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Two cattle auctions set for this weekend

Nordlund Stock Farm near Clearbrook will held their 25th annual Production Sale on Saturday, February 19, 2022. It is a live event on DVAuction Service starting at 1:00 p.m. They will have 75 bulls and 60 females. They will board bulls for free until April 1. There is also free delivery in Minnesota and surrounding states.

Sunday February 20, 2022 the Lost River Livestock with Dan and David Larson, will be holding the 12th annual Production sale on the ranch near Clearbrook. They will have 85 lots to sell with 60 Gelbvieh, Balancer, SimAngus and Red Angus Bulls and 25 Gelbvieh, Balancer and Red Angus bred Heifers.

County Revenue Fund shows increase exceeding \$2.4 million

By Tom Burford
An increase in the County Revenue Fund's balance was great news presented at the County Board meeting of Feb. 8. Although commissioners were familiar with the numbers, County Auditor-Treasurer Al Paulson was pleased to announce that the year-end balance was \$10,019,805. This showed an increase of \$2,452,841 over the starting balance in January 2021 of \$7,566,964.

This increase in the balance is one reason the County Board was able to authorize a levy reduction for taxes payable in 2022 that was approved at an earlier meeting.

In other matters, the board approved:

Entering a customer support agreement with Ziegler Power Systems for the Land and Forestry Department's on-site generator. Derek Loiland addressed the board on this matter, not-

ing that the new contract of \$3,603 per year for three years (\$10,810 total) shows a reduction from the prior agreement of \$14,000 per three years.

The 2022 Ditch Fund Budget of \$31,337.

Authorizing the Board Chair and Sheriff to sign and execute the 2022-2023 Snowmobile Enforcement Grant in the amount of \$5,106.

A motion to have the Sheriff give a 90-day notice to terminate the contract with MEND Correctional Care and enter into contract negotiations with Advanced Correctional Healthcare for inmate medical care.

The hiring of Jordan Ufford as a full-time communications correctional officer in the jail.

The purchase by the Clearwater County Nursing Service of six computers, including Microsoft licenses and associated hardware for a total of \$10,207, which was within the Nursing Service's budget.

County Board approves One Watershed, One Plan for Mississippi Headwaters Watershed

By Tom Burford
A resolution supporting implementation of the Mississippi River Headwaters Watershed One Watershed, One Plan project was approved unanimously by the Clearwater County Board at its Feb. 8 meeting.

Going through the resolution and highlights from a memorandum of agreement was Chester Powell of the Clearwater County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD). Also present was SWCD technician Kaleb Buesing.

The One Watershed One Plan concept unites all the watershed districts and counties in the Mississippi Headwaters Watershed (MHW). The idea is that with a unified board they can cooperate with design, implementation and funding to complete projects affecting the MHW.

According to the memorandum of agreement, all the entities involved have a common interest and statutory authority to conserve soil and water resources through various practices and programs, regulatory controls, etc. to prevent erosion, sedimentation, siltation and related pollution, with the aim of ensuring continued soil productivity, protecting water quality, reducing damages caused by floods, preserving wildlife, protecting the tax base,

and protecting public lands and waters.

The memorandum of understanding does not establish a joint powers entity. An advisory committee will steer the members, but will provide technical support and identify priorities. The advisory committee will consist of the local steering team, stakeholders, the state's primary water agencies, and/or plan review agencies. This committee will meet, at a minimum, annually.

The One Watershed One Plan organization will include a fiscal agent, a comprehensive plan coordinator and a Steering Team. The Steering Team will consist of local county and SWCD staff. This team must prepare a draft annual work plan and budget for the ensuing calendar year, which will be presented to the Policy Committee for review and approval. The Steering Team will meet as needed.

Authorized representatives are the Environmental Services Directors and SWCD District Managers from each of the counties involved: Clearwater, Beltrami, Itasca, Cass, and Hubbard.

The passage of the resolution supporting the One Watershed, One Plan project marks a major step in a process that began in 2019.

Easement approved, but weed complaint remains FWS Easement raises issue of uncontrolled weeds

By Tom Burford
The Clearwater County Board approved a wetland easement for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service on property owned by Starlett Thorson on property in Eddy Township.

The easement came before the board at its Feb. 8 meeting and was opposed by Commissioner Mark Larson.

Larson was vocal in his opposition, referring to his experience with uncontrolled weeds spreading onto his property from a different FWS easement site across the road from his land. Larson said he has heard from other property owners who complained about weeds.

"I'm extremely disappointed with the habitat" on property near his land. "It's loaded with weeds.... There is no effort to control weeds."

He said, "I spray all summer to control weeds" spreading from the site.

FWS Agent Kent Sundseth told how weed control was difficult last year because of the dry weather. The cover crop on land referred to by Larson was stunted by drought, and weeds overtook the site. The FWS did

not want to mow down the cover crop of legumes they had just planted. He said the FWS has equipment to mow the land to help control weeds.

Board Chair Mark Titera said, "I know what Mark's talking about. If mowing was done at the right height, it would have knocked down the weeds."

Commissioner Dean Newland said, "This is a site that Mark (Larson) can see. How many others are there" (with weeds)?

Larson said, "I'm voting 'no' for anything. I don't agree with perpetual wetland easements."

Commissioner Neal Illies reminded the board that they had reached a prior consensus to approve two FWS easements (this year). He then made a motion to move forward with the Thorson easement.

Newland seconded the motion, noting it would then be time to discuss the issues. He said that "from way back" he has been opposed to perpetual easements. He told how a few years ago his neighbors were

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Clearbrook-Gonvick students in the cast include: Kjersti Snyder, Presley Westrum, Rocklyn McKenzie, Isabelle Coxsey, Reign Wegscheid, Camille DeSchane, Ambjør Snyder, Jason Sharp, Tim Chandler, Hadley DeVries, and Isabelle Torgerson.

Clearbrook-Gonvick students perform one act play "Radium Girls"

Family, friends, and the community of Clearbrook-Gonvick were treated to a performance of the one act play, "Radium Girls" on Friday, February 4th. Students in the cast include: Kjersti Snyder, Presley Westrum, Rocklyn McKenzie, Isabelle Coxsey, Reign Wegscheid, Camille DeSchane, Ambjør Snyder, Jason Sharp, Tim Chandler, Hadley DeVries, and Isabelle Torgerson.

In 1926, radium was a miracle cure, Madame Curie an international celebrity, and luminous watches the latest rage--until the girls who painted them began to fall ill with a mysterious disease. Inspired by a true story, "Radium Girls" traces the efforts of Grace Fryer, a dial painter, as she fights for her day in court. Her chief adversary is her former employer,

Arthur Roeder, an idealistic man who cannot bring himself to believe that the same element that shrinks tumors could have anything to do with the terrifying rash of illnesses among his employees. As the case goes on, however, Grace finds herself battling not just with the U.S. Radium Corporation but also with her own family and friends, who fear

that her campaign for justice will backfire. "Radium Girls" offers a wry, unflinching look at American obsessions with health, wealth, and the commercialization of science.

The cast and director, Mrs. Ragan, would like to thank everyone who assisted us as we prepared and practiced the play. Thanks to all who attended our performance!

Gonvick LARL site included

Local Libraries offering public access laptops

Lake Agassiz Regional Library (LARL) is introducing a new option for people to access a laptop computer with freedom and flexibility at their public library. Cardholders can visit their nearest LARL library to check out a laptop computer to use inside the library's building for the day, offering them endless options, including using the computer's webcam to conduct virtual meetings and interviews in privacy, browsing the Internet, accessing email, conducting genealogy research and much more.

"We're thrilled to add the flexibility offered by the laptops to our list of services," said Liz Lynch, Executive Director of Lake Agassiz Regional Library. "We're confident that they will be a vital resource for those seeking jobs or improving their career prospects, not to mention the advantage this service will provide to genealogy researchers, students, business owners and more. We're proud to offer technology assistance as well, which means that those struggling to use their devices or computers can bring them to the

library, where a friendly librarian will help them learn how to use the technology."

To use a laptop for the day, stop by your local library and inquire at the front desk. Laptops are now available in libraries across Lake Agassiz Regional Library's region.

The new laptops are one of several new services introduced by the library system in response to the pandemic, including wireless printing, wireless hotspots available for check-out and hoopla, a free-of-charge streaming service

similar to Netflix.

About Lake Agassiz Regional Library:

Lake Agassiz Regional Library is a consolidated public library system comprised of 13 branch libraries and nine LINK sites serving the residents of seven counties in northwest Minnesota.

For more information on this and other LARL events and services, contact the Lake Agassiz Regional Library office at 218-233-3757 or online at www.larl.org.



Clearwater County Republicans met at the Bagley High School Commons area to caucus on Tuesday, February 1.

Clearwater County Republicans hosts caucus in Bagley

The Clearwater County Republicans met at the Bagley High School Commons area to caucus on Tuesday, February 1.

Matt Huschle was voted in as temporary Chairperson for the night and Cheryl Grover was elected temporary secretary.

Tellers for the night were Greg Scherzer, Joe Baron, John Gerbracht, and Dennis Hiemenz.

Cheryl Grover and Matt Grossell spoke on issues relevant that are facing Minnesota and what we can do to make a difference. Letters from 5 of the governor candidates were read and members of the republican committee in attendance were invited to respond in support or against these candidates.

65 members performed a "straw vote" for the Minnesota Governor seat. Dr. Scott Jensen had a strong lead with 31 votes and Paul Gazelka followed with 10 votes, Mike Murphy took 9 of the votes.

The Republican Convention for Clearwater County will be held on Saturday, February 26th in the third floor meeting room of the Clearwater County Courthouse with registration at 8:30 a.m. and the Convention Called to order at 9:00 a.m.

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Community Calendar

Clearbrook City council meeting postponed

The Clearbrook City Council meeting set for February 14 was cancelled due to scheduling conflicts.

They will be meeting on Monday, February 21 at 7:00 p.m.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Main Entrees included with meal are vegetable, bread, milk, dessert and or fruit.

Wed. Feb. 16- BBQPork, Bun, Baked Beans, Spiced Pears, Dessert.

Thurs. Feb. 17- Roasted Turkey with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Sage Dressing, Dessert.

Fri. Feb. 18- Swedish Meatball, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Dessert.

Mon. Feb. 21 - Orange Chicken , Brown Rice, Oriental Vegetables, Mandarin Oranges, Cookie

Tues. Feb. 22 - Goulash, Peas, Tropical Fruit, Garlic Breadstick.

Wed. Feb. 23 - Beef & Bean Burrito Bake, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pears, Dessert.

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

NOTICE TO CLOVER TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Clover Township that the annual election of town officers and the annual meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 8th, 2022 at the Clover Town Hall. Meeting will be held at 4:00 p.m. Election polls will be open 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

1 Supervisor for 3 year term
1 Clerk for 2 year term

If there is inclement weather, the meeting and election will be held the following Tuesday, March 15th at the same times.

Joel Wraa, Clerk R39,43,48C

Notice to Gully Township Residents

Gully Township will hold their annual meeting and election on March 8, 2022 at the Gully Township Hall.

The election for 1 Supervisor - 3 year term
1 Clerk - 2 year term

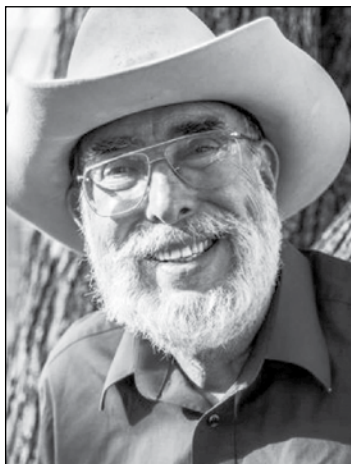
will begin at 5:00 p.m. and continue until 8:00 p.m. The board of canvass will meet to canvass the votes immediately after the election. The annual meeting will begin at 8:15 p.m.

In the event of bad weather, the annual meeting and election will be postponed until Tuesday, March 15, 2022 with the same times to apply.

Gully Township Clerk
Carole J. Tharaldson R48-49C

Home Country

By Slim Randles



learn, to meet and tell stories. It's the core of our universe. The fireplace – and those waiting for us there – is what we dream about when we're miles from home in the woods or desert. It warms us, inside and out, cooks our food, and answers our questions.

Questions? Sure. When the fire's burning low, and you can just see the little blue lickem flames curling around the glowing embers late at night, and when we've about talked out the day's adventures, we can look at those embers and find answers to questions we didn't even know we had. And we feel sorry for people who don't have these advantages.

Brought to you by the genuine cowboy music and musings of Steve Cormier up in New Mexico's Sandia Mountains. Check him out at stevecormier.net.

Anishinaabe Arts Initiative Fellowship applications are due March 1

The Anishinaabe Arts Initiative (AAI) Fellowship provides unfettered funding to one Indigenous artist to fuel his/her art in Beltrami, Clearwater, Hubbard, Mahnomen, Lake of the Woods, Becker, Roseau, Cass, and Itasca counties in Minnesota.

The goal of the AAI Fellowship Program is to assist the region's most talented Indigenous artists in furthering and innovating their work. One \$5,000 award will be granted in 2022. The funds can be used for, but not limited to, exploring new directions or continuing work in progress; production costs, materials, or equipment; collaborative or community projects; travel, research or study to further your art. Eligible proposals must be adaptive to restrictions that exist during the current global pandemic.

Application Deadline: March 1, 2022

Maximum Award: One \$5,000 award

Details and application information are available online at r2arts.org

Questions? Need more information?

We are here to help!
CALL: 218-751-5447 / 800-275-5447

Platbooks now Available at Richards Publishing 239 2nd Ave. Gonvick

\$30.00 Office hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

NALC meeting at Samhold Samhold Women NALC/LCMC will meet on Thursday, February 17, 2022 in the church basement. Program begins at 2:30 pm with guest speaker, Nathan Engebretson. Please bring a homemade Valentine to exchange. Coffee and dessert will be served at 4:00 with free will offering.

Report from the County Nursing Service

Clearwater County: There are 2055 confirmed cumulative cases.

We have 132 active cases from 01-29-22 to 02-11-22 giving us a 14 day case rate of: 149.83.

Ages of current cases:

0-19	24
20-39	40
40-59	33
60-79	32
80+	3

The positivity rate in MN is 13.0%, and daily cases for today are 4587.

Statewide COVID hospitalizations yesterday were 1052 patients. 14.23% of all patients in hospitals, in Minnesota have COVID.

Vaccine: Get vaccinated! We do not want to lose another person to COVID!

The COVID-19 vaccine is safe. It has gone through all the same safety steps of any other vaccine. The COVID-19 vaccine works. The vaccine is very good at protecting people from COVID-19 disease. If you do get sick with COVID-19 after being vaccinated, the vaccine will help protect you from getting very sick or having to go to the hospital. It takes two weeks after your second dose in a two-dose series or first dose in a one-dose series to build up protection against COVID-19. After those two weeks, you are fully vaccinated. The person who gives you the vaccine can tell you how many doses of vaccine you need and when to get them. This could include a third dose or booster dose. It is important to get the doses you need for the best protection (MDH).

We will be giving boosters (or first and second shots) as well as vaccine for children ages 5-18 years old next February 17th from 2-4pm. If you would like to sign up or have questions please call Clearwater County Nursing Service (CCNS): 218-694-6581.

* If that time does not work call and check as we may have other dates or times available.

***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!

Lisa Syverson RN/PHN, Director CCNS

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Gully: Gully Cafe

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Red Lake: Red Lake Foods

Gonvick: Northern Bait and Convenience, Leader-Record office

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Give a Veteran a Lift concert in Bagley Feb. 19

Get set for a night of great music to support a great cause! The annual Give a Veteran a Lift concert is back and will take place at the Bagley High School Auditorium in Bagley on Saturday, Feb. 19 from 7:00-9:30 p.m.

Admission is free, with free will offerings accepted. 100% of proceeds will go to the Clearwater County Veterans Transportation Fund, which provides veterans with access to rides to and from medical appointments and other necessary meetings.

Performing this year will be numerous acts including The

Fradenburghs, The Snowmen, singer/guitarist Whitney Pitman, and The Abello Family Band.

Head over to Bagley for an evening of family-friendly classic, country-western and bluegrass music to help support a great cause.

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

Church News

SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH - NALC Gonvick 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

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

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

Friday Night Out – German Cuisine Friday, March 4th from 5-7p.m. at CWLC in Gonvick. Join us as we enjoy a 4-course meal inspired by German cuisine. RSVP on our website, www.clearwaterslife.org, or by calling: 218-776-2789.

Pottery and Beyond - Join instructor LeAnne Walberg on an artistic exploration into the myriad of possibilities available when creating with the medium of clay. This class will move quickly through basic wheel, slab, and hand-building techniques and Raku firing methods. March 14-May 2, 2022 * Gonvick * 6:30-8:30pm * Monday Evenings * \$5/night. Register online at www.clearwaterslife.org or call us at 218-776-2789

Senior Connection Cooking Classes Held the 2nd Monday of the month from 11am to 12:30pm at Clear Waters Life Center in Gonvick. Next class March 14th, 2022. 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. Sponsored by Clear Waters life Center and Prime West Health.

Grief Share Support Group This group is for those going through the grieving process due to the death of a loved one. Join us for one week or ongoing as we travel this journey together. Available with registration on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday from 6:30-8:30p.m. at CWLC Clearbrook. Register by calling our office: 218-776-2789.

Shop-at-the-Top is Clear Waters Life Center's volunteer operated store with over 6,000 sq. feet of retail space in Clearbrook. Donations accepted during business hours. SALE: February 21-26 50% off all clothing items. Visit our website for more information https://www.clearwaterslife.org/shop-at-the-top.html Hours are 10:00am to 4:00pm weekdays & 10:00am – 12:00pm Saturdays

Weekly Exercise for Seniors Join us Monday and Friday and get your body stretched and moving. Held at CWLC in Gonvick from 10-11a.m. Some of the activities include 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.

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

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ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH Clearbrook Pastor Adam Krog Wed. - 6:00 p.m. confirmation; 7:30 p.m. Prayer Time. Sun. - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 am Worship Service.

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 www.countryfaith.org 218-776-3367 office@countryfaith.org

Sunday Worship - 9:00 a.m. Sunday School (Sept - May) 10:00 a.m. Worship Service (Jr Church during Sermon time) 7:00 p.m. Elevate Youth for all 7th-12th Graders (Most Sundays)

Every Tuesday at 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer

Check the website for up to date information. Sermons are streamed via Facebook & Youtube weekly.

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

Wed., Feb. 16 - 5:45pm Confirmation/Meal 7-9th Grade; 6:30pm Choir practice; 7:30pm Handbell practice

Sun., Feb. 20 - 9:00 am Worship Service/Communion with Pastor Alex Waters; 10:00am Coffee Hour/ Sunday School; Service Group 5 will meet after church

Wed., Feb. 23 -5:45pm Confirmation/Meal 7-9th Grade; 6:30pm Choir practice; 7:30pm Handbell practice

Good Shepherd Office Hours; Tues. to Fri. 8:30 am to 1:30 am.

Our Savior's Sun., Feb. 20 - 10:00am Coffee Hour/Sunday School; 11:00am Worship Service & Communion with Pastor Alex Waters

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH Mt. Olive – Nazareth Oak Park – St. Petri Pastor Jeff Merseeth

Wed, Feb. 16: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School.

Sat, Feb. 19: Mt Olive: 9:00 a.m.

Sun, Feb. 20: St. Petri: 8:00 a.m. Worship, 9:15 a.m. SS. Nazareth: 8:30 a.m. SS, 9:45 a.m. Worship. Oak Park: 9:45 a.m. SS, 11:00 a.m. Worship.

Wed, Feb. 23: 5 p.m. Wednesday School. 7:00 p.m. Ladies Aid.

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

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH Jarred LeBon, Pastor Tyler Stynsberg, Assoc. Pastor

www.newjourneyfosston.com

Wed, Feb. 16: 6:25 p.m. AWA-NA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

Sun, Feb. 20: 9:30 a.m. Worship. 10:45 a.m. Sunday School.

Tue, Feb. 22: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions.

Wed, Feb. 23: 6:25 p.m. AWA-NA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH Bethany * Lund Sand Valley Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister

Sun, Feb. 20: 9:00 a.m. Lund. 10:30 a.m. Bethany. Youth Group Ski Trip – leave Lund at Noon.

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 live-streamed on Facebook (https://www.facebook.com/bethelfosston) as an alternative to attending in person.

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

Clearbrook-Gonvick 2nd Quarter Honor Roll

12th grade A Honor Roll
Justyce Auginash, Jayden Bergerson, John DeVries, Jensen Engberg, Ella Engen, Chantell Kusick, Dana Melby, McKenzie Weems, Kaylee Westrum, Samuel Wishard.

11 grade A Honor Roll
Elizabeth Eckman, Serena Feltrin, Hailee Hanson, Julianne Lavin, Dawson Quern, Noah Reimer, Logan Westrum.

10th grade A Honor Roll
Skylar Ballard, Alex Churness, Abigail Engen, Makenna Hartwig, Haley McCoy.

9th grade A Honor Roll
Ryan Bodensteiner, Dylan Dahlke, Anna Engebretson, Allison LaVine Cecelia Midbo, Emma Nybo, Craig Roy III, Meika Schmidtgal.

8th grade A Honor Roll
Brady Beaulieu, Jacie Bergerson, Emma Fawver, Elsie Harmon, Joely Hinrichs Olson, Sarah Imle, Amelia Machlitt, Chasity Mathson, Audrey McCoy, Hannah Weems, Mikaela Weems, Wyatt Westrum.

7th grade A Honor Roll
Lucas Bakken, Braxton Bjerke, Hadley DeVries, Ryan

Gerlofs, Trey Goudge, Carver Kroulik, Malea Mathison.

12 grade B Honor Roll
Aiden Churness, Tyler Erickson, Daniele Faldet, Malania Hartwig, Gryphon Riley, Alise Sargent, Jayna Tronnes, Maci Wagner.

11th grade B Honor Roll
Isabelle Coxsey, Ty Dyrda, Deagan Griffin, Anna Piatkoff, Sarah Reichert, Briana Sather, Kjersti Snyder.

10th grade B Honor Roll
Aliyah Ballard, Benjamin Goudge, Vincent Harmon, Luke Johnson, Keenan Smith, Trever Solberg, Nathan Weems, Presley Westrum.

9th grade B Honor Roll
Gabriele Anderson, Timothy Chandler, Camille DeSchane, Tavia Johnson, Kailey Klema, Tatum Melby, Aleeyah Molden, Natalie Tollefson, Reign Wegscheid, Cooper Wishard.

8th grade B Honor Roll
Aiden DeSchane, Elijah Hacker, Annamarie Heydel, Logan Knutson, Bryan Morris.

7th grade B Honor Roll
Carter Ballard, Grant Engen, Molly Nelson.

Bears over Chargers 63-54

Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears had a make-up game on Saturday, February 17. The game against Grygla Goodridge was cancelled due to bad weather on Friday, February 11.

The first half was played evenly with the Bears taking a 2 point lead 29-27 into the break.

Annabelle Phillips had the hot hand scoring 10 points in the first half and 13 in the second half to lead all scorers with 23 points. Two others Bears scored in double figures with Maci Wagner putting in 14 and Dana Melby 11. Other scorers were Allison Lavine 5, Kaylee Westrum 5, Ella Engen 23 and Kenna Hartwig 2.

Scoring for the Chargers were Hanna Wilebski and Caitlyn Jacobson with 13, Chesney Salo and Kylie Delage with 9 each, Kjerstin Nelson 6 and Sadie Anderson 4.

Both teams committed 18 fouls in the game. The Bears hit 18 of 26 from the free throw line while the Chargers had 11 of 18. Making the biggest difference in the game.

Both teams hit 3 - three point shots from that range. Hitting the three for the Bears were LaVine, Westrum and Engen.

Fry Bread/Taco Night February 17

The Clearbrook-Gonvick Lunch Ladies would like to invite you to their Fry Bread Taco Night event. Stop by and eat after Parent/Teacher Conferences or before the home girls basketball game that evening against Red Lake County Central.

They will be serving on Thursday, February 17th from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. in the Clearbrook-Gonvick High School Commons area. Eat in or Take out options are available. Call in your orders at 218-776-3112 ext. 310.

Suggested donation is \$8.00 minimum with the taco, dessert and drink.

Bears take LOW Bears 86-36

Several Bears scored for the Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears with their win over Lake of the Woods Bears 86-36. The game was held on the Clearbrook-Gonvick court on Tuesday, February 8.

Dana Melby was high point with 23 points and three -three point baskets. Kaylee Westrum contributed 4 three point baskets in the CG Bears win. In the first half the CG Bears outthrust the LOW Bears 46 to 16 takins a very comfortable lead into the second half.

The CG Bears were 11 of 17 at the free throw line while the LOW Bears were 3 of 6. The GC Bears committed 8 fouls while the LOW Bears had 12.

Scoring for the GC Bears were Dana Melby 23, Annabell Phillips 19, Kaylee Westrum 16, Maci Wagner 12, Ella Engen 5, Allison LaVine 4, Aliyah Ballard 3 and two each for Sarah Reichart and Kenna Hartwig.

Scoring for the LOW Bears were Brooklyn 11, Mackenzie 9, Sophie Walton 7, Bailey 4, Paige 4 and Kayman 1.

Section 8A West		W	L
Cass Lake-Bena.....	15	2	82.5
Fosston.....	13	2	71.6
Fertile-Beltrami.....	15	5	62.3
Kelliher/Northome.....	11	4	59.7
Mahnomen/Waubun.....	13	6	56.7
Clearbrook-Gonvick.....	12	5	56.4
RLCC.....	7	10	39.7
Bagley.....	5	16	26.9
Win-E-Mac.....	2	15	23.3

Section 8A West		W	L
Stephen-Argyle.....	13	1	84/6
BGMR.....	12	5	82.7
Goodridge/Grygla.....	13	3	68.0
WAO.....	9	6	50.9
KCC.....	7	7	47.1
Red Lake Falls.....	5	10	36.0
Northern Freeze.....	5	11	35.7
Lake of the Woods.....	2	10	29.6
Climax-Fisher.....	4	12	26.4
Sacred Heart.....	1	14	18.4

Thoughts from the Sheriff

Clearwater County
Sheriff Darin Halverson



I have previously written about this topic, but recently I have had questions asked of me about the Office of Sheriff. I want to take time to explain the history of the Office of Sheriff and what duties are imposed upon the office that are different then other law enforcement agencies. Hopefully, this will answer some of the questions that are out there and give a little insight into the Office of Sheriff.

The origin of the Sheriff dates back to 7th Century England making it the oldest continuing, non military, law enforcement entity in history. Duties of the Sheriff can be found in documents dating back to 1215. King John of England signed the Magna Carta in that year and out of the 63 clauses, 27 dealt with duties and responsibilities of the Sheriff. Some of the duties listed for the Sheriff back then included keeping the peace, collecting taxes, maintaining jails, arresting fugitives, maintaining a list of wanted persons, serving writs and orders for the King's court and ensuring the safety and comfort of the Judges. Most of these duties, as you will see, remain that of the Sheriff today in one shape or form.

Nationwide, there are 3,083 Sheriffs, with 98% being elected. Approximately 2/3 of all Sheriffs are elected in partisan elections, meaning they designate themselves as affiliated with a political party. Minnesota is in the minority and Sheriffs are listed as non-partisan on the ballot. There are 87 Sheriffs in Minnesota representing all 87 counties. According to records I have found, there have been only 12 Sheriffs in Clearwater County's history dating back to 1902.

A question that comes up frequently today is whether the Sheriff is a "Constitutional Sheriff". This is an interesting question. All law enforcement takes an Oath of Office where we swear to uphold the constitution of the United States and Minnesota. Ironically, if you read those constitutions, you will find no where in them where Sheriff is mentioned. Sheriffs, in Minnesota, exist only because state statute created that position. With that said, all the Sheriffs I know, including myself, vigorously work to defend our constitutions. We advocate to protect the freedoms we are granted and will stand shoulder to shoulder with our constituents. You can rest assured that we will do everything within our power to defend your

rights and freedoms.

Now comes the answer to what the differences are between a Sheriff's Office and other law enforcement agencies. Today's state statute (387.03) reads that the Sheriff shall keep and preserve the peace of the county, pursue and apprehend all felons, execute all processes, writs, precepts, and orders issued or made by lawful authority and attend upon the terms of the district court, and perform all of the duties pertaining to the office, including investigating recreational vehicle accidents involving personal injury or death that occur outside the boundaries of a municipality, searching and dragging for drowned bodies, and searching and looking for lost persons. The sheriff shall have the charge and custody of the county jail and receive and safely keep therein all persons lawfully committed thereto and not release any person therefrom unless discharged by due course of law.

Some of the duties listed in Minnesota Statutes are the same as other agencies. The differences arise when it comes to executing all processes and writs issued by the district court. This involves all the civil process paperwork that comes to our office to be served upon individuals or businesses within the county. This can be simply notifying a person that they are being sued by another in an attempt to collect money or it may be our office attempting to collect money after a judgement from court has been issued. Other law enforcement agencies do not have these responsibilities as these are duties bestowed upon the Sheriff.

Another major difference is the duty of running the county

jail, transporting of inmates, and providing courtroom security. These duties are the most taxing jobs that the Sheriff's Office has. We not only have to house and care for inmates in our jail, but we are responsible for getting them to their court hearings and providing a bailiff within the courtroom during these hearings. If a person has a warrant issued for their arrest and are picked up in a different county or state, it is our office that has the responsibility of going to get the person and bring them back to our jail. This not only requires personnel time, it can cost a lot of money depending on where we need to go.

As you can see, the Sheriff's Office has many duties and responsibilities beyond what other law enforcement agencies have. I hope this brief overview of the Office of Sheriff has shed a little light on what those duties of a Sheriff's Office are compared to other law enforcement agencies. We strive to work together with our local, state and federal partners to make law enforcement in our county a collaborative effort. Working together is what makes law enforcement work.

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

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Representative Matt Grossell Legislative Update District 2A

February 11, 2022

Friends,
Session is in full swing. So far, I have co-authored two pieces of legislation that I think can impact us all.

HF2389 would allow for two assistant commissioners for the Pollution Control Agency. I believe in creating jobs. Today, growth in our infrastructure sector is being determined by the number of emissions these machines create. This will only continue. I am hopeful by allowing for assistant commissioners on the Pollution Control Agency, the workload will be better balanced, and our businesses can get quicker responses when needed.

I am also co-sponsoring HF3293. This legislation will provide \$250 reimbursement for postsecondary schools that offer professional peace officer education. Peace officers include city police officers, sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, State Patrol officers and others. I am always



proud to back the men and women who put on a uniform everyday to serve and protect my family and yours.

More is sure to come this session. Everyday it seems, cities across the country are laxing Covid-19 regulations and mandates. It is my hope that Minnesota continues to do the same so that we can get back to living our lives.

If you need anything, please reach out me.

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

Have a great week and God Bless!

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Clearwater County Recycling Drop-Off Locations Accepting:

- aluminum cans
- steel food cans
- glass bottles and jars with lids removed
- plastic containers #s 1, 2 and 5
- newspaper and office paper
- clean cardboard



Two drop-off locations, one in Bagley and one in Clearbrook, both at County Highway Department shops.

Mixed recyclables from these locations are sorted at the Materials Recovery Facility in Fosston. Revenue from recyclables sales helps offset tipping fees paid by the County for garbage disposal at the Fosston Incinerator. Please contact Clearwater County Environmental Services at 694-6183 for further information.

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Clearwater County Sheriff
Darin Halverson
Clearwater County Sheriff's Office Weekly Activity

City of Bagley
02/06/22 21:08:34 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/07/22 09:10:16 Transport
02/07/22 12:53:53 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/07/22 13:25:46 Drug Related - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/07/22 13:50:48 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/07/22 14:42:54 911 Hang Up
02/07/22 20:01:02 Traffic Stop
02/08/22 21:25:56 Traffic Stop
02/08/22 20:22:01 Traffic Stop
02/08/22 23:00:42 Traffic Stop
02/09/22 00:23:34 Traffic Stop
02/09/22 13:48:05 Alarm
02/09/22 20:26:48 Traffic Stop
02/10/22 10:22:30 ASSIST
02/10/22 13:01:56 Funeral Escort
02/10/22 13:46:50 Suicide Related - Patient Evaluated,
02/10/22 15:32:19 Medical
02/10/22 21:32:51 Vehicle Lock Out - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/10/22 22:01:09 Traffic Stop
02/10/22 22:13:29 Motorist Assist
02/11/22 01:15:12 Drug Related - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/12/22 00:31:28 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/12/22 22:43:02 Motor Vehicle Crash - Handled By Officer / Deputy
City of Clearbrook - Total 2
02/07/22 22:31:13 Traffic Stop
02/07/22 23:34:50 ASSIST
City of Gonvick - Total 1
02/07/22 15:04:07 Traffic Stop
City of Shevlin - Total 2
02/10/22 18:09:56 Medical
02/11/22 10:59:59 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
Copley - Total 11
02/06/22 01:40:29 Motorist Assist
02/06/22 12:55:03 CIVIL PROCESS - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/07/22 18:42:48 Traffic Stop
02/07/22 18:49:39 Traffic Stop

02/09/22 14:19:52 Juvenile Misc
02/10/22 09:23:38 Motor Vehicle Crash - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/10/22 11:05:40 Medical
02/10/22 12:26:47 Welfare Check
02/11/22 10:00:55 Animal Related
02/11/22 11:48:50 Fire
02/12/22 03:01:14 Traffic Stop
Eddy - Total 2
02/08/22 22:25:39 Traffic Stop
02/10/22 00:38:19 Motor Vehicle Crash - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Falk - Total 3
02/06/22 09:15:02 Medical 45 - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/06/22 17:58:56 Animal Related
O - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/08/22 14:00:59 Welfare Check
Greenwood - Total 1
02/12/22 00:31:58 Civil Complaint
Holst - Total 2
02/08/22 14:15:12 Information Only - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/10/22 23:40:36 Traffic Stop
Itasca - Total 1
02/09/22 06:50:49 Information Only - Handled By Officer / Deputy
LaPraire - Total 2
02/09/22 12:07:58 Animal Related
02/10/22 12:54:59 Fire 21
LaPraire N - Total 5
02/07/22 05:06:54 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/09/22 00:27:58 Juvenile Misc
Page 3 of 4
02/09/22 22:59:46 Traffic Stop - Citation Issued (Verbal Or Written)
02/09/22 23:42:15 Warrant Arrest
02/10/22 07:08:04 Crimes Against Family - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Leon - Total 6
02/06/22 15:55:49 Disturbance
02/07/22 16:21:16 911 Hang Up
02/07/22 21:53:21 Threats
02/08/22 21:57:52 Traffic Stop - Citation Issued (Verbal Or Written)
02/10/22 03:09:04 Information
02/11/22 08:22:16 Information

Minerva - Total 1
02/07/22 14:55:55 - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Moose Creek - Total 1
02/06/22 11:51:20 Alarm
Nora - Total 1
02/08/22 18:22:27 Traffic Complaint - Handled By Officer
Out of Jurisdiction - Total 6
02/06/22 14:30:59 Medical - Cancelled (Prior to Arrival at Scene)
02/07/22 20:59:11 Assist Other Agency - Patient Evaluated, No
02/09/22 14:01:18 Assist Other Agency - Information
02/09/22 15:26:08 Assist Other Agency - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/10/22 12:32:45 Assist Other Agency - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/11/22 16:47:36 Snowmobile Related - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Pine Lake - Total 2
02/08/22 03:15:35 Traffic Stop
02/10/22 17:54:52 - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Popple - Total 3
02/09/22 16:34:52 Motor Vehicle Crash - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/12/22 16:05:23 Suspicious Activity - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/12/22 17:12:43 Vehicle Off Road - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Rice - Total 4
02/07/22 15:46:27 911 Hang Up
02/10/22 07:02:21 Crimes Against Family - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/11/22 04:09:58 Vehicle Off Road - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/11/22 08:00:16 Traffic Stop
Shevlin - Total 4
02/07/22 16:59:37 Information
02/07/22 17:27:24 Welfare Check
02/07/22 20:58:26 Traffic Stop
02/08/22 17:40:55 Motorist Assist
Sinclair - Total 1
02/10/22 17:15:57 Animal Related
Total Records: 84

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Women of Clearwater County
Annie Marie Davids
1874-1966
Annie was born January 24, 1874 near Lake Mills Iowa to Halvor and Gunhild Sunderland. She was the oldest of six children. When Annie was nine years old, the family moved to Walsh County North Dakota where they first lived in a sod house.
Annie recalled that as a child she and her brothers and sisters would gather buffalo bones from the prairie and once they were forced to flee from a prairie wild fire.
She attended school during the summers and spent two years at St. Mary's Academy. (A high school in Devils Lake ND)
Annie married Ole T. "O.T." Davids when she was 21 and O.T. was 29. (1895) The Davids family had moved to Walsh County in 1880. After Annie and Ole married, they lived near Grafton for a short time, and then came to Clearwater County in 1899. They had eight children: Thomas, Adeline, Richard, Albert, Orion, Robert, Sylvia and George. Sylvia died in 1913 at age 8 years and 11 months of Ileocolitis (Crohn's disease) and George, a veteran of WWI, died in 1935.
In the 1905 census for Copley

Township, the Davids family was fairly large; along with her husband and 4 children George, Thomas, Adeline and Sylvia, Annie also lived with O.T.'s mother Asbjor (age 76, she died in 1915.) Her sister-in-law Annie Barragy and her daughter Mae also lived with them. (Mae is better known as Mae Barness, later the county superintendent of schools)
O.T. and Annie homesteaded north of Bagley, O.T. operated a sawmill and later a planning mill. They were partners in a general store in Bagley and later farmed at "Lone Pine Farm" in Copley Township, north of Bagley. O.T. died on January 7, 1943. In his death notice, it was noted that O.T. was a pioneer in Clearwater County, he and Annie arriving before the railroad came through.
Annie died at age 92 on December 27, 1966 at the Good Samaritan Home in Clearbrook. Her funeral was held at the Cease Funeral Chapel with Pastor Grant delivering the sermon, as well as Pastor John Loland offering remarks, and the Reverends E.M. Berg and Donald West each sang a solo.
Her daughter-in-law, local newspaper columnist Margaret (Mrs. Tommy) Davids wrote that Annie was "a fair and impartial mother, she always put

her family ahead of herself. Her honesty, fairness and unwillingness to believe ill of people were an inspiration. Her zeal for education, her devotion to truth will long be remembered."



Annie & Ole "O.T." Davids

Extension news

U of M Extension to Host "Beef Genetic Selection" Webinar Series
The University of Minnesota Extension is excited to host a four part spring beef webinar series titled: Genetic Selection with a Vision – An integrated approach to creating profitability and opportunities for every type of beef cattle producer. The Zoom meetings will be held Monday nights - February 21 and 28, and March 7 and 14 from 8:00 pm – 9:00 pm CST. The webinar series will focus on how to select for beef sire selection, associated costs using artificial insemination (AI) versus natural service, cost of raising replacement heifers versus purchasing them, and how to care for the bull throughout the year and prior to turnout to ensure a successful breeding season. Farmers, 4-H'ers, ag business professionals who work with farmers, and anyone interested in beef cattle production are invited to attend.
February 21: Buying the Bull – How to Make Smart Decisions on Sale Day
Topics to be discussed: How to balance the use of EPDs, GE-EPDs, performance data, ratios, indices, pedigree, and phenotype to determine which bulls to purchase or which A.I. sires to use in your herd. Navigate through all the different types of data and learn which is most important to use based on your program objectives.
Speaker: Melissa Runck, Pipestone and Murray Counties Extension Educator
February 28: Breeding Costs – Artificial Insemination versus Natural Service
Topics to be discussed: Compare and contrast the different expenses associated with incorporating Artificial Insemination (A.I.) in the herd versus using bulls for natural service. Over

view of most commonly used synchronization protocols will be discussed, as well as best management practices to maintain a tight calving window and improve reproductive efficiency in the herd.
Speaker: Troy Salzer, St. Louis County Extension Educator
March 7: Raising versus Purchasing Replacement Heifers
Topics to be discussed: Expenses associated with raising your own replacement heifers versus purchasing them, and the trade-offs and considerations of using either management strategy. Will also look at the option of using a bi-annual replacement system, and how to make replacement decisions based on the cattle cycle.
Speaker: Dr. Eric Mousel, Cow Calf Management Extension Educator
March 14: Bull Breeding Soundness Exams & Bull Health
Topics to be discussed: Overview of bull Breeding Soundness Exams (BSE) and when they should be done prior to the breeding season, how many bulls are needed based on the number of females they will be breeding, bull vaccine protocols, and other year-round bull management considerations.
Speaker: Dr. Joe Armstrong DVM, Cattle Production Systems Extension Educator
Pre-registration is required. Please register online at z.umn.edu/BeefGenetics. You will receive a Zoom link after registration is completed. You only have to register once and you will be registered for all subsequent webinars. If you are unable to attend the live sessions, you will receive the recordings for all the sessions via email at the end of the series. Any questions please contact: Brenda Miller at

nels4220@umn.edu.
Strategic Farming: Let's talk crops! focused on weed management
Controlling weeds in crop production is challenging as herbicide resistance increases and effective herbicides become more limited. "Weed management is all about fundamentals," explained Dr. Tom Peters, Extension sugarbeet agronomist and weed scientist at the University of Minnesota and North Dakota State University.
Those fundamentals include understanding weed biology. Weed identification is not easy, since what you see in the field may be very different from a photo. "You can't control the weeds if you're not sure what they are," reinforced Peters.
In addition to identification, learning about the life cycles, emergence patterns and reproduction characteristics of the different weeds is also important. Together, these fundamentals will help crop producers select effective tools for their weed management programs.
After the dry 2021 growing season, will herbicide carryover be an issue in 2022? In a dry year, there will be more herbicide residual in the soil than in a wet year. Peters' rule of thumb is to add the rainfall totals from June 1 to September 1. If the total is less than 6 inches, then growers should look at the herbicides applied in 2021, crops planned for 2022, and use that information to investigate the potential for carryover.
Herbicide resistance continues to be a major concern in Minnesota. Dr. Debalin Sarangi, University of Minnesota Extension weed scientist, began screening waterhemp populations for resistance to several postemergence herbicides in 2020. He is considering a population resistant when more than

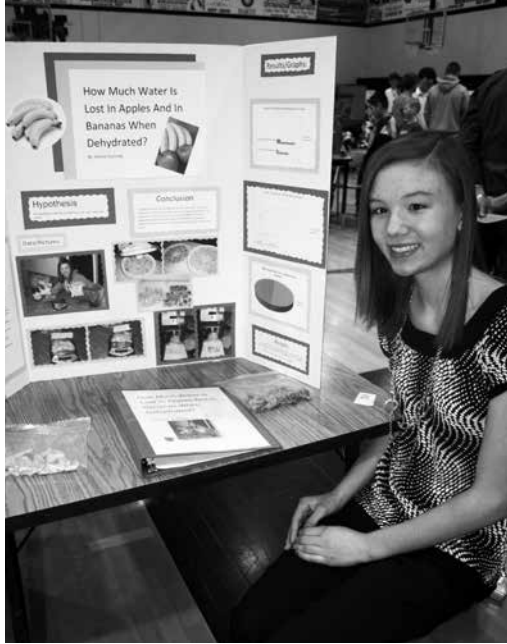
FROM THE PAST - 2010



Gold Star mother honored at the Gonvick Legion. Fay Sunquist Bjerke, Eleanor Sundquist, LeRoy Sundquist and Jim Sundquist.



On the left: Clearbrook-Gonvick Superintendent Ralston helping to serve cake and ice cream. On the right: Massie Gunning received \$50 for her Science project in the Junior Division at Clearbrook-Gonvick School.



Corrine's Corner
By Corrine Richards

Just because the ground hog said there would be six more weeks of winter I thought that it would be more pleasant weather than what we have been having this past week. Uff da.
My grandson Daniel headed for Mumbai, India on Sunday. He will be spending five days working there. 15 hours from New York to India and a flight from LA to New York first. I hope they get more than a few peanuts to eat.
The Clearbrook City Council meeting set for February 14 was cancelled due to scheduling conflicts. They will be meeting on Monday, February 21 at 7:00 p.m.
Nordlund Stock Farm will be hold their 25th annual Production Sale on Saturday, February 19, 2022. It is a live event on DVAuction Service starting at 1:00 p.m. They will have 75 bulls and 60 females.

They will board bulls for free until April 1. There is also free delivery in Minnesota and surrounding states.
Sunday, February 20 the Larsons Lost River Livestock will be having their 12th annual Production Sale starting at 2:00 pm at the ranch near Clearbrook. They will have 85 lots to sell with 60 Gelbvieh, Balancer, SimAngus and Red Angus Bulls and 25 Gelbvieh, Balancer and Red Angus bred Heifers.
We have Clearwater County platbooks available at Richards Publishing Company in Gonvick. The Leader-Record office hours are 8 am to 4:30 p.m.
The Gully Cafe will remain closed until March 1. Will have to wait a little longer for every one to get well.
The Goodridge-Grygla 500 Snowmobile Race took place over the weekend with nearly 100 sleds starting the 500 miles over the 2-day competition. Finishing 1st in the Pro Class was #312 Zach Herfindahl on his Arctic Cat.
The Clearbrook-Gonvick prom is set for April 23. The after prom committee is asking for donations for this event. Contact Cindy Melby 230-9692 or Krysten Westrum 358-0897.

Joke Time...
Ole went to his lawyer and said, 'I would like to make a will but I don't know exactly how to go about it.'
The lawyer smiled at Ole and replied, 'Not a problem, leave it all to me.'
Ole looked somewhat upset and said, 'Well, I knew you were going to take a big portion, but I would like to leave a little to Lena and my family too!'
Clearwater County Veterans Service Office Logan LeClair is meetings with Veterans one on one at a place closer to home. He has set up The Gonvick Council room for Thursday 1 -3 pm, Tuesdays at the Clearbrook City Hall Legion room from 1-3, Leonard on Thursday from 10-12 at the Clearwater County Trailblazers Club house and Shevlin on Tuesdays from 10 to noon at the City Hall/Fire Hall.
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.
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