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Lynn Riggs retiring from Nursing Service after 33 years

By Karen Edelbach
Lynn Riggs will be retiring from Clearwater County Nursing Service in Bagley in March after being on the job there for 33 years.
Thirty-three years is a long time to be at one job, but the reason Lynn is retiring from her employment is not from being tired, ill health, or any number of other reasons that one could think of. It is simply that she is going to have a very special new job.
“When I retire, I will babysit my new granddaughter, Tenley, who is three weeks old,” Lynn says with a big smile on her face. (Tenley is daughter of her son Tom and his wife Karla. She was three weeks old in January when this interview was done.)
Born in Bagley, Lynn attended school in Shevlin and then went to the Itasca one-room school house for the sixth grade. She graduated from Bagley High School in 1973 and proceeded to go to the vocational school in Brainerd where she trained to be a Medical Secretary.

She worked in the hospital and clinics in Park Rapids for about 10 years before returning to the Itasca area where she took the job at Nursing Service, beginning in 1986.
“I liked the feeling that I was helping people,” she said when asked what got her interested in the medical field. “But I didn’t want to be a nurse because I don’t like the blood!”
“At the time I applied, I didn’t know what Home Care and Public Health were, which is a big part of what is done in Clearwater County Nursing Service. I started out with transcription. That has all changed now, and I do a little bit of everything. Hospice became part of the nursing service in 1995.”
Lynn works with Hospice, doing record keeping, fund raising, and coordination of services.
In the Home Care area, she is responsible for reviewing of reports from the nurses, ordering of supplies, and more than once has helped push a Home Health Care worker out of the ditch!
Public Health, the other arm of Nursing Service, is a broad area that promotes healthy behaviors and wellness in the community.
One of the things Lynn does, and a favorite part of her duties, is teaching bicycle safety to the third grade classrooms.
“The kids at school are so honest and eager. By then the kids are getting more independent, so I teach them how to ride safely, and prevent injury.”
There are 80 third graders in Bagley, and 30 in Clearbrook. They make up posters and write



Lynn Riggs is retiring from Nursing Service after 33 years. Lynn says, “Letting go isn’t the end, it is the beginning of a fresh start, a new set of challenges and joys.”

thank you notes to Lynn, which are a delight to her. She keeps a large collection of them and eagerly got several out for her own “show and tell”.
They also conduct Wellness Clinics with various businesses in the County, and do flu shot clinics too.
One of the tasks Lynn finds distressing about her job is the great deal of paperwork that is necessary.
“The amount of paper work we do has changed immensely over the years. Actually when Nursing Service started, patient records were kept on index cards – the contact information, the vital signs, patient notes and concerns. One card would contain several visits. Now, before admitted there is a 50 page booklet that needs to be filled out because of regulations, and to prevent fraud, which is more of a problem in bigger city areas.” A patient chart can fill a box.
“Before, we had more personal time to spend with patients during our visits with them. Now the amount of documentation takes away from the amount of time there is to spend talking with them. But the goal is the same in the end, to keep clients safely in their homes” she says.
Home Health is the line between the doctor and the patient. There is a skilled nurse for medical needs, and an aid who does personal care such as help with bathing.
“We get close to the patients.

This is an important service to help people stay in their home as long as possible. When I talk with a patient, and they say ‘thank you’ for all the help we give them, this is one of the best things about my job,” Lynn says.
Being involved in the Golf Tournament for the Hospice fundraiser each year has been a big highlight for Lynn.
“It’s nice to know the community supports Hospice. It is a hard task, but families who receive Hospice care really appreciate it.”
Part of her work is to help with the North Country Community Health Board. North Country is a three county community health board which receive grants for Public Health programs. The funds come through this board and are distributed to each county’s public health department. Some of those grant programs include: maternal and child health, the statewide health improvement partnership (SHIP), and the Emergency Preparedness funding for local public health to prepare for natural disasters, storms, and such things as an oil truck spill.
Lynn has been married for 43 years to her husband Jerry. They live 20 miles south of Bagley by Long Lake. They have three children, four grandchildren, and a one year old great granddaughter. Daughter Tracy and her husband Mike live in Detroit Lakes. Tracy is an English

Lynn Riggs...
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County disappointed that pledges for Enbridge Line 3 project not upheld by new administration

By Karen Edelbach
The Clearwater County Board of Commissioners met on February 12, 2019 to hear issues regarding the Line 3 pipeline replacement; One Watershed One Plan Process; land fill replacement; Veteran Service; and others.
Enbridge Line 3: Commissioner Neal Illies brought a letter to the Board’s attention stating the disappointment with Governor Walz that the Administration is not following through with pledges made concerning the Enbridge Line 3 Pipeline replacement project for Greater Minnesota, while focusing more on the Metro area. It was signed by many commissioners from northern Minnesota counties. He proposed Clearwater County send a similar letter. Consensus among the Commissioners was that they send a similar letter which all commissioners will sign.
Chester Powell, Program Technician for Soil and Water Conservation District brought two motions, one for Memorandum of Agreement for the Wild Rice – Marsh River Watershed One Watershed One Plan Process; and one for the Mississippi River Headwaters Watershed One Watershed One Plan Planning Process.
A lengthy discussion ensued regarding signing or not signing of the Memorandums, with concerns from several Commissioners that eventually this could take away the need for the local Soil & Water District office and their contribution to Clearwater County.
Commissioners Dean Newland and Neal Illies both expressed concern that signing showed that the County Board supports all of the memorandums’ actions and whether the Soil & Water might be absorbed into this new plan. Another question is what will happen to local money for Soil & Water, and what might happen down the road.
Chester Powell explained that the county would be able to

pull out of the Plan at any time. He said S & W would survive. They are two different things, and it would take Legislative action to change that.
“This plan would give the Soil & Water more money. It will benefit Soil & Water and there are many building projects to work on. We would be adding staff if passed,” he said. “The Plan is based on the Watershed. We are a self-directed entity. It is up to the Board whether to go with One Watershed One Plan.”
With that Commissioner John Nelson said it is not a joint powers venture, so it is much easier to get out of, and he thinks the County should try it and there is not too much to lose.
“It seems there is more to gain by being in on the ground floor,” said Commissioner Mark Larson.
“I think we should really look at how this could turn out, and I really want to make sure Soil & Water is protected,” Neal Illies voiced his concerns.
In response to this, Chairman Nelson said, “I think we should write a resolution – to document the concerns in the resolution. (Such as) ‘This is our reason for doing this’; and ‘These are our concerns.’
“Put it on file so 10 years down the road others can understand.”
There was agreement and consensus for such a resolution, and the motions to sign the memorandums were passed. Chester will come to help write the resolution in March.
Commissioners Dean Newland and Mark Titera will be representative and alternate for the One Watershed One Plan Process. Commissioner Larson expressed that he would like to have a more active role in this when it gets underway.
Environmental Services Director, Dan Hecht reminded Commissioners of a proposal brought forth a year ago to hire an engineering firm to complete a feasibility study, for long term

planning purposes, regarding construction of a new demolition landfill space. (See related article regarding options once local land fill is full on back page.)
County Engineer, Dan Sauvé received Board approval for payment of the Clearwater County Highway Department bills as presented in the amount of \$83,924. He will advertise for heavy equipment operators and hold a “Rodeo” to evaluate the skills of applicants in spring.
County Veteran Service Officer Hutch Hutchens requested authorization to travel out of state to attend the 2019 National Association of CVSO Conference at Cleveland, Ohio for participation in NACVSO business and attain continuing education units for continued NACVSO accreditation.
Since the CVSO can obtain the education at the state conference in Minnesota, the Commissioners did not approve his request.
There is a concern transportation moneys may not be adequate to provide transportation needs for local veterans here and the commissioners want the funds to remain available locally for those needs.
Clearwater County Sheriff Darin Halverson was authorized to purchase two 2019 Dodge Ram 1500 Crew Cab pickups from Nelson Auto Center at a cost of \$26,579 per vehicle and have them properly equipped including new in-car squad cameras. Total cost will not exceed \$83,500. Approximately \$10,000 of the cost will come from the vehicle forfeiture/drug and alcohol account.
County Auditor Allen Paulson was authorized to pay the submitted invoices of \$216,544 for the County Revenue Fund and \$45,434 for the Nursing Service Fund.
All Commissioners were present at the meeting: John Nelson, Neal Illies, Dean Newland, Mark Titera, and Mark Larson.

Clearbrook City Council discussed the rent paid by the school for use of the city gym

By Bonnie Kirchman
Leader-Record
The Clearbrook City Council held its regular monthly meeting on Monday, February 11, 2019. Jeff Burgess, Clearbrook-Gonvick School Superintendent, was present to discuss the rent paid by the school for use of the city’s gym for basketball and volleyball games. Currently, \$1,500 is paid for the seven-month lease and repairs and upkeep for the gym exceeds that. It was noted that some gym items, such as the scoreboard, are maintained primarily for the school’s use. The city proposes to increase the rent, possibly to \$10,000, with all moneys taken in being put back into repairs and improvements of the gym. Mr. Burgess requested more detailed information with a breakdown of costs that he can bring to the school board.
Curt Meyer, Civil Engineer with WSN, was also present and discussed the funding process for the Water and Sewer project. The council passed resolutions requiring no conflict of interest in the project and citizen participation in the project. Both are needed for completing the financial application. Meyer discussed the impact of the government shutdown on much of the USDA Rural Development planning, but they are working to catch up. Plans are to start the Clearbrook project in 2019.
Police Chief Dan Gazelka gave his report. He has been in contact with Tom Jensen, Deputy State Fire Marshal, for more information on condemning buildings damaged by fire, such as the Gloria’s Collectibles building. Questions being pursued include who is responsible for condemning unsafe buildings and what is the process for doing so.
Joy Walberg gave the report on the liquor store. Several special events have been held recently, including a Super Bowl Sunday party and the first Bar Bingo night. Customer comments on these events were positive, and both events were well-attended. Upcoming activities include a special Valentine’s

Day Dinner, with 47 signed up at the time of the meeting. The February meat raffle will raise money for the After-Prom Party. Special activities for March include a St. Patrick’s Day event that will include food and live music. Bar bingo and a meat raffle may also be held in March. The staffing shortage was discussed and people who have expressed interest in working at the bar will be contacted. A suggestion was made to place signs indicating that food is served at the bar on the front and side of the building. A temporary sign or banner may be used for now. Lucie is looking at costs for a commercial air fryer for the bar. The size of the fryer as well as the extra freezer space needed are issues to be considered.
Jason Bakke, utilities and maintenance, reported on the snow cleanup that is dominating their schedule this winter. They are trying to avoid piling snow by intersections and will work to clear the high piles as time allows to provide for better vision for drivers. Council members shared positive comments from residents on the snowplowing work being done. Jason and Mark were thanked for all their hard work, with Mayor Goudge noting that it can’t be fun to get up at 2:30 or 3:00 in the morning to plow.
Lucie Thompson, city clerk reported that fire values have been increased. The amount of increase is not enough to pay for the new truck. Sources for fire department funding were discussed. Representatives of the fire department will be asked to attend the next meeting to discuss amounts the fire department can contribute to future vehicle costs through their fundraising efforts.
The city was contacted for information on obtaining a liquor license by the new K&K restaurant operator. At this time, they are not sure if they want a liquor license. The council agreed to issue the \$1,500 liquor license to the new operator if she chooses to request it, provided the background check

is passed.
Ordinance 105 was updated with the addition of a \$1 per foot fine for sidewalks that haven’t had snow removed. An update on the ordinance regarding houses was provided by Lucie. The council requested that a reminder to residents about the need for obtaining building permits before starting a project be placed in the utility bill newsletter. All permanent structures including homes, garages, decks, and fences require a building permit from the city.
Other issues addressed during the council meeting included advertising for the pool manager and Kloster park manager positions. Applications will be reviewed by the parks and recreation committee. Lucie is pursuing a quote for painting the pool. A building permit was granted to the Eagle’s Healing Nest for building repairs.
A donation of \$4,000 to the city from the Clearbrook Community Club for a shed at Kloster Park was accepted. Donations for the Police Department from Enbridge (\$2,000) and Pickett Auto Sales and Family (\$600) were also approved.
Monthly claims of \$23,787.62 and additional claims of \$115,255.74 were approved. North Country Hardware monthly claims of \$470.88 and \$38.42 were also accepted, with Shawn Johnson abstaining.

Save the Date!

Clearwater County Historical Society to host Pork Dinner/Silent Auction fundraiser The Clearwater County Historical Society will be holding a fundraiser on Sunday February 24 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm (or until gone!) at the Bagley American Legion.
A roast pork dinner with all the trimmings will be offered for a free will donation. A Silent Auction of donated items will also be held. Proceeds will support several projects the society has in progress.
If anyone has items to donate to the auction please call the History Center at 218-785-2000.

Clearwater County Food Shelf honors outgoing officers

The Clearwater County Food Shelf held their Annual Corporate Meeting on Monday, February 11 at the Bagley Senior Center. Honored at the meeting were outgoing officers: Becky Colebank (President) and Sherry and Glenn Rettmann (Treasurers). After the annual meeting, the corporate members gathered to work on March Campaign letters. March is

the month when Food Shelves across the state make the push for monetary and food donations to carry them through the year. In March of 2018, \$8.1 million and 5.5 million pounds of food were gathered by Minnesota Food Shelves across the state. Donations (monetary or food) may be dropped off at the Food Shelf during operating hours (Wednesdays from 10

am - 2 pm in the basement of the American Legion in Bagley) or mailed to the Clearwater County Food Shelf at PO Box 578, Bagley, Minnesota 55621. CCFS Officers are President Jodi Quade, Vice-President Eileen Vorderbruggen, Secretary Jane Merschman, Treasurer Linda Gulbranson, Site Manager Margaret Rusch and Assistant Site Manager Julie Sten.



Pictured are outgoing officers Becky Colebank (President), Sherry and Glen Rettmann (Treasurers).

Community Education

Sportsmans Club meeting Saturday
The area Sportsman's Club will be meeting at Shorty's Place in Gully on Saturday, February 23 at 10:00 a.m.

You're Invited - Ladies Aide
Samhold Lutheran Ladies Aide will meet at Samhold in Gonvick on Thursday Feb 21, 2019 at 2:30 PM for 3 PM program and lunch served from 4 - 6 PM. Marilyn Shamp, Social Worker, "Senior Citizens" will be sharing the Wellness Programs at Clearwater Life Center.

Lunch menu is Cheesy Potatoes, Ham, fresh veggies, fresh fruit, bread, pickles, dessert and beverage. Suggested donation of \$5.00. Hostesses: Candice Coulter, Sue Eck. Sheryl Berg, Kathy Bergman, JoAnn Birkeland, Alice Cassibo, Lila Coulter, Danielle Derby, Teri Danielson, Bobbie Dyrda, Kim Eckman, Debbie Edevold, Lonny English, Terri Gotland, Sue Gunvalson, Daphne Klema, Ann Monty, Jessica Rogstad, Lavonne Russell, Carolyn Rude, Darlene Sawyer, Mary Sather, Gina Schmunk and Mary Lou Spray. Everyone Welcome. "To God by the Glory."

Clearwater County Demolition Debris Landfill and Waste Transfer Facility

Accepting: Demolition Debris, Waste Tires, Major Appliances, Scrap Metal, Yard Waste, Furniture, Large Wood, Metal, Plastic Waste Items

NO regular household trash

Hours: Tuesday 10:00 am - 2:00 pm, Thursday 2:00 pm - 7:00 pm, Saturday 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

LOCATED 1.5 miles NE of Bagley on County Road 24

For fee schedule log on to www.co.clearwater.mn.us

You're Invited... Samhold Lutheran Church Ladies Aide Meeting

Everyone is Welcome

Thursday Feb. 21st at 2:30 p.m.

Program at 3 p.m. "Senior Citizens" Wellness Programs at Clearwater Life Center

Lunch served 4-6 p.m. donation of \$5.00

"To God Be The Glory"



Grace Notes to perform at First Lady of Year Reception.

Terry Anderson and Grace Notes perform at First Lady of Year

Terry Anderson to be Key-note Speaker at First Lady of Year Reception, Grace Notes To Perform.

On Saturday morning March 9, at 10:00 at the Clear Waters Life Center in Gonvick, the staff of the Clearwater County Historical Society will announce the 2019 Clearwater County First Lady. In keeping with tradition since 1977, the selection has been made but the name of the chosen lady has been kept secret- even from the lady herself!

The program will include keynote speaker Terry Anderson, whose presentation, in celebration of the National Women's History Month 2019 Theme- "Visionary Women: Champions of Peace & Non-violence" will address some of the common traits of history's remarkable women with the title "Women of Vision: Looking to the Past, Present and All

Around for a Peaceful Future."

Terry has a background in quality of life services for the elderly along with volunteer hospice work. These experiences have taught her that whatever we may do in life, it is ultimately about the relationships and connections we feel with one another that add not only joy to life, but peace as well. In 2014 she began a business called Chickadee Ceremonies where she is an officiant for wedding and funerals. She believes that ceremonies help us honor and give meaning to some of our biggest moments in life. Terry is also a spiritual director and church lay minister. She surprised herself by becoming a poet and public speaker.

Music will be provided by the Grace Notes: Kim LaVine, Jane Merschman, Judy Dewey, and Penni Cairns, who will perform two songs during the morning-long event.

The First National Bank and Riverwood Bank of Bagley, Border State Bank of Clearbrook and The Northern State Bank of Gonvick are sponsoring the award that will be given to the 2019 First Lady. This year's event is co-hosted by the Clearwater County Historical Society and the Clear Waters Life Center.

able through Wednesday March 6 at several locations in the county or at the History Center in Shevlin. No tickets will be sold at the door. For more information, contact the History Center at 785-2000



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Farm By The Lake to Host 1st Ever Skeeter Beater 5K/10K Snow Shoe Race

March 2, 2019. Pre-registration open now. Register at race also 9:00 am. Race Start Time 10:00 am. Bagley City Park Entrance.

Categories for Male & Female Ages: 16 and under, 17-35, and 36 and up.

Cost: Adults \$30.00, Students \$25.00, Kids under 16 \$15.00. Includes T-Shirt & Chill Feed (with award presentation) at Fireside Grill and Patio after the race. Limited amount of snow shoes to rent available at registration.

Register at: www.farm-bythelake.org, email: farm@farmbythelake.org, call: 218-694-2084

This activity brought to you by: Clearwater Snowmobile Club, Bagley Rotary, Fireside Grill & Patio, Cool Threads, True North, Sanford Health, Bemidji Sports Centre, KB 101 Radio, BSU Outdoor Programs, Nei Bottling, Bill's Base Camp, Choice Therapy and First National Bank.

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SUNDAY March 3rd 2:00 P.M.

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Thank You!

A special thank you to the men at Elim that shared their time to shovel my roof. Pastor Adam Krog, Nathan & Dennis Engebreston, Andy Thompson, and to Steve Thompson for widening my driveway. You all are a blessing. Chris Strande

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

GIVE A VETERAN A LIFT: THANK YOU! From Tim Johnson "As always, I'm a little late on the thank you's, but they definitely need to be said. Thanks to all the performers who gave of their time and talent for the "Give a Veteran a Lift" program again this year. Deb Tuominen, Louise Wiermaa, and Tedd Williams put on a terrific set once again. Whitney Pittman was a great new addition. Thanks also to my guys, The Snowmen: Chuck McCalip, David Natwick, Steve Rasmusson, and Tom Winge. I've never had so much fun playing with a group of musicians than with you guys. Thanks also to Don Fradenburgh for coming up and singing. It's special every time you perform! We need to thank the Bagley High School for providing us with such a great venue again this year and also the custodial staff, whose donated labor makes it all possible. Thanks to our local media outlets: KKCQ radio and R&J Broadcasting, The Farmers Independent, The Leader Record and the Thirteen Towns for their help getting the word out. Special thanks to Tom Lano for his "Food For Thought" forum and Ed LaVelle at the Thirteen Towns for his work on our posters. Thanks to my parents Keith and Ann Johnson for hosting the visiting musicians and providing food. Thanks to Harry Hutchens for serving as our greeter again and administering the Veteran's Transportation Program in Clearwater County. Thanks to Russ Comer and Doug Cronemiller for running the sound system and making us sound good! Thanks to everyone who shared the event on Facebook or spread the word in any way. Thanks to all of our families, who put up with quite a bit when we're busy preparing for the show. And finally, thanks to all who came out to see us on Saturday night. Your generosity brought in \$1,890.00 to the Veterans Transportation Fund. Over the past twelve years it has amounted to over \$26,000.00. We really appreciate it!"

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Clearbrook

Pastor Verlyn Strenge

Assoc. Pastor Jim Galloway

Wed., Feb 20: 6:30 p.m. AWA-NA

Thurs., Feb 21: 7 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer

Sat., Feb 23: 7 a.m. Men's Breakfast & Bible Study

Sun., Feb. 24: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service

Ken Djernes for plowing the sidewalk mid-day last week with your 4-wheeler! Greatly appreciated!

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

GONVICK SITE:

Art Class for Adult: Beginning Crochet, Mondays, March 4, 11, 18, & 25. Two class times: 1:00-2:30 & 6:30-8:00. Call to register - 218-776-2789.

Senior Connection Adult Day Services: Openings for new participants, M-W-F, 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. 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.

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Restore It! Furniture Shop: 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, M-W-F. Check our website for pieces available, clearwaterslife.org.

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Shop-at-the-Top: Sat., Feb. 23, 50% off storewide, 10:00-12:00. (Third Floor only.)

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Sand Lake Ave & 5th St. Bagley

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Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Public Bible Talk; 10:35 a.m. Bible Study.

GRACE FREE LUTHERAN CHURCH BAGLEY

Pastor Todd Klemme

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.

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

cfchurch@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

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD

Pastor Robert Kirchman

Good Shepherd

Sun., Feb. 24 - 9:00am Worship/ Baptism, 10:00 am Coffee Hour/ Sunday School, 7-12th Grade Youth Connect. Craft Day from 11 to 4. Bring your own craft to work or help to tie quilts. Lunch will be served.

Joint events

Wed., Feb. 20 - 5:30 pm Supper 6-9th Grade; 6:00 pm Confirmation.

Our Savior's

Sun., Feb. 24 - 9:45am Sunday School; 10:30am Coffee Hour, 11:00am Worship.

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Home at Heart Care

Personal Care & Homemaking

Church News

FAITH BIBLE CHAPEL OF CLOVER Leonard, MN

Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

REDEEMER EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH - LCMS

Church Location: Corner of Hwy. 2 & Red Lake Ave. SW Bagley, MN

Pastor Gerold Goetz

Sunday Divine Service: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School / Adult Bible Study: 10:45 a.m.

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.

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH Clearbrook

Pastor Adam Krog

Wed., Feb 20 5:30 pm Confirmation; 6:30 pm Youth Group; 7:30 pm Bible Study & Prayer.

Thurs., Feb 21 - 9:30 a.m. Bible Study & Prayer

Sun., Feb. 24 - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30 am Worship Service (Mission Sunday)

GONVICK LUTHERAN PARISH MEMBERS OF NALC

Pastor Kris Snyder

SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH

Thurs., Feb. 21 - 2:30 Woman of the NALC (at Samhold) Program and Monthly Meeting

Sun., Feb. 24 - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30 a.m. Worship Service.

Wed., Feb. 27 - 8:00 Men's Lectorian Bible Study with Pastor; 9:30 Woman's Bible Study; 6:30 Parish Confirmation Class

UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sun., Feb. 24 9:00 AM Worship Service with Communion; 10:00 AM Youth Sunday School.

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.

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Sun., Feb. 24: 8:00 a.m. St. Petri, 9:15 a.m. SS; 8:30 a.m. SS Oak Park, 9:45 a.m. Oak Park. 10:00 a.m. SS at Nazareth, 11:00 a.m. Nazareth.

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Fri., Feb. 22: 8:30 a.m. Friday School.

Sun., Feb. 24: 9:30 a.m. Worship. 10:45 a.m. Sunday School.

Tue., Feb. 26: 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer meeting. 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions. 10:00 a.m. Quilting. 6:30 p.m. Bible Study.

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Sun., Feb. 24: 9:00 a.m. Worship at Lund. 10:30 p.m. Worship at Sand Valley.

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February Spotlight Teacher Feature:



Andrew Kaucher, English Teacher.

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Andrew Kaucher, High School English Teacher
What can a pencil do for all of us? Amazing things. It can write transcendent poetry, uplifting music, or life-changing equations; it can sketch the future, give life to untold beauty, and communicate the full-force of our love and aspirations.~ Adam Braun

Andrew Kaucher is in his second year teaching English at Clearbrook-Gonvick Public School. He presently lives in the Bemidji area with his wife and fellow teacher, Amanda and their tiny dog, Etta.

Andy was born and raised in southeastern Pennsylvania, he has always loved reading and writing. He played hockey all throughout school and started playing guitar in the fifth grade and never stopped; he plays a lot at church nowadays. Andy's faith and church family will always be important in his life.

As to how he came to northern Minnesota from PA? His wife and he moved here almost 2 years ago. Andy came to go to BSU for post-grad studies. They were both excited about the adventure of moving to another part of this beautiful country.

Why did you choose to teach? I never was the best student I could be in high school, and I was pretty quiet. When the decision for college came around I made the choice to major in English just because I loved books and writing. From there I really think teaching came out of my love for writing and reciting poetry. Performing poetry you've written yourself is not unlike teaching. You take something important that you believe and that has changed you and explain it to the world in a way that you hope truly makes a difference in the life of anyone listening.

What did you do before coming to Clearbrook-Gonvick? I taught English part-time, worked in a marketing office doing graphic design and had a small art studio.

What is the best part of your job at Clear-

brook-Gonvick? The students. Nothing is better than seeing a student's reaction and demeanor change when they finally understand something important!

What is the biggest challenge of your job? The students. Nothing is more challenging than seeing students with real potential and ability not believe in themselves.

If you could have any job in the world - what would it be? Why? Honestly, truly, really, I think I'd be a teacher even if I won the lottery. I care a whole lot about showing all my students the power in the words that they speak and write and the power in reading the words that other people have written. But when that fateful day of retirement comes, I'd like to open up a small cafe and be smiling my way along, serving pizza, chicken wings, and joy to the masses.

What do you do when you are not working at the school? Most of my non-school days are spent simply. My wife and I love just reading or writing together. We've been singing and playing music more and more. We're avid fans of a few television shows, too. Other than that you might find me cooking pizza or grilling outside (when it's warm enough). I'm always up for a long bicycle ride, too!

February is kindness month. What is something you do to achieve the "Kindness Challenge" during this month? Kindness is a choice every day. One thing I really want to continue to do is never stop being kind to students every day, no matter what has happened in days past. We all have off days, we all forget assignments, we all get distracted, but to give others a chance to start anew each day is a great way to be kind.

What are your favorite aspects of the Clearbrook-Gonvick community? There's such a strength in this community! I have never been a part of a community that cares so much about its students and genuinely wants to see them all succeed and find their place in this world. It's a beautiful thing.

And now a word or two about Mr. Kaucher from the students he teaches...

What do you think Mr. Kaucher does when he is not at school? "Reads books" "Makes bow ties and lives up to it" "Reads and creates stuff with this wife" "He watches TLC at home" "Reads or does school work" "Reads, sews, watches movies, plans cute things to do with his wife" "He sits in a dimly lit room and reads books" "Reads books and enjoys time with his wife"

What is the best thing about Mr. Kaucher? "His bow ties!!! He's also really nice and chill" "He knows how to joke around with his students without things getting out of hand" "He's always happy and has a smile; He's positive and optimistic." "He's always positive"

"He is always willing to help us students with our assignments if we are stuck. He tells us to try our best." "His bow ties" "He takes it easy on his students. He's laid back." "He is always positive even when you get answers wrong"

What do you think Mr. Kaucher was like when he was in high school? "I think he was like that nerdy jock, the one that's super nice but athletic at the same time." "Fun. Liked English class. Smart student." "I believe he knew how to have a good time but still did all his school work before

doing anything else." "A jock, but nerdy." "Nerdy" "He was the life of the party with a mullet." "He was super nerdy."

What do you think is Mr. Kaucher's favorite book to read? "Any book from William Shakespeare" "All of them" "Adventure and Fantasy books" "Some romance story" "He likes Shakespeare so I am going to say 'Hamlet'" "A really long historical fiction" "The dictionary" "Any novel or big book"

If you could send Mr. Kaucher on a vacation anywhere in the world, where would you send him? Why would you send him there? "I wouldn't because he'd probably realize it's too cold in Minnesota and never come back!" "The Greek Islands because I can see him being fascinated with them." "Europe because there is a lot you can discover and learn there." "Caribbean because it is unique like him" "Hawaii because he deserves a break from the students plus I think he would like the Hawaii vibe."

"Back to Pennsylvania to see all his old friends." "I would send him to Europe. I think he would fit in there." "To the beach so he could do something fun."

Besides being a teacher, what is another job you could see Mr. Kaucher doing?

"McDonald's worker. His is friendly" "Librarian" "Working at a ski lodge" "Uber driver" "I could see Kaucher being an artist or making comic books." "A fashion designer" "A professional hockey player or a motivational speaker" "A barber or a hockey player"

What is one thing Mr. Kaucher ALWAYS says? "Fantastic." "Get out of my seat." "Fantastic." "Cool, cool." "FANTASTIC!" "Do what you think is best." "Cool, cool." "Guys, keep working."

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Clearbrook-Gonvick School Menu

Wed., Feb. 20 - Corn Dogs, Baked Beans, Macaroni & Cheese, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Thurs., Feb. 21 - Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Dinner Roll (9-12), Corn, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Fri., Feb. 22 - Dunkers with Marinara Sauce, Steamed Broccoli, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Mon., Feb. 25 - Pork Chop, Cheesy Potatoes, Coleslaw, Dinner Roll, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Tues., Feb. 26 - Build a Burger, Tri Tater, Baked Beans, Cookie (9-12), Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Wed., Feb. 27 - Corn Dogs, Baked Beans, Macaroni & Cheese, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.



Clearbrook-Gonvick team member rally.



Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears players Jonny Hamnes in the left and Alex Dawson on the right.



Young Bears team members getting a chance to play in front of the home crowd.

Clearwater County Sheriff Darin Halverson

Clearwater County Sheriff's Office
Weekly Activity

City of Bagley - Total 15
02/11/19 20:35 Medical
02/12/19 15:56 Medical
02/13/19 03:01 ASSIST, 05:05 Medical, 08:57 Juvenile Misc, 0:36 Medical, 14:59 Medical, 19:59 Domestic
02/15/19 05:10 911 Hang Up, 09:36 Medical, 11:30 Vehicle Lock Out
02/16/19 02:19 Medical, 10:23

Information Only, 23:09 Welfare Check, 23:15 911 Hang Up
City of Clearbrook - Total 3
02/10/19 21:01 ASSIST
02/12/19 18:38 Noise Complaint
02/14/19 18:22 Suspicious Activity
Clover - Total 2
02/12/19 16:52 Information Only
02/15/19 13:25 ASSIST
Copley - Total 6
02/10/19 17:00 Property Damage
02/13/19 13:54 THEFT, 15:59 Traffic Stop
02/14/19 23:47 Motor Vehicle Crash
02/15/19 21:05 Trespass
02/16/19 14:47 Information Only

Eddy - Total 1
02/13/19 12:17 Traffic Stop
Falk - Total 4
02/10/19 19:29 Fire
02/11/19 10:58 Crimes Against Family
02/12/19 13:54 ASSIST
02/14/19 07:43 Vehicle Lock Out
Holst - Total 3
02/11/19 18:30 Information Only
02/15/19 13:56 Information Only
02/16/19 18:24 Suspicious Activity
Itasca - Total 1
02/10/19 10:28 Disturbance
Itasca State Park - Total 1
02/10/19 14:30 Snowmobile

Related
LaPraire - Total 1
02/15/19 21:46 Sexual Conduct
LaPraire N - Total 1
02/13/19 16:18 Assist Other Agency

Leon - Total 3
02/11/19 09:36 Crimes Against Family, 13:53 Crimes Against Family, 6:59 Suicide Related
Minerva - Total 1
02/12/19 22:34 Fire

Nora - Total 4
02/11/19 18:41 Animal Related
02/12/19 02:30 Animal Related
02/13/19 17:28 ASSIST
02/16/19 07:17 Alarm
Pine Lake - Total 2
02/14/19 19:53 Animal Related
02/16/19 08:21 Noise Complaint

Popple - Total 5
02/10/19 18:21 Animal Related
02/11/19 06:37 Parking Complaint
02/12/19 09:19 Officer Detail, 17:41 Assist Other Agency
02/16/19 14:27 911 Hang Up
Rice - Total 2
02/13/19 04:51 Medical
02/15/19 14:09 Animal Related

Shevlin - Total 2
02/12/19 08:06 Parking Complaint
02/16/19 17:17 Traffic Complaint
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Lynn Riggs...
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Waubun. Their son Tom and his wife Karla, grandkids Kale and Tenley, live next door. Tom works for the County Highway Department. Daughter Trisha and husband Dusty live in Minneapolis where Trisha works for an insurance company.

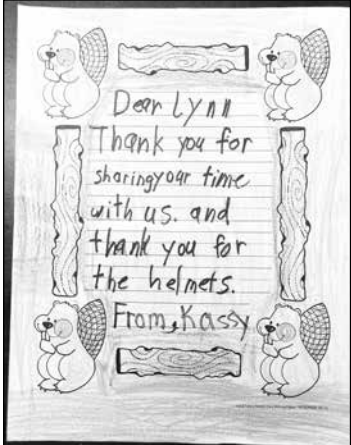
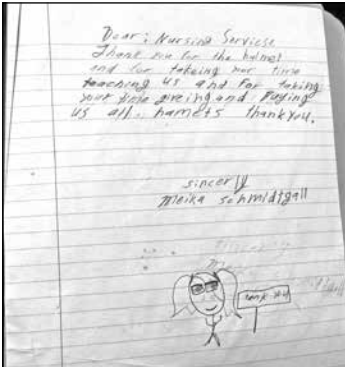
Lynn is looking forward to spending time at hobbies that were set aside during her working years.

"I'd like to read more, ride bike, kayak, bowl and ski – and spend more time with the grand kids." She will also be helping her husband more with some of his health concerns. And she says maybe eventually she will find something to volunteer at.

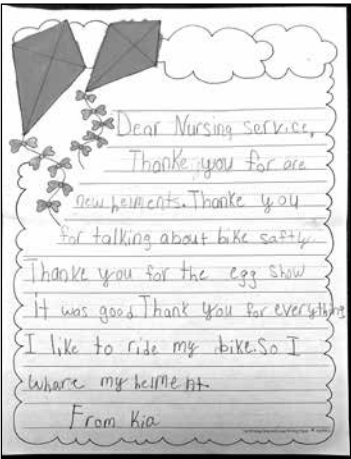
"I have enjoyed working here, and my co-workers are like a family to me. We are a team, and fill in with whatever needs to be done. I have worked my entire adult life. It will be difficult not working here. But it will be nice to be able to spend more time just relaxing and enjoying family and friends."

"Letting go isn't the end, it is the beginning of a fresh start, a new set of challenges and joys."

One of the things Lynn does, and a favorite part of her duties, is teaching bicycle safety to the third grade classrooms. "The kids at school are so honest and eager. By then the kids are getting more independent, so I teach them how to ride safely, and prevent injury."



The third graders make up posters and write thank you notes to Lynn, which are a delight to her. She keeps a large collection of them and eagerly got several out for her own "show and tell".



Farm By The Lake Storyteller Series Free Writing Workshop



Author Wendell Affield "Reawakening Memory through our Senses" February 24, 2019 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm Bagley Public Library Open to public On Fri, Feb 15, 2019 at 10:56 AM Dawn Loeffler <farm@farm-bythelake.org> wrote:

Wendell Affield, the third of nine children, grew up on a small farm 20 miles north of Bemidji, Minnesota. He was born in New York City in 1947 and moved to Minnesota as a toddler when his mother met his stepfather, Herman Affield, through Cupid's Columns, a singles publication. At sixteen, after going through a series of foster homes, Wendell dropped out of high school, left home, and rode the rails where he spent time in the Northwest living in hobo camps and bucking hay bales for an old rancher in western Montana. At seventeen he enlisted in the navy. In 1966, during his first Vietnam deployment, during down time, he earned his high school GED. In January 1968 Wendell returned to Vietnam on a second deployment as the cox'n of a river patrol boat with the Mobile Riverine Force. On August 18, 1968, he was wounded in an ambush and medevaced home.

After leaving the navy in 1969 he found work as a meat cutter apprentice in the Chicago area. A few years later he became a manager, a position he held with various companies for thirty years. In 1980 he and his family returned to northern Minnesota. After retiring from Luekens Village Foods in 2001 Wendell enrolled at Bemidji State University to learn the writing craft. Over the years, his Vietnam essays evolved into Muddy Jungle Rivers (2012). His memoir has been used in universities and reading clubs. The book led to reconnecting with men he hadn't seen in more than fifty years.

In 2010 Wendell's mother

died. Locked in the chicken-house on the farm where he was raised, he discovered thousands of letters, dozens of diaries, scrapbooks, and photo albums documenting his maternal family history. He spent eight years unraveling his mother's past. In the process, he came to understand her struggle with mental illness.

Chickenhouse treasures and documents discovered in the old farmhouse attic opened doors to his childhood. Seventy-year-old

photo negatives he developed reawakened dormant memories. "Memory is like a shape shifter," Wendell says, "not to be trusted, but with reams of primary source documents, I have supporting evidence for my memory stories."

Wendell encourages others to tell their stories. "Our life experience gives us the authority. For many individuals, a common regret near end of life is that their life story will die with them."



Savanna Rankin taught a bookmark craft at the Craft Day held at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church on Sunday, January 27th. Pictured are Caroline Machlitt, Savanna Rankin, and Amelia Machlitt.



Laura Lindgren created this bookmark with a hair tie, elastic, and buttons at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church's Craft Day. Laura also worked on an embroidery project.

Two options once land fill is full – expand or haul it (trash) away

By Karen Edelbach

At the Board of Commissioners meeting of Feb. 12, 2019, Environmental Services Director Dan Hecht reminded Commissioners of a proposal brought forth a year ago to hire an engineering firm to complete a feasibility study, for long term planning purposes, to construct new demolition landfill space to the north of the current active fill area.

"We have two options once the existing space is full," said Mr. Hecht. "Either expand the landfill, or haul it all away (such as to the Polk County Landfill near Crookston)."

"While the feasibility study is looking 10 years out, when the time comes it may no longer be any good," said Commissioner Dean Newland based on previous studies.

Commissioner Mark Titera asked, "How long would it take to re-permit and re-build the landfill?"

Hecht responded that it could probably get permitted and con-

structed within 5 years time if we have the land available. "If we need to find a new site, we're already too late," said Hecht.

"I'm aware the Board has begun to set aside money and that's why I'm bringing this up now, because we really have no idea what it's going to cost", he explained, adding that his best estimate based on what he could glean from his counterparts around the state is that to build new landfill space of a similar size as what's there now would cost roughly \$2-1/2 million, not including ongoing operation costs after construction. Hecht said the estimate for the feasibility study as presented earlier was between \$13,000 and \$15,000.

Hecht brought motions related to professional and technical work at the landfill by Terracon. They are the engineering firm who reviews and reports on our annual groundwater monitoring and is currently assisting with renewing the landfill permit. Costs are for groundwater moni-

toring reports and continued work required to obtain the permit renewal for operation of the landfill, in total for both motions of \$9,500.

He said the cost estimate for renewing the landfill permit has nearly doubled since the process began two years ago, due to a much more rigorous application process and added scrutiny by State regulators on demolition landfills as groundwater monitoring has revealed impacts thought to be caused by landfill activities.

Dan Hecht included a couple of recent news articles he thought were pertinent. A MinnPost article published Jan. 21, 2019 entitled "The problem, and politics, of throwing old houses in the garbage" by Walker Orenstein, explains problems connected with groundwater contamination, and better ways to manage construction debris. See minnpost.com/environment/2019/01/the-problem-and-politics.

We collect used eye glasses in the 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. We have been getting in cell phones but we do not collect those for the Lions Club. If anyone knows where they can go let me know.

Joke time...

A guy spots a sign outside a house that reads "Talking Dog for Sale." Intrigued, he walks in. "So what have you done with your life?" he asks the dog. "I've led a very full life," says the dog. "I lived in the Alps rescuing avalanche victims. Then I served my country in Iraq. And now I spend my days reading to the residents of a retirement home."

The guy is flabbergasted. He asks the dog's owner, "Why on earth would you want to get rid of an incredible dog like that?"

The owner says, "Because he's a liar! He never did any of that!"

Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

Last week there was a picture as a Who Dat. It was of Cory Westrum and Valerie Reichert when they were in the play "Snoopy" that was presented at the school.

There will be a benefit for Lisa (Miller) Martinson at the Clearbrook American Legion on Saturday, March 2 from 4 to 7 p.m. Lisa is the daughter of the late David and Pauline Miller from Leonard. Lisa was diagnosed with an unknown source of cancer that has metastasized to her ovaries, liver and masses on her abdomen wall.

Potato Klub Supper at United Lutheran Church at Berner will be March 2 with serving from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m.

A Natural Way Mineral Meeting will be held at the Gonvick Community Center

on Monday, February 25 starting at 10 a.m. Speakers will be Mike Barnes and Titus Rodas.

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Representative Matt Grossell Legislative Update District 2A

Friends,

Those of us in Northern Minnesota have waited long enough and Governor Walz's decision to continue to put roadblocks in front of Line 3 does nothing to help those in our part of the state. This project has cleared every environmental hurdle put in front of it, will bring much-needed jobs to our area—keeping workers close to home, and the pipeline is the safest way to move oil to market. We need to get it done.

Governor Tim Walz's decision to proceed with efforts to challenge the Enbridge Line 3 replacement pipeline was extremely disappointing. The petition for reconsideration challenges the unanimous decision by the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) to grant the



certificate of need for the pipeline.

Just this week, the Star Tribune reported that safety officials are concerned by increased oil train traffic coming in from Canada. The article specifically cited "pipeline limbo" as a factor that is partially to blame for the increase in rail traffic.

This was the first chance for Governor Walz to stand up to radical elements of the environmental movement and with those every day Minnesotans across the state. He campaigned on a theme of 'One Minnesota' but has already failed the first time that was put to the test. He has a video where he called on the governor to let Line 3 move forward.

Clearwater Humane Society Meeting

We are excited to see so many people interested in helping with the Clearwater County Humane Society. The love and compassion for animals is what we need. We are striving to create a community of active involvement between people and pets.

The next meeting will be March 2, 2019 at the D & R Café in Bagley. Joy Anderson-President, Theresa Tobon-Treasurer, Robin Beck – Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that default has occurred in conditions of the following described mortgage:

DATE OF MORTGAGE: October 6, 2006

MORTGAGOR: Suzen G. Pixler and David Pixler, wife and husband.

MORTGAGEE: National City Mortgage, a division of National City Bank.

DATE AND PLACE OF RECORDING: Recorded October 18, 2006 Clearwater County Recorder, Document No. A149761.

ASSIGNMENTS OF MORTGAGE: Assigned to: National City Mortgage Co., a subsidiary of National City Bank. Dated December 4, 2006 Recorded April 18, 2011, as Document No. A157911. And thereafter assigned to: Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas as Trustee Effective 1/12/07. Dated December 4, 2006 Recorded April 18, 2011, as Document No. A157912. And thereafter assigned to: Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas as Trustee for Residential Accredit Loans, Inc., Mortgage Asset-Backed Pass Through Certificates, Series

2007-QS1. Dated October 25, 2018 Recorded October 29, 2018, as Document No. A172984.

TRANSACTION AGENT: NONE

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Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, as Trustee

Mortgagee/Assignee of Mortgagee

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voter(s) of Eden Township, County of Polk, State of Minnesota, that the Annual Election of Town Officers and Annual Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2019. In case of inclement weather, the meeting and election may be postponed until the third Tuesday, on March 19, 2019 and if inclement weather the election and meeting will be held March 26, 2019.

The Election Poll hours will be open from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at which time the voters will elect:

1 Township supervisor for a 3 year term.

The Annual Meeting will commence at 8:00 pm to conduct all necessary business provided by law.

The Annual Meeting and election will be held at the Gully Tri-Coop Lumberyard Meeting Room located across from the Gully Tri-Coop Elevator.

For further information contact Dennis Erickson, Eden Township clerk-treasurer @ 218 268-4590. R47-48C

Notice of Annual Meeting and Election of Officers

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Gully Township, County of Polk, State of Minnesota, that the annual election of Town Officers and annual town meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12 2019.

The election poll hours will be from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at which time the voters will elect:

1 Township Supervisor for a 3 year term

1 Township Treasurer for a 2 year term.

The annual meeting will commence at 8:15 p.m. to conduct all necessary business provided by law. The annual meeting and election will be held at the Gully Township Hall.

In case of inclement weather, the meeting and election may be postponed until the third Tuesday, March 19, 2019.

Carole J. Tharaldson Gully Twp. Clerk R48-49C

CLEARBROOK DENTAL CLINIC

would like to give notice that we are in the process of becoming an "In Network" Provider for Humana Insurance. Due to recent inquiries and the change in dental benefits for some Medicare patients, we are moving forward to better serve our customers. We have been told this may take at least a month to complete. If you have any questions upon looking at your insurance information, **ANY** insurance, please give us a call at 218-776-3558. *We are accepting new patients. Thank you for your business, Dr. Randy C. Beard* R47-48C

Public Notice of Request for Proposal

Clearbrook-Gonvick School District #2311 requests proposals for group insurance coverage for the health plan year beginning July 1, 2019. Sealed proposals will be accepted in paper form until 5:00 pm central time on March 27, 2019 at Clearbrook-Gonvick School, 16770 Clearwater Lake Rd, Clearbrook, MN 56634. Copies of the request for proposal and exhibits may be requested from Jenetta Mathson, jmathson@clearbrook-gonvick.k12.mn.us, and will be sent electronically at no charge. District reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities. District reserves the right to select the proposal which it determines to be in the best interest of the District. R45-48C