

Wauzeka-Steuben Buzz

301 E Main St. Wauzeka, WI 53826

November 2023



Disney BEAUTY and the BEAST JR.

The
Wauzeka-Steuben Hornet House Cast and Crew would like to thank everyone who donated, attended, or volunteered toward our production of Beauty and the Beast Jr. With 75 students involved from grades 3 through 12, this musical was our biggest production yet. Your continued support of the fine-arts program here at W-S is always appreciated and helps our productions grow. Thank you for sharing in this "Tale as Old as Time"



Hornet House Productions



Interim District Administrator-Dr. Gary Albrecht
Nikki Asleson-President Ken Buck-Vice President

Board of Education
Tom Martin-Clerk

District Principal-Mrs. Tiffany Dums
Mara Hird-Treasurer Jessie Bird-Member

PBIS ASSEMBLY

During October's elementary PBIS assembly we recognized our Independent Owls, students that always try and put in effort before asking for help.



Elementary students of the month

Kindergartener, Levi Patton, son of Jolene Patton. Levi works very hard in the classroom and does a great job of following directions the first time. He is also a very trustworthy and responsible student. He works very hard on all his work and Mrs. Cathy is very proud of his hard work so far this school year.



First grader, Jensen Folbrecht, son of Dayton and Lacy Folbrecht. Jensen follows directions and routines without needing reminders. He completes his work on his own and makes good choices, even when a teacher is not watching. He also doesn't interrupt during instruction and finds the appropriate time to ask questions.



Second grader, Isabelle Read, daughter of Ben and Nicole Read. Isabelle has been working hard this year to make good choices. She has been responsible with her time and work. She has been a leader and role model, even during after school activities. Isabelle has a positive attitude and a great attitude towards learning. Isabelle is kind and considerate of her peers and is always willing to step up and help when needed.

Third grader, Braelynn Huber, daughter of Johnathon Huber and Katrina Swatek. Braelynn is a great all-around role model. She does everything that she is supposed to do without having to be redirected. She always follows the PBIS expectations where she is safe, responsible, and respectful which sets a very nice example for all. She is also extremely hardworking where she is able to get all of her work completed and handed in on time. Lastly, she did a very nice job this past month demonstrating the word of the month which was Independence. She was able to work with stamina and great independence. For reasons listed above, Braelynn is very well deserving of the prestigious title of Student of the Month.



Fourth grader, Kailey Patton, daughter of Jolene Patton. Kailey is such a hard worker in school. She puts her maximum effort into every assignment. She asks for help when she needs it. Additionally, she consistently completes her homework assignments and puts her best effort into them. Kailey also shows respect to others and herself. She's very considerate of others and their learning needs. She also does a great job showing others how to be safe and responsible in and outside of the classroom. She's a great example of what a Wauzeka-Steuben Hornet should strive for.

Fifth grader, Dominic Ragan, son of David and Jessica Ragan. Dominic has been pushing himself this year to learn his math facts. He takes his flashcards home almost every night and has been making nice progress on knowing his multiplication facts. He has been turning in work that shows he cares. Dominic also listens in class and does what is right, even when his friends aren't making the best choices. Dominic's hard work so far this year, along with his desire to be better are characteristics that make him a great choice as Student of the Month. Keep working hard, Dom!



MS/HS students of the month

Junior, Zoey Jelinek, daughter of Chad and Amy Jelinek, has had an amazing year so far. She is always going above and beyond in the classroom as well as being a leader for her peers. She asks questions and always turns in work on time.

Freshman, Violet Mitchell, daughter of Bart and Amy Mitchell, does great work in class and also has been a huge help organizing her class and keeping them on track with all activities. She has shown great leadership, and she goes out of her way to ask great questions in class too!

Eighth Grader, Devyn Allert, daughter of Craig Allert and Amanda Mezera, has been working hard this year. She enjoys the topics discussed in class and when tasked with an assignment or project, she goes above and beyond. She has been a pleasure to have in class.

Seventh Grader, Daven Becwar, son of Matthew and Angel Becwar and Kaitlin Pettis, picks up all the balls and toys from the playground every single day, which is a huge help. He is doing very well in class this year, always completing his work and actually going above and beyond what is asked of him. Daven has shown great growth since last year.





School District of Wauzeka-Steuben



Dr. Gary Albrecht
District Administrator
Ext. 214

Mr. Kevin Kilburg
Director of Special
Education
Ext. 280

Mrs. Tiffany Dums
District Principal
Ext. 211

AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK – NOVEMBER 13-17, 2023

Thank you to the Wauzeka-Steuben School staff, school board, and our community as we celebrate American Education Week!

The concept of a free or public education for all American children is not a new one. Its roots lie with our Founding Fathers, when Thomas Jefferson proposed a system of decentralized education in Virginia. Successful across the US, it did however it take a few more years until American Education Week was created!

Celebrated the week before Thanksgiving, American Education Week has been recognized since 1921. Following World War I, it was discovered that many of the military draftees were illiterate. The American Legion and the American Education Association joined together to develop ways in which public education could be improved and highlighted. Since then, many other public educational organizations have joined forces to promote the awareness campaign and provide vast amounts of information and materials for all to use.

American Education week exists to celebrate the potential of all American Students, recognize, and give thanks to the teachers and professionals working within the education system as well as honoring the parents and guardians who support and encourage. It also works to continuously improve the education system and ensure that learning is lifelong and not just restricted to a classroom!

Great efforts go into working toward our common goal of providing a safe and conducive place for young people to learn and grow – academically, socially, and emotionally.

Our school has outstanding support and our students demonstrate a high level of commitment in their efforts to achieve excellence in academics, activities, and athletics. We are proud to be Hornets!

Thank you, and join us in our journey to continue our vision of excellence!

On behalf of our school community,

Dr. Gary L. Albrecht
Interim District Administrator

Inspiring passion and achievement in all learners

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UPCOMING WAUZKA-STEUBEN SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

November 27th 6:30 PM Regular/Library

(Please note that the November School Board meeting date has switched from November 20th to November 27th)

December 18th 6:30 PM Regular/Library

January 15th 6:30 PM Regular/Library

February 19th 6:30 PM Regular/Library

March 18th 6:30 PM Regular/Library

April 22nd 6:30 PM Regular/Library

May 20th 6:30 PM Regular/Library

June 17th 6:30 PM Regular/Library

School Board agendas will be emailed to radio stations WPRE and KADR, to the District's website manager, and to the Clerk of the Village Board of Steuben for posting. Copies of the agenda will be posted at the front and rear doors of the school, at Peoples State Bank, the Wauzeka BP, and the faculty/staff lounge'. The meetings will also be noticed in the school newsletters.

The above are scheduled school board meetings. Special meetings will be called as needed and posted locally.

BIG NEWS FOR MATH TEAM!

Huge congratulations to our Math Team and Mr. Dums! They placed 1st in Division 4 at the UW-Platteville Math Team competition, with Mollie Hooker, Emma Steinhorst, and Maria Pastor all medaling. Congratulations to everyone!



Mini Business World at CESA

On October 25th, 5 girls from the marketing class made the trip to CESA in Ferrimore to participate in Mini Business World. Here students were put into groups with other students from surrounding schools where they had to create a business plan for a prototype. Brooke and Avery were even on the winning team: The Snoozer's Sleepwear. Everyone had a great time!



Design & STEAM class trip



The Design and Steam class went to ATI in Coon Valley to tour the building. ATI makes parts for airplanes. It was very cool to see the designs and processes the company does.

FFA STUDENTS ATTEND CONVENTION IN INDIANAPOLIS

Wauzeka-Stauben was represented in Indianapolis, Indiana for national convention. The FFA Members enjoyed their time there. They toured a honey farm, wildlife rescue, heartland growers, and the convention! They even snuck in a few extra fun things. A fun time was had by all.



HOSA TRIPS

HOSA fall leadership at UW-Eau Claire. They learned about the HOSA organization and different career options for our futures. It was very informative!



UW-Platteville Exploration Day

The students attended UW-Platteville exploration day. Here they learned about different careers and how to get there, and toured the cadaver lab. They got to perform many hands-on activities like CPR. They learned a lot!



Congratulations to our Fall All-Conference Award Winners for Football and Volleyball:

Football

Lucius Cooley- Running Back

1st Team All-Conference

Nick Walz- Center

Ben Bird- O-Line

Cooper Lomas- Kicker & Punter

Cohen Redman- Linebacker

2nd Team All-Conference

Nick Walz- D-Line

Paul Krachey- O-Line

Cohen Redman- Running Back

Honorable Mention

Gabe Kapinus- D-Line

SWS Team awards: for Wauzeka-Steuben players.

Ben Bird- Offensive Lineman of the year

Cohen Redman- Offensive Player of the year

Gabe Kapinus- Most Improved

Lucius Cooley- Comeback Player of the year

Jonah Klema- Comeback Player of the year

Nick Walz- Defensive Lineman of the year

Cooper Lomas- Rookie of the year

Will Zander- Unsung Hero

All Academic Team for Football:

Ben Bird, Jonah Klema, Paul Krachey, Gabe Kapinus and Cohen Redman



Volleyball

Cameron Hurda - 1st Team All-Conference

Kley Manning - Honorable Mention

Gwenn Walz - Honorable Mention

Morgan Berger - Sportsmanship Team

Congratulations to all!

Booster Club News (Fall 2022-Fall 2023)

The Booster Club, which is run by parents of athletes in the Wauzeka-Steuben School District, would like to thank the parents and community members for the continued support through our various concessions and fundraisers throughout the year. With your help and support, we have been able to contribute towards numerous purchases over the last year, some of which are listed below:

- HUDL- (Volleyball, boys and girls basketball, football)
- Yearbook Ad
- Refrigerator
- Freezer
- Booster Club Sponsor Sign
- Volleyball summer league
- Girls basketball summer league
- Boys basketball summer league
- Supplies for concession stands (cleaning supplies, pots, pans, etc.)
- Senior banners
- Volleyball uniforms
- Boys Basketball uniforms
- Girls Basketball uniforms
- Cross Country uniforms
- Track uniforms
- Football Conference plaques
- Boys Basketball Conference plaques
- Girls Basketball Conference plaques
- Track discus
- State track plaques
- Pizzas for football program team meal
- Booster Club Scholarships
- Donation to WBCA All-Star Game MAC Fund
- Baseball bats
- Softball bats

The Booster Club appreciates all you do for Hornet athletics!

BREAKFAST

DECEMBER 2023

Wauzeka Steuben School District

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

4
Long John
Egg Patty

5
Pancake Wrap
w/Syrup
PBj

6
Yogurt Parfaits
Choice of Toppings
Muffins

7
Hornet Sandwich
French Toast

8
Scrambled Eggs
w/biscuit
PBj

11
Freshly Baked
Cinnamon Roll
Frudel

12
Sausage Gravy
w/biscuit
Egg Patty

13
French Toast
w/syrup
PBj

14
Choice of
School-made
Muffins

15
Breakfast Pizza
Yogurt Cup

18
WG Donut
PBj

19
Waffle
Sausage Links
Muffin

20
Combo Bar
PBj

21
NO SCHOOL

22
NO SCHOOL

25
NO SCHOOL

26
NO SCHOOL

27
NO SCHOOL

28
NO SCHOOL

29
NO SCHOOL

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LUNCH

DECEMBER 2023

Wauzeka Steuben School District

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

4
Choice of Pizza
Steamed Carrots
Applesauce Cup

5
Taco Tuesday
Chips or Wrap
All the Toppings
Applesauce

6
Breaded Chicken
Patty w/bun
Cheese Fries
Banana

7
Sweet & Sour
Meatballs w/Rice
Fresh baked Bread
Peas and Peaches

8
Spaghetti
w/Meat Sauce
Bread Stick
Green Beans

11
Cheese Dippers
Marinara Sauce
Broccoli & Cheese
Applesauce Cup

12
Cheeseburger
Waffle Fries
Baked Beans
Pineapple

13
Holiday Meal

14
Lasagna
Bread Stick
Buttery Corn
Banana or Pears

15
Chicken Nuggets
Mashed Potatoes
Peaches

18
Orange Chicken
Steamed Carrots
Pineapple

19
Corn Dogs
Fries
Steamed Corn
Banana

20
Pizza
Corn
Applesauce Cup

21
NO SCHOOL

22
NO SCHOOL

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NO SCHOOL

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NO SCHOOL

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NO SCHOOL

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NO SCHOOL

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NO SCHOOL

SALAD BAR OFFERED DAILY

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December



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1.	2. HSWR @ Darlington 9:00 AM
3.	4. HSBB @ Lancaster 6:00 PM MSBB vs. N. Crawford 6:00 PM	5. HSBB vs. De Soto 6:00 PM (varsity only)	6. Holiday Concert 6:00 PM Doll Gym	7. HSBB vs De Soto 6:00 PM MSBB @ De Soto 6:00 PM	8. HSGB @ LaFarge 6:00 PM MSBB @ Ithaca 6:00 PM	9. Lion's Club
10.	11. HSBB @ River Ridge 6:00 PM	12. MSBB @ Boscobel 4:30 PM	13.	14. HSBB @ Seneca 6:00 PM MSBB vs Weston 6:00 PM	15. HSGB @ Seneca 6:00 PM MSBB vs Seneca 6:00 PM HSWR @ Boscobel 7:00 PM	16. Doll Gym Secret Santa Workshop 11-2 HSWR @ Richland Center 9:00 AM
17.	18. HSGB vs Highland 6:00 HSWR @ Platteville 5:00 PM	19. HSBB vs N. Crawford 6:00 PM	20. Early Release 1:30 PM	21. HSGB vs Ithaca 6:00 PM No School Stinger Performance	22. HSBB @ LaFarge 6:00 PM	23.
24.	25. No School	26. No School	27. No School	28. HSGB @ Boscobel 7:00 PM/5:00 PM HSBB @ Boscobel 5:00 PM/7:00 PM	29. No School	30.
31.						



**WAUZEKA
HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR
& BAKE SALE**

**DECEMBER 2, 2023
9AM-2PM**

HORNETS NEST GYM

**HOT FOOD & REFRESHMENTS
AVAILABLE**

*ALL PROCEEDS DONATED TO THE FRESHMEN STUDENTS FOR THEIR WASHINGTON DC TRIP
& THE SENIOR STUDENTS FOR THEIR SENIOR BASKETBALL*

Wauzeka-Steuben Girls Basketball 2023 Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Game Time</u>
November 14	Southwestern (varsity only)	Southwestern	7:00
November 16	Lancaster	WS	6:00
November 30	North Crawford	WS	6:00
December 5	De Soto (varsity only)	WS	6:00
December 8	La Farge	La Farge	6:00
December 15	Seneca	Seneca	6:00
December 18	Highland	WS	6:00
December 21	Ithaca	WS	6:00
December 28	Boscobel	Boscobel	Time varies
January 9	River Ridge	River Ridge	6:00
January 11	Kickapoo	WS	6:00
January 15	Potosi/Cassville	Cassville	6:00
January 18	North Crawford	North Crawford	6:00
January 23	De Soto (varsity only)	De Soto	6:00
January 26	Seneca	WS	6:00
January 29	Belmont	Belmont	6:00
February 1	La Farge	WS	6:00
February 6	Ithaca	Ithaca	6:00
February 9	Kickapoo	Kickapoo	6:00
February 12	Hillsboro	WS	6:00
February 15	Weston JV New Lisbon Varsity	WS	6:00 JV/7:15 V
February 17	Viroqua	WS	1:00



Wauzeka-Steuben Boys Basketball 2023 Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Game Time</u>
November 20	Prairie du Chien	Prairie du Chien	6:00
November 28	Southwestern	WS	6:00
December 4	Lancaster	Lancaster	6:00
December 7	De Soto	WS	6:00
December 11	River Ridge	River Ridge	6:00
December 14	Seneca	Seneca	6:00
December 19	North Crawford	WS	6:00
December 22	La Farge	La Farge	6:00
December 28	Boscobel	Boscobel	Time varies
January 2	Cassville	WS	6:00
January 9	Weston	WS	6:00
January 12	Kickapoo	Kickapoo	6:00
January 16	Ithaca	WS	6:00
January 22	Potosi	WS	6:00
January 25	Seneca	WS	6:00
January 30	Brookwood	WS	6:00
February 2	De Soto	De Soto	6:00
February 8	Kickapoo	WS	6:00
February 13	La Farge	WS	6:00
February 16	Weston	Weston	6:00
February 19	North Crawford	North Crawford	6:00
February 22	Ithaca	Ithaca	6:00



Wauzeka-Steuben Wrestling 2023 schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
December 2nd	Darlington	9:00 AM
December 15th	Boscobel	7:00 PM
December 16th	Richland Center	9:00 AM
December 18th	Platteville	5:00 PM
January 5th	Darlington	6:00 PM
January 6th	Kickapoo	10:00 AM
January 11th	Boscobel	7:00 PM
January 13th	Weston	10:00 AM
January 18th	Viroqua	6:00 PM
January 19th	Richland center/ Riverdale	6:00 PM
January 27th	River Ridge	9:30 AM
February 3rd	Mineral Point conference	9:00 AM



Wauzeka-Steuben FBLA Helps Santa

Santa and his elves are busier than ever, so they asked the FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) to help them during this busy holiday season!

Santa's sleigh is in need of repair and the elves are still busy making toys, so FBLA volunteered to help! Let's work together to ensure Santa can make the long trip this Christmas.

For just \$5.00, you can receive a personalized letter from Santa Claus for a child. Please complete the information below and return to your child's teacher or the W-S School office. (301 E. Main St., Wauzeka, WI 53826 Attn: FBLA) Santa ensures the letter will be received before Christmas.

If you have any questions, please contact Alissa Mullikin, FBLA advisor, at 608-875-5311 ext. 268 or mulliali@wauzeka.k12.wi.us.

This is a community service project and all proceeds will be donated to local charities

Child's Name: _____

Address : _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Name of (1) family member: example (Mom, Dad, Grandparent, Aunt, Uncle, sibling or friend)

Wish List: No more than (2) items. _____



Love, Santa and FBLA organization



Veteran's Day

Wauzeka-Steuben held a Veteran's Day program on Friday, November 10th. The Hornet Council educated us on the different branches of the military and Andrew Ringgold came in and spoke about his experiences. We honored all Veterans and thanked them for their Service.

This is a day to honor those who have served in the army. Veterans day is on Saturday November 11th. Before President Wilson renamed Veterans day, it was originally called Armistice Day. Veterans Day is another way of saying "the war to end all wars." A moment of silence is taken at 11:11 AM to honor those who have served. This is a universal recognition of the celebrated ending of World War 1.

It was legally made a federal holiday in 1938. . If you know or see a veteran take the time to thank them for their service because the world we live in today would not be possible without their sacrifice.

"To us in America, the reflections of Armistice Day will be filled with solemn pride in the heroism of those who died in the country's service and with gratitude for the victory, both because of the thing from which it has freed us and because of the opportunity it has given America to show her sympathy with peace and justice in the councils of the nations."--President Wilson.



COMMUNITY NEWS

301 E Main St. Wauzeka, WI 53826

November 2023

MINUTES OF WAUZEKA TOWN BOARD MEETING

November 6, 2023

The regular monthly meeting for the Town of Wauzeka was called to order at 6:30 pm on Monday, November 6, 2023 in the Town Meeting Room by Chairman Tom Jazdzewski.

Verification was made that the meeting was properly posted at the Town Meeting Room, Bush Hollow Road, Horseshoe Tavern, Oak Lane, and on WPRE Radio Station.

Roll Call was taken with all present.

Mike McGuire made a motion to approve the minutes of the last meeting, seconded by Casey Reising. Motion Carried.

Mike McGuire made a motion to accept the treasurer's report, seconded by Tom Jazdzewski. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Mike McGuire to approve the monthly bills, seconded by Casey Reising. Motion Carried.

Discussed Gran Grae Bridge Loan. A motion was made by Tom Jazdzewski to take out a loan for Gran Grae Bridge for the amount of \$200,000 at the rate of 5.85% for a 10 year term. Mike McGuire seconded it. Roll Call Vote: Tom Jazdzewski-Yes; Mike McGuire-Yes; Casey Reising-Yes. Motion Carried.

Discussed Wauzeka Fire & Rescue Procurement Policy.. A motion was made by Tom Jazdzewski to approve the Wauzeka Fire & Rescue Procurement Policy. Mike McGuire seconded it. Motion Carried.

Roads: Working on Bush Hollow Culvert. Building Permits: None Public Comments: None

A motion was made by Tom Jazdzewski to adjourn the meeting at 7:10 pm, seconded by Mike McGuire. Motion Carried.

Shawna L. Walz
Wauzeka Town Clerk

District News & Information

301 E Main St. Wauzeka. WI 53826

November 2023

School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, in accordance with Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972 and other Federal and State regulations, hereby declares that it is committed to the principle of equal education and employment opportunity and, accordingly, does not discriminate as to sex, race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation, or physical, mental, emotional, or learning disability. Any inquiries or complaints alleging non-compliance with Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972 or other Federal and State civil rights or nondiscrimination regulations shall be referred to District Administrator Dr. Gary Albrecht at the School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, 301 E. Main St., Wauzeka, WI 53826, (e-mail) albregar@wauzeka.k12.wi.us (call) 608-875-5311 ext. 214 and/or Jamie Nutter, Title IX Coordinator of the School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, at Cooperative Educational Service Agency #3, 1300 Industrial Drive, Fennimore, WI 53809, (call) 1-608-822-2148 (e-mail) jnutter@cesa3.org.

Note: All career and technical education opportunities will be offered on a nondiscriminatory basis (without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, disability, etc.) All students in qualifying grades are eligible for enrollment. For further information please contact District Principal Tiffany Dums (608)875-5311 ext. 211 or dumstiff@wauzeka.k12.wi.us.

Wauzeka Angels Fitness Center

Monthly Rates

\$10 per adult W-S School District/Non District Resident plus \$10 for key fob

Annual Membership Rate

\$100 per adult W-S School District/Non District Resident plus \$10 for key fob

*Rates are to cover maintenance and supervision expenses.

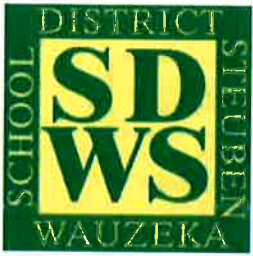


Substitutes Needed

State law has recently changed allowing more flexibility on the requirements people need to be a substitute teacher or support staff. If you are interested in being a substitute please contact District Administrator Dr. Gary Albrecht via email: albregar@wauzeka.k12.wi.us or by phone (608)875-5311 ext. 214.

Substitutes needed:

- Food service
- Bus Drivers
- Paraprofessionals
- Custodians



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Wauzeka-Steuben Buzz

Send community events that you would like to be included in the newspaper to:

Alissa Mullikin at mulliali@wauzeka.k12.wi.us
Or drop off any information in the district office.

Next Submission Date: **December 13th**

Wauzeka, WI 53826

The Wauzeka-Steuben School District is utilizing a community-wide Resource Officer. Officer Liz Volten of the Crawford County Sheriff's Department will be available to the District during regular District hours. Officer Volten will also be available to the community and homeschooled families of the District on Wednesdays at the BP gas station from 1:00-2:00 p.m. Officer Volten can be reached via email at evolten@crowfordcountywi.org or via phone at 608-412-5184. In case of an emergency, please call 911.



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