

COMMUNITYNEWS

NEXUS program milestone achieved

CBP STAFF REPORT

The Department of Homeland Security and U.S. Customs and Border Protection has announced that the NEXUS program has enrolled its one-millionth member.

The program allows pre-screened, low-risk travelers to proceed with little or no delay into the United States and Canada. The increased membership of the NEXUS program further encourages cross-border travel, supporting both American and Canadian economies.

“CBP is proud of the success of trusted traveler programs like NEXUS,” said Commissioner R. Gil Kerlikowske. “Trusted Traveler programs, such as NEXUS, SENTRI, and Global Entry, allow our officers to concentrate their efforts on potentially higher-risk travelers and goods while speeding up legitimate travel and trade.”

“Reaching, and going beyond, the one millionth

member milestone is a significant achievement for the NEXUS program. Through increased membership and by continually facilitating the flow of legitimate travel across the shared Canada-U.S. border, our government can concentrate our efforts on continued economic growth and job creation,” stated The Honourable Steven Blaney, Minister of Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness.

NEXUS was launched in 2000 as a joint effort between CBP and the Canada Border Services Agency. NEXUS members enjoy the benefits of Global Entry at no additional cost by using the automated kiosks for entry at participating airports.

In order to qualify, an applicant can submit an application using the CBP online application system, Global Online Enrollment Systems, or to one of the Canadian Processing Centers. For more information, visit cbp.gov/nexus.

BORDERLAND BRIEFS

BLUEBERRY PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Kabetogama Methodist Church will sponsor a blueberry pancake breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon Aug. 3 at Kabetogama Senior Hall. Watch for signs. Everyone is welcome.

PARENT-TO-PARENT INFORMATION SESSION

Online Public School will host a Parent-to-Parent Information Session from 6 to 7 p.m. July 22 at Hardee’s Restaurant. MTS Minnesota Connections Academy welcomes prospective parents to learn about tuition-free, K-12 online public school program at this free event. To RSVP and for a complete event schedule, visit <http://www.connectionsacademy.com/minnesota-online-school/events.aspx>.

SONS OF NORWAY MEMBERS

Sons of Norway members who received any storm damage from the floods or wind should contact Dick Bergh at 283-3009 or 343-2396 as you will be reimbursed up to \$1,000.

CALENDAR

TODAY

- Retired Boise Cascade electricians, 9 a.m., Coffee Landing Cafe.
- Sing and Play in the Park, 10-11 a.m., Ranier Park.
- Exercise, 10-11 a.m., Backus Auditorium gymnasium.
- Community Clothes Closet drop offs, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Aquinas Hall.
- 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.
- Salvation Army Advisory Council, noon-1 p.m., Salvation Army building.
- 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.
- International Falls Recreation Commission Board, 5:45 p.m., city council chambers.
- Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m., Alano Club.
- Stories in the Park, 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., udda tacos.
- Little Lambs (up to age 4) and King’s Kids (ages 5 and up), 6:30-7:15 p.m., Full Gospel Fellowship Church.
- Texas Hold ‘Em, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Rainy Lake Sportfishing Club, 7 p.m., Americlnn.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., Alano Club.

THURSDAY

- Community Clothes Closet open for customers, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Aquinas Hall.
- 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.

- Falls High School Class of 1960, 10:30 a.m., Lenard’s.
- Chamber of Commerce Public Luncheon, New Gold mining presentation, noon-1:30 p.m., Lenard’s.
- 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.
- Borderland Humane Society, 5:30 p.m., River’s Edge Villa.
- Falls Trap Club, trap shooting, 5:30 p.m., Moonlight Rock Road.
- Community Café, free meals served, 5:30-6 p.m., chicken Caesar salad, garlic bread, fruit, Backus Community Center.
- Polish and Dogs on the Grill, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Beginner’s Tae Kwon Do, 5:45 p.m., Falls Elementary School gymnasium or cafeteria.
- The Lamplighters, women’s support group for survivors of childhood sexual abuse, 6-8 p.m., Friends Against Abuse, 407 Fourth St.
- Childbirth Classes, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Rainy Lake Medical Center hospital campus.
- Bike Night, 6:45 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Line Dancing, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 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., pulled pork sandwiches and perogies.
- 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.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., Alano Club, 410 Fifth Ave.

SATURDAY

- Community Market, 9 a.m.-noon, Backus Third Street parking lot.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Alano Club.

LOTTERY

Sunday’s Daily 3
4, 8, 5

Sunday’s Northstar Cash
2, 5, 10, 22, 31

Friday’s Gopher 5
12, 19, 27, 30, 36

Saturday’s Hot Lotto
7, 32, 36, 41, 42

Hot Ball
2

Friday’s Mega Millions
9, 13, 30, 35, 69

Mega Ball
10

Saturday’s Powerball
2, 3, 7, 23, 51

Powerball
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POLICE REPORT

International Falls Fire Department
Dryer fire: Firefighters spent about 45 minutes Saturday at the Amy M. Schull residence, Third Avenue West, after a dryer caught fire. Damage was contained, report department officials.

International Falls Police Department
Burglary: The keys were taken from a vehicle and all four tires on the vehicle slashed when someone entered an unlocked garage at the Bernd P. Leimenstoll

residence, Hiway Lane, according to a report Monday.

Koochiching County Sheriff’s Office
Burglary: Several items totaling about \$1,200 were taken after entry was forced into a cabin at County Road 26, Northome, owner James L. Finlayson, Bemidji, reported Monday.

Burglary: Two shotguns, a Honda generator, tool box, flat screen TV and DVD player are among the items reported stolen Saturday from a shack off Highway

1, Northome, owned by Terrance J. Lavalle, Cohasset.

Burglary: Chairs and vending machines were tipped over between 3 a.m. and 9 a.m. Saturday at Sweet Relief, U.S. Highway 53, Ericsburg, reported owner April L. Steele. According to the report, nothing was taken.

Burglary: A door at a residence and outbuilding on Highway 112 were entered and a 1995 Polaris snowmobile taken, reported owner Nicholas R. Van Dyke, Town Road 278, Sunday.

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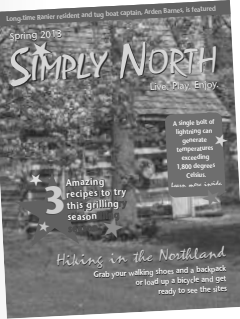
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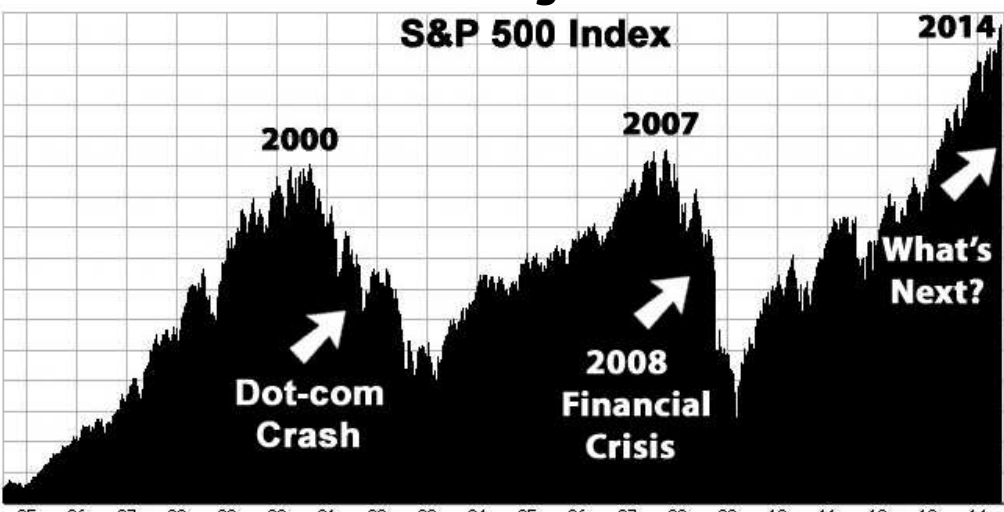
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