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Brodhead Police Department receives donation from Brodhead Water & Light

The Brodhead Police Department received grant money from the Brodhead Water and Light Department to help purchase another speed board. They are extremely thankful to the Brodhead Water and Light for their donation of \$4,170. The money will fund a new speed board to monitor north-bound traffic coming towards the downtown area. Currently only south-bound traffic is being monitored by a speed board. This will help improve traffic safety in the area by displaying vehicle speeds reminding drivers to stay within or below the speed limit.

They are very lucky to have such great partnerships in our city.

Brodhead Historical Society to hold final meeting of the year

The Brodhead Historical Society will be holding their final meeting of 2025 on Monday, October 27. The guest speaker, Jeremy Broge, will give a presentation about the history of the Green County Poor Farm, which eventually became the Pleasant View Nursing Complex. Built in 1882, and labeled the Green County Asylum, it was a single building housing forty patients.

Please join them and learn about the evolution of Pleasant View to what we know today. The society's annual business meeting will also be held. The public is welcome to attend. The meeting begins at 7 p.m. in the Knight Addition of the Depot Museum

DLMRA announces fourth fish stocking

By Allen Penticoff

The Decatur Lake and Mill Race Association (DLMRA) is pleased to announce our fourth fish stocking of our local waters. The most recent was 75 walleye introduced to the Mill Race and 400 walleye at the head gate in Decatur Lake waters. Our spring 2025 stocking added 175 largemouth bass, 250 walleye, 350 perch, 400 bluegill and 600 black crappie. The 2025 stockings were funded entirely by generous donations and fund-raising through our Bourbon Raffle.

During our Kids Fishing event one participant caught an 11.5-inch crappie in the Brodhead Mill Race and a 30-inch Northern was recently caught in Decatur Lake on a worm! and released—they are out there. DLMRA has made fishing equipment available for check out at the Brodhead Public Library. Go Fish.

Our Bourbon Raffle tickets for 20 different allocated bourbons and whiskeys are one for \$25 or three for \$50. Venmo, cash or check accepted. The drawing will take place Friday, November 7 at 7 p.m. First name drawn is called and they get first pick—on down through the 20 bottles as each winner's name is drawn. To see a PDF of the raffle details or make a donation, email info@DLMRA.org. Fish stocking photos and video are on our DLMRA Facebook page.

Thanks to all who have donated and participated this year—we've made a great impact on sport fishing in the Brodhead area and hope to continue to do so. All funds raised go directly into our fish stocking purchases.

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Bethany Lutheran Church, 1652 West Church Road, Brodhead. 608-897-4158. Pastor position currently open. Interested candidates may reach out via Facebook or call Bethany Lutheran Church directly. Sunday school 8:45 a.m.; Sunday worship service 10 a.m. Holy Communion first Sunday of each month.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 405 E. 9th Ave, Brodhead. Phone: 608-897-2341 Pastor Callie Arendt. Email: office@bethlembrodhead.org. Website: www.bethlembrodhead.org. Sunday in-person worship with Communion at 9 a.m. On-line worship option via Facebook—Bethlehem Lutheran Church. Bingo the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 6:30 p.m., doors open at 5:30 p.m.

Congregational United Church of Christ, E201 23rd Street, Brodhead. 608-897-2917. Pastor Shawn Stapleton. Sundays: 9 a.m. worship June through August. No Sunday school for the summer months. Nursery is available for those who desire. Communion first Sunday of each month. Quilting and crafts workshop every Wednesday at 9 a.m. AA meetings Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p.m.

Grace Independent Baptist Church, Hwy. 81, three-quarter of a mile east of junction with 11, Brodhead. Donald Adams, Pastor. 608-897-8484. 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. morning worship, 6 p.m. evening service. Wednesday 6 p.m. service.

Juda-Zion Community Church, N2350 Church Street, 608-934-5398. Mark Woodward, Pastor. Sunday school 9:15 a.m.; worship service 10:30 a.m.

Living Word Church, 3825 S. County Road T, Brodhead. 608-897-8246. Pastor Russ Doeblner. Web site: livingwordwi.



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org. E-mail: ptl@livingwordwi.org. Adult Sunday school 9 a.m.; Sunday service at 10 a.m. worship at church and also via live stream at livingwordwi.org/media; Sunday evening Impact Youth 4-5:30 p.m.

Magnolia Christian Church, located on County A just off Hwy. 213. Services are Saturday night at 6:30 p.m. and can be viewed on their Facebook page. Call 608-449-6510 for more information.

Oakley-Union United Methodist Church, W2388 Gerber Road, Juda, 608-293-4232. Pastor Jadynd Meyer. Worship 9 a.m. Children's Sunday school September-May 9 a.m.

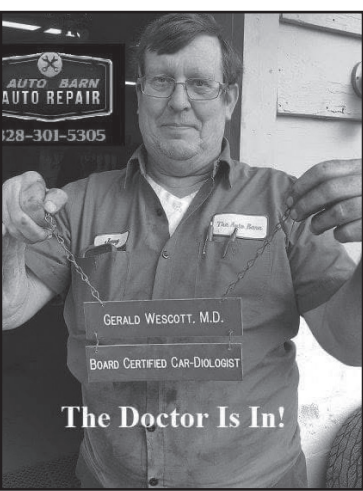
St. Peter Lutheran Church (WELS), corner of West 5th Avenue and 17th Street. www.stpeterlutheranbrodhead.org. Pastor Tyler Swiderski. Cell 612-270-2591, church 608-618-6090. Schedule—Sundays: worship 9 a.m.; Bible class and Sunday school 10:15 a.m.

St. Patrick Catholic Church, 410 E. State Street, Albany, part of Christ the King Pastorate. Fr. Chahm Gahng, Pastor. Mass on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 8 a.m. www.ctk-p.org, 608-325-9506 or secretary@ctk-p.org.

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, 1005 W. 2nd Avenue, Brodhead, part of Christ the King Pastorate. Fr. Chahm Gahng, Pastor. Mass on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays at 11 a.m. www.ctk-p.org, 608-325-9506 or secretary@ctk-p.org.

St. Victor Catholic Church, 1760 14th Street, Monroe, part of Christ the King Pastorate. Fr. Chahm Gahng, Pastor. Mass on Monday 6:15 p.m., Tuesday through Friday 8:15 a.m., Saturday 4 p.m., Sunday 8 and 10 a.m. www.ctk-p.org, 608-325-9506. Fully accessible for people with disabilities.

United Methodist Church of Brodhead, 501 1st Center Avenue, Brodhead. 608-897-2515. Pastor Francois Mukosa. Church office hours: Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-noon. Handicapped accessible. In-person worship at 9 a.m. Sundays. Services live streamed on Facebook.



The Doctor Is In!

Gerald “Jerry” “Doc” Wescott Obituary

Gerald “Jerry” “Doc” Herbert Wescott, Jr., aged 72, passed away August 29, 2025 in Asheville, North Carolina.

Jerry was born July 4, 1953, in Illinois to the late Gerald and Nancy Wescott. Gerald a mechanic known for his ability to work on calls. Also known for his building skills.

Jerry is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Mary Wescott; children: Terrie Davis and Gerald Wescott III; siblings: Nanette La Grange, Roger Wescott, Mark Wescott, Betty Andrews, Nancy Huber, Larry Wescott and Gary Wescott all of Wisconsin; grandchildren: Elisabeth Wescott, Brenda Wescott, Hope Davis, Hailley Gray, Cassandra Wescott, Allyssa Wescott, Austin Wescott and Tyler Wescott; as well as many additional loved ones.

Celebration of Life will be held Sunday, November 2, at the Avon Town Hall, from 1 to 3 p.m.

St. Peter Lutheran Church 44th Thanksgiving dinner

The congregation of St. Peters is inviting the community to join them for this special event on Monday, November 10, serving from 5 to 7 p.m. Carry outs are available. Menu includes turkey, ham, potatoes, green beans, squash, rolls, salad and dessert

For questions and carry out orders, call or text them at 612-270-2591 or 608-618-6090 or order online at stpeterlutheranbrodhead.com.

Free will offering with all proceeds being donated to the Brodhead EMS and Wels Christian Aid and Relief. Find them at 1708 W. 6th Avenue, Brodhead and Happy Thanksgiving!



Shirley A. Harrison

Shirley A. Harrison, 90 of Amboy passed away peacefully on October 12, 2025 at the Serenity Hospice Home in Oregon, IL surrounded by her family. She was born in Morris, IL on January 17th 1935, the only child of Orville and Mary (Hohenshell) Fleetwood.

Shirley was a 1953 graduate of Amboy High School. It's there where she met the love of her life, Cecil E. Harrison. They were united in marriage on May 11, 1957 at St. Patrick Catholic in Amboy and began their 65-year marriage on “The Farm”.

Shirley worked for the Lee County Farm Bureau, George Larson Insurance Agency and after her children were raised worked in the cafeterias at the Amboy Schools, a job she thoroughly enjoyed. Her greatest and most rewarding title was that of a devoted farmer's wife, mother and grandmother. Shirley's life was simple, revolving around the things that matter most, Faith and Family. She enjoyed tending to her vegetable and flower gardens and was an amazing cook and baker. She was also an avid sports fan often winning the families NCAA pools. She found no greater joy in life than sup-

porting her children and grandchildren in their activities.

Shirley was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church, Amboy, St. Patrick's Women's Organization and the American Legion.

She is survived by her six children: Janice (Buck) Fenwick, Barbara (Jack Leffelman) Harrison, Curtis (Linda) Harrison, John (Susan) Harrison, Lisa (Brad) Goy and Bradley Harrison; 10 cherished grandchildren: Ben (Lisa) Fenwick, Delaney (Jake) Teasdale, Tyler Fenwick, Grant Harrison, Meghan Harrison, Drew (Nichole) Goy, Dillon Goy, Dr. Colton (Jourdan) Pate, Cade Harrison and Noah Harrison; four beautiful great grandchildren: Oliver and Case Fenwick and Isaac and Emma Teasdale; several in-laws and many nieces and nephews.

Shirley is proceeded in death by her parents and her husband of 65-years. Mass of Christian burial was held Monday October 20, at 10:30 a.m. at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Amboy. Burial followed at St. Patrick Catholic Cemetery in Amboy. Visitation was Sunday October 19, from 4 to 6 p.m. at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Amboy with the Rosary at 3:30 p.m. Visitation was also from 9:30 to 10:15 a.m. at the church on Monday October 20.

Memorials have been established to the St. Patrick's Catholic Church renovation project and to the Serenity Hospice Home in Oregon.

The family would like to thank the staff and residents of Franklin Grove Living and Rehab Center, staff at OSF St. Katherine Medical Center in Dixon, and the Serenity Hospice Home in Oregon for their exceptional care of their mother in her final days. Arrangements by the Mihm-Jones Funeral Home in Amboy.



Trunk or Treat

The United Methodist Church of Brodhead will once again host a Halloween evening Trunk or Treat. Residents are invited to bring their decorated car trunks to the Friday, October 31 4 to 8 p.m. event. Hundreds of costumed Bluey, Spider Man, and pirates will come through, collecting their treats and a few spooky cars.

Businesses and other organizations are welcome, joining the Brodhead Fire Department and Brodhead Police. It's a great opportunity to have some fun and show off your business to the community.

Feel free to stop in on Halloween or call ahead to 608-897-2515.

The United Methodist Church of Brodhead is located at 501 First Center Avenue. Worship services are on Sunday at 9 a.m. All are welcome to come for a visit.

Advertising Deadline:
Friday, 5 p.m.



Brodhead Jaycees Holiday Market
Saturday, November 1 ~ 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
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Norwegian Dinner

The Orfordville Lutheran Church will host a Norwegian Dinner on Saturday, October 25, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The meal includes lutefisk, lefse, meatballs, mashed potatoes, cranberries, coleslaw, rolls, pie and coffee. The cost is adults \$20, children five to 12 \$5 and under five free.

The church is located at 210 N. Main Street, Orfordville. Carry outs available. The church is fully handicapped accessible!

ONE MORE DAY!
UCC RUMMAGE SALE



Friday, October 24
8 a.m.-12 p.m.
\$5 for a full bag or box!

Congregational United Church of Christ
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Advertising
Deadline:
Friday, 5 p.m.

Veterans Day Program at Albrecht Elementary School

Albrecht Elementary School will be having their Annual Veterans Day Program on Tuesday, November 11th at 9:15 a.m. They cordially invite all veterans to join them for donuts and coffee prior to the program at 8:15 a.m. If you are a veteran or know someone who has served our country please spread the word. They would be honored if you could join them. This event is open to the public. All are welcome to attend. If you have any questions, please call Kelly Knox, Albrecht Elementary School Principal, at 608-897-2146 for further details.



By Sarah Carpenter

There's a small change coming for our book lovers! Books and Brews will continue meeting on the same day and at the same location—Bridges Bar & Grill—but starting this month, the meeting time will shift to 6:30 p.m. to better accommodate everyone's schedules.

Participants are encouraged to grab a drink, enjoy some good company, and join in on the lively book discussions. The next meeting will be Wednesday, November 19 at 6:30 p.m., when the group will discuss The Sicilian Inheritance by Jo Piazza.

The Brodhead Book Club will also meet next month on Thursday, November 20 at 6 p.m. at the library to discuss Go Set a Watchman by Harper Lee. Both clubs welcome new readers, and these gatherings will be the final meetings of 2025—so now's the perfect time to join!

Our next Chatty Crafties gathering will also see a small schedule change—this month's craft night will be held on Tuesday, October 28 at 5:30 p.m. instead of Monday, October 27. All skill levels are welcome, and registration is required. Patrons can sign up by calling or visiting the library, or by registering online through our website.

As always, stop by the Brodhead Library on 25th Street or visit brodheadlibrary.org for details on programs, services, and upcoming events.

75th Wedding Anniversary
Otto and Delores Olsen



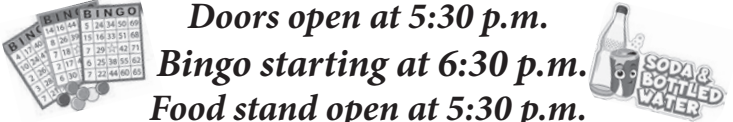
Saturday, November 1, 2025
1 to 4 p.m.

Juda Community Center
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ACTIVITIES
AROUND TOWN

BHS FALL FEATURE CONCERT

The Fall Feature Concert for the Brodhead High School Band will be held on Monday, October 27, at 7 p.m. in the high school gym.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY

Make A Difference Day, National Day of Doing Good, will be held on Saturday, October 25, from 9 to 11 a.m., meet at the Brodhead Fire Department. Transportation will be provided to "work sites" from the "headquarters" downtown.

Everyone in our community is invited to lend a helping hand.

- Rake and clean up neighborhood yards for elderly residents
- "Trick or Treat" around town to collect items for our local Brodhead Food Pantry
- Tie fleece blankets for Family Promise of Green County
- Craft bookmarks for the Brodhead Memorial Library
- Pick up sticks and trash around area parks in Brodhead
- Collect trash along their mile of Adopt-a-Highway
- Write/craft notes for Veterans Day delivery
- Braid fabric scraps into tug toys to donate to the Green County Humane Society
- Assist with fall clean-up on school grounds, arboretum and Pearl Island
- Sort and organize donations at the Brodhead Community Closet
- Additional projects will be added as they come to be

Please consider:

- Spreading the word—let Stephanie Tresemer know of someone in town that needs help with yardwork
- Helping crews rake leaves in neighborhood yards and move the brush to the curb
- Donate one and one-half yards of fleece for the tie blankets to be donated to Family Promise
- Transporting volunteers as they collect non-perishable items around the community
- Providing morning treats for the volunteers: sweets, chips, granola bars, fruit, water, etc.

If you would like to get involved in any way or know of someone that could use help with a project please contact Stephanie Tresemer at stresemer@brodhead.k12.wi.us or call 608-897-2184 ext. 210.

BRODHEAD LIONS AND LEOS PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Brodhead Lions and Leos are having their fall pancake breakfast to raise money for Brodhead School District field trips. The breakfast will be held on Saturday, November 8, at the Albrecht Elementary School from 7 to 11 a.m. All you can eat pancakes, eggs, sausage, apple sauce, coffee, milk and orange juice. There is no charge for the meal. They are asking only for your free will donation.

IT'S OPTIMIST MITTEN TREE TIME!

Helping the children of our community and throughout the world is the sole purpose of the Brodhead Optimist Club, a proud member of Optimist International. What better way to do that than by providing Christmas gifts to children in need. But we need the whole community to help us make this project successful. The Susan Welch Mitten Tree Project is designed to help families of children who have eighth graders or younger who live in the Brodhead School District and are having difficulty providing Christmas gifts for their children.

Applications can be picked up by the parents or guardians at the Bank of Brodhead, the Bank of New Glarus—Brodhead Branch, Brodhead Albrecht Elementary and Brodhead Middle School beginning Monday, October 27. The completed form needs to be dropped off where it was originally picked up by Friday, November 7.

The parent or legal guardian must pick up the gifts on Saturday, December 13, between 9 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Congregational UCC Church, E201 23rd Street, Brodhead. If the parent is unavailable at this time, they may have someone else pick up the gifts with a signed note from the parent.

Let's work together to make Christmas delightful for all our Brodhead children this year. Thank you for supporting the Brodhead Optimist Club.



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Thank you to our Flag Football Coaches!

I am truly appreciative of the time, energy and dedication our coaches put into making this season a success. Your leadership, patience and commitment to helping our players grow both on and off the field make a lasting difference.



~Ashley Graves,
Pool & Rec Supervisor



This year’s cross country seniors, they couldn’t have had the success they had without them.



2025 Rock Champs

Rock Valley Conference Championship

The Cardinal boys were first in the Rock Division and third overall. Medalists were Mavrik Plummer in fifth with a time of 18:01.00 and Jorge Villalva in 21st with a time of 19:13.50.

The Cardinal girls were second in the Rock Division and third overall. Medalists were Olivia Brooks in fourth place with a time of 20:53.60, Isabelle Yoshida in 14th with a time of 22:28.50 and Ciarrah Condon in 23rd with a time of 23:22.80.

Medaling in this meet also means they are an All Conference selection.



Brodhead High School class of 1960 reunion

The Brodhead High School class of 1960 recently held their 65th class reunion.

Front row, left to right: Darlene Cramblett Schwartzlow, Jane Sveom Cole, Mary Sutherland Hannes, Sandra Swenson Zuehlke, Anna Lea Peterson Duchow; second row: Jan Ten Eyck Garske, Carlyle Erickson, Don Wolter, Bill Pfisterer, Shelby Mauermann Knezel, George Abrams, Gary Saunders; back row: Jeff Knezel, Ron Wolter, Donald Buehler, Ron Appleman, Ron Schwartzlow and Charles Sanderlin.

Football contest

The highest scoring football game of the week was Delavan-Darien over Jefferson, 49-28 and Monroe over East Troy, 49-26. Lynette VonAllmen, Albany, and Ann Schwartz, of Brodhead, tied for first and second with two incorrect games and 49 points.

The following also had two incorrect games: Eric VonAllmen, Albany—55 points; and Dennis Brian Malkow—56 points, and Doug Rezner—57 points, both of Brodhead.



Senior Allie Dahl had nine kills in their game against Evansville. Brodhead won in three sets: 25-3, 25-17 and 25-16 (file photo). Cardinal volleyball closed out the regular season with an 8-2 conference record for second place in the RVC. Post season play begins next Thursday with Brodhead seeded third. Their opponent TBD. The winner will then play the regional final on Saturday. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)



Jordan Dix busts through the line to set up Brodhead Juda for a touchdown. The final score 22-42 was not enough for the Cards to overcome the Hillmen. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)

VOLLEYBALL

Sunday Night Winter Volleyball

10/12 standings: I'd Smack won 6 lost 0, Getting Diggy With It 6-0, The Goon Squad 6-0, That's What She Set 5-1, That Net Ninjas 4-2,

Super Soy 4-2, All Sets Are Off 3-3, Victorious Secret 2-4, Cactus Squad 1-5, Hit Happens 1-5, It's A Set Up 1-5, One Hit Wonders 1-5, Fambam Slammers 1-5, Killer Serves 1-5.

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Greenco Donates \$25,000 to Brodhead Jaycees for Splash Pad Project

The Brodhead Jaycees are thrilled to announce a generous \$25,000 donation from Greenco Industries to support the splash pad. This incredible contribution brings the group one step closer to making the much anticipated family-friendly water play area a reality in Brodhead.

The Jaycees expressed their deep gratitude for Greenco's commitment to the community, noting that this donation demonstrates the company's dedication to improving local parks and creating safe, fun and accessible spaces for the community to enjoy.

"Greenco is proud to support causes that are doing meaningful work for inclusive settings for people with and without disabilities in our region. We appreciate businesses and individuals that contribute towards the success of their community", said Randy Klein, CEO of Greenco Industries.

The Brodhead splash pad project continues to gain momentum, with fundraising efforts ongoing and excitement building for construction in the near future. The Jaycees have currently raised \$285,000 with a total goal of raising \$460,000 to construct the splash pad. More information on project details and fund-raisers can be found on their new website brodheadjaycees.com.

POLICE

Green County Sheriff's Department October 13-19, 2025

At 11:22 p.m. Saturday, deputies responded to a vehicle vs parked vehicle in the 200 block of N. Mechanic Street/STH 59, Village of Albany. Gary L. Burkhalter, 77, Monroe, was southbound when he swerved to miss a cat in the roadway. Burkhalter struck the rear end of an unoccupied legally parked vehicle owned by Brian S. Hauri, 52, Brodhead. Burkhalter's vehicle sustained functional passenger side front-end damage, with no airbag deployment. Burkhalter and his passenger both reported wearing their seat belts and were uninjured. Their vehicle was driven from the scene. Hauri's vehicle sustained minor driver's side rear corner damage, with no airbag deployment. The vehicle remained on scene.

At 11:26 p.m., Saturday, deputies, along with Brodhead FD and EMS, responded to a motorcycle crash with injuries in the N4800 block of STH 104, Town of Decatur. Phillip H. Stietz, 70, Albany, was southbound when he lost control, crossed the centerline and entered the east ditch, where the bike overturned. The motorcycle sustained disabling damage and was towed from the scene. Stietz was wearing a helmet and safety equipment, and sustained injuries. He was transported to an area hospital via EMS.

ACADEMICS

UW-LA CROSSE ANNOUNCES SUMMER 2025 GRADUATES

Catherine Speckman, of Brodhead, completed degree requirements at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse in August. She received a Master of Science, Clinical Exercise Physiology degree.

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Orfordville High School Class of 1956

The Orfordville High School Class of 1956 recently held their class reunion. Those in attendance were, front row, left to right: Rosemary Klassy Scott, Barbara Johnson Bollerud, Willabea Hegge Framcos, Janice Hasselman Bosman, and Bernice Christianson Amundson; back row: Rodney Cawkins, Rollyn Anderson, Wayne Stluka, Richard Sarow and Raymond Ferry.

Saturday Mornings at the Durand Library

**Saturday, October 25,
Medicare Seminar
Submitted by Barbara Flores, President, Friends of the Durand Library**

There are plenty of questions about Medicare and it is certainly a struggle to wade through the process. Serena Starnes, who gave a presentation on Medicare last year, will again help guide people through the process.

The Open Medicare Enrollment Program began Wednesday, October 15 and she will be at the library Saturday, October 25 at 10 a.m. to answer all your questions.

And there are lots of them: what does Medicare cover; does Medicare give me fewer choices; do my health problems work against me; what about a deductible, out-of-pocket expenses; and when and how does one sign up. How about changes — are those possible?

Lots to think about so please plan on attending this very informative seminar on the critical questions about health care insurance, which we all face.

Serina Starnes has been an Independent Insurance Agent since 2016. She was awarded the Circle of Champions for being a leader in Affordable Care Act enrollments. She specializes in Health, Life and Medicare products.

Durand Library hours are 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays and Tuesday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Please use and support these library services, which are offered at no cost to the community through a collaboration of the Durand School and the Friends of the Durand Library.

Email villagelibrary@cusd322.org or call 815-289-8602 for more information and don't forget to visit our Facebook page at [durandvil-lagelibrary](https://www.facebook.com/durandvil-lagelibrary).

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Monday Night Mixed League

9/29—High series: Ryan Flood 697, Robert Murray 639, Tyson Foster 616. High games: R. Flood 269, R. Murray 248, T. Foster 235, Tim Huffman 235. Broughton's Bar-high team game 1,036 and series 2,932. **Standings:** Fosters Gaming won 95 lost 67, Broughton's Bar 90-72, Albany Lanes 78-84, Center Tavern 76-86, Beloit Chiropractic 75-87, Bartelt 72-90.

Tuesday Shanigans

10/14—High series: Karrie Laws 383, Tammy Neuenschwander 374, Lisa Josephsen 358, Dennis Atkinson 523, Rick Clark 517, Rick Josephsen 513. High games: T. Neuenschwander 162, L. Josephsen 144, K. Laws 143, Becky Hanneman 142, R. Clark 202, R. Josephsen 200, D. Atkinson 199. The Young & The Restless-high team game 815 and series 2,362. **Standings:** Perfectly Aged won 12 lost 2, Misfits 11-3, The Young & The Restless 7-7, Sweet Mini HaHa 5-9, Greightful Dead 2-12.

Badger

10/7—High series: Keith Riese 626, Ethan Pfueti 599, Jim Laughlin 594, Dave Brugger 580, Megan Anderson 438. High games: K. Riese 247, J. Laughlin 223, D. Brugger 213, Brian Behnke 213, M. Anderson 165. Renks-high team game 795 and series 2,316. 10/14—High series: Ethan Pfueti 661, LeRoy Blumer 614, Josh Brugger 612, Paul Rhyner 596, Megan Anderson 453, Kim Qualley 326. High games: E. Pfueti 244, Brian Purdy 236, P. Rhyner 232, J. Brugger 228, M. Anderson 453, K. Qualley 136. Jim's Mechanic Shop-high team game 795 and series 2,240. **Standings:** Counter Attack won 26 lost 16, Decatur Dairy 26-16, Renks 25-17, Team 6 20-22, TUGS 15-27, Jim's Mechanic Shop 14-28.

Wednesday Night Ladies

10/8—High series: Shianne Broughton 458, Julie Williams 452, Brenda Jacobson 443, Fran Kubesh 437, Tami Behnke 404. High games: S. Broughton 180, B. Jacobson 169, J. Williams 168, F. Kubesh 153, Traci Brewer 152. Albertson's-high team game 575 and series 1,603. 10/15—High series: Kari Johnson 562, Rikki Thomas-Martin 479, Tara Blumer 449, Fran Kubesh 442, Marcie Brugger 418. High games: K. Johnson 232, R. Thomas-Martin 199, Jolene Adcock 170, T. Blumer 170, F. Kubesh 169. General Store-high team game 613. Crystal's Team-high team series 1,680. **Standings:** Larson Acres won 33 lost 9, General Store 28-14, Glenn-Ann Ladies 25-17, Crystal's Team 15-27, Stables Bar & Grill 14-28, Albertson's 11-31.

Thursday Afternoon Ladies

10/9—High series: Nancy Salzwedel 428, Laurie Thommen 400, Debbie Williams 398. High games: N. Salzwedel 180, Sheryl Johnson 155, L. Thommen 152. Mike's Flooring-high team game 514 and series 1,436. 10/16—High series: Becky Riese 458, Debbie Williams 408, Sheryl Johnson 379. High games: D. Williams 173, B. Riese 159, S. Johnson 151. Nolte's Garage-high team game 492. Mike's Flooring-high team series 1,386. **Standings:** Nolte's Garage won 36 lost 13, Briggs Heating and AC 33-16, Knutes 32-17, Mike's Flooring 30-19, Albany Lanes 14-35.

Thursday Night Mixed

10/9—High series: John Pluss 683, Ryan Flood 658, Michael Morton 647, Timothy Schwartzlow 644. High games: Brandon Bayrhofer 248, James Laughlin 247, R. Flood 244, Andrew Elmer 239. Broughton's Corner Bar 1-high team game 1,165 and series 3,099. 10/16—High series: Erich Brandenburg 695, Rick Reed 689, Robert Murray 674, Brandon Bayrhofer 672. High games: R. Reed 279, B. Bayrhofer 265, R. Murray 258, E. Brandenburg 247. Albany Lanes-high team game 1,200 and series 3,189. **Standings:** Attica Bar won 31 lost 18, Broughton's Corner Bar 1 27-22, Glenn Ann Holsteins 26-23, Golz Electric 25-24, Albany Lanes 24-25, Broughton's Corner Bar 2 14-35.

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- Leaves must be racked to edge of curb or street in windrows away from trees, posts and other objects. If the machine can't reach your leaves, they will not be picked up.
- **DO NOT put leaves in gutter or in the street.** Leaves release phosphorus when they break down and decompose, representing one of the largest sources of urban phosphorus pollution. When left in the street gutters, a phosphorus-rich tea is produced that easily washes down storm drains and directly into our rivers and lakes. You can help by raking leaves from the street curb in front of your home, and then composting them or placing them on the street terrace for pick up.

Please have all leaves out to the street as soon as possible. Leaves put out after Friday, November 21st may be too late for pick up.

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By Laura Roth,
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Albertson Memorial Library's Preschool Story Time started with handprints that became kittens! Each preschooler chose the color for their kitten, dipped their hand into the paint and made a handprint or two. Then it was time for the stories, all focused on dogs being the boss: Dog in Charge (by Going), Katie Loves the Kittens (by Himmelman) and Marly and the Kittens (by Grogan). And lots of clapping and chanting in between the sto-

ries, with a fun action song about dogs and cat jumping up and down. "Fiddle-dee-dee! Fiddle-dee-dee! A dog and a cat sat next to me!" Finally, everyone made a kitten face to glue to their handprints, adding details with a white crayon.

Next week, Story Time returns to the theme "Things that Go", this time all about farm trucks. There will be stories about Chuck's Truck and Alphabet Trucks, plus a home-made truck puzzle.

Story Time at Albertson Memorial Library is a TON of fun with all kinds of things happening, including singing, crafts, clapping and lots of stories. You won't regret joining in on all this great time! See you next week!

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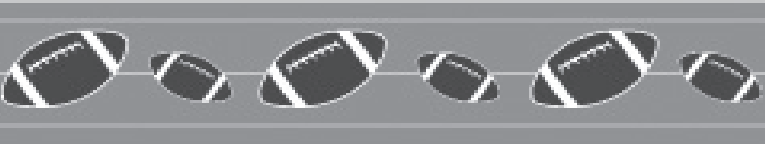
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REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
BRODHEAD SCHOOL DISTRICT
MEMORIAL PUBLIC LIBRARY
Wednesday, September 10, 2025
Minutes

CALL TO ORDER
The meeting was called to order by Board President Mike Krupke at 7:00 p.m. The meeting agenda was published in the Wednesday, September 3, 2025 edition of the Brodhead Free Press.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
ROLL CALL
Present: Mike Krupke, Elizabeth Kempel, Michael Oellerich, Al Schneider, Jenny Flory, Paul Donovan, and Don Buchanan [virtually]
Absent: None

APPROVAL OF AGENDA **ACTION ITEM**
Motion by Elizabeth Kempel, second by Jenny Flory, to approve the agenda.
Motion carried, 7-0.

INFORMATION REPORTS
The Administrative Team presented information reports on their respective buildings and departments.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD
No one was present to give public comments.

AGENDA ITEMS **ACTION ITEM**
CONSENT AGENDA
1. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES
a. Special Meeting: August 13, 2025
b. Regular Meeting: August 13, 2025

2. APPROVAL OF BILLS
3. ACCEPT DONATION(S)
a. \$100.00 monetary donation from the Rory & Jim Boll family to the High School in memory of Laurel Lee Tinkle
b. \$24,777.00 monetary donation from the FFA Alumni to the Brodhead Ag Department for various Greenhouse improvements
c. \$100.00 monetary donation from Chad Goecks, Goecks Concrete to the Brodhead Backpack Food Program
d. \$1,000.00 monetary donation from Urban Landscaping to the Brodhead Backpack Food Program
4. RESIGNATION(S)
• None at this time

5. EMPLOYMENT RECOMMENDATION(S)
a. Breanna Bradt, HS Special Education Paraprofessional; increase in hours
b. Summer Clementine, MS Special Education Paraprofessional
c. Nick Jarvis, additional JV Volleyball Coach
d. Tina Keyser, HS Special Education Paraprofessional
e. April Knox, ES Special Education Paraprofessional
f. Billie Nipple, ES Part-Time Night Custodian
g. Bonnie Papendorf, HS Special Education Paraprofessional
6. VOLUNTEER RECOMMENDATION(S)
a. Brian Bennett, ES Special Education and 2nd Grade
b. Brienna Bennett, ES Special Education and 2nd Grade
c. Lukas Davidson, MS Football
d. Michael Oellerich, KG
e. Jennifer Sanchez, ES
f. Susan Schmelzer, 1st Grade [Blumer]
g. Nikolai Wahl, 2nd Grade [Wahl]
h. Bret Williams, KG [Williams]
i. Brochton Williams, KG [Williams]

Motion by Jenny Flory, second by Al Schneider, to approve the consent agenda items as presented.
Motion passed, 6-0 [M. Oellerich abstained].

APPROVAL OF 2025 FFA TRIP TO NATIONAL FFA CONVENTION & EXPO IN INDIANAPOLIS, IN **ACTION ITEM**
Motion by Michael Oellerich, second by Al Schneider, to approve the FFA trip to the National FFA Convention & Expo in Indianapolis, IN as presented.
Motion carried, 7-0.

ESTABLISH THE DATE, TIME & LOCATION FOR THE 2025 ANNUAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING **ACTION ITEM**
Motion by Michael Oellerich, second by Elizabeth Kempel, to approve Monday, October 27, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Auditoria as the date, time, and location for the 2025 Annual School Board Meeting.
Motion carried, 7-0.

ADOPTION OF OCTOBER 2025 ANNUAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING AGENDA **ACTION ITEM**
Motion by Michael Oellerich, second by Elizabeth Kempel, to approve the October 27, 2025 Annual School Board Meeting Agenda as presented.
Motion carried, 7-0.

APPROVAL OF STUDENT FUNDRAISERS FOR 2025-26 **ACTION ITEM**
Motion by Michael Oellerich, second by Al Schneider, to approve the Student Fundraisers for the 2025-26 school year as presented.
Motion carried, 7-0.

APPROVAL OF 2025-25 BUDGET REVISIONS **ACTION ITEM**
Motion by Elizabeth Kempel, second by Paul Donovan, to approve the 2024-25 budget revisions as presented.
Motion carried, 7-0.

CONSIDERATION TO PURCHASE AN INTERMEDIATE DISTRIBUTION FRAME (IDF) CLEANUP SYSTEM **DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEM**
Motion by Michael Oellerich, second by Al Schneider, to approve the purchase of an Intermediate Distribution Frame Cleanup system from 1901 Electrical, as presented, and to be paid for from the investments of the Referendum bonds.
Motion carried, 7-0.

END OF YEAR ALLOCATION OF FUNDS **DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEM**
Motion by Elizabeth Kempel, second by Don Buchanan, to approve moving \$200,000 to Fund 46 and put the remaining end of 2024-25 fiscal year funds into fund balance.
Motion passed, 6-1 [P. Donovan opposed].

REFERENDUM UPDATE **DISCUSSION ITEM**
District Administrator Novy presented an update on the building Referendum projects.
FUTURE AGENDA [October 8, 2025]
• Approval of Minutes
• Approval of Bills
• Accept Donation(s)
• Resignation(s)
• Employment Recommendation(s)
• Volunteer Recommendation(s)
• Consider approval of 4K Program starting 2026-2027
• Building Goals Update
• Approval of Early Graduation Requests
• College/Tech Credit Approvals
• Consideration to approve Building & Grounds projects
• Consideration to approve Additional Maintenance Employee
• Approval of Contracted & Volunteer Coaches
• Approval of Snow Removal Bid
• Select Board Delegate for State School Board Convention
• Update Annual Board Meeting Information [If Needed]
• Referendum Update

ADJOURNMENT **ACTION ITEM**
Motion by Elizabeth Kempel, second by Jenny Flory, to adjourn the meeting at 8:22 p.m.
Motion carried, 7-0.

Date: 09-10-25 \$100 Bill List	
Vendor Name	Check Amount
ASSOCIATED BANK	691,051.39
CDW GOVERNMENT INC	1,954.68
EPIC KIDS INC	6,720.00
GOPHER PERFORMANCE	1,333.77
RIDDELL/ALL AMERICAN SPORTS CORP	733.29
SECURLY	1,382.78
SYMMETRY ENERGY SOLUTIONS, LLC	2,978.78
VOIGT MUSIC CENTER	307.86
WASB	5,125.00
BANDT COMMUNICATIONS INC	1,730.00
BRODHEAD WATER & LIGHT COMM	10,989.63
BRUCE COMPANY	271.46
CITY OF BRODHEAD SEWER DEPT	1,291.13
LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE CO	6,465.00
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SCHOLASTIC INC	329.67
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BRODHEAD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday, October 27, 2025

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITERIA

2501 West 5th Avenue, Brodhead, WI

6:00 p.m.

This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is a time for public participation during the meeting as indicated in the agenda.

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BUDGET HEARING

I. Presentation of Proposed 2025-2026

Budget – District Administrator David Novy

Discussion and Questions Concerning the Budget

ANNUAL MEETING

I. Call to order—Board President Mike Krupke

II. Election of Chairperson

III. Treasurer's Report

IV. President's Report

V. Resolution A—Adoption of Tax Levy

VI. Resolution B—Salaries of Board Members

VII. Resolution C—Reimbursement of Board Member Travel Expense

VIII. Resolution D—Authorize School Board to Establish Date for 2026 Annual Meeting

IX. Other New Business as Authorized Under State Statues

X. Adjourn

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BRODHEAD SCHOOL DISTRICT

REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, October 27, 2025

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITERIA

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PLEASE NOTE: The meeting will begin 5 minutes after conclusion of the Annual Meeting

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

AGENDA

III. CERTIFY TAX LEVY

IV. RESOLUTION TO APPROVE SHORT-TERM BORROWING

V. EMPLOYMENT RECOMMENDATION(S)

VI. ROLL CALL VOTE TO CONVENE IN CLOSE SESSION PURUSANT TO WI. STS. 19.85 (1)(c)

a. Considering Compensation of an Employee

VII. ACTION ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

VIII. FUTURE AGENDA

IX. ADJOURNMENT

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10/22/2025

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF JUDA

Special School Board Meeting

October 22, 2025

The special meeting will commence right after the annual meeting. The annual meeting starts at 7 p.m.

AGENDA

I. Call to Order by President Dennis Pflingsten

II. Roll Call:

III. Proof of Notice

IV. Acceptance of Agenda

V. Tax Levy Certification

VI. Resolution Short Term Borrowing: Discussion/Action

I. Be it resolved that the Board of Education of the School District of Juda, Green County, State of Wisconsin be authorized to secure

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF JUDA

2025 Annual Meeting and Budget Hearing Agenda

October 22, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

Juda School Technology Room.

AGENDA

I. Call to Order by President of School Board (Introductions)—Dennis Pflingsten

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Election of Chairman (May be President of School Board) (Also appoint duty of keeping Official Minutes)

IV. Approve Minutes of the October 16, 2024 Annual Meeting and Budget Hearing

V. Presentation and adoption of Treasurer's Report for 2024-2025 school year

VI. Review of 2024-2025 school year—President Pflingsten

VII. Motion to set salaries for the Board of Education and authorize for payment of their expenses

VIII. Motion to authorize the School Board to furnish textbooks at the fees the Board designates (Fees set at the July regular Board meeting)

IX. Motion to authorize the Board to designate a place of Depository Motion to authorize the Board to obtain legal counsel for the school district as necessary

XI. Motion to provide transportation services for students

XII. The School District Budget Review for 2025-2026 school year

XIII. Motion to approve the 2025 Tax Levy

XIV. Other matters as authorized by law

XV. Motion authorizing the School Board to set the time and date for the 2026 Annual Meeting

XVI. Motion for Adjournment

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a temporary loan in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. sec. 67.12(8) for the purpose of meeting immediate expenses of operating the schools of the District. Be it further resolved that amount of such temporary loan shall not exceed a sum of \$500,000.00. Motion carried on a unanimous voice vote.

VII. Authorize signers for cash flow borrowing: Discussion/Action

VIII. Adjournment

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