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This week's colored issue is sponsored by American State Bank of Grygla!



“You Can’t Stop the Beat” was the theme for this year’s Grygla High School Spring Concert that was held on Tuesday, April 24th under the direction of Gene Lunsetter. Senior High Choir, above, performed Gentle Annie, Who Can Sail Without The Wind and Shut De Do. Senior High woodwinds carry the melody below during the band portion of the show.



Left: Alaina Monson, Bailey Watne and Jamie Dougherty performed Ally Bally Bee at the Spring Concert last week. The trio sang the number at a recent vocal ensemble contest and received a “Superior” rating.

Below: Grygla High School held their Minnesota Honor Society Tapping Ceremony on Thursday, April 26th. New inductees are seated, L-R: Trystan Jelle, Elise Monson, Maci Bakken and Bailey Watne. Current members are standing, L-R: Lucian Tinnes, Jaden Kiesow, Alaina Monson, Brooke Limesand, Abby Kiesow, Cheyenne Irlbeck and Carlye Kiesow.



New MHS members and their parents at last week’s Tapping Ceremony. L-R: Trystan Jelle with parents, Mike and Shonda Jelle; Elise Monson with parents Greg and Maureen Monson; Maci Bakken with parents Scott Bakken & Cassanda Bakken; Bailey Watne with parents David Watne & Juanita Watne.

Dinner theater is a success

The Goodridge School hosted a “Night on the Town” last week. The Goodridge Senior High Art Class put on an Art Show at 6pm and the Drama Department performed “Larceny and Old Lace” at 7pm. The Close-Up Group hosted a new fundraiser this year; they turned Friday’s performance into a dinner theater with 136 people being served a delicious menu of salad, pork loin, baked potatoes, corn and dessert!

This was Eric Mickelson’s 17th play he has directed and what a great show it was! “Larceny and Old Lace” synopsis: Harold Peabody’s sweet aunts, Millie and Gertie, are “gambling” in Las Vegas while he stays home to watch his eccentric uncle Charlie, who thinks he is a pirate! When Harold’s jailbird cousin, Mordred, shows up with the FBI on his tail the pandemonium multiplies!

Cast included: Brandon Stanley as Harold, Donavin Hagen as Charlie, Katerina Groven as Gertie, Jennah Henrickson as Millie, Ben Groven as Mordred, Anna Mickolio as Linda, Braiden Carver as Officer McNeally, Chantel Grindeland as Officer Larson, Felix Jensen as Agent Klick, Alliya Smith as Agent Klack, Hannah Seyller as Gloria, Payton Homme as Dr. Shortanoar, Mataya Sargent as Nurse Widget, Thor Henrickson as Judge Taylor, Amy Wiskow as the Taxi Driver and Sydney Solberg as Dr. Pretorious.



Donavin Hagen, left, as Charlie and Ben Groven, right, as Mordred in the Goodridge School play.



“Larceny and Old Lace” provided a lot of laughs to the audience and is the 17th play directed by Eric Mickelson.

Spring burning restrictions begin

Warm temperatures and dry conditions mean increased wildfire risk, so the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources will restrict open burning in the following counties effective immediately:

Anoka, Beltrami (north), Benton, Chisago, Clay, Douglas, Grant, Hennepin, Isanti, Kanabec, Kittson, Lake of the Woods, Marshall, Mille Lacs, Morrison, Norman, Otter Tail, Pennington, Pine, Pope, Ramsey, Roseau, Sherburne, Stearns, Stevens, Todd, Traverse, Wadena, Wilkin, Wright.

The state will not issue burning permits for brush or yard waste in these counties until this ban is lifted.

“For more than a decade, spring burning restrictions have successfully reduced the number of wildfires we’ve had in Minnesota,” said Casey McCoy, DNR fire prevention supervisor. “In fact, wildfires are down more than 30 percent from a decade ago, thanks in large part to these restrictions.”

McCoy cautions that, to keep this trend going, people must continue to follow burn restrictions. He also encourages residents to use alternatives to burning, such as composting, chipping, or taking brush to a collection site.

Those who burn debris can be held financially responsible if their fire escapes and burns other property.

Burning restrictions for additional counties will be added as conditions change. For information and daily updates on current fire risk and open burning restrictions, visit the Minnesota DNR website: www.mndnr.gov/burnrestrictions.

Fall Festival Logo Contest

The 2018 Grygla Fall Festival plans are underway. The yearly celebration is always held the last full weekend of August making this year’s dates August 24-26! Do you have a great idea for a logo/design? Well, you’re in luck! Logo submissions are being accepted until June 1st and can be dropped off at American State Bank in Grygla. Please submit your logo/design in a sealed envelope. The winner will receive \$50 cash in addition to their creation being featured on the 2018 Grygla Fall Festival buttons, mugs and posters.

CHURCH CALENDARS

GRYGLA LUTHERAN PARISH
Grace and Our Savior's, Grygla
Pastor Vicki Saude-Worthington
Wednesday, May 2:
6pm Choir, 8pm Interfaith Bible Study
Sunday:
Grace: 9am Worship, Senior Recognition Sunday
OS: 10:30am Worship w/ 9:30am SS; Sunday School to serve lunch after service

GATZKE-THIEF LAKE LUTHERAN PARISH
United - Gatzke; Our Savior's - Thief Lake
Wednesday, May 2:
OS Ladies Aid 2:30pm
Sunday:
UL: 9am Worship
OS: 11am Worship

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Bethany, Ekelund, Faith
Pastor Kristin Dahlen Ostercamp
Wednesday, May 2:
Faith WELCA 6pm
Sunday:
Faith: 8:30am Worship
Bethany: 9:45am Worship
Ekelund: 11am Worship w/ 12pm Ekelund Council meeting
Monday, May 7:
Ekelund Ladies Aid 1:30pm at Greenwood Terrace

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

St. Clement's - Grygla; St. Ann's - Goodridge
Fr. Adam Hammess
Sunday:
St. Clement's: 11:45am
St. Ann's: 10am

BETHESDA LUTHERAN CHURCH
Skime
Pastor Steve Bliss
Sunday:
8am Worship

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
Christian & Missionary Alliance of Grygla
Sunday:
9:30am Worship, 11am SS

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
St. Petri - Grygla; Mt. Olive, Nazareth - Trail; Oak Park - Oklee
Pastor Jeff Merseeth
Wednesday, May 2:
Wed. School/Confirmation 5-7pm; LYS meeting 7pm
Saturday:
Mt. Olive: 9am Worship
Sunday:
St. Petri: 8am Worship w/ 9:15am SS
Nazareth: 9:45am Worship, 8:30am SS
Oak Park: 11am Worship, 9:45am SS

LIBERTY CHAPEL
Grygla
Fellowship of Christian Assemblies
Sunday:
9:30am Worship.

Community Calendar

Wed | May 2
Grygla Eagle office open 9-6pm; Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla Library open 2-6pm; Grygla Lion's host Senior Supper Night at Yo-Hawn's (Social hour 5-6pm, Supper 6pm)

Thurs | May 3
Senior High Track Meet in Mahnomen

Fri | May 4
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla Elementary School Spring Program 2pm; Junior High Track Meet in Warroad

Sat | May 5
Goodridge Prom Grand March 7pm

Sun | May 6

Mon | May 7
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am

Tues | May 8
Senior High Track Meet in Ada; Cuff Stamping Community Ed Class at Grygla School 7-9:30pm

Senior club planning summer theater trip

The Grygla Senior Citizen's Club is planning their Jasper Theater trip to Park Rapids this summer. It will be held on July 19th with a 10am leave time. If you are interested in going, please call Thelma Thomas at 294-6386 for more details as space and tickets are limited.

Sportsman's Club holds cleanup day

The Fourn town/Grygla Sportsman's Club held their spring cleanup and picnic last Saturday. The weather was perfect for the 6 miles of ditch cleaning. The crew also spruced up Grande Corner a bit and even got the fence around the ball diamond fixed up. (See photo on the left.) After the work was done, the sun was still shining over the crowd who relaxed, visited and enjoyed a potluck lunch!



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Public Notice

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

THE RIGHT TO VERIFICATION OF THE DEBT AND IDENTITY OF THE ORIGINAL CREDITOR WITHIN THE TIME PROVIDED BY LAW IS NOT AFFECTED BY THIS ACTION. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That default has occurred in the conditions of the following described mortgage:

DATE OF MORTGAGE: May 22, 2008.
ORIGINAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE: \$59,758.04.
MORTGAGOR(S): Paul Westman, a single person.
MORTGAGEE: CitiFinancial Services, Inc.

SERVICER: Bayview Loan Servicing, LLC.
LENDER: CitiFinancial Services, Inc.

DATE AND PLACE OF FILING: Marshall County Minnesota Recorder on May 23, 2008 as Document No. 304050.

ASSIGNED TO: Bayview Loan Servicing, LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company dated 12/02/2016 recorded on 12/12/2016 as Document No. 327294.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: The South Fifty Feet of the North One Hundred Feet (S. 50 ft. N. 100 ft.) of Lot Two (2), Block Twenty-eight (28) in Nelson's Addition to the City of Warren, Marshall County, Minnesota.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 723 N. DIVISION ST., WARREN, MN 56762. PROPERTY I.D.: 59-0475-000. COUNTY IN WHICH PROPERTY IS LOCATED: Marshall.

THE AMOUNT CLAIMED TO BE DUE ON THE MORTGAGE ON THE DATE OF THE NOTICE: Thirty-Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-Six and 87/100 (\$38,786.87)

THAT no action or proceeding has been instituted at law to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that there has been compliance with all pre-foreclosure notice and acceleration requirements of said mortgage, and/or applicable statutes:

PURSUANT, to the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the above described property will be sold by the Sheriff of said county as follows:

DATE AND TIME OF SALE: June 21, 2018 at 10:00 AM.

PLACE OF SALE: Marshall County Sheriff's Office, Lobby, 208 E. Colvin Ave., Warren MN 56762.

to pay the debt then secured by said mortgage and taxes, if any actually paid by the mortgagee, on the premises and the costs and disbursements allowed by law. The time allowed by law for redemption by said mortgagor(s), their personal representatives or assigns is 12 months from the date of sale. If Mortgage is not reinstated under Minn. Stat. Section 580.30 or the property is not redeemed under Minn. Stat. Section 580.23, the Mortgagor must vacate the property on or before 11:59 p.m. on June 21, 2019 or the next business day if June 21, 2019 falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. "THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES, SECTION 582.032, DETERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF LESS THAN FIVE UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABANDONED."

Dated: April 12, 2018
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The Marshall County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for 1 FULL TIME Dispatcher / Jailer / 911 Operator Position. Must have a high school diploma or equivalent. Experience is preferred but not necessary. This position includes working rotating shifts, weekends & holidays. Must have good people skills, self motivated, computer skills, get along well with the public and co-workers and be able to handle high stress situations. Starting pay is \$19.24/HR plus a full-time benefit package. Application deadline is Monday May 7, 2018 Applications may be picked up at the Marshall County Sheriff's Office, 208 E. Colvin Ave. Ste #1, Warren, MN 56762 or print out an application off the Marshall County website at www.co.marshall.mn.us

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Class: Cuff Stamping
Where: Grygla School
When: Tuesday, May 8
Time: 7-9:30pm
Cost: \$20.00 (\$10 extra for cuff)
Ages: 12 and older
Registration: Call Shaunna Olson at 294-6155 by May 7.

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Rabies Clinic set

The Rabies Clinic has been set for May 17th at the City Garage in Grygla from 5:30-7:30pm. Cat and dog licenses can be renewed at that time, also.

Donations being accepted

Per an email from Cynthia Jensen at the Goodridge School: "We received a sad-denying phone call that the Murphy's house burned to the ground, leaving father Rick and son Johnny with nothing but the clothes on their backs. They currently have a place to stay temporarily, but were unable to get anything out of the house."

The Goodridge School has begun coordinating a drive to collect items they need.

Clothing
Johnny: Size 10-12 Shirts, 10-12 Slim Pants, size 4 shoes.
Rick: Size Large shirts, 32/33 Pants, and size 10 shoes.

Please help out in any way that you can. Both Grygla and Goodridge Schools will serve as drop off locations if you have anything you can donate. Monetary donations are also being accepted in the school offices.

Evening with the Arts

The annual Evening with the Arts will be happening on Thursday, May 10th. Art, Wood Shop, FACS and Science displays open at 6pm with the Grygla School Drama Department presenting the play titled "You're Driving me Crazy." The play will be at 7pm and is di-

rected by Jessica Nordby. It will also be performed that afternoon at 1pm for the student body with parents, head start children and daycares welcome to attend. Admission is \$1 for the afternoon showing and \$7 for the evening performance.



On Tuesday last week, the Grygla 3rd graders went to the Marshall County Courthouse for Law Day. The students go and get a taste of what goes on in the building. They toured the jail area, holding cells and booking room of the jail. They also got a taste of how the court system works by taking part in a mock trial. Pictured above is "Defense Attorney" Ryelin Stanley.

Help Wanted

The City of Grygla is looking for help with mowing this summer. Must be at least 18 to use the riding mower.

Contact Rocky Hagen at 218-689-3271 for application or go online www.grygla.govoffice2.com and return to the City office. G6C

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May WIC Schedule

The Women, Infants and Children's Supplemental Nutrition Education Program (WIC) is being held the month of May 2018.

Infants, children up to the age of 5, and women who are pregnant or breastfeeding may be eligible for the program. We are very interested in enrolling pregnant women in the program. We feel that the prenatal nutrition is a vital part of producing a healthy baby. Therefore, it is important to apply for WIC early in your pregnancy. We need no proof of pregnancy.

All potential clients must contact the WIC Program to schedule an appointment.

The following is the schedule of WIC Clinics for the month of May.

Monday, May 7: Newfolden, Evangelical Free Church

Tuesday, May 8: Hallock, Kittson County Courthouse

Wednesday, May 9: Warroad Community Center

Thursday, May 10: Red Lake Falls Community Center

Monday-Friday, May 14-18: Thief River Falls, Redeemer Lutheran Church

Monday, May 21: Warren, Evangelical Covenant Church

Tuesday, May 22: Karlstad, First Lutheran Church

Wednesday-Thursday, May 23-24: Roseau, LifeCare Medical Center Basement Auxiliary Room

Tuesday, May 29: Grygla, Grace Lutheran Church

For further information concerning the WIC program, call 874-7845 or 1-800-223-1591, or e-mail at quinceh@wiktel.com.

North Valley Home Health will offer immunizations, dental varnishing & blood lead testing at the Newfolden and Warren clinics from 9 to 11 am. Arrangements should be made prior to clinics by contacting North Valley Public Health. For more information contact North Valley Public Health at 218-745-5154 or 1-800-950-6986.

Wednesday, May 2, 2018

Grygla/Gatzke School Board March Minutes

Pledge of Allegiance.
Motion by Karina Tinnes, second by Jeremy Rychlock, to approve the agenda as amended. Passed 5-0.
Minutes of the 2/15/18 regular school board meeting were approved as printed.
Motion by Nicolette Leach, second by Charisa Limesand, to approve payment of the bills check #35777 through check #35850 and wire payments. Passed 5-0.
Finance Report: Given by Superintendent Clow. General Fund: \$157163.65 MSDLAF: \$1495055.47 Food Service: \$9713.68 Checking: \$36267.75 Comm. Service: \$2645.02 Trust: \$0 Scholarship: \$0 Total: \$169522.25 Total: \$1531323.97
Student Report: Given by Abby Kiesow and Cheyenne Irlbeck. The boys and girls basketball teams recently held their final/fun practices. Track will be starting on Monday, April 9th. The robotics team will be traveling to Council Bluffs, Iowa, leaving on April 4th, for the National robotics competition. They will come back on Sunday, April 8th, but 3 students will be traveling directly from robotics to the State Student Council Convention. Twelve students will be in attendance at the Student Council Convention, leaving on Friday, April 6th, and returning on Monday, April 9th. Six of these students will be Student Council and six will be Minnesota Honor Society members. The Prom theme this year is Grecian Gala, and will be held on April 28th. The meal will be Caesar salad, chicken and noodles with red or white sauce, or pork with mashed potatoes and corn. Post-prom Bingo will be on Monday, March 26th at 7:00 p.m. in the school commons. The senior high choir contest was held in Badger on February 26th, the choir received 2 superior ratings. The senior high band large group contest was March 14th in Karlstad, the band received 3 excellent ratings. The junior high music festival in Mahanomen will be on March 23rd. Spring Fling will be held the week of March 19-23. The theme is Monopoly and the dress up days are as follows: Monday is Millionaire Monday, Tuesday is Traffic Light, Wednesday is Jailbreak, Thursday is Team Day and Friday is Pajama Day. The students will also be doing door deco-

rating and trivia with games and coronation on Thursday afternoon. The NHS is also planning a spring fundraiser. The Spring Student Council Summit was February 28th, and Payton Grandstrand and Bailey Watne were elected to the NWD Board. The Peer Helpers, Student Council and MHS will be sponsoring Food for Kids on April 13th and 20th. Drama has started practicing for it's play "You're Driving Me Crazy", which they will perform at Evening with the Arts on May 10th. Details of the Senior class trip were given by Brooke Limesand and Carlye Kiesow.
Teacher Report: Given by Travis Smith, Renae Westbrook and Kerry Carlson. Mrs. Sundberg and the fourth graders are building Gallon Bots. The fifth grade class is completing their electrical circuits with Mrs. Westbrook. Intramurals are coming to a close, and elementary basketball night and ECFE fundraiser will be held the evening of April 5th. Third graders have been corresponding with their penpals and just finished their Flat Stanley projects. The fourth and fifth grade students will be participating in the River of Dreams, which is a canoe launch program. The fifth and sixth grade classes will be traveling to Lake Itasca this spring as a part of their Outdoor Education and Minnesota History classes. The eighth graders have been taking care of their babies as a part of their health class.
Principal Report: Principal Lunsetter discussed the OCHS plan which is geared toward opening up more opportunities for our high school students. Mr. Lunsetter also discussed the new students that have arrived at the Grygla School. The 2018-19 daily schedule was reviewed, with very few changes from the current year's schedule. A school safety discussion was held, with ways that might help improve the current policy in response to, and prevention of, school violence. Bus inspection will be happening on Wednesday, March 21st. Thank you to Wayne and Jake for getting everything ready for the bus inspection. The Grygla School is planning a Spring Open House, with a possible date of May 9th. The new schedule for the business manager is going very well, in large part to Shaunna

Olson's ability to take on new tasks in the office, and Amy Holte's efficient work ethic. The 2018-19 school calendar was briefly reviewed. The details for the sixth grade trip were discussed and approved. A summer project update was presented with potential construction projects(including new gym floor refinishing).
Superintendent Report: Superintendent Clow reported that there were a few minor bus issues, along with a brief update re: summer construction projects.
Motion by Charisa Limesand, second by Andrew Oslund, to approve the 2018-2019 school calendar as presented. Passed 6-0.
Motion by Jeremy Rychlock, second by James Verbout, to approve the 6th grade trip as presented. Passed 6-0.
Motion by Karina Tinnes, second by Charisa Limesand, to approve the Senior class trip as presented. Passed 6-0.
Motion by Andrew Oslund, second by Jeremy Rychlock, to accept the resignation of Isaac Kvasager, science instructor, at the end of the 2017-18 school year. Passed 6-0. The school board thanks Mr. Kvasager for his years of service and dedication to the Grygla students. Motion by James Verbout, second by Karina Tinnes, to approve the hire of Nick Mickelson as grades 7-12 science instructor. Passed 6-0.
Motion by Charisa Limesand, second by Andrew Oslund, to accept the following donations: \$200: United Lutheran Church-Gatzke, peer helpers \$485: Midway USA Foundation, trap shooting donation \$100: VFW Post 2773, K-3 coloring contest Passed 6-0.
Trustee Reports: The Elementary Basketball Night is the biggest fundraiser of the year for ECFE. Jeremy Rychlock asked if the dugouts on the second baseball field would be built this spring. Superintendent Clow replied that the concrete had been poured in the fall and construction would continue in the spring.
Classified Negotiations: The meeting was closed to discuss classified negotiations.
The meeting was adjourned at 8:55 p.m. Next Mtg. time/date: 4/19/18, 8:00 p.m.

A Note from Principal Lunsetter’s Desk

“To succeed in life, you need three things: a wishbone, a backbone and a funny bone.” ~Reba McEntire

Every time I see this quote, it reminds me of another famous quote by Jim Valvano: “To me, there are three things we all should do every day. We should do this every day of our lives. Number one is laugh. You should laugh every day. Number two is think. You should spend some time in thought. And number three is, you should have your emotions moved to tears, could be happiness or joy.”
There are people who simply have a knack for squeezing every second out of life, no matter how long they are with us. You know them, because you never see them have a bad day. They roll with the punches, and take the best out of everyone around them, and everything they're given to go through. In getting the best out of every situation and relationship they are in, they are also able to leave the best of them with us. The people that really have a love for life, are the ones that experience all the emotions...happiness, sadness joy and pain. They are able to create a positive environment to surround themselves in, and build genuine, positive relationships with those around them. Take some time today to find something that makes you laugh out loud, dig into something you've been pondering for a while, and try to empathize with someone who's going through some tough times. When you do that, you'll be living the exact way Reba McEntire and Jimmy Valvano believe life should be lived.

Word of the Week
...enhancing vocabularies
one Grygla Eagle at a time.

Treen

\tree-uhn\

adjective
Made entirely of wood.

SIMPLY DELICIOUS

Written and made by Kari Sundberg, Eagle Editor

Boston Cream Poke Cake

Without a doubt, this is one of my favorite desserts ever. I've made it a few times since first seeing it on Pinterest about a year ago. I'm not a big cake fan, just because I find cake to be really dry and boring. But THIS CAKE. Uff. This cake is not dry nor is it boring. Each layer - the cake, the pudding and the frosting - is just luscious together. You have to make it. You'll have no regrets, I promise. And if I could offer any advice to you, it would be this: don't be cheap and easy. What I mean more specifically, is don't take the simple route and buy a container of chocolate frosting to spread on the top. The ganache frosting is really the icing on the cake. (See what I did there?)

Ingredients:

Cake:

1 box of yellow cake mix (ingredients to mix cake as directed on box)

Pudding:

2 3.4 ounce boxes instant vanilla pudding

4 cups milk

Ganache:

¼ cup heavy cream plus 2 tbsps.

3 tbsps. butter

4 ounces semi-sweet chocolate (I used Baker's chocolate squares)

1 cup powdered sugar

1 tsp vanilla

Instructions:

Mix the cake according to the directions on the package. Bake according to the package in a 9x13 baking pan. When cake is done, remove from oven. Poke holes in it about an inch apart using the back of a wood spoon. Mix two boxes vanilla instant pudding with four cups milk until smooth. Pour over the cake. (I shouldn't even tell you this, but the first time I ever made this cake, I wasn't thinking clearly. I made the pudding while the cake was baking. Do you see where the problem lies with that? I was trying to save time and wasn't even thinking. Well, the pudding set up and wouldn't pour over the cake. DUH. Here's your sign!! Anyway, do NOT do what I did.) Right after the pudding is mixed, pour over the cake. Refrigerate 2-3 hours until pudding is set.

Once the cake has cooled in the fridge, mix your ganache. This is the best part. I could eat it by the spoonful. Heat the butter and heavy cream in the microwave for 1-2 minutes. Do not let it boil. Remove and add chocolate. Let stand for a couple of minutes and then whisk it until smooth. Next, whisk in the powdered sugar and vanilla until smooth. Pour over the cake and refrigerate another couple of hours until ganache is set.



The Goodridge 6th graders graduated from the DARE program April 24th. 2018 DARE graduates, L-R: Tiana Banasau, Lily Beavis, Spencer Coan, Nicholas Hagen, Emilea Johnson, Carter Lee Johnsrud, Donny Johnsrud. Back row, L-R: Pennington County Sheriff's Deputy Kyle Miller, Dominic Wilson, Carson Rubischko, Kennedy Panek, Mrs. Lindsay Vettleson, Kehan Nelson, Caden Marquis, Chase Manderud, Hannah Lovly, Hunter Kiesow. Not pictured: Sophia Brown



This group of Grygla Kindergarten and 5th graders headed to the Shrine Circus in Grand Forks last Friday! All students and staff were able to enjoy the circus for free because of kind donations from: Grygla Seed and Services, LLC, Yo-Hawn's, American State Bank, Stanley Farms, Satre Farm Seeds, Grain Bin Café, Machinewell, Inc., Sue's Beauty Shop, Grygla Elevator, Farmers Union Oil Co. and KEM Shrine, Grand Forks, ND.



Elise Monson, Grygla Sophomore, had a print on display at the Northwest Minnesota Arts Exhibit that ran in April at the Ralph Engelstad Arena in Thief River Falls. Her "String of Planets" print was selected to be displayed in State Senator Mark Johnson's office.



Above: Betsy Saurdiff is pictured accepting her Art Advocate of the Year award last Saturday at the Ralph Engelstad Arena in TRF.

Left: Trystan Jelle's "Mosquito" sculpture won 1st place in the student division. Jelle is a Grygla Senior who was one of nearly 100 artists who had artwork displayed at the exhibit.

Saurdiff receives award last Saturday in TRF

As printed in last week's Grygla Eagle, Betsy Saurdiff is this year's recipient for the Northwest Minnesota Arts Council Advocate of the Year award! The ceremony was held last Saturday, April 28th, in Thief River Falls. Saurdiff is a visual arts instructor in the Grygla and Goodridge School districts. She encourages art exploration in her community by teaching community art classes and other arts-related activities. Recently, she played a central role in planning Grygla's Centennial celebration. She worked to entice other artists to participate in the event. She also created the centennial mugs and one of her students designed the centennial logo. Saurdiff is an accomplished artist, working primarily in ceramics. She also enjoys printmaking and sewing.

Artist Janet Johnson praised Saurdiff's abilities and efforts as an art teacher. "Betsy has built a very successful program at the Grygla School, providing quality instruction and supporting students in arts opportunities outside of class time. Her students submit work annually to the Region 1 Spring Arts Exhibition and the Section 8 Arts Festival. She also searches out artist/mentors for her students who want more and varied instruction from artists in the field."

Superintendent Galen Clow explained that "Betsy has the personality and unique ability to use her artistic talent to connect with her art students and draw out the artistic talent of each student. She believes in each student's artistic ability and continually challenges each student to bring out that ability. Betsy is an outstanding educator and lifelong learner who serves as a role model to staff, students and community through her positive attitude, passion for the visual arts and compassion for those she works with."

"I've always been happiest making things," Saurdiff admitted. Being a teacher has allowed her to continue learning. It's also a way to use her creativity and work with kids. She enjoys the light bulb moment the most when working with students. "The time you can tell it clicked for them. And, watching them blossom and grow."

The Arts Advocate of the Year award is given each year to recognize arts advocates within our seven-county region who stand out in terms of volunteerism in the arts. "Of the Year" award winners were nominated by area residents. This award comes with a cash award of \$500.00. Funding for the Northwest Arts Advocate of the Year comes from the Minnesota State Legislature.

A HIPPIE’S HEALTH

Written by Tara Waltman

Well, I had to go back to work sometime...and that sometime was yesterday (4/26). It felt pretty good to be back. It was good to see people. I had some time to get caught up on things before I saw clients all day again. Of course I got home, was busy, talked to my mom twice, was in bed and realized I forgot to say happy birthday to my dad, Yohawn!! Worst daughter in the world award goes to me. I did try calling but didn't get him. Now you all get to wish my dad a happy belated birthday if you didn't know at least.

So yesterday was good at work and now today I feel like I have been hit by a truck. I'm sleepy today. So time to pull out peppermint and orange essential oil (literally just got those out of my bag). I didn't think about that until I was writing this. Glad I am writ-

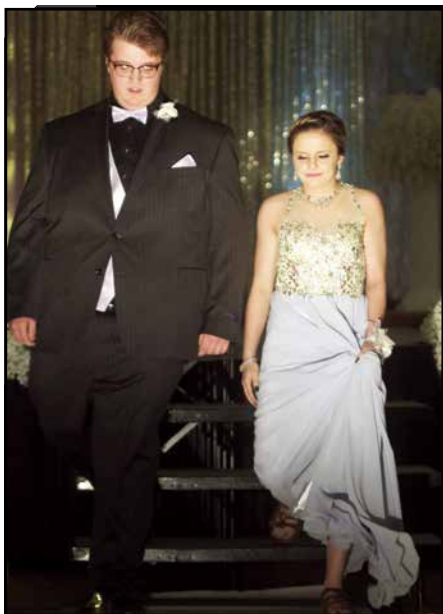
ing this, so I thought to use my oils. That's the thing, when you have a baby you forget things you did daily prior to this happening. Anyone else have that experience? So word of the wise for this week... cut yourself a break. For me, I have to realize that my body and brain are different now and it is even more important to take care of myself. So that's what I will do. Okay, I have to get back to work. Do something kind for yourself today.

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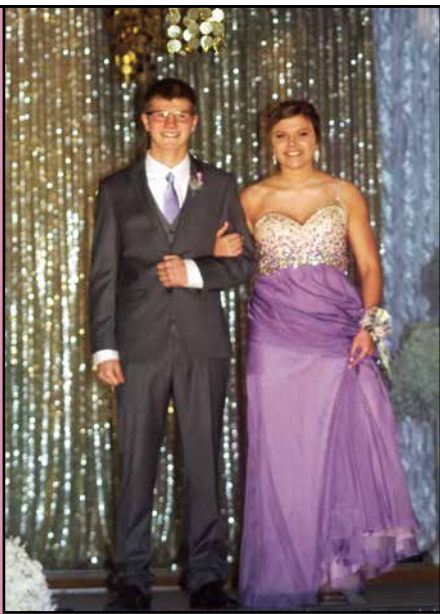
DO IT YOURSELF

A simple spring cleaning hack for you this week: Use old pillowcases to easily wipe and trap dust from ceiling fans.





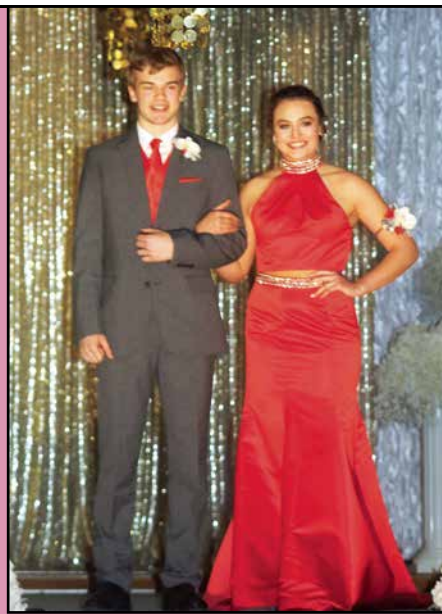
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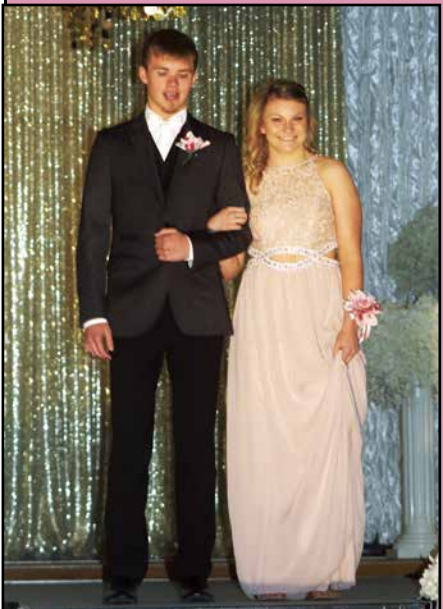
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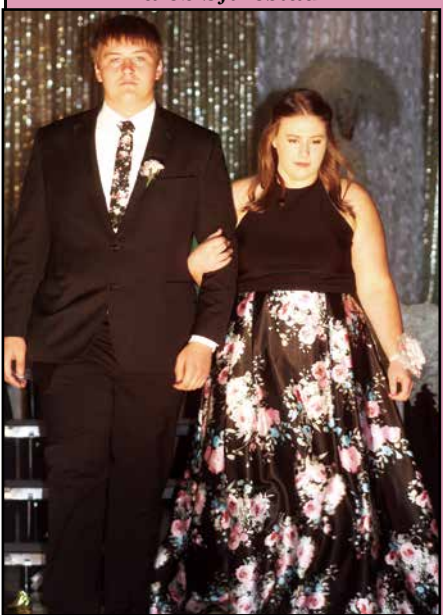
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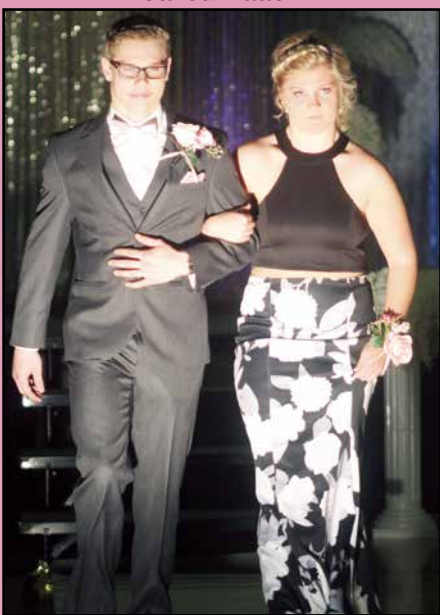
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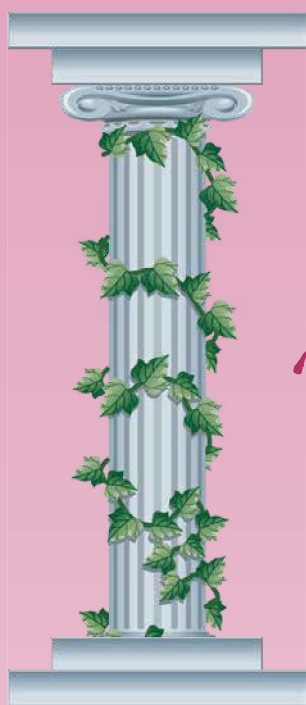
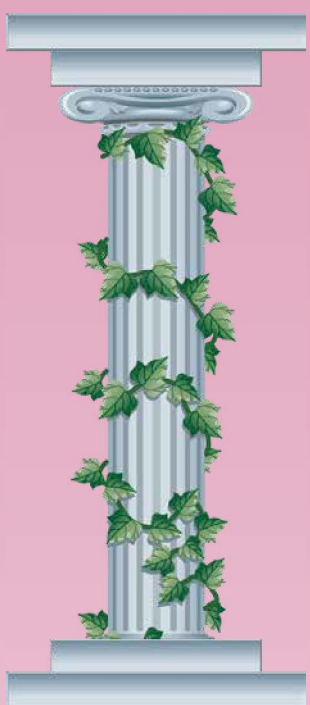
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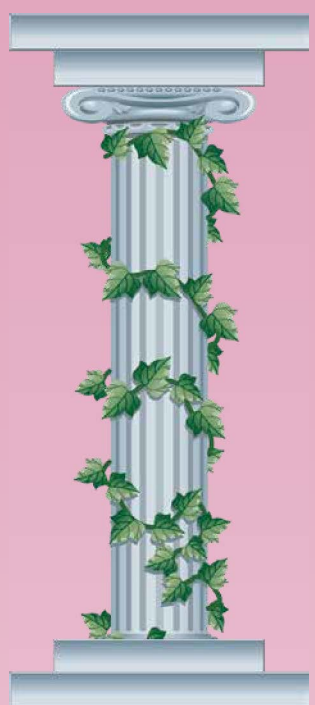
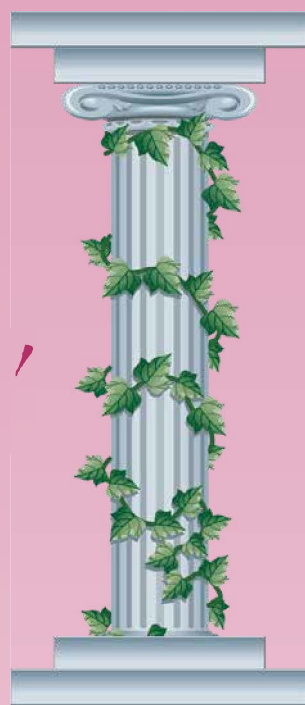


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Grygla's 2018 'Grecian Gala' Prom

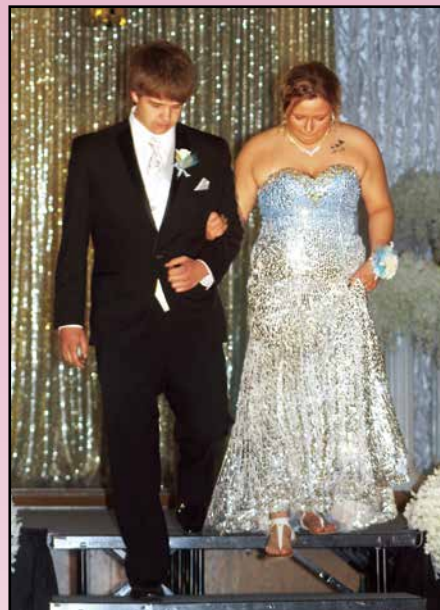
Grygla High School held their prom last Saturday, April 28th,
with 25 couples walking through the Grand March!



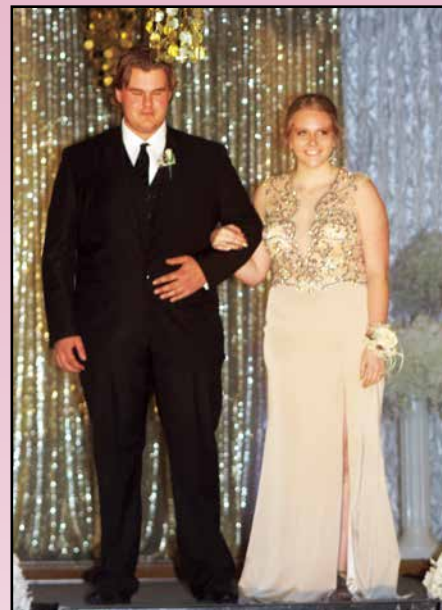
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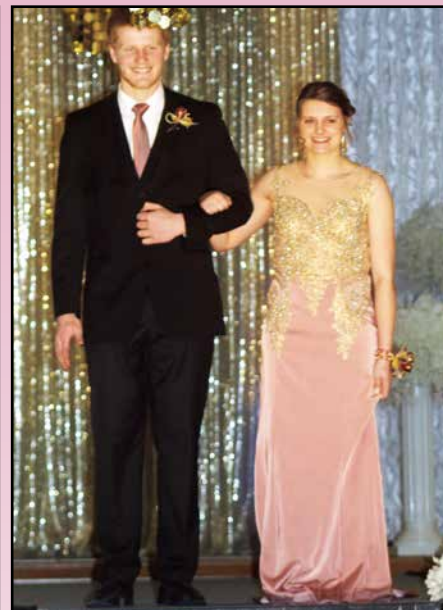
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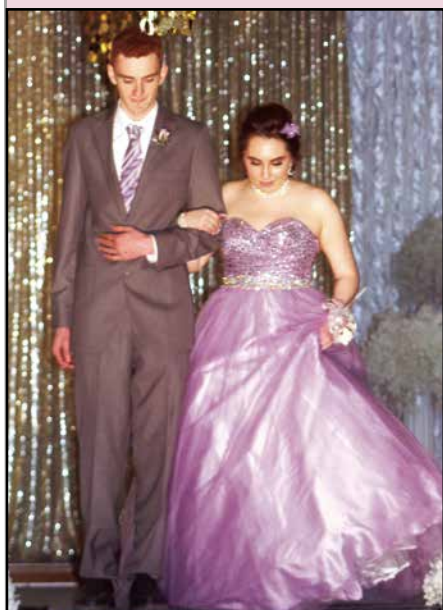
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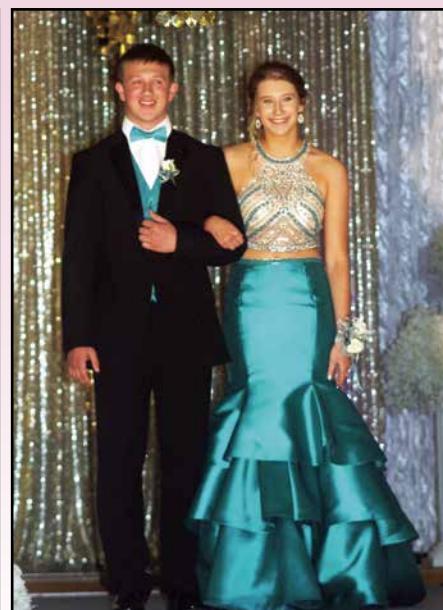
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