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A look at next week... Local high school athletes are presented with awards at the Chargers Fall Sports Athletic Banquet.

Sharing Tree season

“For it is in giving that we receive” (Quote by St. Francis of Assisi).

Most of us have heard this quote before and it's more evident than ever during the Christmas season.

Marshall County Social Services is sponsoring the “Sharing Tree Project” again this year; this is an opportunity for the people of Marshall County to show their love and generosity for the less fortunate children in the county.

Nine trees have been placed in Marshall County, with ornaments on them representing a child in need of a Christmas gift. The individual ornament will have specific information about a certain child. There will be a number, the child's gender, and the child's age on each ornament. The child's clothing size and some of their interests are listed on the ornaments. Numbers are used to correspond to the children's names due to confidentiality; no names will be released outside of the Marshall County Social Services office.

If you would like to be part of this heart-warming experience, visit one of the nine locations, choose your ornament from the tree and record the

number on the sign-up sheet with your name. Take down the information from the ornament, purchase a \$15-\$30 gift, return it to the location of the tree where you chose your ornament, unwrapped in a box. Instruction sheets, with the specific details are located at each of the tree sites.

The nine trees are located at the following businesses, American Federal Bank, Bremer Bank, and Frandsen Bank & Trust – all of Warren; United Valley Bank of Argyle; KodaBank of Stephen; Frandsen Bank & Trust of Oslo; Border State Bank of Middle River; Marshall County State Bank of Newfolden; and American State Bank in Grygla. Thank you to all of these businesses, and your staff for all your help in this project.

If you would like to purchase a gift, but are unable to get to one of the locations to pick up an ornament, please call Stacey Urbaniak at Marshall County Social Services - 218-745-5124.

Please note that the project deadline is Wednesday, December 7th, all gifts must be returned to the tree locations by this time.



I spy.....a Sharing Tree....and Elaine Rychlock!
Elaine took this fun and silly ‘selfie’ in front of the Sharing Tree that is currently up at American State Bank of Grygla. I'd say it got your attention, right? Now put this paper down and get to that Sharing Tree; Elaine will help you when you get there!

The Iron Chargers are at it again

Last Saturday marked the first full competition of the year for the Grygla Iron Chargers Robotics team. This year, the two teams are made up of Trystan Jelle, Jake Ahlbeck, Chris Luttrell and Abby Kiesow (4149C) and Julianne Nordby, Lucian Timmes, Hudson McMillin and Elise Monson (4149G).

Prior to the competition on Saturday, that was held at Sacred Heart High School, the team attended a “Skills Only” competition at NCTC on Friday, November 18th. Skills events are when it's only the team's robot on the field scoring as many points as it can. The 4149C team achieved the highest score in the state of MN, thus far

this year, while the 4149G team got the 9th highest score.

Saturday's competition in East Grand Forks brought some excitement as the two teams went head to head; team 4149C won by just one point! Team 4149C was ranked first after qualifications and choose to be allied with their own team, 4149G, for the finals. (They were ranked 3 out of 24.) The teams won their way through quarterfinals, semifinals and ended up winning the tournament! With both being named tournament champions, Team 4149G also won the excellence award and the skills challenge.

Both teams, that meet every Wednes-

day after school, now qualify for the state tournament.

Up next is another “Skills Only” event at NCTC in December with another full competition scheduled for January, also being held at Northland Community & Technical College in Thief River Falls.

Robotics advisor, Isaac Kvasager, says, “Because both teams have now qualified for state; this allows us to experiment with some different designs for the remainder of the year.”

It's very early in the season, but the team is off to a good start!



Iron Chargers 4149C team was allied with their own 4149G team in last Saturday's competition in East Grand Forks, where they were named tournament champions!



Winner, winner – TURKEY DINNER!
This group of excited BINGO players left the Grygla School with a lot of meat! Marty Barrett, Russell Sorenson (Roseau), Irene Kiesow (Goodridge), Jacki Schrader (Oregon), Angie and Bruce Kiesow and Lon Englund are pictured at Turkey Bingo that was held last week at the Grygla School. Russell won a turkey and a ham; Irene won a turkey; Jackie also walked away with a turkey and a ham!

Eric Mickelson named ‘Teacher of the Year’

Goodridge Elementary 5th grade teacher, Eric Mickelson, has been nominated by his fellow teachers and named ‘Teacher of the Year’ Mr. Mickelson began teaching in 1988 in Oklee, MN, for one year. From 1989-92, he taught 5th grade at Viking School, part of the MCC district. He headed to the Goodridge School in the fall of 1992 and has been teaching 5th grade there for the last 25 years!

Of him, Goodridge School Principal, Becky Carlson, says, “Mr. Mick has been an asset to our school in so many ways. He is a fantastic teacher and a wonderful co-worker. He is always doing whatever he can to make sure the students succeed. He is always looking for new ways to do things and trying out new ideas. He has the most positive, exciting, and friendly attitude; it is obvious that he loves his job, his students, and his co-workers very much. Mr. Mick is a wonderful teacher and totally deserving of the TOY award!”

Eric Mickelson not only teaches, but gets involved at the school. He has coached JV and Varsity basketball for 18 years, elementary basketball for 9 years, and JV football for 15 years. He has also been directing the school play for the last 15 years. In addition to those activities, he is also involved with Knowledge Bowl and is the spelling bee director!

When asked what he loves about the Goodridge School, Mr. Mick responded, “EVERYTHING!” He says he loves the small town atmosphere and the staff is fantastic. “I have taught with many people over these 25 years and have always considered everyone on staff my friend; I hope they felt the

same about me.”

He also says the community support in Goodridge is awesome. “If there is someone in need or an event happening at the school the people come out in swarms. Not all communities are like that,” he adds.

Mr. Mick describes his teaching style using the word “PASSION.” He feels if the teacher is excited or passionate about what they are doing, most often it rubs off a little on the students! He especially loves teaching the subjects of history and math.

When not at school, you will find Eric doing something with his family or driving a tractor. In the summer and winter, his family loves to fish. His biggest hobby includes reading, writing and monkeying with old tractors! “I know my love of tractors came from my dad, who always has a story about a tractor they had on the farm. But, also my mom. When she was born, Grandpa bought a little B John Deere for his “son” to drive. Well, his daughter learned to drive it and is quite a farm girl herself,” he laughs.

In closing, Mr. Mickelson says he is honored to be named ‘Teacher of the Year’. He wants to thank his wife for putting up with a lot of late coaching nights and says how wonderful she is! He also feels fortunate that all of his kids were with him at the Goodridge School. “They all graduated from Goodridge and I am thankful for the great education they received from the staff here,” he said.

In honor of his award, Eric will attend an Education Minnesota dinner and the GEA also hosts a celebration at the school to honor him.



Eric Mickelson, Goodridge 5th grade teacher, has been named the ‘Teacher of the Year’! This picture was taken last summer while touring a school house at the Independence, Kansas, Laura Ingalls Wilder historical site. Laura Ingalls Wilder books are one of his favorites!



Invitation to parents

GHS will be celebrating American Education Week, November 28-December 2. Parents are invited to visit their child's classroom on Friday, December 2nd, from 9:30-11:20am. There will be a complimentary lunch that day if you are interested in staying for that!

The school is also coordinating a food drive. Any non-perishable items you would like to donate will be collected and given to the local food bank. If you would like to donate to this cause, please bring or send your items to your child's classroom teacher.

CHURCH CALENDARS

GRYGLA LUTHERAN PARISH
Grace and Our Savior's, Grygla
Pastor Vicki Saude-Worthington
Wednesday:
6pm Choir, 7pm Thanksgiving Eve Worship
Sunday:
Grace: 10:30am Worship w/ no SS
OS: 9am Worship w/ no SS

GATZKE-THIEF LAKE LUTHERAN PARISH
United – Gatzke; Our Savior's – Thief Lake
Pastor TBA
Wednesday:
Joint Service
Sunday:
UL: 9am Worship w/ no SS
OS: 11am Worship w/ 10:15am SS
Monday:
Gatzke Bone Builders 3:30pm

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Bethany, Ekelund, Faith
Interim Pastor Phil Johnson
Wednesday:
No confirmation; 7pm Thanksgiving services at Community Center hosted by GLParish
Sunday:
Bethany: 8:30am Worship w/ no SS
Ekelund: 9:45am Worship w/ 11am SS
Faith: 11am Worship w/ no SS

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF St. Clement's – Grygla; St. Ann's – Goodridge

Fr. Adam Hamness
Sunday:
St. Clement's: 10:15am Worship
St. Ann's: 12pm Worship.

BETHESDA LUTHERAN CHURCH Skime
Pastor Steve Bliss
Wednesday:
7pm Thanksgiving Eve Service at Pine Grove
Sunday:
8am Worship

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

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
St. Petri – Grygla; Mt. Olive, Nazareth – Trail; Oak Park – Oklee
Pastor Jeff Merseth
Wednesday:
Thanksgiving Service at Mt. Olive 5pm; Nazareth 7pm
Thursday:
Thanksgiving Service at St. Petri 8am; Oak Park 9:30am
Sunday:
St. Petri: 8am Worship w/ 9:15am SS
Oak Park: 9:45am Worship w/ 8:30am SS
Nazareth: 11am Worship w/ 10am SS

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

Help with home heating costs

Applications for the 2016–2017 Energy Assistance Program are being taken by Northwest Community Action. If you feel you may be eligible, either write to Northwest Community Action, Inc./PO Box 67/Badger, MN 56714, or phone (218) 528-3258 or 1-800-568-5329 and an application will be mailed to you. Visit: www.northwestcap.org Households may apply once during our program year of October 1, 2016 – May 31, 2017.

Energy Assistance eligibility is based upon household income and household size. Both homeowners and renters may be eligible. Households who live in subsidized housing but pay either heat or electric costs may also qualify. Subsidized housing residents who have both heat and electric costs included in their rent do not qualify for energy assistance.

The eligibility guidelines for 3 month's gross income are

listed below:

Household Income:	size/Maximum
1/\$6,135	
2/\$8,023	
3/\$9,910	
4/\$11,798	
5/\$13,686	
6/\$15,574	

Northwest Community Action serves households located in Kittson, Lake of the Woods, East Marshall, and Roseau Counties. Home visits available for homebound applicants, upon request. Households requesting assistance in completing the application are encouraged to phone our office to set up an appointment.

NOTICE: You are responsible for your heating and electric bills until you hear from Northwest Community Action.

This program is funded by the Minnesota Dept. of Commerce and U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services.

Holiday Blood Drive set for December 7

It's that time of year again! Trips to the mall; gift lists for friends and family, co-workers and teachers; and holiday meal and party planning. All these wonderful plans to keep people hustling and bustling and too busy sometimes to donate blood. Busy shoppers can take a load off while donating blood at the Grygla-Gatzke Community Blood Drive from 11am-5:30pm on Wednesday, December 7th.

The blood drive, with Unit-

ed Blood Services, this area's non-profit blood provider, will replenish local blood supplies and stock hospitals' shelves for the upcoming holiday season.

United Blood Services encourages people to donate once more before the end of the year, when people are so busy with holiday plans. Traditionally, the nation's blood supply is

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Goodridge "A" Honor Roll

Goodridge High School releases its 2016 Quarter 1 "A" and "B" honor rolls.

Grade 7: Katelyn Colden, Nicholas Groven, Hannah Wilebski

Grade 8: Shantel Horachek, Kansas Jensen, Riley Manderud, Madison Paulson, Trinity Walseth

Grade 9: Amy Wiskow
Grade 10: Mercedes Coan, Madilyn Race

Grade 11: Ben Groven, Kendra Jensen, Jordan Skibicki

Grade 12: Marzia Deodato, Hannah Dietsch, Kristin Faris, Ashlyn Henrickson, Jordan Nelson, Kayla Walseth, Jeremy Wiskow

Goodridge "B" Honor Roll

Grade 7: Braidan Carver, Jordan Coan, Isaac Johnson, Mason Laidley, Preston Moen, Jolson Sargent, Skya Wilson

Grade 8: Abby Brown, Vivian Coan, Ian Haugen, Moses Jensen, Jackie Zaviska

Grade 9: Morgan Burns, Katerina Groven, Maloni Henrickson, Jordan Horachek, Blake Jensen, Felix Jensen, Jordynn Johnsrud, Kayla Kieso, Preston Panek, Blake Passa

Grade 10: Kaylee Amundson, Nichole Arveson, Libby Johnson, Cynthia Sampson, Kaleb Sjustestad

Grade 11: Dylan Manderud, Logan Merrill, Blake Nerhus, Brandon Stanley

Grade 12: Brooke Anderson, Logan Carlson, Katrina Jensen, Karlee Johnson, Alec Kiesow, Alexis Kiesow, Blaine Kriel, Hogan Lundeen, Cameron Naeseth, Dylan Walker, Jesse Wiseth

Eagle Office Hours

Tuesdays: 2:30-3:30pm
Wednesdays: 9am-6pm

218.294.6220

LIBRARY LINK

Written by Kari Sundberg, Grygla Librarian

"Season's Readings!" from the Grygla Library! Check out the new Christmas display that's currently up at the Grygla Community Center, outside of the library! Hard to see what books are on there? I guess you'll just have to swing by and check it out in person. The display is filled with Christmas books and movies that include: Christian Fiction, Adult Fiction, Non-Fiction (Christmas cook-books), Children's books, Christmas movies, a couple CD's and a few Large Print selections. The display will be up through the Christmas season so swing by – we're open every Wednesday from 2-6pm.

If you haven't been to our little library in a while, you'll be excited (I hope!?) to know we have MANY new books on the shelves. We also got in a variety of new movies to check out – there are some pretty good ones in the batch, too.

I have three book suggestions for you this week, in case you are interested. These are books that I haven't read yet, but they are all next in line on my list. I hope they are as good as they sound. I plan to read them in December, as I have a couple books that I'm finishing up, so maybe you'll get to them before me and can let me know what you thought of them!

The first one is called *"The Guest Room"* by Chris Bohjalian. A quick overview for you: two men lie dead in a suburban living room, two women are on the run from police, and a marriage is ripping apart at the seams. It's supposed to be a heart-breaking story that grips the reader until the very last page. I don't venture into the crime-thriller territory very often, but when I hear great reviews about a book that is sure to stick with you, I'm hooked.

The next one on my list is called *"Midwives"* which is also by the same author, Chris Bohjalian. This contemporary classic is a number one New York Times Bestseller and a selection of Oprah's Book Club.

The time is 1981, and Sibyl Danforth has been a dedicated midwife in the rural community of Reddington, Vermont, for fifteen years. But one treacherous winter night, in a house isolated by icy roads and failed telephone lines, Sibyl takes desperate measures to save a baby's life. She performs an emergency Caesarean section

on its mother, who appears to have died in labor. But what if—as Sibyl's assistant later charges--the patient wasn't already dead?

As recounted by Sibyl's precocious fourteen-year-old daughter, Connie, the ensuing trial bears the earmarks of a witch hunt. As Sibyl Danforth faces the antagonism of the law, the hostility of traditional doctors, and the accusations of her own conscience, Midwives engages, moves, and transfixes us as only the very best novels ever do.

The last one I want to share with you today is a bit of a lighter read, if I had to guess. It's called *"Inheriting Edith"* by Zoe Fishman. An overview states it's about a single mother who inherits a beautiful beach house with a caveat—she must take care of the ornery elderly woman who lives in it.

For years, Maggie Sheets has been an invisible hand in the glittering homes of wealthy New York City clients, scrubbing, dusting, mopping, and doing all she can to keep her head above water as a single mother. Everything changes when a former employer dies leaving Maggie a staggering inheritance. A house in Sag Harbor. The catch? It comes with an inhabitant: The deceased's eighty-two-year old mother Edith.

Edith has Alzheimer's—or so the doctors tell her—but she remembers exactly how her daughter Liza could light up a room, or bring dark clouds in her wake. And now Liza's gone, by her own hand, and Edith has been left—like a chaise or strand of pearls—to a poorly dressed young woman with a toddler in tow.

Maggie and Edith are both certain this arrangement will be an utter disaster. But as summer days wane, a tenuous bond forms, and Edith, who feels the urgency of her diagnosis, shares a secret that she's held close for five decades, launching Maggie on a mission that might just lead them each to what they are looking for.

In all honesty, I initially thought it sounded a bit boring for my own taste, but a lot of the reviews said it was endearing and heart-warming, and well, after those two novels I shared first, I might need a little of that! So....we shall see, right?

Happy reading and I hope to see you at the library!

The Goodridge Lutheran Parish
will be hosting

THANKSGIVING SERVICES

at the **Goodridge Community Center**

for the community on
November 23rd
at 7:00 p.m.

— EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO JOIN US! —

Fall raffle winners

The Fourtown/Grygla Sportsman's Club held their Fall Raffle drawing last Saturday evening in Fourtown. Raffle proceeds go to the club's donations through the year.

Bryan Klopp: Weatherby Vanguard with Leopold VX2 scope; Diane Gonsoroski: Sav-

age 17 H.M.R. with thumb-hole stock; Kristi Suchoski: Henry Golden Boy 22 cal.; David Watne: Remington 870 Pump 12 Gauge; Billy Wikert: CVA .50 cal. Black Powder; Casey Noreen: \$100 cash; Kelly Holthusen: \$100 cash.

Results from last week's StatePoint crossword puzzle.

Community Calendar

Wed | Nov 23
Grygla Eagle office open 9am-6pm; Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla Library open 2-6pm

Thurs | Nov 24
Happy Thanksgiving; No school

Fri | Nov 25
No school; Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am

Sat | Nov 26
BBB Jamboree in Clearbrook 10am

Sun | Nov 27

Mon | Nov 28
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Teen Book Club to meet at Community Center 7pm

Tues | Nov 29
Grygla Eagle office open 2:30-3:30pm; GBB vs. SAC in Grygla

Community Education

Class: Holiday Crafts

Info: Your choice of three crafts: rustic post snowman, rustic wood Christmas candles, tree Christmas card holder (2 options). Check the Community Ed tab on the school website for photos.

Where: Grygla School Commons

When: Wednesday, December 7

Time: 6-9pm

Instructors: Tami Irlbeck, Hazel Thomas, Amy Holte

Cost: Snowman/candles are \$10; tree card holder is \$12

Registration: Call Shaunna Olsson at 294-6155

Registration Deadline: November 30th

Class: Christmas Baking Made Easy

Info: No shopping or searching for recipes! Make, bake and take your goodies home. Bring containers to hold 8-10 dozen cookies. Don't need that many treats? Bring a friend and split the cookies and the cost!

Where: Grygla School FACS room

When: Tuesday, December 20

Time: 6-9pm

Instructor: Kandy Sundberg

Cost: \$30.00

Registration: Call Shaunna Olsson at 294-6155

Registration Deadline: December 13th

Make checks payable to the Grygla School. Fees due by the date of class and may be paid at the class. You can register on the Community Ed page of the school website, too!

CITY OF GRYGLA, MINNESOTA

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

ON THE PROPOSAL TO ADOPT A STREET RECONSTRUCTION PLAN AND THE INTENT TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION STREET RECONSTRUCTION BONDS

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Grygla, Minnesota, will meet on December 12th, 2016, at 7:00 p.m. at the Grygla Civic Building, 219 West Beltrami Street, in Grygla, Minnesota, for the purpose of conducting a public hearing on (a) the proposal to adopt a five year street reconstruction plan and (b) the intent to issue general obligation street reconstruction bonds not to exceed approximately \$99,500, under its street reconstruction plan for street reconstruction improvements described in the street reconstruction plan.

All persons may appear at the December 12th public hearing and present their views to the Council orally or in writing.

If a petition requesting a vote on the issuance of the general obligation street reconstruction bonds is signed by voters equal to five percent of the votes cast in the last municipal general election and is filed with the City Clerk within 30 days of December 12th, 2016, the City may issue the general obligation street reconstruction bonds only after obtaining the approval of a majority of the voters voting on the question of the issuance of the general obligation street reconstruction bonds.

By order of the City Council
November 14th, 2016

By: Rose Aune,
City Clerk-Treasurer

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RBST Training

The Marshall County Sheriff's Department along with the Safe Communities Coalition will be offering a free Responsible Beverage Server Training (RBST) on Sunday, December 4th at 7pm in the basement meeting room at the courthouse in Warren.

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The Joy Of Thanksgiving

The Thanksgiving tradition began at Plymouth Colony in the autumn of 1621. After a successful corn harvest, Governor William Bradford declared a three-day celebration of thanksgiving and prayer. The colonists thanked God for the year's blessings.

"Enter into his gates with Thanksgiving and into his courts with praise; be thankful to him and bless his name." ~Psalm 100:4

As we look forward to the Thanksgiving meal and a special time with family and friends, we wish you a blessed Thanksgiving.

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THE GRYGLA EAGLE

A Note from Principal Lunsetter’s Desk

“Believe in yourself! Have faith in your abilities! Without a humble but reasonable confidence in your own powers you cannot be successful or happy.” ~ Norman Vincent Peale

We all have things that we struggle with. Whether it be an interaction with another person, or our abilities or lack thereof in certain areas. We are all made differently for a good reason. We are supposed to have a humble pride in the things that we do well and we should take joy in being able to use those talents to help others. We should also marvel at the talents of others and be grateful that they share those talents with us. It is also very important that we are able to look honestly at the areas where we struggle and work to develop those areas, and be able and willing to accept the help of others. It is because of these reasons that we can truly say that our differences are what ultimately bring us together.

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

Pleonasm \PLEE-uh-naz-uh m\
NOUN
1. the use of more words than are necessary to express an idea; redundancy. 2. an instance of this, as true fact.

RBST Training...
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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. Certificated of attendance will be given for participants.

There is no cost for the training, but interested persons are asked to sign up by Wednesday, November 30th, by e-mailing Linda Gornowicz at lgornowicz@wao.k12.mn.us or calling at 218-745-4646 ext.1213.

Server training protects both the business 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.

Blood Drive...
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very tight during the holidays; area residents can help assure that a blood shortage does not occur this year.

Make your convenient appointment to give blood at www.unitedbloodservices.org or by calling Ralph (294-6177), Sheldon (294-6176), Mildred (459-3436), or Nadine (459-3315). With each donation, donors receive a free total cholesterol test and earn points in United Blood Services Hero in Me rewards program.

Volunteer donors must be at least 16, weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and be in good health. Additional height/weight requirements apply to donors 22 and younger, and donors 16 and 17 years of age must have a signed permission from a parent or guardian.

▶ SIMPLY DELICIOUS

Written by Kari Sundberg, Eagle Editor

I can't take credit for making this, but I can take credit for eating it, enjoying it and appreciating it very much! Our friends from the cities were up over deer hunting weekend and invited us to their cabin for supper. Imagine my surprise when I saw this stuffed pork loin awaiting us. The excitement I felt was indescribable. First off, I love pork loin. Secondly, stuffed? ARE YOU SERIOUS!? Yum. Just Yum.

Teri said it's a very simple recipe. Cut your pork loin according to size. Cut down the middle about half-way and stuff it! That's it. For this particular time, he filled it with a cream cheese and jalapeno mixture. And wait for it..... HE WRAPPED THE ENTIRE THING WITH BACON SLICES. The flavor was simply delicious.

I didn't ask him how long he baked it for, but I'm sure we all know how long it takes to bake something like this, right? I hope so, because I've never actually made a pork loin before, so I have no idea! OOPS. My husband is the one who is in charge of the pork loin at our house and he's not home, so I really can't tell ya. Use your best judgement. HA. Mainly, I just wanted to give you the idea that, yes, you definitely can stuff a pork loin with cream cheese and, yes, it's amazing.

Same time and place next week. Enjoy your thanksgiving feasts!



City Council
approves
October
minutes

The Grygla City Council held their November meeting on the 14th at the Grygla Civic Building; members approved October's minutes, which are included below for your reference. Official minutes are taken by City Clerk, Rose Aune, and recapped by Eagle Editor. For a full version, visit www.grygla.govoffice2.com and select Agendas & Minutes. Minutes of the regular meeting of the Grygla City Council – October 17th, 2016.

The regular meeting of the City Council was scheduled to be held at the Grygla Civic Building at 7:00pm. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Mosher with the following council members present: Gavin Nordby, Lindsay Oslund, and Robert Thompson, Dave Dunrud. Absent: None. Also present were Rose Aune and Helen Anderson.

Previous months minutes were approved, along with receipts & disbursements and payment of all bills presented. Other items included:

TOBACCO-FREE SIGNS
Helen Anderson - TFC project coordinator went over the option for cities to get Tobacco-Free Property signs that are available at no charge to the cities. Approved were 10 signs total to put up around the arena parking lot, tennis courts, picnic shelter by the school, and Veteran's memorial.

WATER TOWER
Maguire Iron said the exterior & interior bids were good until the end of this year. Rose will check with MN Rural Water for micro loan options on water tower repairs and street repairs.

GAS DETECTOR FOR ARENA
Thompson to get some new prices on detectors.

LAGOON FENCE
Rocky & Cooper have been working on installing the fence. ASPHALT PRESERVATION COMPANY, Inc gave a proposal for chip seal on the city streets. Still waiting on a proposal for crack sealing.

COMMUNITY CENTER
The council will try to get a group to go through a good clean-up of the CC before the Centennial. They will possibly do some fundraising to help get some repairs done. The council approved an increase in the deposit for renting to \$250 from \$100.

SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL GRANT
Matt Upgren sent a Periodic Cost Estimate, Itemization, Pay Application for the council to look over. All payments on the SRTS project were approved.

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT
Oslund is still waiting to hear on the Operation Round-up grant.

CAMPSITE ADDITIONAL HOOKUPS
There is nothing new to report at this time.

AIRPORT ELECTRICAL HOOKUPS

There is nothing new to report at this time.

RADAR SPEED LIMIT SIGNS

MN DOT put a portable temporary radar sign up on the west side of town. They're waiting to see if the 60 mph limit gets approved on Hwy 89.

FF ELECTRIC POLE
There is nothing new to report at this time.

REVOLVING LOANS
Hane said it would be ok to divide the CMI loan between partners. Oslund and Mosher to do some more discussing on how the agreement is written up.

EXTRA MEETINGS
All council had the budget meeting.



Goodridge High School students participated in the Northland Honor Band concert that was held at NCTC last Friday evening. The students were selected and performed in a 90-piece band with 15 other area schools, including Grygla. Back: Alec Kiesow, Dylan Walker, Jeremy Wiskow, Cameron Naeseth Front: Kendra Jensen, Libby Johnson, Mercedes Coan, and teacher Lorrisa Skalsky

▶ DO IT YOURSELF

Stove-top potpourri

Here is a crazy-easy holiday potpourri that simmers on the stove all day long. The best part is, you can really use whatever you have on hand. For this concoction, the must-haves include oranges, cinnamon sticks, ginger and vanilla. Nothing makes it feel more like the holidays than those smells.

You can let this recipe simmer all day long, adding more water as needed. If you are having guests over for Thanksgiving, this is the perfect thing to have simmering away. It's a great easy fix that makes people feel warm, cozy and welcomed!

- 1.5 cups fresh cranberries
- 3 oranges, halved
- 3 whole cinnamon sticks
- 1 tsp whole cloves
- 1 inch piece fresh ginger
- 1 vanilla bean (if you have on hand) + 1 tbps vanilla extract
- 1 small branch fresh pine (optional)
- 1 cup apple cider or cranberry juice

Water

Combine all the ingredients in a medium size sauce pot. Fill the pot with water until it reaches 3/4 the way full. Place the pot on the stove and bring to a gentle boil. Reduce the heat to a simmer, adding more water as needed. Simmer for hours, just be sure to keep adding more water.



▶ WHAT A JOKE

We all love Thanksgiving, but it often takes a sense of humor to get through it. Take a look at some of these jokes from the likes of some true comedians!

"You can tell you ate too much for Thanksgiving when you have to let your bathrobe out." – Jay Leno

"Thanksgiving is an emotional holiday. People travel thousands of miles to be with people they only see once a year. And discover once a year is way too often." – Johnny Carson

"You know you've had a bad Thanksgiving when the meal was leftovers from last Thanksgiving." – David Letterman

"Thanksgiving is a magi-

cal time of year when families across the country join together to raise American's obesity statistics. Personally, I love Thanksgiving traditions; watching football, making pumpkin pie, and saying the magic phrase that sends your aunt storming out of the dining room to sit in her car." – Stephen Colbert

"This was a really big year for me. I got to go home for Thanksgiving and sit at the adults table. That's because, you know, somebody had to die for me to move up a plate." – Andre Kelley

"Thanksgiving, man. Not a good day to be my pants." – Kevin James



How do you
cook a turkey?

Instructions from Mr. Monson's 2nd graders at Grygla Elementary, written in their own words!

Rylie Stratton
First you find a Turkey. Next you cut it up. Then you put seasoning on it. Next you cook it in the oven. Then you let cool down. Finally you eat it up.

Jens Oslund
First you get a Turkey. Next you cook the Turkey. Then you get the gravy. Finally you eat the Turkey.

Brett Rychlock
First you buy the turkey. Next you put the turkey in the Pot. Then you cook the turkey. Finally you Put the turkey on the table and eat.

Taylor Dougherty
First you find a Turkey. Next you kill the Turkey. Then you cook the Turkey. Finally you eat The Turkey.

Landon Nordby
First you put the turkey in the pan. You put peper on the turkey. You put it in the oven. Finally you cut the turkey.

Torii Anderson
First you put it in the oven. Next cut it up. Then take it out of the oven. Finally the turkey is done, now you eat it.

Wade Tornow
First I kill the Turkey. Nexx I put the turkey in the oven. Then I stuff the turkey. Finally I eat the Turkey.

Connor Boutain

First you take it out. Put Butter in it and you can put peppers on it for spice. Then peper on it if you want to. Next you stuff it. Then put seasons on it and then you cook it in the oven and then you eat it.

Autumn Osse
First you buy the Turkey. Next you cook the Turkey. Then you take the Turkey out carefully to the oven. Finally you eat the Turkey until it is all gone.

Michael Nitham
First I kill the Turkey. Next I cook the Turkey. Then I stuff the Turkey. Finally I eat the Turkey.

Colbie Johnson-McManus
First I put the sesunning on. Next cook it without burning it. Then you take the turkey out of the oven. Finally I put the turkey on a plate!

Joseph Stinson
First I will add salad around the turkey. Then I will put a apple in the front. Next I will look for another Turkey. Then I will cook it. I will cook both Turkey.

Brayden Nordby
First you cook it. Next you put salt on it. Then you cool it down. Finally you eat it.

Ryelin Stanley
First cook for 5 hours. Next cut the turkey. Then wait for while. Finally eat the turkey on the table.



The Goodridge High School Band and Choir concert was held last Thursday, November 17th.



Eagle Scratches from 30 years ago - 1986

Creamery will officially change hands next month

(January 16, 1986)

Beginning next month, the Grygla Co-op Creamery Association, a pioneer institution in this city, will cease to exist. The business will continue to operate, only under a different name and new ownership.

The Farmers Union Oil Company of Grygla will take over the creamery business beginning February 1. They plan to be closed from January 31 through February 2 for inventory, to re-open February 2.

Since the 'creamery' no longer handles either milk or cream, the name will be changed to Farmers Union Oil Company, Agri-Products Department. Feed and fertilizer are among the main items being sold there now.

The Creamery Board of Trustees accepted the Farmers Union bid for the business on December 20. Financial difficulties, mostly due to over-due accounts, forced the liquidation of the creamery. The Farmers Union bid was the only satisfactory bid received by the board, and was acceptable with the Bank of Co-ops and Land O' Lakes. Land O' Lakes still had a mortgage on the creamery's past due accounts and will also accept the patron equities as payment on the creamery's debt to them. The Bank of Co-ops formerly held the mortgage on the creamery's buildings.

The Farmers Union has purchased all assets, (inventory, equipment and buildings) and will have a clear title to their new business. According to Farmers Union Manager Wallace Sistad, the business will be run much the same as it is now, although the hours will be subject to change.



Dalton Anderson and Gerald Langness of the Agri-Products Department. Both men will keep their jobs in this new transition.

Several changes will be made in the staff, however. Sistad will be the General Manager of the business, with Dalton Anderson, a creamery employee in the fertilizer department for several years, as Department Manager at the Agri-Products Dept. Gerald Langness, the only other employee hired for the Ag Dept. will continue his employment there. The position of bookkeeper, currently held by Mary Carlson, will be eliminated, with all the bookkeeping combined and taken care of in the main office at the Farmers Union Station. The position now being held by Mary Mathiason will also be eliminated.

The board of directors at the Farmers Union Oil Company, who made the decision to purchase the creamery business, will be the governing board for the Ag Dept. as well. Farmers Union stockholders will earn equity also in the Agri-Products Department.

For the present time there will be no change in the line of products being sold in the Ag Dept. All of the feed and fertilizer will be purchased through Land O' Lakes. The Cash Only policy will continue to be in effect after the changeover.

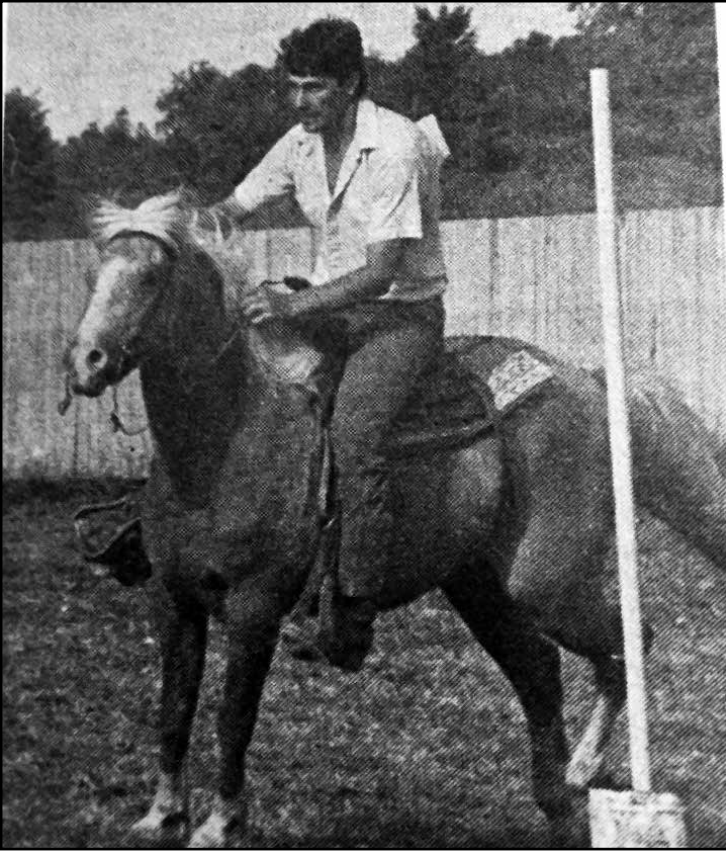
The locker plant will continue to operate as part of the Farmers Union business but with increases in rates to cover operating costs. Improvements will be made at the locker plant providing patrons indicate that they will continue to do business there.

The board and management of the Farmers Union Oil Company welcomes everyone to the Agri-Products Department. They hope that people will continue to patronize the business as before.



(February 13, 1986)

State Senator LeRoy Stumpf of Plummer met at his State Capitol office recently with two area students who were participating in the Capitol's "Project 120" program designed to acquaint high school juniors and seniors with the state legislative and decision-making process. Meeting with Stumpf were Paula Mutnansky, right, from Goodridge, and Angela Rogert, left, from Gatzke. They joined other students from across the state participating in these educational activities in St. Paul. Both Paula and Angela are seniors at Grygla High School.



(July 3, 1986)

Bit and Bridle Club holds successful Horse Show

A large crowd enjoyed the horse show held in Grygla Sunday. There were 16 different events, divided into classes for peewees, juniors and seniors. Shown here is Randy Stenvick. The show was a success with 415 entries!

Former Blue Devils play for Pioneers

(October 23, 1986)

Tim Wayne and Scott Groven of Goodridge, and Darrin Byklum, Brian Byklum, Brian Holte and Bill Neuschwander, all of Grygla, are members of the Northland Community College Pioneer football team. All formerly played football with the Goodridge-Grygla Blue Devils, coached by Darwin Hagen.

Brian Holte is attending the Area Vocational Technical

Institute in Thief River Falls where he is studying airway science. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Holte of Grygla.

Scott Groven is a sophomore at Northland Community College where he is majoring in Business. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Groven of Goodridge.

Brian Byklum is a freshman at Northland and is majoring in Electrical Engineering.

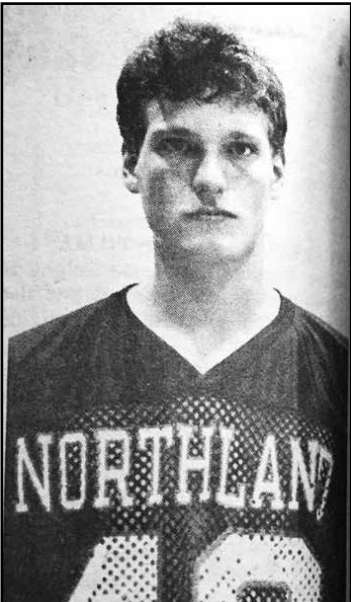
ing. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Byklum of Grygla.

Darrin Byklum is a freshman at Northland and is majoring in Elementary Education and Coaching. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Byklum of Grygla.

Bill Neuschwander is a freshman at Northland with a major in Elementary Education. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Neuschwander of Grygla.

Tim Wayne is a sophomore at Northland in TRF. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Wayne of Goodridge.

The Pioneers, under the direction of head coach, Rick Nelson, will close out their regular season with home games on October 23rd against UMC and October 30th against Brainerd Community College at Prowler Field in TRF with a kick-off time set for 7:30pm.



Tim Wayne



L-R: Scott Groven, Darrin Byklum and Brian Byklum.



Potato Klub

ALL YOU CAN EAT

\$3.00

(Children under 12, \$.15 per year of age)

Saturday, January 18th, 1986, from 2-6pm

Gatzke Café

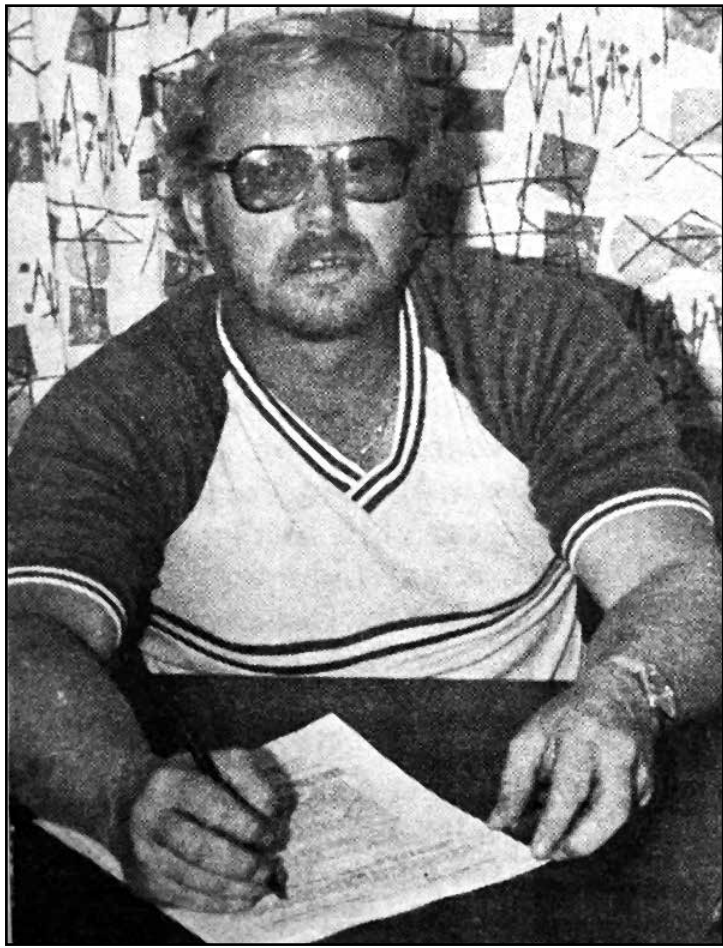
Easy to find - Hard to leave



(February 20, 1986)

Evelyn Anderson is shown by a hand-embroidered quilt created by members of the Lull-A-While Homemakers Club. Evelyn received the quilt after her name was picked in their second annual quilt drawing. The Homemakers say they have only 27 more quilts to go before they have one made for each of their members.

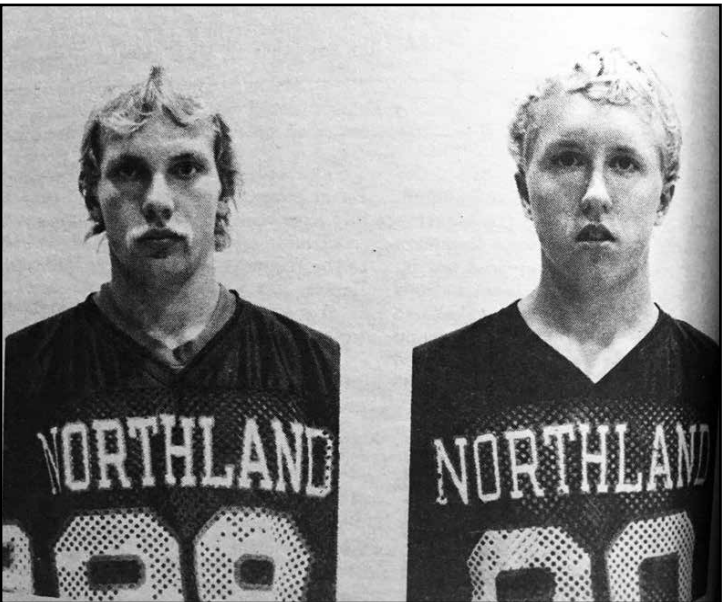
New teacher at Grygla School



(September 4, 1986)

William 'Bill' Poole, a native of TRF, is the new Social Studies teacher at Grygla. Poole previously taught English and Geography here as a long term substitute (82-83 school year). He now replaces Blair Moe, who taught one year at Grygla. Poole is a graduate of Bemidji State University with a degree in English and Social Studies. His teaching experiences include 12 years at Plummer, one year at TRF, and two

years at Goodridge. Hunting is one of Bill Poole's main hobbies. He also enjoys hockey and golf. He has been an assistant hockey coach. Poole is the father of twin boys; Ryan and Brandon, age 8. Poole remarked that he is happy to be back working in Grygla. He feels that Grygla has a very good staff and administration and that there is a positive attitude toward the kids and toward learning here.



Bill Neuschwander and Brian Holte