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Announcements

• The Mazeppa Area Historical Society sends out a "Huge Thank You" to the Mazeppa Fire & Rescue- Christian & Petey for transporting the "1896 Man Drawn Hose Cart" for the parade to Mazeppa & back to the Olmsted County History Museum.

Also, thanks to all who supported the MAHS during Mazeppa Daze, & to all the organizations that worked so hard to make it "Huge Success"!

• **Three Rivers Community Action is currently accepting new Meals On Wheels clients in the communities of Zumbrota, Mazeppa, Goodhue, Pine Island, Kenyon and Wanamingo.** Receive a hot meal delivered to your home by a volunteer at lunch time up to 5 days per week. To qualify you must be 60 or older, live within city limits, have limited mobility and/or are unable to prepare nutritious meals. The suggested donation is \$4.50 per meal. For more information on how to sign up for meals or to be a volunteer driver, please contact Dana Bergner at 507-421-6067 or dbergner@threeriverscap.org

• **Celebrate Recovery meetings every Sunday night at 5pm at South Troy Church, 56817 Highway 63 Zumbro Falls, MN 55991.** Email for questions is: celebraterecoveryouthroy@gmail.comat.

• **The Zumbro Valley Food Shelf is located at South Troy Wesleyan Church, 56817 Hwy 63, Zumbro Falls, MN.** The hours are Tuesdays 11:00am-5:00pm and Thursdays 11:00am-6:00pm. Donations and volunteers are greatly appreciated. For more information contact Pastor Colleen Hoeft at 507-259-1442 or choeft52@gmail.com.

• **The Mazeppa Area Food Shelf, serving Mazeppa, Bellechester, and Zumbro Falls Area is open the second Thursday of the month from 9:30-11 am and 3:30 - 5:30pm, and the fourth Thursday from 3:30 - 5:30pm.** Food drop off locations are First State Bank of Red Wing, Mazeppa Branch, and Entry way to Mazeppa City Hall.

Do you have an announcement?
Email: hometownmessenger@gmail.com

Lions Year 2023/2024

July 1st started a new year for the Zumbro Falls Lioness/Lions group.

Officers for the year will be president Lori Windhorst, vice president Lisa Davis, secretary Gayle Deobald and treasurer Shelli Hughley. The Lions were started in 1917 to gather people to help improve their communities. What started as a local chapter in Chicago, IL has now expanded to chapters all over the world.

Chapter meetings are held the second Wednesday of each month at 6pm and are held at different locations.

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Pictured to the right: Getting ready to walk in the Mazeppa Daze parade. Shirley Lehmann, Deb House Finley, Lori Windhorst, Arlys Schmidt, Linda Arendt, Lisa Davis and Megan Richardson



John Stapleton Selected as New Principal at Zumbrota-Mazeppa Middle/High School

By Ryan Barnick, Superintendent



John Stapleton

I am pleased to announce that John Stapleton has been selected to be the new principal at Zumbrota - Mazeppa Middle/High School. Mr. Stapleton is a familiar face to our community as he served last year as the assistant principal at Zumbrota - Mazeppa Middle/High School. John was selected from a talented candidate pool that consisted of many experienced leaders. I believe John's core values as a leader and commitment to providing an elite learning experience for all will benefit our students immensely.

"I am very grateful to have been chosen to serve our students and community here in ZM." - John Stapleton
Please join me in welcoming and congratulating Mr. Stapleton!

City of Mazeppa Receives \$367,500 in Small Cities Development Program Funding

The City of Mazeppa recently received \$367,500 in Small Cities Development Program funding through the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development to improve fifteen owner-occupied residential properties. The funding is available to residents in the city limits of Mazeppa. Up to \$25,000 may be applied toward the owner occupied housing rehab activity in the form of a ten-year deferred/forgivable grant/loan.

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Break My Heart



By Pastor Colleen Hoeft

What breaks your heart? This is more than a bad day, or a break-up with your last date. What are those things that you are passionate about? Is it your family, your job, your hobbies, people in your community, your faith? Do you get angry at injustice? Does your heart and spirit break and get stirred up at the evil in this world? Mine do! If your heart isn't moved- you may want to consider some drastic surgery today.

We dislike thinking about those things that pull us to strong feelings of any kind. We'd rather have hassle-free days, green lights, good food, sunny weather, close parking spots and well-behaved children. We often think, I'm a Christian, I love Jesus and I go to church and help sometimes- so God should make my life easy! We don't want to be inconvenienced, or interrupted, or have any trouble at all! Instead of safe- God's plan is to challenge us and grow our faith deeper. He wants to see and hear passion in our prayers. He wants to know what we care about and if we care about the things that He cares about. Nehemiah had a broken heart. The city of Jerusalem lay in ruins and needed help. Nehemiah prayed! Nehemiah's heart broke for those things that break God's heart. We too need to be to the point that we pray- 'Break my heart Lord.' Break it, crush it, strip me of all comfort, ease and apathy. When we pray that way you will need Courage!

When you truly pray that prayer you will be burdened and grieved. You will lose sleep, burn with righteous anger and do things others don't understand. Nehemiah (Nehemiah 1) was going through all of these feelings as he heard what his brother shared about the city of Jerusalem and the sad state of the temple.

The wall was not repaired, and the gates were gone. They had no defense against the

enemy. They had no way to protect themselves or to protect the temple of God either. Nehemiah took this news hard- he loved his home city- he understood how disgraceful this was to the Jews. The enemy would have a field day with this as well. Nehemiah's response was a lot like Jesus' response as he looked over Jerusalem many years later: "I sat down and wept." Nehemiah sat down and wept. His heart was broken for his beloved city and for his people. This was a big deal! This was God's city, God's temple- and no one is rebuilding it or protecting it. But Nehemiah didn't just sit and cry- he did something about it. For days, he mourned, he fasted, and he prayed!

We need the Courage to pray, "God, Break My Heart" We need to humbly bow down before our God and Savior. When we pray like this, we're asking God to break our heart, to strip us of all comfort, ease, and apathy. We are seeking His heart, His passion, His will. In the Lord's prayer we pray, "not my will by thine be done- not my will but yours Lord."

I'm warning you now, when you pray for God to break your heart for what breaks His- God will answer! You will have a deep sense of justice for people around you. You will be burdened for those that face an eternity in hell. You will be burdened by the pain of people around you. You will be grieved, lose sleep, and you will probably get angry- your heart will burn with righteous anger when those that can't do for themselves are being hurt, and treated unfairly. This prayer will make you more sensitive to the people around you and their cares and concerns. Praying this prayer will have you doing things that no one else will understand.

Linda and Pastor Colleen's heart broke for

those fighting addiction. South Troy Celebrate Recovery was born out of that passion- hearts that are broken for others. Celebrate Recovery meets every Sunday night at South Troy. This chapter of Celebrate Recovery is almost a year old and oh, the stories of recovery, of healing, of lives changed!!! It took a few years- but God has it up and running now.

When you pray for your heart to break you will face opposition, criticism and possibly persecution. But through all your pain, agony and discomfort you will also be blessed. You will be blessed as your heart breaks over something that breaks the heart of God. Nehemiah cried out against the injustice; he cried out against the actions of his people and gave them the message that God had given him. They were to confess their sins, turn to God and rebuild Jerusalem. Nehemiah spent time fasting, praying and planning. It wasn't just a lunchtime fast, but a whole-hearted, down in the dirt- down in front of the altar time of fasting and prayer! His heart was broken for what was going on in Jerusalem. They cried out to God- their burden seemed almost too great to bear.

When the problem is bigger than you- than anything you can do- turn to God in heartfelt prayer. As you pray, and fast you will discover that our God's greatest blessings come from God's greatest breakings. What if God breaks your heart for what breaks His? You'll discover his blessings. You will discover a holy hurt in your spirit- that will propel you forward into action!

- Comfort never moved me to action!
- More luxury life- never made me consider those that are suffering.
- Pain free days never made me more like Jesus.

Pain purifies, and suffering strengthens. It

is the trials that we have been through that teach us to depend on God. I dare you to pray: BREAK MY HEART! When you sincerely pray that prayer it will shake you out of your continual pursuit of comfort. It will stir you with a divine burden you simply can't ignore.

- Questions to ask yourself this week:
- What truly breaks your heart on behalf of God?
 - What are you going to do about what breaks your heart?

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Abraham looked up and there in a thicket he saw a ram. . . . He . . . took the ram and sacrificed it as a burnt offering instead of his son. — Genesis 22:13

Abraham's faith is tested with the ultimate challenge: Is he willing to give up his most precious treasure to God? And at the last possible moment, God intervenes, telling Abraham to stop. So Isaac is spared, delivered from a death sentence. And God provides a substitute, a sacrificial ram to be offered instead. The place is then called "The Lord Will Provide."

Abraham could not have known that about 2,000 years later an even greater sacrifice would be made. God would again provide a substitute, who actually became "the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" (John 1:29). That substitute was Jesus, God's only Son, who gave up his own life to pay for all our sin so that all who believe in him may have eternal life (John 3:16).

God's judgment against sin fell on his own Son. Jesus, the sacrificial Lamb, stepped in and took our place. On that day, through Jesus' death on a cross outside Jerusalem, a sufficient sacrifice was provided (see Mark 15:33-39).

Abraham could not have known all this, but by the grace of God he had received the gift of faith and could trust that God would somehow keep his promises.

Lamb of God, thank you for being our substitute and dying in our place, opening the way for us to be saved. Give us faith to believe in you and to serve you every day. Amen.

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Patrick Anthony Teece

Patrick Anthony Teece, age 60, left us too soon on the beautiful dawn morning of July 3, 2023 at the Season's Hospice House. Pat was born in Joliet, Illinois to Tom and Dolly Teece on September 15, 1962. He was the sixth and last child of the family.



He moved to Minnesota as a teenager where he graduated from Mazeppa High School and immediately enlisted in the Army for three years. He served proudly in Korea for 13 months.

After the Army he drove over two million miles across the US as an over the road truck driver and then worked for Mayo Clinic until his retirement. Pat enjoyed fishing, riding his motorcycle, camping in his RV, and spending time with his beloved golden lab Carley.

Pat is survived by three brothers; Michael Teece, Joseph, Oregon, Jack Teece, Enterprise, Oregon, Tom Teece, LeHigh Acres, Florida and two sisters; Sharon Freeman, Clever, Missouri, Barbara Hudson, Rochester,

MN. Pat fought the good fight with his debilitating illnesses that finally became insurmountable. Pat kept his sense of humor and strong will to the end. He will be missed and remembered fondly by all who knew him.

There will be no visitation. Pat will be cremated and buried at the Veterans Cemetery in Preston, MN at a later date with full military honors. If you are so inclined, Pat requested you pay it forward to a veteran in need in remembrance of him.

Henry Kenneth Roger Siems

Henry Kenneth Roger Siems, 80, of Zumbrota, passed away on Thursday, June 29, 2023, at Mayo Clinic Hospital, Methodist Campus in Rochester. He was born in Red Wing on June 3, 1943, to Henry and Esther (Kuehl) Siems. He graduated from Mazeppa



High School in 1961 and then attended University of Minnesota, Mankato. Ken worked for Massey Ferguson, farmed and sold math books. On January 8, 1972, Ken was united

in marriage to Maryann Regner at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Gaylord, MN. After their marriage, they resided in Hopkins, MN and were blessed with one daughter, Jennifer. The couple shared 51 years of marriage until Maryann's passing in April of 2023. Ken enjoyed hunting, driving cars and trucks, watching TV, hanging out with friends and meeting people.

He is survived by his daughter, Jennifer Siems; two grandchildren, Brandon and Jovan Siems; one sister, Carol Sprenger; nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Henry and Esther Siems; wife, Maryann; and one sister, Marian Jacobs.

Burial was at St. John's Lutheran Cemetery in Red Wing. Arrangements made by the Mahn Family Funeral Home, Bodelson-Mahn Chapel

Mary Frances (Perrotti) Heppelmann

Mary Frances (Perrotti) Heppelmann, 93, of Bellechester, passed away Thursday, July 27 at her home surrounded by family. Mary was born December 23, 1929 to Peter and Theresa (Tri) Perrotti on the family farm in Chester Township.



She married Robert (Bob) Heppelmann at Ss. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Mazeppa, MN on November 30, 1963.

Mary attended country school and Mazeppa High School until age 16 when she left school to help on the family farm.

Mary was a member of St. Mary Church in Bellechester and a Charter Member of the Catholic Daughters of America Court Mary-Peter #1864.

Mary was blessed to be a homemaker after her marriage to Bob, a 4-H parent, a volunteer at church, and an election judge. Those who knew Mary appreciated her cooking and baking abilities, especially her homemade pies. Mary had a special place in her heart for her grandchildren and great grandchildren which was evident by them "stopping to see Grandma"

Mary is survived by three daughters, Patricia (Danny) Mensink,

Elizabeth (Brian) Majerus and Denise (Jeff) Heppelmann-Wangness; eleven grandchildren, Kathleen (Mark) Mueller, Rachel, Nathan, Hannah and Sarah Mensink, Nicholas, Joseph, Natalie and Michael Majerus, Lauren and Olivia Wangness; four great-grandchildren, Ethan, Lydia, Isaac and Noah Mueller; sister-in-law, Louise Heppelmann and brothers-in-law, Ed Heppelmann, Kenneth Heppelmann (Loyola Colebeck) and many neices and nephews.

Mary was preceded in death by her husband, Bob; parents, Peter and Theresa; sisters, Cecelia, Anita, Lorraine, Dolores and brothers, Anthony, Cletus and Don.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Mary Catholic Church in Bellechester at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, August 3, 2023 with visitation from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Visitation will be held Wednesday, August 2, 2023, at Mahn Family Funeral Home - Zumbrota Chapel from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. with the Catholic Daughters praying the rosary at 3:30 p.m.

Memorials are preferred to St. Marys Cemetery fund, Smile Train or the St. Francis Missions of South Dakota. The family would like to thank Interim Hospice Care, the many people who assisted them in caring for Mary and those that visited often so she could remain in her home. We will always be grateful to you all.

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Missy's Managing the Manor

A monthly read with tips and tricks (that work for me) on my quest to becoming more organized while decluttering.

Tips to keeping your vehicle clean!



By Missy Papenfus

When I met my husband Mike over 20 years ago, he had a trash can in his truck. No trash to clean up in the vehicle because it went in the trash can. Whenever I get out of my vehicle, I grab trash to take with me such as water bottles or empty pop cans. If I have wrappers, I put them in the pockets of the door (even though it drives Mike crazy) and make sure to toss them all while I am filling up with gas.

We have a central vacuum in our house and a special hose to hook up in the garage for vacuuming the vehicles that works awesome. It looks like the car wash in Mazeppa next door to MotoProz has a new vacuum, I wouldn't hesitate to try it out. If I am in a hurry, I use our Dyson stick vacuum. I like using automotive wipes to clean the dusty dash in a flash while I'm riding in the car.

If it's up to me to wash the outside of the vehicle, I'm going to the closest touchless car wash. The best tip I got to keep your vehicle clean is to let someone else do it that does it better (Mike and Monty)! If it's summer, the boys wash it right at MotoProz.

Stay tuned for next month's topic: *Traveling with a carryon (backpack only for 4 nights)!*

There's so much to do, so little time. Bye for now!

South Troy Church Youth Group



South Troy Church Youth group, preparing to leave on our mission trip last month from July 2-7th to Leech Lake Reservation.

Lions Year 2023/2024



New project parking cars at the Wabasha fair. Shelli Hughley, Sandy Hein, Shirley Lehmann, and Lori Windhorst

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If you like to have fun and meet other women making a difference in our commu-

nity, then come join us! You can follow us on Facebook under Zumbro Falls Lioness/Lions chapter or reach out to Lori at 507-843-5340.



Selfie time out from parking cars at the Wabasha fair. Back row Erin Shaw and Linda Arendt. Front row Megan Richardson and Arlys Schmidt

New Event Center to Open

By Cheri Roshon

The wait is finally over, and south east Minnesota has a new venue for weddings, community gatherings and event for all. It is only 8 miles north of Rochester in the hidden gem of Oronoco. The address is 25 2nd street SE Oronoco, MN 55960.

Jessie and Jared Maes purchased the School House in the fall of 2018 from David Kemmer, a piano restoration expert who restored and tuned pianos in the area. At the time of purchase, there were over 20 pianos, organs and even an antique harpsichord, along with a square grand piano inside. The piano was built in 1870 for Reginald DeKoven, who later composed the famous wedding song, "Oh Promise Me" on this piano. Mr. Kemmer was a walking historian and shared many stories about the history of the School House and all of its glory. If interested in learning more about the history of the School House, it is not only on the front cover of the book, Oronoco, Past and Present by Elsie Boutelle, but is documented throughout the book as well. The book gives the reader great insight into the history of the building.

Jessie and Jared began the renovations to retore the 150 year old building and bring back the historical quality for generations to enjoy for years to come. After tearing out all the outdated electrical and plumbing and bringing it up to code, most of the building is still as it was. The charming woodwork, and the spiral staircase stand is a magnificent tribute to the 1800's and will make a splendid back drop for wedding photos, private events and other celebrations. The new deck that surrounds the building and is handicap accessible, looks over the Zumbro river, bringing a calm and peaceful ambience to the venue. An amphitheater for outdoor weddings completes the effect of elegant pageantry, with an arch to have flowers and greens accent the ceremony.

Amenities include a plush bridal suite for the bride and her entourage to get ready for the wedding, on site. There is a catering room to keep the food fresh, and 3 bathrooms for your guest's convenience. Central heating and air conditioning complete the comfort of the whole experience.

On the opposite side of the building, there is outdoor space for events and activities for your guest's enjoyment. You will be able to rent the venue for weddings, private events, social gatherings and business meetings. They also look forward to hosting many community events. If you are looking to participate in, or host a future event at the school house, check out their website at www.schoolhouseevent.com. To contact Jessie with questions, call 507.718.0454 or email her at events@schoolhouseevent.com.

Jessie and Jared would like to thank the community of Oronoco for their ongoing support and guidance, the contractors, and friends and family who made it all come together.

The Grand Opening is set for the weekend of Gold Rush, August 18, 19 and 20. They hope to see you there to take a look around ask questions. The School House is now open for site tours and bookings for your special occasions. Everyone who stops in to view the venue during the Grand Opening will be entered into a drawing for a chance to win 50% off one venue rental for your next personal event. Make sure to stop by and register!

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The Goodhue Depot Set to Open August 5

By Beth Brekke

134 Years of dust has been swept away to bring a piece of Goodhue history back to life. After a two year labor of love, Jeff and Carolyn Ryan are opening The Goodhue Depot on Saturday, August 5th. The newly established business will offer a light menu with

espresso and regular coffee choices, a gift shop and seating areas. Business hours will be Saturdays 8 AM-8PM, Sundays 10AM-4PM and M-F 7AM-8PM.

People--and freight such as livestock, grain, farm equipment and locally mined clay--traveled the Chicago Great Western (CGW) rails that laid on each side of the depot building in Goodhue from 1889 until it ceased operations in 1964.

The original structure was quite small, offering only a cargo area, ticket office and waiting room. In 1916, the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission ordered the CGW to provide a separate waiting area for women.

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Jeff and Carolyn Ryan, owners of The Goodhue Depot, hold a jug that was unearthed in one piece during the building's restoration.

A Monthly Moment at MotoProz

“Get with the times”

You know how some people are “old school”. They don’t like change, but whether you like it or not, change happens all the time. My husband Mike and I can be like that. We opted to get a new phone system with fiberoptic lines at MotoProz from Nuvera the town phone company. If we waited, we would have HAD to make the change eventually, but we decided to go for it now, while we were not in our busy season.

We opted to have the switch done on a Monday (a day we were closed). It was pretty seamless. In 3 and a half hours, we were good to go. Since we were closed, we couldn’t test the phone out too much. Tuesday morning was interesting. I couldn’t figure out how to put a call on hold. YIKES! With a little trial and error, we figured it out and pushed through. Then the fax didn’t work, but we emailed the document we were trying to fax and called Nuvera. They were able to turn it on without coming to the store. Easy peasy! Now when I put a call on hold, I have to physically swap phones with the person who the phone is for so they can answer it. We haven’t learned how to transfer a call yet. Another little snafu, we could have 5 lines ringing at the same time, even though we only have two lines. So I keep checking if there are messages so I can call someone back right away. The phones are so much clearer though and the clips work better. I would rather schedule myself while “getting with the times”.

MISSY'S MESSAGE



ALLERGIES



MISSY PAPERFUS

I grew up and never had allergies. Back in college, I had a friend with terrible allergies who took allergy medication every day. Her eyes would water, she would sneeze, and look like she was sick.

About ten years ago, I had a cough that would not go away. I never dreamed that it was allergies. I knew I didn’t have a cold. I knew I wasn’t sick, but this cough would just not go away. I went to see my doctor, and they suggested I start taking an allergy pill daily. After I started taking the allergy pill, I didn’t get a cold for a few years. Well, the pollen must be

high this year, my allergies really flared up last week. I think it started from sleeping with the windows open at night. My cough was terrible. Allergies can flare up into asthma. I have a prescription for Tessalon pearls for cough and an Albuterol inhaler, which I have not needed for quite some time and were expired.

When I lay down at night to sleep, I cough and cough and keeps me up. Time to work on prevention to keep this from happening in the first place. I shouldn’t have let my medications expire. I asked my doctor for a new inhaler, and it was so expensive, I had to reapprove the order through the pharmacy, so they knew I knew the cost before they just sent it out. I’ve been going on a week of poor sleep now, but the new prescriptions came today. I am hoping for relief soon.

Moral of the story, if this happens to you, don’t wait, go see the doctor and get to the bottom of it. It might be a simple fix.

Memo from MotoProz...

We have a great supply of side by sides for everyone, we have EZGO Golf carts to choose from, and a great supply of new Hustler zero turn mowers! Haydays is right around the corner, check out our used snowmobile inventory at www.MotoProz.com. Financing available! Stop in to check them out or take-a-look online at www.motoproz.com! The place to go is MotoProz in Mazeppa!

Missy and her husband Mike own MotoProz in Mazeppa.

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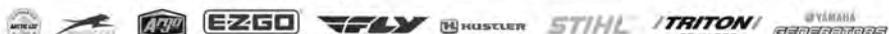


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This was accomplished with an addition that was created in the center of the structure and included a warming area for the cargo department workers. A small walkthrough area was remodeled into two bathrooms in 1949.

Following the closure of the railway, the property was owned by Lodermeier Implement who used the depot as a repair shop and the surrounding lot to display farm equipment. When Lodermeier's business moved to the outskirts of town, the city purchased the property. A survey of area residents showed support for a restoration project that would save this remnant of their railroad town roots.

In 2021, Jeff and Carolyn Ryan stepped up and purchased the property and began using their time and talents to turn it into an asset the whole community could enjoy. "It felt like something we were meant to do," Carolyn said as she described the process and the thought behind making it a gathering spot rather than something where only a few people would benefit.

Jeff described the building as "an old corn-crib" covered in layers of board and steel. While thankful for the siding that helped pre-

serve the building, it needed to be removed from the exterior if the depot was to be authentic. While most of the floors had to be replaced, the original woodwork, including windows and wainscoting remain. The wainscot was stripped of layers of old paint, all of the windows have been refinished and one that could not be returned to its original location was transformed into a frame showcasing information and photos of the building's history. Norris Voth has done all of the wood restoration with Carolyn claiming he's touched every piece of wood in the building and Jeff saying, "He's taken so much pride in it, he's just a gift".

Voth also refinished the office desks and in that process, signatures and dates were found to be inscribed on the drawers. California resident, Sherri Salmans, a collector of all things Goodhue, heard about the project and returned a drawer that was given to her by the Lodermeiers years ago. The Ryans have high praise for all of the contractors that helped with the restoration process. So many people were instrumental in getting the building to where it is today.

"We used every inch," Carolyn says when describing the layout and placement of things such as the furnace and water heater. The two restrooms were converted to one with period appropriate tile. Every effort was made to keep and reuse any original features displaced in the restoration including repurposing one of the large sliding cargo doors as part of an exterior wall.

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Before view of The Goodhue Depot



After view of The Goodhue Depot

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Her vision has exceeded expectations over the journey that has included upgrades to the



This furnishing is original to the Depot and was used as an office desk and for holding mail that came into town on the train. Signatures and dates can be found written inside the drawers. Norrie Voth refurbished it and all of the other original furnishings and woodwork.



A new sign advertising The Goodhue Depot business was placed on an existing pole that remained from the time the lot was used to display farm machinery.

water, sewer and electrical systems, insulation, a new roof and new paint. The exterior colors of the refurbished depot are those of the original structure which identified the building as part of the Chicago Great Western properties. Jeff has done the grounds keeping including planting grass, watering trees and creating a parking area. Outdoor seating is part of the long-range plan.

Old rail carts used for seasonal displays near the front door welcome visitors. Treasures such as bottles, advertising items, pieces



The entire inside of The Goodhue Depot needed to be torn apart and cleaned out. Most of the flooring was too damaged to save but the rest of the woodwork, the chimneys and doors were salvaged.

of coal and other miscellaneous things were found inside the walls and will be on display inside the shop. A pottery jug was unearthed in one piece when work was being done outside. All of the found items were cleaned and stored by the Ryans for the past two years in anticipation of the depot opening.

The cargo area is now an open kitchen with a unique menu of homemade soups, salads, sandwiches that use locally sourced breads and meats, scooped ice cream and various

coffees. Customers will be able to browse and purchase items from local vendors or relax in the now cozy lounge where folks once waited for the train to arrive.

Some thought she was a little crazy for undertaking such a massive project and even Jeff may occasionally agree, but Carolyn says, "We've been a team the whole time, working well this entire time. Every step of the way, God's hand was there. It's been fun. I've enjoyed every minute of it."

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August 7, 2023
Bidding Begins: ... July 27, 2023
Starts Closing: ... August 7, 2023
Dodge Center, MN
Online Only Real Estate & Personal Property For LaMar Johnson
Nice 3 Bedroom 1 1/2 Story Home With 2 Sheds On A Large Double Lot, 1923 Ford Model T Roadster, 2018 Flatbed Trailer, OMC Gas Skid Loader, 1976 Ford 23' Motorhome, Pressure Washer, Cement Mixer, Ladders, Hand Tools

August 11, 20239:30 AM
New Richland, MN
LIVE AND ONLINE FARM RETIREMENT AUCTION FOR ALLEN & JANE NELSON
John Deere 9650 STS Combine, JD 893 Corn Head, JD 925 Bean Head, John Deere 8760 4WD Tractor, John Deere 4440 & 3020 Loader Tractor, International Day Cab Semi, Wilson Grain Trailer, Wilmar 8100 Crop Sprayer, Planting & Tillage Equipment, Parker 500, 525 & 2000 Grain Boxes, Grain Bins, Augers, Grain Dryer, Holding Bins, Power and Hand Tools, Vehicles, Farm Support Items

August 12, 2023 10:00 AM
Delavan, MN
LIVE & ONLINE LARGE FARM RETIREMENT AUCTION FOR GREG & ANNETTE JENKINS
(6) Case IH MFWD & 2WD Tractor, Case IH 6088 Combine, Heads, John Deere 1770 Planter, Fast Applicator, (3) Semis & Grain Trailers, CIH 255 & 200 Tillage, Roller, Rem Grain Vac, Mack Straight Truck, Farm Support Equip.

August 19, 2023 10:00 AM
Red Wing, MN
LIVE AND ONLINE FARM RETIREMENT AUCTION FOR EMERY & GINNY FITSCHEN
John Deere 4960 MFWD, John Deere 4430, Kubota 6800 MFWD, (2) Parker Grain Carts, John Deere 1760 12R30", JD 714 Disc Chisel, JD 2210 Field Cultivator, Augers, Other Good Farm Machinery, Farm Support Items

August 23, 2023
Bidding Begins: ... Aug. 16, 2023
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Nerstrand, MN
ONLINE ONLY PERSONAL PROPERTY AUCTION FOR THE OLSON ESTATE
(3) 1936 Ford Pickups, Red Wing Stoneware, Scandinavian Rosmalding Items, Antique Furniture, Collectibles, Modern & Antique Furniture, Lawn & Garden Items, 160 Gallon Sprayer, Log Splitter, Fuel Tank, Hand & Power Tools and More

August 26, 20239:00 AM
Mantorville, MN
LIFETIME FARM COLLECTION AUCTION FOR PAT & UNDA OVEREND
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August 28, 2023
Bidding Begins: ... Aug. 19, 2023
Starts Closing: ... August 28, 2023
Wells, MN
ONLINE ONLY FARM RETIREMENT AUCTION FOR CRAIG & JANELLE SCHULTZ
John Deere 9670STS Combine, 893, 635, JD 8230 & 8100 MFWD, JD 2630 Display & Globes, JD 1770, JD 235, JD 3010, Brent 644 Wagon, J&M Cart, Wilrich 957 Ripper, Fast Sprayer, Farm Support Equipment

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Semi Tractors, Wilson Grain Trailers, Mack Straight Truck
'05 IHC 9200I Semi, Eagle Package, Sleeper, 10sp., Cat C-13, Overhauled Approx 2,000 Miles Ago, Jake, 22.5 Aluminum Wheels, 618,750 Miles; '92 Mack CH613 Semi, Mini Sleeper, 350hp Mack, 9 Speed, 22.5 Tires, 265,528 Miles Showing, 17,486 Hours; '99 IHC 9100 Day Cab Semi, Cummins M-11, 9 Speed, 22.5 Tires, 410,788 Miles; '19 Wilson Pacesetter DWH-600 Hopper Trl, 34"x66"x96", 24.5, Electric Tarp; '13 Wilson Pacesetter DWH-500 Hopper Trl, 34"x66"x96", Electric Tarp; '09 Wilson Pacesetter DWH-500 Hopper Trailer, 34"x66"x96", Electric Tarp; '77 Mack R Model, Tandem Axle, Mack Diesel, Twin Stick Trans., Scott Steel Box, 21"x96"x66", Tarp

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John Deere 9650 STS, JD 893 & 925F
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JD 8760 4WD, 4440, 3020 & 630 Tractors, Loader
JD 8760 4WD, 6247 Hrs, 18.4x38 Duals, 4 Hyd, Clevis Hitch, 24 Speed, Clean; JD 4440, 9341 Hrs, Quad, 18.4x38 at 98%, 3pt, 3 Hyd, 540/1000PTO, Weights, SN: 4440H015418R, 4000 Hrs On New 50 Series Engine; JD 3020 Diesel, 3pt, PTO, 2 Hyd, Unknown Hours, 15.5x38, Syncro, New Clutch, 2nd Owner; JD 630 Gas, NF, Rock Shaft, 540PTO; JD 48 Hyd. Loader With Bucket; 3pt Quick Hitch; JD Rear Weights

Grain Augers, Grain Wagons, Grain Cart, Crop Dryers, Support Equipment, Holding Bins, Grain Bins
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Case IH Magnum MFWD 305, 290, 275 CIH Farmall 105U, CIH 7240 MFWD
'08 CIH 305 MFWD Magnum, 4088 Hrs, Front & Rear Duals, 18sp, PS, LH Reverser, 3 Pt., QH, 4 Hyd., PTO, Pro-600 Screen, GPS; '12 CIH 290 AFS MFWD Magnum, 2483 Hrs, Front & Rear Duals, 19sp, PS, LH Reverser, Deluxe Cab, 4 Hyd., 3 Pt., QH, PTO, Ag Junction GPS, Bought New; '08 CIH 275 MFWD Magnum, 3952 Hrs, Pro-600 Screen, Front & Rear Duals, 3 Pt., QH, 5 Hyd., PTO, 19sp, PS, LH Reverser, Deluxe Cab ***All Tractors Above have Matching Firestone Tires); CIH 7240 MFWD, 4709 Hrs, 18x4sp PS, 3 Hyd., PTO, 3 Pt., QH, 18.4x42 Duals; '16 CIH Farmall 105U MFWD, Cab, 12x12 Trans, 695 Actual Hrs, 3pt., 2 Hyd., 540 PTO, CIH L735 Loader, Joystick; Set of Pallet Forks, Manure Bucket and Bale Spear for L735 Loader; (10) IHC Suitcase Weights; (10) IHC Wheel Weights

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Brent 882 Grain Cart, Tarp, 1000 PTO, 30.5x32; Rem 2700 Vac, 1000 PTO, 6 Flex Pipes, 433 Hrs, Tube Ends; Hutchinson Swing Hopper Auger, PTO, 10"x71"; JD 28" Donahue Imp. Trl; MN 250 Gravity Box, 9T Gear, Hyd. Seed Auger; Taurup 3 Pt. Disc Bine, 6', 540 PTO; Farmall 706 Gas, WF, 3 Pt., PTO, 2 Hyd., Good TA, Axle Duals; Farmall C Tractor, NF, Fenders

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Featherlite Trailer, Aluma Trailer, Ford F150, Buick Enclave, Yamaha ATV, Lawn & Garden
'12 Buick Enclave, AWD, 3.6 VVT, Leather, 162,200 Miles; 2001 Ford F-150, 4x4, V8, 124,500 Miles, Hinerker 7" Snow Plow; '17 Featherlite 18' Tandem Axle Enclosed Trl, V Nose; '10 Aluma 6'x10' Aluminum Single Axle Trl; Yamaha Grizzly 550 EPI ATV, 4x4, 1276 Miles; Load Trailer 400 Gal. Fuel Wagon, GPI 12V Pump; 2000, 1000 & 500 Gal. Fuel Tanks with Electric Pumps; Snapper Pro Zero Turn S-200XT Lawn Mower, 60" Deck, 27hp; '83 Alumcraft 16' Aluminum Fishing Boat, Mercury 15hp Four Stroke, Trailer; Honda 5hp Generator; (2) 50 Gal. ATV Sprayers, 12V Pumps; DeWalt 15 Gallon Air Compressor; 275 Gallon DEF Tank, Pump; 120 Gal. Fuel Tank, 12V Pump; '10 Arctic Cat 570 Snowmobile; Coachman Catalina 5th Wheel Camper, Roof Air, Sleeps 6

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Safety Tips for Riding Off-Highway Vehicles

By Minnesota DNR

With thousands of miles of trails throughout Minnesota available for riding, off-highway vehicles continue to grow in popularity as a way for people of all ages to experience the outdoors. For some folks, an OHV is a convenient means for getting from Point A to Point B. The journey itself is the goal for other riders, who simply enjoy riding through the fields and woods.

Whatever the reason for riding, there are a variety of steps OHV riders can take to reduce the potential for accidents or injuries and ensure a safe and successful ride.

The Golden Rules of OHV Safety

Ride only on designated trails and at a safe speed.

Ride on the right.

Wear goggles, long sleeves, long pants, over-the-ankle boots, gloves and DOT-com-

pliant helmets.

Avoid riding on paved roads except to cross when done safely and permitted by law.

Ride sober.

Carry no more than one passenger on an OHV specifically designed for two people, and never carry a passenger on a single-rider OHV.

Ride an OHV that's right for your size.

Actively supervise younger riders. OHVs are not toys.

If an OHV comes factory-installed with seatbelts, wear them.

Take a hands-on and online safety course.

Keys for youth ATV safety

Active supervision – set the ground rules

If a child can control a bike without any problems, it may be a good time to try an OHV.

Youth under age 16 must have permission from their parent or guardian to operate an OHV. Even when permission is granted, active supervision is a must. Youth riders may be able to start and stop an OHV, but lack the experience to respond to something unexpected. Setting ground rules reinforces the serious nature and responsibility that comes with operating an OHV. Allow youth to ride only after they demonstrate they can follow directions and wear their protective gear.

OHV fit – one size does not fit all

OHVs intended for use by adults (16 years



and older) are larger, heavier and have greater speed and performance capabilities than youth models. Children under 16 and capable of driving OHVs should ride a smaller model, with speeds limited accordingly.

Youths age 16 and under must fit the OHV they operate.

They should be able to reach the foot pegs while sitting upright on the machine, and be able to reach and control the handlebars. This means they must be able to grip the handlebars and have the ability to move them to the left and right, in addition to operating the throttle and brake lever with one hand.

Youth riders also must be able to shift their weight from side to side and from front to back while maintain their balance.



Helmet use and safety gear

Protective gear is a must while operating OHVs. Whatever size machine they're riding, all operators and passengers under the age of 18 must wear DOT-certified helmets. One of the most common violations conservation officers see is people under 18 not wearing helmets, particularly on the larger, Class 2 vehicles.

Full face shield helmets that fit snugly and securely offer most protection.

Eye protection is recommended, especially in a wooded areas.

Over-the-ankle shoes with sturdy, non-slip heels and soles should be worn.

Long-sleeved shirts or jackets, long pants and gloves all afford protection.

We recommend everyone riding an OHV wear a helmet.

Training and trail safety

Take an ATV safety course (required for riders born after July 1, 1987).

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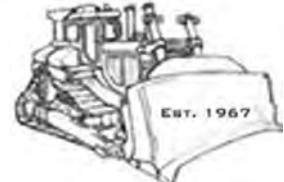
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Hunting Deer with Bait is Illegal

By Minnesota DNR

Hunters are not allowed to take deer with the aid or use of bait anywhere in Minnesota. "Taking" includes attempting to take.

Baiting

Corn, apples and pumpkins are common foods used to bait deer. Baiting means placing, exposing, depositing, distributing or scattering bait that is capable of attracting or enticing deer.

Baiting significantly increases the risk of disease transmission by concentrating animals and promoting nose-to-nose contact.

Baiting attracts and holds large numbers of deer on private parcels creating a privatization of the deer herd.

Bait piles alter a deer's natural movement. By placing bait, one hunter can effectively nullify another hunter's attempt to harvest a deer.

What is bait?

Bait includes grains, fruits, vegetables, nuts, hay or other food that is capable of attracting or enticing deer and has been placed by a person.

Liquid scents (example: doe in heat), sprays, salt, and minerals are not bait if they do not contain liquid or solid food products.

Read the ingredient label on all products prior to use. Many products, including newer liquid, powder and block forms, contain food or attractants such as grains, fruits, and sugar derivatives (glucose, dextrose, and fructose). If a salt or mineral product has anything other than salt or mineral in it, it is illegal to use for hunting.

Agricultural crops from normal or accepted farming, forest management, wildlife food plantings, orchard management, or other similar land management activities are not bait. This exclusion does not apply to agricultural crops that have been reintroduced and concentrated where a person is hunting.

Example: A person may spread an abundant agricultural crop on a previously planted field as fertilizer. However, if the fertilizer is piled or concentrated where the person is hunting deer, it is baiting.

A person otherwise in compliance with this section who is hunting on private or public property that is adjacent to the property



where bait or food is present is not in violation if the person has not participated in, been involved with, or agreed to baiting or feeding wildlife on the adjacent property.

Removal of bait

All bait must be completely removed for 10 days prior to hunting. Penalties for baiting violations include revocation and confiscation.

A person may not obtain any deer license or take deer under a lifetime license for one year after the person is convicted of hunting deer

with the aid or use of bait. A second conviction within three years would result in a three-year revocation. The revocation period doubles if the conviction is for a deer that is a trophy deer scoring higher than 170.

Firearms and bows used to take deer with the aid or use of bait will be seized and are subject to confiscation upon conviction. In some areas, deer feeding and attractants are banned year-round, see page 82.

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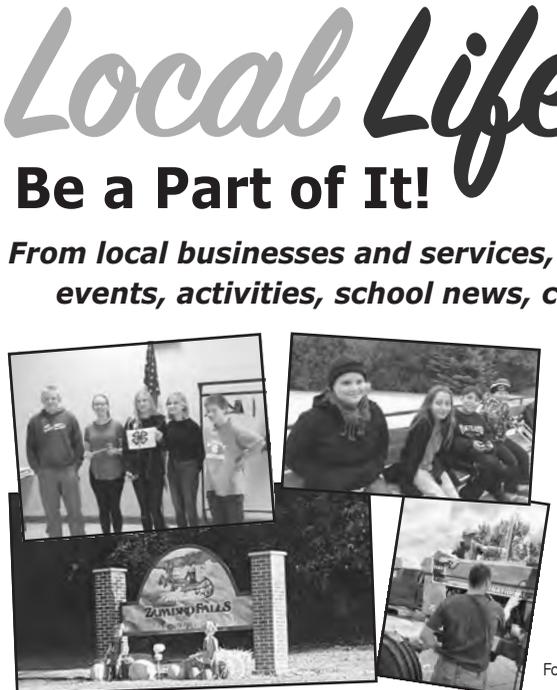




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Tomatoes



By Shauna Burshem, D.C.

I was recently surfing the web for tidbits of information that I could include in my monthly health tip when I came across a great article on tomatoes. It turns out that tomatoes were not even eaten in the US until the early 1800s, when an eccentric New Jersey gentleman, Colonel Robert Gibbon Johnson, brought them back from a trip overseas. It

seems Gibbon was a bit of a showman. He announced that an amazing display of courage would take place on September 26, 1820. He shocked his hometown of Salem by consuming an entire basket of tomatoes in front of a crowd of spectators, who were expecting him to keel over at any second. Obviously, he didn't and since then tomatoes have been a staple of the American diet. And with good reason! Tomatoes are high in Vitamin C and provide 40% of the RDA. The most important part of the tomato is the lycopene. Lycopene is a powerful antioxidant that gives the tomato its red color. Lycopene may be twice as powerful as the anti-oxidant Beta-Carotene. Research studies have shown consuming tomatoes to be helpful in the fight against prostate, stomach, endometrial and lung cancer. Lycopene has also been linked to increased activity levels in senior citizens. The brighter the red in the tomato the higher the lycopene. In an unusual turn, about as far with cooking vegetables goes, eating most vegetables raw is the way to go. But cooking tomatoes actually releases even more lycopene. Olive oil with tomatoes increases the lycopene absorption in the body. While nothing beats a fresh, ripe tomato, studies also show that canned and jarred tomato and tomato sauce pack the same nutritional benefit. Personally, a large thick slice of a Beefsteak tomato with a little cracked black pepper, sea salt and a drizzling of olive oil in between two slices of toast, spread with a smattering of mayo and a slice of bacon is a little bit of heaven on earth! Luckily, tomato season is just around the corner.

Thought for the Week: "External, material



objects are never the cause of disease, merely agents waiting to cause specific symptoms in susceptible hosts."

----- Andrew Weil, M.D.

(What did he say? He said, things like germs do not cause disease, people with weak immune systems allow germs to overtake their body, and then they become sick.

----Dr. Shauna)

Chiropractic Thought for the Week: "A spinal adjustment from your chiropractor may not make your symptoms go away, but it is not meant to. A spinal adjustment opens up the life channels of your body (nerve flow) and improves your overall health and it does that every time in everybody.

----- Reggie Gold, D.C.

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In Times of Crisis, Minnesota Farm Advocates Provide Help and Support

Nine Farm Advocates assist farmers across the state

Minnesota farmers are facing several challenges, from drought to dairy supply chain issues, that can put a financial strain on the family. However, producers can find help through the Minnesota Department of Agriculture's Farm Advocate Program.

Trained advisors, or advocates, offer one-on-one assistance and advice to farmers facing crises caused by natural disasters or financial problems. There is no charge or fee for the assistance.

"If you are struggling in your farm opera-

tion for whatever reasons and are not sure of what to do, feel free to call one of our Farm Advocates to arrange a visit," said Minnesota Farm Advocate Bruce Lubitz. "Advocates will come to your farm and help you analyze any potential problems and provide suggestions and assistance on remedying them. All visits are free and confidential."

Farm Advocates can provide help with financial planning and lender negotiations. They are also able to provide referrals and assistance with federal and state farm programs, legal service, and social and human services.

"Our Farm Advocates can provide farmers with an entire network of professional help," said Agriculture Commissioner Thom Petersen. "Attorneys, accountants, human service professionals, educators, and government officials all work with the program to help Advocates help producers make informed decisions. This is an important program, and we want Minnesota farmers to know they're not alone when facing difficult times."

The Farm Advocate Program has been supported by the MDA since 1984 and was born out of the 1980s farm crisis. Advocates have helped hundreds of farmers over the decades.

For more information and to find the closest Farm Advocate, visit the MDA website at www.mda.state.mn.us/farmadvocates.

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New Funding Available to Help Improve Minnesota's Soil Health

Applications for soil health equipment grants due September 15

Applications are now open for the Minnesota Department of Agriculture's (MDA) Soil Health Financial Assistance Grants.

These grants are available to individual producers, producer groups, and local governments to purchase or retrofit soil health equipment. Grant awards will provide up to 50% cost-share, with a minimum award of \$500 and a maximum award of \$50,000. The 2023 Legislature appropriated \$2.375 million for this round of grants.

"Good soil health is important to water qual-

ity and our other natural resources in Minnesota," said MDA Commissioner Thom Petersen. "It's important to recognize the financial hurdles farmers face when trying to implement soil health practices because of specialized, expensive equipment and machinery. The Soil Health Financial Assistance Grants will help offset equipment costs, helping to expand the number of Minnesota farmers and acres engaged in soil health activities."

Examples of eligible new or used equipment include, but are not limited to, no-till drills, air seeders, retrofit projects to allow no-till planting, and more. Parts and materials used to retrofit existing equipment are also eligible.

The Request for Proposals and application link can be found at www.mda.state.mn.us/soil-health-grant. Applications are due September 15, 2023. Awards will be announced by January 1, 2024.

This is the first full round of Soil Health Financial Assistance Grants. A pilot program earlier this year awarded \$475,000 to 16 individuals and organizations across 15 counties. No-till drills and air seeders were among



the most requested pieces of equipment. The pilot program received more than 230 appli-

cations for more than \$6.5 million – over 13 times the funding available.

Historical Happenings

*Compiled by
Helen Reiland*

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1955

OIL SURFACING IN PROGRESS ON T.H. 60 TO ZUMBRO FALLS

Oil surfacing was started this week on Highway 60 from Mazeppa to Zumbro Falls.

A sealer coat is in the process of application and a heavier coating will follow. Upon completion, the new graded highway will compare with any in the state.

For the past month, several coats of gravel have been applied and at the present, the last phase of the work is in progress.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1955

Consolidation News

Mazeppa's consolidation program which had a temporary setback last week through a challenged legal technicality is on the move again with a new plat being drawn.

The legal technicality arose when the farm of Lenus Miller was set out of District 73 during the time the original plat was being considered by the State Department of Education. This move was done last summer and the fact was overlooked when this plat was approved.

At the present, the new plat is being drawn by Mrs. Verma Olin, county superintendent of schools and is expected to be completed sometime next week. This plat will be the same as the original with the exception of the one farm which had been set into another area.

Obituaries

MRS. WILLIAM HOFSCHULTE

Mrs. William Hofschulte, a long-time Mazeppa resident, died Sunday at her home following an illness of about five years, she was 78 years old.

The former Susanna Weber was born in Bellechester May 3, 1877. On Nov. 22, 1899, she was married to Mr. Hofschulte at Bellechester. They farmed at Harvey, N.D. several years before moving to Mazeppa 45 years ago. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1949.

Surviving are her husband; two sons William and Matt Hofschulte of Rochester; five daughters, Mrs. Edwin Williams, Mrs. Tom Campbell, Mrs. Ted Rosener and Mrs. Henry Smith, all of Rochester, and Mrs. Orville Johnson of Sargeant; three sisters, Mrs. Anna Hofschulte of Hammond, Mrs. Mike Conrad and Mrs. Catherine Schmitt of Harvey, N.D.; 24 grandchildren. One daughter preceded her in death.

Pallbearers were Richard Schmitt, Richard Hofschulte, Conrad Hofschulte, Johnny Hofschulte, George Hofschulte and George Majerus.

Mrs. Hofschulte was a kind and friendly person, beloved by all who knew her.

DAVID EDWARD WHALEY

David Edward Whaley, longtime Mazeppa area resident, passed away at 3:30 a.m. Wednesday at Zumbrota Community hospital, at the age of 84. He was taken to the hospital Tuesday.

Mr. Whaley, who was born Feb. 14, 1871, is survived by his sister, Mrs. Josephine Jerry, with whom he made his home on a farm near Mazeppa for 73 years.

Pallbearers named are John Gruhlke, Wm. Gruhlke, John Frank, George Oelkers, Laverne Windhorst and Earl Lemar.

Mr. Whaley will be missed by the entire community as he was well-known in this area, and his family is offered the deepest sympathy.

BUSY 54'S RECEIVE FLAG FROM VFW AUXILIARY

October 11, the Busy 54's 4-H club held the monthly meeting at School Dist. 76. President JC Pfeiffer called the meeting to order. Patsy Tupper read the minutes of the last meeting.

Our leader, Daisy Pfeiffer, presented an American flag to our club in behalf of VFW auxiliary, Post 1802.

There was no old business. For new business we elected Delvin Tupper for our new song leader. We changed the name of our club to "The South Mazeppa Willing Workers." Curtis Larson got a prize for entering the name.

At this meeting we had our Hallowe'en party. Clayton Pfeiffer and Mrs. John Reiland won prizes for the grownups' costumes. Delores Sommerfield and Nancy Radke won the prizes for the girls and JC Pfeiffer and Curtis Larson for the boys.

Congratulations

To Bellechester upon its recent incorporation as a village. A lively interest is being demonstrated in the first election to be held next Thursday. May it always be thus!

Historical Happenings are taken directly from the archives of the original papers as printed. Any discrepancies need to be taken up the Editor and Publisher of the said papers, who are deceased.

Regular Meeting of the Mazeppa City Council Meeting Minutes Wednesday, July 12, 2023

The regular meeting of the Mazeppa City Council was called to order at 6:00 PM by Mayor Chris Hagfors.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Present: Mayor Chris Hagfors. Council Persons Steve Liffriq, Michael Hammes, Dustin

Wiebusch and Erica Young.

Others Present: City Attorney Luke Lamprecht, City Engineer Matt Mohs, John Clemens and Administrator Clerk Karl Nahrgang.

Present via electronic meeting: Wabasha County Sherriff's Department Chief Deputy Jim Warren, Monica Hauser from Hawkins and Ash, and Holly Galbus from the News Record.

Motion by Hammes, second by Liffriq to approve the agenda. All in favor, none opposed. Carried.

Motion by Young, second by Liffriq to approve the June 14, 2023 regular City Council meeting minutes. All in favor, none opposed. Carried.

Wabasha County Sherriff's Department Chief Deputy Jim Warren presented the June Incident Command Report. He also commented that Mazeppa Daze was well ordered and there were few incidents associated with the celebration.

No Public Works report was given.

Administrator Clerk Karl Nahrgang read the Fire Department report.

MMLS manager Todd Ihrke gave the Mazeppa Municipal Liquor Store report.

Administrator Clerk Karl Nahrgang reported on City Hall activities.

City Engineer Matt Mohs reported on in process engineering projects.

Monica Hauser from Hawkins and Ash CPAs reviewed the 2022 City financial audit with the Council. The audit has already been submitted to the State of Minnesota.

Motion by Hammes, second by Liffriq to approve the 2022 financial audit as presented by Hawkins and Ash CPAs. All in favor, none opposed. Carried.

Council considered request from local business owner to pay for 100% of materials used in replacing the City sidewalk in front of his property. The City has paid the property owner 33% of the materials per ordinance.

Motion by Hammes, second by Young to deny paying for 100% of sidewalk materials in front of 281 1st Ave. N. All in favor, none opposed. Carried.

Dog park fence along Graves property was raised. Parks and Recreation committee has not discussed. No action was taken.

Resolutions 2023-36 and 2023-37 were done as motions during the June 14, 2023 meeting and should not have been included on the July 12, 2023 agenda.

Motion by Wiebusch, second by Liffriq to pay the bills and claims. All in favor, none opposed. Carried.

Councilpersons Young, Wiebusch, Liffriq, and Hammes thanked the Fire Department, Lions Club, Mazeppa Daze committee, their volunteers, and everyone else that helped organize, operate, and cleanup of the Mazeppa Daze activities.

Motion by Hammes, second by Young to adjourn the meeting. All in favor, none opposed. Carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:33 PM.

Next meeting will be August 9, 2023 at 6:00 PM.

Administrator-Clerk

City of Mazeppa Receives \$367,500 in Small Cities Development Program Funding

(continued from page 1)

Qualified homeowners will be served on a first come, first serve basis. Qualified owner-occupied residents who meet established income limits are eligible to receive assistance for necessary repairs to their home. 2023 income limits are: one person - \$53,000; two people - \$60,600; three people - \$68,150; four people - \$75,700; five people - \$81,800; six people - 87,850.

Funds available for home improvements in Mazeppa Eligible improvements include health and safety, energy efficiency, and ac-

cessibility improvements. Examples of other eligible improvements include roof and window replacement, siding, electrical service panel upgrades, furnace, air conditioning, plumbing, and bathroom accessibility.

For more information on program guidelines and eligibility requirements or to apply for the program, please call Tressa Sauke at Southeast Minnesota Multi-County Housing & Redevelopment Authority at (651) 565-2638 ext. 204 or email tsauke@semmchra.org. This is an equal housing opportunity program.

Zumbro Falls City Council Minutes - June 14, 2023

The Zumbro Falls Council met at City Hall. The mayor called the meeting to order at 6PM. Council person Paul Bankers was absent. Also present was Scott Kennedy and Brian Schumacher from Rochester Sand and Gravel.

Clerk read to council the minutes from the May meeting that were accepted as read with a motion from Anderson, seconded Benson, with all in favor, carried.

Treasurer's report followed with acceptance by a motion from Benson, seconded Anderson, all in favor, carried.

Brian met with a few city residents concerning the environment and trucking at the Asphalt plant. Truck routing was changed and questions were addressed.

Probation is complete for Nick Poncelet and is now a full time volunteer firefighter. Air packs will not be received until sometime in August. Scott is working on business interest and pricing for the purchase of advertisement signs to be placed on the ball field fence. Approval to move forward on this project was made with a motion from Benson, seconded Anderson, all in favor, carried.

Donations presented were accepted with a motion from Benson, seconded Anderson, all in favor, carried. David Kehren for \$150.00 to be used for truck maintenance, Spring Creek for \$1,500.00 for the memorial, and VFW Post 1802 in the amount of \$4,000.00 to purchase a bench for the veterans to be placed at the memorial.

Clerk will forward \$29,250.00 to Daren Hofschulte for the 1st half TIF collected. Motion made for approval by Anderson, seconded Benson, all in favor, carried.

Motion made for the clerk to pay all bills presented and the meeting to adjourn was made by Benson, seconded Anderson, all in favor, carried.

Submitted by,
Susan Eischens, Clerk

Ask A Trooper

By Sgt. Troy Christianson of the Minnesota State Patrol

Question: I read your article last week on not having a driver's license in possession, what about proof of insurance in your vehicle.

Answer: Every driver is required to carry proof of insurance while driving. They must also produce proof of insurance when requested by an officer during a traffic stop or an incident such as a crash. You can be cited for no proof on insurance and the same rules apply as no driver's license in possession penalties. The citation will be dropped if you provide proof of insurance to traffic court before the court date. If you do not, the citation turns into a no insurance citation which is a misdemeanor violation.

Proof of insurance can be in electronic form, meaning text-based or imaged-based content that can be shown on a computer or other digital device. So a photograph of the actual insurance card or screen shot is sufficient.

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- (2) The policy number
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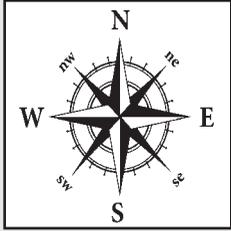
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Changes in Latitudes, Changes in Attitudes Millennials and My Tranquility, not a good mix



By Terry Campbell

This column is written by Messenger editor and Minnesota native Terry Campbell. Terry now splits his time between Minnesota when it's warm here and Tennessee when it's cold here.

Millennials, that group of people who were born during the 1990's through the early 2000's. I have fortunately not had to deal much with millennials since I am much older. Psychologist Jean Twenge, the author of the 2006 book *Generation Me*, considers millennials to be part of what she calls "Generation Me". Twenge attributes millennials with the traits of confidence but also describes a sense of entitlement and narcissism. Based on the fact that I am entering the age of a Grumpy Old Man, I can now transfer much of my irritation on a younger demographic. And this group has easily set themselves up for the blame. I usually like all people but my tolerance for stupid has worn a little thin with the years.

My birthday rolled around again this year, and in celebration of making it one more time through the calendar, my wife got tickets for the 50th anniversary tour of the rock group Kansas. What could go wrong? A classic rock concert whose fans are all in their 60' and 70's. My kind of folk. The State Theater in Minneapolis is a beautiful venue and we had seats in the fourth row from the stage slightly right of center.

We have a knack for attracting the worst concert goers ever though. We have a name for them. Drunk Dave. In honor of the guy at the Styx concert in Des Moines who thought he should dance in the aisle holding a beer and spilling it on anyone within the splash

zone. They are loud and obnoxious and always very drunk. Somehow, they end up in seats next to us.

So, as we took our seats that evening the young guy behind us tried to start up a conversation with us. He was barely into his twenties, but he was hammered. No one should be that inebriated at 6:30pm on a Friday. I just looked at Ashley and said, we got drunk Dave again." It was worse. Three young girls even more sloshed appeared and sat beside him. They talked loudly and kept getting up to buy more drinks. Each time climbing over the people already seated between them and the aisle. People who were their grandparent's age. One time falling over onto my wife and hugging her from behind. The ushers kept motioning to her but she was oblivious to their commands.

So, the show starts and the one young blonde starts talking over the music. "Oh yeah, this was a hair band back then." Rule # 1, don't go to a show of a band you don't know and act like you have something intelligent to say. She repeatedly shouted over the songs, argued with her boyfriend, cried, and kept leaving and returning with more drinks. At one point during her disruptive behavior she said, "The lead singer, he is pointing right at me." She was right. She was so disruptive he was trying to shame her by singling her out from the stage. If you talk during the performance of "Dust in the Wind" you are a special kind of Cretin.

The ushers were not prepared for this childish behavior as the three girls ran up and down the aisle during the show. They tried helplessly to reprimand them, but to no avail. At one point we saw two of them flip off an usher as they ran by. It was like some two-year olds misbehaving at a restaurant. The guests who were trying to enjoy the show were getting more perturbed by the minute. Finally, the blonde girl decided to head for the exit by walking between each guest and the seat in front of them, all the way across the theater. There she passed out at the feet of the two ushers standing at the exit.

It is called concert etiquette, and you may have seen the news footage of a Miranda Lambert concert lately, where she stopped the show mid-song and told four young women to sit back down. I have seen people of all ages acting like idiots, but these took the prize. I never thought I would sound like my dad, but here I am. And I understand now how he felt.

A Minnesotan: Out of State Visitors and the Mall of America



By RosaLin Alcoser

What do you do when family comes to visit you in Minnesota? As a transplant to Minnesota I get to live with the pleasure of family and friends from out of the state coming to visit me every now and again. Which is great. I love it when people come to visit me. Those of you who are also transplants or who have family that comes to visit from out of state will know that these visits mean that you get to show them around Minnesota. Then if you are like me you think of all the great things to take them to see. If you're me, that list mainly consists of museums, one of the state's many hiking trails, and finding the best Scandinavian bakery in the area.

Those are the kinds of things I come up with to take people to because who wouldn't want to go to the Minnesota Museum of Transportation or to Minnehaha Falls. However, the inevitable always happens and I end up doing none of those things and spend the time escorting them around the Mall of America. Do not get me wrong, going to the Mall of America every once in a while can be fun for three or four hours. However, it starts to become increasingly less fun once you start hitting hours six and seven; especially when it is the second time you have taken people around it in the span of a week. I feel that at least for me, the novelty of spending the entire day in the Mall of America has been washed away since I live close enough to it that I can go there anytime I want to. Which I do when we are not in the peak times for out of state tourist to be here. So I mainly go in the winter when it's at the point in the year that I'm looking for an indoor activity since it's just a bit too cold outside for me to enjoy one of those many parks we have. While I have recently spent a large amount of time showing friends and family around MOA this year I was able to get my sister and her husband to one of those parks with me. During their visit I was able to get them to hike with me at Gooseberry Falls and swim in Lake Superior. All of which my sister spent a lot of time calling after me to be careful as I kept running into Minnesota's many waters.

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- 9a.m. **Truck & Tractor Pull Begins on the Hill**, sign up begins at 7:30a.m.
- 10a.m. **Cow Milking Contest** Main Street, hosted by David Flom Dairy
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Kids Bingo Under the tent. Presented by Dennison Lions. Ages 3-11.
- 12:30p.m. **Parade Downtown - A Kiddie Parade Leads Off Main Parade** (Ages 12 & Under)
\$100.00 Prize for Best Parade Entry! Sign up at 12:00 p.m. South Mainstreet. Contact Diane at 612-532-0268
- 1-3p.m. **Kids Carnival**
- 1-4p.m. **625 Bar & Grill Foosball Tournament** Sign up at 625 or call 507-782-9061
Live Music at 625 Bar & Grill
- 1:30p.m. **Road Rally** (Line up South side of Elevator) Prizes! Hosted by Dennison Lions Club. Contact Tim at 507-581-6218
- 2p.m. **Kids Pedal Pull on Mainstreet (At Mainstreet intersection)** Sign up begins at 1:30p.m.
- 3:30p.m. **Purse & Gift Card Bingo Under Mainstreet Tent** Presented by Dennison Lions & Fireside Lounge
- 5p.m. **Game Show TBD**
- 7:30p.m.-12a.m. **Live Music from "WRECKLESS" on Mainstreet Stage** 18+ event. No Cover Charge. 21 to drink.
 Presented by Capitol Construction and Fireside Lounge & Supper Club

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1st Prize: \$500 Cash
2nd Prize: \$200 Cash
3rd Prize: \$100 Cash
4th Prize: \$50 Cash

Drawing held at 9:00p.m. at the Fireside Lounge

Need not be present to win.
 Winner is responsible for any taxes or fees.
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