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Now that students are back in school this year there is a lot more waste to take out. Clearbrook-Gonvick Custodian Virgil Tronnes is bringing the waste out to the compactor.

Waste compactor doing its job

There is a lot of waste at the Clearbrook-Gonvick School. Head Custodian Virgil Tronnes gets the paper ready to feed into the Sani-Tech Auger Compactor. The unit is located out the north door of the school.

Sani-Tech auger compactors pre-crush and compact in one powerful motion. While processing material, the auger continuously runs in a forward direction, crushing and reducing the size of what it is fed. This enables it to compact up to five times faster than conventional hydraulic compactors.

The auger style compactor contains no hydraulic oil and makes it a faster efficient operation, less maintenance,



increased safety and reduced hauling costs. Tronnes said that the huge compactor has to be sent to recycling about one time per year.

Historical Society to participate in “A Million Thanks” Military Project

The Historical Society is asking Individuals, schools, churches, businesses, and other organizations to write letters and messages of appreciation and support for our military, past and present.

The History Center in Shevlin will be open Saturday Nov. 13 from 10:00-2:00 and Sunday November 14 from 1:00-4:00 to participate in the “A Million Thanks” project. Visitors will be invited to write a letter or make a holiday card that will be sent to active, reserve, and retired military personnel. Cards and stationery will be provided or you can bring your own.

There are a few rules: all cards

must be hand written or hand made. Do not purchase a card unless it's blank inside so you can write your own personal message. The History Center will have sample notes to help you if you aren't sure what to write. Messages should be appreciative, positive and upbeat. Include your return address or email if you want the recipient to write back to you. Don't put the cards or letters in individual envelopes. They will be sent from Clearwater County as a collection and posted to the recipients by the “A Million Thanks” organization. You can include a donation to help off set postage costs, but it's not required.

If you are unable to visit the museum that weekend, the historical society will be collecting letters and cards to be sent to our military until November 20. They must be mailed before December 1 so they reach our military in time for the holidays. Cards and notes can be dropped off at the History Center in Shevlin Tuesday- Friday between 10:00- 4:00.

Founded in 2004, A Million Thanks is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to supporting the U.S. Military.

For more information contact the history center at 218-785-2000 or email clearwaterhistory@icloud.com.

Benefit for Terry Halvorson Saturday, November 20

There will be a benefit for Terry Halvorson at the Gonvick American Legion on November 20, 2021. Doors open at 3 pm. The spaghetti meal is sponsored by the Gonvick Lions Club.

Terry was diagnosed with colon cancer which has since

spread. Terry currently is at home on hospice fighting stage 4 cancer. Terry and his wife Stacy, reside west of Gonvick.

There will be a silent auction, drawings and bake sale. Donations can be dropped off

at Julie's Hair Care in Gully, Northern State Bank in Gonvick, the Trap Bar and Grill in Gonvick or Lonny English, Evon Quern, Devin Aakre or Kim Solberg. Questions call 218-556-4802 or 218-684-0792

Veterans Day program at Clearbrook-Gonvick School

On Thursday, November 11, 2021, the United States will celebrate Veteran's Day. The Veterans Day program will be held at Clearbrook-Gonvick School on Thursday, November 11th at 10:00 AM.

Parents, family members, and all community members are welcome to attend.

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 870 Veterans are honored with the etched field stones.

On Saturday, September 4, 2021, 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, a Bagley resident. The 2021 ride raised approximately \$10,400 in donations. These donations were donated to the Clearwater County Veterans Memorial to provide 53 etched field stones honoring Clearwater County Veterans.

nanda (Amundson) Foldoe, and was a resident of the Bagley, MN area.

CHESTER DEVER MILLER – US Army Veteran that served during World War II and is buried in the Lakewood Cemetery, Minneapolis, Hennepin County, MN. Chester Dever Miller was the son of Arthur Ellsworth & Pearl Viola Miller, and was a resident the Nora Township/ Clearwater County, MN area.

HAROLD GARLAND – US Army National Guard Veteran, and is buried in the Zion Lutheran Cemetery, Eddy Township, Clearwater County, MN. Harold Garland was the son of Ethel Garland, and was a resident of the Eddy Township, Clearwater County, MN area.

HENRY C. KAMRUD – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in Samhold Lutheran Cemetery, Gonvick, Clearwater County, MN. Henry C. Kamrud was the son of Halvor T. & Marie (Anderson) Kamrud, and was a resident of the Gonvick, MN area.

ALFRED F. HAUSMAN – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in Clearwater Lutheran Cemetery, Shevlin, Clearwater County, MN. Alfred F. Hausman was the son of William & Fredricka Hausman, and was a resident of the Shevlin, MN area.

IRVIN RICHARD GODTLAND – US Air Force Veteran that served after World War II, and is buried in Samhold Lutheran Cemetery, Gonvick, Clearwater County, MN. Irvin Richard Godtland was the son of Peter & Nora (Herberg) Godtland, and was a Gonvick, MN resident.

JOSEPH ANTOINE AMUNDSON – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Norway Lake Cemetery, Holst Township, Clearwater County, MN. Joseph Antoine Amundson was the son of Ludvig & Sarah (Jones) Amundson, and was a resident of the Leonard, MN area.

MARLIN DAVID LANGSETH – US Army Veteran that served between the Korean War and the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Sinclair Cemetery, Sinclair Township, Clearwater County, MN. Marlin David Langseth was the son of Ole Andrew & Ida (Stenlund) Langseth, and was a resident of the Leonard, MN area.

CALVIN A. NEWLAND – US Navy Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Minerva Cemetery, Minerva Township, Clearwater County, MN. Calvin A. Newland was the son of Charles Edward & Rose Christina (Disen) Newland, and was a resident of the Minerva Township/Clearwater

County, MN area.

LEROY JAMES LINDBERG – US Navy Veteran that served after World War II and is buried in the Norway Lake Cemetery, Holst Townshi, Clearwater County, MN. Leroy James Lindberg was the son of Victor Louis & Leona Anita (Lee) Lindberg, and was a resident of the Leonard, MN area.

MICHAEL EDWARD ZOPFI – US Army Veteran during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Alida Community Cemetery, Bear Creek Township, Clearwater County, MN. Michael Edward Zopfi was the son of Wallace & Janice (Jenson) Zopfi, and was a resident of the Moorhead, MN area.

JERRY ALLEN BURDICK – US Navy Veteran that served during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Alida Community Cemetery, Bear Creek Township, Clearwater County, MN. Jerry Allen Burdick was the son of Leslie & Alyce (Soggie) Burdick, and was a resident of the Park Rapids, MN area.

OLE HAMRE – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Valle Lutheran Cemetery, Gully Township, Polk County, MN. Ole Hamre was a native of the Gonvick/Gully, MN area.

THOMAS ALBERT BELCOURT – US Army Air Corps Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery, Bagley, MN. Thomas Albert Belcourt was the son of Peter & Mary Belcourt, and was a resident of the southern Clearwater County, MN area.

EARL SYNNES – US Air Force Veteran that served during Korean War era, and is buried in the Maple Hill Cemetery, Eddy Township, Clearwater County, MN. Earl Synnes was a resident of the Clearbrook, MN area.

IRVIN BERNARD TORGERTSON – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Clover Township Cemetery, Clover Township, Clearwater County, MN. Irvin Bernard Torgerson was the son of Tom & Ellen Visilda (Bardwell) Torgerson,

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Historical Society Fall Fundraiser, Volunteers and Goodies needed!

The Clearwater County Historical Society will hold it's annual Fall Bake & Used Book and Craft Sale on Saturday Nov. 20 at 9 a.m. at the Bagley American Legion.

For nearly 30 years the Society has held a Fall Bake Sale on the Saturday before Thanksgiving and it's the largest fundraiser for the society. There will be baked goodies, and used books, crafts from Sue Anderson and Roxane Waggoner and wreaths by Doreen Norgaard, so there will be something for everyone. In keeping with tradition, a delicious lunch (Klub! or ham & scalloped potatoes) will be served beginning at 11:00. The sale will continue until everything is gone or 2:00, whichever comes first!

Anyone wishing to donate baked items, or gently used books for the sale is encouraged to bring items to the museum before the sale. The museum is open Tuesday – Friday from 10-4:00. Items can also be brought to the Legion after 8 am on the day of the sale.

Volunteers are also needed to help with the sale or with serving lunch.

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Clearbrook-Gonvick October students of the month (not all students are shown: Jasmine Erickson, Peyton Wittenberg, Travis Johnson, Miley Hoiland Claire Bakke, Trigg Torgerson, Bentley Aakre, Carter Hagen, Emma Chandler, Logan Burman, Brooklynn Oliver, Bo Erickson, Aaliyah Robinson and Delilah Neisen. Not all were pictured.

Community Calendar

Elim Mission Friends

Elim Mission Friends will meet on Thursday, November 11th at 2:30 PM at the Elim Church, Clearbrook.

Lurae Erickson will share devotions and Carol Kleppe will give the meditation. Hostesses will be Shannon Engebretson and Roxanne Engebretson. Following the meeting the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes will be packed.

Anyone having donated items for these boxes drop off at the church by November 11th,. Any questions can be directed to Marilyn Shamp or Diane Johnson.

Meeting date changed to Wednesday

Because of the Veteran's Day Holiday, the Gonvick City Council meeting has been changed to Wednesday, November 10th at the Gonvick Community Center at 5 p.m.

Clearbrook Legion Post 256 Lutefisk/ Meatball Supper November 11

A Lutefisk/Meatball supper will be offered for ALL on Veteran's Day, November 11th from 4:30 – 7 p.m. The meal will be available for Dine-In and take-out. The supper will be served in the Gym of the old school to ensure a more leisurely and comfortable dining experience.

Lutefisk is available for \$16 and Meatball supper for \$12. Questions can be directed to the Legion Commander, Bill Stoller at 763-691-4901(cell) or leave a message at 218-776-2005(home).

Santa Day in Gonvick

Santa Claus Day will be on December 11 in Gonvick. The day will include a visit by Santa and Mrs. Claus with gifts, games, prizes and treats. It will be held at the Clear Waters Life Center from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. Please help make it a success by providing a cash donation. Your money will be strictly used for items for the children.

Clearbrook Legion Post 256 (Melvin Johnson Post) Lutefisk/Meatball Supper

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Lutefisk \$16.00 Meatball Supper \$12.00 ALL ARE WELCOME!

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Township Meeting Notice

The Greenwood Town board will meet at the home of the Clerk on November 15, 2021, 7:00 p.m. Sheila Horn, Clerk

Fall fundraiser

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Ad deadline: Noon Friday

Community Theater Helpers Needed

As the cast of "The Church Basement Ladies" continues to rehearse for the upcoming Bagley Community Theater production, director Marilyn Hood is searching for helpers to get the stage ready for the show. The first immediate need is for helpers to paint the set pieces this Saturday starting at 10:00 a.m in the BHS Auditorium. The more painters, the quicker the process.

Next, the set needs to be built. Five or six individuals who are handy with a drill are needed to accomplish this task (some time during the next week).

We are also still looking for an old stove to complete the look of a 1960's church basement kitchen. If you know of one, please contact Marilyn. Finally, a small tech crew is needed - a person to run the light board and sound board for the production. (Marilyn will teach any volunteers).

If you can give a few hours of time, please contact Marilyn Hood at mjhoods@gmail.com, or call 694-2064 for more information. As the church basement ladies would say, "Many hands make light work."

History Center in Shevlin Open This Weekend

The History Center in Shevlin will be open Saturday Nov. 13 from 10:00-2:00 and Sunday Nov. 14 from 1:00- 4:00. Admission is free.

This is the final weekend to view the outdoor historic buildings and exhibits as they close for the winter on Nov. 15.

The Military Exhibit space has been refreshed with exhibits featuring the men and women from Clearwater County who are buried at Arlington National Cemetery. Other military exhibits include a look at the area Legion Clubs, an exhibit about the Bugle and Drum Corps as well as stories featuring our local service men and women. "A Million Thanks" letter writing station will be set up for visitors to write personal notes of thanks to be forwarded to active and retired Military.

The History Center is open Tuesday – Friday 10:00- 4:00 and by appointment.

Note: The museum will be closed Tuesday Nov. 16 for a staff workshop.

For more information call the History center at 218-785-2000

Fun Facts

Most of the vitamin C in fruits is in the skin.

The Romans made their coins in the temple of Juno Moneta, the goddess of marriage and women. From the name Moneta, derives the words "mint" and "money."

There are over 100 different viruses that cause the common cold.

The plastic things on the end of shoelaces are called aglets. "Duff" is the decaying organic matter found on the forest floor.

Church News

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

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

Mosaic Art – Glass on Glass 4 week art class instructed by Becky Dorman. Taking broken things and making something with meaning and new perspectives. All ages welcome. Monday nights Nov 8 - 29. Starts at 6:30p.m., \$5 a night. All supplies will be provided. Held at CWLC in Gonvick.

NEW Weekly Exercise for Seniors Join us Monday, Wednesday and Friday and get your body stretched and moving.Held at CWLC in Gonvick from 10-11a.m. Some of the activities will be chair exercises, creative movement and balance training. If you need transportation and you are a Clearwater County resident that is 60+ years old, give us a call to set up transportation! 218-776-2789

NEW Senior Connection Cooking Classes Held the 2nd Monday of the month; from 11am to 12:30pm at CWLC in Gonvick. Learn how to make healthy and delicious food that does not have to be expensive. Each class you'll make a nutritious meal and sample it! For more information contact Angie Ness at 503-200-0494.

Community Art Studios Being creative is our specialty. Pottery, mosaics, jewelry, beading, scrapbook, paint (acrylic, watercolor), hand build, and more. Skilled mentors available Mondays, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. All ages welcome. Cost \$5.00/day – supplies are provided. Located at CWLC in Gonvick.

Come join us for Pickleball! Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. & 3 - 6 p.m. in Gonvick. What is Pickleball? A great mix of tennis, ping-pong and badminton.

Mustard Seed Homes: Do you know or are you someone who needs a fresh start? MSH is a residential program for adult men that provides support groups, vocational and life skills training, and steps to developing a healthy physical and spiritual life. Openings available. Visit our website for more information: www.mustardseedhomes.org

Youth Connection Programming has started in Clearbrook. Registration is open for 3rd - 9th grade, and Leadership Edition 10-12th grade. No cost to participate. Wednesdays from 2:30-5p.m. for 3rd-5th grade; Tuesdays from 3:30-5p.m. for 6th-9th grade. Visit our website for more info and to register.

Celebrate Recovery Support Group: Nov 18, Dec 2, 16, & 30. Held every other Thursday. Starts at 7:00p.m., Open to men and women. At CWLC in Clearbrook, 2nd floor.

NEW Chemical Dependency Support Group: Meeting every week on Tuesdays at 2pm. Starts November 9th. Located on the second floor at CWLC in Clearbrook.

Senior Connection Transportation Service: Clearwater County residents who are 60 & over. Rides scheduled Monday-Friday. 24 hour notice required. Call 218-888-2320 to schedule.

Adult Basic Education: Individualized classes Tuesdays 6:00-8:00p.m. and Wednesdays 12:30-3:00p.m. at CWLC in Clearbrook. Mondays 12:30-2:30p.m. and Thursdays 9:30a.m. to 12:30p.m. at the Bagley ALP Bldg. GED, Accuplacer, Digital Literacy, Job Skills and more. Contact Sherry at 218-776-2789 or shjelle@nwservice.org.

Shop-at-the-Top is our volunteer operated thrift store with over 6,000 sq. feet of retail space in Clearbrook. Donations accepted during business hours. Check our website for upcoming sales: https://www.clearwaterslife.org/shop-at-the-top.html Hours are 10:00am to 4:00pm weekdays & 10:00am – 12:00pm Saturdays

Restore It! Furniture Shop is our used furniture shop in Clearbrook, as well as, custom furniture crafting and restoration business. If you have furniture that needs some love or want to have a furniture piece custom created, give us a call! 218-776-2789. Hours are 10:00am to 4:00pm weekdays & 10:00am – 12:00pm Saturdays

CWLC Clearbrook: 256 2nd Ave SW CWLC Gonvick: 226 Elm St. Phone: 218-776-2789 Email: office@clearwaterslife.org

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

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH Clearbrook Pastor Adam Krog Wed. Nov. 10 - 6:00 p.m. Confirmation, 7:30 pm Prayer time. Thurs. Nov. 11 - 2:30 p.m. Missions Friends Sun. Nov. 14 - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 am Worship Service, Guest Speaker: Rev. Paul Larson, 11:30 a.m. Lasagna dinner (free)

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Clearbrook Pastor Randy Reimer Every Wednesday, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. Quilting. AWANA meets on Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8 pm weekly. Call for information. 218-776-3252 Every Thursday - 7:00 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer Every Saturday - 7:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship Sunday Worship, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD Good Shepherd Wed., Nov. 10 - 5:45pm Confirmation/M meal 7-9th Grade 6:30pm Choir Practice, 7:30pm Handbell Practice Sun., Nov. 14 - 9:00am Worship, 10:00am Sunday School/ Coffee Hour Good Shepherd Office Hours; Tues. to Fri. 8:30 am to 1:30 am. Our Savior's Sun., Nov. 14 - 10:00am Sunday School/Coffee Hour; 11:00am Worship Service Thurs., Nov. 18 - 2:00 pm WELCA.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH Mt. Olive – Nazareth Oak Park – St. Petri Pastor Jeff Merseth Wed., Nov. 10: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School. Sat, Nov. 13: Mt. Olive: 9:00 a.m. Sun, Nov. 14: St. Petri: 8:00 a.m., 9:15 a.m. SS. Nazareth: 9:45 Worship, 8:30 a.m. SS. Oak Park: 11:00 a.m. Worship, 9:45 a.m. SS. Wed, Nov. 17: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School. 7:00 p.m. Ladies Aid. Find services and past sermons at www.facebook.com/clearwaterlutheranparish

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH Josiah Hoagland, Pastor Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor www.newjourneyfosston.com Wed, Nov. 10: 6:25 p.m. AWA-NA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group. Sun, Nov. 14: 9 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship. Tue, Nov. 16: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions. Wed, Nov. 17: 6:25 p.m. AWA-NA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH Bethany * Lund Sand Valley Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister Wed, Nov. 10: 2:00 p.m. Lund Ladies Aid. Sun, Nov. 14: 9:00 a.m. Lund; 10: 30 a.m. Bethany. CDC safety guidelines for COVID-19 will be followed.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY Fosston Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor Sundays: 10:00 a.m. Services will continue to be livestreamed on Facebook (https://www.facebook.com/bethelfosston) as an alternative to attending in person.

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Samhold Lutheran Church NALC - Gonvick

Christmas Event is scheduled for Sunday, December 5th at 3:00 p.m. Concert by "Acoustofiddle", Jeff Menten and Paul Nye Guitar, Mandolin, Violin Scandinavian Meal will follow at 4:00 p.m. More information will follow in this paper and on the posters.

Card of Thanks

The family of Elwood Higdem would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for all of the kind messages of comfort and sympathy shown our family during this difficult time, along with the visits, food, cards, flowers, hugs and prayers. Thank you to the Clearwater County Nursing Service for the excellent Hospice care provided for several months, enabling us to keep him at home until his passing. Also, thank you to Pastor Mark Olson for the comforting visits with the family and officiating the funeral service; Sharon Johnson and Jill Bakken for the beautiful music; Good Shepherd service group for serving the delicious lunch; and Cease Funeral Home for going above and beyond with deep compassion with planning the service. A special thank you to Cease for making Elwood's final ride extra special in a beautiful blue 1939 Cadillac. He wouldn't have wanted it to be any other way. We will be forever grateful. Thank you-Joan Higdem and family.

Holiday Give Away

Charps, LLC will be giving away turkeys at our office in Clearbrook on Wednesday, November 17, 2021 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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Thank You

We would like to Thank everyone for your prayers and kind words over the last couple of months for our dad Harvey. It is our faith that gets us through this difficult time. Thank you to Dr. Swanson & staff at Essentia Health of Fosston and staff at Pioneer Memorial Care Center of Erskine for your care and compassion. Thank you for all the prayers, calls, texts, visits, cards, food, memorials, flowers and support given to our family. It is greatly appreciated. Thank you to Pastor Nathan Engebretson, Pastor Bill Goodman, Ladies of Samhold for the lunch, Cease Family Funeral Home of Bagley and everyone who helped make his funeral special. Again Thank you to everyone! God's Blessings, David Eric Doug Eric and family Mark Eric and family Dawn Bourdeaux and family

From the Lund Church Congregation, Ladies Aid and the Gully-Trail Parish Youth:

Thanks for coming!

‘Deer Season Opener Tradition!’ Sponsored by Lund Lutheran Church, Gully Thanks to all who contributed toward the meal expenses, shared the workload and donated items for the supper & Lund Ladies Aid Fall Market and the Parish Youth Gift Baskets Raffles and Thanks to you who came to participate! See you next year on opening Saturday!



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

Essentia Health child life specialists share tips for vaccinating 5 to 11 children

Following unanimous approval from its Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) on Tuesday evening officially authorized the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine for 5-11-year-olds. Children are now eligible to be immunized against the coronavirus, another important step in ending a pandemic that has lasted nearly two years.

At Essentia Health, we've been preparing in earnest to vaccinate this age group as quickly and conveniently as possible. Appointments are required for 5-11-year-olds and can be made with the child's primary care provider or pediatrician. Patients can schedule through our MyChart patient portal or by calling (833) 494-0836. Please note that appointment availability will vary by location as vaccine is allotted and distributed; check MyChart frequently for openings.

The vaccine has been proven safe and effective for children. It is a lower dose (10 micrograms) than that used for individuals ages 12 and older (30 micrograms). Click here to learn more about the COVID

vaccines and options for receiving a shot at Essentia.

Anyone under the age of 18 must bring this consent form, signed by a parent or guardian.

"Our children have had nearly two school years disrupted by COVID-19, not to mention some children being seriously ill — and even dying — from the virus," said Dr. Jonathan KenKnight, a pediatrician at Essentia. "With safe and effective vaccines now available for this age group, we are another step closer to ending the pandemic. We at Essentia Health encourage vaccinating your children to keep them healthy and safe so that they can continue in school and other activities."

While we're excited about this next step in slowing the spread of COVID-19, we also recognize that vaccinating youngsters presents challenges. Accordingly, Essentia Health child life specialists lend their expertise to help families make vaccination a comfortable experience. They offer the following tips:

- Be honest and use developmentally appropriate language when explaining shots to your child — saying "poke" vs. "shot" or "vaccine"; "getting medicine

in your leg through a poke" vs. a shot or vaccine; and "it may feel like a small pinch" or "the medicine may feel warm" vs. "it will burn."

- Play! For our younger children, playing with medical/director toys helps them process experiences, but also helps desensitize and familiarize them with different tools they may see during their clinic appointments.
- Talk about getting vaccines and come up with a plan at home to help prepare.
- Validate your child's feelings/emotions regarding getting vaccines or previous experiences. Some kids are nervous and/or scared, and that's OK. It helps us to know we should be developing a plan and preparing ahead of time.
- Give appropriate choices to allow them some control in the situation — for example, ask if they would like to watch or play a game on mom's phone; if they want to blow bubbles; or maybe whether they would like to sit on dad's lap or by themselves.
- If your child is anxious, practice some breathing exercises at home or pick a favorite distraction tool and/or comfort item to bring that can be used to help support you.

- Talk to your child's medical provider and develop a plan. Is there an option to have a child life specialist present for distraction and support? Is "Buzzy" available for pain management? Buzzy resembles a bee and is used to numb an area of skin prior to injection via cold temps and vibration, confusing the nerves so that when the site is ready for a needle, the patient hardly feels it.
- Distraction tools include an iPad, smartphone, music, favorite toys, light-up spinner and more. Comfort items, such as a favorite blanket or stuffed animal, also are effective.

"We always encourage parents to be honest and patient with your child when it comes to getting vaccines, and talk about going to the doctor more often," said Michelle Finneman, a child life specialist at Essentia. "Children are smart; they feed off their caregiver's energy. So if we can begin early on to talk positively, using honest language with our children about going to the doctor and discussing the importance of vaccines with them, as well as meeting their individual needs, it will make for a more positive experience now and for future clinic appointments or hospital stays."

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

Clearbrook-Gonvick School Menu

All Meals are free for all students for the 21-22 school year.

Adults - \$4.15
Extra Entree - \$1.00 - \$1.50
Extra Milk - .35

Wed. Nov. 10 - Chicken Alfredo, Garlic Toast, Broccoli, Fresh Fruit & Vegetables Choices and Milk. **Snack -** Yogurt

Thurs. Nov. 11- Teriyaki Chicken, Rice, Egg Roll, Fortune Cookie, Fresh Fruit & Vegetables Choices and Milk. **Snack -** Granola Bar

Fri. Nov. 12 - Dunker with Dipping Sauce, Green Beans, Fresh Fruit & Vegetables Choices and Milk. **Snack -** Trail Mix

Mon. Nov. 15 - Taco in a Bog, Refried Beans, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Choices and Milk. **Snack -** Crackers

Tues. Nov. 16- Grilled Chicken Sandwich on Bun, Tri Taters, Fresh Fruit & Vegetables Choices and Milk. **Snack - Cereal Bar**

Wed. Nov. 17 - Chili Cheese Fritos, Cornbread, Fresh Fruit & Vegetables Choices and Milk. **Snack -** Cookie Bar

Please note- this may change!!! Some food items that we normally purchase are not available!

Thoughts from the Sheriff

Clearwater County Sheriff Darin Halverson



It is hard to believe that November is already here. The year is quickly coming to an end. This month, a very important holiday is observed on November 11th. Veteran's Day is a holiday that pays tribute to all veterans, living or dead, but especially for those living that served our country honorably during war or peacetime. I want to take the time to thank our veterans and to give insight into how Veteran's Day came to be.

Veteran's Day was first recognized as Armistice Day on November 11, 1919, the first anniversary of the cease-fire in Europe, signaling the end of World War I. In 1926, Congress passed a resolution that called for an annual observance and it became a national holiday in 1938. President Dwight D. Eisenhower officially renamed "Armistice Day" to "Veteran's Day" in 1954. In 1971, Veteran's Day was moved to the fourth Monday in October, but in 1975, President Gerald Ford signed a new law returning the holiday back to November 11th. The reason behind that decision was because of historical significance. The eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month in 1918 signaled the end of World War I and to many Americans, this date held significance.

Other nations also commemorate veterans of World War I and II on or near November 11th. Canada has Remembrance Day and Britain has Remembrance Sunday, the second Sunday of November. It is common in Europe for there to be an observance of two minutes of silence at 11:00 am on November 11th. In the United States, Veteran's Day commemorates veterans of all wars.

Today, there are approximately 18.2 million living veterans that served during at least one war as of 2018. Sixteen million Americans served during World War II and as of 2020, only 325,000 were still alive. Of the living veterans, seven million served during the Vietnam War followed by three million that served in support of the War on Terrorism and two million served during the Korean War. Approximately nine percent of our veterans are women. The top three states with the highest percentage of veterans were Virginia, Wyoming and Alaska as of 2019.

Each year, a memorial service is held at Arlington National Cemetery on Veteran's Day and Memorial Day to honor the more than 400,000 men and women laid to rest there, most of whom served in the military. On November 11, 1921, an unidentified American soldier killed in war was buried at Arlington National Cemetery what is known as the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

It is important that we take time on Veteran's Day to thank the brave men and women who have served our country in the armed forces. We appreciate our veterans and want to thank them in any way we can. In a

show of appreciation, we have lowered the cost to Veterans for a permit to carry from \$75 to \$25. If you are a Veteran and want to obtain a permit to carry, I encourage you to come to our office and take advantage of this reduced cost.

I would like to personally thank all of you that have served or are currently serving in our military. Without your sacrifice and service, our way of life would not be the same. I would also like to thank and recognize the families of our veterans, as they too have sacrificed. Thank you from all of us. You have our respect and gratitude.

If you have questions that you would like answered or any suggestions, please email me at darin.halverson@co.clearwater.mn.us or call the Sheriff's Office at 218-694-6226. You can also find us on Facebook by searching for Clearwater County Sheriff's Office.

Thank you and as always, I am honored to serve as your Clearwater County Sheriff.

Report from county nursing service

Clearwater County:
As of 11-4-21: There are 1397 confirmed cumulative cases
As of 11-5-21 We have 63 active cases from 10-23-21 to 11-5-21 giving us a 14 day case rate of: 71.51

Age ranges for COVID cases from October 23, 2021 to November 5, 2021

0-19	4
20-39	19
40-59	21
60-79	15
80+	4

Vaccine:
Vaccination continues to be the best prevention measure against COVID-19. We continue to encourage those that are not vaccinated and eligible to GET VACCINATED!

BOOSTERS AVAILABLE:

1) For those age 65 and up and adults at high risk who received Pfizer or Moderna at least 6 months ago.

2) Adults age 18 and up who received the Johnson & Johnson at least 2 months ago.

The booster shot can help strengthen and prolong your protection against COVID-19. Visit CDC.gov for more information.

We will be giving boosters (or first shots) next Wednesday-November 10th from 2:00-4pm. If you have called our office to sign up, we will call you to schedule a time. If you have not called and signed up or have questions please call Clearwater County Nursing Service (CCNS): 218-694-6581.

Vaccine for children age 5-11 year has been approved!

We are also working with schools to offer onsite at school. If you have questions or want to get signed up to receive at our office or at school call CCNS: 218-694-6581. You may also contact your child's MD to get more information.

Vaccination Rates: Please see this link for vaccination rates: <https://mn.gov/covid19/vaccine/data/index.jsp>

If you have questions regarding the vaccine(s) please call. 694-6581

***Get vaccinated! Wear a mask \$ Stay at least 6 feet away from people from other households. \$ Wash your hands often. \$ Stay home if you are sick. Follow recommendations for isolation and quarantine \$ Follow testing recommendations! \$ Get vaccinated!

Let's all do our part to end this pandemic

Clearwater County:
Marissa Hetland RN/BSN/PHN, Director-Clearwater County Nursing Service



Clearbrook-Gonvick students collected 607 boxes of cereal for the food drive. They gave 250 boxes to Ruby's Pantry. Nathan Nordlund and Lisa Peldo were there to receive the donated boxes.



Before the Clearbrook-Gonvick student council members brought 357 cereal boxes to the Clearwater County Food Shelf they had a domino effect down the hall of the elementary wing. All the elementary 233 Kindergarten through sixth grade watched the 607 boxes fall over. Then the student council packed up the boxes to take to Ruby's Pantry and County food shelf with Sharon Braaten in charge.

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Veterans...
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and a resident of the Clearbrook, MN area.

PETER LINDGREN – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Augustana Cemetery, Pine Lake Township, Clearwater County, MN. Peter Lindgren was born in Lindsell, Sweden and was a resident of Clearbrook, MN area.

CLARENCE SAMUEL McREYNOLDS – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Maple Hill Cemetery, Eddy Township Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Clarence Samuel McReynolds was the son of William H. & Viola (Meranda) McReynolds, and was a resident of the Clearbrook, MN area.

JAMES ROBERT COLLIGAN – US Navy Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Bagley, MN. James Robert Colligan was the son of James R. & Bertha Christine (Klinke) Colligan, and was a resident of the Bagley, MN/Portland, ND area.

HENRY D. KING – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the United Lutheran Cemetery, Winsor Township, Clearwater County, MN. Henry D. King was the son of John Snyder & Olive Louise (Craig) King, and was a resident of the Gonvick/Clearbrook, MN area.

CLEMENT T. KEMBITSKEY – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in Our Lady of Victory Catholic Cemetery, Shevlin, MN. Clement T. Kembitsky was a resident of the Shevlin, MN area.

FRED T. LITTLEWOLF – US Army Air Corps Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in St. Anne's Catholic Cemetery, Naytah-waush, Mahnomen County, MN. Fred T. Littlewolf was the son of David James Littlewolf (Indian name Tay Cum O Say), and was killed in action in the crash of a B-17 on May 26, 1944. Fred T. Littlewolf was a resident of LaPrairie Township, Clearwater County, MN area.

STANLEY GERHART DANIELSON – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Bethlehem Lutheran Cemetery, Queen Township, Polk County, MN. Stanley Gerhart Danielson was the son of Halvor & Emma Danielson, and was a resident of the Gonvick, MN area.

EMIL CARL FIELD – US Army Veteran that served during post World War II era, and is buried in the Clover Cemetery, Clover Township, Clearwater County, MN. Emil Carl Field was the son of Ole & Theresa C. (Field) Storbakken, and was a resident of rural Bagley, MN area.

ROGER ELMO HAGEN – US Navy Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Seljord Cemetery, Clearbrook, MN. Roger Elmo Hagen was the son of Gunnar & Betsy (Molden) Hagen, and was a resident of the Clearbrook/Holst Township, MN area.

GEORGE WILLIAM NEE-LAND – US Army Veteran that served during the Korean War Era, and is buried in the St. Phillips Episcopal Cemetery, Rice Lake Community, Clearwater County, MN. George William Neeland was the son of William & Maggie (Durant) Neeland, and was a resident of the Rice Lake Community, Clearwater County, MN area.

LAWRENCE ARNOLD SMERUD – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Solway Community Cemetery, Beltrami County, MN. Lawrence Arnold Smerud was a resident of the Lammer's Township, Beltrami County/Leonard, MN area.

GORDON A. GUBRUD – US Navy Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Bagley, MN. Gordon A. Gubrud

was the son of Carl Gilman & Aletta Cora (Enstad) Gubrud, and was a resident of the Bagley/Twin Cities area.

EVERETT LLOYD ECK – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the United Lutheran Cemetery, Winsor Township, Clearwater County, MN. Everett Lloyd Eck was the son of Theodore David & Emily Emelia (Gustafson) Eck, and was a resident of the Gonvick, MN area.

LEROY LaFONTAINE – US Army Veteran that served during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Leroy LaFontaine was the son of Donald & Adeline (Holweger) LaFontaine and was a resident of the Bagley, MN area.

WILLIAM KEITH NELSON – US Air Force Veteran that served during the Korean War Era, and is buried in the Friendship Cemetery, Leon Township, Clearwater County, MN. William Keith Nelson was the son of William & Anna Marie (Kenknight) Nelson, and was a resident of the Clearbrook, MN area.

CHARLES R. FEATHEROLF – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery, Hubbard County, MN. Charles Ray Featherolf was the son of Ed Tilman & Mary Etta (Young) Featherolf, and was killed in Action on August 5, 1944 near Saint-Lo, France. Charles R. Featherolf grew up north of Lake Itasca, MN.

OSCAR SIGURD KLEVEN - US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the East Zion Cemetery, Dudley Township, Clearwater County, MN. Oscar Sigurd Kleven was the son of Olaus & Susanna (Strand) Kleven, and was a resident of the Leonard, MN area.

ELMER EDWIN MOEN – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Willamette National Cemetery, Portland, OR. Elmer Edwin Moen was the son of John Henry Moen. Elmer Edwin Moen is believed to have grown up in the Clearbrook, MN area.

DAVID ORLANDO MOEN – US Army that served between the Korean War and the Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Silver Creek Cemetery, Clearbrook, MN. David Orlando Moen was the son of Jens Knutson & Georgianna Martha (Rydeen) Moen.

DONALD C. EDDY – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Samhold Lutheran Cemetery, Gonvick, MN. Donald C. Eddy was the son of Mr. & Mrs. F. L. Eddy, and was a native of the Gonvick, MN area.

CARL P. GRONE – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried at the Florence American Cemetery, Florence, Italy. Carl P. Grone was the son of Hans H. & Ragnhild (Johnson) Grone, and was killed in Action on October 20, 1944, north of Naples, Italy. Carl P. Grone grew up in Fertile, MN and Winsor Township, Clearwater County, MN.

MERLE LEROY METCALF – US Navy Veteran that served during the Korean War and until approximately 1989. Merle Leroy Metcalf remains were spread in Long Lost Lake Township, Clearwater County, MN. Merle Leroy Metcalf was the son of George E. & Edna Mae (Hanson) Metcalf and was a native of the Berner, MN area.

KENNETH CLARENCE HOLMES – US Air Force Veteran that served during Korean War Era, and is buried in the Clover Township Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Kenneth Clarence Holmes was a resident of the Clearbrook, MN and Virginia, MN areas.

CLIFFORD W. ELGIN – US Army Air Corps Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery, Bagley, MN. Clifford W. Elgin was the son of Charles Lewis & Leona Pearl

(Dowhower) Elgin and was a resident of the Roseau, MN and Bagley, MN areas.

THORLIEF PEDERSON – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis, MN. Hennepin County, MN. Thorlief Pederson is the son of Peder J. & Antoinette M. (Nikolaesen) Pederson, and was a resident of the Gonvick, MN area.

NICKLE FAYETTE ROUNDS – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Minerva Cemetery, Minerva Township, Clearwater County, MN. Nickle Fayette Rounds was the son of Mark A. Rounds & Lenora

(McDonald) Shuey, and was a resident of the Minerva Township, Clearwater County, MN area.

GEORGE W. MURRAY – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the St. Phillips Episcopal Cemetery, Rice Lake community, Clearwater County, MN. George W. Murray was a resident of the Ebro, MN area.

HARTVIG ALFRED HANSEN – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Seljord Lutheran Cemetery, Sinclair Township, Clearwater County, MN. Hartvig Alfred Hansen is the son of Hans Andrew & Thora Camelia (Thompson) Hansen, and was a resident of the Clearbrook, MN area.

ROBERT E. HALTERMAN – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Silver Creek Cemetery, Clearbrook, MN. Robert E. Halterman was the son of William & Florence Halterman, and was a resident of the Clearbrook/Leonard, MN area.

LESTER BARDWELL – US Navy Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Friendship Cemetery, Leon Township, Clearwater County, MN. Lester Bardwell was the son of Elmer Eugene & Bertha P. (Knutson) Bardwell, and was a resident of the Clearbrook/Leonard, MN area.

EARL RAYMOND QUERN – US Army Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Samhold Lutheran Cemetery, Gonvick, MN. Earl Raymond Quern was the son of Martin Quern & Julia Christine (Brenna) Larson, and was a resident of the Gonvick, MN area.

KEITH V. O'BEIRNE – US Army Veteran that served during the Vietnam Era, and is buried in Our Lady of Victory Catholic Cemetery, Shevlin, MN. Keith V. O'Beirne was the son of Vincent "Shorty" Ambrose & Viola "Nurdy" (Hanson) O'Beirne, and was a resident of the Shevlin, MN area.

MILTON HENKE – US Air Force Veteran that served during the post-World War II era, and is buried in the Maple Hill Cemetery, Eddy Township, Clearwater County, MN. Milton Henke was the son of Milton & Verna Henke, and was a resident of the Clearbrook, MN area.

VERNON J. BELLAND – US Army Air Corps Veteran that served during World War II, and is buried in the Friendship Cemetery, Leon Township, Clearwater County, MN. Vernon J. Belland was the son of Thomas & Ida Belland, and was a resident of the Gonvick/Clearbrook, MN area.

LYLE RUDOLPH BARDWELL – US Army Veteran that served during the Korean War, and is buried in the Friendship Cemetery, Leon Township, Clearwater County, MN. Lyle Rudolph Bardwell was the son of Arthur & Minnie (Christenson) Bardwell, and was a resident of the Clearbrook/Leonard, MN area.

LARRY MAYNARD ERICKSON – US Navy Veteran that served during Vietnam Era, and is buried in the Clover Township Cemetery, Clearwater County, MN. Larry Maynard Erickson was the son of Ernest & Mavis (Swanson) Erickson, and was a resident of the Clearbrook, MN area.

GUST MAPLE – US Army Veteran that served during World War I, and is buried in the Oak Park Cemetery, Eddy Township, Clearwater, County, MN. Gust Maple was a resident of the Eddy Township, Clearwater County, MN area.

The Clearwater County Veterans Memorial sincerely thanks Jeff Schermerhorn and Neal Illies for all of their efforts in staging the annual motorcycle ride, "RIDE FOR THE STONES", and for the generous donation for the 53 Veteran's Stones. They would also like to thank all the merchants that supplied raffle prizes for the ride; and a sincere thank you to the Bagley American Legion for their hospitality efforts in this worthy endeavor.

Please visit the Clearwater County Veterans Memorial, in Bagley, MN, on Veterans Day.

Freedom is not free; please remember those that served, and especially those that made the ultimate sacrifice for the people of Clearwater County, the State of Minnesota, and the United States.

Clearwater County Veterans Memorial

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By Slim Randles

That certain ... crispness? ... in the air reminds me of one of my favorite story assignments over the past thousand years or so. I was a reporter/columnist/feature writer for The Anchorage Daily News, and since I had a tolerance for eccentricities in others ... well, they called me the weirdo reporter.

And one of the annual tasks that dropped in my lap was doing a story on what kind of a winter it's going to be. And I did this story each August, you see. So will it be nasty cold, very mild, deep snow, no snow ... that sort of thing.

It was fun. I'd call up old sourdoughs who'd give me some estimate and then tell me some weird reason why they thought so. You know, the bird calls changed from the key of C to G sharp, that kind of thing. And I'd call up some Native villages and get expert opinions from the old guys there. Fun story.

Well, this one year I thought, hey ... we have a division of the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration right here in Anchorage, and they have satellites and computers and all kindsa neat stuff. I'll ask them.

So I called NOAA and said, what kind of a winter are we in for? And the guy said, "We really can't predict beyond maybe a week at the most." So I said, look, you have all those neat toys over there ... why can't you



figure it out? And he said, well, Slim, let me see what I can put together and I'll call you tomorrow, okay?

Now we'll get some really educated information for the readers. I couldn't wait.

So next day he calls and says his best guess is we'll have a colder than usual winter. Super. And how did he arrive at that conclusion?

He hemmed and hawed, then said, "Well, the beavers are building their lodges in deeper water this year, so we should expect thicker than normal ice."

Once again science triumphs over the tundra.

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Women of Clearwater County

Terri R. Anderson

1959-1994

Artist

Teryl "Terri" Anderson was born on April 28, 1959 in Fargo ND. She was the daughter of Carroll and Pat Anderson. Terri came to Clearbrook as an infant when her father became owner of the Clearbrook Pharmacy. Carroll later operated the Pederson/Anderson Drug store in Bagley as well.

Terri was one of three daughters and three sons born to Carroll and Pat. She attended school

in Clearbrook and graduated from The University of North Dakota with a Bachelor of Arts Degree (Cum Laude.)

Terri loved art and animals-especially horses. In 1972, when she was 13 years old, Terri fell from a tree and was paralyzed. However, her disability did not stop her from becoming a stunning artist.

Terri died on December 22, 1994 and is buried in the Bagley City Cemetery.

Photos: two of Terri's drawings from the CCHS collection and Terri's yearbook photo (Class of 1975) in the 1974 Hornet Yearbook.



Helping LeRoy Mostrom celebrate his 92nd birthday at Kandi's in Gonvick were from left to right: Cheryl Nybo, Bernice Oftelie, Leroy, Karen Oftelie and Gary Oftelie.

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Clearwater County Sheriff

Weekly activity by Darin Halverson

Bear Creek - Total 2
11/02/21 12:32 Trespass
11/04/21 08:59 Property Damage
City of Bagley - Total 32
10/31/21 06:57 911 Hang Up
10/31/21 18:00 ASSIST
11/01/21 08:05 Threats
11/01/21 08:11 Medical - Patient
Treated, Transported by EMS
11/01/21 08:21 Medical
11/01/21 11:13 Transport
11/01/21 13:45 Juvenile Misc
11/01/21 13:53 THEFT
11/01/21 14:03 Assault
11/01/21 14:42 Assault
11/01/21 16:13 Transport
11/02/21 02:29 Fire
11/02/21 07:44 Medical - Patient
Treated, Transported by EMS
11/02/21 12:07 Vehicle Lock Out
11/02/21 13:47 Transport
(Welfare/Civil) - Handled By Office
11/02/21 15:17 Sexual Conduct
11/02/21 18:33 Death 39 - Patient
Dead at Scene-No EMS
11/03/21 12:09 Welfare Check
11/03/21 12:38 Disorderly
11/03/21 12:58 THEFT
11/03/21 20:50 Suspicious Activity
11/03/21 23:17 Medical - Patient
Treated, Transported by EMS
11/04/21 15:13 Disorderly
11/04/21 22:51 Drug Related
11/05/21 07:25 Property Damage
11/05/21 12:42 Vehicle Lock Out
11/05/21 13:08 Crimes Against
Family - Handled By Officer / Deputy
11/05/21 13:16 THEFT
11/05/21 15:09 Transport
(Welfare/Civil) - Gone On Arrival
11/06/21 09:43 Information Only
11/06/21 10:19 Medical - Patient
Treated, Transported by EMS
11/06/21 10:55 Vehicle Lock Out
City of Gonvick - Total 2
11/04/21 15:54 Suspicious Activity
11/04/21 19:46 ASSIST
City of Shevlin - Total 6
11/01/21 14:42 911 Hang Up
11/01/21 15:21 Parking Complaint
11/04/21 10:27 Threats
11/05/21 13:32 Crimes Against
Family - Handled By Officer / Deputy
11/05/21 14:01 Animal Related
11/06/21 21:40 Traffic Stop
Copley - Total 2
11/03/21 08:02 Traffic Stop
11/03/21 09:38 Animal Related
Dudley - Total 3
11/05/21 19:41 Vehicle Lock Out
11/05/21 21:23 Traffic Stop
11/05/21 22:57 Traffic Stop
Falk - Total 6
11/04/21 00:30 Disturbance
11/04/21 07:36 Disturbance
11/05/21 08:21 Civil Complaint
11/06/21 02:28 Disturbance
11/06/21 21:46 911 Hang Up
11/06/21 22:05 Property Damage
Holst - Total 4
11/01/21 21:12 Animal Related
11/02/21 16:18 Motor Vehicle
Crash - Handled By Officer / Deputy
11/04/21 12:53 Motorist Assist
11/05/21 21:40 Traffic Stop
Itasca - Total 1
11/03/21 13:35 Traffic Stop
LaPrairie N - Total 3
11/01/21 13:26 Motor Vehicle
Theft - Handled By Officer / Deputy
11/03/21 14:24 THEFT - Report
Taken
11/06/21 14:36 Welfare Check
Leon - Total 5
11/01/21 15:44 Motorist Assist
11/05/21 07:06 Traffic Stop
11/05/21 14:16 Trespass
11/05/21 18:13 Traffic Stop
11/06/21 20:22 Traffic Stop
Minerva - Total 2
10/31/21 06:46 Medical - Patient
Dead at Scene-No EMS
11/06/21 18:20 Animal Related
Moose Creek - Total 1
11/06/21 23:20 Traffic Stop
Nora - Total 3
11/01/21 18:16 Motorist Assist
11/06/21 06:05 Alarm O
11/06/21 13:47 Fire - Unit
Cancelled Enroute
Out of Jurisdiction - Total 2
11/04/21 09:15 Transport
11/04/21 17:46 Assist Other
Agency-Patient Treated, Transported
Pine Lake - Total 2
11/05/21 06:41 Suspicious Activity
11/06/21 02:40 Traffic Stop
Popple - Total 2
11/01/21 11:38 Suspicious Activity
11/06/21 20:13 911 Hang Up
Rice - Total 1
11/04/21 13:15 Alarm - Unit
Cancelled Enroute
Shevlin - Total 6
11/01/21 08:10 Animal Related
- Gone On Arrival/Unable to Locate
11/03/21 17:20 Motor Vehicle
Crash - Handled By Officer / Deputy
11/05/21 13:20 Crimes Against
Family - Handled By Officer / Deputy
11/05/21 20:27 Traffic Stop -
Citation Issued (Verbal Or Written)
11/06/21 09:07 05 - Assignment
Completed/Settled by Phone
11/06/21 21:17 Traffic Stop
Winsor - Total 2
10/31/21 12:49 Property Damage
11/03/21 04:24 Medical - Patient
Treated, Transported by EMS
Total Records: 87



Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

My mother-in-law Beulah Richards, passed away and her funeral will be on Friday, November 12. It will be held at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church at 11:00 am in Clearbrook. The Leader-Record office in Gonvick will be closed from 10 to 1 that day. Thank you for your understanding.

The Veterans Day program will be held at Clearbrook-Gonvick School on Thursday November 11th at 10:00 AM. Parents, family members, and all community members are welcome to attend.

A Lutfisk/Meatball supper will be offered for ALL on Veteran's Day, November 11th from 4:30 – 7 p.m. The meal will be available for Dine-In and takeout. The supper will be served in the Gym of the

old school to ensure a more leisurely and comfortable dining experience.

Saturday, November 13 you can take your tired hunting body to the Gonvick Legion for their month fish fry.

Charps, LLC in Clearbrook will be giving away turkey at their office in Clearbrook on Wednesday, November 17 from 10:00 until noon or until they are all gone. They are given away on a first come, first served basis and 1 per household. Happy Thanksgiving from them to you.

Did you get that big buck? We sure would like to get it in the paper send to richards@gvtel.com or stop by the office in Gonvick and we will get a picture of your trophy.

Gully Cafe will welcome hunters for their annual reunion for family and friends during hunting season days of through November 13.

Save the Date for Saturday, December 4th. It will be Santa Day in Clearbrook. 10:00 am - 3:00 pm Craft Sale at the Clearbrook Community Center.

Santa Claus Day will be on December 11 in Gonvick. The day will include a visit by Santa and Mrs. Claus with gifts, games, prizes and treats. It will be held at the Clear Waters Life Center from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. Please help make it a success by providing a cash donation. Your money will be strictly used for items for the children.

The Samhold Lutheran Church in Gonvick will have a Christmas Event on Sunday, December 5th at 3:00 p.m. Concert by "Acoustofiddle", Jeff Menten and Paul Nye with a Scandinavian Meal to follow.

From my mail... Becky Westrum Lehmann sent a nice note with her renewal. She said, "Thank you for

helping to keep me connected to the community."

Roger Edverson sent greetings from Grand Rapids with his Leader-Record renewal. We see them at Clearbrook and Gonvick special events. I think that many events for next year will be going again. Also Santa Claus Craft Day in Clearbrook is on again for this year. Things are looking up.

Joke Time...

Ole went into the auto parts store to check to see if they had any longer dipsticks, because his doesn't reach his oil anymore. Now what is he going to do.

Sixty might be the new forty but 9:00 is the new midnight.

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.

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

Terry Smith at Beltrami History Center Saturday

[Bemidji, MN, October 2021] – The Historical Society welcomes retired law enforcement officer and author Terry Smith for a program and signing for his new book, Code 4. The event will take place Saturday, November 12, at 2pm at the History Center.

Over a thirty-seven-year span Terry Smith worked as a uniformed officer, a long-haired undercover narcotics agent, an organized crime investigator, a SWAT Commander, and a homicide detective. Code 4 shares much about his work leading the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension office in Bemidji

and gives an inside look at several newsworthy cases he supervised.

This program is FREE, no advance registration required.

Books will be available for purchase and signing at the event! For more information, please contact the Historical Society: 218-444-3376, or depot@beltramihistory.org.

Do Not Deposit Snow On County Roadways

The Polk County Highway Department wishes to inform all residents of Polk County that in accordance with Minnesota Statute 160.27, Subd. 5, it is illegal to place snow (by plowing, blowing or shoveling etc.) onto County Highways. Violation of this Statute is considered a misdemeanor.

Polk County also cautions that the act of placing snow onto a County Highway can subject a person to a civil liability if a road hazard occurs and causes a traffic accident. The civil liability can extend to both the property owner and the person who actually placed the snow on the roadway. All citizens are asked to obey these rules, which are designed to keep our highways safe during winter months.

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Crafters at Gonvick Pumpkin Day and Car Show



Participant at the Gonvick Pumpkin Day craft sale was Kenny Johnson. He does the selling and Rhonda Lene does the canning.



Bobbie Mahowald came from Bemidji to set up her table to sell at the Gonvick Pumpkin and Car Show day events. Cindy Knutson stopped for a look.



What started as a cool morning at the Gonvick Pumpkin Day and Car Show turned out to be a beautiful day for selling caps and hats. Dave and Kristi Saiger of Bemidji had their tables set up.



Michael Connolly of Solway had a table of jewelry set up at the Gonvick Pumpkin Day and Car Show.



ColorStreet for your nails was the table set up by Chris Serbus of Bemidji at the Gonvick Pumpkin Day and Car Show.



Canned goods and much more was what Greg Morse and BJ Safferd from Lake Lomond Gardens of Bagley had at their tables that were set up at the Gonvick Pumpkin Day and Car Show.

Daisy Hagen Auction for the Arts to be held November 28th

On Sunday, November 28th, collectors, arts supporters, Christmas shoppers, and curiosity seekers alike will be treated to the 'Daisy Hagen Auction for the Arts', a special Fosston community event that only comes around once every two years. At 1:00pm on Sunday, November 28th, the preview will begin in the public library and gallery of

the Fosston Community Library Arts Center. Shortly after, at 2:00pm, both the live and silent auctions will begin, with the highly anticipated guest auctioneer and former Fosston High School English teacher, Lynda Lohmeier, returning to call for the bids. Items donated include quilts, watercolor paintings, baked

goods, gift certificates, wood-working, honey, smoked cheese, glassblowing, and so much more! There will also be a raffle! As always, homemade yummy holiday treats and refreshments will be served. All proceeds will benefit the Fosston Community Library Arts Association to enhance our arts programming. Come and enjoy yourself while taking care of some holiday shopping!

McQuown runs for CG at State Cross Country Meet.

Senior Jack McQuown spent last Saturday morning running his last Cross Country race at the Minnesota State High School Cross Country meet at St. Olaf College in Northfield, MN. It was an absolutely gorgeous day to run. The course was very difficult with some very challenging hills to traverse. Jack ran an excellent race placing 79th out of 159 runners with a great time of 17:49. Jack was running against the best runners in all the state and ran a great race for himself. Jack ends his cross country career holding the fastest three mile time since we started 6 years ago at 17:32. Congratulations Jack on a great running career at Clearbrook-Gonvick.



Jack McQuown and Coach John Lavin at the State Cross Country Meet.

607 boxes collected

The 1st Annual CG Elementary Student Council Cereal Drive was a huge success!! Our goal was 500 boxes and we crushed it with 607 boxes total!! We brought boxes to Ruby's Pantry and to the Clearwater County Food shelf. They were so thankful and impressed. We really do have a great school and community! I wanted to share with all of you what one of my

student council kids said to me on the bus... "This is so exciting! I have never been a part of something so important!" Here are the winners: 1st Place: 3rd Grade Bakke- 96 boxes!! 2nd Place: K Christen - 86 boxes!! 3rd Place: TIE: 4th Grade Nordlund/ 5th Grade Hamnes:

60 boxes each!! I am so proud of every class for doing such a great job and bringing in these boxes! Thank You all so much! What a great day!! Tiffany Kroulik, Community Education Director was in charge of the project that was the first time it had ever been done.



Clearbrook-Gonvick student council members include 4th Grade: Caroline Machlitt, Shya Engebretson, Kyson Dombkowski. 5th Grade: Gracie Petit, Travis Johnson, Harper Watne. Tesa Vettleson 6th Grade:, Avery Haugan. Raina Jarnot. Alexa Anderson, Peyton Wittenberg, Charlie Phillips



LeRoy Mostrom of Gonvick celebrated his 92 birthday at Kandi's Cafe in Gonvick last week. Several family and friends also were there to wish him best wishes and get a taste of the cake.

Thank you Minnesotans.

Your collaboration and commitment were unprecedented.

Thank you to communities, tribal nations, landowners, businesses, union workers, contractors, civic leaders and supporters for your efforts to ensure the Line 3 Replacement Project was properly approved and safely constructed.

After more than eight years working together through extensive community engagement and comprehensive environmental, regulatory and legal review, the replaced Line 3 is now safely delivering the reliable and low-cost energy people in the Midwest depend on every day.

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