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Serving the Communities of Clearbrook, Gonvick, Gully, Leonard and Trail



Julie Fredrickson owner and operator of Leonard Family Childcare received the honor of Northwest Small Business Development Center, (NWSBDC) “Client Business of the Year” for 2017. See story in the Canary this week.



Alice (Bergman) Forsberg will be turning 95 on May 18 at her place in Fosston. She arrived in America from Sweden in 1926 when she was just 3 years old, along with her parents and six siblings. The picture was taken of Alice and her husband Kenneth when they lived in Gully. See her story on the front of the Canary this week.

North Country Faces and Places with the Sutter Brothers

There will be a concert on May 13 at 2:00 at the Roxy in Clearbrook with “North Country Faces and Places.” Admission is free; Donations accepted. This event is sponsored by the Clearwater County Historical Society in celebration of its 50th anniversary.

The Sutter Brothers—Ross and Bart—will present a 50-minute program of music and stories, poetry and song that explores the history, culture, people, critters, and landscape of northern Minnesota. For more than thirty years, The Sutter Brothers have performed shows that integrate Bart’s original writing with Ross’ versions of traditional Scandinavian and American songs and tunes. “North Country Faces and Places” will offer glimpses of early settlers, memories of a vanished village school, a peek inside a pioneer cabin, a lament for lost towns, praise for big bogs, and celebrations of colorful farm folk and fishermen. The show will be specially designed to evoke memories and provoke curios-



ity about regional history.

The program will be held on May 13 at the Roxy Theater in Clearbrook at 2:00. Admission is free; donations will be gratefully accepted. After the program attendees are invited to stay for cake and coffee to celebrate the Clearwater County Historical Society’s 50th anniversary.

The Sutter Brothers

Though Ross lives in Minneapolis and Bart in Duluth, the brothers have strong ties to northwestern Minnesota. They spent their earliest years outside of Roseau, and Ross, in fact, is named after the village where they lived. The Sutter Brothers have twice toured their show for the Northwest

Regional Library System, and Ross has done many school residencies throughout the region. Bart attended Bemidji State, spent a number of summers on Lake of the Woods, and has published multiple poems, stories, and essays about the area.

Ross plays guitar, button accordion, mountain dulcimer, and Irish drum but is best known for his rich baritone voice. The winner of four fellowships from the Minnesota State Arts Board, he has performed for A Prairie Home Companion and the Winnipeg Folk Festival, among hundreds of other venues. He has also won the prestigious Sally Award from the Ordway Foundation for his work in arts education.

The author of eight books, Bart is the only author to win the Minnesota Book Award in three different categories—poetry, fiction, and creative non-fiction. He has also written for public radio and has had four plays produced. Winner of the George Morrison Artist Award for his contributions to the arts in northeastern Minnesota, Bart was named the first Poet Laureate of Duluth in 2006.

Though Ross and Bart have established separate reputations as a musician and a writer, they take special pleasure in performing as a pair. They have done well over 100 shows together, and in 2014 won an Arts Tour Minnesota grant to take one of their programs statewide.

The pair has performed as far afield as Pennsylvania and Kansas, and, in 2015, went international with a tour in Sweden. Both brothers are featured in the series Pretty Much 100% Scandinavian by the Swedish film company Camera Q.

For more details contact the Clearwater County Historical Society at 218-785-2000



The Sutter Brothers—Ross and Bart.

Gonvick Volunteer Fire Department Fundraiser Saturday

The 2018 Spring Fund raiser is upon us. All of the Volunteer Firefighters from the Gonvick Fire & Rescue squad would like to send a Big Thank You to everyone who mailed in, or stopped by and gave them a donation at last years fund raiser. They would not be able to maintain and continue to run the Gonvick Fire Department without the help and support of the wonderful community.

The Gonvick Fire Department will be hosting their famous Pulled Pork Dinner on May 5 - 2018 at the Gonvick Fire Hall, from 5:00 to 8:00 for those of you that are able to attend. You can come meet, and

talk with your local Volunteer Firefighters and bring the family, and leave the cooking to them.

This is their yearly Spring Fund raiser. They are in need of funds for Ongoing Medical/ Fire Fighting Training and Upgrading of their equipment so they can better serve the area communities. They are constantly updating/repairing fire fighting gear, radios, generators, tools, pumps, medical supplies, SCBA, and maintaining their trucks on a regular basis. Your donation goes directly to support Gonvick Fire & Rescue operations.

They cordially invite all

area residents and landowners. They hope that you will all participate in this event and extend your support which will enable them to serve you better in the future. Your support allows the firefighters to provide you with protection at a moments notice. They hope to see you there to help make this year a success.

If you are unable to attend and would still like to donate, you can send in your donations in the form of cash or check. Checks can be made payable to Gonvick Fire Department PO Box 202, Gonvick, MN 56644. Please remember that all donations are Tax Deductible.

Farm Service Agency Makes Administrative Change to the Livestock Indemnity Program

Starting today, agricultural producers who have lost livestock to disease, resulting from a weather disaster, have an additional way to become eligible for a key U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) disaster assistance program. USDA Under Secretary for Farm Production and Conservation Bill Northey announced an administrative clarification nationwide to the Livestock Indemnity Program. In the event of disease, this change by USDA’s Farm Service Agency (FSA) authorizes local FSA county committees to accept veterinarian certifications that livestock deaths were directly related to adverse weather and unpreventable through good animal husbandry and management. The committees may then use this certification to allow eligibility for producers on a case-by-case basis for LIP.

“This change is part of USDA’s broader effort to better serve America’s farmers, ranchers and foresters through flexible and effective programs,” said Northey, who is in Texas today visiting with ranchers

impacted by drought and wildfire. “America’s farmers feed our nation and much of the world, and throughout history they have known good years and bad years. But when disaster strikes, USDA is ready to step in and help.” LIP provides benefits to agricultural producers for livestock deaths in excess of normal mortality caused by ad-

verse weather, disease or by attacks by animals reintroduced into the wild by the federal government. Eligible weather events include earthquakes, hail, tornadoes, hurricanes, storms, blizzard and flooding.

Producers interested in LIP or other USDA disaster assistance programs should contact their local USDA service center.

Spring Concerts Celebrate the Movies and the USA

The Clearbrook-Gonvick Public School will present two spring concerts on May 14 and 15 in the High School Gym at Clearbrook.

May 14 is the Junior High/ High School concert which will feature music from the movies. Movie music from classic to modern films such as “My Fair Lady”, “Star Wars”, and “The Little Mermaid” will be performed by the bands and choir. Also featured will be music performed by the ensembles at large group contest. Both the band and choir earned superior ratings from adjudicators

at this event.

The Elementary Concert will feature grades 4-6 and the elementary bands on May 15. The theme for this concert is a “Salute to America”, and will include a salute to each of the 5 branches of the military along with patriotic and folk song favorites. The concert will be set up with reserved seating on the floor for our military veterans and members of the legion and auxiliary of our communities.

Both concerts begin at 6:30 p.m. and are free and open to the public.



The Clearbrook Volunteer Fire Department sponsored a Fish Fry and Fund Raiser on Saturday, April 21, 2018 in the Banquet Room at the Clearbrook Community Center. Several residents came to enjoy the meal that was prepared by the fire department members

Photo above shows the serving line from left to right: Jon Dahlke, Jeff Basinger, Nick Rankin and Jon Gerlofs.

To the right is off duty Clearbrook-Gonvick Police Officer Dan Gazelka and his daughter Noella.

Below two of the fire department members who baked the potatoes and fried the fish. Ryan Rude and Shawn Groshong.



Community Calendar

Trail Blazers meeting Tuesday
The Clearwater Trail Blazers will be meeting on Tuesday, May 8th at 7:30 p.m. at the Club house in Leonard.

Meeting
Gonvick American Legion Post #304 and Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday, May 8th at 7:00 p.m.

Sand Valley Cemetery Cleaning Day
Sand Valley Lutheran Church Cemetery Association will meet to clean the cemetery on Saturday, May 5, at 9:00 a.m. Work will include raising the footstones that have settled. Please bring tools and wheel barrows. If the weather is questionable, please call 218 268-4432.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Wed., May 2 - Chicken in Cream Sauce, Rice, Cookie, Bread and Milk.
Thurs., May 3- Pork Loin, Buttered Potatoes, Creamed Carrots, Poke Cake, Bread and Milk.
Fri., May 4 - Italian Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, green Beans, Garlic Bread, Pudding and Milk.
Mon., May 7 - Salisbury Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Veg., Pudding, Bread and Milk.
Tues., May 8- BBQ Pork, Potato Salad, Cauliflower, Fruit Crisp, Bread and Milk.
Wed., May 9 - Birthday Meal - Egg Bake, Tator Tots, Banana, Coffee Cake, Bread and Milk.
Meals are served daily at 11:30 at the Clearbrook site except for evening meals served at 5 p.m. They are subject to change. Please register for meals at least the day before.

5th District Commissioner, Daniel Stenseng, will not seek re-election

Filing for elected County offices begins on May 22, 2018. I will not be seeking a third term as your 5th District County Commissioner.

The 5th District in Clearwater County consists of the City of Gonvick and the townships of Holst, Eddy, Pine Lake, Winsor, Greenwood, Hangaard, and the Clearwater County portion of the Red Lake Reservation.

If you are interested in this kind of public service, I would be willing to discuss the duties and responsibilities you will encounter as a Clearwater County Commissioner.

Finally, I thank you – the voters of the 5th District – for the opportunity to represent you and serve as your County Commissioner.

–Daniel C. Stenseng

Clearwater County Fair Calendar winners

April 21 - Tyler Olson, Thompson, ND, \$20.
April 22 -Alroy Lewis, Bagley Easton Paulson, Ranchester, WY, \$20.
April 23 - Carol Anderson, Bagley, \$20.
April 24 - Stephanie Jones, Portland, \$20.
April 25 - Irene Harmon, Lengby, \$20.
April 26 - Alvin Rasmussen, Bagley, \$20.
April 27 - Beth and Greg Erickson, Clearbrook, \$20.

CEMETERY CLEAN-UP

FRIDAY, MAY 11TH 5:00 pm

at Silver Creek, Greenwood, Seljord, Westby, Augustana & Clearwater Cemeteries

Bring shovels, rakes, wheelbarrows, gloves

Contact: Brad Borene 776-3344 for details

WANTED

Summer Rec coaches. Completed 9th grade and up.

Application at Clearbrook-Gonvick School or website. Deadline: May 3.

Info: JUDY at 776-3112, ext. 102.

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Please check the address label in the upper right corner of the front page. Be sure all the information is correct.

If not, call the Leader-Record offices at 218-487-5225 or 216-776-3665 as soon as possible. You need to contact with a change of address or corrections. Just giving the Post Office a change of address, DOES NOT change your paper address. We also have to pay .59 cents for those that come back to us without a new address. Thank You.

History Kids Program: Happy Birthday, Minnesota!

In May Minnesota will be 160 years old! The History Center in Shevlin is celebrating with a History Kids Birthday Party on May 5.

We will celebrate by sampling a Minnesota State Muffin, Beverage, and Apple.

We'll also play Minnesota State Symbol Bingo and other games.

Who: Ages 5-11
When: Saturday, May 5 10:00-11:00 a.m.
Where: Clearwater County Historical Society meeting room in Shevlin
(Enter through the back door on the north side). Cost: \$2

Firemen Needed

The Clearbrook Fire Department is looking for firemen.

If you have questions or are interested, call JEFF, 218-776-3144

Clearwater County History Center May Events planned

May is a busy month for the Clearwater County Historical Society as it begins its yearlong 50th Anniversary celebration.

On May 5 there is a History Kids program at the center from 10:00- 11:00 am. Kids ages 5-11 are invited to attend a "Minnesota Statehood 160th Birthday party." They will sample a Minnesota State Muffin, Beverage and Apple and play Minnesota State Symbol Bingo and other games. Cost is 2.00 per child. The History Center museum will be open until 2pm that day.

May 12 the History Center will be open 10:00- 2:00. A pop up exhibit of Mae Barness' hat collection will be on display for one day only in the church exhibit building.

On May 13 The Museum hosts a concert at the Roxy Theater in Clearbrook at 2:00. The Sutter Brothers- Ross and Bart- will give a 50-minute performance called "North Country Faces and Places." After the concert, cake and coffee will be served to celebrate the Society's 50th Anniversary. Free will donations are encouraged. This concert is made possible by the voters of Minnesota through a grant from the Northwest Minnesota Arts Council, thanks to a legislative appropriation from the arts and cultural heritage fund.

On May 20 the Clearwater County Historical Society officially turns 50 years old. The History Center in Shevlin will be open from 1:00- 4:00 to celebrate its 50th anniversary as well as International Museum Day. Two new exhibits "They answered the call: Clearwater County in WWI" and "Saving the Past for the Future: 50 years of Collecting" are on display and the historic buildings will open for the summer. There is no admission fee to visit the History Center.

Regular History Center hours are Tuesday- Friday 10-4 and by appointment. The History Center is located at 264 First Street West in Shevlin. 218-785-2000.

The history center will be closed May 26-28 for the Memorial Day holiday.

Strong wind Sunday - moving the ice around on Clearwater-some coming ashore. This picture sent by email showing the lake shore just north of the public access.

Church News

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

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.

GRACE FREE LUTHERAN CHURCH BAGLEY
Pastor Wayne Hjermstad 9 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Sunday Worship September - May
Every Thursday: 10 a.m. Bible Study.
Communion First Sunday of the Month.

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.

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Clearbrook
Pastor Verlyn Strenge
Assoc. Pastor Jim Galloway
Wed., May 2: 6:30 p.m. AWA-NA.
Thurs., May 3: 7:00 p.m. Bible Study
Sat., May 5: 7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sun., May 6: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service,

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH Clearbrook
Pastor Adam Krog
Wed., May 2 - 5:30 pm Confirmation, 6:30 pm Youth Group, 7:30 pm Bible Study and Prayer.
Thurs., May 3 - 9:30 am Bible Study and Prayer, 7:00 pm Nat'l Day of Prayer at Samhold.
Fri., May 4 - 5:30 pm Creative Evening for the Ladies.
Sun., May 6 - 9:30 am Sunday School, 10:30 am Worship Service, 11:30 am Communion Service.

National Day of Prayer
National Day of Prayer to be held at Samhold Lutheran Church in Gonvick at 7:00 pm. on May 3.
Theme Verse: Ephesians 4:3.
Theme: Unity
All area clergy and community members are invited to attend the gathering at Samhold. The event marks a call to gather the first Thursday of May for prayer. We will celebrate the event with worship and praying for unity.
Questions please call Gonvick parish at 218 487 5540

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

GONVICK SITE:
Friday Night Out: Mexican menu including dessert & beverage. Serving 5-7 PM. \$15 suggested donation, 12 & up. No reservation? Call for meal availability, 218-776-2789.
Restore It! Furniture Shop: Open until 8:00 PM this Friday.

Grow It! Greenhouse & Garden Center: Onion sets in three varieties; six varieties of seed potatoes; bareroot asparagus and everbearing & Junebearing strawberries. Check our Facebook page for varieties. OPEN! 9:00 AM-4:00 PM, weekdays, & 9-12, Sat. Extended hours start May 11. Open Mother's Day, Apr. 13, 12:00-2:00.
Senior Connection Adult Day Services: Openings for full- & part-time clients, M-W-F, 10:00-3:00. Enrollment assistance & transportation available. 218-487-5290, Ext. 1.
Transportation Service: Call Karen at 218-776-2223 or 218-637-0509 to the learn more.

CLEARBROOK SITE:
Shop-at-the-Top: All new items on our 50% off racks!
Celebrate Recovery Support Group: 7:00 PM, Thursday, 2nd floor of CWLC-Clearbrook. Help for any hurt, habit, or hang-up. Confidential.
CWLC-Gonvick, 226 Elm St., open: M-W-F, 10-4 & Sat., 9-12. CWLC-Clearbrook, 256 2nd Ave., SW. Open 10-4, M-F, & 10-12 on Saturday.

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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 Brad Binder Children's Minister Nicky Ubert
www.countryfaith.org 218-776-3367
cfcchurch@gvtel.com
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School (Sept - May); 10:00 a.m. Worship Service (Jr Church during Sermon time); 10:00 a.m. Kids Worship (1st-6th Graders) most Sundays Sept-May; 7:00 p.m. Youth Night (check the church website for dates or the Elevate Youth Facebook Page for up to date information)
Every Tuesday at 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer
* Wednesdays - Care groups in various homes

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.

GONVICK LUTHERAN PARISH MEMBERS OF NALC Pastor Kris Snyder SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH
Wed., May 2: 8:00 AM Men's Bible Study; 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study; 10:30 AM Quilting, 6:30-7:30 Confirmation Grill Out.
Sun., May 6: 9:30 am Sunday School, 10:30 am Worship Service/ Holy Communion.
UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH
Sun., May 6: 9:00 AM Worship Service Holy Communion.

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD
Pastor Robert Kirchman Good Shepherd
Wed., May 2: 6:30pm Choir Practice; No Handbell Practice.
Sun., May 6: 9:00 am Worship/ Communion/Senior Recognition Day, 10:00 am Sunday School/Coffee Hour.
Wed., May 7 7:00pm Worship Committee.
Joint
Wed. May 2 - 6:00 pm Supper/ Confirmation/6-7th Grade Bible Study.
Our Savior's
Sun., May 6: 9:30am Sunday School, 10:30 am Coffee hour, 11:00am Worship/Communion.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH Mt. Olive - Nazareth Oak Park - St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseeth
Wed, May 2: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School/Confirmation. 7:00 p.m. LYS meeting.
Sat, May 5: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive. Sun, May 6: 8:00 a.m. St. Petri, 9:15 a.m. SS; 8:30 a.m. Nazareth SS, Nazareth 9:45 a.m.; 9:45 a.m. Oak Park SS, 11:00 a.m. Oak Park. Honor Graduates – meal after service.
Wed, May 9: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School/Confirmation.

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH Josiah Hoagland, Pastor Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor
www.newjourneyfosston.com
Wed, May 2: 6:30 p.m. Awana. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.
Sun, May 6: 9:30 a.m. Worship. 10:40 p.m. Sunday School.
Tue, May 8: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study. 10:30 a.m. Quilting. 6:30 p.m. Bible Study.
Wed, May 9: 6:30 p.m. Awana. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH Bethany * Lund Sand Valley Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Wed, May 2: 5:00 p.m. Parish Board meeting at Lund. 6:15 p.m. 7th & 8th Grade confirmation.
Sun, May 6: 9:00 p.m. Lund. 10:30 a.m. Bethany.
Wed, May 9: 2:00 p.m. Lund WELCA. 6:15 p.m. 7th & 8th grade confirmation at Lund..

BETHEL ASSEMBLY Fosston Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor
Sun, May 6: 9:30 a.m. SS. 10:30 a.m. Worship.

DISCIPLES OF MESSIAH-YAHUSHA who obey Yahusha's teachings (John 8:31) are meeting each Sabbath in homes. (218) 766-8176 Homeless Shelter - Scriptural Counseling & Encouragement.

FREE TEDDY BEAR Clinic

Let your child be the parent

Bring your child and his or her favorite stuffed animal to Sanford Bagley Clinic for our Teddy Bear Clinic. Through this fun-filled, interactive event, your child will get to learn about patient care, order tests and get to know our staff a little better while his or her teddy has a checkup.

This is a great way to help your child overcome any fears about going to the doctor's office. There is no need to register. If you have any questions, please call (218) 694-2384 or (844) 772-3169.

Bring your favorite stuffed animal

Teddy Bear Clinic Monday, May 14 5:30-7 p.m. Sanford Bagley Clinic 1656 Central St. W., Bagley

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BEAR TRACKS

With articles submitted by the staff, administration and students at the Clearbrook-Gonvick Junior and Senior High Schools



Tamara Skinaway and Ethan Dorman recently represented the Clearbrook-Gonvick basketball programs in the North Central All-star game held at Bemidji High School. Both Tamara and Ethan were on a winning team during the event. Ethan is the second player from the right above.



Tamara Skinaway is shown on the left.

Clearbrook-Gonvick School Menu

Wednesday, May 2- Chick-en Wild Rice Soup, PB & J or Egg Salad Sandwich, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices, Milk.

Thursday, May 3- Hot Dog on Bun, Macaroni and Cheese, Baked Beans, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices, Milk.

Friday, May 4 - Turkey Subs, Sun Chips (9-12), Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices, Milk.

Monday, May 7 - Cook's Choice, Milk.

Tuesday, May 8 - Cook's Choice, Milk.

Wednesday, May 9- Cook's Choice, Milk.

SPOTLIGHT

April Elementary Students of the Month

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 “Knowing is not enough; we must apply. Being willing is not enough; we must do.” ~Leonardo da Vinci

Name: Quincy Gustafson, Kindergarten
Parents: Cedrik and Vanessa Gustafson
Siblings: Brody and Stella
Comments: “Quincy always comes to school with a positive attitude and an eagerness for learning. He is a good example to all as he follows directions quickly and is very respectful. I love hearing him share his deep knowledge of jets with us! His classmates voted for him to be our Student of the Month. They seem to appreciate his kindness and good manners as much as I do. One student remarked, “I like Quincy because he is kind to everyone.” Another said, “I like Quincy because he works hard and cleans up after playtime, even if he didn’t make the mess!” Congratulations, Quincy!”

Name: Kysen Larson, Grade 1
Parents: Jarica Hammes and Jeff Larson
Comments: “Kysen is a very quiet thinker. When he chooses to share his thoughts they are very meaningful. He works diligently in reading and math. He gets right to work on all his assignments. His friends enjoy him because he is easy to get along with. He looks forward to small group activities where he can work with others. Congratulations Kysen! You have worked hard to earn this award.”

Name: Peyton Wittenberg, Grade 2
Parents: Vern and Kari Wittenberg
Comments: “Peyton comes to school every day prepared and ready to learn. She is courteous and shows good manners in the classroom. She always remembers to say please and thank you. Peyton is one of the first ones to offer help to others and does it with a smile on her face. She has a very caring heart. Thank you, Peyton, for being a great addition to our class! You deserve being chosen ‘Student of the Month’ for second grade!”

Name: Xylah Rivkind, grade 3
Parents: Alex Rivkind & Krystle Lewis
Siblings: Patch
Comments: “Xylah has a quiet, friendly way about her that classmates appreciate. Her smile lights up the room every morning. What a way to start the day!! She works very hard at what she does in class and is a great example of determination for others. She is a strong reader and shows great expression in her oral reading. Our class was lucky to have gained this new classmate this year. Congratulations Xylah! Job well done!”

Name: Matthew Rankin, Grade 4
Parents: Nick and Amy Rankin
Siblings: Savannah and Daniel
Comments: “Matthew is exciting to have in class! He comes to school everyday with a story to share about his adventures. He is always deeply intrigued with the classroom conversations, he is usually successful in getting us

off topic, but life lessons are sometimes the most important lessons to share. He truly is a pleasure to have in class!”

Name: Dylan Dahlke, Grade 5
Parents: Jerry and Roxanne Dahlke
Siblings: Shadow, Mysten, and Karli
Comments: “Everyday Dylan could earn the Student of the Month title. He is always hard working, respectful to staff and students, and very helpful. He has a good, easy-going attitude that helps to keep our classroom environment positive as well.”

Name: Abby Engen, Grade 6
Parents: BJ and Linda Engen
Siblings: Ella, Mya
Comments: “Abby has been nominated by MANY of her peers to be “Student of the Month”, (but don’t just take my word for it): “Abby is always helpful to Mrs. B and her classmates.” “She is always on task and she never complains.” “She is very kind; not mean to others.” “She works hard and does stuff without being asked.” “Abby is always an optimist.” “She is always polite to her classmates.” “Abby E. is kind, helpful, and respectful to her friends.” “She plays the oboe and it sounds beautiful.” “She is very smart...and I mean VERY smart.” “She listens to the supervisors and never gets in trouble.” “She has a great attitude, is quiet, and organized.” “She is always in a good mood.” “She is sweet, kind, and she always picks up the garbage cans at the end of the day for the custodians.” (Well, Abby, it looks like your peers are not at a loss for words when describing you. Thanks for being you.)



April Elementary Students of the Month Pictured in Front Left to Right: Quincy Gustafson, Xylah Rivkind, Peyton Wittenberg. Pictured in Back Left to Right: Dylan Dahlke, Abby Engen, Matthew Rankin, Not pictured: Kysen Larson

Meet the Clearbrook-Gonvick Seniors

Each week the Leader-Record is featuring the 2018 seniors



Xavier Goodwin
Family Members: Mom Kristine Kubernic, dad Marcus Goodwin, and sister Zahra Goodwin.
Best High School Memory: Hanging out with friends.
Favorite Song: “Fool” by Cavetown
Favorite Movie: “Howl’s Moving Castle”
Favorite Class: Psychology with Mr.Kroulik
Hero: I don’t really have a hero

What are your plans for next year? Going to Bemidji State University and I plan on working my hardest.

Where do you see yourself in 10 years? I see myself working as a therapist wherever I end up.



Brent Weems
Family Members: Joe Weems, Melissa McCoy, Brandon Weems, Bailey Weems, Haley McCoy, Tristan McCoy, Aubrey McCoy, and Jemmarr Branch
Best High School Memory: The Class Trip
Favorite Song: “Backyard Lullaby” by Demun Jones
Favorite Movie: “Super Troopers”
Favorite Class: Gym with Mr.Christianson
Your Hero: Joe Weems (Dad) and Donald Trump
What are your plans for next year? Go to Alexandria Technical and Community College for Law Enforcement
Where do you see yourself in 10 years? Hopefully have a job somewhere!



Kayla Berrard
Family Members: Grandparents Sheri Good and David Berrard
Best High School Memory: When I get my diploma
Favorite Song: “Say You Won’t Let Go” by James Arthur
Favorite Movie: The Hangover movies
Favorite Class: Study Hall
Your Hero: My Grandparents

What are your plans for next year? I don’t know

Where do you see yourself in 10 years? Being happy and living my life!



Myranda Engberg
Family Members: Parents Jon and Lesly Engberg, brothers Jensen and Sawyer Engberg.
Best High School Memory: Hasn’t happened yet, but I know it will happen when I get my diploma.
Favorite Song: Too many to choose, I don’t even know my favorite band.
Favorite Movie: Hard to pick just one but I enjoy the Saw movies.
Favorite Class: Anything writing or English related.
Your Hero: I have had many influences in my life, it’s hard to pick one over the others.

What are your plans for next year? Attending Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls for Welding Process Technology.

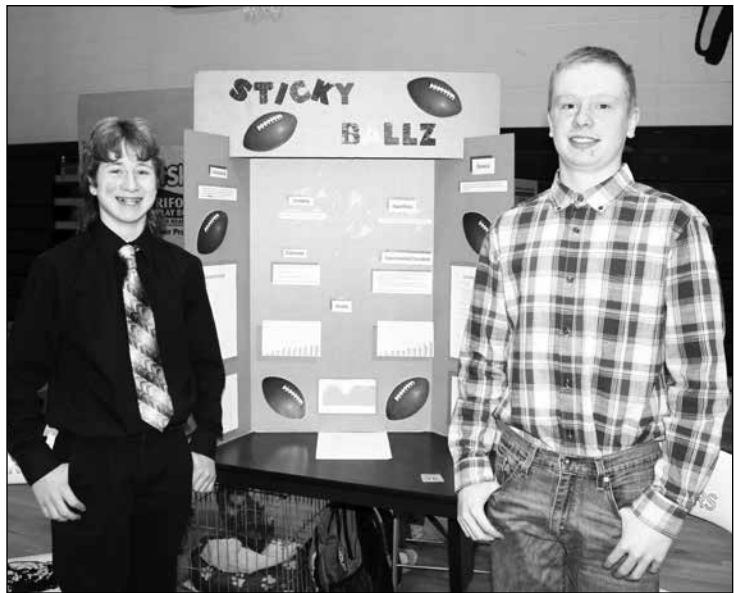
Where do you see yourself in 10 years? Happy with my life and starting to get everything put together.

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Clearbrook-Gonvick Senior and Junior High School Science Fair Projects



Jensen Engberg and Kyle Gerlofs with their Science project "Sticky Balls."



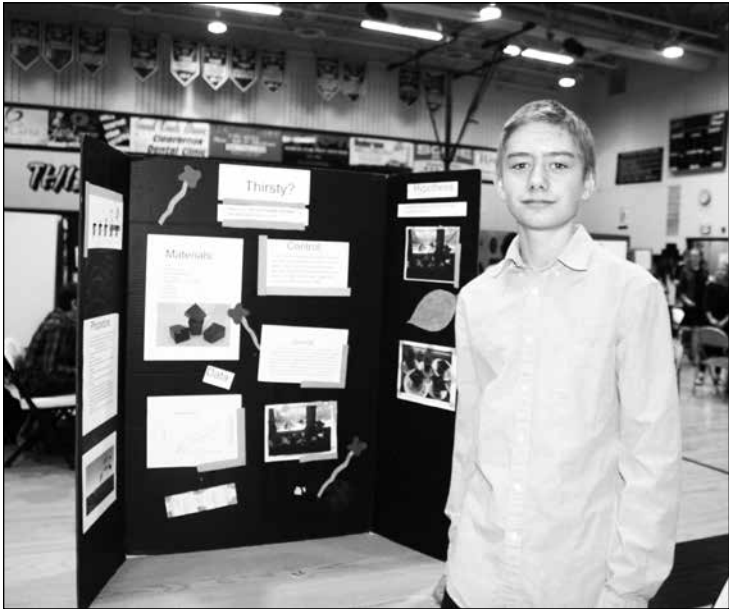
Carlie Coulter and Alise Sargent with their Science project "Hamster Jams."



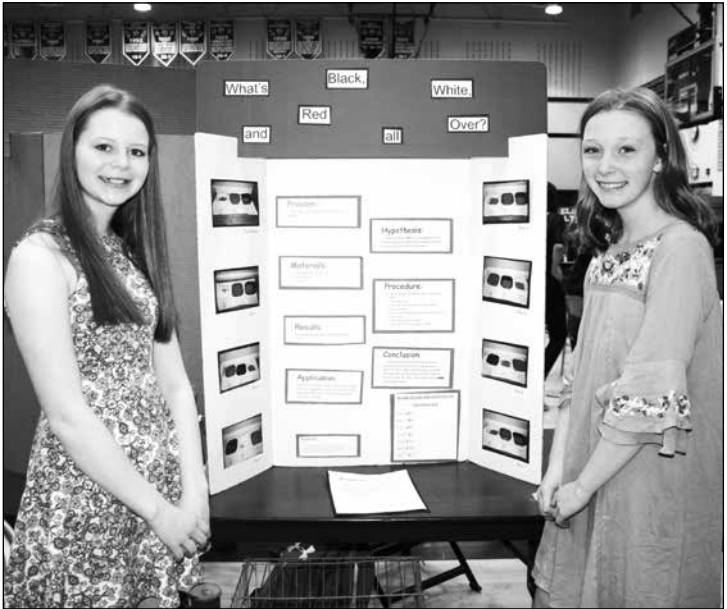
Kaylee Westrum and Annabell Phillips with their Science project "Family Factors Fingerprints."



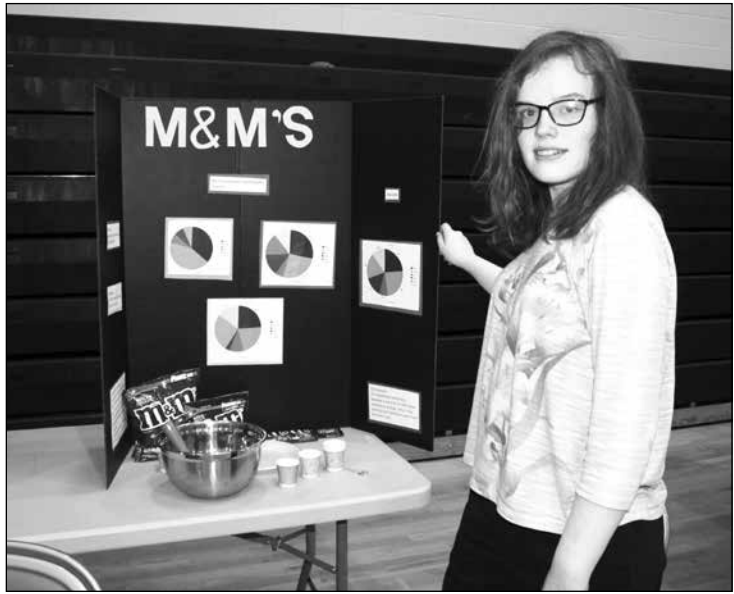
Latyn Maruska and Wayne Stoskoph with their Science project "Hot Stuff."



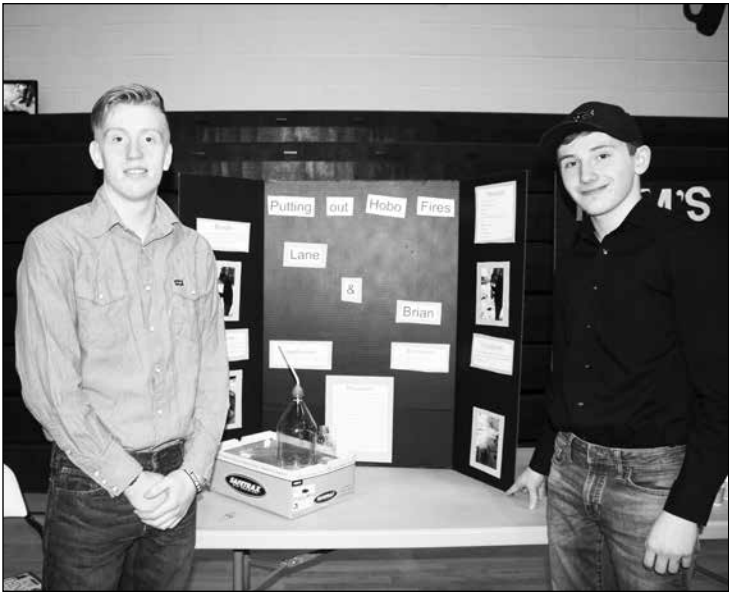
Avery LaVine with his Science project "Thirsty?"



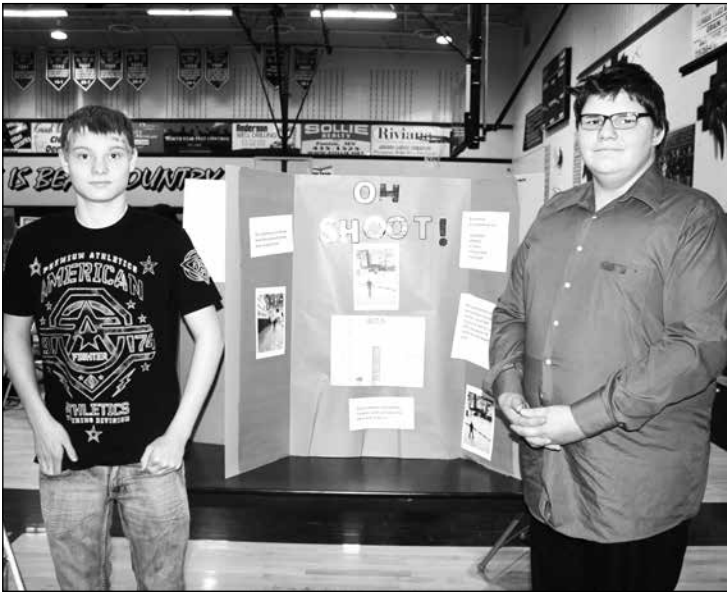
Danielle Faldet and Dana Melby with their Science project "What's Black, White and Red all over?"



Shayla Baker with her Science project "M and M's."



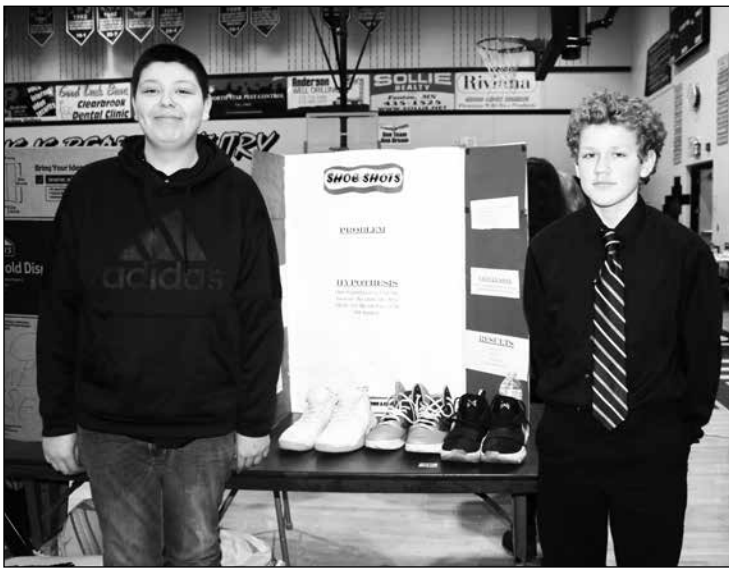
Brian Walser and Lane Cadreau with their Science project "Putting Out Hobo Fires."



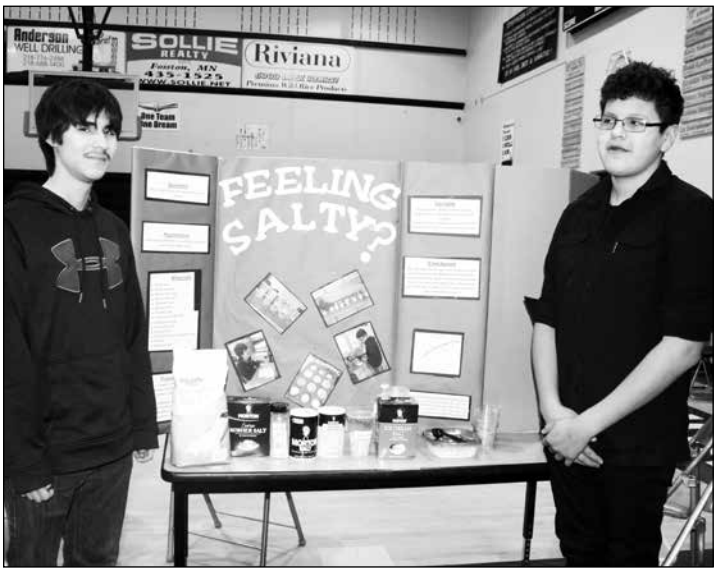
Tonny Straabe and Riley Torgerson with their Science project "Oh Shoot!"



Maci Wagner with her Science project "Survival Filter."



Isaac Spears and Theodore Tollefson with their Science project "Shoe Shots."



Robert King and Tristan Skinaway with their Science project "Feeling Salty."

NOTICE OF FILING For the 2018 State General Election Clearwater County, Minnesota April, 2018

Notice is hereby given that a general election will be held in Clearwater County on Tuesday, November 6, 2018 for the purpose of electing candidates for the offices listed below. The filing period for these offices begins at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 22, 2018 and ends at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 5, 2018. Note: Filing offices will be closed on Monday, May 28, 2018 in observation of Memorial Day.

CANDIDATES FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICES FILE WITH THE CLEARWATER COUNTY AUDITOR-TREASURER

COUNTY OFFICES: One County Commissioner for Districts 1, 3 and 5 (Four Year Terms); One County Auditor-Treasurer (Four Year Term); One County Attorney (Four Year Term); One County Recorder (Four Year Term); One County Sheriff (Four Year Term); One Soil and Water Supervisor for Districts 3 and 4 (Four Year Terms).

CANDIDATES FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICES FILE WITH THE OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE OR WITH THE COUNTY AUDITOR-TREASURER OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE CANDIDATE RESIDES.

STATE OFFICES: One State Representative for Districts 2A and 2B (Two Year Terms); One Governor and Lieutenant Governor (Four Year Terms); One Secretary of State (Four Year Term); One State Auditor (Four Year Term); One Attorney General (Four Year Term).

JUDICIAL OFFICES: Supreme Court Chief Justice (Six Year Term); Supreme Court Associate Justice Seats 1, 2, and 5 (Six Year Terms); Court of Appeals Seats 2, 4, 6, 7, 12 and 14 (Six Year Terms); District Court 9th Judicial District Seats 1, 3, 7, 9, 10, 13 and 24 (Six Year Terms).

Filings for the County elected offices will be open May 22nd through June 5th at the County Auditor-Treasurer's Office. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and until 5:00 p.m. on June 5th. The filing fee is \$50.00 for County Offices, \$20.00 for Soil and Water Supervisor Offices, \$100.00 for State Representative, \$300.00 for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Auditor, Attorney General, Judge of Supreme Court, Judge of Court of Appeals and Judge of District Court.

Clearwater County Sheriff Department Incident Report

City of Bagley - Total 16

04/22/18 11:21 ASSIST
04/22/18 15:08 Suspicious Ac-

tivity

04/22/18 19:56 Medical
04/25/18 13:05 ASSIST
04/25/18 13:07 Suspicious Ac-

tivity

04/25/18 23:09 Suspicious Ac-

tivity

04/26/18 08:05 Vehicle Lock Out
04/26/18 08:19 Traffic Complaint
04/26/18 10:21 Medical
04/26/18 12:26 Medical
04/26/18 12:56 Transport
04/26/18 13:13

04/27/18 01:52 Medical
04/27/18 03:17 Medical
04/27/18 08:47 Transport
04/28/18 04:51 Medical
City of Clearbrook - Total 1
04/22/18 17:29 Traffic Stop
City of Gonvick - Total 1
04/22/18 14:04 Crimes Against

Family

City of Shevlin Total 1
04/25/18 17:45 Traffic Stop
CW Clover - Total 1
04/25/18 19:51 Information Only
CW Copley - Total 11
04/22/18 13:44 Crimes Against

Family

04/24/18 13:36 Suspicious Ac-

tivity

04/24/18 17:53 Traffic Complaint
04/24/18 23:48 Suspicious Ac-

tivity

04/26/18 03:13 Animal Related
04/26/18 09:14 Juvenile Misc
04/26/18 18:49 Information Only
04/26/18 20:48 Property Damage
04/27/18 22:07 Juvenile Misc
04/28/18 06:09 Traffic Stop
04/28/18 07:35 Traffic Stop
CW Dudley - Total 2
04/26/18 17:20 Suspicious Ac-

tivity

04/28/18 12:46 Information Only
CW Eddy - Total 2
04/24/18 00:52 Alarm
04/26/18 09:02 Alarm
CW Falk - Total 4
04/22/18 13:37 Juvenile Misc
04/27/18 10:36 Suspicious Ac-

tivity

04/28/18 10:27 Fire
04/28/18 10:55 Alarm
CW Greenwood - Total 1
04/28/18 20:24 Fire
CW Holst - Total 2
04/23/18 22:42 Medical
04/27/18 12:25 THEFT
CW Itasca - Total 2
04/22/18 18:27 Traffic Stop
04/26/18 11:23 Information Only
CW LaPraire - Total 2
04/26/18 19:17 Civil Complaint
04/27/18 15:59 Warrant Arrest
CW LaPraire N - Total 8
04/22/18 13:25 Crimes Against

Family

tivity

04/22/18 22:56 ASSIST
04/27/18 21:14 Animal Related
CW LaPraire S - Total 1
04/28/18 09:57 Traffic Stop
CW Leon - Total 5
04/23/18 06:46 Animal Related
04/25/18 13:09 Traffic Stop
04/25/18 13:10 Fire
04/26/18 07:36 Traffic Stop
04/27/18 07:54 Traffic Stop
CW Minerva - Total 1
04/24/18 18:46 Medical
CW Nora - Total 4
04/22/18 11:24 Traffic Stop
04/22/18 21:40 Animal Related
04/23/18 20:55 Suspicious Ac-

tivity

04/26/18 19:22 Assault
04/27/18 21:14 Animal Related
CW LaPraire S - Total 1
04/28/18 09:57 Traffic Stop
CW Leon - Total 5
04/23/18 06:46 Animal Related
04/25/18 13:09 Traffic Stop
04/25/18 13:10 Fire
04/26/18 07:36 Traffic Stop
04/27/18 07:54 Traffic Stop
CW Minerva - Total 1
04/24/18 18:46 Medical
CW Nora - Total 4
04/22/18 11:24 Traffic Stop
04/22/18 21:40 Animal Related
04/23/18 20:55 Suspicious Ac-

tivity

04/28/18 17:22 Motorist Assist
CW Out of Jurisdiction - Total 3
04/23/18 12:04 ASSIST
04/24/18 07:50 Transport
04/24/18 10:08 Transport
CW Pine Lake - Total 4

tivity

04/23/18 18:48 Fire
04/24/18 14:35 Fire
04/26/18 19:55 Traffic Com-

plaint

04/27/18 17:25 Traffic Com-

plaint

CW Popple - Total 4
04/23/18 16:29 Traffic Stop
04/26/18 07:48 Animal Related
04/28/18 10:03 Information

Only

04/28/18 18:42 Medical
CW Rice - Total 5
04/22/18 20:28 ASSIST
04/22/18 22:34 Suspicious

Activity

04/23/18 21:19 Suspicious

Activity

04/24/18 10:17 Traffic Stop
04/24/18 19:29 Traffic Stop
CW Shevlin - Total 4
04/22/18 14:31 Crimes Against

Family

04/22/18 15:48 Harassment
04/26/18 13:29 Motor Vehicle

Crash

04/28/18 19:04 Suspicious

Activity

CW Sinclair - Total 2
04/22/18 21:37 Fire
04/28/18 14:32 Traffic Stop
Total Records: 87

Now hear this...
by Harry Hutchens,
Clearwater
County Veterans
Service Officer

Statement by VA Acting Secretary Robert Wilkie - Congressional Action on Veterans Choice Program. Under President Trump, the VA has benefitted from some of the most significant legislative reforms in the history of the department.

With funding for VA's Choice program set to run out soon, America's Veterans need Congress to come together to

support this crucial program and pass legislation that will make it permanent. There is simply no denying how vital community providers are to VA's mission, as the

Choice program accounts for an average of more than 30,000 appointments per day, and allows Veterans to get care when and where they need it.

Without community care, VA's ability to provide timely, high quality health care to Veterans will be dramatically diminished. The VA, along with the White House, commend Congress's dedication to finding a long term solution to the Choice Program. We are looking forward to working closely with Chairman Roe and House Leadership in the coming weeks to advance this legislation through the House of Representatives. We cannot wait any longer. Decisive action must be taken in order to deliver on our promise to our Veterans. They deserve the best healthcare options available, and a permanent Choice program will give them that. That's why we're calling on Congress to come together on a bipartisan basis to complete this critical mission for our nation's Veterans.

BEMIDJI FAC: The month of May is MN Family Assistance Center (FAC) Awareness Month. There is going to be an ice cream social at the Bemidji Armory with free root beer floats for Active Duty and veterans of all military branches and their families- Wednesday, May 2nd at 1:00pm-4:00pm.

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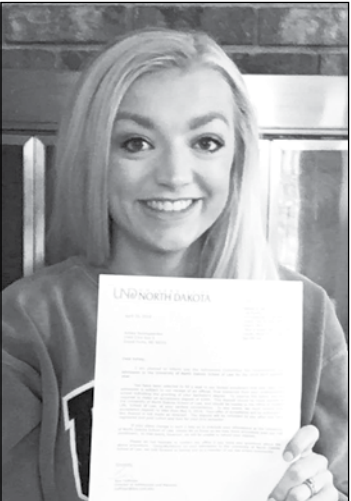
Wednesday, May 2, 2018



Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

The Gonvick Fire Department will be hosting their famous Pulled Pork Dinner on May 5 - 2018 at the Gonvick Fire Hall, from 5:00 to 8:00 for those of you that are able to attend. You can come meet, and talk with your local Volunteer Firefighters and bring the family, and leave the cooking to them.



We had a picture in the Tri County Canary last week of Ashley Boomgaarden who was admitted to the Law School at the University of North Dakota. Ashley was recommended by the Admissions Committee and selected by the Dean to receive a UND Law – Aca-

ademic Promise Scholarship for \$10,000 for her first year at Law School. Congratulations to Ashley.

The area greenhouses are opening up for the season. Fertile Garden Center is open daily. The Countryside Greenhouse south of Gonvick is having a Mother's Day special on Saturday, May 12. They are open on Monday through Saturday. See ads in the Canary this week.

There will be cemetery clean-up on Friday, May 11 starting at 5:00 p.m. at Silver Creek, Greenwood, Seljord, Westby, Augustana & Clearwater Cemeteries. Bring shovels, rakes, wheel-barrows, gloves. Contact: Brad Borene 776-3344 for details.

They will also be cleaning Sand Valley Cemetery on Saturday, May 5 starting at 9:00 a.m. Call 268-4432 for more information.

I heard that Edie Dukek and Doug Kilen are getting hitched. A reception and dance will be held on Saturday, June 9 at the American Legin in Middle River starting t 5:00

p.m.

The Clearbrook Fire Department is looking for firemen. If you have questions or are interested, call Jeff, 218-776-3144.

Time to think... Filing for elected County offices begins on May 22, 2018. Dan Stenseng will not be seeking a third term as your 5th District Clearwater County Commissioner. The 5th District in Clearwater County consists of the City of Gonvick and the townships of Holst, Eddy, Pine Lake, Winsor, Greenwood, Hangaard, and the Clearwater County portion of the Red Lake Reservation.

If you have a story or photo to share you can send to richards@gvtel.com. Your new family member, the big buck or fish that you got, wedding or engagement picture.

Obituaries in the Canary are also put on our website for you to see. Go online at trico-canary.com. They are free and updated as they come into our office.

We take passport pictures. Call 218-487-5225 to set up an appointment. They can be made while you wait.

We collect used eye glasses in he Leader-Record office in Gonvick and at the Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center. We do this for the Gonvick Lions Club and they are put to very

good use.

Joke Time

A woman has a heart attack. During this, she dies and meets God.

"Will I die?" she asked.

"No," God replied, "You will live for another 40 years, 2 months, and 8 days."

At this instant, she snapped back alive. After the heart attack, she decides to make the most of her life.

She gets a face lift, liposuction, and a tummy tuck. She even gets a surgery to change the color of her hair.

After her final surgery, she walks out and gets hit by a car and dies. When she goes up in heaven and meets God, she's steaming.

"What was that!?" she asked.

"What?" God responded, "You died."

"You said I would live another 40 years!"

"Oh," God thought for a while. "I didn't recognize you."



Michael Swenson closed the curtains for the last time, ending his 43 year career as theater director at RLCC.

A Final Curtain Call for Michael Swenson

By: Aiydin Lancto
RLCC student
This year is Mr. Michael Swenson's last year teaching at Red Lake County Central High School and he recently put on his last play, "Something's Afoot." His first involvement in theater began when he was in 4-H. Swenson commented that

he was "shanghaied to be in a skit for Share the Fun when I was in eighth grade." His only other experience was at Northland Community College in a play entitled "Rhinoceros" by Eugene Ionesco where he had seven lines. Swenson became a theater director when he began teaching in Oklee when he was assigned the junior and senior class plays. He has been directing One-Act plays for 43 years, Three-Act plays for 38 years, Musicals for eight years, Adult Summer Theater for five years, and Sunday Christmas Programs for five years.

Swenson also directed Children's Theater for 35 years. "I remember when my son was in Prairie Theater. They had students do a play in a week. I knew there had to be a better way so I created the Oklee Community Children's Theater and the students were the stars. They created the character, helped in the sets, lighting, and special effects. They became the stars." He stressed the pressure placed on actors when he said, "This is the only activity that you must totally depend on the other actors on stage."

Pink Day Out

Mammograms. Mocktails. Mingling.

Wednesday, May 16
2-5 p.m.

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Ask about joining the WISDOM study.



Amanda Yudell, PA-C, Sanford Bagley welcomes Amanda Yudell, PA-C

BEMIDJI, Minn. – Amanda Yudell, PA-C, has joined the family medicine team as a physician assistant at the Sanford Bagley Clinic.

Yudell received her undergraduate degree from Montana State University in Bozeman. She went on to receive her graduate degree from Augsburg College, in Minneapolis, Minn. She specializes in care for all members of the family, with emphasis on preventive care, chronic disease management, and common illnesses and injuries. She is board certified by the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants.

Yudell is originally from Sunburst, Mont., she is married and has a young daughter. In her spare time, she enjoys hiking, bird watching, the outdoors, and spending time with her family.

Yudell practices at the Sanford Bagley Clinic, located at 1656 Central St. W in Bagley. To schedule an appointment, please call (218) 694-2384. Clinic hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays and Fridays, and 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday.

Who Dat from our files....



From our files... Who Dat was taken in 2005. The young girl is Kailie Becktrand Fawver and the young lad is Chance Goudge. They are so cute.

Who Dat from our files....



These two look like they are the king and queen of some event. Does any one know who they are?



The Clearbrook-Gonvick After-Prom Committee would like to thank the following local businesses who helped to provide the juniors and seniors and their guests with wonderful entertainment, food, prizes and gifts at our 2018 After-Prom event. The night was safe, fun-filled and memorable!!



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Clearbrook Collision Center
Clearwater Trail Blazers
Copley Township
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We would also like to thank all the parents who donated time, energy and/or money. This would not have been possible without your help.

***If we have inadvertently omitted anyone, we sincerely apologize.

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GENERAL NOTICE to Destroy Noxious Weeds

CONTACT YOUR COUNTY AGENT FOR CONTROL MEASURES

You Are Required to Destroy Noxious Weeds on Your Property

Notice is hereby given this 2nd day of May, 2018, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2011, Section 18.78, to all owners, occupants, agents and public officials in charge of lands in Clearwater County, Minnesota, that noxious weeds on such lands shall be destroyed or eradicated by effective methods approved by your local weed inspector as often as may be required to prevent the weeds from blooming and maturing seeds or spreading by roots or other means. The county noxious weeds are: Yellow Starthistle, Grecian Foxglove, Oriental Bittersweet, Purple Loosestrife, Garlic Mustard, Leafy Spurge, Canada Thistle, Musk Thistle, Plumeless Thistle, Wild Parsnip, Common Tansy, Spotted Knapweed, Common or European Buckthorn, Glossy Buckthorn, Poison Ivy and Palmeri Amaranthus.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWNSHIP AND CITY WEED INSPECTORS OF CLEARWATER COUNTY

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The Board of County Commissioners Requests Your Cooperation In This Weed Control Work.

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Enbridge Completes Initial Assessment of Recommendations of Minnesota Administrative Law Judge on Line 3 Replacement Project

ALJ Acknowledges Need for the Project, but Route Recommendation Ignores State Analysis and Tribal Sovereignty

CALGARY, ALBERTA and HOUSTON, TEXAS, April 25, 2018 – After review of the Minnesota Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) recommendation on the Line 3 Replacement Project released earlier this week, Enbridge Inc. (TSX: ENB) (NYSE: ENB) and Enbridge Energy Partners, L.P. (NYSE:EPP) (collectively referred to as Enbridge) commented on the recommendations. The ALJ's recommendations are not binding on the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission (PUC) and Enbridge expects the PUC to vote on the Line 3 Replacement Project in June 2018.

Commenting on the ALJ recommendation, Al Monaco, President & CEO, Enbridge Inc. said: "We are pleased that the ALJ's recommendation clearly confirms the need to replace this critical piece of infrastructure that will enhance safety and environmental protection with the latest

in pipeline technology and construction methods. The ALJ recommendation also recognizes the economic importance of a modernized Line 3 that will have significant benefits to businesses and communities across Minnesota.

"That being said, the ALJ's suggestion of an alternative route ignores the extensive record compiled by the State of Minnesota in issuing a comprehensive Environmental Impact Statement that incorporates input from thousands of Minnesotans who are in favor of our proposed route. Most notably, the ALJ's recommended route ignores the longstanding wishes of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe that the replacement not be constructed across their reservation."

The ALJ's recommended route (RA-07) would require in-trench replacement of the existing pipeline in the current right-of-way, introducing unnecessary safety, environmental and economic risks. Constructing RA-07 would require lengthy pipeline outages, which would cause extended supply disruptions leading to higher gasoline prices impacting Minnesota and the surrounding region.

Mr. Monaco continued: "From the beginning, we placed a top priority on respecting the views and concerns of communities including Tribal Nations. Our proposed route follows ex-

tensive study and is the result of significant input from stakeholders across Minnesota. It acknowledges the legitimate concerns of Tribal Nations, it best protects the environment and it has the overwhelming support of communities. We would like to thank the thousands of Minnesotans representing farmers, small business owners, unions, civic leaders and others for their efforts in support of this critical project."

Enbridge's proposed route has secured easements from landowners for 95% of the right-of-way, and follows existing energy infrastructure corridors for more than 80% of the route. A Final Environmental Impact Statement on the Line 3 project — prepared by the Minnesota Department of Commerce and deemed adequate by the PUC in March 2018 — demonstrates that Enbridge's proposed route is the least impactful to Tribal cultural resources, drinking water and high population areas.

"Coupled with other impacts examined, we believe our preferred route is the optimal solution for Minnesota," said Mr. Monaco. "Given the demonstrated need for Line 3, the benefits of the proposed route, and the substantial negative impacts associated with the ALJ's alternative route, we continue to believe the PUC should approve the replacement of Line 3 as proposed."

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\$25⁰⁰ (year) in Clearwater County	Name _____
\$30⁰⁰ (year) out of Clearwater County	Address _____
\$15⁰⁰ (6 months) in Clearwater County	City _____ State _____
\$17⁰⁰ (6 months) out of Clearwater County	Zip _____
\$28⁰⁰ Snowbirds	

