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New Employees at the Red Lake Falls School District

J.A. Hughes has three new employees this year; Madyson Carlson, Hailea Page and Lindsey Largis.



Madyson Carlson is the new 4th grade teacher at J.A. Hughes Elementary school replacing Shelby Engstrom. Madyson is married to her husband Treydan and they live in Thief River Falls. Her favorite thing to do is spend time with her family. While in high school Madyson worked at the Clubhouse Childcare Center in McIntosh, MN. and was a 2nd grade teacher at Challenger Elementary School in Thief River Falls before being hired in the Red Lake Falls School District. "The community is so supportive of their school and the staff that I have met already are super welcoming and want to get to know you," she says about why she took the position.



Hailea Page will be replacing Julie Beyer Buse in the J.A. Hughes Elementary office as an administrative assistant when Julie retires later this year. Hailea is married to Trevor and they have two children; Eleanor and Adeline. Hailea enjoys watching hockey, reading, napping with her kids, and working out. She worked as a CNA in a Memory Care Unit, worked at DigiKey for over 10 years, and currently is waitressing/bartending at The Landing! When asked why she took the administrative assistant position she replied, "With my kids beginning school, this gave me an opportunity to spend more time with them and be more involved in the community. I have always wanted to work within the school district and this was the perfect opportunity."

Operation Round Up® Grant Applications due Fri, Sept. 20th

Organizations involved in community projects and charities are encouraged to apply for funds from Operation Round Up at this time. Completed grant applications are due in the Red Lake Electric Cooperative (RLEC) office by Friday, September 20, 2024.

Operation Round Up is a program adopted by RLEC headquartered in Red Lake Falls. Members choosing to "round up" their monthly electric bill payment provide funds for this effort. Today 98% of RLEC members now choose to contribute pennies each month to enhance their communities.

Funds will be donated primarily to nonprofit organizations to help fund specific projects or programs. Since the program began in 1993, \$672,421 has been granted to community organizations and charities. Money is donated for the betterment of the community within the



Lindsey Largis is a new paraprofessional at J.A. Hughes Elementary. She is married to her husband Matt and they have five children; Chloe (9), Brooklyn (7), Braxton (4), Berkleigh (2), and Arbor (8 months). Lindsey's favorite thing to do is working out at Great North Fitness and Adventure and going for walks with her family. Previously, Lindsey was a phlebotomist at Sanford in Thief River Falls before deciding to be a stay at home mom. "Working with the school district has always been something I have wanted to do as I love working with children," she said about why she took the position.

Lafayette High School has five new employees; Jennifer Lopez, Jaclyn Doyle, Mina Turnbow, Fred Landman IV and Allie Altendorf.



Jennifer Lopez took the position as a math teacher at Lafayette High School. Previously she was a para at J.A. Hughes as well as a teacher substitute. She is married to her husband Edwin and has two children; Edwin Jr., and Emma. She will be teaching 7th, 9th and 10th grade math. Her favorite hobby is fishing. Before becoming a teacher she worked in Higher Ed/College Partnerships. The reason she took the teaching position was because of the community in Red Lake Falls.

Mina Turnbow (not pictured) is a new paraprofessional at Lafayette High School. She loves being outside, sports, art and school. Previously she has done non-profit work, legal advocacy and early childhood education. The reason she took a position in Red Lake Falls was her passion towards education.



Jaclyn Doyle took the position as Lafayette High School's Academic Coach in the TAMP room. She has been married to her husband Mike for almost 18 years and they have one daughter Aria who is 13. Her favorite things to do are riding on their ATV and traveling. Before coming to Red Lake Falls, Jaclyn was a credit administrator at a bank in Fosston, helped her husband start his HVAC business in Erskine, and was executive director of LifeCare Pregnancy Center in TRF and an accountant for Aluma, Inc. in Crookston. Jaclyn also filled in as a substitute teacher for Win-E-Mac School in recent years. When asked why she took a position at Lafayette she said, "After obtaining my sub license a few years ago and having the opportunity to work with students K-12, I decided I wanted to find a permanent position working with students in our rural communities."



Allie Altendorf, a former graduate, is a new nighttime cleaner at Lafayette High School. Her favorite thing to do is hang out with family and friends. She also currently works at the daycare center in Red Lake Falls. Allie took the cleaner position because she still gets to talk to the kids that are playing sports.



Fred Landman IV is also a former graduate and has been hired as a paraprofessional at Lafayette High School. Since he works for the county during the summer, this job is a perfect fit. Fred enjoys anything to do with sports.

New employees at Red Lake County Central High & Elementary Schools

Kaleb Sjulestad (pictured right) will be teaching 7th grade American History, 8th grade Geography, as well as 9th grade computers at RLCC High School this year. Caleb graduated from Goodridge Public School in 2019 and Mayville State University in May 2024.

Kaleb lives in rural Goodridge, MN. His family includes parents, Rick and Sueann Sjulestad, older sister Sami (Sjulestad) Knutson of Oklee, and younger sister Mylee who is a sophomore at Goodridge Public School.

Best wishes for a great school year, Mr. Sjulestad!



Lynsey Lee

Lynsey Lee is a new paraprofessional at RLCC High School for the 2024-25 school year.

Lynsey graduated from RLCC in 2017. Her husband is Brandon Lee. The couple has 3 children: Hattie, age 5, Brynn, age 4, and Scarlett, 18 months.

Welcome to the RLCC school and best wishes for a great year, Miss Lynsey!

Krista Lundeen (no picture) has been added to the staff at the Plummer school as a paraprofessional. Krista graduated from RLCC in 2007.

Her family includes husband Tyler, Esenyah, age 16, Alyannah, age 15, Logan, age 11, Tiana, age 8, Briar, age 5. The family lives north of Oklee. Krista enjoys fishing in her spare time. Welcome to the RLCC staff, Krista!

Some of Red Lake County Central's High School new and improved areas



The new west entrance of the Red Lake County Central High School in Oklee.



One of the two new Science classrooms at RLCC High School.



The new commons area where students eat and to hang out.

Church News

OKLEE LUTHERAN PARISH
Zion and Salem
Okleelutheran.org
Sun, Sept. 15: 9:00 a.m.
Zion Worship. 9:00 a.m. Salem
SS. 10: a.m. Zion SS. 10:30 a.m.
Salem Worship.

CATHOLIC PARISHES OF OKLEE, GRYGLA & GOODRIDGE
Fr. Bryan Kujawa
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. St. Frances – Oklee; 10:15 a.m. – Grygla. 12: p.m. – Goodridge.

BROOKS – RED LAKE FALLS CATHOLIC PARISH
Fr. Bob Schreiner
Saturday: 5:30 p.m. St. Joseph – RLF.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. – Brooks. 10:00 a.m. St. Joseph – RLF.

IMMANUEL-EBENEZER LUTHERAN PARISH ELCA
Pastor Jonathan Dodson
Sun, Sept. 15: 9:00 a.m. Worship at Immanuel. 10:30 am. Worship at Bethany. 7:00 p.m. Worship at Ebenezer.

GOODRIDGE AREA LUTHERAN PARISH ELCA
Bethany-Ekelund-Faith
Sun, Sept. 15: 8:00 a.m. Ekelund, 9:30 a.m. Faith, 11:00 a.m. Bethany.
Mon, Sept. 16: 1:30 p.m. Ekelund WELCA.
Tue, Sept. 17: 9:30 a.m. Shalom Circle.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
Mt. Olive – Nazareth
Oak Park – St. Petri
Pastor Jeffrey Merseth is On Leave
Rev. Carl Busse
Rev. Gene Lilienthal
Sat, Sept. 14: 9:00 a.m. Mt. Olive.

Sun, Sept. 15: St. Petri: 8:00 a.m. Oak Park: 8:45 a.m. SS, 9:45 a.m. Worship. Ladies Aid meeting to follow. Nazareth: 10:00 a.m. SS, 11 a.m. Worship.

Wed, Sept. 18: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School. 6:30 p.m. Vespers.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund
Sand Valley
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Sun, Sept. 15: 9 a.m. Lund 10:30 a.m. Lund.
Wed. Sept. 18: 2:00 p.m. Sand Valley Ladies Aid.

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
Josiah Hoagland, Pastor
Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor
www.newjournefosston.com
Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday School. 10 am Worship.
Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Devotions.
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY
Fosston
Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. Worship.

Sudoku Solution												
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North Star Neighbors celebrates First Home Construction In RLF

WHAT: North Star Neighbors, a subsidiary organization under the Northwest Minnesota Foundation, will celebrate the start of construction of its first Red Lake Falls home.

North Star Neighbors is a community land trust that aims to expand affordable homeownership opportunities throughout Northwest Minnesota. Its first phase of work includes four new construction houses in Red Lake Falls.

WHO: Those expected to participate in the celebration include:

Cory Boushee, Executive Director, North Star Neighbors
Karen White, President/CEO, Northwest Minnesota Foundation

Red Lake Falls elected officials

Regional business leaders
North Star Neighbors Advisory Committee members

Northwest Minnesota Foundation Board of Directors members

WHEN: The celebration will begin at 10 a.m. Friday, September 27th

WHERE: 110 Evergreen Avenue, Red Lake Falls

DETAILS: A community land trust (CLT) creates quality affordable homeownership opportunities by retaining ownership of the land on which the house is located and preserving the affordability of the home for generations. The CLT can accomplish this goal through new construction, acquisition and rehab of existing homes, or homebuyer-initiated purchase programs.

For more information, please visit <https://northstarneighbors.org/>

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Announcing the 2024-2025 Fish Art Contest

White Bear Lake, MN – Wildlife Forever is proud to announce the opening of the 2024-25 Art of Conservation® Fish Art Contest. The annual program invites youth from around the world to connect with nature and learn about fish and aquatic habitats while exploring creative art and writing. Since its founding in 1997, the Fish Art Contest has reached over 85,000 youth in 46 countries building future stewards of the outdoors

The free contest is accessible to students from kindergarten through 12th grade. Each year, thousands of entries pour in from across the globe, reflecting the program's widespread appeal and impact on youth.

“The Fish Art Contest offers a unique opportunity to connect students to the outdoors through science and creative art. Through hands-on learning, students may explore the beauty of the natural world

while learning about the importance of conservation”, said Veronica Mangio, Marketing & Communications Manager at Wildlife Forever.

How to Participate:

Step 1: Select a Fish Species: Students choose a fish species to research, focusing on its habitat, behavior, and conservation needs. Certain states have specific entry guidelines.

Step 2: Create Original Art: After conducting research, students create an original, handmade creation of their chosen fish(s). All physical mediums are welcome.

Step 3: Write About It (4th Grade and Above): Students in 4th grade and above are also required to submit a one-page creative writing piece that reflects what they have learned about their selected species.

Step 4: Submit Online: Entries are submitted through the Fish Art Contest entry form page at <https://www.theartofconservation.org/fish-art-entry-forms>

Red Lake County Sheriff

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On the afternoon of 08/30/24, the Clay County Sheriff's Office reported they had arrested John James Nogowski (36) of Red Lake Falls. Red Lake County holds an active misdemeanor warrant for his arrest. Mr. Nogowski has other warrants outstanding in other counties, so Red Lake County placed a hold on him, and he will be turned over to Red Lake County authorities when some of those other matters are settled.

On the afternoon of 08/30/24, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report of a woman with some children, who may be homeless, was in Red Lake Falls and in need of assistance. A Red Lake County deputy responded and found the woman's vehicle had broken down and needed help getting to her destination. The deputy networked with Red Lake County Social Services and her, and her children were transported to a residence in St. Hilaire.

On the afternoon of 08/31/24, the Pennington County Sheriff's Office reported they had arrested Jason Ray Scott (48) of Thief River Falls. Red Lake County holds an active gross misdemeanor warrant for his arrest. Mr. Scott posted \$100 cash bail on 09/03/24 to satisfy the warrant and he was released from custody. He will appear in Court in Red Lake Falls on 09/11/24.

On the evening of 08/31/24, Red Lake County deputies, the Minnesota State Patrol, the Plummer Fire Department, and the Oklee Ambulance were dispatched to a report of a crash on Hwy. #59 south of Plummer. It was discovered that a 3-wheeled motor bike struck a deer. A passenger on the motor bike sustained non-life-threatening injuries, but they were transported to the Sanford ER in Thief River Falls by the Oklee Ambulance. The Minnesota State Patrol is handling the crash investigation.

On the afternoon of 09/01/24, a Red Lake County deputy and the Red Lake Falls Fire Department responded to the Red Lake River, west of Sports-

man's Park, in Red Lake Falls. It was reported that some individuals were on a raft, and they missed their docking spot because of the swift current. Members of the Red Lake Falls Fire Department located the individuals, assisted them off of the river and gave them a ride back to Voyageur's View Campground.

On the afternoon of 09/01/24, an individual reported they had parked their vehicle by the bridge on Hwy. #32 north of Red Lake Falls, overnight, and when they returned, it had been damaged. A Red Lake County deputy responded, and the incident is still under investigation.

On the afternoon of 09/01/24, the Red Lake County Sheriff's Office received a report of an intoxicated individual driving a vehicle on Hwy. #92 west of Brooks. A Red Lake County deputy responded and met the suspect vehicle, which was exceeding the speed limit. The deputy stopped the vehicle and investigation revealed that the driver, Hunter James Richard (28) of Harwood, ND was intoxicated. The deputy also found marijuana inside of the vehicle that was not legally packaged. Mr. Richard was arrested, taken to jail in Crookston and was booked for gross misdemeanor DWI, speeding and the marijuana packaging violation. He appeared in Court in Crookston on 09/03/24 and was released from custody with court-ordered conditions.

On the evening of 09/02/24, a Red Lake County deputy was requested to check the welfare of a woman and some children who were left without a vehicle at Riverside Park in Red Lake Falls. The woman told the deputy that her and her husband were camping there with their children. She and her husband got into an argument, and he left them there. It was determined that no crimes had been committed, and her mother was on her way to pick them all up.

On the afternoon of 09/03/24, a Red Lake Falls resident requested assistance to remove an unwanted individual from

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About the Fish Art Program:

The Wildlife Forever Art of Conservation Fish Art® Contest, supported by Title Sponsor Bass Pro Shops and other key partners, brings together youth, art, and conservation in a global effort to inspire and educate the next generation. The contest is free to enter and open to students worldwide. For more information, visit www.FishArt.org.

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Tuesday: Breakfast: Omelet & Toast or Yogurt Parfait or Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Pizza, Lettuce Salad, Fresh Veggies, Cottage Cheese, Fruit, and Milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast: Bagel Bites or Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, or Alfredo Sauce, Bread Sticks, Vegetables, Fruit, and Milk.

Thursday: Breakfast: Breakfast Burrito or Yogurt Parfait or Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Chicken Strips, Cheesy Hash Browns, Dinner Roll, Vegetable, Fruit, and Milk.

Friday: Breakfast: Cinnamon Roll or Cereal, Fruit, Juice and Milk. **Lunch:** BBQ on WG Bun, Baked Beans, Chips, Fruit, and Milk.

Plummer

Monday: Breakfast: Banana Bread, Cereal, Fruit, Juice and Milk. **Lunch:** Corn Dogs, Macaroni & Cheese, Peas, Fruit, and Milk.

Tuesday: Breakfast: Waffles, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Pork Riblet w/ Bun, Baked Beans, Carrots, Fruit, and Milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast: Scrambled Eggs w/Ham, Cereal, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Salisbury Steak, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Mixed Vegetables, Buttered Bread, Fruit, and Milk.

Thursday: Breakfast: Yogurt Parfait, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Spaghetti & Meat Sauce, Corn, Garlic Toast, Fruit, and Milk.

Friday: Breakfast: Cinnamon Roll, Fruit, Juice, and Milk. **Lunch:** Pizza, Salad w/ Veggies, Fruit, and Milk.

RLCC Sports Schedules

Schedules subject to changes - please check the school web site at <https://www.rlcc2906.org/>

RLC Rebels

Varsity Football

Fri, Sept. 13: Lake Park-Audubon Away 7:00 PM.

****Fri, Sept. 20: Homecoming:** Menahga Home-Oklee 7:00 PM.

RLC Rebels

Jr. Varsity FB

Mon, Sept. 16: Polk Cty West Home-Plummer 5:00 PM

Rebels JH 7&8

Thu, Sept. 5: Fosston Home-Oklee 4:30/5:30.

Elementary (5th-6th)

Sat, Sept. 14: Roseau 9-11 AM.

Sat, Sept. 21: Erskine 9-11 AM.

Volleyball

Schedules

Thu, Sept. 12: Parents Night JH Game - 4:30PM Bagley @ Oklee. C Game- 5:00PM. JV Game - 6:00PM. Varsity - 7:30PM East Grand Forks Green Wave @ Oklee -

Mon, Sept. 16: JH Game - 4:30PM Godridge-Grygla @ Plummer.

Girls C Game - 5:00PM JV Game - 6:00PM Varsity Game - 7:30PM All Away vs. Sacred Heart HS @ Sacred Heart HS

Tue, Sept. 17: Girls JH Game - 4:30PM Away vs. Clearbrook-Gonvick Bears @ C-G High School

Boys & Girls Cross Country Schedules

Thu, Sept. 12: Boys & Girls Varsity Meet - 4:00AM Away vs. Ada-Borup-West @ Heart of the Valley Golf Club

Tue, Sept. 17: Boys & Girls Varsity Meet - 4:30AM Away vs. Bagley @ Twin Pines Golf Course.

Practice Changes in the Volleyball and Boy & Girls Basketball games

The Red Lake County Central School Board has directed administration to announce that all Volleyball games and Boys and Girls basketball games for grades 7-12 will be played at the high school in Oklee upon completion of the new gym, slated for mid-September.

The move will allow high school student-athletes the ability to practice and compete in the building that they attend school. Elementary students involved in activities will now have a dedicated space within their own gym for practices right after school, with the goal of significantly reducing the need for evening practices.

The move by the RLCC Board is in line with conversations at the pre-construction community meetings that were held in Brooks, Plummer and Oklee. One of the important talking points to the Board from parents was to find more gym space for elementary programming.

At the August board meeting, The RLCC Board heard from coaches who were concerned about player and spectator safety in the confined space of the elementary gym in Plummer. Coaches also shared that they and their athletes have long desired a "home court in which to practice and compete." With this move, coaches and players will now have the ability to start practice at the high school, right after school, and eliminate driving to Plummer.

"While we are most excited about our new science classrooms/labs, our new library/media center and our new cafeteria, we are also excited about our new gym, locker rooms and media production room for our students and athletes, said Board Chairman Matt Kolstoe. This move allows students, teachers and coaches to focus on their buildings, their students and the activities that serve those students."

"Mustangs Volleyball Team: Early Season Triumphs and Challenges"

By Owen Chervestad

The Mustang volleyball team is having a great start to the season, starting with a record of two wins and one loss just three games into the season. With wins over Cass Lake Bena (3-0) and Win-E-Mac (3-1) and a loss to Fosston (3-0).

Mustangs started with a strong win over Cass Lake Bena, three sets to none, in which the Mustangs imposed their will at the net with their defense and solid serving. The Mustangs then moved on to Fosston High School to face the Greyhounds. This game was tough as the Mustangs battled through three sets, putting up a great fight in everyone, but in the end, the Hounds came out on top 3-0.

The Mustangs' next opponent was the Patriots of Win-E-Mac on the night of September 3rd in the Plummer gymnasium. The Mustangs started slowly in the first set but came back with a win of 25-17. The Mustangs flexed their muscles and jumped to a big lead, but they never looked back and took the first set. In the second set they would pull out to another lead and take the second set with the same score, 25-17. In the third set,

the Patriots would put up a great fight, and with some great execution and IQ, they would steal the third set 25-22. In the fourth and final set, the Mustangs and Patriots went back and forth, trading points and sides frequently. Ultimately, a Mustang serving streak and a superb volley for game points would put the Lady Mustangs on top 25-22.

Quinn Graves had 10 kills, 1 block, and 6 service aces. Evelyn Klammer led the team with 11 kills and had 1 block and 1 service ace. Alexa Chervestad had 7 kills and 7 service aces. McKaelyn Frizzle had 5 kills and 2 service aces. Emma Hendrickson let the team with 14 assists.

The Mustangs have started the year 2-1 and will head to Stephen to face the Storm on September fifth. Head Coach Angie Lundeen commented, "The RLCC Mustangs Volleyball team has put in a lot of hard work since the beginning of the season. The scrimmages we played were a good measure of the hard work players put in. Currently, we are 2-1 and work everyday to build on our early successes." Angie Lundeen and Sara Rosendahl Coach the Mustang Volleyball.



7th/8th grade Rebels Football team defeated Fosston 14-6 in there opening game!



Rebel Football

The lower level football seasons are off and running for the Red Lake County Rebels.

The junior varsity team played 3 scrimmages against Fosston, Fertile-Beltrami and Walker-Hackensack-Akeley before hosting their 1st game on September 3rd vs. Bagley.

The Flyers would score 1st on a long run to take a 8-0 lead. RLC would move down the field on their 1st drive before scoring on a Thoren Thronson to Boe Nelson touchdown pass cutting the lead to 8-6. Bagley would lead at halftime 16-6.

The Rebels would cut the lead to 16-14 but ran out of time and dropped to 0-1 on the JV season.

Red Lake County's junior high team opened up on September 5th as they hosted Fosston. Kole Kleven would score the 1st play of the game to give the Rebels a 8-0 lead. A strong defensive performance would continue and pace the team in the 14-6 win.

RLC goes to 2-0

The Rebel football team would head to Red Lake on Thursday, September 5th to take on the Warriors in a Section 8A football match-up.

RLC would score early and often. The team would score on their 1st offensive play as Senior Brock Seeger would go 42 yards on a run and give the Rebels the 7-0 lead.

It would take the Rebels 4 plays to score on their next possession. This time, QB Owen Chervestad would throw a short pass out to Ethan Johnson, then after a couple of moves, Johnson would scamper into the endzone for a 14-0 lead.

It was time for the Rebels to score on defense next. Chervestad would jump in front of a Red Lake pass and take it to the house, scoring from 47 yards out and go ahead 21-0.

After two more defensive stops, the Red Lake County Rebels would score twice more and take a 35-0 lead after the

1st quarter. Gunnar Halverson would score on a 45 yards run followed by a Chervestad to Luke Peterson pass connection of 25 yards to close out the scoring.

The young Rebels would see a lot of game action the rest of the way out. The team would see touchdowns by Theo Tydlacka, Thoren Thronson, Sam Rath and Mason Williams to close out the scoring. RLC improved to 2-0 on the season with a 63-14 win.

The Rebels were led by Tydlacka's 46 yards rushing, Halverson's 45 and Seeger's 42. Chervestad would go 5-6 passing and 2 touchdowns. Kegan Schmitz was a perfect 9-9 on extra points in the game.

The 2-0 Rebels will head to Lake Park-Audubon for their next game.

By Brian Remick
Head Football Coach-Red Lake County Rebels

"The Rebels' Dominant Performance: A Victory Over the Wolves"

By Thor Thompson and Benji Bramer

On Thursday, August 29th, the Rebels hosted the Walker/Hackensack/Akeley Wolves at the LE—Drescher Field in Red Lake Falls.

The Rebels started hot with 28-0 at the end of the first half. The Rebels came out by throwing an interception on the half's first drive. But the Rebels stayed strong and ended the game 40-0 with a win over the Wolves.

The Rebels had 40 rushing

attempts for 372 yards and 4 touchdowns. The Wolves had 25 rushing attempts for 31 yards. The Rebels had 8 passing attempts for 116 yards and 2 touchdowns. The Wolves had 10 passing attempts for 23 yards, and one was recovered. The Rebel's leading rusher on the night was Brock Seeger, with 12 rushing attempts for 184 rushing yards and 1 touchdown.

The leading receiver for the Rebels was Connor Duden, with 3 receptions for 56 yards and 1

touchdown. The leading passer for the Rebels was Owen Chervestad, with 7 passing attempts for 116 yards and 2 touchdowns. The leading kick returner for the Rebels was Ethan Majeres, with one return for 27 yards. The Rebels traveled to Red Lake on Thursday, September 5th at Red Lake and won 63-14. The Rebels increased their record from 2-0 with Thursday's game and will travel to Lake Park Audobon on Friday, September 13th.



The 5th-6th football season has started for Rebel football. The young Rebels have 45 players this year, 28 in the 5th grade and 17 in the 6th.

The teams opened up play in RLF on September 7th. This was the first of four weekends the young Rebels will play in this fall.



Oklee Herald Early Files

100 Years Ago Sept. 11, 1924

Wet weather was delaying harvesting progress.

Theodore Torgerson received his certificate and was to start teaching.

Nels Hagen, publisher of the Oklee Herald, was involved in an accident by Clearbrook when his car was struck by a train. Mr. Hagen was not hurt.

90 Years Ago Sept. 6, 1934

Miss Emma Hince was the proud owner of a car won at a raffle in Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Toulouse and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Snyder of Fisher left for Chicago to attend the World's Fair.

80 Years Ago Sept. 7, 1944

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Broyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fore returned from Fordville, ND where they had been employed.

Pfc. Alice Lindquist of Camp Wolters, Texas spent a week at her home.

Pvt. Leonard Singer arrived from California to visit friends and relatives.

70 Years Ago Sept. 2, 1954

Miss Ardyth Syverson be-

came the bride of Lloyd Opdahl on August 29th.

Dean Toulouse and Jack Brandt left for the Army Induction Center in Fargo to receive further orders.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Flateland on August 16th.

60 Years Ago Sept. 3, 1964

Dale Baril of Red Lake Falls claimed the trophy when 24 golfers met in a tournament on the Oklee course Sunday. Ferdie Mandt of Brooks was runner up and Elmer Olson of Oklee won the consolation.

A wedding reception and bridal shower were held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Christianson on Sunday afternoon on August 9th.

A wedding dance was planned for September 5th in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles LaCoursiere.

50 Years Ago Sept. 5, 1974

St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church of Plummer is getting a new entryway and a new brick face. Howard Construction of Plummer is handling the job.

Arlie, Dale, and Arlen Brekke have been helping dismantle an old barn at the Otto Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Korydon Chevestad and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kolstoe visited Mrs. Orrin Linder and new baby girl at the Northwestern Hospital in Thief River Falls.

Oklee High School junior, Mark Nelson, was named by Coach Dale Svaren as the outstanding offensive player of the week based on his performance in the Oklee win over Mentor last Friday. He scored two touchdowns. Junior Randy Magnell was also named outstanding defensive player of the week.

40 Years Ago Sept. 12, 1984

Oklee Markets

Wheat 60 lb.	\$2.01
Durum wheat (card)	1.83
Flax	5.55
Eye	1.41
Barley, No. 1 malting	1.10
Barley, feed	.90
Oats, No. 2	.68
Oats, No. 3	.67
Oats, No. 4	.63
Eggs, special	.44
Eggs No. 1	.35
Eggs medium	.35
Eggs No. 2	.30
Pullet Eggs	.30
Hens heavy	.28
Hens, light	.22
Stags and Cocks	.12

Since harvest season is upon us here is a peak at the markets in Oklee from 1949!!!

Plummer News

By Alice Jobe 218-465-4402

Early in the week, Brian Fallon was combining wheat south and west of my place. It was nice the weather cooperated, it was quite windy, however.

Thursday, Anna DeHate had Anne Traxler, Karen Tvedt and Alice Jobe over for coffee and sugar cookies.

Friday morning, the residents from McIntosh Senior

Living came to the Tri River Pioneer Museum to tour. Those helping out were Roger Harmoning, Eric Mickelson, Les Hofstad, Glenyce Eskeli and Alice Jobe. Before they left, Eric played guitar and sang for them. One of the songs was "You Are My Sunshine". Some enjoyed having coffee and doughnuts before they left.

House number are coming soon. The maintenance crew for the city of Oklee will be passing our house numbers in the near future. They are to be hung on the same side of your door as the door knob that faces the street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sorensen attended the Tvedt-Malwitz wedding on Saturday in Terrebonne.

30 Years Ago Sept. 14, 1994

Candidates for the Miss Plummer Pageant include: Marci DuChamp, Beth Kilian, Rachel Demarais, Ginger Froiland, Patricia Greenwald, and Meckenzie Malwitz.

20 Years Ago Sept. 8, 2004

Iona Berry presented Marvin and Joan Bronken with an award during Tuesday's senior meal. The award was for an essay they had written called "What the Senior Meals Mean to Me."

Mrs. Rose Mandt entertained the Oklee Brooks Bridge Club on Wednesday. In attendance were Mrs. Jeannie O'Neill, Rosalyn Sorenson, Dorothy Lambert, Ionna Berry, Dorothy Myhre, Elaine Radneicki, and Pearl Laniel.

10 Years Ago September 10, 2014

RSVP held a RSVP Volunteers Minnesota's Winning Team - Recognition Banquet on August 7th and Carol Haugen was honored for her many years of service as a RSVP volunteer.

The Grand Marshall, Eddie Amberson, was driven by Roger Skjerven in a fancy convertible in the parade at the Blast To Brooks.

RLCC enrolled 161 junior and senior high school students for the beginning of the year.

This week's yard of the week was Keith and Caren Swenson.

Unfortunately, the harvest is halted because of the rain.

They planned on going to the Cozy to eat lunch.

Wednesday, August 17th was Senior Citizens Day in the United States. There are 47 million seniors in the U.S.

Tuesday, September 17th is the Red Lake County Senior Picnic at the Brooks Hall. All Seniors are welcome to come.

Have a good week!

Senior Site News & Other Things

Bonny Cote, Treasurer and Acting Secretary

Senior Meals

LSS Meals from Red Lake Falls are available for **Home Delivery Only**, Monday-Friday. You need to order a day or two before the day you plan on having a meal. Call the LSS Kitchen in RLF and ask for Carolyn at 218-253-4454 to order your meals.

Note: Please call Red Lake Falls LSS Site to order or cancel your meals.

SAIL Classes

SAIL exercise class are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10am in the Oklee Hall. It is **FREE** to join. Sign up at the Senior Site or call Jo Lambert at 218-796-4527 or Carol Kvasager at 218-201-0180.

Dates To Remember

Wednesday: Cards at 1:30 p.m. If you would like to come play cards, come on in and enjoy some fun game time visiting with your fellow seniors.

Senior Site Events

The board was informed that the Area on Aging is having a Fall Meal on September 17th at the Brooks Hall and all seniors in the county are invited. It starts at 11 a.m. Put it on your calendar! The Seniors Site is hosting an "Fall Apple Celebration" on

Last Weeks Brooks News

The weather settled down for a little while at least. I know it is a pain in the neck for most farmers regardless if they are in the harvest or still waiting for soybeans to ripen. I am sure the wind on Thursday night started to waken many farmers. It woke me up and then I heard the hail. We had at least marble sized hail for at least five to ten minutes. Then the rain poured down. Rain totaled about 3 inches. This doesn't make for great harvesting days. Well, we can't do much about the weather but hope for the best.

This past week we were graced with the visit of our son Tim Novak and his son Mason Novak from Walla Walla, Washington. They arrived on Monday, and came to help Jerome celebrate his big birthday. This year he turns 85. So on Tuesday Tim took his Dad to Warren to see his brother, and they had a nice visit.

Red Lake County Herald Office Hours

Bonny is in the office on Mondays from 10 am until 4 pm. Deadlines for items in the paper is on Fridays by Noon. Bonny is in the office some Fridays, but please call to check before coming in. If you need to get a hold of Bonny when she is not in the office, please call 612-840-9401 or email her at: okleeherald@gmail.com.

Eric Mickelson is the reporter for the RLC Herald. If you have a story or idea to share, call Eric @ 218-791-9157. You can also email Eric at okleeherald@gmail.com.

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served with coffee and possible ice cream?

Brooks - Terrebonne News

By Barb Novak 218-698-4296 novakbl@gvtel.com

Then they drove around to see where Jerome lived as a child, and the town of Tabor where the family is mostly buried nowadays. Tim was showing Mason his roots. The Novaks and the Vanyos all were sleeping well behind the church. When they got home, Tim got to work and made a barbecue fire and grilled steaks for all of us, which was so delicious. Then on Wednesday, Jerome and Tim and Mason went to meet with Reinette Walter at Cozy to have brunch. Mason was familiated out before he left here. As a child he had Neuroblastoma and went through extensive cancer treatment so he didn't come to our house as a child. He is catching up now. They left on Wednesday afternoon to finish their trip.

On Friday Rebecca Novak of Mankato came to visit with the Novaks and to help her Dad celebrate his birthday. On Saturday Mathew, Nancy, Ian, and Margaret Ellenson came from Warroad to celebrate Jerome's birthday. We cooked out once again and then in the afternoon the family played cards and laughed full heartedly. What a great day. The Ellensons left after supper.

On Sunday Becky went with her father to go see the car show at Mentor at the Pavillion. It was a gorgeous day and they enjoyed those they saw that they knew and visited with.

There are a few things I need to fix, one was that I misnamed Dianne and Clarence Gagners granddaughters family in a column two weeks ago. Their name is Britney and Mitch Greunig of Marshall, Mn. Please excuse me for mistakes.

News of an accidental fall by

Norman Versdahl that netted him a broken hip, and put him in the hospital in Fargo came on Sunday. I understand that he is having surgery on Sunday (today). We hope he gets well very soon. Norman is the father of Randy Versdahl.

This Weeks Brooks News

Today is the 2nd day after the Big Blast to Brooks. The town is clean and neat as usual And those who were here to celebrate left the town in good condition. Thanks to our supporters and those who enjoy the festivities and join in the fun.

We should honor our firefighters and our county and city workers who keep us civilized. The roads are clean and promptly fixed when needed and the grass is cut back from the roads so it is safer to drive, and plowed in winter so we can get around. Honor too our public safety people like the sheriff departments and city police departments no matter where you live. We live here safely because of them.

We lost another citizen of Brooks, Jim Haire died on September 4th. He and his wife Letty lived in Brooks and enjoyed the company of the senior citizens circle. There will be no funeral at his request.

A torrent of phone calls came to the Jerome Novak home on September 4th, to wish Jerome a happy birthday. He turned the magic age of 85. He was kept busy all day with phone calls from cousins, his children, and brothers and sisters. It is one of the precious parts of coming from a big family. That is all the news for this week, so keep smiling and take care.

September is here and we are heading into fall. Keep smiling and be safe.

Who's Dat?



Who's Dat?

This week's photo is of a family raised in the area.

Last Week's photo was of Bob & Alice Bluemke, photo taken in the mid 1940's.

Remember that photos from the 80s are now 40+ years old. Please send in some photos to share with the readers. This is one of most popular columns of the Red Lake County Herald.

I really am short on photos and have been diving into history books and other places to find photos. I am always in need of more photos - School days, church events, sports, etc.

If you email a photo, please scan at 300 dpi (high quality) if you can. You can email to okleeherald@gmail.com.

If you mail a photo to the Oklee Herald office, please en-

close a self-addressed stamped envelope so the photos can be returned. Mail them to: Red Lake County Herald, PO Box 9, Oklee MN 56742.

Or stop by the office and I will scan your photo(s) while you wait.



Some residents of McIntosh Senior Living touring the Tri River Pioneers Museum in Plummer!



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