and-see attitude. "I'm going to play whatever I need to play that day ... you've got to respond to what the situation gives you," he said.

A date Kewaskum fans and players might look forward to is July 3, when the Suns travel to Kewaskum to take on the Indians. Will Heisdorf be nervous about facing his old high school and the legendary Gonring, who coached his son, Josh, both at East and at Concordia University where he is currently a senior?

Heisdorf said he hasn't

looked that far ahead to be nervous, but come May 26, East's opener against Plymouth, he admits "I'm sure there will be some butterflies. I'm excited."

Heisdorf's son Jared is a sophomore at East. "Bowling is his sport," Heisdorf said, noting Jared and the East team will compete in the state tournament this weekend. The younger Heisdorf son also enjoys baseball, while Holly Heisdorf, who attends the University of Iowa, loves dance.

Mike Heisdorf, a big fan of the Milwaukee Brewers and major league baseball, is employed by BesTech Tool Corporation where he is the plant manager.

Writer's note: Mike Heisdorf started for the KHS basketball team for two seasons, the best his senior season. "That was a good year for us," Heisdorf said. "We lost to Mayville, and they won the state title."

Others on the team were Dale Wodsedelak, Ric Leitheiser and Brian Larsen. The coach was Jim Westphal.

Heisdorf did well in golf, advancing to the sectionals with the 1980, '81 and '82 teams. Heisdorf was co-medalist in the '82 regional. Jim Rohlinger and Chris Harlow were two major teammates. The coach was Joe Harlow.

The Indians also did well in baseball with Heisdorf manning one of the outfield spots. He earned honorable mention in the Eastern Wisconsin Conference balloting. The coach was Mike Theiler.

Statesman Scoreboard RECREATION/CLUB STANDINGS



The Kewaskum Indians Wrestling Club (KIWC) had 24 kids wrestle in the youth tournament on February 22. The kids ended up with a second place team trophy.

First place finishes were received by Tyler Laufer and Eric Bauer.

Second place finishes were awarded to Joey Schanen, Jacob Hardy, Max Vetter, Dakota Lawrenz, Mike Boettcher, Jacob Heberer, Caleb Reif, Kyle Bath, Nathan Lawrenz, Keegan Liddicoat and DJ Smith.

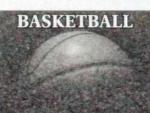
Third place finishes were awarded to Logan Dreher, Kurt Luedtke, Zack Heberer, Matt Shoppach, Luke Bindrich, Dillon Knoeck, Zain Kerkela and Seth Knoeck

Kewaskum Indians Wrestling Club had 11 kids participate in the Menasha Youth Tournament on March 1. They came up short on a team trophy and ended up fourth in team points.

Points were determined by ten chosen wrestlers and what place they finished in. Five kids took first place, Logan Dreher, Austin Goeden, Brett Scoles, Eric Bauer, Nathan Lawrenz.

Four took second place, Nick Bier, Cody Muckerheide, Dakota Lawrenz, Jadon Rhoads.

Only two ended up in third place in the four-man brackets, Brandon Wade, Matt Shoppach.



There was an exciting weekend of basketball at KES and the high school gyms on Feb. 14 and 15. The tournament is a source of fund raising for the KYB organization, which is dedicated to teaching youth basketball for the Kewaskum community. The girls had a nine-team bracket with double elimination.

The Kewaskum Green team was seeded fifth and the Kewaskum White team was seeded second. The green team lost their first game against North Fondy 17-6. The green team won their next game against the Laconia team-1 28-2. There next game was against Laconia team-2 in which they won 15-13. The green team then battled on with Eden and lost a tough game 14-8. The girls played well and finished it fourth: Leading the way for the green team was Mikayla Dogs and Mikaela Leitheiser, with Breanna Trepes underneath for the rebounds.

The White team started out against Campbellsport winning 7-5. They then took on Laconia and won 10-8 in another close game. They moved on against North Fondy and lost 17-7. The White team had to play Eden who was the winner of the game against the green team. The White team won another close game 8-6 to move on to the winner's bracket. They had to play North Fondy again and lost a tough game 13-6. The White team ended up in second place. The White team played well with Elisabeth Bauer, Hailey Herriges and Molly Schultes leading the way. The team also had tough defending which keep the opponents scores low.

Melissa Schneider has shown great improvement over the last couple of games.

The results of the fourth grade girls were North Fondy first, Kewaskum White second, Eden third, and Kewaskum Green fourth.

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The Kewaskum Gridiron Club thanked their 2008 donors at a reception on Saturday February 14 at Hon-E-Kor Golf and Country Club. Shown above, front to back, left to right is Janine Martin of Kewaskum Concrete, Stacy Anderson of The Fifth Quarter, Dawn Backhaus of Albiero Plumbing, Caroline Wollner of Wollner Excavating and Barb Sopinski of Sopinkski Trucking. Back row: Nicole and William Lehman of Englehardt Dairy, Nicole Kuehl of Statesman Publications, David Martin, Erik Anderson, Ken Erickson of Sweeds', John Backhaus, Bob Sopinski and Scott Wollner. Missing were: Scott and Patty Derge, Kurt and Judy Goeman of JK Rentals, Tim Reynolds of Larpen Metallurgical Service, Jason Butzlaff, Rob Manthei, Kewaskum Frozen Foods, Aaron and Amy Steinman, Earl and Marie Kleinke of Amerahn, Harry and Lori Roecker of LR Trophy, Chris Canter of CC's Place, Robert and Michelle Schreier of Don's Electric, Jim Butz of Clothes Clinic and Hon-E-Kor.

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The Kewaskum Gridiron Club

The Kewaskum Gridiron Club was formed in 1996 with the first game played in fall of 1997. Gridiron began with teams from sixth through eighth grades. A fifth grade team and cheerleaders were added a few years later.

Gridiron impacts approximately 160 kids from the Kewaskum community every season (players and cheerleaders). The mission is to teach the fundamentals of football and cheerleading techniques.

Kewaskum Gridiron has a strong partnership with Kewaskum High School football. In fact 13 of the 22 seniors on the varsity team this past fall played football all the way through; from fifth grade through their senior year. This group of 13 is eligible for two Gridiron scholarships (\$1,000 each). These scholarships are made possible by the generous contributions of coaches, individuals and businesses. If you would like to become involved in the organization please contact Jim Korth at 626-2520.

The annual sign up will happen on Saturday, April 25 from 10:00 – 2:00 p.m. at Hon E Kor.

WE GOOFED!

In last week's edition, on this page we depicted Bo Seibel as his brother Cody in a photo of him at the State Wrestling

We apologize for this error and hope we can learn to better distinguish these two Kewaskum sports stars!

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