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Mrs. Anderson's second grade class at J.A. Hughes Elementary in Red Lake Falls with their new GVT water bottles.

GVT Donates Water Bottles to Local Schools to Celebrate Co-op Month

[Erskine, MN October 2022] Celebrated by cooperatives nationwide during the month of October, National Co-op Month is an annual opportunity to raise awareness of a trusted, proven way to do business and build resilient, inclusive communities. Under the theme "Co-ops Build Economic Power," this year's Co-op Month is also a chance to lift-up the cooperative business model as

the best way to build an economy that empowers everyone. In honor of co-op month, GVT recently donated over 900 reusable water bottles to all eleven schools in its service area. Schools are distributing the water bottles to 2nd and 3rd grade students. "For several years now, GVT has donated reusable water bottles to elementary classrooms in the schools we

serve," stated Timothy Brinkman, General Manager of Garden Valley Technologies. "It's a small way we can invest in the future and introduce our local cooperative to children." About Garden Valley Technologies Garden Valley Technologies is a progressive telecommunications and technology company serving 28 exchanges

and surrounding communities in northwest Minnesota since 1906. GVT is a member-owned cooperative providing business and residential consumers with advanced integrated communications and technological solutions including high speed Internet, Digital HD TV, Security, 4G LTE Cellular, Smart Home technology and Voice services.

U of M Extension to host webinar series for cattle owners with a day job

The University of Minnesota Extension is excited to host a three-part webinar series titled: Essentials for the cattle owner with a day job. Zoom meetings will be held on Thursday, November 3, 10 and 17 from 8 to 9 p.m. CST. The webinar series will focus on topics designed to help cattle owners that have obligations other than cattle such as an off the farm job or crop farming. Farmers, 4-H members, ag business professionals who work with farmers, and

those interested in beef cows are invited to attend. Thursday, November 3: Grazing strategies to reduce annual costs Topics to be discussed: Grazing strategies and pasture set up to keep annual cost down with the overall goal of keeping things simple to maximize efficiency and save time. Thursday, November 10: How to choose your calving season Topics to be discussed: What

should influence when you calve and how will that influence your marketing strategy? Considerations include scours, labor, time and space. Thursday, November 17: Winter housing—space requirements, feeding strategies and spring scours Topics to be discussed: The different options for housing cows in the winter and the considerations you should make when setting up your system.

Pre-registration is required. Please register by visiting z.umn.edu/beefowner. You will receive a Zoom link following registration. You only have to register once, and you will be registered for all subsequent webinars. If you are unable to attend the live sessions, you will receive the recordings for all the sessions via email at the end of the series. Any questions please contact Brenda Miller at nels4220@umn.edu.

Residents asked not to disturb temporary targets

MnDOT conducts aerial photography on Highways 2, 32 and 71 in northwest Minnesota

The Minnesota Department of Transportation is asking residents not to disturb aerial photography targets as crews begin aerial mapping in northwestern Minnesota. Landowners in the area that will have targets placed on or near their property will be contacted directly. Weather permitting, work will begin mid-October. The mapping will take place in the following locations:

- Highway 2- Business route

in East Grand Forks

- Highway 32 - from Highway 2 to Sand Hill Road
- Highway 71 - North of Bemidji from East Movil Lake Road to Turtle River

The aerial survey process relies on clear observations and must be conducted after the leaves fall and before it snows. To begin the process crews place an "X" on the ground as a reference point for the aerial photographer.

Aerial mapping is used to create a record of existing infrastructure and landscape along MnDOT right of way for transportation planning and highway design. In order to obtain accurate aerial mapping, MnDOT crews paint large white "X" targets on paved surfaces, and place plastic or fabric "X" targets on unpaved surfaces. A survey crew then records the coordinate position and elevation of the temporary targets

for the aerial photography company. The plastic and fabric targets are temporary and will be removed when the photography is completed. MnDOT requests that landowners not remove or disturb the targets, if possible, until the photography is completed. If a target must be moved, please contact the District 2 survey office at 218-755-6509 or by email at drew.mistic@state.mn.us.

The MN Dept. of Agriculture Offers Tips for Ammonia Safety

Many farmers and custom applicators will soon apply anhydrous ammonia (NH3) after harvest. Even with a rush against time and the weather, safety should never be compromised. Accidents involving NH3 have proven how dangerous and deadly the fertilizer can be when not handled properly. The Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA) is providing the following tips to farmers, fertilizer dealers, and custom applicators to safely field apply NH3.

- Always wear NH3-rated goggles and gloves. Never wear

contact lenses.

- Be sure to have a clean and accessible emergency water supply of at least 5 gallons available.
- Exercise caution when making connections and disconnections of transfer lines, treating them as if they always contain NH3.
- Stand upwind when connecting, disconnecting, bleeding lines, or transferring NH3. Also, close, bleed, disconnect, and secure valves and transfer lines when taking breaks or disconnecting lines, and be sure to handle hose end valves by the

valve body.

- Position equipment away and downwind from homes, people, and livestock.

Safety is also key to those maintaining NH3 equipment, operating NH3 storage facilities, and transporting NH3. Never assume NH3 lines are empty, always wear the required protective safety equipment, and have access to safety water (NH3 storage facilities must have a minimum of one open top container holding 150 gallons of clean, accessible water or an accessible emergency shower with a plumbed eyewash. A 5-gallon

container of clean, accessible water must accompany NH3 nurse tanks).

When towing a nurse tank down the road, drive sensibly. Do not go any faster than 30 miles per hour, display a slow-moving vehicle (SVM) emblem visible from the rear, and be sure the tank is secured to the tractor or truck with two separate, independent chains that supplement the hitch pin/clip.

If an accident or spill occurs, seek medical care if needed, immediately call 911, and then the Minnesota Duty Officer at 1-800-422-0798 or 651-649-5451.

Candidate Fair To Be Held at Red Lake Nation

Story by Michael Meuers
The Red Lake Political Education Committee (RLPEC), a tribal non-profit, and non-partisan organization, will be hosting a Candidate Fair on Tuesday, October 25, 2022, from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. The Fair will be held at the Oshkiimaajitahdah (New Beginnings), 15525 Mendota Ave., Redby, MN. (five miles east of Red Lake on Highway #1, Entrance back of the building)

All candidates for local and statewide office, US Congress District 8, MN Senate District 2 and 2A, Beltrami County Sheriff, Beltrami County Commissioner District 4, and Red Lake School Board District 38, who would represent the Red Lake Indian Reservation have been invited. Red Lake Nation (Reservation) alone has over 2900 registered voters. Candidates who have confirmed attendance (as of the October 14th RSVP deadline) include: Jen Schultz (DFL) US Congress District 8, (her opponent Pet Stauber (GOP) declined) Alan Roy (DFL) and Steve Green (GOP) for State Senator District 2; Reed Olson (DFL) and Matthew Grossell (GOP) for State Representative District 2A; Jarrett Walton and Jason Riggs for County Sheriff; Tim Sumner for Beltrami County Commissioner; (his opponent Joe Neff did not respond) and Candidates for Red Lake School Board.

State Executive office of Governor, Lt. Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, and State Auditor are also on the ballot, but are unable to attend.

The event is informal and begins at 5 p.m. A light supper of chili and fry bread will be available at no cost or free-will donation for all attendees.

"We hope to draw both Indian and non-Indian participants from all of Beltrami County", said RLPEC Chair Michelle Paquin. "We expect local and tribal elected officials, political activists, and interested voters seeking information about candidates prior to the Minnesota general election on November 8, 2022. We expect this to be very informal and fun.

Rough Agenda:
• 4:45 to 5:00 - Mixer, (Chile & Fry Bread – Free Will Donation)
• 5:00 pm - US Congress District 8, Jen Schultz (15 min) Opponent Stauber declined.
• 5:15 to 6:15 - Senate District 2, Leonard Alan Roy and Steve Green, & State Rep. District 2A, Reed Olson and Matthew J. Grossell (four? candidates) (2 min open and close) (Q & A, 1.5 min.)
• 6:15 to 7:00 - Beltrami County Sheriff Jarrett Walton and Jason Riggs (2 min open and close) (Q & A, 1.5 to 2 min.)
• 7:00 to 7:15 - County Commissioner Tim Sumner (15 min) Opponent Neff did not respond
• 7:15 to 8:00 – Red Lake School Board (1 min open and close)
• 8 to 8:15 - Close (Thank-you's and mixer)
The Red Lake Tribal Council, the Red Lake Political Education Committee, Oshkiimaajitahdah, and the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians sponsor the Candidate Fair.

Thanksgiving meal to be served in Erskine

Do you need help providing a Thanksgiving meal for yourself and/or your family this year? If you are a family or individual in need of help please sign up for the free Thanksgiving dinner served out of the Erskine Community Center on Thanksgiving day starting at 5 PM. This year we are offering

takeout and delivery services. If you need help and would like to receive a Thanksgiving dinner- please call to get on either take out or delivery list by November 19th. Call 218-687-2157 or call/text 218-280-2992. No one in need will be turned away until the last cranberry has been served.



On Wednesday, October 12, 2022, Adam Bergman got a hole in 1 on hole 7 (par 4 291 yds) at Wapicada Golf Course in Sauk Rapids. This is Adam's second hole in one and his first hole in one was on the Fertile Golf Course (par 3). The hole in one on a par 4 marks not only his second hole in one, but also his second double eagle/albatross (3 under par on a hole). Adam is a 1998 graduate from Win-E-Mac and currently lives in Grand Forks, North Dakota. He grew up in McIntosh. Congratulations Adam Bergman!



15 More Sheriffs Endorse Schultz in Historic Show of Support

PLYMOUTH, Minn. — Today, in a continued unprecedented expression of public support, an additional 15 county sheriffs from across the state of Minnesota joined their 22 colleagues in endorsing Jim Schultz for Minnesota Attorney General. In total these sheriffs have served over four million Minnesotans or almost 75% of the state's residents. Despite serving as Attorney General for nearly four years, Keith Ellison has zero endorsements from sheriffs, police, or law enforcement organizations.

"I am very proud to have public endorsements from 37 county sheriffs from every part of the state, including the five largest metro counties," said Schultz. "This has never happened in Minnesota's history. They endorsed me because Keith Ellison has emboldened criminals and ignored victims, and these sheriffs know I will support them in their work of protecting Minnesotans and in ensuring that victims receive justice."

"It is a disgrace that Keith Ellison supported defunding and dismantling the Minneapolis police amidst the greatest increase in violent crime in decades," Schultz continued. "Instead of destroying police forces, I will partner with law enforcement to end the revolving door of criminals not being held accountable for their actions, deliver justice for victims, and restore public

safety."

The 37 sheriffs join other law enforcement groups in their endorsement of Schultz, including the Minnesota Police and Peace Officers Association, the National Troopers Coalition, and the Ramsey County Deputies' Federation.

Full list of sheriffs who have endorsed Schultz: Sheriffs James Stuart (Anoka County), Daniel Guida (Aitkin County), Todd Glander (Becker County), Ernest Beitel (Beltrami County), Troy Heck (Benton County), Tom Burch (Cass County), Mark Empting (Clay County), Scott Goddard (Crow Wing County), Tim Leslie (Dakota County), Scott Rose (Dodge County), Kurt Freitag (Freeborn County), Mark Haberer (Grant County), Victor Williams (Itasca County), Eric Holien (Kandiyohi County), Mark Wilwant (Kittson County), Allen Anderson (Lac qui Parle County), Brett Mason (Le Sueur County), Josh Guenther (Mahnommen County), Tim Langenfeld (McLeod County), Brian Cruze (Meeker County), Shawn Larsen (Morrison County), Jeremy Thornton (Norman County), Kevin Torgerson (Olmsted County), Jeffrey Nelson (Pine County), James Tadmam (Polk County), Bob Fletcher (Ramsey County), Mitch Bernstein (Red Lake County), Scott Hable (Renville County), Patrick Nienaber (Sibley County), Steve Soyka (Stearns County), Jason Dingman (Stevens County), Mi-

chael Carr (Wadena County), Brad Milbrath (Waseca County), Dan Starry (Washington County), and Sean Deringer (Wright County), Bill Flaten (Yellow Medicine County), and Rich Stanek (Hennepin County (2006 – 2018))

Polk County Sheriff

Single Vehicle Rollover

On 10/11/2022 at approximately 1525 hours, the Polk County Sheriff's Office was dispatched to a single vehicle roll over near 39531 350th Ave SE in Brandsvold Township near the City of Fosston. A 2010 International semi-tractor pulling a trailer containing asphalt entered the ditch and overturned upon re-entering the roadway. The driver, David Chmielewski, 66, of Bemidji, MN, sustained serious injuries and was transported to Sanford Fargo hospital.

David is believed to have been wearing his seat belt. Alcohol is not believed to be a factor.

Assisting agency's include MN State Patrol, Essentia Ambulance, Fosston Fire Department and Fosston Police Department.

This case remains under investigation and no further information will be released at this time.

Semi accidents

On 10/14/2022 the Polk County Sheriff's Office was dispatched to two separate accidents involving semis.

At approximately 0730 hours the Polk County Sheriff's Office was dispatched to a semi that had gone off the roadway near the intersection of County Road 21 / 400th Ave NW and jackknifed. The road was covered in mud from a nearby field at the time of the accident. The driver of the semi, Jonathan Smith, of Mayville, ND sustained minor injuries and was transported to Altru Hospital in Grand Forks. The semi had to be towed due to disabling damage. Assisting agencies were Warren Ambulance and Warren Fire.

The second accident occurred at approximately 1130 hours south of American Crystal Sugar in Crookston near the intersection of County Road 9/ KT and Hwy 75. This accident involved a semi and a Minnesota Northern Railroad Train. The semi failed to yield to the train at a crossing controlled by

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human flaggers and was struck by passing train cars. The train was traveling at a slow speed. The driver of the semi, David Lietz of Harwood, ND sustained no injuries and did not seek any medical attention. County Road 9 was closed off for some time until the semi and train were removed. The semi sustained disabling damage and had to be towed from the scene. The train cars sustained minimal damage. Lietz was cited for Failure to Stop for a Human Flagger at a Railroad Crossing. Assisting agencies were Minnesota State Patrol and Crookston Police Department.

In both incidents the drivers were wearing their seatbelts and alcohol was not a factor.

No further information will be released at this time.

Structure Fire

On 10/16/2022 at approximately 2022 hours, the Polk County Sheriff's Office was dispatched to a structure fire on the 200 block of West 2nd St in Nielsville.

Nielsville, Climax and Beltrami Fire Departments also responded. Upon arrival it was learned that the structure was a fifth wheel camper that was fully engulfed.

The camper was occupied at the time of the fire however everybody got out safe. No injuries were reported. The fire is believed to have been started by a heating pack that was installed on the camper. The camper was a total loss.

Also assisting was Crookston Area Ambulance.

No further information will be released at this time.

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Paraeducator position openings in the Elementary and High School, candidates must be highly qualified, which includes either 2 or more years of college, an AA Degree, or the ability to pass the Para Pro Exam.

Substitute Para opportunities are available. Applicants must have a high school diploma or equivalent.

Native American Home School Liaison Positions - Full-time positions open for 2022-2023 school year in both the High School and Elementary. Candidates must be highly qualified, which includes either two or more years of college, an AA Degree, or the ability to pass the Para Pro Exam.

Food Service Support Staff - a high school diploma or GED is preferred but not required.

Substitute Food Service Support Staff - a high school diploma or GED is preferred but not required. Application forms may be downloaded, picked up in the District Office or you may email nekre@bagley.k12.mn.us. For more information, please call Nichole Ekre at 694-6184.

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state guide-

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or tinted headlights. Are they
legal?

Answer: Minnesota law
does not allow for this. It is il-
legal to equip or operate a motor
vehicle with any equipment or
material that covers a head-
lamp, tail lamp, or reflector.

I'd also like to remind drivers
about when headlights and tail-
lights need to be on. Minnesota
law says that every vehicle on
a roadway shall display lighted
headlamps, lighted tail lamps,
and illuminating devices from

sunset to sunrise. The law also
applies when it's raining, snow-
ing, sleeting, or hailing and
at any time when visibility is
impaired by weather or insuf-
ficient light at a distance of 500
feet ahead.

Many vehicles are equipped
with basic automatic head-
lights. The headlights turn on
when sensors on the dashboard
detect a certain level of darkness
or the level of ambient light.
However, there are limitations
to automatic headlights. Drivers
might assume the sensors
will activate all of the vehicle's
lights in reduced visibilities,
but that is not always the case.
Instead, drivers should use the
conventional headlight switch

to manually turn on their lights.

A good rule to follow — if
your wipers need to be on, your
headlights, taillights and mark-
er lights should be on as well.
Also, make it a habit to check
your lights often to ensure all
of them are properly working.

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Adoption gives dogs a new 'leash' on life

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tra utilized by many organiza-
tions devoted to finding loving
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and other companion animals
residing in shelters or being
fostered until they can find their
forever homes, rescue organiza-
tions urge the pet-loving public
to adopt rather than purchase
dogs from private breeders.

Individuals who choose to
adopt a dog from a private re-
scue, humane society, animal
shelter, or another welfare
group would be wise to follow
some guidelines that can help
individuals and families find
the best matches with their
new pets.

"It's important to be hon-
est with the rescue group re-
garding, not only what you're
looking for in a dog, such as
disposition, energy level, age,
and size, but to describe the
overall household dynamic,"
advises Toni Diamond, founder
of Diamond Dogs Rescue, Inc.

(www.diamonddogsrescueinc.
com), a foster-based rescue with
resources in New Jersey and
Massachusetts. "This way the
rescue can match your needs
with the dogs they have avail-
able to ensure the best opportu-
nity the placed pet will remain
in your home."

Here are some other tips to
consider if you're thinking of
adopting a pet.

· Think about fostering first.
If you're on the fence about
whether to take in a dog right
now, fostering offers a way to
gauge how life can change with
a dog in the household. Foster-
ing a dog can free up resources
and enable rescues to help
other dogs. Many "foster fails"
are dogs that foster families
adopted themselves because
they couldn't bear to give the
dogs up.

· Expect to be vetted. Rescue
groups generally do some type
of adopter check, which includes
an application questionnaire,
and may want to visit your

home to be sure that it is safe
and comfortable for the dog.
Expect an adoption fee, as this
helps defray the cost of shelter-
ing animals.

· Don't feel limited by ge-
ography. Rescues handle dogs
from across the country. Some
may even be willing to facilitate
travel from one area to another.
If you see a dog online that
seems to be a perfect fit but is a
good distance away, contact the
rescue to see what can be done.

· Be patient and open-mind-
ed. Rescued animals often have
been jostled around a bit, mov-
ing from place to place. Expect
a transition period for the shell-
shocked animal to settle down
before judging his or her true
personality. It's possible for
rescued dogs to have accidents
in a home, act out or be hesitant
around people while they learn
to trust their new owners.

Adopting a dog can be a great
way to add to the family and
provide a loving animal with
new beginnings.



Theology in the Trenches

By Kathleen Kjolhaug

Mary

The play-
ground was
all hers. From

the cooking fires, to the well, to
the watching of the neighbor-
hood comings and goings, joy
abounded within. Twas all pure
delight as the tables her helpful
hands set served many. Only
the purest of thoughts ran like
streams of living water from her
heart fulfilling the desire within
to be a handmaid of the Lord.

"Be it done unto me, accord-
ing to Thy Word," were her
words. It says so right there
in Luke 1:38. What an honor
it was to bow and to bend with
contrite heart trusting that the
angel before her was bringing
the news many had been await-
ing. Although she did not fully
understand, Mary's fiat was her
immediate acceptance of and
consent to God's will for her life.

Nazareth was home. Anne,
her mother, was a gentle soul—
calmly collecting her prayerful
thoughts beside her little girl.
A teacher at heart, like every
mama, she longed to pass on
that which she knew so those in
her charge might not only pass
it on but live it well. Joachim,

her father, worked round and
about stabilizing the home not
only with hard work but with
solid prayerful presence.

Little Mary was not much
more than thirteen when the
angel, Gabriel, spoke to her.
Fast forward, she was around
forty-seven when her son, Je-
sus, died. Give or take—she
gave more than she took—as
did her son. I suppose the apple
doesn't fall too far from the tree,
unless you were in the garden
way back when it all began.

Mary set a tremendous ex-
ample through obedience by
responding "yes" to that which
was not only asked of her, but
offered. A new Eve of sorts one
could venture to say. She never
looked back until, that is, He
hung from the cross. No doubt,
she did a double take once again
as she walked away from the
tomb where he had been laid.

She, who constantly looked
to her Son, asks us to do the
same. Bowing to her in worship
would be heresy. Bowing to
Jesus, her son, the Son of God,
who came through woman as
prophesied so long ago is the
only way to Truth and Light

for He says, "No one come to
the Father except through me"
(John 14:6).

Revelation 12:17 proclaims
her as our spiritual mother
and we her children. "And the
dragon was angry at the woman
and declared war against the
rest of her children—all who
keep God's commandments
and maintain their testimony
for Jesus."

If we are to be like Him and
He honored His mother, then
we, too, may honor her with
the very words given us in
Luke: "Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with Thee. Blessed
art thou amongst women and
blessed is the fruit of thy womb
Jesus" (Luke 1:28). All glory
points back to and is given to
her son, Jesus Christ, God's only
begotten Son of the Father.

And at the tip of our tongue
we ask for prayer, not perfor-
mance from Mary, for she can do
nothing but turn to her precious
Son, and pray in constant uni-
son in the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy
Spirit. "Not my will but Thy
will" (Luke 22:42). Amen.



Tractor Trivia

By Auctioneer Eric W. Mickelson



I love tractor stories. One
of my favorite pastimes is to
sit around the coffee table at
home or at the cafe and listen to
stories about farming and trac-
tors of days gone by. My second
favorite pastime is to sit on my
couch and read a tractor maga-
zine or book or maybe watch a
tractor show on tv or youtube.
Investigating craigslist, face-
book marketplace, or ebay also
provides me with hours of trac-
tor entertainment.

A while ago I got one of my
favorite magazines in the mail
and sure enough I ran across
one of those great stories. It
was a story of a family back in
the early 1940s. They had
moved from Oklahoma to Iowa
to help one of the son's family
on his dairy farm, since he was
in the military during WW II.
Mom and dad and the younger
brothers never did get used to
the cold Iowa winters. When the
older son was discharged they
decided to move back south.
They bought a 1939 9N Ford
and a trailer. The tractor was
fitted with a homemade cab and
when it was time to go home the
trailer was filled and the
brothers drove it to their new
farm that they had purchased
in Arkansas. Yes, Arkansas. I
love driving tractors down the
road, but I am not sure about
driving from Iowa to Arkansas
on a 9N Ford!. Well it sounded
like an adventure and they did
make it home.

In 1995, I bought a D21
Allis Chalmers tractor near
Newfolden, Minnesota. The
next weekend we brought it
home. My dad took the first

shift and I got to drive the last
home stretch home! It was a
cold late October day and with
no cab, although I dressed for
the weather, it was a cold drive.
That story of the 9N heading to
Arkansas reminded me of
many long tractor drive stories
I have heard about. If you have
a tractor drive story I would love
to hear it! You can email me
at: mickelsonauctions@gmail.
com, or send me a note at 20555
340th Ave SE in Oklee, MN, or
give me a call my number is in
the book. I will look forward to
hearing from you!

I have a couple ideas on
standby....but keep me posted!

How about a little
tractor trivia?

Question 1. What year was
the Ford 9N introduced?



Here is a 9N Ford in the winter with chains!

Question 2. The original
price of the 9N Ford was?
A) \$495 B) \$585 C) \$599
D) \$650

Question 3. The 9N Ford had
a ____ speed transmission.
A) 3 B) 4 C) 5 D) 6

Question 4. One difference
between the 9N and 8N was
the 8N had a ____ speed trans-
mission.
A) 3 B) 4 C) 5 D) 6

Question 5. By the end of
its production the 8N Ford was
selling for _____.
A) \$999 B) \$1099 C) \$1204
D) \$1404

Answers: 1. 1939 2. B. \$585
3. A. 3speed 4. B. 4speed 5.
D. \$1404

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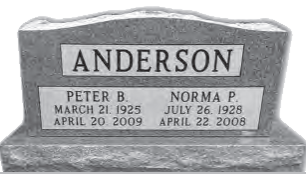
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Obituary for Jerry Larsen

Jerry Lee Larsen, 70, of Shevlin, MN, passed away peacefully on Monday, October 10, 2022 at Viking Manor in Ulen, Minnesota.

Graveside services and interment will be held on Thursday, October 20, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Cemetery in Fosston, Minnesota with Crosswire Ministries officiating. There will be a visitation an hour prior. Military Honors will be accorded by the Irvin Blix American Legion Post No. 16 of Bagley, MN. Please bring your own chair for the services. A luncheon will take place at the American Legion Auditorium in Bagley, MN following the services. The Cease Family Funeral Home of Bagley assisted the family with arrangements.

Jerry Lee Larsen was born on April 12, 1952 in Hastings, MN, the son of Roy Clarence and Alvera Mae (Lagerquist) Larsen. He graduated from Hastings High School and worked for the city of Minneapolis and for the Donaldson Company in Bloomington, MN for ten years. He joined the United States Navy at the age of 31 and served for 6 years aboard the USS Camden and USS Midway

Ships. After he came out of the Navy, Jerry took a stationary engineer position at Potlatch by Cass Lake, MN. He later worked at Bemidji State University as a stationary engineer for 13 years until he became disabled at the age of 60.

Jerry married Pamela Tweten (Forsberg) on May 9, 1997 at Country Faith Church in Clearbrook, MN. They made their home by Shevlin for the past 25 years. Before becoming disabled, Jerry loved taking his two stepchildren, DeAnn and Darin, hunting and fishing at his home on Wolf Lake, which was his passion. Jerry was a music connoisseur with quite an eclectic collection. His biggest pride and joy were his two grandchildren, Remi Mae and Ryder Dean. They were his world and helped him keep going the last two years.

Jerry was a lifetime member of the VFW in Bemidji, a member of the Free Masons, a member of the Disabled American Veterans, and the American Legion in Bagley. Jerry was more than just a step dad, he was a bonus dad and was always there for DeAnn and Darin. He will be tremendously missed.

He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Pamela Larsen of Shevlin; his two step children, DeAnn Boe of Erskine, MN and Darin Tweten of Eugene, OR; his two step grandchildren, Remi Mae and Ryder Dean; his siblings, Connie (Jeff) Duvlea, Cathy Larsen, and John Larsen, all of Hastings, MN; his aunt, Joann Lagerquist; several nieces, nephews, and cousins; and many other friends and family.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Roy and Alvera Larsen; his step brother, Gary Larsen; and several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Messages of condolence may be sent to ceasefuneralhome.com

Obituary for Darrell Eck

Darrell Lee Eck, or perhaps as many of you knew him, Doogie, went to Heaven on October 7th, 2022. We knew him as Dad, the King, and Grandpa. Boy...did he make our lives special. It's hard to put 73 years into a few paragraphs but here are the moments and memories we hold onto.

He was born on November 3rd, 1948 in Bagley, MN to Roger and Petra Eck. They had a large family and his brothers and sisters meant everything to our Dad. We had the privilege to hear the most wonderful stories of their time spent together. He grew up in Gonvick, MN and after high school was drafted into the Vietnam War. He proudly served our nation alongside his brothers Kenny & Rodney. The brothers were honored to follow their father's footsteps of military service. He was our hero. He went on to live in Grafton, ND and had 4 children. We heard him say many times "babies are a gift from God" and as his kiddos, we felt that. And when it came time for us to have our littles, they never had to see a daycare as Grandpa raised them from the beginning. He taught them to say "SO BIG!", "wawa" (water), and a curse word or two! He treated them to coffee dippers while showing them never ending love. As they grew older, they all had their special relationship

with Gpa. From going to rummage sales and buying all the knick knacks to talking about the next Vikings game, he found a way to connect with every single one of them.

A lover of storytelling and coffee, nothing beat going to his house on a Saturday morning. And we can all attest buttered toast just tasted better at his home. He almost always had music playing and would get excited to call about a song he remembered. Technology was not his forte, so he had stacks of CDs at his home...and still held on strong to his flip phone. If you didn't hear music, you heard his TVs blaring CNN, football, or Nascar. Money meant nothing to him, giving away \$20 here and there saying "Money is worthless, you can't take it with you when you go!". He was an incredible cook but those recipes will be hard to duplicate as he always said "I just threw stuff together"...or something like that! But we will try our best to make his famous Thanksgiving turkey and ring casserole.

We know he had the most amazing welcome committee in Heaven, joining his Mom & Dad, sister Lori and brothers, Teddy & Rodney. Oh, and many grandpuppies. Those who will continue to miss him Earthside include his brother Kenny (Nancy), sister Connie (Jim); his 4 children – Dustin (Charlyne), Hailey (Eric), Da-isey (Matt), & Star (Jeff), all of Fargo; grandchildren - Skyler, Kassandra, Gage, Harmony, Willow, Raimey, & Khloe, and great granddaughter Amelia. We will honor him through acts of kindness, slight hoarding, and the telling of his many stories. He was not a fan of the Minnesota goodbye so in the words of our Dad, "Gotta go, the race is on". Di di mau Gpa, we love you.

A celebration of life will be held at Samhold Lutheran Church in Gonvick, MN on October 29th, 2022 at 11:00am. The family invites everyone to lunch immediately following at the Gonvick American Legion.

Obituary for Milton Sande

Milton Sande, age 87, of Buffalo, MN and formerly of Erskine, MN, passed away on Friday, October 14th, at Lake Ridge Care Center in Buffalo. A memorial service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, October 21st, at Grace Lutheran Church in Erskine with the Rev. Michael Sletto officiating. Family will greet friends for one hour prior to the service on Friday at the church. Arrangements are with Carlin Family Funeral Service of Erskine and messages of condolence may be shared at www.carlinfuneral.com.

Milton Sande, the youngest of the four sons of John and Ella Sande, passed away October 14, 2022 at the age of 87. He sustained a back injury while cutting up a fallen pine tree in early summer and his health steadily deteriorated. The last months of his life were spent under the loving care of his daughter Kari Oseth and family.

Milt was born on May 24, 1935 at the family farm near Thief River Falls. He moved to Erskine when he was in 7th grade where he met the love of his life, Bonita Carlson. They married in 1955 and raised their four children in Erskine. Milt was a proud member of the Erskine Volunteer Fire Department and enjoyed participating in the Win-E-Mac Golf League. In 2005 Bonita suffered a brain aneurysm which required a long hospitalization followed by a slow recovery. Milt be-

came her primary care giver, allowing her to return home, where she lived until her passing in 2018.

Milt dedicated his entire career to serving customers; from being a gas station owner, a hardware store owner and spending several years as an auto mechanic, Milt was known as hard-working, honest and able to fix just about anything. He was a soft-spoken, intelligent man who was curious about people, ideas and new ways to do things. Milt took up cooking and baking after retirement and excelled at it. After being diagnosed with celiac disease, he set out to learn as much as he could about the disease and experimented with different recipes while keeping meticulous notes. Milt prided himself on keeping things tidy on his 10-acre farm which meant he had to replace his old Stihl chainsaw with a new one at age 85.

Music was a part of Milt's daily life until the end. A self-taught guitar player, Milt loved gathering with friends Clayton, Curt, Dennis, Carole and others for jam sessions. It was a source of pride for Milt that grandson, Brady, took up guitar playing.

Milt is survived by children Greg Sande of Erskine, MN, Lori (Ad) Soukup of Stillwater, MN, Betsy Sande of St Cloud, MN, and Kari (Guy) Oseth of Buffalo, MN; Grandchildren Maggie (Wes) Adair of Robbinsdale, MN, Sam (Mackenzie) Soukup of Bloomington, MN, Jorgan Oseth of Los Angeles, CA, Jensen Oseth of St Paul, MN, Liam Oseth of Buffalo, MN, Ben Sande of Wahpeton, ND and Brady Sande of Wahpeton, ND; Great grandchildren Henrik Adair, Harper Soukup and Hayes Soukup; Sisters-in-law Enid Sande and Sue Sande; Brother-in-law Nels Lindseth along with many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by parents John and Ella (Newman) Sande, wife Bonita, brothers Rolland, Glenn and Darrell, sisters-in-law Betty Lindseth and Beverly Sande.

of joy. She constantly attributed her joy to The Lord and firmly believed that "every day is a blessing!", and whenever anyone asked how she was doing, she would respond with, "God is good!".

On October 5th 2022, Tammy went from Daniel's arms to the arms of Jesus at 7:10am.

Tammy happily shared her faith in Jesus Christ with anyone who asked how she was able to remain so cheerful. Tammy was a devoted Wife, Mother, Aunt, Sister, and Gram. Tammy enjoyed singing, sewing, crocheting, and spoiling her grandchildren every chance she got.

Tammy leaves behind her husband Daniel Olson, children Andrew (Sam) Olson and Elizabeth (Tyler) Needham. Grandchildren Julian Needham, Kaden Needham, Riley Olson, Sienna Olson, and Sophie Needham all of Edinburg, ND. Mother Josephine Kelly of Edinburg, ND. Brother Pete (Joyce) Kelly of Park River, ND. Sister Cindy (Chris) Vargason of Edinburg, ND and Sister Julie Bourque of Brooklyn Center, MN. Brothers-in-law Dennis (Amanda) Olson of Billings, MT. Sister-in-law Patty Olson of Edinburg, ND. John Olson of Edinburg, ND. Dave (DeeDee) Olson of Edinburg, ND. Brother-in-law Tim Olson of Mountain, ND. and Sister-in-law Deborah (Bob) Sollom, of Raleigh, NC. Aunts and Uncles: Shirley Delage of McIntosh, MN; John (Sherry) Olness of Superior, WI; Gorde (Rita) Olness of Clearbrook, MN; Lewi (Rose) Olness of Andover, MN; Vi Mylejord of Fosston, MN; June (Carl) Hoon of Palmdale, CA; Mary Lou Slininger of Duluth, MN and several cousins. 21 Nieces and Nephews, 16 Grand Nieces and Nephews.

Tammy is preceded in death by her Father Brian Kelly, Brothers-in-law Carl Olson, Bill Olson, and sister-in-law Caroline Olson. Grandparents Gorde and Vida Olness; George and Mary Kelly and Aunt Gloria Olness.

A celebration of life was held October 15, 2022 at Grace Free Lutheran Church in Edinburg, North Dakota at 2:00pm. Visitation was held on Friday October 14, 2022 from 5-7pm at Grace Free Lutheran Church.

"God makes every day beautiful, and today is a good day."

Tammy's favorite quote was: "God is good all the time! All the time, God is good!"

Obituary for Esther Olson

Esther Sophie Olson, 103, of Silver Bay passed away on August 3, 2022 at Carefree Living.

She was born in Gonvick, Minnesota, on June 30, 1919 to Ole and Betsy Dahl. Esther was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. She married Tenny L. Olson of Trail, Minnesota on December 19, 1943 and they had two sons, Gary, and David. In 1956 they moved to Silver Bay, where Esther worked as a cook's helper in Camp-ton School and Kelley High School.

Esther was a member of Sychar Lutheran Church, Ladies Auxiliary, Golden Agers, and Sychar Quilters.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 63 years, Tenny; sons, David, and Gary; a sister Dora (Bert) Hughes, brother Gilman (Gayle), brother Francis (Yvonne), and sister Phyllis (Bob) Wilcox; a great grandson, Peyton Olson; and many nieces and nephews.

Esther is survived by her daughter-in-law, Sharon; her seven grandchildren, Cary, Carmen, Chad, Camille, Chris, Cory, and Cameron, several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Esther's family would like to give a big thank you to North Woods Family Grille for the meals they generously delivered Esther each Wednesday over the last couple years, a deep appreciation to the staff at Carefree Assisted Living and Essentia Hospice for the personal care and warm compassion they provided Esther in her last few months and final days.

Visitation was from 10 a.m. until the 11 a.m. funeral service on Friday, August 12, 2022 at Sychar Lutheran Church in Silver Bay. Burial in Silver Bay Cemetery. To share your memories or condolences online please visit www.cavallinfuneralhome.com.

Obituary for Thomas Jones

Thomas Jones, age 58, of Winger, MN, passed away on Monday, October 10th, 2022 at Essentia Health Hospital in Fargo, ND after a courageous battle with cancer. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Arrangements are with Carlin Family Funeral Service of Fosston and messages of condolence may be shared at www.carlinfuneral.com.

Thomas Charles Jones was born on July 20, 1964, in Robbinsdale, Minnesota to parents Donald and Jeanine (Bursheim) Jones. He grew up in Winger, attended the Winger school and McIntosh High School. At the age of 17, he entered the Army National Guard. He lived in Washing-

ton State, returned to the area, living in Lengby, and then relocated to Oklahoma.

Tom was united in marriage to Mary Beth Bush on March 30, 1995. After their marriage, they lived in Oklahoma and then traveled around the country while Tom was a Project Supervisor doing industrial painting of rail cars. He was diagnosed with cancer in January of 2022. They moved back home to Winger in February of 2022 to spend his final months of life and be close to family. Tom loved fishing, so he and Mary Beth bought a small boat and were able to spend time on the lake together this past summer.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Beth of Winger; his mother, Jeanine (Robert) Perrault of Winger; daughter, Angel (Shawn) Hedlund of McIntosh; son, Brady (Anita) Jones of Bemidji, MN; stepson, Steven Sullivan of Richfield, ID; grandchildren, Destiny, Dakota, Divinity, and Alexander Hedlund; two sisters, Susan Jones (Mark Morvig) of Mentor, MN, and Stephanie Jones (Stephanie Devine) of Duluth, MN; and nephew, Dan Jones of Erhard, MN.

He was preceded in death by his father, Donald Jones; brother, Tim Jones; sister, Wendy Jones; stepson, James Sullivan; and nephew, Sterling Devine.

Obituary for Eva Wasson

Eva Wasson, 65, formerly of Leonard, MN, died in Little Rock, Arkansas, on October 11, 2022, from congestive heart failure.

Eva's life will be celebrated in a memorial service at 1:00 PM on Friday, October 28, 2022, at Elim Lutheran Brethren Church in Clearbrook, MN.

Born in Huntsville, Alabama, on July 23, 1957, to Barbara (Olson) and Eugene Torgerson, Eva grew up in Clover Township. She graduated from Clearbrook High School in 1975 and from Northland Community and Technical College with a degree in Nursing in 1987. She married the love of her life Robert (Bob) Wasson on Valentine's Day, 1990.

The oldest of seven, Eva had early opportunities to develop the independence and sense of responsibility that marked her life. When she was six years old, she walked alone a quarter of a mile through the woods in the winter dark to catch the school bus. As she grew older and the family grew larger, so too did her many caretaking responsibilities.

Eva was touched by the needs of others, especially children, and their care was the work of her life. She served as a school nurse at the Clearbrook Public School and was a foster parent to many children. Later, she provided one-on-one care to children with profound special needs. Until her health failed, Eva repeatedly gave her heart to the children for whom she cared.

Eva loved beauty and being outside in it. She loved living in beautiful places like Clover Township and later the Arkansas Ozarks, and riding motorcycles with Bob on scenic mountain roads. She also loved creating beautiful spaces, working with Bob—her best friend and inseparable companion—to design and build lovely homes with clean landscapes full of flowers, as they were doing together until just before she died.

When she recently retired, Eva was looking forward to spending many more years with her family, whom she deeply loved. Eva is survived by her husband Bob, daughter Aimee Jarnot, and grandchildren, Colin and Raina. She also is survived by her mother Barbara Torgerson, stepmother Jo Torgerson, and her siblings, Jim (Morgan) Torgerson, Carol (Chuck) Horsager, Glenda (Ross) Olson, Larry (Lana) Torgerson, Lois Torgerson, and Claire Torgerson, as well as many other relatives and friends. She already is greatly missed.

Eva was preceded in death by her father, Eugene Torgerson, and grandparents, John and Phyllis Olson, and Walter and Selma Torgerson.

Roller-McNutt Funeral Home, www.rollerfuneralhomes.com, assisted the family with arrangements.

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Obituary for Michael Nelson

Michael "Mike" E. Nelson, 65, of Bagley, Minnesota, formerly of Rosemount, MN, Rogers, Arkansas and Blytheville, Arkansas, died on Friday, September 23, 2022 at Essentia Health in Fargo, North Dakota

Funeral services will be held on Friday, October 21, 2022 at 3:00 p.m. at Cease Family Funeral Home in Bagley, Minnesota with a visitation one hour prior. Interment will be held at a later date at Fort Snelling National Cemetery. The Cease Family Funeral Home of Bagley assisted the family with arrangements.

Mike was born in Ashland, WI on August 2, 1957 to Neil and Helen (Karaba) Nelson. He graduated from Rosemount High School in 1976. Mike joined the United States Air Force in 1977 and was honorably discharged in 1981. Mike was an entrepreneur and worked in and owned multiple businesses

over the years. He worked as a cotton farmer, as a truck driver, he owned a roofing company with his brother in Arkansas, he owned a restaurant, was a city employee, and was quite the craftsman.

Mike liked politics and a friendly debate. He loved America and remembered his time in the Air Force fondly. He also loved the Vikings (especially if they beat the Packers). Family was important to Mike, as well as keeping things that had a sweet memory attached to it. He liked history, the outdoors, animals, and Good Ol' Country living. He truly loved Resty. Mike was a big hearted and kind man. He was sensitive, yet liked to joke around.

He is survived by his significant other, Resty Wenberg of Bagley, MN; his mother, Helen Nelson of Rosemount, MN; his best friend, Al Spring of Bagley, MN; his brothers, Neil Nelson Jr. of Florida and Tom Nelson of Arkansas; his sister, Lisa (Mark) Bergerson of Burnsville, MN; his nephews Derek, Dustin, Dane, Jarett and Alex; his nieces, Tawny and Talia; many great nieces and nephews; Resty's children, Cassie Wenberg and Vern Wenberg of Minneapolis, MN; his uncle, Joe Karaba of Ashland, WI; and many other family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, Neil Allen Nelson; his grandparents, Allen and Gunda Nelson and Joseph and Bernadine "Bertha" Karaba; his aunts, Lillian Billings and Jane Richardson; and his uncles, Ted Karaba and Roger Nelson.

Messages of condolence may be sent to ceasefuneral-home.com



Planting Bulbs for Spring Beauty

By Joyce Rairdon

Now is the time to plant bulbs like tulips, crocus and daffodils to add early spring beauty to your yard and garden. While readily available locally in stores, the varieties of bulbs are endless online.

Tulip Mania was prevalent in Holland in the early to mid-sixteenth century. People traded bulbs for profits, commodities, and real estate. People mortgaged homes and sold their wife's jewelry to attain more bulbs. Some people even sold the tools of their trade, their means of making a living, to gain rare bulbs. To own such bulbs was a status symbol. Tulips became popular in the United States during the Florida land boom in 1920.

Why do we plant these bulbs in the fall? They need to be "vernalized". Wikipedia explains vernalization as "the induction of a plant's flowering process by exposure to the prolonged cold of winter, or by an artificial equivalent".

Choosing where to plant your bulbs takes careful consideration. Tulips thrive in both full sun and partial shade, as do daffodils and crocuses. Planting close to the foundation or on the south and west side of a building can cause freeze/thaw cycles which can damage the bulbs.

Preparing the soil properly lends itself to greater success when planting bulbs. Bulbs need to be planted in an area of well-drained soil. Soil should be loosened down 10-12 inches and amended with compost or peat helps maintain a well-drained soil bed. Adding an all-purpose fertilizer or bulb fertilizer to the area ensures adequate food for the bulbs to grow well.

Tulips should be planted 6" to 8" deep and about 4 to 5 inches apart. Single specimens can be planted, or bulbs can be grouped together for a nice colorful display in the spring. Keep in mind that a single row of bulbs tends to look unnatural, while informal groupings of seven or more bulbs create a more natural look. Bulbs should be planted with the "pointy" end up. After planting your bulbs, some people use a layer of chicken wire to prevent rodents from "squirreling" away the bulbs. Make sure the wire extends well beyond the planted area to keep those annoying animals away.

Next, cover the area up to

ground level with a soil mixture that contains compost and peat to maintain well-drained soil. Watering the planted area will help settle the soil around the bulbs and provide needed moisture for spring growth. After watering, additional soil may be needed to level the soil. A slight mound of soil over the bulbs allows for leveling throughout the rest of fall and early winter.

These bulbs are hardy in Zone 3 so, additional mulch is unnecessary.

For planting daffodils, crocuses and other bulbs for spring beauty follow the same basic principles as stated above for tulips.

A person can also force bulbs to bloom midwinter. One way to do that is to plant several bulbs close together in a deep pot, also 6 to 8 inches deep. Store them in a refrigerator for 10-12 weeks (to vernalize them) before bringing them out of the refrigerator. Set them up in a cool place with indirect lighting. Water thoroughly when the soil is dry to the touch. Planting around mid-October will have flowers in February and in mid-November for March and April flowers.

The University of Minnesota Extension has a growing guide for forcing bulbs at the following website.

Growing bulbs indoors | UMN Extension

I plan to try my hand at forcing tulips this fall. My hope is to have beautiful tulips in late February or early March, to help beat the winter doldrums.

Stay tuned, I will report on the success or failure of my experiment.

The Beltrami County Master Gardeners operate a "Hotline" for gardeners who have questions. Please call 218-444-7916 and leave a message with your name number and a brief description of your issue. Your call will be returned within 2 days. The hotline runs through October and will resume in April 2023.

Joyce Rairdon works as a contract specialist and enjoys growing vegetables, especially peppers and tomatoes in her spare time.

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This scholarship was established by the children of Larry Diffley in 2014 to honor his memory and assist aspiring pilots in the local community to advance their flight training at Bemidji Aviation. The scholarship is a legacy of Larry's passion for quality aviation training and helping others who intend on becoming a professional pilot.

The annual scholarship is dedicated to students who in-

tend to advance their flight training at Bemidji Aviation, have a deep passion for flying and intend to pursue aviation as a career. Qualified applicants must be at least 17 years old, possess a valid 3rd Class Medical Certificate, have successfully completed the appropriate FAA written examination and achieved solo flight. Complete eligibility requirements are included with the application materials.

Applications for the scholarship are being accepted now through December 1, 2022. The applications are completed online through the NMF website www.nwmf.org and click on "Scholarships"

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