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## Region receives coastal management funding

By TOM LAVENTURE  
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HURLEY — Iron County did not receive direct funding this year from \$1.41 million in coastal grants awarded to 40 local communities across Wisconsin, but one official notes that regional and statewide projects indirectly impact the area.

The grants administered by the Department of Administration's Wisconsin Coastal Management Program were announced Monday by the office of Gov. Tony Evers. The grants are to support quality of life, economic development, resiliency, and protect and improve the Great Lakes resources, according to the announcement.

The coastal management program has funded Iron County projects in the past but there does not appear to be any projects specific to the county in this year's funding, said Kelly Klein, director of the Iron County Development Zone. However, the Northwest Regional Planning Commission was awarded \$20,000 for technical assistance and coastal outreach funding to Ashland, Bayfield, Douglas and Iron counties.

"I'm not too sure what the Planning Commission will do," Klein said. "I know they have been working on a culvert study; this may aid in that effort."

Other regional funding includes \$25,000 in public access funds for the city of Bayfield to renovate the city harbor walk. The work, according to the project description, includes repaving and widening the existing but deteriorated path, and reconstructing a precarious section that will connect to sidewalks and handicap parking.

Another \$10,550 is dedicated to the

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P.J. Glisson/Daily Globe

ON WEDNESDAY evening, members of the Wakefield Volunteer Fire Department monitor a controlled burn at 108 Ahola Ave., where a structure had been lost to a winter electrical fire. From left are Brian Kuchinski, Tom Zeckovich and Fire Chief Mike Singleton. The men were pushing a corner of the house walls into the fire, after which the chimney toppled. During the entire fire, the nearby house at 110 Ahola Ave. was protected by a sprinkler system.

## Wakefield firefighters finish off house in controlled burn

By P.J. GLISSON  
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WAKEFIELD — Members of the Wakefield Volunteer Fire Department worked on Wednesday evening to burn what remained of a city house that already had sustained a winter fire.

"It was a total loss to begin with," said Fire Chief Mike Singleton of what had been a one-story house at 108 Ahola

Ave., directly north of U.S. 2. He added that the cause of the original fire was believed to be electrical.

Although two persons had been living in the home before it burned, Singleton said they had escaped from the fire and now are resettled elsewhere.

Wednesday evening's controlled burn began at about 5:15 p.m. and was still in flames about two hours later.

"We're using everything we can," said Singleton of his guys, who were employing a chain saw to cut apart the deck at the back of the structure. They then tossed the pieces into the fire.

Zillow lists the house as having contained 660 square feet. Although Singleton described it as "very small," he added that it included a sauna and described the structure as

"well built."

Pat and Jack Malovrh, who live nearby, bought the property but do not intend to live there.

"We're going to use the garage," said Pat, who was present when the Globe arrived. Her husband was helping to tend the fire.

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## Kwik Trip gets planning commission approval

By CHARITY SMITH  
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BESSEMER — Officials from Kwik Trip Inc. were given the go-ahead from the Bessemer Planning Commission on Wednesday, following a public hearing to review its site plan for a convenience store on the south side of U.S. 2 between Sophie and Moore streets.

City manager Charly Loper read letters from commission member George Benninghaus and residents Tom and Kady Meinke. Both letters gave support for the store, but the Meinkes expressed concern that it might bring hardship to small business owners, such as themselves. They asked Kwik Trip officials not to include a car wash in their plans so that it would not compete with their business. The Meinkes own the car wash on the other side of U.S. 2.

"Kwik Trip coming to Bessemer may provide many benefits to our city. However, we ask that the planning commission and Kwik Trip consider the negative impact this large company may have on family business in Bessemer," the Meinkes said in the letter to the commis-



Submitted graphic

A DRAWING of a proposed Kwik Trip convenience store along U.S. 2 in Bessemer, above, was among information presented to the city's planning commission on Wednesday evening.

sion. "I think Tom and Kady have done a lot. I think Kwik Trip will also do a lot for our community," said commission member Terry Kryshak. "Hopefully, between the two they can be good neighbors and

not create issues for each other."

Commissioner Dave Osier offered support of the Meinkes' request. He said he

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## Art in the Park features new events

By ZACHARY MARANO  
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IRONWOOD — Art in the Park will return to Miner's Memorial Heritage Park on Friday as part of the Emberlight Festival. In addition to the art installations in the park, there will be performance art and book club events in the coming weeks.

The first performance infusion will be "Miles on Mozart" at site 18 in the park. At the event, Emberlight Festival's artistic director Miles Mykkanen will play recordings of his favorite classical music as well as highlights from his upcoming recital at the Historic Ironwood Theater, which will be on Aug. 28.

At its first meeting on July 19, the Emberlight Festival's book club will discuss "Braiding Sweetgrass," a nonfiction book published in 2013 by the botanist Robin Wall Kimmerer.

According to the publisher, Kimmerer argues in the book "that the awakening of a wider ecological consciousness requires the acknowledgment and celebration of our reciprocal relationship with the rest of the living world."

Karen Mallum, the book club's coordinator, said Kimmerer is a member of the

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## Hurley police consider new vehicles

By ZACHARY MARANO  
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HURLEY, Wis. — Hurley's Chief of Police Chris Colassaco updated the city council's police, fire and license committee Wednesday on the police department's plans to order a new SUV, this year's

Heritage Days parade and blight problems in the city.

Colassaco said the police department wants to acquire an additional squad car in 2022, but that its preferred vehicle is no longer being manufactured for police use.

The department has an all-

wheel drive, eight-cylinder Dodge Charger, which is being discontinued, he said. The six-cylinder Dodge Charger is still being made, and the department has used this model in the past, but has often had maintenance problems with them, Colassaco said.

"We vowed that we never want to go back to those because they had motor issues and all kinds of trouble," he said.

Colassaco said he felt that

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Thursday

High 62  
Low 42

Year ago today

High 83  
Low 63

Today's records

High 98 (1936)  
Low 41 (1997)

Precipitation

24 hours to 7 a.m.  
Thursday none

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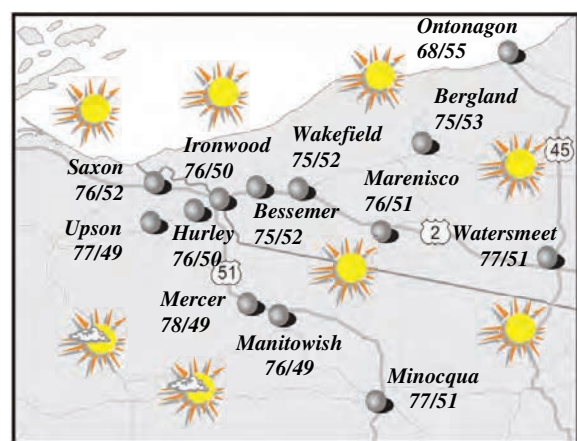


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**FIVE-DAY FORECAST FOR IRONWOOD**

TODAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
<b>Sunny</b>	<b>Mostly Sunny</b>	<b>Sunny</b>	<b>Partly Cloudy</b>	<b>Chance T-storms</b>
<b>76° 50°</b>	<b>79° 53°</b>	<b>81° 54°</b>	<b>80° 57°</b>	<b>83° 60°</b>
<b>Winds:</b> 2-7 mph ESE	<b>Winds:</b> 2-9 mph NNE	<b>Winds:</b> 2-7 mph NE	<b>Winds:</b> 2-6 mph ENE	<b>Winds:</b> 3-7 mph WSW



**LOCAL OUTLOOK**

Today we will see sunny skies, high of 76°, humidity of 41%. East southeast wind 2 to 7 mph. The record high for today is 98° set in 1936. Expect clear skies tonight, overnight low of 50°.

**SUN AND MOON**

Sunrise ..... 5:17 a.m.  
Sunset ..... 8:53 p.m.  
Moonrise ..... 4:33 a.m.  
Moonset ..... 9:08 p.m.



Associated Press  
**MICHAEL CIARLEGLIO with the city of Pinellas Park, cleans up a few tree branches while working the morning after Hurricane Elsa moved over the Tampa Bay Area, Wednesday, in Pinellas Park, Fla. The Tampa Bay area was spared major damage as Elsa stayed off shore as it passed by.**

**ALMANAC**

**Wednesday**  
High temperature ..... 61  
Low temperature ..... 46  
Precipitation ..... 0.00"

**MOON PHASES**

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7/9 7/17 7/23 7/31

**REGIONAL WEATHER**

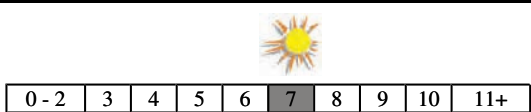
	Today	Sat.
Ashland	76/53 pc	78/59 pc
Duluth	76/56 s	80/59 s
Eau Claire	76/57 mc	79/61 t
Escanaba	73/53 s	74/56 s
Grand Rapids	77/56 pc	80/61 pc
Green Bay	75/56 s	77/60 s
Madison	75/58 pc	76/61 sh
Marquette	69/55 s	73/57 s
Rhineland	76/51 s	78/53 pc
St. Paul	79/61 sh	83/62 pc
Wausau	75/54 pc	78/55 pc

**NATIONAL WEATHER**

	Today	Sat.
Chicago	74/64 mc	75/65 sh
Dallas	89/76 pc	94/77 mc
Kansas City	92/74 pc	85/67 sh
Los Angeles	86/68 s	85/66 s
New York	86/70 sh	84/69 mc
Orlando	91/73 sh	89/74 sh
Phoenix	112/92 s	113/90 s
Seattle	79/59 pc	78/60 s

**Weather (Wx):** cl/cloudy; fl/furries; pc/partly cloudy; mc/mostly cloudy; ra/rain; rs/rain & snow; s/sunny; sh/showers; sn/snow; ss/snow showers; t/thunderstorms; w/windy

**LOCAL UV INDEX**



0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure

**WEATHER TRIVIA**

What is known as an "Indian Summer"?



**Answer:** The term refers to the first warm days that may follow the first frost.

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**Rights groups hail jailing of South Africa's ex-leader Zuma**

NKANDLA, South Africa (AP) — Human rights groups welcomed the imprisonment Thursday of former South African President Jacob Zuma, who began serving a 15-month sentence for defying a court order to testify at a judicial commission investigating allegations of widespread corruption during his 2009-18 tenure. Zuma, 79, surrendered to authorities shortly before a midnight Wednesday deadline and is being held at the Estcourt Correctional Center in KwaZulu-Natal province, about 200 kilometers (124 miles) from his rural home in Nkandla. He was put in the Estcourt prison's hospital section for assessment and will be treated like any other inmate, Minister of Justice Ronald Lamola said. Zuma will be in quar-

antine for 14 days as part of the facility's COVID-19 precautions. "This is not a moment of celebration or triumphalism. It is a moment of restraint or to be human," Lamola said in front of the Estcourt facility that can hold 521 prisoners. "We want to assure all South Africans that former president Zuma will be afforded dignity throughout his term of incarceration." The commission heard damning testimony from former Cabinet ministers and top executives of state-owned corporations that Zuma allowed members of the wealthy Gupta family to influence his Cabinet appointments and the awarding of lucrative state contracts. Zuma will wear standard prison garb and will be eligible for parole after serving a quarter of his sentence, Lamola said. The

prison will comply with rulings coming from the two court applications that Zuma's lawyers have filed against his imprisonment, the minister said. The Nelson Mandela Foundation said it was pleased Zuma is in custody but criticized him for failing "to abide by the deadline set by the Constitutional Court, thus continuing a pattern of disregard for the rule of law and for our constitutional democracy." The foundation said it is "profoundly disturbed by the willingness of Mr. Zuma to court public violence and lawlessness in support of political and personal agendas. ... This is extremely dangerous in the contexts of a country where the rule of law is under siege at so many levels. ... It is vital that Mr. Zuma and his supporters be held accountable every step of the way."

**Tropical storm pounds East Coast after killing 1 in Florida**

SAVANNAH, Ga. (AP) — Tropical Storm Elsa carved a destructive and soaking path up the East Coast after killing at least one person in Florida and spinning up a tornado at a Georgia Navy base that flipped recreational vehicles upside-down and blew one of them into a lake. Elsa's winds weakened to 40 mph, but it was dropping torrential rains over the Carolinas as it made its way through South Carolina early Thursday, the National Hurricane Center said in its latest update. Elsa was expected to move over North Carolina later in the day, pass near the eastern mid-Atlantic states by Thursday night and move near or over the northeastern United States on Friday. Some re-strengthening was possible Thursday night and Friday while the system moves close to the northeastern United States. A tropical storm warning was in effect north of Great Egg Inlet, New Jersey to Sandy Hook, New Jersey, and for the coast of Long Island from East Rockaway Inlet to the eastern tip along the south shore and from Port Jefferson Harbor eastward on the north shore. A warning was also in effect from New Haven, Connecticut to Merrimack River, Massachusetts including Cape Cod, Block Island, Martha's Vineyard, and Nantucket. There was a chance Long Island in New York would see sustained tropical storm-force winds late Thursday night and into Friday morning, the National Weather Service in New York warned. Elsa seemed to spare Florida from significant damage, though it still threatened flooding downpours and caused several

tornado warnings. The coasts of Georgia and South Carolina were under a tropical storm warning. Forecasters predicted Elsa would remain a tropical storm into Friday, and issued a tropical storm watch from North Carolina to Massachusetts. Authorities in Jacksonville, Florida, said one person was killed Wednesday when a tree fell and struck two cars. The National Weather Service reported 50 mph wind gusts in the city. The tree fell during heavy rains and no one else was injured, according to Capt. Eric Prosswimmer of the Jacksonville Fire Rescue Department. In nearby Camden County, Georgia, a possible tornado struck a park for recreational vehicles at Kings Bay Naval Submarine Base. About 10 people were injured and taken to hospitals by ambulance, said base spokesman Scott Bassett. The extent of their injuries was not immediately clear. He said some buildings on the base appeared to have been damaged as well. An EF-2 tornado flipped over multiple RVs, blowing one of the overturned vehicles about 200 feet into a lake, the National Weather Service said in a preliminary report early Thursday after its employees surveyed the damage. Debris from the RVs was strewn throughout the park, the agency said. Sergio Rodriguez, who lives near the RV park, said he raced to the scene fearing friends staying at the park might be hurt. The area was under a tornado warning Wednesday evening. "There were just RVs flipped over on their sides, pickup trucks flipped over, a couple of trailers had

been shifted and a couple of trailers were in the water" of a pond on the site, Rodriguez said in a phone interview. Cellphone video he filmed at the scene showed trees bent low among scattered debris. He said ambulances arrived and began treating dazed people trying to understand what had happened. "A bunch of folks had lacerations and were just banged around," Rodriguez said. "A majority of folks were in their trailers when it happened." The hurricane center said there was a risk of flooding in South Carolina, which was predicted to get 3 to 5 inches of rainfall. More than 7 inches of rain was recorded at a weather station near Gainesville, Florida, the weather service reported. More than 5 inches of rain had fallen by early Thursday at Sapelo Island off the Georgia coast; and at a weather station along the Savannah River in Jasper County, South Carolina. Scattered power outages were being reported along Elsa's path Wednesday evening, with about 35,000 homes and businesses on either side of the Georgia-Florida state line without electricity, according to the website power-outages.us. The storm complicated the search for potential survivors and victims in the collapse of a Miami-area condominium on June 24. Regardless, crews continued the search in the rubble of Champlain Towers South in Surfside, Florida, on the state's southeast coast. The storm also temporarily halted demolition Wednesday on the remainder of an overturned cargo ship off the coast of Georgia. The South Korean freighter Golden Ray capsized in September 2019 off St. Simons Island, about 70 miles south of Savannah. Crews have removed more than half the ship since November. Most salvage workers were sheltering indoors Wednesday, said Coast Guard Petty Officer 2nd Class Michael Himes, a spokesperson for the multi-agency command overseeing the demolition. Himes said crews would be watching to see if Elsa's winds scatter any debris from the ship into the surrounding water. The vessel's remains are open at both ends, like a giant tube on its side, and its cargo decks still contain hundreds of bashed and mangled cars. In Edisto Beach, South Carolina, Wednesday started muggy and overcast. "The kind of day you can just feel the weather wanting to move in," Mayor Jane Darby said.

**★ THIS DAY IN HISTORY ★**  
**July 9**

- 1918 101 killed and 171 injured in worst US train wreck, Nashville, Tennessee
- 1955 Bill Haley & Comets' "Rock Around the Clock" tops the billboards chart, one of the best-selling singles ever
- 1956 Dick Clark's first appearance as host of American Bandstand
- 1991 South Africa readmitted to Olympics

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Briefs

**Finnish class planned at Little Finland**

KIMBALL, Wis. — Little Finland will offer Finnish classes on Monday with instructor Seija Jarvenpaa — beginners at 2 p.m., advanced at 3 p.m.

**Northwoods Summer Art Tour to return**

Thirty-eight members of the Northwoods Art Tour are preparing their individual studios and galleries for the 22nd annual Summer Tour, Friday through Sunday, July 23-25, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Brochures and with descriptions of individual studios are available at area chambers of commerce and at northwoodsarttour.com.

The self-guided tour offers stops at artists' locations in Iron, Vilas, Oneida and Lincoln counties. Their work, while all original, is varied and includes many painting and drawing media, functional and decorative works in fiber, clay, wood, glass and natural materials.

Artists will demonstrate aspects of their working process, what materials they use and how they approach the creative process.

The COVID situation is in flux, and individual studios have made their own decisions regarding masking and other precautions.

Calendar

Email calendar items and community news to [news@yourdailyglobe.com](mailto:news@yourdailyglobe.com). For more information, call 906-932-2211.

**Friday, July 9**

**Mercer Cribbage**, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Mercer Senior Center.

**Double Trouble**, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Serenity Center, Ironwood.

**Alcoholics Anonymous/Al-Anon**, noon, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood.

**Mercer Food Pantry**, noon-1 p.m., Railroad Street, Mercer, Wis. Emergencies: 715-476-7655.

**Harbortown AA**, 7:30 p.m. EST, Ontonagon United Methodist Church basement, next to Holiday gas station, Ontonagon. area74.org.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, 7:30 p.m., Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

**Saturday, July 10**

**Union Station Food Pantry and Northern Food Bank**, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., 252 E. Ayer St., Ironwood.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, 11 a.m., Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

**Community Pickleball Paddlers**, 2-5 p.m., Mercer School gymnasium. 715-776-4588.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, 7 p.m., Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

**Sunday, July 11**

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, 1 p.m., closed meeting, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood.

**Mercer Health and Wellness Pickleball**, 3-6 p.m., Mercer Community Center.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, 6 p.m., Sharon Lutheran Church, Bessemer. area74.org.

**Narcotics Anonymous**, 7 p.m., United Methodist Church, Wakefield, 706 Putnam St.

**Monday, July 12**

**Men's Bible study**, 8 a.m., Bessemer Housing Community, community room, 906-667-0469.

**Gogebic-Ontonagon Community Action Agency food commodity distribution for seniors**, GOCAA, 100 S. Mill St., Bessemer, from 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Wakefield VFW, 9-9:30 a.m.; Sunset Manor Apartments, Wakefield, community room, 9:45-10 a.m.; Riverview Apartments, Wakefield, parking lot, 10:15-10:30 a.m.; Hillcrest Apartments, Bessemer, community room, noon-12:15 p.m.; Fairview Apartments, Bessemer, community room, 12:30-12:45 p.m.

**Iron County Food Pantry**, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 72 Michigan Ave., Montreal, Wis. 715-561-4450.

**National Finnish American Festival Board**, 10 a.m., Little Finland, Kimball, Wis.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, noon, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

**Overeaters Anonymous**, 5:30 p.m., All Saints Lutheran Church, Wakefield.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, 6 p.m., Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

**Aurora Club**, 6 p.m. monthly membership, Aurora Club, Ironwood.

**Narcotics Anonymous**, 7 p.m., Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood.

**Grief Share Support Group**, 7 p.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, Ironwood.

**Harbortown AA**, 7:30 p.m. EST, Ontonagon United Methodist Church basement, next to Holiday gas station, Ontonagon. area74.org.

**Government Gogebic-Iron County Airport Board**, 10 a.m., at the airport.

**Bessemer Township Board**, 5 p.m., Township Hall, Ramsay.

**Wakefield City Council**, 5:30 p.m., City Hall.

**Ironwood City Commission**, 5:30 p.m., Memorial Building.

**Marenisco Township Board**, 6 p.m., township hall.

**Ironwood Township Board**, 6 p.m., Township offices.

**Tuesday, July 13**

**Pickleball**, 9 a.m.-noon, Patterson Courts, Ironwood. If rain: Memorial Building.

**Gogebic County Veterans Service Officer**, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Ironwood Memorial Building. 906-667-1110.

**St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry and Financial Assistance**, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., located behind Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church, Ironwood. 906-932-4325.

**Friends of the Mercer Public Library**, 10 a.m., library, Mercer, Wis.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, noon, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood. area74.org.

**Ironwood Kiwanis Club**, noon, Golden Dragon.

**Bessemer American Legion Post 27**, 5 p.m., American Legion, Bessemer.

**Wakefield VFW Post 9084, Ladies Auxiliary**, VFW Post, 6 p.m.; lunch, 5:30 p.m.

**Gathering, Participating and Supporting**, 6 p.m., developmental disability advocacy group, Community Mental Health, Wakefield. 906-229-6170.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, 6 p.m., Sharon Lutheran Church, Bessemer. area74.org.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**, 7 p.m., Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration, Ironwood. area74.org.

**Government Hurley City Council**, 5 p.m., city hall.

**Montreal City Council**, 5:30 p.m., city hall.

**Town of Pence**, 6 p.m., Pence, Wis., Town Hall.

**Kimball Town Board**, 6:30 p.m., Kimball, Wis., Community Center.

**Wednesday, July 14**

**Christian Men of the Northland**, 6:30 a.m., Uptown Cafe, Ironwood.

**Mentoring of Moms**, 9-10:30 a.m., Range Community Bible Church, Hurley. 715-561-4355.

**St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry and Financial Assistance**, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., located behind Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church, Ironwood. 906-932-4325.

**Alcoholics Anonymous, open meeting**, noon, Salem Lutheran Church, Ironwood.

**DOVE Support Group**, noon-2 p.m. 906-932-4990.

**Ironwood-Hurley Rotary Club**, 12:15 p.m., Elk and Hound Restaurant, Ironwood.

**Iron County Veterans Service Officer**, 1-3 p.m., Mercer, Wis., Town Hall. 715-561-2190.

**Mercer Health and Wellness Pickleball**, 3-6 p.m., Mercer Community Center.

**Festival Ironwood at Depot Park**: Music, 5-10 p.m.; bounce house opens, 6 p.m.; Fat Tire Club ride, 6 p.m.; Superior Riders bike ride, 6:30 p.m.

# Emerald ash borer found in Iron County

HURLEY — The existence of the emerald ash borer was officially confirmed by the United States Department of Agriculture in Iron County last month, according to a joint release by the Iron County Land and Water office and the University of Wisconsin-Extension Iron County.

Iron County became the 60th Wisconsin county to be confirmed to have EAB, said the release.

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources forest health specialist Linda Williams found dead black ash trees with extensive woodpecker damage along U.S. 51 in Oma near the town's Volunteer Fire Department. Upon further investigation, the confirmation was made, the release said.

Wisconsin has been trying to slow the spread of EAB since 2008 when it was first found in the state. Since then, there was a large campaign to ask folks not to move firewood and other forest products from within a certain radius to slow the spread of EAB.

"This small insect has a major impact on our ash trees. While the adults eat the foliage, which causes little damage, the larvae eat the inner bark preventing the tree from trans-

porting water and nutrients, ultimately killing the tree," said the release. "Adult EAB can be identified as a metallic green bullet shaped beetle that is 3/8 to 1/2 inch long. Emerald ash borers move relatively slowly, moving 1/2 mile and up to 5 miles in search of ash to feed on. They feed on true ash trees: this includes white ash, green ash, blue ash and black ash. Mountain ash is not a true ash and therefore not affected by EAB."

Iron County's forests consist of mainly black ash in lowland hardwood areas and some areas with white ash, which grows in more fertile upland hardwood forests. White ash is also a common landscape tree in the area. Green ash is less common but is associated with stream banks, according to the release.

"You can identify ash trees by their branches that are opposite of each other on the stem, as well as by bark and leaves," said the release.

An identification guide for ash trees and EAB is located at: [emeraldashborer.info/documents/E-2942.pdf](http://emeraldashborer.info/documents/E-2942.pdf).

"While there is no known way to eliminate EAB from the area once it has been introduced, folks should limit the movement of ash firewood and bolts in order to slow the spread

of this insect throughout the county or to other counties where it has not yet been introduced," said the release. "EAB can emerge from untreated firewood up to two years after cutting. There are treatments that have proved effective on treating individual trees if you have a valuable personal tree that you are attached to. Diverse forests, parks, street trees and yards are the best line of defense to pests like EAB."

Those with concerns about trees on their property and want help with managing EAB, can contact the WDNR's Professional Forester page at: [dnr.wisconsin.gov/topic/forestlandowners/assist](http://dnr.wisconsin.gov/topic/forestlandowners/assist).

Homeowners can get information though your local UW-Madison Extension Iron County office at 715-561-2629.

Darrin Kimbler, the extension's agriculture educator in Iron County can assist homeowners with ash tree and EAB identification as well as provide resources on determining if their tree is worth protecting, finding a certified arborist to assist in protection and alternative trees to ash as lawn trees.

Additional homeowner information can be found at [eab.russell.wisc.edu](http://eab.russell.wisc.edu).

## NMU sets theater schedule

MARQUETTE — Northern Michigan University's Theatre and Dance Department has released its schedule of 2021-2022 productions, which will be performed for live audiences again after the pandemic required a pivot to virtual shows last season.

"We want to thank NMU and the larger Marquette community for their continued patience, support and understanding throughout the past year," said Bill Digneit, department head. "We could not be more grateful for all the love they've shown us during these unprecedented times. We had a blast creating our digital productions last season, and are thrilled that our students had the opportunity to learn more about producing and performing for film."

The academic year schedule follows:

Sept. 3-4: Spotlight Variety Show, Shoreline Theatre

Sept. 30 and Oct. 2: CO/LAB COLLECTIVE, Forest Roberts Theatre

Oct. 15-16 and 20-23: "Above the Timberline," FRT

Dec. 3-4 and 8-11: "Elf the Musical," FRT

Jan. 28-29 and Feb. 2-5: "Next to Normal," FRT

Feb. 18-19 and 23-26: "The Wolves," James A. Panowski Black Box Theatre

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The summer 2022 North Coast Theatre Festival and North Coast Dance Festival will include:

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## FIREWORKS PREP



P.J. Glisson/Daily Globe

**IN PREPARATION for July 2 fireworks on Lake Gogebic in Marenisco Township, Brian Berquist backs a barge of pyrotechnics into lake as Heath Pittsley guides him. The Friday night show represented the first of three nights of fireworks within the township.**

## Wisconsin National Guard headed to southern border

MADISON, Wis. — Approximately 125 Wisconsin Army National Guard Soldiers will mobilize this fall as part of a current Department of Defense mission assisting the U.S. Department of Homeland Security along the southwest U.S. border.

The 229th Engineer Company from Prairie du Chien and Richland Center will conduct a short-notice federal mobilization assisting U.S. Customs and Border Protection with non-law enforcement activities for about one year.

Wisconsin is one of 23 states that will continue a current federal mission ordered by the President along the southwest border into next year.

All Wisconsin troops will mobilize in a Title 10 status, meaning they were ordered to federal active duty by the President and will operate under federal control with federal funding from the Department of Defense.

The Wisconsin National Guard continues to maintain a high operations tempo with nearly 500 troops mobilized for the state's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Meanwhile, dozens of Airmen from the Wisconsin Air National Guard continue worldwide mobilizations, and approximately 50 Soldiers from the

Wisconsin Army National Guard's Waukesha-based 135th Medical Company remain in the Middle East providing medical care for U.S. and coalition forces in the region. The Sparta and Viroqua-based 107th Maintenance Company also mobilized this spring for deployment to eastern Europe.

Madison's 176th Cyber Protection Team also remains mobilized to Fort Meade, Maryland in support of U.S. Cyber Command and Cyber National Mission Force requirements.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the last time, day, and place for filing nominating petitions for the elective office of Ironwood City Commissioner for the City of Ironwood is TUESDAY, JULY 20, 2021 at 4:00 P.M. (local time) at the City Clerk's Office in the Municipal Memorial Building, 213 S. Marquette St., Ironwood, Michigan.

To qualify as a candidate for the Ironwood City Commission the petitioner must be an elector in the City of Ironwood, and must obtain signatures of not less than twenty-five (25) or more than forty (40) registered electors of the City of Ironwood.

Official nominating petition forms may be obtained at the City Clerk's Office from 7:30 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Monday-Friday.

Karen M. Gullan, City Clerk, CMC, MiPMC2



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## In Their Opinion Study underlines WDNR's spring failures

The goal of Wisconsin's Department of Natural Resources with regard to the state's wolf population is stability. More evidence is emerging that it badly failed in that with the wolf hunt this past spring.

A trio of researchers, including from the University of Wisconsin, concluded the state's total wolf population is now somewhere between 695 and 751 animals. In the spring of 2020 it was around 1,034. Assuming a reasonable degree of accuracy with those estimates, Wisconsin has lost between a quarter and a third of all wolves in a single year.

To state the obvious, that's not stabilizing a population.

There are questions. Estimates on wild populations are always tough. Wolves aren't exactly up for a formal census, of course. And it's difficult to say how the spring's hunt affected the success of the wolves' breeding season. We don't know how many were born this summer, and that's not an insignificant factor.

Other experts have questioned the report's estimates on "cryptic hunting," cases in which hunters deliberately hide carcasses or destroy radio collars. It's also worth noting that some of the losses undoubtedly came from other, non-hunting causes. It's far rarer to hit a wolf while driving than a deer, for example, but it does happen.

But the overarching conclusion backs up what officials knew almost from the moment last season's hunting began. It was a badly botched effort.

Wisconsin hunters officially took 218 wolves during the season. The target was 119. We've heard some people try to justify the outcome by saying the overall number the DNR authorized was 200 wolves. That's true. But the gap between the target and what was authorized were reserved for tribal hunting. Whether the tribes planned to hunt those wolves or not is irrelevant. They simply weren't for other hunters to take.

The study will unquestionably add fuel for those who want the Biden administration to reinstate protections for gray wolves. As with our last editorial on the subject, we're not going to take a position on whether the administration should yield to those demands.

What we're focused on is Wisconsin, and at this point things need to proceed with the anticipation that a fall hunt will be allowed. Wisconsin law requires the DNR to have one if federal protections are not in place. Even a relatively swift action by Washington standards would quite likely come later than when the hunt would be held.

Hunting in Wisconsin is, first and foremost, a means of conserving and preserving the state's natural resources. Yes, there are those who definitely depend on the animals they hunt for sustenance. But those hunters are in the minority. Most hunt for reasons other than need.

We disagree with those who are morally opposed to all hunting. It is a legitimate tool in conservation, one that has a long tradition in Wisconsin. Generations of families can tell stories about hunting with each other or weeks spent in deer camps. Reinforcing those ties while helping manage the state's deer population, for example, benefits everyone.

But uncontrolled hunts that blow past the state's conservation goals don't accomplish those same benefits. They bring justifiable criticism. They offer the opportunity to create a caricature of hunters as people who care more about killing than the other aspects of hunting that are, to many, more important. The spring's DNR debacle failed hunters, conservationists and the species the DNR was trying to manage.

As we said in February, hunting must take place in the context of conserving the state's resources. Obliteration is not conservation. It damages the natural world now, and leaves far fewer opportunities in the future. We cannot repeat the kind of mistakes Americans of past generations made with regard to hunting. We got lucky that we still have bison in our country. But luck isn't a good strategy.

Wisconsin residents depend on the DNR to preserve our shared resources for the future. It is imperative that the DNR do a better job of planning for the upcoming wolf season. It cannot afford to have another one spin out of control in less than a week, the way the spring did.

Hunting has its place. It is among the oldest human activities. But there can be no excuses for a repeated failure this fall.

Eau Claire Leader-Telegram

# Schools need parental involvement

Question my sanity, but I'm considering running in this election to recall California's Democratic Gov. Gavin Newsom. Here's a big reason why.

No one doubts that bad K-12 public school teachers exist. There is a phenomenon known as the "turkey trot," in which bad teachers wind up in the worst schools.

Why? There is a connection between bad schools and lack of parental involvement. When you have strong parental involvement, parents pressure their schools to remove such teachers. Because of strong, protective teachers unions, these teachers are rarely fired, merely shuffled from school to school, until they land in one where few parents complain.

And while the vast majority of teachers do not fall into that "bad" category, look at where public school teachers send their own school-age children. Nationwide, approximately 10% of kids attend private school. Six percent of Black kids do so. But more than 20% of public school teachers send their own kids to private schools.

A 2004 study by the Fordham Institute found that 44% of Philadelphia public school teachers send their kids to private schools. In Cincinnati and Chicago, 41% and 39% of public school teachers, respectively, put their own school-age children in private school.

In Baltimore, in 2017, there were 13 public high schools where 0% of students could do math at grade level, with another half a dozen Baltimore public high schools where only 1% could do so. So, it is hardly a surprise that Fordham's study



Larry Elder

found 35% of Baltimore public school teachers with school-age kids placed them in private school. In San Francisco it was 34%, and New York-Northeastern New Jersey was 33%. In Los Angeles, nearly 25% of public school teachers sent their kids to private school, versus 16% of Angelenos who did so.

For this reason, school choice has never polled higher. A June 2021 RealClear Opinion Research poll found support for school choice at 74% among registered voters. This includes 83% of Republicans, 69% of independents and 70% of Democrats who strongly or somewhat support school choice. In April, 2020, support for choice was 64%. Tommy Schultz, CEO of the American Federation for Children, said: "Public support for school choice is at an all-time high. And, as the nation recovers from unprecedented, nationwide school closures, a new story is unfolding. Parents are rising up and demanding the freedom to choose the best educational environment for their children. ... Already in 2021, seventeen states have passed legislation to improve, expand, or create new school choice programs."

School choice is not a panacea,

especially without strong parental involvement. Studies show that Black kids spend less time doing homework than Hispanic kids, less time on homework than white kids and much less time on homework than Asian American kids. Economist Walter Williams told me, "If you don't have someone in your household to make sure that you do your homework and to insist that you go to bed on time, the school you attend will not make a whole lot of difference."

When I was in elementary and middle school, several classmates were Asian American, most of Chinese or Japanese descent. They all told me the same thing. If they got a B — they rarely got a grade lower than that — their parents told them they did not work hard enough. If they got an A, their parents told them the test was too easy. Their parents did not accept the notion often heard from my Black classmates, that so-and-so is "just not good in math." The parents of my Asian American classmates believed that in academics, as athletic coaches say, "Hard work beats talent when talent doesn't work hard."

School choice benefits children of parents who preach that education and hard work are key to upward mobility. School choice will be of little benefit to the kids of parents who do not.

Please let me know your thoughts about my possible candidacy at LarryAElder@gmail.com. We've got a state to save.

Larry Elder is a bestselling author and nationally syndicated radio talk show host. Learn more at LarryElder.com.

## Today in history

By The Associated Press  
Today's Highlight in History

On July 9, 2004, a Senate Intelligence Committee report concluded the CIA had provided unfounded assessments of the threat posed by Iraq that the Bush administration had relied on to justify going to war.

**On this date**  
In 1540, England's King Henry VIII had his 6-month-old marriage to his fourth wife, Anne of Cleves, annulled.

In 1776, the Declaration of Independence was read aloud to Gen. George Washington's troops in New York.

In 1918, 101 people were killed in a train collision in Nashville, Tennessee. The Distinguished Service Cross was established by an Act of Congress.

In 1937, a fire at 20th Century Fox's film storage facility in Little Ferry, New Jersey, destroyed most of the studio's silent films.

In 1943, during World War II, the Allies launched Operation Husky, the invasion of Sicily.

In 1944, during World War II, American forces secured Saipan as the last Japanese defenses fell.

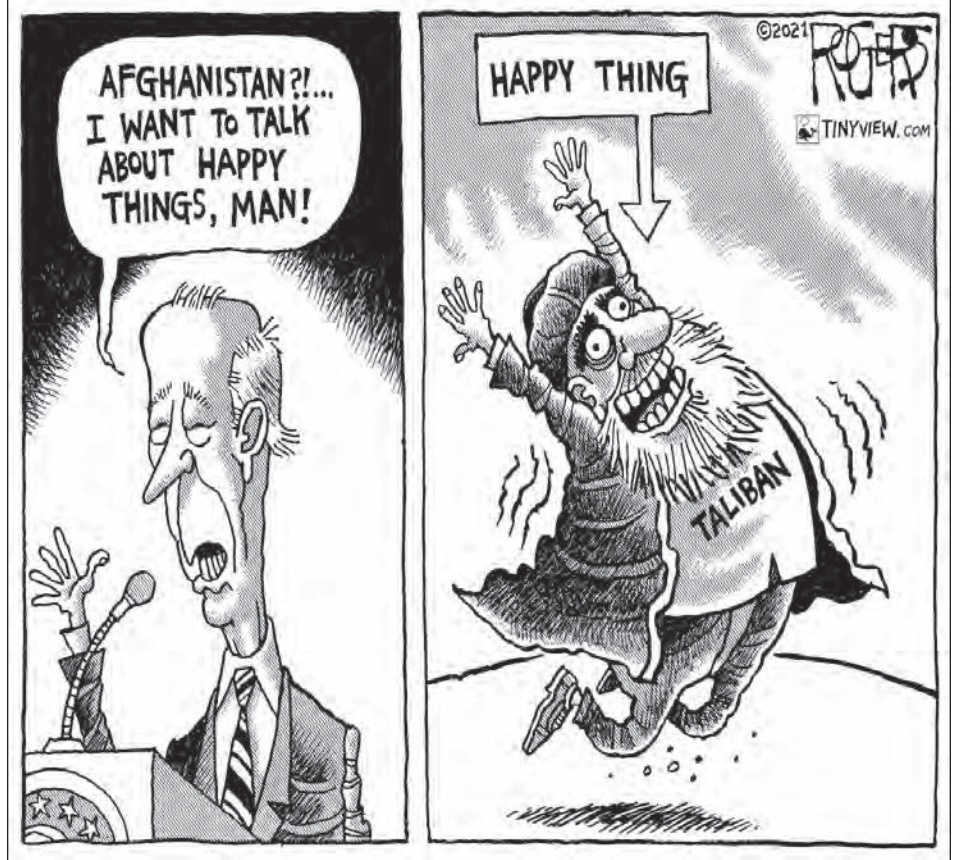
In 1947, the engagement of Britain's Princess Elizabeth to Lt. Philip Mountbatten was announced.

In 1982, Pan Am Flight 759, a Boeing 727, crashed in Kenner, Louisiana, shortly after takeoff from New Orleans International Airport, killing all 145 people aboard and eight people on the ground.

In 1992, Democrat Bill Clinton tapped Tennessee Sen. Al Gore to be his running mate. Former CBS News commentator Eric Sevareid died in Washington at age 79.

In 1999, a jury in Los Angeles ordered General Motors Corp. to pay \$4.9 billion to six people severely burned when their Chevrolet Malibu exploded in flames in a rear-end collision. (A judge later reduced the punitive damages to \$1.09 billion, while letting stand \$107 million in compensatory damages; GM settled the lawsuit in July 2003 for an undisclosed amount.)

In 2010, the largest U.S.-Russia spy swap since the Cold War was completed on a



remote stretch of Vienna airport tarmac as planes from New York and Moscow arrived within minutes of each other with 10 Russian sleeper agents and four prisoners accused by Russia of spying for the West.

In 2015, South Carolina Gov. Nikki Haley relegated the Confederate flag to the state's "relic room" after the legislature passed a measure removing the flag from the grounds of the Statehouse in the wake of the slaughter of nine African-Americans at a church Bible study.

**Ten years ago:** South Sudan became the world's newest nation, officially breaking away from Sudan after two civil wars over five decades that had cost millions of lives. Derek Jeter homered for his 3,000th hit, making him the first player to reach the mark with the New York Yankees, who defeated the Tampa Bay Rays, 5-4.

**Five years ago:** President Barack Obama wrapped up his visit to the NATO summit in Warsaw before heading to Madrid for a visit cut short because of violence back home, where five Dallas police

officers had been killed by a sniper and two Black men were dead after being shot by police. Serena Williams won her record-tying 22nd Grand Slam title by beating Angelique Kerber 7-5, 6-3 in the Wimbledon final and pulling even with Steffi Graf for the most major championships in the Open era, which began in 1968.

**One year ago:** The World Health Organization acknowledged the possibility that COVID-19 might be spread in the air under certain conditions; more than 200 scientists, in an open letter, had urged the agency to do so. The head of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Dr. Robert Redfield, said federal health officials would not revise their coronavirus guidelines for reopening schools, despite criticism from President Donald Trump. New York Mayor Bill de Blasio used a roller to help paint "Black Lives Matter" in front of Trump's namesake Manhattan tower. The Supreme Court ruled in favor of a New York prosecutor's demands for Trump's tax records.

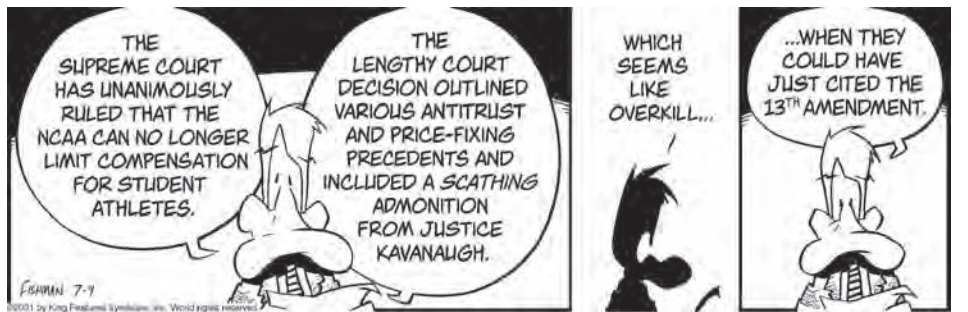
**Today's Birthdays**  
Actor-singer Ed Ames is 94.

Actor Richard Roundtree is 79. Singer Dee Dee Kenniebrew (The Crystals) is 76. Author Dean Koontz is 76. Football Hall of Famer O.J. Simpson is 74. Actor Chris Cooper is 70. TV personality John Tesh is 69. Country singer David Ball is 68. Business executive/TV personality Kevin O'Leary (TV: "Shark Tank") is 67. R&B singer Debbie Sledge (Sister Sledge) is 67. Actor Jimmy Smits is 66. Actor Tom Hanks is 65. Singer Marc Almond is 64. Actor Kelly McGillis is 64. Rock singer Jim Kerr (Simple Minds) is 62. Actor-rock singer Courtney Love is 57. Rock musician Frank Bello (Anthrax) is 56. Actor David O'Hara is 56. Actor Pamela Adlon is 55. Actor Scott Grimes is 50. Actor Enrique Murciano is 48. Rock singer-musician Isaac Brock (Modest Mouse) is 46. Musician/producer Jack White is 46. Rock musician Dan Estrin (Hoobastank) is 45. Actor-director Fred Savage is 45. Actor Linda Park is 43. Actor Megan Parlen is 41. R&B singer Kiely Williams (31w) is 35. Actor Mitchel Musso is 30. Actor Georgie Henley is 26.

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# Funding

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Pikes Bay Sanitary District to conduct the Blue Wing Bay feasibility study of sanitary sewer collection system expansion. The project would extend sanitary sewer services to the Blue Wing Bay area between Wisconsin 13 and Lake Superior in Bayfield County.

Northland College will receive \$28,058 to conduct microbial source tracking as part of investigating the presence of DNA markers such as human, avian, canine and ruminant at four city of Ashland public beaches and nearby storm water outfalls. The work is part of the effort to improve beach health in the city.

The Superior Rivers Watershed Association received \$17,229 to conduct a 10 year revision of the Marengo River Watershed management plan. The project will revise a nine key element watershed plan and re-evaluate several watershed plan elements.

The city of Superior received \$150,000 to conduct the initial phases of the Woodstock Bay low impact public access project. The project will convert an undeveloped parcel of land along the Woodstock Bay waterfront into a rustic public access point using low-impact design techniques while also including amenities such as vault toilets, picnic

tables, benches, and bike and kayak racks.

The fund provides \$16,850 to create a Lake Superior projects database to support knowledge sharing and future action planning. The project will create a web-based database of projects from information collected in various natural resource projects that were completed in Wisconsin's Lake Superior basin from 2015 to 2020.

Statewide project funding includes the University of Wisconsin Sea Grant Institute that received \$52,330 to sponsor a one-year coastal hazards fellowship. The fellow will focus on science and policy challenges related to increasing coastal community resilience across the Great Lakes region.

The Wisconsin Wildlife Federation subsidiary FIELD Edventures received \$10,000 to enhance Great Lakes environmental education in schools of four coastal communities along Lake Michigan and Lake Superior. The goal of the "Great Lakes Inquiry: Engaging in Place-Based Education in K-12 Schools" is to address opportunity gaps in Great Lakes education.

The University of Wisconsin-Madison Division of Extension received \$35,979 to adapt the Wisconsin Master Naturalist program to an online platform. The hybrid training tool will include 12 modules of content to be completed asynchronously over a six-week time frame.

# Burn

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"It's a real nice garage," said Singleton of the large out building directly behind the house that burned.

As the men pushed in the final southwest wall of what had been the house, the chimney fell seconds later, breaking the north-side foundation as it crashed. The basement held the ashes of the structure and all its contents.

"It'll smolder all night

long," said the chief.

Although foundation blocks still lie around the perimeter of the burned house, Singleton said that — once the ashes cool — the new owners will push the blocks into the basement, fill the hole completely, and then level the ground.

Neighbors on each side then also will see a greater expanse of grass on each side and will enjoy more privacy.

During the entire fire, the nearby house at 110 Ahola Ave. was protected by a sprinkler system.

# Police

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there were no feasible squad cars left in production, so he was considering the Chevy Tahoe or a Ford hybrid SUV. He said these vehicles are more costly and would have to be newly outfitted for police use because the department's current equipment will not be compatible with SUVs.

"I'd prefer a car any day of the week for what we do, but they're kind of forcing our hands," Colassaco said. The Heritage Days parade was canceled in 2020 because of safety concerns regarding the coronavirus pandemic. The city council agreed in June to go forward with this year's parade when it was determined it could be held safely.

Colassaco said he was much more comfortable about the parade going forward than he was in March. He cited statistics from the Iron County Health Department which said there were only two active COVID-19 cases in the county and 54% of the county had been fully vaccinated.

Colassaco said that the police department will make street closures prior to the parade, set from July 31 at 2 p.m. on Silver Street.

Hurley police have issued three blight citations recently and are working with the owners of the blighted properties, Colassaco said.

In other business, the committee: —Approved bartender's licenses to 11 people.

—Approved a Combination Class B Beer and Liquor License to Colleen Robinson of Copper Street Pub.

## Public Works

At the public works committee meeting earlier that afternoon, Street Commissioner Scott Santini updated the board on the basketball courts being constructed at Riccelli Park.

Santini said there is grease buildup in the sewer on Taconite Street. He said that the committee will receive funding from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources for new lead service lines on July 28. The DNR will also perform a once-in-three-years sanitary survey in August, he said.

## FRIDAY EVENING

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
BROADCAST	<b>3</b> CW KDLH	Gossip Girl "Just Another Girl on the MTA" A new school year starts. (TV14)	Whose Line Is It?	Seinfeld (TVPG)	Seinfeld (TVPG)	Schitt's Creek (TVPG)	Schitt's Creek (TVPG)	The Goldbergs (TVPG)	The Goldbergs (TVPG)		
	<b>5</b> CBS WJMN	Secret Celebrity Renovation (TVPG) (CC)	Love Island (N) (TVPG) (CC)	Blue Bloods (TV14) (CC) (DVS)	The End (TV14) (CC) (DVS)	Local 3 News at 6	(:35) The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (TVPG)	James Corden			
	<b>6</b> NBC KBJR	2021 Stanley Cup Final Tampa Bay Lightning at Montreal Canadiens. (N) (Live) (CC)					(:34) The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon (TVPG)	Seth Meyers			
	<b>8</b> NBC WLUC	2021 Stanley Cup Final Tampa Bay Lightning at Montreal Canadiens. (N) (Live) (CC)					(:34) The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon (TVPG)	Seth Meyers			
	<b>10</b> ABC WDIO	Shark Tank (TVPG) (CC) (DVS)	(:01) 20/20 "The Sins of the Fathers" A man nearly gets away with murder. (CC)				WDIO News at Ten (N)	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! (TV14) (CC)	(:37) Nightline (N)		
	<b>11</b> FOX KQDS	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (N) (Live) (TVPG)				News	Friday Night Frerzy	2 Broke Girls (TV14)	Big Bang Theory	Last Man Standing (TVPG)	Modern Family (TVPG)
	<b>12</b> FOX FOXUP	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (N) (Live) (TVPG)				TV 6 Night Report (N)	2 Broke Girls (TV14)	2 Broke Girls (TV14)	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	Impractical Jokers
	<b>13</b> PBS WNMU	Washington Week (N)	Off the Record	The Seaside Hotel "End of Season" (TV14)	Song of the Mountains (TVG) (CC)		Amanpour and Company (N) (CC) (CC)	The Day (CC)	Finding Your		
	<b>20</b> PBS WLEF	Washington Week (N)	Here and Now (CC)	Frankie Drake Mysteries (TVPG) (CC)	Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries (TVPG) (CC)		Director's Cut (N) (CC)	Director's Cut Presents "Rendezvous in Chicago" (N) (CC)			
	<b>7</b> HSN	Shannon's In	Fashion Fridays	Mine Finds by Jay King	Mine Finds by Jay King	Mine Finds by Jay King	Mine Finds by Jay King	Home Office Celebration			
	<b>16</b> TWC	World's Deadliest	World's Deadliest	World's Deadliest	World's Deadliest	World's Deadliest	Tornado Alley (TVPG)	Tornado Alley (TVPG)			
	<b>17</b> CBC	2021 Stanley Cup Final: Lightning at Canadiens				The National (N) (CC)	CBC Arts	Coronation	Coronation		
<b>21</b> WTBS	** Suicide Squad '16, Action) Will Smith, Jared Leto. (CC) (DVS)				(:40) ** The Hitman's Bodyguard (N) (CC)	Ryan Reynolds. (CC) (DVS)					
<b>23</b> WGN-A	NewsNation Prime (N)	NewsNation Prime (N)	Banfield (N) (CC)			The Donlon Report (CC)	NewsNation Prime (CC)				
<b>30</b> FX	*** Deadpool '16) Ryan Reynolds, Morena Baccarin. (CC) (CC)				** Venom '18, Action) Tom Hardy, Michelle Williams. (CC) (CC)						
<b>31</b> CNN	Anderson Cooper 360 (N)	Cuomo Prime Time (N)	Don Lemon Tonight (N)	Anderson Cooper 360	Cuomo Prime Time						
<b>32</b> USA	Pretty	*** Waiting to Exhale '95) Whitney Houston. (CC) (CC)	(:45) Chicago P.D. (TV14)			(10:47) Chicago P.D. (TV14)					
<b>34</b> ESPN	(6:00) UFC Live (N) (Live)	WNBA Basketball Seattle Storm at Phoenix Mercury. (TV14)	UFC Main Event (TV14)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	UFC Countdown (TV14)	UFC Main Event (TV14)				
<b>35</b> LIFE	Doomsday Mom: Lori Vallow Story: Enhanced		Cellmate Secrets: Susan	Doomsday Mom: Lori Vallow Story: Enhanced							
<b>36</b> FSD	MLB Baseball Detroit Tigers at Minnesota Twins. (N) (Live)			Tigers Live	Tigers Live	Ring of Honor Wrestling					
<b>38</b> TDC	Gold Rush (N) (TV14)	(:02) Bering Sea Gold (N) (TV14) (CC)		(:03) Bering Sea Gold (TV14) (CC)		Gold Rush (TV14) (CC)					
<b>39</b> BRAVO	(5:30) ** Fast Five '11)	** Fast Five '11, Action) Vin Diesel, Paul Walker. (CC) (CC)		** Fast & Furious '09) Vin Diesel.							
<b>40</b> COM	Creek	Creek	Creek	Creek	Creek	Jim Gaffigan	Chappelle's	Chappelle's			
<b>41</b> TRUTV	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	** Let's Be Cops '14, Comedy) Jake Johnson. (CC)	** Let's Be Cops '14					
<b>42</b> E!	Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone	(:35) *** Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets '02) Daniel Radcliffe. (CC) (DVS)									
<b>43</b> HIST	Ancient Aliens (TVPG)	(:02) Ancient Aliens (TV14)	(:05) Ancient Aliens (TV14)	(:05) Ancient Aliens (TV14)	(:05) Ancient Aliens (TV14)	(:03) Ancient Aliens (TV14)					
<b>44</b> A&E	The First 48 (TVPG)	The First 48 (TV14)	(:01) The First 48 (TV14)	(:04) The First 48 (TVPG)	(:03) The First 48 (TVPG)						
<b>47</b> NICK	SpongeBob	Patrick Star	Friends	Friends (TV14)	Friends (TV14)	Friends (TV14)	Friends (TV14)	Friends (TV14)	Friends (TV14)	Friends (TV14)	
<b>48</b> FREE	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	The 700 Club (N) (CC)	Simpsons	Simpsons		
<b>49</b> PARMT	(6:00) ** Mr. & Mrs. Smith '05) Brad Pitt. (CC) (CC)		** Red 2 '13, Action) Bruce Willis, John Malkovich. (CC) (CC)					Mr. Smith			
<b>50</b> CMT	Mom (TV14)	Mom (TV14)	Mom (TV14)	Mom (TV14)	Mom (TV14)	Mom (TV14)	Mom (TV14)	Mom (TV14)	Mom (TV14)	Mom (TV14)	
<b>52</b> AMC	*** True Lies '94, Action) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Jamie Lee Curtis. (CC) (CC)		*** Total Recall '90) Arnold Schwarzenegger. (CC) (CC)								
<b>58</b> TNT	*** Guardians of the Galaxy Vol. 2 '17) Chris Pratt. (CC) (DVS)	(:45) *** Thor: Ragnarok '17) Chris Hemsworth. (CC) (DVS)									
<b>54</b> FOXN	Tucker Carlson Tonight	Hannity (N) (Live) (CC)	The Ingraham Angle (N)	Gutfeld! (N) (CC)	Fox News at Night						
<b>55</b> SYFY	*** Captain America: Civil War '16, Action) Chris Evans. (CC) (DVS)		Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	Futurama	
<b>56</b> TVLND	Raymond	Everybody Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	King	King	King	
<b>57</b> ANPL	River Monsters: Deadliest Man-Eaters (N) (TVPG)		River Monsters (TVPG)	River Monsters (TVPG)	River Monsters (TVPG)	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	River Monsters	
<b>58</b> OXY	Snapped (TVPG) (CC)	Dateline: Secrets	Dateline: Secrets	Dateline: Secrets	Dateline: Secrets	Dateline: Secrets	Dateline: Secrets	Dateline: Secrets	Dateline: Secrets	Dateline: Secrets	
<b>59</b> TOON	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad	Family Guy	Family Guy	Rick, Morty	Tuca-Bert	Metalocalypse (TVMA)		
<b>61</b> HGTV	Dream	Dream	Dream	Dream	Dream	Dream	Dream	Dream	Dream	Dream	
<b>62</b> FOOD	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	
<b>65</b> BIGTEN	Women's College Volleyball (CC)		Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	Wisconsin	
<b>70</b> DISN	Bunk'd (N)	Gabby	Owl Hse.	(:40) Bluey	(:05) Bluey	Big City	(:05) Bunk'd Gabby	Gabby	Raven		
<b>71</b> TRAV	Ghost Adventures (CC)	Ghost Adventures (N) (TVPG) (CC)									
<b>72</b> TCM	*** Get Carter '71) Michael Caine. (CC)		** The Friends of Eddie Coyle '73) Peter Boyle				*** Chinatown '74)				
<b>73</b> EWTN	EWTN News In-depth (N)	News	Holy Rosary	Life/Rock	Icons (TVG)	Women of Grace (TVPG)	Daily Mass (TVG)				
<b>74</b> MSNBC	All In With Chris Hayes	Rachel Maddow Show	The Last Word	The 11th Hour	Rachel Maddow Show						
<b>79</b> HALL	Christmas Next Door	A Christmas Detour '15), Paul Greene (TVG) (CC)	Christmas Town '19) Candace Cameron Bure. (TVG)	2021 Copa America Colombia vs Peru. Third Place.	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	
<b>90</b> FS1	NASCAR RaceDay	NASCAR Truck Series									
<b>93</b> GSN	America	America	America	America	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	FamFeud	
PREMIUM	<b>129</b> SUND	Law & Order (TV14)	Law & Order (TV14)	Law & Order (TV14)	Law & Order (TV14)	Law & Order (TV14)	Law & Order (TV14)	Law & Order (TV14)	Law & Order (TV14)	Law & Order (TV14)	
	<b>501</b> HBO	Tig Notaro: Boyish Girl	** Tyler Perry's I Can Do Bad All By Myself '09)	Betty (N) (CC)	The Legend of the Underground '21)						
	<b>503</b> HBO2	** Fatale '20) Hilary Swank. (R) (CC)	(:45) *** The Aviator '04, Biography) Leonardo DiCaprio. (CC) (PG-13) (CC)	(:40) Extract							
	<b>531</b> MAX	Body Brokers '21) Jack Kilmer. (R) (CC)	(8:53) ** The Good Liar '19) (R) (CC)	(:44) *** You Can Count on Me '00)							
	<b>561</b> SHOW	Indiana	All Access	Pete Lee: Tall, Dark	*** Moneyball '11) Brad Pitt. (CC) (PG-13) (CC)	Desus	Pete Lee				
	<b>591</b> TMC	*** Fast Times at Ridgemont High (TV14)	** Wet Hot American Summer '01)	(:10) *** Spring Breakers '12) (R)	Jesus Roll						
	<b>593</b> TMC2	*** Seven Psychopaths '12) Colin Farrell. (R) (CC)	*** The Texas Chain Saw Massacre	*** Carrie '76) Sissy Spacek. (R) (CC)							

## SATURDAY EVENING

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST	<b>3</b> CW KDLH	Nightwatch "Triumph & Tragedy" (TV14) (CC)	Bloodline Detectives "Deadly Desire" (TVPG)	Seinfeld (TVPG)	American Ninja Warrior (TVPG) (CC)		** Hyena Road '15) War Rossif Sutherland, Paul Gross. (CC)			
	<b>5</b> CBS WJMN	Auto Racing Camping World SRX Series. From Slinger Speedway in Slinger, Wis. (N) (Live) (CC)			48 Hours (CC)		Celebration of Service to America Awards (CC)	NCIS "Sound Off" (TVPG) (CC) (DVS)		
	<b>6</b> NBC KBJR	America's Got Talent "Auditions 5" Variety acts audition. (TVPG) (CC)			Dateline NBC (N) (CC)	KBJR 6-News	(:29) Saturday Night Live Host Regina King; Nathaniel Rateliff. (TV14) (CC)			
	<b>8</b> NBC WLUC	America's Got Talent "Auditions 5" Variety acts audition. (TVPG) (CC)			Dateline NBC (N) (CC)	TV6 Late News (N)	(:29) Saturday Night Live Host Regina King; Nathaniel Rateliff. (TV14) (CC)			
	<b>10</b> ABC WDIO	The 2021 ESPYS Celebrating inspiring humanitarian efforts and the year in sports; Anthony Mackie hosts. (N) (Live) (CC)			News	Wipeout "My So-Bald Life" (TVPG) (CC)	NCIS (TVPG)			
	<b>11</b> FOX KQDS	(6:00) MLB Baseball Cincinnati Reds at Milwaukee Brewers. From American Family Field in Milwaukee.			News	Last Man Standing (TVPG) (CC)	Game of Talents (TVPG) (CC)	Modern Family (TVPG)	Today's Homeowner	
	<b>12</b> FOX FOXUP	(6:00) MLB Baseball Cincinnati Reds at Milwaukee Brewers. From American Family Field in Milwaukee.			Murdoch Mysteries (TVPG) (CC)	Game of Talents (TVPG) (CC)	Opry (N Same-day Tape)			
	<b>13</b> PBS WNMU	Our Kids: Narrowing the Opportunity Gap (TVG)	Antiques Roadshow "Vintage Kansas City" (TVG)	History With David	Radar-Michigan	Austin City Limits "Rufus Wainwright" (TVPG)	Underground	Songs at the Center		
	<b>20</b> PBS WLEF	Death in Paradise (TVPG) (CC)	McLeod's Daughters "Dirty Pool" (TVPG)	Newton's Law "Newton's Law of Cooling" (CC)	The Seaside Hotel "Men's Visit" (TV14)	Frankie Drake Mysteries (TVPG) (CC)				
	<b>7</b> HSN	Mine Finds by Jay King	Mine Finds by Jay King	Home Office Celebration	Shark Cleaning Solutions	A. Lessman/Vitamins				
	<b>16</b> TWC	Deadline to Disaster	Weird Earth (CC)	Jade Fever	Jade Fever	Highway Thru Hell (CC)				
	<b>17</b> CBC	CBC Docs POV (TV14)	Monkey Beach '20) Adam Beach. Premiere. (CC)	** I'll Follow You Down '13) Haley Joel Osmont. (CC)						
<b>21</b> WTBS	Aquaman	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	The Cube (TV14)	The Cube (TV14)			
<b>23</b> WGN-A	NewsNation Prime (N)	Banfield (CC)	Banfield (CC)	NewsNation Prime (CC)	NewsNation Prime (CC)					
<b>30</b> FX	*** Deadpool 2 '18) Ryan Reynolds, Josh Brolin. (CC) (CC)		*** Captain America: The Winter Soldier '14) Chris Evans. (CC)							
<b>31</b> CNN	CNN Newsroom	The Nineties A wide range of television shows.	The Eighties "Raised on Television" (TVPG) (CC)							
<b>32</b> USA	Grown Ups * Grown Ups 2 '13) Adam Sandler. (CC) (DVS)	(:45) *** Long Shot '19) Seth Rogen. (CC) (DVS)								
<b>33</b> ESPN	UFC 264: Poirier vs McGregor 3 Prelims (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)	SportsCenter (N) (CC)					
<b>34</b> ESPN2	2020 UEFA European Championship Italy vs Spain.	2020 UEFA European Championship	UEFA EURO 2020 Final							
<b>35</b> LIFE	Framed by My Husband '21) Christine Chatelain.	(:03) The Stranger She Brought Home '21) (CC)								
<b>36</b> FSD	World Poker	Shogun Fights	Shogun Fights	Best of Glory Kickboxing	MLB Baseball					
<b>38</b> TDC	*** Jaws '75, Suspense) Roy Scheider, Robert Shaw. (CC) (CC)		Sharks of the Badlands	*** Jaws '75) (CC)						
<b>39</b> BRAVO	(6:36) *** The Shawshank Redemption '94, Drama) Tim Robbins. (CC) (CC)		(9:48) *** The Shawshank Redemption '94) (CC)							
<b>40</b> COM	(6:30) ** Step Brothers '08) (CC)	** Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story '04) (CC)	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	
<b>41</b> TRUTV	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	
<b>42</b> E!	(5:40) *** Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire '05)	(:10) *** Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix '07) Daniel Radcliffe.								
<b>43</b> HIST	American Pickers (TVPG)	(:02) American Pickers	(:05) American Pickers	(:05) American Pickers	(:03) American Pickers					
<b>44</b> A&E	** Den of									



## Briefs

**FBI: Motive uncertain in fatal shooting of Indiana officer**

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Investigators haven't yet determined a motive for the ambush shooting of a police officer outside an FBI office in western Indiana, an FBI official said Thursday.

The suspected gunman in the Wednesday afternoon shooting in downtown Terre Haute was hospitalized in federal custody after being shot by an FBI agent who was inside the office when he heard gunfire, said Paul Keenan, the special agent in charge of the FBI's Indianapolis office.

The shooting killed Terre Haute police Detective Greg Ferency, a 30-year department veteran who had been a federal task force officer since 2010.

Keenan wouldn't say whether Ferency knew the gunman or was targeted for some reason.

"We're still looking at motive and we're leaving all avenues open at this time," Keenan said during a news conference in Terre Haute, about 70 miles west of Indianapolis.

Keenan said the filing of federal charges was "imminent" against the suspected gunman and that his identity wasn't being released until then.

The suspected gunman left the scene in Terre Haute, near the Indiana-Illinois state line, and drove himself to a hospital, where he underwent surgery for his wounds, Kennan said. Investigators didn't immediately know whether the gunman also fired shots at the FBI agent.

Kennan described the shooting as an ambush attack on Ferency without any apparent warning.

"The suspect showed up there before Detective Ferency came out of the building," Kennan said. "That was the reason we used that word."

**Evers signs GOP-written state budget with \$2 billion tax cut**

WHITEFISH BAY, Wis. (AP) — Gov. Tony Evers signed the Republican-written state budget Thursday, enacting a two-year spending plan that includes a \$2 billion income tax cut while making 50 partial vetoes.

Evers, a Democrat who is running for reelection next year, cast the tax cut as a bipartisan effort even

though the plan was added to the budget by Republican lawmakers.

"I could have vetoed that," Evers said at a signing ceremony at a suburban Milwaukee elementary school. "I made a promise to the taxpayers to the state we would reduce middle class taxes by 10% and we did 15%. It is a bipartisan effort."

The average person earning \$61,000 a year will see an income tax cut of \$488 this tax year and \$975 over next two years, state Revenue Secretary Peter Barca said.

Evers opted to go along with the GOP-written budget with some changes through his vetoes rather than killing the entire plan, a move that would have put \$2.3 billion in federal coronavirus relief funding for K-12 schools in jeopardy. That money only comes to the state if funding for schools increases enough to meet federal requirements, which the budget as signed would do.

Evers also said he planned to veto a bipartisan bill to eliminate a property tax paid by businesses. Evers was keeping money in the budget to pay for it, saying he hoped the Legislature would pass a better bill to eliminate that tax.

**Authorities seek 4 inmates after escape from Illinois jail**

LEWISTOWN, Ill. (AP) — Four inmates escaped from a county jail in western Illinois and authorities advised area residents to remain locked in their homes as they searched Thursday for the men.

Fulton County deputies learned of the escape Wednesday night after one inmate went missing from a cell block in the jail in Lewistown, about 210 miles southwest of Chicago, authorities said. It was later determined that three others also were missing.

Authorities didn't immediately say how the men escaped, but said they should be considered armed and dangerous.

As of Thursday morning, Jesse Davis, 35, Cody Villalobos, 26, Zachary Hart, 36, and Eugene Roets, 23, had not been captured.

Davis was being held on charges including methamphetamine possession and possession of a weapon by a felon, while Villalobos faced charges including methamphetamine possession and resisting/obstructing police.

# Global COVID-19 deaths hit 4 million amid rush to vaccinate

(AP) — The global death toll from COVID-19 eclipsed 4 million Wednesday as the crisis increasingly becomes a race between the vaccine and the highly contagious delta variant.

The tally of lives lost over the past year and a half, as compiled from official sources by Johns Hopkins University, is about equal to the number of people killed in battle in all of the world's wars since 1982, according to estimates from the Peace Research Institute Oslo.

The toll is three times the number of people killed in traffic accidents around the globe every year. It is about equal to the population of Los Angeles or the nation of Georgia. It is equivalent to more than half of Hong Kong or close to 50% of New York City.

Even then, it is widely believed to be an undercount because of overlooked cases or deliberate concealment.

With the advent of the vaccine, deaths per day have plummeted to around 7,900, after topping out at over 18,000 a day in January.

But in recent weeks, the mutant delta version of the virus first identified in India has set off alarms around the world, spreading rapidly even in vaccination success stories like



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**IN THIS April 24, file photo, exhausted workers, who bring dead bodies for cremation, sit on the rear step of an ambulance inside a crematorium, in New Delhi, India. The global death toll from COVID-19 has eclipsed 4 million as the crisis increasingly becomes a race between the vaccine and the highly contagious delta variant.**

the U.S., Britain and Israel.

Britain, in fact, recorded a one-day total this week of more than 30,000 new infections for the first time since January, even as the government prepares to lift all remaining lockdown restrictions in England later this month.

Other countries have reimposed preventive measures, and authorities are rushing to step up the campaign to dispense shots.

At the same time, the disaster has exposed the gap between the haves and the have-nots, with vacci-

nation drives barely getting started in Africa and other desperately poor corners of the world because of extreme shortages of shots.

The U.S. and other wealthy countries have agreed to share at least 1 billion doses with struggling countries.

The U.S. has the world's highest reported death toll, at over 600,000, or nearly 1 in 7 deaths, followed by Brazil at more than 520,000, though the real numbers are believed to be much higher in Brazil, where President Jair Bol-

sonaro's far-right government has long downplayed the virus.

The variants, uneven access to vaccines and the relaxation of precautions in wealthier countries are "a toxic combination that is very dangerous," warned Ann Lindstrand, a top immunization official at the World Health Organization.

Instead of treating the crisis as a "me-and-myself-and-my-country" problem, she said, "we need to get serious that this is a worldwide problem that needs worldwide solutions."

## US jobless claims tick up to 373,000

WASHINGTON (AP) — The number of Americans filing for unemployment benefits rose slightly last week even while the economy and the job market appear to be rebounding from the coronavirus recession with sustained energy.

Thursday's report from the Labor Department showed that jobless claims increased by 2,000 from the previous week to 373,000. Weekly applications, which generally track the pace of layoffs, have fallen steadily this year from more than 900,000 at the start of the year. The four-week average of applications, which smooths out week-to-week volatility, is now 394,500 — the lowest such level since the pandemic erupted in March of last year.

The rollout of vaccinations is driving a potent economic recovery as businesses reopen, employers struggle to fill jobs and consumers emerge from months of lockdown to travel, shop and spend at restaurants, bars, retailers and entertainment venues.

In the first three months of the year, the government has estimated that the economy expanded at a brisk 6.4% annual rate. In the April-June quarter, the annual rate is thought to have reached a sizzling 10%. And for all of 2021, the Congressional Budget Office has projected that growth will amount to 6.7%. That would be the fastest calendar-year expansion since 1984.

The economy is recovering so quickly that many companies can't find workers fast enough to meet their increased customer demand. On Wednesday, the government said that U.S. employers posted 9.21 million jobs in May, the most since record-keeping began in 2000.

And in June, employers added a strong 850,000 jobs, and hourly pay rose a solid 3.6% compared with a year ago — faster than the pre-pandemic annual pace and a sign that companies are being compelled to pay more to attract and keep workers.

Still, the nation remains 6.8 million jobs short of the level it had in February 2020, just before the coronavirus pandemic tore through the



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**IN THIS June 24, file photo, a hiring sign is displayed in Downers Grove, Ill. The number of Americans filing for unemployment benefits rose slightly last week even while the economy and the job market appear to be rebounding from the coronavirus recession with sustained energy.**

economy and eliminated tens of millions of jobs. And weekly applications for unemployment benefits, though down sharply from earlier peaks, are still comparatively high: Before the pandemic, they were typically coming in at only around 220,000 a week.

The total number of Americans receiving jobless aid, including supplemental federal checks that were intended to provide relief during the pandemic recession, amounted to 14.2 million people during the week of June 19, down from 33.2 million a year earlier.

Many states, though, have dropped the federal aid, responding to complaints that the generous benefits were discouraging some of the unemployed from seeking work: A total of 26 states plan to end the \$300-a-week federal benefit before it ends nationally on Sept. 6. Most of

those states will also cut off federal assistance to the self-employed, gig workers and people who have been out of work for more than six months.

Still, many factors other than the enhanced federal jobless benefits are thought to have contributed to the shortage of people seeking work again: Difficulty arranging or affording child care, lingering fears of COVID-19, early retirements by older workers, a slowdown in immigration and a decision by some people to seek new careers rather than return to their old jobs.

"We see weekly filings declining over coming weeks as job growth picks up, although at least some of the improvement will be due to states suspending federal support measures," Rubeela Farooqi, chief U.S. economist at High Frequency Economics, said in a research note.

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**Court: DNR can impose farm conditions, consider well impact**

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Wisconsin regulators can impose operating conditions on factory farms and consider high-capacity wells' cumulative environmental impacts when deciding whether to grant permits, the state Supreme Court ruled Thursday.

The decisions mark a major win for conservationists and clarify that the Department of Natural Resources has broad authority to protect Wisconsin's waters.

Industry groups including Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce and the Dairy Business Association and Republican legislators countered that a 2011 state law that allows state agencies to take action only if statutes or administrative rules explicitly allow that action blocked the DNR from imposing conditions on factory farm operations and from considering a high-capacity well's wider effects.



# Haiti's future uncertain after brazen slaying of president

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — An already struggling and chaotic Haiti stumbled into an uncertain future Thursday after the assassination of President Jovenel Moïse, followed by a gunfight in which authorities said police killed four suspects, detained two others and freed three officers being held hostage.

Officials pledged to find all those responsible for the pre-dawn raid on Moïse's home early Wednesday in which the president was shot to death and his wife, Martine, critically wounded. She was flown to Miami for treatment.

"The pursuit of the mercenaries continues," Léon Charles, director of Haiti's National Police, said Wednesday night in announcing the arrest of suspects. "Their fate is fixed: They will fall in the fighting or will be arrested."

Officials did not provide any details about the suspects, including their nationalities, nor did they address a motive or say what led police to them. They said only that the attack condemned by Haiti's main opposition parties and the international community was carried out by "a highly trained and heavily armed group," whose members spoke Spanish or English.

Prime Minister Claude Joseph assumed leadership of Haiti with the backing of police and the military, and decreed a two-week state of siege following Moïse's killing, which stunned a nation grappling with some of the Western Hemisphere's highest poverty, violence and political instability.

Inflation and gang violence have spiraled upward as food and fuel grew scarcer in a country where 60% of Haitians earn less than \$2 a day. The increasingly dire situation comes as Haiti is still trying to recover from the devastating 2010 earthquake and Hurricane Matthew

in 2016 following a history of dictatorship and political upheaval.

"There is this void now, and they are scared about what will happen to their loved ones," said Marlene Bastien, executive director of Family Action Network Movement, a group that helps people in Miami's Little Haiti community.

She said it was important for the administration of U.S. President Joe Biden to take a much more active role in supporting attempts at national dialogue in Haiti with the aim of holding free, fair and credible elections.

Bastien said she also wants to see participation of the extensive Haitian diaspora: "No more band-aids. The Haitian people have been crying and suffering for too long."

Haiti had grown increasingly unstable under Moïse, who had been ruling by decree for more than a year and faced violent protests as critics accused him of trying to amass more power while the opposition demanded he step down.

According to Haiti's constitution, Moïse should be replaced by the president of Haiti's Supreme Court, but the chief justice died in recent days from COVID-19, leaving open the question of who might rightfully succeed to the office.

Joseph, meanwhile, was supposed to be replaced by Ariel Henry, a neurosurgeon who had been named prime minister by Moïse a day before the assassination.

Henry told The Associated Press in a brief interview that he is the prime minister, calling it an exceptional and confusing situation. In another interview with Radio Zenith, he said he had no dispute with Joseph. "I only disagree with the fact that people have taken hasty decisions ... when the moment demands a little more serenity



**SOLDIERS PATROL in Petion Ville, the neighborhood where the late Haitian President Jovenel Moïse lived in Port-au-Prince, Haiti, Wednesday. Moïse was assassinated in an attack on his private residence early Wednesday, and first lady Martine Moïse was shot in the overnight attack and hospitalized, according to a statement from the country's interim prime minister.**

and maturity," he said.

Moïse had faced large protests in recent months that turned violent as opposition leaders and their supporters rejected his plans to hold a constitutional referendum with proposals that would strengthen the presidency.

On Thursday, public transportation and street vendors remained scarce, an unusual sight for the normally bustling streets of Port-au-Prince.

Marco Destin, 39, was walking to see his family since no buses, known as tap-taps, were available. He was carrying a loaf of bread for them because they had not left their house since the president's killing out of fear for their lives.

"Every one at home is sleep-

ing with one eye open and one eye closed," he said. "If the head of state is not protected, I don't have any protection whatsoever."

Destin said Haiti has always been a complicated country and that he wasn't sure what the upcoming days would bring. "Haiti doesn't know what direction it's heading in right now," he said. "To be honest, I don't know what the solution is. There's always been a fight for power."

Gunfire rang out intermittently across the city hours after the killing, a grim reminder of the growing power of gangs that displaced more than 14,700 people last month alone as they torched and ransacked homes in a fight over territory.

Robert Fatton, a Haitian politics expert at the University of

Virginia, said gangs were a force to contend with and it isn't certain Haiti's security forces can enforce a state of siege.

"It's a really explosive situation," he said, adding that foreign intervention with a U.N.-type military presence is a possibility. "Whether Claude Joseph manages to stay in power is a huge question. It will be very difficult to do so if he doesn't create a government of national unity."

Joseph told the AP that he supports an international investigation into the assassination and believes elections scheduled for later this year should be held, as he promised to work with Moïse's allies and opponents alike.

"Everything is under control," he said.

## Bear pulls woman out of her tent, kills her in Montana

HELENA, Mont. (AP) — A grizzly bear pulled a woman from her tent in a small Montana town in the middle of the night and killed her before fellow campers could use bear spray to force the bruin out of the area, wildlife officials said Wednesday.

Leah Davis Lokan, 65, of Chico, California, was on a long-distance bicycling trip and had stopped in the western Montana town of Ovando when she was killed early Tuesday, said Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks officials as they provided more details about the attack.

Lokan was killed on the bear's second visit to the site where she and two fellow bicyclists were camping near the post office, officials said.

The approximately 400-pound (181-kilogram) grizzly first awakened the campers about 3 a.m., officials said. They took food out of their tents, secured it and went back to sleep, they said.

Surveillance video from a business in town showed the bear about a block from the post office about 15 minutes later, wildlife officials said.

About 4:15 a.m., the sheriff's office received a 911 call after two people in a tent near the victim's were awakened by sounds of the attack, Powell County Sheriff Gavin Roselles said. They discharged their bear spray, and the bear ran away.

The bear is also believed to have entered a chicken coop in town that night, killing and eating several chickens.

Officials searched by helicopter for the grizzly again Wednesday but couldn't find it.

"At this point, our best chance for catching this bear will be culvert traps set in the area near the chicken coop where the bear killed and ate several chickens," said Randy Arnold, Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks



**A HELICOPTER from Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks flies around the Ovando, Mont., area on Tuesday, in search of a bear that killed a camper early that morning. The search for the bear continued Wednesday.**

regional supervisor in Missoula.

The bear will be killed if it is found, said Greg Lemon, a spokesperson for Fish, Wildlife and Parks.

Investigators have obtained DNA from the bear at the scene of the attack and will be able to compare it with any bruin they are able to trap, the agency said.

Lokan, a registered nurse who had worked at a hospital in Chico, had looked forward to the Montana bike trip for months, said Mary Flowers, a friend of the victim's from Chico. Lokan had taken previous long-distance bike trips and on this one was accompanied by her sister and a friend, Flowers said.

"She loved these kind of adventures. A woman in her 60s, and she's doing this kind of stuff — she had a passion for life that was out of the ordinary," Flowers said.

## Kentucky girl snatched from bike found quickly, man charged

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — A Kentucky girl who was snatched from her bicycle by a stranger was found quickly, returned to her family and a suspect was charged with kidnapping thanks to the quick actions of neighbors and police, authorities said.

Those who witnessed the girl get taken from her Louisville neighborhood July 2 quickly called 911 with a detailed description of the vehicle and a partial license plate number, police spokesperson Beth Ruoff told news outlets.

Officers responded immediately and saturated the area, she said.

"You just can't get there fast enough," said officer Jason Burba, who was among those responding. "Seconds feel like hours. Your only thought is getting there as fast as you can."

Police found a car matching the description given within 30 minutes and arrested Robby Wildt, 40, who was charged with kidnapping a minor. He has pleaded not guilty.

Neighbor Prentiss Weatherford, who wit-

nessed the abduction, told WHAS-TV he saw a car come around the corner and park in the middle of the street. He said a man got out and grabbed the girl "by the collar, threw the bike, put her in the passenger seat, and then took off."

Weatherford said he chased the vehicle and was able to get a partial plate number.

When officers found the vehicle, body camera video shows Burba opening the passenger's side door to find the crying girl while

Sgt. Joe Keeling places Wildt under arrest.

"I want my daddy!" the little girl says as Burba carries her from the car.

Stranger abductions are rare, police said.

"Although we do not want the community to be alarmed, this is certainly an educational opportunity for parents to remind their children that 'stranger danger' is real. It is important to talk to your kids about any adult who tries to use a ruse to lure them to their vehicles or away from public view," Ruoff said.

### Entertainment Briefs

#### First lady Jill Biden to attend National Spelling Bee

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. (AP) — Finalists in the Scripps National Spelling Bee will get a visit from one of the nation's most prominent educators: first lady Jill Biden.

The first lady will meet with spellers and their families before the bee Thursday evening and stay to watch the competition.

This year's bee was delayed because of the pandemic and all preliminary rounds were held virtually. Only the 11 finalists are competing in person, at an ESPN campus near Walt Disney World in Florida. The finals will be televised on ESPN2.

Biden previously attended the bee in 2009 in Washington. She is an English professor at Northern Virginia Community College, where she also

worked during the eight years that President Joe Biden was vice president.

The first lady has kept a busy schedule, traveling around the country to promote her husband's policies and her own issues and causes.

#### Yum! Woman eats 50 chili dogs in 22 minutes at Michigan bar

ROCKFORD (AP) — A competitive eater wolfed down 50 chili dogs in 22 minutes, setting a local record at a bar in western Michigan where thousands of customers have their names on the wall for eating just a fraction.

Molly Schuyler showed up and just started eating Wednesday at The Corner Bar in Rockford while other customers watched with their own meals, WOOD-TV reported.

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# Wakefield Historical Museum now open after repairs

By P.J. GLISSON  
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WAKEFIELD — The museum of the Wakefield Historical Society had a full house on July 2 when members hosted a grand reopening to kick off the holiday weekend in celebration of Independence Day.

Ed and Peggy Shuping, David Brentar and Denise Engel, all of Wakefield, were among additional visitors who wandered from table to table on the front lawn, where a “free” table and a “treasure” table were on display. Refreshments were available indoors.

The museum, which traditionally is open only during summer months, was closed last year due to the COVID-19 pandemic and also to allow for needed structural work on the museum house.

In the meantime, tens of thousands of dollars in renovations and improvements occurred.

Donna Ferson, the society's secretary, provided the Daily Globe with a tour and explained that the entire south wall of the basement was replaced.

According to her, an out building behind the museum once had a functioning tunnel to connect the two structures, but it deteriorated over time. “Water and mud would come in,” she said, “and it made this wall unsteady. This was ready to collapse.”

Another problem was that, during a previous renovation years ago, supporting walls with-

in the basement had been removed. Ferson said new support walls now have been restored.

She added that all of the basement work was funded by the estate of Richard Nyman, a Wakefield native who moved to Alaska. “Richard Nyman saved this building,” she said.

She said potential work still remains in relation to the inside of the museum. While standing on the first floor, she explained that the floor descends by four inches from one side of the house to the other.

She added that an engineering study will be done, after which museum members will decide whether it will be necessary or feasible to lift the lower side of the floor. If so, that work may occur next year.

Meanwhile, members are contending with related wall cracks and have purchased new carpet tiles in hopes that the individual pieces can withstand the uneven flooring better than wall-to-wall carpeting would.

Other new additions in the museum include seven new mannequins to display uniforms from Wakefield citizens who spent time in various branches of U.S. armed services.

Ferson also pointed out several new cases with transparent walls to allow visitors to see displays of artifacts that remain protected at all times.

Her husband, Dennis Ferson



P.J. Glisson/Daily Globe

**VISITORS CHECK out artifacts displayed on tables during a July 2 grand opening of the Wakefield Historical Society's museum at 306 Sunday Lake St. From left are Peggy and Ed Shuping, David Brentar and Denise Engel (holding phone).**

— who is the society's treasurer — said on Tuesday that the trust of Margaret Fracassi of Chicago donated \$3,000 through a charitable venue in memory of the Steve Mesich family. Those funds made possible the new display cases.

Visitors on the reopening day were enjoying the opportunity to reconnect with the past and with each other.

Helping to host them were

society President Harold Schroeder, Vice President Bella Schroeder and member Jan Oberg.

“It was much more successful than we even expected,” said Dennis Ferson, who credited his wife, as well as society member Mary Nurmi, for coordinating the event.

He also expressed appreciation for Mike Salli, a new society member that he said has been

helping out a lot.

Museum hours are from Monday through Saturday, 1-4 p.m., until fall. There is no entrance fee, but donations are welcome. As Ferson noted, “That's our livelihood.”

The museum is located at 306 Sunday Lake St., which is the main street of Wakefield. For additional information, call the museum 906-224-1045 or visit its Facebook page.

## Kwik

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knows that the Meinkes have put a lot of time and effort into the community.

“We hear you and we will consider that,” said Scott Teigen, vice president of Kwik Trip, of the Meinkes' request.

The company will take over the property on April 1, Teigen said. He said that the company is building 50 to 60 stores next year, including the Bessemer and Ironwood locations. He said they will be constructing both the Bessemer and Ironwood stores at the same time.

Teigen said that if Bessemer gets on the schedule “a little” before Ironwood, they would have the first Kwik Trip store in the Upper Peninsula. According to Teigen, the new store will take approximately 120 to 150 days to build.

“When we set the schedule, which will happen this fall for next year, we set all the ribbon cutting dates at the same time and we never miss a date,” Teigen told the commission.

He said the store will have 35 employees, of which 60% will be part time and 40% full time.

Osier said that they will be happy to have somebody new in the community.



Charity Smith/Daily Globe

**MEMBERS OF the Bessemer Planning Commission look over plans for a proposed Kwik Trip convenience store on U.S. 2 at their meeting Wednesday evening. From left are: Terry Kryshak, David Osier, Dominic Fabbri, Matt Hellman and city manager Charly Loper.**

Kwik Trip is different from the other gas station chains that are already here because the company comes into the business from a grocery perspective, Teigen said. He said that Kwik Trip was a sister company to a former grocery distribution operation.

“That's why we're different,” he said. “That's why we got bananas and the milk programs, and everything that we got. We are the most vertically integrated convenience store chain in the United States.”

Kwik Trip has milk from the cow to the store in 24 hours, said Teigen. The company owns its own dairy

plant and bakery, and does “a lot” of its own deliveries.

The owner of the company is driven by both customers and employees, because without those two he wouldn't have a business, said Teigen.

“It will function more like a local business as opposed to a big outside company,” said Teigen. “We don't consider ourselves a big company. One family owns us and we treat each other like brothers and sisters.”

In reviewing the plan, Osier expressed concern as to the volume of snow that would be piled on the corner of U.S. 2 and Sophie Street during the winter.

He asked if it was going to be a visibility issue.

Teigen said that the company would not let that happen. Snow will also be pushed to the southwestern corner of the parking lot along Moore Street.

“If we have to haul snow away then that's what we'll have to do,” said Teigen.

The store will offer UTV and snowmobile parking on the south side of the building, near where the trail will cut across the property.

The site plan was accepted as presented with the condition that Kwik Trip will look at the car-wash situation.

## Court: DNR can impose farm conditions, consider well impact

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Wisconsin regulators can impose operating conditions on factory farms and consider high-capacity wells' cumulative environmental impacts when deciding whether to grant permits, the state Supreme Court ruled Thursday.

The decisions mark a major victory for conservationists and clarify that the Department of Natural Resources has broad authority to protect Wisconsin's waters. The rulings cap a pair of fierce legal battles between industry associations and environmental groups that have raged for years.

“This is a huge win for Wisconsin and for anybody who cares about protecting our water,” said Evan Feinauer, staff attorney at Clean Wisconsin, one of the environmental groups that sued to force the rulings. “At the end of the day, this about our shared water resources and the people who rely on them.”

The factory farm case began in 2012 when Kinnard Farms in Kewaunee County asked the DNR for a water pollution permit that would allow it to add more than 3,000 cows, nearly doubling the size of its herd.

An administrative law judge ordered the DNR to impose conditions on the permit requiring the farm to monitor groundwater for contamination from manure and capping the number of animals.

The DNR refused to enforce the conditions, citing an opinion from then-Republican Attorney General Brad Schimel. He pointed to a state law Republicans authored in 2011 known as Act 21 that allows state agencies to take actions only if they're specifically allowed in statute or administrative rule. The judges' conditions weren't laid out in statute, preventing the DNR from enforcing them, the agency argued.

Clean Wisconsin and Midwest Environmental Advocates sued in 2015 to force the department to impose the conditions. A state appeals courts sent the case directly to the Supreme Court.

The DNR, now under the control of Democratic Gov. Tony Evers, has changed its stance and now supports the permit conditions. But Republican legislators joined the lawsuit, siding with Kinnard Farms, saying if the DNR wanted to impose the conditions it would have to write them up as new administrative rules and try to win legislative approval.

The court ruled 4-2 that the DNR can enforce the conditions. Writing for the majority, Justice Jill Karofsky noted that other sections of state law grant the department “all authority necessary” to protect the state's waters and allow the department to mandate conditions to achieve that goal. Nothing in state law requires

the department to draft individual rules to assure compliance, she added.

Clean Wisconsin and the Pleasant Lake Management District filed a separate lawsuit in 2016 alleging the DNR should have considered the widespread impact of eight high-capacity wells before granting permits for the projects. Environmentalists contend that high-capacity wells are draining lakes and depleting groundwater levels across central Wisconsin.

Again, the DNR pointed to Act 21, saying nothing in state law or rule explicitly permits them to consider cumulative impacts when granting high-capacity well permits. The department approved all eight permits in question without any conditions. Republican legislators and a host of industry groups, including Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce, the state's largest business group, joined the case.

The court ruled 4-2 on Thursday that the DNR can indeed consider cumulative impacts. Justice Rebecca Dallet, writing for the majority, mirrored Karofsky's opinion in the farm case, saying the agency has broad authority under state law to protect state waters and that statutes explicitly state the DNR “shall formulate plans and programs” to that end.

## Art

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Potawatomi Nation and that she approaches science through that unique lens.

“It's all about inclusion and diversity at Emberlight — including different cultures and different art forms, and trying to give them a voice as well. That's why this book was chosen,” Mallum said.

The book club will meet at 6 p.m. on July 19, also at site 18. The discussion will be facilitated by Ironwood native Matt Mallum, Karen's son.

The book club will meet again on Aug. 16 to discuss

the historical fiction book “Year of Wonders” by Geraldine Brooks.

Karen Mallum said the book club is similar but unrelated to the Ironwood Diversity Matters Reading Group. She said that the subject matter should appeal to members of that reading group, which will not reconvene this summer.

Interested parties can sign up at Ironwood's Carnegie Public Library or call library director Lynne Wiercinski at 906-932-4789. Registration is limited to 10 people. Print editions and audiobooks of “Braiding Sweetgrass” can be checked out from the library.

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- ★ **Wed., July 14** — Festival Ironwood, July 14-17. Check out the Daily Globe on Tuesday, July 13 for event listings
- Superior Bike Ride, Festival Ironwood, 6:30pm
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# Hurley athletic hall of fame to induct 23rd class

HURLEY — The 23rd class will be inducted into the Hurley High School Athletic Hall of Fame on Saturday, July 31, at noon at the Hurley K-12 School. It is sponsored by the Hurley Quarterback Club and will include five individuals and one team.

## GREG BASOM (Class of 1977)

Greg Basom competed for Hurley back when they were the smallest member of the tough Lumberjack Conference and you had to come ready to play each and every game. He represented his school proudly in football, wrestling, track, and baseball, winning MVP honors in two of them. That strong work ethic learned at Hurley served him well through college and beyond.

Greg earned all-conference honors in football as an offensive guard and linebacker. He also spent time in the backfield as the lead blocker in the wishbone attack and did the team's punting. He led the defense in tackles. A Sept. 11, 1976 article in the Ironwood Daily Globe described his efforts in a game against Ironwood as follows: "Greg Basom was the Midgets' immovable object as he consistently made jarring solo tackles. It seemed like he was in on 75 percent of the stops."

In track, Greg excelled in the shotput with throws over 50 feet and has the second best effort in school history. He won regional and sectional championships and qualified for the state finals in 1977 where he took sixth place. Greg was named team MVP. During the winter Greg competed in wrestling in the 185 pound class.

Back in 1977, Hurley participated in summer baseball and Greg was named team MVP. It led to a long affiliation with the local Iron Rangers baseball team which played in the Upper 13 League. Greg was a fixture on that team for many years.

After high school Greg spent four years at Superior State University where he was a starting offensive guard and voted team captain of the football team. In 1981 Greg spent a season as an assistant football coach at Hurley but his playing days were not over. He first played a season in California with the semi-pro Napa Valley Bears but that league folded. On a tip from his former college coach Mertz Motorelli he hooked up with the Racine Gladiators of the Northern States Football League. The 6'0" 250 pound guard's 1983 season included being named to the Minor Professional Football Association All-Pro Team as the Gladiators went unbeaten at 20-0 and beat New Jersey 30-13 in the minor league championship game. His love of the game helped him persevere through the long bus trips, daytime jobs, and inadequate facilities to keep his dream alive.

Greg also participated in tryouts with the United States Football League entry, the Oakland Invaders, where a total of 695 players tried out and he was able to make it down to the last four offensive linemen.

After his football days were over Greg discovered another outlet for athletic competition, golf, and the Long Drivers of America tournaments. The popular event was held in Las Vegas and televised on ESPN. For over a decade he competed in the tournament and consistently placed in the top 10, finishing in fourth in 2004. His longest drive in competition was 430 yards.

Greg established a successful construction business in Florida and he and his wife Debbie have two daughters. He now spends time between Florida and a home in Saxon.

## JESSE MACKEY (Class of 2010)

Jesse Mackey transferred to the Hurley school district as a sophomore and immediately established herself as a leader. She played a major role in the 2008-09 20-0 basketball regular season and first regional championship since 1980. Jesse then helped lead the team to back-to-back regional titles with the 2009-10 squad.

Jesse is described by her coach Melissa Oja as "a most versatile player whose leadership, work ethic, and basketball IQ stand out." On the court "she was able to recognize situations that put her teammates in better positions to succeed. She had the ability to handle the ball or play inside. Jesse's versatility and leadership qualities were vital to the team's success."

Jesse was named basketball all-conference three times and was the team MVP in

her senior year. Her team won three conference and two regional championships and lost only one conference game in three seasons. In cross country, Jesse's teams won three conference championships and she was named all-conference three times. Her softball teams won two regional and conference championships and advanced to the state finals in 2010 when she was named all-conference.

After graduation Jesse went on to play basketball at Gogebic Community College in Ironwood. In her first season she led the team in scoring, rebounds, assists and steals on the way to a 14-12 record. She was team MVP and a NJCAA All-Region 13 selection. Jesse's second year included a 20-4 record and she again led her team in scoring, rebounds and assists. She gained her second NJCAA All-Region 13 recognition and team MVP.

Jesse received her Elementary Education Degree from Missouri Southern University and held teaching positions in Minnesota and Texas before returning to the area with her daughter Kyree in 2020. She currently teaches in the Ironwood School District and is the varsity girls' basketball coach.

## KYLE PETERSON (Class of 1998)

Kyle Peterson overcame a serious knee injury early in his high school career to excel in three sports and was a member of the state runner-up football team in 1995. Hurley coach Scott Erickson calls him "one of the finest option quarterbacks that I have had. His understanding of what we wanted out of that position was unparalleled. He was really fast and really strong which allowed him to become the fourth running back in the offense." Kyle gained nearly 1,000 rushing yards from the quarterback position.

In track Kyle was a rare combination of speed and strength and while rehabbing from the knee injury he was still able to compete in the shot put with throws over 45 feet. As a runner his personal bests of 100 meters 11.2, 200 meters 23.4, and 400 meters 52.9 are among the best in school history. Kyle won conference and regional championships in all three running events. His 20 individual points led his team to the conference championship in 1998. He also competed in summer baseball when track season ended.

After graduation Kyle joined the workforce as an excavator/heavy equipment operator which he continues to do today. He and his wife Shannon and their two children reside in Pence.

## ASHLEY LEVRA (Class of 2003)

Ashley Levra was the rare Hurley athlete to have competed in the state finals in two sports. She twice appeared in the state softball tournament and was the first female from Hurley to qualify for the state

tennis meet. In 2003 Ashley was awarded Hurley's "Outstanding Female Athlete Award."

As a pitcher for the successful Hurley softball team, Ashley was involved in three conference, four regional, and two sectional championships as well as two appearances in the state finals with a runner-up finish in 2001. She was named Indianhead All-Conference four times. According to Hurley coach Jim Kivisto, "she was arguably one of the top five players I ever had the pleasure to coach. She worked very hard to become the pitcher that she was. I knew that every time Ashley stepped on the field she was going to give 110%. Ashley was a big part of why we made it to state."

Ashley went on to attend Lansing Community College as a pitcher and outfielder and they were twice Michigan Junior College State Champs and qualified for the National World Series in 2004-05. She was an academic All-American and named to the all-region team as well as earning the Gannon female student athlete of the year award.

In 2002, Ashley became the first Hurley girl to qualify for the state tennis tournament finals. She compiled a 13-4 record that season and won her first M-W Conference No. 1 singles title to go along with a No. 3 doubles championship as a freshman. In 2001, Hurley won their first conference team tennis title ever.

Ashley was a three year performer on the girls' basketball team, winning two conference championships. She also was awarded the U.S. Marine Corp distinguished athlete award and was a member of the National Honor Society.

Ashley went on to attend Central Michigan University and completed a Bachelor of Science Degree in health and rehabilitation and to Oakland University to complete an accelerated second degree, a B.S. in Nursing. She is currently taking classes toward becoming a mental health nurse practitioner and works as a RN at Villa Maria in Hurley. She resides in Gile with her boyfriend Ryan and their dog Stella.

## DONNA (MEREDITH) BOURDAGES (Saxon Class of 1954)

When Donna Meredith attended Saxon High School in the early 1950s, Title IX Legislation was many years away and there were no organized girls' sports teams of any kind. But she had a love for baseball and pursued her dream by playing in pickup games with the neighborhood boys and was even asked to play for the Saxon town baseball team in the Iron County Baseball League. According to her brother Bob, who was inducted into the Hurley Hall of Fame as a member of the 1949 Saxon basketball team, Donna was a natural who could field, throw, and bat with the best players of her day.

It just so happened that Donna's father subscribed to the Sporting News and she saw an ad for tryouts for the Rockford Peaches of the All-American Girls Professional Baseball League during her senior year. She was excited for the opportunity

so her brother Bob and friend and future husband Jim Bourdages drove her to the tryouts in Battle Creek, Michigan. After a long weekend of workouts Donna was the second pick in the first round of 52 girls. She got to be good friends with No. 1 pick Virginia Carver of Pennsylvania.

Donna returned home to graduate from Saxon High School before reporting to Rockford and participating in games against Beloit, Wisconsin. She was only 17 years old and was competing against women in their 20s and 30s. The small town girl had never been away from home before and she eventually did not accept a permanent position on the team. Although disappointed she knew she had made the right decision and then her friend Virginia wrote to tell her that the league had ceased operating after 12 seasons.

Donna eventually married Jim and they moved to DeKalb, Illinois for employment opportunities. There they raised their family of four children (Dean, Randy, Julie, and Camela) which now includes five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Husband Jim passed away in 2020 after 64 years of marriage.

Some 15 years after the Rockford Peaches experience, Donna finally got the opportunity to participate in organized sports when she joined the local softball league. She played into her late 50s against women half her age. Donna also took up golf in her 60s.

Donna Meredith Bourdages can fully appreciate the opportunities afforded young female athletes today. Back in 1954 she had to travel far from home to realize her dreams and prove that she had what it takes to compete against the very best.

## 2009 REGIONAL CHAMPION GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM

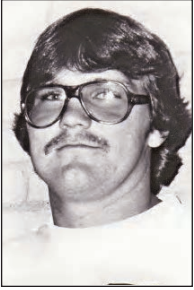
The 2008-09 girls' basketball team won 23 straight games and captured Hurley's first WIAA Regional Championship in 29 years. They were also Indianhead Conference champions.

The undefeated regular season under the direction of second year Coach Melissa Oja included non-conference wins over Northwestern, Phillips, and Ashland. Their run through the regional tournament featured three wins against good competition, 75-22 against Bruce-Weyerhaeuser, 80-43 versus Phillips, and a 43-34 win over Ladysmith at Park Falls in the title game. Their season finally came to an end with a 53-38 loss to Fall Creek at the Hayward sectional semifinal.

Back in 2009, their 23 game winning streak was the longest in school history.

The 2008-09 team included: Jeanna Aijala, Carli Anderson, Brittany Czerneski, Erin Gulon, Ale Kohegyi, Carolanne Leinon, Jesse Mackey, Caitlin Maki, Hailey Manzanares, Gabby Mattson, Becca Meade, Judy Nevala, Brittany Raisanen, Bry Stengard, Kayla Windt, Chanel Youngs and coaches Melissa Oja and Chris Tweiten.

Aijala, Czerneski, Mackey, and Windt were named Indianhead All-Conference.



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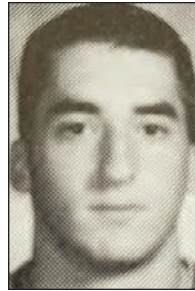
Mackey



Levra



Meredith



Peterson



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**THE 2008-09 regional champion Hurley girls basketball team included from left, first row: Kayla Windt, Brittany Raisanen, Erin Gulon, Jesse Mackey, Chanel Youngs, Bry Stengard and Gabby Mattson; second row: Assistant Coach Chris Tweiten, Jeanna Aijala, Caitlin Maki, Ale Kohegyi, Brittany Czerneski, Hailey Manzanares, Becca Meade, Carolanne Leinon, Judy Nevala, Carli Anderson, and head coach Melissa Oja.**

# Tigers overcome 2 more Gallo homers to top Rangers 5-3

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — When Miguel Cabrera came on as a pinch-hitter for the Detroit Tigers with the bases loaded and one out in a tie game, he did exactly what the Texas Rangers hoped he would by hitting the ball on the ground.

Things didn't go as expected after that.

Instead of an inning-ending double play, Cabrera wound up with a go-ahead RBI infield single when the ball deflected off the glove of just-in reliever Joely Rodriguez.

The Tigers went on to a 5-3 vic-

tory Wednesday over the Rangers and previously unbeaten All-Star pitcher Kyle Gibson while also overcoming two more homers by slugger Joey Gallo.

"I've never seen Miggie run that fast. ... That kind of ignited things," Tigers manager A.J. Hinch said.

"It's frustrating because it's a double play if anybody catches the ball," Texas manager Chris Woodward said.

With the game tied 2-2 in the seventh, Gibson walked No. 9 batter Jake Rogers to load the bases after Harold Castro had flared a hit

to short left-center. Cabrera then got career hit No. 2,924 before Jonathan Schoop blooped a single over first base that dropped just fair for another run before Robbie Grossman, who had an RBI single in the first, walked with the bases still loaded.

"Crazy seventh inning," Gibson said. "Just kind of felt like whenever they threatened, they did so by finding a hole here, blooming the ball in there."

Gallo became the first Rangers player ever with 10 homers in a 10-game stretch, and his two solo

shots combined went more than 900 feet on the same day that it was announced he would participate in next week's Home Run Derby.

The All-Star right fielder, with 23 homers overall, also had his fourth outfield assist and drove in the other Texas run when he drew his AL-best 67th walk with the bases loaded in the eighth.

Kyle Funkhouser (3-0) worked two scoreless innings after starter Casey Mize, the former No. 1 overall pick being limited by the Tigers, allowed the Gallo homers in his four innings.

Gregory Soto, Detroit's only All-Star pick, got the last six outs for his seventh save in as many chances, including consecutive strikeouts after the four-pitch walk to Gallo.

Jeimer Candelario hit a solo homer for the Tigers, who took two of three games to improve to 4-0-1 in their past five series.

Three days after getting selected to his first All-Star team, Gibson (6-1) struck out seven but allowed eight hits and five runs over 6 1/3 innings. His ERA jumped from an AL-best 1.98 to 2.29.



## Scoreboard

**NBA Finals**  
**All Times EDT**  
**(Best-of-7)**  
**x-if necessary**  
**Phoenix 1, Milwaukee 0**

Tuesday, July 6: Phoenix 118, Milwaukee 105

Thursday, July 8: Milwaukee at Phoenix, 9 p.m.

Sunday, July 11: Phoenix at Milwaukee, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, July 14: Phoenix at Milwaukee, 9 p.m.

x-Saturday, July 17: Milwaukee at Phoenix, 9 p.m.

x-Tuesday, July 20: Phoenix at Milwaukee, 9 p.m.

x-Thursday, July 22: Milwaukee at Phoenix, 9 p.m.

**Stanley Cup Finals**  
**All Times EDT**  
**(Best-of-7; x-if necessary)**  
**Tampa Bay 4, Montreal 1**

Monday, June 28: Tampa Bay 5, Montreal 1

Wednesday, June 30: Tampa Bay 3, Montreal 1

Friday, July 2: Tampa Bay 6, Montreal 3

Monday, July 5: Montreal 3, Tampa Bay 2, OT

Wednesday, July 7: Tampa Bay 1, Montreal 0

**Tampa Bay 1, Montreal 0**

Montreal 0 0 0 0 — 0

Tampa Bay 0 1 0 — 1

First Period: None

Penalties: Perry, MTL (Hooking), 3:21; Rutta, TB (Cross Checking), 7:19; Cernak, TB (Interference), 8:15; Perry, MTL (Unsportsmanlike Conduct), 8:15; Anderson, MTL (Hooking), 8:43.

Second Period: 1, Tampa Bay, Colton 4 (Savard, McDonagh), 13:27. Penalties: Savard, TB (Delay of Game), 0:21; Sergachev, TB (Tripping), 8:32; Chiriat, MTL (Holding), 19:22.

Third Period: None

Penalties: None

Shots on Goal: Montreal 4-10-7-21. Tampa Bay 13-6-11-30.

Power-play opportunities: Montreal 0 of 3, Tampa Bay 0 of 3.

Goals: Montreal, Price 13-8-0 (30 shots-29 saves). Tampa Bay, Vasilevskyi 15-7-0 (22-22).

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Referees: Gord Dwyer, Dan O'Rourke. Linesmen: Michel Cormier, Jonny Murray.

**Stanley Cup Champions**

2021 — Tampa Bay Lightning def. Montreal Canadiens, 4-1

2020 — Tampa Bay Lightning def. Dallas Stars, 4-2

2019 — St. Louis Blues def. Boston Bruins, 4-3

2018 — Washington Capitals def. Vegas Golden Knights, 4-1

2017 — Pittsburgh Penguins def. Nashville Predators, 4-2

2016 — Pittsburgh Penguins def. San Jose Sharks, 4-2

2015 — Chicago Blackhawks def. Tampa Bay Lightning, 4-2

2014 — Los Angeles Kings def. New York Rangers, 4-1

2013 — Chicago Blackhawks def. Boston Bruins, 4-2

2012 — Los Angeles Kings def. New Jersey Devils, 4-2

2011 — Boston Bruins def. Vancouver Canucks, 4-3

2010 — Chicago Blackhawks def. Philadelphia Flyers, 4-2

2009 — Pittsburgh Penguins def. Detroit Red Wings, 4-3

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2007 — Anaheim Ducks def. Ottawa Senators, 4-1

2006 — Carolina Hurricanes def. Edmonton Oilers, 4-3

2005 — Lockout

2004 — Tampa Bay Lightning def. Calgary Flames, 4-3

2003 — New Jersey Devils def. Anaheim Mighty Ducks, 4-3

2002 — Detroit Red Wings def. Carolina Hurricanes, 4-1

2001 — Colorado Avalanche def. New Jersey Devils, 4-3

2000 — New Jersey Devils def. Dallas Stars, 4-2

1999 — Dallas Stars def. Buffalo Sabres, 4-2

1998 — Detroit Red Wings def. Washington Capitals, 4-0

1997 — Detroit Red Wings def. Philadelphia Flyers, 4-0

1996 — Colorado Avalanche def. Florida Panthers, 4-0

1995 — New Jersey Devils def. Detroit Red Wings, 4-0

1994 — New York Rangers def. Vancouver Canucks, 4-3

1993 — Montreal Canadiens def. Los Angeles Kings, 4-1

1992 — Pittsburgh Penguins def. Chicago Blackhawks, 4-0

1991 — Pittsburgh Penguins def. Minnesota North Stars, 4-2

1990 — Edmonton Oilers def. Boston Bruins, 4-1

1989 — Calgary Flames def. Montreal Canadiens, 4-2

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1987 — Edmonton Oilers def. Philadelphia Flyers, 4-3

1986 — Montreal Canadiens def. Calgary Flames, 4-1

1985 — Edmonton Oilers def. Philadelphia Flyers, 4-1

1984 — Edmonton Oilers def. New York Islanders, 4-1

1983 — New York Islanders def. Edmonton Oilers, 4-0

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1967 — Toronto Maple Leafs def. Montreal Canadiens, 4-1

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1953 — Montreal Canadiens def. Boston Bruins, 4-1

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1947 — Toronto Maple Leafs def. Montreal Canadiens, 4-2

1946 — Montreal Canadiens def. Boston Bruins, 4-1

1945 — Toronto Maple Leafs def. Detroit Red Wings, 4-3

1944 — Montreal Canadiens def. Chicago Black Hawks, 4-0

1943 — Detroit Red Wings def.

Boston Bruins, 4-0

1942 — Toronto Maple Leafs def. Detroit Red Wings, 4-3

1941 — Boston Bruins def. Detroit Red Wings, 4-0

1940 — New York Rangers def. Toronto Maple Leafs, 4-2

1939 — Boston Bruins def. Toronto Maple Leafs, 4-1

1938 — Chicago Black Hawks def. Toronto Maple Leafs, 3-1

1937 — Detroit Red Wings def. New York Rangers, 3-2

1936 — Detroit Red Wings def. Toronto Maple Leafs, 3-1

1935 — Montreal Maroons def. Toronto Maple Leafs, 3-0

1934 — Chicago Black Hawks def. Detroit Red Wings, 3-1

1933 — New York Rangers def. Toronto Maple Leafs, 3-1

1932 — Toronto Maple Leafs def. New York Rangers, 3-0

1931 — Montreal Canadiens def. Chicago Black Hawks, 3-2

1930 — Montreal Canadiens def. Toronto Bruins, 2-0

1929 — Boston Bruins def. New York Rangers, 2-0

1928 — New York Rangers def. Montreal Maroons, 3-2

1927 — Ottawa Senators def. Boston Bruins, 2-1-1

1926 — Montreal Maroons def. Victoria Cougars, 3-1

1925 — Victoria Cougars def. Montreal Canadiens, 3-2

1924 — Montreal Canadiens def. Vancouver Maroons, 3-2

1923 — Ottawa Senators def. Vancouver Maroons, 3-1

1922 — Toronto St. Patricks def. Vancouver Millionaires, 3-2

1921 — Ottawa Senators def. Vancouver Millionaires, 3-2

1920 — Ottawa Senators def. Seattle Metropolitans, 3-2

1919 — No decision, flu epidemic

1918 — Toronto Arenas def. Vancouver Millionaires, 3-2

**Conn Smythe Trophy Winners**

The most valuable players in the Stanley Cup playoffs:

2021: Andrei Vasilevskyi, Tampa Bay Lightning

2020: Victor Hedman, Tampa Bay Lightning

2019: Ryan O'Reilly, St. Louis Blues

2018: Alex Ovechkin, Washington Capitals

2017: Sidney Crosby, Pittsburgh Penguins

2016: Sidney Crosby, Pittsburgh Penguins

2015: Duncan Keith, Chicago Blackhawks

2014: Justin Williams, Los Angeles Kings

2013: Patrick Kane, Chicago Blackhawks

2012: Jonathan Quick, Los Angeles Kings

2011: Tim Thomas, Boston Bruins

2010: Jonathan Toews, Chicago Blackhawks

2009: Evgeni Malkin, Pittsburgh Penguins

2008: Henrik Zetterberg, Detroit Red Wings

2007: Scott Niedermayer, Anaheim Ducks

2006: Cam Ward, Carolina Hurricanes

2005: Lockout

2004: Brad Richards, Tampa Bay Lightning

2003: Jean-Sebastien Giguere, Anaheim Mighty Ducks-x

2002: Nicklas Lidstrom, Detroit Red Wings

2001: Patrick Roy, Colorado Avalanche

2000: Scott Stevens, New Jersey Devils

1999: Joe Nieuwendyk, Dallas Stars

1998: Steve Yzerman, Detroit Red Wings

1997: Mike Vernon, Detroit Red Wings

1996: Joe Sakic, Colorado Avalanche

1995: Claude Lemieux, New Jersey Devils

1994: Brian Leetch, New York Rangers

1993: Patrick Roy, Montreal Canadiens

1992: Mario Lemieux, Pittsburgh Penguins

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1990: Bill Ranford, Edmonton Oilers

1989: Al MacInnis, Calgary Flames

1988: Wayne Gretzky, Edmonton Oilers

1987: Ron Hextall, Philadelphia Flyers-x

1986: Patrick Roy, Montreal Canadiens

1985: Wayne Gretzky, Edmonton Oilers

1984: Mark Messier, Edmonton Oilers

1983: Bill Smith, New York Islanders

1982: Mike Bossy, New York Islanders

1981: Butch Goring, New York Islanders

1980: Bryan Trottier, New York Islanders

1979: Bob Gainey, Montreal Canadiens

1978: Guy Lafleur, Montreal Canadiens

1977: Reggie Leach, Philadelphia Flyers-x

1975: Bernie Parent, Philadelphia Flyers

1974: Bernie Parent, Philadelphia Flyers

1973: Yvan Cournoyer, Montreal Canadiens

1972: Bobby Orr, Boston Bruins

1971: Ken Dryden, Montreal Canadiens

1970: Bobby Orr, Boston Bruins

1969: Serge Savard, Montreal Canadiens

1968: Glenn Hall, St. Louis Blues-x

1967: Dave Keon, Toronto Maple Leafs

1966: Roger Crozier, Detroit Red Wings-x

1965: Jean Beliveau, Montreal Canadiens

x-Played on losing team in the finals.

**Baseball**  
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**American League**
**East Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	54	34	.614	—
Tampa Bay	51	36	.586	2½
Toronto	44	40	.524	8
New York	44	41	.518	8½
Baltimore	28	58	.326	25

**Central Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	51	35	.593	—
Cleveland	42	42	.500	8
Detroit	40	47	.460	11½
Kansas City	36	50	.419	15
Minnesota	35	50	.412	15½

**West Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	54	33	.621	—
Oakland	49	39	.557	5½
Seattle	45	42	.517	9
Los Angeles	44	42	.512	9½
Texas	34	53	.391	20

**National League**
**East Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	45	38	.542	—
Washington	42	43	.494	4
Atlanta	42	44	.488	4½
Philadelphia	41	43	.488	4½
Miami	38	47	.447	8

**Central Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	52	36	.591	—
Cincinnati	45	41	.523	6
Chicago	43	44	.494	8½
St. Louis	43	45	.489	9
Pittsburgh	32	54	.372	19

**West Division**

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Francisco	54	32	.628	—
Los Angeles	53	34	.609</	



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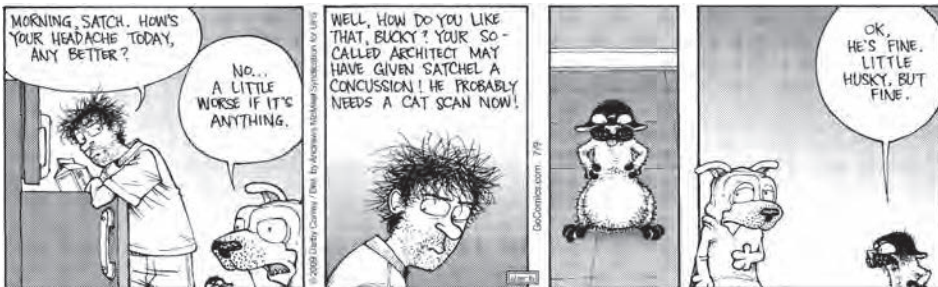
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Beware of online scammers

Dear Annie: I'm desperately in need of your advice. I've been married to my husband for 16 years; we've been together 20 years. We'd always had a decent sex life up until two years ago. The sex just stopped. He was never in the mood. I had no clue what had changed. Well, about six months ago, I discovered that he's been watching porn a couple of times a week (at least), for as far back as our computer history showed. I confronted him about it. He said it was no big deal — that most men have a porn habit. But it is a big deal to me. It has lowered my self-esteem and made me feel very lonely and unlovable — like it's my fault that he doesn't want me.

He acts like I should be OK with it, but to me, what he's doing is a form of cheating. I don't know what to do or how to handle it. — **Feeling Betrayed**

Dear Feeling: If this were indeed just a habit, then there might be middle ground on which to meet him. But when a behavior becomes so compulsive that it disrupts one's marriage and prevents physical intimacy for years on end, it's no longer a habit. It's an addiction.

Have a heart-to-heart with your husband. While your hurt feelings are understandable, try to set aside any anger when you talk to him about this. Put love front and center, expressing concern for his health and letting him know how his behavior impacts you. Hopefully, he'll be open to seeking help overcoming this addiction, through counseling or a support group. Regardless, you can seek help for yourself. Visit <https://www.psychologytoday.com/groups/sexual-addiction>, and enter your ZIP code to find groups for those addicted to pornography as well as groups for spouses/partners.

Dear Annie: I just spent my first Father's Day without my dad, who tragically passed away from COVID-19 a few months ago. I am feeling heartbroken but



Dear Annie

also grateful. Without a doubt in my mind or heart, the most significant trait that my beloved father instilled in me through his role modeling of it is resilience.

He developed this life-saving trait throughout a difficult childhood and continued relying on it through serious debilitating health issues later on in his life, always facing each one with grit and grace.

I have also been experiencing an exceptionally challenging life, the latest bump in the road being an aggressive form of cancer. My deeply entrenched resiliency has and continues to be invaluable. Thank you, Daddy. — **Grateful Daughter**

Dear Grateful: I'm so sorry for your loss and your diagnosis. They say we should be the things we loved most about the people who are gone. It sounds like you're living that credo. Your dad would be proud.

Dear Annie: In several columns, you've mentioned Match.com as a good place for singles to meet other singles. Well, my mother-in-law lost her entire savings, more than \$70,000, to a scammer on one of the most popular dating sites. There was no recourse available from either her bank or the site. No social media site is safe from scammers. — **Offline**

Dear Offline: Your words of caution are warranted — and yet another reminder to never give money or your banking information to someone you've met online.

Send your questions for Annie Lane to [dearannie@creators.com](mailto:dearannie@creators.com).

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TODAY'S HOROSCOPE

If today is your birthday: Communication will help guide you to new beginnings. Expand your mind. Consider what makes you happy, and find a way to satisfy your needs. Set high standards, and make the adjustments that will bring you peace of mind. Take control, ease stress and live life your way.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) — Emotions will surface, leaving it up to you to make intelligent decisions. Get the low-down before you make a move, and you'll avoid making a mistake based on invalid information.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) — Pay attention, give praise and show your appreciation. A kind gesture will ease tension and encourage others to share information with you. You are better off not making a change unnecessarily.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — You'll have difficulty choosing between what you want and what you are supposed to do. Talk to someone you have helped in the past, and you'll receive the help you need.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Listen to grievances, and be

patient with others. The less fuss, the more you'll achieve. Channel your energy into something that offers incentives and helps you gain the experience you desire.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Make environmental upgrades to your home or cut your overhead by eliminating something you no longer use or need. Look for alternative lifestyles that spark your interest.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — Do something physical, and you'll feel good about yourself. A healthy lifestyle will help you dump bad habits and attract people striving to do their best. Love is favored.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Make positive changes at home, and it will bring you closer to the people you care about most. A meaningful relationship will reach new levels if you discuss your intentions.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — Keep your distance from people known to take unnecessary health risks. Protect yourself and loved ones from precarious situations.

Romance is encouraged. Make plans for a fun, safe outing.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20) — You'll gain insight into what others want. Do what you can to accommodate them, but make sure you get what you want in return. Share your feelings, and find out where you stand.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) — Don't poke someone who is upset. Go about your business, and get involved in activities that help you dodge trouble. A kind gesture or word will help ease any tension.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) — Take care of your responsibilities before someone complains. Be aware of other people's feelings, and take a moment to comfort someone who needs help or reassurance.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) — Choose your words carefully. Someone will misinterpret you if you aren't clear. Let your actions reflect your statements. You won't please everyone, but you will avoid a costly error.

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### Legals

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·US-2 Duck Creek Bridge Approach

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Associated Press

**A MEMBER of the Israeli search and rescue team, left, salutes in front of the rubble that once was Champlain Towers South during a prayer ceremony, Wednesday, in Surfside, Fla. Members of search and rescue teams and Miami-Dade Fire rescue, along with police and workers who have been working at the site of the collapse gathered for a moment of prayer and silence next to the collapsed tower.**

## Recovery workers pledge to press forward in condo collapse

SURFSIDE, Fla. (AP) — Rescue workers now focused on finding remains instead of survivors in the rubble of a Florida condominium collapse paused briefly atop the pile Thursday to mark the two-week anniversary of the disaster but said they had no plans to pull back during the recovery effort.

The death toll rose to 60, with another 80 people unaccounted for, Miami Dade Mayor Daniella Levine Cava said at a news conference Thursday. Detectives are still working to verify that each of those listed as missing was actually in the building when it collapsed. Meanwhile, rescue workers who have been at the site for two weeks are dedicated to the task of recovering as many victims as possible, Levine Cava said.

"The work continues with all speed and urgency," she said. "We are working around the clock to recover victims and to bring closure to the families as fast as we possibly can."

The painstaking search for survivors shifted to a recovery effort at midnight Wednesday after authorities said they had come to the agonizing conclusion that there was "no chance of life" in the rubble of the Champlain Towers South condo building in Surfside.

"When that happened, it took a little piece of the hearts of this community," said U.S. Rep. Debbie Wasserman Schultz, whose congressional district includes the town of Surfside where the Champlain Towers South is located.

Michael Stratton, whose wife, Cassie, has not officially been confirmed dead, said friends and family had accepted "the loss of a bright and kind soul with an adventurous spirit." He was talking on the phone with his wife right when the building collapsed, and she described that it was shaking before the phone went dead, he has told Denver's KDVR-TV.

"This wasn't the miracle we prayed for, but it was not for lack of trying by rescue crews whose tireless bravery will never be forgotten," he said in a statement Thursday.

Wasserman Schultz and Florida Gov. Ron DeSantis pledged financial assistance to families of the victims, as well as to residents of the building who survived but lost all their possessions, while acknowledging the devastating toll the tragedy has taken on them over the past two weeks.

"Is there hope? Will we be able to have a miracle? I know it's weighed a lot on the families," DeSantis said.



Associated Press

**GINI GONTE visits the Surfside Wall of Hope & Memorial on Wednesday, as she honors her friends Nancy Kress Levin and Jay Kleiman, who lost their lives after the collapse of the Champlain Towers South in Surfside, Fla.**

In addition to property tax relief for residents of the building, DeSantis said the state government will work toward channeling an outpouring of charitable donations to families affected by the collapse. Levine Cava said crews were also collecting and cataloguing a long list of personal items, including legal documents, photo albums, jewelry, wallets, and electronic goods that they would seek to reunite families with.

The change from search and rescue to recovery was somber. Hours before the transition Wednesday, rescue workers stood at solemn attention, and clergy members hugged a line of local officials while many of them sobbed.

An accordion player unseen on a nearby tennis court played Aaron Copland's "Fanfare for the Common Man," which was followed by a piccolo playing "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." Firefighters from Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, the federal government and elsewhere were also present.

On a tall nearby fence, families and well-wishers had posted photos of the victims, supportive messages and flowers. Firefighters hung a banner atop the fence that read "Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Mourns With You."

Miami-Dade Assistant Fire Chief Raide Jadallah told weeping families during a private briefing on Wednesday that the rescuers' "sole responsibility at this point is to bring closure."

Later, during a news conference, Jadallah said crews remained committed to doing whatever it takes to finish the job.

"The resources are still there. The men and women are still there. The support is still there," said Jadallah, who began crying

silently after he spoke.

Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Chief Alan Cominsky said he expects the recovery effort will take several more weeks.

Dennis Dirkmaat, an anthropology professor who chairs the Department of Applied and Forensic Sciences at Mercyhurst University, said he expects crews will use heavy equipment in a "top down approach" to methodically lift material off the debris pile, place it in containers and evaluate it for evidence of human remains. He said the process would likely be repeated as the crews move to subsequent floors.

"It's still a process, slow, tedious process of removing all of this debris. And so it's going to take a while," he said.

Hope of finding survivors was briefly rekindled after workers demolished the remainder of the building, allowing rescuers access to new areas of debris.

Some voids where survivors could have been trapped did exist, mostly in the basement and the parking garage, but no one was found alive. Instead, teams recovered more than a dozen additional victims. Because the building fell in the early morning hours, many were found dead in their beds.

No one had been pulled out alive since the first hours after the 12-story building fell on June 24.

Twice during the search operation, rescuers had to suspend the mission because of the instability of the remaining part of the condominium building and the preparation for demolition.

Authorities are launching a grand jury investigation into the collapse and at least six lawsuits have been filed by Champlain Towers families.



# Billionaire Blastoff: Rich riding own rockets into space

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Two billionaires are putting everything on the line this month to ride their own rockets into space.

It's intended to be a flashy confidence boost for customers seeking their own short joyrides.

The lucrative, high-stakes chase for space tourists will unfold on the fringes of space — 55 miles to 66 miles up, pitting Virgin Galactic's Richard Branson against the world's richest man, Blue Origin's Jeff Bezos.

Branson is due to take off Sunday from New Mexico, launching with two pilots and three other employees aboard a rocket plane carried aloft by a double-fuselage aircraft.

Bezos departs nine days later from West Texas, blasting off in a fully automated capsule with three guests: his brother, an 82-year-old female aviation pioneer who's waited six decades for a shot at space and the winner of a \$28 million charity auction.

Branson's flight will be longer, but Bezos' will be higher.

Branson's craft has more windows, but Bezos' windows are bigger.

Branson's piloted plane has already flown to space three times. Bezos' has five times as many test flights, though none with people on board.

Either way, they're shooting for sky-high bragging rights as the first person to fly his own rocket to space and experience three to four minutes of weightlessness.

Branson, who turns 71 in another week, considers it "very important" to try it out before allowing space tourists on board. He insists he's not apprehensive; this is the thrill-seeking adventurer who's kite-surfed across the English Channel and attempted to circle the world in a hot air balloon.

"As a child, I wanted to go to space. When that did not look likely for my generation, I registered the name Virgin Galactic with the notion of creating a company that could make it happen," Branson wrote in a blog this week. Seventeen years after founding Virgin Galactic, he's on the cusp of experiencing space for himself.

"It's amazing where an idea can lead you, no matter how far-fetched it may seem at first."

Bezos, 57, who stepped down Monday as Amazon's CEO, announced in early June that he'd be on his New Shepard rocket's first passenger flight, choosing the 52nd anniversary of Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin's moon landing.

He too had childhood dreams of traveling to space, Bezos said via Instagram. "On July 20th, I will take that journey with my brother. The greatest adventure, with my best friend."

Branson was supposed to fly later this year on the second of three more test flights planned by Virgin Galactic before flying ticket holders next year. But late last week, he leapfrogged ahead.

He insists he's not trying to beat Bezos and that it's not a race. Yet his announcement came just hours after Bezos revealed he'd be joined in space by Wally Funk, one of the last surviving members of the so-called Mercury 13. The 13 female pilots never made it to space despite passing the same tests in the early 1960s as NASA's original, all-male Mercury 7 astronauts.

Bezos hasn't commented publicly on Branson's upcoming flight.

But some at Blue Origin already are nitpicking the fact that their capsule surpasses the designated Karman line of space 62 miles up, while Virgin Galactic's peak altitude is 55 miles.



**THIS COMBINATION of 2019 and 2016 file photos shows Jeff Bezos with a model of Blue Origin's Blue Moon lunar lander in Washington, left, and Richard Branson with Virgin Galactic's SpaceShipTwo space tourism rocket in Mojave, Calif. The two billionaires are putting everything on the line in July 2021 to ride their own rockets into space.**

International aeronautic and astronautic federations in Europe recognize the Karman line as the official boundary between the upper atmosphere and space, while NASA, the Air Force, the Federal Aviation Administration and some astrophysicists accept a minimum altitude of 50 miles (80 kilometers).

Blue Origin's flights last 10 minutes by the time the capsule parachutes onto the desert floor. Virgin Galactic's last around 14 to 17 minutes from the time the space plane drops from the mothership and fires its rocket motor for a steep climb until it glides to a runway landing.

SpaceX's Elon Musk doesn't do quick up-and-down hops to the edge of space. His capsules go all the way to orbit, and he's shooting for Mars.

"There is a big difference between reaching space and reaching orbit," Musk said last week on Twitter.

Musk already has carried 10 astronauts to the International Space Station for NASA, and his company's first private spaceflight is coming up in September for another billionaire who's purchased a three-day, globe-circling ride.

Regardless of how high they fly, Virgin Galactic and Blue Origin already are referring to their prospective clients as "astronauts." More than 600 have reserved seats with Virgin Galactic at \$250,000. Blue Origin expects to announce prices and open ticket sales once Bezos flies.

Phil McAlister, NASA's commercial spaceflight director, considers it a space renaissance,

especially as the space station gets set to welcome a string of paying visitors, beginning with a Russian actress and movie producer in October, a pair of Japanese in December and a SpaceX-delivered crew of businessmen in January.

"This next year, it's going to really start moving pretty quickly, so we're really excited about it," NASA astronaut Shane Kimbrough said from the space station last week.

This is precisely the future NASA wanted once the shuttles retired and private companies took over space station ferry flights. Atlantis blasted off on the last shuttle flight 10 years ago Thursday.

"The way I see it is the more, the better, right?" McAlister said. "More, better."

## Queen Elizabeth II visits set of TV soap 'Coronation Street'

LONDON (AP) — Queen Elizabeth II has visited the set of "Coronation Street" to mark the long-running television soap's 60th birthday.

The monarch was all smiles as she met Thursday with veteran cast and crew of the show, walked along the storied cobbled street and visited the studio where the interior of the Rovers Return pub is filmed.

It was the second time the queen, 95, has visited Coronation Street — the first time was in the early 1980s, at the show's original studios in Manchester.

She told the cast it was "really marvelous you've been able to carry on" during the pandemic, and took time to chat to backstage staff including writers, camera operators, set designers and sound engineers.

The show, which focuses on the lives of residents of the fictional northern English town of Weatherfield, is the world's longest-running drama series.

## Haddish, Shatner, Paisley join Discovery's 'Shark Week'

NEW YORK (AP) — Deep in the ocean, surrounded by sharks, Tiffany Haddish stayed cool. She drew on her land-based survival skills.

"I was as frightened around them as I am around like a pack of pit bull dogs," she said in an interview. "I feel like animals pick up on your energy. If you're in there being scared, they're like, 'Well, what you got? Why are you scared?' It's like being in the 'hood."

Haddish is among the celebrities signed on for this year's Shark Week, with a record 45 hours of programming on the Discovery Channel and streaming on discovery+ between July 11-18.

Joining Haddish are Brad Paisley, William Shatner, Eric Bana, Snoop Dogg, Eli Roth, Robert Irwin, Ian Ziering, Tara Reid and cast members from "Jackass." For Shark Week's 33rd year, there are documentaries, many specials and even a reality series for shark fans to sink their teeth into.

Howard Swartz, a senior vice president at Discovery Channel, said Shark Week was born as a counterpoint for those who developed a fear of sharks and a desire to eradicate them after seeing "Jaws."

"What has evolved over the last three plus decades is to show that they're not these mindless killing machines, that sharks are amazingly intelligent animals," Swartz said. "Equally important is how critical they are to the ecosystem, how critically important they are to the health of the oceans and therefore to life on our planet."

"Star Trek" star Shatner boldly went where he really didn't want to go — diving with sharks. He suffers from galeophobia, a persistent fear of sharks, but he overcame it in "Expedition Unknown: Shark Trek."

"I think it's very healthy to be afraid of an animal that has an 18-inch jaw with three sets of teeth," he said in an interview. "It's designed to eat, not you necessarily, but to eat. And if you're mistaken to be part of its food chain, that's your problem."

Eli Roth, the horror filmmaker behind the bloody classic "Hostel," joined the documentary "Fin" to explain why millions of sharks have died to feed the continued demand for shark fin soup and other dishes. Bana narrates the doc "Envoy: Shark Cull," which focuses on official controversial shark control programs used in Australia.

Noah Schnapp from the sci-fi

series "Stranger Things" suits up to search for the strangest sharks in the ocean, while Irwin comes face-to-face with a Great White for the first time. Even the online television and video star known as Dr. Pimple Popper is getting in on the act: Dr. Sandra Lee will explore the world of shark skin and see if it can help human skin issues.

Paisley puts his musical talents to the test to see how sound can attract or repel sharks, and Snoop Dogg narrates crazy shark moves — like the beasts making eye-popping leaps out of the water, prompting the rapper to call them "thirsty as hell" — in "Sharkadelic Summer 2."

For Haddish, her special about the reproduction of sharks — did you know female sharks have two uteruses? — will hopefully show how important to the planet sharks really are.

Swartz says inviting celebrities onto Shark Week is a bit like when "Sesame Street" has on famous guest stars — they help attract a wider, intergenerational audience.

"At the end of the day, what the celebrities do for us is to bring people into the tent who might not normally come to Shark Week," he said. "Having said that, I will say you might be surprised at how many celebrities are fans of Shark

Week."

Dr. James Sulikowski, a professor at Arizona State University, has been on Shark Week before but this time does something no one has ever done — perform an ultrasound on a wild tiger shark.

It was necessary since scientists are still trying to pinpoint where in the Bahamas tiger sharks give birth and how humans can protect the area. But first they needed to find a pregnant shark and that's where Sulikowski came in, calmly pushing his sonogram onto a shark's belly at the bottom of the ocean while dozens of her friends came to inspect.

"It was so many emotions all at once," he said in an interview. "It's chaos. It's terrifying. It's exhilarating. You're doing something that no one has ever done before. You're pushing the envelope. And right in the back of your mind it's like, 'You know what? I could be eaten.'"

"Mothersharker" — Sulikowski's wonderfully titled show — reveals another side to the often misunderstood animals. "These sharks are moms," he said. "These are animals that are nurturing their young, they're carrying them, they're protecting them. It's an aspect that most people don't realize."

## Lin-Manuel Miranda sees art and philanthropy with same lens

NEW YORK (AP) — For "Hamilton" creator Lin-Manuel Miranda, the inspirations for art and philanthropy are inextricably linked.

On Wednesday, Miranda is announcing a series of donations to organizations that serve immigrants, whose experiences are central to the new film version of his hit Broadway musical "In the Heights."

"For me," Miranda told The Associated Press, "philanthropy and artistic inspiration kind of come from the same place."

He is forever drawn to what he calls "the things that don't leave you alone." Immigration, he said, is both a passion and a foundational element of his work.

"In the Heights," he noted, centers on immigrants from the Caribbean and Latin America living in New York City. And "Hamilton," he said, "is sort of the

proto-immigrant story."

"I think I am in awe of people who can make an impossible leap to leave everything they know behind and start a new life here," he said. "And I think it's one of the great things about our country."

In honor of the Fourth of July, the Miranda Family Fund awarded a total of \$225,000 in grants to immigrant rights groups and policy reform advocates throughout the country. The recipients are Arizona's Pima County Justice for All, California's Coalition for Human Rights Los Angeles, Colorado Immigration Rights Coalition, Michigan's Arab Community Center for Economic and Social Services, Texas' Las Americas Immigrant Advocacy Center, Utah Refugee Connection, Asian Americans Advancing Justice in Washington, and both Alianza for Progress and Orlando Center for Justice



**IN THIS undated photo provided by Monica Simoes, Lin-Manuel Miranda, left, laughs with his father Luis Miranda Jr. The award-winning "Hamilton" creator says the inspirations for his art and philanthropy are linked.**

in Florida.

Luis Miranda Jr., Lin-Manuel's father and co-founder of the MirRam Group, a political consulting firm that has worked on campaigns for Democratic Sens. Hillary Clinton, Chuck Schumer and Kirsten Gillibrand, said all

the recipients were recommended by friends of the family in the field of immigration.

It was important to the Mirandas to make the grants unrestricted, so the money would go to "whatever the organization believes is important," Luis

said. "It's going to make a difference."

"They know what they need," Lin-Manuel added.

Though the Miranda Family Fund has been active for years in donations to the arts community, especially arts education, the donations announced Wednesday mark an expansion in its giving for immigration, which previously included working with the Hispanic Federation to establish the Immigrants: We Get the Job Done Coalition.

The fight for immigrants' rights became a much larger part of the film version of "In the Heights" than it was in the musical that opened on Broadway in 2008. Lin-Manuel said the idea to make the character of Sonny a DREAMer, an undocumented immigrant who has Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) status, came from Quiara Alegria Hudes, who wrote

the screenplay.

"Immigration was on the front page in a totally different way in the past few years," Lin-Manuel said. "So in updating it, it sort of only made sense to make that a part of the conversation because that is part of the conversation here uptown in our communities. And so what's so brilliant about Quiara's choice to make Sonny struggle with his undocumented status is that he's the most New Yorkian character. He's the one who said, 'If I had \$96,000, I would fix my neighborhood.'"

Luis added that they had chosen the organizations to help.

"It's to make sure that we continue to help those organizations that are helping people like Sonny — refugees, immigrants, people who are coming and are trying to figure out how to make it here," he said.