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## The Guy From Just Around the Corner

By Al Batt

My neighbor Crandall stops by.  
"How are you doing?" I ask.  
"Everything is nearly copacetic. My philosophy is limited to the lyrics from the songs of The Rolling Stones and lines from old movies, but I believe every time I hear a mousetrap snap, an angel gets a mouse. I should feel sorry for the mice. After all, I've been caught. I remember it being around this time of the year when I got caught eating a Butterfinger candy bar in class. The Butterfinger was the last remaining survivor of my Halloween candy. Mrs. Bach asked if I'd brought enough candy for everybody. I said, 'Where are we living, in the Soviet Union?'"  
"I remember that. You took a big note home from school that day," I say.  
**Naturally**  
William Wilfred Campbell



wrote, "Now by great marshes wrapt in mist, Or past some river's mouth, Throughout the long, still autumn day, Wild birds are flying south."  
The yard scold, a boisterous blue jay, has a comment on everything. This is the time of the year when the crows begin to get on the nerves of anyone named Caw. It's also the time of the year when we notice much of the leaves remaining on trees belong to nonnatives like buckthorn, lilac and weeping willow.  
I moseyed along a lovely trail at the Columbia Audubon Nature Sanctuary located in Columbia, Missouri. I walked in on a Carolina wren concert. A pair bond can form between Carolina wrens at any time of the year and they usually mate for life. A pair stays together all year and forage on their territory together.  
The 2019 "Farmers' Almanac" (not "The Old Farmers' Almanac") predicts a colder-than-normal winter from the Continental Divide east through the Appalachians.

The "Farmers' Almanac," located in Lewiston, Maine, bases its long-range forecasts on a mathematical and astronomical formula developed in 1818, also predicts above-normal precipitation (much snow) for the Midwest, with the majority of it falling in January and February. The teeth-chattering cold is to arrive mid-February.  
**Q-and-A**  
"Do both male and female pelicans get bumps on their bills?" During the breeding season, both males and females develop a pronounced fibrous plate on the top of their beaks called a nuptial tubercle that is shed by the end of the breeding season.  
"What are the three sisters?" Corn, beans, and squash. Native Americans found this trio thrived when planted together. In legend, the plants were gifts from the gods to be grown together, eaten together and celebrated together. The corn offers the beans support. The beans pull nitrogen from the air and

into the soil for the benefit of all three. The large leaves of the sprawling squash protect the others by creating a living mulch shading the soil while keeping it cool and moist, and limiting weeds.  
"Were dodos really stu-



The hardy Carolina wren has been wintering farther north in recent years. Photo by Al Batt

trained.  
"What is the world's largest songbird?" The common raven.  
"Do bats have hollow bones?" Unlike most birds, which have hollow bones, the bones of bats aren't hollow, but are typically small and delicate. The bones of their wings are lengthened to provide support for the wing membranes. Bats make up one-fifth of the mammal population on Earth according to Bat Conservation International.  
"How can I identify common buckthorn?" The leaves remain green in the fall. Buckthorn has three or four upward curving veins on each side of the mid-vein. When veins curve at the ends as they approach the leaf margin, the leaves are called arcuate. The leaf margin or edges of the leaf are slightly serrated or toothed. Buck-

thorn berries are found only on mature female plants and become purple to purple-black in late summer to early fall. Each berry contains three to four seeds and the stem attaches directly to the twig. Berries of native species like chokecherry or black cherry are grouped and have a single seed each. Non-chemical buckthorn control options include cutting the tree and covering the cut stump with a tin can or black plastic to prevent re-sprouting. Use nails to affix the can or a tie to affix the black plastic and leave in place for one or two years.  
Thanks for stopping by  
"Now is the time of the illuminated woods; they have a sense of sunshine, even on a cloudy day, given by the yellow foliage; every leaf glows like a tiny lamp; one walks through their lighted halls with a curious enjoyment."  
— John Burroughs, from "The Heart of Burroughs's Journals"  
"When small men begin to cast big shadows, it means that the sun is about to set."  
-Lin Yutang

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## Marriage License Applications

Susan Mary Hilgendorf and John James Forstrom  
Payton Sawyer Shively and Tyler Scott Boesch  
Lorie Margine Thom and David Michael Pruett, Sr.

All teens are invited to join Amber at Graffiti Corner in Fairmont for the Martin County Library "Read-A-Latte" event. Enjoy free fro-yo and coffee and share what you are reading, watching or listening to! This event is Thursday, November 8th at 3:30 p.m. For more info, call the library at 238-4207.

## Mayo to offer "Grief and the Holidays" event

Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont Hospice is offering a themed Grief and the Holidays session for adults who've experienced the death of a loved one. Registration is required.

The event, titled "Healthy Holiday Rituals" will be Thursday, November 15th from 1:30-3:00 p.m. at Fairmont United

Methodist Church, 119 E 2nd Street, Fairmont.

Participate in an educational seminar identifying ways to cope and remember deceased loved ones during the holiday season. Each participant will create a memory keepsake.

For more information or to register, call Stephani Geerdes at 507-238-8154 by November 12th.

## Fairmont CER Adult Co-Ed Open Soccer begins

Beginning November 11th, there will be indoor adult co-ed soccer most Sundays from 1:00-3:00 p.m., until March at Fairmont Area Elementary School Gym, 714 Victoria Street. Please enter through Door 17 from west parking lot off South Orient Street.

Bring a light shirt, a dark shirt and water and

wear non-marking shoes.

Admission is \$2 per person (please bring correct amount.)

Note: No Open Soccer on Sunday, November 18th - go roller skating in the gym instead for \$5.

For more information, please contact Fairmont Community Education and Recreation at 507-235-3141.



Holly Jorgensen, executive director of "Let's Smile," was at Fairmont Elementary School on November 1st providing dental check-ups for children per family requests. "Let's Smile" is a non-profit organization that works to educate families about eliminating oral diseases in children through the power of preventive dental care. Pictured with Holly is Emiliano Cornelio. He was an excellent patient with a beautiful smile! (Submitted photo)

## Benefit to be held for former Fairmont resident

A benefit will be held for Sharon Thate, a former Fairmont resident who now lives in Panama City, Florida.

Sharon's home was severely damaged in hurricane Michael and she lost many of her possessions. Her story was featured in last week's Photo Press.

The benefit will be held Saturday, November 10th from 8 to 11 a.m. at St. John's UCC Church in Fairmont.

Menu includes: biscuits and gravy, scram-

bled eggs, cinnamon rolls, fruit, coffee, juice and milk. A free will donation will be taken for the meal.

They will also have a silent auction of items. If you are interested in donating something to the auction, contact Lili at 236-9506 or Karen at 236-3611.

Monetary donations can also be given at Profinium Financial in care of "Sharon Thate Special Account".

Tuesday, November 13th at noon, **Red Rock Center's Lunch with the Arts** program presents "Rockin' November" with musical entertainment by Patrick Rasmussen. Rockin' November will feature some favorites by Billy Joel, John Denver, The Eagles, Simon and Garfunkel, The Beatles and more. Patrick enjoys singing and telling stories about growing up on the farm in rural Minnesota. Bring a sack lunch if desired, coffee and refreshments will be provided. Free admission. Everyone welcome.

## eat play shop LOCAL

## Prairie Star Quilt Guild to meet November 12

The Prairie Star Quilt Guild will meet Monday, November 12th, 2018 at the Evangelical Covenant Church in Fairmont. All are invited to bring a current sewing project to work on and share with other guild members.

The day will begin at 9:00 a.m. until noon. Each member is asked to bring a brown bag lunch. The board meets at 12:30 p.m. with the regular membership meeting beginning at 1:30 p.m. Agenda items will include suggestions in regard to next year's quilt show and election of officers for the coming year. Lunch will be served by Lin Hilgendorf, Debra Engman

The National Honor Society of Martin Luther High School in Northrop is hosting a **Red Cross Blood Drive**, Monday, November 12th from 12:30 to 5:30 p.m. Please call 507-436-5249 to make an appointment.

The **Martin Luther High School, Northrop, drama department** invites everyone to two comedy productions. "Check Please, Take 2" and "The Importance of Being Earnest" will take place at the historic Fairmont Opera House Friday, November 9th and Saturday, November 10th at 7:00 p.m. Tickets can be purchased at the door.

and Carolyn Seidel. Door prize will be furnished by Kathy Wilkening. This will be the last meet of the year.

The Prairie Star Quilt Guild meets the second Monday of each month (no meeting in December) at the Covenant Church at 901 Woodland Avenue in Fairmont. Membership is open to anyone who enjoys quilts or quilting - quilters of all skill levels are always welcome. Information and photos can be found on Facebook at Prairie Star Quilt Guild.

For more information contact Barb Mager at 507-776-7601.

## Living Well with Diabetes support group meeting

Join Jill O'Donnell, Mayo Clinic Health System certified diabetes educator and Julie Morris, Mayo Clinic Health System licensed practical nurse, for a community diabetes support group.

The group meets on the second Wednesday of each month. This month they will meet on Wednesday, November 14th at 7 p.m. in the Main Class-

room at MCHS in Fairmont.

These informational meetings provide a way for adults with diabetes to share successes, challenges and advice, as well as learn more about the disease from medical experts.

Everyone is welcome and no preregistration is required. There is no cost to attend.

## bridal registry

Free gift when you register.

Payton Shively  
Tyler Boesch.....November 10

Sammantha Beck  
Karl Knothe.....January 5

Jordan Huffman  
Trevor Cowing.....February 2

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## Shop local at the vendor market in East Chain

The East Chain Activity Center will host its second annual Vendor and Craft Market, Saturday, November 17th from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Over 24 vendors and artisans from Minnesota and Iowa will have items for purchase. New this year will be massages for shoppers and tagalongs.

Homemade cards, quilts, monogrammed gifts, crocheted toys, decor for your home, children's accessories, One Twelve Timber woodcrafts, Premier Jewelry, Norwex, Soldier Creek Goats, Eye Candy Gone Green, Watkins, LuLaRoe, Rodan+Fields,

Usborne books, Thirty One, Pink Zebra and many more.

Best of all, there is a gym for kids to play while you shop and concessions on site by the P-Pod with brisket, walking tacos, hot sandwiches and other snacks.

Door prizes from the vendors will be awarded every hour.

The East Chain Activity Center is located on Highway 53, at the location of the former East Chain School.

For more info, call 507-399-9677 or see their Facebook page. See their ad in the Photo Press next week.



The Borderline Cruisers Car Club, represented by Butch Olson, recently presented Debbie Morris, Community Life Coordinator at Goldfinch Estates Memory Care, with a \$250 donation for their annual family picnic. (Submitted photo)

## Fairmont Town Hall meeting on child care

The public is invited to participate in the Fairmont Town Hall meeting to discuss and identify solutions to the childcare challenges faced in the community.

The meeting will take place Tuesday, November 13th from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Holiday Inn in Fairmont.

Fairmont has a shortage of approximately 81 full-time licensed childcare slots. A core team from Fairmont has come

together to lead the process of investigating the shortage of care in the area. The Town Hall meeting is the opportunity to develop solutions to address this child care challenge.

Dinner will be provided at the meeting, with dinner service beginning at 6 p.m. and the meeting beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Please register at: fairmonttownhall.eventbrite.com.

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Fairmont Superintendent Joe Brown enjoyed giving a tour of Fairmont Elementary to a group of 1966 Fairmont graduates. The original section of Fairmont Elementary had been the high school in 1966 so it was a fun walk down memory lane for these classmates! (Submitted photo)

## Elf Shop returns to Fairmont

Santa's busy little elves are returning to Fairmont and they need your help.

Each year, Fairmont Area Elementary School hosts an Elf Shop, a place where students in kindergarten through second grade are able to get gently used or new gifts at no cost for Christmas for immediate family members. The families self-determine whether they want their students participating in this event.

With the potential for more than 300 students to participate, donations of new or gently used items are being sought. Last year more than 2,400 gifts were chosen by students for their families. Items in

greatest demand are those for teen boys and dads.

Donations may be marked for the Elf Shop and dropped off in the elementary school office for social worker Amy Becker. Cash donations may also be dropped off.

Letters to families about the Elf Shop will be sent home November 16th and must be returned by the end of November if they want their children to participate. The Elf Shop will be held Monday, December 10th.

If you have questions or would like to help with this event, contact event coordinator Laura Dunker at 507-848-4664 or via email at: ldunker3@gmail.com.

Aktion Club Theatre, a part of Kiwanis International, will meet Thursday, November 8th from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. in the basement of Grace Lutheran Church in Fairmont. If you need a ride or have questions about the group, call Pat Kietzer at 507-848-5017 or the Arc office at 235-8580.

The Fairmont American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 36 will be distributing poppies in recognition of our Veterans on Saturday, November 10th at Fareway, HyVee, Shopko and Five Lakes Centre. Remember our Veterans - Thank them for serving!

## CREST to present "Lunch & Learn" in Fairmont

Fraud is making its appearance in many forms and it's important to be aware of what is going on.

CREST will be presenting a "Lunch & Learn" program in Fairmont on Tuesday, November 13th at 11:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall of the Fairmont Evangelical Covenant Church, located at 901 Woodland Avenue.

The guest speaker will

be Fairmont police officer Jamie Kotewa, who will be speaking on Senior Fraud. Following his presentation, a lunch of hot chicken sandwiches, pasta salad, cranberries, and pumpkin dessert will be served. There will be a free will donation to defray meal costs.

To reserve a spot, please call the CREST office at 235-3833.



**Girl Scout Myth #10:** The rest of the world embraces "co-ed scouting". Girl-only scouting organizations are going strong. The World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS.org) represents 10 million girls in 150 countries. The two largest scouting organizations are the World Organization of the Scout Movement, and the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts. It is not true that co-ed scouting has replaced Girl Guides (or Girl Scouts) - it has not. They are merely different programs. Some co-ed scout programs are sectarian or require that members recognize an obligation to a specific faith. Girl Scouts is a non-partisan, non-sectarian group, with a strong policy of inclusion for all girls. Girl Scouting and Boy Scouting in every country is different, based on culture and

other factors. Recently, a group of Girl Scout adults spent a week at Sangam, a World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts World Centre in Pune, India, and participated in activities with Bharat Guides [girls]. In India, although they have some coeducational activities, Bharat Scout [boy] and Guide [girl] units are separate. If you would like more information about Girl Scouting for you or your girl, contact Jennifer at [jmnielsen88@gmail.com](mailto:jmnielsen88@gmail.com) or River Valleys Girl Scout Council (800.845.0787 or [girlscouts@girlscoutsrv.org](http://girlscouts@girlscoutsrv.org)).



Two groups of Bharat Girl Guides [front row, in blue and white tunics] at the welcome ceremony at Sangam.



Nancy Klemek (front row, second from right), Martin County/Fairmont volunteer and River Valleys board member was one of the participants from River Valleys Council participating in the welcome ceremony at Sangam. (Submitted photos)

## FCHS to hold annual meeting in Blue Earth

The Faribault County Historical Society (FCHS) will host its annual meeting on Sunday, November 11th, beginning at 2 p.m., in the St. Luke's Chapel, 1219 S. Ramsey in Blue Earth.

President Bill Paul will chair the business meeting, which will include a summary of the past year and plans for future projects. At the conclusion of the meeting Edie Smith will present the program, "Coming to America." Her program will share highlights of her life (including her family's emigration to the US from Hungary), her family, her interests and travel.

"Everyone is welcome to come to the Annual Meeting," states President Paul. "We have been hosting the event at St. Luke's for the last couple of years, because it is the perfect setting for this type of gathering. The St. Luke's staff and residents are very welcoming and always have the coffee on for us. FCHS board members will serve cookies and bars at the conclusion of Edie's program."

Membership in the Faribault County Historical Society

is open to anyone who has an interest in collecting, preserving, and disseminating the history of Faribault County.

Annual Memberships are available for only \$20.00, while Lifetime Memberships can be obtained for \$100.00. "Donations in any amount and Volunteers, Visitors, and New Members are always welcome," says the President. "We especially appreciate our volunteers, since we are an all-volunteer organization."

"Memorial Gifts are a wonderful way to honor family and friends and are also welcome at any time," says Marilyn Schaefer, longtime Secretary of the Board. "Any donation, membership, or memorial can be sent to the FCHS, PO Box 142, Blue Earth, MN 56013," she adds.

The motto of the FCHS, Where the Past Shapes the Future, will definitely be in play when board member Edie Smith presents the program at the annual meeting of the Faribault County Historical Society, at 2 p.m., Sunday, November 11th, in the St. Luke's Chapel, 1219 S. Ramsey in Blue Earth.

## eat play shop LOCAL

Are you looking for a unique Christmas gift or something to satisfy your sweet tooth? Look no further than the **Martin County People First** group. We are selling 9 varieties of fudge in ½ pound boxes until November 20th. Plus we have two flavors of sugar-free fudge available to order. The fudge will be available Friday, December 21st. To place an order call Pat Kietzer at 507-848-5017.

**Arc Family and Friends** will meet in the George Room at the Fairmont Holiday Inn on Monday, November 12th at 6:00 p.m. For more info, please call the Arc office at 507-235-8580 for further details.

**Ceylon American Legion Auxiliary** will meet on Tuesday, November 13th at 2 p.m. at Legends II in Ceylon.

**ATTENTION: Ceylon High School Class of 1950** and local family and friends. Class member Bill Jurs would like to connect with his classmates. If you are a member of the class of 1950 or are a family member of one of the classmates, please send a card with their contact info to: Bill R. Jurs, 332 8th Avenue West, Cresco, Iowa 52136.

*Ronald & Berniece Schultz* will be celebrating their **60th Wedding Anniversary**

with their family.

*They were married November 16, 1958.*



Cards may be sent to them at 2338 250th, Truman, MN 56088.



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# Good fats and bad fats (or Don't be a fathead)

Guest Columnist

Dr. Scott Burtis, M.S., D.C., Burtis Chiropractic Center



Margarine is good for you and butter is bad, right? Or is it the other way around? And is olive oil the best? Or organic non-GMO canola oil? And don't eat red meat or it will raise your cholesterol... I think?

The question about fat in our diet has been controversial ever since Ancel Keys released his "study" that eating animal fat "caused" atherosclerosis, high cholesterol, heart attacks, strokes, and global warming. (Yes, I am kidding about the global warming. More on Dr. Keys and his deceptive research later.) Our grandparents baked in lard,

churned their own butter, and would have probably slapped you if you used the words "extra virgin" in public.

We have come a long way since Dr. Keys' research sent a whole generation in the wrong direction. We now know about the dangers of trans fats, even though food manufacturers have convinced our government that they can put the magic words "Contains no trans- fats" when actually they can have up to .5 grams per serving. Despite this lack of transparency in labeling, trans fat consumption has dropped an average of 78%! By the way, in other countries, have

caved in similar fashion in most cases. We have stopped buying the fairy tale that margarine is even food, much less good for you. It's closer to plastic than it is to food! We now know that sugar and processed carbohydrates make you fat, not fats, and that many fats are not only healthy but essential. We now know that many fats such as olive oil, avocado, grape seed, and macadamia oil are very good for you. And we now that telling people to cut out fats to lower cholesterol is bad advice that has been outdated for about 20 years.

So how did we get into this mess? A lot of it goes back to a notorious re-

searcher called Dr. Ancel Keys and the pressures brought to bear by politicians and the sugar industry. In the 1960s, the sugar industry funded research that downplayed the risks of sugar and highlighted the hazards of fat, according to a newly published article in JAMA Internal Medicine. The results were actually published by Harvard scientists in the New England Journal of Medicine in 1967, and the country bought the lie. One of these Harvard eggheads, Dr. Mark Hegsted, later went on to become the head of nutrition for the U.S. Department of Agriculture, where he helped rewrite the national nutrition guidelines. So where does Dr. Keys come in? In 1955 he developed a hypothesis that fats were causing a lot of the cardiovascular health issues in our country. When he published the results of

his findings he called it the "Seven Country Studies," as there were seven countries he used to confirm his hypothesis. The problem with this study was that he actually used 22 countries, and only seven of them agreed with his hypothesis. Rather than admit he was wrong, he cherry picked the ones that agreed with him and published that information only.

The result? The country embraced the mistaken notions, and common sense went out the window. Margarine was touted as a healthy replacement for butter. Eggs were suddenly bad for you. And while animal fats in excess can be an issue, moderate amounts are indeed good for you. I still remember a nutrition professor telling me all this in chiropractic school in 1985. It only took us 30 years to get our sense back. In the

mean time statin drugs have become one of the number one selling drugs in the world. This despite the fact that the research backing insanely low cholesterol levels like below 150 have been proven to be dangerous. Some of the side effects of low levels of cholesterol? Dementia, immune system failure, kidney and liver instability and more. The upside? You have really good numbers. That's it. Statin drugs do have some merit due to their anti-inflammatory characteristics, but the side effects are too numerous to justify.

So what do we do, now that the information is out in the open. We look to the future and move on. We don't look back and ostracize those who did this to us, but we do remain vigilant for those who would do this again!

## Operation Christmas Child drop off announced

This month, sites in the Fairmont area will be among 5,000 U.S. drop-off locations collecting shoebox gifts for children overseas during Operation Christmas Child's National Collection Week, November 12th-19th.

Fairmont families, churches and groups are busy transforming empty shoeboxes into fun gifts filled with toys, school supplies and hygiene items. The Samaritan's Purse project partners with local churches across the globe to deliver these tangible expressions of God's love to children affected by war, disease, disaster, poverty and famine. For many of these children, it will be the first gift they have ever received.

This year, Fairmont-area residents hope to collect more than 10,581 gifts to contribute to the 2018

global goal of reaching 11 million children.

Local drop-off sites November 12th - 19th include:

- Fairmont:**
- Grace Lutheran Church, 300 S. Grant Street
  - Hours:
    - Mon, Nov. 12th: 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
    - Tue, Nov. 13th: 12:00 - 5:00 p.m.
    - Wed, Nov. 14th: 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
    - Thu, Nov. 15th: 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.
    - Fri, Nov. 16th: 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
    - Sat, Nov. 17th: 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
    - Sun, Nov. 18th: 1:00 -

- 3:00 p.m.
- Mon, Nov. 19th: 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.
- Trimont:**
- Trimont United Methodist Church, 111 Apple Street East
- Hours:
  - Mon, Nov. 12th, Tues, Nov. 13th and Wed, Nov. 14th: 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.
  - Wed, Nov. 14th: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.
  - Thu, Nov. 15th and Fri, Nov. 16th: 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.
  - Sat, Nov. 17th: 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
  - Sun, Nov. 18th: 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
  - Mon, Nov. 19th: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
- For more information on how to participate in Operation Christmas Child, call 612-359-7025, or visit [samaritanspurse.org/occ](http://samaritanspurse.org/occ).

## Local blood donation opportunities this week

As influenza activity picks up, the American Red Cross is urging healthy donors of all blood types to give blood or platelets to ensure a strong blood supply for patients in

need. Upcoming blood donation opportunities include:

**Sherburn:** Monday, November 12th from 1:00 to 6:00 p.m. at

the Assembly of God Regional Worship Center, 2 Crossroad Drive.

To make an appointment or for more info, visit [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) or call 1-800-RED CROSS (800-733-2767).

## URGENT CARE NOW OPEN.



The new Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont Urgent Care is now open. This walk-in service provides same-day care for unexpected minor illnesses and injuries, including:

- Cold and flu symptoms
- Coughs, sore throats and earaches
- Infections, including urinary, sinus and eye
- Minor cuts, lacerations and burns
- Skin conditions, including rashes, poison ivy and insect bites
- Sprains and strains

Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-7 p.m.

Saturday and Sunday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont, 800 Medical Center Drive

Located on the medical center campus within the clinic.

Enter through the clinic doors on the north side of the facility.



**MARTIN COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY**  
The Carl Nettifee Memorial Animal Shelter  
522 E. MARGARET ST. • FAIRMONT, MN • 238-1885  
[pawprints.petfinder.com](http://pawprints.petfinder.com)  
Email: [pawprints01@hotmail.com](mailto:pawprints01@hotmail.com)  
HOURS: Tue & Thurs 6-8 p.m. • Sat 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

**A FEW OF OUR CATS AVAILABLE FOR ADOPTION:**  
**GARFIELD** is a large and mellow boy. His medium length hair is a dark orange with white feet and chest. He has adorable black dots on his nose. Garfield is very friendly and does fine with other cats.  
**SHADY** is a black cat with a great personality. She loves people and loves to play. Shady has a best friend, Puff. **PUFF** is white, about 6 months old, and quite a bit shyer than Shady. While the two girls don't have to go together, they would be great company for each other in a new home.  
**BRIE** is an adorable little black kitten. She is about 8-9 weeks old and cute as a button. This sweet and friendly little girl will bring a smile to your face.

**A FEW OF OUR DOGS AVAILABLE FOR ADOPTION:**  
**BOWSER** is a brown terrier mix with an adorable underbite. Bowser weighs about 15 pounds and does well with most of the other small dogs.  
Calling all Mastiff lovers! Meet **MEAKA**, a big beautiful English Mastiff who was an owner surrender. Meaka is seeking a home where she is the only pet, especially because that way she won't have to share the attention. At around 4 years old, she is an absolutely stunning brindle that pictures do not do her justice.

**Santa's elves started making Christmas decorations early this year and are letting MCHS sell them to help the animals. See their work and purchase a beautiful porch pot, yule log, or table topper. Friday 6-9 at Martin Co Implement in Truman or Sat 10-2 at Five Lakes Centre in Fairmont.**

The Winnebago Area Museum will be holding a **Soup Supper** on Tuesday, November 13th from 5 to 7 p.m. at the museum, located at 16 South Main Street in Winnebago. The menu includes four soups, french bread, dessert bars and beverage. A free-will donation is appreciated. Proceeds go toward LED lighting for the museum. For more info, call 507-893-4660.

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What's Cooking

with Kathy Lloyd

Tis the Season for Apples

I love apples all times of the year, but especially in the fall. I got the recipe I am sharing with you today from a Bed and Breakfast cookbook with recipes given by bread and breakfast owners throughout the Midwest. The title of the cookbook is Wake Up and Smell The Coffee. Just reading the title makes me smell coffee! I served this recipe at a brunch I was giving. Its easy and good.

**Hot Cooked Apples:**  
1 apple per person  
1/2 cup apple cider or juice  
cinnamon, nutmeg or allspice  
softened cream cheese  
pure maple syrup

Peel and slice one apple per person. I especially like Granny Smith or Ida Reds as they stay firm and hold their shape. Place in a sauce pan and cover with juice or cider. Sprinkle with spice of your choice. Cover and cook until fork tender. Serve steaming hot or set aside and microwave when ready to serve. Combine cream cheese with a small amount of maple syrup. Place a tablespoon or so of sweetened cream cheese in the center of the hot apples just before serving. This can be served as a dessert or a fruit entrée at a brunch.

Have a great week!

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LETTERS  
TO THE EDITOR

Poppy distribution in Fairmont

On November 10th, members of the Fairmont American Legion Auxiliary Unit 36 will distribute poppies at Fareway, Hy-Vee, Shopko and the Five Lakes Centre in Fairmont.

Veterans remember the wild flowers blooming in the devastated battlefields of France and Flanders. The basic purpose of Poppy Days are to offer the American public an opportunity to honor those that have and are presently serving for our freedom.

The poppy is a memo-

Jeff's Jottings!



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Reading is hobby that does a body good: It promotes relaxation, enhances your vocabulary and improves your memory retention. So, how can you make more time to reading in your busy day? Here are a few tips:  
\*Read right away in the morning or at night before bed. Keep a good

book on your nightstand!  
\*Don't leave the house without reading material. When you have downtime during the day, read a few pages!  
\*Join a book club: Reading and talking about a book with friends can help encourage you to get that book done!  
\*Find books that are of interest to you: Spend some time researching book topics that will hold your interest and you will be rewarded.  
\*Set a goal...and meet it! Whether it's a goal of pages or minutes or books read, set a goal to gradually improve.  
\*Block out time in your calendar: Schedule it and stick to it!

KJLY to host annual  
"Shareathon" fundraiser

KJLY Christian Radio will broadcast its annual Share-a-thon fundraiser November 13th, 14th and 15th.

Featuring this year's theme "Let Them See Jesus!", the Share-a-thon fundraiser will feature interviews with local listeners, special guests, music and free events for the entire family. It will also provide listeners and friends the opportunity to share a tax-deductible donation with the listener-supported ministry of KJLY.

In addition to the Share-a-thon broadcast the three day celebration will feature special activities and free family events, including a Spaghetti Supper on November 13th, "Soup and Sweets" lunch on November 14th and a Barbeque Rib Dinner on November 15th.

For more info on the Share-a-thon or the free events, visit KinshipRadio.org or call KJLY at 1-800-810-5559.

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Bridget Clover of Fairmont was named "Business Education Student of the Month at Fairmont High School. Bridget, the daughter of Pat and Mike Meyer and Brent Clover was a senior at FHS. She was a student body vice president and involved in Peace and Target.

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Four winners were named in the Martin County VFW's annual "Voice of Democracy" speech contest. The four students were Aaron Schlaphoff, senior at Martin County West; Heidi Wilkin, Ryan Waterbury and Jeremy Wedel, all students at Fairmont High School.

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The Fairmont GLOWS committee announced the GLOWS parade. Parade marshalls were former Minnesota Viking star Chuck Foreman and "Vikadontis Rex", official mascot of the Minnesota Vikings.

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Members of the Martin County Board of Commissioners endorsed hospice and declared November "Hospice month". On hand for the endorsement was Alma Simpson of the Hospice Board, and commissioners Jean Burkhardt, Steve Donnelly, Steve Pierce, Leighton Hugoson and Char Kahler.

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# OBITUARY notices

## Harold M. Bergt, 98



Funeral Service for Harold Bergt, 98, of Fair-

mont, was held Saturday, November 3rd, 2018 at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Fairmont. Burial was at Lakeside Cemetery in Fairmont. Harold passed away Monday, October 29th, 2018 at Lakeview Methodist Health Care Center in Fairmont. Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Fairmont is assisting the family with arrangements.

Harold Martin Bergt, son of Otto Reinhold Bergt (1881-1966) and Paula Louise (Lueders) Bergt (1889-1987) was born on the Bergt farm near Potter, NE August 1st, 1920. He had two sisters, Eunice (Bergt) Polster (1914-2002) and Bernice (Bergt) Carls (1918-2002).

Harold was baptized by Reverend Otto Braunschweig August 15th, 1920 at St. Paul Lutheran Church located 12 miles north-east of Potter. He was confirmed April 29th, 1934 by Reverend G.H. Boehnke. His confirmation memory verse was Titus 2:11-12. He attended St. Paul Lutheran School (rural Potter) from 1926-1934. He then attended Concordia Lutheran High School, Seward, NE from 1934-1938 and then Concordia College, Seward, from 1938-1941. Harold received a Masters of Education Degree from the University of Nebraska, Lincoln in 1964.

Harold was married to Helen Lafrentz by Reverend Hugo Nieting at St.

Paul Lutheran Church, Ute, IA October 15th, 1943. He served as a Lutheran school teacher and Principal at Lutheran schools in Chester, NE (1941-1942), Ute, IA (1942-1944), Coffeyville, KS (1944-1945), Hastings, NE (1945-1959), and Fremont, NE (1959-1982). After Harold's retirement, they moved to a home on Budd Lake at 1358 Oak Beach Drive, in Fairmont. He received the Master Teachers Award from Concordia University, Seward, NE in May 1983. A few of his many positions held include: Nebraska District (LCMS) Board of Directors and District Mission Board; Alumni Association President of Concordia Col-

lege, Seward; National Department of Lutheran Elementary School Principals - Board of Directors; President of Dodge County Education Association, Fremont, NE; and Board of Directors - Martin Luther High School, Northrop.

Harold is survived by three children: Carolyn Bergt of St. Louis, MO, Richard Bergt of Springfield, IL, and Gerald Bergt and his wife, Pauline, of Fairmont; niece, Janice Borchardt of Fairmont; grandchildren: David and Amanda Bergt of Fairmont, MN, Jered and Christine Sprecher of Knoxville, TN, Jonathan and Nastasha Bergt of Woodbury, MN, Aaron Bergt of Fairmont, Cory

and Kathleen Prelerson of Bellevue, NE, and Timothy Bergt of Springfield, IL; great-grandchildren: Joshua, Hannah, and Caleb Bergt of Fairmont, MN, Levi, Ezra, and Avram Sprecher of Knoxville, TN, Luke and Lillian Bergt of Woodbury, MN, and Ezekiel Prelerson of Bellevue, NE; nieces, nephews, and other extended family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen Bergt (December 2012); sisters: Eunice Polster and Bernice Carls; brothers-in-law: Roy Borchardt, Eric Polster, and Doris Carls; sister-in-law, Erma Borchardt; and daughter-in-law, Sharon Bergt.

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## Delores C. Splinter, 94



Delores C. Splinter, age 94, of Fairmont, formerly of Lewisville and Truman, died October 30th, 2018 at Lakeview Methodist Healthcare Center

in Fairmont surrounded by her family. Funeral Services were held Saturday, November 3rd, 2018 at Zion Lutheran Church in Lewisville with Pastor John Bennett officiating. Interment was at Riverside Cemetery in Madelia.

Delores was born March 25th, 1924 in St. James to Olga Martha (Boeck) Beck and Albert Adolph Wilhelm Becker. She is the second youngest of 13 children. Delores was married to Clarence Splinter on February 4th, 1946. To this union three children were born. During her working years, she focused her attention to

tending to the farm and the house; serving her community as a seamstress. She also enjoyed quilting and making banners for the altar guild at church and doing other sewing projects. She was always mending something. Cooking, baking and music played a big role in her life. Delores was a member of the Kitchen Band, as she was gifted with playing the harmonica. She was also a proud member of Lewisville Zion Lutheran Church.

Delores and Clarence moved from the farm near Lewisville into Truman in 1996, giving Delores the

slower paced life off the farm. This is where she became more social. Playing card games, like 500, becoming a member of the Red Hat Society, and hosting several gatherings at her home. Delores was a devoted wife and mother, but she cherished the title of grandma and great-grandma most. She loved everything the little ones did.

When we sum up one's life in an obituary, we tend to think of all the good and mention just the highlights. When asked what Delores didn't like, the unanimous response was "there wasn't much... ex-

cept for Fall. That's when everything dies." How timely, that she died in the fall. The legacy that Delores leaves to those she loves is that of her strong faith. Her faith could move mountains and she displayed that very faith everyday. She will be remembered for being soft-hearted, kind to all and always being happy.

Delores is survived by her three children, Cleo (Donald) Austin of Tucson, AZ, Dale Splinter, of Fairmont and Amy (Brad) Haynes of Madelia; grandchildren, Katie Leinert, Dawn (Michael) Lopau, Dustin (Natalie)

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## Alice R. Meier, 81

Funeral Service for Alice R. Meier, 81, of Amboy, Minnesota will be 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, November 7th, 2018 at Lakeview Funeral Home in Fairmont. Visitation will be held prior to the service from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Wednesday at the Funeral Home. Burial will follow the service at Nashville Township Cemetery in Nashville Township, MN. Alice passed away Thursday evening, No-

vember 1st, 2018 at Mayo Clinic Health Systems in Mankato. Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Fairmont is assisting the family with arrangements.

Alice Ruth Klaus was born January 18th, 1937, the daughter of Martin and Amalia (Mitzner) Klaus in Amboy, Minnesota. Growing up she attended school and graduated from Truman High School in 1954.

On June 24, 1954 Alice was united in marriage to William Bruce Meier. Together they made their home in rural Amboy and

were blessed with one son, Lonnie.

Alice was a talented musician and for many years played the guitar and bass guitar in a band with Bruce, and eventually Lonnie joined the band. They would travel throughout Southern Minnesota and Northern Iowa to various ballrooms and put on shows. Alice also taught guitar lessons to other eager musicians. Alice was known for being a wonderful cook and had a love for animals, especially her pet dogs and farm cats.

Those left to cherish her memory include her husband, W. Bruce Meier of Amboy, son, Lonnie Meier and his wife, Connie of Truman; other extended family and many friends.

In addition to her parents, Alice was preceded in death by her brother, Emil Klaus.

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# DEATH notices

October 29 - Harold Bergt, 98, Fairmont  
Lakeview Funeral and Cremation Service  
October 30 - Delores C. Splinter, 94, Fairmont, formerly of Lewisville and Truman  
Zaharia Family Funeral and Cremation Service  
November 1 - Alice R. Meier, 81, Amboy  
Lakeview Funeral and Cremation Service

## In Memoriam

### One Year Ago This Week

October 29 - Marylin R. Lindgren, 84, Granada  
October 29 - Judy Carlson, 77, Rochester  
October 29 - Shirley L. Krahmer, 88, Truman  
October 29 - Marcelle M. Barker, 96, Fairmont  
October 30 - Michael W. Miller, 50, Fairmont  
October 31 - James P. Scholl, 90, Fairmont  
November 1 - Lucille E. Findley, 97, Fairmont  
November 1 - Luella B. Wolff, 100, Fairmont  
November 3 - Steven L. Odegard, 65, Welcome



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*Do not fret because of evildoers,  
nor be envious of the workers of iniquity.  
For they shall soon be cut down like the grass,  
and wither as the green herb.*

PSALM 37: 1,2

## BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of Acts in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. From Proverbs 30, what will pluck out the eyes of anyone who scorns their parents? *Demons, Ravens, Doves, Quails*
3. Who wrote in 1 Timothy 6:10, "The love of money is the root of all evil"? *Timothy, Isaiah, Moses, Paul*
4. From Matthew 8, what Roman official asked Jesus to heal his servant? *Marshall, Governor, Centurion, Jailer*
5. How many times are the words "apple" or "apples" mentioned in the Bible (KJV)? *2, 11, 37, 63*
6. Who was the father of Hosea? *Uzzah, Beeri, Joash, Ahab*

ANSWERS: 1) New; 2) Ravens; 3) Paul; 4) Centurion; 5) 11; 6) Beeri  
Comments? More Trivia? Visit [www.TriviaGuy.com](http://www.TriviaGuy.com)



**Parsley** is native to Southern Europe. Cultivated for more than 2,000 years, it was used medicinally and also as food. The ancient Greeks held it to be sacred, using it to adorn athletic champions and to decorate the tombs of the dead. Ancient Romans used it in cooking, and Charlemagne grew it on his estates. Fool's parsley, a poisonous weed, is sometimes mistaken for the edible flat-leaf parsley.

- Brenda Weaver

Source: [www.whfoods.com](http://www.whfoods.com)



## MLHS announces mid-semester honor roll

The following students have earned Honor Roll status for 2018-19 Fall Mid-semester at Martin Luther High School, Northrop:

**\*Honor Roll with Distinction (All A's)**

**Honor Roll (A's & B's)**  
Students are listed alphabetically in each category

### 9th grade

Mallery Geistfeld\*  
Zachary Jenks\*  
Tyson Kube\*  
Trevor Rosburg\*  
Emily Sokoloski\*  
Kambria Steinhaus\*  
Josie Clow  
Mariah Geistfeld  
Abbie White

### 10th grade

Josh Bergt\*  
Emma Bolen  
Michaelah Petrowiak

### 11th grade

Alexys Flohrs\*  
Adriana Freitag\*  
Lydia Steinhaus\*

Marah Engel  
Cayden Fischer  
Caleb Roiger  
Jordan Wiederhoeft

### 12th grade

Sierra Geistfeld\*  
Bennett Shane\*  
Shawna Appel  
Dalton Fette  
Autumn Fischer  
Paxton Gravlin  
Isaac Johnson  
Mitchell Prafke  
Anna Schulte

## FSA county committee elections to begin

Minnesota Farm Service Agency (FSA) State Executive Director Joe Martin today announced that the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) began mailing ballots to eligible agricultural producers for the 2018 FSA county committee elections on Monday, November 5th, 2018. Producers must return ballots to their local FSA offices by December 3rd, 2018, to ensure their vote is counted.

"County committee members represent the farmers, ranchers and foresters in our Minnesota communities," said Martin. "Producers elected to these committees have always played a vital role in local agricultural decisions. It is a valued partnership that helps us better understand the needs of the farmers and ranchers we serve."

Martin said producers must participate or cooperate in an FSA program

to be eligible to vote in the county committee election. Farmers and ranchers who supervise and conduct the farming operations of an entire farm, but are not of legal voting age, may also be eligible to vote.

Farmers and ranchers will begin receiving their ballots the week of November 5th. Ballots include the names of candidates running for the local committee election. Voters who did not receive a ballot can pick one up at their local FSA office. Ballots returned by mail must be postmarked no later than December 3rd, 2018. Newly elected committee members will take office January 1st, 2019.

For more information, visit the FSA website at [www.fsa.usda.gov/elections](http://www.fsa.usda.gov/elections). You may also contact your local USDA Service Center or FSA office. Visit <http://www.farmers.gov> to find an FSA office near you.

## Medicare cost plans ending in most counties

As the Information and Assistance Director with the Senior Linkage Line, Robin Thompson wants everyone to know "there are several things all Minnesotans on Medicare need to know, even if they are NOT AFFECTED by the Cost Plan changes."

Current Medicare Advantage and Cost Plans have changes, including cost-sharing, formulary and provider changes. It is important that Medicare beneficiaries review their plans and options to make sure that the plan they have for 2018 will work for them in 2019.

There are many new plans in Minnesota for 2019, so reviewing options is more important than ever. In addition, there are some premium-free plans available. These may still have other cost sharing, such as copays, deductibles and coinsurance, so it is important to compare.

Every Medicare beneficiary who is enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan for 2019 will have a Medi-

care Advantage Open Enrollment period from January 1st to March 31st, 2019. During this time, Medicare Advantage plan enrollees can change to another Medicare Advantage plan or disenroll from their plan and return to Original Medicare and purchase a Medicare Part D plan. Only one choice can be made during this time period.

Important note: It is important to note that most Medicare beneficiaries will not have a guaranteed issue period to purchase a Medigap during this time. This means they can be health screened and denied the purchase of a Medigap. The only group that will have Medigap guaranteed issue rights are Cost Plan enrollees affected by the ending of their plan; these rights extend only through March 4th, 2019.

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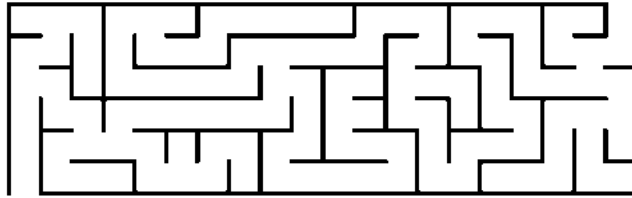
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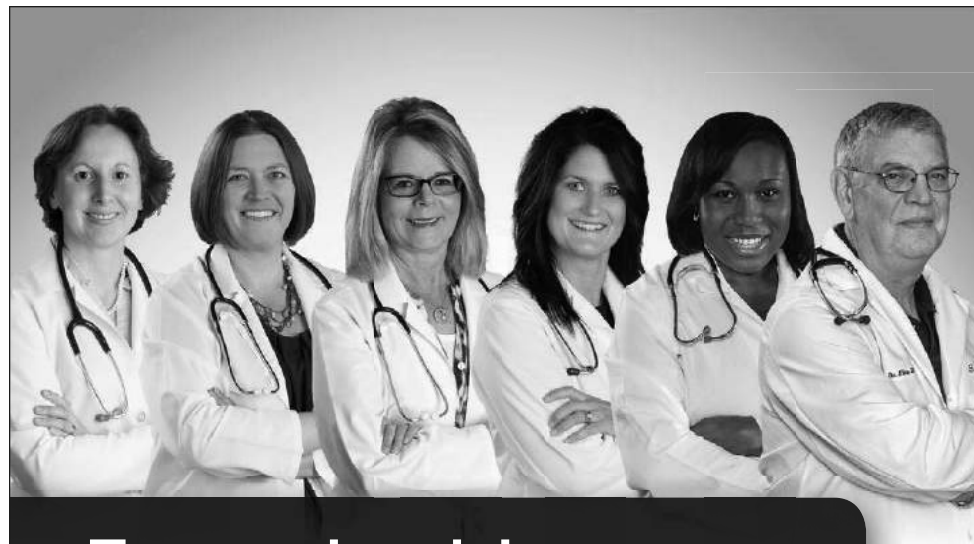
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## Jeff's Jottings

Since I spent most of last weekend indoors with a cold, Karis decided it would be a good time to clean out basement storage areas. You can imagine how excited I was to do that! But, I have to admit that since we moved into our home we have been putting things into storage, and just forgetting it. A lot of times it is fun to go digging through areas that haven't seen the light of day in almost a decade. You tend to discover things you have forgotten about and hope that maybe a "buried treasure" might be lurking in the back of the pile. No treasure was found this time - unless you count the little collection of black walnut shells that were stuck way back in the far corner of our pantry area. I keep the harvested black walnuts in pails in the basement each year. Even though they are

covered, a clever mouse must have found a way to get some out and take into this corner to chew into the shell and get the "meat" out. Luckily there was no evidence of the rodent!

### "What is it?" answered!

My "What is it?" item from last week that I found while digging through my sheds a couple weeks ago was quickly answered. Virgil Kopeschka of Fairmont had my answer Wednesday night stating it was a device to raise the tires off the ground of a Model T Ford or similar vehicles of that era with a protruding wheel hub. Ken Fritz of rural Fairmont also stated the same thing as he had a pair of those in his shed too. So, I guess I have two brackets should I ever acquire a Model T or



similar vehicle in the future! This week I have an item that probably few know what it is or is used for. It is made out of metal and measures 10 inches long by 2 1/2 inches wide. There are measurement marks on the bottom side and on one edge are small holes. The cross piece has a lever to raise and adjust the length using the small holes. So, what is it and what is it used

column.

### No more political ads!!

By the time you read this, the general elections will be over and the races, both locally and statewide will have been decided. I am so glad to be able to watch television once again without being bombarded with negative and sometimes disturbing political ads. When did it change from telling us why we should vote for you to telling us why we shouldn't vote for the other guy? I know it gets worse every election, but I think this year the negative ads outnumbered the "positive" ones by at least 50 to 1. Now I

can get back to watching my favorite shows and complaining about how early the Christmas programs and ads are!

### Fudge, good meals, prime rib and more!

Just a reminder that the Sherburn Lions Club prime rib supper is coming up November 17th and tickets

are going fast! I have a few tickets left here at my office if you want to pick some up ahead of time and save some money over taking the chance that any tickets will be left at the door for a higher price. I have a few events coming up in the week ahead I wanted to point out before I go. •The Wednesday Night Suppers at Community Covenant Church in Huntley continue from 5:30 to 6:15 p.m. Free will offering. •On Thursday, November 8th from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. Aktion Club Theatre will meet in the basement of Grace Lutheran Church in Fairmont for a short planning meeting. If you need a ride to the event, call Pat Kietzer at 507-848-5017. •Saturday, November 10th there will be a benefit for Sharon Thate, former Fairmont resident who lives in Florida and lost many items in Hurricane Michael. The benefit will be from 8 to 11 a.m. at St. John's UCC in Fairmont. •Saturday, November 10th East Chain United Methodist Church has their monthly Community Coffee Party from 8:30 to 11:00

a.m. at the church. •Also on Saturday, November 10th will be the IHD Vendor Show at Five Lakes Centre in Fairmont from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Over 30 vendors will be present! •5 Crazy Ladies will have their Christmas Sale at their old location on Lake Avenue November 8th - 10th from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursday and Friday and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday. •Tuesday, November 13th the Winnebago Area Museum will have their annual Soup Supper at the museum from 5 to 7 p.m. •Are you looking for a unique Christmas gift or to satisfy your sweet tooth? Martin County People First group is selling 9 varieties of fudge in 1/2 pound boxes and also have two sugar-free flavors. Orders are being taken until November 20th at 507-848-5017. Have a great week!

*Drive safely - visit a shut-in or family member - Eat, Play, Shop Local -honor our Veterans!*

Jeff

## "Just the other day"

Guest Columnist

Tom Palen, broadcaster, pilot, writer



### "She's Back"

I've pulled my old Subaru Outback from retirement (the one with 349,000 miles) and decided I'm going to drive it until she dies.

This car and I go way back; we've been in all lower forty-eight states together and a lot of Canada, too. We've driven over every mountain range in America and all the plains. We've been to the shores of all five Great Lakes and the Great Salt Lake; the beaches of the Gulf of Mexico and both the Atlantic and Pacific oceans. We have a lot of history together and we know each other well. That doesn't mean we always get along without conflict.

This morning, headed south on Highway 1 toward Duluth, a dash light came on that said, "Airbag." I snapped at the dashboard, "Yeah, sure! I know I talk a lot, but don't call me an Airbag, you bucket of bolts!"

We shared a good laugh about that and made our way to the city where my first stop was the dentist's office. When I came out, Subie asked me, "How did it go?" I'm going to need some work." I replied in a deflated tone of voice. Subie chuckled and asked, "Is it because you're getting older?" Sarcastically, I laughed, "Haha. Is that rust spot

on your door because you're getting older?" We gave each other a look of disdain and moved on.

Our next stop was Miller Hill Subaru in Duluth. The service guys, Rich, Casey and Garret, were surprised to see her again. "I thought you retired that car?" One said, another said, "It's a blast from the past." Another suggested seeing my old car was like watching an episode of The Walking Dead. Subie and I laughed and rolled our eyes.

Garrett waited on me, "What can I do for you today?" He asked. "I need a new filament for the right high beam." I said. Garret wrote a service ticket and in a minute or two, a tech came to take Subie into the shop. Watching her be driven away was like a parent seeing their child escorted down the hall to an exam room at the optometrist's office. I went to the waiting room.

Soon, Garret came to tell me my car was ready. I paid my bill, he gave me the keys, and told me the car was parked out front. That made me happy. She's still good enough to be placed up front with the newer, lower mileage cars.

I went out, got in the car and pulled the door closed. "Wow! Whoever

brought my car out must have been a tall, long-legged dude." I slid my seat forward so I could reach the pedals, then fastened my safety belt. Facing the large panes of glass in the showroom windows, I could see our reflection as if we were in front of a big mirror. I smiled and waved at myself, my reflection waved back, then I started the car. When I released the parking brake...

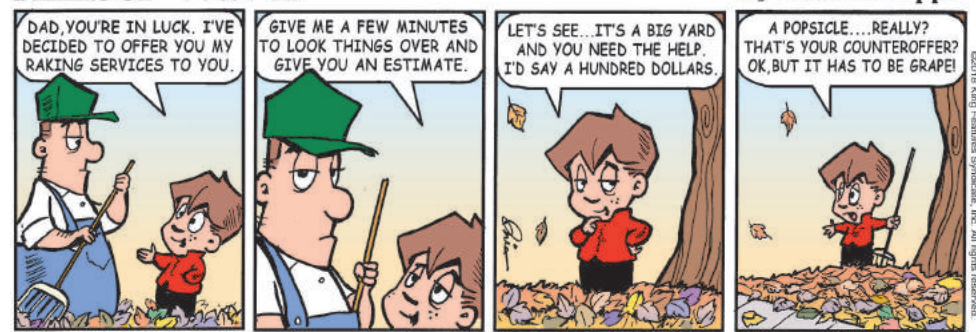
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## Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



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ages or delays in shipping.

**NOV 8 - 14**

**THUR:** Grilled ham/cheese,  
baked beans, spinach salad, man-  
darin oranges, fruit.

**FRI:** Taco in a bag, corn, rice, re-  
fried beans, fruit.

**MON:** Max sticks, sauce, spin-  
ach salad, CA blend veggie, ap-  
ple, fruit.

**TUE:** Hot chicken sandwich,  
fries, veggies, applesauce, fruit.

**WED:** Crispito, chili, rice,  
green beans, peaches.

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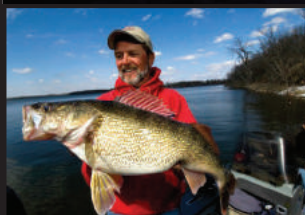
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**Breakfast menu can be found online.**

**NOV 8 - 14**

**THUR: K-6:** Cheese stuffed  
breadsticks, berry parfait, peas,  
tossed salad, fruit. **JR/HS:** BBQ  
shredded pork sandwich, tator  
tots, carrots, coleslaw, broccoli,  
apple, pears.

**FRI: K-6:** Cheese pizza, pizza  
bagel fun lunch, corn, caesar  
salad, cucumbers, fruit. **JR/HS:**  
French bread pepperoni pizza,  
corn, cauliflower, pepper strips,  
orange, fruit cocktail.

**MON: K-6:** Popcorn chicken  
wrap, mashed potatoes, gravy,  
tossed salad, tomatoes, fruit.  
**JR/HS:** Tator tot casserole,

dinner roll, peas, carrots, broc-  
coli, apple, pineapple tidbits.

**TUE: K-6:** Grilled cheese  
sandwich, tomato soup, ham &  
turkey chef salad, dinner roll,  
green beans, carrots, fruit. **JR/  
HS:** Chicken nuggets, mashed  
potatoes, gravy, coleslaw, cucum-  
bers, orange, applesauce.

**WED: K-6:** Lasagna pasta  
bake, breadstick, turkey ham &  
cheese sandwich, tator tots, cae-  
sar salad, celery sticks, fruit. **JR/  
HS:** Tacos, brown rice, refried  
beans, jicama & celery sticks, ba-  
nana, mandarin orange.



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**NOV 8 - 14**

**THUR:** Italian meatball sub,  
tator tots, broccoli & caul-  
iflower, caesar salad, broccoli,  
apple, pears.

**FRI:** Chicken nuggets, mashed  
potatoes, gravy, dinner roll, to-  
mato & cucumber salad, pep-  
per strips, orange, fruit cocktail.

**MON:** Teriyaki chicken, brown  
rice, dinner roll, peas, carrots,  
caesar salad, apple, pineapple  
tidbits.

**TUE:** Pepperoni pizza pasta  
bake, dinner roll, corn, coleslaw,  
cucumbers, orange, applesauce.

**WED:** Chicken & cheese que-  
sadilla, rice, broccoli, broc-  
coli salad, celery sticks, banana,  
peaches.

### ST. JAMES LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Menus subject to change.

**NOV 8 - 14**

**THUR:** Chicken fajita, fixings,  
peaches, jello cup.

**FRI:** Pancakes, ham, green  
beans, strawberries.

**MON:** Meat & cheese wrap,  
potato chips, coleslaw, banana.

**TUE:** Taco salad, tortilla chips,  
fixings, applesauce.

**WED:** Chicken patty sand-  
wich, mac & cheese, broccoli,  
mixed fruit.

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**THURS:** Baked ckn, sweet  
potato, wax beans, vanilla  
pudding.

**FRI:** Salmon, mashed po-  
tatoes, creamed cabbage,  
carrot cake.

**MON:** Closed.

**TUE:** Swiss steak, twice  
baked potatoes veggie mix,  
apple crisp.

**WED:** Chicken chow mein,  
rice, egg roll, broccoli, jello  
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## CarCare2018

—Where to go to keep you moving—

### Time is money when it comes to car maintenance

(NAPS)—Whether changing the oil, replacing the wiper blades or checking the tires, finding the time to perform simple preventative vehicle maintenance is money in the bank.

According to research conducted by automotive market research firm IMR Inc., one out of three

to-use online resource can be personalized to help make auto care more convenient and economical.

In addition, the council's popular "Car Care Guide" for motorists is available at no charge, electronically or by printed copy, in English and Spanish. The guide covers major services, component



consumers who put off routine vehicle maintenance do so because they cannot find a convenient time. In addition, millennials and those who own older vehicles are more likely to delay routine maintenance.

#### Expert Advice

"There is an old adage that if you take care of your car, your car will take care of you," said Rich White, executive director of the nonprofit Car Care Council. "Making time to perform routine auto care not only ensures a safer, more dependable vehicle, but car owners can preserve the trade-in value and save money by addressing small issues before they become more complicated, expensive repairs."

#### What You Should Do

The most common maintenance procedures to keep a car operating safely and reliably while maintaining its long-term value involve checking the oil, filters and fluids, the belts and hoses, brakes, tires and air-conditioning. An annual tune-up and wheel alignment are also good ideas.

#### Where To Get Help

To make it easier for car owners to remember to include auto care in their busy schedules, the Car Care Council offers a free custom service schedule and e-mail reminder service. This simple-

groups within the vehicle, service interval recommendations and much more.

The council is the source of information for the "Be Car Care Aware" consumer education campaign promoting the benefits of regular vehicle care, maintenance and repair to consumers.

#### Learn More

For the latest car care news, visit the council's online media room at <http://media.carcare.org>. To order a free copy of the popular "Car Care Guide," visit the consumer education website at [www.carcare.org](http://www.carcare.org).

### Ask A Trooper: Kids on Motorcycles

by Sgt. Troy Christianson,  
MN State Patrol

**Question:** Yesterday, I saw a guy go by my house on a motorcycle. He had his daughter sitting in front of him while he operated the motorcycle. This girl could not have been more than seven years old. What is the age for a child to legally ride as a passenger in Minnesota? A second question, is it legal for that child to sit in front of the actual operator?

**Answer:** A passenger that is unable to place both feet on the foot pegs or is riding in front of the operator is an extremely dangerous situation and against the law.

For safe motorcycle operation with passengers:

- A motorcyclist may only ride on a permanent seat. Passengers

may ride on a passenger seat or in a sidecar.

- Passengers under the age 18 must wear a DOT approved helmet.

- Passengers must be able to reach both footrests while seated in the passenger seat.

- Operators and passengers must face forward with one leg on each side of the motorcycle.

- The operator of a motorcycle is prohibited from carrying passengers in a number in excess of the designed capacity of the motorcycle or sidecar attached to it.

Share the Road. Riders and motorists need to work together to share the road and make safe decisions to prevent fatalities.

#### Riders:

- Wear protective gear, including a DOT

approved helmet. Wearing brightly-colored gear helps you stay visible to other drivers, and it's all that separates you from the road and other vehicles in case of a crash.

- Be attentive at all times and obey all traffic and equipment laws as a motorcycle offers little to no protection if involved in a crash.

- Ride sober.

- Do not carry anything that interferes with holding onto the handlebars.

- Splitting traffic is illegal. No one except on-duty police officers may ride between lanes of traffic or in the same lane with another vehicle. It is legal

for two motorcyclists to ride side-by-side if both riders agree to it.

- Headphones and earphones are only allowed in one ear.

- Take a training course. Courses are available for beginner to expert riders now through September. They're an opportunity to polish and learn life-saving maneuvers to keep you safe on the road.

#### Motorists:

- Always look twice for motorcyclists before entering a roadway or changing lanes. Motorcycles are smaller, so their speed and distance is difficult to

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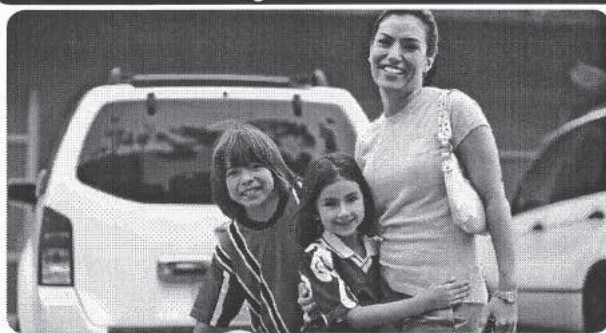
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## A beloved dog, a stolen car and a happy ending

(NAPS)—It started running outside of her out as a normal day for home with her shih tzu Mary Harrison—until Molly in the backseat she briefly left her car and went inside for just

a second.

When she came back outside, however, her car—and Molly—were gone. She called Verizon to see if her phone could help track her car, and a Verizon customer service representative saved the day.

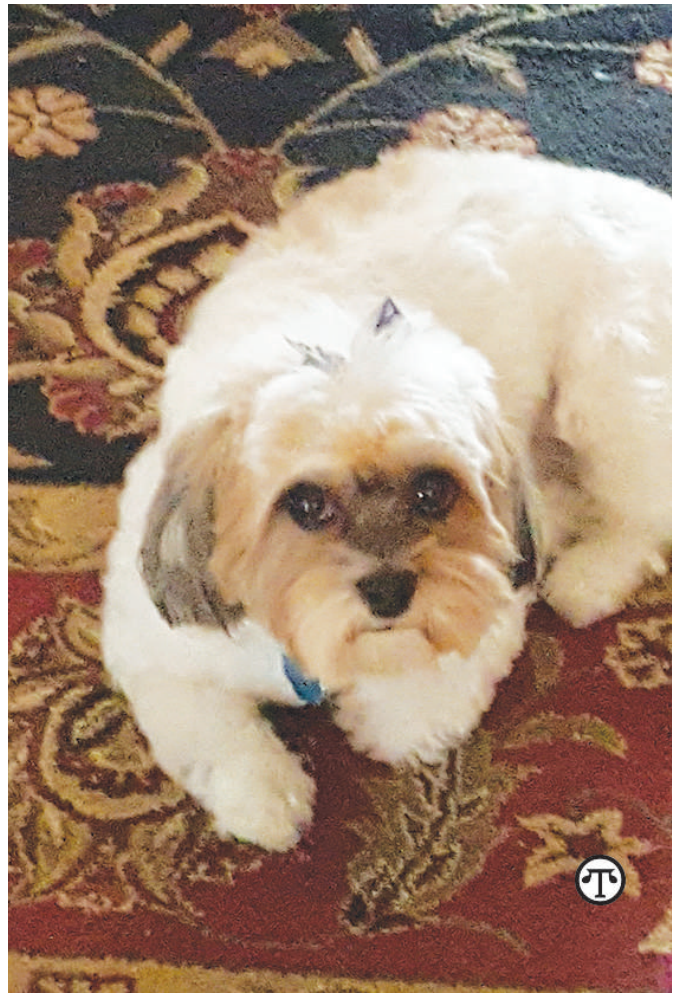
"When Mary called in, I was taken aback with her car and dog being stolen," said the tech expert who answered the call. "I really felt for her. I work at home and my two dogs are at my feet all day."

They pulled up Harrison's account and saw that she had a Hum by Verizon device in her car. Hum is a vehicle diagnostic system from Verizon Connect. It takes the guesswork out of driving with connected car technology, so you can stay in touch with emergency services and your loved ones on the road.

For instance, if Hum detects a crash, it can notify emergency services and send help your way. With Hum's vehicle diagnostics feature you can check your car's health from your phone and detect issues before you go. You can also schedule maintenance reminders and Hum will text or e-mail you when it's time for a tune-up or an oil change. And if your car is stolen, as in Mary's case, Hum can send your car's location to local law enforcement.

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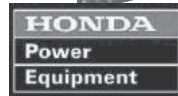
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judge.

• Give riders room to ride, pay attention and drive at safe speeds.

The summer months tend to be the time when there are a greater number of motorcycle fatalities. Speed is the most cited factor in Minnesota single vehicle motorcycle crashes. Preliminary numbers as of July 24th show 31 motorcyclists have died on Minnesota roads in 2018.

You can avoid a ticket — and a crash — if you simply buckle up, drive at safe speeds, pay attention and always drive sober. Help us drive Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths.

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



## CarCare2018

—Where to go to keep you moving—

### 9 Things all drivers need to know about their tires

(StatePoint) Today's cars are packed with impressive features. Stability control. Ride assist. Ever-more-powerful engines. But no matter what technology makes its way into your car -- it's your tires that connect it to the road, making their construction and maintenance critical for safe, effective driving.

So, what do you need to know? The experts at Cooper Tires are offering these helpful insights.

- Valve stems are crucial. Those little caps on the valve help to keep out moisture and dirt, as well as provide an additional seal to the valve core, holding air in the tires and helping maintain tire pressure.



- Check the manual. Proper tire pressure is important for safety, performance and fuel economy, and can extend the life of your tires by reducing the chance of uneven wear. But don't check the tire sidewall for this information. That's where the maximum pressure allowed for the tire is listed. The proper inflation pressure can be found by checking the vehicle's owner's manual or the placard found on the driver's side doorjamb, glove box or fuel door.

- Beware of under-inflation. Even when tires look properly inflated, they may be under-inflated by as much as 50 percent. Under-inflation can lead to tire failure, and tires that are under-inflated by 8 pounds per square inch (PSI) or more can increase your fuel consumption by 4 percent.

- Weather matters. Outside temperature can affect tire pressure more than you might expect. On average, experts say that tire pressure decreases by about 1 PSI for every 10-degree Fahrenheit drop in temperature. The changing seasons are a good reminder to check pressure.

- "All season" tires have limits. "All season" tires are meant for year-round

moderate weather. Install winter tires for dealing with severe winter weather conditions.

- Tread check is easy. Tire tread should be more than 2/32 of an inch deep. Check for this by inserting a penny into the tread with Lincoln's head facing down. If the top of Lincoln's head is covered by tread, there's at least a minimum acceptable amount of tread. If the top of his head is visible at any point around the tire, it's time to replace the tire.

- Off-road adventures require off-road tires. Road tires may be able to handle the occasional jaunt down a gravel driveway or dirt road, but when you're heading off-road

you'll need something more rugged.

- Tires should be checked regularly. Every month and before long road trips, perform this DIY routine: check tire pressure, check tread depth, check the overall condition of the tires for cuts, cracks, splits, punctures, irregular wear and bulges.

- Know the limits of your tires. If you're the type of driver more likely to use the gas pedal than the brake, choose tires designed for high-performance.

### Ask A Trooper: Deer collisions

by Sgt. Troy Christianson,  
MN State Patrol

**Question: What is the procedure if I hit a deer with my vehicle, can I keep it?**

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- Be especially cautious from 6 to 9 p.m., when deer are most active.
- Use high beams as much as possible at night, especially in deer-active areas.
- Motorists: don't swerve to avoid a deer. Swerving can cause motorists to lose control and travel off the road or into oncoming traffic.
- Watch for the reflection of deer eyes and for deer silhouettes on the shoulder of the road. If anything looks slightly suspicious, slow down.

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- Slow down in areas known to have a large deer population — such as areas where roads divide agricultural fields from forest land; and whenever in forested areas between dusk and dawn.

- Deer do unpredictable things — they stop in the middle of the road when crossing; cross and quickly re-cross back; and move toward an approaching vehicle. Blow horn to urge deer to leave the road.

- If a deer is struck but not killed by a vehicle, keep a distance as deer may recover and move on. If a deer does not move on, or poses a public safety risk, report the incident to a DNR conservation officer or other local law enforcement agency.

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### Ask A Trooper: Finding a wallet

by Sgt. Troy Christianson,  
MN State Patrol

**Question: My father found a wallet at a big retail store while on vacation and was concerned about handing it off to the staff there, instead deciding to contact the owner directly. He was eventually pulled over by local PD, with the wallet in hand, and was told he could be brought up on theft charges. What should he have done? His intent, clearly, was to ensure that the staff at the store wasn't going to pocket any cash from the wallet before putting it in their safe, but that's not how the police perceived it.**

**Answer:** He should have turned it over to a supervisor at the store where it was found or reported it to the

local Police Department or Sheriff's Office.

If the wallet had been stolen and discarded where your father found it, it would be considered stolen property. Explaining how and where the wallet was found might clear him as a suspect of possessing stolen property. If further evidence is required, law enforcement could obtain video footage from the store that would support his statement.

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mats. Be sure to vacuum on a regular basis. A clean and orderly interior lets you spot issues in the cabin so you can get them repaired before they get worse.

• Wash the Exterior—Give your car a good wash from top to bottom

using products specifically made for automobiles. Always clean the tires and wheels before washing the body and don't use the same wash-

the scratch.

The Car Care Council is the source of information for the "Be Car Care Aware" consumer education campaign promoting the benefits of regular vehicle care, maintenance and repair

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property in an attempt to find a form of identification that could be used to contact the owner.

If you lose a wallet or purse that contains credit

cards, contact your credit card company to report it missing as soon as possible. Contact your state's Department of Vehicle Services to report your driver's license missing and to request a duplicate license. If the wallet or purse is stolen, report it to your local law enforcement agency. A report will be generated and the items will be returned to you if found.

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# What is a Veteran?

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A Veteran is a one who steps a little faster when he hears a military band.

A Veteran comes from all assorted races, sizes and shapes.

A Veteran is big, small, short and tall.

A Veteran is a "Dough-boy" of World War I, the "G.I." of World War II, Korea, Vietnam and conflicts and wars since.

A Veteran is a Sailor, Soldier, Flyer and Marine.

A Veteran is Artillery, Infantry, Medic, Chemical Engineer, Armored, Ordinance and Corpsman.

A Veteran is a Republican, Democrat and Independent.

A Veteran is a plumb-

er, doctor, salesman, mechanic, farmer, banker and much more.

A Veteran is Catholic, Protestant, Jew.

A Veteran is rich and poor and in between.

A Veteran is one who loves peace because they know the cost of war.

A Veteran is a good citizen and a person who knows the price of freedom.

A Veteran knows that eternal vigilance and preparedness are necessary if freedom is to be preserved.

A Veteran likes the majesty of American mountains, the tranquility of America's valleys and the bustle of America's cities.

A Veteran is proud of their American heritage, alert to their American present and confident of their American future.

A Veteran likes the legends of America's greats - the Washingtons, the Jeffersons, the Lincolns, the Roosevelts, the Trumans, the Robert E. Lees, the Stonewall Jacksons, the Pattons,

the Eisenhowers, the MacArthurs and all the proud patriots who have marched through America's history books.

A Veteran has bivouaced at Valley Forge, charged the hills at Gettysburg, faced the fire at San Juan Hill, stormed the sands of Guadalcanal, sloughed through the Marne, swarmed ashore at Omaha Beach, waded the cold mud of Korea and the steamy jungles of Vietnam, have faced the Scuds of the Persian Gulf and the IEDs of Afghanistan and Iraq.

In the very rear of a Veteran's secret heart there is always a tinge of sorrow, a souvenir of sadness for last and departed comrades.

A Veteran is a first class fighter, a citizen soldier and a peace time leader.

A Veteran is America's most honored citizen and a member of history's most exclusive fraternity.

## 5 Facts to Know About Veterans Day

Nov. 5, 2018 | BY Katie Lange

Veterans Day is a well-known American holiday, but there are also a few misconceptions about it — like how it's spelled or whom exactly it celebrates. To clear some of that up, here are the important facts you should know.

**Veterans Day does NOT have an apostrophe.**

A lot of people think it's "Veteran's Day" or "Veterans' Day," but they're wrong. The holiday is not a day that "belongs" to one veteran or multiple veterans, which is what an apostrophe implies. It's a day for honoring all veterans — so no apostrophe needed.

**Veterans Day is NOT the Same as Memorial Day.**

A lot of Americans get this confused, and we'll be honest — it can be a little annoying to all of the living veterans out there.



Memorial Day is a time to remember those who gave their lives for our country, particularly in battle or from wounds they suffered in battle. Veterans Day honors all of those who have served the country in war or peace — dead or alive — although it's largely intended to thank living veterans for their sacrifices.

It was originally called Armistice Day, commemorating the end of World War I.

World War I officially ended when the Treaty of Versailles was signed on June 28, 1919. However, the fighting ended about seven months before that when the Allies and Germany put into effect an armistice on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month.

For that reason, Nov. 11, 1918, was largely considered the end of "the war to end all wars" and dubbed Armistice Day. In 1926, Congress officially recognized it as the end of the war, and in 1938, it became an official holiday, primarily a day set aside to honor veterans of World War I.

But then World War II and the Korean War happened, so on June 1, 1954, at the urging of veterans service organizations, Congress amended the commemoration yet again by changing the word "armistice" to "veterans" so the day would honor American veterans.

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### VETERAN'S DAY - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2018

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ans of all wars.

For a while, Veterans Day's date was changed, too, and it confused everybody.

Congress signed the Uniform Holiday Bill in 1968 to ensure that a few federal holidays — Veterans Day included — would be celebrated on a Monday. Officials hoped it would spur travel and other fam-

plicable reason, the bill set Veterans Day commemorations for the fourth Monday of every October.

On Oct. 25, 1971, the first Veterans Day under this new bill was held. We're not sure why it took three years to implement, but not surprisingly, there was a lot of confusion about the change, and many states were unhappy, choosing to continue to recognize the day as

citizens wanted to celebrate Veterans Day on Nov. 11, since it was a matter of historic and patriotic significance. So on Sept. 20, 1975, President Gerald Ford signed another law (Public Law 94-97), which returned the annual observance to its original date starting in 1978.

Other countries celebrate it, too, in their own ways.

poppy flowers to honor their war dead. In Australia, the day is more akin to our Memorial Day.

Great Britain calls it "Remembrance Day," too, but observes it on the Sunday closest to Nov. 11 with parades, services and two minutes of silence in London to honor those who lost their lives in war.

Veterans Day Dinner in Fairmont Sunday

To honor our area veterans, Lee C. Prentice American Legion Post #36 of Fairmont will be sponsoring a free chicken dinner to a veteran, and spouse/guest, or spouse of deceased veteran, on Sunday, November 11th.

The event will be limited to the first 100 attendees. Reservations will be required by calling the Blazer Bar & Grill at 238-2349. Pre-reservation priority will be given to veterans first by Friday, November 9th and then the event will be open for public reservation, subject to reservation availability, until Saturday, November 10th. The cost per meal is \$10.

The dinner includes two pieces of chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy and vegetables. Serving time will be from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. at the Blazer Bar & Grill, 95 Downtown Plaza, Fairmont.



World War I was a multinational effort, so it makes sense that our allies also wanted to celebrate their veterans on Nov. 11. The name of the day and the types of commemorations differ, however.

Canada and Australia both call Nov. 11 "Remembrance Day." Canada's observance is pretty similar to our own, except many of its citizens wear red

ily activities over a long weekend, which would stimulate the economy.

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they previously had — in November.

Within a few years, it became pretty apparent that most U.S.

Veterans Day Dinner in Trimont Sunday

Area Veterans Tribute is hosting a Veterans Day Dinner in Trimont this Sunday, November 11th from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. in Trimont.

All area veterans and their spouses are invited to attend the dinner and short program.

An update of the Area Veterans Tribute, which is located in Triumph Memorial Park in Trimont will take place at the dinner.

Americanisms

"A man who is good enough to shed his blood for his country, is good enough to be given a square deal afterwards."

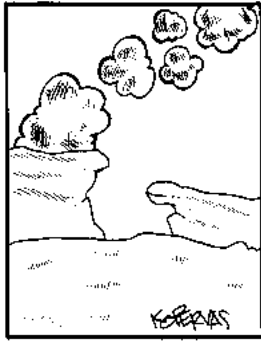
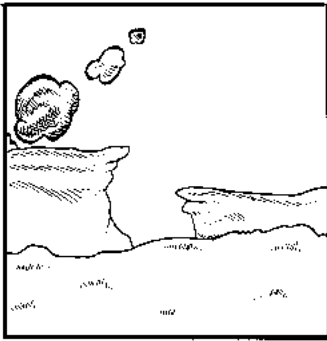
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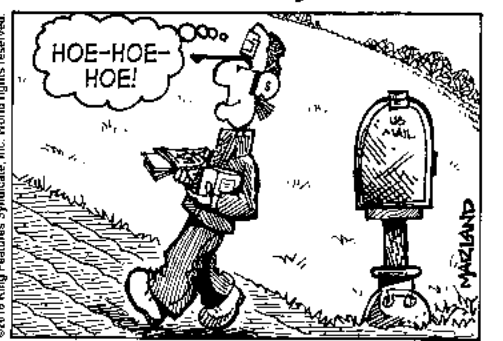
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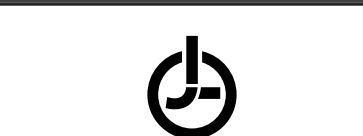
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Rene Kathleen Welchlin to Bonnie J. Vetter, Ramie M. Vetter, PT SW¼NW¼ 32-102-30 and PT NE¼ 31-102-30

Brady John Schmidt to Amanda L. Shumski, Keith Schumski, Lot 13, Block 1, Martin Park 2nd Addition

Ann R. Baca, Leo Baca to Stacy Martinson, W½ Lot

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## UPCOMING AUCTIONS

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2018 @ 7 PM.** - FORMER ESTATE OF VICTOR & MARY ANN ABELSON - 80 acres bare farm land to be sold at Odin, MN Community Center, land located 4 mi. NW of Odin, MN in Sec. 16 of Odin Twp. Watonwan County. Top producer, top soil types. VIC ABELSON REP, DARIN HAUGEN ATT, DAR HALL, KAHLERS, PIKE, HARTUNG & WEDEL AUCTIONEERS

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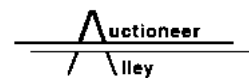
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### Pension Buyout Offer: Annuity or Lump Sum?

If you participate in a pension plan at work, you might be offered a buyout at some point. This could happen if your employer wants to shrink its future pension obligations or if your company has been bought, and your new employer decides to terminate your existing pension plan. In either case, you will likely have two main options: You can take your pension as a lump sum of your ac-

rued benefits, or you can convert it to an annuity, which can be structured to provide you with a lifetime income stream. Which choice is best?

There's no right answer, but here are some factors to consider:

• **Comfort in investing** - If you take your pension as a lump sum, you can invest it yourself - but you'll be solely responsible for making the money last throughout your re-

tirement. To help ensure your lump sum is invested in a way that's appropriate for your goals and risk tolerance, you may want to work with a financial professional.

• **Other sources of retirement income** - If you don't think you will have enough money from other sources - such as Social Security and your investment portfolio - to meet your essential living expenses during retirement, you may want to consider taking your pension funds as a lifetime annuity. (Keep in mind that the lifetime income payments from an annuity are subject to the issuer's ability to meet its commitments.) Conversely, if you think your retirement income will be more than sufficient to meet your living expenses, you could take the lump sum and put it in a mix of investments, some of which could offer long-term growth potential.

• **Projected longevity** - If you come from a long-living family and you are in good health at the time of your pension buyout, you may want to annuitize your pension to provide a source of income you can't outlive. However, if you anticipate a shorter life span, possibly due to your family's medical history, you

might be better off by taking the lump sum.

• **Wealth transfer goals** - You might not be able to transfer a pension's annuity payments to your children or grandchildren. On the other hand, by taking the lump sum and investing it, you might have assets remaining at the time of your death - and you can include these assets in your estate plans.

• **Taxes** - If you take your pension buyout as a lump sum, it will be taxable as ordinary income, unless you roll it over to an IRA or an employer's qualified retirement plan. A direct rollover from your employer's pension plan to your IRA provider won't incur immediate taxes and can allow your investment to grow on a tax-deferred basis. Consult with your tax advisor before making this rollover. (Eventually, you will be taxed on the withdrawals, and withdrawals made before you reach 59 ½ may be subject to a 10% tax penalty.)

It's worth noting that some pension plans may allow you to split your benefit between an annuity and a lump sum, although these plans seem to be in the minority.

Clearly, you'll have much to consider if you're offered a buyout of your pension. So, take your time, evaluate all the factors, and work with your tax, legal and financial professionals to reach the decision that makes the most sense for you.

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Minnesota LLC to Bruce A. Hessler, Lot 3, Block 4, Lake George Addition

Bruce A. Hessler to Karen L. Mussmann, Lot 3, Block 4, Lake George Addition

Linda K. Shaw to Kevin L. Shaw, PT 3.00 AC w/50' easement, NW¼NW¼ 19-103-31

Jeffrey A. Smith to Abby Ehlert, Lot 9, Block 1, Coult & Dixons Subdivision

Jean M. Maday, Thomas J. Maday to Jean M. Maday Revocable Trust, Jean M. Maday Trustee, Thomas J. Maday Trustee, Thomas J. Maday Revocable Trust, PT Lot 9, Block 1, Southgate Fourth Addition

Susan Mulso to Trina Liapis, EXC .17 AC, SW¼NW¼ 8-102-33

Thomas Liapis, Trina Liapis to Susan Mulso, E½ of S½ EXC .01 AC, NW¼ 8-102-33

#### QUIT CLAIM DEEDS

Jane Fritscher to Trina Liapis, PT S½ NW¼ 8-102-33

Troy Baer, Dawn M. Gilbertson, James L. Gilbertson, Charles C. Newville, Chris L. Newville, Darren M. Newville, Diane Newville, Heather Newville, Holly Newville, Michael J. Newville, Wendy L. Newville to Janice M. Newville, Michael I. Newville, Lot 9, Block 4, Lake George Addition

Patricia A. Appeldoorn, Ronald E. Appeldoorn to Patricia Anne Appeldoorn Trustee, Ronald Eugene Appeldoorn Trustee, Appeldoorn Living Trust, EXC PT SW¼ and W½ 9.36 AC of SE¼, 2-104-30

#### CONTRACT FOR DEEDS

Kelly J. Stokes to James L. Johnson, Lot 1, Block 4 and N½ Lot 2, Block 4, Taylor & Johnsons 2nd Addition

Denise Forell, Christiaan Marais, Denise Marais to Gerald Duane Hatfield, PT S½ Lot 2, Cardwells Addition Ceylon

#### TRUSTEE DEED

Debra Harbitz, Susan Mulso, Donald W. Becker Irrevocable Trust to Jane Fritscher, Trina Liapis, EXC .01 AC of SE¼NW¼ and EXC .17 AC of SW¼NW¼, 8-102-33

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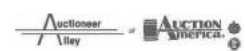
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## Cards Earn Second Consecutive Trip to State



The Class 3AAA #5-ranked section #1-seeded Cardinals defeated the #9-ranked section #2-seeded Jackson County Central 35-18 last Friday night in New Ulm to claim the Section 3AAA crown. It was the second year in a row the Cards defeated the Huskies and the fourth consecutive year they have played them for the title. The Cards led 21-0 after

the first quarter and led 28-6 at the half. With the win the Cards will play Cannon Falls this Saturday at Hopkins High School, 3 p.m. Last year the Cards lost to Jordan in the state quarterfinals 20-13 after defeating them 41-26 during the season. Jordan defeated the Cards 45-26 in the second game of the season this year. The Cards were state runner-ups to St.

Croix Lutheran in 2011, lost to Rochester Lourdes in the quarterfinals in 2013. Other Card appearances in the state tournament include: 1978, 1982, 1989, 1992, and back to back in 1996 & 1997.

The Minnesota State High School League's football state tournament, held annually since 1972, begins this week. Here is a look at the Class AAA matchups for the 2018 state football tournament: The Quarterfinals start Saturday, November 10th. Cannon Falls (5-6) vs. #5-ranked Fairmont (9-1) The Cards vs Cannon Falls winner will play the winner of Perham (8-2) vs. Two Harbors (8-2). Returning champion and Class AAA #1-ranked Pierz (10-0) vs. #6-ranked Annandale (9-1). #8-ranked Jordan (9-1) vs. #2-ranked Rochester Lourdes (11-0). The Semifinals are Saturday, Nov. 17th, 2 p.m., & 4:30 p.m. with the Prep Bowl

Championship Saturday, Nov. 24th 1 p.m. all at U.S. Bank Stadium.

The Cards have 20 seniors on the team and are led by quarterback Garrett Myren. Myren, with a completion average of 59%, has passed for over 1600 yards and 20 TDs. He also has rushed for over 500 yards and 10 TDs. WRs Dustin Schultz, 25 rec - 707 yards - 9 TDs and Hayden Berhow, 23 rec - 282 yards - 4 TDs lead the receiving corp. RB Jordan Wolter has rushed for 649 yards and 7 TDs. The defense is led by leading tacklers Zac Ringnell, 131 tackles, along with Wolter, Dominick Ortiz, Nick Ihate, Myren and Thomas Johnson. Caden Baarts and Schultz lead the team in interceptions. Zac Ringnell will be playing in the 2018 Minnesota All Star game.

The Cards average 34.5 points a game while giving up 16. Their opponent Cannon Falls aver-

ages 26.5 points a game while giving up 22.5. The unranked Bombers, who finished the season 2-6, was the 5th seed in Section 4AAA. They upset Class AAA #4-ranked and #1 seed Breck 36-27 and took out #2-seed St. Croix Lutheran 27-10 to win the Section. RB Logan Hofstedt, who has committed to NDSU, has gained over 1500 yards and scored 18 TDs in the playoffs for the ground oriented Bombers offense. QB Jack Dommeyer has thrown just over 60 times during the season with 5 TDs. Brodie Hansen, Marcus Banks and Hofstedt, with 14 sacks, lead the defense. Cannon Falls only state tournament appearance was in 1996.

Defending champion Pierz returns in search of its third Class AAA championship since 2015. The Pioneers are powered by senior running back Reese Kapsner who has

rushed for nearly 1,500 yards and scored 21 touchdowns. Rochester Lourdes is the only other undefeated team in the field. The Eagles bowed out in the quarterfinals in 2017. Rochester Lourdes won Class AAA championships in 2010, 2014 and 2016. Fairmont and Jordan also are making return trips from last season.

Brackets and results: Posted on the League's website at [www.mshsl.org](http://www.mshsl.org) Social Media: Follow the tournament on the League's Facebook page and on Twitter at @MSHSL and @MSHSL-John. Streaming: School Space Media will stream all quarterfinal and semifinal games. Find the live stream at [www.prepspotlight.tv](http://www.prepspotlight.tv). There is no charge to view the games. The Prep Bowl Championship games will be streamed live and free of charge by 45TV at [www.prep45.com](http://www.prep45.com)

## MSHSL State Cross Country meet results

**Class A Boys results** - 5 Kilometers 176 runners: Winner Geno Uhrbom Greenway Nashwauk Keewatin, 15:38.0; 24th Carson Kahler MCW, 16:37.8; 28th Grant Strukel Blue Earth Area, 16:42.9; 116th William Saari Fairmont, 17:39.8.



Marissa Whitehead

**Class A Girls results** - 5 Kilometers 175 runners: Winner Grace Ping Cotter 17:19.4; 34th Laura Thompson Fairmont, 19:47.1; 64th Sarah Krumholz Fairmont, 20:09.4; 84th Marissa Whitehead MCW, 20:27.3.



Carson Kahler



Sarah Krumholz (left) and Laura Thompson



William Saari (Photos Courtesy of Greg Abel)



(L to R): Abram Sanchez, Malachi Anderson, Matt Anderson and Joe Gerken represented the Fairmont Area High School boys soccer program at the Section 2A All-Star soccer game in Marshall last Saturday. (Photos Courtesy of Ruth Anderson)

## 2018-19 Season Card Girls Tennis Awards

The Fairmont Cardinal Girls Tennis program has announced their 2018-19 season awards.

MVP: Brittany Bass  
Most Improved Player: Lauren Davis  
Cardinal Award: Sydney Hainy  
All Conference: Claire Nemmers  
All Conference Honorable Mention: Sydney Hainy, Brittany Bass, Lau-

ren Green, Maggy Totzke  
Academic All-State: Sydney Hainy, Brittany Bass, Natalie Abel

**End of the Season Junior Varsity Tournament Results**

1st Place: Shannon Green  
2nd Place: Emily Hagen  
3rd Place: Ellie Hernes  
4th Place: Madison Northwick  
5th Place: Izzy Munsch



Lauren Davis



Natalie Abel



Sydney Hainy



Brittany Bass



Claire Nemmers



Mikayla Stradtman, Jenna Lee Gustafson and Grace Higgins of Fairmont were among the many senior girls that were chosen by coaches in Section 2A to play in the All-Star soccer game held in Marshall last Saturday. Fun was had by all despite the rain. (Photos Courtesy of Tari Stradtman)



**TOUCHDOWN CELEBRATION** - Cardinals Dustin Schultz, who caught two TD passes, celebrates his touchdown catch with quarterback Garrett Myren. The Class 3AAA #5-ranked section #1-seeded Cardinals defeated the #9-ranked section #2-seeded Jackson County Central 35-18 last Friday night in New Ulm. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*



**SIDELINE SPRINT** - Cards Jordan Wolter races past Jackson County Central's Parker Benda. Wolter scored on a 72-yard run and a 42-yard pass reception in the Cardinals victory over the Huskies. It's the second year in a row that the Cards have defeated the Huskies in the section championship game. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*



<b>2018 FAIRMONT CARDINALS</b>	
8/30	BEA 41-12 W
9/7	Jordan 26-45 L
9/14	Waseca 26-21 W
9/21	Tri-City-United 45-21 W
9/28	Albert Lea 29-22 W
10/5	Worthington 36-6 W
10/12	Belle Plaine 34-0 W
10/17	New Ulm 56-0 W

**South Central Red District  
Co-Champions**

SECTION 3AAA SEMI-FINAL	
11/2	St. Peter 21-12 W
SECTION 3AAA CHAMPIONSHIP	
11/10	Jackson CC 35-18 W



# GOOD LUCK AT STATE

NEW STATE TRIST SCHEDULE  
CHAMPS 35-20-18  
1 QTR 10-0 2 QTR 10-0 3 QTR 10-0 4 QTR 10-0  
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# SECTION 3AAA CHAMPIONS

CARDS (9-1) vs Cannon Falls (5-6)  
11/10 3PM Hopkins  
Perham (8-2) vs Two Harbors (8-2)  
11/10 3PM Brainerd

2018 STATE 3AAA  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
11/24 1PM  
U.S. Bank Stadium

STATE 3AAA  
SEMI-FINAL  
11/17 2:00 PM  
U.S. Bank Stadium

Pierz (10-0) vs Annandale (9-1)  
11/10 5 PM St. Cloud  
Jordan (9-1) vs Roch. Lourdes (11-0)  
11/10 12 PM Hopkins

## SECTION 2A RUNNER-UPS

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## STATE OLASSA CROSS COUNTRY

Laura Thompson 34th 19:47.1  
Will Saari 116th 17:39.8  
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