



Tri County Canary

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50 Years of Wrestling at Oklee-Plummer Celebrated

On Saturday, April 16th, the RLCC Takedown Club held a celebration of 50 years of wrestling for the Oklee-Plummer Wrestling Programs. After months of planning, the event was a huge success as old-time wrestlers from both the Bobcat and Cardinal programs plus many wrestlers from the Mustang program showed up to enjoy a fine meal and take in the program. The meal was prepared by DeAnn Eskeli, well known in the area for her catering abilities. None of the 175 people she served were disappointed. Greg Melin, President of the RLCC Takedown Club, began the program with thanks to everyone and by introducing the 1st speaker. To everyone's surprise, it was none other than recently retired wrestling official, Bucky Lindberg. Bucky was going to introduce, Paul Cyr. Before the introduction, he told a few humorous stories on some of the athletes in attendance including Kelly Lundeen, Gary Vad, John Larson, Brent Strand and Allen Paquin. Bucky's high school wrestling coach was Paul Cyr. Paul had encouraged Bucky to get his officials license after he graduated. 35 years later, Bucky retired from officiating. A well-respected official who had worked at the state tournament numerous times. Thank you Bucky for joining our celebration!

Paul Cyr, 1972 Bobcat and longtime coach at NRHEG,

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Wrestlers from the 60's-70's.



Wrestlers from the 80s.



Wrestlers from the 90's.



Wrestlers from the 2000's.



Andrea Stordahl, owner of Minnesota Rust, outside of her new retail store located in the former Country Store building in McIntosh.

Minnesota Rust in McIntosh Grand Opening this weekend

Minnesota Rust, in McIntosh, will celebrate the Grand Opening of its new retail store this weekend as part of a Fosston & McIntosh Highway 2 Shop Hop on Saturday, May 7th, from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm and Sunday, May 8th from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Minnesota Rust specializes in Antique and vintage décor and furniture, architectural salvage, repurposed junk and much more.

The Shop Hop will include Minnesota Rust in McIntosh, The Red Poppy in Fosston, and a special weekend set-up on the south side of Highway 2 in Fosston by Rewind Designs, who specializes in recycling and repurposing. If you make a purchase at all 3 shops this Saturday and Sunday, you can receive a stamp on a special postcard and pick up a free 6-pack of annuals at The Poppy Seed in Fosston.



Worth a visit, the new retail location of Minnesota Rust is open and airy yet full of wonderful finds and fun displays with delightful surprises found throughout the store.

Tornado season is upon us

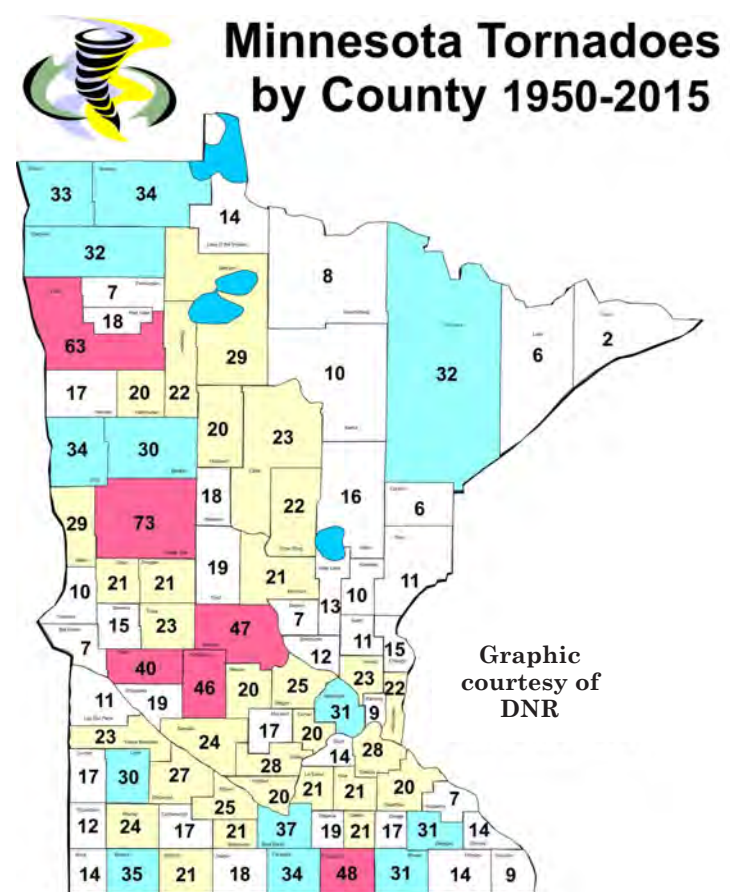
Minnesota lies along the north edge of the region of maximum tornado occurrence in the United States. Tornado Alley, as that part of the central U.S. has come to be known, reaches across parts of Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, East Nebraska, and West Iowa.

In Minnesota, tornadoes have occurred in every month from March through November. The earliest verified tornado in Minnesota occurred on March 18, 1968, north of Truman, which is in the Southeast corner of the state and the latest in any year on November 16, 1931, east of Maple Plain, about 30 miles west of Minneapolis. Historically and statistically, June is the month of greatest frequency with July not far behind. May has the third greatest frequency, followed closely by August. Nearly three-quarters of all tornadoes in Minnesota have occurred during the three months of May (15%), June (37%), and July (25%).

The most probable danger period in Minnesota, therefore, is late spring and early summer, between 2:00 PM and 9:00 PM. However, tornadoes can and do occur at any time of the day or night.

Most of the deadly and damaging tornadoes occur in groups of outbreaks that often last from 6 to 12 hours. One of the worst such outbreak in Minnesota occurred on June 28, 1979, when 16 tornadoes slashed across the state, from northwest to southeast, in a six and one half hour period. Two additional tornadoes occurred in eastern North Dakota with this system. Many such outbreaks have occurred, including the April 30, 1967 cluster in south central and southeast Minnesota. The largest tornado outbreak in one day in Minnesota is 48 tornadoes on June 17, 2010, with three of these tornadoes reaching EF³ (166 – 200 mph) on the Enhanced Fujita Intensity Scale. Three fatalities were attributed to the tornadoes at widely dispersed locations: Mentor in Polk County, near Almora in Otter Tail County, and near Albert Lea in Freeborn County. A large number of homes in Wadena of Wadena County were damaged or destroyed. All together there have been 1,721 recorded tornadoes in Minnesota from 1950 to date.

It is important to learn and remember the tornado danger signs: An approaching cloud of debris can mark the location of a tornado even if a funnel is not visible; before a tornado hits,



Graphic courtesy of DNR

Cook County, with the chilly winds of Lake Superior inhibiting rotation, has the distinction as the safest county in the state for tornadoes with only 2 tornadoes since 1950. Otter Tail County seems to be the hub of tornado activity with 73 tornadoes total. Closer to home, the highest count is Polk County who finished second to most with 63 tornadoes; Red Lake County with 18; Marshall County with 32, and Clearwater County with 22 reported tornadoes since 1950.

the wind may die down and the air may become very still; Tornadoes generally occur near the trailing edge of a thunderstorm. It is not uncommon to see clear, sunlit skies behind a tornado.

Tornadoes can appear from any direction. Most move from southwest to northeast, or west to east. Some tornadoes have changed direction amid path, or even backtracked. A tornado can double back suddenly, for example, when its bottom is hit by outflow winds from a thunderstorm's core. Northwest Minnesota seems to have more paths from a specific direction. This is because of an increased frequency of certain tornado-producing weather patterns such as northwest-flow weather systems in the upper Midwest.

Polk County Emergency Management offers the following tips and advice in the Emergency Guide for Polk County:

Make a plan and practice it: By preparing for emergencies, individuals, families and businesses can minimize prop-

erty loss and injury and make the recovery process easier. For instance, and escape route, predetermined meeting place, emergency communication, and reviewing existing insurance policies to make sure you have sufficient coverage to meet your needs.

Build an emergency preparedness kit: Disasters can occur quickly and without warning. Assemble a kit designed to help you cope with a variety of emergencies. Items for your kit can include: First aid kit, essential medications, battery-powered radio, flashlight, canned food, and bottled water.

CodeRED: If you live or work in Polk County, you can register for CodeRED, an automated notification system that can call home, business or cell phones with emergency messages recorded by local offices.

Be alert to changing weather conditions: A storm watch means a storm is possible

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Look who's here!

Jesse and Augusta Maruska of Lengby, MN are delighted to announce the birth of their twin boys, Ethan Anthony and Brett Calvin. The boys were born in Fargo, ND on February 25th, 2016 at 10:12 a.m. Big sister, Chloe McLean is happy to have them home. Their Grandparents are Tony and Patty Maruska (Lengby, MN), Gustie Brandt (Isle, MN) and Jerry Brandt (Onamia, MN). Their Great Grandparents include Marie Straub (Lengby, MN), Sally Meyer (Pierz, MN), Shirley Brandt (Onamia, MN) and Mick McCormick (Iona, MN).

Card of Thanks

The family of Don Boll would like to express their sincere thank you to everyone for all the love and support during our loss of Don. It was overwhelming and such a comfort to know he touched so many lives.

A special thank you to Dr. Swanson, Nicole Keisow and all the nurses and EMT people at Essentia Health who cared for Don these past years since his stroke. And a special thank you to the staff at First Care, Home Health, and Physical Therapy who took such wonderful care and time to help him. Don kept his sense of humor and appreciated all of you.

Thank you to Pastor Dawn for all the visits and chats at the Gully Cafe and to Carlin-Hoialmen Funeral Home who assisted with the arrangements and made this difficult time easier.

He will be greatly missed but remembered for that sense of humor. Blessed be his memory.

Jan Boll; Jodi Bartz & family; Tia & Kevin Sundquist & family
Tracy & Roger MacNab & family

Hutchens with University of Northwestern Symphonic Band Tour

ST. PAUL, Minn. (April 28, 2016) - University of Northwestern - St. Paul announces that Michael Hutchens, son of Harry & Renee Hutchens, Clearbrook, is a participant in the University of Northwestern Symphonic Band 2016 East Coast Spring Tour. The dates and locations of the tour stop are as follows: Wednesday, May 18 in Woodbridge, VA; Thursday, May 19 in Baltimore, MD; Saturday and Sunday, May 21 and 22 in Cape May, New Jersey; Monday, May 23 in Egg Harbor Township, New Jersey.

Michael is currently pursuing a degree in Electronic Media Communication after graduating from MTS Minnesota Connections Academy, in 2015.

The UNW Symphonic Band, directed by John S. Herlihy, will travel throughout the east coast-touring the states of New Jersey, Maryland, Virginia, and Washington, D.C. The band will perform concerts that feature classical and contem-

porary wind band repertoire, including Nathan Daughtrey's Black Rainbow, Pusztai by Jan Van der Roost, Samuel Barber's Commando March, and Danzas Cubanas by Robert Sheldon.

The UNW Symphonic Band Bon Voyage Concert will be held before the tour on Friday, May 6 at 7:30 p.m. at Roseville Covenant Church. Roseville Covenant Church is located at 2865 Hamline Ave. N, Roseville, MN 55113. This concert is free and open to the public.

For more information visit unwsp.edu/music/tours or contact the University of Northwestern Department of Music & Theatre at 866-532-8687.



Sand Valley Cemetery cleanup

Sand Valley Lutheran Church Cemetery Association is planning a cleanup day for Saturday, May 14. Please bring rakes, shovels, wheelbarrow, etc to start at 9:00 a.m. until about noon. If you have any questions you can call David Anderson at 218-268-4432 for more information.

Sons of Norway meeting scheduled

Granlund Lodge 240 Sons of Norway will meet May 12 at 6:30 PM at the Embassy Center, 603 3rd St NE in Fosston. If you have a bunad you would like to wear or bring and share that would be great!

The Hoover dance presentation that was planned has been canceled; but we will be watching a video dance presentation after our business meeting. Lynette and Mervin Bakke and Carol Niewinski will provide the refreshments. Come and enjoy!

Man injured after driving into bridge

An Erskine man, Joshua Darrell Haverkamp was injured on Wednesday, April 27 after hitting a bridge in Plummer. The accident happened driving west on Central Avenue in a 2006 Ford pickup when he hit the cement on the southeast side of the bridge that crosses the Clearwater River.

The truck was totaled and he was taken to Sanford emergency in Thief River Falls and will recover from the injuries that he received.

The crash is under investigation by the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office.

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Jim and Jan have created a program that presents many sites (from buildings to beaches) in the chronological order of events that took place during the war.

The program will be May 11 at 9:30 am at the Gonvick Community Center.

Refreshments are served at 9am and the program is free to all ages, donations are gratefully accepted.

For more information contact NELL coordinator Tamara Edvold at 218-694-2856 or find us on facebook.



The Grygla Music Department held their spring concert last week. "Put a Little Love in Your Heart" was directed by Gene Lunsetter. The choir and band performed a variety of songs, including "Baba Yetu", "Best of Queen" and "Music from Pirates of the Caribbean".



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Application deadline is May 20, 2016. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Calcium Chloride Chart APPROXIMATE COST

		Length of Application							
Width		150'	200'	250'	300'	350'	400'	450'	500'
16'	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$256	\$288	\$288	\$320
18'	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$252	\$288	\$324	\$360	
20'	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$280	\$320	\$360	\$400	
22'	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$264	\$308	\$352	\$396	\$440	
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Theology in the Trenches

By Kathleen Kjolhaug,
Guest Contributions: Joni Woelfel

Life



From the shallows of my vantage point, life holds a few basics. Our seeds are all from the same seed, the seed of Adam. It is common ground from which we sprout.

The first basic which is birthed is simple for some, but not for others. Do you want to live? Or not? The answer appears to be made for us. After all, we were born. If life was given, it seems obvious that we would want to continue living.

But for many, that basic desire of wanting to live is a day to day struggle. If it hasn't been a day to day struggle, then a whisper has no doubt crept in at some point, that life might be worthy of ending. My guess would be that if not us, we rub elbows with many who have had the thought pummel itself to the surface out of anger, frustration, desperation, loneliness or despair.

In other words, most, if not all of us have been touched by the "or not" whether we care to admit it, or not. Whether or not we care to talk about it, it's there. Around the corner in life, we can simply never say never. Processing skills are different for each, experiences of pain from the very depths of hell are not only unique, but kept in darkness out of shame, guilt, or inability to understand what one is feeling.

Masks cover, substances numb, empty promises of the world cover, and even when one knows Him, struggles may be ever present, and the ability to cope lingers within a world that likes to have it all simply "look good." After all, how does one walk into a room with a few friends and simply say, "You know? I just don't have it all together today. My thoughts are not so healthy, and I need some help just putting my next foot forward. Can we talk?"

Transparency may be healthier, but cover up is easier. For a moment, it is easier. It is easier to fit in, it is easier to talk about the happy, it is easier to wake

up, dress for the day, eat a little breakfast, and go on our merry way even if we're not feeling so merry.

Now I'm not one to go looking for sad, but I'm sensitive enough to pick up on it, and I bet you are too. It's been a tough April. From towns, cities, and states nearby, people we have loved dearly have chosen not to live. Eight that I know of. Eight. Over a lifetime, I would not care to count, and I bet you would not care to either.

What to do? I'm going to let a mama speak. This mama, Joni Woelfel, speaks. Joni is my friend.

"We lost our own beloved son, Mic, in 1999, at the age of 17. Sweet, happy and funny, he was the last person one would think would die by suicide, yet it happened."

"Through the years, I have been able to interview professionals and ministers in the field and those who have been suicidal. One of the most important messages my husband and I want people to know is that suicide rarely, if ever, happens because of lack of love or faith. It happens because defenses did not hold impaired brain chemistry, impulse control at the time, and other complex elements or wounds unique to each person."

"Indeed, why do people not want to live? The answer is that it is not so much that they want to die, but that the situation or disease of the brain has brought them to a point where they feel they cannot go on."

"There is healing and moving forward, but the loss goes with you, integrated into the story of your life as you walk in the world for your loved one whom you miss so much. Education is the greatest hope and help there is, along with the comfort of God."

To be blessed further, read Joni Woelfel's book, "Meditations for Survivors of Suicide." Survivors would be all of us who still live, breathe, and have our being. Amen.

Ask a Trooper

by Sgt. Jesse Grabow Minnesota State Patrol

Question: I am trying to figure out if it is required to register a towable concrete mixer in the state of Minnesota? Please see the attached picture, your help would be greatly appreciated.



Answer: This concrete mixer would qualify as special mobile equipment, and would not be registered with the state. They do, however, need to be equipped with all required lights and reflectors along with the proper hitch and safety chains if they are going to be towed on the highway.

As a reminder, always make sure your tow is properly secured. Unsecured loads have caused injuries and deaths in recent years, leading to lives lost and families torn apart. If a load you are towing becomes loose and causes a crash, you

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The Graham-Bradley

By Auctioneer, Eric Mickelson

The Graham brothers, (Joseph, Robert, and Ray), were raised on an Indiana farm. They seemed to have a knack for business adventures. They developed a kit to change a Model T Ford into a truck and even made an unsuccessful attempt at a tractor. In 1927, they got into the automobile business. The Graham Paige automobiles were ahead of their time and considered very well made!

In 1936, Sears & Roebuck made a deal with Graham Paige to produce tractor for them. When Sears got together with Graham-Paige the tractor



was called Graham-Bradley.

The tractors were released for sale in 1937 and sold through Sears & Roebuck and the Graham Paige automobile dealerships. Several were produced in 1938. 1939 was the last year of production.

I don't know if

it was the lingering depression, outbreak of WW II, or a reported dispute with Sears, but the Graham-Bradley tractor met an early demise. Although full of advanced features for its time it simply was one of the many tractor companies to fall by the wayside. I wonder what it would be like today to order your farm tractor from the Sears & Roebuck catalog!!!!

How About a Little Tractor Trivia

1. T or F The six cylinder engine of the Graham-Bradley tractor was basically the same as the one used in Graham Paige cars.
 2. From 1937-1939 how many Graham-Bradley tractors were produced?
A. 5,000 B) 2243 C) 2975 D) 465
 3. T or F To use the belt pulley on a Graham-Bradley tractor a lever had to be used to disengage the transmission as it was used in turning the belt pulley.
 4. T or F Did Graham-Bradley produce a standard tread tractor?
 5. What was the color scheme of the Graham-Bradley tractor.
A. green and yellow B) orange and black C) Red and Silver D) Blue and White
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OBITUARIES



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Genevieve Nelson passed away on April 16, 2016 at the age of 84. Gen was born in

Oklee, Minnesota September 5, 1931. She lived much of her life in Fair Oaks, California. She is survived by her daughter Kim Eisemann (Rob) and her son Steve Nelson, grandchildren Casey (Lauren) Shellynne, and Leon, and great grandchild Colton. She was preceded in death by the love of her life, Lyle Nelson, her parents Clarence and Agnes Lynch, brother Kenneth Lynch, and sisters Marcella Strande and Marie Clemenson. She will be forever in our hearts. Friends and family attended a memorial service at 11AM, April 30, 2016 at St. Mel's Catholic Church 4745 Pennsylvania Ave Fair Oaks, CA. Reception followed at the home of Casey and Lauren.

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Household of six people – maximum income of \$15,198
If you feel you may be eligible either write to Inter-County Community Council, PO Box 189, Oklee MN 56742, or phone 1-888-778-4008, and an application will be mailed. Applicants may also visit our website at www.intercountyycc.org to download an application. Household may apply once during the program year of Oct.1, 2015 to July 1, 2016.

Inter-County Community Council serves households located in East Polk, Pennington, and Red Lake counties.

This program is funded by the Minnesota Department of Commerce and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Tornado...

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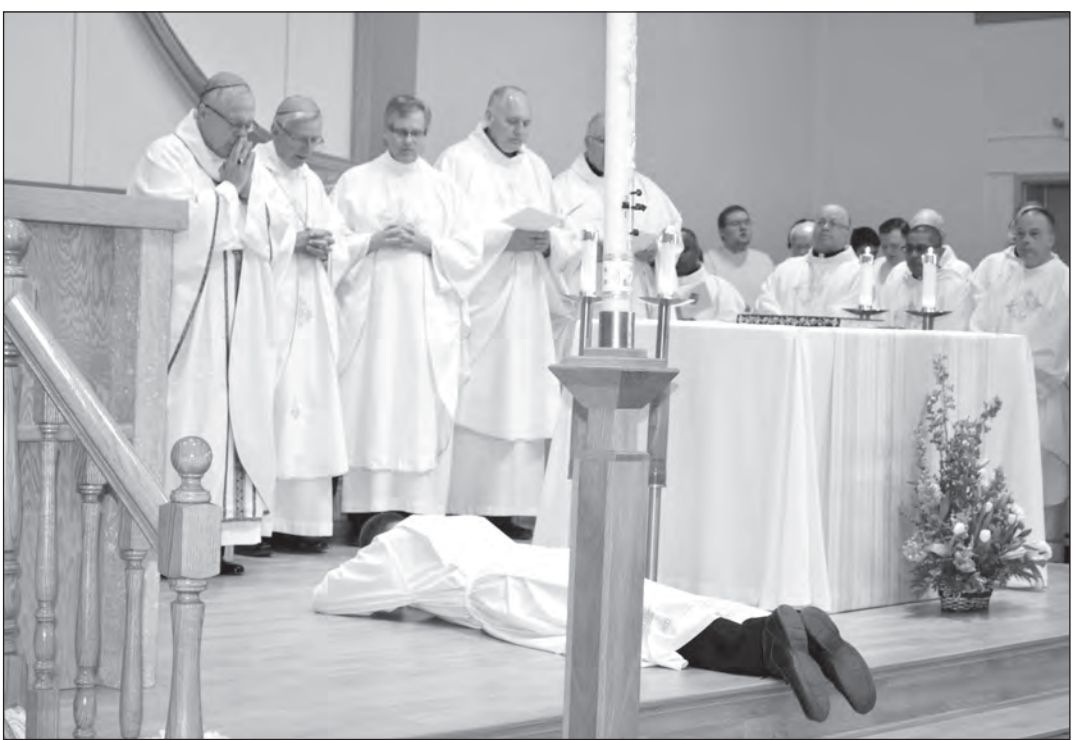
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Tornadoes: Pick a place where family members could gather if a tornado is headed your way. Basements are est, if you don't have one, choose a center hallway, bathroom or closet on the lowest floor. If you are outside, hurry to the basement or a near-sturdy building or lie flat in a ditch or low-lying area. If you are in a car or a mobile home, get out immediately and head for safety. After the tornado, watch out for fallen power lines and stay out of the damaged area.

Downed power lines: If you come across a downed power line, leave the area immediately and seek help by calling 911. If you are in a vehicle when a power line falls onto it, wait inside the vehicle until help arrives. If you must leave the vehicle because of fire or life-threatening injury, leap from the vehicle, landing on both feet; do not hold onto the door while leaping; once on the ground, hop away keeping your feet together, do not run. Separating your feet can create two contact points with the ground and can result in a shock if the ground is energized by a fallen wire.

Fast Facts about Tornadoes:

- Tornadoes can be nearly invisible, marked only by swirling debris at the base of the funnel. Some are composed almost entirely of windblown dust and still others are composed of several mini-funnels.
- On average, the United States experiences 100,000 thunderstorms each year. Approximately 1,000 tornadoes develop from these storms.
- Although tornadoes do occur throughout the world, the United States experiences the most intense and devastating tornadoes.
- Tornadoes produce the most violent winds on earth. Tornado winds can approach speeds as high as 300 miles per hour, travel distances over 100 miles and reach heights over 60,000 feet above ground.
- According to the National Weather Service, about 42 people are killed because of tornadoes each year.



Matt Schmitz submits his will to the will of God in one of the rites of installation for the Diaconate. He is prayed over by the Bishop who enumerates the duties of the Diaconate to the petitioner. From left: Bishop Michael Hoepfner, Retired Bishop Victor Balke, Monsignor Michael Fultz, Father Joe Richards of Mentor, and hidden by candle, is father Bill DeCrans of Red Lake Falls and Brooks.



Matt Schmitz of Plummer was ordained into the permanent Diaconate in the Catholic Church at Red Lake Falls on Saturday, April 30. Attending the Rite of Installation were Bishop Hoepfner of Crookston who presided, Retired Bishop Victor Balke, Father Joe Richards, Monsignor Mike Fultz, Father Chuck Huck - former pastor of St. Joseph of Red Lake Falls and Brooks, and priests from area churches in the diocese. Here Matt Schmitz is incensing the gathering of priests who attended his Rite of Installation.

Red Lake County 4-H Share the Fun Performance

The Annual Red Lake County 4-H Share the Fun performance was held on Friday, April 8, 2016 at the Lafayette High School Robert Matzke Gymnasium. The 4-H Clubs performing their skits were:

Happy Go Lucky 4-H Club (4-H Leader, Carol Culkins) with their skit called "What's In the Door?" The Huot Hustlers 4-H Club (4-H Leader, Pam Columbus) with "4-H Hilton," and the Garnes Go Getters 4-H

Club (4-H Leader, Kim Olson and Co-Leaders Jen Srsnsky and Melanie Hanson) with their skit "Our 4-H Family."

Below are more pictures continued from last week's Canary.



2016 4-H STF Performing Arts Participant - Jacob Solie, performing arts participant played the song "Hanging Tree," from the Hunger Games on his violin at the 4-H Share the Fun Performance.



Sarah Quick, performing arts participant played the song, "The Life Cycle," by Michelle McLaughlin at the 4-H Share the Fun Performance.



4-H STF Performing Arts Participant, Hallie Harmoning, played "The Great Smokey Mountains" on the piano at the 4-H Share the Fun Performance.

Below: (Happy Go Lucky 4-H Club): from left: Bella Russillo, Bailey Culkins, Abby Quick, Daniel Quick, Oliver Russillo, Ryan Tvedt, and Sarah Quick.



2016 4-H STF Performing Arts Participant - Emma Knott, performing arts participant performed a dance piece at the 4-H Share the Fun Performance.



2016 4-H STF Performance (Huot Hustlers 4-H Club Skit): (Left to Right): Jacob Solie, Tyler Burthwick, Hallie Harmoning, Justin Solie, Nick Solie, Emma Knott, Grace Harmoning, Coby Knott, Kendra Rondorf, and Hayden Shulstad.



2016 4-H STF Performance (Garnes Go Getters 4-H Club): (Left to Right): Kathryn Srsnsky, Shelby Gunderson, Paige Olson, Tanisha Srsnsky, Hailey Hanson, and Sidney Olson.

Tri County Canary Area
SPORTS

**Wrestling...
continued from front**

next took over the microphone. Paul was inducted into the MN Wrestling Coaches Hall of Fame on April 30th, 2016 in Benson, MN. Paul's 1st duty was to congratulate Corlan Magnell, as she has had a son, or grandson, or great grandson in the Bobcat/ Mustang program continuously since oldest son, Randy, began wrestling in 1972. That is 44 years of continuity. Awesome job Magnell family!

The crowd then heard from elementary wrestling coaches, Isaac Magnell and Tyler Tougas. The elementary coaches are working hard and attempting to provide more numbers for the Varsity Mustang Program. Things are going in the right direction.

Next up was present Mustang coach, Aaron Nelson. Aaron joined John Larson as co-head coaches in 1997-98 and took over the runs completely in 1999-2000. He has had individual successes thru the years, but has been hampered by a lack of numbers to be able to compete team wise. He is hoping for more numbers in the future.

Gary Brantl was the next speaker. He started the Cardinal Wrestling Program in 1971-72. It was good to see members of his early teams in attendance. There were Konicksons, Mattisons, Brekkes, and Gerardys in attendance. During the early years of Cardinal Wrestling, these family names were sprinkled throughout the Plummer lineup. Gary thanked the RLCC Takedown Club for all of their planning and hard work to make this event a success. His final comment, "what a great evening!"

Charles Bishop was heard from next. He continued with the idea that wrestling was a family sport and recognized several of the families that had been a big part of the Bobcat Wrestling Program. Lundeens, Larsons, the previously mentioned Magnells, Paquins, Tougas', Cyrs, and Bergeron's. In 1970 when Bishop started in Oklee, there were two Bergerons in the starting lineup. For the next 17 years there were one or two Bergerons in the lineup. The Bergeron Family had their crowning moment in 1987, when Todd won his 2nd state title. The Cyr Family won their state title in 1983, followed by the Tougas Family in 1984. What a run for the Mustang Wrestling Program: 4 state champions in 5 years. The Cardinal & Bobcat Programs had combined in 1982 due to lack of numbers in both programs.

To wrap up the evening, emcee Paul Cyr had all of the state entrants stand to be recognized. Thank you to the entire RLCC Takedown Club for a job well done. Rumor has it that the celebration continued well into the wee hours of the morning with dancing and libation. This reporter is quite sure that aspirin was the main course in many of the celebrant's breakfasts!



Coaches and assistant coaches through the years.



Paul Cyr and Bucky Lindberg.



Todd Bergeron and Greg Bishop.

The Takedown Club Reunion Committee would like to also say thank you to all attendants, volunteers, sponsors, and the community as a whole. We couldn't have done it without you! Kelly Melin, Mandy Roisland, Emily Magnell, Carey & Teresa Sannes.

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IDEA Competition Announces Three Winners for 2016

BEMIDJI, MN – April 27, 2016 – The IDEA Competition announced the names of three 2016 winners on Tuesday, April 26th at the IDEA awards banquet held at the Beaux Arts Ballroom, Bemidji State University. Each winner receives \$10,000 in cash to advance their business idea, plus additional specialized technical assistance.

The 2016 Winners are:

• Michael Swanson and Cheri Reese, Hallock, for Far North Spirits – the northernmost distillery in the contiguous United States, Minnesota's Far North Spirits is one of a handful of authentic field-to-glass estate producers of small-batch, craft-distilled spirits.

• Dan Matejcek, Eric Trueblood, Erik Hokuf, and Mark Tisler, Bemidji, for Aircorps Aviation – creator of Aircorps Library, an online platform host-

ing WWII and legacy aircraft resources that is delivered to subscribers through an innovative viewer. It provides access to over 500,000 searchable engineering drawings and blueprints, as well as design, flight, maintenance and restoration manuals, at high resolution.

• Eric Niskanen, Bemidji, for NISKY, LLC – creator, developer, and manufacturer of a line of goaltenders training aids such as Pro-Angle, The Deflector and two other products yet to be named that will help with screen and tipping platforms and weighted training to promote explosive and controlled movements.

The 2016 runners up are David Bahr, Bemidji, for 3Suns, LLC; Jana Younggren, Hallock, for b.able; Keila McCracken, Bemidji, for Bare Cloth; Curtis Borchert, Ada, for Char

Energy Equipment, LLC; and Sachel and Kari Josefson and Jeff Mackenstadt, Bemidji, for Prostrain.

The main goal of the IDEA competition is to assist promising local entrepreneurs in the commercialization of innovative products, processes and deliveries by connecting them to the best resources available, along with access to the capital it takes to launch a successful venture.

For the first time this year, one IDEA participant will be automatically entered into MN Cup, a statewide business start-up competition. The judges selected Far North Spirits as the participant that will advance to the semifinals of this premier resource for early stage entrepreneurs, supporting and accelerating the development of breakthrough business ideas across Minnesota.

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**Northwest Diamond and Pine-to-Prairie Baseball
Stats and Standings**

2016 Pine-to-Prairie Conference Standings

TEAM	Win	Loss	Points	Overall
NCE/UH	4	0	5	5-0
Norman County	3	0	4	5-2
Mahomen-Waubun	2	1	3	2-1
Fertile-Beltrami	1	2	2	1-2
Lake Park-Audubon	1	2	2	2-4
Fosston	1	2	1	3-2
Win-E-Mac	0	3	0	1-6
Bagley	0	2	0	4-3

2016 Pine-to-Prairie Conference Offensive Stats

NAME	Team	AVG	R	2B	3B	HR	RBI
Dylan Pearce	FB	.500	3	0	0	0	0
Dustin Olson	NC	.500	4	1	0	0	7
Ben Thoma	BAG	.471	6	4	1	1	7
Dalton Agnes	FOS	.471	5	1	0	0	4
Mason Pearce	FB	.444	2	0	0	0	3
Mikey Vohnoutka	LPA	.444	3	1	0	0	0
Mitch Hall	LPA	.429	3	0	0	0	2
Alec Kiecker	WEM	.421	3	1	1	0	3
Isaac Habedank	NCE/UH	.400	3	0	0	0	1
Simon Nelson	NCE/UH	.400	1	1	0	0	2
Brett Sundquist	FOS	.375	4	0	0	0	3
Cody Baumann	FOS	.364	4	0	0	0	2
Athan McCollum	FB	.333	1	1	0	0	2
Sunny Resnick	NCE/UH	.333	3	0	0	0	2
Griffin Maesse	NCE/UH	.333	1	0	0	0	5
Austin Robb	NC	.316	7	0	0	0	6

2016 Pine-to-Prairie Conference Pitching Statistics

NAME	Team	W-L	IP	SO	ERA	Save
Dawson Fox-Murray	NCE/UH	1-0	7	7	0.00	1
Zepher Resnick	NCE/UH	2-0	16	17	0.88	0
Lucas Lindell	NC	2-1	12	11	1.16	0
Dustin Belilies	NC	2-0	20	14	1.40	0
Wyatt Larson	BAG	1-1	14.1	13	1.95	1
Hunter Frank	LPA	1-0	3	2	2.33	0
Hunter Chaput	WEM	0-2	11	18	5.73	1
Lane Ulmer	LPA	0-1	5.1	7	6.56	0

2016 Northwest Diamond Conference Standings

TEAM	Win	Loss	Points	Overall
Norman County	4	1	6	5-2
Fosston	3	2	5	3-2
BGMR	2	3	3	2-4
NCE/UH	3	0	3	5-0
Red Lake County	2	2	3	4-4
Win-E-Mac	1	4	2	1-6
Sacred Heart	1	1	1	6-1

Northern Freeze	1	1	1	2-2
Kittson County Central	1	3	1	1-3
Fertile-Beltrami	0	1	0	1-2

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NAME	Team	AVG	R	2B	3B	HR	RBI
Dylan Pearce	FB	.500	3	0	0	0	0
Dustin Olson	NC	.500	4	1	0	0	7
Dalton Agnes	FOS	.471	5	1	0	0	4
Mason Pearce	FB	.444	2	0	0	0	3
Taylor Kenfield	RLC	.444	7	4	0	0	3
Skyler Forst	BGMR	.438	3	3	0	0	4
Alec Kiecker	WEM	.421	3	1	1	0	3
Eddie Lefrooth	NF	.417	2	2	0	0	2
Isaac Habedank	NCE/UH	.400	3	0	0	0	1
Simon Nelson	NCE/UH	.400	1	1	0	0	2
Derek Knutson	BGMR	.385	2	1	0	0	1
Brett Sundquist	FOS	.375	4	0	0	0	3
Chine, Noah	SH	.375	5	2	0	0	7
Bergum, Nick	SH	.375	6	1	0	0	8
Cody Baumann	FOS	.364	4	0	0	0	2
Jordan Brandon	BGMR	.353	1	0	0	2	1
Nick Kaml	BGMR	.333	2	0	0	0	0
Athan McCollum	FB	.333	1	1	0	0	2
Sunny Resnick	NCE/UH	.333	3	0	0	0	2
Griffin Maesse	NCE/UH	.333	1	0	0	0	5
Drake Engelstad	RLC	.333	11	1	0	0	5
Josh Casavan	RLC	.333	4	1	1	0	3
Ryan Holte	SH	.320	6	1	0	0	8
Brendan Bethke	SH	.318	6	0	0	0	6
Tyler Isane	BGMR	.316	2	0	1	0	0
Austin Robb	NC	.316	7	0	0	0	6
Dylan Olsonawski	KCC	.300	0	1	0	0	0

2016 Northwest Diamond Conference Pitching Statistics

NAME	Team	W-L	IP	SO	ERA	Saves
Dawson Fox-Murray	NCE/UH	1-0	7	7	0.00	1
Brenden Bethke	SH	2-0	10	12	0.00	0
Evavold, Devin	SH	2-0	13	15	0.54	0
Zepher Resnick	NCE/UH	2-0	16	17	0.88	0
Lucas Lindell	NC	2-1	12	11	1.16	0
Eddie Lefrooth	NF	1-0	6	12	1.17	0
Dustin Belilies	NC	2-0	20	14	1.40	0
Justin Yutzenka	NF	1-0	8	12	1.75	1
Josh Casavan	RLC	1-0	15	15	2.50	0
Dylan Olsonawski	KCC	1-1	10.1	16	4.45	0
Holte, Ryan	SH	1-1	13	15	4.85	0
Hunter Chaput	WEM	0-2	11	18	5.73	1
Ben Lieberg	BGMR	1-1	8.1	7	6.48	0
Hunter Gullikson	BGMR	1-1	12	8	7.20	0

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