

PROGRAMS AND ISSUES July, August, September 2022

1. We continue to make announcements issued by the PD and Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension.
2. Coronavirus information about services available, general information both local and national. Vaccine clinics for Covid and Flu, health reminders, ways to get help if you're struggling financially etc...
3. Many community announcements when time permits during the news. This includes news on services (especially those that cater to older area residents), meeting announcements for the Park Rapids City Council and Minnesota Department of Transportation, traffic advisories, safety news from the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources and Minnesota Crime Alerts.
4. Missing people and Silver Alerts when they are in our listening area. 8/30 Jahki Forester, Zenitra See, 5/21-23 Jessie Eue, 8/13 Jaelyn Campbell, 7/19 John Ciminski, 8/15 Rhiaunna Gotchie, 8/15 Alanna Mclean, 8/14 Harrison & Kendall Hedlund, 8/12 T'era Cloud-Benais, 8/15 Terence Neadeau, 9/23 Tahlia Poitra
5. We have had many community leaders on Coffeetime, see list below.
6. We broadcast live whenever Severe Thunderstorm Warnings or Tornado Warnings are issued in the applicable listening area.
7. Election coverage and results 8/10
8. Community Events: National Night Out/Nite to Unite/Community Night/Neighborhood Block Party 8/2
9. Community 4th of July Coverage 7/4

We keep our listeners up to date on health, employment, outdoor safety and traffic safety issues by reading Press Releases from MN Deed, MN Dot, Public Safety and Department of Human Services. Below you will find a short list of some of the local programs and issues we keep the community informed about.

Additional information on public service announcements

Community Interviews on KPRM/KDKK 8:30 – 9

Park Rapids Chamber every 3rd Tuesday

Heartland Lake Business Development Every 3rd Thursday

8/9 Honoring Choices MN interview

Coffeetime Interviews KPRM/KDKK 9:30 – 10:00 AM

9/8 Jenn Schultz District 7A Rep

Community Programs and Issues on the Air KPDM/KDKK/KXXX

List of PSA's Running

7/2 4th Of July Safety

7/27 Call for Volunteers

8/2 Hubbard County Covid Surge, shot information

8/4 SBA Disaster Loan Info

8/15 Free Produce (Weekly announcement mid-summer)

8/28 School Supply Drive

9/9 Community Potluck

9/12 – 9/15 MN Dot Info Meeting

9/19 Verndale Clinic Opening

9/23 Call for volunteers

Respectfully Submitted:

De La Hunt Media

PSA LIST

EFFECTIVE: 07/04/2022 - 10/04/2022

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| 9918- Alzheimers Early Detection | 9935- Ticks | 9961- Poison Help |
| 9919- Personal Watercraft | 9936- Sunscreen | 9962- Ticks Suck |
| 9920- Wear a Life Jacket | 9937- Adopt a Teen | 9963- Time to Talk |
| 9921- Wounded Warrior | 9938- Watch for Pedestrians | 9964- Breast Cancer |
| 9922- Drunk Driving | 9939- Bears | 9965- Teen Adoption |
| 9923- Safety Pirate | 9940- Pen Pals | 9966- Don't Serve Teens |
| 9924- Hearing Loss | 9941- Migraine | 9967- St. Jude's |
| 9925- Tornado Safety | 9942- Daddication | 9968- Fire Safety |
| 9926- Scams | 9943- Poison Help | 9969- Dare to Dream |
| 9927- V Foundation | 9944- Distracted Driving | |
| 9928- Feeding Families | 9945- Middle School Mental Health | |
| 9929- Fall Prevention | 9946- Dental Lifeline | |
| 9930- Adoption | 9947- Go Outside | |
| 9931- Service Dogs | 9948- Camping Influencer | |
| 9932- You Can Quit | 9949- Grilling Dad Jokes | |
| 9933- Mom's Job | | |
| 9934- Paralyzed Veterans | | |

The July 4th holiday weekend is one of historically busy boat traffic on Minnesota's waters. Practice safety in all that you do and watch out for others who may not be watching for you.

Everyone on the boat should wear their life jacket. Wearing a life jacket is the best way to ensure an unexpected fall into the water doesn't turn tragic.

Boating under the influence applies to drugs, as well as alcohol. Alcohol can impair a boater's judgment, balance, vision and reaction time. Common boating stressors – sun, wind, noise, vibration and motion – intensify the effects of alcohol, drugs and some medications.

Distracted boating is a rising safety issue. Just as distracted driving is a concern on our roads, distracted boating can lead to accidents and fatalities on our waters.

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Subject: Walker Bay Days Volunteers Needed
From: Roxanne Parks <info@leech-lake.com>
Date: 7/26/2022, 1:54 PM
To: news@delahuntmedia.com

We are just a few days from Walker Bay Days and we need help with set up. Sentence to Serve is not available, which is who has helped us in the past.

Friday, July 29, 8 am - Walker City Park - Need help setting up the Big Dig.
Saturday July 30, 8 am - setting up tables & chairs

Please let me know if you can volunteer for a hour or two.

Roxie Parks
Leech Lake Area Chamber of Commerce
“Growing the Leech Lake Area since 1953”
218-547-1313

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This email was sent on behalf of Leech Lake Area Chamber of Commerce P.O. Box 1089 Walker, MN 56484. To unsubscribe [click here](#). If you have questions or comments concerning this email or services in general, please contact us by email at info@leech-lake.com.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

COVID-19 Surge in Hubbard County

PARK RAPIDS, MN (August 1, 2022) – Hubbard County is seeing another surge in COVID-19 cases, driven by the Omicron BA.5 variant. The community and transmission levels in Hubbard County are currently rated as “high” by the CDC.

When community levels are high, it is recommended to mask indoors, stay up to date with COVID vaccines and get tested if you have any symptoms or have a known exposure. Symptoms of the BA.5 variant include, but are not limited to a runny nose, cough, sore throat, fever, headache, muscle pain and fatigue. BA.5 is very contagious and anyone with any of the symptoms listed is encouraged to test, either with a home test or by contacting your medical provider.

CHI St. Joseph's Health Community Health has a limited number of free at-home tests. Please call Community Health at 218-237-5464 if you would like more information.

CHI St. Joseph's Health Community Health continues to hold COVID-19 walk-in clinics - primary series and boosters - for ages 12 and up. Moderna and Pfizer vaccines are available.

COVID-19 Vaccine – Walk-In

Where: CHI St. Joseph's Health Community Health Office
Address: 1415 1st Street E, Park Rapids, MN 56470
When: Tuesdays
Times: 9:00 am -11:00 am

About CHI St. Joseph's Health

CHI St. Joseph's Health is a 25-bed critical access hospital serving communities in Hubbard, Becker, Cass and Wadena Counties since 1946. In recent years, CHI St. Joseph's Health's award-winning teams received several national honors including: The Joint Commission Top Performer on Key Quality Measures in surgery; Top 100 Critical Access Hospital, HealthStrong; WomenCertified's America's Best Hospitals Women's Choice Award in obstetrics and emergency; and the Studer Group Fire Starter Healthcare Organization of the Month among other national, regional and state recognitions.

About CommonSpirit Health:

CommonSpirit Health is a nonprofit, Catholic health system dedicated to advancing health for all people. It was created in February 2019 through the alignment of Catholic Health Initiatives and Dignity Health. CommonSpirit Health is committed to creating healthier communities, delivering exceptional patient care, and ensuring every person has access to quality health care. With a team of approximately 150,000 employees and 25,000 physicians and advanced practice clinicians, CommonSpirit Health operates 137 hospitals and more than 1000 care sites across 21 states. In FY 2019, Catholic Health Initiatives and Dignity Health had combined revenues of nearly \$29 billion and provided \$4.45 billion in charity care, community benefit, and unreimbursed government programs. Learn more at www.commonspirit.org.

Contact: Sonja Day

Subject: FREE PRODUCE
From: bob@mnhansens.com
Date: 8/14/2022, 9:55 PM
To: "KPRMKDKK RADIO" <KPRMKDKK@unitelc.com>

Please make public service announcements regarding the free produce.

FREE PRODUCE FOR EVERYONE WHILE SUPPLY LAST, MONDAY AUGUST 15TH. SPONSORED BY NORTH COUNTRY FOOD BANK AND HUBBARD COUNTY FOOD SHELF.

LOCATION: CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH PARKING LOT ^M
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DATE: MONDAY, AUGUST 15TH

DISTRIBUTION: STARTING AT 10:30

We anticipate the following to arrive this morning:

CANTALOPE **CUCUMBERS** **GREEN BEANS**
SWEET CORN **WATERMELON**

DOMESTIC USE ONLY PLEASE!!

THIS EVENT WILL BE HELD ON MONDAYS WEEKLY THROUGH AUGUST!

Hubbard County Food Shelf, Inc. is a private non-profit charitable 501(c)3 organization.

Bob Hansen

18831 Eagle View Dr.

Park Rapids, MN 56470-6047

Phone: (218) 255 - 3538

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COLDWELL BANKER

CLACK & DENNIS
REAL ESTATE 8/20

SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

Win a \$100 VISA Gift Card

Bring **AT LEAST 5** of the listed items to **Coldwell Banker Clack & Dennis** and be entered into a drawing to win a \$100 gift card.

All items will be donated to the Park Rapids, Nevis and Menahga schools! Drawing will be 8/30/2022.

AA/AAA Batteries	Hand Sanitizer	Paper Plates (Large or Small)
Backpack	Highlighters	Pocket Folders
Calculator	Index Cards	Post-It Notes
Colored Pencils	Kleenex	Red Pens
Cotton Balls	Low Odor Expo Markers	Ruler
Crayola Watercolor Paints	Lysol Wipes	Scissors
Dixie Cups	Napkins	Tape (Scotch or Masking)
Erasers	Notebooks	Washable Markers
Glue (Bottle or Sticks)	Construction Paper	Waxed Paper
Handheld Pencil Sharpener	#2 Pencils	Ziploc Bags

**EDUCATION IS THE MOST POWERFUL
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Akeley, Hackensack, Onigum & Walker Communities...



**YOU are invited to
Leech Lake Culture Alliance's
3rd Annual Autumn Equinox
Unity Day Celebration**

POTLUCK EVENING*

At Onigum Community Center

8826 Onigum Road NW

Location provided by Onigum Local Indian Council

Thursday, September 22, 2022

5:30 pm.....Social

6:00-7:00 pm.....Potluck Supper

7:00-7:30 pm.....Round Dance

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For more info, click on this link:

llculturealliance.org



Or, point your smartphone at this QR Code & follow the link...

**All are welcome!
Feel free to bring your
favorite dish to share**



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LOCAL News



The Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) plans to clear cut trees and vegetation 65' from the center line of Hwy 34 for 21 miles of this road resurfacing project on the Lake Country Scenic Byway. Plus, log an additional 50% of trees for 150 feet on the south side of Hwy 34 from Snellman to the Shell River. Logging could begin as early as November 2022.

You're invited to learn more about the project including environmental and scenic byway concerns:

WHAT: Free informational meeting open to the public

WHEN: 5:30 pm-7:00 pm, Thursday September 15, 2022

**WHERE: Event Center at Jack Pines Resort,
53014 State Hwy 34, Osage MN 56570**

WHO: All are welcome. Invite your friends and neighbors!

**HOSTED BY: Friends of the Lake Country Scenic Byway and
Prairie Woods Chapter of Izaak Walton League of America**

Plus: Your thoughts and input are welcome!



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Verndale Clinic reopening October 10, 2022

WADENA, Minn. - Sept. 19, 2022 - Tri-County Health Care will reopen its Verndale Clinic on Oct. 10, 2022. The clinic was closed temporarily to be utilized as a triage space throughout the pandemic.

The clinic will be open Monday through Wednesday, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. The clinic will be staffed by several different providers throughout the week. Additionally, it will continue to have dermatology services on-site two Thursdays a month.

Schedule an appointment at the Verndale Clinic by calling 218-445-5990. For more information, visit TCHC.org and follow Tri-County Health Care on social media for regular updates.

ABOUT TRI-COUNTY HEALTH CARE

Tri-County Health Care is a private, not-for-profit health care system based in Wadena, Minnesota. It offers care services such as primary health, surgery, cancer care, diagnostic imaging, obstetrics, orthopedics and rehabilitation. Tri-County Health Care operates a hospital and medical clinic in Wadena, and serves the counties of Wadena, Todd and Otter Tail through five satellite clinics and two physical therapy clinics in Bertha, Henning, Ottertail, Sebeka and Verndale. Visit TCHC.org.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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CATHOLIC CHARITIES NEEDS SENIOR DINING HELP

St. Cloud, MN (September 21, 2022) — Catholic Charities’ work is embedded in this community through the local senior dining site. And without volunteers, this work cannot happen. Last year, thousands of volunteer hours were donated to benefit the programs of Catholic Charities.

Catholic Charities is request individuals donate a few of their life’s hours to help fight food insecurity in your hometown! We are in desperate need of volunteers to provide meals for seniors in your area.

“As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace:” 1 Peter 4:10

Volunteer opportunities available at senior dining sites include:

- Prepare food in kitchens
- Set-up dining sites for meals
- Serve meals
- Clean-up after meals

“Volunteers are critical to fulfill the mission of Catholic Charities. We can’t serve the Central Minnesota community without them,” said Annie Henriksen, volunteer coordinator. “I am thankful for each and every volunteer, for the work they do and the hope they inspire.”

For more information on volunteer opportunities, contact Annie Henriksen at 320-650-1645 or annie.henriksen@ccstcloud.org. Learn more at ccstcloud.org/volunteer. Or to learn more about dining site volunteer opportunities, contact the Senior Dining Site Coordinator at the location nearest you.

About Catholic Charities Senior Dining

Catholic Charities Senior Dining, a program of Catholic Charities of the Diocese of St. Cloud, has been providing low-cost healthy and nutritious meal options for seniors aged 60 and older across central Minnesota for more than 55 years. The program’s nine-county region includes Benton, Chisago, Isanti, Kanabec, Mille Lacs, Pine, Sherburne, Stearns and Wright counties, and the program has expanded to five additional counties, including Cass, Crow Wing, Morrison, Todd and Wadena.

About Catholic Charities of the Diocese of St. Cloud

The mission of Catholic Charities is to serve and enhance human dignity for people of all faiths and beliefs. Catholic Charities is an equal opportunity employer. Learn more at ccstcloud.org.

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Subject: Funds available for damage cause by June storms
From: Cindy Wannarka <cindy@leech-lake.com>
Date: 8/3/2022, 11:55 AM
To: kprmkdkk@unitelc.com

info on our site

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Forwarding this SBA Disaster Loan Information

8/4 Good morning:

SBA resources are available to Minnesota businesses and residents affected by severe storms and flooding in June 2022. The declaration covers **Morrison County (primary)** and **adjacent counties of Benton, Cass, Crow Wing, Mille Lacs, Stearns and Todd.**

Attached are SBA documents for this disaster (3-step process tri-fold). Applicants may apply **IN PERSON** at SBA's Disaster Loan Outreach Center (DLOC) located in Randall, MN (Morrison County) at the City of Randall Fire Hall. **The DLOC will permanently close Thursday, August 11 at 4pm cst.** Applicants may also apply online, under SBA declaration # 17537, using the Electronic Loan Application (ELA) via SBA's secure website at DisasterLoanAssistance.sba.gov/ela/s.

If approved for a loan, an applicant is under no obligation to accept it. They can turn it down now, and still "reactivate" their application for up to 6 months from the date of their determination letter. An SBA loan is one tool in a person's recovery toolkit as they consider all their options.

It's important to know that low-interest federal disaster loans are for **HOMEOWNERS AND RENTERS**, plus **businesses of all sizes, non-profit organizations, faith-based organizations, small aquaculture businesses, and small agricultural cooperatives** impacted by the storms. All can apply for their **uncompensated losses** – i.e. their insurance wasn't enough to complete their repairs or they didn't have insurance.

- Individuals do not have to wait for their insurance settlement to apply for a loan. They can get money from SBA to start their repairs and then assign their insurance settlement to pay down their loan.
- It's free to apply and the interest rates are very low. Please see the attached information for details.
- SBA disaster loans cover things insurance often does not, such as debris removal, decks, fencing, sheds, etc.
- Terms are up to 30 years to make the payments affordable, and no collateral is required for loans of \$25,000 or less.
- There is no pre-payment penalty.

We appreciate your assistance in getting this time sensitive message out to the residents, business owners and non-profit organizations in your community. Please share with/forward to local contacts,