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FAMILY FEST

# **Celebrate Independence Day** at Brodhead Family Fest!

Back by popular demand and brought to you by the Brodhead Chamber of Commerce and presenting sponsor Piggly Wiggly of Brodhead is the second annual Brodhead Family Fest, held the last Saturday in June at Putnam Park in Brodhead. Join family, friends and neighbors on Saturday, June 25th for this FREE community festival that kicks off with a patriotic parade at 11 a.m. followed by games and live entertainment for kids, food and non-alcoholic beverages, DJ and live music by the State Line Play Boys, a new outdoor market, Salute to Veterans, a greatly expanded fireworks show

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# Vacancies on city committees

The City of Brodhead is looking to fill vacancies on the following committees: Economic Development, Fire District, Historic Preservation, and Personnel. If you live within the City limits and are interested in serving on any of these committee or would like more information please contact City Clerk, Nikolai Wahl at 608-897-4018 ext 150.

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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 albanyumchurch.com.

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: 9 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. Bible study Wed., June 15-Wed., July 27 at noon.

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 wor-

# **ACADEMICS**

#### Local students named to NIU spring 2022 Dean's List

Northern Illinois University announces its spring 2022 Dean's List students. To earn this distinction, students must meet a minimum semester grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale in the College of Engineering and Engineering Technology or a minimum of 3.75 on a 4.0 scale in the colleges of Business, Education, Health and Human Sciences, Liberal Arts and Sciences, and Visual and Performing Arts.

Area students who achieved this honor include: Kaya Easley, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Dean's List, and Samuel Spickler, College of Engineering Dean's List, both of Davis, Illinois.

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ship, 6 p.m. evening service. Wednesday 6 p.m. service.

Juda-Zion United Methodist Church, N2350 Church Street, 608-934-5398. Kelly Jahn, Pastor. Worship service 8:15 a.m. Oakley-Union United Methodist Church, W2388 Gerber Road, Juda, 608-934-5398. Kelly Jahn, Pastor. Sunday worship 9:30 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.

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 at 10 a.m.

United Methodist Church of Brodhead, 501 lst 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.

#### University of Dubuque Spring Semester 2022 Academic Dean's List

The University of Dubuque congratulates Aleda Lee, of Davis, Illinois, on being appointed to the Spring Semester 2022 Academic Dean's List.

Full-time students in good academic standing (registered for and having earned 12 or more letter grade credits for the term) who earn a term grade point average of 3.5 or above and who do not have any grades of Incomplete for the term are named to the Dean's List. Once grades have been submitted for any Incompletes, the Office of Academic Affairs will review eligibility again for possible placement on the Dean's List for the given term.

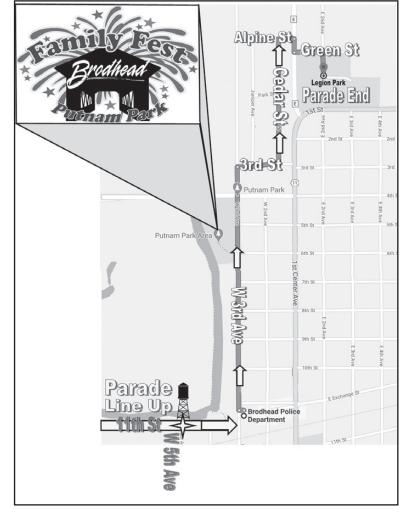
Dean's List is awarded for the fall and spring semesters only and may be awarded retroactively.

# THANK YOU • THANK YOU • Thank You · Thank You

My sincere thanks goes to the committee members of the Ray C., Maude M. & Genevieve Lyons Scholarship and Colony Brands Career Expo Scholarship for choosing me as a recipient for their local scholarships. Thank you very much for your generosity.

~ Victoria Urness

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# **ACADEMICS**

#### Morningside University announces spring 2022 Dean's List

Morningside University Vice President for Academic Affairs Chris Spicer announced the 454 students named to the Dean's List for the spring semester of the 2021-22 academic year. The Dean's List recognizes Morningside students who achieve a 3.67-grade point average or better and complete at least 12 credits of coursework with no grade below a "C-."

Dylan T. Hamil, of Durand, Illinois, was among those named.

#### Morningside announces 2021-22 Roadman Scholars

Morningside University has named 239 students as Roadman Scholars in recognition of high academic distinction for the 2021-22 academic year.

Roadman Scholars must be fulltime students who have completed at least 45 credits of college work with a cumulative grade point average of 3.76 or above. The award is named in honor of Earl Roadman, who was president of Morningside from 1936 to 1956.

Among those named was Dylan T. Hamil, of Durand, Illinois.

# NIU Spring 2022 Graduation

Over 2,200 students received their degrees from Northern Illinois University in May. Included among the graduates were the following students from your area:

Ian Alberstett, Bachelor of Arts, Communication-Media Studies, Kaya Easley, Bachelor of Arts, Psychology and Samuel Spickler, Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering, all of Davis, Illinois; and Alex Garduno, Doctor of Physical Therapy, Physical Therapy, of Durand, Illinois.

#### UW Oshkosh Spring 2022 Dean's List, Honor Roll released

University of Wisconsin Oshkosh officials have released the names of students who qualified for the Dean's List and Honor Roll in spring 2022 across its three campuses (Fond du Lac, Fox Cities and Oshkosh).

The term grade-point average (GPA) requirement for University Honor Roll is 3.3; the term GPA requirement for Dean's List is 3.75 out of a possible 4.0.

To qualify, a student must have been enrolled in a minimum of 12 credits. There can be no individual grades below a "C" and no incomplete or non-reported grades at the time the process is run.

Among those named were Emily Steder, Honor Roll and Jenna Steder, Dean's List, both of Davis, Illinois.

# **UW-Madison announces** spring Dean's List

The University of Wisconsin-Madison has recognized students named to the Dean's List for the spring semester of the 2021-2022 academic year.

Students who achieve at a high level academically are recognized by the dean at the close of each semester. To be eligible for the Dean's List, students must complete a minimum of 12 graded degree credits in that semester. Each university school or college sets its own GPA requirements for students to be eligible to receive the distinction. Most call the honor "dean's list", but some grant the "Dean's Honor List" and "Dean's High Honor List."

Area students named to the Dean's List include Nicole Kamholz, School of Pharmacy—High Honor List, and Taylor Adkins, School of Engineering—Dean's Honor List, both of Juda.

# **Family Fest**

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thanks to Piggly Wiggly, and much,

much more!

The fun starts with the annual Independence Day Parade at 11 a.m. starting near the police department, continuing north along West 3rd Avenue, past Putnam Park to 3rd Street, east to Cedar Street, north to Alpine Street and ending at Legion Park (parade route map attached). For safety reasons, parade participants are welcome to give out candy or other giveaways, but are encouraged to hand it out making sure it is out of traffic instead of throwing it in the street.

After the parade, come back to Putnam Park for a day full of food, fun and fireworks! They expanded on last year's event, bringing back many of last year's favorites and adding more like the popular Brodhead Sports Boosters Chicken BBQ, Brodhead FFA Alumni food stand and a performance by the Brodhead Community Band, as well as more inflatable games, dunk tank, geode hunt, balloon entertainer, photo booth by Brodhead's own Vanessa Weeden Photography, performance by Madison Area Children's Performer of the Year and King of kids music, David Landau and more!

New this year is the Shop the Square Outdoor Market, hosted by 608 The Factory, being held on the downtown square from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. during Family Fest. Be sure to visit vendors on the square who will have a mixture of vintage, rusty, chippy, unique finds; boutique clothing, repurposed and refinished furniture and decor, arts and crafts, jewelry, candles, soaps and much more!

They hope you can join them for a fun day of community togetherness creating memories at the second annual Brodhead Family Fest on Saturday, June 25th! For complete details on Brodhead's Family Fest, including a schedule of events, parade sign up, vendor forms, sponsor list and more, visit Brodhead-Chamber.com or call 608-897-8411.

# SOFTBALL

#### Tuesday Night Masters' League

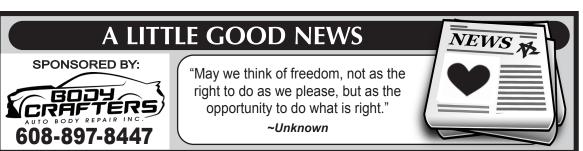
Tuesday's results: Panoske Plastering defeated M&J's Bar 11-0; Bridges Bar & Grill won by forfeit over Beast Buffet.

Season standings: Panoske Plastering won 4 lost 1; Beast Buffet 3-2; Bridges Bar & Grill 3-2; Bank of Brodhead 1-3; M&J's Bar 1-4.

## **Sunday Night Church**

Sunday, results: United Methodist-Albany defeated Unitead Methodist-Brodhead 10-0; Church of God defeated Living Word #2 16-5; Living Word #1 defeated UCC 11-8; Bethlehem Lutheran won by forfeit over Luther Valley.

Season standings: United Methodist-Albany 7-1; Luther Valley 5-3; Bethlehem Lutheran 5-3; Church of God 5-3; Living Word #2 3-5; UCC 2-5-1; United Methodist-Brodhead 2-5-1; Living Word #1 2-6.



# **ACTIVITIES AROUND TOWN**

## UP N' SMOKE BAR-B-QUE AT JUDA

Up N' Smoke Bar-b-que will be at the Juda Community Park on Wednesday, June 22 and Thursday, June 23 from 4:30 to 8 p.m. Meals will be served from the concession stand, seating is available. Meal choices are small meal for \$5 which includes slider pulled pork sandwich, smoked beans, coleslaw and juice box or water; large meal which includes pulled pork sandwich, smoked beans, coleslaw and bottled soda, Gatorade or water. All proceeds will go to the Juda Park.

#### BRODHEAD COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

The Brodhead Community Blood Drive will be held Tuesday, July 5, from noon to 5 p.m. at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 405 E. 9th Avenue, Brodhead.

For an appointment call 1-800-RED-CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org. Use sponsor code: Brodhead. Walk-ins welcome! You can save up to 15-minutes when you donate blood by using RapidPass. Visit redcrossblood.org/RapidPass for more information.

Come to give June 30-July 10 and get a Red Cross recycled cotton tote bag, while supplies last! By donating, you're helping patients celebrate a summer with loved ones. It's an act of kindness you can carry

## FREE FAMILY FRIENDLY SUMMER **MOVIE NIGHTS**

Join Living Word Church for free family friendly summer movie nights Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. They will be showing Trolls on Thursday, June 23 and A Week Away on Thursday, June 30.

Bring the whole family out for a free movie night—popcorn and air conditioning provided. The church is located at 3825 S. County Road T, Brodhead.

#### **RUNAAS REUNION**

The Runaas Reunion will be held on Sunday, July 10, starting at 1 p.m. at Purdy Park, Orfordville. Please bring your own drinks, table service and a dish to share. Coffee and water will be provided. Kindly spread the word to your immediate family.

# **Brodhead** Historical **Society June** meeting

The June meeting of the Brodhead Historical Society will be held on Monday, June 27. Brodhead's Holly Everson will give a presentation detailing the history of Bluff View Park, the entertainment venue that was located on the Sugar River west of Brodhead. The building burned in 2014, but many area residents have fond memories of time spent there. Holly has many photos from the Society's archives, but she also invites anyone with Bluff View Park souvenirs to bring them to the meeting to share. The meeting begins at 7 p.m. in the Knight Addition of the Depot Museum. The public is welcome to attend.

# CADEMI

#### Area student receives **Dean's List recognition**

Adam Green, Davis, Illinois, was placed on the Dean's List at Greenville University for the spring 2022

To qualify for the GU Dean's List, a student must successfully complete a minimum of 12 hours for the semester. Freshmen (0-29.5 credits) must have a semester GPA of 3.5 or above. Sophomores, juniors, and seniors must have a semester GPA of 3.7 or above.

## it was like 450 million years ago when the state was covered by a shallow, tropical sea.

What did the sea creatures

**Travel back** 

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ancient Wisconsin and see what

Let's travel back in time to

look like? The University of Wisconsin Geology Museum

staff will present fossils, rocks, and photos of the fascinating creatures on Tuesday, June 21st at 1 p.m. at the Brodhead High School. This Summer Library Program has moved to the high school to provide families additional space in the auditeria.

Twilight in the Park

6:00 ~ 8:00 p.m. • Veterans Park

All concerts will be held on Sunday evenings from 6-8 p.m.

Bring your own lawn chairs - we will be practicing social distancing.

We encourage you to wear your masks if you are comfortable doing so.

Concerts are FREE to the public - come and enjoy!

Sunday, June 26th

The Backroads Trio

(Acoustic based past hits taking audience down memory lane!)

FFA Alumni Supporters - Pork chop sandwiches, brats, popcorn & lemonade

Coordinated by the B.I.D. Board

The geology Museum is located in the Weeks' Hall at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. The collection focuses upon minerals, invertebrates, rocks and vertebrates and fish fossils. While exploring the site, visitors can touch rocks from a time when there were volcanoes in Wisconsin, see extinct creatures (specimen), and imagine if they were walking in the ice age. The biggest highlight is the Boaz mastodon skeleton, which was found in the 19th century. The collection inspires and engages visitors of every age, and the best part is that it is free.

# **Brodhead Middle School** second semester honor roll

The following students are high honor roll students: sixth grade— Josselyn Anderson, Wyatt Anderson, Alexandrea Andrews, Aiden Arn, Beck Benton, Donovan Bishop, Jadeyn Broge, Lucille Buchanan, Tarryn Condon, Shane Doyle, Xavier Duncan, Hayden Elmer, Carter Grosshuesch, Gabriyel Jones, Peyton Jordan, Ayvah King, Griffin Kranig, Logan Krupke, Penelope Logan, Thomas Lohmar, Kelvin Miller, Jasmine Nehls, Matthew Nordeng, Sawyer Phillips, Jenna Pinnow, Brooklynne Ramirez, Jaiden Rosheisen, Blake Samelstead, Kylie Schooff, Matthew Schupbach, William Searls, McKayla Smith, Julianna Strommen, Paige Swan, Sydney Swan, Gabrielle Wenger, Karissa Whitehead, Abigail Withrow, Isabella Yoshida, Kennedy Zimmerman.

Seventh grade: Emberly Ast, Josiah Blum, Dakota Carlson, Kylee Cole, Khloe Coplien, Lelin Doyle, Evelyne Droessler, Brielle Engen, Anthony Fraley-Markley, Maria Hasselmann, Maddie Hawkins, Brooke Mueller, Elly Olson, Leah Rear, Lily Scheidegger, Chevenne Schumacher, Lillian Sievers, Zoie Smital, Malachi Stephens, Abbigale Tway, Abigail Vickers, Rayna Wincell.

Eighth grade: Taya Anderson, Annelise Bethke, Jayde Blizard, Nolan Bump, Jasmine Collier, Danica Demrow, Jenna Dougherty, Taiya Hawkins, Dane Huffman, Gretchen Kammerer, Karli Krumwiede, Kara Lohmar, Bryce McIntosh, Mara Meichtry, Hannah Menzel, Riley Meythaler, Isabel Murphy, Bryson Oliver, Kayla Perry, Kaiden Richards, Brynn Riesterer, Aidan Rossetti, Serena Santiago, Samuel Searls, Griffin Rufer, Raya Santiago, Justis Smith-Thompson, Ethan Tracy, Savannah Walder, Aubrie Yoshida.

The following students are "A" honor roll students: sixth grade-Ellie May Allen, Randy Hadley, Seger Harding, Landyn Hewitt, Ashton King, Tyson Kraft, Madelyn McGinty, Isabella Menzel, Nicholas Miner, Miranda Nelson, Kiera Robinson, Liliana Santiago, Dakota Schumacher, Trinity Steiner, Ariana Straub, Channing Wilhite.

Seventh grade: Chase Bauman, Kelsey Bedward, Logan Berzinski, Tyler Coleman, Ciarrah Condon, Ethan Groebner, Jalynn Jones, Wyatt Keyser, Bradyn Lundgren, Madison Melvin, Tyler Picard, Camryn Viti, Chesney Walker, Isabelle Ware.

Eighth grade: Madilyn Arnold, Jayden Clark, Gracie Fields, Seaira Foster, Aidan Haegele, Lily Kuebli, Addie Leifker, Jordan Menehan, Sophia Riemer, Taylor Sauer, Tyler Steiner, Jorge Villalva, Lane Visger, Kaeden Wehrle, Laney Weis.

The following students are "B" honor roll students: sixth grade-Max Bennett, Jason Doyle, Todd Hall Jr. Kearra Hawkins, Gavin Jimenez, Desiree Mahlkuch, Alexander Ramirez-Vogel, Lily Raupp, Andrew Shearer Jr., Mikayla Stephens, Cody Winchester.

Seventh grade: Grayson Arn, Mikayla Babel, Silas Begay, Kenna Bevars, Penelope Blakely, Seth Coplien, Owen Day, Jaylinn Holmes, Lylah Huntington, Landen Malcook, Ellijah Marass, Kaylee Miller, Jayden Nehls, Kate Olmedo, Landan Peterson, Kaylee Richards, Kaden Riese, Cassie Rodriguez, Dylan Ross, Avery

back, Silas Stephenson, Braylon Strehlow, Skyler Viti, Aiden Walker, Oliver Wichita.

Eighth grade: Autumn Avery, Cason Baxter, David Bennett, Jordan Dix, Spencer Dunlavy, Emma Elsner, Leila Elsner, Kayla Halvorson, Brynn Harris, Jonathon Hoff, Gauge Jorgensen, Leilah King, Hannah Masloske, Maddax McGinty, Simon Moore, Tegan Pinnow, Franco Ramirez, Isabella Williams.

#### Straight A's:

Sixth grade: Wyatt Anderson, Aiden Arn, Beck Benton, Donovan Bishop, Jadeyn Broge, Lucille Buchanan, Tarryn Condon, Shane Doyle, Carter Grosshuesch, Peyton Jordan, Logan Krupke, Matthew Nordeng, Brooklynne Ramirez, Blake Samelstead, Kylie Schooff, Paige Swan, Karissa Whitehead, Abigail Withrow, Isabella Yoshida, Kennedy Zimmerman.

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A huge thank you to all who came & enjoyed the great breakfast for Badger Honor Flight Benefit to help send our Veterans to D.C. to see the memorials built in their honor.

#### **LUCKY WINNERS IN OUR RAFFLE:** Nine patch Quilt Eileen Stevens

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**THANK YOU EVERYONE - SEE YOU IN 2023!** 

# June Chapter Meeting—Wisconsin Farmers Union, South Central Chapter

Submitted by Matt Sheaffer, Chapter VP

The June Chapter meeting will be held on Thursday, June 23, from 5-7:30 p.m. at Plowshares and Prairie Farm, 5532 County Road G, Argyle.

The subject will be Agriculture and Rural Resilience are Vital to Meeting our Water and Climate Challenges. The speakers will be: Scott Leaser, Clean Water Wisconsin, Joe Bonnell, UW Extension Natural Resources Institute and Michael Tiboris, River Alliance of Wisconsin

Water has been an important topic across Wisconsin for many years but legislative efforts to protect and clean-up our water resources have been limited at best. Climate change will only exacerbate our water challenges and efforts to address them, but working in concert to address climate change and protect our water resources can and must diversify and strengthen rural communities and agricultural systems. Join them for a farm tour of Plowshares and Prairie Farm from 5-5:30 p.m. to see the innovative ways the host Scott Leaser has put his knowledge to work on his farm. Social time: 5:30-6 p.m. Panel Discussion 6-7 p.m. Snacks and beverages will be served. Please contact the chapter at wfusouthcentral@gmail.com with any questions.



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# Join Green **County Dairy Queens for** Brunch



Looking for something fun to do Saturday the 25th of June. Join me, Maddie McGuire, the 2021-2022 Brodhead Dairy Queen and my fellow Queens for the Green County Queen's Brunch. We will start the morning at the Brodhead Fire Station with moo tails at 8 a.m. with a brunch to follow prepared by your local firefighters. Then join us after the Family Fest parade back at the fire station to see who will be crowned the 2022-2023 Green County Dairy Queen and Princess.

If you would like to make any donations for the event please contact Linda Wahl at the Bank of Brodhead.

# Green County Dairy Days By Sue Rieder, Green County Ag Chest

The Green County Ag Chest is excited Brodhead is hosting the Green County Dairy Days in conjunction with their Family Fest. Dairy Days is an annual event sponsored by the Green County Ag Chest held during June, Dairy Month. This year, Dairy Days started with a two-day cattle show at the Green County Fairgrounds on June 10 and 11. Youth from all over southern Wisconsin wore their white and proudly lead their cattle around the arena.

Do you know of someone dedicated to Green County agriculture deserving of recognition? Nominate them today for our Agri-Business Woman of the Year (18-39), Agri-Business Woman of the Year (40 and over), or our Active Ag Couple of the Year. Winners are announced during the Dairy Days Queen's Banquet. Find our Nomination form for more information on the Green County Ag Chest website under the document tab on the Queens page. The deadline has been extended to Sunday, June 19 and can be emailed to pines\_02@yahoo.com.

On Saturday, June 25th the Green County Queen's Banquet and Crowning event will at the Brodhead Fire Station. It is open to the public, tickets are \$10, and available at the door.

8 a.m.—Mootails,

8:30 a.m.—The Big Question

9:30 a.m.—Brunch

11:00 a.m.—Parade

12:30 p.m.—Green County Dairy Queen & Princess Crowning at the **Brodhead Fire Station** 



# **CLOSED** Monday, July 4th

in observance of Independence Day.

**DEADLINE** for that week is Thursday, June 30th at 5 p.m.

# **CONGRATULATIONS** To our 2022 Scholarship Winners from GASSER HARDWARE & FARM SUPPLY



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# Quilts being sought for 2021-22 Great Wisconsin **Quilt Show contest**

There is still time to enter the 10-category juried and judged 2021-22 Great Wisconsin Quilt Show Quilt Contest. Quilters are invited to enter up to four quilts in the contest, which awards cash prizes for best of show, first-, second- and third-place honors in each of the 10 categories, and a viewers' choice award, selected from the entries by Quilt Show attendees. Quilt Contest entries must be submitted by Thursday, June 30. Learn how to enter the contest at quiltshow.com.

For the first time in three years, The Great Wisconsin Quilt Show will return to the Alliant Energy Center in Madison, Wisconsin as an in-person event, welcoming quilters from across Wisconsin and throughout the United States to join together and share their love for quilting. It will be held September 8-10.

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the event quickly pivoted to an online experience for the 2020 and 2021 shows. The 2021 Quilt Contest was put on hold until this year to allow for more entries to be exhibited in person.

Event organizers will continue to monitor updates from health officials regarding COVID-19 safety guidelines and will share the latest information about their protocols at quiltshow.com.

Entries are also being sought for the Kids' Quilt Challenge and a themed quilt challenge. This year's theme-"Celebrating 40 Years of Sewing With Nancy"—honors television's most beloved sewing instructor, the late Nancy Zieman, who was also a co-founder of The Great Wisconsin Quilt Show. Quilts from these challenges will be exhibited at the event.

To punctuate the buzz of returning in person, one of this year's special quilt exhibits is "Uncovered: The Ken Burns Collection," featuring 26 historic quilts from the private collection of the documentary filmmaker. Don't miss your chance to explore this beautiful exhibit, which celebrates quilting as part of our identity.

The Great Wisconsin Quilt Show also includes dozens of educational lectures and workshops led by expert quilters; shopping opportunities from trusted vendors, featuring the latest fabrics and notions; and a community service project—Quilt to Give—in which attendees donate their materials and skills to create quilts for those in need.

Visit quiltshow.com for complete contest details and entry deadlines.

The Great Wisconsin Quilt Show is presented by PBS Wisconsin and Nancy Zieman Productions. Proceeds from The Great Wisconsin Quilt Show support PBS Wisconsin programs and community outreach projects.

# **Brianna Dahl participating** in WBCA State All-Star **Basketball Game**

Brianna Dahl will be participating in the WBCA State All-Star Basketball Game on Wednesday, June 29th at 9 a.m. in the Wisconsin Dells. Brianna will represent the D5 South team along with other players from southern Wisconsin. This is quite an accomplishment to be selected for this elite game. This game will take place at the JAG Fieldhouse in the Wisconsin Dells. Lets show our "COMET" support by getting out to cheer on Brianna one final time in her career. Tickets for the game are \$10 each at the door, but if you contact Coach Doescher or Coach Bakken they will get you as many FREE tickets as you need. Contact information for both coaches is below if you want tickets, but you need to contact them by Sunday, June 26th.



Congratulations and good luck Brianna!!!

Coach Derik Doescher-derik. doescher@albany.k12.wi.us

Coach Brandon Bakken-brandon.bakken@albany.k12.wi.us

# **Albany High School hosting** 16th Annual Six Rivers East-West Basketball All-Star Classic

Albany High School is proud to be hosting the 16th Annual Six Rivers East-West Basketball All-Star Classic on Friday, June 24th. The night will be filled with activities and great basketball to support the American Family Children's Hospital in Madison. ALL at the door admissions will go directly to the American Family Children's Hospital on behalf of the Six Rivers Conference. Concessions will be available throughout the night. There will be a free-throw contest for youth ages 9-14 at halftime of both games. Please help pro-

mote this great event!

Girls East-West All-Star Game-6 p.m. Halftime of the girls' game will feature a free-throw contest for any GIRLS in age divisions 9/10, 11/12, and 13/14.

In between games there will be a three-point shoot-out between the EAST-WEST players.

Boys East-West All-Star Game-8 p.m. Halftime of the boys game will feature a free-throw contest for any BOYS in age divisions 9/10, 11/12, and 13/14

The Back 40 Band was the opening group for Twilight in the Park. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)

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# **B-J** baseball JV letter winners

Left to right: Dawson Blum, Trenton Neeley, Mason Shimmek, Tyrin Foster, Parker VanderPal, Brody Riese, Max Pinnow, Brooks Malkow, Nicholas Lobeck. Photo by Becky Malkow.



# **B-J** baseball seniors

Brady Malkow, Mason Kammerer, Cooper Woelky given their senior gift of posters with schedule. Photo by Becky Malkow



# **B-J** baseball

Varsity letter winners

Left to right: Cooper Woelky, Coach Mullens, Brady Malkow, Gabe Bockhop, Dylan Lewis, Cullen Walker, David Masloske, Evan Senobe, Aidyn Vondra, Clayton Elliott, Mason Kammerer, Jackson Fields, Ryan Searls, Kohen Sawle. Photo by Becky Malkow



# CLOSED

Monday, July 4th in observance of

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# VFW Post 6858 hands out citizenship and scholarship awards

By Joel Steinmann, Commander, VFW Post 6858, Brodhead

Each year the VFW Post 6858 of Brodhead hands out citizenship awards and a scholarship to a recipient in each of the following communities-Brodhead, Juda, and Parkview. The citizenship award is given out to a student in fifth, eighth, and 12th grade. The school administration chooses the students based on their academics, leadership, and the general promotion of being a good citizen within the community. The scholarship is given to a graduating senior to assist them with furthering their academic studies at a Wisconsin short-course or a two-year tech school based on their participation in school and community events.

The following received recognition in 2022—

Brodhead Schools: Citizenship (fifth, eighth, 12th)—Natalie Baldazzi, Danica Demrow, Brady Bruns; Scholarship—Joie Steinmann

Juda Schools: Citizenship (fifth, eighth, 12th)—Christina Roth, Diesel Ostby, Katie Nusbaum; Scholarship—Katie Nusbaum

Parkview Schools: Citizenship (fifth, eighth, 12th)—Connor Knutson, Aiden Crane, Jenna Olin; Scholarship—Sarah Mabie

VFW Post 6858 takes great pride in recognizing and awarding these young members for exemplifying those qualities that will help to build each of our communities. The VFW members congratulate and wish each of the recipients the best in their future endeavors.



Sarah Mabie

# **ACADEMICS**

Haley Knauf named to the spring 2022 Dean's List at Aurora University

Aurora University has named Haley Knauf of Albany, WI, to the Dean's List for the spring 2022 semester. Knauf is majoring in Finance and Business Administration. The Dean's List recognizes full-time undergraduate students who have earned a 3.6 GPA or higher.

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Historical Society Receives **Darlington** Area **Community** 

The Lafayette County Historical Society collects and preserves documents and artifacts of Lafayette County history, and shares these with the public free of charge by operating two historic properties as museums and research facilities. They are located in Darlington, across the street from the county courthouse and facing the Veterans Park.

**Fund Grant** 

The main Museum and archives are housed in a building that was constructed in 1905 as the Darlington Carnegie Free Library. This year the building was listed on the State and National Registers of Historic Places. Visitors come from all over the county to see the largely unchanged library building-an excellent example of its period and type of architecture. The Historical Society owns and maintains the building. As a non-profit organization, large-scale preservation projects often exceed the annual operating budget. When they realized the exterior brickwork was in need of spot tuck pointing to protect the building from damage by water intrusion, they knew financial help would be needed as well.

The society is grateful to the Darlington Area Community fund for a grant towards the cost of the tuckpointing. Their project entitled "Historic Preservation of the "Old Library," was awarded \$2,000 which will cover much (but not all) of the cost. Additional donations would be gratefully accepted and can be sent to the Historical Society at 525 Main St., Darlington, WI 53530. For more information on the Lafayette County Historical Society call 608-776-8340, visit the Museum, or like their Facebook Page.

This is the second time in recent years that the Darlington Area Community Fund has aided preservation work of the Historical Society since they provided funds to help paint the Darlington Train Depot Building in 2021. The fund is part of The Community Foundation of Southern Wisconsin—a resource for area nonprofit organizations whose programs and services are working for the betterment of our communities. Grants from the Darlington Area Community Fund have supported the arts, education, environment, health and human services and historic preservation.

For more information on how you can support your community through the Community Foundation, contact Linda Gebhardt a 608-758-0883, ext. 7007, email at Linda@cfsw.org or visit their website at www.cfsw.org.

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# **Help Wanted**

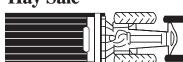


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# **Hay Sale**



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# POLICE

#### **Green County Sheriff's Department** May 23-29, 2022

At approximately 8:52 p.m., Monday, deputies responded to the W2300 block of County Highway EE, Town of Albany, for a report of disorderly conduct. Investigations resulted in Mark H. McCoy, 52, of Albany, being arrested for disorderly conduct, false imprisonment, and a probation hold issued through the Department of Corrections. Mc-Coy was incarcerated at the Green County Jail pending court.

May 30-June 5, 2022

A Green County Sheriff's Office deputy was injured and a Ford Explorer patrol vehicle sustained significant damage during a pursuit early Tuesday morning. At about 12:29 a.m. on Tuesday, May 31, a citizen reported that a vehicle was traveling at excessive speeds and operating in a reckless manner on CTH EE between Albany and Monticello. A deputy located a dark colored Chevrolet Camaro operating at excessive speeds nearby on CTH X. The vehicle fled when the deputy activated his lights and siren and a pursuit occurred on several town roads and county trunk highways in the area. The pursuit was terminated in the vicinity of STH 59 and CTH FF when the deputy lost sight of the fleeing vehicle. About five minutes later, the deputy again encountered the vehicle on CTH OK near STH 11/81. A second pursuit occurred, and the vehicle fled on multiple roads in Spring Grove and Jefferson Townships. As the deputy rounded a curve at the intersection of CTH K and Union Road, the patrol vehicle left the roadway, entered a ditch and collided with a fence and a tree and the suspect vehicle fled the scene. The patrol vehicle sustained disabling front-end damage and the airbags deployed. The deputy was wearing a safety belt and harness and was treated at the scene by Juda First Response and Green County EMS. He was later examined and released from The Monroe Clinic Hospital and is expected to return to duty in the next couple of days. The Monroe Police Department investigated the crash. The deputy is identified as Adam J. Bass, an 11year veteran of the Green County Sheriff's Office. Anyone with information that can assist in identifying the owner and driver of the dark colored Chevrolet Camaro involved is encouraged to contact the Green County Sheriff's Office at 608-328-9401 or Green County Crime Stop-

pers at 800-422-7463. At approximately 3:38 p.m., Tuesday, deputies responded to the N1100 block of County Highway G, Town of Spring Grove, for a report of a single vehicle accident. The driver, Kristine R. Osborn, 72, of Brodhead, advised while driving on County Highway G, her vehicle experienced a mechanical failure causing her to lose control. Osborn entered the east ditch where her vehicle struck a utility pole. Osborn reported no injuries and reported wearing her seat

belt. Osborn's vehicle sustained disabling damage and was towed from the scene.

#### **Brodhead Municipal Court** Finding Date: 06/01/2022 through 06/01/2022

Brendan Wayne Demeny, Brodhead, operating after suspension, violation date 04/02/2022 \$124.

Mitchel J. Disch, Footville, operating while revoked, violation date 04/17/2022 \$313; operate motor vehicle without insurance, violation date 04/17/2022 \$124; non-registration of auto, etc., violation date 04/17/2022 \$98.80.

Jerome Asa Fellows, Evansville, possess open intoxicants in motor vehicle, violation date 03/30/2022

Jennifer Jai Ince, Brodhead, operate motor vehicle without insurance, violation date 04/09/2022 \$124; operate after rev/suspension of registration, violation date 04/09/2022 \$98.80; parent/guardian contribute to truancy, violation date 01/20/2021 \$0.00.

Josh Kenneth Lawrence, Brodhead, non-registration of auto, etc., violation date 04/17/2022 \$98.80; failure to transfer vehicle title, violation date 04/17/2022 \$98.80.

Bradley Keith Lebaron, Madison, operate motor vehicle without proof of insurance, violation date 04/27/2022 \$10; zone and posted limits, violation date 04/27/2022 \$149.20.

Gail R. Myers, Jr., Monroe, operating left of centerline, violation date 04/23/2022 \$136.60.

Harvey Frank Pribble, Brodhead, operate motor vehicle without insurance, violation date 04/02/2022 \$124; non-registration of auto, etc., violation date 04/02/2022 \$98.80.

Matthew L. Richards, Brodhead, operating while intoxicated, violation date 04/09/2022 \$861.

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Please submit your personal information and resume by mail to: United Methodist Church of Brodhead, 501 First Center Avenue, Brodhead, WI 53520; or by email to brodheadumc@gmail.com.by July 15th.



#### By Sarah Carpenter, **Outreach Librarian**

We're having a blast so far with our Summer Library Program; and it's not too late for you to join us if you haven't yet! Next week for Miss Laura's Labs, we'll be exploring how whales and polar bears stay warm in the Arctic with 'Being Fat and Sassy' on Tuesday, June 28th at 10:30 a.m. here at the library. Virtual activities are available daily on Beanstack; which can also be accessed through our Facebook page. Supplies and printed directions for the craft activities are available for pick-up at the library front door. Don't forget to log your reading as well and work towards earning badges and a chance to spin the wheel for fun prizes!

We'll have a special guest join-

ing us for the June meeting of the All Booked Up! Book Club. Author of the 'Monroe Mystery Series' and former Mayor of Monroe, William Mitchell Ross will be here to discuss the first book in the series, 'Deceived By Self'. You still have some time before the meeting to read the book in preparation—come pick up your copy now! If you've already read the first and are ready for more, we have the other nine books in the series also available. Next meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 27th at 6:30 p.m. here at the library.

If you're more of a morning person than a night owl, don't forget about our newest book club addition, Monday Morning Mayhem. Its introductory meeting will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, June 27th and will be discussing the book 'Nothing To See Here' by Kevin Wilson. Copies are still available for checkout; so it's not too late to join in on the fun!



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# **New Dairy Queen Crowned**





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Emma Beutel is Brodhead's newly crowned dairy queen. She was crowned by outgoing Brodhead Dairy Queen Maddie McGuire. Emma is the daughter of Jim and Becky Beutel who have a dairy and crop operation outside of Brodhead. (Free Press photos by Teresa Earleywine)

Right—Brodhead Dairy Queen 2021-22, Maddie McGuire chose her brother David to remove her crown and sash as her time as dairy queen came to a close Sunday.











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# **Albrecht Elementary** fifth grade promotion

Albrecht Elementary School held its first annual Fifth Grade Promotion Ceremony on Tuesday, May 31st for the students and their families. Students from each classroom were recognized for their time at the elementary school. The following students were also recognized for citizenship or academic awards:

V.F.W. Citizenship Award: Natalia Baldazzi.

Principal's Citizenship Award: Lennon Krattiger, Elise Rear, Maddy Stephenson, and Sadie Woelky.

Presidential Academic Award: Elena Boston, Kinsley Krumweide, Ella Olson, and Elise Rear.

Reading Excellence Academic Award: Jai'lynn Amundson, Natalia Baldazzi, Elena Boston, Cooper Buxton, Colby Donnelly, October Grenawalt, Mira Hartman, Gracie Hefty, Lennon Krattiger, Kinsley Krumweide, Hayden Lewis-Usher, Ella Olson, Elise Rear, Kamden Sauer, Carson Seichter, Liam Watts, Xander Wiegel, and Aleah Zweifel.

Excellence Academic Award: Jailynn Amundson, Elena Boston, Steven Carlson, Yankel de la Cruz-Becerril, Colby Donnelly, Derek Hadley, Kinsley Krumweide, Eli Mertens, Audree Mullins, Ella Olson, Elise Rear, Brant Riesterer, Liam Watts, and Aleah Zweifel.

Academic Achievement Award: Laniya Babbitt, Bentley Bradt, Arnott Buxton, Cooper Buxton, Zavon Dobson, Colton Donnelly, Odin Fowler, Macy Gretebeck, Jessica Guadalupe Mondragon, Mira Hartman, Gracie Hefty, Lluvia Hilario-Herrera, Alexa Jansen, Landen Kammerer, Hayden Lewis-Usher, Cheyenne Melvin, Brooklyn Painter, Laetin Pinnow, Montana Restivo, Brant Riester, Bella Santiago Aguilar, Braeleigh Schout, Carson Seichter, Brody Shelly, Emma Shelly, Josie Smithback, Emily Steele, Arianna Steinecker, Maddy Sutherland, Stephenson, Olivia Conner Tracy, Mayson VanMatre, Xander Wiegel, Elise Williams, Lexi Williams, and Sadie Woelky.



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