Sports

Gymnasts open with split of first two meets

By Tom Carothers Sports Editor

A pair of performances that netted over 120 points were good enough for a split of the first two meets of the season for the Glencoe-Silver Lake gymnastics team.

The Panthers began their 2017-18 campaign in winning fashion at Howard Lake-Waverly-Winsted on Tuesday, Dec. 19.

Led by Gia Venier and Marissa Greeley, who finished 1-2 in the individual allaround competition, GSL earned the team win with 121.325 points to 117.150 for the Lakers.

Venier won the all-around with a total score of 31.375.

She was first on vault at 8.5 ond to the Cardinals' team and uneven bars at 7.325, while finishing second in floor exercise at 8.2 and fifth on balance beam at 7.35.

Greeley was second in the all-around with a 31.150. She won the floor exercise with an 8.5, took second on vault at 8.3 and was fifth on bars at

Breana Templin made it a clean sweep of all four events by winning the beam competition with a score of 8.05.

Buyoed by a third-place score of 7.050 on bars, Mikayla Wigern took fifth in the all-around with a 29.55.

Two nights later at Annandale, GSL bumped its score up to 123.7, but finished sectally of 133.2.

Venier placed third in the all-around with a score of 32.15, with Greeley fourth at 31.8 and Wigern fifth at

The Panthers swept the top three placed on vault. Venier was first at 9.05, followed by Greeley in second at 8.9 and Wigern in third at 8.85.

Greeley recorded an 8.45 to take third on floor; Venier placed fourth on bars at 7.5. as did Templin on Beam with an 8.0.

GSL is currently off for the holiday break. The Panthers are scheduled to return to competition at home against Orono on Thursday, Jan. 4.





Chronicle photos by Tom Carothers

The Glencoe-Silver Lake gymnastics team lined up for its first competition of the season on Tuesday, Dec. 19, at Howard Lake-Waverly-Winsted. Gia Venier, above, won the all-around with a 31.150 to lead the Panthers to victory.

Girls' hoops up record to 5-1 with win at GFW

By Tom Carothers **Sports Editor**

By handing Gibbon-Fairfax-Winthrop its first loss of the season in its lone game last week, the Glencoe-Silver Lake girls' basketball team assured itself of a winning record entering 2018.

The Panthers went up early on the host Thunderbirds, leading 42-27 at halftime, before cruising to a 71-56 victoyear.

Once again, guard Mac Monahan led the way with a game-high 31 points. Guard Miah Monahan registered 16 points, with forward Zoe Christensen chipping in 12 points in the winning effort.

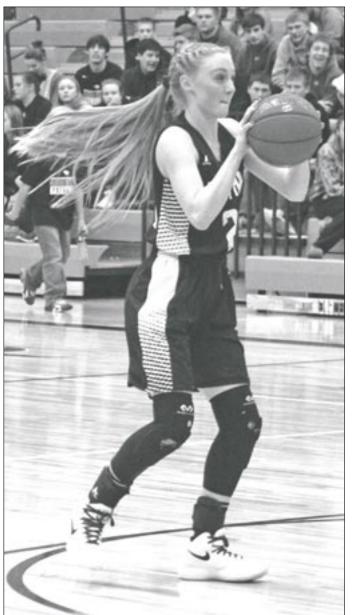
Mac Monahan headed into the holiday break as the

team's leading scorer with an average of 27.3 points per game. Miah Monahan is averaging 14.5 ppg, with fellow guard Olivia Lemke averaging 13.2 ppg. Those three, in order, also lead the team in assists with an average of 4.3, 3.7 and 1.3 per game, respec-

Forward Mickalyn Frahm leads GSL with an average of 4.3 rebounds per game, folry to improve to 5-1 on the lowed by Christensen at 4.0 rpg and Miah Monahan at 3.7 per game.

The Panthers will stay home for the holidays, eschewing the Hayfield Tournament to host their own fourteam competition on Wednesday and Thursday.

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Chronicle photo by Tom Carothers

Forward Mickalyn Frahm leads the Glencoe-Silver Lake girls' basketball team with an average of 4.3 rebounds per game. The Panthers host a holiday tournament this week.



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Hansch signs with Wildcats

Glencoe-Silver Lake High School senior Lexi Hansch signed a Letter of Intent to attend the North Dakota State College of Science and play volleyball for the Wildcats. Hansch, a member of the Wright

County Conference All-Academic Team and a National Honor Society member, was a setter for the Panthers' volleyball team. She was a 2017 captain and a two-time All-WCC West selection for GSL.

Grapplers split double dual at Dassel-Cokato

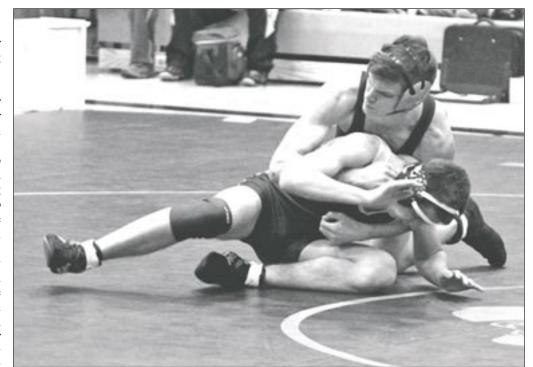
By Tom Carothers Sports Editor

The Glencoe-Silver Lake/Lester Prairie wrestling team closed out the 2017 portion of its schedule with a 4-5 record in dual meets after splitting a doubleheader matchup at Dassel-Cokato on Thursday, Dec. 21.

The Panthers fell 58-15 to Annandale/Maple Lake and defeated Norwood-Young America 47-33 to head into the holiday break with three wins in its last four dual matchups.

GSL/LP went up 15-0 early on the Lightning, with wins in its first four matches of the night. Carter Ruschmeier won by fall at 106 pounds, with Jace Cacka (113), Sawyer Varpness (120) and Zachary Voelz (126) all winning by decision.

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Chronicle photo by Tom Carothers

Theo Luciano earned a win by fall at 170 pounds to help the Glencoe-Silver Lake/Lester Prairie wrestling team to a win over NYA on Thursday, Dec. 21.

GSL Winter Sports

BOYS' BASKETBALL

December

08HutchinsonW, 73-53
16Sibley EastL, 54-45
19at Mayer LuthL, 80-58
21at HL-W-WL, 62-51
272:00 pm
28GSL Tourn2:00 pm
January
02at Jordan7:30 pm
04at LSH7:30 pm
12at Litchfield7:00 pm
16W'town-M7:00 pm
19at Annandale7:00 pm
20at NYA7:30 pm
23Mound W'tka7:00 pm
26at Rockford7:30 pm
30at NL-S7:00 pm

01....St. PeterW, 59-53

07....at TCU......W, 60-50

February/March		
02at D-C	7:00	pm
08Belle Plaine	7:00	pm
09Litchfield	7:00	pm
16Annandale	7:00	pm
20at Mound W'tka.	7:00	pm
23Rockford	7:15	pm
27NL-S	7:00	pm
3/2D-C	7:00	pm

2AA: March 1-16 State: March 21-24

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

November
28St. PeterW, 72-61
30TCUW, 61-42
December
08HutchinsonW, 79-72
12Mayer LuthL, 69-54
16Sibley EastW, 62-52
21at GFWW, 71-56
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02at Jordan6:00 pm
04at NL-S7:00 pm
06at Delano3:00 pm
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WRESTLING

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21at D-C1W, 1L
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06at Ogilvie10:00 am
12at W'town-M5:00 pm
18at NL-S5:00 pm
19at NL-S3:30 pm
25at St. Peter5:00 pm
26D-C6:00 pm
February
02at BOLD5:00 pm
08at New Ulm5:00 pm
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10at D-C10:30 am

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GYMNASTICS

December 19at HLWWW, 121.325 21at AnnandaleL, 123.7
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February
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Section: Feb. 16

State: Feb 23-24

DANCE

December
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January
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Guard Dane Schwirtz scored a team-high 17 points in an 80-58 loss at Mayer Lutheran on Tuesday,

Losing skid hits three games for boys' hoopsters

By Tom Carothers Sports Editor

After starting out the season with a 3-0 record, the Glencoe-Silver Lake boys' basketball team has dropped back to .500.

The Panthers lost both of their contests last week and took a three-game losing streak into the holiday

GSL suffered its most lopsided loss of the year in an 80-58 loss at Mayer Lutheran on Tuesday, Dec. 19.

Guard Dane Schwirtz led the Panthers with 17 points, with forwards Kyle Christensen and Gage Alsleben recording 11 and 10 points, respectively.

The loss marked just the third time in the past five seasons in which GSL has allowed an opponent 80 or more points.

The Panthers followed up that road loss with another, falling 62-51 at Howard Lake-Waverly-Winsted on Thursday, Dec. 21. Individual statistics were not avail-

GSL has allowed opponents an average of 65.3 points while scoring 51.3 points in its three losses, after allowing opponents an average of just 52 points while scoring 64 points over its season-opening threegame winning streak.

The Panthers return to action on Wednesday night when the squad hosts its four-team holiday tournament. GSL takes on Lester Prairie/Holy Trinity at 8 p.m. to cap a day full of varsity and junior varsity basketball in both the Black and Purple gymnasiums.

A win on Wednesday night puts the Panthers in the tournament title game against either Belle Plaine or Holy Family Catholic on Thursday night. A loss in the tournament opener has GSL playing either the Tigers or Fire in the third-place game Thursday afternoon.

Following the holiday tourney, the Panthers return to their regular-season schedule at Jordan on Tuesday in the first game of a three-game road trip. GSL will not return home until Tuesday, Jan. 16 against Watertown-Mayer.

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The varsity and junior varsity teams will play tourney games in both the Purple and Black gymnasiums.

GSL will take on Maple Lake in its tournament opener at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening after BOLD plays Roseville's Concordia Academy in the afternoon contest.

A win on Wednesday will have the Panthers playing either BOLD or Concordia in the tournament title game on Thursday evening. A loss will have GSL playing the other semifinal loser in the third-place game on Thursday afternoon.

The Panthers will return to their regular-season schedule with a game at Jordan at 6 p.m. Tuesday night in the opener of a four-game road trip. GSL remains on the road until Friday, Jan. 12, against Litchfield.

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However, it was all Lightning from there. Annandale/Maple Lake won seven of the next eight matches by fall before taking the final two by forfeit to claim a sizable victory.

The Panthers fared far better in the follow-up, building a 29-0 lead en route to winning by 14 points.

Dawson Varpness (106), Ruschmeier (113) and Sawyer Varpness (120) were all awarded wins by forfeit to put GSL/LP up 18-0 right away.

Voelz claimed a win by fall at 126, with Carter Ziegler earning a 15-0 technical fall victory at 132 to put the Panthers up big be-

fore the Raiders rallied.

NYA won the next four matches, three by fall, to pull to within 29-21 before Theo Luciano (170) and Cody Rae (182) both won by fall to give GSL/LP an insurmountable 41-21 edge.

Zach Wanous claimed the Panthers' final points of the night on a forfeit before NYA won the final two matches on a fall and a forfeit to close out the dual with a GSL/LP win.

The Panthers are now off until Thursday, Jan. 4, when they are scheduled to host a triangular meet against Mankato East and Waterville-Elysian-Morristown.

Lions' clubs announce local write-off contest winners

District 5M-2 of the International Association of Lions' Clubs annually sponsors an essay contest known as the District 5M-2 Write Off Contest. This contest is open to all students grades nine through 12 in the district's 12-county area.

The topic for this year followed the theme of Lions International President Dr. Naresh Aggarwal: "The Power of We," as it relates to community service. Webster's Dictionary de-

fines power as "the ability to act or do something, or the ability to influence others." For over 100 years, the Lions have worked together to support local communities as well as communities around the world. There is no "I" in "We Serve" (the motto of Lions Clubs International). How can young people influence others to serve or take action to start a project? Power isn't always controlling. In this essay, students

wrote about who they are, how they positively influence other people's lives, and the actions they take providing service to others.

The essays of approximately 500 words are judged in four areas: Originality, Content, Organization and Mechanics.

Each of four Lions Clubs with students in the Glencoe-Silver Lake School District participated in this year's contest, and did select a student's essay to sponsor in the competition. They were:

They are:

- Brownton Lions Club Natalia Orocio, Glencoe, daughter of Jose Orocio and Luz Duvall.
- Glencoe Lions Club Anthony LaPlante, Glencoe, son of Anne LaPlante and Chad LaPlante.
- Plato Lions Club -Kayla Salmela, Glencoe, daughter of Scott Salmela.
- Silver Lake Lions Club -Lexis Werner, Brownton,

daughter of Eric and Beverly Werner.

Each will receive a cash award from their respective sponsoring local Lions Club, and their essay proceded to judging at the Zone

One competition. Just recently announced as the Zone One winner was the essay submitted by Kayla Salmela. In addition, her essay will be one of three finalists for the district-wide competition. Additional cash awards will be available to her, as she will present her essay at the 5M-2 District Convention on Feb. 10, 2018, at Mankato.

For more than seven years, students from Glencoe-Silver Lake High School have participated in the Lions Write-Off Contest, and have had remarkable success. Special thanks goes to Patrick Hiltner, 10thgrade English instructor, who facilitates and promotes this contest at GSL.

Start the new year with fresh air and physical activity on a First Day Hike

First day hikes will take place at 14 Minnesota state parks on Monday, Jan. 1, as part of a nationwide effort, led by America's state parks, to promote starting the new year with fresh air and physical activity. More than 400 hikes are scheduled this year in all 50

Minnesota's events include five daytime hikes,

four snowshoe hikes, three full moon hikes. First day hikes are free. People should dress for

the weather, so ideally in layers that can shed when they warm up as they get moving. They may also want to bring a light backpack to store a water bottle, a nutritious snack, binoculars, a camera, and those extra layers of clothing.

A vehicle permit (\$7 for a one-day permit or \$35 for a year-round permit) is also required to enter Minnesota state parks.

For more information, contact the DNR Informa-Center info.dnr@state.mn.us or (888) 646-6367 (8 a.m.-8 p.m. Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday).

Minn. DNR announces new special angling regulations

Special fishing regulations will change March 1 on a number of Minnesota waters following an annual public input and review process, according to the Department of Natural Re-

"Anglers need to know special regulations because they take precedence over statewide regulations," said Al Stevens, fisheries program consultant with the DNR. "We have special regulations to improve fish populations and make fishing better or more sustainable."

Special regulations for individual waters are listed in a separate section of the Minnesota Fishing Regulations booklet and at mndnr.gov/fishmn, and are posted at public accesses.

For this spring, new statewide northern pike zone regulations that take effect on inland waters will make it possible to do away with several previously ex-

isting special regulations that apply to individual waters and aim for similar outcomes as the zone regulations. The new statewide pike regulations go into effect in time for the fishing opener on Saturday, May 12.

On waters that have a special fishing regulation, anglers are required to follow the special regulation and unless otherwise mentioned, all other regulations apply.

The Chronicle wants your youth team pictures!



Has your local youth sports team won the big tournament, had a great weekend, or a suc-

The Chronicle wants to let everyone know about it by putting your team's photo in the sports section!

It's real easy to do! Just send your team's photo to Sports Editor Tom Carothers via email at tomc@glencoenews.com.

Is your picture an actual print? No problem! Just drop it off at the Chronicle office. Please include: name of team, IDs of those pictured, and any related news regarding the

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A Thrill of Hope

Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. Luke 2:11

eginald Fessenden had been working for years to achieve wireless radio communication. Other scientists found his ideas radical and unorthodox, and doubted he would succeed. But he claims that on December 24, 1906, he became the first person to ever play music over the radio.

Fessenden held a contract with a fruit company which had installed wireless systems on roughly a dozen boats to communicate about the harvesting and marketing of bananas. That Christmas Eve, Fessenden said that he told the wireless operators on board all ships to pay attention. At 9 o'clock they heard his voice.

Without Christ there is no hope. Charles Spurgeon He reportedly played a record of an operatic aria, and then he pulled out his violin, playing "O Holy Night" and singing the words to the last verse as he played. Finally, he offered Christmas greetings and read from Luke 2 the story of angels announcing the birth of a Savior to shepherds in Bethlehem.

Both the shepherds in Bethlehem over two thousand years ago and the sailors on board the United Fruit Company ships in 1906 heard an unexpected, surprising message of hope on a dark night. And God still speaks that same message of hope to us today. A Savior has been born for us—Christ the Lord! (Luke 2:11). We can join the choir of angels and believers through the ages who respond with "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rests" (v. 14). God, we give You glory and thank You for sending Your Son Jesus Christ to be our Savior!

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Wed., Dec. 27 — Women's Bible study, 9 a.m.; night prayer, 5 p.m. Sun., Dec. 31 — Sunday school for all ages, 9 a.m.; worship, 10:20

Tues., Jan. 2 - Men's Bible study, 9 a.m. Wed., Jan. 3 — Women's Bible study, 9 a.m.; night prayer, 5 p.m.

CHRIST LUTHERAN 1820 N. Knight Ave., Glencoe Katherine Rood, pastor 320-864-4549 www.christluth.com

Wed., Dec. 27 — No men's Bible study or Naomi Circle; televised worship service on Channel 10, 2 p.m.; no Grace Unlimited, sevenththrough ninth-grade confirmation, bells or choir rehearsal; no midweek worship service; pastor off.

Thurs., Dec. 28 — Pastor off. Fri., Dec. 29 - No women's Bible study; pastor off.

Sat., Dec. 30 — Pastor off. Sun., Dec. 31 — Lay-led worship service, 9 a.m.; no Sunday school or

adult education; pastor off. Mon., Jan. 1 — Church office closed; televised worship on Channel

10, 3 p.m.: pastor off. Tues., Jan. 2 — Ladies fellowship at Gert & Erma's, 10 a.m.

Wed., Jan. 3 — Men's Bible study at Grand Meadows, 8 a.m.; Naomi Circle at Grand Meadows in the Great Room, 9:30 a.m.; televised worship service on Channel 10, 2 p.m.; Grace Unlimited, 3:15 p.m.; fellowship for Abundant Table, 4:30 p.m.; Abundant Table, 5 p.m.; bells, 5:15 p.m.; seventh- through ninthgrade confirmation, 5:30 p.m.; choir rehearsal, 6:15 p.m.; midweek worship service with communion, 7 p.m.

> CHURCH OF PEACE 520 11th St. E., Glencoe

Sun., Dec. 31 - Worship at Friedens, 10 a.m.

ST. PIUS X CHURCH

1014 Knight Ave., Glencoe Wed., Dec. 27 — No junior choir practice; evening prayer, 5:10 p.m.; Mass, 5:30 p.m.; no religious educa-

Thurs., Dec. 28 - Glencoe Regional Health Services Long Term Care Mass, 10:30 a.m.

Fri., Dec. 29 — Morning prayer, 8 a.m.; Mass, 8:20 a.m.; parish offices closed for New Year holiday.

Sat., Dec. 30 — Reconciliation, noon; Mass and blessing of calendars, 6 p.m..

Sun., Dec. 31 - Knights of Columbus leads rosary before Mass; Mass with Knights of Columbus Corporate communion and blessing of calendars, 10 a.m.; Mass in Spanish with baptisms, 11:30 a.m.; no Spanish religious education.

Mon., Jan. 1 — Midnight Mass in Spanish for solemnity of Mary the Mother of God; Mass for solemnity of Mary the Mother of God, 9 a.m.; parish offices closed for New Year holiday.

Tues., Jan. 2 — No Mass; priest New Year holiday.

Wed., Jan. 3 — Evening prayer, 5:10 p.m.; Mass, 5:30 p.m.; kindergarten- through sixth-grade religious education, 7 p.m.-8 p.m.; sevenththrough 10th

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH UCC

1400 Elliott Ave., Glencoe Michael Fritz, interim pastor E-mail: congoucc@gmail.com website: firstcongochurch.org Facebook: First Congregational Church, Glencoe 320-864-3855

Wed., Dec. 27 - Confirmation,

6:30 p.m. Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship service, 9:15 a.m.; no Sunday school; deacons meeting; deaconesses meeting.

Mon., Jan. 1 — Office closed. Tues., Jan. 2 — No Bible study; Christian education board meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Wed., Jan. 3 — Communion at Glencoe Regional Health Services Long Term Care, 10:15 a.m.; confirmation, 6:30 p.m.

> FIRST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN 925 13th St. E., Glencoe Daniel Welch, senior pastor Peter Adelsen, assistant pastor 320-864-5522 www.firstglencoe.org

E-mail: office@firstglencoe.org Wed., Dec. 27 - No public school catechism; no handbells prac-

Thurs., Dec. 28 — No school. Fri., Dec. 29 — No school. Sun., Dec. 31 — Divine service, 8 a.m.; no Bible study or Sunday school; open fellowship time; KDUZ radio broadcast, 9:30 a.m.; divine service with communion, 10:30 a.m. Mon., Jan. 1 — No school; church

office closed. Tues., Jan. 2 — Bible study, 9:30 a.m.; staff meeting, 1 p.m.; tweens meeting, 3 p.m.-5 p.m.; evangelism committee, 6 p.m.; reorganization committee, 6 p.m.; stewardship board, 7 p.m.; day school board, 7 p.m.; men's network in plato, 7 p.m. Wed., Jan. 3 — Christ Chimes, 3:15 p.m.; public school catechism, 3:30 p.m.-4:45 p.m.; Gospel Ringers,

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod 1407 Cedar Ave. N., Glencoe www.gslcglencoe.org

6 p.m.; First Edition Book Club at

Lesa Hueser's home, 6:30 p.m.

Jon Niebuhr, pastor Ted Stroming, DCE E-mail: office@gslcglencoe.org

Sun., Dec. 31 — Christmas hymn sing with communion; no education

Mon., Jan. 1 — Church office

closed. Tues., Jan. 2 — No Bible study;

no prayer ministry; board of education, 6:30 p.m. Wed., Jan. 3 - Kids' Praise, 3 p.m.; board of deacons, 7 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN 4505 80th St., Helen Township Glencoe

Dennis Reichow, Pastor Wed., Dec. 27 — Table Talk, 7

p.m. Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship, 9 a.m. Tues., Jan. 2 — Table Talk, 7 p.m. Wed., Jan. 3 - Seventh- and eighth-grade catechism, 4:15 p.m.; tone chimes, 6:30 p.m.; choir, 7:30

GRACE LUTHERAN 8638 Plum Ave., Brownton Andrew Hermodson-Olsen, pastor E-mail:

Pastor@GraceBrownton.org Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship, 8:45

a.m.

Mon., Jan. 1 — Local broadcast, 6 p.m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN 700 Division St., Brownton R. Allan Reed, pastor Wed., Dec. 27 — No Bible class, confirmation or preschool.

Thurs., Dec. 28 — Concordia Ladies Aid Christmas party at Glencoe Regional Health Services Long Term Care, 2:30 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship with communion, 9 a.m.; no coffee after worship; register for Jan. 7 communion; Channel 7 or 8 worship video; no Sunday school or Bible class.

CONGREGATIONAL Division St., Brownton Merline Duering, pastor browntoncongregational.org

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN 300 Croyden St., Stewart Sat., Dec. 30 — No worship. Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship, 9 a.m.

ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC Stewart Sun., Dec. 31 — Mass, 8 a.m.

ST. MATTHEW'S LUTHERAN Fernando

Aaron Albrecht, pastor Wed., Dec. 27 — Bible study, 4 p.m.; confirmation, 5 p.m. Sun., Dec. 31 — Sunday school, adult forum, 9 a.m.; worship, 10 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH 13372 Nature Ave. (rural Biscay) Robert Taylor, pastor 612-644-0628 (cell) 320-587-5104 (church) E-mail: rlt721@hotmail.com Sun., Dec. 31 - No Sunday school; worship, 10:30 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN 216 McLeod Ave. N., Plato Tyson Mastin, pastor 320-238-2550

E-mail: secretary@christ-4-u.org Thurs., Dec. 28 — Bible study,

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 308 First St. N.E., Plato Brian Brosz, pastor www.platocucc@gmail.com

Wed., Dec. 27 - No confirmation Sun., Dec. 31 - No Sunday

LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH 10478 Bell Ave., Plato Dale Baker, pastor 320-238-2877

chool: worship, 10 a.m.

Email: pastordale@firstlove.one http://lighthousechurch.one Sun., Dec. 27 — Worship with "The Church" message, 10 a.m.; worship and prayer night, 6:30 p.m.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN New Auburn

Bradley Danielson, pastor E-mail: immanuellc@yahoo.com

Wed., Dec. 27 - No confirmation; meet at church for Christmas caroling, 4 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship, 9 a.m.; fellowship, 10 a.m.; no Sunday school.

Wed., Jan. 3 - Junior confirmation class, 4:10 p.m.; senior confirmation class, 5:10 p.m.

GRACE BIBLE CHURCH 300 Cleveland St., Silver Lake Dr. Tom Rakow, pastor 320-327-2352

www.silverlakechurch.org Sat., Dec. 30 - Men's Bible study, 7 a.m.; women's Bible study, 9

Sun., Dec. 31 - "First Light" radio broadcast on KARP 106.9 FM, 7:30 a.m.; prayer time, 9:15 a.m.; worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school for all ages, 10:35 a.m.; New Year's Eve get-together, 8 p.m.

Wed., Jan. 3 — Confirmation class, 6 p.m.; prayer time, 7 p.m. Dial-A-Bible Story, 320-327-

FAITH PRESBYTERIAN 108 W. Main St., Silver Lake 320-327-2452 / Fax 320-327-6562 E-mail:

faithfriends@embarqmail.com Wed., Dec. 27 — Choir practice,

6:30 pm. Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship, 10 a.m.; fellowship following worship.

> HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC **CHURCH** 712 W. Main St., Silver Lake

Rev. Anthony J. Stubeda, pastor

Fr. Paul Schumacher, Associate www.holyfamilysilverlake.org E-mail: office@holyfamilysilverlake.org

Wed., Dec. 27 — Mass, 8 a.m.; Rosary at Cokato Manor, 9:40 a.m.; Mass at Cokato, 10 a.m.; no religious education, Christmas break.

Thurs., Dec. 28 - Rosary at Cedar Crest, 10:10 a.m.; Mass at Cedar Crest, 10:30 a.m. Fri., Dec. 29 — Mass, 8 a.m.;

parish offices closed. Sat., Dec. 30 — Reconciliation, noon; Mass, 4 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 31 — Mass, 8 a.m.; area faith community (AFC) Mass, 8 FRIEDENS COUNTY LINE

11325 Zebra Ave., Norwood Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship, 10 a.m. PRAIRIE COMMUNITY CHURCH

700 First Ave. N., Lester Prairie Al Fiene, pastor 320-395-2320 E-mail: prairielp@gmail.com www.prairielp.org

Wed., Dec. 27 — Adult choir practice, 7:30 p.m. Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday school for all ages,

9:30 a.m. Wed., Jan. 3 - Adult choir practice, 7:30 p.m.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH Corner C.R. 1 and Second St. S. 77 Second Ave. S., Lester Prairie

320-395-2811 Wed., Dec. 27 — Office open, 9

Sun., Dec. 31 — Divine service, 9 .m.: Bible study, 10 a.m. Tues., Jan. 2 — Office open, 9

Wed., Jan. 3 - Office open, 9

BUFFALO CREEK COMMUNITY CHURCH Office: 701 11th St. E Worship: Panther Field House 1621 E 16th St., Glencoe

320-455-2898 PastorRakow@gmail.com www.BuffaloCreekGlencoe.org

Wed., Dec. 27 — Foundation for Life group for fifth- through 12thgraders after school at Buffalo Creek Community Church. Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship at Pan-

ther Field House, 10 a.m. Wed., Jan. 3 — Foundation for Life group for fifth- through 12thgraders after school at Buffalo Creek Community Church.

BETHEL LUTHERAN 77 Lincoln Ave., Lester Prairie Aaron Holmgren, pastor 320-395-2125 bethellutheranlp@gmail.com www.lpbethel.org

Wed., Dec. 27 — Office hours, 10 a.m.; worship and music committee meeting, 5:30 p.m. Thurs., Dec. 28 — Office hours,

10 a.m. Sat., Dec. 30 - Worldwide Mission Movement, 5:30 p.m.

Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship, 9 a.m.; coffee and fellowship, 10 a.m.; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; adult forum, 10:15 a.m.

Mon., Jan. 1 — Prairie Arts Book Club meeting, 7 p.m. Tues., Jan. 2 — Finance board meeting, 6 p.m. Wed., Jan. 3 — Office hours, 10

a.m.; choir, 6 p.m.

a.m.-noon.

LIVING WATER FELLOWSHIP **Hutchinson Event Center** 1005 MN-15 Highway, Hutchinson

P.O. Box 71 Mark G. McCalib, pastor 320-333-9306 gmacpiper@gmail.com

Sun., Dec. 31 — Worship, 10

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Legal Notices

Foreclosure

17-108046

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that default has occurred in the conditions of the following described mortgage

DATE OF MORTGAGE: April 25, 2013

ORIGINAL PRINICIPAL AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE: \$155,047.00 MORT-GAGOR(S): John M. Forcier

MORTGAGEE: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc.

TRANSACTION AGENT: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc.

MIN# 100397202588508128 LENDER OR BROKER AND ORTGAGE ORIGINATOR STATED ON THE MORTGAGE: Nationstar Mortgage, LLC

SERVICER: Nationstar Mortgage LLC d/b/a Mr. Cooper DATE AND PLACE OF FILING:

Filed June 14, 2013, McLeod County Recorder as Document Number A410210

ASSIGNMENTS OF MORT-GAGE: Assigned to: Nationstar Mortgage LC d/b/a Mr. Cooper

PROPERTY:

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF That part of Government Lot 3 in Section 13 in Township 117 North of Range 27 West described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 13 (also known as the Northeast corner of Government Lot 2): thence on an assumed bearing of South 01 degrees 41 minutes 34 seconds East along the East line of said Northwest Quarter. 1412.60 feet: thence South 88 degrees 10 minutes 44 seconds West 1830.86 feet to the point of beginning of the Tract to be described; thence South 62 degrees 55 minutes 47 seconds West 258.93 feet; thence South 22 degrees 40 minutes 43 seconds East. 316.70 feet; thence North 88 degrees 10 minutes 44 seconds East 179.53 feet; thence North 01 degrees 41 minutes 34 seconds West 373.40 feet; thence South 88 degrees 10 minutes 44 seconds West 59.0 feet; thence North 01 degrees 41 minutes 34 seconds West. 33.00 feet to the point of beginning. Together with a 33.00 foot wide ingress and egress easement, the North line of said Easement is described as follows: Commencing at the Northeast corner of said Northwest Quarter; thence on an assumed bearing of South 01 degrees 41 minutes 34 seconds East along the East

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 22727 Zero Avenue, Winsted, MN 55395 COUNTY IN WHICH PROPER-TY IS LOCATED: McLeod

line of said Northwest Quarter a dis-

tance of 1412.60 feet to the point of

beginning of said North line; thence

South 88 degrees 10 minutes 44 sec-

onds West of 1830.86 feet and said

North line there terminating the

South line of said easement shall ter-

minate at the intersection with the

East line of said Northwest Quarter

and at the intersection with a line

which bears South 01 degrees 41

minutes 34 seconds East drawn from

the point of terminous of said North

PROPERTY IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 14.013.0850

THE AMOUNT CLAIMED TO BE DUE ON THE MORTGAGE ON THE DATE OF THE NOTICE: \$147,669,64

THAT all pre-foreclosure requirements have been complied with; that no action or proceeding has been instituted at law to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

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

lows: DATE AND TIME OF SALE: February 1, 2018, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE OF SALE: Sheriff's Main Office, 830 East 11th Street E, Room 4, Glencoe, MN 55336

to pay the debt secured by said mortgage and taxes, if any, on said premises and the costs and disbursements, including attorneys fees allowed by law, subject to redemption within 6 months from the date of said

sale by the mortgagor(s) the personal representatives or assigns. TIME AND DATE TO VACATE PROPERTY: If the real estate is an owner-occupied, single family dwelling, unless otherwise provided by law, the date on or before which the mortgagor(s) must vacate the property, if the mortgage is not reinstated under section 580.30 or the property is not redeemed under sec-

tion 580.23, is 11:59 p.m. on August 1, 2018, or the next business day if August 1, 2018 falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. "THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE

MORTGAGOR, THE MORT-GAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRE-SENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS EN-TERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES SECTION 582.032 DE-TERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORT-GAGED PREMISES ARE IM-PROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF LESS THAN 5 UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED FOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABAN-

Dated: December 4, 2017 Nationstar Mortgage LLC d/b/a Mr. Cooper

Assignee of Mortgagee SHAPIRO & ZIELKE, LLP

Lawrence P. Zielke - 152559 Diane F. Mach - 2737888 Melissa L.B. Porter - 0337778 Randolph W. Dawdy - 2610X Gary J. Evers – 00134764 Tracy J. Halliday – 034610X Attorneys for Mortgagee 12550 West Frontage Road, Ste. 200 Burnsville, MN 55337 (952) 831-4060

THIS IS A COMMUNICATION FROM A DEBT COLLECTOR. (Published in The McLeod County Chronicle December 13, 20, 27, 2017, January 3, 10 and 17, 2018)

Foreclosure

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that default has occurred in the conditions of the following described

mortgage: DATE OF MORTGAGE: Novem-

ber 13, 2009 ORIGINAL. PRINICIPAL AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE: \$68,850.00

MORTGAGOR(S): Alexander J. Ostlie, a single person

MORTGAGEE: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. TRANSACTION AGENT: Mort-

gage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. MIN#: 1000269-0003122118-6

LENDER OR BROKER AND MORTGAGE ORIGINATOR STAT-ED ON THE MORTGAGE: Bell America Mortgage LLC DBA Bell

SERVICER: JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.

DATE AND PLACE OF FILING: Filed November 17, 2009, McLeod County Recorder, as Document Number 387070, thereafter modified by Loan Modification Agreement dated November 13, 2009 recorded November 21, 2013 as document number 412872

ASSIGNMENTS OF MORT-GAGE: Assigned to: JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association. Dated: June 25, 2012 filed July 19, 2012, recorded as document number

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:

Lot Fifteen (15) and South 16 ½ feet of Lot Fourteen (14) and Twentv-Five (25) feet of vacated alley of Lot Fifteen (15), Block 2, Samonn's Addition

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 124 Hickory St. S. Lester Prairie, MN

COUNTY IN WHICH PROPER-TY IS LOCATED: McLeod PROPERTY IDENTIFICATION

NUMBER: 17.055.0200 THE AMOUNT CLAIMED TO BE DUE ON THE MORTGAGE ON

THE DATE OF THE NOTICE: \$69,328.98 THAT all pre-foreclosure requirements have been complied with; that no action or proceeding has been instituted at law to recover the debt se-

cured by said mortgage, or any part thereof: PURSUANT, to the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the above described property will be sold by the Sheriff of said county as fol-

DATE AND TIME OF SALE: January 25, 2018, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE OF SALE: Sheriff's Main Office, 830 East 11th Street E, Room 4. Glencoe, MN 55336

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

TIME AND DATE TO VACATE PROPERTY: If the real estate is an owner-occupied, single family dwelling, unless otherwise provided by law, the date on or before which the mortgagor(s) must vacate the property, if the mortgage is not reinstated under section 580.30 or the property is not redeemed under section 580.23, is 11:59 p.m. on July 25, 2018. or the next business day if July 25, 2018 falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday.

"THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR. THE MORT-GAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRE-SENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS EN-TERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES SECTION 582.032 DE-TERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORT-GAGED PREMISES ARE IM-PROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF LESS THAN 5 UNITS. ARE NOT PROPERTY USED FOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABAN-DONED.

Dated: November 128, 2017 JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association

Assignee of Mortgagee SHAPIRO & ZIELKE, LLP

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Notice to Public

NOTICE

Damon Eugene Jackson. Please take note that a petition has been filed with the McLeod County District Court seeking to adjudicate your children, N.R.M.J. date of birth 11/6/2008, and J.M.L., Jr. date of birth 12/28/2011 as in need of protec-

A hearing has been scheduled for January 29, 2018, at 2:00 p.m. at the McLeod County Courthouse at 830 East 11th Street, Glencoe, MN. Your presence is required. If you fail to attend the hearing on January 29, 2018, at 2:00 p.m. the Court will adjudicate N.R.M.J. and J.M.L., Jr. as in need of protection or services by default, without your appearance and input. You may obtain a copy of the petition, and any Order issued from the Court, from McLeod County Court Administration.

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Penn Township

Penn Township Filing Notice

Notice is hereby given that qualified voters who wish to be candidates for office in Penn Township, McLeod County and State of Minnesota, must file affidavit for candidacy with the Township Clerk between 8 A.M. Tuesday January 2, 2018 and 5 P.M. Tuesday, January 16, 2018. Filing fee of two (\$2) dollars must accompany each affidavit of candidacy.

Offices to be filled at this election are One Supervisor for a term of three years and one clerk for a term of two years. The names of candidates properly filed will be printed on the township ballot for the Annual Township Election which will be held on Tuesday, March 13, 2018 at the Penn Township Hall at 15989 40th Street.

Given under my hand this 11th day of December, 2017.

> Donald R. Albrecht Penn Township Clerk

320-328-5375 (Published in The McLeod County Chronicle December 20 and 28,

Collins Township

Collins Township Filing Notice

Notice is hereby given that qualified voters of Collins Township who wish to be candidates for office in Collins Township, McLeod County, Minnesota, must file an affidavit of candidacy with the town clerk at his home at 12535 County Road 7, Stewart, Minnesota between 8 AM Tuesday, January 2, 2018 and 5 P.M. Tuesday, January 16, 2018. The filing fee is \$2.00.

Offices subject to election are one (1) Supervisor for a three (3) year term, and one (1) Clerk for a two (2)

The names of candidates properly filed will be printed on the official township ballot for the annual election which will be held at the Stewart Community Center on Tuesday, March 13, 2018 from 5 P.M. to 8 P.M. with the annual meeting following.

Gary Asche, Clerk **Collins Township**

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Hale Township

HALE TOWNSHIP Filing Notice

Filing for the following of the Hale Township board open Tuesday, January 2, 2018 and will remain open until Tuesday, January 16, 2018 at 5

Offices to be filled at this election are:

° One Supervisor for a three-year term.

° One Clerk for a two-year term. Affidavits may be obtained at the

home of the clerk. Tammy Stifter Hale Township Clerk 10255 225th Street

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Round Grove Township

NOTICE OF FILING TOWNSHIP OFFICE

ROUND GROVE TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given that qualified voters who wish to be candidates for office in Round Grove Township, McLeod County and State of Minnesota, must file an affidavit for candidacy with the Township Clerk between 1 P.M. to 5 P.M. Tuesday, January 2, 2018 through Tuesday, January 16, 2018. The filing fee is \$2 and must be accompanied by an affidavit of candidacy.

Offices to be filled at the March 13, 2018 election are: one Supervisor position for a three-year term, one Clerk position for a two-year term, and a special election to fill a super-

Names of the candidates properly filed will be printed on the township ballot for the March 13, 2018 annual Township Election day.

The election will be held at Round Grove Township Hall located at 20731 50th St, Stewart, MN.

> Deborah Zellmann, Clerk Round Grove Township

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Assumed Name

Certificate of Assumed Name

STATE OF MINNESOTA DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF MCLEOD FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Twin Cities Metro-Certified Development Company, Plaintiff,

Jungclaus Implement, Inc. and Mark J. Jungclaus, Defendants.

SUMMONS THIS SUMMONS IS DIRECTED TO THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF **HELEN A. Reinert.**

1. YOU ARE BEING SUED. The Plaintiff has started a lawsuit against you. The Plaintiff's Complaint against you is attached to this Sum-

mons. Do not throw these papers away. They are official papers that affect your rights. You must respond to this lawsuit even though it may not yet be filed with the Court and there may be no court file number on this Summons.

2. YOU MUST REPLY WITHIN 20 DAYS TO PROTECT YOUR RIGHTS. You must give or mail to the person who signed this summons a written response called an Answer within twenty (20) days of the date on which you received this Summons. You must send a copy of your Answer to the person who signed this Summons located at:

Mark E. Duea GDO LAW

4770 White Bear Parkway, Suite 100 White Bear Lake, MN 55110

3. YOU MUST RESPOND TO EACH CLAIM. The Answer is your written response to the Plaintiff's Complaint. In your Answer you must state whether you agree or disagree with each paragraph of the Complaint. If you believe the Plaintiff should not be given everything asked for in the Complaint, you must say so in your Answer.

4. YOU WILL LOSE YOUR CASE IF YOU DO NOT SEND A WRIT-TEN RESPONSE TO THE COM-PLAINT TO THE PERSON WHO SIGNED THIS SUMMONS. If you do not answer within twenty (20) days, you will lose this case. You will not get to tell your side of the story, and the Court may decide against you and award the Plaintiff everything asked for in the Complaint. If you do not want to contest the claims stated in the Complaint, you do not need to respond. A default judgment can then be entered against you for the relief request in the Complaint.

5. LEGAL ASSISTANCE. You may wish to get legal help from a lawyer. If you do not have a lawyer, the Court Administrator may have information about places where you can get legal assistance. Even if you cannot get legal help, you must still provide a written Answer to protect your rights or you may lose the case.

6. ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RES-OLUTION. The parties may agree to or be ordered to participate in an alternative dispute resolution process under Rule 114 of the Minnesota General Rules of Practice. You must still send your written response to the Complaint even if you expect to use alternative means of resolving this

The Purpose of this action includes the foreclosure of mortgages executed by Defendants covering real estate legally, described as follows:

Lots 2, 3, 6, and 7, Block 75, Town of Franklin and Lot 2, Block 84, Town of Franklin. Together with that portion of vacation of 6th Street lying between Lot 7, Block 75, Town of Franklin and Lot 2, Block 84, Town of Franklin.

Lots 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, Block 84, Town of Franklin Except those parts of Lots 5, 7, and 8, condemned by the State of Minnesota for Highway purposes.

AND

AND Lots 1,4,5,6, and 7 of Block, Town of Franklin, all of which lands are situated in the City of Glencoe.

Together with any vacated streets and alleys lying adjacent thereto.

GDO LAW Dated: October 18, 2017 /s/ Mark E. Duca Mark E. Duea (#0027351X) 4770 White Bear Parkway, Suite 100 White Bear Lake, MN 55110 (651) 426-3249 chrisolson@gdolaw.com Attorneys for Plaintiff

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City of Glencoe

GLENCOE CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES DECEMBER 4, 2017

Vice President Alexander called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. in Mayor Wilson's absence. Members present: Neid, Schrupp, Alexander, Robeck and Ziemer arrived after the meeting was called to order. Also present: City Administrator Mark Larson, City Attorney Mark Ostlund, Finance Director Trippel, Assistant City Administrator Ehrke, PWDs Schreifels and Voigt, Police Chief

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND MOMENT OF SILENCE CON-

Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented by Member Neid, second by Member Schrupp. All members present voted in favor.

A. Approve the minutes of the regular meeting of November 20, 2017. B. Approve the following building

1. Brian Coon, 301 Andrew Dr; Re-

2. Lee Lemke, 1327 Elliott Ave N; Window Replacement 3. Anthony Paggen, 1503 15th St E; Re-side

4. Mark Walford, 1411 Birch Ave N; Window Replacement C. Approve the following licenses: Casey's General Stores; Tobacco

License Renewal 2. Go For It Gas; Tobacco License Renewal

3. Super America; Tobacco License Renewal 4. Coborn's; Tobacco License Re-

newal 5. VFW; Dart Game-Music Machine License Renewal

PUBLIC HEARINGS: A. 7:15 P.M. TRUTH IN TAXA-

TION HEARING City Administrator Mark Larson reviewed the proposed levy, general fund budget and debt services and special levies. The General Fund/Ad Valorem levy is proposed to be \$1,577,000 with debt service and special levy total \$806,000.00 for a total of \$2,383,000 for an overall increase from 2017 of 4.886%. The McLeod County Auditor's Office informed the City that the City's tax rate drops from 78.359% to 73.308% due to the increase value of property in the City due to commercial, industrial and new home construction. Councilor Schrupp motioned to open the hearing and Councilor Neid seconded. All members voted in favor. There being no public input, Councilor Neid motioned to close the hearing. Councilor Schrupp seconded. All members voted in favor.

BIDS AND QUOTES: A.OAK LEAF PARK PLAY-GROUND

Public Works Director Voigt informed the council members that the Park Board has determined that the needed repairs and safety issues with the existing playground at Oak Leaf Park, along with not being able to get parts for the equipment to make it ADA compliant, they would look at the cost for replacing the old outdated equipment with new equipment and give the park a new look, along with the new campground and every-

thing else the park has to offer. It was recommended by the Park Board to approve the plan with Midwest Playscapes quote for the new equipment along with installation of boarder sidewalk for a total quote in the amount of \$131,831.00. Funds will be provided for this project by the Park Improvement Fund.

Councilor Neid entered that motion with Councilor Schrupp seconding. All members voted in favor. REQUESTS TO BE HEARD: A.POLICE ADMINISTRATION AS-

SISTANT POSITION Chief Raiter made the recommendation that Elisa Dording fill the position of Gloria Tonak who retired December 1, 2017. Elisa has been working part time for the Glencoe Police Department since May of 2015 and is currently employed by the McLeod County Sheriff's office as a Communications Officer and Records Clerk. She would accept the full time position on May 1, 2018 as she will be out on maternity leave until the end of April. Motion to approve the hiring of Elisa Dording by Member Schrupp, second by Member Neid. All members voted in favor. It was further recommended to approve the memorandum of under-standing with Michelle Scheidt to temporarily fill the full-time position

and revert back to part time status on May 1, 2018. Member Schrupp entered that motion with Member Neid seconding. All members voted in favor.

B. EMPLOYEE WAGES AND IN-SURANCE FOR 2018 City Administrator Mark Larson made the recommendation for employee contributions for dependent coverage be increased from 20% to 25% to help offset the increase in costs to the city for health insurance. He also recommended at 2.5% wage increase for employees. Discussion led to a motion by Member Ziemer to approve wages and insurance costs as recommended. Second was entered by Member Alexander. Members voting in favor, were Ziemer and Alexander. Entering a nay vote were members Robeck, Neid and Schrupp. Motion failed. Schrupp then entered a motion for a 2% wage increase and insurance for dependents at a 25% contribution. Member Neid seconded the motion. Members voting in favor were Neid, Alexander and Schrupp Voting no were Ziemer and Robeck

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION: A.COUNCIL WORKSHOP – DE-CEMBER 11, 2017 AT 4:00 P.M. Central Storm Sewer Project will be

Motion carried.

ROUTINE BUSINESS: PROJECT UPDATES: None ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: None

PUBLIC INPUT: None

REPORTS: None CITY BILLS: Councilor Schrupp motioned to approve payment of the city bills. Councilor Ziemer seconded. All members voted in favor. CLOSE MEETING TO DISCUSS

LAND ACQUISITION Motion to close the regular meeting by Councilor Schrupp, second by Councilor Neid. Members voting in favor Schrupp, Neid, Ziemer and Alexander. Robeck voted no. Motion

carried Motion to re-open entered by Member Alexander, second by Member Schrupp. All members voted in favor. ADJOURN: Motion to adjourn by Member Alexander, second by

Schrupp. All members voted in favor. Mark D. Larson

City Administrator

ATTEST: Randy Wilson Mayor

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McLeod County

McLeod County Board of **Commissioners Meeting Minutes** 11/7/17

Commissioners Nagel, Wright, Pohlmeier, Shimanski and Krueger

Krueger/Wright motion carried unanimously to approve the agenda

Pohlmeier/Shimanski motion approved the consent agenda including November 21, 2017 Meeting Minutes and Synopsis;

November 17, 2017 Auditor's

Warrants; November 22, 2017; Approve agreement with State of Minnesota for Safe and Secure Courthouse Initiative Grant in an amount not to exceed \$22,535; Approve annual renewal of Southwest Metro Drug Task Force Joint Powers Agreement; Approve annual renewal of contract with Hutchinson Health Outpatient Mental Health Services and Mental Health Hold Orders; Approve annual renewal of contract with Village Ranch Family Services - Children's Therapeutic Services and Supports; Approve annual renewal of contract with Laural Olson, Independent Contractor - Independent Living Skills; Approve annual renewal of contract with Jeanne M. Fritz, Independent Contractor - Children's Mental Health Clinical Supervision; Approve annual renewal of contract with Richard Decker, Independent Contractor - Mental Health Clinical Supervision; Approve annual renewal of contract with SW MN Adult MH Consortium - ARMHS (Adult Rehabilitative MH Services), ACT (Assertive Community Treatment) Services, and Regional Housing Services; Approve annual renewal of contract with Woodland Centers Adult and Youth Crisis Stabilization and Detoxification; Approve annual renewal of contract with TRIM-IN Systems - Annual Support for ACS (Agency Collection) & SWS (Soc. Welfare) systems; Approve annual renewal of contract with DHS Child Support Interagency Cooperative Agreement - with Soc. Svc., Sheriff, and County Attorney; Approve annual renewal of contract with West Central Industries - Supportive Employment Services (Full Day; Partial Day; Monthly Service Unit); Approve annual renewal of contract with County Attorney -Fraud Contract for Income Maintenance; Approve annual renewal of contract with Seneca Family of Agencies - relative searches; Approve annual renewal of contract with Semi-Independent Living Services (SILS) Aveyron Homes, REM and Diversified Lifestyles; Approve the Sale of Cigarette and other Tobacco Products License for Hutchinson Co-op, in Silver Lake, MN from January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018; Approve upgrade in license to Liquor, Wine, Club or 3.2% On Sale and Sunday Sale Licenses for

December 31, 2018. Shimanski/Krueger motion carried unanimously to approve payment of bills totaling \$229,512.60 from the

Major Ave Hunt Club in Glencoe,

MN from January 1, 2018 through

aforementioned funds Nagel/Krueger motion carried unanimously to accept quote #15245753 from Xigent (Plymouth MN) off the state contract for \$51,248.51 to purchase and replace our aging backup storage infrastructure with funding coming from the IT

capital budget. Pohlmeier/Shimanski motion carried unanimously to accept quote #4006150107-v4 from Xigent (Plymouth MN) off the state contract for \$22,445.56 to purchase two physical servers to replace three with funding

coming from the IT capital budget. Krueger/Pohlmeier motion carried unanimously to accept quote #JKVQ093 from CDW-G (Chicago, IL) off the state contract for \$13,848.80 to purchase and replace aging routers with funding coming

from the IT capital budget. Wright/Shimanski motion carried unanimously to accept quote #219578904 from Insight Public Sector (Tempe, AZ) off the state contract for \$6,629.40 to purchase Check-Point Smart Event software with funding coming from the IT capital

Nagel/Shimanski motion carried unanimously to accept pro-

from Braun Intertec (Minneapolis, MN) for at least 3 core samples of the gym floor in the Commercial Building at a cost of \$7,535 with funding coming from the

Fairgrounds 2017 budget. Wright/Krueger motion carried unanimously to concur with

of SAP 43-598-015 (bridge L5809 replacement on CR 90) to lowest responsible bidder, which was Landwehr Construction (St.

Cloud, MN) with a low bid of \$69,890 for alternate A (completion this year).

Shimanski/Pohlmeier motion carried unanimously to approve purchase of a 2017 John Deere 5085E Utility Tractor from Midwest Machinery (Glencoe, MN) for \$48,877.48 (State Contract) with insurance covering \$26,998.33 and remaining coming from Highway re-

Pohlmeier/Krueger motion carried unanimously of final acceptance and payment of \$186,381.24 to PCI Roads (St. Michael, MN) for SAP 43-603-032, concrete overlay on

Krueger/Pohlmeier motion carried unanimously to adopt

17-CB-38 Authorizing the County to make application to the Minnesota Secretary of State for the

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3rd-grade Panther Pride honorees

Glencoe-Silver Lake Lakeside Elementary announced its December Panther Pride honorees at a recent all-school meeting. Third-grade Panther Pride awards went to, front row from left, Teagan Mueller, Leo Soto, William

Perez Avilez and Hannah Fillbrandt; and, back row, Phillip Tkachenko, Breckynn Lindeman, Jacey Wischnack, Madison Leske, Avrie Butcher and Sophie Dolezal.



4th-grade Panther Pride honorees

Glencoe-Silver Lake Lakeside Elementary announced its December Panther Pride honorees at an all-school meeting. Fourth-grade Panther Pride awards went to, front row from left, Jace

Aldrich, Rylee Magnuson, Gael Rodriguez and Melanie Espinoza; and, back row, Emily Forcier, Sam Hecksel, Carson Kasella, Jackson Wischnack, **Aubrey Lindeman and Denali Buckley.**



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Freshman, sophomore students of the month

cently named its November students of the month. Named from the freshman and sophomore classes were, front row

Glencoe-Silver Lake High School re- from left, Claire Witte, Hannah Boesche and Ethan Bernstein; and, back row, Riley Schuth, Abigail Rae and Lydia



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Junior, senior students of the month

Glencoe-Silver Lake High School resenior classes were, front row from left, Lemke.

Sierra Trebesch, Ashley Teubert and cently named its November students of Austin Pinske; and, back row, livia the month. Named from the junior and Lemke, Andrew Wraspir and Madalyn



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5th-grade Panther Pride honorees

Glencoe-Silver Lake Lakeside Elementary announced its December Panther Pride honorees at a recent all-school meeting. Fifth-grade Panther Pride awards went to, front row from left, Mari-Ihlee Bigbear, Nathan Cole, Sophie Groe and Mason Breitkreutz; and, back row, Savannah Bonderman, Anahi Rivera, Holden Anderson, Leo Reves, Joseph Trevino and Rita Tkachenko.



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6th-grade Panther Pride honorees

Glencoe-Silver Lake Lakeside Elementary announced its December Panther Pride honorees at an all-school meeting. Sixth-grade Panther Pride awards went to, from row from left, Pedro Sanchez, Alonso Torres, Cavin

Streufert, Tristan Taber, Tiara Grafton; and, back row, Hunter Schmitt, Kadence Gildea, Morgyn Lamberger, Taryn Zellmann and Kody Leske. Missing from the photo: Elizabeth Hilerio.

GSL Junior High honor roll

week that there were some calculation errors on its first-trimester junior high honor roll. Below is the corrected version.

Glencoe-Silver Lake's Lincoln Junior High School has announced its first-trimester honor roll.

"A" Honor Roll

Seventh grade — Jaxin Anderson, Sawyer Ardolf, Trevor Arredondo, Calla Becker, Megan Becker, Lucas Brelje, Brooke Brown, Logan Christensen, Jesse Dahlke, Noah Dressen, Karli Felland, Geneva Foley, Alexa Forar, Benjamin Gildea, Brady Graupmann, Alyssa Gruber, Courtney Hatlestad, Adam Hedtke, Cameron Johnson, Sawyer Kaczmarek, Ella Kornilova, Jacqueline Lemke, Shawn McHugh, Jenna Neyers, Isabella Nowak, Kassima Pedersen, Dane Petersen, Sabas Rangel, Caleb Schuth, Damion Schwartz, Ellie Sonju, Finley Sturges, Lena Touailat, Dawson Varpness, Alaina Voss, William Wanous and Emily Zerwas.

Eighth grade — Brenna Adams, Madison Anderson, Meadow Askerud, Jacob Baumgarten, Brooke Becker, Elise Betcher, Abigale Boetel, Riley Butcher, Beau

Davis, Kianna Dolezal, Emma Gepson, Alisia Goettl, Abagail Gruber, Kendall Guerrero, Spencer Lemke, Beau Lepel, Miranda Litzau, Caroline Major, Madeline Manteuffel, Malayh Metcalf, Porter Mikolichek, Linette Munoz, Leah Nemec, Tatjanna Pedersen, Zachary Reichow, Amanda Rosenlund, Elida Roskamp, Carter Ruschmeier, Zoe Ruschmeier, Kindrid Sandberg, Caroline Schmidt, Elisabeth Schmieg, Jacob Schrupp, Jackson Stifter, Nathan Stoltenburg, Paris Stradtmann, Jacob Vandorpe, Isabel Villarreal, Nicole Washburn, Rebekah Welch, Mariah Wendolek, Tison Werner, Ashley Wise, Elijah Yurek and Alyssa Zell-

"B" Honor Roll

Seventh grade - Miguel Anderson, Nicolas Anguiano, Christian Chmielewski, Adan Cortez, Kaylee Dose, Emma Dostal, Angelica Duvall, Makenna Eiden, Makenzie Elgren, Hunter Gens, Armando Guardado, Sydney Harpel, Michael Headlee, Francisco Hernandez, Aaron Higgins, Mason Ittel, Ross Jerabek, Frank Jilek, Skyler Kirchoff, Trevor Kirchoff, Cadance Knick, Emil Kornilov,

Editor's Note: Glencoe- Christensen, Sara Cross, Alexander Martin, Courtney Silver Lake announced last Alexis Dahlman, Maxwell Mathwig, Eliot Montes, Raquel Nelson, McKenzie Patnaude, Dawson Platt, Gavin Popp, Crystal Richards, Tage Rosenlund, Caleb Rubow, Lyla Salinas, Hunter Schaefer, Jacob Schermann, Parker Simonson, Samantha Swanlund, Jenna Trippel, William Urban, Allison Valentine and Treighton Wemhoff.

> Eighth grade - Kaeden Amberg, Angel Balboa, Azeneth Becerra, Sophia Becker, Jasmine Chavarria, Logan Clouse, Ethan Domeier, Paige Drew, Bianca Espinoza, Bobbi Finch, Faith Geiken, Malayna Graf, Aolani Guardado, Connor Hallaway, Mackenzie Hesse, Marco Iracheta, Mitchel Jaskowiak, Cameron Kaczmarek, Karlee Karg, Andrew Kettner, Caden Lang, Elijah Liestman, Brent Lipke, Eleanore Littlejohn, Ella Malz, Sofia Mattson, Dale McCrea, Alexandria Menning, Zachery Meyer, Afton Nelson, Zachary Nowak, Alberto Otero, Calista Pedraza, Owen Peterson, Tyler Roehrich, Tai Rosenlund, Faith Ross, Daniel Schulz, Gabrielle Schwirtz, Brianna Tabbert, Aaron Ward, Alexander Wick, Makayla Wigern and Samantha Yurek.



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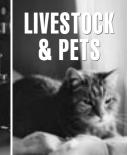
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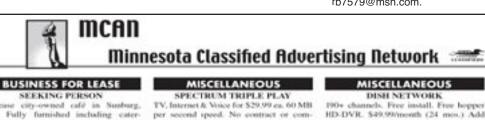
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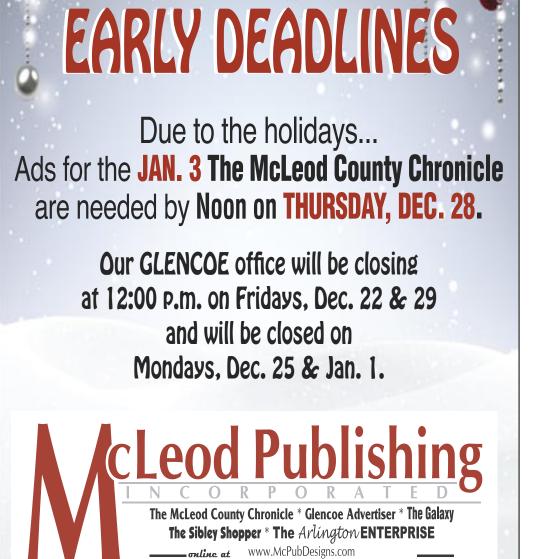
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Legals

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Voting Equipment Grant. Wright/Shimanski motion carried unanimously to approve rerating Sign Technician/Maintenance II and Weed Sprayer/Maintenance II

from a Grade 140 to a Grade 150. Nagel/Shimanski motion carried unanimously to hire a Jail Technical Specialist I Grade 130 to replace Technical Specialist I and post inter-

Shimanski/Wright motion carried unanimously to set the 2018 nonunion salary increases at 3% for all full and part-time employees who are not at the salary range maximum. In addition, Sheriff Posse, Veteran Van Drivers, returning seasonal part-time (67 shifts) will receive a 3% wage in-

Shimanski/Krueger motion carried unanimously to adopt Resolution 17-CB-42 Setting the 2018 Commissioner Salary at \$29,352 Per Diem at \$75/\$125 and Mileage reimbursement rate of .35/mile.

Wright/Nagel motion carried unanimously to approve upgrade in license to Liquor, Wine, Club or 3.2% On Sale and Sunday Sale Licenses for Brownton Rod & Gun Club in Brownton, MN from January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018 pending \$1M dram shop insurance.

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Probate

STATE OF MINNESOTA DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF MCLEOD FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT

In Re: Estate of Connie Susan Olmscheid Also known as Connie S. Olmscheid Decedent.

NOTICE OF AND ORDER FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR FORMAL PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PER-SONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

It is Ordered and Notice is given that on February 5, 2018 at 8:30 a.m., a hearing will be held in this Court at the McLeod County Courthouse, 830 East 11th Street, Glencoe, Minnesota, 55336, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the decedent's Will dated October 6, 1990,

and for the appointment of Corey Lee Olmscheid, whose address is 1162 Oakwood Ct. NW, Hutchinson, Minnesota 55350, as personal representative of the estate of the decedent in an unsupervised administration.

Any objections to the petition must be raised at the hearing or filed with the Court prior to the hearing. If the petition is proper and no objections are filed or raised, the personal representative will be appointed with the full power to administer the estate, including the power to collect all assets; pay all legal debts, claims, taxes, and expenses; sell real and personal property; and do all necessary acts for the estate.

Notice is also given that, subject to Minn. Stat. § 524.3-801, all creditors having claims against the decedent's estate are required to present the claims to the personal representative or to the Court within four (4) months after the date of this notice or the claims will be barred. Dated: December 13, 2017

BY THE COURT Jody Winters Judge of District Court

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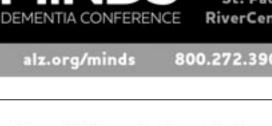
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McLeod Co. Sheriff

TUESDAY, DEC. 19

2:39 a.m. — The sheriff's office assisted the Silver Lake Police Department with suspicious activity on Lake Avenue in Silver Lake.

4:35 a.m. — A deputy checked on a person who was walking along Highway 15, south of Hutchinson. The person did not need any assistance.

5:34 p.m. — The sheriff's office, Hutchinson Fire Department and Allina Ambulance responded to a medical on County Road 7, south of Hutchinson. A person was taken by ambulance to the Hutchinson hospital.

5:49 p.m. — A deputy responded to a property damage two-vehicle accident in the area of York Road and County Road 7, south of Hutchinson.

7:14 p.m. — A deputy conducted a requested welfare check on Vale Avenue, southwest of Hutchinson. Everything was fine.

7:43 p.m. — A deputy assisted a motorist with a medical situation in the area of County Road 7 and 160th Street, south of Hutchinson. 9:16 p.m. — The sheriff's office and Buffalo Lake Ambulance re-

9:16 p.m. — The sheriff's office and Buffalo Lake Ambulance responded to Croyden Street in Stewart for a suicidal person. The individual was taken to the Hutchinson hospital.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20

4:13 a.m. — Deputies conduct-

ed a requested welfare check on 30th Street, southeast of Brownton.

3:29 p.m. — The sheriff's office, Hutchinson Fire Department and Allina Ambulance responded to a one-vehicle rollover on 160th Street, southeast of Hutchinson. Involved was a 2000 Chevrolet Cavalier, owned by Ronald Anderson and driven by Katelyn Anderson, 16, of Hutchinson.

9:29 p.m. — The sheriff's office assisted the Glencoe Police Department with a suicidal person on Pryor Avenue N in Glencoe.

10:31 p.m. — The sheriff's office assisted the Glencoe Police Department with a disturbance on 13th Street E in Glencoe.

THURSDAY, DEC. 21

6:12 p.m. — The sheriff's office, Hutchinson First Responders and Allina Ambulance responded to a medical at a residence on Jefferson Road, south of Hutchin-

7:04 p.m. — A deputy checked on an oil spill from a vehicle in the city of Biscay. It was determined the leakage was not a hazard.

8:16 p.m. — The sheriff's office received a call regarding suspicious activity in the area of 240th Street and Jet Avenue, north of Hutchinson. Deputies secured the area.

9:26 p.m. — Deputies attempted to find a suicidal male from a residence on Lace Avenue, west of Glencoe. He was later found in Anoka County.

The sheriff's report from Friday through Monday was not available because of the early holiday deadline for The Chronicle. It will be published next

McLeod Co. Court

The following case was heard in McLeod County District Court Dec. 8, Judge Jody L. Winters presiding:

Travis John Carlson, 33, of St. Peter, pleaded guilty to one count of giving a peace officer a false name and date of birth. He was ordered to serve 15 days in the McLeod County Jail.

The following cases were heard in McLeod County District Court Dec. 12, Judge Jody L. Winters presiding:

Alexander William Cline, 27, of Glencoe, pleaded guilty to one felony count of possession of a controlled substance. The court stayed the adjudication of sentence and placed him on probation for two years, with the following conditions: that he serve 45 days in the McLeod County Jail, serve 15 days of electronic home monitoring, complete a chemical dependency evaluation and follow its recommendations, have no use of controlled substances, and pay a fine and surcharge of \$200.

Jeffrey Richard Vernon Prafke, 36, of Glencoe, pleaded guilty to one felony count of possession of a controlled substance and one misdemeanor count of driving while impaired by a controlled substance. The court stayed the imposition of sentence and placed him on probation for three years, with the following conditions: that he serve 60 days in the McLeod County Jail, serve 30 days of sentence to service, complete a chemical dependency evaluation and follow its recommendations, have no use or possession of alcohol or drugs, attend a victim impact panel, pay restitution in the amount of \$862.60, and pay a surcharge of \$85.

The following cases were heard in McLeod County District Court Dec. 15, Judge Jody L. Winters presiding:

Shawn Steven Gannaway, 28,

of Inver Grove Heights, appearedfor sentencing on one gross misdemeanor count of driving while impaired, to which he had pleaded guilty in an earlier court appearance. The court stayed the imposition of sentence and placed him on probation for two years, with the following conditions: that he serve 45 days in the McLeod County Jail, serve 30 days of electronic home monitoring, serve 15 days of sentence to service, complete a chemical dependency evaluation and follow its recommendations, have no use or possession of alcohol or drugs, attend a victim impact panel, and pay a fine and surcharge of \$400.

Alberto Garcia, 27, of Gaylord, pleaded guilty to one gross misdemeanor count of possession of a controlled substance. The court stayed the impositon of sentence and placed him on probation for two years, with the following conditions: that he serve 90 days in the McLeod County Jail, complete a chemical dependency evaluation and follow its recommendations, have no use or possession of alcohol or drugs, and pay a surcharge of \$85. He also pleaded guilty to one felony count of possession of a controlled substance. The court stayed the imposition of sentence and placed him on probation for three years, with the following conditions: that he serve 90 days in the McLeod County Jail, complete a chemical dependency evaluation and follow its recommendations, have no use or possession of alcohol or drugs, and pay a surcharge of \$85. The two sentences will run concurrently.

The following case was heard in McLeod County District Court Dec. 18, Judge Jody L. Winters presiding:

Michael Karl Berzins, 32, of Montrose, appeared for sentencing on one felony count of possession of a controlled substance and one misdemeanor count of driving while impaired by a controlled substance. The court had found him guilty of both charges at an earlier court appearance. He was ordered to serve 21 months in prison.

The following case was heard in McLeod County District Court Dec. 20, Judge Jody L. Winters presiding:

Christopher David Welker, 40, of Litchfield, appeared for sentencing on one felony count of criminal sexual conduct, to which he had pleaded guilty at an earlier court appearance. The court stayed the imposition of sentence and placed him on probation for 10 years, with the following conditions: that he serve 365 days in the McLeod County Jail, complete chemical dependency, psychiatric and mental health evaluations and follow their recommendations, have no use or possession of alcohol or drugs, have no contact with the victim or with vulnerable adults, have no unsupervised contact with persons under 18 years of age, attend a sex offender treatment program, not possess any pornographic or sexually explicit material, and pay a surcharge of \$85. The issue of

restitution is reserved.

The following case was heard in McLeod County District Court Dec. 21, Judge Jody L. Winters

Kitty Marie Winter, 54, of Blaine, pleaded guilty to one felony count of escape from custody. The court stayed the imposition of sentence and placed her on probation for three years, with the following conditions: that she serve 75 days in the McLeod County Jail, complete a chemical dependency evaluation and follow its recommendations, have no use or possession of alcohol or drugs, and pay a surcharge of \$85

\$85.

The following misdemeanors and petty misdemeanors were heard in District Court December 18 -21. Minnesota State Patrol (MSP); Sheriff's Office, (SO); Brownton Police Department (BPD); Hutchinson Police Department (HPD); Glencoe Police Department (GPD); Lester Prairie Police Department (LPPD); Silver Lake Police Department (SLPD); Winsted Police Department (WPD); Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

Keith L. Richardson, 36, Minneapolis, driving without a valid license, \$300, possession of drug paraphernalia, concurrent, BPD; Michael K. Berzins, 32, Montrose, DWI, 90 days confinement, 90 days credit for time served, serve as work release if eligible, sentence to serve if eligible, concurrent, GPD; Duncan S. Mc-Cormick, 20, Pennock, speed, \$125, GPD; Clara J. Betker, 75, Hutchinson, driver approaching intersection fails to yield right of way, \$85, HPD; Paul G. Koenig, 48, Litchfield, speed greater than reasonable, \$125, HPD; Akicita V. Black Lance, 24, Glencoe, driving after revocation, \$285, SO; Sean M. Henke, 29, Hutchinson, seat belt, \$110, SO; Sara E. Johnson, 31, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, unlawful passing, \$135, SO;

Melinda S. Munoz, 25, Hutchinson, fail to yield at stop sign, one

year probation, no same or similar, \$100, SO; D. Scott-James Schlagel. Norwood/Young America, speed, \$125, SO; David D. Smahel, 47, Hutchinson, speed, \$145, SO; Marcus A. Taylor, 39, Hutchinson, driving after suspension, one year probation, no same or similar, \$275, possession of drug paraphernalia, concurrent, SO; Bradly C. Wilking, 45, Nicollet, driving after suspension, one year probation, no same or similar, \$275, SO; Bret W. Borth, 54, Chanhassen, speed, \$125, MSP; James D. Friske, 50, Ham Lake, speed, \$125, MSP; Jennifer R. Hietala,18, Hutchinson, seat belt, \$110,

Ivan F. Krivolenkov, 27, Hutchinson, window tint, \$125, illegal head light or tail light covers, dismissed, MSP; Jair E. Rodriguez, 19, Glencoe, speed, one year probation, no same or similar, no careless driving, no reckless driving, \$300, reckless driving, concurrent, MSP; Keith W. Schmidt, 56, Glencoe, speed, \$125, MSP; Alonso M. Cornejo, 20, San Juan, Texas, speed, \$285, GPD; Nicholas S. Page, 20, Crookston, speed, \$125, HPD; Nigel S. Erickson, 31, Brownton, speed, \$135, SO; Steven M. Stegmeier, 62, Hutchinson, speed, \$145, SO; Desiree A. Teubert, 22, Lester Prairie, speed, \$135, SO; Brianna J. Boroughs, 17, New Germany, speed, \$135, MSP; Nicole K. Hahn, 42, Stewart, speed, \$125, MSP; Linda L. Liebe, 70, Aberdeen, South Dakota, speed, \$135, MSP; Lisa A. Miller, Blaine, speed, \$145, MSP; Kurt J. Salmen, 29, Excelsior, speed, \$125, MSP; Thomas P. Steffel, 47, Shakopee, speed, \$125, MSP; Melissa J. Pritchard, 36. Mound, no proof insurance. dismissed, SLPD; Nicole M. Schroeder, 33, Hutchinson, in attentive driving, \$125, SLPD;

Brodie E. Harrington, 22, Glencoe, driving after revocation, no same or similar, no driver licens violations, concurrent, one year probation, 15 days confinement, two days credit for time served, driving after revocation, dismissed, driving after revocation, no same or similar, no driver license violations, \$285, 15 days confinement, two days credit for time served, concurrent, one year probation, GPD; Elissa K. Murphy, 64, Hutchinson, driver must carry proof of insurance, dismissed, HPD; Ellyse G. Donahue, 18, LeSueur, speed, \$125, SO; Breon L. Hoosier, 23. Austin, Texas, speed, \$145, SO; Trevor M. Janke, 20, Hutchinson, speed,

\$145, SO;
Corey D. Murto, 40, St. Paul, driving after revocation, stay of invocation, one year probation, two days confinement, two days credit for time served, serve as work release if eligible, sentence to serve if eligible, keep court/attorney informed of current address, remain law abiding, no same or similar, no driver license violations, \$285, SO; Benjamin J. Aalfs, 27, Robbinsdale, expired registration, \$115, MSP; Sonya

L. Borg, 36, speed, \$125, MSP; Kevin J. Cook, 49, Minnetonka, speed, \$145, MSP; Olivia A. Kassaulker, 20, Arlington, speed, \$225, MSP; Mavis L. Smith, 31, Mahnomen, seat belt, \$110, MSP; Kimberly S. Stewart, child passenger restraint system not fastened, \$135, MSP; Kyle D. Totusek-Guether, 23, Hutchinson, following too close/reasonable, no same or similar, \$818.21, one year probation, MSP; Richard A. Voss, 50, Woodbury, speed, \$125, MSP.

Marriages

Amy Louise Hedlund, Watertown, and Thomas Peter Black, Hutchinson.

Mark Jeffrey Richardson and Luann Spears, both of Hutchinson.

Ryan Elliott Fox and Kaitlyn Rae Ische, both of Glencoe. Amy Lynn Farenbaugh and Geoffrey Kerry Hansen, both of

Hutchinson.

Crystal Gayle Schwarze and

Jon Cutlar, both of Glencoe. **Dissolutions**

Teresa Lynn Dostal, Hutchinson, and Richard Dostal, Glencoe.

Andrea Lynn Mitchell and Shaun Paul Mitchell, both of Hutchinson.

Sara Jane Ross and Brian Bill Burchett, both of Winsted. Jessica Lynn Stuehler, Elk River, and Thomas Erwin

Stuehler, Glencoe.

Heather Marie Landreville and
Mark Gabriel Landreville, both of
Hutchinson.

Steven Mark Hauser, Hutchinson, and Leah Marie Hauser, Wonewa, Wisconsin.



Chronicle photo by Katie Ballalatak

Wee Friends Preschool celebrates Christmas

Some of Wee Friends Creative Preschool students and their parents celebrated Christmas together on Wednesday, Dec. 20, with festive clothes, snacks, crafts, a visit from Santa and plenty of Christmas spirit. In the front row, from left, are Sophia Arandia, Alex Fairbairn (holding the stop sign), Beau Bartels, Nick Barton, Landaon Muhs,

Garrett Axt, Griffin Bargmann and Iris Cathey. In the middle row are Nora Cohrs, Jada Neid, Jordan Redman, Brynlee Feltmann, Camden Moser, Kinley Stuewe, Calvin Alsleben, Wyatt Schauer, Brooke Kohout and Bailey Lanz. In the back row are teacher Niki Moser and Lily Sullivan.



Weather Corner

By Jake Yurek

BRRRRRRR!!! I know it's Minnesota and I've lived here my entire life, but it's still a shock to the system when we get the kind of temperatures we've had since Sunday. A pool of arctic air has settled over the Midwest and by the way things look it won't work out of the area until at least early next week. Highs for the most part have hovered on either side of 0 with lows well below zero and wind chills to 40 and 50 below up north.

Typically it's hard to get any snow when it's this cold but we do have a system to worry about Wednesday into Thursday. If everything pans out correctly we'd only be looking at 1-3 inches of fresh snow, so no monster by any means. The only problem is this type of snow has a tendency to get blown around and cause problems on roads (especially since the timing will be right during the morning commute). Highs will ramp up into the teens with the snow but then quickly fall off again with the weekend most likely seeing temperatures not make it above zero. The good news is computer models are hinting the coldest air will push off early next week so we could see some marginal improvement. There will be another batch of snow Saturday but we should be too cold for it to work in so it should stay from the Black Hills to Iowa and points south. I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas (stayed warm) and Happy New Year's....BE

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Wednesday night — Lows -3 to 3; snow showers. Thursday — Highs 9-16, lows -6 to 0; early snow then

Friday — Highs 2-8, lows -14 to -8; clouds and flur-

Saturday — Highs -6 to 1, lows -18 to -12; partly

Sunday — Highs -5 to 3; partly sunny.

Weather Quiz: What are some of January's weather ex-

Answer to last week's question: Computer models have a tough time forecasting what will happen until after the storm has exited the mountains to our west. Unfortunately this only gives forecasters a little more than a day to hammer out the details. Typically we know about what will happen but a shift of 50-100 miles could mean the difference between 12 inches of snow or nothing.

Remember: I make the forecast, not the weather!



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