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**Marriage License Applications**

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**Baby Buzz**

Margo Beatta Iverson, daughter of Jessica and Drew Iverson of Huron, SD, was born October 31st, 2019 in Huron. She weighed 7.2 pounds was 20 inches long. Grandparents are Barb and Neil Iverson of Fairmont and Laurel and Bill Method of Decatur, Nebraska.



**REDINGTON 60TH** - Randy and Elaine Redington of Fairmont will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on Tuesday, November 26th. They were married on Thanksgiving Day in 1959 at St. John Vianney Catholic Church in Fairmont.

**Benefit for Essence a big success**

Last Saturday a benefit and silent auction was held for 9-year-old Essence Leach at the Fairmont Eagles Club.

Benefit organizers and Essence's family would

like to say "thanks" to all who showed up for the benefit. An account also has been set up at Profinium of Fairmont. (Submitted photos)



Essence (front, center) is pictured with her gymnastics team at the benefit Saturday.



Essence with her great-grandma Leach.



**Painted a rust color by nature's hand**

by Darwin R. Anthony

Something of such beauty  
A maple tree sending the message of fall  
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painted rust color by nature's hand  
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understand the message I convey  
I am a gift of fall nature  
appreciate me before my beauty goes away.

**Ruby's Pantry in East Chain November 23**

Ruby's Pantry will have a food distribution in East Chain on Saturday, November 23rd from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the East Chain Evangelical Free Church, 507 280th Avenue.

There are no income or residency guidelines. Ruby's Pantry is funded by the \$20 cash donation per participant for operational costs. Please bring two large boxes or laundry baskets for food. They

receive an abundance of food.

Ruby's Pantry is in its eleventh year serving rural communities with donated surplus food and goods to fight hunger and disease.

For more information, please go to rubyspantry.org or email them at goodnews@rubyspantry.org or you can call them at 507-236-4653.

**Help sponsor the Veterans Appreciation Ride**

Minnesota Snowmobile Education and Advancement Fund and Minnesota United Snowmobilers Association will be hosting the 12th annual snowmobile ride for the veterans and active duty military personnel in January of 2020 in recognition and appreciation of veterans who have given part of their lives to serve.

The event takes place January 11th, 2020 in Two Harbors, MN and the surrounding area. The event is for both experienced snowmobilers and those who would like to give it

a try. The group is seeking donations to help defray the costs of lodging, meals and fuel. Donations in any amount are welcome or you may "Sponsor a Vet" for \$225.

Donations may be sent payable to "MSEAF" at 7040 Lakeland Avenue N. #212, Brooklyn Park, MN 55428.

All funds designated "Veterans Ride" will be segregated for that purpose only and your donation is tax deductible.

For more information on the ride, visit mnavets-snowmobileride.org.



Fairmont resident Shelley Vogel (right), her daughter Lindsay Pohlen (center), and granddaughter Mila Pohlen (left) participated in the Chippewa Falls, WI Troop 3055 Honor Walk in memory of the three Girl Scouts and mother who were killed a year ago by a motor vehicle while performing community service with their troop. Shelley, a former Fairmont GS leader, and Lindsay, a former troop member, are Life Members of Girl Scouts; Mila is a Brownie in Troop #3107. (Submitted photo)

The **Prairieland Antique Tractor Association** will meet at McDonalds in Fairmont on Thursday, November 21st at 7:30 p.m. The public is welcome.

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Immanuel Lutheran Church in Fairmont will have a **Chili and Oyster Stew Dinner** on Friday, November 22nd from 5 to 8 p.m. in the church basement. This event is hosted by Immanuel's Men's Club and Youth Groups. Proceeds go to support Immanuel's Ministries. Join them before or after the GLOWS parade.

The Martin County Humane Society will hold a **Holiday Bake Sale** Saturday, November 23rd from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Fleet and Farm Supply in Fairmont. All proceeds will help with expenses for the animals at the shelter. Everyone is welcome.

We will be **Closed**

**Thursday, November 28 & Friday, November 29**

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# Community Options & Resources Connections

Community Options & Resources (COR) is a private, non-profit organization which provides residential and in-home support services to persons with disabilities in Martin, Jackson and Watonwan Counties. The COR mission is to provide a service promoting the ability of each individual to lead a productive and enjoyable life in all environments with the support of professionally skilled staff.



Kallie (right) has been working for COR for over 5 years. Four of those years have been spent supporting Doug (left). When asked what she likes about her job, Kallie stated, "I love it all. It's so great to come in, and the guys are happy to see me." She added she enjoys joking around with Doug all the time, "He always puts a smile on my face." Doug grins and nods in agreement.

Aside from the jokes, the two find time to pursue Doug's many interests when he isn't working. Despite his initial modesty, it is apparent that Doug is very active. He enjoys dining at local restaurants, shopping, birdwatching, visiting the library, crafting/painting, playing cards, working on puzzles, listening to music (from classic rock to classic country), attending concerts and the fair, decorating his bedroom, visiting family members, etc. In keeping with his affinity for comedy, Doug will watch the Three Stooges, Laurel and Hardy, and The Munsters on Netflix in his leisure time. He's even been known to pull out a Halloween mask randomly throughout the year to surprise his support staff.

If you see Doug and Kallie out in the community, be prepared, as you might just witness some good-hearted shenanigans.

Since 1975, COR's values have been the people we support, our staff, our homes, networking, and the future. If interested in joining the COR team as an employee or a volunteer, please visit [www.cormn.com](http://www.cormn.com) or call (507) 764-4612, ext 5.



Martin County Youth Foundation gave \$1,000 to "Know How" STEM Activity Camps for youth ages 5-18 held around the county to explore hands-on tactile lived experiences to inspire them to learn the theory behind the projects. (L-R): Peter Odgren, board member and instructors Chantill Kahler Royer and Sam Viesselman. (Submitted photo)

## Early Deadlines

### December 4<sup>th</sup> Paper

**NEWS: Mon, Nov 25, 5 p.m.**  
**ADS: Wed, Nov 27, Noon**

**The Photo Press will be CLOSED on Thursday, November 28 & Friday, November 29**

In order to get the Photo Press out in a timely manner, we MUST adhere to these deadlines. Thank you for your cooperation!

## MCHC opening pharmacy in Lake Crystal

The Madelia Community Hospital & Clinic (MCHC) is excited to announce that we will be establishing the Lake Crystal Pharmacy at 210 South Main Street in Lake Crystal, opening in April, 2020. The independent pharmacy will be conveniently located across the street from the Post Office, and will give patients local access to prescription drugs and many over the counter medications.

The Lake Crystal Pharmacy will be a full service pharmacy with state of the industry technology for dispensing medications, tracking sales, and security. It will be fully automated so medical providers can transmit prescriptions, and patients can easily order refills via phone, website or app.

Independent pharmacies like the Lake Crystal Pharmacy, can sometimes offer significant discounts for patients. As a critical

access hospital, MCHC can participate in the 340B Drug Pricing Program, through the federal government. The purpose of 340B is to give qualified providers relief from high drug prices, so they have the resources to provide more and better services to their patients by securing best pricing. By using 340B, MCHC can often provide discounted pharmacy drugs, driving down the medical expenses for the community as a whole. Customers at the Lake Crystal Pharmacy may see a significant savings through the 340B pricing, especially if the prescription originates from an MCHC medical provider.

MCHC is in the process of procuring licenses, hiring pharmacy personnel, and preparing the building for this new business. Construction should begin later this month, or early in December.



Prairie Star Quilt Guild President Debra Engman presents a patriotic quilt to veteran Robert Malo (center) at Goldfinch Estates in Fairmont on Veterans Day. His grandson Douglas Storbeck also attended the Veterans Day celebration. (Submitted photo)

## Create a comic character at the library

Do you like to read Calvin and Hobbes? Baby-mouse? Dogman? Do you like to write? Have you ever drawn a character from different angles? In this class, you'll learn different tools, such as creative writing exercises and drawing tips, which will help you create a comic character.

This program is for 7-12 year old students. Please bring a pencil, notebook and/or sketchbook, and anything else you like to

draw or write with. The program takes place Tuesday, November 26th, from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Martin County Library in Fairmont. It is free and open to the public.

This program is made possible by the voters of Minnesota through a grant provided by the Traverse des Sioux Library Cooperative, thanks to a legislative appropriation from the arts and cultural heritage fund

Come help us celebrate!

## 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party for Tom Childs

**When: Sunday, November 24, 2019**  
**Where: VFW • 1500 Albion Ave. Fairmont, MN**  
**Time: 1:00 p.m. - ??**

(Note: Alcohol Free Event)



The Martin County Sheriff's Office recently received a \$4,750 grant from the Martin County Area Foundation. The grant paid for 4 new AEDs for the squad cars. Pictured left to right Chief Deputy Corey Klanderud, Martin County Area Foundation member Beth Neist, Sheriff Jeff Markquart, Acting Jail Administrator Tanya Rathman. (Submitted photo)

## 3rd Annual East Chain Holiday Market

The third annual East Chain Holiday Market will take place this Saturday, November 23rd from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the East Chain Activity Center, 395 280th Avenue.

This is the biggest sale of the year. It is a one-stop holiday shop for all your favorite vendors, local craft-

ers, trendy products, yummy treats and some new boutiques.

The old East Chain School is located from MN Highway 15, take 50th Street east for 8.3 miles to the East Chain Activity Center (50th Street curves south into 280th Avenue).



Special cards from Mrs. Walters' 1st grade class at Fairmont Area Elementary School were delivered on November 12th to Superintendent Joe Brown in recognition of World Kindness Day! Pictured L-R: Ella Clancy, Jace Breitbarth, Cheston Aust, and Masen Ray. (Submitted photo)

## Martin County Senior Voices Expo Registration

Martin County Senior Voices announces Exhibitor Registration for the December 2nd Health Living Expo is open.

Martin County Senior Voices group is an informal networking group organized to bring community resources together to assist the aging population in maintaining purposeful lifestyles as health issues may change.

To promote awareness of the many resources and services available to assist area citizens to continue active and healthy lifestyles, Martin

County Senior Voices is planning a "Healthy Living and Wellness Expo" on Monday, December 2nd from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Five Lakes Centre in Fairmont.

Special thanks goes to the Kiwanis Early Risers who graciously allowed this event to happen in conjunction with their annual Pancake Fund-raiser, which takes place from 4:30 to 7 p.m.

For more info on being involved as an exhibitor, contact the CER office at 507-235-3141.

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## Differences between Inspection and Appraisal

Guest Columnist

Gillian Tunnell, Realtor Century 21 Northland Realty



What's the difference between an inspection and an appraisal? People are sometimes confused between the two when selling/buying a home.

When a potential buyer signs a purchase agreement, we encourage them to make the sale contingent upon a satisfactory home inspection by a professional inspector. As most houses in this area are "used," it is expected that there will be minor issues that can be easily fixed. but if major problems are present, the buyer then has the choice of negotiating repairs with the sellers, accepting the property in its present condition, or cancelling the agreement altogether. Having an inspection before closing

the deal can help prevent any unpleasant surprises after the buyer takes possession of the home, and the cancellation contingency ensures refund of the earnest money in the event of problems exposed by the inspection. Buyers pay for the inspection at time of performance, generally \$350+, but the cost is generally worth the peace of mind that comes from any potential problems being disclosed before the closing.

An appraisal is the valuation of a home by a licensed appraiser, and reduces the risk to the lender by ensuring they don't lend more than the subject property is worth.

There are several different methods by which an appraiser

arrives at a value for the home. The first is the "comparable approach," which looks at selling prices for similar homes in the neighborhood. The appraiser will make adjustments for any differences between the property and the comparables, to arrive at a fair market value.

A second method is by "cost of replacement," in which the appraiser calculates the replacement value if the property were to be rebuilt.

The third valuation method, "income capitalization," takes a sale price for the property in relation to how much income it would generate - usually reserved for investment properties.

If the valuation is

higher than the purchase price, the buyers should be very happy! However, if the appraisal valuation comes in too low, there are several different options available to save the deal. The buyer and/or seller could make up the difference with a larger down payment; the seller could reduce the price; or the purchase agreement could be cancelled if the purchase agreement contains that contingency.

The cost of an appraisal is around \$400, and is included in the settlement statement at the time of closing.

Although it means extra expense, the optional inspection and the lender-requested appraisal should bring some peace of mind to the buyer, knowing the property has been checked for problems, and that it is worth the price they are paying.

Fairmont United Methodist Church continues its **Wednesday Evening Suppers** from 5 to 6 p.m. at the church, 119 E. 2nd Street in Fairmont. This Wednesday, November 20th, they will serve creamed chicken 'n biscuits and lettuce salad. Next Wednesday, November 27th they will not have a meal due to Thanksgiving break. All dinners include peanut butter and jelly sandwich, beverage and donated desserts. A \$2 donation is suggested.

A **free hot meal** will be served at St. John Vianney Catholic Church, 901 South Prairie the fourth Sunday of every month. Join us this Sunday, November 24th at 6:00 p.m. in the hospitality area. All are welcome.

Join Martin County Library in Fairmont on Wednesday, November 27th at 10 a.m. for a **Turkey Takeover event**. Geared for ages 6-10, kids will recreate edible masterpieces. This event is free and open to the public. Call 238-4207 with questions.

Nazareth Lutheran Church in Armstrong, Iowa will have their annual **NLCW Silent Festive Auction** on Sunday, November 24th at 2 p.m. They will have new items, baked goods, homemade items and crafts to bid on. Invite your friends and enjoy an afternoon of fun and fellowship.

The Ceylon High School Reunion Committee is planning for the next **Ceylon High School All-School Reunion**, which will take place June 27th, 2020. Make sure you save the date. Do you know of any family members with address changes since the last reunion? If so, contact committee member Jim Plumhoff at 507-632-4368.

Grace Lutheran Church in Fairmont hosts an **open door meal** Wednesday evenings from 4:45 to 6:00 p.m. each week. Wednesday, November 20th they will serve creamed chicken on a biscuit. On November 27th they will not have a meal because of Thanksgiving. All meals include fruit, veggies, peanut butter/jelly sandwich, cookies, milk, water and coffee. Free will donation.

First Congregational United Church of Christ in Fairmont will have a **Free Community Meal** Wednesday, November 27th from 5:30 p.m. until gone. Join them for Friendship Casserole, pasta salad and dessert. All you have to bring is your appetite and your friends.

First Congregational Church of Sherburn will have a **Thanksgiving potluck** on Sunday, November 24th. It will take place at 11 a.m. right after church services. Anyone who is interested can stay after potluck to help decorate the church for Christmas.

## Mayo urges steps to prevent norovirus, other gastrointestinal illnesses

The early onset of wintry weather has forced many indoors where infectious diseases more easily spread from person to person.

One of these common and contagious viruses can be particularly nasty: norovirus. With norovirus, people can experience severe stomach pain, vomiting and diarrhea. Norovirus is a group of related viruses that can cause gastroenteritis, which is an inflammation of the stomach and intestines. An infected person is contagious from the onset of symptoms to days after recovery.

"Prevention is particularly important with norovirus because there is no vaccine, and there is no treatment. An infected person simply has to manage symptoms until it passes," says Marie Morris, M.D., Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont medical director. "The holidays are a particularly difficult time to acquire the illness because those infected should stay away from other people as much as possible due to norovirus being highly contagious."

Anyone can get infected with norovirus and become sick. Also, you can get norovirus illness many

times in your life.

Norovirus is the leading cause of foodborne illness outbreaks in Minnesota. Each year, norovirus causes approximately 20 million illnesses, resulting in thousands of hospitalizations and hundreds of deaths. The symptoms can lead to dehydration, especially in young children, older adults and people with other illnesses.

Mayo Clinic Health System offers these tips to prevent illness:

• **Stay home if you are sick.**

This means staying home from school and work. Food service workers are required by law to stay home if they are sick.

• **Practice proper hand hygiene.**

Wash your hands carefully with soap and water, especially after

using the restroom and changing diapers, and before preparing foods or eating. Wash your hands more often when someone in your household is sick.

• **Use alcohol-based hand sanitizer.**

Carry a small bottle of hand sanitizer to use prior to eating out in public.

• **Be smart in the kitchen.**

Do not prepare food while you are sick with norovirus, are experiencing norovirus symptoms and for at least three days after you recover. Carefully rinse fruits and vegetables, and thoroughly cook oysters and other shellfish before serving.

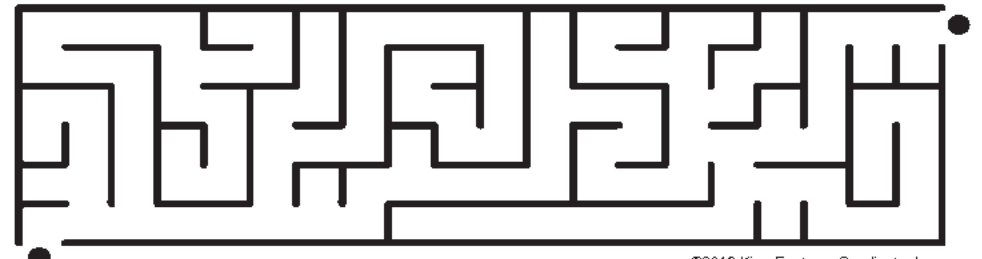
• **Clean and disinfect contaminated surfaces.**

Use a household bleach solution (up to 1½ cups of bleach in 1 gallon of water) to clean surfaces.

Jeff's Jottings!



## Kids' Maze



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# What's Cooking

with Kathy Lloyd

## A Timely Recipe

The Lloyd hunting party did not get a deer last weekend, Maggie and I were mighty happy when the man of our house returned safe and sound. We just got word that our fourteen-year-old granddaughter Taylor got her second deer of the season today. I guess she is turning out to be the hunter of the family! I can live without venison, although we do eat jerky, sausage and I can tell no difference if I use ground venison in chili.

This time of the year I am always browsing through my recipe file looking for holiday recipes that use ingredients that remind me of the holidays, such is the one I am sharing with you this week, I have no idea who gave it to me, its easy to make and the muffins are best served warm.

### Cranberry Muffins:

Mix together in a small bowl, 1 cup fresh or frozen cranberries, halved with 1/2 cup sugar and 1 tsp. grated orange rind, set aside.

Whisk together in a large bowl: 1 egg, 1/4 cup sugar, 1/2 cup orange juice and 1 tsp. canola oil. To this stir in 2 cups Bisquick, stir just until moistened, then fold in cranberry mixture. Divide muffin mixture between 12 greased muffin tins, Bake in a preheated 375 degree oven for 20-25 minutes.

Have a great week!

## St. John Vianney honor roll announced

St. John Vianney School in Fairmont has announced their 1st Quarter 2019-2020 Honor Roll:

### GRADE 5:

- High Honors
- Clare Striemer
- "A" Honor Roll - none
- "B" Honor Roll
- Makenna Fischer
- Norah Heille

- Leo Juarez
- Regina Oberbeck

### GRADE 6:

- High Honors
- Ella Krahmer
- Bel Lutterman
- "A" Honor Roll - none
- "B" Honor Roll
- Thomas Hamlet
- Brylee Miller
- Seth Siebring
- Isaac Stone

### COUNTY OF MARTIN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Revisions to the County Fee Schedule

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that the Martin County Board of Commissioners (Martin County, MN) will be conducting a Public Hearing on **Tuesday, December 3, 2019, at 10:00AM** in the Martin County Commissioner Room, 201 Lake Avenue, Fairmont, MN 56031. The purpose of the public hearing is pursuant to Minnesota Statute 373.41 regarding proposed fee changes to the Martin County Fee Schedule for the Martin County Planning and Zoning Department.

Anyone interested in viewing the proposed fee schedule changes related to the Martin County Planning and Zoning Department may do so at the Martin County Coordinator's Office during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. or view on the County's website at [www.co.martin.mn.us](http://www.co.martin.mn.us)

All interested parties are encouraged to attend the hearing and provide comments either orally or in writing on the proposed fees. If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may submit written comments to the Martin County Coordinators' Office, Room #100, 201 Lake Avenue, Fairmont, MN 56031 prior to the Hearing date.

Questions about the proposed fee changes can be directed to Scott Higgins, Martin County Coordinator at 507-238-3124.

By Order of the  
Martin County Board of Commissioners  
Dated this 5th day of November 2019.

## 25 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

### WEEK OF

NOVEMBER 23, 1969

The Truman FFA Chapter was named the best in the state for its participation in the Operation Green Stripe program sponsored by the FFA, Monsanto Company, and Cenex/Land O' Lakes. The program encourages farmers to plant vegetative buffer strips between farm fields and streams.

The Fairmont Interactive Television Committee is sponsoring an open house in the ITV Room at Fairmont High School. Visitors will have the opportunity to experience audio and visual interaction between multiple sites, face-to-face communication.

A Veterans Day Program was given by Martin County VFW Post 1222 Auxiliary to 445 kindergarten through second grade students at Budd School. Those who took part were Verdell Warnick, Lois Zeitz, Sharon Pierce, Judy Tesdahl, Marie Madsen, Marci Fraker, Myrtle Meschke, Irene Borowiak and Marge Eiden.

## 50 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

### WEEK OF

NOVEMBER 23, 1969

The Photo Press printed a front page sketch of one of the 25 buildings planned for the \$1,941,000 low income housing project to be built in the southeast area of Fairmont within a year. The floor plan showed two one-bedroom apartments and three efficiency apartments, which will be duplicated in the area surrounding a central community space, office and utility rooms.

Band directors Richard Scherer and Richard Bowdin had been notified that the Fairmont High School Band had been selected as Band of the Week in WCCO's prep parade. They also gained further distinction by being named Band of the Year.

The First National Bank announced the addition of an agricultural representative, Robert Seidel.

## eat play shop LOCAL

## November is National Caregivers Month

CREST in Martin County joins hundreds of volunteer caregiving organizations across the nation in celebrating the month of November as National Family Caregivers Month.

"For more than 21 years, CREST has been providing free services such as live at home services, caregiver support services, and volunteer opportunities in the communities of Martin County to those with chronic care issues," said Rob Stauter, Executive Director of CREST. CREST is one of several hundred organizations around the country that offers vital assistance through its leadership as part of the care continuum in the community."

Locally, CREST serves 200 people who are currently enrolled in the program, including approximately 60 individuals that participate in caregiver support groups. Thanks to support from more than 75 active volunteers, CREST care receivers have access to a variety of support including trips

to the grocery store, help with light housekeeping, friendly visits, yard work and minor repairs around the house. "CREST has been a lifesaver for me as they take me where I need to go, but they also remove my snow that needs to be shoveled," said Care Receiver Kathy Karstedt. "I feel it's very important for CREST to keep going, not only for myself, but also for others in the same situation I'm in."

CREST was launched in 1998 by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. Today, hundreds of volunteer hours and volunteer miles have been donated to people in need. "Some of the relationships created through volunteer caregiving go back 10-12 years!" said Stauter, who has been with CREST for 20 years.

For more information, contact your local organization, CREST, at (507) 235-3833 or visit [www.crestvolunteers.org](http://www.crestvolunteers.org) to volunteer, donate or inquire about services.



## Ask A Trooper: Dash Cams

by Sgt. Troy Christianson, MN State Patrol

**Question: I see a lot of dash camera footage on YouTube and online altogether. This got me thinking are dash cams legal?**

**Answer:** Minnesota law allows driver feedback and safety monitoring equipment when mounted immediately behind, slightly above, or slightly below the rearview mirror. Mounting directly on the "dashboard" of the vehicle is not allowed as that could obstruct the vision of the driver.

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*If you have any questions concerning traffic related laws or issues in Minnesota send your questions to Sgt. Troy Christianson - Minnesota State Patrol at 2900 48th Street NW, Rochester MN 55901-5848. (Or reach him at, [Troy.Christianson@state.mn.us](mailto:Troy.Christianson@state.mn.us))*

## St. James Lutheran School Honor Roll

St. James Lutheran School—Northrop announced its 2019-2020 Quarter One Honor Roll:

**High Honors (GPA of 3.5 or better/all A's and B's):** Cedar Bohlsen (Grade 5), Harley Geistfeld (Grade 7), Jackson Luhmann (Grade 6), Brianna Petrowiak (Grade 8), Bethany Petrowiak

(Grade 8), Grace Rossow (Grade 6), Madison Sokoloski (Grade 6)

**Honors (GPA of 3.00-3.49/no grade lower than a "C"):** Owen Blaufuss (Grade 6), Mason Engel (Grade 6), Chase Hillmer (Grade 7), Caleb Meyer (Grade 5), Avril Wiens (Grade 6), Abby Wolter (Grade 7).

## MARTIN COUNTY PORK PRODUCERS Ambassador Scholarship

Open to High School Seniors and College Students to age 21.

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Deadline to apply is January 14, 2020.

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## OBITUARY notices

### Barbara J. Klenz, 55

A memorial service for Barbara J. Klenz, 55, of Balko, OK, formerly of the Fairmont area was held on November 15th, 2019 in Balko. Barb passed away November 11th, 2019 in Buffalo, OK after a short

bout with cancer.

Barb was born December 9th, 1963. She was baptized and confirmed at Grace Lutheran Church of Fairmont. Barb received her education at Ceylon Public School, graduating in 1982. She attended Golden Valley Lutheran College for two years.

During her life, Barb worked at a number of jobs in various states. She had a tender heart for all of God's animals.

Her main concern throughout her life was for her children. She is survived by her children: Damian and Jordan Busch and Dacey and Logan Busby, all of Oklahoma; her mother, Judith Klenz of Fairmont; brothers - Dean (Pam) and family of Evergreen, CO and Michael (Christine) and family of Bancroft, Iowa; also aunts, uncles and cousins. She was preceded in death by her dad, Russell Klenz,

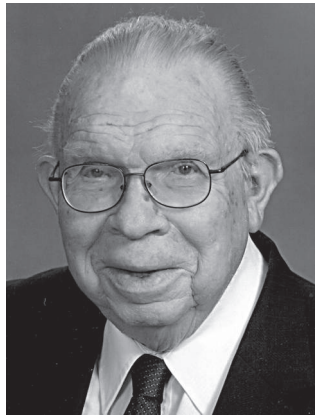
grandparents, Paul and Lorena Klenz and Otto and Mabel Brammeier.

There will be a family gathering in the spring to honor and remember Barb.

Memorials are preferred to the Martin County Humane Society or Lutheran Social Services of MN.

John 3:16 - and may she always rest in God's peace.

### Theodore H. Kuske, 88



Memorial Service for Theodore H. Kuske, 88, of Fairmont, will be 11:00 a.m. Monday, November 25th, 2019, at Shepherd of the Lakes Evangelical Lutheran Church in Fair-

mont. Visitation will be 9:30 a.m. until the time of the service at the church Monday. Theodore passed away on Wednesday evening, November 13th, 2019, at Mayo Clinic Health System in Mankato. Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Fairmont is assisting the family with arrangements. Memorials are preferred to Martin Luther College Scholarship Fund or to the WELS Church Extension Fund.

Theodore Herbert Kuske was born January 14th, 1931, in Circle, MT. He was the son of Pastor Paul and Leona (Zier) Kuske. Theodore was baptized February 1st, 1931. He graduated from

Dr. Martin Luther High School in New Ulm, in 1947. Theodore attained his undergraduate degree from Northwestern College in Watertown, WI in 1951, and later graduated from Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary in Mequon, WI, in 1955, with a Master of Divinity. He worked as a high school instructor at Michigan Lutheran Seminary in Saginaw, MI, before his ordination/installation as pastor at Zion Lutheran Church of Broomfield Township and St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Remus, MI.

On May 10th, 1959, Theodore was united in marriage to Elaine Strong at Zion of Broomfield Twp., MI. This union was blessed

with five children, Doris, Daniel, Stephen, Linda, and Mark. The family resided in various locations where Theodore served in Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod congregations including Remus-Broomfield, MI, Bloomington-Minneapolis, Cochrane-Cream-Buffalo City, WI, Wonewoc, WI, and Goodhue-Minneola, MN. After retiring from the ministry, Theodore worked fourteen years as a custodian for Rochester, public schools. He and Elaine were blessed with over sixty years together.

During his free time, Theodore enjoyed gardening, Sudoku puzzles, as well as reading historical books, theological books

## DEATH notices



November 11 - Barbara J. Klenz, 55, Balko, OK (formerly of rural Fairmont)

November 13 - Theodore H. Kuske, 88, Fairmont Lakeview Funeral and Cremation Service

November 17 - Bonnie J. Miller, 81, Truman Zaharia Family Funeral Home

### In Memorium

#### One Year Ago This Week

November 10 - Leslie R. Smock, 80, Booneville, AK, (formerly of Fairmont)

November 15 - Edward Beckman, 78, Fairmont

November 16 - Roland L. Milow, 92, Truman

November 17 - Bernard "Benny" Lutterman, 91, rural Alpha

November 17 - Bradley L. Larson, 63, rural Sherburn

November 18 - William Monroe, 86, Odin

and journals, and current news magazines.

Left to cherish his memory include his wife, Elaine; daughter, Doris (Tony) Rosener and their son, Bradley; son, Daniel (Kathryn) Kuske; son, Stephen Kuske and his children, John, Joel, and Erika; daughter, Linda (Mark) Hughes and their children, Crystal and Seth; and son, Mark (Michelle) Kuske and their children, Daniel (Jessica), Kaitlyn (Micah) Bader, and Jonah; great grandchildren, Belle, Dolores, and

Emzara Kuske; siblings, Prof. Em. David (Gwenith) Kuske, Naomi (Frederick) Mahnke, Pastor Em. Norman (Mareolin) Kuske, Philip Kuske and sister-in-law, Gladys Strong; nieces, nephews and friends. He was preceded in death by his brother-in-law, Maynard Strong.

Philippians 1:21 "For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain."

[lakeviewfuneralhome.net](http://lakeviewfuneralhome.net)

### Calvin J. VandenHoek, 94



Calvin J. VandenHoek, age 94, of Garvin, Minnesota, died peacefully Friday, November 15th, 2019 at the Good Samaritan

Society - Mary Jane Brown Home in Luverne. A private family memorial service to celebrate Cal's life will be held at a later date.

Calvin James VandenHoek was born December 26th, 1924 to John and Edith (Kuiper) VandenHoek in Vesper, Wisconsin. Cal was baptized February 1st, 1925 at the Christian Reformed Church in Vesper. The family moved to Winnipeg, Canada when Cal was two years old. Two years later, they relocated to Everett, Washington. During Cal's childhood, he had a newspaper route, and a lawn mowing business with his brother. Cal attended Christian school through the 8th grade in Everett. He made his confession of faith in 1939 at

the Christian Reformed Church in Everett. Cal graduated from Everett Public School in 1943. He spent a short time in Idaho after graduation before being drafted into the United States Army in December 1944. He served in WWII in the 100th Machine Records Unit as a Sergeant in Military Intelligence. He was stationed in Guam, Saipan and Tinian until his honorable discharge in August of 1946. On July 18th, 1947, Cal was united in marriage to Mildred Valentien at Uncle John Valentien's farmhouse in Cottonwood County, near Comfrey, Minnesota. The couple moved around a bit during their first two years of marriage, before his job transferred him

to Luverne, Minnesota in 1949. Cal's career was working in telephone maintenance for various telephone companies such as Northwestern Bell, U.S. West, and Quest. On July 23, 1982, Cal officially retired. In 1994, he and Mildred sold their home in Luverne and moved to a lake home on Lake Sarah in Garvin, Minnesota. In 2018, it would make 33 years the couple headed South as snow birds - 2 years in Texas and 31 in Arizona.

Cal attended Lake Sarah Baptist Church in rural Slayton, Minnesota. During his time in Luverne, he was a member of the Luverne Christian Reformed Church where he served two years as

janitor. Cal was a charter board member of the Luverne indoor swimming pool and served two years. He especially enjoyed cars and boats.

Cal is lovingly remembered by his wife, Mildred of Garvin; children, Kathleen (Scott) McClure of Homosassa, Florida, John VandenHoek of Luverne, Mary (John) Rodgers of Fairmont, Mark (Patty) VandenHoek of Magnolia, Minnesota; two daughters-in-law, Shirley VandenHoek and Diane VandenHoek of Luverne; 18 grandchildren, Paul VandenHoek, Mary Taylor, Megan Morrison, Kelly Peterson, Matthew McClure, Charise VanMaasdam, Justin VandenHoek, Jessy Hoven, Josh Vanden

Hoek, Maggie Vandenburg, Molly Brummond, Ingrid Bjercknes, Sarah Clements, Emily Trindal, Jerod Ohlsen, Brandy Fjeldheim, and Ruby Ganser; 31 great-grandchildren (with another to be born in March 2020!); and siblings, Kenneth (Arlene) VandenHoek of Britt, Iowa and Elaine Van of Chula Vista, California. Calvin was preceded in death by his parents, Rev. John and Edith VandenHoek; son, Robert VandenHoek; daughter, Julie Ohlsen; son-in-law, Terry Ohlsen; grandson, Bryce Ohlsen; great-granddaughter, Mily Hoven; brother, Julius VandenHoek; and sister, Hildred Vonhof-Einfeld.

[hartquistfuneral.com](http://hartquistfuneral.com)

## 2019 Martin County 4H Recognition Banquet

Friends, families, and community supporters gathered to celebrate the accomplishments of 4-H members and to show appreciation for the service of 4-H volunteers at

the 2019 4-H Awards and Recognition Banquet, held Sunday, November 17th, at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Fairmont.

This year's theme was Martin County 4-H:

"Watch US Shine!" The evening began with fun activities, which included glow stick games, a book-mark craft, and time to socialize.

Those in attendance

enjoyed a catered dinner by Nancy Jo's Catering.

A big "Thank You" goes to Elm Creek 4-H Club and 4-H Fox Lake Club who served as Banquet Hosts this year.



Friend of 4-H Award Individual winner, Mike Tonne.



The 2019-2020 4-H Federation Officers (l to r) Jazlyn Geerdes, Sarah Fisher, Anika Jensen, and Misty Geerdes. (Submitted photos)



Friend of 4-H Award Business winner CHS, Inc. accepted by Brandon Nordstrom.



"I Dare You" Award winner, Elizabeth Fisher - (pictured at right) with 4-H Educator, Kristie Gaalswyk-Pomerence.

# Dining and Entertainment

## Taking Baking Orders for Thanksgiving!

Baking: Apple Pies, French Silk, Raspberry, Pumpkin Pies, Applecranberry. ALSO, Applecrisps, Turnovers, Cider Donuts and pressing a fresh batch of cider today.

Apples: **B-51 and Honeycrisp.**

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The week of Thanksgiving we will only be open Monday through Wednesday, then Saturday & Sunday. Then will only be open weekends in December.

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## Sherburn Lions Club Prime Rib Supper

Saturday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> • 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.  
at the Sherburn American Legion  
Cost (per person): \$18 (presale)  
\$20 (at the door)

Tickets may be purchased from Lions members, Bank Midwest Sherburn, Amborn Lumber in Sherburn, Fairmont Photo Press or at the door.

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Thursday, November 21 • 7pm: Meeting

Friday, November 22 • 5-7pm: Burger Night

Month's Burger: The Eagle's Nest

Burgers \$6



1/3# burger topped with American & Swiss cheese, fried egg & onion rings!

Sunday, November 24 • 4-8pm: Bob Petrowiak

Monday, November 25: Kitchen opens 5pm • Bingo 7pm

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## Chili & Oyster Stew Dinner

Fri., Nov. 22 • 5-8 pm

Before or after the Glows Parade!

Immanuel Lutheran Church Basement, 1200 N. North Avenue, Fairmont

Adults: \$9.00  
Kids 6-12: \$5.00  
Kids Age 5 & Under: \$2.00

Hosted by: Immanuel's Men's Club & Youth Groups. Proceeds go to support Immanuel's ministries.

## Coming to the Fairmont Opera House...

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## HOT MEALS ON WHEELS

Hot Meals on Wheels are Monday through Saturday for convalescents and persons who cannot purchase and prepare adequate meals. Meals are prepared by Lakeview Methodist Healthcare and volunteers deliver in Fairmont between 11 a.m. and noon each day. This is a community project and is non-profit and not government funded. For more info on Hot Meals on Wheels, contact Karen Toupal 507-236-8781.

## ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Menus subject to change. NOV 21 - 27

THUR: Meat & cheese wrap, potatoe chips, veggie sticks, pineapple.

FRI: Hamburger hotdish, peas, bread, peas.

MON: Chicken noodle hotdish, green beans, biscuit, fruit.

TUE: Soft shell taco, blueberries.

WED: No school.

## ST. PAUL LUTHERAN ST. JOHN VIANNEY ARISE ACADEMY FAIRMONT

Menus subject to change due to inclement weather, shortages or delays in shipping. NOV 21 - 27

THUR: Cheese pizza, corn, broccoli, peas.

FRI: Sloppy joe, fries, carrots, orange.

MON: Turkey sandwich, pumpkin bar, tater tots, carrots, pineapple chunks.

TUE: Cheeseburger, tater tots, celery sticks, applesauce. (SPL ONLY)

WED: No school.

## Knights of Columbus Wine/Beer Sampling Event

The Fairmont Knights of Columbus held their annual Wine and Beer Sampling Event at the KC Hall last week. Many people turned out to sample the wines and craft beers from area

wineries and business establishments. Proceeds from the event went to KC Community Projects. (Photos by Morgan A. Larson)



## SENIOR DINING WEEKLY MENU

Senior Dining is served each weekday at 11:30 a.m. at Friendship Village Monday thru Friday. Meals catered by Lakeview Methodist Healthcare. To reserve your meal, call 238-1650 between 9 a.m. and noon the day before. All area seniors welcome. LSS Senior Nutrition is made possible in part under the Federal Older American Act through an award from the MN River Area Agency on Aging under an area plan approved by the MN Board on Aging. NOV 21 - 27

THURS: Meatballs, baked potato, winter mix veggie, bread pudding.

FRI: Tilapia, scalloped potatoes, tomatoes & zucchini, ice cream.

MON: Meatloaf, creamed potatoes, peas & carrots, pie.

TUE: Pork chops, garden rice, corn, spiced apple ring, blueberry crisp.

WED: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, harvard beets, cheesecake with cherry topping.

## FAIRMONT AREA

Menus subject to change due to inclement weather, shortages or delays in shipping. Breakfast menu can be found online.

NOV 21 - 27

THUR: K-6: Chicken nuggets, dinner roll, blueberry parfait, tater tots, tossed salad, mandarin oranges, frozen strawberries. JR/HS: Toasted patty melt, tater tots, corn, potato salad, broccoli, apple, mandarin oranges.

FRI: K-6: French bread pepperoni pizza, sunbutter & pretzel fun lunch, broccoli with cheese, cucumbers, apple, peaches. JR/HS: Sloppy joes, fries, green beans, veggie pasta salad, pepper strips, orange, fruit cocktail.

MON: K-6: Sloppy joe, ham & cheese sandwich, green beans, tomatoes, orange, apple slices. JR/HS: Turkey sandwich, pumpkin bar, tater tots, peas, carrots, coleslaw, apple, pineapple tidbits.

TUE: No school.

WED: No school.



# Jeff's Jottings



### A new "What is it?"

Last week's "What is it?" item was answered fairly quickly. Brian Olson emailed Wednesday saying it was a bullet mold, which it is, but I was looking for more specifics. Greg Belknap of Ceylon emailed me Thursday and said it was a mold for making musket balls. He said he has one from his dad and the heavy duty ladle used to pour molten lead into the mold. Rob-

our office. It measures 19 inches wide and can expand to about 4 or 5 feet in length. It has three adjustable mounts and is made entirely of metal. So do you know what it is? If you know the answer or want to guess what it is, email me at [jeff@fairmontphotopress.com](mailto:jeff@fairmontphotopress.com) or call us at 507-238-9456 with your answer. Do you have an item you think would be good to have in this column? Just bring it in and we will take some pictures and get measurements and you will see it featured in a future Photo Press.



ert Polzin and Larry Cihak also answered the same. So there you have it. Our item from two weeks ago was answered by Paul Peters of Ceylon. He stated that the item was a pump for filling the old kerosene lanterns years ago. This week I have an item that was brought to

I have really enjoyed the amount of response the Photo Press has received for the "What is it?" portion of my jottings each week. I many times get a number of answers to my items each week, but I get even more comments from people who can't wait to see what I feature each week. A while back I tried a new concept, where instead of posting a gadget for the "What is it?" I posted some photos of the excavation of the empty lot on the south side of the old Iron Grill building that was torn down on the north end

of Downtown Plaza in Fairmont. During excavation, a foundation was discovered under that empty lot and I asked if anyone knew what it was. This past week I saw a post on social media from Brian Ruschy with a couple photos of that exact corner from back a number of years ago (below) showing that it was the Grant Oil Company, that had Conoco gas pumps and it apparently was a Champlin repair facility as you can see in the photo. Chris Hanning also emailed me two aerial photos from years ago in the Sentinel showing the site.



holiday spirit" as Fairmont GLOWS returns to the area. To kick off the evening, Santa will be arriving at the Fairmont Airport and then will make his way to Downtown Plaza for the big GLOWS parade starting at 6 p.m. Some local groups and churches will have food for purchase that night and Fairmont stores will have GLOWS specials this weekend, so stop in and shop locally to find all your Christmas and Thanksgiving items!

### Prime rib, bake sale and oyster stew

Here's what's happening in the coming week: • Wednesday, November 20th Fairmont United Methodist Church will serve creamed chicken 'n biscuits along with lettuce salad from 5 to 6 p.m. • Wednesday, November 20th at Grace Lutheran they will serve creamed chicken and biscuits from 4:45 to 6 p.m. • Friday, November 22nd Immanuel Lutheran Church will have a chili and oyster stew dinner from 5 to 8 p.m. in the church basement. • Saturday, November 23rd from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. a bake sale will be held at Fleet &

Farm in Fairmont. All proceeds benefit the Martin County Humane Society. • Don't forget - the Sherburn Lions Club Prime Rib Supper is Saturday, November 23rd from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Sherburn American Legion. • Sunday, November 24th the United Church of Christ in Sherburn has its Thanksgiving Potluck starting at 11 a.m. • Also Sunday, November 24th Nazareth Lutheran Church in Armstrong, Iowa will have its Silent Festive Auction starting at 2 p.m. They have lots of great items up for auction, along with some baked goods. • Sunday, November 24th there will be a free hot meal at the Hope Cafe at St. John Vianney Catholic Church at 6 p.m. • Monday, November 25th the Regional Worship Center in Sherburn will host a pancake, sausage and egg breakfast from 7 to 9 a.m. Have a great week!

*Drive safely - visit a shut-in or family member - eat/play/shop local - come GLOW in Fairmont Friday!*

*Jeff*

## "Just the other day"

Guest Columnist

Tom Palen, broadcaster, pilot, writer

### "The Humidifier"

He didn't do anything wrong and he certainly didn't deserve it. Our black cat, Edgar Allan, was sitting in the living room bay window, watching the birds outside at the feeder. The Black-Capped Chickadees and Nuthatches flutter about; sporadically flying from the trees to the feeder. They snatch a sunflower seed or two, then fly back to the tall pine trees where they'll feast on their find. Edgar watched with intense interest; his head twitched about as he focused on different birds.

"Are you keeping an eye on those birds, Edgar?" I went to give him a gentle rub on the head. As the palm of my hand touched the tip of his ear - ZAP! Static shock.

Edgar jumped off the sill, shot across the living room and went tearing down the hallway. He must have disturbed our dog June, because she came running from the hall toward the living room. Edgar was still in frantic mode as he passed June, ran laps around the house, bouncing off walls and furniture, finally taking shelter in his crinkle-tunnel. His head appeared through the hole in the middle of the tube to spectate the scene of the incident from a safe distance. Between my spells of laughter, I tried to ask, "Are you okay,

buddy?" Edgar glared at me as if I'd shocked him on purpose. June shook her head, "Edgar, you're so melodramatic. It was just a little spark."

A bit later, when June approached me, I could tell what was on her mind. "Do you need to go potty, Bugs?" She's very good at letting us know when she needs to go outside. June hasn't had an accident in the house since she was a puppy, over nine years ago. "You're a good girl, June Bug," I praised her as I went to give her an affectionate rub on the head.

When June sees a hand coming toward her, she optimistically checks for an incoming treat. Right when her cold wet nose touched my hand, BANG! A big discharge of static electricity sparked

between us. June wagged her tail and trotted for the front door, "That was a good one, Dad!"

A little after four, Melissa got home from work. She walked in the front door with her coat bundled tight, her purse over her shoulder, a lunch bag in one hand and an insulated coffee mug in the other. We greeted each other, "Hi, how was your day?" I asked as I went to give her a little kiss on the cheek, POW! A static spark popped between us. I laughed, claiming my kisses are electrifying; she didn't see it that way. "I guess it's time to...

...an imminent dispute...someone gets hurt...he deserved it...

For the rest of this story, visit our website at [Fairmontphotopress.com](http://Fairmontphotopress.com).



Fairmont Area Schools senior student, Evan Carlson, has been named a Rotary "Student of the Week." Evan is the son of Paul and Lisa Carlson. Evan has remained active during high school through his participation in band, choir, musicals, tennis, hockey, and soccer. Following graduation, Evan will attend St. Olaf College or Gustavus College. His career path is that of music therapy so Evan plans to major in psychology / neuroscience and minor in music. (Submitted photo)



Emily Kerekes is a senior at Fairmont Area High School and has been named a Rotary "Student of the Week." Emily is the daughter of Michael and Mary Jo Kerekes. She has one older sister, Lydia, and a younger sister, Angelica. During high school Emily has been active in cross country, track and field, debate, mock trial, speech, national honor society, and serves as the cello president for orchestra. Following graduation, Emily's current plans are to attend Liberty University in Lynchburg, VA to study business and engineering. (Submitted photo)



The East Chain 4-H Club met at the Bowl Mor Lanes on Sunday, November 3rd, 2019. Roll call was "What's something or someone you're thankful for?" We celebrated two November birthdays.

The 4-H recognition banquet will be held Sunday, November 17th, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

The next meeting will be our Christmas Party at the Red Rock Center at 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 8th, 2019. We will have an ugly sweater contest, a \$5.00 gift exchange, and a potluck. We will go caroling after the party.

Demonstrators were Abby and Daniel Calkins and Dylan Preuss. Club members bowled after the meeting.

Respectfully,  
Addison Barrick

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# 30th annual GLOWS parade


Friday, November 22  
6:00 p.m.

*Join us for the parade & pre-parade activities.*

- Santa and Mrs. Claus, direct from the North Pole, will be arriving at the Fairmont Municipal Airport via the North Pole Express around 4:00 p.m. on Friday, November 22nd.
  - Join us along Downtown Plaza later in the evening as we kick off the Holiday season with the annual Glows Parade, complete with pre and post-parade activities.
  - The Immanuel Lutheran Church will be serving Chili and Oyster Stew from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
  - The MCSAP Coalition will be hosting a Youth Fun Night at the Martin County Youth for Christ Lighthouse until 9pm.
  - The Fairmont Opera House will feature Hornucopia, Saturday, November 23 beginning at 7:30 p.m.
  - The Blazer Bar & Grill will have LIVE ENTERTAINMENT as well as food and drinks following the parade.
  - The Glows Parade will begin at 6:00 p.m. Come experience this brilliant display of holiday cheer, the wonderful floats, thousands of lights, and the appearance of Santa on the 30th Anniversary of the Fairmont Glows Parade.
  - Chamber Retail Committee will be selling "Fairmont First Raffle Buttons!" \$5 Night of Parade. Raffle for Chamber Dollars!
- Questions? Contact the Fairmont Area Chamber of Commerce: 235-5547



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# The Guy From Just Around the Corner

By Al Batt

My neighbor Crandall stops by.

"How are you doing?" I ask.

"Everything is nearly copacetic. I got my old truck fixed."

"What was wrong with it?" I say.



"It needed a longer dipstick. The old one couldn't reach the oil."

## The Raptor Center

Established in 1974, The Raptor Center at the University of Minnesota treats around 1,000 sick or injured raptors each year in its clinic and trains veterinary students and veterinarians from all over the world. On October 18th, for the first time in The Raptor Center's 45 years, a nestling barn owl was admitted to the clinic. There are few reported barn owl nests in Minnesota. This nest was found in a barn in Douglas County, making it the northernmost barn owl nest reported in Minnesota in the last 50 years according to the DNR. The Center specializes in the medical care, rehabilitation, and conservation of eagles, hawks, owls, and falcons. Contact information: 612-624-4745 or raptor@umn.edu 1920 Fitch Avenue, St. Paul.

## Unicorn or Sasquatch

Narwhals are related to bottlenose dolphins, belugas, harbor porpoises, and orcas. Narwhals have two teeth. In males, the more prominent tooth grows into a swordlike, spiral tusk up to 9 feet long. Scientists are unsure of the tusk's purpose — mating rituals, impress females, battle rivals or as a sensory organ. Before the Age of Enlightenment, nervous royals paid enormous sums for magical things they believed would neutralize, expose or repel poison. The most coveted was the unicorn horn. Vikings traded narwhal tusks to European traders who took them to be unicorn horns. In Medieval times, people believed unicorn horns had magical pow-

ers. A cup carved from a unicorn horn protected the person drinking from it, who was one who could never be poisoned. Herman Melville wrote that a narwhal tusk hung in Windsor Castle after being gifted to Queen Elizabeth. Narwhals spend their lives in the Arctic waters of Canada, Greenland, Norway, and Russia.

## Meanwhale, in Sitka

I watched humpback whales in Sitka, Alaska, in November. Humpbacks travel nearly nonstop for 6-8 weeks to breeding grounds, with some covering nearly 3,000 miles. About 94% go to Hawaii, the rest to Mexico. While in warmer waters, humpbacks mate and give birth. The females are at least 8 years old before becoming mothers (they live 40-50 years), have an 11.5-month gestation period, and give birth to a single calf (10-15 feet long at birth) every 1-3 years. By May the whales are back in Southeast Alaska.

## Q&A

"I saw a flock of bald eagles circling over my farm. Is that common?" It was likely another big bird doing the circling — the turkey vulture. Bald eagles tend to migrate and soar alone, but may follow others to feeding grounds or roosts.

"Do we really swallow eight spiders a year in our sleep?" I don't know what you've been up to, but I haven't been spending time eating spiders. Unless you order spiders on your pizza or are a professional spider-swallower, you haven't been swallowing spiders. An open mouth brings snoring that sounds like a souped-up Hoover vacuum cleaner and frightens spiders away.

"Do the hedge apples sold in supermarkets repel spiders?" Not unless you throw them at the spiders. A hedge apple, the fruit of the Osage orange tree, wards off no spiders. Spiders live on the trees and build webs on the fallen fruit.

## Things to see

The dawn was incred-

ible. I watched in silence. The sun doesn't rise to hear the rooster crow, but the stars are out all day in the winter plumage of European starlings: glossy, speckled feathers with white tips resembling stars, and black bills.

Short-tailed weasels (ermine) are white except for black tail tips.

Tundra swans congregate on the Mississippi River south of Brownsville in migration from nesting territories in northern Canada to wintering grounds on Chesapeake Bay.

Flocks of cedar waxwings feed on crabapples.

Burdock brandishes weapons — burs.

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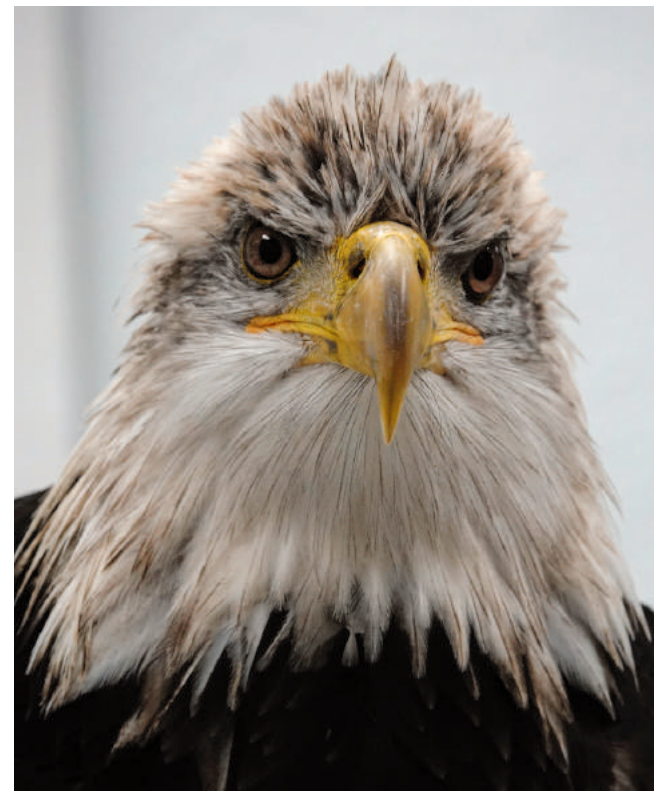
tively warm water. It's also known as water smoke.

Thanks for stopping by  
"The time will soon be here when my grandchild will long for the cry of a loon, the flash of a salmon, the whisper of spruce needles, or the screech of an eagle. But he will not make friends with any of these creatures and when his heart aches with longing, he will curse me. Have I done all to keep the air fresh? Have I cared enough about the water? Have I left the eagle to soar in freedom? Have I done everything I could to earn my grandchild's fondness?" -- Chief Dan George

"How simple life becomes when things like mirrors are forgotten." — Daphne du Maurier

Do good.

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by Sgt. Troy Christianson,  
MN State Patrol

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conditions, and give yourself plenty of travel time. State law requires the use of headlights when precipitation is present.

Increase stopping distance between vehicles. Expect bridges and overpasses to be icy during winter conditions, slow down accordingly and never use cruise control on snow/icy/wet roads.

Be aware that roads may be clear of snow and ice, but black ice that is invisible and almost totally transparent can form when the air temperature is warmer than the pavement.

If skidding, remain calm, ease foot off the gas and turn the steering wheel in the direction you want the front of the vehi-

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The Martin Luther High School Drama Department presented "I Don't Have a Clue" at the Fairmont Opera House on November 1st and 2nd. It was a 1929 "who dunit" comedy that gave some good laughs to the audience. Students were under the direction of Amanda Bergt and Hayley Luther. (L-R): Heath Rossow, Marah Engel, Abby Calkins, Cayden Fischer, Alexys Flohrs, and Caleb Schultz. (Submitted photo)

cle to go. If vehicle has an anti-lock braking system (ABS), apply a steady firm pressure to the brake pedal and never pump ABS brakes.

Use extra precautions when driving around snowplows by keeping at least five car-lengths behind plows. Be patient and remember snowplows are working to improve road conditions for your trip.

Your seat belt is your first defense in case of a crash. Always buckle up and be sure child restraints are secured tightly. It is recommended that bulky clothes and blankets are fitted above the child restraint harness, not beneath, to ensure harness

restraints fit properly. Parents of teen drivers should make sure new motorists experience snow and ice driving in a safe environment, such as an empty parking lot. Get your teen as much practice as possible before heading letting them heat out onto the streets.

No matter what the conditions, drive at safe speeds and be aware that a winter road can pose a danger. Always remember to pay attention, buckle up, drive the speed limit and always drive sober.

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## Consider Some Yearend Investment Tax Moves

It may be hard to believe, but we're getting close to wrapping up 2019. And if you have a year-end to-do list, here's one more item you might want to add: Lower your investment-related taxes. To help meet this goal, consider these moves you could make before year-end:

• **Increase your 401(k) contributions.** If your employer allows it, add some money to your 401(k) before

the year is out. (You can put up to \$19,000 in your 401(k) or similar plan for 2019, or \$25,000 if you're 50 or older.) If you fund your 401(k) with pre-tax dollars, the more you put in, the lower your taxable income. After-tax contributions, such as those for a Roth 401(k), won't result in tax savings for 2019 (but should reduce taxes in future years).

• **Add to your IRA.**

You've got until the April tax filing deadline to contribute to your IRA for 2019, but why wait until the last minute? You can put up to \$6,000 in your IRA for the year, or \$7,000 if you're 50 or older. With a traditional IRA, your contributions may be deductible, depending on your income; with a Roth IRA, contributions aren't deductible, but your earnings can grow tax-free, provided you meet

certain conditions.

• **Donate some investments.** Recent tax law changes have resulted in far fewer people itemizing their deductions. However, if itemizing still makes sense in your situation, you might want to consider donating an investment that has gained value since you purchased it to one of the charitable groups you support. You will generally be able to deduct the fair market value of the investment, and you can avoid paying capital gains taxes on the appreciation.

• **Consider selling investments to realize capital losses.** You may have taxable capital gains, either from selling investments that have increased in value or simply from own-

ing mutual funds (mutual fund managers constantly buy and sell individual investments within the funds). These capital gains could increase the amount of taxes you owe. If you own some investments that have lost value since you purchased them, selling them would generate capital losses that could be used to offset capital gains. Further, if you have more losses than gains, you can use up to \$3,000 of your losses to offset ordinary income.

Keep in mind that selling an investment may change the allocation and performance of your portfolio. Also, just because an investment is down in value is not necessarily a reason to sell. And once

you sell an investment to generate a capital loss, you need to wait at least 31 days to repurchase it to avoid incurring what's known as a "wash sale." Your financial professional can help you determine if selling any investments makes sense for your situation.

Before making any of these moves, you'll also want to consult with your tax professional. And remember that while taxes are a consideration, they should not necessarily drive your investment decisions. When investing, you need to build a portfolio that's appropriate for your risk tolerance and time horizon and that can help you achieve your goals, such as

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New Penn Financial LLC, Newrez LLC, Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing to Secretary of Veterans Affairs, Lot 7, Block 15 and EX N3' of Lot 8, Block 15, Morgans Addition Sherburn

CC VIII Operating LLC, Spectrum Mid-America LLC to Kimberly Garbers, Micky R. Garbers, PT SW¼, Govt Lot 14, 6-102-30

Dennis A. Deneui, Kathleen R. Deneui, Kathy R. Deneui to Lorna Lee Craig-Paulson, Lorna Lee Craig Paulson, Richard James Paulson, Lot 4, Block 1 and N9' Lot 5, Block 1, Porters Silver Lake Addition

James Noel Kloeckner, Kathryn Ann Kloeckner to Anne Marie Davis, Jon Charles Davis, S½ of Lot 37, Block 1 and Lot 36, Block 1, Shoreacres Addition

Bryant R. Eggert to Crystal Valley Cooperative, PT N½ of NE¼, 6-103-32 and Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, Airport Addition Monterey

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**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2019 @ 6:30 P.M.**-ROBERT LEWIS & E & B LARSEN FAMILY TRUST-157 Acres +/- of Bare Farmland located in Nashville Twp., Martin Co., MN. Farmland to be sold in two parcels. Sale to be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Fairmont. HARTUNG, KAHLERS, WEDEL & PIKE

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23 - 9:30A.M.**-WILLMAR BULLER, WATONWAN COUNTY AND OTHERS CONSIGNMENT AUCTION-St. James, MN at the Watonwan County Fairgrounds. Antiques, Collectibles, Vehicles and Misc. DAR HALL & ASSOCIATES

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Anne M. Davis, Jon C. Davis to Sara A. Barnett, Lots 4 and 5, Block 1, First Extension Cedar Creek Addition  
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**QUIT CLAIM DEEDS**

Nancy K. Gundersen, Ellen J. Peterson to Janet E. Meyer, EX W50' of Lot 1, Block 1, Lake George 2nd Addn  
Kelly Stokes to Larry D. Kooiman, UND ½ INT, Lot 6, Block 1, Andersons Addition Granada

**CONTRACT FOR DEEDS**

Marie Riegel LLP to Selvin O. Guerra Sandoval, Mil-dre E. Ramirez Lemus, Lot 11, Block 10 Lake George Addition

Janice F. Tennyson to Elisa M. Meyer, Joshua A. Meyer, Lots 25 and 26, Shoreacres Addition

**TRUSTEE DEEDS**

Janyce R. Christians Revocable Trust, Kent Christians Trustee, Todd Christians Trustee to Dawn Gray, Dendal Gray, Lot 1, Block 1, Keslers Hillsdale Addition

Kelly Stokes Trust, Kelly Stokes Trustee to Larry D. Kooiman, UND ½ INT, Lot 6, Block 1, Andersons Addition Granada

Moeller Family Living Trust, Duane Moeller Trustee, Ethelyn M. Moeller Trustee to Joseph Edwon Wegner, Lot 3, Block 2, Larsens Subdivision

Keough Family Revocable Living Trust, Tammy J. Ford Trustee to Amy Marie Petersen, Lot 9, Block 6, Gambles Addition

Roloff Revocable Trust Agreement, Duane A. Roloff Trustee, Shirley M. Roloff Trustee to Debra Ann Wolter, Matthew John Wolter, S66' Lot 8, Block 1 and S66' EX E20' & Easmt, Lot 9, Block 1 and E20' of Lot 9, Block 1 and PT Lot 10, Block 1, Lake Park Addition

Beverly M. Fretty Revocable Trust, Jacob Fretty Jr. Revocable Trust, Beverly M. Fretty Trustee, Randall S. Fretty Trustee, Susan J. Lund Trustee to Chad T. Lutterman, Christiane B. Lutterman, PT & Vacated Alley of Lot 2, Block 4 and E70' & W10' ADJ Alley of Lot 5, Block 4 and W10' of Adj Alley of Lot 4, Block 4 and Vacated Alley of Lot 3, Block 4 and PT and Vacated Alley along S160.8' OL 1, Outlot 1, Block 4, Wards Farmstead Addition

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Estate of Douglas J. Bettin, Dianne L. Bettin Personal Rep to Dianne Bettin, PT NW¼NE¼, 5-104-31

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**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK:** ♦  
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# Fairmont Area Cross Country Awards

Fairmont Area Schools recently presented the Cross Country awards:

**Most Valuable:** Laura Thompson, Will Saari. **Most Improved:** Eleanor Hamlet, Tyrell Zieske. **Hardest Worker:** Hannah Neusch, Connor Artner. **Rookie of the Year:** Macy Hanson, Will Nies-trath, JV: Bethany Thatcher, Gavin Artner. **Spirit of Cross-Country:** Tony Ortega.

**Individual highlights for 2019 -** Laura Thompson (18:53) and Macy Hanson (19:10) ran the two fastest 5K's in our class at Mil-laca Mega Meet, second of 21 teams at Section. Against all opponents the girls finished with 139 wins and 32 losses. The boys team finished with 94 wins and 50 losses and was 6th of 20 teams in Section.

**Academic Awards:** Cardinals girls team, Academic Gold Award for greater than 3.75 GPA

for the combined Section. **Academic All State:** Laura Thompson.

The girls team finished 11th at state, third of 39 teams in our class at Mil-laca Mega Meet, second of 21 teams at Section. Against all opponents the girls finished with 139 wins and 32 losses. The boys team finished with 94 wins and 50 losses and was 6th of 20 teams in Section.

# Fairmont PeeWee Hockey tourney results

The REMAX Total Realty Fairmont Pee Wee hockey team participated in the "Sticks & Slides Tournament" in Spirit Lake Iowa this past weekend and placed 5th of eight teams. In Friday night's game 1 the Pee Wee team played the Ames Iowa Flyers and defeated them 12-0. Strong defensive performances from Tyler Kurt, Gavin Kester, Klay Beemer and Eric Determan held the Flyers to just 4 shots on goal. Scoring unassisted goals were Gavin Kester with a hat trick, Klay Beemer had 2 while Logan Madsen and Kegan Roloff each added a goal. Assisted goals were made by Mack Anderson with a hat trick and 1 assist coming from Logan Madsen. Lucas Roiger had 2 goals with 1 assist coming from Colin Saypativath.

Des Moines Bucs and Klay Beemer scored Fairmonts goals with 1 assist coming from Kegan Roloff. Goalie Barret Scholl had 43 saves. Saturday evening's game 3, the Cardinals played the Redwood Falls Cardinals and were defeated 7-2. Beemer scored Fairmont's 2 goals unassisted. Barret Scholl had 34 saves

On Sunday the Cardinals defeated the Okoboji Blizzards. Scoring for Fairmont was Kegan Roloff with a hat trick with one assist coming from Tyler Kurt. Lucas Roiger had 2 goals with an assist also coming from Tyler Kurt. Gavin Kester added a goal as well. Goalie Barret Scholl had 39 saves.

The REMAX PeeWee team travels to Windom and Sleepy Eye this coming weekend for district games.



**VOLLEYBALL HON-ORS -** Cardinals Camb-rie Anderson (top) was named to the Big South East Division Volley-ball All-Conference first team. Sabrina Segar (bottom) was honorable mention.



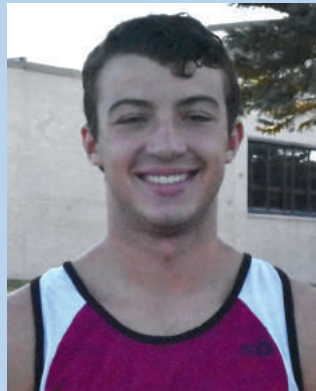
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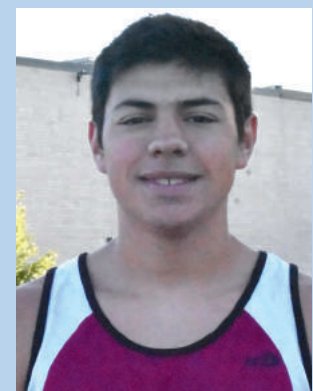
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Tony Ortega



**GOAL STOPPER -** Cards Hadley Artz stops Manka-to East/Loyola's Allison Behsman's slap shot. The Cougars downed the Cards 8-3 last Thursday night. The Cards got goals from Joni Becker, Brooklyn Meyer and Tegan Roskop. The Cards (0-3) host Morris/Benson 1:00 p.m. Saturday, while the boys team plays the Storm at 3:00 p.m. Courtesy fairmontsports.com

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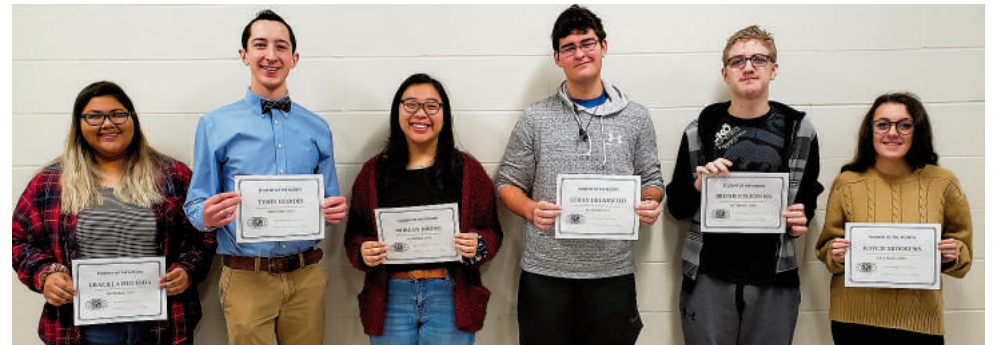
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Answer Weekly SUDOKU



Fairmont Early Risers Kiwanis and Fairmont Jr Sr High School recognize the following students as October Students of the Month. Students recognized include: Olivia Ortega, Jack Hagen, Nevaeh Rahm, Diego Arcos, Oliver Thedens, and Camrin King. (Submitted photo)



Fairmont Early Risers Kiwanis and Fairmont Jr Sr High School recognize the following students as October Students of the Month. Students recognized included: Graciela Figueroa, Tyson Geerdes, Morgan Hoong, Ethan Grunewald, Brenden Eckmann and Kaycie Brookens. (Submitted photo)

# FLASH BACK

POP ROCK & SOUL TRIVIA BY MICK HARPER

1. Which band member was temporarily fired from The Who, and why?
2. Name the Los Angeles group that changed their name to The Upfronts after the Bay of Pigs Invasion in 1961.
3. Name the Beatle whose middle name came from Winston Churchill.
4. Who made a hit of "Blue Suede Shoes" before Elvis Presley did?
5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "I can't forget the day you left, Time is so unkind, And life is so cruel without you here beside me."

**Answers**

1. Roger Daltrey, in 1965, for allegedly punching drummer Keith Moon. Daltrey had flushed Moon's stash of drugs, Moon went berserk and Daltrey hit him.
2. The Cubans. They eventually called themselves Little Caesar & the Romans. The doo wop group broke up partly because they couldn't agree about which one of them should be Little Caesar.
3. John Winston Lennon. However, in 1969 he changed that to John Winston Ono Lennon.
4. Songwriter Carl Perkins, in 1956. His version went to No. 1.
5. "Un-break My Heart," by Toni Braxton, in 1996. Legend says that Braxton didn't like the song but was convinced to release it anyway. It zoomed to No. 1 on the Hot 100 chart and stayed there for 11 weeks.

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# Top 10 movies!

1. **Terminator: Dark Fate** ..... (R)  
Linda Hamilton, Arnold Schwarzenegger
2. **Joker** ..... (R)  
Joaquin Phoenix, Robert De Niro
3. **Maleficent: Mistress of Evil** (PG)  
Angelina Jolie, Elle Fanning
4. **Harriet** ..... (PG-13)  
Cynthia Erivo, Leslie Odom Jr.
5. **The Addams Family** ..... (PG) animated
6. **Zombieland: Double Tap** ..... (R)  
Woody Harrelson, Jesse Eisenberg
7. **Countdown** ..... (PG-13)  
Elizabeth Lail, Jordan Calloway
8. **Black and Blue** ..... (R)  
Naomie Harris, Mike Colter
9. **Motherless Brooklyn** ..... (R)  
Edward Norton, Gugu Mbatha-Raw
10. **Arctic Dogs** ..... (PG) animated

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We wish  
Becky a very  
*Happy Birthday*  
on Nov. 24th




The Ceylon Fire Department received a grant from the Martin County Area Foundation for \$17,500 towards structural firefighting gear to replace outdated gear. Pictured are some of the firefighters in their new gear. (Submitted photo)

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a comfortable retirement. Still, if you can make some tax-smart investment moves before the year is

out, you may well reap the benefits next April.

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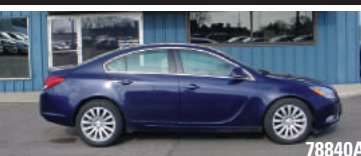


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