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Four Clearwater County youth developed critical leadership skills during week-long experience in Washington, D.C. Kara Bowman, Annabell Phillips, Tessa Tramm and Izabell Gerbracht.

Local youth learn about civic engagement in Washington D.C.

43 Minnesota youth, including 4 from Clearwater County, attended the 4-H Citizenship Washington Focus (CWF) experience in Washington, DC June 22-29, 2019.

“CWF is a national 4-H experience designed to challenge youth to think about how they can use their voice to create positive, sustainable change in their communities,” said Jacquie Lonning, Civic Engagement & Leadership Director at the University of Minnesota Extension Center for Youth Development.

4-H Citizenship Washington Focus (CWF) is held every summer at the National 4-H Youth Conference Center in Washington, D.C. Through a series of speakers, committee work, field trips and social events, youth explore, develop, and refine skills needed to be an outstanding leader on both a local and national level. CWF participants get a behind-the-scenes look at our nation’s capital, meet members of Congress, hear from motivational speakers, and participate in educational workshops and assemblies that

increase their individual commitment to civic involvement -building skills for a lifetime of success. Through CWF, youth strengthen their communication, leadership, and citizenship skills, and learn about the democratic process and the importance of becoming active and engaged community members.

CWF was truly the experience of a lifetime! In the short amount of time that I was in Washington, D.C., I learned that by working with others, everyone can benefit. You can help your community grow and change in positive ways. Along with how much I learned, I also made so many new friends and experienced so many new things that I will carry with me forever. I am so thankful for this opportunity and would encourage anyone that has a similar chance to take it! – Izabell Gerbracht

All the CWF delegates participated in a Civil Discourse class where we learned and practiced problem solving strategies with people who don’t share your same opinions.

I really enjoyed that class. I also enjoyed meeting and working with 4-Hers from around the nation. – Tessa Tramm

I enjoyed interacting with the youth as we toured Washington DC, it was encouraging to witness the Patriotism in the young citizens. – Sara Tramm

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4-H offers leadership and civic engagement experiences throughout the year. To learn more, visit z.umn.edu/4HLeadership.

Clearbrook-Gonvick School Hires Two New Teachers

By Bonnie Kirchman

The Clearbrook-Gonvick school board approved the hiring of two new teachers for the 2019-2020 school year at the regular meeting held on July 22, 2019. Laura Takunnen will be the new high school English teacher and Hannah Marsh will teach 6th grade for the district. Both are experienced teachers who have worked in nearby school districts. Hannah Marsh will replace Pam Bagaason, who was selected to fill the new K-3 math interventionist position.

Superintendent Jeff Burgess reported that BRIC has hired a teacher for the DCD position. A speech therapist has also been hired for the district. Having a speech therapist on-site will save the school district between \$10,000 and \$15,000 compared to the system that has been used.

Principal Carl Dugstad introduced changes to the handbook. The three changes approved by the board included a statement that PSOE students would not be able to be considered for valedictorian or salutatorian. Another change requires students to provide information on credits completed in other programs to the school two weeks prior to graduation. The final change to the handbook requires that students who would like any variation to graduation dress must submit their request to administration one month in advance of the ceremony.

Justin Maaninga, Senior Project Manager from ICS was present at the meeting to discuss approval of building plans. The bids received put the project overbudget. Maaninga brought up several adjustments to the project to bring the costs back into the budgeted amount. The

board discussed these potential changes, as well as the timing and duration of the project. Maaninga stated that his goal was to present a more finalized plan at the August 19th meeting, with changes presented to the board by August 12th to allow members time to review the adjustments.

The Long-Term Facilities Maintenance Revenue and Long-Term Facilities Maintenance Plan were both approved by the board. According to Jeff Burgess, the Long-Term Facilities Maintenance Plan ensures that school districts’ financial planning allows for funding of major building maintenance issues like roofing or flooring replacement. The current year budgeted amount for this category is approximately \$42,000 and expenditures are coming in at around \$40,000. Flooring replacement in some parts of the school, especially the commons area, is being looked at for the near future. The life of the current roof is expected to extend to around 2026. The roof has been inspected recently and is still in good shape.

The negotiations committee has been meeting with teachers and an overall agreement has been set up. Mr. Dugstad reported that there has been good conversation on points where both teachers and administrators wish to improve. The committee will continue to work with the teachers to fine-tune the language before finalizing contracts.

The transportation committee met with Gerry and Deb Stein, of Stein’s Bus Service, who were present at the meeting. A request for an additional bus route on the south end of the

district for the upcoming school year was discussed. Issues that make bus route planning challenging were brought forward, including accurate prediction of student numbers prior to the start of the school year. The bus route plan must provide a seat for each student on the route, even if that student never rides the bus. The board chose to wait to add the route for now, but will reconsider the addition for the following school year.

Increases to lunch fees for the 2019-2020 school year were approved by the school board. The cost of each lunch was raised by five cents, while milk prices will stay the same. New prices will be \$2.70 for an elementary lunch, \$3.00 for a high school lunch, and \$4.15 for an adult lunch. Breakfast prices will increase to \$1.50 for a student breakfast and \$2.30 for an adult breakfast.

The Q-Comp Report was presented and approved by the board. This report covers professional development and curriculum planning issues the teachers work on during weekly Wednesday meetings. Peer observation, collaboration, and mentoring are among the strategies covered under this plan.

Consent calendar issues including approval of bills presented, approval of electronic transfers, and approval of treasurer’s report were passed by the board. Payments made include \$15,038.60 to Clearwater County Nursing Service, \$10,764.20 to Clearwater-Polk Electric, \$5,118.69 to Stein’s Bus Service, LLC, \$8,185.50 to Marco, \$1,917.58 to Garden Valley Telephone Company, and \$1,048.98 to Community Oil Company.

Which weeds are considered “noxious weeds”

By Dan Hecht, Clearwater County Environmental Services

With our common weeds growing actively this time of year I get a lot of questions about which weeds are considered “noxious weeds” according to the State Noxious Weed Law and how enforcement of the Weed Law works in Clearwater County. Recently, a local town board official asked me if the law allows for township officials to carry out the law the same as the County Ag Inspector would. That’s a really good question that I wish would be asked more often because the answer is yes, they absolutely can!

The Minnesota Noxious Weed Law can be found in MN Statutes, Sections 18.75 thru 18.91. This law designates the supervisors of all town boards and mayors of all cities as local weed inspectors within their respective jurisdictions. For purposes of giving notice to landowners about weed problems and carrying out the enforcement process when necessary, the law gives both local weed inspectors and the County Ag Inspector the exact same authority, all the way from making the initial contact with the landowner through hiring the work done and certifying the cost to the County Auditor. It’s my job as County Ag Inspector,

if a local inspector chooses to carry out this enforcement process, to assist the local inspector to be sure each step of the process is carried out correctly in compliance with the law, and I’m available to do that at a local inspector’s request.

As a matter of fact, the legislature’s intent when crafting the Minnesota Noxious Weed Law was to have all the weed-related activity happen at the township and city level because it’s the most local level of government, where each individual board and council could use their own

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Visiting at United Lutheran were Lynda Harlow, Keith and Marian Evje and Julie Clemenson.



Joan Senger, Rob and Patty Brekke were at the United Lutheran Church Day at Berner.



United Lutheran Church at Berner held their special day with friends, family and members attending from all over. The day held a service with Pastor Kris Snyder and

also in attendance Pastor Eric Midthun who had served the congregation for many years. The meal was catered so that everyone could enjoy the day with visiting and fellowship.

Community Calendar

Notice

Clearwater County Humane Society public/members meeting is Thursday, August 8th at The American Legion in Bagley at 6pm.

We will have a booth at the Kiddie Barn afternoons and evenings during the Clearwater County Fair.

Thank You
Joy Anderson, President
Clearwater County Humane Society

NOTICE

The Greenwood Town board will meet at the town hall on August 8, 2019 at 8:00 pm.

Sheila Horn, Clerk R19C

Law Enforcement Scholarship Program started

Sheriff Darin Halverson of Clearwater County announced today the commencement of the Law Enforcement Scholarship Program for 2018. Sheriff Halverson proudly announced that the MSA Board of Directors has established a scholarship fund for the awarding of up to 15- \$600 scholarships for this year. These scholarships are due to the coordinated efforts of the 87 Sheriffs of the State of Minnesota.

The Members of MSA gives special recognition to the financial needs of students attending

To the Editor

Carol Torgerson asked an important question in the July 17th Leader-Record. Her question is; "Are we a cruel or a humane nation?" Consider the children who have been killed by abortion and then ask the same question. The answer seems obvious to me!

Stan Gray
Clearbrook

July 25, 2019

Letter to the Editor:

Our "incredible President" is still attacking our congresswoman Omar. He now calls her a racist and a troublemaker. The North Carolina crowd that chanted his words "send her back" are incredible patriots according to him.

It is too bad this spoiled rich kid was never in the service. Maybe he would now have respect for others and sense of decency. Can you imagine him saying "yes sir" and "no sir" and taking orders?

Mueller has now testified. Trump attacked Mueller ahead of his testimony. Why? Because Trump had lied when claiming Mueller exonerated him (said he did nothing wrong).

We heard it straight from Mueller "Trump was not exonerated." Of course, now Trump says Mueller did a lousy job.

A lying president who preaches hate and division and a crowd of Republicans who think that's great.

What has happened to liberty and justice for all?

Ed Rasmussen, Navy Veteran WWII



You call that a tractor?

Some call it a tractor, but you won't see too many like this one out in the field pulling a plow. However, you will be able to watch modified tractors like this one at the Red River Valley Pullers Association pull at the Clearwater County Fair. The pull features tractors as well as pickups that have been vastly modified to run with high horsepower to see who can drag the weighted skid the farthest. To witness this event, come to the Clearwater County Fair at 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 2 in the grandstand.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior News

July 16, 2019 meeting
Lloyd Engen brought the meeting to order.

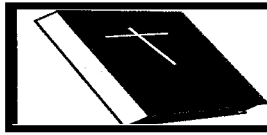
Carol Niewinski read the secretary's report which was approved as read. There will be food, music and games at the Depot on Sun. July 21.

A pancake breakfast is being planned for the senior center. No date has been set. The heavy rains recently have caused leaking in bathrooms.

We are waiting for the roof repair. Bathroom ceilings now need repair. Lloyd has talked to the workers and they will do today or tomorrow. Betty Randklev read the treasurer's report. It was approved as read. Lloyd shared a story.

Carol Niewinski read from "George Washington's Rules of Civility & Decent Behavior in Company and Conversation." Carolyn Rude entertained on her accordion (squash box). Carolyn Rude won the meal ticket drawing. Other winners of door prizes donated by Carol Niewinski were: Beverly Shelquist, Bernice Magnusen, Barb Torgerson, Stanley Hul-teen, Beverly Charles, Carolyn Rude, Joy Parker, Nancy Goudge, Harriet Shellum and Janice Nelson.

Carol Niewinski, Secretary
One of the many ongoing activities at the Center is a puzzle table. Putting puzzles together is a good activity to keep your brain sharp. Don't have time to work a puzzle at the Center? There are many for sale at our craft shop



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

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

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD
Pastor Robert Kirchman
Good Shepherd
Sun., Aug. 4-9:00 am Worship, 10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour.
Mon., Aug. 5-7:00 pm Worship Committee
Tues.-Fri., Aug. 6-9-8:00 am-12:00 noon, VBS
Our Savior's
Sun., Aug. 4-10:30 am Coffee Hour; 11:00 am Worship,

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Clearbrook
Pastor Verlyn Strenge
Assoc. Pastor Jim Galloway
Thurs. Aug. 1-7:00 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer
Sat. Aug. 3-7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sun. Aug. 4-9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Wed., July 31 - Evening Meal - Roast Beef, Potatoes, Scalloped Corn, Pie, Bread and Milk.

Thurs., Aug. 1 - Hamburger Gravy, Potatoes, Beets, Bread, Cake and Milk.

Fri., Aug. 2 - Baked Chicken, Potato Salad, Mixed Vegetables, Bread, Fresh Melon Cubes and Milk.

Mon., Aug. 5 - Meat Loaf, Potatoes, Corn, Rhubarb Sauce, Bread and Milk.

Tues., Aug. 6 - BBQ Bun, Beans, Vegetables, Fruit Crisp and Milk

Wed., Aug. 7 - Chicken Cream Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Dessert Bread and Milk.

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

GONVICK SITE:
Join us at the Clearwater County Fair, July 31-Aug. 4. The CWLC Food Booth will be open with all your past favorites: strawberry-rhubarb slushies, HM chili, & HM pies. Support our local after-school youth program on Friday as the kids staff the booth & raise money for a used van.

Welding Art Class: Coming up Mondays in August, 1:00-2:30 & 6:30-8:00 PM. \$5.00/session. Instructor-Jay Jones. Register at 218-776-2789.

Senior Connection Adult Day Services: Openings for new clients. Provide respite for caregivers. Home-like atmosphere. Professional staff. Licensed facility. Transportation available. Open M-W-F, 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Questions? Call Marilyn at 218-487-5290, Ext. 1.

CLEARBROOK SITE:
Shop-at-the-Top: Summer Clearance Sale thru Sat. Store-wide - 50% off everything! Shop 'til you drop! Hours: M-F, 10:00 to 4:00, and Sat., 10:00 to 12:00
Restore It! Furniture Shop: Clearbrook location only. Check out our selection of used furniture & new handcrafted items. Open 10:00-4:00, M-F & 10:00-12:00 on Saturday. 256 2nd Ave., SW in CWLC-Clearbrook.

www.clearwaterslife.org, www.aduldaysservicesgonvick.org, or www.mustardseedhomes.org and "like" us on Facebook pages.

Hours: Gonvick, 226 Elm St., M-W-F, 10-3; Clearbrook, 256 2nd Ave., SW, Main office open: 8-4, Tues.-Fri.

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Church News

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.

KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Sand Lake Ave & 5th St. Bagley
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Bible Study; 8:00 p.m. Theocratic School; 8:30 p.m. Service Meeting.
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Public Bible Talk; 10:35 a.m. Bible Study.

GONVICK LUTHERAN PARISH
MEMBERS OF NALC
Pastor Kris Snyder
SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH
UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH
Schedule at Samhold:
Wed. July 31 - 8:00 AM Men's Lectionary Bible Study, 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study.
Sun. Aug. 4 - 10:45 AM Worship/Holy Communion
Schedule at United:
Sun. Aug. 4-9:00 AM Worship/Holy Communion

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH Clearbrook
Pastor Adam Krog
Thurs., Aug. 1st - 9:30am Bible Study & Prayer
Sun., Aug. 4th - 9:30 a.m. Worship Service *Communion Sunday

FUTURE EVENTS
Thurs, Aug. 8th - 4pm Mission Friends
Please bring your family to a potluck at the Sandland cabin at Clearwater Lake. If you need a ride, please contact Roxanne at 776-3281 or Marilyn at 776-3571. See you there!
Thurs, Aug. 15th - 5:30pm Ladies Night Out at Patty Thorssen's. Supper is provided.

COUNTRY FAITH CHURCH
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Associate Pastor Jim Binder
Associate Pastor Nathan Nordlund
Youth Pastor Brad Binder
Children's Minister Nicky Ubert
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Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School (Sept - May); 10:00 a.m. Worship Service (dr 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

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
Mt. Olive - Nazareth Oak Park - St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseeth
Sat. Aug. 3: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive.
Sun. Aug. 4: 8:00 a.m. St. Petri.
9:45 a.m. Nazareth. 11:00 a.m. Oak Park.
VBS from Aug. 5 - 7 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
Josiah Hoagland, Pastor
Tyler Stytnberg, Youth Pastor
www.newjourneyfosston.com
Wed, July 31: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.
Sun, Aug. 4: 9:30 a.m. Worship.
Tue, Aug. 6: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions. 10:00 a.m. Quilting. 6:30 p.m. Bible Study.
Wed, Aug. 7: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund
Sand Valley
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Sun, Aug. 4: No Services.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY Fosston
Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor
Sun, Aug. 4: 10:00 a.m. Worship.

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Gonvick Lion JJ Solberg only had 5 more hamburgers to go before he ran out at the rodeo in Gonvick. Below: Albert Grafftaas wears his Lakehead Pipeline hat to the dinner put on by Enbridge. He had been a longtime employee of the pipe line company.



Local tractor, semi and pickup pulls set for Saturday, Aug. 3 at the Fair

You can smell and hear the tractor pull from outside the grandstand. But you have to go into the grandstand to appreciate the roar of engines, and black smoke and flames pouring from stacks during the semi and tractor pull. Those pulls will be the main event at 1 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 3 at the Clearwater County Fair.

But wait! There's still more in store! At 7 p.m. Saturday the pickup pull begins at the grandstand. Here you see drivers with their street legal pickups competing to see who can pull the weighted skid the farthest. The crowd cheers on as they watch their favorite drivers make the attempt.

Local tractor and semi drivers who want to enter the 1 p.m. event need to register at the fairgrounds the day of the

pull between 10 a.m. and noon. Registration for the pickup pull is from 5 to 6:30 p.m. at the fairgrounds.

Eight tractor classes have been established, as follows: 4,500 lbs., 5,500 lbs., 6,500 lbs., 7,500 lbs., 9,500 lbs., 12,500 lbs., 14,500 lbs., and 16,500 lbs.

Semis are all in one class. Six Pickup classes have been established, as follows: 5,500 lbs. 4x4; 6,500 lbs. 2WD Dual Wheel; 6,500 lbs. 4x4; 8,000 lbs.

4x4 Gas; 8,000 lbs. 4x4 Diesel; and 10,000 lbs. 4x4 Diesel.

Entry fee is \$20 for all the pulls and payback is 100 percent. For information or rules, contact Neil Harmon at 218-358-0456.

Fall Sports meeting

Fall Sports Athletics meeting will be on Monday, August 5th at 7:00 pm at the school gym. This is an information meeting for all athletes in grades 7-12 planning on participating in a fall sport - volleyball, cross country, or football.

Clearbrook-Gonvick Bear Football will be starting on Monday, August 12th. Practice for 9-12th grades will start at 6:55 am for the entire week of August 12-16th. For additional information, contact Coach Kroulik or go to www.cgbearfootball.com

STORY TO SHARE!

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



Charps, located in Clearbrook, had a float in the 29th annual Gonvick Lions Rodeo parade. They appreciate the great employees they have working locally and on the road.



The Gonvick-Trail High School Class of 1979 held their 40th class reunion on July 13, during Rodeo Days in Gonvick. After building a float and participating in the Rodeo Days parade, the group met for a barbecue meal at the Mike Johnson farm, just outside of Gonvick. Also attending were a number of former classmates during the 12 years of school, as well as spouses and significant others.

In attendance and pictured from left to right: Mike Rude, Dick Wittenberg, Randy Sundquist, Karen (Horn) Huppert, Brenda Benson, Wendell Klema, Leah (Wagner) Rouland, Jim Clemenson, Mike Johnson, Rocky Eck, Randy Pederson, Laurie (Kruschke) Entwistle, Dean Knutson. Not pictured Scott Fawver. The class would also like to recognize and remember those classmates that are no longer with us: Brenda (Rhoades) Tanski, Monica Eck, Todd Faldet, Arlen Lussier, Russell Nass and Junior Berg.



Class of 1969 at the Gonvick-Trail school held their reunion. Front row left to right: Cole Dyrdahl, Carol Urbaniak Johnson, Margaret Torkelson Larson, Joan Dyrdahl Senger, Karen Sather Halvorson and Valerie Lund Fritz. Back row left to right: Linda Kamrud Rousseau, Harold Watnemo, Stanley Sundquist, Roger Qualley, David Horn, Bobby Danielson, Dennis Clemenson, Rick Steile, Terry Sorenson and Rob Brekke. Flowers in front are in memory of classmate Randy Bakke.

Legal Notice

CLEARBROOK-GONVICK SCHOOL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT #2311

BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING
June 17, 2019 - 7:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Westrum at 7:02 p.m. Declaration of Quorum - Members present: Tom Stenzel, Jeff Westrum, Corey Petterson, Richard Hetland, Tracy Imle. Absent: James Galloway, Kris Snyder. Also present: Superintendent Jeff Burgess, Principal Dugstad, 3 staff members, and 1 community member

1. Town Hall Meeting (Odd Number Months)
4. Community Comments - None

5. Spotlight on Education - None

6. Approval of Agenda - MMS Imle/Hetland to approve agenda as presented. MCU

7. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting - MMS Petterson/Stenzel to approve minutes as presented. MCU

7.1 5/20/19 Regular Meeting

8. Informational Items

8.1 Principal Report - Principal Dugstad discussed the following items:

1) End of Year - Mr. Dugstad thanked the board, staff and community for making his first year a good year.

2) Athletics/Activities - Our track team did well as state. Josiah Hubbard & Danae Stenzel represented us well.

Josiah took 2nd in the hurdles, and Danae took 8th in hurdles. Ethan Dorman qualified for state but was unable to compete. The Trap Club also did well at the state competition.

3) Personnel - We will be interviewing for the English position on Friday, June 21st. We have two applicants

4) Professional Development - We have begun planning with Trident (Amy Mulry). Make-Up days are completed - we worked with our data and MN standards to try to improve instruction. A big focus during the 2 days was collaboration. We are working math and reading standards into our specialists' curriculum.

5) Curriculum Days started today - Teachers will come in for a few days and work on Math. Math numbers went up some this year, we are going to try to keep that trend going.

8.2 Superintendent Report - Mr. Burgess discussed the following items: 1) Educational - ADSIS - We re-applied for ADSIS. We are just waiting to hear if the application was approved with the addition of a K-3 math interventionist was accepted. 2) Building - Cleaning Out Garage/Storage - We have some broken and unused items. We are currently looking at selling the items we do not use. 3) Legislative - Policies - We are getting some of the policies that were passed as part of the budget bill. Two will be the board authority for operating referendums and student accounts. These will be presented later. 4) Financial - Comparison Reports - These are on track. We have some big expenditures and payments at the end of June. 5) Building Project - Project Manager - Ken Anderson, who was our project manager, resigned from ICS. Justin Maaniga has been assigned to our project. Justin is a senior project manager. Communication on this process has been good. Bids are going out in June and our bid day is June 27th. 6) Personnel - We did not get any applications for the DCD opening. BRIC is now advertising for the position.

8.3 Committee Report -

8.3.1 Negotiations - A meeting was held a couple ago. Things are moving along well.

8.3.2 Finance - Budgets gone over & we will attempt to be more exact on the line to line items. This will help give us a better idea of where we stand.

9. Consent Calendar - MMS Stenzel/Hetland to approve Consent Calendar as presented. MCU

9.1 Approval of Bills Presented

Payroll Expense Checks and Checks Written between Board Meetings: 67250 - 67280/Wires

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Check Numbers: 67281 - 67312

Total Payroll/Expense Checks Approved: \$420,752.08

9.2 Approval of Electronic Transfers and Other Banking Transactions

9.3 Approval of Treasurer's Report

10. Old Business

10.1 Room Painting - Supt Burgess discussed the bid that was received for painting a room with supplies and labor. Discussion was held. No motion is required to move forward with painting 3 rooms.

11. New Business

11.1 Resolution Regarding Board Control of Extracurricular Activities - MMS Imle/Hetland to approve resolution to move extracurricular activities to board control. MCU

11.2 Reauthorization of Board Approved Referendum Authority - MMS Imle/Petterson to approve resolution reauthorizing a previously authorized board approved referendum authority. MCU

11.3 Approve Insurance Bids for 2019-2020 - MMS Imle/Stenzel to approve bid from Vaaler Insurance. MCU

11.4 Budget for 2019-2020 - Supt Burgess presented the budget for 2019-2020. MMS Imle/Hetland to approve budget for 2019-2020. Total revenues budgeted \$6,792,099.00, and total expenditures budgeted \$6,756,899.00. MCU

11.5 Hiring of Danielle Derby, Cook - MMS Imle/Stenzel to approve hiring. MCU

12. Action Items for July Meeting

12.1, 12.2, 12.3

13 Adjournment - MMS Imle/Petterson to adjourn at 7:40 p.m. MCU

Next Regular Meeting - July 15, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. R19C

Corrine's Corner by Corrine Richards

Don't forget it starts on Wednesday this week. The 13th annual Clearwater County Fair runs July 31 through Aug. 4. See more information on the front page of the Tri County Canary this week.

Gully is planning a 110th Anniversary of the town the week-end of July 18th, 2020. Area people are encouraged to

start thinking about a float for the parade.

Joke Time...

The owner of a drug store walked into his store one day, only to notice Ole leaning heavily against a wall.

The owner went over to his staff member behind the counter and asked them, "What's wrong with Ole over there by the wall?"

The staff member replied, "Oh him - he came in here this morning to get something for his cough. I couldn't find any cough syrup, so I gave him an entire bottle of laxative instead."

The owner shouted, "You fool! What were you thinking? You can't treat a cough with laxatives!"

The staff member said, "Of course I can. Look at him, he's not coughed once since I gave it to him - he's too scared!"

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

Quick tickets... Does your organization need raffle tickets? Call 218-487-5225 or email richards@gvtel.com your information and we will be glad to help you.

Clearwater County Sheriff

Darin Halverson

Clearwater County Sheriff's Office Weekly Activity

City of Bagley - Total 12

07/21/19 15:18 Medical; 07/22/19 22:44 Suspicious Activity; 07/23/19 01:13 Medical; 07:08 Medical; 07/24/19 00:35 Traffic Stop, 04:32 Traffic Stop, 3:26 Medical; 19:04 Traffic Stop; 07/25/19 21:59 Search Warrant; 07/26/19 00:25 Traffic Stop, 14:06 Medical; 07/27/19 23:49

City of Clearbrook - Total 8

07/21/19 09:00 Medical, 09:39 Welfare Check, 16:42 Fire, 17:53 Disorderly; 07/21/19 21:32 Suspicious Activity; 07/22/19 13:15 Welfare Check; 07/23/19 20:08 Suspicious Activity; 07/25/19 19:22 Welfare Check

City of Gonvick - Total 5

07/24/19 21:12 Vehicle Lock Out; 07/26/19 01:07 Disorderly, 12:26 Animal Related, 20:09 Welfare Check, 21:25 Civil Complaint

City of Shevlin - Total 2

07/22/19 13:22 Suspicious Activity; 07/23/19 19:29 THEFT

Clover - Total 3

07/22/19 20:47 Suicide Related; 07/23/19 17:14 Harassment; 07/25/19 19:50 Welfare Check

Copley - Total 7

07/21/19 07:17 Medical; 07/24/19 10:27 Harassment, 12:17 ASSIST; 07/25/19 19:35 Information Only, 21:56 Welfare Check; 07/26/19 03:05 Traffic Stop; 07/27/19 00:38 Court Order Violation

Dudley - Total 4

07/21/19 01:13 Motor Vehicle Theft, 11:40 Suspicious Activity; 07/27/19 12:53 Animal Related, 13:25 Traffic Stop

Eddy - Total 2

07/23/19 02:12 Assist Other Agency 07/27/19 13:38 Traffic Complaint

Falk - Total 3

07/24/19 15:46 Suspicious Activity 07/25/19 07:29 ASSIST, 10:11 Disturbance

Holst - Total 1

07/25/19 15:35 Traffic Stop

Itasca - Total 1

07/26/19 17:29 Traffic Stop

LaPrairie - Total 1

07/22/19 17:57 ASSIST

LaPrairie N - Total 4

07/21/19 17:32 Disorderly; 07/24/19 18:01 Disturbance; 07/25/19 20:49 Disorderly; 07/27/19 20:22 Motor Vehicle Crash

Leon - Total 6

07/21/19 19:39 Vehicle Lock Out; 07/23/19 07:02 Traffic Stop; 07/24/19 17:37 Traffic Stop; 07/25/19 08:36 Animal Related; 07/26/19 15:55 Animal Related; 07/27/19 17:59 Harassment

Nora - Total 4

07/23/19 01:33 Alarm, 18:33 Fire; 07/24/19 10:36 Crimes Against Family; 07/27/19 19:14 Alarm

Out of Jurisdiction - Total 2

07/22/19 10:51 Transport; 07/27/19 16:41 Transport

Pine Lake - Total 2

07/24/19 00:25 Noise Complaint; 07/24/19 20:11 Noise Complaint

Popple - Total 3

07/21/19 22:36 Civil Complaint; 07/22/19 17:20 Welfare Check; 07/25/19 11:04 THEFT

Rice - Total 4

07/26/19 16:03 Alarm, 16:15 ATV Complaint, 19:51 Vehicle Lock Out, 23:57 Disorderly

Shevlin - Total 3

07/21/19 06:57 Animal Related; 07/22/19 18:21 Medical; 07/27/19 17:35 Animal Related

Sinclair - Total 1

07/26/19 13:42 Animal Related

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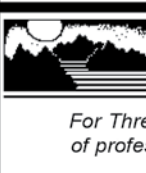
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Butterfly Garden

This Summer the 4-H Shooting Sports and Wildlife Team of Clearwater County has built a Butterfly Garden Habitat at the Clearwater County fairgrounds. We would like to Thank Clearwater County Soil and Water Conservation District for the

plants and W.W. Thompson Concrete for the blocks
Please checkout the Garden at the Clearwater County fairgrounds.
1st picture above
Kayla Johnshoy, Hannah Johnshoy, Elyse Berg, Daniel Rankin, Matthew Rankin,

Peyton Berg
2nd picture below
Daniel Rankin, Bryce Haugen, Isaiah Tramm, Becca Dahl, Bella Dahl, Matthew Rankin, Micah Tramm, Collin Haugen
Photos by Amy M Rankin



Join Us at the Fair & Support Area Youth

Youth Connection, Clear Waters Life Center's after-school program, is raising money for a used 12-passenger van. With participation almost doubling in the 2018-19 school year over the previous year, we recognize the need for another van to help transport students from the C-G school to our facilities. We have currently received \$5000, so we only need \$2000 more to complete that goal at the fair! All of the proceeds on Friday will go toward Youth Connection, which starts up again in September.

Our Youth Connection kids will be staffing our Clear Waters Life Center food booth at

the Clearwater County Fair on Friday, August 2. The food booth will be open from 4:00 PM to 11:00 PM, serving our signature Strawberry-Rhubarb Slushies with cream and Brenda's homemade chili which you can have almost any way you like: as a chili dog, in a bowl, over nachos or baked potato. To top off your meal, or just for a snack, there will be homemade pies freshly baked daily by the ladies from area churches. Also, we are bringing back "Taco in a Box"! Please consider supporting our area youth with a visit to the Clear Waters Life Center Food



Booth on Friday. Any contributions, in addition to the sale of food and beverages, will be very much appreciated. We are located right next to the 4-H building!

Clearwater County Fair Calendar winners
July 20 - Julie Walker, Aurora, SD, \$20
July 21 - Kathy Broman, Willmar, MN, \$20
July 22 - Neil Illies, Bagley, \$20
July 23 - Michael Okstad, Gonvick, \$20
July 24 - Jim Dauner, Solway, \$20
July 25 - Lowell & Edith Learn, Leonard, \$20
July 26 - Ken Haugen, Foss-ton, \$20



Wade Klema and Marilyn Sundquist at the Berner Day.



Checking out an old photo from the area at the United Lutheran Church reunion at Berner were from left to right: Jim Sundquist, Nancy and Darren Sundquist and Travis Sundquist.



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