COMMUNITY NEWS

BORDERLAND BRIEFS

BOOK CLUB

Rainy River Book Club will meet at noon Saturday at Lenard's. Book for discussion is "The Rent Collector" by Camron Wright. All book lovers are welcome.

LIBRARY PRESENTATION

Mike Link and Kate Crowley will present From Adventure to Publication from their walk around Lake Superior to their book, named Midwest Travel Book of the Year (Going Full Circle), at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at International Falls Public Library. For ages 12 and up.

BOOK SALE

Friends of the Library Book Sale is planned for 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday at International Falls Public Library. All sales by donation with proceeds benefiting the Friends support of library programming.

CAREGIVERS GROUP

Caring and Sharing ... A Time for Caregivers group will meet at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Faith United Church of Christ, Fireside Room. For information, call Leslee Loop, program specialist, Koochiching Aging Options, at 283-7030 or 1-800-950-4630.

LOTTERY

Sunday's Daily 3
4, 4, 8
Sunday's Northstar Cash
5, 14, 21, 22, 27
Friday's Gopher 5
9, 13, 33, 38, 47
Saturday's Hot Lotto
6, 12, 29, 36, 47
Hot Ball
4
Friday's Mega Millions
1, 22, 25, 29, 56
Mega Ball
3
Saturday's Powerball
5, 6, 37, 41, 54
Powerball
26

CALENDAR

TODAY

- Community Band, 7 a.m., The Dungeon, Backus Community Center.
- Recycling curbside collection, 8 a.m., International Falls, areas north of 11th Street and east of Highway 53 (includes Terrace Lane).
- Blood Drive, 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m. (Irene, 285-7126), Moose Lodge.
- Retired Boise Cascade Papermakers Local 159, 9 a.m., Lenard's.
- Sing and Play in the Park, 10-11 a.m., Ranier Park.
- Exercise, 10-11 a.m., Backus Auditorium gymnasium.
- Littlefork Ambulance Thrift Shop open, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
- Northland Art Society open, various arts, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Backus, Room 114.
- Wednesday Study Group, 10:15 a.m., Faith United Church of Christ.
- Community Market, 4-6:30 p.m., Backus Third Street parking lot.
- Sunbeams and Girl Guards, 4:30-6 p.m., The Salvation Army.
- Free At Last, 4:30-6:30 p.m., Forestland Annex, lower level conference room.
- Community Band, 5 p.m., The Dungeon, Backus Community Center.
- Stories in the Park, "Bears," 6 p.m., Eighth Avenue green space (near community gardens).
- Men's Non-Violence Group, 6-8 p.m., Friends Against Abuse office.
- Elks Lodge Wednesday Meal, 6:30 p.m., Summer Picnic, oven fried chicken.
- Little Lambs (up to age 4) and King's Kids (ages 5 and up), 6:30-7:15 p.m., Full Gospel Fellowship Church.
- Women of the Moose, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Texas Hold 'Em, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Koochiching Masonic Lodge No. 270, A.F. & A.M., 7 p.m., 416 Third St.
- Downtowners Group, 7:30 p.m., Alano Club.

THURSDAY

- Community Band, 7 a.m., The Dungeon, Backus Community Center.
- International Falls-Koochiching County Airport Commission, 8 a.m., Koochiching County Courthouse, Commissioner's Boardroom.
- Bone Builders, 10 a.m., Woodland Apartments.
- Littlefork Ambulance Thrift Shop open, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
- Falls Hunger Coalition Food Shelf open, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., 1000 Fifth St.
- Northland Art Society open, various arts, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Backus, Room 114.
- "From Adventure to Publication" presentation, 10:30 a.m., International Falls Public Library.
- Friends of the Library Book Sale, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., International Falls Public Library.
- Caring and Sharing ... A Time for Caregivers group, 1:30 p.m., Faith United Church of Christ, Fireside Room.
- Northland Art Society open, various arts, 4-8 p.m., Backus, Room 114.
- Adventure Corps, 4:30-6 p.m., The Salvation Army.
- Weight Watchers, 4:45-5:15 p.m. weigh-in; 5:15 meeting, Zion Lutheran Church.
- Community Band, 5 p.m., The Dungeon, Backus Community Center.
- Falls Trap Club, trap shooting, 5:30 p.m., Moonlight Rock Road.
- Community Café, free meals served, 5:30-6 p.m., pork and potatoes, gravy, vegetable, dinner roll, Backus Community Center.
- Burgers Supper, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Beginner's Tae Kwon Do, 5:45 p.m., Falls Elementary School gymnasium or cafeteria.
- Borderland Humane Society, 6 p.m., River's Edge Villa.
- The Lamplighters, women's support group for survivors of childhood sexual abuse, 6-8 p.m., Friends Against Abuse, 407 Fourth St.
- Borealis Bards, Summer Shakespeare Troupe, 6:30-8 p.m., Backus Community Center, Room 210.
- Line Dancing, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Fresh Start, 7:30 p.m., Alano Club.

FRIDAY

- Exercise, 10-11 a.m., Backus Auditorium gymnasium.
- Falls Hunger Coalition Food Shelf open, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., 1000 Fifth St.
- Serenity Sisters, Women's A.A., noon, Backus, Rational Alternatives, Room 101.
- Elks Lodge Friday Light Meal, 5:30 p.m., chicken salad on croissant and wild rice soup.
- Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m., Alano Club.
- For Those in Need, Addiction Recovery, 7 p.m., The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 1340 Keenan Drive.
- Grape Vine Group, 7:30 p.m., Alano Club, 410 Fifth Ave.

SATURDAY

- Community Market, 9 .m.-noon, Backus Third Street parking lot.
- Rainy River Book Club, noon, Lenard's.
- New Members and Sponsors Dinner, BBQ Pork Chops Supper, 6 p.m. (reservations, 283-3615), Moose Lodge.
- Falls High School Class of 1979 35-year reunion, 7 p.m., Thunderbird Lodge.

LOOKING BACK

25 YEARS AGO

Vickie Romosz of International Falls has accepted a Transfer Student Scholarship to attend Bemidji State University.

Audrey Dahl, parish secretary at Zion Lutheran Church, is retiring after 21 years of service.

40 YEARS AGO

Mattielu Pearson's Persian cat, "Jake," was the winner of the Largest Cat Category and the Best of Breed Category at Sunday's Pet Show in Smokey Bear Park.

John Valio Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Valio Johnson of Ray, enlisted in the United States Air Force on June 18 at Minneapolis.

Anne Walter, daughter of Mrs. Janet Walter and Dr. F.H. Walter of the Falls, received a bachelor of science degree in elementary education from the University of Denver, Colo.

50 YEARS AGO

Leroy Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson, Route 7, will represent Koochiching County 4-H clubs at a district 4-H Share-the-Fun Festival next month in the Brainerd State School. He will play the guitar and sing.

PFC. Larry R. Grover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Grover, South International Falls, completed a four-week wheeled vehicle maintenance course at the U.S. Army School, Europe, in Murnau, Germany, June 12.

The traffic problem caused by lines of tourists' cars waiting to cross International Bridge was brought up at last night's council meeting by Mayor Robert Bennett. Bennett reported that cars lined up "as far as Sixth Street" last weekend created a traffic regulation problem.

Thomas H. Raymond, 407 Seventh St., received a master of library service degree from Rutger's, New Jersey University, New Brunswick, on June 3.

60 YEARS AGO

Dick Rambo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rambo, joined the Air Force and left to take up his new duties.

A son was born today at Falls Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lundquist, Highway 53; weight, 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

A daughter was born today at Falls Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walter, 514 10th St.; 6 pounds, 14 1/2 ounces.

A stork shower for Mrs. William Galbraith, 408 10th St., was held at the home of Mrs. Dick Thayer, Highway 53.

70 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Ralph Richmond (Gudrun), 40, Carson-Lupie Addition, passed away this morning after a brief illness.

Selmo Alstrom, Insulite, left company employment last Saturday.

Mrs. Alma Engelking was showered with many gifts from friends who surprised her on her birthday at her home Friday evening.

The Rev. and Mrs. R.O. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graves were guests at the Herman Fredericksson home Friday evening. Sharon, infant daughter of the Fredericksons, was baptized by the Rev. Evans.

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Continues through Saturday, October 4
Backus/AB 3rd St. Parking Lot
RAIN OR SHINE
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Saturdays 9:00 a.m. - Noon
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