

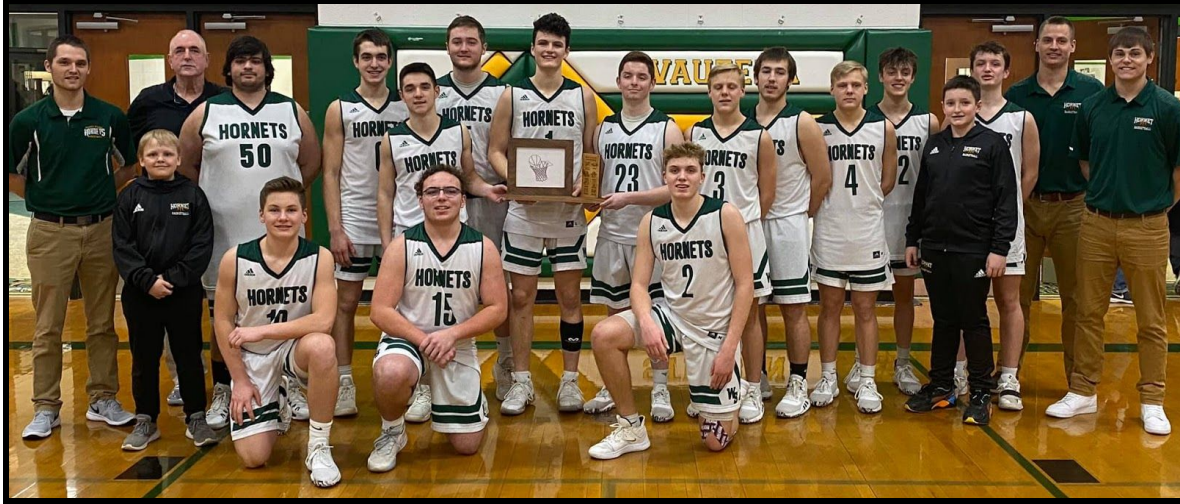
# Wauzeka-Steuben Buzz

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## CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS MILESTONES REACHED THIS BASKETBALL SEASON



**Wauzeka-Steuben Buzz Staff** - Executive Editor, Senior Editors & Associate Editors

On the evening of February 13th, the Wauzeka-Steuben boys' basketball team clinched their second "Conference Championship" title in as many years. The

boys' basketball team has outscored opponents 1237-864 en route to a 13-0 conference record at the time of this publication.

In addition to this, the team boasts another historic accomplishment. For the second time in two seasons, a junior has reached the 1,000 point milestone. Gavin Ralph scored his 1,000th point on the evening of February 4th against the Ithaca Bulldogs.



When asked what it was like to accomplish such a feat, Ralph stated, "I am honored to be one of the very few to reach such a feat in Wauzeka-Steuben history".

Another milestone was reached this season as well; Gary Hines, head coach for the boys' team, reached his 400th win in a very illustrious career so far.

The ladies' basketball team has also attained a special accomplishment; they were recently named "Co-Conference Champions",

sharing the title with the Kickapoo Panthers for the second consecutive year, after their win against the La Farge Wildcats on the evening of February 20th. Head coach Ben McCullick has led the team to a 13-1 record in the Ridge & Valley conference.

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## SEPTEMBER 6th 2019: THE LAKE CITY FOOTBALL GAME

**Mitchell Cernek** - *Athletic Director  
& Physical Education Teacher*

When the high school football schedule was first released for the fall of 2019, the SWS Blue-Golds were scheduled to host the Belmont Braves on September 6th at Wauzeka.

However, when Belmont elected to

transition from traditional 11-man football to 8-man football, the Blue-Golds were left in a difficult spot. If we were unable to find an opponent to replace Belmont, we would have to play an eight-game schedule, and the Blue-Golds would be left with only a single home football game to be played in Wauzeka (against Kickapoo/La Farge on October 18th, 2019).

The search for a new opponent began in November of 2018. Multiple ads were posted to the WIAA site, under the free “Games Wanted” page. Numerous phone calls were made to Wade Labecki of the WIAA, and emails back and forth with Travis Wilson of *wissports.net*, only to learn that no teams were looking for a game that week. We broadened the scope of our search beyond our borders, to Iowa, Illinois and Minnesota. It wasn’t until May of 2019, that conversations began with Lake City High School about the possibility of arranging a game for Week 3 of 2019\*.

Lake City High School is located about 75 miles northwest of La Crosse, WI. It is a high school with an enrollment of 397 students, and a football program that entered 2019 having won only 5 of their last 38 games. After several conversations with Lake City’s Athletic Director and head football coach, we began to make plans for a game to be played on September 6th, 2019. *Where* the game was to be played would be the next puzzle to solve.

Neutral sites in the La Crosse area were explored. G.E.T. High School in Galesville, WI was willing to host our game. However, after weighing the cost of a facility rental fee, and factoring in the lost opportunities for school organizations to profit through concessions and/or fundraising events - even families and local businesses being deprived of a second community event, we began to explore the possibility of playing in Wauzeka.

For Lake City to be willing to travel to Wauzeka, it was asked that we cover a portion of their transportation expenses. After discussing and contemplating pros/cons of this option, it was ultimately decided that the net gain would be greater than the proposed cost. Our football program agreed to pay 50% of the cost (25% from Seneca’s football account and 25% from Wauzeka-Steuben’s football account), while the additional 50% was paid by a private donor, citing the importance of providing the entire community of Wauzeka - the school, student-athletes, families and businesses - with a second home football game in 2019. The money spent from both Seneca and Wauzeka-Steuben football accounts was money that was fundraised through the Blue-Gold football program at events like their 7 on 7 passing league and lift-a-thon last summer.

While the result of the game was not favorable for the Blue-Golds, the event itself was undoubtedly important for the community and for the football program. And outside of regular expenses of hosting a game (officials, event workers, game programs etc.), this was accomplished without spending *any* money from the school’s general athletic budget.

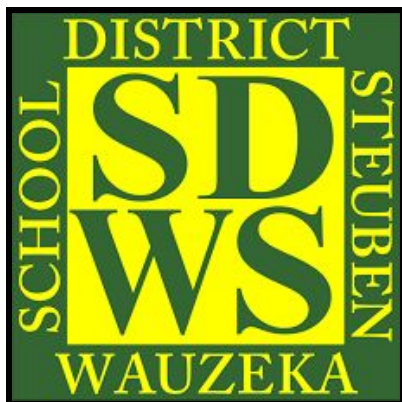
*\* Traditionally, Week 3 is the start of conference play for most schools, just as Belmont was to be our conference opener last fall. Finding a new opponent specifically for Week 3 proved to be significantly challenging for this reason.*

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## WAUZEKA-STEUBEN SCHOOL REFERENDUM

On April 7th, the voters of the Wauzeka-Steuben School District will weigh in on a referendum question to sustain operations of the school district. The referendum question will ask voters if they support allowing the district to exceed state imposed revenue limits for a term of three years. The school Board of Education strategically formed the question to hold the school property tax levy at \$12.71 per \$1,000 of value for the three year term of the referendum. That \$12.71 tax rate equals the school tax rate from the 2018-19 school year.

The referendum question will appear like this on the April 7th General Election ballot:

*“Shall the School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, Crawford County, Wisconsin, be authorized to Exceed the Revenue Limit Specified in Section 121.91, Wisconsin Statutes, by \$240,000 for the 2020-2021 School Year, by \$316,000 for the 2021-2022 School Year, and by \$398,000 for the 2022-2023 School Year for Non-Recurring Purposes, Consisting of Paying the Costs of Operations, Educational Programs, and Maintenance of the District?”*

A successful referendum will mean the district will be able to maintain current staffing, programming, and maintenance of district operations. It would also afford the district needed time to monitor local economic development, enrollment trends, and K-12 funding from the State of Wisconsin. As the three-year term of this referendum would come to an end, further evaluation of options going forward would be in order.

The Board of Education of the School District of Wauzeka-Steuben is committed to secure the best option for district children. At this time, the Board of Education believes seeking an operational referendum that holds the tax rate at \$12.71 for three years to sustain operations is the right strategy. Board members know that further cutting into staffing and programs, will significantly hurt the future of the district. Furthermore, options like consolidation with a neighboring district, or dissolution of the district, would be irreversible--and would jeopardize the existence of a school in Wauzeka.

Leading up to the April 7th election, board members hope that all of the Wauzeka-Steuben school district constituents will become informed about the impact and ramifications of the referendum vote. To learn more about the referendum, there is a **Frequently Asked Questions** document posted on the school website at [www.wauzeka.k12.wi.us](http://www.wauzeka.k12.wi.us). District officials will also be hosting another Wauzeka-Steuben School referendum information meeting at the school on Monday, March 23rd at 6:30 PM. Everyone is welcome to attend, and learn about how the referendum would impact them and the school district.

Lastly, and most of all, the Board of Education encourages everyone to vote. Please know that **every** vote counts, and matters. A glowing example of this played out in a neighboring district at the February primary election. Their school referendum failed by **one** vote! Please make plans to make sure you get out to vote on April 7th, or before--utilizing early, in-person absentee voting.

**Monday, March 23rd, 6:30 PM - Referendum Information Meeting**

**Tuesday, April 7th - Election Day  
GO VOTE!**

# Elementary PBIS February



**Compassion** is our PBIS word of the month for February. During the assembly, we talked about what compassion means and how we can show compassion for others. As a classroom activity, each class made Valentine's for the residents at Bluff Haven and Prairie Maison. We will spend the rest of February working on showing compassion and understanding for one another.



Mrs. Debbie presented certificates to the students who participated in the Math 24 Competition held in January at Southwest Tech in Fennimore.



*Love & compassion are necessities, not luxuries. Without them, humanity cannot survive.*

~ Dalai Lama XIV

# January Students of the Month

## Kindergarten, **Abigail Karnopp**



Abby is a very thoughtful and helpful student in the classroom. She thinks of others feelings and treats others with kindness. Abby is also a very hardworking student. She never gives up on tasks or assignments even when they may seem difficult. She shows wonderful perseverance in her work and cooperates well with others in class. Abby is in Mrs. Cathy's kindergarten class and the daughter of David and Stacey Karnopp.

## 1st grade, **Ellasyn Sims**

Ellasyn consistently does what is right, no matter if an adult is around or not. She is very caring towards others and honest, even if it means getting herself or others in trouble. She can be counted on because she is reliable, compassionate, and a great role model. Ellasyn is in Mrs. Martin's 1st Grade Class and the daughter of Christine and AV Roth, and Robert Sims.



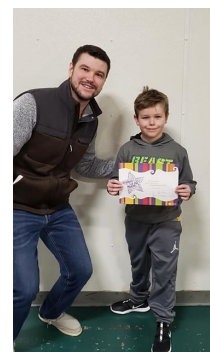
## 3rd Grade, **Tess Pitzer**



Tess is very hard working in class. She is respectful to her friends and teachers. She is very helpful to others and wonderful to have in class. Tess is a great role-model and an overall kind person. Tess is in Mr. Smith's 3rd Grade Class and the daughter of Ed and Christa Pitzer.

## 3rd Grade, **Brody Bunders**

Brody is a wonderful student to have in class. He comes to class everyday with a smile and a great attitude towards learning and continues to work hard until he understands a concept completely. He is also a great role model not only at school but while out in public too. He does a great job demonstrating and modeling the components of PBIS each and every day whenever possible. Brody is also in Mr. Smith's 3rd Grade Class and the son of Ryan and Misty Bunders.



# Elementary PBIS February



## The Buzzing Broom

The class that has worked together to maintain a clean and safe classroom environment can earn the Buzzing Broom Award. This month's cleanest classroom was **Mrs. Cathy's Kindergarten Class!**



## The Silent Slipper

The Silent Slipper is awarded to the class that is the quietest, remains in a straight line, and works together to follow all of the PBIS expectations in the hallway. This month the Silent Slipper went to **Mrs. Martin's 1st Grade Class**



## The Golden Spoon

The Golden Spoon is awarded to the class that has the best manners in the lunchroom.. The class that won the Golden Spoon was **Mr. Smith's 3rd Grade Class**

# Community News & Activities

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## Wauzeka-Steuben Booster Club

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, some of which are listed below:

- \$2,000 for uniforms
- 2-\$250 scholarships
- Youth tournament entry fees
- Railings in the gymnasium
- T-shirts for alumni volleyball tournament
- WBCA Donations: Erin Krachey, Coach Ben McCullick, Coach Gary Hines
- Weight lifting T-shirts
- Cross Country chairs
- Senior athlete banners
- MS Track/Cross Country uniforms
- Boys and Girls JV/Varsity summer basketball league
- Girls volleyball summer league
- 2 barn fans
- Todd Krachey T-shirts
- Payment to clubs who work concessions - \$50 per event (\$250 so far)
- Hudl subscription for girls' and boys' basketball and volleyball next year
- Football pennants for "Conference Champs"
- Mops for gym floor
- Football goal posts

The Booster Club appreciates all you do for Hornet athletics!

## Wauzeka 1st Responders 24th Annual Country Jam



Century Hall in Wauzeka  
Sunday March 8, 2020

11-Noon	Ridge Cats
Noon-1:00	Wolf Country Band
1:00-2:00	Monty Berger and The Country Gold Band
2:00-3:00	Auction and Raffles
3:00-4:00	Sounds of Nashville

Great Live Music, Wonderful Dance Floor  
Food & Refreshments by Wauzeka 1st Responders  
Everyone Welcome

## WAUZEKA'S RUMMAGE SALE DAYS

April 16th-18th  
(Thursday - Saturday)

To be on map: Pick up form at L&M's BP, Wauzeka Post Office  
or Peoples State Bank

\*No charge to be placed on the rummage sale map and/or for  
advertisements

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## VILLAGE OF WAUZEKA BOARD MEETING

December 30, 2019

The meeting was called to order by President Gary Gundlach at 6:30 pm. Verification of proper posting was given and roll call was taken with all members present. A motion was made by Larry Zeeh and seconded by Tom Mullikin to approve the minutes of the December 2 budget hearing and regular board meeting. Motion carried.

Jesse Mezera gave the waterworks report.

A motion was made by Tom Mullikin and seconded by Bill Kapinus to advertise for bids to install curb, gutter and asphalt on Tower Lane. Motion carried.

There are no changes in housing developments.

A motion was made by Gary Gundlach and seconded by Larry Zeeh to move into executive session at 6:55 pm. Motion carried. A motion was made by Larry Zeeh and seconded by Tom Mullikin to reconvene into open session at 7:15 pm. Motion carried. There was no action taken as a result of executive session.

A motion was made by Ryan Bunders and seconded by Tom Mullikin to pay the bills as approved by the finance committee. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Tom Mullikin and seconded by Ryan Bunders to adjourn at 7:23 pm. Motion carried.

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Phyllis Groom, Village Clerk

## VILLAGE OF WAUZEKA 2020 CAUCUS

January 13, 2020

The 2020 Caucus was called to order by President Gary Gundlach at 6:00 pm. There are three trustee vacancies. Incumbents Larry Zeeh and Bill Kapinus and a vacancy.

Nominations were open. Bill Kapinus nominated Larry Zeeh. Justin Oswald seconded. Larry Zeeh nominated Bill Kapinus. Justin Oswald seconded. Larry Zeeh nominated Justin Oswald. Bill Kapinus seconded. Bill Kapinus nominated Randy Mara. Larry Zeeh seconded. A motion was made by Bill Kapinus and seconded by Larry Zeeh to close nominations. A motion was made by Larry Zeeh and seconded by Bill Kapinus to adjourn at 6:02 pm.

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Phyllis Groom, Village Clerk



**MINUTES OF WAUZEKA TOWN BOARD MEETING**

**March 2, 2020**

The regular monthly meeting for the Town of Wauzeka was called to order at 7:04 p.m. on Monday, March 2, 2020 in the Town Meeting Room by Chairman Tom Jazdzewski.

Verification was made that the meeting was properly posted at the Tn. Mtg. Rm., Bush Hollow Rd., Horseshoe Tavern, Oak Ln., and on Radio Station W.P.R.E.

Roll Call was taken with all members being present.

Mike McGuire made a motion to accept the minutes of the last meeting, seconded by Dennis Nagel. Motion Carried.

A motion was made by Mike McGuire to accept the Treasurer's report, seconded by Dennis Nagel. Motion Carried.

Joyce Macke was present for Public Comments, inquiring about Election Poll Workers Salary.

A motion was made by Mike McGuire to approve the monthly bills as presented, seconded by Dennis Nagel. Motion Carried.

There were no building permits.

A motion was made by Mike McGuire to adjourn the meeting at 7:22 p.m., seconded by Dennis Nagel. Motion Carried.

Carol Mullikin  
Town Clerk

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## ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP

### ENDOWMENT FUND FOR ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP

Any community members or alumni who are interested in donating money to the recently founded Alumni Scholarship Endowment Fund are encouraged to contact the Wauzeka-Steuben Business Office. Any monetary donation up to a cumulative level of \$25,000 will be matched dollar for dollar by a 1976 alumnus.

Many of the alumni from Wauzeka-Steuben High School have leveraged their WSHS education to become successful employees, entrepreneurs, and community leaders. The recently established Alumni Scholarship was initiated by a 1976 WSHS alumnus, and is intended to encourage academic excellence and additional post-high school education by helping defer tuition and related educational expenses at a four-year college for an outstanding graduating WSHS senior. The scholarship is intended to be one of the premiere WSHS scholarships awarded to a graduating senior, with a current stipend level of \$2,000 payable near the time of the 1<sup>st</sup> semester college enrollment. Selection is based primarily on high school GPA, active participation in WSHS extracurricular activities, and college standardized admission tests such as ACT or SAT, thereby demonstrating considerable promise for academic success in college.

In order to provide long-term financial stability for the Alumni Scholarship, an endowment fund with a goal of \$50,000 is being set up. Any WSHS alumni or benefactor donation up to a cumulative level of \$25,000 will be matched dollar for dollar by the 1976 alumnus. All WSHS alumni and friends are encouraged to consider making a donation to help achieve the endowment goal for this scholarship.

Questions regarding the endowment fund for the Alumni Scholarship can be directed to:

Jeff Mara, Business Manager  
Kelly Kilburg, School Counselor

Monetary donations for the endowment fund for the Alumni Scholarship can be mailed to:

Wauzeka-Steuben Alumni Scholarship Fund  
c/o Jeff Mara  
301 E. Main Street

# Scholarship and Award Opportunities

March 2020

## College Specific Scholarships

Be sure to check into any scholarships that the college you're planning to attend offers. Often, a separate application is needed for these scholarships. You can typically find this information on their website. If you have difficulty doing so, please stop in the guidance office so Mrs. Kilburg can assist you.

UW System - <https://www.wisconsin.edu/campuses/>

Wisconsin Technical College System - <http://www.wtcsystem.edu/colleges>

Wisconsin's Private Colleges - <http://www.wisconsinsprivatecolleges.org/>

The **Boscobel Education Foundation** will once again be offering several Everett C. Oman scholarships to Wauzeka-Steuben seniors this year. All graduating seniors planning to pursue a career/course of study in a STEM program (Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math) are encouraged to submit an application. All applicants will be considered; several scholarships are expected to be awarded. Students must be planning to attend an accredited, state-supported, non-denominational (public, not private) post-secondary college or technical school upon graduation. Applications are available online at <http://www.boscobeducationfoundation.org/scholarship-criteria>. **Application Deadline: March 1, 2020.**

The **Wisconsin Electronic Security Association (WIESA)** is pleased to announce the availability of college scholarship awards to sons or daughters of active-duty police and fire personnel. The scholarship awards, in the amount of \$1,500, are available to qualified high schools seniors, whose parents or guardians are members of the police or sheriff's department and/or whose parents or guardians are a member of the fire department (including a volunteer member of a fire department) Applications are available online at [www.wiesa.org](http://www.wiesa.org) under the "About" tab. **Application Deadline: March 6, 2020.**

**Gasser True Value** is offering a \$500 scholarship to a deserving Wauzeka-Steuben student who is planning to pursue a business or ag-related degree at an accredited two or four-year college following graduation. Applications are available in the guidance office. **Application Deadline: March 15, 2020 (Submit to Mrs. Kilburg by 3:25 p.m.).**

**Community First Bank** annually awards scholarships to graduating seniors from high schools in the Wisconsin communities they serve. This year, they will grant several \$500 scholarships to graduating high school seniors who reside in their general market area. All seniors at Wauzeka-Steuben High School are encouraged to apply. Applications are available online at <https://www.cfbank.com/Information-Center/Our-Bank/Scholarship-Program>. **Application Deadline: March 15, 2020.**

The **Boscobel Women's Club** would once again like to encourage graduating seniors going into a health related profession to apply for the Rolling Hills Health Scholarship of \$500. Interested students should fill out and email the application, found at <https://www.gfwc-wi.org/awards-scholarships> to [zterri@milwpc.com](mailto:zterri@milwpc.com). The application will ask to have the name of the sponsoring club president's name identified. The name of the Boscobel Women's Club president is Dicta Schoenfelder, and her email is [dlschoenf@gmail.com](mailto:dlschoenf@gmail.com). **Application Deadlines: March 15, 2020.**

**Gundersen Boscobel Area Hospital and Clinics** are offering four scholarships in the amount of \$750 to graduating seniors pursuing careers in healthcare. Applications are available online at <https://www.gundersenhealth.org/boscobel/about-us/scholarships/>. **Application Deadline: March 15, 2020.**

**WCCU Credit Union** has renewed their annual scholarship program for a second year to benefit graduating high school seniors. In May of 2020, they will be awarding a total of 20 scholarships for \$500 each to be distributed among their branches in Baraboo, Cashton, Coon Valley, Lake Delton, Reedsburg, Richland Center, Viroqua, and Westby. Application and guidelines are available online at <https://www.wccucreditunion.coop/wccu-scholarships/>. **Application Deadline: March 16, 2020.**

**Compeer Financial** (formerly known as Badgerland Financial in Wisconsin) is proud to offer up to thirty-five \$1,500 scholarships to graduating high school seniors who are continuing their studies in the agriculture field at a short course, technical/trade school, or university. To qualify, graduating seniors must live in Compeer Financial's 144-county territory and have a 3.0 or higher GPA. Scholarship recipients are selected based on a combination of academic achievement, agricultural and community youth organization involvement and essays. Additional information, including an application can be found at: <https://compeer.com/Home/Investing-in-Rural-Communities/Giving-Back/Scholarships/Scholarships>. **Application Deadline: March 16, 2020.**

The **Crawford County Council of the American** Legion is sponsoring a \$200 scholarship to each of the four high schools (Seneca, North Crawford, Prairie du Chien, Wauzeka-Steuben) in the county. The scholarship is for graduating seniors who are planning to continue their education at a university, college or vocational school following high school. Applicants must write an essay on "What the American Flag Means to Me". The essay must be 100 words or less and be typewritten. Essays need to be submitted to the following: Crawford County

Veterans Service Office, 225 N. Beaumont Rd. Suite 137, Prairie du Chien, WI 53821.  
**Application Deadline: March 20, 2020 (essay must be in their office by this date).**

**Peoples State Bank** is offering \$500 scholarships in memory of Lucile M. Doll to 2020 Wauzeka-Steuben High School graduates. All seniors planning to pursue a post-secondary education are encouraged to apply. Applications are available online at <https://www.peoplesfinancial.com/scholarships.html>. **Application Deadline: March 20, 2020 (Please submit to Mrs. Kilburg by 3:25 p.m.).**

The **Scenic Rivers Energy Cooperative** is offering several \$1,000 scholarships. These scholarships will be drawn and awarded to one high school senior from each of the 26 schools in their service area. **Students must be present at the SREC annual meeting held on Saturday, April 4, 2020 at the Youth and Ag Building in Lancaster, WI to be considered.** The student or the student's parent or legal guardian must be a member of the Scenic Rivers Energy Cooperative. Applications are available online at <http://www.sre.coop/content/scholarship-application>. **Application Deadline: March 30, 2020.**

**Partners of Crossing Rivers Health** will be awarding four \$1,000 health care scholarships to graduating seniors of MFL-Mar Mac, Wauzeka-Steuben, Seneca, North Crawford, River Ridge, and Prairie du Chien High Schools, and all graduating seniors of Crossing Rivers Health employees. Eligible students must have at least a 3.0 grade point average, a good attendance record, be pursuing a career in the healthcare field, and be demonstrating leadership and community service abilities. Applications are available online at <https://www.crossingrivers.org/about-us/scholarships-for-high-school-students/>. **Application Deadline: March 30, 2020.**

Each year the Southwest Tech Foundation offers the **Lenz Family Endowment Scholarship** to a graduating senior in each of the 30 high schools within their district. The recipient must enroll full-time in a one or two-year program at SWTC the fall semester after their high school graduation. Applications are available in the Guidance Office. All seniors planning to attend SWTC following graduation should apply for this scholarship! **Application Deadline: March 31, 2020. (Please submit to Mrs. Kilburg by 3:25 p.m.)**

The **Southwest Tech Foundation** is offering various scholarships to students who plan to attend SWTC in the fall of 2020. Additional information and applications are available online at <https://www.swtc.edu/foundation/scholarships/apply>. All seniors planning to attend SWTC following graduation should apply for these scholarships! **Application Deadline: March 31, 2020.**

The **Medical Staff of Crossing Rivers Health** is offering a \$1,500 scholarship to a graduating senior from one of the following school districts: Prairie du Chien, MFL Mar Mac, River Ridge, Seneca, or Wauzeka-Steuben. Eligible seniors must be entering an accredited college or university and planning to become a healthcare professional. Application are available online at

<https://www.crossingrivers.org/about-us/scholarships-for-high-school-students/>. **Application Deadline: April 1, 2020.**

**Wings Over Wisconsin, SW Chapter** is offering several scholarships ranging from \$500-\$1,000 to students pursuing degrees in natural resources and wildlife conservation, such as Wildlife and Wild Land Management, Natural Resources Conservation, Natural Resources Law Enforcement and Protective Services, Natural Resources Management and Policy, and other related fields. Applications are available in the Guidance Office. **Application Deadline: April 1, 2020.**

The **UW-Richland Campus Foundation** is offering various scholarships to students who plan to attend UW-Richland in the fall of 2020. Additional information and applications are available online at <https://www.uwplatt.edu/richland/richland-scholarships> . If you plan to attend UW-Richland next year, you should check this out! **Application Deadline: April 1, 2020.**

The **Wauzeka Lions Club** is once again offering three \$400 scholarships this year. All Wauzeka-Steuben High School seniors planning to pursue a post-secondary education are encouraged to apply. Applications are available in the Guidance Office. **Application Deadline: April 3, 2020. (Please submit to Mrs. Kilburg by 3:25 p.m.)**

The **Crawford County Democratic Party** is offering a scholarship for one Crawford County high school senior graduating in 2020. This scholarship is worth \$300. In order to be eligible for the scholarship the student must illustrate commitment to the ideals of democracy: *Promoting peace, liberty, justice, human rights, and the common good. Our strength as a country is determined by how well we treat those who live within our borders.* Applications are available in the guidance office. **Application Deadline: April 3, 2020.**

The **Lenor B. Zeeh Scholarship** will be awarded to graduating seniors from Wauzeka-Steuben High School. Up to three scholarships are available. Eligible students must have a GPA of 2.75 or higher and be planning to attend a four-year college full-time upon graduation. The recipient must reside within ten miles of the limits of the Village of Wauzeka. Selection will be based on scholastic achievement, contributions to school and community, financial need, character, personality, initiative, seriousness of purpose, citizenship, leadership, cooperation, and moral character. Applications are available in the Guidance Office. **Application Deadline: April 15, 2020. (Please submit to Mrs. Kilburg by 3:25 p.m. on April 15<sup>th</sup>).**

The **Wauzeka-Steuben Local Scholarship Application** is now available to graduating seniors. All students planning to continue their education at a post-secondary institution following graduation should submit this application. It is used in the selection of various scholarships that are awarded annually to Wauzeka-Steuben students. For access to this scholarship application, please see Mrs. Kilburg in the Guidance Office. **Application Deadline: April 17, 2020. (Please submit to Mrs. Kilburg by 3:25 p.m.)**

The family of Carrie Stuckert has created the **Dream Pool Foundation**, a non-profit corporation offering scholarship opportunities. Dream Pool is offering several scholarships in various amounts to provide assistance to individuals pursuing an education in the visual arts. Applications are available in the guidance office. ***Application Deadline: April 20, 2020.***

The **Ab Nicholas Scholarship Foundation** is offering scholarships to up to 60 Wisconsin public high school graduates based on need, academic achievement and character. The annual scholarships-\$10,000 for four-year programs and \$5,000 for two-year programs-are renewable for the length of the program. These scholarships are intended for today's student athletes and managers-those who aren't likely to receive an athletic scholarship or even play basketball at the college level. Eligible students must be residents of Wisconsin, public or private high school students, basketball program participants their senior year, planning to attend a University of Wisconsin System school, and not participating in sports at the Division I, II, or III level in college. Applications are available online at [www.AbNicholasScholars.org](http://www.AbNicholasScholars.org). ***Application Deadline: April 30, 2020.***

Together, the **Crawford County Sheriff's Department and Prairie du Chien Police Department** is awarding a \$500 law enforcement scholarship to a Wauzeka-Steuben senior planning to pursue a degree in criminal justice following graduation. A minimum GPA of 3.0 is required. Applications are available in the guidance office. ***Application Deadline: May 1, 2020.***

**Foremost Media, Inc.** is sponsoring a \$500 scholarship for graduating seniors pursuing a degree related to Marketing or Web Development. A 250-500-word essay is required. Application and additional information can be found at <https://www.foremostmedia.com/scholarship>. ***Application Deadline: May 1, 2020.***

The **Wisconsin Towns Association**, Rural Mutual Insurance Company, and Scott Construction, Inc. will be awarding \$7,000 in scholarships to high school seniors graduating in 2020 that plan to enroll in a Wisconsin public/private college or vocational college. The winners are determined by independent judging of an essay contest. The essay should address the following topic: "What strategies can Wisconsin use to recruit and retain fire and EMS volunteers?" Students do not need to be residents of towns. Application materials are available in the guidance office. ***Application Deadline: May 31, 2019.***

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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 Mr. David Alexander at the School District of Wauzeka-Steuben, 301 E. Main St., Wauzeka, WI 53826, (e-mail) [alexadav@wauzeka.k12.wi.us](mailto:alexadav@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](mailto: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](mailto:dumstiff@wauzeka.k12.wi.us).



## Wauzeka Angels Fitness Center

### Monthly Rates

\$10 per adult W-S School District/Non District Resident plus  
\$10 fee for Key Fob

### Annual Membership Rate

\$100 per adult W-S School District/Non District Resident  
plus \$10 fee for Key Fob

*Rates are to cover maintenance and supervision expenses*

## Wauzeka-Steuben Buzz

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

[krahnben@wauzeka.k12.wi.us](mailto:krahnben@wauzeka.k12.wi.us)

Or drop off any information in the district office.

Next Submission Date: **March 11th**

## 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 Dave Alexander via email: [alexadav@wauzeka.k12.wi.us](mailto:alexadav@wauzeka.k12.wi.us) or by phone (608)875-5311 ext. 214

Substitutes needed:

- Food Service
- Bus Drivers
- Para professionals