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Cloudy	Mostly Cloudy	Mostly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Mostly Sunny
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In this issue ... There will be another Blood Drive in Grygla on Thursday, April 22nd - see page 2 for more details.



Google earth satellite image in eastern Pennington County at the intersection of 400th Ave NE and 130th St NE, rural Goodridge. These are still visible today! According to family members, quite a bit of brush has grown up around the pools, of course, but there is still plenty of water in those letters. Tanya Kotrba recalls ice-skating in the “U” when she was growing up! Photos shared by Thief River Falls/Pennington County History Facebook page

Nerhus’ remarkable Wildlife Pools

Shared by the Thief River Falls/Pennington County History Facebook page (April 12th, 2020)

The following article is from the November 1982 Minnesota Conservation Volunteer magazine. It was titled “Oscar Nerhus’ remarkable Wildlife Pools” and written by Kate J. Brady.

From the ground, the wildlife area on Oscar Nerhus’ farm offers no surprises to an onlooker — reeds, cattails, and poplars provide a natural hedge around wildlife pools. But from the sky, it’s a whole different story. Nerhus, a wildlife advocate from boyhood, has dug 14 wildlife pools. Each pool is in the shape of a letter. Together, the letters spell W-I-L-D-L-I-F-E N-E-R-H-U-S. In 1978, Nerhus decided to transform an 80-acre peat bog and burnout area into a mecca for wildlife on his 1,100 acre farm 25 miles southeast of Thief River Falls, land that has been in his family since his father homesteaded in the late 1800s. “Ever since I was a kid, and learned how to trap, I have loved wildlife,” he recalls. Nerhus brainstormed with the staff of the U.S. Department of Agriculture Soil Conservation Service to design a wildlife area.

“I don’t know where we got the idea to carve out the words, ‘Wildlife Nerhus,’” he recalled. “At first, all I wanted to do was dig a couple of holes.”

But the idea to design ‘alphabet’ wildlife pools grabbed Nerhus, Gordon Jelle, SCS soil conservation technician, and John Drury, SCS civil engineer technician. The challenge was to stake and dig each letter

with a dragline. Tramping through shoulder-high grass, willows, and brush, Jelle started to stake out each letter. “It was a real chore to lay out the letters so they were square with the world, he said. But that was only the initial challenge. Once the letters were staked, Nerhus, a marksman with a dragline, began to dig out the letters. With 36 years of experience as a dragline operator, his work was cut out for him.

The dragline teetered on “toothpicks” made of 20 foot logs called mats. The mats prevented the dragline from sinking into the wet soil. Carving out letters was a tedious job. “When I looked at each stake, and started to dig, thought what in the world am I doing here,” said Nerhus. He would swing the dragline, which extended 30 feet beyond the mats, scoop up the soil, and dump it off to the side. Then, a mat would be picked up from behind the drag machine and placed in front. This seesaw motion — swinging the dragline, digging, dumping, and moving the mats — continued until each 50-foot wide, 300-foot long letter was excavated. There were moments when even Nerhus wondered about the project. But his determination and dedication never wore thin. He even refused six weeks of commercial drag work to get the wildlife pools finished. “I kept at it, day in and day out it seemed, and I got it done,” he said proudly. The letters “E” and “W” took a lot of precision work, remembered Nerhus.

Three years and 1,000 drag hours later, the wildlife pools

are just about complete. Only two letters remain to be etched out of the soil — O for Oscar,’ and his wife’s initial, M for ‘Mildred.’ If the weather cooperates, he will dredge the last two letters this fall. Nerhus guesstimates that commercial digging of the pools would have cost \$35,000.

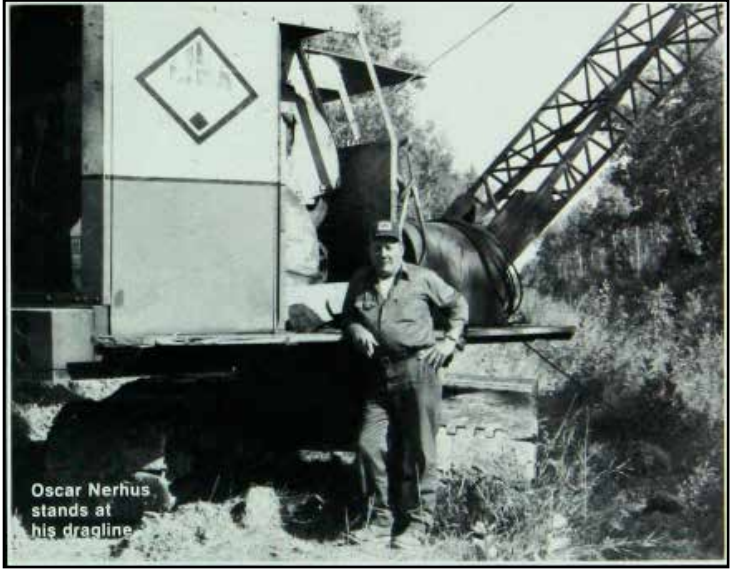
Because the wildlife area has gone from a skimpy one-half acre to 25 acres of open water, it’s been a boon for waterfowl — geese, mallards, coots, sandhill cranes, teal, beavers, and more. “The pools create a lot of shoreline, which is attractive to birds during mating and brooding season,” said Larry Pollard, SCS biologist. Pollard explained that during the courting and breeding season, ducks pair off, and a drake defends the territory. With many pools surrounded by curved shoreline, the ducks have limited visibility so that territorial battles do not ensue. “Many- small pools allow more ducks to establish their own territory, while being out of sight from each other,” said Eric Nelson, wildlife biologist for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service in Bemidji.

Another design feature is that each pool is less than five feet deep, with side slopes of five to one. This means that there are five horizontal feet for each foot of depth. “These dimensions create a lot of shallow water for ducks and geese to feed off the bottom,” said Al Gustafson, SCS district conservationist in Pennington County. To encourage nesting of waterfowl, SCS staff advised Nerhus which grasses to plant along the side banks. The

grasses and sedges which edge the pools have created a haven for the sandhill crane. The birds, adorned with a crimson crown, a grayish-white torso, and spindly legs, migrate from Canada to Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Indiana. Since the sandhill crane is a migratory bird, it is classified as “protected by the federal government. In Minnesota, the crane is considered a “species of special emphasis’ which merits special study, according to Jim Engel, USFWS senior staff specialist for endangered species.

Along some shoreline, Nerhus planted mini-gardens containing turnips, carrots, rutabagas, and calabagas — a cross between a cauliflower and rutabaga — for deer and moose. And then there are the mounds of russet potatoes he planted for his family. When Nerhus isn’t hiking through the wildlife area, awaiting an evening deer, or watching a flock of geese make a splash landing, he manages a hundred cattle. So his stock can graze over his 1,000 acre pasture, he strategically installed 11 stock ponds. Nerhus has found his “heartland in the wildlife area. “I always go out in the early morning and dusk and hear the music of the geese, the cranes and the meadowlarks,” he says. “I get the feeling that I’m away from everything — the ringing telephone, the dragline, the dog. I might sell all the rest of my land, but never this wildlife area.

The ponds can be seen on google earth in eastern Pennington County at the intersection of 400th Ave NE and 130th St NE, rural Goodridge.



ATV Safety Training happening this Saturday

There will be an ATV Safety Training this Saturday, April 17th, from 10am-12pm at the Grygla Bus Garage. Must be 11 years of age or older. There is limited space available due to COVID-19 restrictions in place. Sign-up in advance and complete the online class prior to Saturday – go to ATVcourse.com. Must

bring certificate of completion AND a helmet if you have one. The training is sponsored by the Fourtown/Grygla Sportsman’s Club. Please contact Nick Harris at 688-0037 or Kyle Haack at 686-5583 for any questions.

It’s Spring Fling week at the Grygla School

The Grygla School is holding their Spring Fling this week and celebrating with the some fun student dress-up days. They will also be holding Coronation on Friday at 2:45pm. Candidates include: (7th grade) Seth Kaczor & Janessa Torgerson; (8th grade) Brody Saurdiff

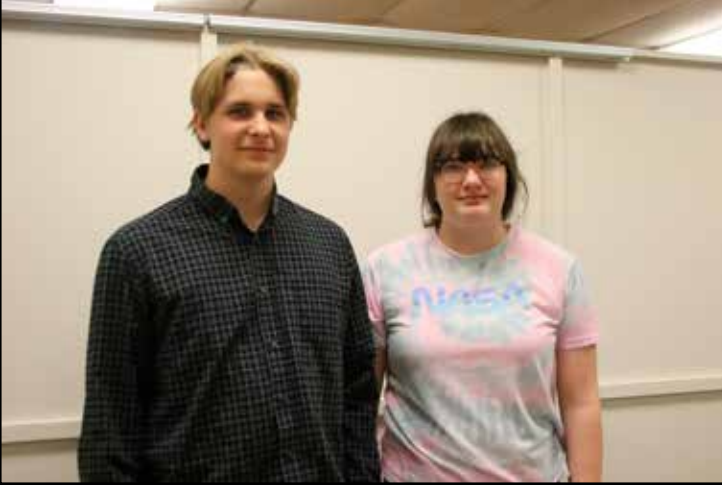
& Kinsley Oslund; (9th grade) Morgan Larson & Russell Rian; (10th grade) Nevaeh Schaffer & Devon Dickson; (11th grade) Brigitte Watne & Nolan Anderson; (12th grade) Levi Kiesow & Chloe Kuznia. Photos courtesy of Grygla School



7th grade candidates: Seth Kaczor & Janessa Torgerson



8th grade candidates: Brody Saurdiff & Kinsley Oslund



9th grade candidates: Russell Rian & Morgan Larson



10th grade candidates: Nevaeh Schaffer & Devon Dickson



11th grade candidates: Nolan Anderson & Brigitte Watne



Senior candidates: Levi Kiesow & Chloe Kuznia

• CHURCH CALENDARS

GRYGLA LUTHERAN PARISH
Grace and Our Savior's, Grygla
Pastor TBA
In-person Worship services have resumed at Grace Lutheran and Our Saviors in Grygla. Recorded services will still be available on-demand on the church website and will play on Garden Valley channel 36 on Wednesdays 7pm and Sundays 9am & 7pm. *gracelutherangrygla.weebly.com*
Wednesday, April 14
7/8 grade Confirmation from 4-5pm, led by Tausha Severt.
Sunday, April 18
Grace: 9am Worship
OS: 10:30am Worship

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Bethany, Ekelund, Faith Pastor Kristin Dahlen Ostercamp
In-person Worship services have resumed. Sunday services will be posted online on the Parish YouTube channel. They are rebroadcast on the GVTV Channel 36 on Wednesdays at 9am and 6:30pm.
Wednesday, April 14
6:15pm Confirmation at Faith, 7pm Worship at Faith
Sunday, April 18
9am Worship at Bethany, 10:30am Worship at Ekelund with 11am Annual Meeting
Monday, April 19
Faith Quilting 9am-12pm, Faith WELCA

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Sunday, April 18
9:30am Worship, 11am Face-book Live Broadcast

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Congregation-Led
Calendar/information not provided.

UNITED LUTHERAN PARISH Gatzke
Pastor Tim Lundeen
Sundays
8:30am Worship with 9:45am SS.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
St. Petri - Grygla; Mt. Olive, Nazareth - Trail; Oak Park - Oklee
Pastor Jeff Merseth
Wednesday, April 14
5-7pm Wednesday School
Saturdays
9am Worship at Mt. Olive
Sunday
St. Petri: 8am Worship, 9:15am SS
OP: 8:30am SS, 9:45 Worship
Nazareth: 10am SS, 11am Worship

**Reminder to email your calendars to the Grygla Eagle.*

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Grygla Prom

The Grygla School will be holding their prom on Saturday, April 24th, with a Grand March beginning at 7pm. The event is not open to the general public this year due to COVID-19 restrictions still in place, however, each student attending will be allowed a certain amount of family members to come and watch.

Following the Grand March, the banquet and dance will be held, along with an After-Prom party for the students.

More information to come, including this year's theme and information regarding the Goodridge School Prom.

Goodridge Prom

The Goodridge School will be holding their prom on Saturday, May 1st, with a Grand March beginning at 7pm. The theme is Enchanted Forest. The event is not open to the general public this year due to COVID-19 restrictions still in place, however, each student attending will be allowed a certain amount of family members to come and watch. The Grand March will be streamed live on Garden Valley channel 38 as well as the Goodridge School Facebook page.

Following the Grand March, the banquet and dance will be held, along with an After-Prom party for the students.

Charger's Track & Field

Charger's Track began April 12th. This track season will bring less meets, but there is a few on the schedule - 5 meets for the Junior High team and 4 for the Varsity team.

Track and Field Meets are as follows:

Junior High: April 15th in Baudette; April 19th in TRF; May 6th in TRF; May 10th in Mahnomen; May 14th in Roseau.

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Interested parties should contact the Marshall County Highway Department at 218-745-4381. The County will send out an application upon request. The application is also available on our website at www.co.marshall.mn.us. It must be completed and returned by the homeowner. The County must receive the completed application before the service is performed. **NO requests will be accepted AFTER APRIL 30, 2021**

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Applications are available at the Marshall County Highway Department, 447 S. Main, Warren, MN 56762. 218-745-4381. Closing date: April 16, 2021. Must be 18 to apply. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

LYO Spring tree fundraiser

Grace/Our Savior's Lutheran Church LYO students can help you with new trees as part of their Spring tree fundraiser. Call Amy Holte at 218-766-1284 or 294-6028 to get your new trees lined up. LYO kids can dig the holes and plant your trees, or they can dig the holes and you plant your own. Cost per tree is approximately \$3. Suggested donation for planting is \$2/tree, but that is up to you.

Trees available: ash, cottonwood, maple, oak, poplar, birch, chokecherry, plum, willow, elderberry, highbush cranberry, lilac and more. Contact Amy ASAP with an order!

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SPANISH: Suma

ITALIAN: Addizione

FRENCH: Addition

GERMAN: Addition

Northern Lights fishing report

Written by Ben Kucera
On this week's report, the Rainy is still producing big walleye. The catch and release season ends Thursday, April 15. So, if you are looking at a last chance to chase big walleye you have until Thursday. After that you can only target sturgeon, pike and other species that are open year-round.

I'm thinking in the next week or so to look for some spawning crappie, but we will see if it happens. I have been busy in the shop and plan on bringing some jigs and cranks up to the store on Monday, adding to the selection slowly.

My next planned fishing trip is at the end of the month to chase some sturgeon when you are able to keep one. The chances of keeping one is very low and we haven't got one in the slot in the last 4 years.

If you are looking at the possibility of a new summer rod get a hold of me and we can

talk. I currently have 5 that I'm working on.

If fishing isn't on the list of things to do for a few weeks and you want to get out, now is the perfect time to start shed hunting. This is a fun family activity and gets you out in the woods. Morel mushrooms should start popping up soon and then asparagus to follow. Turkey season is fast upon us, as well.

If you are heading out to the woods or river, good luck and stay safe.

Ben Kucera is the owner and creator of Northern Lights Tackle & Custom Rods. He is also a Marshall County Sheriff's Deputy residing in Grygla with his wife and children. Ben is an avid fisherman who will be writing and submitting a fishing report weekly. You can follow his Facebook page at Northern Lights Tackle and/or contact him at 218-684-0588.

The Misadventures of Romeo and Juliet

That's the name of the upcoming Goodridge School play that will be performed for the public on Thursday & Friday, April 22nd-23rd by the Goodridge Drama Department at 7pm on both nights. Admission is \$5 with preschool and under being free. The Goodridge School Art Department will also have their projects on display in the school lobby beginning at 6:30 each night.

The play is directed by Mr. Eric Mickelson. The cast includes: Jenna Henrickson as Juliet, Donavin Hagen as the Director, Kennedy Panek as the Assistant Director, Nevaeh Kotrba as the Stage Manager, Morgan Underdahl

and Tiana Banasau are Stage Hands 1 and 2, Romeo-Thor Henrickson, Blatman-Connor Dale, Diva Actress-Taylyn Banasau, Stage Mom-Alliya Smith, Daughter-Vanessa Farder, Sound Designer- Micah Schultz, Shakespeare- Wyatt Seyller, Understudy- Ava Halvorson, Hip Writers 1 and 2- Lincoln Panek and Chantal Grindeland.

Come and watch and see what can go wrong in the final dress rehearsal of Romeo and Juliet! Seating is available in groups of up to six and you must sign up through a play cast member. COVID Guidelines will be followed.

Pictured L-R: Connor Dale, Nevaeh Kotrba, Kennedy Panek, Thor Henrickson, Jenna Henrickson, Donavin Hagen and Makayla Erlandson. Photo courtesy of Eric Mickelson

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Only in Minnesota: a weekly feature in the Eagle

The 9 best day trips you can take in Minnesota
It's nice to be at home but, every once in a while, most of us crave a little excitement. It's only natural to want to get out and explore, especially when you live in a state as great as Minnesota.



Take a wine trolley tour
This wine trolley tour starts out in Rochester and takes guests on an unforgettable tour through Minnesota's Bluff Country. But it's not just a window tour. The wine trolley stops at several wineries along the way, giving you an opportunity to taste some Minnesota made wine.



Take a road trip to a hidden restaurant
Here's another day trip that involves eating. But this one's not a tour. In fact, it's pretty difficult to find. Nestled deep within the Superior National Forest, the Trestle Inn Restaurant & Saloon is a bit out of the way, but it is definitely worth the stop.



Explore one of Minnesota's coolest small towns
Beyond the Twin Cities and Duluth, Minnesota is riddled with towns waiting to be explored. This day trip takes you to Luverne, an historic town complete with a cute downtown and lovely nature scenes.



Visit Minnesota's Statue of Liberty
In tiny Arco, Minnesota – a town of just 75 people – a stone replica of the Statue of Liberty stands as a beacon for travelers looking for something a bit different.



Explore a small town with incredible natural scenery
Pipestone is charming on its own, but when you add in the incredible natural surroundings, it's a real winner. Head downtown for local shops, then venture over to Pipestone National Monument for some nature and history.

Lucky for us, there are lots of great day trips in every part of Minnesota. We've compiled a few of our favorites here. Each of these will help you get out and explore the Land of 10,000 Lakes!



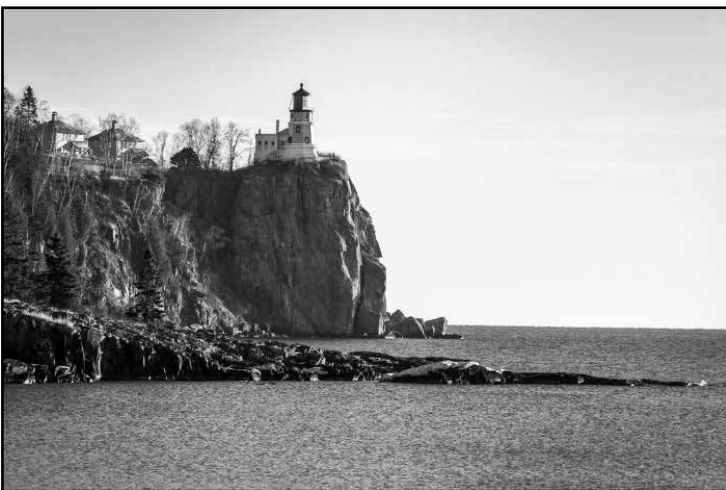
Explore the ice cream trail
For being such a cold place, Minnesota has a lot of great ice cream shops. To help you along the way, is an ice cream trail. It visits six great ice cream shops over 150 miles of eastern Minnesota. If you're looking for a delicious day trip, this is it. To see the trail, visit Onlyinyourstate.com/Minnesota and search The Ice Cream Trail.



Take a ride on a mountain coaster
This day trip is one for those who crave a bit more excitement. Venture up to Spirit Mountain in Duluth for an exhilarating ride on their mountain coaster. Feel the wind through your hair and take in amazing views. What could be better?



Explore a lesser-known animal park
Animal lovers will be happy to know that the Minnesota Zoo and Como Zoo are not the end of wildlife viewing in Minnesota. The Hemker Zoo near St. Cloud has a surprising variety of animals for being so far from the cities.



Meander along the North Shore
If you've lived in Minnesota for a while, you've probably already been to the North Shore. But it's a Minnesota classic and there's a lot to discover. And let's face it: who could get tired of staring at Lake Superior?

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

Behoove \Bih-hoov\
Verb (used with object)
To be worthwhile to, as for personal profit or advantage.

SIMPLY DELICIOUS

By Kari Sundberg, Eagle Editor
Cilantro Lime Chicken Tacos

These are classic tacos with a zest from the limes and a little kick from the cilantro and seasonings.

Ingredients
Cilantro Lime Chicken
2 Tbsp avocado oil
2 chicken breasts, cut into strips
2 Tbsp chili lime seasoning blend
1/2 tsp sea salt or regular salt
1/4 tsp pepper
1 lime
1 bunch fresh cilantro
Taco Prep
8 corn shells
1 Tbsp avocado oil
1 lime
Fresh cilantro
Sour cream
romaine lettuce, chopped
Frank's Red Hot Sauce
Instructions
In a skillet over medium heat, add the avocado oil and chicken breast strips. Add the chili lime seasoning blend, sea salt, pepper, fresh lime juice

from 1 lime, and chopped fresh cilantro. Stir into the chicken. Let the chicken cook for 5-7 minutes on each side or until cooked through.

Warm the corn shells in a small skillet with 1/2 tsp avocado oil per corn shell. Cook on medium-high heat for about 1 minute on each side. Remove from the skillet.

In each corn shell add a few chicken strips, a small handful of romaine lettuce, a squeeze of fresh lime, a few pieces of fresh cilantro, a dollop of sour cream, and a few drops of Frank's Red Hot Sauce. Serve.

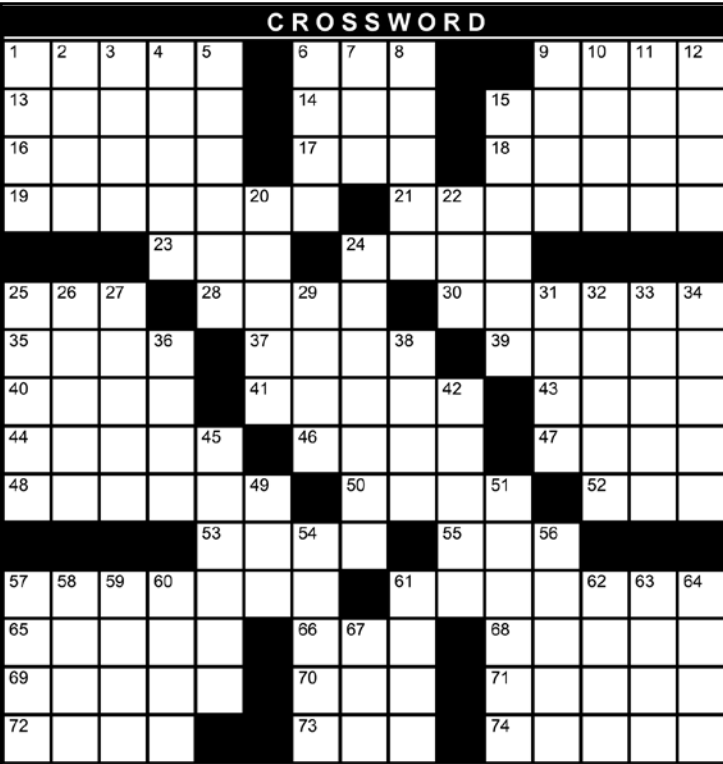


WHAT A JOKE

A man and his wife were having some problems at home and were giving each other the silent treatment. Suddenly the man realized the next day he would need his wife to wake him at 5am for an early morning business flight. Not wanting to be the first to break the silence and lose, he wrote on a piece of paper, "Please wake me at 5am." He left it where

he knew she would find it. The next morning the man woke up, only to discover it was 9am and he had missed his flight. Furious, he was about to see why his wife hadn't wakened him when he noticed a piece of paper by the bed. It said, "It's 5am. Wake up."

Men are not equipped for these kind of contests.



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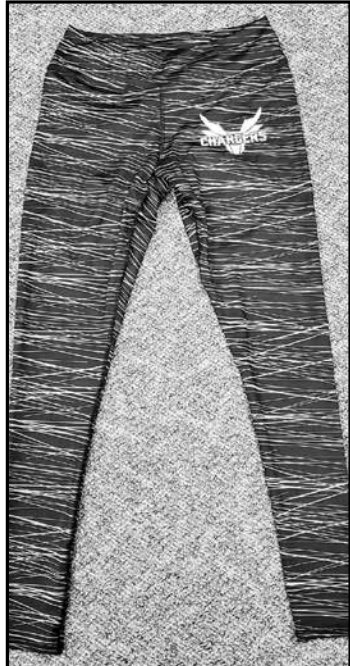
Online Beef Quality Assurance & Secure Beef Supply Training Scheduled
University of Minnesota Extension, along with Minnesota Beef Council, will host several online Beef Quality Assurance (BQA) and Secure Beef Supply (SBS) training sessions starting in February through April. Producers only need to attend one of these free workshops to receive a three-year BQA certification, and they will also learn the steps needed to begin their own Secure Beef Supply plan.
In an ongoing effort to show their commitment to providing the safest, highest-quality beef, cattlemen and women continue to show their dedication to the beef industry by completing a Beef Quality Assurance (BQA) certification program. Specific companies and feedlots have chosen to extend their own quality assurance protocol requirements to producers who are a part of their supply chain. A BQA certification is being required by many major industry buyers and processors. BQA certification is still voluntary for producers to complete, however, when a producer does not have current BQA certification the result is that many packers and feedlots simply cannot purchase those cattle because their company cannot source cattle from a producer who does not meet their certification requirements.
About the training: Pre-registration is required. You will not be able to access the Zoom meeting room without first pre-registering and receiving the secure Zoom link and passcode from Extension staff. The two hour training and certification session is free. Only one person from each operation is required

to be certified to ensure the entire operation follows the BQA standards. However, everyone who handles and manages fed cattle is encouraged to become BQA certified. Certification is good for three years.
To register: Register for the online training using the specific link for the training you wish to attend:
• Tuesday, April 20th, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.: z.umn.edu/BQAApril20
• Thursday, May 6th, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.: z.umn.edu/BQAMay6
• Tuesday, May 18th, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.: z.umn.edu/BQAMay18
• Thursday, June 3rd, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.: z.umn.edu/BQAJune3
Families are able to view the training on the same computer/mobile device, and all viewers will receive credit for certification. At the time of entering the Zoom webinar you will be instructed to enter the registration code of all participants viewing the webinar from your computer/mobile device, and only those whose registration code is submitted during the time of the webinar will receive credit for completing the online certification.
ALL attendees MUST pre-register prior to the event, and must be able to access the Zoom platform to be able to view the training. If you have any questions regarding certification or how to pre-register, please contact Stacey Caughey at butle269@umn.edu.
Those unable to attend a scheduled Zoom session can also earn free certification online, anytime, at www.BQA.org.

StatePoint Crossword
Theme: The Oscars

ACROSS
1. Hedgehog of video games
6. And so forth, acronym
9. *Oscar-nominated black and white movie
13. Treeless plain
14. Grazing field
15. Moses' mountain
16. Sty sounds
17. Nelson Mandela's org.
18. Like beer at a kegger (2 words)
19. *Posthumous nominee
21. *Anthony of "The Father"
23. "What's up, ____?"
24. Huge pile
25. Protestant denom.
28. Feed storage cylinder
30. Load again
35. Relating to ear
37. Flighty one
39. Proclaimed true without proof
40. Musician David Lee ____
41. Ascetic holy Hindu
43. Eastern European
44. Plural of #10 Down
46. 500 sheets
47. Looking for aliens org.
48. Kitchen whistler
50. Wails
52. Bad-mouth
53. Medieval torture device
55. Pied Piper follower
57. Politburo hat fur
61. *Daniel of "Judas and the Black Messiah"
65. Raspberry drupelets
66. Fuss, to Shakespeare
68. Void, as in marriage
69. Defective car
70. Given name of Jack Kerouac's Paradise
71. ____ of Honor
72. Adam and Eve's first residence
73. Money in Myanmar
74. Shoemaker without shoes, e.g.

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1. Undesirable roommate
2. Medley
3. Grannies, in UK
4. Tattooed
5. Universe
6. Panache
7. *Most 2021 Oscar nominations for one film, #9 Across
8. Secret storage
9. Stole fur
10. One opposed
11. Indian restaurant staple
12. U.S. customary unit of force, pl.
15. Soaked
20. DNA and RNA
22. Argonaut's propeller
24. Shared work surface at an office
25. *Sasha Baron Cohen's "Subsequent Moviefilm" role
26. Be sorry for one's wickedness
27. Pita, in UK
29. *Like Roberto Benigni's fictional son
31. Husband to a widow, e.g.
32. Checked out
33. Stradivari competitor
34. *"Fences" winner and "Ma Rainey" nominee
36. Poker ante
38. *"Nomadland" director
42. Shadow
45. *The Trial of the Chicago 7" screenwriter
49. Greek "t"
51. Sandwich sausage
54. Necklace lock
56. Radio receiver
57. Nutritious leafy green
58. Got A+
59. Ice on a window
60. Happening soon, old fashioned
61. Caffeine-containing nut tree
62. Editing arrow
63. Chinese monetary unit
64. Friend in war
67. *Nominee for Billie Holiday role



The Grygla School store has received their final order for the 20-21 school year with a shipment of summer related items. Some of the new products available to purchase include beach towels, tanks (men's and women's styles), and Quik Flips (a sweatshirt that turns into a bag). The new products will be offered both in the school and at the Grygla Coop for the remainder of the school year. Photos courtesy of the Grygla School

Spring picnic brings out many members



The Fourtown/Grygla Sportsman's Club held their spring picnic last Saturday. The day started out with volunteers cleaning ditches at 10am, along Hwy 89, running from Grande Corner to Fourtown. Afterwards, the beautiful weather provided the perfect setting for an ATV ride and picnic at Grande Corner. Members from the Roseau/LOW Sportsman's Club even joined in the day, too, riding wheelers down Dick's Parkway to join in the outdoor fun. *Group picture courtesy of Fourtown/Grygla Sportsman's Club*



Left: It doesn't get much cuter than Myla Holthusen! Kids are ALWAYS so eager to smile for the newspaper camera... OR...bite it with their dinosaur puppet! *Right:* Well, it's not just kids who smile big for the camera! Mike Konickson deserves an A+ for not shying away from the camera either. *Photos by Grygla Eagle Newspaper*

Grygla Indoor Archery League



The Grygla Indoor Archery League wrapped up last week with Coordinator Justin Kiesow saying it went well for all of the participants. "We are already looking forward to next year hoping for more members and a longer season," he added. He and Jeremy Haack both began the league for locals. This year's Top 3 are: Dacotah Byklum 1st place (center), Jeremy Haack 2nd place (left), Justin Kiesow 3rd place (right). *Photo courtesy of Justin Kiesow*

3 Grygla athletes join Co-op teams with Freeze & Roseau



Clockwise starting with top photo: Reece Sundberg #30 is a sophomore in Grygla. He is playing on the Freeze Varsity Baseball team. Gavin Aune #32 is an 8th grader in Grygla and is playing on the Freeze JV Baseball team. Justin Thompson, a Grygla Junior and an avid golfer, has joined up with the Roseau Rams JV/Varsity Golf team. *Photos courtesy of Grygla School and Bob Thompson*

Grygla High School Athletic Director Jamie Lunsetter provided the following statement: "We are very proud to provide new opportunities for Spring athletics for our students. Reece Sundberg and Gavin Aune are participating in our new baseball cooperative program with the Northern Freeze, and Justin Thompson is participating in our new golf cooperative program with Roseau. We're excited to see what this will lead to in the future for our kids, and we are also so thankful to the Northern Freeze and Roseau for helping us provide these opportunities!"

Reece Sundberg is a Grygla Sophomore. He's been playing baseball for 8 years now, mostly Summer Rec stuff. Going into this new baseball cooperative program with the Freeze, he says though he's never played

with them before, he does know and talk to quite a few of them and looks forward to building new friendships with his teammates. The first game for the team is Tuesday, April 13th. Reece plays mostly catcher and first base.

Gavin Aune is an 8th grader in Grygla. He has joined the Northern Freeze Junior High team and brings 5 years of Summer Rec experience to the team where he'll play 1st base. He is excited to have this be his first time playing on a team for school and not just during the summer months!

Baseball practice runs every day of the week from 3:45-5:30pm when no games are scheduled. They are coached by Shawn Donarski, Travis Smith and Jared Jacobson.

Justin Thompson, a Grygla Junior, has joined the Roseau

Rams Golf JV/V team. "JT" has been playing golf since he was 5 years old and his game is pretty darn impressive according to those who he's been on the course with! "My dad got me started with golf. I'm looking forward to playing on my first golf team, getting better, making new friends and having some fun," he says. The golf season goes from April to about the middle of July. JT leaves school every day at 2:30 in order to get to after-school practice in Roseau every day. The team has qualifying rounds before every meet and the top 6 go to Varsity meets with the next 6 going to JV meets. The first golf meet is April 26th either in Crookston or TRF, depending on which team JT qualifies for. He is coached by Mike Lundbohm, Paul Grafstrom and Murray Ginther.



\$13,000 raised

The Goodridge Fire & Rescue Department held their annual fundraiser last Saturday night. There wasn't an empty seat in the house and they served every single burger of the 400 that were cooked. The entire night was a success, but one special and memorable moment was recognizing one of their own and doing what the community does best by rallying around him and his family. Two Henry special edition "Gunder Paulson" rifles were auctioned off with all proceeds going to Gunder and his family to help defray medical bills while he courageously battles cancer. Over \$13,000 was raised! Gunder has been a part of the Goodridge Rescue Squad for over 39 years and is a valuable and loved member of his community. *Photos courtesy of Kensie Lovly*



Gunder Paulson, above, with one of the Henry special edition rifles that were auctioned off last Saturday night. *Photos courtesy of Kensie Lovly*

