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Coming next week ... Northern Minnesota's 2023 Baja Invitational happening in rural Goodridge this Saturday.



Pictured left is Adam Cwikla; there is a benefit planned for him on Friday, Oct. 27, in Badger. Greg is pictured on the right; a benefit is planned for him on Saturday, Nov. 18, in Grygla. Photos courtesy of Stephanie Schenkey and Courtney Eskeli

Time to do what we do best

Written by Kari Sundberg, Eagle Editor
Small towns are great for so many things, and one that tops the list is coming together when someone needs help. In this case, two of our own need support, and we've got a chance to show them both what we do best in this neck of the woods.

Adam Cwikla
Adam Cwikla, the son of the late Bob & Bonnie Cwikla of Grygla, has been putting up quite the fight at Abbott Northwestern Hospital in Minneapolis. He had been doctoring last month for what they thought was pneumonia. On Monday, September 18th, Adam was admitted to the hospital in Hallock and had stayed there for a few days before being transferred to Altru in Grand Forks. Doctors thought it was severe pneumonia, admitted him to the ICU, and got him started on strong antibiotics. Adam continued to decline rapidly, had low oxygen levels, and needed to be intubated. Doctors were calling it ARDS (Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome) and placed Adam on ECMO (Extracorporeal Membrane Oxygenation). Adam was stabilized and transferred by ambulance to Abbott in the Cities but was still in very critical condition.

After running a series of different tests, Adam had received a confirmed diagnosis of Blastomycosis, which is a fungal infection in the lungs. It is a very rare respiratory illness caused by inhaling spores from a contaminated environment, particularly moist soils, woods, or decomposing leaves. This severe infection has put Adam through the fight of his life, but he continues to fight every day with the help of strong antifungal antibiotics. He is still being kept under sedation and on ECMO to allow his lungs to rest and recuperate.

Ryan Cwikla, Adam's brother, has been with Adam every day since this journey began, watching over him, making important decisions based on guidance from the doctors, and advocating for Adam and his needs. Currently, no visitors besides immediate family are allowed. However, you can show your support in other ways at this time.

A benefit for Adam is being planned for Friday, Oct. 27, at Skippy Finns in Badger from 4-9 p.m. Taco-in-a-bag will be served for \$10. Auctions and drawings will also be held. If anyone is interested in donating raffle or silent auction items to the benefit, please contact Justin (218-689-7643) or Jarod (218-469-0064). All proceeds will go to Adam to help with medical expenses. There is also an account set up for Adam at Border Bank, along with a Venmo account under Connie Beito @ConnieB-4AdamC

Adam's family says he is a special guy who loves the outdoors. He enjoys hunting grouse, deer, and grew up fishing on Lake of the Woods. Adam is an avid motorcycle rider and belongs to the Midwest Motorcycle Club, which helps raise money for numerous foundations; he is proud to help people and organizations in need.

Adam has many family members and friends from around the area. His entire family appreciates all the prayers, thoughts, get-well wishes, and love that has been shown. His cousin Stephanie (Olson) Schenkey said of the support, "We are so blessed to live in an area where everyone loves and cares so deeply."

If you would like to read about Adam's health journey, you can

visit his Caring Bridge page under Adam Cwikla.

Greg Olson
Greg Olson is a dedicated member of the Grygla Community who never hesitates to lend a hand to anyone; it's our time to show him that same support. At the end of September, Greg was diagnosed with Squamous Cell Carcinoma with a mass located on the base of his tongue and in a nearby lymph node. On October 23, Greg will undergo several weeks of radiation and chemotherapy at Mayo Clinic in Rochester. During this time, Greg is unable to work or be home with his family.

A benefit is being planned for Saturday, Nov. 18, in the Grygla High School Cafeteria. Taco-in-a-bag will be served beginning at 11 a.m. until supplies run out. (Free-will donation.) A silent auction will be held from 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. with meat raffles, a 50/50 drawing, and a bake sale. A cornhole tournament will also be taking place at the school that day. Contact Tausha Severts or Brenna Bakken (218-294-6155) to pre-register. Limit 32 teams - 3:45 p.m. registration - \$40 per team with top 3 teams splitting 50% of the proceeds.

Raffle tickets will also be sold until 5 p.m. on November 18. Prizes include a deer stand, guns, Balsam Beach camping voucher, Mr. Buddy Heater, trail camera, and cash prizes. The drawing will be held at The Hound that Saturday, Nov. 18, at 7 p.m. Tickets can be purchased at area businesses. All funds raised will help defray medical, travel and other costs that may arise.

Please contact Tausha Severts, Brenna Bakken or Courtney Eskeli if you wish to donate silent auction items for the benefit at the school. An account has been opened in Greg's name at American State Bank of Grygla. You can also order "Olson Strong" t-shirts or long-sleeved shirts by picking up an order form at the Grygla School Office or ordering directly from Salo Signs by October 23 at <https://salo-signs-more.myshopify.com>

Greg and his wife Shaunna have three adult children and five grandchildren that light up their lives. The entire Olson family wishes to express their heartfelt thanks for all of the thoughts, prayers, and support during this time. Greg's daughter Courtney shared, "My dad is one of the truly selfless people I know. He is always working, helping, and thinking of others. It doesn't matter if he spent all day keeping the roads clear during a storm, after his shift he will still hop in his pickup to go clear driveways until the late hours of the night without accepting anything in return (except for maybe lefse and cookies)."

Courtney added, "He drives bus, supports Charger students in their extracurricular activities, helps maintain the ice arena, is a fair and honest carpenter for locals to call on, and much, much more. He is the best dad I could ask for. The spotlight is the last place my dad wants to be, but I have a feeling there is a lot more support for him out there than he could ever realize. This benefit will happen approximately 4 weeks into his radiation and chemotherapy and will be just the boost he needs to finish the second half OLSON STRONG."

Let us all come together to show Adam and Greg the sense of community, hope, giving, and support they deserve at this time.

Grygla City Council approves September Meeting Minutes

The October meeting of the City Council was held at the Grygla Civic Building on Monday, Oct. 9. Council members approved the September minutes, which are included below. Official minutes are taken by Grygla City Clerk and re-capped by Eagle Editor. For the full version, including receipts & disbursements, visit www.grygla.govoffice2.com

The regular meeting on September 11 was called to order at 7pm at the Civic Building by Mayor Devin Ruud with the following council members present: Gavin Nordby (via phone), Dustin Nelson, Karla Byklum, and Dave Dunrud. Absent: None. Also present: Rose Aune.

Council approved minutes, along with receipts, disbursements, checking, savings & total balances for that month. The payment of all bills was also approved. Other items included:

- PARK BATHROOMS**
The bathroom is done except for the flooring.
- PICKLEBALL COURT**
Lines are painted, net is up.
- WATER TOWER**

City 2022 financial report has been added to the application. Moore Engineering is still waiting for answers back from MPCA to finish their part of the application.

DUMPSTER SIGN
Handyman 36x48, black on white, for \$255.

TRAILER COURT
Ruud is going to talk to Josh Lian about trailer court residents using the park bathrooms to shower and the appearance of the trailer court.

2024 TAX LEVY
Council approved 3% increase for the tax levy to \$76,430.

MITIGATION ACTION CHART

Rocky Hagen, Rose Aune, Mayor Ruud, and Assistant Fire Chief Monson worked on a Mitigation Action Chart to be included in the Hazard Mitigation grant application with the county.

WEBSITE
Panoramic pictures are needed for the city website. City will try to get some aerial photos.



The pickleball lines are painted, the net is up, and the paddles and balls are in the storage box at the courts, available for community use. Photo courtesy of City of Grygla



Ben Sundberg and Ethan Schulz, Grygla JCC members, work on building and preparing the game hoist for the upcoming Big Buck or Doe Contest for the youth hunt this weekend. Photo courtesy of Jaclyn Moe

Big Buck or Doe Contest

The Grygla JCC's are hosting a Big Buck or Doe Contest for the upcoming youth hunt and regular season. Both have a \$20 entry fee. The youth hunt contest will be October 19-22. Payout based on entries. Must sign up by November 3 at Fourtown or contact a JCC member. Same as the youth contest, the weigh in will be done at Fourtown nightly from 6-9 p.m. and must be fully field dressed.

Must follow all hunting laws and regulations set by the State of Minn.

The regular season contest will run November 4-12. Payout based on entries. Must sign up by November 3 at Fourtown or contact a JCC member. Same as the youth contest, the weigh in will be done at Fourtown nightly from 6-9 p.m. and must be fully field dressed.



The Grygla ECFE group visited the fire hall last week for one of their monthly activities. It was held in conjunction with National Fire Prevention Week. More photos on the inside page. Photo by Grygla Eagle Newspaper

• CHURCH CALENDARS

GRYGLA LUTHERAN PARISH
Grace and Our Savior's, Grygla
Pastor Marilyn Grafstrom
Recorded services will play on Garden Valley channel 36 on Wednesdays 7pm and Sundays 9am & 7pm.
Wednesday, Oct 18
11am Bible Study, 2:15pm Release Time; 3:30 FFF night, 6pm Grace Choir, 7pm Confirmation
Sunday, Oct 22
Grace: 9am Worship
OS: 9:30am SS, 10:30am Worship

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Bethany, Ekelund, Faith
Wednesday, Oct 18
Confirmation Class at Faith 7pm w/ 6:30pm meal
Saturday, October 21
Women's Conference Gathering at Faith 8:30am-1pm
Sunday, Oct 22
No Sunday School. Joint Worship Service at Faith - Solute to Jell-O with Jell-O salad potluck
Monday, Oct 23
Faith quilting 9am-12pm

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

St. Clement's - Grygla; St. Ann's - Goodridge
Fr. Bryan Kujawa
Sundays:
St. Clement's: 10:15am Worship
St. Ann's: 12pm Worship

BETHESDA LUTHERAN CHURCH
Skime
Pastor Steve Bliss
Sundays
9:30am Worship

UNITED LUTHERAN PARISH
Gatzke
Pastor Tim Lundeen
Sundays
8:30am Worship

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
St. Petri - Grygla; Mt. Olive, Nazareth - Trail; Oak Park - Oklee
Pastor Jeff Merseeth
Wednesday, Oct 18
Wednesday School 5-7pm; 6:30pm Vespers
Saturday, Oct 21
Mt. Olive: 9am Worship
Sunday, Oct 22
St. Petri: 8am Worship
Nazareth: 8:45am SS, 9:45am Worship
Oak Park: 10am SS, 11am Worship

Community Calendar

Wed | Oct 18
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am; Grygla Library open 2-6pm; Grygla Lion's Meeting at The Hound 6:30pm

Thurs | Oct 19
MEA break, no school

Fri | Oct 20
MEA break, no school; Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am

Sat | Oct 21
Baja Invitational at Kainz farm (rural Goodridge) 2pm; Goodridge Smoker 8pm-1am

Sun | Oct 22

Mon | Oct 23
Senior Meals at Grain Bin Café 11am

Northern Minnesota's 2023 Baja Invitational

Evan's Scrap & Steel/Kainz Family Farm presents Northern Minnesota's 2023 Baja Invitational in Goodridge, Minn., on Saturday, Oct. 21, beginning at 2 p.m. The race is located ¾ mile north of Highway 1 on 280th Ave., 3 miles west of Goodridge.

Racing is by invite only. Classes included 4 cylinder FWD/Rear Wheel Drive, 6 & 8 Cylinder FWD/Outlaw. 12 and under will be free of charge. 13 and over is \$10. Pit person is also \$10. Driver entry fee is \$25.

Concessions will be on site by Top Hawg. Absolutely no private alcohol on the premises. Beer will be served and available for purchase by Broadway Station of St. Hilaire.

Contacts for the event are Kiefer (218-416-2866) and/or DJ (218-686-9711).

This event is also sponsored by Rusty Nail, Kainz Chiropractic, Hruby Road Service, Sigerud Trucking, Jay Swanson Insurance Agency, Harzke Farms, and K-Star Ag Services.



Grygla's ECFE group visited the fire hall last week where crew members showed the kids (and their families) the fire trucks, gear, and equipment. Kids also got to spray water from one of the trucks and discussed fire safety, where the firemen explained to the kids what to do if there is a fire in their house. Last week, Oct. 8-14, 2023, was National Fire Prevention Week. Photo by Grygla Eagle Newspaper



Tobey Holthusen is pictured with his daughter Vera (left). Dacotah Byklum is pictured with his son Nash (right). Photos by Grygla Eagle Newspaper

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Saturday, October 28, 2023 • 7:00 p.m.
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4H Welcome meeting

The Grygla Go-Getters 4H Club is holding a Welcome meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 25, at 6:30 p.m. at the Grygla School cafeteria. New members are encouraged to attend and join the local club, which

is open to ages Kindergarten through first-year college students. 4H leader Katie Brobst will be going over what the year looks like in regards to activities and events.



A reminder that it's MEA weekend coming up so there is no school this Thursday and Friday, October 19-20. The long weekend falls right in time with the youth deer season that runs this Thursday-Sunday. Good luck to all the youth hunters! The Grygla Eagle is happy to print any hunting pictures. They can be texted to 218-689-6901 or emailed to grygla.eagle@gmail.com.

Lion Tamers auction

You're invited to join in the fun for the Goodridge Lion Tamers Pie & Craft Auction on Wednesday, October 25, at the Goodridge Liquor Store at 7 p.m.

Goodridge Smoker this weekend

It's the 38th Annual Sportsman's Night at the Goodridge Hall this Saturday, Oct. 21. The \$40 ticket gets you into the event, which serves free refreshments and Hors d'oeuvres from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Over \$6,000 in prizes will also be drawn in the Goodridge Lion's Club Sportsman's Raffle, which includes one heck of a line-up of guns. Must be 21 years or older - need not be present to win.



Volunteer Fireman Dustin Nelson guides Serenity Davenport with spraying water from the fire truck! Serenity's dad Richard is also a volunteer with the department. Photo courtesy of Kayla Davenport



Once upon a time...three little amigos were hanging off an ambulance...sounds like the beginning of a pretty wild story! Wallace & Philip Holte and Briggs Anderson checked out all the emergency equipment at the fire hall last week when the ECFE crew visited the station. Photo by Grygla Eagle Newspaper

Field reports: What MN deer hunters can expect this season

MNDNR Press Release
More than 400,000 deer hunters are preparing for the firearms deer season that opens Saturday, Nov. 4. The season offers opportunities to spend time outdoors with friends and family, find adventure and put venison in the freezer.

Deer hunting is the primary tool used to manage deer populations, and hunters help keep deer numbers in line with population goals across the state. Managing deer populations contributes to the overall health of Minnesota's landscapes, natural systems and economy.

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources' wildlife managers report that there should be good opportunities to

harvest deer in most areas.

Hunters should know the deer permit area (DPA) number for where they plan to hunt prior to buying a license and ensure they understand chronic wasting disease regulations and sampling options for that area. Hunters can find these details using the DPA lookup tool on the Minnesota DNR's make a plan for deer season webpage (mndnr.gov/deerhunt).

Deer hunters are required to have deer 1 year or older sampled for CWD in all CWD management and surveillance zones during the opening weekend of the firearms A season Saturday, Nov. 4, through Sunday, Nov. 5, and during late CWD hunts Friday, Dec.

15, through Sunday, Dec. 17. Additional information about CWD requirements and sampling options can be found at the Minnesota DNR's CWD webpage (mndnr.gov/cwd).

Northeastern deer report
Deer populations in many northern areas of Minnesota are still struggling to recover, following back-to-back severe winters.

During severe winters, thermal cover and forage availability become more important. In deep snow, deer have more difficulty moving around and become more susceptible to predation. The best deer harvest

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Only in Minnesota: a weekly feature in the Eagle

This creep day drip through the spookiest places in Minnesota is perfect for fall

Most people don't know it, but the Land of 10,000 Lakes is full of creepy attractions. There are stories of haunted places all over the state, from the Greyhound Bus Museum in Hibbing to First Avenue in Minneapolis. The ghost stories of these well-known spots are just the tip of the iceberg for Minnesota spooky places. There are many more to be discovered. So many, in fact, here's a road trip that will take you to some of the spookiest places in Minnesota. This fall, hop in the car and brave some of the creepiest places in the state. This creepy road trip through some of Minnesota's spookiest places covers about 290 miles through the central and southeastern part of the state.

Without stopping, the journey is about 5 hours and 30 minutes. You could easily do the trip in one day, especially if you end at the Palmer House Hotel to stay the night, like the route suggests.

Warden's House Museum - Stillwater

The Warden's House Museum is the only remaining part

of the Minnesota Territorial Prison, which opened in 1853 and later became Minnesota State Prison. It was the home of the prison warden for many years until the prison closed in 1914. It opened as a museum in the 1940s, which has led to many rumors of the building being haunted. Stories say that the apparition of a woman haunts the halls, looking for her baby. The museum is open for tours, so you'll have ample opportunity to look out for ghosts.

Dairy Queen - Saint Anthony

After your first spooky spot, it's time to grab a treat! But you aren't stopping at just any Dairy Queen. The Saint Anthony Dairy Queen is thought by many to be haunted. While it's not your traditional haunted prison or castle, creepy stories about it may still make you think twice about visiting at night. Employees have reported cashiers printing mysterious orders, falling objects, and even disembodied laughter. You aren't likely to spot anything in the daytime, but it's still a creepy spot to mark off your spooky bucket list.

Wabasha Street Caves - St. Paul

The Wabasha Street Caves are manmade caves in St. Paul, Minnesota. They were carved in the 1840s and have been used for many purposes in the years since, including storage and growing mushrooms. But the most famous use of the caves is as a speakeasy in the 1920s. Stories say that famous gangsters used the caves as a hideout. Today, visitors claim the bar area is haunted by figures of two men. Even if you see no ghosts, this creepy spot is still well worth visiting thanks to its long history.

Calvary Cemetery - Mankato

Next on the road trip, you'll travel west to Mankato. Here, Calvary Cemetery is considered one of the most haunted places in town. The cemetery has been in use since 1857, when it was established as the first Catholic cemetery in Mankato. Thanks to its old headstones and sculptures, it has a creepy vibe for many visitors. The cemetery is said to be haunted by an evil doctor. In addition, a path near the cemetery supposedly leads to a place of animal sacrifice. You'll have to visit for yourself to see if the stories are true.

Vicksburg Cemetery - Renville

Next up, the route leads to another cemetery said to be haunted. The Vicksburg Cemetery was once used by the town of Vicksburg, which existed from around 1869 to 1878. Today, it is a ghost town. But some parts of the cemetery remain intact. Thanks to the cemetery's age, many stories have cropped up about it being haunted. Visitors have reported a glowing headstone, disembodied laughter, and even the apparition of a woman. While nothing has been confirmed, many avoid the area for that reason.

Palmer House Hotel - Sauk Centre

From the Vicksburg Cemetery, the route leads to your resting place for the night. Palmer House Hotel is Minnesota's most haunted hotel and its most famous ghost-filled spot. Many who have stayed or worked here have reported objects moving on their own and voices or laughter when no one is around. Even creepier, some have reported waking up to see a ghostly man standing at the foot of their bed. If you want the full haunted experience during your stay, try to get room 11 or 17. They are said to be the most haunted!

Word of the Week ...enhancing vocabularies one Grygla Eagle at a time.

Incunabula

In-kyoo-nab-yuh-luh

Plural Noun

The earliest stages or first traces of anything.

Field Reports...

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opportunities in the northeast part of the state will be in the southern portion of this region, where deer numbers are higher and not affected by winter weather to the same extent as permit areas farther north.

The highest deer numbers are expected in areas of mixed habitat of open fields and forest. Scouting for local pockets of deer will improve hunter success. Hunters in far northern areas will again have fewer opportunities to harvest antlerless deer, and in some areas will only be allowed to harvest bucks. This will give local deer populations in these northern areas a chance to grow where their numbers are below goals established in public deer population goal setting process.

DPAs 604 and 679 are CWD management zones where hunters must follow mandatory CWD testing requirements the opening weekend of firearms A season Nov. 4-5 and carcass movement restrictions. The city of Grand Rapids hunts also have mandatory sampling of all deer one year of age or older taken in any season.

Northwestern deer report

Deer populations are mostly stable in northwestern Minnesota. While last winter was moderate to severe in some areas, especially around and north of Bemidji, the deer

population fared well over the winter throughout most of the northwest part of the state.

Deer have been feeding on a bumper acorn crop this year. In low-lying areas, if dry conditions persist, hunters will have easier access to ditches and wetlands.

Many DPAs in northwestern Minnesota have two- or three-deer harvest limits, and in DPAs 111 and 203 hunters are only allowed to harvest bucks. Some DPAs have lower harvest limits because of concerns about the last two winters' effect on local deer populations, and the lower deer limits will give deer populations a chance to grow in these areas.

Hunters should also know that CWD sampling will be mandatory during the opening weekend of the regular firearms deer hunting season in parts of three areas of the region, including the East Grand Forks-Crookston-Climax area in DPA 661, as well as the Bemidji area in DPA 684. This year, mandatory CWD sampling will also occur in northwestern Minnesota's elk range in parts of Kittson, Marshall and Roseau counties — although CWD has not been detected in these areas, the DNR is sampling there to assess the risk of disease in local deer and elk.

Deer hunting information is available on the Minnesota DNR's deer hunting webpage (mndnr.gov/hunting/deer).

Grygla School Board September Minutes

Grygla School Board Meeting from Thursday, September 21, 2023

Chairperson of the board Jeremy Rychlock called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm with James Verbout, Tera Nordby, Gretchen Smeby present. Absent were Luke Nordvick and Andy Oslund. Superintendent Jamie Lunsetter present. Principal Derek Gieseke absent. Pledge of Allegiance

Motion by Jim Verbout, second by Jeremy Rychlock to approve the agenda as presented/amended. Passed 4-0.

Minutes of the 8/17/23 regular school board meeting are approved as printed/amended.

Approve payment of bills: Motion by Gretchen Smeby, second by Jim Verbout to approve payment of the bills check #39859 through check #39893, p-card payments and wire payments. Passed 4-0.

Finance Report: General Fund 160,807.61 with 3,930.87 deposited in Student Activity and 2,432.55 in Food Service for a total of \$167,171.03. MSDLA/Checking total is \$1,263,069.01.

Student Report: Given by Ryelin Stanley and Jens Oslund. Students Discussed Homecoming week activities and dress up days. Homecoming week will be October 2-6th. Dress up days include: Rhyme Day, Teacher day, Spa day, Barbie/Ken day, and Spirit Day.

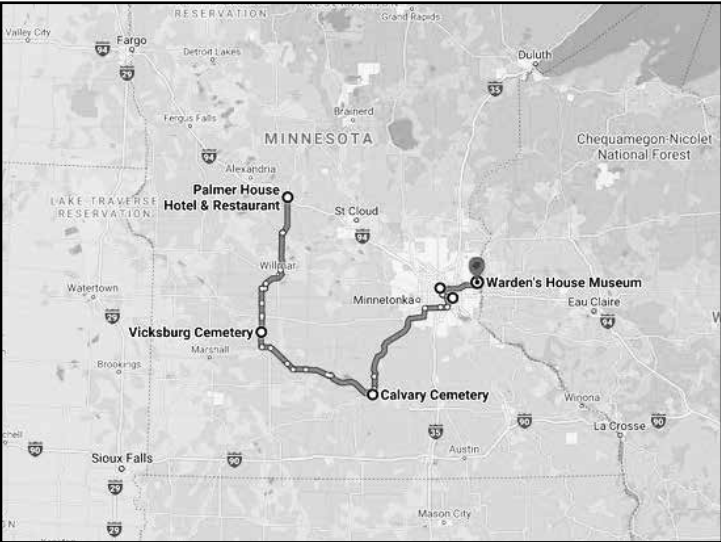
Teacher Report: Given by Gene Lunsetter. The 4th grade attended the Water Carnival on the 19th. Math has completed the 1st session of Star testing. The 6th grade class trip fundraising has begun. 12-17 students have completed the Read-Write-Math summer program and will be having a pizza party next week.

Principal Report: NA

Superintendent Report: Athletic Update - FB is 2 & 1, VB is 2 & 4. Bus Log - New bus will be here in about a month. We will use capital project money for the bus purchase. Building Project - Pretty much complete. The one-year warranty started in July. Other - Final ESSER Funds Expenditures - Locker rooms, replacing carpet, possible 3rd vehicle, new lockers. 2024 Election - Capital Project and Operating Referendum - 10 year Capital project levy is up. Graduation - Friday or Saturday and noon or 1:00 from now on.

Motion by Tera, second by Gretchen to approve the proposed tax levy. Passed 4-0. Motion by Jim, second by Jeremy to approve the 2023-24 Milk Bid from the same company that delivers our food. Passed 4-0.

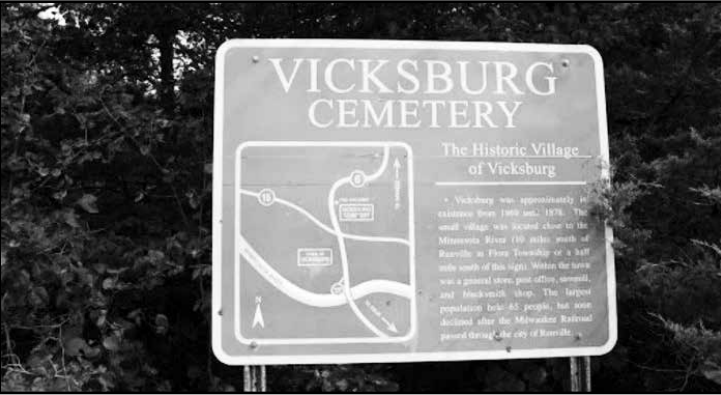
Trustee Reports: None Meeting Adjourned at 7:31pm. Next Meeting is 10/18/23 (Wednesday, due to MEA break), 7:00 p.m.



The whole route takes about 5.5 hours at 290 miles.



Dairy Queen - Saint Anthony



Vicksburg Cemetery - Renville



Warden's House Museum - Stillwater



Wabasha Street Caves - St. Paul



Palmer House Hotel - Sauk Centre



Grygla-Gatzke High School Trap team has moved into 2nd place in the overall conference standings. This is competition week 4 for the fall league with Brett Rychlock, Chelsie Nelson, & Cooper Aune all making the Top 10 list for male/female shooters. (They are pictured L-R above.) The trap team shoots at the club in TRF. Photos courtesy of Heather Morey



Grace Lutheran Church held their Annual Lutefisk Supper last Saturday night at the Grygla Community Center, serving between 280-300 people! (Thanks to Sierra Sundberg for capturing some photos as the Grygla Eagle was out of town.) More photos on the back page.



Grace holds Annual Lutefisk Supper



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Charger stats and action shots from last week

VB at RLCC on Tuesday, October 10
Won in 3 (25-15, 26-24, 25-16)

Stats per Coach Bakken
Chesney Salo: 11 digs, 21 assists, 3 kills; Addi Severts: 4 aces, 13 digs, 2 assists; Kinsley Oslund: 1 ace, 7 digs, 5 kills, 1 block; Anna Sundberg: 4 kills, 1 block; Molly Cullen: 1 ace, 3 digs, 6 kills; Morgan Coan: 5 aces, 10 digs; Morgan Underdahl: 5 aces, 5 digs, 2 assists, 3 kills, 1 block; Carter Johnsrud: 1 dig, 3 kills.

VB vs. Northern Freeze in Newfolden on Thursday, October 12

No stats received. Chargers lost to the Freeze in 3 sets.

FB vs. Stephen/Argyle Storm on Thursday, Octo-

ber 12
GG: 8, 15, 14, 0 = 37
SAC: 0, 0, 0, 12 = 12
Coach's comments: It was a convincing win for the Chargers to put them on top of the Section 8 standings! All three phases of the team played very well. Offense jumped out early and controlled the line of scrimmage moving the ball. Defensively, we stopped their run and did a fantastic job shutting down the passing game. Kehan Nelson, Sawyer Jacobson, and Lewis Jones highlighted the secondary..2-point conversions and the kicking game by Rychlock was also a bright spot. Charger's record now stands at 6-1. The Chargers finish out their season with Parent's Night on Tuesday, October 17,

at 7 p.m. in Grygla vs. an athletic Northern Freeze team.
Stats per Coach Wilebski
Carson Rubischko 5 yard td run, Jones run good
Lewis Jones 27 yard td run, 2 point from Rychlock to Sawyer Jacobson
Blake Rychlock 46 yard td pass to Lewis Jones, Rychlock kick good
Rychlock 34 yard td pass to Kehan Nelson, Rychlock kick good

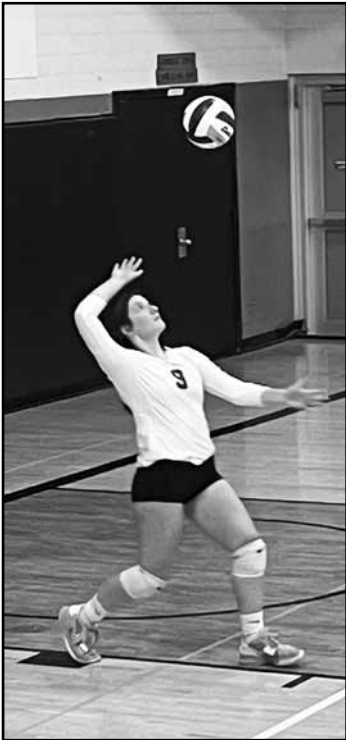
Kehan Nelson 11 yard td run, Rychlock kick good
Cooper Clausen 49 yard td run, kick no good
Blaine Smith 89 yard td run, run failed
Lewis Jones 13 carries for 102 yards 1 td
Blake Rychlock 9 carries for 48 yards
Kehan Nelson 11 carries for 53 yards 1 td
Carson Rubischko 6 carries for 17 yards 1 td

Evan Rubischko 5 carries for 12 yards
Sebastian Groven 3 carries for 17 yards
Passing: Rychlock 5/10 for 110 yards 2 td's; Jones rec 2 for 52 1td; Nelson1 for 34 1 td; Sawyer Jacobson 2 for 24
Defense: Blake Rychlock 11 tackles 1qb sack
Kehan Nelson 9 tackles 1 fumble rec
Sawyer Jacobson 7 tackles
Lewis Jones 7 tackles

Carson Rubischko 6 tackles
Gavin Aune 4 tackles
Owen Larson 4 tackles
Andrew Englund 3 tackles
Donny Johnsrud 3 tackles
Hunter Vad 1 tackle
Spencer Coan 1 tackle
Christian Loken 1 tackle
Chase Manderud 1 tackle
Ray Moe 1 tackle
Sebastian Groven 1 tackle 1 fumble rec



Chargers vs. Storm! Action shots courtesy of Misty Manderud, as the Grygla Eagle was at the Charger's Volleyball game in Newfolden.



L-R: Lakylie Brobst at the serving line and Ava Sorvig at the net during the JV game against RLCC last week in Oklee. Photos by Grygla Eagle Newspaper

Molly Cullen with the pass for the Chargers. Photo by Grygla Eagle Newspaper



After defeating the Storm, the Chargers record stands at 6-1. Photo by Misty Manderud

Kinsley Oslund had 5 kills in the game against RLCC. Photo by Grygla Eagle