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#### **School Board**

#### New elementary school roof delayed

**By Gloria Sutter** 

Replacement of the elementary school roof was approved at the last meeting, but when bids were received, the project could not be started before school starts in the fall. The Board discussed their options and decided to postpone the project until the summer of 2023. All category two recommendations from the Building and Grounds Committee will be completed this year. Lighting replacement at the high school will start as soon as school is done this year.

For the past several years, the Brodhead FFA Alumni Association has been involved in funding the Middle School Ag Program and greenhouse. The Board voted to have the District take over the costs

of the programs.

The Board approved the employee handbook with minor changes to the personal leave policy.

#### In other business:

Twenty-eight new cameras have been installed in the school build-

A high school Spanish trip to Spain and France was approved for the 2024 school year.

Open enrollment applications were approved. One hundred and three applied to attend and 121 applied to attend other schools.

The following donations were accepted: \$200 from Paul Roemer for the Arboretum fund, \$150 from Anna Jubie to the Arboretum fund. and \$200 from Jeremy Pinnow for

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#### **Brodhead Memorial Day** program

The VFW, American Legion and AmVets would like to invite everyone to the Memorial Day program on Monday, May 30th. The parade will be at 9 a.m. starting at Veterans Park and going to Greenwood Cemetery. Incase of bad weather the program will be held at the Brodhead High School.



#### **MSA's Brodhead Water Quality Trading Program Receives Esteemed ACEC Wisconsin Grand Award**

neering Companies of Wisconsin ner of the 2022 Grand Award. The (ACEC WI) announced recently its selection of MSA's Water Quality Trading Program for the City of exemplifies the spirit and criteria

The American Council of Engi- Brodhead, Wisconsin, as the win-Grand Award is given to one project in the state of Wisconsin that best

of the ACEC WI Engineering Excellence Awards program, as chosen by a panel of judges from a competitive list of Best of State Award recipients.

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Albany United Methodist Church, 500 Park Street, Albany. 608-862-3206, Rev. Tom Moe, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8 and 10 a.m. with education for all ages at 8:45 a.m. Check our web page at

Bethany Lutheran Church, 1652 West Church Road, Brodhead, 608-897-4158. Pastor Rick Gleason. Sunday school 8:45 a.m.; Sunday worship 10 a.m. Holy Communion first and third Sundays of each

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 405 E. 9th Ave, Brodhead. Phone: 608-897-2341 Email: office@bethlehembrodhead.com Website: www.bethlehembrodhead.org. Sunday in-person worship with Communion at 9 a.m. Online worship option via Facebook—Bethlehem Lutheran Church. Face masks and social distancing are highly encouraged and greatly appreciated to protect children and others who are unable to be vaccinated.

Congregational United Church of Christ, E201 23rd Street, Brodhead. Pastor Shawn Stapleton. Sundays: 10 a.m. worship. 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

Juda-Zion United Methodist Church, N2350 Church Street, 608-934-5398. Kelly Jahn, Pastor, Sunday school 9:30 a.m. for all ages, worship service 10:45 a.m. Oakley-Union United Methodist Church, W2388 Gerber Road, Juda, 608-934-5398. Kelly Jahn, Pastor. Sunday worship and children's Sunday school 9 a.m.

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

#### **SOFTBALL**

Tuesday Night Masters' League

Tuesday's results: Panoske Plastering defeated M&J's Bar 13-1; Beast Buffet defeated Bridge's Bar and Grill 21-9.

Season standings: Panoske Plastering won 1 lost 0; Beast Buffet 1-0; Bridges Bar & Grill 0-1; M&J's Bar 0-1; Bank of Brodhead 0-0.

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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.

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. Monthly church Council and Ladies Aid meetings are held the second Sunday of the month

United Methodist Church of Brodhead, 501 1st Center Avenue, Brodhead. Pastor Kook Ho Kim. 608-897-2515. Pastor's office hours: Tuesdays through Thursday, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. 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. Christian education Sundays at 10:05 a.m. Communion on the first Sunday of each month.

#### **Monroe Moose** Lodge will host Breakfast for Badger **Honor Flight**

The Monroe Moose Lodge will hold a Breakfast to Benefit Badger Honor Flight on Sunday, June 5, from 8 a.m. to noon. The Lodge is located at 639 3rd Avenue, Monroe. Help send our veterans to Washington, DC, to see the memorials built in their honor. The cost of the buffet style meal is adults \$8; children six years to 11 \$4 and children five and under are free.

> Advertising **Deadline:** Friday, 5 p.m.

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## **OBITUARY**



**Brodhead Free Press** 

#### Carol Jean **Popanz**

Carol Jean Popanz, age 82, Brodhead, passed away on May 8, 2022 at the Pleasant View Nursing Home in Monroe, Wisconsin

Carol was born in Brodhead the daughter of Charles and Violet (Bratzke) Schuman.

Carol worked for many years as the hostess for the Village Inn in Footville, prior to her retirement. She enjoyed traveling, crocheting, knitting and fishing. She also enjoyed watching the Packers, Badgers, and Brewers and gathering with friends at the river.

Carol is survived by her two sons: Randy (Laurie) Sommerfeldt and Harold (Kathy) Peetoom II; five grandchildren: Aaron (Kaitlin) Bevars, Bradley Bevars, Braydon Sommerfeldt, Violet Peetoom and Sophie Peetoom; four great grandchildren: Hunter, Hayden, Colton and Adelyn; three brothers: Bill (Cassie) Schuman, Phillip (Sharon) Schuman and Bruce (LeAnne) Schuman and several nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Carol is preceded in death by her parents, a daughter, Janelle Bevars in 2017, a brother, Roger (Marcy) Schuman and a special friend, Har-

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be directed to the family in Carol's

A Celebration of Carol's life will be held on Sunday, May 22, at the DL Newcomer Funeral Home, 1105 E. 9th Avenue in Brodhead from 4 to

Online condolences can be made at www.dlnewcomerfuneralhome.com

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

#### ville, Wisconsin, and Kerrie (Lance) **Arthur** Nichols of Truman, Wisconsin; one brother, Paul (Barb) Krattiger of Krattiger Brodhead; 13 grandchildren and Arthur Krattiger, age 81, of Mass seven great grandchildren. City, Michigan died Saturday, May He was preceded in death by his 14, 2022 surrounded by loved one's parents and a sister, Carol. Services will be held on Saturday Arthur was born in Darlington, May 21, in Brodhead, at Brodhead Wisconsin; the son of Herman and United Methodist Church, 5011st Esther (Yandry) Krattiger on De-Center Avenue, with visitation from cember 19, 1940 11 a.m.-1 p.m. followed by a church service. The burial will take place

He married Maxine (Kite) Nichols on July 27, 1996. Arthur gradufollowing at Greenwood Cemetery ated from high school in Brodhead. Following graduation, he worked at many places and owned a white-

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in Brodhead Cane Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements.

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#### School Board (Continued from page 1)

old cafeteria tables.

Resignations were accepted from Sheryl Beyer, Full-Time Substitute Teacher and Brett Kaether, Middle School Physical Education Teacher.

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Athena Gates was hired as High School Art Teacher and Yearbook Advisor. Mary York was hired as High School English Teacher.



#### A LITTLE GOOD NEWS



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years at Advance Transformer as

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After moving to Mass City, they en-

joyed snowmobiling and ATVing,

where they have met many good

friends. Arthur loved his kids and

grandkids. He was noted for his

"smirky" smile. Everyone who knew

He is survived by his wife, Max-

ine, Mass City; two sons: Kelly of

California, and Todd (Bonnie) of

Pine Bluff, Wisconsin; three daugh-

ters: LeAnn (Jim) Myers of Davis

Junction, Illinois, Brenda of Platte-

him will miss this "smirk".

He was an avid bowler and golfer.

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#### **ACTIVITIES** AROUND TOWN

#### **BRODHEAD HISTORICAL SOCIETY MAY MEETING**

The May meeting of the Brodhead Historical Society will be held on Monday, May 23. After a short business meeting, there will be a sneak preview of this year's new exhibits at the Depot Museum. The Museum Committee has been working tirelessly to put the finishing touches on them, as well as refresh the museum's permanent exhibits. The meeting is open to the public and begins at 7 p.m. in the Knight Addition of the museum. The Depot Museum will open for the 2022 season on Saturday, May 28 and continues to have free admission.

#### BANK OF BRODHEAD BRANSON **HOLIDAY SHOW EXTRAVAGANZA BUS TRIP**

The Bank of Brodhead presents the Branson Holiday Show Extravaganza. The trip is six days—five nights, November 14-19. The cost is \$670 per person/double occupancy. There are six seats left, call Susan Schmelzer at 608-558-8797 for more information or to sign up.

#### SUMMER 4-ON-4 SAND VOLLEYBALL LEAGUES

**DEADLINE: Tuesday, May 31st** 

The Brodhead Parks and Recreation Department will be offering a four-on-four Coed sand volleyball league on Thursday evenings at Jaycee Park beginning Thursday, June 9th. The four-person team may be any male/female combination. High school aged players are welcome with a signed waiver by parent or guardian. The cost for this league is a flat rate of \$100 per team.

To register a team for the league, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 608-897-2159 ext. #9. Deadline is Tuesday, May 31st.

#### MEMORIAL RIDE-CAR CRUISE

A Memorial Ride-Car Cruise will be held on Saturday, May 28, at VFW Post 6848, 807 E. Exchange Street, sign up starts at 10:30 a.m. and the ride leaves at 11 a.m. Registration is \$20 per two person team. There will also be a bags tournament. Join them for a night of music by State Line Play Boys from 7 to 10 p.m. in the parking lot behind the VFW

#### **BUS TO GREEN COUNTY** BREAKFAST ON THE FARM

The Bank of Brodhead is sponsoring your ride to the 2022 GREEN COUNTY BREAKFAST ON THE FARM on Saturday, May 28th. The bus will leave at 7 a.m. and return to bank at 10 a.m. The Breakfast on the Farm is located at Sunset Ridge Dairy, W2902 Oliver Road, Monticello. Tickets cost: \$8 for adults (ages 11 and older), \$5 for youth (ages five-10) and free for children (ages four and under).



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#### **MSA's Brodhead Water Quality**

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"What MSA has accomplished agement practices at a local dairy. for the community of Brodhead is a "MSA is truly honored to rewin collaboration," commented awards judge Jerry Deschane. "The city was saved from a multimilliondollar sewer system upgrade and farmers were assisted with land management practices that will improve their efficiency and reduce their environmental footprint. This was truly brilliant work."

The City of Brodhead Water Quality Trading (WQT) program is a multi-tiered solution for achieving compliance with stringent phosphorus water quality based effluent limits (WQBELs) at the City's wastewater treatment facility. In lieu of a costly tertiary phosphorus removal upgrade, MSA engineers worked with the community to offset phosphorus loadings by approximately 1,090 pounds per year by stabilizing over 62 severely eroding streambanks and delivering major upgrades and new nutrient man-

stunningly successful model of win-ceive this recognition," remarked Gil Hantzsch, CEO at MSA. "We're proud to have helped the community an innovative solution that will have a far greater positive impact at a fraction of the cost than a traditional engineering solution. Thank you to the panel of judges for recognizing that great engineering sometimes lies more in creating collaborative win-win partnerships and what we avoided than what we actually designed."

All 2022 ACEC Wisconsin Engineering Excellence Award winners were recognized Friday, April 22 at an awards banquet in Kohler, Wisconsin, culminating in the announcement of the Grand Award winner. MSA Senior Team Leader Greg Gunderson, PE, and City of Brodhead Director of Public Works, Rich Vogel, accepted the award on behalf of MSA and the community.

#### **UPDATE ON POOL OPENING**

**Brodhead Free Press** 

Tentatively, they will be open from 4-8 p.m., Tuesday May 31st. However, because this is a tentative opening date, it is advisable to call the pool before arriving to be assured that we are indeed open. The pool phone number is 608-897-8091.

May 31st–June 2nd—(last day of school Thursday, June 2nd). Open Swim—4–8 p.m. weekdays and noon-6 p.m. on weekends.

Starting June 3rd—Open Swim: noon-5 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. weekdays. Adult Swim: 7-8 a.m. and 5-6 p.m. weekdays

#### **REGISTRATION BEGINS**

Tuesday, May 31st at noon. Registration hours: Tuesday, May 31ast-Friday, June 3rd—noon–8 p.m. Saturday, June 4th and Sunday, June 5th—noon–6 p.m. Then beginning Monday, June 6th sign-ups will be during regular hours from noon–8

#### RESIDENT (R) VS NON-RES-**IDENT (NR):**

A resident is considered someone who lives in the city limits of Brodhead, whose taxes go to the city. A non-resident, also considers Brodhead their home, but lives outside of the city limits and pays their taxes to a township. POOL FEES

SINGLE VISIT—ages five—17 \$4 R/\$5 NR; age 18 and up \$5 R/\$6 NR;

children four and under swim free. SEASON PASSES—Individual Pass \$70 R/\$90 NR; Family Pass \$100 R/\$120 NR; babysitter added to Family Pass \$55; Senior Pass \$60 R/\$65 NR.

SEASON PASS RULE: The definition of a family is the immediate family, which includes two adults living at the same address and four children (18 and under) living at the same address. (After six family members, each additional family member will be charged \$5. A summer babysitter may be added to your family pass for \$55.)

#### ADULT SWIM/AQUACIZE

Daily Pass \$5 R/\$6 NR; Summer Pass (55+) \$50 R/\$55 NR SWIMMING LESSONS Group Lessons \$45 session

R/\$55 session NR **SWIMMING LESSON DATES** 

First Session: June 13–July 1—8 a.m.-Level 4, 5 and 6; 9 a.m.-Level

Second Session: July 11-July 29—8 a.m.-Levels 3, 4 and 5; 9 a.m.-Levels 1, 2 and 3; 10 a.m.-Levels 1 and 2

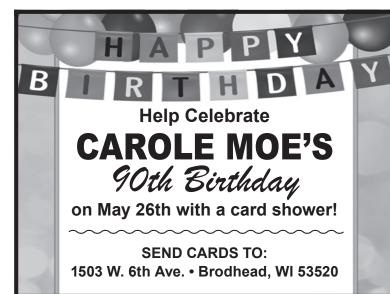
Third Session: August 1-August 19—8 a.m.-Levels 3, 4, 5 and 6; 9 a.m.-Levels 1, 2 and 3; 10 a.m.-Lev-

#### SOFTBALL

**Sunday Night Church** 

Sunday results: Luther Valley defeated Living Word #1 15-5; United Methodist-Albany defeated Living Word #2 10-3; United Methodist-Brodhead defeated UCC 7-7; Bethlehem Lutheran defeated Church of

Final standings: Bethlehem Lutheran 3-0; United Methodist-Albany 3-0; UCC 1-1-1; Church of God 1-2; Living Word #11-2; Living Word #2 1-2; Luther Valley 1-2; United Methodist-Brodhead 0-2-1.



CITY WEBSITE

Visit the City of Brodhead Website (http://www.cityofbrodheadwi.

#### POOL PARTIES

The Brodhead Pool will be available to rent for private pool parties. The cost for renting the pool is \$50.00 flat fee, plus the cost of paying lifeguards. For pool parties, lifeguards get \$15.00 per guard/ per hour. The number of lifeguards needed depends on the size of the pool party. Pool parties may be scheduled during hours when the pool is not being used for open swim or lessons. Pool parties may be scheduled by calling the pool at 608-897-8091 beginning Tuesday, May 31st and because lifeguards must be scheduled to work, please call at least two weeks in advance to schedule a pool party. Also, when you call, please have an idea of how large your party will be so we will know how many guards will be

#### T-BALL SIGN UP

Boys and girls ages four, five and six may sign up at the pool beginning Tuesday, May 31st. T-ball is a beginning league that emphasizes learning of fielding, batting and base running skills with games added in starting week three and four. The cost for is \$30 for one session or \$45 for both sessions. The cost includes a T-shirt.

Sessions available: Tuesday and Thursday 6-7 p.m. Bethlehem Lutheran Field. Session 1-June 14th-July 14th (four weeks). \*No T-ball the week of July 4th-8th. Session 2-July

19th-August 11th (four weeks). Please make sure your child brings his or her glove to every Tball session to be sure he or she can fully participate. Also, your child may bring a bat that is appropriate for his or her size if he or she wishes. Please do not bring bats that are too large for your child as it will make it more difficult for him or her to hit

#### TOTS ON THE RUN Tots on the Run sign-ups can be

made at the Brodhead Pool by calling 608-897-8091 starting on Tuesday, May 31st. Tots on the Run will have activities geared for pre-school children aged three-six years. The child must be three by May 31st and can't turn seven during the summer. All children must be potty trained. This class will offer a combination of different activities: crafts, playground and etc. This group will meet for two hours, at Putnam Park, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. The cost is \$40 for one session and \$60 for both sessions. Session 1—June 13th-July 15th (four weeks). \*No Tots on the Run the week of July 4th-8th. Session 2-July 18th-August 12th (four weeks).

B.L.A.S.T. The Brodhead Local Area Swimming Team is a competitive youth swimming program for children ages six through 18. The team practices at the Brodhead Pool, and competes in both home and away meets each year. The registration fee for the summer is \$40 per swimmer. For more information, contact a B.L.A.S.T. coach at the pool.

#### **DISCOUNT ATTRACTION**

Discounted summer attraction tickets are available through the Brodhead Parks and Recreation Department at Brodhead Pool during open swim hours. Attractions that they have discounts for are the following: Mt. Olympus, Milwaukee County Zoo, Noah's Ark and the Wis-

#### ADULT LAP SWIM/

The pool also offers adult lap swim on Monday-Friday mornings from 7-8 a.m. and 5-6 p.m. An opportunity to swim laps continuously. Aquacize is also offered during these times. A combination of exercising and using water dumbbells to help keep you toned.



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They will get organized at 9 a.m. and begin cleaning up at 10 a.m. or sooner, however, a representative will be on-premise at the Albany American Legion to direct those who want to come later. The clean-up is registered with the American Rivers National River Cleanup. Scout groups can earn community service points by helping out.

PLEASE VOLUNTEER your help or equipment. You can contact them for more information by e-mail at lwsria@aol.com or "Like" them on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/pages/Lake-WinnetkaSugar-River-Improvement-Association-Inc/374367135943433 or call 608-862-1698 or 773-418-7123. Leave a message including your name and phone number and they will return your call.

Come on out and help them clean up while enjoying the great outdoors after a long dull winter. Food and refreshments will be served to all volunteers as a token of their appreciation.

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#### Albany Alumni **Banquet** Saturday, May 28th

This year's banquet will be held on Memorial weekend Saturday, May 28th at the Albany Lions Club, 402 N Cincinnati Street. Social starts at 6 p.m. and dinner is served at 7 p.m. The \$18 roast beef dinner is served family style and reservation deadline is Saturday, May 21st. Send your reservation and money to Dan Weber, N5926 Marie Ct, Albany WI 53502 payable to the Albany Alumni Association. Call 608-862-3260 for more information



Derrek Nichols, of Albany, displays the bags of trash he filled cleaning up the Sugar River at the 2021 Sugar River Cleanup.



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#### **BRODHEAD AREA EMS**



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#### **AL COVERT**

s pictured with the fridge freezer donated by Sub Zero Wolf and Cove. The company has a program

to help out various organizations throughout the year. Al was on the EMS for around 20 years prior to moving from the Brodhead area.



L-R: Ray Pawlisch, Ron Braun, Doug & Janice Knight, DeAnne Boegli, Glenn Marquette, Lon Lederman, Rich Gretebeck, John Pierce, Ed Hoff, Taylor Jacobsen and Chris Speich.

This group of individuals, local businesses and members of the Brodhead Area Foundation represent the substantial donations made to the EMS building expansion and open house. The Brodhead Area EMS thanks them very much for their financial contributions!

# ALBANY COMETS

Thurs., May 19: grilled cheese, tomato soup, crackers, fruit. Fri., May 20: chicken Alfredo, broccoli, breadstick, fruit. Mon., May 23: pizza dippers, marinara sauce, California blend, fruit. Tues., May 24: cheeseburger, oven fries, pickles, fruit. Wed., May 24: French toast sticks, cinnamon applesauce cups, sausage links.

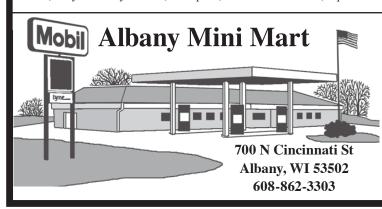
#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Thurs., May 19: track at Evansville, 4:15 p.m.; softball WIAA

Fri., May 20: baseball at Belmont, doubleheader, 4:30 p.m. Sun., May 22: Zumba in cafeteria, 6 p.m.

Mon., May 23: track regionals at Darlington. Tues., May 24: softball WIAA regionals.

Wed., May 25: early release, 2:37 p.m.; Zumba in cafeteria, 6 p.m.





#### **ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU:**

Thurs., May 19: cheese pizza, green beans, Caesar side salad. Fri., May 20: pancake wrap, tri-tater, wango mango fruit and

Mon., May 23: cheese quesadilla, black bean burger w/cheese on bun, seasoned black beans, mild salsa cup.

Tues., May 24: hot ham and cheese, creamy coleslaw, sweet potato fries.

Wed., May 25: BBQ riblet on bun, baked beans, southwest tots.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Thurs., May 19: boys' varsity golf at Evansville, 4 p.m.; track frosh/soph invite at Evansville, 4 p.m.; JV1 baseball game at Potosi, 5 p.m.

Mon., May 23: track WIAA Regional at Darlington.

Tues., May 24: JV1 baseball game at Big Foot, 4:45 p.m.; varsity baseball game at Big Foot, 4:45 p.m.



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#### SSM Health at Home Offers **Grief Support Group** Learn to cope with the loss of a loved one

The journey through grief can be difficult. Many people find it comforting to face grief with others experiencing similar challenges. To help through the journey, SSM Health at Home is holding a "Walking Through Grief" education and support group, which provides resources and encouragement for

people grieving the death of a loved one. The six-week group will meet Wednesdays from 6-7:30 pm, June 1 to July 6, 2022, at SSM Health at Home's Monroe office located at 1905 Fifth Street in Monroe. Registration is requested by Wednesday, May 25.

SSM Health at Home holds attendees' health and safety in the highest regard. Group participants will be required to wear a mask when attending the group.

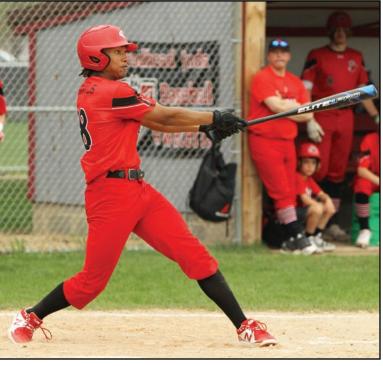
The support group is free and open to adults over 18 who have experienced the death of someone special. Discussion topics include:

- •The importance of information and support as we grieve
- •Understanding grief as a process
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Ryan Searls reaches for the throw as he attempts the out at second base. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)



Aidyn Vondra was 3-for-3 at the plate in last week's game against East Troy. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)



Jaelyn Hilliard slides safe onto second base in the game against Edgerton. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)



Students from Mrs. Tresemer's reading class enjoy the spring sunshine while reading a classic novel. The Little Prince is a wise and enchanting fable, that in teaching the secret of what is really important in life, has changed forever the world for its readers. Pictured are Eve Droessler and Dakota Carlson.

#### **Softball Splits** Last Week's Games

By Teresa Earleywine

At Evansville last week the "Cardinals of the Diamond" started strong and finished even stronger scoring 16 runs on 20 hits to overpower the Blue Devils. Mckenna Young was a force on both offense and defense. She went 5-for-5 at the plate including two homeruns. She pitched three of seven innings, striking out eight and getting 25-of-35 strikes to pitches. Ava Risum finished the final four innings, earned the win, from the rubber getting six strikeouts and completing 44-of-63 on the strike-pitch count. Alexis Kammerer also contributed to the hit parade going 4-for-4 while Taetum Hoesly and Jaelyn Hilliard each went 3-for-5 at the plate. The Cardinals had a total of four homeruns in the game, Hoesly and Daisy Nelson adding to that total.

Brodhead knew Edgerton would be tough and it was a pitching duel with Risum on the mound she completed 14 strikeouts and had 72-108 on the strike /pitch count. For Edgerton, Katie Gunderson had 65-98 on the strike to pitch count and struck out eight. The Cardinals had a total of four hits to Edgerton's two hits on the game but Brodhead lost 3–0 in the battle. Hoesly, Hilliard, Kammerer and Jerrica Schwartz each collected a hit.

This week they will travel to Mt Horeb on Tuesday and host a rematch against Edgerton on Thurs-

#### **RVC Meet:** Girls Take First, Boys **Third**

By Teresa Earleywine

Brodhead Juda track competed in the RVC Conference meet held at Beloit Turner last Saturday. Freshman, Stella Arn finished in second place in the 200m and third in the 400m. Kalena Riemer was conference champ in the 800m with a time of 2:32.52, Addie Yates was 1-and-2 in the 100m hurdles and 300m hurdles and also first in long jump. Arn, Madi Brown, Riemer and Ellie Yates comprised the 4x400m relay for second place. Kiara Moe with her throw of 34'9 finished second in shot put. The girls finished with 133.5 points to lead the field of 10 schools.

The Cardinal men, Senobe, Leon Saunders, Sy Weeden and Brady Bruns, earned a firstplace finish in the 4x400 relay with a 44.55 time. Blake Matthys, 45'0, and Gage Boegli, 44'7.5, were one and two in the shot put. Josiah Engen remained consistent jumping 6'0 for the conference championship. Brodhead collected a total of 98 points for third place among the 10 schools. McFarland with 127 points took first.

The teams will now prepare for regional competition.



# **TAKE THE BUS**



#### **Baseball Wins** One of Three By Teresa Earleywine

Brodhead Juda was challenged

by East Troy at home last Tuesday. Though the Cardinals scored first in the oping inning when Brady Malkow singled and RBI'ed Gage Bockhop to take a 1-0 lead. The Trojans were undaunted and came back in the second inning scoring seven runs. They continued to score with the final being an 11-1 win over Brodhead. Aiyden Vondra led Brodhead 3-for-3 at the plate. One could hear the frustration from the Cardinal players. A defensive bright spot was a double play, in the top of the fourth, when Dave Mazloski in right field fired his throw to first baseman Malkow who then threw to catcher Bock-

hop who completed the double play. In the rematch on Thursday, Brodhead was able to defeat the Trojans in a 6-1 victory. Malkow led both teams in hits at 4-for- 3. The Cardinals had seven total hits on the game. Malkow also toed the rubber throwing 79 pitches and getting seven strikeouts.

In a non-conference game, Brodhead played Stoughton last Friday. Kohen Sawle and Clayon Elliott shared the pitching duties. They combined for 11 strikeouts on the day. Brodhead had five hits and two runs on the day. Malkow was 2-for-3 at the plate. Brodhead tied it up in the top of the sixth, 2-2, when Bockhop was able to score for the second time in the game. The Vikings took the lead and sealed the win, 4-2, scoring two more runs in the bottom of the sixth.

Tuesday they will travel to face Clinton and host Clinton on Thurs-

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#### **Golf Finishes Strong**

By Teresa Earleywine

Golf was busy last week participating at Lake Lawn and placing fourth then traveling and placing second at Town and Country, at Edelweiss the team had a seventh place finish and then to Evergreen and the RVC Ryder Cup, where as a team they came away with a third place finish and Onnikah Oliver and Nolan Oliver each won championships. The team finished the week with a first place finish at Monroe Country Club.

#### **Junior** Achievement **Event Teaches Students** How to Run a **Business**

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Performance Won Scholarships Scholarship season has begun for Junior Achievement of Wisconsin. On Wednesday, April 27, 2022 the JA Titan Business Challenge of fered scholarships to the winners of a half-day, virtual business strategy tournament for South Central Wisconsin area high school students.

The stakes were high as student teams competed to run a virtual business simulation. The competition taught students about the decisions needed to develop a successful company and provided the opportunity to practice skills like critical thinking, strategic development and teamwork. Success depended on choices the students made about production levels, marketing, product pricing, research and development, and capital improvements. The student teams with the best company performance in the competition won scholarships for postsecondary education.

Thank you to the generous event sponsors. Lycon, Inc. was the Lead Sponsor. BMO Harris Bank supplied the scholarship funds. Team sponsors included Festival Foods and BakerTilly.

First and second place winners were from Beloit High School. A \$500 scholarship was awarded to Merrick Wales and Harrisdeep Sembhi. Jaidyn Cox and Jackson Moore each won a \$250 scholarship. Abby Mills and Gage Boegli from Brodhead High School took third place, and each received a \$150 scholarship.

First and Second place winners of the local JA Titan Business Challenge advance to the state championship held in Sheboygan on May 12, 2022. Acuity Insurance is the sponsor of this event.



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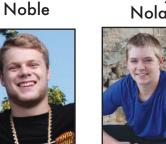
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#### COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES Sunday, June 5th at 1:00 p.m. High School Gym We will be livestreaming the event on our Facebook page.

Valedictorian: Olivia Cox • Salutatorian: Tobias Engel Class Officers: Emma Nelson, Treyton Oswald, Alexander Brown, Dayle Simpson Class Motto: We don't know about you, but we're feeling '22. Class Color: Blue • Class Flower: Tulip

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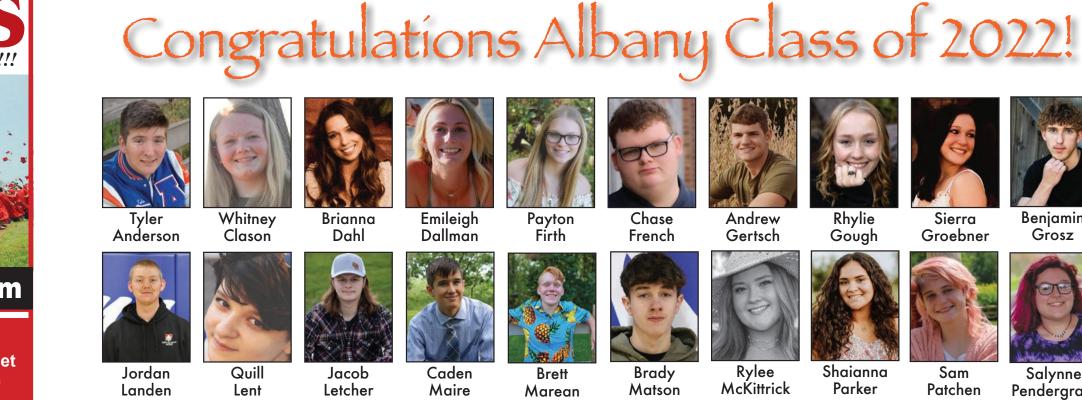


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Graduation Ceremony: Sunday, May 29th at 2:00 p.m. HS Gymnasium Valedictorian: Kaiya Zurfluh; Salutatorian: Rhylie Gough Class Motto: "Don't turn back.

because there's no tomorrow behind you. Go forward." Class Flower: White Rose • Class Colors: Orange, Blue, White; Red & Green Class Officers: Andrew Gertsch, President; Kaiya Zurfluh, Vice-President; Rylee Mckittrick, Treasurer; Caden Maire, Secretary.

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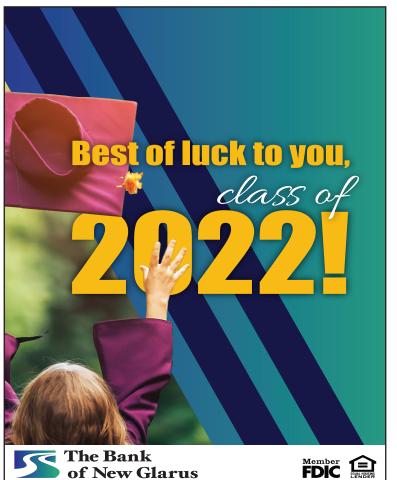
Left to right: John Butler, Kaleigh Van Wyhe, Hudson Wallin, and Isabella Williams.



The Super Flower Blood Moon Eclipse of 2022 taken at 10:34 p.m. by Te-

The first total lunar eclipse of 2022 arrived, with the Super Flower Blood Moon expected to thrill skywatchers across the nightside of Earth.

This eclipse overnight Sunday and early Monday (May 15 to 16) took place during the so-called Flower Moon, the May full moon, named as it coincides with the spring blooming season in America. It's also a supermoon making this the Super Flower Blood Moon of May 2022.



**Brodhead Middle School** holds annual

**Fine Arts** Night The Middle School held their an-

nual Fine Arts Night which featured a Spring Concert performed by the 6th grade band and choir, along with the 7/8th grade band and choir. It was a wonderful night for all involved.



Bryce McIntosh on bari sax



Brodhead Middle School seventh/eighth grade choir



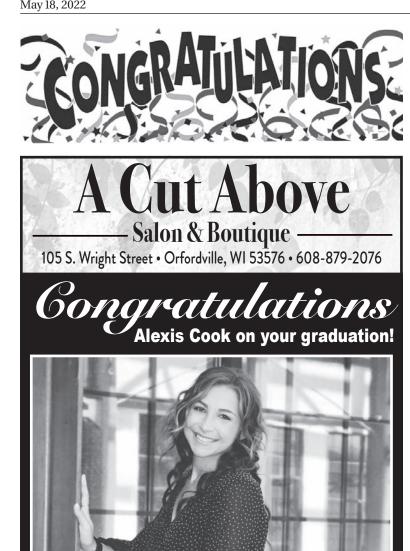
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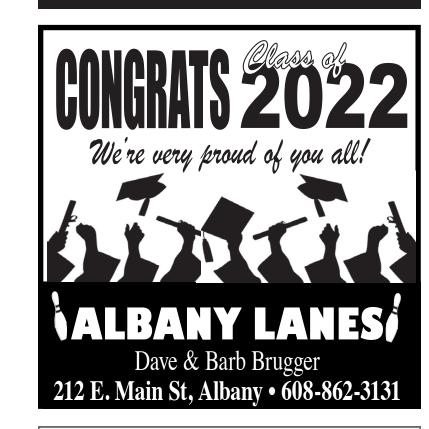


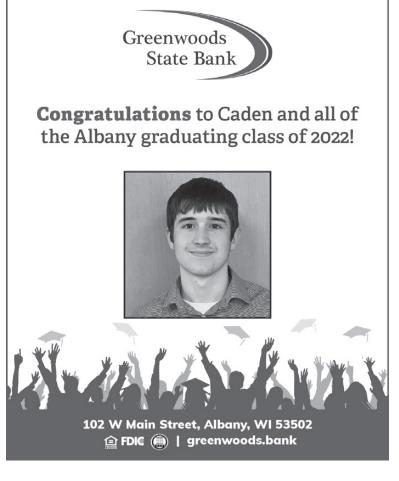
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In his new role, Schaefer, a Monroe resident, with a degree in Business Administration, comes with 20+ years of Banking experience. He will oversee all The Bank of New Glarus Branches, including the new Monroe Branch, slated to open late 2022.

"I am excited to join The Bank of New Glarus family," said Schaefer. "The bank continues to build on a steep history of serving local communities and empowering employees and I look forward to being a part of what makes The Bank of New Glarus special.'

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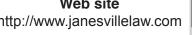


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**Garage Sales** 

Members of the Green County 4-H Foods and Nutrition and Exploring projects recently participated in the Green County Fair Cake Revue on Saturday, April 30 at the Green County Justice Center. Cake Revue is considered a Pre-Fair event of the Green County Fair and is judged by a licensed fair judge with ribbons being awarded to the

Youth are divided into four levels based on grade and can bring up to two items to be judged at the Cake Revue. Examples of project options this year were decorated cupcakes; character cakes from a mold; holiday themed cakes; and two tiered

This year's participants were Brooke Berndt (Hiawatha), Aubrie Blum (Washington Center), Alexys Crooks (Washington Center), Mara Dickson (Browntown Busy Beavers), Skye Dickson (Browntown Busy Beavers), Jack Follett (Cheese Country Clovers), Peter Goers (Washington Center), Telina Gratz (Young Americans), Teresa Gratz (Young Americans), Isabella Johnson (Next Generation), Jacklyn Kubly (Next Generation), Grant Mc-Cullough (Next Generation), Molly McCullough (Next Generation), Whitney Pryce (Jolly Mixers), Myka Rufer (Next Generation), Kayla Sherman (Washington Center), Lillian Sievers (Clarence Bridge Pioneers), and Brandon Straws (Next Generation).

Best of Show Results were as follows: Level A/Grades three-four-Myka Rufer; Level B/Grades fivesix—Molly McCullough; Level C/ Grades seven-nine-Lillian Sievers; and Level D/Grades 10+-Skye Dickson. The overall Merit Award was given to Lillian Sievers.

For more information about Green County 4-H or the Foods and Nutrition or Exploring projects, please contact Ellen Andrews, 4-H Youth Development Educator, at 608-328-9440, or visit their website at green.extension.wisc.edu



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With the help of Pellitteri Waste Systems, the City of Brodhead is providing a free bulk pick-up for unwanted bulky items.

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#### LUNCH MENU—

Thurs., May 19: chicken and cheese quesadilla, fruit and veggies Fri., May 20: Pride Day cookout.

Mon., May 23: cook's choice, freezer clean out.

Tues., May 24: cook's choice, freezer clean out.

Wed., May 25: cook's choice, freezer clean out.

#### SCHOOL CALENDAR—

Thur., May 19: baseball home vs. Clinton; softball regionals.

Fri., May 20: Pride Day.

Sat., May 21: Juda Hill Climb 10th annual.

Mon., May 23: baseball home vs. Edgerton; track regionals Tues., May 24: softball regionals.

Wed., May 25: third grade Madison Field Trip; honors night.

Juda Pride Day is going to be Friday, May 20th. They are excited to get back out there and do some community service projects. If you have a project (i.e raking leaves, yard clean up, making cards for a group, etc.) or ideas for the students, please let them know. If they can do it, they will! Please call the Juda School office at 608-934-5251 or email davis@judaschool.com or ptrotter@judaschool. com with your ideas and requests.

The 10th Annual Juda Hill Climb will be on Saturday, May 21st. Join them for the Kids Run Fun, 2k Walk or 5k Race. The fun starts at 9 a.m. from the Juda School District. Award ceremony with medals for the top three runners in different age groups and door prizes to follow. Contact Amber Williams with any questions, williams@ judaschool.com. Link to register: https://bit.ly/2022JudaHillClimb



#### **Juda School Board** meeting

**Juda School District Regular Board Meeting** May 11th, 2022

At the board meeting on Wednes-

day night the Juda School Board: •Board retained current slate of officers for the coming year. Dennis Pfingsten-President and WASB Correspondent, Eric Makos-Vice President, Pat Daniels-Treasurer and CESA 2 Representative, Sue Trotter-Secretary. Committee assignments were updated.

•Approved budget amendments as approved by Finance Committee. •Regretfully accepted the resignation of James Pickett as Business

**Education Instructor.** •Approved the hiring of Jason Benisch as Business Education Instructor and Ashley Henderson as Middle School Social Studies In-

structor and High School Support. •Approved new grading scale for coming school year for grades sixth-12.

•President Pfingsten reminded board members of Staff/Board Members meeting on Monday, May 16th at 3:30 p.m.

•Approved out of state field trip to Creative Adventure Lab in Dubuque for second grade class.

•Approved diplomas for the class

•Approved Staff and Support Staff benefits and salaries for the 2022/2023 school year.

•No Executive Session was need-

Next regular board meeting will be held Wednesday, June 8th, 2022.

> Advertising Deadline: Friday, 5 p.m.

Tour de Suisse June 4 Meeting

The Green County Genealogical Society will resume monthly meetings starting Saturday, June 4. The program "Tour de Suisse" will be presented by Kirsten Kundert Dobson. "Tour de Swisse" (Tour of Switzerland) is a PowerPoint presentation that captures many of the beautiful sights of Switzerland the tour group from Turner Hall of Monroe experienced. Kirsten has included many facts she learned on the tour itself. You will appreciate the talents of the Swiss and the beauty of the country.

Kirsten Kundert Dobson, a native of Monroe, moved to Waukesha in 1977 to begin her teaching career at West Allis Central High School. She taught Phy Ed and Health for 32 years. Currently she is on the board at Turner Hall and toured with the group five times. Her maternal grandparents are Swiss, grandma from Brienz and grandpa immigrated in 1904 from Appenzell. Kirstin's mother will be with her to share in singing and yodeling.

The society will also be celebrating the "20+1" anniversary of the establishment of the Green County Genealogical Society. The meeting will be held in the second-floor meeting room of the Monroe Public Library at 10 a.m., Saturday, June 4. Visitors are always welcome and there is no cost to attend. You may call Ginny at 608-426-1796 or Donna at 608-921-1537 if you have any questions. The GCGS Research Center (located in the lower level of the Monroe Public Library) is available to the public for research each Tuesday for 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Other times available by appointment by calling 608-328-7436 on Tuesday or Bill at 608-325-2990.

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- —Clean-up along Pearl Island & bike trail to support Friends of the Badger and Sugar River State Trails
- —Fleece tie blanket made to donate to Family Promise of Green County
- ---Arboretum cleared of invasive trees, and volunteers moved signage under the direction of Paul Roemer
- —Teacher Appreciation Week projects crafted and completed
- —Over a dozen dog tug-toys braided from fleece remnants for the Green County Humane Society
- —TOOL projects to benefit the students and staff at BMS
- —LOTS of treats and water donated by staff and community members for our volunteers
- —Generations collaborated to have a positive impact on our schools and community



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grade received a \$25 check for her poster. Pictured are Tiffany Shelton, K-5th Art Teacher, Rosalie and Heather Oborne, **Brodhead Fire District.** 







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