Welcome Home to the: *NOVEMBER 2026*

BARNES NOTES AND NEWS

Volume 7 Issue 11 *HAPPY THANKSGIVING EVERYONE*

The BARNES NOTES & NEWS is your source of our area's community events and happenings and items of interest. We continue to welcome you to place your ads, submit events, articles, and stories. Please contact owner/editor: **Julie (Friermood) Sarkauskas at barnesnotesandnews@gmail.com or call 715-580-1288 (New Number)**

Remember we have a new website: www.beercheesesoup.com/bnn/ takes you directly to our page. You can also visit: *www.beercheesesoup.com* to reach to our site while checking out Rob's recipes, tips and tricks from Rob Lynch, our website host. ENJOY!

*** **BEAR WITH US – WE UNFORTUNATELY HAVE TO MOVE TO A DIFFERENT PROGRAM AND ARE WORKING THROUGH THE COBWEBS. THANKS FOR YOUR PATIENCE AND SUPPORT WHILE WE FIGURE OUT THE PROCESS.**

TOWN OF BARNES - 5TH ANNUAL

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING

SATURDAY DECEMBER 5TH

Kids Crafts & Letters to Santa 3:00 - 4:00

Santa comes at 4:00
Tree Lighting 5:00



Treats, Beverages and Fun with Santa after the Tree lighting

See inside for further details on these events

BARNES VFW / VFW AUXILIARY
VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH
NOON TO 3:00 P.M.

BLESSINGS OF THE HUNT
CHILI DINNER

BARNES COMMUNITY CHURCH
3200 County Hwy N, Barnes, WI

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH

SERVING STARTS AT 5:00







REMEMBER:

PLEASE **WALK AGAINST the TRAFFIC!!!! THIS IS FOR YOUR SAFETY.**

I do understand in the city you have sidewalks and it doesn't really matter, but in the country we **must ask** that you abide by the "rules of the road". **BIKE WITH** traffic (ditch to your right). ***MAKE SURE*** your dog is always on the "ditch" side of you and **NOT** on the road side.

I'd like to thank those of you who are walking with your pets away from the road. For those of you I've seen with your pet on the car side of the road, ***MAKE THE SWITCH.*** *If your dog darts toward traffic, you're not in the way to intervene.* ***The outcome of that is obvious.*** Love your pets enough to keep them safe.

NOTE: PLEASE REMEMBER THE STATE, COUNTY AND TOWN LEASH LAWS
YOUR DOG MUST BE ON A LEASH FOR THEIR SAFETY & THE SAFETY OF OTHERS

QUESTIONS, COMMENTS or CONCERNS

If you have any questions or comments on what you see here, we would like to hear from you. If you have an item that you would like to see in the Barnes Notes and News, please contact Julie (Friermood) Sarkauskas at **barnesnotesandnews@gmail.com**

THANKS TO YOU ALL FOR YOUR SUPPORT. GOD BLESS

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK

ARE YOU A LITTER BUG? OUR ROADS AND TRAILS DO NOT NEED TO LOOK LIKE A DUMP
IF YOU HAVE ROOM TO TAKE YOUR TREATS AND BEVERAGES WHEN YOU LEAVE HOME, THEN YOU HAVE ROOM FOR THE GARBAGE FROM THOSE TREATS AND BEVERAGES TO GO HOME WITH YOU.
(THE GARBAGE TAKES UP LESS ROOM)

FOR THOSE THAT GO OUT OF THEIR WAY TO CLEAN UP YOUR MESSES, I FOR ONE CANNOT THANK THEM ENOUGH. MAYBE YOU NEED TO PUT THEM OUT OF A JOB AND STOP THROWING GARBAGE ON THE ROADSIDES.



PLEASE …

HELP US KEEP OUR ROADS CLEAN

- **Please be sure to pick up anything that blows out of your vehicle or trailer.**
- **We have organizations and clubs in town that organize "clean up" events.**

Check in with them or visit:

TownOfBarnesWI.gov to offer your time

WE GREATLY APPRECIATE YOUR HELP IN KEEPING OUR TOWN CLEAN & BEAUTIFUL



THANK YOU to our Town Crew for all you do!

TOWN ROADS & PROPERTY DEPARTMENT

Office Phone: 715-795-2573
Normal Hours of Operation
6:00AM – 4:00PM Monday- Thursday
Jeff Jordheim
email: garage@TownOfBarnesWI.gov

Check the Town Website for updates
TownOfBarnesWI.gov

PLEASE KEEP A WEATHERED EYE FOR UTV/SNOMOBILES. STAY THE COURSE AND KEEP IT SLOW. PLEASE BE SAFE. Someone is waiting for you at home. THANK YOU!

Town Clerk/Treasurer: Kari Hufnagle
clerk@townofbarneswi.gov

Phone: 715-795-2782 Fax: 715-795-2784
3360 County Hwy N – Barnes, WI 54873
Visit: Barnes Website for town minutes
Open: M-T-TH-F: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Cemetery Sexton: Dave Schiess
Phone: 715-638-2573 or Evenings: 715-638-0424

TOWN OF BARNES BOARD MEMBERS

Chairman: Tom Renz - email: chair@TownOfBarneswi.gov
Supervisor:
Supervisor: Eric Neff - sup 2@TownOfBarneswi.gov
Supervisor: Paul Susienka - email: sup3@townofbarneswi.gov
Supervisor: Jim Frint - sup4@TownOfBarneswi.gov

Barnes Fire and Ambulance:
Director & Fire Chief: Brett and Brock Friermood
email: ambdirector@townofbarneswi.gov
email: firechief@townofbarneswi.gov

BARNES AREA CALENDAR OF EVENTS: NOVEMBER 2026

Tues. Nov 3: General Election 7:00 a.m. to 8: p.m. Barnes Town Hall. 715-795-2782

Tues. Nov 10: BARNESTORMERS SNOMOBILE CLUB 6:00 p.m. meeting at Snowmobile building 715-795-2753

Wed. Nov 11: **VETERANS DAY**

Wed Nov 11: VETERANS DAY BANQUET held at Barnes VFW@ Post 8329. Cocktails 5:00 p.m., Dinner 6:00 p.m. All members of the VFW, VFW Auxiliary and spouses and community Veterans & spouses are invited. 715-795-2402

Sat. Nov 14: VFW POST 8239 AUXILIARY CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR - 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. MULTI SITES: VFW Hall Barnes Town Hall and the Barnes EMS/Fire Department building. Tam Larson 715-795-2402

Tues. Nov 17: GORDON BARNES GARDEN CLUB meeting 1:30 p.m. Barnes Town Hall - Winter greenery workshop & pot, Wreath, etc. and donations. Community donation decisions. Judy Wilcox 715-795-3247

Tues. Nov 17: REGULAR TOWN BOARD meeting 6:30 p.m. Barnes Town Hall 715-795-2782

Fri. Nov 20: BLESSING OF THE HUNT Serving at 5:00 p.m. Free Dinner at the Barnes Community Church 715-795-2195

Sun Nov. 22: THANKSGIVING SERVICE Barnes Community Church 10:00 a.m. 715-795-2195

Thurs Nov. 26: CEDAR LODGE STEAKHOUSE & GRILLE's 22nd Annual Free Thanksgiving Day Fuffett! Donation Only - Serving 12:00 (noon) to 3:00 p.m. 715-795-2223

Thurs Nov 26: THANKSGIVING DAY HOLIDAY - Town Offices Closed

Fri Nov. 27: Town Offices Closed

HAPPY THANKSGIVING !!!

May God bless and keep you and your Family during this time.

" TOPS "

TAKE OFF THE POUNDS

Want to start 2026 eating healthier while losing weight?
Try **TOPS** to **" Take of pounds sensibly "**

Meetings will be held at the Barnes Town Hall—Mondays, 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
There will be an open house February 9th at 9:30 a.m. **Come join us.**
Florence Prickett - 715-816-0399

TOWN OF BARNES – OCTOBER SENIOR MEALS

Barnes Town Hall 3360 County Hwy. N Barnes, WI 54873	Meal Days: Thursdays Reservation required? Yes **Call by 9:00 a.m. the day before.**	Site Opens: 11:30 a.m. Meal Served: 12:00 noon

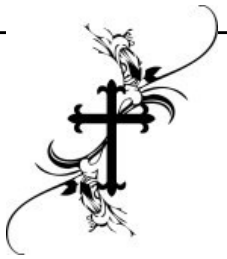
November 5th: Cheeseburger, lettuce, tomato & onion; baked beans, Jello with fruit
November 12th: Chicken and wild rice casserole; lettuce salad, apple sauce
November 19th: Turkey roast, mashed potatoes & gravy, squash, stuffing, whole grain bread and pie
November 26th: Closed HAPPY THANKSGIVING!



BARNES COMMUNITY CHURCH

Pastor Jon Hartman

WORSHIP HOURS
10:00 a.m. Sunday



BLESSED ARE WE AND OUR NEIGHBORS

Bible Studies
Every Tuesday at 10:00 a.m.
Everyone is Welcome

3200 County Hwy N., Barnes, WI
hone: 715-795-2195

BARNES COMMUNITY CHURCH FOOD PANTRY

The Barnes Food Pantry is open the 2nd Wednesday of each month
9:00 a// to 11:00 a.m.

Please bring identification

We are located at 3200 County Highway "N"
Barnes Community Church.
For further information call - 715-795-2195



Please consider making a donation to The Barnes Food Shelf.

It is greatly appreciated.

(For a map to the food shelf visit: www.barneswi.com)

Serving households within 15 miles of the church and living in the zip codes of:

Barnes (54873)
Drummond (54832)
Gordon (54383)



Barnes Community Curch

3200 County Highway N, Barnes, Wisconsin



ANNUAL

BLESSINGS FOR THE HUNT CHILI DINNER

Join us for the opening of the season.

Annually on the
THIRD Friday of November
at 5:00pm



all are welcome - free will offering

The Mission Committee of the Barnes Community Church began a new local outreach program in the Barnes community. The Ramp Lending Program is designed to provide the use of an accessibility ramp to individuals who have a temporary need for a ramp. Temporary is considered to be 5 months or less with a possible extension. The program will provide borrower's time to determine a permanent solution to their situation (healing, building a permanent ramp, relocation, etc.). In addition to the BCC congregation, the program is available to residents of Barnes and those within five miles of Barnes.

Like giant Legos, the aluminum sections are modular and can be fitted to different configurations. Helping to navigate one or many steps, they are equipped with two sets of handrails and have a carrying capacity of 1,000 pounds. Potential sites will be evaluated on feasibility. No fee is charged for participation, and BCC members will assemble the ramp. A signed waiver is required.

Ramps have been installed on two sites where residents were recovering from surgery.

For information and an application form, contact the Barnes Community Church at: 715-795-2195





We pray for those who are suffering, for those who are ill and injured and for those that are seeking peace within their souls.

You are not alone, nor will you ever be alone.
The Lord our God is always with us
His love is forever

God bless and keep each and every one of us.

5th ANNUAL

Town of Barnes

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING



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Barnes, WI 54873

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5th

3:00 P.M. Kids Crafts & Letters to Santa

4:00 P.M. Lighting

Santa and Fun to Follow

Refreshments & Goodies Provided

Sponsored by:

* Barnes Notes and News * Barnes EMS * Koffee Kup *

BARNES VFW AUXILIARY POST 8329



SATURDAY, NOV. 14TH, 2026
ALL LOCATIONS OPEN AT 9:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.

EIGHTH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CRAFT & GIFT SALE!

IN THE NORTHWOODS!

BARNES VFW POST 8329
52325 LAKE ROAD

BARNES TOWN HALL
3360 COUNTY HWY N

BARNES AMBULANCE BLDG
5005 COUNTY HWY N

VENDORS PLEASE CONTACT:
Tam Larson @ 715-795-2402
Email: ttcLarson@hotmail.com

ALL PROFITS GO TO BARNES VFW MEMORIAL

WE CAN NEVER REPAY YOU

VETERANS DAY DINNER

SAVE THE DATE

Veteran's Day

Wednesday
November 11, 2026

Bar Opens 5:00 p.m.
Dinner at 6:00 p.m.

Open to ALL Veterans

HONORING ALL WHO HAVE SERVED



WOUNDED WARRIOR PROJECT



ROAD HOME PROGRAM

PLEASE CONTACT
VFW OR VFW AUXILIARY MEMBERS
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

LET'S "BRING" THEM HOME

THANK THEM ALL

LED MESSAGING

VFW is offering advertising on the LD messaging board The sign can be rented by the week

For further information and rates please contact: Tam Larson at: 715-795-2402

OUR COMMUNITY



On behalf of the Town of Barnes and our Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Committee, I am writing to express our deepest gratitude to the Friends of the Eau Claire Lakes Area (FOECLA) for your incredibly generous donation of $27,500 to support our AIS operating expenses.

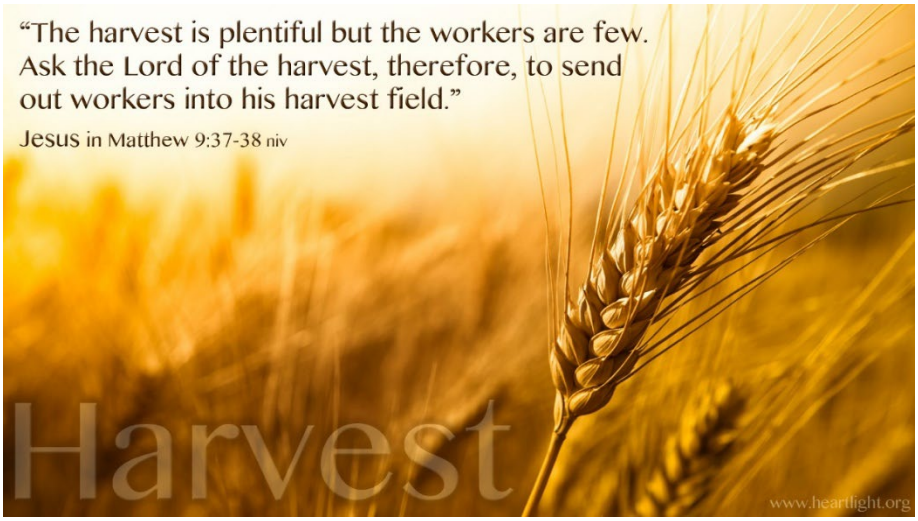
The success of the Barnes AIS program depends heavily on strong community and volunteer partnerships to keep our local waters pristine. Your substantial financial commitment directly ensures that our dedicated teams have the resources, monitoring gear, and boat wash staffing needed to mitigate the spread of aquatic invasive species across our beautiful chain of lakes.

FOECLA's ongoing advocacy and protection of our lakes are invaluable assets to our region. By funding these vital prevention and removal efforts, you are directly protecting our local ecosystem, economy, and recreational spaces for generations to come. We truly cannot do this critical work without you.

Thank you once again for your remarkable generosity, stewardship, and shared commitment to maintaining healthy waters in the Town of Barnes.

With sincere appreciation,

Friends of the Eau Claire Lakes Association



OUR COMMUNITY

My name is Tanya Ullom and I grew up in the wonderful town of Barnes!!

I currently live in Hayward and make Fall and Christmas *simmer pot* potpourri kits. All of the fruit is hand sliced and dried ,and packages are all assembled by me.

I sold a ton of these last Holiday season, and people raved about them!

They're perfect for yourself, stocking stuffers, teachers gifts, holiday parties, and the list goes on….

Pricing: $8 a bag: 5 for $35 or 10 for $70 (I will ship orders over 5 bags at the buyer's expense)

It's not too early to start thinking gifts.

Please call or text me at 715-781-1905 to order. You won't regret it!! Thank you, Tanya

Make your home smell amazing with an easy, all-natural simmer pot! Each kit is handmade with a beautiful mix of dried fruits, herbs, spices and other fragrant ingredients.

Simply add the contents to a pot of water, simmer on low, and add water as needed. Kits can be enjoyed for multiple days!















CABLE AMERICAN LEGION POST 487

AMERICAN LEGION POST 487
43495 Trail Inn Rd., Cable, WI 54821
Phone: 715-798-4487

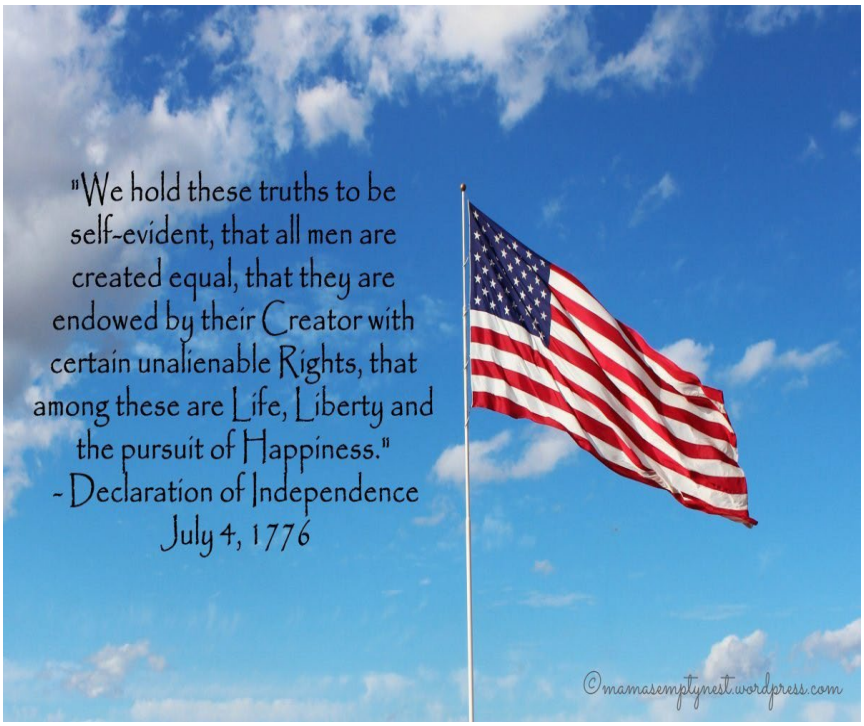
Here's What's Happening at Post 487 in Cable, Wisconsin:

Cable American Legion Post Hours:

Open Tuesday-Wed-Thurs 3: 00-10:00
Friday 3:00-11:00 pm
Saturday Noon-11:00 pm
Sunday Noon-8pm

We're open to the public!

- Homemade Pizzas & Hot Beefs Available Anytime (Tuesday-Sunday)
- Taco Thursdays Serving from 4pm-7:30pm
- American Legion Progressive 50/50 Raffle. Tickets can be purchased at Post 487 starting at 5pm with the drawing at 7:00pm. Come see what it's all about.
- Every Tuesday "Chaplin's Corner" 4:00-6:00 p.m. with Rev. Louis Holly





"...AND I'M PROUD TO BE AN AMERICAN, WHERE AT LEAST I KNOW I FREE AND I WON'T FORGET THE MEN WHO DIED THAT GAVE THAT RIGHT TO ME "

Lee Greenwood



SPONSORED BY:
THE CABLE AMERICAN LEGION POST 487





"NICE SHOOTIN' TEX!"
48 Hour trip to Canada for some birds creates a lot of smiles
Kyle, Alyssa, Jace and Leni Friermood

OBITUARIES: Remembering Loved Ones Lost



JAMES "RANDY" FIBERT
August 8, 1962 to October 26, 2026

James "Randy" Fibert, 64, of Grand View, Wisconsin passed away unexpectedly at his home on October, 26, 2026. He was born on August 8, 1962, in Ashland, WI to Donna (Gunderson) and James "Larry" Fibert.

Randy graduated from Drummond High School in 1980. Throughout much of his adult life, he owned and operated a lawn care business, where he shared his strong work ethic with his children, many of whom worked alongside him. He took great pride in teaching then the value of hard work, dedication, and responsibility.

Randy had a lifelong love of sports and competition. As a young man and well into adulthood, he played in local baseball and softball leagues, creating friendships and memories that lasted a lifetime. He later shared that passion by coaching the Drummond Girls High School softball and basketball teams, where he enjoyed encouraging your athletes and being part of the growth both on and off the court.

After his coaching years, Randy remained active in the Northern Lights Conference as a high school basketball referee, staying connected to the game and the communities he cared about.

An avid Wisconsin sports fan, Randy loyally cheered on the Green Bay Packers, Milwaukee Brewers, and Wisconsin Badgers. He enjoyed friendly competition and was a talented shooter in the Manakagon Pool League and a longtime participant in the Telemark Golf League.

A devoted outdoorsman, Randy was a passionate bow hunter who cherished every opportunity to be in the woods. Whether sitting in a tree stand, teeing off with friends, or simply enjoying time with family, Randy appreciated life's simple pleasures and the people who shared them with him.

Above all else, Randy loved nothing more than his children, grandchildren, family and dear friends. His greatest pride was the family he built, and the relationships he nurtured throughout his life. He will be remembered for his hard work, sense of humor, and the countless ways he touched the lives of those around him.

He is survived by his mother, Donna Fibert-Fredricks; his children, Tiffany Fibert, Jarryd (Susan) Fibert, Lyndsie Fibert, Megan (Ben) Hall, and Jake (Caysi) Fibert; his grandchildren, Sara Fibert and Trevor Fibert, his siblings, Scott (Erica) Fieber and Lori Fibert, and his nieces, Chelsea (Mick) Shanks and Kierslyn (Cody) Tomlinson. He was preceded in death by his father, James "Larry" Fibert, on June 16, 2013.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, December 5, 2026 at 12:00 p.m. at Great Divide Christian Center in Grand View, with Pastor Julie Burmeister officiating. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service at the church. A celebration of Randy's life will follow at the Grand View Town Hall. The Roberts Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements.

SOMETIMES.....
OUR LOVED ONES HAVE PAWS

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR FURRY FRIEND





Our sincerest apologies for anyone we missed.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your families in this time of sorrow.

If you have any information you would like us to share, please send to:

Julie (Friermood) Sarkauskas at:
barnesnotesandnews@gmail.com

OBITUARIES: Remembering Loved Ones Lost



Shirley Ann Mackey, age 91, of Superior, died Saturday October 17, 2026, at New Perspective Assisted Living.

Shirley was born July 5, 1935, in Superior to Laina (Saari) and Richard Olson. She was raised in Maple, WI, with her four siblings. Shirley graduated from Northwestern High School in Maple. She would marry her high school sweetheart, George Peter Mackey on January 29, 1955, in Oulu. Shriley continued her education at UWS, graduating with her bachelor's degree. She taught at Washington Elementary in South Range. She had been an active member for 50 years in the Alpha Delta Kappa educational sorority.

After retirement they moved to their cabin in Barnes, WI, where she enjoyed gardening, sewing, crafting and was involved in many community activities. She was a member of the Barnes Community Church and the Red Hat Society. Shirley was an avid sports fan and enjoyed attending Northwestern football games with her son Kent.

Shirley made many connections with her students, every year she searched for addresses of her former students who were graduating, making sure she would mail them a card.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 2015; her parents; a sister Doris Anderson, her brothers, Richard, Ronald and Robert Olson and her brother-in-law, Dale Mackey.

Shirley is lovingly survived by her children, Pam (Tom) Willie of Danbury, WI, Kent (Darlene) Mackey of Barnes, WI; grandchildren Jason Willie, Denette (Aaron) Moser; Shanna (Andy) Taylor, Erin (Todd) Kalbrener, Mark (Yijing Yuan) Mackey; great grandchildren Oliver and Isaac Willie, Brogen, Brady and Bryce Moser, Sylvie, Sadie and Mac Taylor, Livi and Redding Kalbrener and Vash Mackey; her sister-in-law Marlene Mackey. Also, by many nieces, nephews and cousins.

All of Shirley's grandchildren traveled to surround her with love and care for her life ending journey along with her children. The family would also like to thank the staff at Vita Care in Hayward and New Perspective in Superior for their wonderful care of Shirley.

A Celebration of Life for Shirley will be held at a later date.
To send flowers with our preferred florist or plant a memorial tree, please visit our flower store.

OUR COMMUNITY

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Lori Friermood Groves 11/8
Shirley (Friermood) Heise 11/10
Joan Kawell 11/18
Ricky Boleman 11/19
Monica Zignego 11/21
Paul Halverson 11/21
Steve Korn 11/22
Elliott Hough 11/23
Brady Rice 11/28
Jeanna Fullington 11/30

Happy Birthday
Happy Anniversary
and
Congratulations
to everyone we missed

BARNES AREA HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION (BAHA)

THE BARNES MUSEUM

OPEN MEMORIAL WEEKEND THRU LABOR DAY

Closed for Season - call for appointment

WE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR VOUNTEERS !!

Located on the corner of Hwy N and Lake Road
Check the BAHA website for any upcoming events
(http://bahamuseum.org/)

Follow us on Facebook

Barnes Area Historical Association, Inc.

Barnes, WI 54873

Barnes Area Historical Association, Inc. (BAHA) was established in 2005 by area citizens who are dedicated to preserving the history of the Barnes Area through education and preservation.

The Barnes area consists of the Town of Barnes and includes the areas of: Brule, Cable, Drummond, Gordon, Hayward, Highland, Iron River and Solon Springs.

The BAHA monthly board meetings are usually held on the third Thursday of the month at 9:00AM in Barnes at the VFW Hall on Lake Road. All BAHA members are encouraged to come to these meetings and participate in the discussions.

Our first and foremost project will be to continue to plan for our history center.

The Annual Meeting is held on the third Thursday in October of each year at the VFW Hall.

We have our 501 (c) (3) number and are a valid non-profit organization.

Any donations made to BAHA are tax deductible.

We invite everyone to join BAHA and participate in our projects. Members do not need to be current or former residents of Barnes.

Single yearly membership - $15.00;
Family or couple yearly membership - $25.00
Other membership categories are available upon request

Secretary Contact, PENDING

SPONSORED EVENTS: Stay tuned for Dates

- **Summerfest / Raffle**
- **Winterfest and Big Cash Raffle**
- **ODHA**
- **Gordon MacQuarrie Pilgrimage Tour**

BAHA is the sponsor of the Old Duck Hunters Association Circle (ODHA)

BAHA T-SHIRTS

DECISIONS IN THE WORKS FOR POSSIBLE NEW DESIGNS

BAHA MUSEUM GIFT SHOP CALL FOR APPOINTMENT

GIFT SHOP COORDINATOR:
Sally Pease

Are you looking for a special gift for a Birthday, Anniversary, Get Well, Thank You, or other occasion? Be sure to check out the new display of items in the Gift Shop. You'll find a wide array of interesting items for all ages:

- clothing items
- wood crafts
- a range of books by MacQuarrie, Ojibwe authors, and local writers
- Barnes Centennial glassware and other items
- note cards
- walking sticks
- items for the home and outdoors; and much more

There are practical items, decorative items, items linked to the history of Barnes, and some that will be "just plain fun" to own!

Whether it's a gift for YOU…or a gift for OTHERS…you're sure to find the perfect choice! Come and Explore!

Here's a peek at some of what you'll find when you visit!



BARNES AREA HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION NEWS

As the renovation of the Pease One-Room Schoolhouse keeps moving ahead, we continue to search for early schoolhouse items to complete our “replica early 1900s classroom room” within a portion of the building. Artifacts related to all of Barnes’ early schoolhouses will be displayed throughout the building, along with historical documents, photographs, collected memories, etc. Our hope is to educate and inspire an understanding of what “life within these schools” was like for students, teachers, and community members.

** If you have any items that might be in need of a “new home”, please let me know. They will be warmly welcomed into our schoolhouse and greatly appreciated! I will happily arrange to pick up any items and cover any costs that might be involved. If you have any relevant items that are not on our list, please let me know. I’d be interested in learning more about them!

Updated list of Items being sought for the Pease One-Room School:

- Early US Flag [for wall mount with pole]
- Hand-held slate boards; Erasers & box of chalk
- Old textbooks – K-8 grade levels [pre-1940]
- Water dispenser [5 gal. pottery with spigot or similar]
- Table model, battery-powered Radio [for “School On the Air” programs]
- Lunch buckets, pails, boxes
- Globe [pre-40s would be interesting - we have one dated to the 70s]
- Cursive writing scroll and other classroom teaching resources
- Small teacher’s desk or table
- Two full body mannequins: one adult female [for the schoolhouse teacher; one elementary age child/student]
- Early 1900s garments [dress for the teacher; daily school clothing/wear for a young girl or boy. Written "memories" Yours, or stories from your parents, your grandparents of "The One-Room School house Days"...as a student, as a teacher; traveling to school; recess games; rules & responsibilities; favorite subjects, etc.

Thanks for your help!









BARNES RED HAT

Our next gathering is

Wednesday, November

Georgia’s - 12:00 Noon

For venues outside of the area, if you need a ride, please meet at the Barnes Town Hall by 11:45 or sooner

BARNES FIRE DEPARTMENT and AMBULANCE

5005 County Hwy N, Barnes, WI 54873

715-795-2424 for Non Emergency Calls

FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Fire Chief - Brock Friermood at: BrockFriermood@TownOfBarnesWI.gov

Assistant Chief - Richard Renz

Volunteer Members:

Damian Von Frank
Mitch Christenson
Leevi Frint
Jaxston Glinski
Whitney Jeanetta
David Johnson
Jeff Jordheim
Jennifer Peterson
Josh Peterson
Ben Roecker
Parker Roecker
Jacob Schiess
Greg Strasser
Jeff Stumpf
Reid Welhaven
Riley Welhaven
Jackson Hinkel
Jay Fahner
Marlo Sumner



AMBULANCE SERVICE:

Ambulance Director/Volunteer: Brett Friermood at: BrettFriermood@TownOfBarnesWI.gov

Assistant Director - Sonja Von Frank

Full Time EMT's:

Kaylee Silverness and Jake Coleson

Volunteer Members:

Les Luder
Sarah Juleff
Tom Renz
Hallie Skweres
Tiffany Smith
Robin Friermood
Brock Friermood
Jordan Friermood
Damian Von Frank
Richard Renz
Brandon Friermood
Jake Coleson



WE CAN'T THANK YOU ENOUGH FOR YOUR DEDICATION TO KEEPING OUR COMMUNITY SAFE



LOCAL ESTABLISHMENTS

ANGIE'S Koffee Kup



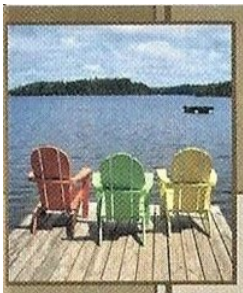


WE HAVE A NEW MENU INCLUDING
KIELBASA SKILLETS AND OMELETS

CHECK OUT OUR HOMEMADE SOUPS & CHILI

HOURS:
7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Wed—Sunday
Closed Mondays & Tuesdays

Find us on Facebook: The Koffee Kup



Deer Grove Resort

On Upper Eau Claire Lake

Jeff and Maureen Fullington
Owners

3225 Deer Grove Road
Barnes, Wisconsin 54873

715-795-2526
715-235-9741

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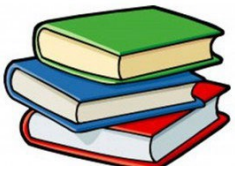
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BARNES, WI

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BARNES BOOK CLUB

November Book: Carnal Curiosity

by: Stuart Woods

It's time to work on the July - November selections so bring your ideas

We meet the 4th Monday of each month at 1:30 p.m. at the Barnes Town Hall.

Anyone is welcome to join our sharing sessions, all you have to do is show up.

Books are available at the Hayward Community Library, just ask at the desk for the Barnes Book Club selection.

GENEALOGY

It is so important to have a connection with your family tree. Not only does gathering information make it easier for your children to pick up the process, it will spark something in you that you didn't realize you were looking for. Start with your immediate family, branch to your grandparents and then just keep reaching further back.

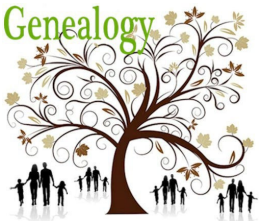
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TRAVELING THROUGH THE GENEALOGY WORLD

Here you go: A more exciting way to learn and track your ancestors experiences and their ways of life

Genealogy often begins with records—birth certificates, census data, and dusty archives—but there's another way to connect with your past that doesn't involve staring at documents. Traveling to the places where your ancestors lived can provide an entirely new dimension to your family history.

Walking the same streets, visiting the same churches, and seeing the same landscapes can bring the stories you've read about to life. It's one thing to know where your great-great-grandfather lived; it's another to stand on the ground where he built his home.

When you walk the streets your ancestors once knew, you gain a unique perspective on their lives. Did they live in bustling urban centers, or were they surrounded by farmland? Did they live near a port, or were they nestled in the mountains?

By understanding their geography, you can start to answer bigger questions: Why did they move? How did their environment shape their professions and lifestyle? Travel turns those vague historical facts into tangible experiences.

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TRAVELING THROUGH THE GENEALOGY WORLD *(continued)*

Why Visiting Your Ancestral Hometown Changes Everything:

There's a big difference between learning about your family history and truly experiencing it. When you visit the towns and regions where your ancestors lived, you get a sense of their daily lives in ways that documents can't capture. The texture of the cobblestones they walked on, the smell of the local market, the view of the mountains in the distance—these are the sensory details that bring their world into sharper focus.

Imagine visiting a small village in Italy where your great-grandparents were born. Sure, you've seen the name in family records, but standing there, with the sun setting over the terracotta rooftops, you can almost feel what it must have been like for them. These moments can provide insights into your family's decisions, like why they chose to leave their homeland or how their surroundings influenced their values and traditions.

Piecing Together the Past with Local Archives and Landmarks

Traveling to your ancestral hometown can also open doors to local archives and resources that aren't available online. Small town hall records, parish books, or even local museums might hold details that fill in gaps in your family tree. In many cases, these records are written in the native language or dialect of the region, making it a bit of a challenge to decipher, but the reward can be invaluable.

Take, for instance, a traveler who visited a rural village in Poland, looking for clues about her great-grandfather. A stop at the local church uncovered baptism records that mentioned previously unknown relatives. Even more surprising, the church itself was the same one where her ancestors had been married. Standing in that space, where generations of her family had gathered, made the research feel personal and profound.

Landmarks that Hold Generational Memories

In many towns, historical landmarks are key to understanding how your ancestors lived. Visiting a factory where your great-grandfather worked, or the schoolhouse where your grandmother learned to read, can turn these names into real people with real lives. These landmarks act as touchstones, bringing you closer to the experiences of those who came before you.

Retracing Migration Routes and Family Journeys

Many families have stories of migration, whether it's crossing an ocean or moving from one region to another. By traveling along the same routes your ancestors took, you can gain a deeper appreciation for the challenges they faced. Visiting ports, old train stations, or border crossings can help you understand the magnitude of their journey—why they left, what they carried with them, and what they left behind.

Imagine following your ancestors' journey from Ireland to the United States. You might start in a coastal village in Ireland, standing at the very docks where they boarded the ship. Then, visit the immigration centers where they arrived—Ellis Island, for example—and read their names in the records. As you walk through these historical spaces, you begin to piece together the emotional and physical toll of migration. It's not just about the distance they traveled, but the lives they left behind.

How Migration Shapes Family History

Migration is often a turning point in family history. Whether it was driven by economic hardship, war, or a search for better opportunities, these journeys mark a significant shift in a family's story.

Understanding the full scope of your ancestors' migration, from their reasons for leaving to the challenges they faced upon arrival, can provide a deeper context for your family's trajectory.



TRAVELING THROUGH THE GENEALOGY WORLD *(continued)*

Connecting with Distant Relatives

One of the most surprising outcomes of traveling for genealogy research is the possibility of meeting distant relatives. If your family stayed in touch with relatives overseas, visiting the ancestral hometown might give you a chance to meet people who share your bloodline but live in an entirely different part of the world. Even if your family lost contact generations ago, local residents might still remember your family name or know of distant cousins living nearby.

While this might seem like a long shot, it's not uncommon for travelers to find distant relatives they never knew existed. A simple visit to a local town hall or church might result in an introduction to someone who shares your surname and can trace their lineage to the same ancestors. These connections often lead to long-lasting relationships, bridging the gap between continents and generations.

How Professional Genealogists Can Help Make the Connection

If finding living relatives feels overwhelming, a professional genealogist can be an invaluable resource. They have access to international records, databases, and local contacts that can help you locate long-lost family members. Whether you're looking for living relatives or piecing together branches of the family tree, a genealogist service can make sure no stone is left unturned.

What Travel Teaches You About Your Family's Culture and Traditions

One of the most enriching parts of traveling for genealogy research is discovering the cultural traditions that shaped your family. Whether it's the local cuisine, religious practices, or folk music, experiencing these traditions firsthand can bring a sense of pride and connection to your heritage. You might find that some of these traditions have been passed down, while others were lost along the way.

For example, you might visit your ancestral town in Spain and discover that the way your family celebrates certain holidays has deep roots in regional customs. By tasting the local dishes, attending festivals, or visiting sacred sites, you gain a better understanding of your family's values and way of life.

Why Cultural Exploration Is Just as Important as Historical Records

Culture is often the thread that binds families together. While records can tell you where your family came from, it's the cultural practices, foods, and traditions that give you a sense of what their lives were like. By immersing yourself in your ancestral culture, you not only learn more about them, but you also bring part of that heritage back into your own life.

LOOKING FOR A GIFT ??

GIVE ANCESTRY



Our sister Debbie worked on the Friermood history starting in 1996 and when she passed in 2003, I thought, I'm going to "finish" it for her. LOL LOL !! There is NO such thing as finishing it. Within a few hours I was hooked. Hooked to the point I went back to 1742 when our Great, Great, Great, Great, Great, Great Grandfather, Mathias Friermood came here from Germany. Then the fun really began.

I was at a standstill because everything after that was in German and/or Germany so I hired a Genealogist from Utah to dig in deeper for me. He managed to gather some great information through micro-film records.

Come to find out, Mathias Friermood ran away from Germany taking his Godfathers name of "Freyermuth" so he couldn't be followed / tracked as you needed to have government approval to leave the country in those days. I in turn learned that our last name is actually "Diethler" and not "Friermood". However, "Friermood" means ***"free mind—free spirit".*** I believe those of your that know us, would agree that "Friermood" fits us way more appropriately than "Diethler".

You will never know what you can find if you don't try!!!!!

Have fun

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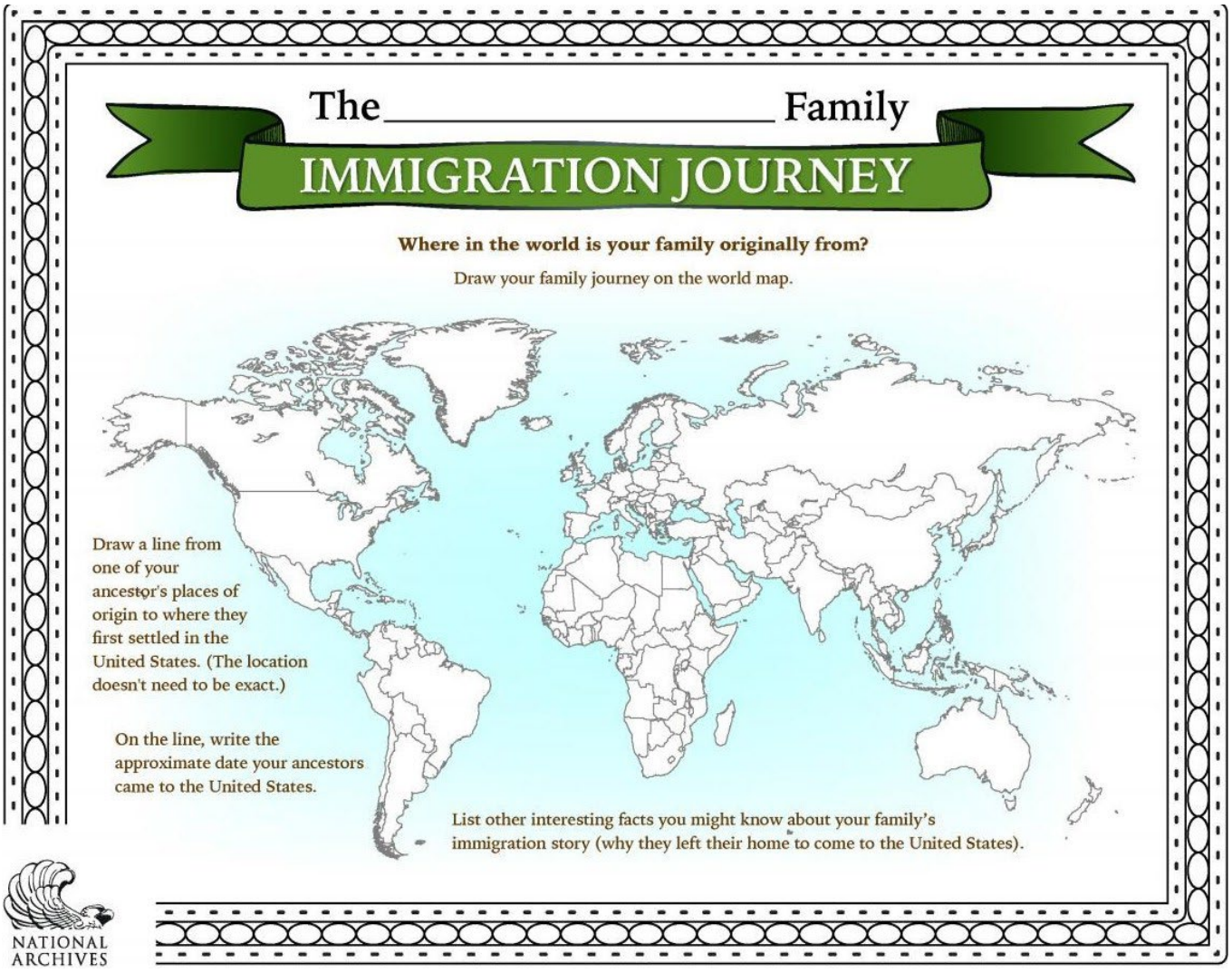
How to Prepare for a Genealogy-Focused Trip

Planning a trip to trace your ancestral footsteps requires a bit of preparation. Before you go, research the areas where your ancestors lived, and identify any local archives, churches, or landmarks you might want to visit. Make sure to bring copies of important documents—birth certificates, marriage records, and family photos—so that you can compare them with local records. If language barriers are a concern, consider hiring a translator or working with a professional genealogist to smooth the process.

- Research the towns and villages where your ancestors lived.
- Make a list of local archives, churches, and landmarks to visit.
- Bring copies of family records and photos to compare with local data.
- Consider hiring a local guide or professional genealogist for assistance.

With the right preparation, your genealogy-focused trip can be both meaningful and productive. Not only will you deepen your understanding of your family's history, but you'll also create memories that bring those long-ago stories into the present.

Traveling for genealogy isn't just about finding new records—it's about walking in the footsteps of those who came before you. It's about feeling the connection between the past and present, and realizing that, even though generations have passed, you're not so different from your ancestors after all.



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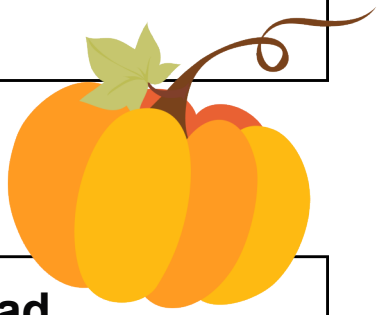
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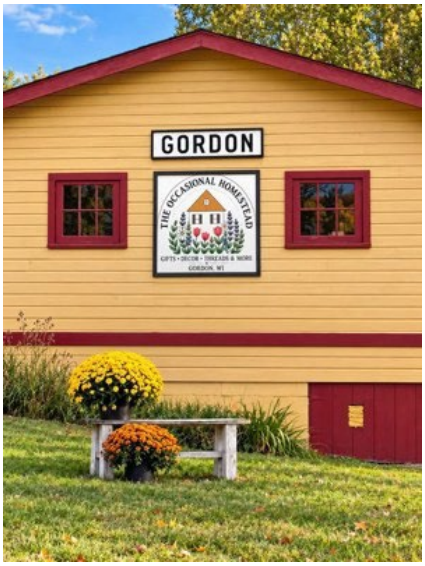
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The Occasional Homestead

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- **Friday, October 2nd**: 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- **Saturday, October 3rd**: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- **Friday, October 16th:** 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- **Saturday, October 17th:** 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU !!

Gordon-Barnes Garden Club



Did you know The Gordon-Barnes Garden Club began way back in 1939? The club continues to be an active, social group in our community.

If you enjoy gardening or have an interest in expanding your gardening knowledge, join us! Most meetings are held the 3rd Tuesday of each month at the Barnes Town Hall at 1:30 pm.

Monthly meetings typically include a horticulture related, presentation with members also sharing their knowledge and experiences gardening in the north woods. Summer activities typically include field trips visiting area nurseries and gardens.

The Garden Club also participates in community projects such as planting and maintaining the flowers surrounding the Barnes Town Hall and hosting a booth at the Taste of Barnes.

The November meeting will be at the Barnes Town Hall on the 17th at 1:30 p.m. This will be a Winter greenery workshop & pot, Wreath, etc. and donations. Community donation decisions.

HOPE TO SEE YOU SOON!!!

For more information please contact Kay Erdahl
Email: kayerdahl@gmail.com **or Phone:** # 507-254-9931

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"THE CLOCK"…

and THE STORY OF THE WOOD it's made from
By: Jerry Fierer (Pictured below) & Jeff Senske

Sometime in the 1800's I grew up in the northern forests of Bayfield County. After maturing, I was sawn down by some lumberjacks and taken to a mill to be sawn up by a steam powered mill for some useful purposes.

I was chosen by some lads from the Barnes area (Stanley Barnes, Roy Norton and friends) to be part of a boat building adventure. After being steamed, formed and cut I ended up being a boat bottom in the area of Beartrack and Little Island area.

Many of us boats were built and many lakes had us on them because lighter materials did not exist. So, the lads decided to build multiple boats and have one on each lake.

I was witness to many fishing adventures. Large pike and bass have flopped on me. You night still see some chips / grooves where hobnailed boots and metal tackle boxes sat on me.

For many years I enjoyed my life of usefulness and adventure. Then all the young lads aged and their visits became less frequent to the point where I was no longer seaworthy.

For many decades the cry of the loons in the summer, and the silent cold winters were my friends.

My sides eventually rotted off, and I was sometimes exposed and sometimes not due to water fluctuations. I thought that my destiny was to rot away and perish like all my fellow brethren.

In the 1970's a young lad took notice of me as though I still had some purpose and beauty. Every summer he would admire me as to why I had not rotted away & disintegrated into the shoreline. I spent the next 20 years "ish" in his basement until I told this young lad that it was time for me to be utilized into a treasure to be admired remembered.

He finally picked me up in the 80's and through quite a lengthy process, made me into this beautiful clock, starting my new life.

And so, the story goes…Jeff's grampa, Roy Norton, was the owner of the boat along with Joe Standinger (Wife Ruth). They bought the boat when Jeff was little in the 1960's when it was "sunk" up by Little Island Lake. This boat, along with several others. Sometime between 1965 and 1967 all the rotted and sinking boats were gone.

Stanley Barnes would stop by Jerry's house talking about how he and his friends had made the boats so they would have boats available to fish from.

The wood was white cedar from the area. The boat was rounded a bit known as "fantail".





MORE MEMORIES TO COME

The Barnes Trading Post

Barnes VFW Post 8329

Pease Resort

The Cabin Store

The Enchanted Inn

Hilltop Bar and Grill (Fresh Air Post office)

Boulder Lodge

Tracks Inn
Formerly - Doorn's; Sages; Grilley's

Robinson Lake Bar (Fahrner's Resort)

Sand Point Supper Club

BAHA Museum (Northwoods Tap, Red White and Blue; Goetz's; Millers)

Barnes Town Hall

Mammosier's Sunset Resort

Ellison's Resort & Sylvia's Tavern

Tiffany's Salon (Debbie's Hair Design)

Jim Johnson Construction

Georgia's (Skoglunds)

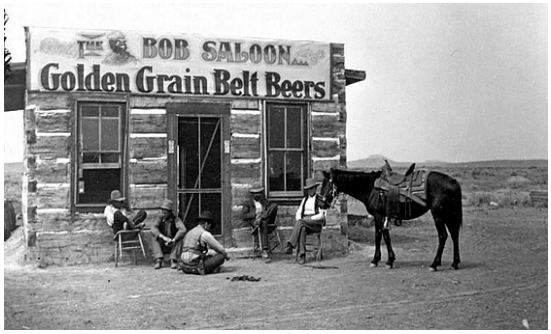
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HONOR ALL VETERANS

PET PAGE

MAKE SURE YOU HAVE YOUR PET'S MEDS AND SHOTS UP TO DATE !!

This year is no different than any other so please be sure your pet's shots are up to date, including Lymes, make sure their license is current and that the rabies tag is on their collar. Check the Town of Barnes leash and public area laws to keep your dog safe. If you're just moving to the area, your dog must be on a leash when walking or in public, and, you must have a local License tag. Visitors, please keep your tags up to date and your pet on a leash. You can get the license applications at the Town of Barnes office. Reminder: Kitties need their rabies, distemper, lymes shots and frontline/collars too! (even if they're inside kitties.) SERESTO IS A FANTASTIC PRODUCT FOR CATS AND DOGS .

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ALWAYS

- ***make sure your dog has access to fresh cool water.***
- ***All dogs should have proper identification at all times. (Tags: name, address, phone number, rabies shots, etc.)***
- ***It's best to have your dog chipped—IT'S WORTH IT***

PAY ATTENTION TO YOUR BABIES NEEDS - As it is when it's hot, the cold can do some damage to your puppies paws when walking on the ice and snow.

Leaving animals outside is nice during mild weather, but PLEASE, do not leave them out in the cold OR the heat. If you feel you don't have a choice…..YOU DO! FIND ONE

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PET PAGE EXTRA

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THE ONES THAT DON'T STICK OUT TO YOU,
THE ONES WITH THE BORING COLORS
OR MISSING LIMBS,
THE OLDER ONES, THE FRAIL ONES.
THEY HAVE NOT GIVEN UP.
THEY JUST NEED YOU.
AND MAYBE YOU JUST NEED THEM TOO.

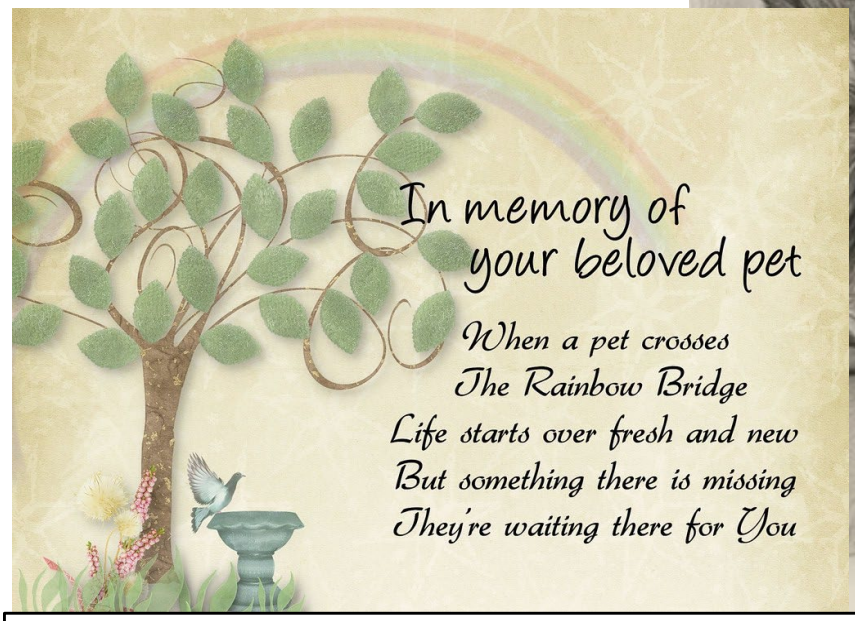


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Sunday	9-close	11-7	7-6

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Fluorescent Lamp recycling

Wisconsin's **Focus on Energy** has sponsored a fluorescent lamp (curly type) recycling program. Residential bulbs can be recycled at the following participating local retailers:

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Poplar - Poplar Hardware
Solon Springs - Solon Springs Mercantile

Some 5 million Compact Fluorescent Lamps are being sold in Wisconsin annually. While these bulbs save energy and reduce the emissions from power plants, they also contain mercury and should be recycled. According to the Mercury Product Flow Model developed for DNR, an estimated 263 kilograms (580 lbs) of mercury were released to the environment from fluorescents in 2000 -- and this was before the rapid increase in sales of compact fluorescents. The Council on Recycling has chosen mercury-containing products as one of its priorities for improving management, and, where possible, the elimination of the use of mercury.

Focus on Energy has set up a program to facilitate the take back and recycling of fluorescents at over 250 retailers throughout the state. Their web page has a locater for these businesses www.FocusOnEnergy.com. (Under 'Store Type', choose the listing for 'CFL Recycler'.)

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Medication Drop boxes in Bayfield County

Sara Wartman, BSN, RN Director/Health Officer
Bayfield County Health Department

With support from the Security Health Plan grant and other local funding sources, Bayfield County Health Department has installed three medication drop boxes and three sharps containers throughout the county. The medication drop boxes are located at the Bayfield County Sheriff's Department, Bayfield City Hall and the Iron River community Center. You can now dispose of old or expired medications at these locations.

Accepted Items: Prescription medications, control and non-controlled medications; over the counter medications; medication samples; vitamins; medicated ointments or lotions; inhaler.

3 Sharps Boxes are also stationed in the area. Contact Bayfield County for locations.

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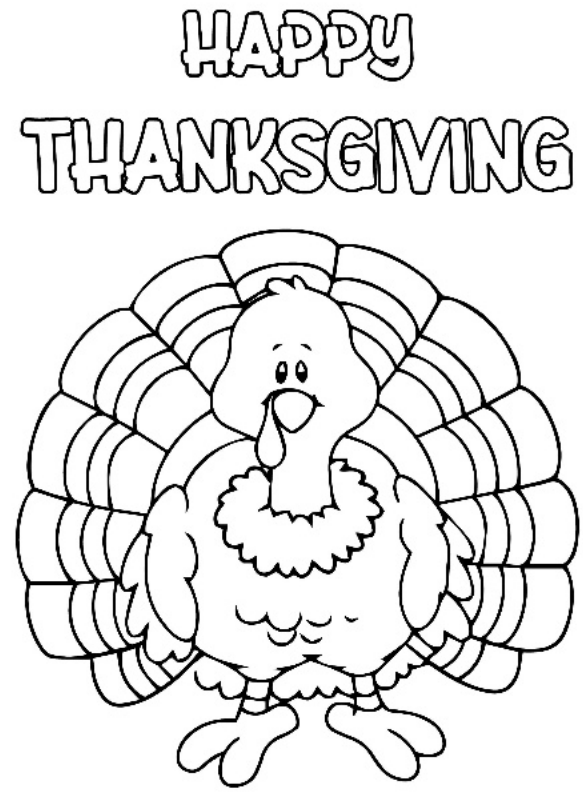
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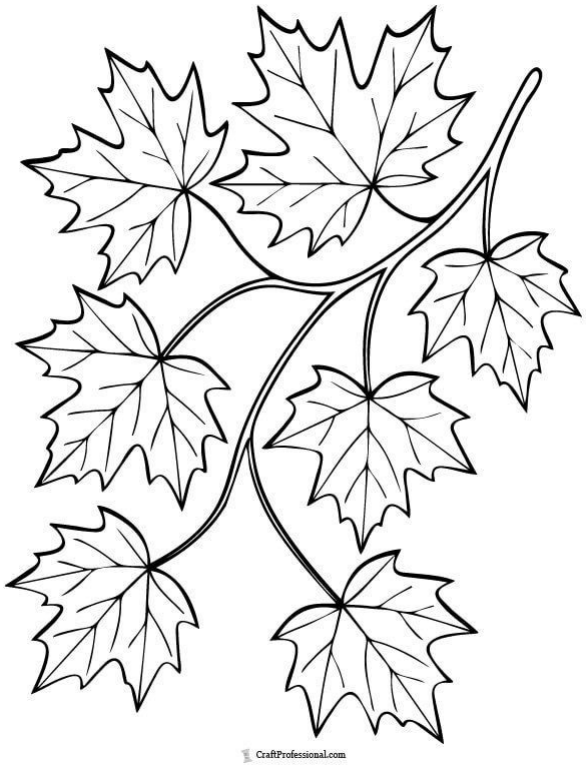
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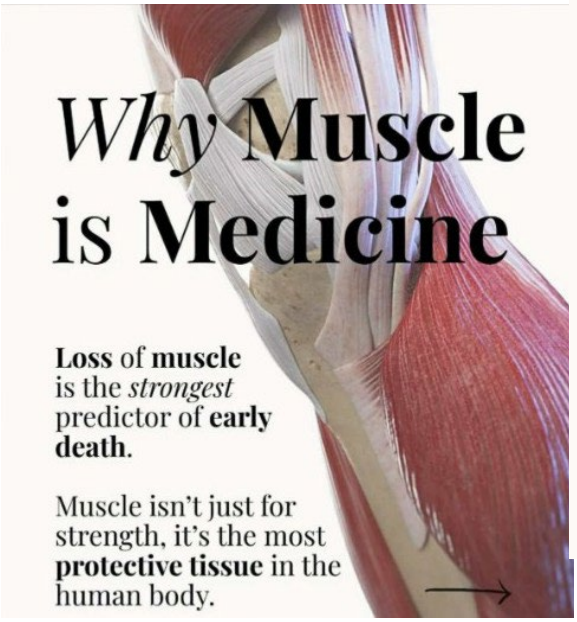
BE STRONG - BE HAPPY - BE GOOD TO YOURSELF

Life humbles you. As you grow old, you stop chasing the big things and start valuing the little things. Alone time, enough sleep, a good diet, long walks, and quality time with loved ones. Simplicity becomes the ultimate goal.



Having peace and purpose in my life is a gift that I am beyond grateful for.

Cheryl Pease



Muscle protects against disease

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- Heart disease
- Alzheimer's & cognitive decline
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- Frailty & falls

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CANNING YEAR ROUND

TIPS FOR SUCCESSFUL CANNING:

- Select fruits and vegetables when they are at the peak of their quality and flavor, washing them thoroughly before using.
- Follow the directions for each recipe exactly—don't substitute ingredients or change the processing times. Prepare only one receipt at a time; do not double recipes.
- Substitute a cake cooling rack if you don't have a rack specifically made for canning. Place in the canner before you add the canning jars.
- Use only white vinegar when pickling.
- Use a canning funnel, which has a wide opening and sits on the inside of the mouth of the jar, allowing you to fill the jars cleanly and easily. Wipe the threads and rim of each jar to remove any food that spills.
- Reuse screw bands if they are not warped or rusty. Jar lids are not reusable however, so use a new one for each of your canned creations.
- Accurately measure the head space—the distance between the top of the jar to the food/liquid inside. This is critical because it affects how well the jar seals and preserves its contents. A clear plastic ruler –kept solely for kitchen use, is a big help in determining the correct headspace.
- Refrigerate leftover product if there's a small amount left that won't completely fill another jar. Use it within several days.
- Use non-metallic utensils when removing air bubbles from the jar and measuring head space.
- Store home-canned foods in your cupboard for up to one year.

HOT JARS VS. HOT STERILIZED JARS:

Why do some canning receipts call for hot sterilized jars, while others call simply for hot jars?

If the mixture will be proc3essed in the boiling-water canner for 10 plus minutes, jars just need to be hot.

If it's less than 10 minutes, jars need to be sterilized in boiling water for 10 minutes (or 1 minute more for each 1,000 feet of additional altitude.)

You may ask, why do the jars have to be hot before hand? The liquid/food you're putting in them is boiling hot, thus if the jars are hot (besides the obvious sterilization) you aren't putting hot product into cold jars and taking a chance of them breaking either when the product goes in the jars or when you put them in the water bath.

PAY ATTENTION TO THE PECTIN

Liquid and powdered pectin are made from the natural pectin in apples and citrus fruits. However, they are not interchang eable. Always us the specific type of pectin called for.

-Taste of Home Test Kitchen







BEFORE YOU START

Before you start canning, read recipe instructions and gather all equipment and ingredients. Inspect the glass canning jars carefully for any chips, cracks, uneven rims or sharp edges that may prevent sealing or cause breakage. Discard any imperfect jars. Do the same with lids and rings to make sure no dents or dings.











PEANUT BUTTER & OAT NO-BAKE DOG TREATS RECIPE

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INGREDIENTS

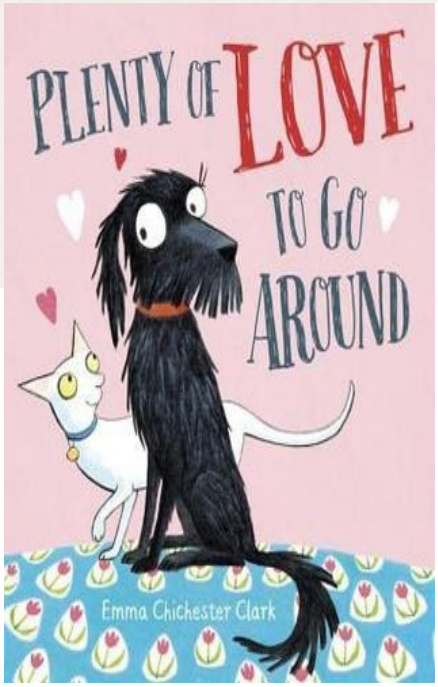
- 1 cup rolled oats
- 1/2 cup natural peanut butter (xylitol-free)
- 1/4 cup honey
- 1/4 cup unsweetened applesauce
- 1/4 cup water

INSTRUCTIONS

1. In a large bowl, mix together the peanut butter, honey, applesauce, and water until smooth.
2. Add the rolled oats and stir until well combined.
3. Using your hands or a small scoop, roll the mixture into small balls or flatten into bite-sized shapes.
4. Place the treats on a plate or tray lined with parchment paper.
5. Refrigerate for at least 1 hour, or until firm.
6. Store in an airtight container in the refrigerater for up to 1 week.

BENEFITS:
These no-bake treats are packed with healthy ingredients your dog will love—perfect for training or a tasty snack!





3-INGREDIENT TUNA OR SALMON CRUNCHIES

- **Ingredients**: 5 oz canned tuna or salmon (in water, no added salt), 1 beaten egg, 1 cup whole wheat flour or oat flour (plus a pinch of catnip if your cat loves it).
- **Mix**: Combine the drained fish, egg, and flour until a workable dough forms.
- **Shape**: Roll the dough out flat on a floured surface to about 1/4-inch thickness, then cut into tiny, cat-bite-sized pieces.
- **Bake**: Place on a parchment-lined baking sheet and bake at 350°F (175°C) for 20 minutes until crisp and cool completely before serving.
- **Storage**: Store in an airtight container in the refrigerator for up to two weeks



CRANBERRY CRUMBLE CHEESECAKE BARS

THANKSGIVING DESSERT



Ingredients:

Crust

Cooking spray
12 graham crackers
6 Tbsp. unsalted butter, melted
1/4 cup granulated sugar
1/4 tsp. kosher salt

Cranberry Compote

12 oz. fresh cranberries
3/4 cup granulated sugar
1 tsp. finely grated orange zest, plus 1/4 c. fresh orange juice
1/2 tsp. pure vanilla extract

Cream Cheese Filling

2 large eggs
2 blocks cream cheese, room temperature
1/3 cup granulated sugar
1 tsp. pure vanilla extract
1/4 tsp. kosher salt

Crumble Topping

1/2 cup all-purpose flour
3 Tbsp. packed dark brown sugar
1/4 tsp. ground cinnamon
1/4 tsp. kosher salt
1/3 cup coarsely chopped raw pecans
4 Tbsp. unsalted butter, melted

Directions:

Crust

Step 1 Arrange a rack in center of oven; preheat to 350°. Lightly grease a 9" x 9" baking pan with cooking spray. Line bottom with parchment, leaving a 2" overhang on 2 opposite sides. Grease parchment with cooking spray.

Step 2 Place crackers in a large resealable bag or food processor. Crush with a heavy skillet or pulse until fine crumbs form (you should have about 1 1/2 c.). Transfer to a medium bowl. Add butter, granulated sugar, and salt and stir until mixture resembles wet sand. Press evenly into bottom of prepared pan.

Step 3 Bake crust until golden brown, 10 to 12 minutes. Transfer pan to a wire rack and let cool.

Cranberry Compote

Step 1 In a medium pot over medium heat, bring cranberries, granulated sugar, orange juice, and 3/4 c. water to a simmer. Reduce heat to medium-low and cook, stirring, until liquid has reduced and cranberries have burst and thickened, about 15 minutes.

Step 2 Remove from heat. Stir in orange zest and vanilla.

Cream Cheese Filling

In a large bowl, using a handheld mixer on medium-high speed, beat eggs, cream cheese, granulated sugar, vanilla, and salt until combined and smooth.

Crumble Topping

Step 1 In a medium bowl, whisk flour, brown sugar, cinnamon, and salt. Add pecans and butter and stir until mixture becomes crumbly.

Step 2 Spread cream cheese filling over crust. Evenly dot surface with cranberry compote. Sprinkle with crumble topping.

Step 3 Bake cheesecake until puffed and just set in the center, about 35 minutes. Transfer to a wire rack and let cool.

Step 4 Cover pan and refrigerate bar until set, at least 1 hour and up to 5 days.

Step 5 Using parchment overhang, lift out bar and transfer to a cutting board. Cut into squares.

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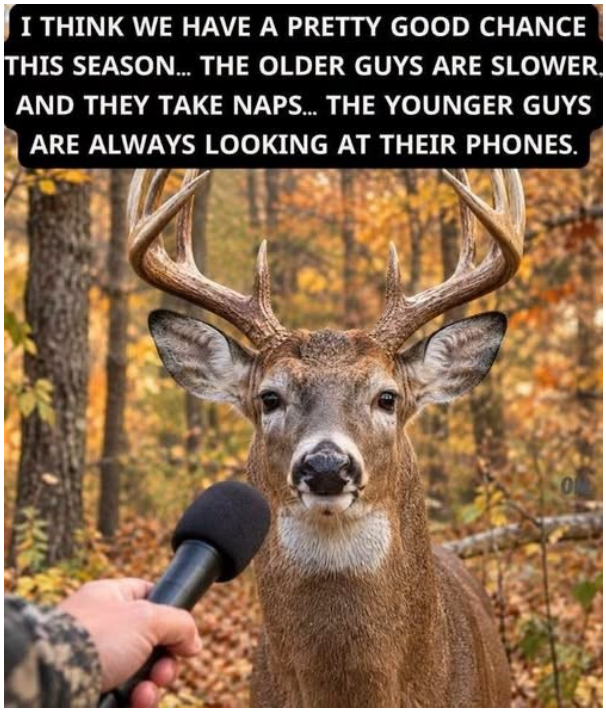
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