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of the foot and ankle

RIVERVIEW CLINIC

**Inside:** 

This is more than just frost

on the pumpkin. Snow accu-

mulated, and was expected

to continue to accumulate

through Wednesday night

and into Thursday in north-

western Minnesota. These pumpkins at The Shop, at **Seventh Street and Atlantic** 

Avenue in downtown Thief River Falls, were covered by

The weather

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Neforme Region at Prosperity's Front Door

# **Our Housing Challenge**

# by David Hill

In order to meet Minnesota's demands for growth and housing, Minnesota would need to build 10,000 homes every year for the next five years.

That's a startling statistic, and daunting challenge, but one that Prosperity's Front Door is taking on.

Wednesday, about 30 Thief River Falls area leaders, business leaders, representatives oforganizations and legislators gathered at Digi-Key to discuss recommendations of a the Minnesota Housing Task Force and a new initiative called Prosperity's Front

The effort to address housing in Thief River Falls began a long time ago. Though the last study, undertaken in 2012, was a survey of housing stock, the goal of community leaders for several years has been to attract and assist developers to build housing in the community. It has met with some success, but "it's no

time to rest," as Rick Trontvet, vice president of administration at Digi-Key,

Digi-Key is in the process of building a \$300 million, 2.2 million square foot product distribution center. The construction itself will bring 200 workers to the community, but it will also expand its workforce by over 1,000. But Digi-Key isn't the only business in the community that's expanding and in need of housing for its workforce.

Jeff Fagerstrom, manager and executive director of Northwest Minnesota Housing Cooperative, pointed out there are numerous challenges - particularly when it comes to cost.

In 1999, he pointed out, a person with a college degree could expect to earn \$73,700 and the median home price was \$71,400. Today, that same person would earn \$77,900 or only six percent more, but the median home price is \$252,100, which shows that the cost of homes has outgrown wage growth.

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Maryel Anderson of Anderson Realty talked about the lack of particular types of housing seniors need. Wednesday, area business leaders, legislators, and city and county officials met at Digi-Key to discuss housing needs in the state and community.

# snow. **National Fire Prevention Week**



Thief River Falls public and private kindergarten classes visited the Thief River Falls Fire Hall this week as part of **National Fire Prevention** Week.



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with assistance from volunteers and donors. On Friday, Oct. contributions. Video is online at www.trftimes.com.

Middle River Veterans Outdoors recently built this pole shed 5, the organization recognized those individuals for their

# Volunteers support veterans

# Veterans came from every era except for WWI

### by April Scheinoha Reporter

It's been built, and it's already filled. On Friday, Oct. 5, Middle River Veterans Outdoors thanked the donors and volunteers who helped erect a \$10,000 storage shed for the organiza-

"We built a 30 x 40 pole shed to store our equipment, which is already full. We've got a couple enclosed trailers, a boat and tons of gear, so it's pretty much packed to the hilt," said Jason Cervantes, chairperson of the MRVO Board.

The organization helps veterans experience the outdoors. MRVO began five years ago with a disabled veterans goose hunt. It has snowballed from there. Now, MRVO also offers ice fishing,

summer fishing and deer hunting as well as other sporting events free to veterans. During the events, veterans are able to have fun and spend time with others who have had similar experiences in the military.

As of Oct. 5, the organization had provided activities for 334 veterans. "We've hit almost every era except for World War I," said Cervantes, who noted the veterans have ranged in age from their mid-20s to 92.

MRVO's work is possible, thanks to the support of others. Three years ago, it began raising funds for the storage shed. At the time, its outdoors equipment was stored at various locations. The pole shed was built this past summer.

On Oct. 5, major benefactors were provided a plaque in commemoration of their donations. They included the Dondelinger Foundation of Thief River Falls, Davidson Construction of Newfolden, American Legion Post 444 of Middle River, Disabled American Veterans North Central Chapter 7 of Bemidji, and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2793 of Thief River Falls. They provided the majority of the donations with other smaller donations coming from oth-

Volunteers were also formally recognized. They included Wayne Klemetson, Ryan Rude, Elroy Aune, Jim Larson and David Myhrer.

Klemetson and his employee, Rude, provided some supervision at the site. Klemetson, a U.S. Navy veteran, declined payment for his services. He noted that

Rude also volunteered some time at the site with the oth-

"When [Ryan and I] weren't there, I told them what they had to do. Sometimes we had to do it again,' said Klemetson, whose last comment drew laughter. In particular, he gave Myhrer a hard time, saying Myhrer had to sometimes be told where to place a screw and that he had placed too many screws in one area.

Klemetson thanked the other volunteers, noting that they put many hours into the project. He indicated that they put the poles in the ground during 90-degree weather. Klemetson said, "But being in the service, I've been in hot countries before. It didn't make no

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# Two charged after meth found

by April Scheinoha

Two women have been charged in Pennington County District Court after they allegedly possessed more than 45 grams of methamphetamine.

Kristi Arlene Anderson, 60, Goodridge, and Tammy Jean Hunt, 64, Osseo, have both been charged with felony second degree controlled substance crime. They were arrested.

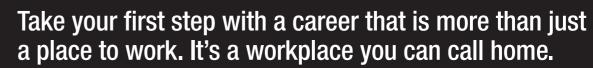
The charges stemmed from a report that Anderson was traveling to the Twin Cities area to buy drugs, according to the complaints. A sheriff's deputy had been provided with bank statements from Anderson's account. On Sept. 13, she had \$54.18 in her account. The following day, there was \$30,118.70 in the account. On Sept. 26, a total of \$28,000 had been withdrawn from the account.

A Pine to Prairie Drug Task Force officer learned that Anderson was unemployed and had a 2008 conviction for a controlled substance crime.

On Oct. 3, law enforcement spoke with someone else regarding some information that person learned from a third party. The third party believed Anderson was using meth after seeing sores on her body and observing changes in her behavior.

Also on Oct. 3, a third person told a sheriff's deputy that it was believed Anderson was selling drugs at her home, 103 Rice Ave.

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# Peterson statement on renegotiated NAFTA

Following the announcement of a renegotiated North American Free Trade Agreement this week, House Agriculture Committee Ranking Member Collin Peterson of Minnesota issued the following state-

"I am pleased to see the NAFTA renegotiation take one step closer to a possible conclusion, and I look forward to reviewing the agreement in full as Congress takes up its passage. Dairy and poultry are huge concerns for me, and I am encouraged, with the access

and provisions, it appears we've secured in this agreement. While this agreement does not end Canada's supply management policies, this agreement includes provisions that will help dairy farmers in Minnesota and nationwide with less trade distorting exports during the current downturn in the farm economy. I hope the administration will use the momentum from this NAFTA deal to make progress in bringing the trade war with China to a productive end.

# SKIN exhibit on display now

The Northwest Minnesota Arts Council has announced a new exhibit, SKIN, now on display at the NWMAC Gallery in East Grand Forks.

What does "skin" mean to you? Do you hear the noun, something we inhabit? Or do you hear the verb, an act of peeling away? Come to the NWMAC Gallery to see this contemplation manifested through art.

Several local artists are featured, including Heather Sabian of Crookston, Tracy Mehrkens of Thief River Falls, Kennedy Truscinski of Greenbush, and Mara Hanel of Warren. Artistic mediums range from photography, pencil on paper, acrylic on goat skin, to muskrat hide.

An artists' reception will

be held Saturday, Nov. 3 from 1 to 5 p.m.

The exhibit can be viewed

now through Saturday, Nov. 3 at the NWMAC Gallery, 211 DeMers Ave., East Grand Forks. It is located within the Riverwalk Artists Gallery. The gallery is usually open Thursday to Saturday from 2 to 8 p.m., and Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m. Be-

For more information about this exhibit, go to www.nwartscouncil.org. Artists interested in exhibiting a body of work with NWMAC should contact Stephanie Olson at 218-688-1256 or email NWArtsCouncil@gmail.com.

fore traveling to the gallery, doublecheck it is open.

This exhibit is made possible with funding from The McKnight Foundation in Minneapolis and the Clean Water, Land and Legacy

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family at this dificult time.

# **AROUND** THE REGION

**April Scheinoha** 

### Local graduate flies missions during hurricane

Hallock - "Shad Romans enjoys being able to use his training as a helicopter pilot and Minnesota National Guard member. When the authorities asked for volunteers to fly rescue, transport and supply missions during Hurricane Florence earlier this year, Romans stepped up.

"Romans, a 2004 Kittson Central graduate, is a chief warrant officer 2 and has piloted Chinook helicopters for the National Guard since 2013. He served in the infantry for nine years prior to that time, with one

tour of duty in Iraq.
"During Hurricane Florence, Romans and his crew - which included two flight engineers, a crew chief and another pilot operated out of Raleigh-Durham Airport in North Carolina alongside several other states' National Guard members. Thev mostly transported support personnel to locations

closer to affected areas.

"One group of 15 hauled inflatable boats and outboard motors, along with rescue equipment, on board the Chinook. Romans transported that group at night using night-vision goggles to fly to a flooded area, where the team performed search and rescue missions among residences.

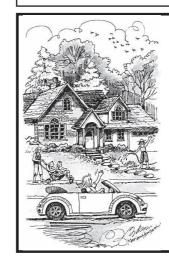
"At one point during the week, Romans' team deployed at night to an area where a levy was breaking. The team transported 25 personnel, two children and about seven dogs from a grassy field next to a church and brought them to another airfield where friends or family picked them up." - Kittson County Enterprise, Oct. 10, 2018, by Anna Jauhola

### **Local author** releases latest novel

Grygla - "Emily Yager, 25, Grygla, was gearing up to release her fourth fictional novel Thursday, Oct.

"Yager, who was home-schooled and later attended Oak Hills Christian College in Bemidji, has been writing for most of her life.

"Her first two novels, 'A Whippoorwills Song' and 'Unwilling Promise,' are standalone novels, but her latest two are part of a series called the 'Pursuing Voyageurs Series.' So far that series is made up of 'Chasing the Hunter,' which was published in July, and her latest novel, which was set to be released Oct. 11, - Grygla Eagle, Oct. 10, 2018 titled 'Coaxing the Clerk."



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# Why and how to hire job seekers with criminal backgrounds

The Northwest Private Industry Council - Workforce Development Board will host "Our Community's Untapped Workforce: A Discussion of Why and How to Hire Job Seekers with Criminal Backgrounds." The event will be held Tuesday, Oct. 23 at Ralph Engelstad Arena.

Registration starts at 8 a.m. with a continental breakfast provided. Kiki Anderson, NWPIC executive director, will provide a welcome and brief overview of the current labor market realities and data from 8:30 to 8:45 a.m.

Emily Baxter, founder and director of We Are All Criminals, will present the keynote presentation from 8:45 to 9:45 a.m. One in four people in the United States has a criminal background. Through photography and stories, this session will offer an in-depth examination of the current criminal justice system and its disparate outcomes, especially as it applies to race.

Bluemke, 93

Oklee - Alice Bluemke, 93.

passed away peacefully on

Monday, October 8, 2018 at First Care Living Center,

Mass of Christian Burial

was held on Friday, October

12, 2018 at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in

Oklee with Father Adam

Hamness presiding. Burial followed at St. Francis

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followed at St. Xavier Cemetery.

Reginald D.

by his loving family.

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Galland, 64

Mentor - Reginald "Reggie'

Galland, 64, passed away on Monday, October 8, 2018 at

Pioneer Memorial Care Cen-

ter, Erskine, following a bat-

tle with cancer, surrounded

held on Saturday, October 13,

2018 at 11 a.m. at Faith

Lutheran Church in Mentor,

with Reverend Mike Sletto

and Father David Super Of-

ficiating. Burial will be held

at Faith Lutheran Cemetery

to the service on Saturday.

Visitation one hour prior

Funeral service will be

vice.com.

**Alice** 

After a 15-minute break, the event will resume with a panel discussion titled "Realities of Re-Entry: What Resources are Available Right Now." This discussion will focus on how the courts, corrections, businesses and nonprofits are already responding. Participants include:

• Doug Moen, job counselor with the Inter-County Community Council Reintegration Program;

· Sally Erickson, an Ericco representative, who will provide a business perspec-

· A Minnesota Department of Corrections representative, who will speak about the Employ Program;

 Heidi Uecker, Legal Services of Northwest Minnesota staff attorney, who will speak about collateral consequences for felons; and

· Melora Bergee, local DUI Court coordinator with the Ninth Judicial District

From 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Jacquelyn Carpenter will present on the Min-

Johnson, 94

Thief River Falls - Verna

Johnson, 94, Thief River Falls, went to be with the

Lord on Tuesday, October 9, 2018 at Valley Home, Thief

River Falls, with her loving

p.m. on Sunday, October 14,

2018 at Johnson Funeral

Service in Thief River Falls.

Visitation will be held from 3 p.m. until 5 p.m. on

Sunday at the funeral home.

Burial will be at Birchwood

Cemetery, Swan River, Man-

be sent to www.johnsonfu-

Thief River Falls - Audrey

A. Nelson, of Thief River

Falls, formerly of Lake Bron-

son, passed away October

1st, 2018 at the age of 87, at Sanford Hospital in Thief

Services will be held at

10:30 a.m. on Saturday, Octo-

ber 13, 2018 at Zion

Lutheran Church in Lake

Bronson, with interment

following at Riverside Ceme-

tery in Lake Bronson.

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Funeral service will be 5

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Audrey A.

River Falls.

Nelson, 87

**DEATH NOTICES** 

Verna

nesota Fair Chance Hiring Guide. Twin Cities Rise is an organization that has spent the past year and a half building a resource to support employers looking to hire people who have a criminal history or past criminal records.

Lunch will be served from 12:15 to 1 p.m. RSVP online by Friday, Oct. 19 at https://nwpic-untappedworkforce.eventbrite.com.

From 1 to 3 p.m., a Northwest Partnerships for Workforce Solutions meeting will be held. Everyone is invited to stay for this discussion where organizers will facilitate ongoing business-led, business-driven conversations regarding regional workforce strategies and solutions. They will highlight efforts related to opportunities involving workforce attraction efforts, regional branding and aging workforce issues. The goal for the afternoon is to take the ideas and develop action plans.

> NOTICE Annual meeting for Rindal Cemetery Association will be on Monday, October 15<sup>th</sup> Starting at 6 p.m. at Rindal Church.

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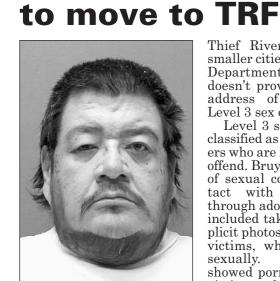
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Level 3 sex offender



A Level 3 sex offender will move Monday, Oct. 29 to Thief River Falls.

Steven Glen Bruyere, 60, will move to a home along Douglas Avenue, according to information provided by the Pennington County Sheriff's Office. Bruyere had lived in that area in the past. In cities the size of

Thief River Falls and in smaller cities, the Minnesota Department of Corrections doesn't provide the specific address of homes where Level 3 sex offenders live.

Level 3 sex offenders are classified as those sex offenders who are most likely to reoffend. Bruyere has a history of sexual conduct and contact with girls ages 7 through adolescent. Conduct included taking sexually-explicit photos and video of the victims, whom he touched sexually. Bruyere also showed pornography to one victim and gained compliance with one victim through bribery. He knew the victims

Bruyere is not wanted by law enforcement and has served the sentence imposed on him by the court.

Bruyere has black hair and brown eyes. He is 5 feet, 8 inches tall and weighs 300 pounds.

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# **Patriots defeat Prowlers in four**

but came up short in a fourset volleyball loss to Pequot Lakes Tuesday, Oct. 9 at Lin-

NORTHERN WATCH

It was the Prowlers' first home match since a Sept. 17 win over East Grand Forks. The visiting Patriots, who improved to 11-5 with the win, pulled away late in the first set to win 25-18.

Thief River Falls bounced

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the Prowlers' four-set loss.

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lowing semifinal.

ren-Alvarado-Oslo 1.

Goodridge/Grygla 0;

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Kylee Hoffard serves the ball during the second set of

Thief River Falls' home volleyball match against Pe-

quot Lakes. Hoffard finished with three service aces in

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**Cross Country** Tuesday, Oct. 9 - Boys NW Conference Championships - Winner: Cole Nowacki. East Grand Forks 16:00.20; Team standings: 1. East Grand Forks 34; 2.

Bagley 55; 3. Roseau 68; 4. Ada-Borup 85; 5. Warroad 114; 6. Lake of the Woods 165.

Tuesday, Oct. 9 - Girls NW Conference Champi-

onships - Winner: Katherine Geist, Crookston, 18:40.60;

Team standings: 1. East Grand Forks 23; 2. Warroad 50; 3. Roseau 70; 4. Clearbrook-Gonvick 108.

Football

Friday, Oct. 5 - Mahnomen/Waubun 45, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 0; Kittson County Cen-

tral 30, Goodridge/Grygla 16; Stephen-Argyle 29, Northern

Freeze 2; Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 48, Win-E-Mac 0; Red Lake County 38, Lake Park-Audubon 14; Polk County

West 61, Warroad 6; Pelican Rapids 14, Roseau 8; Fergus

Swimming

■ Saturday, Oct. 6 - Section 8A True Team: 1. Detroit Lakes 1,233; 2. Bemidji 1,105.5; 3. Park Rapids 927.5; 4. Thief River Falls 832; 5. Perham/New York Mills 767; 6.

Warroad/Roseau/Greenbush-Middle River 665; 7.Crook-

Girls Tennis

Thursday, Oct. 4 (Section 8AA First round) - Bemidji 4, Moorhead 3; St. Cloud Tech 6, Sartell-St. Stephen 1; Becker 7, St. Cloud Apollo/Sauk Rapids-Rice 0; Foley 7,

Little Falls 0; Willmar 5, Rocori 2; Thief River Falls 7, Fer-

gus Falls 0; Alexandria 6, Detroit Lakes 1; (Section 8AA second round) Brainerd 6, Bemidji 1; St. Cloud Tech 4,

Becker 3; Foley 7, Willmar 0; Thief River Falls 5, Alexan-

■ Friday, Oct. 12 semifinal - Brainerd vs. St. Cloud Tech; Thief River Falls vs. Foley. Championship match fol-

■ Thursday, Oct. 11 (Section 8A First Round) Park

Rapids vs. Roseau; Staples-Motley vs. Crookston; Perham vs. Parkers Prairie; Wadena-Deer Creek vs. East Grand

Volleyball

■ Thursday, Oct. 4 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 3, Roseau 0; Kittson County Central 3, Goodridge/Grygla 0;

Clearbrook-Gonvick 3, Red Lake County Central 0; Win-

E-Mac 3, Fosston 0; Northern Freeze 3, Warren-Alvarado-

■ Saturday, Oct. 6 - Mahnomen 2, Red Lake County Central 0; Red Lake County Central 2, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 0; Red Lake County Central 2, Red Lake Falls 1; Sa-

cred Heart 2, Red Lake County Central 0; Red Lake

County Central 2, Norman County East 0; Norman County East 2, Red Lake Falls 0; Sacred Heart 2, Red Lake Falls

0; Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 2, Red Lake Falls 0; Mahnomen

2, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 0; Norman County East 2, War-

■ Monday, Oct. 8 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 3,

■ Tuesday, Oct. 9 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 3,

Kittson County Central 2; Goodridge/Grygla 3, Red Lake

County Central 2; Crookston 3, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 0; Roseau 3, Northern Freeze 0; Pequot Lakes 3, Thief River

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middle of the second set and held off a late Pequot Lakes rally to take the set 25-20.

Pequot Lakes won the final two sets by identical 25-18 scores.

At one point, it appeared the Prowlers may be able to force a fifth set when they rallied to get within a point of the Patriots. After trailing 17-11, the Prowlers battled

Thief River Falls battled back with a big run in the to within two points at 18-16, but the Patriots regrouped for the win.

Saturday, October 13, 2018

Pequot Lakes 3, Thief River Falls 1

■ Scores - Pequot Lakes wins 25-18, 20-25, 25-18, 25-18. ■ Assists -Hailey Rosendahl 4, Maddie Oistad 2, Janae Erickson 1, Marryn Dalager 1, Coral Mattison 1,

Marryn Daiagei 1, corai Mactison 2, Linnea Mowry 1.

Kills - Madi Kisch 3, Linnea Mowry 2, Kylee Hoffard 2, Lexi Huot 1, Hailey Rosendahl 1, Becca

■ Service Aces - Kylee Hoffard 3, Madi Kisch 2, Hailey Rosendahl 2.

■ Blocks (solo-assist) - Becca Leier 2-1, Madi Kisch 0-2, Linnea Mowry 0-2. Mowry 0-2.

Digs - Kylee Hoffard 13, Marryn Dalager 13, Hailey Rosendahl 12, Linnea Mowry 7, Janae Erickson 6, Maddie Oistad 6, Hayle Rogalla

# 6, Madi Kisch 5, Becca Leier 3, Coral Mattison 3, Ivy Wiggs 1. Wells, Dallager receive MCAC

# week honors Northland football player player Brenna Dallager have

players of the

Craig Wells and volleyball earned player of the week honors from the Minnesota College Athletic Conference. Craig Wells
Northland Community &

Technical College defeated Minnesota West Community & Technical College, 56-36, in a week six Western Division match-up, due in large measure to the outstanding performance of signal-caller Craig Wells.

Wells passed for 428 yards

on 24 completions and four touchdown throws for the Pioneers. His longest completion was 61 yards and the sophomore from West Palm Beach, Fla., had only one interception in 30 attempts. Wells also ran for a touchdown and a two-

Craig

Wells

point conversion for the Pioneers. Northland now sits at 4-1

overall and is 3-0 in the MCAC Western Division. On Saturday

NCTC will travel to Wahpeton to take on the Wildcats of North Dakota Col-State lege of Science in a game that will decide the MCAC Western Division championship. Kickoff is set for 1:30 p.m.

Brenna Dallager

Brenna Dallager

Brenna Dallager, a sophomore at Northland Community & Technical College has earned Hitter-of-the-Week for her efforts leading the Pi-

Dallager, from Strathcona, had 27 kills over the course of the week and hit for a .308 percent, .500 percent and 333 percent mark in each of NCTC's matches, respec-

Northland went 2-1 for the week and currently sits at 16-3 overall and 8-2 in the MCAC Northern Division. NCTC plays this weekend at a tournament at Lake Region State College in Devils Lake,

# TRF SPORTS

Saturday, Oct. 13 ■ Football - NCTC at NDSCS

1:30 p.m. ■ Hockey - TRF Norskies vs.

Dryden 7 p.m. ■ Tennis - LHS Girls at Section

8AA Individuals TBD. ■ Volleyball - LHS at Brainerd

Tournament 9 a.m.
■ Wrestling - NCTC vs. Legends

Dual 3 p.m. Monday, Oct. 15

lacktriangle Volleyball - Goodridge/Grygla at Stephen-Argyle 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 16

■ Cross Country - LHS at Bemidji meet 4 p.m.

■ Swimming - LHS Girls at Crookston Triangular 5 p.m. ■ Volleyball - LHS at Warroad

Thursday, Oct. 18

■ Football - NCTC vs. Itasca 3 p.m.; Goodridge/Grygla at Norman County East/Ulen-Hitterdahl 5 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 19 ■ Volleyball - NCTC at Lake Re-

gion State College Tournament 1

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# Davis and Finstad stay hot, earn All-Conference honors

Thief River Falls runners Jake Davis and Jerzie Finstad carried over their success from last week's West Marshall Fusion Cross Country meet into this week's Heart O' Lakes Conference meet, with both runners earning all-conference hon-

Head Coach Natasha Reierson said the team has been putting in work each day on pacing and finishes leading up to the conference

"Jake Davis' performance on Tuesday was a perfect example of what we have been doing in practice," Reierson said. "Jake was a little ahead of pace after mile one, then on pace after mile two and was in 16/17th place with about 800m left and his finish was perfect, passing and getting that 15th place for the All-Conference Award.

"It has been a few years since we have a boy earn allconference honors, so it was great to see. All year, Jake has been working hard and setting a great example for the other runners. He definitely is deserving of this allconference honor."

Other scoring runners for Thief River Falls in the boys race were Daniel Quick, 27th place; Isaac Mauch, 31st; Jonah Kalsnes, 41st; and Ethan Lunsetter, 45th. Overall, Thief River Falls finished sixth among the nine teams competing.

This is Finstad's fifth allconference finish at the Heart O' Lakes meet in five

"We knew going into the conference meet at Pelican Rapids, it was going to be cold, windy and a lot of hills,' Reierson said. "Perseverance was the 'word of the week' last week and it probably should of been this weeks word. Jerzie was not going to let all the hills keep her from being All-Conference. She kept pushing and I was proud to see her push through all the hills.'

Also scoring for the Thief River Falls girls team were Dru Harbott, 20th place; Brooklyn Brouse, 36th; Abigail Semanko, 43rd; and Elaina Ballard, 48th. Thief River Falls finished sixth in the girls' race.

Perham won both the boys and girls varsity races. In the boys race, all five scorers finished in the top 11, while the girls team one-upped the boys with all five scores finishing in the top-seven.

# Warroad Cross Country Meet

Boys Varsity

■ Top 5 - 1. Brandon O'Hara,
Perham, 16:36.50; 2. Jacob Bright,
West Central Area, 16:38.30; 3. Zach Haire, Breckenridge, 16:48.50; 4. Anderson, 17:00.60; 5. Hunter Gowin, Brecken-

■ TRF places - 15. Jake Davis 18:06; 27. Daniel Quick 19:14; 31. Issac Mauch 19:28; 41. Jonah Kalsnes 20:06; 45. Ethan Lunsetter 20:25; 51. Devin Haugen 21:11; 56. Paul Koppenhaver 21:31.

■ Team Scores - 1. Perham 33; 2. West Central Area School 41; 3. Breckenridge 89; 4. Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton 110; 5. Frazee 125; 6. Thief River Falls 159; 7. Lake Park-Audubon 182; 8. Hawley 222; 9. Pelican Rapids 239.



One day after competing in the Heart O' Lakes Conferance meet, the Thief River Falls cross country team got back to training. The cold and rainy conditions from Tuesday's Heart O' Lakes Conference meet were replaced with a wet snow.

Girls Varsity
■ Top 5 - 1. Liz Birkeland, Perham, 20:01.20; 2. Abby Syverson, Pelican Rapids, 20:12.40; 3. Lexi Bright, West Central Area, 20:18.20; 4. Caitlin Covington, Perham, 20:26.30; 5. Quincy Anderson, Perham, 20:31.80.

■ TRF places - 13. Jerzie Fin-

stad 20:58; 20. Dru Harbott 21:39; 36. Brooklyn Brouse 23:45; 43. Abigail Semanko 25:00; 48. Elaina Ballard 26:11; 52. Eliie Brickson 27:14; 54. Maryssa Mehrkens 29:53.

■ Team Scores - 1. Perham 23; 2. West Central Area 59; 3. Pelican Rapids 92; 4. Lake Park-Audubon 119; 5. Hawley 123; 6. Thief River Falls 145; 7. Breckenridge 158

■ Boys JV - 23. Zach Wikert 21:53; 26. Chris Powell 22:09; 31. Landon Lovejoy 22:19.

Girls JH - 17. Brookelyn Speas

# Chargers fall to Gators, beat Mustangs in five

Goodridge/Grygla split a pair of volleyball matches this week, losing in three visiting Badger/Greenbush-Middle River Monday night in Grygla, before bouncing back to win in five sets over visiting Red Lake County Central Tuesday night in Goodridge.

On Monday, the Gators outscored the Chargers 75-56 over the course of the three-set win. Alyssa Kilen had 27 assists for the Gators and Alyssa Rinde finished with 13 kills.

One night later, the Charges trailed 2-1 after three sets were in the books. The Chargers won the first set 25-17, but dropped the second and third sets by scores of 25-21 and 25-17. They rallied to force a fifth set, with a 25-20 victory in set number four, and the Chargers stayed hot in the fifth set, winning 15-6.

BGMR 3, Goodridge/Grygla 0 ■ Scores - BGMŘ wins 25-16, 25-21, 25-19. 1

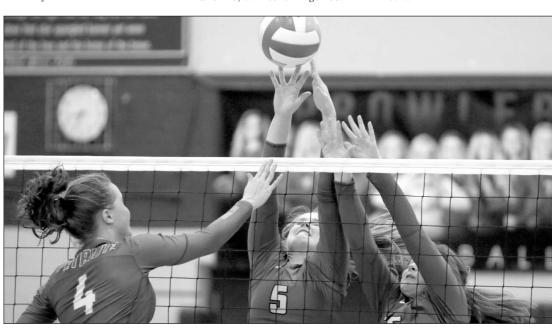
■ GG stats - Mercedes Coan 8 assists, 2 kills, 8 digs; Chloe Kuznia 10 assists, 1 kill, 4 blocks, 2 digs; Maci Bakken 7 kills, 2 blocks, 5 digs; Nichole Arveson-2 kills,

■ BGMR stats - Alyssa Rinde 13 kills; Alyssa Kilen 27 assists.

Goodridge/Grygla 3, Red Lake County Central 2

■ Scores - Goodridge/ Grygla wins 25-17, 21-25, 17-25, 25-20, 15-6. 25-17, 21-25, 17-25, 25-20,

 $\blacksquare$  GG stats - Mercedes Coan 15 assists, 4 kills, 7 digs, 1 ace; Chloe Kuznia 29 assists, 5 kills, 1 block, 11 digs; Maci Bakken 18 kills, 3 blocks, 9 digs, 1 ace; Libby Johnson 1 assist, 9 kills, 5 blocks, 3 digs.



Becca Leier and Haylie Rogalla attempt to block a Pequot Lakes' return during the third set of Tuesday night's match between the Prowlers and Patriots.

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# The value of a good program

Howard Person died on Oct. 1. Person was a long-time University of Minnesota Extension agent in Pennington and Marshall counties. He retired in 2015 after 37 years of service. Person was one of those individuals who seemed to have a endless supply of energy, knowledge and drive - like most people connected with 4-H. In fact, when I visited with him about background information for stories, I either had to record what he was saying or ask him to slow down. My pen hand just couldn't keep up. There also were many times he seemed to be everywhere at once, but especially for

When I was a 4-Her, I never thought I was learning anything of importance. It was just another activity. As I look back, however, I see that it was much more than

This past week, we printed pictures of several of our county's 4-H participants who went to the State Fair and earned grand champion ribbons. I deliberately used the word "earned" because that's exactly what they did. State and county officials don't just hand out ribbons to participants. Although, they do hand out participant ribbons to Cloverbuds, the youngest 4-H participants who are just getting started. No, in the many years I've watched 4-H shows, patiently waiting to take pictures, I've seen how the judges question the participants about their livestock. If these 4-H participants received a grand champion ribbon, they earned it!

I expect these students think of 4-H as just another fun experience. Though I never achieved the success they did, I expect them to eventually reach the same conclusion I did - that it wasn't just another fun activity, but a learning experience that would help make them leaders of tomorrow because all 4-H programs include leadership, mentoring and career readiness as core elements. This past week, I also noticed Pennington County wasn't the only place where 4-H received some attention. The Warren Sheaf and the Red Lake Falls Gazette also had stories about 4-H clubs and activities. As a newspaper, we don't stand alone in rec-

ognizing the importance of 4-H. As I mention this, I'm sure those in 4-H are thinking 4-H doesn't stand alone either. It relies on its many partners - families, businesses, students, communities, and even news organizations.

The national 4-H organization states that 4-H programs are grounded in the belief that kids learn best by doing. As I read Grant Nelson's submission of Rural Reflections this week. I wondered at the imagination and the seemingly intuitive hands-on skills people who live on farms have. I wondered if Grant was a 4-Her back in the day. Even if he wasn't, it's those types of skills and imagination that explain how many of our biggest manufacturers (Arctic Cat, Polaris, Digi-Key, Mattracks, etc.) got started. It also explains why our farms are among the most productive in the world.

Fewer kids live on farms these days. In fact, there are fewer farms. Many would conclude that because there are fewer children coming from farms, they don't have the opportunities they used to to develop their imagination in such a fashion. The lack of farms and children coming from farms doesn't mean 4-H isn't relevant. 4-H has changed with the times. It offers programs in science, health, agriculture, civic engagement, animal husbandry, photography, carpentry, baking, sewing and much more that encourage hands-on experience.

4-H has empowered and inspired millions of young people throughout the nation by providing them skills - not just farm or ag skills, but skills for everyday life - and leadership skills. National 4-H Week was this week, Oct. 7 through 13. Consider enrolling your children in 4-H. It has a lot to offer them and our communities.

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# **NCTC** in EGF to host State of the College event

Northland Community and Technical College in East Grand Forks will host a 2018 State of the College luncheon on Thursday, Oct. 18, 2018. President Dennis Bona will deliver his address, "Celebrating Success,

Expanding Our Footprint." Bona's presentation will

focus on NCTC's success; rising enrollment and recent national and regional recognition for educational value and excellence. In addition, he will highlight NCTC's economic impact within the communities and region it serves. With an impact of over \$133 million annually, NCTC is significantly contributing to the economic de-

velopment in the region. The luncheon, co-hosted by The Chamber of Grand Forks and East Grand Forks, costs \$20 per person or \$160 for a reserved table of eight. Reservations are

Rural Reflections ...

# **Working on Project Barn Lift**

by Grant Nelson



I used to write fairly often about my projects. People who read this column haven't seen a project column for some time and could therefore assume I no longer work on projects. They would be wrong. This is Project Barn Lift.

I believe the last project column I had was about making tractors from sewing machines. I'm still stuck on using old sewing machines, only this time I wanted to use the ornate, metal legs. Lots of people make sewing machine legs into tables, but I wanted to do something else.

Old sheds used to have pulleys mounted high in the peak of the roof on the outside of the structure. These pulleys could be used to lift material to the second level of the building. There was a door opening just below the pulley to access the storage area. Although I had no use for a pulley, a door nor storage, I decided to make this whole scenario happen to one of our old sheds.

I had one sewing machine base, so I dismantled it as I only needed the metal portion. I then assembled some treated wood at a 90 degree angle. This created two legs

of a triangle and the third leg was created with colored chain stretched between two of the three corners. This created a strong base to

hang the sewing metal legs.

I then fitted the metal legs horizontally to the base. When it fit perfectly, I took the legs off, as I would have to mount the base to the shed before I slid the metal sewing-machine legs back onto the base. Together, they

were just too heavy.

Mounting the base was pretty easy and the metal legs slid right into place. I had already built a nice barn-style door and still had ald rail and hardware to old rail and hardware to mount the door. The peak of the roof is about 13 feet, but I now have a little scaffolding so each foray, about five feet high, is much safer. I also find I do better work when I am not completely

terrified. After everything was in place, I took time to attend to a few details. Old time pulleys would need rope to operate, so I added some yellow rope to the old circular band wheel, which really looks like a pulley, and also mounted a hook on the lower wall to tie-off the rope. The chain on the base was also yellow; as it's hard to see, I wanted a color that would

capture attention.
A good project, well-executed, is a constant source of pride and joy. Every time I drive by this little project, it makes me happy. I feel nostalgic and resourceful each time I see my second floor lift. It's also kind of a relief to find an outlet for the occasional pair of sewing-machine legs instead of making them into a table. I'm back into the projects

even though I never really left. I hope you enjoy the pictures and this has been Project Barn Lift.





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SAUERKRAUT CASSEROLE (Rosemary Pryor, Pasadena, Maryland) Rosemary says, "Mom brewed her own sauerkraut and, of course, the cabbage was from our big farm garden. Blending the kraut with spicy sausage and apples was Mom's favorite way to fix it, and she still loves

pound mild Italian sausage links, cut into 1 inch slices

this country dish, says Rose-

1 large onion, chopped 2 apples, peeled and quar-

tered 1 (27 ounce) can sauerkraut,

undrained

1 cup water

1/2 cup packed brown sugar 2 teaspoons caraway seed Snipped parsley (if desired)

In a skillet, cook sausage and onion until sausage is brown and onion is tender. Drain. Stir in apples, sauerkraut, water, brown sugar and caraway seed. Transfer to a 2-1/2 quart baking dish, cover and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour. Garnish with parsley, if desired. Recipe serves, 6 to 8 people.

### BIG APPETITE PANCAKES

12 eggs 3 quarts milk 12 cups flour ¾ cup sugar

 $2 ext{ tablespoons salt}$ 1-1/2 cups vegetable oil

Beat eggs; add milk. Add to dry ingredients and oil; mixing well. Spoon batter onto hot greased griddle and brown on both sides. Recipe serves 85 people.

### HOT MILK CAKE

4 eggs

2 cups sugar

2-1/4 cups all purpose flour 2-1/4 teaspoons baking powder

1 teaspoon vanilla extract 1-1/4 cups milk

10 tablespoons butter or margarine

In a mixing bowl, beat eggs at high speed until thick, about 5 minutes. Gradually add sugar, beating until mixture is light and fluffy. Combine flour and baking powder and add h vanilla and beat at low speed until

In a saucepan, heat milk and butter just until the butter melts, Stirring occasionally. Add to batter, beating until combined. Pour into greased 13x9x2" baking pan. Bake at a 350 degrees for 30 to 35 minutes or until cake tests done. Cool on wire rack. Recipe serves 12 to 16 people.

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there is. 6 eggs, beaten 6 cups milk 3/4 cup sugar

1 cup raisins 10 to 12 cups broken bread or rolls or doughnuts

Combine first four ingredients in a large bowl. Blend in pieces of bread, rolls or doughnuts. Pour mixture into a 13x9x2" baking pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 55 minutes or until set. Recipe serves 24.

CHEESY APPLE CRISP 13 quarts apples (about 24 medium), peeled and sliced quartered apples, (about 24 medium)

2 cups water 1/4 cup plus 1 tablespoon lemon juice

8 cups flour 8 cups sugar

2 tablespoons cinnamon 1 tablespoon salt

4 cups butter or margarine 8 cups shredded Cheddar cheese

Whipped cream or ice cream, as desired

Arrange apples in four greased 13x9x2" baking pans. Combine water and lemon juice. Sprinkle over apples. Combine flour, sugar, cin-

namon and salt. Cut in butter until crumbly. Stir in cheese lightly. Spread over apples.

Bake at 350 degrees for 30 to 35 minutes, or until apples are tender and topping is crisp. Serve with whipped cream or ice cream if desired. Recipe serves 100.

### FRESH BROCCOLI SALAD

1 bunch broccoli separated into florets

1 head cauliflower, separated into florets

8 bacon strips, fried and crumbled

1/3 cup chopped onion 1 cup chopped seeded toma-

2 hard cooked eggs, sliced

1 cup mayonnaise or salad dressing 1/3 cup sugar

2 tablespoons vinegar

In a large salad bowl, combine broccoli, cauliflower, bacon, onion, toma-

In another bowl, combine mayonnaise, sugar and vinegar; mix until smooth. Just before serving, pour dressing over salad and toss. Recipe serves 6 to 8 people.

# **Quin County CHS Board** to meet

Board and Advisory Committee will meet Monday, Oct. 15 at 1 p.m at the New-

# TRF woman charged with financial exploitation

by April Scheinoha Reporter

A Thief River Falls woman has been charged in Pennington County District Court after she allegedly stole more than \$11,000 out of a bank account belonging to a man with dementia.

Peggy Lynn Mehrkens, 53, has been charged with three felony offenses, one gross misdemeanor and one misdemeanor. All five charges are for financial exploitation of a vulnerable adult. The charges covered a time frame between March 2015 and February 2018.

Mehrkens appeared in court Monday, Oct. 8. The complaint was filed Sept. 21.

Mehrkens had been a power of attorney for her father since September 2011. He has dementia and has lived at Valley Home since that time. Mehrkens relinquished her rights as a power of attorney in April 2018 after the exploitation was discovered and a Pen-County social nington worker took a statement from her.

The Thief River Falls police investigator learned that the Valley Home administrator had reported Mehrkens' father was more than \$30,000 behind in rent as of January 2018. The administrator made the report to the Minnesota Adult Abuse Reporting Center. The investigator learned that the man's home had been sold, and Valley Home hadn't received payments. After reviewing documentation, the investigator determined that the man's home had been sold in 2018. In January 2018, \$21,195.79 had been deposited into the

# Local students graduate from UND

More than 530 students were eligible to cross the stage Friday, Aug. 3 as the University of North Dakota held its summer commencement ceremony.

The ceremony was held at the UND Chester Fritz Auditorium. UND President Mark Kennedy presided and gave the main address, and Dr. Casey Ryan brought greetings on behalf of the North Dakota State Board of Higher Education.

Local graduates included: from Greenbush - Jodi Olson, Bachelor of Science degree in nursing; from Stephen - Leslie Woinarowicz, who graduated magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree; from Thief River Falls – Brooklyn Beito, B.S. degree in social work, Shari Daniels, PhD, Sara Dupree, PhD, and Anna Zoller, B.S. degree in The Quin County Comnursing; from Warren - Munity Health Services Richard Looker, Master of Science degree; and from Warroad - Katelyn Voll, who graduated magna cum folden Evangelical Free laude with a Bachelor of General Studies degree.

# **Proposals sought for Farmer Rancher Grants**

Proposals are being sought for grants through the North Central Region -Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education program. Proposals are due Thursday, Dec. 6 at 4 p.m.

There are three types of competitive grants: individual grants (\$9,000 maximum), team of two grants for two farmers/ranchers from separate operations who are working together (\$18,000 maximum), and group grants for three or more farmers/ranchers from separate operations who are working together (\$27,000 maximum). NCR-SARE expects to fund about 40 projects in the twelve-state North Central Region with this call. A total of approximately \$600,000 is available for this program.

Farmers and ranchers in the North Central region are invited to submit grant proposals to explore sustainable agriculture solutions to problems on the farm or ranch. Proposals should show how farmers and ranchers plan to use their own innovative ideas to explore sustainable agriculture options and how they

will share project results. Sustainable agriculture is good for the environment, profitable and socially responsible. Projects should emphasize research or education/demonstration.

Farmers and ranchers have a critical insight when it comes to improving their systems. Whether they need to limit off-farm inputs, reduce erosion, create more time for family or community activities, learn marketing skills, or find other ways to enhance their livelihoods, farmers and ranchers can turn to NCR-SARE for grant opportunities and informa-

NCR-SARE is one of four regional offices that run the Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education program, a nationwide grants and education program to advance sustainable innovation to American agriculture. NCR-SARE offers competitive grants and educational opportunities for producers, scientists, educators, institutions, organizations and others exploring sustainable agriculture in

the Midwest. Interested applicants can

find the call for proposals online as well as useful information for completing a proposal at www.northcentralsare.org/Grants/Typesof-Grants/Farmer-Rancher-Grant-Program. More information about sustainable agriculture can be found at www.sare.org.

Potential applicants with questions can contact Joan Benjamin, associate regional coordinator and Farmer Rancher Grant Program coordinator, at benjaminj@lincolnu.edu or 1-800-529-1342. Applicants should also contact Joan Benjamin if they need a hard copy or an email version of the call for proposals. Revisions are made to the calls for proposals each year, which means it is crucial to use the most recent call for proposals.

Each state in SARE's North Central region has one or more state sustainable agriculture coordinawho can provide information and assistance to potential grant applicants. Interested applicants can find their state sustainable agriculture coordinator



man's bank account.

Valley Home has since been paid a portion of the money it is due. The complaint indicted that, as of July 1, 2018, Valley Home was owed \$26,620.89.

Mehrkens allegedly made numerous transactions from her father's account to her own account. She also made numerous purchases for merchandise and services out of the account for herself. Purchases were made at a liquor store, multiple restaurants, several convenience stores, several department stores, an airline, the city of Thief River Falls and the Department of Vehicle Services, among others. Mehrkens is also accused of using the account to pay her own rent. The purchases were made in Thief River

Falls, Duluth and San Antonio, Texas.

Mehrkens is accused of stealing \$11,056 over the three-year period. During that time frame, she also deposited more than \$3,300 in the account. The criminal charges factor in those deposits.

On April 26, the social worker met with Mehrkens. At that time, Mehrkens allegedly said she knew the family was behind in rent for her father's room.

Human Services Department staff later met with Mehrkens' brother. He said he was also a power of attorney, but he didn't realize that he wasn't listed on the bank account. Both siblings asked for assistance to take care of the man and his debt. Both stated they planned to take another job to pay Valley Home.

During the interview with Mehrkens, the social worker asked about more than 19 debit card transactions. Mehrkens allegedly said she knew what the woman was asking. She indicated that she had taken out a large loan to pay back the account sometime within past two the vears. Mehrkens said some of the transactions – at Thrifty White Drug and Walmart – were for the man. She admitted that she used the account to purchase alcohol, make a Delta Air purchase, and make purchases in San Antonio for herself. When asked about the DVS purchase, Mehrkens said it was for her father's vehicle. However, she later admitted it was for her vehicle and her father hadn't driven in

Mehrkens hadn't provided any receipts for the purchases at the time that the police investigator had reviewed the information.

The police investigator also learned the man rarely left Valley Home, and he didn't have a phone or computer.

During the interview, the social worker asked whether Mehrkens had taken the man out to supper and to doctor's appointments. She said yes, but she couldn't recall the last doctor's appoint-

Her brother said their father rarely attended doctor's appointments. He noted that they would occasionally take him out to eat; however, the man wanted to go back to his room.

The investigator also learned Valley Home staff needed to provide clothing for the man and sew his clothing. Mehrkens told the social worker that she wasn't aware of those issues.



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Thief River Falls public and private kindergarten classes visited the Thief River Falls Fire Hall this week as part of National Fire Prevention Week. Here, firefighter Marty Semanko is showing Tanya Loe's kindergarten class what a firefighter will wear and how they may enter a building. Like usual, Semanko also had a little fun with the kids and grabbed Antonio Dotson. Other kindergartners pictured include (from left) Penelope Nelson, Robert Crandall, Lucas Hartig and Charlie Lawrence.

# Housing and prosperity/Continued

(Continued from Page 1) Fagerstrom said in 1998 Northwest Minnesota Hous-

ing Cooperative built nine homes on the site of former Knox Elementary School in Thief River Falls. The median price then was \$98,000. Today, those exact homes are being built near Challenger Elementary School and cost \$220,000.

Fagerstrom admitted there are several dynamics at play, but that's the reality, he said.

There are a number of things or factors driving the increase - the housing shortage, population growth, material costs, infrastructure costs, and, well everything, he said.

In another example, Fagerstrom said they were recently looking at Phase II of a planned residential area near Challenger, but noted that between 2007 and 2017, the cost of putting in infrastructure tripled.

Other factors driving cost increases that Fagerstrom touched upon included the "Home Improvement" perceptions of young people entering the market, over regulation, and the reality of what many young people can afford. Most, he said, want right away what Mom and Dad took 40 years to build. Because of student education debt, however, they would need to afford such

Yet, the smartest investment in securing the state's future is securing a foundation of strong communities and stable homes for all Minnesotans.

Warren Hanson, president and chief executive officer of Greater Minnesota Housing Fund, presented recommendations of the Minnesota Housing Task Force and tied them to the success of the community and the state.

"This is a call to action," said Hanson. He explained that awareness and understanding has to improve, and support for the private sector opportunities addressed through public poli-

As he sees it, three things need to happen: regulatory

burdens need to be addressed: innovation and automation in the housing industry needs to take place; and additional resources need to be found. However, they don't even know what some of these things would

"This is a multi-year effort," said Hanson. "It's not about to happen overnight." He estimated it could take

five or 10 years of effort.

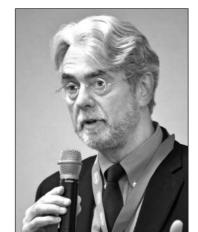
Representatives Dan
Fabian and Deb Kiel, and Sen. Mark Johnson said they were prepared to take action. As Fabian declared, "There needs to be regulatory reform in the Legislature this year."

Hanson and others, however, aren't just talking about workforce housing. Neither are community leaders and legislators. They all realize a variety of housing is needed. They aren't sure what these homes would look like yet, and may be conducting a survey in the near future.

leaders, Trontvet and Randy Twistol of Arctic Cat, said that many young people coming to Thief River Falls need apartments. They need a place to rent immediately. Eventually, they'll be able to shift into first-time homes, but brand-new, stick-built homes are often beyond their means. But, th know exactly what these employees want or need in housing.

Several testified Wednesday that as these young people age, improve their credit scores and finances, their target often become homes of elderly, who need or want to move into senior housing. But, senior housing - housing that meets their needs is in short supply as well. These homes, townhouses, condominiums or apartments are expensive and require other sacrifices, and this becomes difficult or problematic because the homes they leave need expensive improvements and updates.

In the meantime, the school district is hopeful that the demand for a skilled workforce will bring families into the community



Warren Hanson, president and chief executive officer of **Greater Minnesota Housing** Fund, led a discussion about housing needs in Minnesota and a new initiative called Prosperity's Front Door during a meeting Wednesday at Digi-Key.

but these families need a certain type of home that will also meet their needs as

The Housing Task Force came up with six recommendations: commit to homes as a priority; preserve the homes we have; build more homes; increase home stability; link homes and services; and support and strengthen home ownership. They hope meetings like this and Prosperity's Front Door will help legislators encourage make policy changes, increase resources, and developers to take a risk and build more housing.



A large group of business and community leaders met at Digi-Key Wednesday to discuss housing needs in the state and community and a new initiative called Prosperity's Front Door.

# Two women charged/Continued

(Continued from Page 1) N. in Goodridge. That individual said there were people going to and from the home almost daily between 3 and 4 a.m.

That day, the Drug Task Force officer applied for an application and affidavit for pen register. The application was

proved, allowing the officer track Anderson's cell phone for further investigation. days later,

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Tammy Jean

phone throughout the afternoon, eventually learning the phone was north of Highway 92 on 400th Avenue Southeast.

At about 6:05 p.m., Chief Deputy Seth Vettleson pulled over the vehicle, which was traveling 66 mph in a 55-mph zone. Anderson was driving, and Hunt was the passenger.

Hunt said the pickup truck belonged to Anderson's son, who was allowing Anderson to use it to move Hunt's belongings Goodridge. She asked why so many officers had stopped the vehicle. The Drug Task Force officer asked whether drugs were in the vehicle. She "laughed, saying something to the effect of no," according to the complaints. When asked a second time, Hunt said there was a onehitter in the vehicle and she also grabbed a wooden dugout out of her purse.

K-9 Max was brought to the scene and alerted his partner that the vehicle contained narcotics.

Law enforcement soon searched the vehicle. In Hunt's purse, they allegedly

found two glass pipes commonly used to smoke meth. Both contained a white residue. A baggie with 1.75 grams of meth was also found inside a metal tin in her purse. A prescription pill bottle featuring Hunt's name was also found inside.

In Anderson's purse, law enforcement allegedly found an eyeglasses case containing a baggie of meth. They also found a plastic zip-top bag containing meth. The bags weighed a total of 44.19 grams. Her wallet contained \$405 in cash. A glass jar and a plastic baggie, both containing suspected ground-up marijuana, were also found. The marijuana weighed 14.98 grams.

On the front seat of the vehicle, law enforcement found a coin purse with \$86 in cash and a one-hitter pipe with suspected marijuana residue.

Besides taking those items into evidence, law enforcement also confiscated the women's cell phones. They later planned to apply for a warrant to examine the contents of the phones.

# Middle River: Helping veterans

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(Continued from Page 1) difference." MRVO also relies on

other volunteer help to support its mission. "Our organization is 100 percent volunteers," said Cervantes, who noted that 100 percent of the depoting go had into of the donations go back into the organization.

Wayne Kilen, MRVO Board secretary, said the organization has received a lot of support from the community. He specifically cited the Middle River Sportsmen's Club and the Agassiz Rod and Gun Club.

Cervantes added that the group receives support from the Middle River American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary as well. He said, "The women keep us in line, I

Donors can make tax-deductible donations to Middle River Veterans Outdoors, a 501(c)(3) organization, by mailing a check to P.O. Box 66, Middle River, MN 56737. For further information, email mrvetsod@wiktel.com.



Major benefactors were honored Friday, Oct. 5 for their contributions for a pole shed owned by Middle River Veterans Outdoors. Pictured are (from left) Delray Larson, commander of American Legion Post 444 in Middle River; Erik Beitel, commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2793 in Thief River Falls, and Dave Sterr, commander of Disabled American Veterans North Central Chapter 7 of Bemidji. Not pictured is a representative of Davidson Construction.



Wayne Kilen (left), secretary of the Middle River Veterans Outdoors Board, presented a plaque to Tom Dondelinger, representing the Dondelinger Foundation. The foundation was among the major benefactors for the MRVO pole shed. (Submitted)





Volunteers were honored Friday, Oct. 5 for their help in constructing a pole shed for Middle River Veterans Outdoors. They included (from left) Wayne Klemetson, Jim Larson, Elroy Aune, David Myhrer and Ryan Rude. Video is online at www.trftimes.com.

# "We Are Water" art workshops to be held

Join the Northwest Minnesota Arts Council for We Are Water art workshops

throughout the region.
"We Are Water" consists of fifty canvases made by people in the area on the theme of "We Are Water' and on display at the NWMAC gallery before moving to a special exhibit at the University of Minnesota Crookston campus to complement the large "We Are Water" ex-hibit on display. Workshops will be run by local artist Trey Everett.

Workshops will be held from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. on these upcoming dates:

• Wednesday, Oct. 17 at the Red Lake Falls Public Library

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Kutter 48" box blade; Lawn & Garden: 2015 Kubota F2690 4WD front mower, cab w/heat, 60" deck & 51" snow blower, 162 hrs; 2008 John Deere X728 4WD garden tractor, 54' deck & 47" snow blower, 290 hrs; 36" lawn

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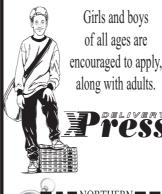


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- Conducts business in an ethical and professional manner.
- · Maintains a professional appearance.
- · Other tasks as assigned.

Candidates must possess strong communication skills, have a high level of attention to detail and work together as a team. This candidate may have gone to college or have gained valuable work experience which would qualify the candidate for this Finance and Insurance Manager position.

Resumes and applications are now being accepted. Candidates will be called back for a formal interview with our owner, Steve Lillestol.

# Thief River

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HEALTH

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Radiology Technologist - casual position Phlebotomist - full time position, benefits

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# NORTHWEST electric

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**Northwest Electric &** Underground, Inc. is seeking a Journeyman Electrician or Apprentice with experience. 401K, paid vacation.

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# Red Lake County Co-Op

# Propane Delivery **Position**

Are you looking to join a successful and growing company? Do you have the desire to learn as you work? If so, Red Lake County Cooperative may be the place for you. We are a customer focused cooperative looking to fill a Propane Delivery position based out of our Brooks facility.

•We offer a competitive wage and benefits package •We offer training and mentoring

•We operate under a customer focused philosophy

•We are accepting applications for a full time position

Delivery Experience is preferred, but not required. For more information on this position or to get an application, please contact Tom at 218-686-0091 or Michele at 218-686-3883

# Cashier and Deli **Positions**

Are you looking to join a successful and growing company? Do you have the desire to learn as you work? If so, Red Lake County Cooperative may be the place for you. We are a customer focused cooperative looking to fill Part-Time Cashier/ Deli

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# **Red Lake County Co-Op**

Positions at our Brooks and Oklee Convenience

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Welders Laborers

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# **Help Wanted**

### **POSITION AVAILABLE**

The Northwest Regional Library has an opening for a full-time Youth Services Coordinator at the Thief River Falls Public Library. Starting wage of \$16.62/hour, 40 hours per week, with benefits and health benefits and insurance available.

Services The Youth Coordinator plans, coordinates and implements all youth activities and outreach including summer outreach including summer reading, teen book clubs, daycare delivery and story time. Also assists at circulation desk. Positive attitude, good customer service and computer skills needed. 2-4 year college degree required.

Accepting applications until position is filled.

Applications and complete job descriptions available online at www.nwrlib.org or at the Thief River Falls Public Library.

Return applications to:
Sarah Villanueva,
Branch Librarian
Thief River Falls
Public Library
102 First Street East,
PO Box 674
Thief River Falls, MN
56701
Or email to: Or email to:



# Help Wanted

The Northwest Minnesota Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment Authority (HRA) is seeking a limited part-time seasonal worker remove snow from sidewalks and entrances and to apply ice melt as needed at rental properties in Mentor, Middle River, and Fisher.

For more information or an application, please call 218-637-2431 and ask for Ryan or Lee.

Position open until filled.

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and become a part of our fun and friendly team. C'mon Inn has immediate openings for the following positions:

- · 2 Part-time Housekeepers
- 1 Part-time Front Desk (day shift)
- 1 Part-time Night auditor (overnights)
- 1 Full-time Front Desk **Assistant Manager** Applications may be

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NA/R - Roseau Manor NA/R - Greenbush Manor

NA/R - Float Staff

LPN - Roseau Night Shift (Sunday - Thursday) LPN - Greenbush Night Shift



LPN - Roseau and Greenbush Sign On RN - Roseau & Greenbush Manors Paramedic

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# **Thief River**

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## Help Wanted

The City of Lake Bronson is looking for a Maintenance Worker. Contact the City Clerk at 754-2710 to obtain and application. F2t82c

# **NOW HIRING** WEEKEND HELP **Full or Part-Time** Day Waitresses

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**INTER-COUNTY Nursing Service** is looking for qualified individuals to work on a casual status as a Home Health Aide. The qualified applicant should be certified as a Home Health Aide or Nursing Assistant. A back-ground check will be required. Applications available at Inter-County Nursing Service, 101 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls. Call 218-681-0876 for more information

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# Livestock

Attention Horsemen: Central Livestock, West Fargo, will be holding their annual Fall Horse Sale on Friday, October 26, 2018. Tack at 10am, Ride-ins at 3pm, Loose Horses to follow. ALL Out-of-State horses must have Health Certificate and Current Coggins. Call Kelly at 701-360-2326 for more information or Central Livestock: 701-282-

# **For Rent**

Warren 2-Bedroom Apartments: All utilities paid, on-site laundry, non smoking building, no pets. One year lease required, \$600/month + deposit. Call 218-436-4695. F2tfc

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Come apply at www.jobswithus.org! Thief River Care Center, Attn: Tracy Kriel 2001 Eastwood Drive, Thief River Falls, MN 56701 or call 218-683-8103 for questions EOE/AA

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### DISTRICT OUTREACH SPECIALIST

The Kittson Soil and Water Conservation District is seeking a highly motivated professional for the District Outreach Specialist Position. The District Outreach Specialists primary duty is community outreach to educate the public on implementation of conservation practices through The Kittson SWCD. This position will work with landowners, communities, schools and other units of government to implement education and conservation programs. The anticipated hiring salary will be based on qualifications and experience

> Please send a cover letter, resume and three references to:



Kittson SWCD 410 5th Street S, Suite 106 Hallock, MN 6728 or jamie.osowski@mn.nacdnet.net. Closing date is 4:30 p.m. on October 22nd, 2018. Full job description can be seen at our

www.kittsonswcd.org.

### **Red Lake County Social Worker**

Red Lake County Social Services is accepting applications for a Social Worker. Position provides adult and children's mental health case management along with general case management across all program areas, is a back-up for adult protective services and child protective/child welfare services case management, and performs related tasks as required. Starting wage is \$24.18/hr., wage increases up to 2 times per year, position works 35 hrs./wk. and a full benefit package is available.

To be considered for the position applicants must be Minnesota Merit System eligible, have a bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year college or university with a major in social work, psychology, sociology or closely related field OR a bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year college or university with a major in any field and one year of experience as a social worker in a public or private social services agency.

Applicants must complete a Red Lake County application AND MN Merit System application.

Visit www.co.red-lake.mn.us/employment for more information. The required MN Merit System application and full job description are available at:

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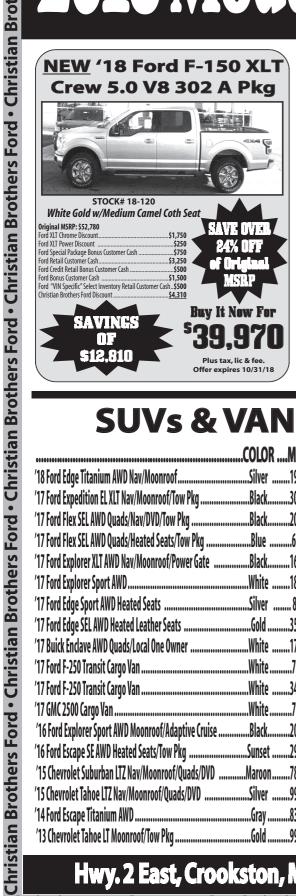


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