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Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears honored their parents between games on Thursday, February 17. Players shown above are Sophomores Aliyah Ballard and Skylar Ballard and their parents Cindi and Steve Ballard. They also have their niece in the picture with them.

Job was offered by agency to county commissioner's wife

Landfill, job position ethics are lead topics for the County Board

By Tom Burford
A review of the County Landfill and the ethics of filling a job opening were lead topics for the Clearwater County Board when it met on Feb. 15.

In addition to the landfill, Environmental Services Director Dan Hecht discussed possible improvements to the solid waste collection site in Shevlin Township.

The landfill has a life expectancy of another 10 years, according to documents provided by Hecht. The usage history of the landfill he provided showed 3,146 vehicles through the gate in 2012, compared to 5,997 in 2021. The highest year was 2020, which showed 6,049 vehicles through the gate. He noted that this surge can be at least partially credited to the Line 3 Replacement Project.

His notes to the commissioners included: "The big news right now is the cooperative project initiated in 2021 with eight other are counties for long-term demolition debris management. This began with a request for grant funding from the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency submitted by the group early in January. No news since then."

He described how separating concrete, and shingles for reclaiming to aggregate supplement is a regular practice, resulting in an annual average of about 500 cubic yards of concrete and 400 cubic yards of asphalt shingles. These items were previously land filled.

The bypass compactor that was installed in late 2016 at an initial cost of about \$80,000 is proving to save on transportation costs, notably about \$55,000 since it was put into service. Hecht figured the compactor is saving about \$10,000 per year on transportation costs.

In regard to the Shevlin Township dumpster site, he said the site could be enlarged so the surrounding forest is not so close to the site, which would help deter bear raids. He has not yet talked to the Shevlin Town Board on this topic, but noted

the site is on county land. He said the county could "take a break" in making site improvements within the county.

Looking at the incinerator in Fosston, he noted how the upgrades made to modernize the Materials Recovery Facility and expansion of the tip floor in 2018 and 2019 allow for greater capacity and help maintain "our relatively low tipping fee." He added, "It's easy to forget how fortunate our county is to be a part of this group."

His list of information also noted that roadside spraying for noxious weeds continues on a four-year rotation with very good control resulting. "Complaints related to noxious weeds have been very few in recent years," he added.

NIX on job offer

When a pending motion was presented to the commissioners from the North Country Community Health Services Agency (NCH), the motion was pulled off the table.

Reason for this action was that NCH Administrator Marissa Hetland had offered the job to Sharon Larson, wife of County Commissioner Mark Larson.

At the outset of discussion, Commissioner Neal Illies said the wage was not studied by the county's wage evaluation agency, nor was the position advertised.

The position would be a new one called North Country COVID Coordinator and the \$40 per hour wage would be covered by a COVID workforce grant. The job would be temporary, ending on June 30, 2023.

Illies noted that the county is not the one hiring the person, but the county is the fiscal agent for the NCH Board.

He added, "To hire a commissioner's wife is a violation of ethics....I won't touch this one with a 10 foot pole! I'm voting no!" He then added that he would have an attorney look into the matter before hiring Mrs. Larson.

Commissioner Dean Newland said, "We do have to look

into it."

Commissioner John Nelson noted that regardless of the issue, the board would be approving the hiring of a person.

Illies reminded of the county policy regarding conflict of interest.

He added, "I know Mark is one of the most ethical" persons he knows.

Commissioner Mark Larson said that Hetland came to his wife about the job, not vice-versa. "I had some concerns," he said. He felt the only reason it might prove ethical is that the NCH Board is separate from the County Board.

Board Chair Mart Titera asked if there were any more concerns.

Larson said "I won't vote.... Just forget it."

"It gets hard for Mark," said Titera. "People will call about conflict of interest. Mark is put into an awkward spot."

Nelson commented that it "is not a county position."

Illies said the position should be advertised and an evaluation on the wage be completed.

The motion regarding hiring Sharon Larson was then pulled off the table until further notice.

In other matters, the board:

Okayed hiring a U of M Extension summer intern for 225 hours at \$15 per hour, with the county paying half. Larson said last year 4-H paid for the position and would like to see the county "just hire somebody."

He said there's enough money now to pay for the intern and support staff. "I'd like to consider paying for it so 4-H doesn't have to fund it." The county's 4-H coordinator Kayla Mistic said the support staff job has so few hours it is hard to attract applicants. However, there is a person from Beltrami County who would come in two days per week.

Watched a video presentation by Mississippi Headwaters Board Administrator Tim Terrill. The video gave some historical information and highlighted some of the purposes of the MHB.

2022 First Lady Nominations Sought – April 1 Deadline

The Clearwater County Historical Society will host the Clearwater County "First Lady" award in May. Since 1977, Forty- two women in Clearwater County have been recognized for their accomplishments either for their service in a variety of community projects and organizations or for success in their careers.

Your help is needed to select the 2022 recipient. If you know a woman who should be considered for the award, please send a letter with her name and include your reasons for her nomination- this can include any accomplishments in her life such as her career highlights or

volunteer years of service, and other characteristics that you think should be considered. Nominations of women of all ages are encouraged. Please include your name and phone number or email so we can let you know if your nominee is

selected.

Details on location and date of the event will be announced soon.

Letters should be sent to 2022 First Lady - History Center P.O. Box 241 Bagley MN 56621

Elevator meeting set for March 4

Les Westrum, Manager of the Clearbrook Elevator has announced that the annual meeting has been set for March 4. The Association meeting will be held in the banquet room of the Clearbrook Community Center.

Coffee and refreshments will be served at 10:00 am with the business meeting to begin at 10:30.

There will be an election of one board member with door prizes for the day.

Clearbrook-Gonvick Foreign Exchange students

Serena Fettrin

Editors note: There are three foreign exchange students in the Clearbrook-Gonvick School system. They were each sent questions to be answered. We will be putting in one per week.

Welcome to the new students in the district for this year.

Name: Serena Feltrin
Host Family: Ross, Jennifer and Danielle Faldet

Tell us about your family at home and yourself.

In Italy, my family and I travel a lot. We go to other countries like France, Spain, and Greece. I live with my mom, dad, and my older brother when he is home from college. I love playing club volleyball and hanging out with friends in Italy.

What country are you from and give some details about your home city.

I am from Belluno, Italy. It is a town in northern Italy with about 37,000 people. The town is surrounded by mountains.

What exchange student program brought you to Clearbrook-Gonvick (C-G).

Master Studio

What classes are you taking at C-G?
I am taking English, art, Forestry, senior skills (a shop class), chemistry, US History, and Algebra 2.

What do you find interesting or different at C-G.

Everything is very different. The classrooms have tables instead of desks sometimes, there are lockers in the hallways, and this school has sports. The food is also very different.

What activities are you involved in?
I am in volleyball and plan on also being



in basketball and track.

Do you have a favorite or not so favorite food that you have found here?

My favorite food here so far is barbecues/sloppy joes. My least favorite is Dunkers at school.

What are your future goals or schooling when you return to your home country?

I would like to attend University to possibly become a doctor.

Community Calendar

Meeting Saturday
The Clearwater County Republican Party Convention is set for Saturday, Feb. 26, with registration at 8:30 a.m. and the convention call to order at 9 a.m., all at the Clearwater County Courthouse in the third floor meeting room.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

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

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

Thurs. Feb. 24 Chicken Fried Steak with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Bread and Dessert.

Fri. Feb. 25- Fish Patty with Tarter Sauce, Buns, Cheesy Hashbrowns, Baked Beans, Peaches.

Mon. Feb. 28 - Chef's Choice



Happy 100th Birthday to this Very Special Husband, Veteran, Friend, Father and Grandfather

Gerald Hardy Wraa

Gerald turns 100 on March 11, 2022

The family would like to invite family and friends for a celebration in honor of Gerald's 100th birthday on March 6th, 2022 from 12-2 pm at the Clearbrook Community Center (American Legion)

**Please no gifts, your presence would be an honor to the family.

STORY TO SHARE!

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

CLEARBROOK ELEVATOR ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL MEETING

will be held at the: BANQUET ROOM

— at the —

Clearbrook Community Center

~ FRIDAY ~

Mar. 4TH, 2022

THERE WILL BE AN ELECTION OF 1 BOARD MEMBER

10:00 am: Coffee & Refreshments

10:30 am: Business Meeting

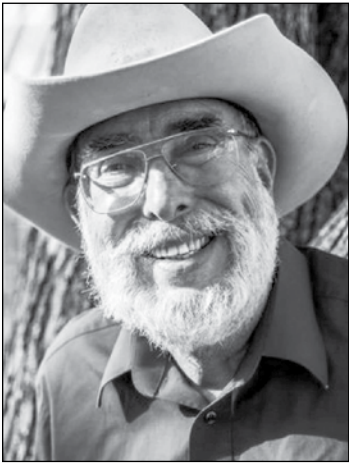
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Home Country

By Slim Randles



I don't mind Boots. He just curls up quietly against my belly and stays put. But sleeping with Desdemona can be a bit unnerving. She snores. Sometimes she gets little bad dreams and scratches me, too. But hey, I get to come in out of the cold and sleep with Aunt Ada's cats on her sofa, and a guy can tolerate a certain amount of cat snoring for that.

I was glad when I heard Aunt Ada puttering in the kitchen because I knew it was time to get up. After she let me out, she fed me, and let me tell you ... that kibble was just as good this morning as it was yesterday. And then she petted me, called me her dear Billy, and let me out to do my rounds.

Don't let anyone tell you being the official town dog is easy. Nossirree. First, there are the kids. Me and Martin, the crossing guard, have to see them safely across the street and to school each morning. Must be band day, because I see a lot of instrument cases. Martin gets smiles from the children. I get smiles AND ear rumples, so what do you think of that!

Once those kids are safely across, the time is pretty much my own until the final bell rings in the afternoon. That would be after I get snacks at the back door of the Mule Barn and after my nap curled up against the brick wall of the drugstore downtown. You ever notice how

those bricks hold the sunshine in them? Better than that white wall on the newspaper office.

This is a good day to stop by the Rest of Your Life retirement home and check on Pop Walker and Mabel Adams. Oh, I make the rounds and check on everybody, of course, but I have to admit those two are my favorites.

If today is band day at school, tomorrow will be sale day at the sale barn at the edge of town. That's when the men bring their dogs in from the ranches to look at cows. They yell and talk funny. Not the dogs, of course. Getting your sniffing up to date is always a good thing.

Love, Billy

Brought to you by the horses and other animals from their forever home at Masleña Rescue. Help feed one or two at www.masleñarf.org.

Well, if we aren't already trying to fly fish in the Jemez Mountains, you can probably find us here: Slim Randles

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7308 Painted Pony Trail NW
Albuquerque, NM 87120
(505) 306-6009 cell
homecountry8@gmail.com

Woman facing charges

A Bagley, Minnesota woman is facing a trio of felony charges, after allegedly fleeing a deputy. Allisyn Ronning, 24, - 1st Degree - Public Safety Motor Vehicle - Arrest of Adult 609.713.1 - Terroristic Threats-Reckless Disregard Risk - Arrest of Adult 609.487.3 - Fleeing a Peace Officer in a Motor Vehicle - Arrest of Adult

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Farm Resource Guide Available

The Farm Resource Guide for 2022 is now available at many University of Minnesota Extension county offices across the state. This resource guide includes a wide variety of useful farm business management information, including the following items:

- Custom rates: what to charge for planting, etc.
- Average farmland rental rates by county from two sources with projections for 2022
- Flexible rental agreements and examples of how they work and how they have worked in the past
- Fill-in-the-blank lease forms for cash rent and share rent arrangements
- Farmland sales information for all counties in Minnesota that list current average ag sales
- Information on charges for custom feeding, commodity storage, leasing buildings and various bin rental rates, including leasing a dairy barn and machine storage
- Current information on pasture rental rates, tree timber values
- Marketing information, along with recent cost trends for Minnesota
- Commodity price probabilities for corn, soybeans, alfalfa hay, straw, grass hay, hogs and cattle
- USDA corn and soybean yields by county to be used for calculating Farm Bill payments
- Feedlot rule highlights and information on manure agreement and easements
- Manure spreading lease examples and land application agreements

The Farm Resource Guide is available in the following formats:

- E-mail: \$25 plus sales tax
- CD: \$29.00 plus sales tax and postage
- Hard copy: \$31.00 plus tax and postage

If you would like your own copy of the Farm Resource Guide, please e-mail me at bauxx003@umn.edu or call 507-372-3900 ext. 3906. I will send out the materials and an invoice as soon as possible. I hope you find the Farm Resource Guide useful and would welcome your feedback on what you would like to see included in next year's guide.

Leader-Record papers available at many locations including online

Clearbrook: Y92 Convenience Store, Bakkens Market, Thrifty White Drug

Gully: Gully Cafe

Leonard: Strands Grocery Store

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Gonvik: Northern Bait and Convenience, Leader-Record office

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Church News

UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH
Pastor Kris Snyder
8 miles North of Gonvik on County Rd 7
Sunday Church Services 9:00am
Ash Wednesday Services March 2nd 7:00pm Lenten Services every Wednesday March 9 - April 6 7:00pm
Potato Klub Supper March 19 4:30-7:00pm

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

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

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. 23 - 5:45pm Confirmation/Meal 7-9th Grade; 6:30pm Choir practice; 7:30pm Handbell practice
Sun., Feb. 27 - 9:00 am Worship Service/Communion with Pastor Alex Waters; 10:00am Coffee Hour/ Sunday School;
Wed., March 2 -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. 27 - 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 Merseith
Wed, Feb 23: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School.
Sat, Feb. 26: Mt Olive: 9:00 a.m. Sun, Feb. 27: 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.
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. 23: 6:25 p.m. AWA-NA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.
Sun, Feb. 27: 9:30 a.m. Worship. 10:45 a.m. Sunday School.
Tue, Mar. 1: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions.
Wed, Mar. 2: 6:25 p.m. AWANA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH Bethany * Lund Sand Valley Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Sun, Feb. 27: 9:00 a.m. Lund. 10:30 a.m. Sand Valley. 2 p.m. 8th Grade confirmation at Lund.
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.

Friday Night Out - German Cuisine Friday, March 4th from 5-7p.m. at CWLC in Gonvik. Join us as we enjoy a meal inspired by German cuisine: Gürkensalat, Wiener Schnitzel, and Schwarzwälder Kirschtorte. 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 * Gonvik * 6:30-8:30pm * Monday Evenings * \$5/night. Register online at www.clearwaterslife.org or call us at 218-776-2789

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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

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 at CWLC Clearbrook. Register by calling our office: 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 Gonvik. 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.

Did you know? Clear Waters Life Center provides free counseling services. We aren't meant to go through life alone, get on a road to healing and wholeness. Give us a call to setup an appointment: 218-776-2789.

Pickleball If you are in need of physical exercise and connection with great people, join us Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. & 3 - 6 p.m. in Gonvik. Pickleball is a great mix of tennis, Ping-Pong and badminton. We are happy to help you learn this fun sport!

Weekly Exercise for Seniors Join us Monday and Friday and get your body stretched and moving. Held at CWLC in Gonvik from 10-11a.m. Some of the activities include chair exercises, creative movement and balance training.

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.

Chemical Dependency Support Group: Meeting every week on Tuesdays 2-3pm. Located on the second floor at CWLC in Clearbrook. This group will provide encouragement and accountability as you work through change.

CWLC Clearbrook: 256 2nd Ave SW
CWLC Gonvik: 226 Elm St. Phone: 218-776-2789
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Clearbrook-Gonvick basketball recap:

2/3/22
JVBBB vs RLCC L 46-36
Goudge 10pts, Lavine 8pts
Varsity BBB vs RLC L 81-63
Westrum 26pts, Aiden Churness 16pts
2/4/22
JHGBB vs Blackduck
7th- L 14-8 Phillips 4pts
8th- L 39-17 Bergerson 8pts
JV Lady Bears vs. Blackduck
W 23-21 McCoy 8pts, Hartwig 6pts, Lavine 6pts
Varsity Lady Bears vs Blackduck W 67-31 Wagner 14pts, Melby 13pts, Phillips 10pts
JV Boys vs Sacred Heart L 72-35 Goudge 18pts
Varsity Boys vs Sacred Heart L 73-67 Westrum 18pts, Roy 16pts, Aiden Churness 11pts, Goudge 10pts
2/5
JV Boys vs Blackduck L 56-34 Crotteau 8pts
Varsity Boys vs Blackduck L 65-60 Westrum 20pts, Roy 13pts, Bruton 11pts
2/8/22
7th grade Lady Bears vs LOW L 26-7 C. Phillips 4pts
JV Lady Bears vs LOW W 45-32 McCoy 12pts, S. Ballard 8pts, Fawver 7pts
Varsity Lady Bears vs LOW W 86-36 Melby 23pts, Phillips 19pts, Westrum 16pts, Wagner 12pts
JHBBB vs Fosston
7th- W 54-21
8th- W 44-41
2/11/22
JHBBB vs Red Lake
7th- L 28-27
8th- L 46-34
JV Boys vs Red Lake L 61-46
Crotteau 10pts, Bodensteiner 8pts
Varsity Boys vs Red Lake L 72-67 Westrum 15pts, Bruton 15pts, Roy 12pts
2/12/22
JHGBB Red Lake Tournament

Clearbrook-Gonvick School Menu

Wed. Feb. 23- Chili Cheese Fritos, Breadstick, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Choices and Milk. **Snack** - String Cheese
Thurs. Feb. 24 - Orange chicken with Rice, California Medley Vegetables, Fortune Cookie, Egg Roll, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Choices and Milk. **Snack** - Sunflower Seeds
Fri. Feb. 25 -Chicken Noodle Soup-, Tuna or Egg salad on Bun Cookie and Milk, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Choices and Milk. **Snack** - Cheez It Crackers
Mon. Feb. 28 - Sloppy Joe on Bun, Tri Tater, Baked Beans, Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Choices and Milk. **Snack** - Animal Crackers



Bringing the ball up court for the Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears from left to right: Maci Wagner, Dana Melby and Annabell Phillips. They hosted parents night against Red Lake County Central and came up with their 10th win in a row.



Clearbrook-Gonvick School Menu

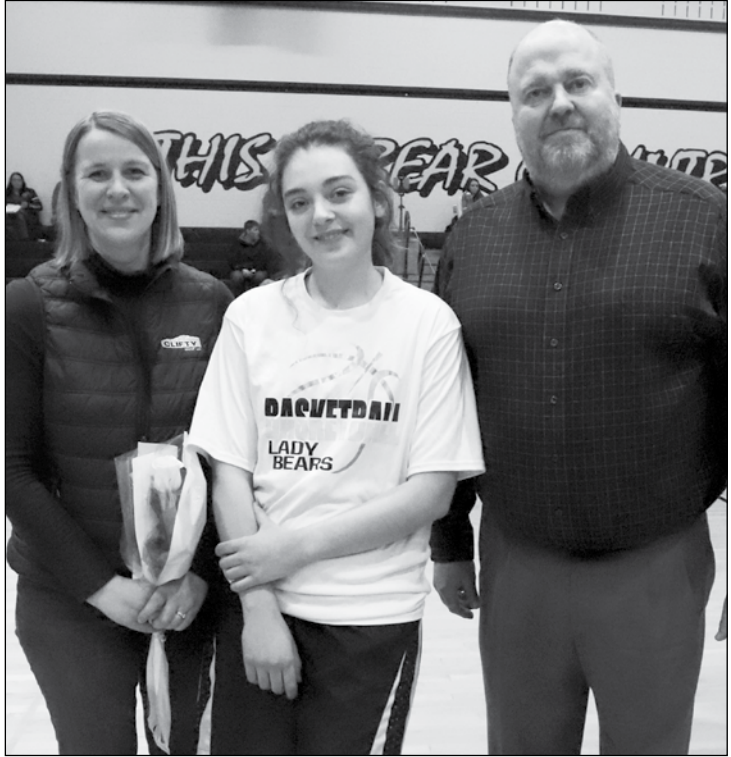
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The Clearbrook-Gonvick Lunch Ladies (shown above) had a Fry Bread Taco Night event on Thursday February 17. They also had Parent/Teacher Conferences and the home girls basketball game that evening against Red Lake County Central. They hit over 200 meals served to the many who were at the school. To the left is Janelle Maxie showing the completed Taco.



Kaylee Westrum, senior forward for the Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears guarding tough against Red Lake County Central last week during parents night. She scored 11 points in the Bears victory 57-43.



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Bear Creek - Total 2
02/19/22 03:42:41 Medical - Patient Treated, Released
02/19/22 16:14:09 Snowmobile Related - Unit Cancelled Enroute
City of Bagley - Total 35
02/13/22 06:40:37 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/13/22 08:43:21 Juvenile Misc
02/13/22 09:59:48 Handled By
02/14/22 07:32:57 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/14/22 09:07:55 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/14/22 09:15:20 911 Hang Up
02/14/22 12:11:32 911 Hang Up
02/14/22 13:49:45 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/14/22 15:28:42 Civil Complaint
02/15/22 00:15:18 Alarm
02/15/22 09:56:55 911 Hang Up
02/15/22 10:02:20 Transport - Transport/Escort Given
02/15/22 12:45:08 Traffic Complaint - Gone On Arrival (GOA)
02/15/22 14:40:02 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/15/22 16:19:26 Pursuit
02/15/22 17:12:13 Disturbance
02/16/22 09:47:18 Juvenile Misc
02/16/22 11:05:02 - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/16/22 12:08:13 Juvenile Misc
02/16/22 13:17:56 Medical

02/16/22 14:46:12 Property Damage - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/16/22 17:12:20 Welfare Check
02/16/22 19:18:41 Traffic Stop
02/16/22 19:44:15 Traffic Stop
02/16/22 22:03:07 Traffic Stop
02/17/22 00:50:19 Suspicious Activity - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/17/22 07:34:43 Welfare Check
02/17/22 12:10:41 Medical
02/17/22 17:47:37 Animal Related
02/17/22 20:30:34 Traffic Stop
02/18/22 08:40:14 Fraud
02/18/22 15:04:33 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/18/22 20:43:30 Traffic Stop
02/18/22 20:49:32 Traffic Stop
02/18/22 21:49:53 Medical - Patient Treated, Released
City of Clearbrook - Total 4
02/13/22 09:01:22 Medical - Patient Treated, Transferred
02/13/22 14:36:11 Alarm
02/14/22 20:02:48 Information
02/16/22 10:56:38 Traffic Stop
City of Gonvick - Total 1
02/14/22 09:58:10 Medical - Patient Treated, Released
City of Shevlin - Total 3
02/17/22 10:20:19 Animal Related
02/17/22 14:30:50 THEFT
02/18/22 02:35:07 Suspicious Activity
- Information
Copley - Total 5

02/14/22 19:05:54 Information
02/16/22 19:18:01 Traffic Stop
02/17/22 17:26:52 Welfare Check
02/17/22 18:54:30 Traffic Stop
02/18/22 02:17:16 Traffic Stop
Dudley - Total 1
02/13/22 07:44:32 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
Eddy - Total 1
02/17/22 20:44:57 Fire - Fire Control or Extinguishment
Falk - Total 5
02/14/22 21:15:41 Medical - Patient Refused Evaluation/Care
02/15/22 12:40:27 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
02/15/22 16:05:40 Fire 17 - False Alarm
02/19/22 03:12:02 Disturbance
02/19/22 11:23:26 Vehicle Off Road - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Holst - Total 1
02/14/22 19:49:38 Parking Complaint
- Information
LaPrairie N - Total 8
02/13/22 16:11:27 Vehicle Off Road - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/13/22 16:50:32 Vehicle Off Road - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/13/22 16:56:45 Vehicle Off Road - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/14/22 13:33:36 THEFT
02/16/22 21:32:04 Traffic Stop
02/17/22 15:01:23 Suspicious Activity - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/17/22 19:40:10 Assist Other Agency
- Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/19/22 00:08:07 Disturbance
Leon - Total 7
02/14/22 14:16:37 Juvenile Misc
02/14/22 14:54:44 Juvenile Misc
02/15/22 06:41:36 Information
02/16/22 15:17:12 Welfare Check
02/17/22 04:28:57 Alarm
02/17/22 21:03:22 Court Order Violation
- Report Taken
02/19/22 14:51:48 Traffic Stop
Minerva - Total 2
02/14/22 13:26:42 Crimes Against Family - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/14/22 17:23:46 Parking Complaint - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Nora - Total 2
02/14/22 19:40:17 Traffic Stop
02/15/22 03:10:07 Traffic Stop
Pine Lake - Total 3
02/14/22 13:06:08 Crimes Against Family - Handled By Officer / Deputy
02/16/22 13:49:36 Traffic Stop
02/17/22 08:07:13 Threats
Popple - Total 4
02/15/22 08:42:24 Medical - Patient Refused Evaluation/Care
02/16/22 09:19:16 Juvenile Misc
02/16/22 18:53:15 Traffic Stop
02/17/22 22:33:40 Court Order Violation
- Handled By Officer / Deputy
Rice - Total 3
02/13/22 08:35:12 911 Hang Up
02/13/22 14:57:48 911 Hang Up
02/18/22 07:34:55 Motorist Assist
Shevlin - Total 1
02/18/22 11:33:28 ASSIST
Sinclair - Total 1
02/19/22 16:55:19 Traffic Stop
Total Records: 89



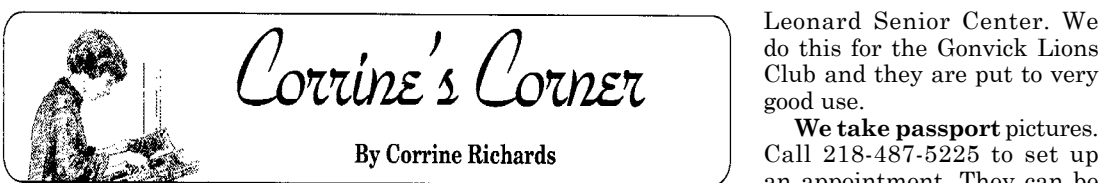
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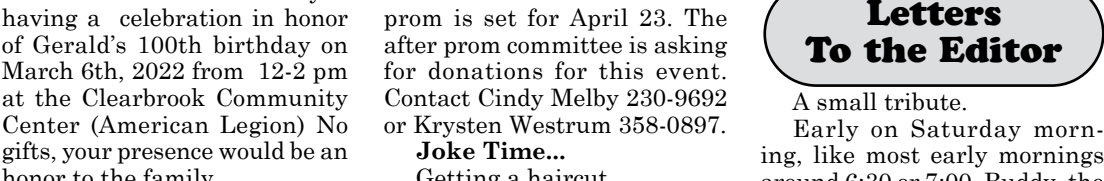
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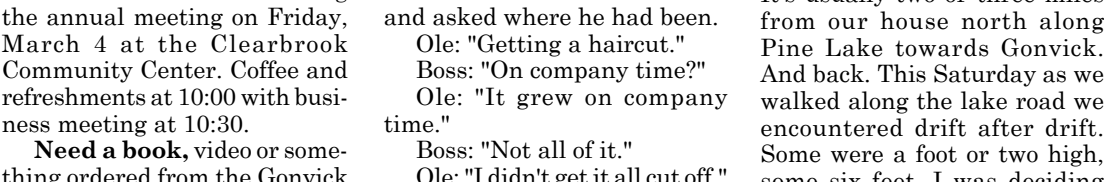
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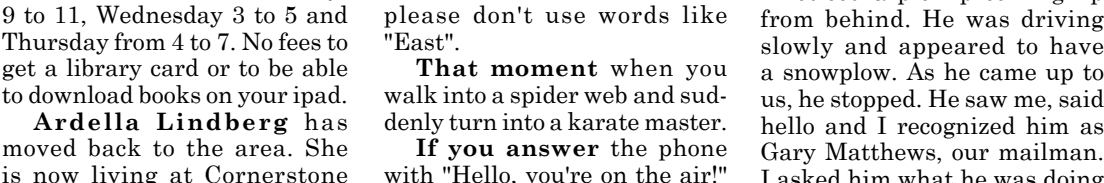
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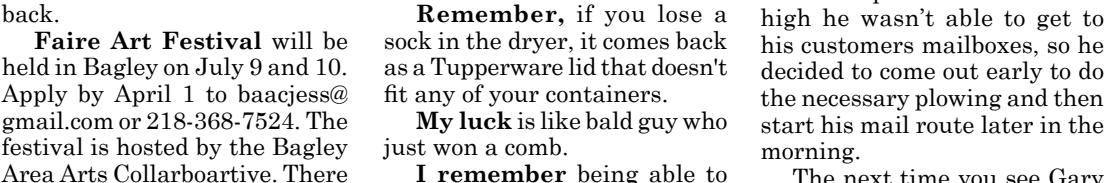
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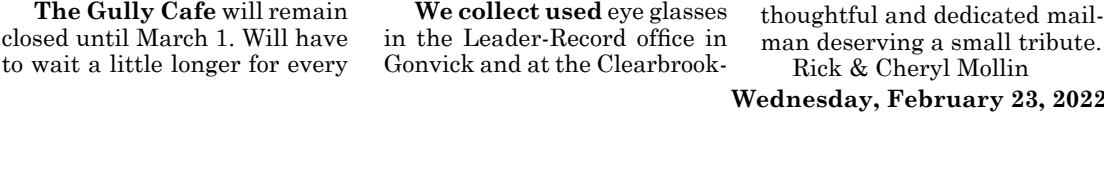
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Representative Matt Grossell

Legislative Update District 2A

Friends,
This week district lines were redrawn. I want to tell you clearly that a district line will never determine who or what I fight for. That answer remains the same: the people of Minnesota and your right to live a safe and happy life.

I worked on some legislation this week that would require legislative approval before making any new rules to our Peace Officer Standards. My goal here it to make sure our law enforcement officers are not the victim of unreasonable rules that do not protect them or the public.

I also backed some legislation that would create a bonus program for our Peace Officers.



In Minnesota, our peace officers have shown up to the job with no thanks from some of our government officials, who represent some of our major cities. The public narrative is that they don't matter. I am putting my money where my mouth is and reminding everyone that the job of our peace officers is an important one. They should be compensated and appreciated accordingly.

Thank you and God bless!
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! Matt

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice to Residents of Johnson Township

The annual meeting and election of officers will be held on March 8, 2022 at the Johnson Town Hall.

The annual meeting will be from 4:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. The voting hours are from 5:00 pm. until 8:00 p.m.

Offices to be filled are:
1 Supervisor - 3 year term
1 Clerk - 2 year term
In case of bad weather, the meeting will be held 1 week later on March 15th at the same time.
Lloyd Sweno
Johnson Clerk R49-50C

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

Notice

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION AND MEETING OF PINE LAKE TOWNSHIP

The citizens of the Township of Pine Lake, County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota, who are qualified to vote at General Elections, are hereby notified that the Annual Township Election and Meeting will be held at the Gonvick American Legion on Tuesday, March 8, 2022 for the following purposes:

To elect One (1) Supervisor for the term of 3 years.

The Annual Meeting will convene at 4:00pm. Polling will begin at 5:00 pm and continue to 8:00pm.

In the event of inclement weather, the Annual Election and Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 15, 2022 at the same times.

Pamela Goebel, clerk R49-50C

Legal Notice

Filed in District Court State of Minnesota February 2, 2022
STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF CLEARWATER NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File Number: 15-PR-22-37
Case Type: Informal Probate
Notice of Informal Appointment of Personal Representative and Notice to Creditors
(Without a Will)

In Re the Estate of
Dennis William Niswander
Decedent (Deceased Person)
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:
Notice is hereby given that an application for informal appointment of personal representative has been filed with the Probate Registrar. No Will has been presented for probate. The application has been granted.
Notice is also given that the Probate Registrar has informally appointed the following:
Name: Jamie D. Freeman
Address: 26566 330th Street
Shevlin, MN 56676
as Personal Representative of the Estate of the Decedent. Any heir, devisee or other interested person may be entitled to appointment as Personal Representative, or may object to the appointment of the Personal Representative. Unless objections are filed pursuant to Minn. Stat. §

524.3-607, and the court otherwise orders, the Personal Representative has full power to administer the Estate, including, after 30 days from the date of issuance of letters, the power to sell, encumber, lease or distribute real estate.

Notice is also given that, subject to Minn. Stat. § 524.3-801, all creditors having claims against the Estate are required to present the claims to the Personal Representative or to the Court Administrator within four (4) months after the date of this Notice, or the claims will be barred.

Carissa Scholz	2-2-22
Probate Registrar	Date
Carissa Scholz	2-2-22
Court Administrator	Date
	R49-50C

Sinclair Township Annual Meeting Notice

The Sinclair Township Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 8th, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the Sinclair Town Hall. If inclement weather, the meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 15th, 2022 at 7:00 pm.
Brooke Pond, Clerk R49-50C

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voter(s) of Eden Township, County of Polk, State of Minnesota, that the Annual Election of Town Officers and Annual Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 8, 2022. In case of inclement weather, the meeting and election may be postponed until the third Tuesday on March 15, 2022 and if inclement weather the election and meeting will be held March 22, 2022.

The Election Poll hours will be open from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at which time the voters will elect:

- 1 Township supervisor for a 3 year term.
- 1 Township clerk-treasurer for a 2 year term.

The Annual Meeting will commence at 8:00 pm to conduct all necessary business provided by law.

The Annual Meeting and election will be held at the Eden Township hall located at 39017 310th St. SE, Gully, MN.

For further information contact Dennis Erickson, Eden Township clerk-treasurer @ 218 268-4590.

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NOTICE TO LEON TOWNSHIP ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Leon Township, County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota, that the Annual Election of Town Officers and Annual Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 8, 2022. In case of inclement weather, the meeting and election may be postponed until the third Tuesday in March.

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

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

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

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

Lori Larson
Leon Township Clerk R49-50C