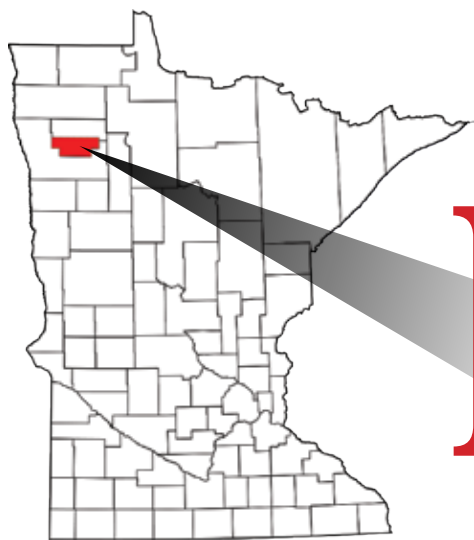




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Wed.	72/49°	
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Wed.	74/53°	

Calendar of Events

Wed, Aug. 9:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
-7:00 p.m. Bingo at Plummer Legion.
Thu, Aug. 10:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
Fri, Aug. 11:
-Noon deadline for Oklee Herald news.
Sat, Aug. 12:
-Oklee Market Day!
-Support your local business - Shop Locally!
Sun, Aug. 13:
-Worship at the church - check inside for church times and places.
Mon, Aug. 14:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
Tue, Aug. 15:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
Wed, Aug. 16:
-11:30 a.m. Senior Meals delivered - Call to order.
-7:00 p.m. Bingo at Plummer Legion.

Oklee Office Hours

This weeks hours:

Mon, Aug. 14
9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Wed, Aug. 16
10:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Sun, Aug. 20
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Courtney Cell:
218-689-4440
okleeherald@gmail.com



Summer Fest in Red Lake Falls

Summer Fest was held in Red Lake Falls last weekend. On Saturday, July 29th, they had a parade through town. There was a large crowd gathered to see local businesses, social and religious groups and school activities. Some interesting floats included the Haunted Woods Float (seen above). It was decked out for Halloween. Altoz also had a very nice float for their 10 year Anniversary. A fan favorite is always the Lafayette High School drumline and marchers with flags. The group provided excellent music.



Oklee High School Class of 1981 holds Class Reunion in Memory of Richard Bronken



Pictured to the left:
Kneeling: Perry Lundeen,
Jon Lajambe, Sue (Longtin)
Humphrey

Second row: Brenda
(Lessard) Juhl, Cindy
(Christianson) Kvasager,
Pam (Reinhold) Spong,
Mark Spong, Holly
(Nelson) Spong, Debbie
(Olson) Salentiny, Heidi
(Larson) Horachek, Audrey
(Dessellier) Schmit, Diane
Hanson, James Plante,

Back row: Steve
Kvasager, Brad Gunderson,
Paul Gunderson, Dennis
Magnell, Greg Sebenaler,
Elaine (Lessard) Jorstad,
Joal Stolaas, Gen Radniecki,
Donna (Lambert) Linder,
Janice (Rustan) Odegard.
Not picture but attended:
Mary (Strand) Hoglo and
Henry Klasen.

On July 29, 2023 Oklee High School Class of 1981 came together to say goodbye to Richard Bronken. In 1981 the graduating class had 33 members. On Saturday the 29th, the class had 26 classmates back in Oklee to celebrate the life of Richard and to celebrate our class. They had a potluck and visiting time at the Spong Farm, a Hayride provided by Brad and Nancy Gunderson as well as spent some time in Oklee. Their day was full of emotions, sad and happy. It is safe to say "still havin' fun we're the class of 81!"



Oklee Market Day is Saturday, August 12!

Head to Oklee this Saturday for a day packed with fun!

Start off the day with a great breakfast by RLCC Mustang Youth Wrestling at the Oklee Fire Hall, serving begins at 8 a.m. The annual Hero Hustle 5K to promote organ donor awareness registration starts at 8 a.m. at the Veterans memorial site with the race starting at 9 a.m., bring your running shoes! There will be vendors and crafters set up from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. on the south end of main street near the pickle ball courts. As always, there will be something for everyone, so come out an support local entrepreneurs!

Oklee Quilting Quilt show will be going on in the Oklee Hall, starting at 9 a.m. and wrapping up around 2 p.m. If you are looking for something you don't see every day, Northern Tropics will be showing their reptile zoo under the tent area at the pickle ball court. This will surely be interesting! A Sidewalk Chalk Contest will be held for local artists to showcase their talent, registration is from 9:30-10 a.m. at main street near the bank, all chalk entries must be done by 3 p.m. for judging, pre-registration for the event is available.

Other happenings include a Car Show at 10 a.m., Pickle ball tournament starting at 11 a.m. (pre-registration required), Curtis Olson from Olson Gravel is putting on a coin dig which will be held at the sand volleyball court, all ages are welcome. Be sure to register your cornhole team from 11 a.m.-12 p.m. There is a \$20 entry fee and the tournament will start at 12:30 p.m.

Street games for all ages will be starting at 11:30 a.m. These games are for adults and kids of all ages! In addition, Carnival games will be available for a small charge. Fun prizes for the kids will be given away, so go visit the RLCC Volleyball team

as they will be serving up the fun carnival games.

Cartoon Caratures will be available for no charge, look for Trevour under the tent and get your picture drawn! Mobile Escape Room will also be available for no charge, bring a group of friends and see if you can complete the challenge in time. Talented high school artist, Hannah Dudycha, will be offering face painting for the kids from noon until 3 p.m.

A dunk tank will feature a few of Oklee's favorite people starting at noon, so warm up your throwing arm! Don't forget a Cake Walk will be going on at the Bernstein's residence, this is sponsored by the RLCC girls basketball and RLCC choir.

At 4 p.m. sharp the scavenger hunt for all ages will start. Hunters should get information at the carnival ticket booth. To kick off the evening entertainment, head on down to TJ's Tavern at 4 p.m. and watch some local talent. Artists performing are Sydney Melby from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m., Carl Unbehaun from 5-6 p.m. and Bubba Maki from 6-8 p.m.

The fun doesn't stop there! Adult games will be going on outside of TJ's tavern starting at 5 p.m. The games include bucket pong, beer stein holding contest and cornhole lightning. Starting at 5 p.m. you can grab something to eat at Lulus Little Bites food truck which will be located on Main street across from TJ's tavern. Lulus will be serving in place of Bite Me Grill, who is not able to attend. To wrap up the night, a street dance will begin outside of TJ's Tavern at 8:00 p.m. with Sundown DJ Entertainment.

Flyers with more information can be found around Oklee and other area towns. The Oklee Market Day group also frequently updates their Facebook page for those who wish to see updates before and after the big day!

Church news

OKLEE LUTHERAN PARISH
Zion and Salem
Pastor Linda Molitor
Aug. 9-10: 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Bible School at Salem.
Sun, Aug. 13: 9:00 a.m. Worship at Zion. 10:30 a.m. Worship at Salem.
Tues, Aug. 15: 6:30 p.m. Council Meeting at Salem.
Sermons are on GVTEL 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 LUTHERAN PARISH
Pastor Jonathan Dodson
Sun, Aug. 13: 9:00 a.m. Worship at Ebenezer. 10:30 a.m. Worship at Bethany. 7:00 p.m. Worship at Immanuel.

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH
Bethany-Ekelund-Faith
Sun, Aug. 13: 8:00 a.m. Worship at Ekelund. 9:30 a.m. Worship at Faith. 11:00 a.m. Worship at Bethany.
Mon, Aug. 14: 7:00 p.m. Council Meeting at Faith.

Oklee Senior Site Dining

August 14 - 18
Oklee Senior Meals (LSS Meals) are available for Home Delivery, Monday-Friday. If you want to order a meal, you can still call Jo Lambert at 218-796-4527. If you can't get a hold of her, please call the RLF LSS Kitchen the day before, by 12 noon. Contact RLF LSS Kitchen at 218-253-4454. The change over to RLF calling directly has been postponed.
Mon: Aug. 14: Parmesan Chicken, Potato, Green Beans, Fruit Cocktail, Bread Stick, Low Fat Milk.
Tue: Aug. 15: Tater Tot Casserole, Mixed Vegetables, Warm Peaches, Dinner Roll, Low Fat Milk.
Wed: Aug. 16: Chicken Pasta Salad, Creamy Cucumbers, Cantaloupe, Dessert, Low Fat Milk.
Thu: Aug. 17: Turkey w/ Gravy over Mashed Potatoes, Peas & Carrots, Dinner Roll, Warm Fruit Crisp, Low Fat Milk.
Fri: Aug. 18: Sweet & Sour Meatballs, Brown Rice, Carrots, Bread/Margarine, Fruit, Low Fat Milk.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
Mt. Olive – Nazareth Oak Park – St. Petri Pastor Jeff Merseth
Wed, Aug. 9: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. VBS at Oak Park. 2:00 p.m. VBS Program at Oak Park.
Sat, Aug. 12: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive.

Sun, Aug. 13: 8:00 a.m. St. Petri. 9:45 a.m. Nazareth. 11:00 a.m. Oak Park.
Find services and past sermons at www.facebook.com/clearwaterlutheranparish

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
Jarred LeBon, Pastor
Tyler Stynsberg, Assoc. Pastor
www.newjourneyfosston.com
Sun, Aug. 13: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School. 10:00 a.m. Worship.
Tue, Aug. 15: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions.
Wed, Aug. 16: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund Sand Valley Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Sun, Aug. 13: 9:00 a.m. Service at Lund. 10:30 a.m. Service at Sand Valley.
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.

Deadline: Fridays at noon!

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Sudoku Solution

4	3	6	7	1	8	9	5	2
9	8	1	4	5	2	6	7	3
7	5	2	9	3	6	1	4	8
1	6	5	2	7	3	4	8	9
3	4	8	5	6	9	7	2	1
2	7	9	8	4	1	3	6	5
6	9	4	1	8	5	2	3	7
5	2	7	3	9	4	8	1	6
8	1	3	6	2	7	5	9	4

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 103D.911, notice is hereby given that the Board of Managers of the Red Lake Watershed District will hold a public hearing on the proposed 2024 General Fund Budget at 9:15 a.m., August 24, 2023, at the Red Lake Watershed District Office, 1000 Pennington Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. The following is the 2024 proposed budget:

PROPOSED 2024 BUDGET	
Manager's fees and salaries	\$40,000.00
Board of Managers' expense	24,200.00
Staff salaries	551,515.00
Payroll taxes	42,191.00
Employee benefits	178,097.00
Travel and meetings	7,500.00
Audit	10,400.00
Legal	16,000.00
Office supplies	20,000.00
Office equipment	30,000.00
Appraisers and Viewers	2,000.00
Professional services	25,000.00
Dues and subscriptions	10,000.00
Insurance and bonds	40,000
Repairs and maintenance-building	15,000.00
Utilities	12,000.00
Advertising and publications	4,000.00
Telephone	11,000.00
Vehicle expense & maintenance	15,000.00
Engineering supplies	3,000.00
Engineering equipment	40,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,096,903.00
LESS: ESTIMATED OVERHEAD	(827,272.50)
LESS: MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE	(3,000.00)
PROPOSED 2024 GENERAL FUND BUDGET	\$266,630.50

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

An ad valorem tax of .0003627 times the taxable market value for 2023, collectible for 2024, will be levied on all taxable property within the Red Lake Watershed District. One-half of the levy will remain in the District for projects listed below; the other one-half of the levy will be sent to the Red River Watershed Management Board for projects within the Red River Basin.

Permitting system
Benchmarks
Flood Control studies/projects
Stream gauging
Water quality studies/projects
Rivers
Watershed hydrologic analysis
Lakes
Bank stabilization

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Happy 90th Birthday Bonnie Jensen!



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Local student selected to U of M Twin Cities Dean's List

The following students have been named to the 2023 spring semester Dean's List at the University of Minnesota Twin Cities, the university announced today.

To qualify for the Dean's List, a student must complete 12 or more letter-graded credits while attaining a 3.66 grade point average.

Oklee, MN
Karena L. Melby, Senior, College of Liberal Arts

Pictured to the left: Brian Steenerson passed out Bibles during the parade at Summer Fest in Red Lake Falls on Saturday, July 29th. He walked down the street with a small wagon, handing out Gideons International to those in the crowd.

Many unique floats entered the parade in Red Lake Falls, but this one in particular caught Barb's eye!

Photo submitted by Barb Novak.

Crossword Solution

UKASE	IBS	BAHT
SIREN	MOO	PEKOE
ASYET	AWL	ANILE
SALAAM	VIETNAM	
SIB	SERA	
SPA	LULU	ENBLOC
ARTS	TANH	SEINE
LORE	SUDAN	ACID
UTICA	DINE	RICE
TOASTY	ADIT	TED
	HOWL	GIG
BONJOUR	SHALOM	
IBEAM	OVA	RAVED
LEAVE	NIL	ARISE
LYRA	GEE	SEDAN

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To reserve a seat, please call one business day prior to the scheduled trip - 1-800-201-3432.

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Every 2nd Tuesday – Mahanomen.

Every 4th Tuesday – Thief River Falls

Every 1st, 3rd, & 5th Wednesday – Fargo/Moorhead.

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MUSTANG STAMPEDE

Oklee Community Club Selects Carrieres for Yard Of The Week



Yard of the Week was awarded to Bob and Sue Carriere of Oklee. Their yard features multiple flower beds, pristine landscaping and a perfectly trimmed lawn. This week was sponsored by Security State Bank in Oklee. Congratulations to Bob and Sue!



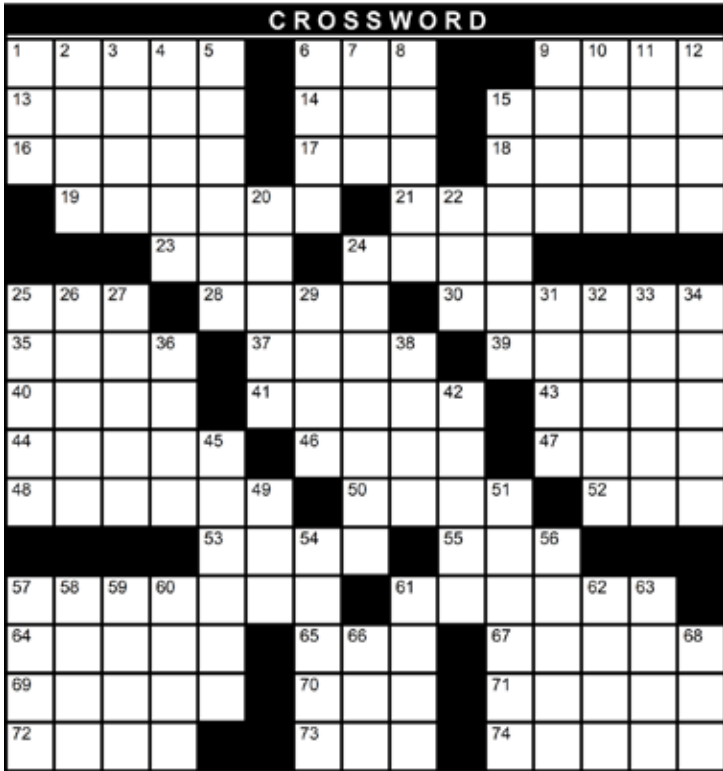
Statepoint Crossword

"International Greetings"

- ACROSS
1. Russian czar's edict or proclamation
 6. Common stomach disorder, acr.
 9. Thai currency
 13. Femme fatale
 14. Cow greeting?
 15. High-quality black tea
 16. Heretofore (2 words)
 17. Used for making holes
 18. Old and feeble
 19. *Precedes or follows alaikumin a greeting
 21. *Robin Williams' "Good Morning, ____"
 23. Family memb.
 24. Blood fluids
 25. R&R spot
 28. Standout
 30. All together (2 words)
 35. Crafts' companion
 37. Hyperbolic tangent
 39. River in Paris
 40. Traditions typically passed on by word of mouth
 41. Home of Darfur
 43. Opposite of base
 44. Carthage's ancient neighbor
 46. Have supper
 47. Condoleezza of politics
 48. Pleasantly warm
 50. Type of mine passage
 52. JFK's brother
 53. Famous Allen Ginsberg poem
 55. Band booking
 57. *Hello in Normandy region
 61. *Hello in Haifa
 64. Letter-shaped girder
 65. Female reproductive cells
 67. Did like a lunatic
 69. L in AWOL
 70. Nada
 71. Greet the day
 72. "Musical" constellation
 73. Precedes whiz
 74. It typically has 4 doors

- DOWN
1. Stars and Stripes country
 2. *Unspoken greeting in France
 3. Ned Stark's youngest daughter
 4. Prevents one from seeing
 5. Have as logical conse-

- quence
6. Mosque prayer leader
 7. *Japanese greeting move
 8. To crack, as in case
 9. Out of shape
 10. Kindred
 11. *Hello in Spain or in Mexico
 12. Overwhelm like bees
 15. Hymns of praise
 20. Borders on
 22. Choler
 24. Shadow-utilizing time-piece
 25. *Hi, in France
 26. Prefix with type
 27. Places in the heart
 29. Praise
 31. Kind of hug
 32. In accordance with law
 33. In the cooler
 34. Like surrendered land
 36. 1/60th of min, pl.
 38. *Shakeable appendage
 42. Horse greeting?
 45. Don't try this here? (2 words)
 49. *Greetings to ____
 51. "Toddlers & ____," re-ality TV
 54. Amiss
 56. Sunlight's interference
 57. Hillary's hubby
 58. Do as directed
 59. Getting warm
 60. Cup of joe
 61. White ____ in retail
 62. "Metamorphoses" poet
 63. ____ Verde National Park
 66. Contend
 68. Cub's home



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Oklee Centennial Cookbook Recipe Corner - Page 172

Crazy Pizza Jane (Gibeau) Dufault

Weight Watchers Recipes

Pre-heat oven to 350 degrees. 8 x 8 pan. Bake 30 Minutes. Serves 6. (4- 5 points)

- 8 oz very lean ground beef or ground turkey
- 1/2 cup sliced mushrooms
- 1/2 cup chopped green pepper
- 1/2 cup chopped onion
- 1/3 cup sliced black olives
- 1-3/4 cups Hunts Tomato Sauce (15 oz can)
- 1 Tbsp Splenda or Sugar Twin
- 1 tsp Italian Seasoning Spice
- 1 can Pillsbury Refrigerated Buttermilk Biscuits (regular size)
- 1/3 cup Reduced Fat Shredded Cheddar Cheese
- 1/3 cup Reduced Fat Shredded Mozzarella Cheese
- olive flavored Pam cooking spray



Brown meat and add mushrooms, green pepper, onion and olives. Mix well. Stir in tomato sauce, sugar and Italian seasoning. Cut each biscuit into 4 pieces. Stir into meat mixture. Bake for 20 minutes. Sprinkle Cheese on top of mixture and bake another 10 minutes until cheese melts. Let sit 5 minutes before cutting.

Red Lake Falls Library

Congratulations to the Summer Reading Program grand prize winners Taylor Lato and Jacob Schindler, each a winner of a \$25 cash card. Final weekly prize winners are Maddie Carriere, Taylor Lato, Livia Lehrer, Aloysius Pearson, Ava Phillion, and Jacob Schindler. Thanks to all the young readers who participated in this summer's program.

Mark your calendars for these Legacy events coming up in August: SRP Finale "Wild Things Zoo Attractions" on Thursday, August 10 at 4:00 pm; Local Christian Fiction author presentation and book signing, "A Hope and a Future" by Delores Kading on Thursday, August 17 at 4:00 pm; "Magic Village Show" with magician & ventriloquist Kevin Saline on Friday, August 18 at 2:00 pm; Kids Art Class on Tuesday, August

22 at 10:30 am (call library to reserve a spot, 253-2992;) and Bell Museum's Exploration and astronomy shows for on Friday, August 25 from 12 noon to 5:00 pm in the RLF City Hall (upstairs.) All these programs are open to the public and free of charge, provided by Minnesota Legacy funds.

Beginning in October, "Introduction to Drawing & Painting" will be held at the library for adult patrons who would like to learn the fundamentals of drawing & painting.

This series of 10 classes is designed for beginning artists and will be held on Saturday mornings, once every three weeks, between October and March. Interested persons are asked to call the library to reserve a spot, 253-2992. Class facilitator will be Mary Magnuson.

Wednesday, August 9, 2023

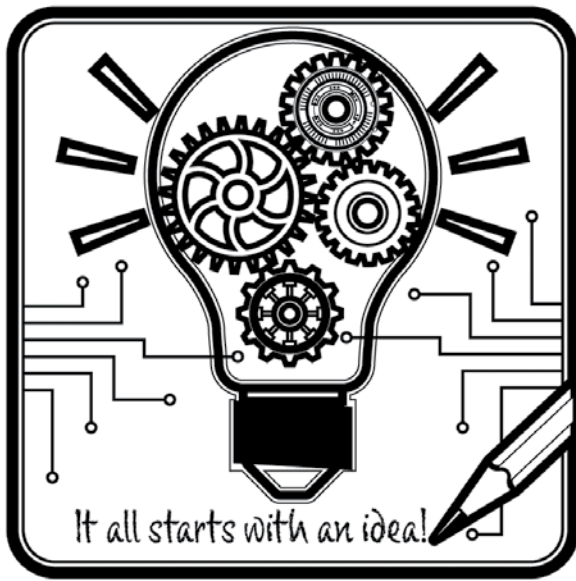


THIS IS THE TERM TO
DESCRIBE A PERSON WHO
CREATES SOME NEW PROCESS,
APPLIANCE, MACHINE, OR ARTICLE.

ANSWER: INVENTOR

Creative Coloring

Celebrate National Inventors' Month.
Color in this picture to create your own masterpiece.



THIS DAY IN...



HISTORY

• **1519:** FERDINAND MAGELLAN SETS SAIL FROM SEVILLE TO BEGIN A CIRCUMNAVIGATION OF THE GLOBE.

• **1641:** THE SIGNING OF THE TREATY OF LONDON ENDS THE BISHOPS' WAR BETWEEN ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

• **1990:** THE MAGELLAN SPACE PROBE REACHES VENUS.

New Word

CONCEPT

an abstract
idea or notion

How they SAY that in...

ENGLISH: Idea

SPANISH: Idea

ITALIAN: Idea

FRENCH: Idée

GERMAN: Idee

Did you Know?

INVENTORS AND ENTREPRENEURS BOTH COME UP WITH IDEAS. BUT AN INVENTOR IS MORE INVOLVED WITH THE ACTUAL INVENTION AND THE ENTREPRENEUR THE BUSINESS.



GET THE PICTURE?



Can you guess what
the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: LAPTOP KEYBOARD

Oklee Herald Early Files

Eighty Years Ago August 14, 1943

A girls' popularity contest will be held again this year in connection with the Market Day celebration to be held in Oklee September 27th.

Miss Gertie and Miss Viola Stromme left here last Thursday for Minneapolis where they expect to be employed.

At the Star Theater in Plummer "Topper Returns" will play on Saturday and Sunday. At 10¢, 15¢ and 20¢, you can't afford to miss it!

Jobs for Defense in Aircraft – Men 18-45 – Wanted at Once. Only limited number accepted. Must be an American citizen in good health. Aviation Training, Inc. Los Angeles, CA.

Seventy Years Ago August 9, 1953

Marion Plante, who has been attending school at Mayville, ND is visiting at the Ray Plante home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Shetler of Jacksonville, FL, are visiting friends and relatives here.

The Oklee Colts will tangle with the Oklee "Die-Hards" Sunday. The "Die-Hards" will be out to avenge an earlier defeat handed them by the Colts.

Mrs. Nordal Solheim was honored at a birthday party at her home by the West Johnson

Birthday Club on July 30th.

Sixty Years Ago August 17, 1963

Official practice for the Oklee Bobcats will begin on Aug. 21 with Roy Hokkanen as coach. The Plummer High School football team will also begin fall practice on that day.

The men in our neighborhood (Hickory) are busy harvesting and combining. Tuesday and Thursday Lewis Watne of Gonvick had five of his combines threshing on the Bjornaraa farm.

Fifty Years Ago August 12, 1973

A picture of a house (the Elmer Hanson home) was moved out into the country. Usually it is the other way around with homes being moved into town.

A story about the Cheese Factory in Brooks was featured in the Oklee Herald with the modernization of equipment and that the third generation is now employed in cheese making at Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Flateland of Detroit, MI spent a few days visiting their sister Birdie Gunderson.

Forty Years Ago August 13, 1983

The Senior Site had a Bake & Rummage sale and it was a

big success. The event made \$135.00.

Winning first place in the North Bi-County Women's Softball League was Plummer I Team.

Mrs. Pam Bruggeman and daughters and Mrs. Madonna Asselin of South Milwaukee, came to visit their mother, Mrs. Anna Lussier.

Thirty Years Ago August 14, 1993

The McIntosh Kitchen Bank performed for the Senior Citizens Day program during the Red Lake County Fair on July 20th.

Ryan Halvorson and Scott Waldal attended the Conservation Leadership School at Long Lake Conservation Center this summer.

Twenty Years Ago August 9, 2003

About 70 percent of the sidewalks outside the Oklee School building was jackhammer up and will be replaced. It will be sloped to make it more handicapped accessible.

Ten Years Ago August 10, 2013

On August 4th, the Freedom Living Center held a picnic for the residents. Each resident was allowed to invite 6 people to come and picnic with them. The owners hosted the event.

Senior Site News & Other Things

By Volunteers Jo Lambert & Bonny Cote
Site number: 218-796-5149

New Hours for Craft Shop

Update: The Craft Shop is now open again with the help of volunteers. There has been a change on the days: Tuesday, and Thursday the craft shop will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. In September we hope to have four of the five days covered.

Paper Crafting Class Information

On August 17th, Sue Beaudoin will be offering a Card Making Class. Plans are to make 2 birthday cards and one sympathy card. You must contact her by August 14th. The class is limited to six people. The cost for the class is \$7.50. Call Sue Beaudoin at 218-796-5283 if you are interested, to register, or ask questions.

Senior Meals:

Oklee Senior Meals (LSS Meals) are available for Home Delivery, Monday-Friday - Meals on Wheels (LSS) meals will be furnished from Red Lake Falls, and you need to order a day or two before the day you plan on having a meal. Note: The change starting in August has been postponed. You may call Jo Lambert at

218-796-4527. If you can't get a hold of Jo, please call Red Lake Falls LSS Site and let Carolyn or Cathy know. That number is: 218-263-4454.

Senior Potluck

The August Potluck will be held on Tuesday the 15th at 5 p.m. at the Senior Site Dining area. Come and enjoy a delicious dinner with friends. All seniors are invited to participate. It is held in the Senior Site Dining area.

Lending Library

The Lending Library located at the Senior Craft Shop has been reorganized and there are some new titles on the shelves. Come on in and sign out a book or two and bring it back when finished. The hours are the same as the Craft Shop – 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Also, the books in the hallway bookshelves are for sale for .25 cents each. The money goes towards supporting the Oklee Senior Site. You can pay for the books at the Craft Shop or at the Oklee Café.

Senior Site meeting

The next meeting is planned

for August 17th at the Senior Site. The meeting starts at 10 a.m. We need more people interested in attending meetings and being active at the Senior Site. Maybe a group of men would like to start a card day.

Dates To Remember

Wednesday: Cards at 1:30 p.m. If you would like to come play cards, come on down and join in.

Game Day: On the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month, plans are to have a game day. This could be Rummy-O, Checkers, or bring a game to the site.

3rd Tuesday of the Month: The third Tuesday of the summer/fall months is the Senior Site Potluck. It will be held at the Senior Site Dining area starting at 5 p.m. Seniors, please attend and bring a dish to share.

3rd Thursday of the Month: The Senior Site will be holding their monthly meetings at 10 a.m. on the 3rd Thursday of the month. Please attend as it is important to come with ideas and suggestions.

Have a great week!

DEADLINE

FOR NEWS AND ADS IS FRIDAYS AT 12:00 NOON.

CONTACT THE OKLEE HERALD AT 218-796-5181, COURTNEY'S CELL PHONE AT 218-689-4440 OR EMAIL AT OKLEEHERALD@GMAIL.COM

Red Lake County Sheriff Weekly News Release

On the morning of 07/25/23, the Red Lake Falls School District reported that someone entered the Bus Garage building on International Dr. in Red Lake Falls, sometime overnight, and vandalized several of the buses parked inside. That incident remains under investigation.

On the afternoon of 07/26/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report of a stalled vehicle parked along the roadway along CR. #13 west of Red Lake Falls. The owner of the vehicle was contacted, but was unable to get the vehicle removed, so a wrecker was called to tow it from the scene.

On the afternoon of 07/26/23, a Red Lake County deputy responded to a report of a minor fender bender crash near the Pool in Red Lake Falls. An Accident Report was completed, and the information was given to the vehicle owners. The damage was minor and there were no injuries reported.

On the evening of 07/26/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report of a possible protection order violation. That report is currently under investigation.

On the afternoon of 07/27/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's

Office received a report of a domestic disturbance at a Red Lake Falls residence. A Red Lake County deputy responded and discovered that a juvenile female has assaulted their stepmother. The juvenile was arrested, taken to the Juvenile Detention Center in Crookston and booked for misdemeanor domestic assault. She appeared in Court in Crookston on 07/30/23 and was released from custody.

On the morning of 07/28/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report that a loose dog chased a child on a Red Lake Falls street. A Red Lake County deputy located the dog and its owner. Sheila Marie Olberg (44) of Red Lake Falls was cited for two misdemeanor city ordinance violations, for allowing her dog to run at large and for failing to obtain an animal license.

On the morning of 07/28/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a call about a crash that occurred at the Cenex Parking lot in Brooks the previous afternoon. An accident report was completed and given to the owners of the involved vehicles.

On the evening of 07/28/23, a Red Lake Falls resident re-

ported a stray dog had killed two of their chickens. Red Lake County deputies responded and spoke with owner of the chickens. The victim determined that no further investigation or law enforcement action was necessary.

On the evening of 07/28/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report about a stray dog attacking a dog on their homeowner's property in Oklee. An adult male was bitten by the stray dog when they were trying to get it away from their own dog. The Oklee Ambulance also responded to the scene to treat the victim's injuries. The suspect dog was not located, and the case remains under investigation.

In the early morning hours of 07/29/23, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report of a vehicle blocking the roadway in Riverside Park in Red Lake Falls. The owner of this vehicle was located at the Voyageur's View campground, and they were advised to remove the vehicle from the roadway as soon as possible. After waiting for approximately an hour, a wrecker was called to come and tow the vehicle from the scene.

On the evening of 07/29/23, a Red Lake County deputy stopped a vehicle on Main Ave. in Red Lake Falls for unsafe driving conduct. The deputy discovered the driver, Brent Jay Mead (75) of Mountain View, AR was intoxicated. He was arrested, taken to jail in Crookston and booked for gross misdemeanor DWI. Mr. Mead appeared in Court in Crookston on 08/01/23. He was ordered to post \$1,200 cash bail prior to his release and his next court appearance was scheduled for 08/16/23. He remains in custody at the time of this release.

On 07/30/23, the Pathfinders Snowmobile Club reported that someone had stolen eleven large traffic cones that were used for markers during Summerfest Activities in Red Lake Falls. That report is still under investigation.

On the afternoon of 07/30/23, Emily Jean Luick (32) of Grand Forks was cited for speeding on CR. #13 west of Red Lake Falls.

On the afternoon of 07/30/23, Tyler Coleman McNeely (24) of Yulee, FL was cited for speeding on CR. #13 west of Red Lake Falls.

On the evening of 07/30/23, Brent Leo Mathson (36) of Clearbrook was cited for speeding on CR. #49 west of Hwy. #59.

On 07/31/23, Jessica Lynn Nordby (45) of Red Lake Falls was cited for a misdemeanor public nuisance city ordinance violation in Red Lake Falls.

On the afternoon of 08/01/23, Patrick Alexander Gerzewski (60) of Newfolden was cited for speeding on CR. #1 east of Red Lake Falls.

On the evening of 08/02/23, Heath Romanzo Dunklee (35) of Grand Forks was cited for speeding on CR. #13 west of Red Lake Falls.

Mitch Bernstein, Red Lake County Sheriff: 08/04/23

Charles DeHate, of Seattle Washington, visited his Grandma Anna DeHate Monday and Tuesday. Later he left for the lake.

Nick Gallant, of Des Moines Iowa visited his sister Anna DeHate. Later he left for the lake for a family reunion. While here, he and Anna enjoyed seeing the museum.

Ethan Gallant visited his grandparents, Roger and Lynn Gallant. While here, he played

bingo on Wednesday evening.

Wednesday, Karen Tvedt, Anna DeHate, Anne Traxler and Alice Jobe enjoyed dinner at Winger, where they had broasted chicken.

Wednesday evening at Bingo, Nancy Bray treated everyone to cupcakes for her birthday.

On Tuesday evening, we had two inches of rain and four tenths on Wednesday night with a good thunder storm and

lots of lightning. Now the grass will really grow. I don't know how much the farmers wanted rain, but I do know it has been very dry. Last weekend I didn't need to cut grass, it was so dry and short. I still cut grass by the museum. It doesn't take too long. At least it doesn't have ditched like at home. I hope you got to enjoy the activities in the neighboring towns, I know I do!

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Brooks - Terrebonne News

By Barb Novak 218-698-4296 novakbl@gvtel.com

Rain did not come this past week. On Sunday the 6th, there was a bit that fell but it looked like Mother Nature spit in the gauge. So much for the you will get rain over the weekend prediction. Oh yes some places around Fargo got 4 and 5 inches of rain, but we are high and dry again.

On Thursday we were driving to Forks for a test at the hospital, and just beyond Marcoux corner, we saw a cow moose running across Highway two. She wasn't very old and was not huge, but it was a young moose. It has been a while since we have seen moose, so it is a bit out of the usual. Many people are seeing

other animals that usually are hidden. I understand that bear are going into yards for the bird feeders and fox are cleaning up on small birds and animals. I lost two cats in the past week and I believe this is because of fox.

If the Hollywood big wigs say they are not making much money, don't believe them. The new "Barbie" movie has already sold a billion dollars in tickets. The strikes that are now going on in Hollywood are because of AI and the fact that some people have been cheated out of residuals and royalties they deserved. Let's

hope this ends soon and that the companies can open a fair purse to the actors and others who work movies.

This weekend Becky Novak came up to visit with her parents. She is always so helpful to us and she gets some down time from the city heat. The other thing is she gets to talk to more than herself. It also keeps me sane, too. She left on Sunday and was home at 10pm.

That is the news I heard over the past week, I hope you use this week for work and down time. Everyone needs to even out their lives.

Who's Dat?



Who's Dat?

This week's photo is of a local man in his younger years as a serviceman.

Last week's photo was of Mrs. Linda Longtin and Trini Lambert.

Everyone has a photo or two that would be great for this column. Please share them with our readers as it is one of most popular columns of the Oklee Herald.



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