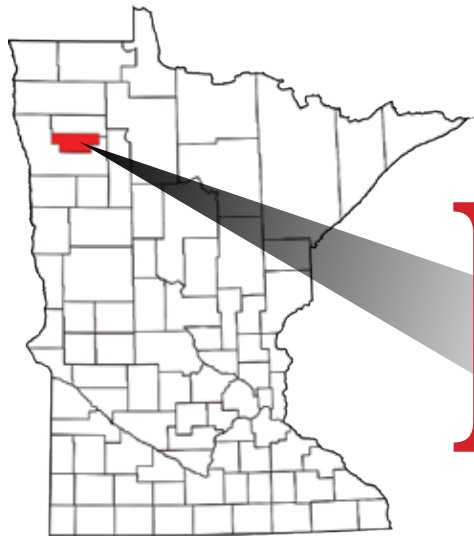




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14 RLCC Graduates Receive AA Degrees from NCTC ahead of High School Diplomas



Pictured above: Members of the RLCC Class of 2023 who also graduated from NCTC in Thief River Falls. Back Row L-R: Gunnar Sandeen, Marlin Peterson, Shawna Majeres, Aurora Mitzner, Natalie Vettleson, Damon Ferguson and Kaleb Fougner. Front Row L-R: Lucie Svendsen, Molly Smith, Paige Olson, Aurimy Olson and Payton Rystad. Not pictured: Natalie Lindemoen and Cael Nelson. Fourteen students from the RLCC Class of 2023 earned their Associates Degree from NCTC and four others completed a number of college credits. The Class of 2023 will Graduate from RLCC High School on Friday, May 26th at 5:30 p.m.

The Red Lake County Central class of 2023 boasts some impressive academic achievements, as nearly half of the class graduated from Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls last Thursday. This is quite the achievement, especially considering they have yet to graduate from RLCC High School.

These students began taking online college classes in their sophomore year at RLCC and wrapped up this year with enough, and in most cases, more than enough credits to earn an

Associates Degree from NCTC. This accomplishment will give these students an advantage heading into the world after high school. Whether they choose to continue with more education or use what they have earned so far, they are on the way to success.

Red Lake County Central has a very high level of participation in the Online College in the High School (OCHS) program. In comparison to many area schools, they are leading the pack in credits earned by

students grades 10-12, as well as graduation percentage for seniors who enroll in OCHS in their sophomore year.

The program has had several staff members in leadership in recent years, however Kelly Melin is currently the OCHS director. Her job is to help students map out their courses and enroll in classes to satisfy the credentials for graduation. Kelly started when these students were sophomores and stated that in addition to the fourteen NCTC graduates,

there are also four other seniors who will graduate with a number of college credits. This brings the total to eighteen out of twenty-eight seniors at RLCC graduating High School with some level of college education.

RLCC High School will be holding the Class of 2023 Graduation Ceremony on Friday, May 26th, at 5:30 p.m. in the Oklee Gymnasium.

Hats off to the students on their hard work and congratulations of RLCC on a flourishing OCHS program.

Big Wheels, Bigger Smiles for Head Start and ECFE family event

On Thursday, May 11th, the ECFE and Head Start programs from RLCC hosted a "Big Wheels Night" for children and their families. The event started at 5:30 p.m. and included demonstrations from the Oklee Ambulance and Fire Department, Red Lake County Sheriff's Department and the Red Lake County Central transportation department.

The children got to check out the ambulance, squad car, fire trucks and school bus, as well as a John Deere mower that belongs to the City of Oklee. The youngsters were in awe of the sirens and equipment on

the vehicles and enjoyed taking their turns in the driver seat. Parents also had an opportunity to brush up on car seat safety, provided by Pennington & Red Lake County Public Health &

Home Care.

The event is fun for all, but also serves an important purpose for kids. Being educated about safety and those who are there to help in an emergency

is crucial for young children.

Smiles were plentiful and nobody left without a firefighter hat and a snack. More photos from the event can be seen on the back page.



Pictured above: Levi Cervantes takes a turn behind the wheel of the Oklee Fire Engine at the Big Wheels event.

Calendar of Events

Wed, May 17:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
-7:00 p.m. Bingo at Plummer Legion.
Thu, May 18:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
Fri, May 19:
-Noon deadline for Oklee Herald news.
Sat, May 20:
-Support your local business - Shop Locally!
Sun, May 21:
-Worship at the church - check inside for church times and places.
Mon, May 22:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
Tue, May 23:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
Wed, May 24:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
-7:00 p.m. Bingo at Plummer Legion.

Weather Forecast

83°	67°	66°	72°
53°	43°	45°	47°
Wednesday Sunday	Thursday Monday	Friday Tuesday	Saturday Wednesday
73°	78°	80°	75°
51°	59°	59°	55°

Oklee Man Dies in attack outside of Digi-Key in Thief River Falls

Charges have been filed against Thief River Falls man in the death of Steven Opdahl of Oklee (MN) earlier this week. Opdahl's body was discovered outside the Digi-Key Corporation last Tuesday night.

The criminal complaint charges Jorge Luis Benitez-Estremera with two counts of second degree murder and one count of assault in the third degree. He faces a maximum sentence of 40 years in jail.

Court documents claim police were called to the site by a Digi-Key employee who discovered the body shortly after 10 p.m. The incident was captured on company surveillance. It shows a suspect attacking the victim who attempted to get away.

Benitez-Estremera was later arrested at a nearby apart-



ment complex. Authorities say during the initial interview the defendant admitting to assaulting a person at Digi-Key. He allegedly stated the person was "contaminated" and needed to be taken out of the system - but he did not know the person.

The investigation is still ongoing.

RLCC High School Choir will present Disney Classics

These Disney Characters, along with others, will be available for photo ops before a Disney-themed Concert on Wednesday, May 17th at 7:30

p.m. at the RLCC High School. Kids and adults of ALL ages will enjoy listening to the RLCC High School Choir sing fun and familiar Disney songs!



Princesses in the RLCC High School choir will be available for photos at the concert on Wednesday, May 17th at the high school gymnasium.



Church news

OKLEE LUTHERAN PARISH

Zion and Salem
Pastor Linda Molitor
 Sun, May 21: 9:00 a.m. Zion, Senior and Confirmation Tea after church. 10:30 a.m. Salem.
 Sermons are on GVTFL Channel 35 (10 am Sunday & 2 pm Tuesday), also on Facebook or YouTube.

CATHOLIC PARISHES OF OKLEE, GRYGLA & GOODRIDGE

Fr. Bryan Kujawa
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m. St. Francis—Oklee. 10:15 a.m. — Grygla. 12:00 p.m. — Goodridge.
 Go to: <http://www.oggcatholic.org/> for service times.

BROOKS – RED LAKE FALLS

CATHOLIC PARISH
Fr. Bob Schreiner
 Saturday: St. Joseph RLF 5:30 p.m.
 Sunday: Brooks Sunday 8:00 a.m. St. Joseph 10:00 a.m.

IMMANUEL—EBENEZER-BETHANY RLF LUTHERAN PARISH ELCA

Pastor Jonathan Dodson
 Sun, May 21: 9:00 a.m. Worship at Immanuel. 10:30 a.m. Worship at Bethany. 7:00 p.m. Worship at Ebenezer.

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH

Bethany-Ekelund-Faith
 Sun, May 21: 8:00 a.m. Worship at Ekelund. 9:30 a.m. Worship at Faith. 11:00 a.m. Worship at Bethany.

Deadline: Fridays at noon!

Oklee Senior Site Dining

May 22 -26

Oklee Senior Meals (LSS Meals) are available for Home Delivery, Monday-Friday. If you want to order a meal, you need to let us know the day before by 12 noon. Contact Jo Lambert – 218-796-4527. If she is not home to answer her phone, leave a message.

Mon, May 22: Pizza Casserol, Green Beans, Applesauce, Garlic Bread, Low Fat Milk.

Tue, May 23: Sloppy Joe w/Bun, Potato Wedges, Vegetarian Baked Beans, Banana or Fresh Fruit, Cookie, Low Fat Milk.

Wed, May 24: Meatloaf, Baked Potato w/Sour Cream, Pears, Bread/Margarine, Bar, Low Fat Milk.

Thu, May 25: Biscuits with Sausage Gravy, Roasted Potatoes, Cinnamon Apple Slices, Dessert, Low Fat Milk.

Fri, May 26: Baked Fish, Macaroni & Cheese, California Normandy Vegetables, Pears, Jello w/Whipped Topping, Low Fat Milk.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH

Mt. Olive – Nazareth Oak Park – St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseth
 Sat, May 20: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive.
 Sun, May 21: 8:00 a.m. St. Petri. 9:45 a.m. Oak Park. 11:00 a.m. Nazareth.
 Find services and past sermons at www.facebook.com/clearwaterlutheranparish

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH

Jarred LeBon, Pastor
Tyler Stynsberg, Assoc. Pastor
www.newjourneyfosston.com
 Wed, May 17: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.
 Sun, May 21: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School. 10:00 a.m. Worship.
 Tue, May 23: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions.
 Wed, May 24: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH

Bethany * Lund Sand Valley Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
 Wed, May 17: 2:00 p.m. Sand Valley Ladies Aid. 6:30 p.m. Confirmation at Lund.
 Sun, May 21: 9:00 a.m. Lund Service. 10:30 a.m. Sand Valley Service.
 Wed, May 24: 6:30 p.m. Confirmation at Lund.
 CDC safety guidelines for COVID-19 will be followed.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY

Fosston Seth Johnson, Head Pastor
 Sundays: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School. 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.
 Wednesday Evening: 6:30 p.m. Kids, High School & Adult programs.
 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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Red Lake County Commissioner's Minutes

Pursuant to adjournment of its last meeting, the Red Lake County Board of Commissioners duly met in regular session at the Courthouse in Red Lake Falls, MN on April 25, 2023, at 10:00 am.

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Remick called the meeting to order. Commissioners present were Al Remick, Chuck Flage, Tony Gerardy and Ron Weiss. Others present were Kelsey Gervais, Kyle Thibert, Tanner Holten, Kristen Hanson, Tanya Waldo, Jeremy Johnson, and Angie Lundeen. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Commissioner Weiss moved, seconded by Commissioner Gerardy, and carried unanimously to approve the agenda.

STABILIZED AGGREGATE BASE BIDS

Bids were collected until 10 am for stabilized aggregate base to be used in upcoming highway projects. Jeremy Johnson from the Highway Department opened and announced the bids as follows:

Thygeson Construction- \$734,273.00

Davidson Construction- \$867,542.50

Mark Sand & Gravel- \$836,645.00

Commissioner Weiss moved, seconded by Commissioner Gerardy, and carried unanimously to accept the bid from Thygeson Construction.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Red Lake County Soil and Water Conservation District Manager Tanya Waldo met with the board to approve the issuance of a shoreland permit for Enbridge in order to begin maintenance work on the pipeline near Oklee. Commissioner Gerardy moved, seconded by Commissioner Flage and carried unanimously to approve the permit.

Waldo also discussed the upcoming County Ditch 62 project. Bids were previously collected and had been awarded to Zavoral Construction. Waldo requested the previous bid be cancelled and a new contract be drafted due to changing costs. Commissioner Flage moved, seconded by Commissioner Weiss,

and carried unanimously to approve the request. Bids for the project will be opened on May 23rd, 2023.

Social Services Director Kristi Nelson met with the board to discuss the hiring of Arielle Sundberg as a social worker. Hanson requested that Sundberg start at step 6 based on her previous experience. Commissioner Gerardy moved, seconded by Commissioner Weiss, and carried unanimously to approve the updated starting wage.

HR Director Angie Lundeen met with the board to request approval for annual step increases for Shelly Nelson and Kelsey Gervais. Commissioner Gerardy moved, seconded by Commissioner Weiss, and carried unanimously to approve increasing Nelson from step 6 to 7. Commissioner Weiss moved, seconded by Commissioner Gerardy, and carried unanimously to approve increasing Gervais from step 1 to 2. Commissioner Flage abstained from the vote.

EXPENDITURES

Commissioner Weiss moved, seconded by Commissioner Gerardy, and carried unanimously to approve expenditures totaling \$106,630.19. A detailed listing is available in the auditor's office or on the county's website.

MINUTES

Commissioner Flage moved, seconded by Commissioner Weiss, and carried unanimously to approve the minutes from the regular meeting on April 11, 2023.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following commissioner/committee reports were shared: Commissioner Meeting/Report Gerardy Pennington County Board of Commissioners, Red Lake County Economic Development Corporation, Moore Engineering

Weiss Quin County Community Health Services, Northwest Regional Development Commission Flage Intercounty Nursing Service, Red Lake County Economic Development Corporation Remick Pennington County Board of Commissioners, Alluma

AUDITOR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Auditor Kelsey Gervais presented the board with a first quarter budget report for the Highway Department. The report showed the

department was in good standing for the quarter.

Gervais requested approval of a contract from the State naming Red Lake County as the legal sponsor for funding between the State of Minnesota Department of Natural Resources and the Pathfinders Snowmobile Club. Commissioner Gerardy moved, seconded by Commissioner Weiss and carried unanimously to adopt the following resolution. Resolution No. 04-02-23 is as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED, that Red Lake County agrees to act as the legal sponsor for funding to the State of Minnesota Department of Natural Resources for the Riverland Trail, (Pathfinders Snowmobile Club) for FY-2023/2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that upon approval of its application by the state, Red Lake County may enter into an agreement with the State of Minnesota and will comply with all applicable federal and state laws, regulations, and conditions as stated in the agreement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Red Lake County hereby agrees to serve as the fiscal agent for the Riverland Trail (Pathfinders Snowmobile Club), and authorizes the assignee to sign all related documents on behalf of Red Lake County.

A copy of the resolution is posted for inspection in the County Auditor's office.

Gervais informed the board that fund balances within the county's accounting system were not showing accurate balances. The board recommended a thorough review of the accounts to determine the nature of the discrepancies before deciding how to proceed.

Gervais also discussed the future upkeep of Huot Park.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Commissioner Flage, seconded by Commissioner Weiss and unanimously carried to adjourn the meeting at 11:48 a.m. The next regular meeting of the board is scheduled for Tuesday, May 9, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

Attest:

Kelsey Gervais, County Auditor
 Allen Remick, Chairman
 Board of Commissioners
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Red Lake County Sheriff

Weekly News Release

On the morning of 05/05/23, the Dakota County Sheriff's Office reported they had recovered a stolen firearm and the registered owner resides in Red Lake County. The owner was notified so they could make arrangements with Dakota County authorities to recover the gun.

On the evening of 05/06/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report of a domestic disturbance at a residence in Red Lake Falls. A Red Lake County deputy responded to the scene and discovered that Jaye Allan Pyatte (31) of Red Lake Falls had committed acts of domestic violence and had damaged another person's property. Mr. Pyatte was arrested and taken to jail in Crookston. He was charged with misdemeanor domestic assault and misdemeanor criminal damage to property. Mr. Pyatte appeared in Court in Crookston on 05/08/23 and he was released with court ordered conditions.

In the early morning hours of 05/06/23, a domestic disturbance was reported in the city

of Red Lake Falls. A Red Lake County deputy responded to the residence and found that an individual was attempting to re-enter the home of an ex. The homeowner did not want them at their residence. The unwelcomed party agreed to leave, and the situation was mediated.

On the morning of 05/08/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report that a small child had wandered away from their home. The reporting party brought the small child to the Oklee School, and a Red Lake County deputy was able to contact the child's parent and they went to the school to pick them up.

On the afternoon of 05/09/23, a juvenile from Trail was cited for exhibition driving in the city of Oklee.

On the evening of 05/09/23, a Red Lake County deputy observed a small child walking, alone without supervision, on Governor St. in Oklee. This was the same child that was unsupervised, in public, earlier this week. The child was returned to their home for

the night. On the afternoon of 05/10/23, Red Lake County Law Enforcement Officers executed a Search Warrant at the child's home in Oklee to gather evidence of neglect and maltreatment. Upon the completion of the warrant, two children were removed from the home and placed with protective services. This investigation is ongoing.

On the afternoon of 05/10/23, Patrick James Lindgren (35) of Thief River Falls was cited for speeding on Hwy. #92 south of Oklee.

On the evening of 05/10/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report of a small child wandering around a residential neighborhood in Red Lake Falls. A Red Lake County deputy responded and took custody of the child. Investigation revealed the child had been missing for a significant amount of time before the caregiver realized. The child was placed with protective services and the matter remains under investigation.

Mitch Bernstein, Red Lake County Sheriff: 05/12/23

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Red Lake Falls Library

The Summer Reading Program is right around the corner, and kids can sign up for the program beginning June 1. Flyers have been



distributed through the school system, but anyone wanting more information can call or stop in at the library. As in past summers, the program will run throughout June and July, with kids activities and refreshments on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, along with several main entertainment events, and weekly & grand prizes. This year's theme is "Find Your Voice." All youngsters (through age 18) are welcome to participate.

New books that are fun for kids (and interesting for adults) include "Eric Loves Animals (Just Like You!)" by Eric Carle - part of The World of Eric Carle; "internationally known for his bright, bold, collage-style illustrations, Eric Carle has created a world of bestselling animal characters throughout his remarkable career. From The Very Hungry Caterpillar to Brown Bear, his animals have captured the attention and hearts of readers everywhere, especially the very young... this is an alphabetical offering of creatures in all shapes and sizes, with peek-through holes, gatefolds, never-before-seen hippos, ostriches, and jellyfish and 172 pages of illustrations, narrated in Eric's own words about animals, nature, and art;" and "LEGO Pocket Builder Vehicles:

Make Things Move" by Tori Kosara - "become a LEGO building expert with stacks of facts, tips, and tricks at your fingertips—no previous building experience required! Get out your bricks and be inspired to build your favorite things that move, including monster trucks, construction vehicles, trains, planes, and much more."

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Wednesday, May 17, 2023



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RLCC Menus

NOTICE: Food shortages are nationwide, and our school district is also experiencing unavailable items or last-minute food replacements from our food distributors. Menus are subject to change, but we will do our best to notify you via social media/bulletin if/when there are menu changes. We appreciate your patience and understanding! We look forward to serving all of our students nutritious meals.

RLCC School District.

Oklee

Monday: Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, vegetable, fruit, and milk.

Tuesday: Breakfast: Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, vegetable, fruit, and milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast: Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, vegetable, fruit, and milk.

Thursday: Breakfast: Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, vegetable, fruit, and milk.

Friday: Breakfast: Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, vegetable, fruit, and milk.

Plummer

Monday: Breakfast: Breakfast pizza, yogurt, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, fruit, and milk.

Tuesday: Breakfast: Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, vegetable, fruit, and milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast: Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, vegetable, fruit, and milk.

Thursday: Breakfast: Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, vegetable, fruit, and milk.

Friday: Breakfast: Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, juice, and milk. Lunch: Cook's choice, vegetable, fruit, and milk.

Red Lake County High School celebrated its Awards Day on Tuesday, May 9th

Area businesses, organizations, and families presented RLCC seniors with over \$30,000 in scholarships. Mr. Randall Pederson presented the RLCC Community Service Scholarships, which included donations from Oklee Quilting, Oklee Lumber, ISD 2906, Red Lake County Coop, Security State Bank Oklee, and E&J Grocery to Damon Ferguson, Kaleb Fougner, Natalie Lindemoen, Clowie Magnell, Shawna Majeres, Gerald Melin, Aurora Mitzner, Aurim Olson, Paige Olson, Marin Peterson, Peyton Rystad, Molly Smith, Luci Svendsen, Natalie Vettleson, and Gunnar Sandeen.

Seven Orlo & Millie Melby Scholarships of \$1400 were awarded to Kaleb Fougner, Natalie Lindemoen, Shawna Majeres, Aurora Mitzner, Aurim Olson, Paige Olson, and Marin Peterson.

The Tim & Donna Swenson Scholarship fund awarded \$1000 to Marin Peterson and Aurora Mitzner. Sara Lee awarded the Essentia Health Scholarship of \$1000 to Shawna Majeres.

The Oklee Moonlighter Snowmobile Club Scholarship awarded a \$400 scholarship to Tyler Parsley. The Plummer Snowmobile Club awarded a \$250 scholarship to Gunnar Sandeen and Kaleb Fougner.

The Red Lake Electric Co-op awarded Shawna Majeres and Molly Smith each a \$500 scholarship.

Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Dessellier presented Vincent & Shirley Dessellier.

Scholarships with four students each awarded \$500, including Shawna Majeres, Aurora Mitzner, Aurim Olson, and Paige Olson, and one \$1,000 scholarship awarded to Gunnar Sandeen. Ms. Alice Jobe presented the Plummer Senior Citizens Scholarship of \$100 to Damon Ferguson.

Plummer American Legion Auxiliary Post #623 awarded Shawna Majeres a \$500 Scholarship and its Citizen award of \$100 to Natalie Vettleson. The Plummer American Legion Post #623 Scholarship awarded a \$500 scholarship to Damon Ferguson and Citizenship Award of \$100 to Gunnar Sandeen. The Frank Lund Post 159 American Legion Scholarship awarded 2 \$150 scholarships to Kaleb Fougner and Gunnar Sandeen. Mrs. Barb Melby presented three \$100 scholarships from the Frank Lund Post 159 American Legion Auxiliary to Clowie Magnell, Shawna Majeres, and Aurora Mitzner.

Mr. Jim Skjerven presented the first Cardinal Legacy Scholarship of \$3,600 to Damon Ferguson. Mrs. Kate Moll, President of the RLCEA, (Red Lake County Central Education Association), two RLCEA Scholarships of \$500 to Damon Ferguson and Gerald Melin. Mrs. Sandra Tougas presented two Oklee Ambulance Scholarships of \$500 to Natalie Vettleson and Aurim Olson.



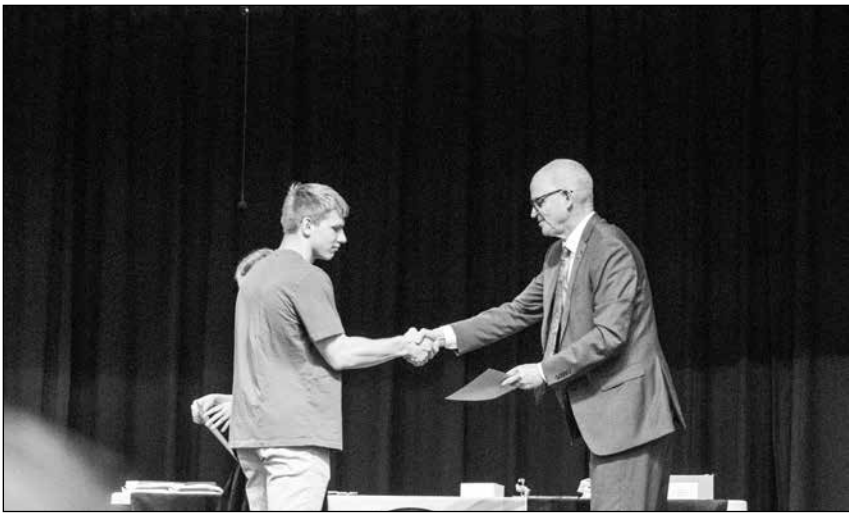
Mrs. Joyce Morinville presented the North Star Credit Union Brooks Branch Scholarship of \$500 to Shawna Majeres. Mr. Steve Phillion presented the Knights of Columbus Scholarship of \$250 to Shawna Majeres. Ms. Ann Gillund & Mrs. Kim Kleinwachter presented the Unity Bank Scholarship of \$500 to Molly Smith.

Mrs. Debbie DuChamp presented the Plummer Lions Too Scholarships of \$300 to Kaleb Fougner and Damon Ferguson.

Mr. Ross Arlt presented the Plummer Lions Scholarships of \$250 to Damon Ferguson, Shawna Majeres, Aurora Mitzner, and Kaleb Fougner. Mr. Arlt also presented the Plummer Fire Department Scholarships of \$250 to Damon Ferguson and Kaleb Fougner. On behalf of the Brekke family, Mr. Randall Pederson presented the Randy Brekke Memorial Scholarship of \$500 to Gunnar Sandeen. Mr. Peterson also presented the Ham-

rum Family Future Educator Scholarship of \$300 to Gerald Melin. On behalf of the Martell family, Miss Marissa Thomas presented the Grandma Pokie's Memorial Scholarships of \$250 to Aurora Mitzner, Natalie Vettleson, and Peyton Rystad.

Every year, the surrounding community donates very generously to scholarships for the senior class. The area community and RLCC is proud of all Seniors from the Class of 2023 and wish them all the best!



Spotlight on Scholarship Presented for Winter Activites



Rebel Basketball. Back: Nick Suchy, Connor Duden, Will Gieseke, Owen Chervestad, and Luke Peterson. Front: Gunnar Halvorson, Logan Vettleson, Atley Vettelson, and Guy Bergeson. Not Pictured: Ethan Majeres.



Mustang Basketball. Back: Emma Hendrickson, Evelyn Klam, Graceyn Kvsager, Alexa Chervestad, Violet Tvedt, and Natalie Hendrickson. Front: Carly Vettleson, Jamie Flatgard, Quinn Graves, and Jennifer Johnson. Not Pictured: Shawna Majeres, and Marissa Thomas.



One Act. Back Row: Lillie Lundeen, Gavin Roisland, Hailey Hanson, and Eli Grove. Front Row: McKenzie Ham, Peyton Williams, Lucille Svendsen, and Ruben Osborn.



Choir. Lillie Lundeen, McKenzie Ham, Jamie Flatgard, and Ruben Osborn.

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SCHOOL EVENTS

Graduation- May 26th at 5:30 in the RLCC High School Gymnasium at Oklee.



Eagle Hockey. Dylan Dahle



Prowler Wrestling. Damon Ferguson.

Wednesday, May 17, 2023

