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Beloit parents claim racial insults at March 3 basketball game

By Clint Wolf
EDITOR, BELOIT DAILY NEWS
Originally published on March 4, www.beloitdailynews.com/news/local-news
Once again, members of a Beloit basketball team faced fans from an opposing team who dressed as gang members and allegedly made comments with racial undertones, according to parents of players.

Muskego-Norway in Muskego, Wisconsin.
In photos and video given to the *Beloit Daily News*, Muskego fans, who appeared to be all white students, can be seen wearing black tank top shirts, pajama pants and ski masks. The fans were standing on the floor of the gym in a roped off area while empty bleacher seats are seen behind them.

the Beloit Memorial High School girls basketball team played at Janesville Parker High School, where fans dressed in similar gangster apparel. Janesville Parker school officials and some students apologized for the behavior after the incident was reported by local media. Both the girls team and the boys team at Beloit have several Black players.

slur written in the dust on a locker in the visiting team's locker room. There also was the word "Monkeys" and a swastika drawn in the dust in the locker room, parents said.
Tanya Karl, a parent of one of the Beloit players, said some of the players took photos with their cell phones of the offensive words in the locker room.

for goodness sake," she said.
She said that the Beloit players had to walk past the crowd of the Muskego fans dressed as gangsters to get to the locker room at half-time and at the end of the game.
"But our kids went through it with their heads held high," Karl said.

take this matter very seriously. All students should be able to play in a safe, competitive sports environment. These actions do not represent our beliefs or mission statement. We want our student-athletes and families to know we want safe learning environments in our schools and at athletic activities events."

The behavior was recorded on cell phones at the March 3 WIAA Division 1 Regional Semifinals game against

This is not the first time a Beloit Memorial High School basketball team faced such behavior. On Nov. 23, 2021,

In addition to the student fans wearing gangster or "thug" outfits, players and parents say there was a racial

Toward the end of the game, a referee ejected some of the students from the Muskego fan area.
"What is this? This is 2023

She said there was a moment at the end of the game when a few Beloit players exchanged words with the Muskego fans, but there was no physical confrontation.

State Sen. Mark Spreitzer, D-Beloit, said the behavior demonstrated by the Muskego fans is unacceptable.

\$15 million state investment in Janesville sports and convention center announced

State Senator Mark Spreitzer (D-Beloit), joined Wisconsin Governor Tony Evers, State Representative Sue Conley (D-Janesville), and local leaders to announce that the Governor's 2023-2025 Capital Budget includes a \$15 million investment to support the Woodman's Sports and Convention Center project in Janesville.

project and for understanding how investing in this redevelopment project will help the Janesville community thrive. I am grateful that we worked together to include this project in the Governor's Capital Budget proposal," said Sen. Spreitzer.

The Woodman's Sports and Convention Center will develop space at Uptown Janesville at 2500 Milton Avenue. The \$15 million investment from the State of Wisconsin in the Capital Budget will be used along with private fundraising, federal grants, and local funding to build a versa-

tile facility that will host conventions, community events, sports competitions, and more.
The projects in the Governor's Capital Budget proposal must be approved by the State Building Commission, the Wisconsin Legislature's Joint Committee on Finance, and then the full legislature as a part of the 2023-2025 State Budget.

Ashley Hereford, another parent of a Beloit player, said the Muskego fans were making noise with flutes and using their flashlights on their cell phones to distract the Beloit players when they were trying to make their way to the basket. But they did more offensive things, she said.
A statement from School District of Beloit Superintendent Willie Garrison II indicated the incident is being investigated by the Beloit and Muskego school districts.

State Sen. Mark Spreitzer, D-Beloit, said the behavior demonstrated by the Muskego fans is unacceptable.
"Beloit students who traveled to Muskego to play a game that they love were instead met with hate, swastikas, and racial slurs," a written statement from Spreitzer's office said. "I support the School District of Beloit's investigation of this incident, and the Muskego-Norway School District must treat this with the seriousness that it deserves. I stand with our students, their families, and our community against racism. Our students deserve better."

"I am proud to join Governor Evers today to announce this transformational investment in Janesville's future," said Senator Spreitzer. "This \$15 million investment is crit-

ical to completing the Woodman's Sports and Convention Center project, a central piece of the redevelopment of Uptown Janesville and the whole Milton Avenue corridor. From hosting conventions and events to bringing young athletes and their families to Janesville, this facility will help Janesville and Rock County continue to be a leading destination in the region and promote economic growth."

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"I look forward to working with my colleagues over the next few months to ensure this funding is included in the final state budget," said Sen. Spreitzer.

"Last night (March 3) at our boys basketball playoff game vs. Muskego, some unacceptable actions transpired. We are aware of the alleged racial slurs written and unsportsmanlike phrases being chanted," the emails statement from Garrison read. "Beloit and the Muskego school districts administration are cooperating with each other, and an investigation is being conducted. We

State Rep. Clinton Anderson, D-Beloit also condemned the behavior of student fans at the game.
"What took place at the Beloit Memorial boys basketball game vs Muskego was incredibly harmful to not only our student athletes, but to our entire community," Anderson said in a written statement. "I support the leadership of the School District of Beloit and Dr. Garrison to thoroughly investigate what took place at Muskego. As a proud alumnus of Beloit Memorial, I stand with our boys during this time."

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DATCP reports Wisconsin food, forestry and agricultural exports set record highs

By Kevin Hoffman
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER
Wisconsin food, forestry and agriculture product exports set a record in 2022, according to U.S. Census trade data.

Protection's (DATCP) International Agribusiness Center (IABC) to promote Wisconsin agriculture exports. The funding, which received bipartisan support in the state legislature, supported IABC initiatives that create opportunities, facilitate connections, and help eliminate barriers for new and existing exporters. This support helps Wisconsin agribusinesses build on their success and develop pathways to new markets. Gov. Evers recently proposed his 2023-25 budget, which proposes further investments in Wisconsin's agricultural exports.

Exports were shipped to 142 countries totaling nearly \$4.22 billion, a 7% increase from the previous record in 2021.

U.S. Census data shows that dairy product exports totaled \$617 million, up 32% from 2021, the highest level on record and more than \$100 million above the previous record year in 2014.

Crop products, including grains, wood and vegetables increased more than 5% to \$2.82 billion, a 10-year high. Meat products declined 2% to \$782 million.

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In total, U.S. agricultural exports exceeded \$220 billion in 2022, up 10% from the year prior. Wisconsin now ranks 12th in the nation for agricultural exports.

DATCP's IABC is working collaboratively with the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC) to implement the Wisconsin Initiative for Agricultural Exports (WIAE) plan. This plan provides flexibility to respond to exporting challenges and facilitates unique opportunities that connect exporters with international markets and buyers. More on the WIAE can be found on the DATCP website at datcp.wi.gov/Pages/AgDevelopment/WisconsinInitiativeForAgriculturalExports.aspx.

"This record-breaking year again presents an opportunity to strengthen our state as a leader in agricultural exports," said DATCP Secretary Randy Romanski. "Building off of last year, this momentum, the investments of Governor Evers, and the work of DATCP's International Agribusiness Center positions Wisconsin agribusinesses well for the next year."

The latest release of U.S. Census data shows that post-pandemic demand is driving export growth in several markets as logistics challenges decrease. Wisconsin's top five markets, making up more than two-thirds of total exports, are Canada, China, Mexico, Korea and Japan. Canada, Mexico and Korea showed double-digit increases in 2022, while Japan remained unchanged from 2021.

Gov. Tony Evers has advocated for strategic investments in Wisconsin's agricultural exports, and the 2021-23 budget marked the first time that state funding was allocated to the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer

Red Cross provides opportunities to help strengthen community this month

Donate, volunteer, give blood or take a class

A volunteer brings comfort to people displaced from a home fire, blood collections teams welcome back donors after winter storms disrupt the blood supply, a military officer returns home from deployment to be with family, and a local community member learns hands-only CPR.

All these actions make our communities stronger - and they all happened because of support and involvement with the American Red Cross.

This March, the Red Cross of Wisconsin is honoring those who make its mission possible during the 80th annual American Red Cross Month celebration - a national tradition that began in 1943 when President Franklin D. Roosevelt issued the first Red Cross Month proclamation. Here in Wisconsin, Governor Tony Evers and many local community mayors have signed proclamations declaring March 2023 as Red Cross month.

"When help can't wait during emergencies, people in Wisconsin rally together to provide relief and hope for neighbors in need," said Mark Thomas, CEO and Regional Executive for the Red Cross of Wisconsin. "This humanitarian spirit is at the heart of our community, and we are proud to honor all those who make our mission possible during this year's Red Cross Month celebration. You can join in their commitment by donating, volunteering, giving blood or platelets, or taking a lifesaving skills course."

Participate in Red Cross Month by visiting redcross.org to make a financial donation, give blood or platelets, become a volunteer or take a class in lifesaving skills, such as first aid, CPR and how to use an AED. On March 22, you can also join our annual Red Cross Giving Day campaign by donating at redcross.org/givingday to help provide shelter, food, relief items, emotional support and other assistance for people affected by disasters big and small.

Help can't wait during emergencies?

Over 630 people have received comfort and essentials from Red Cross disaster teams after more than 150 home fires across Wisconsin and the western Upper Peninsula of Michigan since the start of 2023. Our teams are in search of new volunteers who want to help people through their darkest time following local disasters. Areas of particular disaster volunteer need include Milwaukee, Beloit, Hayward, Monroe, Rhineland, Racine and Ladysmith. To join or share our many in-person and virtual disaster volunteer roles, visit redcross.org/DAT.

Join a rewarding day of giving back

Home fires are the most frequent disaster response for the Red Cross, which is also working to help families stay safe by installing free smoke alarms during its Sound the Alarm home fire safety events in at-risk communities. Volunteers are needed for an event on April 15, in Madison. Register and learn more at rdcrss.org/3Es5YE3. To schedule a smoke alarm installation and learn more at go to www.redcross.org/WSmokealarms

or call 1-888-376-4056.

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When volunteer blood and platelet donors lend an arm this March, they'll help keep the blood supply from dropping this spring. All who come to give blood, platelets or plasma March 1-31, will receive a \$10 Visa Prepaid Card by email. Plus, they'll be automatically entered for a chance to win a \$3,000 Visa Prepaid Card - which could help toward expenses like gas or groceries. There will be five lucky winners. To make an appointment, visit RedCrossBlood.org, call 1-800-RED-CROSS or download the Red Cross Blood Donor App.

Where to donate

Green County:

- Albany: Tuesday, March 21, noon to 5 p.m., Elementary School, 309 Vinton St.
- Juda: Tuesday, March 21, 1 to 6 p.m., Juda High School, N2385 Spring St
- Monroe: Monday, March

27, 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., United Methodist Church, 2227 4th St.

Rock County:

- Beloit: Tuesday, March 21, noon to 5 p.m., Beloit Life Center, 2170 Murphy Woods Road
- Edgerton: Tuesday, March 14, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., St. Joseph Catholic Church, 590 S. St., Joseph Circle; and Friday March 17, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Edgerton Care Center, 313 Stoughton Rd.
- Evansville: Thursday, March 30, noon to 6 p.m., Creekside Place Community Center, 102 Maple St.
- Janesville: Monday, March 20, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Janesville Masonic Center, 2322 E. Milwaukee St.; Wednesday, March 22, noon to 5 p.m., Marian Hall, 1236 E. Racine St.; and Thursday, March 30, 1 to 6 p.m., Rotary Botanical Gardens, 1455 Palmer Dr.
- Milton: Tuesday, March 14, 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.,

MECAS, 448 E High St.; and Friday, March 24, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., St. Mary's Center, 837 Parkview Dr.

- Orfordville: Wednesday, March 22, 1 to 6 p.m., Orfordville Fire Department, 173 N. Wright St.; and Wednesday, March 29, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Parkview Jr/Sr High School, 408 W. Beloit St.

About the American Red Cross

The American Red Cross shelters, feeds and provides comfort to victims of disasters; supplies about 40% of the nation's blood; teaches skills that save lives; distributes international humanitarian aid; and supports veterans, military members and their families. The Red Cross is a nonprofit organization that depends on volunteers and the generosity of the American public to deliver its mission. For more information, please visit redcross.org or CruzRojaAmericana.org, or visit us on Twitter at @RedCross.

Leprechauns are on the loose in Rock County Parks

Six leprechauns are searching for a pot of gold that is hidden in one of the following Rock County Parks: Beckman Mill, Carver-Roehl, Gibbs Lake, Magnolia Bluff, Rock River Heritage and Sportsman's Parks. One leprechaun, in search of gold, can be spotted in each park listed. The leprechaun in each park will tell you if the gold is in that park.

Capture a leprechaun or the pot of gold in a selfie from March 3-17 and send to parks@co.rock.wi.us or Rock County Parks Facebook Messenger. All selfies

with the leprechauns or pot of gold will be entered into a random drawing and three prizes will be awarded.

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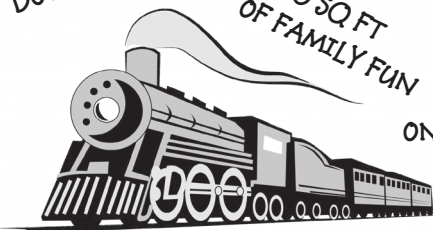
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ADRC offering education series

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Join Nathaniel Chin, MD, and Bonnie Nuttkinson, MS, from the Wisconsin Alzheimer's Disease Research Center along with Jennifer McAlister, BA, from the Alzheimer's Association Wisconsin Chapter and expert guest speakers to learn more about MCI and how to prepare for and cope with the diagnosis.

Please attend one or all of the series' sessions. The ADRC of Rock County will be hosting an in-person viewing option for the series at their office location 1717 Center Avenue, Janesville, on the following dates from 9:15 a.m. to 1 p.m.:

- Friday, March 24 - Brain Boosters: Strategies to Strengthen Your Mind; Kimberly Mueller, PhD
- Friday, June 9 - Food Matters: The Gut-Brain Connection; Barbara Bendlin, PhD
- Friday, Sept. 8 - Manage Stress and Improve Coping Skills for a Healthier Mind; Megan Zuelsdorff, PhD
- Friday, Dec. 8 - Personalize Exercise to Boost Brain Health and Memory; Michelle Braun, PhD

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Hunter Safety Education Courses

• Class #1: mandatory registration on March 14, 6 p.m., at the Edgerton Conservation Club; class on April 1, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and April 2, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Edgerton Conservation Club
 • Class #2: mandatory registration on April 4, 6 p.m., at the Edgerton Conservation Club; class on April 22 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and April 23, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Edgerton Conservation Club
 Online enrollment is now open for Class

#1. Complete the online enrollment form to reserve a seat. Class size is limited to 30 students. Upon submission of the online enrollment form, the submitter will see an onscreen confirmation message with information on the mandatory in-person registration meeting.

Online enrollment for Class #2 will open on March 20.

Enroll at www.co.rock.wi.us/departments/sheriff-s-office/recreational-patrol/hunter-education.

A class fee of \$10 per student will be collected at the in-person registration meeting. The student, and a parent or legal guardian if the student is underage, must attend the mandatory registration meeting for the student to take the course. Students will receive course materials at the in-person registration meeting.

Please direct any questions to Deputy Terry Borgwardt at terry.borgwardt@co.rock.wi.us.

DATCP accepting nominations for nine seats on Dairy Farmers of Wisconsin board of directors

The Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection (DATCP) is accepting nominations through March 31 for nine seats on the Dairy Farmers of Wisconsin (DFW) board of directors.

The eight districts up for election are:

- District 1 – Ashland, Bayfield, Burnett, Douglas, Iron, Rusk, Sawyer and Washburn counties
- District 4 – Barron and Polk counties
- District 7 – Clark County
- District 10 – Brown, Door, and Kewaunee counties
- District 13 – Buffalo, Pepin and Pierce counties
- District 16 – Fond du Lac, Green Lake and Marquette counties
- District 19 – Columbia and Dodge counties
- District 22 – Grant

County
 • District 25 – Green, Rock and Walworth counties

DFW directors guide the organization's finances, formulate and set policies, develop long-range business plans, and maintain its mission. DFW aims to be an advocate, marketer, and promoter for Wisconsin dairy farmers and drive demand for Wisconsin's dairy products. Through these initiatives, DFW directors have the opportunity to represent Wisconsin dairy producers and products as well as be involved in activities that inform consumers about the dairy industry and its economic impact.

DATCP will mail nomination forms to eligible producers. Eligible nominees must be an active dairy producer who sells milk into commercial channels and

lives in one of the affected districts. Producers must sign, notarize, and postmark completed nomination forms by March 31, and include signatures from at least five eligible producers other than the nominee.

Nomination materials are available at www.wisconsin-dairy.org/board-of-directors/elections. Printed copies can be requested by emailing DATCPMarketOrders@wisconsin.gov.

DATCP will conduct the DFW board of directors election from May 1-26. Elected producers will serve three-year terms beginning July 1 and ending June 30, 2026.

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SHOP EQUIPMENT - TOOLS - MISC.: Jet JWP-12DX, deluxe, 12 1/2" wood planer; Jet M-JJ-6CS deluxe, 6" jointer; Delta 10" table saw; Total Shop Dust Collector; Simpson WS 2245 Pressure Washer, Cummings 20 gal, upright Air Compressor; Craftsman 10" radial arm saw, w/cabinet; Craftsman rolling toolbox; Generac MC 4000 Generator; Honda EU 2000i companion 30a Generator; Dyna Pro 170000 Kerosene heater; Stihl MS 250 Chain Saw; Husqvarna 450 Rancher chain saw; Husqvarna 350 chain saw; flammable storage cabinet; 1/2 ton engine stand; Craftsman sand blaster; Heat Buster 45" portable fan; Briggs & Stratton 5.5 hp water pump; Scaffolding; Biljax, adjustable, 6' x 5', (8) sections, (2) planks; Baker Biljax 6', (4) sections; Baker, regular, 6' (10) sections, platform decks; 4' x 6' ladders; (7) stretch planks; set of outriggers for scaffold; misc wheels, cross braces, ladder jacks, stackable Baker sections; wood extension ladders: (1) 32', (2) 28', (2) 24' & (2) 16'. (2) Select-A-Spring storage cabinets w/springs; Ace Taps and Dies cabinet, w/threading tools; Hanson drill bits cabinet w/bits; (2) saw blade cabinets w/saw blades; Hudson cabinet w/sprayer service parts; No. 300 Speedy reseating set; Murry 2hp, 10" rototiller; (4) 15 panel window Oak doors; Yard Machine 6hp, 22" push mower; State 75 gal. water heater (little use); Dewalt power tools & others; hand tools, large assortment of hardware & electrical supplies; lawn & garden tools.

ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES: Massey-Harris Sales & Service Metal Sign; Couristan, black/rose hand formed rug, 5'x8'; Feizy, Alexis Collection, made in Turkey rug, 10'11" x 7'11"; Weinman sofa, 81"; Zenith upright radio w/tubes, working; walnut Kimball pump organ; oak ornate secretary w/beveled mirror; walnut parlor love seat; mahogany dining room table w/6 chairs; mahogany buffet w/tear drop pulls; stuffed chair; (2) Standard Oil grease barrels; Elliott's Wet Paint Signs; player piano Ray; (2) Jay L Warren Inc., gated compression amplifiers; Chas H Irwin drill bits; Renulifer Violet Ray generator; Sylvania Sun, gun movie light; Dayton Hobart bakers scale; (2) Herman Miller vintage plywood chairs & (2) partial Herman Miller vintage plywood chairs; D.H. Baldwin WPP speakers; furniture; misc. furniture.

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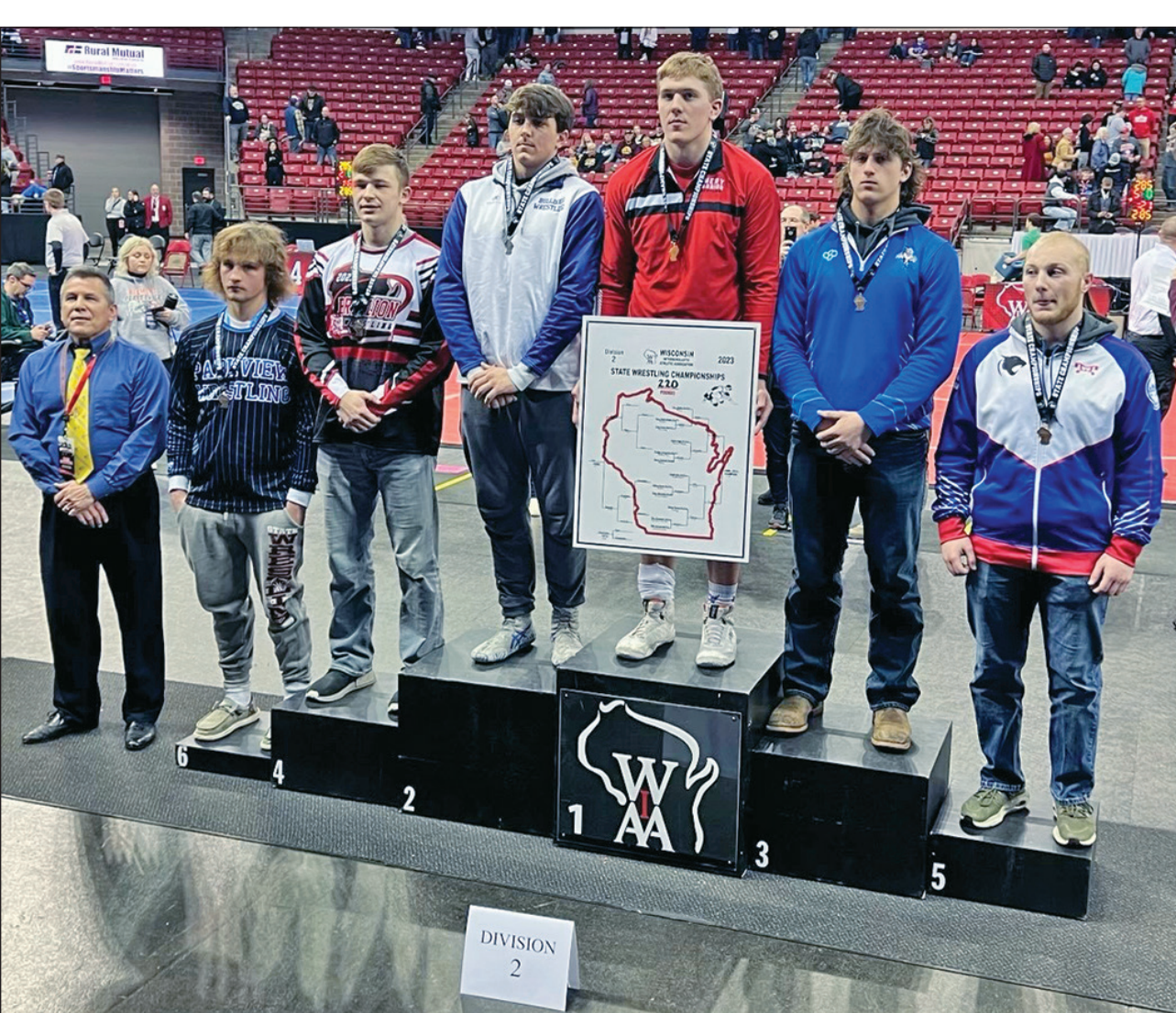
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Wes Egan, a senior with the Parkview/Albany wrestling team, ended his high school wrestling career at the state wrestling tournament.

Parkview/Albany wrestler Wes Egan makes podium at state

By Joel Steinmann
CONTRIBUTOR

The state wrestling tournament was held at the Kohl center on Feb 23-25. The top six in each weight class made the podium. Parkview/Albany had three wrestlers competing: Sam Schwengels (Sr.) at 182 lbs., Wyatt Egan (Sr.) at 195 lbs., and Wes Egan (So.) at 220 lbs., who place sixth. As they have all year, the guys stepped up and wrestled hard with the level of competition they faced. Ending a wrestling career is never easy, but for Wyatt to do it at state was the way to do it. Sam,

coming back after his concussion last year, made it to the second day. Wes, who all year has been giving up 20-30 lbs. to wrestle at 220 lbs., made it on the podium as a sophomore – a great accomplishment. Sam and Wes will be back next year to make another push to the Kohl center.

- D-2 182lb class, Round 1: Sam Schwengels 47-7 over Brayden Albee (Regis/Altoona) 50-5 (by dec 8-7). In the quarter finals Owen Heiser (Evansville) 21-4 over Schwengels (by pin). In the Consolations round 1 Anthony Madsen (Ellsworth) 43-7

- over Schwengels (by dec 7-0).
- D-2 195lb class, Round 1: Dylan Soyk (Kewaskum) 45-10 over Wyatt Egan 40-8 (by major dec 15-5)
- D-2 220lb class, Quarter finals: Damon Schmidt (Brillion) 42-8 over Wes Egan 48-5 (major dec 14-4). In the consolations round 1 Egan over Zach Eames (River Valley) 35-18 (by major dec 16-6). Consolation semi's Joseph Volz (Campbellsport) 49-6 over Egan (by dec 8-2). In the 5th place match Parker Shackleton (Saint Croix Central) 38-12 over Egan (by pin).

Wisconsin's winter ice cover on lakes moves out

The Department of Natural Resources reminds the public that as March's warmer temperatures and spring showers move in, Wisconsin's winter ice cover on lakes moves out. The lake ice that supported vehicles, fishing shelters and snowmobiles becomes more unreliable and dangerous as temperatures fluctuate between above and below freezing. "Ice thickness changes at an alarming rate," said Lt. Jacob Holsclaw, DNR Off-Highway Vehicle Administrator. "That could trigger a split-second and possibly fatal dunk for anglers, snowmobilers and other outdoor enthusiasts unless safety steps are followed." Here are a few basic ice safety tips to remember:

- Carry a cell phone, and let people know where you are going and when you'll return home.
- Wear proper clothing and equipment, including a life jacket or a float coat, to help you stay afloat and to help maintain body heat.
- Wear ice creepers attached to boots to prevent slipping on clear ice.
- Carry a spud bar to check

the ice while walking to new areas.

- Carry a few spikes and a length of light rope in an easily accessible pocket to help pull yourself – or others – out of the ice.
- If you fall in, remain as calm as possible. While attempting to get out of the water, call for help. Anyone who attempts to rescue you should use a rope or something similar to avoid falling through themselves.
- Do not travel in unfamiliar areas or at night.

"Remember to check ice conditions with local sources," said Holsclaw. "Bait shops, outfitters and other anglers can provide recent information regarding ice conditions. And please remember that driving on late-season ice is a bad idea."

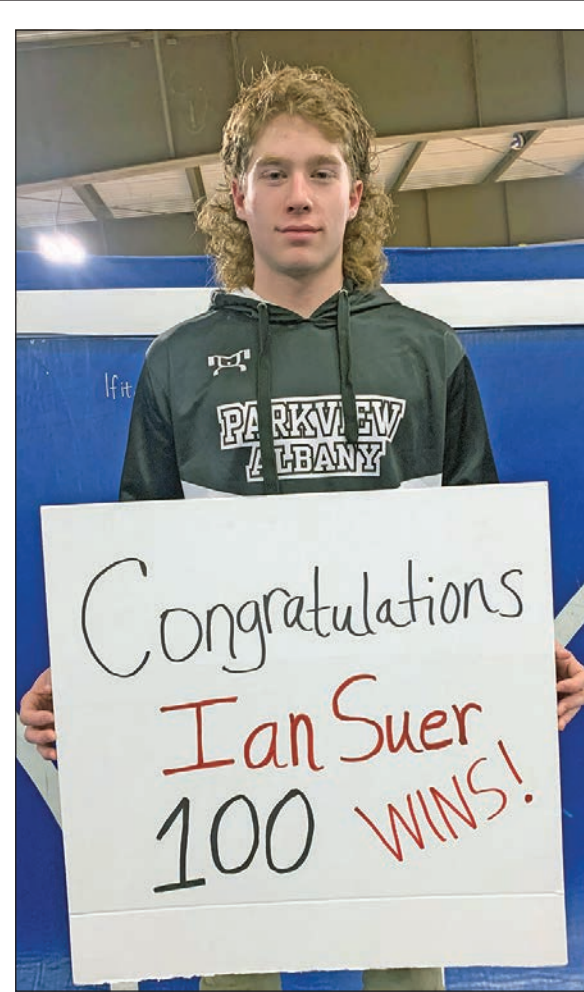
The fast-approaching spring also signals the time to remove permanent ice shanties off of the ice. Anglers should know their shanty removal deadlines, as some have passed. The remaining ice shanty removal deadlines are:

- Wisconsin – Michigan

boundary waters by March 15

- Lake Michigan, Green Bay, Lake Superior and inland waters north of Highway 64 by March 19

Portable ice shanties can still be used after these dates, so long as they are removed from the ice when they are not actively in use and at the end of each day.



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Celebrating women

March is Women's History Month, and aviation is full of stories of talented, daring women like Louise Thaden. Louise is pictured here after winning the Bendix Air Races in 1936 – the first year women were allowed to compete. Stay tuned for more fun mini-articles about these fabulous flying females from Kelch Aviation Museum on Facebook at www.facebook.com/KelchAviationMuseum or Instagram at www.instagram.com/kelchaviationmuseum.



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Legal Notices

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Brodhead School District is accepting proposals for HVAC/BAS upgrades for District facilities.

Brodhead School District
2501 W. 5th Ave.
Brodhead, WI 53520

ANTICIPATED RFP AND CONTRACT TIMELINES

Interested parties may request a meeting to view the District facilities by appointment prior to the bid deadline.

RFP Due Date: March 17, 2023. Selection will be made on April 12, 2023.

Preference will be given to those firms who can guarantee a Project Completion (100%) by June 30, 2023 to be considered.

SCOPE OF WORK

The Brodhead School District is seeking to install HVAC/BAS upgrades in the Brodhead High School. All information in regard to specifications can be obtained by contacting the School District.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

Questions related to this RFP should be submitted to Chad Dix, Building and Grounds Director by phone: (608) 897-2141 or email: cdix@brodhead.k12.wi.us, no later than 96 hours before the proposal due date and time. Responses will be issued no later than 48 hours before the proposal due date and time to all parties involved in the RFP process.

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VILLAGE OF ORFORDVILLE VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT April Spring Election, April 4, 2023

Any qualified elector who is unable or unwilling to appear at the polling place on Election Day may request to vote an absentee ballot. A qualified elector is any U.S. citizen, who will be 18 years of age or older on Election Day, who has resided in the ward or municipality where he or she wishes to vote for at least 28 consecutive days before the election. The elector must also be registered in order to receive an absentee ballot. Proof of identification must be provided before an absentee ballot may be issued.

You must make a request for an absentee ballot in writing or online at MyVote.wi.gov.

Contact your municipal clerk and request that an application for an absentee ballot be sent to you for the primary or election or both. You may also submit a written request in the form of a letter or you may apply for an absentee ballot online at MyVote.wi.gov. Your written request must list your voting address within the municipality where you wish to vote, the address where the absentee ballot should be sent, if different, and your signature. You may make application to our municipal clerk for an absentee ballot in person, by mail, by email, by fax, or at MyVote.wi.gov.

Making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail

The deadline for making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail is:

Thursday, March 30, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

Note: Special absentee voting application provisions apply to electors who are indefinitely confined to home or a care facility, in the military, hospitalized, or serving as a sequestered juror. If this applies to you, contact the municipal clerk regarding deadlines for requesting and submitting an absentee ballot.

Voting an absentee ballot in person

You may also request and vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office or other specified location during the days and hours specified for casting an absentee ballot in person.

Sherri Waage Village Clerk
608-879-2004
Orfordville Village Hall
03 E. Beloit Street,
Orfordville, WI 53576
8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday through Friday.

The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is: **March 21, 2023**

The last day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office: **Friday, March 31, 2023 by 5:00 P.M.**

No in-person absentee voting may occur on the day before the election.

The municipal clerk will deliver voted ballots returned on or before Election Day to the proper polling place or counting location before the polls close on April 4, 2023. Any ballots received after the polls close will not be counted.

Sherri Waage
Village of Orfordville
Village Clerk

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TOWN OF SPRING VALLEY Monthly Meeting Monday March 13, 2023 at 6 PM
Orfordville Fire District Meeting Room
173 N. Wright St.,
Orfordville, WI

AGENDA

1. Call to order
2. Approval of agenda
3. Verification of proper public notice
4. Secretary's Report
5. Treasurer's report
6. Reports
 - A. Supervisors
 - B. Chairman
 - C. Other reports
7. Audience communication
8. Old business
 - A. Rock County Public Works
 - B. Road work
 - C. Fire/EMS
9. New business
 - A. Open Book and Board of Review dates
 - B. April Annual Meeting of the Electors
 - C. DPW Contract
 - D. Pleasant Prairie Signage
 - E. Mowing contract estimate
 - F. Rock County "Mother-in-law" addition ordinance
10. Future agenda items
11. Payment of bills
12. Adjournment

Dela Ends, Clerk

Recycling drop-off 2nd Saturday of the month Rock Co. Public Works Bldg. Hwy 213

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STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT GREEN COUNTY CIVIL DIVISION

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS LEGAL TITLE TRUSTEE FOR RMTP TRUST, SERIES 2021 BKM-TT-V Plaintiff,

DUANE R YAEGER, SHELLEY A YAEGER, ET. AL. Defendants.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Case No. 2022CV000045
Case Code No. 30404
Foreclosure of Mortgage

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure entered on May 2, 2022, in the amount of \$89,025.09, the Sheriff of Green County will sell the described premises at public auction as follows:

DATE/TIME: April 6, 2023 at 09:00 AM

TERMS: By bidding at the Sheriff's Sale, the prospective buyer is consenting to be bound by the following terms: 1) 10% down in cash, cashier's check, or bank-certified funds made payable to the Green County Clerk of Court; 2) Sold "as is" and subject to all legal liens and encumbrances; 3) Buyer to pay applicable Wisconsin Real Estate Transfer Tax, costs of deed recording and all costs of sale within 10 days of confirmation of sheriff's sale. Failure to pay balance due will result in forfeiture of bid deposit to Plaintiff; and 4) Bidders not a party to this action are subject to the requirements of Wisconsin Statute Section 846.155.

PLACE: At the Green County Justice Center - Ground Floor Conference Room located at 2841 6th Street, Monroe, WI 53566

PROPERTY LEGAL DESCRIPTION: OUTLOT 63-D OF THE 1962 REVISED ASSESSOR'S PLAT OF THE VILLAGE OF NEW GLARUS, GREEN COUNTY, WISCONSIN

TAX KEY NO.: 0315.0000

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 600 8TH AVENUE, NEW GLARUS, WI 53574

William Patascil
Attorney for Plaintiff
Marinosci Law Group, P.C.
16535 W. Bluemound Rd.,
Suite 333
Brookfield, WI 53005
Telephone: (414) 831-9729
Facsimile: (920) 221-7719
MLGWisconsin-ALL@mlg-defaultlaw.com

Dated this ___ day of ____, 2023.

Green County Sheriff's Department

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NOTICE OF REFERENDUM

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THE FOLLOWING QUESTION

SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO AN ADVISORY REFERENDUM ON APRIL 4, 2023:

Under state law, the increase in the levy of the City of Brodhead for the tax to be imposed for the next fiscal year, 2024, is limited to 1.182%, which results in a levy of \$2,031,620. Shall the City of Brodhead be allowed to exceed this limit and increase the levy for the next fiscal year, 2024, for the purpose of funding increased operating expenses such as Public Safety, Public Works, Park and Rec, Library and EMS services, by a total of 19.689% which results in a levy of \$2,431,620, and on an ongoing basis, include the increase of \$400,000 for each fiscal year going forward?

A "yes" vote authorizes the City of Brodhead to increase the tax levy \$400,000 above the state levy limit to fund increased operating expenses such as Public Safety, Public Works, Park and Rec, Library and EMS Services for the City on an ongoing basis for each fiscal year going forward.

A "no" vote would not authorize the City of Brodhead to increase the tax levy \$400,000 above the state levy limit to fund increased operating expenses such as Public Safety, Public Works, Park and Rec, Library and EMS Services for the City on an ongoing basis for each fiscal year going forward.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 2023.

CITY OF BRODHEAD

By: Nikolai Wahl, City Clerk

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VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT

Any qualified elector who is unable or unwilling to appear at the polling place on Election Day may submit a request to vote an absentee ballot to their municipal clerk. A qualified elector is any U.S. citizen who:

- will be 18 years of age or older on Election Day.
- has resided in the ward or municipality where they wish to vote for at least 28 consecutive days before the election.

The elector must also be registered to vote to receive an absentee ballot. Proof of identification must be provided before an absentee ballot may be issued*.

Making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail

Contact your municipal clerk and request that an application for an absentee ballot be sent to you for the primary or election or both. You may make written application to your municipal clerk for an absentee ballot in person, by mail, by fax, by email or at MyVote.wi.gov. Your written request must include:

1. your voting address within the municipality where you wish to vote
2. the address where the absentee ballot should be sent, if different from the address above
3. your signature
4. a copy of your photo identification*

The deadline for making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail is:

5:00 p.m. on the fifth day before the election, March 31, 2023

*Voters who are indefinitely confined due to age, illness, infirmity, or disability may not be required to provide photo ID. If this applies to you, contact the municipal clerk regarding deadlines for requesting and submitting an absentee ballot.

**Special absentee voting application provisions apply to electors who are indefinitely confined, in the military, hospitalized, or serving as a sequestered juror. If this applies to you, contact the municipal clerk regarding deadlines for requesting and submitting an absentee ballot.

Voting an absentee ballot in person

You may also request and vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office or other specified location during the days and hours specified for casting an absentee ballot in person.

Dela Ends
608 897-4288
tsvclerk@gmail.com
17319 Footville Brodhead Rd.,
Brodhead WI 53520

Please call or email to make an appointment to vote

The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is: **March 21, 2023**

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NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF: City of Brodhead, Green and Rock Counties
Town of Avon, Rock County
Town of Decatur, Green County
Town of Spring Valley, Rock County
Town of Spring Grove, Green County
Town of Magnolia, Rock County
Town of Albany, Green County
Village of Albany, Green County

SPRING ELECTION – APRIL 4, 2023 VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT

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You must make a request for an absentee ballot in writing.

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Making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail

The deadline for making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail is: **Thursday, March 30, 2023 at 5 p.m.**

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Voting an absentee ballot in person

You may also request and vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office or other specified location during the days and hours specified for casting an absentee ballot in person.

The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is:

Tuesday, March 21, 2023

The last day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office:

Friday, March 31, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

No in-person absentee voting may occur on a weekend or legal holiday or on the day before the election.

The municipal clerk will deliver voted ballots returned on or before Election Day to the proper polling place or counting location before the polls close on April 4, 2023. Any ballots received after the polls close will not be counted.

Contact your municipal clerk listed below:

City of Brodhead,
Nikolai Wahl
1111 W. 2nd Avenue
PO Box 168
Brodhead, WI 53520
897-4018

Town of Spring Grove,
Debra Cline
N2475 County Road GG
Brodhead, WI 53520
608-558-4787

Town of Albany,
Dean Houlberg
W594 English Settlement Rd
Albany, WI 53502
608-558-1110

Town of Decatur,
Sandra McManus
1408 - 14th Street, Town Hall
PO Box 333
Brodhead, WI 53520
897-4965

Town of Spring Valley,
Dela Ends
17310 Footville Brodhead Rd
Brodhead, WI 53520
608-897-4288

Village of Albany,
Michelle Brewer
206 North Water Street
Albany, WI 53502
608-862-3240

Town of Avon,
Stephanie Schwartzlow
15444 W Skinner Rd
Brodhead, WI 53520
608-921-3656

Town of Magnolia,
Graceann Toberman
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College news

Local students make Carthage College dean's list

More than 950 students qualified for the Fall 2022 dean's list at Carthage College, including these local students:

- Erin Engle of Footville
- Lauren Hammes of Orfordville
- Madelynn Punzel of Janesville
- Lily Stockheimer of Janesville
- Abigail Trapp of Janesville
- Abigail Vidruk of Janesville

Dean's list honors are accorded to Carthage students who achieve a minimum 3.5 grade-point average while carrying at least 14 credit hours during a semester.

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University of Wisconsin-Whitewater announces 2022 Winter graduates

Around 775 students crossed the stage to receive their degrees at the ceremony, held at Kachel Fieldhouse in the Williams Center. The graduating class included five international students, 41 military veterans and 134 nontraditional students, de-

finied as undergraduate students who are 25 years of age or older. In addition, 79 self-identified students with disabilities received degrees.

More than 40 students participated in the university's Hired Before Graduation campaign, which celebrates students who landed a job, earned acceptance to graduate school or started their own business before commencement.

Brodhead:

- Chelsea Andrews, Early Child Care and Education - BS
- Sage Harper, Liberal Arts - AAS

Albany:

- Alexandra Zertuche, Business Administration - MBA

Footville:

- Liz Task, graduated Magna Cum, Music - BM

Brooklyn:

- Rebecca Frost, graduated Summa Cum Laude, Accounting - BBA

Monticello:

- Hannah Zanow, graduated Summa Cum Laude, Marketing - BBA

Monroe:

- Alex Hilliard, graduated Magna Cum Laude, Early Childhood Education - BSE
- Mia Kelley, Early Childhood Education - BSE
- Ryan Peterson, General Business - BBA
- Kati Symons, Psychology - BA

New Glarus:

- Mike Nelson, graduated Magna Cum Laude, Management - BBA

Beloit:

- Sarah Baker, Liberal Arts - AAS
- Andrea Bauer, Elementary Education - BSE
- Julissa Castaneda, Liberal Arts - AA
- Adrian Diaz, Human Performance - BS
- Zachary Draeving, Integrated Science - Business - BBA
- Austin Fitzgerald, Finance - BBA
- Madelyn Houck, Liberal Arts - AAS
- Alex Huynh, Liberal Arts - AAS
- Brett Janisch, graduated Cum Laude, Film Studies - BA
- Devon Knowles, Liberal Arts - AAS
- Sonia Loera, Liberal Arts

- AAS

- Evan McNamara, Business Administration - MBA
- Sara Pettitt, graduated Magna Cum Laude, Elementary Education - BSE
- Ashley Shay, Accounting - BBA
- Dakota Vaughn, graduated Magna Cum Laude, Computer Science - BS
- Alexandra Voss, Liberal Arts - AAS
- Lexi Walters, Liberal Arts - AAS

UW-La Crosse announces fall 2022 Dean's List

The following area students have been named to the Dean's List at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse for the fall semester of the 2022-23 academic year, ending December 2022.

Albany:

- Kassi Heins, Exercise and Sport Science Major: Physical, Adapted, and School Health Education

Brodhead:

- Gage Boegli, Finance Major: Risk, Insurance and Financial Planning Concentration
- Catherine Speckman, Exercise and Sport Science

Major: Exercise Science - Pre-professional Track

- Zoe Tresemer, Early Childhood through Middle Childhood Education Major
- Amanda Visger, Theatre Arts Major: Performance Emphasis

Juda:

- Kylie Miller, Biology Major

Qualification for the Dean's List is limited to students who have attained outstanding academic achievement. To be eligible, students must have earned not less than a 3.5 semester grade point average and carried a minimum of 12 credits.

The University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, founded in 1909, is one of the 13 four-year institutions in the University of Wisconsin System. UWL offers 130-plus degree programs from undergraduate to doctoral levels in arts, social science and humanities; science and health; business; and education. UW-La Crosse - www.uwlax.edu - is a top-ranked national university. It is the No. 1 public university in Wisconsin with less than 25,000 students, according to U.S. News & World Report's Best National Universities ranking.

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Obituaries

GREGORY ANDERSON

Gregory Anderson, age 72, of Brodhead passed away on Feb. 27, 2023, at Mercy Health System in Janesville.

He was born on April 24, 1950, the son of Vance and Beatrice (Roehl) Anderson. He graduated from Brodhead High School in 1968. Greg married Debbie Hoff in 1970.

Greg was the owner of Anderson Painting and Siding for many years. He enjoyed being outdoors, especially hunting and fishing. He loved his children and grandchildren



with all of his heart. He had so many friends and was loved by so many.

Greg was a huge inspiration to all who were fortunate to know him. His humor, guidance, story telling, kindness, gentleness, and great love for those he loved will be sadly missed. He was a great man with a big heart and he will never

be forgotten.

Greg is survived by his children Dionne (Joe) Vondra, of Reno, Nevada, and their children Ty, Romy, and Evangeline Vondra and Ty (Gidget) Anderson, of Brodhead, and his children Gavin,

Eyan, Devon, and Taya Anderson; and a brother, Terry (Mary) Anderson of Detroit, Michigan. He was preceded in death by his parents.

A celebration of Greg's life was held on March 3 at Ever-son Funeral Home.

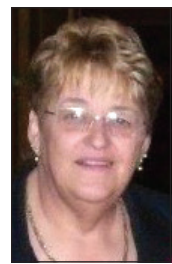
MELINDA RUTH MCNETT

Melinda Ruth McNett passed away in her home on March 1, 2023.

She was born on May 15, 1947 in Beaver Dam, daughter of John and Arlene (Bliss) Maurer.

Melinda graduated in the class of 1965 from Brodhead High School and raised her three children in Brodhead. She worked at various jobs throughout her life including Swiss Colony, Oaktron Manufacturing, Accudyne, and Ogden Manufacturing. Later in life, Melinda graduated from Blackhawk Technical College with an associates degree.

Melinda is survived by her children, Christopher J. Maurer (Stephanie) of Brodhead; Kelli S. Morgan (Justin)



of Webster, and Adrian A. McNett (Miranda) of Brodhead. She has five grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, one sister, Wanda McLain (Jeffrey) of Brodhead; one brother, David Maurer (Kay) of Janesville; and many nieces, nephews, great-nieces and nephews, as well as other close relatives and friends. Melinda was preceded in death by her parents and her brother, Kenneth Roehl.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date. The DL Newcomer Funeral Home in Brodhead is assisting the family: www.dlnewcomerfuneralhome.com, 608-897-2484.

CAROLE MOE

Carole (Calvin) Moe, age 90, passed away on March 2, 2023 at her home while surrounded by her family.

Carole was born on May 26, 1932, in Brodhead, the daughter of Ernest Sr. and Dollie (Bernstein) Calvin.

She attended Janesville and Brodhead schools. She was Prom Queen in Brodhead in 1949. She worked for the Woolen Mills and Norwood Mills in Janesville. She also waitressed at the Dog House and in her mother's restaurant in Brodhead.

She married Merlyn Moe in Brodhead on Nov. 10, 1950. He preceded her in death on Nov. 1, 2003.

Carole is survived by her daughters, Deborah (Marc) Shapiro of Janesville, Cindy Crum, Vickie Miller and Tammy Naramore all of Brodhead; nine grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren; four great-great grandchildren; one



sister, June Bramble; and many nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Carole was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Merlyn, brother Ernest Jr., two sisters Judy Calvin and Nancy Pope, a sister-in-law Shirley Calvin and two son-in-laws William Crum and Harvey Miller.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be directed to the family in her memory.

Funeral services were held at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 405 E. 9th Avenue, in Brodhead on March 6. A visitation was also held at the church on March 6 until the time of service. Burial concluded at the Greenwood Cemetery.

The DL Newcomer Funeral Home is assisting the family.

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