



Tri County Canary

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Vernes Church Annual Community 4-wheeler ride held Sunday

The weather was sunny and warm for the annual 4-wheeler ride. There were approximately 65 units that hit the trails, from single riders to families in side-by-sides. Landowners in the Vernes Lutheran Church area

allowed the group to go through their properties for the trail ride. A huge thank you to those with private trails that let the Vernes group through. The ride was planned with safety in mind, as well as excitement riding the hills and traveling through the woods. After over 2 hours on the trails, everyone was invited for a light lunch inside Vernes Lutheran Church. A great day!



Drivers and riders were lining up at Vernes church north of McIntosh on Sunday, September 18th before the ride began. There were approximately 65 units and 135 people participating.



Drivers and riders of all ages making their way on the trails.



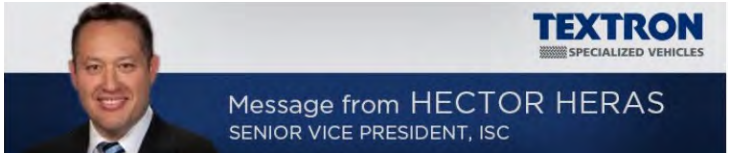
Coming from a trail through the woods.



The cattle were startled and curious when there was a pit stop so all the drivers could catch up.



Drivers and riders heading into the woods.



Team,
Dan Johnson has been named to the new position of Vice President, Operations and Site Leader at our Arctic Cat facilities in Thief River Falls and St. Cloud.
Dan will be responsible for end-to-end operations within our powersports business. He will have direct responsibility over our operations in Thief River Falls and St. Cloud and will lead a matrix organization with dotted-line oversight of our support functions, such as Engineering, Finance, IT and HR, so that we continue to build a cohesive culture and implement sound, efficient business processes across our functions and disciplines. Dan also will be the face of our operations in the local community. Dan will report directly to me.



Dan Johnson is the son of Robert Johnson and Charlotte Hedin. His grandparents were Henry and Marie Johnson of Clearbrook and Milton and Julie Hedin of Gonvick. He is a 1990 graduate of Clearbrook High school and respected across our company and in our community. Dan's move will be effective Sept. 25. Please join me in congratulating Dan on his new position, and support him as he transitions into his new role.



Pictured are (left, standing) Floyd Bergerson and his brother Glenn. The brothers received Quilts of Valor on May 30.

Glenn and Floyd Bergerson receive Quilts of Valor

Article courtesy 13 Towns
Local brothers Glenn and Floyd Bergerson were recipients of Quilts of Valor during the Gully American Legion program held on May 30.
Glenn Bergerson was born and grew up north of Gully. He was drafted into the United States Army in March 1958. He was bused to Fort Carson, Colorado, for 16 weeks of basic training. When he had completed basic training, he came home for nine days, then flew to New York and boarded a ship for Germany.
While in Germany, Glenn was stationed in a battalion near Munich. It was a field battalion which had the soldiers making many runs to the training fields, artillery practice fields and lots of nights were spent sleeping under the

stars.
Glenn was promoted to Sergeant and he led a platoon of eight men. He was discharged in March of 1960 and came home via ship again to New York.
The three Bergerson brothers: Duane, Glenn, and Floyd built up a herd of beef cattle. They purchased the original farm acreages and bought more land for hay and pasture. In 1966, Glenn started working at Gully Farmers Union and was there for around twenty years.
He married Crystal Carlson in 1983 and got a son and a daughter to boot. They had cattle and started putting up hay to sell until he retired from the cattle, then sold the machinery and land, so officially, retirement had come. In 2020 they moved to Fosston.

Floyd Bergerson was born and grew up north of Gully. In August 1961, he was drafted into the United States Army. He was bused to Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, for basic training.

After his furlough at home, Floyd was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, for 10 weeks of mechanic training. When this training was complete, he went to California, from there he flew to Alaska and then onto Tokyo, Japan with his final destination being Okinawa. Floyd served as a mechanic in the motor pool. He earned the rank of Specialist 4th Class.
When his service was done, he flew back to Alaska, got on a smaller jet to California and yet another smaller jet to Minneapolis. Floyd was discharged in August of 1963.
Floyd, along with Duane and Glenn built up a herd of beef cattle, purchased the home farm and adjoining acres. Floyd kept working with the cattle until about three years ago when he finally sold the last cows and machinery. A nephew now owns the land, but Floyd lives there and maintains the big yard and long driveway.

Auto Show September 24

The 17th annual Vintage Collectors Auto Show will be held on Main Street in Gonvick on Saturday, September 24. Drawings for participants during the show. Top 5 awards based upon popular vote by participants will each receive \$100.
You can pre-register with Stacy at the Gonvick City Clerk's Office at 170 Main Street or call 218-487-5243. You can also register on

Saturday starting at 9:00 a.m. Cut-off time is noon. Show will run from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Sundown with "Wild Wes" DJ will be playing 50's and 60's music.
Come on out and enjoy all the festivities of the 28th annual Pumpkin Day as well. Event is sponsored by the Gonvick Diamond Jubilee committee.



New Red Lake Hereditary Chief Gerald May.



Red Lake Hereditary Chiefs, left to right; James Loud, Dan King, Arlan Jourdain, Greeting Spears, Gerald May, Gerald Spears, and Henry Sutton



Rodney and Cheryl Bjerklie 50th Wedding Anniversary

Please join Rodney and Cheryl Bjerklie and their family in celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. A celebration luncheon will take place September 25 from 12:30-3:30 p.m. at the Nazareth Lutheran Church north of Gully. All family and friends are invited to attend.

Mentor Farmers Market – Last Chance - Only One Market Day Left!

Don't miss out on your last chance to shop at Mentor Farmers Market. Pick up your local produce for canning, pumpkins and squash for décor and table, baked goods for family gather-

ings, and local honey. Last Saturday of the season is September 24th open 8:00 am to 12:00 pm.

Thank you ALL for another terrific season at the Mentor Farmers Market!

Schultz in Dead Heat with Ellison According to New Poll

PLYMOUTH, Minn. – Today, the Jim Schultz for Minnesota Attorney General campaign released the following statement after a new Star Tribune/MPR News/Kare 11 poll shows the race between Schultz and Democrat Keith Ellison to be a dead heat, with Ellison at 46% and Schultz at 45%. The poll also shows Schultz beating Ellison in the metro suburbs, Northern Minnesota, and Southern Minnesota.

"This latest poll is further proof that Minnesotans have had enough of Keith Ellison

and his dangerous policies," said campaign manager Christine Snell. "Keith Ellison is going to lose in November. Just as Minneapolis voters rejected Ellison's efforts to defund the police, Minnesota voters will reject Ellison's second term as they continue to learn about his extreme far-left record as Attorney General. Unlike defund-the-police Democrat Keith Ellison, Jim Schultz will partner with police to crack down on violent crime and restore safety to our communities."

Letter to the Editor

ALL AMERICANS NEED TO WATCH UPCOMING HEARINGS ON OUR CAPITAL'S ASSAULT ON SEPTEMBER 28TH!

Our nation came very close to having a Constitutional crisis January 6th, 2020. History may well judge the attack on the Capital as a more serious threat to our country than was September 11th, 2001. The directors of the FBI and CIA who were appointed by the former president have stated under oath that our country's biggest threat is Domestic Terrorism. We need legislation that will put safeguards in place to prevent this from happening again as our Democracy is at stake.

The hearing will be testimony by the former president's inner circle. Such testimony you may say is one sided. There is no cross examination. But as Liz Cheney commented; "Former Attorney General Bill Barr is no Shrinking Violet". He would be able to handle himself under cross examination.

The "Threat to our Democracy" has now overtaken the economy as the #1 issue in the upcoming Midterm Election. A Quinnipiac University poll taken August 31, indicates that an even number of Republicans and Democrats alike believe U.S. Democracy is in danger of collapse with 69% of both parties answered yes, while 28% of Democrats and 29% of Republicans answered no.

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Reminder:

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You can call or text 218-280-2992 with any questions.

SAND VALLEY CHURCH of TRAIL

Fancy Work & BAKE SALE

3:00 p.m.

Light Lunch & Door Prizes to follow

SUNDAY
Sept. 25,
2022

DINING & entertainment

PUMPKIN DAY IN GONVICK!

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH

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WING NIGHT WEDNESDAY

Friday & Saturday SPECIAL - SHRIMP

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2:00 to 6:00 p.m.

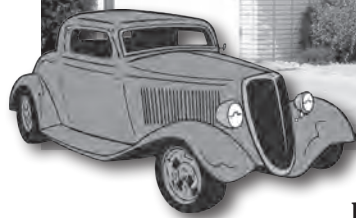
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Please note: Effective October 1st, there will a
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We would like to introduce ourselves to the readers of the Leader-Record. We are former residents of the area and have been employed in St. Paul for the past eight years. Our two children, Steven, age 3 and Tony, 10 months complete the family. We have formed a new company and your newspaper is now a part of the Richards as best as we can. Richard and Corrine Richards

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CARROTS, CUT GREEN BEANS, PEAS, CORN,
CAULIFLOWER OR BROCCOLI CUTS

VEGETABLES
5/\$6 16 OZ FROZEN

CRACKER BARREL EXTRA SHARP
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**CRACKER
CUT CHEESE**
3/\$10 7 OZ

CRYSTAL FARMS MOZZARELLA, CHEDDAR,
SHARP CHEDDAR, MARBLE JACK OR PIZZA
BLEND REGULAR SHRED; CHEDDAR, COLBY
MARBLE OR TACO BLEND FINE SHRED

CHEESE SHREDS
2/\$5 8 OZ



ESSENTIAL EVERYDAY
NO PULP PLUS CALCIUM
& VITAMIN D, SOME
PULP OR NO PULP

**ORANGE
JUICE**
5/\$10 64 OZ

WILD HARVEST WHOLE, 2%, 1% OR SKIM
ORGANIC MILK 1/2 GAL **4/\$5**

COLEMAN RED

COOLER
\$12.99



ESSENTIAL EVERYDAY
WATER 24 PK - 1/2 LITER BOTTLES **3/\$10**

STARKIST PREMIUM
ORIGINAL OR 25% LESS SODIUM

**WHITE
CHICKEN**
99¢ 2.6 OZ POUCH

DICED, PETITE DICED OR
DICED WITH BASIL, GARLIC & OREGANO

**HUNT'S
TOMATOES**
5/\$6 14.5 OZ

ESSENTIAL EVERYDAY

**MACARONI
& CHEESE**
10/\$5 7.25 OZ

CHICKEN, ALFREDO OR STROGANOFF PASTA;
CHICKEN BROCCOLI, CHICKEN, SPANISH OR
CHEDDAR BROCCOLI RICE SIDES

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**CULINARY
CIRCLE
PIZZA**
3/\$12

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PIZZA ROLLS 24.8 OZ BAG FROZEN **2/\$9**

**ASSORTED
COCA
COLA
PRODUCTS**
2/\$10

12 PK - 12 OZ CANS OR 8 PK - 12 OZ BOTTLES

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GATORADE 32 OZ **3/\$4**

FAMILY PACK 85% LEAN



GROUND BEEF
\$3.89 LB

ANGUS FARMS
BONELESS BEEF



**CHUCK
BLADE
STEAK**
\$5.29 LB

ANGUS FARMS
BEEF BONELESS



RIBEYE STEAK
\$12.49 LB

BONELESS CENTER CUT



PORK LOIN ROAST
\$2.89 LB

FAMILY PACK HICKORY



SMOKED BACON
\$3.79 LB

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ASSORTED BREADED



**FISH
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**CHICKEN
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SAUSAGE**
\$8.99 2 LB

ANGUS FARMS
BONELESS BEEF



**CHUCK
BLADE
ROAST**
\$4.99 LB

ANGUS FARMS
BEEF BONELESS



BALL TIP STEAK
\$5.69 LB

FAMILY PACK
BONELESS CENTER CUT



PORK LOIN CHOPS
\$2.99 LB

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BABY BACKRIBS
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BREASTS**
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GOLD N PLUMP



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VERNON MANOR SLICED



PEPPERONI
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SCHWEIGERT



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SOUR CREAM • DIP 12 OZ **\$1.99**

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BAKED BEANS
\$1.39 28 OZ

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AVOCADOS 2/**\$2.50**

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RUM **\$39 99**

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CHARDONNAY .. **\$14 99**

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RLCC High School in Oklee has an opening for a paraprofessional for the school year 2022-23. Contact the School for an application or with questions at 218-796-5136. Position open until filled. ISD 2906 is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

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CUSTODIAL POSITION



Clearbrook-Gonvick School has an opening for a custodial position. This is a full-time, 12 month position, with benefits. Pay is negotiable dependent on experience. Job requirements include the ability to thoroughly clean while paying attention to detail with some lifting and bending required. Boiler's license is helpful but not required for the position. Applications can be found on our school website or call Melissa Weems at 218-776-3112 Ext. 105 with any questions.

Please submit resume, letter of interest, and application to:
Clearbrook-Gonvick School
16770 Clearwater Lake Rd.
Clearbrook, MN 56634
mmccoy@clearbrook-gonvick.k12.mn.us
Attn: Melissa Weems, HR

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EXTRA-CURRICULAR BUS DRIVERS

Clearbrook-Gonvick School District is hiring for Extra-Curricular bus drivers. The District will reimburse the cost of training, health card, and one road test after 6 months of employment with the district as well as allow qualified candidates to use the District's buses for testing. Rate of pay is \$22.00 to \$25.00 per hour, dependent on qualifications and experience.

Interested candidates should submit an application to:



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Information Technology Specialist

Applications are now being accepted for two (2) full-time Information Technology Specialists in the Clearwater County Information Technology Department.

General Statement of Duties: To provide technical and help desk support for county computer, network systems and business applications. Setup and maintenance of PC's and troubleshoot and support network equipment. Strong communication and customer service skills is required.

Position Requirements: Combination of education and experience totaling four years with a minimum of a two year technical degree in a related field. Valid driver's license is required

Starting Range: \$22.08 to \$28.84 – Range 16

Application Deadline: Open until filled, first review of applicants Friday, September 30th, 2022.

Application form and job description may be obtained from our website at: www.co.clearwater.mn.us or by contacting the Clearwater County Information Technology Office, 213 Main Ave. N., Dept. 204, Bagley, MN 56621 (218) 694-3633.

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Job Posting / Position Available

Clearwater County Nursing Service is looking for qualified individuals to work on a full time/part time/casual basis as a Home Health Aide/Homemaker/School Health Para. The qualified applicant should be certified as a Home Health Aide, Nursing Assistant or be willing to be trained. A background check will be required. Applications are available at the Clearwater County Nursing Service office in Bagley at 212 Main Ave N., Bagley or online at <http://co.clearwater.mn.us/> 218-694-6581 for more information.

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City of Oklee

Part Time Maintenance Operative

Duties include but will not be limited to Snow Removal, Mowing, Tree Trimming, Road Maintenance and general maintenance on city equipment and buildings. Applicant must hold a valid driver's license. Knowledge and experience with operating a skid steer would be advantageous. A knowledge of construction work would be helpful also. Hours can vary in winter with snow removal especially, so the applicant would need to be flexible.

A great opportunity to join a small team with a possibility of advancement to a full time position. Wage rate based on experience. Applications are available by calling the City Clerk's Office at 218 796 5183. Applicant should submit the application to the:

City of Oklee
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Oklee MN 56742

This position remains opened until filled.

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FULL-TIME PARA-EDUCATOR

The Clearbrook-Gonvick School has an opening for a full-time para-educator for the 2022-2023 school year. Requirements for the position include: Having passed or have the ability to pass a para pro test, enjoy working with children, and must pass a background check. Applications can be found on our school website or call Melissa Weems at 218-776-3112 Ext. 105 with any questions.

Please submit application, resume, and letter of interest to:



Melissa Weems, HR
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HELP WANTED

DO YOU LIKE
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Richards Publishing in Gonvick is looking to hire a full-time PROJECT MANAGER. Must have the ability to multi-task, prioritize deadlines, work with basic computer skills, knowledge in Excel helpful, but will train. Candidate will also work with digital printing and be able to work well as a team.

Contact Dick Richards at 218-487-5225 if interested.



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Theology in the Trenches
By Kathleen Kjolhaug

An Offering of Stability

M a k i n g my way into the kitchen brought silence. It's easy to enjoy the stillness within the confines of stability, predictability—an offering it is. Too quiet, I thought as it wasn't all that early. I peered out the kitchen window and recognized the pick-up parked in the driveway. All was well.

Familiarity offers stability as the recognizable pickup lay in wait for the day to begin—giving reassurance the owner of it was home and it would be a regular Saturday upon the farm.

It's going on forty years now of being married to the pickup man—and not all pickups throughout the years have been gray ones. Now, he sorta matches his and I like that. Did I mention that in all those years of being married, never once have we owned a garage in which to park the pickup? Best part about not having a garage is that I need not peer into it to know if he's home. I need merely peek out the window to assess the situation.

Same sorta thing happens come evening. As the pickup lights blink their way down the driveway, it signals we will have yet another evening at home and for that I am grateful. Funny how that goes...the rhythm of life underneath the current of life...which ebbs and flows... I pause—trying not to take too much for granted. But at times I do take things

for granted because I am mere mortal.

There have been times when the pickup's pulled in late and I've wondered if I'd have another morning view of it, much less the farmer within it. Not all have the luxury of lingering talks upon the porch from bird feeder vantage point like we do. Not all have the luxury of walking country roads in the not so quiet with new pup on leash as she unleashes energy much too powerful for our stage in life. Yet, the pickup man will not admit it. And that's okay cause I think pup is an offering of stability signaling life will go on and we will be participants of.

The weekend will welcome a few chores and just for today the country roads are quieter than normal as the county fair is in full swing. Nothing is on the horizon for traveling here or there other than groceries. We buy instead of eat out cause we get more stability with the dollar when we do. Nothing on

the radar other than calling dad who is now on hospice and each time he picks up, it is an offering of stability and I don't want to take one second for granted—ever.

After the quiet of Saturday comes Sunday and it's all an offering as we prayerfully respond to the invitation to come worship. Neighbors are counting on neighbors to show up cause they need us and we need them and the offering of ourselves to others is a constant and I like that, too.

I suppose, though, neighbor-to-neighbor is no offering if one does not first go to be reconciled to our brothers at the altar of our hearts. Only then can we be poured out as an offering according to Matthew 5:23-24. As we still, as we pause, and as we go to a place within for examine—confessing will bring fruit which will be all His as it is only He who offers true stability both now and forever—in Jesus name. Amen.

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Answer: These types of devices and alterations to the brake lights are not legal ac-

cording to state and federal law. An auto dealer would also be in violation if they installed that type of light on a motor vehicle.

Not only are flashing red lights illegal but so are modifications to the rear taillights and brake lights. I've come across several taillights and brake lights that have been covered or tinted. Altering or obscuring any portion of the lamp affects the intensity of light emitted. This could be an issue in a motor vehicle crash both criminally

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80 John Deere!

By Auctioneer Eric W. Mickelson

Last week a friend of mine gave me a call. He said he had found an 80 John Deere and was wondering if it sounded like a good deal. Well, I am a poor guy to ask....it is hard not to buy a John Deere and most of them sound like a good deal!! He once told me he would like an 80 John Deere and I would like an 80 John Deere. The 80 John Deere replaced the R. A 1949 R John Deere was the first tractor I ever drove. I can remember seeing my dad and grandfather baling hay with the R while pulling a New Holland 77 baler and mom plowing with a 4 bottom Oliver plow. My prize possession, of a tractor, is my R, so of course I said you better go buy that 80!!

A little history: The R was in production from 1949-1954, then the 80 replaced it. The 80 was manufactured from 1955-1956. There were over 21,000 R's manufactured, but only 3485 model 80's. The R was a big horse, but the 80 was bigger! The R produced about 43 drawbar horsepower, as tested in Nebraska, while the 80 topped 60hp! If you see the two tractors sitting side by side you may not see much difference, although there is.

Probably the most visible difference is the flywheel cover. On the R it is round and on the 80 it is described as "tear drop shaped." The front axle on the 80 is slightly arched letting the front stand a little bit higher. Standard front and rear tires were the same size and the operators platform was basically the same.

I can remember when I was a kid driving by a neighbors place and I would see his big 80 in the field, WOW! what a sight. I can remember driving by and his son, younger than myself, was driving the 80 with the cultivator behind. Was I jealous?.....Yes!

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OBITUARIES

Obituary for
Lynda Loiland

Lynda Loiland, age 73, of Fosston, MN, passed away on Wednesday, September 14th, 2022, at her home with her family by her side. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 24th, at Calvary Free Lutheran Church in Fosston with the Rev. Mark Richardson officiating. Interment will be in Calvary Free Lutheran Cemetery, Fosston. Visitation will be held for one hour prior to the service on Saturday (24th) at the church. Arrangements are with Carlin Family Funeral Service of Fosston. Messages of condolence may be shared and funeral live-stream may be seen at www.carlinfuneral.com.
Lynda Faye Erickson was born on September 21, 1948, in Fosston, Minnesota to parents Oscar and Doris (Weberg) Erickson. She grew up near Fosston and graduated from Fosston High School in 1966.

Lynda was united in marriage to John Wayne Loiland on June 13, 1966. After their marriage, they lived in the Twin Cities and Lynda worked in area nursing homes. They left the Twin Cities in 1968 and moved to Red Lake Falls, then Fosston, and eventually buying Lynda's family's home place in 1970.
Lynda and John worked as a team in life and business. They did everything together. They established Mac Auto Body and J&L Auto Sales which they operated until retirement. Though Lynda lived with multiple sclerosis for much of her adult life, she lived life to its fullest; working, raising children and caring for others. Lynda was the type of person that took care of everyone else first. She would gladly lend a helping hand to anyone in need. Lynda also fondly remembered and enjoyed the many motorcycle trips that she and John went on out west with family and friends. She will be dearly missed.
Survivors include her son, Gary (Kelle) Loiland of Brainerd, MN; and daughter, Shannon (Jerry) Miller of Fosston; two granddaughters, Shayla and Shyanne Loiland; three siblings, Gary Erickson of Dalton, MN, Lyles Nelson of Westminster, CO, and Luanne (Lenny) Devos of Crookston, MN. Nieces, nephews and cousins also survive.
She was preceded in death by her husband, John, on July 24, 2017; her parents; sister-in-law, Cynthia Erickson; and brother-in-law, Ken Nelson.

Obituary for
Regene Radniecki

After a long battle with dementia, Regene (Reggie) Ann Radniecki, age 74, passed away August 30, 2022 in a care center in Brookings, Oregon.
Celebration of Life Service will be held at 10:00 AM on Friday, September 30, 2022 at Johnson Funeral Service in Oklee, MN. Burial will follow at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Cemetery in Oklee, MN.
Visitation will take place one hour prior to the service on Friday at the funeral home.
Reggie was born January 29, 1948 in Thief River Falls, MN to Elaine Ardell Bowman and Roman Arthur Radniecki. She grew up on a farm, attended elementary grades at a one-room school house (Pleasant View), went to high school in Oklee, MN and began college at Bemidji State College in Bemidji, MN. In 1972 she began working as a photographer at the Minneapolis Tribune and at the time was the first female in 25 years to be on the photo staff of the paper. While working at the newspaper she attended the University of Minnesota and earned a BA degree in journalism. She also free lanced and had photos published in The New York Times, The Los Angeles Times, USA Today, National Geographic's World Magazine, Life, Ebony, Business Week, Forbes and Time. She held teaching positions at the Rochester Institute of Technology in New York state and the University of Missouri's School of Journalism in Columbia, MO.
After leaving the Tribune, she was awarded a full graduate scholarship and stipend to attend Ohio University's E.W. Scripps School of Journalism where she taught photojournalism and earned an MA in mass communication and began working on a doctorate.
Her last 13 years of employment were spent teaching mass communication courses at the University of Minnesota, Moorhead, MN. During this time she was awarded the Dean's "Certificate of Excellence" for teaching, was nominated for the "US Professors of the Year" award and received summer-time fellowships from National Geographic and the Society of Newspaper Editors Institute for Journalism Excellence.
Her work as a photojournalist provided her many opportunities for world travel which she thoroughly enjoyed. Her love of family history took her many times to Norway and Poland.
The family remembers Reggie for her humbleness, generosity to family, friends and strangers, passion for family history, love of reading and travel, adoration of her nieces and nephews and zest for living an adventurous life.
Reggie is predeceased by brother Ross Radniecki and father Roman Radniecki. Grandparents Charles and Emma Bowman and John (JL) and Emma Radniecki. Aunts, Uncles and many cousins. She is survived by her mother Elaine Radniecki, brothers Keith (Shari) and Charles (Carol), sisters Renay (Bill), Paula, and Beth (Dick), Aunts Marlene Johnson and Therese Radniecki, and many nieces, nephews and cousins.
The family wishes to express their gratitude to the medical staff and caregivers of the Brightcreek memory care unit of Seaview Senior Living Community and Costal Home Health and Hospice, both in Brookings, OR.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Minnesota Statute 394, Section 26, and the Clearwater County Shoreland Management Ordinance that it is the intention of the Clearwater County Board of Adjustment/Planning Commission to hold a public hearing to consider a Variance application (VA-305-22) by Shawn and Sharon Bubb, Clearwater Lake, (4-343) Lot 2 Arter's, Subdivision, Section 1, Township 149N, Range 36W, Sinclair Township, Clearwater County, Minnesota. This Variance application is for an addition to the existing cabin with a side setback of 3 1/2 ft. (10 ft required.) This public hearing will be held in the Commissioner's Room, 2nd Floor, Courthouse, Bagley, Minnesota on October 4th, 2022 at 11:00 AM or as soon thereafter as possible.
Glenn Rettmann, Chair
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Obituary for
Corlan Kleinschmidt

Corlan Kleinschmidt, 84 of Oklee, MN passed away peacefully on Friday, September 16, 2022 at Thief River Care Center in Thief River Falls, MN with her loving family by her side.
Visitation will begin at 1:00 PM with the funeral service to celebrate Corlan's life at 3:00 PM on Tuesday, September 20, 2022 at Ebenezer Lutheran Church rural Oklee, MN with Rev. Jonathan Dodson officiating. Burial will follow at Ebenezer Lutheran Church Cemetery.
Corlan Ann Sorenson was born September 23, 1937 in Thief River Falls, MN the daughter of Harry and Agnes (Tillman) Sorenson. She was baptized and confirmed at Salem Lutheran Church near Oklee, MN. She attended country school in Garne Township, Red Lake County, MN and graduated from Plummer High School with the class of 1955.
On October 9, 1957 Corlan was united in marriage to Charles Otto Magnell. They made their home in Grand Forks, ND and to this union five children were born, Randall, Annette, Wesley, Dennis and Jason. They lived near the race track and worked at a gas station and a dairy farm. The family eventually returned to live on the family farm in Garne Township where they took over the Magnell Family Farm and raised small grains, dairy cows and sheep. Corlan taught at three country schools: Godridge, Deer Park Township, and Fosston. Charles passed away in 1977 in a trucking accident in Duluth, MN.
Corlan was a stay-at-home mom until 1978 when she started working at the Midland Gas Station in Oklee. She then became a nurse's aide and worked at McIntosh Manor for over twenty-five years.
In September of 1992, Corlan married Robert Kleinschmidt and the couple made their home in Oklee. Later moved to Lake Marian near Hutchinson, MN where she continued to work part-time in a nursing home and taking care of their cats. After Bob's death in 2012, Corlan returned to live in Oklee where she has continued to reside and started working at Peatland Reds Potato Farm.
Corlan enjoyed bowling, fishing, playing cards, she loved to travel, watch the Minnesota Vikings and attend her kids, grandkids & great-grandkids activities whether at church or school where she was their best cheerleader and biggest fan. She never forgot any of her family birthdays.
She was a member of Ebenezer Lutheran Church and a member of Zion Lutheran Church when she lived in Oklee.
Survivors include her loving sons, Randy (Nancy) Magnell, Wes (Debbie) Magnell, and Dennis (Danielle) Magnell all of Oklee; grandchildren, Craig (Michelle) Magnell, Troy (Amber) Magnell, Isaac (Emily) Magnell, Jennifer (Derek) Schroeder, Derick (Amanda) Vettleson, Erika (Shevy) Akason, Lindsay (Mitch) Rystad, Nick Vettleson, Jonathan (Holly) Magnell, Charles (Naomi) Magnell, Mikel (Jill) Magnell, Wesley (Jessica) Magnell Jr., Benjamin (Carly) Theis, Daniel Svalen, Jessica Santala, Jillian Magnell, Jenna (Javin) Grisham, Jarren Magnell, Nathan Magnell, Miranda (Douglas) Percy, Nolan Magnell, Krista (Tyler) Lundeen, Brooke (Ian) Halle, Jacob Magnell; son-in-law, Galen Phelps and his daughter, Anessa; daughter-in-law, Toni Magnell; great-grandchildren, Tanner, Ian, Brock, Carter, Easton, Clowie, Eli, Liam, Jackson, Benson, Kaiza, Paxley, Krimzen, Brooklyn, Regan, Crew, Brody, Sophia, Keaden, Aaron, Owen, Maci, Harper, Carson, Scarlet, Mailea, Beckett, Paisleigh, Chloe, Audrey, Macy, Millie, Tavin, Konnar, Jimmy, Amirah, Jet, Jude, Aiden, Bella, Kyler, Logan, Tiana, Aly, Briar, Esenyah, Anna and Amiela; sister, Janice Melvie; sisters-in-law Wavell Sorenson, Shirley (Darrow) Lundeen, Vi (Dellas) Disrud, Muriel Mandt; and many other relatives and friends.
She is preceded in death by her husbands, Charles Magnell and Robert Kleinschmidt; daughter, Annette Magnell; son, Jason Magnell; parents; brothers, Kermit, Virgil (Marie) and Lloyd Sorenson; and brothers-in-law, Earl Melvie and Lyle Mandt.
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Bratvold to hold a bodybuilding and fitness class starting October 3

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If you wish to take the class you need to check in with Karen Bratvold for weigh in the week leading up. They will be choosing a first place winner going by start and finish pictures and overall body fat loss. Basically who did the work.

First prize will be 12 months

free membership and other goodies from local business which will be named at the end with the winner. Cost free for Anytime Fitness Fosston members. \$150 for those who would like to join for the 12 week competition and that's discounted nicely. Karen Bratvold will be the support person for the competition along side the gym owner Mona Nelson. Contact Karen at 218-368-6247 for more information



Bratvold wins at NPC Twin Cities Open held in July

The NPC Twin Cities Open was held in Minneapolis on July 9th. Karen Bratvold of Clearbrook took part and won her two nominated divisions. 1st place womens physique 35 years plus 1st place women's physique 50 plus. She took home those wins and finished up receiving 2nd place overall female and nominated best

posing from the IFBB Pro Charles Griffen. Griffen is a professional bodybuilder and sponsored athlete from Arizona.

Her feedback from judges was incredible and they were overwhelmed with her overall look she bought to the stage being 53. She was just so happy once again.

Bemidji Speedway "43rd Annual Paul Bunyan Stampede"

By Dennis Peterson

The drivers have had a few weeks off from the Bemidji Speedway to plan and prepare for the biggest races of the year. The "43rd Annual Paul Bunyan Stampede" begins Friday September 23rd with a Cornhole tournament. The tournament begins at 6:PM and all are welcome to participate. Along with the tournament music and lots of goodies will be provided in preparation for the racing action which begins on Saturday September 24th. The green flag

will wave at 4:PM. The races continue on Sunday with a 2:PM starting time.

A full field of cars are expected with Bemidji Mini Stocks, Wissota Hornets, Wissota Pure Stocks, Wissota Mod Fours, Wissota Midwest Modifieds, Wissota Super Stocks, Wissota A Modifieds and the Northern Renegade Wingless Sprints joining in the action both days as well.

The "Stampede" has become a highlight for many drivers, crews and fans over the years

with drivers coming from Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin and Canada for the three day event. Top drivers in each class will be vying for National Points as the points season is just a few weeks away. Over the years Bemidji Speedway has hosted the point leaders in each class looking to improve their standings.

Last year's winners were Shannon George in the Minis, Josh Berg and Kevin Baumgarner in the pure stocks, Justin Barsness won both days in

the Hornets, Skyler Smith in the Wissota Mod Fours, Gary James Nelson won twice in the Midwest Modifieds, Shane Sabraski won both Wissota Super Stock features as well as the modifieds, Paul Schultz and Adam Sobolik won the Sprint features.

With increased purses the drivers will be looking for both the dollars and the points to finish out the racing season at Bemidji Speedway.



Action from the 2021 Stampede



There is going to be a Gerald Dyrda Memorial 200 race this year!

Is there going to be a Gerald Dyrda Memorial Pine Lake 200 snowmobile race in 2022? Absolutely! If this event has an average turnout of spectators and racers, one pro rider could be a part of taking home around \$25,000.00 in cash, prizes, and factory contingency money if they win it all!

2022 will be 25 years since Gerald passed away of cancer at the age of 49 years old.

This year, Five Star Motor-

sports Promotions Inc and the Gerald Dyrda family have gone another direction and will promote and host this race as an independent cross country lake race, although it will remain I.S.R. sanctioned.

Pine Lake, which is located south of Gonvick, Mn has had snowmobile races since 1987. Gerald and many others were among the original promoters of this event, and it has now become a historic staple in

the snowmobile racing world, and it is considered one of the Crown Jewels to win.

KC Pro West Racing has also confirmed that they will be racing at Pine Lake as well that weekend, with numerous classes for the kids to compete in.

New this year will also be a \$10,000.00 to win, 1997 and older class. Details on that are on our Facebook page.

This year's race will be De-

cember 17th and 18th, with backup dates of December 31st and January 1st.

Follow our Facebook page for more updates. Gerald Dyrda Memorial-Pine Lake 200.

We look forward to putting on our biggest race ever and we look forward to 115 MPH racing in December! 100 days until race day.



The Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears hosted Cass Lake-Bena in action on Friday, September 16. Quarterback Colin Crotteau, getting the snap and looking for a receiver down field. He was getting protection from Alex Churness, 2, Jake Stoskopf 63 and Joseph Nybo 64.

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