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Remembering Veterans

On Wednesday, November 11, 2020, the United States will celebrate Veteran's Day.

This holiday is dedicated to all Veterans that have honorably served in the United States military, both in wartime and peacetime. In fact, Veterans Day is largely intended to thank the living veterans for their service, to acknowledge that their contribution to our national security is appreciated, and to recognize the fact that all those who served, not only those who have died, have sacrificed and done their duty to keep America free.

The Clearwater County Veterans Memorial is not only dedicated to the Clearwater County Veterans that have died in the service to their country, but also honor those Veterans that have served, and are presently serving the United States. The Veterans that died in service to their country during wartime are honored on the Memorial's black marble monuments. The Veterans that have served and are serving the United States are honored with the etched field stones that have been placed at the Memorial. Presently, approximately 760 Veterans are honored with the etched field stones.

On the Saturday, September 5, 2020, there was a motorcycle ride, the "RIDE FOR STONES"; that also honors the Veterans of Clearwater County. This motorcycle ride was originated by, and continues to be promoted by, both Jeff Schermerhorn, Bagley, MN; a Vietnam Era Veteran, and Neal Illies, Bagley resident. The 2020 ride raised approximately \$10,000 in donations. These donations were donated to the Clearwater County Veterans Memorial to provide 54 etched field stones honoring Clearwater County Veterans.

The Clearwater County Veterans Memorial randomly selected 54 names from the combined list of Veteran's names that are read at Memorial Day Ceremonies at Rice Lake, Bagley, Clearbrook and Gonvick (this list is comprised of the names of approximately 1875 deceased Veterans from the Spanish American War to the present).

The 54 Clearwater County Veterans randomly selected in 2020 are as follows:

ALBERT JUVE - US Army Veteran that served during World War I and is buried in the Elm Cemetery, Pine Lake Township, Clearwater County, MN. Albert Juve was a resident of the Clearbrook area.

AL WASSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War II and is buried in the Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Hennepin County, MN. Al Wasson was a resident the Clearbrook area.

ELIAS THOMPSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War II and is buried in the St. Phillips Episcopal Cemetery, Rice Lake Community, Clearwater County, MN. Elias Thompson was a resident of the Rice Lake Community area.

GEORGE "PORGIE" AUGINAUSH - US Army Veteran that served during the Korean Conflict, and is buried in St. Philips Episcopal Cemetery, Rice Lake Community, Clearwater County, MN. George "Porgie" Auginaush was a resident of the Rice Lake Community area.

FORREST WALLIN - US Air Force Veteran that served during the 1958 to the early Vietnam Era. Forrest Wallin was a resident of the Alida/Sell Lake area.

ROY THOMPSON - US Air Force Veteran that served during the Korean Conflict and is buried in the St. John's Lutheran Cemetery, Polk County, MN. Roy Thompson was a Gonvick resident.

DALE LOREN FULTZ - US Air Force Veteran that served during 1955-1958, and is buried

in the Minerva Township Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Dale Loren Fultz was a resident of the Bagley area.

RUSSEL SANDER - US Army Veteran that served during the Korean Conflict, and is buried in the Our Saviors Cemetery, Popple Township, Clearwater County, MN. Russel Sander was a resident of the Bagley area.

DAVID GARDNER - US Navy Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the St. Josephs Cemetery, Bagley, Clearwater County, MN. David Gardiner was a resident of the Bagley area.

FRED H. HLUBECK - US Army Veteran that served during World War I and is buried in the Rice Free Lutheran Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Fred H. Hlubeck was a resident of the Zerkel area.

ANDY GODWIN - US Air Force Veteran that served in the post Viet Nam Era, and is buried in the Nora Township Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Andy Godwin was a resident of the Bagley area.

CHARLES CHANCY HEATH - US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Charles Chancy Heath was a resident of the Bagley area.

HARTVIG EMANUEL BERG - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Hennepin County, MN. Hartvig Emanuel Berg was a native of the Clearbrook area.

DR. CLARENCE VICTOR SWANSON - US Marine Corps Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the San Francisco, CA area. Dr. C. V. Swanson was a dentist in the Bagley area at one time.

ROBERT L. ANDERSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Robert L. Anderson was a resident of the Bagley area.

ORVILLE NELSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Emmanuel Lutheran Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Orville Nelson was a resident of the Clearbrook area.

TED GULLINGSRUD - US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Ted Gullingsrud was a resident of Bagley area.

LOREN FREDENBURG - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Moose Creek Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Loren Fredenburg was a resident of the Moose Creek/Alida area.

BOB KLASSE - US Marine Corps Veteran that served during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Our Saviors Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Bob Klasse was a resident of the Bagley area.

ARTHUR GOHL - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the St. Josephs Cemetery of the Brothers, Notre Dame, IN. Arthur Gohl was a native of the Bagley area.

DUANE W. BERGESON - US Army Air Corps Veteran that served during Korean Conflict, and is buried in the Silver Creek Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Duane W. Bergeson was a resident of the Clearbrook area.

GUY OLSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Dunbar, Iowa area. Guy Olson was a resident of the Bagley area.

WALTER GRUNDE NELSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Zion Lutheran Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Walter Grunde Nelson was a resident of the Bagley/Clearbrook area.

TOM JACKSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery, Bemidji, MN. Tom Jackson was a resident of Bagley area.

FRANCES L. O'SHEA - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the St. Josephs Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Frances L. O'Shea was a resident of the Bagley area.

GALE "RED" TEIGLAND - US Army Veteran that served during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Shevlin/Moose Creek Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Gale "Red" Teigland was a resident of the Moose Creek Township area.

E. ALVIN HIGHERG - US Merchant Marines Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Alvin Highberg was a resident of the Bagley area.

MARLOW HORN - US Army Veteran that served during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Samhold Lutheran Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Marlow Horn was a resident of the Gonvick area.

EMIL ANDERSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Seljord Lutheran Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Emil Anderson was a resident of the Clearbrook/Clearwater Lake area.

RICK MARTIN - US Army Veteran that served during the Post Vietnam era, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Rick Martin was a resident of the Bagley/Shevlin area.

STANLEY CLAYTON OLSON - US Army Veteran that served during the Korean Conflict Era, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Bagley, MN. Stanley Clayton Olson was a resident of the Bagley area.

ROY JOHNSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Roy Johnson was a resident of the Bagley area.

SELMER T. HALVORSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Nazareth Cemetery, Pennington County, MN. Selmer T. Johnson was a resident of the Gonvick/Gully area.

WILBURN BORENE - US Navy Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Augustana Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Wilburn Borene was a resident of the Clearbrook/Pine Lake area.

WALTER "BILL" LARSON - US Navy Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Walter "Bill" Larson was a resident of the Bagley area.

ORVILLE SORENSEN - US Air Force Veteran that served during Korean Conflict and the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Orville Sorensen was a native of the Bagley area.

THORTON J. TAYLOR - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Clearwater Lutheran Cemetery US, Clearwater County, MN. Thorton J. Taylor was a resident of the Shevlin area.

CLARENCE HELLAND - US Army Air Corps Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Hennepin County, MN. Clarence Helland was a resident of the Gonvick area.

ENGVAL ALVIN NELSON - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Evergreen Cemetery, Koochiching County, MN. Engval Nelson was a resident of the Bagley/Clearbrook area.

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Whitney Pittman loves to make music, and you can 'see her on the radio'

By Karen Edelbach
Whitney Pittman has often graced the stages around Bagley to bring her country-gospel style music to the community. It all started with a little help from her dad, Winfield, when she was still in high school.

"He came home from one of the teacher conferences and said the music teacher, Gini Block, told him Whitney carried the alto section in the choir. He was very excited about it!" says Whitney.

"You sing?" he asked. And soon he was encouraging her, against her wishes at the time, to come to the Cowboy Church and just try singing with their group. She gave in and spent time singing with Kelly Julin, Jim Fultz, Frank Wynkoop, and Doug after which Kelly said, "You're in the band if you want to be."

"That's how I got my start singing. From then I've sung with the Snowmen, Danny and Rick Grimsley, John Dow, and David Sand at the Veteran's Program in February the last three years, and hope that will be able to happen again.

"I sang the National Anthem for the 2013 Minnesota Rodeo Association State Finals in Bemidji. That is where my dad first heard me sing, which led to his graduation gift - a guitar. Once I was asked to sing the Anthem for the Auctioneer's Contest at the Auction Barn near Bagley, and got to watch the contest. By being willing to do that, I was able to experience something new. It was awesome."

Whitney has gotten new opportunities by being willing to walk through the doors that open to her. When an opportunity presents itself she will try it.

Whitney is a 2013 graduate of Bagley High School where she took advanced placement classes, after which she studied journalism at Iowa State University. She holds degrees in both journalism and mass communication, never suspecting she would end up at KRJB Broadcasting in Ada, Minnesota. Besides that she minored



Whitney Pittman works at R & J Broadcasting in Ada doing the Ag Show each Wednesday and feels very blessed. "I work in journalism everyday, the field I went to school for. I talk to farmers everyday. I grew up with radio - then it was Paul Harvey in the morning. Now it is the Miller Minute and Tom Lano."

in Ag business and animal science to support her interest for working with cattle and horses.

Her dad was being interviewed by Tom Lano in Fosston at the affiliate radio station KKCQ and he asked her to go along. Tom asked Whitney what she was doing at Iowa State, and what she wanted to do.

"I think I'd like to do what you're doing!" was her reply. That got her the opportunity for a summer internship in 2014 at KKCQ, during which she recorded ads, covered the fairs and interviewed 4-H members. She had been a 4-H member herself growing up.

"I was obsessed with horses, chickens and rabbits, and also did dress review. I still love animals," she says.

"The 4-H members got nervous when I interviewed them, but it is an important life skill to be able to learn to express yourself and to talk to others," Whitney says.



L-R Members of the Kelly Julin Band, Whitney Pittman, Jim Fultz and Doug Kroenmiller at Beltrami County Fair.

Sanford Bemidji & Bagley Medical Centers implement visitor restrictions

Due to the recent, sustained increase in COVID-19 cases within the Bemidji-area community, Sanford Bemidji Medical Center and Sanford Bagley Medical Center are implementing new visitor restrictions.

Sanford is enacting these guidelines in order to protect patients and employees from potentially catching and spreading the illness. Visiting hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Effective 8 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 7, Sanford Bemidji and Sanford Bagley hospitals will put in place the following restrictions for all visitors, including staff members and their families:

- Only one visitor is allowed per patient per day.
- Patient visitors are limited to clergy and immediate family members, including:
 - Spouse or significant other
 - Parent or grandparent
 - In-laws
 - Sibling
 - Children (5 years and older)
- This new restriction does not apply to the following:
 - Designated COVID-19 units—no visitors.
 - Pediatric hospital patients

will be allowed two parent/guardian visitors per day, 15 years and older.

• Special Care Nursery patients will be allowed their mother and one additional adult visitor, 15 years and older, per patient per day.

• End of life visitors will be determined on a case-by-case basis.

• End of life COVID-19 patient: One pre-determined visitor allowed daily. Visitor must follow protective measures including masking and self-quarantine for 14 days following visit.

All visitors must be screened for symptoms of COVID-19 and have their temperature taken upon entry to the facility in accordance with current CDC and Minnesota Department of Health guidelines.

All visitors, including children, must wear a surgical or cloth mask at all times while visiting the hospital in compliance with the City of Bemidji and Minnesota mask mandates. If a visitor refuses to comply, they may not be permitted to visit.

Anyone who is not feeling well, has recently had a known exposure to someone confirmed to have COVID-19, has a pending COVID-19 test or has been confirmed to have COVID-19 within the last 14 days, should not visit anyone in a hospital. A known exposure is defined as being within six feet of someone who is confirmed to have COVID-19 for 15 minutes or more without wearing a mask.

If you have COVID-19 symptoms or a recent known exposure, please call your regular health care provider or a Sanford healthcare provider at (218) 333-5000—do not come in-person to the clinic in order to protect staff and other patients.

COVID-19 symptoms include fever of 100.4°F, chills, sore throat or cough, new onset of shortness of breath, new onset of loss of taste and smell, new onset of muscle pain, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea, new headache or excessive fatigue or congestion or runny nose.

For more information regarding COVID-19 and care with Sanford Health, go to www.sanfordhealth.org.

Community Calendar

Elim Mission Friends meeting

All ladies are welcome to attend the Elim Mission Friends meeting on Thursday, November 12th at 2:30 PM at the church. Marla Johnson will share the devotions and Mary Jo Jackson will give the meditation.

Hostesses are Roxanne Engebretson and Shannon Engebretson. Reminder to bring any items if you have suitable for packing the Operation Christmas Child boxes after the meeting.

Clearbrook Legion Post 256 Membership Meal

On Wednesday, the 11th of November, 2020, there will be an American Legion Post 256 membership meal.

A take-out meatball supper will be provided for all Clearbrook Post 256 Legion/Auxiliary members, renewing members and new members. The take-out

supper is offered between 4-5pm, with a general meeting for Post 256 business beginning at 5pm. A facial mask is required for meal pickup, social distancing will be observed. Clearbrook Post 256 members will be available for renewal and the processing of new memberships.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Wed., Nov. 11 - Egg Salad & Tomato Soup.
Thurs., Nov. 12 - Baked Herbed Fish.

Fri., Nov. 13 - Sweet & Sour Meatballs.

Mon., Nov. 16 - Honey Mustard Chicken.

Tues., Nov. 17 - Ham-burger.

Wed., Nov. 18 - Chicken & Noodles.

Included with meal: Vegetable, Bread, Milk, Dessert or Fruit.

Please register for meals at least the day before. Call 776-3154 to sign up.

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.

The New Science teacher at Oklee is Paul Nelson



By Leilah Van Dam and Shyla Styles

Mr. Paul Nelson is the new science teacher at Red Lake County Central High School in Oklee. He lives in Clearbrook, with his wife, Rachel who works as a DCD para. They have two sons Ty and Levi.

Mr. Nelson has brought great enthusiasm into the building and when asked why he decided to become a teacher he said, "Sometimes when you find out your gifts, you can find out what suits you and what charges you. What I mean by charging you is, when what you are doing doesn't drain you but energizes you. That's the trick, find what charges you! Granted you will have good days and bad days, in whatever you do."

Mr. Nelson attended the University Of Minnesota, in Crookston. Later, he transferred to Bemidji State University. GO BEAVERS!!!!!!

He jokingly says his favorite hobby is "TORMENTING STUDENTS with quizzes, tests, and taking away their cell phones!" However, he enjoys sports, hunting, fishing, and placing concrete.

Mr. Nelson has subbed in both Bagley and Clearbrook Gonvick schools with some long

term positions between both schools.

Mr. Nelson has many thoughts on the meaning of what it means to be a good teacher. He says that there are so many patterns and behaviors that are modeled and learned in school besides the curriculum. Students need to be taught how to be prepared, how to be kind, how to go the extra mile, and many other life lessons. He emphasized, "As a former business owner and a foreman, I see these things translate into the workforce. Especially not being on time or prepared!"

His advice to students is to take the little things seriously and to be faithful with good learning habits. He added, "Trust me it makes a huge difference, especially when it comes to pay increases or keeping a job."

To be successful in Mr. Nelson's class, students need to be prepared for class, get their work done, own their mistakes, learn from them, correct them, and move forward! Students Come with a positive attitude, come willing to learn and to give him their best!!

Mr. Nelson added, "To be honest, every student should want to succeed in every class! That is part of being faithful with the small things. I look at success a bit different, don't get me wrong grades do matter, especially passing grades. But I view success down the road, I am not talking about how much money you will make in the future (although that helps a lot), what I am talking about it is how you treat others, are you kind courteous, are you respectful, are you being honest and faithful with the little things and the big things, trustworthy are you looking out for others and are you real."

Public Notice

The solid waste collection site along County Road 7 north of Pine Lake has been CLOSED. All of the remaining sites in Clearwater County are open to all Clearwater County residents. Please contact Clearwater County Environmental Services at 694-6183 for alternate site locations. Thank you. R33-35C

Report from county nursing

Good Afternoon,
As you can see we have another uptick.

Case Age ranges for the last 14 days 10/23/20 to 11/5/20:
Age 0-9=0
Age 10-19=9
Age 20-29=16
Age 40-49=6
Age 50-59=12
Age 60-69=20
Age 70-79=9
Age 80 and up=13
Please see below for a news brief from MDH.

Minnesota Department of Health
November 4, 2020
Minnesota News and Outreach

Yesterday (November 4, 2020) we reported the highest daily number of new COVID-19 cases in Minnesota to date. COVID-19 is spreading in every community at an all-time high. It is not just big events that cause this incredibly high level of community spread. These types of scenarios are also driving the spread: happy hours with a few friends, brunch with family members who live in other households, gatherings in your backyard, weddings and other ceremonies, etc.

People get exposed to COVID-19 when they are out and about from people who don't know they have it. This silent spread gets into our schools, long-term care facilities, and hospitals. If our health professionals and other critical workers can't avoid the virus outside of work, then they can't be at work taking care of people or providing essential services.

The good news is that we can do something about this. We all need to be asking ourselves what we are going to do to change our behavior today to slow the spread of COVID-19. Do your part to keep hospital beds available, keep doctors and nurses on the job, and schools: wear a mask, wash your hands often, stay 6 feet from others, avoid large gatherings, get tested, and always stay home if you are sick.

Protect Yourself & Others: COVID-19

Thanks and take care!
Marissa Hetland RN/BSN/PHN

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I would like to thank you for your vote in the recent election. It is a privilege to serve you as your commissioner. I will honor your vote by representing you to the best of my ability.

Thank you,
John A. Nelson

Church News

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
Mt. Olive - Nazareth
Oak Park - St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseth
Wed, Nov. 11: 5 p.m. Wednesday School.

Sat, Nov. 14: Mt. Olive: 9:00 a.m.
Sun, Nov. 15: St. Petri: 8:00 a.m.
Worship. 9:15 a.m. SS; Oak Park: 8:30 a.m. SS. 9:45 a.m. Worship; Nazareth: 10:00 a.m. SS. 11:00 a.m. Worship.

Wed, Nov. 18: 5 p.m. Wednesday School.

Find services and past sermons at www.facebook.com/clearwaterlutheranparish

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD
Pastor Robert Kirchman
Good Shepherd
Wed., No. 11 - 5:45pm Confirmation - ZOOM.
Sun., Nov. 15- 9:00am Worship Service/Communion; 10:00am Virtual Sunday School.
Our Savior's
Sun., Nov. 15 - 11:00am Worship Service/First Communion.

Ad deadline: Noon Friday

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

Celebrate Recovery Support Group: Women's & men's small groups. Faith-based to find true freedom from your hurts, habits, & hang-ups. Thurs., 7:00 PM, CWLC-Clearbrook, 256 2nd Ave., SW, Second Floor.

Transportation Service for Clearwater County residents, 60 & over. Call Karen 24 hours in advance at 218-776-2223 or 218-637-0509 to schedule your ride.

Restore It! Furniture Shop & Shop-At-The-Top in Clearbrook. New items added daily. Excellent prices!!!Open 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Mon.-Fri., & 10:00 AM to 12:00 noon on Saturday.

Santa Claus Day: Sat., Dec. 5, 9:30 - 12:00 in CWLC-Gonvick. FREE for all ages of youth accompanied by an adult. Craft project gifts, created & wrapped. COVID-19 protocols in place. Movie & popcorn while you wait your turn!

Youth Connection: Tuesdays, 3:30-5:00, for students, grades 5th-8th. COVID protocols in place. Forms available at www.clearwaterslife.org, C-G school or at CWLC office.

Connection Mondays: Activities for older adults at CWLC-Gonvick. Senior exercises, 10:00-10:30; pickleball, 10:00-11:30; coffee & board/card games in the Coffee Coop. Light lunch by free will donation served at noon.

Adult Education: Tues., 6:00-8:00 PM & Wed., 12:30-3:00 PM. Individualized instruction is free, but \$20.00 to help cover the cost of books & supplies. Please call before coming. Contact Sherry at 218-776-2789 or shjelle@nwservice.org.

Office Hours: Clearbrook, 256 2nd Ave., SW., office hours: 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Tuesday-Friday

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Pastor Verlyn Streng
Wed. Nov. 11, 6:30 p.m. Awana
Thurs. Nov. 5, 7:00 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer
Sat. Nov. 14, 7:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship
Sun. Nov. 15, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
Josiah Hoagland, Pastor
Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor
www.newjourneyfosston.com
Wed, Nov. 11: 6:25 p.m. AWANA.
6:30 p.m. Youth Group.
Sun, Nov. 15: 9:30 a.m. Worship.
10:45 a.m. Sunday School.
Tue, Nov. 17: 10:00 a.m. Quilt-ing.
Wed, Nov. 18: 6:25 p.m. AWANA.
6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund
Sand Valley
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Sun, Nov. 15: 9:00 a.m. Lund, 10:30 a.m. Bethany.
1:00 p.m. Confirmation grades 7th.
CDC safety guidelines for COVID-19 will be followed.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY
Fosston
Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. Radio service continues on 96.7FM
10:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service. And on Facebook Live as well, Sunday at 10AM.

SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH - NALC
Samhold Lutheran Church is having services every Sunday at 10:30am. Also, Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30am.

UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH
Pastor Kris Snyder
8 miles North of Gonvick on County Rd 7
Sunday Church Services 9:00am
Sunday School 10:00am

COUNTRY FAITH CHURCH
1 mile south of Clearbrook, 2 miles west on Cty. Rd. 6
Senior Pastor Larry Dorman
Associate Pastor Nathan Nordlund
Youth Pastor Brad Binder
Children's Minister Nicky Ubert
www.countryfaith.org
218-776-3367
office@countryfaith.org
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Elevate Youth - 7pm Most Sundays
Men's Prayer - 6:30am Tuesdays

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Holiday Give Away

Charps, LLC will be giving away turkeys at our office in Clearbrook on Thursday, November 19, 2020 from 10:00 until noon (or until gone.)

Turkeys will be given away on a first come, first served basis - 1 per household
Please remain in your vehicle, we will bring a turkey to you!
All staff will be wearing masks!

Happy Thanksgiving!

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TIMOTHY JOHN PHILLIPS –US Army Veteran that served during the post-Vietnam Era. Timothy John Phillips was a resident of the Leonard/Shevlin area.

HERMAN CHRISTIANSON –US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Herman Christianson was a resident of the Bagley area.

THOMAS DAVIDS –US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Thomas Davids was a resident of the Bagley area.

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PETER BJORNEBY –US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Peter Bjorneby was a resident of the Bagley area.



Board meetings scheduled

The Clearbrook-Gonvick School District will hold the following board meetings in November

Monday, November 9, 2020 - Special Board Meeting

Monday, November 23, 2020 – Regular Board Meeting (This meeting was originally scheduled for Monday, November 16, 2020)

Clearbrook-Gonvick High School Athletic Schedule Update

Here are some changes to the athletic schedule that have been made the past few days.

11/5 C,JV,Var. VB w/ CL-B- Cancelled

11/5 JH VB @ CL-B- Cancelled

11/5 JH FB @ Bagley- Cancelled

11/6 Var. FB w/WEM- Cancelled

11/10 C,JV,Var. VB w/ N/K- Cancelled

11/10 JH VB @ Northome- Cancelled

11/10 JH FB w/ Blackduck- Cancelled

11/12 C,JV, Var. VB @ RLCC(Oklee)- Cancelled

11/12 JH VB w/RLCC- Cancelled

11/13 Var. FB @ Laporte- Cancelled



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



The Clearbrook-Gonvick High School Graphic Design students designed Health and Safety posters regarding precautions to take during the COVID pandemic. Students used Google Drawings, learning how to maneuver this program while making a poster that visually communicates the intent of the designer.



Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Peter Bjorneby was a resident of the Bagley area.

SIDNEY CHURNES –US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Clearwater Cemetery (Greenwood Township), Clearwater County, MN. Sidney Churness was a resident of the Clearbrook area.

DONALD ELMER HOLM –US Marine Corps Veteran that served during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Oak Park Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Donald Elmer Holm was a resident of the Clearbrook/Pine Lake area.

THEODORE “CHICK” THOMPSON –US Army Veteran that served during the Korean Conflict, and is buried in the Samuel Cemetery, Mahnomen County, MN. Theodore “Chick” Thompson was a resident of the Rice Lake Community area.

LARRY TOLLEFSON –US Army Veteran that served during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the St. Peter Lutheran Cemetery, Polk County, MN. Larry Tollefson was a resident of the Bagley area.

JOHN HAMMER –US Navy Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. John Hammer was a resident of the Bagley/Leonard area.

WALTER ARNOLD GUNNING –US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Walter Arnold Gunning was a resident of the Clearbrook/Clearwater Lake area.

ROGER “TERRY” ALTHOFF –US Army Veteran that served during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Clearwater Cemetery (Greenwood Township), Clearwater County, MN. Roger “Terry” Althoff was a resident of the Clearbrook area.

ERNEST HORN –US Army Veteran that served during the Korean Conflict, and is buried in the St. Peter Lutheran Cemetery, Polk County, MN. Ernest Horn was a resident of the Gonvick/Berner area.

Pittman.....Continued from front page

This year listeners had chances to win \$8,000 in products and services.

But she still yearns for home, and many a weekend will find her on the farm helping her dad where she grew up north of Shevlin. They were haying, and weaning calves this week.

"Whitney is a great teacher," her friend Adam Visser from Ada says. "She has a lot of patience to work with the animals, and people."

"I didn't grow up with the Western heritage Whitney has, watching the cattle come in," he says. "Her dad asked me if I'd like to help and learn to work with the cattle, which I am doing. They are a good family."

Whitney says it is a Western culture because her parents met in Wyoming, where they were from, while team roping. Her dad was a bull rider in the rodeo. So Whitney was born

into that culture. She learned to break horses, too, and helped area resident Clare Young with some of hers.

Whitney's mom Judy passed away in 2008. She has two sisters, Stacy (Zach) Peterson and Amy (Jack) Smith.

Whitney recently returned from the Crop Insurance Professionals Association meeting in West Virginia with Don Wick, president of Red River Farm Network, a yearly recap regarding legislation, crop insurance, and the farm bill. The meeting was live streamed on yourliveevent.com. R & J also live streams the local sports, everyday farm reports, and the Big Iron Farm Show speakers and seminars from Fargo in September.

Whitney's goals include continuing in her journalism career and keep thriving. "I want to

help to make R & J grow and continue making radio relevant. I'd like to continue to make music too. There is so much talent here. It's fun, and I love to do the local stuff.

"At some point I'd like to own some of my own cattle. I've lived a lot of life in my seven years since high school and experienced a lot by taking advantage of the opportunities I've had."

"I got very lucky to be working in the field I went to school for," says Whitney. "I work in journalism everyday. I talk to farmers everyday. Not many of the Millennials I know are in the field they went to school for. I am very blessed."

"I grew up with radio," Whitney reflects. "At 7:30 in the morning, Paul Harvey was on. And if I heard that, I knew I was late for the school bus! Today, it's the Miller Minute .

Clearwater County Sheriff Darin Halverson

Bear Creek - Total 1

11/07/20 15:37 Traffic Stop 04 - Citation Issued (Verbal Or Written)

City of Bagley - Total 23

11/01/20 22:14 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

11/02/20 06:50 Medical

11/02/20 11:16 Warrant Arrest

11/03/20 02:35 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

11/03/20 14:02 Civil Complaint

11/03/20 20:11 Traffic Complaint

11/04/20 10:23 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

11/04/20 13:15 Court Order Violation- Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/04/20 13:41 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

11/05/20 03:19 Traffic Stop

11/05/20 03:40 Traffic Stop

11/05/20 07:40 Traffic Stop

11/05/20 08:29 Medical 43 - Patient Treated, Released

11/05/20 13:42 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

11/06/20 08:12 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

11/06/20 09:21 911 Hang Up

11/06/20 09:47 Property Damage

11/06/20 10:59 Traffic Stop

11/06/20 16:27 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

11/07/20 07:41 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

11/07/20 20:02 Assist Other Agency - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/07/20 22:50 Traffic Stop

City of Clearbrook - Total 2

11/01/20 21:39 911 Hang Up

11/02/20 19:02 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

City of Gonvick - Total 1

11/03/20 01:00 Alarm

City of Shevlin - Total 3

11/02/20 11:41 Information Only

11/03/20 17:54 CIVIL PROCESS - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/05/20 20:16 Suspicious Activity

Clover - Total 1

11/06/20 06:21 Alarm - Handled By Officer / Deputy

Copley - Total 6

11/01/20 06:10 911 Hang Up

11/01/20 13:49 Information Only

11/01/20 18:41 Traffic Stop

11/02/20 14:11 Property Damage

11/04/20 10:13 Lost/Found

Property - Assignment Completed/ Settled by Phone

11/07/20 09:10 Suspicious Activity

Dudley - Total 2

11/02/20 19:42 Fire 17 - False Alarm

11/03/20 17:12 Medical

Eddy - Total 5

11/04/20 18:00 Animal Related

11/04/20 18:05 Animal Related

11/06/20 12:24 Fraud - Handled By

Officer / Deputy

Falk - Total 4

11/02/20 20:53 Disturbance

11/04/20 14:15 Animal Related

11/04/20 19:39 Fire - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/05/20 13:30 Lost/Found

Property- Handled By Officer / Deputy

Holst - Total 4

11/02/20 09:31 Vandalism

11/04/20 21:34 Traffic Stop

11/05/20 22:45 Suspicious Activity - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/07/20 11:32 Disturbance

Itasca - Total 1

11/07/20 06:36 Traffic Stop

LaPraire - Total 2

11/03/20 12:49 Trespass O - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/07/20 10:58 THEFT

LaPraire N - Total 6

11/02/20 14:12 CIVIL PROCESS

11/02/20 22:13 Suspicious Activity

11/03/20 03:05 Alarm

11/05/20 11:43 Animal Related

11/06/20 12:12 Harassment

Leon - Total 5

11/02/20 03:25 Traffic Stop 04 - Citation Issued (Verbal Or Written)

11/02/20 10:05 THEFT

11/02/20 13:31 Information Only

11/05/20 13:09 Vehicle Lock Out

11/05/20 23:18 Traffic Stop 04 - Citation Issued (Verbal Or Written)

Minerva - Total 4

11/02/20 20:21 Suspicious Activity

11/05/20 17:33 Suspicious Activity

11/05/20 17:39 Animal Related

14 - Gone On Arrival (GOA)/Unable to Locate

11/06/20 19:40 Traffic Stop

Moose Creek - Total 1

11/07/20 15:26 Traffic Stop

Nora - Total 7

11/02/20 16:24 Suspicious Activity

11/03/20 13:32 Information Only

11/05/20 19:41 Traffic Stop

11/06/20 15:29 Traffic Stop

11/06/20 19:21 Traffic Stop

11/07/20 12:30 Juvenile Misc - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/07/20 16:16 Threats - Handled By Officer / Deputy

Pine Lake - Total 5

11/01/20 20:08 Traffic Stop

11/03/20 15:24 THEFT

11/04/20 19:30 Animal Related

11/06/20 09:21 Crimes Against Family - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/07/20 18:11 Traffic Stop

Popple - Total 5

11/02/20 08:19 Harassment 01 - Report Taken

11/04/20 14:33 Traffic Stop

11/04/20 18:49 Animal Related

11/05/20 10:18 Vehicle Lock Out

11/07/20 09:50 911 Hang Up O

Rice - Total 6

11/02/20 00:03 Traffic Stop 04 - Citation Issued (Verbal Or Written)

11/03/20 15:11 Trespass

11/04/20 17:18 Welfare Check

11/05/20 10:11 Information Only by Phone

11/06/20 13:42 Fire - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/07/20 20:22 911 Hang Up

Shevlin - Total 13

11/01/20 06:52 Motor Vehicle Crash - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/01/20 07:29 Death - Assignment Completed/Settled by Phone

11/01/20 10:27 Traffic Stop

11/02/20 02:01 911 Hang Up - Gone On Arrival (GOA)/Unable to Locate

11/02/20 07:30 Animal Related

11/02/20 14:45 CIVIL PROCESS

11/04/20 17:54 Animal Related

11/05/20 17:13 Traffic Complaint

11/06/20 02:06 Traffic Stop

11/06/20 09:28 Crimes Against Family - Handled By Officer / Deputy

11/06/20 11:55 Animal Related

11/06/20 13:23 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS

11/06/20 13:48 Disturbance

Total Records: 105

Libraries Announce Virtual Presentation

MOORHEAD, MINNESOTA

- Lake Agassiz Regional Library will host a virtual event featuring Cassie Subbert, MA, LMFT, a mental health expert from the Northwestern Mental Health Center on the topic of celebrating the holiday season during the pandemic. The holidays present an array of demands — cooking meals, shopping, baking, cleaning and entertaining — just to name a few. People may feel stressed, sad, or anxious because their holiday plans could look different during the pandemic. Many people are worried about the health of our family and friends. Cassie will talk through strategies for coping with holiday stress and focusing on the positive. Learn how to prepare yourself and have realistic expectations going into the holiday season.

This event is free-of-charge and will be held live on the Lake Agassiz Regional Library Facebook Page on Tuesday, November 17, 2020 at 7 PM. The virtual event can be viewed at www.facebook.com/larlmmn and is co-hosted by Northwestern Mental Health Center.

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Clearbrook Summer Fest presentation of "Cinderella" with Prairie Fire Children Theater.



Purchased clothing at the Clearwater County Fair from left to right: Hailey Rhen, Allison Godin Queen, Emily Bellefy, Brady Anderson, Amanda Theis and Megan Bellefy.



Linda Nordlund retires after 38 years of teaching.



Superior rating at the music contest from let to right: Virginia Knutson, Hilary Bodensteiner, Jackson Lindom, Samantha Johnson and Ashley Reichert.



Heidi, Steve and Chrissy Walberg with their Viking Chili".



Karli Watne and Jordan Oien Homecoming King and Queen.



Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

Charps, LLC will be giving away turkeys at their office in Clearbrook on **Thursday, November 19, 2020** from 10:00 until noon (or until gone.) Turkeys will be given away on a first come, first served basis - 1 per household.

Santa Claus Day will be held on Sat., Dec. 5, 9:30 – 12:00 in Clear Waters Life Center in Gonvick. **FREE** for all ages of youth accompanied by an adult. Craft project gifts, created & wrapped. COVID-19 protocols in place. Movie & popcorn while you wait your turn!

Good news... A two year old child who fell out of a 2 story window in Clearbrook on Monday, November 2nd and air lifted to a hospital is OK according to her father. No injuries and the fall is under investigation.

The History Center in Shevlin was closed due to the Covid19 pandemic. But it is now open by appointment, Tuesday-Friday 10:00-4:00 call 218-785-2000 to make appointments. The staff has provided stories from the county's past. "The ABC's of Clearwater County" in the meantime.

Norman and Rosie Rude renewed their Leader-Record subscription for another year. They have been faithful subscribers for 63 years since 1957. Thank you for your loyalty. I have not been here that long. I wonder if there are any other people who have been subscribers for that many years. Let me know. Thanks

Also new subscribers this past week were Trudy Delich of Bemidji. She is related to the Emmels in Clearbrook. Her husbands brother was a pastor

at the First Baptist Church in Clearbrook. Also receiving a birthday gift from his family is Tanner Petterson of East Grand Forks.

The Gonvick Lions Club is having their first annual Deer Hunters raffle at Sportsmans Lodge on November 14. To be given away: Winchester XPR with scope 243; Mossberg Patriot Walnut Stock with scope 7mm 08; Savage 110 with scope in 6.5 Creedmoor and \$100 cash.

The Gonvick Fire Department has a 25 day Christmas Giveaway raffle. It will start on Tuesday, December 1 with a Winchester 270 Composite 24 with a scope and each day until December 25 will be a drawing for \$50, \$75, \$100, \$250, \$200 or \$300 drawing for cash until the last day December 25 with a drawing for a Beretta A300 12 gauge. Tickets will be available from fire department members.

Joke Time -

An elderly looking gentleman, (mid-nineties) very well dressed, hair well-groomed, great looking suit, flower in his lapel, smelling slightly of a good aftershave, presenting a well-looked-after image, walks into an upscale cocktail lounge.

Seated at the bar is an elderly looking lady.

The gentleman walks over, sits alongside her, orders a drink, takes a sip, turns to her, and says, "So tell me, do I come here often?"

Two men meet on opposite sides of a river. One shouts to the other, "I need you to help me get to the other side!" The other guy replies, "You're on the other side!"

A 3 years old boy sits near

a pregnant woman.

Boy: Why do you look so fat?
Pregnant woman: I have a baby inside me.

Boy: Is it a good baby?
Pregnant woman: Yes, it is a very good baby.

Boy: Then why did you eat it?!

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.

If you have a story or photo to share you can send to richards@gvtel.com. Your new family member, the big buck or fish that you got, wedding or engagement picture.

Obituaries in the Canary are also put on our website for you to see. Go online at trico-canary.com. They are free and updated as they come into our office.

We 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.

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Letters to the Editor

Recently there have been several protests in Northern Minnesota in opposition to the Line 3 Replacement Project.

One was held right after the recent decision by the DNR to grant two of the final permits needed for Line 3 to begin construction. Maybe it is just me, but I truly don't understand why these protests continue to happen.

The state took the most time it has ever taken on any utility project to review the Line 3 Replacement. It has also shown a fair amount of deference to opponents throughout the project.

Line 3 has been reviewed countless times, but each time

it has been approved. This is because Enbridge has worked hard to make sure it reaches all state guidelines. This is also because we still need oil, and no matter how hard people try to convince us otherwise, the demand for this oil, transported safely, will continue for the considerable future.

We need to start looking at things objectively. We need to start construction on this project because it will put thousands to work, it will help our economy, and it will protect our environment. This project will also ensure that we have a reliable source of oil.

The process has been fol-

lowed. The decisions to issue permits are being made according to that process. If someone wants to protest that decision and make their voice heard again, fine – just stand off to the side and not in the way of those who are working on this project.

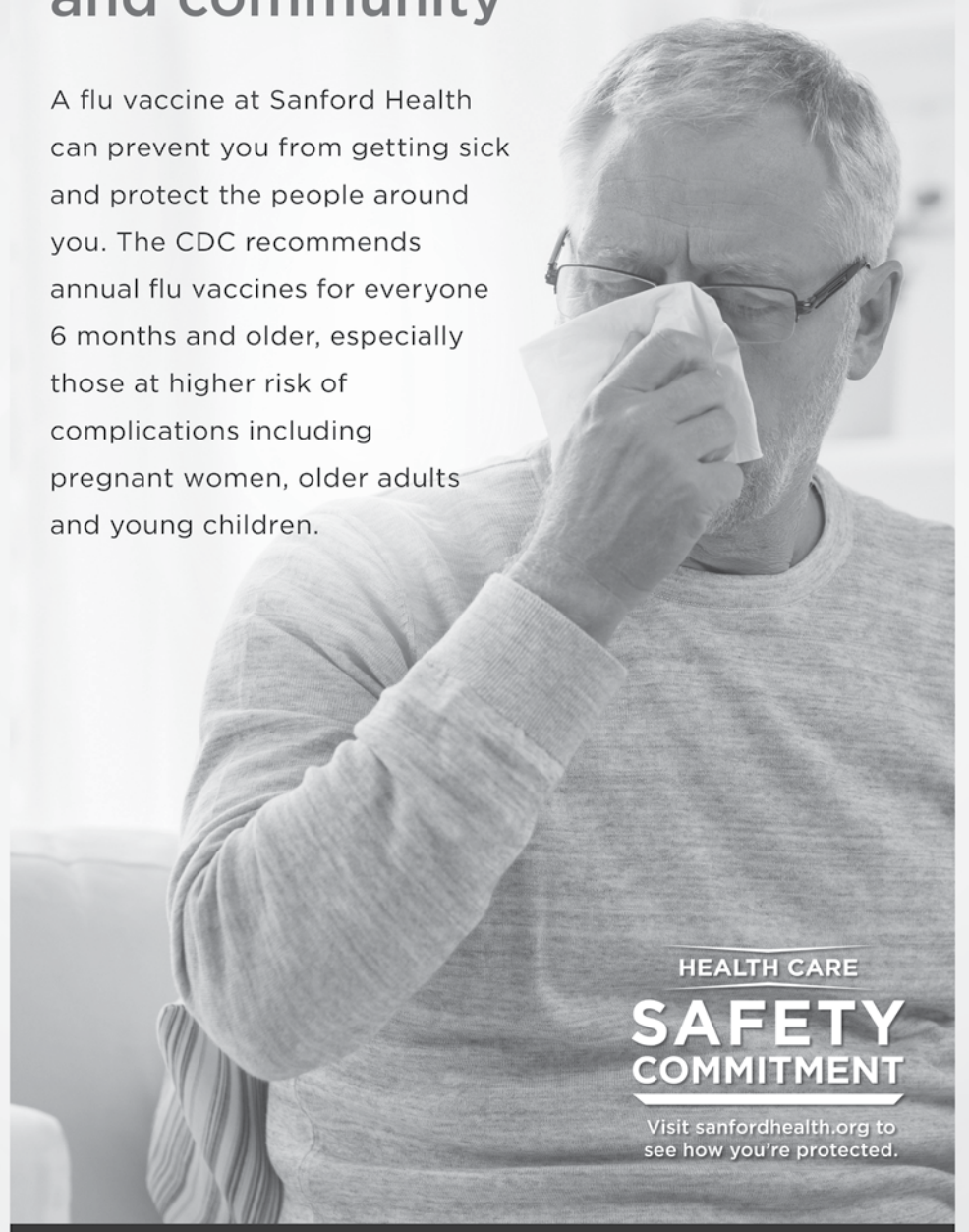
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General Election results in Clearwater County

Results for School District No. 2311 - Clearbrook-Gonvick		
School Board Member (ISD #2311) (Elect 4) Results By Precinct		
20 precincts in contest. 20 of 20 precincts reported. All candidates were Nonpartisan.		
Dudley Wishard	1,059	25.10%
Vern R. Wittenberg	930	22.04%
Gus Vettleson	1,085	25.72%
Jeff Westrum	1,103	26.14%
WRITE-IN	42	1.00%
Special Election for School Board Member (ISD #2311)		
Vanessa Gustafson	1,298	99.54%
WRITE-IN	6	0.46%
Results for City of Clearbrook		
All candidates were Nonpartisan.		
Dylan Goudge	245	98.39%
WRITE-IN	4	1.61%
Council Member (Clearbrook) (Elect 2)		
Tom Davis	173	44.82%
Olaf Engebretson	208	53.89%
WRITE-IN	5	1.30%
Council Member (Clearbrook) (Elect 2)		
Dale Volstad	130	31.94%
Rachel Nelson	189	46.44%
Yolanda Pindegayosh	88	21.62%
WRITE-IN	0	0.00%
Results for City of Gully		
Mayor (Gully) Cathy Bergerson	26	96.30%
WRITE-IN	1	3.70%
Council Member (Gully) (Elect 2)		
Donna Marshall	23	79.31%
WRITE-IN	6	20.69%
Results for City of Trail		
Mayor (Trail)		
Frank Buer	19	86.36%
WRITE-IN	3	13.64%
Council Member (Trail) (Elect 2)		
Judy Seyller	20	51.28%

Lois Klema	18	46.15%
WRITE-IN	1	2.56%
Results for City of Gonvick		
Candace L. Coulter	115	92.74%
WRITE-IN	9	7.26%
Council Member (Gonvick) (Elect 2)		
Susan Sims	101	49.51%
Corrine Richards	90	44.12%
WRITE-IN	13	6.37%
Council Member (Gonvick)		
Shane Olson	117	95.12%
WRITE-IN	6	4.88%
Results for City of Bagley		
Mayor (Bagley) Sid Michel	509	95.32%
WRITE-IN	25	4.68%
Council Member (Bagley) (Elect 2)		
Jon Brovold	414	50.18%
Dennie Merschman	400	48.48%
WRITE-IN	11	1.33%
Results for School District No. 162 - Bagley		
School Board Member (ISD #162) (Elect 4)		
Bill Prochaska	771	9.09%
Renee Benson	1,687	19.88%
Adam Broden	1,523	17.95%
Andrew Bennett	1,026	12.09%
Mark R. Olson	1,396	16.45%
John Arlo Gerbracht	2,053	24.19%
WRITE-IN	30	0.35%
Results for School District No. 38 - Red Lake		
School Board Member at Large (ISD #38) (Elect 3)		
Patricia L Neadeau	729	14.82%
Michael Barrett	946	19.24%
Christopher Jourdain	727	14.78%
Tina Stately	703	14.29%
Rob Pemberton Sr.	963	19.58%
WRITE-IN	5	0.10%
Clearwater County Commissioner District 2		
Dean Newland	523	58.24%
Douglas Lindgren	374	41.65%
WRITE-IN	1	0.11%
County Commissioner District 4		
John A. Nelson	750	98.55%

WRITE-IN	11	1.45%
Soil and Water Supervisor District 1		
Alroy Lewis	3,897	99.34%
WRITE-IN	26	0.66%
Soil and Water Supervisor District 2		
Harlan Strandlien	3,887	99.23%
WRITE-IN	30	0.77%
Soil and Water Supervisor District 5		
John Gunvalson	3,771	99.13%
WRITE-IN	33	0.87%
Results in Clearwater County		
<i>U.S. President & Vice President</i>		
Donald J. Trump and Michael R. Pence	3,371	71.65%
Joseph R. Biden and Kamala Harris	1,258	26.74%
<i>U.S. Senator</i>		
Jason Lewis	3,077	66.67%
Tina Smith	1,222	26.48%
<i>U.S. Representative District 7</i>		
Michelle Fischbach	2,908	62.86%
Collin C Peterson	1,471	31.80%
<i>State Senator District 2</i>		
Paul Utke	3,341	73.01%
Leonard Alan Roy	1,231	26.90%
<i>State Representative District 2A</i>		
Mathew J. Grossell	2,587	75.40%
Jeremiah Liend	841	24.51%
<i>State Representative District 2B</i>		
Steve Green	789	67.78%
David Suby	374	32.13%
<i>Associate Justice - Supreme Court 4</i>		
Michelle MacDonald	1,832	48.47%
Paul Thissen	1,932	51.11%
Results in state for State Representative District 2A		
Mathew J. Grossell	13,383	62.71%
Jeremiah Liend	7,925	37.14%
WRITE-IN	33	0.15%
Results in state for State Representative District 2B		
David Suby	7,346	33.65%
WRITE-IN	23	0.11%
Results in state for State Senator District 2		
Paul Utke	28,279	65.33%
Leonard Alan Roy	14,949	34.53%
WRITE-IN	60	0.14%
Statewide Results for U.S. Senator		
Jason Lewis	1,370,581	43.50%
Tina Smith	1,536,298	47.85%

FROM DAYS GONE BY



Poppy poster winners in the Gonvick-Trail School District were left to right: grade six: Cindy Brooks, first; Ingrid Kanack, second; and Kristi Rude, third. Grade five: First and Grand prize winner was Edie Loiland; Richard Birkeland second and Scott Pederson third. Fouth grade: Ruth Ann Birkeland, first; Wayne Horn, second; and Gary Edevold, third. Poppy posters were on display in local business places. The Gonvick Legion Auxiliary ladies who brought them were Shirley Eck and Rosie Rude shown in the back.



Successful hunters in the Leader-Record area include Andrew with his son Nathan Weems with his first buck. Shown below is Layla Engebretson with her nice buck.



Veterans Day Salute to Valor

The roles of the different branches of the U.S. military

The United States military is one of the most comprehensive, effective and respected armed forces in the world. Without the tireless commitment of military personnel — from the soldiers on the ground to the support staff behind the scenes — America could not be the world power it is today. Each branch of the U.S. military has a unique mission, and here is a brief rundown of what those missions entail, courtesy of Military.com and the U.S. Department of Defense.

United States Army
The Army is one of the three military departments that reports directly to the Department of Defense. The Army conducts operational and institutional missions around the world, typically handling land-based missions. The Army also guards U.S. installations and properties throughout the world.

United States Navy
Serving to protect the freedom of the seas, the Navy is another branch of the military that reports directly to the Department of Defense. Among its many missions, the U.S. Navy serves to make the seas safe for travel and trade.

United States Air Force
The Air Force also reports directly to the Department of Defense and trains for and maintains global superiority in air, space and cyberspace. Air Force personnel fly planes, helicopters and even satellites.

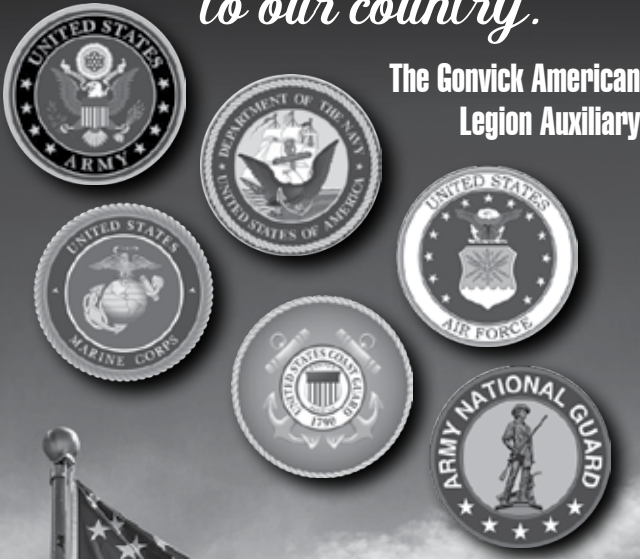
United States Marine Corps
The Marine Corps is a component of the Department of the Navy. It carries out global missions on both sea and shore, and serves as an expeditionary force. Marines are a rapid-reaction team and are usually the first boots on the ground in a conflict.

United States Coast Guard
The Coast Guard safeguards maritime interests through both civil and military missions. The Coast Guard operates around the world and in domestic waterways and ports.

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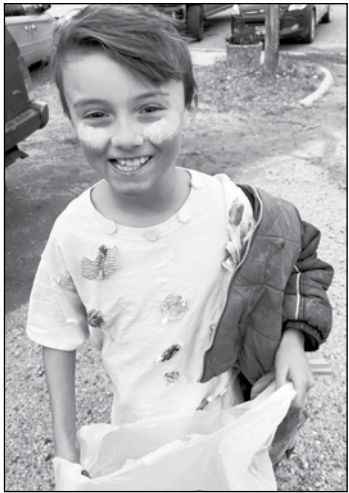
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