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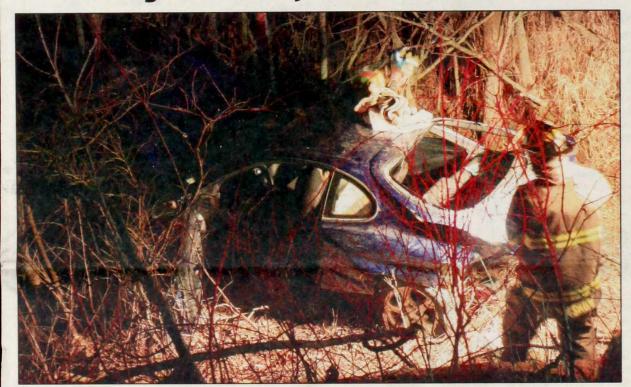
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Local weather related crashes injure one, kill another



Kewaskum firefighters collect supplies after rescuing a Campbellsport woman who was injured and trapped in a vehicle that left a slippery road and crashed in a steep embankment on County Road G in the Town of Auburn Sunday evening shortly after 7 p.m. A complete article can be found on page 3 of this edition.

Statesman photo: Andrew Kueh

Public Hearing on ATVs December 8

By Mitch Maersch

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The Washington County Planning, Conservation and Parks Committee will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, Dec. 8, about allowing all-terrain vehicles on portions of the Eisenbahn Trail outside the city of West Bend.

After the hearing, the PCPC could act on whether or not to allow ATVs on the trail.

ATVs would be allowed on the trail from Dec. 15 to March 15. The trail surface has to be frozen, the temperature has to be 28 degrees or below and the trail has to be posted as open.

The Washington County Association of Snowmobile Clubs would determine if the trail is open or not. Calling the hotline at (262) 334-6061 or checking the associations' Web site (http://www.wcasc.org/) will say if the trail is open or not.

The standards for the trail opening for snowmobiles and ATVs are different so there could be times when the trail

would be open for one and closed for the other.

In Washington County, portions of the trail go through the towns of Kewaskum and Barton, and the Village of Kewaskum. Approval from those three municipalities and the PCPC is required for ATVs to be allowed on the trail

The two towns don't have ordinances prohibiting ATVs on the trail. The Town of Kewaskum's ordinance addressing the issue doesn't regulate public land, so ATVs would be allowed since the Eisenbahn Trail is owned by the Department of Natural Resources. The Town of Barton allows ATVs as well as it doesn't have an ordinance prohibiting them.

ordinance prohibiting them.

The Village of Kewaskum's ordinance was recently updated to only allow ATVs on the trail if the PCPC

Adjacent landowners to the trail were sent postcards about the hearing and are encouraged to attend or send the county their input before the meeting.

"We'd really like to get the

neighbors' comments," said Cindy Leinss, landscape designer for the county's Planning and Parks Department.

The hearing begins at 2:05 p.m. in rooms 1020 and 1026 of the Government Center, 432 E. Washington St. Those who can't attend are encouraged to send written comments by Tuesday to: Mike Kactro, Public Agency Center, 333 E. Washington St., WI 53095.

Town of Kewaskum Chairman Ellis Kahn states he too is interested in known what residents think of ATV use on the trail. He encouraged people in the town to compose their thoughts for or against the proposal and get them to the town hall, he will then present them at the meeting.

them at the meeting.

If the PCPC decides against allowing ATVs on the trail, the clubs could come back next year and ask for

Fond du Lac County has allowed ATVs on the trail for the past few years. Allowing them in Washington County would let riders go from just north of West Bend to the trail's end in Eden.

Annual Christmas Parade Sunday

Community shopping Friday and bonfire Sunday are new events

KEWASKUM- After months of planning the annual Kewaskum Christmas Parade sponsored by the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce will take place Sunday at 5 p.m. A few new events will also take place around the parade.

To kick off the event a number of Kewaskum businesses have organized open houses at their business with special late hours for those wishing to shop locally this Christmas. Businesses wishing to learn more can contact Wendi Dreher of Hair on Main at (262) 626-2616.

After the parade, a community bonfire will be held in the rear of the Municipal Building Annex.

declared Organizers have Christmas Night of Lights" as the theme for Sunday's event. This year's Parade Marshalls are Edward and Sharron Miller, former owners of Miller's Furniture. Both have been active in the community and active with the Chamber. Mr. Miller is one of the founding members of The Kewaskum Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Miller remains active with Kewaskum Education Youth Scholarships, Inc., (KEYS). The Miller family celebrated 100 years in business this year.

There's still time to get involved, this year's planning committee of Mike Geidel of Geidel's Piggly Wiggly, Scott Sadownikow of Kewaskum Mobil, Kevin Stautz of Hollywood Homes LLC and Gino Giudice of Bonne Bell Motel are still looking for area businesses to get involved by entering floats in the parade or helping to sponsor entries with music for the event.

Instead of collecting food for families as was done in the past, the organizers have decided to have a toy collection along the parade route for needy families in Washington County. Toys can also be dropped off prior to the parade at: Geidel's Piggly Wiggly, Kewaskum Mobil and The Scrap Nook. However, the Kewaskum Community Pantry will have a float collecting food along the route.

Those wishing to have floats should contact Mike Geidel at (262) 626-1778 or email mikegeidel@kewaskumpig.com. An entry form can also be downloaded from the Kewaskum Chamber website as well at www.kewaskum.org.

Please see Parade page 3



On the Record

Send us your favorite Christmas stories, recipes

The Statesman will again be publishing their annual Christmas edition. It will appear in the December 16 issue. The staff of The Statesman asks their subscribers for submissions.

In our fast-paced world, so many family traditions have been forgotten and buried in the archives. We would like to resurrect some of them, but can only do so if you send us your story. We prefer your Christmas memories or stories to be emailed or typed and dropped off. Articles that are illegible will not be considered. If you have a photo to go along with your story, you may submit it as well. Please have people in the photo named and a year if possible.

Once again we will publish "Letters to Santa." All children should know Santa subscribes to our newspaper!

What holiday experience would be complete without your favorite holiday recipes to share with our readers? If your Christmas recipe brings "Joy" to your family, why not spread it around?

We ask that everyone who submits items enclose their

name, address and phone number in case there is a question with your submission.

Please hurry, all items must be in to our office by December 2. Items can be mailed to The Statesman, PO Box 98, Kewaskum, WI 53040. Emailed to newsroom@kewaskumstatesman.com.

If you care to drop off your submission visit our office at 240 Main Street, Kewaskum. We can only accept actual photographs or emailed photos in TIFF format. Our 2010 holiday issue can only be the "best ever" with your help!

XYZ CARD RESULTS

The winners at cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wed., Nov. 17 were:

SHEEPSHEAD: Joanne Weisling, Ray Staehler, Laura Buddenhagen, Judy Lickman, Ray Ruplinger, Leon Schmidt, Darlene Schaub, Jim Oelhafen.

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

KEWASKUM SENIOR DINING CENTER

For the Elderly Menu Meadowcreek Complex 262-483-2056

Monday, Dec. 6 -- BBQ riblet, sweet potatoes, green beans, whole wheat bread, Holiday ice cream.

Tuesday, Dec. 7 -- Swedish meatballs over rotini noodles, asparagus tips, citrus fruit cup, multigrain bread, apple struesel cake. Alt: vanilla wafers.

Wednesday, Dec. 8 --Hamburger on a bun with fixings, baked beans, seasonal fresh fruit, oatmeal raisin cookie. Alt: diet cookie.

Thursday, Dec. 9 --Creamy baked chicken breast, mashed potatoes with gravy, broccoli flowerets, multigrain bread, cherry pie. Alt: diet pie.

Public Health Nurse every first and third Thursday, 9-11:30 a.m.

CAMPBELLSPORT MEALSITE MENU

Campbellsport Community Center 920-533-8351 x1216

Wednesday, Dec. 8 --Beef goulash, egg noodles, green beans, tossed salad, peach cobbler.

XYZ CARD RESULTS

The winners at cards played at the Municipal Building Annex on Wed., Nov. 24 were:

SHEEPSHEAD: Bernice Yogerst, Athleen Butzke, Janet Jaeger, Fern Kreif.

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

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TUESDAY NIGHT SHEEPSHEAD WINNERS

Five handed winners on Tuesday, November 23 were: Robert Freitag, 74-4-70, 21-2-19; Dave Dayton, 69-8-61, 25-4-21; Frank Krueger, 63-4-59, 16-2-14; Delores Mielke, 62-4-58, 18-3-15; Ambrose Lecher, 63-7-56, 20-5-15; Raymond Ruplinger, 71-15-56, 21-8-13; Tom Kohn, 56-6-50, 18-4-14; Duane Plath, 21 most losses; Gerald Stern, 13 low points.

The next five handed callan-ace will be Tuesday, December 7 30, at 7:30 p.m. sharp. Bring your own drink. Cash prizes.

New players welcome. Kewaskum Labor Center.

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Volunteers Needed in Washington County

The Volunteer Center of Washington County has a variety of local volunteer opportunities available. Please visit www.volunteernow. net or call 262-338-8256 to register. Among the volunteer opportunities are:

- Childcare: play with children while parents attend educational workshops.
- Maintenance: Use your carpentry, electrical or plumbing skills to assist an agency or someone in need.
- Computers: Use your Microsoft Office, Quickbooks, or graphic design skills to help a non-profit.
- Administration: Share your organizational skills with an agency that needs assistance with data entry, transcription, and bulk mailings
- Holiday Events: Spread holiday cheer at a holiday event this season. View our special holiday volunteer pages to learn how you can help or donate.

Washington County's Most Wanted

The Washington County Sheriff's Department is seeking:

Name: Hally Gerwoin Gaines

Alias: Hally Gerwdyn Gines, Russell Olinds, Russell Ollins Age: 41 Race: Black

Sex: Male
Height: 6'01" Weight: 180
Hair: Black Eyes: Brown
Last known address: Milwaukee

Warrant Entry Date: 11-19-2010
Wanted for unauthorized use of vehicle - joy ride.

Anyone with information on this person's whereabouts should call the Washington County Sheriff's Department at 262-335-4411 or Washington County Law Enforcement Tip Line at 800-232-0594. Resident should not attempt to apprehend this suspect.

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December's Waiting Child

Adoption Resources of Wisconsin



Jose

Date of Birth: 06/02/1999

Jose is a strong, Hispanic and Caucasian 11-year-old boy who tries to overcome every obstacle given to him. He has had some setbacks in his behavior, but he is an amazing kid who is constantly smiling and laughing.

Jose is in the fourth grade and functions developmentally at the age of a 5- or 6-yearold. He seems to enjoy all of his classes

and has an IEP in place to receive speech and language therapy, along with occupational and physical therapy. Jose is deaf and communicates through sign language. He knows about 200 signs and requires an interpreter in the classroom. Jose needs a family who is able to communicate with him through sign language and has the love, patience and understanding to deal with his special needs.

Jose has a larger-than-life personality and enjoys watching cartoons and sports on TV. He also enjoys playing soccer and basketball and becomes completely enveloped in whatever he is doing. He is a very determined child who tries his hardest at everything he does.

For more information about Jose or other Wisconsin children waiting for adoptive homes, call Adoption Resources of Wisconsin at 414-475-1246 or 800-762-8063 or visit the website at www.wiadopt.org.

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Kewaskum woman killed in string of weather related crashes

Campbellsport woman injured

By Andrew Kuehl

Slippery roads took drivers by surprise Sunday evening into Monday morning as Sheriff's deputies and rescue personnel dealt with a hand full of crashes that injured a Campbellsport woman and left a rural Kewaskum woman

Fond du Lac County Sheriff's deputies responded to a single vehicle crash on County Highway G in the Town of Auburn Sunday evening, November, 28 at 7:07 p.m. Kewaskum Firefighters and EMTs also responded for a passenger who was trapped in the vehicle and could not move her legs.

Deputy Ryan Flood

explained the accident occurred when Peter Pecus, 47, of Campbellsport was traveling northbound on County Road G and started losing control of his car. He attempted to correct but it began spinning out again and eventually came to rest in the steep ditch of the roadway near the Dietrich Drive intersection.

extricating After passenger Kewaskum Rescue Squad transported her to an area hospital. West Bend EMS Intercept also responded to assist. Her condition is unknown. The driver was uninjured.

Monday morning, November 29, another single crash occurred taking the life of a 63-year-

Kewaskum woman. Washington County Sheriff's Deputies responded to a roll over crash in the Town of Farmington at 8:26 a.m. on Paradise Road south of Valley

Upon arrival a pick up truck was found on its roof in the middle of the roadway. Mary Schneider was found trapped within the truck.

Boltonville Department personnel responded to the scene and used their Jaws of Life to assist in gaining access to the woman. She was later pronounced dead at the scene by the Medical examiner's office.

Investigators determined Schneider had been traveling south bound on Paradise Road, drove off the road and entered the west ditch, striking an embankment and overturning, with the truck reentering the roadway coming to rest on its roof. The road was heavily covered with frost upon emergency workers arrival and may have contributed to the cause of the crash. There were no witnesses to the crash and no other vehicles are believed to be involved.

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hristmas Parade

Parade participants are to meet in the front of Kewaskum High School starting at 4:15 p.m. they should check in with a parade organizer upon arrival. Walking groups are to meet in the KHS fieldhouse, they may park in the rear of

There will be the usual float competition, with monetary prizes going to the top five floats selected by the judges. Walking groups will also have a chance to win prizes.

Santa Claus has promised he will send one of his Santa helpers from the North Pole to be in the Kewaskum parade and will be pulled by Regal

The parade route will proceed from the high school south down Parkview Drive, to Main Street and west on Main until Fond du Lac Avenue, where it will end at the Kewaskum Municipal Annex Building. Floats can park in the alley between Engelhardt Distributing and the Annex Building.

Following the parade, during the community bonfire, the Municipal Building Annex

Women's Club share baked goodies, and hot cocoa and coffee.

The Kewaskum Chamber of Commerce organizes the parade through sponsorships and a donation made by the McCarty family a number of years ago.

KSD prepared for Marrinette-like situation

By Mitch Maersch

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The Kewaskum School District coincidentally revised its emergency response plan a couple of weeks ago, as this week's hostage situation at Marinette High School reiterated the need to be prepared.

While the district hasn't practiced a hostage situation, Superintendent Mike Krumm saidthehighschoolhaspracticed lockdown drills, though not involving other agencies like the police department.

"We do practice them. We will be probably doing some of those down the road, too," he

Should a Marinette-like situation arise, Kewaskum High School has something Marinette did not.

"One advantage we've got is we've got a liaison officer in the school at all times. So if something happens, he's there right away," said Police Chief Richard Knoebel.

The district has practiced evacuation drills in the case of

the three elementary schools Kewaskum, Farmington and Wayne. Those drills involve the police and fire departments, and the Washington County Sheriff's Department. Like in an actual emergency, students are transported to another location

and accounted for, Krumm said.

The district has focused on decreasing bullying as well, a common trigger for school violence. Two years ago, the district had Bill Bond speak to staff, emergency workers and the community. Bond was principal of Heath High School in Kentucky in 1997 when a shooting occurred. Three years later, Bond spoke about the incident and what caused it, and it turned into his life's work.

"We really made commitment to doing quite a bit in this area. We want to be responding in the appropriate manner," Krumm said.

The next district newsletter will inform the public of the district's emergency procedures and practices.





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Public meeting scheduled for WIS 144 Dec. 7

Wisconsin Department (WisDOT) Transportation Southeast Regional Office in Waukesha is announcing public information meeting to discuss roadway improvements to WIS 144 from West Bend to North Washington County Line in Washington County. The meeting is scheduled from December 7, 2010 in the fellowship hall at St. Andrew Lutheran Church, 7750 North WIS 144, West Bend.

The purpose of this meeting is to review proposed roadway improvements and real estate acquisition.

The meeting will be conducted in an open house format with project exhibits on display for review. Personnel from WisDOT will be available to provide information and answer questions.

The project aims to improve the condition of the riding surface, intersection operation, sight distance and safety throughout the corridor and is currently scheduled for construction for summer/fall 2011.

Citizens who are unable to attend the meeting, or would like more information,

should contact Gary Metzer, WisDOT project manager at (262) 548-5685 or gary. metzer@dot.wi.gov Written comments regarding the project can be mailed to Gary Metzer, WisDOT, 141 NW Barstow Street, Waukesha, WI 53187. St. Andrew Lutheran Church wheelchair accessible. Hearing-impaired citizens may request an interpreter contacting Dennis A. Shook at least three working days prior to the meeting via the Wisconsin Telecommunications Relay system (1-800-WI-RELAY).

Winter Parking rules now in effect

From Dec. 1 to April 1, vehicles may not be parked on the street from 2 to 6 a.m.,

according to municipal code.
Police Chief Richard Knoebel said warnings may be given the first day or two "but that's going to be it." Fines for violations are

\$20 each.

The village sells permits for some village lots if people need places to park. Contact the village for more information at 626-8484.

Workday for McLane history

On December 8 there will be a day for collecting and identifying pictures and articles from McLane School's earlier days - especially 1940's - 1970's. Those interested will meet at Fifth Avenue Methodist Church. Drop in at any time between 9am-3pm.

If you have information but cannot attend, contact Barbara Robertson(338-6903) or John Cain(338-8282)

This work is collected in anticipation of McLane's 75th Anniversary in

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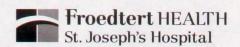
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Right here in our community, on the campus of Froedtert Health St. Joseph's Hospital, the Froedtert & The Medical College of Wisconsin Specialty Clinics offers patients local access to leading-edge plastic and reconstructive surgery services. Staffed by Medical College of Wisconsin physician John LoGiudice, MD, the Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Clinic is currently accepting patient appointments.

The availability of advanced plastic and reconstructive surgery services within our community offers additional convenience for Washington County residents. It also offers the advantage of direct access, when needed, to the world-class resources of Froedtert & The Medical College of Wisconsin - the only academic medical center in eastern Wisconsin.

To make an appointment, call 262-836-7300. To learn more about the Froedtert & The Medical College of Wisconsin Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Clinic at St. Joseph's Hospital, visit froedtert.com/stjosephs or stjosephswb.com





Froedtert Health St. Joseph's Hospital to build new cancer center

WEST BEND – Froedtert Health St. Joseph's Hospital will break ground next spring on a 16,000-square-foot addition for a new cancer center on the hospital campus at Pleasant Valley Road and Highway 45. The addition will be sited on the hospital's west side and connected to both St. Joseph's Hospital and Froedtert Health Medical Group West Bend Clinic-South.

The building will be the new home of the Alyce and Elmore Kraemer Cancer Care Center, which will move from its current location in leased space at the hospital's former site in West Bend. Key features of the new Cancer Care Center include expanded space hematology-oncology services, including private and semi-private infusion care settings; a new state-of-theart linear accelerator and CT (computerized tomography) simulator; an outpatient clinic; and wellness services provided by Froedtert & The Medical College of Wisconsin Small Stones Wellness Center.

"Our goal is to offer highquality cancer services to the community," said Michael Laird, president and chief executive officer of St. Joseph's "Relocating the Hospital. Alvce and Elmore Kraemer Cancer Care Center to the hospital campus will help unite our spectrum of services, making it easier for patients to receive care. For example, imaging, therapy and other support services will be more convenient because everything will be in one place. In addition, physician and staff collaboration across different cancer specialties will be enhanced."

Laird added, "When we announced in August that St. Joseph's Hospital had joined the new Froedtert & The Medical College of Wisconsin Cancer Network, it was another step toward providing advanced, coordinated care right here in our community. Through our relationship with Froedtert & The Medical College, we already have expanded our cancer services to include urologic oncology and gynecologic oncology in addition to radiation and medical oncology, and there are plans to add new cancer specialties, including colorectal, breast and thoracic surgery as well as a cancer survivors program, when the new building is completed."

According to Bob Nichols, director of the community division of Froedtert & The Medical College Cancer Network, nearly 500 cancer cases were treated at the Alyce and Elmore Cancer Care Center in fiscal year 2010, a 21% increase over the previous year.

"The new building will enable access to services beyond those typically available in the community, such as improved access to other cancer specialists and clinical trials, diagnostic discussions through electronic linkages with the academic medical center and support

services such as psychological and genetics counseling, nutrition services and financial counseling," Nichols said.

"When we joined forces in July 2008, our vision was to create a strong regional healthcare organization that responds to the growing needs of West Bend and Washington County," said William Petasnick, president and chief executive officer of Froedtert Health. "As this new building and the Cancer Network demonstrate, we remain committed to that vision."

Groundbreaking scheduled for spring 2011 with completion expected in fall 2012. Including the cancer center, the new facility will have two levels totaling 32,000 square feet of space to accommodate future growth in physicians and outpatient services. The complete project cost, including equipment and furnishings, is approximately million. General contractor is CG Schmidt, Inc. Project architect Zimmerman Architectural Studios, Inc. teamed with mechanical engineers Ring & DuChateau.

Froedtert Health St. Joseph's Hospital is an acute care hospital serving residents of West Bend and Washington County and is a member of Froedtert Health, a regional hospital system that includes Froedtert Hospital, Milwaukee; Community Memorial Hospital, Menomonee Falls; and Froedtert Health Medical Group.

Deadline for candidacy papers January 4

By Mitch Maersch

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Leadership of three area towns could flip as well as more than half the Kewaskum Village Board and nearly half of the School Board in the spring election.

Nomination papers could be taken out starting Dec. 1 to get on the spring ballot.

Every town supervisor and chairman are up for election this spring in the towns of Kewaskum, Farmington and Wayne.

In Kewaskum, that includes Chairman Ellis Kahn and supervisors Allen Hron and Dan Schmidt. The positions of Clerk Nancy Boden and Treasurer Daniel Stoffel are up for re-election as well.

In Farmington, the list includes Chairman Gary Schreiber and supervisors Art Seyfert and Mark Foyse. The clerk and treasurer positions are appointed rather than elected.

In the Town of Kewaskum, Chairman Carl Klemme and supervisors Mike Samann and Robert Schulteis are up for re-election. So are Clerk Julie Kriewaldt and Treasurer Gerald Schulz.

Village president Andrew

Pesch is up for re-election, as are Trustees Norman Kufahl, Tom Piwoni and Jim Hovland. School Board members John Kenworthy, Sally Cochran and Jim Leister are up for re-election. Kenworthy is School Board president but the board votes on officers after each election.

Paperwork to declare candidacy is available through each municipality or the Government Accountability Board Web site. Three forms are required: campaign registration statement (GAB-1), nomination paper for nonpartisan office (GAB-169) and declaration of candidacy (GAB-162).

Twenty signatures are required. Residents are reminded to only sign as many candidates' papers as there are seats available. For example, only sign one town chairman's or village president's candidate's paper, but sign up to two town supervisors' papers and up to three trustee or school board candidates' papers.

The deadline to turn in papers is 5 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 4.

To print out a list of required papers online, go to: http://gab.wi.gov/elections-voting/candidates/local/non-partisan

Ban on texting while driving now in effect

A new state law took effect December 1, 2010 that bans texting while driving in Wisconsin.

The law makes it illegal to drive "any motor vehicle while composing or sending an electronic text message or an electronic mail message." A citation for violating this law may cost drivers up to \$400 along with four demerit points added on their license.

Wisconsin is now one of 30 states and the District of Columbia that ban texting on a cell phone or similar electronic device while driving. Wisconsin's texting ban is a primary enforcement law, which means law enforcement officers may stop motorists suspected of this offense alone.

"All law enforcement officers hope that drivers realize the extreme danger of texting while driving and voluntarily comply with this new law. But if they don't, we're ready to take appropriate enforcement actions to prevent them from killing and injuring

themselves and others," said Wisconsin State Patrol Superintendent David Collins.

According to Collins, all forms of distracted driving are dangerous. However, texting while behind the wheel is especially hazardous because the driver's eyes, hands and mental focus are all diverted from the safe operation of the vehicle.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration attributed an estimated 6,000 traffic deaths and one-half million injuries to distracted driving in 2008.

"Every time you drive,

you are legally and morally responsible for safely operating a potentially destructive-and even deadly-force" Collins said. "That's why driving requires your undivided attention. Any lapse attention to traffic or road conditions is a grave danger to you, your passengers and everyone else on the road. No attempt to multi-task in your vehicle, no phone call, and no text message is more important than a human life.







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Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

The article I am sending with this letter represents who I am. I never realized it more than since this last Veteran's Day. In the fall of 1948, I, along with Allen Mertes, Einar Ingman (who then lived in Kewaskum), and George Kirst, joined the Army for three years and two years later the Korean War started and our enlistment was extended to four years. We finished our Basic Training in Camp Breckenridge Kentucky and I went on to Engineer School in Fort Belvior, Virginia and they went on to the Infantry. Allen gave his life in Korea, Einar got wounded and received the Congressional Medal of Honor from President Truman for his bravery saving the lives of members in his outfit. George was badly wounded in Korea and we saw each other

briefly on Okinawa where he was stationed before going to Korea, We met again when we both worked at Regal Ware a few years later. I spent 3 years on Okinawa in the Army Engineers and came home without a scratch.

I spent most of my adult life as a Union person. First as a member of the Teamsters when I was an over the road truck driver and pipe line worker. Next as President of my Local Union AIW-AFL-CIO #849 here in Kewaskum at Real Ware. I then was hired and served 7 years as a full time Representative for AIW Region # 9 serving 12 Local Unions around Wisconsin and organizing 6 more new Local Unions. I then was elected Exec. VP of the Wisconsin State AFL-CIO serving 42 Labor Councils including the Washington County Central Labor Council. I was re-elected 5 times and retired in 1994.

I was raised in Kewaskum during the depression where my Dad lost his business the John Gruber Bakery. He then was able to get a job along with many other poor people in the Kewaskum area who had no job and needed to feed their families

The job they got was the WPA a Roosevelt stimulus program. They built the Firemans Park in Kewaskum they shored up the banks of the river with stones, built the dam and bridge across the river, they put in a beach and built a shelter to change clothes to go swimming and they planted trees and built many of the buildings including the band stand which are still standing today. They worked for \$18.00 per week. After a year or so my proud father became

a plumber and later worked at the Kewaskum Creamery as a maintenance man and a member of the Teamsters Union.

My brother Bob joined the CCC (civilian conservation corp.) another Roosevelt program and was at Camp Estabrook in Milwaukee which they built is now Estabrook Park. He helped supplement our family's food on the table.

Then WW2 My brother Bob joined the Army in 1940 and my brother Gene joined the Marines and was in the invasion of Iwo Jima. My brother Harlan and I joined the Army in 1948.

Together all of us helped make the middle class in America along with many babyboomers. We need to respect and remember the past or we are bound to relive it.

Am I a do-gooder or bleeding heart person? I think so,

what do you think?

Joe Gruber Town of Auburn

DOING A HEART GOODBy Bill Berry

A lot of progressives are still walking around in a funk after what happened November 2. It's understandable, but it had better be short-lived, because America and the world need the kind of people who bring values like compassion and concern for others to the public dialogue. Those values took a direct, frontal assault in the

It's more obvious than ever that America needs people who believe the collective actions of well-intended people on behalf

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Jack and Bonny Ruelle of Jackson are lifelong residents of Washington County and both of their children were born at the New Life Center of Froedtert Health St. Joseph's Hospital. When nine-year-old Max complained of mild but persistent abdominal pain last September, Jack and Bonny decided that as a precaution, a visit to the **Emergency Care Center** at St. Joseph's Hospital was in order.

"We walked in about midnight," Jack explains. "Max wasn't in severe pain, but he clearly wasn't himself. He kept saying, 'I'm fine, I'm fine.'" When the initial examination and X-ray didn't immediately identify the cause of Max's discomfort, a more detailed diagnostic exam was performed using the hospital's 64-slice CT scanner. The scan revealed a perforated appendix, a condition normally accompanied by extraordinary levels of pain.

"I remember the doctor saying to me, 'You've got one very tough kid,'" Jack says. "Max had emergency surgery shortly thereafter, and today he's doing great."

The Ruelles are grateful for the high-quality care their son received at St. Joseph's Hospital. As Bonny explains, "It's incredibly important to have St. Joseph's emergency care nearby. The affiliation with Froedtert has just made it that much better. You always know that you're getting the best care possible."

Read more about the Ruelle family's experience at St. Joseph's Hospital by visiting stjosephswb.com.



More than expected.

Modern Woodmen fundraiser a success



Richard "Kissy" Kissinger, owner of the Grand Larsony in Kewaskum, and Jeff Jaeger of Modern Woodmen/JP Insurance present the matching funds check to Jay Faber, brother of the late Jack Faber, and Ann Flasch.

Members of the West Bend Modern Woodmen of America Chapter recently helped raise money for Ann Flasch and Jack Faber by supporting a car show and brat fry hosted by the Grand Larsony

The event, held on September 19, 2010, raised \$10.640. This includes \$2,500 matched by Modern Woodmen's home office through the organization's Matching Fund Program. The money will be used for medical expenses.

The Matching Fund program offers Modern Woodmen members nationwide the chance to show their support for a community cause, organization or individual in need by holding fundraisers. Modern Woodmen matched money raised up to \$2,500. These fundraising projects contribute more than \$6.5 million to community needs nationwide each year.

Coordinated by local Modern Woodmen members, chapters provide opportunities to connect through social activities and volunteer

For more information about the local chapter and how you can get involved, contact Jeff Jaeger at 262-626-4139.

As a tax exempt fraternal benefit society, Modern Woodmen sells life insurance, annuity and investment products not to benefit stockholders, but to improve the quality of life of its stakeholders - members, their families and their communities. This is accomplished through social, charitable and volunteer activities. Annually, Modern Woodmen and its members provide more than \$23 million and nearly one million volunteer hours for community projects nationwide.



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Letter to the Editor

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of the greater good can make a difference. It needs those whose hearts bleed, yes bleed, when they hear that a record 50.7 million people in the land of the free were without health insurance last Thanksgiving week. The number jumps to 75 million when you add people who are classified as underinsured. I'm betting that virtually everyone knows of a friend or family member who falls into one of those categories. I'm also betting that many of these people are productive members of society, working their tails off to make ends meet, even though they're cut out of the benefits the rest of us take for granted.

If being concerned about the needs of "the least among us" makes you a bleeding heart, then America needs a lot more bleeding hearts. And if trying to do something to make sure these people have the same basic rights as the better-off makes you a socialist, then America needs more socialists.

No matter what they call us, people who care about the needs of others, not just themselves, must speak up and act. We need to resist actions that

will take us off the course of addressing this lingering pox on our country. We need to give thanks that we have a president and Congress that had the guts to do something about it, even though the price of compassion was their own political futures.

When those who ride into Washington on the wave of misguided and misinformed populism seek to dismantle what's been accomplished, we need to ask them what part of health care reform they will take back. The part that ensures people aren't denied medical care because of a pre-existing condition? The part that lets kids be covered by their parents' plans until they're 26? Or the part that stops insurance companies from dropping people when they're really ill? If your heart doesn't bleed at current inequities, you're not fully

Now, more than ever, America needs people who will stand up for the right to quality and affordable education. We need people who are thankful that they had the life-changing experience of a good education and who are willing to fight to see that young people today have those same opportunities.

Here in Wisconsin, we need more do-gooders, the pejorative term hurled at those who try to make the world around them a little better. In a state that produced a conservation ethic honed by the likes of Aldo Leopold and practiced by the likes of Gaylord Nelson, we need do-gooders who will resist and expose get-rich schemes that will rape our land and sully our waters. As Nelson reminded us many years ago, the economy is a wholly owned subsidiary of the environment. Nothing has changed. Anyone who argues otherwise is looking for profit at the expense of future generations. That is a form of theft, and the last time I checked stealing was still wrong according to civilian and religious code.

Now is not the time to mope or hide. We face long odds and stacked decks, but we have to hold accountable the people who would steal the basic rights of citizens for quality education and affordable health care. We have to hold accountable those who would rape our land and water resources for short-term gain. Yes, the world needs bleeding hearts and dogooders more than ever.



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<u>People</u>

50th Anniversary





and Joyce celebrated their 50th anniversary on Nov 12, 2010, with a Mass of celebration on November 13, 2010 at St. Lawrence Church, followed with a reception, dinner and open house with family and friends at Jug's Hitching Post Hall.

The couple have six children, Deb (Mike) McGuire, Tom (Diane) Hug, Tim (Kathy) Hug, Tammy (Tim) Rohlinger, Tony (Karin) Hug, Shelly (Marty) Schulteis. grandchildren are Their Jackie Hug, Katie Herriges, Joey Hug, Alec Schuppel, Mike Hug, Eric Hug, Kacey Hug, Matt Hug, Isaac Rohlinger, Hailey Rohlinger, Hug, Michaela Mason Schulteis, Lydia Schulteis and step-grandchildren Matt McGuire, Mitch McGuire and step-great grandchild Mason Mc Guire.

Local Pastors honored by Kiwanis



Left to right, Bob Zarling, Kiwanis Club, Rev. Eric Kirkeguaard, Clark Pearson, Kiwanis Club President, Father Edwin Kornath, Rev. Tim Henning, Rev. Joseph Brath, Rev. Troy Swenson and Larry Ammel, Kiwanis Club Secretary.

At a recent meeting, the Kewaskum Kiwanis Club honored the six pastors who serve the community through four local churches. Each pastor was presented with a framed certificate as a token of respect and appreciation for his dedication to Christian principles and recognition of the great responsibility he faces in his position.

Receiving certificates were Rev. Erik Kirkeguarrd and Rev. Bill Weideranders of Peace United Church of Christ; Father Ed Ko-rnath of Holy Trinity Catholic Church; Rev. Tim Henning and Rev. Troy Swenson of St. Lucas Lutheran Church and Rev. Joseph Brath of

Jaeger honored for sales achievement



Jeffrey Jaeger

Jeffrey Jaeger, Kewaskum, a representative of Modern Woodmen of America, has been named Modern Woodmen's 2009 President's Club. This distinction recognizes Jaeger's high achievement in life insurance sales among the organization's representatives nationwide.

Founded Modern Woodmen touches lives America and secures features. The fraternal benefit society offers financial services and fraternal member benefits to individuals and families throughout the United States.

You can always tell a real friend; when you've made a fool of yourself he doesn't feel you've done a permanent job.

-Laurence J. Peter

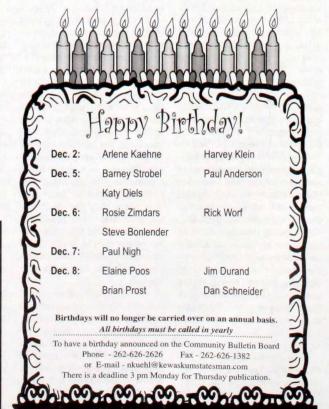
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Countdown to Holiday Happenings in Campbellsport now underway

By Andrea Hansen Abler of The Campbellsport News

CAMPBELLSPORT-It is that time of year again, to start thinking about the holiday season and all the activities that come with that season. The Campbellsport Area Chamber of Commerce is again sponsoring their Countdown To Holiday Happenings and working with other community groups for the annual Santa's Workshop on Saturday, Dec. 11.

The event runs now through Saturday, Dec. 11. During this time, Chamber businesses will be giving away numerous prizes to their loval customers. All you have to do is stop in or shop at any of the participating Chamber of Commerce businesses and sign up. Each participating business will have a box set up where you can sign-up to win these great prizes. You can put your name in the box once a day at each business.

Then, a name will be picked everyday to win one of the many prizes that are available. The winners will be released on Monday, Dec.

To find a listing of members of the the members of the Campbellsport Area Chamber of Commerce, go to their website at www.campbellsportchamber.org. Then visit the businesses to see if they have a sign-up.

Many of the cham-ber members have donated some great items to be given away. Prizes include Paul Mitchell products from Sheila's Beauty Salon, home made cookies from Dale and Lois Zingsheim, four hooded sweatshirts (two medium and two large) from Campbellsport Building Supply, a tailgate package from Ken Ketter Agency, four \$10 gift certificates from Klotz's Piggly Wiggly, two \$15 gift certificates from Loehr's Meat Service, basket of "home-made goodies" from St. Joseph Convent, Christmas bag filled with lots of Holiday Spirit from the Village Apothecary, \$50 in cash from West Bend Machine Works, a oneyear subscription from the Campbellsport News, bowling pass for a family of four from King Pin Lanes, \$10 gift card and a Christmas basket from Family Affair, \$50 from

Smith & Hatch Insurance Agency, \$25 in goods and/or services from Wright Veterinary Services, free individual federal/state income tax return from H&R Block, two \$25 gift certificates from Schlaefer Optometrist, Christmas rug from Twohig Furniture, t-shirt and sweatshirt from Hensen's Health Hut, four \$10 gift certificates from Ben Franklin/True Value, Campbellsport Cougar duffle bag from NSP Graphics, gift basket from Agnesian HealthCare, DVD/RW Drive from DI-MAN Systems, and six passes to the Winter Wonderland Lighted Stroll from Tami's Berry Farm/ True Ark Creations, More prizes may be added as the event begins.

Join Chamber mem-bers as they work with the Campbellsport Lions Club, Campbellsport Alliance Campbellsport Campbellsport Church, 4-H Club, Campbellsport School District Campbellsport Jaycees, and Campbellsport Fire Department Auxiliary as they work together to bring you Santa's Workshop on Saturday, Dec.

Community Events

December 3 - CHICK-A-DEE-DEE-DEE NATURE STORYTIME - 9:30 am - 10:30 am at the Ice Age Visitor Center, located off Hwy 67 half mile west of Dundee. Always bright-eyed and full of energy, chickadees add a cheery note to any winter day. You'll be amazed by the lives these tiny birds lead. This hour of nature fun awaits 3 to 6 year olds with accompanying adults

December 4 - KHS BREAKFAST WITH SANTA - Doors open at 8 a.m. with a full breakfast served at 8:30 a.m. Show Choir to perform until Santa arrives. Tickets are free for 2 and under; \$6 for 3-10 year olds; \$8 for 11 and up and seniors 60 and older are \$6.

December 4 & 11 - SNOWMOBILE SAFETY COURSE - sponsored by the Kewaskum Sno-Chiefs from 8 a.m. - 12 noon at the Kewaskum Municipal Building Annex, 1308 Fond du Lac Ave., Kewaskum. Anyone interested in signing up should call Craig Sanborn at (262) 343-0859. Must be 12 years or over.

December 5 - KEWASKUM CHRISTMAS PARADE - Parade steps off from Kewaskum High School at 5 p.m. and proceeds east on Third, south on Parkview Drive, west on Main Street and then north on Fond du Lac Ave to the Kewaskum Municipal Building Annex. Sponsored by the Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce. Community bonfire to follow.

December 6 - KEYS CHRISTMAS CONCERT - at 7 p.m. in the Kewaskum High School Theater. The Kewaskum Big Band and KHS Swing Choir will perform. Tickets are \$5 at the door. December 19 - AFTERNOON WITH SANTA AND MRS. CLAUS - at the Washington County Fair Park, 2 p.m. This special event includes horse drawn wagon rides, a magic show, crafts, treats and more. Tickets are \$7 per child and space is limited. For additional information visit www.stjosephswb.com. Please register by calling 800-272-3666. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Bring your camera!

December 19 & 20 - A BROKEN CAROL - presented by the Kewaskum High School Drama Club. Sunday, Dec. 19 at 2 p.m. and Monday, Dec. 20 at 7 p.m. Admission \$10 at the door, children 3-12, \$5. Kewaskum High School Theatre. ALL proceeds will go to 12

Young at Heart Club to meet Dec. 9

The Young at Heart Social Club will meet December 9 at St. Francis Cabrini Church Hall, 1025 S. 7th Ave., West Bend from 10:30 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.

Young at Heart is a nonprofit organization consisting of seniors 55 years or older, of all denominations and residents of Washington County. They meet nine times a year on the second Thursday of the month, for the months of September through May. Each time there is a full buffet dinner with dessert.

This month the group will be playing Christmas Bingo and there will be a Christmas singalong with Walt Thomspon on the guitar. For

more information.

contact Rita Etta, secretary at (262) 626-94701 of the presi-Helen Yogerst at (262) 677-1947 for more information.

Door prizes were awarded last month to the following members: Dolores Mueller, Ken Skidmore, JoAnn Fahney, Gerry Krug, Lucille Gosse, Roman Stoffel, Sally Tennies, Doris Wiskerchen, Eileen Bonlender, Dottie Graef, Lee Bohn, Althia Falter, Kathy Schmitt, Bernice Wiskerchen, Kathy Kraft, Teresa Peterson, Dee Kilby, Jim Bohn, Joan Schellinger, Mary Ann Nickel, Evie Jansen, Janet Jaeger, Tibbie Bohn, Bill Mueller, Marion Haen, Ralph Schmidt, Audrey Vandenberg, Art Doll and Fred Bleck.

Christmas Cantata Dec. 17, 19

The Campbellsport Area Ecumenical Ministerium of Churches will present their 10th annual Christmas Cantata Concert on December 17th and 19th in Campbellsport. This year's concert is entitled, "Christmas is the Season of Praise!"

The music by Joseph & Pamela Martin, creates a singular opportunity for worship and celebration the Christ Child's unique coming into the world. There are nine songs and readings of the Christmas Story in the Cantata. New songs, plus a blend of familiar Christmas tunes, guarantees an emotionally satisfying worship experience for all.

Over 75 singers & musicians from 12 different churches, from as far as West Bend to Fond du Lac & all areas between, are represented in our choirs.

Other songs sung by and congregation choirs are: "The Perfect Christmas Tree and Child of Christmas", (sung by the Children's Choir); "O Come all Ye Faithful, Away in the Manger, Sleep Little King & Afri-can Noel", sung by both the choirs and congregation.

New this year, a Bell

Choir will perform before the concerts and during the collection taken for our local food pantry.

The concerts will take place on Friday, December 17 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Joseph Convent (526 Mill St); and Sunday, December 19, Church (corner of East Main & Helena Streets), both in Campbellsport.

There is no admission charge, but a freewill offering will be taken for the community food pantry

Holiday Open House at Cedar Valley



Saturday, Dec. 11 1 - 4 p.m.

FREE ADMISSION

1:30 p.m. Oils of Ancient Scripture - presented by Paula Hader

2:30 p.m. Slinger High School Vocal Jazz Group

3 p.m. Special Surprise Guest!

Light refreshments will be served. Catch up on your Holiday shopping in Season's Books and Gifts. Enjoy a silent auction throughout the day.

Registration appreciated. To register call 262.629.9202, email cvcinfo@cedarcommunity.org or directly on the website at cedarvalleycenter.org.

Overnight accommodations and spa services are also available if scheduled in advance.



21st Annual Kewaskum **Christmas Parade** Kewaskum Area Chamber of Commerce "Night of Lights" SUNDAY, DEC. 5, 2010 at 5 p.m. The parade begins at Kewaskum High School at Bilgo Lane, proceeds east on Third, south on Parkview Drive, west on Main Street and then north on to the Kewaskum Municipal Building Annex. -~NEW~ A community bonfire will be held in the rear of the Municipal Building Annex following the parade Baked goodies, coffee and hot chocolate provided by the Kewaskum Women's Club

KMS students help fight Cystic Fibrosis



Kewaskum Middle School students show off their Allegra's Hope bracelets.

Students at Kewaskum Middle School recently organized a fund-raiser to benefit Cystic Fibrosis. On August 31st, the world welcomed Allegra Phoenix Freber, a niece of KMS eighth grader Caley McClyman. Ten days after Allegra was born, she was diagnosed with Cystic Fibrosis.

Students in Mr. Grotenhuis' advisory began discussing ways in which they could help those with Cystic Fibrosis, a congenital disease which clogs the lungs, pancreas, and intestines with a thick mucus-like substance, making it difficult to breathe and digest food properly.

The students decided to sell bracelets inscribed with Allegra's Hope. Nearly 250 bracelets were sold and the

advisement group raised \$492.00 for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation in honor of Allegra. The bracelets were generously donated by, Sue Brigowatz, Caley's mom and Allegra's grandmother.

Students in Mr. Grotenhuis' advisory include; Liz Bohn, Savanna Carroll, Everett Dean, Mitchell Engelman, Kegan Goslinowski, Zach Hottenstein, Sami Kirst, Ayla Kunes, Josh Limbach, Caley McClyman, Sarah Ostranger, Clair Pok, Chris Rotolo, Megan Schaller, Brooke Steiner, Taylor Trepes, and Jake Weinreich.

To make a donation to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation or for more information about the disease, visit www. cff.org.



Kiwanis Students of the Month



Courtney Krueger

Nicolai Gerhartz

Courtney Krueger and Nicolai Gerhartz were named Kiwanis Students of the Month.

Courtney is the daughter of Michelle and Michael Krueger. She has been an avid athlete at KHS, participating for four years in volleyball and fast pitch, where she was selected All Conference - Second team. She also participated in basketball for three years. Last year, Courtney was selected for Badger State Girls, inducted in the National Honor Society, and also represented her class on prom court. She also has been an active member of Swing Choir, the Freshmen Mentoring Program, school musicals and Solo-Ensemble competitions. After graduation, Courtney

plans on attending a four-year college pursuing a degree in the medical field.

Nicolai is the son of Jennifer and Dan Gerhartz. Throughout high school he has been involved in basketball, soccer and trapshooting. Nicolai currently is a member of Student Government, Swing Choir, inducted into the National Honor Society, and was selected for Badger State Boys as a junior. He has been an avid member of the school musicals, where he was selected for the lead role his senior year, and competed in Solo-Ensemble. Nicolai plans on attending UW-Madison to obtain an undergraduate degree in the science field.

School

Kewaskum students receive dictionaries from Pioneers



Rep. Dan LeMahieu talks to Kewaskum Big Brothers and Big Sisters club members about the importance of using dictionaries the children received from AT&T's Pioneers at Kewaskum Elementary Schools this month. Behind LeMahieu stands Julie Tonkovits, AT&T Wisconsin's director of external affairs.

By Mitch Maersch

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Forty-two Kewaskum students have received a free resource from a volunteer arm of AT&T to help them succeed in school.

They wasted no time in using their new tools.

The Dairyland Chapter of the AT&T Pioneers presented 21 Kewaskum Boys and Girls Club members and their high school mentors with dictionaries as part of a statewide effort to improve literacy. The Pioneers are a 99-year-old volunteer organization of AT&T employees and retirees.

After worksheets were handed out, bigs and littles instantly began teaming up to complete the tasks.

The books are more than dictionaries, however; they're almost mini-ency-

clopedias. The Declaration of Independence, table of elements, states, presidents and more are found toward the backs of the books.

The gift was the result of an informal meeting between Washington Kewaskum High School sophomore and Big Brother Tyler Voge and Kewaskum Elementary School student Jordan, his Little Brother, use a dictionary donated by AT&T Pioneers to complete a worksheet at Kewaskum Elementary School this month.

Statesman photos by Mitch Maersch

County Boys and Girls Club Executive Director Mary Gamerdinger and AT&T Director of External Affairs Julie Tonkovitz. The two met at a United Way dinner and later reconnected when Tonkovitz mentioned she had some dictionaries to give away.

Rep. Dan LeMahieu (R-Cascade) was on hand to help present the books.

"It's going to help you n the classroom. It's going to help you as you go forward ... to be a better student," he said. "Learn to use it."

The Pioneers are donating more than 8,500 dictionaries to students at 71 elementary schools throughout the state as part of its 5th annual "Dictionaries for Third Graders" program. The Dairyland Chapter covers Washington and Dodge

Search begins for UWWC executive officer and Dean

Marv Van Kekerix, the interim chancellor of the University of Wisconsin Colleges and University of Wisconsin-Extension, today formally launched a search advisory committee to recommend a new campus executive officer and dean for UW-Washington County.

Paul Price currently serves as interim CEO/dean. He replaced David Nixon who left in May 2010 to become Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs at Mount Mary College in Milwaukee.

Advertising for the position will start in January. Finalists will interview on campus in April and a final selection will be made before the end of the spring semester in May 2011. The appointment is subject to approval by the UW System Board of Regents.

The committee will be chaired by Joshua Lesniak, Associate Professor, Art. The other committee members are: Tammy Becker, Information Technology; Bob Ebert; student; Becky Guelig, custodian; Paula Langteau, CEO/dean, UW-Marinette; Kandi O'Neal, Professor, Washington County Cooperative Extension, UW-Extension; Kirk Tyvela, Assistant Professor, History; Ray Werhand, Board of Visitors, UW Colleges and UW-Extension; Anne Widmayer, Associate Professor, English.

UW-Washington County is a campus of the University of Wisconsin Colleges, which is composed of 13 local campuses and one online campus, University of Wisconsin Colleges Online that offer an associate degree in arts and science and prepare students of all ages and backgrounds for baccalaureate and professional programs. UW-Washington County enrolled a record 1,118 students in the fall semester of 2010.





Obituaries

MARY B. SCHNEIDER



Mary B. Schneider, 63, of Beechwood, passed away on Monday, November 29, 2010, from injuries received in an automobile accident.

She was born on June 4, 1947, in Milwaukee, the daughter of the late Rev. Carl and Henrietta (Koehler) Knorr, and on September 3, 1966, she was united in marriage to Manvill "Bud" Schneider at St. Stephen's Lutheran Church in Batavia with her father presiding.

Mary was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church in the town of Scott, the Altar Guild and the Women's Evening Guild.

She was a devoted wife, a loving mother and grandmother, a cherished sister and a good friend to many. Her grandchildren were her pride and joy. She was the biggest cheerleader at her grandchildren's sporting events. Mary will fondly be remembered for the fun times enjoyed for 40 years of family vacations at Long Lake and spending time up north fishing and getting together with friends. She loved her "Willow Flowage". She will be deeply missed by her husband, her

family and by all who knew her. Those Mary leaves behind to cherish her memory include her loving husband of 44 years, Bud; three children, Tim (Cindy) Schneider of Beechwood, Scott Schneider (special friend, Stacy) of Waupun and Jenny (Mike) Heberer of the town of Auburn; four grandchildren, Abby Schneider, Kelsey, Alyssa and Austin Heberer; three brothers, Richard (Joan) Knorr of Random Lake, Tom (Barb) Knorr of Kewaskum and Johnny (Sherri) Knorr of Ohio; a sister, Sandy (Jack) Kelly of Fond du Lac; three sisters-in-law, Althea Kempf of Beechwood, Joan Schneider of Beechwood and Dolores (Jim) Waech of Cedar Grove, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents, Mary was preceded in death by two brothers-in-law, Leonard Schneider and Marvin Kempf.

Funeral services for Mary will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, December 3, 2010, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in the town of Scott. Rev. Kurt Ziemann will officiate and burial will follow in the church cem-

Relatives and friends may call at the church on Thursday from 3:00 until 7:00 p.m. and at the church on Friday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of services.

The Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum has been entrusted with Mary's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at www. millermartinfh.com.

DOROTHY G. KRAL

Dorothy G. Kral, 89, of Kewaskum, passed away on Thursday, November 25, 2010, at Kathy Hospice in the town of Polk with her son and daughterin-law at her side.

She was born on December 6, 1920, in Elmore, the daughter of the late Louis and Anna (Becker) Sabish, and on February 3, 1940, she was united in marriage to Alfred Kral at Holy Angels Catholic Church in West Bend. Alfred preceded Dorothy in death on June 7, 1986.

Dorothy was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum.

Those Dorothy leaves behind to cherish her memory include her son, Mark (Joyce) Kral of Kewaskum; a grandson, Erik (Tammy) Kral of Kewaskum; two great-grandchildren, Brody and Brooklyn Kral, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her husband and parents, Dorothy was preceded in death by two sisters, Mildred (Clarence) Thill and Helen (Gregor) Harter; a brother, Alois (Marcella) Sabish; five sisters-in-law and five brothers-

A Mass of Christian Burial for Dorothy was held at 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 28, 2010, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum. Father Edwin Kornath officiated and burial was at 10:00 a.m. on Monday in the parish cemetery.

Relatives and friends called on Sunday at the church from 2:00 p.m. until the time of Mass.

Memorials to Holy Trinity Catholic School, St. Lucas Lutheran School, Kathy Hospice or the charity of one's choice are appreciated.

The Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum has been entrusted with Dorothy's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at www.millermartinfh.com.

Dorothy's family extends their heartfelt appreciation to Dorothy's dear friend, Isabelle Muckerheide, her neighbors and friends who assisted Dorothy over the years, to the Kewaskum Police and Kewaskum Rescue Squad for their prompt response during Dorothy's time of need, to Dr. Mosley, the second floor nursing staff at St. Joseph's Hospital, the Cedar Crossings at Pleasant Valley staff, Cedar Lake Home Care and Hospice staff, and Kathy Hospice staff for the compassionate care provided to Dorothy.

GARY L. POTTER

Gary L. Potter, 64, of Kewaskum, passed away on Friday, November 26, 2010, at Froedtert Memorial Lutheran Hospital in Wauwatosa after a brief illness

He was born on November 25, 1946, in Alma, Michigan, the son of the late Robert and Joyce (LaLonde) Potter, and on March 5, 1966, he was united in marriage to Bonnie Doud at the Methodist Church in Black River Falls.

Gary was a member for 35 years of the Operating Engineers Local 139 Union and was crane operator for Michels pipeline until retiring in 2009. Gary enjoyed camping, fishing and truly was a devoted husband, a cherished father and

grandfather, a loving brother and a good friend to many. He will be deeply missed by his wife, his family and by all who knew him.

Those Gary leaves behind to cherish his memory include his loving wife, Bonnie; his children, Gary (Kim) Potter Jr. of Albany, Oregon, Eugena (Scott) Anderson of Oak Creek, Bobbi (Joe) Gaudynski of Kewaskum, Derek (Holly) Potter of Theresa and Zachary (Emily) Potter of West Bend; twelve grandchildren, Jacob, Tyler and Kali Anderson, Kayla, Kaitlyn and Carter Gaudynski, Nick, Emily, Chase and Cloey Potter, David and Elizabeth Potter; eight brothers, Michael and Frank Potter, Allen and Dale Inbody, Edward Reynolds, George Jr., Johnny and Kurt Stec; two sisters, Yalonda Berry and Maryann Feenstra; other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, Gary was preceded in death by a brother, Richard Stec.

Funeral services for Gary will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 2, 2010, at the Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum. Rev. Greg Laska will officiate and burial will be at 11:00 a.m. on Friday in Buffalo Cemetery in the town of Kewaskum.

Relatives and friends may call at the funeral home on Thursday from 4:00 p.m. until the time of services.

Additional information and guest book may be found at www.millermartinfh.com.

WILLIAM C. 'BILL' VOLM

William C. "Bill" Volm Jr., 68, of Cecil, passed away on Monday, November 22, 2010, at his home with his wife at his side following a courageous battle with cancer.

He was born on September 24, 1942, on the farm in Kewaskum, the son of the late William and Agnes (Kohler) Volm Sr. Bill attended Holy Trinity Catholic School in Kewaskum, and on June 20, 1964, he was united in marriage to Peggy Larson at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum.

Bill was a lifelong farmer in the town of Kewaskum, and Bill and Peggy moved to Cecil after retiring. Bill will fondly be

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remembered for the many fun times with family and friends at the trailer at Hoeft's Resort on Crooked Lake. Bill loved to travel and will be deeply missed by his wife, his family and by all who knew him.

Those Bill leaves behind to cherish his memory include his loving wife of 46 years, Peggy; four sons, Rick (Judy) Volm of Cascade, William (Nancy) Volm III of Campbellsport, Russell (Johanna) Volm of Boltonville and Scott (Tania) Volm of Cascade; eight grandchildren, Cassandra, Ricky, Nicholas, William IV, Courtney, Gatlin, Sebastian and Sawyer Lee Volm; two great-grandchildren, Alana and Connor Hay; two brothers, Merlin (Carol) Volm of Kewaskum and Bobby (Joanne) Volm of Upland, California; three sisters, Ruth Arbogash of West Bend, Eileen (Reginald) Pierret of Antigo and Lindy (Bernard) Kaehne of Kewaskum; four brothers-in-law, Calvin (Annie) Ebersold of Random Lake, Bobby Larson of Tennessee, Richard Weis of West Bend and Dave Ritter of Kewaskum; three sisters-in-law. Karen (John) Fechter of West Bend, Denise (Dan) Reilly of Campbellsport and Sharon Larson of Wayne, many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, Bill was preceded in death by a sister, Adeline Weis; four brothers-in-law, Roger (Sandy) Ebersold, Darrell Larson, David Larson and Norman Arbogash; two sisters-in-law, Vonne Ritter and Judy (Merlin) Seefeldt and his parents-in-law, Edward and

A Mass of Christian Burial for Bill was held at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, November 26, 2010, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Kewaskum. Father Edwin Kornath officiated and burial was at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday in the parish cemetery.

Relatives and friends called on Friday at the church from 12:30 p.m. until the time of Mass.

The Miller Funeral Home in Kewaskum has been entrusted with Bill's arrangements. Additional information and guest book may be found at www. millermartinfh.com.

Bill's family extends their heartfelt appreciation to Dr. Guthrie, to the staff of the Cancer Care Center and the Radiation Department staff of St. Joseph's Hospital for the care provided to Bill and our family.

LOUISE K. RATZEL



Louise K. Ratzel (nee Knowles) passed away on Friday, November 19, 2010 at the age of 75 years.

Louise was born on July 26, 1935 in Chicago, IL to Albert and Louise (nee Farrer) Knowles. She married Thomas Ratzel on July 28, 1956, and the couple moved to West Bend. She raised four children while also working at Enger Kress Co. and Klotz's Piggly Wiggly. Louise was also recording secretary for the AFL-CIO, Business Club, and Omega Lambda Delta at UW-Washington County for many years. Over the years, up until recently, Louise also did quite a bit of volunteer work including such organizations as

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the United Way of Washington County, Partners of St. Joseph's, Big Brothers and Big Sisters, and the senior centers.

She enjoyed spending time with her family and friends, reading, and playing bingo.

In 1998, Louise retired, and fifty years after beginning her college education at UW-Oshkosh, Louise re-enrolled in college courses to continue her education. She graduated from UW-Washington County in 2002 with an Associate's Degree in Business and then went on to receive her B.A. in Organizational Administration in 2004. During her college years, Louise was also a member of the Phi Theta Kappa Fraternity from 2001-02.

Louise is survived by her four children, Michele (Matthew) Zeller, Joan (Randall, Sr.) Scott, Alan (Cindy) Ratzel, and Nancy (Carl) Steinert; ten grandchildren, Angela (Rick Seidl) Reimer, Dennis Reimer, Jr., Thomas (Leona) Scott, Randall Scott, Jr., Sara (Adam) Baumhardt, Jonathan (Tina) Ratzel, Matthew Ratzel, Theresa Ratzel, Timothy (Stephanie) Steinert, and Tammy (Dan Cartwright) Biever; and 14 great-grandchildren. She is further survived by her sister, Patricia (Jerry) Lindner; a brother, Albert (Peg) Knowles, Jr., and many other nieces, nephews, other relatives, and dear friends.

Louise is preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Ratzel and her parents.

A memorial service for Louise was at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 27, 2010 at the Phillip Funeral Home Chapel, West Bend with Fr. Patrick Wendt presiding. Gathering was at the funeral home only from 4:00 p.m. until time of service. Inurnment was in Washington County Memorial Park.

The Phillip Funeral Home of West Bend assisted the family.

MARIE M. WONDRA

Marie M. Wondra, 92, of Campbellsport left us to be with God in His heavenly home on Wednesday, Nov. 24, 2010. Marie was surrounded by her family that she loved so dearly at the Hope Health and Rehab Center in Lomira.

Marie was born on July 14, 1918 in the Town of Ashford, the daughter of the late Frank and Lucia (Fell) Soeller.

On Sept. 6, 1939, she married Bernard M. Wondra at St. Martin's Catholic Church in

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Marie was a member of St. Martins Catholic Church in Ashford all her life. She was a member of St. Martins Mission Ladies of Ashford and St. Matthews Mission Ladies of Campbellsport. Marie helped bake a lot of goodies for St. Martins bake sales and canned pickles for the Hilltop Mass.

Marie liked to do lots of canning, making jams, gardening, sewing and watching the birds out of her kitchen window. She would keep the family and lots of friends happy with her chocolate chip cookies.

Marie worked at the shoe factory in Lomira, helped on the farm and worked at West Bend Company for many years. She was a very hard worker.

Survivors include her children, David F. Wondra, Richard Wondra both of Campbellsport, Ruthie (Wally) Ewert of

Kewaskum, Butch (Char) Wondra of Campbellsport and Luci (Rick) Fauska of Colgate; 13 grandchildren; 30 greatgrandchildren; five greatgreat-grandchildren; her sister, Gertie Wondra of Lomira; her sisters-in-law, Janice Wondra of Mayville, Frieda Stommel of Fond du Lac and Marilyn Pea of North Fond du Lac; many nieces and nephews; lots of good friends and neighbors.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Bernard on March 5, 1994; her son, Thomas; her daughters-in-law, Nelda and Renee; her great-grandson, David; her sister, Angeline Mitchell and Angeline's husband, George; her brother-inlaw, Alvin Wondra and other brothers-in-law and sisters-inlaw

A Mass of Christian Burial was held on Monday, Nov. 29, 2010 at 4:00 p.m. at St. Martins Catholic Church. Rev. Neil Zinthefer officiated and entombment was at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday in the Shrine of Rest Mausoleum, Ledgeview Memorial Park, Fond du Lac.

Visitation was Monday, Nov. 29 from 12:00 p.m. until time of Mass at the church. Memorials are appreciated to St. Martins Church.

Twohig Funeral Home, Campbellsport, served the family.

HAROLD P. BIEVER

Harold P. Biever, 86, of Campbellsport passed away on Monday, November 22, 2010 at St. Agnes Hospital in Fond du Lac.

He was born on Nov. 25, 1923 in Port Washington, the son of the late Edward and Anna Kleckner Beiver.

On May 25, 1946 Harold married Margaret Heim. She

preceded him in death on September 3, 1977.

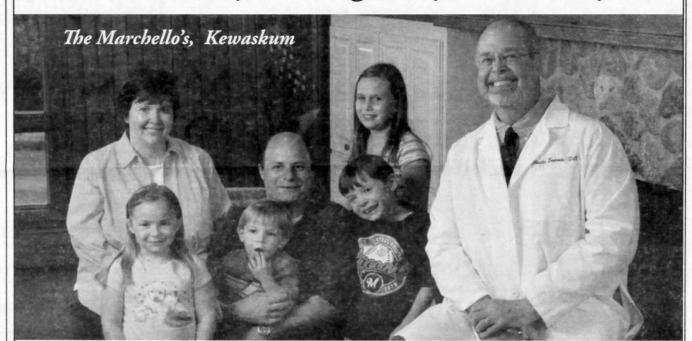
Survivors include his daughter, Virginia (Chris) Aman of Las Cruces; his son, Harold E. (Hope) Biever of Campbellsport; six grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren and one great-great- grandchild.

Memorial services will be held on Friday, Dec. 3 at 2:00 p.m. in the Clara Center at St. Joseph Convent, 526 Mill St. Campbellsport.

Inurnment will be Saturday in St. Marys Cemetery, Port Washington. Visitation will be 1:00 p.m. until time of services at the convent.

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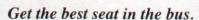
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Lots 1 and 3 of Certified Survey Map No. 5864, recorded March 15, 2005, in Volume 43 of Certified Survey Maps, Pages 95 to 98, as Document No. 1081104, being part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 29, Town 9 North, Range 20 East, in the Village of Germantown, County of Washington, State of Wisconsin.

Tax Key Nos. GTNV 291.970 and GTNV 291.968

Lots 1, 3 and 4 of Certified Survey Map No. 5968, recorded November 9, 2005, in Volume 44 of

Certified Survey Maps on Pages 106 to 110, as Document No. 1108608, being part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 29, Town 9 North, Range 20 East, in the Village of Germantown, County of Washington, State of Wisconsin, and corrected by Affidavit of Correction recorded January 26, 2006, as Document No. 1116159. Tax Key Nos. GTNV 291.961, 291.963 and GTNV GTNV 291.984

Lot 4 of Certified Survey Map No. 5864, recorded March 15, 2005, in Volume 43 of Certified Survey Maps, Pages 95 to 98, as Document No. 1081104, being a part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 29, Town 9 North, Range 20 East, in the Village of Germantown, County of Washington, State of Wisconsin.

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- 1/2 cup sugar 1 teaspoon almond extract 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- eggs
- tablespoons butter, melted 1/4 cup sliced almonds

Powdered sugar (optional) Fit grill with deep-dish bake pan. Set temperature to 350°F and preheat for 5 minutes.

Place bread cubes in bake pan and

Cook for 10 minutes to lightly toast.
Turn off grill. Remove bake pan from grill and let cool.

Sprinkle pears over bread cubes. In a medium bowl, whisk together half and half, sugar, extract, cinnamon and eggs. Slowly whisk in butter and then pour over the bread and pears in the bake pan. Press bread cubes down lightly to make sure all are coated with liquid and let stand for 30 minutes.

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- cloves garlic,
- minced Olive oil cooking spray, for extra

Preheat grill for 5 minutes at 400°F. Spray 1 side of each bread slice with cooking spray. Distribute ingredients evenly among bread slices. Cook 6 panini at a time for about 3 minutes. Remove from grill. They can be kept warm in a 250°F oven while the second batch of panini cooks. Add to platter and serve.



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Sports

Indian wrestlers set their goals high

By Judy Harlow

After sharing the Eastern Wisconsin Conference dual meet title, finishing second in the EW Conference Meet, second in the Division 2 Regional at Kewaskum, second in the Division 2 Sectional at Milwaukee, and advancing six athletes to the State Tournament, wrestling fans here may wonder what the Kewaskum Indians could do for an encore?

By the looks of their early practices, coach Dennis Aupperle says he can see they want to do better in the 2010-'11 season.

'Technique-wise, it's a pretty good group," Aupperle said after the first three practices. "They come in, and they're ready to go. It's been nice."

The numbers are also up. "I think we're at 36. Numbers are good," the coach said, indicating this may be the largest team he's had.

Gone are two of last year's team leaders, Cody Seibel and Caleb Olla, who both advanced

Seibel's resume included a third place in the state tournament and a first place in the EWC Tourney, his fourth in a row, which is a rare feat, especially considering he was competed at higher weights since he was a freshman.

When asked about replacing Seibel, Aupperle said, "You can't replace him. I don't think a lot of people realized how important he was to us. I think he pinned every guy he faced in the dual meets. We had six points from him in every match."

Aupperle has 11 returning lettermen, led by seniors Bo Seibel and Brad Bentz. Seibel had an excellent junior year, finishing fifth in the state at 160 pounds and ending up with a record of 34-6.

Bentz, who was rated No. 1

of the year, suffered a season-ending injury just before the EWC Tournament and many think he would have been first or second in the state meet. He ended the year at 24-1.

Sophomore Brett Scoles also placed at state, finishing fifth at 103 pounds after showing vast improvement from December to February.

Seniors Jared Koffke and Rob Maertz also got valuable experience competing in Madison, and both should be able to make return trips and find themselves on the victory stand at the Kohl Center.

Between Jared, Rob and Bo, I think they're all over 90 wins ... they're veteran wrestlers," Aupperle said, adding, "Brad, I think he had 46 wins his freshman year," and placed at state as a sophomore.

Aupperle said so far Bentz is looking really good. "Boy, he's been lifting a lot. He's big!"

at 145 pounds for much Bentz may start the season at some good, qualify kids. And years, while Sheboygan Falls 171 and later drop to 160, while Maertz is expected to start at 152, with Koffke at 130.

Bo will start at 189, and he'll probably stay there," Aupperle said, hoping that will be the case because it will help the team.

The other letterwinners include senior Cole Roberts. juniors Joey Wollner and Brandon Ehn; sophomores Austin Goeden, Logan Dreher and Derek Aupperle.

Lance Pinchard wrestled JV most of last season but got an opportunity to wrestle in the tournament and made the most of it, upsetting a topseeded and eventually taking second.

Goeden placed third in the EWC tourney and advanced to the sectional, while Dreher also placed third in the EWC

Aupperle is impressed with his five seniors and says, "The sophomore class has

we have a lot of freshmen, maybe a dozen."

Newcomers that look good include Cody Muckerheide, Max Maertz, Joe Seitz, and Kurt Luedtke.

Aupperle said there will be good competition for the varsity spots in the middle of the lineup and at the top where he has Pinchard, Roberts and

Concerning the Eastern Wisconsin Conference, Aupperle said Campbellsport should be strong with Ryan Costello, Payden Salm, and Jim Hawley back, and Two Rivers much improved over recent

might be down a bit after losing state champion Ben Chappa and a couple other fouryear regulars.

The Indians will be heading for Luxemburg-Casco for a big dual meet tournament this weekend that includes Port Washington, Bay Port and the host Spartans, who are always tough. "It's going to be a good schedule. We'll have to be

"If we stay healthy, we could have a pretty nice year," Aupperle said.



Mark Boden of Kewaskum shot this seven point buck in Marinette County.



Tanner Bowen, age 14, of Kewaskum, shot this 10 point buck in the Kettle Moraine near Dundee on youth hunt day.



Mitch Zimmel and 16 year old son Donnie each bagged a 10 point buck on opening day of the gun deer season on their family farm on Sandy Ridge Road. Not to be outdone by the more experienced hunters of the family, 10 year old Randal shot a 10 pointer on his own the next day.

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Sports

Indians start off season 2-1



Tony Gonring drives inside and hits in last Saturday's 58-43 win over Mayville.

By Mitch Maersch

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Kewaskum boys' basketball players left the gym on Tuesday a bit perturbed after an off night sent them to their first loss of the season.

That, said Coach Quinn Heintz, is a good sign and represents a notable change from past seasons.

Still 2-1 after a three-win season last year, the Indians didn't look like they did in earning two victories over the weekend. West Bend West out-hustled and out-executed and out-shot the Indians in a 55-44 win.

"I see a lot of guys with disappointed faces and that's a good thing. In the past maybe it doesn't hurt so much. You see a lot of guys who are mad and disappointed and that means that it means something to them," Heintz said. "The expectations are definitely higher for them. They hold themselves, no matter what everybody else's expectations are, they hold themselves to a higher standard. They'll come back and have to have a good practice tomorrow and get ready for Campbellsport on Thursday."

Kewaskum fell behind West (1-1) for the entire first half but tied the game at 23-23 in the third quarter. The Spartans went on a 9-0 run and the Indians never got closer than five the rest of the

Junior forward Brad Boegel scored 11 of his team-high 15 in the first half. Sophomore Hunter Flanders scored 11 and junior Brett Nuernberg 10. Point guard Eric Perkins, who averaged 15 points per game coming in, was scoreless until a three-point play in the fourth quarter, and that's all he got.

The Indians shot 15-49 from the field and sometimes had a hard time just hitting the rim. Threes weren't falling and offensive rebounds were hard to come by. They did go 10-for-14 on free throws.

"Offensively we never had any type of rhythm at all and that was probably because they played very aggressive defense and were a lot more physical than the teams we played," Heintz "We didn't pass very well. We never hit the open guy. We forced passes that weren't there."

Defensively, the Indi-ans allowed 10 offensive rebounds but played well enough to stay in the game. They were only down 38-32 headed into the fourth quar-

"We were sloppy on defense. We never boxed out. We got out-rebounded, we out-hustled and then you lose games when you do that," Heintz said. "We didn't play very smart. We got in foul trouble. We reached a lot."

West shot 17-42, made 17 of 21 free throws, and went into a slow-down mode in the final eight minutes, tak-ing nearly a minute off the clock before shooting a few times. When they scored, that put all the more pressure on Kewaskum to come back and score quickly.

It was good education, Heintz said.

"We learn how to handle ourselves a little bit. I think we panicked a little bit early in the game and we panicked late in the game when we got down. We haven't had to play that way yet this year. But that's good. It's good that it's a non-conference game and that's why you play these," he said.

Brandon Cowie led West with 15 points, followed by Jack Meurer's 13 and Jimmy Dieck's 10.

In two non-conference games Friday and Saturday, the Indians first beat Slinger, 61-48, then Mayville, 58-43. That already tops last season's two highest-scoring games when the Indians scored 60 and 50 points.

Kewaskum fell behind 11-8 after one quarter versus Slinger but took a 23-22 lead into halftime thanks to an eight-point quarter by Perkins. The Indians opened up a 37-29 lead going into the fourth quarter and sealed the game at the line, going 12-for 17. They made 22 of 38 free throws for the game.

In the fourth quarter alone, Nuernberg was 5-for-6 and Perkins 3-for-4 at the

"We've got to hit free throws in the fourth quarter when it matters because that's what puts the teams away," said Perkins, who scored a game-high 20 points.

"I would put us up against anybody in the state with how many free throws we shoot during practice, and we shoot about 80 percent in practice as a team, so we know that's a strength of ours," Heintz said. Along with free throws, defense and rebounding won this game, Flanders (6-foot-4) had 10 and Boegel (6-4) eight. Even Perkins hustled for five with his 5-10 frame. The Indians out-rebounded Slinger, 33-21.

"We know how important the rebounds were. Every remajor," Flanders

There's no reason we should get out-rebounded with the size and the speed and quickness that we have. That's been one of our focuses in practice," Heintz said.

Slinger cut the lead to 37-33 on two layups off two turnovers to start the fourth quarter, but the Indians fought back. The Owls got the deficit to four once more, but then Kewaskum pulled away.

"The thing I was most impressed with beginning of the fourth quarter they got two quick buckets and cut it to four points, and we responded. We extended the lead and it turned out pretty good for us," Heintz said.

He praised the defense of Tony Gonring. Heintz planned to use Perkins to guard the Owls' point guard, but Gonring did such a good job Perkins could focus more on offense.

'Tony Gonring was excellent on defense guarding Kirk Emmer the whole game," he said. "Kirk Emmer's one of the best guards we're going to see all year. To be able to hold him in check a little bit and play good defense and beat a good team like Slinger is a good confidence builder for evervone."

Against Mayville, the Indians took an early lead, 14-10 after one and 31-24 at half. and never let the Cardinals get close.

Flanders scored a gamehigh 14 points and had just about as many boards as Mayville couldn't match up with him. Boegel added 13 points as the Indians were again beasts inside.

"We just try to be as strong as we can down low, get every board. Mine and Luke's (Kopeschka) goal at least is to get 20 boards a game," Boegel

Twenty for each would earn a steak dinner from Heintz. And it would probably be a big steak given the size of these fellas.

"Me and Brad are really helping each other out, boxing our man out, even with Hunter coming in there, too," said the 6-5 Kopeschka.

Kewaskum was again good at the line, going 15-for-

"We shoot a lot of free throws during practice and we key on that because we feel it's important and it showed that it is important these first two games. We just get them in foul trouble and take advantage," Boegel said.

Kopeschka, the team's only senior, has been with the program all four years in high school and has noticed the major change this season.

"It's a lot better because I've been losing every single year. Now with the kids that actually care and want to play and win, it's a lot better playing basketball now," he said.

"I think we're more focused than last year," Boegel said. "I think we care a little bit more. We want to win and we're practicing hard and working hard and it's paying off right now, but we've got to keep going."

Even Flanders as a sophomore can tell.

"This is great. Growing up in Kewaskum just seeing everybody look down on the sport. That was our main goal - just to bring Kewaskum basketball back," he said after Friday's win. "We had a lot of people in the stands. That's major for us. People come out and support us. That's huge." While the first two games weren't exactly pretty, they were a victories.

"It's nice to start off good. The best part is we really didn't play that good in the first two games. When you're 2-0 and you win both games by double digits and you have so many things to fix yet, you think, well, geez, this could end up being pretty good," Heintz said.

Indians The Campbellsport on Thursday in the Eastern Wisconsin Conference opener.

11 11 7 19 - 48 Slinger Kewaskum 8 15 14 24 - 61

Scoring: Kewaskum - Eric Perkins, 20; Bret Nuernberg, 14; Brad Boegel, 10; Hunter Flanders, 9; Tony Gonring, 4; Lucas Kopeschka, 2; Kyle Tessar, 2. Fouls-23. Free throws-22-38.

Slinger: Kirk Emmer, 14; Dan Wimmer, 11: Dan Sabin, 7: Kyle Behrens, 6; Tanner Schieve, 3; Ben Amann, 3; Derek Merkes, 2; Jared Sandretti, 1; Tommy Brown, 1. Fouls-29. Free throws-15-26.

Mayville 10 14 11 8 - 43 Kewaskum 14 17 13 14 - 58

Scoring:

Kewaskum-Hunter ders, 14; Brad Boegel, 13; Eric Perkins, 10; Lucas Kopeschka, 9; Tony Gonring, 6; Kyle Tessar, 4; Brett Nuernberg, 2. Fouls-18. Free throws-15-23. Mayville: Tim Yang, 9; Seth

Van Krey, 8; Aaron Hartwig, 7; Brock Hanke, 4; Brent Gassner, 4; Brandon Mueller, 3; R.C. Lehman, 3. Fouls-22. Free throws-11-19.

West Bend West 12 11 15 17 - 55 Kewaskum 6 12 14 12 - 44 Scoring:

Kewaskum-Brad Boegel, 15; Hunter Flanders, 11; Brett Nuernberg, 10; Kyle Tessar, 4; Eric Perkins, 3; Lucas Kopeschka, 1. Fouls-20. Free throws-10-14.

West Bend West: Brandon Cowie, 15; Jake Meurer, 13; Jimmy Dieck, 10; Shane Hayes, 7; Blake Wiskerchen, 6; Jack Baumann, 2; Erik Engstrom, 2. Fouls-19. Free throws-17-21.

Sports

Comeback effort falls short for KHS wrestlers

By Judy Harlow

CAMPBELLSPORT-

Whenever the Kewaskum and Campbellsport wrestling teams get together, there's bound to be excitement ...

and plenty of it.

Tuesday night's match before another packed house — the season opener for both squads — was no exception. In the end, forfeits at 103 and 112 pounds and a pin at 119 by Beau Oestreich were too much for the Indians to overcome, and they ended up losing to their archrivals 31-25.

"We couldn't have started out any better with the draw," KHS coach Dennis Aupperle said, referring to the fact the match started at 171 pounds, meaning Rob Maertz and Brad Bentz would be at the end at 152 and 160 pounds, respectively. "What better ways to finish up than with those two," he remarked.

Unfortunately, the match

was out of reach by the time they competed.

Maertz, a state qualifier a year ago, won a hard-fought 7-5 overtime decision over Payden Salm at 152 pounds, and Bentz was able to pull Jamie Straub off his stomach and turn him for a pin in 3:14, cutting the final margin to six points.

"I don't know what they (Maertz and Salm) are ranked, but they are both good wrestlers," Aupperle said, also lauding Bo Seibel for his 3-0 shutout over James Hawley. "They face each other every week at World Class (Camp in Fond du Lac). That was a good match."

And there was a bit of an upset in the 135-pound match at a point where the Indians were making a comeback. In that match, Chet Floyd of Campbellsport used a near fall at the end of the second period toward a 7-3 decision over Jared Koffke, another of the Indians' returning state qualifiers.

Did Aupperle expect Koffke would lose? "No, I did not," the coach said, indicating the timing of the match might have had something to do with the outcome since a couple of his wrestlers could not make the weight they are expected to wrestle at, meaning he had to do a little juggling and move people up.

Sophomore Brett Scoles had been trying to make it down to 119 pounds, but ended up going up to 130 in an effort to put the strongest team on the mat. He had a good battle with Rashaun Sparks, using his aggressiveness for a 5-2 decision.

Three other sophomores also notched wins. Logan Dreher used a six-point first period and a takedown in the closing seconds to post a 12-4 major decision, while Austin Goeden was in control of his match against Cole Sippel, winning 7-2.

The win at 171 was pretty

special for Aupperle because it was his son Derek whose hand was raised at the end. The younger Aupperle used takedowns in the first and second periods toward a 5-3 victory, giving Kewaskum a 3-0 lead in the match.

"It's disappointing (to lose), but this team has the opportunity to do some good things," Aupperle said. "We're going to be all right."

After getting dominated by the Indians 41-27 a year ago, CHS coach Mark Peterson was delighted with his team's showing. "I was a little worried how we would be right out of the gate," he said, but, "We did a nice job."

Two matches were key in the victory, according to Peterson. One was Floyd's win over Koffke, and the other came at 215 pounds where Mike Kaschner outpointed Lance Pinchard 12-3 for a major decision.

Kewaskum is at the Spartan Duals at Luxemburg-

Casco Saturday and hosts Sheboygan Falls in a dual meet on Thursday (Dec. 9th) for the annual Alumni Night. All former Kewaskum wrestlers will be admitted free that night.

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171 Derek Aupperle, K, dec. Derek Wolt, 5-3; 189 Bo Seibel, K, de. James Hawley; 215 Mike Kaschner, C, won by major decision over Lance Pinchard, 12-3; 275 Eric Gonwa, C. dec. Cole Robert, 3-0: 103 Nick Stahl, C. won by forfeit; 112 Ryan Costello, C, won by forfeit; 119 Beau Oestreich, C, pinned Matt Ringwell, 1:49; 125 Logan Dreher, K, won by major dec. over Nik Seilen-binder, 12-4; 130 Brett Scoles, K, dec. Rashaun Sparks, 5-2; 135 Chet Floyd, C. dec. Jared Koffke, 5-2; 140 Austin Goeden, K, dec. Cole Sippel, 7-2; 145 Ryan Lindsley, C, dec. Joey Wollner, 5-3; 152 Rob Maertz, K, dec. Payden Salm, 7-5 in OT; 160 Brad Bentz, K, pinned Jamie Straub, 3:14.

Lady Indians kick off season with win over Ozaukee

By Mitch Maersch

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It had been five years, maybe many more, since Kewaskum's girls' basketball team knocked off Ozaukee.

Not anymore. Not after Tuesday's defensive gem.

The Indians beat the Warriors on the road, 44-20, to go 2-1 headed into conference play Friday.

"It was an unbelievable game," said Coach Mike Kleinhans. "We just played great D. We took our time tonight on offense. We were patient."

The Indians went up 11-5 after one quarter, then pitched a shutout in the second and allowed one basket in the third, building a 26-7 lead.

"I think putting pressure on them made them travel. We were running out at the girls and getting a hand up in their face," Kleinhans said. "We are really starting to get the idea about playing defense. They're buying into it, figuring out if we play good defense, the offense will come."

Sophomore post player Ashley Stahl led Kewaskum with 13 points and 10 rebounds. Senior point guard Christine Bohn scored 10 and had four assists and four steals.

Sophomore Mallorie Kreis scored five points to go along with five rebounds, four steals and four assists.

Sophomore Amber Flasch had four points and six boards, senior Ashley Kuechler six points and junior Kayla Bastian four points and five rebounds. Chelsea Watzig added two points.

The Indians out-rebounded the Warriors, 33-20.

"We were boxing out, we were getting every rebound. We were diving for balls," Kleinhans said.

Not that Kewaskum didn't make its fair share of

mistakes. The Indians turned the ball over 22 times and only went 7-for-14 at the free throw line.

"We had some boo-boos. Turned the ball over in the first half without getting a shot," Kleinhans said.

He said Kewaskum will have two tough days of practice before the home and Eastern Wisconsin Conference opener against Campbellsport on Friday.

"We're ready to rock. Big rivalry game," he said. "We play this well things are going to happen."

Over the weekend, the Indians went 1-1 in a tournament in Monroe. On Saturday, the Indians beat East Dubuque, 51-33.

"Saturday we really rocked. We played very well. We played against a press the whole game. We were running the court," Kleinhans said.

Stahl scored 17, Flasch 11, Kuechler eight, Bastian

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five, Bohn and Kreis, four each and Watzig two.

Still, the Indians had 17 turnovers.

"We did some good things; we're just turning the ball over a lot," Kleinhans said.

On Friday against Beloit Turner in the Indians' season opener, they let one player go off for 25 second-half points after four in the first. They Giving up 52 points you can't win. We know that from last year."

Given the team's youth – three sophomores and only two seniors – two early wins are encouraging both for the coach and players.

"I think it's huge," Kleinhans said.



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