



Tri County Canary

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Employees of Enbridge took part in the Gonvick Lions 29th Annual Rodeo Parade with their 70th birthday cake. Enbridge Energy was celebrating 70 years of service. They provided an appreciation dinner in the tent on Main Street before the rodeo on Saturday. Free admission to the rodeo on Saturday night was presented by Enbridge Energy. What a crowd that was present!

Enbridge has not only been transporting oil through the area, but they made an initial investment in a wind farm in 2002. They have committed more than \$7.8 billion in capital to renewable energy and power transmission projects currently in operation or under construction. Together, their renewable energy projects (either operating or under construction) have the capacity to generate 3,639 megawatts (MW) gross of zero-emission energy (1,748 MW net). Enbridge is one of the largest renewable energy companies in Canada, and they have a diversified portfolio of renewable energy projects.

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Collectively, those renewable energy projects in operation or under construction (and their 1,748 MW net generation capacity) are enough to meet the electricity needs of 696,577 homes, based on net generation figures.



The two oldest members came back to Saron on Sunday, July 14th, to relive memories. Myrtle Hamrum now lives with her daughter in Alaska and her brother, Omer Frette lives in the Cites.

Saron Free Lutheran Church closes after 134 years of service

On July 14, 2019 another small country church closed its doors bringing to close 134 years of service that began with the first settlers in the area in 1883.

Gathered on this very humid and hot July Sunday, 55+ people attended the last service to be held at Saron in a final goodbye. Many came early to have a chance to wander around the cemetery and church before the final Sunday service began at 2 p.m. with Pastor Alan Arneson from Calvary Free Lutheran Church in Fosston presiding. He has served Saron for 14 years.

The program included lots of special music played and sung by people who have ties to the church even though they no longer live in the area and past members. Singers & musicians included Darlene Macomber, Jill Cooper, Deb Rewertz, Jody Benedick, Jessie Hamrum and Lowell Hamrum.

Two of the oldest members were present, Myrtle Hamrum, 95 and her brother Omer Frette, (around 90).

Many of the people attending if they weren't members had family that were still members or had loved ones buried in the Saron Cemetery. Many of these people continue to support the church whenever there is a need for shingling, upkeep, etc.

The President of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations (AFLC) Rev. Lyndon Korhonen was also at the program and even though this is a sad time for everyone, gave an uplifting message that their work will continue, just in different ways.

There was a period of "Sharing Memories" for anyone willing to speak. Many took the opportunity to share their memories.

Myrtle Hamrum, who now lives in Alaska with her daughter Susan, told about the early days at the church before they had the annex/hall building which houses the kitchen and dining room. How they served lunch which included a sandwich, a piece of cake and cookie, all out of large dish pans which are still part of the kitchen today and they had to carry water from the small stream that flows by the church.

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The altar in Saron Church.

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Many others joined in the sharing and it was a nice way to say goodbye to an old friend.

The history of Saron Free Lutheran Church was printed in the program bulletin and is as follows:

Saron Lutheran is located in Badger Township of Polk County north of Erskine in an area formerly called Cisco. The first settlers came to this community in 1883. The first area worship gatherings were held in the homes of these settlers.

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Gonvick Mayor Candace Coulter, lifetime resident of the area, is happy to serve the City of Gonvick. She participated in the Gonvick Lions 29th Annual Rodeo Parade. She graduated from Clearbrook-Gonvick High school and served in the Marine Corps for 13 years with two tours in Iraq. She drove a 1947 Farmall B that belonged to her grandfather Allen Barsness. It had an attachment Model B221 cultivator with pneumatic lift attachment. It was bought new by her great grandfather in 1947.



Harvey and David Erie had their float in the Gonvick Lions 29th Annual Rodeo Parade. The Eries have farmed continually for a hundred years. Oscar Erie started the farm in 1917 along with his wife and eventually his children. His son Harvey and grandson David continue the farming operation to this day. The Erie farm is located just east of Gonvick.



Pastor Alan Arneson started serving Saron Lutheran in 2004. He served as pastor for Saron Lutheran for 14 years. He is now the pastor of Calvary Free Lutheran Church of Fosston.



Rev. Lyndon Korhonen, the President of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations (AFLC) gave an uplifting message on this sad day and also officially closed Saron.



Debbie (Qualley) Rewertz attended Saron most of her childhood. She was confirmed and married at Saron.



Farm to Table photo from 2018.

Second Annual Farm to Table Celebrates Red River Valley and Local Foods on Friday, August 9, 2019

CROOKSTON, Minn. – Celebrate the Red River Valley and locally grown foods at the second annual Farm to Table dinner, Friday, August 9, 2019, at 5 p.m. at the University of Minnesota Crookston. Seating is limited and can be purchased in advance by calling 612.624.2345, additional details can be found at www.crk.umn.edu/farm-table or by calling Michelle Christopherson 218.281.8369.

The evening, hosted by Chancellor Mary Holz-Clause and Vice Chancellor of Academic and Student Affairs, John Hoffman, will begin at the University Teaching and Outreach Center with the Polk County

Mounted Posse Showcase at 5 p.m. followed by dinner at 6 p.m. in Bede Ballroom, Sargeant Student Center. The meal, served family style, will be prepared by Shane Halvorson, executive chef for Sodexo Dining Services at UMN Crookston. Chef Shane loves learning as much as he can about any cuisine and will share his passion with guests during Farm to Table.

This year's highlight will feature local craft brews from Rhombus Guys Brewery and Half Brother's Brewery. The evening will kick off with local spirits from Far North Spirits located in Hallock, Minn., along with choice meats from Protein Alliance in Alexandria, Minn. A

global meat brokerage and trading company, Protein Alliance is owned by UMN Crookston alumni Jeff Stauffenecker 1990 and Carl Wittenburg 1985. Accompanying the meal will be fruits and vegetables raised this summer in the campus garden along with other floral arrangements from surrounding gardens.

Four UMN Crookston seniors will share how they made their decision to attend the University of Minnesota Crookston as well as their student experience including: Olivia Puttin, Rogers, Minn.; Greg Johnson, Lonsdale, Minn.; Tessa Coster, Grand Forks, N.D.; and Michaela Lano, Chaska, Minn.

Letter to the Editor

July 17, 2019

Dear Christ's Faithful of the Diocese of Crookston,

I am happy to report to you that a Settlement Agreement has been reached between the victims and survivors of clergy sexual abuse and the Diocese of Crookston. This Agreement has been reached after years of negotiation and mediation regarding suits filed against the Diocese between April of 2016 and May of 2017. These suits were filed as a result of the passage of the Minnesota Child Victims Act which lifted the statute of limitations for sexual abuse cases in Minnesota, opening a three-year window allowing victims to come forward and affording them the opportunity to file civil claims. This Agreement settles all cases against the Diocese – 15 in total – as well as cases brought against eight parishes of the Diocese filed in conjunction with the cases against the Diocese.

The monetary figure agreed upon in the Settlement Agreement is \$5,000,000. Most of this has been paid by our insurance carriers. \$1,550,000 is being paid by the Diocese of Crookston from funds saved from the sale of property (2016 and 2018), from non-restricted estate gifts (2017), and from funds the Diocese currently has on hand. No Diocesan Annual Appeal funds were used.

To all victims and survivors of sexual abuse by clergy, as the Bishop of Crookston I apologize for the harm done to you by those entrusted with your spiritual care. Although you can never be fully compensated for your suffering, we are thankful this litigation has now come to a good end and are hopeful this settlement offers you justice and will be helpful for healing.

To you, the faithful of this

local Church, I say thank you for your continued prayer: for victims of sexual abuse; for a fair resolve to these cases. Let us all now, humbly, offer prayers of thanksgiving. Because of this settlement, the Diocese of Crookston can avoid filing for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection. All other dioceses in Minnesota have filed or announced their intent to file for financial reorganization. We

will not have to lay off staff. We can joyfully and steadfastly continue our mission of bringing the Good News of Jesus Christ to this time and place. We pledge our continued efforts to rid the Church and world of sexual abuse and provide a safe environment for all.

Sincerely, in the name of the Lord Jesus, Most Rev. Michael J. Hoepfner, Bishop of Crookston



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Sunday, Aug. 4th 11 am- 2 pm

Trinity Lutheran Church at Debs

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- Nickel Dig at 11am (Sponsored by Fosston-Lengby Lions Club)

Carnival Games!

- Duck Pond
- Lollipop Pyramid
- Ring Toss
- Spin the Wheel
- Plinko
- Face Painting
- Cold Treats

- Farmers Market & Flea Market Friday & Saturday
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MEMORIAL SILENT AUCTION

Saturday, August 3rd, 2019

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If you would like to donate an auction item contact Dave Stordahl @ 218-791-5127 or drop off just before the auction at 5:00

Live music by the Kelly & Ace Band

following the auction

Come join us for a fun-filled event to raise \$\$ to FIGHT cancer in Bryan and Jim's honor!!

All net proceeds donated to The V Foundation

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!!

2019-08-01

Mark your calendar!

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in Puposky will be having an Ice Cream Social on Sunday, August 18th, 2019 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Home-made ice cream and pie will be served! Free will offering. All are welcome!

Trinity Lutheran Church in Debs (26685 Debs Rd NW) will be having their Annual Meatball Dinner on Sunday, August 4th, 2019 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Live music, craft and bake sale and drawings! Free will donation. All are welcome!

I would like to thank everybody for all the cards, letters, flowers, phone calls etc. while I was sick and out of work, I continue to get stronger everyday. Thanks again, Betty Brinkman

R18C

National Night Out Event

The 18th Annual National Night Out Night to Unite event will be held in Fosston, MN on August 6th, 2019 at 6:30 PM at the Stafford / Berge Park on Larson Ave. This will be a potluck with the Polk County Sheriff's Office furnishing hot dogs, buns, and lemonade. Further information on events will be coming soon.

National Night Out is designed to (1) Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness (2) Generate support for, and participation in, local anticrime efforts; (3) Strengthen neighborhood spirit and law enforcement-community partnership; and (4) Send a message to criminals letting them know that our communities are organized and fighting back.

On August 6th, residents in neighborhoods throughout the nation are asked to lock their doors, turn on outside lights, and spend the evening outside with neighbors and Law Enforcement. This is a night for America to stand together to promote awareness, safety, and community unity.

Polk County Sheriff

On 7-17-19 the Polk County Sheriff's Office received multiple theft reports from residents in Fosston. Multiple vehicles were entered and misc. items, currency and a handgun were stolen. There is no known threat to the public.

The Polk County Sheriff's Office is asking residents of Fosston who have home video surveillance systems to review footage from the evening of 7-16-19 to the early morning hours on 7-17-19 and contact the Sheriff's Office if they notice anything suspicious.

Please lock your vehicles and residences. If anyone has information they are urged to contact the Polk County Sheriff's Office.

Clearwater County Sheriff

On July 13, 2019 at 3:37am, the Clearwater County Sheriff's Office received a call of a motorcycle accident on County Road 2, about 1.5 miles South of Leonard, MN. Upon arrival, a 26 year old male from Solway, MN was found deceased at the scene. The case remains under investigation by the Clearwater County Sheriff's Office. The Sheriff's Office was assisted at the scene by Minnesota State Patrol, Clearbrook Fire Department and Sanford Ambulance.

The name of the deceased male involved in the motorcycle fatality on July 13th is John Louis Selmo of Solway, MN.

Wednesday, July 24, 2019



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Help Wanted

The RLCC High School in Oklee has an opening for 2 full time paraprofessionals. Contact the School for an application or with questions. 218-796-5136. Positions open until filled. ISD 2906 is an equal opportunity provider and employer. O1716c



Help Wanted

The RLCC Elementary School in Plummer has an opening for a full time custodian. Boiler license preferred. This is a year round position with benefits. Contact Supt. Jim Guetter at the Plummer School for an application or with questions. 218-465-4222. Position open until filled. ISD 2906 is an equal opportunity provider and employer. O17-18C

HELP WANTED: POTATO HARVEST

Starts approximately Sept. 7 and runs for approximately 15-20 days. Truck drivers, warehouse workers and equipment operators needed. Overtime included. Call 218-556-9316 or 218-435-2173. R18-20C



McIntosh Senior Living (MSL) currently is hiring for a Part time Cook and a Part time Housekeeper. MSL is a family oriented facility and promotes a learning environment. These positions will be required to work every other weekend and holiday rotations. MSL offers PTO, double time holiday pay, shift differential, health insurance (free single coverage), retirement plan, retention bonus and scholarships. Credit is given for experience. If you are interested in joining our team, you can get an application off of the website @ <http://mcintoshseniorliving.com> or contact Lana Hitchen, Dietary Manager and Orlett Hedlund Housekeeping Manager at 218-563-2715. R18-19C



McIntosh Senior Living is creating a new part time position for a qualified Administrative Assistant to perform a variety of administrative and clerical tasks. This position will lead to full time after the retirement of a current team member with full benefits. Duties of the Administrative Assistant include providing support to our managers and employees, assisting in daily office needs and managing our company's general administrative activities.

Responsibilities:

- Greet clients and visitors with a positive, helpful attitude
- Answer and direct phone calls in a professional manner
- Update and maintain office policies and procedures
- On boarding new employee
- Assisting colleagues with administrative tasks
- Assist with HR systems and procedures
- Complete all duties with the payroll process
- Nurture a positive working environment
- Will eventually train to complete billing

Requirements:

- Experience in working with payroll and carry out all payroll procedures accurately
- Computer savvy with working knowledge of relevant software
- Outstanding organizational and time management skills
- Excellent communication abilities with aptitude in problem-solving
- Nurture a positive working environment
- Excellent active listening, negotiation and presentation skills

To be successful in the role, you will need to have understanding of the concept of confidentiality, experienced in entering data with attention to detail and be a thorough professional. If you are interested in joining our team, applications can be found on MSL website @ <http://mcintoshseniorliving.com> or resumes can be sent to Sharlene Knutson, Administrator at 600 Riverside Ave NE, McIntosh, MN 56556. R18-19C

Sort Line Operator I or II - Polk County Incinerator

The Polk County Incinerator in Fosston, MN has an opening for a full-time **Sort Line Operator I or II**. Primary duties include sorting and segregate recoverable recyclable material as well as removing problem/objectable items from the municipal solid waste that is delivered to the facility. Assist maintenance staff and maintain records/reports. Position also required to clean equipment and to perform basic maintenance on, as well as operate conveyors, & balers. Applicants must possess a high school diploma or equivalent. A valid MN driver's license is required. A pre-employment physical exam is required. Wage range for this position is \$14.30- \$19.27/hour, DOE and qualifications. Interested individuals may contact the Polk County Incinerator at 218-435-6501 or the Polk Administrator's Office at 218-281-5408; online at <http://www.co.polk.mn.us> 'Job Opportunities' to view the job description and application. This position will be remain open until filled. EOE M17-4fn

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Poplar Meadows Senior Living is looking for an **"on call RN"** to be on call every 4th weekend in the summer and every 3rd weekend in the winter months. If interested contact Becky at 218-563-2436. R18-19C



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OPENINGS

The **Red Lake Falls School District** is accepting applications for the following teaching positions:

- **Special Education**
- **Elementary Math Interventionist**
- **Long Term Substitute Teacher 2nd Grade from August 26th thru October 18th, 2019**

Please send Credentials to Chris Bjerklie, J.A. Hughes Principal (School Address) or cjbjerklie@redlakefalls.k12.mn.us

The Red Lake Falls School District is accepting applications for the following positions:

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Polk County Family Advocate: 40 hours a week, working in and around McIntosh, MN, working with a team supporting the education of enrolled children ages 3-5 and their families; primary duties include providing in home visits with parents of children in the classrooms, providing supervision in the classroom when needed, providing socialization events for families; must be able to pass a background check, experience with young children preferred, additional training will be provided.

Bagley Classroom Assistant Teacher: 40 hours a week, working in Bagley, MN, working with a team to provide care and education to 4 year olds in a classroom setting; primary duties include assistant to the lead teacher, leading group activities, supervising children; must be able to pass a background check, experience with young children preferred, additional training will be provided.

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, bus drivers and classroom assistants. These are an on-call basis. **Open until filled.**

Application and position specific information, including job duties, salary and educational requirements are available on our website at www.intercountycouncil.org. Send completed application and resume to Inter-County Community Council, attn.: Human Resources, PO Box 189, Oklee, MN 56742 or hr@intercountycouncil.org. Applications must be received by **Thursday, July 25 at 4:30 PM**, unless listed as open until filled. Call 218-796-5144 x1028 for more information.

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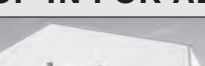
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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

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Answers on page 6

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New Growth

I know about new growth and even a bit about spurts now and again taking place when least expected. I've had a bunch of kids and now as I watch the grands, I'm refreshing my memory of such things.

Not only does growth come to little people as they transform before our eyes, but as of late I've been taking note of the growth happening in my kitchen. To be precise, I'm keeping tabs on a plant perched atop my corner cabinet. Long ago, it had once belonged to my grandmother Alice. Grandma lived on a farm, and while growing up, we would go visit her each Sunday. Grandpa was there, too, but the plants he paid heed to were out in the field. This one in my kitchen had been tended to by grandma. Most of her plants stood near a large dining room window collecting rays beaming through it on the farm. After she'd crossed over in life, a few of her things remained. Amidst the items which remained unspoken for was this one green vine-like potted plant.

I made claim to it and was thrilled with the keepsake. It was as if I had a piece of grandma herself, and I bonded quickly to the little beauty. Grandma had a green thumb as everything she touched responded well. Me? I wasn't a natural at nature and thus chose plants

that would not need too much attention given them. This particular plant looked like we might just get along.

Atop my kitchen cupboard it remained for years...twenty and counting last time I counted. Throughout this time, the potted plant hadn't changed much, but I was content. After all, it was still green and that was good enough for me. Every so oft a new leaf would come and another would fall as if to keep score upon each of the two vines protruding from the pot in which it sat.

One day I noticed a lengthy sprout shooting up and across my kitchen wall. To make it even more intriguing, I noted an equal amount of growth running down towards the old wooden cupboard upon which it stood. Grandma's plant was growing and growing quickly.

What made the difference after all these years? Out of curiosity, I decided to step up on a stool in order to take a closer look. Peering into the plant, I saw exactly what was happening...something that I'd never seen before.

At the center of where the new growth was taking place, a branch from another plant nearby had curved itself up, over, down and around grandma's plant...eventually supporting it. This was the epicenter of all

the new growth.

"It just can't be!" I said to my husband when he arrived home from work that evening. "Grandma's plant is alive, but that plant reaching up, out, over, down and around is dead! You picked those bittersweet branches for me two years ago! How can a branch from a dead plant, curve itself like that right into a plant that is alive? It's as though the dead plant sensed that grandma's plant need support and helped it begin to grow all over again!"

He, too, went over to peer into the likes of the potted plant which held what we were both beholding. Sure enough, he saw the miracle too.

We agreed that it was a picture of foundational truth on display. The very wood which once held death was offering and continues to offer resurrection power...new life, new growth. He truly does desire resurrection within each of us. He even says so with His very own words, "I came that all may have life and have it more abundantly" (John 10:10). Jesus Christ is continually in the business of resurrecting each of us in ways everlasting.

Jesus died and continues to offer new life. Watch for the miracles for He is working up, over, down, around, in and through all things. Amen.

Brother Jon Band will close first day of Crazy Days fun

The Park Rapids Downtown Business Association invites you to celebrate summer at 2nd Street Stage Thursday evenings through Aug. 15.

The concert July 25 will end the first day of Crazy Days in Downtown Park Rapids.

The free concerts from 6 to 8 p.m. (7 to 9 p.m. Aug. 8) with bands, a beer garden and family activities on the second block of South Main. Bring your own lawn chair.

The beer garden will open at 5 p.m. for a social hour while you find your spot, listen to the sound check and greet neighbors and friends. Support this great event by buying an official 2019 button and receive \$2 off all beverages at the beer garden.

Northview Bank is band sponsor for Brother Jon Band Brother, a rock band out of Minneapolis. The band is rooted in blues and classic rock with a jam style all of their own. Promoting their first release, Open Jam, the band is getting some recognition with the song Bobby's Blues, currently on 10 plus stations across the US and followed up by the song, Dog, getting some good airtime as well. Winners of the 2016 Famous Dave's battle of the bands and Duluth's 94x battle of the bands and Inline Marathon competition, the band is at a high point. Duluth blocked off I35 while the band played in the tunnels for 2,000 spectators and racers. The band keeps getting better moving through the trenches.. playing locally, regionally and nationally, most notably at the Lowertown Blues Festival in St. Paul, Duluth's Homegrown Festival, in Superior, WI, at the Northwoods Blues Festival in Chippewa Falls, WI, and in 2017 at The Red Gorilla Festival, a division of the South by Southwest festival in Austin, TX. For their live performances, Brother Jon mixes their own music with covers of famous rock bands, including Led Zeppelin, Stevie Ray Vaughn, Jimi Hendrix and Black Crowes.

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Ask a Trooper

by Sgt. Jesse Grabow Minnesota State Patrol

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Answer: You're correct that signs for graduation parties, political purposes and advertising are not allowed to be placed on the road right-of-way. They would need to be placed on private property.

• As for auction signs, they are allowed but have some requirements under the law. The placement can't exceed eight consecutive hours.

• They can't be placed on or

adjacent to the right-of-way of a highway.

• There can be no more than four signs directing motorists to the auction's location.

While the law does not go into detail, the location of auctioneer signs must not endanger the public. Signs on the shoulder of the road or in the radius of a driveway access would not be allowed as they cause safety concerns with sight distance and oncoming traffic. Signs on the shoulder are also unsafe for vehicles traveling along the road.

Signs should be placed toward the back slope where they can still be read by the travelling public. If the signs are posted during weekdays for a Saturday auction, they would

be subject to removal.

If you have more questions, you should contact the appropriate local highway department, depending on the type of road (state, county or city.) This would also be the place to contact if your signs were removed by local authorities or technicians for pick up.

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Haymaking 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.

Last summer my family enjoyed a trip to Alaska. We returned from Seattle on the AMTRAK. 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 was 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.

A couple of weeks ago we went to Blackduck to spend a

few days at the lake with my wife, Patty's family. I like to take the backroads south of Clearbrook and zig-zag my way over to Blackduck. It is fun to look at some other farm country. One of the fields I passed featured a 560 Farmall square baling hay. The baler did not have an ejector but had a long chute that pushed the bales up and then they fell into a caged wagon. I had seen pictures in magazines but had never seen a unit like that in action. I had a deadline of getting to the lake or I may have stopped and checked it out closer. It got me thinking.....maybe at second crop time I might have to take a leisurely drive on the backroads to Blackduck and check for a 560 Farmall with a square baler, pushing the bales way up into the wagon, and this time I will stop and check it out!!

1. International Harvester made the 560 from _____ - 1963.

2. The price of a new 560 in 1963 was \$_____.

3. The 560 had a _____ cylinder engine.

4. Was the 560 offered in an LP version?

5. The 560, as some previous models, had a TA. What does TA stand for?

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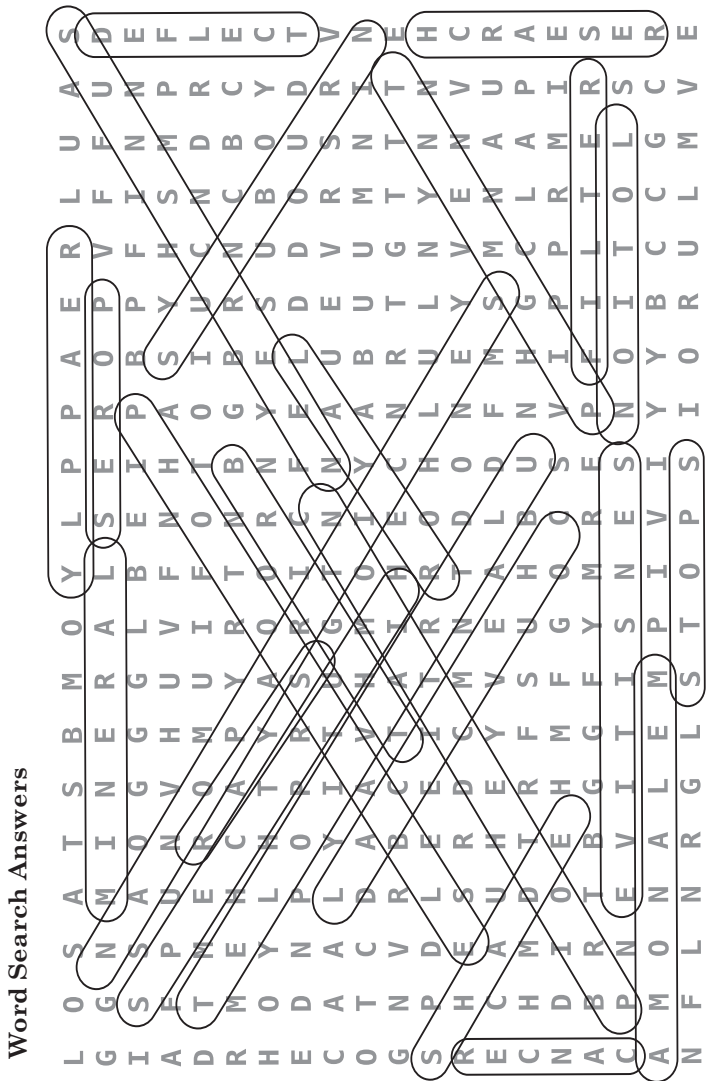
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OBITUARIES

Services for Lorraine Carlson

Lorraine Carlson, age 87, of McIntosh, MN, passed away on Saturday, July 20th, at Essentia Health Hospital in Fosston. Memorial services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 1st, at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in McIntosh with the Rev.

Gordon Syverson officiating. Interment will be in Salem Lutheran Cemetery, rural McIntosh. Family will greet friends for one hour prior to the service on Thursday, August 1st, at the church. Arrangements are with Carlin Family Funeral Service, serving McIntosh and messages of condolence may be sent at www.carlinfuneral.com.



Services held for Vernon Klein

Vernon Fredrick Klein, 87, of Satellite Beach, FL, was reunited in heaven with his loving wife of 55 years, Jeanette on July 14th, 2019. He fought an arduous battle with cancer since being diagnosed in 1999.

Born in Devils Lake, ND and raised on his family's farm in Plummer, MN with his three brothers and three sisters. Then drafted into the Army in 1952 and honorably discharged as a corporal, radio operator.

He married the love of his life Jeanette Braaten on August 23, 1958 and had 3 children. Their marriage was his top priority, anyone who saw them instantly recognized the adoration and love for each other.

Vern earned his Master's Degree in Electrical Engineering and moved his family for greater opportunities from Inver Grove Heights, MN to San Jose, CA to Glendale Heights, IL, and back to Inver Grove Heights. After his children's high school gradu-

ations; he moved to Satellite Beach, FL where he lived for over 30 years.

Vern was an avid photographer as evidenced by his giant archive of slides and pictures, inspiring Jeanette to join in the hobby as evidenced by her giant archive.

Vern was a quiet man of great honor and integrity. He had a deep faith in God. He was inspired by the book Heaven is for Real which gave him great hope for the time he would be reunited with Jeanette. To his children he was a hero.

He is preceded in death by his parents Fredrick and Esther, his wife Jeanette (55-years), brothers, Carl, Arlo, infant Gordon, sisters Viola Kvasager, Roberta and infant grandson Johnathan Kalinowski.

Survived by his beloved sister Laura Moen (Clyde), children James, Debra Kuglin (Todd) and Sandra Kalinowski. Grandchildren: Samantha Klein, Alyssa Kuglin, Amanda Nguyen (Kuglin), Kevin Kuglin, Cassandra Kalinowski, Selena Kalinowski and J.J. Kalinowski, Great-grandchildren Noelle Nguyen, Amelia Nguyen and Anella Kalinowski.

Vern will be greatly missed by his family and friends, a finer example of a husband, father and friend in this world would be hard to find. His kindness and generosity of spirit was a blessing to all who graced his presence.

Interment at Florida Memorial Gardens in Rockledge, Florida next to Jeanette.

Online condolences can be left at beachfuneralhome.com



Services held for Charles Halvorson

Charles Halvorson, 68, of Plummer, MN passed away on Wednesday, July 17, 2019 at the Thief River Care Center in Thief River Falls, MN.

The funeral service was held on Saturday, July 20, 2019 at 10:00 AM at Salem Lutheran Church near Oklee, MN with Reverend Linda Molitor Officiating. Burial was held at Ness Cemetery near Madison, MN at 5:30 PM.

Visitation was held Friday, 5-8 PM with a Prayer service at 7:00 at Johnson Funeral Service in Thief River Falls, MN and also on Saturday one hour prior to the service at Salem Lutheran Church.

Charles Walter Halvorson was born January 31, 1951 in Dawson, MN son of Walter and Pearl (Moore) Halvorson. He was raised on a farm near Madison, MN. He was baptized and confirmed at Faith Lutheran Church in Madison, MN. Charles attended school in Madison.

On July 13, 1974 he was united in marriage to Betty Arneson at Garfield Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls, MN. To this union three sons were born Chad, Ryan and Eric. They made their home near Madison where they raised their family and farmed. They purchased a farm in North-

west Minnesota near Plummer in 1983. Charles farmed all of his life and the last 17 years he was employed as a maintenance supervisor at the Seven Clans Casino of Thief River Falls, MN.

He was a member of Salem Lutheran Church where he served on the council.

Charles enjoyed hunting, fishing, and teaching others the sport. He was a life-long WWE wrestling fan and would watch with whomever would spend the time. He was always building, fixing, repurposing and trying new things. He enjoyed traveling to Niagara Falls, NY, Jamaica, Texas, Banff, Canada, Alaska, the Redwood Forest, CA, Panama Canal cruise and Washington DC. He would spend hours visiting and shaking dice in Plummer. Most of all he loved the time spent with his family and friends.

He is survived by his loving wife of 45 years Betty of Plummer, sons Chad (Bethann) Halvorson of St. Joseph, MN, Ryan (Mary) Halvorson of Woodbury, MN, and Eric (special friend Kari Kahlstorf) Halvorson of Crookston, MN; grandchildren Kyle, Jenna, Gavin, Alexis, Cole, Caiden, Nicholas, Pyper; sister-in-law Sherri Halvorson of Byers, CO; aunt Violet Denelsbeck of Waconia, MN; brothers-in-law Marvin and Alt Arneson and sister-in-law Ardis (Rich) Groninga, cousin Adeline (John) Cremer, cherished friends Brian and Cheryl Wellman, Lyle and Jean Turtle and families, Chase Stockwell; also many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Charles is preceded in death by his parents, brother Roger Halvorson, granddaughter Jennifer, sister-in-law Sharon Arneson.

Condolences may be sent at www.johnsonfuneralservice.com



Services pending for Delmont Hemmingsen

Delmont "Del" Hemmingsen, age 98, of Erskine, MN, passed away on Wednesday, July 17th, at Essentia Health Hospital in Fosston. Memorial services will be announced and held at a later date. Arrangements are with Carlin Family Funeral Service of Erskine and messages of condolence may be sent at www.carlinfuneral.com.



Celebration of Life for David Sogla

On June 24th, 2019 David was reunited with his Mother again.

David is preceded in death by his parents Virgil Virginia Sogla (Swenginson) and Arnold Palmer Sogla; sister Arlene Ione Tobel (Sogla) and brother Ronald John Sogla.

Left to remember him are his wife Esther Benita Sogla (Shufelt); his sister and her

husband Judith Ann Kirby (Sogla), Dennis Kirby; his brother and his wife Steven Wayne Sogla, Carol Sogla. Along with his children, grandchildren, niece's and nephews.

David was born in Utica, Minnesota, December 26th, 1941. He grew up on the family farm in Trail, Minnesota and was in the Army Airborne from 1963-1965.

David then worked as a Twin City Iron Worker, where he retired early at the age of 55.

The family would like to thank you all for those who have shown their support, love, concern and kindness.

Please feel free to share a story or a lovely memory of David.

There will be no formal service. A celebration of life is planned by his wife Esther on Saturday, July 27th, 1 pm at the home of David and Esther Sogla 281st Avenue NW, Zimmerman, MN 55398



Services for Madonna "Rose" Mireault

Madonna "Rose" Mireault, age 81, of Fosston, MN, passed away on Thursday, July 18th, at Essentia Health Hospital in Fosston. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, July 26th, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Fosston with Father JohnMelkies Suvakeen presiding. Interment will be in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Fosston. Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. with a 7:00 p.m. prayer service on Thursday, July 25th, and for one hour prior to the service on Friday. All visitation will be held at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Fosston. Arrangements are with Carlin Family Funeral Service of Fosston and messages of condolence may be sent at www.carlinfuneral.com.

Madonna "Rose" Bougie was born on June 5, 1938 to parents Rose and Walter Bougie. Her mother passed shortly after Rose was born. She was raised by her aunt Clara and uncle Albert Arel just a block away from her dad's home where he lived taking care of his parents. Rose went to St. Joseph's Catholic School in Crookston, MN. She received, Holy Sacrament of Confirmation at St. Anne's in Crookston, MN. As a young adult, she worked in a grocery store and as a candy stripper.

Rose was united in marriage to James Mireault on May 6, 1957 at St. Anne's Catholic Church in Crookston. After their marriage, they moved to Minneapolis for a short time before returning to Crookston where Rose worked for the Telephone Company. In 1958, Rose began her dream job as a mother. In her early years of motherhood, she dedicated her time to managing their home while Jim worked on the road. She

hosted many family holiday gatherings sharing her delicious baked goods. Rose took her children on many adventures including fishing at Union Lake (she even dug up her own worms), traveling by RV out West and spending the summer months at Detroit Lakes.

A few of Roses many contributions include being a part of the Befrienders, helping to start the MCCL chapter in Fosston in 1974 and the senior meals program in Fosston, teaching Friday school, and making and selling rosaries and aprons to raise funds for cancer patient's families. At Mireault's Home Furnishings, Rose enjoyed helping customers select fabric, drapery and wallpaper. She had a keen eye for color and style! Rose was a very skilled seamstress and loved embroidery and knitting. She made many garments for her family members.

After retirement, Rose and Jim spent 17 winters in Mesa, Arizona. During the summer months, a great joy for them was spending weekends at Lake of the Woods. While Jim fished, Rose spent her time shopping with friends, enjoying time with family and having her grandchildren visit. Many hours were spent playing cards, board games and eating popcorn. Rose loved nothing more than seeing her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren together. In 2010, Rose and Jim were honored by the Diocese of Crookston by receiving the Bishop's Marriage Medal. In 2013, Rose took a religious pilgrimage by bus, making many stops on the way to the final destination: The Lady of Guadalupe Shrine in Wisconsin.

She is survived by her five children, Renee (husband, Jon) Rustad of Fosston, MN, Cynthia Mireault (husband, Paul Rasmussen) of Bagley, Greg (wife, Keri) Mireault of Fosston, Mary (husband, Scott) Blotske of Bemidji, and Al (wife, Wendy) Mireault of Dallas, TX; daughter, Robin (husband, Chris Butirro) of Hoffman Estates, IL; 19 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren; sister Irene Lamere; brother Rosaire Arel; as well as many nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James Seril Mireault; son, Timothy James Mireault; Sister Claire, Donald, Eugene, Paul, and Frank Arel, Elizabeth Thompson, Clara and Albert Arel; parents Walther Ralph Bougie and Rose Evelyn Powers Bougie.



Services for Linda Maruska

Linda Maruska, age 68, of Fosston, MN, passed away on Sunday, July 7th, at Essentia Health Living Center in Fosston. Memorial services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 27th, at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Lengby, MN with the Rev. Gene Lillenthal officiating. Interment will be in Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery, Lengby. Family will greet friends for one hour prior to the service on Saturday (July 27th) at the church. Arrangements are with Carlin Family Funeral Service of Fosston and messages of condolence may be sent at www.carlinfuneral.com.

Linda Marie Halvorson was born on August 5, 1950 in Fosston, Minnesota to parents Otto and Alna (Reiten) Halvorson. Linda grew up on the farm near Bagley, Minnesota and graduated from Bagley High School in 1968. She was baptized at Hope Lutheran Church in Fosston and confirmed in the Lutheran faith at Our Savior's Lutheran Church at Ebro Corner.

Linda was united in marriage to Kenneth Maruska in 1969. They lived in the Lengby area. She worked

at several supper clubs as a cook – The Chalet, Angelina's and The Stadium. Linda also cooked at the Good Samaritan Home in Clearbrook, Minnesota for 22 years. Kenneth passed away in 2000. She then moved to Colorado and worked at the Good Samaritan Home in Loveland for 17 years. She retired at the end of February. She returned to Fosston on June 12, 2019 and passed away on July 7, 2019 with her family by her side at Essentia Health Living Center after her second battle with cancer at the age of 68 years.

Linda is survived by her siblings, Janice Stormo of Clearbrook, MN, Orlo (Holly) Halvorson of Circle Pines, MN, Carol (Ordean) Sundrud of Fosston, Lois (Leonard) Ball of Fosston, James Halvorson (Sandra) of Gonvick, MN, and Donald Halvorson (Kelly) of Mahnomen, MN; sister-in-law, Mavis Halvorson of Wind Lake, WI.

Also surviving are brothers-in-law, Robert (Joanne) Maruska of Bagley, MN, Albert (Darlene) Maruska of Bagley, Raymond (Diane) Maruska of Lengby, Bradley (Mary) Maruska of Bagley, and Bennett (Diana) Maruska of Bagley. Linda is also survived by many nieces, nephews, cousins, friends from both Minnesota and Colorado; one aunt, Ione Stevens of Texas and her very best friend, her dog Josie.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth in 2000; her parents; brother, Jerome; brother-in-law, Richard Stormo; brother-in-law, Melvin Maruska; sister-in-law, Christine Hedlund; brother-in-law, Michael Maruska; her grandparents; and mother and father-in-law, Elsie and Ray Maruska.



Services for David Grage

David Wesley Grage, age 64, entered his heavenly home on July 12, 2019, with his wife and sister, Shelly at his side at the Sanford Medical Center in Fargo, North Dakota. God gave Dave three symptom-free years after surgery for a glioblastoma, (incurable brain cancer), a gift for which his loved ones are eternally grateful. Only in the last two months of his life did a new, unrelated cancer overtake him, ultimately leading to his death.

Dave was born in Fairmont, Minnesota on October 27, 1954. He was the third child of Neal and Arlene (Nelson) Grage. The family moved to the North Shore of Lake Superior when Dave was two, living first in Taconite Harbor and then in Tofte. During his school years, Dave amassed a large group of great friends, many of whom remain in close contact today. From the time he was a little tyke Dave always felt blessed to live on the North Shore where Lake Superior and the Superior National Forest could be enjoyed on a daily basis. The family attended Palisade Baptist Church in Silver Bay and one of the things that impacted Dave the most was the Scripture memory program his mother developed for the congregation. He was diligent in memorizing Scripture, and at a young age, Dave gave his heart and life to Jesus Christ and made Him Lord of his life.

Dave said that even in his adult years the verses he had memorized came back to him "unbidden and unstoppable."

Upon graduating from Cook County High School in 1972, Dave attended Northwestern College in St. Paul. His education there was valuable but playing in the band proved to be even more valuable, for it was there that he met another saxophone player, Roz Johnson. The two were married on June 18, 1977. Before Dave was married, he spent a year of missionary service at Christian Academy in Tokyo, Japan. Dave received his bachelor's degrees in accounting and economics at Bemidji State Uni-

versity in 1981. He earned his MBA from Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa in 1985. He also earned his Certified Public Accountant and Certified Management Accountant certifications. His career in business led Dave and Roz to Iowa (three times), Texas, England, Connecticut, Tennessee, Wisconsin, and Oklahoma. His final job was in Fergus Falls, Minnesota, the home town of both of Dave's parents. As the Chief Financial Officer for multiple companies, Dave had a stellar reputation with his peers and with those who worked under his management.

Dave had many hobbies and most of them included the outdoors. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, backpacking, stargazing, traveling, reading, flying his plane, and spending time with his friends and family. He ran and walked in several marathons. He loved music and was just a couple credits short of becoming a music teacher, before he changed majors to accounting and economics. He had a great sense of humor; it was very dry and until you got to know him you weren't sure if he was serious. A dear friend once said he was like an onion: he had many layers. Dave and Roz had a running joke that if he didn't make her laugh every day, she could divorce him. They had 42 wonderful years together, that's a lot of laughter!

Throughout his life, Dave was known for his laid-back personality, his humility, and his quick wit. As all who knew him can testify, he was a giant of a man in every way and a joy to be around.

Dave is survived by his wife Roz, and son Ky, of Fergus Falls; brother, Steve (Robyn) Grage, sisters, Becky (Glenn) Kerr, Kathy (Steve) Geyen, and Shelly (Mark) Rosbacka; father-in-law, Harlan Johnson of Clearbrook; 21 nieces and nephews, and 26 great-nieces and great-nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents, Neal and Arlene Grage, and great-niece, Abby Piland.

A visitation will take place from 5 - 7 PM Friday, August 9, 2019, with a 6:30 PM sharing of memories at Glendene Nilson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, and one hour prior to services at the church.

His Memorial Service is 1:00 PM Saturday, August 10, 2019 at CrossRoads Church, Fergus Falls, with Reverend Ned Eerdmans officiating.

Dave donated his body to the University of Minnesota Anatomy Bequest Program. Interment will be at a later date at Maple Hill Cemetery, Clearbrook, Minnesota.

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Saron... continued from front

In 1885 it was realized that there was a need for organized worship opportunities. On June 28th community members gathered for their first meeting to organize a congregation which was called Saron.

It is believed the word Saron comes from the phrase “rose of Sharon” out of the Old Testament in the Song of Solomon. In SOS 2:1 it reads, “I am the rose of Sharon and the lily of the valleys.” Sharon is the largest valley-plain in all of Palestine. It was a wide, fertile plain sporting many beautiful flowers. The person saying she is “rose of Sharon” was a Shulamite woman who apparently was Solomon’s bride.

Nowhere in the New Testament is Jesus referred to as the rose of Sharon, but he is referred symbolically. In the New Testament Jesus is referred to as the bridegroom and the church is his bride. God is using the “lover” analogy he wants us to have with his Son. The rose is considered the most perfect of all flowers and Jesus is perfect in God’s nature therefore he is the rose of Sharon.

Many records and history of Saron Lutheran were lost in 1977 when the Alfred and Gloria Qualley home was destroyed by fire. Much of the history of the church is recalled from the stories that have been passed on from generation to generation.

At the first organization meeting held in 1885, two acres of land was donated by Haldor S. Hestekin west of Cisco. One acre was for a cemetery and another for a church to be built on. This is the present site of Saron Lutheran with the church being built in 1889.

A pump organ was purchased in 1899 and was used until an electronic organ was purchased in 1977. In 2001 a new electric piano was purchased in memory of Sally Benedick.

The church’s original bell tower/steeple was erected in 1910. Due to deterioration it was rebuilt in 1980 at a cost of \$6,148. Several other building updates have been made over the years with the latest being new front entry doors donated in memory of Darlene (Plante) Fjerstad by Kimberly & James Johnson.

Saron Lutheran’s annex/hall is unique in that it is a separate structure not attached to the church. The hall was built

in 1933 with an addition and remodeling completed in 1976. At this time a well was dug and water system was put into the hall which also allowed for indoor bathroom facilities.

In most churches the Ladies Aid plays a vital role in the life of the church and this has certainly been true for Saron. The Ladies Aid was organized in 1889. Their mission work extends beyond the congregation having provided support to Pathways Bible Camp, Oak Grove High School, Lutheran World Relief, The Salvation Army and sister congregations to name a few.

Each Memorial Day they serve a free-will noon lunch with the proceeds being donated to the cemetery fund.

Youth education and activities at Saron Lutheran also played a vital role in the life of the congregation. Sunday school was started in 1896 with the Luther League being organized in 1915. Each year the Christmas program was presented by the Sunday School and sponsored by the Luther League. Due to the lack of young people in the congregation, Luther League was discontinued in 2006 and Sunday School in 2009.

In the years past, Saron Lutheran would be adorned with three Christmas trees at Christmas time. Candles would be lit on the trees during the Christmas program. “There was a Luther League boy stationed at each Christmas tree with a damp rag on a stick,” stated longtime member Myrtle Hamrum. “If a candle burned down or if a branch on the tree started on fire, it was the Luther Leaguer’s task to snuff it out with the damp rag!”

“Following the Christmas program, Luther Leaguer’s would serve a lunch to the congregational members,” said



Jill (Benedick) Cooper grew up in this church and had many memories to share with the congregation. Her family was one of the families that maintained the church when she was a child.

Myrtle Hamrum. “The lunch included a sandwich, a piece of cake and a cookie wrapped in a napkin served out of dishpans.”

During the 1970’s and 1980’s Saron Lutheran was blessed with the musical talents of a group called the Saronadors. Families involved with the group included the Benedick’s, Qualley’s, Plante’s, Civa’s, Cook’s, Tuenge’s, and Nordstrom’s. The Saronadors also performed at many other area churches.

Over the years many items or works have been donated to Saron Lutheran by congregational members of descendants of members often in memory of someone. Two outdoor additions to the church grounds include an arch over the gateway to the yard and a granite church sign both installed in 1998. The arch



Lowell Hamrum and his daughter Jesse Hamrum were part of the musical program at Saron on July 14th.

Woodrow Glazer, Roseau High School Triumph as 2019 USAHSCTL National Champions!

MICHIGAN – Graduated Senior Woodrow Glazer from New Prague High School in Minnesota took home the National Champion title for the second year in a row at the finals of the USA High School Clay Target League's 2019 National Championship on Sunday in Mason, MI. Glazer shot a perfect 200x200 over the course of the individual Championship, in which 1800 other competitors registered.

Roseau High School - also from Minnesota - claimed the National Team Championship. The 5-person team hit a total of 964 targets out of 1000, to prevail over 207 other teams over the course of the event.

The 2019 USA High School Clay Target League National Championship was sponsored by the Cabela’s Outdoor Fund, SCHEELS, the Greater Lansing Sports Authority, U.S. Army, and Mark Zauhar.

Nearly 3,000 registered athletes converged on Mason, Michigan July 10th-14th to take part in the National Championship. Over 6,000 spectators also attended to watch the competition and

was donated by the George Lee family in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bjelland. The sign was given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Tuenge by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tuenge.

Throughout the years, Saron Lutheran has been associated with different Lutheran Synods and denominations. Prior to 1961 it was the Evangelical Lutheran Church, flowed by the American Lutheran Church (ALC) in 1961. Saron was part of a three-point parish in 1980 which included Grace Lutheran in Erskine and Faith Lutheran in Mentor. Following a congregational meeting and vote, Saron chose to go independent due to costs associated with a three point parish.

In 1986 Saron Lutheran withdrew from the ALC when several Lutheran synods merged. Since 1987 Saron has been a part of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations (AFLC) headquartered in Minneapolis, MN.

For the past 14 years Saron Lutheran has been led by the pastor of Calvary Free Lutheran Church of Fosston. Since 2004 it has been Pastor Alan Arneson.

Throughout the 134 years Saron Lutheran has served the Cisco area residents and its members have had many opportunities to celebrate, but they have also been faced with some challenges. A challenge the small rural congregation is faced with today is declining membership.

Saron Lutheran has been blessed with a heritage that has been passed down from generation to generation. Jesus is the foundation Saron was built on by its pioneers and the foundation its members continue to build on today. Psalm 125:3, “God has done great things for us, we are glad.” To God be the Glory!

Pastor Arneson thanked the congregation for being the most dedicated group people to continue for all these years naming the last active members in the church, Gloria Benedick, Lola Plante, Myrtle Hamrum, Tyrell & Natalia Hamrum & Elise, Jessie Hamrum, Alex Hamrum and Lowell & Margaret Hamrum.

cheer on their school's representatives during the event, which also featured exhibitors, concessions, and a concert on Thursday by country music artist Lucas Hoge.

“This year's National Championship was fantastic.” said John Nelson, president of the USA High School Clay Target League. “The League congratulates all the participants that qualified to attend the event this year, and we thank the athletes, parents, coaches, and volunteers that made this event great!”

The USA High School Clay Target League, is a division of the USA Clay Target League – a non-profit corporation. The League is the independent provider of clay target shooting sports as an extracurricular co-ed and adaptive activity for high schools and students in grades 6 through 12. The organization’s priorities are safety, fun, and marksmanship – in that order. Each student is required to pass a comprehensive firearm safety education course prior to participation.

The League is the safest sport in high school, with not one reported injury since the inception of the League in 2001. To participate in the League, each team must have the approval of their school’s administration. The League is the only 100% school-approved clay target shooting sport program in America.

Nationwide, more than 32,000 students representing over 1,000 school-approved teams participated in the League during the 2018-19 school year.

For more information visit <http://usaclaytarget.com> | <http://usaclaytargetchampionship.com>

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AWARD RESULTS INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION

National Individual Champion:

Woodrow Glazer - New Prague High School - MN

Runner-Up: Larry Holmes - Durand Area High School - MI

Third Place: Kyle Uppliger - Marine City High School - MI

Fourth Place: Brice Matney - Green County High School - KY

Fifth Place: Elliot Alberda - Hamilton High School - MI

Sixth Place: Tate Novodvorsky - South Prairie High School - ND

Seventh Place: Noah Rice - Mater Dei High School - IN

Eighth Place: Jonathan Calabrese - Chippewa Hills High School - MI

Ninth Place: Tanner Becker - Yankton High School - SD

Tenth Place: Colton Mosley - Wethersfield High School - IL

TEAM COMPETITION National Team Champion:

Roseau High School – Minnesota

Runner-Up: Calhoun High School – Illinois

Third Place: Alden-Conger High School – Minnesota

Fourth Place: Mater Dei High School – Indiana

Fifth Place: St. James Academy High School - Kansas



Highway 2 Cruisers 10th Classic Car Show

Saturday, July 27, 2019

This coming summer the Highway 2 Cruisers will be hosting the 10th Annual Antique, Custom & Original car and truck show. During the event there will be a DJ playing your favorite oldies music, door prizes for participants and the Hub Cap Grill will be selling brats, hamburgers and barbecues to satisfy your appetite!

The car show is scheduled for July 27, 2019 at the old Fosston Implement on Highway 2 on the west side of Fosston. The show will be from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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Bareback

• 1st Jason Lenzen

• 2nd Dakota Morris

Calf Roping

• 1st Kyle Wilson

• 2nd Mark Wilson

Steer Wrestling

• 1st Alan Oberfell

• 2nd Kyle Wilson

Junior Barrels

• 1st Savannah Anderson

• 2nd Molly Nelson

• 3rd Hannah Bergsnev

• 4th Trent Haugen

Team Roping

• 1st Josh McPhee

& Kyle Wilson

• 2nd Kyle Wilson

& Kevin Wilson

• 3rd Ingrid Grothmann

& Tylor Wojciechowski

• 4th Katie Grefsrud

& Mason Okke

• 5th Morgan Okke

& Mason Okke

Barrel Racing

• 1st Sabrina Haugen

• 2nd Jeanie Berns

• 3rd Kally Wojciechowski

• 4th Amie Bruggeman

• 5th Monica Reichert

Breakaway

• 1st Allie McPhee

• 2nd Leah Wilson

• 3rd Ingrid Grothmann

• 4th Kenzie Dille

Saddle Bronc

• 1st Jason Cole

• 2nd David Anderson

Junior Bulls

• 1st Dalton Wells

• 2nd Aiden Quinn

Bull Riding

• 1st Dakota Morris

• 2nd Thayne Davis

• 3rd Cole Olson

• 4th Gunnar Adkins



54 people gathered for a photo after the service at Saron Free Lutheran Church’s final service on July 14th. Some were current members, some attended Saron when they were young and some were neighbors of the church who came to share in the memories. A light lunch was served after the service and more memories were shared.

Wednesday, July 24, 2019

You are invited to our...

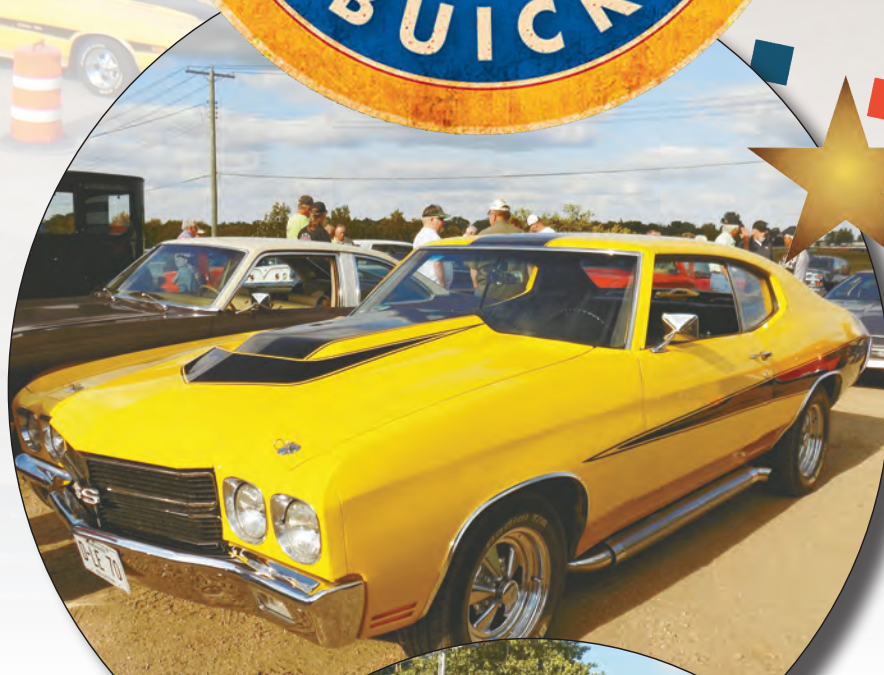
Customer Appreciation

Cruise Night

Thursday,
July 25th, 2019

Appreciation Meal
served 5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
**Car Club Social and
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starts at 5:30 p.m.

*We would like to extend
our gratitude for everyone
involved in this exciting event
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it with you July 25th!*



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