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## Arlington Police Department had 3,308 ICRs in 2018

**By Kurt Menk  
Editor**

The Arlington Police Department recorded 3,308 initial complaint reports (ICRs) during 2018, according to Arlington Police Chief John Petterson.

The local police department recorded 2,261 ICRs in 2017, Petterson said.

During 2018, the local police department recorded 192

ICRs in January, 117 in February, 215 in March, 219 in April, 259 in May, 332 in June, 369 in July, 353 in August, 355 in September, 306 in October, 274 in November and 317 in December.

The local police department had two or 2.5 officers from January through May and three officers from June through December.

In a breakdown of cate-

gories during 2018, the local police department had 18 911 hang ups, 30 accidents, seven adult protection, 125 agency assists, 30 alarms, 89 animal calls, 137 apartment checks, 10 assaults, three burglaries, 401 business checks, one child custody, three child endangerment, 33 child protection, 20 civil matters, three criminal sexual conducts, 15 deaths, one directed patrol, one dis-

honored check, zero diversions, 19 domestics, 26 driving complaints, 11 DUIs/DWIs, four fights in progress, 15 fire calls, 18 found property, five funeral escorts, 16 harassment complaints, eight helipad security, 48 informational, 18 juvenile trouble, 23 K-9 activity and training, 65 medical calls, four minor/underage consumption, zero missing persons, 30 mo-

torist assists, three motor vehicle thefts, nine narcotic sale/possession, 34 noise complaints, 12 probation violations, 15 open doors, 231 ordinance violations, two paper service/delinquent notices, 189 park checks, 98 parking violations, zero prisoner transports, 13 property damage, 136 public assists, 70 public relations, 90 residence watches, zero runaways, 21 scams,

114 school patrols, one suicidal, 108 suspicious activity, 51 thefts, six threats, nine traffic hazards, 732 traffic stops, eight trespass, seven vandalisms, 40 vehicle lockouts, one voter fraud, 45 warrants and 26 welfare checks.

In addition to Police Chief John Petterson, the department also includes officers Sara Jancoski and James Noxon.



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### Sweetheart & Hunk Candidates

The following juniors are candidates for Sweetheart and Hunk at the Sibley East High School in Arlington. The Sweetheart and Hunk Coronation and Winter Sports Recognition Program will be held at the high school in Arlington at 2:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11. Front Row: (left to right) Isabel Figueroa, daughter of Angelica Rose, Arlington; Hannah Ebert, daughter of Joel and Debbie Ebert, Gaylord; Donnae Morton, daughter of Dan and DeAnn Morton, Winthrop. McKenna Kranz, daughter of

Tyler and Julie Kranz, Gaylord, and Breanna Krueger, daughter of Brad and Nichole Krueger, Arlington. Back Row: (l to r) Matt Messner, son of Dan and Karen Messner, Gaylord; Anthony Bullert, son of Brian and Pam Bullert, Arlington; Lucas Dose, son of Jason and Amanda Magers, Gaylord, and Scott and Kristi Dose, Becker; JaBez Bates, son of Eric and Kris Bates, Arlington; and Lincoln Carpenter, son of Corey Carpenter, Arlington, and Angie Carpenter, Gaylord.

## Local City Council hires 5 new EMTs

**By Kurt Menk  
Editor**

The Arlington City Council, during its regular meeting on Tuesday night, Jan. 22, voted 4-0 and approved a motion to hire five new Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs).

City Council members Michelle Battcher, Adam Cowell, Jim Hatlestad and James Jaszewski all voted in favor of the motion.

City Council member Tom Hatlestad was not present at the meeting.

The new EMTs include Arlington Police Chief John Petterson, Arlington Police Officer Sara Jancoski, Ali Pedraza, Zach Peterson and Erin Pauly.

The move is pending upon successful completion of the written EMT test.

The Arlington Ambulance Service, after the hiring of these five EMTs, will currently have 19 EMTs. At this same time last year, the local ambulance service had 14 EMTs.

### Ambulance Merger

Although officials from Arlington and Gaylord have met a couple times to discuss a possible merger of the two ambulance services, there was no update given at the Arlington City Council meeting on Tuesday night, Jan. 22.

### Police Officer

Arlington Police Chief John Petterson reported that there are currently 10 applicants for the newly created fourth police officer position. The deadline for applications is Tuesday, Feb. 26.

The goal is to have a fourth police officer in place by mid March or early April.

Petterson also reported that the City of Arlington has been selected as a site for a free pharmaceutical drop off bin. The selection has been made possible through a grant awarded to the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency. Petterson would like to see the drop off bin located in a secure and attended location which could be the entrance to the local police station.

### Council Goals

The City Council will hold a workshop to discuss 2019 goals at 5 p.m. Monday, Feb. 4. The regular meeting of the City Council will follow at 6:30 p.m. that same evening.

## School Board tables action on floors again

**By Amy Newsom  
Correspondent**

The Sibley East School Board, during its regular monthly meeting in Arlington on Tuesday night, Jan. 22, voted to table a decision on the concrete floors at the Sibley East Middle School/High School in Arlington.

Preston Eurlle of RA Morton presented three options to the school Board: to continue to grind the ramp area of hall 1020 and entire area of hall 1060, to remove the existing slab and repour or repolish, or to accept the proposed \$25,000 credit from Evenson Concrete Systems, Inc.

Eurlle recommended that the Board accept the \$25,000 credit. He said Sibley East Maintenance Supervisor Bob Pichelman performed the testing of the concrete depth by

drilling 11 holes to test for a depth of 3.5 inches for structural support. Eurlle said 10 out of the 11 came back ok for structural integrity. As part of the credit, Evenson would patch the joints that were in need of repair.

Former School Board members Dan Woehler spoke up and said while visiting businesses about Choose Arlington, several of the business owners commented on the condition of the floors, and felt that if the school spent millions of dollars on the school it should have decent looking floors.

School Board member Laura Reid was concerned that if they pull up the floors they could end up with something worse than they have now. Board member Avery Grochow also voiced his con-

cerns with the look of the floors.

Eurlle said with the exception of hallway 1020, the rest of the floors meet expectations of what polished concrete is meant to deliver. He said polished concrete has variables and that there will be variations.

School Board Chairperson Brian Brandt responded that they have been “disappointed from the start and we’re going to continue to be disappointed.” He stated what they were looking for was what the school in New Ulm has.

Eurlle admitted that in hindsight, they would not have gone with that contractor. Brandt stated that they would not have gone with the polished concrete floors.

School Board member Sarah Ziegler asked if the

School Board could meet with the architects again. Eurlle said the architects agreed with the decision to accept the \$25,000 credit.

School Board members directed School District Attorney Tony Nerud to do more research on whether it makes sense for the school to fight the contractor over the floors. Nerud and Superintendent Jim Amsden will do a follow-up meeting with Eurlle, the architects, and site project manager Michael Beach to see if there are any other options.

In other news, during discussions on funding for maintenance projects at the Arlington pool, Reid suggested asking the City of Arlington for a larger contribution to keep the pool in Arlington.

## Possible single garbage hauler in City of Arlington appears to be a dead issue

**By Kurt Menk  
Editor**

The Arlington City Council, during its regular meeting on Tuesday evening, Jan. 22, discussed a possible single city-wide hauler for residential garbage and refuse in the City of Arlington.

The possible move was

raised by City Council member Tom Hatlestad at the previous regular meeting.

The City Council learned from a sanitation company representative that the possible single garbage hauler would not necessarily result in lower costs to local residents.

According to Sibley County

regulations, a single garbage hauler with a contract in a community is required to haul the refuse to a specific landfill which could result in higher costs. Multiple haulers in a community have the flexibility to haul the refuse to a landfill of their choice.

City Council member Jim

Heiland favored the current system which gives local residents a choice between three haulers. He also said some residents currently bring their garbage for disposal at their local business. Under a single hauler proposal, these residents would be required to have a garbage container at

their home too. He added that there is not a burning need from the public to make a change.

City Council member Michelle Battcher said a single hauler proposal would add some cost and time for the administration in regard to billing each month. She also

favored a choice between the three haulers.

City Council member Adam Cowell said the move would create a lot of change to many people.

There was no official vote, but the issue appeared to be dead after the discussion.



# News Briefs

## Accident near Winthrop

A two-vehicle accident reportedly occurred near Highway 15 and 300th Street in Alfsborg Township at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 16, according to the Minnesota State Patrol.

A 1999 Cadillac Catera driven by Ryli J. Menden, 18, Sauk Rapids, was southbound on Highway 15 and struck the rear of a 2006 GMC Savana driven by James G. Brock, 48, city unknown, according to the report.

Menden, who was wearing a seatbelt, suffered non-life threatening injuries and was transported to the Hutchinson Community Hospital, according to the report. Brock, who was wearing a seatbelt, was not injured.

The Sibley County Sheriff’s Department assisted at the scene.

## Gaylord woman hospitalized

A two-vehicle accident reportedly occurred along Highway 19 near 290th Street in Henderson Township at 10:36 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 16, according to the Minnesota State Patrol.

A 2012 Chevrolet Equinox driven by Emily L. Wisch, 34, Gaylord, was westbound on Highway 19 and attempted to pass a westbound 2008 Dodge Ram driven by Calvin L. Marion, 52, Cadott, Wis., according to the report. The Dodge Ram was pulling a trailer and was making a left turn. The right side of the Equinox struck the left front of the Dodge Ram. The Dodge Ram entered the southwest corner of the ditch while the Equinox went into a plowed field.

Wisch, who was not wearing a seatbelt, suffered a non-life threatening injury and was transported to the Ridgeview Sibley Medical Center in Arlington, according to the report. Marion, who was wearing a seatbelt, was not injured.

## Thies named to Dean’s List

Elizabeth Thies, a 2015 graduate of the Sibley East Senior High School, was recently named to the Dean’s List at Morningside College during the fall semester.

The Dean’s List recognizes students who achieve a 3.67 grade point average or better and complete at least 12 credits of coursework with no grade below a C-.

She is the daughter of Brian and Rose Thies, Green Isle.

## Neisen is Summa Cum Laude

Kassie Neisen, a graduate of the Sibley East Senior High School, graduated Summa Cum Laude from The College of St. Scholastica with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing.

The commencement ceremony was held in the Reif Gymnasium on campus on Saturday, Dec. 15.

## Schultz named to Dean’s List

Devon Schultz, a 2017 graduate of the Sibley East Senior High School, was recently named to the Dean’s List at the University of Jamestown during the fall semester.

Students recognized with this award have met the academic criteria of maintaining a semester grade point average of 3.5 or better and full-time status.

He is the son of Sara Schultz, Nicollet.

## Krebsbach honored at NSU

Sara Krebsbach, granddaughter of the late John and Dolores Krebsbach, Arlington, was named to Northern State University fall 2018 Dean’s List.

To be named to this list, students must be full-time and have at least a 3.5 grade point average for the semester. Sara is currently a sophomore at NSU with a double major in music education.

## Personnel changes at SE

The Sibley East School Board, during its regular monthly meeting in Arlington on Tuesday night, Jan. 22, approved a motion to accept various personnel changes.

The School Board accepted the resignation of Steve Peterson, building and grounds in Gaylord, and approved the hiring of Jon Farber for building and grounds in Gaylord at \$11.40 per hour.

The School Board also approved Marie Kreft as a volunteer coach for speech.

## SE Board accepts donations

The Sibley East School Board, at its regular monthly meeting in Arlington on Tuesday night, Jan. 22, accepted several donations.

They included Gaylord Sertoma, \$300 for the guitar fund; Schad, Linstrand & Schuth, LT, \$25 for Courage Retreat; Mark and Rebekah Lundstrom, \$1,500 for the track team; Jerry’s Home Quality Foods, \$1,000 for the scoreboard; Joel & Mary Beth Schwirtz, \$150 for the guitar fund; S.H. & V.M. Mehlhop, \$50 for the guitar fund; Y-Not Plumbing & Heating, \$50 for Courage Retreat; Kimberly Quast, \$35 for the guitar fund; Brad and Regan Dose, \$35 for the guitar fund; Wayne & Louise Quast, \$300 for the guitar fund; Adam Cowell, \$15 for the guitar fund; anonymous cash donations, \$349.75 for the guitar fund; Mark Lundstrom, \$2,000 for the scoreboard; Cornerstone State Bank in Green Isle, \$2,000 for the scoreboard, Spencer & Nicole Haggemiller, \$100 for Adopt a Family; Birendra & Sheri Kumar, \$200 for the Drama Department.

## Pfarr named to Dean’s List

Taylor Pfarr, a 2015 graduate of the Sibley East Senior High School, was recently named to the Dean’s List at Minnesota State University, Moorhead, during the fall semester.

To be eligible for this honor, a student must achieve a 3.25 grade point average or higher on a 4.0 scale.

She is the daughter of Tom and Lisa Pfarr, Arlington.

## Weber named to Dean’s List

Zachary Weber, a 2015 graduate of the Sibley East Senior High School in Arlington, was recently named to the Dean’s List at the University of Wisconsin at River Falls during the fall semester.

To be eligible for this honor, a student must achieve a 3.5 grade point average or higher on a 4.0 scale.

He is the son of Jeff and Missy Weber, Arlington.



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## Students of the Month

These students were chosen as Students of the Month at the Sibley East Middle School/High School in Arlington. Front Row: (left to right) Jonah Scherer, Mackenzie Cruz, Evelyn Autenrieth and Jeremy Gallardo Anicasio. Middle Row: Morgan

Halquist, Noah Harbarth, Logan Steele, Juanita Diaz and Alexis Stock. Back Row: (l to r) Jens Lundstrom, Alyson Dieball, Jennifer Wear, Travis Andrews and Jordan Mueller.

# Give Kids A Smile Program to provide free dental care for hundreds of children in Sibley County

Gustafson Family Dentistry will be sponsoring their annual Give Kids A Smile event on Friday, Feb. 1 at their clinic to provide underserved children with free dental services.

Nearly one in four children under the age of five already has cavities, according to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Many children enrolled in Medicaid receive no dental services throughout the year.

Give Kids A Smile is held annually to:

- Provide free, easily accessible dental services to qualifying individuals.
- Raise awareness of the epidemic of untreated dental

disease occurring locally and nationally and create local public and private partnerships to increase access to oral health care to solve this crisis.

The Minnesota Dental Association has been hosting Give Kids A Smile events for several years in the area as a way to provide free dental care to local children who desperately need it. These events have provided free care to many children that otherwise would have had significant out of pocket costs.

The ADA Foundation’s Give Kids A Smile program was launched nationally in 2003 as a way for dentists to

join with others in the community to provide dental services to underserved children. Each year, about 350,000 to 400,000 children benefit from more than 1,500 events, all because of the efforts of 40,000 or more annual volunteers nationwide.

The high volume of patients participating in charitable clinics like Give Kids A Smile highlights a clear gap between those with and without good dental health. Considering that oral health is connected to total health, financial barriers to care should be of major concern to the leaders of our state. As it stands now, the Medicaid system that provides for children

is underfunded despite the presence of a provider tax on doctors, dentists, and chiropractors in the state.

This year’s event will be held at Gustafson Family Dentistry, 106 Third Avenue Northwest, Arlington. The event will begin at 8 a.m. and is open to all patients under the age of 18. Appointments are first-come first-served and expected treatment will include cleanings, exams, x-rays, fluoride treatments, sealants (if applicable). Other restorative and surgical procedures may be completed if time allows. Please call Gustafson Family Dentistry at 507-964-2705 to schedule an appointment.



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**Community Calendar**

**Thursday, Jan. 24th – Arlington Lions Club,**  
Arlington Haus, board meeting 6:30 p.m.  
All members welcome.

**Wednesday, Jan. 30th – Arlington Fire Dept. Relief Association,**  
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### Ice Fishing Contest

The cold weather did not keep people away from the seventh annual fishing contest sponsored by the Friends of High Island in New Auburn on Saturday, Jan. 19. This picture was taken in one of the fish houses. Left to right: Former Winthrop resident Wayne Kask and

New Auburn residents Janaly Trout and Andrew Trout. A shout out to New Auburn resident Ed Goettl for providing transportation to the media out to the fish houses and back to shore.

## Choose Arlington meeting on Jan. 24

By Kurt Menk  
Editor

A Choose Arlington Marketing Action Forum will be held at the Arlington Community Center on Thursday night, Jan. 24.

The social hour will begin at 6:30 p.m. The presentation will follow at 7 p.m.

The meeting will include the next steps of marketing

plans for the City of Arlington. The Action Teams will update the community on their progress.

The Action Teams include Signs and Promotions, Builders and Developers, Culture of Support for New Business, and Showing People in Promotions/Marketing Arlington's Picture.

Neil Lindscheid from the

University of Minnesota will review the progress and discuss future options.

For more information on Choose Arlington, please contact Economic Development Authority (EDA) Director Amy Newsom at 507-237-4117 or CommunityDevelopmentXco.sibley.mn.us.

### Business succession planning event set for Feb. 8

A silver tsunami of baby boomer retirements will sweep the nation in the coming years. Sixty percent of current small business owners were born before 1964, and during the next 17 years, a baby boomer business owner will turn 65 every 57 seconds.

Rural communities are especially concerned about retiring baby boomers who plan to sell their businesses. The health of small businesses is critical to rural economies. They not only provide jobs, but also important goods and services needed for rural quality of life.

Beyond economic contribution, small businesses also play a crucial role in the civic and philanthropic life of rural communities. For small business owners in rural areas, the

community is not just where they conduct business — it is also their home. The economic and civic structure of the community benefits from their success.

In 2016, The University of Minnesota Extension studied how small rural communities will keep businesses as a massive generational transfer of ownership and leadership occurs. They conducted their research to help communities understand what they can do to help businesses transfer successfully.

On Friday Feb. 8, Extension will present the insights gleaned from their research and highlight some actions that community leaders can undertake to support successful business transitions in their town.

Sibley County Community Development along with the University of Minnesota Extension and Small Business Development Center of Mankato will be hosting a Succession Planning event for community leaders such as City Council members, EDA members, Planning and Zoning members, and other community boards. The event will be held in the Sibley Room at the Sibley County Service Center from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8.

This event is free of charge, but registration is encouraged. For more information or to register for this event please contact Amy Newsom at 507-237-4117 or CommunityDevelopment@co.sibley.mn.us

## Waseca man killed in crash 9 miles south of Arlington

By Kurt Menk  
Editor

A Waseca man was killed in a one-vehicle crash along County Road 17 about nine miles south of Arlington in Kelso Township at 7:45 a.m. Monday, Jan. 21, according to the Sibley County Sheriff's

Department.

Cory T. Martin, 28, was driving a 2004 Pontiac Grand AM southbound on County Road 17 when the vehicle entered the east ditch and struck several trees, according to the report. Martin was the only person in the vehicle and was

pronounced dead at the scene.

The Le Sueur Fire Department and a Ridgeview paramedic from Le Sueur assisted at the scene.

The accident is still under investigation, according to the report.

## Sibley East high school choir will sing National Anthem at Timberwolves game

The Sibley East High School Choir has been invited to sing the National Anthem at the Minnesota Timberwolves game at Target Center on Sunday, Jan. 27. The Timberwolves will play the Utah Jazz at 6 p.m.

This is an optional activity for members of the Concert Choir and JV Choir as students are responsible for pur-

chasing their own ticket.

The choir submitted an audition recording earlier in the year to the Timberwolves. They were notified in October that they passed the audition and were assigned a date that luckily did not conflict with other Sibley East activities. Due to Sibley East's participation last year, no other preliminary work was

required.

Parents, friends, and community members may purchase tickets for the same game and provide a cheering section. The following information may be used to purchase tickets: www.timberwolves.com/groupoffers. Promo Code: sibleyeast.

## Theft suspect interrupted by passing pedestrian

By Kurt Menk  
Editor

Suspicious activity was observed in the east parking lot at Brau Motors in Arlington at 4:30 a.m. Monday, Jan. 21, according to the Arlington Police Chief John Petterson.

A passerby reported seeing a shadow of a male crouched between the two Silverado trucks and when "startled" the male walked away from the vehicles and headed to the alley, according to Petterson. The first witness walked into Snap Fitness and reported his observations to two other residents who were leaving Snap Fitness. The two other witnesses curious about the suspicious activity drove to the

Brau Motors parking lot area where they observed a light colored Suburban/Yukon style of SUV speeding away from the area.

This information was reported to Brau Motors and the Arlington Police Department, according to Petterson. It was found that the parties had stolen one Wrangler tire/rim from the rear driver side axle of a 2019 Chevrolet Silverado and had the second wheel/rim loosened and almost removed.

The Arlington Police Department has collected evidence including surveillance video from a business in town and identified a light colored GMC YUKON as the suspect vehicle, according to Petter-

son. A notice was sent to surrounding agencies which identified Courtland had a similar theft over the weekend as well. The combination of evidence information has developed a suspect name and a similarly associated vehicle related to the Arlington, Courtland and additional thefts in Brown County a few months ago.

The loss to Brau Motors for the tire and rim is estimated under \$1,000, according to Petterson. Courtland officials estimated the loss from their theft at just under \$10,000. The investigation is pending and charges will be filed jointly with Nicollet and Brown County.



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Opinions

Football playoffs again plagued by bad referee calls

Our View: Coaches and players should decide the outcome of games not referees

A good referee or official is one who goes unnoticed after a game is completed. That did not happen in the National Football League conference championship games last Sunday. The referees were front and center, especially after the Los Angeles Rams were handed a win over the New Orleans Saints.

With the score tied at 20-20 with 1:49 left in regulation, the Saints faced a third-and-10 play from the Los Angeles 13-yard line. New Orleans quarterback Drew Brees dropped back and threw a pass to Saints wide receiver Tommy Lee Lewis. Los Angeles defensive back Nickell Robey-Coleman obliterated Lewis well before the ball arrived. It was an obvious pass interference penalty to the 73,000-plus fans in the stands and Millions of tv viewers. Robey-Coleman even acted like a player who had just committed a stupid penalty at a critical time in the game. The Saints should have received a new set of downs with the ability to run down the clock, eventually kick the potentially game-winning field goal and advance to the Super Bowl. The referees, in one of the worst no-calls in NFL history, did not throw a flag which angered the home fans and many tv viewers across the country. A helmet-to-helmet penalty should have been called on the same play too. New Orleans was forced to kick a field goal and went ahead 23-20, but eventually lost 26-23 in overtime.

The no-call was so bad that the league office literally called New Orleans head coach Sean Payton after the game to apologize about it, but that didn’t change the outcome as the Rams will now advance to the Super Bowl on Sunday, Feb. 3.

The no-call pass interference and helmet-to-helmet penalties were not the only blown calls during the game. The referees also missed an obvious face mask penalty on the Saints earlier in the game. In the New England and Kansas City game later that evening, the referees threw the flag on a fanthom roughing the passer play.

Referees and officials are only human and are going to miss some calls in all sport and at all levels, but it is the blown calls on obvious penalties that decide the outcome of games that are difficult to accept.

The NFL has never been a proactive league. They always seem to wait until bad things happen until it changes a rule. Well, blown calls are getting to be the norm and not the exception in big playoff games the last couple years. The NFL, before next season rolls around, needs to step up and addresss this problem and allow the coaches and players to decide the outcome of games and not the referees.

-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.

**January 26**  
Laura Kicker and Alison Meyer.

**January 27**  
Gabe Schroeder and Fredric Meyer.

**January 28**  
Melissa Bigaouette, Maxine Godwin and Janessa Selle.

**January 29**  
Angela Paggen.

**January 30**  
In Memory Of Dan Thomes, Aaron Oeflike, Karissa Olhsen and Dan Siers.

**January 31**  
Patty Geib, and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kloeckl.

**February 1**  
Kayden Juairé, Justin Rose and Blair Breyer.

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A teacher had just given her class a science lesson on magnets. In a follow-up test on the subject, one of the questions read, “My names starts with a ‘M’ and has six letters. I pick things up. What am I”

**Half of the students answered, “Mother!”**

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A man arrived at the pearly gates of Heaven and was greeted by St. Peter who asked, “Have you ever done a good deed?”

The man replied, “Sure, one time I came upon a gang of bikers who were threatening an elderly lady. I walked up to the leader, punched him in the face, kicked over his bike, and said, ‘You leave her alone or you will answer to me.’”

“That was very brave of you,” said St. Peter, “and when did this happen.”

**“About two seconds ago,” replied the man.**

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Father: “Does your boyfriend have any money?”

**Daughter: “You men are all alike. That’s what he asked about**

you.”

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**If ignorance is bliss, why aren’t more people happy?**

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A teenage girl asked her friend, “Why do older women color their hair?”

**The friend shrugged, “Because they would rather dye than show their age.”**

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A prisoner stood before the judge, awaiting sentencing on his conviction. The judge asked, “Have you anything to offer this court before I pass sentence?”

**“Nope,” said the prisoner. “My lawyer took every last penny.”**

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A fellow went to the doctor for a physical examination. The doctor found him fit as a fiddle, with no sign of any ailments, but when the man left the office, he dropped dead right outside the door.

The nurse hurried in and told the doctor, “That man you just examined fell dead on his way out! What shall we do?”

**The doctor replied, “Go turn him around so it looks like he was coming in.”**

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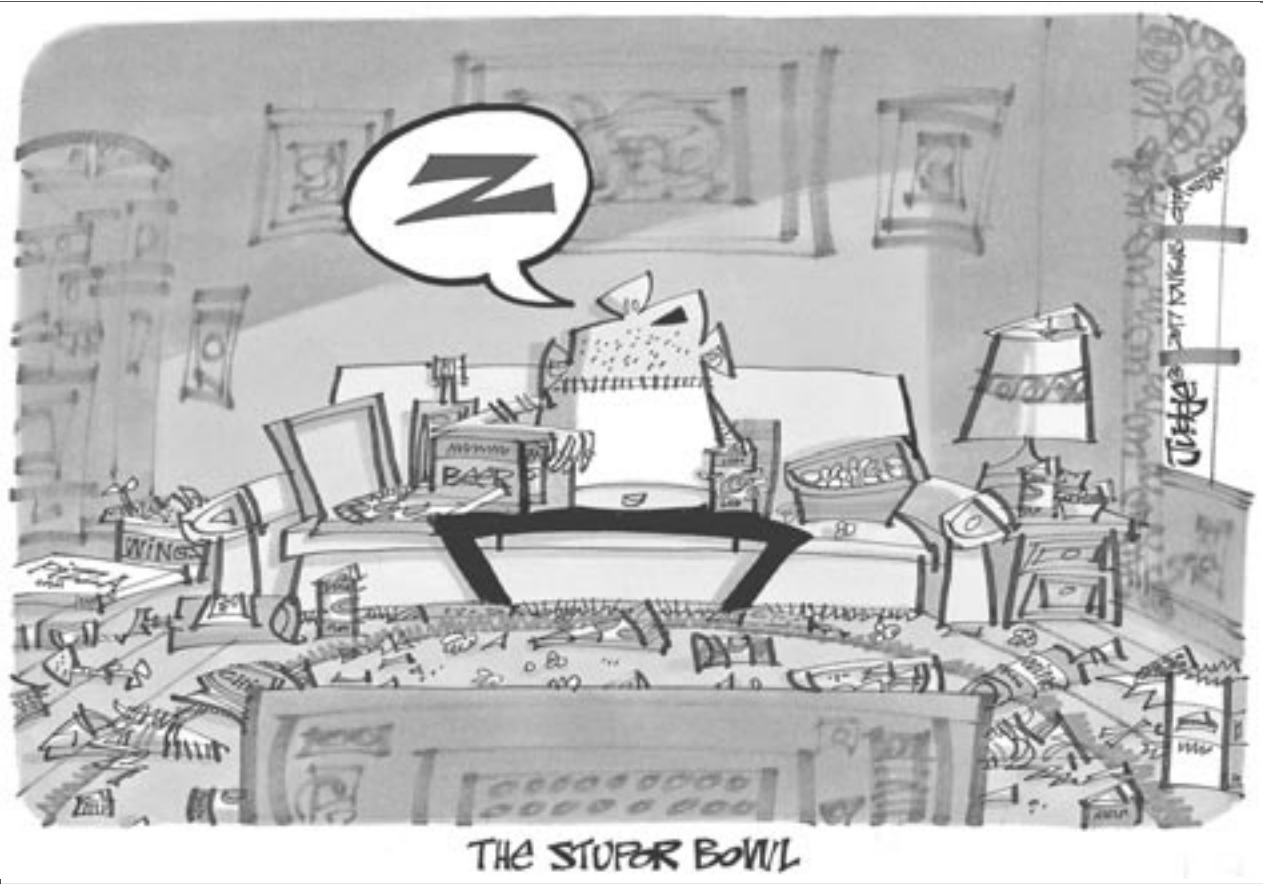
A worried patient pressed the doctor about his diagnosis. “Are you sure it’s pneumonia?” he asked. “I’ve heard of cases where a doctor treated a patient for pneumonia and the patient died from something else.”

**“Don’t worry,” the doctor assured him. “When I treat a patient for pneumonia, he dies of pneumonia.”**

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**We could learn a lot from crayons:** Some are sharp, some are pretty, some are dull, some have weird names, and all are different colors, but they all have to learn to live in the same box.

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Letter To The Editor

Gruenhagen gives update on legislative session

To The Editor,

Earlier last week, I joined fellow House Republicans at a press conference to urge Governor Walz and House Democrats to drop their plan to raise health care costs by reinstating the sick tax—a tax levied on most patient services in Minnesota, including things like baby deliveries, chemotherapy treatments, routine doctor visits, emergency room visits, and more.

The tax is set to expire in 2020 thanks to bipartisan legislation passed by a Republican-controlled legislature and signed into law by Governor Dayton in 2011.

I am surprised that Democrats insist on reinstating this tax—one that increases health care costs for Minnesotans by over \$600 million a year—after they spent all summer

and fall promising folks on the campaign trail that they would lower costs. Simply put, you can’t make health care cheaper by unnecessarily taxing it to the tune of \$600 million a year.

The \$600 million per year sick tax makes even less sense when you consider the state currently has a \$1.5 billion budget surplus. Instead of reinstating this regressive tax that punishes Minnesotans and their families for being sick, we should focus on free-market solutions that will lower costs.

Democrats are trying to make the case that funds collected from the sick tax are needed to provide health care and other services to vulnerable Minnesotans. What they fail to mention is that the Health Care Access Fund, the fund to which this revenue

is collected, can meet current obligations through the end of the coming budget cycle.

Furthermore, with a \$1.5 billion budget surplus and by eliminating waste and fraud in our public programs, coupled with reining in the dramatic inflationary increases in our Health and Human Services budget, we can ensure that services are there for those who need it without increasing health care costs on every Minnesotan that goes to the doctor.

I will continue to oppose this unnecessary tax that makes health care more expensive for all of us.

That’s all for this week’s update. I urge you to contact me if you have any legislative questions, concerns, or ideas. I can be reached by phone at 651-296-4229 or via email at rep.glenn.gruenhagen@house.mn.

Guest Column

Practicing politics at a high level

By Lee H. Hamilton

Over a lifetime in politics, I’ve met a lot of interesting, impressive politicians. But those I truly admired were men and women who were adept at the arts both of politics and legislating — a rarer combination of talents than you’d hope for in our representative democracy. They’re a reminder these days of what consummate skill looks like.

For instance, Wilbur Mills, a Democrat from Arkansas who chaired the House Ways and Means Committee, was a master of legislative detail. When he brought changes to the tax law to the floor, members of the House of both parties would simply ask him questions, rather than challenge him, because his grasp of the internal revenue code was so overwhelming. When Mills was on the floor, it was never really an equal debate.

The same held for Jim Wright of Texas and Hale Boggs of Louisiana, also both Democrats. They were great orators with vibrant, unique voices that drew audiences to the House floor and galleries simply to hear them. They seldom referred to notes, but I suspect they practiced — the chuckle in the right place, the extended pause at the perfect moment.

They were masters at using humor as an effective weapon to counter an opponent and deflect critics.

Edith Green, a Democrat from Oregon, served ten terms in the House from the mid-’50s to the mid-’70s. She specialized in education and was a potent force behind Title IX, the 1972 law that did so much to end sex discrimination in education.

Green, too, was a highly effective debater, who did not back down from a fight she chose to wage — but who also had a keen sense of when the time was right to wage it. She paved the way for many talented women who followed her.

Charlie Halleck of Indiana and H.R. Gross of Iowa, both Republican, were parliamentary masters. I often saw them block or delay measures I personally supported, and had to admire their skill at stalling, slowing down or just plain defeating legislation by the adroit use of just the right parliamentary maneuver.

Meanwhile, John Anderson of Illinois served as the principal Republican voice at a time when the GOP was in the minority. He was a powerful debater, took delight in verbal combat, and was often the lone voice against an onslaught of speakers from the majority party. He spoke forcefully, and out of a genuinely deep devotion to the nation that made plain his ideals.

You couldn’t call Tip O’Neill, the legendary Speaker of the House from Massachusetts, a great orator. But he was a truly great politician. He had a knack for putting people at ease, calming tensions, and softening debates. He made everyone in the room feel as though they were all in it together — whatever the “it” was that O’Neill was focused on.

Mike Mansfield, the Senate Majority Leader from Montana, had similar gifts. He was easily the most popular man in Congress during the years he served: he was decent, humble, fair-minded, and he spread credit to everyone around him while taking

none for himself. He had a bedrock integrity about him and knew how to use his consummate personal skills to make the process work — even dealing with the difficult egos you could find in the Senate.

I routinely watched Senators Hubert Humphrey, a Democrat from Minnesota, and Jacob Javits, a Republican from New York, come into a meeting, quickly grasp the issues, speak to them forcefully and right to the point, and then move on to their next meeting — on an entirely different issue — and give the same performance. Their ability to jump from agriculture to nuclear proliferation to health care to education — all in the course of a few hours — was astounding.

Finally, Speaker Carl Albert of Oklahoma somehow managed to unite both northeastern liberals and southern conservatives in his party. They were opposed to one another in ideology and culture, yet Albert often reconciled the irreconcilable with grace and insight. He spent hours listening patiently to people, trying to understand their points of view, patch things up, and find even the tiniest plot of ground for consensus.

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# Obituaries

## Donald M. Teschendorf, 73, Glencoe

Donald Marvin Teschendorf, 73, of Glencoe, passed away at the Oak Terrace Health Care Center in Gaylord on Wednesday, Jan. 9.

Funeral services were held, at the Johnson-McBride Funeral Chapel in Glencoe at 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 19. Pastor Scott Richards was the officiating clergy.

Amber Picha was the flutist and played "Amazing Grace." Special music was "Going Home."

Glencoe American Legion Post No. 95 provided military honors.

Shawn Ball, Tyler Ball, Cody Ratcliffe, Kenny Ruble, Kendall Picha, and Zach Picha were the casket bearers.

Interment will be at the Arlington Public Cemetery at a later date.

Donald Marvin Teschendorf was born in Gaylord on Sept. 9, 1945. He was the son of Marvin and Melva (Brock-off) Teschendorf. Pastor John Bradtke baptized Donald as an infant at the Albert Teschendorf home on Sept. 30, 1945. Pastor H. J. Molatky later confirmed Donald in his faith as a youth at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Green Isle on June 7, 1959. Donald graduated from the Arlington-Green Isle High School on May 28, 1963. He was drafted Dec. 15, 1965, and was honorably discharged Oct. 16, 1967.

Donald was married to Mary Jo Nelson in Waynesville, Mo., on June 21,

1966. They made their home in Glencoe. His life was blessed with three children, Sharon, Lori and Tammy.

Donald worked as a semi-truck driver the majority of his life. He spent 25 years driving truck for Quast Transfer in Winsted. He worked for a couple of different trucking companies before changing gears to working as a valet attendant at Mystic Lake Casino in Prior Lake. After retiring, he worked at Security Bank & Trust Company in Glencoe.

Donald was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Arlington before transferring to First Evangelical Lutheran Church in Glencoe on April 26, 1970. During his last few years at the Oak Terrace Health Care Center in Gaylord, he attended weekly Bible study classes led by Pastor Scott Richards of St. Paul's and Trinity Lutheran Churches of Gaylord.

Donald was a jokester and comedian. He loved to talk to everyone, no matter where he was or who they were. He had his daily routines of breakfast with coffee uptown, getting a couple dollars of gas so he could go in and talk to the attendant and everyone else that followed. From there he would go to the grocery store and purchase a day's worth of food. He would be at the store for hours and only to return with a couple of items. He was ecstatic when the Family Dollar came to Glencoe so that he could stop in and make that also a daily spot. He later incorporated Burger King in for supper if he didn't have evening plans. He would end each day with a sweet treat of some sort, of

which he loved ice cream. Donald loved a good card game of sheephead or 500. He enjoyed going to a casino during the evening hours to play slot machines and again enjoyed all the different people he could talk to. Auctions were a big part of early years. He loved negotiating. He would always come home with his "good finds." Lastly, he was never, ever on time. He always wore a watch but never lived by the time. He was always on Teschendorf time.

Donald is survived by his daughters, Lori Teschendorf (Kenny) of Glencoe and Tammy Ball (Shawn) of Monticello; grandchildren, Cory Teschendorf, Cassandra Teschendorf, Cody Teschendorf, Conway Teschendorf, Samantha (Sammy) Ball and fiancée Cody (Road Kill) Ratcliffe and Tyler (Bud) Ball; mother, Melva Teschendorf of Gaylord; brothers, Kenneth (Bonnie) Teschendorf of Glencoe, William (Janet) Teschendorf of Alexandria; sister, Sandy (Richard) Schwoppe of Green Isle; second family, Kendall, Jean, Tyler, Amber, Zachary and Tyler Picha; former spouse and now a good friend, Mary Jo Nelson; nieces; nephews; other relatives; and friends.

He is preceded in death by his father, Marvin Teschendorf; and daughter, Sharon Teschendorf.

The Johnson-McBride Funeral Chapel in Glencoe handled the arrangements. Its Website is [www.mcbridechapel.com](http://www.mcbridechapel.com) where online obituaries and guestbook are available.

## Elizabeth Groetsch, 96, Santa Rosa, Calif.

Elizabeth Ellen Groetsch, age 96, passed away on Friday, Jan. 18.

Elizabeth Ellen Groetsch, "Betty," was the eldest of nine children born to Louis and Loretta (Welch) Kill in Arlington, on April 5, 1922. Her father, Louis, was the editor of the *Arlington Enterprise* newspaper. She graduated from Arlington High School in 1939 and then attended the College of St. Catherine in St. Paul. She was employed as a Secretary in the Home Service Department at General Mills from 1941 to 1945.

Betty married Peter Harvey Groetsch during World War II on April 22, 1945. Their marriage endured for 55 years until Pete's death in 2000.

Betty and Pete relocated to Southern California in 1952 and raised their five children Stephen, Ellen, Susan, Lucy and Martin in Costa Mesa. They were active members of St. John the Baptist parish where Betty was a choir member and catechist. In 2017 she moved to Santa Rosa to be close to her daughter Lucy and passed away at 96 years of age on Jan. 18.

Elizabeth loved singing in the church choir and was an active participant until her 90s. She was, first and foremost, a mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. With her deep faith and constant love, she was the center of her family and a guide for living well. Betty was a Minnesota girl until the end, never losing her core Midwestern values and no-nonsense approach to life. She was a great cook; a lover of the beach and the game of

golf; she adored good times with friends and family; was an enthusiastic traveller; a loyal Dodger and Lakers fan, and a lifelong Democrat.

Elizabeth is survived by her children, Steve (Toni) Groetsch, Ellen (Bob) Bonning, Susan (Michael) Davis, Lucy Groetsch (Bob Sayer), and Martin Groetsch (Andrea Smith). She leaves behind her adored grandchildren, Rebus (Nicole), Peter (Kellie), Blair (Zach), Alexandra (Van), Aaron and Evan. The joy of her later years was the time she spent with her great-grandchildren Emmett, Leila, Evelyn, Meritt, Clay, Owen and Michael. She is also survived by her sister, Ann Adele Leaf; and by numerous nieces and nephews.

She will be interred next to her husband Peter at Riverside Memorial Cemetery.

Donations in her memory can be made to Catholic Charities.



Enterprise photo by Amy Newsom

### Retirement

Carol Larson, Gibbon, was recognized at the Sibley County Board meeting in Gaylord on Tuesday morning, Jan. 22. Larson has served Sibley County for 28 plus years. She began working for Sibley County on April 26, 1990 as a Clerk Typist in Social Services Department. Larson was promoted to Account Clerk during December of 1991. She was promoted to

Child Support Enforcement Aide in July of 1994 and was then promoted to Child Support officer in May of 1997. Larson was finally promoted to her current position of Financial Assistance Supervisor in January of 2002 where she has been a valued member of the current Public Health & Human Services Department.

## Does shoveling snow increase the risk of heart attacks during winter?

By David Larson, MD, Ridgeview Medical Center Emergency Physicians and Consultants, P.A.

It is that time of year again in Minnesota when we start to get those heavy, wet snow falls (or as we say, a "heart attack snowfall"). It seems that every year we see or hear reports of someone having a heart attack while shoveling snow. Is there really an increased risk of having a heart attack from shoveling snow?

A recent Canadian study did suggest that there is an association between shoveling and heart attacks in men over 50 who have cardiovascular risk factors, (such as smoking, high blood pressure, or elevated cholesterol, a history of prior cardiovascular disease or in those who lead a sedentary life style.

### Why does this occur?

Snow shoveling is a demanding, cardiovascular exercise. Heavy lifting with the arms causes a rapid rise in blood pressure and heart rate (just like going full speed on a treadmill). Also, working in cold weather can cause constriction of blood vessels which can reduce oxygen supply to the heart muscle. This combination can put a great deal of stress on the heart. If you are healthy and young, this may not be an issue. But if you have a history of heart

failure, high blood pressure, previous known coronary artery disease or are not used to exercising, you may be at risk. If you fall into this category it might be prudent to hire a young neighbor to clear your driveway, especially with large, heavy snowfalls.

### Can you reduce your risk of a heart attack when shoveling?

If you still want to do it yourself, here are a few tips to help reduce your risk:

Start with light exercise before you begin shoveling. This will warm up your muscles and increase your heart rate gradually.

Avoid shoveling right after a heavy meal.

Don't drink alcohol before or immediately after shoveling.

Use a small shovel or consider a snow thrower (pushing a heavy snow thrower can also be strenuous).

Dress in layers to avoid hypothermia (low body temperature) or overheating. Keep your head and neck covered to prevent excessive heat loss.

Consider wearing a face mask, especially in extremely cold temperatures or if you have a history of angina or lung problems.

Take frequent warm up breaks (e.g., every 15-30 minutes).

Listen to your body. If you

start to feel lightheaded, short of breath, or nauseated-stop and rest.

Recognize symptoms of a heart attack and call 911 immediately. It may be embarrassing (especially for men) to call 911. But if you are having a heart attack, the quicker that treatment is started, the better chance of saving your heart muscle and your life.

### What are the symptoms of a heart attack?

Chest discomfort that lasts more than a few minutes. It may feel like pressure, heaviness or squeezing.

Pain or chest discomfort radiating to one or both arms, jaw or back.

Ongoing shortness of breath with or without chest discomfort.

Persistent dizziness, lightheadedness, nausea/vomiting, or sweating.

Pay attention to your limbs as well as your heart when clearing snow.

One more thing. For those using a snow thrower on a warm day with wet heavy snow, please do not use your hand to clear a clogged auger or chute. Always turn the motor off first and always use a tool to clear a snow clog. It seems that our hand surgeons are always busy after a wet snowfall.

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Sports



Sibley East senior Rachel Rettmann, left, drove in for a layup late in the game against visiting Sleepy Eye St. Mary's on Monday night, Jan. 21. Sophomore Maddi Tuchtenhagen (21) is pictured on the right.

Girls capture 1 win in 3 games

By Kurt Menk Editor

The Sibley East varsity girls basketball team captured one win in three games during the past week.

The Lady Wolverines, 1-7 in the Minnesota River Conference and 5-7 overall, will travel to Southwest Christian in conference play at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 24. Sibley East will also travel to St. Peter in non-conference play at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 28. The Lady Wolverines will host Jordan in MRC play at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 29.

NYA 69 Sibley East 32

The visiting Sibley East varsity girls basketball team got doubled up in both halves and lost to Norwood Young America 69-32 in Minnesota River Conference play on Tuesday night, Jan. 15.

Senior Rachel Rettmann topped Sibley East with 13 points. Junior McKenzie Latzke and sophomore Maddi Tuchtenhagen tossed in five points each. Junior Lexy Stock and sophomore Ellie Harens netted four points apiece while sophomore Audrey Parrott had one point.

The Lady Wolverines connected on only 11 of 37 shots from two-point distance for 30 percent and only two of 14 long bombs for 14 percent. Sibley East also converted four of 10 charity tosses for

40 percent. The Lady Wolverines grabbed a total of 26 rebounds in the loss. Rettmann yanked down 11 boards while Tuchtenhagen and Stock snared five and four caroms respectively.

Stock also recorded three steals and dished out two assists.

Mayer Lutheran 43 Sibley East 35

The Sibley East varsity girls basketball team surrendered an eight-point halftime lead and lost to visiting Mayer Lutheran 43-35 in Minnesota River Conference action on Friday night, Jan. 18.

Sophomore Audrey Parrott led the Lady Wolverines with 16 points. Senior Rachel Rettmann scored six points while juniors McKenzie Latzke and Lexy Stock hooped five points each. Junior Maddi Tuchtenhagen added three points.

Sibley East hit only 13 of 40 shots from two-point range for 32 percent and just one of 13 attempts from three-point distance for eight percent. The host team also canned six of eight free throw attempts for 75 percent.

Rettmann pulled down 15 rebounds as the Lady Wolverines collected 31 boards overall. Parrott also had six caroms.

Stock also contributed two

assists and one steal while Rettmann recorded three thefts.

Sibley East 76 Sleepy Eye St. Mary's 69

The Sibley East varsity girls basketball team, behind the shooting of senior Rachel Rettmann and junior McKenzie Latzke, defeated visiting Sleepy Eye St. Mary's 76-69 in non-conference action on Monday night, Jan. 21.

Rettmann scored 27 points in the win. Latzke drilled seven three-point shots from behind the arc and eventually finished with 22 points. Sophomore Maddi Tuchtenhagen hit for nine points while junior Lexy Stock and sophomore Audrey Parrott hooped seven points apiece. Junior Lily Beneke and sophomore Gabbi Bates added two points each.

The Lady Wolverines hit 18 of 38 shots from two-point range for 47 percent and nine of 24 long bombs for 38 percent. The winners also sank 13 of 16 foul shots for 81 percent.

Sibley East collected 38 rebounds in the game. Beneke pulled down a dozen boards while Rettmann and Parrott snared eight caroms apiece. Tuchtenhagen added six rebounds.

Rettmann also recorded three steals and one assist while Stock had two thefts and one feed.

Sibley East boys basketball team falls to Belle Plaine, defeats G-FW

By Kurt Menk Editor

The Sibley East varsity boys basketball team split a pair of games in action during the past week.

The Wolverines, 1-5 in the MRC and 3-11 overall, will host Mayer Lutheran in conference action at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25. Sibley East will also travel to New Ulm in non-conference play at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 28.

Belle Plaine 66 Sibley East 60

The Sibley East varsity boys basketball team stayed close, but lost to Belle Plaine 66-60 in Minnesota River Conference action on Thursday night, Jan. 17.

Senior Kameron In paced four players in double figures with 19 points. Junior Lucas Dose hit for 13 points while junior JaBez Bates and sophomore Caleb Dose hit for 10 points each. Junior Logan Tesch hooped four points while senior Aaron Deis had

three points. Junior Tony Bullert added one point.

The Wolverines blistered the nets from two-point distance as they hit 24 of 45 shots for 53 percent. Sibley East, however, connected on only two of eight bombs for 25 percent. The Wolverines also sank six of 10 charity tosses for 60 percent.

Sibley East collected 33 rebounds in the loss. Lucas Dose pulled down seven caroms while Caleb Dose had six boards.

Lucas Dose also recorded five assists while In had three assists and one steal. Bullert added three thefts.

Sibley East 68 G-F-W 54

The visiting Sibley East varsity boys basketball team rallied from a three-point deficit and defeated G-F-W 68-54 in non-conference play on Monday night, Jan. 21.

Junior Lucas Dose sparked three players in double figures with 14 points. Junior

Tony Bullert and senior Kameron In also hit double digits with 12 and 11 points respectively. Senior Ty Knacke and sophomore Caleb Dose netted eight points each while sophomore Aaron Flieth and junior JaBez Bates hooped seven and six points respectively. Senior Jens Lundstrom added two points.

Sibley East hit 23 of 49 attempts from two-point distance for 47 percent and four of nine shots from 44 percent. The Wolverines also converted 10 of 18 attempts from the charity stripe for 56 percent.

The Wolverines collected 29 rebounds in the win. Knacke and Bullert grabbed five boards apiece while Lucas Dose and Flieth had four caroms each.

Caleb Dose recorded five steals and three assists while In dished out five assists. Lucas Dose contributed three assists and three steals while Lundstrom added three thefts and two dishes.

Gary Kurtzweg is the new president of the Arlington A's Baseball Board

By Kurt Menk Editor

Gary Kurtzweg was recently elected as the new president of the Arlington A's Baseball Board.

The remaining officers are Vice President Scott Bergs,

Treasurer Steve Pioske and Secretary Sam Bullert.

The remaining board members include Bob Thomes, Craig Bullert, Barb Meyers, Linda Sinell, Michael Bullert, David Brockhoff and Anthony O'Day.

The A's manager is Alex Reichenbach.

Kurtzweg said the Arlington A's "are always looking for people who love baseball to join the board.

Wolverines host Sibley East Duals

By Kurt Menk Editor

The Sibley East wrestling team lost at Lake Crystal-Wellcome Memorial in a meet on Thursday night, Jan. 17.

The Wolverines also competed against four other teams during the Sibley East Duals in Arlington on Saturday, Jan. 19.

Sibley East travel to Spectrum for a meet on Thursday night, Jan. 24. The Wolverines will host the Minnesota River Conference Meet in Arlington at 10 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 26.

LC-WM 52 Sibley East 12

106-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

113-pounds: Draydon Morton (SE) pinned Ean Gillman (LC-WM) 0:49.

120-pounds: Wyatt Taylor (SE) was pinned by Tyler Ash (LC-WM) 1:01.

126-pounds: Josh Sotelo (SE) was pinned by Trayton Hewitt (LC-WM) 0:16.

132-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match to Tucker Wills (LC-WM).

138-pounds: Jasem Al Sattam (SE) lost by a major decision to Seth Rosin (LC-WM).

145-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) pinnd Camden Ludeman (LC-WM) 0:57.

152-pounds: Colton Harens (SE) was decisioned by Tristan Jones (LC-WM) 6-3.

160-pounds: Aaron Elseth (SE) lost by a technical fall to Bryer Larson (LC-WM) 17-0.

170-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match to Dougray Siebenahler (LC-WM).

182-pounds: Jacob Hernandez (SE) lost by a major decision to Avery Northquest (LC-WM) 13-3.

195-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

220-pounds: Omar Martinez (SE) was pinned by Matthew Thofson (LC-WM) 3:37.

285-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match.

Blue Earth Area 60 Sibley East 9

106-pounds: Draydon Morton (SE) pinned Carson Sturtz (BEA) 1:30.

113-pounds: Derek Steele (SE) was decisioned by Ty Peterson (BEA) 5-2.

120-pounds: Josh Sotelo (SE) was pinned by Davis Sunken (BEA) 0:57.

126-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match to Caleb Beeler (BEA).

132-pounds: Sibley East for-

feited this match to Jacob Beeler (BEA).

138-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) decisioned Jaxen Klinkner (BEA) 12-8.

145-pounds: Jathan Mendoza (SE) lost by a technical fall to Max Ehrich (BEA) 26-11.

152-pounds: Colton Harens (SE) lost by a technical fall to Koby Nagel (BEA) 15-0.

160-pounds: Giovanni Govea (SE) was decisioned by Logan Johnson (BEA) 8-6.

170-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match to Nick Frank (BEA).

182-pounds: Jacob Hernandez (SE) lost by a technical fall to Dominic Whitlow (BEA) 17-2.

195-pounds: Ben Quast (SE) was decisioned by Luke Mertens (BEA) 7-1.

220-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match to Eric Anderson (BEA).

285-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match to Ian Cornelio (BEA).

Maple River 41 Sibley East 12

106-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

113-pounds: Draydon Morton (SE) decisioned Boden Simon (MR) 8-2.

120-pounds: Derek Steele (SE) was decisioned by Trevor Pearson (MR) 7-2.

126-pounds: Josh Sotelo (SE) was pinned by Ethan Evenson (MR) 0:41.

132-pounds: Fernanso Chapa (SE) lost by a technical fall to Cooper Oshendorf (MR) 15-0.

138-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

145-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) pinned Skylr Jenkins (MR) 0:31.

152-pounds: Jathan Mendoza (SE) was pinned by Caden Ochsendorf (MR) 3:08.

160-pounds: Colton Harens (SE) was decisioned by Bryan Garlow (MR) 8-4.

170-pounds: Giovanni Govea (SE) was pinned by Wyatt Simon (MR) 1:27.

182-pounds: Jacob Hernandez (SE) was pinned by Nathan Trio (MR) 4:53.

195-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

220-pounds: Ben Quast (SE) decisioned Thayne Decker (MR) 3-2.

285-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match to Eston Battles (MR).

Sibley East 36 Trinity School 18

106-pounds: Draydon Morton

(SE) pinned Joseph Howell (TSRR) 1:15.

113-pounds: Derek Steele (SE) pinned Zach Chen (TSRR) 0:26.

120-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

126-pounds: Josh Sotelo (SE) lost by a major decision to Ton DeMarais (TSRR) 15-2.

132-pounds: Jasem All Sattam (SE) lost by a major decision to Kiru Adbebe (TSRR) 13-2.

138-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) won by a forfeit.

145-pounds: Jathan Mendoza (SE) pinned Will Howell (TSRR) 3:40.

152-pounds: Colton Harens (SE) pinned Thomas Nicklaus (TSRR) 5:14.

160-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

170-pounds: Govani Govea (SE) was pinned by Jack Michaud (TSRR) 3:33.

182-pounds: Jacob Hernandez (SE) lost by a major decision to Aiden Willard (TSRR) 13-4.

195-pounds: Ben Quast (SE) won by a forfeit.

220-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

285-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

Sibley East 39 Le Sueur-Henderson 20

106-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

113-pounds: Draydon Morton (SE) pinned Andrew Genelin (LS-H) 0:37.

120-pounds: Derek Steele (SE) pinned Jack Skubitz (LS-H) 0:29.

126-pounds: Josh Sotelo (SE) lost by a technical fall to Jorge Hernandez (LS-H) 18-2.

132-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match to James Loewe (LS-H).

138-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) decisioned Thomas Gupton (LS-H) 8-2.

145-pounds: Jathan Mendoza (SE) pinned Kade Thompson (LS-H) 0:33.

152-pounds: Colton Harens (SE) was decisioned by Ethan Genelin (LS-H) 8-6.

160-pounds: Govani Govea (SE) won by a forfeit.

170-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

182-pounds: Jacob Hernandez (SE) won by a forfeit.

195-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

220-pounds: Ben Quast (SE) won by a forfeit.

285-pounds: Sibley East forfeited this match to Jacob Wackr (LS-H).

Val (Kloeckl) Frayley coaching hoops at ROCORI

Sibley East graduate Val (Kloeckl) Frayley, formerly of Arlington, is a first-year head coach for the ROCORI varsity girls basketball team this season.

Frayley, who served as an assistant coach last season, was featured in a recent article in the *St. Cloud Times*.

"She's one of the best

young coaches we have," Joel Baumgarten said in the article. "She fantastic. She is trying some new things and getting people fired up about the program."

Frayley is very strong, approachable and confident, according to Baumgarten.

Frayley teaches first grade at Cold Spring Elementary

School. She is also taking graduate courses and is recently married.

One of her ROCORI wins was a 46-39 victory over Dassel-Cokato where Frayley coached before coming to Cold Spring last year.

She is the daughter of Tim and Jane Kloeckl, Arlington.

Bowling

The following is a list of results from Double Tap in Arlington.

Men's League		
	Points Won	Points Lost
1. Ottomotive.....	74	46
2. Eckberg Tiling.....	69.5	50.5
3. Double Tap.....	61	59
4. Scott Equipment.....	60.5	58.5
5. Club New Yorker.....	50	66
6. Chef Craig's Catering.....	40	80

Scratch Game: Jessie Schauer - 236, Tony Woehler - 227, Kevin Valuet - 223.

Scratch Series: Jessie Schauer - 612, Tony Woehler - 606, Hunter Voigt - 591.

Women's League		
	Points Won	Points Lost
1. Club New Yorker.....	16	4
2. Woehler Seeds.....	15	5
3. Good Samaritan.....	12	8
4. Angie's Used Appliances.....	10	10
5. Belle Ame Salon.....	4	16
Scratch Game: Mary Von Eschen - 202, Cathy Creech - 184, Jaime Ide - 180		
Scratch Series: Jaime Ide - 505, Mary Von Eschen - 502, Lana Woehler - 448.		

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## New Auburn City Council

The members of the New Auburn City Council posed for a photo at their first meeting of the year on Monday night, Jan. 14. Front Row: (left to right) City Council member Barb Schutte, City Clerk Bobbi Zaske and Treasurer Marlys Becker. Back

Row: (l to r) City Council member Dennis Kuehl, Mayor Doug Munsch, City Council member Roger Becker, city maintenance worker Joey Schuft and City Council member Wayne Schultz.

## Mental health services available in Sibley County

Sibley County has and is experiencing the trend throughout Minnesota in the rise for the need of Mental Health services. Since 2016 Sibley County case management services for Adult Mental Health has grown 22 percent and the need for children’s mental health has seen similar increases. Untreated mental illness is a public health concern because it can lead to debilitating and costly conditions such as substance abuse, homelessness, and incarceration.

Rural Minnesota’s statistics on mental health are particularly troubling. The Minnesota Department of Health reports that depression in women living in rural counties is double that of women from urban counties. And the Minnesota Hospital Association indicates a 40 percent increase from 2007 to 2014 in

emergency room use for mental health crisis needs compared to 34 percent in the metro area.

Sibley County has partnered with many sources to help fill the need for mental health services. Sibley County is a strong member partner of the South Central Community Based Initiative (SCCBI). The SCCBI is a 10 county regional effort to provide mental health crisis assistance through its 24/7 crisis line which can connect you to its mobile crisis team and other needed services. A list of all of the SCCBI resources can be found at its website [www.sccbi.org](http://www.sccbi.org).

Sibley County also has its own clubhouse program called County Connections. At County Connections people can visit and join in activities and programs geared to improving the lives of folks

living with serious and persistent mental illness. Learn more about County Connections through the SCCBI website.

There are resources for farmers. Farming can extend extreme pressure on individuals’. Farmers and farm families find sources of stress including but not limited to crop prices, weather, chores and equipment breakdown. The Minnesota Department of Agriculture has a farm counselor who specializes in working with farmers and their families. Contact information for these services can be obtained at [farmcounseling.org](http://farmcounseling.org).

The public is invited to Stories of Hope & Healing, a free educational event focused on suicide prevention and mental health awareness education. This event, with a special emphasis on farmers

and youth, will be held from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Gaylord, MN featuring Ted Matthews, a Mental Health Practitioner & Director of Mental Health Outreach with the MN Department of Agriculture. Other speakers will share their personal stories and thoughts after experiencing unexpected loss of a loved one to suicide. Additionally, QPR training will be offered from 3:30 p.m. to 5pm. QPR teaches three simple steps anyone can learn to help save a life from suicide.

Stay mentally healthy. You can do this by monitoring your mental health regularly, learn about ways to live well and stay well. Look for risk factors and know where to find help before the crisis stage.

## Sibley County Court

The following misdemeanors, petty misdemeanors and gross misdemeanors were heard in District Court January 4-11 2019: Minnesota State Patrol (MSP); Sheriff’s Office (SO); Department of Natural Resources (DNR); MN Department of Transportation (MNDOT).

Megan K. Dose, 43, Arlington, speed, \$125, Arlington PD; Angelica M. Rose, 45, Arlington, public nuisance dog, continued, unsupervised monitoring without adjudication six months, no same or similar, keep court/attorney informed of current address, animal noise control \$135, Arlington PD.

Pete H. Barber, 29, Redwood Falls, speed, \$125, Gaylord PD; Yajaira A. Barrera, 21, Arlington, no MN DL, continued, probation to court one year, conditions other-driver must have a valid driver’s license and provide proof to prosecutor within two months from 12/27/2018, no same or similar, keep court/attorney informed of current address, \$150, speed, continued, concurrent 1, probation to court one year, no proof insurance (driver), dismissed, Gaylord PD; Cevin A. Chladek, 41, Le Sueur, DWI- operate motor vehicle under influence of alcohol, dismissed, DWI- operate motor vehicle-alcohol concentration 0.08 within two hours, unsupervised probation one year, local confinement 90 days, stay 89 days for one year, credit for time served one day, no same or similar, remain law-abiding, keep court/attorney informed of current address, victim impact panel, provide proof to Sibley County Court Administration, chemical dependency evaluation/treatment within 60 days, provide proof to Sible County Court Administration, follow recommendations of evaluation, sign all releases of information, no driver license violations, no driving without insurance, no alcohol related traffic offenses, \$385, speed, dismissed, Gaylord PD; Nicholas A. Kuss, 29, North Mankato, drugs-possession of drug paraphernalia-use or possession prohibited, \$135, Gaylord PD; Jorge E. Robles, Jr., 28, Gaylord, driving after revocation, driving after revocation, continued, unsupervised monitoring without adjudication one year,

community work service eight hours for indeterminate, obtain driver’s license within 90 days and provide proof to Sibley County Court Administration, remain law-abiding, keep court/attorney informed of current address, Gaylord PD; Laura L. Rohlik, 58, Redwood Falls, speed, \$125, Gaylord PD.

Jamie L. Glover, 65, Green Isle, speed, \$145, MSP; Reagan M. Bushman, 17, Hutchinson, speed, \$125, MSP; Megan M. Dennin, 38, Gibbon, window tint (less than 50% light transmittance), \$135, MSP; Jessie R. Helder, 40, Mankato, speed, \$135, MSP; Rose M. Hughes, 58, New Ulm, speed, \$125, MSP; Christopher R. Just, 28, Nelson, expired registration, CMV-breakaway braking requirements for trailers violations-no breakaway brake system, \$315, MSP; Lori L. Loomis, 55, Hutchinson, speed, \$145, MSP; Carl D. Nielsen, 57, Tyler, seatbelt violation in a commercial vehicle, \$110, MSP; Loraine I. Nolan, 50, Stewart, speed, \$125, MSP; Kristen J. Payne, 43, Burnsville, speed, \$125, MSP; Emmanuel A. Salazar, 40, Hanford, Calif., speed, no Minnesota driver’s license, \$225, MSP; Sonia E. Salinas-Desanchez, 56, Gaylord, speed, \$125, MSP; Renee L. Schmidt, 48, Saint Peter, speed, \$135, MSP; Kerri Vang, 22, Rosemount, unsafe passing, \$135, MSP; Cory L. Vogel, 37, Savage, speed, \$125, MSP; Michael A. Wiley, 31, Independence, Mo., speed, \$135, MSP.

John S. Cary, 70, Minnetonka, speed, \$145, SO; Breanna M. Marshall, 19, Gaylord, disorderly conduct-offensive/abusive/boisterous/noisy/obscene, stay of imposition, unsupervised probation one year, local confinement three days, credit for time served three days, no same or similar, remain law-abiding, keep court/attorney informed of current address, \$210, SO; Dean W. Stollenberg, 64, Jasper, speed, \$125, SO; Alexandra R. Westbrook, 20, Redwood Falls, speed, \$125, SO.

The following felonies were heard in District Court January 4-11, 2019.

Brittany L. Sundt, 28, Gaylord, domestic assault, dismissed, Gaylord PD.

## Legals

**SIBLEY EAST PUBLIC SCHOOLS REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2310 ARLINGTON-GAYLORD-GREEN ISLE ARLINGTON CAMPUS-MEDIA CENTER MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2018 @ 6:30 P.M.**

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. Members: Brian Brandt, Laura Reid, Sarah Ziegler, Missy Weber, Danny Woehler, Avery Grochow were present.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:** Member Reid moved, second by Member Woehler, to approve the agenda. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

**VISITOR COMMENTS:** None  
**CONSENT AGENDA:** Approval of Minutes-Recommend approval of November 20, 2018 Regular School Board Meeting Minutes.  
**Personnel:** Resignations: Lois Harens, Arlington Food Service Hire/s: Erica Melvin, Para-Arlington (step 4: \$11.30) Mary Reed-ESL Para Arlington (Step 6: \$11.45) Sheryl Monsivaiz- Tech Para-Gaylord (Step 3-\$11.25), Lexi Wolters-Para Gaylord (Step 3: \$11.25), Danielle Frauendienst-Para Gaylord (Step 4: \$11.30) **Volunteer Coach:** None; **Fundraiser Request:** Amanda Feterl-Chicago Trip. Approval of Consent Agenda: Member Grochow moved, seconded by Member Weber, to approve

the Consent Agenda. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.  
**OLD/UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None

**NEW BUSINESS:**  
Discussion/Action on options to: 1) continue to grind ramp area of hall 1020 and entire area of hall 1060, 2) remove the existing slab and repour/repolish, or 3) accept proposed credit from Evenson Concrete Systems, Inc. Motion by Member Grochow, second by Member Reid to table further action until test drilling of slab thickness is complete and withhold future payment until drilling results are finalized. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

First Reading of Policy 516 Student Medication proposed update.

Consider certifying 2018 Payable 2019 Levy Certification Maximum \$3,935,747.38 as recommended. Motion by Member Weber, second by Member Ziegler, to approve 2018 Payable 2019 Levy Certification at Maximum Levy Authority, \$3,935,747.38. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approve quote to conduct property appraisals on the Sibley East property Parcel G lots 3,4,5,6,7, of outblock 39 located in Gaylord, Mn and Parcels E and F located in Gaylord, Mn. Motion by Member Grochow, second by Member Ziegler, to accept quote from Brovold & Company LLC to conduct property appraisals on the Sibley

East property Parcel G lots 3,4,5,6,7, of outblock 39 located in Gaylord, Mn and Parcels E and F located in Gaylord, Mn. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

**Bills/Payments:** Recommend approval of December 2018 bills totaling \$1,476,490.01 Motion by Member Reid, second by Member Woehler, to approve December 2018 bills totaling \$1,476,490.01. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Presentation of tentative 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 Principal Association Contract. Motion by Member Grochow, second by Member Reid, to approve the 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 Principal Association Contract as presented. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approve financial donations from: B.D. or R. Thies, \$20.00-Library, Brau Motors, Inc, \$100-Courage Retreat, American Legion Auxiliary, \$50-Library, Gaylord Game Protective Gambling Account, \$250-Girls Basketball, Sibley Co. 4-H Federation, \$1210-Trap Team, Wakefield Pork, Inc, \$250-Sibley Scoop, Wakefield Pork, Inc, \$100-Courage Retreat, City of Arlington, \$400-Drama Department, \$417.79 materials and labor Tim and Stacy Haggemiller –Wizard of Oz, Drama Department, \$215.00, materials and labor Tim and Stacy Haggemiller –Diary of Anne Frank.

Motion by Member Weber, second by Member Woehler, to accept the financial donations with gratitude as noted. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

**BOARD COMMITTEE REPORT:** Transportation, Brian Brandt  
**PRINCIPAL/SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS:** Mari Lu Martens and Steve Harter presented information on recent events taking place at the Elementary and Middle School/High School. Jim Amsden recognized Board Member Woehler for his years of service to the Sibley East School District as a Board Member.

**INFORMATIONAL:** MSBA Winter Workshop (January 16-18, 2019). WBWF and Achievement and Integration Community Stakeholder Report 6:00 P.M. January 22nd, Media Center-Arlington Campus. Organizational Meeting set for Tuesday, January 22, 2019 @ 6:30 P.M. Media Center- Arlington Campus

**ADJOURNMENT:** Motion by Member Weber, second by Member Woehler, to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved by unanimous vote. The meeting was adjourned at 7:36 p.m  
Brian Brandt- Chair  
Missy Weber-Clerk

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Sunday, January 27: 8:15 a.m. Sunday school. 9:30 Worship service. 10:30 a.m. Voters' meeting. 10:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Annual Soup and Sandwich Luncheon.  
Wednesday, January 30: 3:45 p.m. Confirmation class.

**ZION LUTHERAN**  
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**814 W. Brooks St.**  
**Arlington (507) 964-5454**  
*Deborah Dawson, Pastor*  
Sunday, January 27: 9:00 a.m. Worship. 10:00 a.m. Fellowship and Sunday School.  
Tuesday, January 29: 5:00 p.m. MN Valley WELCA Conference Officer's meeting. 6:00 p.m. TOPS.  
Wednesday, January 30: 4-6:16 p.m. Confirmation Classes. 7:00 p.m. Board of Stewardship.  
Thursday, January 31: 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Zion on Cable.

**CREEKSIDE**  
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**Christian & Missionary Alliance**  
*Interim Pastor Dean Erickson*  
**114 Shamrock Drive**  
**Arlington – 507-964-2872**  
*email: creeksidecma@gmail.com*  
Sunday, January 27: 9:30 a.m. Adult Bible study. 10:30 a.m. Worship service and nursery, up to 4 years old, and Children's Church ages 5 through 5th grade. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**  
**7th Ave. N.W., Arlington**  
**(763) 370-0011**  
*Pastor Gene Yokum*  
**507-234-6770**  
Saturday: Church services at 9:30 a.m. Bible study at 11:00 a.m. Fellowship dinner at 12:00 p.m. All are welcome.

**UNITED METHODIST**  
**Arlington**  
*Eli Somers, Pastor*  
*www.arlingtonunitedmethodist.org*  
Saturday, January 26: 10:00 a.m. Women's Bible study.  
Sunday, January 27: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:00 a.m. Coffee. 10:30 a.m. Worship.  
Wednesday, January 30: 7:00 p.m. Choir.

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*www.stpaularlington.com*  
*e-mail: church@stpaularlington.co*  
Sunday, January 27: 8:45 a.m. Sunday school. 9:00 a.m. Family Bible study. 10:00 a.m. Worship with Communion. Annual Meet-

ing after church.  
Monday, January 28: 9:00 a.m. Food Shelf deliveries.  
Tuesday, January 29: 9:00 a.m. Counting Committee.  
Wednesday, January 30: 2:00 p.m. Bible study. 3:45 p.m. Confirmation Class. 7:00 p.m. Choir practice.  
Thursday, January 31: 10:00 a.m. Bulletin info due. 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Service on cable TV channel 8.

**GAYLORD ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
**Gaylord**  
*Bob Holmbeck, Pastor*  
Sunday, January 27: 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:00 a.m. Worship service. Last Sunday Pot Blessing noon fellowship meal.  
Wednesday, January 30: 6:30 p.m. Wednesday evening supper, Bible classes and Youth Focused.

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Sunday, January 27: 8:30 a.m. Sunday School and adult Bible study. 9:30 a.m. Worship service.  
Wednesday, January 30: 6:30-8:00 p.m. Catechism class.

**ST. MARY, MICHAEL AND BRENDAN AREA FAITH COMMUNITY**  
*Fr. Aaron Johanneck, Parochial Administrator*  
Friday, January 25: 8:00 a.m. Mass (Mar). 5:00 p.m. Mass (Bre).  
Saturday, January 26: 4:00-4:45 p.m. Confessions (Bre). 5:00 p.m. Mass (Bre).  
Sunday, January 27: 7:30-7:45 a.m. Confessions (Mic). 8:00 a.m. Mass (Mic). 10:00 a.m. Mass (Mar).  
Monday, January 28: 8:30 a.m. Mass (Bre). 8:00 p.m. AA and Al-Anon (Mar).  
Tuesday, January 29: 8:00 a.m. Mass (Mar). 8:30 a.m. Mass (Bre). 3:30 p.m. Word and Communion (Arlington Good Samaritan).  
Wednesday, January 30: 8:00 a.m. Mass (Mar). 9:30 a.m. Word and Communion (Oak Terrace). 6:30-7:30 p.m. AFC Religious Education.  
Thursday, January 31: 8:00 a.m. Mass (Mic). 8:30 a.m. Mass (Bre). 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (Mic).

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**  
**32234 431st Ave., Gaylord**  
*Pastor Scott Richards*  
Sunday, January 27: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. Worship.

**St. John's LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod)**  
**38597 Highway 19**  
**Arlington Township**  
**Phone 507-964-2400**  
*Pastor Gary L. Ruckman*  
*stjohnsarlingtonmn.org*  
Sunday, January 27: 9:00 a.m.

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*Gary Wilkinson, Pastor*  
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Saturday, January 26: 6:00 a.m. Men's Bible study at Hahn's.  
Sunday, January 27: 8:00 a.m. Give Ourselves to Prayer. 9:30 a.m. Worship service. 11:00 a.m. Sunday school. 12:00 p.m. Annual meeting.  
Wednesday, January 30: 9:00 a.m. Ladies prayer meeting. 4:30 p.m. Confirmation. 6:00 p.m. AWANA.  
Thursday, January 31: 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible study. 6:30 p.m. Men's Bible study-Pieks.

**ORATORY OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE**  
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*Pastor Eric W. Rapp*  
Friday, January 25: 10:00 a.m. Deadline for Sunday bulletin and monthly calendar.  
Sunday, January 27: 8:00 a.m. Bible study. 9:00 a.m. Worship with Communion. 10:00 a.m. Sunday School.  
Tuesday, January 29: 9:00 a.m. Mayer Chapel. 10:00 a.m.-noon Pastor at Zion.  
Wednesday, January 30: 6:30 p.m. Wednesday night school & Confirmation.  
Thursday, January 31: 3:00 p.m. Good Samaritan Service in Waconia.

**ZION LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod)**  
**Green Isle Township**  
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*Pastor Eric W. Rapp*  
Friday, January 25: 10:00 a.m. Deadline for Sunday bulletin and Calendar information.  
Sunday, January 27: 10:30 a.m. Worship.  
Tuesday, January 29: 9:00 a.m. Mayer Chapel. 10:00 a.m.-noon Pastor at Zion.  
Wednesday, January 30: 6:30 p.m. Wednesday night school & Confirmation.  
Thursday, January 31: 3:00 p.m. Good Samaritan Service in Waconia.

# Menus

**SENIOR DINING**  
**Call 326-3401 for a meal**  
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*Meals are served at Highland Commons dining room*  
*Monday-Friday*  
Monday: Chili, pineapple, cheese sandwich, crackers, margarine, sherbet, low fat milk.  
Tuesday: Chicken Chow Mein, rice, chow mein noodles, Oriental vegetables, mandarin oranges, brownie, low fat milk.  
Wednesday: Egg bake with sausage, oven baked potatoes, fruit cocktail, muffin, margarine, low fat milk.  
Thursday: Meatballs with gravy, whole potatoes, squash, bread, margarine, pears, low fat milk.  
Friday: Ham, boiled potatoes, cabbage, cornbread, margarine, peaches, low fat milk.

**SIBLEY EAST BREAKFAST MENU**  
**Elementary & MS/HS**  
**Jan. 28-Feb. 1**  
*Breakfast is served daily. A 1/2 pint of milk is served with each meal daily.*  
*Menu is subject to change.*  
Monday: Breakfast turkey sausage pizza, string cheese or Golden Graham cereal, fruit, juice, milk.  
Tuesday: Cinni Mini French toast bites or Strawberry banana Trix yoplait, blueberry muffin, fruit, juice, milk.  
Wednesday: Pancakes, turkey sausage patty or Cocoa Puffs cereal, fruit, juice, milk.  
Thursday: Blueberry bash waffles, hard boiled egg or double chocolate chip muffin, fruit, juice, milk.  
Friday: Skewered turkey sausage pancake or Mini cinnis, fruit, juice, milk.

**SIBLEY EAST SCHOOL Elementary MENU**  
**Jan 28-Feb. 1**  
*A 1/2 pint of milk and an enriched grain product is served with each meal. Additional milk is available for additional charge. Menu is subject to change.*  
Monday: Seasoned beef taco meat, Mexican rice, tortilla chips, Mexican style refried beans, shredded cheddar cheese or Three cheese pretzel sandwich; seasoned corn, sliced cucumbers, fruit and milk.  
Tuesday: Crispy chicken patty sandwich or Cereal Fun Lunch, steamed broccoli, red bell pepper strips, fruit, milk.  
Wednesday: Italian Meat spaghetti sauce, shredded Mozzarella cheese, hot dog bun or Turkey and cheese sandwich; savory green beans, fresh celery sticks, fruit, milk.  
Thursday: Sliced deli ham, American cheese, WG hamburger bun or Strawberry Parfait with granola; seasoned peas, fresh carrots, fruit, milk.  
Friday: Tater Tot casserole, dinner roll, brown rice, or Ham and American cheese sandwich; baked beans, fresh carrots, fruit, milk.

**SIBLEY EAST SCHOOL MS/HS Lunch Menu**  
**Jan. 28-Feb. 1**  
*A 1/2 pint of milk and an enriched grain product is served with each meal. Additional milk is available for additional charge. Menu is subject to change.*  
Monday: The perfect sloppy joe or Cheese or Classic pepperoni pizza or Grill station or Deli station; baked beans, fresh carrots, romaine lettuce, fruit, milk.  
Tuesday: Seasoned beef taco meat, soft flour tortilla, Mexican style refried beans, creamy cheddar cheese sauce, brown rice or Cheese or Italian sausage pizza or Grill station or Deli station; corn, sliced cucumbers, romaine lettuce, fruit, milk.  
Wednesday: Turkey hot dog, sweet relish, sauerkraut, fresh diced red onion or Cheese or Chicken parmesan pizza, or Grill station or Deli station; seasoned carrots, fresh broccoli florets, red bell pepper strips, romaine lettuce, fruit, milk.  
Thursday: Dutch chicken pot pie, fresh baked WG biscuit or Cheese or Italian sausage pizza or Grill station or Deli station; seasoned peas, celery sticks, romaine lettuce, fruit, milk.  
Friday: Cheese stuffed breadsticks, marinara sauce or Cheese or Pepperoni pizza or Grill station or Deli station; savory green beans, sliced cucumbers, fresh carrots, romaine lettuce, fruit, milk.

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James 1:5 NIV



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## 100 Years Ago

January 23, 1919  
Louis Kill, Editor

Excitement ran high in the village last Thursday morning when it was discovered that burglars had entered the store of the Arlington Mercantile Company some time during the night before and stole a considerable amount of silks, fur lined coats, sweaters and other merchandise. The total value of the goods taken amounts to close to \$500. The thieves are still at large and are believed to belong to a band who are systematically carrying on their work throughout the northwest.

Sunday was an ideal spring day, if one could call it that, the sun shone brightly and melted the snow rapidly. Overcoats and outer wraps had a day off.

## 80 Years Ago

January 26, 1939  
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Little William Barge, son of Mrs. Dorothy Barge of this city, had the misfortune Monday evening to break his right leg in a fall with a bicycle at the municipal skating rink. Just how the accident happened is not clear to us, but we understand William attempted to ride another boy's bike, either on the rink or an icy spot nearby, when the wheel slipped out from beneath him and he crashed down, breaking the limb just below the hip. The break is in spiral form and very serious.

## 60 Years Ago

January 22, 1959

Val C. Kill, Editor

Two Arlington businesses, the Lido Cafe on Main Street and the Armstrong Drive-In on Highway 5 changed hands this week. The Lido Cafe, which has been owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. James Morresette for the past four years, was sold to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Luepke. Luepke said that he hopes to do catering work for weddings. He stated that he has had considerable experience preparing food for large dinners. The new owners took over on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Telthoester took over the opera-

tion of the Armstrong Drive-In Saturday afternoon. They purchased the business from Melvin Armstrong who owned and operated it for the past several years. Mr. Telthoester said they plan to change the name of their business to "Sunset Drive-Inn."

The Arlington Baseball Club voted unanimously to form a new corporation to be known as the Arlington Baseball Club, Inc. This action was deemed necessary due to the fact that if any player or fan was injured and a lawsuit developed, no individual in the organization could be held responsible. Arlington was one of the few remaining baseball organizations in the state that was not incorporated.

## 40 Years Ago

January 24, 1979

Val C. Kill, Editor

Four to five inches of snow, reduced visibility, and bad driving conditions caused schools in this area to close on Monday about 1 p.m. Schools in Arlington and Green Isle also started one hour late Tuesday morning.

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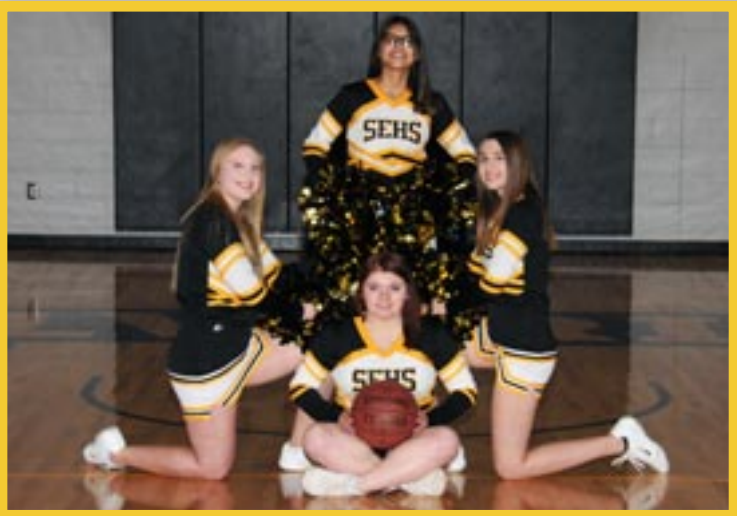
### Varsity Wrestling

First Row: (left to right) Jack Thompson, Miguel Mares, Colton Harens, Mario Hernandez, Maritza Hernandez, Lincoln Carpenter and Eli Arrazola. Second Row: (l to r) Bryce Klancke, Wyatt Taylor, Jacob Hernandez, Ben Quast, Caleb Sharpe, Derek Steele and Chris Onfre. Third Row: (l to r) Saul Hernandez, Jathen Mendoza, Aaron Elseth, Jasem Al-Sattam, Mario Mendoza and Fernando Chapa. Fourth Row: (l to r) Draydon Morton, Dalton Moos, Omar Martinez, Jonathon Mares, Gio Govea, Josh Sotelo and Tony Farias. Fifth Row: (l to r) Logan Steele, manager Olivia Figueroa, manager Shelby Anderson, manager Isabel Figueroa, manager Morgan Hagenmiller, manager Ava Peters, manager Lorraine Battcher and Riley Drexler. Sixth Row: (l to r) Assistant coaches Donovan Steele, Dan Morton, Derek Hahn, Sean Drexler and head coach Chris Koob.



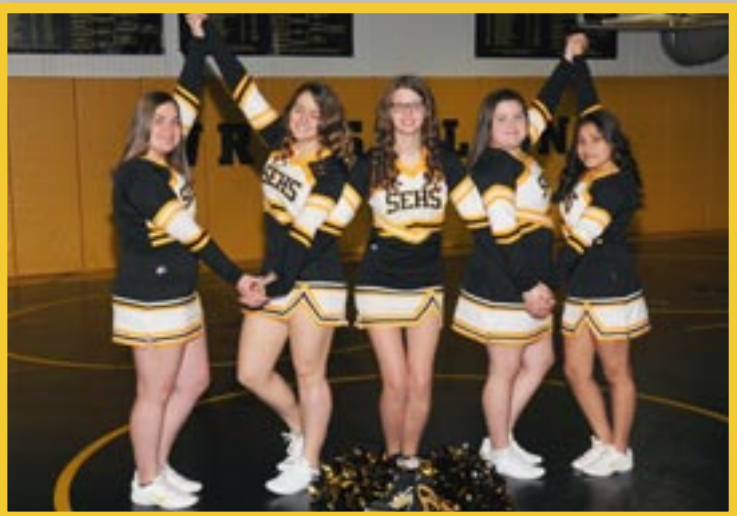
### Boys Varsity Basketball

Front Row: (left to right) Caleb Dose, Jovani Ramos, Ty Knacke, Kameron In, Travis Andrews and Brandon Donaldson. Middle Row: (l to r) Ryan Wolverton, Austin Snyder, Jens Lundstrom, Lucas Tesch and Aaron Deis. Back Row: (l to r) Assistant coach Brody Rodning, Lucas Dose, Aaron Flieth, Tony Bullert, JaBez Bates and head coach Dan Meier. Missing from the photo is assistant coach Chip Wolverton.



### Basketball Cheerleaders

Front Row: Willow Schmidt. Middle Row: (l to r) Madeline Jensen and Shaylee Exsted. Back Row: Brandy Welch.



### Wrestling Cheerleaders

Left to right: Olivia Otto, Faith Otto, Cassidy Martin, Isabelle Kamps and Yaile Delgado-Alvizo.



### Girls Varsity Basketball

Front Row: (left to right) Manager Maddi Krentz, Audrey Parrott, Megan Weber, Allie Klehr and manager Hannah Ebert. Middle Row: (l to r) Gabbi Bates, Lexi Stock, Bianca Mendez, McKenzie Latzke, Jaden Kmetz and Rachel Widmer. Back Row: (l to r) Assistant coach Pat Nienaber, Ellie Harens, Libby Bartels, Rachel Rettman, Lily Beneke, Maddi Tuchenhagen and head coach Ryan Kahle. Missing from the photo is Mariah Kranz.

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