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New City Logo

Kim Bade, rural Arlington, is the winner of the City of Arlington Logo Contest. The Arlington City Council recently selected her logo from three finalists. Bade will receive \$50 for her

winning entry and have her photo taken at the Arlington City Council meeting at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 5.

Sibley East School Board hears update on hallways

By Amy Newsom
Correspondent

At their regular Sibley CEast School Board meeting on Monday night, July 15, Jim Wilson from Wendel Architects and Preston Euerle of RA Morton provided School Board members with an update on hallway 1020 and the hallway 1020 ramp corrections.

Wilson reported that Evenson Concrete Systems and their sub-contractor CCU came back and ground hallway 1060 which was reviewed by Superintendent Jim Amsden and Wilson. They found that it was now compliant and accepted it.

Euerle reported that unfortunately Evenson and CCU mobilized off-site before finishing the hallway 1020 ramp. Euerle said he spoke with Evenson during the day and that they were meeting with another grinding company who may be able to grind that hallway if CCU is unable to return and finish it. Euerle assured School Board members that Evenson would bring in someone to finish the hallway 1020 ramp before school begins.

School Board member Avery Grochow praised the workers from CCU. He stated that the “young men did an excellent job in 1060.” He stated that the “exposed stuff looks nice” and that it was like night and day difference.

Euerle speculated that CCU

may have had another job to get done or maybe they were concerned that they would not be able to get the same results in 1020. He also stated that it took two weeks to grind 1060 which was longer than they had anticipated.

Euerle told School Board members that they still had the option to replace the concrete in 1020 if it does not turn out like they expected, but assured School Board members that they would get it done before school starts.

Accepts Quotes

School Board members accepted quotes from Gaylord Sanitation for refuse collection at both the Arlington and Gaylord sites. Gaylord Sanitation was the only quote for both sites, but Business Manager Janna Tessmer stated that Gaylord Sanitation has kept their quotes at the same amount for the past several years.

Contract

The School Board reviewed quotes for gasoline and diesel fuel from three companies, United Farmers Coop (UFC), Central Farm Supply (CFS), and On Time Petroleum.

Amsden told School Board members that the three quotes were not the same because CFS provided a quote for a contracted amount that would remain the same the whole year, while UFC and On Time provided spot quotes. Spot

quotes are based on the price of fuel at the time of the quote but will vary throughout the year.

Amsden stated that CFS out of Mankato does a lot of 4.0 Transportation’s other contracts and would like to change the diesel tank at the Arlington fairgrounds to gasoline. Amsden stated that Sibley East will now have nine buses that run on gasoline and only four on diesel fuel.

School Board member Laura Reid said she would like to support local businesses, but that she would prefer to contract. School Board member Sarah Ziegler looked up the price of diesel fuel and found the market to be very volatile and felt it would be better to contract. Grochow stated that he would prefer to keep gas and diesel from the same company instead of going with one company for gasoline and one for diesel.

Amsden stated that next year, when getting bids, he will request that all companies follow the same process and either all do spot quotes or all quote contracts.

For additional School Board news, please refer to News Briefs on page 2 in this week’s edition of the Arlington Enterprise.

The Sibley East School Board will hold its next regular meeting in the Media Center at the Arlington school site at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 19, according to Amsden.

Jim Heiland resigns from the Arlington City Council

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Arlington City Council, during its regular meeting on Monday night, July 15, unanimously approved a motion to accept a letter of resignation from City Council member Jim Heiland.

His resignation will be effective after the regular meeting on Monday night, Aug. 19.

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

“It’s been a very difficult process,” said Heiland, who has purchased a house in Bloomington. “As much as I love Arlington and its people, I find it necessary to move closer to the VA Hospital in Minneapolis.”

Heiland continued, “It’s been an experience of a lifetime and I really enjoyed working with council members, city administrators, city attorney, city staff, our police chief and officers, fire chief and all the firefighters. I can’t forget the EMTs and first responders. The city maintenance has come a long way and we are very fortunate to have them.”

Heiland added, “And I can’t forget the residents of Arlington who had the confidence to elect me to a second term. I’m not leaving forever yet, plan to be around while I can.”

Heiland was first elected to a four-year term on the City Council during the fall of

2014. He was re-elected to another four-term on the City Council last term. Once his resignation becomes effective, there will be a little less than 3 1/2 years left on his term.

Filling Vacancy

The City Council, later in the meeting, held discussion on the process to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Heiland.

City Attorney Ross Arneson basically said the City Council has two options.

First, the City Council can look back at the last election and select the next highest vote getter.

Second, the City Council can advertise for the open position and have interested residents submit applications for appointment.

Hatlestad, Battcher and Jaszewski all agreed that the application process is the best way to proceed.

Cowell added that the entire City Council should interview the candidates.

The City Council used the application process when John Griep resigned during September of 2009 and Richard “Dick” Nieland resigned during November of 2002.

Interested people who would like to be considered as a candidate are encouraged to submit a letter of interest on why they would like to serve on the Arlington City Council along with a resume to the City Administrator, 204 Shamrock Drive, Arlington,

MN 55307. The deadline is 4 p.m. Wednesday, July 31.

The City Council has tentatively scheduled interviews for the vacant position for the late afternoon/evening of Monday, Aug. 5.

WAC & SAC

The City Council unanimously approved a motion to approve a request from Leah Schrupp to consider WAC & SAC waiver for her purchase of a lot on High Island Circle.

The Arlington Economic Development Authority (EDA) established this incentive last year in an effort to jumpstart housing in Arlington.

The EDA initially had enough funds to cover three WAC & SAC waivers which were granted last year. The authorization has since been transferred to the City Council who considers each request on a case by case basis.

Other Business

- The City Council unanimously approved a motion to table bids for concrete work at the substation northeast of Arlington along Highway 5. The City Council, which received two bids, wants to seek additional information on the two bids.

- Ben Winchester will present “Moving In, Moving Out, Moving Over,” at the Arlington Community Center from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 7.

- The City Council will hold its next meeting at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 5.

Residents upset over sewage in basements during recent storm

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Arlington City Council, during its regular meeting on Monday night, July 15, heard from residents upset over sewage in their basements during a recent storm.

Mike Scharping, who owns NAPA, reported that his business has had raw sewage come up in the basement for the third time in the last couple years. The flooding, he said, damages the inventory which is stored in his basement.

Scharping said he paid his assessment for the 2015 Street & Utility Improvement Project and the flooding “has gotten worse” since the completion of the project.

Scharping added that the flooding is not a sump pump issue. The flooding starts shortly after a heavy rain begins.

City Council member Adam Cowell said his basement also flooded just about one block away.

Bob Thomes also shared his frustration. Thomes has owned his house along the 200 block of East Baker Street for 30 years, but experienced no flooding during the first 25 years. Water and sewage has come up through the floor drains and flooded his basement twice in the last five years. Thomes said someone has to be held responsible

for this flooding issue. The issue, he said, has to be resolved.

Thomes also complained that the dumpsters arrived too late in the parking lot at the Community Center. He added that residents who experience flooding issues need dumpsters immediately after they begin the clean up process.

City Council member Tom Hatlestad stressed that the city needs to find the problem and resolve the issue.

City Administrator Pat Melvin reported that city officials will continue to meet with officials from People Service, Bolton & Menk and other entities to identify the problem.

Business would like to purchase 22-acre lot in Arlington

By Kurt Menk
Editor

Hemp Heaven LLC, an established agricultural business comprised of fourth generation farmers in Wausau, Wis., has proposed to purchase an approximate 22-acre lot from the City of Arlington based on the Commercial Building and Lots Policy. The property is located south of Northland Drying.

Hemp Heaven, according to owner Derrick Bushman,

wishes to expand its capabilities into the industrial processing and extraction of hemp for CBD. Bushman is an owner and current board member of Northland Drying LLC.

The current production of hemp not only in Hemp Heaven, but other regional farms will require technology and expertise currently utilized at the Northland Drying facility. In addition, the existing infrastructure and utilities that are currently underutilized at the

Northland Drying facility are a good fit for meeting the timelines required for this planned development, according to Bushman.

The current proposal is for the construction and operation for a combination of the following:

1. Establishment of large year round greenhouse operations
2. Establishment of cloning and hybridization laboratories.
3. Installation of large scale

extraction and refining equipment

4. Use of rail for both loading and unloading regional (or national) biomass

5. Establishment of cultivar and planting test plots for industry analysis

Hemp Heaven currently employs 25 full-time equivalent jobs just to perform items one and two from the previous list. In a joint venture between Northland Drying and Hemp Heaven, the anticipated em-

ployee growth would likely exceed 30 full-time equivalent jobs within the first calendar year. These jobs would be a combination of skilled and unskilled labor along with management, office, engineering and scientific researchers. A portion of the labor would be seasonal. However, the intent would be for 24/7/365 operation of grow, extraction and scientific process. The lowest paying position would be \$15 per hour while the highest

paying position would be a salary of \$70,000 a year.

Bushman made his presentation to the Arlington EDA during a recent meeting

After the presentation, the EDA made a recommendation to the Arlington City Council to approve the proposal.

The City Council is expected to act upon the recommendation at its next regular meeting at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 5.

News Briefs

Summer Music in the Park

A Summer Music in the Park event will be held in Memorial Park at 7 p.m. Sunday, July 21. The event is free and open to everyone.

People are encouraged to attend and hear and sing with their friends and neighbors. Light refreshments will be served. People are encouraged to bring a lawn chair.

Canned/dry/cash donations for the Sibley County Food Shelf are welcome.

The event is sponsored by the Ecumenical Churches of Arlington and Thrivent Financial.

SE Board approves hires

The Sibley East School Board, during its regular monthly meeting in Arlington on Monday evening, July 15, unanimously approved a motion to approve several new hires.

The new hires include Adam Tyhurst, high school math (MA+40) Step 10, \$57,128, and head boys basketball coach, Step 1 \$4,461; Kevin Elton, high school math (MA+40) Step 10, \$57,128, eighth grade football coach, Step 1, \$2,490, and seventh grade boys basketball coach, Step 1, \$2,490; and Tricia Westphal, one-year technology, (MA) Step 8, \$49,161.

Accident on Tuesday, July 16

A one-vehicle accident reportedly occurred on County Road 13 near the Sibley/McLeod County border at 8:10 p.m. Tuesday, July 16, according to the Sibley County Sheriff's Department.

The vehicle was driven by Alexis Medrano, 18, Glencoe, according to the report. Medrano lost control of the vehicle due to a mechanical issue. There were no reported injuries at the scene. The vehicle sustained moderate damage.

Enterprise seeking news

The *Arlington Enterprise* always welcomes birth announcements, college news, engagement pictures and wedding pictures.

People can e-mail their news and pictures to kurtm@arlingtonmnnews.com.

SE Board accepts donations

The Sibley East School Board, during its regular monthly meeting in Arlington on Monday night, July 15, unanimously approved a motion and accepted two donations.

They included \$500 from the Arlington Lions Club for the trap team and \$100 from the Arlington American Legion Post #250 for the band.

Arlington Conquerors meet

The Arlington Conquerors held their monthly meeting at the Arlington Haus on July 7, 2019.

The club discussed the Sibley County Fair and the deadlines, watering schedule for the club flowers, Awards Night, fundraisers, and the banner and scrapbook for the fair. The club enjoyed pizza together. After the meeting, the members joined each other and pulled weeds at the Sibley County Fairgrounds.

The Arlington Conquerors will hold their next meeting at the Lions Center in Arlington at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 11.

People who have any questions about the club or meetings, please contact any member of the Arlington Conquerors 4H club or attend the next meeting.

SE Board accepts resignation

The Sibley East School Board, during its regular monthly meeting in Arlington on Monday night, July 15, unanimously approved a motion to accept the resignation of sixth grade teacher Ann Eckberg for purposes of retirement.

Weber is a college graduate

Sibley East graduate Zachary Weber graduated Magna Cum Laude from the University of Wisconsin at River Falls during recent commencement exercises.

Weber received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mathematics.

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

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Story Hour is extended

Story Hour in Arlington is being extended into next week. Story Hour will be held at the Arlington Public Library from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Monday, July 22 and Wednesday, July 24.



Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

Storm Damage In Arlington

Strong winds and heavy rain again caused some damage in Arlington on Friday afternoon, July 12. This huge branch snapped from a tree in St. Paul's Lutheran Church Cemetery

and fell onto the street. Arlington Maintenance Supervisor Kirby Weckworth used the city payloador to clear the branch from the road.

Fire breaks out at Altona Colony near Henderson

A fire broke out in the attic of the utility building at Altona Colony, located about three miles outside of Henderson, at about 8 p.m. Monday, July 15, according to an article in the Henderson Independent.

According to Mark Wollman, secretary-treasurer at Altona Colony, the blaze originated in the muffler in the

attic.

The community, which consists of approximately 120 Hutterites, originally tried to put the fire out using their own tanker while they were waiting for emergency personnel to arrive.

The Henderson Fire Department responded to the scene first. The Arlington Fire Department arrived about 10

minutes later.

The fire quickly spread, and by the time the fire was extinguished, the roof had collapsed.

Wollman reported that nobody was in the building at the time of the blaze, although they did attempt to remove some of the materials in the building before the decision was made to clear everyone

out, Wollman said.

The building was used to house the colony's phone switch, water softener and electrical generator and supplies, Wollman said.

With the destruction of the building, the entire colony is without power, Wollman said, and they have to wait for the utility company to come out.

MnDOT shares good and bad news on Highway 14/15 New Ulm project

Work continues on the New Ulm Gateway (Highway 14/15) project that is in its second year, but construction crews struggle on the new river bridge as the Minnesota River remains high enough to prevent work in the river.

However, the new interchange at Highway 14/15 is progressing well and will likely be completed ahead of schedule.

Construction on the Minnesota River Bridge experienced delays in 2018 due to

high river levels and in 2019 progress halted in March. The access road is presently about five feet under water and the barge cannot be secured at current river levels.

"We need the Minnesota River to fall to 795 feet to resume bridge work," according to Todd Kjolstad, MnDOT construction supervisor. "We don't see that level in the current forecast, but hope it is before the end of July so that we can complete the bridge this

year."

The early completion of the Highway 14/15 interchange, which could be in mid to late August, will alleviate motorists using the current lengthy detour. Much of the concrete work is done, the bridge is near completion and asphalt paving should take place soon.

For now, traffic continues to be detoured to Nicollet County Road 5 (Fort Road) and Nicollet County Road 12 and

Nicollet County Road 21 between Nicollet and Courtland.

The Highway 14/15 New Ulm Gateway project addresses intersection safety, aging bridges, poor pavement conditions and occasional road flooding around New Ulm. Construction began in 2017, with the majority of the work and detours taking place in 2018 and 2019.

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Due to the recent resignation of Jim Heiland, the Arlington City Council is seeking qualified candidates to fill the open City Councilmember position. The City Council is looking for an individual to fill the remaining term starting August 20, 2019 and expiring December 31, 2022.

Those interested should submit a "Letter of Interest" on why you would like to serve on the City Council along with a Resume to the City Administrator, 204 Shamrock Drive, Arlington, MN 55307 by 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 31, 2019. To be eligible, an individual must be a United States citizen, a resident of the City of Arlington, and at least 18 years old. The City Council has tentatively scheduled interviews for the vacant position for the late afternoon/evening of Monday, August 5, 2019.


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People's Choice

The Mad Meat team won the People's Choice award in the Crow River Ribfest Contest in Winthrop on Saturday afternoon, July 13. The

event was held in conjunction with Farm City Fun Fest. Left to right: Austin Frauendienst, Mitch Wentzlaff and Camern Mogard.

Applications being accepted for Leading Sibley Together

By Kurt Menk
Editor

Sibley County Community Development is now accepting applications for the 2019-2020 Leading Sibley Together program. This county-wide leadership program offers community members an opportunity to network, develop leadership skills, and gain an increased awareness and understanding of the assets of

Sibley County. The results are more skilled individuals, increased networks, and stronger links between communities to address local issues.

Each class is comprised of a maximum of 24 participants who either live or work in Sibley County. Participants can be either current or emerging leaders with an interest in the future of our

county. Applications are available on the Sibley County website and are due by August 9. Selected participants will be notified in mid-August.

Questions about Leading Sibley Together should be directed to Community Development Program Manager Amy Newsom at 507-237-4117 or AmyN@co.sibley.mn.us.

Elysian man arrested for property damage and theft in Sibley County

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Sibley County Sheriff's Department, during early July, executed a search warrant at 48863 221st Avenue, Elysian, according to a news release. The Le Sueur County Sheriff's Department assisted in the execution of the search

warrant.

Trevor R. Haack, 33, was arrested at the residence and taken into custody at the Le Sueur County Jail, according to the report. Sibley County filed felony first degree property damage and misdemeanor theft charges against Haack in connection with the

theft and property damage that occurred at the Cemstone Company mining site in Sibley County on June 10.

During the incident, Cemstone Company suffered approximately \$15,000 to \$17,000 in damage and losses.

Educators in Gaylord are getting S.M.A.R.T.

Early childhood educators from southern Minnesota are quickly enrolling in a unique, interactive three-day workshop called S.M.A.R.T. These fun and interactive workshops will have participants learning about a child's brain development, and how physical movement and activities stimulate and enhance learning in the classroom.

The workshop, designed for educators working with K-3 students, will be held at the Sibley East Elementary School in Gaylord from Tuesday, July 23 through Thursday, July 25.

S.M.A.R.T. - Stimulating Maturity through Accelerated Readiness Training - is an innovative, school readiness program that inspires educators to teach with a developmental perspective. S.M.A.R.T. is currently used in approximately 300 pre-K, kindergarten and elementary classrooms throughout Minnesota, as well as 12 other

states across the nation. The program was created by the Minnesota Learning Resource Center (MLRC), a nationally recognized teacher-training institute affiliated with a Minnesota-based non-profit organization called A Chance To Grow, which offers comprehensive brain-centered programs and services.

The workshop is funded by grants from the Southern Minnesota Initiative Foundation (SMIF) and the Otto Bremer Foundation specifically for early childhood education sites within Minnesota's southern region.

"The key to the S.M.A.R.T. program's continued success in our region is two-fold," says Rae Jean Hansen, VP of early childhood initiatives at SMIF. "Schools using the program see immediate benefits to the children in their classrooms, and educators benefit from the program because it offers them on-going

training and mentoring."

According to MLRC data, classrooms that participate in S.M.A.R.T. have higher attention and participation levels, are more motivated to learn and show higher academic achievement. The underlying factor is specific brain stimulation produced by purposeful movements, which leads to the development of a child's motor skills that ultimately fosters learning.

"Participants will walk away from the experience with a new perspective on teaching. They will understand S.M.A.R.T. is not what they teach but HOW they teach children," said Cheryl Smythe, Director of the MLRC at A Chance To Grow.

For more information on the Minnesota Learning Resource Center, including our upcoming schedule of S.M.A.R.T. workshops, we invite you to visit our website at www.ACTG.org.



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Opinions

St. Louis Park City Council votes to reinstate the Pledge of Allegiance

Our View: It is the right thing to do

The St. Louis Park City Council, during a meeting in mid June, voted to do away with the Pledge of Allegiance at most meetings. The move was made in an effort to be more inclusive to new residents and non-citizens.

The move angered many residents in St. Louis Park and drew national criticism. Even President Donald Trump weighed in on the issue.

The City Council, after 100 protesters packed the Council Chambers on Monday night, July 15, finally came to their senses and unanimously voted to reinstate the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Pledge of Allegiance is often taken for granted until it is taken away. It is a mark of loyalty and patriotism towards the flag of America. It was written by Francis Bellamy who was a Baptist minister and active social activist during August 1892. The year 1892 was the 400th anniversary celebration of Christopher Columbus' discovery of America.

By reciting the Pledge of Allegiance, every American promises to be true to the United States of America. The freedom available will not be taken for granted and each American will remember the countless men, women and children who have given their lives through the centuries, so that they can live peacefully today.

It's hard to believe that any American could oppose reciting the Pledge of Allegiance, but that is the radical country that we live in today. A big shout out to the protesters who packed the Council Chambers in St. Louis Park and had their voices heard.

-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.

July 20 Dorothy Brockhoff, Samuel Bullert, Ryan Conway, Soren Hennies, Bethany Schlueter, Matthew Sunvold and Jill Uecker.

July 21 Deborah Dawson, Megan Schoenbauer, Craig Dose, Whitney Husfeldt, Anthony Malarz, Brianna Santillana, Megan Utendorfer, Lisa Wendinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Ryan McCarthy.

July 22 William Arabian and Nicholas Haupt.

July 23 Kevin Boblitt, Wayne Kube, Jr., Dana Pautsch, Brian Thies, Lynn Vos, Jamie Weckworth, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Trocke.

July 24 In Memory Of Arden Kreft, Dana Mesenbring, Mary Seeman and Vicki Stock.

July 25 Bjorn Burnevik, Christopher Gieseke, Melinda Haupt, Teresa Kleist, Jeff Otto, Matthew Pichelmann, Damon Traxler, Josilyn Wibstad, Lyla Erickson, and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Arneson.

July 26 John Davies, Gregg Borchert, Evan Schlueter, Parker Pflanz, and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Thomes.

Morris Schwartz was on his deathbed. He knew the end was near. He was with his nurse, his wife, his daughter and two sons. So he said the following to them.

"Bernie, I want you to take the Beverly Hills houses. Sybil, take the apartments over in Los Angeles Plaza. Hymie, I want you to take the offices over in City Center. And Sarah, my dear wife, please take all the residential buildings downtown."

The nurse was just blown away by all this, and as Morris slipped away, she said, "Mrs. Schwartz, your husband must have been such a hard-working man to have accumulated all this property."

"Property?" Sarah replied. "The schmuck had a paper

route!"

Father William, the old priest, made it a practice to visit the parish school one day a week. He walked into the fourth grade class, where the children were studying the states, and asked them how many states they could name. They came up with about 40 names.

Father William jokingly told them that in his day students knew the names of all the states.

"Yes, sir, but in those days there were only 13 states," said one lad.

At the end of his course on mathematical methods in optimization, the professor sternly looked at his students and said, "There is one final piece of advice I'm going to give you now. Whatever you have learned in my course - never ever try to apply it to your personal lives!"

"Why?" the students asked.

"Well, some years ago, I observed my wife preparing breakfast, and I noticed that she wasted a lot of time walking back and forth in the kitchen. So, I went to work, optimized the whole procedure, and told my wife about it."

"And what happened?" the students asked.

"Before I applied my expert knowledge, my wife needed about half an hour to prepare breakfast for the two of us," he said. "And now, it takes me less than 15 minutes."

A man walks into a butcher shop and asks the butcher, "Are you a gambling man?"

"Why, yes I am," the butcher replies.

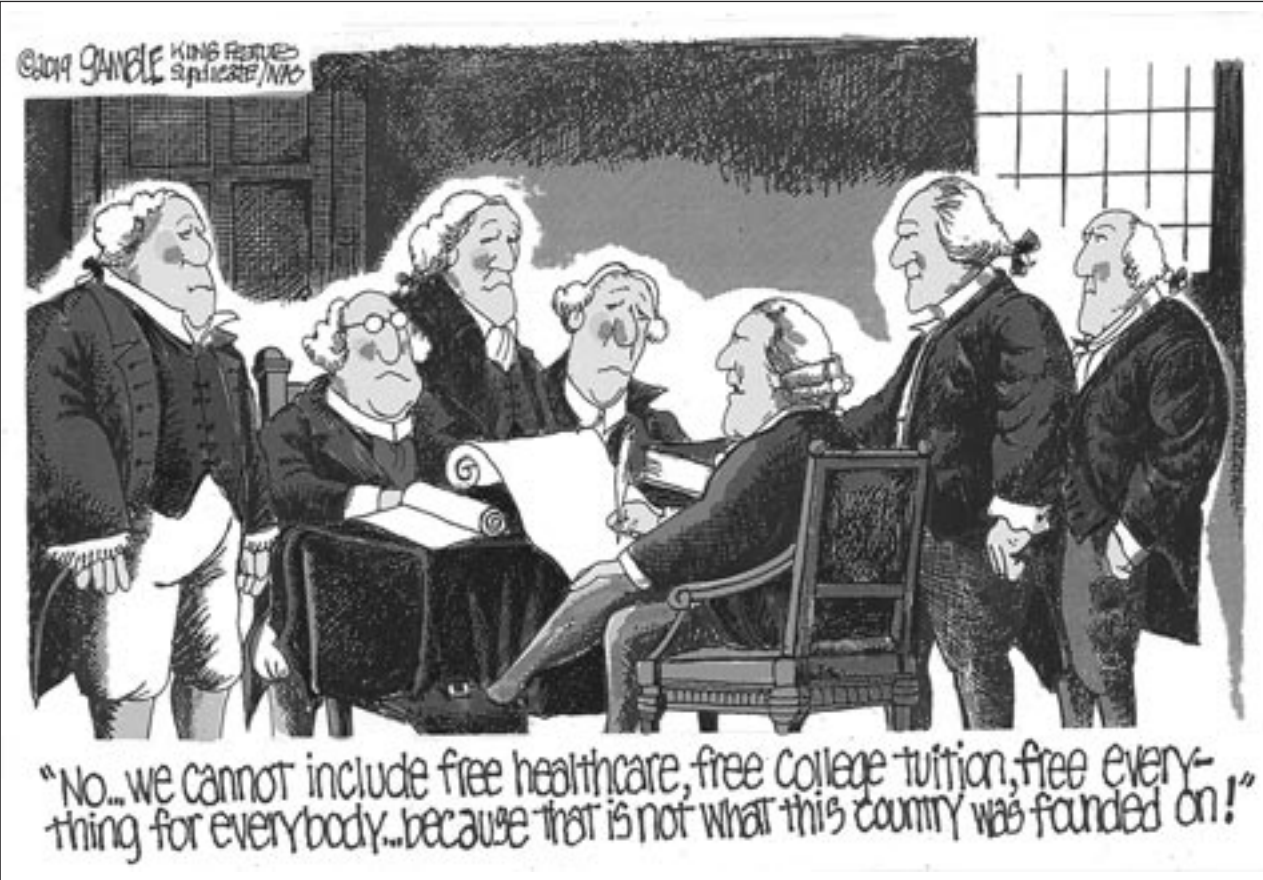
The man says, "I bet you \$50 that you can't reach up and touch that meat hanging on the hooks up there."

The butcher looks up at the meat and responds, "I'm not betting on that."

"But I thought you were a gambling man," the customer retorts.

"Yes, usually I am," the butcher replies, "but the steaks are just too high."

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Letters To The Editor

Thanks for the coverage on Verne Budahn

To The Editor,

The members of the Arlington VFW Arthur Ziegler Post #6031 would like to recognize the Arlington Enterprise and Mr. Kurt Menk for the coverage and history of our airman, Mr. Verne Budahn, upon the return to his community of Arlington after 67 years. It was wonderful to witness the respect that the U.S military honor guard presented of

his service to our country. We also witnessed people carrying flags, grandparents bringing their grandchildren in reverence of this event. Yes, this community does care. You see it by the homes that had a flag in their yard. You see it at our Memorial Park, where so many worked so hard for us to realize why our United States of America, remains a free nation for us all to appreciate

our active duty military personnel and veterans. Thank you to everyone that was involved with this tribute to Airman Verne Budahn. It did not and never shall go unnoticed by any of us. If you see a veteran, say thank you for your service. They deserve our respect.

Members of the Arlington VFW Arthur Auxiliary Post #6031

People depend on insulin to survive

To The Editor,

There was a lot of conversation in St. Paul this year centered on access to insulin for individuals with diabetes. Sadly, last year, a young man from Minnesota passed away in 2017 when he was unable to afford insulin.

Simply put, diabetics should not have to worry about where their next dose of insulin is coming from. These folks depend on insulin to survive.

Just this session, we passed a few bills to improve awareness and access to insulin for low-income individuals.

The special session Health and Human Services (HHS) Omnibus bill, included a provision to improve consumer knowledge of and access to patient assistance programs operated by drug manufacturers.

Many drug manufacturers offer patient assistance programs that provide financial assistance or free medications to low-income individuals. Today, there exists numerous resources online for consumers to see if their medications have assistance programs. Starting August 1, Minnesota will begin offering its own resource for individuals.

The Board of Pharmacy will be tasked with operating the program on its website. Through this portal, a patient will be able to find information about:

1. Patient assistance programs offered by drug manufacturers, including information on how to access the programs
2. The prescription drug assistance program established by the Minnesota Board of Aging
3. Websites through which individuals can access information concerning eligibility for and enrollment in Medicare, medical assistance, MinnesotaCare, and other government-funded programs that help pay for the cost of health care
4. Availability of providers that are authorized to participate in the 340B Drug Pricing Program
5. Having a discussion with the pharmacist or the consumer's health care provider about alternatives to a prescribed drug, including a lower cost or generic drug if the drug prescribed is too costly for the consumer
6. Any other resource that the Board deems useful to individuals who are attempting to purchase prescription drugs at lower costs

This will be a great resource for any individual who is looking for a way to reduce the cost of their health care. It will be especially helpful for those who must take expensive prescription drugs, including insulin.

Additionally, the three major insulin manufacturers each offer their own program to help low-income patients afford medication.

This is just the tip of the iceberg for patient assistance programs. When the Board of Pharmacy has its resource available, it will be a great benefit for patients who struggle to afford their medication.

I am hopeful that we will be able to take additional steps next session to address this problem. Until then, please be sure to take advantage of the resources listed above if you need assistance. You can also reach out to my office if you ever have a question regarding this issue or any other matter related to state government.

I can be reached by phone at 651-296-4229 or via email at rep.glenn.gruenhagen@house.mn.

Glenn Gruenhagen
State Representative
R-Graceland

Boys will be girls and Collin Peterson endorses it

To The Editor,

If you have been watching the news as of late, you have most likely heard that some politicians in Washington want to allow boys who identify themselves as girls to use women's bathrooms and showers. Now that Democrats are the majority in the House, they have done just that—they passed what is known as the "Equality Act," House bill H.R. 5. This bill allows gender-confused boys to choose whichever restroom they please, and—on top of that—allows them to join girls' sports teams.

Does Collin Peterson support such nonsense? The voters of Minnesota's 7th District have kept him in office for nearly 30 years and he should know what we stand for and believe in. Why then did he hide the fact that he not only voted for the bill, but also sponsored it as well? At a town hall meeting on June 1st of this year in the town of Lancaster, Peterson denied that he knew what the bill was

about. He later backtracked on this lie to say that he had co-sponsored it to keep his senior position on the Agriculture Committee. "The bill wouldn't have passed anyway," was his excuse. But, if Democrats ever again control the Senate and the Presidency along with the House, it certainly will pass and become law.

The Equality Act is a simple rewrite of the 1964 Civil Rights Act and the 1968 Fair Housing Act. The Democrats added sexual identity and gender orientation to the definition of "sex" in the original laws. Under H.R. 5, any woman claiming to be a man or any man who thinks he's a woman is granted the same legal rights that these civil rights laws confer upon racial minorities. Sexual minorities could, in fact, be granted protected class status and given preference in hiring under affirmative action. Businesses would be required to hire defined percentages of sexual and gender minorities (as well as pay

for gender reassignment surgery).

The so-called Equality Act is a direct assault by Democrats on religious liberty and imposes a perverted sexual ideology on the nation. It would make it easier for sexual predators to share bathrooms with little girls, punish doctors for treating gender-confused children, and take away the rights of parents to decide what is best for their children. For those parents who have daughters on sports teams, H.R. 5 would allow transgenders to compete with girls and put them at a physical disadvantage (an issue that has caused headlines in newspapers and digital articles across the nation), while setting new records in the process. Do you support this law? Then keep voting for Collin Peterson and left-leaning politicians. They won't do anything to stop it.

Paul Lysen
Kingston Township
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Ben Franklin wrote in the Pennsylvania Gazette in 1731: "If printers were determined not to print anything till they were sure it would offend nobody there would be very little printed."



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Obituary

Joe Ryan, 96, formerly of Green Isle

Joe Ryan, age 96, of Gaylord and formerly of Green Isle, passed away at Oak Terrace Health Care of Gaylord on Saturday, July 13.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Brendan's Catholic Church in Green Isle at 10:30 a.m. Friday, July 19.

Serving as casket bearers for the funeral are Joe's grandsons, Jeff Ryan, John Ryan, Sean Ryan, Jim Ryan, Ryan Henke and Connor Wickenhauser.

Visitation will be held from 9:30 a.m. until Mass time at the church on Friday, July 19.

Interment will be in St.

Brendan's Catholic Cemetery at a later date.

Joe was born to John "Jack" and Kathryn "Kitty" (Kiernan) Ryan in Jessenland Township on July 16, 1922. He married Rita Magner at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Watertown on Feb. 12, 1945. Joe and Rita lived on and farmed the Ryan family farm in Jessenland Township until they moved to assisted living in Gaylord in 2012. He also worked at Eaton Corporation in Eden Prairie for 20 years. Joe loved horses and dogs, telling stories from the past and visiting with everybody. Joe also supported the Democratic Party his entire life.

Joe is survived by his sons, Jack (Louise) Ryan of Woodbury, Pat Ryan (special friend Darlene Weckwerth) of Green Isle, and Terry

(Janelle) Ryan of Gaylord; daughters, Maureen (Fred) Bullert of Gaylord, Sheila (Rich) Henke of Arlington, and Joann (Ron) Wickenhauser of Cologne; 15 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandson; sisters-in-law, Mary Nolan, Francis Magner, and Leona Magner; and many nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Rita; son, Michael; grandson, Jason; great-granddaughter, MaKaila; parents; parents-in-law, Mike and Esther Magner; sister, Jeanette Weldon; brothers-in-law, John Weldon, Jim Nolan, Mike "Bud" Magner, John Magner, and Pete Campbell; and sister-in-law, Helen Campbell.

Kolden Funeral Home in Arlington is handling the arrangements.



Joe Ryan



Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

Ashley Reetz is a new agent for Farm Bureau Bank Annex. Financial Services. Her office is located in the

Ashley Reetz is a new agent for Farm Bureau Financial Services

By Kurt Menk Editor

Ashley Reetz, rural Glencoe, is a new agent for Farm Bureau Financial Services.

Her office is located in the Bank Annex at 218 West Main Street in downtown Arlington. The telephone number at her office is 507-964-1005.

Reetz, a 2006 graduate of

the Sibley East Senior High School in Arlington, sells insurance specializing in auto, home, life, annuities, business, farm and ranch, and commercial.

She is available at her office in Arlington on Tuesdays and Thursdays or any other time by appointment.

"I'm excited to be back in Arlington," said Reetz. "I'm

looking forward to serving my hometown."

She previously worked as a sales representative for the Arlington Enterprise and Sibley Shopper.

Reetz and her husband, Tylon, have a daughter, Reagan, 4. The couple is expecting another child in early November.

History

95 Years Ago

July 17, 1924
Louis Kill, Editor

Fire destroyed the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mueller and son George and family of Washington township on the morning of the Fourth of July at the hour of about nine o'clock. The fire originated in a closet under the stairway, and it is believed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion. When the fire was noticed, by the family working the field, the fire had gained such headway that it was impossible to save part of the building or any of its contents.

The local barbers have decided to raise their prices after August 1st to conform with those of most other towns in this section. A shave will cost 20 cents and hair cuts 40 cents. Men will pay 40 cents for a shampoo and ladies with bobbed hair the same price, while those with long hair will pay 50 cents. A charge of 10 cents will be made for a neck clip for ladies who wear their hair bobbed.

The harvest time is upon us and many of our farmers will start cutting rye and barley this week. Some of them are looking for hired help but help appears to be scarce at the present time.

85 Years Ago

July 19, 1934
Louis Kill, Editor

The Big Stone Canning Co. is having a huge warehouse erected on the railroad right-of-way, east of the stockyards, which will be used to store much of the increased pack of sweet corn this season. The warehouse will measure 80x44 feet, 18-feet high, and will be built on frame with

metal siding and roof.

This section was visited by the most destructive storm of the year late Monday night, July 9, when rain fell in torrents and was accompanied by a strong wind and hail. The hail damaged crops on a number of farm places in Sibley and Alforsborg townships, extending from about three miles south of Gaylord to the Nicollet county line, doing the most damage in the Wold and Goodmann community.

There is a \$150,000 crop of sweet corn in the vicinity of Arlington that will be ready to be canned at the local factory within a few weeks. The above figure is about what this crop is worth to farmers and laborers of this community, as that is the amount of money that will be left here as a result. A plant like the Big Stone Canning factory is a worth while asset at any time but more so in times of depression like the present.

45 Years Ago

July 18, 1974
Val C. Kill, Editor

Arlington firemen were called to the Chime Clock Jewelers shop at the north side of the city at 5:45 a.m. on Thursday, July 11. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Meffert owners of the shop, had done some finishing work the day before and the fire apparently was caused by spontaneous combustion in rags that had been used for the work. Damage to the shop was estimated at \$400 to \$500.

The board of AMM met July 8th at the Arlington Good Samaritan Center. Joyce Battcher will conduct a training session for volunteers scheduled by St. Paul's Lutheran to deliver meals Sept. 9th to the end of Nov. Vol-

unteers are needed to pick up meals at the Center and deliver them to the people requesting them.

The following is the news release from NSP.

Speculation that NSP is seriously considering abandoning the Sibley County site for its next coal-burning power plant in Minnesota is premature, said R.G. Kenney, Manager Keystone Divisions. At present, the company is committed to the site and is proceeding with land acquisition and engineering and environmental studies. The company is still going full steam ahead with these on-site activities.

25 Years Ago

July 21, 1994
Kurt Menk, Editor

The Arlington City Council unanimously adopted a resolution and authorized the submittance of an application to the Department of Natural Resources for an Outdoor Recreation Grant. The grant, if approved next January, would be used to cover half of the \$56,000-plus development project at Frenzels Park located south of West Baker Street and Seventh Avenue. The other half of the project would be matched with local funds and in kind donations.

On a recent trip to Alaska, Todd Mesker caught a 25-pound King Salmon while John Thomes caught a 21-pounder. They were fishing in Aute Bay in Juneau.

Senior Lori Ebersviller and junior Gretchen Henke, both members of the Sibley East Varsity Girls' Softball team last spring were selected to the New Ulm Journal All-Area Softball Team.

Are you a new mom who has just delivered a new baby? Do you live in Sibley County? Whether you've just had your first baby or your third, fourth or fifth, Public Health would love to meet you and your baby!

It is the goal of Sibley County Public Health to contact every parent in our county who has recently had a baby. This contact is called a "Universal Contact". A Public Health Nurse will attempt to call you after you return home from the hospital. The phone visit offers an opportunity to set up an appointment to visit you and your new baby. This visit is free, confidential and in the convenience of your own home.

When the nurse comes to your home, your baby will be weighed, and time will be spent with you to educate and answer questions about your newborn and your own recovery. Newborn education could include eating/sleeping patterns, baby care, growth and development, safety, and immunizations and well child care. Information for mom could include postpartum recovery and care, signs and symptoms of postpartum depression, rest and activity, nutrition, breastfeeding or bottle-feeding questions, and

connection to community resources. Our nurses have extensive training in breastfeeding support.

Sibley County Public Health learns of births to residents primarily through two ways. Many area hospitals send delivery/discharge referrals to Public Health, so moms can be contacted. The Minnesota Department of Health notifies local public health agencies through a weekly Vital Statistic report (birth records). Notifications that are received through Vital Statistic reports do not include phone numbers, so in those instances, letters are mailed to moms. Referrals from hospitals almost always include a phone number, which makes contacting moms much easier.

Sibley County Public Health has been fortunate to receive grants that help purchase items for a gift bag. Gift bag items may include a blanket to promote "tummy time", baby toothbrush, outlet plugs, books and a "Baby's First Year" calendar. A resource packet is also given and includes information on local and state programs (i.e.; Follow Along and Imagination Library), growth and development, postpartum recovery, immunizations and safe-

ty.

Here's what some Sibley County moms have said about their new baby visits:

~ "She was so kind and helpful! I learned a lot about growth and development of children, and what will help my child. Thank you for coming into my home and giving me all the different information new moms and/or parents need!"

~ "It's nice to have a nurse visit that isn't rushed. I enjoy having the time to ask questions. I also really enjoy being able to have my baby weighed; as a breastfeeding mom, it's great to know my baby is gaining weight."

~ "I wasn't going to take a visit at first, but then my friends said I should because the visits are fun and so helpful. They were right, and she came to me, so I didn't have to bundle up my baby and go somewhere during this really cold weather!"

~ "The support at the beginning helped tremendously. Made me feel like my struggles were normal."

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Sports



Submitted Photo

Sibley East American Legion Baseball Team

The Sibley East American Legion baseball team will face Providence in the opening round of the playoffs at Plato at 9:30 a.m. July 20. The following players are members of the team. Front Row: (left to right) Ben Quast, Ryan Weber and Caleb Dose. Middle Row: (l to r) Coach Mitch Mathews, Ty Knacke,

Ryan Wolverton, Holden Lindquist and Lincoln Carpenter. Back Row: (l to r) Austin Weckwerth, Dominic Templin, Tony Bullert, Lucas Dose and Aaron Deis.

Arlington A's edge Fairfax 6-5, fall to Prior Lake and Gaylord

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Arlington A's baseball team captured one win in three games during the past week.

Arlington will travel to St. Peter in league action at 7:30 p.m. Friday, July 19. The A's will also travel to Jordan in league play at 6 p.m. Sunday, July 21.

Prior Lake 19 Arlington 0

The visiting Arlington A's baseball team was no hit and lost to Prior Lake 19-0 in seven innings during a non-league game on Tuesday night, July 9.

The A's committed three errors and yielded 10 unearned runs in the loss.

Scott Holmquist pitched the first three innings and was tagged with the mound setback. The right hander gave up four earned runs on six hits. He also fanned one.

Nick Doetkott followed for three frames and surrendered four earned runs on four hits. He struck out two.

Will Rauh worked the final inning and yielded one earned run on six hits. He had one strikeout.

Gaylord 6 Arlington 4

The Arlington A's baseball team surrendered an early four-run lead and lost to visiting Gaylord 6-4 in River Valley League action on Friday night, July 12.

Trevor Schrupp paced the A's nine-hit attack with three singles. Nathan Thomes and



Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

Ben Brinkman was the starting pitcher for Arlington against Gaylord on Friday night, July 12. Arlington shortstop Caleb Dose is pictured in the background.

Shane Henke contributed two singles each while Lukas Bullert and Nick Doetkott had one single each.

Ben Brinkman pitched the first seven innings for Arling-

ton and took the mound loss. The right hander gave up four earned runs on five hits. He fanned eight and walked four batters.

Four Arlington errors hurt

in the loss.

Collin Grams sparked the Islanders at the plate with two singles. Ed Reichenbach ripped a double and ended up with three RBI's. Travis Schmidt, Erik Goetsch, Paul Schmidt, McKoy Rodning, and Connor Deis collected one single apiece.

Goetsch threw the first six innings for Gaylord and picked up the mound win. The right hander yielded three earned runs on seven hits. He also fanned four and issued two walks.

Arlington 6 Fairfax 5

The Arlington A's baseball team rallied from a three-run deficit and edged visiting Fairfax 6-5 in River Valley League play on Sunday night, July 14.

The A's, who trailed 5-2, plated four runs in the bottom of the seventh inning for the victory.

Nathan Henke, Lukas Bullert and Zach Utendorfer sparked Arlington's 10-hit attack with two singles apiece. Austin Brockhoff, Nathan Thomes, Shane Henke and Trevor Schrupp added one single apiece.

Collin Pautsch pitched the first seven innings and recorded the mound victory. The right hander surrendered three earned runs on 10 hits. He also fanned three, but walked six batters.

Dan Chies worked scoreless ball over the final two frames and posted the mound save.

Sibley East VFW baseball team falls to Mound and Shakopee in playoffs

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Sibley East VFW baseball team, after a very successful regular season, dropped a pair of games in the VFW Sub District Baseball Tournament at Walsh Field in Gaylord earlier this week.

Sibley East, under the direction of head coach Dan Hoefs and assistant coach Joe Kreger, finish the season with a 10-3 record overall.

Mound 5 Sibley East 3

The Sibley East VFW baseball team lost to Mound 5-3 during the opening round of

the VFW Sub District Baseball Tournament on Monday afternoon, July 15.

The game was knotted at 1-1 after four innings until Sibley East surrendered four runs in the final three frames and fell behind 5-1.

Sibley East rallied for two runs in the bottom of the seventh inning, but came up short in the 5-3 loss.

Tucker Hendrycks and Ian Templin paced the offensive attack with one double each. Caleb Dose, Aaron Flieth and Ryan Weber contributed one single apiece.

Jake Schmidt pitched the first five innings and took the mound loss. The lefty gave

up two earned runs on four hits. He struck out four and walked four.

Hunter Stearns worked the final two frames and yielded one earned run on three hits. He fanned two, walked one and hit two batters.

Shakopee 2 Sibley East 1

The Sibley East VFW baseball team lost to Shakopee 2-1 in extra innings during the VFW Sub District Baseball Tournament on Tuesday afternoon, July 16.

The game was tied at 1-1 after eight innings until Sibley East surrendered the game-winning run on a walk-

off single in the bottom of the ninth inning.

Ian Templin paced Sibley East's four-hit attack with two singles. Aaron Flieth and Ryan Weber collected one single each.

Sibley East batters struck out 12 times in the loss.

Brody Serbus pitched the first five innings and gave up one earned run on five hits. The right hander struck out two and walked two.

Templin worked the final four frames and suffered the mound loss. The right hander yielded one unearned run on four hits. He fanned one and issued one walk.

Green Isle Irish post 2 victories

By Kurt Menk
Editor

The Green Isle Irish baseball team recorded two wins in Crow River Valley League action during the past week.

The Irish will host Waterville at 7:30 p.m. Friday, July 19. Green Isle will travel to Carver at 3 p.m. Sunday, July 21.

Green Isle 10 New Germany 1

The visiting Green Isle Irish baseball team topped New Germany 10-1 in Crow River Valley League action on Saturday afternoon, July 13.

Sam Dufault pitched the first six innings and recorded the mound victory. Dufault yielded just one hit and struck out nine batters.

Andrew Leonhardt worked the final three frames for the mound save. The right hander gave up one earned run on two hits. He also fanned two and walked two.

Nate Hartmann sparked Green Isle's 13-hit attack with two singles and a double. Zach Herd contributed three singles. Josh

Anthony had two singles while Andrew Betcher belted a home run. Dylan McCormick ripped a double while Aaron Brush, Brian Scherschligt and Josh Kraby added one single each.


Green Isle 7 Brownton 5

The Green Isle Irish baseball team jumped out to an early lead and defeated visiting Brownton 7-5 in Crow River Valley League play on Sunday afternoon, July 14.

Josh Anthony powered the Irish with two singles and a home run. Aaron Brush had a single and a double while Cameron Smrekar contributed two singles. Zach Herd and Nate Hartmann added one single each.

Matt Breyer pitched the first two innings and surrendered five earned runs on seven hits.

Anthony hurled hitless ball over the final seven frames and picked up the mound win. The right hander also fanned four batters.



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ORDINANCE NO. 2019-03
THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREEN ISLE, MINNESOTA, TO PROMOTE THE PUBLIC SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELFARE, HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AND FIXING THE DUTIES OF A CITY PLANNING COMMISSION WITHIN THE CITY OF GREEN ISLE, MINNESOTA.

The full text of this ordinance is available on the City of Green Isle website, www.cityofgreenislemn.org, and also at the City Office.

Adopted: July 9, 2019

For City of Green Isle:

By Joseph Kreger

Its Mayor

By Diane Hatelstad

Its City Clerk/Treasurer

Publish: July 18, 2019

SIBLEY EAST PUBLIC SCHOOLS REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2310 ARLINGTON-GAYLORD-GREEN ISLE ARLINGTON CAMPUS-MEDIA CENTER MONDAY JUNE 17, 2019 @ 6:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. Members roll call: Brian Brandt, Laura Reid, Sarah Ziegler, Missy Weber, Avery Grochow, and Jon Hazelwood were present.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Member Reid moved, seconded by member Hazelwood, to approve the agenda. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

VISITOR COMMENTS: None

CONSENT AGENDA: Approval of Minutes-Recommend approval of May 20, 2019

Regular School Board Meeting Minutes. **Personnel:** Accept the following resignation/s: Laura Zender-HS Counselor, Steve Schmitz-HS Math Hiring: Korine Schuette-7th Grade Volleyball (Step 1: \$2490), Jill Warzecha-Head Boys and Girls Cross Country (Step 3: \$4862), Regina Siriani-HS Counselor (Step 1 MA) **One Year Without Pay Leave Request:** Mike Feterl- HS Business/Technology **Fundraiser Request:** Music Department Fundraisers for 2019-2020. Member Grochow moved, second by Member Hazelwood to approve consent agenda. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

OLD OR UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Consideration of Technology Expenditure Plans for FY 20 as part of the FY 20 Operating Capital Budget.

NEW BUSINESS:

Bills and Payments: Recommend approval June 2019 bills totaling \$1,316,217.29 Member Ziegler moved, second by member Reid to approve June 2019 bills totaling \$1,316,217.29. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Consider proposals from 4.0 Transportation and Palmer Bus Service to provide Transportation Services to Sibley East Schools for the 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 school years. Motion by member Reid, second by member Weber to accept the Transportation Proposal from 4 Point 0 School Services for the 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 school years. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Renew Membership in Minnesota Rural Education Association (MREA). Motion by member Ziegler, second by member Hazelwood, to renew membership in the Minnesota Rural Education Association (MREA). The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

2019-2020 Resolution for Membership in the Minnesota State High School League. BE IT RESOLVED, that the Governing Board of School District Number 2310, County of Sibley, State of Minnesota delegates the control, supervision, and regulation of interscholastic athletic and fine arts events (referred to in MN Statutes, Section 128C.01) to the Minnesota State High School League, and so hereby certifies to the State Commissioner of Education as provided by Minnesota Statutes. FURTHER RESOLVED, that the high school listed below (Sibley East High School) is authorized by this, the Governing Board of said school district to: Renew its membership in the Minnesota State High School League; and, participate in the approved interschool activities sponsored by said League and its various subdivisions. FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Governing Board hereby adopts the Constitution, Bylaws, Rules, and Regulations of said League and all amendments thereto as the same as are published in the latest edition of the League's Official Handbook, on file at the office of the school district or as appears on the League's website, as the minimum standards governing participation in said League-sponsored activities, and that the administration and responsibility for determining student eligibility and for the supervision of such activities are assigned to the official representatives identified by the Governing Board.

Roll Call Vote- Yes: members Hazelwood, Reid, Brandt, Weber, Grochow, Ziegler No: None. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approve FY 20 General, Food Service, Community Service, District Budgets. Janna Tessmer, Sibley East Business Manager. Motion by member Grochow, second by member Reid to approve the proposed FY 20 General, Food Service and Community Service District Budgets. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approve FY 20 Operating Capital Expenditures, LTFM Expenditures and Building Bond Contingency Expenditures. Motion by member Reid, second by member Weber to approve proposed FY 20 Operating Capital, LTFM Expenditures and Building Bond Contingency expenditures as presented. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approve Long Term Facilities Maintenance (LTFM) Ten-Year Revenue Projection. Motion by member Ziegler, second by member Grochow to approve the Long Term Facilities Maintenance (LTFM) Ten-Year Revenue Projection. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approve Long Term Facilities Maintenance (LTFM) Ten-Year expenditure plan. Motion by member Grochow, second by member Reid, to approve the Long Term Facilities Maintenance (LTFM) Ten-Year expenditure plan as presented. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approve recommended 2019-2020 Food Service prices for student elementary breakfast at .75, secondary breakfast at .75, adult breakfast at \$2.50, elementary lunch at \$2.80, secondary lunch at \$2.90 and adult lunch at \$3.80 Motion by member Weber, second by member Hazelwood to approve recommended 2019-2020 Food Service prices for student elementary breakfast at .75, secondary breakfast at .75, adult breakfast at \$2.50, elementary lunch at \$2.80, secondary lunch at \$2.90 and adult lunch at \$3.80. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Approve Environmental Consulting Agreement between Sibley East Schools and Harbo Consulting Agency to provide Health and Safety Consulting Services to Sibley East Schools. Motion by member Hazelwood, second by member Grochow, to approve Environmental Consulting Agreement between Sibley East Schools and Harbo Consulting Agency to provide Health and Safety Consulting Services to Sibley East Schools. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

School Nutrition Programs Renewal of Food Service Management Contract School Year 2019-20. Approve 3rd year renewal of management contract between Compass Group USA, Inc by and through its Chartwells Division and Sibley East School District 2310. Motion by member Weber, second by member Reid, to approve 3rd year renewal of management contract between Compass Group USA, Inc by and through its Chartwells Division and Sibley East School District 2310. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Consider motion calling for quotes on Refuse and Fuel for 2019-2020. Member Ziegler moved, seconded by member Grochow, to approve a motion to call for quotes on Refuse and Fuel for 2019-2020. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Accept the following donations: \$300.00 Minnesota College of Osteopathic-Sibley East Football, \$250.00 Green Isle Fire Dept. Gambling Fund-Sibley East Football, \$20.00 Sharon Marshall-Sibley East Softball, \$5000.00 Mr. Roger A. Wahldick-Scholarship Donation, \$50.00 American Legion Post 433-Band, \$150.00 H.U.G. properties, LLP-Sibley East Football, \$20.00 RW Nagel, RE Nagel in Memory of Maynard Rucks-Sibley East Music, \$80.00 Sara Utendorfer-4th Grade Field Trip Lumber Donation. Member Grochow moved, seconded by Member Hazelwood to accept the donations with gratitude. The motion was approved by unanimous vote.

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT: Superintendent Amsden updated the Board on unpaid meal balances at the conclusion of the 2018-2019 school year. Updates were also provided on the completion of one year warranty items at the MS/HS building in Arlington.

OTHER INFORMATION: Reminder: Next Regular School Board Meeting is scheduled for July 15th, 2019, beginning @ 6:30 PM, Arlington Campus-Media Center

ADJOURNMENT: Motion by member Grochow, second by member Reid, to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved by unanimous vote. The meeting was adjourned at 8:03p.m.

Brian Brandt- Chair
Missy Weber-Clerk



Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

Little Diggers Volleyball Camp

Girls entering grades 1-3 attended the Sibley East Little Diggers Volleyball Camp in Arlington last week. Left to right: Danika Dietz, Maddy Jenneke, Hadley Willmsen, Justice Otto,

Lillian Grochow, Amelia Odenthal, Eleanor Williams and Phoebe DeWitte.

Arlington Raceway

The following is a list of results from the Arlington Raceway on Saturday night, July 13.

Auto Cross A-Feature

1. Brandon Paul, St. Peter
2. Ben Brinkman, Lafayette
3. Oryan Howe, St. James
4. Mitch Kaveney, St. Peter
5. AJ Palmer, Mankato
6. Adam Wasper, Hutchinson
7. Serena Williams, Cleveland

IMCA Hobby A-Feature

1. Cory Probst, Brewster
2. Andrew Latour, New Prague
3. Luke Trebelhorn, Buffalo Lake
4. Jed Trebelhorn, Winthrop
5. Brad Becker, Arlington
6. Jordan Robinson, Marshall
7. Clayton Lommen, Bloomington
8. Edward Dostal, Glencoe
9. Joe Huseby, Redwood Falls
10. Joe Regner, Winthrop
11. Chase Peterson, Milaca
12. Will Miller, Sacred Heart
13. Mason Goettl, Glencoe
14. Riley Gruenhagen, Howard Lake

IMCA Sport Compact A-Feature

1. Gavin Maass, Mankato
2. Alex Dostal, Glencoe
3. Alan Lahr, Nicollet
4. Justin Forcier, Hutchinson
5. Levi Selly, St. Peter
6. Justin Dose, Biscay
7. Dylan Braunworth, Plato
8. David Marshall, no town
9. Matt Speiss, Belle Plaine
10. Broc Braunworth, Plato

IMCA SportMods A-Feature

1. Kevin Kirk, Bloomington
2. Chris Plamann, Hutchinson
3. Dustin Engelke, Lester Prairie

4. Eric Larson, Madison Lake
5. Vince Corbin, Chanhassen
6. Kris Zuhlsdorf, Danube
7. John Albrecht, Glencoe
8. Jeff Carter, Mapleton
9. Jeremy Brown, Elko New Market
10. Dan Milbradt, Belview
11. Tim Bergerson, Eagle Lake
12. Chris Neisen, Henderson
13. Jason Schroeder, Plato
14. Tom Malchow Jr., Hutchinson
15. Brandon Opsahl, Buffalo
16. J.J. Reimers, Belle Plaine
17. Zach Schultz, Watertown

Karts Jr. Sportsman A-Feature

1. Braxton Enter, Arlington
2. Owen Graf, Glencoe
3. Brayden Allen, Gaylord
4. Kyle Manderfield, Mankato
5. Carter Brown, Elko New Market
6. Blake Foesch, Bird Island
7. Jake Robb, Nicollet
8. Gavin Allen, Nicollet
9. Douglas Eckblad, Lake Placid, FL
10. Liberty Allen, Nicollet

Karts Juniors A-Feature

1. Joey Reimers, Belle Plaine
2. Alexander Hardel, Gaylord
3. Cole Allen, Gaylord
4. Garrett Uecker, Hutchinson
5. Matthew Johnson, St. Peter
6. Jackson Schroeder, Belle Plaine
7. Carter Draeger, Gaylord
8. Zoe Porter, Madison Lake

Karts Stock A-Feature

1. Logan Kotasek, Belle Plaine
2. Jon Volinkaty, Gaylord
3. Andrew Allen, Gaylord
4. Megan Voss, Henderson
5. Sabrina Winter, Henderson
6. Nicole Hall, Nicollet
7. Travis Defries, Mankato
8. Billy Wencil, Cleveland
9. Michael Stien, Jr., Henderson
10. Conner Meyer, Le Sueur
11. Bruce Defries, Mankato
12. Bill Foesch, Bird Island
13. Kayla Swart, Henderson

Karts Stock B-Feature

1. Travis Defries, Mankato
2. Michael Stien, Jr., Henderson
3. Sabrina Winter, Henderson
4. Bill Foesch, Bird Island
5. Riley Weis, Mankato
6. Kayla Swart, Henderson
7. Cassidy Paul, Belle Plaine
8. Heather Defries, North Mankato

Modifieds A-Feature

1. Dan Menk, Franklin
2. Dalton Magers, Redwood Falls
3. Tyler Limoges, Redwood Falls
4. Joe Roberts, New Ulm
5. Ryan Bjerkeset, St. Peter
6. Clint Hatlestad, Glencoe
7. Rob Vanmil, Burnsville
8. Kent Willms, Penneck
9. Trent Loverude, New Ulm
10. Chad Porter, Madison Lake
11. Rick Nelson, Hutchinson

Outlaw Hobby A-Feature

1. Dakota Robinson, Arlington
2. Roger Jenniges, Echo
3. Bryan Apitz, New Ulm
4. Brad Schnepf, Waseca

5. Scott Oestreich, Belle Plaine
6. Rodney Manthey, Norwood
7. Andrea Kuechle, Kimball
8. Karl Hewitt Jr., Carver
9. Patrick Schauer, Henderson
10. Mike Vogt, New Auburn
11. Joe Pommerer, Silver Lake
12. Mori Oestreich, Henderson
13. Jonathan Schroeder, Belle Plaine
14. Tyler Manthey, NYA

Sprint Cars A-Feature

1. Brett Allen, Gaylord
2. Michael Stien, Ceylon
3. Jesse Cripe, South Haven
4. Neil Stevens, Bingham Lake
5. Javen Ostermann, Courtland
6. Billy Johnson, St. Peter
7. Brandon Allen, St. Peter
8. Trevor Serbus, Olivia
9. Jeremy Schultz, Stewart
10. Dave Becker, Belle Plaine
11. Nathan Showalter, Hutchinson

Stock Cars A-Feature

1. Matt Speckman, Sleepy Eye
2. Chad Schroeder, Belle Plaine
3. Matthew Schauer, Arlington
4. Rob Vanmil, Burnsville
5. Shaun Bruns, Danube
6. Zachary Foesch, Bird Island
7. Tim Pessek, Hutchinson
8. Josh Larsen, Glencoe
9. Andrew Zimmerman, Cleveland
10. Taylor Willms, Willmar
11. Dan Eckblad, St. Peter
12. Mark Zimmerman, Elysian
13. Kevin Latour, Le Sueur

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Sibley County Court

The following misdemeanors, petty misdemeanors and gross misdemeanors were heard in District Court June 21-27, 2019: Minnesota State Patrol (MSP); Sheriff's Office (SO); Department of Natural Resources (DNR); MN Department of Transportation (MNDOT).

Sean M. Bernier, 32, Gaylord, obstructing legal process, fourth degree assault, second degree DWI, local confinement one year stay 319 days for two years, credit for time served 46 days, supervised probation two years, contact with probation, follow all instructions of probation, sign probation agreement, chemical dependency evaluation/treatment, follow recommendations of evaluation, sign all releases of information, no alcohol/controlled substance use, with the exception of prescribed medications, no possession of alcohol or drugs, with the exception of prescribed medications, random testing upon reasonable suspicion by law enforcement or if instructed by probation, victim impact panel, remain law-abiding, complete diagnostic assessment, probation to check if defendant qualifies for Sibley County payment, \$735, second degree DWI, driving after cancellation-inimical to public safety, open bottle law violation, disorderly conduct, dismissed, SO; Amber N. Danner, 29, Sunburg, theft, dismissed, SO; Devin J. Hoffman, 21, Henderson, speed, \$135, SO; Ty S. Knacke, 18, Gaylord, liquor-consumption by persons under 21, \$185, SO; Daniel H. Meyer, Jr., 22, Winthrop, domestic assault, dismissed, financial transaction card fraud, domestic assault, local confinement 33 days, credit for time served 33 days, supervised probation two years, sentence to service 40 hours for indeterminate, concurrent other case, contact with probation, follow all instructions of probation, sign probation agreement, pay restitution before fines, fees and surcharges, complete treatment, outpatient dependency treatment, aftercare, complete diagnostic assessment, mental health diagnostic and domestic violence inventory, follow recommendations of evaluation, sign all releases of information, no alcohol/controlled substance use, with the exception of prescribed medications, no possession of alcohol or drugs, with the exception of prescribed medications, random testing upon reasonable suspicion by law enforcement or if instructed by probation, remain law-abiding, no same or similar, \$447.38, SO; Kiley T. Quast, 18, Arlington, liquor-consumption by persons under 21, \$185, SO; Gerardo Rangel-Garcia, 33, Gibbon, driving without a valid license for vehicle class or type, \$185, SO; Daniel J. Schweich, 32, Savage, speed, \$125, SO.

Christopher M. McDurmont, 19, Winthrop, speed, \$125, Winthrop PD.

The following felonies were heard in District Court June 21-27, 2019.

Sammual R. L. Helms, 30, Arlington, fleeing a Peace Officer in a motor vehicle, dismissed, Arlington PD.

Jason P. Presler, 46, Gaylord, motor vehicle theft, commit to Commissioner of Corrections adult(MN correctional facility-St. Cloud, 21 months), Gaylord PD.

Ethan T. Hayward, 27, Minneapolis, fifth degree possession of a controlled substance, commit to Commissioner of Corrections-adult (Mn correctional facility-St. Cloud, 13 months, stay for three years), local confinement 134 days, credit for time served 134 days, supervised probation three years, 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, contact with probation, follow all instructions of probation, sign probation agreement, sign all releases of information, complete treatment, successfully complete inpatient chemical dependency treatment, follow treatment directions, no alcohol/controlled substance use, with the exception of prescribed medications, no possession of alcohol or drugs, with the exception of prescribed medications, random testing upon reasonable suspicion by law enforcement or if instructed by probation, remain law-abiding, no same or similar, aftercare, \$210, MSP.

Sean M. Bernier, 32, Gaylord, obstructing legal process, dismissed, SO; Amber N. Danner, 29, Sunburg, identity theft, stay of imposition, supervised probation three years, home monitor (electronic) 15 days for indeterminate, comment EHM to begin within 30 days, sentence to service 24 hours for indeterminate, 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, contact with probation, follow all instructions of probation, sign probation agreement, pay restitution before fines, fees and surcharges, complete diagnostic assessment, mental health diagnostic assessment, follow recommendations of evaluation, sign all releases of information, no contact with victim or family, no contact with vulnerable adults, remain law-abiding, no same or similar, \$1,210.00, financial exploitation of a vulnerable adult, financial transaction card fraud, dismissed, SO; Robin E. Gardner, 46, Gibbon, wrongfully obtaining assistance-theft, continued, supervised probation two years, sentence to servicer 24 hours for indeterminate, contact with probation, follow all instructions of probation, sign probation agreement, conditions other-decertify from public assistance for one year, 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, pay restitution before fines, fees and surcharges, restitution to be paid in full today, \$9,777.62. perjury-public assistance- declaration requirement, dismissed, SO; Daniel H. Meyer, Jr., 22, Winthrop, financial transaction card fraud, second degree assault, dismissed, SO.



Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

Dieball Dairy Tour

Approximately 100 people attended the dairy tour at the Karl Dieball family farm in rural Green Isle on Monday morning, July 15. Visitors had the opportunity to learn about and discuss the robotic milkers, automatic feed pusher and freestall barn

design that have the Dieballs moving forward in the dairy industry. Aly Dieball, pictured, talked to visitors during one segment of the tour.

FSA Matters

By Dan Mahoney, CED
Sibley County FSA
Disaster Assistance:
USDA Emergency Disaster
Designation and
Declarations Process

Sibley County residents are accustomed to dealing with difficult weather events. This year residents have experienced heavy accumulating snow falls leading to structure collapses. There has been building and crop damage due to strong winds and hail. People have endured continued flooding that has affected buildings, pastures, and crops. Most recently there has been tornado damage in the county as well. Severe weather events and natural disasters have always been a challenge for those who make their living through farming. Unfortunately, agriculture related disasters are quite common. The USDA Farm Service Administration administers four different types of disaster designations. The designation of counties as disaster areas makes emergency (EM) loans available to producers affected by the disaster. Disaster designations also play a role in determining eligibility for

other disaster assistance programs administered by USDA.

Keep in mind that your FSA office tracks natural disasters that affect our farmers. If you suffer losses due to hail, wind, flood, or drought, please contact your local USDA Service Center. Depending on the type of loss, and impact to the county, disaster assistance may be available. Any pictures or information that you provide will also be helpful in telling the story of the disaster.

The first type of disaster designation is a USDA Secretarial disaster designation. This type must be requested of the Secretary of Agriculture by a governor or the governor's authorized representative, or by an Indian Tribal Council leader. The Secretarial disaster designation is the most widely used and this process is the most complicated of the four.

The second type of disaster designation administered through the Farm Service agency is the Presidential major disaster and Presidential emergency Declaration. Presidential major disaster

declarations, which must be requested by a governor to the President, are administered through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). A Presidential major disaster declaration can be made within days or hours of the initial request. FEMA immediately notifies FSA of the primary counties named in a Presidential declaration.

The third type, FSA Administrator's Physical Loss Notification (APLN) is for physical losses only. An example would be the loss or destruction of a building destroyed by a tornado. Livestock related losses are considered physical losses. An APLN is requested of FSA's Administrator by an FSA State Executive Director. Local USDA staff assist in collecting information regarding damage and scope of a weather event and provide such information to the State Executive Director.

The last type of disaster designation administered by FSA is a Quarantine designation by the Secretary under the Plant Protect Act or animal quarantine laws. A quarantine designation is requested of the FSA Deputy Admin-

istrator for Farm Programs by an FSA SED. A quarantine designation authorizes EM loans for production and physical losses resulting from a quarantine.

All four types of designations, Secretarial disaster designations, Presidential disaster declarations, APLNs, and quarantine designations immediately trigger the availability of low-interest FSA EM loans to eligible producers in all primary and contiguous counties.

Due to the role FSA plays in administering disaster designations and assistance programs Sibley FSA encourages producers to notify the local office of damage to buildings, crops, and other agricultural infrastructure. If the damage documented meets qualifications or reaches a predetermined level, our County Emergency Board will submit documentation and ask for federal disaster assistance. For more information on USDA disaster assistance contact your local FSA Office or visit <http://disaster.fsa.usda.gov>



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Sunday, July 21: 9:00 a.m.
Worship. Lutheran Hour broad-
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Thursday, July 25: 5:30 p.m.
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10:00 a.m. Clothes Closet.
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Worship service. 10:30 a.m. Fel-
lowship Hour.
Tuesday, July 23: 6:30 p.m.
Leadership Team.
Wednesday, July 24: 9:00 a.m.
Ladies prayer meeting.
Thursday, July 25: 6:30 p.m.
Men's Bible study-Peiks'.

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Worship service with guest Pastor
Alsleben preaching. Pastor is on
vacation until July 31st.

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nion and guest Pastor Alsleben
preaching. Pastor is on vacation
until July 31st.

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Saturday: Church services at
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Saturday, July 20: 10:00 a.m.
Women's Bible study.
Sunday, July 21: 10:00 a.m.
Coffee. 10:30 a.m. Worship.
Monday, July 22: Deadline for
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Sunday, July 21: 9:00 a.m.
Worship. 10:15 a.m. Bible Study.
Monday, July 22: 10:00 a.m.
Calendar info due. 7:00 p.m.
Worship.
Tuesday, July 23: 9:00 a.m.
Counting Committee.
Wednesday, July 24: 2:00 p.m.
Bible study.
Thursday, July 25: 10:00 a.m.
Bulletin info due. 10:30 a.m.
Bible study at Highland Com-
mons. 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.
Service on cable TV channel 8.

**GAYLORD
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Gaylord
Friday, July 19: 7:30 p.m.
Thomas Matthews Bible study,
Bloomington.
Sunday, July 21: 9:15 a.m.
Sunday school. 10:00 a.m. Wor-
ship service with Communion.
Wednesday, July 24: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday evening supper, Bible
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Worship service.

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FAITH COMMUNITY**
Fr. Aaron Johanneck,
Parochial Administrator
Friday, July 19: 8:00 a.m.
morning Mass (Mar). 5:00 p.m.
Mass (Bre).
Saturday, July 20: 4:15-4:45
p.m. Confessions (Mic). 5:00
p.m. Mass (Mic).
Sunday, July 21: 7:30-7:45
a.m. Confessions (Bre). 8:00 a.m.
Mass (Bre). 10:00 a.m. Mass
(Mar).
Monday, July 22: 8:30 a.m.
Mass (Bre). 8:00 p.m. AA and
Al-Anon (Mar).
Tuesday, July 23: 8:00 a.m.
Mass (Mar). 8:30 a.m. Mass
(Bre). 3:30 p.m. Word and
Communion (Arlington Good
Samaritan).
Wednesday, July 24: 8:00 a.m.
Mass (Mar). 9:30 a.m. Word and
Communion (Oak Terrace).
Thursday, July 25: 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, July 21: 10:30 a.m.
Worship service.



Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

The Arthur Ziegler VFW Auxiliary Post 6031 recently donated \$1,000 toward the lighting project at the Arlington Museum. VFW Auxiliary President Royla Borchert, left, presented the check to Arlington Historical Society Treasurer Dwight Grabitske, right.

Process underway to upgrade lighting at Arlington Museum

The Arlington Historical Society has begun the process of upgrading the Arlington Museum lighting to meet mu-
seum standards, which in-
cludes the use of energy effi-
cient lighting.

The Historical Society re-
ceived a small grant of \$7,693
from the Minnesota Heritage
Fund to cover the cost of the
professional lighting designer,
Richard Rummel, in 2017.
His design was completed and
approved in 2018. Bids for the
cost of the remodeling project
were solicited, both for the ac-
tual cost of museum remodel-
ing and the costs of the light-
ing, and the Historical Society
approved a plan to do the re-
modeling of the museum over
a two-year period.

The first step was to raise

the ceiling providing space for
taller exhibits and allow for
lighting focused on the ex-
hibits. Travis Tuchtenhagen
Contruction, Arlington, has
extended the walls and in-
stalled the grid work for the
new ceiling.

In June 2019, the Historical
Society applied for a large
grant of \$22,000 from the
Heritage Fund to cover the ac-
tual cost of the lighting. The
grant application showed this
as a two-year project and that
the first part has been com-
pleted and needs funds to
complete the lighting upgrade.

The total cost of the project
is a little over \$38,400 which
includes repainting the mu-
seum and installing new carpet-
ing on the floor. In addition to
the large Heritage Fund Grant

application, the Historical So-
ciety will apply for other
smaller grants. However, the
Historical Society will still
need to raise about \$5,000 lo-
cally to show local support for
this project.

The Arlington Historical
Society welcomes any large
or small donations toward this
museum project. Donations
can be given to any board
member of sent to Arlington
Historical Society Treasurer,
P.O. Box 28, Arlington, MN
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This project, when complet-
ed, will give Arlington a city
museum that will proudly
show its great history telling
the stories of the past for fu-
ture generations.

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Wednesday: Lasagna, Country
blend vegetables, apricots, garlic
bread, margarine, bar, low fat
milk.

Thursday: Pork chop, gravy,
buttered boiled potato, green
beans, dinner roll, margarine,
pears, low fat milk.
Friday: Mandarin chicken
salad, fresh fruit, tomato cucum-
ber salad, muffin, margarine,
cheesecake, low fat milk.

Blessings

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile.
Romans 1:16 NIV



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