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A look at next week... A youth deer hunt is taking place this weekend, October 15-18. Watch for photos in next week's Eagle!



The Grygla ECFE program held a Fire Prevention night last Wednesday, October 7th, at the Grygla School. Local firemen were on hand to visit with the youngsters and their families in recognition of Fire Prevention Week. Volunteers included Mark Severts, Geoff Satre, Richard Davenport and Travis Dougherty.

Youth Deer Hunt to be held this weekend

This coming weekend, October 15th-18th, a youth deer hunt is taking place for kids ages 10-15. Our area youth feel pretty proud and excited about this event so let's give them some recognition – even if it's NOT the 30 pointer! Snap some fun photos over the weekend and send to grygla.eagle@gmail.com! Have a fun AND SAFE time in the woods this weekend, kids!



Evergreen Implement welcomes Adam Sparby

Evergreen Implement is pleased to announce Adam Sparby has joined the company's Warren location as an integrated solutions consultant. Adam brings with him agricultural industry experience including Field Marketer at Titan Machinery in Thief River Falls and Business Manager at Titan Machinery in Lisbon, ND.

Adam grew up in rural Grygla and attended high school in Grygla. He holds a BS in Agricultural Business from the University of Minnesota Crookston. He currently resides in Warren, MN with his wife, Ashley. Evergreen Implement Company has 4 locations: Warren, Thief River Falls, Mahanomen and Baudette.

The view from here...



No 'View From Here' was featured in last week's paper. The photo from the previous week's issue was Darel Severts getting ready for the Friday night fish fry at Yo-Hawn's. **This week's view:** Out in the country, two old silos stand...on a quiet and 'for sale' piece of land.

New faces at the Grygla School



Tausha Severts is the new Elementary Special Education and Title I teacher in Grygla.

Tausha Severts is enjoying her new role at the Grygla School as the Elementary Special Education and Title I teacher. For the last 7 years, Tausha owned and operated a home daycare while taking online classes through Grand Canyon University. After earning her degree in Elementary Education and Special Education, Tausha is now working full-time at the Grygla School. Of her new position, she says, "I'm a Grygla lifer! I love working with kids and I also love the school atmosphere!" She has set a few goals for her first year, which include helping her students meet their goals while making the environment fun and a great place

to learn. Tausha and her husband, Mark, live in rural Grygla and have four children: Addison is 8, Brianna is 4, Harper is 2 and Noah is 1. When asked to pick five words that describe her, she named: caring, humorous, approachable, sensitive and positive. If she could trade places with anybody, Tausha laughed and said, "I'd trade places with my husband just so I can see what a cake life he has being married to me!" When she isn't at school, Tausha enjoys spending time with family and being outdoors. They like to camp, fish and take drives in her 1964 VW Beetle.



Alissa Hruby, Grygla School Social Worker, works every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Alissa Hruby just started her second year at the Grygla School as the new Social Worker. She was previously working in children's services for over 4 years with Pennington County Human Services. Always wanting to work in a school setting, Alissa's job is close to home, too. Alissa and her husband, Tim, reside near Goodridge. They have one little boy, Abel, who is almost 2 years old. Alissa earned her AAS degree from Northland Community & Technical College, then went on to earn her degree in Social Work from Bemidji State University. She says her job at

the Grygla School is a great fit for her and her future. When working with the kids, she wants to help them with their social and emotional well-being, and enhance that to help make their education a better experience. Alissa was asked to pick five words to describe her; she said: friendly, caring, optimistic, shy and honest. If she could trade places with anybody, she says she'd pick her son so she could know what goes through his little mind! Alissa is at the Grygla School Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays all day.

All City Basketball Challenge

Coming soon is an 'All City Basketball Challenge' that will be held on Sunday, October 25th, from 4-7pm at the Grygla School. This is a Grygla Centennial Fundraiser in which our community businesses will play a basketball game against

each other for bragging rights! BBQs or hotdogs with chips will be available at concessions that evening, along with a silent auction! Come out and watch a fun night of basketball and help support the 2017 Grygla Centennial!



CHURCH CALENDARS

GRYGLA LUTHERAN PARISH
Grace and Our Savior's, Grygla
Pastor Vicki Saude-Worthington
Wednesday, Oct. 14:
6pm Choir, 6:30pm Confirmation, 8pm Grace Council
Sunday:
Grace: 9am Worship, 10:15 SS
Grace W/ELCA to meet following worship.
Our Savior's: 10:30am Worship, 9:15am SS

GATZKE-THIEF LAKE LUTHERAN PARISH
United - Gatzke; Our Savior's - Thief Lake
Pastor Craig Bowyer
Wednesday:
(Wednesday Worship for the Summer, no Sundays)
United: 6:30pm
Annual Men's Supper to be held Oct. 18 4-7pm
Our Savior's: 8pm

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Bethany, Ekelund, Faith
Pastor Robert W. Dahlen
Sunday:
Bethany: 8:30am Worship, 9:30am SS
Ekelund: 9:45am Worship, 11am SS
Faith: 11am Worship, 9:45am SS

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF
St. Clement's - Grygla; St. Ann's - Goodridge
Fr. Rick Lambert
Sunday:
St. Clement's: 10:30am Worship
St. Ann's: 5pm Worship.

BETHESDA LUTHERAN CHURCH
Skime
Pastor Blaine MacNeil
Sunday:
9:30am Worship, No SS

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
Christian & Missionary Alliance of Grygla
Pastor TBA
Sunday:
9:30am Worship, 11am SS and Adult Bible Class.
Wednesdays:
7pm Bible Study and Prayer.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
St. Petri - Grygla;
Mt. Olive, Nazareth - Trail; Oak Park - Oklee
Pastor Jeff Merseth
Saturday:
Mt. Olive 9am Worship, 10:15am SS/Confirmation
Sunday:
Nazareth: 8am Worship, 9:15am SS
Oak Park: 9:15am Worship, 10:30am SS
St. Petri: 10am Worship, 11am SS

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Fellowship of Christian Assemblies
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9:30am Worship.

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Ditch Meeting

Monday, Oct. 19th

JD 11 at 9:30am
JD 21 at 10am

Grygla Civic Building

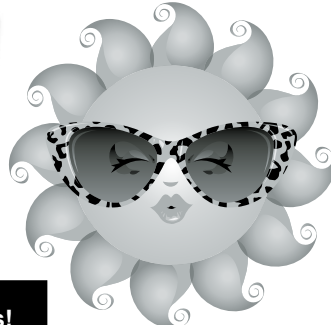
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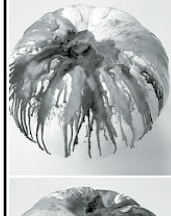


Call 218-294-6158 anytime to schedule your sessions!

DO IT YOURSELF

A fun, no carve pumpkin decorating idea! You'll need crayons, tacky glue and a blow dryer. Unwrap your crayons and cut them in half. Glue about 16 crayon pieces to the pumpkin using tacky glue. After the glue has dried, use a hair dryer to melt them.


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Post Prom Tickets for sale

The Grygla Post Prom Basketball tickets are for sale! The cost is \$20 and winners need not be present to win. The first drawing will be held on December 1, 2015. Tickets can be purchased from any Grygla Senior, Junior or Sophomore parent or contact Shaunna Olson at 218-684-5284. Tickets are also available at Cenex, Coop and American State Bank.

Something to think about...

Imagine there is a bank account that credits your account each morning with \$86,400. It carries over no balance from day to day. Every evening the bank deletes whatever part of the balance you failed to use during the day.
What would you do? Draw out every cent I'm guessing.
Each of us has such a bank. Its name is TIME.
Every morning, it credits you with 86,400 seconds. Every night it writes off as lost, whatever of this you have failed to

invest to a good purpose. It carries over no balance. It allows no over draft. Each day it opens a new account for you. Each night it burns the remains of the day.
If you fail to use the day's deposits, the loss is yours.
There is no drawing against "tomorrow". You must live in the present on today's deposits.
Invest it so as to get from it the utmost in health, happiness and success. The clock is running. Make the most of today.

New Crisis Link is resource for Minnesotans' emergency needs

A new Crisis Link has been launched as part of MinnesotaHelp.info, the state's comprehensive website for services, resources and information.
Crisis Link connects people with resources for dealing with a variety of intense situations, including mental health and/or substance abuse problems for both children and adults, need for emergency housing or longer term housing, fear of being harmed, or need for health care, food, a job or transportation.
"We want to make sure that people know there is a single place, the Crisis Link, they can go to get information and phone numbers for helping professionals and agencies that meet a variety of immediate needs," said Human Services Commissioner Lucinda Jesson.
As prominently stated on Crisis Link, anyone in immediate danger or need should call 9-1-1.
Crisis Link has an extensive listing of contact information for helping organizations,

primarily government and nonprofit agencies, including suicide and domestic violence hotlines. It features an online chat service available from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays to ensure people get to the information they need.
Like the rest of the MinnesotaHelp.info site, Crisis Link uses responsive design so no matter what device is used to visit the site, from a desktop computer to a smartphone, the browser will automatically format the information so it is easy to see and use.
Crisis Link is integrated into Minnesota's information and assistance system that includes, in addition to the Minnesotahelp.info website, the Senior LinkAge Line at 1-800-333-2433, Disability Linkage Line at 1-866-333-2466 and Veterans LinkAge Line at 1-888-LinkVet. This system is supported by Minnesota state agencies, including the Minnesota Department of Human Services and the Minnesota Board on Aging.

Lions Zone 6 & 7 Meeting

To be held Tuesday, October 20th, at the Greenbush American Legion. Social Hour is at 6pm with the program and meal at 6:30pm. The program will be presented by Jim and Jan Strandlie - Lions Centennial, 2017. Club Roll Call Answer: 'What have you done for

your newest members?' Meal will be chicken breast in a cream sauce, green beans, baby red potatoes in garlic butter, dinner roll and cheese cake. For more information, contact Zone Chair Lion Scott Grove at 218-689-0041.

WHAT A JOKE

What do skeletons say before dining? Bone Appetit!
What did the vampire say to the invisible man? Long time no see!
Why is Dracula so unpopular? Because he's a pain in the neck!
Why don't skeletons like parties? They have no body to dance with.
What did the ghost teacher

say to her class? Watch the board and I'll go through it again.
Why was the little ghost crying? Because he wanted his Mummy.
Why do vampires need mouth wash? Because they have bat breath.
What runs around a cemetery but doesn't move? A fence.

Community Calendar

Wed | Oct 14
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla Library 2-6pm; October Senior Birthday Party at Grain Bin Café 2:30pm

Thurs | Oct 15
No School (MEA Break); Youth Deer Hunt; Grygla Eagle office open 9am-3pm; Grygla School Board meeting at 8pm

Fri | Oct 16
National Boss's Day; No School (MEA Break); Youth Deer Hunt; Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am

Sat | Oct 17
Youth Deer Hunt; Frostbite Varsity Volleyball Tournament in Grygla 8am

Sun | Oct 18
Youth Deer Hunt

Mon | Oct 19
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Chargers Volleyball in Goodridge vs. SAC (Parent's Night)

Tues | Oct 20
Old Time Dance at Yo-Hawns 1-4pm

School Lunch Menus

Grygla School Lunch Menu
Wednesday, October 14: Chicken Fajita on a Tortilla Shell, Lettuce, Cheese, Broccoli, Mandarin Oranges, Pineapple
Thursday, October 15: No School
Friday, October 16: No School
Monday, October 19: Italian Spaghetti, Lettuce Salad, Peach, Pear, Garlic Toast
Tuesday, October 20: Chicken Patty on a Bun, French Fries, California Blend Veggies, Pineapple, Applesauce

Goodridge School Lunch Menu
Wednesday, October 14: BBQ Beef on a Bun, Corn, Pickles, Chips, Peaches, Bread, Milk
Thursday, October 15: No School
Friday, October 16: No School
Monday, October 19: Chicken Nuggets w/ Assorted Sauces, Broccoli Cuts, Peaches, Pears, Bread, Milk
Tuesday, October 20: Hot Dog on a Bun, Smiley Fries, Carrots, Celery & Cucumbers w/ Dip, Apples, Milk

PUMPKIN Decorating CONTEST

Cash Prizes!
We will award cash prizes for:
Most Original, Most Traditional, and Judge's Favorite.

Contest Details
All pumpkins will be on display at the bank.
If you'd like your pumpkin back, please come and pick it up by Friday, October 30th.

How to Enter
The contest is open to all ages and your pumpkin can be carved, painted or decorated.
Bring your pumpkin to American State Bank between Monday, October 26th and Thursday, October 29th.

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If money doesn't grow on trees, then why do banks have branches?
In two locations

EXTENSION NEWS

By: James Stordahl

Fall Nitrogen Applications
As we begin to see the 2015 crop season in the rear view mirror, it's time to start making plans for the next one. For most farmers in Northwest Minnesota, nitrogen (N) application may be the first of the many important decisions to make.
Nitrogen is not only a large input in most grain farming operations, but it also represents an important input in terms of the environment. The soil is not the best place to store N as this nutrient can easily end up in air or water where it can cause environmental problems. For these reasons a farmer needs to review important guidelines developed through the years of unbiased research in hopes of making the best decisions for N management.

Fall N applications compared to pre-plant or side-dress applications often bear greater risk of N loss that can translate into reduced profitability and environmental concerns. Still, if the decision is made to apply fall N; it should only be applied in the fall in those soils and environments with the lowest potential for N loss. Places where fall N applications should not be done are soils with high potential for nitrate leaching in the fall or early spring (sandy soils or those with excessive drainage) or soils that are very poorly drained.

The goal is to use an N source that will stay in the ammonium form as long as possible because once it changes to nitrate, it becomes susceptible to loss. For fields where a fall application is appropriate, anhydrous ammonia (NH3) is the best option. This source eliminates the nitrifying bacteria at the point of application, and the activity of nitrifying bacteria within the ammonia retention zone is also inhibited for a couple of weeks because of the temporary high pH that develops as ammonia reacts with soil water to form ammonium. To lengthen the period of bacterial inhibition, it is best to include a nitrification inhibitor with the application of anhydrous ammonia. Nitrification inhibitors, such as N-serve, can protect fall N against loss, but the greatest potential for loss occurs in the spring; by that time the inhibitor is less effective due to breakdown over time. Nitrogen sources containing nitrate should never be used for fall applications.

The activity of nitrifying

bacteria slows down substantially once soil temperature where anhydrous ammonia is placed (typically at 6inch depth) is 50 degrees F and getting colder. Using a nitrification inhibitor is no excuse to apply N in warmer soils. In fact, warmer temperatures accelerate the breakdown of the nitrification inhibitor making it less effective. Keep in mind that nitrifying bacteria remain active until 32degrees F when the soil freezes. For this reason, it is better waiting as long as possible after the soil reaches 50 degrees F and is getting colder. So, don't go by the calendar date but rather keep a close watch on soil temperatures and monitor the temperature of individual fields before N application because soil temperature can be influenced by a number of factors such as residue, soil color, and drainage.

Nitrogen volatilization during application is a big concern with anhydrous ammonia not only because of the bad odor but because N that escapes to the air represents a loss on the investment that will not be recovered by the crop. This often happens when soils are either too dry or too wet because the knife tracks do not fully seal. Increasing the depth of application or reducing applications rates can sometimes help with this problem in dry soils, but when the soil is wet, little can be done to minimize loss through volatilization. Also, apply anhydrous ammonia with caution. The ammonia is pressurized in the nurse tank and when released it quickly reacts with water. If ammonia comes in contact with your skin, eyes or mucous membranes, it will cause dehydration and burns - use extreme caution when handling it!

For more detailed information on how to manage N, please read FERTILIZER GUIDELINES FOR AGRONOMIC CROPS IN MINNESOTA and BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR NITROGEN publication series that are available by doing a web search at www.extension.umn.edu. You can also email Fabian Fernandez U M Extension Nutrient Management Specialist at fabiangf@umn.edu with questions.

For more information, or to get copies of these publications, contact me at 800-450-2465 or at stordahl@umn.edu. This information was provided by Fabian Fernandez, U M Extension Nutrient Management Specialist.

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

Parvenu

\PAHR-vuh-noo\

Noun

A person who recently or suddenly acquired wealth, importance, position, or the like, but has not yet developed the conventionally appropriate manners, dress, surroundings, etc.

A Note from Principal Lunsetter's Desk



"It wasn't raining when Noah built the ark."

- Howard Ruff



It wasn't raining, but he trusted the message he received and had faith that he needed to build the ark. He had trust and faith that out-weighed all of the negative and insulting things that people were saying about him. I think we can apply that to a lot of things/people in our lives. If we surround ourselves with people that we know we can trust and people that we can have faith in to do the right thing consistently. Those are powerful relationships that make all the difference in people's lives.

SIMPLY DELICIOUS

Buttermilk-Blueberry Breakfast Cake

Ingredients

- ½ cup butter, softened
- 2 tsp lemon zest
- ¾ cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 tsp vanilla
- 2 cups flour (set aside ¼ cup of this to toss with blueberries)
- 2 tsp baking powder
- 1 tsp salt
- 2 cups blueberries
- ½ cup buttermilk

Instructions

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Cream butter with lemon zest and sugar until light and fluffy. Add the egg and vanilla and beat until combined. Whisk together flour, baking powder and salt. Add to mixture. Toss the blueberries with



¼ cup of the flour and fold into the mixture. Grease a 9-inch square baking pan (or something similar). Spread batter into pan and bake for approximately 40 minutes.



Saving money on Halloween

Written by Jennifer Garbow, University of Minnesota Extension

Greetings! Our leaves are turning brilliant colors in Northwest Minnesota, a crisp breeze is in the air and that can mean only one thing- Halloween is right around the corner. The National Retail Federation estimates that consumers will spend 7.4 billion dollars on Halloween this year. The average American spends \$77.00 on decorations, costumes, and candy. But don't be dismayed, you can spend significantly less than average if you follow a few of the "7 Ways to Save Money on Halloween." from the U.S. News and World Report on Money."

- 1.) Buy from a warehouse club. Buying your candy from a warehouse club can help you save money, you can buy in bulk and you can reduce the number of times you may need to do a "candy run" to the store.
- 2.) Shop online party stores for Halloween decorations. Oftentimes online party stores offer discounts on bulk buys and have coupons and online only offers for the budget conscience shopper.
- 3.) Buy art, craft, and costume supplies at the dollar store. Round up your basic supplies to make your own Halloween decorations and costumes at your local dollar store. You may need additional specialty items for that super cool dragon costume your son has to have, but you can cut your costs buy starting at the dollar store.
- 4.) Search for free activities

in the community. Your budget may not allow for an at home Halloween party, but you can search for free events at community centers, schools, museums, churches, and other local venues. Look at the events page in the newspaper, or find information on Facebook.

5.) Hold off on the pumpkin roundup until close to Halloween. By waiting until a few days before the 31st, many stores will offer deep discounts on pumpkins. And remember, you can use uncarved pumpkins for Thanksgiving decorations.

6.) Make your own Halloween costumes. You can go online and find tutorials, get inspired by Pinterest boards, and search for basic costumes ideas. Be strategic, buy and make items you can use for next year's Halloween events.

7.) Shop at surplus stores. Surplus stores typically carry overstock, slightly damaged, or irregular merchandise; these stores can be a treasure trove for bargain hunters and can give you some really fun ideas for costumes.

Halloween is a good opportunity for families to spend time together, meet new neighbors, decorate with spooky things, dress up in fun costumes, and enjoy the beautiful fall weather. So don't get stressed out about the little things! Shop around for the best deals, be creative and then relax and have fun!

For more information please contact Jennifer Garbow, Family Resiliency, at jgarbow@umn.edu or 218-209-7170.

Veterans Advocate hits VA "betrayal"

Press Release submitted by Brett Brandon, Marshall County (West) Veteran Service Officer and Marshall County Feedlot Officer

The Department of Veterans Affairs recently issued a revision to its manual defining what areas can be considered for the presumption of Agent Orange exposure. This revision specifically excludes the crews of ships that entered the major bays and harbors of Vietnam, including Navy personnel who were exposed to Agent Orange in Da Nang, Nha Trang, Vung Tau and Cam Ranh Bay.

The provision was issued in response to a court order from the Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims decision entitled Gray v. McDonald, which found the old regulation to be improper and ordering the VA to re-write it. Military-Veterans Advocacy Executive Director Commander John B. Wells, USN (Retired), described the new regulation as a "betrayal."

"It does not change their old rule," Wells said. "It merely restates it with language that is just as irrational."

The new regulation comes on the heels of a meeting between Wells and VA Deputy Secretary Sloan Gibson, which occurred last month. The meeting was arranged as a result of Congressional pressure open a dialogue on Gray and the entire Blue Water Navy issue. During that meeting, Wells showed evidence of the Agent Orange infiltration into the bays, harbors and territorial seas of the Republic of Vietnam. The meeting also included the discussion of a report confirming the presence of the Agent Orange dioxin in the bottom sediment of Nha Trang Harbor. Several scientific studies have shown that the process used to distill potable water from salt water, for crew use, did not remove the dioxin, and actually enriched it.

"These folks got a straight shot into their drinking water."

Wells said. "Studies conducted for the Australian Department of Veterans Affairs and confirmed by the United States' Institute of Medicine have proven that. Yet the bureaucrats at the VA refuse to accept the fact that they were wrong."

Australia has granted the presumption of exposure to their shipboard veterans since 2003.

"Sloan Gibson promised me that the VA would keep in contact with us and consult with us," Wells continued. "That never happened."

Wells noted that a similar promise of contribution made in January of 2012 by then VA Chief of Staff John Gingrich never materialized either.

"We tried to give the VA the benefit of the doubt but, as usual, they disappointed us."

In an e-mail to Gibson, Wells wrote: "While I had hoped that our meeting would result in a partnership, the fact that it did not was not completely unexpected. Like most veterans, I am used to being disappointed by the VA. Working with you, I believe we could have resolved this matter. Instead, we now have to pursue other avenues. But our mission is to work for the veterans and we will continue to do that."

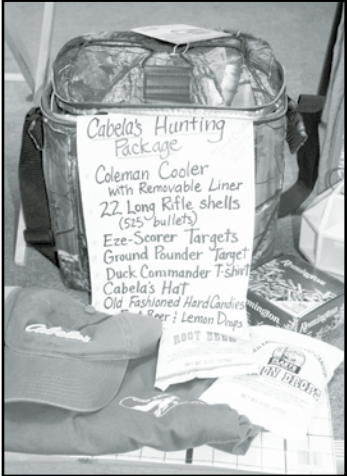
Wells, who served as a Chief Engineer on several Navy ships, is a retired surface warfare officer. He is now an attorney practicing military and veterans law. He is recognized nationally as the subject matter expert on the Blue Water Navy matter. In contrast, Wells noted that at the meeting with Gibson the Deputy Secretary conceded that the people he had working the issue had no surface ship experience.

"The lack of nautical experience is evident in the new regulation and as well as previous VA statements on the matter," Wells said.

Wells promised continued pressure in Congress and the courts. HR 969, which would expand the presumption of exposure to the territorial seas, is pending in the House Veterans Affairs Committee with 264 co-sponsors. The Companion Senate bill, S 681, has 20 co-sponsors. The Senate Veterans Affairs Committee has held one hearing on May 13, and is expected to hold another when Congress reconvenes. Currently litigation is pending before the United States Court of Appeals for the DC Circuit and the Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims.

Wells, an attorney whose practice focuses on military matters, is based in Slidell, Louisiana, near New Orleans. For more information about MVA, visit www.MilitaryVeteransAdvocacy.org.

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At the annual Grace Lutheran Church supper, a silent auction was held with a variety of items up for bid! Pictured left: Riley Saurdiff, Hailey Knutson and Elise Monson show off a 'Minion' package for sale!



Grace Lutheran Church held their annual ham/potato supper over the weekend at the Grygla Community Center. Each volunteer played an important role in making it a successful evening! KP duty at this particular time was Joy Nordby, DeDe Moe, Kay Wilkens and Ruth Anderson.



Happy Boss's Day!



Friday, October 16th, is National Boss's Day. In the small towns of Grygla and Goodridge, we have a lot of great people who serve as our boss at our places of employment. The Grygla Eagle took to Facebook and asked you to nominate your boss and tell us what makes him or her so deserving of a little recognition!

The team at Northern Ag, Inc. jumped at the chance to give their leader a shout out! It's our honor to wish Jody Miller, of Northern Ag, Inc., a HAPPY BOSS'S DAY!

"Jody creates a fun and positive work environment, along with assisting in providing exceptional customer service and advice to our customers. She does things "just because" to brighten our day and make us feel appreciated. She understands the needs of our family and is genuinely interested in us as a person. Her dedication to our customers gives us something to be proud of and honored to be part of her business. Thanks for everything you do! Here's to you today!"

Jen, Roxann & Lindsay

Chargers Volleyball record 11-6

The Chargers Volleyball team has another win under their belt. The team played RLF in Goodridge last Tuesday, October 6th, and won in 3 games. (25-12, 25-14, 25-14)

Ace Assists: Hannah Dietsch 20

Kills: Shantel Verbout 15, Ashlyn Henrickson 5, Karlee Johnson 5, Kaity Olson 4.

Aces: Karlee Johnson 3, Shantel Verbout 3, Hannah Dietsch 2, Brooke Anderson 2.

Digs: Kaity Olson 11
Blocks: Shantel Verbout 1, Brooke Anderson 1

Coaches Comments: The girls played pretty well. We would get in rotations where we struggle a bit, so we definitely need to work on recovery when mistakes are made and not letting more mistakes happen. (B team won 2-0, C team won 2-0, 8th grade lost 0-2, 7th grade won 2-0.

KCC defeats GG football 41-0

Thursday, October 8th, GG Chargers traveled to Lancaster to take on KCC, where they lost the football game 0-41. Coach John Wilebski stated Jesse Wiseth did a nice job blocking for the Chargers. Adding, "Jaden Kiesow played well on defense with 7 tackles."

Stats: Tyler Stinar 19-102 yds, Jaden Kiesow 13-48 yds,

Benji Wilebski 2-5 yds, Dylan Manderud 4-10 yds, Austin Brateng 1-4 yds, Blaine Kriel 2-2 yds. Dylan Manderud 0-9 passing, Austin Brateng 10 tackles.

The Chargers will play Northolme-Kelliher in Kelliher on Tuesday evening, October 13th, at 7pm in the first round of playoffs.



The Grygla School store recently purchased a 6' x 12' enclosed trailer to be used for football, robotics, high mileage and other trips!

Front row kneeling, L-R: Nikki Waletzki, Carlye Kiesow, Trystan Jelle, Willie Holthusen, Lucian Tinnes. Back row standing: Brittanie Jones, Cheyenne Irlbeck, Antony Yip, Taylor Berberich, Shawntel Ignaszewski, Brooke Limesand, Jordan Herseth, Chris Lutrell, Kaitlyn Olson, Jake Ahlbeck.

Grande Corner offers quiet, quaint campsites

This is David Steuart's second year setting up a campsite at Grande Corner in rural Grygla. David is from Ruthton, MN, between Marshall and Pipestone, and enjoys a simpler camping experience. He is an avid outdoors man who set up camp at Grande to enjoy a few days of grouse hunting. Arriving on Tuesday, October 6th, David is making the rest area his home until Monday, October 12th, when he'll pack up for home and head south.

David, and his wife, make great use of the outdoors. One vacation, the two traveled by car to Alaska and spent 6 weeks there; 2/3 of that time was spent tenting! David also enjoys cross country skiing, snow shoeing and hiking at state parks. Spending six nights alone at Grande Corner doesn't bother him, in fact, solo trips are something he really enjoys. Once he took a 12 day solo canoe trip up in Canada!

Steuart grew up by Wadena and used to live in Red Lake Falls. He got to know the Grygla area some and enjoys how quiet and flat it is. "It's not crowded up here and I like that," he says. "My wife teases me that I come up here with all of

my friends! But I enjoy the time alone while I walk and hunt." And a lot of walking he does! Nestled in at Grande, David gets up at 6am and heads north and spends the day walking trails. With time being spent on the Rapid River and Moose River Roads, he brings all his own food and heads back to his campsite in the evening, crawling into his tent to sleep by 8pm. You can see by the photo that his campsite doesn't offer a lot of amenities, but that's just the way he likes it.

Steuart retired 2 years ago; he was a branch manager at a bank and also served as Mayor of Ruthton. With plans to come back, he said, "I can't believe more people don't set up camp at Grande Corner...it sure is a great spot."

Grande Corner is located approximately 12 miles east of Grygla along Highway 89. In addition to a playground, softball field and two picnic shelters, the rest area offers 4 campsites with electrical hookups, which are all big rig friendly. The spacious camping area also offers plenty of room for tenters alike and fresh water is available by an old fashioned hand pump.

Fabian encourages high school juniors to apply for Page Program

Rep. Dan Fabian (R-Roseau) is encouraging high school juniors to apply for the Minnesota House of Representatives Page Program.

"This program gives high school students first-hand experience to see and participate in the legislative process that isn't always available in a classroom setting," said Fabian. "I highly encourage any high school junior with an interest in government, politics, or law to apply."

This week-long program is open to all Minnesota high school students in their junior year whether they are in pub-

lic school, private school, or are home schooled. Those in the program will assist members and staff during House floor sessions, participate in a mock committee hearing, and meet with legislators, constitutional officers, members of the judiciary, lobbyists, and media.

"I'm happy to come to any high school civics class to discuss this opportunity and what it's like serving in the legislature," said Fabian.

Applications must be received by close of business on December 4, 2015. Participants are responsible for personal

costs associated with taking part in the page program, but will receive a small stipend to cover a portion of meals and, if applicable, cost of lodging.

More details and application information can be found on the House of Representatives website by visiting www.house.mn and clicking on "High School Page Program" under the "Educational Programs" section. You can also contact Andrew Olson, Assistant Sergeant at Arms at andrew.olson@house.mn for more information.

Marshall County Sheriff's Department offers free RBST training on Oct. 25

The Marshall County Sheriff's Department, along with the Safe Communities Coalition, will be offering a free Responsible Beverage Server Training (RBST) on Sunday evening, October 25th, at 6:30pm in Warren in the basement meeting room at the courthouse.

All those persons employed as alcohol servers in off-sale or on-sale establishments are encouraged to attend. RBST

training covers server responsibilities, proper carding and Minnesota alcohol laws and penalties. Deputy Adam Gast is the instructor for the class. The course takes approximately 1½ hours. Certificates of attendance will be given for participants.

There is no cost for the training, but interested persons are asked to sign up by Monday, October 20th, by calling Linda

Gornowicz at 218-745-4646 Ext 1213 or e-mailing to lgornowicz@wao.k12.mn.us.

Server training protects both the establishment and the server. Trained servers and sellers are less likely to sell to underage consumers or intoxicated patrons, thus preventing any legal violations, injuries or accidents the establishment or server could be held responsible for.



On September 22nd, the Goodridge ECFE group took a trip to Herman and Remar Voxland's Pumpkin Patch, located north of McIntosh. Abel Hruby (left) and Braxton Homme (right) were two of the children in attendance. Different activities were set up at the pumpkin patch, including a game of pumpkin Tic Tac Toe!