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Clearbrook-Gonvick girls basketball team honored their parents at the last home game. These are the only two seniors on the team. From left to right: Rachel with her parents Sara and Matt Lavin and Meosha with her parents Pat and Marceen Hammer.



Clearbrook-Gonvick girls basketball team honored their parents at the last home game. Juniors honored their parents. From left to right: Danaé Stenzel and her parents Cheryl and Tom Stenzel and Nyah Neadeau with her parents Brian Seki and Nicole Spears.



Clearbrook-Gonvick girls basketball team honored their parents at the last home game. Sophomores honored their parents. From left to right: Bailey Klema and her parents Daphne and Billy Klema and Rose Java with her parents Elizabeth Barnes and Josh Java.



Clearbrook-Gonvick girls basketball team honored their parents at the last home game. From left to right: Freshman Ella Engen with her parents Linda and BJ Engen and Sophomores MyKenzie Larson with her parents Misty and Jordan Larson.



Clearbrook-Gonvick girls basketball team honored their parents at the last home game. Sophomores honored their parents. From left to right: Kayleel Faldet and her parents Brenda and Darwin Faldet and Emma Dorman with her parents Chris and Sara Eck and Ben and Angelique Dorman.

Soil boring complete for new school addition

Despite the weather soil boring was done on the east end of the school building for the new addition at the Clearbrook-Gonvick School. The bond fund check has arrived and it was put into the Minnesota Liquid Asset Fund to draw interest before the project starts. Meetings are being planned by the architect to get the project going. Early childhood staff went to Mahanomen to see what their new addition looked like to get some ideas on what should be done in the new rooms.

Spotlight on Education was given by Sarah Goudge at the February 25 school board meeting. Her presentation had what was going on in the school for the month of January. They celebrated the 100 days of school. College and Career Fair day was held at the school. Miss Klinkhammer is now Mrs. Mendick after her recent wedding. Student Art Exhibit will be held until March 8 at the Clearbrook Community Center. This event is open to the public free of charge. All are encouraged to attend. Come see these wonderfully talented young artists.

Principals report Principal Carl Dugstad gave his report. They have a new long-term sub that will take over for Alisha Rude when she goes on maternity leave. Danielle Zittel will be the new 6th grade teacher along with Mrs. Bagaason. A Thank You from Nevis School district was received for the donation given from the school for the tragedy that happened in Nevis. Dugstad stated they are 60% done on the 2019-2020 schedule after their three meetings. This is his first time scheduling and he appreciates the help of the committee.

Thursday, February 28 students in 8th grade were to be tested in Reading and Math. The NAEP (National Assessment of Educational Progress) is the only assessment that measures what U.S. students know and can do in various subjects across the nation, states, and in some urban districts. A team from NAEP comes in to do the test.

The (AIPAC) American Indian Parent Action Committee has been meeting to make sure the school is meeting the needs of Indian students.

Superintendent report

Jeff Burgess reported that they are in the process of applying for help with a math tutor. They have reading help.

Lowell Bjerke, the head custodian, is looking for a mixing motor part that will fill the need that is cheaper than the \$6,000 that was available.

Burgess attended the Clearbrook City council meeting concerning the rent payment that the district pays to the school. The current rate is \$1,500. They are looking at a raise of up to \$10,000 dollars. He has requested a breakdown of the costs that he can bring to the board. What they are charging other people who use the facilities.

Finance Committee had met to set up priorities as to what has to be done in the school building. What should go first painting, lighting, flooring or furniture.

Meet and Confer Committee met on Monday, February 25. They will have quarterly meetings. They set up guidelines for grounds keeping, classroom painting and furniture purchases.

Consent Calendar

Bills, electronic transfers and treasurer's report were approved. Some of the bills included: Stein's Bus Service LLC \$74,493.47; IRS \$53,831.08; Teachers Retirement \$26,273.29; Pine to Prairie Coop Center \$14,271.12; Community Oil Co. \$9,706.71; Clearwater Polk Electric \$8,355.42; Marco \$5,913.82; City of Clearbrook \$3,349.00; 2 Loons Letters & Threads \$2,721.25; Ziegler CAT \$2,578.77; Knutson, Flynn & Deans \$2,541.25; Garden Valley Telephone Co. \$1,876.93; Anderson Disposal \$1,809.70; Land O Lakes \$1,375.40; Thompson's Sand and Gravel \$1,325.00; Mulry Amy \$1,200.00. Total was \$327,843.31 payments through February 21, 2019.

Old Business

Chester Powell Program Technician with Clearwater Soil and Water Conservation District was at the meeting to discuss the temporary pond and rain garden that would be located on the lowest point of the property, the southeast corner of the school property.

The pond which would be an environmental filter of run off

from the roof, parking lot and ditch that would clean the water before it gets to Silver Creek. Funding is available from the Fish and Wildlife Service to pay for items that go into the garden. 25% of the project would be paid for by the district either through local clubs, Red Lake Water Shed District or In Kind by students and staff. This is a good project for FFA and 4-H Clubs in the area. The board wants to see what the project looks like before they commit. Powell will have more information and will work with Kim Anderson the FFA instructor.

New Business

The board approved the achievement and integration project. This will be done with other districts including, Bagley, Fosston, Norman County East, Mahanomen and Red Lake.

The purpose of the Achievement and Integration through the Minnesota Department of Education program is for racial and economic integration, increase student achievement, create equitable educational opportunities, and reduce academic disparities based on students' racial, ethnic, and economic backgrounds in Minnesota public schools. To assist with the Early Childhood Education and increase the graduation rate of students.

The 2019-2020 calendar was approved with "B" the choice. School starts after Labor Day and will continue two days after Memorial Day. Seniors will graduate that weekend and not have to return for the May 26 and 27 days for school. Those days would include the track and field day and other activities for the end of the year. Christmas vacation would begin Friday, December 20. The calendar includes 170.5 student days and 177 staff days.

May 10th will be a snow make up day for students and staff at the present time.

The board approved two resolutions asking the State of Minnesota and the Federal Government to fully fund Special Education.

The board approved the hiring of Danielle Zittel as the long-term substitute.

The board closed the meeting for a personnel discussion.

K&K's Cafe Opens in Clearbrook

K&K's Cafe opened on Wednesday, February 13th, providing customers with a place to eat breakfast or lunch in Clearbrook. Sara Bjerke opened her new restaurant at 34 Main Street in Clearbrook at the old AJ's Restaurant location. Sara took the name K&K from her daughters, Kayden Jorgenson who is eleven years old, and Kaylie Bjerke, who is nine.

Although owning her own restaurant is new to Sara, she brings a lifetime of restaurant experience. Sara started washing dishes with Reva Anderson at the Hitching Rail Restaurant in Shevlin when she was just 9 years old. When Reva took over the D&R Café in 2000, Sara started working there as waitress and cook and she has worked at the D&R Cafe until now.

Sara's friends and family have been encouraging her to open her own restaurant for some time. As various restaurant opportunities have become available in the area, she has been thinking about making



Sara Bjerke on the right, the new owner of K&K's Cafe in Clearbrook with her sister Brooke Iverson.

this change. When Sara heard about AJ's closing, she felt this location would be a good choice, partly since she lives close to Clearbrook. She also knew people in the area were hoping the restaurant would reopen, especially for the breakfast and lunch hours.

Taking the leap to open her own restaurant was a challenge for Sara, but she knew if she didn't do it, she might regret it. Getting to know new people is Sara's favorite part of running K&K's so far. While she is enjoying meeting her new customers, it was hard for Sara to leave all of her regular customers at the D&R Café. She likes that many have stopped in to see her at the new location.

Sara's family and friends have been very supportive of her new opportunity. Her husband, John, has helped with maintenance issues. Sara's mom LaRae Martine has been

lending a hand at the restaurant. Like Sara, LaRae has done restaurant work all her life. Sara's sisters and friends have also been helping at the restaurant.

On weekends, Sara will be serving breakfast all day. During the week, breakfast is served until 11:00 a.m. Breakfast items on the menu include a variety of omelets, country fried steak, eggs Benedict, pancakes, French toast, and several breakfast sandwiches. Lunch customers will be able to choose from a variety of burgers and other sandwiches such as BLT's, French dips, and Ruebens. Basket choices include chicken tenders, chicken drumsticks, walleye fingers, and shrimp. Soups, salads, and appetizers are also available. Many choices for kids are offered on the menu, too. Sara will offer daily special

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Community Education

Legion and Auxiliary meeting changed

The Gonvick American Legion and Auxiliary will change the date of their meeting for March. They will meet on March 13 at 7:00 pm in the legion cabin due to township meetings being held on March 12.

The American Legion is celebrating their 100th Birthday on March 15th -17th.

Boys Basketball Playoffs begin

The Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears boys basketball team will open playoffs at Fosston on Thursday, March 7, 2019 at 7:00 pm when they take on the Fosston Greyhounds. GO BEARS!!!!

Admission fee is: Adults: \$7.00, Students: \$5.00. These prices are set by the Region 8 Committee. No local passes are accepted.

Clearwater County Fair Calendar winners

Feb. 23 - Gary and Arlys Mathis, Gonvick, \$20

Feb. 24 - Corrine Frame, Valparaiso, IN, \$20

Feb. 25 - Alton Walker, Bagley, \$20

Feb. 26 - Amelia Kent, Bagley, \$20

Feb. 27 - Isabella Sorge, Raymore, MO, \$20

Feb. 28 - Sharon Dyrdaahl O'Bryan, Bagley, \$20

Feb. 29 - Shirley Walker Stinson, Coon Rapids, \$20

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Wed. Feb. 27 - Tuna Hotdish, Peas, Pudding, Bread and Milk.

Thurs., Feb. 28 - Chicken Lasagna, Green Bean, Garlic Bread, Tropical Fruit, Bar and Milk

Fri., March 1 - Swedish Meatballs, Paprika Potatoes, County Blend Veg., Ice Cream Bread and Milk.

Mon., March 4 - Hamburger and Mac Hotdish, Green Beans, Pudding, Bread and Milk.

Tues., March 5 - BBQ Pork Chop, sweet Potatoes, Winter Blend Veg., Peas, Bread and Milk.

Wed. March 6 - Meatloaf , Potatoes, Creamed Corn, Mandarin Oranges, 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.

Gonvick Fire Department holds year end meeting

The Gonvick Fire & Rescue held their annual year end meeting for 2018. The purpose of the meeting was to go over last year's calls and update the fire contracts.

It was held at the Gonvick American Legion on Tuesday, February 26 with a meal and information presented by Billy Klema, Gonvick Fire Chief.

The department had 106 calls and meetings during the year. They included Medical Assist 49, Vehicle Accident 3, Structure Fires 1, Grass Fires 5, Other Fires 4, False Alarms 2, Mutual Aid 7, Training 12, Meetings 13 and Misc 10.

Breakdown of some of the calls were to City of Gonvick 33, Pine Lake Township 18, Winsor Township 6, and Clearbrook Mutual Aid 6.

Total for city and township was \$55,052.00 up \$2,622.00 from last year.

Their training include propane burning and car extrication. They added five more new sets of gear for the staff.

New on the department this year was Matt Bergman, Jason Paulson and Cody Rouland.

Art show at Community Center

Clearbrook-Gonvick students under the direction of art teacher Ms. Linda J. Brown are presenting their works at the Clearbrook Community Center until March 8.

They will be open Monday-Thursday 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. & Friday 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

This is Ms. Browns second year at Clearbrook-Gonvick School. She stated, "I have watched my students grow in skill, insight, and a deepening desire to create art, which is evident in the work they present. The have worked hard to create personal and meaningful art that is fun to look at or ponder. Art students are learning to understand key concepts and techniques while developing their individual skills and artistic voices. They learn to take risks and enjoy the journey—the joy and struggle involved in creating works of art. I feel as though I learn equally through them. What a joy!"

CLEARBROOK ELEVATOR ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL MEETING

will be held at the: BANQUET ROOM

– at the –

Clearbrook Community Center

~ FRIDAY ~

Mar. 8TH, 2019

DOOR PRIZES

NOON: LUNCH

1:00: BUSINESS MEETING

THERE WILL BE AN ELECTION OF 1 BOARD MEMBER

LAND O' LAKES, INC.

Community Education

Register by calling Community Ed. at 776-3112 ext 102. You may also obtain information on Community Ed classes through: the school web site: www.clearbrook-gonvick.k12.mn.us, some local businesses, email (send your request to: jengebre@clearbrook-gonvick.k12.mn.us) or we are on Face-

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cials, such as a hot sandwich or soup and sandwich.

The current hours for the new café are Mondays through Fridays from 6:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The hours for Saturday will be from 6:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. On Sundays, the café will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The hours may vary in the summer. The phone number for K&K's Café is 218-776-2195, the same as the old AJ's Restaurant number.

Chad Filey To Perform

Farm By The Lake's Storyteller Series

March 10, 2019
3:00 PM
Bagley Public Library
Free and Open to the Public
Family Friendly Event
Author, Comedian, and Storyteller are just a few words used to describe Chad Filey.

This versatile communicator has entertained audiences of all ages throughout the United States and Canada. Think of an audience and Chad has probably performed for them. He's been everywhere man, just like Johnny Cash. He's spoken at corporate functions, prisons, comedy clubs, school groups, festivals, banquets, and churches.

Chad has the unique ability to take everyday situations and spin them into side-splitting, laughter filled tales. Then like a master rollercoaster operator Chad will throw a sudden twist at his audience adding an unforeseen real-life turn. His blend of comedy, tragedy, and heartwarming accounts have left his audiences spellbound.

Chad took the Minnesota comedy scene by storm in 2010. He has appeared in numerous comedy clubs in the Upper Midwest, California, Alaska, and Las Vegas. He has even twerked on the hallowed stage of the Grand Ole Opry in Nashville.

Most of Chad's material comes from his everyday life. With a resume including survival in the trenches of parenthood, matrimony, high school teaching and coaching, and firefighting, he is able to combine these experiences with a humorous spin, helping him turn everyday events into comical stories.



Chad Filey.

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

GIVE A VETERAN A LIFT: Several donations marked for this year's "Give a Veteran a Lift" fundraiser continue to come in... I'd like to extend a heartfelt "Thank you" to Rose Dukek for the gracious donation brought to the Courthouse recently.

I welcome your own personal comments. Constructive feedback on your own behalf (please-not anonymous) to our Commissioners is also a valuable gauge of how this office can better serve all veterans and their beneficiaries. Office(218)694-6618; Cell/Text (218)556-5340 Hutch

book! PLEASE REGISTER AT LEAST A WEEK AHEAD OF CLASS.

Early Bird" Garage & Craft Sale
GARAGE AND CRAFT SELLERS WELCOME!

Reserve your spot in the gym to sell your articles at a group sale. Setup begins at 6:45 am Saturday morning. You may set up an extra clothes rack/table if room is available. If participation is not sufficient, deposits

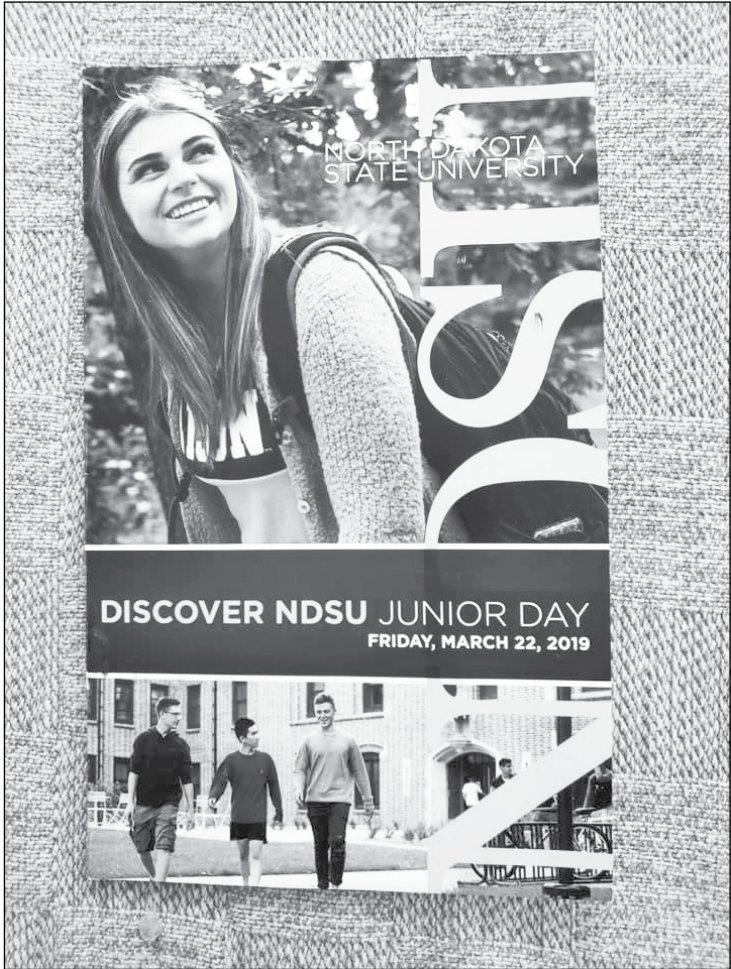
will be returned. Registration deadline is April 11. (Late registration will be taken if space is available.) Minimum 10 sellers need to be signed up by April 11.

Saturday, April 27 8:30 AM-NOON

Clearbrook-Gonvick School Gym

Fee per table = \$15.00 for 1, \$20 for 2

Watch for more classes coming soon!



Lauren Graftaas is on the Junior Recruitment brochure for North Dakota State University (NDSU). Parents are Brian and Jodi Graftaas and David and Anise Lean. Grandparents Albert and Shirley Graftaas and Maris Thompson.

4th Annual

Clearbrook Fire Department

Daddy Daughter Dance

Saturday, March 16, 2019

Clearbrook Community Center

Register at the Clearbrook City Office

Grand March at 6:00pm — Dance from 6:30-8:30pm

PUBLIC WELCOME TO ATTEND GRAND MARCH

For more information visit the Clearbrook Minnesota Volunteer Fire Department on Facebook

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SANFORD HEALTH

Church News

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.

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.

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.

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 Kirchnerman
Good Shepherd
Sun., March 10 - 9:00am Worship/Baptism, 10:00 am Coffee Hour/Sunday School, 7-12th Grade Youth Connect.
Joint events
Wed., March 6 - 5:30 pm Supper 6-9th Grade; 6:00 pm Confirmation.
ASH Wednesday SERVICES AT 6:45 LEONARD 5:15
Our Savior's
Sun., March 10 - 9:45am Sunday School; 10:30am Coffee Hour, 11:00am Worship.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Clearbrook
Pastor Verlyn Strenge
Assoc. Pastor Jim Galloway
Wed., March 6: 6:30 p.m. AWANA
Thurs., March 7: 7 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer
Sat., March 9: 7 a.m. Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sun., March 10: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Morning 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.

Ash Wednesday
March 6th

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.

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH Clearbrook
Pastor Adam Krog
Wed., March 6 5:30 pm CSoup and Sandwich Supper; 6:30 pm Lenten Supper.
Sat., March 9 - 9:00 a.m. Breakfast and Game Day for Ladies
Sun., March 10 - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30 am Worship Service.

GONVICK LUTHERAN PARISH MEMBERS OF NALC
Pastor Kris Snyder
SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH
UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH
Wednesday March 6 - 8 AM Men's Lectionary Bible Study (Samhold)
9:30 AM Woman's Bible Study – Revelations (Samhold)
5:30 PM Confirmation Snow Make up Session (Samhold)
6:30 PM Parish Ash Wednesday Communion Service (Samhold)
Sunday, March 10 - 9 AM United Lutheran Worship Service
9:30 AM Samhold Lutheran Sunday School
10:00 AM United Lutheran Sunday School
10:00 AM Fellowship Hour at United (Basement)
10:30 AM Samhold Lutheran Worship Service
11:30 AM Fellowship Hour at Samhold

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
Mt. Olive – Nazareth Oak Park – St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseeth
Wed, Mar. 6: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School. 6:00 p.m. Soup & Sandwich at Oak Park. 7:00 Ash Wednesday at Oak Park.
Thu, Mar. 7: 5:00 p.m. Lent Service at Mt. Olive.
Sat, Mar. 9: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive.
Sun, Mar. 10: 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.

Tue, Mar. 12: 6:30 p.m. Lent Service at St. Petri.
Wed, Mar. 13: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School. 6:00 p.m. Soup & Sandwich at Nazareth. 7:00 p.m. at Nazareth.
Thu, Mar. 14: 5:00 p.m. Lent Service at Mt. Olive.

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
Josiah Hoagland, Pastor
Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor
www.newjourneyfosston.com
Wed, Mar. 6: 6:30 p.m. AWANA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.
Fri, Mar. 8: 8:30 a.m. Friday School.
Sun, Mar. 10: 9:30 a.m. Worship. 10:45 a.m. Sunday School.
Tue, Mar. 12: 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer meeting. 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions. 10:00 a.m. Ladies Quilting. 6:30 p.m. Bible Study.
Wed, Mar. 13: 6:30 p.m. AWANA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund
Sand Valley
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Wed, Mar. 6: 5 p.m. 7 & 8 grade confirmation *Note time change. 6 p.m. Soup N Sand at Lund. Lenten Service at 7:00 p.m.
Sun, Mar. 10: 9:00 a.m. Lund. 10:30 p.m. Sand Valley. 4:45 p.m. Youth Group trip to TRF for Christian Theater
Wed, Mar. 13: No Confirmation. 6 p.m. Soup N Sand. At Bethany. Lenten Service at 7 p.m.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY
Fosston
Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor
Sun, Mar. 10: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. Worship.

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and students at the Clearbrook-Gonvick Junior
and Senior High Schools

SPOTLIGHT

February Spotlight on High School Students of the month

February High School
Students of the Month
Education is the key to un-
lock the golden door of freedom.
~George Washington Carver

Name: Ethan Erickson,
Grade 12, **Parents:** Jason and
Jaue Erickson, Zeba and Leah
Swalboski, **Siblings:** Jesse and
Dylan Maxwell; Jadelyn, Shayla
and Dakota Erickson; Dominic
Swalboski

School Involvement: Kind-
ness Squad, Choir

Favorite Class/Activity:
Jewelry Metals and Choir

Hobbies/Interests: Met-
al working, forging, casting,
woodworking, leather working,
sketching, painting, singing,
mythology and walking through
the woods.

What he likes about C-G:
It is a small school so everybody
knows everybody and nobody is
a stranger.

Future Plans: I am enlisted
to be a soldier of the Minnesota
National Guard.

Comments: "Ethan is a very
hard worker. He is always will-
ing to help classmates with their
work. He is a very nice person,
always has interesting stories to
tell." "A gentleman and a scholar!
We look for great things from
you young man!" "Ethan is a fine
young man and has been a treat
to watch mature into his senior
year. He will without a doubt find
much success in his future."

Name: Jenna Smith, Grade
11, **Parents:** Matt and Debbie
Smith, **Siblings:** Matthew Smith

School Involvement: The
Kindness Squad & Volleyball

Favorite Class/Activity:
Yearbook/taking pictures

Hobbies/Interests: Art,
being with friends and family,
playing with my dogs.

What she likes about C-G:
How everyone is so close to each
other.

Future Plans: I plan on going
to college

Comments: "Jenna is always
willing to share a smile and

"Hello!" in the hallway! She is
a student who will go out of her
way to lend a helping hand and is
generous to her peers. Well done,
Jenna!" "Always a bright smile
and an optimistic outlook. Very
friendly young lady. Tries her
best in school." "Jenna is a hard
working young lady who has a
great science and math mind!"

Name: Sydney Vakoch, Grade
10, **Parents:** Mitch and Ranae
Vakoch

School Involvement: iM-
PACT and Volleyball

Favorite Class/Activity:
Small Animals/Animal Science
with Mrs. Anderson

Hobbies/Interests: Being
with family, drawing and hang-
ing out with friends.

What she likes about C-G:
Everyone is welcoming to new
people.

Future Plans: Working in
the medical field

Comments: "Sydney is a
positive role-model for her peers.
She is hard-working, respectful,

and kind. She never settles for the
minimum, and she gives her best
work in everything she does. We
value her talent in band!" "I have
never seen Sydney ill-prepared or
scrambling. She is ready to learn
and participate every single day.
That combined with her pleasant
personality and common sense
perspective, make her an asset to
any class she's in! Congratula-
tions, Sydney!" "I enjoy Sydney as
a student. She is a great addition
to any classroom and subject. She
is always willing to help out her
classmates."

Name: Brian Walser, Grade
9, **Parents:** Brian and Brandi
Walser, **Siblings:** Madison and
Charlie

School Involvement: Foot-
ball

Favorite Class/Activity:
Geography

Hobbies/Interests: I like
games.

What he likes about C-G:
The positivity and the food.

Future Plans: Undecided.

Comments: "Always a smile
and wave when I see him in the
hallway! Well done, Brian!"
"Brian is always pleasant and
says hi in the hallway. I have
enjoyed having him in class."
"Brian seems to be positive no
matter what is happening. I love
his laid back demeanor."

Name: Annaliese Ballard,
Grade 8, **Parents:** Paul Ballard
and Jennifer Ballard, **Siblings:**
Jeanette, Paul III, Chloe, John

School Involvement: Vol-
leyball and Basketball

Favorite Class/Activity:
Shop Class

Hobbies/Interests: I like
Volleyball.

What she likes about C-G: I
like how we have different foods
and that it is good.

Future Plans: I would like
to be a plumber or an electrician.

Comments: "Annaliese is
responsible and mature, positive
and kind. She works hard and
has a wonderful, witty sense of
humor. We appreciate her leader-
ship in the musical world!" "She
is a hard worker and has a great
smile. She is a pleasure to have
in class."

Name: Trevor Solberg, Grade
7, **Parents:** Jay and Kim Sol-
berg, **Siblings:** Gavin

School Involvement: Foot-
ball, Basketball, and Summer
Rec Baseball

Favorite Class/Activity:
Computers and Band

Hobbies/Interests: Grow-
ing pumpkins and playing video
games

What he likes about C-G:
Early out Wednesdays

Future Plans: Engineer

Comments: "Trevor is kind
and polite to everyone. He has
an infectious grin and a calm
demeanor. We value his effort
in band!" "Trevor is focused on
doing his best at everything he
does. He is very self-motivating
and observant! His creative talent
and precision has blown us away
in STEAM! Great job, Trevor!"

Please note also March
8th will be Donuts w/Dad
for breakfast and March
22nd will be Muffins w/
Mom! We will be serving
from 7:45-8:30 those morn-
ings. Please look for a note
home with your child.



Levi Nelson under the basket for the Bears.



Alex Dawson shoots a basket for the Bears.

School News

Boys bb playoffs: The boys
play Fosston at Fosston on Thur,
March 7 at 7:00 pm
GO BEARS!!

SNOW MAKEUP DAYS:
School will be in session on Fri-
day, March 15 and Friday, May
10 as snow makeup days.

Daylight Savings time begins
on March 10: Set clocks forward
one hour

Track practice begins on
March 11

SCHOOL COUNSELOR
CURRENT HAPPENINGS:

There are lots of things go-
ing on in the school counseling
world. Here are the highlights:

Students grades 9-11 who
meet eligibility requirements
to take Online College in the
High School (OCHS), College
English in the Classroom, and/
or College Agriculture in the
Classroom courses next year
have received emails to their
school accounts. There are dif-
ferent requirements for each of

the college level courses. If you
would like further information
on this, please let me know.

Instagram: counselormegang
Snapchat: CounselorMeganG
Website: <https://sites.google.com/a/clearbrook-gonvick.k12.mn.us/schoolcounselor/>

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

Thur, Mar 7: A BBB tour-
nament game vs Fosston at
Fosston at 7:00 pm

March 11: Track practice
begins

ONGOING EVENTS Par-
ents: Please check your lunch
accounts regularly so you can
keep up to date.

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your account and make pay-
ments.

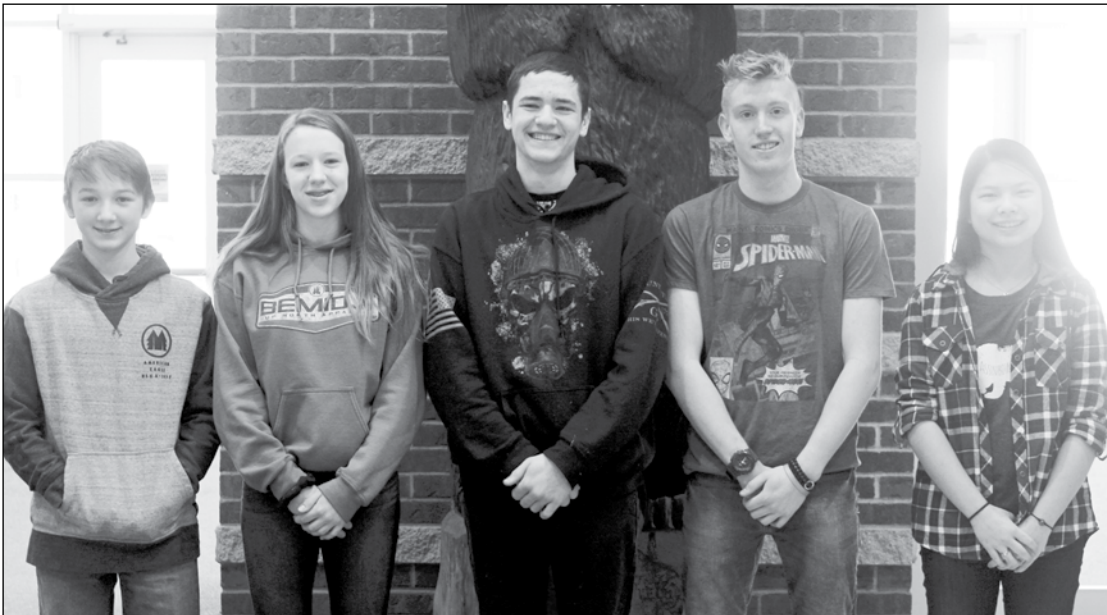
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office for assistance with your
account at 218-776-3112.

**AFTER SCHOOL TUTOR-
ING:** After school tutoring is of-
fered during this year for grades
5-12. It is held M, T, and R from
3:25 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and W
from 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in lab
400. No tutoring will be held on
Fridays and early release days.
Each student needs permission
from parents. A signup sheet
is located outside room 406.
Anyone attending tutoring will
need to be signed up by 1:00 pm
each day. C-G students from the
Red Lake area are encouraged
to attend. A late bus leaves the
school at 5:30 p.m. and arrives
in Red Lake at 6 p.m. on the
days there is tutoring.

YOUTH CONNECTION!!
Youth Connection every Tues-
day & Wednesday: Check here
for information

Listen to the school news
every Tuesday at 2:05 on KKQC
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line at: <http://www.rjbroadcasting.com/index.cfm?page=school-news>

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Tyson A+ and Loaves for Learn-
ing UPC's



February High School Students of the Month Pictured left to right: Trevor Solberg, Annaliese Ballard, Ethan Erickson, Brian Walser, Sydney Vakoch. Not pictured Jenna Smith.



Clearwater County Livestock PDC hosted a Poultry Project Day on Saturday, February 23rd. Left to right: Matthew Rankin, Peyton Berg, Daniel Rankin, Savanna Rankin, Kayla Johnshoy, Evelyn Warmbold, Payton Bennett, Adison Powell

Poultry Project Day held at Clearbrook Community Center

By Kayla Nyegaard
Clearwater County Livestock
PDC hosted a Poultry Project
Day on Saturday, February
23rd. This event highlighted
all of the project opportunities
within the poultry project, such
as breeding pens, egg produc-
tion class, market pens, as
well as the different varieties
of poultry.

These include, chickens,
ducks, geese, turkeys, guineas,
pigeons, doves, as well as exotic
poultry. This was an amazing
clinic! There was a hands on
portion to this that included
preparing a bird for a show,
taking care of chicks, how to
pick your ideal poultry project,
how to prepare your project for
the fair, and finally how to raise
the birds.

Extra special thanks to Vick-
ey, Morgan and Austin Molitor,
Isaiah Holm, and Vern and
Sandy Holzhueter for facilitat-
ing this clinic.



Isaiah Holm is holding the chicken at the Clearwater County Livestock Poultry Project Day. Kneeling in the picture is Austin Molitor.



Vickey Moliter speaking with the children at the Poultry Project Day held in the Clearbrook Community Center. Vickey is a 4-H volunteer with Becker County.

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Clearbrook-Gonvick School Menu
Wed., March 6 - Ham and Cheese Croissant, Chicken Wild Rice Soup, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.
Thurs., March 7 - Wild Rice or Tater Tot Hotdish, Dinner Roll, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.
Fri., March 8 - Cheese Piza, Corn, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.
Mon., March 11 - Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Garlic Toast, Green Beans, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.
Tues., March 12 - Cook's Choice, Try it Tuesday.
Wed., March 13 - Chili Cheese Fritos, Cornbread, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Clearwater County Sheriff
Darin Halverson

Clearwater County Sheriff's Office
Weekly Activity

City of Bagley - Total 17
02/24/19 05:19 Medical, 21:30
Traffic Stop, 21:56 Traffic Stop,
23:09 Assist Other Agency, 23:19
Traffic Stop
02/25/19 15:59 Information Only,
19:39 Medical
02/26/19 01:22 Traffic Stop, 08:39
Medical
02/27/19 00:02 Traffic Stop, 21:23
Alarm
02/28/19 11:49 Medical, 13:33
Transport, 15:19 Fraud, 23:01 Traffic
Stop
03/01/19 08:55 Transport, 17:03
Medical

City of Clearbrook - Total 4
02/25/19 18:44 Traffic Stop
02/28/19 23:00 Traffic Stop
03/02/19 05:59 Disturbance,
14:42 Vehicle Lock Out

City of Gonvick - Total 2
02/26/19 15:15 Traffic Stop
02/27/19 23:33 Information Only

City of Shevlin - Total 2
02/24/19 10:34 Burglary
03/01/19 00:23 Traffic Stop

Copley - Total 11
02/24/19 01:26 Traffic Stop, 18:35
ASSIST
02/25/19 07:36 Medical
02/26/19 13:01 Juvenile Misc
02/27/19 03:10 Information Only,
03:39 Suspicious Activity, 19:16
Traffic Stop

02/28/19 06:45 Alarm, 14:17
Information Only
03/01/19 17:20 Medical
03/02/19 19:12 Threats

Falk - Total 8
02/24/19 13:49 Vehicle Lock Out,
17:58 Medical
02/25/19 23:45 Traffic Stop
02/26/19 12:34 Animal Related,
20:07 911 Hang Up
02/28/19 09:59 THEFT
03/02/19 00:22 Trespass, 01:08
Warrant Arrest

Greenwood - Total 1
02/28/19 20:18 Animal Related

Holst - Total 2
02/26/19 08:58 Suspicious Activity
03/01/19 14:02 Welfare Check

Itasca - Total 2
02/24/19 06:30 Alarm
02/25/19 19:41 Medical

LaPraire - Total 1
03/01/19 19:15 Juvenile Misc

LaPraire N - Total 2
02/24/19 22:05 Vehicle Lock Out
02/25/19 22:16 Information Only

Leon - Total 5

Sheriff Report...
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A lot of visiting goes on at the Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center.



Valentines Day, February 14 Keith Winger sang and sold his book "Badges and Guitars". He is the ex-sheriff of Beltrami County. They were also joined by Joy Parker who led in singing.



B.S. Valley Boys performed on February 5 at the Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center. Dancers were Chris Strande and Norm Norby.



Tamara Edevold spoke at the Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Citizens Center on Clearwater County Historical sites on Tuesday, February 19.



Red Lake County Central River Watch Team accepts their First Place Gold Award: Pictured from left to right are, RLCC River Watch Advisor Kathryn Tran, Tanisha Srnsky, Sidney Olson, Kaitlyn Morris and Red Lake Watershed District Staff Ashley Hitt.

River Watch students solving Watershed problems

Grand Forks, ND — On February 27, students in the Red River Basin descended upon the Alerus Center to celebrate the 24th Anniversary of River Watch with the Annual River Watch Forum. River Watch is a watershed education program created for junior high and high school students. Students collect water quality samples from local rivers and streams, learn about their local watersheds and participate in a watershed-based project over the winter months. This year's Forum highlights included guest speaker Natalie Warren, who is one of the first two women to paddle from Minneapolis to Hudson Bay; River Watch Jeopardy; college and career fair; and Forum project winners. This year's project was "Data Driven Watershed Problem Solving". River Watch teams were asked to examine their watersheds, find an issue or problem, and propose a solution using an ArcGIS Online tool called Story

Maps to present their project. Red Lake Watershed District staff work closely with local schools who participate in the River Watch program, of those schools Red Lake Falls and Red Lake County Central completed the project for this year's forum. Red Lake Falls River Watch team found, after talking with local land owners and community members, that many people weren't aware of where to find buffer law information, regulations, or who to contact with questions about the buffer law. The team put together an ArcGIS Story Map to share with land owners. The story map answers common buffer law questions, with links to informational pages, maps, and contact information.

Red Lake County Central found a source of pollution while invertebrate sampling in October 2018, students contacted local agencies looking for more information about the pollution

source and if this was a known problem. After learning the pollution was coming from an old tile line draining into the river and comparing water quality data taken from the pollution source vs. data collected upstream of the source, they knew something must be done to stop the tile line from draining into the river. The team came up with two different solutions and budgets for fixing the problem.

They presented the problem and solutions to the Red Lake Watershed District and the Red Lake County Environmental Officer. An ArcGIS Story Map was created to describe the problem, research conducted, and solution proposals. Red Lake County Central won first place for their project at this year's River Watch Forum, beating out 16 other teams.

Schools from Minnesota and North Dakota participate in River Watch activities throughout the year.

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CLEARBROOK-GONVICK SCHOOL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT #2311 BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING
January 23, 2019 - 7:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Clerk Imle at 7:02 p.m. Declaration of Quorum – Members present: Tracy Imle, Corey Petterson, Tom Stenzel, Richard Hetland, and Jim Galloway (arrived at 7:-07 p.m.). Absent: Jeff Westrum, and Kris Snyder. Also present: Superintendent Jeff Burgess, Principal Dugstad, Jodie Zesbaugh, representing Ehlers (via telephone), 3 staff members, and 1 community member

1. Town Hall Meeting (Odd Number Months)

4Community Comments – None

5 Spotlight on Education – Ms. Goudge gave highlights of events and happenings since the last board meeting.

6 Approval of Agenda – MMS Stenzel/Hetland to approve agenda as presented; MCU

7 Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting –

7.1 12-17-18 Regular Meeting MMS Petterson/Stenzel to approve as presented. MCU.

7.21-7-19 Reorganization/Special Meeting – Stenzel/Hetland to approve as presented. MCU

8 Informational Items

8.1 **Principal Report** –Principal Dugstad discussed the following

Sinclair Township Annual Meeting Notice

The Sinclair Township Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at 3:00 pm at the Sinclair Town Hall. If inclement weather, the meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 19th at 3:00 pm.

Brooke Pond, Clerk R50C

Notice to Clover Township

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Clover Township that the annual election of town officers and the annual town meeting will be held on Tuesday March 12th, 2019 at the Clover town hall. Meeting will be held at 4p.m. Election polls will be open from 5p.m.-7p.m.

1 supervisor for 3 yr term
1 treasurer for 2 yr term

If there is inclement weather the meeting and election will be held the following Tues. March 19, 2019.

Joel Wraa, Clerk R47,50C

NOTICE TO LEON TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Leon Township, County of Clearwater, 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 in March.

The Election Poll hours will be open from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at which time the voters will elect one Supervisor for a 3-year term and one Treasurer for a 2-year term.

The Board of Canvass will meet immediately following the close of the polls at 8:00 p.m. to Canvass the results.

The Annual Meeting will commence by 8:15 p.m. to conduct all necessary business prescribed by law.

The Annual Meeting and Election will be held at the Leon Township Hall.

Lori Larson
Leon Township Clerk R49-50C

items: **1) Building Updates** – Mr. Dugstad advised that blankets & backpacks will no longer be allowed in the classroom. He further advised that penalties for vaping or having vaping supplies have increased. **2) Professional Development** – A workshop was held in Thief River Falls, on Monday, January 21st. As this was an In-Service Day, all District teachers attended. One workshop taught about suicide prevention. **3) Math Corps** – Mr. Dugstad advised that the program is up and running, and will be providing services to students soon. This program is related to our School Improvement program in math as previously mentioned.

8.2 Superintendent Report – Mr. Burgess discussed the following items: **1) Educational** – **A) Minnesota Math Corps** started last week. It is a positive thing for the District with relatively little cost. He will be exploring more opportunities with Minnesota Reading Corp. **2) Building** – **A) The mixing motor** for the air has gone out. Lowell is currently looking to repair it. However, if Lowell is unable to find parts our current estimate for repair is \$6,000. **B) The Safety Committee** met to go over the Mock OSHA report. We have a lot of small things to tidy up. We are trying to move some items out of the storage shed. We will look at ways to discard or possibly sell some of our no longer used materials. **3) Legislative** – Mr. Burgess attended MSBA 1/17 – 1/18/19. He handed out copies of MSBA's legislative agenda and discussed legislative updates. **4) Financial** – Comparison Reports are on track.

8.3 Committee Report – None

9 Consent Calendar – MMS Petterson/Galloway to approve Consent Calendar as presented. MCU

9.1 Approval of Bills Presented
Payroll Expense Checks and Checks Written between Board Meetings: 66774– 66852/Wires Payroll Checks 0030259 – 0030266 December Bills

Voucher Numbers: 53970 – 54061
Check Numbers: 66853 –

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Greenwood Township Annual meeting will be held at the town hall on Tuesday, March 12th, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. Annual reports will be given, township levies will be set, and all other business as prescribed by law will be conducted.

In case of inclement weather, the meeting will be postponed to Tuesday, March 19th, 2019, at 6:00 p.m. at the town hall.

The regular township meeting will be at 5:00 pm, just prior to the Annual Meeting.

Sheila Horn
Greenwood Township Clerk R50C

Notice of Meeting and Retirement Celebration for Louise Sundquist

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Winsor Township, County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota that the Annual Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2019. In case of inclement weather the meeting may be postponed until Tuesday, March 19, 2019 and if inclement weather also postpones the meeting on the third Tuesday they shall be held on April 8th, 2019.

The Annual Meeting will begin at 7:00 pm. The regular March township meeting will be following the annual meeting.

Between Meetings a retirement celebration will be held for Louise Sundquist who retired from the township board after 40 years of service. Stephanie McKnight, ClerkR50C

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Total Payroll/Expense Checks Approved: \$1,318,272.13

9.2 Approval of Electronic Transfers and Other Banking Transactions

9.3Approval of Treasurer's Report

10 Old Business

10.1 Resolutions Awarding Sale of Bonds – Jodie Zesbaugh, of Ehlers, discussed the bond sale results. MMS Petterson/Stenzel to accept Resolution Awarding the Sale, Determining the Form and Details, Authorizing the Execution, Delivery and Registration, and Providing For the Payment of General Obligation School Building Bonds, Series 2019A – Roll Call Vote – Stenzel – Yes, Petterson – Yes, Hetland – Yes, Galloway – Yes, Imle – Yes

11 New Business

11.1 Investment of Bond Proceeds – MMS Galloway/Hetland to approve investment of Bond Funds, at the discretion of the Finance Committee. MCU.

11.2 Achievement and Integration Plans – Informational item only. No action required.

11.3 Winter Weather Procedures – MMS Stenzel/Galloway to approve winter weather procedures. MCU.

11.4 Calendar Discussion – Discussion was held regarding 2 calendar options. No decision is required at this time.

11.5 Rainwater Pond Discussion – Discussion was held regarding the possibility of allowing Clearwater Soil & Conservation to create a rain garden, midland and upland areas of the District's Property. Discussion was held. No motion/approval is required at this time.

11.6 Resolution For Administration to Make Recommendations for Reduction of Programs/Staff – MMS Imle/Galloway to approve Resolution Directing the Administration to Make Recommendations for Reductions in Programs and Positions and Reasons Therefore. Roll Call Vote – Stenzel – Yes, Petterson – Yes, Hetland – Yes, Galloway – Yes, Imle – Yes. MCU.

12. Action Items for February Meeting –

12.1 Meet and Confer

12.2 Superintendent Evaluation – When is it done?

12.3 Finance Committee Meeting – Monday, January 28, 2019

13 Adjournment – MMS Galloway/Hetland to adjourn at 8:25 p.m. MCU

Next Regular Meeting – Monday, February 25, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. R50C

Notice to Residents of Johnson Township

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Johnson Township that the annual meeting will be held on Tuesday March 12, 2019 at the Johnson Town Hall at 4:30 P.M. Election of officers will be from 5-8:00 P.M.

1 Supervisor for 3 yr term
1 Treasurer for 2 yr term

If there is inclement weather the meeting and election will be held the following Tues. Mar. 19, 2019.

Lloyd C. Sweno, Clerk R48-50C

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the voters of Holst Township, County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota, that the Annual Township Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12th, 2019. In case of inclement weather, the meeting may be postponed until the third Tuesday in March. The Annual Meeting will commence at 7 PM to conduct all necessary business prescribed by law. Regular Board Meeting to follow

3/4/2019
Stephanie Anderson
Clerk of Holst Township R50C



The Clearbrook-Gonvick girls with their escorts before they honored their parents.



Clearbrook-Gonvick girls basketball team honored their parents at the last home game. Freshman from left to right: Kaylee Westrum and her parents Jeff and Krysten Westrum and Maci Wanger with her parents Holly and Jeff Wagner.



Clearbrook-Gonvick girls basketball team honored their parents at the last home game. Freshman from left to right: Emma Rude and her parents Alisha and Ryan Rude and Dana Melby and her parents Cindy and Jacob Melby.



Clearbrook-Gonvick girls basketball team honored their parents at the last home game. Freshman from left to right: Annabell Phillips and her mother Katie Bushelle and Kelsey Johnson and her parents John and Sheila Johnson.



Clearbrook-Gonvick girls basketball team honored their parents at the last home game. Freshman from left to right: Malaina Hartwig and her parents Noel Erickson and Jackie Hartwig and Danielle Faldet and her parents Jennifer and Ross Faldet.

Representative Matt Grossell Legislative Update District 2A

Friends,
This week the House Committee on Public Safety heard two gun bills HF8, the 'Universal Background Check' bill, and HF9, the 'Red Flag Law' bill. I serve on this committee and joined ALL of my Republican colleagues and voted, as well as spoke against both bills. Unfortunately, the Democrats are in the majority and they have simply become a party that no longer believes in our Second Amendment Rights.

My colleague on the committee, Rep. Jim Nash, outlines the issues succinctly in a video below.



offsets the overall reduction to the projected balance. The trend of slower growth continues into the planning horizon with projected spending growth outpacing forecast revenue growth into FY 2022-23."

The bottom line is that despite a downward revision, Minnesota still has a significant surplus. For the Democrats and Governor Walz to be calling for higher taxes -- from the 70% gas tax increase to turning back on the sick tax and numerous other tax increases being proposed by House Democrats -- is truly ridiculous. We need to do the job Minnesotans elected us to do and govern within our means. I will continue to push back against these absurd spending increases.

House leader Kurt Daudt held a press conference on Thursday to respond to this latest forecast. He makes the case, one that I agree with, that we need to create a better environment to do business and encourage success, not tax it until it forces people to leave.

Stay in Touch

Please continue to stay in touch to share your thoughts or concerns. My phone number is 651-296-4265 or you can email me at rep.matt.grossell@house.mn.

Have a great weekend and God Bless! Matt

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

CLEARBROOK SITE:
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GONVICK SITE:

Grow It! Greenhouse Basket Parties: March 30 & April 6, 9:00 AM to 12:00 noon.

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Sheriff Report...

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02/25/19 04:55 Alarm
02/27/19 12:55 ASSIST
03/01/19 22:35 Traffic Stop
Long Lost Lake - Total 1
03/02/19 08:32 Suspicious Activity
Minerva - Total 6
02/24/19 14:09 911 Hang Up
02/25/19 09:01 Medical
02/26/19 08:20 Suspicious Activity,
23:39 Disturbance
02/27/19 08:39 Snowmobile
Related
03/01/19 15:40 Traffic Stop
Nora - Total 2
02/27/19 09:38 ASSIST
02/27/19 19:07 Traffic Stop
Popple - Total 6
02/26/19 12:58 Medical
02/27/19 13:34 Suspicious Activity
02/28/19 14:07 Information Only,
18:50 Fire
03/01/19 18:15 911 Hang Up
03/02/19 00:08 Traffic Complaint
Rice - Total 2
02/27/19 15:19 Suspicious Activity
03/02/19 12:05 Traffic Stop
Shewlin - Total 5
02/25/19 05:14 Welfare Check
02/26/19 02:09 Traffic Stop
02/28/19 08:23 Traffic Stop
03/01/19 07:05 Animal Related
03/02/19 01:43 Suspicious Activity
Sinclair - Total 1
02/27/19 18:29 Traffic Complaint
Winsor - Total 2
02/24/19 04:54 Motor Vehicle Crash
03/01/19 09:49 Alarm
Total Records: 82

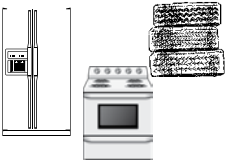
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MAKING BEAR SNOT



Trevor Olson plucking the slime from the borax solution.



Wyatt Pond and Erik Preuss with their slime that is a little sticky but a lot of fund.



Elias Haugen and Alissa Preuss. She said, “we had a small mishap, we think over mixing but an extra kit and we were back in slimy business.”



By Alissa Preuss
Leader-Record
This week I was lucky enough to join Mrs. Faldet's 2nd grade class at Clearbrook-Gonvick to teach a mini lesson during Science. The class has just started a section on matter. The kids know what a solid, liquid and gas are and what makes them so, but what is Bear Snot – aka Slime? Many thought it must surely be a liquid as it takes the shape of a container it is put in, BUT you can pick it up and hold it in your hand squeezing it and it will hold its shape for a moment or two before slowly oozing back to a puddle so perhaps it is a solid? The truth is slime is NEITHER a solid or a liquid! If you ask the second graders they will tell you it is a Non Newtonian Fluid!

To make our Bear Snot we used; School glue, Borax and tap water. We talked about how a chemical reaction will change those items into something completely new. After all you can use glue to make school projects, Borax to wash your clothes and we can drink tap water BUT you can't do any of those

things with Bear Snot! Each student received pre-measured ingredients and tools to make their own batch of slime at their desks, and a container to take it home in and if they had a little extra we put it in the share jar and left it with Mrs. Faldet. The students all enjoyed mixing and learning about slime and playing with it at their desks. If you have a second grader or know

one they also went home with directions to make more Bear Snot. The students asked me back to teach a science class every day, I would love to, their enthusiasm was contagious, listening skills wonderful and direction following skills excellent! It truly was my pleasure. The thank you cards I received, delivered by my own second grader, were icing on the top!



Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

Clearbrook-Gonvick Boys basketball playoffs: The boys play Fosston at Fosston on Thur, March 7 at 7:00 pm

Clearbrook Elevator Association will have their annual meeting on Friday, March 8th, 2019 at the Banquet Room at the Clearbrook Community Center. Meeting will follow the lunch served at noon. Door prizes will be given out.

March 8th will be Donuts with Dad for breakfast at the Clearbrook-Gonvick School and March 22nd will be Muffins with Mom! They will be serving from 7:45-8:30 those mornings. Please look for a note home with your child.

Saturday, March 9 is the monthly fish fry dinner at the Gonvick American Legion.

Reichert Saddlery and Farm Supply will be having their Animal Nutrition Days. Wednesday, March 13 and Saturday March 15 starting at 10:00 a.m. each day.

Don't forget that Daylight Savings time begins in the wee hours of Saturday morning. Now we lose an hour of sleep. If you don't remember you will be an hour early for church.

Snow makeup Day is March 15. Clearbrook-Gonvick School will be in session on Friday, March 15 as a makeup day.

4th Annual Clearbrook Fire Department Daddy Daughter Dance, Saturday, March 16, 2019 at the Clearbrook Community Center.

Register at the Clearbrook City Office

Grand March at 6:00pm — Dance from 6:30-8:30pm

Public welcome to attend grand march

For more information visit

the Clearbrook Minnesota Volunteer Fire Department on Facebook. All proceeds to support the Clearbrook Volunteer Fire Department

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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 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 poodle and a collie are walking together when the poodle suddenly unloads on his friend. "My life is a mess," he says. "My owner is mean, my girlfriend ran away with a schnauzer, and I'm as jittery as a cat."

"Why don't you go see a psychiatrist?" suggests the collie.

"I can't," says the poodle. "I'm not allowed on the couch."

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Mrs. Faldets Clearbrook-Gonvick second grade class mixing the glue into water to dilute it before adding it to the borax and water solution.



Mark Olson show off this cute little girl at the basketball game.



Ten of the Clearbrook High School class of '63 plus some spouses got together for lunch at the K&K's restaurant in Clearbrook Saturday. Those present were Vic & Liz Thomp-

son, Dave Dahlberg, Trygve Berg, Jane Bergerson Moen, Tom & Corrinne Anderson, Larry Paulson, Joyce & Don Metcalf, Sue Voxland, Elwood Nordlund and Sheryl Torgerson.

Wednesday, March 6, 2019