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Icy smooth sailing

Michael and Laura Kroll took to the ice off Fugleberg boat landing on Lake Winnebago earlier this month for their first iceboating of the season. The "Slick Trick" shown is one of their five iceboats, this one a class D stern steerer built in the 1990s. Michael said weather conditions this month, including last weekend, were smooth for sailing while this past Sunday "was at the max end of the wind spectrum for me personally."

Stormwater utility rate boost OK'd

Chamber of Commerce questions city rationale

By Kaitlyn Scoville
OSHKOSH HERALD

The city's stormwater utility rate has been increased by 6.5% despite some pushback from the Oshkosh Chamber of Commerce.

The change from \$18.60 per ERU (equivalent residential units) per month to \$19.81 per ERU, according to public works director James Rabe, was suggested by city staff to allow stormwater project funding through debt to diminish within the next decade.

The new rate would also equate to about \$238/ERU for the year for a household.

At the end of last year, the Chamber of Commerce sent a letter to Common Council members asking them to consider reimbursing ratepayers for the excess balance that has accumulated since the rate's inception in 2003.

Furthermore, Chamber president and chief executive Rob Kleman asked the group to consider an annual review for ratepayers so the excess balance doesn't build up again.

The organization commissioned an analysis with the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh's Whitburn Center for Gover-

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Myrtle finally finds home after foster care wait

By Kaitlyn Scoville
OSHKOSH HERALD

A pitbull mix left for dead on a snowbank near the Family Dollar on Main Street last February captured the hearts of thousands of followers of the Oshkosh Area Humane Society.

Just about a year later, Myrtle has been adopted.

OAHS dog adoption manager Ann Knaus said she was only 22 pounds when she was first brought into the organization's referral center and was too cold to register on a thermometer.

"She was a skeleton with skin," Knaus said. "She couldn't even move on her own. I don't think anybody had much hope that she was going to survive. But she did. And she thrived."

After spending time at OAHS and Blue-Pearl Animal Hospital, Myrtle landed in

foster care to continue to heal and then wait until she was well enough to be adopted.

OAHS admissions manager Jennifer Ollanketo said the organization doesn't know what kind of life she had led before being found.

Adoptions post-pandemic have also slowed across the nation, which Ollanketo said could have been a small attribute to why it took so long for Myrtle. A typical stay for a dog at OAHS is about 50 days.

Not only was there a noticeable physical transformation in Myrtle, but also in her spirits. Ollanketo said on her second day she started to show more interest in her surroundings and even started playing with toys.

"With her foster family she was given the love and support she needed to get to

where she is today," she added.

Knaus said Myrtle's transformation was unrecognizable.

She now weighs about her ideal weight of 45 pounds and has shown no ill-effects health-wise from her ordeal.

"If you had looked at the dog that came in here that day (a year ago) and then you look at the dog that went home to her new family, you would say there was no way it was the same animal," Knaus said. "She was so weak in the beginning and now you can't stop her from moving."

And while fostering is "a little heart-breaking every time," she added, the work is worth it.

"There is no doubt in my mind that our euthanasia rate would be higher if we did not have our foster homes," Knaus said. "Myrtle is proof our foster homes make a huge difference."



Oshkosh Area Humane Society photo

Myrtle is shown with her new family after being adopted last week following nearly a yearlong wait.

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Fire Department service calls reach record number

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The Oshkosh Fire Department responded to more than 10,000 calls for service last year for the first time in its history, fire officials announced.

The 10,405 requests averages to 29 calls per day, an 8% increase since 2021 and 15% overall increase since 2019.

“The city of Oshkosh’s population continues to increase, and as a large number of the population ages, I foresee a continued increase in demand for our services,” Fire Chief Mike Stanley said in a statement.

“With a fixed number of resources such as firefighters, apparatus and fire stations, the department continues to implement and utilize risk-reduction programs to attempt to reduce the numbers of incidents by preventing them in the first place.”

Stanley said that the department typically sees a 3% increase in calls each year, which he noted this year’s 8% as a “dramatic uptick.”

The Fire Department continued to see a high number of calls relating to falls. Stanley has said that as the city’s population continues to age, the department expects to see these calls become more frequent. The department receives between 1,500 and 1,700 calls a year to help with falls in



Oshkosh Fire Department photo

Calls to the Oshkosh Fire Department topped 10,000 last year for the first time.

all ranges of severity.

Other things the department gets called for has remained about the same as previous years. Stanley attributed the record number last year to the city’s continuously growing and aging population.

“Beyond that, (people) develop more

needs that may require services from the fire department,” he said.

In the first week of 2023, the OFD responded to 187 calls, compared with 185 at this time last year.

“We’re off to a consistent start,” Stanley said.

Restaurant Week features local establishments

Oshkosh Restaurant Week returns Jan. 19 for a 10-day celebration of the culinary variety featuring the city’s most popular restaurants and presented by Discover Oshkosh.

Patrons can visit a participating restaurant between Jan. 19 and Jan. 29 and choose from either a breakfast option for \$12, three-course lunch option

for \$17 or a three-course dinner for \$29.

Many of the menus from participating restaurants will feature multiple options for each of the three courses not typically found on the establishment’s regular menu.

No tickets or preregistration is required, but reservations are recommended. Just ask for the Restaurant Week menu.

The Oshkosh Restaurant Week digital pass is at discoveroshkosh.com.

Watch for more details on Oshkosh Restaurant Week through Facebook and Instagram.

Back in the Day



Oshkosh history by the Winnebago County Historical & Archaeological Society

Jan. 19, 1887

Father Stanley. Death of the First White Settler: A Belle of the First History of Oshkosh Goes to His Grave

– His Farm Where a Portion of the City Now Stands: Information was received here that Webster W. Stanley, the first and original white settler in Oshkosh, died on January 19 in Columbia, Brown County, South Dakota at the advanced age of eighty-eight years. Of the first settlers in this



Webster Stanley is considered the first white settler in Oshkosh.

region, he has outlived all of them. In 1865 he came to Oshkosh and operated a small ferry across the Fox River at Coon Point. He later moved his ferry business near the mouth of the river near Main Street and took up farming in that area. He was married to Sophia Gallup who preceded him in death in 1869. Webster is buried in South Dakota, Sophia and her daughter lie at rest in Oshkosh’s Ellenton Cemetery.

Source: Oshkosh Northwestern, Feb. 2, 1887

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JAN. 11, PAGE 15: Oshkosh North won the WIAA State Basketball championship following the 2017-18 season.

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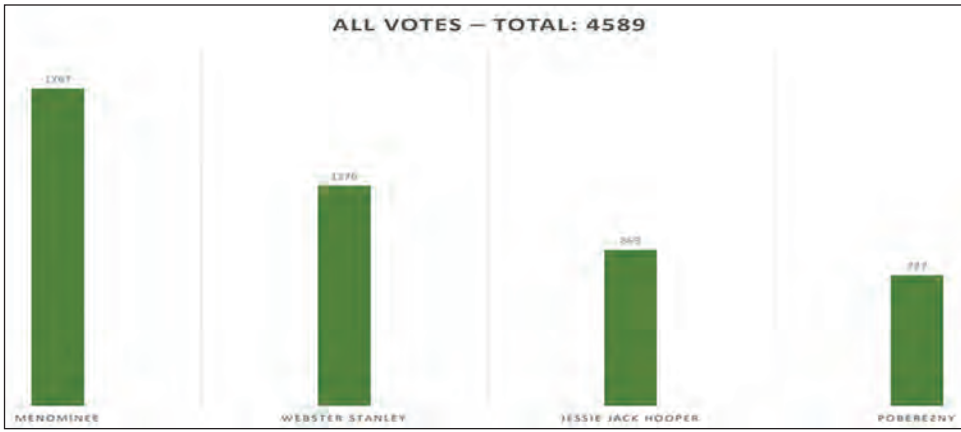
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New school name survey favors 'Menominee' choice

By Kaitlyn Scoville
OSHKOSH HERALD

Odds are turning favorably toward naming the Oshkosh Area School District's new elementary school "Menominee" based on results from a second community survey to narrow the voting pool for the Board of Education to consider.

Schools Superintendent Bryan Davis and Bray Architects project manager Nate Considine told board members that after the second survey closed, the top names for the new build, in order of popularity among participants, were Menominee, Webster Stanley, Jessie Jack Hooper and Poberezny.

The second survey that finished early last month yielded about 4,600 votes, many of which came from parents and guardians from within the OASD, accounting for almost 1,600 of the total count.

Among all the populations surveyed, Menominee received the most votes at about 1,700, followed by 1,200 for Webster Stanley, 869 for Jessie Jack Hooper and 729 for Poberezny.

One group that had not voted Menom-

inee as the top recommendation was non-district residents, who preferred Jessie Jack Hooper, Considine told board members. Additionally, district residents voted slightly more in favor of Webster Stanley than Menominee.

Board members were in support of naming the elementary school Menominee and were pleased with the survey results reflecting that.

Davis said while the new elementary school is within close proximity to Menominee Park, the district would also like to request permission to use the name from the Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin and establish a working relationship with them.

Board member Angie Lee said it was brought to her attention that voters could submit the survey more than once, to which Davis assured that there was no noticeable increase in votes in this survey compared with previous ones.

An official vote on the new elementary school's name will be made at a future meeting.

Housing programs will be detailed in city presentation

Programs that the city offers with loans and incentives to encourage home improvements, home ownership and investing in eligible housing stock will be highlighted in a presentation at the Oshkosh Convention Center at 5:30 p.m. Jan. 25.

City staff will introduce details on programs such as Sold on Oshkosh, which is an up to \$7,500 forgivable loan after five years on home purchases made in recognized neighborhood associations; or the Owner-Occupied Rehabilitation Program, a 15-year loan for up to \$50,000 at 0% interest.

Additional programs can be found at ci.oshkosh.wi.us under Planning Services.

The programs can save thousands of dollars for eligible participants.

Those attending will hear from city planning staff and Oshkosh Healthy Neighborhoods representatives about details and eligibility requirements. There will be an opportunity to ask questions during the presentation.

Homeowners and buyers, real estate agents, mortgage professionals, investors and bankers are encouraged to attend. Registration is required for the informational session through Anne Schaefer, marketing and fund development coordinator, at aschaefer@ci.oshkosh.wi.us or 920-0232-5306.

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Road salt restraint gets statewide focus next week

Oshkosh Herald

The state Department of Natural Resources and Wisconsin Salt Wise are emphasizing the negative impacts of road salt on drinking water and freshwater ecosystems during Wisconsin Salt Awareness Week that runs Jan. 23-27.

The DNR measures chloride levels in Wisconsin rivers over time, monitoring cumulative chloride loading results at 26 of the state's largest river systems. Recent studies have shown a steep increase in chloride loads.

In the early 2000s, the DNR measured about 600,000 tons of chlorides annually. By 2018, that number increased to nearly 800,000 tons per year. Fifty lakes and one stream in Wisconsin have been designated as impaired by high salt concentrations.

Wisconsin counties and municipalities have reduced road salt application by using brine as an anti-icer to pretreat road surfaces. Winnebago County snowplow crews try to treat roadways and bridges with brine ahead of time to reduce snow and ice freezing, and the county highway department states that it only uses calcium chloride in extreme situations.

Oshkosh's snow and ice removal ordinance was updated last year to help residents be more aware of the environmental risks of oversalting. Specifically, the amendment verbiage encourages shovelers to "sprinkle" salt or deicer on sidewalks if the temperature remains above 15 degrees, below which salt is not effective.

The city's Sustainability Advisory Board also approved a mailer last year to help educate the public about the environmental risks of oversalting while collaborat-

ing with UW Oshkosh students to help spread awareness and education about the environmental effects of road deicers.

Director of Public Works James Rabe said city policies are in place to better deal with snow and ice removal, noting that the use of brine as a pretreatment has significantly reduced salt use and can be easily removed by plowing equipment.

Pre-wetting of salt is also becoming a more common practice that helps activate it and get the chemical process started before it hits the road. Rabe said that as a result, less salt is used that can end up in waterways.

The city's focus has been on salting curves, hills and other areas where stopping or slowing may be an issue but not treating all streets.

Groups such as Salt Wise and the Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance have offered workshops on parking lot and walkway maintenance in public and private spaces that focus on proper de-icing application rates and techniques, calibration of equipment, understanding the weather and materials storage.

Oshkosh and surrounding communities are members of the Northeast Wisconsin Stormwater Consortium (NEWSC), which, with the Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance, coordinates stormwater programs in a five-county region that include environmentally focused use of road salt.

A series of YouTube livestreams featuring speakers and topics focused on the true cost of salt and how to be a freshwater advocate will be featured next week. Speakers include Sujay Kaushal (University of Maryland), Charlie Paradis (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee), Allison Cou-

ture (UW Madison), Shannon Haydin (DNR) and Allison Madison (Salt Wise). Those interested can register in advance at wisaltwise.com or watch afterward on the WI Salt Wise YouTube Channel.

While salt keeps roads and parking areas safe during winter, using more than needed infiltrates lakes, streams and groundwater. According to Salt Wise, one teaspoon of salt is all it takes to make five gallons of water toxic for freshwater organisms. Chlorides also enter Wisconsin waters because of water softeners and fertilizers.

Nationwide, winter salt causes an estimated \$5 billion in damage to infrastructure each year, causing corrosion of

bridges, roads and other infrastructure. Road salt can also impact pets by causing irritated paws or other health concerns if ingested.

Follow these steps on salt use:

- Clear walkways and other areas before the snow turns to ice. The more snow removed manually, the less salt needed and the more effective it will be.
- Scatter it so that there is space between the grains. A 12-ounce coffee mug of salt is enough to treat an entire 20-foot driveway or 10 sidewalk squares.
- Salt won't work when pavement temperatures drop below 15 degrees. Switch to sand for traction or a different ice melter.

Lower Fox River PCB cleanup project concludes

Oshkosh Herald

The state closure process for the 39-mile lower Fox River PCB cleanup project has begun with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources sending letters to those who live and work on the river informing them of the finished work.

The DNR announced the State Closure process Monday, calling it the next milestone for the 17-year-long cleanup of the Lower Fox River and Green Bay after the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency certified it as complete in October.

The cleanup was successfully completed in 2020 through collaboration among the DNR, EPA, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, tribal nations and corporations responsible for the cleanup and care of the river and bay.

Notice letters are being sent this month to about 1,400 riverfront property owners before the DNR issues final closure approval. Those who receive letters are being informed of cap areas and asked to not disturb them.

The DNR began oversight of the project with the EPA in 2004 when the cleanup began to dredge and remove polychlorinated biphenyl compounds (PCBs) in river sediments.

PCBs are toxic chemicals used historically in the production and recycling of carbonless copy paper in the 1950s through 1970s. The project removed 6.5 million cubic yards of contaminated sediment through hydraulic dredging, and engineered caps were installed on another 275 acres of riverbed.

The caps, which must be protected from future disturbance to ensure success of the cleanup, will be routinely monitored by the cleanup companies. GeorgiaPacific, Glatfelter Corp. and NCR Corp. are responsible for all work and costs.

Long-term testing is underway to measure PCBs in fish tissue, sediment and surface water. The entire river and bay will be tested every five years until established cleanup goals are achieved.



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Promoting literacy

Oshkosh Elks Lodge No. 292 provided about \$2,000 worth of books to Roosevelt Elementary School recently. Shown are (from left) Pam Schedivy, grant coordinator, Jan Bitter, Judy Seibold and Richard O'Day representing the Elks, with some of the books purchased and read to students.

Trial nears in 2019 attack on officer at West

Oshkosh Herald

A former Oshkosh West High School student is scheduled to go on trial Monday in Winnebago County court for the December 2019 stabbing of a police officer liaison at the school.

Grant Fuhrman's case has been in court for three years with multiple defense motions, including the most recent one last Wednesday in a pretrial hearing where the court, for a second time, denied an involuntary intoxication defense.

Fuhrman, now 20, is charged with attempted first-degree intentional homicide in the attack on officer Michael Wissink, who has since retired. The case will be heard under Branch 6 Judge Daniel Bis-

sett.

The defendant's defense attorney Corey Mehlos has claimed Fuhrman was involuntarily under the influence while committing a crime and incapable of understanding the charges. Fuhrman originally entered a plea of not guilty by reason of insanity that was later withdrawn and attempted to get the involuntary intoxication defense.

Prosecutor Tracy Paider alleged Fuhrman stabbed Wissink with a barbecue fork in Wissink's office at the high school. Wissink was able to fight back and shot and wounded Fuhrman.

Fuhrman is being held on a \$1 million cash bond.

Several in custody after disturbance at Merrill

Oshkosh Herald

Several individuals and a juvenile were brought into custody by the Oshkosh Police Department after a series of disturbances at Merrill Middle School last Wednesday.

A physical disturbance took place between two students, after which family members and acquaintances of one of the students who was involved forced their way inside. School staff and the police resource officer told them to leave the school and they refused, according to police.

The school went into a hold for student safety while the incident was resolved. There were no weapons involved.

The Oshkosh Area School District noted that additional police presence will be at the school "out of an abundance of caution," and said further safety precautions will be in place at the new Vel Phillips

Middle School that opens this fall.

District schools operate with locked exterior entrances and have an audiovisual intercom entry and visitor management system.

In June 2021, the district began a series of secure entry projects that were made possible with approval of the November 2020 capital referendum. These projects, which include security vestibules, were identified to add an additional layer of security and provide front office staff with more control over who has access inside the school.

Emmeline Cook, Franklin, Lakeside, Carl Traeger and South Park schools have been updated and four more – Read, Oakwood, Oshkosh North and West – are set to be updated over the summer months.

In older schools – including Merrill – there is no secure vestibule that restricts visitors from proceeding past the front office into the rest of the building.




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Artwork from Oshkosh West sophomore Brandi Root was among four students' submissions to the WASB convention that were accepted and honored.

West students prominent in prestigious art contest

Oshkosh Herald

Oshkosh West art students created four of the 10 pieces selected for top honors in a statewide contest sponsored by the Wisconsin Association of School Boards (WASB) ahead of this week's annual convention.

Oshkosh Area Board of Education president Barb Herzog noted at last Wednesday's board meeting that the district also will be represented at the convention with a North High choir group and several presentations by central office staff and special education leaders.

All four students who submitted their

artwork placed in the WASB art showcase competition. Len Kloss took second place, Brandi Root placed fourth, Sam Baeten's work was selected fifth and Romey Harenburg took eighth.

In partnership with the Wisconsin Art Education Association, the WASB holds an annual art contest showcasing student artists. The award-winning pieces will be displayed at the Wisconsin Center in Milwaukee during the convention.

The Oshkosh North High School Choirale directed by Bridget Duffy-Ulrich will perform Friday at the convention.

EAA's hands-on education sessions set

EAA Aviation Museum's Saturday Sessions program for young people in grades 6-12 will kick off Jan. 28 with a focus on aircraft through fun projects and museum exploration.

Each session runs from 9 a.m. until noon and keys on a different aspect of aircraft construction with an accompanying hands-on project for attendees to take home. The session begins in the Youth Education Center with a brief introduction on the subject followed by the hands-on activity.

Students will be tasked with completing a scavenger hunt inside of the museum

pertaining to the session's theme. The session will wrap up with a conclusion where students can share what they have learned and finish their hands-on project.

The inaugural session is centered on aircraft structures. Other sessions on the schedule include March 18 on composite fabrication, and April 22 on avionics and communication.

Admission is \$15 per student. Online registration is required 24 hours before the event.

Adults must pay regular museum admission if they plan to stay with their student during the session.

Business news roundup

Orthopedic & Sports Medicine Specialists, a doctor-owned orthopedic, sports medicine, rheumatology and pain management practice, has added two board-certified orthopedic surgeons to its team. Both doctors will see patients at AscensionMercy Medical Center in Oshkosh and at the OSMS Fox Valley clinic in Neenah. **Dr. Bryan Royce** completed his medical residency at University of Wisconsin Madison. He performs hip, knee, and shoulder replacements for arthritic conditions as well as arthroscopic interventions for sport and work-related injuries. **Dr. Luke Fraundorf** completed his residency at UW Madison and his expertise includes knee, hip, shoulder and hand procedures.

Oshkosh Core Club, a fitness training specialist, opened in November at the Oshkosh Country Club, 11 W. Ripple Ave., and offers Megaformer classes, which are 45-minute core strength machine workouts. Class schedules and other details are available on the Mindbody App and on

Facebook @OshkoshCoreClub.

Bank First Corp., holding company of Bank First N.A., has received approval from the shareholders of Hometown Bancorp Ltd., parent company of Hometown Bank, to complete its merger of the two financial organizations. Tim McFarlane, president and chief executive officer at Hometown Bank, will assume the role of president and will join the board of directors of Bank First when the merger is completed Feb. 10. Bank First has an Oshkosh location at 1159 N. Koeller St.

Juan Corpus will join **New North Inc.** as vice president of diversity, equity and inclusion effective Feb. 6. Corpus will lead New North's current DEI initiatives, assist organizations with diversity plans and mentor local partners. He also will collaborate with the six statewide minority chambers of commerce to develop a Diversity Digital Hub, strengthening regional connections to each organization.

Vandals hit Red Arrow area with graffiti

Police suspect that several juveniles damaged property at Red Arrow Park and its skateboard area, along with Pollock Pool, with extensive graffiti found throughout those locations.

Oshkosh police said in a statement they are working on identifying individuals involved with the vandalism. Anyone with information is asked to contact 920-236-5700, option 1.

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Rate increase

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nance and Police Research to look back at stormwater utility rates over the years. Since 2003, when the annual rates were just \$19.08/ERU/year, it's gone up about 55% each year until 2022.

This has resulted in a stormwater fund balance excess of \$17 million, which is ultimately used to complete projects related to the stormwater utility.

Rabe said the specific projects are funded that way instead of through the city's general fund to offset any additional costs to taxpayers.

He said that five of the six top stormwater utility customers in the city are tax-exempt entities. With those costs paid for through utilities, Rabie said those tax-exempt entities are paying their fair share to the city instead of putting the brunt on residents.

The 6.5% increase will be in effect for 2023 and 2024. After that, the following eight years will average an increase of 1.25%. With this, stormwater utility projects will no longer have to be funded through debt after 2029.

The city offers stormwater credits to residents and business owners. Information on that can be found at ci.oshkosh.wi.us/StormWaterUtility and questions can be directed to the engineering division at 920-236-5065 and asking for stormwater utility staff.

Offender housing OK'd

After the issue was deferred to the first meeting of 2023, the council also approved a conditional use permit for construction of eight one-bedroom housing units at 851 County Y for sex offenders on supervised release under State Statute 980.

Last month, Winnebago County approached the council with an initial task of building 11 housing units. Council members expressed displeasure in the plan, noting that Oshkosh is seemingly the "dumping place" for released sex offenders.

In December 2018, a conditional use permit was approved to establish an institutional residential facility for a county resident convicted of a sexual offense governed by state statutes and deemed ready for release.

The manufactured home on the site was installed in 2019. In 2020, the permit was amended to allow a second resident and has not been revised since then. The cost of the project to the county is about \$1 million, according to its application to city planning.

Mary Anne Mueller, corporation counsel for Winnebago County, told council members that the housing is required to be outside 1,500 feet of churches, schools and nursing homes, and that most of the

offenders lived in Oshkosh when the crime occurred.

"I get it. I understand the position the county's been put in. I understand they've served their time, but these are some of the most sexually violent predators that have walked the face of the earth, and they have a high chance of re-offense," Deputy Mayor Matt Mugerauer said. "I'm not a fan of the high concentration, I'm not a fan of putting them on the north side of the city, but this is a very convenient spot for the county."

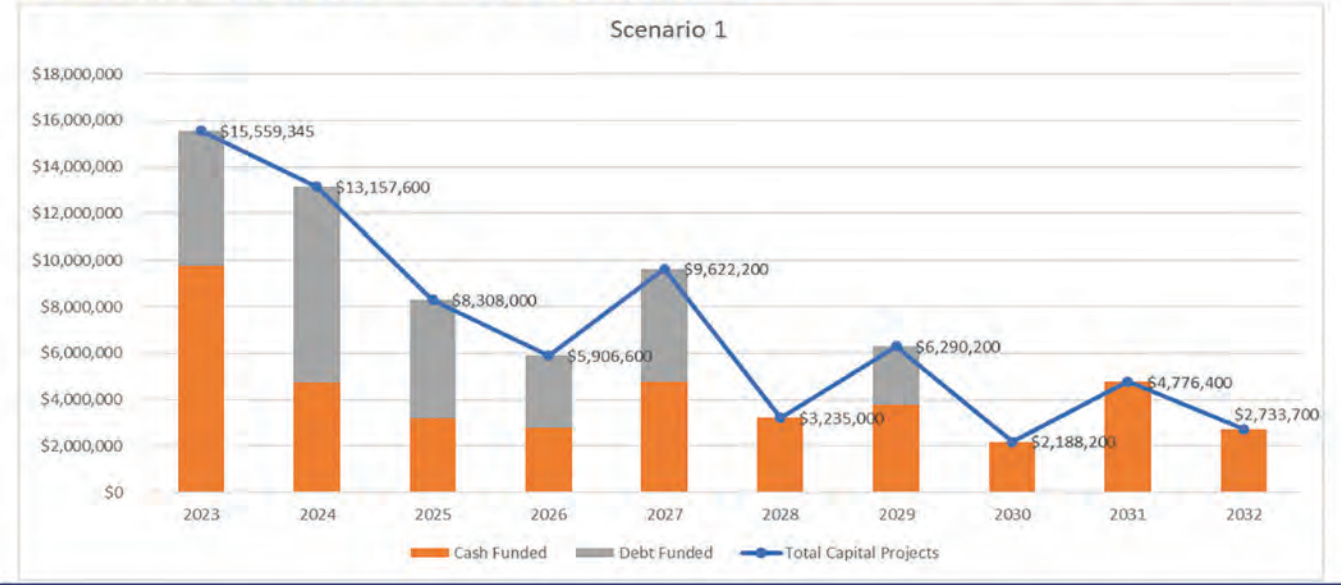
County Sheriff John Matz told the coun-

cil that in the County Y location, officers typically are able to respond to the location within 15 to 30 seconds and pass the lot dozens of times a day. The residents also wear bracelets for the state to monitor movement.

Council member Michael Ford moved

to amend the conditional use permit from 11 to eight units with full support from his colleagues. The item itself was approved 4-2 with Mugerauer and member Courtney Hansen objecting. Member Bill Miller was not present for the vote.

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Snowmobile safety on ice emphasized

The state Department of Natural Resources is reminding snowmobilers to operate safely as current warming trends thin ice across the state and make certain areas extremely unsafe.

“With these unusually mild temps and

International Snowmobile Safety Week (Jan. 14-22) we urge snowmobilers to be extra careful when driving on ice,” said Lt. Jake Holsclaw, DNR off-highway vehicle administrator.

Last year there were 16 fatal snowmobile crashes. Ice safety reminders:

- Contact local sport shops to ask about ice conditions on the lake or river you want to cross.
- Wear proper clothing and equipment, including a life jacket or float coat should you fall through the ice and to help retain body heat.
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Calendar of events

Wednesday, Jan. 18

Nature Series: Owls of Winter by Rob Zimmer, 10 a.m., Oshkosh Seniors Center, 200 N. Campbell Road

Put a Bird on It public art discussion, 6 p.m., Oshkosh Public Library

Bingo, 7 p.m., American Legion Hall, 1332 Spruce St.

Wisconsin Herd vs. Westchester Knicks, 11:30 a.m., Oshkosh Arena

Thursday, Jan. 19

Oshkosh Restaurant Week, through Jan. 29 at city restaurants

Valley Jazz Institute student jam, 6:30 p.m., The Waters, 1393 Washington Ave.

Friday, Jan. 20

Community Cross Country Ski/Snowshoe Candlelight Hike, 6 p.m., Winnebago County Community Park

Marine Corps League bingo, 5:30 p.m., 4715 Sherman Road

Saturday, Jan. 21

Wacky Winter Program by Mad Science of Milwaukee, 10:30 a.m., Oshkosh Public Library

Wisconsin Herd Card Show, 10 a.m., Oshkosh Arena

“The Jungle Book” by Missoula Children’s Theater, 3 and 7 p.m., The Grand Oshkosh

Ruby’s Food Pantry, 9:30 a.m., St. John’s Lutheran Church of Nekimi, 491 Old Oregon Road

Sunday, Jan. 22

Community Cross Country Ski/Snowshoe Afternoon Hike, 6 p.m., Winnebago County Community Park

Wednesday, Jan. 25

Citizens’ Climate Lobby with speaker Katherine Reed, 4:30 p.m., Oshkosh Food Co-op, 155 Jackson St.

Bingo, 7 p.m., American Legion Hall, 1332 Spruce St.

Thursday, Jan. 26

Habitat for Humanity Oshkosh fundraiser, 5:30 p.m., Oshkosh Convention Center

“The SpongeBob Musical” presented by Oshkosh West, 7 p.m., Alberta Kimball Auditorium

Author chat with Keith Hellwig, 5 p.m., Caramel Crisp & Cafe, 200 D City Center

Friday, Jan. 27

“The SpongeBob Musical,” 7 p.m., Alberta Kimball Auditorium

Marine Corps League bingo, 5:30 p.m., 4715 Sherman Road

Saturday, Jan. 28

Wild Ones conference, 8:15 a.m., Culver Family Welcome Center, 625 Pearl Ave.

Oshkosh Winter Farmers Market, 9 a.m., Oshkosh Convention Center

Oshkosh Indoor Rummage Sale and Craft Fair, 9 a.m., Sunnyview Expo Center

“The SpongeBob Musical,” 10 a.m. and 7 p.m., Alberta Kimball Auditorium

Chili Cookoff, 11 a.m., Winnebago Bicycle, 502 N. Main St.

Chili Cookoff, 1 p.m., South Side Ice Yacht Club, 1842 S. Main St.

Kent Rader comedy show, 7:30 p.m., The Grand Oshkosh

Sunday, Jan. 29

“The SpongeBob Musical,” 2 p.m., Alberta Kimball Auditorium



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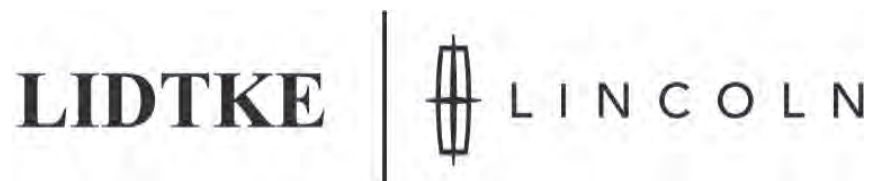
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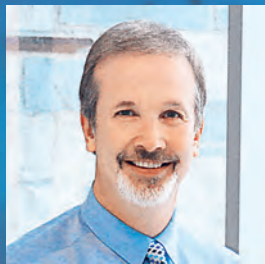
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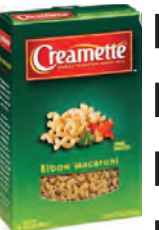
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Wildcats down Lumberjacks to win second straight

By Steve Clark
OSHKOSH HERALD

Seeing a 17-point lead sliced into single digits in the final minutes of a basketball game can unnerve teams enough to where they walk off a court with a loss.

Oshkosh West, though, did enough to hold on.

Despite scoring just five points in the final 5:45, the Wildcats did enough on the defensive end to earn a 66-62 win over Wausau East in a nonconference contest on Saturday afternoon at Oshkosh West High School.

And even though things seemed to get a bit harried for the Wildcats, the end result was never in question for some.

"I had faith in us to finish it out," said junior guard Dylan Taylor, who led the team with 16 points. "It was important that we finished it out. It was another win that we needed to get."

The win was the second victory in as many nights for the Wildcats, who edged Hortonville the night before.

Head coach Dan Weisse said he was happy to come out of the weekend with a 2-0 mark and likes the progress the team is showing, although he acknowledges his squad still has plenty to improve on.

"I'm really happy this week going 2-0. It wasn't pretty today by any means, but we found a way to win, which we haven't done before," Weisse said. "I don't want to say we are over the hump by any stretch of the imagination, but what I do see is our guys having a little grit to them, a little fight and some togetherness and that's been fun to watch."

Oshkosh West trailed only once in the game – the Wildcats were down 2-1 – although they weren't able to break free of the Lumberjacks in the first half.

West's biggest lead was eight points at 25-17 following a putback by Tristan Johanknecht but the Wildcats had six different players score in the opening stanza and were moving the ball well on offense. That led to West taking a 33-27 lead at intermission.

"I felt like we kept our energy up and were being smart with our possessions," Taylor said. "I feel like things are starting to click for us. We are playing very well as a team."

Weisse has noticed there is certainly more of a chemistry out on the floor compared to the start of the season.

"We were more in rhythm. Earlier in the year we were out of rhythm, but everything was new," Weisse said. "We certainly don't have it down and there is a lot we would like to do. But these seniors are doing a great job buying in and then our



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Oshkosh West's Noah Gelhar puts up a shot over a Wausau East defender on Saturday afternoon.

younger guys are doing a nice job coming along."

Devonte Kershaw opened the second half with a three-point play for West, which ignited a 10-1 run to push the lead to double figures.

West then scored eight straight points later in the half to take its biggest lead of the night. Kershaw and Noah Gelhar each hit 3-pointers and Kershaw added

another basket for a 61-44 lead with less than six minutes to play.

That's when things started to get a bit scary.

Wausau East rattled off 11 straight points to narrow the gap to six and then, following a Taylor free throw, scored off an offensive rebound with 1:53 remaining to narrow the margin to 62-57.

"We got a little casual. They got some

deflections, we took some haphazard shots and they made a couple of shots and made us pay for it," Weisse said. "You want to play to win the game and we lost that for that stretch and that got Wausau East back in the game."

A Johanknecht basket and driving layup by Taylor stemmed the tide for West, but the Lumberjacks answered with a 3-pointer to pull within six with less than a minute to play.

The Wildcats' defense stood firm and – despite missing two free throws – held off the Lumberjacks, who got a basket just before the buzzer for the final margin.

Taylor's 16 points – he also had six assists – marked the second straight game he scored in double figures and he led a quarter of West scorers with at least 10 points.

Johanknecht finished with 15 points and 14 rebounds, while Kershaw added 12 points and Gelhar chipped in 10.

"Dylan had a very good weekend and I hope he can continue that level of play," Weisse said. "I love balance. Our guys don't care who gets the points. At the end of the day if you have that, you could be on to something. It's going to take all of our guys anyway to be honest. It's never going to be one guy."

West's back-to-back wins will be tested Friday when the Wildcats rival Oshkosh North at the Oshkosh Arena on Friday night. The boys game is slated to tipoff at 8:15 p.m. after the girls contest.

The Spartans beat the Wildcats earlier this season and have won four of the last five meetings between the two teams.

"We have to get back to work on Monday and have a good week of practice and then we have the game with (North) on Friday," Taylor said. "We are looking forward to it."

Weisse is also looking forward to the rematch in part to see how far his team has come since the first meeting.

He credits North as being one of the best teams in the conference and can use the game as a measuring stick to see where his squad is at.

"They are playing very well and are a great team and I think we are playing better than the first time we saw them," Weisse said. "It's going to be exciting to play at the Oshkosh Arena and I think it's going to be a great atmosphere."

"We're just taking it one day at a time and hopefully we can get better from Monday through Thursday and see what happens on Friday night."



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Konop showcases moves in swimming, football

By Tim Froberg
HERALD CONTRIBUTOR

A swim move in football is a pass-rushing technique designed to get past blockers. As a left tackle protecting the quarterback's blind side, Owen Konop knows how to neutralize this particular move.

Konop has a swim move of his own off the gridiron – which he saves for the pool.

The Lourdes Academy senior is a skilled two-sport athlete who is one of the better swimmers in the Oshkosh area.

Konop consistently scores high points for the Oshkosh North/Lourdes swimming and diving team in the 200 individual

medley, 100 backstroke and 100 butterfly along with a pair of relays. He's seeking his first trip to the WIAA Division 1 state swim meet after placing seventh in both the 200 IM (2:08.55) and 100 freestyle (51.23) at last year's Neenah sectional.

He was also part of an eighth-place 400 free relay team and a 10th-place 200 free relay.

"I'd love to get there in any event, but it would mean the most if I was on a relay competing with my teammates," Konop said. "I'm more of a team guy. I'd rather work hard for a team instead of just myself. That's why I like football. You're working with the guys and within the element of a team."

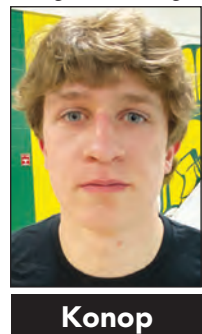
Konop has the skills and work ethic to close the season at the University of Wisconsin Natatorium, site of the state meet.

"Owen has a massive amount of talent and shows up to work hard," said North/Lourdes coach Ian Sewell. "When he's neck and neck with an opponent, you can expect Owen to put even more effort forward than you thought he even had."

"He's always up for any race I need him to swim and will compete the best he can."

Konop excels in the shorter races where speed is the top priority.

"I'm definitely a sprinter," Konop said. "My favorite race is the 50 free, but my best race is probably the 100 free. It's long enough where if I make a little mistake in the beginning, I can come back from that. If you make a mistake in the 50 free, you're done."



Konop

Senior Spotlight

Konop has also participated in club swimming for years as a member of the Oshkosh YMCA Dolphins (OSHY) swim team, competing in regional and national competitions.

"I was about 6 when I started club swimming," Konop said. "I stopped when I was a sophomore because I wanted to play football. You really can't do both. Club swimming is like eight or nine practices per week and then you have football practice on top of that. That just wasn't going to happen."

Konop was a two-way starter for the Lourdes football team as both an offensive lineman and linebacker.

"I'd say the only thing the two (sports) have in common is just the general fitness involved," Konop said. "If you can squat 500 pounds in the weight room, that doesn't mean you can swim. You can get a guy who might only be able to do half of that, yet he can still swim faster than the real powerful guy."

"But swimming is a very good conditioning sport for the body. It's a full body workout that uses the little muscle groups that you maybe wouldn't hit in the gym."

Konop will attend the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh next fall and major in business. He makes a splash in the classroom, too, carrying a 3.8 grade-point-average. Konop doesn't plan on continuing his athletic career in college and realizes his days as a competitive athlete are numbered.

"It's going to be a little weird not playing ball," Konop admits. "That's why I'd really like to get to state this winter. It's my senior year and that would be a good way to finish."



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Lourdes Academy senior Owen Konop is one of the leaders of the North/Lourdes swimming team this winter coming off a successful football season.

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North girls can't get going against Appleton East

By Steve Clark
OSHKOSH HERALD

Oshkosh North head coach Jayme Engen was hoping to carry some momentum from the program's first Fox Valley Association win since the 2018-19 season into last Friday's matchup with Appleton East.

Unfortunately for the Spartans, the Patriots were the team in charge from the opening tip.

Appleton East scored the first eight points of the game, built a 27-point half-time lead and handed Oshkosh North a 68-34 loss on its homecourt.

"We were just kind of out of sorts all night," Engen said. "I don't know where our head was at collectively, but we didn't

seem to be sharp in any area tonight. Credit East for their schemes and all of that, but we just really didn't seem like we came to play."

Engen admitted that there were some factors that may have affected the Spartans play.

North took the court without starting guard Emma Niemczyk, who missed the game because of injury, while the usual gameday schedule was thrown for a loop with Oshkosh North running on a different schedule for final exams.

There also could have been a bit of let-down following Tuesday's emotional 66-27 win over Appleton West, which ended a streak of 63 conference losses.

"We always want to be about no excuses so it's hard for me to put it on that stuff, but I think there were a couple of things that contributed to (our performance) or certainly played a role," Engen said. "But, at the end of the day, we know what this conference is all about and we have to be better."

After falling behind early, North did make a bit of a push midway through the first half cutting the Patriots' lead to 17-8 after two free throws by Ava Hanson and a basket from Hanorah Flanigan.

East never let the Spartans get any closer, hitting back-to-back 3s on the next two possessions to ignite a 22-2 run. The Patriots extended the advantage to 42-15 at halftime and remained in control the entire second half.

Flanigan, who got the start for the injured Niemczyk, finished with 11 points to lead the Spartans.

"Hanorah got a nice spot start tonight



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Oshkosh North's Isabella Lammey fights for control of the ball against a pair of Appleton East players Friday night.



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Oshkosh North's Hanorah Flanigan puts up a shot against Appleton East on Friday night.

and I really thought she developed," Engen said. "Her scoring ability is really coming along."

Flanigan was one of just four players to score in the game for the Spartans, who did not make a 3-pointer in the game and committed 20 turnovers.

Hanson added nine points and Mallory Ott finished with eight points and eight rebounds. Freshman Olivia Borowitz came off the bench to score six points to

round out the scorers.

"We are always looking for who is going to win those little court battles," Engen said. "Taking the positive steps for our depth and our bench is going to help us down the road."

Oshkosh North will be on the road for its next game, but it isn't too far of a trip. The Spartans will be facing Oshkosh West at the Oshkosh Arena on Friday night, with tip-off slated for 6:30 p.m.

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GIRLS BASKETBALL

Knights dominate in win over Fall River

Lourdes Academy held Fall River to just one field goal for the first 15 minutes and built a 32-point halftime lead en route to posting an easy 74-23 win over the Pirates in The Castle last Thursday.

The Knights opened the game with a 17-1 run and led 32-3 with less than four minutes left in the opening half. Delaney Ruedinger had 12 points and five assists in the opening half, while Hailee Bauer added 11 points.

Lourdes Academy would lead 42-10 at intermission and then opened the second half with an 18-2 run, with Bauer hitting back-to-back 3-pointers to highlight the outburst.

Eleven players scored in the game for the Knights with Bauer finishing with 21 points and Ruedinger added 15 points. Molly Moore was the next highest scorer for the Knights with seven points, while Charley Mullen, Aubrey Schettle and Ella Slusarski each scored six.

Powerhouse Randolph stifles Lourdes Academy

State-ranked Randolph stymied Lourdes Academy in their matchup at the Trailways Crossover event as the Rockets handed the Knights a 55-28 loss in Deerfield on Saturday.

The 28 points was the season low for the Knights and about half of what the team averages per game.

Addy Hafemeister led the Knights with seven points and Hailee Bauer finished with five.

Oshkosh West falls at Hortonville

The Wildcats were held to a season-low point total as they fell to Hortonville, 58-29, in a Fox Valley Association contest on Friday.

West shot just 13-of-44 from the field and were held without a 3-pointer in the game.

Grace Lenz led West with 12 points but was the lone player in double figures for the Wildcats. Paige Seckar was the next highest scorer with five.

BOYS BASKETBALL

Clark, Mitchell carry Spartans past Patriots

Steven Clark and Xzavion Mitchell combined for 49 points to lead the Spartans to a 63-59 win in a Fox Valley Associ-



Photo by Andy Ratchman
Lourdes Academy's Molly Moore goes up for a layup against Fall River last Thursday.

ation contest in Appleton on Friday night.

Clark went 4-of-6 from 3-point range and led the way with 25 points, while Mitchell added 24 points and 11 rebounds.

Bryce Ott was next highest scorer with six points for the Spartans, who have won four of their last five games.

Wildcats edge Polar Bears to end losing skid

Dylan Taylor scored 17 points to lead three players in double figures as Oshkosh West halted a three-game losing skid with a 60-57 win at home over Hortonville.

Taylor also added seven steals and five assists in the win.

Devonte Kershaw added 10 points, while Tristan Johanknecht finished with 10 points and six rebounds for the Wildcats, who went 7-of-11 from 3-point range in the game.

Knights drop home contest to Omro

Omro hit 11 3-pointers and held Lourdes Academy to just 16 points in the first half as the Foxes handed the Knights a 67-42 nonconference loss last Thursday.

Lourdes Academy scored only three points on a Dominic Bauer 3-pointer in

the first seven minutes but trailed just 12-7 after a Lucas Schettle basket with 10:23 left in the half. Omro, though, scored the next 11 points to take control and tallied the final eight points of the half to take a 34-16 lead at intermission.

JJ McKellips finished with 16 points to lead the Knights, but was the lone player in double figures. Schettle added nine points, while Bauer finished with six.

WRESTLING

Oshkosh West finishes 2-1 on busy night

The FVA Double Dual night saw Oshkosh West wrestling three dual meets with the Wildcats topping Fond du Lac (61-18) and Appleton West (56-24), while falling to Appleton North (40-39) on a tiebreaker.

Against Fond du Lac, West logged four pins and five forfeits in picking up the win. Lukas Schroeder (152), Jaiden Fronczak (160), Kieran Patrick (195) and Garth Martell (285) earned the pins, while Vincent Bird (182) and Nelson Fournier (220) also picked up contested victories.

In the win over Appleton West, Michael Mueller (126), Ryland Schneider (138), Fronczak (160), Juan Heredia (182) and Martell all won by pin, while Edwyn Schroeder (132) won by technical fall and Zach Bartels (152) earned a decision win. The Wildcats also picked up three forfeits.

West won four of the final five matches to rally from an early deficit against Appleton North, but came up just short of earning the win.

Back-to-back pins by Schroeder and Schneider got West on the scoreboard, while Bartels also earned a pin to lead the Wildcats trailing by nine. After a Lightning win at 160 pounds, Fronczak at 170 pounds, Bird and Patrick rattled off three straight pins as West took a 36-33 lead.

Appleton North won by pin at 220 pounds before Martell beat Calvin Greenslade, 7-2, at heavyweight to tie the score.

North drops both matches at double dual

Oshkosh North ran into two of the top teams in the FVA at last Thursday's double dual in Kimberly and lost to Kaukauna (81-0) and Neenah (69-12).

The Spartans posted two wins against the Rockets and both victories came by pin.

Caleb McKay stopped Preston Hella in 4:53 at 138 pounds, while Hunter Gruse collected a win against Zach Kramp in 4:45 at 170 pounds.

Spartans take ninth at New London invite

Jonathon Burk earned a second-place finish to lead Oshkosh North at the 16-team New London Invitational.

Burk took second at 126 pounds, winning a one-point decision in the first round before pinning De Pere's Paden Clarke in 1:32 in the semifinals.

Brayden Clark went 2-2 to finish fourth at 182 pounds, while Anthony Berger (113) and Jonathon Molash (132) were each fifth. Other wrestlers to place for the Spartans were Caleb McKay (145) took sixth, Ben Boelter (152) took seventh and Owen Stephany (285) took eighth.

Carpenter claims title at Valders Scramble

Lourdes Academy/Valley Christian's Mason Carpenter went 4-0 and claimed the 132-pound title at the Valders Scramble on Saturday.

Carpenter pinned his first opponent in 1:28 and then won his next three matches by a combined 42-4 margin.

Hunter Stelzer went 3-2 with three pins and finished fifth at heavyweight, while Riley Zernzsch (182) and Remington Force (195) each finished sixth.

BOYS HOCKEY

Koeppen's hat trick sparks Ice Hawks' victory

Isaiah Koeppen tallied a hat trick and the Oshkosh Ice Hawks held a pair of three-goal leads before holding on to beat Waupun 6-5 last Thursday.

Koeppen scored the Ice Hawks' first three goals as Oshkosh took a 3-0 lead early in the second period but Waupun came back to knot the game at 3 heading into the third period.

Alex Beck scored to put Oshkosh back on top to start the third period and the Ice Hawks extended the advantage to 6-3 with Winston Knobloch scoring one goal and Beck adding another. Waupun scored the next two goals but that was as close as they would get.

Knobloch and Reid Polak each added two assists in the win, while Gage Bauer made 21 saves.

SWIMMING

Bergin posts win to lead West at Neenah invite

Caleb Bergin sped to a win in the 100-yard freestyle to lead the way for Oshkosh

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West, which finished comfortably in second place in the seven-team meet.

Bergin won the race by about half-second, while teammate Caden Moon finished fourth.

West also had two finishers in the top eight in the 100-yard individual medley with Connor Yakes taking sixth and Isaac Palomaki in seventh and in the 50-yard butterfly where Palomaki tied for fifth and Bergin was eighth.

Other top finishers for the Wildcats were: Yakes, third in the 50-yard backstroke; and Carter Crowe, fifth in the 50-yard freestyle.

West placed third in both the 200-yard medley and 200-yard freestyle relays as well as the 100-yard medley relay.

Oshkosh North/Lourdes Academy finished fifth in the meet and was led by Rusty Everhard, who took second in the

50-yard backstroke.

Trip Kujawa in the 100-yard freestyle and Owen Konop in the 25-yard freestyle were each fifth, while Sawyer Sharratt placed sixth in the 50-yard breaststroke.

North/Lourdes took second in the 100-yard freestyle relay, third in the 100-yard medley relay and fifth in the 200-yard freestyle relay.

West, North/Lourdes compete at invitational

Oshkosh West finished fifth and Oshkosh North/Lourdes Academy took eighth at the Appleton North invitational on Friday.

The Wildcats were led by Caleb Bergin, who took third in the 200-yard freestyle and Caden Moon, who was fifth in the 100-yard freestyle. Other individuals in the top eight were: Connor Yakes, seventh in the 200-yard individual medley and 100-yard backstroke; Bergin, seventh in the 100-yard butterfly; Isaac Palomaki, eighth in the 100-yard butterfly; and Carter Crowe, eighth in the 100-yard breaststroke.

West was also fourth in the 200-yard freestyle relay, fifth in the 400-yard freestyle relay and seventh in the 200-yard medley relay.

Topping the list of finishers for North/Lourdes was Owen Konop with a fourth-place finish in the 100-yard butterfly. Dylan Anderson was seventh in the 500-yard freestyle and Sawyer Sharratt was seventh in the 100-yard breaststroke for North/Lourdes.

North/Lourdes also finished seventh in both the 200-yard and 400-yard freestyle relays.

Winnebago ice report

By Jim Nobbe
PAYNE'S POINT HOOK AND SPEAR FISHING CLUB

As of Sunday I am finding an average of 9 to 12 inches of ice on the lake in the areas out from Payne's Point Hook and Spear Fishing Club. I found that there is a working crack that runs north-northeast from Blackbird Island. It crosses where the clubs tree line would be at 1.9 miles out from the clubhouse.

I was out just under 5 miles from the clubhouse traveled north about a mile

from where the tree line would be, I found more old shove ice to the north. Most of it was melted down pretty good making travel easy.

I traveled south almost to south Asylum Bay out in the middle of the lake. Travel was easy. No major shove ice or cracks.

I suggest ATV, UTV or snowmobile travel at this time.

I will do my best to keep updates posted as conditions change. Remember, the ice is never 100% safe.



Obituaries

Carole J. Tyers

Carole J. Tyers, age 89, passed away at Oakwood Manor on Saturday, January 7, 2023. She was born to the late Harold and Elda (Kieckhafer) Miller on December 23, 1933, in Oshkosh. Carole married Larry Tyers in 1956 in Oshkosh; they were together until his passing in 2004. Carole enjoyed knitting and reading.

Carole is survived by her children, Donna (Jeff) Marineau, Thomas (Terri) Tyers, Laurie (Darin) Duffy, and Lisa (David) Herbst; grandchildren, Christin and Jennifer Marineau, John, Rebecca, Matthew, and Jami Tyers, Zackery, Ryan,

and Erin Duffy, Beau, Dallas, and Kaitlyn Herbst; 19 great-grandchildren; brother, Larry (Betsey) Miller; brother-in-law, Patrick (Jackie) Tyers; nieces, Darcie and Jodie Miller and Dani and Tara Tyers.

In addition to her husband and parents, Carole was preceded in death by her sister-in-law, Barbara Tyers.

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Nancy L. Trapp

Nancy L. Trapp, age 88 of Oshkosh, passed away peacefully with family around her at Bella Vista on January 11, 2023. She was born at home in the Town of Warren to the late Orville and Erma (Farvour) Coe on September 27, 1934. Nancy was united in marriage on October 9, 1954 to Gordon Trapp and had three children.

She worked as an office manager at Thorpe Finance as well as at the Fisk Co-Op (FS). Most recently, she worked at Speed Queen in order entry. Nancy was a member of Algoma Boulevard United Method-



ist Church. With her very giving heart, she used her talent for quilting and knitting by donating countless quilts and blankets throughout her lifetime. She found great joy in flowers and gardening, bowling and horseback riding. She loved baking, especially cookies, and shared them with family and friends wherever she went.

Nancy is survived by her children: Keith (Debbie) Trapp, Mark (Heidi) Trapp, and Patti (Gary) Luckow; grandchildren: Michelle (Mark) Garfoot, Christy (Chad) Neumaier, Travis (Lucia) Trapp, and Rebecca (Jason) Springborn; great grandchildren: Jonathon, Alayna, Logan N, Olivia, Brielle and Logan T; siblings: Wayne (Jean) Coe, Shari (Dave) Dykstra; sisters-in-law: Bev Coe and Barb Coe; nieces and nephews: Cindy (Mike) Schaefer, Sandy

(Darrin Boyle) Coe, Brian (Holly) Zuge, Stephanie Zuge, Kathy (Dan) Schmidtk.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 58 years, Gordon Trapp; stepson: Wayne Trapp; brothers: Mick Coe and Eugene Coe.

A funeral service for Nancy was held on Monday, January 16, 2023 at Konrad-Behlman Funeral Home-Westside, 100 Lake Pointe Drive.

The Trapp family would like to thank the staff and nurses of Moments Hospice, especially Heather, Erin, Sophie and Sydney for the loving care provided to Nancy during her most difficult times. Thank you to Jessica for always making our little lady look and feel her best!



to always make you laugh and put a smile on your face will never be forgotten.

Brian left us far too soon and will be deeply missed by his/ family.

Brian is survived by his wife of 32 years, Sally; their son, Ryan; mother-in-law, Janet Volkman; brother-in-law, Greg (Gina) Volkman; brother-in-law, Gary (Amy) Volkman; sister-in-law, Sue (Dean) Highland; brother-in-law, Gordy Volkman; sister-in-law, Sandy (Joe) Huerta; special niece, Stephanie Tiffany and many other nieces and nephews, cousins and aunts.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brother, Randall and sister, Patricia.

A private gathering has been arranged for immediate family.

Brian E. Hoeft

Brian E. Hoeft, age 60, passed away unexpectedly on January 4, 2023. He was born Oct. 30, 1962 to the late Ralph and Janet (Bahr) Hoeft.

Over the years Brian worked at various manufacturing jobs. He enjoyed watching the Packers and many other sports. He enjoyed fishing with his son, music and trying a new restaurant. Brian really enjoyed being with his family and their beloved dog, Porter. Brian was so proud of his son and loved him so much. His ability



Dennis A. Elmer

Dennis A. Elmer, age 75, died on January 5, 2023 at St. Luke's Medical Center in Milwaukee, WI. He was born on September 2, 1947 to Orin and Cerella Elmer and grew up in Oshkosh.

After graduating from Oshkosh High School in 1965 he briefly attended the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh and then enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1969. After basic training at Fort Knox, KY he was stationed in Bamberg, Germany. He enjoyed his deployment to Germany and used his off-duty time to travel throughout Germany and other parts of Europe. After his discharge from the Army, he returned to Oshkosh.

He became the CEO of Johnson Foods, Inc., a wholesale food distributor and manufacturer of potato chips. JFI closed its operation in 1992 and Dennis then started his own food brokerage business which was subsequently purchased by C.A. Fortune Co. of Chicago. Dennis continued his career with C.A. Fortune and ultimately retired in 2012.

Dennis was active in Oshkosh civic life. He was a founding member of the South-west Rotary Club, a member of the Aviation Advisory Board for EAA, and a member of the Board of Directors for Valley Bank/M&I Bank-Oshkosh, the Paine Art Center, the Oshkosh Country Club, and

the Oshkosh Power Boat Club. He was also heavily involved with the Oshkosh Area United Way and led two successful annual fundraising campaigns.

In his personal life, Dennis married Jeanne Baivier in 1978 and they had a daughter, Annie. He was happiest anytime he was with "his girls" and family vacations to Door County and Hawaii held a special place in his heart. Dennis also loved golf. His Sunday morning golf game with his best friends was always the highlight of his week (especially drinks on the 19th hole) - and he had the opportunity to attend a practice round for The Masters, which was an unforgettable experience for him.

Dennis was a loyal and devoted husband, father, brother, and friend. He had the best laugh and sense of humor, he was thoughtful beyond measure, and he wanted nothing more than to make people feel cared for and loved.

Dennis is survived by his wife Jeanne, his daughter Annie, his sister Sherra, and his beloved dogs Gus, Gracie, and Sadie, who was extra special to him.

A celebration of his life will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2023 from 4-7pm at The Waters in Oshkosh.

A memorial has been established to support the Tri-County Dental Clinic and the Taking Root Fund at the Oshkosh Area Community Foundation.

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Ek, Maureen Carroll, Fr. Michael Thiel, John Thiel, Laura Bhatia, David Carroll, Alex Carroll, Kelly Wedge, Kyle Bender and Amy Kaley; and eight great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas A. Carroll; a brother, John Kearin; and two sisters: Mildred Murray and Mary McMahon.

Visitation will take place from 5:00 until 8:00 pm, with a prayer service and eulogy at 7:30, on Wednesday, January 18th at Konrad-Behlman Funeral Home, 100 Lake Pointe Drive, Oshkosh. There will be visitation at the church on Thursday, January 19th from 9:00 am until the time of service. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place at 11:00 am on Thursday, January 19th at St. Raphael Catholic Church, Oshkosh. Burial will be at Riverside Cemetery in Oshkosh.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Raphael's Catholic Church of Oshkosh or to Parkinson's Research.

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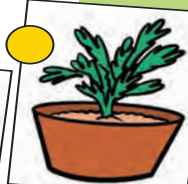
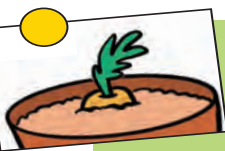
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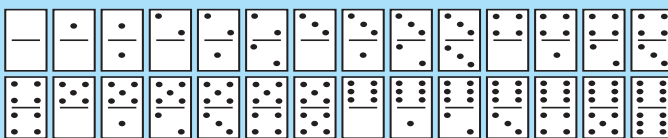
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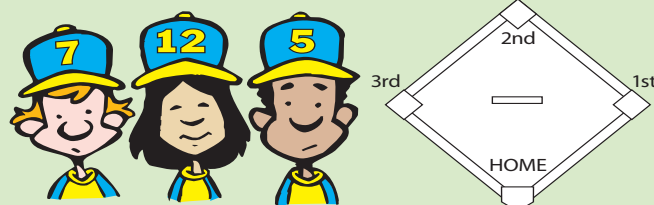
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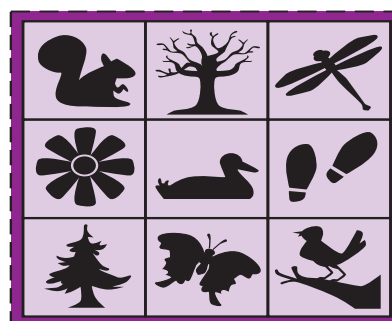
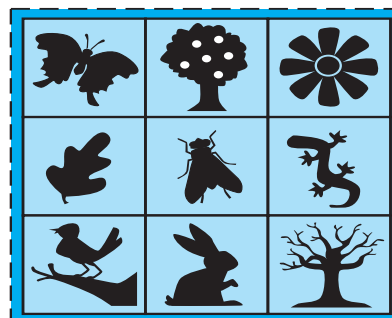
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