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Green Isle Fire Department responded to 47 calls in 2015

By Kurt Menk Editor

The Green Isle Fire Department responded to 47 total calls in 2015, according to Green Isle First Assistant Chief Dan Kroells.

The total number of calls included 16 fire calls, 27 medical calls, one weather watch call, two carbon monoxide calls and one miscellaneous call.

Twenty of the 47 calls occurred in the City of Green Isle. Thirteen calls were in Green Isle Township and 10 calls in Washington Lake Township. There were no calls in Jessenland Township. In addition, there were four mutual aid given calls and

calls.

The number of total calls increased by seven calls compared to 2014 when the fire department responded to 10 fire calls, 27 medical calls, two weather watches and one miscellaneous call.

According to Kroells, the fire department had a total of

four mutual aid received 256 meeting hours, 343.5 training hours and 451.7 fire and rescue on duty hours.

In addition, the fire department had an average of 9.25 firefighters at each call. The average response time was three minutes, 27 seconds. The average route time was three minutes, 11 seconds. In other notes of interest,

the Green Isle Fire Department received \$3,360 in grant dollars during 2014.

The officers for the Green Isle Fire Department include Fire Chief Scott Vos, First Assistant Chief Dan Kroells and Second Assistant Chief Kort Meyer.

The rest of the fire department includes Randal Bruegger, Keith Doetkott, Jeff Ehrich, Dave Flannery, Dan Graczak, Mario Hieronimus, Joe Lemke, Jason Mackenthun, Todd Meeker, Nate Ott, Steve Renneberg, J.J. Schauer, Dean Stoeckman, Kalab Stockman, Adam Thaemert, Joel Wentzlaff, Adam Wroge and Ryan Wroge.

City Council reviews building permits report

By Kurt Menk Editor

The Arlington City Council, during its regular meeting on Monday night, Jan. 4, reviewed the Arlington 2015 Building Permit Report.

There were a total of 146 building permits in 2015. That included two new construction, 17 additions/remodels, 51 roofs/sidings/windows, one garage/accessory, 35 plumbing/mechanicals, 14 miscellaneous and 26 land use.

The total valuation of the building permits was \$2,720,908.

In comparison, there were a total of 134 building permits in 2014. That included two new construction, 22 additions/remodels. roofs/sidings/windows, two garages/-accessories, 27 plumbing/-mechanicals, 15 miscellaneous and 19 land use

The total valuation of the building permits was \$2,964,578 during 2014.

In addition, there were a total of 120 building permits in 2013. That included one new construction, 17 additions/remodels, 43 roofs/sidings/windows, 21 plumbing/mechanicals, seven garage/accessories, 12 miscellaneous and 19 land use.

The total valuation of the building permits was \$859,391 during 2013.

The Sibley County Commissioners posed for a photo minutes before their meeting on Tuesday morning, Jan. 5. Left to right: County Commissioners Jim Swanson, Joy Cohrs, Gary

Enterprise photo by Amy Newsom

Kruggel, Bobbie Harder, Bill Pinske and County Administrator Roxy Traxler.

Harder is new County Board chairperson

By Amy Newsom Correspondent

ty Board meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 5, Bobbie Harder was appointed the new chairperson of the Sibley County Board and Gary Kruggel was appointed as the vice chairperson. The Board also approved amending the rules of

posal, Waste Management (Mankato), and Mike's Roll-Offs. Christensen was pleased with the list stating that Sibley County offered more options than Nicollet or Le Sueur counties.

Christensen also stated that after winning the Recycling Association of Minnesota's Public Service Award for its

four years. In 2014, the average monthly loss for the program was \$6,236.88.

Stock has found three agencies that will come into Sibley County and provide the same level of services that clients have been receiving. Stock said that most of the clients are receiving homemaking services. Homemaking services include dusting, sweeping, floor scrubbing, personal laundry, grocery shopping, and running errands for the clients. There are 10 part-time home health aides and homemakers that will be laid off when the program is terminated. These part-time employees work four to 12 hours per week. County Administrator Roxy Traxler said that these part-time employees equal about two full-time equivalents. No full-time positions will be eliminated. By eliminating this program the county anticipates a net savings of approximately \$70,000 in 2016. The county will realize an even larger savings if the recently vacated RN position is not filled. Stock said that the Minnesota Department of Health needs to approve the termination of the program. Once the state approves the termination, Stock's staff will notify clients of the termination and work with them to contact the new providers.

County Commissioner Bill Pinske questioned whether this change would result in an increase to clients. Stock stated that Medicare recipients and veterans will not see an increase, but private clients may or may not see an increase. Private clients will have to contact their nev provider to determine the cost.

City Council votes to eliminate part-time police officer positions

By Kurt Menk Editor

full-time to three full-time police officers at the start of

At the regular Sibley Coun-

The Arlington City Council, during its regular meeting on Monday night, Jan. 4, unanimously approved a motion to eliminate all part-time positions on the Arlington Police Department.

The City Council made the move after a recommendation from Arlington Police Chief Cory Danner.

City Council members Michelle Battcher, Jim Heiland, James Jaszewski, Jennifer Nuesse and Galen Wills all voted in favor of the motion.

With the move from two

2015, there were not as many open shifts to fill, according to Danner.

In addition, the current part-time police officers were unable to cover a number of those remaining open shifts.

Danner then recommended that the Arlington Police Department contract with the Sibley County Sheriff's Department for coverage when needed. He said the move will also save money.

The City Council is expected to act upon the contract at a future meeting.

order to allow the Board chairperson to make and second motions and resolutions of the County Board.

County Website

The Sibley County Board passed resolution #2016-01 making the official location to advertise project bids for the 2016 construction season on the Sibley County website www.co.sibley.mn.us. Public Works Director Tim Becker said that they will continue to advertise project bids in the newspaper, but the website will now be the official location.

> Solid Waste Licenses

Al Christensen, director of Tri-County Solid Waste, presented the Sibley County Board with the list of solid waste licenses. The list includes: Sibley Electric, River View Sanitation, Renville Sibley Sanitation, Gaylord Sanitation, Elite Waste Disagricultural (ag) bag recycling program, he has been asked to speak at various locations including McLeod County and the Solid Waste Administrators Association annual conference.

The ag bag program began in Sibley County in 2007. Farmers can recycle ag bag plastic, seed bag plastic, nylon feed bags, nylon and plastic twine, and nylon mesh hay bale netting twice per year. Recycling is available in Arlington, Gaylord, and Gibbon in April and October. The plastic materials are shredded into eight to 10-inch strips and have been sent to Canada and the I-90 project to be re-used.

Termination

The Board voted to terminate the home care program. Public Health and Human Services Director Vicki Stock stated that there is not enough staff to run the program and the program has decreased in size every year for the past

Drug-Free Grant

The County Board gave approval to Public Health and Human Services to apply for the second phase of the drugfree communities grant. The focus of the grant will be alcohol and marijuana use among students. The grant has a five-year cycle and the current grant will end June 30, but the new grant would not begin until Oct. 1. Public Health and Human Services Director Vicki Stock asked that the county fund the grant staff position during the interim. The Board approved funding the position during the interim at a cost of \$17,500 which will come from reserves.

Harder voiced concerns over funding the position because it is supposed to be a grant funded position. She felt that when the grant is not available the position should not be funded.

No ruling issued yet in the Sibley East and Kranz case

By Kurt Menk Editor

The Sibley East Public Schools and rural Gaylord resident Nathan Kranz are still waiting for a ruling from the Honorable Kevin W. Eide, Judge of the District Court.

The Sibley East Public Schools made a motion for civil contempt and damages against surety bond against Kranz.

Sibley East asked the court for that order in connection with Kranz's failure to obey the court's amended order for surety bond and for a fine and/or damages to offset the increased costs that will ultimately be borne by the school district's taxpayers as a result of the contestant's protracted litigation.

Knutson, Flynn & Deans, P.A., which is representing Sibley East, said in an earlier news release, "The motion seeks an award of \$2,903,424, the additional cost to the school district over the life of the bonds as computed by the school district's financial consultant. The voter-approved bonds

were scheduled to be sold by Jan. 14, 2015, but were delayed by appeals filed by Nathan Kranz until June 10, 2015."

Erick Kaardal, who is representing Kranz, had sent a summons to Sibley East with a Notice of Motion and Motion for Rule 11 Sanctions.

Kranz is seeking attorney fees as sanctions under Rule 11 of the Minnesota Rules of Civil Procedure against Sibley East. The motion is based upon the recent filing of a motion for civil contempt and for damages filed by Sibley East.

Sibley East is seeking a post-judgment order for civil contempt and damages on the district court's amended order dated Jan. 22 which the appellate court adjudicated as moot, according to the motion by Kaardal.

Judge Eide listened to oral arguments on both matters on Monday, Nov. 16, 2015.

He took the matters under advisement and promised a prompt ruling as in the past.

Judge Eide has up to 90 days to make his ruling.

Maria Cermak and Diana Karau from Gaylord file for the SE School Board

By Kurt Menk Editor

Gaylord residents Maria Cermak and Diana Karau have filed as candidates for the open seat on the Sibley East School Board.

Cermak filed on Tuesday, Jan. 12 while Karau filed on Wednesday, Jan. 13.

The filing period opened at 8 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 12 and will close at 5 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 26.

The special election to elect a new School Board member for an eight-month term will be held on Tuesday, April 19. The term will expire on Dec. 31, 2016.

The seat on the School Board became vacant when School Board member Beth DuFrane passed away on Oct. 11, 2015.

Affidavits of candidacy will be available at the Sibley East Public School in Arlington from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. The filing fee for this office is \$2.

A candidate for this office must be an eligible voter, must be 21 years of age or more upon assuming office and must have been a resident of the school district from which the candidate seeks election for 30 days before the special election.

The combined polling place in Green Isle will be the Green Isle City Hall. In Arlington, the combined polling place will be the Arlington Community Center. In Gaylord, it will be Sibley East Junior High School.

The City of Green Isle has requested to change the combined polling location from the Fire Hall to the City Hall. Sibley East Superintendent Jim Amsden said that notices will have to be sent out to every registered voter in the City of Green Isle along with Green Isle Township and Washington Lake Township notifying them of the change in location.

People who have any questions can contact Jim Amsden at 507-964-8224 or jim.amsden@sibleyeast.org.

News Briefs

Vacancies on committees

There is one vacancy each on two committees at the City of Arlington.

There is one vacancy on the Cemetery Committee and one vacancy on the Community Center Committee.

Interested people who would like to serve on one of these committees can contact Arlington Mayor Rich Nagel or call the Arlington City Office at 507-964-2378.

Petzel makes Dean's List

Jordan Petzel, a 2015 graduate of the Siblev East Senior High School, was recently named to the Dean's List at Bethany Lutheran College during the fall academic year.

In order to be named to the Dean's List, a student must carry at least 14 academic credits and maintain at least a 3.5 grade point average.

He is the son of Randy and Judy Petzel, Arlington.

Somerville on Dean's List

Sibley East graduate Alleyce Somerville, an Archaeological Studies major, was recently named to the Dean's List at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse.

To be eligible for this honor, students must have earned not less than a 3.5 semester grade point average and have carried a minimum of 12 credits.

She is the daughter of Scott and Carol Paulsen.

Reierson on Honors List

Britany Reierson, a 2014 graduate of the Sibley East Senior High School, was recently named to the Honors List at Southwest Minnesota State University in Marshall.

To be eligible for this honor, a student must achieve a grade point average between 3.5 and 3.99 on a 4.0 scale.

She is the daughter of Brian and Carlee Reierson, Arlington.

Arlington Conquerors meet

The Arlington Conquerors 4-H Club recently held its meeting. Members delivered the two new white tables to the Senior Citizens building that they bought. The sign stating "No Garbage" for the can collection bin was presented.

Members are encouraged to sign up for the Job Interview Contest to be held in Gaylord on Jan. 25. 4-H Fruit sales will be underway shortly.

The next meeting of the Arlington Conquerors will be at the Senior Citizens Building at 1 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14.

History

90 Years Ago January 21, 1926

Louis Kill, Editor

A wedding of interest to the many friends of two young people of this city was solemnized at St. Mary's church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, the principals being Miss Elizabeth Hipp, daughter of Mrs. Mary Hipp, and Mr. Martin Johengen. The ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Father Schlechter, attracted a large number of rela-

a number of years when they play for the Legion dance here on Thursday, Jan. 24th. The Legion boys are determined to dish up one of the outstanding events of the season and hope to make it a most pleasant affair for all.

50 Years Ago January 13, 1966 Val Kill, Editor

Arlington's Boy Scout troop received its charter on Wednesday evening of last week at a meeting of the Lions Club which sponsors the troop. Mr. and Mrs. James Kath of Arlington are the parents of the first baby to be born in the Arlington Municipal Hospital this year. The baby boy named Karl Martin Kath weighed six pounds 11 ounces was born on Tuesday, January 11. By a unanimous vote the Arlington city council at its first meeting of 1966, Monday evening, voted to begin a program of zoning. They agreed that if the county adopts zoning the city will engage the same firm of consultants to help the zoning here. If the city adopts zoning now the federal government will pay two-thirds of the cost. Also by having zoning the city and county become eligible for many federal programs which would otherwise not be available to them. County Commissioner LeRoy Pinske attended the meeting and presented some of the above facts. He also stated that the road leading east of Arlington to the Sportsmen's Park will be graded this year and a new bridge will be built over High Island Creek.



Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

International Winner

Zachary Pazdernik, front, has been selected as an International Winner in the Knights of Columbus 2014-2015 Substance Abuse Awareness Poster Contest. He was presented with a framed portrait of his poster engraved with his name during a ceremony in the church hall at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Arlington on Sunday morning, Jan. 10. Left to Right: Local

Knights of Columbus Grand Knight Scott Bates, Knights of Columbus State Secretary Bob Penas, Knights of Columbus **District Deputy 36 Keith Heitkamp and Local Poster Contest** Chairperson Mike Feterl. Zachary is the son of Stephanie Halverson, Arlington, and Michael Pazdernik, Eden Prairie.

January is National Radon Action Month

Sibley County Health and Human Services is offering free radon test kits on a firstcome, first- serve basis to residents in the Sibley County area during "Radon Action Month."

People can obtain their free test kit at the Sibley County Service Center located at 111 Eighth Street in Gaylord or by calling 507-237-4000.

Radon is the leading environmental cause of cancer deaths in the United States and the leading cause of lung cancer among non-smokers. More than 21,000 lung cancer deaths are attributed to radon each year in the U.S.

Fortunately, the risk is largely preventable, by testing homes and fixing radon problems. About two in five Minnesota homes have dangerous levels of radon gas and state health officials say every home should be tested.

Radon is an odorless, colorless and tasteless radioactive gas that occurs naturally in Minnesota soils. It can enter into all kinds of homes through cracks or openings in walls or foundations. The only way for residents to know if their home has radon is to test.

during the heating season, but testing can be done yearround. Test kits are available at county health departments, many hardware stores, or directly from radon testing laboratories.

Tests should be done in the lowest level of the home that is frequently occupied. If the home's level is at or above four piC/L, people should consider verification testing and having a radon mitigation system installed. Anyone interested in mitigating his or her home for radon should consult MDH's list of certified radon mitigation contractors at

http://www.health.state.mn.us /divs/eh/indoorair/radon/mitigation.html

During the month of January, the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) is sponsoring radio and internet ads in the Twin Cities and Greater Minnesota to encourage people to test their homes. In addition, MDH has

requires disclosure and information be provided to buyers about radon during Minnesota home sales. The law requires sellers to inform buyers whether their home has been tested for radon and if so, what the levels are and whether the home has been mitigated for radon. In addition, sellers must provide a warning statement and a 2page publication to the buyer. Radon tests can be incorporated into a home inspection. The law does not require radon testing or mitigation.

Another law requires all new homes built since 2009 be built with passive radon resistant features. About 1 in 5 of these newer homes have radon above the recommended action level; this is an improvement over the levels found in the overall Minnesota housing stock where about two in five homes have elevated levels. MDH encourages builders to activate the passive radon resistant fea-

Resistant New Construction Program to builders for over four years. Companies that participate in this program are promoted through MDH's website and print advertising and receive a point towards the Green Path designation. In addition, MDH provides technical support to builders, such as free radon fans for model homes and radon test kits.

To educate real estate professionals and builders about radon, MDH has been offering continuing education classes at no cost. Real estate companies, builders and their associations that are interested in the classes can contact MDH or review the course information at http://www.health.state.mn.us /divs/eh/indoorair/radon/reest atetrain.html.

For more information on radon visit www.health.state.mn.us/radon or call Sibley County Health and Human Services at 50-237-4000

tives and friends of the young couple.

The Arlington Association wishes to adopt a slogan to be used by all Arlington advertisers, for boosting Arlington, and is offering a prize of \$5.00 in cash for the best slogan submitted. This contest is open to everybody, young and old, residing in Arlington and the country tributary of Arlington.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First State Bank of Arlington was held at that institution Tuesday afternoon and there was an exceptionally good attendance. The First State Bank is one of the oldest institutions in the county, serving its patrons in this community for over 30 years. It has weathered more than one financial crisis during this long period of activity without a waver and enjoyed a steady growth in deposits during that time. It is recognized as one of the strongest financial institutions in the county. A air of optimism pervaded the meeting of the stockholders and they look forward to a year of prosperity for their bank as well as the banking business in general, due to the improved agricultural conditions in the northwest.

70 Years Ago January 10, 1946 Louis Kill Editor

Roger, the 13-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schneider of Arlington township, is in the St. Peter Community Hospital as the result of a serious injury sustained in a sliding accident Sunday afternoon. Roger in company with other young people was sliding on a hill on the Morrisette farm, and while coasting at considerable speed his sled struck a ditch and threw him against a tree stump. It was feared that the kidneys or spleen were ruptured and his condition was serious for several days, but last reports are that he is holding his own and physicians have hopes for his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartley Hunt of Arlington will be honored on their Golden Wedding Anniversary at an open house to be held at their home on Sunday, January 13th. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt were married at St. Thomas Catholic Church in Jessenland on January 14, 1896.

The famous Whoopee John and his Band will make their first appearance in Arlington for

20 Years Ago January 18, 1996 Kurt Menk, Editor

A pilot project in tele-medicine will explore new methods of treating patients for medical emergencies at the Arlington Municipal Hospital. Other Emergency Rooms included in the linkage will be Elbow Lake and Long Prairie Hospitals. Patients using the emergency rooms at these three hospitals will be treated by emergency room physicians in Buffalo Hospital via the interactive connection of tele-medicine during the next two months of this pilot project.

The first annual Fish Boil sponsored by the local Knights of Columbus, will be held at St. Mary's Church Hall on Friday, January 19 from 4:30-8:00 p.m.

Four Sibley East wrestlers captured first-place honors at the Rockford Wrestling Tournament. They are Steve Vazquez, Brian Thomes, Mark Vos and Sean Neaton.

The fish were stating to bite at Silver Lake. Some crappies, along with an occasional small walleye and perch, were caught there last week.

Testing is easy, inexpensive and only takes three to five days. The best time to test is

partnered with local public health departments to make test kits available to local residents at low or no cost.

MN Radon Awareness Act

The Minnesota Radon Awareness Act that went into effect on Jan. 1, 2014, now



Thursday, January 14: Golden Age Club, senior citizens building at Four Seasons Park, noon meeting and entertainment. New members welcome!

Monday, January 18: Arlington City Council, council chambers, 6:30 p.m.

Sibley East School Board, room 149, Arlington Campus, 6:30 p.m.

VFW Post 6031, veterans building at fair grounds, 8:00 p.m.

Arlington AA and Al Anon, St. Mary's Catholic Church, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, January 19: Knight's of Columbus, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, January 20: Arlington Good Samaritan Auxiliary, activity room in Nursing home, 9 a.m.



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tures through the addition of a radon fan. In addition, new home buyers can request the fan be added during construction. In these new homes with radon fans, MDH has found very low radon concentrations.

MDH has been promoting a Gold Standard for Radon

and/or the Minnesota Department of Health Indoor Air Unit at 651-201-4601 or 1-800-798-9050. To see how radon has affected the lives of cancer patients and their families visit www.CanSar.org.





Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

Snowman

Snowmen popped up in the area after wet hobby came to a quick halt after sub zero temsnow fell late Thursday night, Jan. 7 into early Friday morning, Jan. 8. The outdoor

peratures hit the area last weekend.

Superintendent's Note Pad

SE building project continues to move forward

By Jim Amsden

Sibley East Superintendent We are quickly approaching the half way point of the 2015-16 school year and have begun planning for the 2016-

2017 school year and beyond. The Sibley East School's building project is continuing to move forward. District residents may have noticed activity on the Gaylord new school site. Crews are installing a tile system to speed site drainage and preparing for excavation and ground work beginning as soon as possible this spring. Meanwhile, the planning and design phase continues for the Arlington site and bid documents are being prepared for a February bid phase for the 6-12 facility. Soil borings will be completed at Arlingin early spring as well.

Wendell Architects continue to work on the Arlington design in concert with RA Morton Construction Management to determine the building phases. Parents and students can expect some alterations to the 2016-17 school calendar to accommodate construction. More information will come on these possible changes in February, 2016.

While the building plans and construction move forward, staff are preparing for what school programming will look like as the new schools open and welcome students in the fall of 2017. Administration and staff are engaged in researching best practice programming that will be incorporated within our new Pre K-5 and 6-12 grade alignments. There will be a great deal of discussion

on how we make the best use of the new facilities as well as the combined staffing that the new grade alignments allow. I believe that we will be able to increase our offerings while maintaining staffing levels that work within the district budget.

The 18 months promise to bring many exciting opportunities and changes to our district residents, students, and staff. There will be times where adjustments and inconveniences will arise. With this in mind, we are working continuously to prepare and plan to make the transitions over the next months go as smoothly as possible.

If you have questions, concerns, or comments regarding Sibley East Schools please feel free to contact me at the district office 507-964-8224 or email jim.amsden @sibleyeast.org.

Schneider resigns as chair of Arli-Dazzle Committee

By Kurt Menk Editor

The Arlington Area Chamber of Commerce, at its regular monthly meeting on Monday afternoon, Jan. 11, accepted a letter or resignation from Kim Schneider from her position as chairperson of the Arli-Dazzle Committee.

"As most of you are aware, I have been trying to step away from Arli-Dazzle for more than two years," said Schneider. "With that said, each year more of you step forward and have taken on much larger roles within the committee. You have made Arli-Dazzle the smashing success that it is. Thank you so much for your help and your friendship. Many of us

have really become very close friends and it has been an honor and absolutely fantastic working with each of you."

Schneider continued, "I truly want you all to know that my decision to completely step away from Arli-Dazzle really, really is hard for me but is necessary. I would not be stepping away if this didn't impact my health."

Schneider, who has served as committee chairperson for the past eight years, said every successful event, committee or organization has a change in leadership.

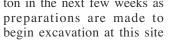
"Planning for Arli-Dazzle 2016 needs to start in March in order to be ready for the Labor Day Launch which has

become an important part of the foundation of Arli-Dazzle," said Schneider. "I will place all of my files and supplies in Chamber storage for ease of access. I am of course available for questions. However, plans and preparations are in place for this transition and all resource documents are available within our Arli-Dazzle Gmail account."

Schneider added she is thankful for the opportunities, experiences and friendships that she has been blessed with during the past eight years.

"Please don't let Arli-Dazzle fade away," said Schneider. "We have started a beautiful tradition. Please help it continue and flourish.'







Name

Dan Hislop, Arlington Andy Bigaouette, Arlington Duane Messner, Gaylord Shannon Luedloff, Arlington Rueben Willmsen, Arlington Courtney Wiest, Arlington Brad Droege, Hamburg Clarie Alsleben, Green Isle Jenny Schmidt, Gaylord Jay Voight, Green Isle Bob Thomes, Arlington Ron Laabs, Arlington Kathy Stien, Gaylord Jean Lindstrand, Arlington Tammy Diehn, Arlington Kathryn Clark, Minnetonka Kathy Stien, Gaylord Gustafson Family Dentistry, Arlington Beth Keen, New Prague Summer Donabauer, Waconia Denise Swenson, Arlington Kenny Jahr, Arlington Rod Engel, Jordan Ray Horrell, Buffalo Lake Gary Luepke, Arlington Tim Rohwer, Arlington Jacob Brueggemeier, Arlington Barb Droege, Hamburg Gustafson Family Dentistry, Arlington Bill Lensing, Arlington Wayne McCormick, Arlington James Kantor, Clearwater Ashley Burtyk, Glencoe Lucas Gilhause, Silver Lake Brad Rud, Waconia Dawn Lanning, Hastings

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Opinions

Minnesota Vikings have been disappointing their fans in big games for decades **Our View: The ugly loss to Seattle** should have been no surprise

The Minnesota Vikings football team has ripped the hearts out of their fans in big games for decades. It all started when the favored Vikings were upset by the Kansas City Chiefs 23-7 in the Super Bowl during the 1969 season.

Three more Super Bowl losses followed to the Miami Dolphins 24-7 during the 1973 season, Pittsburgh Steelers 16-6 during the 1974 season and Oakland Raiders 32-14 during the 1976 season.

Long time Minnesota fans will argue that the best Vikings team up to that time never even made it to the Super Bowl. The Dallas Cowboys shocked the Vikes 17-14 on a Hail Mary Pass from quarterback Roger Staubach to wide receiver Drew Pearson in the divisional playoffs during the 1975 season.

A 23-6 loss to American's Team followed in the conference championship two years later.

Since that time, losses in other conference championship games have kept the Vikings out of four more Super Bowls. Minnesota lost to the Washington Redskins 17-10 during the 1987 season, Atlanta Falcons 30-27 in overtime during the 1998 season, New York Giants 41-0 during the 2000 season and New Orleans 31-28 in overtime during the 2009 season. The pair of overtime losses really hurt.

The Vikings pulled the rug out from underneath their fans again after kicker Blair Walsh missed a routine field goal attempt in a 10-9 playoff loss to the Seattle Seahawks last Sunday. Another big game and another loss.

Prior to the playoffs this year, a lot of Minnesota fans believed the Vikings were still a year away from making a serious run in the post-season. That said, the loss still hurts the Vikings fan base which has been aching for another deep run in the playoffs and a return to the Super Bowl.

The pieces are in place for this young team and the loyal Minnesota fans have nothing to do, but wait until next year.

-K.M.

Too Tall's Tidbits

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

January 15

John and Amber ZumBerge. January 16 Jackie Alsleben, Benjamin Arneson, Jennarae Bates, Peggy Kroells, Amy Sauter and Dawson Wibstad.

supervisor told her that she was up for a raise, pending approval of the vice president.

A month later, the supervisor called the woman into his office and told her that the vice president had Darin Karger, Jen Otto, Gracie St. refused to approve the salary hike.

His reason? The receptionist



Letters To The Editor

Back to the basics, back to success

To The Editor,

Constituents of the Sibley East School District, today I announce my candidacy for the position of Sibley East School Board member left vacant by the sudden and sad death of Beth DuFrane. Though I can never hope to fill the shoes of Beth DuFrane, who worked tirelessly to keep the education and success of our children a priority for citizens across our district, I can commit to continue the work Beth was passionate about and to work with each of you to assure that the Sibley East School District will launch our children in a manner that helps them succeed in life.

As I thought about how we can accomplish this goal within the Sibley East School District I am led to believe that we create pathways to success for our children in a very simple and basic way. By building on the age old basics of reading,

writing and arithmetic; subjects that may at first glance sound boring and uninspiring, but that are all required for our children to compete in a global society. These basic principles do not limit the arts, technology, drama or any other 21st century endeavor our children will choose to pursue, but they are the critical building blocks for being able to reason, imagine, and communicate with a world that is changing by the minute.

I invite you today to join me in remembering our past and imagining our future and to be part of building on the successes, meeting the challenges with courage, and working together to help every student who enters the doors of a Sibley East School District campus be proud of being a Wolverine.

Diana (Olvedo) Karau is a native of Uvalde, Texas and moved to Gaylord, Minnesota in 1994, where she lived until late 2000, when she moved to Mankato, MN. Karau met and married her husband Kyle while living in Mankato and they were married in 2002. The Karaus moved to Gaylord in 2011 to be close to her son, Kevin Durham, her daughterin-law, Jennifer Durham, and grandsons, Kevin & Tyson, both whom attend Sibley East School District schools. Karau also has sons, Kenneth Durham who is a principal at Sacramento New Tech High School; Karl Durham who also lives in Sacramento; and Wyatt Karau who lives in Mankato. Karau was hired to fill a position in the newly created County Administrator's office in 2013 and worked as a Resident Services Coordinator at Sibley Estates in Winthrop and Henderson when moving to Gaylord in 2011.

> Diana Karau Gaylord

Earth got a gift in Paris

To The Editor,

The scientific community has been telling the world that burning fossil fuels and their production of CO2 is having dire effects on the world as a whole. Weather patterns go out of whack; above freezing at the North Pole; rising sea levels; persistent repeat weather patterns that cause flooding; droughts on the west coast; forest fires that produce air pollution; Minnesotans - remember the polar vortex? Maybe it is trying to tell us something. When things are done on a global scale, it takes time and negotiations for action to take place. It has taken seven years of time to bring all the nations of the world together to address this problem which affects us all. (Yes, even the 1% who seem to think they are immune to such drudgery.) The Paris Conference on Climate Change was held the end of November 2015 through the first two weeks of December. President Obama said in a speech from the White House's Cabinet room and I quote, "The problem is not solved because of this accord, but make no

mistake, the Paris agreement establishes the enduring framework the world needs to solve the climate crisis. It creates the mechanism the architecture, for us to tackle this problem in an effective way." This agreement was signed by 195 countries, both large and small. Does it solve the problem? No, it doesn't, but it gives us the means to solve it. Now the hard part begins. Goals set at the Conference were not binding and dependent on governing bodies in individual countries to approve. One can hear the "deniers" already - but, this matter is truly serious. Fortunately, we have a president who grasps the global picture and a state Senator (Al Franken) who has addressed this matter to Congress. This should not be political, but you can bet your bottom dollar that it will be. The Big Oil Companies do not contribute millions of dollars to candidates who will look at the world as a whole, but only to those who maintain status quo and look out for the bottom line of their contributors. In this matter, it is extremely short sighted.

We are talking about a livable planet.

Some of the items that were taken nto consideration at the Paris Cor ference were the disparities in wealth of the countries. Big, wealthy, countries will help small countries. Superfund should be created to help people who currently work in fossil fuel production and handling with re-training. There will be thousands of new jobs created for "green" technology. We have only begun to fight. Suggestions include non-investment into more fossil fuels. My suggestion is we start with discontinuing subsidies of oil producing companies. They need to change. Smart companies would invest in green technology. One of my friends works with geothermal energy. This should be one of the places where the "smart money" goes.

January 17

In Memory of Don Sauter, Sydney Burnevik, Bruce Hanneman, Tony Kloeckl, Dennis Overson and Ann Walsh.

January 18

Kimberly Arabian, Ashley Burtyk, Carol Paulsen and Kristie Watson.

January 19

Garrett Kroells, Morgan Kroells and Dale Pichelmann.

January 20

In Memory Of Emma Nordhausen, Emily Archer, Lee Hilgers, Dana Lenertz and Levi Wendinger.

January 21

Keri Henke, Rebecca Schlueter, Jeff Weber, and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Van Moorlehem.

Hey, things could be worse for you at the office! You could, for example, receive feedback like these comments, purported to be taken from actual federal employee evaluations:

• "Since my last report, this employee has reached rock bottom and has started to dig."

• "Works well under constant supervision and when cornered like a rat in a trap."

• "Sets low personal standards and consistently fails to achieve them."

• "This employee is depriving a village somewhere of an idiot."

For many years a woman worked as a receptionist and switchboard operator at a very busy company. After a good annual review, the woman's

and switchboard operator wasn't doing her job. Every time he saw the woman, she was either chatting with someone in the lobby or talking on the telephone.

Nothing makes your clothes go out of fashion faster than getting a raise. ****

A couple was watching the gorillas at the zoo when several of them charged at the enclosure fence, scattering the crowd, except for one elderly man. Later, the woman asked the elderly man how he kept his composure.

"I used to drive a school bus," he explained.

The pastor of a church hates to plead for money. But when the coffers were running low, he had no choice.

"There's good news and there's bad news," he told the congregation. "The good news is that we have more than enough money for all the current and future needs of the parish. The bad news is it's still in your pockets."

During a priest's sermon, a large plant fell over right behind the pulpit, crashing to the ground. Acknowledging his reputation for longwindedness, he smiled sheepishly and said, "Well, that's the first time I actually put a plant to sleep."

"Hard work never killed anybody, but why take a chance?" - Edgar Bergen

Staff

This is far more encompassing than Beautiful Downtown Hutchinson. We are talking about a livable planet for the upcoming generations. This is serious business, folks.

> Jan Conner Hutchinson

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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.



Deadline for the Arlington Enterprise news is 4 p.m., Monday, and advertising is noon, Tuesday. Deadline for The Galaxy advertising is noon Wednesday.



All Bundled Up

Bradv Frauendienst, left, Blake Swenson, middle, and Jakobi Olson, right, all students at St. Paul's Lutheran School in Arlington,

were bundled up and braved the cold temperatures as they waited for the bus after school on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 12.

Former Casey's employee sought on a warrant

A former Casey's General Store employee in Gaylord is being sought on a warrant after police report he allegedly stole \$2,500 in items from the store, according to KNUJ Radio.

Joshua Campbell, 40, last

worked at the convenience

store in Gaylord on Sunday, Jan. 3, according to reports. On Monday, Jan. 4, staff at the store told Gaylord police that Campbell had allegedly taken \$2,500 in cash, gift cards and a lottery ticket. They also showed security footage which showed the

theft.

Campbell was scheduled to work again on Wednesday, Jan. 6, but did not show, according to the report. He had been living with family in Gaylord, but they had not seen him.

County Cour

The following misdemeanors, petty misdemeanors and gross misdemeanors were heard in District Court December 25, 2015-January 1, 2016: Minnesota State Patrol (MSP); Sheriff's Office (SO); Department of Natural Resources (DNR); MN Department of Transportation (MNDOT):

Maria A. Sarinana, 45, Arlington, nuisance ordinance, dismissed, Arlington PD; Gregory W. Thomsen, 28, Arlington, DAR, continued, unsupervised probation one year, local confinement 30 days, stay 30 days for one year, pay costs, keep court/attorney informed of current address, no same or similar, no driver license violations, \$200, no proof of insurance, dismissed, Arlington PD.

Mohamed A. Ali, 20, Gaylord, under 21 alcohol (minor) consumption, continued, unsupervised probation one year, pay costs, no alcohol violations, keep court/attorney informed of current address, remain law-abiding, \$185, Gaylord PD; Kaylee R. Garman, 19, Gaylord, no proof of insurance (driver), dismissed, of current address, \$50, Gaylord PD; Duane J. Mallak, 53, Olivia, illegally parked, dismissed, Gaylord PD; Hailey A. Matthys, 19, Cottonwood, no proof of insurance (driver), dismissed, Gaylord PD; Laura L. Miller, 31, Winthrop, speed, \$135, Gaylord PD; Ernesto A. Perez Jr., 24, Gaylord, open bottle in MV vehicle (consume), \$185, Gaylord PD; Austin L. Poole, 22, Le Sueur, no proof of insurance (driver), dismissed, Gaylord PD.

Robert J. Malz, 30, Belle Plaine, possess small amount of marijuana, \$135, Henderson PD.

Thomas J. Berry, 50, Rochester, failure to stop at stop signs or stop lines at entrance to thru highway, \$135, MSP; Kelly M. Bielke, 31, Waconia, speed, \$135, MSP; Jamie C. Blahowski, 32, New Auburn, driving after revocation, no proof MV insurance, concurrent 1, 2, other case, local confinement 30 days, MSP; Darrell L. Carlson, 57, St. James, speed, \$135, MSP; Aimee M. Dahl, 49, Livonia, Mich., speed, \$225, MSP; Cecelia R. Garcia, 30, Le Sueur, child passenger restraint system-child under 8 and under 57 inches not fastened. \$135, driver must carry proof of insurance when operating vehicle, dismissed, MSP; Vincent R.

Council told bridge work may continue through winter

scheduled for the winter

months but due to a schedule change with another project,

Duncan said the contractor,

S.M. Hentges and Sons of

Jordan, may begin pile driv-

ing for the bridge abutment

early this month. He added

that the guardrail around the

center pier might also be

\$135, MSP; Dennis K. Ireland, 65, River Falls, speed, \$145, MSP; April K. Jepsen, 43, Hutchinson, speed, \$145, MSP; Gregory A. Kaizer, 43, Litchfield, speed, \$125, MSP; Kireina L. Karg, 29, Winthrop, window restrictions-tint too dark, driver must carry proof of insurance when operating vehicle, dismissed, MSP; Brian L. Larson, 58, Rockford, speed, \$225, MSP; Nathan C Maendel, 33, Gunton, Canada, speed, \$285, MSP; Chad J. Roberts, 35, Lakeville, speed, \$125, MSP; Kevin R. Serbus, 44, Redwood Falls, speed, \$135, MSP; Anthony W. Winters, 47, Green Isle, speed, \$225, MSP.

Michale J. Flanagan, 24, Rochester, speed, \$225, SO; Shelby J. Johnson, 19, Belle Plaine, speed, \$145, SO; Francisco G. Rodriguez, 36, Arlington, driver without valid DL, \$185, SO.

DISSOLUTIONS September through December, 2015:

Wendi Kaye Engel and Jacob Russell Engel.

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<u>Obituaries</u>

Glenn V. Meyer, 85, Arlington

Glenn V. Meyer, age 85, of Arlington passed away at the Ridgeview Medical Center in Waconia

on Tuesday, Jan. 12. Funeral services will be held at Реасе

Lutheran **Glenn Meyer** Church in Arlington at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 16.

Visitation will be held at the church from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 15. It will continue one hour prior to the service at the church on Saturday, Jan. 16.

Interment will be in the Arlington Public Cemetery.

Glenn Vernon Meyer was born to William J. and Elsie (Hebeisen) Meyer in Washington Lake Township on April 26, 1930. He worked at the Green Isle Creamery and as a milk truck driver for H.M. Noack & Sons Produce of Arlington, picking up milk in cans from area farmers. He also worked at Brau Motors as a mechanic for 13 years. Glenn married Ramona

Bullert of Buffalo Lake at Zion Lutheran Church in Buffalo Lake on Aug. 20, 1950. He was self-employed 38 years as a filling station operator, repairing vehicles and running a towing service which was known as Glenn's Mobil Service and also known as Arlington Sinclair Service. Glenn and Ramona lived in Arlington all of their married life except for spending the winter months in later years in Yuma, Ariz. Glenn was a past member of the Arlington Volunteer Fire Department, Sibley County Agriculture Association (fair board), Arlington Lions Club, Aid Association for Lutherans branch officer, church officer and City of Arlington Councilman. He was past president of Pla-Mor Dance Club and he and Ramona were also royalty representing Po.lka Lovers Club of America. Glenn was a charter member of Peace Lutheran Church of Arlington. He loved family activities, dancing, fixing mostly anything, just hanging out with folks at

much.

Glenn is survived by his wife Ramona; children, Lynnette (Tom) Schrack, Dale (Julie) Meyer and David (Betty) Meyer; grandchildren Shari (Dan) Hornseth, Matthew (Katie) Schrack, Christian (Joann) Meyer, Jeremy (Alison) Meyer, Anna (Tyler) LeBrun, Monica (Chris) Brundage, Becky (Colin) Brewster and Mike (Kati) Meyer; great grandchildren Andrew and Claire, Fredric, Benson, Elsie and Walter, Charles, Edward and Alexander; and siblings June Dahlke, Myron (Bonnie) Meyer and Orlin (Vivian) Meyer; siblings-in-law, Mabel Meyer, David (Helen) Petersen and Roger (Judy) Bullert.

Glenn is preceded in death by his parents; parents-inlaw Emil and Gertrude Bullert; siblings, Wilmar, Lester and Marvin Meyer; siblings-in-law LaVerna Meyer, Erwin Dahlke and Marilyn Petersen.

Kolden Funeral Home of Arlington is assisting with arrangements.

James 'Jimmy' Krohn, 63, Arlington

the coffee shop and spending

winters in Yuma, Ariz., as

that is where he didn't hurt as

James Walter "Jimmy" Krohn, age 63, of Arlington, formerly Courtland, died peacefully at the Oak Terrace

Health Care Center in Gaylord on Saturday, Jan.

Krohn an Church in Nicollet at 11 a.m. Thurs-

day, Jan. 14. Pastor Dan Witte will officiate.

Visitation was at Trinity Lutheran Church in Nicollet from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 13. Visitation continued one hour prior to the service at the church on Thursday, Jan. 14.

Burial will follow in the Trinity Lutheran Cemetery in rural Nicollet.

him under her wing as he grew up. Despite being born with Downs Syndrome, Jimmy refused to allow his handicap to hinder living his life. He grew up on his family farm where he worked with his father until Walter's passing in 2007. Jimmy then moved to the High Island Creek Residence in Arlington where he thrived. While being cared for in Arlington, he was able to live independently, and also work a job that he took tremendous pride in. He later broke his hip and required more advanced care, and moved to the Good Samaritan Society in Arlington. After being hospitalized at Ridgeview in Waconia from his seizures, he was admitted to Oak Terrance in Gaylord where he was allowed to live the rest of his life in comfort and peace. Jimmy will forever be remembered as being the life of

visit with anyone who would listen. He also greatly enjoyed sports. He loved following all of the Nicollet High School's sports teams, but especially cherished watching and following professional wrestling. He was a lifetime member of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church in Nicollet, the Sons of the American Legion, and a past member of the Nicollet 4-H. Jimmy's memory will forever stay in the hearts of all of those who knew and loved him.

James is survived by his sisters, Patricia (John) Rist of rural Courtland, and Nancy (Gary) Gatchell of Cushing; brother, David (Jane) Krohn of Arlington; sister-in-law, Teresa Krohn of rural Courtland; and many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and his broth-

James

service will be at Trinity Evangelical Luther-



Gaylord PD; Emilee C. Lauwagie, 24, Hastings, expired registration expired tabs, continued, unsupervised probation one year, pay costs, no same or similar, keep court/attorney informed Harrington, 25, St. Paul, speed,

City Engineer Joe Duncan

recently reported to the Belle

City Council that the em-

bankment work for the over-

pass/Enterprise Drive project

is "virtually complete" and

the borrow site has been se-

cured, according to an article

in the Belle Plaine Herald.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Daniel Wilfred Gessner and Renee Ann Vanderlinde, both of Le Sueur, 12/31/2015.

completed soon, which would

allow the temporary concrete

barriers to be removed from

At this time, the project as

a whole is approximately one

month ahead of schedule. The completion date for the proj-

Highway 169.

ect is Oct. 14, 2016.

James Walter Krohn was born to Walter and Wanita (Burnett) Krohn in New Ulm on Oct. 14, 1952. He was baptized and confirmed at Trinity Lutheran Church in Nicollet. He attended a special education school in St. Peter where his teacher, Mrs. Monica Daufenbach, took

any party. If it was bowling, playing pool, wedding dances, bar karaoke, or giving one of his famous speeches, Jimmy and his infectious belly laugh would bring a smile to anyone's face. Due to the fact he was born a Krohn, Jimmy also had a wonderful gift to be able to

er, Donald Krohn.

And he will raise you up on eagles' wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of His hand.

To leave an online condolence for his family, or to sign the guestbook, go to www.mvfh.org.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The following is a summary of the operation budget for the 2016 fiscal year for Sibley County. This Summary is published in accordance with Minnesota Statute 375.169. The detail of the County budget is on file in the County Auditor's office at the Sibley County Courthouse, Gaylord, Minnesota and may be reviewed during normal business hours.

Budgeted Government Funds		2015 Adopted Budget		2015 Amended Budget		2016 Adopted Budget	
Revenues	_		_		_		
County portion of Tax Levy State peid portion of Tax Levy	\$	12,273,594 249,886	\$	12,273,594 249,886	\$	12,757,987 197,434	
Total Tax Levy	\$	12,523,480	\$	12,523,480	\$	12,955,401	
Other taxes & assessments	\$	487,500	\$	487,500	\$	547,894	
Licenses & permits Intergovernmental revenues		24,380		24,380		23,310	
Federal		1,537,952		1,537,952		2,107,556	
State		2,178,407		2,178,407		2,288,691	
Local		3,822,737		3,822,737		4,354,502	
Charges for Services		1,327,912		1,327,912		1,150,685	
Fines & forfeitures		33,100		33,100		32,260	
Interest on investments		200,250		200,250		202,250	
Miscellaneous revenues Other revenue sources		606,949		606,949		377,602	
Other financing sources		13,000		13,000		2,000	
Transfers from Other Funds		49,872		49,872		150,000	
Budgeted uses of fund balances		1,868,294		1,868,294		1,355,469	
Total Revenue & other sources	\$	24,673,833	\$	24,673,833	\$	25,547,620	
Expenditures							
General Government	s	3,949,180	\$	3,949,180	\$	4,069,416	
Public Safety		2,637,752		2,637,752		2,676,125	
Highways & Streets		9,287,816		9,287,816		10,284,582	
Human Services		5,140,779		5,140,779		5,598,309	
Health		1,418,186		1,418,186		1,177,115	
Culture & Recreation		369,730		369,730		387,280	
Conservation of Natural Resources		415,626		415,626		448,625	
Debt Service		247,910		247,910		247,910	
Sanitation		221,389		221,389		213,843	
Economic Development		176,972		176,972		220,877	
Miscellaneous Unallocated Other uses		-		-		-	
Capital Expenditures		808,493		808,493		223,538	
Transfers to Other Funds	-		_		-		
Total Expenditures & other uses	\$	24,673,833	5	24,673,833	\$	25,547,620	

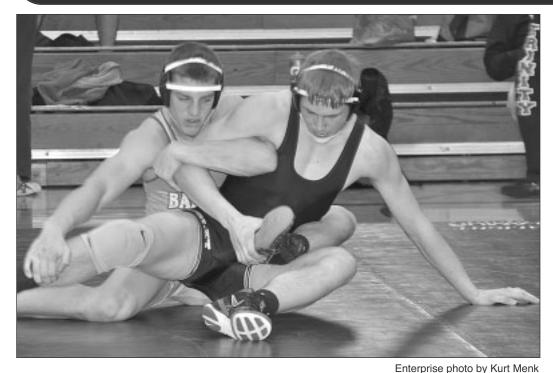
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Sports



Sibley East 182-pounder Jake Wentzlaff, right, East Wrestling Tournament in Gaylord on Satposted his 75th career pin during the Sibley

urday, Jan. 9.

SE wrestlers host and win their annual tournament

By Kurt Menk Editor

The Sibley East varsity wrestling team posted a 4-0 record and captured top honors in its annual tournament at Gaylord on Saturday, Jan. 9.

Sibley East 46 **Redwood River Valley 21**

106-pounds: Dayne Morton (SE) pinned Kadin Johnson (RRV) 0:32.

113-pounds: Kevin Melger (SE) lost by a major decision to Omar Arrendondo (RRV) 14-2.

120-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match. 126-pounds: Tanner Pasvo-

gel (SE) pinned Tayte Harazin (RRV) 4:22.

132-pounds: Tommy Wentzlaff (SE) decisioned Connor Bertram (RRV) 7-5.

138-pounds: Mason Voight (SE) pinned Tommy Amberg (RRV) 1:37.

145-pounds: Jose Felipe (SE) was pinned by Eric Bommersbach (RRV) 1:40.

152-pounds: Quinlan Riffenburg (SE) pinned Spencer Quast (RRV) 1:32. 160-pounds: Paul Glisczins-

Kurtzweg (SE) pinned Daniel Bittner (TS) 3:02.

Sibley East 45 **Robbinsdale-Armstrong 30**

106-pounds: Brevon Rose (SE) was decisioned by Roger Massmann (RA) 10-8 in overtime.

113-pounds: Kevin Melger (SE) was decisioned by Gunner Johansen (RA) 7-1.

120-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) pinned Mark Smith (RA) 1:04.

126-pounds: Ben Klaers (SE) was pinned by Damon Barli (RA) 0:51.

132-pounds: Tommy Wentzlaff (SE) pinned James Young (RA) 5:13.

138-pounds: Colton Harens (SE) was pinned by Jackson Forkpayea (RA) 3:41.

145-pounds: Logan Tesch (SE) pinned Ben Mennenga (RA) 2:45.

152-pounds: Quinlan Riffenburg (SE) pinned Lucas Miernicki (RA) 3:06.

160-pounds: Thomas Battcher (SE) was pinned by Steven Stockdill (RA) 1:02.

170-pounds: Paul Glisczinski (SE) was pinned by Brandon Lundeen (RA) 2:15. 182-pounds: Jake Wentzlaff (SE) pinned Logan Trombley (RA) 1:04. 195-pounds: Cody Voight (SE) pinned RJ Massie (RA) 3:29 220-pounds: Christian Norwood Young America 60-9 during a triangular at Norwood Young America on Thursday night, Jan. 7.

Sibley East 46 **Eden Valley-Watkins 23**

106-pounds: Dayne Morton pinned Taylor Ludwig (EV-0:14.

113-pounds: Kevin Melger (SE) pinned Trevyn Ludwig (EV-W) 1:30.

120-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) won by a technical fall over Everett Eken (EV-W) 15-0.

126-pounds: Ben Klaers (SE) was pinned by Zach Nistler (EV-W) 1:02.

132-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

138-pounds: Mason Voight (SE) won by a major decision over Matt Schindler (EV-W) 10-2.

145-pounds: Jose Felipe (SE) was pinned by Troy Kelley (EV-W) 0:36.

152-pounds: Logan Tesch (SE) lost by a technical fall to Tyler Dockendorf (EV-W) 18-1.

160-pounds: Quinlan Riffenburg (SE) decisioned John

SE boys fall to NYA 77-68

By Kurt Menk Editor

The Sibley East varsity boys basketball team lost to visiting Norwood Young America 77-68 in Minnesota River Conference action on Thursday evening, Jan. 8.

Junior Scott Holmquist paced the Wolverines with 18 points. Senior Collin Pautsch and sophomore Austin Weckwerth also hit double figures with 16 points each. Sophomore Gavin Bates tossed in eight points while junior Devon Schultz and senior

Dylan Pauly hooped six and four points respectively.

Sibley East blistered the nets after it hit 23 of 38 shots from two-point range for 61 percent and six of 12 long bombs for 50 percent. The Wolverines, however, managed only four of nine foul attempts for 44 percent.

The visitors connected on 26 of 42 attempts from twopoint distance for 62 percent and five of 18 shots from three-point land for 28 percent. NYA also sank 10 of 13 charity tosses for 77 percent.

Despite the setback, Sibley East controlled the glass by a 26-15 margin. Schultz pulled down eight boards while Weckwerth snared six caroms. Bates added five rebounds.

The Wolverines, 0-4 in the MRC and 4-8 overall, will travel to G-F-W in non-conference action at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 14. Sibley East will host Mayer Lutheran in conference action at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 19.

Sibley East girls lose to NYA 66-41

By Kurt Menk Editor

The visiting Sibley East varsity girls basketball team lost to Norwood Young America 66-41 in Minnesota River Conference action on Friday night, Jan. 8.

Senior Katie Tuchtenhagen and junior Hannah Wentzlaff hooped 12 points apiece in the loss. Senior Alyssa Weber netted eight points while junior Alli Harter had three points. Senior McKayla Stumm, sophomore Morgan Stearns and freshman Rachel Rettmann added two points each.

"We went into the game with two objectives, stop their perimeter shooting and Kali Grimm," said Sibley East head coach Jim DeSart. "She is their leading scorer, so we wanted to focus on her, which we were somewhat successful holding her to 12 points. We also wanted to get their interior player Bren Fox into foul trouble. She is tough inside and we were successful in getting her a quick three fouls to soften up the inside game."

DeSart continued, "Though the score doesn't reflect it, we

had some pretty good minutes here and there in the game. For the game, I was pleased with how hard the girls worked."

DeSart said the Lady Wolverines need to continue working on their person-toperson defense, taking better care of the ball and getting to the free throw line.

"We are lacking in the area of attacking the basket off the dribble," said DeSart. "That is where you get more opportunities getting to the free throw line. Of the seven games we have played so far, we have given up an extra 51 points versus our team from the line on the scoreboard with opponents shooting roughly 70 percent from the line versus our free throws 54 percent. We need to become better free-throw shooters in general. That is a lot of points to leave out on the floor and shooting roughly 75 less free throw attempts than opponents does not help win ball games. We continue to work at practice on shooting, perimeter shooting and free throw form. We have a lot to improve on with shooting form and continued fundamentals."

The Lady Wolverines, 1-1 in the MRC 2-6 overall, will travel to New Ulm Cathedral in non-conference action on Thursday, Jan. 14. Sibley East will host Maple River in non-conference play at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 18. In addition, the Lady Wolverines will travel to Mayer Lutheran in MRC play at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 19.

B-squad

The visiting Sibley East Bsquad girls basketball team lost to Norwood Young America 49-18 on Friday night, Jan. 8.

Morgan Stearns topped Sibley East with eight points. Ali Stock scored four points while Emily Tuchtenhagen, Morgan Mathews and Sydney Schott had two points each.

Stock contributed three assists, three steals and two rebounds while Rachel Rettmann had four boards, two steals and two blocked shots. Schott collected four rebounds, one assist and one theft while Stearns added four caroms.



ki (SE) lost by a technical fall to Sam Baier (RRV) 16-0.

170-pounds: Brody Bates (SE) was pinned by Chase Rahe (RRV) 1:55.

182-pounds: Jake Wentzlaff (SE) decisioned Brady Goblirsch (RRV) 6-2.

195-pounds: Cody Voight (SE) pinned Lance Zeug (RRV) 3:19.

220-pounds: Christian Figueroa (SE) pinned Joe Salvati (RRV) 4:19.

285-pounds: Jaden Podratz (SE) won by a major decision over Dan Kohler (RRV) 8-0.

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106-pounds: Brevon Rose (SE) was pinned by Jon De-Margis (TS) 2:20.

113-pounds: Kevin Melger (SE) was pinned by Dominic Bulger (TS) 5:41.

120-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) won by a major decision over Stephen Brewer (TS) 15-6.

126-pounds: Tanner Pasvogel (SE) won by a major decision over Jack Ridway (TS) 9-1.

132-pounds: Colton Harens (SE) lost by a major decision to Andrew Michalak (TS) 15-

138-pounds: Mason Voight (SE) pinned Aiden Willard (TS) 0:55.

145-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

152-pounds: Logan Tesch (SE) pinned Tom Howell (TS) 3:35.

160-pounds: Quinlan Riffenburg (SE) lost by a major decision to Dietrich Balsbaugh (TS) 12-1.

170-pounds: Brody Bates (SE) was decisioned by Dave Dahl (TS) 7-4.

182-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

195-pounds: Cody Voight (SE) won by a forfeit.

220-pounds: Christian Figueroa (SE) won by a forfeit.

285-pounds: Tanner Figueroa (SE) decisioned Ben Ungar (RA) 5-3. Tanner 285-pounds:

Kurtzweg (SE) won by a forfeit.

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106-pounds: Dayne Morton (SE) pinned Tory Parulsk (SJ) 1:35. 113-pounds: Kevin Melger

(SE) lost by a major decision to Sam Kulseth (SJ) 9-0.

120-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) was decisioned by Nelson Cuellar (SJ) 6-3.

126-pounds: Ben Klaers (SE) was pinned by Cole Durheim (SJ) 4:34.

132-pounds: Tommy Wentzlaff (SE) pinned Jesus Vidales (SJ) 5:11.

138-pounds: Both teams forfeited this match.

145-pounds: Logan Tesch (SE) was pinned by Maxwell Svaland (SJ) 1:00.

152-pounds: Quinlan Riffenburg (SE) was decisioned by Jesse Carlson (SJ) 4-2.

160-pounds: Thomas Battcher (SE) was pinned by Jacob Brey (SJ) 1:40.

170-pounds: Brody Bates (SE) pinned Noah Sykes (SJ) 4:59.

182-pounds: Jake Wentzlaff (SE) pinned Shawn Hilleshian (SJ) 2:39.

195-pounds: Cody Voight (SE) won by a technical fall over Ruben Suarez (SJ) 16-0.

220-pounds: Christian Figueroa (SE) pinned Ethen Stick (SJ) 1:11.

285-pounds: Jaden Podratz (SE) won by a forfeit.

NYA Triangular

The Sibley East varsity wrestling team defeated Eden Valley-Watkins 46-23 and

Salzl (EV-W) 8-6.

170-pounds: Paul Glisczinski (SE) was pinned by Logan Donney (EV-W) 1:53.

182-pounds: Brody Bates (SE) won by a major decision over Aaron Holmberg (EV-W) 10-0.

195-pounds: Jake Wentzlaff (SE) pinned Isaac Stommes (EV-W) 1:06.

220-pounds: Christian Figueroa (SE) won by a forfeit.

285-pounds: Tanner Kurtzweg (SE) pinned Matt Utsch (EV-W) 0:20.

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Norwood Young America 9 106-pounds: Dayne Morton (SE) pinned Bryce Homan (NYA) 3:18.

113-pounds: Kevin Melger (SE) was pinned by Joash Lord (NYA) 3:59.

120-pounds: Lincoln Carpenter (SE) decisioned Anthony Hennen (NYA) 5-1.

126-pounds: Tanner Pasvogel (SE) won by a forfeit.

132-pounds: Tommy Wentzlaff (SE) decisioned Peter Barth (NYA) 7-2.

138-pounds: Mason Voight (SE) pinned Zeke Dodge (NYA) 4:47.

145-pounds: Logan Tesch (SE) decisioned Brett Kleindl (NYA) 6-4 in overtime.

152-pounds: Quinlan Riffenburg (SE) was decisioned by Wallace Michels (NYA) 8-2.

160-pounds: Paul Glisczinski (SE) won by a forfeit.

170-pounds: Brody Bates (SE) pinned Will Schmieg (NYA) 0:21.

182: Jakes Wentzlaff (SE) pinned Caleb Wickenhauser (NYA) 2:16.

195-pounds: Cody Voight (SE) pinned Alex Farrell (NYA) 1:21.

220-pounds: Christian Figueroa (SE) won by a forfeit.

285-pounds: Jaden Podratz (SE) decisioned Nick Forner (NYA) 6-2.

Enterprise photo by Kurt Menk

Sibley East 220-pounder Christian Figueroa pinned Joe Salvati, Redwood River Valley, during the Sibley East Wrestling Tournament in Gaylord on Saturday, Jan. 9. Sibley East

defeated four opponents in the tournament and captured top honors. Sibley East will compete in the KMS Team Tournament on Friday, Jan. 15.



Church News

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST Henderson 507-248-3594 (Office) Deb Meyer, Pastor Find us on Facebook: St. Paul's UCC Henderson Sunday, January 17: 10:00 a.m. Worship service.

ST. PAUL'S EV. **REFORMED CHURCH** 15470 Co. Rd. 31, Hamburg 952-467-3878 Dan Schnabel, Pastor www.stpaulsrcus.org Sunday, January 17: 8:30 a.m. Sunday school and adult Bible study. 9:30 a.m. Worship service. Tuesday, January 19: 7:30 p.m. Men's Brotherhood. Wednesday, January 20: 6:30-

8:00 p.m. Catechism class. 7:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship.

ORATORY OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE Jessenland 507-248-3550 Fr. Keith Salisbury

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

ST. MARY, MICHAEL AND BRENDAN AREA FAITH COMMUNITY Fr. Keith Salisbury, Pastor Friday, January 15: 8:30 a.m. Mass (Mar)

Saturday, January 16: 5:00 p.m. Mass (Mar).

Sunday, January 17: 7:30 a.m. Mass (Bre). 9:00 a.m. Mass (Mic). 9:15-10:15 a.m. Sts. Mary and Brendan Elementary Religious Education (Pre-5). 10:30 a.m. Mass (Mar).

Monday, January 18: 8:30 a.m. Mass (Bre). 8:30 a.m. Word and Communion (Mar). 8:00 p.m. AA and Al Anon (Mar).

Tuesday, January 19: 8:30 a.m. Mass (Bre and Mar). 3:45 p.m. Word and Communion (Arlington Good Samaritan).

Wednesday, January 20: 9:00 a.m. Word and Communion (Oak Terrace). 3:15-4:30 p.m. St. Michael Elementary Religious education (K-5) 5:00 p.m. Mass (Mar). 7:00-8:00 p.m. Jr. and Sr. High religious education (6-10).

Thursday, January 21: 8:30 a.m. Mass (Bre and Mic). 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (Mic)

TRINITY LUTHERAN 32234 431st Ave., Gavlord Scott Richards, Pastor

Sunday, January 17: 10:15 a.m. Worship, kick-off for the 150th Anniversary, guest Pastor Larry Strenge.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod) Arlington 507-964-2400 Gary L. Ruckman, Pastor Sunday January 17: 9:00 a m

10:00 a.m. Food Cupboard. Sunday, January 17: Meals on Wheels this week. 9:30 a.m. Worship. 10:45 a.m. Sunday School.

Wednesday, January 20: 9:00 a.m. Prayer coffee at Eunice's. 7:00 p.m. Sr. High youth group. Thursday, January 21: Unity luncheon here. 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible study. 6:30 p.m. Men's Bible study at Peik's.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod) Green Isle

507-326-3451 Eric W. Rapp, Pastor Friday, January 15: 10:00 a.m. deadline for Sunday bulletin.

Sunday, January 17: 8:00 a.m. Bible class. 9:00 a.m. Worship and installation of officers. 10:00 a.m. Sunday School.

Monday, January 18: 5:00 p.m. Community Connect dinner. Tuesday, January 19: 9:00-

11:00 a.m. Pastor at Zions. 7:00 p.m. LWML meeting. 8:00 p.m. Joint Elders meeting. Wednesday, January 20: 6:30

p.m. Confirmation and Wednesday night school.

PEACE LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod) Arlington

Kurt Lehmkuhl, Pastor www.hispeace@frontiernet.net Sunday, January 17: 8:15 a.m. Sunday school. 8:30 a.m. Bible study. 9:30 a.m. Worship service with Holy Communion. 10:30 a.m. Fellowship. 11:00 a.m. Worship service at Highland Com-

mons with Holy Communion. Monday, January 18: 11:30 a.m. Feeding of the 500 club.

Tuesday, January 19: 7:00 p.m. Adult Inquirers class.

Wednesday, January 20: 3:45 p.m. Catechism.

Thursday, January 21: 7:30 p.m. Church Council meeting.

ZION LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod) **Green Isle Township** 507-326-3451

Eric W. Rapp, Pastor Friday, January 15: 10:00 a.m. deadline for Sunday bulletin.

Sunday, January 17: 10:30 a.m. Worship with Communion

and installation of officers. Monday, January 18: 5:00 p.m. Community Connect dinner at St. Paul's.

Tuesday, January 19: 9:00-11:00 a.m. Pastor at Zion. 7:00 p.m. LWML meeting at St. Paul's. 8:00 p.m. Joint Elders meeting at St. Paul's. Wednesday, January 20: 6:30

p.m. Confirmation and Wednesday night school.

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

Deborah Dawson, Pastor Friday, January 15-Sunday

CREEKSIDE **Community Church** Christian & Missionary Alliance

114 Shamrock Dr., Arlington 507-964-2872

John Cherico, Pastor email: creeksidecma@gmail.com Sunday, January 17: 9:30-10:15 a.m. Adult and children's Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. Worship service. Nursery provided for children 0-4 years old and children's church ages 5 through fifth grade.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST 7th Ave. N.W., Arlington 507-304-3410 Robert Brauer, Pastor

507-234-6770 Saturday: Church services at 9:30 a.m. Bible study at 11:00 a.m. Fellowship dinner at 12:00 p.m. All are welcome.

UNITED METHODIST Arlington

Rodney J. Stemme, Pastor www.arlingtonunited methodist.org

Saturday, January 16: 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Worship on channel 8. 10:00 a.m. Women's Bible study at Betty Nelson's.

Sunday, January 17: 9:00 a.m. Worship. 10:15 a.m. Fellowship & Sunday school. 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. worship on channel 8. Tuesday, January 19: 7:00 p.m.

Ad. Council.

Wednesday, January 20: 3:45 p.m. Confirmation. 7:00 p.m. Choir.

Thursday, January 21: 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Worship on channel 8. 11:15 a.m. Ecumenical lunch. 1:00 p.m. Women's Bible study at Jean Olson's.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN (WELS) Arlington Peter J. Naumann, Pastor Pastor Emeritus, Vacancy Pastor Cell: 952-807-3424 PJNaumann@gmail.com

www.stpaularlington.com email:

church@stpaularlington.comFriday, January 15: School dismisses three hours early.

Sunday, January 17: 8:45 a.m. Sunday School. 9:00 a.m. Family Bible study. 10:00 a.m. Worship followed with fellowship.

Tuesday, January 19: 10:00 a.m. Good Samaritan service. 4:15 Home with Redwood Falls B girls team. 5:15 p.m. B boys team. 6:15 p.m. A team.

Wednesday, January 20: 2:00 p.m. Bible study. 3:45 p.m. Public School Confirmation class. 7:00 p.m. choir practice.

Thursday, January 21: 10:00 a.m. Bulletin information due. 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Services on cable TV channel 8. 3:45 p.m. 3-5 team at Gaylord, 4:00

Advance care planning workshops will be held at Henderson Library

The Ridgeview Medical Center will host two advance care planning workshops at the Henderson Public Library located at 110 Sixth Street.

The first session will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 26.

The second session will be held from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 28.

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Tuesday: Pork steak, sweet po-

Wednesday: Meatloaf, ketchup,

Thursday: Oven crispy chicken,

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Menus

ject to change.

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fruit, juice, milk Thursday: Fold & Go, fruit,

juice, milk. Friday: 1 pack Pop Tart, fruit,

juice, milk

SIBLEY EAST SCHOOL MENU

Arlington January 18-22

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

Monday: French toast, hash brown potatoes, sausage, cucumbers, cheese plate, fruit, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, seasoned rice, broccoli, dipping

sauces, fruit, milk. Wednesday: Hot dog on bun, oven potatoes, brown beans, veggie sticks, fruit, milk. Thursday: Tator Tot hotdish,

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SIBLEY EAST SCHOOL MENU Gaylord

January 18-22 A 1/2 pint of milk and an enriched grain product is served with each meal. Additional milk is available for 40 cents each. Menu is subject to change.

Monday: French toast sticks, sausage, hash browns, cucumbers, carrot sticks, fruit, milk.

Alternate: none. Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, seasoned rice, broccoli, glazed carrots, fruit, milk.

Alternate: Pizza burger. Wednesday: Hot dog on bun,

oven potatoes, baked beans, fruit, milk

Alternate: Nacho cheese/beef dip.

Thursday: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, corn, fruit, milk. Alternate: Ravioli.

Friday: Sloppy Joe on whole grain bun, oven potatoes, green beans, fruit, milk

Alternate: Soup & sandwich.

Friday: Meaty beef stew with carrots & potatoes, cole slaw, biscuit, margarine, cheesecake, low

fat milk. SIBLEY EAST ELEMENTARY **BREAKFAST MENU** Arlington and Gaylord

January 18-22 Breakfast is served at 8:00 a.m. daily. A 1/2 pint of milk is served with each meal daily. Menu is sub-

Bible class. 10:00 a.m. Worship. Wednesday, January 20: 7:30 p.m. Men's club.

Thursday, January 21: 5:30 p.m. Deadline for bulletin and calendar information.

EVANGELICAL **COVENANT CHURCH** 107 W. Third St., Winthrop 507-647-5777 Parsonage 507-647-3739 Kyle Kachelmeier, Pastor

www.wincov.org Friday, January 15: 6:30 p.m. Women's wild game night at Marlys'

Saturday, January 16: 6:00 a.m. Men's Bible study at Hahn's Dining. 9:00 a.m. Clothes Closet.

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Tuesday, January 19: 9:00 a.m. ZCW quilting. 6:00-7:00 p.m. TOPS in church basement.

Wednesday, January 20: Confirmation class (7th, 8th, & 9th). 2:30-5:30 p.m. Pastor Dawson in the office.

Thursday, January 21: 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Zion service on cable. 9:00 a.m. ZCW quilting. 2:30-5:30 p.m. Pastor Dawson in office. High School Ecumenical Lunch at Methodist Church, Zion serving.

GAYLORD ASSEMBLY OF GOD Gaylord Bob Holmbeck. Pastor

p.m. A-team at Hutchinson.

Friday, January 15: 4:00 p.m. Shakopee women prison visit. 6:30 p.m. Thomas Bible study, 8510 Penn Ave., Bloomington.

Sunday, January 17: 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:00 a.m. Worship service.

Wednesday, January 20: 6:30 p.m. Wednesday evening Bible classes and youth focused. Supper-Welcome!

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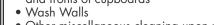
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