

COMMUNITYNEWS

Man charged in assault

JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

A man accused in a Fort Frances assault Friday remains in custody pending a bail hearing in Fort Frances Criminal Court.

At about 9 p.m. Friday, the Thunder Bay Provincial Communications Centre received a call from a Fort Frances residence. Upon receiving the call, the phone call was disconnected. Attempts to reconnect with the caller were unsuccessful and officers were dispatched to

the residence, said the report.

An adult female at the residence reported to officers she had been assaulted by an adult male, who fled the residence.

The man was located by a canine with the Ontario Provincial Police North West Region Canine Unit, with the assistance of the North West Region Emergency Response Team, a short time later in the area of Highway 11 near Pitt Road No. 2 in Fort Frances and taken into police custody.

BORDERLAND BRIEFS

BORDERLAND HUMANE SOCIETY

Borderland Humane Society members will meet at 5:30 p.m. Monday at River's Edge Villa dining room.

RETIRED ELECTRICIANS

Retired Boise Cascade electricians will meet at 9 a.m. Wednesday at Coffee Landing Cafe. Wives/guests are also welcome.

RED HAT LOON-A-TICKS

The Red Hat Loon-a-Ticks will meet at noon Monday at Lenard's.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

Ranier Recreation Club will host a children's Christmas party from 1 to 3 p.m. Sunday at Ranier Community Building. A magic show, pizza, treats, and pictures with Santa and Mrs. Claus will be featured.

QUILTERS CHRISTMAS POTLUCK

Northern Lights Quilters Guild will gather for a Christmas potluck at 6 p.m. Monday at First Lutheran Church. Bring the gift bags and a dish to share.

ICEBOX DAY 2015 EVENTS SCHEDULE

The public is asked to contact International Falls Chamber of Commerce with Icebox Day 2015 events. Icebox Days XXXV is set for Jan. 15-18. Deadline to be included in the official schedule is Wednesday. Contact 283-9400 or faye@intlfalls.org.

RETIRED PAPERMAKERS

Retired Boise Cascade papermakers will meet at 9 a.m. Wednesday at Lenard's. Wives/guests are also welcome.

I FALLS PARTNERS IN EDUCATION

I Falls Partners in Education will meet at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at Falls Elementary School library. Program will be featured on "Beyond Minecraft, Instagram and YouTube." Participants may find out what apps and websites have been shown to promote academic skills and creativity for elementary school students.

'CINDERELLA' PRESENTATION

Littlefork Community Theatre will present "Cinderella," adapted by William Glenon, at 7 p.m. Saturday and 2 Sunday at the Littlefork Old Gym Theater. This is the eighth annual holiday production to raise scholarships for graduating seniors in theatre program. Cost is \$5 at the door.

LOTTERY

Wednesday's Daily 3 8, 3, 1	Saturday's Mega Millions 27, 45, 49, 51, 52
Wednesday's Northstar Cash 1, 3, 11, 18, 23	Mega Ball 14
Wednesday's Gopher 5 4, 18, 31, 37, 47	Wednesday's Powerball 34, 44, 48, 54, 55
Wednesday's Hot Lotto 4, 22, 23, 32, 42	Powerball 10
Hot Ball 8	

POLICE REPORT

International Falls Police Department

Arrest: A 25-year-old International Falls man was arrested Wednesday in connection with an assault involving a knife. The victim was not seriously injured in the incident,

which took place at a Riverside Drive residence.

Pole struck: A vehicle driven by Kristi K. Solo, 48, Fifth Street, struck a Minnesota Power light pole at 2101 Keenan Dr. No damage estimate was included in the report.

CALENDAR

TODAY

- Christmas Kid's Shop, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.
- Northland Art Society workshop, Stained Glass with Diana Kangas, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Backus Community Center, art room 114.
- Craft and Bake Sale, 11 a.m.-3 p.m., First Assembly of God.
- Bingo, 1 p.m.; Tom and Jerry Party, 4:30, Moose Lodge.
- Reflect and Refresh – Walk the Labyrinth, 2-5 p.m., Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.
- Littlefork Community Theatre presentation, "Cinderella," 7 p.m., Littlefork Old Gym Theater.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Alano Club.

SUNDAY

- American Legion Post 66 and Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary-hosted breakfast, 8-11 a.m., VFW Club.
- Alcoholics Anonymous Open, 9 a.m., Alano Club.
- Ranier Recreation Club-hosted children's Christmas party, 1-3 p.m., Ranier Community Building.
- Reflect and Refresh – Walk the Labyrinth, 1-3 p.m., Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.
- Littlefork Community Theatre presentation, "Cinderella," 2 p.m., Littlefork Old Gym Theater.
- Kid's Christmas party, 5-7 p.m.; bike draw, 6:30, Moose Lodge.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Pineview Recovery Center, Littlefork.

MONDAY

- North Koochiching Area Sanitary District Board, 8 a.m., Sanitary District Boardroom, 1412 Highway 71.
- 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.
- Red Hattitude Kats Christmas luncheon, 11:30 a.m., MaryNell Gust residence.
- Red Hat Loon-a-Ticks, noon, Lenard's.
- International Falls City Council, 4:30 p.m., Falls Municipal Building, council chambers.
- International Falls School Board, 5 p.m., Falls High School cafeteria.
- Women's Non-Violence Group, 5:15-6:45 p.m., Friends Against Abuse office.
- Borderland Humane Society, 5:30 p.m., River's Edge Villa dining room.
- Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2948-hosted children's/grandchildren's Christmas party, 6 p.m., Post Home.
- Northern Lights Quilters Guild Christmas potluck, 6 p.m., First Lutheran Church.
- Ranier City Council, 6:30 p.m., Ranier Community Building.
- 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

- Water Testing, 8 a.m.-noon, Koochiching County Public Health Department.
- Boise Cascade retired welders and pipefitters, 9 a.m., Coffee Landing Cafe.
- WIC Clinic, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Koochiching County Public Health Department.
- Koochiching Development Authority, 9:30 a.m.; Koochiching County Board of Commissioners following, Koochiching County Courthouse.
- Bone Builders, 10-11:30 a.m., Woodland Apartments.
- 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.
- Alanon, 1:30 p.m., Zion Lutheran Church (283-3739, 283-8540).
- TOPS MN34, 5-5:30 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., breakfast quesadilla, hash rounds, bananas, Backus Community Center.
- Beginner's Tae Kwon Do, 5:45 p.m., Falls Elementary School gymnasium or cafeteria.
- Chicken chow mien supper, 6 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Cradle Cafe, breastfeeding support group, 6:30 p.m., St. Paul Lutheran Church.
- I Falls Partners in Education, "Beyond Minecraft, Instagram and YouTube," 6:30 p.m., Falls Elementary School library.
- Women's Support Group, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Friends Against Abuse office.
- Texas Hold 'Em, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Garden Girls, 7 p.m., Northwoods Assisted Living.
- International Voyageur Snowmobile Club, 7 p.m., Almost Lindy's, banquet room.
- Minnesota Deer Hunters Association, Trails End Chapter, 7 p.m., Elks Club.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Pineview Recovery Center, Littlefork.
- "Celebrate Recovery," 7-9 p.m., Evangelical Covenant Church.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., Zion Lutheran Church.

WEDNESDAY

- Retired Boise Cascade electricians, wives/guests, 9 a.m., Coffee Landing Cafe.
- Retired Boise Cascade papermakers, wives/guests, 9 a.m., Lenard's.
- 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 Area Sanitary District Board, 11 a.m., Sanitary District Boardroom, 1412 Highway 71.
- Salvation Army Advisory Council, noon, Salvation Army building.
- Littlefork Community Theatre presentation, "Cinderella," 3 p.m., ???
- 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.
- International Falls Recreation Commission Board, 5:45 p.m., city council chambers.
- Reflect and Refresh – Walk the Labyrinth, 5-6:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.
- Northland Art Society open, various arts, 5:30-8 p.m., Backus, Room 114.
- 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., chicken cordon bleu.
- Little Lambs (3 years to kindergarten) and King's Kids (1st-5th grades), Youth Group (6th grade-up), 6:30-7:30 p.m., Full Gospel Fellowship Church.
- Rainy Lake Sportfishing Club, 7 p.m., AmericInn.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., Alano Club.

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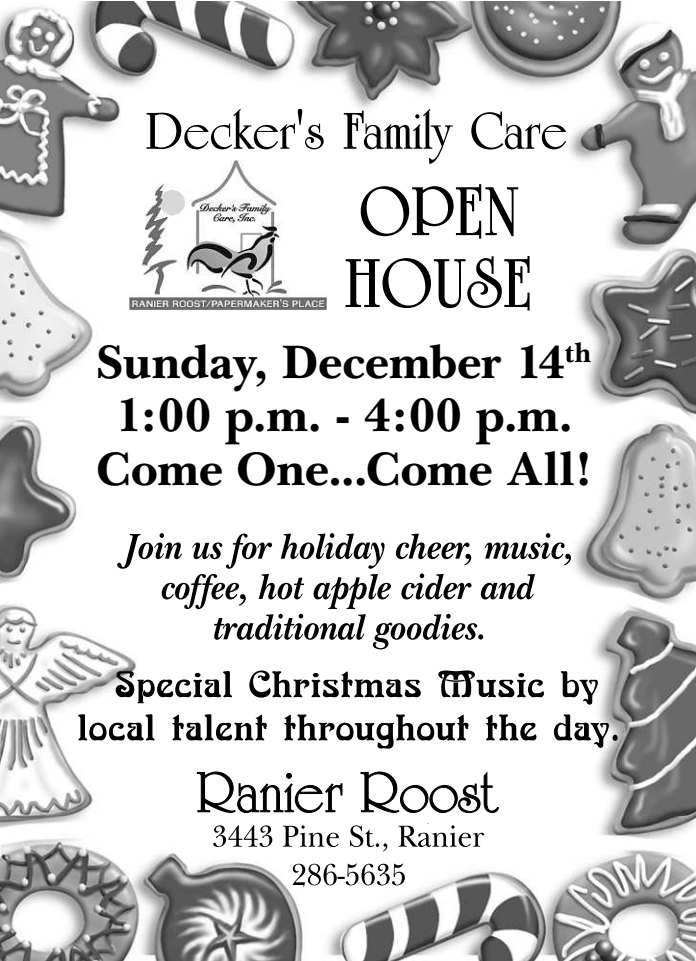
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