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Students put studies to practical use in the field LHS students and program praised for effort

by David Hill
Editor

An ambitious 5-year plan to improve access to a segment of northwestern Minnesota to deer hunters and outdoor enthusiasts got a big boost from a Lincoln High School robotics group.

During a meeting of the Board of Education for School District 564, Thief River Falls, Dana Klos explained that the local chapter of Minnesota Deer Hunters had hit a snag in its plans to improve access into the Elm Lake Wildlife Management Area. The project included establishing trails and adding a turn around after a two and one-half mile ditch grade access into an area along County Ditch 27 in Marshall County. He explained that the area is a

swampy area, thick with cover. A request to operate beyond the line of sight drones over the area was denied by the FAA. Klos wasn't sure what to do, but then hit upon an idea - why not ask Lincoln High School students who can operate line of sight drones? He turned to Natasha Olsonawski.

"The instructor you have is just marvelous," said Klos of Olsonawski.

Klos shared with members of the Board of Education copies of MDHA Whitetales, the official publication of the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association. Inside the Summer 2024 edition is a story about the local chapter utilizing drones and youngsters from Lincoln High School in its ambitious project. Klos also noted that the Club and stu-

dents received assistance from one-time Northland Community and Technical College instructor Zach Nicklin.

Klos said they presented the project and a short video to deer hunters attending an annual convention and it generated a great deal of attention and excitement.

Klos said the last paragraph of the story says it all: "Not only has the Thief River Falls Chapter members taken on a monumental five-year project that goes way beyond benefitting just deer hunters, it has assisted in potential development of careers for local kids. This technology is not in the future, it is now, and this experience will provide real field experience for the



Lincoln High School students participating in its robotics program were included in a feature story in the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association publication called Whitetales. Utilizing drones, the students provided assistance to the local chapter of Deer Hunters.

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Candidates file for school board seats

by April Scheinoha
Reporter

Local residents have decided to put their hats in the ring for school board seats in the region.

The candidates listed below have filed. If a name has been omitted, it most likely wasn't listed on the Minnesota Secretary of State's website as of late Wednesday morning.

- Badger School District** - Three seats will be on the ballot in the Badger School District. Four candidates have filed. They are Jodie Davy, Dana Didrikson, Cari Dostal and Brent Olson.
- Crookston School District** - Three positions will be on the ballot in the Crookston School District. Candidates are Malissa Burnette, Adam Schiller, Mike Theis, Kayse Thompson and Connie Wilkens.
- Goodridge School District** - Three seats will be on the ballot in the Goodridge School District. Candidates are Leah Bothum, Tim Hruby and John Lovly.
- Greenbush-Middle**

- River School District** - Information was unavailable about the Greenbush-Middle School District election.
- Grygla School District** - Three positions will be on the ballot in the Grygla School District. Candidates are Alisha Anderson, Tonia Haack, Carson Saurdiff and Gretchen Smey.
- Kittson Central School District (Hallock)** - Four seats will be on the ballot in the Kittson Central School District. Candidates are Dylan Bowman, Crisa Mortenson, Andrew Muir, Michael Olsonawski, Molly Sobolik and Tori Younggren.
- Lancaster School District** - Two positions will be on the ballot in the Lancaster School District. Candidates are Matthew Nordin, Justin Peterson and Michael Whitlock.
- Marshall County Central Schools (Newfolden)** - Five seats will be on the ballot for Marshall County Central Schools. Candidates for four of the seats are Craig Bakke, Andy Bjorgaard, Kayla Leader, Melissa Weleski and Kelsi Wilson. Ashley Anderson has filed for the school board

- Red Lake County Central School District** - Three positions will be on the ballot in the Red Lake County Central School District. Candidates are Jody Duden, Lisa Knutson and Tyrone Olson.
- Red Lake Falls School District** - Three seats will be on the ballot in the Red Lake Falls School District. Candidates are Chris Cardinal, Beth Keller and Mike Swendra.
- Roseau School District** - Three positions will be on the ballot in the Roseau School District. Candidates are Jason Cummings, Thor Didrikson, Vonda Danielson, David Simmons, Neal Vatsndal, Greg Kennedy, Traci Kennedy, Jennifer Lovgren and Michele "Micky" Hulst.
- Stephen/Argyle Central School District** - Three positions will be on the ballot in the Stephen/Argyle Central School District. Candidates are Katie Adolphson, Dustin Grabowska and Johnathon Kazmierczak.
- Thief River Falls**

- School District** - Four seats will be on the ballot in the Thief River Falls School District. Lindsay Gregory, Jared Kainz, Luke Stavos and John Syvertson have filed for the three four-year positions on the ballot. Misty Hempel and Diane Lion have filed for the two-year position on the ballot.
- Tri-County School District (Karlstad)** - Information was unavailable about the Tri-County School District election.
- Warren-Alvarado-Oslo School District** - Four positions, including a position that is part of a special election, will be on the ballot in the Warren-Alvarado-Oslo School District. Darby Boe and Mark Jones filed for the seats that aren't part of the special election. No one filed for the seat that is part of a special election.
- Win-E-Mac School District (Erskine)** - Four positions will be on the ballot in the Win-E-Mac School District. Candidates include Tyler Brekken, Nicki Carlson, Amanda Schow, Kathrine Senn-Howard and Davin Swanson.



According to the Office of Secretary of State, 793,236 votes were cast in the 2022 Primary in Minnesota. Results for the 2024 primary are unofficial until the Minnesota State Canvassing Board meets on Aug. 20 to certify results, but total votes cast for this primary are thought to be low.

Primary results from northwestern Minnesota can be found on Page 6 of this edition of the Northern Watch.

Tuesday was also the deadline for filing for city council seats. Who filed and for what city office or ward can be found on Page 6 of this edition of the Northern Watch.

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NMF awards \$350,000 to 12 nonprofits

The Northwest Minnesota Foundation has awarded 12 organizations a combined \$350,000 in grant funding through the Otto Bremer Trust Community Responsive Fund to support

services and programs addressing crucial needs in our local communities.

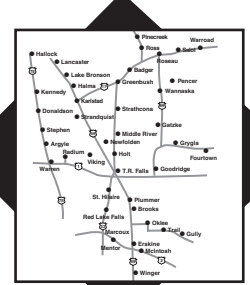
NMF received 28 applications totaling more than \$1 million in requests. Local nonprofit organizations receiving grants included:

- Marshall County Group Homes, Inc., Argyle, \$50,000
- BIO Girls Inc., serving different locations throughout northwest Minnesota, \$25,000
- Warren S.O.S., \$13,000
- Tri-Community Movers/Block Nurse Program, Newfolden, \$7,500

Otto Bremer Trust identified four categories through which NMF was to align funding: basic needs, community asset building, health and wellbeing, and restorative and responsive.

"We are incredibly thankful to the Otto Bremer Trust for this opportunity," said Cory Boushee, NMF's director of programs. "This funding enabled us to contribute no-strings-attached operational dollars to our local partners who are delivering vital impacts across our region."

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NORTHERN WATCH AROUND THE REGION
 April Scheinoha

McKeever looks to "chart the course"
Greenbush - Sitting at his office desk at Tri-County School, Kevin McKeever - a 25-year school administrator - said it's enough being a principal or superintendent for one school district. Now, late in his career, he is taking on

the role of superintendent at two schools - Greenbush-Middle River and Tri-County.
 McKeever got his start in education as a math teacher and coach for 11 years - six of those years in North Dakota and another five with Norman County East. After earning his administrative degree, he started his school administration career 25 years ago by serving as the superintendent/K-12 principal at Badger School, a role in which he served for two years.
 Due to family reasons, he then took a job at his wife Bernice's hometown of Erskine as the Win-E-Mac K-12 principal, working in that role for the past 23 years. Leaving Win-E-Mac, he will miss the interactions he had with staff and students and the diversity the day brought him as a principal. - *The Tribune of Greenbush, Aug. 14, 2024, by Ryan Bergeron*

Pennington SWCD Hosts Well Water Testing Clinic
 The Pennington SWCD Well Water Testing Clinic starts on August 19th. For one week, private wells can be tested for nitrates, E. coli, and total coliform bacteria at a discounted rate! Sample kits can be picked up at the SWCD office on Monday, August 19th through Wednesday, August 21st, from 7:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. The water sample must be collected on Thursday, August 22nd, and returned to the SWCD office by 3:30 p.m. Samples will be sent to a certified lab for analysis. The cost to homeowners is \$15 when they pick up their sample bottles, Pennington SWCD will cover the remaining cost. If you miss this opportunity, the SWCD offers well water testing kits year-round at full price.
 For more information or questions, contact Bryanna Greffthen, Water Resource Specialist, at 218-683-7075. The Pennington SWCD is located at 201 Sherwood Ave S, Thief River Falls (Behind L & M Fleet).
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Two people injured after accident Tuesday

Two people were injured Tuesday night after a two-vehicle accident north of Thief River Falls.

Suffering non-life threatening injuries were Richard Wayne Jorde, 81, Thief River Falls, and a Roseau boy, according to the Minnesota State Patrol report. They went to Sanford Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Jorde was driving one of the vehicles while the boy was in the other vehicle driven by Austin Donald Lefrooth, 26, Strandquist. Lefrooth and two other passengers, 21-year-old Kira Joyce Story of Roseau and a Roseau girl, reported no injuries. The State Patrol

didn't list either juvenile's name or age in the report.

At the time of the accident, Lefrooth was driving a 2005 Chevy Suburban northbound on Highway 59 in Excel Township. Jorde was driving a 2022 Ford Maverick on 220th Street Northeast. The vehicles then collided. The report indicated that Lefrooth wasn't wearing a seat belt while all of the other individuals were wearing seat belts.

The State Patrol was dispatched to the scene at 8:02 p.m. Tuesday. The Marshall County Sheriff's Office, Pennington County Sheriff's Office and Sanford Thief River Falls Ambulance also responded.

Traveling Art Exhibit stops in Hallock

The Northwest Minnesota Arts Council sponsors an annual Traveling Art Exhibit, which visits northwest Minnesota communities throughout the year. This exhibit includes 14 original pieces of art by regional adult and student artists, chosen from works submitted for our annual juried exhibit. The exhibit is currently on display at the Hallock Public Library until Tuesday, Sept. 24.

The 2024-25 artists and artwork:

- Beau Bakken, Hallock, "Sunday Evening Classy Entertainment" (acrylic painting)
- Kelly Chisholm, Gary, "John Lennon" (drawing)
- Tammy Hansen, Newfolden, "Flower and Feather" (acrylic painting)
- Denise R. Jenson, Badger, "Found Lying Together" (photography)
- Steve Bernard, Erskine, "Candlelight Dinner" (oil painting)
- Sarah Solberg, Plummer, "Canyon X" (photography)

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 • Jessica Lundeen, Thief River Falls "Sunny" (drawing)

• Izzy Swenson, Lancaster School, student merit winner, "Purple Iris" (watercolor painting)

• Kerstyn Lindsey, Borup, student at Ada-Borup-West School, "Sprinkles" (ceramic sculpture)

• Brigitta Novacek, Roseau High School student, "The Pink Cloud Replica" (acrylic painting)

• Geneva Gartner, Fertile resident, Fertile-Beltrami School student, "Flying Around" (mosaic) Fertile-Beltrami School

• Mary Jane Crane, Red Lake Falls student, third place winner, "Beauty in Self Image" (drawing)

• Ava Halvorson, Goodridge School student, "Sundown in Star Township" (acrylic painting)

• Kinsley Oslund, Grygla School student, "Perfect and Deep Love" (watercolor painting)



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DEATH NOTICES

Leslie Rogalla, 49

Thief River Falls - Leslie Ann Rogalla, 49, of Thief River Falls, passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 6, 2024. A memorial service was held on Friday, Aug. 16, 2024, at the Evangelical Free Church in Thief River Falls. Burial will be held at a later date at Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Janice Olson, 74

Red Lake Falls - Janice Olson, 74, of Red Lake Falls, passed away on Monday, Aug. 12, 2024. A memorial service was held on Friday, Aug. 16, 2024, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Red Lake Falls. Condolences may be sent at johnsonfuneralservice.com.

Diane Shafer, 79

Strathcona - Diane Marie (Allison) Shafer, 79, passed away on Thursday, Aug. 1, 2024. A memorial service was held on Tuesday, Aug. 13, 2024, at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Greenbush. Interment services were held at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Cemetery. Arrangements are with Collins Funeral Home of Greenbush.

Marshall Co. soybean farmers donate to fire departments

The Marshall County Soybean and Corn Growers are investing in their local fire departments. The local group recently approved donating nine face masks to support first responders in their grain bin rescue efforts. The Minnesota Soybean Research & Promotion Council is also making investments in the products that firefighters are using.

"Going into a grain bin it's typically a very dusty situation. It's an extra safety measure to protect our firefighters in those dangerous rescue scenarios," said Tony Johnson, Marshall County Soybean and Corn Growers president. "Rural fire department budgets are limited, so this donation will be of great support."

In total, nine face masks were purchased and distributed to Marshall County fire departments, one for each in the county. The donation is a follow-up from 2023, when the Marshall County Soybean and Corn Growers also donated a grain bin rescue auger to each department in the county.

From putting out the fires to fueling the trucks that get them there, there's strong connection between area fire departments and locally grown soybeans. With soy checkoff support, MSR&PC is investing in two specific products that are not only helping firefighters save lives but also save the planet: SoyFoam TF 1122 and biodiesel.

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Mavis Arvidson, 90

Red Lake Falls - Mavis Arvidson of Red Lake Falls, passed away on Wednesday, Aug. 7, 2024. The funeral service for Mavis will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 17, 2024, at Bethany Lutheran Church in Red Lake Falls. Burial will be held at Immanuel Cemetery, Wylie Township, near Red Lake Falls. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service at the church on Saturday.

Sharline Hess, 97

Park Rapids - Sharline Hess, 97, of Park Rapids, passed away on Monday, Aug. 5, 2024. A memorial service was held on Wednesday, Aug. 14, 2024, at Riverside United Methodist Church in Park Rapids.

Eugene Battleson, 85

Brainerd - Eugene (Gene) Duane Battleson, 85, passed away on Monday, Aug. 12, 2024. A celebration of life service, with Military Honors, will be held promptly at 1 p.m., Friday, Aug. 23, 2024, at The Minnesota Veterans Cemetery in Little Falls.

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Create an adventure of your own making

FOMO. I've been feeling like I'm missing out. The grand plans I made in the spring for summer vacations have collapsed ... again. It happens every year, and I realize it when I start scrolling through Facebook posts in August. When I see their posts, it makes me feel like my family and friends are having more fun and doing more than I could ever imagine. Yes, I'm a bit envious. On the other hand, all I can report is that I spent a week with my dad in the Black Hills. That was good. I did help him with his garden. He put alpaca poop in his garden. (Don't ask.) We also hiked around Sylvan Lake, watched my dog splash and play in a lake on a hot day, and hiked around the greatly improved Dinosaur Hill. Dinosaur Hill isn't important because it's historically important. It's important because it's unusual in a very touristy way. It does offer the visitor some panoramic views of the community and Black Hills. In spite of these experiences, however, I feel like I missed out.

A short and quick visit with family in Carrington, N.D., put a different spin on my fear of missing out. I learned of wind storms that damaged homes and cabins, job challenges, and a sister-in-law who had a stent put in near her heart. Suddenly the absence of a "Facebook-worthy" summer vacation wasn't so bad. I don't want or need that kind of drama. My family didn't want to talk about that drama either. They were more interested in hearing about our Free Thursday Night Music in the Park performances, our Art, Wine and Walk event, and learning about a greenhouse we went to that served beer. (Don't knock it. It's a great idea, especially for those of us who really aren't into gar-

dening. I must say that it does help make spending money on plants enjoyable.) It dawned on me during this discussion that my attention had been too focused on what I don't have, and not on what I have.

Grant Nelson, who writes Rural Reflections, wrote a column recently about going to Cows & Co., which is near Carrington, and produces artisan gelato, authentic gouda cheese, and cheddar cheese curds. As a group, we decided to follow Grant's lead and check it out. It's so far out in the country I thought we were lost. In fact, members of my family used GPS once when they were going there and got lost. It's funny because they live nearby, and they shouldn't have had to rely on GPS. The experience made me recall a time when a friend demanded we rely only on her GPS system. We didn't reach our destination, unless you consider a corn field our "final" destination. "You have reached your destination," it stated.

When we arrived at Cows & Co. I was really impressed - good food, good service, clean and appealing rooms, and a great atmosphere. There were more people there than I thought there would be. There were 30 cars in the parking lot! It left me with lasting memories, and it also left me with some new thoughts. After having watched the decline of dairy in northwestern Minnesota, seeing this creamery made me wonder if this is the future of many small farms in America. It's not necessarily bad. It's just ... different.

FOMO? Rather than focusing on what I lack or the fun others are having, I realized it's important to focus on what I have and what's close at hand. There are lots of places - small towns, small farms, and small festivals in northwestern Minnesota that we can visit before fall and winter arrive. We just need to take some initiative and create our own adventures.

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Lily, 14 year old daughter of Casey & Cassie Thronson of Red Lake Falls, is currently in-patient at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester waiting for a heart transplant. Lily was born with a heart defect and has undergone many heart surgeries over the years. June 2024 she was put on the transplant list. Lily will remain in Rochester for months post-transplant.



Thoren, Abel, Lily, Cassie & Casey

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If you can not attend the event and would like to donate, accounts have been set up at Unity Bank and Dakota Heritage Bank in Red Lake Falls and United Valley in Mahanomen. Donations accepted via Venmo also.



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The Pennington Soil and Water Conservation District hosted a Make and Take Rain Barrel Workshop Thursday, August 1, in partnership with Pennington County Extension Master Gardeners. The event included educational presentations on how to construct and use a rain barrel as well as beneficial gardening strategies. The event also included a meal catered by The Piggy, available for all attendees. With the success of this event, the SWCD hopes to host another Make and Take Workshop in the future. (Submitted)

Rural Reflections ...

Reflecting on Good Old Days

by Grant Nelson



Dear Dave,
By the time you read this letter, Dave, the portal will have closed for another year. For others, it will be perfect timing. This is reference to both an event and a stage musical, but more on that later.

Combines are rolling here, Dave. The area barley crop started about two weeks ago; however, the spring wheat crop is what I consider as the starting point of harvest. Most of our spring wheat crop was planted at a time when farmers were pretty positive. It was still early in the planting season and small grain planting went pretty well. Corn and soybeans were less positive as planting was done in a rush and planting conditions weren't always ideal. We will find

out bushel production of wheat pretty soon; however, corn and soybeans may not see the hopper for a few months.

I am pretty good at weeding trees, Dave. I'm not sure if being good at something I dislike is something to treasure, but it was a job that had to be done. I had over 500 trees planted here this year by the Pennington Soil and Water Conservation District. The area around the trees is covered by matting; however, there is a small opening around the tree. This opening must be hand-weeded, and it is manual labor at its purest. I have been using something called a garden knife to remove the weeds and it works very well. It is a simple tool but quite effective. I understand that your wife, Mary, also has found it an effective gardening tool. I have used it for weeding and replanting trees, but there are many markings and notches on the blade that tell me it can do much more.

The village of Brigadoon is the focus of a musical of the same name in which the village only appears,

through a time portal, to the outside world once every 100 years, Dave. The village is discovered by two men and one of them falls in love with a village woman and has to decide if he will stay in the village as it disappears for another 100 years. A similar phenomenon occurs in our hometown of Viking, only it is a yearly event. Good Old Days is set in Viking this weekend. I like to joke that this is the one weekend when people can visit without a passport and the guard shack is not actively manned. It's really just a nice couple of days with a parade at 11 a.m. There are lots of other things taking place on Saturday and Sunday too, but after that, Viking will disappear until next summer, Dave. It really doesn't disappear but, just like in the musical, people may fall in love with the place; I certainly did.

Dad used to always ask, "so you hear any news?" when he wondered what was going on in our lives. This is my news this week, Dave. Tell everyone hello, you're little bro.

Winners chosen for 2025 trout and salmon stamp, walleye stamp contests

Shakopee artist Mark Thone won the Minnesota trout and salmon stamp contest with an acrylic painting of a rainbow trout and Lakeville artist Stephen Hamrick won the walleye stamp contest with an acrylic painting of a walleye. Judging for both contests was held on Aug. 1.

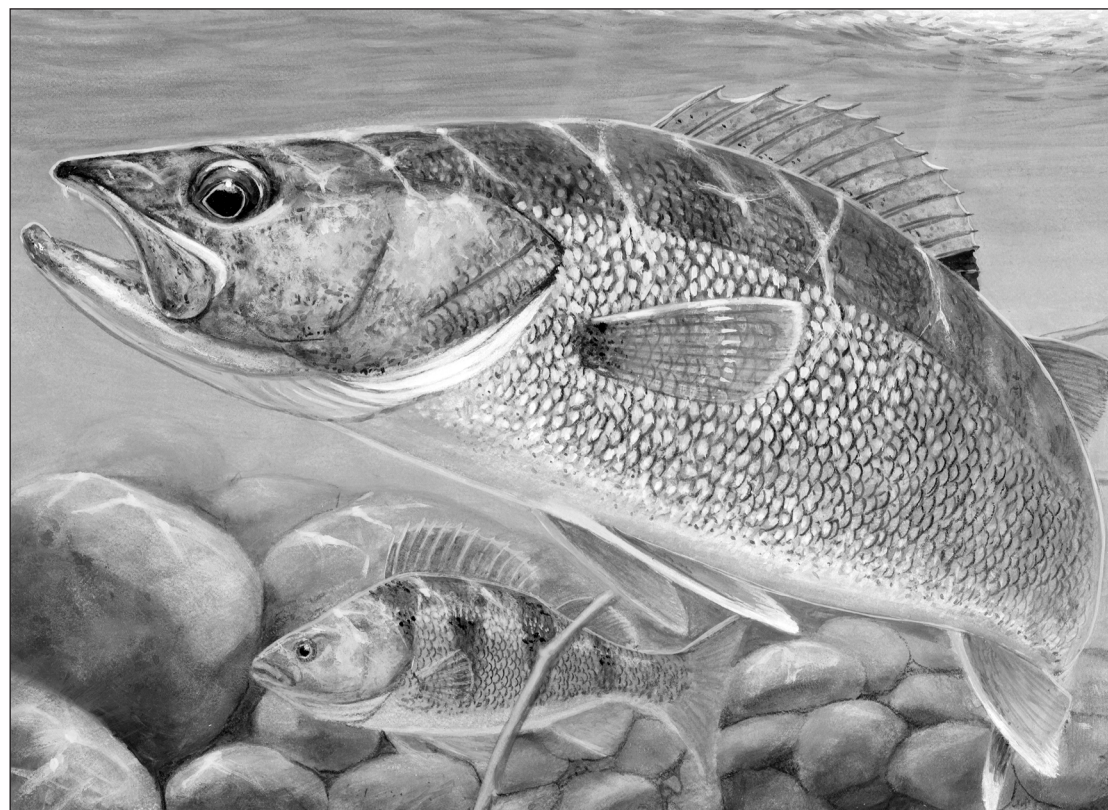
In the trout and salmon stamp contest, which had 11 eligible submissions, the runner-up was Stephen Hamrick of Lakeville with an acrylic painting of a brown trout.

Third place went to Eric Wallace of Maple Grove with a harborboard/esso/acrylic oil/lacquer painted rainbow trout.

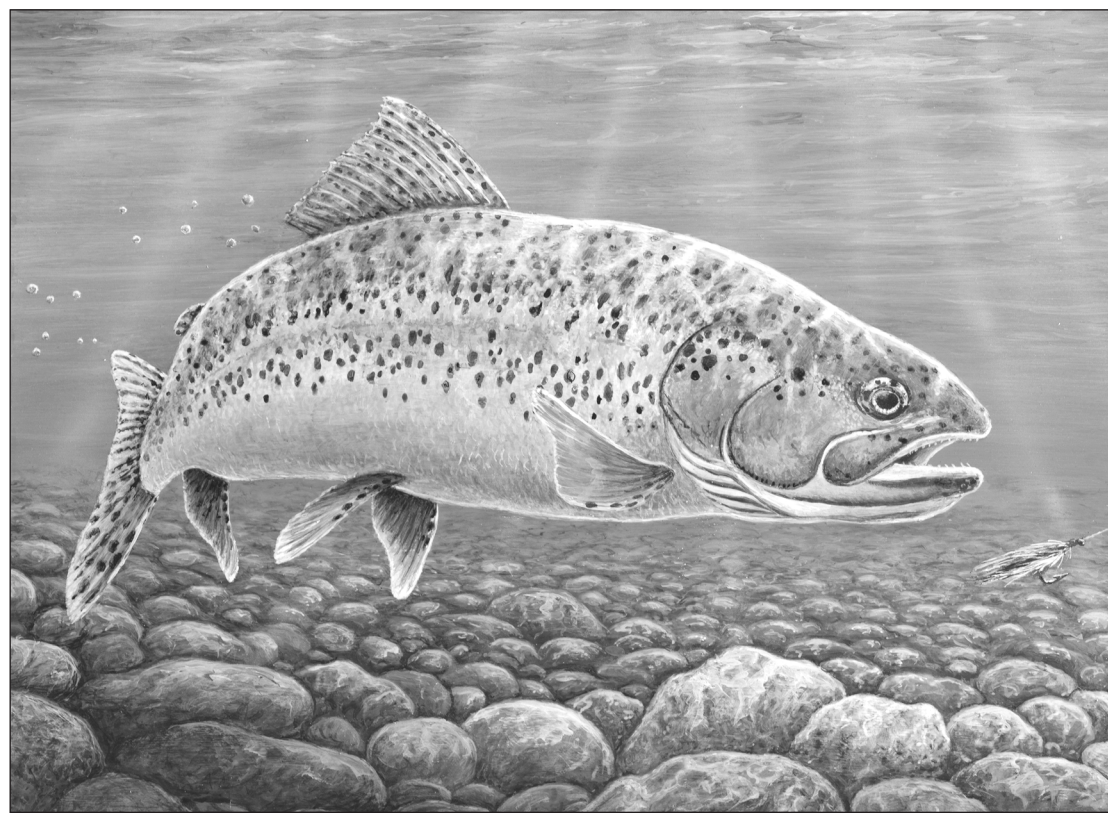
In the walleye stamp contest, which had seven eligible submissions, the runner-up was Mark Thone of Shakopee with an acrylic painting of a walleye. Third place went to Stuart Nelson of Cloquet with an acrylic painting of a walleye.

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources uses revenue from voluntary

purchases of walleye stamps to purchase walleye for stocking in Minnesota's lakes. Revenue from trout and salmon stamps, which are required for anglers ages 18-64 who fish in designated trout water or possess trout, is dedicated to trout and salmon management and habitat work. Visit the stamp webpage of the Minnesota DNR website (mndnr.gov/stamps) for more information about habitat stamps and contest guidelines.



Lakeville artist Stephen Hamrick won the walleye stamp contest with an acrylic painting of a walleye, pictured above, and Shakopee artist Mark Thone won the Minnesota trout and salmon stamp contest with an acrylic painting of a rainbow trout, which is pictured below. Judging for both contests was held on Aug. 1. (Submitted)



Minnesota DNR releases 2024 hunting regulations

The Minnesota Hunting and Trapping Regulations, and Minnesota Waterfowl Hunting Regulations, are available online.

Whether you're chasing grouse, getting into the marsh or preparing for deer season — or all of the above and more — make sure to check out the "What's New" sections in the regulations for important updates.

For example, early teal season and the September goose season will begin on Sunday, Sept. 1, which is the earliest seasons can open according to federal frameworks.

One way to access all the hunting regulations and season information on the Minnesota DNR website is through the hunting and trapping webpage.

Minnesota waterfowl regulations cover 2024, Minnesota DNR, youth and adult hunter, ducks on the water.

On the hunting and trapping page, you will find links to season information portals for bear, deer, elk, grouse, mourning dove, pheasant, prairie chicken, small game, trapping, waterfowl and wild turkey.

The webpage also has a bevy of links to other information including our learn to hunt webpages, where you can get how-to guides about hunting a wide range of wildlife species in Minnesota.

Electronic copies of all 2024 Minnesota hunting regulations are available now online and printed copies will be available by mid-August wherever licenses are sold. Regulations translated into Hmong, Karen, Somali and Spanish will be available later this fall.

Looking forward to deer season

Hunters reviewing the 2024 Minnesota hunting regulations will find season details in most areas of Minnesota similar to what they were last year, including northern areas with lower bag limits intended to increase deer populations.

We're looking forward to fall! The sights, sounds and camaraderie of deer season are cherished traditions for many Minnesotans. As you prepare for hunting season, please consider taking someone new out hunting this season. Hunting experiences can be even more meaningful when shared.

Here are some key deer season dates:

- Deer hunting licenses can be purchased starting today, Aug. 1;
- Archery — Saturday, Sept. 14, through Tuesday, Dec. 31;
- Antlerless lottery deadline — Purchase your license by Thursday, Sept. 5;

DNR schedules two auctions of confiscated hunting, fishing and trapping equipment

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources has scheduled two public auctions of confiscated fishing, hunting, and trapping equipment. The auctions, which will be held online Aug. 26 and Oct. 7, include equipment that was confiscated following serious game and fish violations.

Following are additional key dates:

- A list of equipment to be

- Youth and early antlerless — Thursday, Oct. 17, through Sunday, Oct. 20;

- Firearms — Saturday, Nov. 9, various closing dates depending on location;

- Muzzleloader — Saturday, Nov. 30, through Sunday, Dec. 15;

- Late CWD — (DPAs 605, 642, 643, 645, 646, 647, 648 and 649) Friday, Dec. 20, through Sunday, Dec. 22.

Deer season specifics for each deer permit area can be found on the Minnesota DNR website. Electronic copies of all 2024 Minnesota hunting regulations are available now online and printed copies will be available by mid-August wherever licenses are sold. Regulations translated into Hmong, Karen, Somali and Spanish will be available later this fall.

DPA designation change overview

Ninety-nine DPAs keep the same designation as the previous season. Thirty DPAs, primarily in the northern portion of the state, have lower bag limits that will reduce the harvest of antlerless deer, with the intent of increasing deer populations. No DPAs have increased bag limits this year.

Mild conditions this past winter were favorable for white-tailed deer, but looking over the next several years, northern deer populations will need multiple mild winters to recover after the severe winters in 2021-2022 and 2022-23.

Have you ever wanted a deeper dive into the thought that goes behind each DPA designation? Check out the detail pages for your DPA, or others, by clicking on a DPA in the DNR interactive deer map, and selecting "View Report." You can also find these reports through the make your deer hunting plan webpage.

Antlerless lottery deadline is Sept. 5

Firearm and muzzleloader hunters who want to harvest antlerless deer in a DPA designated as antlerless permit lottery need to purchase their license by Thursday, Sept. 5. Hunters who purchase their license by Sept. 5 are automatically entered into the lottery for the DPA or special hunt area they declare. Hunters in DPAs 235 and 251 are especially reminded to apply for the antlerless permit lottery, because these DPAs were either-sex last season and are designated antlerless permit lottery this season. No application is needed to take antlerless deer in permit areas with either-sex, two-deer limit, three-deer limit, or five-deer limit designations.

CWD sampling continues

Hunters should check the requirements and available sampling options for the DPAs where they hunt. Hunters can find DPA-specific information by visiting the make a plan tool. Hunters are required to have deer one year old or older sampled for CWD in all CWD management and surveillance zones during the opening weekend of the firearms A season (Nov. 9-10). In all areas outside CWD management and surveillance zones, or in these zones outside of opening firearms weekend, hunters can have their deer sampled for CWD too, if they choose.

Multiple CWD sampling options are available to hunters. Certain sampling options are available all season long, including mail-in kits and the partner sampling program. Hunters can request a mail-in kit before hunting or use kits hunters obtained but did not use from previous years. Visit the Minnesota DNR website throughout the deer season for the most up-to-date information, to find sampling locations or to request a mail-in sampling kit.

This year, the Minnesota DNR has dissolved four CWD surveillance zones in southeast Minnesota to focus surveillance efforts on remaining management zones in the southeast. DPAs 233, 255, 293 and 341 no longer have CWD sampling requirements. DPA 642 (previously DPA 342) has been added as a management zone in southeast Minnesota due to a positive detection of CWD during the 2023 firearms season.

Carcass importation ban sees changes

For those hunting outside Minnesota, legislation passed in 2024 made changes to the carcass importation ban. Hunters may bring whole cervid (i.e., deer, elk, moose) heads, with or without neck and hide attached, into the state if they are taken to a licensed taxidermist within 48 hours of entering the state. Taxidermists will be required to use an approved lined landfill for their biological waste, reducing the risk of spreading wildlife diseases like chronic wasting disease.

Additionally, hunters who harvest a deer within Minnesota's CWD management zones are allowed to bring intact heads from deer, with or without the hide and neck attached, outside of the CWD management zone if they are delivered to a licensed taxidermist within 48 hours of leaving the management zone.

auction) and Oct. 4 (second auction). Onsite inspection is available at Hiller Auction Service in Zimmerman on Aug. 23 and Oct. 4 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

- The auctions will begin closing at 5 p.m. on Aug. 26 and Oct. 7.

All equipment will be sold as-is, including all defects or faults, known or unknown. Once they've been purchased, items cannot be returned. Background checks are required of anyone who successfully bids for a firearm.

Revenue from confiscated equipment auctions will go into the Game and Fish Fund, which is the DNR's primary fund for delivering fish and wildlife management and law enforcement.

For more information, see DNR Enforcement's auction page (mndnr.gov/enforcement/auctions).

DNR offers wild rice harvesting tips

Wild rice season opened Thursday (Aug. 15), but harvesters must ensure rice is ripe. The Minnesota DNR offers tips for those new to harvesting.

Wild rice harvesters going out during the upcoming season will find challenging conditions throughout much of Minnesota.

"Frequent and strong summer storms created high water levels and washed out many rice beds," said Ann Geisen, Minnesota DNR wildlife lake specialist. "Overall rice stands range from poor to average."

As people consider harvesting, they need to know the regulations that help protect wild rice stands for future years. Harvesters are allowed to take ripe wild rice each year during the harvesting season that runs between now and Sept. 30, but Minnesota's green rice law makes it illegal to harvest unripe or "green" rice, even within the dates of the harvest season.

So, although rice beds might look like they are ready, harvesters must make sure the grain is ripe and falling easily from the stalk before attempting to harvest it. Additionally, Minnesota's early teal season is Sept. 1-5, and a safety mindset and mutual courtesy will allow for successful early waterfowl hunting and wild ricing.

Early reports from Minnesota DNR and tribal biologists indicate poor to average rice stands across central and northern Minnesota, with variable conditions for individual waters.

"Scouting will be essential this year to find harvestable stands of rice," Geisen said. "One bright spot is that the high water has significantly improved access conditions this year compared to last year. If folks find waters with harvestable rice, the water should be deep enough to launch the canoe."

The Minnesota DNR has posted a wild rice harvesting outlook report online. The outlook report is available each year on the Minnesota DNR's wild rice management webpage (mndnr.gov/wildlife/shallowlakes/wildrice.html), along with license, regulation and safety information. Anyone looking for more information on wild rice in their area can contact their local Minnesota DNR wildlife

manager (mndnr.gov/areas/wildlife) or Shallow Lakes Program specialist (mndnr.gov/wildlife/shallowlakes/specialists.html).

Teal hunting season

Since wild rice is ripening at the same time as Minnesota's early waterfowl hunting seasons, over-water waterfowl hunters are urged to be aware of and cautious about wild rices no matter where they hunt.

Those who plan to hunt the early teal season on the Leech Lake or White Earth reservations should be aware of hunting restrictions on or near posted rice beds. Early-season teal hunters may not hunt teal within one-half mile of posted wild rice beds open to harvest within the boundaries of the Leech Lake Reservation during the early-teal season. On the White Earth Reservation, early-season teal hunters may not hunt teal on wild rice beds posted open to rice harvest. All waterfowl hunters who plan to hunt within the boundaries of the Leech Lake or White Earth reservations are advised to contact the appropriate reservation for more information: Leech Lake Division of Resource Management at 218-335-7400; White Earth Division of Natural Resources at 218-935-2488. Minnesota's early teal season is Sept. 1-5, and early goose season is Sept. 1-15.

Harvesting tips

Harvesters usually use a canoe with a push pole or paddles for power, and collect rice using two sticks, or flails, to knock mature seeds into the canoe. While labor intensive, harvesting wild rice can be rewarding, and finding a mentor who knows what they're doing can make the learning process easier.

As part of the Outdoor Skills and Stewardship series, Minnesota DNR staff produced a webinar about how to harvest wild rice. The webinar recording can be

viewed online (youtube.com/watch?v=kJlkWUusuzY).

Harvesters should keep access areas clean by packing out what they pack in. To prevent spreading invasive species, harvesters should make sure their canoe and gear are clean before arriving where they intend to rice. Before heading out, harvesters should plan for how the rice will be processed. Novice rice harvesters are often advised to use a processor rather than attempt to process it themselves.

Wild rice (manoomin/psir) is spiritually, culturally, nutritionally and economically significant to Ojibwe, Dakota and other tribal communities. Additionally, a significant portion of the wild rice in Minnesota is located within Ojibwe reservations or treaty-ceded territory.

It is unlawful for any person to take wild rice grain from any of the waters within the boundaries at the White Earth, Leech Lake, Nett Lake, Vermilion Lake, Grand Portage, Fond du Lac and Mille Lacs reservations, except for tribal members or residents within the reservation from which the rice is collected. In addition, all nontribal members wishing to harvest or buy wild rice within the boundaries of the Leech Lake Reservation must have a Leech Lake Reservation permit. Wild rice regulations are available on the Minnesota DNR website (mndnr.gov/regulations/wildrice/index.html).

The Minnesota DNR sends out periodic newsletters about rice harvesting topics. People can sign up to receive the email newsletters on the Minnesota DNR homepage (mndnr.gov) by finding the "Get email updates" box, entering an email address, and selecting the "Go" button. Then in the subscription list, check the box for "Wild rice harvesting."

TRF SPORTS

Monday, Aug. 19
■ Volleyball - LHS at Bemidji scrimmage 9 a.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 21
■ Tennis - LHS Girls at Bemidji Triangular 1:30 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 23
■ Tennis - LHS Girls at Grand Rapids Triangular 10:30 a.m.
■ Volleyball - NCTC at Anoka-Ramsey noon; NCTC vs. St. Cloud 4 p.m. (at Anoka-Ramsey, Coon Rapids)

Rapids)

Saturday, Aug. 24
■ Cross Country - LHS Boys and Girls at Perham Invitational 9 a.m.
■ Football - LHS hosts Pigskin Preview scrimmage 10 a.m.

■ Volleyball - NCTC vs. Minnesota West 8 a.m. (at Anoka-Ramsey, Coon Rapids); NCTC vs. Western Tech noon (at Anoka-Ramsey, Coon Rapids); LHS at DGF scrimmage 9 a.m.

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Primary election 2024

Voters select candidates for general election

GMR School District voters pass referendum

by April Scheinoha Reporter

The results are in for the primary election and Greenbush-Middle River School District referendum held Tuesday, Aug. 13:

• **U.S. House of Representatives, District 7** – Incumbent Michelle Fischbach defeated Steve Boyd by a vote of 30,446 to 16,640 to be the lone Republican on the ballot in November. A.J. (John) Peters (DFL) will also be on the ballot. He received 16,829 votes in the primary.

• **U.S. Senate** – Incumbent Amy Klobuchar defeated four other candidates

to be the Democratic-Farmer-Labor Party candidate for U.S. Senate. She received 303,100 votes. Other DFL candidates were Steve Carlson (9,525 votes), Ahmad Hassan (4,879 votes), Ole Savior (2,472 votes) and George H. Kalberer (1,569 votes).

Royce White defeated seven other candidates to be the Republican Party candidate for U.S. Senate. He received 74,654 votes. Other candidates included Joe Fraser (56,659 votes), Raymond D. Petersen (16,175 votes), Alycia R. Gruenhagen (14,953 votes), John Berman (14,117 votes), Patrick D. Munro (9,409 votes), Christopher Seymour Sr. (5,002 votes) and Loner Blue (2,717 votes).

• **Kittson County District 2** – Incumbent Theresa Gillie and Waylin Olson

will be on the ballot in November for Kittson County commissioner, District 2. Gillie received 120 votes while Olson received 71 votes. The other candidate was Paul Dziengel, who received 43 votes.

• **Kittson County District 4** – Derry Jones and incumbent Leon Olson will be on the ballot in November for Kittson County commissioner, District 4. They received 103 and 63 votes, respectively. The other candidates were Corrine (Missy) Karboviak (41 votes) and Alison Frislie (12 votes).

• **Greenbush-Middle River School District** – By a vote of 632 to 371, GMR District voters passed a referendum. As a result, the district will increase its general education revenue by \$925 per pupil. This authorization will be applicable for

10 years starting with taxes payable in 2025 unless revoked or reduced as provided by law. This levy will provide a net increase of \$200,265 annually, according to an article published in The Tribune of Greenbush.

This levy is in addition to its existing authorities of \$1,206.05 per pupil. Both of those authorizations last seven years. Annually, these levies generate about \$287,000.

Bergeron reported that the district is working to address its statutory operating debt status. That status occurred due to a loss of enrollment, transportation costs, maintenance and repair costs, a levy shortage miscalculation in two counties, and not right-sizing at the appropriate time.



Elli Koland held a corn snake Tuesday, Aug. 13 at the Thief River Falls Public Library. Northern Tropics, a Thief River Falls business, showcased its reptiles. The Clean Water, Land and Legacy Amendment supported the event at the library.

Candidates file for city council seats

by April Scheinoha Reporter

Candidates have filed for the upcoming city council elections in the area.

The candidates listed below have filed. If a name has been omitted, it most likely wasn't listed on the Minnesota Secretary of State's website as of late Wednesday morning.

Argyle
The mayoral position and two council seats will be on the ballot in Argyle. Christina Halvorson and Mark C. Larson have filed for mayor. Council candidates are Anthony Deschene, Daniel Gruhot and Aaron Rivard.

Badger
In Badger, the mayoral position and two council seats will be on the ballot. James Rinde has filed for mayor. Robert Dostal, Angela Gregerson and Brent Walsh have filed for the council seats.

Brooks
According to the Minnesota Secretary of State's website, no one has filed for mayor in Brooks. Perry Morinville and Ray Vasend have filed for the two council positions on the ballot.

Crookston
Four positions will be on the ballot in Crookston. Morgan Hibma has filed for a council member at large position. Kristie Jerde has filed for Ward 1 while Clayton L. Briggs has filed for Ward 3. Wendy Ault and Derek J. Brekken have filed for Ward 5.

Erskine
Two council seats will be on the ballot in Erskine. Brian Stuhaug and Andy Shimpa have filed.

Goodridge
Judy Jones and Jim Reiman have filed for mayor in Goodridge. Three council seats, including a two-year seat, will be on the ballot. Gary Hasby, Randy Henrickson and Val Norman have filed for the four-year council seats. Morgan Sundrud had earlier been appointed to fill a vacant council position. She has now filed for her position, which will be on the ballot as a two-year seat.

Greenbush
In Greenbush, Eric Etherington has filed for mayor. Two council seats will be on the ballot. Candidates are Josh Kern and Tim Truscinski.

Grygla
Three seats, including the mayoral seat, will be on the ballot in Grygla. Devin Ruud has filed for mayor. David Dunrud and Karla Byklum filed for the council seats.

Gully
Donna Marshall has filed for mayor in Gully. Wendy Kindem filed for the council position that is part of a special election. No one filed for the other two council positions on the ballot.

Hallock
In Hallock, no one filed for mayor. Naomi Larson and Kevin Waller filed for the two council seats on the ballot.

Holt
Five seats will be on the ballot in Holt. Terry J. Flodstrom and Brandon Johnson have filed for mayor. Debra Lee and Richard Nelson filed for one of the council positions on the ballot. Elizabeth Johnson and Jamie Lee filed for the other two council positions. Ronald Ness filed for treasurer.

Karlstad
Two council seats will be on the ballot in Karlstad. Kristin Berberich, Markelle Kuznia and Rob Mickelson filed.

Kennedy
Three council positions will be on the ballot in Kennedy. Taylor Langen, Joshua Pietruszewski, Jon Turn and Cynthia Urbaniak have filed for the two four-year positions on the ballot. Jody Bowman has filed for the two-year position on the ballot.

Lake Bronson
Tatum Carlson was the only person who filed for one of the four positions on the ballot in Lake Bronson. Carlson filed for a council position. Two other council positions and the mayoral position will also be on the ballot.

Lancaster
In Lancaster, three positions will be on the ballot. Kathy Bernstrom filed for

mayor. Teri Halverson and John Stenquist filed for the two council positions on the ballot.

McIntosh
Toby Strom filed for mayor in McIntosh. No one filed for the two council positions on the ballot.

Mentor
Lonnie Morberg has filed for mayor in Mentor. Leon Bushee filed for a council seat. No one filed for the other council seat.

Middle River
In Middle River, David Casanova and Mathew Stromsodt have filed for mayor. Two council positions will be on the ballot. Candidates are Tammy Johnson, Morgan Ness, Harlan Olson and Scott Swenson.

Newfolden
Lori Warne filed for mayor in Newfolden. Two council positions are also on the ballot. Candidates are Mark Augustine and Adam Gast.

Oklea
Lori Gulseth has filed for mayor in Oklea. Two council positions are also on the ballot. Candidates are George Burthwick, Paul T. Cyr and Darrell Tougas.

Plummer
In Plummer, James DuChamp filed for mayor. Two council positions are also on the ballot. Candidates are Thomas Braaten, Tom Bray and Brent Hemly.

Red Lake Falls
In Red Lake Falls, candidates include Allen Bertilrud for mayor, Kyle Thibert for council member at large, Neil J. Knaack for Ward 2 and Cheryl Matzke for Ward 3.

Roseau
Three positions, including the mayoral position and two council seats, will be on the ballot in Roseau. Dan Fabian has filed for mayor. Council candidates include Kavan Lovgren, Patrick A. Novacek, Keith Severson and Oliver Ullman.

St. Hilaire
In St. Hilaire, Ken Wiggs has filed for mayor. Garrett Johnson and Thomas Gulikson have filed for the two council seats on the ballot.

Stephen
Four positions will be on

the ballot in Stephen. Dave McGlynn filed for mayor. No one filed for the council seat on the ballot as part of a special election. Patsy Haggen and Daniel Douglas have filed for the other two council seats on the ballot.

Strandquist
Information was unavailable about the City of Strandquist election.

Strathcona
Information was unavailable about the City of Strathcona election.

Thief River Falls
In Thief River Falls, Brian Holmer and Mike Lorenson have filed for mayor. Julie Bolduc and Cainan Langlie have filed for Ward 2. Michele McCraw has filed for Ward 4. Jason Aarestad, Doug Bergman and David Lion have filed for the council member at large position on the ballot.

Trail
Information was unavailable about the City of Trail election.

Viking
Mike Hestekind filed for mayor in Viking. Rich Anderson and Arnold Weleski filed for the two council seats on the ballot.

Warren
Three council positions will be on the ballot in Warren. Candidates are Dave Conely, Aaron Gerszewski, Danny Omdahl and Selina Potucek.

Winger
Darrell Olson has filed for mayor in Winger. Two council seats will be on the ballot. Candidates are Hannah Davidson, Nick Geray, Deb Matson and Jennifer Wang.

Street construction in TRF



Construction crews started work on Kendall Avenue from First to Third Street, and Crocker Avenue from First to Mussey last week. This is part of the 2024 Streets and Utilities Improvement project in Thief River Falls. Part of the project involves widening Kendall Avenue, which is why so many trees were removed. Davidson Construction had the low bid of \$1,267,480.50. The bid was within 8% of the engineer's estimate of \$1,174,992. Please note that the City of Thief River Falls also has planned a reconstruction project along First Street from the railroad tracks west of Conley Avenue to Highway 59; however, the city is receiving federal funding for that project. Bids for the project have not been considered yet.

Grinding Day at Old Mill State Park



This photo is of the Larson Flour Mill at Old Mill State Park in early 1900s. The mill will be in operation on Aug. 25 during the annual Grinding Day at the park. (Submitted)

Students and drones help club/Continued

(Continued from Page 1) students as they prepare to enter this growing profession. Thanks to the TRF's Chapter, these kids could be trend setters in a thriving new industry."

Klos said the purpose for

his visit before the Board of Education was to tell them what a great teacher they have, but also to thank the students, and the Board of Education for letting the kids work with them.

Board Chairman Ryan

Walseth said he really appreciates seeing how kids are involved in the community, and appreciated the update.



UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA CROOKSTON

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Join us for an art and garden showcase at University of Minnesota Crookston.

Admission includes two drinks, light hors d'oeuvres, and a commemorative gift. Additional drinks available for purchase at cash bar.

Enjoy live music from the Crookston Community Big Band from 5:30 - 7 p.m.

Thursday, August 29
Guided tours starting at
4:30, 5:15, & 6:00 p.m.

\$25 ADVANCE TICKETS
\$30 AT THE DOOR
U of M Crookston 2900 University Avenue

Consider these many community college benefits

College is the next natural step for many students after they finish high school. The process of finding a school begins in junior year of high school, and students and their parents may visit many different colleges and universities throughout the next year. Even though the bulk of the focus might be on four-year schools, students who may not yet have everything all figured out should not overlook the many benefits of community colleges.

The United States Department of State's Education USA says community colleges offer two-year programs that lead to the Associate of Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS) degree. Some community colleges also have vocational programs. Community colleges are a viable option for students interested in continuing their education. Undergraduate students studying at community colleges can earn academic credit that will eventually go toward a bachelor's degree should they choose to continue schooling. The following are some of the benefits of community college.

Flexible admissions process: Community colleges do not have the same time restrictions and other requirements as schools offering four-year degrees. Interested parties may be able to register for classes at any time and not have to worry about being accepted or not.

Part-time scheduling: Community colleges often offer part-time academic coursework, which means students do not have to take a set number of credits each semester to remain enrolled. This allows students to attend college classes according to their own schedules and work at their own pace.

More affordable tuition: Lower tuition is one of the major draws to community colleges. The career planning resource Indeed says that many community colleges further discount their offerings to in-state students. This helps make post-secondary education much more affordable, particularly for those who are not sure about what they want to study.

Relationships with four-year schools: A number of community colleges have partnerships with sister schools to facilitate the transfer of associate degree credits for a student working toward a four-year degree. Education USA says in this "2+2" process, "a student can earn a bachelor's degree with two years of community college, followed by two years of university study. Some community colleges also serve as satellite locations for other schools, meaning one can take classes for a four-year school right on the community college campus if the location is more convenient."

Smaller class sizes: Many community colleges have smaller class sizes that make it easier for students to adjust to the pace of college life.

Proximity to home: As the name implies, community college is a school that serves a particular commu-

nity. That means it is likely close to home for the majority of students. Students who may not be willing or able to go away to school may appreciate the convenience and proximity of a community college.

Community college is an option that students may want to explore as they pursue post-secondary education.

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Join our Awesome 5-Star Team
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MSL is a great place to work and all employees work together to provide quality care to individuals who need nursing services.

MSL is flexible in scheduling around school schedules.

Interested persons should send resume to 600 Riverside Ave NE, McIntosh, MN 56556. Attention Tricia Brus, DON for Nursing, and Sheila Wilson, CDM for dietary. You can download our application by going to our website at: www.mcintoshseniorliving.com. You can also stop by for an application or call 218-563-2715.



Help Wanted

HIRING: LABORERS OR FINISHERS
 Call Robert at 218-686-9308

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Potato Sorting/Grading Help Needed Near Halma, MN: 3 Weeks in September. \$24/hr Plus Overtime, Bonus On Completion, Call Lance At 218-201-0400. F3t70c
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Must have welding experience. Must be able to weld various metals to meet quality standards and specifications. Willing to rotate between workstations as required. Perform quality testing and documentation as required. Maintain a regular, reliable attendance.

This position is full-time with major medical insurance, vacation, 401(k) plan and profit sharing. Forty (40) hours a week minimum, four days per week (5:00 am - 5:00 pm), Monday - Wednesday, (5:00 am - 10:30 am) Thursday. Salary based on experience.

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- Prior reception and insurance billing experience preferred but not required.

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- ✓ Full-time 40 hours/week
- ✓ Benefits Included

APPLY NOW:
 Please e-mail cover letter and resume to: Jill.Lysford@northvalleyhealth.org or mail to: North Valley Health Center 300 W. Good Samaritan Dr. Warren, MN 56762

Goodridge School Multiple Positions

Goodridge Public School is seeking a full-time route bus driver and substitutes for all positions including teachers, paras, custodians, bus drivers, office, and cooks for the 2024-25 school year.

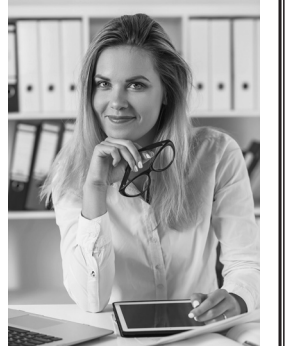
Letter of application, resume, credentials, letters of reference to:
Tomas Loberg, Superintendent
Goodridge Public School
P.O. Box 195, Goodridge, MN 56725
Phone: 218-378-4133,
email: tomas.loberg@goodridgeisd561.org.

Open until filled.
 EOE

Administrative Assistant – Lending



Northern State Bank is looking for an Administrative Assistant in the Lending Department.



This person would join our Administrative Support Team to help provide advanced clerical and administrative support to the lending functions and operations of the bank. They would also assist customers by handling incoming calls and guiding on site customers to the appropriate department. Providing exceptional customer service to both internal and external customers will be key.

Previous Administrative experience is helpful, but not required. This full-time position includes a competitive salary and benefits package.

For more information or to apply, email: employment@nsbtrf.com or call 218-681-4020

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LICENSED SOCIAL WORKER/ SOCIAL SERVICE DESIGNEE

McIntosh Senior Living (MSL) is currently hiring for a Licensed Social Worker/Social Service Designee. This person must have excellent communication skills and be able to build trust with the residents and families as well as coworkers. Must have empathy when assisting residents and families in difficult situations. Will perform many tasks such as intakes on new residents, identify risks, complete MDS', care plans, social histories, admissions, discharges, completing Medicare denials, coordinate with other healthcare professionals to ensure resident receiving appropriate treatment, lead resident council and family council, report to MDH/MAARC any vulnerable adult incidents to name a few.

MSL has great benefits:
 free single health insurance, family health plan, HSA (facility contributes \$1500 per year), 401k, dental, vision, life, short term disability, critical illness, yearly retention bonus.



Interested people should contact Sharlene Knutson, Administrator, at 218-563-2715.

FULL-TIME ASSISTANT COUNTY ATTORNEY

We are seeking applicants for the position of Assistant Pennington County Attorney. The Assistant County Attorney serves at the pleasure of the County Attorney and is required to administer and enforce the laws of the State of Minnesota and its political subdivisions. The Assistant County Attorney will be responsible for handling criminal cases ranging from felony, gross misdemeanor and misdemeanor criminal prosecutions, child protection, juvenile law, child support enforcement, general civil practice and other duties statutorily imposed upon the Pennington County Attorney's Office. Applicants must be admitted to the practice of law in the State of Minnesota with a minimum of 3 years of experience and have solid research and writing skills together with prior advocacy experience.

Pennington County offers excellent benefits and salary is negotiable DOE. Job applications are available in the Pennington County Auditor's Office, 101 Main Ave N, PO Box 616, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, on our website at <http://co.pennington.mn.us>, or can be emailed upon request. Applications along with resumes and supportive documents can be mailed to the address above or may be emailed to: kwerickson@co.pennington.mn.us.

Application deadline: August 20, 2024, 4:30 p.m.
 Pennington County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.



Join Our Growing Team! Early Childhood Home Visitor Positions Available

Northwest Community Action, Inc. (NWCA) – Early Head Start Home Visitor

Are you passionate about early childhood education and eager to make a meaningful impact? Northwest Community Action's Head Start program is looking for dedicated Early Head Start Home Visitors to join our team in Newfolden and Karlstad.

Position Highlights:

- Role: Home Visitor • Type: Full-time, Year-Round • Locations: Newfolden and Karlstad
- Pay Rate: \$20-\$25 per hour, additional rate increase as required training is completed.

What You'll Do:

- Partner with parents and families to create and implement enriching early childhood experiences.
- Provide high-quality education, child development services, and family support.
- Promote children's cognitive, social, and emotional growth through research-based curriculum and assessment procedures.
- Support families and children 0-3 years old.

Qualifications:

- Preferred: Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education.
- Considered: Associate's degree in Early Childhood Education or a B.A./A.A. in a related field.

Why NWCA? Join a supportive and collaborative environment where your growth is valued.

At NWCA, we are committed to fostering intergenerational relationships and building a positive community impact.

Interested? To apply or for more information, contact Beth Budziszewski.

Northwest Head Start, PO Box 67, Badger, MN 56714

Phone: 218-528-3258 Ext 124 Email: bethbud@nwcaa.org

Visit our website at nwcaa.org to learn more and apply online.

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Thief River Falls Times and Northern Watch CLASSIFIED ADS

DEADLINES: The Times – Monday, 10:00 A.M.; Northern Watch – Wednesday, 2:00 P.M.

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 Please Indicate Where You'd Like Your Ad To Run

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**SENTENCE-TO-SERVE
CREW LEADER**

\$23.33 – \$29.45

Pennington County is looking for motivated individuals to serve as a **Sentence to Serve Crew Leader**. This full-time position is responsible for planning, orienting, and supervising the activities of offenders performing community projects. Applicants must have a valid driver's license, good communication skills, and supervisory experience. Basic carpentry and wood cutting skills are desirable.

Pennington County offers excellent health and life insurance benefits, paid vacation, sick leave, holidays, and a retirement pension. This union position features a pay range of \$23.33 – \$29.45 per hour.

Applications and a complete job description are available at the Pennington County Sheriff's Office, 102 W 1st Street, Thief River Falls, MN or on our website at <http://co.pennington.mn.us> – click on employment. Application deadline: August 27, 2024, 4:00 p.m. Pennington County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Work 1 Day or 5 You Choose!
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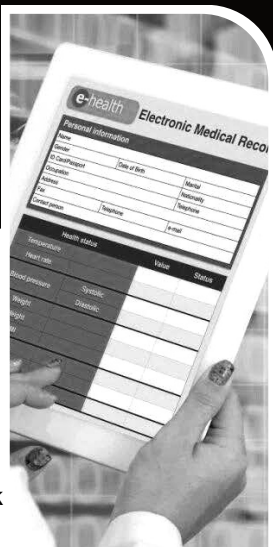
Call About Hourly Rate! or Fill Out Application at Cenex Travel Plaza - A&W Hwy 59 S in Thief River Falls

Jon
218-681-7441

**North Valley
HEALTH CENTER**

IS HIRING A

**MEDICAL
RECORDS
TECHNICIAN**



North Valley Health Center is currently accepting applications for a full-time Medical Records Technician. Duties include assisting Department Manager with daily operations of department as well as release of information and scanning. Medical background and experience with electronic medical records preferred but not required. EPIC experience a plus. Candidates must have excellent computer skills, communicate well, and be able to work independently and collaboratively. Position will be open until filled.

Please email cover letter and resumé to: Jill.Lysford@northvalleyhealth.org or mail to: North Valley Health Center Attn: Human Resources 300 W. Good Samaritan Dr. Warren, MN 56762

APPLY NOW

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**Night Shift Machinist/
Mill Setup Person**

40 hr. work week
Must be able to lift 50 lbs. occasionally
Willing to train

This position is full time with major medical insurance, vacation, 401(k) plan and profit sharing. Salary based on experience. Candidate would be responsible for working from blueprints, specifications and/or instructions to setup and operate mills, including reviewing CNC programs and blueprints, varies speeds and feeds for tooling and operate mills to produce quality parts. Must be able to create and edit simple programs at the control. A 2 year technical school degree plus 1-2 years field experience preferred but not required. Must be reliable and a self-starter.



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**PRODUCTION
OPERATOR**

The Production Operator's primary responsibility is to work as a member of a team to safely unload various types of grain to and from trucks, rail cars, or to/from bins within the facility. This position requires consistent outside work, exposure to the elements, and schedule flexibility.

The position will require overtime and weekend work as necessary during certain parts of the year. Flexibility to work different schedules and overtime, often without a lot of notice, is an absolute requirement, but this also means you will have an opportunity to earn significant overtime pay over the course of a year.

- Benefits**
- Medical, dental/vision, PTO, paid holidays, & 401k

- Responsibilities**
- Unloading and loading of various raw grain commodities
 - Housekeeping activities (sweeping, shoveling, cleaning)
 - Other general duties within the facility (general maintenance, landscaping)
 - Operate railcar loading systems and equipment
 - Understand and follow operating procedures and policies

- Qualifications**
- High School Diploma or GED equivalent
 - Experience in a manufacturing or warehouse environment
 - Valid drivers license and reliable transportation to and from the facility
 - Strong mechanical aptitude
 - Fluent in English at a level to be able to communicate with customers and colleagues
 - Basic math skills
 - Computer skills for light data entry
 - Strong communication skills

- Physical Requirements**
- Able to repetitively climb up and down railcars/ladders safely, walk up and down steps, and work at heights, sweep, and shovel grain
 - Ability to work outside, including in inclement weather
 - Can carry at least fifty (50) pounds
 - Able to stand and walk for the majority of each shift

Farmers Grain, LLC | 823 Dewey Ave N | PO Box 136
Thief River Falls, MN 56701 | 218-653-1152
www.farmersgrain.com

**Four Seasons Senior Citizen Center
FULL-TIME DIRECTOR**

Applicant must possess good communication skills, love to work with people of all ages, have computer and bookkeeping knowledge and payroll experience. Responsible for scheduling activities for Four Seasons Senior Center. One must be dedicated to all types of activities for our senior citizens. *Salary D.O.E.*

APPLICATIONS CAN BE PICKED UP (8AM-4PM Mon-Thur) (8AM-1PM Fri) AT:
FOUR SEASONS SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER
114 CENTER STREET | ROSEAU, MN 56751 | 218-463-1331

**LOSS PREVENTION CONSULTANT /
COMPANY ADJUSTER**

Bray Gently Mutual Insurance is seeking a highly motivated, detail-oriented individual to perform loss prevention inspections and work property insurance claims from start to finish. This position will play an essential role in continuing our superior customer service to our policyholders. The successful candidate must be willing and able to obtain a Minnesota Adjusters License, have a valid Drivers License with a good driving record along with good communication skills. **This is a full-time, salaried position.**

Resumes should be sent to:

Bray-Gently Mutual Insurance Co.

P.O. Box 592, Thief River Falls, MN 56701

For a complete job description contact us at 218-683-3200.

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CONTRACTORS NEEDED

Northwest Community Action Inc., in Badger, MN is seeking **General, Electrical, and HVAC Contractors** for the Energy Related Repair and Weatherization Programs. The program enables households to reduce their energy bills by helping to make their homes more energy efficient, while protecting the health and safety of the family members. Work is awarded through a bidding process.

- Contractors Must:
- Be licensed and surety bonded as required by pertinent laws, ordinances, regulations or code
 - Must know policies, procedures, and technical requirements.
 - Meet the insurance coverage requirements:

These requirements are found on the Minnesota Department of Commerce State Energy Office website at <http://mn.gov/commerce>

Northwest Community Action takes all necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible.

If interested, please call Northwest Community Action, Inc. at 1-800-568-5329.

Northwest Community Action, Inc. is an Equal Opportunity Employer. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, age, national origin or disability.

POSITION AVAILABLE:

City of Lancaster Clerk/Treasurer

Clerk/Treasurer is responsible for all statutory functions and legal requirements of the clerk/treasurer. All financial; payroll; utility billing and other duties as listed on the job description. Applicant must have good operating knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel; accounting skills; payroll basics. Full-time 40 hour per week. Pay will be determined by current city step system; qualifications and experience.

- This is a full-time benefited position with Public Employees Retirement.
- Annually earn 2 weeks paid vacation; 96 hours sick leave with 10 paid holidays.
- Single person fully paid health and life insurance.

Position training starts January 2, 2025. Position Open until filled.

Applications can be found on the website at: lancastermn.org or be requested from the city clerk by phone or email lancastercity@wiktel.com.

Application can be mailed/mailed to City of Lancaster, P.O. Box 97, Lancaster, MN 56735 or placed in the city drop box at City Hall.

Contact Mike Olson, Mayor at 218-843-5033 or

Carol Johnson, City Clerk at 218-762-6472 with questions.

The City of Lancaster is an equal opportunity employer and provider.

**Roseau County
Employment Opportunity**

POSITION:

**Homeland Security Emergency
Management Co-Director**

Roseau County is accepting applications for a regular full-time (up to 40 hours per week) **Homeland Security and Emergency Management Co-Director**. Under the direction of the County Board and the oversight of the existing Homeland Security and Emergency Management Co-Director, the overall objective of this position is to provide management and direction for the County's emergency response planning, coordinating, training and policies by preparing responses to a wide range of emergencies of a natural or man-made nature.

This is a benefited Grade 9 position with a starting wage of \$31.60 per hour, commensurate with experience.

The position requires Emergency Management Certification and interested candidates must be certified or have the ability to become certified. Candidate(s) must also have a valid Minnesota driver's license and be available for occasional night and weekend work. Preferred candidates would have an undergraduate degree in Emergency Management, or an associated field, and a minimum of three (3) years related experience.

The successful candidate should demonstrate excellent verbal and written communication skills, competency in meeting management and group facilitation, a high level of computer proficiency, and possess strong leadership ability.

Applications may be obtained from the Roseau County Coordinator's Office by email (joleen.kezar@co.roseau.mn.us), from the Roseau County website (<http://www.co.roseau.mn.us>), or by calling (218) 463-4248. This position will be considered open until filled.

ROSEAU COUNTY IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

**NATURAL WAY
MILLS**

**Production
Workers**

Monday – Thursday
8 am - 4 pm
Fridays 7 am - 3 pm

Physically must be able to lift 50lbs, possess good communication skills, reliable and demonstrate good time management skills.

Please call 218-222-3677 for details.

Natural Way Mills is located on Co. Road 6 between Gatzke & Middle River



**Help
Wanted:**

Field Drainage of Brooks, MN, is now hiring **SKILLED LABORERS and OPERATORS** to help install drain tile with an experienced team for the remainder of this season and the foreseeable future. Must have a driver's license (CDL Preferred) and be able to work overtime and away from home Monday through Friday, occasionally on Saturday. We never work on Sunday.

Please call 218-698-4628 or pick up an application.

**Red Lake County
Heavy Equipment Operator**

Position is based at the Red Lake Falls shop. Duties include, but not limited to, grading and snowplowing assigned roadways with motor grader, repair and maintain all operating equipment, and keep roadway systems safe for traveling public all year round. Pay range \$21.77-\$28.31/hr. depending on experience includes a benefits package. This is a Union position with the I.U.O.E. Local No. 49.

Applicants must have a valid Minnesota CDL, Class A combination, be able to hear audio alarms and warning devices, lift 50 lbs., and be available for overtime in winter months with long hours and a short notice for reporting to work.

More information and applications are available at www.co.red-lake.mn.us/employment, email: hr@co.red-lake.mn.us, or at the Highway Department, 204 7th St SE Red Lake Falls, MN. For more information call (218) 253-2697. Deadline for initial applications is August 26, 2024. EOE

**North Valley
HEALTH CENTER**

**Join Our
Team**

LPN

NVHC is seeking a full- or part-time LPN to work in the clinic. Position requires a current Minnesota LPN license. Prior clinic experience preferred, but not required. Competitive pay and benefits.

Please e-mail cover letter and resume to: Jill.Lysford@northvalleyhealth.org or mail to: North Valley Health Center, Attn: Human Resources 300 W. Good Samaritan Dr. Warren, MN 56762

Equal Opportunity Employer



WE ARE HIRING!

Residential Program Supervisor

We are seeking a dedicated Residential Program Supervisor to join our team to be responsible for the day-to-day oversight and supervision of individuals served and staff in our community residential homes.

The ideal candidate will have a strong background in working with adults with developmental disabilities as well as management coupled with exceptional leadership skills to ensure the well-being of our individuals. If you are a compassionate leader with a passion for providing high-quality care to individuals, we invite you to apply for the Residential Program Supervisor position. Join our team and make a difference in the lives of those we serve.

Job Type: Full-time with benefits

Pay: Starting at \$22.00 per hour (DOE)

Expected hours: 40 per week-hours will vary each day

Location(s): Argyle and Warren MN

Job Summary

- Oversee staffing schedules are completed each week, and all open shifts are covered as necessary with program staff to ensure individuals served supervision.
- Cover open shifts in the homes when necessary.
- Required to be on call on weekends and holidays throughout the year as needed.
- Attend individuals served medical, dental, and other health related appointments.
- Complete evaluations of all Direct Care Coordinators, Direct Care Assistants, Overnight Programmers, and Direct Care Supports Staff.
- Implement and monitor the policies, procedures, forms, reports, and documents to ensure compliance with 245A, 245D Licensing requirements, person-centered practices, DHS, DWRS/RMS, Wage and Hour, OSHA, ADA, Ombudsman, etc.

Knowledge & Experience

- Proven experience in working with adults with developmental disabilities.
- Strong background in supervision within a residential setting.
- Familiarity with group home settings and 245D licensing policies and procedures.
- Be proficient in Microsoft applications including Outlook, Word, and Excel. Knowledge of 245D policy and procedures as well as online documentation programs such as Therap.

Other Qualifications

- Must possess or be willing to obtain First Aid and CPR Certifications.
- Must complete and pass a Department of Human Services NETSTUDY background check and Motor Vehicle Report check.
- Must have a current driver's license, have a good driving record and be insurable. Driving is an essential function of the job.
- Possess the following characteristics: Dependable, trustworthy, conscientious, patient, organized, and able to work well with board members, employees, and individuals served.

Benefits

- Employer paid health, dental, vision and life insurance for employee.
- 401K with employer match.
- FSA, and Aflac available through payroll deductions.
- Accrued paid time off.
- Earned Sick and Safe Time.

To apply: submit resume and cover letter to:

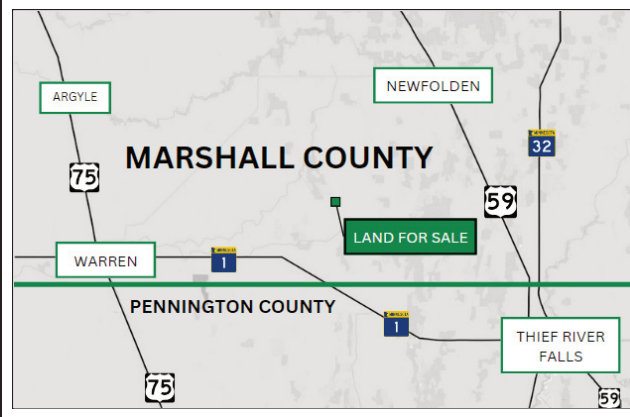
Kristal.walen@mcghinc.org
Position open until filled.

MARSHALL COUNTY LAND AUCTION



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NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING, SMILEY TOWNSHIP: The Smiley Town Board Will Conduct A Special Meeting On Tuesday, August 20, 2024 At 7:00 p.m. At The Town Hall To Discuss Providing Funds To The Thief River Falls Fire Department To Purchase A Skid Unit For A New Grass Rig.
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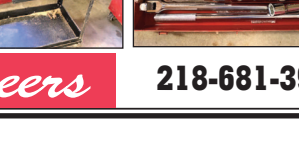
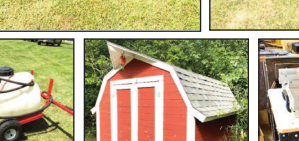
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Aug. 22-29	Online	Alan & Mary Hyland, Owners, Thief River Falls	McMullen Auctioneers
Aug. 28th-Sept. 4	Online	Judy Geatz Estate, TRF	McMullen Auctioneers
Sept. 8	Noon	Luther Johnson Estate, Stephen	Mick Rapacz Auctioneers
Sept. 4-11	Online	Items of Galaxy Auto & Trailers, TRF	McMullen Auctioneers
Sept. 14	9:30 AM	Antiques/Collectibles/Lawn/Garden/Sporting Goods, Roosevelt	Mick Rapacz Auctioneers
Sept. 15	Noon	Bob & Lynette Blawat, Greenbush	Jason Rominski Auctioneers
Sept. 22	Noon	Frank & Sharon Skappel, Lancaster	Jason Rominski Auctioneers
Sept. 28	9 AM	Iver "Junior" Dahl Estate, Park River, ND	Jason Rominski Auctioneers
Sept. TBA		Timothy Helt Estate Phase 1, TRF	McMullen Auctioneers
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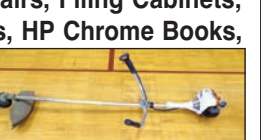
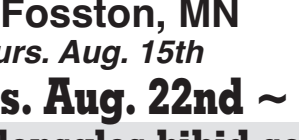
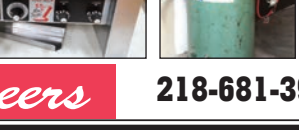
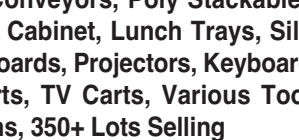
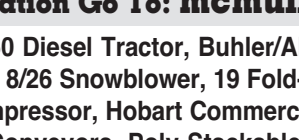
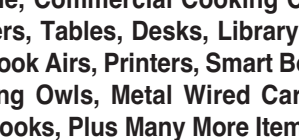
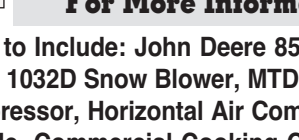
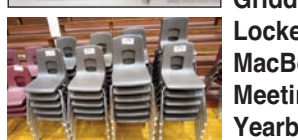
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