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Juve Real Estate opens new office in Clearbrook

Juve Real Estate with agents in Fosston, Bemidji and Erskine, has now opened an office in Clearbrook.



Tracy Juve with Juve Real Estate is getting settled in her new office in Clearbrook.

Tracy Juve is the president of the company located on the second floor of Clear Waters Life Center Building in Clear-

brook. (The old school entrance on the north side.) It smells like fresh paint and new carpet and she is still getting her stuff put away in the newly decorated office space.

She has been in the real estate business for the past 18 years. According to their website: "they offer the finest selection of homes, historic estates, waterfront property, vacation property, home sites, retirement property, business and commercial real estate for sale. In addition we offer rural real estate such as farms, ranches, land, wooded acreage, cabins, lake front property, hunting land, recreation property, riverfront property, timberland, building sites, horse farms, hobby farms, fishing land and much more. Search our real estate listings and call us to assist you with all of your real estate needs."

Their real estate listings are all MLS. MLS, is a multiple listing system of services that real estate brokers use.

Tracy is a mother and grandmother. She and her husband Mark have three sons: Jacob and Breanna and their one year old daughter Lennon live in Grand Forks, Dusty is married to Hunter and they live in the Twin Cities. Their third son Justin is a junior and is being home schooled.



"Off The Tracks Grooming and More" had an Open House on Friday, July 13 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in their new location in Gonvick. Shown are owner Lexie Lofgren and her full-time grooming assistant/right-hand woman Amanda Hoffman with their dogs. See story on the Canary front page this week. Photo by Michelle Sundquist

Information on possible building project presented at meeting

The Clearbrook-Gonvick School board members were presented information regarding the possible building project from Glen Chico and Jason Splett of ICS at their meeting on Monday, July 16. They gave preliminary information on the estimated tax rates for capital and debt service levies for the proposed new debt. They had graphs that showed the existing commitments for the original building of the school property which will be over is 2021. Charts showing the estimated annual tax impact that would be in 2019 for varies types of properties were also presented.

The next building Committee meeting was set for Wednesday, July 25 at 7:00 p.m. with a special meeting on Monday, July 30 at 7:00 p.m. Review and Comment documentation for the project would be August 8. The deadline for a question being added to the fall ballot is mid-August. A diagram of the areas to be added to the building is shown below.

Principals report

Principal Carl Dugstad gave his first report to the board in his new position. He has been working with Superintendent Jeff Burgess on Curriculum Cycle, Technology and Personnel. They have interviewed three people for the long-term sub position for 2nd grade. They will be having a leadership team meeting on Tuesday, July 24. They have also met with a

parent group in Red Lake to discuss education issues.

Superintendent Report

Jeff Burgess gave his report to the board in his new position as superintendent. The building had some damage that occurred during the late June storm – a large tree was knocked over, some parts of the roof leaked, and the flag pole was bent. The lighting is being updated in the commons area and is almost done. The gym floor has been refinished. Clearwater County Collaborative is not getting the same funding for this year. They provide Steller Human Services and Nursing Services. Costs will increase this year in the \$5,000 - \$10,000 range for nursing. Insurance will increase this year for the District almost \$20,000. The Teacher In Service is scheduled for Monday, August 27th.

Committee Report

Burgess met with the teachers to go over wants and needs for the building project.

Consent Calendar

Bills, payroll and other items were approved. Included were BRIC \$66,374.67; Hillyard/Hutchinson \$13,847.15; Clearwater-Polk Electric \$7,602.12; BSN Sports \$5,961.75; Marco \$5,759.03; Auto Value Bemidji \$2,657.35; Stein's Bus Service LLC \$1,966.14; Garden Valley Telephone Co. \$1,848.09; Anderson Disposal \$1,809.70 and William Christen \$1,082.17.

Old Business

A report from Tremco recommends roof restoration in 2024 for the building.

New Business

The board approved the elementary and high school handbook for the coming school year.

The board approved an increase for the lunch prices by 10 cents and breakfast by 5 cents.

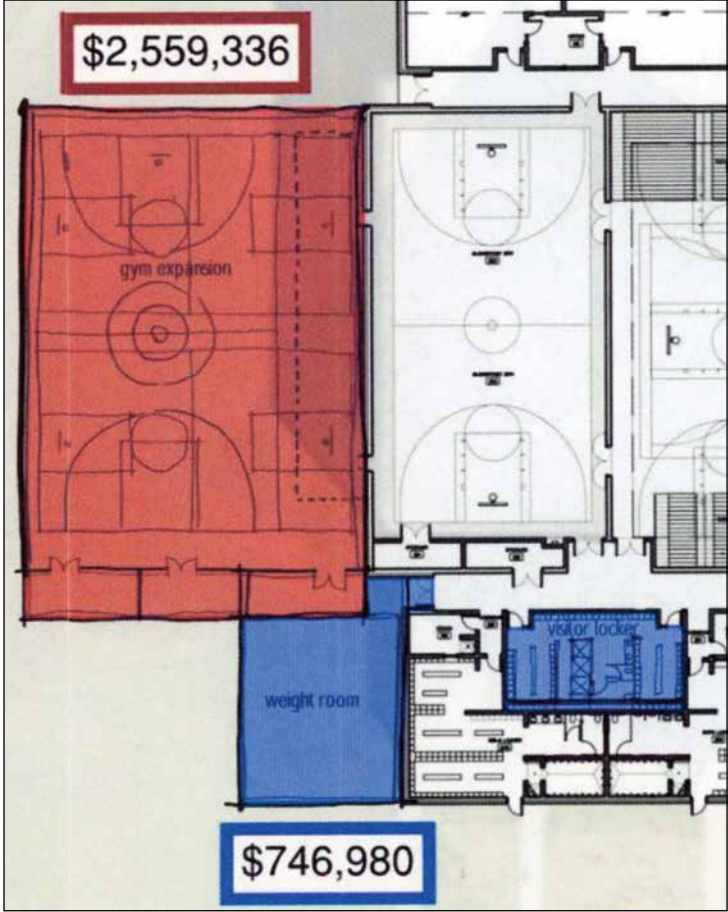
The board approved the Long-Term Facilities Maintenance Revenue report and plan.

Personnel

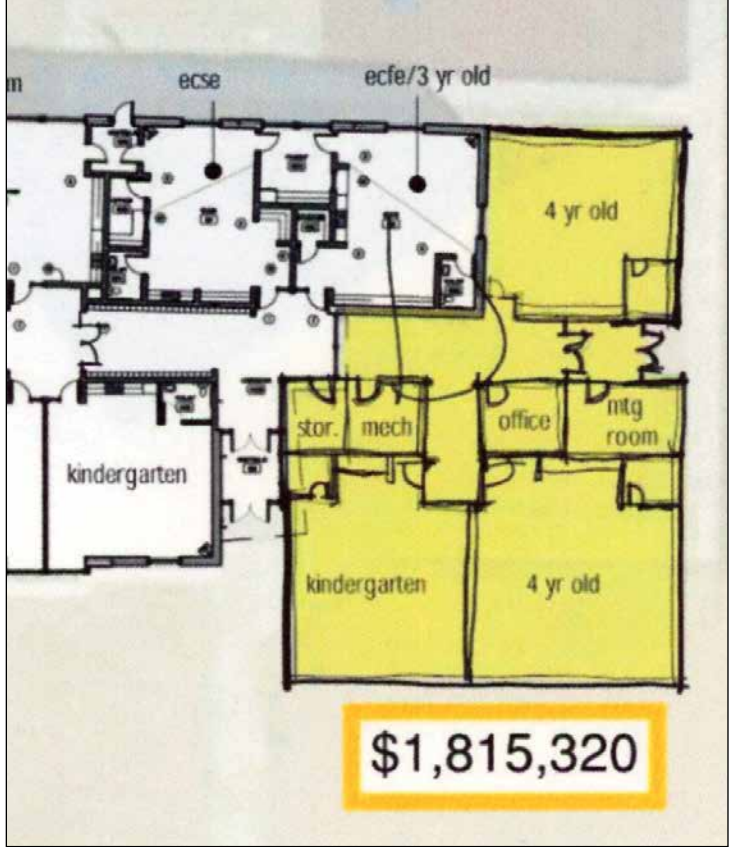
The board approved the hiring of Sarah Goudge as the Assistant Volleyball Coach and Brittany Beckstrand as the Junior High Volleyball Coach. They accepted the resignation of Mandy Knable as the Assistant Cook and approved the 10 weeks of FMLA leave for Chelsey Ehlers.

Nine personnel contracts for the following office staff and department heads were approved by the board. Paula Boomgaarden, Business Manager; Jenetta Weems, Human Resources; Debbie Moy, Administrative Assistant/MARRS; Andy Anderson, Behavior Interventionist; Robin Proffitt, Food Service Director; Judy Engebretson, Community Ed Coordinator; Garrett West, Technology; Jo Voxland, Administrative Assistant/Testing; and Lowell Bjerke, Head Custodian.

The next regular meeting was set for August 20 at 7pm.



JLG Architects drawings of the additions to the Clearbrook-Gonvick school. On the west side of the building is the other proposals. They include a darker area for a weight room and visitors locker room for \$746,980. The other area to the west of the present elementary gym would be another gym with seating area for a cost of \$2,559,336.



JLG Architects drawings of the additions to the Clearbrook-Gonvick school. On the east side of the building is the addition to the elementary wing which includes a Kindergarten room and two four year old rooms. The old 4 year old room would be for ECFE and ECFE 3 year olds. The other kindergarten room could be used for a flexible classroom.

Cost for that addition would be \$1,815,320.

County Board hears request from Leon Township for dumpster site upgrade

By Karen Edelbach

The Clearwater County Board of Commissioners met on July 17, 2018 with an agenda which included the Nursing Service, Environmental Services, Land Department, CVSO report, and Auditor-Treasurer.

Environmental Services Director, Dan Hecht received a letter from Lori Larson, the Leon Township Clerk regarding some needs at the dumpster site on the Clearwater Lake Road.

"We would like to be added to the list to get the site upgraded. The site needs higher fences and perhaps, to be emptied more often," the letter from Ms. Larson stated. "Since it is such an open area, the wind blows garbage and plastic bags when the lids are left open when too full."

Since Clearbrook is a big user of the site, the garbage on the road between Clearbrook and the dumpsters has been increasing.

There was a suggestion that perhaps Sentence to Serve (STS) crews could be scheduled every so often to clean up the site and pick the ditches into Clearbrook.

"I brought this letter to the Board's attention because we want to take the Township's concerns seriously. We have

been doing these things they suggested in the past," Dan said. "Theirs is one of the best sites in the County. And the STS crews have done a very good job in cleaning the area."

He brought a quote from Keller Fence Company in Grand Rapids to show the cost to furnish and install 415 linear feet of 6 foot tall chain link fence there, which would be \$12,369. An 8 foot tall fence would cost \$13,957.

"We will consider a higher fence for the next year's budget," he said. "We need to prioritize."

Land Commissioner Bruce Cox received approval to purchase a Bonnell 122 Road Maintainer from Bert's Truck Equipment for \$6,295.

County Veterans Service Officer Harry Hutchens III brought the CVSO and Safety Controls quarterly report for the period of April 1 to June 30 of

2018.

Some of the highlights of his report are his attendance at the Minnesota Safety Council 2018 Annual Safety Conference May 3-10 where he received a "Basic Workplace Safety Certificate"; and the 2018 AWAIR Safety Update June 5th and 6th. He also facilitated the Clearwater County Safety Committee Meeting for July.

The office had 483 telephone calls; 56 office visits; 8 home visits; and handled 332 emails, among other business for the Veterans Service Office during this quarter.

Director of Nursing Marissa Hetland received approval to hire Teresa Bolduc as a Home Health Aide and Home-maker on a part time basis. She will work more than 1040 hours

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Search and rescue exercise held on Saturday July 21 at Itasca Park

Clearwater County Emergency Responders, including the Clearwater County Sheriff's Office, Clearwater County Sheriff's Reserve, Sanford Bagley Ambulance, Bagley, Shevlin, Clearbrook, and Gonvick Fire Departments, Clearwater County First Responders, along with the Itasca State Park Rangers, conducted a search and rescue exercise on Saturday, July 21, 2018. The drill was conducted in Itasca State Park, adjacent to State Hwy 113 and near the intersection of State Hwy 200 and Main Park Drive. Exercises took place from 8:00 am through mid-afternoon.

Emergency responders were responding to search and rescue scenarios in remote wooded areas of Itasca State Park. Medical and rescue helicopters were also part of this exercise.

Search and rescue duties are

among a multitude of emergency services delivered by these organizations. A major component of this exercise was to integrate the specialized services provided by the use of medical and rescue helicopters.

Medical helicopters are operated by North Memorial Air Care and Sanford AirMed, based at the Bemidji Regional Airport. A rescue helicopter from the Mobile Aviation Rescue Team (MART) was also included in the exercise. The MART is a collaboration of efforts between the MN State Patrol and the St. Paul Fire Department. This team specializes in assisting local responders in performing rescues from isolated or often inaccessible locations, and is based at Holmen Field in St. Paul, MN.

Emergency crews worked adjacent to public roadways that day.

Red Lake unofficial election results

Running for Chairman was Darrel G. Seki Sr. (incumbent) with 1802 total votes for 53.47% and Floyd "Buck" Jourdain with 1568 total votes for 46.53%.

Running for Secretary was Sam Strong with 1740 total votes for 52.17% and Darwin J. Sumner with 1595 total votes for 47.83%.

Running for Treasurer was Annette Johnson with a total of 1803 votes for 53.74% and Chad Prentice with 1552 total votes for 46.26%.

Running for Little Rock

Representative was Michelle (Barrett) Cobenais with 350 votes for 63.99% and William "Billy" Greene with 197 votes for 36.01%.

Running for Red Lake Representative was Donald L. Good Sr. with 835 votes for 60.16% and David Desjarlait with 553 votes for 39.84%.

Running for Redby Representative was Julius "Toady" Thunder (incumbent) with 436 votes for 55.12% and Thomas Westbrook with 355 votes for 44.83%.

Community Calendar

Commissioners... Continued from front

per year. Teresa has 16 plus years experience as a Certified Nursing Assistant, which justifies hiring her at a Step 10. Her present wage is \$17.65.

County Auditor Allen Paulson was authorized to pay the submitted invoices of \$24,358 for the County Revenue Fund and \$26,657 for the Nursing Service Fund.

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

The Gonvick City Council meeting

The Gonvick City Council at their regular meeting on July 11 discussed the Old laundromat property and what has to be done. The county has been working on helping to solve the situation.

Miscellaneous issues were discussed.

•First Ave street will be blocked for a street dance near the Trap for Labor Day.

•The City Sign will be repaired as it is starting to lean. This is located on the east end of town. The City will be purchasing a new flagpole. A 25 foot one for \$995.00. Gustafson and Goudge will be doing the work when it is convenient.

*Water and Sewer delinquent accounts will be receiving shut off notes.

•Dan Johnson reported that the computer at the wastewater plant freezes up and requires rebooting before each use, and it is unknown if the alarms are functioning. IPS worked on this last December but the problem persists. City Clerk-Treasurer Stacy Halvorson will contact IPS to get this resolved.

Council appointed election judges with Shriley Graftaas (head), Eileen Lien, Evalae Janssen and Stacy Halvorson.

Motion was made to set 2018 Benefit Ratio at 70% for taxes payable in 2019.

Clearbrook-Gonvick Police Department with 23 incidents. They include: Animal Related 2; Assist 3, City Ordinance 1; Court Order Violation 1, Disturbance 2; Hazmat 2; Information 1; Medical 1, Suicide Related;; 1; Traffic Stop 7, Trespass 1; Warrant attempt to arrest 1.



Clearbrook American Legion Post Finance Officer Russ Lembke presenting Judy Engebretson a check for \$1,120.00. The proceeds from the summer recreation benefit held in May. Thanks to all the people that supported it.

Clearwater County Fair 5k Run/Walk & Kids Fun Run SATURDAY, AUGUST 4TH All events will start and end at the PETERSON PAVILION at the fairgrounds. Registration: 7:00 a.m. 5k start: 8:00 a.m. Kids Fun Run: 9:00 a.m. Entry Fees: Adults (18+): \$25.00 Pre-registration; \$30.00 day-of-registration Ages 17 and under: \$20.00 Pre-registration; \$25.00 day-of-registration FREE for kids under 12 years Excess proceeds go towards the Clearwater County Fair Building Improvement Fund PRIZE FOR THE TOP THREE MALE AND FEMALE FINISHERS IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR WOULD LIKE TO REGISTER PLEASE CONTACT LAUREN MCINTOSH AT Laurenmcintosh1597@gmail.com

Dillon Spurlin at Farm by the Lake

Dillon Spurlin to perform Legends on Lomond Concert Series at Farm By The Lake on July 29 at 4:00 pm.

Free and Open to the Public, rain or shine.

Bring your own lawn chair or some folders are provided.

Dillon Spurlin is a local Minnesotan singer/songwriter who started music at a young

age. His interest in music writing started when he and a friend got together and started playing music after school, and thought, "hey, we could do this!" So they started writing songs together, and formed a short-lived band, that parted ways after high school.

The music didn't stop there though, Dillon continued writing music on his own, and has self-recorded his own album. He plays various gigs throughout the state of Minnesota.

He also participated in musical theater during his high school years, and as a senior was recognized as 1 of 2 male triple threats (singing, dancing, acting) in the state of Minnesota by Hennepin Theatre Trust.



Dillon Spurlin

Card of Thanks The family of Terry Althoff would like to thank the community for all their love and support during this difficult time of Terry's death. Pastor Bob Kirchman for his visits, ladies of Our Saviour's Lutheran Church of Leonard for the lunch. Cease Funeral Home for all their help. The friends and neighbors, Amundson, Erickson, Althoff, Johnson, Hanson, Wolden families for all their help and food brought over. We are overwhelmed with all the kindness shown to us from this wonderful community.

Card of Thanks The family of Bob Rouland thank and appreciate the support and love given by friends and family that attended or sent cards of condolences for his memorial July 14, of this year. It was comforting to see so many attendees at the service. We want to thank the Gonvick American Legion for the military respect and presence at the memorial. We also wish to thank Synod Authorized Minister Dawn Hanson of Lund Lutheran Parish for the graveside service. We also want to thank Lund Lutheran Church in Gully for the light lunch served by the Lund Ladies Aid.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Wed, July 25- Evening Meal- Roast Turkey, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Pudding, Dinner Roll and Milk.

Thurs., July 26 - Pork Chop, Buttered Boiled Potatoes, Green Bean Bake, Dinner Roll, Fruit Cup and Milk.

Fri., July 27- Tomato/Mac Hotdish, Country Blend Veg., Garlic Bread, Bar and Milk.

Mon., July 30- Cooks Choice, Bread and Milk.

Tues., July 31 - Lemon Pepper Fish, Hash Browns, Creamed Peas, Cake, Bread and Milk.

Wed. Aug. 1 - Sweet & Sour Chicken, Rice, Oriental Veg., Fruit, Jello, 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. Call 776-3154 to sign up.

Clearwater County Historical Society Plan Bus Trip To Ely

Participants will visit The Dorothy Molter (The Root Beer Lady) Museum and the International Wolf Center on the day- long trip to be held on August 23.

At the Dorothy Molter Museum visitors will step back in time as they enter Dorothy's home during the winter. In the porch, the original root beer making equipment she used is displayed to help visitors envision the process of providing thousands of bottles of root beer to Isle of Pines visitors each summer. A permanent exhibit on site illustrates how Dorothy Molter lived at the pace of the seasons and embodied the spirit and inspiration of the Northwood's wilderness. It features a combination of objects and photographs from the museum's collection and a 15-minute video compilation from the 1987 documentary film Dorothy Molter: Living in the Boundary Waters

At the International Wolf Center, visitors will observe resident "ambassador" wolves as they interact with each other in the natural 1.25-acre wolf enclosure and den site. Currently, the Exhibit Pack includes two Rocky Mountain wolves: Aidan and Denali, Boltz, a Great Plains wolf and two arctic wolves, Axel and Grayson. And yes, they can see you and may be curious enough to approach you within inches of the observation glass. Be sure to bring your camera to capture this unforgettable experience!

A temporary exhibit "Moose of the Bold North" display will provide visitors an opportunity to stand next to an impressive, full-grown moose mount—nearly 6 feet high at the shoulder and close to 10 feet long—the sheer mass of which makes sense of the fact that these animals graze on vegetation for nearly eight hours every day.

The daylong trip cost is \$70.00 per person and includes bus and all admission fees. Reservations and payment must be made by August 13. Lunch and dinner will be on your own. A busload of 30 people is required. For more information call Tamara or Bonnie at 218-785-2000.

Registration can be sent to CCHS bus trip PO BOX 241, Bagley MN 56621

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Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center

Pres. Lloyd Engen was absent. Betty Randklev conducted the meeting beginning at 12:30 p.m.

Carol Niewinski read the secretary's report. It was approved as read. Betty Randklev read the treasurer's report. It was approved with no discussion. Recent storms caused the roof to leak again and it was repaired a second time by Pat Reed.

The new oven and dishwasher are installed and working well. The meeting adjourned. Carol Niewinski shared her genealogy experience. Participants were mostly of Scandinavian descent. However, some had no Scandinavian heritage at all. Carol shared stories of her ancestors including an escape from Oglethorpe prison in Macon, GA near the close of the Civil War, setting a record with the Greeley Expedition in the early 1800s and invention of the current design of the wheelbarrow which was put into use building the Erie Canal in the 1817-1825 time period. Phyllis Engen won the drawing for a meal ticket. Joy Parker, Nancy Goudge and Phyllis Engen served a delicious dessert. Carol Niewinski, secretary

Church News

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.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Clearbrook Pastor Verlyn Strenge Assoc. Pastor Jim Galloway Thurs., July 26: 7:00 p.m. Bible Study Sat., July 28: 7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast & Bible Study Sun., July 29: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service

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

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.

Clearwater County Fair Calendar winners July 14 - Jimmy Grant, Bemidji, \$20. July 15 - DeeAnn Leines, Red Lake Falls, \$20. July 16 - Conway Olson, Oklee, \$20. July 17 - Zach Gent, Wing-er, \$20. July 18 - Carol Hromidko, Bagley, \$20. July 19 - Ken Brein, Leonard, \$20. July 20 - Lloyd Knutson, Bagley, \$20.

Ruby's Pantry Clearbrook Food Distribution

Wednesday, August 1st 5-6:30pm (or under shares are sold). Registration starts at 4:30pm Country Faith Church, 46125 149th Ave, Clearbrook Bring \$20 cash donation and 2 large boxes, totes, or laundry baskets. Everyone who gets hungry qualifies. You will receive an abundance of grocery items. Questions? Call 651-674-0009 -- www.rubyspantry.org

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

Join us at the Clearwater County Fair! Our food booth will be serving our signature items that you've come to love: homemade chili, strawberry-rhubarb slushies, pig wings, homemade pies, freshly baked daily, & more. August 1-5. We open at 4:00, W-F, and Sat. & Sun. at noon.

GONVICK SITE: Classes coming to Create It! The first series, "Outdoor Creations", starts August 13. \$5/session. More information at: www.clearwaterslife.org. To register, call 218-776-2789.

Restore It! Furniture Shop: New closing time weekdays, 3:00 PM. Open at 10:00, M-W-F.

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: SALE-50% off third floor only, Saturday, July 28, 10:00-12:00 Furniture room on the second floor is not part of sale, but do stop in and look around. . Open 10:00-4:00, weekdays.

Celebrate Recovery Support Group: 7:00 PM, Thursday, 2nd floor of CWLC-Clearbrook. Help for any hurt, habit, or hang-up. Confidential.

Hours: Gonvick, 226 Elm St., M-W-F, 10-3 & Sat., 9-12; Clearbrook, 256 2nd Ave., SW. Open 10-4, M-F, & 10-12, Sat.

For programs and services, visit: www.clearwaterslife.org, www.mustardseedhomes.org, or www.adultdayservicesgonvick.org and our Facebook pages.

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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

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH Clearbrook Pastor Adam Krog Wed., July 25 - 7:00 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer.

Thurs., July 26 - 9:30 am Bible Study and Prayer.

Sun., July 29 - 9:30 am Worship Service.

Future Events - Ladies Prayer Breakfast at LeeAnn Vettleson's on Aug. 18.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Bagley 218-694-6416 Pastor:

Fr. John Melkies Suvaheen Terri D. Parish sec. Sunday Mass: 10:30 AM Call for weekday Mass times.

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.

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD Pastor Robert Kirchman Good Shepherd Sun., July 29: 9:00 am Worship/Service Group 2 meets after worship service in Fireside room; 10:00 am Coffee Hour

Our Savior's Sunday, July 29: 10:30 am Coffee Hour; 11:00 am Worship

GONVICK LUTHERAN PARISH MEMBERS OF NALC Pastor Kris Snyder SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH

Wed., July 25: 8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study, 7:00 p.m. Samhold Council

Sun., July 29: 10:30 AM Worship Service

UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH Sun., July 29: 9:00 AM Worship Service.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH Mt. Olive - Nazareth Oak Park - St. Petri Pastor Jeff Merseht Sat, July 28: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive.

Sun, July 29: 8:00 a.m. St. Petri; Oak Park 9:45 a.m.; 11:00 a.m. Nazareth.

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH Josiah Hoagland, Pastor Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor www.newjourneyfosston.com

Sun, July 29: 9:30 a.m. Worship. 10:40 p.m. Sunday School.

Tue, July 31: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study. 10:30 a.m. Quilting. 6:30 p.m. Bible Study.

Wed. Aug 1: 6:30 p.m. Awana.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH Bethany * Lund Sand Valley Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister Sun, July 29: Parish Worship and Potluck 10:30 a.m. Bethany.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY Fosston Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor Sun, July 29: 10:00 a.m. Worship

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Clearwater County Sheriff

Darin Halverson

Bear Creek - Total 2
07/15/18 17:36 Medical
07/21/18 19:19 Traffic Stop
City of Bagley - Total 16
07/15/18 20:20 Missing/Lost Person
07/16/18 14:07 Information Only
07/17/18 07:16 Crimes Against Family, 22:14 Traffic Stop, 23:41 Traffic Stop
07/18/18 02:26 Traffic Stop, 12:00 Information Only, 22:56 Traffic Stop
07/19/18 02:01 Disturbance, 08:30 Transport, 09:09 Information Only, 16:25 911 Hang Up
07/20/18 15:30 Juvenile Misc, 21:49 Disturbance
07/21/18 07:52 Suspicious Activity, 21:19 Medical
City of Clearbrook - Total 8
07/15/18 13:41 Animal Related, 14:03 911 Hang Up
07/16/18 11:05 Juvenile Misc, 9:25 Assist Other Agency, 20:10 Burglary
07/18/18 01:59 Suicide Related
07/21/18 09:35 Lost/Found Property, 22:35 Traffic Stop
City of Gonvick - Total 5
07/16/18 21:39 Medical
07/17/18 18:41 Welfare Check
07/18/18 16:28 Traffic Stop
07/21/18 06:46 Medical, 11:31 Medical
City of Shevlin - Total 3
07/17/18 07:19 Crimes Against Family
07/18/18 00:15 Disturbance
07/20/18 23:26 Suspicious Activity
Clover - Total 1
07/20/18 00:05 Suicide Related
Copley - Total 7
07/15/18 17:51 Animal Related
07/16/18 15:24 Search Warrant
07/17/18 05:56 Animal Related
07/18/18 03:03 Suspicious Activity, 13:53 Traffic Complaint
07/21/18 00:33 ASSIST, 14:58 Domestic
Dudley - Total 2
07/17/18 07:01 Crimes Against Family
07/18/18 01:06 Medical
Eddy - Total 7
07/15/18 10:00 Medical
07/16/18 08:53 Lost/Found Property, 22:18 Animal Related
07/17/18 06:52 Crimes Against Family
07/19/18 09:39 Burglary, 15:30 Juvenile Misc
07/21/18 23:17 Traffic Stop
Falk - Total 2
07/20/18 22:29 Animal Related
07/21/18 20:50 Traffic Stop
Holst - Total 1
07/20/18 22:54 Traffic Stop
Itasca - Total 3
07/19/18 15:25
07/20/18 20:48 911 Hang Up
07/21/18 15:20 Vehicle Lock Out
Itasca State Park - Total 1
07/20/18 03:19 Animal Related
LaPrairie - Total 4
07/16/18 17:26 Harassment
07/17/18 21:19 Transport
07/18/18 11:53 Medical, 18:37 Medical
LaPrairie N - Total 10
07/17/18 07:10 Crimes Against Family, 09:18 Crimes Against Family
07/18/18 06:51 Crimes Against Family
07/20/18 13:13 THEFT, 13:27 Vehicle Lock Out, 17:37 THEFT
07/21/18 16:40 Runaway, 20:35 Traffic Stop, 20:54 Suspicious Activity, 22:41 Disturbance
Leon - Total 4
07/16/18 03:34 Suspicious Activity

Recycling Saves YOU Disposal Fees

If you think that recycling isn't worth the bother, think about what it costs you to throw your recyclables in the trash.

Clearwater County pays tipping fees by the ton for trash hauled to the Fosston Incinerator. As the tonnage increases, the costs also increase. A state-of-the-art Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) recovers recyclables from trash, but the MRF operates more efficiently if it's separating mixed recyclables only, rather than recyclables from trash. Some of the recyclables aren't pulled out and end up in the landfill. Not only that, but the tipping fee for mixed recyclables is ZERO, which saves the county money!

You can reduce the volume of rubbish by recycling your paper, cardboard, plastic food and beverage containers, steel cans and, of course, aluminum and glass containers! Take them to the recycling bins located by the County Highway Department in Bagley. Thank you! Need pointers? Call us at 218-694-6183.

Clearwater County Environmental Services

Barnyard Animals come to Cornerstone Nursing and Rehab Center

The annual barnyard petting zoo was held in June at Cornerstone Nursing and Rehab Center. The parking lot had pens in place for our large and small farmyard visitors. There were bottle lambs, a calf, a large pig named Edith, fainting goats, hen and chicks, a duck, a Belgian Momma horse and her colt, a miniature donkey, a pony, a goat to milk and

free kittens. Residents, staff and families from the community had ice cream and got to pet the animals on a warm afternoon. A couple of visitors milked the goat and the kittens got to reap the rewards of the milking. The pony pranced around the parking lot giving rides to our younger visitors. The day was filled with smiles, laughter and ice cream!



A nice sized crowd showed up for the day.



Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

I have seen more wildlife lately. We watched a bear cross the road just east of the school on the Clearwater Lake road. We saw a mother deer and two young fawns by the Welcome Clearbrook sign on the west edge of town. They looked like statues that had been placed there as they stood so quiet. A deer has been eating the young apples that we have in the tree next to our house. Of course the rabbits are in abundance.

Clearwater County Sheriff's Office issued an Air Quality Alert last Friday from the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency. The alert for fine particle pollution for western portions of northern and central Minnesota. The smoke plume traveled southward from southwest Ontario, Canada. We received some rain Friday and that helped to settle the smoke.

The annual meatball dinner in Debs will take place from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday, August 5, at Trinity Lutheran Church, located at 26685 Debs Road NW. The meal will include meatballs with all the trimmings, including home-

made breads and pies. Dinner cost is a free-will donation.

More events will be coming up this summer. We have the Clearwater County Fair set for August 1 to 5, September 1 the Hard Times Bash will be going on in Leonard and then on Saturday, September 29 there will be Pumpkin Day in Gonvick. They are planning to have bed races at the event this year like they had in the past. Then you will be ready for winter to come again.

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 October event is a fund raiser for a summer celebration the weekend of July 18th, 2020. The wide range of local talent will not disappoint you!

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.

Joke time...

Englishman: Yes... we have only the finest furniture here in our castle. For example, that beautiful handmade bed goes back to Louis the Fourteenth.

Norwegian: Vel, I'm in about da same boat. If we don't make a payment, our furniture goes back to Sears on the fifteenth.

Nominations for Outstanding Senior Citizens wanted

Nominations from Clearwater County residence are now being sought for the 2018 Outstanding Senior Citizen Award for Clearwater County. This award annually recognizes both a lady and man who have contributed their time and talents to benefit their community after reaching the age of 65.

Those selected will be honored at the Clearwater County Fair on Saturday August 4, 2018 at 11:00 A.M. at the Petersen Pavilion at the Clearwater County Fair Grounds.

Official nomination forms are available at both the Bagley Senior Center and the Clearbrook Senior Center, or from Co-Committee Chairpersons Dee Strandlien 218-785-2412 or Al Paulson 218-694-6520 nomination will be accepted until 4:30 on July 27, 2018. Clearwater Counties selected winner will compete and will be honored at the Minnesota State Fair on August 30, 2018.



"Jake" Jakeman took his turn milking the goat.



"Even Edith the pig got in on eating ice cream." (pictured with Edith is Kirah Otting, her owner).



Sherry Hjelle was the main cook for the picnic in the school gym in Gonvick for the Clear Waters Life Center.

The party-endorsed candidate is your true grass-roots choice in the Primary Election

The first step in grass roots involvement is the Precinct Caucus. Each precinct elects delegates to the next political unit. For example, in Clearwater County each precinct elects delegates to the County Convention.

The next step is for the elected delegates to endorse candidates for State Representative, State Senator and local (county level) party officers. The county delegates next elect delegates to congressional district and state conventions. These delegates to the district and state conventions endorse candidates for state and federal offices.

This process provides for a vetting of the candidates for state and federal offices. They then come before the convention where delegates get to vote for the candidate of their choice and the candidate with the required votes becomes the party-endorsed candidate.

The endorsed candidates are truly the pick of the people at the local level, having been reviewed by a committee of delegates and then endorsed by a majority of the delegates at the district or state conventions.

That is why we encourage you to vote for the endorsed candidates on the GOP Primary Ballot:

VOTE Aug 14th in the Republican Primary

For U.S. Senate (Regular) **Jim Newberger**

For U.S. Senate (Special) **Karin Housely**

For U.S. Representative CD7 **Dave Hughes**

For State Governor **Jeff Jonson**

For State Attorney General **Doug Warlow**

For information on the Party endorsed candidates you can simply go online to: <https://mngop.com>

Or call LeRoy Sundbom: 218-694-6966 or 218-556-6111

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Becky Dorman made sure everything was looking picture perfect in the school gym in Gonvick for the picnic on Friday, July 13.

LEGAL NOTICES

To the Residents of Clover Township

The regular meeting will be held at 5 pm, August 3rd, 2018 at the Clover Town Hall.
Also external painting and general inside cleaning will start at 9 am to anyone interested on Aug. 4th. Due to inclement weather, it will be postponed to Aug. 11 at 9 am.
Joel Wraa, Clerk R17-18C

NOTICE TO SINCLAIR TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

Sinclair Township Offices Open for Election:

Supervisor – 4-year term (Jan. 2019 – Dec. 2022)
Treasurer – 4-year term (Jan. 2019 – Dec. 2022)

Candidate Filing period opens on July 31, 2018 and closes at 5:00pm on August 14, 2018.
Filing Hours:
July 31st – August 13th: Please contact Clerk or stop at her house after 6:00pm
August 14th: 1pm–5pm at Clerk’s house
Location:
46727 269th Ave
Leonard, MN 56652
701-412-8179 cell
Cost to File: \$2.00
Brooke Pond
Sinclair Town Clerk R18-19C

City of Gonvick NOTICE OF FILING

Notice is hereby given that the filing dates for the Gonvick City Election to be held on November 6, 2018 opens on July 31st and closes on August 14th at 5:00 p.m. Affidavits of Candidacy shall be filed at the City Clerk’s Office. A \$2.00 filing fee is required by law.
Offices to be voted on are:
Mayor – Two (2) Year Term
Two (2) Council Members – Four (4) Year Term
Stacy Halvorson
City Clerk/Treasurer
City of Gonvick R18C

Notice: Greenwood Township Residents

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Greenwood Township that filing for township offices will open on July 31, 2018 and close on August 14, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. You may file an Affidavit of Candidacy at the home of the Clerk (16704 520th Street). A \$2.00 filing fee is required by law. Open offices to be elected at the November General Election are:
One Supervisor - 6 year term
One Treasurer - 4 year term
Sheila Horn, Clerk R18-19C

ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Absentee Ballots are available, for those who cannot vote on Election Day, in the County Auditor-Treasurer’s Office during normal office hours of Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Other hours for absentee voting include Saturday, August 11th from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Monday, August 13th until 5:00 p.m. in the Auditor-Treasurer’s Office in the Courthouse. Section 208 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 reads: Any voter who requires assistance to vote by reason of blindness, disability, or inability to read or write may be given assistance by a person of the voter’s choice, other than the voter’s employer or agent of that employer or officer or agent of the voter’s union. All election judges in Clearwater County have been trained in the procedures to properly assist all handicapped or disabled voters. All eligible voters are encouraged to vote either absentee or on Election Day and ask assistance of the election judges. Any questions, please call the Auditor-Treasurer’s Office at 694-6520.

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NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF WINSOR TOWNSHIP

Filing for township office opens on July 31 and closes on August 14 at 5:00 pm. Any-one who wishes to file may do so at the home of the Clerk, for the following positions:
One (1) Supervisor for a 4 year term
One (1) Treasurer for a 4 year term
A \$2.00 filing fee is required by law. The General Election will be held on Tuesday, November 6th at the Gonvick Community Center in Gonvick.
Louise Sundquist, Clerk of Winsor Township R18-19C

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF FILING DATES FOR ELECTION TO THE SCHOOL BOARD
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO 2311
CLEARBROOK-GONVICK SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATE OF MINNESOTA
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the period for filing affidavits of candidacy for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 2311 shall begin on July 31, 2018, and shall close at 5:00 o'clock p.m. on August 14, 2018. The general election shall be held on Tuesday, November 6, 2018. At that election, three (3) members will be elected to the School Board for terms of four (4) years each. Affidavits of Candidacy are available from the school district election clerk, Clearbrook-Gonvick School District Office, 16770 Clearwater Lake Road, Clearbrook, MN 56634. The filing fee is \$2. A candidate for this office must be an eligible voter, must be 21 years of age or more on assuming office, must have been a resident of the school district from the which the school seeks election for thirty (30) days before the general election, and must have no other affidavit on file for any other office at the same general election. The affidavit of candidacy must be filed in the office of the school district election clerk and the filing fee paid prior to 5:00 o'clock p.m. on August 14, 2018.
Dated July 2018
BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD R18-20C

Legal Notice

CLEARBROOK-GONVICK SCHOOL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT #2311 BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING
JUNE 18, 2018 - 7:00 P.M.
The meeting was called to order by Chairman Westrum at 7:01 p.m. Declaration of Quorum – Members present: Tracy Imle, Richard Hetland, Kris Snyder, Tom Stenzel, James Galloway, Corey Petterson, and Jeff Westrum. Absent: None. Also present: Superintendent Wayne Olson, Principal Burgess, 2 staff members, and 1 community members
1. Town Hall Meeting (Odd Number Months)
4 Community Comments – None
5 Spotlight on Education – None
6 Approval of Agenda – MMS Imle/Galloway to approve agenda as presented. MCU
7 Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting -
7.1. May 21, 2018 Meeting – MMS Snyder/Stenzel to approve minutes as presented from the May 21, 2018 regular meeting. MCU
7.2 June 14, 2018 Meeting – MMS Snyder/Stenzel to approve minutes as presented from the June 14, 2018 regular meeting. MCU
8 Informational Items
8.1 Principal Report – Principal Report – Principal Burgess discussed the following items: 1) Staff Development – The Curriculum Committee has started the summer curriculum review. They are currently reviewing Science/English Language Arts (ELA). They will be reviewing standards, data and class practices for these subjects. 2) Staffing – We have a Math Corps Position and a 2nd grade long term sub position open. 3) Class Sizes – 3rd grade class size is 23 at the moment. We are monitoring registration numbers. We have gotten some new students in the last couple weeks. 4) Handbook Changes – Some changes will include – College Credit, Academic Awards, Honor Graduates, Valedictorian and Salutatorian, and the Summary of Credits. 5) Minnesota Math Corps – The District applied for the position in February. We were awarded a full time tutor for grades 4-8 math. The District will pay an installment fee, which is approximately \$2,000, and Math Corps will pay salary, benefits and education award. The sessions will be 90 minutes long, and will serve partially proficient students.
8.2 Superintendent Report – Mr. Olson discussed the following items: 1) Direct Deposit – Please fill out and leave tonight or send in to the office. Please also verify meeting dates and leave for mid-July payroll 2) Transition – Mr. Olson and Mr. Burgess have met several times to discuss the transition 3) Non-Certified Staff Negotiations – July 18, 2018 is the meeting date for negotiations. 4) 3 Year Old Program

– Retiring principal from Bagley stopped by to discuss the success of the 3 year old program for Bagley.
8.3 Committee Reports - None
9 Consent Calendar – MMS Stenzel/Petterson to approve Consent Calendar as presented. MCU
9.1 Approval of Bills Presented Payroll Expense Checks and Checks Written between Board Meetings: 66028 – 66056/Wires
Payroll Checks 0030149 – 0030177
May Bills
Voucher Numbers: 52271 – 52355
Check Numbers: 66057 – 66116
Total Payroll/Expense Checks Approved: \$436,135.82
9.2 Approval of Electronic Transfers and Other Banking Transactions
9.3 Approval of Treasurer’s Report
10 Old Business
10.1
11 New Business
11.1 Personnel – None to discuss.
11.2 Approval of 2018-2019 School Budget – Superintendent Olson presented the proposed budget for the 2018-2019 school year for all funds. MMS Petterson/Galloway to approve the 2018-2019 budget as presented. MCU.
11.3 Approval of District Water Compliance Plan – Superintendent Olson discussed new requirements for lead testing in water and the required Water Compliance Plan. MMS Imle/Hetland to approve plan as presented. MCU.
11.4 Approval of Q-Comp Report for 2017-2018 – Sarah Goudge presented the Q-Comp report for 2017-2018. MMS Imle/Stenzel to approve the report as presented. MCU
11.5 Approval of Summer Recreation/Coaches/Staff – MMS Stenzel/Galloway to approve coaches as presented. MCU
11.6 Discussion on Continued ICS Services for Possible Facility Improvements – Supt Olson discussed original contract for ICS services. If the District chooses to proceed with a building project, the board will need to move on to the next phase, which would involve planning and budgeting, which would cost \$3,940. If The District would like to proceed with a bond issue, the decision would need to be made by the July board meeting. MMS Imle/Petterson to move forward with next phase of the possible facility improvement, and enter a contract with ICS. MCU
12. Action Items for July Meeting – None
13 Adjournment – Before adjourning the meeting, Chairman Westrum thanked Superintendent Olson for his service. It was an honor to serve with him. MMS Galloway/Imle to adjourn at 7:54 p.m. MCU
Next Regular Meeting – Monday, July 16, 2018
Non-Certified Staff Negotiations – Wednesday, July 18, 2018 R18C

Kiddie Parade during Summer Fest in Clearbrook

The Watne Girls

Lydia Bakken and Lyla Kruse

Emma Fawver pushing her brother Mak.

Bridgr Juberian.

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4 THE LEADER-RECORD

Wednesday, July 25, 2018