

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## BORDERLAND BRIEFS

### COMMUNITY FORUMS

Rainy Lake Medical Center will conduct Community Forums Tuesday at Backus Community Center. RLMC Chief Executive Officer Dan Odegaard and RLMC Board Chair Susan Congrave will give an update on RLMC and take Q&A. Two sessions are planned: Session 1, 10 to 11 a.m. and Session 2, 6 to 7 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

### RLC OPEN HOUSE

The public is welcome to an opportunity to view the new, state-of-the-art Rainy Lake Clinic at an Open House set for Thursday. The event starts with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 2 p.m. and goes until 7. Refreshments, snacks, giveaways, tours, and an opportunity to meet the providers will be featured.

### WOMEN'S BUSINESS NETWORK

International Women's Business Network will meet from noon to 1 p.m. Thursday at Coffee Landing Cafe. Guest speaker, Dan Odegaard, Rainy Lake Medical Center chief executive officer, will present about the recent updates at RLMC. He will discuss services offered locally and what the future holds for RLMC. An optional lunch is available for \$10. RSVP to Kyra at keda@businessup-north.com or 283-8585.

### SOUDAN MINE PRESENTATION

The public is welcome at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at International Falls Public Library to discover some history and science as represented in the Soudan Mine. Listen to a historian and scientist talk about the Soudan Mine as it developed and where it is headed.

### CLASS OF 1965 GIRLS

Falls High School Class of 1965 Girls will meet for lunch at noon Wednesday at Lenard's.

### CLASS OF 1962

Falls High School Class of 1962 will meet for lunch at 12:08 p.m. Wednesday at Border Bar Pizza.

### RRCC EXHIBIT

Rainy River Community College will host "Why Treaties Matter" April 7-24. "Why Treaties Matter" is a traveling interactive exhibit that emphasizes American Indian sovereignty as an ongoing continental reality. The exhibit begins at 4 p.m. Tuesday with a kick-off featuring RRCC Provost Carol Helland and local pipe carrier Jack Kingbird Jr. The community is welcome at no cost. Individuals are welcome to take self-guided tours of the exhibit, April 7-24 during regular RRCC hours, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 8 to 4 Friday.

### BCEC ANNUAL GATHERING

The BCEC annual gathering is planned for Thursday at CIO Union Hall. Social hour begins at 5 p.m., with supper at 5:30.

## LOTTERY

<b>Wednesday's Daily 3</b> 6, 9, 4	<b>Saturday's Mega Millions</b> 8, 26, 41, 61, 73
<b>Wednesday's Northstar Cash</b> 12, 17, 20, 29, 31	<b>Mega Ball</b> 11
<b>Wednesday's Gopher 5</b> 27, 28, 34, 40, 46	<b>Wednesday's Powerball</b> 2, 30, 33, 39, 44
<b>Wednesday's Hot Lotto</b> 2, 6, 7, 26, 32	<b>Powerball</b> 1
<b>Hot Ball</b> 10	

## POLICE REPORT

### Koochiching County Sheriff's Office

**Chimney fire:** A fire at the Terri L. Guderian, Highway 71 residence, Mizpah, reported March 30 was contained to the chimney area with minor damage. The Northome Fire Department responded.

### Burglary:

Joanne M. Harris, County Road 93, reported March 27 that someone forced entry into her garage through a window. A Sony flat screen TV valued at \$200 and a Dewalt cordless drill valued at \$200, were reported missing from the garage.

## CALENDAR

### TODAY

- Kid's Easter Breakfast, 9-11 a.m.; Bingo, 1 p.m.; no supper, Moose Lodge.
- Littlefork Ambulance Thrift Shop open, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Open Gym, 3-5 p.m., free, Backus Community Center gymnasium.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Alano Club.

### SUNDAY

- Alcoholics Anonymous Open, 9 a.m., Alano Club.
- OverEaters Anonymous support group, 4 p.m., Evolve Fitness Center, 1301 Third St. (No fees/dues).
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7 p.m., Pineview Recovery Center, Littlefork.

### MONDAY

- AARP Tax Aide preparation, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Backus Community Center, Rooms 208/209 (free, appointments, 283-5236).
- 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.
- "Solution Monday," All Recoveries 12-Step (RA), 3 p.m., Backus Community Center, Room 103.
- International Falls City Council, 4:30 p.m., Falls Municipal Building, council chambers.
- International Falls Lions Club, 6 p.m., Lenard's.
- Polar Polers Ski Club, 6:30 p.m., International Falls Public Library, meeting room.
- Texas Hold 'Em, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Indus Recreation Association, 7 p.m., Indus School library.
- Cribbage, 7 p.m., Elks Lodge 1599.
- Adult Mixed Volleyball, 7 p.m., Backus Community Center.
- 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.
- St. Paul Lutheran Church men, 8:30 a.m., Lenard's.
- Boise Cascade retirees and former employees, paper test, beater room and ChemLab, 9 a.m., Grandma's Pantry, Ranier.
- Rainy Lake Medical Center hospital campus present and former employees, 9 a.m., Lenard's.
- AARP Tax Aide preparation, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Backus Community Center, Rooms 208/209 (free, appointments, 283-5236).
- Rainy Lake Medical Center Auxiliary, 10 a.m., hospital campus, meeting room.
- Rainy Lake Medical Center Community Forum, 10-11 a.m., Backus Community Center, Conference Room 101/102.
- 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).
- "Great Decisions" group, 4-5:30 p.m., International Falls Public Library, lower level meeting room.
- 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.

- After Loss Group, 5:30 p.m., Rose Garden Restaurant.
- Community Café, 5:30-6 p.m., soft shell tacos with fresh fixings, Spanish rice, mixed fruit, Backus Community Center.
- Women's Support Group, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Friends Against Abuse office.
- Beginner's Tae Kwon Do, 5:45 p.m., Falls Elementary School gymnasium or cafeteria.
- Greater International Falls Jaycees, 6 p.m., AmericInn.
- Cheese potato and smoked sausage casserole supper, 6 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Rainy Lake Medical Center Community Forum, 6-7 p.m., Backus Community Center, Conference Room 101/102.
- Soudan Mine presentation, 6:30 p.m., International Falls Public Library.
- Borealis Bards, adult script reading, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Backus Community Center, Room 201.
- Texas Hold 'Em, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- Koochiching Men's Garden Club, 7 p.m., Hampton Court.
- Littlefork Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9641 and Auxiliary, 7 p.m., Post Home.
- International Early Iron Car Club, 7 p.m., Leon, 283-9773; Sandy, 807-274-2345.
- 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

- Recycling curbside collection, 8 a.m., Shorewood Drive and areas south of 11th Street and east of Highway 53; Ranier and lake district, east on Highway 11 to Almost Lindy's.
- WIC Clinic, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., Koochiching County Public Health Department.
- Boise Cascade Machinists Union Local 760 retirees, 9 a.m., Lenard's.
- Immunizations, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Koochiching County Public Health Department.
- AARP Tax Aide preparation, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Backus Community Center, Rooms 208/209 (free, appointments, 283-5236).
- Walk-ercise group, 10-11 a.m., Backus Community Center 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.
- Falls High School Class of 1965 Girls, noon, Lenard's.
- Falls High School Class of 1962, 12:08 p.m., Border Bar Pizza.
- International Falls Public Library Board of Trustees, 4:30 p.m., library.
- 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.
- 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., ribeyes.
- 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.
- Koochiching Masonic Lodge No. 270 A.F. & A.M., 7 p.m., 416 Third St.
- Women of the Moose, 7 p.m., Moose Lodge.
- American Legion Post 66, 7 p.m., VFW.
- Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., Alano Club.

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### TEAM GRACIE BENEFIT

**GRACIE'S STORY:**  
A precious girl, named Gracie Bahr, has recently been diagnosed with Hodgkins Lymphoma. Her friends in International Falls have gathered to support Gracie and her family in this journey, and would like to invite you to the Team Gracie "Fight Like a Girl" Benefit. We hope you will join us.

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**WHEN: THURSDAY, APRIL 16th**  
**TIME: 4:30PM TO 8:00PM**  
**LOCATION: EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH - 1631 1<sup>ST</sup> AVE. E, INT'L FALLS**  
**\*Sloppy Joes, Chips, Uncle Frankie's Famous Beans, Desserts & Beverages**  
**FREE WILL DONATION**  
**TABLE RAFFLE ~ PRIZES ~ RAFFLE TICKETS**  
If you are unable to attend and would like to donate, you can mail or drop off your donations at TruStar - The Gracie Bahr Fund.  
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### TOURNAMENT PASSES

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**GAME SCHEDULE:**


**TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2015**  
2:00 pm - NOJHL vs SIJHL (H)  
7:00 pm - Opening Ceremonies  
7:30 pm - OJHL vs Fort Frances Lakers (H)

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 2015**  
2:00 pm - OJHL vs SIJHL (H)  
7:30 pm - Fort Frances Lakers vs NOJHL (H)


**THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 2015**  
2:00 pm - NOJHL vs OJHL (H)  
7:30 pm - SIJHL vs Fort Frances Lakers (H)

**FRIDAY, MAY 1, 2015**  
7:30 pm - 2nd Round Robin (H) vs  
3rd Round Robin

**SATURDAY, MAY 2, 2015**  
7:30 pm - 1st Round Robin (H) vs  
Semi-Final Winner



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