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RAISE THE ROOF



Jean Nordine/Daily Globe

THIS SCAFFOLDING has held up the Wesley United Methodists Church roof for over one year. It will soon come down as the truss replacement is near completion.

Wesley United Methodist Church roof project continues, services return Sept 2

By JEAN NORDINE

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IRONWOOD — After 117 years of U.P. winters the Wesley United Methodist Church's roof was on the verge of collapsing.

When the church was built in 1910 with old growth timber, the trusses were not adequately reinforced which eventually led to a crack in the roof.

Over the years the weight of snow build up made the crack travel the length of the roof.

Last fall the members of the church knew that something had to be done, but weren't sure how to begin.

An inspector came in and told them that the building was unsafe for occupancy and the roof could cave in at any time.

In order to save the roof, scaffolding had to be erected. It began in the basement, going through the floor and then continued through the ceiling into the attic, resulting in over 60 feet of scaffolding holding up the roof.

The next phase of the project was to determine how it could be fixed. Usually a roof is removed and cranes

are used to put new trusses in place. This was not a feasible option since winter was fast approaching and the cost was too high.

Northland Consulting Engineers came up with a novel plan to build the trusses on site, something they had never done before.

Over this past winter the plans were laid out, funding was acquired and the huge undertaking began in earnest this April.

A hole was made in the roof in order to bring the huge 60 foot beams into the attic. Eight main trusses were assembled in the attic and installed. The smaller trusses were also reinforced so they will not bow.

The trusses are on schedule to be fully installed within two weeks. After which the congregation expects it will take at least a month to clean the entire building.

During construction services have been held at the Presbyterian church. Gary Harrington, Wesley's admin council chairman said the congregation will return to Wesley Methodist Church for services beginning on Sept. 2.

Brother's battle brings Navy fireman home

By JAN TUCKER

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ONTONAGON — While Ontonagon native Lowell Valley is coming home to be buried Saturday after 77 years since he was killed on Pearl Harbor Day, it was not achieved without a fight, often with his own government.

Valley, a Navy fireman, was killed during the attack on the USS Oklahoma on Dec. 7, 1941. The fight to identify the remains of Valley and others on the Oklahoma was fought by his brother, Bob Valley, and the USS Oklahoma Family Inc.

"We were fighting everybody, the Navy, the Army and Veterans Administration," Bob Valley said.

Bob Valley and the families knew from historical records that their loved ones were in grave P-1002 in what was called the Punchbowl. Again in 2002, there was enough convincing evidence to the Joint POW/MIA accounting Command, where records showed one of the men on the Oklahoma was buried there.

After five years passed, with no identification made by JPAC from grave P-1002, one family member in February 2008 contacted Bob Valley of the USS Oklahoma Family asking him if he could begin the search for the families of the 27 men whose names could be attached to their unidentified remains. It was a challenging search, since many of the family

members were deceased.

Relatives of 26 of the 27 men were located and were asked to get involved and write to JPAC and contact their Congress representatives. They were asked to provide DNA samples to JPAC.

Then came the long struggle to get the government to agree to the testing.

Valley wrote to Sen. Carl Levin, chair of the Senate Committee on Armed Services. Valley was told JPAC was inundated with samples and additional exhumations would be premature.

In April 2008, the families were told the remains in that grave were commingled it would require extensive DNA testing.

In September 2008, a letter to Levin stated 46 individuals were represented in the casket and updates would be provided by 2009.

By December 2008, the jurisdiction for the unknown remains, still in the ground at the Punchbowl was transferred to the Secretary of the Navy.

On April 1, 2009, a letter-writing campaign began. Letters to the Navy, Congress members and Navy officials continued and in July 2009 the families were told "that individually identifying is much more complex than originally believed."

The families were told

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Gogebic County joins suit for PILT money

By RALPH ANSAMI

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BESSEMER — Gogebic County has joined a class action lawsuit for the past three fiscal years, seeking additional payments from the federal government for payments in lieu of taxes.

After Wednesday's county board meeting, county treasurer Lisa Hewitt noted the county receives about \$600,000 annually in PILT money, so

the suit could mean a great deal to the county.

The suit seeks to recover money the county is owed for the past three years.

The county was required to join the suit by Sept. 14.

Kane County, Utah, originally contended the government has been

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Additional charge added in escaped inmate case

By RICHARD JENKINS

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BESSEMER — The inmate who escaped from the Gogebic County Jail last summer, and who later had his sentence overturned, is now facing an additional charge related to the June 2017 escape.

Gogebic County Prosecutor Nick Jacobs recently

charged Daniel Gerald Ferguson, 27, of Mercer, Wis., with a third breaking and entering a building with intent to commit larceny charge.

With the latest charge Ferguson is facing three breaking and entering

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HURLEY TRAILHEAD



Richard Jenkins/Daily Globe

IRON COUNTY Outdoor Recreation Enthusiasts board members Mike Fauerbach and Bob Traczyk recently installed a new sign, shown here Wednesday, at the Hurley trailhead between Second Avenue and the Montreal River. ICORE is holding a fundraiser Saturday at Cary Park to raise funds for continued trail and trailhead development.

Iron County non-motorized trail fundraiser planned

By RICHARD JENKINS

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HURLEY — Iron County Outdoor Recreation Enthusiasts and other trail advocates in Iron County continue to work to develop the non-motorized trail between Hurley and Montreal, with a fundraiser planned Saturday at Cary Park in Hurley.

ICORE will have brats, hot dogs, salad and cold drinks at Cary Park, according to Iron County's University of Wisconsin-Extension community educator Amy Nosal, starting at noon Saturday.

Along with the food, the fundraiser invites people to ride from Cary Park to the Montreal River trailhead in

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Wednesday		Today's records	
High	82	High	103 (1936)
Low	58	Low	38 (1976)
Year ago today		Precipitation	
High	79	24 hours to 7 a.m.	none
Low	55	Wednesday	

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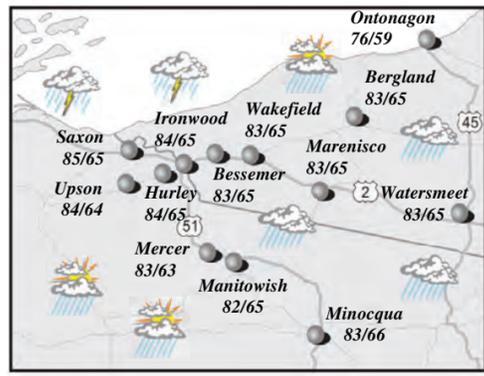
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FIVE-DAY FORECAST FOR IRONWOOD

TODAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY
T-storms Likely	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Scattered T-storms	Chance Showers
84° 65°	82° 63°	80° 67°	82° 60°	76° 58°
Winds: 9-15 mph SSW	Winds: 3-6 mph W	Winds: 5 mph SSE	Winds: 9 mph SSW	Winds: 9 mph W



LOCAL OUTLOOK

Today we will see mostly cloudy skies with an 85% chance of showers and thunderstorms, high temperature of 84°, humidity of 72%. South southwest wind 9 to 15 mph. The record high temperature for today is 103° set in 1936.

SUN AND MOON

Sunrise..... 5:19 a.m.
 Sunset..... 8:52 p.m.
 Moonrise..... 4:49 a.m.
 Moonset..... 8:34 p.m.

Ontonagon EDC hears concerns regarding biofuel plant SynSel

By JAN TUCKER
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ONTONAGON — The Ontonagon County Economic Development Corporation Wednesday heard the three pronged approach being pursued by SynSel Corporation, the new biofuel company to be located in Ontonagon.

Pat Tucker, a member of the EDC and owner of the former mill site where the biofuel facility will be located, said the three pronged approach concerns are the railroad, the airport and dredging of the lake port in Ontonagon.

Tucker said John Larkin, owner of the E&LS Railroad which was torn out in Ontonagon, is sending a plane for him today to discuss the return of the rails to Ontonagon. He said Larkin wants to bring the rails back and in addition to Tucker will meet with bankers and consultants about the issue. Tucker said Scott Roehm and EDC member Tom Poisson will go with him to the Escanaba meeting. Tucker added, "I thought this issue would be the hardest and it may turn out to be the easiest."

The importance of the dredging of the Ontonagon harbor was discussed by the group. EDC President Sue Preiss, said that the U.S. Corps of Engineers has authorized \$1.5 million for full dredging in the Ontonagon Harbor to be used next spring. Tucker



Pat Tucker

cited the importance of finding out the exact name of the person in the corps with the ultimate responsibility for making sure the money for dredging is there in the spring. He cautioned that sometimes when emergency funds are needed, the corps moves the funds from one place to another. "That cannot happen here," he said, explaining that just before the meeting he met with a party interested in shipping into the harbor next year. Last year several ships tried to use the harbor to unload materials and could not get through a sand bar.

He explained "I can start work on this again, but will need a "solid commitment" on the dredging funds. I want to deal with a real person who has that commitment, and I will need it as soon as possible to assure shippers it will be done in the spring."

The third issue, the expansion of the Ontonagon Airport runway, is also being worked on. Tucker said some of the officials of SynSel wanted to fly into Ontonagon this

past weekend. Tucker added on Monday and Tuesday he met with the owners of the biofuel technology and the engineering company designated to design the plant in Ontonagon. He continued the license for the technology is being drafted this week and once approved the design engineer will be on the front end of the project.

He said from the front end of technology, engineering, site work, and building it would be from 3-1/2 or 4 years from beginning to end. He did add that the actual building could be started during some of the engineering stage.

EDC member Skip Schulz asked the EDC to go on record asking the Ontonagon Road Commission to refuse the request of the owner of the Caledonia Mine to abandon a portion of the Caledonia Road. Schulz wanted to carry the resolution to a hearing of the issue before the Ontonagon County Road Commission shortly after the EDC meeting. He explained his reason that it would hurt the long time ORV trail. Tucker said he was uncomfortable voting on the issue without hearing both sides, but moved the EDC ask the road commission to consider other solutions. Te Baird agreed and Schulz was asked to convey this to the commission.

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Yesterday
 High temperature..... 82
 Low temperature..... 58
 Precipitation..... 0.00"

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REGIONAL WEATHER

	Today	Fri.
Ashland	86/67 pc	85/70 mc
Duluth	85/64 t	83/65 pc
Eau Claire	86/67 pc	88/73 s
Escanaba	74/67 t	81/65 t
Grand Rapids	88/68 pc	87/72 pc
Green Bay	87/71 t	85/69 t
Madison	86/69 pc	84/70 t
Marquette	80/66 sh	79/63 sh
Rhineland	82/67 sh	84/65 t
St. Paul	89/70 t	83/72 sh
Wausau	86/68 t	83/65 t

NATIONAL WEATHER

	Today	Fri.
Chicago	88/72 pc	93/75 pc
Dallas	94/77 t	96/78 t
Kansas City	99/78 s	97/80 pc
Los Angeles	87/71 pc	85/70 fg
New York	82/68 s	79/72 s
Orlando	93/76 t	91/78 t
Phoenix	101/86 t	104/88 pc
Seattle	80/59 s	76/61 s

Weather (Wx): cl/cloudy; fl/furries; pc/partly cloudy; mc/mostly cloudy; ra/rain; rs/rain & snow; s/sunny; sh/showers; sn/snow; ss/snow showers; t/thunderstorms; w/windy

LOCAL UV INDEX



0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure

WEATHER TRIVIA

What is a heat burst?



Answer: It is air that is forced downward in a thunderstorm and heated by compression.

Wakefield School Board discusses safety upgrades

WAKEFIELD — The Wakefield-Marenisco School Board discussed staffing and a few summer building projects at a special Monday meeting.

Three new doors will be installed on the south side of the school later this summer. The board voted to install keyless entry on the three doors. The keyless entry will use cards, rather than keys, said superintendent Jason Gustafson.

"Cards can be more easily regulated than keys, and will allow administration to monitor more carefully who is entering the building during non-school hours. The access cards can also be programmed to allow access to the building during specific time periods. The access cards can be shut off if the card is lost, or if an employee terminates employment with the district," he said.

The school board voted to install 17 security cameras inside the school, and three cameras in the parking lot. The cameras will be able to be viewed by administration from any device, inside or outside the school, which has internet

access. Gustafson said, "The safety of our students and staff will always be my top priority."

Board member Marg Lynott added, "You can never be too cautious when it comes to the safety of our students."

The school board voted to replace the floor in the school's lunchroom. "The current floor is showing its age and is becoming a tripping hazard," Gustafson said. The board approved a bid for a poured epoxy floor which will save on maintenance costs.

Board president Brad Dalbec read two letters of resignation. Laura Ahonen, a Great Start Readiness Program classroom aide, and Bridget Wendt, K-12 art teacher, have both accepted new teaching positions outside of the district. Both letters were accepted by the school board with regret. Both were recognized by the board for their years of service.

The next board meeting will be on Monday, July 23, at 5 p.m. in the board room.

Hurley council hears update on blight fight

By RALPH ANSAMI
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HURLEY — Hurley Police Chief Chris Colassaco told the city council Tuesday progress is being made in fighting blight in the city.

Colassaco said 35 notices were sent out to homeowners about two months ago to clean up their properties and while most have responded, "10 or 12 tough ones are left."

Those who don't comply with the notices will be sent city blight citations, as in the past, Colassaco said.

He also said two or three eyesore garages have been demolished in the city and an abandoned house on Seventh Avenue has been purchased by a private party and the city will work with the new owner there.

Colassaco also told city council mem-

bers he has narrowed the field of candidates for a police officer position to two. They will be interviewed and their backgrounds will be checked before a decision is made, he said.

In other business Tuesday, Mayor Paul Mullard praised city workers for their response to the recent flooding. He publicly thanked Iron County Emergency Management Director Stacy Ofstad for his assistance in the flood response.

The council Tuesday adopted an updated Iron County multi-jurisdictional hazard mitigation plan in cooperation with the Northwest Regional Planning Commission. It is needed to receive funding from the Federal Emergency Management Agency's many grant programs.

The plan must be updated every five years.

Good Charlotte to headline benefit concert for 5 slain

NEW YORK (AP) — The city of Annapolis will hold a benefit concert featuring Maryland-bred rockers Good Charlotte to honor the five Capital Gazette employees killed in an attack in their newsroom.

Mayor Gavin Buckley said Wednesday the event dubbed "Annapolis Rising: A Benefit for The Capital Gazette and Free Press" will take place July 28 and will include performances, as well as guest speakers from the journalism community.

Information on tickets will be available at a later date. Proceeds will benefit a fund established for the victims and survivors, as well as journalism scholarships.

Police say gunman Jarrod Ramos, who had a grudge against the newspaper, blasted his way into the Annapolis newsroom on June 28, killing John McNamara, Wendi Winters, Rob Hiaasen, Rebecca Smith and Gerald Fischman. Ramos remains jailed on five counts of first-degree murder.

Good Charlotte, which includes twin brothers Joel and Benji Madden, said in an interview they are proud to return to their roots to pay tribute to the community.

"I feel everything starts at home, it starts in your community and this is the



Associated Press

BENJI MADDEN, left, and his twin brother Joel Madden of the band Good Charlotte Tuesday in Burbank, Calif. The city of Annapolis, Md. will hold a benefit concert on July 28 featuring the Maryland-based band to honor the five Capital Gazette employees killed in an attack in their newsroom.

place in Maryland that we come from. This is the place we go back to. We feel very, very deeply connected to Annapolis and it's a very important place to us. It's very important for us to show up for the city," Joel Madden told The Associated Press.

"If we can help support an event that will be uplifting for the families of the victims and the tragedy as a whole, it feels really important to be a part of that," Benji Madden added.

The 39-year-old Madden brothers, who currently live in Los Angeles, were born in Waldorf, Maryland. Good Charlotte released its self-titled album in 2000 and launched hits like "Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous" and "Dance Floor Anthem."

The punk-pop performers say they remember going to Annapolis at 18 to pursue their music careers.

"Everyone helped us out. We didn't have anything. We went there with nothing. And we wanted to make it with our music and that was the town that supported us," Joel Madden recalled. "All of the local bars ... they hired us to play gigs, they gave us jobs, we worked as bar backs, we worked as waiters and bussers. We played our

music at night. We went around the town and we were given opportunities to not only to play our music, but to live. The town really took care of us. Everyone there looked after us. It became home."

Benji Madden added that the Capital Gazette is "such a big pillar in the Annapolis community, really supporting their community and all of the different facets, whether its sports, art (or) local businesses. It's really a tight-knit community."

"It feels really special to us. It's rare to find that kind of community," he added.

The benefit concert will take place from a stage on College Avenue with the Maryland State House in the background.

Buckley, who became mayor of Annapolis last year, said "this horrible tragedy cannot be forgotten."

"Sadly, our country's attention will soon shift from this event that has forever changed our city. We will not stand by and allow the memory of these slain journalists to be forgotten. We also stand up for our journalists and our freedom of the press and this concert is just one step in that direction," he said in a statement.

Saturday, July 21st
8:30 a.m.
Ironwood Depot Park

18

Race includes 5 Mile Run or 2 Mile Run/Walk

Entry fees: \$21 for entrants 20 years and older, \$19 for entrants 19 years. Includes race T-shirt! (\$2 discount for all U.P. Road Runner Club members.)

Awards presented in both races to the top two male and female finishers in each age category. Numerous door prizes will also be awarded.

Race forms available at Aspirus Ironwood Hospital, Main Street Fitness and the Ironwood Chamber of Commerce or on the web at www.aspirus.org in the Program and Events section.

Post office offers tips on dog bite prevention

IRONWOOD — A dog might be a man's best friend, but is it a letter carrier's?

With summer still in season, the warm weather invites situations when a dog can be potentially dangerous, and in recent weeks, local letter carriers have been bitten by dogs.

"That's why we need to deliver an important message about dog bite prevention," said Ironwood Officer In Charge, Mary Beth Hellen. "Several of our letter carriers know first-hand about the prevention and the pain of animal attacks, and we want to help educate the community — especially parents and pet owners."

More than 4.5 million people are bitten annually by dogs.

Last year, nearly 5,000 letter

carriers were bitten by dogs across the country. At Ironwood Post Office, there have been over ten dog incidents within the last year.

These numbers pale in comparison to the more than 2 million children who received dog bite injuries in a single year.

The American Veterinary Medical Association and the American Academy of Pediatrics report that small children, the elderly, and letter carriers, in that order, are the most frequent victims of dog bites.

Children are the majority of victims and are 900 times more likely to be bitten than letter carriers.

"Dog attacks are the most commonly reported childhood

public health problem in the United States," adds Hellen. "Dog bite victims account for up to 5 percent of emergency room visits."

The following tips will help people avoid being bitten by a dog and offer advice on how to be a responsible dog owner.

How to Avoid Being Bitten

- Don't run past a dog. The dog's natural instinct is to chase and catch you. If a dog threatens you, don't scream. Avoid eye contact. Try to remain motionless until the dog leaves, and then back away slowly until the dog is out of sight.
- Don't approach a strange dog, especially one that's teth-

ered or confined.

- While letter carriers are discouraged from petting animals, people who choose to pet dogs should always let a dog see and sniff them before petting the animal.

- If you believe a dog is about to attack you, try to place something between yourself and the dog, such as a backpack or a bicycle.

How to Be a Responsible Dog Owner

- Obedience training can teach dogs proper behavior and help owners control their dog in any situation.

- When the letter carrier comes to your home, keep your dog inside, away from the door,

in another room, or on a leash.

- Dogs can be protective of their territory and may interpret the actions of letter carriers as a threat.

- Please take precautions when accepting mail in the presence of your pet.

- Spay or neuter your dog. Neutered dogs are less likely to bite. Humane Society of the United States statistics reflect that dogs that have not been spayed or neutered are up to three times more likely to be involved in a biting incident than neutered or spayed dogs.

- Dogs that haven't been properly socialized, receive little attention or handling, or are left tied up for long periods of time frequently turn into biters.

Friday the 13th lucky for lottery players

LANSING — Don't tell Michigan Lottery players that Friday the 13th is an unlucky day.

The Mega Millions game has been particularly lucky for Lottery players on Friday the 13th. Since 2003, Lottery players have won more than \$171 million in jackpots from Friday the 13th drawings.

Four Michigan Lottery players hit Mega Millions jackpots on the supposedly unluckiest of days. The most

recent winner, Kevin Blake, of Waterford, split a \$42 million jackpot with a Rhode Island player on Oct. 13, 2017.

Blake chose to receive the \$21 million jackpot as a one-time lump sum of about \$13.1 million, rather than annuity payments for the full amount. After tax withholdings, he received about \$9.3 million.

In addition to the jackpot prizes, 32 lucky players have won prizes ranging from \$10,000 up to \$1 million.

Mega Millions drawings take place each Tuesday and Friday evening. Each Mega Millions play is only \$2. For an additional \$1 per play, players have the opportunity to add a "Megaplier" that can multiply non-jackpot prizes by up to five times.

Mega Millions tickets for the drawing may be purchased online at MichiganLottery.com and at the Lottery's 11,000 retailers around the state until 10:45 p.m. Friday.

Superior Health Foundation offering grants for indigent care

MARQUETTE — The Superior Health Foundation is now accepting grant proposals for the Indigent Care Fund.

At its July board meeting, the SHF Board of Directors voted to expend \$25,000 in SHF dollars to "kick start" the Indigent Care Fund.

SHF will provide grants to health-centered, non-profit organizations across the Upper Peninsula who have indigent care needs. The maximum grant award will be \$5,000.

The mission of the Indigent Care Fund is to provide for otherwise unmet medical needs of the indigent residents of the Upper Peninsula.

Grants will not be made to individuals. Rather, grants will be awarded to tax-exempt organizations under

section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code or other public health agencies eligible to receive disbursements from the Foundation in compliance with 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Donations are restricted to those residents who adjusted gross income is less than two hundred percent (200 percent) of the federal poverty level for the resident's family size.

"Earlier this spring, the Superior Health Foundation was the proud recipient of \$1.2 million in funding from the former Medical Care Access Coalition," said Jim LaJoie, executive director of the Superior Health Foundation. "We're honored to accept and steward these dollars. The funds have been invested in the market, with

investment earnings to provide grant funding in future years.

"The SHF board recommended, and I concur, that we expend \$25,000 in Foundation funds to launch the Indigent Care Fund this fall. There are many needs across the Upper Peninsula and this serves as a terrific way to launch the fund and help those in need."

The foundation will announce the recipients at its Fall Grants Program, scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 24, at the Holiday Inn in Marquette.

To submit an on-line application, visit the SHF home page at superiorhealthfoundation.org. For more information, call 906-225-3431 or email shf@superiorhealthfoundation.org.

HIDDEN FAWN



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THIS FAWN was found in a Bessemer back yard by a photographer who did not wish to be identified.

Briefs

Wakefield library hosts class tonight at park

WAKEFIELD — Where do we hear sounds in nature? What makes those sounds? Find out at the Wakefield Public Library's Program in the Park "Nature Rocks!" on July 12 at 6 p.m. at the John Siira Pavilion.

Through fun activities and exercises, Licia from the North Lakeland Discovery Center will help you to learn to identify and make many of the sounds that surround us when we are out in the natural world. From the wolf howl to the sound of wind, explore nature through your sense of hearing. Make and take a musical instrument home with you!

Those who come can bring S'more making supplies to create some S'mores at the Community Fire Pit in Eddy Park after the program. This event is free and open to all. In case of inclement weather the program will be held at the Wakefield Municipal Building. For more information, call 906-229-5236.

Garden Walk to be held in Minocqua

MINOCQUA, Wis. — The Lakeland Gardeners will host their 15th Annual Garden Walk and Ice Cream Social Saturday, July 21, from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Participants are invited to tour a variety of private home gardens, as well as visit the Seasons of Life Garden, a public space located on the beautiful grounds of the Seasons of Life Hospice Home, which is designed and maintained by the Lakeland Gardeners in memory of individuals who have died. All proceeds from the Garden Walk benefit this special garden, helping to continue the maintenance and expansion of the project. Tickets are available for adults and discounted for children aged 16 and under, and are available at Minocqua area garden centers.

For more information, call Ascension At Home - Dr. Kate Hospice at 800-234-3542.

Art walk scheduled

MINOCQUA, Wis. — The Lakeland Area Kiwanis Club announces that Island Art Walk is coming on July 14 to Torpy Park, Hwy 51 in Minocqua, and will host an expected 50-60 artisans and crafters in the park from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. that day.

This show draws vendors from as far away as Florida, Texas and surrounding Midwestern States. The show is a juried show. This year's walk will again take place between the Torpy Park show and the Campanile Center for the Arts where the Campanile Center will have ½ hour demos on various art forms from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. and a LUHS student display of pottery from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. that day.

Michigan families reunite with relatives' lost Purple Hearts

GRAND RAPIDS (AP) — Three Michigan families have been returned a missing relic their deceased relatives earned while fighting in World War II: their Purple Heart medals.

The three medals were given to their rightful owners Tuesday during a ceremony in Grand Rapids. The organization Purple Hearts Reunited coordinated the return of the long lost medals to the families of Army Staff Sgt. Marinum Gillesse, and Pvts. James Nameth Jr. and Clayton Richard.

Gillesse was wounded in action and died in 2003, and Nameth and Richard were both killed in action. Gillesse's brother, William Gillesse, accepted the medals with Nameth's niece, Michelle Nameth McNulty, and Richard's nephew, Dennis Richard.

Purple Hearts Reunited tracked down the medals and purchased them off Ebay, Etsy and from a private collector. The nonprofit says it's returned 450 medals since 2012.

Community calendar

Email calendar items and community news to news@yourdailyglobe.com. For more information, call 906-932-2211.

Thursday, July 12

Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Hemlock Av. tennis courts, if raining, Ironwood Memorial Building.

"Rocks & Minerals", 10 a.m., Mercer Public Library.

Gogebic County Veterans Service Officer, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Wakefield City Hall; 1-2 p.m., Watersmeet Township; 2:45-3:15 p.m., Marenisco Township. 906-667-1110.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

Strong Bones exercise class, 1:00 p.m., Mercer Community Center.

Grief Support Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m., Dr. Kate Hospice office, 1571 U.S. 51 North in Arbor Vitae.

ReGeneration Youth, 5:30-6:45 p.m., ages 10-11; Relentless Youth, 7-9 p.m., ages 12-18; Lighthouse Faith Center, Ironwood.

U.P. English, Eh?, Lecture, 6 p.m., Ironwood Carnegie Library.

"Nature Rocks!" 6 p.m., John Siira Pavilion, Sunday Lake Park, Wakefield.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 6:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, Hurley. area74.org.

Klassic Cruisers Car Club, 6:30 p.m., Lindquist Student Center, Ironwood.

Ironwood Masonic Lodge 389, 7:30 p.m., at the Masonic building.

Government Bessemer Housing Commission, 8 a.m., Executive Director's Office, 709 West Iron Street, Bessemer.

Iron County Extension Education Committee, 10:30 a.m., North Lakeland Discovery Center.

Bessemer Downtown Development Authority, noon, DDA room, City Hall.

Iron County Economic Development Committee, 5 p.m., board room, courthouse.

Ironwood Parks and Recreation Committee, 5:30 p.m., meeting, Conference Room 1, second floor, Memorial Building, Ironwood.

Gogebic County Transit board of directors, 6:30 p.m., transit facility.

Gogebic Range Water Authority, 6:30 p.m., Bessemer Township Hall, Ramsay.

Friday, July 13

Coffee With A Cop, Uptown Cafe, 8 a.m.

GOISD Special Education activity, Lake Superior scavenger hunt, 8 a.m., meet at L.L. Wright High School.

"Saving Our Lakes and

Rivers" meeting, 9 a.m.-noon, Nicolet College, Rhinelander.

Red Cross Blood Drive, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Hurley Elementary School.

Mercer Cribbage, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Mercer Senior Center.

Double Trouble, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Serenity Center, Ironwood.

Mercer Food Pantry, noon-1 p.m., Railroad Street, Mercer, Wis. Emergencies: 715-476-7655.

Alcoholics Anonymous/Al-Anon, noon, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

Carnegie Day at the Farmer's Market, 4 p.m., Depot Park.

Harbortown AA, 7:30 p.m. EDT, Ontonagon United Methodist Church basement, next to Holiday gas station, Ontonagon. area74.org.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

Government Ironwood City Election Commission, 11:45 a.m., Assessor's Office, Ironwood Memorial Building.

Saturday, July 14

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

Community Pickleball Paddlers, 2-5 p.m., Mercer School gymnasium. 715-776-4588.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

Sunday, July 15

Alcoholics Anonymous, 1 p.m., closed meeting, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood.

Mercer Health and Wellness Pickleball, 3-6 p.m., Mercer Community Center.

Narcotics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Wesley United Methodist Church, Ironwood.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., Sharon Lutheran Church, Bessemer. area74.org.

Monday, July 16

Gogebic County Human Services Agency Board, 9 a.m., Gogebic County Medical Care Facility, Wakefield.

Iron County Food Pantry, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 72 Michigan Ave., Montreal, 715-561-4450.

Gogebic-Ontonagon Community Action Agency food commodity distribution, seniors, 9 a.m.-noon, 100 Mill St., Bessemer. 906-667-0283.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

Rocks and Minerals pro-

gram, 1 p.m., Ironwood Carnegie Library.

Strong Bones exercise class, 1 p.m., Mercer Community Center.

Overeaters Anonymous, 5 p.m., All Saints Lutheran Church, Wakefield.

Adult Poetry Group, 5:30 p.m., Ironwood Carnegie Library.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 6 p.m., Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

Harbortown AA, 7:30 p.m. EDT, Ontonagon United Methodist Church basement, next to Holiday gas station, Ontonagon. area74.org.

Government Bessemer Housing Commission, 8:30 a.m., executive director's office, 709 W. Iron St., Bessemer.

Gogebic County Family Department of Human Services Board, 9 a.m., Gogebic County Medical Care Facility, Wakefield.

Wakefield-Marenisco School Board, 5 p.m., school board room, Wakefield.

Hurley School Board, 5:30 p.m., Hurley High School library.

Bessemer City Council, 6 p.m., city hall.

Ironwood School Board, 6 p.m., Luther L. Wright K-12 School board room.

Watersmeet Township School Board, 6:30 p.m., media center, Watersmeet School.

Tuesday, July 17

Iron-Gogebic Integrated Family Services, 9-10:30 a.m., Iron County Courthouse, Hurley. 906-663-4045 or 715-561-2191.

Gogebic-Ontonagon Community Action Agency food commodity distribution, 9-10 a.m., Pioneer Park Apartments, Ironwood. 906-932-4200.

Wisconsin Veterans Employment Services Representative, 9-11:30 a.m., veterans service office, Hurley. 715-392-7808.

Gogebic Brownfield Redevelopment Authority Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Gogebic County Courthouse Conference Room.

Gogebic County Veterans Service Officer, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Ironwood Memorial Building. 906-667-1110.

Pickleball, 9-11 a.m. Hemlock Av. tennis courts, if raining, Ironwood Memorial Building.

Gogebic-Ontonagon Community Action Agency food commodity distribution, seniors, 9:45-10 a.m. EST, Lake Gogebic Senior Center, Bergland; 10:20-10:35 a.m. EST, Porcupine Mountain Senior Center, White Pine; 11-

11:45 a.m. EST, Holy Family Catholic Church parking lot, Ontonagon; 1:15-1:45 p.m. EST, Resource Center, Mass City; 2:15-2:45 p.m. EST, Stannard Township Ballpark, Bruce Crossing; 2:30-2:45 p.m., Watersmeet Town Hall parking lot, Watersmeet. 906-884-2106.

Blood Pressure Screening, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., with Regional Hospice nurses, Mill Street Garden, Bessemer. 906-663-0308.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

Ironwood Kiwanis Club, noon, Golden Dragon.

"Through the Time Machine: ART ROCKS!" Surrealism class, 1 p.m., Ironwood Carnegie Library.

Gogebic-Ontonagon Community Action Agency food commodity distribution, seniors, 1-3 p.m., 100 Mill St., Bessemer. 906-667-0283.

Range Art Association, 1 p.m., 906 Boom, Ironwood.

Mercer Health and Wellness Pickleball, 3-6 p.m., Mercer Community Center.

North Country Trail, 6 p.m., Aurora Club, Ironwood. 715-952-8900.

Hurley VFW Post 1580, 6 p.m., VFW post home.

Bessemer Veterans of Foreign Wars, 6 p.m., VFW hall, Bessemer.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration, Ironwood. area74.org.

Government Iron County Comprehensive Planning / Land and Zoning Committee, 3 p.m., board room, court house.

Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Copperwood Mine modifications to mining permit, 5 p.m., Lindquist Student Center, Gogebic Community College.

Kimball Town Board, 6:30 p.m., Kimball, Wis., Community Center.

Wednesday, July 18

Christian Men of the Northland, 6:30 a.m., Uptown Cafe, Ironwood.

Red Cross Blood Drive, 11:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m., River Valley Bank, 200 South Suffolk Street, Ironwood, 906-932-5478.

Alcoholics Anonymous, open meeting, noon, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

Harp & Classic Guitar concert with Anne & Lisa, noon, Historic Ironwood Theatre.

DOVE Support Group, noon-2 p.m. 906-932-4990.

Ironwood-Hurley Rotary Club, 12:15 p.m., Elk and Hound Restaurant, Ironwood.

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In Their Opinion Don't confuse charter schools with voucher schools

Every charter school in Wisconsin is a public school.

The many Democrats running for governor should memorize this fact, because some of them are getting it wrong.

Charter schools should not be confused with voucher schools, which are mostly private religious schools that receive public money for lower-income students to attend.

The two are very different.

Former state Rep. Kelda Roys, one of eight Democrats seeking her party's nomination for governor Aug. 14, said in a recent interview she opposes "private charters."

"We need to stop privatization because that money comes right off the top and it's only what's left over after the charters have gotten their money that goes to our public schools," Roys told WORT-FM (89.9) in Madison. "That's wrong."

Actually, Roys is wrong.

As Politifact Wisconsin noted in an analysis of her interview last week, all charter schools in Wisconsin are public schools.

"Every charter school is entirely publicly funded, open to any student, and free to any student," the fact-checking journalism website noted.

Of 234 charter schools in Wisconsin, the vast majority — 211 — are operated within public school districts. Only 23 are "independent" charters, meaning they have the freedom to do what they want, outside the control of local school boards.

But even those are public schools. And they are authorized by public entities, such as the city of Milwaukee or UW-Milwaukee. Nonprofits run these few schools under contract and must meet performance targets to continue to operate.

Roys faulted fellow Democratic candidate for governor Tony Evers for securing a large federal grant for charter schools in Wisconsin. Evers is the state superintendent of public instruction, overseeing Wisconsin's more than 400 school districts.

Evers should be credited, not criticized, for collecting \$95 million in federal money for public charter schools last year to encourage innovation and improvement in public schools.

Roys objects to the small number of public charter schools that are allowed to operate independently of local school boards. But innovation sometimes requires the ability to try new things outside the bounds of the status quo.

Evers' position makes the most sense — and brings in more federal money — for the cause of public education in Wisconsin.

The Nuestro Mundo charter school in Madison, for example, has helped hundreds of children — some native Spanish speakers, others English speakers with no Spanish skills — become fluent in both languages. And now the school's "dual language immersion" model has expanded to other Madison public schools.

Moreover, some of the federal money Evers' DPI is distributing to charter schools this year will help economically disadvantaged students get off to strong starts at One City Senior Preschool, a charter started by Kalem Caire, former CEO of the Urban League of Greater Madison.

Democrats who hope to become governor this fall should embrace the cause of public charter schools, rather than pretending they privatize education.

— Wisconsin State Journal

Waiting for Mueller



Byron York

It's often been observed that special counsel Robert Mueller, assigned to investigate alleged Trump-Russia collusion in the 2016 presidential campaign, has yet to charge anyone with a crime involving Trump-Russia collusion in the 2016 presidential campaign.

The biggest of Mueller's indictments, that of one-time Trump campaign chairman Paul Manafort, has no connection at all to collusion. And until a few days ago, it appeared to have no connection to Donald Trump, either.

Now, though, Mueller has revealed why he believes the Manafort prosecution is related to the 2016 Trump campaign. It's a small part, a very small part, of the overall charges against Manafort. And it has nothing to do with any actions by the candidate — now the president — himself.

Mueller's revelation came in an argument he is having with the Manafort defense over what subjects can and cannot be discussed in front of jurors in Manafort's upcoming trial. (Manafort is charged in both Virginia and the District of Columbia with various counts of bank fraud, tax evasion and failure to register as a representative of foreign interests; the Virginia trial is scheduled to begin later this month.)

Manafort doesn't want the jurors to hear about any theories of collusion between Trump and Russia. Beyond that, Manafort doesn't even want the jurors to hear about his connection with Donald Trump. Given the degree of anti-Trump feeling in the heavily Democratic District of Columbia and in northern Virginia — the Manafort filing dryly notes that jurors are "likely to have strong views about President Trump" — that's an understandable feeling.

"Evidence or argument relating to Mr. Manafort's work for then-candidate Trump's campaign in 2016 or the Special Counsel's investigation of the campaign's alleged collusion with the Russian government," the Manafort team wrote in a June 22

motion, "is wholly irrelevant to whether Mr. Manafort's personal income tax returns were false, whether he willfully failed to file reports of foreign accounts, and whether he conspired to commit, or committed, bank fraud."

Mueller's response was two-fold. On the issue of collusion, the special counsel, in a motion filed July 6, flatly said, "The government does not intend to present at trial evidence or argument concerning collusion with the Russian government and, accordingly does not oppose the defendant's motion in that respect."

To those Trump opponents who had hoped Mueller would unveil evidence of Trump-Russia collusion involving Manafort, it was a sharp and stunning admission: There's no collusion in the case against Manafort.

But Mueller did argue that the case has something to do with Trump. And this is it:

Most of the 32 counts against Manafort in the Virginia case concern alleged crimes that took place long before there was a Trump campaign. Some go back as far as 2006. But four of the counts involve a pair of loans Manafort took out between April 2016 and January 2017. For a few months during that time period, Manafort worked for the Trump campaign.

The loans totaled \$16 million and came from a financial institution Mueller refers to as Lender D. According to Mueller, Manafort lied to get the loans, overstating his income and understating his debts.

Mueller says that some workers at Lender D knew there was a problem

with Manafort's application, but that one top executive there, a man who wanted a place in the Trump campaign, granted the loan anyway. From the Mueller filing:

"The government intends to present evidence that although various Lender D employees identified serious issues with the defendant's loan application, the senior executive at Lender D interceded in the process and approved the loan. During the loan application process, the senior executive expressed interest in working on the Trump campaign, told the defendant about his interest, and eventually secured a position advising the Trump campaign. The senior executive later expressed an interest in serving in the administration of President Trump, but did not secure such a position."

The lending company and the senior executive are not identified in the indictment, but the loans appear to fit an episode reported in The New York Times involving a small bank in Chicago, the Federal Savings Bank, and its chief executive, Stephen Calk, who was named an economic adviser to the Trump campaign in August 2016 but did not join the administration.

In May, The Wall Street Journal reported that Mueller is investigating whether the loans were "made as part of a quid pro quo arrangement to secure Mr. Calk a job in Mr. Trump's administration." Calk has denied any such arrangement.

In any event, Mueller has not suggested that Donald Trump was involved in any of the actions outlined in the Manafort charges. The two Lender D loans are, apparently, the only connection between the Trump campaign and the broad array of criminal activity, some of it more than a decade old, alleged in the Manafort indictments. And Trump himself played no role in it.

Was a special counsel needed for that?

Byron York is chief political correspondent for The Washington Examiner.

Today in history

By The Associated Press
Today's Highlight in History

On July 12, 1909, the House of Representatives joined the Senate in passing the 16th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, allowing for a federal income tax, and submitted it to the states. (It was declared ratified in February 1913.)

On this date

In 1543, England's King Henry VIII married his sixth and last wife, Catherine Parr.

In 1812, United States forces led by Gen. William Hull entered Canada during the War of 1812 against Britain. (However, Hull retreated shortly thereafter to Detroit.)

In 1817, author, poet and naturalist Henry David Thoreau was born in Concord, Massachusetts.

In 1862, during the Civil War, President Abraham Lincoln signed a bill authorizing the Army Medal of Honor.

In 1957, President Dwight D. Eisenhower was flown by helicopter from the White House to a secret mountaintop location as part of a drill involving a mock nuclear attack on Washington.

In 1960, the Etch A Sketch Magic Screen drawing toy, invented by French electrician Andre Cassagnes, was first produced by the Ohio Art Co.

In 1962, The Rolling Stones played their first-ever gig at The Marquee in London.

In 1984, Democratic presidential candidate Walter F. Mondale announced his choice of U.S. Rep. Geraldine A. Ferraro of New York to be his running-mate; Ferraro was the first woman to run for vice president on a major-party ticket.



Today's Birthdays

Actor-comedian Bill Cosby is 81. Fitness guru Richard Simmons is 70. Actress Cheryl Ladd is 67. Gospel singer Sandi Patty is 62. Rock singer Robin Wilson (Gin Blossoms) is 53. Olympic gold medal figure skater Kristi Yamaguchi is 47. Actor Topher Grace is 40.

Golfer Inbee Park is 30. Nobel Peace laureate Malala Yousafzai is 21.

Thought for Today

"The tragedy is not that things are broken. The tragedy is that they are not mended again."

— Alan Paton, South African author (1903-1988)

Letter to the Editor

Schultz column points to misguided liberal ideas

To the Editor:

Connie Schultz's column, "Let's not confuse civility with surrender" (July 2) was another does of vitriolic tripe from Ms. Schultz. It is enlightening to see an ultra-liberal endorsing discrimination, no matter how politely administered.

First of all, Sarah Sanders does not work for President Trump, but for the U.S. government. She is a press secretary, not a "chief propagandist," with the unenviable job of facing a room full of openly hostile media works trolling for one word to use for further denigration of the President. If

she is fair game for discrimination because of her position, what about other federal employees? What about the TSA, the FBI, the CIA, NOAA, NASA, the Coast Guard, the Postal Service and others? They all work for the U.S. government. Where will the line be drawn?

Stephanie Wilkinson, owner of the Red Hen Restaurant in Lexington, Va., bandies her tolerance by including gay people in her employ. But she practices "selective tolerance" with issues in which she disagrees. It was my understanding that discrimination was proscribed in places of public accommodation for many reasons. Perhaps political affiliation should be added to the list. Banishing someone for their political affiliation is pure Stalinism.

My greatest concern is that as our

mutual respect for one another devolves to zero, the increasingly radicalized Left will progress from demonstration to confrontation to violence to mob rule and finally anarchy. We will no longer be a nation governed by law, but by unrest and terror. Maxine Waters has already lit the fuse.

Lastly, it is interesting to me that members of the LGBTQ society, who fight so vehemently for tolerance, acceptance and inclusion would comfortably practice discrimination against another person for any reason.

As for Ms. Schultz, as my grandfather used to say, "It's the empty wagon going down the road that makes the most noise."

Dr. Thomas L. Peacock
Marenisco

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Ferguson

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charges from his time on the run, along with one count of escaping jail while awaiting trial for a felony.

Each of the breaking and entering charges carries a potential sentence of 10 years in prison, and the escape charge is a four-year felony. The potential maximum sentences could be extended by a habitual offender notice Ferguson faces.

Ferguson had pleaded guilty in August 2017 to the escape charge and one count of breaking and entering. He was sentenced in October to three years and seven months in prison on the escape charge and four years in prison for the breaking and entering charge.

His appellate attorney successfully challenged procedural aspects of the sentence in May, according to Jacobs, and Ferguson was given the option of being re-sentenced on the charges or withdrawing his plea — ultimately choosing to withdraw his plea.

“It’s as if there never was a plea agreement,” Jacobs said Wednesday.

Ferguson escaped from the jail the evening of June 19, 2017, telling Gogebic County Circuit Judge Michael Pope at his plea hearing he opened a window and climbed through it to escape. The escape triggered a search of the area around Powderhorn

Mountain that ended with Ferguson’s capture on June 23 in a Bessemer residence.

The court was scheduled to set a trial date in the case Tuesday, however it was decided to wait until this latest charge is bound over from 98th District Court to circuit court so all the charges can be handled at the same time.

Ferguson also faces several misdemeanor driving-related charges he was originally arrested on. However, Jacobs said Ferguson has already served more jail or prison time than the maximum sentences for those charges — so it is unlikely he will serve any additional time behind bars on those counts.

Ferguson still has an active hold on his record from the state of Wisconsin, according to Jacobs, where Ferguson was on probation at the time of his arrest.

Ferguson was on probation in Iron County, Wis., for felony false imprisonment and misdemeanor battery stemming from a 2015 domestic violence case. According to online Wisconsin court records, Ferguson was sentenced to two years in prison — which was stayed — and three years extended supervision on the charge in July 2015.

Jacobs said any new consequences in Wisconsin for violating his probation will wait until after Ferguson serves any sentence in Michigan.

Trail

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Hurley and back.

“From Cary Park to about Highline, there is already a path. Then it’s alley-way until you hit (Ninth Avenue),” said Nosal, one of the fundraiser’s organizers, gesturing to a map of the route.

The map shows riders will ride down Ninth Avenue to Gold Street and then Gold to Fifth Avenue and then Division Street to get to the trailhead between Second Avenue/U.S. 51 and the Montreal River.

While riders can bike to the park at any time, a flyer for the event lists organized rides as scheduled for noon, 1:30 and 3 p.m.

The fundraiser will also feature a scavenger hunt for kids, according to the flyer.

Money raised at the event will go to develop both the existing Hurley trailhead and the work extending the trail through

Hurley to Cary Park and ultimately Montreal.

“It’s fundraising for trailhead and trail development,” Nosal said.

While ICORE and others continue to raise funds for new work, progress continues to be made developing the county’s non-motorized trail system.

Last Friday, ICORE board members Mike Fauerbach and Bob Traczyk installed a new sign at the Hurley trailhead.

“There was no sign indicating this was the trailhead for Hurley,” Traczyk said, adding the sign is also intended to acknowledge the individuals and organizations that donated money to make the trailhead possible.

While temporary signs will be in place Saturday along the route between Cary Park and the Hurley trailhead, Traczyk said more permanent signs are expected to be installed in the near future.

8 Democratic candidates for governor gather for debate

MILWAUKEE (AP) — The eight Democratic candidates for governor are about to share a stage for their first broadcast debate ahead of the Aug. 14 primary.

The hourlong event Thursday night in Milwaukee comes as the candidates enter the final month of campaigning. The winner of the primary will advance to face Republican Gov. Scott Walker.

The debate is 90 minutes, with the first hour broadcast live in WTMJ-TV and WUWM-FM in Milwaukee and simulcast on WGBA-TV in Green Bay. The last 30 minutes will air live on WUWM radio and stream on wuwm.com, tmj4.com, nbc26.com, WisPolitics.com and jsonline.com.

Lottery

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Midday Daily 4: 6-7-5-5	Badger 5: 08-12-14-21-30
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Daily 4: 6-6-0-5	Daily Pick 4: 5-0-6-8
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BUILDERS MARK Liebeart, left, and Jeff Witherspoon put up one of the main trusses in the Wesley United Methodist church. Photo is courtesy of Michael Meyer

PILT

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shorting the counties on PILT money.

The court ruled the PILT Act obligates the federal government to pay full amounts calculated in a formula, even though Congress failed to appropriate sufficient funds to do so in fiscal years 2015 through 2017.

The court granted summary judgment in favor of the class action suit.

The specific amounts owed have not been determined.

There is no cost to the county to participate in the

suit.

In other business, board members agreed the county board should be represented on meetings on the possible closing of the Ojibway Correctional Facility in Marenisco and a permit for the Copperwood mine near Wakefield.

Board members stressed the importance of State Rep. Scott Dianda and State Sen. Tom Casper in lobbying for the Marenisco prison to remain open, given its economic importance to the county.

After considerable discussion about an item that was not on the agenda, the board agreed the county

will begin its own Facebook page. County information technology officer Brandon Tauer said he would seek the assistance of department heads in starting the Facebook page.

Of the seven board members, with chair George Peterson absent, only Jim Oliver, of Ironwood, said he is on Facebook.

The board also agreed to apply for two airport grants, with one seeking \$10,000 for advertising, to be matched about 10 percent from the county.

The board agreed to advance \$30,000 to the fair board to be used for this year’s fair.

NASA, Northern Michigan team up to measure Earth’s radiation

MARQUETTE (AP) — NASA teamed up with a Michigan university and installed equipment on a Lake Superior island to measure Earth’s radiation.

Northern Michigan University says NASA’s Clouds and the Earth Radiant

Energy System experiment launched last month on Granite Island. That’s a dozen miles northwest of Marquette, where the school is based.

The university says NASA picked the island after closing a Chesapeake Bay site in the Mid-Atlantic because of safety issues. It also was attracted to existing weather-monitoring equipment.

Officials say NASA has been measuring radiation by satellite for three decades and ground monitoring can help validate data. The experiment seeks to reveal more about the role of clouds and the energy cycle in climate change.

Northern Michigan says work with NASA could expand if the island proves effective.

Lake Road culvert planned next week

BESSEMER — The Gogebic County Road Commission reports Lake Road in Ironwood Township will be closed to traffic from 8 a.m. Monday to 4 p.m. Thursday.

The road closure will be located at the spring on Lake Road, about 10 miles north and west of Airport Road.

The purpose of the closure is to remove and replace two culverts prior to beginning a paving project.

Little Girl’s Point County Park campground and beach can be accessed from the west by use of Wisconsin 122 to Lake Road.

Questions may be directed to the road commission at 906-667-0233.

M-26 repairs close lane

MASS CITY — Because of settling of the roadway shoulder, the Michigan Department of Transportation has closed about 200 feet of the westbound lane of M-26, near Mass City, in Ontonagon County.

The closure began Tuesday and will continue for an indefinite period. One lane will be open in alternating directions, with a temporary traffic signal.

MDOT will monitor the issue and will provide more information as it becomes available.

A map of the closure area is available at <https://bit.ly/2N4P7df>.



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	20 PBS WLEF	Wisconsin Life (CC)	Food Flirts (TVPG)		The Brokenwood Mysteries and wine critic are found dead.		(:35) Vicious (TV14)	(:01) No Passport Required "Detroit" (TVG)	Wisconsin Life (CC)		Food Flirts (TVPG)
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13 TWC		World's Wildest Weather		Heroes & Survivors (TVG)		Highway Thru Hell (CC)	Highway Thru Hell (CC)		Highway Thru Hell		
17 CBC		Back in Time for Dinner		Crawford	Little Dog		The National (N) (CC)	News	2018 Calgary Stampede		Coronation
21 WTBS		Seinfeld (CC)	Seinfeld (CC)	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Conan (N) (TV14) (CC)	Brooklyn		Conan
23 WGN-A		(6:00) ** XXX (02) Vin Diesel. (CC)		** XXX (02, Action) Vin Diesel, Asia Argento. (CC)					Cops (TV14)		Cops (TV14)
30 FX		** The Proposal (09) Sandra Bullock, Ryan Reynolds. (CC)		** The Proposal (09) Sandra Bullock, Ryan Reynolds. (CC)		** The Proposal (09) Sandra Bullock, Ryan Reynolds. (CC)		** The Proposal (09) Sandra Bullock, Ryan Reynolds. (CC)			
31 CNN		Anderson Cooper 360 (N)		Cuomo Prime Time (N)		CNN Tonight		CNN Tonight		Anderson Cooper 360	
32 USA		Law & Order: SVU		Queen of the South (N)		(:01) Shooter (N) (TV14)		(:02) *** Iron Man (08, Action) Robert Downey Jr..			
33 ESPN		International Cup		2018 World Series of Poker Final Table. (N) (Live)				SportsCenter (N) (CC)		SportsCenter (N) (CC)	
34 ESPN2		Basketball		NBA Summer League Basketball				NBA Summer League Basketball		Nación	
35 LIFE		** Made of Honor (08) Patrick Dempsey. (CC)				(:03) *** Marley & Me (08) Owen Wilson. (CC)		Owen Wilson. (CC)		(:01) ** Made of Honor	
36 FSD		(6:00) BIG3 Basketball Teams TBA. From Oakland.				XTERRA Championship		World Poker		Tennis	
38 TDC		Naked and Afraid (TV14) (CC)						Naked and Afraid (TV14)		Naked and Afraid (TV14)	
39 BRAVO		Southern Charm (TV14)		Southern Charm (TV14)		Guide-Divorce		Watch What (45) Southern Charm (TV14) (CC)			
40 COM		The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	Detroiters	The Office	The Office	South Park	South Park
41 TRUTV		Jokes	Jokes	Carbonaro	Carbonaro	Carbonaro	Carbonaro	Paid-Torpey	Carbonaro	Carbonaro	Carbonaro
42 E!		** Fifty Shades of Grey (15, Romance) Dakota Johnson. (CC)		** Fifty Shades of Grey (15, Romance) Dakota Johnson. (CC)		** Fifty Shades of Grey (15, Romance) Dakota Johnson. (CC)		** Fifty Shades of Grey (15, Romance) Dakota Johnson. (CC)			
43 HIST		Hot Wheels: 50th		Swamp Mysteries		(:03) Alone (N) (TV14)		To Be Announced		Hot Wheels: 50th	
44 A&E		Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD
47 NICK		Double	Double	* Norm of the North (16) Voices of Rob Schneider.				Friends (N)	Friends (N)	Friends (N)	Friends (N)
48 FREE	Marvel's Cloak & Dagger		Marvel's Cloak & Dagger		Marvel's Cloak & Dagger		The 700 Club (N) (CC)		How I Met	How I Met	
49 PARMT	Friends (N)	Friends (N)	Friends (N)	Friends (N)	Woman	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Pirates of the Caribbean			
50 CMT	Last Man	Last Man	Nashville (N) (TVPG)		(:02) ** Country Strong (10, Drama) Gwyneth Paltrow, Tim McGraw. (CC)						
52 AMC	*** Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory (71) Gene Wilder.		*** Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory (71) Gene Wilder.		*** Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory (71) Gene Wilder.		*** Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory (71) Gene Wilder.				
53 TNT	*** Dumb & Dumber (94) Jim Carrey. (CC) (DVS)				(:15) ** Bad Teacher (11, Comedy) Cameron Diaz.		Castle (N) (TVPG)				
54 FOXN	Tucker Carlson Tonight		Hannity (N) (CC)		The Ingraham Angle (N)		Fox News Night		Tucker Carlson Tonight		
55 SYFY	** Journey 2: The Mysterious Island (12)				Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	
56 TVLND	Everybody Raymond		Raymond	Raymond	Two Men	Two Men	King	King	King	King	
57 ANPL	Lone Star Law: Uncuffed (N) (TV14)				Northwest Law (N) (TV14)		Lone Star Law: Uncuffed (N) (TV14)				
58 OXY	NCIS (N) (TV14)		NCIS (N) (TV14)		NCIS (N) (TV14)		NCIS (N) (TV14)		NCIS (N) (TV14)		
59 TOON	Dragon Ball	Amer. Dad	Cleveland	Amer. Dad	Burgers	Burgers	Family Guy	Family Guy	Rick, Morty	Venture	
61 HGTV	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Hunters	Hunters Int'l	Music City	Hunters	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	
62 FOOD	Chopped (TVG) (CC)		Chopped (TVG) (CC)		Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Chopped (TVG) (CC)		
65 BIGTEN	Illinois	Campus	Illinois Football Classic (CC)				Illinois Football Classic		Campus	Michigan	
70 DISN	Andi Mack	Raven	Stuck	Big City	Bizaardvark	Raven	Andi Mack	Bunk'd (N)	DuckTales	Big City	
71 TRAV	Mysteries at the Museum		Space Race		Mysteries at the Museum		Mysteries at the Museum		Space Race		
72 TCM	*** The Great Escape (63, War) Steve McQueen, James Garner. (CC)				*** Soldier in the Rain (63) (CC)				Baby-Rain		
73 EWTN	World Over Live (N)		News	Holy Rosary	Pro-Life	Religious	Real	Women of	Daily Mass - Olam		
74 MSNBC	All In With Chris Hayes		Rachel Maddow Show		The Last Word		The 11th Hour		Rachel Maddow Show		
75 HALL	Last Man	Last Man	The Middle	The Middle	The Middle	The Middle	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	Gold Girls	
90 FS1	NASCAR Racing				FIFA World Cup Tonight		MLB Whiparound (N)		TMZ Sports	Undisputed	
93 GSN	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	FamFeud	FamFeud	
PREMIUM	129 SUND	Law & Order (TV14)		Law & Order (TV14)		Law & Order (TV14)		Law & Order (TV14)		Law & Order (TV14)	
	501 HBO	** Kingsman: The Golden Circle (17) Colin Firth. (R) (CC)				(:25) Sharp Objects (N)		Bill Maher: Live From		Wonder	
	503 HBO2	Sharp Objects (TVMA)		(:05) VICE		(:35) ** The Belko Experiment (16)		(:05) Rupture (16) Noomi Rapace. (N) (NR) (CC)			
	531 MAX	From Within (08) Elizabeth Rice. (R)		** The Great Wall (16) Matt Damon.		(:15) C.B. Strike (TVMA)		(:15) The Girl Next Door			
	551 SHOW	(:15) ** Gone (12) Amanda Seyfried. (PG-13) (CC)		The Affair '404' (TVMA)		Shameless (TVMA) (CC)		Immigrant		Immigrant	
591 TMC	** Changing Lanes (02) Ben Affleck.		(:40) ** Unbreakable (00) Bruce Willis. (PG-13) (CC)		** The Whole Nine Yards (00) (R)						
593 TMC2	Jasper Jones (17) Angourie Rice. (NR)		(:45) ** Fanboys (08) Sam Huntington.		(:15) * The Bye Bye Man (17) Douglas Smith. (CC)						

Obituaries

Barbara Jean 'Torchie' Aijala

HURLEY, Wis. — Barbara Jean "Torchie" Aijala, 86, of Hurley died peacefully on June 28, 2018 at the Villa Maria, after battling Parkinson's Disease, with her loving family by her side.

Barbara was born July 7, 1932 in Ironwood, Mich., daughter of the late Geno and Mae (Brown) DeRosso. She graduated from J. E. Murphy High School in 1951.

She married Clayton Aijala on May 23, 1952, and they had seven children together. After 25 years of marriage, they divorced.

Barbara worked as a CNA for about 40 years, first at Grandview Hospital in Ironwood and then for Sky View Nursing Home and Villa Maria in Hurley. She also worked as a matron for the Iron County Sheriff's Department.

She was a loving mother, and the most important thing in her life was always her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Nothing made her happier than spending time with her family. She had a wonderful fun-loving sense of humor and was always good with a joke.

Surviving are six sons, Brian (Mina) Ironwood, Mich., Tim (Judy), Two Harbors, Minn., Jeff, Appleton, Kevin (Carenea), Hurley, Kim (Jessica) and Cory (Patty) both of Dickinson, N.D.; a daughter, Greta (Larry) Czerniak, Hurley; 17 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; a sister, Bonnie (Gerald) Gulan, Milwaukee; a cousin, Walter Gravadoni (who was more like a brother), Grays Lake, Ill.; a sister-in-law, Irene DeRosso; and lifelong friend, Geri Kutz.

Besides her parents Barbara was predeceased by her brothers, Dennis DeRosso and Mickey Brown and cousin, Rosemary Gravadoni.

Out of respect for her wishes, cremation has taken place.

Memorial services will be held July 20, at 11 a.m., preceded by visitation at 10 a.m., at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Hurley, where Barb was a lifetime member, with Fr. Frank Kordek as celebrant.

Luncheon will follow the service at the Liberty Bell Chalet in downtown Hurley.

Private committal and interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, Hurley.

McKevitt-Patrick Funeral Home is assisting the family.

For more information or to give online condolences, please visit mckevittpatrickfuneralhome.com.



Barbara Jean "Torchie" Aijala
1932 — 2018

SUN PRAIRIE, Wis. (AP) — A massive natural gas explosion killed a firefighter and leveled portions of a city block in a southern Wisconsin community, including a bar the firefighter owned, authorities said Wednesday.

The blast in downtown Sun Prairie on Tuesday evening also injured at least 11 other people and left residents of the Madison suburb wondering how they'll put their downtown back together.

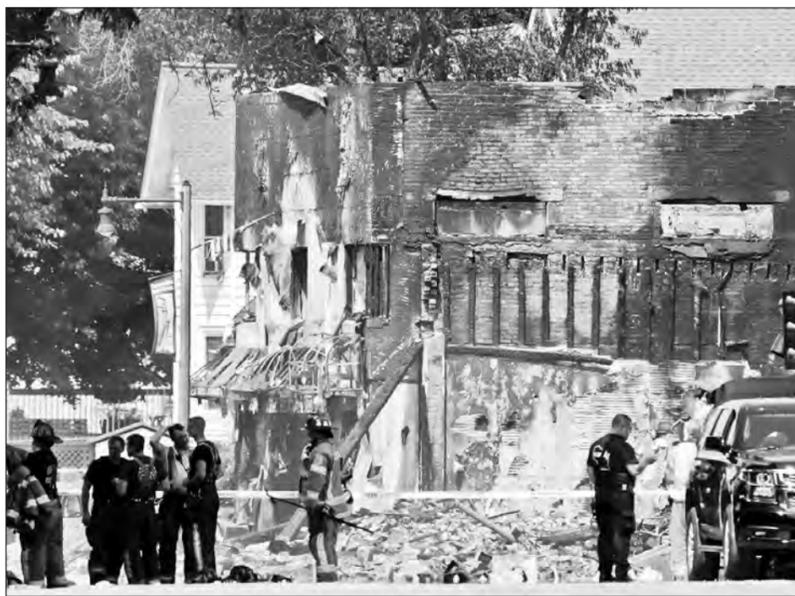
"It's just hard to look at the pictures (of the explosion and ruined downtown) and see what our city looks like now," resident Erin Updike said.

The blast happened after police got a call at 6:30 p.m. that a construction crew working on a downtown street had punctured a WE Energies natural gas line. Police and firefighters arrived to investigate and were evacuating the area when the gas exploded shortly after 7 p.m. The blast ignited four-story high flames that burned long into the night and belched a smoke plume visible for miles.

"It looked like flames shooting out of heaven and just debris going everywhere," said Sun Prairie resident Benjamin Berry.

At least five buildings were damaged, including the Barr House tavern, Glass Nickel Pizza and a steak restaurant, according to a news release on the city's website.

Sun Prairie Fire Department Capt. Cory Barr, 34, was caught in the explosion as he was working to



Associated Press

A LARGE swath of downtown Sun Prairie remains closed Wednesday morning, in the wake of a gas leak explosion Tuesday evening that leveled a downtown Sun Prairie bar, caused a massive fire at a pizza restaurant, killed a firefighter and injured more than a dozen other people. Firefighters remained on the scene.

evacuate people from the area, Fire Chief Chris Garrison said during a news conference Wednesday evening. Barr died after he was transported to a local hospital, the Dane County Medical Examiner's Office said in a news release.

Barr had been with the department for 15 years. He also worked as a real estate agent and owned the Barr House. Garrison said Barr and his fellow firefighters and police evacuated 115 people before the blast. The chief choked up as he spoke and had to take a long pause to gather himself.

"We didn't lose a firefighter yesterday," he said. "We lost a family member." Barr's wife, Abby Barr,

said in a statement that Cory Barr was "the best husband a girl could ask for" and lived his life by the motto "happy wife, happy life." The couple was raising twin daughters who just turned 3 years old. She said the girls would run up to him screaming "Daddy's home!" whenever he walked through the door.

"He was so outgoing, goofy, big-hearted, and would give the shirt off his back to anyone," she said. "To say that our family is devastated and heart-broken is an understatement."

Gov. Scott Walker toured the blast area Wednesday evening, telling reporters at the news conference that the entire state was behind Abby Barr and

her children.

"On behalf of the whole state, we say we love you," the governor said.

Authorities said five other firefighters, a police officer and five civilians were hurt and transported to a hospital. The firefighters included two who were caught in the blast with Barr.

All had been released by Wednesday evening except for one firefighter, who was upgraded from critical to stable condition, Sun Prairie Emergency Medical Services Chief Brian Goff said.

Authorities and WE Energies did not release the name of the company that was doing the construction work.

Comcast, Fox both raise bids as they reach for Sky

LONDON (AP) — The battle for European pay TV service Sky escalated Wednesday as U.S. rivals Comcast and 21st Century Fox took turns upping the ante in their quest to expand their media empires.

The stakes now stand at 26 billion pounds (\$34 billion) — the value of Comcast's latest offer. That bid came after Fox raised its bid to 24.5 billion pounds (\$32.5 billion) earlier in the day.

Comcast's new bid translates to 14.75 pounds per share, or 18 percent more than its original offer. Fox is dangling 14 pounds per share for the 61 percent of Sky that it doesn't already own, more than 30 percent above its first bid in December 2016.

Two Loons to open

SILVER CITY — Scott Roehm, who works with Northern Initiative, which administers the Ontonagon County Revolving Loan Fund, informed the Ontonagon County EDC Wednesday at its newest RLF recipient Two Loons Restaurant, will open July 23. Roehm said that after a ten month wait, Tonya and Carl Oanveno, owners of Two Loons received their

liquor, entertainment and resort licenses.

The Panvenos purchased the former Foothill Restaurant in Silver City.

They were approved for \$124,000 from the Ontonagon County Revolving Loan Fund. They had to follow the guidelines set by the State for the fund and also were approved by both the local EDC and the central board administered by Northern Initiatives.

Battle

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officials were studying how to proceed and the families would be notified when a decision is made.

Bob Valley said the families then did not receive communications as "they apparently refused to communicate directly with us."

Valley said time passed and the group continued to fight for more identification and finally in 2009, four remains were identified and the fifth and final identification of remains of grave P-1002 was made in January 2010. That was F3c Gerald Lehman, of Hancock, who served with Lowell Valley on the Oklahoma.

The group finally had the remains of all five Oklahoma crewmen identified who records indicated were in grave P-1002 of the Punchbowl. But Valley and

others continued the fight to have the other 22 crewmen still in the ground at the Punchbowl also identified.

A struggle began with the Defense Department to disinter three more graves. The families were informed a newly appointed director issued a policy reserving the right to approve or disapprove all exhumations personally for the USS Oklahoma.

In November 2009, the Department of Defense would no longer accept sources and did not want family members turning in information to the Navy. On April 1, 2011, a mailing was made from the Oklahoma families to all 100 U.S. Senators asking for support to identify the remaining unknowns still buried in the Punchbowl. Bob Valley said, "Not a single response was received from any Senator."

In May 2011 the Defense Department POW

Missing Personnel office held a family update meeting in Green Bay and Valley met with officials following that meeting. He said it was an excellent meeting and the group came away with a positive attitude.

In July 2013, an article in the Honolulu Star Advertiser was titled "POW/MIA recovery unit defended in wake of critical internal report." By August, U.S. Sen. Kelly Ayotte, R-New Hampshire, led a hearing on reports of mismanagement between the JPAC and Defense Prisoner of War/Missing Personnel Office.

The heat was on and fingers were pointed. The Navy said it wanted the "sanctity" of the graves and possibly burying them at a memorial. The Navy confirmed it was opposed to the disinterment.

In February 2014, Defense Secretary Chuck Hagel ordered an overhaul of JPAC following a series

of scandals including mishandling of remains and fraudulent repatriation ceremonies.

Months of haggling went on and in April 2015, the Pentagon announced all 388 sailors and Marines from the USS Oklahoma buried as unknowns at the Punchbowl cemetery would be disinterred and established a policy that defines the criteria.

Disinterment of the Oklahoma graves, 61 caskets in 45 grave sites, began June 8, 2015.

Lowell Valley's remains were in one of them.

After years of fighting, Bob Valley will lay his brother to rest in the Holy Family Cemetery in Ontonagon Saturday. The love of a brother, who would not quit in the fight, has brought his brother home.

Funeral services begin at noon (EST) at Holy Family Catholic Church with a full military burial to follow at 2:45 p.m.

Land O' Lakes joins Connect Communities

LAND O' LAKES, Wis. — Land O' Lakes is one of six communities accepted into Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation's Connect Communities Program, an initiative that works to advance downtown and urban corridor revitalization.

With the latest additions, there are now 71 participants in the program which provides access to resources and training to help downtown organizations pursue revitalization and redevelopment efforts.

Since the program was launched in 2013, communities have reported adding

274 new businesses and more than 1,600 jobs, as well as \$115 million in private investment.

Other new Connect Communities participants are Montello, Sparta, Tenneyson, Wausaukee and Waukesha.

Mark R. Hogan, secretary and CEO of WEDC, said, "This program is one of the many ways in which WEDC partners with local communities to develop strategies for success."

The program is designed to support and complement the Wisconsin Main Street Program, which has supported

downtown community development since 1987.

The announcement came as state officials prepare to join local Main Street and Connect Communities participants in celebrating the second annual Wisconsin Main Street Day on Tuesday.

Prior to being accepted to the Connect Communities Program, applicants had to explain the type of activities or assistance they hope to undertake as part of the program, and identify a local team responsible for carrying out activities and participating in program events and training.

US Navy now allows women to wear ponytails, lock hairstyles

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — The Navy says it will now allow servicewomen to sport ponytails and other hairstyles, reversing a policy that long forbade females from letting their hair down.

Chief of Naval Operations Adm. John Richardson said it makes the Navy more inclusive.

Many black women had asked for changes to the female grooming standards. A female sailor, Yeoman First Class LaToya Jones, announced the new policy

during a Facebook Live event Tuesday with Richardson. The new standards went into effect Wednesday.

Lock hairstyles, or ropelike strands, are also now allowed. Wider hair buns too. And women can wear ponytails while in uniform.

Capt. Thurraya Kent is the senior member of the working group that recommended the changes. The group told the Navy that adding grooming options would eliminate a distraction, be more inclusive of different hair textures and enable people to keep their hair natural instead of processing it chemically.



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Birth Announcements

Bo William Miller

WOODRUFF, Wis. — Raven and Adam Miller of Mercer are parents of a son, Bo William Miller, born July 3, 2018 at Howard Young Medical Center.

Bo weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long at birth.

He will join his siblings Tyler, Alex, Jacob and Brooklyn at home.

Grandparents are Myrtle Van Horn of Neillsville and Richard and Kay Miller of Manawa.

WORKING OUT



Submitted photo

THE NEW Core De Force fitness class met on Tuesday in Mercer. This workout combines boxing, kickboxing, and mixed martial arts moves to strengthen the core. The group meets at 9 a.m. in the Mercer School music room. Pictured, from left, are participants Darlene Bergquist, Denise Ingeman, instructor Becky Bettin, Amber Anderson, Lena Ranallo, and Kaylee Casiani.



Jean Nordine / Daily Globe

FIREWORKS LIT up the sky over the lake on Tuesday, July 3 at the annual fireworks in Wakefield. Spectators took in the action next to the lake on a dock with fireworks and their reflections shining off the calm surface of Sunday Lake at night.

Michigan DNR asks public to help protect inland waters

More than 11,000 inland lakes, 3,200-plus miles of Great Lakes shoreline, and rivers that stretch over 51,000 miles — that's a lot of reasons to love the Great Lakes State. In fact, there's no spot in Michigan more than 6 miles from an inland lake or wetland.

These inland waters, like other natural treasures, must be protected and maintained, and there's plenty you can do to help ensure our waters and their bounty of wildlife, fish, plants and sheer beauty will be here for generations.

"It's important for everyone who uses and values Michigan's lakes to do their part to protect them," said Joe Nohner, DNR inland lakes analyst. "Our inland lakes face threats from declining water quality, invasive species, changing climate and unnatural shorelines that lack vegetation or woody habitat."

Nohner said there are simple steps we can take to protect lakes.

—Be cautious near islands and other shoreline areas. Nesting birds like loons, wood ducks, trumpeter swans and other amazing birds need quiet water to maintain nests and raise their young. Slow down, keep your distance, and watch for signs and buoys that mark nesting areas

prone to damage from boating. See a by-county listing of local watercraft controls, including no/slow-wake zones.

—Be safe. When on the water, remember your life jacket and watch for severe weather patterns that might affect the day.

—Pack out everything you pack in. Ducks, loons, turtles and other animals can become tangled in fishing line, plastic can rings and other litter.

—Clean, drain and dry boats and trailers and keep wader boots squeaky clean. Recreational equipment can spread aquatic invasive species to new locations, and zebra mussels, mudsnails, milfoil plants and other invaders can wreak havoc on lakes and streams. Learn more about actions boaters and anglers can take at michigan.gov/invasives.

—Volunteer. Clean Boats, Clean Waters recruits "volunteer heroes" to show boaters how to inspect their boats, trailers and gear; Michigan's Clean Water Corps supports volunteers who monitor water quality through its Cooperative Lakes Monitoring Program, and Adopt-a-Beach volunteers clean up Great Lakes shorelines. Protect your shore. Lakefront property owners can learn more from the Michigan Natural Shoreline Partnership



Michigan Department of Natural Resources

FISHING ON the lake usually involves a good amount of gear, and it's important for people to thoroughly clean and dry their equipment (including boats) before moving to a new water body. This effort is critical in the fight to limit the spread of aquatic invasive species.

about maintaining natural shorelines for fish and wildlife habitat and keeping water clean. Learn how to be recognized through the Michigan Shoreland Stewards program.

DNR officials encourage the public to report illegal dumping. To report violations, call the Report All Poaching hotline at 800-292-7800.

Show tells backstory of icons like Rushmore, Lady Liberty

By **BETH J. HARPAZ**
AP Travel Editor

Did you know that the original symbolism of the Statue of Liberty had nothing to do with welcoming immigrants? And that Mount Rushmore was basically built as a scheme to get road-trippers to make the trip out to South Dakota?

You'll hear the inside story on these icons and others from Geoffrey Baer, host of the PBS television series "10 That Changed America," in three new episodes airing this summer. In addition to famous monuments, other episodes focus on streets that changed America — like New York's Broadway — and on modern marvels like the Hoover Dam.

Baer is based in Chicago, where he works for the local public television station WTTW and also gives tours for the Chicago Architecture Foundation. He spoke about the show and the backstory of some of the monuments featured in the episode airing July 17 in an interview with

AP Travel's weekly podcast "Get Outta Here!"

Mount Rushmore

When cars were a new form of transportation, "a state official in South Dakota really didn't think in the early days of the road trip that scenery was going to be enough" to lure people to drive all the way there, Baer said. So he decided to "create the world's biggest roadside attraction." Originally the carvings were going to depict heroes of the American West, but that wasn't deemed a big enough draw, so the concept was changed to presidents.

Statue of Liberty

The Statue of Liberty was a gift from France to America, but what was the meaning of the gift?

Baer says America was seen in the late 19th century as a "beacon of democracy and freedom" in an era when French democracy was eroding. So the French used the statue

as a way of sending "a message" to their own country by giving "America a gift of this great French figure of liberty."

The statue is often romanticized as a symbol of welcome for immigrants, partly due to its location within sight of Ellis Island, where millions of immigrants arriving in the U.S. were processed. They could see Lady Liberty as their ships pulled into the harbor. But Ellis Island didn't open until 1892, six years after the statue was dedicated in 1886.

"So it wasn't until later that the statue took on this additional new meaning as a kind of beacon to immigrants," Baer said.

Lincoln Memorial

Abraham Lincoln signed the Emancipation Proclamation declaring "all persons held as slaves" to be free. But almost nothing at the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C., mentions slavery.

That's because the intended message of the Lincoln Memorial was "that the Civil

War was really brother against brother and now we've reconciled," Baer said. Two of Lincoln's speeches — his second inaugural address and the Gettysburg Address — are engraved on the walls, but not the Emancipation Proclamation.

"It only was later that the monument became a platform for the civil rights movement," Baer added. That tradition began in 1939 when the great opera singer Marian Anderson was denied permission to sing at Constitution Hall in Washington because she was African-American. Instead she sang on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial. Later in the 1960s, the monument became a site for civil rights protests, including Martin Luther King Jr.'s "I have a dream" speech.

Baer said one of the show's most important themes is that whatever the original context may be for a memorial or monument, its meaning often changes with time. "Society is always changing," he said, "even as the built environment stays where it is."

World War I centennial celebration to be held at Land O' Lakes Library

LAND O' LAKES, Wis. — In keeping with the current world wide, year-long centennial celebration of the 1918 armistice which ended World War I, the Land O' Lakes Historical Society will present a program on "The Great War Comes to Wisconsin," by Dr. Richard Pifer Friday, at 1 p.m. at the Land O' Lakes Library.

Dr. Pifer describes his presentation as a portrait of Wisconsin's participation in this most devastating conflict.

"World War I was a "total war." It required the participation of everyone in the war effort," he says.

He will discuss the impact of World War I on Wisconsin's people from the sacrifices of young men on the battlefield to the patriotic fervor with which most Wisconsin residents devoted themselves to the war effort.

He will also focus on the threat posed to civil liberties and the role played by vigilantes and super patriots as they

attempted to impose their view of the war effort on their neighbors.

"Pundits and super patriots characterized Wisconsin as a den of traitorous vipers during World War I," says Dr. Pifer. "In response, Governor Emanuel Philipp often told audiences: 'There is nothing wrong with Wisconsin.'"

The home front experience helps to illuminate the meanings of patriotism and the ways in which patriotic fervor bound people together in a common cause and, simultaneously, threatened the liberties for which the war was being fought," Pifer concludes.

Dr. Pifer has spent most of his life studying and teaching Wisconsin history, particularly the home front experience during World War I and World War II.

He received his doctorate in history from UW-Madison, worked as the Archivist at UW-Eau Claire for ten years and then spent twenty-five years in several

positions at the Wisconsin Historical Society. He retired in 2015 as the Director of Public Services for the Library-Archives Division.

During his career, Dr. Pifer taught Wisconsin history at the college level and presented numerous workshops, classes and presentations on local history and genealogy.

In November 2017, the Wisconsin Historical Society Press published his most recent book: The Great War Comes to Wisconsin: Sacrifice, Patriotism, and Free Speech in a Time of Crisis, written in cooperation with Marge Hannon Pifer. The Independent Publishers Association awarded "The Great War" its silver medal as one of the best works of non-fiction published in the Midwest during 2017, and the Wisconsin Historical Society called it one of the most significant recent contributions to Wisconsin history. Dr. Pifer is also the author of A City at War: Milwau-

kee Labor During World War II.

The Land O' Lakes Historical Society invites attendees to visit the Land O' Lakes Northern Waters Museum in the nearby Land O' Lakes Town Park on the South side of Hwy B, either before or following the program.

The museum's 2018 focus program, "World War I—Northwoods Connections" dovetails with Dr. Pifer's presentation. Among other items, the exhibit features memorabilia from three participants with local connections, including Robert Newcomb Marling, Raymond Goodman, and Joseph Andrew Sargent, loaned or donated by their descendants, Dorothy Marling Morris, Donald Goodman, and James Linowski, respectively.

The museum presentation, which will run through 2019, is open Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. through Labor Day weekend. Fall hours will be announced.

HONORING THE EDMUND

Trump urged to declare flooding major disaster



Submitted photo

THREE PADDLEBOARDERS lay a wreath Tuesday on Lake Superior at the site of the sinking of the Edmund Fitzgerald 42 years ago. Joe Lorenz, Kwin Morris and Jeff Guy are seeking to raise more than \$20,000 for the Great Lakes Shipwreck Historical Society through Stand Up for Great Lakes, a nonprofit organization. The total paddle of 61 miles was expected to finish at Whitefish Point in the Upper Peninsula on Wednesday.

Three Michigan lawmakers are urging President Donald Trump to approve Lt. Gov. Brian Calley's request for a major disaster declaration following June 16-17 severe flash flooding that affected Houghton, Gogebic and Menominee counties.

U.S. Rep. Jack Bergman, R-Watersmeet, and U.S. Senators Debbie Stabenow and Gary Peters backed the request.

Calley described damage from the flooding in the three counties as extensive — estimated at more than \$42 million in covered damage to public facilities — and requiring federal assistance.

If approved, federal assistance and resources to the communities and families affected would be made available through various federal sources including the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the Small Business Administration.

"The people of the Upper Peninsula are resilient, and we commend the work of federal, state and local officials to promptly assess the damage from the flooding,"

wrote the lawmakers. "We urge you to issue a federal major disaster declaration swiftly and to provide the requested assistance so the residents and business owners of these communities can begin to recover from this disaster."

Calley's request was on July 9. Federal, state and local officials working on the ground conducted assessments from June 26-29, and determined the level of damage required federal assistance.

"While summer is currently in full swing, the Upper Peninsula's unpredictable weather can significantly shorten the traditional construction season. Any damage that is not addressed before the season ends could be compounded by the snow melt in the spring and increase the risks to the affected communities."

"We urge you to issue a federal major disaster declaration swiftly and to provide the requested assistance so the residents and business owners of these communities can begin to recover from this disaster."

US soon to leapfrog Saudis, Russia as top oil producer

(AP) — The U.S. is on pace to leapfrog both Saudi Arabia and Russia and reclaim the title of the world's biggest oil producer for the first time since the 1970s.

The latest forecast from the U.S. Energy Information Administration predicts that U.S. output will grow next year to 11.8 million barrels a day.

"If the forecast holds, that would make the U.S. the world's leading producer of crude," says Linda Capuano, who heads the agency, a part of the Energy Department.

Saudi Arabia and Russia could upend that forecast by boosting their own production.

In the face of rising global oil prices, members of the OPEC cartel and a few non-members including Russia agreed last month to ease production caps that had contributed to the run-up in prices.

President Donald Trump has urged the Saudis to pump more oil to contain rising prices. He tweeted on June 30 that King Salman agreed to boost production "maybe up to 2,000,000 barrels." The White House later clarified that the king said his country has a reserve of 2 million barrels a day that could be tapped "if and when necessary."

The idea that the U.S. could

ever again become the world's top oil producer once seemed preposterous.

"A decade ago the only question was how fast would U.S. production go down," said Daniel Yergin, author of several books about the oil industry including a history, "The Prize." The rebound of U.S. output "has made a huge difference. If this had not happened, we would have had a severe shortage of world oil," he said.

The United States led the world in oil production for much of the 20th century, but the Soviet Union surpassed America in 1974, and Saudi Arabia did the

same in 1976, according to Energy Department figures.

By the end of the 1970s the USSR was producing one-third more oil than the U.S.; by the end of the 1980s, Soviet output was nearly double that of the U.S.

The last decade or so has seen a revolution in American energy production, however, led by techniques including hydraulic fracturing, or fracking, and horizontal drilling.

Those innovations — and the breakup of the Soviet Union — helped the U.S. narrow the gap. Last year, Russia produced more than 10.3 million barrels a day, Saudi Arabia pumped just under

10 million, and the U.S. came in under 9.4 million barrels a day, according to U.S. government figures.

The U.S. has been pumping more than 10 million barrels a day on average since February, and probably pumped about 10.9 million barrels a day in June, up from 10.8 million in May, the energy agency said Tuesday in its latest short-term outlook.

Capuano's agency forecast that U.S. crude output will average 10.8 million barrels a day for all of 2018 and 11.8 million barrels a day in 2019. The current U.S. record for a full year is 9.6 million barrels a day in 1970.

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MACKENZIE BACKMAN of Hurley will compete in the national MLB Pitch, Hit and Run national finals in Washington D.C. next week. Submitted photo

Backman to compete in MLB Pitch, Hit and Run national finals

By **JASON JUNO**
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HURLEY — When Kirk Backman was building a barn last year, he included a batting cage, so his daughter Mackenzie could practice even in the middle of the long winter.

"You know you have the drive for it when it's 10 below zero and she wants to go out in the barn and hit," he said.

Her hard work has paid dividends already. Not only did she start all season in left field for the Hurley Midgettes softball team, she is one of just 24 kids who advanced to next week's MLB Pitch, Hit and Run national finals.

The girls softball and boys baseball skills competition will be held Monday at 11 a.m. at Nationals Park, the site of the MLB All-Star game in Washington. It will be live-streamed on the Scott's Pitch, Hit and Run Facebook page.

The national finalists will be shagging fly balls during Monday night's home run derby.

Backman, 14, is one of three softball players in the 13-14 year-old division to advance. She finished first in the local event in Hurley, which she's been taking part in since she was 7 years old. It's run by Bart Innes and Kirk usually helps him out.

She then won sectionals in Eau Claire with only the top three athletes from a total of seven sectionals making it to Miller Park in Milwaukee. She made it to the Brewers' park for the second time, last making it three years ago.

She placed No. 1 in her division at

Miller Park and was introduced at that day's game.

But they still didn't know if she advanced with only the top three in her age group advancing to Washington.

On July 2, Mackenzie tuned into the show on the MLB Network at home. Kirk couldn't make it in time, so he stopped at the Iron Nugget.

"We were hooting, hollering, screaming, you name it," her mom Pam said.

"We never, ever thought she'd be selected," Pam said.

"It's been quite the adventure," Mackenzie said.

Backman hit .480 for Hurley and was a part of an all freshmen outfield that helped Hurley advance to the sectional semifinal. Hurley coach Jim Kivisto wasn't sure who was going to be in his outfield with so many players graduating the previous year, but those worries went away, both in the field and as they strengthened the bottom of the order.

"She had a great year for being a freshman," Kivisto said. "She can throw, she has speed and she can hit. She has all the qualities you need to be a softball player."

All of those things translate well to this competition as well.

The pitch portion tests how accurately a player can hit a target. Competitors hit off of a tee with accuracy and distance both important in the final score. They run a

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DETROIT TIGERS starter **Jordan Zimmerman** pitches against the Tampa Bay Rays during the first inning Wednesday in St. Petersburg, Fla. Associated Press

Cron's homer lifts Rays to 4-2 win over Tigers

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Even after his first three-hit game of the season and a home run, Kevin Kiermaier knew the focus deserved to be elsewhere Wednesday after the Tampa Bay Rays completed a three-game sweep of the Detroit Tigers with a 4-2 victory.

C.J. Cron's three-run home run in the seventh inning carried the Rays to their fifth straight win, and five pitchers held the opponent to two runs or fewer for the 12th time in the Rays' past 15 home games, in which they are 14-1.

"These past couple of weeks have shown you that we can compete with the best teams in baseball," Kiermaier said. "You see a lot of people growing in here, and it starts with our pitching staff and what they've done."

The Rays' "bullpen-days" formula is "different from what any other team has ever done in the history of the game," Kiermaier added, "and we've found a way to make it work."

Cron's 18th homer came off Jordan Zimmermann after singles by Kiermaier and Matt Duffy.

It turned a gritty start by Zimmermann (4-1) into a loss, and the Tigers right-hander blamed himself for challenging Cron on a 2-0 pitch.

"My stubbornness came in and I thought 'Throw the slider now on the (outside) corner, paint it and get this guy out,'" Zimmermann said. "Of course, those are the ones you hang. Three-run homer and we lose the game."

Cron and Kiermaier each had three hits for the Rays, who have won 14 of 18, and Joey Wendle extended his hitting streak to 11 games with double.

It was only the second multi-hit game of the season for Kiermaier, who came into the game with a .157 average in 30 games.

"It looks like he's starting to turn the corner a little bit and get his season going," Rays manager Kevin Cash said.

"Here we are in mid-July and his numbers are what they are. But look at the wins we've had since he's been back. It's been pretty telling."

James McCann's two-run homer off Matt Andriese in the fourth had given Detroit a 2-1 lead that lasted until Cron's homer. It was McCann's sixth homer of the season.

The Tigers, who struck out 14 times against five Tampa Bay pitchers, have lost four straight and 18 of 22.

Rookie left-hander Ryan Yarbrough (8-4) got the win after giving up one hit in three innings of relief. Sergio Romo pitched the ninth for his 11th save in 16 opportunities.

Zimmermann (4-1) gave up four runs and 11 hits in 6 2/3 innings, striking out five. He threw a season-high 105 pitches.

The Rays' Hunter Wood pitched one inning in his first major league start, giving up two hits while striking out two.

IN THE MINORS

Rays 4, Tigers 2									
Detroit					Tampa Bay				
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Cndrlio 3b	4	0	0	0	Krmaier cf	5	2	3	1
Cstllns rf	4	0	1	0	M.Duffy 3b	4	1	2	0
Goodrum 2b	4	0	1	0	Bauers lf-1b	3	0	0	0
Joh.Hck 1b	4	0	1	0	Cron 1b	4	1	3	3
V.Mrtin dh	4	0	0	0	C.Gomez rf	0	0	0	0
Mahtook lf	4	1	1	0	Choi dh	4	0	2	0
J.McCnn c	4	1	2	2	Adames ss	4	0	0	0
Ro.Rdrg ss	3	0	0	0	Wendle 2b	4	0	1	0
J.Jones cf	3	0	1	0	Sucre c	4	0	0	0
					M.Smith rf-1f	4	0	1	0
Totals	34	2	7	2	Totals	36	4	12	4
Detroit	000	000	200	000	—	2			
Tampa Bay	001	000	30x	—	4				
E.C.Gomez (5), LOB Detroit 6, Tampa Bay 9. 2B, Castellanos (29), J.Jones (17), Cron (17), Choi (3), Wendle (9). HR, J.McCann (6), Kiermaier (2), Cron (18), SB, M.Smith (16).									
	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO			
Detroit	Zimmermann L,4-1	6-2-3	11	4	4	1	5		
	Wilson	1	0	0	0	0	2		
	Stumpf	1-3	1	0	0	0	1		
Tampa Bay	Wood	1	2	0	0	0	2		
	Andriese	3	3	2	2	1	6		
	Yarbrough W,8-4	3	1	0	0	0	4		
	Castillo H,8	1	1	0	0	0	0		
	Romo S,11-16	1	0	0	0	0	2		
WP, Zimmermann. Umpires: Home, Nick Mahrley; First, Lance Barrett; Second, Bill Welke; Third, Andy Fletcher. T, 2:40. A, 13,922 (42,735).									

Rays prospect Brendan McKay allowed one run, two hits, one walk and struck out two over two innings for the Gulf Coast League Rays in his first start since being sidelined a month because of an oblique injury. McKay, who was on the Class A Charlotte disabled list, returned as the DH Monday.

TRAINER'S ROOM

Tigers' SS Jose Iglesias was out of the lineup with a bruised left hand after being hit by a pitch Tuesday night. ... RHP Shane Greene (right shoulder strain) will be activated before Friday.

RHP Victor Alcantara was optioned to Triple-A Toledo to open the roster spot.

Aguilar, Segura win online vote for final All-Star spots

By **The Associated Press**

Milwaukee Brewers first baseman Jesus Aguilar and Seattle Mariners shortstop Jean Segura won the final two roster spots for next week's All-Star Game in Washington.

Major League Baseball released the results of online balloting for the last slot in each league Wednesday night, with Aguilar drawing 20.2 million votes to secure his first All-Star selection. His total was the second-highest in the history of the All-Star Final Vote, trailing only Justin Turner's 20.8 million votes last year.

The 28-year-old Venezuelan was tied for the National League lead with 23 home runs and becomes the fourth Milwaukee player headed to the game. Brewers outfielders Lorenzo Cain and Christian Yelich had already been chosen, along with reliever Josh Hader.

Segura snagged the last American League spot with 13.6 million votes. He was followed by Boston Red Sox outfielder Andrew Benintendi, New York Yankees slugger Giancarlo Stanton, Minnesota Twins outfielder Eddie Rosario and Los Angeles Angels shortstop Andreton Simmons.

San Francisco Giants first baseman Brandon Belt finished second in the NL balloting, followed by Max Muncy of the Los Angeles Dodgers, Trea Turner of the Washington Nationals and Matt Carpenter of the St. Louis Cardinals.

Harper headlines Home Run Derby field, will face Freeman

NEW YORK (AP) — Washington Nationals slugger Bryce Harper will take on Atlanta Braves first baseman Freddie Freeman in an all-NL East matchup in the first round of the Home Run Derby on Monday night.

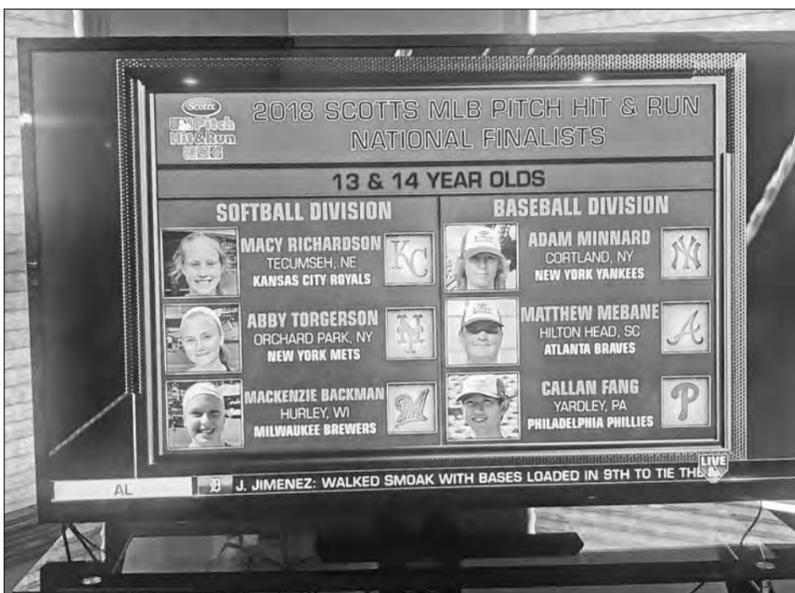
The 25-year-old Harper is the second seed at his home ballpark by virtue of his 22 homers through Tuesday's games. Freeman, the top NL vote-getter for Tuesday night's All-Star Game at Nationals Park, is the seventh seed with 16 homers.

Milwaukee Brewers first baseman Jesus Aguilar faces Philadelphia Phillies slugger Rhys Hoskins in the opening round. Los Angeles Dodgers rookie Max Muncy meets Chicago Cubs infielder Javier Baez, and Houston Astros third baseman Alex Bregman faces Cubs outfielder Kyle Schwarber.

It's the second Home Run Derby for Harper, and the first for the rest of the field. Harper lost to Yoenis Cespedes in the 2013 final at Citi Field in New York.



MILWAUKEE BREWERS' Jesus Aguilar celebrates after getting a base hit during the fourth inning against the Miami Marlins Wednesday in Miami. Associated Press



Submitted photo

MLB NETWORK announced Mackenzie Backman of Hurley advanced to the MLB Pitch, Hit and Run national finals.

Backman

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total of 120 feet with a turn at third base included.

Backman was solid in all three in Milwaukee. Her best hit went 162 feet and she was 5 out of 6 in the the throwing portion. Her best event was the run, "even though I tripped going around third." The grass had dew on it, but she didn't fall and finished strong.

She's also a cross country runner in Hurley.

"She's going to be one

heck of a cross country runner," Kivisto said. "Basketball, she's going to help out, especially on the defensive side, and softball she's going to excel big time.

"The thing is she works, she's a hard worker, and she continues to get better because of the hard work she puts in to get better."

Backman was asked to be a featured blogger by Pitch, Hit and Run representatives. Her first post is at: [https://www.pitch-hitrun.com/blog/scotts-](https://www.pitch-hitrun.com/blog/scotts)

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Macy Richardson of Tecumseh, Neb., and Abby Torgerson of Orchard Park, N.Y. are the other age 13-14 finalists.

More than 625,000 competitors took part in the U.S. and Canada.

"Like Mackenzie just told me, this is going to be the most amazing experience," Pam said.

"A once in a lifetime experience I will never forget."

Daily Globe scoreboard

American League

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East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	65	29	.691	—
New York	60	31	.659	3½
Tampa Bay	48	44	.522	16
Toronto	42	49	.462	21½
Baltimore	26	67	.280	38½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cleveland	50	41	.549	—
Minnesota	41	49	.456	8½
Detroit	40	55	.421	12
Chicago	31	61	.337	19½
Kansas City	26	66	.283	24½

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	62	33	.653	—
Seattle	57	35	.620	3½
Oakland	52	41	.559	9
Los Angeles	47	45	.511	13½
Texas	40	54	.426	21½

Tuesday's Games

Baltimore 6, N.Y. Yankees 5
Boston 8, Texas 4
Cincinnati 7, Cleveland 4
Tampa Bay 5, Detroit 2
Toronto 6, Atlanta 2
St. Louis 14, Chicago White Sox 2

Houston 6, Oakland 5, 11 innings
Kansas City 9, Minnesota 4
L.A. Angels 9, Seattle 3

Wednesday's Games

Tampa Bay 4, Detroit 2
Minnesota 8, Kansas City 5
N.Y. Yankees 9, Baltimore 0
Boston 4, Texas 2
Cleveland 19, Cincinnati 4
Atlanta 9, Toronto 5
Chicago White Sox 4, St. Louis 0
Oakland 8, Houston 3
Seattle at L.A. Angels, 10:07 p.m.

Thursday's Games

Oakland (Cahill 1-2) at Houston (Morton 11-2), 2:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Pivetta 5-7) at Baltimore (Gausman 4-6), 6:05 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Severino 14-2) at Cleveland (Kluber 12-4), 7:10 p.m.
Toronto (Estrada 4-7) at Boston (Price 9-6), 7:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Snell 12-4) at Minnesota (Gibson 3-6), 8:10 p.m.
Seattle (Paxton 8-3) at L.A. Angels (Skaggs 6-5), 10:07 p.m.

Friday's Games

Texas at Baltimore, 7:05 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees at Cleveland, 7:10 p.m.
Toronto at Boston, 7:10 p.m.
Detroit at Houston, 8:10 p.m.
Kansas City at Chicago White Sox, 8:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Minnesota, 8:10 p.m.
Seattle at Colorado, 8:40 p.m.
L.A. Angels at L.A. Dodgers, 10:10 p.m.
Oakland at San Francisco, 10:15 p.m.

National League

All Times EDT

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	51	40	.560	—
Philadelphia	51	40	.560	—
Washington	46	46	.500	5½
New York	37	53	.411	13½
Miami	39	56	.411	14

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	55	38	.591	—

Chicago

52 38 .578 1½

St. Louis 47 44 .516 7

Pittsburgh 43 49 .467 11½

Cincinnati 41 52 .441 14

West Division

Arizona 51 41 .554 —

Los Angeles 49 42 .538 1½

San Francisco 49 46 .516 3½

Colorado 46 45 .505 4½

San Diego 40 54 .426 12

Tuesday's Games

Washington 5, Pittsburgh 1
Cincinnati 7, Cleveland 4
Milwaukee 8, Miami 4
Philadelphia 7, N.Y. Mets 3
Toronto 6, Atlanta 2
St. Louis 14, Chicago White Sox 2

Wednesday's Games

Pittsburgh 2, Washington 0
San Francisco 5, Chicago Cubs 4, 13 innings
Cleveland 19, Cincinnati 4
Miami 5, Milwaukee 4, 12 innings
N.Y. Mets 3, Philadelphia 0, 10 innings

Thursday's Games

Arizona (Ray 3-1) at Colorado (Freeland 8-6), 3:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Pivetta 5-7) at Baltimore (Gausman 4-6), 6:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Miley 1-0) at Pittsburgh (Taiton 5-7), 7:05 p.m.
Washington (Scherzer 11-5) at N.Y. Mets (Matz 4-6), 7:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Stripling 7-2) at San Diego (Ross 5-7), 10:10 p.m.

Friday's Games

Milwaukee at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m.
Philadelphia at Miami, 7:10 p.m.
Washington at N.Y. Mets, 7:10 p.m.
Arizona at Atlanta, 7:35 p.m.
Cincinnati at St. Louis, 8:15 p.m.
Seattle at Colorado, 8:40 p.m.
Chicago Cubs at San Diego, 10:10 p.m.
L.A. Angels at L.A. Dodgers, 10:10 p.m.
Oakland at San Francisco, 10:15 p.m.

Transactions

BASEBALL

American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLAS — Sent RHP Chris Tillman to Frederick (Carolina) for a rehab assignment. Signed RHP J.J. Montgomery to a minor league contract. Extended their working agreements with Norfolk (IL), Bowie (EL), Frederick, Delmarva (SAL) and Aberdeen (NYP) through the 2020 season.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX — Designated RHP Bruce Rondon for assignment. Selected the contract of RHP Jeanmar Gomez from Charlotte (IL).

KANSAS CITY ROYALS — Optioned RHP Jason Adam to Omaha (PCL). Reinstated RHP Ian Kennedy from the 10-day DL.

LOS ANGELES ANGELS — Optioned RHP Deck McGuire to Salt

WASHINGTON NATIONALS —

Red Wings agree with Mantha on 2-year, \$6.6 million contract

DETROIT (AP) — The Detroit Red Wings have agreed to a two-year, \$6.6 million contract with Anthony Mantha.

The Red Wings announced the move with the restricted free agent Wednesday, keeping the 23-year-old wing after he led the team with 24 goals last season.

Mantha had 48 points in 80 games last season. He has 43 goals and 44 assists in two-plus seasons with the Red Wings. Detroit drafted him 20th overall in 2013.

The Red Wings re-signed restricted free agent Andreas Athanasiou last year with a two-year contract.

Their next task is completing negotiations with restricted free agent Dylan Larkin on a multiyear contract.

Lake (PCL). Recalled OF Michael Hermosillo from Salt Lake.

MINNESOTA TWINS — Placed RHP Addison Reed on the 10-day DL. Recalled RHP Alan Buzentz from Rochester (IL). Sent RHP Ervin Santana to Chattanooga (SL) for a rehab assignment. Signed C LaRon Smith to a minor league contract.

SEATTLE MARINERS — Placed RHP Felix Hernandez on the 10-day DL, retroactive to Sunday. Optioned OF John Andreoli to Tacoma (PCL). Recalled RHP Nick Rumbelow and 2B Gordon Beckham from Tacoma.

TAMPA BAY RAYS — Recalled 1B Ji-Man Choi and RHP Andrew Kittredge from Durham (IL).

TEXAS RANGERS — Designated OF Austin Jackson for assignment.

National League

CHICAGO CUBS — Optioned INF David Bote to Iowa (PCL). Reinstated 3B Kris Bryant from the 10-day DL. Sent LHP Brian Duensing to Tennessee (SL) for a rehab assignment.

CINCINNATI REDS — Signed LHP Carlos Diaz to a minor league contract.

COLORADO ROCKIES — Signed LHP Jorman Aponte to a minor league contract.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS — Released SS Eric Sogard.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — Optioned RHP Jake Thompson to Lehigh Valley (IL).

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS — Signed RHP Ramon Fernandez to a minor league contract.

SAN DIEGO PADRES — Optioned RHP Walker Lockett to El Paso (PCL). Recalled OF Frammil Reyes from El Paso.

WASHINGTON NATIONALS —

Sent RHP Stephen Strasburg to Potomac (Carolina) for a rehab assignment.

FOOTBALL

Canadian Football League WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS — Signed DB Jeff Hecht to the practice roster.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League BUFFALO SABRES — Named Steve Smith assistant coach.

TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING — Re-signed F Adam Erne to a one-year, one-way contract.

SOCCER

United Soccer League USL — Suspended Orange County D Andrew Crognale three games and Reno M Lindo Mfeka, Charlotte D Bilal Duckett, LA Galaxy II D Geoffrey Acheampong, Swope Park D Matheus Silva and Bethlehem M Fabian Herbers one game.

COLLEGE

NCAA — Approved a waiver request for Duke football C Jack Wohlbaugh to be eligible this season.

ADRIAN — Named Brett Asher women's lacrosse coach.

FLORIDA GULF COAST — Announced beach volleyball sophomore Candace Lacour has transferred from FAU and freshman Katy Reed from Southeastern (Fla.).

OKLAHOMA STATE — Announced junior softball INF Sydney Springfield is transferring from LSU.

RUTGERS — Named Mike Bedford assistant women's lacrosse coach.

SAINT JOSEPH'S — Named Gina McCool assistant softball coach.



Associated Press

SWITZERLAND'S ROGER Federer grimaces after losing a point during the fifth set of his men's quarterfinals match against Kevin Anderson at the Wimbledon Tennis Championships in London Wednesday.

Federer stunned in Wimbledon QF; Nadal, Djokovic, Isner win

LONDON (AP) — Roger Federer was a point away from a rather tidy, straight-set victory in the Wimbledon quarterfinals. One lousy point.

And then, slowly, over the next two-plus hours, all the way until the fifth set reached its 24th game, as the temperature dropped and the spectators' cries of "Let's go, Roger!" echoed through the shadows, everything came apart for the eight-time champion. Against an opponent who'd never beaten him nor made it this far at the All England Club.

In a stunning turnaround in an unfamiliar setting — No. 1 Court instead of Centre Court — the top-seeded Federer blew a third-set match point and, eventually, all of his big lead in a 2-6, 6-7 (5), 7-5, 6-4, 13-11 loss to No. 8 Kevin Anderson on Wednesday in a 4-hour, 14-minute tussle.

"It was just one of those days where you hope to get by somehow," said Federer, who last played at No. 1 Court in 2015. "I almost could have. I should have."

While his tournament is over, two of his long-time rivals at the top of tennis set up a semifinal showdown: Rafael Nadal and Novak Djokovic. Nadal, who's won two of his 17 Grand Slam titles at Wimbledon, edged 2009 U.S. Open champion Juan Martin del Potro 7-5, 6-7 (7), 4-6, 6-4, 6-4 in a wildly entertaining match that featured diving shots by both and lasted 4 hours, 48 minutes.

Djokovic, whose 12 major championships include three from the All England Club, got to his first Grand Slam semifinal since 2016 by beating No. 24 seed Kei Nishikori 6-3, 3-6, 6-2, 6-2.

In Friday's other men's match, Anderson will face No. 9 John Isner, the 33-year-old American who reached his first major semifinal in his 41st try by eliminating 2016 runner-up Milos Raonic 6-7 (5), 7-6 (7), 6-4, 6-3. Isner hit 25 aces, saved the

only break point he faced, and has won all 95 of his service games in the tournament.

Federer hadn't been broken until facing Anderson. Still, the 20-time major champion was leading by two sets and 5-4 in the third when, with Anderson serving, he got to Ad-Out. He could have ended things right then and there. Federer managed to return a 134 mph serve, but on his next stroke, he shanked a backhand.

Back to deuce. From there, it all began to change. Anderson held for 5-all, broke to 6-5 with a violent return winner off a 97 mph second serve, then staved off three break points and closed the set with a 133 mph ace.

The comeback was just beginning. "I had my chances," Federer said, "so it's disappointing."

This was only the third time in Federer's 20 years of contesting Grand Slam matches that he lost after taking the opening two sets; both of the other defeats came in 2011. And, according to the ATP, it's the fifth time Federer lost a match at a major after holding a match point, something else that last happened seven years ago.

How hard was it to see this coming? First of all, Federer was 4-0 against Anderson, winning every set. But there was more. So much more. Federer was attempting to reach his 13th semifinal at Wimbledon and move closer to title No. 9, both of which would have broken his own records.

He came into the match having won 32 consecutive sets at Wimbledon, a run he stretched to 34 before faltering.

"I just kept on telling myself, 'I have to keep believing.' I kept saying that today was going to be my day," Anderson said, "because you really need that mindset taking the court against somebody like Roger."



Associated Press

ENGLAND GOALKEEPER Jordan Pickford lies down on the pitch as Croatia goalkeeper Danijel Subasic, right, celebrates at the end of the semifinal match between Croatia and England at the 2018 soccer World Cup in the Luzhniki Stadium in Moscow, Russia, Wednesday

World Cup final: Youthful, energetic French vs experienced Croats

MOSCOW (AP) — A World Cup of surprises concludes with a final of contrasts.

Powered by the dynamism of Kylian Mbappe, France has youthful exuberance in a side packed with some of soccer's highest-value talent. It also has pedigree — winners in 1998 and finalists in 2006.

Croatia has a veteran roster that has been stretched to the limit but continues to win in Russia. The Croats never give in, prevailing in a shootout against Denmark, again on penalties against Russia — after being stung by a late equalizer — and then recovering from conceding early against England.

Just don't suggest Croatia will be weary in Sunday's final when it returns to the Luzhniki Stadium on Sunday.

Croatia's star midfielder Luka Modric said "we will see who will be tired" was the team ethos going into Wednesday's semifinal, feeling Croatia had been underestimated by the English.

Modric, along with Mario Mandzukic, are the 32-year-olds who have propelled Croatia to its first major soccer final. In the previous four World Cups: Croatia failed to qualify in 2010 and was ousted in the group stage the other three occasions.

Before then, in its World Cup debut in

1998, Croatia did reach the semifinals, where it lost to France.

When Croatian Prime Minister Andrej Plenkovic visited the team hotel in Moscow on Wednesday that 1998 game was on his mind — even before beating England.

"We might have the chance for the revenge in the finals with the French," Plenkovic said. Now they get it.

Croatia advanced to its first World Cup final with a 2-1 extra-time win over England on Wednesday night. France beat Belgium 1-0 a night earlier.

"We have a good opportunity to give them something back for 20 years ago when they reached the final," Croatia defender Dejan Lovren said. "Maybe it's our time to revenge something but it's a tough game and it will be difficult."

A country of 65 million, France has stars like 19-year-old sensation Mbappe, midfielder Paul Pogba and striker Antoine Griezmann.

Croatia is the fourth-smallest country of the 32 World Cup teams with just over 4 million people. It has a chance to be the least-populous nation to win since Uruguay took the title in 1950, when it was a nation of just over 2 million.

Aguilar drives in 3, but Brewers lose to Marlins

MIAMI (AP) — Milwaukee slugger Jesus Aguilar was added to the NL All-Star team Wednesday night and then validated the selection with three hits and three RBIs, but the Brewers went 3 for 16 with runners in scoring position and lost 5-4 to the Miami Marlins in 12 innings.

Starlin Castro singled home the winning run with one out in the 12th.

Aguilar learned he won the online vote for the final NL roster spot, and he'll also compete in the Home Run Derby next week in Washington. He doubled home a run in the first, singled in the fourth and hit a tying, two-run double in the eighth against Drew Steckenrider.

Aguilar came into the game leading the NL in homers, slugging and OPS. He has 67 RBIs and is batting .307.

Miami's Garrett Cooper led off the 12th with a single against Jorge Lopez (0-1) and went to second on a groundout. Castro then grounded a single to left field and Christian Yelich's throw home was off line, allowing Cooper to score standing up.

Miami took two of three in the series from the NL Central leaders.

The Marlins, who have the NL's worst record, hit a new attendance low. The

Marlins 5, Brewers 4, 12 innings

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Cain cf	5	0	2	0	Ziegler p	0	0	0	0
Yelich lf	6	1	1	1	Riddle ss	2	0	0	0
Aguilar 1b	5	0	3	3	Bri.And rf	4	1	2	0
T.Shaw 3b	2	0	0	0	S.Castro 2b	5	0	1	2
Jennings p	0	0	0	0	Bour 1b	4	1	1	1
B.Miller ph	1	0	0	0	Stcknd p	0	0	0	0
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Knebel p	0	0	0	0	Conley p	0	0	0	0
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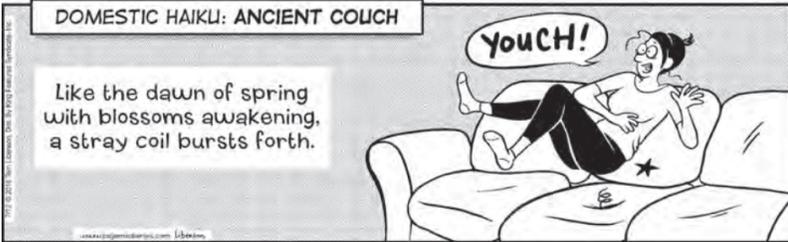
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DOMESTIC HAIKU: ANCIENT COUCH

Like the dawn of spring with blossoms awakening, a stray coil bursts forth.

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MOTHER GOOSE & GRIMM



I HATE WHEN SHE ALWAYS TRIES TO STIFLE MY ARTISTIC VISION

BORN LOSER



DO YOU HAVE ANY POINTERS FOR ME BEFORE THE BIG GAME TONIGHT, POP?

THE BEST ADVICE I EVER HEARD WAS FROM WOOLIE HELD OF THE CLEVELAND INDIANS...

ALWAYS SWING HARD—YOU NEVER KNOW YOU JUST MIGHT HIT THE BALL!

ALLEY OOP



I'M SO SORRY I LET MENTIS USE A TIME-TRAVEL NECKLACE! I DIDN'T KNOW...

IT'S OKAY, AVA! EVERYTHING WORKED OUT FINE!

AS A MATTER OF FACT, I SHOULD THANK YOU, AVA, BECAUSE HE ACTUALLY SAVED THE DAY WITH IT!

FOR BETTER OR WORSE



YOU GREW UP SO FAST. SOON YOU WERE DRESSING AND UN-DRESSING YOURSELF.

BY THE TIME YOU WERE THREE, YOU WERE SPEAKING IN CLEAR AND COMPLETE SENTENCES.

LOOK, MOM! THERE'S A MAN WITH NO HAIR!!

FRANK & ERNEST



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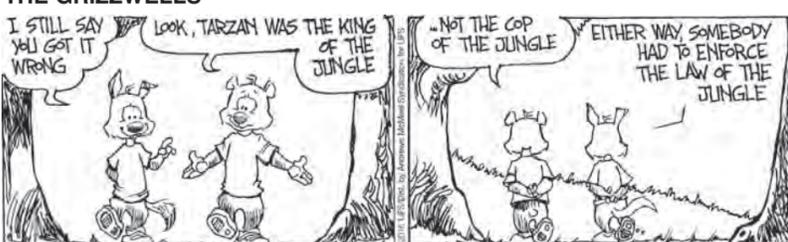


I'D LIKE TO TRY ON SOME BATHING SUITS.

SURE! RIGHT THIS WAY!

MY SON IS GOING TO HELP ME PICK ONE OUT.

THE GRIZZWELLS



I STILL SAY YOU GOT IT WRONG

LOOK, TARZAN WAS THE KING OF THE JUNGLE

NOT THE COP OF THE JUNGLE

EITHER WAY SOMEBODY HAD TO ENFORCE THE LAW OF THE JUNGLE

Ex moved to the same town

Dear Annie: "Lindsay" and I dated for 2 1/2 years. Our breakup wasn't the worst, but it wasn't a walk in the park, either. I had just packed up my life and moved across the country with her to relocate for her job, and a week after we got there, she dumped me. I was blindsided. It took a while to pick myself back up, but eventually I did, and I can look back and honestly say I'm glad we broke up. I've made a lot of progress that I don't think I would have been motivated to do otherwise. Our breakup allowed me to move to a city that is better for my career.

Fast-forward to today, three years later. Lindsay and her husband (she's married now) recently relocated to my city. (Her husband works in a field that's similar to mine.) She's reached out a few times, asking whether I'd like to come over for dinner with the two of them. I've been putting it off, basically just saying, "Maybe soon!" The other day, she texted me that they're having trouble making friends here. I wasn't sure what to say back, so I just said to give it time, that it took me a few months to make any friends here, too. I think they were hoping I would introduce them to people.

Annie, I wish her and her husband the best, but I just can't bring myself to want to spend time with them or to introduce them to my friends. It's not out of spite or jealousy or anything. I'm seeing a woman I'm crazy about. I have a great group of friends out here. I'm genuinely happy with where I am in life. A buddy of mine suggested that I should stop holding on to the past and just treat Lindsay as I would any friend. I definitely feel I've forgiven Lindsay in my heart — but do I really have to be friends with her? — **Want to Do the Right Thing**

Dear Want to Do the Right Thing: You're not obligated to be the social coor-



Dear Annie

director for Lindsay and her husband just because they're new to the city. They are adults and can figure it out. You did. Keep things cordial, as you have been, and go on with your life. You can forgive and forget, but it doesn't mean you have to be friends.

Dear Annie: We embraced with enthusiasm your printed suggestion from a reader to deploy glass jars with water in them to ward off our dogs' habit of peeing in places where we would prefer they do not. Now every morning, we are greeted with a small puddle in the concave bottom of each inverted jar. It appears my Boston terriers now believe we have provided them with a target for their business. Epic fail. — **Joe and Laurie in Greensboro**

Dear Joe and Laurie: I was curious to hear how that reader's suggestion worked out. I'm sorry to hear that it didn't. Better clean up that failed experiment and ditch the jars before your terriers become accustomed to them.

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TODAY'S HOROSCOPE

Give yourself the opportunity to try new things and develop creative endeavors that you've been contemplating. If you take a positive approach to life, you'll find it easier to get what you want. Accept the inevitable and embrace the changes that are made available to you. Romance is highlighted.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Update your image or show off your creative flair. Make a statement and explore new possibilities. If you've got it, why not flaunt it?

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Check out your options before you make a move. You'll be disappointed if you act prematurely. Too much of anything will weigh you down.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Start a diet or health regimen that will help you maintain your looks and keep you fit and ready to take on the world. You will attract friends and romantic interests if you socialize.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Keep moving forward, no

matter what everyone else is doing. It's important to finish what you start to avoid complaints. If you don't like something, speak up.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Let your emotions lead the way. Be proactive if you want to let someone know how much you care. Do more, say less and make adjustments that will encourage better personal relationships.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — Don't sit back and wait for someone else to take control. Trust and believe in your ability to figure things out on your own. Refuse to give in to impulse.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Focus on what you can do, and turn your plan into a reality. Your sense of what will and won't work will give you the edge when faced with competition.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — Stick to what you know and can afford. Don't be tempted by someone who is a bad influence or unpredictable.

Stick close to home and protect against identity theft.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) — Physical transformation is highlighted. The changes you make will give you a new lease on life and the confidence to approach someone you may have shied away from in the past.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Stifle any feelings of animosity and look for the positive in whatever situation you face at home or work. If you don't make a fuss, you won't have to backtrack.

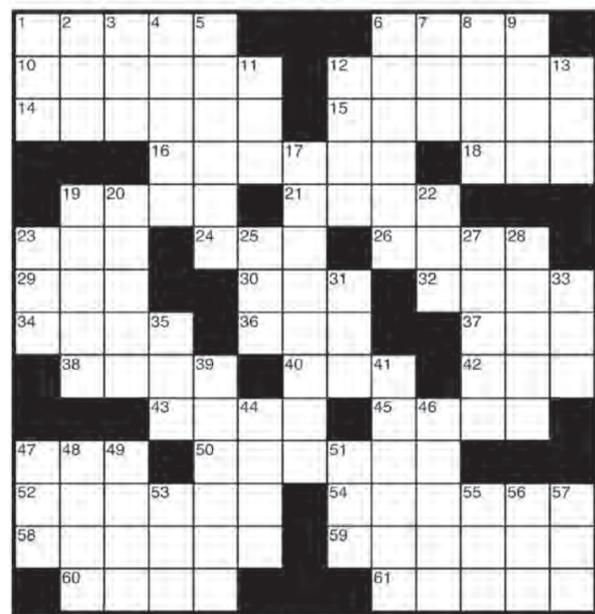
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — If you express your feelings and discuss possibilities, you will be offered various opinions. Knowing where everyone stands will help you align yourself with the best support team.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Use your intelligence to get your way. Refuse to let someone manipulate a situation to take advantage of you. Take better care of your health.

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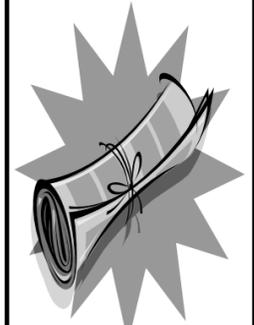
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Date of Mortgage Recording: August 8, 2005
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North		07-12-18
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♦ 8 3 2		
West		East
♦ A 8 5 4 2		♦ K 10 6 3
♦ J 9 4		♦ 10 7 2
♦ 10 7		♦ 8 3 2
♦ J 9 6		♦ Q 10 5
South		
♦ J 9	♦ A 8 3	♦ K J 6 5
	♦ A K 7 4	
Dealer: South Vulnerable: Both		
South	West	North
1NT	Pass	2♣
2♦	Pass	3NT
East		
Pass		
Opening lead: ♦ 4		

**Can you trust
your opponent?**

By Phillip Alder

Marcus Tullius Cicero, a Roman statesman and orator who died circa 43 B.C., said, "Confidence is that feeling by which the mind embarks in great and honorable courses with a sure hope and trust in itself."

You need to have confidence in your bridge partner. If you do not, get a new one! But at other times, your play may depend on whether you trust an opponent.

In today's deal, West leads a fourth-highest spade four against three no-trump. What happens after that?

With that North hand, I would have been tempted to raise one no-trump straight to three no-trump. With 28-30 combined high-card points, usually there will be nine winners. But four hearts, assuming a 4-4 fit exists, might fail to a bad trump break or a defensive crossruff. Also, if a 4-4 fit does not exist, using Stayman just gives the defenders extra information about declarer's hand.

South has nine top tricks: three hearts, four diamonds and two clubs. If only he could have had the opening lead, he could have claimed. Now, though, the defenders seem destined to take the first five or six tricks in spades.

However, when declarer plays dummy's seven, some Easts, worried that South has the ace and West the jack, will put in the 10. Then a grateful South will win the trick and, here, collect two overtricks. What clue would those Easts have missed?

If South had started with A-x or A-x-x in spades, he would have put up dummy's queen in the hope of taking two tricks in the suit. When he does not, West is marked with the spade ace.

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Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

			7					3
		5						1
	7		6	9				
		2			1			
6	3		5		7			4
			7			5		
				4	8			9
	4					8		
3				2				

Difficulty Level ★★★★★

7/12

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Conceptis Sudoku increases from Monday to Saturday.

Answer to previous puzzle

2	7	8	1	5	9	4	6	3
1	6	5	2	3	4	7	8	9
4	9	3	8	7	6	5	2	1
8	3	6	7	9	1	2	4	5
7	1	2	5	4	8	9	3	6
5	4	9	3	6	2	8	1	7
9	5	4	6	2	3	1	7	8
6	8	7	4	1	5	3	9	2
3	2	1	9	8	7	6	5	4

Difficulty Level ★★★



Ask The Doctors

CHRONIC WASTING DISEASE ON THE RISE AMONG DEER IN THE U.S.

by Robert Ashley, M.D., Eve Glazier, M.D. & Elizabeth Ko, M.D.

Dear Doctor: My dad and brothers are hunters, so there's always deer meat in the freezer and it's often on the menu. But I'm hearing that it's now linked to a brain disease. Should we be worried?

Dear Reader: You're referring to chronic wasting disease, also known as CWD, which has now been found in deer herds in at least 23 states. It has also been identified in moose, elk and reindeer, and is a becoming a problem in Canada, Norway and South Korea as well.

Chronic wasting disease is a progressive disease that affects the functioning of the brain and spinal cord of the infected animals, and invariably leads to their death. Although it is highly contagious among animals -- the disease continues to spread in wild deer herds and fenced-in hunting ranches -- there are no known cases of transmission to humans at this time.

CWD is part of a family of disorders known as prion disease. If that sounds familiar, it's because prions play a leading role in mad cow disease. The disease created an uproar when it was identified in Great Britain, Europe and the United States in the late 1980s through the early 2000s. Mad

cow caused several hundred deaths in humans, mostly in Great Britain, and resulted in 4.5 million cows being destroyed.

Although prions are normal proteins found in the brains and nervous systems of most animals, including mammals, reptiles and birds, the prions involved in the disease process behave abnormally. They start a chain reaction among the normal proteins in the brain, causing them to fold and bend and become deformed. This prevents the proteins from fulfilling their specific biological purposes, and ultimately results in the characteristic spongy appearance in the brain tissues of the infected animal. In CWD, prions cause numerous small holes to develop in the brains of infected deer, which affect the deer's behavior and lead to death.

Symptoms in infected deer include tremors, loss of coordination, weight loss and wasting, a lack of awareness of the surroundings, an uncharacteristic loss of fear of humans, and increased thirst, urination and salivation. The incubation period of CWD is quite long, averaging from 18 to 24 months. That means an animal can be infected with the disease but not show any ill effects. CWD is transmitted

among herds of deer through normal contact, like touching noses, licking, mating and giving birth. In addition, soil contaminated by the urine, feces or carcass of an affected animal remains a vector of infection for more than a decade.

CWD was first identified in the late 1960s, but as we mentioned earlier, there are no known instances of transmission to humans. However, because mad cow made the leap to humans, scientists are now investigating whether the same thing can happen with CWD. Wildlife officials in Colorado and other heavily affected states are urging hunters to bring their deer in for testing before consumption. This involves an analysis of tissues from the brain and lymph nodes. The agency that issued your hunting permit will have complete information.

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