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## PRAIRIE KITCHEN SALE PEN

Just when we thought there was little hope, a rainbow appeared.

Word was received by the Westby Development Corporation, as they prepared for a community meeting on what could be done to expedite the cafe's reopening, that per-



sons were, indeed preparing to make an offer.

Ben and Kala Rush, currently of Sherman, Maine, have always dreamed of owning a small cafe in a rural community and dabbled in the food service arena over the past four or five years by doing some catering and several community events.

Kala has also enjoyed working in numerous cafes and restaurants over the years and Ben just plain loves to cook.

Currently the Rushes are busy with careers and finishing up their education in Ben's home state of Maine. Kala has a BA in Communication, a provisional certificate in teaching social

studies and is currently working as a teacher. Ben was stationed at Malmstrom Air Force Base in Great Falls, MT for six years prior to working on his BA in History which he will attain this spring.

Ben and Kala are happy to have the support of family for this venture.

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Ad Placed On: 2013-01-22 Closing Date: Until Filled

#### Job Description:

The Westby School District #3 is seeking a full-time Middle School teacher. The successful applicant will teach at the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade levels.

#### **Academic Qualifications:**

Applicant must be able to meet the qualifications for appropriate Montana Certification and Endorsement.

#### **Supplemental Information:**

The district is also seeking a part-time counselor. This could be incorporated into this position if the applicant is properly endorsed. Information is available regarding the combined position upon request of the applicant. Westby School District is located in the far northeast corner of Montana. The school district serves approximately 70 students district wide. Housing is available.

District: Westby K-12(LEO819) School: Westby 7-8(Sc1767)

Contact: Tony Holecek

Email: tholecek@westbyschool.k12.mt.us

Phone: 406.385.2225 Fax: 406.385.2430

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#### **HELP WANTED**

Recruitment Area: School Counseling: Westby, MT

Salary: DOE

Ad Placed On: 2013-01-22

#### **Job Description:**

The Westby School District #3 is seeking a part-time school counselor. The successful applicant will hold a K 12 School Counseling endorsement.

#### **Academic Qualifications:**

Applicant must be able to meet the qualifications for appropriate Montana Certification and Endorsement.

#### **Supplemental Information:**

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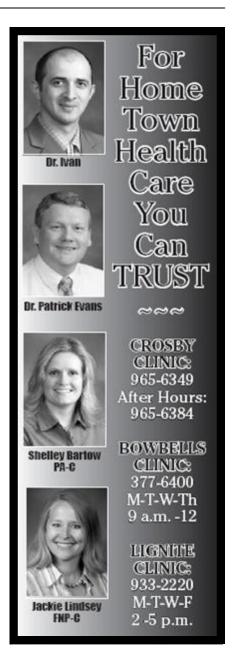
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I told you last time January was a big birthday month for us and Danny closes it out with his. I did not mention, however, this year is a big birthday for him (although many of you may have figured it out with Keith turning 60). SIXTY! My goodness, 60 sounds old-I can hardly believe it. Of course, I am noooooo where near 60, but then when I figured out Lisa, and Shannon and Tara are now turning 40 and they were in high school with Chel it probably means I can't be 39 anymore, or even 49, anymore. Never the less, I will continue to live by the adage, "Growing old is mandatory, growing up is optional," and the 'old guy', I live with, happily follows along.

Super Bowl Sunday is upon us so I am appropriately sharing a few simple game day snacks. All are easy and crowd pleasers. Toss them together, call a few friends, fire up the big screen and enjoy the game.....

#### FIRE CRACKERS

1 pound mini crackers (any combination of mini cheese, mini club, & mini saltine) 1 ½ cups canola oil

1 pkg ranch dressing mix

2-3 tablespoons crushed red pepper Mix oil, ranch dressing mix, and crushed red pepper and pour our crackers in airtight container. Toss several times over a 1 hour period. Best if made day ahead. Will keep for an extended period. Do not refrigerate.

#### PEPPERONI PIZZA SPREAD

2 cups shredded mozzarella cheese 2 cups shredded cheddar cheese

1 cup mayonnaise

1 cup chopped pepperoni

1 can mushrooms, drained

½ cup chopped onion

½ cup chopped green pepper

1 cup chopped ripe olives

1 cup chopped stuffed green olives Preheat oven 350 degrees. Mix all ingredients in a 9X13 baking pan. Bake 25-30 minutes. Serve with breadsticks, tortilla chips or toasted baguettes.

SPINACH AND ARTICHOKE DIP

8 ounces cream cheese

16 ounces of sour cream

½ cup butter

1 ½ -2 cups shredded Parmesan cheese 14 ounces quartered artichoke hearts, drained and coarsely chopped 4 ounce can diced jalapenos, drained 10 oz frozen spinach (thawed and drained)

2-3 garlic cloves, pressed In a medium pot over medium heat, melt cream cheese, sour cream, butter and parmesan cheese, stirring frequently until melted and an even consistency. It should start to bubble. Stir in artichokes, jalapenos, spinach and garlic. Serve hot with chips, crackers or toasted baguettes.



#### JALAPENO POPPER DIP

8 jalapenos, halved and seeded

1 tablespoon olive oil

2-8 ounces cream cheese

1 cup sour cream

1 cup shredded cheddar cheese, divided

1 cup crushed tortilla chips

Preheat a broiler or grill to medium-high. Toss the jalapeño halves with the EVOO and roast under the broiler or char on the grill until softened and blackened, about 3 minutes per side.

Turn the oven to 400°F. Let the peppers cool enough to handle and chop. In a large mixing bowl, combine the cream cheese, sour cream, half of the cheddar and all of the chopped roasted peppers. Transfer the mixture to a baking dish and top with the remaining shredded cheese and crushed chips. Bake the dip until golden brown and bubbly, 15-18 minutes. Serve with assorted chips or toasted baguettes. Note: you may substitute canned jalapenos for the roasted ones or chop the fresh ones and sauté until soft in a little olive oil.

Happy Birthday, Dear! & ENJOY For Life is Good!



# PRAIRIE KITCHEN SALE PENDING

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Kala's parents, Jerry and Cindy (Bjorgen) Stenehjem, reside in Westby as well as grandparents, aunts, uncles, and cousins who also live in the vicinity. In addition, family will be of much help with the Rushes pride and joy little Mason Edward Rush who turned one in November. When asked when we can expect the cafe to resume service and about any future plans for it Kala replied, "We want the cafe to be a large part of the community (as it has been for many years) and hope to serve customers for many years to come. We have so many ideas, but our focus is getting the cafe open and running again. We hope to have the cafe open before the Westby Centennial. We can't wait to serve excellent, homemade food to the citizens of Westby and the surrounding areas."

agreed, "We are so thrilled with this opportunity and have been extremely pleased with the community support thus far. We can't wait to get to Westby and get started!"

And I can safely express the community is equally as thrilled to welcome the Rushes as the new proprietors of the Prairie Kitchen and looks forward to having a home town café once again.

In conclusion, the Rushes unanimously



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#### A NOTE FROM THE EDITOR:

In our last edition of *The Westby Border News* we began a two-part article written by Raynard Huglen. Below is the conclusion of his article.

#### WESTBY BOYHOOD MEMORIES

By Raynard Huglen

(Continued)

The 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the founding of Westby took place in the summer of 1939. It was a great occasion with a big parade including the American Legion men marching and those early day automobiles. An outdoor program was held in the skating rink area and a bandstand of several levels was built into the natural embankment. Mr. John Hodgson, a farmer and Presbyterian minister gave a talk. The only thing I remember him saying was the term "rugged individualism". I did not know what it meant, but it sounded strong. I can see now he was describing the spirit of the pioneers who settled the Westby area. For someone who has had a lifelong love affair with books, the National Youth -

Administration, NYA, library in the Ford garage was a wonderful place to spend time. In the south end of the showroom (we thought the Ford Garage a handsome place) a library had been set up as one of the government projects of the great depression. The librarians were mostly girls out of high school and the library books were a good supplement to what was available in school.

One of the great excitements of 1939 was the building of the new highway in to town from the west. The next year it was paved. In the final mile into town, we all watched the progress carefully as it extended even up Main Street.

Among our parsonage neighbors were Hjelms and Carl Neresons. We carried our water from the Nereson pump. The Hjelms kept a cow on the Ed Lien farm southeast of town. (The farm was later occupied by the Erling Tangedahls for many years.) My brother, Erling, and I would sometimes walk out there with Eddie or Leslie for the evening milking. Both Eddie and Leslie were basketball players and they had a bottomless pail nailed on the west side of their garage. We all played ball, shot baskets, and played other games using any kind of ball and this bottomless pail. Leslie would later go away to CCC camp before returning home, and Eddie would have a body shop in Helena.

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"The Cooks on Vacation" is a raffle being sponsored by the Immanuel Lutheran Church fundraising committee and tickets sell for \$10.00 a piece or three for \$20.00. The drawing will be held at Immanuel's second annual Corn Beef and Cabbage Feed on Sunday, March 17th and you need not be present to win. Construction continues on Immanuel's new fellowship hall. The roofing material has arrived and this past week the windows were installed. Tammerak Construction has assured Immanuel Lutheran's congregation Easter breakfast will be served in the new addition.

Fundraising efforts continue for this very worthwhile project.

May we suggest a sure fire way to make any Valentine happy is to include a ticket or two in his or her Valentine Card this year. To purchase a ticket contact Pastor Barb, any church member or stop by Al's Meat or New Century Ag.

Anyone wishing to make a donation to Immanuel Lutheran Church may send them to:

Immanuel Lutheran Church, ATTN: Fundraising, P.O. Box 199, Westby, MT 59275



An entry in the Westby Silver Jubilee Parade on May 27, 1939can anyone identify who is riding in this car?

#### WESTBY DEVELOPMENT FUNDRAISER FOR CAFE



The Westby Development Corporation is selling money calendars to raise funds to cover the grill exhaust system for the café. WDC would also like to install a small hand washing sink in the kitchen of the café. We would like to have these items in place for the new owners as soon as possible. You may purchase a calendar for \$30 by contacting any WDC member, or they are available at Al's Meats, or from Dennis at the Westby Hardware. We will pay out \$1100.00 to winners in March. The net profit of \$2500.00 will go towards the \$4000.00 project. If you have any questions, you may contact a WDC member. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

#### **WDC Board Members**

Nate Olson Cindy Stenehjem

Val Moore Al Joyes

Kolby Ruggles Jody Lagerquist

Mike Gebhardt Brenda Ryals

### School Board Meeting Minutes

Regular Meeting January 10, 2013 7:30 P.M.

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Westby School District 3 was held on January 10, 2013. Vance Meyer, Jim Sundsted, Aldon Joyes, Mr. Holecek, Mr. Somppi and Donna Sorenson were in attendance. Vice-chairman Meyer called the meeting to order at 7:38 p.m.

There were no visitors at the meeting.

Donna read the minutes of the December 12, 2012 meeting. Following no corrections or additions, these minutes were approved and placed on file.

The Board reviewed the Clerk's November financial report.

### **Public Comment:** None **Committee Reports:**

Buildings & Grounds: Mr. Holecek presented an advertisement for solicitation of bids for the school re-roofing project. Following discussion Joyes moved to approve the advertisement pending approval by the school's attorney, Sundsted seconded the motion; AIF.

Sports Co-op Committee: Mr. Holecek reported that things are going well for the sports co-op. The schools have been doing a good job of coordinating schedules and communicating with students and parents. The committee is trying to coordinate holiday and school breaks for the 2013-14 school year that are common to both schools.

#### **Unfinished Business:**

**A.** New Policy 8500 (School Owned Housing) was presented for a second reading. Sundsted made a motion to approve this policy, Joyes seconded; AIF.

**B.** Revised Policy 7400 (Credit Card Use) was presented for a second reading. Meyer moved to approve this revision, Sundsted seconded and all voted in favor.

#### **New Business:**

A. Mr. Holecek explained to the board that more than 28 days have passed since posting Form 470, requesting competitive bids for e-rate services. Several bids have been received. The school's E-Rate coordinator, Jack Sterling, has recommended accepting the bid received from Nemont. -

Joyes made a motion to follow Mr. Sterling's recommendation and accept the bid received from Nemont, Sundsted seconded the motion, AIF.

**B.** Mr. Holecek advertised the Assistant Administrator position in-house, and discussed it with all the teachers at a teachers meeting. He received a letter of interest in the position from Mr. Olson. Mr. Holecek recommended awarding the position to Mr. Olson with the wage/stipend to be determined by the board. Meyer made a motion to hire Mr. Olson as the Assistant Administrator, following Mr. Holecek's recommendation, Sundsted seconded; AIF.

**C.** Mr. Holecek reported that we will wait until March to receive the insurance renewal rates from MUST. Indications are that the state-wide pool renewal rates will be more favorable than the coop renewal rates so MUST is allowing the co-op to take advantage of the best rate structure.

**D.** Mr. Meyer reported that the negotiating committee had compiled the information from the Superintendent evaluation forms they had received from board members and discussed this information with Mr. Holecek.

Based upon the favorable results of the evaluation, he recommended extending Mr. Holecek's current contract, which is due to expire on June 30, 2014, one additional year, to June 30, 2015.

He also recommended a paying 2% stipend for the 2012-13 school year based on the increase to base wages the teachers received this year. Mr. Holecek's salary for 2013-14 will be determined following teacher negotiations this spring. Meyer moved to extend Mr. Holecek's contract to June 30, 2015 and accept the additional recommendations of the negotiations committee, seconded by Joyes; AIF.

#### Announcements/Discussion

A. Superintendent's Report:

Mr. Holecek informed the board that he and other area superintendents have met with law enforcement representatives to discuss options for increased school security. He is considering changing the bus drop-off zone, and limiting entry to the premises to one door during the school day.

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### School Board Meeting Minutes

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The Ranger bus is still having on-going issues with the defrost system. Mr. Holecek is exploring options for repairs.

The condensers on the outside heat units on the west end of the school have been freezing up, so tents have been put over them and propane heaters used to thaw them. Mr. Holecek will send letters to Mon-Dak and Prairie Engineering requesting their attendance at the next board meeting to discuss what needs to be done to resolve this and other on-going issues.

Mr. Holecek updated the board on school funding bills that will be considered during this legislative session.

#### **B.** Correspondence:

Thank you cards were read from the family of Joy Duffield (Teena Holecek's Mother) for the memorial, Shari Olson for the gift certificate she -

received following her surgery, and from Suzi Ekness, Cindy Stenehjem, Sonja and Darrell Mangel, Gayle Overgaard, Karla and Don Christensen and John and Arlene Hove for the Christmas dinner and gift certificates.

Sundsted moved to approve payment of January payroll warrants #11014-11022 and January claims warrants #17236 - 17269. Meyer seconded the motion for payment approval, AIF.

The November and December Extracurricular Financial Reports were reviewed followed by a motion by Meyer to approve; Joyes seconded the motion, AIF.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m. Donna Sorenson, District Clerk Brenda Ryals, Chairman

#### THESE MINUTES ARE **UNOFFICIAL AND SUBJECT TO BOARD APPROVAL.**

#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS **Re-Roofing Project** Westby School District #3

The Board of Trustees of the Westby School District #3, in Westby Montana, is

receiving sealed bids for re-roofing designated areas of the school facilities roof. All bids should be sealed and marked "Westby Schools Re-Roof Bid" and bids must be received by 4:00 P.M. on Monday, February 11, 2012 at the office of the

Superintendent. Bids will be opened publicly at the regular Board of Trustees

meeting at 7:00 p.m. on the 11th of February, 2013 in the Westby School Conference Room.

As a requirement of the bid process, a walk-through for all interested contractors will take place between Monday, February 4, 2013 and Thursday, February 7, 2013 at the Westby School. Contractor representatives should schedule an

appointment by contacting the Superintendent's office.

Bidding shall be open to contractors with a current Montana Contractor's

Registration Number and seven years or more experience with specified roofing

systems. Contractors shall comply with all fair labor practices and must meet the requirements of State and Federal Statues. Each bidder will be required to be

properly licensed with the State of Montana.

Each bid shall be accompanied by bid security in an amount of no less than Ten Percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid. Acceptable forms of security are cash, cashier's check, certified check, bank money order, bank draft, bid bond, guaranty bond, or surety bond. Proof of liability coverage in the amount of no less than \$1,000,000 will be required. If awarded the contract, the bidder shall within Ten (10) days enter into formal contract. The bid security of those bidders whose bids are not accepted will be returned.

Successful bidders shall, upon signature of the contract, furnish an approved

Performance Bond in the amount of One Hundred Percent (100%) of the contract. Acceptable forms of security are cash, cashier's check, certified check, bank money order, bank draft, bid bond, guaranty bond, or surety bond.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Detailed specifications for the project can be obtained at the Westby School District Offices by contacting:

Tony Holecek Westby School District #3 101 East 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue Westby, MT 59275 Phone: (406)385-2225

Fax: (406) 385-2430

Email: tholecek@westbyschool.k12.mt.us

## WESTBY BOYHOOD MEMORIES

By Raynard Huglen (Continued)

Eugene Bundt was my best friend and we roamed far and wide in those years. There wasn't a corner of town we didn't explore. We drowned gophers on "east hill" (east of Liens's). We walked to the slaughter house by the dump ground and alkali lakes. We climbed the cuts on the new highway west of town and crawled through a culvert under the new highway. There was one close to town we could even stand up in. We tobogganed with classmates on "north hill" and sledded on the Lutheran Church hill and the longer one by Elmer Hultgrens, west of the school. Other classmates included Audrey Leininger Anderson, Jimmy Nordhagen, Lucille Danielson, Clifford Meyer and Jeanne Bergh Boulds. Other things that come to mind of my boyhood memories include how thrilled we were at Christmas time by the toy display in the Gamble's Store and even the lesser collections of things for children in Miller Hardware and the Drug Store. One year, at least, there was a band day in town which brought much festivity. I remember the fashion of the day for boys was boots and breeches and the aviator cap. I remember the mystery of the jail house east of Main Street and how the boy scouts made use of it one day by taking over the town government.

My Dad passed away just over a year after we arrived in Westby from untreated diabetes in November of 1938. He died in the Ambrose hospital at the age of 52. The doctor in Ambrose was Dr S. Weeks.

Dad's death brought many changes for us. We did end up staying in Westby for another two years before returning to my Mother's home community of Newfolden, Minnesota. We were allowed to stay in the parsonage free of charge until the following summer when a new pastor came.

The pastor was O. J. Haukeness, a boyhood comrade of Dad's in Norway.

When we left he parsonage we moved to a house a block west of the IGA Store and Customs Office corner on Main Street. The house located down below the hill, was owned by the Hammer family and quite fittingly became known to us as "the Hammer House". We shared a water well with the Timbrels to the north. Times were tough, but the people were kind. Two ladies from the Birthday Club made weekly visits to our Mother each week in her bereavement. It was a great encouragement to her. We survived on \$24.00 a month from Aid to Dependent Children in the beginning with house rent costing \$12.00. Sometime later the allotment was raised to \$36.00 per month which still wasn't much for a family of four. Unexpected gifts of kindness from Westby residents helped us get through. We moved in August of 1940 and it would be 13 years before I would see Westby again when I came to Medicine Lake to be a pastor there. I pay tribute to Westby, One of the places I call home.

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#### **THANK YOU**

Phoebe Vest would like to thank everyone who donated money to her medical/travel fund this summer and fall. The generosity of everyone was a huge blessing to her. She also thanks everyone who brought her meals and other goodies. Thank you to the We Bee Quilters for the beautiful quilt they made for her. Thank you also to the Westby ladies for the beautiful pillow they made for her as well. She has been uplifted and encouraged by all of the cards and prayers over these past months. This means so much to her. Currently, Phoebe is completing her rehabilitation therapy at the Sheridan Memorial Hospital in Plentywood. Thank you to everyone for your continued prayers as she continues to recover.

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The WeeBee Quilters meeting was called to order on January 8, 2013 at 1:30 pm by President Marsha Meyer. There were 9 members present. (Marsha, Elaine, Doreen, Bonnie, Donna, Karen, Gale, Cindy, and Lorna.). The minutes of the November meeting were handed out to members. The treasurer's report was read and approve. We had a pot luck lunch in December and no meeting.

The new class, Starmaker's, was held on December 8th at the school, Karen showed her finished project and Doreen brought a picture of hers. Lorna told about hers. They said the class was enjoyable, but there was a lot of waste of fabric. Elgine and Arlene also attended the class.

We went through all the projects for the Centennial wall hanging and discussed if more were needed.

Arlene will to make raffle tickets for the Christmas Quilt. The price was discussed and it was decided the tickets would be one ticket for \$5.00 or 3 for \$10.00.

A Thank You note was read from Darrell and Sonja Mangel for the comfort quilt and pillow. It was decided at this time to give a comfort quilt to Mike Overgaard and a pillowcase to Pheobe Vest.

The Christmas apron jar was won by Darcy Nordhagen and the black stripe and lemons went to Flaine.

We discussed upcoming projects and talked about making 2 different squares for 2 guild members each month after -



they furnish us with the focus fabric. It was decided to do this after the centennial celebration as we all have plenty to do until then.

It was discussed that starting in May the hostess would bring a gift each month until the time we would start making 2 sauares a month.

Kathy Johnson will be giving a quilt class on April 13th and we will discuss which class it will be at the next meeting. Other dates to remember are March 15th-17th, Minot Prairie Quilt Festival and April 27th, Moose Jaw Quilt Patch Party 2013.

Gale has checked with a Limo owner from Crosby about taking us on the Shop Hop this fall. The Limo can seat 12 people.

At show and tell Karen had her Starmaker centerpiece, Doreen a scarf, Lorna discussed her Starmaker centerpiece, Cindy an apron she embroidered and told of a quilt she had made for someone in Washington D.C. Gale showed two quilts, one was a red and blue quilt made with a hockey material. Her grandson liked it so much that Gale is going to make him one in orange. Good Grandma!

Karen will be hostess at the February 5<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Meeting Adjourned at 3:00pm.

After the meeting we all sewed the binding for the Christmas Raffle Quilt.

Acting Secretary/Treasurer, Donna Evans

HONOR AND HONORABLE MENTION LIST SECOND QUARTER WESTBY SCHOOLS 2012-2013

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An evening of fun learning about micro brews and wines.
What makes good ones, what food makes them even better, and how to enjoy them on what ever level you chose.

Watch for further details.



Stop in and wish the elevator man a

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Thursday, January 31st

Cake and coffee

2:00-4:00

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