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Paige Prestemon has made many changes to the building that once housed a beauty shop, Wild Rice Growers and a second hand shop. She is in the area where she can do the preparation for the meals for the children in her day care.

Happy Feet Daycare in Gonvick

There is a new Daycare in town. Happy Feet Daycare in Gonvick opened earlier this year in May and has been in operation ever since. The Owner of Happy Feet is Paige “Hannes” Prestemon she loves working with kids and says, “I just love their personalities they’re so funny.” Paige is married to Blake Prestemon and is the daughter of Dale and Trudi Hannes. The Daycare is open at 7:15 a.m. and closes at 5:15 p.m. The Daycare is open all year long. Paige has 5 to 6 kids in attendance and plans on another one soon. Right now Paige’s age range is 2-10 year olds but she can also have infants.

Some things that the kids enjoy doing there are painting, going to the park, making muffins and doing puzzles. Paige plans on starting a healthy food program to teach the children what foods are good and bad for them. They also recently got a tracing table that will help teach children draw. She also plans on doing a pajama day and a costume day sometime soon. The children’s favorite lunch to have there is Chicken Alfredo with Broccoli, Mandarin oranges and Milk. Their favorite snack is Apple juice and Goldfish or Animal Crackers. They have a lot of outside playtime when the weather is nice. Paige plans on putting up a fence around the yard with toys for the kids. The Daycare has children from Gully, Gonvick, and Clearbrook. The building is nice and cozy with lots of toys to play with perfect for any child. For more information about Happy Feet call Paige at 218-556-1278.



Paige in the quiet room for infants.



Enjoying the toy area and just relaxing at the Happy Feet Day Care in Gonvick.

New casino to be built near Bagley

BEMIDJI, Minn. - Shooting Star Casino, Hotel and Entertainment, owned and operated by the White Earth Nation, has announced plans to build a new casino near Bagley. The casino would be located on Clearwater County Highway 27 (340th Street) between Ebro and Bagley, officials said in a release Wednesday. Designed by Minneapolis-based Cuningham Group, construction will begin in September and is slated to be done in the spring, the release said. Officials said the casino would create 40 new jobs for White Earth tribal members and others in the surrounding communities.

“We are immensely excited to announce our plans for the new Shooting Star Casino in Bagley,” said Bill Marsh, general manager of Shooting Star Casino in Mahanomen, Minn., said in the release. “After extensive research, we found that we have an impressive customer base visiting Mahanomen from this region and a large population in the surrounding areas who desire a first-class gaming entertainment experience. We believe the best way to accommodate these guests is to expand our existing presence by building

a new, state-of-the-art facility in their beautiful city, spurring both significant economic and financial opportunities.” In the release, company officials cited Bagley’s location to Itasca State Park and other outdoor amenities as a reason to expand to the area. “Our hope is that the new casino will help make Bagley a true destination as well as improve business growth,” Marsh said in the release. “We are eager to begin construction this September and expand our presence in the growing Northwest Minnesota region.”

BS Valley Day’s is August 15th

BS Valley Day’s is August 15th from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Zion Lutheran Church of Eddy. A fun filled day is planned with Food, Games, Farmers Market, and the BS Valley Strings and other local musicians such as the Wynkoops and BS Valley’s Elvis will provide Music and we can’t forget Larry the Clown will also be there. There will be activities for all

ages such as: Face Painting, Buggy Rides, kids and Adult drawings throughout the day. Refreshments such as coffee, Kool Aid, and cookies will be available all day also. They will be selling raffle tickets for a chance to win a Wheelbarrow full of goodies and they will also be raffling off two \$50 gift certificates to either Kubiaks or Galens. The

Big Raffle Drawing starts at 6 p.m. don’t be late!! They will also be crowning the King and Queen of BS Valley and the Bible School Children will be performing. Lastly, end the day with a wonderful Pork Supper starting at 5 p.m. Mark your calendars because BS Valley Day’s will be a day you won’t forget.

Strandlien and Trefz named Outstanding Senior Citizens

Lila Strandlien and Donald Trefz were named at the 2015 Outstanding Senior Citizens for Clearwater County. They will represent the county at the Minnesota State Fair this year. Outstanding seniors will be recognized for their service at the award ceremony at the State Fairgrounds on Senior Day September 3, 2015.

Lila Strandlien
Lila always put others before herself. Her energy and enthusiasm are contagious. Lila can inspire others to work and give of themselves so that all involved enjoy it so much and then everyone benefits. She is also a “Silent Servant.” Many ‘Acts of Kindness’ are completed that only the recipients are aware of.

Lila wears many hats at Faith Lutheran Church. She is currently Council Chairperson. She was secretary of the last Call Committee to call the current Pastor. She has been the church treasurer when it was an unpaid position. Several years ago, Lila and her friend, Lil Sauer, were Cochairmen of the WELCA women’s group. They initiated the “Service Group” concept to encourage more members to be readers, ushers, greeters, etc. It continues to be a very effective tool. Lila currently is a dedicated Sunday School teacher for the older students. She leads a committee to pack Lutheran World Relief boxes, and also the Personal Care boxes for the Peoples Church in Bemidji. At the Fall Festival she is seen “making lefse” off the grill.

16 years ago, Lila spearheaded the Community Christmas Day Dinner which serves more than 200 people in the community who would otherwise be alone on Christmas Day. This is a Community project involving area churches, but is planned, prepared and served at Faith.

Lila is an exceptional Bible Study Leader in the Naomi Circle, and she has taught the Bethel Series Bible Study, and is still enrolled in the GIFTS program at the Northwest MN Synod. She has also been a voting delegate at the Northwest MN Synod Assembly. Lila’s faith calls her to serve by example seven days a week. She just joined the “Prayer Shawl” knitting and crocheting group at Faith to make shawls for community individuals who have been hospitalized or very ill.

Lila has been a Community Volunteer in a vast number of county-wide organizations or committees which are human kind in their objectives. Two of them include the County Food Shelf which supplements families and individuals with better nutrition and adequate food. She has been on the County Food Shelf for more than 15 years. Also the Hospital Board where the concern was to maintain a good health care facility with good doctors for rural Minnesota.

Lila is a “Mentor” to children, teens and all who meet her. She is an organizer and inspiration to all who have had the honor to know her. She still makes time for her family. Lila has been married to Norris for 64 years. They have five children, nine grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren, and four great, great grandchildren. They also took care of her parents for years.

Donald Trefz
Don V. Trefz started his farming career at Leonard; milking cows, caring for a small flock of sheep, and logging to supplement their farm income. The depression years would leave a lasting impression on Don’s long volunteer career in Clearwater County.

Don has been an aggressive business man for over 50 years. He was an enthusiastic member of the Bagley’s Civic and Commerce organization, promoting the growth of Bagley and its community activities. The tractor pulling contest at the County Fair was one of his special projects and it still draws entries from North Dakota and surrounding areas. Don still states tickets at the grandstand during the Clearwater County Fair as a member of the Rotary Club.

As a Charter Member of the Itasca Pioneer Farmers, Don would park his travel trailer at

the site many weeks in advance to help prepare the grounds for the annual show. At 91 years of age, Don still sells tickets at the gate and welcomes visitors to the vent. In 2004, Don and Joyce Trefz were honored as the Pioneer Farmers King and Queen.

Don is a cancer survivor of thyroid cancer. He is dedicated to the Clearwater County “Relay for Life” annual event. He also sells daffodils during “Daffodil Day’s” each spring.

Don and Joyce have been very active in the Lutheran Church their entire lives, first at Leonard now at Faith Lutheran church in Bagley since 1955. Don taught Sunday School for 20 years. He has served as a Deacon and a Trustee. Don has delivered Christmas Dinner to shut-ins during the 16 years the Community Christmas Day Dinner has been prepared at Faith. He ushers and they are greeters on a regular basis. He is very supportive of youth activities.

At age 60, Don became a Charter member of the Bagley Rotary Club which meets every Wednesday noon. This is where Don’s volunteer Leadership skills really shine. He helps at the annual Golf Tournament in

June; sells roses for the annual Rose Sale in October; he rings the Salvation Army Red Kettle Bell in December. In his dedication to Rotary, Dan became a “Paul Harris Fellow” in 2001. This is the highest honor given to a Rotarian on the local level.

Volunteer Humanitarian,
Don Trefz lives by the Rotary Motto of “Service Above Self.” Don’s life reflects the Rotary 4-Way test by doing more than his share to keep Clearwater County moving forward whether it be a fund raiser, or being behind the scenes as an organizer.

His volunteer skills are based on these 4 Rotary Questions: 1. Is it the truth? 2. Is it fair to all concerned? 3. Will it build goodwill and better friendship? 4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned” All Rotary Fund raiser profits are given to local projects and organizations.

Don is a true farmer at heart. He is still actively involved on the farm south of Bagley. He and Joyce received the Valley Farmer and Home-maker Award for Clearwater County in 2005. He has been married to Joyce for 66 years. They have three children, five grandchildren and 5 greats.



Lila Strandlien and Don Trefz chosen as Outstanding Senior Citizens for Clearwater County. Dee Strandlien and Al Paulson, organizers for the event. This was the 40th year that it has been done at the county fair. Elsie Teigland, Opal Dahl and Loulla Rydeen were the three ladies selected and they did not get a man until 1978 when August Marsh was named for the county. Door prizes were given by Karen Lenius and they went to Perry Loidland, Tim Shelquist, Grace Borud and Ruth LaFontaine.



Emma and Lainey Fawver getting their sheep ready for the Clearwater County Fair.

Community Calendar

Memorial Service for Hazel Dolalie
Family and friends of Hazel Dolalie are invited to attend a memorial service and celebration of her life on Saturday August 15 at 4 p.m.at the United Lutheran Church in Berner. Hazel was welcomed into the hands of the Lord on June 20, 2015. Lunch will follow the service.

STORY TO SHARE!
If you have a story or photos you want to share, please send to: richards@gvtel.com



Clearbrook Good Samaritan Society residents and staff were treated to visits from Peggy Arlauds miniature horse Ellie and Her colt Elsa. Elsa is 3 ½ weeks old and is Elies 3rd baby. The residents all enjoyed seeing these small versions and got to pet and Scratch them. Others that came along to help with the horses were Duane Johnson, Debbie Navratil and Kaitlyn Sandland. Pictured above are Debbie Navratil and Ellie with Elaine Anderson and Viola Moen Pictured below are Albert Dunkley and Christine Peterson with Peggy and Elsa.



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Stop by Gully Tri-Coop. on Friday, August 14th & wish Gary (& Kristie) Robbins Farewell and Good Luck

Join us for Coffee and Donuts (Gary's favorite) from 10:00-3:00 pm.

on their new venture back to Maine.

R19-20C

Samhold NALC meeting August 20th

Samhold women of the NALC will meet Thursday, August 20th in the Samhold Church Basement Business meeting at 2:30 p.m. followed by the program.

Come and "Go on the Road" with Joan Higdem and Pat Lundgren as they share their experience of delivering the

2014 Capital Christmas Tree from the Minnesota Chippewa National Forest to Washington D.C. Supper will be served 4:00 to 6:00. Everyone is welcome.

Post meeting

The Gonvick American Legion Post #304 will be meeting on Tuesday, August 11th at 7:00 p.m.

Mission Friends will go to Thief River Fall

The Mission Friends and the EMW Core Group invites all ladies of Elim to join them as they travel to Thief River Falls on Saturday, August 15 to have lunch with Lorraine Tveitbakk at her residence (Valley Home)..

Several ladies will be bringing salads and a dessert. They will purchase meat/beverage to share with the ladies who attend the picnic. If it is too hot or rainy they will be eating indoors.

They will car pool from Elim Church in Clearbrook and plan to leave at approximately 10:30 am on the 15th.

Any questions talk with Rhonda or Marilyn.

Correction...

The Enbridge public meeting will be held on Monday, August 17 at the Clear Waters Life Center (Old school in Clearbrook) small gym at 6:00 p.m. and not in the (Old School large gym Clearbrook Community Center) Entrance is on the west side of the building.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Thurs. Aug. 13 - Baked fish, macaroni and cheese, peas, pears, raspberry dessert and milk.

Fri. Aug. 14 - chicken salad on bun, lettuce, fresh fruit, cookie, bar and milk.

Mon. Aug. 17 - Beef gravy, potatoes, peaches, country blend vegetables, bread, cookie and milk.

Tue. Aug. 18 - Roast turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, squash, cranberry garnish, frosted cake and milk.

Wed. Aug. 19 - Parmesan chicken, baked potato, sour cream, California Blend veg, Fruit Cocktail bread and milk

Meals are served daily at 11:30 at the Clearbrook site except for evening meals served at 5 p.m. Please register for meals at least the day before. Call 776-3154 to sign up. The suggested donation for the meal is \$4.00.

Backpack/School Supply Drive

There will be a Backpack/School Supply Drive and Distribution at Country Faith Church at 46125 - 149th Ave, Clearbrook (from Clearbrook, 1 mile south, 2 miles west on Cty. Rd. 6) on Thursday, August 20th, from 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. FREE Backpacks and school supplies will be available for families who could use a little help with this school expense. (School supplies will not be given out before 6:30pm.) If this is something that could help your family, please come. If you have questions, would like to donate supplies, or would like to receive supplies but are unable to come that night, please call: Country Faith Church 218-776-3367. Backpacks & supplies are given on a first come-first serve basis, so please try and make it to the event.

Gonvick Needs YOU!

Planning has begun for the 2015 Pumpkin Day Celebration. Pumpkin Day will be held this year on Saturday, September 26th.

The first meeting will be held at 7 am on Wednesday, August 12th at Kandi's Kitchen in Gonvick.

This meeting is open to everyone who is interested in having a fun, action packed, profitable day in Gonvick! (All of us, right?) If you are unable to attend, please call any of the officers or current members to share your ideas.

The activities that have been successful in past years include the Pancake Breakfast at the Legion, the craft show/ flea market, the Vintage Collectors Vehicle Show, music by Wild Wes, burgers and dogs from the Fire Department, games and drawings. This year will also feature the much anticipated raffle drawing for the magnificent deer stand from Samhold Lutheran Church! Of course the Pumpkin Weigh- Off will top off the day.

Membership dues are all used to fund activities during the year. They provide prizes, food and other costs associated with the community events. Even though the dues are provided by business owners, private individuals are welcome and encouraged to be part of the club with no fee. Donations, however, are very welcome.

Are you part of a team, group or club that can come up with a new idea or fund raiser? This is a great time to get involved!

In order for the day to be fun for all, volunteers are needed for the planned activities. Many hands make light work, so helping out with even one activity can make a great difference! So think orange, and get ready for "The Great Pumpkin Day!"

Church News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor Verlyn Strenge
Assoc. Pastor Jim Galloway
Clearbrook
Thurs. Aug. 13: 7:00 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer meeting at church
Sat., Aug. 15 7:00 am Men's prayer breakfast.
Sun., Aug 16: 9:30 am Sunday School, 10:45 morning worship. Juan Felipe with Hispanic Ministry
Coming events
Aug. 30 - Potluck meal

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Bagley 218-694-6416
Pastor: Fr. John Melkies
Suvakeen
Terri D, Parish sec.
Sunday Mass: 10:30 AM
Call for weekday Mass times.

FAITH BIBLE CHAPEL OF CLOVER
Leonard, MN
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

REDEEMER EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH - LCMS
Church Location: Corner of Hwy. 2 & Red Lake Ave. SW Bagley, MN
Pastor Linden B. Wendzel
Sunday Divine Service: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School / Adult Bible Study: 10:45 a.m.

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH
Clearbrook
Pastor Adam Krog
Wed. Aug. 12 - 7:00 p.m. bible Study and Prayer, 8:00 p.m. Youth Group
Thurs. Aug. 13 - 9:30 a.m. Bible Study & Prayer at Summerfield Apts.
Sat. Aug 15 - 10:30 a.m. Ladies leaver for TRF to have lunch with Lorraine Tveitbakk
Sun. Aug. 16 - 10:00 a.m. refreshments served in foyer. 10:30 a.m. Worship Service.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center

The Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center will hold their monthly General meeting on Tuesday, August 18 at 12:30 following the noon meal.

Karen Lenius will be speaking on the Tai Ji Quan exercise program designed to teach the elderly about prevention of falling. Karen is from the Land of Dancing Sky area of Aging Agency. Musical Entertainment will be by Gerald and Lana Wraa.

Coffee and goodies served following the program.

Everyone is welcome.

Meet the Bears Night

Meet the Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears Night will be on Wednesday, August 19th. Bring the whole family to meet the 2015 Football and Volleyball teams, enjoy food, prizes and a chance for the kids to interact with the players in games and activities. There will be jerseys, signed footballs, and signed volleyballs raffled off. We will also have senior Bear player trading cards free for all kids. The Bear Booster Club will be providing root beer floats and we will also have available Bear shirts and hats. Please come out on the 19th and support your teams!

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

Thank you to all who supported the CWLC Food Booth at the Clearwater County Fair.

Gonvick Location: 226 Elm St., 218-487-5290

Create It! Community Art Studios: Mondays, August 17 & 31. Glass & Tile Mosaic Creations with JoAnne McFarlin. 6:30-9 PM. \$5. 7th grade - adult. Drop-ins welcome. It's not too late to join this series of classes.

Restore It! Furniture Shop: Open M-W-F, 9 to 4, Sat., 9 - noon. Donations accepted during business hours. Use north entrance. Custom refinishing available.

Clearbrook Location: MAIN OFFICE HOURS: 8:00 AM-12:00, Tuesday-Friday, 256 2nd Ave. SW. 218-776-2789

Shop-at-the-Top: Summer Clearance Sale: 50% off all clothing & shoes through Sat., Aug. 15. Clothes for the whole family, 25 cents - \$2 per item! Open M-F, 10:00 - 4:00, and Sat., 10-3.

The Most Excellent Way: Recovery support group. 7:00 PM, Thursday. Second floor.

FREE Cardio Fitness: M-F, 6:30 - 7:30 AM. Use Gathering Place (south) entrance. Drop-ins welcome.

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KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Sand Lake Ave & 5th St. Bagley
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Bible Study; 8:00 p.m. Theocratic School; 8:30 p.m. Service Meeting.
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Public Bible Talk; 10:35 a.m. Bible Study.

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS
Clearbrook Branch
305 Lake Ave. E.
Sacrament Meeting: 10:00-11:00 a.m.; Sunday School: 11:20 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Priesthood/Relief Society: 12:10-1:00 p.m.; Young Women's: 12:10-1:00 p.m.; Primary: 11:20 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

GONVICK LUTHERAN PARISH
MEMBERS OF NALC
Pastor Kris Snyder
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gonvickparish@gmail.com
SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH
Wed., Aug. 12 7:30 AM Men's Bible Study, 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study, 10:30 AM Crafts & Laughs,
Sun., Aug. 16 10:30 a.m. Worship Service with Holy Communion
UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH
55070 149th Ave., Gonvick (218) 487-5308
Sun, Aug. 16 9:00 AM Worship Service with Holy Communion

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD
Good Shepherd
Sun. August 16th -9:00am Worship/Communion; 10:00am Coffee Hour - Favorite breakfast bread potluck - bring your favorite breakfast bread to share.
Thurs. August 13th 10:00am WELCA Board Meeting
Joint
Thurs. August 20th Women from Good Shepherd and Our Saviors will meet jointly at 12:00 noon for a picnic at Farm By the Lake, near Bagley. Hot dogs, buns, a beverage, and eating utensils will be provided; please bring a dish to share. For our program we will honor women over 90 years who are still involved with our churches.
Our Savior's
Sun. August 16th-11:00am Worship/Communion; 10:30am Coffee Hour
Thurs. August 20th 6:00pm Church Council meets

COUNTRY FAITH CHURCH
1 mile south of Clearbrook, 2 miles west on Cty. Rd. 6
Senior Pastor Larry Dorman
Associate Pastor Jim Binder
Youth Pastor Troy Churness
Children's Minister Nikki Ubert
www.countryfaith.org
218-776-3367
Sun.: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School (Sept 7-May 17) 10:00 a.m. Worship Service
7:00 p.m. Youth Night (check church website for dates)
Every Tuesday: 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer
*Wednesdays: Care groups in various homes
CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
Mt. Olive - Nazareth Oak Park - St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseeth
Sun, Aug. 16: Joint Installation Service, Oak Park at 4:30 p.m. Potluck supper after.

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
Josiah Hoagland, Pastor
Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor
www.newjourneyfosston.com
Wed, Aug. 12: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.
Thu, Aug. 13: 12:00 p.m. Rotary meeting.
Sun, Aug 16: 10:30 a.m. Worship and Picnic at Lengby Lake.
Tue, Aug. 18: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study. 10:30 a.m. Quilting

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund
Sand Valley
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Sun, Aug. 16: 9:00 a.m. Lund. 10:30 a.m. Bethany.
Tue, Aug. 18: Sand Valley WELCA at 2:00 p.m.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY Fosston
Jon Marx, Lead Pastor
Seth Johnson, Assist. Pastor
Sun, Aug. 16: 10:00 a.m. Worship

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Clearbrook City Council meeting

The Clearbrook City Council meeting was held on July 13, 2015 in the City Council Chambers. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor George Postier.

Present were: Mayor: George Postier; Council Members: Ryan Solee, Shawn Johnson, Others present: Lucie Thompson, Danny Ulrich, Dan Johnson, Joy Walberg, Gary Prosser

Meeting of June 8, 2015 was approved.

Presentation of Petitions and Complaints by Council Members and Citizens:

Police Report/Update – Dan Gazelka, Police Chief

-47 Incidents Reported for June 2015. 3 arrests were made and 5 citations were issued during Summerfest.

-Dogs running freely around town has been addressed. Will follow up if necessary.

-Police Dept. was awarded a \$1,000 grant from Enbridge to purchase equipment.

-Still trying to sell the Charger. If unable to sell, an alternate plan would be to sell the Crown Victoria and keep the Charger. Chief Gazelka will update the council on the progress of selling the Charger at the next meeting.

Liquor Store Report/Update – Joy Walberg, Liquor Store Supervisor:

-Liquor Store monthly summary was reviewed by the council.

-Joy's Report –

oSummerfest recap was given. Very busy Saturday & Saturday night. Friday night was a little slower. Bartenders appreciated the walk through done by the officers on duty on Friday night. Helped in getting people out of the Liquor Store. Discussion was held on the clean-up of the streets/tent area.

oThere has been issues with the touch screen for the POS program. New touch screens

will be priced to replace the current one.

oThere is one wedding dance in July & two in August. The new arrangement for having kegs at the wedding dance has been working.

oThere have been issues with underage people wanting to play pool in the Liquor Store. This is not allowed. Signs will be posted.

oDiscussion held on doing a customer appreciation. Will address again at the August meeting.

Maintenance Report/Update: - Danny Ulrich & Dan Johnson

-Maintenance has been removing dead trees from the park.

-Thank you to the maintenance crew on painting the fire hydrants. They look good.

-Dan Johnson had a 2 day MNOPS conference/audit with the Office of Pipeline Safety. 2 minor infractions.

Pool/Kloster Park Update: - Gary Prosser

-Discussion held on new bases need for Kloster Park. Shawn Johnson made a motion to purchase tow (2) sets of bases to replace bases on two (2) fields at Kloster Park; Ryan Solee seconded the motion; all others present approved; motion carried

-A quote for replacing the overhead doors, concessions & back garage door, was reviewed. Decision was made to try to budget for a new door to be installed in the spring of 2016. Look at possibly getting better hasps for right now.

-Issues with the pool heater turning off during heavy rains. Discussion held on installing some sort of roof or gutter system to prevent this. Bids will be need to proceed.

-Discussion held on graveling the parking area next to Charp's property or possibly a new parking area closer to the new field. Further discussion

will be held for 2016 budgeting.

-Needs for Kloster – additional signs, ability to water fields/water tank for six wheel-er.

-Needs/Wants for the Pool – privacy curtains for changing clothes in locker rooms, repaint floors in locker rooms, rubber mats for locker rooms, paint for the inside of the pool, fix/replace cover on the diving board & a new hand rail going into the pool. Discussion held on painting the inside of the pool & kiddie pool. Budget for 2016 to be done in the spring. Needs estimates for budgeting purposes.

City Clerk Update:

-Discussion held on the stove in the Banquet Room with issues of the burners going out. Options of how to resolve the problem were discussed. Estimates for fixing or replacing the stove will be obtained.

-Discussion held on where to put the new lettering for the Community Center.

-Discussion held on installing signs directing people to the Veteran's Memorial, as well as the City Park. Possible the State may pay for them. MN DOT will be contacted to find out who would pay for them and process for getting them installed.

-Discussion held on the music that is played in town. There has been a complaint on the hours that it is played and the volume it is played at. Volume will be turned to the lowest setting and the hours the music is played will be shortened. Possibly redirect the speakers if needed.

Resolutions:

-Resolution 2015-11: Donations June 2015 – Shawn Johnson made a motion to approve the June 2015 Donations; Ryan Solee seconded the motion; all others present approved; motion carried.

OTHER MOTIONS:

Monthly Claims Totaling \$40,029.58; were approved.

Additional Claims Totaling \$65,416.37; were approved.

Single Approval of North Country Hardware claims of \$26.71 and \$1,741.32 for July was tabled to the August meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.



Four were at the Clearwater County Command Post Emergency Management booth at the Clearwater County Fair. From left to right: Dave Smith, Sheriff Darin Halverson, Clarence LaCroix and Shane Powell.



Eagle sculptures going up for the ribbon cutting on August 17 at the new Red Lake Nation Capitol. The sculptures will be put in the Guinness Book of World Records.

Red Lake Nation Capitol Grand Opening August 17

The Red Lake Tribal Council will be having a grand opening ceremony of the new Red Lake Nation Capitol on Monday, August 17. The buildng includes the Government Center, Red Lake Nation College, new powwow Grounds and Veterans Memorial.

The day will start at 9:00 a.m. with a ribbon cutting, mini-powwow, US military

F-16 flyover, and live bald eagles. The twin buildings will be put in the Guinness Book of World Records as the world's largest eagle sculptures.

Clearbrook-Gonvick School Readiness Orientation Coming Up!

Clearbrook-Gonvick Early Childhood Classroom #223 (through door #18 near the playground)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25TH
Attend a class with your child at 4 pm or 6 pm

(Orientation is required prior to classes beginning)

We are registering 4 & 5 year olds for the 2015-2016 school year. If we have openings, we also enroll 3 year olds who will be 4 before Jan. 1, 2016.

Classes will begin September 14th. Two classes are being offered Monday, Tuesday and every other Friday: a **MORNING CLASS** 8:00–11:00 a.m., and an **AFTERNOON CLASS** Noon - 3:00 p.m.

School Readiness is a great opportunity for your child to spend time in a semi-structured classroom with daily routines while working on academic and social skills.

Please call 776-3112, ext. 223 to sign up for an orientation class or if you have not registered your child for the 2015-2016 school year.



Boy Scout Troop in Bagley sold their turkey legs again this year to the many who attended the Clearwater County Fair. They usually sel 1,200 to 1,500 of the legs. With the leg is Jon Danielson.

In Loving Memory

from the family of
Larry Erickson
who passed on to his heavenly home 3 years ago on August 14.

Those we love don't go away they walk beside us every day unseen, unheard but always near still loved still missed and very dear.

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Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

Correction... The Enbridge public meeting will be held on Monday, August 17 at the Clear Waters Life Center (Old school in Clearbrook) small gym at 6:00 p.m. and not in the (Old School large gym Clearbrook Community Center) Entrance is on the west side of the building.

The annual Meet the Bears Night will be held on Wednesday, August 19th. The football and volleyball teams will be there from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. There will be root beer floats and fun.

A reminder that planning for the Pumpkin Day Celebration in Gonvick will be held at 7:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 12th at Kandi's Kitchen. Pumpkin Day is Saturday, September 26th.

Family and friends of Hazel Dolalie are invited to attend a memorial service and celebration of her life on Saturday August 15 at 4 p.m.at the United Lutheran Church in Berner. Hazel was welcomed into the hands of the Lord on June 20, 2015. Lunch will follow the service.

Gary and Kristie Robbins are moving back to Maine. The Gully Tri-Coop will be having a time on Friday, August 14 for residents to wish them farewell and good luck. They will have coffee and donuts from 10 to 3 that day.

Friday, August 15 will be BS Valley Day at Zion Lutheran Church of Eddy. Fun starts at 1:00 p.m. and goes until 5:00 p.m. when a pork supper will be served. There will be raffle drawings, gift certificates and

the crowning of the BS Valley King and Queen to be just a few things going on.

Wooden Nichols in concert Sunday, August 16 at 5 p.m. at The Farm by the Lake in Bagley. Bring your lawn chair. In case of rain, the concert will be in the picnic shelter.

We are on line with the newspapers. The free time is up but if you have a paper subscription you can get your password to see everything on line as well.

The Street Wizards car Club will have their 14th Annual Cruise-in Car Show on Saturday, August 1 in Thief River Falls. It will be held at the Gazebo Park in downtown with free spectator admission.

If you have any pictures that could be used in the paper you can send them to richards@gvtel.com and we would be glad to get them in the next issue.

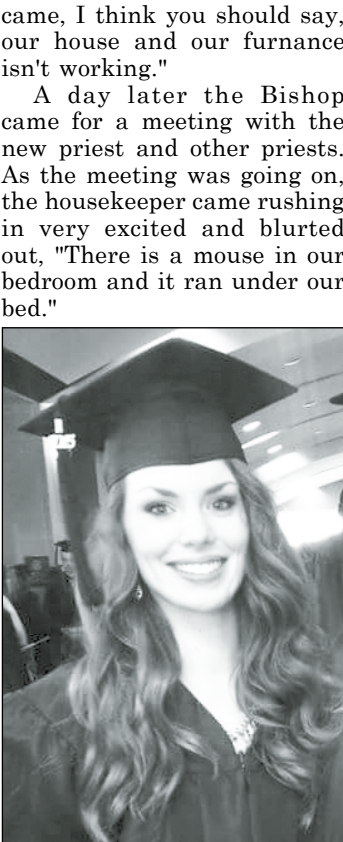
Former Clearwater County Sheriff Kenneth Felt passed away on July 30 at the age of 95. He served the county from 1971 to 1982.

A celebration of his life was held on Monday, August 3 at Calvary Evangelical Free Church in Bagley with interment at Sell Lake Cemetery in Shevlin.

Joke time...

A new priest had been appointed in a parish. He was talking with the housekeeper. She informed him your house needs shingling and your furnace is not working...

He interrupted her and said, "Mrs. Murphy, you have been here for 5 years and I just



I am really proud of Shelby Edevold. She recently graduated Magna Cum Laude from Bemidji State University. It has been a long run, and it seems those long nights of studying have finally paid off for her. She will be attending graduate school in Corvallis, Oregon for her Masters. She spent one summer as a summer intern at the Leader-Record through the Pohlad Foundation. (Carl Pohlad from the Minnesota Twins organization started the program).

Search for Miss Teen Clearwater County Announced

If you are single, never been married between the ages of 13 to 18 years, applications are being accepted for the title of "2016" Miss Teen Clearwater County "!!!" Miss Teen Clearwater County ! will represent her county at the Miss Teen Minnesota pageant, which will be held at the "Ritsche Auditorium, March 12th , 2016 in the city of St. Cloud, Minnesota..

The young lady chosen as "Miss Teen Clearwater County " will become an ambassador from the Clearwater County. Area and will receive an official title and sash!

The young lady chosen as Miss Teen Minnesota will receive a prize package and College scholarship totaling \$27,000 and the chance to represent Minnesota at the "2016" Miss Teen International pageant in Jacksonville, Florida.

The " American Heart Association's" Go for Red for

Miss Teen... Continued on next page

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Miss Teen...

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Women” is the official Charity of the Miss Teen Minnesota Pageant.

The current reigning “2015” Miss Teen Minnesota is Nicole Doyle of Lakeville. As Miss Teen Minnesota, Nicole speaks out on “Kids Get Arthritis Too” – Juvenile Arthritis Education and Awareness. “I didn’t know that kids could get arthritis” Diagnosed at the 3, Nicole has heard those words countless times since then. Juvenile arthritis is an auto-immune disease that can rob children of a carefree, painless childhood. There is no known cause and no cure, which is why research, education, and awareness are vital in our battle against this dis-

ease.

For more information go to: www.KidsgetArthritisToo.org

Teens will compete in Personal Interview, Fitness Wear, Fun Fashion Wear and Evening Gown. (There is no talent or swimsuit competition)!!!

Young teen ladies living in ----Clearwater County ----interested in applying should write for bio-form to:

Miss Teen Minnesota
International Pageant
P.O. Box 240537
Apple Valley, Mn
55124-0537

For Classifieds that work, call Richards Publishing

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to their futures. I am not saying that these youth will start doing their chores, homework, or simply be more responsible people over night but like a crop in the field which reflects hard work in the early time of the crop we will see results from everyone’s efforts in the early time of these youths lives.

The evening gathering worship time had a mixture of great music, inspiring speakers, and calls to action. One inspiring speaker told us about being raised by crack-addicted parents and how she was able to over-come the many obstacles in the way of her living life because of her grandfather. Her grand-father sat down with her one day and told her point blank that she had one ticket out of her situation and that if she blew her ticket that was it. She would not get any other chances. She would end up like her crack-addicted parents. She heard this from her grand-father around ten or eleven years old! Her one ticket? Education. Many youth do not realize that school is the time when they will receive the most resources, the most attention, the most amount of care they will ever receive in their lives. All because we want our youth to have better lives than we had ourselves. All because we want our communities to be better ones than they are now. All because we want our future to be better than what we can even imagine! All the inspiring speakers had one thing in common as they described their overcoming obstacles in their lives. They had one person who believed in them. They had one person who they knew cared about them. With one person by their side, they were able to accomplish more than what could be wished for, hoped for, or even dreamed possible. The story of Noah’s Ark described the animals going into the ark two by two. Every living thing had someone/something by their side. Our job? Figure out how we can be that one person to someone. Thanks.

Representative Dave Hancock

Legislative Update 2A

Minnesota’s ‘Farm Families of the Year’ were unveiled by the University of Minnesota at Farmfest recently, and State Representative Dave Hancock (R-Bemidji) is congratulating this year’s recipients from House District 2A.

“Farming is a critical component of Minnesota’s economy, and this year’s award recipients are among the best in the state at prioritizing agriculture and strengthening our food supply,” Hancock said. “This recognition is well deserved and I congratulate these area families for their accomplishments.”

The Lindman Skime Family has received the award from Beltrami County this year. They practice organic and sustainable farming in producing their vegetables, eggs, chicken and beef. Amber oversees the

operations, while her children, Nash, Austin, Autumn and Gabriel are also involved with work on the farm.

Mark and Sharon Larson, recipients of the award from Clearwater County, operate a farm that has been in their family since 1896. It is a purebred beef and small grain farm where wheat, alfalfa, corn, and soybeans are raised.

Hubbard County’s award winners are Norton and Carol Berg, who purchased their farm near Guthrie in 1968. Today it includes 700 acres of corn, oats, and hay along with 40 purebred Angus cows that make up their cow/calf operation.

80 families throughout Minnesota received the ‘Farm Families of the Year’ award for 2015.



Blake Colegrove, 5 1/2 from Pennsylvania came all the way to show this calf at the Clearwater County Fair.

Regional Ag News

Jim Stordahl, Extension Educator

Preventing Bloat in Livestock

The growing conditions this summer have provided many livestock producers with lush pastures. In many cases, alfalfa and clover regrowth has been unusually abundant following initial grazing or hay harvest. This is a special concern when hay regrowth is grazed because of the possibility of bloat.

Pasture bloat is primarily a problem of cattle that graze pastures where legumes make up greater than 50% of the total forage. Legumes with the highest likelihood to cause bloat include white clover and alfalfa while red clover is moderately likely to cause bloat. Legumes that don’t cause bloat are birdsfoot trefoil, kura clover and crownvetch.

Bloat is treatable if caught it time, but since it is often discovered too late, prevention is the key. Here are nine tips for preventing bloat.

Offer poloxalene to cattle for at least three days before they’re turned out on pasture that has a potential to cause bloat. It’s best to use poloxalene in a daily feed to ensure uniform intake, but availability is a problem. That’s why molasses/salt-based blocks (Bloat-guard®) are the most commonly used form of the preventive product. When using these blocks, remove all other sources of salt and mineral to ensure that the poloxalene-containing blocks are consumed.

Fill cattle with dry hay before turnout onto legume pasture.

Turn cattle out after mid-day when pasture is dry (no dew or excess moisture).

Turn cattle out and leave

them. Don’t pull them in and out daily. Otherwise, cattle will “learn” that they will be moved to the legume pasture and may wait to eat until moved. While the popular perception is that the ideal way to introduce cattle to high-legume pasture is to turn them out for an increasing amount of time each day, research doesn’t support the practice.

Continue using poloxalene while grazing legumes, and locate the product near water for increased intake.

Inter-seed pure legume pastures with an appropriate grass to dilute the legume’s bloat-causing effect. Add legumes that don’t cause bloat or are less likely to cause bloat to pastures.

Don’t clip a grass-legume pasture and then immediately turn cattle out onto it. This is especially true with a pasture high in white clover; once the taller grass is removed, the short, highly palatable white clover, which has a high potential to cause bloat, can then be easily grazed by cattle.

Observe cattle frequently the first few days on new legume pasture.

Some cattle have increased susceptibility to pasture bloat and these animals are candidates for culling. Eliminate their genetics from the herd.

Pasture bloat is a mostly preventable problem of grazing cattle. If you follow these recommendations, the chance of having an animal bloat is greatly reduced, but there’s still a possibility you could see a case.

As most seasoned cattle producers know, frothy bloat is a true emergency; having an “emergency kit” on hand could well pay dividends. Talk to your veterinarian to see if it would be wise to have a few supplies on hand, and be sure to get proper training on their use to give you the best chance of dealing with bloat in pasture cattle.

For more information, contact me at 800-450-2465 stordahl@umn.edu. Source: Penn State Extension

Thoughts from the Sheriff

Clearwater County Sheriff Darin Halverson



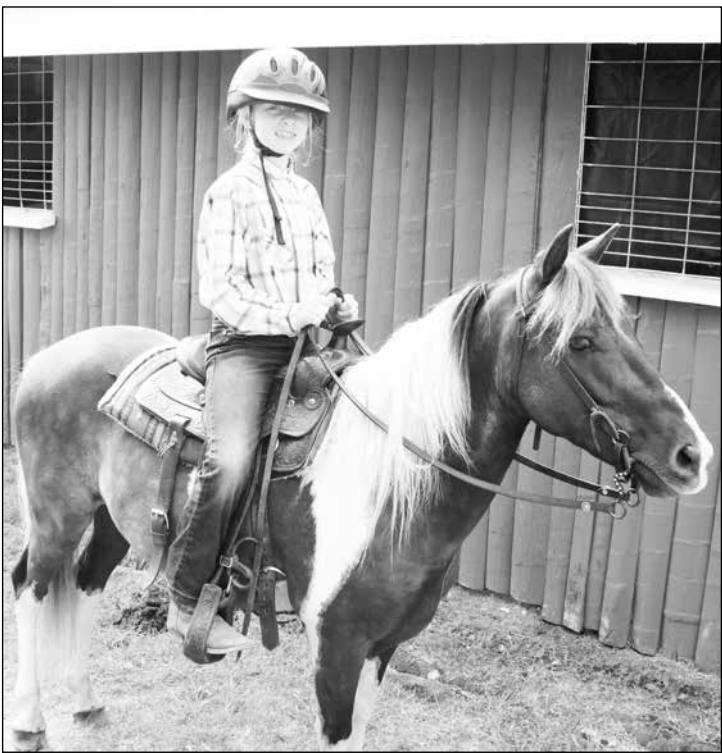
I hope everyone is enjoying their summer as it is sadly going fast. The Clearwater County Fair just wrapped up which always signals an end of summer. Hopefully we will have a nice fall and will still have plenty of time to finish up last minute projects or simply enjoy the great outdoors.

It was great to see so many people at the Clearwater County Fair and visit with those that stopped by the Sheriff / Emergency Management Mobile Command Post. We handed out free gun locks as well as coloring books, stickers, pens and pencils.

This was a great opportunity for us to meet so many nice people and interact with the youth. It was a very positive experience for all of us that were able to be a part of it and we want to say thank you.

With the fair in the rear view mirror, the start of another school year is just around the corner. School buses will soon be on the roads transporting children to and from school as well as an increased presence of children walking to and from school and crossing busy roads. Safety for our youth must be a top priority. I wanted to let the readers know some facts about school bus accidents from last year.

There are two types of acci-



Brooke Haman of Leonard ready to enter the Horse Show.



Bryce Evje from Shevlin took First Place in the 5500 pound class at the tractor pull at the Clearwater County Fair. He had a D17 Allis Chalmers for the victory.

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CLEARBROOK-GONVICK SCHOOL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT #2311 BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2015

The meeting was called to order by Clerk Imle at 7:01 p.m. Declaration of Quorum – Members present: Ben Machlitt, Tracy Imle, Jeff Westrum, James Galloway, Richard Hetland, Tom Stenzel, Corey Petterson (7:14 p.m.) Absent: None, Also present: Superintendent Wayne Olson, Principal Jeff Burgess, 5 staff members, no community members

4 Community Comments –

None

5 Spotlight on Education –

None

6 Approval of Agenda: MMS Stenzel/Hetland to approve agenda as amended. MCU

7 Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting – MMS Galloway/Hetland to approve minutes as presented from May 15th meeting. MCU

8 Informational Items

8.1 Principal Report – Principal Burgess discussed the handbook updates, including cell phone and attendance policies. He also discussed the open positions – HS Business, HS English, HS LD, and Various Coaching positions. The Continuous Improvement Plan report was received. We were given commendations in the following areas – LEA technical assistance, school culture & attempts to involve parents. Recommendations – Strengthen the school improvement plan, classroom walkthroughs linked to interventions, and strengthen family and community engagement strategies & activities. The DIRS report was submitted last week. This report documents suspensions and habitual truant. We attempted to give less out of school suspensions this year. The curriculum cycle – The instruction & Assessment Team created a 5 year plan. Principal Burgess commended the team, led by Lori Beard, for the work they put in this year.

8.2 Superintendent Report – Superintendent Olson gave a legislative update. The education bill has been signed. Basic Funding will

increase 2% each year for 2 years. There will be more pre-K funding. The September 1st start date has been approved. Changes to teacher licensure requirements were made, including CTE teachers hired by the district. Testing was changed. The ACT test will be optional for Juniors & the district will be required to pay for this. The Explore and PLAN tests were dropped. Requirements regarding MCA testing have changed. The amount of time allotted for testing has changed. TeenServe was last week. The program seemed to be enjoyed by the Community & the volunteers involved. The District had some issues with lack of communication by the coordinators. All School Reunion will be June 26th – 28th. Our facility will be used for fireworks, parade registration and the fun run.

8.3 Committee Reports

8.3.1.1 – Finance – The budget will be approved tonight. It is a working document. We hope to be out of SOD by the end of the year. We will probably still be in debt.

8.3.1.2 – Certified Staff Negotiations – None

9 Consent Calendar – MMS Westrum/Machlitt to approve Consent Calendar as presented. MCU.

9.1 Approval of Bills Presented

Payroll Expense Checks and Checks Written between Board Meetings:

62518-62531/Wires

Payroll Checks 0029219-0029247

March Bills

Voucher Numbers: 44317 – 44489

Check Numbers: 62532 – 62579

Total Payroll/Expense Checks

Approved: \$322,028.93

9.2 Approval of Electronic Transfers and Other Banking Transactions

9.3 Approval of Treasurer’s Report

10 Old Business

10.1 Revision to School Calendar – MMS Imle/Galloway to approve the revised calendar for the 2015-2016 school year. MCU

10.2 Cross Country Proposal – Decision postponed until July meeting.

11 New Business

11.1 Approval of Contract for River Watch Program – MMS Galloway/Imle to approve the contract for the district to develop a River Watch program. MCU.

11.2 Approval of 2015-2016

School Budget – MMS Westrum/Stenzel to approve the 2015-2016 school budget as presented. MCU

11.3 Approval of the 2015 and 2016 Health and Safety Budgets – MMS Stenzel/Westrum to approve the 2015 and 2016 Health and Safety Budgets as presented. MCU.

11.4 Approval of Q-Comp Report 2015-2016 – MMS Westrum/Imle to approve the Q-Comp report as presented. MCU

11.5 Approval of Superintendent, Wayne Olson, as the Identified Official with Authority to Authorize MDE User Access – MMS Imle/Galloway to approve Superintendent Wayne Olson as the identified Official with Authority to authorize user access to MDE secure websites for the Clearbrook-Gonvick School District. MCU

11.6 Approval of Resolution to Transfer ECFE funds to School Readiness – MMS Imle/Galloway to approve the resolution to transfer \$4,000 from the Clearbrook-Gonvick ECFE fund to the Clearbrook-Gonvick School Readiness Fund. Roll Call Vote: Galloway – Aye, Imle – Aye, Machlitt – Aye, Westrum – Aye, Hetland – Aye, Stenzel – Aye, Petterson – Aye. MCU

11.7 Approval of Summer Recreation Coaches/Staff – MMS Imle/Stenzel to approve Summer Recreation coaches and staff as presented. MCU

11.8 Approval of contract with Northwest MN Foundation to provide EGI Coordinator – Removed from agenda. Does not require board approval

12 Action Items for July Meeting

12.1 – Policy Committee should meet prior to next board meeting

12.2 – Questions are needed to help set District and Administrative Goals. Can either assign categories to board members or bring in community members for a focus group. The board’s preference was to bring in a focus group.

13 Adjournment – MMS Hetland/Vestrum to adjourn at 8:16 p.m. MCU

Upcoming Meetings:

Special Board Meeting to set District and Administrative Goals – Early to mid July Please submit possible dates by the end of this week

Next Board Meeting: Monday, July 20, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. R20C

BIKE WINNERS AT THE CLEARWATER COUNTY FAIR



Zeanna Franck



Dalton Walker



Emme Ekre



Karmi Kerr



Malachi Kerr



Beraiah Kerr

Enbridge will hold public information meetings in area

Several meetings have been set up for Enbridge to answer questions concerning the Certificate of Need and a Pipeline Routing permit for the Line 3 Pipeline Replacement Project. The line will run from the North Dakota border to the

Wisconsin border. It will replace 282 miles of its existing 34-inch diameter Line 3 pipeline with 337 miles of 34-inch diameter pipeline. The line will go from the Minnesota and North Dakota border to Clearbrook and then

go on the same route proposed for the Sandpiper pipeline from Clearbrook to the Wisconsin border. It will permanently deactivate the existing Line 3 in-place after the replacement pipeline is in service.

Upgrades will be made to pump stations at Clearbrook, Donaldson, Plummer and Viking. New pump stations will be built at Backus, Cromwell, Palisade and Two Inlets. Thursday, August 13, at the Plummer Senior Citizen Center at 11:00 a.m. The same day at 6:00 p.m. a meeting will be held at the Gully Community Center.

Monday, August 17 at the Clear Waters Life Center (old school) – Small Gym at 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 18, at Rice Lake Community Center gym at 6:00 p.m.

Two meetings will be held in Park Rapids at the Park Rapids Century School Cafetorium at 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

The Department of Commerce, and Enbridge staff will be available to answer questions about the permitting process and the project.

The Department of Commerce uses the comments that they receive at the meetings to develop the environmental analysis for this project.

Enbridge representatives state that the project is needed to address safety and integrity issues associated with the existing Line 3 pipeline.



Everyone at the Clearwater County Fair needed to keep hydrated. This pig was getting its drink of water.



The BS Valley Boys playing at the Clearwtaer County Fair before the Outstanding Senior Citizens were announced. From left to right: Dennis Engebretson, Leonard, Gary Thorson, BS Valley and Arlan Dahlke, Bagley.



Wooden Nichols

Wooden Nichols to perform Sunday, August 16 in Bagley at 5:00 pm

The Bagley Area Arts Collaborative Announces Wooden Nichols in concert Sunday, August 16 at 5 p.m. at The Farm by the Lake in Bagley.

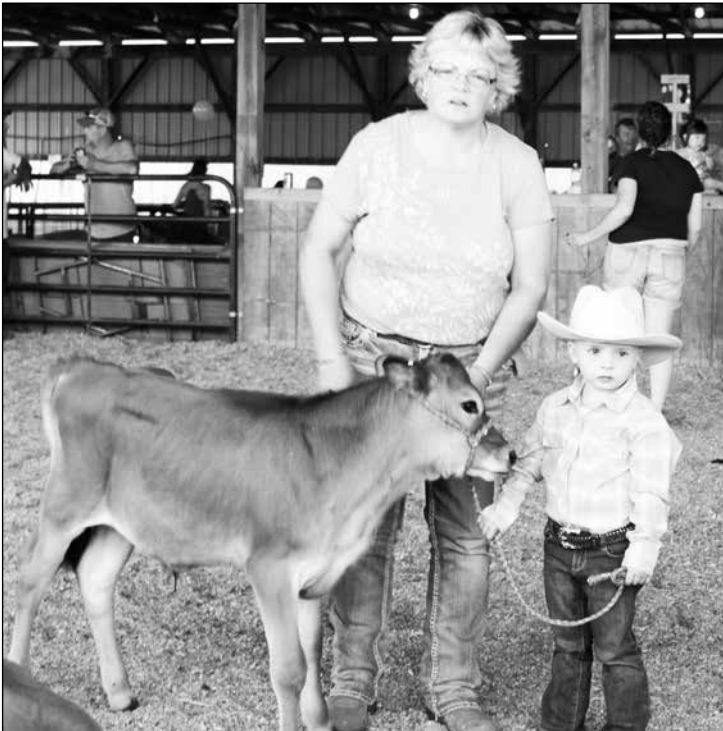
Join us for an afternoon of easy listening music that will transport you to a time and place guaranteed to make you smile or recall a fond memory!!!

The band members are from the Bemidji area and perform regularly for community celebrations, local farmers markets, and countless charity events.

Weather permitting; we will perform on the lawn overlooking Lake Lomond. Bring your lawn chair. In case of rain, the concert will be in the picnic shelter. Admission is free.

This concert is made possible, in part, by a grant from the Region 2 Arts Council funded by an appropriation from the Minnesota State Legislature with money from the State's general fund.

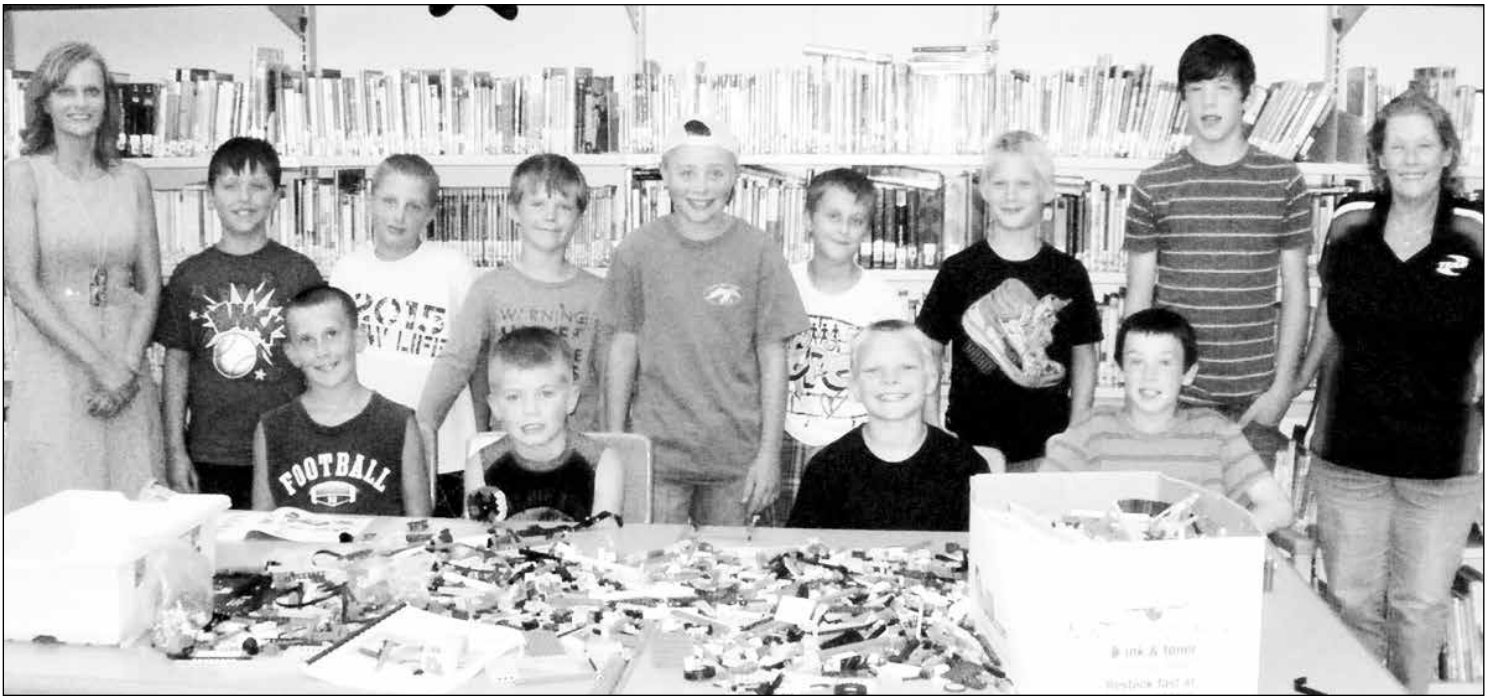
To the right... Natalie Hoie showing her calf in the Pail Calf Show at the Clearbrook-Govick Fair on Friday night. She is with her grandmother Sheree Hoie



Clear Waters Life Center was one of the many booths at the Clearwater County Fair. Wednesday, August 12 2015

You are invited to an
Open House
Saturday, August 22nd
2:00-4:00 pm
celebrating Margeret Gregory's 80th Birthday
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Bagley, MN 56621

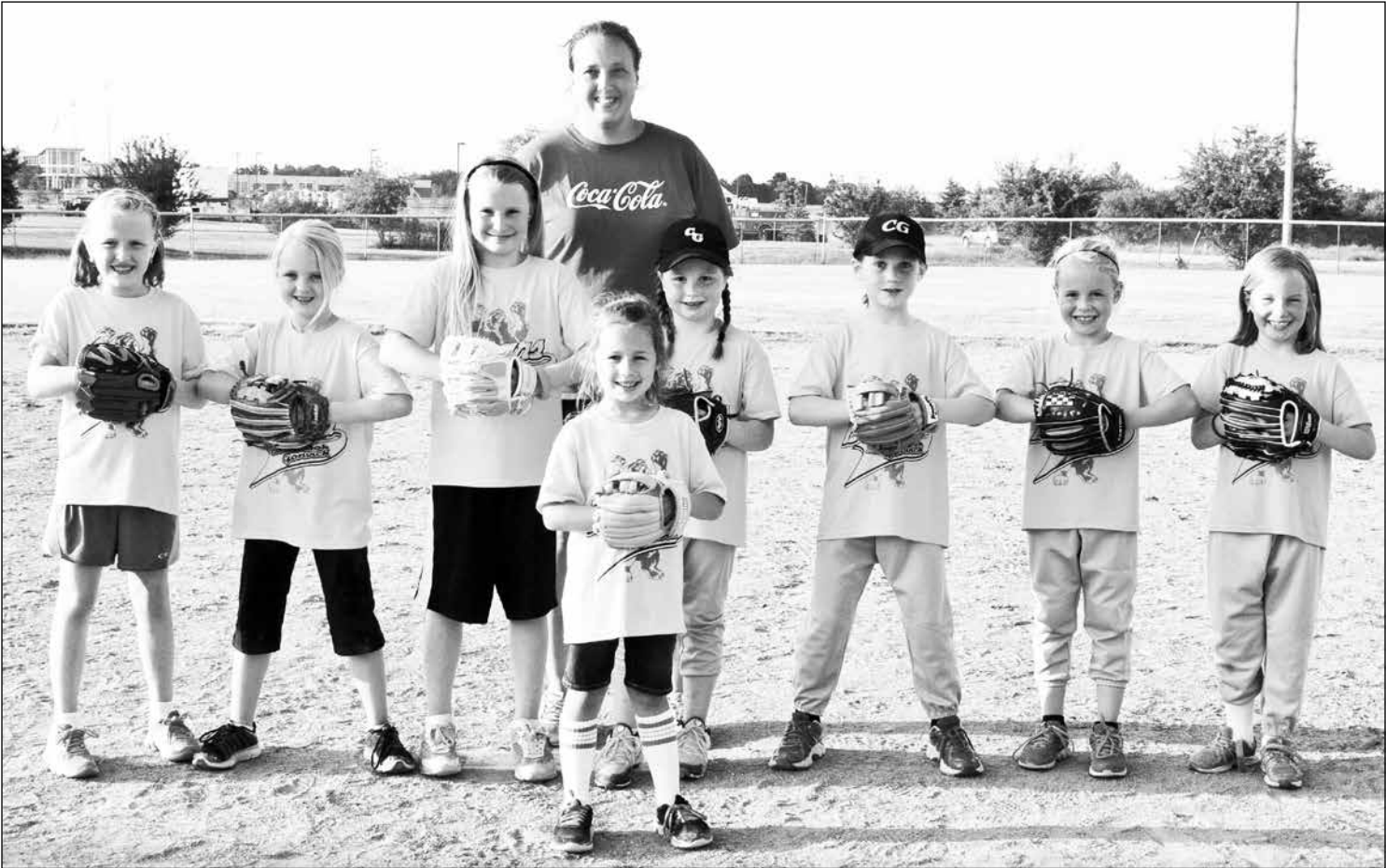
Summer Recreation receives several donations



The TEAM Foundation made a generous donation to the Clearbrook-Gonvick Summer Recreation program to support the Lego Robotics class. The donation was used for several new “brains” for the robots as well as two new robot sets. Pictured are representatives from TEAM with most of the class members. Back L to R: TEAM Sales Manager Tricia Young, Ryan Bodensteiner, Cooper Wishard, James Preuss, Sam Wishard, Landon Gazelka, Joseph Nybo, Benjamin Kerr, TEAM Foundation Executive Director Deb Matthews. Front L to R: Jack McQuown, Boden Engebretson, Hayden Engen, Malachi Kerr. -Submitted photo



Russ Lembke representing Sinclair Township with: back L to R: Presley Westrum, Danielle Faldet, Rose Java, Kassidy Bookout, Bianca Sather, Hannah Bookout, front L to R: Kaylee Westrum, Ella Engen, Abby Engen, Katie Bjerke, Briana Sather. Other local groups donating but unavailable for a photo were: Leon Township, Clearbrook Community Club, Clearwater Trailblazers, Gonvick American Legion. -Submitted photo



Clearbrook-Gonvick summer recreation Midgets participants: Kaydence Jorgenson, Emma Fawver, Kailey Klema, Joely Olson, Sarah Imle, Hannah Weems, Kaitlyn Kumpula, and Amari Ubert in the front row. Back: Coach Beth Barnes. Photo by Focus Photography.



Clearbrook-Gonvick summer recreation T-Ball participants: Front L to R: Eric Preuss, Carson Derby, Gunner Olson, Gavin Solberg, Augustus Damann, Kaylie Bjerke, Mckenzie Holmstrom, Mya Engen, Lainey Fawver, Back row: Coaches: Kyle Gerlofs, Jenna Weems, Morgan Cornell, and Mckenzie Weems. Photo by Focus Photography.



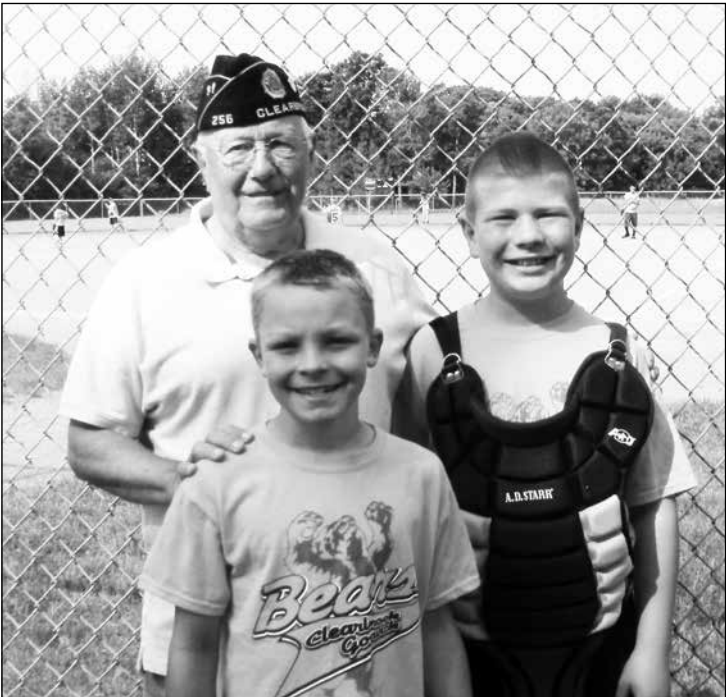
Several local groups recently made generous donations to the Clearbrook-Gonvick Summer Recreation program. We are thankful that these donations help us continue our Summer Recreation program. Pictured are representatives of those groups with some of the PeeWee baseball players and Bantam softball players. Kim Solberg, representing the Gonvick Lions with Boden Engebretson, Trevor Solberg, Carter Matthews.



Yvonne Hetland representing Gully Tri-Coop with Ben Goudge, Alex Churness, Logan Westrum. -Submitted photo



Evon Quern, representing the Diamond Jubilee with Dawson Quern, Luke Johnson. -Submitted photo



Lloyd Engen, representing Clearbrook American Legion with Hayden Engen, Jesse Anderson.

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\$17⁰⁰ (6 months) out of Clearwater County

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“Free Indeed” was one of the many groups who performed at the Clearwater County Fair.



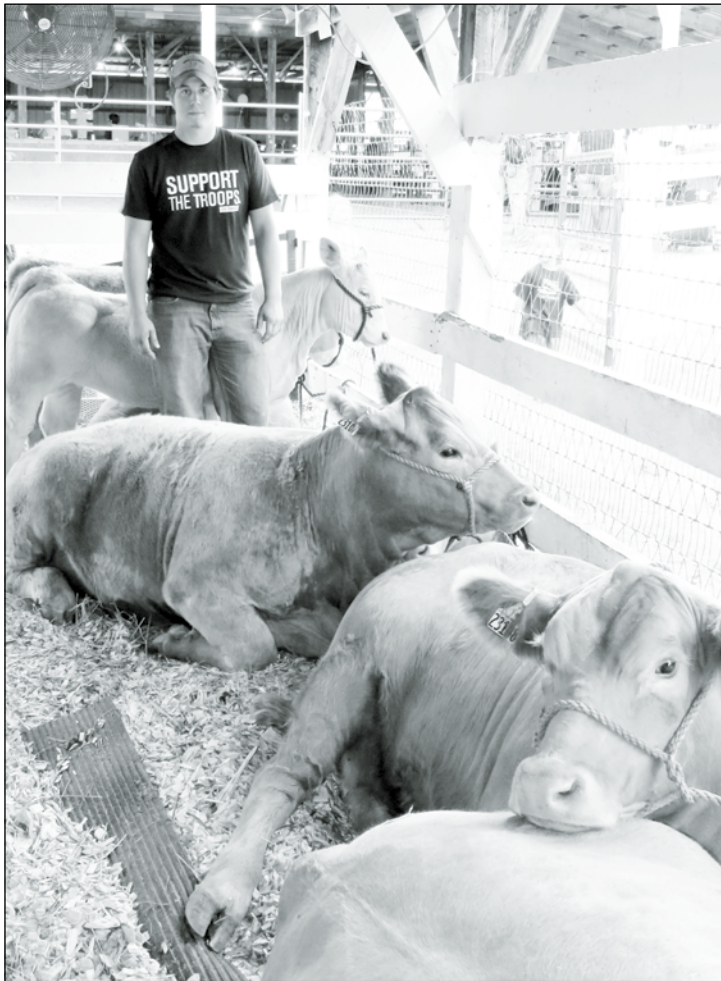
Clearwater Polk booth at the Clearwater County Fair encouraged everyone to “Say No to the EPA raising our rates.”



Waiting to show his sheep.



Maccabee Hammer of Gully with his Nubian and Alpine goats at the Clearwater County Fair. He is a member of the Leon Ramblers 4-H Club.



R J Aufforth of Bagley with his Charlois Cross.



Ryan Bodensteiner and his sister Elizabeth showing the Senito and Junior High Lamb.



Jesse Anderson of the Leon Ramblers with the market pig.



State Fair Line-up at the Clearwater County Fair from left to right: Damen Bakke, Clearbrook a helper, Caleb Peterson, Clearbrook, and Kara Bowman, Bagley.



Lilly Walberg of Clearbrook at the Clearwater County Fair.



Sara Reichert and her horse Roany. She is a member of the Junior 4-H participating at the Clearwater County Fair.



Relaxing at the Clearwater County Fair were Tyler Strandberg and Lauren McIntosh.

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