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More than 300 Attend Garden Valley's 111th Annual Meeting

More than 300 persons, including 223 registered members, were in attendance at the 111th annual membership meeting of Garden Valley Telephone Company held at the Win-E-Mac School auditorium near Erskine on Tuesday, June 7, 2016.

As members registered and received their attendance gift, entertainment was provided by "The WoodPicks," a northern Minnesota band specializing in Gospel, Bluegrass, Country and Americana music. Members and guests were also treated to coffee and donuts prior to calling the business meeting to order. The business meeting included reports from President Vernon Hamnes, Treasurer Joe Sandberg and General Manager Tim Brinkman. Jenna Tadych, one of the two students sponsored by Garden Valley to attend the FRS Youth Tour in Washington, D.C. in 2015, reported on her memorable trip. Retiring District 7 Director, Warren Larson, was recognized for his 24 years of service on the Board of Directors. Garden Valley employees were also on hand to answer questions about the cooperative's products and services. Prizes were awarded and lunch was served following adjournment of the meeting. The winner of the adult grand prize, a 40" HDTV, was Dolorose Bushy, of Mentor, and winning the children's drawing for a 24" bicycle was Adeline Frisk, of McIntosh.



**President
Vernon Hamnes**



**General Manager
Tim Brinkman**



Warren Larson did not seek re-election to the Garden Valley Telephone Company board. He served 24 years representing District 7, which is the Bagley, Minerva and Shevlin exchanges. He also served four years as the President of the Board.

Directors Elected to Board

Directors Byron Ness (District 1—Beltrami, Fertile and Maple Bay exchanges) and Jim Ferden (District 4—McIntosh and Winger exchanges) were re-elected to serve on the cooperative's Board of Directors for the next three years. Allen Paulson, of Shevlin, was elected to a 3-year term as Director for District 7, serving the Bagley, Minerva and Shevlin exchanges

Board Names Corporate Officers

Following the June 7th annual meeting, Garden Valley's Board of Directors elected the following Directors to serve as officers of the cooperative:

President, Jerry Freitag; Secretary, Arlene Novak; Vice President, Byron Ness; Treasurer, Jim Ferden.



Jenna Tadych, one of the two students sponsored by Garden Valley to attend the Foundation for Rural Service, (FRS) Youth Tour in Washington, D.C. in 2015, reported on her trip. The Youth Tour introduces students to the telecommunications industry within a legislative context. She had entered an essay-style letter of application which earned her the trip to DC.



Garden Valley Directors Jim Ferden on the left and Byron Ness on the right, welcomed the newly elected member Allen Paulson who will serve on the board. Both Ferden and Ness were re-elected to their Districts.



Garden Valley Telephone Company staff was on hand at the annual meeting to inform members on the newest technology that is available. Fiber services allows the company to provide video and high speed internet to customers. The project was completed in the city of Fosston and this summer plans are to put out fiber to the home in the cities of Bagley and St. Hilaire.



"The WoodPicks," a northern Minnesota band specializing in Gospel, Bluegrass, Country and Americana music at the 111th annual meeting of Garden Valley Telephone Company.



Newly elected Garden Valley District 7 Director Allen Paulson of Shevlin.



Over 300 Garden Valley members were in attendance for the 111th annual meeting. This was the first year for the new general manager, Tim Brinkman. He is the seventh manager that the company has hired over the years. It was announced that local businesses and organizations will be able to advertise on the IPTV channels such as HGTV, TBS, ESPN, TNT and others.

"Into the Woods" to be presented at Northland College Theater June 20-25

Step into a magical world where storybook characters come to life and weave their stories into a musical tale when the Thief River Falls Area Community Theater brings Stephen Sondheim's masterpiece "Into the Woods" to the Northland College Theater from June 20-25 at 7 p.m. each evening. Tickets are on sale now and may be purchased at Pennington Main, Pennington Square, Digikey's East Entrance during business hours, and at the door. With a cast of 20 veteran performers under the direction of Gretchen

Weinrich (general director), Sherry Knott (vocal director) and Phil McKenzie (orchestra), "Into the Woods" is bound to please audiences of all ages. Brianna Helm will serve as piano accompanist in the orchestra pit. The cast includes Jonathan Mansk-Mysterious Man/Narrator; Brenna Skallet-Cinderella; Andrew Hanson-Jack; Diane Krause-Jack's Mother; Isaiah Burkel-Baker; Leah Wattenphul-Baker's Wife; DJ Parenteau-Cinderella's Stepmother; Nicole Rairdon-Florinda; Anna M. Barth-Lucinda; Scott Pream-Cinderella's

Father; Jocelyn Hams-Little Red Ridinghood; Jane Anderson-Witch; Sherry Knott-Cinderella's Mother/Giant; Ginger Kirkeby-Stumbo-Rapunzel; Tyson Panek-Rapunzel's Prince; Max Kuhlhammer-Wolf/Cinderella's Prince; Alexis Lane-Steward; Rene Mooney-Granny; Grace Brickson-Snow White; and Shelby Pahlen-Sleeping Beauty. Emma Halvorson will serve as stage manager, with costumes by Jane Anderson, prop and set design by Philip Hoks, lights and sound by Max Anderson and Liam Liden.



Cast members (left to right) Isaiah Burkel, Leah Wattenphul, Nicole Rairdon, DJ Parenteau, Alexis Lane, Jonathan Mansk, Max Kahlhammer, Brenna Skallet, Sherry Knott, Jane Anderson, Grace Brickson, Ginger Kirkeby-Stumbo, Andrew Hanson.



The family of Randy Larson would like to thank everyone for the cards, memorials, food, flowers, prayers and expression of sympathy and support to us at this time of our loss. Your kindness & thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated. We would especially like to thank Rev. Gene Lienthal for his comforting words before and during the services. Thank you to the Pastor and to Jane Merschman for their beautiful music. To the Carlin-Hoialman Funeral Home, thank you for helping us with all the arrangements. The service was beautiful. Thank you to the National Guard for the Flag Presentation and Taps. Thank you to St. Paul's Lutheran Church Ladies Aid for the wonderful lunch. Randy is forever in our hearts. God Bless.

The Family of Randy Larson
Jeremy, Jen, & Family
Amanda, Everett & Family
Rudy
Mike, Jeannie & Family

Lorri Ann, Dean & Family
Scott, Patty & Family
Chad, Autumn & Family
Josh, Dawn & Family

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It's a Boy!

Nolan Martin Monson, son of Andrew and Emily Monson of Waseca, was born June 9 at 1:08 p.m. at the Owatonna Hospital. Nolan weighed 7 lbs., 9 oz., 20 inches long. He is welcomed home by two sisters Addison (age 5) and Felicity (22 months).

Grandparents are Randy and Susan Sims of Gonvick, Martin and Reyna Monson of Waseca, Barb and Ed Roesler of Waseca.

Great-grandparents are Gene and Lois Harwood of Bagley, Norma Sims of Gonvick and Evelyn Kahnke of Waseca.

Bridal Shower
for
Amanda Paradis
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Couple is registered at Theo Rose, Fosston, Target, and Kohls

Wedding Date
9/24/2016

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Music Jamboree at Cornerstone this Sunday

There will be a Music Jamboree with Country & Country-Gospel Music on Sunday, June 19th from 1:00-4:30 at Cornerstone Residence (30 Sunset Ave. Nw.) in Bagley. Everyone is welcome!

Tree Clinic to be held

A tree clinic will be held at the Occupational Development Center (ODC) at 1520 Hwy 32 S, Thief River Falls.

It will be held on Tuesday, June 21, 2016 from 6:00—7:30 p.m.

Anyone interested in tree health, care, and maintenance can attend.

There is no charge for the clinic. Free clinic that is sponsored by Pennington County Extension/Ag Service.

Speakers will be Curt Nyegaard, Red Lake County Extension & Bill Craig, Marshall/Pennington Co. Ag Services Director.

Topics to be covered include Environmental Conditions and Tree Damage, Coniferous and Deciduous Tree Diseases and Control—Why are my trees dying?, Tree Pests and Control (tent caterpillars, ash borer, etc), Tree Trimming Tips, Bird Damage—What to Look For and How to Treat, Tree Nutrition and Health.

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Storm sewer repair project begins June 20 in communities across northwestern Minnesota

BEMIDJI, Minn. — Motorists can expect brief delays and lane closures on highways around northwestern Minnesota beginning Monday, June 20, as crews repair storm sewer catch basins that will extend the life of the highway surface.

The preventative maintenance will take place in multiple locations along the following highways:

• Akeley — Highway 34, Hulet Avenue SW to Pleasant Avenue SE

• Argyle — Highway 75, Second Street to Fifth Street

• Blackduck — Highway 71, intersection with Main Street N

• Bemidji — Highway 197, 13th Street NW to Norton Avenue NW

• Clearbrook — Highway 92, Fourth Avenue SW to First Avenue SW

• East Grand Forks — Highway 2B, Third Ave NE to River Street

• Grygla — Highway 89, Marshall Avenue to Sixth Avenue

• Lake George — Highway 71, intersection with Hubbard County Road 4

• Northome — Highway 1, Main Street to Minnesota Street

• Park Rapids — Highway 71, Eighth Street W to Main Avenue N

• Red Lake Falls — Highway 32, Dow Avenue SE to Bottineau Avenue NE

• Walker — Highway 371, Tianna Drive to Michigan Ave and Elm Avenue south 1200 feet

• Warroad — Highway 11, intersection with Highway 313 to Roseau County Road 5

Motorists should plan for shoulder and/or lane closures in the area where crews are working. Crews will work during daylight hours and once complete at one location, they will move on to the next section.

Hydro-Klean is the contractor for the \$516,000 project. It is expected to last through September, weather permitting.

MnDOT urges motorists to always drive with caution, and reminds them to slow down in the work zone and never enter a roadway that has been blocked with barriers or cones.

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Gospel Sing-A-Long

The Embassy Community Center, at 3rd and North Eaton Avenue in Fosston will hold their monthly Gospel Sing-A-Long on Sunday, June 19th at 3 pm.

Special music guest for the day will be Greg Bruce of Fosston with his harmonica.

All who play musical instruments are welcome to participate in the sing-a-long portion of the day's program.

Refreshments will be served following the program.



Polk County resident wins big

ROSEVILLE, Minn. (June 9, 2016) — Janice Budd of Fosston won \$5,000 playing the Big Money game. Budd claimed the prize on June 7, 2016. Bricks Travel Center LLC, 265 West Highway 10 in Motley, sold the winning ticket.

Minnesota wins:

• Lottery players have won more than \$6.5 billion. All Minnesotans are winners because more than \$2.6 billion in lottery proceeds have helped our state—more than \$1 billion has helped preserve, restore and protect Minnesota's environment in each of the 87 counties and almost \$1.5 billion has helped fund state programs including education, public safety and health & human services.

Red River Watershed Management Board Launches Updated Website

(June 8, 2016) - The Red River Watershed Management Board (RRWMB) has launched an updated website featuring a robust design which will facilitate the sharing of timely and helpful information.

The updated website, found at www.rrwmb.org, features a newly-designed layout, information on RRWMB-related news, current projects, meeting documents, an archive of past meeting documents and newsletters, governing documents, policies, maps, water quality information, contact information of RRWMB members, and a section dedicated to the Red River Basin Flood Damage Reduction Work Group.

The launch of the new website design coincides with the upcoming release of the RRWMB's quarterly e-newsletter. Visitors to the RRWMB website can sign up for the e-newsletter on the home page. A print version of the newsletter will also be distributed.

Wednesday, June 15, 2016

Anne Ternes Named to Morris Dean's List

Anne Ternes, of Gonvick, has been named to the University of Minnesota, Morris Dean's List for the Spring 2016 semester. To be eligible for the Dean's List students must achieve a grade point average of 3.66 or higher while taking 12 or more credits, two-thirds of these credits on the A-F grading system.

Morris is the University of Minnesota's public liberal arts college, a residential campus located in west central Minnesota.

Local students earn academic honors Spring 2016

St. Cloud Technical & Community College congratulates the following students for their academic achievement Spring 2016. They have earned recognition on the President's List for a grade point average of 4.0, or the Dean's list for a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.9.

Those from the area are:

Bagley: Renae Huschle, President's List. **Leonard:** Brooke Bakke, Dean's List

RSU Announces

Spring 2016 Honor Roll

CLAREMORE, Okla. - Rogers State University has announced its President's and Dean's Honor Rolls for the 2016 spring semester.

To qualify for the President's Honor Roll, students must complete a minimum of 12 credit hours with a 4.0 grade point average (no grades lower than an "A"). To qualify for the Dean's Honor Roll, students must complete a minimum of 12 credit hours with a 3.5 grade point average (no grades lower than a "B").

Following is local RSU student named to the Dean's Honor Rolls:

Plummer: Khristina A. Christensen, Dean's List.

UND Spring 2016 President's Roll of Honor

The University of North Dakota released its 2016 Spring Semester President's Roll of Honor, and it includes several students from the state of Minnesota.

To qualify for the President's Roll of Honor, a student must have an overall cumulative grade point average of 3.80 or higher. The student must also have earned a minimum of 30 semester hours and have completed a minimum of 12 hours at the close of the semester, eight of which must be for traditional letter grades.

The following is a list of some UND students from Minnesota who qualified for the honor last semester: **Erskine:** McKenzie Bixby; **McIntosh:** Derrick Haugen, Zachary Plante; **Newfolden:** Hayden Brodersen; **Oklee:** Ric Ven Anthony Auman; **Pinewood:** Tessa Richards.

UND Spring 2016 Deans List

The University of North Dakota released its 2016 Spring Semester Deans List, and it includes several students from the state of Minnesota.

The list comprises students whose grade point average are in the top 15 percent of the enrollment in each of the University's degree granting colleges and schools. A student must have completed no fewer than 12 semester hours of academic work for the semester, of which eight or more hours must be graded work rather than "satisfactory/unsatisfactory."

Area students from Minnesota who made the Spring 2016 list: **Brooks:** Mickala Morinville; **Erskine:** McKenzie Bixby, Mariah Lunak; **Fosston:** Daniel Cartier, Paula Juve; **Gonvick:** Nicholas Bodensteiner; **Goodridge:** Cassie Gunderson; **McIntosh:** Derrick Haugen, Zachary Plante; **Newfolden:** Hayden Brodersen; **Pinewood:** essa Richards; **Wannaska:** Afton Cameron, Dillon Olson.



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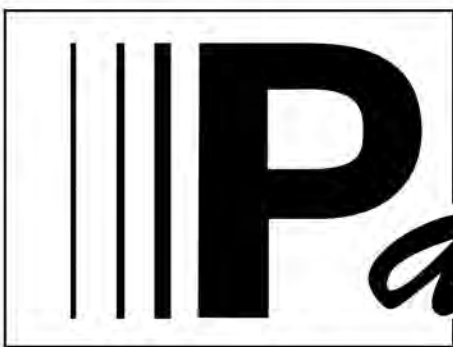
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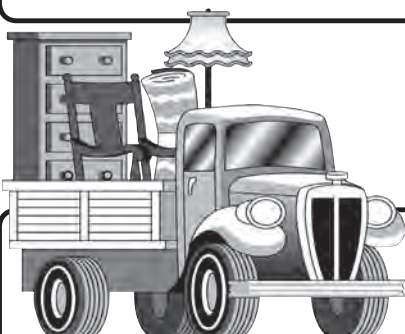
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NWMAC presents traveling art exhibit

The Northwest Minnesota Arts Council (NWMAC) is excited to again sponsor the Traveling Mini Art Exhibit which will visit northwest Minnesota communities this summer and fall. This year's Traveling Art Exhibit includes original artwork by fifteen regional adult and high-school artists, and began its journey at the NWMAC's juried Regional Exhibit held at Roseau City Library, Roseau MN in April and May of this year.

Artwork selected for the exclusive traveling exhibit expresses diverse subjects in a variety of visual media: acrylic painting, photography, pencil drawing, watercolor painting, glass mosaic, and mixed media. Pieces were chosen for originality, distinctive style, and presentation.

Artists selected for the Traveling Art Exhibit are:

Adults: Alberta Johnson, Thief River Falls; Alicia Spilde, Karlstad; Ann Novacek, Greenbush; Bert Foster, Thief River



Falls; Janet Johnson, Malung; Judy Szklarski, Stephen; LaVonne Forsberg, Thief River Falls; Loreen Hanson, Thief River Falls; and Margaret Ehling, Red Lake Falls.

Students: Breana Pruneda, Climax-Shelly H.S.; Izabel VonRueden, Climax-Shelly H.S.;

Jessica Lynn Ross, Fisher H.S.; Kylee McFadden, Marshall County Central H.S.; Marie Standman, Crookston H.S.; and Marietta Geist, Crookston HS. The Traveling Art Exhibit is currently showcased at Ada Public Library, 107 4th Ave E, Ada, MN, 56510, until Tuesday,

June 28, 2016. You may reach the librarian for information and hours at (218) 784-4480. The Traveling Art Exhibit is scheduled to visit the following libraries through the summer and autumn:

Ada Public Library, May 20 - June 28
Hallock Public Library, June 28 - Aug 3
Thief River Falls Public Library, Aug 3 - Sep 14
Red Lake Falls Public Library, Sep 14 - Oct 12



Warren Godel Memorial Library, Oct 12 - Nov 30

For more information call the arts council office at 218-745-9111; contact the exhibit special-

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NH 654 round baler, good condition w/book



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1959 IH 560 Diesel tractor w/ Heavy duty loader & bucket, fair 15.5-38 rubber, m wheel weights, 3pt. PTO drive hyd pump, dual hyd, belly pump works, ser # 17902



John Deere series 400 4-row corn planter, marker wheels, rubber press wheels, clean boxes



Massey Ferguson 200 crawler/ dozer w/ Drott loader/ dozer blade, overhauled, rebuilt shuttle, good under-carriage, runs good, 3 cyl Perkins diesel, approx 40 hp, suitcase weights



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Misc.

VW engine and parts, asst Pine 1 X and dimensional lumber, large pet carrier, parts for Honda 90 3 whlr

Riding Mower

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Farm Equipment

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More Tractors

1956 Massey Ferguson 50 gas tractor sng hyd, PTO, 3 pt, good 13.6-28 rears ser # 501626, 1961 IH 560 diesel tractor fair 15.5-38 rears, 3 pt, dual hyd, ser # 40906S-Y-CO

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Livestock Equipment

Heavy duty cattle working chute, 3 rolling feed bunks, 6 round bales of straw, 5 bale rings, Veterinary supplies, old feeder station, 15 round bales of grass hay, barb wire and electric fencing, several gates, hog panels

Vehicles & Trailers

'88 Chevy 1 ton 4x4 ext cab rebuilt eng & trans, 1987 DN Metal 30' gooseneck stock trailer w/ good wooden floor, one partition good title, 1950 ? Chevy 6400 flatbed truck for restoration/parts, 2 whl metal box trailer no title, 18' hay wagon w/ 8 ton running gear, triple axle 8X20 hay trailer, 18' hay wagon w/ New Holland mod 15 running gear

Shop

There are about 3 trailer loads of tools and shop equipment, heavy engine cherry picker, asst hyd hose, shop shelving, metal band saw, All trade 5/8 -16 speed ¾ hp drill press, parts bin, 11-drawer Craftsman tool cabinet, metal welding table, Shopmate bench grinder, manual tire changer, Apollo AC/DC welder, instant-on welders, Knipco heater that works, battery starter/ charger, heavy duty Craftsman radial arm saw.

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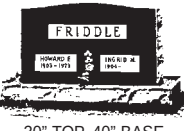
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OBITUARIES



Jeffrey Charles Brinkman
 March 10, 1965-May 23, 2016
 Jeffrey C. Brinkman went to be with the Lord on May 23, 2016, in Shawano, WI. He was born in Fosston, MN on March 10, 1965, to Charles and Anna (Jorgenson) Brinkman. He grew up in Minnesota where he enjoyed hunting, trapping, blacksmithing and rock collecting. His many hobbies included wood carving, gardening, canning, ham radio and he had a love of art and nature. He had

many fond memories and stories of adventures on the Brinkman home farm north of McIntosh, MN. He worked as a machinist in the family business. Jeff was united in marriage to Vickie Fischer on October 21, 1993 in Jordan, MN.

Jeffrey is survived by his wife, Vickie; father, Charles (Faye) Brinkman; mother, Anna (Jack) Bonham; brother, Richard (Carole) Brinkman, children Lukas and Kristine; step-sister Rachele (Chris) Lister, son Owen; stepson, Josh (Sarah) Fischer, daughter Brooklyn; step-daughter Kim Kresstein, daughters Amber and Jasmin. He was preceded in death by grandparents, Ervin and Gina Brinkman and Alvin and Evelyn Jorgenson; two uncles; and step-granddaughter, Bryanna.

Graveside committal service, Saturday, June 25th, 4 p.m., Asphult Lutheran Church cemetery, rural McIntosh.

Memorial services were held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 25, 2016 in Shawano, WI.



Services for Wesley Johnson
 Wesley Milton Johnson passed away peacefully on June 7, 2016 and has joined his beloved wife Luella in heaven. Wesley was born on November 12, 1927 in the Lessor Township of Minnesota to William and Amanda Johnson and was baptized and confirmed in rural McIntosh, Minnesota. He grew up on the family farm and after completing service in the U.S. Army in 1953, he headed out to Montana for the first time in 1954. He worked on various farms and ranches in the Conrad area.

Wesley met his wife Luella in Minnesota, she was a Depot Agent and he was driving south in a bad blizzard and stopped at her Depot, for him it was love at first sight. Wesley and Luella Albers were married on September 9, 1961. After working on 6 missile bases for Boeing for 9 years, Wesley & Luella started a Sears Catalog Store in Conrad in 1970 and operated that business for 23

years. Wesley also drove bus for Conrad School District for 22 years.

Wesley was preceded in death by his parents, and his wife of 42 years, Luella Laura Albers. He is survived by his daughters Laurie (Ryan) Hanson of Helena, MT and Wendy Johnson of Bloomington, MN, grandsons Gus and Quinn Hanson, brothers Lester (Kaye) of Polson, MT, Gary (Candace) of Elk River, MN, and sister Janice (Jim) Rude of Deerwood, MN. He also had nieces and nephews that were very special to him.

Wes just recently was presented with a certificate for 60 years of continuous membership in The American Legion, a recognition he was very proud of. He liked to tinker and could fix anything using duct tape, his favorite. He enjoyed gardening and had a passion for old tractors. He will be missed not only by his family who loved him so much, but also by all of the people he came in contact with throughout his lifetime.

Cremation has taken place. A memorial service is being planned for June 22nd at 11:00 am at Trinity Lutheran Church in Great Falls, MT with a lunch reception following. A memorial and burial will be at a later date this summer at Trinity Faith Cemetery in Fergus Falls, MN. In Lieu of flowers, memorials can be sent in Wesley's name to Rocky Mountain Hospice, 1075 N. Rodney, Suite 102 Helena, MT 59601 or a Veteran's organization of your choice.

Please visit www.aswfurneralhome.com to offer a condolence to the family or to share a memory of Wes.

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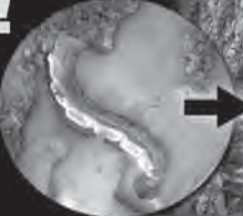


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Services for John Cucci

John Cucci of Leonard, MN went home to be with his Lord on June 10th, 2016 at Sanford Medical Center, Fargo.



A memorial service to celebrate his life will be held June 21st, 2016 at 12 Noon at Country Faith Church in Clearbrook.

A full obituary will be in next week's Canary and also posted to tricocanary.com this week.

Death notice for Robert L. Swanson

Robert L. Swanson, 70, of Gatzke, MN, passed away on Saturday, June 11, 2016, in the Fargo (ND) Veterans Affairs



Hospital.

Family services will be held at a later date.

Arrangements by: DuBore Funeral Home, Warren, MN.

A full obituary will be in next week's Canary and also posted to tricocanary.com this week.



Services for Doris Nelson
 Doris M. Nelson, age 96, of Oklee, MN, went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, June 10th, at Pioneer Memorial Care Center in Erskine. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, June 20th, at Trinity Free Lutheran Church, rural McIntosh with the Rev. Karl Anderson officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. with a 6:30 p.m. prayer service on Sunday, June 19th, at the McIntosh Community Center in McIntosh. There will also be reviewal for one hour prior to the service on Monday at the church. Arrangements are with the Carlin-Hoialmen Funeral Home, serving McIntosh and messages of condolence may be sent at www.carlin-hoialmen.com.

Doris was born June 4, 1920 the daughter of William and Annie (Duesing) Grimm, in Lambert Township near Brooks, Minnesota. She was baptized and confirmed at Immanuel Lutheran Church in McIntosh. She attended

country school for six years in rural Brooks.

On November 25, 1939 she was united in marriage to Lloyd M. Nelson. They made their home on a farm near Brooks. Doris helped on the farm and worked many other jobs including sewing for many years at Wally Groberg's Factory in Oklee. In 1971 they moved into Oklee. Lloyd passed away July 16, 1976.

Doris has been a member of Trinity Free Lutheran Church for the past 40 years. She will be remembered for her love for the Lord, putting her faith and trust in Jesus. Doris loved her family and friends unconditionally. She was especially proud of her great great grandchildren. Doris enjoyed crafts, gardening and attending Christian events. She moved to the Pioneer Memorial Care Center in March and enjoyed several family celebrations there, most recently her 96th birthday.

Left to mourn are daughters - Dianne (Jerry) Turgeon of Baudette, MN and Carol (Einar) Kvasager of Oklee; grandchildren - Kelly (Amy Lyn) Turgeon, Mark (Lisa) Turgeon, Kim (Larry) Fosse, Michael Turgeon, Jodi (Tim) Kuznia, Todd Mattison, and Tammy (Arik) Payne; 18 great grandchildren; 15 great great grandchildren, and four more this year; and sister - Violet Ferden. Several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers - Orville Grimm and LaVern Grimm; sister - Evelyn Nelson; brothers-in-law - Art Nelson, Art Pederson, and Maynard Ferden; and sisters-in-law - Florence Pederson, Nora Grimm, Marie Grimm, and Mabel Nelson.

Ask a Trooper

by Sgt. Jesse Grabow Minnesota State Patrol

Question: Isn't it a state law that trucks that haul loose loads such as gravel and granite pieces must have their loads covered? I have lived at my current address for 40 years now and I have seen very few of these kinds of loads covered. With the winds that we have combined with the fast rate of speed these trucks travel, it makes for a very dangerous condition to walkers and drivers along and on a highway.

Answer: Yes, no vehicle shall be moved on a roadway, unless the load is securely covered to prevent any leaking, blowing, shifting or dropping. There are some exceptions to trucks placing sand or salt on the roadway for traction, or, farmers from losing grains and such, in small amounts, that would not cause damage to the roadway or vehicle. The Minnesota State Statue that covers this is 169.81 Subd. 5.

If you encounter a vehicle that has an unsecured load, attempt to get a license plate number, description of the vehicle, and call law enforcement. We will do our best to get that vehicle stopped and inspected.

When traveling behind a

vehicle with an unsecure load, give yourself plenty of room behind the vehicle to avoid any obstacles that may fall from the unsecure load. If possible, go around or pass the vehicle with the unsecure load when it is safe to do so.

A portion of state statutes were used with permission from the Office of the Revisor of Statutes. If you have any questions concerning traffic related laws or issues in Minnesota, send your questions to Trp. Jesse Grabow - Minnesota State Patrol at 1000 Highway 10 West, Detroit Lakes, MN 56501-2205. (You can follow him on Twitter @MSPPIO_NW or reach him at, jesse.grabow@state.mn.us).

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Theology in the Trenches

By Kathleen Kjolhaug

Dancing Around the Peripheral

German roots have I. Blunt and to the point is how I converse. Growing accustomed to this by others is easier said than done, literally. One could say it easy enough, but it has undone many a conversation more oft than not.

However, my husband comes from Norwegian stock, and they prefer beating around the bush. Tap dancing around the peripheral is what I call it. Minnesota nice perhaps is another familiar term. Still, others might call it tactful. I guess it could be all of the above.

So, what's my point? To be perfectly blunt and in no uncertain terms I ask, "What on earth are we thinking these days?"

Forbes made their big announcement one day about the value of a woman who had invested in a company which had developed some sort of new blood test. She was worth four billion plus when the news broke. One year later, it was discovered that this particular test was not as successful as all had hoped, and according to today's news, Forbes had re-evaluated her net worth. "Zero is her value," the announcer on the radio chirped.

One minute she was top of the heap and the next minute, trashed. Just like that. The world had held her up and had spit her out just as quickly and as I listened, I was ashamed. I was ashamed that I was listening to such nonsense. I was ashamed that the world in which we live passes that off as news. I was ashamed that there were no intonations of compassion, no voice raised on behalf of dignity for a fellow human being, and no indication that this woman was now nothing more than a scoffing disdained piece of yesterday's news trashed by the measuring rod of what the world esteems.

Nowhere did I hear, "the rest of the story" so to speak. I wanted to ask the radio broadcaster if the riches to rags woman was okay. I wanted to ask him if she now owed a



bunch of money that she had spent because she thought she had money, only to find out a little later she didn't. I wanted someone to speak on behalf of the woman who now had "no value." I wondered if she still had her family and was able to enjoy that part of her life. I wanted to know if she had any value other than cash, and mostly, I just wanted to know if she was alright.

This isn't the only example of such folly lived out each minute of every day around the world of noteworthy news. It infiltrates 24/7 across television, radio, or the internet. In order to satisfy the feeding frenzy hooks, lines, and sinkers are put out to bait. Lures used come in many forms and each one intentionally placed to capture consumers.

News comes with a price. The price paid is that we are sold products and more gossip than ever before. Often-times it is so subliminal that we don't even realize we are hooked on the high drama until the next dramatic news events unfolds before us. Soon, we are numbed through continuous overdoing and we've missed out.

We've missed out on time needed to be spent with the little ones in front of us. We've missed out on time needed to be spent with our neighbors. We've missed out on an intentional plan for the money we've earned because we're so busy chasing after what the advertisements of the high drama put into our heads.

Debbie downer I do not want to be, but intentionally drawing attention to the awareness of what truly matters, matters to me. I hope it matters to you too...and so I share...my thoughts.

"Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable...if anything is excellent or praiseworthy, think about such things" (Philippians 4:8). Amen.



Healthy Lawn, Healthy Environment
 A green, lush lawn is usually the envy of the neighborhood. Did you know that the average suburban lawn receives as much as 10 times as much chemical pesticide per acre as farmland? This is according to the US National Wildlife Federation which also states that over 70 million tons of fertilizers and pesticides are applied to U.S. residential lawns and gardens annually. Fertilizers and pesticides that run off of the landscape and into our rivers and streams can have damaging effects on animals, aquatic species and reduce the quality of water.

By reducing our dependence on chemicals used in our lawns and gardens, we can do many things to naturally improve the health of our lawns.

Eartheasy.com outlines some "Healthy Lawn Basics" that can help you achieve this:

- 1. Improve the Soil**
 The first step is to test the soil's pH - it should read between 6.5 and 7.0, which is slightly acidic. Soil that is too acidic will need a sprinkling of lime; sulfur can be added to soil which is not acidic enough.
 Lawns grow best in loamy soils that have a mix of clay, silt and sand. Too much clay in the soil mix, or heavy use, can compact the soil and prevent air and nutrient flow. Organic matter, such as compost and grass clippings, will benefit any type of soil; it lightens soil which is heavy in clay, and it builds humus in sandy soils, which helps retain water and nutrients.
- 2. Choose a Locally Adapted Grass**
 Grasses vary in the type of climate they prefer, the amount of water and nutrients required, shade tolerance and the degree of wear they can withstand. Ask your local garden center to recommend grass which is best adapted to your area.
- 3. Mow Often, but Not Too Short**

Giving your lawn a "Marine cut" is not doing it a favor. Surface roots become exposed, the soil dries out faster and surface aeration is reduced. As a general rule, don't cut off more than one-third of the grass at any one time. Most turf grass species are healthiest when kept between 2.5 and 3.5" tall.

- 4. Water Deeply but Not Too Often**
 Thorough watering encourages your lawn to develop deep root systems which make the lawn hardier and more drought-resistant. Let the lawn dry out before re-watering; as a rule of thumb, the color should dull and footprints should stay compressed for more than a few seconds. The best time for watering is early morning - less water will be lost to evaporation.
- 5. Control Thatch Build-Up**
 Thatch is the accumulation of above-soil runners, propagated by the grass. This layer should be about 1/2" (1.25cm) on a healthy lawn, and kept in balance by natural decomposition, earthworms and microorganisms. Too much thatch prevents water and nutrients from reaching the grass roots.

Once you have followed these basic steps to improving the health of your lawn, you can maintain your healthy lawn using a few of these simple techniques:

- Leave clippings on the lawn.
- Observe the weeds.
- Sharpen mower blades at least once a year.
- If you fertilize your lawn, fertilize once or twice a year and use a fertilizer with time-released, water insoluble nitrogen.
- Convert your lawn to a drought-resistant, low-maintenance eco-lawn.
- 'Spot-treat' weeds with vinegar to minimize herbicide use.

These are just a few suggestions on how to maintain your healthy lawn. For more information on improving the health of your lawn, sustaining that health and helping improve water quality, please visit www.eartheasy.com for additional solutions for sustainable living.

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Blacklance, Teunis, & Imrie take Greenbush Race Park Checkers

by Keith Cumming

Clear, cooler and drier conditions greeted racers and fans for the second night of racing action in the WISSOTA Polydome dirt track series at the Greenbush Race Park. 81 cars were signed in at the pit gate and the racing was fast on the smooth track.

The Midwest Modifieds would send 21 cars to take the green flag and it would be polesitter Steve Hougard of Strandquist, Mn. to take the early lead, but coming out of corner four one lap later Headingly, Mb., driver Murray Kozie would put a slidejob on Hougard and make it stick. Caution would come the next time around and it would take three more tries before they would get back to green flag racing. Kozie would continue to hold off Hougard and Nate Reynolds of Edinburg, N.D. The last caution flew on lap eight where Aaron Blacklance of Thief River Falls would find himself sitting in the third position. Also working his way up through the field was 14th place starter Bill Yonke of Thief River Falls sitting in the top five. On the restart 7th place starter Blacklance, would get by Hougard for second and two laps later would pass Kozie out of corner two for the lead, while Yonke would pass Reynolds and Hougard to move into third. Blacklance would lead the last five laps for the win and the sweep. Yonke would edge Kozie at the line for second. Patrick Sobolik, Hunter Hougard, and Steve Hougard picked up the other heat wins.

11 Streets took the green flag for their feature and it would be polesitter Brad Wall of Winkler, Mb., to lead the first lap but coming out of corner four Shawn Teunis of West St. Paul would pass Wall for the lead, and one lap later it would be Karlstad driver Ryan Johnson sliding off the track to bring out the next caution sending him to the rear of the pack for the restart. Teunis would be able to hold his lead even through on more restart even with a little pressure from brother Jesse. But when the checkers flew it was Shawn by a couple of car lengths for the win and a sweep on the evening. Jesse Teunis would finish second and win his heat and Wall third.

Winnipeg driver Ward Imrie sat on the pole, took the lead

when the green flag dropped and never looked back. Imrie would lead all 20 laps and was never challenged for the top spot. The Modified feature proved what track officials worked so hard for last fall, a fast multiple groove race track. Imrie would sweep the evening, while Aaron Holtan of Newfolden would finish second and win his heat and Rick Delaine of Stoney Mountain, Mb. would finish third. Jerome Guyot of Fannystelle, Mb. would pick up the win in the final heat.

The Lightning Sprints would start out the evening in a tough way. In the second heat, Bret Holm of East Grand Forks making his first visit to the Race Park, had his Sprint hooked up and hauling when he drifted a little to high in corner four and had some heavy contact with the water barriers at the end of the guard rail and spun wildly off the end of the track. Holm was unhurt but the same couldn't be said for his car. For the feature 12 cars took the green flag as Alan Truscinski of Greenbush would take the lead. Dexter Dvergsten of Greenbush would run second to Truscinski but with three to go he would make the pass for the lead, and on lap later Truscinski would lose the second spot to Presley Truedson of Kennedy, Mn. Dvergsten would go on for the win and the sweep with Truedson finishing second and winning her heat, and Truscinski third.

Eric Hagen of Goodridge would lead the 11 car Pure Stock feature to the green and would lead the first four laps, until he spun in corner four. ON the restart last week's feature winner Ryan Hagen would spin in corner two and get hit by Jeremy Anderson of Newfolden ending both of their nights. On the restart **Cory Peterson of Red Lake** would take the lead into corner one but it would be Warroad driver Jared Palm with the lead when they came out of two. Palm would hold the lead for three laps until Jerome Berger would pass him coming out of corner four. Berger would go unchallenged to pick up the win. Palm would finish second and Peterson third. Heat wins went to Eric Hagen and Ryan Hagen.

Corner four got it's second car of the night when Summer

Billing of Lake Bronson rolled her 4 cylinder in that corner ending her night early. Mike Demchuk of Dufresne, Mb., led the seven car field to the green but coming out of corner four Scott Perdonic of Winnipeg, Mb., would be the leader. Perdonic would lead all 15 caution free laps for the win. Demchuk would finish second and win the heat and Tom Morrisseau of Richer, Mb., third.

Up next at the Greenbush Race Park will be the first visit of the year for the NLRA Late Models along with the Modifieds, Streets, Midwest Modifieds, Pure Stocks & Lightning Sprints. Gates open at 4:30, cutoff for the draw is at 6pm with racing at 7pm sharp. Check us out on Facebook at Official Greenbush Race Park or our webpage at www.greenbushracepark.com.

Results

Modified Feature - Ward Imrie, Aaron Holtan, Rick Delaine, Jamen Foss, Dustin Wahl, Mark Esala, Jerome Guyot, Jordan Duray, Ryan Kereluk, Mike Tiani, Justin Bronk, Joe Chaplinski, Gunner Gust, Shane Wahl, Don Platow

Heat 1 - Holtan, Tiani, Kereluk, Bronk, S. Wahl

Heat 2 - Guyot, Esala, D. Wahl, Chaplinski, Gust

Heat 3 - Imrie, Delaine, Foss, Duray, Platow

Midwest Modifieds

Feature - Aaron Blacklance, Bill Yonke, Murray Kozie, Steve Hougard, Nate Reynolds, Justin Olson, John Halvorson, Patrick Sobolik, Bryton Foss, Justin Peterson, Devon Gordon, Tyler Perkerewicz, Ronnie Novacek, Erich Frey, Jordan Wahl, Chase Slama, Peter Espe, Hunter Hougard, Shane Wahl, Chelsey Hamness, Logan Hamness

Heat 1 - Sobolik, Reynolds, Frey, L. Hamness, Espe, C. Hamness

Heat 2 - H. Hougard, Foss, Perkerewicz, Yonke, J. Wahl

Heat 3 - Blacklance, Gordon, Olson, Novacek, Slama

Heat 4 - S. Hougard, Kozie, Halverson, Peterson, S. Wahl

Streets

Feature - Shawn Teunis, Jesse Teunis, Brad Wall, Doug Perrier, Ryan Johnson, Casey Vargason, Chase Boen, Andrew Maxwell, Brent Douglass, Jeremy Gust, Bryce Reimer

Heat 1 - J. Teunis, Johnson,

Boen, Gust, Reimer, Douglas
Heat 2 - S. Teunis, Vargason, Perrier, Wall, Maxwell
Lightning Sprints

Feature - Dexter Dvergsten, Presley Truedson, Alan Truscinski, Brandon Johnson, Zak Kwiatkoski, Alex Truscinski, Kyle Cole, Dan Wiskow, Charles Davis, Corey Olson, Kelsi Pederson, Ryan Davis

Heat 1 - Dvergsten, Alan Truscinski, Alex Truscinski, Cole, C. Davis, Pederson, Olson

Heat 2 - Truedson, Kwiatkowski, E. Johnson, Wiskow, B. Johnson, Holm, R. Davis

4 Cylinders

Feature - Scott Perdonic, Mike Demchuk, Tom Morrisseau, Katie Ahrndt, Austin Lammers, Jordan Thayer, Joel Olson

Heat - Demchuk, Perdonic, Morrisseau, Lammers, Ahrndt, Thayer, Olson, Billings, Johnson

Players needed for an Intermental Softball Competition

Erin Green is looking into the possibility of putting together a "just for fun" Intermental Softball Competition for the towns in our area: Fosston, McIntosh, Erskine, Winger, and Mentor. If anyone would be interested in participating please call 218-687-2157 and leave your name, number, and the city you are from. If enough people from the five cities referenced are interested, the game will probably be on August 6th.

Also- anyone who is interested in helping as an umpire, please contact Erin as well. Teams will be co-ed, and players ages can be anywhere from 14 to 100.

If any of the local businesses in those five cities would be interested in donating ice, pop, water, juices, and snacks for the game day- please let me know that as well. No alcohol please- this will be family friendly.

Anyone interested please let Erin know before July 9th.

Red, White, and Blue

By Auctioneer,
Eric Mickelson

Red, white, and blue, not just colors used to paint tractors. June 14th is flag day and of course the 4th of July is around the corner. So these patriotic colors are on my mind!

In 1976 towns across America, including my hometown of Oklee, celebrated our nations bicentennial. It had been 200 years since the signing of the Declaration of Independence, in Philadelphia. Flags flew high, fire works displays filled the skies in the evenings.

Besides local celebrations tractor companies tried to get on the bandwagon and market something special. Case tractor company released the "Spirit of 76", red, white, and blue, model 1570. Somewhere between 200 and 300 of these tractors were produced. The 1570 was simply the standard tractor but, featured a red, white, and blue paint job. Today this Case is a collectible tractor. Since that time the creativity of collectors has given us many tractors with



many unique paint jobs but, these original 1570's were (and are) quite a sight to see! Good job Case!!

Well if you like tractors and you like to celebrate Independence Day, then I would invite you to come to Plummer, Minnesota, on the 4th of July!! As part of the celebration in town there will be a Tractor Show!! It will be held behind the Tri-River Pioneers Museum beginning at 9:00AM. We are hoping to get a nice line up of tractors. If you have any questions or would like to participate give me a call at (218)796-5767 or Charles Bishop at (218)465-4025. Prizes will be awarded for Best Restored, Best Original, and Judges Choice. So bring those tractors to Plummer on the 4th of July and observe our nations birthday with a tractor twist!!!

How About a Little Tractor Trivia

1. Case tractors were manufactured in _____.

2. The model 1570 Case produced _____ hp.

3. What color were the standard Case 1570's painted in 1976.

4. Who was the first person to sign the Declaration of Independence?

5. Who did most(some say all) the writing of the Declaration of Independence?

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1. Racine, WI 2. 160 hp 3. White and Orange 4. John Hancock 5. Thomas Jefferson

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