

# COMMUNITYNEWS

## BORDERLAND BRIEFS

### MEDICARE CLASSES CANCELED

The New to Medicare classes scheduled for October and November are canceled. The next New to Medicare class is planned for Dec. 9.

### AWARDS DINNER, SILENT AUCTION

The Mr. Pete Foundation Awards Dinner and Silent Auction is set for today at Lenard’s ballroom at the AmericInn. The auction is bringing in around 170 people and has also produced over 80 auction items. The auction is from 5 to 6:30 p.m., with the awards presentation beginning between 7:30 and 8. The public is welcome to attend.

### GUMMI BEAR DRIVE

Local Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court No. 605 will sponsor the Habitat for Humanity Gummi Bear Drive from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday and Friday at Super One and County Market. All houses are built in Minnesota. Goal is to get a house built in International Falls in 2015 or 2016. All donations go to the project. The public is encouraged to take part.

### NORTHLAND ART SOCIETY WORKSHOPS

Northland Art Society will host the following workshops — Oct. 18, Watercolor with Barb Gray; Nov. 1 and 15, Beginner’s Clay with Jim Reid; and Dec. 13, Stained Glass with Diana Kangas. Workshops are open to the public and are from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the NAS Art Room 114 at Backus Community Center. Bring own lunch. Art materials will be provided. Sign up ASAP in the Art Room as space is limited. The Art Room is open 10 to 3 Monday-Thursday, and Wednesdays from 5:30 to 8 p.m. The public is welcome to stop by to see artists at work, view finished pieces, and register for workshops. Visit [www.northlandart.org](http://www.northlandart.org) for more information and to keep track of upcoming workshops and events. Also “like” Northland Art Society on Facebook.

### SCOUTING FOR FOOD

Scouting for Food is planned for Sunday in the International Falls area. Local Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts have been putting out empty grocery bags on front doors of homes and will pick them up between 1 and 4 p.m. Sunday. Homeowners are asked to have bags out on front door steps before 1. Non-perishable food items that are not expired, garden produce and monetary donations will be accepted. Make checks payable to Falls Hunger Coalition. Those whose bags have not been picked up by 3:30 should call 218-324-1607, leave a message and someone will pick it up.

### VFW LADIES AUXILIARY

The regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2948 will be conducted at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Post Home dining room. Plans to attend the 8th District meeting in Cloquet will be finalized. A light lunch will follow. Members are encouraged to attend.

### GIRL SCOUTS SWIM PARTY

A Girl Scouts Swim Party Extravaganza is planned for 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Falls High School pool. All new Girl Scouts and girls wishing to register as Girl Scouts are welcome to attend and celebrate the birthday month of Juliette Low.

## POLICE REPORT

### Koochiching County Sheriff’s Office

*Theft:* A truck, truck camper and its contents, valued at a total of \$40,000, were reported stolen Oct. 3 by owner Callan L. F. Hass, address unavailable, from property on County Road 19 near Northome. According to the report, Hass left the property and when he returned the truck and camper were gone.

### International Falls Police Department

*Theft:* Mark W. Ess, Ranier, reported Oct. 3 the theft the past week of a Lincoln welder, welding equipment and tools, valued at \$3,000, from a unit on Crescent Drive. According to the report, the unit showed no signs of forced entry.

### International Falls Fire Department

*False call:* Firefighters returned to the Fire Hall Tuesday after they were called to Wagner Ready Mix, County Highway 332, where a tire on a semi truck had been smoking.

## CALENDAR

### TODAY

- Open Gym, 3-5 p.m., Backus Community Center.
- Mr. Pete Foundation Awards Dinner and Silent Auction – auction, 5-6:30 p.m.; awards presentation, between 7:30-8, Lenard’s ballroom, AmericInn.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Alano Club.

### SUNDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous Open, 9 a.m., Alano Club.
- Local Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts Scouting for Food, 1-4 p.m., International Falls area.
- Concert in the Dungeon, Classical Laser Show and International Falls Community Band, 2 p.m., Backus Community Center.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Pineview Recovery Center, Littlefork.

### MONDAY

- Retired Minnesota, Dakota and Western Railroad employees, 8:30 a.m., Chocolate Moose Restaurant.
- Sing and Play, 9-10 a.m., Ranier Community Center.
- Walk-ercise group, 10-11 a.m., Backus Community Center gymnasium.
- Northland Art Society open, various arts, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Backus, Room 114.
- Powerful Tools for Caregivers class, 1-3:30 p.m., Forestland Annex.
- Women’s Non-Violence Group, 5:15-6:45 p.m., Friends Against Abuse office.
- Cribbage, 7 p.m., Elks Lodge 1599.
- Texas Hold ‘Em, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, Women’s Step Study, 7 p.m., Coffee Landing Cafe.
- Narcotics Anonymous, “How It Works” step gathering, 7:30 p.m., Alano Club.

### TUESDAY

- North Koochiching Area Sanitary District Board, 7:30 a.m., Sanitary District Boardroom, 1412 Highway 71.
- Water Testing, 8 a.m.-noon, Koochiching County Public Health Department.
- WIC Clinic, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Koochiching County Public Health Department.
- Women of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 9:30 a.m., Coffee Landing Cafe.
- Koochiching Development Authority Board, 9:30 a.m.; Koochiching County Board of Commissioners following, Koochiching County Courthouse.
- 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.
- Falls Hunger Coalition Food Shelf open, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 1000 Fifth St.
- Flu Clinic, 11 a.m.-noon, Koochiching County Senior Center.

- Immunizations, 1-5:30 p.m., Koochiching County Public Health Department.
- Alanon, 1:30 p.m., Zion Lutheran Church (283-3739, 283-8540).
- Flu Clinic, 4-6 p.m., Littlefork-Big Falls School.
- TOPS MN34, 5 p.m. weigh-in; 5:45, meeting, Koochiching County Senior Center.
- Women’s Ministries, 5-7 p.m., The Salvation Army.
- Community Café, free meals served, 5:30-6 p.m., lasagna, corn, garlic toast, Backus Community Center.
- Beginner’s Tae Kwon Do, 5:45 p.m., Falls Elementary School gymnasium or cafeteria.
- Chicken Pie Pie Supper, 6 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- City of Ranier, Committee of the Whole, 6:30 p.m., Ranier Community Building.
- Women’s Support Group, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Friends Against Abuse office.
- House, 7 p.m.; Lodge, 7:30, Moose Lodge.
- Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2948 and Auxiliary, 7 p.m., Post Home.
- Women of the Moose/7 Generations class, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Pineview Recovery Center, Littlefork.
- International Voyageur Snowmobile Club, 7 p.m., Almost Lindy’s, banquet room.
- “Celebrate Recovery,” 7-9 p.m., Evangelical Covenant Church.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., Zion Lutheran Church.

### WEDNESDAY

- Retired Boise Cascade electricians, 9 a.m., Coffee Landing Cafe.
- Walk-ercise group, 10-11 a.m., Backus Community Center 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.
- East Koochiching Sanitary Sewer District Board, 11 a.m., Sanitary District Boardroom, 1412 Highway 71,
- Salvation Army Advisory Council, noon, Salvation Army building.
- Girl Guards, Sunbeams and Adventure Corps, 4:30-6 p.m., The Salvation Army.
- Free At Last, 4:30-6:30 p.m., Forestland Annex, lower level conference room.
- Northland Art Society open, various arts, 5:30-8 p.m., Backus, Room 114.
- International Falls Recreation Commission Board, 5:45 p.m., city council chambers.
- Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m., Alano Club.
- Men’s Non-Violence Group, 6-8 p.m., Friends Against Abuse office.
- Members and guests Elks Lodge 1599 Wednesday Meal, 6:30 p.m., Octoberfest.
- Rainy Lake Sportfishing Club, 7 p.m., AmericInn.
- Girl Scouts Swim Party Extravaganza, 7-8 p.m., Falls High School pool.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., Alano Club.

## LOTTERY

**Wednesday’s Daily 3**  
1, 8, 1

**Wednesday’s Northstar Cash**  
2, 5, 6, 10, 29

**Wednesday’s Gopher 5**  
8, 22, 37, 40, 43

**Wednesday’s Hot Lotto**  
6, 19, 24, 35, 37

**Hot Ball**  
7

**Saturday’s Mega Millions**  
16, 29, 46, 48, 55

**Mega Ball**  
2

**Wednesday’s Powerball**  
5, 16, 31, 46, 50

**Powerball**  
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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON ADOPTION OF A COUNTY FOREST ROAD MAP IN KOOCHICHING COUNTY

The Koochiching County Board of Commissioners proposes to record prescriptive easements for county forest roads in Koochiching County.

Minnesota Statutes, Section 89.715 - Alternative Recording for State Forest Roads, and Section 282.04 - Alternative Recording for County Forest Roads authorizes Koochiching County to adopt a county forest road map to record county forest road prescriptive easements relative to the actual use and right-of-way.

A public meeting on the proposed prescriptive easements will be held at 6:00 PM, Tuesday, October 28, 2014, at the Koochiching County Courthouse in International Falls, MN. The meeting will be held jointly with the DNR and both will present information and receive public comments on the proposal at the hearing.

Comments may also be submitted in writing on or before October 28th and will be entered into the permanent record. The proposed easements and supporting documentation are available on the Koochiching County website at [http://www.co.koochiching.mn.us/dept/land\\_&\\_forestry/CountyForestRoadMapProject.htm](http://www.co.koochiching.mn.us/dept/land_&_forestry/CountyForestRoadMapProject.htm). Documents may also be viewed at the Land and Forestry Office, Courthouse, 715 4th Street, International Falls, MN 56649 (218) 283-1126.

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