



Tri County Canary

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The look on this riders face before he loses the battle with the bull on the first night of the Gonvick Lions Rodeo held on Friday, July 13th.

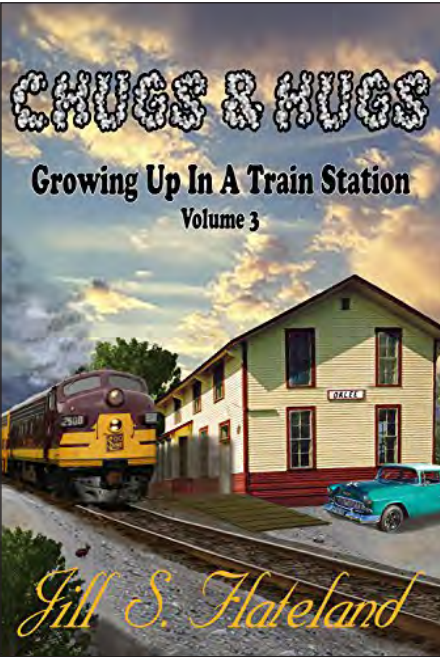
Williams-Flateland who lived in Oklee and Clearbrook Depots will speak



Jill S. Williams Flateland, author of Chugs & Hugs.

Jill Williams Flateland, author of *Chugs & Hugs*, will be speaking at the Clearbrook Depot on Sunday July 22. Her father Lyle Williams was the agent

for both the Oklee and Clearbrook Depots. Jill S. Williams Flateland, author of *Chugs & Hugs: Growing Up In A Train Station* Volumes 1, 2, & 3 is honored to attend the upcoming Clearbrook Soo Line picnic at her old home, the Clearbrook depot on Sunday, July 22, 2018 at 4 p.m. Her father, Lyle C. Williams, was the depot agent in Clearbrook from January 1955 to March 1961. After serving in Clearbrook for six years, Lyle Williams became the Soo Line agent in Oklee until 1968. This period of history is also included in *Chugs & Hugs* Volume 3. Jill's youngest sister, Cindy Williams McKinley, from Shawnee, KS also plans to attend the picnic. They'll share fond memories of being a railroad family living above the depot. Jill has agreed to sell e-book versions of all three volumes for \$30, and \$25 of that price will be donated to the Clearbrook Soo Line Depot Restoration Fund. Jill and her entire family appreciates all who worked so hard to save the depot. They are looking forward to seeing the place. Coming besides Jill will be her husband, Byron, granddaughter Elsa, sister Cindy and her two children. In case of rain, the picnic will be moved to the American Legion Room at the Clearbrook Community Center.



Lyle Williams became the Soo Line agent in Oklee until 1968. This period of history is included in *Chugs & Hugs* Volume 3.

Lots of Fun and Sun for the 28th Annual Gonvick Lions Rodeo and Parade



The 28th Annual Gonvick Lions Rodeo was held on Friday and Saturday, July 13 and 14. Before the rodeo began the riders, flag bearers and audience took a moment for prayer and the National Anthem.



The Gonvick Lions Club was formed in 1975 and this is the first year that there has been a woman as president. Kim Solberg was elected this year along with three other women officers of the club. Riding in the Gonvick Lions Club Rodeo parade with Kim is Treasurer Crystal Smith, and seated is Vice-President Lucie Thompson with Secretary Corrine Richards driving a 2002 Ford Thunderbird.



5-year-old Gus Coulter was more than excited to participate in the sheep riding event at the Gonvick Lions Rodeo. Below: Hanging on tight while taking a ride.



Out of the gate for the mini bronc riding at the Gonvick Lions 28th Annual Rodeo.



This young guy from Deer River, MN goat tying at the Gonvick Lions Rodeo. More photos on page 8 of Canary.



Gonvick Lions Club president Kim Solberg gave a medal to all the young riders.



What would the Gonvick Lions Rodeo parade be without the help of the announcer for the event. On the right is Gary Quern who reads the information that Stacy Halverson, Gonvick City Clerk (seated) has compiled for the event. Also seated is another helper, Gonvick Lions member Dan Sundquist.



Residents of Clearwater Day Activity Center and Pine Ridge Residence were on a float at the Gonvick Lions Rodeo Parade that was held on Saturday, July 14.

Marshall County 4-H'er Jessica Olson learns about citizenship at Citizenship Washington Focus

Warren, MN 7-11-2018 – On June 24-30, 34 4-H youth from Minnesota joined youth from across the United States in Washington D.C to get a hands-on experience exploring citizenship and social responsibility in our nation's capital.

4-H Citizenship Washington Focus (CWF) is held every summer at the National 4-H Youth Conference Center in Washington, D.C. Through a series of speakers, committee work, field trips and social events, youth are given the opportunity to explore, develop, and refine skills needed to be an outstanding leader on both a local and national level. CWF participants get a behind-the-scenes look at our nation's capital, meet members of Congress, hear from motivational speakers, and participate in educational workshops and assemblies that increase their individual commitment to citizen involvement and build lifetime skills for success. Through CWF, youth strengthen their communication, leadership, and citizenship skills, and learn about the democratic process and the importance of becoming active and engaged citizens and leaders.

"CWF provides a unique opportunity for youth to learn about civic engagement at the national level while exploring Washington, DC," said Jacquie Lonning, Extension 4-H Citizenship state program director. "By engaging in these activities at the national level, our youth get a unique opportunity to explore how their actions can affect change beyond the state of Minnesota. Additionally, they get the opportunity to meet other youth from across the country."

Participants take what they learned back and get actively involved in a project or activity that will benefit their communities, such as volunteering at a nursing home, becoming a tutor, serving as an official



youth board member, assist in developing a community garden, etc. They may also develop and deliver a presentation describing their CWF experience, what they learned, and how it changed their ideas about citizenship.

Reflecting on her experience, Jessica stated that she "really enjoyed getting to know my roommates and the other 4-H'ers from the Minnesota Delegation. I also enjoyed meeting new 4-H'ers from various states

and learning more about them and their 4-H experiences". Jessica mentioned that her favorite site on her trip was the Marine Corp. Memorial, her group took in the memorial at night and their guide shared the story of the soldiers it represents.

To learn more about 4-H in Marshall County, contact 4-H Program Coordinator Alysa Tulibaski, at 218-745-5232 and visit the website, www.extension.umn.edu/youth/mn4-H/projects/leadership/.



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The Plummer Fire Department would like to thank the participants of the 6th Annual Plummer Fire Department Fun Run/Walk, held on July 4th, for a great success. Also we would like to thank our sponsors for making this annual event possible with their generous donations:

Ultima Bank Minnesota
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Hagen Veterinary Service
Plummer Snowmobile Club

Polk County fair Chocolate Contest

Wednesday evening the Chocolate Contest was held at the Polk County Fair.

Winners in the adult division were 1st-Jean Chisholm of Fertile with S'more Pie, 2nd-Rachel Johnson of Fertile with a Flourless Chocolate Cake and Erica Netland of Crookston got 3rd with a Chocolate Cake. Youth division winners were 1st-Emily Boucher of Crookston with Amazing Chocolate Mousse Brownies, Britta Sorenson of Fertile got 2nd with Irresistible Chocolate Raspberry Truffle Brownies and 3rd went to Kaitlin DeBoer of Crookston with a Peanut Butter Filled Chocolate Cupcakes.



Youth winners from left: Kaitlin DeBoer, Britta Sorenson, Emily Boucher.



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Mickala Morinville spends time at Mayo

Mickala Morinville is spending time at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester. This time in a nursing externship position. She is a student at the University of North Dakota and was offered the Summer III position for 10 weeks in the Cardiovascular ICU division.

She spent seven months as a patient the last part of 2012 and the first part of 2013 at Mayo in Rochester. Her diagnosis was acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS) that was caused by severe viral pneumonia. She was taken to a hospital in Thief River Falls, then to the intensive care unit at Sanford Medical Center in Fargo before being airlifted to Mayo Clinic in Rochester. Her mother spent many months at the Ronald McDonald House while spending

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College News

Janet Christianson graduates from The College of St. Scholastica

The College of St. Scholastica has announced its list of students who completed their doctoral degrees during the Spring 2018 semester.

Janet Christianson of Bagley, graduated from The College of St. Scholastica with a Doctor of Nursing Practice.

St. Scholastica held its Spring 2018 Commencement ceremony on Saturday, May 12 in the Amsol Arena in Duluth.

The College of St. Scholastica is nationally recognized for quality. Rankings by U.S. News & World Report classify it as one of the Midwest's top regional universities. Learn more at css.edu.



Mickala Morinville from Brooks is working at Mayo.

time with their daughter.

She is the daughter of Judy and Scott Morinville of Brooks.

Polk County Sheriff

On 7/14/2018 at approximately 0117 hours, the Polk County Sheriff's Office responded to a disturbance on N Vance Ave, City of Erskine MN. A distraught male left the area in a motor vehicle.

Deputies located the vehicle in Erskine, MN and attempted to conduct a traffic stop. The driver then fled in the vehicle and deputies initiated a pursuit. During the pursuit, the driver drove into a cornfield in Lessor Twp.

Deputies established a perimeter until additional law enforcement assistance arrived to begin conducting a search of the area.

At approximately 0333 hours, Brian E Murray (age 49) of Erskine surrendered to a Polk County deputy without incident. He was placed under arrest and transported to Riverview Hospital and later to the Northwest Regional Correction Center. Mr. Murray will be held until he is able to appear in court in Polk County.

The Essentia Ambulance Service, Minnesota State Patrol, Red Lake County Sheriff's Office, Pennington County Sheriff's Office and the Polk County Sheriff's Office UAV team also responded to this incident.



It's a girl!

Harper Noella Bladow was born to Kyle and Sara Bladow of Ashby, MN. Harper's big brother is Hunter and big sister is Hallie of Fosston, MN. Harper was born at 9:12 a.m. on June 11, 2018 and was 21 inches long and weighed 7 1/2 pounds.

Grandparents are Diane (Tougas) Bladow of Fergus Falls, MN and Daniel & Denise (step-grandmother) Bladow of Battle Lake, MN. Great grandparents are Joyce Tougas and late great grandfather Ludger Tougas of Oklee and Steve and Missey Devany of Underwood, MN.

Upcoming Brunch in Fosston

You and your friends are invited to the "See, Say, Do: Which One Are You?" Brunch on Wednesday, July 18, 2018 at 9:30 a.m. Brunch will be at New Journey Church, 505 9th St. NW, Fosston, MN.

Music: Carol Tharaldson. Speaker and Feature: Laurie Kimball from Minneapolis, MN. Sharing "Moving On".

Reservations due by Monday, July 16, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. For reservations call Arlene 563-2085, Barbara 687-3431, Beverly 776-3897, Judi Lindseth 563-2205 or 361-446-3218.

Sponsored by Pine to Prairie Christian Women's Connection Affiliated with Stonecroft Ministries.

MEATBALL DINNER

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11 am-2 pm

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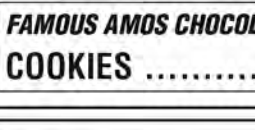
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CASS CLAY OR LAND O' LAKES HALF & HALF 5/\$4.50 PINT	 TRADITIONAL, MEAT OR MUSHROOM PREGO \$1.99 24 OZ	 ASSORTED PEPSI COLA PRODUCTS \$5.99 20 PK - 12 OZ CANS	ESSENTIAL EVERYDAY CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP 5/\$3 10.5 OZ
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Win-E-Mac Public School
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JOB POSTING

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Minimum Requirements: High School graduate or equivalent. Highly prefer someone with previous land records management experience, excellent computer skills, detail-oriented and great communication skills. Must possess a valid Minnesota Class "D" Driver's License.

Applications may be obtained from the Clearwater County Assessor's Office, 213 Main Avenue N, Dept. 203, Bagley, Minnesota 56621 or on the county website at www.co.clearwater.mn.us/employment.

This is a full time, 40 hours per week position. Starting Salary Range \$14.43 - \$19.08 an hour with full time benefits. Applications must be submitted to Jamie Freeman, Clearwater County Assessor no later than August 6, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.

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Part-time Counter Person

We are looking for a Part-time Counter Person. Duties would include but not limited to; checking out customers at the till, stocking and making C-Store orders, answering the phone, entering C-Store products in as they come in, and light C-Store cleaning.

Please apply in person to either Nathan Preuss or Adrienne Hanson at the Gully Tri-Coop Association 1 South Main Street, Gully MN 56646 or email Nathan.preuss@outlook.com or Adrienne.hanson@gullytricoop.com Phone 218-268-4181.

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Early Childhood Positions Available

Do you like working with young children & their families? Would you like to work in a family friendly environment? Would you like to work for an agency that promotes professional growth and has room for career advancement?

Inter-County Community Council is accepting applications for openings in our Head Start program:

Bagley Center Educator: 40 hours a week, 9 month position, working in Bagley as a Lead Teacher, working with an assistant teacher and a classroom assistant to provide care and education to 4 year olds in a classroom setting; Associate Degree required / Bachelor Degree preferred, experience with young children preferred, additional training will be provided.

TRF Bus Driver: 15-20 hours a week, 9 month position, working with our 4 year old classrooms in Thief River Falls to provide transportation to and from their homes, GED or high school diploma and CDL (commercial drivers license) required, experience with young children preferred, training will be provided (buses are 20 passengers maximum, if more than 10 children ride the route a bus monitor will ride along, and all children are in 5 point restraint systems)

Early Head Start Home Based Educator – SUBSTITUTE: 40 hours a week to cover a long term leave (approximately 2-3 months), working with families of children ages birth to 3 years, conduct in home visits with families on a weekly basis, CDA or AA degree required experience with young children preferred, training will be provided. Located in the Thief River Falls area.

Substitutes: We are building our roster of substitutes for all of our classroom positions (Thief River Falls, Oklee, Fosston, Win-E-Mac, and Bagley) for teachers and classroom assistants. These are an on-call basis.

Application and position specific information, including job duties, salary and educational requirements are available on our website at www.intercountyycc.org. Send completed application and resume to Inter-County Community Council, attn.: Human Resources, PO Box 189, Oklee, MN 56742 or hr@intercountyycc.org. Applications must be received by 12 pm on Friday, July 20. Call 218-796-5144 x. 28 for more information.

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WIC Certifier

Quin County Community Health Services WIC (Women, Infants and Children) Program is accepting applications for a part-time WIC certifier to provide nutrition and breastfeeding services and education to qualified participants. Qualifications: RN or degree in nutrition or related field. Strong communication and computer skills and ability to establish effective relationships with diverse families required. Experience working with pregnant and breastfeeding women and young children preferred. Must have ability to travel to clinic locations in Kittson, Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake and Roseau Counties.

Send letter of intent with resume to Quin County Community Health Services, PO Box 248, Newfolden, MN, 56738

For more information contact: quinchs@wiktel.com or call 218-874-7845.

Open until position is filled.

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HELP WANTED:

GULLY TRI-COOP ASSOCIATION, Gully MN

We have a full time opening for a Service Station Manager. This is a multi-faceted position that will require a working manager to oversee shop activities, deliver fuel and manage the department, to include Customer Relations, Department purchasing & sales, Employee Supervision, and Safety Compliance.

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- Have or be able to obtain a minimum class B license with HAZMAT, and tanker endorsements.
- Sales or management experience desired.
- Demonstrated ability towards very high Customer focus and Vendor relationships.
- Ability to multi task, organize, follow and enforce safety policies, and work well in a team.
- Must be able to climb ladders and occasional heavy lifting.
- Basic knowledge of MS Office and Outlook.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.

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M14-17C

HELP WANTED:

The Goodridge Lutheran Parish has an opening for Parish Secretary. Part time position 12-16 hours per week.

If interested call the Parish office at 218-378-4191, email resume to glparish@gvtel.com or mail in a resume to GLParish, PO Box 157, Goodridge, MN 56725.

O15-17C

HELP WANTED:

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HELP WANTED: POTATO HARVEST

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M14-11C

Deputy Auditor/Treasurer Clearwater County

Applications are being accepted for a Deputy Auditor/Treasurer position, under the general supervision of the Clearwater County Auditor/Treasurer. This position assisting with maintenance of departmental accounting functions, processing accounts payable, receipting monies, entering and maintaining county budgets, reconciling and balancing accounts. Responsible for processing land tax forfeitures, assists with payroll, tax collection and the entering of special assessments, issuance of passports and administering election procedures.

Desired education requirements are an Associate Degree in accounting, business, finance or related field or a minimum of three years experience in accounting of governmental accounting procedures and practices. Must be proficient in computer skills and willing to learn various software applications.

Applications may be obtained from the Clearwater County Service Center located on the 2nd floor of the Clearwater County Courthouse or on the website at www.co.clearwater.mn.us.

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**Theology in the Trenches**
By Kathleen Kjolhaug

Loved for Who You Are

Finding a friend who knows you from the inside out and who frankly likes you, is a gift. Someone who enjoys your company while giving you the freedom to cry, laugh, and dream about life without having to watch what you say for fear they might not really like you, after all, is nothing to worry about at all. Nope, there will be no Judas to betray and slay when one finds the gift of true friendship.
We've all had it done to us... the betrayal. And truth is, we've all betrayed. And because of doing this or having it done to us, on guard we become...holding back just enough to protect our hearts.
It happened to me back in the day. As rejection and fear have been bubbling to the surface as of late, I'm taking time to listen to the internal heartbeat of what is driving that.
I'd like to believe it was others who have done the damage during my growing up years. The groups that form within friendship circles can be intentionally hurtful, and as much as I'd like to say it is others who do the nasty business reacting from their own hidden pain, I no longer think "they" are to blame.
As I pay attention to the rumblings within, the ground breaks opens just enough for me to peer within. Could snippets from childhood cause this much lack of trusting others as an adult? I suppose the answer is both "Yes" and "No." Past pain can certainly trigger new pain, and when this happens I find myself unaware of the connecting components from the past. Soon, I'm doubling back, smoothing over, and taking time to make sure others know my intentions are not what they are being misinterpreted as.
Restoration is good. Good for the soul it is to check in to make sure that no offense was taken. After all, He says, "Blessed are the peace makers" (Matt. 5). However, when pain reoccurs, then perhaps something else is going on, and there is a bit more deep cleaning that needs to happen...as cleansing of sorts.
There is boldness in asking what wounds need to be healed...cleansed. To go back to the original hurt which longs to be unhurt is a brave thing to do. To be able to ask what it is that drives that need for reassurance that I am, after all, loved...takes strength.
As I take time to pause, and as I listen to what is going on within...ever so gently the wound begins to calm...and it is then that I realize that it is not "they." Rather, it is me. There is a pattern. When I am out and about making my business about friendship rather than my Father's business, the foundation was set on anything but a solid foundation. It is I who expected something from another that no other can give... except Him.
Listening ushers in forgiveness of things I knew not needed to be forgiven. I must forgive not only those who have offended way back when...but I must also forgive myself for being after all...simply a human longing to be liked by another...accepted within circles I perhaps had no business being in.
Whether it has been my children, my relatives, or a hopeful friendship that appeared to deeply gratify in the validation of who I am...that I am accepted and loved by another...it has been and will always be on sinking sand.
And that is when I must pause...and be still and know that He alone is God. He will have no false gods before Him (Exodus 20). In the stillness He reminds me. And for this, I am grateful. Amen.

Haymaking time...that is fun time!!
By Auctioneer Eric W. Mickelson



Growing up in northern Minnesota we get to experience all the seasons. My favorite, SUMMER. Maybe it's because of the beautiful summer weather. It might be childhood memories of freedom from school. But, I think I know why summer is my personal favorite. You see mom was a school teacher. In the summer everything we did on our small dairy farm was family time! If it was milking time we were all in the barn. In between the switching of milkers we would visit, laugh joke, and listen to the radio. When it was haying time we were all in the field. Dad would mow hay with the H Farmall, and mom or I would rake with the B John Deere. At baling mom would drive the tractor and dad and I would stack the fresh, green, square bales of hay! In between loads of hay we stop and take a drink of ice cold water from the cooler, nothing tasted better on a hot Minnesota SUMMER day.
Sometimes after evening chores we would go into town to the Bowling Alley and get an ice cream cone! Some evenings the neighbors would come over and visit. Mom and dad would and the neighbors would have coffee in the house while "us" kids would play hide and seek or catch some fire flies.
Recently my family enjoyed

a trip to Alaska. We returned from Seattle on the AMTRACK. As we cruised the countryside I enjoyed many views though Washington, Idaho, Montana, and North Dakota. My favorite view was the farms. But of course we went by many field of hay!! It is haying season!! Mostly round bales of course although there would occasionally be a field of small square bales. I couldn't help daydream a bit about growing up and haying with mom and dad.
So when I hear people lament and complain about the days of milking cows or baling hay I just don't understand. When I grew up that was what we called family fun....in the good ol' SUMMER time.

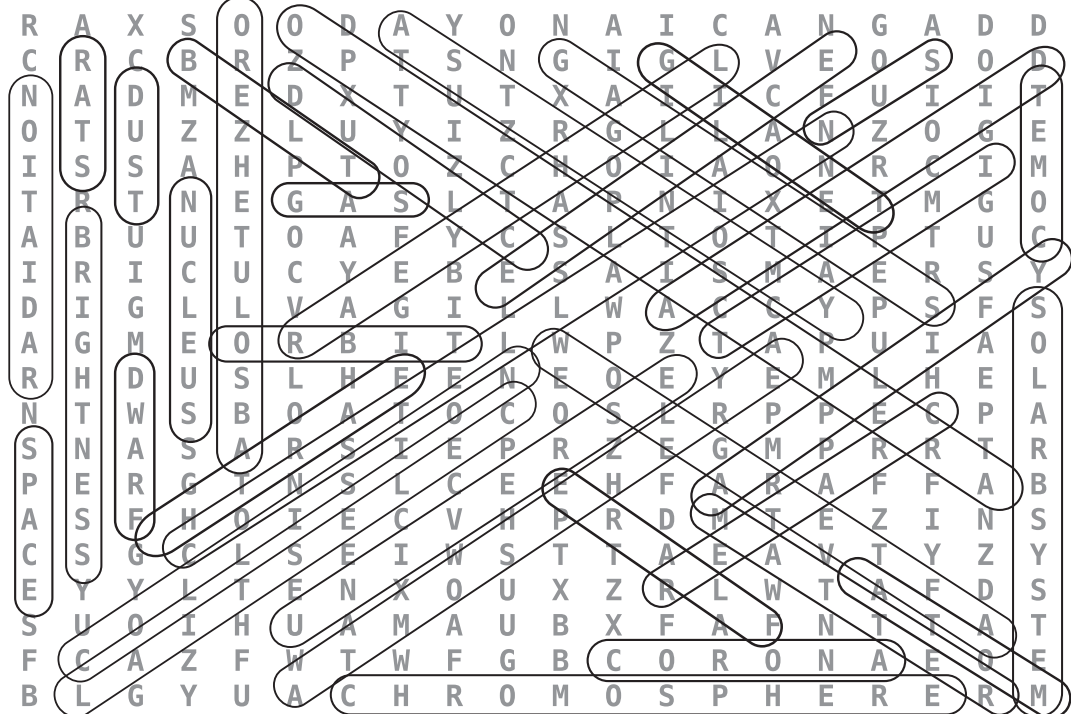
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Obit for Salvina (Sally) Wedwick

Salvina (Sally) Bertina Wedwick was born August 21, 1919 in Bagley, MN. She loved her family growing up and married Arnold Anderson at 21. Together, they

became reacquainted with Lloyd Mostrom in 1983 and they enjoyed many years together.

Marian is survived by children: Kristi Anderson, Goodridge, MN, Diane (Bruce) Solberg, Goodridge, MN, Lisa Williams, Minneapolis, MN, Kurt (Geraldine) Schroeder, Fridley, MN and, daughter-in-law Carrie Schroeder of Blaine, MN; 11 grandchildren: Jason (Candace) Schroeder, Joyce (Greg) Geving, Kristian (Kassie) Solberg, Justin (Kara) Davis, Joshua Davis, Alyssa Williams, Amanda Williams, Nicholas (Megan) Schroeder, Nicholas Peter, Jessica (Brandon) Matykiewicz and Haley Schroeder; 18 great grandchildren: Sheyanne, Austin, Taylor, Isaac, Raymond, Gunnar, Arden, Chase, Brooklyn, Paisley, Tycen, Gavin, Amiyah, Avaeh, J'Adore, Jade, Sullivan and Otto; brother, Curtis Olstad, Greenfield, MN, sisters Olive (Tom) Pinske of Plato, MN, Sharon Ellingson of Glen, MN and Janet Kostick of Glen, MN along with many nieces and nephews..

She is preceded in death by husband, Arden Schroeder, special companion Lloyd Mostrom, son Troy Schroeder, granddaughter, Amy Schroeder, parents, Olaf and Cora (Aaserud) Olstad, grandparents, Christ and Juline (Martinsen) Marie Aaserud and Iver and Mathea Olstad and a baby brother in infancy, brothers-in-law Owen Harmer, Arlen Ellingson, Tom Kostick; sister-in-law Cathy Olstad.

In lieu of flowers memorials are suggested to Our Saviors Church.

Family condolences may be sent to www.johnsonfuneralservice.com

Organist was Joy Nordby. Soloist was Jodi Schultz. Casketbearers were Jason Schroeder, Kristian Solberg, Justin Davis, Joshua Davis, Nick Schroeder, Brandon Matykiewicz.

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Services held for Robert Jacobson

Robert Carroll Jacobson, 81, of Vergas, MN, passed away on Wednesday, July 11, 2018, under the care of Hospice of the Red River Valley in Oak Crossing Nursing Home, Detroit Lakes, MN. Robert was born on September 2, 1936 to Alfred and Emma (Sather) Jacobson in Clearbrook, MN.

Robert attended and graduated from Clearbrook High School before moving to Moorhead, MN. In Moorhead, he worked as a Maintenance Engineer for Moorhead Public Schools. In 1958, Robert enlisted in the Army and was honorably discharged in 1961. Robert was united in marriage to Ann Marie Abaz on August 12, 1961 at Trinity Lutheran Church, Moorhead, MN. After totaling 35 years with Moorhead Public Schools, Robert

Services held for Roger Althoff

Roger Terrance Althoff, 71, of Spring Lake Park, MN, passed away on Thursday, July 12, 2018 at "The Shack" in Leonard, MN.

Memorial service was held on Monday, July 16, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Leonard, MN with a visitation one hour prior. Military Rites were accorded by the Melvin Johnson American Legion Post #256 of Clearbrook, Minnesota. Interment will be at a later date at Clearwater Cemetery in Clearbrook, MN. The Cease Family Funeral Home of Bagley assisted the family with arrangements.

He was born on September 1, 1946 in Bagley, Minnesota, the son of Arnold Althoff and Margaret née Blessum. He was drafted into the Army during the Vietnam War and served from 1965-1967. After his service, he came back to Minnesota. At a gathering

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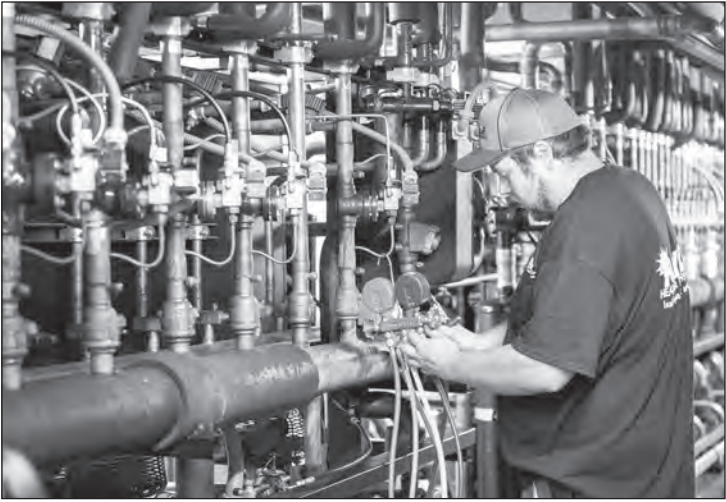
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Northwest Technical College open house

Northwest Technical College invites anyone interested in exploring careers in the growing, high-tech field of commercial refrigeration to a July 23 open house, where visitors can explore the college's new Commercial Refrigeration/HVAC diploma program.

The open house will be held from 4-6 p.m. at NTC's Sustainable Energy Technologies Center, located at 808 Paul Bunyan Drive SE in Bemidji. NTC admissions office staff will be on hand to answer questions and help with applications. Students who already have been admitted to NTC's Commercial Refrigeration/HVAC program for Fall 2018 may also attend the open house and register for fall classes.

NTC Commercial Refrigeration/HVAC students can earn a 60-credit diploma that combines courses in plumbing, HVAC and electrical construction & maintenance with a 15-credit block of new Commercial Refrigeration courses, along with general education requirements.

Darrin Strosahl, NTC's vice president for academic and student affairs, said the program will provide training and coursework that directly correlates to business and industry requests. Students will take courses in electrical theory and advanced electronics and motor controls along with specialized coursework exploring commercial refrigeration systems and equipment, and approximately 40 percent of coursework will

involve hands-on training and field experience.

Commercial Refrigeration: An In-Demand Profession

NTC's Commercial Refrigeration/HVAC program is a direct response to a shortage of skilled employees reported by north-central Minnesota commercial refrigeration employers. During a Dec. 2017 presentation, employers encouraged the college to develop a program that provides a high level of electrical and electrical controls knowledge in addition to fundamental skills in commercial refrigeration.

"We've made a point to listen to business and industry, and have made sure our program reflects what they say they need," Strosahl said. "Ultimately, our goal is to serve our students. We want them to leave NTC with the skills they will need to be successful on the job. That's what technical education is about — ensuring that alignment between your education and your employment."

Modern Training Facilities

NTC's Commercial Refrigeration/HVAC students will train in a new lab facility featuring the same modern refrigeration systems and diagnostic tools graduates will see on the job. The college has received a \$150,000 grant for equipment purchases from Bemidji's George W. Neilson Foundation, which can be matched with an additional \$150,000 from the Minnesota State system of colleges and universities.

Boaters and anglers must take steps to prevent aquatic invasive species spread

The upcoming Independence Day holiday brings busier lake accesses, and people will be hurrying to family gatherings and celebrations. It is important for all lake and river users to take a few minutes to clean, drain, dispose—every time.

"Nearly all boaters and anglers understand and follow Minnesota's clean, drain, dispose laws to prevent spreading aquatic invasive species," said Heidi Wolf, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources invasive species unit supervisor. "People can prevent the spread of invasive species like zebra mussels, starry stonewort and Eurasian watermilfoil by always cleaning and draining watercraft and disposing of bait in the trash."

Minnesota law requires boaters and anglers to take these steps every time they leave a lake or river:

- Clean watercraft and trailers of aquatic plants and prohibited invasive species.
- Drain all water by removing drain plugs and keeping them out during transport.
- Dispose of unwanted bait in the trash.
- Spray with high-pressure water.
- Rinse with very hot water (120 degrees Fahrenheit for at least two minutes or 140 degrees for at least 10 seconds).
- Dry for at least five days.

People should contact an area DNR aquatic invasive species specialist if they think they have found an invasive species. More information is available at mndnr.gov/ais.

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Clearbrook-Gonvick Summer Recreation Hosts Kloster Park League, Cadet League World Series

Kloster Memorial Park in Clearbrook will host area Summer Recreation programs as they wrap up their softball and baseball activities.

The popular Kloster Park League World Series returns for its 30th year on Sunday, July 22. Thirteen teams in three leagues will be battling for the coveted World Series crown. The Northern League (girls ages 9-14) has four softball teams. The Junior League (9-11 year old boys) has six baseball teams and the Senior League (12-14 year old boys) has three teams this year. Pitching machines are used for all games.

The day kicks off at 1:30 when regular season awards will be presented. Games will begin at 2:00. The Northern League starts their World Series game at 4:15. The Junior League World Series contenders will battle at 5:15 and the Senior League plays their World Series final at 6:30.

About 180 youngsters and 20 coaches from Bagley, Clearbrook, Fosston, Gonvick, Gully, Leonard, Lengby, Oklee, Plummer, Red Lake, Shevlin, and Trail compete in this league.

On Wednesday, July 25th, the Cadet League teams determine their World Series Champion. The single elimination, consolation tournament begins at 9:00. Nine teams from Bagley, Clearbrook-Gonvick, Fertile-Beltrami, Fosston, Red Lake County Central, Red Lake Falls and Win-E-Mac will contend for the honor of playing in the World Series game. The Cadet League World Series final starts at 2:00.

Everyone is welcome to attend these events at beautiful Kloster Park!

Trails4Transplants Raises Funds and Awareness



Trails4Transplants riders as they made their way into Rochester, Minnesota, on the last leg of the 2018 journey. Riders from many states have come together in the past six years to raise money for specific projects that assist organ transplant donors and recipients, as well as to raise awareness for the need for donors for transplants. This year's ride raised more than \$45,000.

The 2018 Trails4Transplants trail ride commenced May 20th in Wadena, MN and concluded 317 miles later in Rochester, Minnesota. The purpose of the ride was to raise awareness for the need of organ, eye and tissue donors, and to raise funds to assist organ transplant recipients. This was the sixth leg of the planned 2,000 mile trek, and marked 2,024 miles completed.

Over the course of the last six years, T4T participants traveled through communities across Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana and South Dakota with over 42,000 horse & rider miles logged during the 93 days in the saddle.

Congratulations goes to Cliff Schulz of Euclid, MN, Roger Hille of Mandan, ND, and Sue Helm of Newfolden, MN, for riding all the miles. And congratulations to Lindy Schulz of Euclid, MN, Jim Johnston of Warren, MN, and Jody Johnson of LaMoure, ND, who completed all the miles as support crew!

This year, the T4T riders raised more than \$45,000 for

their cause, even though their main mission is promoting awareness. In the six years that the organization has been



In Dec. of 2001, Kailee sustained an eye injury from falling into an artificial Christmas tree and a needle pierced her right eye. The injury happened a few months before she turned 2 years old. After having the needle surgically removed, she had numerous appointments at different hospitals as her eye was not healing as the doctors had hoped and planned.

around, more than \$235,000 has been raised. All funds raised will be targeted to specific projects that assist organ transplant donors and recipients. No funds are used for administrative labor, and all participants are non-paid volunteers.

The communities along the routes rolled out the red carpet for the group, providing evening meals, staging areas, entertainment, and donations. County Fair boards and County Commissions allowed the group to stay at their facilities along the way. Co-founders and co-chairs, Ashley Peterson and Roger Hille expressed their gratitude for riders, support staff, and the community support that contributed to the tremendous success of the endeavor.

Local and area riders who participated in the 2018 Trails4Transplants ride include Jessica Anderson, Crookston, MN; Cliff Schulz, Euclid, MN;

Lindy Schulz, Euclid, MN; Julie Kilgore, Goodridge, MN; Doug Lysford, Karlstad, MN; Nancy Lysford, Karlstad, MN; Sierra Anderson, Middle River, MN; Jake Anderson, Middle River, MN; Tom Blazejewski, Newfolden, MN; Sue Helm, Newfolden, MN; Sharon Holmstrom, Newfolden, MN; Nicole Flynn, Newfolden, MN; Sunny Wilde, Plummer, MN; Karleen Wilde, Plummer, MN; Dawn Dyrdal, Thief River Falls, MN; Melissa Galland, Thief River Falls, MN; Jim Johnston, Warren, MN; and Ashley Peterson, Warren, MN.

Plans are well underway for the 2019 ride which will be held May 19th-27th, south of Mandan, ND at Roger and Julie Hille's ranch. Additional information will be available at the group's website at trails4transplants.org, or by contacting Roger at rogehille@gmail.com or Ashley at Ashley@trails4transplants.org.



Fecilia Koon, from Frierson, LA, holds the pictures of Kailee Vigen. Each day, before the T4T ride started, riders would share stories of people who had transplants that changed their lives.



Kailee was sent to Dr. Elizabeth David in July of 2007 and was put on the transplant list. On October 23, 2007, she had a cornea transplant at the age of six. Kailee received her cornea transplant thanks to a 15 year old boy's donation. Kailee is now 17 years old and celebrating the 10 year anniversary of the cornea transplant. Kailee is thankful for Dr. David and is so blessed with her restored vision, she now has plans to be an ophthalmologist. Kailee is from Thief River Falls, MN.



Roger Hille, one of the organizers of the Trails4Transplants rides, stands in front of a Donate Life flag. The purpose of the rides is to raise both money and awareness of the need for transplant donors.

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