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City of Wanamingo Awarded \$345,000 for Owner-Occupied Housing Rehabilitation through the Small Cities Development Program

The City of Wanamingo has received \$345,000 in Small Cities Development Program (SCDP) funding through the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development (DEED). The funding will support improvements to 12 owner-occupied homes within the city limits.

The program is available to eligible Wanamingo residents who meet established income guidelines. Assistance will be provided in the form of a 7-year forgivable loan, and qualified homeowners will be served on a first-come, first-served basis. Eligible improvements may include:

- Health and safety improvements
- Energy efficiency upgrades
- Accessibility modifications

Homeowners interested in learning more about the program, reviewing eligibility requirements, or submitting an application should contact:

Jayden Kane

Grant Administrator, SEMMCHRA

Phone: (651) 565-2638 ext. 213

Email: jkane@semmchra.org

This program is offered in accordance with Equal Housing Opportunity requirements.

Announcements

- **Pillow Cleaning Thursday, September 10 at Kenyon VFW from 7a.m.-3p.m.** Wednesday, Sept. 9th evening drop off 5-8p.m. Sponsored by Kenyon Lions.

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Wanna Wash and Dry Laundromat Coming to Wanamingo

Wanamingo is getting a Laundromat in the space beside J. B.'s Tavern. The equipment

was being installed on Friday August 14th and it should be open to the public by Sep-



Rice County Farm Family of the Year

REDWOOD FALLS — Families and growers from across Minnesota were represented as the University of Minnesota honored them in the 2026 Farm Family of the Year ceremony Thursday, August 6, at the annual Minnesota Farmfest near Redwood Falls.

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Jim, Gail and Abby Donkers

photo courtesy of U of M Extension



tember 1st.

There are four large size washing machines and four large-size dryers.

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Kenyon Rosefest August 19-23

The Kenyon Rosefest is this week. Thursday, August 20th the Kenyon Police Department and KW Community Ed will host the Bike Rodeo from 4pm to 5:30pm in the KPD parking lot. Starting at 6pm the Gopher State Garden Tractor Pull will be held on Langford Ave behind the CFS building.

Friday August 21st the citywide garage sales begin and run through Saturday. The Booster Club golf tourney starts at noon Friday at the Kenyon Country Club. The Kenyon VFW will hold their hogroast from 5 to 7pm followed by music indoors at no charge. The Rose Fest Ambassador program will be held under the big tent beside the muni.

On Saturday the Kenyon Volunteer Fire Department will have a pancake breakfast from 7 to 10am. The muni will have a Bloody Mary bar from 7 to 10am. The First Lutheran will have rolls and coffee starting at 7am. The Old Car and Truck Show will be held from 8am to 2pm on Forrest Street. A vendor and craft market will be set up on Forrest Street by the Bank. A tractor pull starts at 9am at the Hamilton-Maring lot on Hwy 56 north of Kenyon.



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St. Rose of Lima celebrates 21st Ice Cream Social



On Sunday August 16th the St. Rose of Lima Church hosted an ice cream social at the grounds of the restored church from 1 to 4pm.

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St. Rose of Lima celebrates 21st Ice Cream Social

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The celebration included a live music performance, a homemade quilt raffle, and a chance to reminisce with friends and neighbors.

Michael Wilmes presented a talk about the history of the church with interesting facts about the people and the community. The bell was ordered and shipped from the east coast and came down the Atlantic seacoast, up the Mississippi River and lastly by land from Red Wing to Pine Island and then to the church property. It weighed 3,000 pounds and was hoisted up into the belfry by block and tackle. Around 1976 someone attempted to steal the bell and dropped it from the bell tower onto the ground. It was located a few years later and recovered without any damage from the theft. It was then installed in the current location in the cemetery behind the church.

Another story involved a railroad worker who was killed in an accident on the railroad in the area during the latter 1800's. There was no identification or information as to who he was or where he came from. Without family or next of kin to notify, the people of the church gave him a burial, even though unidentified. It speaks to the hard-working settlers who would gladly care for one they didn't know and give him a dignified burial.

St. Rose was built in 1878 by Irish Catholic immigrants who came to America in search of a better life. These immigrants eventually settled in Cherry Grove Township, Goodhue County, Minnesota. They built St. Rose of Lima using native limestone and trade skills



from their homeland. St. Rose is emblematic of the pioneer experience and of an ethnic community coming to America and retains fundamental integrity to convey and express its significance as a wholly unaltered tangible piece of immigrant pioneer history.

The first Mass is held in St. Rose of Lima church in December of 1878. The last Mass was held on June 4, 1961. After that the building fell into disrepair over the years until in 2002 the Preservation Alliance of Minnesota places St. Rose on Minnesota's 2002 Ten Most Endangered Historic Properties list. In June of that year a group of interested people met to explore the possibility of saving the structure. The group formed a non-profit organization and purchased the property on October 17, 2003. The first candle lighting ceremony was held on December 20th of that year. In March of 2005 a new



cedar shingled roof was installed and in July a twenty-five car parking lot was added. On August 20th over 250 people attended the first ice cream social on the grounds of St. Rose. In September the first wedding since 1960 was held in the church. In November of 2007 a new furnace was installed and restoration of the ceiling began in June of 2008. By December 2009 the stained glass windows had been completely restored and replaced. In 2010 the original organ was donated and returned. In 2018 a 140th Anniversary book

was published. In 2021 an additional 1.6 acres of land was donated to expand the parking lot.

St. Rose of Lima is available for events fitting of a church and for the purpose of educating future generations about historic preservation. The Friends of St. Rose, Inc., host several annual events. These events offer a warm environment and unique experience, harkening of days gone by, allowing friends and family to gather inside this historic rural limestone church.

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It's Summertime

By John Todor, Pastor

Summer is in full swing and that means that it is that time of the year to break out the flip-flops, sunscreen, and charcoal. As people

make their way to the lake, as they gather for summer BBQs, and sit out by the pool it can be easy to allow the relaxed atmosphere of summertime to carry over into our walk with the Lord. Packed calendars, summer weddings, family reunions, and squeezing in some sort of vacation can leave you needing a vacation from your vacation.

In the midst of our busyness and fun this summer, the Lord desires from us to continue to treasure our time with Him. He desires to

commune with us. We speak to Him through prayer and He speaks to us through His Word.

The Bible is a big book that has a lot of story lines and major learning points for us to follow and read. David teaches us how to worship our God. Moses shows us how to be a leader. Paul constantly gives us helpful tips for our daily lives. But, if you were to choose one thing to say the Bible is written for, it would probably be that God sent His son to Earth to save us all.

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Announcements

• **Hiawathaland Transit:** Service hours are 7:30am-4:30pm Monday through Friday. Call dispatch at 866-623-7505 Monday through Friday 6am-9pm and Saturday 7:00am-5:00pm. Visit threeiverscap.org for more information.

• **The Hiawatha Valley Genealogy Society meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 10:00 a.m. at the Goodhue County History Center, 1166 Oak St., Red Wing, MN 55066.** The society welcomes participants of all ages and genders who are interested in discovering, researching, or expanding their knowledge of their family's ancestors. Whether you are just beginning or have years of experience, the group offers a supportive environment to help you build your genealogy skills and connect with others who share your interest. Your first meeting is complimentary!

• **All are welcome to breakfast, fellowship, bible study, and prayer time every Saturday morning at Hauge Lutheran Church in Kenyon.** Breakfast and fellowship start at 8:00 am. Followed by a verse by verse bible study. Finishing with prayer time at 10:00 am. All are welcome (men, women, and children) each Saturday morning!! Any questions, please contact Loren Bauer: 507-450-6623.

• **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 \$5-\$10 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@threeiverscap.org

• **Wanamingo Veterans Honor Guard invite you to become a member.** Join us and help us make the Wanamingo Veterans Honor Guard an even bigger success. VWHG meets the third Tuesday of each month at the Wanamingo Community Center. The VFW will meet from 7-7:30p.m. The Honor Guard will meet from 7:30-8:30p.m. For more information contact Eric Dierks 507-321-1967, Gary Floan at 507-732-7740, or Larry Van De Walker at 507-421-4674.

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Finding Honey

If you find honey, eat just enough—too much of it, and you will vomit. — Proverbs 25:16

Late summer to early fall is usually the time when beekeepers “find” honey. At that time of year for bees, the days of gathering pollen and nectar are winding down. Wise beekeepers provide extra room in the hive, taking advantage of the bees’ hoarding instinct and “tricking” them into making more honey than they need. A healthy hive will often have two to three times as much honey as the bees will need for winter. The beekeepers then take the extra honey, making sure to leave enough for the bees to survive on.

Finding honey is not so difficult with the hive boxes and removable frames we have today. In the wild, though, it can be a lot more challenging to find and gather this treasure. Through the centuries people have learned to search for honey in hollow trees, small caves, remote cliffs, and other protected spots that are near abundant varieties of flowering plants.

While honey is sweet, our proverb for today tells us to “eat just enough” and not too much. It makes good sense not to overdose on honey—or on any of the sweet things in life. Wisdom calls us to a healthy balancing act.

Sadly, the siren song of our world today is that “more is always better.” But finding honey reveals the wisdom of enjoying sweet things in life within wholesome limits.

In what ways is the Spirit of God directing you to set wise limits in your life?

Thank you, Lord, for the sweet things in life. Guide us to follow you and to gain a heart of wisdom. In Jesus, Amen.

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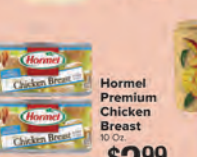
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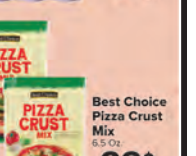
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Schoolhouse Scribbling

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What Follows

Prior to turning the final page on the 2025-26 academic year, I wanted to share a few brief notes from the business lens of our district – topics beyond textbooks if you will. We have been mired in the negativity associated with statutory operating debt – Minnesota's term for a negative ending balance – since the end of FY22 (June 30, 2022). Our budget for 2026-27 establishes a path to solvency with each topic that follows serving as a critical component.

Ending Balance

Our district had a healthy ending balance of ~\$1.1 million for FY15. An extended trend of expenditures exceeding revenues resulted in a negative ending balance of ~\$1.8 million for FY24. Two consecutive years of revenues exceeding expenditures will leave a negative ending balance of ~\$1.5 million for FY26. Significant reductions this past spring project a negative ending balance under \$1 million for FY27 and a positive balance by FY29.

Enrollment

Like the vast majority of rural schools across our nation, declining enrollment has been our district's reality. Our enrollment in FY15 was 840. Our enrollment in FY26 was 604. With student headcount being the primary driver of school funding, a 28% drop in students over 11 years underscores the challenges with our ending balance over that time. The trend should not be as harsh in the foreseeable future as we transition to two sections at each grade level.

Future Funding

The sound bites out of St. Paul for state funding in subsequent school years have been bleak at best. Our local property tax support is already generous, meaning an increase to our operating levy is unrealistic. So, we will adapt to our enrollment, be frugal with our spending, and live within our means.

The Good News!

K-W is a very viable school district. There are many smaller districts scattered across Minnesota. We were able to address our budgetary constraints this past spring without negatively impacting the student experience. Our belt was tightened, but all academic, co-curricular, and extra-curricular programs remain. Our students have a name and a face, and we will continue to provide a place where they can attend, attach, and achieve!

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The families were selected by local University of Minnesota Extension committees based on the honorees' demonstrated commitment to enhancing and supporting agriculture.

Jim and Gail Donkers' farming journey began in 1989 when Jim returned home after graduating from the University of Minnesota and took over management of the dairy herd. Gail, also a University of Minnesota graduate, joined the operation when they were married in 1993. In 2008, they sold the dairy herd, converted the milking barn into a calf barn and began finishing calves at another site.

Today, the Donkers family operates a diverse farm that includes soybeans, corn, alfalfa, finishing hogs, starting and finishing

baby calves, and a sheep enterprise raising Babydoll and Dorset breeding sheep. They work closely with the local Soil and Water Conservation District to implement conservation practices and manage water to reduce soil loss. Jim and Gail farm full-time alongside their son, Mitch, Jim's father, Paul, and Jim's brother, Matt. Their son, Riley, manages the sheep operation with Gail, and their daughter, Abby, assists with sheep marketing and registrations. Their daughter-in-law, Daiton, contributes through farm photography.

The Donkers family is deeply involved in their community. Jim has served on the Richland Township board in various roles for 28 years and is also an election judge and 4-H leader. Gail serves as the Minnesota Farmers Union membership director, is active as a 4-H leader, is a member of the Minnesota 4-H Plant Sciences Steering Committee and is the Rice County Fair Sheep Superintendent. She is also secretary of the Kenyon Wanamingo FFA Alumni, serves on the Minnesota FFA Foundation Board and its Scholarship Committee, and is an All-American Junior Show Babydoll Breed representative and volunteer.

Gail was elected to the Minnesota Soybean Research and Promotion Council in 2018 and has served in several leadership roles. In 2023, she was elected to the U.S. Identity Preserved Alliance, appointed to the Soy Excellence Center board and serves on the Dakota/Rice County Corn and Soybean Growers Scholarship Committee. Jim and Gail have represented the Minnesota Soybean Research and Promotion Council internationally, traveling to South Korea, the Philippines, Canada and the Netherlands to help expand markets for Minnesota agricultural products.

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