

## City Council New Website Proposal Accepted

By Grace Kufahl

The Economic Development Committee recommended the Council go with the Revize Web Design proposal to revamp the city's website with an initial cost of \$10,375. There is also a \$1,975 annual maintenance fee, up from the current \$1,800. The city expects to get a credit for the maintenance paid in August. Alder Simpson questioned why Revize was recommended over the Tom Webb quote which, despite the higher maintenance fee, would cost less over three years. Mayor Jones responded that there's value in the existing relationship. After

a lengthy discussion, the Council voted to accept the Revize proposal.

New police officer Craig Christensen took his Oath of Honor administered by Chief Raupp, in the presence of his family, the Council and other meeting attendees.

Alder Burkhalter presented a \$1,000 donation to the Economic Development Committee from Water and Light. He reported the committee gifted the money from 2022 and 2023 to Olivia from Green County Development Corporation (GCDC) for her to talk to the school district about using the funds to

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## City of Brodhead Local Offices for Re-election

The offices of Mayor, Judge, and three Alderperson at Large will be up for re-election in the Tuesday, April 2, 2024 Spring Election. All terms are for two years except for the Judge, which is a four-year term. If you are interested in running for any of these offices, please stop into City Hall for more information or call 608-897-4018 ext 151. City Hall is open Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

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On Thursday, December 14th the Fifth Grade Band performed their Winter Concert for a wonderful audience. The songs they performed were "Name That Christmas Carol", "Up On the Housetop", "Jolly Old St. Nicholas" and "Jingle Bells". They did a great job!

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Bethany Lutheran Church, 1652 West Church Road, Brodhead. 608-897-4158. Pastor Rick Gleason. 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@bethlehembrodhead.org. Website: www.bethlehembrodhead.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.

Brodhead Church of the Nazarene, 1004 13th Street. Pastor Ken Lawson. Adult worship 10-11 a.m.; children's church 10-11a.m.

Congregational United Church of Christ, E201 23rd Street, Brodhead. 608-897-2917. Pastor Shawn Stapleton. Sundays: 10 a.m. worship. Sunday school every other Sunday at 8:45 a.m. Nursery care 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.

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Living Word Church, 3825 S. County Road T, Brodhead. 608-897-8246. Pastor Russ Doeblor. 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.

Oakley-Union United Methodist Church, W2388 Gerber Road, Juda, 608-293-4232. Pastor Jady N Manjrekar. 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. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, 1005 W. 2nd Avenue, Brodhead, part of Pastorate 11, Madison Diocese. 608-325-9506. Father David, Paochial Administrator. Mass at 8:15 a.m. Wednesday and on the first Sunday of the month at noon.

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.

City Council  
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build or rehabilitate houses like the Monroe School District is doing. Alder Simpson questioned why the committee didn't follow the Council's recommendation to put the funds toward the website or GCDC for Economic Development. Burkhalter explained he gave the recommendation to the committee; they discussed it and decided to go another direction. When questioned, the attorney stated that the authority to spend the money rests with the committee. Alder Baxter asked if we were paying for GCDC to have a conversation with the school. Mayor Jones said he understands that the money would ultimately go to the school.

In Other Business:

Since the proposed West 3rd sewer project doesn't qualify for the type of grant MSA was looking at for the city, Alder Simpson offered to go door to door to survey residents on 13th Street to see if that area would qualify.

An Amendment to the US Cellular Contract passed allowing them to replace three antennas on the north water tower.

The Police Union Contract was approved.

Resolution 2023-2017 was passed appointing Election Officials for 2024.

Basketball  
contest

The winner of this week's basketball contest was Curt Elmer, Albany, with one incorrect game and 85 points. The highest scoring game was the men's Illinois vs. Missouri 97-73. The following also had one incorrect: and Paul Clark—84 points, Doug Rezner—80 points, and Brian Malkow—76 points, all of Brodhead and Tom Brewer—76, of Albany.



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GCDC and Family Promise  
receive WHEDA Grants for  
housing projects

Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority (WHEDA) announced recently that 53 organizations in 27 counties throughout the state will receive \$2 million in grants from the WHEDA Foundation to improve emergency shelter, transitional residences, and extremely low-income housing.

Family Promise of Green County, Inc., serving homeless families and individuals since 2011, will receive \$33,289 to rewrap the exterior and replace existing siding, install new gutters and downspouts, and replace the roof at the shelter. Rick Gleason, Executive Director of Family Promise said, "This grant enables us to complete the necessary structural upgrades to our facility on schedule per our property committee planning. We are so grateful for this grant approval."

GCDC was awarded \$30,000 for the Home Construction Cooperative, a program that addresses housing and workforce shortages in the county as local high school students learn in-demand job skills as they renovate the home. "This grant, in combination with the incredible amount of donations from the community, helps secure this program into the future as all funds from the sale of the house will be used for future projects," stated Olivia Otte, Executive Director of Green County Development Corporation (GCDC).

This year, the Foundation's annual Housing Grant Program is funded by \$2 million from WHEDA reserves. WHEDA received 96 applications requesting more than \$3.8 million through the housing grant process this year, an indication of the high demand and need in Wisconsin. This year's grants will create or improve 1,674 beds and housing units across the state. Investments at the community level also support economic recovery by creating valued construction jobs.

WHEDA Foundation has issued nearly \$31 million to housing providers across the state since 1985. Grants are awarded to non-profit agencies, local governments, and Tribal authorities for emergency/transitional housing or permanent housing. Both GCDC and Family Promise are 501c3, non-profit organizations serving the needs of Green County.

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The second trip is to Mount Rushmore, Badlands and Black Hills. The dates for this trip are September 8-14, 2024. Features include Mount Rushmore National Museum, Tour of Wildlife Loop Road at Custer State Park, admission to the Unique Journey Museum, tour of Deadwood, visit to the Crazy Horse Memorial and a visit to the Badlands National Park. The price for this trip is \$939 per person double occupancy.

To signup or for more information call Sue Schmelzer at 608-897-2676 or 608-558-8797 or email [sschmelzer@charter.net](mailto:sschmelzer@charter.net).

#### 2024 PARK SHELTER RESERVATIONS BEGINNING

##### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3RD—10 A.M.

Reservations for the park shelters for 2024 will begin being accepted at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, January 3rd, at the City Hall. Reservations are based upon first-come, first served basis only, with no one allowed to register before that time. Registering may be done over the phone, by calling 608-897-2159 or by stopping down to the City Hall located at 1111 W. 2nd Avenue. Once you have registered, a payment of \$50 for a Resident of the City of Brodhead and \$75 for a Non-Resident; along with Park Reservation Agreement, must be turned in within five business days or your name will be removed from the calendar.

## Resignations leave two open seat of town board

The Town of Avon have recently had two board members resign from their positions on the town board. The long-time treasurer resigned from her position on Friday, December 1st and the Chairperson will be leaving his position at the first of the year. The town is turning to their citizens to fill these positions for the remainder of the term, which is through April 15th, 2025.

The responsibilities of the treasurer include but not limited to financial record keeping and reports, deposits, transfers and dog tags. This position works closely with clerk and is expected to attend the monthly board meeting.

Chairperson responsibilities include be not limited to running the monthly meeting, work closely with the Rock County Public Works Department, attend fire district meetings, answer questions from citizens, works closely with clerk and treasurer to maintain and operate with in town budget.

Any Town of Avon reside above the age 18 that is interested in either position please send a letter of interest to the Town Clerk via email [clerk@townofavonwi.gov](mailto:clerk@townofavonwi.gov) or mail 15444 W. Skinner Rd, Brodhead, WI 53520 by Wednesday, January 10. Please include name, phone, and position of interest. The clerk will contact you with a date and time for an interview.

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(One family will win all prizes listed.)

1. The parents of the baby must reside in Brodhead School District.
2. Parents wishing to be considered in the Firstborn Contest must contact the Brodhead Free Press within one week of the birth. Once a winner has been chosen, the decision is final.
3. The contest will continue until a winner is declared.



Brodhead powered over Evansville last week with a 77-63 victory. The Cardinals had nine buckets from long range with Sam Searls #13 scoring three from the perimeter. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)



It was a night of scrapping when Brodhead hosted Whitewater. Cardinal, Danica Demrow looks to pass in the hard fought game. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)



Marcus McIntyre achieved his 100th career win last week at the Mount Horeb Invite. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)



Gavin Pinnow #3 goes up strong from close range for two over Matthew Wickstrom #14 of Evansville. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)



Brodhead prevailed for the 54-45 win led by Alecia Dahl leading all scorers with 25 total points including 13 of 16 attempts from the free throw line. (Free Press photo by Teresa Earleywine)

# Junior Achievement Offers Financial Literacy Courses to Wisconsin High Schools

Non-Profit Stands Ready to Help School Districts Comply with New Wisconsin Law

Wisconsin recently became the 24th state in the country to enact a law requiring high school graduates to complete a semester-long course in financial literacy. Wisconsin schools can fulfill this mandate with a semester-long curricula offered by Junior Achievement of Wisconsin.

JA Financial Literacy, part of the JA High School Experience courses, is a one-semester, teacher-led course that equips high school students with foundational personal finance skills. These skills include how to earn and save money; manage money by being a wise consumer; create and use a budget; manage bank accounts, investments, and credit; assess risks and use insurance; and address financial problems like identity theft and debt. Trained community volunteers engage with students several times throughout the semester with a variety of activities that may include subject-matter guest speaking, coaching, or advising for project coursework.

“Junior Achievement of Wisconsin is deeply grateful for the leadership of Governor Evers and Senator Joan Ballweg (R-Markesan) and Rep. Alex Dallman (R-Green Lake). This legislation will equip future generations with a strong foundation in money management and pave the way for better financial futures,” said Julie Granger, President of Junior Achievement of Wisconsin. “Our organization has been providing financial literacy coursework for more than 75 years and began offering semester-long curricula five years ago. Our programs are aligned with national and state curriculum standards, and we look forward to making this critical coursework available to more schools and students,” added Granger.

High school teachers and principals interested in learning more about the JA Financial Literacy semester-long curriculum can email [info@javis.org](mailto:info@javis.org) or call the Junior Achievement of Wisconsin office in Monona, Wisconsin at 608-288-8201.

The mission of Junior Achievement of Wisconsin is to inspire and prepare young people to succeed by recruiting and training community volunteers to teach K-12 students about financial literacy, entrepreneurship, and career readiness. During the 2022-23 school year, a dedicated core of 5,450 local JA volunteer mentors reached more than 121,000 Wisconsin students.

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# Brodhead High School Winter Sports Teams

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## Girls Varsity Basketball

Sitting, left to right: Mgr: Landen Kammerer and Makenna Jarvis; kneeling: Danica Demrow, Gretchen Kammerer, Alecia Dahl, Makenna Schooff, Jaelyn Hilliard; standing: Taiya Hawkins, Brenley Jones, Coach Brian Kammerer, Onnika Williams, Coach Nick Jarvis, Addison Yates, and Jerrika Schwartz. Missing: Coach Eric Oliver and DJ McGowan.



## Girls JV Basketball

Sitting, left to right: Mgr. Makenna Jarvis, Landen Kammerer; kneeling: Danica Demrow, Serena Santiago, Kaylee Miller, Karli Krumwiede, Emberly Ast; standing: Chesney Walker, Taiya Hawkins, Annelise Bethke, Coach Nick Jarvis, Jordan Menehan, Brooke Mueller, and Grethen Kammerer.



## Boys Varsity Basketball

Front row, left to right: Manger Bryce Bockhop, Manager Archer Yates; kneeling: #32 Jayson Montiel, #10 Jaxon Dooley, #23 Nicholas Lobeck, #4 Jayke Huntington, #2 Gabe Bockhop; row three: #3 Gavin Pinnow, #20 Brady Flannery, Coach BJ Bockhop, Coach Tommy Meier, Coach Skyler Stuckey, #22 Gunner Boegli, #5 Joey Brown; row four: #1 Cullen Walker, #24 Nathan Engen, #21 Brody Riese, #13 Sam Searls.



## Boys JV1 Basketball

Kneeling, left to right: #10 Brady Flannery, #11 Jayke Huntington, #2 Nicholas Lobeck, #1 Erik Woodward, #42 Brooks Malkow; standing: #45 Max Pinnow, #31 Garrett Olson, Coach Skyler Stuckey, #23 Parker Vaderpal.



## Boys JV2 Basketball

Kneeling, left to right: #55 Camryn Viti, #23 Landen Malcook, #1 Lucas Woodward, #13 Teagan Pinnow, #2 Nolan Bump; row one: #3 Braylon Sterhlow, #22 Keegan Olson, Coach BJ Bockhop, #24- Josiah Blum, #4 Dylan Ross; back row: #5 Merin Roper, #30 Lucas Keating.



## Wrestling

Sitting: Emily Reyes, Dysel Groebner, Kyla Miller, Skylar Vitti and Leiligh King; Kneeling: Joe Lohmar, Jacob Roth, Allyssa Groebner, Joziah Crisler, Eathan Groebner, Landan Peterson; third row: Marcus McIntyre, Dane Huffman, Chris Hoesly, Nolan Oliver, Gavin Baade, Charlie Weis, Jameson Wallin; back row standing: Chase Wilhite, Parker Ommott, Landon King, Kavion Cupps, Devon Widmer, Emmitt Allen.

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Snowfall (crossing out fingers that it will happen soon) and the animals that live Over and Under the Snow. Rhinos who Snowboard and dogs who fly with the snow geese and a Perfect Day For It should get us excited if we ever DO get snow. A whole day of Penguins, Penguins, Everywhere and Five Little Penguins Slipping on the Ice!

Some of the fun activities include painting the Perfect Snowflake and building snowman towers (All You Need for a Snowman) and definitely snowman puzzles. We'll make lots of winter snow scenes and paint the Biggest Snowman Ever!

Again, we meet Tuesdays at 10 a.m., before the library is open to the public. We definitely enjoy having the library to ourselves! Come and join us!



The tree they painted one week and decorated the next.



Story Time cozziness. Thanks to Jennifer McNeely for the pictures.

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**Boys - Platteville at Evansville (HS)**

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**Girls - Platteville at Evansville (HS)**

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Help Wanted



Albany Community Daycare is looking to hire, full and part-time. No weekends, no nights and no holidays. Call Cindy at 608-862-5437. (01/03)

Advertising Deadline: Friday, 5 p.m.

Mordhorst and Stingley receive awards for life saving

On Tuesday, December 12, at the Green County Supervisors meeting the Sheriff presented commendations to Deputy Matthew Mordhorst



Deputy Matthew Mordhosrt and Corporal Alexis Stingly

Monday Night Mixed League

12/18—High series: Glaydon Wahler 677, Robert Murray 663, Jason Schoen 631. High games: G. Wahler 257, R. Murray 257, Jason Shrier 242. Deb's Bar-high team game 1,026 and series 2,899. Standings: Deb's Bar won 27 lost 8, Center Tavern 25-10, Beloit Chiropractic 19-16, Broughton's Bar 13-22, Albany Lanes 12-23, Fosters Gaming 9-26.

Tuesday Shaningans

12/19—High series: Alexis Sies 483, Phyllis Shrier 459, Chris Rosheisen 392, Bill Shrier 577, Rick Josephsen 501, Dennis Atkinson 496. High games: A. Sies 176, P. Shrier 175, C. Rosheisen 162, B. Shrier 244, D. Atkinson 201, Rick Clark 184. Greightful Dead-high team game 771. Barely Upright-high team series 2,213. Standings: Albany Lanes won 48 lost 29, Barely Upright 40-37, Greightful Dead 37-40, Boomtastic 4 37-40, Misfits 37-40, Sweet Mini HaHa 32-45.

Badger

12/19—High series: Josh Brugger 711, Ryan Brugger 677, Keith Riese 652, Brian Purdy 589, Megan Anderson 453, Jen Parrish 281. High games: J. Brugger 267, K. Riese 236, R. Brugger 224, M. Anderson 178, J. Parrish 109. Renks-high team game 876 and series 2,430. Standings: Renks won 30 lost 5, Jim's Mechanic Shop 19-16, Counter Attack 19-16, Pearl City Elevator 18-17, Decatur Dairy 11-24, Team 3 8-27.

Wednesday Night Ladies

12/20—High series: Kari Johnson 505, Zoe Krattiger 491, Nicole Brewer 469, Anna Laughlin 445, Rikki Thomas-Martin 436. High games: Z. Krattiger 190, N. Brewer 174, K. Johnson 172, Jennifer Hlavachek 171, Fran Kubesh 170. Crystal's Team-high team game 597 and series 1,751. Standings: Crystal's Team won 7 lost 0, Glenn-Ann Ladies 5-2, Larson Acres 5-2, Albertson's 2-5, New Glarus Brewery 2-5, Broughton's Bar 0-7.

Thursday Afternoon Ladies

12/14—High series: Nancy Salzwedel 414, Becky Riese 410, Priscilla Kaderly 407. High games: N. Salzwedel 155, Virginia Schliem 151, Cindy Sheldon 148. Knutes-high team game 504 and series 1,467. 12/21—High series: Becky Riese 479, Tana Klitzman 455, Betty Blum 400. High games: T. Klitzman 180, B. Riese 166, B. Blum 153. Mike's Flooring-high team game 569 and series 1,532. Standings: Albany Lanes won 5 lost 2, Mike's Flooring 7-0, Ball's Installation 2-5, Knutes 2-5, Nolte's Garage 5-2.

Thursday Night Mixed

12/21—High series: Brandon Bayrhoffer 652, Tony Brewer 619, Paul Rhyner 599, Dave Brugger 598. High games: B. Bayrhoffer 289, P. Rhyner 239, Tim Golz 232, T. Brewer 228. Broughton Corner Bar 1-high team game 1,055 and game 2,776. Standings: Broughton's Corner Bar 2 won 22 lost 13, Attica Bar 21-14, Broughton's Corner Bar 1 19-16, Rosheisen Rappers 16-19, Glenn Ann Holsteins 14-21, Golz Electric 13-22.

Brodhead Juniors

12/23—High series—boys: Ashton Hale 625, Parker VanderPal 546, Brittian Paulson 410, Alexander Ramirez-Vogel 370, Tristan Modaff 281, Casey Johnson 278. High games—boys: A. Hale 246, P. VanderPal 198, B. Paulson 146, A. Ramirez-Vogel 145, T. Modaff 113, C. Johnson 109. High series—girls: Grace Gold 473, Kylee Wahler 429, Taylor Sauer 423, Grace Welbig 294, Lilly Schwartzlow 259, Aubree Brugger 244. High games—girls: K. Wahler 167, G. Gold 163, T. Sauer 157, G. Welbig 104, A. Brugger 101, L. Schwartzlow 96.

Brodhead Early Rollers

12/23—High games: Stella Brugger 70, Abigail Fenwick 66, Kinslee Brewer 59.

Brodhead Youth

12/23—High series: Carter Fenwick 182, Jayse Bennett 82, Jack Norris 59, Jaxson Brewer 38, Kelsee Brugger 183, Keira Shrader 85, Brynlee Brugger 71, Amelia Fenwick 51. High games: C. Fenwick 102, J. Bennett 43, J. Brewer 36, J. Norris 31, K. Brugger 106, K. Shrader 53, B. Brugger 44, A. Fenwick 33.

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and Corporal Alexis Stingley. During the evening of March 2, 2023, Deputy Mordhorst was completing cellblock safety checks when he discovered an inmate with a ligature around their neck in an attempt to take their life. Deputy Mordhorst quickly noticed Corporal Stingley of the incident and Corporal Stingley immediately responded with a rescue knife. The inmate's condition was deteriorating as they utilized the rescue knife to remove the ligature. The inmate was transferred to the hospital where their condition quickly improved. Their quick and alert actions resulted in the necessary care and prevented the death of a Green County Jail inmate.

Deputy Matthew Mordhorst is a Brodhead resident.

## Brodhead Fire District Annual Awards Banquet held December 20, 2023



10 Years of Service Awards—Adm. Assistant Heather Osborne and Firefighter/AEMT Domanic Wiegel



Chief Robert Scheidegger receives 30 Years of Service Award from 1st Assistant Chief Chris Searles



Lt. Derrick Pinnow presents 2nd Assistant Chief Richard Pinnow 40 Years of Service Award with Chief Robert Scheidegger

The Brodhead High School Pep Band is keeping busy performing at basketball games this winter. They appreciate the time the band students take to help provide a fun atmosphere for sporting events.



Sophomore Jordan Dix on drumset.



Chief Robert Scheidegger presents 1st Assistant Chief Chris Searles 45 Years of Service Award



1st Assistant Chief Chris Searles, Chief Robert Scheidegger, 2nd Assistant Chief Richard Pinnow combined years of service 115 years!



Brodhead Fire District Officers—Lt./Paramedic Derrick Pinnow, 1st Assistant Chief/EMT Chris Searles, Chief/EMR Robert Scheidegger, 2nd Assistant Chief/EMR Richard Pinnow, Captain/EMR Troy Gerber, Lt./EMT Brandon Riese. (Not pictured Captain/Paramedic Rick Bedward)



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## Winter Mental Health and Upcoming programs:

Winter is a rough time for many people. Not only are the days short and we don't get much sun—we also experience the holiday let-down. For some people this is because of the visits from loved ones coming to an end. Others may be going through grief and loss of someone important, or the grief and pain of having complicated and difficult family relationships. All of these very human experiences can lead to more mental health concerns for ourselves and those we care about.

Green County Extension is offering a couple of educational programs that include mental health conversations as part of the learning experience. One program is called Mental Health First Aid. This program discusses different mental health diagnoses, substance use disorders, and mental health crises like suicide. It is an excellent overview program for anyone. They will be holding this by Zoom on Friday January 12th, from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Another program coming up on Friday, January 26th is called safeTALK. This is a program where we learn how to talk with adults or youth who may be struggling with thoughts of suicide, and keep them safe. This will be held at the Green County Justice Center on Friday, January 26th from 1-4 p.m.

Please reach out to Bridgett Mouchon at the Green County Extension office for more information, or to sign up for either program. She can be reached at 608-328-9440 or blmouchon@wisc.edu. You can also look for more information under Health and Wellbeing at the Green County Extension website: <https://green.extension.wisc.edu/>.

## POLICE

### Green County Sheriff's Department December 18-25, 2023

At 3:39 p.m., Fiday, deputies responded to 400 block of 2nd Street, in the Village of Albany, for a domestic abuse incident. The investigation resulted in Daniel G. Benkert, age 37, of Albany, being placed under arrest for battery (domestic related) and two counts of disorderly conduct, one of which was domestic related. Daniel was later incarcerated at the Green County Jail pending an initial court appearance.

At approximately 2:03 a.m., Monday, deputies responded to the N4800 block of State Highway 104, Town of Decatur, for a report of a disturbance. Investigations resulted in Daniel A. Martinez, 19, of Brodhead, being arrested for felony bail jumping and disorderly conduct. Martinez was incarcerated at the Green County Jail.

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