



Today
Snow
H 6 L -8

Thurs
Cloudy
H -2 L -23

Fri
Partly Cloudy
H -4 L -19

Sat
Cloudy
H 4 L -7

Sun
Partly Cloudy
H 7 L -11



A look at next week ... Goodridge/Grygla 500 USXC Snowmobile racers fly on by!



Fourteen consecutive wins for the Grygla Flames

The Grygla Flames have done it yet again! For the 14th consecutive year, the hockey team has taken first place in the 26th Annual Grygla Cup, which was held last Saturday in town. The arena was full as the Flames played the Schooners in the Championship game and came out on top once again!
Third place went to the RLF Ice Holes; Fourth place to the William Wolves; Fifth place to the Ross Rangers; Grygla Ice Devils placed 6th. For the other team photos and a few action shots, see the back page of this issue. *Photo courtesy of Brooke Olson*



Goodridge Seniors Aaron Jones and Kaylee Amundson were crowned the 2019 Snofest King and Queen last Friday, February 1st, during the Goodridge High School Snofest Coronation.
Snofest Court, L-R: Jordynn Johnsrud and Felix Jensen (singers), Hannah Wilebski and Isaac Johnson (9th grade ushers), Shantel Horacheck and Riley Manderud (10th grade attendants), Maloni Henrickson and Preston Panek (11th grade attendants), 2019 Queen and King Kaylee Amundson and Aaron Jones (12th grade attendants, front), 2018 Queen and King Madilyn Race and Andrew Jones (12th grade, behind), Katelyn Colden and Jordan Coan (9th grade attendants), Kylie Delage and Elliot Philipp (8th grade attendants), Emilea Johnson and Carson Rubischko (7th grade attendants).
Photos courtesy of Deanna Coan

LYO Valentine's Supper

A reminder for those that bought one of the 100 tickets to the Grace/Our Savior's Lutheran Church LYO Valentine's Supper this Sunday evening! The supper will be at 6pm at Grace. 6-12 grade LYO kids will be serving a menu of: Stuffed Pork Loin Chops, Garlic Buttered Parsley Potatoes, Seasoned Petite Green Beans, Fresh Garden Salad, Dinner Rolls, Assorted Desserts, Coffee & Milk.



Gone fishing!
Luke Stanley, pictured left with his grandpa, Todd Stanley, caught this 21-inch walleye while ice fishing last Sunday out of Zippie Bay Resort on Lake of the Woods. *Photo courtesy of Deb Stanley*
Sierra Sundberg, above, also had good luck fishing last weekend! She caught her 24-inch walleye out of Long Point Resort up on LOW. *Photo courtesy of Sierra Sundberg*

Goodridge-Grygla 500 USXC Snowmobile Race comes to town this weekend

This weekend will be a busy and action-packed weekend that many have been busy planning and gearing up for and YOU can be a part of it all! The United States X-Country (USXC) Snowmobile Racing presents the Goodridge-Grygla 500 taking place February 9-10, 2019. With 500 miles of ditch, river, woods and cross-country, the winner will be named the best cross-country racer in the world, and it's all happening right here!
With 17 specific classes, multiple age groups and all skill levels, all USXC classes will run plus new additional classes for the first time racer.
The Saturday (Day 1) loop is a 125 miles that the racers will do twice; a fuel stop will be east of the Smiley Bridge this day. The Sunday (Day 2) loop is also 125 miles that will be completed twice and runs north to Grygla with a fuel stop at Grande Corner; this stop also provides a lot of space for spectators!
There are lots of activities that have been planned by local sportsman's clubs, including an autograph session with the racers on Friday, February 8th, at the Goodridge Municipal Liquor Store from 6-7pm.
Nicole Kiesow, coordinator of the big event, said there will be open pits so folks can see the racers work and check out their impressive trailers. The pits are located south of the old DW's in the field, which is also where the start and finish line will be.
Race Check-in will be at the Goodridge Liquor Store (218-378-4113) on Friday, February 8th, from 3-7pm with the autograph session being held from 6-7pm. Racers on site will include local Junior Class racers: Cooper Kangas, Hunter Kiesow, Taylor Netland, Derek Kloety and Abe Olson. Pro racers will include Chad Lian, Wes Selby and Dalton Fredrickson.
Saturday's race begins at 9am in Goodridge. The GHS Close-Up students will be serving breakfast and lunch at the Goodridge Lion's Hall all day. (This is a fundraiser for their trip to Washington, D.C., in April.) After the race is completed, Eagle Creek will be playing Saturday night at the Goodridge Municipal Liquor Store beginning at 9pm.
Sunday's race also begins at 9am in Goodridge. GHS Close-Up will be serving food again this day and there will be an awards ceremony at the end of the day at the Goodridge Lion's Hall. All are welcome to attend; the Goodridge Municipal Liquor Store will be open this day, as well.
Many volunteers are lined up for the big event this weekend. There will be a volunteer trailer at the start/finish line for anyone who has questions during the race. Volunteer duties include, but are not limited to, spotting on the track, monitoring fuel stops, helping at the starting/finish line, and marking/sweeping the trails for the safety of the riders. The Goodridge and Grygla Fire Departments will also be assisting at the fuel stops for the safety of the racers, along with local EMT's and First Responders there for any medical emergencies should one arise.
The Goodridge-Grygla 500 USXC Snowmobile Race will be broadcast live each day on KTRF for those who'd like to tune in! Clothing and hats will also be for sale this weekend.
Whether you are a racer, a volunteer or a spectator, ENJOY THE WEEKEND!



Fourtown/Grygla Sportsman's Club volunteers signed over 100 miles between last Friday and Saturday in preparation for the Goodridge/Grygla 500 USXC Snowmobile Race this coming weekend. Volunteers signing the Grygla loop were Danny Haack, Tony Moe, Doug Schulz, Kyle Haack, Merlin Klamar (pictured above), Donnie Wikert, Robert Sundberg, Donald Haack and Brian Haack. *Photos courtesy of Robert Sundberg*



CHURCH CALENDARS

GRYGLA LUTHERAN PARISH
Grace and Our Savior's, Grygla
Pastor Vicki Saude-Worthington
Wednesday, Feb. 6:
6pm Grace Choir, 6:30pm Confirmation, 8pm Interfaith Bible Study
Thursday, Feb. 7:
9am Quilting
Sunday:
Grace: 9am Worship, 6pm LYO Vday Supper
OS: 9:30am SS, 10:30am Worship

GATZKE-THIEF LAKE LUTHERAN PARISH
United - Gatzke; Our Savior's - Thief Lake
Wednesday, Feb. 6:
9am Quilting, First Council OS Ladies Aid 2:30pm
Sunday:
OS: 9am Worship, 10am SS
UL: 11am Worship
Monday, Feb. 11:
UL 9am Quilting

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Bethany, Ekelund, Faith
Pastor Kristin Dahlen
Ostercamp
Sunday:
Calendar N/A

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Fr. Adam Hammess
Sunday:
St. Clement's: 11:45am
St. Ann's: 10am

BETHESDA LUTHERAN CHURCH
Skime
Pastor Steve Bliss
Sunday:
9:30am 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 Merseth
Wednesday, Feb. 6:
Wed School/Conf. 5-7pm, LYS mtg 7pm
Saturday:
Mt. Olive Worship at 9am
Sunday:
St. Petri: 8am Worship, 9:15am SS
Oak Park: 8:30am SS, 9:45am Worship
Nazareth: 10am SS, 11am Worship

LIBERTY CHAPEL
Grygla
Sunday:
9:30am Worship

Community Calendar

Wed | Feb 6
Regional Spelling Bee at NCTC 9:30am; Grygla Eagle office open 10-6pm; Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla Library open 2-6pm; GG 6th grade girls basketball practice in Goodridge 6-8:30pm; Grygla School Trap meeting 7pm

Thurs | Feb 7
BBB at Plummer (No JH games); GG 6th grade girls basketball practice in Goodridge 6:30-8:30pm

Fri | Feb 8
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla Elementary Intramurals 1:30-3:30pm; BBB at Erskine; GBB at Warroad; Goodridge/ Grygla 500 Autograph Session at Goodridge Liquor Store 6-7pm

Sat | Feb 9
Goodridge/Grygla 500 Snowmobile Race - Goodridge Loop 9am; GG 7/8 grade BBB tourney in Fertile 9am; GG 6th grade GBB tourney in Coleraine; Candlelight Snowshoe/Ski event at Hayes Lake State Park 5:30pm; GG BBB vs. WAO at NCTC's Super Saturday tournament 8pm; Eagle Creek at Goodridge Municipal Liquor Store 9pm-1am

Sun | Feb 10
Goodridge/Grygla 500 Snowmobile Race - Grygla Loop 9am; Grace/OS LYO Valentine's Supper 6pm

Mon | Feb 11
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla City Council meeting 7pm; GBB/ BBB Double Header at Stephen/Argyle

Tues | Feb 12
GBB in Grygla vs. LOW

School Lunch Menus

Grygla Lunch Menu
Wednesday, February 6:
Chicken Fajita on a Tortilla Shell, Broccoli, Carrots, Fresh Fruit, Bread
Thursday, February 7:
Tacos, Corn, Peaches, Mandarin Oranges, Bread
Friday, February 8:
Pizza, Vegetable, Fruit, Bread
Monday, February 11:
Pulled Pork on a Bun, Fries, Fruit, Vegetable
Tuesday, February 12:
Chicken Fingers, Vegetable, Fruit

Goodridge Lunch Menu
Wednesday, February 6:
Pork Chop Patty, Seasoned Rice, Green Beans, Peaches, Pears
Thursday, February 7:
Chicken Alfredo, Peas, Breadstick, Apples
Friday, February 8:
Pulled Pork on a Bun, Smile Fries, Corn, Mixed Fruit
Monday, February 11:
Chicken Nuggets, Assorted Sauces, French Fries, Apples, Oranges
Tuesday, February 12:
Tater Tot Casserole, Tossed Salad, Peaches

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Monday Feb 11th
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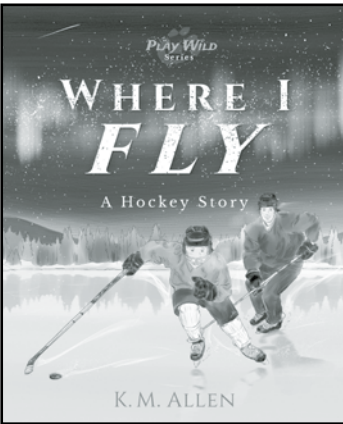
Written by Kari Sundberg, Grygla Librarian
A couple of books to talk about this week...

Have you heard about the book/movie called The Hate U Give? It's a Young Adult book by Angie Thomas that follows events in the life of a 16-year-old black girl, Starr Carter, who is drawn to activism after she witnesses the police shooting of a childhood friend. This book was on The New York Times best-seller list for 50 weeks. It has received so many positive reviews, has been a #1 choice with book clubs around the world, and has already won several awards - it's obvious why it's been made into a hit movie, as well. I'll share the plot with you below. If anyone's interested in checking out the book, swing by the library this week and we'll get it on order for you. The movie is now out on PPV and DVD, too. My kids and I watched it last week and it was just fantastic. We were silent the entire movie - I cried on parts - my kids never took their eyes off the TV - great conversation between the three of us followed at the end of the movie and it's just a really important story being told. I can't recommend it enough.

Plot: Sixteen-year-old Starr Carter moves between two worlds: the poor neighborhood where she lives and the fancy suburban prep school she attends. The uneasy balance between these worlds is shattered when Starr witnesses the fatal shooting of her childhood best friend Khalil at the hands of a police officer. Khalil was unarmed.

Soon afterward, his death is a national headline. Some are calling him a thug, maybe even a drug dealer and a gang-banger. Protesters are taking to the streets in Khalil's name. Some cops and the local drug lord try to intimidate Starr and her family. What everyone wants to know is: what really went down that night? And the only person alive who can answer that is Starr. But what Starr does—or does not—say could upend her community. It

could also endanger her life.



The second book I want to share with you this week is a new one we've ordered for our NWRL shelves. It's called Where I Fly: A Hockey Story. What's interesting about this children's book is the author is from Stephen, Minnesota! K.M. (Kat) Allens grew up with a love for art, writing and the outdoors in Stephen, MN. She currently lives with her family near Grafton, ND.

Summary sent by the publishers: Where I Fly: A Hockey Story cheers for hockey played on the lake surrounded by forest and lit by northern lights. A child imagines a future of cheering crowds and successful trick shots as animals peer from the edges. Appealing to hockey players of all ages, this book is likely to start conversations about young dreams and promote a family bond that is formed around the love of hockey. A non-fiction section provides information about the night sky and teaches hockey terms. Where I Fly: A Hockey Story is the first book in the Play Wild! Series that is designed to create excitement for outdoor activities and emphasize building family connections that don't involve screen time. The next book in the series is Where We Run: A Dog Sledding Story and is currently taking pre-orders.

K.M. (Kat) Allen received a B.F.A. from Savannah College of Art & Design and studied fine art in Florence, Italy. A career in marketing and design led Kat to Chicago, and later Milwaukee, before moving to a rural area to raise her family and continue working as an artist, author, and illustrator. Kat also enjoys rock collecting, photography, and visiting northeastern Minnesota with all of the outdoor activities it has to offer. Kat currently lives with her husband and their three children near Grafton, North Dakota.

As mentioned, we've ordered a copy of this book and it's available for anyone interested in checking it out! It's always a bonus to feature someone local (or local-ish)!

Grygla Fire & Rescue holds Blood Drive

Grygla residents, start gearing up for another blood drive that will help prevent possible blood shortages throughout the winter. To make sure there's a dependable blood supply locally, the Grygla Fire & Rescue Department has teamed up with United Blood Services in scheduling a community blood drive. The life-saving event is set for Wednesday, February 13th, from 12:15-6pm at the Grygla Community Center. For an appointment contact Paul

Nordby at 294-6547. Those who are out and about, and are feeling well, are invited to stop by the blood drive and donate blood. United Blood Services provides a free cholesterol screening with each donation. Volunteer blood donors must be at least 16, weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and be in good health. Donors who are 16 and 17 must have signed permission from a parent or guardian.

Grygla Elementary Intramurals

Grygla Elementary 4-6 grade Intramurals are held every Friday from 1:30-3:30pm. The games are open to all parents, grandparents, family and friends and will continue until mid-March. The February schedule is below.
February 8
1:30-Heat vs. Retro Air Ballers; 2:00-Golden Gophers vs. Ballerz; 2:30-Golden Gophers vs. Heat; 3:00-Ballerz vs.

Retro Air Ballers
February 15
1:30-Golden Gophers vs. Heat; 2:00-Ballerz vs. Retro Air Ballers; 2:30-Ballerz vs. Golden Gophers; 3:00-Heat vs. Retro Air Ballers
February 22
1:30-Golden Gophers vs. Retro Air Ballers; 2:00-Heat vs. Ballerz; 2:30-Heat vs. Golden Gophers; 3:00-Ballerz vs. Retro Air Ballers

Lion's Potato Klub night

The Grygla Lion's will be holding their February meeting on Wednesday the 20th at 6pm at the Grygla Community Center. This is the annual Po-

tato Klub night where Wannaska, Warroad, Roseau and Goodridge Lion's Clubs will be attending, as well.



Hometown Banking With Your Neighbors & Friends

American State Bank is a proud sponsor of the Goodridge/Grygla 500 USXC Snowmobile Race on February 9-10, 2019! We wish you enjoyment and safety during the weekend events as a contestant, volunteer or fan!

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GERMAN: Essen

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Find the hidden words in the puzzle.
ALUMINUM CAN DENTS FRESH
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Get Scrambled
Unscramble the words to determine the phrase.
NCA PEORNE
Answer: Can opener

THIS DAY IN...
FEB 9
HISTORY
• 1861: JEFFERSON DAVIS IS ELECTED THE PROVISIONAL PRESIDENT OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA.
• 1964: THE BEATLES APPEAR ON "THE ED SULLIVAN SHOW" FOR THE FIRST TIME.
• 1991: LITHUANIANS VOTE IN FAVOR OF INDEPENDENCE FROM THE SOVIET UNION.

New word
PRESERVE
maintain existing state

Did you know?
ACCORDING TO THE USDA, MOST LOW-ACID CANNED FOODS CAN LAST AND BE SAFE TO EAT FOR UP TO 5 YEARS.
CAT food

GET THE PICTURE?
Can you guess what the bigger picture is?
ANSWER: TOP OF CAN



The Grygla Elementary Staff dressed up as their favorite book characters to kick off February's "I Love to Read" month. Do you see any of your favorite characters in the picture? From L-R: Andrew Sundberg as "The Man in the Yellow Hat" from Curious George, Abby Sundberg as Laura Ingalls Wilder, Jean Schulz as Pippy Longstockings, Tausha Severts as Waldo, Travis Smith as Lord Voldemort from Harry Potter, Courtney Alderete as Little Red Riding Hood, Kerry Carlson as The Grouchy Ladybug, Renae Westbrook as Rainbow Fish, Brooke Olson as Ms. Frizzle from The Magic School Bus and Greg Monson as Harry Potter. Photo courtesy of Grygla School



The Goodridge Area Development recently gave a donation of \$1,000 to the local D.A.R.E. program. The Pennington County Law Enforcement provides this instruction for 6th graders at the Goodridge School. Pictured, L-R: Jim Johnson (Vice President), Gordy Henrickson (Board Member), John Lovly (President), Deputy Kyle Miller and Roxann Coan (Secretary/Treasurer). Photo courtesy of Roxann Coan

Iron Chargers attend state competition in St. Cloud



Iron Chargers are pictured in St. Cloud last weekend. They are wearing their new team shirts that were custom-made and donated to each team member by the Grygla Lion's Club. L-R: Evan Fish, Jake Ahlbeck, Olivia Tykward, Layla Jelle, Bailey Watne, Abby Kiewow, Clayton Suchoski. Photos courtesy of Grygla School

The Grygla Robotics Team 4149C competed at the state robotics competition last weekend, February 1-2, at River's Edge Convention Center in St. Cloud, MN. Both teams, along with Advisor Nick Mickelson, attended the event. Only 4149C competed, winning 5/losing 3, ending in place 42 out of 60.

Day 1 of the VEX MN State Tournament went as follows:

- 3:00 p.m. - Pits open and inspections
- 5:30 p.m. Opening Ceremony
- 6:00 p.m. - Qualification Rounds
- 8:00 p.m. - End Qualifications

8:30 p.m. - Venue closes

The Day 2 schedule included:

- 8:30 a.m. - Opening Ceremony - Parade of Teams
- 9:30 a.m. - Qualifications Rounds
- 1:00 p.m. - Speaker
- 1:25 p.m. - Qualifications Rounds
- 3:45 p.m. - Alliance Selection Begins
- 4:00 p.m. - Speaker
- 4:15 p.m. - Elimination Brackets Begin
- 5:30 p.m. - Awards and Closing

Day 2 of the VEX MN State Tournament also included all seniors being honored in the

opening ceremony for their dedication to the program. There was a live webcast of the state tournament action that could be viewed over the duration of the event.

Iron Chargers Advisor Nick Mickelson commented on the weekend, saying, "The Iron Chargers C Team competed through some technological challenges and strong competition. They were unable to secure a spot for the elimination round. Team 4149C is looking to finish the season strong at the CREATE U.S. Open in Council Bluffs, Iowa from April 4th-6th!"



Word of the Week

...enhancing vocabularies one Grygla Eagle at a time.

Bootstrap

\boot-strap\

verb

1. To help (oneself) without the aid of others. Example: She spent years bootstrapping herself through college.

A HIPPIE'S HEALTH

Written by Tara Waltman

Poor little Waverly was sick a few days ago. So we got her adjusted and used oils and she was doing pretty well in a couple of days. She was still a little irritable the other day, though. I put peace and calming II essential oil blend on her feet for the first time. You guys! I'm telling you within a minute she was then playing on her own and smiling. I wasn't expecting that myself; it was awesome! She went from whining and just kind of unhappy to acting calm and happy. It was the

cutest thing! That my friend is while we use oils. Who couldn't use a little peace and calm in their lives?

Tara Waltman is a licensed clinical social worker doing outpatient therapy working on health and wellness for people. She is also a Young Living Essential Oils consultant. She is the daughter of Darell and Karen Severts, of Grygla, and resides in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, with her family. She will be contributing a health and wellness column weekly.

SIMPLY DELICIOUS



were amazing.

One of the things I picked was a Jalapeno Popper Spread hot dip with tortilla chips. This recipe is one of my favorites, however, I substitute the jalapenos with an extra can of green chilis for the following reasons: sometimes the jalapenos get too hot for me, sometimes the texture grosses me out, sometimes my kids won't eat it with jalapenos. Who knows. It could go either way.

Anyway, you're going to want to save this recipe for your next "I'm soooo in the mood for a hot dip" night and you'll be so glad you did. It's a hit and I honestly could make a meal out of this stuff.

Jalapeno Popper Spread

- 2 pkgs cream cheese, softened
 - 1 cup mayo
 - 1 cup shredded pepper jack cheese
 - 1 (4 oz.) can diced green chilis
 - 1 (4 oz) can diced jalapenos
- Mix that all together and spread in a 2-qt. baking dish (or pie plate). Top with a mixture of 1 cup shredded parmesan cheese and ½ to ¾ cup bread crumbs.
- Bake at 400 degrees for about 25-30 minutes. If you use a pie plate, you might want to place it on a cookie sheet with sides for the baking part in case it bubbles over. What a mess that would be!
- This dip is great with tortilla chips or wheat thins.

Snowmobile Safety



Fourtown/Grygla Sportsman's Club volunteers conducted a Snowmobile Safety Training for local youth last Sunday at the bus garage in Grygla. Conservation Officer Tony Elwell spoke to the group about safety and guidelines before they did their written test and driving portion of the course. Club members helping included, below, L-R: Jake Sundberg, Donald Haack and Danny Carlson. Photos by Grygla Eagle Newspaper



26th Annual Grygla Cup



Second place went to the Schooner team, who lost in the Championship to the Grygla Flames, pictured on front page of this issue. Team photos courtesy of Brooke Olson



Pictured above are the RLF Ice Holes, who placed 3rd in the Grygla Cup, along with the Williams Wolves, pictured behind, who placed 4th.



The Ross Rangers are regulars at the Grygla Cup; they placed 5th last Saturday.



The Ice Devils came in last at the 26th Annual Grygla Cup, but they're still all smiles at the arena last Saturday. Goalie in front: Matt Stein. Front row, L-R: Brandon Loken, Dillon Olson, Nick Olson, Kyle Kubes, Charlie Wells. Back row, L-R: Brock Olson, Ryan Nelson, Cole Kubes, Robbie Anderson and Brady Olson.



Grygla Cup action shots courtesy of Brooke Olson. The annual event is held every year at the Brian W. Olson Memorial Arena in Grygla.



Ian Haugen is at the free throw line during the Charger's JV game against KCC last Friday in Goodridge. Photo by Grygla Eagle Newspaper



Grygla Senior Peyton Verbout had 7 points and 5 rebounds in the home game against the KCC Bearcats last Friday night. Photo by Grygla Eagle Newspaper



Left: Elliot Philipp in the 8th grade game against KCC last week. Right: Jaden Kiesow in the Varsity game. Photos by Grygla Eagle Newspaper

Last week's Chargers varsity basketball stats

Monday, January 28th
Girls Basketball vs. BGMR in Greenbush
BGMR 58, GG35
Point: Daria Waletzki 3, Amy Wiskow 2, Chloe Kuznia 13, Maloni Henrickson 4, Caitlyn Jacobson 4, Vivian Coan 4, Mercedes Coan 5, Libby Johnson 2
Coach's Comments: We came out well against BGMR. It was a close game for a while, but then their pressure forced us to turn the ball over, and we couldn't make layups. We had a couple girls out due to injury, but then we lost a couple more during the game due to injury and illness. Other girls came off the bench and did a good job.

Thursday, January 31st
Girls Basketball vs. Sacred Heart in Goodridge
SH 43, GG 38
Points: Daria Waletzki 2, Amy Wiskow 6, Chloe Kuznia 11, Maloni Henrickson 3, Morgan Burns 4, Vivian Coan 8, Libby Johnson 4
Coach's Comments: We played well on defense tonight, holding a good shooting team to 22% shooting. Offensive rebounds is what hurt us. We gave up too many. The girls have gotten better throughout the season. We played them early in the season and lost by

23. We have been closing the gap on teams, and I believe the wins will come.

Friday, February 1st
Boys Basketball vs. KCC in Goodridge
KCC 51, GG 43
Stats: Hudson McMillin (18 pts, 5 reb), Peyton Verbout (7 pts, 5 reb), Jake Tharaldson (6 pts, 9 reb), Jaden Kiesow (4 pts, 4 reb, 3 asst), Kaleb Sjulestad (4 pts, 4 reb, 4 asst), Riley Manderud (4 pts, 2 reb), Dylan Wold (3 asst, 2 steals)
Coach's Comments: The Chargers and Bearcats played a very competitive, entertaining game in Goodridge. The home crowd for us was tremendous, and really pushed the boys. In the beginning of the game, the Bearcats matchup zone gave us problems and we played too passively against it. Once we started playing more aggressively, I thought we attacked it much better. Hudson McMillin played his best game of the season. He shot the ball well, rebounded, and guarded the Bearcats best post player and slowed him down. We had a couple of chances to take the lead with about 2 minutes left, but our shots wouldn't fall. We gave ourselves an opportunity to beat a good opponent, but we fell just short.



Above: Ryelin Stanley gets the rebound last Friday afternoon during Grygla Elementary Intramurals. Below: Coaches Peyton Verbout and Hudson McMillin set up a plan with their team, the Retro Air Ballers. Intramurals are held every Friday afternoon from 1:30-3:30pm and are open to the public. See page 2 of this issue for the February schedule. Photos by Grygla Eagle Newspaper

