



Robyn's Table Chat

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Catching Up On Events Around Town

February 9, 2010



100th Birthday Open House

for
Anna Dean Casey
Saturday, Feb. 13th
1pm-4pm
Grand View Care Center
Blair, WI



Another exclusive courtesy of Gibby Rall - "Valentine's Day- 2010"



Yes, We're Open!
Happy Days Pizza
On the flat - Galesville
608-582-1111

Happy Birthday
Fern Somerville
Feb 5th



Happy Birthday
Beverly Solberg
Feb 13th



Happy Birthday
Barry Enghagen
Feb 13th



Happy Birthday
Bob Somerville
Feb 22nd



About 498AD, Pope Galasius declared
February 14th St. Valentine's Day.



You're Invited
Maggie Maynard's
Retirement Party
at The Jailhouse
Centerville
Friday, Feb 12th
5pm to Whenever

Shop Locally!
It benefits all of us!

HISTORIC
TREMPEALEAU HOTEL
• No Cover Charge •

Saturday, February 13th
John Statz - 7pm

Zion Youth
Annual
Celebration of Music Event
Sunday, February 14th
Zion Lutheran
Church Basement
4:00 - 7:00

Support The
Local Food Pantry

Annual Card Party
St. Bridget's
Catholic Church
Ettrick

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Sunday, February 14 - 1pm

Held in Church Basement

DOOR PRIZES

Lunch will be served

**Centerville
Curling Club**

Feb 12th - 14th
Mixed Bonspiel

**Sunday, Feb 14th
Valentine's Day Dinner**

Serving 4pm-9pm
at the

Trempealeau Hotel
Tenderloin & Shrimp \$24.95
Tenderloin & Lobster \$26.95
Lobster Dinner \$23.95
Jumbo Shrimp \$17.95
Chicken Roulade \$15.95

Plus At 5pm -
"Simply Brass"

Dial-A-Prayer 582-4206



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Galesville, WI

Monday-Friday: 8:30am - 5:30pm
Saturday: 8:30am - Noon

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Valentine Dance

February 13th
1pm - 5pm
Orange Blossom Special

On The Flat - Galesville
582-4073 or 539-5912

**7th Annual
Bake Sale for PPMD**
Friday, February 12th
9am-4pm
(or until gone!)
Trempealeau United
Methodist Church
Homemade cookies, cakes,
candies, bread, and MORE!
Plus, homemade chili.

*Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy —
a disease that affects
1 in 3500 boys worldwide,
including Garrett Williamson
from Trempealeau.*

And The Answers



I think everyone enjoyed the Ardell Thompson photo and also the coincidence of Ginny playing with 'The Right Combination' at the Mill Road Banquet Center.



We now carry Individually Quick-Frozen Strawberries & Raspberries from

THE BERRY PATCH

&

Summer Sticks, Cheddar Sticks, and Summer Sausage from

PINE KNOLL FARMS

**Centerville Co-op
(608) 539-3311**

Don't forget we're open Saturdays!

Have you sent in your donation to help purchase new choir robes?

I received this nice phone call from Gloria Hubbard from Ettrick...

She explained that she and her husband moved into this area about five years ago...the Senior Apartments in Ettrick. We visited about how nice the apartments are. Then she started talking about how much she enjoys the paper. .

" I love the old time things that you try to identify...And the fact that everything is in it - the dances - the events - the thank yous - the businesses.."

And then she brought up the quilt photo from Diane & Steve Brown. "I sew, so I really like that quilt! I wonder if they will ever put it on display in this area somewhere - like the quilt display at the county fair, or the library, or Old Main..."

I'd sure like to see it if they do."

After talking with Gloria, I made a phone call to Diane & Steve, relaying the nice comments on the homemaker quilt. And of course catch up on the news of the kids..

And then Steve mentioned how much he enjoyed the Red McKeeth bear story. "That was either my first or second hunting trip." He started describing the 'hunting shack' they stayed in. Thought he might be able to find some photos of it!



Keep track of your Chat subscription renewal dates. \$16 for 6 months. \$30 per year.



More feedback on the photo (above) After I printed the last edition, I received a phone call from Vivian Kamrowski in Big Tamarack. She said it looks exactly like an old garlic press.



Grape never tasted so good!

Try our Premium Grape Jelly made from our Bluebell grapes.

All Elmaro Vineyard jellies are "low in sugar, but big in taste. " You can find them at The Common Market in Galesville.

Trempealeau Sportsman's Club Upcoming

Fish Fry Dates:

February 19th

March 12th

April 2nd

Trempealeau Lions Club Spaghetti Dinner

**Saturday, March 6th
4pm-8pm**
at the

Trempealeau Community Center
24455 Third Street, Trempealeau

\$7.00 for adults
\$3.00 for children ages 5-12
under 5 are free

**All Proceeds help fund
our community**

Dinner includes:
Dinner salad, Garlic Bread
Spaghetti noodles with
Red marinara sauce with choice of
meat balls &/or parmesan cheese
Desert
Milk, coffee, water, or soda pop

Trempealeau 1st Responders 1st Annual Easter Ham and Poultry Raffle

Saturday, March 20th - 5:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Chad Corcoran Memorial

Irish Fest

**Saturday, March 13th, 2010
Ettrick Elementary
11am-4pm**

Food • In-House Raffles • Volleyball Tournament
Parade begins at 4:30pm (all entries welcome)

Raffle tickets available for purchase—
please call Ron or Bonnie Corcoran 608-582-4101 or check at the Pig Stop
Raffle prizes include: Grand Prize: \$1000 Cash, 2nd Prize: Mathews Outback Bow (\$800 value), 3rd Prize: Hand-made solid oak blanket box (\$500 value).
Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20.

*All monies raised donated to Ettrick and Galesville
Fire Departments and the First Responders*

Classifieds And more...

HELP WANTED

**Help Wanted -
Experienced
Pizza Makers**
Call or stop in at
Happy Days Pizza
(On The Flat - Galesville)
608-582-1111

**Help Wanted -
Bartenders**
Various Shifts
No Experience Necessary
Full / Part-Time
River's Edge Campground
608-582-2995

**Help Wanted -
Garden of Eatin'
High School Girls
Weekends**

**Help Wanted -
Delivery Driver**
Call or stop in at
Happy Days Pizza
(On The Flat - Galesville)
608-582-1111

MISPLACED

Two VHS Tapes:
Support Your Local Sheriff
Cheyenne Social Club
One falling apart Christmas Fake
Book with Ring Softly The Bells in it
Call Robyn 608-582-2938

FOR SALE

Top-of-the-line Recliner
With all the extras!
Including lift!

New condition-purchased in 2009
\$500 / Or best offer
Call Gayle Jacobs - 608-539-2700

FREE

Kittens - 608-582-2529

Annual G-E-T Showcase

**Sunday - March 7th
11 a.m. to 4 p.m**

"When the power of love over-comes the love of power, the world will know peace."
-Jimi Hendrix

Renaissance Breads & Pastries

Sweet Special

Apple Cinnamon Rolls
& Mocha Rolls
Available Friday, Feb. 12th at:
The Common Market

Delivered Fresh Every Monday,
Wednesday and Friday!

Thanks for your love and support!
-Harmony & Sally

Upcoming Events at the Manor

- **Wednesday, February 10th - 2:30**
Children from Berean Baptist Church to sing
- **Friday, February 12th - 2:15**
Ladies Auxiliary to host the Valentine's Day Party—
High School Choir to sing
- **Saturday, February 13th - 11:00**
USA Dance & Cheer Squad
- **Sunday, February 14th - 3:00**
Music by Ron Reimer
- **Wednesday, February 17th - 10:30**
Ash Wednesday Church Service
Pastor Jackson
- **Friday, February 19th - 10:30**
Music Study Club performs
- **Saturday, February 20th - 2:30**
Music by Russell Glomstad, Frances Foss and Gary Lee
- **Monday, February 22nd - 6:45**
Music by Ryan Herman
- **Wednesday, February 24th - 2:30**
Music by John Ofstedahl
- **Friday, February 26th - 2:15**
Monthly Birthday Party—
Music by John Bernadot
- **Saturday, February 27th - 10:30**
Music by Kent Larson

Annual Meeting

of the
Centerville Co-op
Friday, February 12th
11am - Meeting
Noon - Meal
at the
Centerville Community Center

TOWN OF GALE REGULAR BOARD MEETING

A Regular Board Meeting for the Town of Gale will be held on Tuesday, February 9, 2010 at 7:30 p.m. at the Town of Gale meeting room at the corner of 2nd Street and Gibson Street. The agenda for the meeting will be posted on the door 24 hours prior to said meeting.

Sue Henderson, Clerk-Treasurer
Town of Gale

PRIMARY ELECTION TOWN OF GALE

Notice is hereby given that a Primary election will be held on Tuesday, February 16, 2010 for County Board Supervisor District 4. Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.

For this election only, the Town of Gale will be voting at the meeting room in the Galesville Public Library building.

This election only affects Town of Gale residents living South of US HWY 53/54/93 which is Ward 1 in the Town of Gale.

Sue Henderson, Clerk-Treasurer
Town of Gale



In Memory

Mary Lou Thesing
Feb 4, 1958 - Feb 2, 2010

Wonderful Selection of
Chocolates for Valentine's Day
The Common Market
On The Square

"Old Fashioned Prices"

Bread from the Renaissance Bakery
Bulk Spices, Grains, Nuts, Fresh Produce
Specialty Tea and Coffee
Medicinal Products and Natural Foods

Call Joyce at 608-582-4442
Open Mon-Sat 9am-5:30pm

Specials at Mike's Bar & Grill

608-582-2517

Dine In or Carry Out

Mon-Feb 8 - Roast Beef

Tue-Feb 9 - Homemade Meat
Balls

Wed-Feb 10 - Polish Sausage
and Kraut

Thurs-Feb 11 - Goulash

Fri -Feb 12- Choice of Fish,
Chicken or Shrimp

(On rare occasions menu may change)

Beach Corner Art Studio Classes

Silk Dyeing: Thursday Feb. 18, 6-8pm
\$25 fee includes materials

Rug braiding Techniques:

Friday Feb. 19, 1-3pm and

Wed Feb. 24, 6-8pm

\$15 fee; some materials provided

Basket making:

Saturday Feb. 27, 10am-3pm

\$30 fee includes all materials

Beginners welcome in all classes.

Tai Chi: Every Thurs. 10-noon
Free and open to all

For more information or to reserve a
spot call: The Beach Studio;
608-525-2028 or Nan at: 525-7104



*Don't forget
to order flowers
from
Sunset Gardens
For Valentine's Day*

Sunset Gardens

16795 S. 11th Street * Galesville

608-582-2732

www.sunsetgardens.biz

Don't want to miss
a local event?

Check the Chat
Community Calendar

6 Valentine Specials - Feb 12th, 13th, 14th at Arctic Springs Supper Club

Prime Rib & Lobster * Tenderloin & Lobster
Black & Bleu Prime Rib * Champagne Chicken
Seafood Scampi
Tenderloin Tips & Grilled Shrimp

Make Your Reservations Today
608-582-2672

Wow! Two New Resources

I think most people that know me realize that I'm a huge fan of the public library. So, when I received the following information from Karyn Schmidt, Ettrick Librarian, I was thrilled to share it!

Our local libraries now have access to
two wonderful tools for
genealogical and family history research.

1) Heritage Quest Online is available to any Wisconsin resident through Badger Link (<http://www.badgerlink.net/>) along with many other resources.

(You may have to use your library card to verify that you're eligible.)

Heritage Quest Online contains books of family history, Revolutionary War records, U.S. Census pages (1790-1930), and relief actions of the U.S. Congress. These are all searchable by your ancestor's name, or by a location.

2) Ancestry.com has a wealth of information as well -- census records, the Dictionary of National Biography, German phone books 1915-1981, Norwegian marriage records 1600-1800s, Immigration records, slave narratives, and the 1971 G-E-T yearbook. Ancestry has been made available by Winding Rivers Library System, and may be accessed only on library computers.

Karyn Schmidt, Ettrick Librarian, said, "Be sure to leave enough time when you decide to explore these resources, because one thing is bound to lead to another."

I am very familiar with ancestry.com and have been a paid subscriber for years. A number of years ago, I used it for some genealogy research. However, there's a wealth of information at your fingertips at ancestry.com and I have used many of the resources available when doing research for The Chat. Now to be able to use ancestry.com - free - at your local library is fantastic!

And although it was well after 10pm, I then pulled out my library card and started surfing Heritage Quest Online through badgerlink. I am a subscriber to a number of historical resources, but Heritage Quest is not available to individual subscribers. (at least the last time I checked) Had an enjoyable time glancing over a few of the books, like the Kidder family, and Carhart family, and checking some of the other resources. But, didn't have as much time as I wanted.

Stop in at your local library or grab your local library card, like I did, and start surfing!!

I was reading on one of the news sites about the Google / China search engine issue. So I checked out the Chinese Search Engine that they said was used by more people than the entire population of the US. Well it was all in Chinese, but I saw a box, so I typed in 'Galesville WI' . . . I laughed when the first link that popped up was to 'Robyn's Table Chat.'

Galesville Volunteer Trout Club Raffle

Daytona 500
Race Party



River's Edge
Campground & Resort

February 14th- at Noon

Free barrel of beer,
Food & Door Prizes

Proceeds go to purchase
Kids' Fishing Dock
At Artic Springs

1st - \$100

2nd - \$50 * 3rd - \$25

Save the Date
G-E Class of '65
45th Class Reunion
Saturday, September 18th - 5pm
Cedar Creek Country Club-Holmen

TOWN OF TREMPEALEAU REGULAR BOARD MEETING NOTICE

A regular Board Meeting for the Town of Trempealeau will be held on **Thursday, February 11, 2010, at 6:30 p.m.** in the Town Office, W24854 ST RD 54/93. The agenda for the meeting will be posted near the door 24 hours prior to said meeting.

Doris A. Dahl, Clerk/Treasurer
Town of Trempealeau

Local Food Pantry

Located at
First Presbyterian Church
Ridge Ave. -Galesville, WI

HOURS

10am - Noon- Every Wednesday
5:30pm - 7pm -
Last Wed - Each Month

Happy Days Pizza

582-1111

Hours

Tuesday - Thursday : 4pm - 9pm
Friday & Saturday : 4pm - 11pm
Sunday : 3pm - 9pm
Closed on Monday

Trempealeau United Methodist Women

Freshly Made Donuts
& Bake Sale

Saturday, March 6th

9:00 a.m. until sold out
at the

Trempealeau United
Methodist Church

Donuts and Coffee will also be served
at the Church throughout the morning

North Bend Lions Club
Smelt Fry
February 28th
11am - 2pm
North Bend Community Park
Adults - \$7.50
12 & Under - \$3
Homemade Pie Available!

G-E-T "Family" Night

Friday, February 12th, 2010



**Spaghetti
Supper**

4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

**NO -WAIT CARRYOUTS
AVAILABLE
starting at 3:30**

Ticket* Prices:

Adults-\$6.00, Students-\$5.00
Children 3 and under – Free

**Girls/Boys
Basketball**

6:00 p.m. Boys
vs. BRF
7:30 p.m. Girls
vs. BRF

**Middle School & High
School Bands and
Dance Team Performing!**



▶ **50-50 Drawing**

Sponsored by G-E-T Music Boosters

▶ **Shootout at halftime of boys' game!**

Hosted by Trempealeau Lions Club

Special Events Between Games:

▶ **Gym Floor Auction**

Two sections of the old gym floor will be auctioned by the Athletic Booster Club. One section reads, "Coulee Conference," and the other reads, "G-E-T."

▶ **Recognition**



Trempealeau High School Boys Basketball Team of 1959 for their undefeated regular season.



Gale-Etrick Boys Basketball Team of 1960 for state tournament qualification.

**Spaghetti supper tickets are available from any music student.*

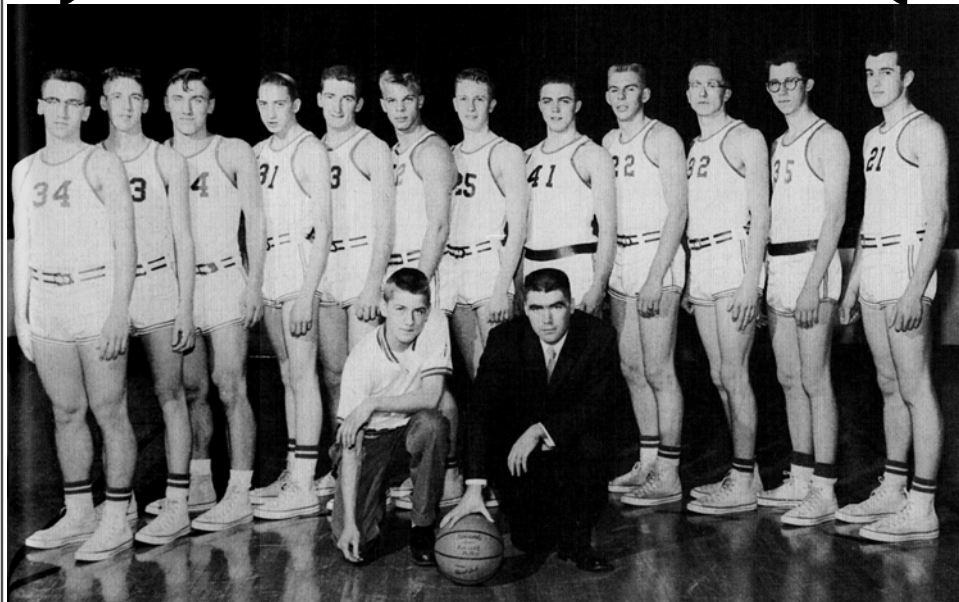
Friday - February 12th

A Night

You Won't Want To Miss !!



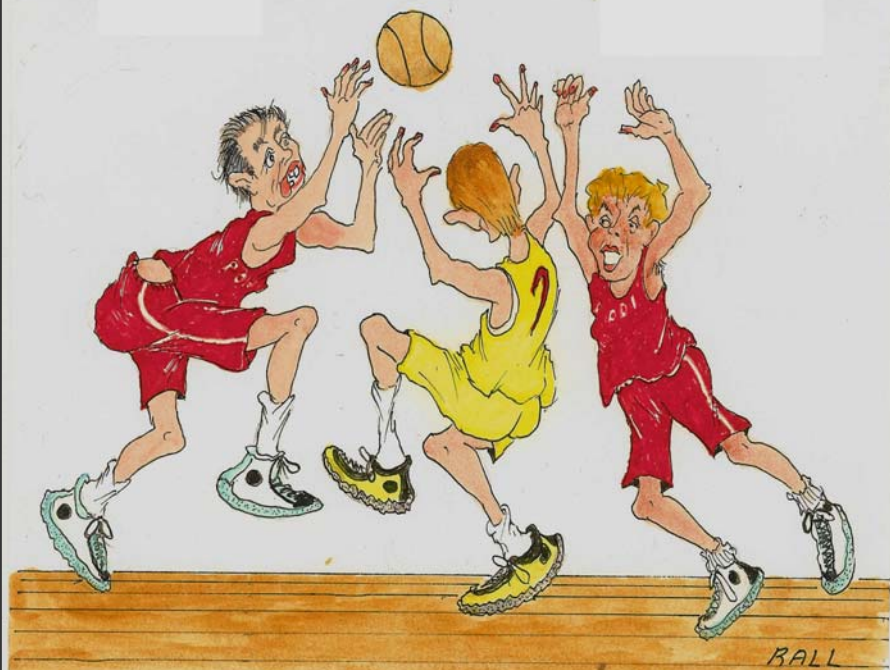
1959 Trempealeau Team



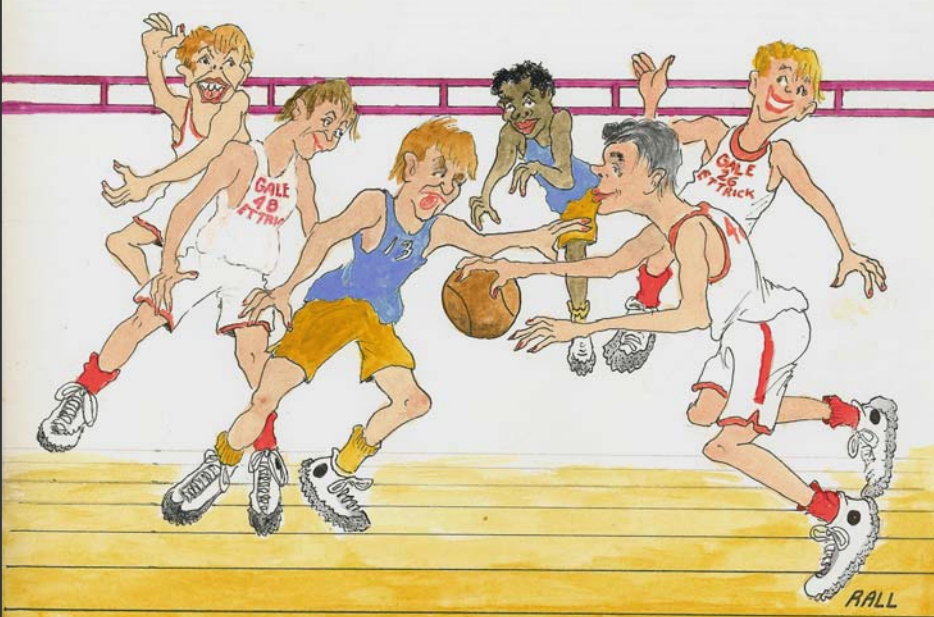
1960 Gale-Etrick Team



FIFTY-ONE 1959 - 2010 YEARS
CLAUDE MCCORMICK'S TREMPEALEAU TEAM
CELEBRATES 51ST ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR
UNDEFEATED REGULAR SEASON



FIFTY 1960 — 2010 YEARS
GENE MASON'S GALE-ETTRICK BASKETBALL TEAM
CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR
CHAMPIONSHIP TRIP TO MADISON TOURNAMENT



Event Schedule

*for the two teams
Public is Invited*



- ▶ 4:30 pm - Meet at the High School for Spaghetti Supper
- ▶ 5:30 - A Video Tribute - on the big screen in the new gymnasium
- ▶ Between boys & girls games - Team Recognition
- ▶ 8:00 pm - Social at Wason's - Public Invited

Trempealeau Team

Members attending & Residence

Claude McCormick - Coach
Lloyd Andrieson - Arizona
Ken Baran - Trempealeau
Mick Chase - Trempealeau
Ron Gunderson - Trempealeau
Bob James - Texas
Jack Jessessi - Holmen
Ron Ryder - Texas
Tom Scherr - Trempealeau
Ed Whillock - South Dakota

Tentative

Charlie Cowan - Illinois
Tony Raymond - Holmen
Dan Scott - Holmen

Unable to Attend

Roger Lambert - Verona

Deceased

Jim Kirky

Gale-Etrick Team

Members attending & Residence

Gene Mason - Coach
Dave Benson - Minnesota
Arlen Boardman - Menasha
Jack Brenegen - Sun Prairie
Dick Teska - Whitehall
Bill Montgomery - Florida
Larry Tranberg - Florida

Unable to Attend

John Englien - Wisconsin Rapids
Bill Erickson - Wyoming
Lance Johnson - Florida
Jim Teska - California

Deceased

Kurt Johnson
Donn Poss
Chris Taylor

**Basketball Cartoons Courtesy of
Gerald "Gibby" Rall**