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Alcohol carryout allowed during 'Third Thursday'

BY BILL STICKELS III
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Following a satisfactory test-run over the 2025 summer, the Cambridge City Council is allowing attendees of the three 2026 "Third Thursday" events taking place in downtown Cambridge to purchase alcohol at participating businesses and carry it off-premises within the event's blocked-off area.

According to Cambridge Police Chief Shawn Machin, there were no reported incidents involving alcohol during the events, prompting him not only to endorse allowing the practice again this year but also to state that he didn't feel it was necessary to have an officer on duty at the event.

"From the police department's perspective, the events were

well-attended, ran smoothly, and did not result in any measurable increase in public safety concerns," Machin told the council.

Last year, Pizza Pub, Cambridge Bar & Grill, and Sidelines participated in selling alcohol to attendees. Chapala, Leader, and Happy Productions Studios, who also hold on-sale intoxicating liquor licenses, declined to participate.

Machin said the city will make the same offer to all eligible businesses, who will have until May 18 to decide if and when they will be participating. Who participates will also determine how far to the east streets will be closed off. If Sidelines again participates, the blockade will be set up at the intersection of 2nd Ave SE and Adams Street. If

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Win, place or show

This year's Isanti County Beyond the Yellow Ribbon dinner featured legalized betting on the Kentucky Derby and other virtual horse races. The annual event is BYR's major fundraiser for the year, with all proceeds being used to help local veterans and current military members and their families.

Cambridge Farmers Market receives SHIP Grant

BY STACY VERDICK CASE
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When you visit the Cambridge Farmers Market this season, you will notice a few changes, thanks in part to a Statewide Health Improvement Partnership grant. The grant, which supports community-driven solutions to expand opportunities for active living, healthy eating, and commercial tobacco-free living, is being used to create a kids' activity booth.

The new booth will include a weekly program for children designed to teach where their food comes from, and will include a veggie washing station. Organizers said a staff member is developing weekly programming to help children understand how food is grown, produced, and brought to market.

"The veggie washing station is just a couple of tables with colanders and water so kids can wash their lettuce, dry it



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Several youngsters give the new kids' activity booth a try during the Cambridge Farmers Market's outdoor season opener on May 2.

off, and be more interactive and involved in their food," Chantra Fisher, one of the market's board members, said. The booth debuted on May 2 at the market's opening weekend. "It was really awesome to see the

excitement and activity going on in the market. It felt great."

FOOD TRUCKS

The kids' activity booth isn't the only change to the market this season. In previous years,

the market was set up with booths on two sides, leaving a large empty space down the center. This year, that space will be filled with tables and chairs because the market will bring in a local food truck each week.

"It was one of those ideas that kept getting brought up by vendors, like 'Have you thought about doing this?'" Fisher said. "But we had such a big move moving to the City Hall last year that we didn't even have the time to think about doing that. So during the offseason, the board talked about it and decided to try to get it going. We were able to secure a food truck for almost every week this summer."

During opening week, 100 Acre Homestead's Honey Pot farm-to-table food truck, specializing in homemade, locally sourced comfort food, was on site. Their menu features hot sandwiches (like brisket and pork), soups, nachos, salads, flatbread pizzas, and more for

the market.

POP ANDEBT

The market is continuing their Power of Produce program this year, which provides children ages three to 13 and seniors aged 65 and up with a two-dollar produce token to use each week. This program will start sometime in early to mid-June when the produce from local farms starts arriving at the market.

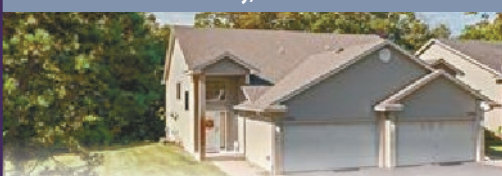
The market has also been approved to take EBT/SNAP benefits this year. Though they are still waiting on the equipment from the state, they are hoping to have this up and running around the same time as the POP program.

Participants for both programs would need to stop by the Market booth before shopping.

The Cambridge Farmer's Market, which has been around since 1987, is a board-

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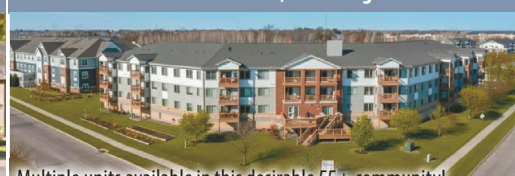
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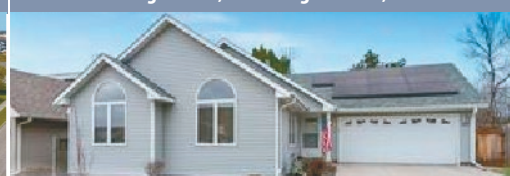
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MARKET: Food trucks, EBT/SNAP also added to this season's features

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run non-profit market. Their goal according to their website is "to provide a direct outlet for local farmers, growers, and artisans to sell their products directly to consumers; to promote public health by increasing access to fresh, healthy, locally grown food for the community; to support local agriculture, small businesses, and entrepreneurship within the community; to educate the public about the benefits of local food systems, sustainable agriculture, and healthy eating; and to foster community engagement and create a vibrant public gathering space."

"There are six of us board members," Fisher said. "And we all work together really, really well. Everybody does their part and makes (the market) happen."

The Cambridge Farmer's Market regularly brings in 30 full-time artisan vendors. There's also a community group booth. "Master Gardeners, the League of Women's Voters, and the Cambridge Isanti Early Childhood are going to be rotating throughout the season in that booth."

With the additions to the market, the board hopes to bring in more people from the area. "It just felt more lively having all that stuff in the middle," said Fisher about their opening market. "With the activities, the food truck, and the seating area. It was like a one-stop shop. Everybody hanging out and talking -- you could really feel the community aspect of it."

Fisher described the Cambridge Farmers Market as "having a great variety of high-quality local vendors and we also really value our partnerships with local community groups and love getting locally grown food into the hands of our community."

The Cambridge Farmers Market is open Saturdays from May through October from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the City Hall Parking Lot, 300 3rd Ave NE, Cambridge.



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Your true colors

A participant in the Braham Girl Scouts annual color 5K happily walks through a shower of blue at one of the color stations along the route. In honor of the fundraiser's 10th anniversary, the color powder at three of the stations were mixed with glitter. Approximately 120 people registered for this year's event, held on Saturday, May 2. For more photos from the event, go to www.isanti-chisagocountystar.com.

Isanti Farmers Market moves to rodeo grounds

BY BILL STICKELS III
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For the second year in a row, the Isanti Neighborhood Farmers Market is on the move, with this year's being more than just across the street.

Due to the remodeling and expansion of the Amoco Gas Station on the northeast corner of Highway 65 and County Road 5, plus planned road construction along County Road 5 east of Highway 65, organizers of the Neighborhood Market have decided to relocate for the time being to the Isanti Firefighters Rodeo Grounds, located at

500 3rd Avenue NW — just north of the Isanti Primary School.

"We're very grateful to the firefighters' rodeo association for hosting us," Elizabeth Anderson, organizer of the market, said.

Despite the move, Anderson said visitors can expect the same options and events at the market as before. There will be over 60 vendors, plus three to five food trucks, plus live entertainment. For example, Anderson said they will have flamenco dancers from Argentina on May 15.

"These local businesses have everything from fresh vegetables and flowers, locally produced cheese

and meats (beef, pork, elk, venison, bison, and quail), a large selection of canned items including spaghetti sauce and salsa, to finely crafted artisan jewelry, decor, and personal care items, along with a huge variety of handmade baked goods and more," Anderson said.

The market will again be open from 1 to 6 p.m. each Friday between May 8 and Oct. 16, weather permitting, and obviously with the exception of July 10 when the annual rodeo takes place.

For more information, people can go to The Neighborhood Market on Facebook or contact Anderson at 612-222-2916.

MOTHER'S DAY! Gift Guide

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Senior Dining

North Branch, Chisago County Senior Center 11:45 a.m. Diners need to pre-register at least one day in advance call 651-674-1956 between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. An annual registration form is required before dining.

MONDAYS

Women's only Adult Children of Alcoholics and Dysfunctional Families

7 p.m. at Cambridge Lutheran Church, 621 Old Main St N, Cambridge Mn 55008 For more information contact Rebecca at 612-702-2844 or CoraJayne 612-210-1605

Fresh Beginnings Alanon

Family Groups meets Monday's 7 - 8 p.m. at Access Church, 4359 - 392nd St., North Branch. Visit minnesotanorth-al-anon.org

Book Club

Third Monday 11 a.m. to noon at Isanti SAC, 140 Buchanan St., N. #164 Cambridge. Isanti County Library lends the books and there is no cost to participate. For info: sacs@midco-network.com

TUES & THURS

Exercise for Those w/Parkinson's

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:15 a.m., 3:45 p.m. and 5 p.m. at 115 Adams Street South, Cambridge. For more information, call 763-221-6883.

TUESDAYS

Braham Parkinson's Support

7 p.m. third Tuesday

of the month. Braham Evangelical Lutheran Church, 905 Central Drive W., Braham. For info. call Lonnie Anderson at 612-423-1863.

Alzheimer's Support

Third Tuesday of each month from 10-11 a.m. at GracePointe Heritage Center, 322 River Hills Place North, Cambridge. For info call Lyndsey Larson 763-691-6172.

Memory Cafe

First Tuesday of every month, 10 - 11:30 a.m. at GracePointe Crossing Heritage Center, 322 River Hills Place North, Cambridge. Contact Julie at 763-306-5066 for info.

PrimeTime Singers

Cambridge Lutheran Church, 1:30 p.m. A community choir for ages 60+, no audition or fee required. Fellowship follows rehearsal. Info: 612-619-2111.

Celebrate Recovery

At First Baptist in Cambridge(304 Main St S.) every Tuesday. There is a light meal at 5:45 p.m., large group at 6:30 p.m., and small groups at 7:30 p.m. Visit Celebraterecovery.com for more info.

Knitting Night

Hosted by the North Branch Library. 6:30 to 7:45 p.m. All forms of needlework welcome. Recommended for adults. No registration required.

WEDNESDAYS

Alanon

7 p.m. at the Isanti Alano Club, 790 Heritage Blvd. Isanti. 763-444-4605

Chisago County Drop-In Center

Open 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at Main Street Church, 6500 Main Street, North Branch. For individuals 18 yrs or older living with mental illness. Info: 651-213-5600 or Adult-



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Celebrate National Public Works Day during the Touch-A-Truck event May 14 at the Isanti County Fairgrounds.

mentalhealth.org.

acanorthbranch@gmail.com

THURSDAYS

East Central Baby Cafe

Free drop-in breastfeeding support from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Adult Enrichment Center, 540 5th Ave NW, Cambridge, MN. For info. call 763-689-1711.

Cambridge-Edgewood AFG

Cambridge-Edgewood Al-Anon Family Group meets from 7-8 p.m. at Cambridge Lutheran Church, 621 Old Main Street N. Visit minnesotanorth-al-anon.org for info.

Parkinson's Support Group

Third Thursday of the month - 1-2:30 p.m. The Levande, 2011 6th Lane SE, Cambridge, MN for info call 763-325-0100

ACA Adult Children of Alcoholics/ Dysfunctional Families Meeting

7 p.m. at Access Church, 4359 392nd St, North Branch. For info. call 612-251-6556 or email

Baby Storytime

Begins at 9:30 a.m. at Cambridge Library through May 21. Recommended for ages birth to 23 months. No registration necessary.

Spring bowling We R Able

Drop-in bowling every other Thursday evening from 4 to 6 p.m. at JJ's Bowl and Lounge, 6427 Ash St., North Branch. The spring season dates are: May 14, 28, June 11, and 25. Balls and shoes are included in the fee. For more information call 320-358-3616.

MAY 9

Spring Bird Walk

7:30-9:30a.m. at Anderson Park in Isanti

County at 27241 Furman St. NE, North Branch— in Oxford Township on both sides of County Road 18, a quarter mile north of County Road 9 and two miles south of County Road 5. We expect to see clay-colored sparrows, perhaps bluebirds, maybe Baltimore Orioles and Ruby-throated Hummingbirds.

MAY 13

Dine and discover: medication safety

Chisago Age Well hosts programs on safe medication use at multiple locations: 9 a.m. in North Branch at the Chisago County Senior Center, 38790 Sixth Ave., noon in Chisago City at Zion Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall, 28005 Old Towne Rd., and 3:30 p.m. in Rush City at Rush City Community Center, 720 W. 14th St.. Register by May 8: 651-674-1025.

MAY 14

Books for Bros Book Club

5:30pm to discuss Dungeon Crawler Carl by Matt Dinniman. Dana's Bookstore in Isanti is starting a new book club just for the guys. Join us.

Touch-A-Truck Event

4:30 to 7 p.m. at the Isanti County Fair Grounds, 3101 Hwy 95, Cambridge. Join us to celebrate National Public Works week by getting a close-up with some of your favorite big rigs and emergency vehicles.

We R Able Bingo

Celebrating "Dance the Chicken Dance Day" We R Able offers bingo at the Chisago County Senior Center, 38790 6th Ave., North Branch. The evening starts with a 5 p.m. meal, followed with bingo games with a chicken dance theme, and called by Jesse. For more information or to make a donation towards bingo prizes call 320-358-

3616.

Reluctant heroines drama

Sherry Pearce performs a Bible drama at 7 p.m. at Just Passin Thru-IHS, 1001 1st Ave., Cambridge. No admission fee.

MAY 15

Drum & Dance Exhibition

5:30-7:30 p.m. at North Branch Area High School, 38175 Grand Ave.

SENIOR CENTER WEEKLY EVENTS

CAMBRIDGE

140 Buchanan Street Mondays Bridge - 1 to 3 p.m. Mahjong - noon to 3 p.m.

Tuesdays

Dominoes - 10 a.m. to noon Coloring - 9 a.m. Hand and Foot - 12:30 to 3 p.m.

Wednesdays

Cribbage - 9 to 11 a.m. Wizard 11 a.m. to noon Pinochle 12:30 to 3 p.m. Mahjong noon to 3 p.m.

Thursdays

500 - 12:30 to 3 p.m. Bunco - 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (Third Thursday of month)

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Tuesdays

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Thursdays

Bingo - starting at 10 a.m. Hand and Foot - starting at 12:30 p.m.

Fridays

Cribbage - starting at 12:45 p.m.

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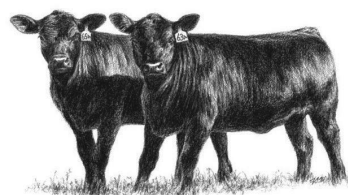
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SCAN ME

Further proof that #cancersucks

Last Wednesday (April 29), the Cambridge-Isanti High School tennis courts were awash with pink. A large crowd gathered to honor a member of the Bluejacket family's fight against breast cancer and to celebrate her prognosis of it being curable.

Thea Lowman, who is the head coach of both the boys and girls varsity tennis teams, was diagnosed with stage 2 breast cancer last winter and is in the process of undergoing treatment for it. She is well-respected as being a popular coach who has the knack of keeping a competitive mindset among her teams while at the same time making sure playing the sport is still fun through positivity. During her speech ahead of the "Serve it up to cancer" event during the Bluejackets' match against Andover, you could tell she was taking the same mindset with her fight against breast cancer.

Unknown to those in attendance, at virtually the exact same time, another member of the Bluejacket family had just tragically lost her 16-month battle with colon cancer.

Kailee (McDonald) Olson is a 2009 Cambridge-Isanti High School graduate and daughter of Bluejacket boys basketball coach Mike McDonald. She played basketball and was on the girls swimming and diving team during her time at CIHS. She was known as a fierce competitor in both sports, as evidenced by the fact I believe she is still part of a school-record relay team. She was also known as being the ultimate teammate.

It was obvious she, too, had taken up that same mindset in her battle with cancer. Kailee was diagnosed with stage 4 colon cancer while she was pregnant with her second child. Because of this, she spent the better part of her fight using treatments that would have minimal harm to her unborn child. Fortunately, she won that battle and gave birth to a healthy girl, Murray. Ultimately, though, cancer won the war, viciously taking over her body.

As a rally cry and show of support and sympathy, it has long been stated that "cancer sucks." But, based on the tragic irony of the timing of these two events, cancer has a very sick sense of humor, too.

ANOTHER STUFF A TRUCK

Last fall, we had such a positive Stuff a Truck food drive to kick off our month-long Star of Hope Holiday Food Drive, we decided we should do another one in the spring. When the news broke that Ruby's Pantry was closing, we felt the need to do another event was even greater.

So, this Saturday, May 9, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., we will again take up a position in front of the Isanti Coborn's to collect food or monetary donations to go to Family Pathways. While we aren't doing an extended food drive this time, we figure every little bit helps.

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Worth a Thousand Words

Bill Stickels III



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Love of country

To the editor,

We have so many things to be thankful for. We live in a free country with many benefits, beautiful lakes, parks, beautiful scenery. Our Constitution is unique. It starts out "We The People," that is who we are. We rule our own nation, make our own laws, etc. Our freedoms are the envy of the whole world.

But as of late many attacks on our freedoms and laws have arisen. Some who do not like this country and want to change it to be like other countries have infiltrated our government to disrupt our peacefulness. They like communism, which we defeated. Remember President Reagan and "Tear Down that Wall"? That was a huge blow to communism and Russia really lost territory after that.

Socialism some like, but it robs us of individual rights and transfers rights to government who know nothing of how capitalism works. It is a theft of government tax money, and like Venezuela, stolen businesses and property. That happened in Cuba also. All suffered, all prosperity vanished, and government officials didn't care. Next they just wanted to punish those who opposed this new government. That has all happened under socialism.

We have forms of that now, tax the rich so we can give it to others. Other ways are using our freedom to assemble, to disrupt peoples lives and cause riots, cause destruction, and call it a peaceable demonstration, and make no

arrests.

All this fraud here and in many other states is pointing to socialism also, using money meant for social programs to go to false programs. Not going to those in need, but to those claiming to have a program, but have false fronts, and just pocketing the money. Some have even been reported as going over seas. Theft of government money, some going back as campaign contributions, has been reported.

This is very hard to discover, those in charge just want to keep it going. The name calling, accusing our President of being a racist, white supremacist nazi, and many other horrible things, didn't work in the last election, but still they are trying. We need help for this county; we can appeal to Heaven as the founders of this great nation did.

Judy Hansen
Cambridge

Former state flag has racist history

To the editor,

The Isanti County Board is looking to pass a resolution to fly the old Minnesota state flag rather than the new state flag. Whenever I looked at the old flag, I thought it was an OK design. I saw a native American riding off on a horse. I didn't consider that he was being forcibly driven off his land.

A poem was written by the flag designer's wife. In "Give way, give way young warrior" are the lines: "Give way, give way young warrior, Thou and thy steed give way. We claim his noble heritage, and

Minnesota's land. Must pass with all its untold wealth. To the white man's grasping hand."

The symbolism of the old flag and seal are about the white man stealing native lands and treasures. At a recent county board meeting, Commissioner LaRowe said there is history in the old flag's design. She is right. But that history is one of racism. A history of white men conquering and stealing land from people who were there for centuries.

Commissioner Christensen said voting not to fly the new flag would be a statement. He also is right. It's a statement that the racism embodied in the old flag is OK. Passing a resolution to deny flying the new flag would be representing that we, as Isanti County, agree with the racist statements on the old flag.

I understand that there are costs involved in changing over to the new flag and seal. I favor a phased approach as new sheriff's vehicles and uniforms are replaced. I urge the board to not hide behind the cost issues, do the right thing and get rid of the old flag and seal. The flag and seal were designed in the 1850's during a time of viscous racism. A vote to fly the old Minnesota flag is a vote to show that you are OK with the racism of the 1850's. In 2026, we can look back on those times and realize that we can be better. We should be better. We must be better. I ask that the county board vote this resolution down and do a phased-in approach to displaying the new flag and seal.

Jeff Benny
Cambridge

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From today's classrooms to tomorrow's careers

May is a meaningful time in our schools. Across Cambridge-Isanti Schools, students are finishing the year strong through concerts, competitions, classroom celebrations, scholarship events, final projects, field trips, and graduation preparation. It is also a time when many students and families are looking ahead to what comes next.

Recently, Cambridge-Isanti High School hosted its annual Career Connections event, welcoming more than 100 representatives from local businesses and industries. Students had the opportunity to explore career pathways, ask questions, and connect learning to real-world possibilities. This event is a powerful example of school and community working together to help students see what is possible.

Our seniors also marked an important milestone through Decision Day, as they finalized plans for life after graduation. For some, that includes college or career training. For others, it includes military service, apprenticeships, or entering the workforce. Each pathway matters and reflects years of learning, support, guidance, and growth.

As we celebrate seniors preparing for graduation and their journey after graduation, we are also continuing to prepare for next year's preschoolers and kindergarteners. These students will be members of the Classes of 2039 and 2040, which keeps us focused on important long-term questions: Will we be able to offer the choices, opportunities, and learning environments we want for these students as they grow? Will our buildings continue to support the programs and services our learners need? How do we plan responsibly today so future Bluejackets have strong schools tomorrow?

Those questions are at the heart of our long-range planning. Strong opportunities for students require dedicated staff, engaged families, community partnerships, thoughtful programming, and safe, functional, well-maintained spaces.

One important part of that work is caring for the buildings our students, staff, families, and community use every day. Like many school districts, we use Long-Term Facilities Maintenance funding, or LTFM, for deferred capital needs such as roofs, heating and cooling systems, plumbing, safety improvements, and accessibility needs. These dollars are restricted by law and cannot be used for staffing, classroom supplies, daily operations, or new con-

struction.

At the same time, the needs in our buildings are greater than the funding available to address them. Our district receives about \$1 million per year for facilities, while industry benchmarks suggest we should be investing closer to \$3 to \$6 million annually to properly maintain our buildings. Over time, that gap creates deferred maintenance needs.

Today, our district has approximately \$45 million in identified facility needs. We currently have about \$4 million in available LTFM funds, largely due to past projects coming in under budget. While that reflects careful management, those funds must also serve as a safety net when aging systems reach the end of their useful life or urgent repairs are needed.

Because of this, we must prioritize carefully. Our teams evaluate facility needs based on safety, critical infrastructure, repair and preventative maintenance, and long-term impact. This work requires significant time, data analysis, feedback, and ongoing review so we can address the most urgent needs while continuing to plan responsibly for the near future.

It is also important to recognize that our long term facility needs are not only about maintenance. They are also about the future of learning. Today's youngest learners will graduate into a world that continues to change quickly. The careers they pursue, the skills they need, and the ways they learn, collaborate, create, and solve problems will continue to evolve. Our responsibility is to make sure our schools can support those opportunities.

That means thoughtful and collaborative long term planning for safe, accessible, flexible, and future-ready learning environments. Some buildings are experiencing capacity pressures, portions of our facilities are not fully aligned with modern accessibility expectations, and many systems, including security infrastructure, continue to age. At the same time, student needs, instructional practices, technology, and community use continue to evolve. Responsible planning helps us protect what is working today while preparing for what students will need tomorrow.

As we celebrate our students this spring and prepare for another school year, we remain focused on the future. Our responsibility is to support students today while ensuring Cambridge-Isanti Schools remains strong, stable, and ready to serve future generations of Bluejackets.

Thank you for your continued support, partnership, and belief in our schools.

DR. NATERUDOLPH is superintendent of Cambridge-Isanti Schools. He can be reached at 763-689-6202 or nrudolph@c-ischools.org.



C-I School News
Dr. Nate Rudolph

Forward together: The power of showing up

Since 2009, Community Service Day has been a meaningful tradition for North Branch Area Public Schools. It's one of those days that reflects who we are as Vikings and what it means to be part of a community.

At its core, Community Service Day is really about the power of showing up.

Each spring, our students and staff step outside the classroom and into our neighborhoods to give back. Our younger students spend time visiting with residents in assisted living facilities, sharing conversation, laughter, and connection. Our older students are out raking, cleaning up yards, and helping prepare our communities for the season ahead.

We're grateful for the strong partnerships that make this day possible, including the communities of North Branch, Harris, and Stacy, along with Ecumen North Branch, Amira Choice in Forest Lake, the Chisago County Senior Center, and the Stacy Lions. These relationships give our students

the chance to learn by doing and to see firsthand the difference they can make.

We also appreciate 4.0 Student Services for donating buses each year to support Community Service Day. That partnership helps ensure our Vikings can show up where they're needed.

The reality is, our communities support our students and schools in countless ways throughout the year. Community Service Day is one small but meaningful way for our Vikings to say thank you.

It's also a reminder that being part of a community means helping take care of it.

And when you see our Vikings out working, visiting, and connecting, you're seeing that lesson in action. You're seeing the power of showing up.

If you have a service project idea or know someone in need of support, please reach out to me at spaul@isd138.org.

Forward together.

SKOL! Vikings

SARA PAUL is superintendent of North Branch Area Public Schools. She can be reached at 651-674-1000 or spaul@isd138.org.



NB School News
Sara Paul

Minnesota drivers reminded how zipper merge works

Question: Like most people I travel everyday for work and I know that construction season is upon us. Can you write about getting people to understand the zipper merge? I still see a lot of people that can't seem to figure this out.

AnsWER: The zipper merge is a driving strategy that requires drivers to change their mindset about merging. Traditionally, drivers have been taught to merge early when a lane is ending. Early merging leads to longer backups, more crashes and road rage incidents.

ZIPPER MERGE PROCEDURE

- When you see the "lane closed ahead" sign and traffic is backing up, stay in your current lane until the point of merge.

- Take turns with other drivers to safely and smoothly merge into the remaining lane.

- When traffic is heavy and slow, it is safer to remain in your current lane until the point where traffic can take turns merging orderly.

BENEFITS OF THE ZIPPER MERGE

- Reduces the difference in speeds between two lanes, making lane changes easier and safer.
- Reduces the overall length of traffic backups by up to 40 percent.
- Reduces congestion at freeway interchanges, especially in metropolitan areas.

- Creates a sense of fairness when all lanes are moving at the same speed.

- Reduces incidents of road rage.

A portion of state statutes were used with permission from the Office of the Revisor of Statutes. If you have any questions concerning traffic related laws or issues in Minnesota, send your questions to Trp. Jesse Grabow - Minnesota State Patrol at 1000 Highway 10 West, Detroit Lakes, MN 56501-2205. (You can follow him on "X" @MSPPIO_NW or reach him at, jesse.grabow@state.mn.us).

Nurturing nature in your yard

I recently picked up a book called "Plant This, Not That" by Elise Howard. It lists some of the most common plants used by gardeners and suggests native alternatives. I am always trying to add more native plants to my yard because I love seeing all the wildlife that comes with them.

I feed birds and squirrels year-round and love finding frogs, toads, butterflies, moths, fireflies and all sorts of bees. I can't say I enjoy mosquitos or deer flies; however, I'm learning to tolerate them and all the other "creepy crawly" insects coming into the yard because of

planting natives. Our life depends on the existence of our local ecosystem. Without the wildlife, there is no "us".

Wildlife gardening doesn't require huge effort or space. Here are a few ways to invite more wildlife into your outdoor space.

Create a messy corner: toss fallen branches into a corner, and rake leaves into the corner. This messy space provides shelter for insects like butterflies, moths and lady bugs to over winter and in turn attracts birds to forage on seeds and the insects that thrive in this material.

Add water: Birdbaths, bubblers, shallow bowls or small ponds give birds, insects and mammals a place to drink & wash. The sound of running water is very effective in attracting wildlife.

Plant native species: native trees, shrubs and pe-

rennials form the foundation of our local ecosystem. The insects and all our wildlife evolved to depend on native plants for life. Research shows that native plants can be up to four times more attractive to pollinators than non-native species.

I doubt that I'll ever have an "all native yard", I love all plants too much. I'm sure I'll still sniff out every garden center sale to find "something" I want to add to the gardens. To offset my love of hybrid, non-native plants, I'm going to try to add a native plant for every non-native I put into my yard. This should bring my yard closer to the 70% natives scientists recommend will support my local ecosystem.

Chisago County Master Gardeners is part of a collaboration between Chisago County and The University of Minnesota Extension to deliver practical education and research you can use at home, at work and in your community. You can reach Chisago County Extension services by email at mnext-chisago@umn.edu or by phone at 651-277-0151.



Master Gardener
Sue Kirchner

OBITUARIES

Clark James Swanson

Clark James Swanson of Cambridge passed away peacefully on Saturday, December 13, 2025, at St. Cloud CentraCare Hospital at the age of 78. Following a valiant battle with Parkinson's Disease.

Clark was born on September 8, 1947, to Levi and Margaret (Peggy) Swanson in Rush City, MN. He spent his childhood years on his family farm in Maple Ridge, learning the value of hard work. He was the youngest of three boys. He embraced family life, raising pigs and farming on Allis-Chalmers tractors and working as a gas attendant at Stanchfield Corners by the age of sixteen.

After graduating from Braham High School in 1965, Clark was drafted into the United States Army. He was stationed in Oklahoma and Louisiana, where he contributed to the building of rockets before being sent to Vietnam in 1967. In Vietnam, he bravely ran Quad 50-gun trucks; the experience from Vietnam would shape much of his later life. Upon returning home, he married his high-school sweetheart, Annette Person, in July 1969 at Braham Lutheran Church.

Clark and Annette built their life together in Cambridge, where they raised their children, Kimberly and Christopher. Clark enjoyed gardening, starting all of the flowers and vegetables from seed. They had beautiful, raised-bed gardens.

Clark served as a Supervisor for the U.S. Postal Service. He was a courier for Scotsman and ECM Publishing. Later, he managed the produce section of Walmart.

Clark was a quiet force, a pillar of strength, and his passion for service was evident in his involvement with the American Legion, where he continued to serve and support his fellow veterans by providing military honors for the departed veterans and Memorial Day ceremonies for 50 years. Clark's dream of building a memorial park came true in the dedication of the Veterans Memorial Park in Cambridge in 2020. The project took many years to develop.

In 2023, Clark and Annette were honored as the Isanti County Senior Citizens of the year. It was a testament to their enthusiasm and involvement in the community.

Clark's love for Allis-Chalmers tractors took him to many Threshing Shows with his wife and her brother Leroy. "The Gathering of the Orange" was one of his favorite shows.

Clark was a loving husband, dad, grandpa, and friend to many. Clark loved spending time with his Children, grandchildren, and granddogs. He lived life to the fullest.

Clark will be deeply missed by his loving wife, Annette of 56 years, his daughter, Kimberly Shelley, his son, Christopher (Sara) Swanson; his grandchildren, Caden James, Isaac Alexander, and Emery Alice Swanson; his brother, Dick (Mary Helen) Swanson of Rush City; his sister-in-law, Betty Chapman; half-brother John (Judy) Peirson; his nieces, nephews, and many friends and fellow veterans.

Clark was preceded in death by his parents, infant daughter, Christine, and brother, Harry Chapman.

Memorials are preferred to: The Cambridge American Legion Post #290, or to the Veterans Memorial Park of Cambridge.

Memorial Service 11 a.m., Saturday, May 16, 2026, at Carlson-Lillemoen Funeral Home. Visitation 5-7 p.m. Friday, May 15, 2026 at funeral home and one hour prior to the service. Committal Service to follow with Military Honors at Siloa Lutheran Cemetery. Condolences at www.carlsonlillemoen.com



Gayle Alice Francis

Gayle Alice Francis (née Storlien), age 65, passed away on April 28, 2026. She was born on March 22, 1961, in St. Paul, Minnesota, to Merlyn "Toby" and Diane Storlien.

Gayle was raised in Cambridge, Minnesota, alongside her brothers, Tom and Tim. She graduated from Cambridge High School and continued her education at St. Cloud State University. She spent many years working in an office setting before finding deep joy in a more personal calling—visiting nursing homes, assisting the elderly with projects, and sharing her creativity through her small business, Grandma Gayle's Creations.

Gayle was a woman who loved deeply and lived generously. She was known for her fun-loving spirit, especially on her "lucky" casino trips with family and friends, where she insisted on sharing her winnings—no matter how big or small. She cherished traditions, especially the annual family cookie bake, where she was famous for her peanut butter blossoms and for intentionally breaking sugar cookies just to snack on them while decorating. To those closest to her, she'll always be remembered for ending her days with a simple joy: a bowl of vanilla ice cream topped with chocolate syrup.

Above all, Gayle was an incredibly proud and devoted grandmother to Mahkaela, Jackson, and Tobias. She loved them dearly, and they were the light of her life.

Gayle is survived by her loving mother, Diane; her children, Travis (Ciara) and Jenna (Brandon); her brothers, Tom (Marla) and Tim; her cherished grandchildren and cat, Hope. She is preceded in death by her father, Merlyn "Toby" Storlien; her grandparents, Harold and Alice Storlien; and many beloved pets.

Gayle loved with her whole heart, and her family and friends will feel her loss forever. Her warmth, generosity, and the memories she created will live on in all who knew her.

Memorial Service 11 a.m., Saturday, May 16, 2026 at Cambridge Lutheran Church. Visitation one hour prior to the service. Private interment at Forest Lawn Memorial Park. Condolences at www.carlsonlillemoen.com Arrangements by Carlson-Lillemoen Funeral Home and Cremation Services of Cambridge.

Online condolences can be shared at www.carlsonlillemoen.com



Kailee Jean Olson

Kailee Jean Olson, age 35, of Duluth, passed away on April 29, 2026, after a hard-fought battle with colon cancer.

She was born on December 20, 1990, to parents, Michael and Dayla (Gerber) McDonald. Born and raised in Cambridge, MN, Kailee was the middle child of three, with her two brothers, Rhett and Kyle. Growing up alongside them helped shape her strength, resilience, and competitive spirit—qualities that defined the way she lived her life.

After graduating from Cambridge High School, Kailee continued her education at the University of Wisconsin-Superior earning an undergraduate degree in Public Health and then she later earned a master's degree in Healthcare Administration from St. Mary's University. She was the proud owner of Assisted Living Locators in Duluth, where she compassionately helped countless seniors find housing.

Whether she was running her business or coaching basketball at Duluth East, Kailee's passion, commitment, selflessness, and love for others were truly remarkable. Her true love, however, was for her husband, Troy and her two girls, Lowry and Murray. She treasured her time spent with her daughters and truly loved being their mother.

She is survived by her husband, Troy Olson; her daughters, Lowry and Murray; her parents, Mike and Dayla McDonald; her brothers, Rhett (Kayelyn) McDonald and Kyle (Arianna) McDonald; her in-laws, Jim and Denise Olson; her siblings-in-law, Trevor (Shelby) Olson and Jada Olson; and her nieces and nephews, Ganon, Dekker, McKinli, and Russell.

A visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Thursday, May 7, 2026, at Dougherty Funeral Home. The funeral service will be held on Friday, May 8, 2026, at 11 a.m. at Peace In Christ Lutheran Church in Hermantown. Private interment will take place at Forest Hill Cemetery following the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are preferred. Memorials will be used for Lowry's and Murray's future education.



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Community gathers for sweet opening

Representatives of the city of Isanti and North 65 Chamber of Commerce join the owners of Two Scoops at their ribbon cutting ceremony. The premium ice cream shop took over the space that was occupied by Little North Sweets.



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New salon adds style to Isanti

Elizabeth Anderson (with scissors) is joined by family, friends, and representatives of the city of Isanti and North 65 Chamber of Commerce in a ribbon cutting ceremony to celebrate the opening of Main Street Hair Salon, located at 31 Main Street W in downtown Isanti.



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C-I, NB SCOREBOARD: APRIL 29 - MAY 5, HOME SCHEDULES: MAY 7 - 15

April 29
 C-I boys golf @ Purple Hawk - 7th/9 teams
 *Top finishers: Jacob Bostrom, Keegan Westman - 11th place tie (80)
 C-I boys tennis 0, Andover 7
 C-I girls track and field @ White Bear Lake
 *First place finisher: Annabelle O'Brien (pole vault)
 C-I softball 2, Anoka 0
 NB boys golf @ Purple Hawk - 3rd/9 teams
 *Top finisher: Carter Magnison - 4th place (78)
 NB softball 12, Coon Rapids 7

April 30
 C-I boys tennis 1, Princeton 6
 C-I softball 8, Big Lake 0
 *Taitum Kostecka - home run & 2 triples
 C-I baseball 0, Big Lake 11
 NB boys tennis 6, St. John's Prep 1

May 1
 NB boys track and field @ Coon Rapids
 *Top finish: 4th place 4x100 relay
 NB girls track and field @ Coon Rapids
 *First place finishers: Sophia Thorsen (100, 200), Ella Dick (pole vault)
 NB boys tennis 2, Pine City 5

May 2
 NB baseball 7, St. Anthony Village 5
 NB baseball 12, Esko 8
 NB boys tennis 6, Cloquet 1
 NB boys tennis 4, Totino Grace 3

May 4
 C-I girls golf @ Pebble Creek - 3rd/9 teams
 *Top finisher: Allie Nystrom - 5th place (95)
 C-I boys golf @ home invite - 5th/9

teams
 *Top finisher: Keegan Westman - 3rd place (79)
 C-I baseball 6, Sartell 10
 NB girls golf @ Pebble Creek - 4th/9 teams
 *Top finisher: Jenna Minke - 3rd place (93)
 NB boys golf @ Purple Hawk - 1st/9 teams
 *Top finisher: Ian Smith - 1st place (76)

May 5
 C-I girls golf @ Bulrush Golf Club - 2nd/9 teams
 *Top finisher: Hannah Westman - 7th place (93)
 C-I boys golf @ The Ponds Golf Course - 7th/9 teams
 *Top finisher: Jacob Bostrom - 9th place (80)
 C-I boys track and field @ Section True Team - 2nd/10 teams
 *First place finishers: Hunter Jacobson (800, 1600), 4x100, Calvin Piescher (pole vault)
 C-I girls track and field @ Section True Team - 5th/10 teams
 *First place finishers: Aubrey Wilson (pole vault)
 C-I baseball 3, St. Francis 13
 C-I softball 5, St. Francis 1
 NB girls golf @ Bulrush Golf Course - 3rd/9 teams
 *Top finisher: Jenna Minke - 7th place (93)
 NB boys golf @ The Ponds Golf Course - 1st/9 teams
 *Top finishers: Carter Magnison - 1st place (73), Nicholas Melvin - 3rd place (77)
 NB boys track and field @ Section True Team - 6th/10 teams
 *First place finishers: Nolan Weidenhamer (long jump)
 NB girls track and field @ Section True Team - 2nd/10 teams

*First place finishers: Sophia Thorsen (100, 400), Ella Dick (pole vault), Amelia Lattimore (triple jump)
 NB boys tennis x, Foley x
 NB softball @ Cloquet - postponed to May 13
 NB baseball 0, Chisago Lakes 10

To see both schools' full schedules, go to www.mississippi8.org. Schedules are subject to change with minimal advanced notice based on weather, availability of officials, or other reasons.

Thursday, May 7
 •NB baseball vs. Zimmerman (5 p.m.)
 •NB softball vs. Zimmerman (5 p.m.)

Saturday, May 9
 •C-I boys tennis vs. Blaine, Brainerd (9 a.m.)

Tuesday, May 12
 •C-I boys & girls track vs. Brainerd, Forest Lake, Sauk Rapids-Rice (4 p.m.)
 •NB boys golf home conference meet @ Bulrush (noon)

Wednesday, May 13
 •C-I girls golf home invite (noon)

Thursday, May 14
 •C-I softball vs. Zimmerman double header (4 p.m.)
 •C-I baseball vs. Zimmerman double header (3:30 p.m.)

Friday, May 15
 •C-I softball vs. Duluth East (4:30 p.m.)
 •NB baseball vs. Rock Ridge (4:30 p.m.)



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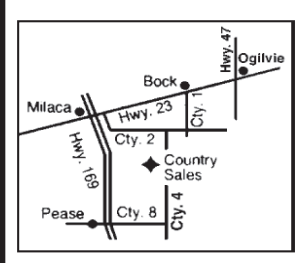
Bluejacket Aiden Knudsvig hits a return during his first singles match against Andover. Both teams donned pink shirts for the match as part of "Serve it up for cancer," which was being held at matches across the state in honor of Cambridge-isanti head coach Thea Lowman, who was diagnosed with stage 2 breast cancer over the winter. The event was sponsored by the Minnesota State Tennis Coaches Association, with all proceeds from shirt sales and other donations going to Allina Cancer Research.



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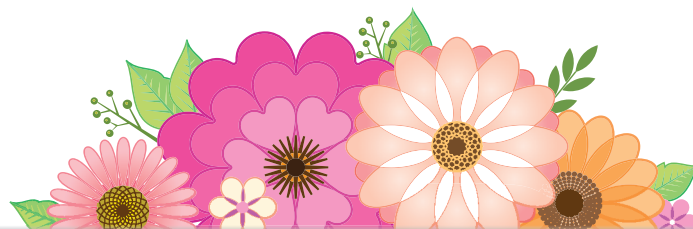


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VA clinic officially opening in Cambridge
BY BILL STICKELS III
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The new VA clinic will be located on the left two-thirds of the land outlined in blue, directly north of Target.

"It's a very exciting announcement," Vogel said. "I think the cleanest site plans they've ever reviewed. They anticipate construction to begin very soon." The city had announced the possibility of a VA clinic coming to Cambridge in January 2025. "Cambridge is in a little bit of a desert as you don't see another VA until you get up to St. Cloud, down to the metro area, or north of Target, along 3rd Avenue NE."

SEE CLINIC, PAGE 2

Goodbye Perkins, hello Chipotle
The demolition of the former Perkins Restaurant building was accomplished in short order on Tuesday, April 21, making way for a Chipotle Restaurant, Les Schwab Tire Store, and a third yet-to-be-determined business.

Isanti County Sheriffs to replace K9 Maverick
BY BILL STICKELS III
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Already short-handed from the untimely death of K9 officer Karma last summer, taking steps to ensure it won't be completely without a K9 in the near future by purchasing a replacement for current K9 Maverick.

According to Chief Deputy John Gillquist, the original plans were to obtain Karma's replacement in 2026 and then replace Maverick, in a year or so. However, Gillquist said Maverick is starting to show signs of physical wear and tear that point to a more immediate need.

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It's almost 'post time' for Beyond the Yellow Ribbon's annual fundraiser dinner
BY BILL STICKELS III
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This year, by taking advantage of the "Run for the Roses," which coincides with the nonprofit's annual major fundraiser, organizers have brought the two events together for a fun-filled night.

The "gates" at the Armed Forces Reserve Community Center in Cambridge will open at 4:30 p.m., for a social hour that will include live horse racing on a big screen attendees can place cash bets. The Kentucky Derby itself is scheduled to take place at 5:57 p.m.

Dinner, which will be served at 6:15 p.m., will be comprised of deviled eggs, Donated desserts will again be auctioned off during the annual ICBYR dinner.

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STUDENT ACHIEVERS



Isanti Middle School: Rachel Nzuo

Rachel Nzuo is one of two Isanti Middle School Student Achievers, and she represents our school with compassion, responsibility, and a strong desire to make a positive impact. An 8th grader, Rachel stays active during the school day participating in Minnesota Junior Honor Society, Kindness Krew, and school band. She also stays involved outside the school day through jazz band and volleyball. Beyond school, Rachel volunteers at her church and helps lead praise and worship. She chooses to get involved because she loves to learn, grow, and contribute to something bigger than herself. Rachel brings dedication, curiosity, and a positive spirit to the activities she joins.

Art and Science Academy: Jayden Beldin

Jayden Beldin, a third-grade student at Art and Science Academy, is the kind of student who lights up a classroom just by walking through the door. Jayden is well known for his kind heart and thoughtful nature, always looking out for classmates and making everyone feel welcome. Jayden approaches every new challenge with enthusiasm and a can-do attitude — whether it's a new subject, a new skill, or a new adventure. And if you need a good laugh, Jayden's got you covered with a silly sense of humor that keeps his entire class smiling. We are so proud to celebrate this outstanding young achiever!

NBA Education Center: Peter Horn

Peter Horn, son of Jacob and Erin Horn of North Branch, has been recognized as an outstanding student in Mrs. Kahl's kindergarten class. He enjoys many parts of the school day, especially recess where he loves to play, but he also has a strong passion for learning. Math is his favorite subject, and he particularly enjoys working on addition and subtraction. When he grows up, he hopes to become a zookeeper because of his love for animals. Outside of school, he has participated in wrestling for the past two years. In the classroom, Peter is known for being bright, hardworking, and determined. He takes pride in doing his best each day, listens carefully, and follows directions the first time!

Isanti Middle School: Otto Schroeder

Otto Schroeder is one of two Isanti Middle School Student Achievers, and he represents our school with responsibility, involvement, and a strong willingness to try new things. As an 8th grader, Otto stays active during the school day through Student Council, WEB, and band. He also takes part in many extracurricular activities, including jazz band, baseball, archery, cross-country, track, and Math League. Outside of school, Otto is involved in 4-H and his Church Youth Group. He chooses to be involved because he enjoys learning new things and being part of his school and community. Otto brings a positive attitude and steady effort to the activities he joins.

Art and Science Academy: Darren Phang

Darren Phang, an exemplary and trustworthy 8th grader at Art and Science Academy Middle School, consistently arrives prepared, diligent, and ready to learn. Known for his kindness and politeness to staff and peers, Darren is also a talented drummer who performed in the school talent show. In his free time, he enjoys producing and editing videos as well as competing on a swim team out of White Bear Lake, specializing in freestyle, backstroke, and butterfly events. Phenomenal work, Darren!

Distance Learning Academy: Kylie Russell

Kylie Russell is an exceptional student in the DLA program for several reasons. Kylie consistently shows up to do the work. If you look at her pacing for courses and why she is ahead of pace, it's because she shows up week after week and puts the time in to get the work done. Kylie reaches out when she needs assistance and asks great questions to make sure she is understanding the work and what is expected of her to do well. The best part about the work that Kylie has completed this semester is how her voice shines through. The work she turns in is authentically her own, and her writing style and voice that come through in her work show well-thought-out opinions, discussions, and answers.

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Pen to paper

Eight Cambridge-Isanti Bluejacket seniors have signed their names indicating they intend to compete in a sport in college. Participating in the spring signing ceremony were (front row, from left) Austin Burgess (track and field at Concordia, St. Paul), James Haigh (track and field at Lawrence University), Marcus Hubbard (baseball at Ridgewater Community College), Calvin Piescher (track and field at Colorado State), (back row) Marissa Dexter (swimming at Hamline University), Jovie Ebertowski (diving at Minnesota State Moorhead), Peyton Vander Lee (softball at Iowa Lakes Community College), and Jackson Ziebarth (track and field at University of St. Thomas).

ALCOHOL: Trial run declared satisfactory by police chief

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Chapala decides to join in, the barricade will move to the alley west of Buchanan Street. If neither participates, the barricade will be set up at the alley just east of South Main Street.

Council member Bob Shogren repeated his concern from last summer that all businesses within the Cambridge city limits that have an on-sale liquor license, such as Applebee's, would not be allowed to participate. Machin responded that they could, but only if they had a mobile food vendor liquor license and they were allowed to set up within the event area by the organizers.

The request was approved by the council on a 4-1 vote, with Council member Molly

Christian casting the lone nay vote.

"I'm not a big fan of the need to have alcohol to have a fun time," Christian said. "It is a family event. I don't think it is entirely necessary. If someone wants to drink (alcohol), they can walk into any one of these establishments. I don't think they need to walk around with alcohol.

"Also, there was an instance of maybe undesirable behavior, though I don't think it escalated to the point of making an actual police call," Christian continued. "So, it has been shown already that there are individuals who are incapable of handling things like an adult."

The "Third Thursday" events are scheduled for June 18, July 16, and Aug. 20.

WORSHIP *guide*

Baptist

First Baptist Church

304 S. Main St., Cambridge, 763-689-1173. Call the church office or visit our website for current service times and programs. firstbaptistcambridge.org

North Isanti Baptist Church

Lead Pastor: Travis Blake
2248 313th Ave. NE, Cambridge, MN 55008. www.nibchurch.com
Email: nibchurch@msn.com
763-689-3576.

8:30am Worship Service (traditional style)
10:45am Worship Service (contemporary style)

Sunrise Bible Church

41300 Second St., North Branch, Pastor David Stertz. Sunday school for all ages
9:30am, Sunday morning Worship
10:30am, Sunday evening 6pm, Wed.
Kids 4 Truth & Bible studies for all ages 6:30pm. More info at sunrisebiblechurch.org or 651-674-4107.

Catholic

Christ the King

305 Fern Street N
Cambridge, MN 55008
763-689-1221
Friday 8:30am
Saturday 4pm
email brigitte@isantiacc.org
Website: isantiacc.org

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

207 Whiskey Rd NW, Isanti, MN.
763-444-4035
Email: brigitte@isantiacc.org
Mass: Tues. & Wed. 8:30am.
Sun. 8:30am.
isantiacc.org

Evangelical Covenant

Karmel Covenant Church

5799 County Road 6, Princeton MN
763-389-3169
Lead Pastor: Jason Hovis
Pastor of Youth: Kohl Hanson

Sunday School for All Ages (school year only): 9-10 a.m.

Sunday Worship (in person & online): 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Wednesday Programming (school year only):

Family meal at 5:30 p.m. with AWANA and Youth Group from 6:30-8 p.m.

Evangelical Free

Dale Evangelical Free Church

45268 Brunswick Rd,
Harris, MN 763-689-5817
Pastor/Teacher Dr. Harvey Martin.
Sunday School – all ages 9am.
Sunday Service 10:25am.
www.daleefc.com

Kost Evangelical Free Church

37405 Kost Trail, North Branch, MN – Jct. of CR 11 & CR 72
651-583-3281 • Kostchurch.org
Pastor Josh Jensen
Sunday worship service 9:30 am followed by fellowship & Sunday School
Youth group Wednesdays 7 pm
Respawn Gaming Ministry for teen boys – 2 Fridays per month.

Oxlip Evangelical Free Church

29237 Roanoke St NW, Isanti (1 mile West of Cty 5 and Hwy 47)
763-444-5134 oxlip.org
9am Worship Service
10:45am Christian Education
Awana children's ministry Wednesdays 6 to 7:30pm

Wyanett Evangelical Free Church

12 Miles West of Cambridge on Hwy 95
www.wyanettevangelicalfree.org
Pastor Bruce Talso 763-221-4469
Sunday School 9:30 am
Morning Worship 10:30 am
Mondays - Women's Evening Bible Study 6:00 pm
Tuesdays - Men's Bible Study 5:00 pm
Wednesdays - Midweek Bible Study/Prayer 2:00 pm
Thursdays - Women's Morning Bible Study 9:30 a.m. at Heart Matters Ministry, 403 1st St. Princeton
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Lutheran

Braham Evangelical Lutheran Church (ELCA)

Dr. Suzanne Begin, Minister
905 Central Drive West
320-396-2755
www.brahamlutheran.org
9:30 a.m. Worship Service
In-person & Live on Facebook
9:00 - 9:45 Sunday School
Children may join worship service or be picked up by an adult
All Are Welcome!

Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church Of Rush Point (ELCA)

Pastor Vicki Vandervegt.
320-358-4829, 600 Rush Point Dr.
10:30am Worship with Fellowship following
my.calvaryofrushpoint.org
Office: calvaryrushpoint@gmail.com

Cambridge Lutheran Church (ELCA)

621 Old North Main Street, Cambridge
763-689-1211
Traditional service: 8:30 a.m.
Contemp service: 9:15 & 10:30 a.m.
KidZone 9:15 & 10:30 a.m.
www.cambridgelutheran.org
Facebook: fb.com/Cambridgelutheran
YouTube: tinyurl.com/Cambridgelutheran

Christ Ev. Lutheran Church (WELS)

32962 Vickers St. NE, Cambridge, 763-689-5333
Pastor Samuel L. Biebert.
Sunday Worship 9am, Sunday School/Bible Class 10:30am
www.christcambridge.com

First Lutheran Church (ELCA)

43779 Gates Ave., Harris.
651-674-4498. Handicapped accessible.
Pastor Vicki VanderVegt
Sunday Worship 9:20am
Coffee & fellowship following service
Email: firstlutheran@q.com
www.firstlutheranharris.org

Joy Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)

33525 Jefferson Street NE, Cambridge
763-689-4355
www.joylutheran.net
Pastor James Ritter
8:30 a.m. Traditional Service
10:30 a.m. Contemporary Service

Living Branch Lutheran Church (LCMS)

6486 Elm St (PO Box 335),
North Branch
651-674-5576
Pastor Glen Kleppe
Sunday Worship 10am
Sunday School 9am
Sunday Adult Bible Study 9am
Tuesday Bible Studies 1pm & 7pm
www.livingbranch.org
email: office@livingbranch.org

Long Lake Lutheran Church (ELCA)

3921 277th Ave NW Isanti, MN 55040
763-444-5315
Pastor Sue Olson &
Pastor Rebecca Holland
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Sundays
9 am Worship & 10 am Sunday School
Holy Communion: 1st and 3rd Sundays
Wednesdays 6 pm Confirmation

Salem Lutheran Church

4638 381st Ave. NW, Dalbo, MN 55017.
763-689-1687
Join us for worship every Sunday at 10:30
Sunday School 11:00 resuming in the Fall
Coffee fellowship after worship
www.salemlutherandalbo.com

Spring Lake Lutheran Church (ELCA)

8440 Erickson Road, PO Box 958,
North Branch, MN 55056 (9 mi. E. of Cambridge on Hwy. 95, North one block on Erickson Road).
651-674-4606.
Pastor Vicki VanderVegt.slchurch.org
Email: slchurch@gmail.com
8:15am Worship with fellowship following

St. John Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)

28168 Jodrell St. NE, North Branch
Located 6 mi. E. of Isanti on Co. Rd. 5; (or 7 mi. W. of North Branch on Co. Rd. 5); then 1-1/2 mi. S. on Co. Rd. 12. 763-444-5988, Paul Anderson, Pastor;
Sunday 9am Worship;
10:20am Adult Bible Study;
Thursday 6:30pm Bible study.
Email: stjohnlutheran@att.net

St. John's Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)

980 West 4th Street, Rush City
320-358-3623
Sunday 8:45am Worship
Monday 10am Longer Look Bible Study
stjohnsrushcity.org

St. Stephen's Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)

400 SE 8th St., (Isanti #4 E.), Braham
320-396-3103
9:15 am Sunday School & Adult Bible Study.
8am Worship.
ststephensbraham.org

Trinity Lutheran Church (ELCA)

38460 Lincoln Trail, North Branch
651-674-7047 Pastor Paul Cannon
In person and online worship
8 & 10 am Worship
9 am Coffee Hour
9 am Sunday School
www.trinitynorthbranch.org
office@trinitynorthbranch.org

Methodist

Common Ground - A United Methodist Community

404 Cypress St. North, Cambridge.
763-689-2071.
Pastors Amelia & Andrew Buschena.
Sunday 9:30am Worship.
Livestream of services and more info at commongroundumc.org.
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Non-Denominational

Grace Gospel Church

37126 MN-65, Stanchfield, MN 55080
763-308-5618
Coffee fellowship: 9:45am
Service: 10:00am
Pastor: Tim Miller
www.gracegospelmn.org
info@gracegospelchurchmn.com
Located just north of Grandy on 65, across from East Central Diesel, with three large crosses near the road.
We look forward to having you!

Journey of Faith

Bible based worship.
651-600-9878.
faiththroughaction777@gmail.com
Sunday fellowship 9am
Worship & Youth Ministry 10am
Come as you are. All welcome.
Junction Bowl. 123 Cajima Street, NE, Isanti. Refreshments served.

JustPassinThru IHS Ministries

Becoming Agape – Allowing the Holy Spirit to transform lives
763-228-0883
Meeting at Crossroads Commons
1001 1st Ave. E., Suite 100, Cambridge MN
justpassinihs@gmail.com
JustpassinThru.net
Pastor Tom Bakke
Sunday mornings at 10 am
Sunday nights and Wednesdays

Pentecostal

The Journey New Life Church

601 Heritage Blvd NE, Isanti
Pastor David L. Willis.
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Sunday 6pm Family Worship.
Wednesday 7pm Family Breakout Classes.
763-689-4471
Thejourneynlc.org

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CAMBRIDGE 2025 DRINKING WATER REPORT

Making Safe Drinking Water

Your drinking water comes from a groundwater source: four wells ranging from 395 to 427 feet deep, that draw water from the Mt. Simon aquifer.

Cambridge works hard to provide you with safe and reliable drinking water that meets federal and state water quality requirements. The purpose of this report is to provide you with information on your drinking water and how to protect our precious water resources.

Contact Todd Schwab, Director of Public Works, at 763-689-1800 or tschwab@ci.cambridge.mn.us if you have questions about Cambridge's drinking water. You can also ask for information about how you can take part in decisions that may affect water quality.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency sets safe drinking water standards. These standards limit the amounts of specific contaminants allowed in drinking water. This ensures that tap water is safe to drink for most people. The U.S. Food and Drug Administration regulate the amounts of certain contaminants in bottled water. Bottled water must provide the same public health protection as public tap water.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily mean that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by visiting the website epa.gov/safewater.

Cambridge Monitoring Results

This report contains our monitoring results from January 1 to December 31, 2025.

We work with the Minnesota Department of Health to test

drinking water for more than 100 contaminants. It is not unusual to detect contaminants in small amounts. No water supply is ever completely free of contaminants. Drinking water standards protect Minnesotans from substances that may be harmful to their health.

Learn more by visiting the Minnesota Department of Health's webpage Basics of Monitoring and testing of Drinking Water in Minnesota (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/water/factsheet/sampling.html>).

How to Read the Water Quality Data Tables

The tables below show the contaminants we found last year or the most recent time we sampled for that contaminant. They also show the levels of those contaminants and the Environmental Protection Agency's limits. Substances that we tested for but did not find are not included in the tables.

We sample for some contaminants less than once a year because their levels in water are not expected to change from year to year. If we found any of these contaminants the last time we sampled for them, we included them in the tables below with the detection date.

We may have done additional monitoring for contaminants that are not included in the Safe Drinking Water Act. To request a copy of these results, call the Minnesota Department of Health at 651-201-4700 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Definitions

- **AL (Action Level):** The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

- **Contaminant:** Any physical, chemical, biological, or radiological substance or matter in water.

- **EPA:** Environmental Protection Agency

- **MCL (Maximum contaminant level):** The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

- **MCLG (Maximum contaminant level goal):** The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

- **MRDL (Maximum residual disinfectant level):** The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

- **MRDLG (Maximum residual disinfectant level goal):** The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

- **N/A (Not applicable):** Does not apply.

- **pCi/l (picocuries per liter):** A measure of radioactivity.

- **ppb (parts per billion):** One part per billion in water is like one drop in one billion drops of water, or about one drop in a swimming pool.

- **ppm (parts per million):** One part per million is like one drop in one million drops of water, or about one cup in a swimming pool.

- **ppt (parts per trillion):** One part per trillion is like one drop in one trillion drops of water, or about one drop in 20 Olympic sized swimming pools.

- **PWSID:** Public water system identification.

OTHER SUBSTANCES – Tested in drinking water.

Substance (Date, if sampled in previous year)	EPA's Ideal Goal (MCLG)	EPA's Limit (MCL)	Highest Average or Highest Single Test Result	Range of Detected Test Results	Violation	Typical Sources
Fluoride	4.0 ppm	4.0 ppm	0.69 ppm	0.60 - 0.73 ppm	NO	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive to promote strong teeth.

Potential Health Effects and Corrective Actions (If Applicable)

Potential Health Effects and Corrective Actions (If Applicable)

Fluoride: Fluoride is nature's cavity fighter, with small amounts present naturally in many drinking water sources. There is an overwhelming weight of credible, peer-reviewed, scientific evidence that fluoridation reduces tooth decay and cavities in children and adults, even when there is availability of fluoride from other sources, such as fluoride toothpaste and mouth rinses. Since studies show that optimal fluoride levels in drinking water benefit public health, municipal community water systems adjust the level of fluoride in the water to an optimal concentration between 0.5 to 0.9 parts per million (ppm) to protect your teeth. Fluoride levels below 2.0 ppm are not expected to increase the risk of a cosmetic condition known as enamel fluorosis.

Monitoring Results – Unregulated Substances/ Emerging Contaminants

In addition to testing drinking water for contaminants regulated under the Safe Drinking Water Act, we sometimes also monitor for contaminants that are not regulated. Unregulated contaminants do not have legal limits for drinking water. MDH, EPA, and other health agencies may have developed comparison values for some of these compounds. Some of these comparison values are based solely on potential health impacts and do not consider our ability to measure contaminants at very low concentrations nor the cost and technology of prevention and/or treatment. These values may be set

at levels that are costly, challenging, or impractical for a water system to meet (for example, large-scale treatment technology may not exist for a given contaminant). Sample data are listed along with comparison values in the table below; it is important to note that these comparison values are not enforceable.

Detection alone of a regulated or unregulated contaminant should not cause concern. The significance of a detection should be determined considering current health effects information. We are often still learning about the health effects, so this information can change over time.

A person drinking water with a contaminant at or below the comparison value would be at little to no risk for harmful health effects. If the level of a contaminant is above the comparison value, people of a certain age or with special health conditions—like a fetus, infants, children, elderly, and people with impaired immunity—may need to take extra precautions. We are notifying you of the unregulated/emerging contaminants we have detected as a public education opportunity.

Unregulated contaminant monitoring helps EPA to determine where certain contaminants occur and whether the Agency should consider regulating those contaminants in the future. More information is available on MDH's A-Z List of Contaminants in Water (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/water/contaminants/index.html>)

- Fourth Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule (UCMR 4) (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/water/com/ucmr4.html>)

- Fifth Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule (<https://www.epa.gov/dwucmr/fifth-unregulated-contaminant-monitoring-rule>)

- EPA has developed a UCMR5 Program Overview Factsheet (<https://www.epa.gov/system/files/documents/2022-02/ucmr5-factsheet.pdf>) describing UCMR 5 contaminants and standards.

In the past year, your drinking water may have tested for additional unregulated contaminants as part of the Fifth Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule (<https://www.epa.gov/dwucmr/fifth-unregulated-contaminant-monitoring-rule>) and results are still being processed. The Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule 5 (UCMR 5) Data finder allows people to easily search for, summarize, and download the available UCMR 5 analytical results (<https://www.epa.gov/dwucmr/fifth-unregulated-contaminant-monitoring-rule-data-finder>).

UNREGULATED/EMERGING CONTAMINANTS – Tested in drinking water.

Contaminant	Comparison Value	Highest Average Result or Highest Single Test Result	Range of Detected Test Results
Sodium*	20 ppm	6.52 ppm	N/A
Sulfate	500 ppm	2.32 ppm	N/A

*Note that home water softening can increase the level of sodium in your water.

Monitoring Results – Regulated Substances

LEAD AND COPPER – Tested at customer taps.

Contaminant (Date, if sampled in previous year)	EPA's Ideal Goal (MCLG)	EPA's Action Level	90% of Results Were Less Than	Number of Homes with High Levels	Range of Detected Test Results	Violation	Typical Sources
Lead	0 ppb	90% of homes less than 15 ppb	1.47 ppb	0 out of 20	0 - 4.5 ppb	NO	Corrosion of household plumbing.
Copper	1.3 ppm	90% of homes less than 1.3 ppm	0.2 ppm	0 out of 20	0.03 - 0.86 ppm	NO	Corrosion of household plumbing.

INORGANIC & ORGANIC CONTAMINANTS – Tested in drinking water.

Contaminant (Date, if sampled in previous year)	EPA's Ideal Goal (MCLG)	EPA's Limit (MCL)	Highest Average or Highest Single Test Result	Range of Detected Test Results	Violation	Typical Sources
Nitrate	10 ppm	10 ppm	9.1 ppm	0.00 - 9.10 ppm	NO	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits.
Barium	2 ppm	2 ppm	0.03 ppm	N/A	NO	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposit.
Gross Alpha	0 pCi/l	15 pCi/l	10.9 pCi/l	7.7 - 14.0 pCi/l	NO	Erosion of natural deposits.
Combined Radium	0 pCi/l	5 pCi/l	4 pCi/l	3.9 - 4.0 pCi/l	NO	Erosion of natural deposits.

Potential Health Effects and Corrective Actions (If Applicable)

Nitrate: Even though Cambridge meets the EPA nitrate drinking water standard, also known as a Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL), if you are caring for an infant and using tap water to prepare formula, you may want to use alternate sources of water or ask for advice from your health care provider. Nitrate levels

above 10 ppm pose a particularly high health concern for infants under 6 months of age and can interfere with the capacity of the infant's blood to carry oxygen, resulting in a serious illness. Symptoms of serious illness include shortness of breath and blueness of the skin, known as "blue baby syndrome." Nitrate

levels in drinking water can increase for short periods of time due to high levels of rainfall or agricultural activity, therefore we test for nitrate quarterly (four times a year). The highest level for nitrate found during 2025 was 9.1.

Some People Are More Vulnerable to Contaminants in Drinking Water

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available on EPA's website epa.gov/safewater.

Service Line Material Inventory

Cambridge has completed and submitted our service line materials inventory to the Minnesota Department of Health. The service line inventory is publicly available, and you can check the materials for your service line by visiting the Lead Inventory Tracking Tool (LITT) (<https://maps.umn.edu/LSL/>). You may also contact us at lfedor@ci.cambridge.mn.us (Luke Fedor). The city of Cambridge used city staff for on-site inspections. We also utilized past records and project prints to identify the areas that could be effected. An on-line ap was created for homeowners to self-identify their service line. As of 10/15/2025, our inventory contains 0 lead, 25 galvanized requiring replacement, 5 unknown material, and 3343 non-lead service lines.

Learn More about Your Drinking Water

Drinking Water Sources
Groundwater supplies 75 percent of Minnesota's drinking water, and found in aquifers beneath the surface of the land. Surface water supplies 25 percent of Minnesota's drinking water, and is the water in lakes, rivers, and streams above the surface of the land.

Contaminants can get in drinking water sources from the natural environment and from people's daily activities. There are six main types

of contaminants in drinking water sources.

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses, bacteria, and parasites. Sources include sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, pets, and wildlife.

- Inorganic contaminants include salts and metals from natural sources (e.g. rock and soil), oil and gas production, mining and farming operations, urban stormwater runoff, and wastewater discharges.

- Pesticide: Generally, any substance or mixture of substances intended for preventing, destroying, repelling, or mitigating any pest.

- Herbicide: Any chemical(s) used to control undesirable vegetation.

- Organic chemical contaminants include synthetic and volatile organic compounds. Sources include industrial processes and petroleum production, gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.

- Radioactive contaminants such as radium, thorium, and uranium isotopes come from natural sources (e.g. radon gas from soils and rock), mining operations, and oil and gas production.

The Minnesota Department of Health provides information about your drinking water source(s) in a source water assessment, including:

- How Cambridge is protecting your drinking water source(s);

- Nearby threats to your drinking water sources;

- How easily water and pollution can move from the surface of the land into drinking water sources, based on natural geology and the way wells are constructed.

Find your source water assessment at Source Water Assessments (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/water/swp/swa.html>) or call 651-201-4700 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Lead in Drinking Water

Lead can cause serious health problems, babies, children under six years, and pregnant women are at the highest risk. You may be

in contact with lead through paint, water, dust, soil, food, hobbies, or your job. There is no safe level of lead.

Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Our water system is responsible for proving high quality drinking water and removing lead pipes from service lines but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components in your home. You can take responsibility by identifying and removing lead materials within your home plumbing and taking steps to reduce your family's risk.

Read below to learn how you can protect yourself from lead in drinking water.

1. Let the water run before drinking tap water flush your pipes for several minutes by running your tap. If you have a lead service line, you may need to let the water run longer. A service line is the underground pipe that brings water from the main water pipe under the street to your home.

- Activities such as taking a shower, doing laundry or dishes help keep water moving in your home system but are not a replacement for running the tap before you drink if it has not been used for a long period of time.

- The only way to know if lead has been reduced by letting it run is to check with a test. If letting the water run does not reduce lead, consider other options to reduce your exposure.

2. Know your service line materials by contacting your public water system, or you can search for your address online at the Minnesota Lead Inventory Tracking Tool (<https://maps.umn.edu/LSL/>).

- Protect Your Tap: A quick check for lead (<https://www.epa.gov/ground-water-and-drinking-water/protect-your-tap-quick-check-lead>) is EPA's step by step guide to learn how to find lead pipes in your home.

3. Use cold water for drinking, making food, and making baby formula. Hot water releases more lead from pipes than cold water.

- Test your water. In most cases

Total HAA refers to HAAs

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letting the water run and using cold water for drinking and cooking should keep lead levels low in your drinking water.

Contact a Minnesota Department of Health accredited laboratory to purchase a sample container and instructions on how to submit a sample:

Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Program (https://eldo.web.health.state.mn.us/public/accreditedlabs/labsearch.seam)

The Minnesota Department of Health can help you understand your test results.

Treat your water if a test shows your water has high levels of lead after you let the water run. You can use a filter certified with ANSI/NSF standards 53 and 42 for lead reduction.

Read about water treatment units:

Point-of-Use Water Treatment Units for Lead Reduction (https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/water/factsheet/poulead.html)

Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and other steps you can take to minimize exposure are available at:

Visit EPA Basic Information about Lead in Drinking Water (http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead)

Visit the Minnesota department of Health Lead in Drinking Water (https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/water/contaminants/lead.html)

To learn about how to reduce your contact with lead from sources other than your drinking water, visit Lead Poisoning Prevention: Common Sources (https://www.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/lead/fs/common.html)

Be Aware: Head Start Programs, Child Care Centers, Public and Charter Schools all have requirements to test for lead in drinking water. These programs can learn more about requirements and resources for testing and remediation at MDH Drinking Water in Schools and Child Cares (https://www.web.health.state.mn.us/communities/environment/water/schools/index.html)

Help Protect Our Most Precious Resource - Water Conservation

Conservation is essential, even in the land of 10,000 lakes. For example, in parts of the metropolitan area, groundwater is being used faster than it can be replaced.

We must use our water wisely. Below are some tips to help you and your family conserve - and save money in the process.

Fix running toilets—they can waste hundreds of gallons of water.

Turn off the tap while shaving or brushing your teeth.

Shower instead of bathe. Bathing uses more water than showering, on average.

Only run full loads of laundry, and set the washing machine to the correct water level.

Only run the dishwasher when it's full.

Use water-efficient appliances (look for the Water Sense label).

Use water-friendly landscaping, such as native plants.

When you do water your yard, water slowly, deeply, and less frequently. Water early in the morning and close to the ground.

Service Line Replacement

As a result of recent state and federal funding opportunities, the replacement of the lead service line owned by the property owner may be completed at no cost to the owner.

must be met to be eligible for these funds. If the property owner replaces the service line without coordinating with Cambridge, the property owner will be responsible for all costs related to the replacement of the privately owned service line.

Additional Information

Sprinkling Guidelines: To maintain an adequate water supply and ensure the public's safety, the City of Cambridge adopted Ordinance No. 450 that states that residents comply with the following guidelines on water sprinkling:

For instance, all city properties with odd numbered house number address only sprinkle lawns on odd numbered days. (Example: 981 Cypress Street South may sprinkle lawn on May 21, 23, 25, etc.) There will be NO sprinkling from noon to 6:00 p.m. All non-established lawns can water every day for a period of six weeks except for the hours of noon to 6:00 p.m.

Over seeding or spot patching of existing established yards can be watered every day with a hand-controlled hose. This is in effect from May 1 through August 31st.

This report is not being directly mailed to all customers but a copy is available upon request. www.ci.cambridge.mn.us Published in the Isanti-Chisago County STAR on May 7, 2026

FORECLOSURES

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Minnesota Uniform Conveyancing Blanks
Minn. Stat. 580.025, 580.04
Form 60.2.1 (2009)
DATE: April 23, 2026

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that default has occurred in the conditions of the following described Mortgage:

INFORMATION REGARDING MORTGAGE TO BE FORECLOSED

1. Date of Mortgage: July 11, 2022

2. Mortgagors: Elijah Benner, an unmarried person.

3. Mortgagees: Figure Lending LLC.

4. Recording Information: Recorded on July 15, 2022, as Document Number A517553, in the Office of the County Recorder of Isanti County, Minnesota.

5. Assignments of Mortgage, if any: Assigned to Valley Strong Credit Union, by written assignment recorded on October 2, 2024, as Document Number A532993 in the recording office stated in paragraph 4.

INFORMATION REGARDING MORTGAGED PREMISES

6. Tax parcel identification number of the mortgaged premises: 14.044.0080

7. Legal description of the mortgaged premises:

That part of Lot 1 of Auditor's Subdivision Number 7, to the Village of Braham, described as followed Commencing at a point 649 feet South of the Northeast corner of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 2, In Township 37 North, of Range 23 West, Isanti County, Minnesota then South along the East line of said Forty, a distance of 240 feet, then at a right angle West 350 feet then North at a right angle, and parallel with the East line of said Forty, a distance of 240 feet, and thence at a right angle 350 feet, to point of commencement and there to terminate.

Excepting therefrom that part thereof lying southerly of a line described as follows: Said line to commence at a point 746.67 feet south of the Northeast corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section 2, In Township 37 North, of Range 23 West, Isanti County, Minnesota as measured along the east line of sold Northwest Quarter, thence deflecting to the right (West) 90 degrees, 350 feet, more or less, to the West line of said Auditor's Lot 1, and said line there terminating, Isanti County, Minnesota.

Check here if all or part of the described real property is Registered (Torrens)

8. The physical street address, city, and zip code of the mortgaged premises: 408 Cherry Ave N, Braham, MN 55006.

OTHER FORECLOSURE DATA

9. The person holding the Mortgage:

is not a transaction agent, as defined by Minn. Stat. 58.02, subd. 30.

The name(s) of the residential mortgage servicer and the lender or broker, as defined in Minn. Stat. 58.02, is/are Valley Strong Credit Union.

10. If stated on the Mortgage, the name of the mortgage originator, as defined in Minn. Stat. 58.02, is Figure Lending LLC.

INFORMATION REGARDING FORECLOSURE

11. The requisites of Minn. Stat. 580.02 have been satisfied.

12. The original principal amount secured by the Mortgage was \$68,079.00.

13. At the date of this notice the amount due on the Mortgage, including taxes, if any, paid by the holder of the Mortgage, is: \$84,297.52.

14. Pursuant to the power of sale in the Mortgage, the Mortgage will be foreclosed, and the mortgaged premises will be sold by the Sheriff of Isanti County, Minnesota, at public auction on 06/30/2026, 10:00 AM., 2440 Main St S, Cambridge, MN 55008.

15. The time allowed by law for redemption by Mortgagor or Mortgagor's personal representatives or assigns is six (6) months after the date of sale.

16. Minn. Stat. 580.04(b) provides, "If the real estate is an owner-occupied, single-family dwelling, the notice must also specify the date on or before which the mortgagor must vacate the property if the mortgage is not reinstated under section 580.30 or the property redeemed under section 580.23." If this statute applies, the time to vacate the property is 11:59 p.m. On 12/31/2026.

THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES, SECTION 582.032, DETERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF LESS THAN FIVE UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABANDONED.

Name of Mortgagee or Mortgage Assignee:

Valley Strong Credit Union
Name and address of Attorney for Mortgagee or Mortgage Assignee:
Schneiderman & Sherman P.C.
8530 Eagle Point Blvd.
Suite 100
Lake Elmo, MN 55042
26-000473-1

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PROBATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA ISANTI COUNTY DISTRICT COURT 10TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Court File Number: 30-PR-26-7

Case Type: Informal Probate

Notice of Informal Probate of Will and Appointment of Personal Representative and Notice to Creditors

In Re The Estate Of Tracy Denise Guaman, Deceased

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

Notice is hereby given that an application for informal probate of the above-named Decedent's Last Will dated May 3, 2007 has been filed with the Probate Registrar, and

the application has been granted. Notice is also given that the Probate Registrar has informally appointed the following:

Self-Represented Litigant: Karen Oeltjen
Address: 722 100th ST Amery WI 54001

Email: karenoeeltjen@gmail.com
Phone Number: 715-821-6613

as Personal Representative of the Estate of the Decedent. Any heir, devisee or other interested person may be entitled to appointment as Personal Representative, or may object to the appointment of the Personal Representative. Unless objections are filed pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 524.3-607, and the court otherwise orders, the Personal Representative has full power to administer the Estate, including, after 30 days from the date of issuance of letters, the power to sell, encumber, lease or distribute real estate. Any objections to the probate of the Will, or to the appointment of the personal representative, must be filed with this court, and will be heard by the court after the filing of an appropriate petition and proper notice of hearing.

Notice is also given that, subject to Minn. Stat. § 524.3-801, all creditors having claims against the Estate are required to present the claims to the Personal Representative or to the Court Administrator within four (4) months after the date of this Notice, or the claims will be barred.

Pamela Kreier, Probate Registrar
Date: March 18, 2026
Erin Boettcher, Court Administrator
Date: March 18, 2026

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NOTICES

NOTICE FANNIE LAKE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

Fannie Lake Improvement District / Aquatic Conservation Services will be treating Fannie Lake for Curly leaf pondweed with Flumioxazin sometime after May 10, 2026.

Some areas of the lake may be treated within 150 feet of the shoreline. If you do not want this treatment within 150 feet of your shoreline, contact one of the Fannie Lake Improvement District board members prior to May 8, 2026.

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GENERAL NOTICE OF CORPORATE DISSOLUTION OF WILD HARE MANUFACTURING INC.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Please be advised that the Minnesota Business Corporation known as Wild Hare Manufacturing Inc., heretofore organized and existing under the provisions of Minnesota Statutes Chapter 302A, whose registered office and principal executive office is 6061 259th Ave. NE, Stacy, Isanti County, MN 55079-6127, is in the process of dissolving.

Pursuant to shareholder action dated December 10, 2025, the corporation will be dissolved in accordance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes Sections 302A.721 and 302A.727.

A Notice of Intent to Dissolve, as provided for under Minnesota Statutes Section 302A.721 has been filed by the corporation with the Minnesota Secretary of State on April 10, 2026.

All debts owed to the corporation and all claims against the corporation will be received by Michael (Mike) P. Bensen and must be presented in

writing at 6061 259th Ave. NE, Stacy, MN 55079-6127 by July 22, 2026.

Dated: April 16, 2026

/s/ Michael P. Bensen
Corporate President/CEO

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PUBLIC HEARING

PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF ISANTI PLANNING COMMISSION

Public Hearing on May 19th, 2026
Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, May 19, 2026, at 6:00pm at the Isanti City Hall located at 110 First Avenue NW; the Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on the following item(s):

1) Request by Pump Republic Gym for a Conditional Use Permit for 687 E Dual Parkway NE - Suite B to operate a fitness center under City Ordinance 445 Section 18.

2) Request by the City of Isanti for Annexation by Property Owner Petition and Zoning Map Amendment for city-owned parcels 05.029.3200 and 05.029.3000.

3) Request by the City of Isanti for a Zoning Text and Map Amendment to repeal and remove the Tier One Zoning District in accordance with Minnesota Statute § 462.357, Subd. 1.

4) Request by the City of Isanti for a Zoning Text Amendment to include all Fraxinus species (Ash trees) on the prohibited tree list, including but not limited to Green Ash, White Ash, Black Ash, and Blue Ash.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY OF ISANTI, MINNESOTA.

Jared Haas
Associate Planner

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PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF CAMBRIDGE ISANTI COUNTY STATE OF MINNESOTA

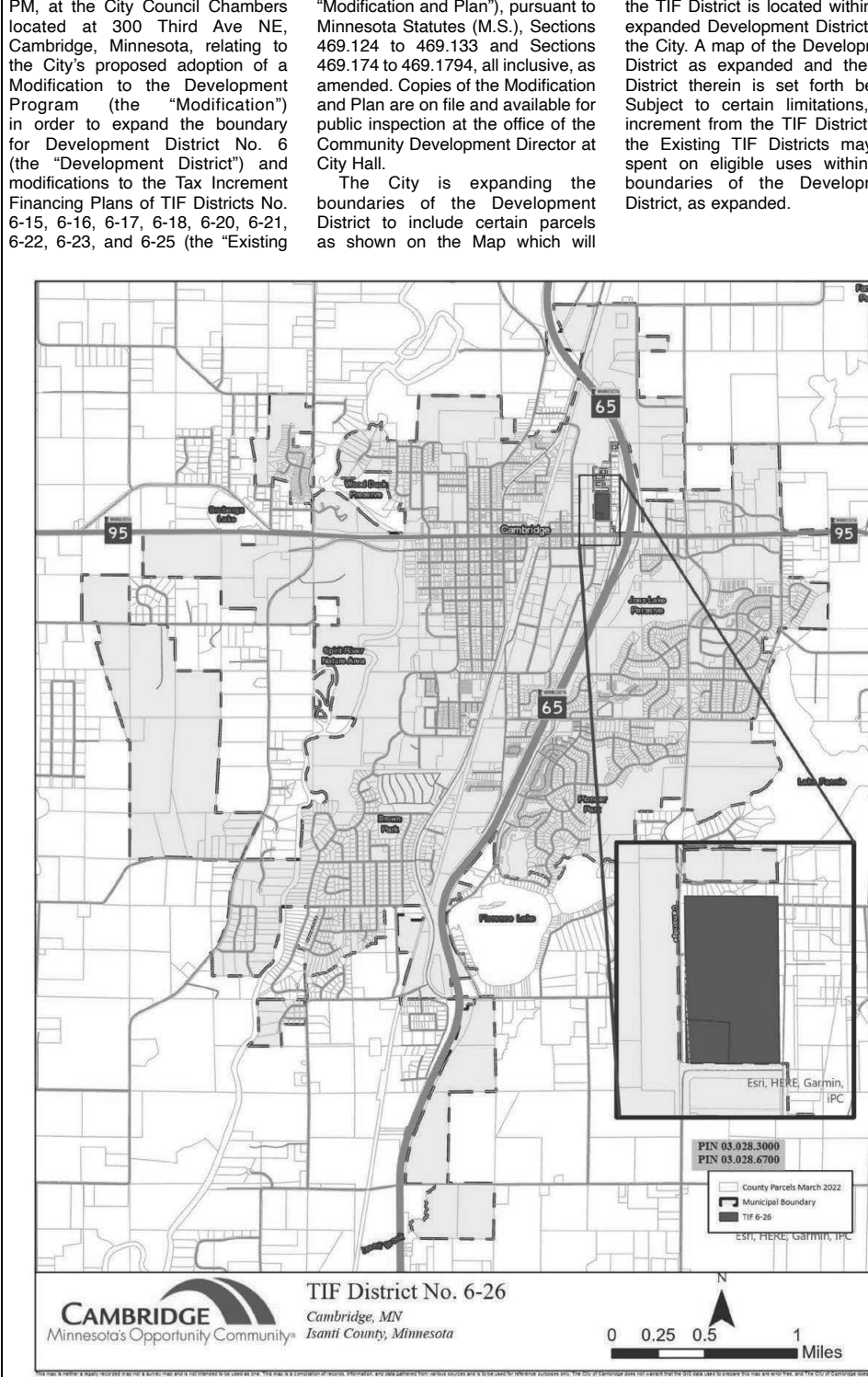
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Cambridge (the "City"), Isanti County, State of Minnesota, will hold a public hearing on May 18, 2026 beginning at approximately 6:00 PM, at the City Council Chambers located at 300 Third Ave NE, Cambridge, Minnesota, relating to the City's proposed adoption of a Modification to the Development Program (the "Modification") in order to expand the boundary for Development District No. 6 (the "Development District") and modifications to the Tax Increment Financing Plans of TIF Districts No. 6-15, 6-16, 6-17, 6-18, 6-20, 6-21, 6-22, 6-23, and 6-25 (the "Existing

TIF Districts Modifications") therein; and the proposed establishment of Tax Increment Financing District No. 6-26 (a housing tax increment financing district) (the "TIF District") within the Development District and proposed adoption of a Tax Increment Financing Plan (the "TIF Plan") therefor (collectively, the "Modification and Plan"), pursuant to Minnesota Statutes (M.S.), Sections 469.124 to 469.133 and Sections 469.174 to 469.1794, all inclusive, as amended. Copies of the Modification and Plan are on file and available for public inspection at the office of the Community Development Director at City Hall.

The City is expanding the boundaries of the Development District to include certain parcels as shown on the Map which will

be included in the TIF District. The boundaries of the Development District will be coterminous with the corporate boundaries of the City. The Existing TIF Districts Modifications are included in the modifications in order to incorporate the expanded area of the Development District.

The property to be included in the TIF District is located within the expanded Development District and the City. A map of the Development District as expanded and the TIF District therein is set forth below. Subject to certain limitations, tax increment from the TIF District and the Existing TIF Districts may be spent on eligible uses within the boundaries of the Development District, as expanded.



BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MINNESOTA

/s/ City Clerk
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BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MINNESOTA

ISANTI AND CHISAGO COUNTY COURT REPORTS

The following felony charges were filed in Isanti County Court on April 26 - May 2. All individuals are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

Dale Arthur Hill, III (DOB 08/12/1991) of Saint Francis, was charged April 28 with Drugs - 5th Degree - Possess Schedule 1,2,3,4 or paraphernalia residual - Not cannabis/hemp.

Austin Fred Lee Cromwell (DOB 03/07/1997) of Cambridge, was charged April 29 with Fleeing a Peace Officer in a Motor Vehicle.

The following felony charges were filed in Chisago County Court on April 25 - May 2. All individuals are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

Christy Marie Anderson (DOB 09/04/1979) of Hugo, was charged April 27 with Fugitive from Justice from Other State - extradition waived.

Robert Roe Lewandowski (DOB 04/20/1975) of St. Cloud, was charged April 28 with Drugs - 3rd Degree - Possess 10 grams or more a narcotic drug other than heroin or fentanyl.

Wesley Allen Robinson (DOB 10/18/1983) of Finlayson, was charged April 28 with one count of Receiving Stolen Property; and one count of Drugs - 5th Degree - Possess Schedule 1,2,3,4 or paraphernalia residual - Not cannabis/hemp.

Michael James Rueb (DOB 08/26/1985) of Lindstrom, was charged May 1 with Issue Dishonored Check-Offense.

All interested persons may appear at the hearing and present their views orally or prior to the meeting in writing.

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Send the STAR a photo of your veteran, past or present along with \$4 by May 19. Photos will be published in a full color special section May 21.

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