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CMSgt Doug Faldet



Lt. Colonel Jeff Melander

Memorial Day Speakers

Two military men were the speakers at the Clearbrook and Gonvick Memorial Day programs. Lt. Colonel Jeff Melander was in Clearbrook and CMSgt Doug Faldet was in Gonvick.

CMSgt Doug Faldet was the special speaker at the Gonvick Memorial Day program. He graduated from Gonvick-Trail High school in 1980. He joined the US Air Force in 1982. He was stationed at Ramstein Air Base, Germany and Nellis Air Force Base in Las Vegas, NV. He left active duty in 1989 and joined the North Dakota

Air National Guard in Fargo, ND. He worked full time for the Happy Holligans since 1990. He worked in aircraft maintenance on F-4, F-16 and C021 aircraft. In 2014 he received training to be a Geospatial Imagery Analyst focusing on targeting. He is currently the 199th Intelligence Surveillance and Reconnaissance Group superintendent.

He lives in Moorhead with his wife Teresa.

Lt. Colonel Jeff Melander was the speaker for the Clearbrook Memorial Day Program. He was born in

Bagley, graduated from Fosston High School in 1971, attended the University of Minnesota, Morris, and graduated from University of Minnesota, St. Paul with a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree in 1979. He was commissioned into the United States (U.S.) Army Veterinary Corps in November 1986. He attended graduate school at Colorado State University and completed a Master of Science degree in environmental health in 1994. In 2002, he graduated from the U.S. Army War College. He lives in Gully.



Tippy Berg, one of the Gonvick Legion Auxiliary members, getting a corsage from Fay Bjerke.



DonnaRae Jacobson and Cindy Stoller welcomed many to the program at Clearbrook for Memorial Day.

New sculpture added at the Clearbrook-Gonvick School

This new sculpture is in front of the Clearbrook-Gonvick School. The sculpture came to

be from a design Brody Arlaud worked on in 3-D Art Class. Seniors who worked on the

sculpture with him were, Keisha Jones, Cassandra Faldet, Kayla Berrard, Sierra Walters and Brianna Straabe. It is dedicated to the Class of 2018. Title-"THRIVE". Symbolism in the meaning is as follows:

- Organic plant-like shapes emerge from the base in a diamond pattern representing diamonds in the rough; our graduates, like diamonds prepared for polishing in a new phase of life's journey.
- The shapes have twists and turns representing the challenges and successes they will encounter on this journey.
- The base has been finished so it is unchanging in the outdoor elements representing a firm foundation and the 12 forms bright and ready for the journey yet over time will turn a beautiful turquoise-green representing continual growth.
- 12 organic forms represent 24 graduates 24/2 in that we do not stand alone in life, we always have another to lean on.



SWCD reports on AIS and Water Plan options

Cost of LARL to the County is increasing

By Karen Edelbach

The Clearwater County Board of Commissioners met on May 29, 2018. They discussed the next course of remonumentation in the County which will involve Sinclair, Leon, and Pine Lake Townships.

LARL: Commissioner John Nelson informed the Board of an increase for Lake Agassiz Regional Library system in the amount of \$1,940 for Clearwater County.

"That makes it over \$103,000 now," he said.

Prime West: Commissioner John Nelson is on the Prime West Board. The State requires that all the Board members of Prime West be educated, the Commissioner said. Then they are tested.

Environmental Services Director, Dan Hecht brought several motions to be considered by the Board. The annual contract for Weed Task Force Specialist duties was approved. It will be between the County and Blake Peterson for the 2018 calendar year. The duties in the contract have been reduced to only newspaper columns and duties related to the approved pit list.

"The pits on the list are inspected. If no more work is being done for two inspections, I want to take them off of the list," Mr. Hecht stated.

Roadside spraying inspection duties have been removed and the number of hours is reduced accordingly.

He said the public notice for the Solid Waste Management Plan ended on May 21 and no comments were received. A resolution for adoption of the plan was approved by the Commissioners, with Dean Newland

making the motion, which was seconded by Neal Illies.

The Board approved a pay rate increase for part-time employee Al Spring from \$13.50 up to \$14.00 per hour, effective immediately.

A concrete crusher may be available to crush concrete from the area projects. If it is a reasonable price then the ES Director would like to pursue this.

SWCD: Jamin Carlson, Water Plan Coordinator, and Chester Powell, Program Technician of the Soil & Water Conservation District had a spot on the meeting agenda. Chester gave an AIS update, saying there are 11 inspectors working at various county lakes, and another two at Itasca Park.

"Pine Lake froze out last year, and dead fish were found along the shore," Chester said. "Only three inspections were done there on the opener, where there should be 20-30. It was reported that they are not catching anything, and lake use is way down. I think there is a greatly reduced population."

"I have cut back the number of inspectors at Pine Lake and placed them at Long Lake and Clearwater Lake."

Jamin talked about the Mississippi Watershed plan. This involves five counties working to manage the watershed, or Clearwater County can manage their own. Chester asked if the Commissioners are for, against, or neutral to the Mississippi Watershed.

Several Commissioners mentioned the difficulties that occur when it is a joint effort, and that the focus goes to a particular problem, then the rest

are ignored.

Commissioner Newland said, "I don't like it that the other areas get forgotten when the focus is on one problem."

Commissioner Illies said, "I am concerned about us giving up more power. We need more information."

Chester replied that managing of power is of concern.

"The County still has time in the future to decide where we want to go with a plan," Jamin said. "It doesn't need changing right now as it is solid."

They reported that the tree sales are now done.

Maintenance Supervisor Steve Faldet reported on the potential repair or replacement of the front door of the Court House. One contractor he talked with said the door is too old to repair. He will be talking with another this week.

Stripping of the Courthouse parking lot was approved, an amount of approximately \$445.00. The parking lots for the Nursing Service and the Human Service lots were discussed, but will not be done at this time.

Land Commissioner Bruce Cox confirmed that there is an area at Long Lost Lake they want better access to and want to memorialize. The request for half of the cost of placement and maintenance of a portable bathroom will be pursued with DNR, and the remaining half of the cost will be paid by Long Lost Lake Association.

Commissioners present at the meeting were Daniel Stenseng, Dean Newland, John Nelson, and Neal Illies. Arlen Syverson was absent.



Jamin Carlson, Water Plan Coordinator, and Chester Powell, Program Technician of the Soil & Water Conservation District in Bagley attended the Clearwater County Commissioners meeting May 29.

Legislative town hall meetings scheduled in District 2

ST. PAUL – Area legislators have scheduled a series of town hall meetings in District 2 for the first week in June. These town hall meetings will providing a chance to discuss with citizens the details of the recently concluded 2018 session.

Sen. Paul Utke, R-Park Rapids, and Rep. Steve Green, R-Fosston, will be at events in Bagley, Lake Park and Park Rapids, with Rep. Matt Grossell, R-Clearbrook, also appearing at Bagley.

The schedule of meetings includes:

- Bagley: 6 p.m. June 6, D&R Café (27 Central St. W.)

•Lake Park: 6 p.m. June 7, Lake Park City Center (2032 2nd St.)

- Park Rapids: 6 p.m. June 8, Park Rapids Town Hall (1200 E. First St.)

All three meetings are designed to be informal in nature and no RSVP is required to attend.

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property. Be alert to suspicious vehicles in your area and report those to the Sheriff's Office. If anyone has information regarding any of these thefts or fire, please call and report your information.

Public assistance requested

The Clearwater County Sheriff's Office is asking the public's assistance in three recent thefts of side-by-side UTV vehicles. In two of the thefts, the UTV's were taken from the yard of the victims. One even occurred during daytime hours. In the early morning hours of May 29th, a fire was reported in an outbuilding on property near Roy Lake. After the fire was extinguished, two UTV's were discovered missing from the building. The State Fire Marshall's Office is investigating the cause of the fire. Similar thefts are occurring in surrounding counties as well and we are working with

those agencies in these investigations. As always, we encourage everyone to take steps to secure your property. It is unfortunate that there are people out in our communities that think they are entitled to your

Sanford Clearbrook Clinic announces new hours

A reminder Sanford Clearbrook Clinic will be open Monday through Wednesday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. On Thursday and Friday, medical care and appointments are available at the Sanford Bagley Clinic. Patients can schedule an ap-

pointment by calling (218) 694-2384. The Bagley clinic is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and offers evening appointments until 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. In the event of an emergency, please call 911.

Community Calendar

Gonvick Blood Drive
United Blood Services will have a Blood Drive at Gonvick Community Center on Monday June 11, 2018.
For appointments contact Eileen Lien 487-5568, JoAnn Birkeland 487-5423, Faye Bjerke 487-6465 or go to: www.bloodhero.com, sponsor code: Gonvick. Sponsored by Gonvick Lutheran Parish

Come Experience the fun Thursday
Women's voices for Acapella singing are wanted on Thursday June 7 at 7:00 p.m. Ages 16 and up are welcome to the Gonvick Community Center on Main Street.

Lawn Mowing Services Available
218-776-2500
~ Aiden & Alex Churness ~
CLEARBROOK & GONVICK AREA

LEGAL NOTICE
CALL FOR BIDS
DAIRY PRODUCTS

The Board of Education of the Clearbrook-Gonvick Independent School District #2311 is accepting bids for the 2018-2019 year for the following dairy products:
½ Pint Skim Milk
½ Pint 1% Milk
½ Pint Chocolate Skim Milk
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4 – 1 Gallon 1% Milk
Successful Bidder must deliver to the Clearbrook-Gonvick School.
*Bid response should specify whether or not portable cooler units would be supplied at location.
Bids should be sent to:
Clearbrook-Gonvick ISD #2311
Attention: MILK BID
16770 Clearwater Lake Rd
Clearbrook MN 56634
Bids will be opened at 2 pm on Monday, July 16, 2018 at the Clearbrook-Gonvick School.
The Clearbrook-Gonvick School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Notice of Public Meeting
The Clear Waters Life Center (CWLC) hereby provides notice that it intends to apply to USDA Rural Development for a grant to replace the current lighting systems to become more energy efficient and add a boiler to help heat the CWLC-Gonvick building.
Individuals or agencies wishing to comment about this application should attend the public meeting at CWLC – Gonvick, 226 Elm Street, Gonvick, MN. The meeting will be held in the Coffee Coup in the north wing of the building at 4:00 PM, Monday, June 18, 2018.



Amanda Standalone
Amanda Standalone to perform June 10

Legends on Lomond Concert Series at Farm By The Lake Sunday June 10 4:00pm
FREE and Open to the Public. Rain or shine (large event tent for rain). Feel free to bring your own lawn chairs - some folders provided.
Amanda Standalone is a writer, folk musician and multi-instrumentalist from Minnesota. Standalone has released two albums, Millions of Blackbirds (2010), which bears the title track Bird flew Hard for the HBO documentary 'Paycheck to Paycheck: The Life and Times of Katrina Gilbert,' and Trouble (2014), funded in part by a grant from the Lakes Region Arts Council and a successful indie go-go campaign. Her music is a soulful blend of acoustic folk/blues strongly influenced by American Roots music. She skillfully attacks the guitar, banjo, and her single stringed washtub, while packing an extra punch with her rich vocals. Currently, Standalone is working on her 3rd album and performing around the midwest.

Volunteers!
ANNUAL CLEANUP DAY
at the
CLEARWATER COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS
Wednesday, June 13, 2018, 4:00 P.M.
This is a Modern Woodmen Good Neighbor Project
Thanks for your Help!
Please bring shovel, rakes and brooms to clean up the grounds, buildings and plant flowers.
HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!!!

Today In Banking
Some "Straight Talk" On Banking Today ... That Can Make Banking Better For You...

Thanks, dairy farmers, for all of your hard work in the field each and every day.

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Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center

The May 15 meeting was called to order at 12:30 by Pres. Lloyd Engen. The treasurer's report was read and approved without discussion. Lloyd entertained with a joke.
The center has ordered a new convection oven and a new dishwasher. They are coming soon. Both are very much needed for some time. \$1100 is due on the items.
It is not known if LSS will pay this. The center has received memorials for Gladys Larson. Their request was that we purchase a coffee pot. A new pot was purchased recently; but the center would like a permanent pot on a stationary table.
Sally Navratil has rented the apartment behind the center that was previously rented by Gladys Larson. There was no other business. Door prize was won by Beverly Shelquist. The meeting adjourned.
Eleanor Hall provided an interesting program. She told the story of her life using different hats. Eleanor had a part in the beginning of the adopt-a-highway program in Anoka County. She shared other interesting tidbits.
Leona Swanson, Carol Niewinski and Barb Torgerson provided lunch.
Carol Niewinski, Secretary

Clearwater County Fair Calendar winners
May 26 - Rachel Johnson, Shevlin, \$20.
May 27 - Franklin and Annie Bergh, Clearbrook, \$20.
May 28 - Candace Syverson, Bagley, \$20.
May 29 - Lloyd Engen, Clearbrook, \$20.
May 30 - Cheri Michel, Bagley, \$20.
May 31 - Cindy Anderson, Garry, \$20.
June 1 - Char Rathbone, Gully, \$20.

Funding for Veterans Homes and School repairs signed into law
ST. PAUL – On Wednesday, Governor Dayton signed into law the bonding bill that includes funding for the Bemidji veterans home and renovations to the Northwest Angle Inlet's one-room schoolhouse and Red Lake's schools. The package as approved featured \$825 million in general obligation bonds to fund construction projects throughout the state. Rep. Matt Grossell, R-Clearbrook, released the following statement after enactment:
"Our nation's heroes have already spent too much time away from their families fighting for our freedoms, it's important that during their final days they can stay close to home. Having a veterans home in Bemidji will help veterans across northern Minnesota stay close to home," said Grossell. "It was also important that we fund repairs and infrastructure updates for the Northwest Angle Inlet's one-room schoolhouse and Red Lake's schools. We toured these facilities and recognized the need to fund updates to these schools."
"School safety was another top priority and I am pleased we are providing \$25 million to make safety improvements at our schools. I am proud of the work we did on this bill."
The bonding portion of the bill as presented to the governor included:
• \$178 million for asset preservation
• \$123 million for water-related projects
• \$20 million for flood work
• \$208 million for higher education construction
• \$541 million for transportation
• \$32 million for veterans homes in Preston, Bemidji, and Montevideo
• \$28 million for mental health crisis centers
With funding such as trunk highway bonds included, the bill provides an additional \$416 million for transportation.

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

THE AMERICAN FLAG-DOING IT RIGHT?: The U.S. Flag Code suggests that when a flag has served its useful purpose, "it should be destroyed, preferably by burning." For individual citizens, this should be done discreetly so the act of destruction is not perceived as a protest or desecration. Many American Legion posts conduct disposal ceremonies of unserviceable flags, especially on Flag Day (June 14). Such ceremonies are particularly dignified and solemn occasions for the retirement of unserviceable flags. There is a flag collection box at the Courthouse Service Center window area specifically for the purpose of receiving these flags with ongoing dignity. Or, you can take your flags to your local American Legion post. They will be happy to retire your flags in their next disposal ceremony. Local Boy Scout Troops also perform and even integrate this ceremony into their many patriotic activities.
AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY POPPY: On Memorial Day and Veterans Day, millions of red crepe paper poppies— all handmade by veterans as part of their therapeutic rehabilitation—are distributed across this country in exchange for donations that go directly to assist disabled and hospitalized veterans in our communities.
DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS FORGET-ME-NOT: For more than 80 years, this small blue flower of remembrance.

Hutchens..
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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.

GONVICK LUTHERAN PARISH
MEMBERS OF NALC
Pastor Kris Snyder
SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH
June 6: 8:00 AM Men's Bible Study; 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study.
Sun., June 10: 9:30 am Sunday School, 10:30 AM Worship Service/Holy Communion.
UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH
Sun., June 10: 9:00 AM Worship Service/Holy Communion.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Wed., June 6 - Sweet and Sour Chicken, Rice, Oriental Veg., Peaches and Milk.
Thurs., June 7- Pork Chop/Gravy, Whole Potatoes, Green Beans, Fruit Crisp, Bread and Milk.
Fri., June 8 - Lasagna, Country Blend Veg., Garlic Bread, Bar and Milk.
Mon., June 11 - Tator Tot Hotdish, Corn, Biscuit and Milk.
Tues., June 12- Mac Salad, Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Banana, Cookie and Milk.
Wed., June 13 - Birthday Meal Potato Salad, Crispy Chicken, Fresh Veggies, Rhubarb Dessert, Croissants 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. Call 776-3154 to sign up.

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

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

GONVICK SITE:
Grow It! Greenhouse & Garden Center: SALE!!! All 4-inch herb, vegetable & bedding plants are 25% off through Sat., June 9. Open Mon.-Thurs., 9:00 AM-5:00 PM, Fri., 9:00-6:00, & Sat., 9:00-4:00.
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.
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CLEARBROOK SITE:
Shop-at-the-Top: Open 10:00-4:00, weekdays. & 10:00-12:00, Saturday. Large selection of shorts for the whole family. Men's & boys clothing 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.
For programs and services, visit: www.clearwaterslife.org, www.mustardseedhomes.org, or www.adulddayservicesgonvick.org and our Facebook pages.
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Every Tuesday at 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer
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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., June 7: 7:00 p.m. Bible Study.
Sat., June 9: 7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sun., June 10: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service (followed by S.S. Potluck Picnic at Clover Chapel.

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD
Pastor Robert Kirchman
Good Shepherd
Sun., June 10: 9:00 am Worship/Communion, 10:45 am Coffee Hour.
Mon., June 11: 7:00 pm Worship Committee.

Our Savior's
Sun., June 10: 10:30 am Coffee hour, 11:00 am Worship/Communion.

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH Clearbrook
Pastor Adam Krog
Wed., June 6 - 7:00 pm Bible Study & Prayer, 8:00 pm Youth Group.
Thurs., June 7 - 9:30 a.m. Bible Study & Prayer.
Sun., June 10 - 9:30 am Worship Service.

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.

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

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
Mt. Olive – Nazareth Oak Park – St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseith
Sat, June 9: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive.
Sun, June 10: 8:00 a.m. St. Petri; Nazareth 9:45 a.m.; 11:00 a.m. Oak Park.

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
Josiah Hoagland, Pastor
Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor
www.newjourneyfosston.com
Sun, June 10: 9:30 a.m. Worship.
Tue, June 12: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study. 10:30 a.m. Quilting. 6:30 p.m. Bible Study.
Wed, June 13: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund
Sand Valley
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Sun, June 10: 9:00 a.m. Lund. 10:30 a.m. Sand Valley.
Wed, June 13: 2:00 p.m. Lund WELCA

BETHEL ASSEMBLY Fosston
Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor
Sun, June 10: 10:00 a.m. Worship.

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

Meet the Clearbrook-Gonvick Kindergarten

Each week the Leader-Record will be featuring the 2030 class



Quincy Gustafson: Quincy's parents are Cedrick and Vanessa and he has one brother, Brody, and one sister, Stella. When he grows up he wants to be a pipeliner and if he had one million dollars, he would buy toys. He likes that they can play on computers at school, his favorite food is fish, and at home he likes to play street hockey.



Lashelle Johns Lashelle's parents are Lavon and Shawn and they have three dogs; Piper, Jackson and Harley. What she likes about school is math and at home she likes to play games outside. When she grows up she wants to be a princess. Lashelle's favorite food is tacos and if she had one million dollars she would buy a TV.



John Ballard John's family is his mom and dad, and his siblings Chloe, Annalise, Jeanette, Rachel and Paul. He has three pets named Annabel, Scooter, and Max. When he grows up he wants to be a police officer. John likes recess, playtime, snack/story time and playing with friends at school. His favorite foods are pizza and mac & cheese. At home he likes to play on his swing set and trampoline outside. If he had a million dollars, he would give it to others/share his money.

More Kindergarten page 4 and next week...



Colton Anderson Jr. Colton's parents are Casey and Colton and he has two brothers, Easton and Clay. They have three dogs; Remmy, Arlo and Smoke. When Colton grows up he wants to be a ninja. If he had one million dollars he would buy a truck. His favorite food is pizza. At school Colton likes recess and at home he likes to play tag.



Bria Sather Bria's parents are Brandi and Jeremy and they have a cat named Sammy and a dog named Sambo. When she grows up, she wants to be a veterinarian and if she had one million dollars, she would buy a unicorn. At school she likes recess and at home she likes to play on her swing set and her favorite food is broccoli.



Corbyn Guy Corbyn's family is her mom, Chris, Dylan, Morgan and Olivia. They have one cat and three dogs and if she had one million dollars she would buy a horse. When she grows up she wants to be a dinosaur and her favorite food is macaroni and grilled cheese. She likes that school is fun and at home she likes to go to her treehouse.



Claire Bakke Claire's parents are Miranda and John and siblings are Logan and Serenity Bakke. She has a dog named Addy and her favorite food is ice cream. When she grows up she wants to be a veterinarian. If she had a million dollars she would go to the movie theater every day. She likes that you get to learn in school and she likes to jump on her trampoline when she is outside at home.



Caroline Machlitt Caroline's parents are Kory and Ben and she has one sister, Amelia. They have two cats, Pete and Martin, and one dog, Lilah. At school her favorite thing is math and at home she likes to ride her sister's bike. Her favorite food is peanut butter and jelly sandwiches. When Caroline grows up she wants to be a horse rider and if she had one million dollars, she would buy a big house.



Keiran Woodruff Keiran's family is his mom, three brothers (Gabe, Christian and Reese) and sister (Juliet) and they have two dogs. When he grows up he wants to be a dirtbike rider and if he had one million dollars he would spend it on a dirtbike. His favorite food is spaghetti and at school he likes recess and at home he likes playing games like telephone and tag.

Clearbrook-Gonvick Summer Recreation

JUNE 10-JUNE 15
Please register for activities by contacting Judy Engebretson at 776-3112 ext 102.
Sunday, June 10: TBall, Mite, Midget tournament at Clearbrook at 2:00 pm. Be at Kloster Park by 1:45. Wear your uniform. There will be games with other towns.

Monday, June 11: Cadet, PeeWee, Bantam, Pony practice from 1:30-3:00 pm. **PHOTO DAY:** Wear your uniforms. Jump & Jive from 3:30-4:00 in the small gym. Soccer at Kloster Park from 3:30-5:00. **IF THE TBALL, MITE, MIDGET TOURNAMENT ON JUNE 10 IS RAINED OUT IT WILL BE RESCHEDULED FOR TODAY AT 6:00 PM.**
Tuesday, June 12: PeeWee tourney at Fosston at 10:00 am. **NO BUS, PROVIDE YOUR OWN TRANSPORTATION.** Cadet, Bantam, Pony practice 1:30-3:00 pm. Jump & Jive from 3:30-4:00 in the small gym. Soccer at Kloster Park from 3:30-5:00. Tball, Mite, Midget practice 6:45-7:45 pm. Little Bear practice from 6:45-7:30.
Wednesday, June 13: Kloster Park League at 9:00 am. Growing Up Wild in Commons from 1:00 PM-2:15 PM. Soccer at Kloster Park from 3:30-5:00.
Thursday, June 14: Bantam/Pony Tournament at Red Lake Falls at 10:00 am. Bus leaves Clearbrook at 8:25, Gonvick at 8:35. Cadet Tournament at Fosston at 10:00 am. **NO BUS, PROVIDE YOUR OWN TRANSPORTATION.** Soccer at Kloster Park from 3:30-5:00. Tball, Mite, Midget practice 6:45-7:45 pm. **PHOTO NIGHT, WEAR YOUR UNIFORMS.**
Friday, Jun 15: Family Movie & Pizza night at the school band room at 5:30. Feature presentation is "Ferdinand".

Save and turn in your receipts from Y92, Bakken's, DaRoos, Drive In in Clearbrook, NB&C, and Kandi's Kitchen in Gonvick! Drop them off at the business, banks or school by August 4.

Clearbrook-Gonvick Summer Theatre
Contact Judy Engebretson for more information: 218-776-3112 Ext 102. All area actors welcome to participate. Summer Fest theater "Tom saawyer" (age 7 to adult) fee is \$20.00
Auditions for Prairie Fire Children's Theaters original musical production of "Tom Sawyer" will be held on Monday, June 18, from 2:30-4:30 in the school commons.
About 40-60 local young people and adults are needed to play the roles of TOM SAWYER, BECKY THATCHER, HUCK FINN, COUSIN HILDEGARDE, COUSIN SID, SUSIE HARPER, MRS. THATCHER, MRS. HARPER, THE TOWNIES, THE RIVER RATS, THE GHOULS, AND THE BATS.
Two professional actors/directors from Prairie Fire Children's Theatre's Staff will direct the production and play the roles of Aunt Polly and The Rightfull King of France.Technical people (sound and lights) are needed.
Auditions are open to ages 7-adult. The audition session will last 2 hours and all auditioners are needed for the full two hours. No preparation or experience is necessary. Roles are available for singers, non-singers, dancers, non-dancers and anyone with enthusiasm for theatre! The cast will be announced at the end of the session (some cast members will practice after auditions, be prepared to stay). All auditioners will receive a part.
Rehearsals will be held from 2:30-6:45 each day the remainder of the week. Anyone who auditions should make sure their schedule is clear, as full attendance is mandatory!



Grace (Left) and Faith (Right) Gunning holding up their awards and diplomas on May 24, 2018 for graduating Kindergarten from the Clearbrook-Gonvick School.



Above is shown Bryar Kroulik holding up his diploma and award at Kindergarten graduation from the Clearbrook-Gonvick School on May 24, 2018

Kindergarten graduation

To the left is Preston Seyller holding up his award and diploma from Kindergarten graduation from the Clearbrook-Gonvick School on May 24, 2018.

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Show times are Friday & Saturday, June 22 & 23 at 7:00 pm in the school commons. Ticket prices are: Adults-\$5.00, Students (K-12)-\$3.00, Preschool-\$1.00.

This Prairie Fire residency 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. Co-Sponsor is Clearbrook-Gonvick Summer Recreation.

Clearbrook-Gonvick Summer Recreation

Please register for activities by contacting Judy Engebretson at 776-3112 ext 102.

FAMILY MOVIE & PIZZA PARTY

JUNE 15 (all ages)(FEE-\$6.00/person, \$20 maximum/family) Join your friends and families in the school band room to watch a movie on the "big screen". Feature presentation "Ferdinand" begins at 5:30 pm. Come in your PJ's if you wish and bring blankets, comfy chairs, etc. We will have mats on the floor to add to the comfort! Supper and treats will be provided: DaRoos pizza, popcorn, G2, water, fruits/veggies and maybe a "sweet treat"!! If you would like to volunteer your help, please contact Judy.

8 yrs & UNDER MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY OLDER (AT LEAST 12) PERSON. To help us plan please PREREGISTER and PAY by JUNE 13.

SOCCER

JUNE 11-14 (ages 7-13) (FEE-\$10.00)--Learn basic soccer skills & strategy and play games. Meet at Kloster Park from 3:30-5:00. Nathan Engebretson & Marcy McQuown volunteer instructors. PREREGISTER & PAY by JUNE 8.

JUMP AND JIVE

JUNE 11, 12, 18, 19 (age 3-6) (FEE: \$5.00) (3-4 year olds must have helper 7th grade and up) Come move your feet, have fun

and learn a dance routine that we will perform for parents on the last day of class! Snack provided. Meet in the small gym from 3:30-4:00. Minimum 5 students. Volunteer Instructors Kaitlyn & Krystal Kumpula. Volunteer help welcome! PREREGISTER & PAY by JUNE 8.

GROWING UP WILD

Wednesdays from June 6-27 (age 3-8). (FEE-\$6.00/class or \$20 for all) (3-4 year olds must have a helper 7th grade or older) This summer's activities will focus on the living world around us. Each class will include a science lesson, an art project, a music and movement activity, and a healthy snack. Meet in the commons from 1:00-2:15. Volunteer instructor is Sarah Goudge. Contact Judy or Sarah if you are able to volunteer.

PRE-REGISTER & PAY by June 4 or one week prior.

Session 1: Penguins! (Wednesday, June 6)

Children will have fun learning all about Penguins through a nonfiction story, video, and craft. Children will create a penguin snack out of crackers, cream cheese, olives, and carrots to round the session off.

Session 2: Nocturnal Animals (Wednesday, June 13)

Children learn about all the night-dwelling (and some day-dwelling) creatures and the adaptations that make life in the dark possible. A starry snack with juice will be provided.

Session 3: Dragonflies (Wednesday, June 20)

Children learn all about life as a dragonfly. They will practice writing and counting from 1-20 on dragonfly mats and create an edible dragonfly craft.

Session 4: All About Vegetables (Wednesday, June 27)

Children investigate various vegetables and all the edible parts of a plant. They each will plant a few seeds to take home for their gardens. Children will enjoy a healthy, vegetable snack and drink.



Jammarr Branch

Jammarr's parents are Melisa and Joe Weems and siblings are Tristan, Mcoy, Brandon and Brent Weems. They have two dogs, Nel and Gismo. When Jammarr grows up he wants to be a cop. If he had one million dollars he would buy pops and snacks. His favorite foods are chicken nuggets and watermelon gum. At school he likes playtime and at home he likes to do ninja cart wheels.



Camden Aakre

Camden's parents are Briana and Dan and his siblings are Bently and Cade. They have two cats named Peaches and Whiskers and a dog named Chance. When Camden grows up he wants to be a gun seller. At school he likes summer vacation and art class, at home he likes to play in the sand box. His favorite foods are Italian foods. If Camden had one million dollars he would be the President of the United States.



Harvey Nicholas Jr.

Harvey's family is his mom, Marah, his two sisters, Navah and Alesia, and his two brothers, Noel and Andrew. They have two dogs, Scrappy and Precious. When he grows up he wants to be a cop and his favorite food is chicken nuggets. If he had one million dollars, he would buy a TV, clothes and an Xbox. At school Harvey likes playing at recess and at home he likes to jump on the trampoline.



Jasmine Paulson

Jasmine's parents are Amber and Charles and she has one sister, Kylie. She has ducks, lambs, dogs and cats as pets. When she grows up she wants to be a chef and her favorite food is spaghetti. At school she likes playtime and at home she likes to play soccer. If Jasmine had one million dollars, she would buy a horse.



Clearbrook-Gonvick Fifth grade girls at the Clearbrook-Gonvick music concert. Photo by Alicia Preuss



Area children placed poppies on the cross while the Roll call of deceased Veterans was read by Sherry Rettmann at Memorial Day program in Clearbrook.

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Our Line 3 Pipeline Replacement Project is about keeping those commitments.

Line 3 is a critical modernization project, designed to replace the existing line with a safer, more advanced pipeline using world-class construction techniques, equipment and technology in order to continue to bring needed energy to Minnesotans. Just like the replacement of bridges and roads, we're proposing the replacement of a piece of infrastructure that's essential to all Minnesotans. Without Line 3, the state would face fuel shortages and increased gas prices at the pump.

While we are committed to operating the existing line safely, it is in need of significant repair — to not replace it would be irresponsible. In Minnesota, the project has brought in more than \$4 million in community investments since 2015 and will bring 6,500 jobs, \$2.1 billion in investment, a targeted \$100 million in economic opportunities for Tribes, and an additional \$20 million in tax revenues annually, along with other benefits to Minnesota businesses.

We designed our project in consultation with Minnesotans with a clear focus on protecting water, land, communities and Tribal culture. Over the past three years, we held more than 5,000 meetings with individuals and communities, which allowed us to hear input on our route and our safety measures, answer questions, and respond to concerns so we could make our project even better. They led to real, meaningful changes like avoiding wild rice lakes and high-consequence

areas — and as a result, 94% of private landowners along our proposed route have signed agreements with us.

We also listened closely to our Tribal neighbors, and respecting Tribal sovereignty was a key factor in designing our preferred pipeline route. As a result of those conversations and others with communities, landowners and local governments, we designed a route that the data in the State's Environmental Impact Statement shows has fewer impacts to local populations, ecological areas, drinking water sources and high-consequence areas, and reservations.

And we continue to listen and address concerns.

Some landowners would like us to remove the old line from their land, even though a retired pipeline is completely safe and results in less impact on people and the environment than removal. That's why we recently announced that we will work with any landowner who would like us to remove the old line from their property.

From the beginning, we have remained true to our values and worked hard to honor our commitments to the people of Minnesota. Like any successful relationship it's about listening, it's about responding to concerns, and ultimately it's about earning trust. We believe we've done that, and we'll continue to work to earn and maintain that trust.

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Members of the Elim Lutheran Church had a “A Song of Peace” at the Memorial Day program in Clearbrook. They included: Marilyn Shamp, Rhonda Erickson, Doreen Bardwell, Kris Dahl and Roxanne Engebretson.



Patricia (Tippy) and Harlow Berg attended the Gonvick Memorial Day program. He served during the Korean War and was stationed at Fort Richardson in Alaska.



Terri Godtland provided the music for the Gonvick Memorial Day activities.



Veterans who were in the audience were acknowledged at the Clearbrook Memorial Day program.



Brent Ekstrom from Bemidji played two selections for the Memorial Day program in Clearbrook.

Shown above... Dave Dahlberg sang “God Bless America” with his three daughters, Nikki Anderson, Teri Dorman and Tonya Miller at the Memorial Day program that was held in Clearbrook.



Rosie Rude sets up the table on Memorial Day. That is a ceremonial remembrance for fallen comrades.



Evon Quern and Gonvick Legion Commander LeRoy Sundquist making last minutes checks for the Memorial Day program.



Bill Stoller Commander of the Clearbrook American Legion welcomed everyone to the Clearbrook Memorial Day program.



Savanna Rankin read about “Our /Flag” at the Clearbrook Memorial Day address.



Sherry Rettmann read the roll call of deceased Veterans at the Clearbrook Memorial Day.



Ladies served donuts and coffee after the Memorial Day activities in Gonvick. From left to right: Carole Johnson, Eileen Horn, Evon Quern, Diane Godtland, Rosie Rude and Fay Bjerke.



Jacob Anderson, Matthew Rankin, Amelia and Caroline Machlitt held the words for the poem that was read by Savanna Rankin.



The Clearbrook-Gonvick Elementary Concert featured grades 4-6 and the elementary bands on May 15. The theme for this concert was a “Salute to America”, and included a salute to each of the 5 branches of the military along with patriotic and folk song favorites. They are singing the National Anthem with accompaniment by Trevor Solberg, Hayden Engen and Ben Goudge. - Photo by Alissa Preuss



Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

Women's voices for Aca-pella singing are wanted on Thursday June 7 at 7:00 p.m. Ages 16 and up are welcome to the Gonvick Community Center on Main Street.

It is the second Saturday of the month. Time for the Gonvick American Legion fish fry. It is the best way for me to catch fish.

Volunteers are needed for the Cleanup Day at the Clearwater County Fair grounds. Come on Wednesday, June 13 starting at 4:00 p.m. or when ever you can get there.

A fund raising event for

the benefit of the family of Jen-ika Moen, will be held from 11 am to 2 p.m. on Sunday, June 10 at Faith Lutheran Church in Bagley. Jenika is a Bagley High School student who is under-going cancer treatment.

The Northern State Bank in Gonvick will be serving Ice Cream Treats on Friday, June 8 from 9 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. to salute the Dairy Farmers for Dairy Month.

A reminder that Sanford Clearbrook Clinic will be open Monday through Wednesday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. On Thurs-day and Friday, medical care

and appointments are available at the Sanford Bagley Clinic.

The 42nd annual Grand-ma's Marathon weekend will be held June 15 and 16 in Duluth. I am not going to be running.

Gully Home Companion Returns. Gully folks have again started planning for a fall event. Save October 20th for Gully Home Companion with a country theme. The wide range of local talent will not disappoint you!

The Clearwater County Breakfast on the Farm will be held on June 30 after a one -year hiatus. It will be from 8 to 11 am on the Leslie Olson farm 19704 240th St, Bagley. Directions: From the stoplights in Bagley go 12 miles south on State Highway 92, take a left and go east on 240th Street for .75 miles. The farm will be on

the north side of the road.

A reminder...**Dudley Town-ship Board meeting on Tues-day, June 12 at 5:00 pm**, at the Leonard/Dudley Township hall, to weigh in on the pre-ferred lake elevations.

Todd and Miriam Klemme are now serving Grace Free Church in Bagley.

If you are going to Bagley in the next few weeks be prepared for detours. The road south of the stop light is blocked. Can't get to the bakery, Gal-ens or Gallis very easily. That should be done shortly. There is also a lot of construction as the Bagley Mercantile will be torn down and Galens will be taking its place with parking space and added space in the store.

The three ready to go to the “Womanless Wedding” that the Gonvick Lions Club put on were Dennis Bergerson, Herman Janssen and Albert Graftaas. Weren't they a hand-some trio.

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 Legion in Middle River starting at 5:00 p.m.

If you have a story or photo to share you can send to rich-ards@gvtel.com. Your new fam-ily member, the big buck or fish that you got, wedding or engage-ment picture.

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Joke Time

Then there's the story about the Swede who was building himself a house. One of his friends came by and asked why the heck he threw away every second nail? “They have the nail-head in the wrong end”, the man replied. His friend became furious with him and shouted, “How stupid can you get? Don't you realize that those nails were made to be used on the other side of the house???”



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Bagley's 31st Annual Art in the Park will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2018 in the City Park overlooking beautiful Lake Lomond.

This fun filled day is free to the public and begins at 9:00 a.m. This year it will feature the musical talents of Frank and the James Gang. Relax and enjoy the beautiful variety of music they will share with everyone from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. The Headwaters Science Center will be bringing in their “furry” animals, spiders and snakes under the middle shelter from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. The kids will love this part. Children and youth will have the opportunity to create a yarn picture with Laura Drops from 11:00 to 1:00 p.m. Face painting will be available for the kids at no cost throughout the day put on by the Bagley Meet & Greet High School students.

You will be able to shop for treasures and gifts, visit with the local exhibitors and enjoy food and drinks at the park. Crafts run from wood work, jewelry, sewing items, paintings, soap making, and much more. Non-profit vendors that will be selling food and beverages throughout the day will be Bagley Senior Center (cinnamon/caramel rolls, donuts and coffee); Grace Community Church (hot dogs, nachos, chips, iced coffee and water); Cowboy Church (homemade pie, ice cream, coffee and lemonade) and Clearwater Lutheran Church Youth (BBQ, chips, pickle, pop). The festivities will conclude at 3:00 p.m.

Exhibitors' space is available and several artists have already reserved their space for this year's event. If you are interested in exhibiting your talents at Bagley's Art in the Park, please contact Linda Kaul at 218-766-2261 or email bagley.artinthepark@hotmail.com.

Bagley's Art in the Park will be held rain or shine, so please reserve the date on your calendar! Please join us on July 14th and enjoy the beauty of our park and the talents of great local and far artists!



Russ Crawford enjoyed his last day on the job at the Gully Tri-Coop last week. Cake and coffee were being served to those who came in to wish him the best. Nathan Preuss will be taking over the duties as General Manager. He will be going to his home in Buffalo and he has heard that he will be busier in retirement than at work at his job.

Who Dat from our files....



These three young fellows were ready to go to the “Womanless Wedding” that the Gonvick Lions Club put on. Answer in Corrine's Corner.