



## Tragedy strikes Barron Four Candidates vie for two seats on School Board area farm

On Saturday, March 24, 2018, at 7:49 p.m., the Barron County Sheriff's Department received a 911 call from 671 17 1/2 Street south of Barron, stating two males were trapped in a silo that collapsed.

Deputies from the Barron County Sheriff's Department, along with the Dallas Ambulance, Gold Cross Ambulance, Barron Fire Department and two Life Link Helicopters were all dispatched to the scene.

Initial investigation shows three males were working inside a silo when there was an internal collapse of silage. One male escaped and called

911 with the other two males becoming trapped.

The Fire Department utilized thermal imaging devices and portable extrication equipment to free the victims, and life saving efforts were attempted, but both subjects were deceased at the scene.

Victims were a father and son, Daniel Briel, 51 and David Briel, 14.

"Our thoughts and prayers go out to the Briel family and special thanks goes out to all the emergency responders, family and friends that came to the scene to help and support each other," stated Sheriff Fitzgerald.

## Sheriff releases report on unidentified remains

An initial report has been given to the Barron County Sheriff's Department from the University of North Texas Center for Human Identification Forensic Anthropology Unit regarding the bones recovered on December 3, 2017, south of Barron.

A profile has been built and the bones are likely from a white, or possibly Asian, male between the ages of 35 to 55, about 5'4 or 5'8". The subject also had a gunshot wound to the head area.

The next steps, over the next couple of months, will be to file and remove DNA and upload the information to the Unidentified Humans Remains Index and the CODIS Missing Persons Data Base. This will be completed by this same unit in Texas.

At this time the Barron County Sheriff's Department has no missing person cases in the county and will wait for results to come back from the DNA analysis.

There are two seats open on the Cumberland School Board this year. Current Board President, Don Horstman is retiring after 20 years of service on the

Board, and Jennifer Olson Hyatt is running for re-election. In addition to Hyatt, three other candidates have also placed their hats into the ring, Police Chief

Rick Rieper, Barry Ranallo, Vice President at US Bank, and CHS graduate Dylan Broome.

In order to help the voters make an informed de-

cision, we sent out a set of questions to each candidate. Here are their answers. The candidates are listed in the order their responses were received.



**Jennifer Olson Hyatt**  
*Tell us a little about yourself and your life in the Cumberland School District.*

I'm Jennifer Olson Hyatt, and I'm excited to be running again for Cumberland School Board.

Thank you for the opportunity to share a bit about myself.

I had the good fortune to grow up in Cumberland, where I had many opportunities to excel as a student and an athlete. I graduated from CHS (Class of '89), then went on to UW-Milwaukee, where I played Division I volleyball and did undergraduate work in English, Linguistics and Education, after which, I earned an MBA from the Universi-



**Barry Ranallo**  
*Tell us a little about yourself and your life in the Cumberland School District.*

I was born and raised in the Cumberland School District. I currently work at Cumberland Federal Bank and have since 2009. After graduating high school in 2005, I attended UW-La Crosse and earned a degree in finance and economics. It was always my intent to move back to Cumberland and at the time of my graduation I jumped on the opportunity to move back and work in Cumberland. My wife, Michele, currently works at Cumberland Healthcare as a Registered Nurse. We have three kids ages six, three, and one.



**Dylan Broome**  
*Tell us a little about yourself and your life in the Cumberland School District.*

I'm Dylan Broome and I am a Cumberland Alumni since 2015. I live a little outside of Cumberland in McKinley. I love running within the city limits but also love to enjoy the outside perimeter of Cumberland. I am 21 years old have been a resident in Cumberland for that long! I love the atmosphere of Cumberland and I love our festivities within the summertime!

**Why the School Board? Why now?**

Why am I running for school board and why now? Because I believe that Wis-



**Rick Rieper**  
*Tell us a little about yourself and your life in the Cumberland School District.*

As a lifelong resident of the Cumberland School District (CHS Class of 1984) I am grateful for the investment the residents of Cumberland have made to the Cumberland Schools.

As a former graduate, I am forever grateful for the community and our school system and the opportunities that are provided to our children. I believe as a resident of this community I have vested interest in the community and our youth.

I believe my professional background makes me uniquely qualified to be

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## Improvements coming to Islander Park

The Cumberland School District is proud to announce some awesome new additions to beautiful Island Park.

Two new tennis and pickle ball courts, along with new playground equipment will soon be available for the public to enjoy.

Through some generous donations from Cumberland Kiwanis and United Fund of Cumberland, Islander Park will have some great additions. The new facilities will be enjoyed by the school, but the majority of use is expected to come from community members. In addi-

tion to pickle ball and tennis, basketball hoops will also be installed on both ends of the court. There is also room for future growth with possibilities of walking paths and lighting for the entire Island Park.

Work will get underway as soon as the weather permits with the project set to take approximately two months.

Though the entire project is not quite paid for, they are very close. Final approval of the project will come at the April School Board meeting. Look for more details of the project in the near future.

## Islander Park Plan



This architects rendering of the improvements coming to Islander Park shows the location of the new tennis and pickle ball courts.

**Don't Forget to**

# VOTE!

**Tuesday, April 3, 2018**





# Library Happenings

Spring flowers may not be blooming in Cumberland, but the spring sap is flowing. One can see many maple trees being tapped and smell the smoke of sugar shacks processing the syrup in every corner of our community. Harvesting Wisconsin’s first crop of the year has become an enjoyable spring tradition for many families.

Within our library, another sign of spring is National Library Week (NLW). This week is dedicated to celebrating the services libraries and the staff/volunteers provide. This year’s theme is “Libraries Lead” and NLW takes place the week of April 8. Monday will kick off the week with an adult coloring activity. This relaxing and social event will start at 10:00 AM in the Carnegie Room; refreshments and all the needed coloring materials will be provided. Tuesday will host “Magic of Dr. Seuss” youth event at 6:30 PM. (This special event was canceled a few weeks ago due to a snowstorm.) Thursday, April 12 will bring in Author David Tindell. He will introduce his newly released book *Quest for Vengeance* at 6:30 PM. On Friday, Friends of the Library will hold an open house from 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM; they will promote the Friends of the Library organization while serving cake and coffee. During this same day at 12:00 PM, Mrs. Marueen Slayton will be drawing the winner of the highly sought after nature themed quilt that she and her husband created and donated. (Please stop in to purchase a \$2 raffle ticket to win this quilt. All proceeds will support library programming.) An Amazon Fire 7 Tablet and other door prizes will be drawn during this time too. In addition to the scheduled events, the traditional Student Art Show will take place throughout

the library during this time. These beautiful and creative works of art were created by the Cumberland High Students.

The Delta Kappa Gamma (DKG) organization is partnering with area medical clinics to promote and strengthen youth and family literacy through the REACH OUT AND READ program. DKG Volunteers are raising funds to support the purchase of youth books and other expenses. Information about the DKG program along with their Power of the Purse and quilt fundraiser can be viewed in display cabinets near the library door. Library patrons are encouraged to purchase DKG quilt raffle tickets at the circulation desk.

In celebration of April is National Poetry Month, a special poetry reading event will take place on Thursday, April 26 at 6:30 PM. This event has been named “An Evening of Poetry and Pie” and it is open to community members of all ages. Readers of various professions, backgrounds, and ages will share their favorite poems and a pie social will follow.

A special shout of “Thanks” goes out to high school youth who come to the library on a weekly schedule to enjoy the game of Magic-The Gathering. These students who are also in the CHS Drama Club, joined other students to put on the musical *“The Little Mermaid”* at the ETC. Their spectacular show was sold out at every performance! For the many community members who didn’t have an opportunity to see this musical, we hope to receive a DVD recording of their entertaining performance to play on the big screen at a future library event. These talented students put on an amazing show!



Stop by the Post Office Friday, March 30 for cake and coffee and to wish Betty a happy retirement. In talking to Betty she says she will miss co-workers and customers but not working on Saturday. She is looking forward to camping and spending time with grandchildren.

# Nominations Sought for Wisconsin Home Health Care Nurse of the Year

*Colleagues, patients and families are encouraged to nominate home health care nurses for extraordinary service*

Nurses play a critical role on the team of home health care providing patient care. To recognize nurses for their significant contribution in offering patients with access to high quality and cost-effective health care, the Wisconsin Association for Home Health Care is now accepting nominations for its 2018 Wisconsin Home Health Care Nurse of the Year.

Home health care nurses show compassion using empathy when working with patients and families. They provide quality care using evidence based practice. They show accountability towards life-long learning. They also demonstrate a culture of patient safety and professionalism through collaboration with the health team.

The annual award is designed to recognize the outstanding skills and contributions of individual Wisconsin home health care nurses who are the heart of patient care. Recognizing an individual nurse allows WiAHC to honor nurses and their profession. Candidates for the award are individuals who have demonstrated excellence in the delivery of quality care.

The 2018 award recipient and nominees will be honored at the WiAHC Annual Meeting on Thursday, June 7, 2018 at the Heidel House Resort and Spa in Green Lake, WI. The awards presentation is part of the WiAHC Spring Conference.

Nominations are being accepted through April 6, 2018. Visit the website to nominate a home health care nurse today. [www.wiahc.org](http://www.wiahc.org)

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## SCHOOL LUNCH

Menus subject to change

Lunch menu includes assorted fresh vegetables, fresh fruit, and 1/2 pt. milk.

Salad bar served each day as an alternate. Free & Reduced applications are available at the school office.

Thurs: Mar. 29: Sub sandwich on a whole wheat bun, lettuce/mayo, Sun Chips, baked beans, fruit salad.

Fri., March 29 and Monday, April 2 NO SCHOOL

### Easter

Tues., April 3: Hamburger or cheeseburger on whole wheat bun, diced potatoes, baked beans, peaches.

Wed., April 4: ES: Popcorn chicken; MS/HS: Chicken teriyaki, stir fry vegetables, rice and chow mein noodles, bread, pineapple.

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## CUMBERLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS

### Upcoming Events

Friday, March 30th & Monday, April 2nd  
NO SCHOOL DISTRICT WIDE • Easter Break

Tuesday, April 3rd  
5 pm • Softball vs. Shell Lake • Islander Park

### Community Ed Classes

### Yoga

Pam Baker, Instructor

New 6 Week Session begins on March 29th

No Class on April 5 and April 26

Thursdays • 5 pm • \$40/6 wk session/\$8 one session

CHS Room #202 at the top of the stairs

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### Everything You Need to Know About Wild Mushrooms 101

Tavis Lynch, Instructor • Tavis a Cumberland native and local owner of a shitake, oyster mushroom, and wine cap farm is a certified expert by the Minnesota Department of Agriculture

Wed. & Thurs. • April 9 & 10 • 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Cumberland Middle School • Cost: \$20 for both nights

Register is required by contacting: Susan Bridger, CCE Director, 715-822-5121 ext. 403 [sbrid@csdmail.com](mailto:sbrid@csdmail.com)

### COUNTRY LINE DANCING

For Beginners and Those With Experience...

Rich & LeeAnn Borseth, Instructors

Classes will begin on Wed., April 18-Wed., May 23 6:30-7:30 p.m. • Elementary School Commons

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Northwoods Notebook:  
Winter's over; it's time for  
some barbecue and bluegrass

By Larry Werner

As I write this, I'm sitting on the porch of a home we rent in Florida, looking out at some palm trees, and thinking about the drive back to Cumberland. I've mentioned in this space a few times before that we spend a month in a community called The Villages that is built for old folks who want to stay active playing golf and pickleball and swimming in one of the 80 or so pools.

That's what they do during the day here, but at night, they head for the town squares, where there is live music every day of the year. I played one round of golf and spent some time in the pool, but it's the music I love, and I'll miss going to the square to hear bands almost every evening.

Fortunately, we'll be able to hear one of my favorite bands – The Stringsmiths – shortly after our return. On April 14, the Cumberland Fine Arts Center will be rocking at 7, after a barbecue dinner served at 6 by Vickie Komarek, owner of Peter & Annie's. Tickets are available at Vickie's place for \$22, if you want dinner and the concert, or \$12, just for the show.

You can order them by calling the ETC reservation

line – 715-822-2787.

Since moving to Cumberland four years ago, I've been involved with our arts council doing promotion and producing events. The first event I did was the first Barbecue & Bluegrass in the winter of 2015. I had done a few such events in Lakeville, Minn., which also had converted an old Catholic church into an arts center. The combination of good food and down-home music went well there, and I was confident it would here.

I needed someone to serve up pulled pork, baked beans and coleslaw, and Vickie agreed to do the food. Then I needed a bluegrass band, and someone gave me Chris Landstrom's cell number. Chris was driving truck at the time, and I caught him as he was pulling off one of those highway scales. He said yes, and we had what we needed for what I billed as "hot music for a cold night."

We filled the arts center for that event and a few more times we combined music with food at ETC. Last April, we did bluegrass without barbecue when The Stringsmiths did a concert to celebrate the release of their first CD. That event,

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Secure Drug Drop Off Box



From left Cumberland Healthcare CEO Mike Gutsch, Cumberland Police Chief Rick Rieper and Barron County Sheriff Chris Fitzgerald with the new safe medicine drop box located in the Cumberland Clinic lobby.

Secure Drug Drop off Box for Unused Medicines Now Available at Cumberland Healthcare

Cumberland Healthcare is constantly striving to meet the needs of our community and is proud to

announce a safe medicine disposal box located in the Cumberland Clinic Lobby.

Cumberland Healthcare partnered with Barron County Sheriff, Chris Fitzgerald and Cumberland Chief of Police, Rick Rieper to add the Cumberland Clinic as a secure drop off location for unused medications. Community members may bring in their unused prescription medicines

(both controlled and uncontrolled), prescription ointments, patches, pet medications, vitamins, and over the counter medications to drop off at a kiosk in the clinic waiting room.

"We are doing this in an effort to make it easier for the community to safely dispose of their unused medications," said Mike Gutsch, CEO of Cumberland Healthcare. "The

drug drop box is placed in a secure location and open during clinic hours Monday through Friday 8 am to 5 pm and Saturday 8 am to 11:30 am".

Cumberland Healthcare is an independent, not-for-profit; community based rural healthcare facility providing a full spectrum of services to all ages, every step of the way.

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	5			2	6			7
8			1			9		2
6					2			3
		9				8		
4			7					1
2		7			3			4
5			4	8			3	
		8		9		6		5

# IN THE CROWD

- ACROSS**

1 Floating, perhaps

5 Arctic dwellers

10 Bring down the house

14 Shut up

15 Accustom

16 Auspices: Var.

17 Novice: Var.

18 Hoisted, nautically

19 Certain raptors

20 For one thing

23 Doctor's order

24 Damage

25 Shiny on top?

29 Gawk

34 Is into

38 Intimidate

39 Postal scale unit

40 Sooner or later

44 Grafting shoot

45 Artist's asset

46 Flower holder

47 Like some carpets

49 Sots' spots

51 Called the shots

53 Philip, to Camilla
- DOWN**

1 At the breakfast table

2 Angler's gear

3 Our "mother"

4 Ho hello

5 Page (through)

6 Con

7 Feline vibrato?

8 Geometrical solid

9 Of an anatomical partition

10 Stagger

11 Indian tourist stop

12 Brass component

13 Latin infinitive

21 Decline

22 86 is a high one

26 Be in a cast

27 Drawing

28 Dork

30 Ballpark figure

31 Jersey, e.g.

32 Cap

33 Abound

34 Univ. paper

35 Mark of a ruler

36 Greek earth goddess: Var.

37 Kind of alert

41 Fish

42 Shag rug

43 Robert Burns's "Whistle \_\_\_\_ the Lave O't"

48 Approvals

50 "My dear man"

52 Cow

54 Jocks' antitheses

55 A Bush

56 Book of maps

57 Watery parts of milk

58 In doubt

59 "O Sanctissima," e.g.

60 Branch headquarters?

61 Bridge site

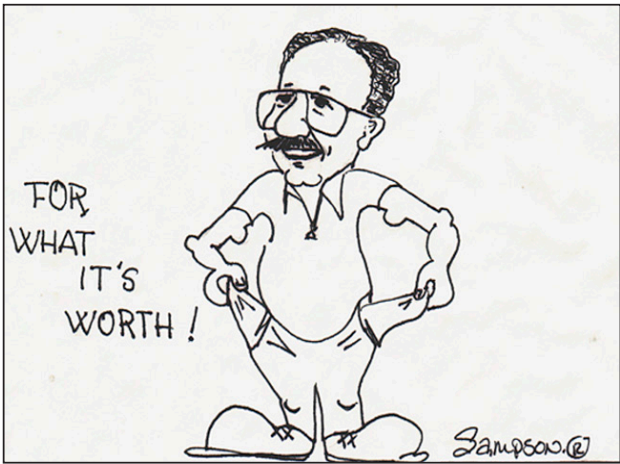
62 \_\_\_\_-en-scène

63 Case

64 Common past participle



Opinion



By Craig Bucher

We have had another incident of a police officer shooting an unarmed black man. This incident happened in Sacramento, California. The usual aftermath is now playing out. Protesters on one side and officials, on the other side, pleading for peace until the investigation is completed. I am not sure how many of these types of situations have happened in the past year, but I do know that one is one too many. I have some thoughts on this type of tragedy. Both sides are in misery. One side lost an unarmed innocent person while the other side has yet another type of loss - that of trust and the potential loss of a career. I think that, if my son or daughter, was a police officer, I would want him or her to come home safe, after each shift. As I understand the Sacramento incident, the following is true - (1) It was dark. (2) The police were summoned because of a suspected burglary attempt. (3) The individual who was shot, raised his arm with what was later discovered to be a “toolbar,” not a gun. Whoops! Later reports say that police were summoned because reports of car vandalism and that the object was a cell phone, not a toolbar. There you go! What is true? The police claim they were afraid for their lives and thus justified in the shooting while others believe the police were unjustified in shooting. I am not sure how it will all turn out, but lives are forever severely damaged. Do you want to take the chance that it was a “toolbar” or a cell phone and not a gun? I also believe that every police officer in the country must be frightened when they head out to work. One never knows what armed “nut case” lurks just around the corner. That “nut case” could be in every corner in every town and in every city, both small and large. Our society just has too many guns available and that gives these misguided people more chances and ability to wreck havoc. Maybe the student led marches, this past Saturday, will be a catalyst toward meaningful gun law changes. I hope so! We don’t want innocent lives lost and all police officers want to return home safely after each day of work.

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!

LETTERS Editor

Help me be your last State Treasurer

Dear Wisconsin Voter,

I am the current Wisconsin State Treasurer and, with your help, will hopefully be our last state treasurer. I ask you to join me in voting yes on April 3rd in the statewide ballot to permanently eliminate the state treasurer’s office. I know it may seem odd to be advocating for the removal of the very position I hold, but the treasurer’s office has outlived its purpose and simply is no longer needed.

The office of the treasurer was established by the Wisconsin Constitution in 1848

and, while the position originally did hold a variety of duties, these were administrative in nature and have subsequently been transferred to other agencies to streamline government and increase efficiency.

You may think that our state government needs the treasurer as an official financial office, but in Wisconsin the state treasurer simply does not manage financial duties as these have been delegated to other agencies. For example, since 1968, the non-partisan Legislative Fiscal Bureau

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EASTER BLESSINGS



Inside Wisconsin by Tom Still

Most votes in the Legislature are bipartisan, even when the debate is not

MADISON, Wis. – In what may have been the closing bell for the current edition of the Wisconsin Assembly, lawmakers took on three bills that appeared fractious based on the debate leading up to votes on the floor.

Instead, all three passed with bipartisan support – in two cases, overwhelmingly so. Sending \$100 million to schools for security upgrades passed, 78-8; closing the state’s troubled youth prison sailed through, 90-0; and tax cuts aimed at families were endorsed, 59-31. All three need Senate approval.

So much sound and fury, yet relatively united votes at the finish line. What explains the relatively consensus close?

Recent history is a good part of the answer, according to legislative records. Beginning with the 2011-2012 legislative session and running through this spring, well over 90 percent of the 1,200-plus bills passed by the Assembly and Senate have garnered bipartisan votes. In fact, the lowest bipartisan approval rate for any one house was 89.5 percent in the Senate in 2011-2012 – and it was 89.5 percent.

The definition of “bipartisan” includes some bills that passed with only one vote from an opposing party, but the numbers are generally a reflection of the fact

that while lawmakers may strongly debate issues, they often come together at the end if there’s compromise somewhere along the way. It is more relevant when the economy is involved.

That was reflected in two bills, passed in the closing month of the session, important to the state’s emerging tech sectors.

The first was AB-489, which will lift the lifetime “ceiling” on investments in Qualified New Business Ventures that are eligible for state tax credits. Wisconsin’s credit program for early stage companies, known within the tech investment world as “Act 255,” was launched in 2005 with bipartisan support and has stimulated more than a half-billion dollars in private investment and the jobs that come with it.

The program provides tax credits to qualified Wisconsin investors who put money into young companies with some sort of technology base, even if the company is aligned with a more traditional sector such as manufacturing or agriculture.

It’s a rigorous vetting process that, once completed, earns the angel and venture capital equivalent of a “Good Housekeeping Seal of Approval” for young companies. Potential investors in Wisconsin often won’t consider companies that are not QNBV-certified

because they trust in the process enough to know it’s worth taking a closer look.

As time passed, however, some parts of the law aged. The update made by the Legislature, which awaits Gov. Scott Walker’s signature, raised the lifetime cap on credit-eligible investments in any single company from \$8 million to \$12 million.

The \$8 million cap had been in place since the early years of the law, and inflation alone suggested it should be raised. The cap posed a problem for many tech-based companies, especially those in health care or manufacturing, two capital-intensive sectors. The typical venture capital investment of 2005 is not the norm in 2018.

Primary sponsors for AB-489 were Rep. Mike Kuglitsch, R-New Berlin, and Sen. Tom Tiffany, R-Hazelhurst. This bill passed appropriate Assembly and Senate committees on unanimous votes before passing on a voice vote in the Assembly and 32-0 in the Senate.

The second bill was AB-897, which changed an archaic part of Wisconsin’s corporate law that charged a state fee on “paid-in” capital – essentially, venture and angel capital – raised by a certain class of young companies. Called foreign C Corporations, these companies are domestic firms

organized in another state but headquartered and producing goods and services in Wisconsin. Like AB-489, this bill was aimed at the Qualified New Business Venture companies that are usually pre-revenue.

Wisconsin stood virtually alone in charging the fee, which out-of-state investors viewed as at least an annoyance in putting money into young Wisconsin companies. The companies paying the fee saw it as a detriment to their growth, because it was money not put to work on business basics, such as hiring people or buying equipment.

The bill passed bipartisan Assembly and Senate committees on unanimous votes, as well as the full Assembly and Senate before being sent to Walker. Lead sponsors were Rep. Shannon Zimmerman, R-River Falls, and Sen. Howard Marklein, R-Spring Green.

Partisan debate is a necessary and valuable part of the legislative process because ideas should be fully vetted before becoming bipartisan law. That happens every day in the Legislature, where 10 ill-crafted bills never see the light of day for every solid proposal that passes.

Still is president of the Wisconsin Technology Council, which supported AB-489 and AB-897. He is the former associate editor of the Wisconsin State Journal.

A Look Back

10 Years Ago March 26, 2008

Lynn Morgan recently opened Mainstream Boutique, a clothing store for women with items you won’t find anywhere else. The store is located in the former Platinum Realty building.

For the past few weeks, voters in the Cumberland School District have been inundated with information on the upcoming referendum. Monday night approximately 130 people attended an informational meeting in the Middle School Commons and were able to directly ask the Cumberland Board of Education the questions that have been on their minds since the board decided to let the community decide whether or not a \$5.9 million referendum was feasible.

Among the questions were if the residents would be able to afford a new auditorium for the children of the school district, at the same time that the City of Cumberland wants to construct a new City Hall.

20 Years Ago March 25, 1998

A group of about 20 volunteers, organized by Don Gray, began the process of helping clear the land at the site of the new baseball field.

Cumberland High School will present this year’s school play, “You Can’t Take It With You,” beginning

at the Isle Theatre on April 2nd. Cast members are: Jared Lee, Ryan Avery, Vicki Ritchie, Kim Ricci, Sarah Hoffmann, Blake Talbot, Lindsay Krueger, Andy Gislason, Stephanie Pela, James Thunstrom, Bessie Clay, Mike Foley, Eric Rafko, Craig Rhode, Danielle Maxwell, Sarah Johns, Mindy Spencer, Ryan Kroells, Scott Wickland, Randy Barker, Shay Ullom, Mandy Welch and Erika Jensen. The play is under the direction of Mike Clay and student director Jeannine Seeger.

30 Years Ago March 30, 1988

In addition to the usual green grass and tulips a new convenience store will also be popping up in Cumberland this spring. Kwik Trip Stores, based in LaCrosse, will begin construction in the coming weeks of a 2,500 square foot facility on the corner of Highways 48 & 63.

On April 3 the cost of mailing a first class letter will rise to .25¢, according to Postmaster John Turba.

The CHS Drama Club will present its annual high school play on April 8 and 9 in the Elmer Beran Gym. The cast of this year’s play, “The Man Who Came to Dinner,” includes Andy Ricci, Brent Denoma, Jason Sweet, Adam Rhode, Brent Sirianni, Jim Ellis, Scott Bents, John Jackels, Shawn Klinkham-

mer, Kari Sampson, Amy Ricci, Kristin Belschner, Paul Wickre, Amy Gislason, Kelly Knutson, Laura Egstad, Jenny Olson, Laura Denoma, Nicky Mysicka, Todd Organ, Shawn Thomas, Brian Kastner, Janell Thompson, Troy Jacobson and assistant director Jeff Towberman.

40 Years Ago March 30, 1978

James Muench, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Muench, received the rank of Eagle Scout at the awards meeting held March 27th at the American Legion Hall. Eagle Scout Bob Boehm received a Bronze Palm, the next rank above Eagle. He is only the second Eagle Scout in the history of Troop 24 to receive this award.

Flames destroyed a mobile home, its contents, and an automobile parked near it on Wednesday, March 22, about 10:38 p.m. The home was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Borrman. Mr. Borrman was at home asleep, Mrs. Borrman was at work. Authorities said Mr. Borrman narrowly escaped from the structure before it was engulfed by flames.

Did you have any strange visitors last Wednesday evening? That’s not as odd as it may sound as a number of area residents, reported an unusual object in the skies that evening between 8:45

and 9:15 p.m. At least 11 observers in the McKinley area reported they had a “Good Look” at the object. According to one, the UFO was very large, possibly up to 150 yards in length. It had bright red lights that were round in shape. One observer thought it was about 1,000 feet in the air and all agreed it was traveling from northeast to southwest at a slow rate of speed. No noise was heard. Reports from the Twin Cities area indicated a number of reliable witnesses saw a UFO in the Scandia, MN. area that same evening about 9 :15 p.m. (Scandia is southwest of Cumberland).

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WEATHER

Date	Hi	Lo	Snow
3/21	31	11	-
3/22	36	11	-
3/23	41	13	-
3/24	39	14	-
3/25	38	21	-
3/26	39	21	0.8"
3/27	36	26	0.3"

Temperature and precipitation readings are taken at 7 a.m. for the previous 24 hours and are provided by the Cumberland Utility Office.







Sports

Spring Schedules

2018 Cumberland HS Track Schedule		
Tuesday, April 3	Spooner Invitational	4:00 pm
Friday, April 6	Packy Paquette Indoor	4:00 pm
Tuesday, April 10	at Webster	4:00 pm
Thursday, April 12	Siren	4:00 pm
Friday, April 13	HON Indoor	4:00 pm
Tuesday, April 17	Clear Lake Invitational	4:15 pm
Thursday, April 19	HON Meet at Chetek	4:30 pm
	Quad in Frederic (Split meet)	4:15 pm
Thursday, April 24	Shell Lake Invitational	4:00 pm
Thursday, April 26	HOME HON Quad	4:30 pm
Tuesday, May 1	Bloomer	4:00 pm
Thursday, May 3	Hayward HON Quad	4:30 pm
Tuesday, May 1	Bloomer	4:00 pm
Tuesday, May 3	Hayward HON Quad	4:30 pm
Tuesday, May 8	Colfax Invite	4:00 pm
Thursday, May 10	Northwestern HON Quad	4:40 pm
Tuesday, May 15	Conference Track at Bloomer	4:30 pm
Monday, May 21	WIAA Regional Track	3:45 pm
Thursday, May 24	WIAA Sectional Track (Medford)	TBA
June 1/ June 2	State Track Meet	TBA

Cumberland Boys Golf Schedule 2018		
Mon., April 9	at Chetek/Weyerhaeuser	4:00 pm
Wed., April 11	at Barron Invite	1:00 pm
Thurs., April 12	Home (Barron/NW)	4:00 pm
Mon., April 16	at Spooner	4:00 pm
Fri., April 20	at Ladysmith	4:00 pm
Mon., April 23	Home (C/W & Hayward)	4:00 pm
Fri., April 27	Varsity Bloomer/JV Hayward	1:00 pm
Mon., April 30	at Barron	4:00 pm
Fri., May 4	at Hayward	1:00 pm
Sat., May 5	at Hayward	9:00 am
Mon., May 7	Home (Spooner)	4:00 pm
Fri., May 11	at Bloomer	4:00 pm
Mon., May 14	HON JV Conf. at Barron	TBD
Weds., May 16	HON Varsity Conf. at Spooner	9:00 am
Tues., May 22	WIAA Regionals at Webster	9:00 am

Cumberland Girls Soccer Schedule 2018		
Tuesday, April 3	at Osceola	4:30 pm
Friday, April 6	at Phillips	4:30 pm
Tuesday, April 10	Home vs. B/W	4:30 pm
Thursday, April 12	Home vs. Amery	4:30 pm
Tuesday, April 17	at Spooner	4:30 pm
Thursday, April 19	at Hayward	4:30 pm
Tuesday, April 24	Home vs. New Richmond	4:30 pm
Friday, April 27	at Ashland	4:30 pm
Tuesday, May 1	Home vs. Osceola	4:30 pm
Thursday, May 3	Home vs. Somerset	4:30 pm
Tuesday, May 8	at Amery	4:30 pm
Thursday, May 10	Home vs. Spooner	7:00 pm
Friday, May 11	Home vs. Washburn	7:00 pm
Tuesday, May 15	at Baldwin/Woodville	4:30 pm
Thursday, May 17	at Regis	5:00 pm
Tuesday, May 22	Home vs. Hayward	4:30 pm
Thursday, May 24	at Somerset	4:30 pm
Thursday, May 31	WIAA Soccer Regional	TBA
Saturday, June 2	WIAA Soccer Regional	TBA
Thursday, June 7	WIAA Soccer Sectional	TBA

Cumberland Baseball Schedule 2018		
Tues., April 3	at St. Croix Falls	5:00 pm
Friday., April 6	at Ellsworth	5:00 pm
Mon., April 9	Home vs. New Richmond (C-Team)	5:00 pm
Tues., April 10	Home vs. Unity	5:00 pm
Thurs., April 12	Home vs. Baldwin/Woodville	5:00 pm
Tues., April 17	at Bloomer	5:00 pm
Sat., April 21	at Northwestern (DH)	11:00 am
Tues., April 24	Home vs. Hayward	5:00 pm
Thurs., April 26	at Chetek/Weyerhaeuser	5:00 pm
Friday, April 27	at Grantsburg	5:00 pm
Tues., May 1	Home vs. Chetek/Weyerhaeuser	5:00 pm
Friday., May 4	Home vs. Ladysmith (DH)	3:30 pm
Tues., May 8	Home vs. Bloomer	5:00 pm
Friday, May 11	Home vs. Spooner (DH)	3:30 pm
Sat., May 12	JV at Shell Lake	TBD
Tues., May 15	at Hayward	5:00 pm
Friday, May 18	at Barron (DH)	3:30 pm
Mon., May 21	Home vs. Webster	5:00 pm
Tues., May 22	at New Richmond (C Team)	5:00 pm

Cumberland Softball Schedule 2018		
Tuesday, April 3	Home vs. Shell Lake (No JV)	5:00 pm
Thursday, April 5	Home vs. Unity	5:00 pm
Friday, April 6	Mishicot at Mauston Tour.	2:30 pm
Saturday, April 7	Phillips at Mauston Tour.	9:30 am
Saturday, April 7	Shiocton at Mauston Tour.	1:00 pm
Tuesday, April 10	at St. Croix Falls	5:00 pm
Saturday, April 14	at Boyceville Tour. (2)	10:00 am
Tuesday, April 17	Home vs. Ladysmith	5:00 pm
Thursday, April 19	Home vs. Bloomer	5:00 pm
Saturday, April 21	Home vs. Northwestern (DH)	11:00 am
Tuesday, April 24	at Hayward	5:00 pm
Thursday, April 26	Home vs. Chetek/Weyerhrs	5:00 pm
Friday, April 27	Home vs. Cameron (No JV)	5:00 pm
Tuesday, May 1	Home vs. Barron	5:00 pm
Thursday, May 3	at Ladysmith	5:00 pm
Friday, May 4	Home vs. Frederic	4:30 pm
Tuesday, May 8	at Bloomer	5:00 pm
Thursday, May 10	Home vs. Hayward	5:00 pm
Saturday, May 12	at Spooner (DH)	11:00 am
Tuesday, May 15	Home vs. Chetek/Weyerhrs	5:00 pm
Thursday, May 17	at Barron	5:00 pm
Tuesday, May 22	WIAA Regionals	TBA 5:00 pm

New Girls Soccer Co-Op!



Barron-Cumberland Girls soccer will be led by seniors (Front row left to right): managers Asiah Banks and Dakota Willers, Elaina Bruno, Skyler Ruetz, Grace Donica, Maren Mueller, Lexi Brunkow, Payton Sprague, Krista Lien, Emily Pintens, Rachel Peterson, Ashley Nedland, Rylee Riewestahl, Clara Babler and (not pictured Kristin Bajak).

Girls Co-Op Soccer Team is up and running

by Head Coach Jeff Rousselow

The girls soccer team is up and running after its first full week of practice. The Barron girls are in the first season of a co-op with the Cumberland Beavers.

We knew about this co-op for about a year and a half so the girls have been getting together playing “pick up” games, were in a U18 league last fall together, and have been in a few indoor tournaments together also. It is nice the girls from both schools have been getting together so frequently already. A lot of them now already have a familiarity with each other.

Due to a very large senior class, a big incoming freshman class, and the girls

from Cumberland the team will be the largest it has ever been. It looks like we will have about 34 girls on the team this year. Last year we had 17, so this will be a welcome change. Not only are our numbers more than doubled, it is a very athletic group. This roster is loaded with speed, strength, toughness, skill. We will be able to have a deep bench for subbing and dealing with injuries, and we will be able to field a full JV team so the new girls get valuable game experience.

I am continuing as head coach with Coach Sarah Stauner (in her second year) and Cumberland’s Benjamin Brenna in the assist-

ant roles. Both assistants have a lot of soccer experience and are great with the kids. It will be nice to have such quality people working with the program. This year’s seniors are a really talented group. When they came out as freshman we knew they were going to be special.

Last season we only won six games, but were close in all of them and really, if we would have had a couple more experienced players last year I think things would have been a lot different. With 34 athletic girls out this season, many with years of soccer under their belt, that should not be a problem for us.

The Cumberland girls also come with a lot of experience as they have been playing on the boys team until now. It is a great group of girls and they are very optimistic and excited about the upcoming season. This team has a lot of firepower.

We open play in Osceola on April 3rd. We then travel to Phillips Friday the 5th. The Bears will play their first home game at Endeavor Stadium in Cumberland on April 10th against Baldwin Woodville (the first two home games will be in Cumberland, and after that we will play in Barron.

Boys Golf Team Opens Practice

The Cumberland Boys Golf Team opened up practice on Monday for their 2018 season. Coach Tom Hullander looks for his team to improve off last years seventh place Conference finish.

Only Logan Armstrong

is gone from last years team. Cumberlands top two scorers in Logan Steglich and Ethan Sandman return as well as starters Cody Paul and Noah Schradle. Coach Hullander has several other players competing for a spot. “I believe we

have a chance to be much improved as a team this spring,” said the Beavers Head Coach.

Hullander believes Bloomer, Hayward, and Spooner all will join the defending Champion Northwestern Tigers as other

strong challengers for the top spot. Bloomer returns all five starters off last years team.

Cumberland is scheduled to open up their season on Monday, April ninth in Chetek.



Cumberland Head Girls Softball Coach Randy Bielmeier works on some catcher drills during Monday night’s practice. Unfortunatley it looks like all sports will remain indoors for some time yet.

Dawson Johnson a 6th grader and Braden Johnson a 3rd grader wrapped up the Folkstyle wrestling season on Friday March 23rd in Madison at the youth state tournament. They both took 1st place at regionals in River Falls to earn their way to Madison. Dawson a 6th grader wrestled 6 matches lost one match and took home 3rd place. Braden a 3rd grader wrestled 6 matches lost two matches and took home 4th place.



Dawson and Braden Johnson

### Cumberland Area Fishing & Hunting Table

#### SOLAR TIMES

	AM		PM		Sunrise		Sunset	
DATE	Minor	Major	Minor	Major				
3/28 Wed	3:11	9:25	3:39	9:52	06:54	07:25	4:21p	
3/29 Thu	4:00	10:13	4:26	10:39	06:52	07:26	5:34p	
3/30 Fri >	4:47	11:00	5:12	11:25	06:50	07:28	6:44p	
3/31 Sat >	5:36	11:48	6:00	-----	06:48	07:29	7:53p	
4/01 Sun F	6:25	12:13	6:49	12:37	06:46	07:30	9:01p	
4/02 Mon >	7:16	1:04	7:40	1:28	06:44	07:31	10:07p	
4/03 Tue >	8:08	1:57	8:32	2:20	06:42	07:33	11:10p	

#### LUNAR TIMES

MOON		MOON		MOON	
Up	Sets	Down	DST	Up	Sets
5:40a	11:24p	10:57a	*	6:15a	NoMoon
6:46a	12:16a	12:41p	*	7:15a	1:05a
7:44a	1:53a	2:17p	*	8:12a	2:41a
8:42a	3:28a	3:52p	*		

Major = 2 hours/Minor = 1 hour

Times are centered on the major/minor window

F=Full Moon N=New Moon Q=Quarter Moon > = Peak Activity

DST will have \* in it if it is in effect that day Calibrated for Time Zone: 6W





# An Outdoorsman's Journal

by Mark Walters

## The Runners

**Hello friends,**  
I have a situation and this situation has been, and currently is such a big part of my life that I am going to write about it.  
About two years after I graduated from high school I purchased my first golden retriever and have had one ever since.  
For the last thirty years I have lived in the country, and I am now on my 6th and 7th golden retrievers who are Fire and her pup Ruby.  
My dogs have traveled with me in my outdoor adventures for 29-years as a writer and in almost every case I could always leave them free wherever I was camped.  
At my home in rural Juneau County I have had five golden retrievers, Star, her pup Pearl, and Pearl's pup Ice as well as Fire and Ruby.  
Until recently I could count on one hand the amount of times my dogs have been on a chain while at home. In other words they are free roaming and because they did not run away, everyone was very happy, the pups lived life on their own terms. My neighbors just to the north and south loved having the pups visit and everyone was very connected.  
Ruby was born in May of 2016, her dad was a field trial champion several times over, and Duke and Fire had excellent pups.  
In late August of 2016 Fire and Ruby went for a hike and did not come home. Actually the next day Fire came home alone. Ruby was 12-weeks old and missing in wolf country. For seven days Ruby was the talk of the neighborhood, and most of us figured she had been picked up or consumed by a wolf.  
On the 7th day I did a really extensive, final search and believe it or not found her on my 26th and final stop. She was sitting in the woods, well off the road and just staring at me. Ruby lost a lot of weight, and I then realized that she is a survivor.  
That fall though she was very young she did an excellent job of retrieving ducks including some where she broke ice. Her common theme has always been that she is full of love, and scared of nothing.  
Unfortunately that theme has changed to the following. If Ruby and Fire are loose at the same time

and I ignore them for over two minutes they run away. When I say they run away, I mean guaranteed, gone over night run away and if it is not winter, gone until they get caught.  
I know you are saying keep them chained, invisible fence, huge kennel etc. Another keynote is if they are outside alone neither runs away.  
Here is where it gets difficult, I travel in the outdoors. My dogs come with me and live a very good life. Two weeks ago I met two buddies of mine in the woods in a desolate area, we had a campfire, cooked a meal and had a good time. Not ten minutes into this experience Ruby and Fire were gone.  
I did about as extensive of a foot, truck and knocking on doors search in heavy wolf country as I could, and found them 26-hours later.  
Five times in a row in January and February I made the mistake of letting them loose in our yard together and every time they were gone for a night. Now that the weather has warmed I fear they will not come home as they travel great distances.  
Since they only run away together I could let a friend adopt Fire, she really is an incredible dog. Fire is Selina's dog and they are very close, so that is out of the question.  
I could put Ruby up for adoption but I have to tell you she has the potential to be the best golden retriever that I have ever had and I am probably looking at eight more hunting seasons out of her and a pup to carry on the line.  
I am currently starting to purchase the materials for a 32'x48' kennel and as long as only one of these "runners" is loose at a time, my problem is solved.  
The real problem that I do not have the answer for is what about all of the camping trips, there are literally three to four a month.  
I had no intention of writing a column on this but there are many people that are aware of this situation that have said, "those dogs are a big part of what you do, write a column on it!"  
I can only imagine the pure joy that this mother and daughter have on their little escapades but what a totally humiliating, time consuming and frustrating experience it can be for me.



Ruby fetching a duck!

It's amazing that they are still alive!  
**Sunset**



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## Invincible! Northwoods Figure Skating Club 2018 Show



Sixth grader Sadie Horton Performing in Spooner Saturday night. Photo by Bob Nugent

Cumberland Senior Emma Kupferschmidt entertaining the crowd Saturday night at the Spooner Civic Center. Photo by Bob Nugent

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Correspondents

Barronett News  
By Judy Pieper

Happy Easter! I hope you have a wonderful day with those you love.

It will be a busy week for Pastor Todd at Barronett Lutheran Church. The Maundy Thursday service will be at 7:00 p.m. Thursday evening; Good Friday Service will be at 7:00 p.m. Friday evening; and Easter Service will be at 9:00 a.m. Sunday morning.

Before the Easter Sunday service we will be serving a potluck breakfast in the church basement starting at 8:00 a.m. I know for sure that there will be delicious homemade cinnamon rolls, fruit, bacon and pork sausage being served, and that there will be all kinds of other delicious things to eat. If you don't already have a home church, please come on Easter morning and visit us. We really are a very friendly welcoming bunch, and we would be glad to have you join us for breakfast, fellowship and worship service.

The Easter party hosted by Barronett Civic Club members was very successful again this year. The party was held last Saturday and there were lots of little guests and their parents having a great time. There were lots of prizes given away, and the lucky winners were: girl's bike: Lauryn Purintun; boy's bike, Colin Viellieux; girl's Easter basket: Jessica Schrankel; boy's Easter basket: Caleb Schrankel; Nickelodeon passes: Tarin McCollough and, last but not least, jelly bean guessing game: Lauryn Purintun.

The civic club members would like to thank Jerry City Laundry and Jaastad Machine for donating the bikes and Easter baskets. They would also like to thank everyone who helped by donating cakes, making food, helping with games and cleaning up. Happy Easter to everyone from the civic club members.

Pat and Frank Peichel were at the Red Brick Cafe enjoying breakfast this past Sunday, and Duane and I had a chance to visit with them for a few minutes. Pat told us that granddaughter, Kayla Peichel, who is the Air Force and stationed at Eielson Air Force Base in Alaska, has been promoted to Staff Sergeant E-5. Kayla is in security, serving in the

canine unit and has also received her new canine working partner. Congratulations, Kayla. And, I hope there is a big guest house on the base, because it sounds as though Kayla will be getting lots of visitors from Wisconsin while she is stationed in Alaska.

We are very proud of our grandson, Garrett Thon. He is now officially a Rice Lake police officer. His first day on the job was last Thursday. Garrett has been working toward this goal for a long time, and we are sure he will be an excellent law enforcement officer.

Six members of the Barronett Dragons 4-H Club are busily rehearsing for the play, *The clown Show*, which will be presented at Barronett Community Center on April 20th at 7:00 p.m. I'll remind you of that when it gets a little closer. The play is always a delight to watch, and the showing at the civic center is a dress rehearsal for the kids. Hopefully you will be able to join us for the play.

Anitia Lehmann has had a very busy week. It started out a week ago Sunday when she attended church with Pat and DeEtte Fankhauser at Stanfold Lutheran. From there they went to the church in Dobie for a delicious roast beef dinner.

Then, on Monday evening, Anita and her sister, Mary Jane Griffin, attended a choir concert at Hudson High School where her granddaughter, Emma O'Neal, was one of the performers. The Hudson Choir has some extremely talented singers, and in fact, the junior and senior members had been to England and Ireland the week before performing five concerts. Emma is a freshman, so was not one of those on the trip, but hopefully, she will be taking one of those fantastic trips in a couple years.

On Saturday Anita, Cheryl, Miles and Charlie Lehmann were among the many attendees at the figure skating exhibition in Spooner. They joined Marie and Jolene Anderson and Carol McKinzie and her daughter, Laurie, from Eveleth, MN., who were also there. Jolene's daughter, Kiara, was one of the performers. There was also a father/daughter skate, and Laurie Stuntz was there to cheer on her sons and granddaughters, Brandon and Nevaeh and Jason and Scarlett. Everyone had a wonderful time

and little Miles proved what a gentleman he is by holding the door for the ladies.

Charlie Lehmann celebrated her sixth birthday on Sunday with a Barbie Doll themed party hosted by her parents, Erin and Aaron, at the pool in Shell Lake. There were lots of little friends and relatives there to help her celebrate, and there were plenty of gifts to open. She and her guests had a wonderful time.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Caroline Farlow who passed away on Saturday. Caroline and Boyd lived in this area most of their lives and were loved by all who knew them. It was such a treat when they, and their daughter, Carol, played their instruments at Barronett Lutheran. Caroline and Boyd are together once more, but she will be missed by all who knew her.

That's all I know from Barronett this week. Hope to see you Sunday morning for breakfast and Easter service.

Senior News  
By Gloria Lindeman

We had our membership meeting and the following people will be running for our board: President: Dave Husby; Vice-President: Dorothy Pasko; Secretary: Bev Lloyd; Treasurer: Katherine Husby.

Board members will also be voted on and they are: Jim Williams, Kathy Mason, Judy Scharmer, Pat Sweet, Ken Pendleton, and Vlad Sajka. We require five board members only. All of the above names will be on the ballot, but write ins are allowed if you so desire.

The election will be held Wednesday, April 4th from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. If you can't be there that day, pick up an absentee ballot ahead of time. You must be a member of the Center if you want to vote, so be sure your dues are paid up.

The days are going by fast and we are already planning for our annual flea market. The date has been set for Saturday, April 28th. If you would like to rent tables please give me a call at 715-822-8241.

We will also be having a garage sale in the one room, so if yo would like to donate items for this, just let us know. We will talk about this event in future articles.

We hope to see you at the Center. Tuesday we have soup and salad for lunch, and you don't need to call ahead,

just come it. It's only \$4.00- so you can't beat that price.

The coffee pot is always brewing in the morning, so stop in and visit-it's a nice way to start your morning.

**Senior Dining**  
**THURSDAY, MAR. 29**  
Turkey cutlet, mashed potatoes with gravy, squash, multi grain bread, peach pie.  
**FRIDAY, MARCH 30**  
Salmon loaf with creamed peas, buttered baby reds, sourdough bread, chocolate cake.  
**MONDAY, APRIL 2**  
Hearty chickpea chili with onions, sour cream and shredded cheese, corn bred muffin, mandarin oranges.  
**TUESDAY, APRIL 3**  
BBQ ribs, cheesy potatoes, baked beans, harvest grain bread, pears.  
**WED. APRIL 4**  
Liver and onions, mashed potatoes and gravy, whole kernel corn, whole grain bread, frozen yogurt.

*"All meals include milk, coffee and butter. Persons who dine at the Senior Center and those who receive Meals on Wheels are reminded they can use their QUEST Card (Food Share) for their meal donation. For more information call Joanne at 715-537-6225."*

Author event  
at Thomas St. Angelo Public Library

In celebration of National Library Week, David Tindell, author of *The White Vixen* thriller series, will be at the Thomas St. Angelo Public Library of Cumberland on Thursday, April 12 at 6:30 p.m. to talk about his new book *Quest for Vengeance*. This book was just released in March.

To reserve your seat to hear David Tindell talk about his books, call the library at 715-822-2767 or email [cupl@cumberlandpl.org](mailto:cupl@cumberlandpl.org).

The Friends of the Library will provide a sandwich, chips, cookie and beverage.

*"I love to cook but my vision is getting worse and I'm having a hard time fixing a meal. I've heard Meals on Wheels are good... how can I sign up?"*

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A Look Back...

UFO investigator Brad Ayers from the Center for UFO Studies at Northwestern University at Evanston, IL. is investigating the sightings in the Twin Cities area, but has not been here as yet.

50 Years Ago  
March 28, 1968

Summer returned to this area the first of the week, following a brief cold snap. A high of 65 degrees was recorded on March 26, and one can see the signs of the times-people raking yards, convertibles with tops down, and even some backyard sunbathing.

A relocated business will be open to the public this week when the Sears Roebuck and Company Store, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Irving Ingman will hold their grand opening.

Nine CHS students won gold medals in the Class A solo ensemble festival held in Chetek last weekend. They were: Jim Quinn, Mary Hopkins, Pat Olson, Toni Ricci, Joan Talbot, Marge Westin, Diane Ruppel, Debbie Gidio and Mary Ricci.

John Peterson and his brother, Ben, will enter the district Olympic Wrestling Tournament at WSU-River Falls on March 29-30. First and second place winners there will make the 1958 USA Wrestling Team that will journey to the Olympics in Mexico City.

55 Years Ago  
March 28, 1963

The Cumberland City Basketball team traveled to Rice Lake and beat the Warriors, 81-78. High scorers were Jim Peterson with 24 points and Bill Goldsmith with 17.

Guest speaker at the Civic Club's Athletic Banquet on April 22 will be Jerry Reichow, former University of Iowa Quarterback and presently an end with the Minnesota Vikings.

Rosemary Wickre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wickre, and David Cramer, son of Dr. and Mrs. Donald Cramer, were named top students at CHS for 1963.

65 Years Ago  
March 26, 1953

Lloyd Wickre will again head the Civic Club as president for the coming year. Les Mathwig was also re-elected vice-president.

Last week saw most of the snow cover vanish in warm mild days and nights. Doc Spray reported he saw robins

on Sunday afternoon behind Samson's Blacksmith Shop.

75 Years Ago  
March 23, 1943

A very successful Red Cross War Fund drive was carried out in Cumberland by Campaign Chairman Norman Oslund. The quota for the city was \$800.

80 Years Ago  
March 24, 1938

A change in managership will become effective at the A & P Store next Tuesday with Joe Guerin taking over the Rice Lake A & P and Mike Tappan assuming the management here.

Cumberland Civic Club is now the official name of the organization formerly known as the Commercial Club, by action taken at a general meeting held recently at the Legion Club.

The same brilliant defensive play that brought both conference and district championships for the Beavers, clicked beautifully again last Friday evening and brought the Beavers another victory over Hurley, 27-22. The win made Cumberland Regional Champions for 1938 and earned the school the right to participate in the state tourney in Madison.

90 Years Ago  
March 29, 1928

Helen Hedback, Alice Olson, Jack Benjamin, Clarice Jacobson, Vivian Neurer, Esther Oslund, Earl Thompson, Helen Benjamin and Mildred McChesney took part in a piano recital at the Ida Benjamin residence recently. They are pupils of Miss Bess Cornwall.

Just in time for Easter at the S. W. Hines Mercantile Company are dresses, \$3.95 to \$12.95 and up, spring millinery, \$2.45 to \$6.95, and a wide selection of spring coats, in all the new spring colors, \$9.95 to \$18.95.

100 Years Ago  
March 28, 1918

Dr. George Babcock has rented the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. W. B. Hopkins and plans to open dental offices soon.

Big Sale now going on at Knutson's: wool knitting yard, large hank, .59¢; coffee, two pounds for .33¢; men's overalls, \$1.33; feather pillows, \$1.87 a pair; and two lots of men's hats. .57 and .98¢.

Easter Services

*Please join us for one or all of our Holy Week Services*  
**GOOD FRIDAY**  
FRIDAY, March 30  
Family Worship • 6:30 pm

**EASTER SUNDAY**  
SUNDAY, APRIL 1  
Breakfast • 8:15-9:15 am  
Family Worship • 9:30 am

**Timberland-Ringebu Free Lutheran Church**  
20805 Cty. Road H • Barronett

**HOLY WEEK SERVICES**  
**St. Paul Lutheran Church**  
743 22 1/2 Ave., Cumberland  
*PLEASE JOIN US!*

**Maundy Thursday, March 29 • 6:30 p.m.**  
**Good Friday, March 30 • 6:30 p.m.**  
**Easter Sunday, April 1 • 7:30 am & 10 am**  
*Easter Breakfast will be served between services*

Please Join us for Worship this *Holy Week and Easter.*  
**First Lutheran Church,**  
Cumberland (next to hospital)

+Maundy Thurs., March 29  
7pm Service

+Good Friday, March 30  
12noon and 7pm services

+Easter Sunday  
Festival Services  
with Choir, Bell Choir and Brass ensemble  
8am and 10:30am  
Full Easter Breakfast **9:15**  
715-822-4416

**HOLY WEEK WORSHIP**

**Maundy Thursday • March 29**  
**7 p.m. Worship with Holy Communion**  
**Stripping of the Altar**

**Good Friday • March 30**  
**1 p.m. Worship**  
**Seven last words of Christ**  
**7 p.m. Worship**  
**Seven last words of Christ**

**Easter Sunday • April 1**  
**Festival Worship**  
**7 a.m. and 9 a.m. in Sanctuary**  
**10:30 a.m. in the Great Hall**  
**Holy Communion at all services**

**Augustana Lutheran Church**  
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# OBITUARIES



**Caroline Farlow**

Caroline Frieda Elizabeth Farlow was born October 27, 1917 in Cumberland to Albert and Elizabeth (Ashmidt) Huehn. She was delighted to celebrate her 100th birthday with her family. She passed away peacefully on March 24, 2018.

Caroline spent her entire life in the Cumberland area, growing up on a small farm north of town and continuing to farm after her marriage to Boyd Farlow on August 10, 1940. She enjoyed country living to the fullest, keeping a large garden and canning her produce. Caroline also kept bees, chickens, horses and cows and maintained an apple orchard. She enjoyed

the wildlife around the farm, collecting and polishing rocks which she turned into beautiful jewelry pieces. She and Boyd were also well known as talented woodcrafters and furniture makers. They retired from farming in 1990 and became involved in other interests. Caroline also played the Xylophone in the "Top of the Line Band." She was a longtime member of the Barronett Lutheran Church.

Caroline was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; brothers: Alfred, William and Walter Huehn and her sister, Emma (Charlie) Bringman. She is survived by children: Dennis (Loretta) Farlow and Carol (the late John) Bellefeuille; grandchildren: Shelley (Tim Richter) Weiss, Laurie (Paul) Busch, Rhonda (Alan) Holmes, Beverly (Jerry Driscoll) Farlow, and Kimberly (Paul) Thorson; great grandchildren: Lauren (Travis Busch) Schullo, Sean Schullo, Caroline Weiss, Aaron Waite, Trey Waite, Emily Busch, Elisabeth Busch and Heather Garrison; great great grandchildren: Treven and Tyson Busch; nieces, nephews and

other relatives.

A funeral service was held on Tuesday, March 27, 2018 at Skinner Funeral Home - Cumberland with Pastor Todd Ahneman officiating. Burial followed in Lakeside Cemetery, Cumberland.

Pallbearers were Paul Busch, Doyle Craine, Aaron Waite and Jerry Driscoll.

Skinner Funeral Home of Cumberland is serving the family.



## Help Needed! Become a Hospice Volunteer

• Hospice Volunteers are men and women of all ages and backgrounds.

• All have a desire to make a difference in someone else's life by sharing their time, special talents and compassion with those who are dealing with a terminal diagnosis.

• Hospice volunteers may sit with a patient so the caregiver can make a doctor's appointment, a trip to the store, take a break or take a nap. They might cook a meal, sweep the floor, run errands, or sometimes, most

importantly, just sit bedside and be a quiet, comforting presence. To meet the needs of our Hospice patients and family members, we are specifically in need of volunteers with daytime availability.

• Opportunities also exist for Hospice volunteers to participate in patient and family services unique to Lakeview Medical Center Hospice such as our: "Life is a Celebration" dinner parties, tuck in service, 11th Hour program and "Heart Strings for Hospice." Individuals

interested in visiting Hospice patients with their dogs through the "PAWS with Heart" program are sought as well.

Training is provided free of charge by the Lakeview Medical Center Hospice Care Team for individuals interested in becoming a hospice volunteer.

Training sessions will be held April 5th through April 30th, Mondays and Thursdays from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Registration is required. Please call 1-715-236-6255.



### “What Comes Before Easter”

**By: Pastor Tim Schmidt**  
**First Lutheran Church, Cumberland**

With winter still holding on this year, we find ourselves just a few days from Easter. Easter is the day when Christians celebrate the glorious resurrection of Christ from the dead. It is the greatest celebration of the Christian year, because on that day Christ rose victorious from the dead, and also opened up for us the way to everlasting life as well.

But, before we make it to the great trumpet blasts and fanfare of Easter, there are first the events of Holy Week that we remember. In Holy Week we bring to mind the last days of Christ on earth before His death and resurrection.

Holy Week begins with Palm Sunday, when we recall Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem. Many Christians wave Palm Branches that day and hail Jesus the Son of King David, just as the crowds did in Jerusalem almost 2,000 years ago. It is a day to praise Christ as our king, and to remember His fateful journey into the city where He would meet His death.

Maundy Thursday is the night we remember the Last Supper that Christ shared with His disciples. This is the meal that would become Holy Communion for us. The word "Maundy" comes from the Latin word "mandatum" which means commandment. During the Last Supper Jesus gave His disciples the "New Commandment," that we are to love one another, just as He has loved us.

Good Friday is the day when we remember and mourn the death of Christ on the cross. The reason we call the day good, is that we believe that through His suffering and death, we are forgiven of our sins. But that good news does not take away from the pain that Christ endured for us. Good Friday is a solemn day, when we remember the depth of Christ's great love for us, expressed in His willingness to suffer on our behalf.

Then after the grief on Friday, we come to the glorious news of Easter. "Christ is Risen!"

This year I encourage you to not only celebrate Easter, but to remember the events of Holy Week as well. Worship in your congregation on these days, or if you don't have a church, consider visiting one to see what these days are all about. I have found that the joy of Easter makes so much more sense if we remember what happened before.

Have a blessed Holy Week and Easter.

#### AUGUSTANA LUTHERAN CHURCH (ELCA)

1025 Second Avenue  
Phone: 715-822-2890  
Interim Pastor: Mark Bents  
Worship Service: Sunday: 9:00a.m.; Holy Communion at all services.

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776 Prospect Ave.,  
Phone: 715-822-5511,  
cell:715-671-3197  
Minister:Todd Ahneman  
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Gary Dorn, Pastor  
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Richard Anderson, Pastor  
Phone: 715-822-5255  
Sunday: Bible Study: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.  
LAKE PARK ALLIANCE CHURCH  
Shell Lake, WI.  
John Sahlstrom, Pastor  
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Prayer: 9:00a.m.;  
Worship Service: 10:00a.m.  
NORTHERN LAKES COMMUNITY CHURCH  
825 8th Ave., Cumberland  
Dennis Wright, Pastor  
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Services: Sat. 6:30 p.m.; Sunday: 10:00 a.m.; Contemporary Worship with Children's Program (K-4th Grade & Nursery for birth to 4 years old.

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Weekend Mass: Sun., 8:30 am

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Father Tommy Thompson  
Phone: 715-822-2948  
Mass: Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

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Phone: 715-822-2948  
Weekend Masses: Saturday: 6:00p.m.; Sunday: 10:30a.m.

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502 Second St., Shell Lake  
Father Edwin Anderson  
Phone: 715-635-3105  
Saturday Mass; 4:30 p.m.

#### ST. MATTHEWS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Missouri Synod (LCMS)  
Almena, WI.  
Pastor: Preston Paul  
Sunday: Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. Bible Study: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.;  
Ladies Aid: 1st Wednesday of each month at 1:30 p.m.

#### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN

Missouri Synod  
1 mile East on Hwy. 48  
John Miels, Pastor  
Phone: 715-822-8690  
Wednesday:Children's School: 4:30 p.m.; Contemporary worship service: 6:30 p.m.; Sunday: Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Traditional worship service: 9:00 a.m.  
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Hwy 48, 9 mi. E. of Cumberland  
Pastor: Rev. John A. Bergson  
Phone: 715-234-8812  
Emergency: 715-296-0797  
Sunday Worship: 9:30a.m. Fellowship 10:30a.m.; Sunday School, Adult Bible Study 11:00; Bible Study: 5:30 p.m. Wednesday; Worship Service: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

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Rice Lake, WI.  
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Pastor: John Redlich  
Phone: 715-434-7798  
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Sunday: Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.; Family Worship: 10:00 a.m.; K. F. C. 10:00 a.m.; U-Turn Student Ministries: Sunday evening 6p.m.  
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Divine Service: Sunday: 7:30 a.m.; Holy Communion: 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month  
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Sunday School, all ages: 8:30 a.m. Worship: 9:30 a.m.; Weekly Bible Study, Monday at 1:30 p.m. Holy Communion 1st Sunday each month.

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April Nielsen, Lay Leader  
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The last major duty of the treasurer's office was the unclaimed property program, which was moved to the Wisconsin Department of Revenue (DOR) in 2013. Unclaimed property includes money from savings, checking and insurance accounts that the owner may have forgotten. The DOR now sends Wisconsinites their unclaimed property without filing a claim by matching social security numbers and tax information. In the last five years, approximately \$20 million has been returned to the rightful owners using the unique matching program.

As your current treasurer, I can verify that the office no longer has any significant responsibilities. Currently, I serve only on one board, the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands, which requires just a few phone calls per month. That's honestly it!

In 2014, I was elected on the platform of eliminating the office as I saw it as a waste of valuable tax dollars. Since then, I have cut the office budget by 75 percent and eliminated all staff positions as there was literally nothing for them to do. By eliminating these positions, Wisconsin taxpayers saved approximately \$1 million.

I am also not alone in the campaign to eliminate this office. In fact, this effort has been in debate for many years and enjoys bipartisan support. As a bonus, the money saved by removing the treasurer's office will contribute to the Common School Fund, ultimately meaning more money for public schools throughout Wisconsin.

Please help save taxpayer money by voting YES on the Wisconsin Elimination of the State Treasurer Amendment on April 3rd and make me our last state treasurer. It will be a victory for more efficient and smaller government.

Sincerely,  
Matt Adamczyk  
Wisconsin State Treasurer



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# PUBLIC NOTICES

**NOTICE**  
The Cumberland City Common Council will hold public hearings on Wednesday, April 4, 2018, 7:00 P.M. at the Cumberland City Hall, 950 1st Avenue, to consider the following agenda:  
Consider the approval of a conditional use for parcel #212-8068-90-000 to install a 2.5 megawatt solar photovoltaic facility on land currently zoned A-1 Agricultural District in the City of Cumberland as per M.C.

**Julie Kessler  
Clerk-Treasurer  
City of Cumberland**  
Published in the Cumberland Advocate on March 28 & April 4, 2018 WNAIXLP

**NOTICE**  
There will be a public hearing and regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Cumberland on Wednesday, April 4, 2018, 7:00 P.M., at the Cumberland City Hall, 950 1st Avenue Ave. to consider the following agenda:  
1. Call to order  
2. Roll Call  
3. Pledge of Allegiance  
4. Approval of the agenda  
5. Approve payment of expenses  
6. Approval of minutes of the March 6, 2018 Council meetings  
7. Public Comment period  
8. Consider approval of applications for Operators, Picnic, Transient Merchant Licenses  
9. Conduct a public hearing for conditional use request  
10. Consider the approval of a conditional use for parcel #212-8068-90-000 to install a 2.5 megawatt solar photovoltaic facility on land currently zoned A-1 Agricultural District in the City of Cumberland as per M.C.

11. Consider resolution to accept annexation of property  
12. Consider approval of an ordinance for annexation  
13. Consider approval of bid for the reconstruction of Wickre Drive, Forest Path and Woodland Trail  
14. Consider a resolution for funding of Wickre Drive, Forest Path and Woodland Trail  
15. Consider approval of quotes for repair of Lift Station #11 and funding  
16. Consider approval of quotes for mixer seal replacement for the Waste Water Treatment Plant  
17. Consider approval of roof drain quote for MBR Building at the Waste Water Treatment Plant  
18. Consider approval of quote to replace lawn mower for the Street Department  
19. Consider approval of amending Ordinance 686 – Committees  
20. Consider letters and petitions presented or referred, new or unfinished business and future proposed agenda items  
21. Committee reports  
22. Motion to go into closed session pursuant to Wis. Stat. 19.85(1)(c) to consider employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility; and under (f) for considering financial, medical, social or personal histories or disciplinary data or specific persons, preliminary consideration of specific personnel problems or the investigation of charges against specific persons except where par. (b) applies which, if discussed in public, would be likely to have a substantial adverse effect upon the reputation of any person referred to in such histories or data, or involved in such problems or investigations.

23. Motion to reconvene in open session and take any action as may be necessary or appropriate arising out of the closed session.  
24. Adjourn

**Julie Kessler  
Clerk-Treasurer  
City of Cumberland**  
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**INVITATION TO BID**  
The Town of Crystal Lake is accepting sealed bids for residing the old town shop located at 1876A HWY 63, Comstock. Contact John Lombard at 715-419-1358 for details.  
All bids should be sent to the Town Clerk, Arlene Frisinger, at PO Box 757, Cumberland, WI 54829. Bids will be opened at the regular Town Board meeting on April 17, 2018 at 6 p.m. at the Crystal Lake Town Hall in Comstock. The Crystal Lake Town Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids..  
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**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AQUATIC PLANT MANAGEMENT PERMIT**  
Lake Restoration, Inc. intends to apply for a permit from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources to treat up to 178.73 acres of Beaver Dam with aquatic pesticides to control algae and plants. The proposed treatment would occur between April 20, 2018 and May 31, 2018. Lake Restoration, Inc. will conduct a public informational meeting on the proposed treatment if five or more individuals, organizations, special units of government, or local units of government request one. The meeting would give citizens a chance to learn more about the proposed treatment from the permit applicant. Lake Restoration is not required to, but may, change the proposed treatment based on information provided by citizens attending the meeting. Any request for a public meeting on the proposed treatment must be made within five days after this notice is published. The request must specify the topics to be discussed at the meeting, including problems and alternatives, and must be sent in writing to Lake Restoration, Inc., 12425 Ironwood Circle, Rogers, MN 55374, and the Department of Natural Resources, 810 West Maple Street, Spooner, WI 54801. This notice is required by Chapter NR 107, Wisconsin Administrative Code.  
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**CUMBERLAND BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES  
Tuesday, February 20, 2018 • 7 p.m. Open Session and Closed Session to follow  
Regular Board Meeting  
Administration Building Conference Room**  
Present: Board – Horstman, Hyatt, Gideo, Stone & Skinner  
Administration - Rose, Richie & Narges Absent: Green  
President Horstman announced that this was a legally and properly noticed meeting.  
Pledge of Allegiance was recited.  
1. Motion was made by Gideo, seconded by Hyatt, to approve items a-e on the Consent Agenda as presented. All voting aye, motion carried.  
2. John Richie gave student update.  
3. Motion was made by Hyatt, seconded by Stone to approve the 2018 – 2019 School District Calendar. All voting aye, motion carried.  
4. Motion was made by Stone, seconded by Hyatt to approve Teri Lesnar as High School Assistant Track Coach. All voting aye, motion carried.  
5. Discussed Head Girls' Softball Coach. No action taken.  
6. Discussed Assistant Girls' Softball Coach. No action taken.  
7. Heard discussion items, various administrative reports and noted meetings and events.  
Motion made by Gideo, seconded by Stone to adjourn to closed session. President Horstman requested that the clerk conduct a roll call vote to adjourn to a closed session at the beginning of the regular meeting for the purpose of considering employment and compensation, performance evaluations and discussing negotiations per Wisconsin Statute 19.85 (1) (c), specifically to discuss 2018 – 2019 staffing and personnel matters. By roll call vote, all voting aye, motion carried.  
Motion made by Gideo, seconded by Skinner to reconvene to open session to conduct the regular portion of the meeting. All voting aye, motion carried.  
Having no further business to conduct, motion was made to adjourn by Stone, seconded by Hyatt. All voting aye, motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 9:37 p.m.  
**Eric Stone, District Clerk**

**NOTICE  
OF PUBLIC HEARING  
STATE OF WISCONSIN  
SS  
COUNTY OF BARRON  
TO WHOM IT MAY  
CONCERN:**  
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons in the County of Barron, Wisconsin, that the Barron County Zoning Committee will consider at public hearing on **Wednesday, April 4, 2018, at 1:35 p.m.** in the Conference room (#2106) of the Barron County Government Center, Barron, Wisconsin, the following request relative to rezoning amendments of the official zoning maps:  
Request to rezone Govt Lot 2 except the following: Vol 455 Page 276, Lot 2 CSM 12/45, CSM 14/51 & 14/117, CSM 18/41 & 18/42 & CSM 24/14, consisting of 15.78 acres, located in Section 16, T35N, R13W, Town of Cumberland from the Residential-1 district to the Agricultural-2 district.  
Property owned by Isaac & Amanda Lundquist.  
The Zoning Committee reserves the right to view the property and convene in executive session prior to rendering a decision.  
All persons interested are invited to attend said hearing.  
Dated at Barron, Wisconsin, this 21st day of March, 2018.

**Barron County  
Zoning Committee  
Andrew Mommsen,  
Chairman**  
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Request to rezone the NE-NW and SW-NW except highway conveyance, Vol 524 Pg 773, consisting of 79.79 acres, located in Section 9, T35N, R13W, Town of Cumberland from the Agricultural-1 and Agricultural-2 districts to the Mineral Reservation district and Agricultural-2 districts.  
Property owned by Mar-nan, LLC.  
The Zoning Committee reserves the right to view the property and convene in executive session prior to rendering a decision.  
All persons interested are invited to attend said hearing.  
Dated at Barron, Wisconsin, this 21st day of March, 2018.

**Barron County  
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**Cumberland Police Dept. 822-2754  
Barron County Sheriff 537-3106  
Polk County Sheriff 485-8300**  
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**NOTICE OF REFERENDUM ELECTION  
April 3, 2018**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at an election to be held in the several towns, villages, cities, wards and election districts of the State of Wisconsin, on Tuesday, April 3, 2018, the following question will be submitted to a vote of the people pursuant to law:

**2017 ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION 7**  
**To amend** section 1 of article VI, section 3 of article VI and sections 7 and 8 of article X; and **to create** section 17 of article XIV of the constitution; **relating to:** deleting from the constitution the office of state treasurer (second consideration).

Whereas, the 2015 legislature in regular session considered a proposed amendment to the constitution in 2015 Assembly Joint Resolution 5, which became 2015 Enrolled Joint Resolution 7, and agreed to it by a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses, which proposed amendment reads as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Section 1 of article VI of the constitution is amended to read:  
[Article VI] Section 1. The qualified electors of this state, at the times and places of choosing the members of the legislature, shall in 1970 and every 4 years thereafter elect a secretary of state, treasurer and an attorney general ~~who shall hold their offices for 4 years~~ 4-year terms.

**SECTION 2.** Section 3 of article VI of the constitution is amended to read:  
[Article VI] Section 3. The powers, duties, and compensation of the ~~treasurer and~~ attorney general shall be prescribed by law.

**SECTION 3.** Sections 7 and 8 of article X of the constitution are amended to read:

[Article X] Section 7. The lieutenant governor, secretary of state, ~~treasurer and~~ attorney general, shall constitute a board of commissioners for the sale of the school and university lands and for the investment of the funds arising therefrom. Any two of said commissioners shall be a quorum for the transaction of all business pertaining to the duties of their office.

Section 8. Provision shall be made by law for the sale of all school and university lands after they shall have been appraised; and when any portion of such lands shall be sold and the purchase money shall not be paid at the time of the sale, the commissioners shall take security by mortgage upon the lands sold for the sum remaining unpaid, with ~~seven-per-cent~~ 7 percent interest thereon, payable annually ~~at the office of the treasurer as provided by law~~. The commissioners shall be authorized to execute a good and sufficient conveyance to all purchasers of such lands, and to discharge any mortgages taken as security, when the sum due thereon shall have been paid. The commissioners shall have power to withhold from sale any portion of such lands when they shall deem it expedient, and shall invest all moneys arising from the sale of such lands, as well as all other university and school funds, in such manner as the legislature shall provide, and shall give such security for the faithful performance of their duties as may be required by law.

**SECTION 4.** Section 17 of article XIV of the constitution is created to read:

[Article XIV] Section 17. The state treasurer holding office on the date of ratification of the 2015-17 amendment providing for the deletion of that office from the constitution shall continue to hold that office until the first Monday of January in 2019.

Any vacancy in the office occurring before that date shall be filled in the manner provided by law.

**SECTION 5. Numbering of new provisions.** If another constitutional amendment ratified by the people creates the number of any provision created in this joint resolution, the chief of the legislative reference bureau shall determine the sequencing and the numbering of the provisions whose numbers conflict and adjust any cross- references thereto.

**Now, therefore, be it resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That** the foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution is agreed to by the 2017 legislature; and, be it further

**Resolved, That** the foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution be submitted to a vote of the people at the election to be held on the first Tuesday in April 2018; and, be it further

**Resolved, That** the question concerning ratification of the foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution be stated on the ballot as follows:

**QUESTION 1: "Elimination of state treasurer.** Shall sections 1 and 3 of article VI and sections 7 and 8 of article X of the constitution be amended, and section 17 of article XIV of the constitution be created, to eliminate the office of state treasurer from the constitution and to replace the state treasurer with the lieutenant governor as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands?"

**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**  
Article VI of the Wisconsin Constitution provides for the election of a state treasurer every four years. Wis. Const. Art. VI, § 1. The Constitution spells out only one duty for the Treasurer: to serve as one of three members on the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands, which is charged with the sale of school and university lands and with the investment of funds arising from such sales. Wis. Const. Art. X, § 7. The other two members of that Board are the Attorney General and Secretary of State.

The referendum question proposes to eliminate the constitutional office of Treasurer. To fill the Treasurer's position on the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands, the Lieutenant Governor would serve as the third member of that Board.

A "yes" vote on this question would eliminate the constitutional office of the Treasurer. It would replace the Treasurer with the Lieutenant Governor as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands.

A "no" vote would retain the constitutional office of the Treasurer under Article VI. The Treasurer would also continue to serve as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands.

DONE in Barron County, March 28, 2018.

**DeeAnn Cook  
Barron County Clerk**  
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**NOTICE**  
The regular meeting of the Cumberland Municipal Utility will be held on **Monday, April 2, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.** in the Utility Offices, located at 1265 Second Avenue in Cumberland, Wisconsin.  
The meeting agenda is as follows:  
1. Roll call  
2. Public Comments  
3. Review and approval of the 3/05/18 meeting minutes.  
4. Review and approval of vouchers.  
5. Review and approve Fi-

nancial Reports  
6. General Manager's report  
7. Adjourn  
**Charles Christensen  
General Manager**  
*Some or all of the Commission Members may attend telephonically or by video conferencing. Persons attending the meeting at the Utility Offices may be able to view and listen to the meeting, unless the meeting is moved to Closed Session, per Wisconsin Statutes.*  
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# Fox TV's *Discover Wisconsin* to feature Barron County

*Discover Wisconsin names Barron County a 2018 Choice Destination*

Discover Wisconsin, the state's leading media brand and tourism TV show, will be shining the spotlight on Barron County in an upcoming episode. "Barron County – Blue Skies and Country Vibes" premieres Saturday, March 31 at 10 a.m. on Fox Sports Wisconsin and on Sunday, April 1 at 5 p.m. on WQOW TV 18. The episode will also be available for online streaming at [discoverwisconsin.com](http://discoverwisconsin.com) after April 1.

A premiere party will be held at Lehman's Supper Club and is free and open to the public. Details to follow on the Barron County Tourism Facebook page.

The show kicks off in the Blue Hills at Barron County Forest, where co-host Eric Paulsen tries out the area's mountain biking trails, and then the crew checks out some ATVing at Almena's intensive use area.

"We're excited to partner with Discover Wisconsin and show the viewers all that Barron County has to offer," said Dave Armstrong

of the Barron County Economic Development Corporation. "From the beautiful scenery and trails to restaurants and historic places, Barron County has plenty to offer visitors from near and far."

Co-host Mariah Haberman heads to Norske Nook in Rice Lake, famous for its award-winning pies, while Paulsen makes a stop at Lehman's Supper Club in Rice Lake, a town staple since 1934 that features made-from-scratch dinner courses.

The crew makes its way to the Barron County Historical Society's Pioneer Village, a museum that preserves the region's history through an authentic 1880s village. Paulsen checks out Northstar Bison, a grass-fed bison ranch and store featuring healthy bison products and other locally-made goods. Haberman fulfills her sweet tooth at Anderson's Maple Syrup, which has been around since 1928 and produces some of the best maple syrup in the county.

Haberman visits the Barron County Fair, one of the

county's biggest events, where she checks out the rides, carnival games and fair food. Paulsen heads to Turtle Lake for the Cars, Crafts & Rock-N-Roll show. Haberman closes out the episode at Stardust Drive-In, one of the few outdoor movie theaters left in the state.

"Barron County is a tourism gem. From the gorgeous Northwoods views to the friendly people we met while filming, I can't wait for our viewers across the Midwest to discover this corner of Wisconsin for themselves," said Haberman. "Our crew is thrilled to name Barron County an official 2018 Discover Wisconsin Choice Destination!"

"Barron County – Blue Skies and Country Vibes" will reach Discover Wisconsin's broadcast network of 600,000 viewers across the upper Great Lakes region, including Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Northern Illinois, and Upper Michigan. The episode was produced by Olivia Gilbert. To learn more, visit [discoverwisconsin.com](http://discoverwisconsin.com).



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# Governor Walker Signs \$100 Million School Safety Plan into Law

Governor Walker signed AB 843 into law on Monday, March 26, 2018 at Victor Haen Elementary School in Kaukauna. The bill includes Governor Walker’s \$100 million School Safety Plan, which creates a grant program for school districts to enhance school safety resources. Every Wisconsin school is eligible for the grant program.

“Our \$100 million School Safety Plan will help ensure that every student, parent, and teacher feels safe at school,” said Governor Walker. “This bill provides important grant funding that will allow districts to invest in safety measures that will help protect against all threats. This will help protect our students and their future.”

Governor Walker’s School Safety Plan:

- Creates an Office of School Safety within the Wisconsin Department of Justice to work with law enforcement and schools to establish best practices for school safety and provide training opportunities and other relevant resources to schools.
- Provides \$100 million to fund a new grant program for security upgrades to school buildings and other eligible costs.
- Mandates reporting for any threats of school violence.

- Allows grant funding to implement Trauma-Informed Care and Adverse Childhood Experiences in Schools.
- Strengthens school safety plan requirements by requiring all schools to consult with local law enforcement and conduct on-site assessments of all pupil occupied areas.

**Assembly Bill 843:** This bill creates the Office of School Safety within the Department of Justice. Responsibilities for the office include implementing a \$100 million grant program for school safety, maintaining blueprints and school safety plans for all schools, and developing model practices of school safety. Additionally, the bill requires mandatory reporting of threats of school violence for certain professions and the integration of trauma-informed care training for school staff. Requirements for school safety plans are strengthened, including adding consultations and site-assessments with local law enforcement.

Senator Scott Fitzgerald (R-Juneau) authored the substitute amendment which embodied Governor Walker’s School Safety Plan. The bill passed the Senate on a vote of 28-4 and was concurred in the Assembly on a vote of 78-8. It is Act 143.

## Notebook...

like every Stringsmiths performance, was well attended.

This April, we’ll be celebrating the return of Chris Landstrom to the stage with his banjo after taking time off to recover from heart surgery. Barb Landstrom, his wife and bass player, will be there with their guitar, mandolin and fiddle players to provide an evening of string tunes that range from mountain music to gospel.

I got hooked on bluegrass many years ago when I was working as a reporter in Louisville, Ky. It has a spirit that gets your toe tapping and hands clapping. I’ve found it’s hard to listen to bluegrass without smiling.

And even though it’s spring, chances are this hot music will be played on a cold night since spring is usually a month late coming to Cumberland.

But if it’s warm on April 14, we can turn on the air conditioning, have a good meal in the lower level, then head up to the Ruppel Family Theater for a couple hours of great music. Stop by Peter & Annie’s and pick up your tickets or reserve them by phone.

Winter is officially over, the snowbirds are returning, and it’s time for the music season to begin in the Island City.

Larry Werner’s email is [lwerner47@gmail.com](mailto:lwerner47@gmail.com).

## Complete Loss




The Cumberland Fire Department was called to Polk Barron St. near Staples Lake Monday afternoon for a pole shed fully engulfed in flames. The pole shed owned by Gary Gall was a complete loss. The cause of the fire is not yet known.

## Maple Farm Tour



Rouzers 5R and Hibbs McKinley Maples took part in the first Northwest Wisconsin Maple Farm Tour held Saturday, March 24th. Pictured in the back row are Ray Hibbs (left) and Mike Rouzer. Pictured in the front are Cash, Duke and Ira Rouzer.



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MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE

Fri., May 21 • 4 - 7 pm • Sat., May 22 • 8 am - Noon

Many baby items (Jumperoo, exersaucer, bike trailer, Eddie Bauer infant car seat w/2 bases, White Simmons crib w/mattress, baby car seat, Classic Pooh ABC crib bedding set with many accessories, girls full-size bedding sets, Name brand girls clothing (Jockey, Jockey, Justice, etc.) & shoes, Name brand boys clothing (Jockey, Jockey, GAP, etc.) & shoes, Adult name brand clothing (Jockey, Jockey, Taylor, Ralph Lauren, etc. & shoes. LOTS of toys including Trakia Dera vanity & Power Wheels ride-on, 2 TV/DVD combos, DVDs, Weed Whip, framed Harley, Cobra GPS, holiday & home decor, books, board games & more.

Jane Doe & John Q. Public Families

12345 Main St. • Cumberland

Over Sized Garage Sale Ad • 2 col. x 2 inches

Maximum of 100 words in description

Cost: \$26

Ad deadline is FRIDAY at 2 p.m.