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Green Isle Community School needs more students

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The future of the Green Isle Community School (GICS) is at stake.

“Enrollment for next fall is far from where we would like it to be,” said GICS Director Mary Menne. “The board has the tough job of ensuring fiscal health of the school while maintaining the amazing program that the community has grown to expect from GICS.”

The School Board, during a recent meeting, decided that the projected enrollment for the 2015-2016 needs to be at 60 by Thursday, May 14. If GICS does not reach that projected number by that dead-

line, there may not be a 2015-2016 school year at GICS, according to Menne. GICS, in its 10th year, currently has 45 students for next fall.

“We were honest with everyone about the situation and have pleaded for community help to spread the word about how awesome this school is to hopefully get more families to check us out,” said Menne. “We have some large classes that will be graduating and the kindergarten classes have been getting smaller each year. We know we are not alone in this problem as many schools face similar enrollment issues, but we are unique in that we are a

choice school so marketing is more challenging for us.”

Menne added that a possible closing would also financially impact the City of Green Isle which owns the school building.

“I just wish people could come in the building and see what happens,” said Menne. “I have been in so many classrooms across the U.S. and can tell you without hesitation there is nothing like the program GICS provides anywhere else. It is a true diamond hidden in Green Isle and I for one am so blessed to have had this school available for my children to attend.”

Menne added, “GICS is

more than just academics. It’s helping these kids to learn how to learn, love learning and know how to keep learning on their own. The teachers are passionate about what they do, the kids are excited to learn every day, the parents know their kids are in good hands. The kids are each met where they are at and challenged to grow. The teachers individualize to meet each child’s needs regardless of how much additional work it puts on them. These kids leave our doors prepared for the academic journey ahead of them but more importantly ready for all of the other challenges life has waiting for

them. They are well rounded, articulate, assertive, well behaved, civic minded, caring kids ready to overcome obstacles and be what they are called to be.”

Menne said she cannot imagine a world without multi-age classrooms where siblings learn to get along and learn side by side. She cannot imagine a school where there is no elders’ program each spring, no Thanksgiving wishes, and no bell ringing throughout the streets in the fall and spring. In addition, a school where kids can get everything they need to learn and families are always welcome into the classroom.

“Green Isle won’t be Green Isle without GICS,” Menne said.

Interested families who have any questions or would like to tour the school building are encouraged to contact Menne at 507-326-7144.

Interested families can also contact School Board members Sharon Ehrich (board chair and parent member), Kristen Strauss (board clerk, parent and teacher member), Lindsay Djerf (teacher Member), Pete Czarnecki (community member), Kacy Honl (community member), Nick Pollack (community member) and Dan Brown (community member).



Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

The Hugger Tree

CLIMB Theatre presented *The Hugger Tree* play to the younger students at the Sibley East Elementary School in Arlington on Tuesday afternoon, April 21. When Cam is home sick with the flu, a walking, talking deciduous tree teaches her that the earth is not as healthy as it should be either. Cam learns that if she, the kids in the audience, and all their parents and teachers don’t start taking better care of the

earth, it could end up very sick indeed. With the Hugger Tree’s entertaining and effective coaching, Cam learns about resource conservation and the Three R’s: Reduce, Re-use, and Recycle. CLIMB’s mission is to create and perform plays, classes, and other works that inspire and propel people, especially young people, toward actions that benefit themselves, each other, and their communities.

Green Isle votes to repair curb and gutter at 17 locations for \$24,000

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Green Isle City Council, during its recent regular meeting, unanimously approved a motion to hire Hanson & Vasek to repair the curb and gutter at 17 locations in town.

Mayor Dale ZumBerge and City Council members Shawn Harms, Brian Oelfke, John Schauer and Mark Wentzlaff all voted in favor of the motion.

In an unrelated note, the City Council authorized city employee Joe Dacey to

contact William Mueller & Sons, Hamburg, and seek proposals on the repair of four alleys in the city.

In other news, City Attorney Ross Arneson reported that he sent out letters to 16 property owners who are not in compliance with one or more city ordinances.

Arneson sent out the letters based on information provided by City Clerk Bert Panning.

These property owners will have until the end of April to comply with the city ordinances. After that

point, citations will be issued.

The City Council, in other action, unanimously approved a motion to hire Community Development Partners 101 as the city’s inspector effective immediately.

The City Council made the move after a presentation by Darin Haslip.

The Green Isle City Council will hold its next regular meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 12.

Sibley County Board discusses construction bond requirements

By Amy Newsom
Correspondent

The Sibley County Board, during its regular meeting on Tuesday, April 28, discussed the construction bond requirements for the RS Fiber Project permit.

According to Public Works Director Tim Becker, RS fiber is proposing to install a new fiber optic line along County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 8 from Trunk Highway (TH) 15 over to CSAH 17. The project will install new fiber within county road right of way along the ditch bottoms and back slope of the ditch. The contractor will bore the fiber line across the ditch and cross road locations.

The Sibley County Board and RS Fiber agreed to a \$20,000 construction bond to ensure that road right of way is restored to existing condition. This is a blanket bond that will cover all permits submitted by RS Fiber.

The \$20,000 bond will insure that repairs are completed to areas that are damaged during installation of the fiber line. RS fiber representatives stated that the areas will be returned to existing or better condition.

Other Projects

Becker also updated the Board on some projects within the County. The Arlington shop roof replacement began last week and the project will require a minor change order for replacing damaged plywood and re-nailing loose plywood on the shop roof.

The intersection lighting at TH 5 and CSAH 15 is now complete.

CSAH 14 is currently closed north of TH 25 while the road culvert is being replaced. This project is expected to take one week.

The Rush River Park repairs were approved for funding from FEMA on April 2. Becker said the repairs have

been started and they hope to be wrapped up in the next week or so.

The Prairie Line Trail project in Arlington is scheduled to start later this week.

Ditch #39

The Board approved Bolton and Menk to prepare a repair report for ditch #39. In a memorandum to the Board, County Attorney Dave Schauer specified that the repair report must show the necessary repairs, the estimated cost of repairs, and all the details, plans and specifications necessary to prepare and award a contract for the repairs. Bolton and Menk have until June 9 to submit the report to the Auditor’s Office. The Board will set a public hearing on the matter after the repair report is received.

Ditch #29

The Board appointed ditch viewers to determine damages and set the date for the engineer’s final report as June 9 at 10:30 am at the final ditch hearing.

Sibley Wind Substation

After much discussion from the Cornish Township Board of Supervisors and Sibley Wind Substation (SWS) representatives, the Board approved amendment #3 to the Sibley Wind Substation Construction Agreement by a 4-1 vote. Amendment #3 approves the release of the \$1 million bond and requires SWS to establish a new performance bond in the amount of \$1 million a minimum of two weeks prior to any construction beginning. It also requires SWS to establish a new Letter of Credit in the amount of \$500,000 a minimum of two weeks prior to any construction beginning. Board Chairperson Bill Pinske recommended that the

Board extend the amendment to align with the Public Utilities Commission deadline of July 15. The agreement will terminate on July 15 if substantial construction has not begun. County Commissioner Bobbie Harder voted against approving the amendment.

The Public Utilities Commission issued a site permit to SWS to construct a 20 megawatt large wind conversion system (a proposed 10-turbine wind farm) in Sibley County on Sept. 23, 2008. Cornish Township Board of Supervisors argued that the project should have been completed by now, while SWS argued that they have been held up by avian and bat studies and harsh winter weather conditions.

Public Health & Human Services

Public Health and Human Services Director Vicki Stock presented the Board with the department’s first quarter financial report. Total revenue for the first quarter was \$999,463, while expenses were \$1,623,125. Cash on hand was \$4,131,477.00.

Stock also reported that April 6 – April 12 was National Public Health Week. Sibley County Public Health supervisors, leads, nurses and support have 174 years of combined experience and home health aides and homemakers have 134 years of combined experience. She also stated that National Administrative Professionals day was April 22 and her staff has 50 years of accumulated service.

Stock also presented the Board with a proclamation by Lucinda E. Jesson, commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Human Services, proclaiming the month of April 2015 as Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Month.

Sibley East will serve communities during a work day Friday, May 22

One Day plus One School equals Positive Impact. That is the motto for Sibley Serve.

This endeavor will bring students and staff together as one school to serve the schools and communities, according to Sibley East Senior High Principal Tim Schellhammer.

During the day on Friday, May 22, over 175 sophomores and juniors and staff

will be available to complete service projects throughout the school district.

“We hope to volunteer in all three towns and our surrounding rural areas,” said Schellhammer. He added that Sibley East has already generated some ideas.

People who have an idea (big and small) for a service project are encouraged to contact Schellhammer at 507-

964-8235 or tim.schellhammer@sibleyeast.org.

For additional information, people are encouraged to watch the promotional video by clicking the “Sibley Serve” quicklink on the senior high school page at the Sibley East website.

The deadline to submit ideas is Friday, May 15.

News Briefs

Rollover crash near Arlington

A one-vehicle rollover accident reportedly occurred on 361st Avenue about four miles southeast of Arlington at 10:44 p.m. Saturday, April 25, according to the Sibley County Sheriff's Department.

Conner R. Schrupp, 17, Green Isle, was driving a 2000 Chevy Blazer northwest on graveled 361st Avenue when he lost control of the vehicle around a curve, according to the report. The vehicle entered the ditch, rolled onto its top and and struck a tree.

Schrupp and four passengers were all transported to the Ridgeview Sibley Medical Center, Arlington, "to be checked out," the report said. They were Kyler G. Rosckes, 16, Plymouth; Isaac A. Schweiss, 16, New Ulm; Meghan R. Lewis, 17, Nicollet; and Alexis M. Wilson, 17, Arlington.

Schrupp and Rosckes were sitting in the front seat and were wearing their seatbelts, according to the report. The three passengers in the backseat were not wearing their seatbelts.

The Arlington Ambulance also assisted at the scene.

Lions Club donates \$5,000

The Arlington Lions Club recently donated \$5,000 to the Dan "Buck" Thomes Field and the Arlington Sportsmen's Park.

Lions Club members Dan Hislop and Eunice Rucks presented the check to Park Board members Bob Thomes and Alan Ihrke.

To see the check presentation photo, go to www.arlingtonmnnews.com.

Garden Club to meet May 5

The Arlington Garden Club will meet at the home of Helen Kittock at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 5.

New members are always welcome. For more information, contact Chris Heiland at 507-964-5177.

Raise the Rouf recipient

The proceeds from this year's Raise the Rouf event will benefit six-year-old Paisley Lindemann.

Lindemann was first diagnosed with Leukemia in March 2011 not long after her second birthday. She completed two years of vigorous chemotherapy.

Unfortunately, Lindemann learned that her leukemia has returned after a routine post-treatment check up appointment this past February. She has started chemotherapy again.

She is the daughter of Mark and Becky Lindemann, Glencoe.

The annual Raise the Rouf event will be held on Saturday, June 20.

Schauer appointed to board

The Green Isle City Council, during a recent regular meeting, voted 4-0 and approved a motion to appoint City Council member John Schauer to the Sibley East Community Education Board.

Schauer will replace former City Council Todd Burg who did not file for re-election last fall.

Mayor Dale ZumBerge and City Council members Shawn Harms, Brian Oelfke and Mark Wentzlaff all voted in favor of the motion. Schauer abstained from the vote.

Green Isle purchases t-shirts

The Green Isle City Council, at its recent regular meeting, unanimously approved a motion to purchase t-shirts for City Council members and employees from Starry's Embroidery, Arlington. The cost was \$300.

Students to be recognized

KNUJ Radio, New Ulm, will recognize Senior Honor Students over the next few months.

Sibley East senior Jonah Butler will be recognized at 3:40 p.m. Thursday, May 14.

Sibley East senior Megan Elseth will be recognized at 5:15 p.m. Thursday, May 14.

Highway 22 lane closures

Motorists will encounter lane closures and parking restrictions in Glencoe beginning Monday, May 4 delayed until late September.

Crews will be working from Seventh Street to Greeley Avenue North. Flaggers will control traffic through the work zone. Parking will be restricted in this area. Motorists should watch for lane shifts.

Motorists should always drive with caution, slow down in work zones and never enter a road or lane blocked with barriers or cones.

For more updates on this, and other projects in the region, go to www.511mn.org.

Reierson receives scholarship

Southwest Minnesota State University in Marshall, announces that Britany Reierson, daughter of Brian and Carlee Reierson, Arlington, has been selected to receive a Barnes and Noble Scholarship for the 2015-2016 academic year. Recipients of these scholarships are recognized for their academic accomplishments and outstanding leadership abilities.

Reierson is a graduate of the Sibley East Senior High School. Her planned major field of study is biology.

Break the Stigma Walk/Run

Break the Stigma Walk and Run for Mental Health Awareness will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, May 2, according to 1993 Sibley East graduate Michelle (Vossen) Gomez.

The 5k race and 3k walk will start and end at the Good Shepherd Church at 1407 Cedar Avenue North in Glencoe.

For additional information, interested people can go to Break the Stigma 5K Run/3K Walk - Glencoe, MN Facebook Event page, then click on "Going."



Enterprise photos by Kurt Menk

Spring Bash

Comedy by Chad Filley, right, and Marj Rowan, left, provided the entertainment during the Spring Bash event at the Arlington Community Center on Saturday night, April 25. The event, sponsored by the Ridgeview Sibley Medical Foundation, was

the 27th annual benefit for the Ridgeview Sibley Medical Center. The proceeds from the event, which was attended by over 200 people, will be used to purchase digital mammography equipment for the Ridgeview Sibley Medical Center.

Students named to the Honor Roll at Sibley East Senior High School

The following students were recently named to the "A" Honor Roll and "B" Honor Roll at the Sibley East Junior High School in Arlington during the third quarter.

"A" Honor Roll

Seniors: Elizabeth Becerra, Carla Bromenschenkel, Cole Bruhn, Andrew Bullert, Autumn Dose, Isaac Elseth, Megan Elseth, Justin Korson, Kelli Martens, Kenneth Martin, Ashley Mercier, Darin Neisen, Paige Nelson, Jordan Petzel, Taylor Pfarr, Brandon Raghu, Karissa Sorenson, Elizabeth Thies, Sam Thies, Hunter Voight, Shelby Voight, Breann Walsh, Matthew Weber, Zachary Weber and Kyla Wisch.

Juniors: Michael Bostelman, Logan Bruss, Samantha Carpenter, Trevor Diehn, Nicholas Doetkott, Kailey Geib, Ashley Grack, Ian Holmes, Logan Jorgenson, Madeline Kjellesvig, Megan Krentz, Mason Latzke, Sarah Malinowski, Mitchell Mathews, Natalie Mesker, Dylan Pauly, Collin Pautsch, Sadie Quast, Casey Samletzka, Travis Schmidt, Julia Schwartz, Lucas Shogren, Rachel Sorenson, Aaron Strack, Jacob Strack, McKayla Stumm, Emma Thompson, Kaitlin Tuchtenhagen, Alyssa Weber and Jacob Wentzlaff.

Sophomores: Morgan Attenberger, Abigail Butler, Alli Harter, Chloey Kellermann, Tory Knacke, Alexis Kreft,

Tanner Kurtzweg, Sadie Lane, Alyssa Louwagie, Ella Lundstrom, Joel Mercier, Timothy Otto, Megan Pederson, Samantha Raghu, Ashley Rechtzigel, Emma Samletzka, James Schealler, Jenna Schuft, Leah Serbus, Nathan Snyder, Kimberly Velazquez, Jason Vinkemeier and Elizabeth Wahlen.

"B" Honor Roll

Seniors: Cierra Abrams, Robert Acciari, Vanesa Aguilera, Mikayla Alsleben, Alexander Bessel, Casey Brandt, Austin Brockhoff, Lukas Bullert, Kaylee Busch, Jonathan DuFrane, Viviana Flores, Benjamin Freitag, Zachary Garza, Austin Hahn, Daniel Kranz, Haylee Lon-

corich, Megan Mathews, Mikayla Perschau, Tyler Reid, Melanie Rovinsky, McKenzie Sommers, Korban Strand and Sophia Thoele.

Juniors: Kirsten Campbell, Victoria Dwyer, Sydney Fogarty-Busch, Michael Grove, Rachel Loncorich, Ethan Pomplun, Kaitlyn Schauer, Kyla Schlueter, Trevor Tuman, Tristan Von Eschen and Bradley Ziegler.

Sophomores: Benjamin Brinkman, Alison Eibs, Seth Fredin, Christopher Johnson, Brooke Klehr, Alma Lopez, Sheryl Monsivaiz, Adam Peterson, Emily Quast, Alyssa Stoeckman, Sierra Suedbeck, Hannah Wentzlaff, Megan Wickenhauser and Gabrille Wiest.

Sibley East Prom will be held Saturday, May 2

The Sibley East Prom will be held at the senior high school in Arlington on Saturday night, May 2. The theme for this year's event will be "Around The World."

A Prom Dinner will be held

in the large gymnasium at 5 p.m.

The Grand March will follow from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. The doors to the school for the Grand March will open at 6:45 p.m. or at the conclusion

of the Prom Dinner. Admission is \$2. Children age five and younger will be admitted free.

The dance will be held from 8 p.m. to 11:30 p.m.

The After Prom Party will

be held in the large gymnasium at the junior high school in Gaylord from midnight to 4 a.m.

Thank you!

Thanks to the Arlington Fire Department, Stacy, Curt and Cody for their response to our fire, and removal of trees.

Randy & Joan Brockhoff

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thank you THANKS A LOT

I would like to thank the Gaylord Ambulance crew and the Gaylord Fire Department for their quick response to my home when I needed help.

Also, I would like to thank the Arlington Hospital staff for their help.

I very much appreciated everyone's assistance.

Greg Kuphal

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SUMMER REC STAFF WANTED

Sibley East Community Education is now accepting applications for baseball and softball coaches for the Summer Rec program. The program begins on June 8th and ends on/around July 22nd. Applicants should be 16 years of age or older, responsible, and dependable.

The positions to be filled are:

- ** Arlington Baseball Coach (6-8 grade)
- ** Arlington Baseball Coach (4-5 grade)
- ** Arlington Softball Coach (4-8 grade)
- ** Gaylord Baseball Coach (6-8 grade)
- ** Gaylord Baseball Coach (4-5 grade)
- ** Gaylord Softball Coach (4-8 grade)

Applications are available at the Arlington and Gaylord school offices and the Community Education office in Gaylord. Call the Community Education office with questions at 507-237-3322.

Application deadline: May 15, 2015

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Green Isle Volunteer Fire & Rescue Relief

15th Annual SPRING GET TOGETHER Sun., May 3

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Monday, May 4: Arlington City Council, council chambers, 6:30 p.m.

Arlington AA & Al Anon, St. Mary's Catholic Church, Arlington, 8 p.m. Speaker night, open to the public.

Tuesday, May 5: Arlington Garden Club, home of Helen Kittock. New Members Welcome! For more info, contact Chris Heiland at 507-864-5177.

Wednesday, May 6: Knights of Columbus officers, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 8 p.m.

Thursday, May 7: Arlington Ambulance Service, 7 p.m.

Arlington Lions Club, Arlington Haus social 6 p.m., meeting 7 p.m.

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Spring clean up day is very successful in the City of Green Isle

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Spring Clean Up Day in Green Isle was very successful on Saturday, April 25, according to City Clerk Bert Panning.

"We filled three large dumpsters with all kinds of trash such as mattresses, old furniture, etc," said Panning. "We also had many, many, electronic items & appliances such as TVs, vacuum cleaners, water softeners, car,

truck and tractor tires, bulbs, air conditioners, microwaves, etc."

The city also took in several hundred pounds of metal items.

"Although we charged for the appliances, electronic items, tires, bulbs, it will cost the city a couple hundred dollars to cover the expenses including the labor, but it was well worth it," said Panning.

Avian flu confirmed in Le Sueur County, 21,000 turkeys are lost

The deadly bird flu which has now affected nearly 1.5 million Minnesota turkeys has been confirmed at a Le Sueur County farm, according to an article the Le Sueur News Herald.

The Minnesota Board of Animal Health and the USDA announced on Tuesday, April 14, that 21,500

turkeys from two barns at a Cordova Township farm site have been euthanized due to the outbreak of avian influenza, which has hit 26 farms in rural Minnesota counties.

Le Sueur County is currently the most southeastern location affected by the outbreak.



Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

SE Students of the Month

The following students at the Sibley East Senior High School were recently selected as Students of the Month. Front Row: (left to right) Emily Somerville, Devon Schultz, Nathan Snyder and Kirsten Campbell. Middle Row: (l to r) Sam Abraham,

Jacob Strack, Justin Bennett, Madeline Kjellesvig and Casey Samletzka. Back Row: (l to r) Haylee Loncorich, Autumn Kuehl, Elizabeth Becerra, Zac Weber and Sam Thies. Missing from the photo is Casey Brandt.

CodeRED: Sibley County's mass notification service

Two years ago Sibley County contracted with Emergency Communications Network, LLC to license its CodeRED high-speed notification solution. The CodeRED system provides county officials the ability to quickly deliver messages to targeted areas or the entire county.

The system, unfortunately, is only as good as the telephone number database supporting it. If your phone number is not in the database, you will not be called. One of the reasons the CodeRED system was selected is it gives individuals and businesses the ability to add their own phone numbers directly into the system's database, which is an extremely important feature.

No one should automatically assume his or her phone number is included. All individuals and businesses are urged to log onto the Sibley

County's Emergency Management website, (http://www.co.sibley.mn.us/emergency_management_services/index.php), and follow the link to the "CodeRED Community Notification Enrollment" page.

All businesses should register, as well as all individuals who have unlisted phone numbers, who have changed their phone number or address within the past year, and those who use a cellular phone or VoIP phone as their primary number. CodeRED allows geographically based delivery, which means street addresses are required to ensure emergency notification calls are received by the proper individuals in a given situation. The system works for cell phones too, but we need to have an associated street address to provide relevant messages.

CodeRED gives those who want to be included an easy

and secure method for inputting information. The data collected will only be used for emergency notification purposes. Questions should be directed to the Sibley County Emergency Management Office, 507-237-4109.

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REMEMBER

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This Memorial Day, Let us Pause and Reflect.

In the May 21 edition of the Arlington Enterprise and the May 24 edition of the Sibley Shopper there will be a special tribute to relatives and friends that have passed away.

You can place an "In Memoriam" ad in this special section for only \$12.00 for BOTH editions.

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B. *In Memoriam*
John Smith
who passed away May 5, 2009

*Dearly missed by
his wife
and family*

C. *Gone but not forgotten*
John Smith
who passed away July 2, 2008

*Dearly missed by
his wife
and family*

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Opinions

Despite a surplus, there is talk of a special session or shutdown

Our View: Now is the time for real leadership at the State Capitol

With a Monday, May 18 legislative adjournment deadline around the corner, there has been talk about a possible special session or even a government shutdown.

Even with a projected \$2 billion surplus, this news should come as no surprise to residents across Minnesota. The politicians from both parties are back to their old tricks and games.

The Republicans, who control the House of Representatives, have proposed to cut local government aid to the Democratic cities of Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth.

The Democrats, who control the Senate, want to spend money and create new programs.

DFL Governor Mark Dayton, who is in bed with Education Minnesota, wants to spend a chunk of money on education.

It's the same old song. Both political parties make proposals to either upset the other side or to reward their own special interest groups and generous donors. The average taxpayer is not even on the radar.

Most states would love to have a surplus. Minnesota has one, but it has done nothing except to create more friction up in St. Paul.

Now is the time for real leadership at the State Capitol in St. Paul. Lawmakers from both sides of the aisle need to step up and compromise on various bills for the good of all Minnesotans.

With a projected \$2 billion surplus, lawmakers have a tremendous opportunity and must seize the moment. Anything less would be a monumental setback for not just the state, but its citizens who deserve the best.

-K.M.

Too Tall's Tidbits

Happy Birthday and Happy Anniversary to the following local and area residents compliments of the Arlington Lions Club Community Calendar.

May 1
Brody Curtiss, Harris Dose, Frank Kolander, Bryan Pasek, Amy Pautsch and Micah Schroeder.

May 2
Ella Lundstrom, Eric (Pichelmann) Heiss, Jacob Scharpe, Lacey Sharpling, and Mr. and Mrs. Len Vos.

May 3
In Memory Of Fred Bullert, Diana Glieden, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Schmidt, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Vos.

May 4
Dan Brau, Katelyn Croat, Trevor Diehn, Madonna Dorweiler, Louise Quast, Rich Schmidt, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Paggen.

May 5
Caleb McMackins, Matt Vos, Tanner Walsh, and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Koopp.

May 6
Madison Conway, Austin Hahn, William Kaesermann, Paris Kube, Benjamin Maki, Jack Rosenfeld, and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Breyer.

May 7
David Grabitske, Jane Kloeckl, Anita Quast and Tammy Rechtzigel.

Taxiing down the runway, the jetliner slowed to a stop, turned around and returned to the gate.

After an hour's delay, it finally took off.

A passenger asked the flight attendant about the problem.

"Well, sir," explained the flight attendant. "The pilot was concerned about a noise he heard in the engine and it took us a while to find another pilot."

A state trooper pulled over a driver who was speeding. Hoping to get off with a warning, the driver tried to appear shocked when the trooper approached her car.

"I have never been stopped like this before," she told the officer.

"What do they normally do, ma'am?" he asked. "Shoot the tires out?"

A motorist found his car bogged down in a muddy pothole on a country road. Seeing a farmer on a tractor in a nearby field, he called out to him to ask for help. The farmer agreed to pull his car out of the hole for \$100.

After the car was on dry ground, the testy driver told the farmer, "At these prices, you should be pulling people out of the mud night and day."

"Can't," the farmer replied as he hopped back up on his tractor. "At night I have to haul water for the hole."

Bob, an insomniac, was always late for work because he was so tired. His boss threatened to fire him for tardiness if he didn't fix the problem.

Bob went to a doctor who prescribed sleeping pills. The first night, he took one and slept like a baby. He awoke refreshed, before the alarm went off, and enjoyed a leisurely breakfast before heading off to work. He arrived promptly and was just sitting down as his desk when his boss came striding up to him.

Bob smiled and said, "You know, the pills actually work and I'm so glad I decided to ask for help with my insomnia."

"That's fine, Bob," the boss responded angrily. "But where were you yesterday?"

A woman rubbed a lamp and out popped a genie. "Do I get three wishes?" she asked.

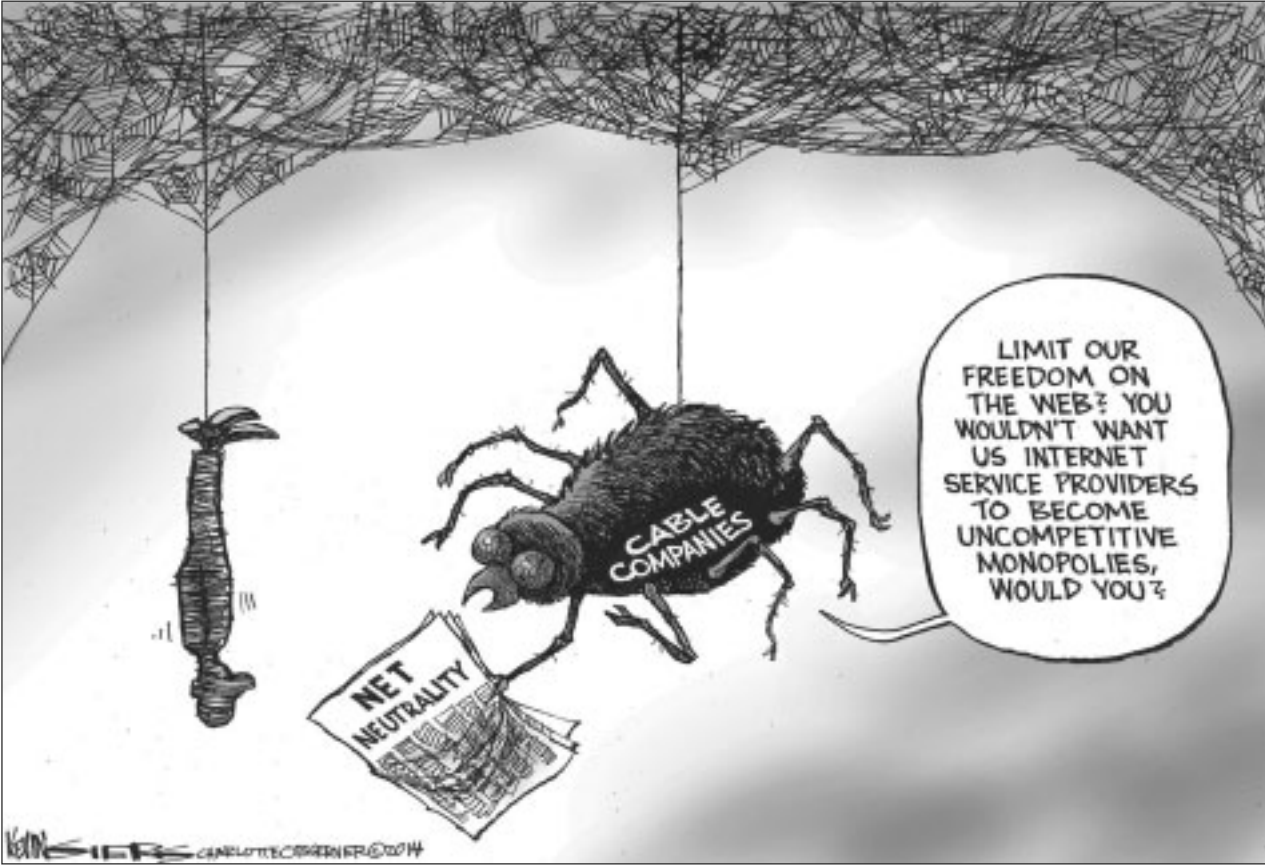
"Nope, I'm a one-wish genie. What will it be?"

"See this map?" said the woman. "I want these countries to stop fighting so we can have world peace."

"They've been at war thousands of years," he said. "I'm not that good. What else do you have?"

"Well, I'd love a good man," asked the woman. "One who's considerate, loves kids, likes to cook and doesn't watch sports all day."

"Okay," the genie said with a sigh. "Let me see that map again."



Letter To The Editor

Congrats Keithahn and Gaylord city officials

To The Editor,

Congratulations to Phil Keithahn and Gaylord city officials for their innovative plan to bring a medical

school facility to Gaylord. We can only hope this becomes a reality as it would be a tremendous economic development project, benefiting the

entire county.

Larry Sorenson
Arlington

Guest Column

A key to happiness

By Glenn Mollette

Americans hoard too much stuff. Everywhere I go in small or large towns I see storage facilities being built. Americans have "stuff" and we need more storage space. We spend most of our lives wanting stuff and then we have to worry about keeping or maintaining what we have accumulated.

My wife and I cleaned out a bedroom closet recently. I looked through my clothes and saw too much I had not worn in the last year. I bagged it and carried it off to the local charity pickup truck. I realize they will sell it but they will sell it for cheap and somebody else will hopefully use it. I suspect together we hauled off seven or eight bags of clothes. I really don't buy that much

but I had a lot of clothes that I had accumulated and I thought just maybe someday I might put some of them to use. Some stuff was just old and outdated and as I hate to confess, some of it wouldn't fit anymore.

One of the good things is that I can now better see what I really have to wear and I have worn about all of it in the last year. Well, wait; I have a pair of cowboy boots. I haven't worn them in a long time but I held onto them because, well, I might wear them someday.

I know I have too much stuff. Honestly, the goal of my life has never been to have more. I've wanted a roof over my head and a warm place to sleep and some good food and a comfortable car. I know thou-

sands in America are homeless and I am fortunate.

The point I am trying to make is that it just feels so good to get rid of junk. I feel happier just being able to walk into my closet. And, maybe my junk will be somebody else's lucky buy or find.

We are on a journey through this world and we try to carry too much. It's really amazing how little we really need.

The sooner we realize how little we really need the sooner we can enjoy what we have. A happier life is free from a lot of junk.

Dr. Glenn Mollette is a syndicated American columnist and author. He is read in all 50 states.



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Worksite wellness sharing event is May 5

Are you a workplace in Sibley County that has started offering workplace wellness activities for your employees? Are you interested in hearing from what your neighbors are doing in their workplaces to help their employees be healthier?

A free event will be held in the Sibley Room at the Sibley

County Service Center from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 5.

This event is for worksites with any level of workplace wellness experience, including those that are not currently offering wellness activities but are interested. All participating worksites will have the opportunity to share what

they are doing in their workplace so that we can share ideas, resources, brainstorm together.

Please contact Mary Bachman at (507) 237-4048 or maryb@co.sibley.mn.us for more information or to RSVP for this event.

History

100 Years Ago

April 29, 1915
Buck & Didra Publishers

Before one of the largest crowds that ever attended a ball game at Fairfax, Joe Donlin pitched the Arlington Greys to victory over the Fairfax Regulars by a score of 8 to 5. Donlin struck out 16 of the Fairfaxans and allowed them 5 hits, a few of which were of the scratchy variety. Arlington got to the opposing twirlers for a total of 11 safe swats. The fielding of both teams was decidedly poor, which is excusable in the first game of the season.

Electrical storms visited this section several nights during the week and put a number of telephone lines out of commission.

The Arlington Milling Co. shut down the mill Saturday and it is not known how long it will remain closed. Inability to make it pay expenses is said to be the reason. The mill has always enjoyed a good trade and turned out a fine brand of flour and it is to be regretted that it had to close.

Oscar Altnow trapped and shot 1,481 muskrats during the winter just closed. All the animals were killed on the lake near his place and H. M. Noack & Sons purchased the entire lot.

75 Years Ago

May 2, 1940
Louis Kill, Editor

The rain Sunday night and Monday gave the grain fields the moisture they needed...The rain turned to snow Tuesday night and a light mantle of the fleecy white stuff was in evidence Wednesday morning.

Arlington has a population of over 1100. Enumerators are not permitted to give figures, so we

will have to wait a few weeks to get the exact figure...During the past ten years many new homes in Arlington were built outside the incorporated limits. It is safe to say that 150 people of the village as a whole are living outside the corporate limits. This number added to the 1,100 would give Arlington a population of about 1,350 if we incorporate as a city.

The 4-H Clubs of the county will erect a modern and commodious 4-H building on the Sibley County Fair grounds this year if their plans materialize.

John H. Rick, a local young man who has had several years of practical experience in electrical work has decided to go into the business on his own and has set up a shop in the A. A. Meyer building, where he already has a stock of equipment and appliances on display. He has taken over the Hotpoint line of electrical refrigerators, wash machines, ranges, ironers etc. and will also do electrical service work of all kinds.

45 Years Ago

April 30, 1970
Val G. Kill, Editor

Ground was broken here to officially begin construction of the new building to house Fire Engineers, Inc., a manufacturing plant. The building will be constructed a mile northeast of Arlington on land purchased from Mrs. Willard Phillips.

Starting with the issue of May 21st the Arlington Enterprise will be printed by the "offset" method rather than by the present "letterpress." The printing will be done by the Crow River Press at Hutchinson. The change will make it possible for the Enterprise to offer color in

ads at a low cost and to use many pictures. We request that business firms ask their suppliers for glossy prints of ads instead of mats from now on.

Patrick Foley, 6 1/2-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Foley, took seriously ill and was rushed to St. Joseph's Hospital at Mankato where on Thursday he had surgery. They were able to bring him home Sunday and report him improving nicely.

Lee Sauter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sauter, Arlington, was named by his teammates as the most valuable player on the Arlington-Green Isle Indians basketball team after they won the Minnesota River Conference championship during the past basketball season.

15 Years Ago

April 27, 2000
Kurt Menk, Editor

The dirt work was almost complete for the new Industrial Park Project in the City of Green Isle. The new Industrial Park will be located on the north side of town between the city and Locher Brothers. The project is expected to be completed around the end of June.

The new well, also located in the new Industrial Park will be 838 feet deep. A 24-inch casing will be driven down 200 feet while an 18-inch casing will then go down as far as 710 feet. The remainder of the well will be an open hole. The completion date for this project is around the end of June.

A five-foot cross was lifted into place on top of the 28-foot bell tower of Zion Lutheran Church in Arlington. The placement of the cross capped a year of many improvement projects at the local church.

District Court

The following area and regional people recently appeared in Sibley County District Court, according to Sibley County Attorney David E. Schauer and Assistant Sibley County Attorney Donald Lannoye.

Christopher B. Severin, 30, Gaylord, appeared in district court for a Rule 8 Hearing on charges alleging gross misdemeanor child endangerment and misdemeanor domestic assault. The defendant pleaded guilty to the domestic assault charge. The child endangerment charge was dismissed.

The court ordered a pre-sentence investigation and scheduled a Sentencing Hearing for 1 p.m. Thursday, May 21. Pending that hearing the defendant was released on the same conditions of release as previously ordered.

McKenzie M. Dyre, 20, Winthrop, appeared in district court on two separate files. One file involved charges of second degree possession of a controlled substance and fifth degree possession of a controlled substance. The other file involves a charge of felony escape from custody. The defendant pleaded guilty to charges of fifth degree possession of a controlled substance and felony escape from custody. All other charges were dismissed.

The defendant received a stay of adjudication on both charges and was placed on probation to the Department of Corrections for three years with the following conditions: 1) that she serve 27 days in the Sibley County Jail; 2) that she perform 10 days of sentence to service; 3) that she follow all recommendations of her chemical use assessment, including all aftercare requirements; 4) that she have no use or possession of alcohol or controlled substances and be subject to random testing at the request of law enforcement or probation; 5) that she remain law abiding; and 6) that she pay \$135 in costs.

Michael J. Korkemeier, 28, Winthrop, appeared in district court for an Omnibus Hearing on charges of second degree possession of a controlled substance, fifth degree possession of a controlled substance, possession of marijuana in a motor vehicle, and fourth degree DWI. The defendant pleaded guilty to possession of a controlled substance in the fifth degree and

fourth degree DWI. All other charges were dismissed.

The defendant was convicted of both offenses and placed on probation to the Department of Corrections for three years with the following conditions: 1) that he serve 45 days in the Sibley County Jail; 2) that he undergo a chemical use assessment and follow all recommendations; 3) that he attend a victim impact panel; 4) that he have no use or possession of alcohol or controlled substances and be subject to random testing at the request of law enforcement or probation; 5) that he remain law abiding; and 6) that he give a DNA sample. The defendant was also ordered to pay \$135 in fines and surcharges.

James D. Huston, 36, Gaylord, appeared in district court for an Omnibus Hearing on a charge of gross misdemeanor malicious punishment of a child. The matter was continued for dismissal for six months on condition that the defendant remain law abiding, follow the recommendations of his anger management assessment and pay \$135 in costs.

Raquel A. Lange, 40, Glencoe, appeared in district court for a Settlement Conference on charges of gross misdemeanor child endangerment and misdemeanor domestic assault. The defendant pleaded guilty to the domestic assault charge. The child endangerment charge was dismissed.

The court did agree that there would be a stay of adjudication on the domestic assault charge. The court ordered a pre-sentence investigation and scheduled sentenced for 1 p.m. Thursday, May 21. Pending that hearing, the defendant was released on the same conditions of release as previously ordered, which includes not having contact with the victim.

Delsin I. Zamzow, 27, Lafayette, appeared in district court for a Rule 8 Hearing on charges of felony methamphetamine crime involving children, fifth degree possession of a controlled substance, third degree DWI and DAS. The defendant requested an Omnibus Hearing.

The court scheduled the hearing for 1 p.m. Thursday, May 14. Pending that hearing, the defendant was released on the same conditions of release as previously ordered, which includes not using or possessing

alcohol or drugs.

Bruce A. Prigge, Jr., 22, Gibbon, made his first appearance in district court on a charge of fourth degree DWI.

The court released the defendant on his own recognizance. The defendant's next court appearance is scheduled for 9:45 a.m. Thursday, May 4.

Jesus E. Rangel, 42, town unavailable, appeared in district court for a Rule 8 Hearing on two counts of felony DWI and one count of DAR. The defendant requested an Omnibus Hearing.

The court scheduled that hearing for 11 a.m. Thursday, May 14. Pending that hearing, the defendant remains in custody in the Sibley County Jail pending posting of bail.

Sebastian Sanchez, 21, Gaylord, appeared in district court for a Bail Hearing after being arrested on allegations that he violated the terms of his probation on an underlying third degree DWI charge.

The court ordered that the defendant be held in jail without bail or being released on EAM on condition that he not use or possess alcohol or drugs. The defendant's next court appearance is scheduled for a later date.

Devin J. Mahon, 20, Gaylord, appeared in district court for a Bail Hearing after being arrested on a warrant issued based on allegations that the defendant violated the terms of his probation on an underlying misdemeanor domestic assault charge.

The court held that the defendant be held without bail. The defendant's next court appearance is scheduled for a later date.

Julie J. Presler, 52, Gaylord, appeared in district court for a Bail Hearing on a charge of felony violation of an order for protection. The court released the defendant on her own recognizance.

The court ordered the defendant to have no use or possession of alcohol or controlled substances and to be subject to random testing at the request of law enforcement. The court also ordered the defendant to participate with the Sibley County Color Wheel Drug Testing Program. The defendant's next court appearance is scheduled for a later date.

Obituaries

Valerie Alyson Bliss, 61, Detroit Lakes

Valerie Alyson Bliss parted this life and embraced the next peacefully at home surrounded by her family on Sunday, April 26.

Val was born to Dr. Jackson Lind and Elaine (Peterson) Lind in Kennewick, Wash., on March 10, 1954. During her early years while her father was in College and Medical Residency, they moved around quite a bit and Val had many fond memories of this time. They finally ended up residing in Fargo, N.D., and that is where she primarily grew up.

In June of 1975, on an adventure to try something new with some friends, Val, her sister, Steph, and a few others headed to Arlington to respond to an advertisement by a local produce company looking for workers. That is where this free spirited young lady met Bob Bliss, who she later married on Dec. 4, 1976, in Fargo, N.D., and began a journey that was nothing short of amazing. Val and Bob adventured into several careers with great success in each and were always adventurous and willing to try something new. Boredom was not an issue with Val...everything was always an adventure.

One thing that truly measures her success in life is her family. She always had a great desire to follow her father's footsteps in medicine, and when Crystal, their first daughter was born July 15, 1977, it became very important to both Val and Bob that someone needed to be home with their child. Val decided that her children were much more important than pursuing higher education and a career in medicine...at least for the time being. Then Lexie was born March 9, 1981, and family was elevated again to the top of their priority list.

Once both girls were in school, Val, a very intelligent young lady, enrolled at NDSU where for about three



Valerie Bliss

years had a 4.0 grade point average and was on the Dean's List every cycle. When Crystal hit adolescence and with Lexie saying, "Mom, I want you home when I get out of school," Val once again recognized her priorities needed to be more focused at home and put her schooling on hold. There is no question in anyone's mind that Crystal and Lexie were the most important thing to her. Making life the best she possibly could for her children was first and foremost her highest ambition and priority. Then came the grandbabies...and all bets were off. As important as Crystal, Lexie, and Corey were to her, Taylor, Tyler, Livie, Max and the coming of Lexie's daughter were second to none. Through the love, patience, and care she provided to each generation that followed her, her heritage is strong, alive, and well.

Throughout Val's life, another great gift she had was being a good friend. She is one that many today would truthfully say, "Val was my best friend." It is amazing, as most of us are fortunate to go through life and hopefully have one...maybe two very close, best friends...Val had scores. She was a loving, caring, non-selfish, care-free soul that always valued relationships over anything else...and most everyone noticed this and gravitated to her because of it.

Obviously, she will be deeply missed by all of her family...she was a key, central, and important part of all their lives. She will also be missed by many friends as well. She loved life, she loved family, she loved people...she loved. She was full of joy, a fun free spirited lady, extremely honest with everyone, and always interested in adventure and good times. Even upon receiving the news of her health, these characteristics of hers did not waver. A remarkable young lady that left us with the same grace and dignity she portrayed in life, and left us all too soon.

She is survived by her loving husband, Bob Bliss; her

loving children, Crystal and Corey (Weimer) Bliss of LaMoure, N.D., and Lexie Bliss of Minneapolis; the greatest grandchildren in the world, Taylor, Tyler, Olivia, Maxwell and another little girl on her way (Lexie's); her father. Dr. Jack Lind (Bonnie); her sister, Steph (Dan) Zinck; brothers, Jack (Karen) Lind and Leif Lind; step siblings, Chris (Crystal) Lind, Stephanie Lind, and Jacob (Megan) Lind; and a host of friends that were also very important to her and too many to list.

She was preceded in death by her loving grandmother that she often called her mom, Vera Lind; and grandfather, Jack Lind; her other grandparents, Maurice and Francis Peterson; and her mother, Elaine Lind.

God bless the memory and generations for a very dear lady...friend, wife, mother and grandmother...Valerie Alyson Bliss.

Shine on you Crazy Diamond!

Memorial Celebration Service will be held at West-Kjos Funeral Home in Detroit Lakes at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 2. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. A reception and time of fellowship will be held at the Speak Easy Restaurant following the service.

The family would like all gifts to be directed to The Master's Theatre, Inc. (TMT), P.O. Box 1723, Fargo, N.D. 58107.

TMT is a non-profit organization that Val and Bob founded in 1986 that serves those that are in places that society often overlooks. For 29 years TMT has been traveling from ND to the New England States serving both juveniles and adults in prisons, those in shelters from un-wed mothers, to battered women and the homeless, working in inner-cities, offering festival chaplaincy programs and serving as Chaplains for the Becker County Sheriff's Office (serving Officers, those incarcerated and the community at large).

Oscar Nelson, 98, Litchfield

Oscar Nelson age 98, of Litchfield, died peacefully at the Ridgeview Medical Center on Sunday afternoon, April 26.

Funeral services will be held at the First Lutheran Church in Litchfield at 3 p.m. Friday, May 1.

Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service at the church.

Interment will be in the Lake Ripley Cemetery.

Oscar Windfield Winquist Nelson was born to Adolph and Anna (Winquist) Nelson in Grove City township on March 21, 1917. He was united in marriage to Helen Mielke on Aug. 30, 1958.

Growing up, Oscar worked on the family farm for many years. He worked for the City of Litchfield until he began working for many years for Amtrak Railroad. After retiring from the railroad, he con-

tinued on working for Jennie '0, Green Giant and Sparboe Company. Oscar did lawn care for doctors and businesses in Litchfield until he was 90 1/2 years old.

He has been a member of the First Lutheran Church for many years and helped with the Church Services. He got a medallion for participating and finishing in walks at the age of 85.

He enjoyed being with his family and friends going to parades, traveling on train rides to Oregon and down to Florida. He also enjoyed steam engines, riding bike, walking, playing ball even in his 80's. He loved to go to dances, still dancing at the age of 94. He always liked to stay active and was always there to lend a helping hand.

He is survived by his daughter Elaine (Mark) Bates of rural Green Isle; grandchild-

dren, Brandon Bates, Colton Bates, Kasha Bates and Shanise Bates of rural Green Isle; step daughters Phyllis Bacon and Arlys (Clarence) Sickmann; step sons-in-law, Martin Haag, George Maxson and Dave Bacon; step daughter-in-law, Shirley Schmidt; and numerous grandchildren; great grandchildren; and nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by wife Helen; parents, Adolph and Anna; brothers, Wilhelm Nelson, Carl Nelson, LeRoy Nelson and Frank Nelson; sisters, Eva Berg and Ruth Johnson; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, son-in-law, Jeffery Rucks; two step sons; three step daughters; and 11 grandchildren.

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Sports



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Sibley East senior third baseman Paige Nelson makes a throw to second base.

Sibley East girls softball team drops 2 games in MRC action

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Sibley East varsity girls softball team dropped two games in Minnesota River Conference action last week.

The Lady Wolverines, 0-5 in the MRC and 2-8 overall, will host Norwood Young America in a doubleheader at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 30.

Le Sueur-Henderson 17
Sibley East 0

The visiting Sibley East varsity girls softball team managed only one hit and fell to Le Sueur-Henderson 17-0 in five innings during a Minnesota River Conference game on Monday afternoon, April 20.

Junior Rachel Sorenson collected the lone hit, a single, for the Lady Wolverines.

Rachel Sorenson also pitched the first 3 1/3 innings and was tagged with the mound loss.

Sophomore Ali Harter worked the rest of the game on the hill.

Overall, the Giants collected five hits and 10 walks. Sibley East pitchers also hit two batters while the fielders committed five errors.

Watertown-Mayer 13
Sibley East 3

The Sibley East varsity girls softball team lost to visiting Watertown-Mayer 13-3 in six innings during a Minnesota River Conference

game on Thursday afternoon, April 23.

Seniors Shelby Voight and Breann Walsh paced the offensive attack with two singles each. Senior Kelli Martens smacked a double while seniors Paige Nelson and Mikayla Perschau added one single each.

Junior Rachel Sorenson worked the entire game and took the mound loss. The right hander gave up 15 hits. She also fanned one and walked one.

“We have to find a way to get our bats hot,” said Sibley East head coach Stephanie Schultz. “Striking out 12 times or more each game is not going to win us games.”

SE baseball team captures 1 win, drops 2 others in conference play

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Sibley East varsity boys baseball team captured one win in three Minnesota River Conference games during the past week.

The Wolverines, 4-3 in the MRC and 6-4 overall, will host Norwood Young America in a conference doubleheader at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 30.

Watertown-Mayer 11
Sibley East 6

The Sibley East varsity boys baseball team committed a number of mental and physical errors and lost to visiting Watertown-Mayer 11-6 in Minnesota River Conference action on Thursday afternoon, April 23.

Senior Austin Brockhoff pitched the first five innings and suffered the mound defeat. The right hander gave up 10 runs on 16 hits. He also fanned three.

Senior Jason Meyer hurled

the final two frames and surrendered one earned run on three hits. He also struck out two.

Brockhoff paced Sibley East’s offensive attack with a single and a double. Seniors Andrew Bullert, Paul Glisczinski, Hunter Voight and Meyer and juniors Dylan Pauly and Nick Doetkott contributed one single apiece.

Le Sueur-Henderson 5
Sibley East 0

The visiting Sibley East varsity boys baseball team managed only two hits and was blanked by Le Sueur-Henderson 5-0 during a Minnesota River Conference game on Monday afternoon, April 27.

Seniors Zac Weber and Jason Meyer collected one single each in the loss.

Senior Lukas Bullert pitched the entire contest and was tagged with the mound loss. The right hander yielded four earned runs on 10 hits.

He also fanned six.

Sibley East 10
Watertown-Mayer 6

The visiting Sibley East varsity boys baseball team rebounded with a 10-6 victory over Watertown-Mayer in Minnesota River Conference action on Tuesday afternoon, April 28.

Senior Austin Brockhoff sparked Sibley East’s 11-hit attack with three singles. Juniors Travis Schmidt and Dylan Pauly collected two singles each while senior Zac Weber ripped a double. Senior Paul Glisczinski and juniors Collin Pautsch and Nick Doetkott added one single apiece.

Pautsch pitched the first four innings and gave up six earned runs on eight hits.

Schmidt pitched a scoreless fifth inning while Zac Weber followed with two scoreless frames and picked up the mound victory.

Sibley East girls track team runs in annual Vrklan Relays

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Sibley East varsity girls track team competed in the Vrklan Relays in Arlington on Friday afternoon, April 24.

No team scores were kept during this fun meet, according to Sibley East head coach Jill Warzecha.

Sibley East did not register a first place finish.

Second place winners were Rita Jones (400 meter dash), Rachel Rettmann (long jump), Megan Krentz (discus) and Sibley East mixed 4 X 100 meter shuttle hurdle relay team (Rachel Rettmann, Tim Otto, Madilyn Latzke and Logan Tesch).

Third place winners included Alison Eibs (800 meter run), Lillian Beneke (1600 meter run), Sibley East 4 X

400 meter relay team (Madilyn Latzke, Alison Eibs, Elizabeth Alejandro and Emma Samletzka), Sibley East sprint medley relay team (Samantha Klehr, Rachel Rettmann, Ali Stock and Rita Jones) and Sibley East mixed 4 X 100 meter relay team (Sadie Lane, Christian Figueroa, Lindsey Flieth and Jon DuFrane).

Fourth place winners consisted of Samantha Klehr (100 meter dash), Alyssa Weber (high jump), Sibley East 4 X 100 meter relay team (Ali Stock, Madilyn Latzke, Samantha Klehr and Ali Klehr), Sibley East 4 X 800 meter relay team (Madison Grove, Lillian Beneke, Breanna Fahning and Elizabeth Alejandro) and Sibley East distance medley relay team (Rita Jones, Rachel

Rettmann, Emma Samletzka and Alison Eibs).

Fifth place winners were Norma Gonzalez (100 meter dash and 200 meter dash), Lindsey Flieth (shot put) and Sibley East 4 X 200 meter relay team (Breanna Fahning, Isabelle Figueroa, Ali Klehr and Kayla Dalbec).

Lindsey Flieth contributed a sixth place finish in the discus event.

Elizabeth Alejandro added a seventh place finish in the 400 meter dash.

Eighth place winners consisted of Sadie Lane (200 meter dash) and Tamara Ehrich (800 meter run).

Sibley East will host the annual Lions Invitational in Arlington on Friday afternoon, May 1.

Sibley East boys track team competes in annual Vrklan Relays at Arlington

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Sibley East varsity boys track team competed in the Vrklan Relays in Arlington on Friday afternoon, April 24.

No team scores were kept during this fun meet, according to Sibley East head coach Chad Johnson.

Christian Figueroa sparked the Wolverines with a first place finish in the shot put event. Figueroa won the event with a heave of 41 feet.

The Sibley East mixed 4 X 100 meter shuttle hurdle relay team placed second. The foursome included Rachel Rettmann, Tim Otto, Madilyn Latzke and Logan Tesch.

Third place winners were Cole Bruhn (1600 meter run),

Jon DuFrane (shot put), Sibley East 4 X 200 meter relay team (Jesus Rodriguez, Kameron In, Xavier Wassather and Austin Snyder) and Sibley East mixed 4 X 100 meter relay team (Sadie Lane, Christian Figueroa, Lindsey Flieth and Jon DuFrane).

Fourth place winners included Sam Thies (800 meter run), and Sibley East sprint medley relay team (Erik Moreno, Erick Alverado, Zac Latzke and Korban Strand).

Fifth place winners consisted of Xavier Wassather (400 meter dash), Logan Tesch (triple jump), Sibley East 4 X 100 meter relay team (Erik Moreno, Erick Alverado, Zac Latzke and Korban Strand), Sibley East 4 X 400 meter relay team (Jack Ballalatak,

Jack Rosenfeld, Mason Latzke and Justin Bennett), Sibley East 4 X 800 meter relay team (Jack Rosenfeld, Sam Thies, Jens Lundstrom and Justin Bennett), Sibley East distance medley relay team (Xavier Wassather, Mason Latzke, Jens Lundstrom and Cole Bruhn).

Sixth place winners were Jesus Rodriguez (100 meter dash and 200 meter dash), Justin Bennett (high jump), Logan Tesch (long jump) and Jon DuFrane (discus).

Christopher Johnson placed seventh in both the 200 meter dash and 400 meter dash.

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Petzel fires a 41 at Winthrop Golf Course

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Sibley East-Norwood Young America varsity boys golf team competed in a Minnesota River Conference meet at the Winthrop Golf Course on Monday afternoon, April 27.

Sibley East golfers Jordan Petzel and Mike Bostelman fired a 41 and 42 respectively over nine holes.

Other SE-NYA golfers were Kellen Erpenbach (40, Drew Curson (43) Hunter Pederson (57) and Trentin Idings (58).

Sibley East will host a Minnesota River Conference meet at the Glencoe Country Club on Thursday afternoon, April 30.

Sibley East will face G-F-W in a meet at the Winthrop Golf Course on Friday afternoon, May 1.

Megan Eckberg places 2nd in 100 meter hurdles during college meet last Saturday

By Kurt Menk
Editor

Sibley East graduate Megan Eckberg, a freshman on the varsity women’s track and field team at Gustavus Adolphus College in St. Peter, placed second in the 100 meter hurdles during a home meet last Saturday.

She also competed on the 4 X 100 meter relay team which placed third.

In addition, Eckberg recorded her personal best of 16”8” in the long jump event and placed fourth.

Gustavus competed in a meet at Minnesota State University, Mankato, on Wednesday, April 29. The Gusties will compete in a meet at Hamline on Saturday, May 2. In addition, the Gusties will

compete in the MIAC meet at Macalester on Saturday, May 9.

Megan is the daughter of Tom and Ann Eckberg, Gaylord.

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Notice to Landowners

Sibley County Public Works Department will be hosting a public informational meeting for the CR 160 Re-Construction project from TH 25 to the Carver County line scheduled for the 2016 construction season. The meeting is scheduled for May 7, 2015 from 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm in the annex basement of the Sibley County Courthouse at 400 Court Avenue in Gaylord, Minnesota. Information will be available as to the proposed road layout and timeline of the project.

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**SIBLEY EAST
PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ORGANIZATIONAL/REGULAR
SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NO. 2310
ARLINGTON-GAYLORD-GREEN
ISLE
ARLINGTON CAMPUS-ROOM
#149
TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2015 @
6:30 P.M.**

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. Members present: Brian Brandt, Beth DuFrane, Michelle Weber, Dan Woehler, Laura Reid, and Sarah Ziegler.

OATHS OF OFFICE: NEWLY ELECTED MEMBERS-

I, (insert name), solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and of the State of Minnesota, and faithfully discharge the duties of the Office of School Board Member of Independent School District No. 2310 in the Counties of Sibley and Nicollet and State of Minnesota, to the best of my judgment and ability, so help me God. (Signed Oaths on file)

ELECTION OF SCHOOL OFFICIALS:

Election of School Board Chairperson: Nominations/Vote

Motion by Member Weber, seconded by Member Woehler, to elect Brian Brandt as School Board Chair. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Election of Vice-Chairperson: Nominations/Vote

Motion by Member Weber, seconded by Member Reid, to elect Danny Woehler as School Board Vice-Chair. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Election of School Board Secretary/Treasurer (Clerk): Nominations/Vote

Motion by Member Brandt, seconded by Member DuFrane, to elect Michelle Weber as School Board Secretary/Treasurer (Clerk) Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Motion by Member Weber, seconded by Member Dufrane to amend the agenda by adding to Personnel Resignations Khamprasong Chantharek-Football and Donations of \$2500 from Gaylord Game Protective League-Football Helmets. Motion by Member Reid, second by Member DuFrane to approve the amended agenda. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

APPOINTMENTS: School Board Member/s Committee Representation:

1. Community Education and Early Childhood Family Education (Laura Reid)

2. School Policy Committee (Due Process, Discipline, Meet/Confer, School Lunch Appeals, MSHSL, Minnesota River Conference, and Title IX (Beth DuFrane)

3. Negotiations (Certified)-School Insurance, Finance, Shared Decision (Beth DuFrane, Danny Woehler, Missy Weber) alternate- Brian Brandt)

4. Negotiations (Non-Certified)- (Brian Brandt, Danny Woehler, Sarah Ziegler) alternate-(Missy Weber)

5. River Bend Special Education District Board-monthly meeting (Missy Weber)

6. MSBA Legislative Liaison (Brian Brandt)

7. Staff Development District Committee (Beth DuFrane)

8. Sibley County Collaborative Council (Sarah Ziegler) monthly meeting

9. School District Facilities (Brian Brandt, Sarah Ziegler, Beth DuFrane) Alternate: Danny Woehler

10. Continuing Education (Beth DuFrane)

11. Transportation (Brian Brandt)

12. Technology (Brian Brandt, Laura Reid)

13. Standing Committees on Site Based and Staff Development shall be made up of mem-

bers from the certified negotiating committee. (Beth DuFrane) alternate-(Danny Woehler)

14. Calendar Committee (Missy Weber, Beth DuFrane)

15. Extra-Curricular Activities Committee (Brian Brandt, Laura Reid, Sarah Ziegler)

Motion by Member Ziegler, seconded by Member Weber to approve the above appointments. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

16. Approval of official publications of record- newspapers (Arlington Enterprise and Gaylord Hub), Sibley East Schools website (www.sibleyeast.org)

Motion by Member Reid, seconded by Member Woehler to approve the official publications of record as newspapers Arlington Enterprise and Gaylord Hub and the Sibley East Schools website (www.sibleyeast.org). Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

17. Approval of official depositories (Arlington State Bank, Pro-Growth Bank Gaylord, First National Bank of MN, Cornerstone Bank of Green Isle and MSDLAF.

Motion by Member Weber, seconded by Member DuFrane, to approve the official depositories. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

18. Delegation of Electronic Fund Transfer Authority: Recommend Janna Tessmer and Jayne Ihrke be delegated to transfer and make Electronic Fund Transfers on behalf of the district for the 2015 FY.

Motion by Member Reid, seconded by Member Ziegler, delegating Janna Tessmer and Jayne Ihrke as ISD #2310 authority to make Electronic Fund

Transfers during the current year. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

19. Approval of Membership in Minnesota School Boards Association, South Central Service Cooperative, River Bend Education District, Minnesota State High School League, Minnesota River Conference and Socrates. Motion by Member DuFrane, seconded by Member Weber, to approve membership in organizations noted. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

20. Appointment of School District Attorney (Currently Anthony Nerud)

Motion by Member Woehler, seconded by Member DuFrane to appoint Anthony Nerud as School District Attorney. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

21. Approval of School Board Compensation. (Currently \$1500 per year for each board member and additional \$500 per year for the Chairperson, \$250 for the Clerk and \$125 for the Vice-Chair. Special meeting \$40, \$110 for full day in/out of district meeting and \$55 for ½ day in or out of district meeting)

Motion by Member Weber, seconded by Member Ziegler , to approve compensation at current amounts. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

F. VISITOR/GUEST COMMENTS:

None

G. CONSENT AGENDA:

1. Approval of Minutes: Recommend approval of December 15, 2014 Minutes.

2. Personnel: a. Resignation-Rene Moriarty, Assistant Softball Coach

3. Fundraising Request- Carrie Bartlette, EF Student Travel Group 3 activities Papa Murphy's Pizza Card, 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament, Homecoming T-Shirts (2015), Swim Club Direct Mail Fundraiser for acquiring equipment (lane lines and reel)

Motion by Member Ziegler, seconded by Member Dufrane, to approve the consent agenda. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

H. OLD/UNFINISHED BUSINESS: NONE

I. NEW/OTHER BUSINESS:

1. Fred Nolan, Executive Director MREA- Benefits of District membership in MREA.

Motion by Member Weber, seconded by Member DuFrane, to approve District membership to MREA through June 30th, 2015.

2. Randy Walsh, Sibley East Athletic Director, -Information regarding Boys and Girls Golf Co-Op with Central Schools in Norwood Young America.

Motion by Member Weber, seconded by Member DuFrane, to seek Boys and Girls Golf Co-Op program with Central Schools in Norwood Young America. Motion was approved by unanimous vote

3. RESOLUTION OF SCHOOL BOARD SUPPORTING FORM

B/C APPLICATION TO MINNESOTA STATE HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE FOUNDATION

WHEREAS, the Minnesota State High School League Foundation was formed to provide support for Minnesota's high school youth to participate in athletics and fine arts;

WHEREAS, the District 2310 School Board recognizes the value of students participation in extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, the MSHSL Foundation is offering grants and funding to assist school districts to providing seminars/training opportunities or support for specific school functions for students/faculty members/officials and others who are involved in athletic and fine arts programs.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Sibley East ISD 2310 School Board supports the District's application to the Minnesota State High School League Foundation for a FORM B/C grant.

Resolution was moved by Member Woehler, second by Member Reid with the following voting in favor; Woehler, Reid, Brandt, DuFrane, Weber, Ziegler and none opposed.

4. Approve motion directing the Superintendent and Administration to plan and make recommendations for adjustments in curriculum, programs and staffing for the 2015-2016 school year.

Motion by Member Ziegler, seconded by Member Dufrane, directing the Superintendent and Administration to plan and make recommendations for adjustments in curriculum, programs and staffing for the 2015-2016 school year.

Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

5. Discuss motion to authorize and direct Knutson, Flynn & Deans to file a motion on behalf of the School District for attorneys' fees, costs and disbursements in the district court election contest action entitled Kranz v. Sibley East Public Schools, Independent School District No. 2310

Motion by Member Weber, seconded by Member DuFrane, to authorize and direct Knutson, Flynn & Deans to file a motion on behalf of the School District for attorneys' fees, costs and disbursements in the district court election contest action entitled Kranz v. Sibley East Public Schools, Independent School District No. 2310. Motion was approved by unanimous vote

6. Bills and Payments: Recommend approval of January 2015 bills totaling \$1,130,991.46. Motion by Member Weber seconded by Member Reid to approve January 2015 bills totaling \$1,130,991.46.

The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

7. Approve financial donations from: Arlington Baseball Association \$634.63, Baseball Park Donation Motion by Member Ziegler, seconded by MemberWeber, to accept the financial donations noted. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

J. PRINCIPAL REPORTS:

Mari Lu Martens, Steve Harter, and Tim Schellhammer reported on various events and activities taking place in their buildings. Elementary continues to work on the school improvement data analysis and planning with MDE. The junior high is running a trial of physical education classes being divided by gender. The senior high continues to focus on reducing the number of students receiving D's and F's and preparing students for the upcoming state required administration of the ACT test to all juniors.

K. SUPERINTENDENT REPORT:

Superintendent Amsden updated the board on building project delays that have resulted from the on-going election contest. These include delays in site surveys, soil borings, land acquisition negotiations, design meetings, and bond sales.

L. INFORMATIONAL:

Next Regular School Board Meeting Tuesday, February 17th, 2015 *Meeting on Tuesday due to President's Day observance.

MSBA Workshops for new school board officers- See enclosed info/ schedule

ADJOURNMENT

Member Reid moved, second by Member Woehler to adjourn the meeting at 8:00pm. The motion passed by unanimous vote.

Brian Brandt- Chair
Michelle Weber- Clerk



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Most Valuable Wrestler

Junior Jake Wentzlaff was recently selected as the Most Valuable Wrestler for the Sibley East varsity wrestling team. Wentzlaff, who posted a 32-5 record overall, placed second in the 182-pound weight class during the Minnesota State Class A Wrestling Tournament. He is the son of John and Kelli Wentzlaff, Ar-

lington. Jake Wentzlaff, Austin Brockhoff and Tanner Pasvogel were chosen to the All State Team. Dayne Morton was selected as the Most Valuable Junior Varsity Wrestler. Quin Riffenburg and Jaden Podratz were chosen as the Most Improved Wrestlers. Lincoln Carpenter was selected as the Rookie of the Year.

DNR issues ATV riding season primer

Too often, adult and youth riders don't understand the safety rules and regulations that govern all-terrain vehicle (ATV) use, according to the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

Thirteen people died riding ATVs in Minnesota last year with April and October being the deadliest months at three deaths apiece. The riders ranged in age from 10 to 76. Another 242 were injured.

"Riding ATVs can be an enjoyable form of outdoor recreation when done properly," said Jon Paurus, DNR enforcement education program coordinator. "If people take a safety training course, reduce speed, and abide by current regulations, fewer accidents will occur."

Anyone born after July 1, 1987, and who operates an ATV on public lands and waters in Minnesota, must successfully complete the ATV

safety training CD course. People under age 16 must complete the ATV CD course and riding component before riding on public lands. Youth and adult ATV training CDs are available by calling 800-366-8917 or 888-646-6367. A few simple safety rules and regulations can prevent most accidents. Remember:

ATVs are not toys and can be hazardous to operate. Supervise young riders at all times.

ATV operators less than 18 years old must wear an approved safety helmet, except when operating on private property. To prevent head injuries, everyone should wear

a helmet.

An ATV handles differently from other vehicles. Even routine maneuvers, such as turning and driving on hills and over obstacles, can lead to serious injury if the driver fails to take proper precautions. With preparation and practice, operators can safely develop and expand their riding skills.

Youth need to "fit" the machine. A 60- to- 120 pound youth and a 400-pound ATV are a mismatch.

More information can be found in the 2014-2015 Off-Highway Vehicle Regulations booklet .

CHANGE IN DRIVER'S EXAM HOURS

Effective May 1, 2015, the Driver's License Testing Station at the Sibley County Courthouse will only be offering written and road tests on the
1st Tuesday of each month.

Written Testing: 10:00 – 11:15 a.m.
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Distinguished Service Award

Arlington resident Conrad Kvamme left, recently received the 2015 Minnesota Purebred Dairy Cattle Association (PDCA) Distinguished Service Award. PDCA Board Representative Russell Thyen, right, presented the award.

Aquatic plant removal may require a permit

With lakes becoming ice-free and waters beginning to warm this spring, some lakeshore property owners may need a permit to remove aquatic plants from their shorelines.

“Each year we hear about property owners who get into trouble by removing aquatic plants,” said Steve Enger, supervisor of the aquatic plant management program for the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. “We want people to know that a permit may be required to remove lake plants, which are essential components of freshwater ecosystems.”

The DNR’s aquatic plant regulations are summarized

online.

“There are very specific situations and requirements that mandate when someone needs a permit to remove aquatic plants,” Enger said. “That’s why we encourage property owners to consult the regulations online to see if they need a permit.”

Aquatic plants provide food and shelter for fish and wildlife. They stabilize the lake environment, and help maintain water clarity by limiting the availability of nutrients and preventing suspension of bottom sediments. These plants also protect shorelines from erosion by absorbing wave and ice energy. A healthy aquatic plant

community is a critical component to maintaining the high quality lakes that Minnesotans value.

“We love to fish, boat and enjoy time on the water in Minnesota,” Enger said. “Many of the features we enjoy most about lakes are directly linked to healthy aquatic vegetation. That’s why we want to work with property owners to answer their questions about what is allowed when it comes to plant removal on their shorelines.”

A guide to aquatic plants and information on aquatic plant regulations is available on the DNR website, or by calling 651-296-6157 or 888-646-6367.

Arlington Conquerors to meet May 7

The Arlington Conquerors met at the Senior Citizens Building on Sunday, April 12, according to Reporter Emily Tiede. Jennifer Carpenter was the hostess.

Nineteen 4-Hers and 10 guests were present.

The Pledge to the American flag and the 4-H Pledge were given by President Zachary Weber.

The roll call was answered by the 4-Hers who were present.

The Secretary and Treasur-

er reports were given by Alyson Dieball and Trevor Tuman.

Demonstrations were given by Tony Carpenter with parts of a cross bow and Jordan Mueller on how Antamology works.

In business news, the group will buy new club t-shirts. The replacement of the stairs by the pop can recycling was also discussed. The Dose and Mueller families are willing to work at the concessions during the Jersey Jamboree at

the Sibley County Fairgrounds on June 7.

Emily Tiede, Federation Delegate, gave the Federation report. Alyssa Weber and Jordan Mueller discussed their designs for the new 4-H t-shirts.

The Arlington Conquerors 4-H Club will meet at the Senior Citizens Building at 1 p.m. Sunday, May 17.

Sibley County Court

The following misdemeanors, petty misdemeanors and gross misdemeanors were heard in District Court April 10-17: Minnesota State Patrol (MSP); Sheriff’s Office (SO); Department of Natural Resources (DNR); MN Department of Transportation (MNDOT):

James D. Huston, 36, Gaylord, malicious punishment of a child, continued, unsupervised probation six months, anger management, remain law-abiding, follow recommendations of evaluation, provide proof to the Sibley County Attorney’s Office, sign all releases of information, keep court/attorney informed of current address, complete booking, \$235, Gaylord PD; Jose J. Ledesma, 24, Gaylord, disorderly conduct-offensive/abusive/noisy/obscene, \$185, Gaylord PD; Kendra L. Collins, 25, Gibbon, disorderly c o n d u c t -offensive/abusive/noisy/obscene, \$260, Gibbon PD; Brian G. Kiecker Jr., 31, Gibbon, domestic assault-commits act with intent to cause fear of immediate bodily harm or death, assault- inflict or attempt bodily harm, dismissed, disorderly conduct-brawling or fighting, stay of imposition, unsupervised probation six months, remain law-abiding, no same or similar, no alcohol/controlled substance use, no possession of alcohol or durgs, random testing, \$435, Gibbon PD; Michael J. Korkemeier, 28, Winthrop, possess over 1.4 grams marijuana in motor vehicle, dismissed, DWI-operate motor vehicle-body contains any amount schedule 1/II drugs-not marijuana, local confinement 45 days, credit for time served four days, concurrent 1, Gibbon PD; Janice A. Nass, 59, New Ulm, speed, \$145, Henderson PD; Chris D. Neve, 60, Winthrop, speed, \$125, Henderson PD; Karin L. Z. Ramey, 45, Redwood Falls, speed, \$135, Henderson PD; Desirae J. Bach, 28, Henderson, driving after suspension, seatbelt required, \$310, MSP; Kevin W. Bird, 51, Henderson, driver must carry proof of insurance when operating vehicle, dismissed, seatbelt required, \$110, MSP; Karen S. Brody, 58, Marshall, speed, \$125, MSP; Mohammad B. Chughtai, 49, Mankato, speed, \$225, MSP; Alyssa D. Davis, 36, Gaylord, seatbelt required, \$110, MSP; Brooks M. Guggisberg, 24, St. Cloud, speed, \$135, driver must carry proof of insurance when operating vehicle, dismissed, MSP; Lisa E. Kuphal, 30, Gaylord, speed, \$135, MSP; Marc Leclerc, 54, Quebec, Canada, violate condition or fail to carry special permit for overweight vehicle, violation of truck route or seasonal load restrictions, \$985, MSP; Wayne P. Maier, 45, Arlington, seatbelt required, \$110,

MSP; Steven D. Peterson, 31, Willmar, speed, \$125, MSP; Bhinsen Raghu, 43, Arlington, seatbelt required, \$110, MSP; Jerod L. Salisbury, 34, Gaylord, seatbelt required, \$110, MSP; Justin A. Schade, 29, Gaylord, window tint too dark, muffler required, \$185, MSP; Todd D. Schwartz, 45, Green Isle, speed, \$125, MSP; Kristina M. Sec-husen, 18, Waconia, speed, \$125, MSP; Mark A. Shanahan, 51, Omaha, Neb., driver has no record of duty status in possession, exceed vehicle weight limit on restricted route, \$685, MSP; Nathaniel R. Woods, 20, Fridley speed, \$145, MSP; Mark J. Fest, 47, Heron Lake, speed, driving after suspension, \$345, SO; Christopher L. Jochum, 39, Glencoe, endanger child-situation could cause harm or death, stay of imposition, supervised probation three years, local confinement 60 days, follow all instructions of probation, contact with probation, sign probation agreement, predatory offender registration required, no contact with victim(s), no alcohol/controlled substance use, no possession of alcohol or drugs, random testing, remain law-abiding, sign all releases of information, submit to polygraph examinations as directed, follow recommendations of evaluation, complete treatment, individual therapy sessions, eight sessions minimum, \$382, SO; Josephine J. Kroells, 20, drugs-possess/sale small amount of marijuana, drugs-possession of drug paraphernalia-use or possession, \$185, SO; Christie J. Larsen, 39, Arlington, issue dishonored check-value not more than \$250, dismissed, SO; Christina M. Mosher, 36, Arlington, domestic assault-commits act with intent to cause fear of immediate bodily harm or death, dismissed, SO; Felix R. Ortiz, 62, Mankato, speed, \$145, SO; Jose H. Quintanillaflares, 25, Madelia, speed, \$145, SO; Adan V. G. Rodriguez, 32, Madelia, driving without a valid licence or vehicle class/type, speed, \$245, SO; Ross B. Tillman, 28, Minneapolis, speed, \$135, Winthrop PD.

The following felonies were heard in District Court April 10-17:

Michael J. Korkemeier, 28, Winthrop, drugs-possess six grams or more cocaine/heroin/meth, dismissed, drugs-possess schedule 1,2,3,4-not small amount marijuana, stay of imposition, supervised probation three years, local confinement 45 days, credit for time served four days, to start within 30 days. Remain on colorwheel until reporting to jail, chemical dependency evaluation/treatment, follow recommendations of evaluation, sign all releases of information, follow all state and federal criminal laws, contact your probation officer as directed, tell your probation officer within 72 hours if you have contact with law enforcement, tell your probation officer within 72 hours if you are charged with any new crime, tell your probation officer within 72 hours if you change your address, employment or telephone number, cooperate with the search of your person, residence, vehicle, workplace, property, and things as directed by your probation officer, sign releases of information as directed, give a DNA sample when directed, do not use or possess firearms, ammunition or explosives, do not register to vote or vote until discharged from probation and your civil rights are fully restored, no alcohol/controlled substance use, no possession of alcohol or drugs, random testing, chemical dependency evaluation/treatment, follow recommendations of evaluation, sign all releases of information, remain law-abiding, \$210, possession of a controlled substance, dismissed, SO; Christopher L. Jochum, 39, Glencoe, criminal sex conduct-significant relationship-under 16-multiple act, criminal sex conduct-victim under 13-actor, dismissed, SO; Melinda L. Marx, 30, Bricelyn, fugitive from justice from other state, extradition waived, SO; Jeffrey W. Shagena, 33, Arlington, predatory offender-knowingly violates registration requirement or intentionally provides false information, dismissed, SO.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
PROPERTY AT 105 4TH AVENUE NW
ARLINGTON MN 55307

The Arlington Economic Development Authority is accepting sealed bids for the purchase of the real property at 105 4th Avenue NW. The building is 3,500 square feet (50 X 70) in size and zoned for commercial office, retail, or service use. It is climate controlled, has accessible restrooms, and a kitchenette. The building includes a couple of offices and a conference room. The majority of the square footage is an open office area. The property in the past was leased by TSE, was an adult daycare center, and was a grocery store.

Property viewing is available by contacting the City Office at (507)964-2378.

Bids should be sent to the Office of the City Administrator, Attention 105 4th Avenue Bid, 204 Shamrock Drive, Arlington, MN 55307. Sealed bids will be received until Noon on Tuesday, May 12, 2015. Bids will be opened and read aloud at 12:01 p.m. on May 12, 2015 in the Council Chambers, 204 Shamrock Drive.

The bidder must include their name, address, bid offer, and contact information. The City/EDA reserves the right to reject any and all bids for any reason. For more information contact Cynthia Smith-Strack at the Arlington City Offices at (507) 964-2378.

Publish in the Arlington Enterprise on: April 23, April 30 & May 7.

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PUBLIC NOTICE:
Farming in Road Right-of-Ways
can create safety problems

Sibley County Public Works has noted an increased use of highway right-of-way (ROW) for agricultural purposes. Roadside mowing in the ROW is permitted for the purpose of weed control or making hay, but tillage or crop production is not permitted (M.S.160.2715). Tillage or crop production in the ROW can cause safety issues, affect road structure, and create maintenance problems.

Highway ROW includes driving lanes, shoulders, road ditches, and sight corners at intersections. Township road ROW typically extends 33 feet from either side of the center of the road; and county road ROW typically extends 50 feet from either side of the center of the road. Utility poles and pedestals often serve as good indicators of ROW limits; however, it is the landowner responsibility to know the ROW limits. The Township Boards and Public Works Department have no desire or intention to measure every ROW line, and appreciate the general good farming practices of our agricultural producers.

Anyone who damages or alters the ROW will be held responsible for all costs of restoration. When these activities are identified, the road agency will contact the landowner to reestablish the ROW where it has been encroached upon.

Please feel free to contact any member of the following Township Boards or Sibley County Public Works with questions, or attend the regular Township Board or County Board meetings.

Alfsborg, Arlington, Bismarck, Cornish, Dryden, Faxon, Grafton, Green Isle, Henderson, Jessenland, Kelso, Moltke, New Auburn, Severance, Sibley, Transit, Washington Lake Townships and Sibley County Public Works.

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Ag & Seed Bag Disposal at
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in Arlington! (It’s Free!)



Sibley County - Ag & Seed Bag Collection
at the
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NO COMMERCIAL or RESIDENTIAL
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WILL BE ACCEPTED.
ABUSE OF THIS PILOT PROJECT
WILL RESULT IN TERMINATION OF
THIS PROGRAM.

Hutchinson Coop has agreed to keep a roll-off container at their facility for the **entire month of May 2015** so that Sibley County Farmer’s will have a place to dispose of their **Ag & Seed Bags** at no charge. Simply bring your Ag & Seed Bags to **Arlington** and drop them off at no charge to you.



For more information, contact the Sibley County Environmental Services at 507-237-4091
Tri-County Solid Waste Office at 507-381-9196



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Church News

Arlington Enterprise, Thursday, April 30, 2015, page 9
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Volunteers needed for Road to Recovery

Do you want to make a difference in your community? Have you, or someone you've known, ever been diagnosed with cancer?

Cancer patients often miss or delay treatments due to financial strain, physical limitations or because they do not have access to reliable transportation.

Sibley County residents can help these cancer patients by giving them a potentially life-saving ride. The American Cancer Society is currently seeking volunteers for its Road to Recovery pro-

gram which provides free transportation to those battling cancer.

Every year there are new Sibley County residents diagnosed with a life-altering cancer. Many of them need assistance at a time in their life that is extremely difficult. Finding a ride to and from their appointments and treatments should not be their biggest concern. So how can you help?

Road to Recovery is looking for volunteers in the Sibley County area that have reliable transportation, driver's

license and proof of insurance, are willing to submit to a background and department of motor vehicle check, and can commit to a short training session. Most rides occur during the day Monday through Friday, so daytime availability is also a must. Following training, volunteers can commit as many or as few hours as their schedule allows.

To learn how you can become a Road to Recovery volunteer, call 800.227.2345, according to Rick Jeddelloh and Mary Cassem.

Menus

SENIOR DINING

Call 326-3401 for a meal
Suggested Donation \$4.00

Meals are served at Highland Commons dining room

Monday-Friday

Monday: Baked rigatoni & beef, corn, fruit salad, bread, margarine, pudding, low fat milk.

Tuesday: Taco salad with taco meat, cheese, salsa, lettuce, chopped tomatoes, sour cream, dinner roll, margarine, dessert, low fat milk.

Wednesday: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, carrots, bread, margarine, pineapple, low fat milk.

Thursday: Italian meat sauce, spaghetti noodles, lettuce salad with dressing, green beans, garlic bread, margarine, ice cream, low fat milk.

Friday: Baked chicken, baked potato, sour cream, California blend vegetables, bread, margarine, fruit cocktail, low fat milk.

SIBLEY EAST ELEMENTARY BREAKFAST MENU

Arlington and Gaylord May 4-8
Breakfast is served at 8:00 a.m. daily. A 1/2 pint of milk is served with each meal daily. Menu is sub-

ject to change.

Monday: Cereal bar, cheese stick, fruit, juice, milk.

Tuesday: Waffle, fruit, juice, milk.

Wednesday: 2 pack Pop Tart, fruit, juice, milk.

Thursday: Muffin, seeds, fruit, juice, milk.

Friday: Oatmeal bar, cheese stick, fruit, juice, milk.

SIBLEY EAST SCHOOL MENU

Arlington May 4-8

A 1/2 pint of milk and an enriched grain product is served with each meal. Additional milk is available for 40 cents each. Menu is subject to change.

Monday: Burrito, lettuce, tomato, rice, vegetable, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, seasoned rice, green beans, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Corn dog, oven potatoes, brown beans, fruit, milk.

Thursday: Tator Tot hotdish, creamy fruit, breadstick, fruit crisp, milk.

Friday: Chicken patty, oven po-

tatoes, lettuce, mayo, peas, fruit, milk.

SIBLEY EAST SCHOOL MENU

Gaylord May 4-8

A 1/2 pint of milk and an enriched grain product is served with each meal. Additional milk is available for 40 cents each. Menu is subject to change.

Monday: Corn dog, oven potatoes, baked beans, fruit, milk.

Alternate: Pizza burger.

Tuesday: Cheese stuffed sticks, dipplin' sauce, romaine salad, green beans, fruit, milk.

Alternate: Ham/bun.

Wednesday: Taco, tomatoes, lettuce, refried beans, corn, fruit, milk.

Alternate: Teriyaki chicken bites.

Thursday: Chicken patty on whole grain bun, oven potatoes, carrots, cranberries, fruit, milk.

Alternate: Soup and sandwich.

Friday: Sub sandwich, tomatoes, lettuce, pickles, onions, corn, fruit, milk.

Alternate: Sub sandwich.

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St. Brendan's Catholic Church

Green Isle
Pastor Keith Salisbury
Mass: Sunday 7:30 a.m.
Mass: Wednesday 8:30 a.m.

Blessings

For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last he will stand upon the earth.

Job 19:25 ESV

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p.m. Catechism class.
Thursday, May 7: 6:30 p.m.
Women's Guild.

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Jessenland
507-248-3550
Fr. Sam Perez

Thursday: Weekly Mass at 5:00 p.m.

ST. MARY, MICHAEL AND BRENDAN AREA FAITH COMMUNITY

Fr. Keith Salisbury, Pastor

Friday, May 1: 8:30 a.m. Mass (Mar).

Saturday, May 2: 5:00 p.m. Mass (Mar).

Sunday, May 3: 7:30 a.m. Mass (Bre). 9:00 a.m. Mass (Mic). 10:30 a.m. First Communion (Mar & Bre). 10:30 a.m. Mass (Mar).

Monday, May 5: 8:30 a.m. Mass (Bre). 8:30 a.m. Word and Communion (Mar). 7:00 p.m. St. Arthur's KC officers meeting. 8:00 p.m. AA and Al Anon (Mar).

Tuesday, May 5: 8:30 a.m. Mass (Bre and Mar).

Wednesday, May 6: 9:00 a.m. Word and Communion (Oak Terrace). 9:30 a.m. Adult Bible study. 5:00 p.m. Mass (Mar). 6:00 p.m. Religious education teacher's year-end event (Mar).

Thursday, May 7: 8:30 a.m. Mass (Bre and Mic). 7:00 p.m. Administrative council meeting (Bre). 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (Mic).

TRINITY LUTHERAN

32234 431st Ave., Gaylord
Scott Richards, Interim Pastor

Sunday, May 3: 9:30 a.m. Fellowship. 10:15 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN

(Missouri Synod)
Arlington
507-964-2400

Gary L. Ruckman, Pastor

Saturday, May 2: 9:00 a.m. Spring clean up day.

Sunday, May 3: 9:00 a.m. Bible class. 10:00 a.m. Worship.

Thursday, May 7: 5:30 p.m. Deadline for bulletin information.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH

107 W. Third St., Winthrop
507-647-5777

Parsonage 507-647-3739
Kyle Kachelmeier, Pastor

www.wincov.org

Sunday, May 3: 9:30 a.m. Worship with Communion. 10:45 p.m. Sunday school.

Wednesday, May 6: 9:00 a.m. Prayer coffee at Eunice's.

Thursday, May 7: 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible study. 6:30 p.m. Men's Bible study at Peik's.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN

(Missouri Synod)
Green Isle
507-326-3451

Eric W. Rapp, Pastor

Friday, May 1: 10:00 a.m. Deadline for Sunday bulletin.

Sunday, May 3: 8:00 a.m. Bible class. 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday school.

Tuesday, May 5: 8:30-11:30 a.m. Pastor at Zion.

PEACE LUTHERAN

(Missouri Synod)
Arlington
Kurt Lehnkuhl, Pastor

www.hispeace@frontiernet.net

Sunday, May 3: 8:15 a.m. Sunday school. 8:30 a.m. Bible study. 9:30 a.m. Worship service.

ZION LUTHERAN

(Missouri Synod)
Green Isle Township
507-326-3451

Eric W. Rapp, Pastor

Friday, May 1: 10:00 a.m. Deadline for Sunday bulletin.

Sunday, May 3: 10:30 a.m. Worship service with Communion. 11:30 a.m. Bible class.

Tuesday, May 5: 8:30-11:30 a.m. Pastor at Zion.

ZION LUTHERAN

814 W. Brooks St., Arlington
507-964-5454

Dan Hermanson, Interim Pastor

Sunday, May 3: 8:00 a.m. Board of Education meeting. 9:00 a.m. Worship service with Holy Communion. 10:00 a.m. Fellowship and Sunday school.

Tuesday, May 5: 9:00 a.m. ZCW Tuesday group at church. 6:00-7:00 p.m. TOPS in church basement.

Wednesday, May 6: 7:30 p.m. ZCW Wednesday group at Mary Lietz' home.

Thursday, May 7: 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Zion service on cable. 7:00 p.m. ZCW Thursday group at Bea Tews' home.

CREEKSIDE Community Church

Christian & Missionary Alliance
114 Shamrock Dr., Arlington
507-964-2872

John Cherico, Pastor

email: creeksidecc@media-combb.net

Sunday, May 3: 9:30-10:15 a.m. Adult and children's Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. Worship service. Nursery provided for children 0-4 years old and children's church ages 5 through fifth grade.

Communion and All church potluck to follow.

Tuesday, May 5: 7:00 p.m. Women's Bible study, study topic: "Twelve Women of the Bible." Please join us for food, fellowship and studying the word.

Wednesday, May 6: 7:00-8:30 p.m. R.E.A.C.H. youth group.

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Land

RENNVILLE COUNTY FARM LAND.Renville County Section 8, Osceola Township, 21.79 acres. The land has been surveyed. Edward Woelfel Estate owner, Sandi Woelfel Brazzle, Personal Representative. (320) 523-1696.

Mobile Homes

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To apply or learn more about the research based programs, position qualifications, and benefits, visit MinnesotaReadingCorps.org or MinnesotaMathCorps.org (do not apply via the district website).

Questions? Contact recruitment@servemnaaction.org or 866-859-2825.

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The McLeod County Chronicle in Glencoe, Minnesota, is seeking a full-time general assignment reporter. The successful candidate will be involved in a wide range of duties, including coverage of the Glencoe-Silver Lake School District, City of Silver Lake, government meetings, feature stories, photography, page layout, digital archiving and social media and website content.

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E-mail loric@glencoenews.com or mail a cover letter, resume and writing samples to: Lori Copler, Editor McLeod County Chronicle P.O. Box 188 • Glencoe, MN 55336

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