



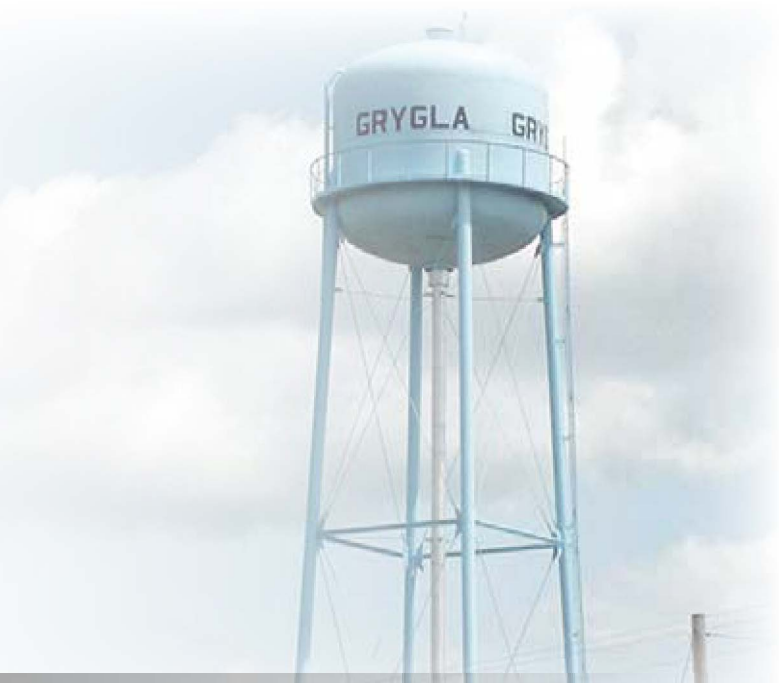
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Coming next week ... It's been a 30-year tradition for the Grygla Open!



Country music rings out in the Grandstand

The Marshall County Fair was held last week in Warren. Grandstand events kicked off last Thursday, July 22nd, with some good ol' country music ringing out by Back Behind the Barn Boys and Shenandoah! The county fair ran from July 21st-25th and attracts over 30,000 visitors each year. *Photos by Grygla Eagle Newspaper*



Betts Pottery devastated by storm in Ely

"I plan to return to the festival next year because it was really good. Until it wasn't," Betsy sighed.

Betts Pottery was on the road to Ely. Hours of time and work had been put in, along with a brand-new tent and display items, bound for the Ely Blueberry/Art Festival that was a 3-day event scheduled for July 23-25.

Friday's festival went great with Betts Pottery even featuring blueberry-themed cups and bowls. Sales were brisk and Betsy was looking forward to the next two days, until a major storm brought everything to a stop.

The fair closed at 6pm, with the storm hitting at 7pm. 70 mph winds uprooted trees and created major destruction. Most artists lost their tents and inventory, including Betts Pottery. "A few of my things survived, but most of it was in shards and ended up in

the dumpster," Betsy said, feeling defeated, yet thankful to be unharmed. Had the fair still been going on, there quite possibly could have been injuries as entire trees fell, crushing stands right under them. Betsy feels thankful to be unharmed yet is understandably upset about the loss of her new tent and beautiful creations.

"It was hard to look at, but I'm fine, just a little shaken," she said. "But I'm retired and will have more time to produce. Again, I plan to return to the festival next year."

The remainder of the Ely Blueberry/Art Festival was cancelled, with cleanup taking place Saturday morning, while many were still without power around the town. Most artists lost their tents and inventory; however, a few had some work left to which residents opened up their yards for those artists to set up and sell.



The before pictures, which included beautifully made blueberry pieces by Betts Pottery, which were displayed under the new tent, pictured above. *Photos courtesy of Betsy Saurdoff*



The after pictures; Betts Pottery is pictured above. Many artists lost majority of their inventory, as you can see.



Bringing Back Fun in 2021

T-shirts
Order your Grygla Fall Fest t-shirt today! Available on a pre-order basis only. The 2021 Grygla Fall Fest shirts are a rainbow tie dye with the button logo on them. Cost is \$20 with an August 9th deadline to order.

Buttons
500 Fall Fest buttons will be sold this year. All of the buttons will have numbers on the back of them that coordinate with a prize to be given away to anyone that has the matching number. Grygla Celebration Committee is looking for prize donations. They can consist of cash donations, gift cards, gift certificates, t-shirts, hats, baskets, etc. Any donation is greatly appreciated! The number of winners will be based on the number of prizes received. All winning #'s will be posted the Saturday of Fall Fest (August 28th) and can be claimed

that day. Donations are being accepted until Monday, August 23rd, and can be dropped off at Machinewell in the front office with Jodi Schulz.

Schedule of events
It was supposed to be on this week's front page, but we ran out of room! Oops! Coming next week, for sure! The poster is also shared on FB so you can check it out there for now.



Firearm's Safety Instructor Certification

There is a DNR Hunter Education Firearms Safety Instructor Certification course coming up on August 11th at 5:30pm at the Pennington County Sportsman's Club. (19929 140th Ave NE, TRF, MN)

This class is to become a certified volunteer instructor to teach DNR Firearms Safety. The certification will allow you to teach the Classroom and On-line Firearms Safety Course and Field Day.

Certification requirements:

at least 18 years old, pass a background check, complete application/background check forms and volunteer agreement provided by the RTO, current firearm safety certified.

Save your seat at the training session and provide the information listed below to Regional Training Officer Greg Oldakowski email gregory.oldakowski@state.mn.us.

Name(s) attending, Date of the training, Phone number or e-mail address

Grygla City Council approves June Minutes

The regular meeting of the City Council was scheduled to be held at the Grygla Civic Building at 7:00 pm on June 7th. The meeting was called to order, at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor Mosher with the following council members present: Gavin Nordby, Devin Ruud, Lindsay Oslund and Karla Byklum. Absent: None. Also present were Rocky Hagen and Rose Aune.

Council approved minutes, along with receipts, disbursements, checking, savings & total balances for that month. The payment of all bills was also approved. Other items included:

MOWER
Top 3 bids for the mower were Farmers Union Ag \$1,900; Logan Bring \$2,323 & Luke Nordvick \$2692.70. Council accepted Nordvick's bid.

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT
The old equipment from the campground will go to Carp Pit by Williams. They will take all they can get. Ruud will check into getting an auger for concrete to use with the Bobcat that Oslund has.

FIRE HYDRANT BY COOP STORE
MNDOT will be doing a Field Walk on Thursday, June 24th, at 9am. MNDOT will come up to Grygla and take a look at the sidewalks and ramps to verify their design. The council is encouraged to attend this field walk so they can add context and communicate community goals to the MNDOT staff as the town is evaluated. They cannot fix the existing boulevard on the existing sidewalks. MNDOT is willing to add sidewalk from Cenex

running east towards CSAH 54 along the north side of TH89 (no boulevard). MNDOT cannot assist with funding to relocate the hydrant in front of the Co-op Store.

WATER TOWER
Rose and Rocky will be working on an Asset Management Report with MRWA for all of the assets in the water department.

TREES
Nordby will contact the Tree Committee to discuss tree planting options by the Veteran's Memorial.

TENNIS/BASKETBALL COURTS
The school will be putting cameras up at the Grygla Courts that will tie into their security system.

HOMETOWN HEROS BANNERS
The council thought it might be a good fundraiser for the VFW/Legion to do if they would like banners purchased.

CLERK'S CONFERENCE
Rose will be gone for the Clerk's Conference in St Cloud June 15-18.

BASEBALL FIELDS
The baseball fields have been sprayed and weeds should be removed this week. This would be a good project for the kids to do next year on their Charger Kindness Day.

HIKING TRAIL
Bill & April have volunteered their time to clean up the hiking trail and tree plantation in front of the hiking trail by trimming branches and weeds around the trees. Thank you to them.

EXTRA MEETINGS
There were no extra meetings last month.

Annual Steak Fry Picnic

The Grygla Lion's Club is holding their Annual Steak Fry Picnic in the Park and meeting on Wednesday, July 28th, at the Ralph Klein Park. Supper

is at 6pm with the meeting to follow. Special Guests are DG Bertilrud and PDG Reich. Let's represent our club well, please plan to be there!

BSU Dean's List

Two local students have been placed on Bemidji State's Dean's List for the Spring 2021 semester. To be eligible for the Dean's List, Bemidji State students must be enrolled for

at least 12 credits and earn a minimum of a 3.5 GPA during the semester.

From Grygla, Minnesota:
Elise Monson, Erin Monson

• CHURCH CALENDARS

GRYGLA LUTHERAN PARISH
Grace and Our Savior's, Grygla
Vicar Marilyn Grafstrom
Recorded services are 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*
Sunday, August 1
Grace: 9am Worship
OS: 10:30am Worship

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Bethany, Ekelund, Faith
Pastor Kristin Dahlen Osercamp
Sunday services will be posted online on the Parish YouTube channel. They are re-broadcast on the GVTV Channel 36 on Wednesdays at 9am and 6:30pm.
Sunday, August 1
Calendar not yet received.

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF St. Clement's - Grygla; St. Ann's - Goodridge Fr. Adam Hamness
Sundays:
St. Clement's: 10:15am Worship.
St. Ann's: 10:15am Worship.

Summer League Standings

Week 5 Standings	W	L
Green	9	1
Blue	8	2
Gray	5	5
Orange	3	7
Pink	3	7
Purple	2	8

Week 5 Results
Blue 63
Jake Olson 15
Justin Kiesow 12
Brady Olson 11
Jordan Coan 10
Peyton Verbout 10
Pink 47
Cole Halvorson 10
Brandon Bakken 10
Gray 87
Lewis Jones 42
Nick Groven 19
Carson Rubischko 10
Purple 53
Dayle Larson 18
Sheldin Sundberg 17

Blue 79
Jordan Coan 24
Brady Olson 23
Peyton Verbout 13
Purple 52
Dayle Larson 22

Green 60
Andrew Holte 14
Blake Nerhus 11
Orange 38
Steven Hanson 13
Blake Rychlock 10

Green 57
Matt Hanson 12
Nolan Anderson 12
Treydan Carlson 11
Gray 41
Lewis Jones 24

Pink 64
Cole Halvorson 23
Hogan Lundeen 19
Matt Busse 12
Brandon Bakken 10
Orange 63
Steven Hanson 20
Blake Rychlock 17
Robbie Anderson 10
Alisha Anderson 10

St. Ann's: 12pm Worship
BETHESDA LUTHERAN CHURCH
Skime
Pastor Steve Bliss
Sundays
9:30am Worship, 11am Face-book Live Broadcast
LIBERTY CHAPEL Grygla
Congregation-Led
Calendar/information not provided.

UNITED LUTHERAN PARISH
Gatzke
Pastor Tim Lundeen
Sundays
8:30am Worship
CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
St. Petri - Grygla; Mt. Olive, Nazareth - Trail; Oak Park - Oklee
Pastor Jeff Merseeth
Saturdays
9am Worship at Mt. Olive
Sunday, August 1
St. Petri: 8am Worship
Nazareth: 9:45am Worship
Oak Park: 11am Worship

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Community Calendar

Wed | July 28
Accel Weight Room 7-9am;
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla Library open 2-6pm; VB Open Gym in Grygla 4:30pm; Grygla Lion's Steak Fry Picnic in the Park/Meeting 6pm; GBB practice 6-8pm in Goodridge; BBB practice 5-8pm Grygla

Thurs | July 29
Accel Weight Room 7-9am;
Foot Care Clinic at Grygla Community Center 9am;
Goodridge Sand VB League 6pm

Fri | July 30
30th Annual Grygla Open at Oak Crest in Roseau 9am;
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; GBB V Tourney in Perham

Sat | July 31
Goodridge Freedom Festival (all day)

Sun | Aug 1

Mon | Aug 2
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; VB Open Gym in Goodridge 4:30pm

Please email your community events and happenings to: grygla.eagle@gmail.com or call/text: 218-689-6901

Charger's Fall Sports Meeting

Charger's Fall Sports Meeting on Monday evening, August 9, 2021 at the Goodridge School. For students who plan to participate in FB/VB. You are strongly encouraged to attend with your child.

Participation fees must be paid at this time for the fall sports and 7th grade sport deposits.
6:00 p.m. Registration and payment of fees
6:45 p.m. General meeting

7:00 p.m. FB Coaches meeting with FB players & parents
7:00 p.m. VB Coaches meeting with VB players & parents
Reminder: Your physical must be up-to-date before you can start to practice for fall sports. Letters were sent out for students if you were in need of a physical. To speed up registration, please have the registration form complete when you come to register. Forms are available on the school website.

CONTRACTORS NEEDED

Northwest Community Action Inc., in Badger, MN is seeking General, Electrical, and HVAC Contractors for the Energy Related Repair and Weatherization Programs. The program enables households to reduce their energy bills by helping to make their homes more energy efficient, while protecting the health and safety of the family members. Work is awarded through a bidding process.

- Contractors Must:**
- Be licensed and surety bonded as required by pertinent laws, ordinances, regulations or code.
 - Must pass a background check.
 - Must know policies, procedures, and technical requirements. Manual J calculations are required on all home replacements.
 - Meet the insurance coverage requirements:
 - o These requirements are found on the Minnesota Department of Commerce State Energy Office website at <http://mn.gov/commerce>

Northwest Community Action takes all necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible.

If interested, please call Northwest Community Action, Inc. at 1-800-568-5329.

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5th Annual GOODRIDGE VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK
FREEDOM FESTIVAL
Saturday July 31, 2021
FEATURED ARTISTS
Debbie Aune Watercolor Artist
Al Belleveau Iron Artist
Jona Brown Oil Painting Artist
Kate Hammer Pretty Dirt Pottery Artist
Trevour Caricaturist
Kathy Bauck Face Painter
EVENT LINE-UP
7:30 am Freedom Run 5K Registration at the Football Field
8:30 am 5K Runners Meeting & National Anthem
8:45 am 5K Runners Take Off at the Football Field
10:00 am Fun Run Starting at the Football Field
11:00 am Parade - Goodridge Area Historical Society
12:00 pm Eric Mickelson / Singer & Emcee
12:30 pm Freedom Run Awards & Presentation
1:00-2:00 pm
- "National Anthem" - Mick Klein
- Guest Speaker - Lieutenant Colonel Jared Sundahl
- "Travelin' Soldier" - Jordynn Johnsrud & Carter Lee Johnsrud
- Red, White & Blue Quilters Presentation to Veterans
- "God Bless the USA" - Mick Klein
- Gun Salute
- Taps
3:00-6:00 pm Mick Klein & Micheal Pink
5:00-5:30 pm Cornhole Tournament Registration
5:30 pm Cornhole Tournament
6:00-7:45 pm Tami Lee & The Northern Lights
7:45 pm Live Auction
8:00-11:00 pm Jacked Up
10:00 pm Sky Lantern Send Off
FOOD&DRINKS
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PARENTS:
If you would like your children to attend the Grygla School this fall, and they have not been previously enrolled, please call the school at 218-294-6155 to get them enrolled and registered for fall classes! Even if your students are not school age, please contact the school so we can get them on our census information, and begin providing ECFE information. We are looking forward to an exciting school year! G19-20C

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The Grygla School is looking for bus drivers for a full time route. Pay is \$24.21/hour to start, guaranteed 4 hours per day and extra-curricular driving. This is a position that includes 403 b and an insurance contribution. Please contact Jamie Lunsetter at 218-294-6155 if you are interested.

AA Meetings rural Grygla

There have been AA meetings happening every Wednesday at 7pm at Our Savior's Lutheran Church east of Grygla near Fourtown. These meetings are ongoing every week and are open to anyone.

If you have any questions, please call Randy Thompson at 218-689-6080.

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Only in Minnesota: a weekly feature in the Eagle

The oldest church in Minnesota dates back to the 1800's. By now we've established that, though Minnesota has only been a state since 1858, its history extends much further back. We have ruins, restaurants, and more that date back to well before the Land of 10,000 Lakes joined the union. Let's add another item to the list: Minnesota's oldest church dates back to 18 years before statehood! Read on to learn about St. Peter's Church in Mendota Heights, Minnesota.

St. Peter's church is located in Mendota Heights, Minnesota, about 15 miles southeast of Minneapolis. The church is located at 1405 Sibley Memorial Hwy., St. Paul, MN 55150. The church dates back to 1840. It was built almost two decades before Minnesota became an official part of the United States.

In its early days, St. Peter's was a log church that served the

hundred or so settlers who had made homes in the area. On April 20, 1840, Father Lucien Galtier set out for Minnesota. The young priest began a small chapel from his bedroom at the home of a government official called Scott Campbell. The next year, a small log chapel was built in its place. Newly arrived settlers were among the first congregants. Later versions of the chapel were destroyed until, in 1842, the current church was built.

From the outside, the church's history is evident. The bricks date back more than 150 years. The tall steeple helps the church stand tall over Mendota Heights. Inside, the church is simple yet beautiful. A wooden ceiling and plenty of lights give it an airy feel. All in all, this historic church is well worth visiting for its long history in Minnesota.

Word of the Week

...enhancing vocabularies

one Grygla Eagle at a time.

Terrene

\\Te-reen, tuh-, ter-eeen\\

Adjective

earthly; worldly.

• SIMPLY DELICIOUS

By Kari Sundberg, Eagle Editor

This is a simple fruit salad that caught my eye, lookin' all FINE & FRESH as we near the end of summer. Next grocery run, I'm picking up the necessary fruit. I have been growing a strawberry mint plant this summer, so I'll be using that for the mint it calls for! Yum! I can't wait to serve and eat this fresh dish.

SALAD:

4 cups watermelon, cubed into 1-inch pieces
1 ½ cups strawberries, sliced into rounds
1 ½ cups raspberries
1 ½ cups cherries, pitted and halved

DRESSING:

2 tbsp freshly squeezed lime juice
1 ½ tsp lime zest
2 tbsp agave syrup
1 tbsp of fresh mint, finely chopped



Summer food aid on its way to Minnesota children

Coming soon: Summer benefits to support healthy nutrition for about 385,000 Minnesota children while school meal programs are on break.

Their families will receive over \$170 million through a summer program recently approved by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. This year's Summer Pandemic Electronic Benefit Transfer program supports food purchases for June through August, when school-age children who rely on free and reduced-price school meals may lack access to healthy foods. Summer P-EBT benefits will also go to children ages 5 and younger enrolled in nutrition and economic assistance programs.

The Minnesota Department of Human Services will begin issuing Summer P-EBT benefits later this month in lump sum payments of \$430 per child.

"The end of the school year shouldn't leave children without access to healthy food," said Human Services Commissioner Jodi Harpstead. "Summer P-EBT will make it easier for their families to provide nutritious meals, without added financial stress."

Summer P-EBT will go to:

- Children approved for free or reduced-price meals during the 2020-21 school year, who were also enrolled in the last month of the school year, no matter what learning model their school was using, and
- Children age 5 and younger who were enrolled in June or July in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Minnesota Family Investment Program (MFIP) or Tribal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (Tribal TANF).

"It's critical to make sure that Minnesota children don't fall behind in their learning and development over the summer," said Education Commissioner Heather Mueller. "Ensuring access to nutritious food is an important part of that effort."

Families will receive Summer P-EBT on their existing P-EBT card, or EBT card for those enrolled in SNAP, MFIP and Tribal TANF. Newly eligible families will receive a new card in the mail.

More children may receive Summer P-EBT benefits this fall, even if they weren't eligible during the 2020-21 school year, in these cases:

- If they are approved by Sept. 3, 2021, for free or reduced-price school meals for the 2021-22 school year through the National School Lunch Program, or
- If they enroll in SNAP, MFIP or Tribal TANF after July benefits are issued and before Sept. 3, 2021.

DHS will notify families eligible for Summer P-EBT by text message, email or mail. Families can sign up for text messages by completing the P-EBT Help Form.

General information about P-EBT is available through the P-EBT Hotline, at 651-431-4608 or 833-454-0153, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays. For assistance in multiple languages, complete the P-EBT Help Form, or call the hotline.

Chargers take 1st in Red Lake Falls



Charger's Varsity Basketball team took 1st place at the Red Lake Falls Tournament last Friday! The team has been playing in a variety of tournaments this summer, prepping for the upcoming 2021-22 season! Front row, L-R: Matt Busse, Lewis Jones, Elliot Philipp and Carson Rubischko. Back row, L-R: Head Coach Andrew Sundberg, Justin Thompson, Jordan Coan, Nick Groven, Reece Sundberg, Kaylor Torgerson, Sheldin Sundberg and Blake Rychlock.

Photo courtesy of Roxann Coan

Grygla/Gatzke School Board June Minutes

Grygla School Board Meeting Minutes: June 23rd, 2021, 7:00 p.m. Chairperson of the board Jeremy Rychlock called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm with James Verbout, Tera Nordby, Luke Nordvick, Clinton Brobst, Gretchen Smeby, Principal Gieseke and Superintendent Jamie Lunsetter present. Pledge of Allegiance. Motion by Jeremy Rychlock, second by Gretchen Smeby, to approve the agenda as amended. Passed 6-0.

Minutes of the 5/20/21 regular school board meeting and the 6/3/21 special board meeting are approved as printed.

Approve payment of bills: Motion by Gretchen Smeby, second by Jeremy Rychlock, to approve payment of the bills check #38111 through check #38237 and wire payments. Passed 6-0.

Finance Report: Bills: General Fund \$178,421.33 MS-DLAF \$1,489,242.16 Food Service \$3,322.93 Checking \$36,147.73 Community Service \$2,976.67 Trust \$ Scholarship \$ Student Activity \$10,935.56 Total \$195,656.49 Total \$ 1,525,389.89

Student Report: None Given Teacher Report: Given by Ms. Robin Johnson. The Read, Write, Math program has 22 participants this summer. They will be having a book exchange and a picnic. They are planning a trip after July 4th. Swimming lessons currently have 39 students signed up and will be starting in late July in Fosston. Boys basketball has participated in Nevis and Perham tournaments. Summer Rec baseball is going very well. The all-star baseball games will be tomorrow in Karlstad. A special thank you to Lynn Anderson for getting the baseball fields ready for the summer. Twenty students are participating in the Accel program this summer. JO Volleyball tournaments are being held this week in Grygla. A football mini-camp is scheduled for July 19-23 for grades 9-12.

Principal Report: Given by Mr. Gieseke. The school safety meeting with the Department of Homeland Security went very well and provided several informative pieces for the school to implement in our safety plan. One of the suggestions was to do weekly/monthly scenario sessions with staff. They also shared some Apps



This cool photo was taken by Brett Haugen at the Roseau County Fair on Thursday, July 22nd. He has more photos (in color) and also a cool video that's open to the public on his Facebook page. Check it out!

School Board Mins...
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that could be helpful. They will return on August 30th or 31st to visit with staff.

Superintendent Report: Athletic Update - all sports are very busy with practices and/or tournaments. Thank you to coaches, students and parents for your continued support. Bus Log - no bus issues at this time.

Motion by James Verbout, second by Tera Nordby, to approve FY 22 Annual Budget as presented. Passed 6-0. Motion by Jeremy Rychlock, second by James Verbout, to approve 2021-22 MREA annual membership. Passed 6-0. Motion by Gretchen Smeby, second by Clinton Brobst, to approve resignation of Jean Schulz, ECFE Director. Passed 6-0.

Motion by Tera Nordby, second by Jeremy Rychlock, to approve the following donations: Donor For Amount Grygla Junior Community Club Scholarship \$600; Grace Lutheran Church Women Scholarship \$150; Fourtown Sportsmans Club Scholarship \$1,000; Grygla Merchants Scholarship \$500; Red Lake Electric Coop Scholarship \$1,000; Passed 6-0.

New Bus Driver Discussion: Several different options were discussed by the board that included the possible purchase of a large van or taking a Suburban to Roseau. The addition of at least one bus driver is paramount but may be difficult to find. A sign-on bonus was discussed. No decisions were made, although we will advertise for the position.

School Safety Discussion: Several of the topics discussed at the DHS meeting were brought up. Policy #501 was also discussed which outlines the current district policy on weapons in the school. This will continue to be a discussion at upcoming meetings.

Referendum/Bond Issue Discussion: Limited additional information is available at this point. The board is waiting to hear back from David Jordan at the Engineering firm, ARI. A special meeting will be held on June 30th to discuss his findings.

Trustee Reports: None. Meeting closed for Confidential Staff negotiations.

Adjourn: Meeting Adjourned at 7:58. Next Meeting (special meeting) is 6/30/21, 7:00 p.m.

Special Meeting: Operating Referendum and Boiler Project Grygla School Board Meeting Minutes: Thursday, June 30th, 7:00 p.m.

Chairperson of the board Jeremy Rychlock called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm with James Verbout, Tera Nordby, Luke Nordvick, Clinton Brobst, Gretchen Smeby, Principal Gieseke and Superintendent Jamie Lunsetter present. Pledge of Allegiance. Motion by James Verbout, second by Clinton Brobst, to approve the agenda as presented. Passed 6-0.

Operating Referendum and Boiler Project Discussion: The board was given preliminary estimates on a new boiler system provided by the Engineering firm, ARI. The three options that were given were a \$1.5 million dollar option that would include changing the current system over to all water-based heat from steam heat. The second option was a \$2.1 million option that would convert the entire system and include digital updates to the system. This was the recommended option from ARI. The third option was a \$2.4 million option that included a full remodel and update of the system. The board discussed all three options and has several questions for ARI.

David Jordan has suggested meeting on July 14th to further discuss the options. All options would include the state contributing 53% to any project, which would significantly help to reduce the tax burden on our property owners, which is important to the board. Mr. Lunsetter will help to set up this meeting. At this time, all options remain on the table, and no decisions have been made.

Adjourn: Meeting Adjourned at 8:01. Next Meeting is 7/15/21, 7:00 p.m.



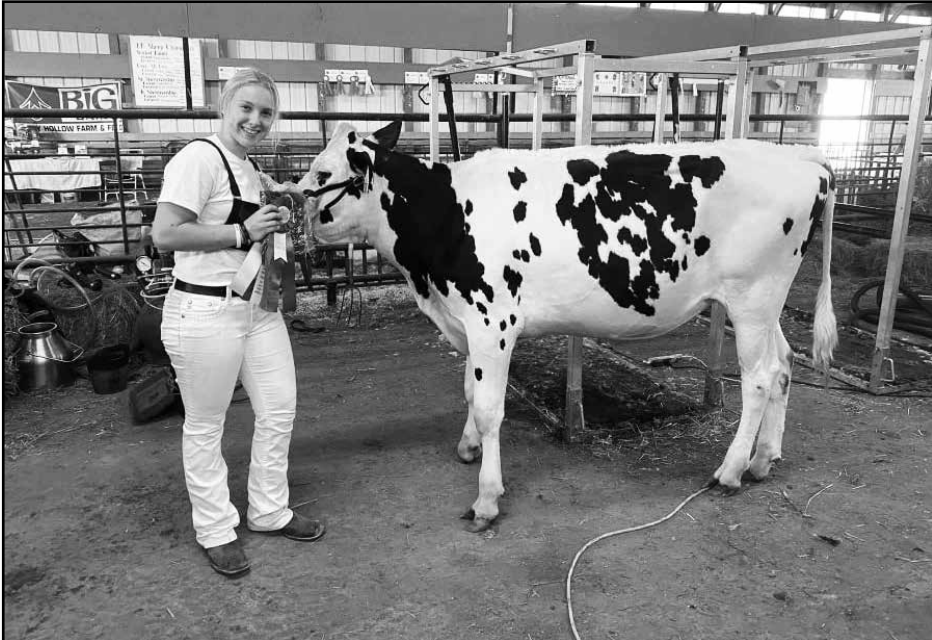
Callie Loken (Malung 4-H) and Lakylie Brobst (Grygla/Gatzke 4-H) work in the dairy bar at the Roseau Fair on Tuesday, July 20th. Photo courtesy of Matia Brobst



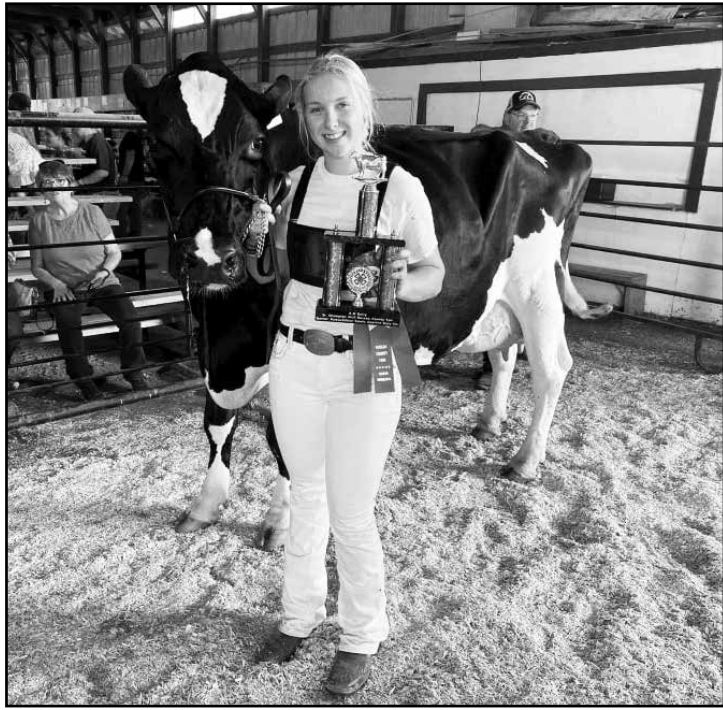
This group of Grygla/Gatzke Go-Getters 4H Club served breakfast at the 4H Food Stand last week at the Roseau County Fair! L-R: Walter Jones, Russell Rian, Gavin Aune & Katelyn Larson. Photo courtesy of Lori Jones



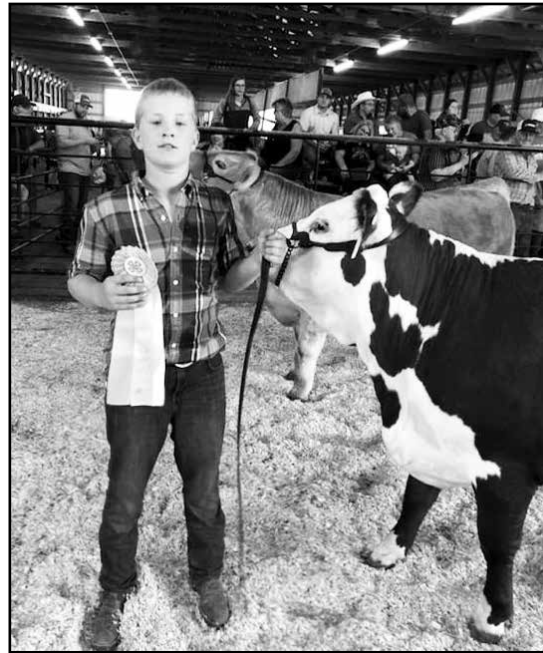
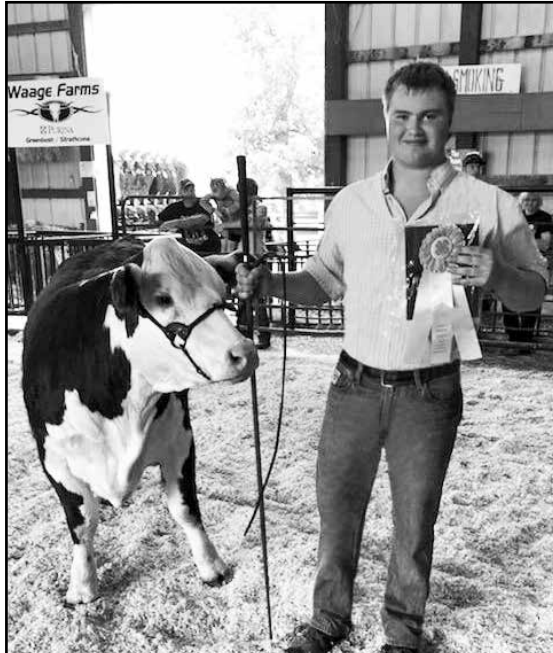
The Saurdiff siblings were successful in their 4H showings at the Roseau Fair! L-R: Riley received 1st place and a Grand Champion for her project; she was also invited to attend the State Fair. Brody earned a 2nd place ribbon for his wood shelf. Josie received three 1st place ribbons and a Grand Champion on one of them, too! She isn't old enough to be invited to the State Fair quite yet, though! Photos courtesy of Missy Saurdiff



Katelyn Larson received a long list of awards and ribbons at the Roseau County Fair last week. She received a blue ribbon and 3rd place in her class at the Beef Show. In the Dairy show, she won the Interview Competition; Grand Champion in the Senior Class, Grand Champion in the Junior Class and Grand Champion for her Herd, Reserve Champion in the Senior Class, Reserve Champion in the Junior Class and Reserve Champion for Showmanship. Overall Katelyn won (3) Grand Champion, (3) Reserve Champion and 10 Blue Ribbons for Dairy as well as the Interview Competition. Katelyn also participated in the 4H Blue Ribbon Premium Livestock Sale and Jody Miller/ Northern Ag purchased her Market Steer Premium. She also earned a State Fair trip with Dairy! Photos/information courtesy of Dawn Larson



Katelyn Larson showed 7 animals at the fair last week! Photo courtesy of Dawn Larson



Walter Jones, left, earned Reserve Champion for his Breeding Heifer at the 4H Beef Show July 21st. He was also awarded Reserve Champion in Senior Showmanship. Gus Jones, right, earned a blue ribbon for his Breeding Heifer in the Beef Show July 21 & was also awarded Reserve Champion in Junior Showmanship. Photos courtesy of Lori Jones



Left: Gus Jones earned a blue ribbon for his Market Steer at the Roseau County Fair on July 21st. He participated in the 4H Livestock Premium Auction Sale on July 23rd. The Premium for his Market Steer was purchased by the Grygla Merchants. He is pictured with Bryan Grove, President of American State Bank of Grygla.

Right: Walter earned a blue ribbon for his Market Steer at the 4H Beef Show July 21 and participated in the 4H Livestock Premium Auction Sale July 23. Premium was purchased by Roseau Electric. Walter served as one of the auctioneers for the auction! He also earned a trip to the State Fair. Photos courtesy of Lori Jones

