

COMMUNITY

A LOOK AT BORDERLAND

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Thureen recognized at Tuesday Musicale potluck

TUESDAY MUSICALE REPORT

The September meeting of Tuesday Musicale took place at the lake home of Jeannine Nelson. The evening was dedicated to Kathy Thureen, who will be moving from the community, in appreciation and recognition of her many years of membership.

Following a potluck dinner, president Linda Torseth conducted the business meeting. The club's annual Summer Music Camp Scholarship Program was discussed. Fundraising for scholarships will begin this fall with letters sent for donations and personal contacts later by members.

Many businesses, individuals, organizations and former scholarship recipients have donated in past years. Money raised through fundraising allows the club to send area music students, grades 7 through 11, to summer music camp. Last year the club was able to award seven full scholarships to music camp in

Duluth at the University of Minnesota Duluth.

A monthly meeting schedule was handed out to all members. Fliers for the 2014-15 Backus Performing Arts and the Border Concert Association were distributed. New curtain time for both Season Series is 7 p.m.

Torseth reminded members that Tuesday Musicale was the volunteer serving group Sept. 25 for Community Café at Backus. Seven members had signed up. Dues will be collected at the Oct. 21 meeting, to be conducted at the home of Francie Nemec-Green.

Entertainment for the evening was in honor of Kathy Thureen. She played two of her favorite songs on her flute, "Eidelweiss" and "How Great Thou Art," followed by a short sing-along and reminiscing of the club's musical performances and events.

A 'farewell' song, written by Sharalyn Schaak, was sung by Jessie Laurion,



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Kathy Thureen, long-time member of Tuesday Musicale, was honored at the club's September dinner meeting at the home of Jeannine Nelson. Thureen is moving from the community.

Torseth and Nemec-Green, accompanied by Laurion on the keyboard.

A going away gift, a porcelain tea pot and several

varieties of tea, was presented to Thureen. Members enjoyed a special "Congratulations, Good Luck" cake to close the evening.

LOOKINGBACK

25 YEARS AGO

Wade Otto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Otto, is attending Hibbing Area Vocational-Technical Institute for diesel mechanics, his first year of a two-year course.

Russ Tilander, 18, shot a five-point buck on Tuesday near Ray on the fourth day of the 1989 archery season.

40 YEARS AGO

Announcement was made this week of the promotion of Kenneth Bangen to the position of electrical maintenance supervisor in the Paper Division of Boise Cascade.

Only two retirements took place at Boise Cascade in September: one from Insulite and one from Paper. Palmer Helgeson, press operator helper, and Mike Blechinger, electrician, are retiring at age 65.

Rainy River Community College student, Edna

(Kathy) Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Walker of 142 Hiway Lane, is a recipient of a \$200 Allis Scholarship award.

50 YEARS AGO

Police Captain Ted Blinson was honored at a 'going away' party by fellow law enforcement officers. Blinson is taking an eight-month leave of absence from the force.

Pound Master Henry Piekarski tendered his resignation by letter, effective Oct. 1.

60 YEARS AGO

George A. Bigler, airman first class of the U.S. Air Force, became a civilian recently and returned to International Falls after four years of duty.

A son was born today at Falls Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols; weight, 7 pounds, 2 ounces; name chosen, Larry Ronald.

Barbara Kerry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Kerry, 523 Ninth St., has been elected as one of the six queen candidates for the 1954 homecoming festivities at Bemidji State Teachers College.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bernardine, 1021 1/2 10th St., will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception in the Ukrainian Hall Saturday at 6 o'clock.

70 YEARS AGO

Residents of Ericsburg turned out enthusiastically Saturday evening to fete the much-decorated T/ Sgt. Allen Gerlach, former Ericsburg man, who arrived home recently after completing 71 bombing missions over Nazi-occupied Europe.

George Hillmon arrived from Chicago to be the guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Misner, 1416 First Ave.

W. Mrs. Hillmon will join him in a few days, and the couple plan to make their home here.

Second Lieutenant Carl M. Barton Jr., 24, co-pilot on a B-27 bomber, who was reported missing in action on Sept. 3, 1943, is now assumed to have given his life in the service of the country, according to a war department message received this week by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Barton of this city.

Misses Caroline and Myra Smart and Miss Phyllis Ecklund went to Minneapolis to resume their studies at the University of Minnesota. Caroline will take a post graduate course in home economics. Her sister, Myra, is a junior majoring in 4-H community leadership and Miss Ecklund, cadet nurse, is a sophomore at the university.

SENIOR MENU

Hot meals for people 60 or older are served at noon Monday through Friday at Koochiching County Senior Center, 307 Fourth St.

Meals are for anyone, regardless of income. A \$4 donation is suggested. Meals are subject to change. Participants under age 60 are welcome at \$7.50 each.

For reservations call 283-3460 the day before the meal. Cancellations may be made the day of the meal.

MONDAY

Chili
Juice
Cornbread
Fruit

TUESDAY

Cream of broccoli soup
Egg salad sandwiches
Lettuce leaf
Fresh fruit

WEDNESDAY

Chicken tetrazzini
Peas and carrots
Coleslaw
Pears

THURSDAY

Harvest stew
Tossed salad
Dressing
Apples
Biscuits

FRIDAY

Baked fish or alternative
Baked potatoes
Baked beans
Banana cake

COMMUNITY CAFE MENU

The Community Cafe offers free meals, to anyone in Koochiching County, regardless of income, with no restrictions. The program is sponsored by the Falls Hunger Coalition and Citizens for Backus/AB with the support of local volunteers. Reservations are not required. There is no charge for the meals, but donations are accepted. Take-out meals are also available. Meals served on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30 to 6 p.m. at Backus Community Center, 900 Fifth St. Call the Backus office for information, 285-7225.

October 2

Volunteer Group – Friends Against Abuse

Hearty soup
Sandwich
Fruit

October 7

Volunteer Group – First Lutheran Church

Roast pork
Potatoes
Gravy
Peas and carrots
Dinner roll

October 9

Volunteer Group – First Lutheran Church

Ranch chicken wrap
Apple slaw
Dinner roll

October 14

Volunteer Group –

St. Thomas Social Concerns

Lasagna
Corn
Garlic toast

October 16

Volunteer Group –

St. Thomas Social Concerns
Curried chicken and rice
Fruit
Dinner roll

October 21

Volunteer Group – Zion Lutheran Church

Chicken and broccoli Alfredo
Fruit
Dinner roll

October 23

Volunteer Group – Zion Lutheran Church

Sponsor – Border State Bank
Top the Tater Supper
Baked potato with toppings
Tossed salad
Cookies

October 28

Volunteer Group –

Evangelical Covenant Church
Pizza
Apple slices
Chips

October 30

Volunteer Group –

First Baptist Church
Chicken wingettes and drummies
French fries
Fresh carrots
Dinner roll

FUNERAL

Kathleen Edith (Hoffman) Knuth, 67

Memorial services for Kathleen Edith (Hoffman) Knuth, 67, who died Thursday, Sept. 18, 2014, were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 23, at First Lutheran Church, International Falls.

Officiating was Pastor Stephen Olson.

Music was by Joe Belanger.

Pallbearers were Kathleen's grandchildren —

Michael Knuth, Katelyn Knuth, Nicholas Knuth and Jack Knuth — to escort her from this life's journey.

Honorary pallbearers were all predeceased family to escort her to eternal life — her father, Sylvester Hoffman; mother, Edith (Larsen) Hoffman; brother, Vincent Delano Hoffman; and sister, Elaine Faith Hoffman, infant.


Condolences may be left at www.greenlarsen.com.

Arrangements were with Green-Larsen Mortuary Inc., International Falls.

PROVEN LEADERSHIP!

Re-Elect Rob Ecklund

for District 4 County Commissioner



Dear Friends,
It has been an honor and privilege to serve as your County Commissioner for the past four years. I value the faith and trust you placed in me and am Respectfully requesting your support for re-election Tuesday, November 4th.

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