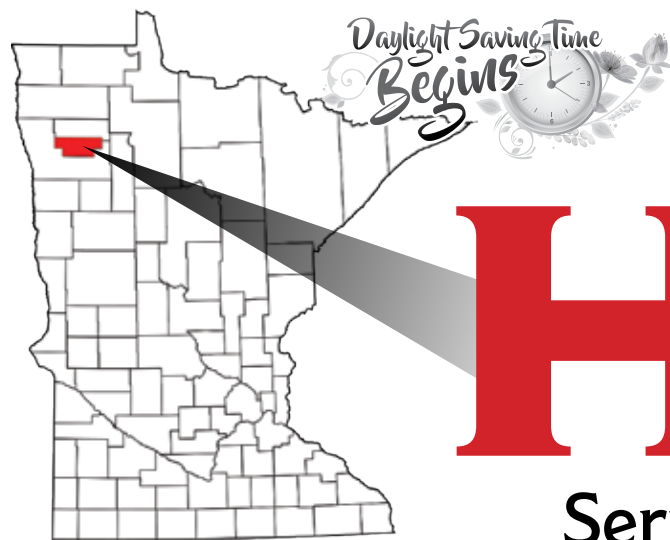




Red Lake County

Watch for the Girls Basketball pictures in next week's paper.



# HERALD

Serving Oklee - Plummer - Brooks - Red Lake Falls

Vol. 112, Number 30

www.TriCoCanary.com

Wednesday, March 6, 2024

## Knights of Columbus District Free Throw Contest Winners

Knights of Columbus District Free Throw Contest Winners from Red Lake County, that took place on Sunday, February 25th.

1st place winners will advance to the Regional KC Free Throw Contest in Kelliher on March 10, with the winners there advancing to state competition:

**Age 9 Girls:** Addison Remick--2nd

**Age 9 Boys:** Graham Vettleson--1st

**Age 10 Boys:** Brady Brammer--3rd

**Age 11 Boys:** Sam Cardinal--2nd

**Age 12 Girls:** Aaliyah Brammer--2nd

**Age 12 Boys:** Evann Philion--1st

**Age 13 Girls:** Isabelle Paradis--2nd

**Age 13 Boys:** Alex Brammer--2nd

**Age 14 Boys:** Ben Gullingsrud--1st



Alex Brammer getting ready for his Free Throw.

This event's volunteers were Pete Hagl, Mark Lacrosse, Tim Hagl, Ron Kennedy, Jeff Renner, Alex Renner, Tony Lacrosse, John Powers, Jason Kenfield, Alan Cota, Ben Cardinal, Kevin Philion, and Bev Philion. Their time and work makes this event happen.



1st place winners: Ben Gullingsrud, Evann Philion, Graham Vettleson.



Top Placers: L to R: Isabelle Paradis, Addison Remick, Aaliyah Brammer, Brady Brammer, Alex Brammer, Ben Gullingsrud, Evann Philion, Sam Cardinal, Graham Vettleson.



KC Free Throw 1st place winners at Districts from all over Northwest Minnesota.

## Daylight Saving Time Saves Energy

One of the biggest reasons we change our clocks to Daylight Saving Time (DST) is that it saves energy. Energy use and the demand for electricity for lighting our homes is directly connected to when we go to bed and when we get up. Bedtime for most of us is late evening through the year. When we go to bed, we turn off the lights and TV.

In the average home, 25 percent of all the electricity we use is for lighting and small appliances, such as TVs, VCRs and stereos. A good percentage of energy consumed by lighting and appliances occurs in the evening when families are home. By moving the clock ahead one hour, we can cut the amount of electricity we consume each day.

Studies done in the 1970s by the U.S. Department of Transportation show that we trim the entire country's electricity usage by about one percent EACH DAY with Daylight Saving Time.

Daylight Saving Time "makes" the sun "set" one hour later and therefore reduces the period between sunset and bedtime by one hour. This means that less electricity would be used for lighting and appliances late in the day.

We also use less electricity because we are home fewer hours during the "longer" days of spring and summer. Most people plan outdoor activities in the extra daylight hours. A poll done by the U.S. Department of Transportation indicated that Americans liked Daylight Saving Time because "there is more light in the evenings / can do more in the evenings."

While the amounts of energy saved per household are small...added up they can be

very large.

In the winter, the afternoon Daylight Saving Time advantage is offset by the morning's need for more lighting. In spring and fall, the advantage is less than one hour. So, Daylight Saving Time saves energy for lighting in all seasons of the year except for the four darkest months of the year (November, December, January and February) when the afternoon advantage is offset by the need for lighting because of late sunrise.

Embargo Changes Daylight Saving Time

Following the 1973 Arab Oil Embargo, Congress put most of the nation on extended Daylight Saving Time for two years in hopes of saving additional energy. This experiment worked, but Congress did not continue the experiment in 1975 because of opposition -- mostly from the farming states.

In 1974, Daylight Saving Time lasted ten months and lasted for eight months in 1975, rather than the normal six months (then, May to October). The U.S. Department of Transportation -- which has jurisdiction over Daylight Saving Time in the U.S. -- studied the results of the experiment. It concluded:

Daylight Saving Time saves lives and prevents traffic injuries. The earlier Daylight Saving Time allowed more people to travel home from work and school in daylight, which is much safer than darkness. And except for the months of November through February, Daylight Saving Time does not increase the morning hazard for those going to school and work.

Daylight Saving Time prevents crime. Because people get home from work and school

and complete more errands and chores in daylight, Daylight Saving Time also seems to reduce people's exposure to various crimes, which are more common in darkness than in light.

The Department of Transportation estimated that 50 lives were saved and about 2,000 injuries were prevented in March and April of the study years.

Newer studies, however, reportedly challenge the earlier claims of safety and crime prevention under DST. Further research probably is warranted.

Changing Again in 2007

The Energy Policy Act of 2005 was passed by Congress and then signed into law by President George W. Bush on August 8, 2005. Under the new law, Daylight Saving Time begins three weeks earlier than previously, on the second Sunday in March. DST is extended by one week to the first Sunday in November. The new start and stop period begins March 2007.

The original House bill would have added two full months, one in the spring and another in the fall. According to some U.S. senators, farmers complained that a two-month extension could adversely affect livestock, and airline officials said it would have complicated scheduling of international flights. So, a compromise was worked out to start DST on the second Sunday in March and end the first Sunday in November.

Enactment of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 did not alter the rights of the states and territories to choose not to observe Daylight Saving Time.

(This is part of an article from the website: www.energy.ca.gov/daylightsaving.html)



Devin Aakre took ownership of NB & C in Gonvick.

## New owner of NB & C

January 2, 2024 was the big day for Devin Aakre as he took ownership of NB & C in Gonvick. Northern Bait and Convenience has been owned and operated by Trudy Torgerson since she bought the business in 2004.

The building was built in 1949 by John Stevens and Severt Wolden. They operated it for about one year and they sold it to Phil Allen in 1950. Phil was a sub-dealer for Chevrolet cars and in 1950 he became a direct dealer for Chevrolet. Where there was a new 1950 Chevrolet sitting inside the building for locals to come and see there are now products of grocery items including milk, butter, pizza, pop chips, candy, coffee, fresh breakfast and a wide assortment of deli things to be made. Not only that but you can get all sorts of tackle for fishing and bait. That is what

the sign painted on the side of the building says, "Eat Here and Get Worms". Many drivers on Highway 92 have seen the sign. Devin still does not know if he will take the sign down. His plans are to stock more groceries in the future.

Devin has a full crew working at the store. Two that were with Torgerson will now be staying on with him. They are Shelly Halloran and Shawn West. There are also part time help including Grant Engen, Peyton Berg, Bryce Helberg and Callie Ehresmann. Les Watne will be with the part-time crew when they are working.

He is keeping Henry's as the supplier for the store.

He would like to replace the gas pumps and has been working with a grant specialist for money to help him with the project.

Devin will be keeping his job as Vice President at First National Bank in Bagley. He is a 2008 graduate of Clearbrook-Gonvick High School. His parents are Jim and Doreen Aakre and his grandmother is Shirley Aakre.

He is going to be busy with his job and his business as he is also on the Gonvick Fire Department, Gonvick Jubilee Committee and the All School Reunion Committee. He is an honorary Gonvick Lion member as he always helps out with the rodeo project that the Lions do every year.

That is amazing that a business in Gonvick has only been owned by a few people in the 75 years that it has been on the corner in Gonvick. Two men who stared it, the Allens and then Trudy Torgerson and now Devin Aakre.

## Basketball, and even some from the past!

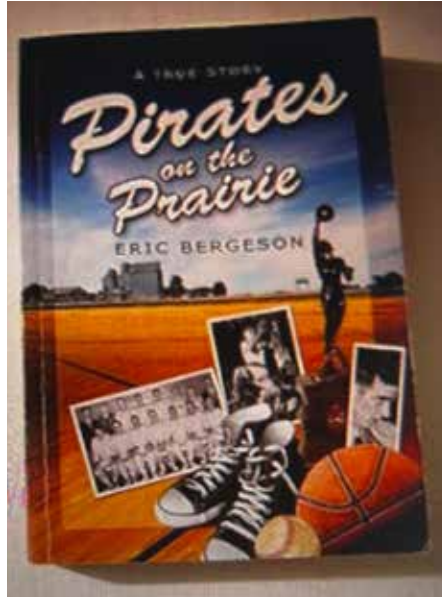
By Eric Mickelson

Many of us have been watching closely as the Rebels, Mustangs, and Eagles near the end of the 2023-2024 basketball season. We have been well aware of teamwork and individual accomplishments that have taken place.

Last week I was looking through some old Oklee Herald's from 60 years ago and I came across an article about a rivalry match-up between the Oklee Bobcats and the Plummer Cardinals. In this particular game the Bobcats came up short losing to Plummer by a score of 52-48.

At the end of the first quarter Plummer led by a score of 19-10 and by halftime it was 32-25-Cardinals. Near the end of the game the Bobcats tied the game at 45-45, but the Cardinals put in a couple more baskets and the Cats couldn't answer, losing in the end 52-48.

Leading the scorer for the Bobcats was Richard Krossen with 19. The Cardinals were led by Marv Walter and Larry Juneau with 12 points each. Sidenote: The Bobcats B-team also fell to Plummer by a score of 34-19, leading scorers for the Bobcats were Cliff Melby and Richard Bluemke with 5



points each!

If you are interested in a little more basketball history I would suggest a good book. Although it is not about our local favorites, the Bobcats and Cardinals, it does chronicle the Halstad Pirates of 1952. The book was written by the late Eric Bergeson and is entitled Pirates on the Prairie.

Pirates on the Prairie chronicles the achievements of a group of athletes who came out of tiny Halstad, Minnesota, in 1952 to take the state by storm. Bergeson does more than just follow the season of a high school basketball team. He takes the reader back in time by tracing the history of northwestern Minnesota and describing how the early Norwegians settled the land. He outlines the hardships faced by these hardy Scandinavians as they built schools, churches, and businesses. It is a recommended read!

Good Luck to all our area teams as they enter the post-season!

## Scam Alert - Watch out! Scammers target everyone

Recognize scammers. They may:

•Pretend to be from an agency or organization you know.

•Say there's a problem or promise a prize.

•Pressure you to act immediately.

•Tell you to pay in a specific way.

DO NOT give scammers money or personal information

- ignore them!

How to avoid a scam:

•Remain calm. Talk to someone you trust.

•Hang up or ignore the message. DO NOT click on links or attachments.

•Protect your money. Criminals will insist you pay in a hard-to-trace manner, such as with a gift card, prepaid debit card, cryptocurrency, wire transfer, money transfer, or by

mailing cash.

•Protect your personal information. Be skeptical of a contact you didn't initiate.

Spread the word. Share your knowledge of Social Security-related scams. Post on social media using hashtag #SlamtheScam to share your experience and warn others. Visit ss.gov/scam for more information. Please also share with your friends and family.

## Church News

**OKLEE LUTHERAN PARISH**  
Zion and Salem  
Pastor Linda Molitor  
Okleelutheran.org  
Wed, Mar. 6: 6:00 p.m.  
Meal: 7:00 p.m. Lent Service at Zion.

Sun, Mar. 10: 9:00 a.m.  
Zion: 9:00 a.m. SS at Salem  
10:30 a.m. SS at Zion. 10:30 a.m. Salem.

Wed, Mar. 13: 6:00 p.m.  
Meal: 7:00 p.m. Lent Service at Salem.

**CATHOLIC PARISHES OF OKLEE, GRYGLA & GOODRIDGE**  
Fr. Bryan Kujawa  
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. St. Frances – Oklee; 10:15 a.m. – Grygla. 12: p.m. – Goodridge.

**BROOKS – RED LAKE FALLS CATHOLIC PARISH**  
Fr. Bob Schreiner  
Saturday: 5:30 p.m. St. Joseph – RLF.  
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Brooks. 10:00 a.m. St. Joseph – RLF.

**IMMANUEL-EBENEZER LUTHERAN PARISH ELCA**  
Pastor Jonathan Dodson  
Wed, Mar. 6: 7pm Lenten Service at Bethany.  
Sun, Mar. 10: 9:00 a.m. Worship at Ebenezer. 10:30 a.m. Worship at Bethany. 7:30 p.m. Worship at Immanuel.  
Wed, Mar. 13: 7pm Lenten Service at Immanuel.

**GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH ELCA**  
Bethany-Ekelund-Faith  
Wed, Mar. 6: 7 p.m. Lent Service at Faith.  
Thu, Mar. 7: 10 a.m. Bethany Ladies.  
Sun, Mar. 10: Ekelund: 8:00 a.m. Worship, 9:00 a.m. SS. Faith: 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. SS. Bethany: 10 a.m. SS 11:00 p.m. Worship.  
Mon, Mar. 11: 9am Quilting.  
Wed, Mar. 14: 7 p.m. Lent Service at Bethany.

### Tri-Valley Public Transportation

T.H.E. Bus is available for anyone. There are no age or income guidelines. However, children under the age of four must be accompanied by an adult and children under the age of one must be secured in an infant seat.

Curb-to-curb services is available. Allowing for a safe and convenient method of transportation. All of our buses are handicapped accessible and lift-equipped. All of our drivers are trained and certified.

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

**For Polk, Red Lake and Clearwater County stops:**

Every Monday – Grand Forks.

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday – Mahnomen.

Every 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday – Thief River Falls

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

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Friday – Bemidji.

**CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH**  
Mt. Olive – Nazareth  
Oak Park – St. Petri  
Pastor Jeff Merseeth  
Wed, Mar. 6: 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday School. 6 pm Meal. 7 pm Oak Park.

Thu, Mar. 7: 6:30 p.m. St. Petri.

Sat, Mar. 9: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive.

Sun, Mar. 10: Nazareth: 8:45am, SS 9:45 a.m. Service. Oak Park: 10 a.m. SS, 11:00 a.m. Service.

Wed, Mar. 13: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School. Nazareth: 6 pm Meal. 7 pm. Service.

Thu, Mar. 7: 6:30 p.m. St. Petri.

**NEW JOURNEY CHURCH**  
Josiah Hoagland, Pastor  
Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor  
www.newjourneyfosston.com  
Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday School. 10 am Worship.  
Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Devotions.  
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

**GULLY-TRAIL PARISH**  
Bethany \* Lund  
Sand Valley  
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister  
Wed, Mar. 6: Lenten – Lund– 6 p.m. Soup & Sandwich, 7:00 p.m. Service.  
Sun, Mar. 10: 9:00 p.m. Lund. 10:30 a.m. Sand Valley. 2 pm 7th Gr. Confirmation at Lund.  
Wed, Mar. 13: Lenten – Sand Valley 7:00 p.m. Service.

**BETHEL ASSEMBLY Fosston**  
Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor  
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. Worship.

### Oklee Senior Site Dining

**March 11 - 15**  
Oklee Senior Meals (LSS Meals) are available for Home Delivery, Monday-Friday. Please call the Cathy or Carolyn at the RLF LSS Kitchen the day before, by 12 noon at 218-253-4454.

**Mon. 11:** Chicken Broccoli Rice Hotdish, Carrots, Bread/Butter, Fresh Fruit, Low Fat Milk.

**Tue. 12:** Herbed Pork Loin, Potato Wedges, Peas, Wheat Dinner Roll/Butter, Frosted Banana Cake, Low Fat Milk.

**Wed. 13:** Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Corn, Bread/Butter, Rice Crispie Bar, Low Fat Milk.

**Thu. 14:** Ginger Pot Roast, Pice Pilaf, Carrots, Wheat Dinner Roll/Butter, Chilled Peaches, Low Fat Milk.

**Fri. 8:** Tuna Noodle & Pea Casserole, Broccoli, Dinner Roll/Butter, Choc. Peanut Butter Bar, Low Fat Milk.

### Jumpin' Jax Cafe

Monday - Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
Grill off at 2 p.m. Dining room open til 3 p.m.  
Sunday: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Oklee, Minnesota 56742 ... 218-796-5999

*Without proper care for it we can have no community, because without proper care for it we can have no life. The ultimate goal of farming is not the growing of crops, but the cultivation and perfection of human beings.*

### NOTICE

The Red Lake County Township Officers Association will hold their Annual Spring Meeting at the Community Center in Brooks, MN on Thursday, March 21st, 2024 at 7:00 PM  
Casey Klipping, Secretary  
Red Lake County Township Officers Association 051-52C

### Notice of Garnes Township Annual Meeting and Election of Officers and Board of Canvass Meeting

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Garnes Township, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, that the Annual Election of Town Officers and Annual Township Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2024. 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 5:00p.m to 8:00p.m., at which time the voters will elect:

**One-Supervisor for a three year term**  
**One-Clerk for a two year term**

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

The Annual Election and Meeting will be held at the following location: Garnes Townhall

The Board of Canvass will meet immediately after the Annual Meeting to certify the election results.

The Garnes Township Board of Re-Organization will meet after the Board of Canvass.

Diane Kolstoe  
Clerk of Garnes

050-51C

## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

**THE RIGHT TO VERIFICATION OF THE DEBT AND IDENTITY OF THE ORIGINAL CREDITOR WITHIN THE TIME PROVIDED BY LAW IS NOT AFFECTED BY THIS ACTION.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that default has occurred in the conditions of the following described mortgage:  
Mortgagor: Nicholas W Johnson, a single person  
Mortgagee: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.

Dated: January 15, 2010  
Recorded: January 19, 2010  
Red Lake County Recorder Document No. 128796

Assigned To: Minnesota Housing Finance Agency  
Dated: January 15, 2010  
Recorded: January 19, 2010  
Red Lake County Recorder Document No. 128797

Assigned To: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.

Dated: May 27, 2010  
Recorded: June 14, 2010  
Red Lake County Recorder Document No. 129206

Assigned To: US Bank National Association  
Dated: June 2, 2010  
Recorded: June 14, 2010  
Red Lake County Recorder Document No. 129207

Transaction Agent: N/A  
Transaction Agent Mortgage Identification Number: N/A  
Lender or Broker: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.  
Residential Mortgage Servicer: U.S. Bank National Association  
Mortgage Originator: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:** LOTS (1), (2) & (3) OF BLOCK (70) IN KRETZSCHMAR'S ADDITION TO THE CITY OF RED LAKE FALLS.

This is Abstract Property.  
TAX PARCEL NO.: 17-3187-000

**ADDRESS OF PROPERTY:**  
415 Broadway Ave Ne  
Red Lake Falls, MN 56750

**COUNTY IN WHICH PROPERTY IS LOCATED:** Red Lake

**ORIGINAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE:** \$39,780.00

**AMOUNT DUE AND CLAIMED TO BE DUE AS OF DATE OF NOTICE:** \$32,792.10

That prior to the commencement of this mortgage foreclosure proceeding Mortgagee/Assignee of Mortgagee complied with all notice requirements as required by statute; that no action or proceeding has

been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the above described property will be sold by the Sheriff of said county as follows:

**DATE AND TIME OF SALE:** April 18, 2024, 10:00 AM

**PLACE OF SALE:** Sheriff's Office, 124 N. Main, Red Lake Falls, MN

to pay the debt then secured by said Mortgage, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements, including attorneys' fees allowed by law subject to redemption within 6 Months from the date of said sale by the mortgagor(s), their personal representatives or assigns.

**DATE TO VACATE PROPERTY:** The date on or before which the mortgagor must vacate the property if the mortgage is not reinstated under Minnesota Statutes section 580.30 or the property redeemed under Minnesota Statutes section 580.23 is October 18, 2024 at 11:59 p.m. If the foregoing date is a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, then the date to vacate is the next business day at 11:59 p.m.

**MORTGAGOR(S) RELEASED FROM FINANCIAL OBLIGATION ON MORTGAGE:** NONE

**THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES SECTION 582.032, DETERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF LESS THAN FIVE UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABANDONED.**

Dated: February 7, 2024  
U.S. Bank National Association, Assignee of Mortgagee  
By: HALLIDAY, WATKINS & MANN, P.C.

Attorneys for:  
U.S. Bank National Association, Assignee of Mortgagee  
1333 Northland Drive, Suite 205  
Mendota Heights, MN 55120  
801-355-2886  
651-228-1753 (fax)

**THIS COMMUNICATION IS FROM A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.**

MN11388.  
2/21, 2/28, 3/6, 3/13, 3/20, 3/27  
049-2C

### EQUIPMENT RENTAL – BIDS CLOSE

Tuesday, March 26th, 2024

**RED LAKE COUNTY**  
**RED LAKE FALLS, MN 56750**

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS –** Bids will be received until 10:00 AM, Tuesday, March 26th, 2024, by Kelsey Gervais, County Auditor, at the Auditor's Office in the Red Lake County Court House, 124 Langevin Ave, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, for establishing equipment rental rates. Bids will be opened publicly by Erik Hove, County Engineer, or a designated representative, on behalf of the Red Lake County Board of Commissioners.

Proposals may be examined and obtained at the Red Lake County Highway Department, 204 7<sup>th</sup> Street Southeast, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750.

The Red Lake County Board of Commissioners reserves the right to accept any bid or reject any or all bids, waive irregularities or defects therein.

Kelsey Gervais – Red Lake County Auditor

051-53C

## WE DO IN-TOWN DELIVERIES!

ORDER MONDAY FOR TUESDAY DELIVERIES

# E&J GROCERY

## Wine & Spirits

101 Main St. • Oklee, MN • 218-796-5168

Meat • Produce • Health and Beauty

• Greeting Cards • Beer, Wine and Liquor • WIC & Food Stamps

*This project is made possible in part, under the Federal Older American's Act through a grant with the NWRDC under an area plan approved by the Minnesota Board on Aging.*

SHOP ONLINE AT: <http://masonbros.com/weeklyads/ej-grocery-wine-spirits/>

041-14C

### FOR SALE ON BIDS CITY OF PLUMMER COMMERCIAL/RESIDENTAL CITY LOT

That part of the South Half of the Southeast Quarter (S½SE¼) of Section Nine (9), Township One Hundred Fifty-one (151), North of Range Forty-two (42), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, contained within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at a point on the East line of Minnesota Street in the Village of Plummer extended Southerly 70 feet South of the Southwest corner of Block 1 in the First Addition to Plummer; from this point at right angles East parallel with the South line of said First Addition a distance of 407.00 feet; thence South 03°20'33" East 370.35 feet to a point; thence at right angles West, the trajectory being South 89°9'12" West a distance of approximately 423.13 feet to the East line of Minnesota Street; thence North along the East line of Minnesota Street to the point of beginning.

*City water & sewer hook up is available.  
(This lot was formerly known as the baseball field)*

Bids will be accepted till noon March 11<sup>th</sup> at the Plummer City Clerk's office or mail them to City Clerk PO Box 128 Plummer MN 56748. Bids will be open Tuesday, March 12<sup>th</sup> at the regular City Council meeting. The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Margaret Peterson  
Clerk/Treasurer

046-51C

### NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF POPLAR RIVER TOWNSHIP ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Poplar River Township, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, that the Annual Elections of Town Officers and Annual Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at the Poplar River Town Hall located in the city of Brooks. In case of inclement weather, the meeting and election may be postponed until the third Tuesday in March.

The Annual Meeting will commence at 4:15 p.m. to conduct all necessary business prescribed by law. The election poll hours will be open from 5:00-8:00 p.m. at which time the voters will elect: One Supervisor for a three year term and one Clerk for a two year term. The town board will meet directly after the votes are counted to canvass the election.

Pam Gieseke, Clerk  
Poplar River Township

050-51C

### Notice of Equality Township Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the Township of Equality that the Annual Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2024. In case of inclement weather, the meeting will be postponed until the third Tuesday in March.

The Annual Meeting will commence at 7:00 p.m. to conduct all necessary business prescribed by law.

Janet Halvorson  
Equality Township Clerk

050-51C

### Notice of Chester Township Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Chester Township, County of Polk, State of Minnesota, that the Annual Town Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2024. In case of inclement weather, the meeting may be postponed until the third Tuesday, March 19, 2024.

The Annual Meeting will commence at 10:00 a.m. to conduct all necessary business prescribed by law.

The Annual Meeting will be held at the following location: Chester Town Hall

Pam O'Neill, Clerk  
Chester Township

050-51C

## JOHNSON

Funeral Service, Inc.

### Funeral Pre-planning Monuments

Thief River Falls • 218-681-4331  
Red Lake Falls • 218-253-2128  
Oklee • 218-796-5177  
[www.johnsonfuneralservice.com](http://www.johnsonfuneralservice.com)  
046TFC

### Red Lake County Herald Office Hours

I am in the office most Fridays (call to check) and I will be in the office on Monday, March 11th from 10 am until 4 pm.

Deadlines for items in the paper is on Fridays by Noon.

If you need to get a hold of me when I'm not in the office, please call 612-840-9401 or email me at: okleeherald@gmail.com.

### Sudoku Solution

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



(U.S.P.S. 407-240)

### Red Lake County Herald

Corner 2nd Ave. & Main  
218-796-5181  
ESTABLISHED IN 1914

Published by Richards  
Publishing Co.  
Bonny Cote,  
Editor & Office Manager  
okleeherald@gmail.com

\$35 subscription in  
Local Trade Area  
\$45 subscription  
Out of Trade Area  
\$25 Online Subscriptions

MEMBER MNA & NNA  
PUBLICATION NUMBER 407240

**\*\*Winner of National Editorial Ass'n.**  
first prize for Best News Story, 1959.

**\*\*Winner of Honorable Mention for**  
General Excellence, Minnesota  
Newspaper Ass'n., 1962.

**\*\*Winner 1st place** Typography  
Excellence, Minnesota Newspaper  
Association, 1971.

**\*\*Winner 1st place** Best Feature  
Story, Minnesota Newspaper  
Association, 1981.

**\*\*Winner 1st place** Best Single  
News or Feature Story, Minnesota  
Medical Association, 1992.

"The Oklee Herald" is published  
weekly by Richards Publishing  
Co., Inc., Box 159, Gonvick, MN  
56644-0159.

Periodical postage paid at Oklee,  
MN 56742-0009.

POSTMASTER: Send address  
changes to: Oklee Herald, PO  
Box 9, Oklee, MN 56742-0009.

**PUBLISHER'S LIABILITY FOR ERROR:** The Publisher shall not be liable for slight changes or typographical errors that do not lessen the value of an advertisement. The Publisher's liability for other errors or omissions in connection with an advertisement is strictly limited to publication of the advertisement in any subsequent issue or the refund of any monies paid for the advertisement.





# MUSTANG STAMPEDE

## Winterfest at Red Lake County Central



Coach Randy Huie introduced the RLC Rebels as they prepare their postseason. Team Members pictured are Peyton O'Neill, Owen Chervestad, Ethan Majeres, Luke Peterson, Connor Duden, Will Gieseke, Ethan Johnson, Gunnar Halverson, Logan Vettleson, Masen Pahlen, Nick Suchy, and Atley Vettleson. Peyton O'Neill, the RLC Rebel Senior commented about this year's successful regular season ending in 22-3. The Rebels will start their postseason on Thursday, March 6th in Thief River Falls.



Pictured are Jamie Flatgard, Carly Vettleson, and Jennifer Johnson. Coaches Mitch Bernstein and Kory Baril (not pictured) comment on their memorable year with this year's Mustangs. The Mustangs ended their season that night against the Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Ponies with a close game of 75-64.

## RLCC High School January Students of the Month



Congratulations to January Students of the Month Jamie Flatgard and Natalee Hendrickson.

## RLCC Announces January Students of the Month

By Brody Hammer  
Congratulations to Senior Jamie Flatgard for being selected as RLCC Senior High January Student of the Month. Jamie's parents are Shelly and Craig Flatgard. Jamie has one older brother, Levi, who graduated from RLCCHS in 2021. She has one dog, and her name is Ginger. Jamie says after graduating High School, she plans to go to Cosmetology school and college for her business degree. Jamie says her favorite sport is Volleyball. When asked why, she said she has been playing it for as long as she can remember and has many good memories from her time playing. Jamie's favorite food is tacos! Jamie says her favorite teacher is Mrs. Moll because everyone can talk to her, and she's super helpful in OCHS classes. Teachers chose Jamie to be SOM because she works hard in the classroom and on the Volleyball and Basketball courts! Jamie is also in the Minnesota Honor Society, Student Senate, and Senior Class Treasurer. Jamie is very compassionate and helpful. Congratulations to Jamie for

being Student of the Month! Congratulations to Freshman Natalee Hendrickson for being selected as the RLCC Junior High January Student of the Month. Natalie's parents are Rich and Jamie Hendrickson. She has two sisters, Emma and Lola. Natalie is involved with Basketball, Softball, Volleyball, and Student Senate. Natalee's favorite classes are Math and Science. Her favorite teacher is Mr. Paul Nelson. Natalee is also active with the youth group at Zion Lutheran Church in Oklee. Her youth group will travel to New Orleans for a national convention this summer. Natalee also likes to bake. Natalee's teachers picked her as the Junior High Student of the Month because she works hard in class and gets everything done promptly and thoroughly. Natalee is responsible and respectful in class and the hallways. This winter, Natalee has actively played Junior Varsity and Varsity Mustang Basketball. Congratulations to Natalee for being selected as January Student of the Month.



Student of the month Prize winners: Front: Robert Stine, Jaylee Gagner, Elliot Brekke. Back: Orin Weber, Aubrey Seyller, Josh Landrus.



Mr. Pederson and Molly Ferguson talk about Molly's year with the TRF Prowler Girls Wrestling Program.

## RLCC Elementary School Students of the Month



**Grace Kruchowski**  
"Grace is a hard working student and is loved by all her peers! She always tries her best and wants to get better! She is responsible and I can count on her! She is not afraid to ask questions and help people that are in need. She is such a good role model for other students in our school!"  
Mrs. Schwarz 3rd Grade Teacher



**Loryn Vettleson**  
"Loryn is one of the most caring students. She cares about her learning, she cares about her friends and she cares about her family. She is a hard worker always trying her best and is willing to put in work for her learning. Loryn makes sure everyone around her has what they need to do their best and she is a friend to everyone!"  
Mrs. Conneran 5th Grade Teacher

## RLCC Elementary News



L to R: Aiden Hagenbarth, Ezra Fore, Bree Dyrda, Fern Wichterman, Harper Morinville, Avaeya Vettleson, Grace Kruchowski, Archie Nelson, Graham Vettleson, Jeremy Schuh, and Noah Kruchowski.



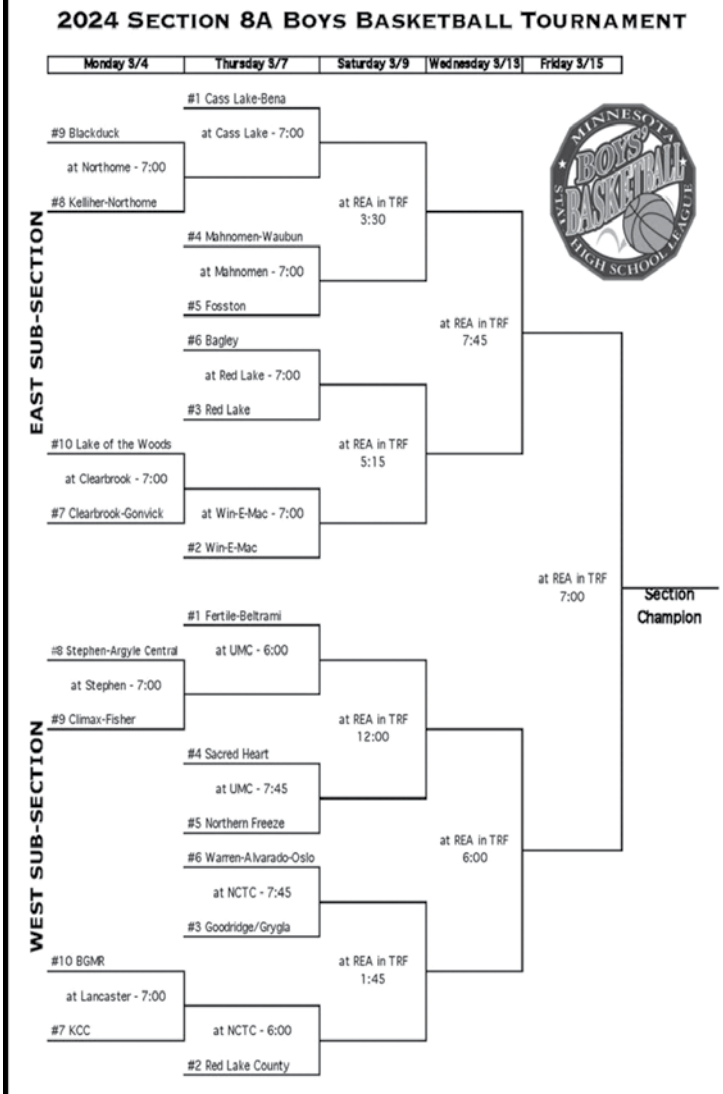
5/6 Student of the Month Nominees - Front L to R: Keaton Landrus, Ty Dugstad, Ellie Halverson, Vanessa Majeres, Lola Hendrickson, Loryn Vettleson, Emma Anderson, Avery Grove, Diamond Lundeen. Back L to R: Caelum Nelson, Reese Lambert, Victor Svendsen, Liam Magnell, Blake Good.

**Open Gym Continues**  
OPEN GYM in Oklee on Saturdays from 1-3:00 (under 7th grade must be accompanied by an adult/guardian). Contact Kurt at 612-247-0812 with questions.  
Open Gym in Plummer is on Sundays from 1-3:00 and elementary basketball holds open gym for participants in Oklee on Sunday's at 3:00.

March is Poetry Month & Music in Our Schools Month

Congratulations to the Red Lake County Rebels on their #2 Seed in the West Subsection, Section 8!

On Thursday, March 7th, at 6:00 PM at NCTC in Thief River Falls, they will play the winner of the KCC/BGMR Game which will be played on Monday, March 4th in Lancaster. The Goodridge-Grygla Chargers, the #3 Seed will play Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Ponies after the Rebel game at 7:45 in the same location



## MEET THE KINDERGARTEN OF RED LAKE COUNTY CENTRAL



**Name: Brylee Dyrda**  
Parents: Brent & Sarah  
Siblings: Bree  
What does your Mom do for a living: She helps people feel better at the school. She helps with lost and found.  
What does your Dad do for a living: He works at construction. He builds houses and makes roads.  
What do you want to be when you grow up? Work at the school.  
Favorite Movie: Encanto  
Favorite Food: Strawberries  
Favorite School Activity: Do homework.  
Favorite Color: Purple.  
Favorite Toy: Gabby's Doll-house.  
Favorite Sport: Volleyball.  
Anything else you'd like people to know about you? I'm going to be a flower girl and I get to match the bridesmaids. It's for my Auntie Jess and Uncle Jeff. It's my mom's brother.



**Name: Liam Gerholdt**  
Parents: Grandparents: Brent & Sami, Toni & George.  
Siblings: Isaac, Spencer and Kayden.  
What does your Grandma do for a living: She makes spaghetti for supper and talks to my mom.  
What does your Grandpa do for a living: Goes to the store and buys bread.  
What do you want to be when you grow up?: A teacher.  
Favorite Movie: Pennywise  
Favorite Food: Spaghetti  
Favorite School Activity: Inside recess.  
Favorite Color: Blue.  
Favorite Toy: Paw Patrol car I got for Christmas.  
Favorite Sport: Volleyball.  
Anything else you'd like people to know about you? I like to go to the park and play on the slide.

## RLCC Menus

March 11 -15

**Oklee**  
**Monday: Breakfast:** Egg, Cheese & Sausage Biscuit, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Hamburger w/Bun, Cheese, Potato Salad, Fruit, and Milk.  
**Tuesday: Breakfast:** Bagels w/Cream Cheese, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Corn Dog, Macaroni & Cheese, Vegetables, Fruit, and Milk.  
**Wednesday: Breakfast:** Apple Turnover, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Lasagna, Breadsticks, Lettuce Salad, Fruit, and Milk.  
**Thursday: Breakfast:** French Toast w/Syrup, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Chicken Strips, Mini Bakers, Vegetables, Fruit, and Milk.  
**Friday: Breakfast:** Cinnamon Roll, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Pollack, Mashed Potatoes w/Butter, Cookie, Veggies, Fruit, and Milk.

Plummer

**Monday: Breakfast:** Egg Omelet, Cereal, Fruit, Juice and Milk. **Lunch:** Hamburger w/Bun, Cheese, Potato Salad, Fruit, and Milk.  
**Tuesday: Breakfast:** Breakfast Pizza, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Chicken Strips, French Fries, Corn, Fruit, and Milk.  
**Wednesday: Breakfast:** French Toast Sticks, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Spaghetti Hotdish, Bread Stick, Green Beans, Fruit, and Milk.  
**Thursday: Breakfast:** Yogurt Parfait, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Hot Dog w/Bun, Baked Beans, Chips, Carrots w/Ranch, Fruit, and Milk.  
**Friday: Breakfast:** Long John, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Macaroni & Cheese, Uncrustable, Peas, Fruit, and Milk.

## Do You Remember?

By Eric W. Mickelson

### Do you remember the...

## Winter Shows...and Sheep Farming?

By Eric Mickelson

When I was young we got a couple of bottle lambs from my grandfather, Clarence Ellickson. Today I live on my grandpa's farm and I still have the old mailbox that says Ellickson Sheep Ranch. Well, those couple bottle lambs

eventually turned into a flock of about 30 ewes. When it was shearing time we often called upon Oliver Lien. My job along with the help of mom and dad was catching the sheep, then I would drag them over to Oliver to shear. If you haven't ever paid to much attention, or never have seen a sheep being sheared- it is quite an art. We also sometimes went to Oliver's sheep farm to maybe buy a buck or get some kind of sheep advice.

A few weeks ago I was doing some Oklee History research and came across an article about Oliver

Lien showing his sheep at the Winter Shows. It made my mind go the Winter Shows that we no longer have, and it made me think back to the memories of sheep farming near Oklee.

In the article from the 1964 Winter Shows a man named Robert Gee of Moorhead, MN. He received the overall flock award, he also showed the reserve champion ram, and the champion ewe. Edgar and Arlen Olson of Fosston received the champion ewe and the best flock in the Hampshire class.

All but one of the placings in the Suffolk division except for one went to Oliver Lien of Oklee. His awards included reserve and champion ram, champion ewe and best flock in the Suffolk Division. David Martini of Oklee received reserve champion Suffolk ewe.

I don't really want any sheep! But reading the article made me wish there still a few places in our countryside that you could go check out the sheep. Thanks for the trip down memory lane, Oliver!



Oliver Lien and one of his Champion Suffolks via 1964.

## Red Lake County Sheriff

[www.facebook.com/RedLakeCounty/](http://www.facebook.com/RedLakeCounty/)

On the evening of 02/23/24, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report of a possible break-in at a residence in Equality Township. It does not appear that anything is missing at this time, but the case remains under investigation.

On the evening of 02/23/24, Chad William Zander (46) of Barnesville was cited for speeding on Main Ave. in Red Lake Falls.

On the evening of 02/23/24, a Red Lake County deputy was requested to conduct a welfare check on a juvenile at a Red Lake Falls residence. The deputy located the juvenile and discovered they had been left, by a relative, in an unsafe situation. The deputy brought the juvenile to the Sheriff's Office, and she was released to an aunt and grandmother. Red Lake County Social Services has also been advised of this incident.

Shortly after midnight on 02/25/24, Red Lake County deputies were dispatched to the D&K Corner Bar in Plummer because a brawl had occurred there. When the deputies arrived, some of the involved parties had left. While interviewing witnesses, two suspects in a vehicle drove past the bar. A Red Lake County deputy stopped that vehicle on CR. #1 west of Plummer. It was discovered the driver, Rick Alan Zak (41) of Plummer was intoxicated. He was arrested, taken to jail in Crookston and was booked for gross misdemeanor DWI. The passenger, Laura Ann Bravo (44) of Plummer was given a ride home and was cited for misdemeanor disorderly conduct for her role in the brawl

at the bar. Mr. Zak appeared in Court in Crookston on 02/27/24, posted \$600 cash bail and was released from custody with court-ordered conditions. His next court appearance is scheduled for 03/27/24 in Red Lake Falls.

On the afternoon of 02/26/24, an individual reported they swerved to miss a deer, and they rolled their vehicle on 160<sup>th</sup> St. west of Plummer. The driver was not injured, and the vehicle was towed from the scene.

On the morning of 02/27/24, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report of a tenant harassing other residents at an apartment complex in Red Lake Falls. A Red Lake County deputy responded and mediated the situation.

On the evening of 02/27/24, an Oklee resident requested assistance in getting her son into a vehicle so she could take him to the Emergency Room. He had fallen and cut his face near his eye. A Red Lake County deputy responded and provided assistance.

On the morning of 02/28/24, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report from an individual who witnessed a vehicle run off of the roadway. They claimed the vehicle was driving too fast and it couldn't negotiate the curve at the bottom of the hill on Main Ave. in Red Lake Falls. Red Lake County deputies responded and found the vehicle had struck a road sign and was resting in a resident's yard. The driver, Mason Allen Barrett (19) of Grand Forks was not injured, but he was cited for misdemeanor careless driving. The vehicle was towed from the scene.

On the afternoon of 02/28/24, Red Lake County deputies, the Minnesota State Patrol, Plummer Fire Department, and the Thief River Falls Ambulance were dispatched to a report of a rollover crash on Hwy. #59 north of Plummer. The driver sustained minor injuries but refused transportation to the ER. The vehicle was towed from the scene and the Minnesota State Patrol is handling the crash investigation.

On the evening of 02/28/24, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report that a juvenile had stolen some money from another juvenile in Oklee. The parents of the juveniles handled the matter, and the money was returned.

Mitch Bernstein, Red Lake County Sheriff: 03/01/24

## Senior Site News & Other Things

By Volunteers Jo Lambert & Bonny Cote

### Senior Site Meeting

February was a short month even with the extra day. The next Senior Site meeting will be March 21st at 2 p.m. at the Senior Site dining area. Remember it is important to attend so that business can be taken care of.

At our next meeting we will discuss the Potluck meals and decide if we are going to start them. All seniors are welcome to come to the meetings.

\*\*\*\*\*

### 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: Please call Red Lake Falls LSS Site** to order or cancel your meals from now on. Jo Lambert will no longer be taking the orders. Call Carolyn or Cathy at 218-253-4454 to order your meals.

\*\*\*\*\*

### SAIL Classes

SAIL exercise class are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10am in the Oklee Hall. It is FREE to join. Sign up at the Senior Site or call Jo Lam-

bert at 218-796-4527 or Carol Kvasager at 218-201-0180.

\*\*\*\*\*

**Phone Number:** The City of Oklee has decided to cancel the phone number for the Senior Site/Craft Shop since it has closing.

\*\*\*\*\*

### Dates To Remember

**Wednesday:** Cards at 1:30 p.m. If you would like to come play cards, come on in and enjoy some fun game time visiting with your fellow seniors.

\*\*\*\*\*

Easter is just around the corner, and spring is early but is keeping us on our toes.

## Plummer News

By Alice Jobe 218-465-4402

A benefit for Ryan Wichter- man was held Saturday, the 24th, at the Plummer Hall form 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. BBQ's and chips were served. Upstairs there was a huge silent auction sale. Also there was a bake sale. It was a very good turnout.

Friday evening, the 23rd, Anne Traxler and Alice Jobe attended the fish fry at St. Bernard's Church in Thief River

Falls. It was a wonderful meal. And for dessert, many choices of pie. It seemed like they had a great turnout.

Randy Pahlen celebrated his birthday on Saturday, the 24th. His daughter Jenna made him an angel food cake, his favorite.. He's 70 something.

On Wednesday, the Schill's treated everyone at Bingo two different kinds of cakes. It was so good.

The weather has been so nice. After getting about 4 inches of snow here, the plows were out and people were busy blowing and shoveling snow. I haven't gone skiing yet, but I may go soon. The now will be melted soon.

Even a couple snowmobilers were out. It must be very disappointing this winter to have so little snow.

Have a good week.

## Bonny's Bits

okleeherald@gmail.com



Daylight Saving Time starts this weekend. Don't forget to change your clocks on Saturday night. I love Daylight Saving Time and wish they would leave it that way all the time. I hate the dark evenings, it makes me tired when I shouldn't be and I get

nothing done. Well almost nothing done, I have to force myself to keep moving and get things done. Thankfully I don't get depressed. Just no energy.

Spring has sprung, that is for sure, but it has been very fickle. One day nice and sunny, warm, the next snow and ice, etc. Last night (Sunday) the wind was howling so loud that cats didn't even want to go out. Spring has always been that way, never know what to expect.

Vi Cote is having a tough time as her left leg/hip has been

causing her issues and is in a lot of pain. We took her to the Fosston ER and they diagnosed her with inflammation in the hip joint. Nothing is broken, but she will be staying with us for a week or two until she is able to take care of herself again.

Easter is coming fast and I really hope the weather straightens out for Easter Sunday. We usually have a houseful of guests and relatives and it would be nice to have a sunny warm day.

## Brooks - Terrebonne News

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

Last week we reported that Cindy Determan's father passed away. The family attended the funeral. Along with the family some folks from the area also went to the funeral and they were Cindy's golfing friends.

Among them were Linda Kvasager, Linda Hemly, AND Joyce Morinville. Rest in peace Paul.

This week we note the passing of Warren Martell.

He lived in Terrebonne and grew up there. He made his Communion and Confirmation at St Anthony's Church in Terrebonne. He lived in Red Lake Falls at the time of his death. His family is very large, and they grew up on the farm just north of Terrebonne. He will be missed by his siblings and his friends. Rest in peace Warren.

I hope you all have a great week.

## Who's Dat?



### Who's Dat?

This week's photo is of a two fellows from the area.

Last Week's photo was of 1994 Oklee School Kindergarten class: (front l-r) Trish Fanning, Kayla Hamm, Kevin Brekke, Dana Larson, Kayla Bachand, Britanne Marquis. (middle l-r) Angie Peterson, Suzanne O'Neill, Mikel Mag-nell, Kelly Opdahl, Andrew Vetteson, Dale Rystad; (back l-r) Teshia Wright, Amber Brown, Angela Paquin, Nathan Wahlen, Kyle Vetteson, Clara Rose Rustan, Mrs. Jane Kolstoe, Teacher.

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 Red Lake County Herald.

**I really am short on photos** and have been diving into history books and other placed to find photos.

I am always in need of more photos - School days, church events, sports, etc. If you email a photo, please scan at 300 dpi (high quality) if you can. You can email to okleeherald@gmail.com.

If you mail a photo to the Oklee Herald office, please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope so the photos can be returned. Mail them to: Red Lake County Herald, PO Box 9, Oklee MN 56742 Or stop by the office and I will scan your photo while you wait.



Wednesday, March 6, 2024

## ATTENTION

### RED LAKE COUNTY SMALL BUSINESS AND POTENTIAL STARTUP ENTERPRISES

The Red Lake County Economic Development Corporation can help you start your own business or expand an existing one. We are here to assist with a ten (10) year loan for an amount up to \$30,000 at 2% APR. The business must be located in Red Lake County.

For more information, please contact one of the Red Lake County Economic Development Board Members: Allen Bertlrud 218-684-1315, Dave Ste. Marie 218-686-4019, Kelsey Gervais 218-686-5114 or email [rlcedc@yahoo.com](mailto:rlcedc@yahoo.com).

042-41C (2xmo.)

**KURTIS ELLEFSON**  
RED LAKE COUNTY  
VETERAN SERVICE OFFICER

**218-689-8587**  
**1-888-LINKVET**

Email: [kellefsoncvso@hotmail.com](mailto:kellefsoncvso@hotmail.com)

049-48C

**SUDOKU**

Call today and receive a  
**FREE SHOWER PACKAGE**  
**PLUS \$1600 OFF**

**SAFE STEP WALK-IN TUB** **1-855-576-5653**

With purchase of a new Safe Step Walk-in Tub. Not applicable with any previous walk-in tub purchase. Offer available while supplies last. No cash value. Must present offer at time of purchase. CSLB 1062165 NSCB 0082999 0063445

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

© StatePoint Media

Fill in the blank squares in the grid, making sure that every row, column and 3-by-3 box includes all digits 1 through 9.

**Don't Miss Out  
On the Latest  
Information of Your  
Kids in Their School  
Activities**

**SUBSCRIBE  
TODAY!**



to the  
**Red Lake  
County Herald**

**Mail us a check to:  
OKLEE HERALD  
PO Box 9  
Oklee, MN 56742  
or call: 218-796-5181**

**Note: If you just want an online  
subscription you can register and  
pay online or call 218-487-5225.  
Cost for online is ONLY \$25!**

**[www.TriCoCanary.com](http://www.TriCoCanary.com)**

☐ YES, I would like to order a subscription.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check appropriate box:

☐ 1 yr. in-county ☐ 1 yr. out-of-county

☐ 6 mo. in-county ☐ 6 mo. out-of-county

☐ I would also like the online subscription for free with my purchase of the Oklee Herald.

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_