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Gonvick Pumpkin Day is not that far away

The Annual Pumpkin Day will be held on Saturday, September 30. The 30th annual event will have a few more things to do.
Breakfast will be served at The Trap at 7:00 am by the Gonvick Fire Department.
Kandi's Kitchen will be open from 6:30 to 3:00 pm with lots of specials and Klub served until gone.

The Wade Klema Run/Walk will begin at 9:00 am. To register for the fight against ALS event register with Misty Bjerklie at 218-407-1713.
The Car Show will have registration at 9:00 a.m. with cut-off time of noon. Show time from 10:am to 2:00 p.m. Top 5 awards based upon popular vote by participants will receive \$100 each. Sundown with "Wild

Wes" the DJ will be playing 50's and 60's music with drawing for prizes for participants on Main Street. Pre-register with Stacy at the Gonvick City Clerk's office at 170 Main Street or call 218-487-5243.
The pumpkins will be coming in during the day with weigh off. For the Kids there will be races, face painting, sand pile dig and cake walk. The great pumpkin drop loaded with candy will take place on the field.
There will also be a kiddie pedal pull on the city lot across from Main Street Service. That was a big hit at the county fair recently.
There will be a special birthday party for Wade Klema who turns 60. He has been a very active pumpkin grower for many years and he is dealing with ALS and with help from his friends will be entering another pumpkin to be weighed at the contest.
The Clear Waters Life Center

will be have their Brick Oven Pizza, Rhubarb Slushies and Dessert. This will be a free will donation for the after school Youth Connection.
The bed races are back. Get your team ready for the race. Money will be awarded to the first three place winners. First place of \$500, second place of \$250 and third place of \$100. Contact Devin Aakre to register at 218-684-0792 your team. That will be held at 5:00 p.m.
Do you have a favorite pumpkin recipe as there will be a contest again this year. Norma Erickson will be in charge.
Also during the day there will be Art Walk, Chicken Race, and a Fire Department Tug of War.
The Trap will be having a pumpkin carving contest. Bring your carved pumpkin in to be judged.
The Trap will have a DJ at 8:00 p.m. Fireworks will be at dusk to finish the evening off.



Ray Hanson, Manager of the Service Department.

One man operation on Main Street

Ray Hanson, Manager of the Service Department of Community Oil in Clearbrook. He is a one-man operation on Main Street.
Ray lives on the north side of Bagley. He was raised by his grandparents after his parents died in an automobile accident when he was two years old. He worked 17 ½ years in a repair shop in Bagley before applying in Clearbrook for a two month

fill in job with Rick Johnson at the business on Main Street.
37 years later the job goes on. From small trailer tires to auto and trucks tires to huge farm implement tires, all in a days' work. The business is now owned by Pat Weiden.
The best part of this job Ray said was, "the people that I work with and the customers I get to know."

County Board of Commissioners' Report

By Darin Steindl, Farmers Independent
The County Board of Commissioners met on August 29 with all commissioners present. After the Pledge of Allegiance, the board approved the agenda and minutes from the last meeting.
Sheriff Darin Halverson was needed in court, so he submitted his requests in writing. The first request was for the board to consider purchasing a 21-foot power awning to be installed on the Emergency Management Mobile Command Post bus. The cost would be \$3,513.98 from Roth RV in Bemidji. Funds would come out of the Emergency Management budget. A motion was made by Commissioner Mark Titera, seconded by Commissioner Mark Larson to approve the request. During additional discussion the commissioners had questions about the grant money that would be used and whether any money from the Revenue Fund would need to be used. A vote

was held with Commissioner Titera voting yes and Commissioner Stuart Dukek voting no, the other three commissioners abstained from casting a vote. With the failure of the motion to be passed, it was tabled for a future meeting when Sheriff Halverson would be able to answer questions.
The next two requests were related to personnel. Commissioner Larson made a motion to authorize the Sheriff to promote Ashley Maruska from part-time Communications Corrections Officer to full-time, effective August 20, 2023. The motion was seconded by Commissioner John Nelson, and the motion passed. Commissioner Titera made a motion to authorize the Sheriff to hire Victoria Swanson as a full-time Communications Corrections Officer, seconded by Commissioner Dukek. Motion passed.
Environmental Service
County Commissioners... Continued on page 2



Introducing New Clearbrook-Gonvick Teachers for the 2023 - 2024 School Year!

My name is Tate Maesse and I will be teaching 4th grade for the upcoming school year. I grew up in Ulen, Minnesota my whole life and graduated in 2019. I played basketball, baseball, and football as well as being a part of choir, band, musicals, knowledge bowl, and student council. Needless to say I was always busy! After high school I decided to go to UND and graduated in December of 2022 with an elementary education major

and a coaching minor. This is my first official teaching position and I am very excited!
Sports are a huge part of my life still. I've coached all three of the sports I played. I still play slow-pitch softball in the summers and basketball in my free time and I love watching my favorite MN sports teams as well!
Welcome Mr. Maesse to Clearbrook-Gonvick Schools!
-Courtesy of Clearbrook-Gonvick School



Clearbrook-Gonvick football and volleyball seniors were at the Meet the Bears night that was held at the school. Back row (L to R) - Nathan Weems, Jake Stoskopf, Luke Johnson, Collin Crotteau, Trevor Solberg, Alex Churness, Ben Goudge, Roman Beaulieu. Front row (L to R) Kenna Hartwig, Haley McCoy, Abigail Engen, Presley Westrum, Eliana Rojas . Photo courtesy Clearbrook-Gonvick High School students.



Introducing New Clearbrook-Gonvick Teachers for the 2023 - 2024 School Year!

My name is Chelsey Juberian and I will be teaching early childhood special education for the upcoming school year. I was born and raised in the Clearbrook area and a graduate of Clearbrook-Gonvick high school. My husband and I have four children in the school district and it's been a blessing to have been able to stay at home with

them for the past ten years. Our hobbies include hunting, fishing, four wheeling/ranger riding, skiing, camping and all that northern MN has to offer. I'm so excited to be a part of the C-G family.
Welcome Mrs. Juberian to Clearbrook-Gonvick Schools!
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Clearbrook-Gonvick Schools kicked off the 2023-2024 school year by welcoming the new staff to the team! L to R: Ms. Halvorson (Choir Student Teacher), Mrs. Plaia (Science Student Teacher), Mrs. Johnson (1st Grade Long-term Sub), Ms. Lauderbaugh (HS Math),

Ms. Gebhardt (Elem Special Ed), Mrs. Erickson (Kindergarten), Mrs. Juberian (Early Childhood Special Ed), Mr. Sewall (Elem Phy-Ed), Mr. Maesse (4th Grade), Mrs. Mickelson (Band), Lexi Lofgren (Cook), Deagan Griffin (Custodian)

Community Calendar

BAAC is gathering in Bagley

Stories about the food we eat potluck. Food opens doors into our memories. Offers glimpses into individual families, and cultures. Food is rich in Story.

BAAC writers gathering invite you to a story-rich potluck meal. You do not need to be a writer to attend. If interested come with a 3-minute story, poem, or song about the dish you bring to share.

Thursday September 7th at 5:00 pm Bagley Library Community Room.

Historical Society Cemetery Walks

As part of the Bagley and Shevlin Quasquicentennials, the Clearwater County Historical Society will be offering two cemetery walks. With the theme "Founders and Pioneers" the cemetery walks will tell the stories of the early settlers in Bagley and Shevlin.

The Shevlin Cemetery walk will be Sunday September 10. Participants will meet at The History Center in Shevlin and will be taken by horse and wagon to the Shevlin City Cemetery and the Clearwater Lutheran Cemetery. Please do not park at the cemeteries. There will be two tours: one at 1:00 and again at 2:30. Early Shevlin pioneers like the Rauk Family, The Gordon's, Thorps, Krohns and others will be included.

Volunteers are needed to portray the pioneers on the tour. Volunteers will dress in costume if possible and scripts will be provided.

The Cemetery tours are free, donations welcome and refreshments will be served. In case of stormy weather the events will be cancelled. Call the museum for the latest information on the day of the tour. Participants should wear comfortable shoes and be prepared to walk some distance.

For more information and to volunteer, please call the History Center 218-785-2000

County board... Continued from front

Director Dan Hecht made a request to the board to purchase a new plow truck. This would be a 2024 budget item, but the deadline to order fleet purchases is early September. Hecht brought four quotes for the board to review. The quotes were for a Chevrolet, a GMC, a Ford, and a Dodge. Commissioner Dukek explained that from his experience, the Ford would be the better option for plowing due to a larger alternator and construction. After some additional discussion, Commissioner Dukek made a motion to authorize the purchase of a 2024 Ford F250 4x4 Super Cab with 6.75 ft. box from Midway Ford Commercial in Roseville for \$47,349.00. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Titera and was passed.

County Engineer Dan Suavé had two items of business to discuss. The first was a request to hire Joshua Coyle for the General Foreman position at the Highway Department at a starting pay of \$31.56/hr. with a hire date of August 14, 2023. Commissioner Nelson made the motion to approve the request, seconded by Commissioner Dukek, motion carried.

The next item was a request for authorization to purchase 5 vehicles for the Land Department and Highway Department through the state contract with North Country GM of Hibbing. The four vehicles were:

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Commissioner Larson made the motion to approve the purchase of the 5 vehicles at a total cost of \$128,128.50 plus tax and licensing. Commissioner Nelson seconded the motion. During discussion Commissioner Dukek asked what happens to the vehicles that are being replaced. Suavé answered that sometimes other county departments would get the vehicles if needed, but usually the old vehicles are sold at auction. With no further discussion, the motion was passed.

Suavé and the Commissioners then discussed scheduling the annual road and bridges

tour to review construction projects that had been completed this year. The date was set for September 26, 2023.

Amie Jordan, Board Coordinator, submitted items on behalf of Auditor/Treasurer Allen Paulson, who was not able to attend the meeting. Commissioner Nelson made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Larson to approve for truth in taxation purposes the Departmental Budgets under the County Revenue Fund for fiscal year 2024. Total Expenditures were listed as \$9,885,892.00 and Total Revenues were shown as \$8,247,129.00. The motion passed unanimously.

Commissioner Titera then made a motion to approve the 2024 Levy for truth in taxation purposes. The totals were shown as – Gross Levy \$7,042,552.00, CPA \$1,125,190.00, Net Levy Base \$5,917,362.00. These totals represent a 0% Levy increase from the previous year. Commissioner Dean Newland seconded the motion and the motion carried.

The final item was a request to approve the purchase of ExpressVote Universal Voting Systems from Elections Systems & Software in the amount of \$61,040.00 and to authorize the County Auditor/Treasurer to sign the sales order agreement. Commissioner Larson made the motion to approve the purchase, seconded by Commissioner Titera. Motion carried.

With no further business on the agenda, the meeting was adjourned.

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Our Savior's
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Sun., Sept. 10: 10:00am Coffee Hour
11:00am Worship, Communion & Confirmation Covenant Signing (7th Grade) with Pastor Gary Graff
Wed., Sept 13: 6:00pm Choir Practice; 6:00pm Student/Parent Confirmation Orientation (7th – 9th Grade) at Faith
New Office Hours starting Sept 5th, Tuesday-Friday 8:15 am - 2:15pm

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Thurs., Sept. 7: 8:00am Men's Breakfast, D&R Café, Bagley
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Mon., Sept. 11: 7:00pm Good Shepherd Council Meeting
Tues., Sept. 12: 6:00pm 'The Jesus I Never Knew' book study with Pastor Mark Olson
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FAITH BIBLE CHAPEL OF CLOVER
Pastor Dawson Grover
53299 269th Ave
Leonard, MN
218-776-3331
Sunday Church Services 10:30 am

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH Clearbrook
Pastor Adam Krog
Wed. - 7:00 p.m. Bible Study
Sun. - 9:30 a.m. Worship Service.

SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH - NALC Gonvick
Samhold Lutheran Church is having services every Sunday at 10:30am. Also, Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30am.

UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH
8 miles North of Gonvick on County Road 7
Sunday Church Services 9:00am

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Clearbrook
Pastor Randy Reimer
Every Wednesday, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. Quilting. AWANA meets on Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8 pm weekly. Call for information. 218-776-3252
Every Thursday - 7:00 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer
Every Saturday - 7:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship
Sunday Worship, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service

COUNTRY FAITH CHURCH
1 mile south of Clearbrook, 2 miles west on Cty. Rd. 6
Senior Pastor - Brad Binder
Assoc. Pastor Nathan Nordlund
Children's Ministry Lead Kari Godin
www.countryfaith.org
218-776-3367
office@countryfaith.org
Sunday Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Time, 10:00 a.m. Worship Service (Nursery & Jr. Church during sermon time) 6:00 p.m. Youth Night (Most Sundays)
Every Tuesday at 6:30 a.m Men's Prayer
Check the website or Facebook for up-to-date information.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH Mt. Olive – Nazareth Oak Park – St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseeth
Wed, Sept. 6: 5:00-7:00 p.m. First day of Wednesday School. 6:30 p.m. Vespers. 7:00 p.m. Lutheran Young Saints.
Sat, Sept. 9: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive. 9:45 a.m. Nazareth. Nazareth SS at 8:45 a.m. 10:00 SS at Oak Park. 11:00 a.m. Oak Park.
Wed, Sept. 13: 5:00-7:00 p.m. First day of Wednesday School. 6:30 p.m. Vespers.
Find services and past sermons at www.facebook.com/clearwaterlutheranparish

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
www.newjourneyfosston.com
Jarred LeBon, Pastor
Tyler Stynsberg, Assoc. Pastor
Sun, Sept. 10: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School. 10:00 a.m. Worship.
Tue, Sept. 12: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions.
Wed, Sept. 13: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund
Sand Valley
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Sun, Sept. 10: 9:00 a.m. Service at Lund. 10:30 a.m. Service at Sand Valley.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY
Fosston
Seth Johnson, Head Pastor
Sundays: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School. 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.
Wednesday Evening: 6:30 p.m. Kids, High School & Adult programs.
Services will continue to be live-streamed on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/bethelfosston>) as an alternative to attending in person.

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CWLC at Pumpkin Days
Sept 30 in Gonvick
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Correction to August 30 approval
The school district 10 year long term plan was approved by the MDE and not the 12 year plan by the MD.

Dates for public meetings
Public meetings will be held at three locations. September 19 at the Clearbrook-Gonvick School, October 3 at the Gonvick Community Center and October 17 at the Leonard

Introducing our New Staff for the 2023 - 2024 School

Hi my name is Lexie. I grew up in a small central MN town. Visiting northern MN in the summertime and also deer hunting in the area, I have always enjoyed it here. My family and I now live on a beautiful farm outside of Shevlin. My husband and I have 2 boys attending Clearbrook-Gonvick School. We appreciate being a part of the school and community.

Most people around here know me as "the dog groomer". The time has come for me to make a change. I am looking forward to now being the new "lunch lady." I have always envisioned myself in a school kitchen setting if ever the opportunity arose and guess what, IT DID so here I am. I am eager to have a similar schedule as our boys and hope to make a difference where I can.

I enjoy horses very much. I am currently in a 2 year Equine Gestalt certification program. Next summer when certified I will be opening my WildheartLeads business. My focus is creating a safe space for people to come and enjoy

Introducing our new coach for the 2023-2024 school year!

Hello! My name is Calli Larson and I am coaching Clearbrook-Gonvick cross country this fall. My husband and I, our two kids, and spoiled cow dog live southwest of Clearbrook where we raise beef cattle. I am so grateful that I get to share my love of running, nutrition, and wellness with the cross country kids this year. I also want to thank everyone in the community and those that just drive through for watching for the runners as they practice in the afternoons! We are really grateful to have such a supportive community to run in!

Welcome Calli to the C-G Coaching Staff!

Township Building. ATSR Planners, Architects and Engineers Company was at the school with a marketing team to take photos and to interview on different projects that they will address for the referendum link on the internet. Proposed options include a gym addition, SPED additions, Secure Entry, Media and small group space additions and repairs & building betterment would cost about \$28 million. Public meetings have been set up for the public to attend.



the present moments of life. Leading them to wholeness if they are up for an exploratory session. I also plan on having retreats, workshops, group circles and one day building a youth (teen) program in helping kids understand respect and self love through obstacles with horses.

I am happy to be a part of this "Bear Family". Wishing everyone a wonderful 2023-2024 school year!

Welcome Lexie to our kitchen staff at Clearbrook-Gonvick Schools!



With articles submitted by the staff, administration and students at the Clearbrook-Gonvick Junior and Senior High Schools

Clearbrook-Gonvick School Lunch Menu

Tues., Sept. 12 - Hot Dog on Bun, Tri Tater, Baked Beans, Oatmeal Bar (9-12). **Snack:** Cheddar Chex

Wed., Sept. 13 - Dutch Waffles Scrambled Eggs, Sausage Links. **Snack:** Animal Crackers

Thurs., Sept. 14 - Chicken Wild Rice Soup, Egg or Tuna Sandwich. **Snack:** Goldfish

Fri., Sept. 15 - Turkey Sub with Fixings, Sun Chips (9-12). **Snack:** Sun Chips

Mon., Sept. 18 - Pork Roast, Mashed Potatoes and gravy, Peas & Carrots. **Snack:** Rice Krispy Bar

Tues., Sept. 19 - Soft Shell Tacos with Fixings, Refried Beans. **Snack:** Cheetos Puffs

Please note- All Meals come with Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Bar and Milk Choice. This may change!!

Breakfast Menu-Cereal choice offered daily as 2nd option. Breakfast is free for all students.

Monday-Waffles w/syrup, Fruit, Juice, and Milk

Tuesday-Biscuit & Gravy, Fruit, Juice, and Milk

Wednesday- Breakfast Sandwich, Fruit, Juice, and Milk

Thursday-French Toast Sticks w/syrup, Fruit, Juice, and Milk

Friday-Breakfast Roll, String Cheese or Yogurt, Fruit, Juice, and Milk

Clearbrook-Gonvick Families:

The safety and welfare of our students is our highest priority. We will continue to strive to provide a safe learning environment for all students. In order to maintain a safe environment for our children to study and learn, it is necessary that we practice our emergency and crisis response plans throughout the year. This letter is to help you understand the importance of this as well to understand each type of drill.

The students and staff at Clearbrook-Gonvick will be practicing three primary emergency drills each year. They are fire, tornado, and lockdown drills.

Fire Drills: The school will conduct five fire drills throughout the school year. This is a fire code requirement that we conduct these drills throughout the year. We want each student to understand and be aware of the importance of this drill and not be afraid when the fire alarm is sounded. By practicing, students will know what to do and



Clearbrook-Gonvick staff welcomes students during Open House

how to do it.

Tornado Drills: State law requires that all public schools conduct a tornado safety drill each school year. A tornado drill is run in April to keep students and staff in good practice in the event a real weather emergency should occur.

Lockdown Drills: A lockdown drill secures the school building and safety shelters all students, staff, and visitors inside the building. The purpose of this drill is to keep the students safe from any danger outside the building. During a "lockdown drill" all of the perimeter doors to the school building will be locked and will remain locked until the danger or issue outside or inside the building is removed. To enable everyone to remain safe, no one will be allowed to enter the building or leave the building until the authorities authorize such a release.

Please remember that these safety practice drills are done to help maintain our schools as a safe place to learn and work. If you have any questions regarding any of these safety drills or other safety concerns, please contact the school office, 218-776-3112.

September Ruby's Pantry event

Join us Wednesday, September 6th at Country Faith Church, 46125 149th Ave, Clearbrook for Ruby's Pantry, Clearbrook. Our drive-thru distribution will run from 5-6:00pm or until food items are gone. Bring a \$25 cash donation and receive a "share" which is an abundance of grocery items that are valued over \$100 which varies every month. **Please bring exact change. There is a maximum of 2 shares per vehicle. No registration needed for drive-thru distribution. No boxes needed, everything will be prepackaged for you. Ruby's Pantry is a pop-up non-profit food ministry serving our rural communities across MN & WI on a monthly basis, hosted by non-profits and made possible by volunteers at each site. There is no income or residency requirement. Questions? Contact Country Faith at 218-776-3367. Find us on Facebook: Ruby's Pantry-Clearbrook, MN

Ruby's Pantry - Clearbrook location will be held at Country Faith Church, 46125 149th Ave, Clearbrook on Wednesday, September 6th, from 5-6:00pm (or until items are sold out).

This distribution will be outside again with the drive thru format. For the safety of our guests and volunteers please read this in its entirety.

Distribution will start by 5:00pm (could be a tad earlier if ready). Distribution will be held

outside in our parking lot with a drive thru system.

Limit of 2 bundles per vehicle.

BATHROOM - There is a porta potty available to give guests an option to use a restroom while in line.

There is no registration necessary for this month's distribution.

We request you have exact change ready (\$25 cash per bundle) to give at the front of the line, to limit amount of change needed.

Please note the increase in cost per share and bring exact change

Do NOT bring your own totes or boxes. Everything will be packaged and ready to go for you. Sorry there will be no choices or requests honored.

BE PREPARED - Be sure your trunk/cargo area is emptied and ready to go for you. Trucks are preferred for ease for our volunteers and to limit contact between our volunteers and guests.

Please be patient, there may be wait times, we are doing the best we can. If everyone follows the above guidelines, things should flow quickly and smoothly.

We have the right to refuse anyone who does not follow these instructions.



Clearbrook-Gonvick Freshman football and volleyball participants. Back Row (L to R)- Grant Engen, Jaret Larson, Brady Hagman, Carver Kroulik, Ryan Gerlofs, Carter Ballard, Blayten Benson, Braxton Bjerke. Front Row (L to R)- Mya Engen, Madisen Walser, Mysten Dahlke, Seneca Johnson, Mackenzie Holmstrom. Photo courtesy Clearbrook-Gonvick High School students.

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Estate of
**Justin L. Erickson,
Decedent**
Court File No. 15-PR-23-365

Notice is given that an application for informal appointment of personal representative has been filed with the Registrar. No will has been presented for probate. The application has been granted.

Notice is also given that the Registrar has informally appointed Amanda M. Erickson, whose address is 46144 179th Ave., Clearbrook, Minnesota, 56634, as personal representative of the Estate of the Decedent. Any heir or other interested person may be entitled to appointment as personal representative or may object to the appointment of the personal representative. Unless objections are filed with the Court and the Court otherwise orders, the personal representative has full power to administer the Estate including, after 30 days from the date of issuance of letters, the power to sell, encumber, lease or distribute real estate.

Any objections to the appointment of the Personal Representative must be filed with this Court and will be heard by the Court after the filing of an appropriate petition and proper notice of hearing.

Notice is also given that all creditors having claims against the Estate are required to present the claims to the personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this Notice or the claims will be barred.

Dated: 8/24/23
Leah Leavitt
Registrar

Dated: 8/24/2023
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COMMISSIONERS MINUTES

Board of Commissioners'
August 15, 2023

The August 15, 2023 meeting for the Clearwater County Board of Commissioners commenced at 10:00 a.m. with Chairman Newland presiding and Commissioners Larson, Dukek, Titera and Nelson present. The Board recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Agenda-Motion by Commissioner Titera, seconded by Commissioner Dukek and carried to approve the August 8th Board Minutes with corrections.

Minutes- Motion by Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Titera and carried to approve the August 8th Board Minutes with corrections.

Recorder - Motion by Commissioner Nelson, seconded by Commissioner Dukek and carried to approve raising the filing fee for marriage ordinations to \$50.

Auditor - Motion by

Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Newland and carried to authorize the Auditor to pay submitted invoices of \$183,040.09 from the County Revenue Fund and \$44,686.33 from the Public Health Fund.

Human Services - Chairman Newland presented the following motion: Motion by Commissioner Titera, seconded by Commissioner Dukek and carried to accept the PrimeWest Community Reinvestment Program Grant for Human Services.

Adjourn - Motion by Commissioner Nelson, seconded by Commissioner Larson and carried to adjourn the meeting at 10:20 am.

Dated: August 29th, 2023
Amanda Jordan,
Board Coordinator
Dean Newland, Chairman R25C

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Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

It is school time again. Welcome back to all the students again. Follow all state and local laws and regulations regarding approaching a school bus that is stopped. This would involve the proper use of mirrors, alternating flashing lights, and, when equipped, the moveable stop signal arm, and crossing control arm. If you pass a stopped school bus there is a \$500 dollar fine.

We have had some strange weather. Rain has hampered the grain harvest and wind came through to down some of the crop. Wild rice harvest is just beginning if the weather would hold.

Saturday, September 9th is the monthly fish fry at the Gonvick Legion.

Duane Bergerson will be celebrating his 90th birthday on Sunday, September 10th at the Gonvick Legion from noon to 3. Happy Birthday.

Shorty's in Gully will be closed on Saturday, September 9th and there will be no bingo this week. There special will be shrimp on Friday night.

State representatives are seeking a change in the legislative law that affects school resource officers across Minnesota. The bill as it stands has districts removing their resource officers. The governor would have to call a special session to fix the problem.

Future Events

The annual Pumpkin Day in Gonvick is set for September 30. They are planning to bring back the bed races. They need six teams for the races. Cash prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

The Gully 100 is planning another show at the Gully Community Center for October 2023. It will be another musical variety show. The date has been set for October 14th. It has

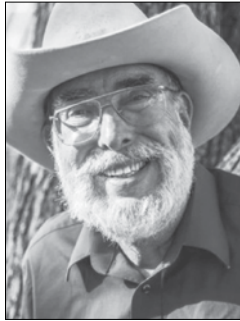
Home Country

By Slim Randles

The calendar, and the quality of the air we breathe, insist it's state fair season. The competition is great to watch, no matter what it is. You know, like trying to knock down a pile of cinder blocks with a ping pong ball at 50 feet.

But there is also love and devotion and great pride and tremendous work on display there. With the kids and their prize animals.

Over the years I've interviewed a ton of these kids for whichever newspaper I was working for, and it's never ceased to amaze me. You give a kid a calf, or help him or her work to earn one, and then the work begins. There's the brushing and polishing, and feeding scientifically to bring out the best in the animal's conformation. And a kid must halter break the calf, which isn't easy at all, so that 700 pounds of beef follows you around on a leash. And the kid gives hugs and



snuggles from the growing calf, and gets them back in spades. That's the part I don't understand. You see, if the calf and the kid have worked together well enough over the past season, the calf will bring big bucks to the owner at the big sale. Restaurant chains pay premium dollars to say their Flamo Burgers are made from prize-winning cattle.

So the kid and the calf are separated for good, one going on to college more affordably now, and the other to the Flamo Burger factory.

And there are tears, of course, and deep questions to be asked, but the bottom line is that a beef in great condition can pay for a lot of tuition.

Here's a little something we can do to help:

<https://www.ktvu.com/news/online-ways-you-can-help-those-affected-by-the-lahaina-fire>.

been called, "A Guide to Texas Etiquette."

Joke Time

A Norwegian whose wife was expecting twins had to go on a trip. He asked his brother to name the off-spring when they arrived. Upon his return, he asked the brother what names he had given the new twins. "Da girl is Da-neese" explained the brother, "Denise? Nice Name.... and the boy?" asked the father. Replied the brother: "Da Nephew."

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STORY TO SHARE!

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Weekly Inky Wink



Lonesome Loon

By Ann Marie Newman

There it was! My childhood Shangri la! A wide expanse of clear blue water, radiant beneath the late afternoon sun. Clearwater Lake. Once I'd known it, the surrounding lands, and communities so well. However, following the death of my Grandma Lillie nineteen years ago, I'd made one excuse after another not to return to it. The lake wouldn't be the same. Not without Grandma, the lake house on the hill Grandpa built, the long wooden dock reaching out into cool water. Another family now owned the home, tended its shoreline.

Nevertheless, I had family to see after these many years. Out of all the 10,000 lakes in Minnesota, my Uncle Les Torgerson had built a new home located on the lake's, Pine Island. I had driven all the way from Plano, Texas, to Clearwater Lake riding atop waves of excitement, dread, nostalgia, grief; a tumultuous sea of emotions.

Clearwater Lake is where I'd grown to adulthood throughout glorious summers of listening to the call of Lonesome Loon, forever out of sight on the far end of the lake where wild rice grew in marshy profusion. Like a migrating bird, every summer, I'd swoop in from southern places to the land where I'd hatched.

My childhood was marked with constant change. By my 18th birthday, I'd moved fifteen times with my family. My inconsistent, nomadic existence was mediated with the certain sanctuary of my grandparent's lake house. Their home was my REAL home. All the other places I dwelled at were temporary lay overs that unfailingly led back to home for a sabbatical of sameness.

My grandparents would greet me at the door with hugs, the familiar smells of the house floating in the air around us. Nothing ever changed. Not the grassy-green shag carpet in the living room. Not the swivel chair spun 1,000 times too many by laughing children, leaving it

canting dizzily to one side. Not the splendor of the lake forever beckoning beyond big glass windows. Not Lonesome Loon hidden in its back reaches. Loon, sweet Lonesome Loon.

Upon every arrival, as soon as it was polite to do so, I'd be out the door, down the hill, to the end of the dock where I'd lie down on my belly in supplication. My head and arms dangling out over the water to better peer into its depths. Trail my fingers through its surface. This was my holy water, nature's sweet sacrament. A visible reality of divine blessing. Then, I'd wait. Until, from far across the watery expanse Lonesome Loon would call out, "You are home." "You are home".

Now, nineteen years later, was that still so?

I pulled up to my uncle and aunt's house, got out of the car, and felt my heart quicken. I swear I felt the lake beckon me, same as before. Family members flooded out of the house to warmly welcome me. Then, same as in the years of my youth, when it was polite to do so, I slipped out the door to follow the path to the water's edge. My uncle's dock was quite short. Umph. There was barely a beach. Travesty. Reaching the end of the dock, I cast my eyes to the shoreline far to my left searching for my grandparent's former lake house on the north shore. Counting from left to right, I found it painted an unfamiliar color. Whatever. A metal dock had replaced the wooden one. Whatever. The old boathouse was gone. Whatever. Stark grief flooded me! Seconds feeling like lifetimes passed as I mourned the passage of time. The loss of place and people from my fledgling years. I shouldn't have come back! This place was no longer home.

Suddenly - to my right - very near - a sound! I turned and... Lonesome Loon! Floating very near, staring straight at me. So close! There we were, just the two of us in the stillness of twilight. Lonesome Loon floated be- atific on water smooth as glass, aglow with a twilight halo. He tilted his head, opened his beak, and called out, "You are home". With awe, and knowing I was experiencing a divine moment, a miraculous gift, I whispered, "Thank you. Thank you coming to greet me after all these long years."

In response, Loon called out once more, "You are home".

I smiled. "Yes. Sweet Lonesome Loon, I'm home."

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The Clearbrook-Gonvick Senior High Knowledge Bowl team for 2012 season. Back row: Kelsey Gunvalson, Dillon Straabe, Morgan Gebhardt, Carley Bergerson, Micah Farenik, Zach Dorn and Joey Trego. Front row: Seher Kar, Brittany Reed, Anne Ternes, Taylor Donnell, Kristyn Nelson and Taylor Faldet.



At the age of 15, Lloyd was working at a drug store as a “soda jerk” – a name for the guy at the soda fountain.



Seventy years later, Lloyd is working in the same building that used to be the drug store.

A Tribute to Lloyd Engen

By Robin Eggert
Lloyd Engen has been a well-known name in Clearbrook and Clearwater County, MN, having resided here for 85 years! In 2014, he was recognized at the Clearwater Fair, named as “Clearwater County Outstanding Senior”, and was recognized at the Minnesota State Fair the same summer.

True to his “form” of dedication, Lloyd was at the Clearbrook Senior Center on the day this writer met with him this August. He had his Post 256 cap on, and was fixing things in the men’s bathroom. Before that, he was outside mowing for the City of Clearbrook most of the day. He filled the writer in on more of his personal experiences and outlook of life. To be sure, Lloyd loves people.

He also loves to work and keep busy. At the age of 15, Lloyd was working at a drug store as a “soda jerk” – a name for the guy at the soda fountain. Lloyd also got to fill some medications, assisting the druggist, as long as the latter checked them over.

In 1973, he married Phyllis (then Beckstrand) who had 7 children from a previous marriage and was a widow. Lloyd was/is a dedicated father and grandfather to many, and “back in the day” taught them to hunt, fish, and spiritual stuff. When the kids attended school, there was homework, extracurricular activities and meetings to keep abreast of. Phyllis and he currently have 25 grandchildren and 53 “greats”. He is a member of the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. Being from a large family in Clearbrook, Lloyd had 10 brothers and sisters. He has only one brother remaining now, who lives in Minneapolis.

A neighbor noted that he is very neighborly, always willing to help and may show up at the hospital when someone is admitted there.

He worked for about 5 years at the Boat Basin on Lake Superior. The boats held iron ore and were 600 feet long. He worked as an operator and gauger for Enbridge Pipe Line (it was called Lakehead). When he “retired” in April 2000, he spent one day reading a book. He said: “I sat on the deck...I couldn’t stand it...I had to be busy!” So, the next day, he signed up to drive the B & D medivan. “I

loved that job” he said – “just taking care of people”! He was Chief of the Fire Department for 17 years and served with the department for 27 years in Clearbrook. When funds were needed for local activities (the Clearbrook Pool, for one) or construction needed, he showed up to help (like the wheelchair ramp on the Roxy building) and helped with fundraisers.

He started the Clearbrook Babe Ruth Baseball team, and had a fundraiser for Deputy Chris Dewey (Mahnomen) who was wounded in the line of duty. There is also the Wes Westrum Museum and the Clearwater Veterans Memorial Highway. He has even performed the Santa Claus duty at Clearbrook Santa Days. So our local Youth thank you!

Back a long time ago, he joined the Army too, and enjoyed the military he said. He and his friend Bob Granley joined together under the “buddy system” – signed up together but did not see each other again until he returned to Clearbrook! He served in Alaska with some of the early computers. He kept track of all the equipment and machinery in the Alaskan Command. “Out of 18 people”, he says, he was the only one in the office that could type! As an active member of the American Legion Honor Guard, the Clearbrook American Post 256 for 61 years, he held various elected offices. He plans to retire from the Honor Guard soon. The American Legion also aided in fundraising for community needs. So Veterans are grateful.

We seniors are especially grateful to you, Lloyd, for all the related care you have shown as President of Clearbrook and Leonard Senior Citizens– from delivering Meals on Wheels, being in charge of the Senior Alert phones, and being on the board for “This Land of the Dancing Sky” (which makes sure federal monies are spent to serve citizens 60 and up). Lloyd plans on giving the front of the Clearbrook Senior Center a facelift with a newer look, and new windows from funding from a grant, and donations from various Clearbrook and Gonvick businesses.

In spite of all the different age groups whom he has served, Lloyd says when asked: “I have no favorite age group...you have

to do everything”.

Though you worked hard and were a good leader, perhaps the best part of what you gave to the area is your thoughtfulness in dropping off food to needy seniors, visiting and taking the lead when you saw a need. You are still being a servant! In a time when the seeming availability of volunteers and community board members consists of a majority of seniors, and the same people appear year-after-year, one cannot say that of Lloyd. He loves to take the grandkids when delivering Meals on Wheels – “They love it”! he says. Certainly, he leads by example and, thus, may consequently encourage more involvement in the community by others - in whatever capacity. What he likes best about the Clearbrook area besides his family is: “the people are so good around here...and the people in the churches!”

As far as “keeping up with the times”, Lloyd can use a Smart Phone. He shared that in 1959, he recalls a woman predicted that we would some day be able to use our watches as phones! Imagine that – what a smart lady! He recalled seeing such a phenomenon on the Dick Tracy show.

Phyllis and Lloyd celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary recently.



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Gonvick: Northern Bait and Convenience, Leader-Record office Richards Publishing
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Jeff Schermerhorn was named "Home Town Hero"

By Pamela Hagen French
Jeff Schermerhorn was named "Home Town Hero" for his vision and continued commitment to see that veterans buried in Clearwater Co. cemeteries get an engraved stone paver placed at the Clearwater County Veterans Memorial in Bagley.

On September 2nd the "Ride for the Stones" celebrated 10 years! Thank you Jeff! The ride broke all records; 126 bikes and 40 riders, "many" non-riders and huge number of donations for the raffle, raising over \$15,000 to enable the purchase nearly 80 pavers. Recipients of a paver are chosen at random in a lottery type system. Donations for the raffle and bike riders came from ALL over Minnesota and from other states, even a bike rider from Texas!

A message from Jeffrey Schermerhorn regarding "The Ride for the Stones".

"Yesterday was the greatest day of my life! I want to say a heartfelt thank you to each and everyone who participated in the 10th Annual Ride for the Stones Motorcycle Rally. I've posted many thank you's, tributes, and personalized stories about individuals who have assisted or donated to the ride. Yet, I know that I've probably missed someone. I worked hard to thank each and everyone of you personally, as well as visit with you. If you are someone I missed I want to say thank you with all my heart."

"I seen patriotism fellowship and generosity! I love this country so much, I love this county, I love my beautiful little town and all the towns around it; and mostly I love the people. Each and everyone of you have touched my heart in one way or another. We all got to show yesterday that we love our veterans, we love this country and



we appreciate what they have done for us."

"In my life I've learned to surround myself with good people. I run only with the best and you guys are all the best. You all showed that Saturday with your hearts and generosity. Patriotism is alive and well in Clearwater county, the surrounding areas and in the United States of America."

"I hope everyone has a wonderful year. I know I'll see many soon, however, I'll definitely see you guys next year same time, same place."

"Please pass this on so your friends can see what a terrific time we had yesterday."

Thank you.
Jeffrey
We are ALL blessed by Jeffrey's vision!

Clearwater County Sheriff

Weekly activity by Darin Halverson

City of Bagley - Total 21
08/28/23 07:56:39 Transport
08/28/23 13:53:32 Suspicious Activity - Handled By Officer / Deputy
08/28/23 22:06:40 Traffic Stop
08/28/23 22:55:48 Traffic Complaint - Handled By Officer
08/29/23 17:39:02 Transport
08/30/23 10:44:38 ASSIST
08/31/23 14:01:42 Information Only - Report Taken
08/31/23 17:13:15 Traffic Stop
08/31/23 20:30:16 - Handled By Officer / Deputy
09/01/23 00:34:08 Domestic
09/01/23 09:23:17 Assault - Report Taken
09/01/23 15:06:53 911 Hang Up
09/01/23 18:35:58 Medical - Handled By Officer / Deputy
09/01/23 21:14:35 Traffic Stop
09/01/23 21:16:40 Suspicious Activity - Handled By Officer / Deputy
09/01/23 22:14:27 Traffic Stop
09/02/23 09:36:35 Information
09/02/23 13:33:10 Vehicle Lock Out - Handled By Officer / Deputy
09/02/23 13:58:50 911 Hang Up
09/02/23 16:11:04 Transport
09/02/23 16:21:22 911 Hang Up
City of Clearbrook - Total 5
08/29/23 00:33:17 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
08/30/23 00:03:26 Medical
09/01/23 19:19:43 Medical - Patient Treated, Transported by EMS
09/02/23 15:11:40 TEST
09/02/23 15:15:37 TEST
City of Gonvick - Total 1
08/28/23 15:45:02 Harassment - Report Taken
City of Shevlin - Total 4
08/28/23 18:18:18 Disturbance
08/30/23 19:56:14 Traffic Complaint - Handled By Officer
09/02/23 12:19:28 Information
09/02/23 17:36:44 THEFT - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Copley - Total 14
08/27/23 22:08:47 Information
08/27/23 23:14:10 Medical - Handled By Officer / Deputy
08/28/23 13:25:47 Suspicious Activity - Handled By Officer / Deputy
08/28/23 13:35:46 Fraud - Report Taken
08/28/23 14:09:03 Suspicious Activity - Handled By Officer / Deputy
08/30/23 23:19:25 Traffic Stop
08/31/23 18:46:15 Traffic Stop
09/01/23 14:03:11 Welfare Check - Handled By Officer / Deputy
09/01/23 20:19:05 Traffic Stop
09/01/23 22:03:33 Traffic Stop
09/02/23 08:40:21 911 Hang Up
09/02/23 09:52:38 Traffic Complaint - Handled By Officer
09/02/23 20:10:13 TEST
09/02/23 22:24:58 Traffic Stop
Eddy - Total 2
08/27/23 17:22:56 Burglary
08/29/23 16:31:11 Welfare Check
Falk - Total 1
08/29/23 20:09:06 Suspicious Activity - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Holst - Total 2
08/27/23 18:09:31 Traffic Stop
08/27/23 18:21:47 Traffic Stop
Itasca - Total 6
08/31/23 06:15:18 Traffic Stop
09/01/23 12:25:02 Information
09/01/23 15:27:11 Traffic Stop
09/01/23 15:36:49 Traffic Stop
09/01/23 15:59:22 Traffic Stop
09/02/23 13:27:04 Traffic Stop
Itasca State Park - Total 2
08/30/23 10:59:37 Traffic Complaint - Handled By Officer
08/31/23 12:23:18 Information
LaPraire - Total 1
08/30/23 02:50:33 Traffic Stop - Citation Issued (Verbal Or Written)
LaPraire N - Total 8
08/27/23 01:37:33 Noise

Complaint - Handled By Officer
08/27/23 08:52:44 Property Damage - Handled By Officer
08/27/23 18:37:05 Disturbance
08/27/23 20:39:45 Traffic Stop
08/28/23 20:36:26 THEFT
08/29/23 02:37:11 Trespass
08/29/23 22:02:33 Animal Related
09/01/23 12:35:15 Welfare Check
Leon - Total 1
08/31/23 10:37:55 Medical 25 - EMS and Transport
Minerva - Total 3
08/29/23 20:19:25 Traffic Complaint - Handled By Officer
08/31/23 15:07:38 Motorist Assist
09/01/23 06:55:36 Traffic Stop
Nora - Total 2
08/30/23 14:11:26 911 Hang Up
09/01/23 06:36:17 Traffic Stop
Pine Lake - Total 2
08/27/23 01:17:04 Traffic Stop
08/31/23 15:46:04 Traffic Complaint - Handled By Officer
Poppo - Total 5
08/27/23 21:23:30 Traffic Stop

08/29/23 14:09:46 Traffic Stop
08/30/23 13:43:35 Trespass - Report Taken
08/30/23 16:21:05 Traffic Complaint - Handled By Officer
09/01/23 20:51:41 Traffic Stop
Rice - Total 5
08/27/23 14:28:13 Motor Vehicle Crash - Handled By Officer / Deputy
08/29/23 14:42:54 THEFT - Handled By Officer / Deputy
09/01/23 07:17:26 Traffic Stop
Shevlin - Total 7
08/30/23 05:27:22 Traffic Stop
08/30/23 21:07:04 Traffic Stop
08/31/23 18:10:21 Traffic Stop
09/01/23 16:22:57 Information Only - Handled By Officer / Deputy
09/01/23 20:46:31 Traffic Stop
09/01/23 20:57:17 Traffic Stop
09/02/23 19:46:25 TEST - Handled By Officer / Deputy
Sinclair - Total 1
09/02/23 17:24:34 Welfare Check
Total Records: 91



Clearwater Life Center, Gonvick, wrapped up the summer "Brick Oven Pizza" Fridays on August 25th. Along with the pizza, CWLC had an open house that included tours of the building, Rock Painting for "kids" of any age and a demonstration of "RAKU Style" Pottery. There were also a number of door prizes given away!

Luke and Jake TeHennepe painted rocks. They made leather bracelets their first visit.

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- X Demolition Debris
- X Waste Tires
- X Major Appliances
- X Scrap Metal
- X Yard Waste
- X Furniture
- X Large Wood, Metal, Plastic Waste Items



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Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears have first win of season

The Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears hosted the Underwood Rockets in action on Thursday, August 31. The Bears got their first win of the season by a score of 30-8. Photos by Jalina Gerlofs



Trever Solberg



Nathan Weems

The Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears in their win of 30-8 had 237 yards rushing and 131 yards passing for a total of 368 yards. Underwood Rockets had 61 yards of rushing and 35 yards of passing for a total of 96 yards. Senior Alex Churness has 129 yards rushing and one touchdown and Senior Ben Goudge had 104 yards receiving and one touchdown.



#50 Dakota Erickson #32 Ryan Bodensteiner



Hassani Bruton



Enjoying the victory.



Start of the game with the National Anthem.



Bears on offensive.



Jason Defoe



Alex Churness



Colin Croteau



Some of Coach Wes Rogstad's grandkids .



Ben Goudge



Fund raiser for elementary football.

Clearwater County Environmental Services

Clearwater County Recycling Drop-Off Locations Accepting:

- aluminum cans
- steel food cans
- glass bottles and jars with lids removed
- plastic containers #s 1, 2 and 5
- newspaper and office paper
- clean cardboard

Two drop-off locations, one in Bagley and one in Clearbrook, both at County Highway Department shops.

Mixed recyclables from these locations are sorted at the Materials Recovery Facility in Fosston. Revenue from recyclables sales helps offset tipping fees paid by the County for garbage disposal at the Fosston Incinerator. Please contact Clearwater County Environmental Services at 694-6183 for further information.

Last of summer time fun



Ashley Reichert and Dirk Fultz in the Lake Itasca Region Pioneer Farmers Show parade.



Ride at the Clearwater County Fair.



Eating corn at Lake Itasca Farmers Show.



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Rick Johnson of Clearbrook on a 1937 John Deere A from Johnson Farms in the Lake Itasca Region Pioneer Farmers Show parade.



Tyler Johnson driving this 1935 WC unstyled Allis Chalmers in the Lake Itasca Region Pioneer Farmers Show parade.



Lake Itasca Farmers Show.



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Meet the Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears Night



Clearbrook-Gonvick Sophomore football and track participants. Back Row football (L to R)- Brayden Benson, Wesley Snare, Brandon Branchaud, Jake Knutson, Zach Ysen, Dakota Erickson, Logan Knutson, Wyatt Westrum and Brett Berg. Front Row track (L to R)- Aubrey McCoy, Sarah Imle, Amelia Machlitt, Matthew Rankin, and volleyball Hannah Weems, Joely Hinrichs-Olson and Emma Fawver. Photo courtesy Clearbrook-Gonvick High School students.



Photos courtesy Clearbrook-Gonvick High School students.



Clearbrook-Gonvick Junior football and volleyball participants. Back Row (L to R)- Jason Defoe, Ryan Bodensteiner, Cooper Wishard, Jacob Anderson, Brodie Sather, Broden Benson, Hassani Bruton, James Preuss. Front Row (L to R)- Alison Lavine, Kameryn Defoe, Tatum Melby, Molly Phillips, Emma Nybo, Tavia Johnson. Photo courtesy Clearbrook-Gonvick High School students.





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