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Superintendent Wayne Olson welcomed Kris Snyder to the Clearbrook-Gonvick School. He is the newest member. Ben Machlitt has moved out of the district. Snyder was on the ballot in the November election and his term will expire in 2020.

Pastor Kris Snyder is currently the Pastor for both Samhold and United Lutheran Churches in Gonvick and Berner. He has two daughters who are attending Clearbrook-Gonvick School. Ambjør is in the second grade and Kjersti is in the sixth grade.

Clearbrook-Gonvick School Board organizes for the new year

The Clearbrook-Gonvick School board held their reorganization meeting on Monday, January 9.

First order of business was the election of officers Jeff Westrum was selected as the Board Chair with Tracy Imle the Clerk and Jim Galloway as the Treasurer.

Committees assignments for 2017 were given with: Clearbrook-Gonvick School District Committee Assignments for 2017

MSBA Legislative-Tom Stenzel, Jeff Westrum; Communications-Tom Stenzel, Richard Hetland, Tracy Imle; MSHSL-Tom Stenzel; BRIC-Kris Snyder; Food Service Hearing Officer-Corey Petterson; Safety/Building & Grounds- Tracy Imle, Richard Hetland, Tom Stenzel; Finance-Jim Galloway, Corey Petterson, Tom Stenzel; Technology-Jeff Westrum, Kris Snyder; Policy- Tom Stenzel, Richard Hetland, Jim Galloway; Hiring- Tracy Imle, Kris Synder; Negotiating (certified)-Tracy Imle, Corey Petterson, (Jeff Westrum, alt); Negotiating (non-certified) Tom Stenzel, Jeff Westrum, (Jim Galloway, alt); Meet & Confer- Tracy Imle (Tom Stenzel, alt); Transportation-Corey Petterson, Richard Hetland and Superintendent Evaluation- Tracy Imle, Jim Galloway and Jeff Westrum.

The board also made determination for Knutson, Flynn and Deans as the District's Attorney, First State Bank of Clearbrook and Northern State Bank of Gonvick as the official depositories.

The board salaries will remain the same as last year with $65 for Officers, $60 for Regular meetings, $45 for Negotiations and $40 for Committee meetings.

The board meeting times and dates for the upcoming year will be the third Monday of the month except for January and February which are legal holidays. That will be determined.

The board approved the mileage rate at the IRS rate, when the school vehicle is not available. Staff will receive half the rate when they choose to use their own personnel vehicle.

Superintendent Report

Wayne Olson brought to the board about sponsoring a Trap Shooting League Team. This would be a boy and girl sport. Events would be held on the weekend with no travel. Shooting would be done at their own site which would be near Gully or Ruffy Brook. They would have to hire a supervisor for the activity. The only expense to the students would be the cost for the clays and the shells. One issue would be the insurance coverage. Olson will be doing some more checking and bringing the information back to the board.

One item that the auditors did not talk about was the corrective action on the senior class funds. Law says that money should be gone when the students graduate. They can't be left with the school for further class reunions. They can donate the money to some other group or organization or purchase something for the school property. They would have to check on the funds that the junior class has the present time.

Olson also brought up the state funding that might become available for School Readiness program for 4 year olds. The district would have to apply for the funding and if approved would cover most of the cost of the additional program. Olson and the Early Childhood team are looking at options and room issues. At issue would be if the school was two full days or four half days. The half days would mean extra busing for the program. More discussion will be held on the matter.

Olson will be gone on Thursday and Friday, January 12 and 13 to attend the School Board convention in Minneapolis with new board member Kris Snyder.

Consent Calendar

All the bills were not presented and Paula Boomgarden would send out the list to be approved before the next meeting.

Old Business

Discussion was on the hiring of a DCD person for the district. They have had the position open for a year and have not been able to find a person to hire. The board approved the request to have BRIC fill the position. Bemidji Regional Interdistrict Council (BRIC) is an agency of eleven member school districts that have joined together to provide services in the area of special education. The person hired through BRIC would not be paid on the local salary schedule but on BRIC schedule.

New Business

Tom Stenzel was designated as the Representative to the Minnesota State High School league.

Superintendent Olson has received a request from the teaching staff to have a negotiation meeting. The first date available for the certified staff was February 6 at 7:00 p.m.

The next regular board meeting would be Thursday, February 23 at 7:00 p.m. as president's day in a national holiday.



Pastor Dawn Hanson's 60th birthday'

A 60th birthday surprise

On a bright sunny day in mid-January after a snap of severe cold and blizzards, with a Gully-Trail parish-wide service followed by a potluck, one might expect a few extra people to turn up in church.

But this day happened to be Pastor Dawn Hanson's 60th birthday, and much to her surprise, the regular congregation members were joined by a whole bunch of Dawn's family members. Several generations of relatives poured into Lund Church in Gully, potlucks in hand, to wish her a "Happy Birthday". What fun to see a full church! When you turn 60, everything is fair game; and a good time was had by all!

Prolife march and program Saturday

There will be a Prolife march and program on Saturday, January 21 starting at 9:45 a.m. The march starts at the Clearwater County courthouse parking lot in Bagley and ends at Calvary Free Lutheran Church. Program at the church at 10:30. Guest Speaker will be Nikki Juve with the theme Finding Hope and a Future After Abortion. It will be an account of what happens after an abortion. Come and hear her personal life changing event. This is put on by Minnesota Concerning Citizens for Life.

Gonvick Legion Auxiliary Blood Drive set for January 19th

It might look like a winter wonderland at times, but the winter weather is no wonderland for hospital patients who depend on blood to keep them healthy and alive. Gonvick and Clearbrook residents are gearing up for a community blood drive to help prevent possible blood shortages in the coming weeks.

"In areas with harsh winter weather, cold weather and storms often keep people from donating blood," says Katie Bartelson, Senior Donor Recruitment Representative of United Blood Services. "With fewer people donating blood, some parts of the country run the risk of having critical blood shortages," Bartelson says. To make sure there is a dependable blood supply locally, Gonvick American Legion Auxiliary members have scheduled a community blood drive on January 19, 2017 from 11:30 am to 6:00 pm. To schedule an appointment, call Evon Quern at 218-487-5638 or Fay Bjerke at 218-487-6456. The blood drive will be held at the Gonvick Community Center - Main room. "For those who are out and about and the winter weather hasn't dampened their routine, we invite them to stop by the blood drive and donate blood," Bartelson says.

United Blood Services provides a free cholesterol screening with each donation. Volunteer blood donors must be at least 16 years old, weigh at least 110 pounds and be in good health. Additional height and weight requirements apply to donors 22 and younger, and donors who are 16 and 17 must have signed permission from a parent or guardian.

To help speed up the process, donors can now complete their Health History the day of their donation by visiting www.unitedbloodservices.org.

Midweek snowshoe hikes at Itasca State Park

Winter Wonderland Snowshoe!

Tuesday, January 24, 2017 from 1-2 p.m.

Tuesday, February 14, 2017 from 1-2 p.m.

Meet at the Jacob V. Brower Visitor Center Classroom

Get outside and enjoy Itasca's winter wonderland on snowshoes! This beginner's class will teach you the basics of snowshoeing as well as great places to visit in Itasca while wearing snowshoes.

Dress warmly and include snow boots. Part of the program will be outside on the trail trying out your new skills. Call ahead at 218-699-7251 to reserve a pair of snowshoes or bring your own. The number of snowshoes available is limited. Snowshoe rental is free with program attendance. Outdoor portion of program is dependent on snowfall.

New: Get vehicle permits in advance online

A vehicle permit is required to enter Minnesota state parks ($5 for a one-day permit or $25 for a year-round permit). Although permits are available at the park, visitors can now save time by getting one in advance. Visit www.mndnr.gov/reservations, log in (or create an account), click on "entry permit," select a duration of "one-day" ($5) or "year-round" ($25), and continue as directed. Purchasers will receive an email with a permit that can be printed and displayed in a vehicle during visits.

Note that winter events may sometimes be changed or canceled due to weather. For updates, call (218-699-7251 or check the visitor alert online at www.mndnr.gov/Itasca.

Porcupine Creek to perform in Bagley

Porcupine Creek will be performing in Bagley on Friday, February 10, 2017 at 7:00 pm at the Bagley High School Auditorium. Tickets are available at the door.

The Porcupine Creek band is made up of young, talented musicians all under the age of 21 years old. The band's music is inspired by the legends of bluegrass music, along with subtle influences from today's newgrass, plus classic country, cowboy, folk, gospel and rock tunes. The band performs their songs in the driving instrumental bluegrass style and always mixes in a few original songs, which pleases crowds of all ages.

Porcupine Creek formed in 2012-13 when the then jamband won the Family Area talent contest at the Minnesota Bluegrass and Old-time Music Association's (MBOTMA) August festival in Richmond, MN. They then went on to perform at other festivals and events.

In November of 2014, Porcupine Creek earned the top spot in MBOTMA's "Race For A Place" band competition. Bands from around Minnesota participated in the contest and Porcupine Creek was selected by the judges as the top group. The prize was a contract to play main stage at their August festival in Richmond, MN.

In the summer of 2015, Porcupine Creek released its first CD, "Monster Truck", a live recording from the March 2015 MBOTMA Cabin Fever Festival.

On September 3rd, 2016, Porcupine Creek won 2nd Place at the Minnesota Americana ~ Roots Music Band Contest, held during the great Minnesota State Fair sponsored by the Minnesota Bluegrass & Old-time Music Association.

Since 2012, Porcupine Creek has toured extensively throughout Minnesota, from Roseau to Houston and everywhere in between, including performances in northern Wisconsin and Northwestern Ontario, Canada.

Porcupine Creek performs at all types of events from large festivals to care centers, city celebrations, county fairs, concert venues, coffee houses and weddings.

Porcupine Creek has been featured on two different PBS TV specials on the "Grassland Jam" show. Both TV specials can be watched on PBS.org and on the PBS YouTube channel: Grassland Jam season 2, episodes 2 and 7.

The band's music has been played on several radio stations KBEK 95.5 FM and KBEK.com hosted Porcupine Creek for a live on air and streaming two hour performance at the Wiese Auditorium in October, 2016. In November, 2015 Porcupine Creek performed live on the Great Northern Radio Show hosted by Aaron Brown and aired on KAXE.org and KAXE radio stations.

Clearbrook City Council meeting

The Clearbrook City Council was held on December 12, 2016 in the City Council Chambers. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor George Postier.

Present were: Mayor: George Postier; Council Members: Ryan Solee, Dylan Goudge and Shawn Johnson Others present: Lucie Thompson, Sue Weems, Dan Johnson, Joy Walberg, Gary Prosser, Mark Fuller with Freeburg & Grund.

The November 14, 2016 regular council meeting minutes and the November 22, 2016 special council meeting were approved.

Presentation of Petitions and Complaints by Council Members and Citizens:

Mark Fuller with Freeburg & Grund updated the council on the currently progress of the PER that was resubmitted. In correspondence with Kathy Luepke from Rural Development, he was informed that the interest rates are going up and RD would like to expedite the process.

No Report. Chief Gazelka was not able to attend.

Liquor Store Report/Update – Joy Walberg & Karra Weems, Liquor Store Supervisors:

-Liquor Store monthly summary was reviewed by the council.

Joy's Report –

Discussion held upcoming events for the Liquor Store. 12 Days of Christmas Stocking Giveaway will be held on Friday, December 23rd. On Saturday, December 24th, Christmas Eve, there will be a Tom & Jerry Special. The Liquor Store will be closed on Monday, December 26th for the holiday and Monday, January 2nd for the holiday and inventory.

•A new bartender has been hired and is being trained in.

Maintenance Report/Update: - Danny Ulrich & Dan Johnson

-Discussion held on purchasing a skid steer. Dan will try to demo the John Deere and Bobcat.

City Clerk Update:

-Discussion held on the Gloria's Collectibles building. Follow up with be done with Chief Gazelka. The property owners will be contacted. City clerk will contact the city lawyer on the matter.

-All funds needed to complete the playground have been received with donations from the Clearbrook Community Club and the First State Bank. Discussion held on making a parking area designated for the playground. Discussion held on constructing a new basketball court near the new playground. More fund raising will be needed. Potential for putting a skating rink in the same area was also discussed.

-Discussion held on the progress for the grant application process for the trail project.

-Currently, Darrell Evans is working for the City through the Inter-County 55 & Older program. The City was contacted about hiring Mr. Evans in June 2017. At that time, we will have been on the program and with the City for one year. Council was in agreement that they would be willing to hire Mr. Evans at that time.

-2016 Audit is scheduled for February 8th & 9th, 2017.

Resolutions:

•Resolution 2016-17: Donations for November 2016 were approved.

•Resolution 2016-18: Resolution Approving Final 2016 Tax Levy Collectible in 2017 – The council approved the Final 2016 Tax Levy Collectible in 2017 for a total of $210,000, which was no increase from last year

•Resolution 2016-19: Approval of the 2017 General Fund Budget was approved for the 2017 General Fund Budget, presented with total revenues of $617,094 and total expenditures of $614,562.

Other motions:

Monthly Claims Totaling $38,866.99 were approved.

Additional Claims Totaling $14,647.95 were approved.

Approval of North Country Hardware claims of $488.50 and $56.60 for November 2016 was made and seconded by Ryan Solee and Dylan to accept as presented, with Shawn Johnson abstaining. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:47 pm.

Cow/Calf Days in Bagley

Christmas is over and a New Year has begun.

On February 7th we are planning a Cow/Calf Day in Bagley, MN. We are having a supper catered for all those who attend. The Cow/Calf Day will be held at the American Legion in Bagley at 5:30 pm.

The highlights for the event are:

*Managing Scours in Calves
*Hay Raking Study
*Grazing
*Minimizing Hay Waste

Agriculture Educator
Polk/Clearwater County
218-563-2465 or 218-694-6151



The Clearwater County Sheriff's Reserve recently celebrated a successful year at AJ's on Main in Clearbrook. The volunteers participated in several search and rescue trainings throughout the year. Prepared for hunting and fishing seasons. They also got their Adopt a Highway program up and going again to further serve their community. In 2017 the reserves plan to continue to grow not only in personnel, but also in services. If anyone is interested in joining the team, please contact any reserve member for an application. Applications can also be requested at the sheriff's office. If interested please contact Chief Deputy Ryan Solee at 694-6226. Applicants will be subject to a background investigation. The reserves shown front from left, Sheree Lindgren and Bev Charles. Back row from left, Gerald Leavitt, Larry Lindgren, Marie Powell, Wenesdai Goldstein, Rueben Johnson and Dave Smith.

2017 Prolife march and program

Finding Hope and A Future After Abortion

Guest Speaker: Nikki Juve

Prolife march starts at courthouse parking lot

9:45 a.m. Saturday, January 21

It will end at Calvary Free Lutheran Church.

• Program starts at the church at 10:30 a.m.

Join the march. You are welcome to bring your own positive signs or come to the church at 10:30.

It will be an account of what happens after an abortion.

Come and hear her personal life changing event.

Put on by MCCL. Minnesota Concerned Citizens for Life

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Thank You

The family of Kimberly Wolf would like to thank you very much for the cards, flowers and kind expression of sympathy shown following her sad passing.

Your support at this difficult time was very much appreciated and of great comfort to all of the family.

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Polk Churches Urged To Join Child Hunger Fight

*The regional volunteer co-chairs for 'Feed My Starving Children' are urging more Polk County churches to join a 'Change for Children' campaign by collecting loose change during Sunday services in February.

*Jodie and Bruce Storhaug of Grand Forks said that the goal of 400,000 meals for starvation-impacted children will require $88,000 for ingredients. Every $80.30 in pocket change will feed a child for a whole year.

*Around 65 of the 270 region's churches have been participating partners in the interdenominational effort, but more help is needed to sustain the program so invitations have been sent to the 205 nonparticipating churches.

*Over the past six years, a number of participating churches in Polk County have helped pack 2,317,680 meals which were sent to Haiti, The Philippines, Nicaragua and Honduras.

*Around 1800 volunteers will pack the meals in the Grand Forks Public Works Building March 31-April 2.

Community Calendar

Historical Society Annual Meeting

The Clearwater County Historical Society Annual Meeting Set/ Program to feature Itasca State Park.

The Clearwater County Historical Society will hold its Annual Membership Meeting on Sunday afternoon January 29 at 2:00 at the Clearbrook Legion Meeting room.

The Annual Membership Meeting will detail the activities of the historical society in 2016 as well as discussion about future projects. Itasca State Park Lead Interpretive Naturalist Connie Cox will present a program: Itasca State Park and Minnesota State Parks—Celebrating 125 years." following the meeting. Coffee and dessert will be served

Anyone interested in the society is encouraged to attend. For more information call the History Center at 218-785-2000.

Clearwater County Fair Calendar Winners

Jan. 7 - Marnie Fawver, Gonvick, $20.

Jan. 8 Jacob Anderson, Clearbrook, $20.

Jan. 9 - Deb Bewley, Bemidji, $20.

Jan. 10 - Paul Erickson, Baxter, $20.

Jan. 11 - Travis Sandland, St. Paul, $20.

Jan. 12 -Aiden Johnson, Hutchingson, $20.

Jan. 13 - Tom Weber, Trail, $20.

Letter to the Editor

Despite a slow start, the Clearwater County Salvation red kettle fund raising campaign ended with another successful year. Due to the generosity of our county residents and individuals from out of the area the total raised during the 2016 campaign was $3,808.99. That total is a down somewhat from last year, but is at least $1,000 more than our average. This would not have been possible without the help of volunteer bell ringers including the Bagley Lions and Rotary Clubs and various individuals. We were even fortunate enough this year to have an individual from the metro area who was visiting here take a shift ringing bells. Kubiak's Family Foods and Galen's Supermarket allowed the large red kettles to be placed in their store entrances once again. In addition Bagley's Cenex and Tessoro stores, Northern State Bank in Gonvick, and First State Bank in Clearbrook generously allowed us to place countertop kettles in their businesses.

Donations received during the kettle campaign are used within Clearwater County for individuals in need of emergency assistance when no other means of help are available. During 2016 the Clearwater Unit gave backpacks filled with school supplies to disadvantaged children and assisted a number of families with grocery, utility and other emergency assistance. Because of this season's success, our county will benefit from the generosity of the local businesses and donors and the efforts of the volunteers that rang bells.

Donations and memorials are welcome at all times of the year. If you would like them directed to the Clearwater County Unit please send them in care of Deb Cage, PO Box 358, Bagley, MN 56621.

Deb Cage, Treasurer, Clearwater County Salvation Army

Church News

REDEEMER EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH - LCMS
Church Location:
Corner of Hwy. 2 & Red Lake Ave. SW
Bagley, MN
Pastor Linden B. Wendzel

Sunday Divine Service: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School / Adult Bible Study: 10:45 a.m.

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS - Clearbrook Branch
305 Lake Ave. E.

Sacrament Meeting: 10:00-11:00 a.m.; Sunday School: 11:20 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Priesthood/Relief Society: 12:10-1:00 p.m.; Young Women's: 12:10-1:00 p.m.; Primary: 11:20 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

FAITH BIBLE CHAPEL OF CLOVER
Leonard, MN

Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH
Clearbrook
Pastor Adam Krog

Wed., Jan 18 - 5:30 p.m. Confirmation; 6:30 p.m. Youth Group, 7:30 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer.

Thurs., Jan 19 - 9:30 a.m. Bible Study and prayer.

Sun., Jan. 22 - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Worship Service, 11:30 a.m. Potluck Lunch, 12:15 p.m. Annual Meeting.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor Verlyn Strenge
Assoc. Pastor Jim Galloway
Clearbrook

Wed., Jan. 18 - 6:30 p.m. Awana.

Sat., Jan. 21 - 7:00 a.m. Men's prayer breakfast and Bible Study at the church.

Sun., Jan. 22 - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Worship Service.

National Volunteer Blood Donor Month

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Wed. Jan. 18 - Meatball/ Catsup, Whole Parslied Potatoes, Creamed Corn, Bread, Mandarin Oranges Milk.

Thurs. Jan. 19 - Oven Crispy Chicken, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Carrots, Bread, Poke Cake and Milk.

Fri. Jan. 20 - Meaty Beef Stew with Carrots and Potatoes, 3 Bean Salad, Biscuit, cheesecake and Milk.

Mon. Jan. 23 - Swiss Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Bread, Pineapple and Milk.

Tues. Jan. 24 - Honey Mustard Chicken Breast, Baked Potato/Sour Cream, Green Bean cassserole, Bread, Cake and Milk.

Wed. Jan. 25 - Lasagna, California Blend Vegetable, Peaches, Garlic Bread, Cookie and Milk.

Meals are served daily at 11:30 at the Clearbrook site except for evening meals served at 5 p.m. They are subject to change. Please register for meals at least the day before.

Call 776-3154 to sign up.

Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

Restore It! Furniture Shop: Custom refinishing of wood furniture. Bring your piece in or e-mail a picture to cwlc@gvtel.com for an estimate.

Celebrate Recovery Support Group: 7 PM, Thursday, 2nd floor, 256 2nd Ave., SW, Clearbrook. Open to men & women. Confidential.

Anger Management Class: Mondays, Feb. 20-Mar. 27, 7-9 PM. Open to anyone who ***ever*** gets angry. Call 218-776-2789 to register or download the form from our web site, complete, & mail with your $10 registration fee.

Senior Connection Adult Day Services at CWLC-Gonvick has openings for new participants. Open M-W-F, 10-3. To learn more, call Marilyn, 218-487-5290, Ext.1.

Youth Connection & Kingdom Extreme: Free & open to youth in grades 4th-12th, Tuesdays, 3:30-5:30. Snack provided.

CWLC-**Clearbrook:** 256 2nd Ave., SW. *Shop-at-the-Top* hours: Mon. - Fri., 10-4 and Sat., 10-3. CWLC-**Gonvick**, 226 Elm St, open Mon. - Fri., 9-4 & Sat., 9-12: Create It! Art Studios and Restore It! Furniture Shop (open until 8 PM the first Fri. of each month).

For programs and services, visit us at: www.clearwaterslife.org, www.mustardseedhomes.org, or www.adultdayservicesgonvick.org and our Facebook pages.

CWLC is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization providing a variety of free and low-cost programming and services to northern Clearwater County and surrounding area.

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GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD
Pastor Robert Kirchman

Good Shepherd

Wed., Jan. 18th & 25th 6:30pm Choir Practice; 7:30pm Handbell Practice

Sun., Jan, 22 - 10:00 a.m. Sunday School; 11:00 am Good Shepherd Annual Meeting (note time change) Annual meeting followed by potluck

Mon., Jan, 23 - 2:00 p.m. Bible Study.

Joint

Wed., Jan. 18th 6:00 pm Confirmation

Our Savior's

Sun., Jan. 22nd - 9:00 a.m. Worship (NOTE TIME CHANGE) 9:45 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30am Coffee Hour

Sun., Jan, 29th- 11:00 a.m. Our Savior's Annual Meeting

KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Sand Lake Ave & 5th St. Bagley

Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Bible Study; 8:00 p.m. Theocratic School; 8:30 p.m. Service Meeting.

Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Public Bible Talk; 10:35 a.m. Bible Study.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Bagley 218-694-6416
Pastor:
Fr. John Melkies Suvakeen
Terri D, Parish sec.
Sunday Mass: 10:30 AM
Call for weekday Mass times.

GONVICK LUTHERAN PARISH
MEMBERS OF NALC
Pastor Kris Snyder
Cell: 218-358-0162
gonvickparish@gmail.com
SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH

Wed., Jan. 18 - 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study, 10:30 a.m. Quilting, 7:00 p.m. Samhold Council.

Sun., Jan. 22 - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. Worship Service.

UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sun., Jan. 22 - 9:00 a.m. Worship Service, 10:00 a,m, Sunday, School.

COUNTRY FAITH CHURCH
1 mile south of Clearbrook, 2 miles west on Cty. Rd. 6
Senior Pastor Larry Dorman
Associate Pastor Jim Binder
Children's Minister Nikki Ubert
www.countryfaith.org
218-776-3367
cfchurch@gvtel.com

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School (Sept.-May)10:00 a.m. Worship Service 7:00 p.m. Youth Night (check church website for dates or Elevate Youth Facebook Page for up to date information)

Every Tuesday: 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer

***Wednesdays:** Care groups in various homes

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
Mt. Olive – Nazareth
Oak Park – St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseth

Wed, Jan. 18: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School/Confirmation.

Sat, Jan. 21: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive.

Sun, Jan. 22: 8:00 a.m. St. Petri, 9:15 a.m. SS. 9:45 a.m. Oak Park, 8:00 a.m. SS. 11:00 a.m. Nazareth, 10:a.m. SS.

Wed, Jan. 25: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School/Confirmation.

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
Josiah Hoagland, Pastor
Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor
www.newjourneyfosston.com

Wed, Jan. 18: 6:30 p.m. AWANA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

Thu, Jan. 19: 12:00 p.m. Rotary.

Fri, Jan. 20: 8:45 a.m. Friday School.

Sun, Jan. 22: 9:30 a.m. AWANA Sunday Worship. 10:50 a.m. Sunday School.

Tue, Jan. 24: 6:30 p.m. Bible Study.

Wed, Jan. 25: 6:30 p.m. AWANA. 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund
Sand Valley
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister

Sun, Jan. 22: 10:30 a.m. Worship at Sand Valley. Annual meeting to follow.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY
Fosston
Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor

Sun, Jan. 22: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. Worship.

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TRAIL

STOP

Saturday, Jan. 21, 2017
1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Maps are out and the trails are groomed, go for a ride and enjoy the fun!

On the ***"Forest Run Trail"*** northeast of Bagley, at the shelter in the school forest, number 6F on the trail map.

COME ONE AND ALL

We will be having a bonfire with hotdogs, BBQs, chips, delicious hot chocolate and pop.

– WEATHER PERMITTING – 0° OR ABOVE

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Today In Banking

Some "Straight Talk" On Banking Today ... That Can Make Banking Better For You...



Do You Have An Emergency Fund?

The idea of an emergency fund is to establish a special savings account in case of a job loss, expensive car repairs or other unforeseen expenses. Ideally, people should have enough money saved to cover six months of living expenses.

So, if you need $3,000 each month, then a good goal is to have $18,000 in your emergency fund. It's important to keep your money in a Savings Account, Money Market Account, or short-term CD so you have easy access to it and it's FDIC Insured.

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

Clearbrook-Gonvick will be in One Act Play contest

Win-E-Mac High School will be hosting the Sub-section 29A One Act Play Contest on Thursday, January 26, 2017, at 4:30 P.M in the Arts and Events Center. The six schools participating will be Bagley, Clearbrook-Gonvick, Fosston, Kelliher, RLCC (Oklee) and Win-E-Mac. Concessions will be available from 4:00 to 8:30 P.M. Each play lasts approximately 35 minutes with about 15 minutes in between plays for set changes.

You are welcome to watch all six plays or as many as you prefer. There is no admission fee. You may contact your local school to find out your school's approximate performance time. Win-E-Mac High School is located approximately 1/2 mile north of Highways 2 and 59 junction about 1 mile east of Erskine, MN. Win-E-Mac is honored to host their first one-act play contest. Plan to support the area drama programs.

Clearbrook-Gonvick School Menu

Wed. Jan. 18 - Chicken Alfredo, Broccoli, Breadstick, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices, Milk.

Thurs. Jan. 19 - Shrimp Poppers, Mac and Cheese, Coleslaw, Fruit and Vegetable Choice, Milk.

Fri. Jan. 20 - Hot Dog on bun, Baked Beans, Potato Smiles, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices, Milk.

Mon. Jan. 23 - Stuffed Crust Pepperoni Pizza, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices, Milk.

Tues. Jan. 24 - Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes, Corn with/WG Roll, Fruit and Vegetable Choice, Milk.

Wed. Jan. 25 - Lasagna, California Blend Vegetables, Garlic Toast, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices, Milk.

School News

The JH BBB game that was canceled on 12/6/16 will be made up on 2/9/17

C,B,A games vs WHA that were canceled on January 4 will be made up on Monday, February 13 with the following schedule.

5:00 - BBB C game @ CC

6:00- GBB Var. @ HS, BBB JV @ CC

7:30- BBB Var. @ HS, GBB JV @ CC

Position Opening

Position: Extended Day Program Para

Address Letter of Interest: Jeff Burgess, Principal, Email: jburgess@clearbrook-gonvick.k12.mn.us

Application Submission: Please send or e-mail your letter of application to Jeff Burgess.

Application Deadline: ASAP or until filled.

Dates: Jan 3rd-end of school year.

Job Description: The Extended Day program para would be responsible for the extended day program. Duties include: program planning, student supervision, and communication with parents. Hours would be from 3:00-5:30 p.m. The program provides after school supervision for students K-4.

COUNSELORS CORNER:

Scholarship information, college/career representatives visiting the school, elementary and high school involvement, Ramp-Up to Readiness program, classroom counseling, and other important information and events can be found on the School Counselor website:

Get up to date information over the school year including scholarships, financial aid, tips, college representatives, career fairs, articles, and some fun stuff :)

Follow me on Twitter! @CounselorMegang

Follow me on Instagram! counselormegang

Quote of the week:

"I have not failed; I've found 10,000 ways that won't work."

- Thomas Edison

Megan Godtland

mgodtland@clearbrook-gonvick.k12.mn.us

218-776-3112 x406

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

Thur, Jan 19: JV/VBBB vs Goodridge/Gry at CG. JV at 6:00, V at 7:30

Thur, Jan 19: JHGBB at Cass Lake. Leave at 3:15. 7th at 5:00, 8th at 6:00

Thur, Jan 19: JHBBB at Cass Lake. Leave at 3:15. 7th at 5:00, 8th at 6:00

Fri, Jan 20: JHBBB at Bagley. Leave-3:30. 7th at 4:30, 8th at 5:30

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Parents: Please check your lunch accounts regularly so you can keep up to date. You can find the links to check your account and to pay on the school web site (see address above) under District--Food Services.

Knowledge Bowl Rehearsals are Tuesdays and Thursdays during first lunch in Mr. Carter's room.

Youth Connection every Tuesday:

Listen to the school news every Tuesday at 2:05 on KKCQ 96.7 or if you miss it listen online at: http://www.rjbroadcasting.com/index.cfm?page=school-news

Please turn in all BoxTops, Campbells Labels for Education UPC's, Loaves for Learning UPC's, ink cartridges, and old cell phones for recycling.

Sunday Afternoon Open Gym

The high school gym will be open for recreation until March 12 from 2:00-4:00 pm for grades 4th-adult. 3rd grade & under may attend only with an adult.

There will be a $2.00 fee per time or you may buy a pass good for all 10 Sundays. Pass prices are: Individual=$15.00, Family pass=$25.00. Parents are free if they attend with their child/children.

Passes may be purchased in the Community Education office or when you come to open gym. NO STREET SHOES.

If you have questions or concerns about fees, please talk to Judy Engebretson (776-3112 Ext 102) NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Toddler Open Gym

Do your little ones need a place to use up some energy this winter? We have just the place! Every Sunday until March 12th, come to the Elementary Gym for Toddler Open Gym!! This is a special time for our 0-5 year olds and their parents to come and run, jump and play during the cold winter months when it is often difficult to do so. We will have equipment and activities just for little ones. Come any time from 2:30-4:00. Stay as long as you like. To help maintain the program, a free-will donation will be accepted.

Sponsored by Community Education. NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Clbk-Gon Elem Gym Sun., Jan. 15 – Mar. 12

Donations Encouraged 2:30-4:00 pm

Niemi to perform at Farm by the Lake

Loren Niemi to perform Jan 22 at 4:00 pm at The Farm By The Lake. Open to the public and free of charge

Ad deadline: Noon Friday

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Leader-Record subscribers: Please check the address label in the upper right corner of the front page. Be sure all the information is correct.

If not, call the Leader-Record offices at 218-487-5225 or 216-776-3665 as soon as possible. You need to contact with a change of address or corrections. Just giving the Post Office a change of address, ***DOES NOT*** change your paper address. Thank You.



Senior Alison Johnson works the ball down court for the Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears.

Thoughts from the Sheriff

Clearwater County Sheriff Darin Halverson



In spite of the cold temperatures we are experiencing as I write this article, I hope everyone is having a good start to their new year and enjoyed the holiday season. As we begin 2017, I want to look back on 2016 and recap the activities of the Clearwater County Sheriff's Office and let everyone know what we are doing for the upcoming year.

The end of 2016 marked the midway point for my first term as your elected Sheriff. The past year has been a challenge for all law enforcement nationwide as officer involved shootings have been in the spot light. It seems all law enforcement officers are labeled as bad when one of these incidents make the national news. Despite the negativity across the country, we are fortunate to have a supportive community to serve and I want to thank everyone for that.

Here at the Clearwater County Sheriff's Office, we are continuing to work on improvements within our office. Change, however, does not always come easy. A few of the changes we are implementing for 2017 include a physical fitness standard for the deputies, including myself and my administration, new software implementation, and beginning a jail committee.

Starting a physical fitness standard may not sound like a big deal, but as we started looking into this process we discovered that many agencies throughout the state do not have any physical fitness testing after the initial hire. There are many other occupations that require a certain level of physical fitness and I feel law enforcement is no different. By having this standard and conducting yearly testing will hopefully help the overall health of the deputies as well as an improved image of the Sheriff's Office. We owe it to the community we serve to be able to successfully do our job, whether it be chasing a suspect down on foot or doing a search and rescue operation. Being physically fit is imperative in this line of work.

Another change we are making for 2017 is a change in our software that our office uses for records management and dispatching. This process actually started last April when I received approval from the County Board to move forward. Since then, there have been countless conference calls as well as in person configuration meetings to make the software work for us. We share law enforcement data with Mahnomen and Becker Counties and the White Earth Police Department and they too are making this transition, so it has been a team effort to make the software workable for all agencies.

This will mark the first time that we have had one overall system for records management. In the past, we have had a jail records management system separate from our office records management system. By having just one system will allow for more efficiency as staff will not have to re-enter information so that it is recorded in both systems. It will also make the booking in process go smoother when an arrest is made as the deputy will be able to pre-book a person into the jail prior to coming to the facility.

Mapping calls on the deputy's squad computers will also be new with this software. Each squad will have a GPS unit installed that will help dispatch know where the deputies are and they will be able to more accurately route them to calls. Deputies will also be able to see the map on their computers and know where the call is located. This will be a huge benefit in response time and officer safety.

Along with the other benefits with the new software will be the ability to track investigative leads and link cases together in instances where there is a common suspect in multiple cases. Having this ability will enable us to better track cases and not have anything fall through the cracks. As a result, I hope to see investigations resulting in more arrests and convictions of the individuals committing crime in our county.

Lastly, we have decided to start a jail committee consisting of jail/dispatch staff along with myself and my administration. I believe that having this committee will enable us to work together to make any necessary jail improvements as well as make the jail operations consistent. My hope is to improve the working environment and by doing so, make it a safer place to work for the staff and a better environment for the inmates. I am excited to get this committee off and running.

These are just a few changes we are making for 2017, so now I want to look back at 2016. Our dispatch center received 32,437 calls last year and an additional 2,914 911 calls. In all, 6,331 calls for service were generated and responded to by either law enforcement, fire or EMS. Clearwater County deputies responded to approximately 3,600 calls followed by the Bagley Police Department with approximately 1,500 and the Clearbrook/Gonvick Police Department with 350. Countywide there were 611 medical calls and 68 calls that the local fire departments responded to. The remainder of the calls were handled by either the Minnesota State Patrol or the White Earth Police Department.

As for our jail, we had an average daily population of 28 for the year. Our maximum capacity is 38, however, the Minnesota Department of Corrections wants our daily population to be less than 80% of our maximum capacity. We had 815 new bookings in the jail with some of those being repeat offenders. The majority of inmates were male, accounting for 590 of the new bookings. The average days an inmate was confined was just under thirteen.

We continue to house inmates for Mahnomen County, the Minnesota Department of Corrections and other local counties when space is available. This generates approximately $300,000 in revenue for the county which helps offset the cost burden to our local tax payers to operate the jail.

Again, I want to thank the public for all your help in 2016 and look forward to it again in 2017. I feel that we are fortunate to work for the citizens of Clearwater County. I encourage anyone to contact me directly if you have any questions or concerns about law enforcement within our county. One of my goals as your Sheriff is to be as transparent as possible by keeping the public informed on what is going on within the Clearwater County Sheriff's Office.

If you have questions that you would like answered or any suggestions, please email me at darin.halverson@co.clearwater.mn.us or call the Sheriff's Office at 218-694-6226. You can also find us on Facebook by searching for Clearwater County Sheriff's Office.

Thank you and as always, I am honored to serve as your Clearwater County Sheriff.



Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

The Clearbrook-American Legion will be having their steak fry this coming Saturday night. Serving starts at 5:00 p.m. in the Community Center, (old school.)

They are doing it again. The Clearbrook/Leonard Senior Center staff will be serving lutefish and meatballs on Friday, January 27. Serving will be from 4:40 to 6:30 p.m. by reservation at the center. They will also be having lefse donated from the Leonard Church ladies. This is a fund raiser for the kitchen and dining operating. Call in your reservations by Thursday, January 26 to 218-776-3154.

Prolife march and program will be held on Saturday, January 21 starting at 9:45 a.m. The march starts at the Clearwater County courthouse parking lot in Bagley and ends at Calvary Free Lutheran Church. Program at the church at 10:30.

The bumblebee was put on the federal endangered species list last week. I saw only one bumblebee last summer. Information says that we can help by not mowing some of our yard in summer and not rake all in the fall. I think I can do that. You should also provide a pesticide free environment.

There will be the third annual small scale sustainable sheep farming event on Saturday, February 18. It will be held starting at 10:00 a.m. at the New Journey Church in Fosston. One can register by calling 218-657-2502. Sustainable Sheep networking group is for producers wishing to make raising sheep a locally supported and viable pursuit or those interested in locally raised fiber or meat.

The Leader-Record is now the official newspaper for the county for the coming year.

The Clearwater Trail Blazers Snowmobile Club, is planning a TRAIL STOP northeast of Bagley in the school forest at the trail shelter on January 21, 2017 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Stop by for some hot dogs, sloppy joes and hot chocolate, good times and warm fire.

Obituaries in the Canary are also put on our web site for you to see. Go on line at tricocanary.com. They are free and updated as they come into our office.

We collect used eye glasses in our office in Gonvick and at the Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center. We do this for the Gonvick Lions Club and they are put to very good use.

Make your plans now... The Gonvick Lions Rodeo will start at 6:00 pm both Friday and Saturday nights July 14 and 15. Rodeo will be approximately two hours in length. Parade at 2:00 p.m Saturday.

From my mail...

Received a note from Lugene and Beryl Lange with their subscription renewal. They moved to Bemidji from Gonvick and they are fine and staying warm and cozy.

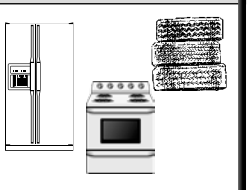
Joke time...

For Christmas, Lena bought Ole his very first thermos. After asking what it was, Lena explained, "It's for your lunch. It vill keep tings boiling hot and freezing cold." Ole was overjoyed about his present. The next morning at work he showed it to Lars. "Ya, Lars," he explained. "It can keep anything hot or cold." Lars replied, "You're kidding. Vat did you put in it today?" Ole said, "Vell, today I put in two cups of hot coffee and a popsicle."

A wife was complaining to her husband about an ill-mannered friend who she had just had lunch with. "That woman must have yawned 10 times while I was talking," she said. "Maybe she wasn't yawning, dear," replied the husband. "Maybe she was trying to say something."

Clearwater County Demolition Debris Landfill and Waste Transfer Facility

Accepting: Demolition Debris, Waste Tires, Major Appliances, Scrap Metal, Yard Waste, Furniture, Large Wood, Metal, Plastic Waste Items



NO regular household trash

Hours: Tuesday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm; Thursday 2:00 pm – 7:00 pm; Saturday 8:00 am – 12:00 pm

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Looking back at events for the year 2016

October – Tammy Ragan is new music teacher at Clearbrook-Gonvick School...Clearwater County 4-Hers demonstrate knowledge and skills... Pumpkin Day bike winners were Bryson Fiedler, Ellyse Berg, Jesse Halverson,Bianca Weems,Olivia Basinger, Ellis Solheim, McKinley Watne,Max Ramsrud, Emily Olson, Hudson Bouchee, Jaedny Krogstad and Ashler Daniel...Clearbrook Fall Fest ends with Pie Baking contest won by Dan Gazelka, Llyod Engen and Lucie Thompson... Gold Medal Rosemaler, Ken Magnussen teaches classes in Clearbrook...First State Bank of Clearbrook finished some remodeling & held a customer appreciation event...Essentia Health-Fosston adds Ambulance…Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center gets new site manager, Carol Croy & cook, Janice Foss...Staff from Early Childhood Program invite families with children to Fabulous Fall Fun at Clearbrook-Gonvick School...National fire prevention week held at school...

We Lost... Virginia Schol-





brock, Brian Gunning, Craig Sorvig, Michael Lefebvre, Fern Carlson,Leone Viehauser, Sidney Norstuen, Marlo Thronson, Carroll Higdem, Joyce McNelly, Marjorie Polansky, Dustin Colburn and Brett Orlyn Paulson.

November – Vicki Boekelheide retires from Gonvick Post office. We miss you Vicki!..."Going to dome" the CG Bears football team head to Fargo Dome...3D mammography available in Bemidji... Veteran's Day celebrations held honoring our men & women in the military...Special tribute during the Clearbrook-Gonvick Veteran's Day service with Candace Coulter...Fire Drills at Gonvick Senior Connections...Good Samaritan Society installs new CO detectors... Mack family share experience of the Renaissance Festival... MN State Horticultural Society's 12th District Leaf Award winners-Jackie Barclay/Valessa Hentges, Wally & Cathy Peck, Nancy Ames, Margie Hoff and Wanda Arenz...Steve Philion earns Hall of Fame Honor... Shoreland Ordinance amendments approved...Great crowd in Gully for Hunter's Supper on Deer Opener...New pickup for Soil & Water approved by county board...Tables for Tots held in Bagley..."Matter of Balance" participants learn how to avoid falls…Garden Valley delivers trick or treat bags to area schools…Ryan Paulson joins American Federal Bank, Fosston branch... DNR announces art contest for habitat license plate...$10,000 spent from Lou Nylen estate for Clearbrook-Gonvick library... Beltrami County Historial Society announces "The Search for Beltrami's Heart" presentation by John Eggers...

We Lost... Merwyn Haney, Curt Jenson, Michael Mandt, Bob Dorr, Lucille Mullien, Winifred Mixon, Walllace Porch, Irene Ferden, Carolyn Mae Hill, Richard Bluemke, Elmer Dahl, Kenneth Allen Larson, Evelyn Radke, Joyce Petrella, Romaine Floyd Horn, Hazel Redmon Wyman, Karen Nienaber, Marths Schulz, Rodney Neslund, Eleanor Sundquist, Clayton Haugen and Brian Yepma.

December – Tamara Edevold shares her 16th year as Keeper of Clearwater County History...Ed Roemer's will donated generously to the History Center…Clearbrook-Gonvick held College & Career night... Meat raffle funds go to Clearwater County Veterans Transportation Fund...Christmas Tea's held around the area...Faithful bus drivers recognition from Steins's Bus Service…Clearbrook-Gonvick FFA memebers attend Convention in Indianapolis...Healthy Families America site accredited in Bagley to serve families...Best Lefse roller demonatrates at Essentia Living Center... Good Samaritan Society celebrates milestone birthdays, Edna Dahlke and Enice Nordlund turned 103 years old...Renovations complete at Cornerstone Nursing & Rehab Center in Bagley... Red Lake Watershed District's Myron Jesme named 2016 outstanding Watershed employee of the year...Clearbrook-Gonvick Elementary presents "Candy Cane Lane"...Clearwater Quilters Guild held drawing and silent auction, funds raised went to Clearwater County Hospice. Quilt won by Ruth Stinar... Santa Claus made his appearance in area towns...

We Lost... Diane Brunsberg, Viva Granley Bush, Lyla Archibald, Stanley Ask, Margaret Johnson, Elvon Hamilton, Mark Carlin, Rose Mandy, Donald Henrickson, John Fournier, Shirley Anderson and Leland Hall.













Legal Notices

Legal Notice

MINNESOTA SECRETARY OF STATE CERTIFICATE OF ASSUMED NAME

Minnesota Statutes Chapter 333

1. State the exact assumed name under which the business is or will be conducted: Clearbrook Truck & Tire Center

2. State the address of the principal place of business: 45391 State 92, Clearbrook, MN 56634

3. List the name and complete street address of all persons conducting business under the above Assumed Name, OR if an entity, provide the legal corporate, LLC, or Limited Partnership name and registered office address: Brandon Engen and Linda Engen, 45391 State 92, Clearbrook, MN 56634.

4. I, the undersigned, certify that I am signing this document as the person whose signature is required, or as agent of the person(s) whose signature would be required who has authorized me to sign this document on his/her behalf, or in both capacities. I further certify that I have completed all required fields, and that the information in this document is true and correct and in compliance with the applicable chapter of Minnesota Statutes. I understand that by signing this document I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in Section 609.48 as if I had signed this document under oath.

1-6-17
Date

Brandon J Engen
Signature

Brandon James Engen, Owner
Print name & title

Brandon James Engen, 218-349-3969
Contact person &

Notice: Clover Township

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Clover Township, that the annual election of town officers will be held on Tuesday, March 14th at 4 pm at the Clover Town Hall.

Filing for township offices opens Jan. 3, 2017 and continues to Jan. 17, 2017, 5 pm. Offices to be elected are:

1 Supervisor - 3 year term
1 Treasurer - 2 year term

Affidavits of candidacy may be filed with the clerk for a $2.00 filing fee.

Joel Wraa, Clerk R41-42C

NOTICE: Clover Township Meeting Rescheduled

TO THE RESIDENTS OF CLOVER TOWNSHIP:

The regular meeting will be held at 5:00 pm, January 23rd, 2017 at the Clover Town Hall. There will be comments on Cartway (Swenson/Erickson/Johnson) and Turnback (Duray) road issues. Postponement date to inclement weather will be the next Monday, January 30th.

Joel Wraa, Clerk R42-43C

NOTICE: Clearwater County Township Association Meeting

All Clearwater County Township Officers are encouraged to attend this meeting at which time special issues to be discussed include:

- County Engineer Update
- State Association of Townships Update
Any other business that comes before the board

This meeting will be held at the Bagley Senior Center on Tuesday, January 24th, 2017 at 7PM.

Stephanie Anderson,
Sec/Treasurer
Clearwater County
Township Association

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Summary Budget Data 2017: Gonvick

Primary Financial Officer: **Name:** Stacy Halvorson **Title:** Clerk-Treasurer
Phone #: 218-487-5243 **Email:** gonvick@gvtel.com

Form Preparer: **Name:** Stacy Halvorson **Title:** Clerk-Treasurer
Phone #: 218-487-5243 **Email:** gonvick@gvtel.com

Budgets have been adopted for the following fund:
☑ General Fund

	Prior Year Original Budget	Current Year Budget
Revenues		
1. Property Taxes (Do not include Market Value Credits)	101,120	106,176
2. Tax Increments	0	0
3. All Other Taxes (franchise, hotel/motel taxes, etc.)	0	0
4. Special Assessments	0	0
5. Licenses and Permits	1,875	1,875
6. Federal Grants	0	0
7. State General Purpose Aid (Market Value Credits, etc.)	71,355	71,355
8. State Categorical Aid (state aid for streets, etc.)	10,973	11,000
9. Grants from County & Other Local Governments	0	0
10. Charges for Services	50,935	50,082
11. Fines and Forfeits	500	500
12. Interest on Investments	1,770	1,950
13. Miscellaneous Revenues	55,700	54,182
14. Total Revenues	294,228	297,120
15. Proceeds from Bond Sales	0	0
16. Other Financing Sources	0	0
17. Transfers from Other Funds (incl. Enterprise Funds)	0	0
18. Total Revenues & Other Financing Sources	294,228	297,120
Expenditures		
Current Expenditures (Exclude Capital Outlay)		
19. General Government (board, administration, etc.)	88,741	86,163
20. Public Safety	99,256	103,307
21. Streets & Highways (excluding construction)	68,731	69,950
22. Sanitation	0	0
23. Human Services	0	0
24. Health	0	0
25. Culture & Recreation	16,500	17,700
26. Conservation of Natural Resources	0	0
27. Economic Development	21,000	20,000
28. Miscellaneous Current Expenditures	0	0
29. Total Current Expenditures	294,228	297,120
30. Debt Service - Principal	0	0
31. Interest & Fiscal Charges	0	0
32. Streets & Highways Construction	0	0
33. Capital Outlay	0	0
34. Other Financing Uses	0	0
35. Transfers to Other Funds (include Enterprise Funds)	0	0
36. Total Expenditures & Other Financing Uses	294,228	297,120
Fund Balance		
37. General Fund - Beginning Balance (January 1)	687,837	507,881
38. General Fund - Ending Balance (December 31)	507,881	526,508
39. Increase (Decrease) in Fund Balance - Budgeted Governmental Funds	0	0
Other Items		
40. Total Property Tax Levy - All Funds	101,120	106,176
41. Net Unrealized Gain or (Loss) from Investments for 2016		0
42. Budgeted Special Revenue Funds		
43. Non-Budgeted Funds		R43C

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NOTICE DUDLEY TOWNSHIP

2017 MEETING DATES

January 10 - 5:00 pm
(Board of Audit)
January 10 - 5:15 pm
(Board Meeting)
February 14 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)
March 14 - 5:00 pm
(Annual Township Meeting)
(Township election by mail ballots)
April 11 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)
May 9 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)
June 13 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)
July 11 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)
August 8 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)
September 12 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)
October 10 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)
November 14 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)
December 12 - 5:00 pm
(Board Meeting)

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Theresa Pierce of Bemidji selling products to help with acne, excema and wrinkles among other things at the Santa Claus Day events in Clearbrook.



Redden, convicted of third degree narcotics sale

Lee Allen Redden, 23, Grygla, currently residing in Grygla on Park Avenue, was convicted of third-degree sale of narcotics, a felony, on Jan. 3, 2017. Redden was placed on supervised probation for 10 years, but ordered to serve 60 days in jail, which could be served on work release.

He was also ordered to pay a fine of $500, and fees totaling $660. Conditions on his conviction include no alcohol or controlled substance use, no possession of alcohol or drugs, take medications in the prescribed dosage and frequency, sign release of information as directed, not enter bars or liquor stores and other conditions.

According to the criminal complaint filed by the Pennington County Sheriff's Department, the charge against Redden stems from an incident on May 13, 2015. Redden contacted a confidential informant and asked if he wanted to make some quick money by selling methamphetamine. Redden participated in the sale of two eight balls, with a total weight of 3.8 grams for $850, to a confidential informant at his residence on Third Street in Thief River Falls. Redden was initially charged with a controlled substance crime in the second degree.



A variety of framed pictures is what Terri Toenyan of Bemidji had for sale at Santa Claus Day in Clearbrook.



Georgia Halverson from Bemidji showing her goods to Corina Bronczyk at the Clearbrook Santa Claus Day craft sale.