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Schnee DAYS! Elkhart Lake's winter festival set Jan. 29-31

By Mike Mathes
for the Depot Dispatch

Even in the frozen season, Elkhart Lake knows how to throw a great festival.

Schnee Days is set to unfold at the end of January, marking a great way for families to get out, embrace the winter, and strike a blow against Cabin Fever.

"Schnee" (schnay) is the German word for snow, and this is a festival designed to be fun with or without the white stuff on the ground.

This year, Schnee Days will be hosted by the Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce January 29-31.

Festivities kick off officially on Friday with the annual Elkhart Lake's Got Talent show at Three Guys and a Pizza Pie, N8350 County J. The show begins at 6:30 p.m. Contestants vie for the top talent mantra for Elkhart Lake.

Saturday's busy schedule beckons participants to take part in activities from sunrise into the evening. All times listed for Saturday and Sunday events below are tentative and subject to change. Please visit our website www.schneedays.com for any changes in the time frame.

An unexpected treat at last year's Schnee Days was the appearance of the Wisconsin Kite Club on the frozen surface of Elkhart Lake. Kite enthusiasts from across the state came are planning to come back to take part in the Schnee Days festivities filling the skies with their colorful and unique kites. Kites will fly from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Snowshoeing is being offered at Quit Qui Oc Golf Course from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. with free hot chocolate following snowshoeing.

Open ice skating is available to the public at Vollrath Park or Osthoff Resort from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

At the same time, the community is invited to enjoy sledding (School Hill), and other outdoor activities around town.

Young people will take part in the annual ice cube hunt in the park south of the Grashorn Center beginning at 1 p.m. followed with other children's games until 2 p.m.

Sip n' Schnee wine tasting at Vintage

Tree lighting draws a crowd to town square

Elkhart Lake officially rang in the holiday season on Saturday, November 29 with the annual village Christmas Tree Lighting in the village square. Band and chorus students from Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah High School and the Kohler Madrigal singers offered holiday tunes, while children had a chance to enjoy a visit from Santa Claus.

Pam Mathes photos





Great grapes were served up during the annual Holiday Wine Tasting event held in conjunction with Elkhart Lake's Village Christmas Tree Lighting November 29. Wines were offered by Vintage of Elkhart Lake, Lake Street Café and the Paddock Club.

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Elkhart Lake will take place from 3-5:30 p.m. Cost is \$15/person or FREE with donation of a new or gently used coat

The Fourth Annual Elkhart Lake Pub Crawl is on the docket from for the evening.

Sunday features more events.

The Schnee Lauf Chili Run takes place beginning at 9:10 a.m. on the Lakefront Walkway, at the stairway opposite the Osthoff resort.

Online advance registration has closed. However, on-site registration is available during event packet pickup on Saturday, January 30 from 2-6 p.m. at The Osthoff

Resort and from 7:30 a.m.-8:40 a.m. the morning of the run.

The Chili Cook Off Drop Off at Lake Street Café, 21 South Lake Street takes place from 9-10 a.m. The judging begins at 10:15 a.m. Chili is available for sale 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Wait Staff Races take place at the Lake Street Café Beer garden in the late afternoon.

From 10 to noon Dog Sledding takes place on the Osthoff Resort lawn.

For current updates on Schnee Days, see the Schnee Days Facebook page and www.schneeday.com.

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Sharing our Journeys

By Carol Edler Baumann



Anticipation

One of the most common and pervasive emotions that we all share (next to love, hate, sexual attraction, hunger and pain) is anticipation. And it is an emotion felt by both men and women and children of all ages. We have all heard the plaintive cry of "Are we there yet?" often enough to require little elaboration as an expression of the anxious or expectation of what is next on an automobile trip, a long hike in the countryside, or a visit to grandma. In general, people (including children) like to know what is coming up on any journey they might be planning or participating in. Anticipation or "to anticipate" is defined in The Random House Dictionary of the English Language in some dozen ways, including: realization beforehand, to foretaste or foresee, to expect or look forward to, expectation or hope, and intuition or foreknowledge.

There is seldom a day goes by, for example, that we, as human beings, don't act on the basis of our anticipations of what that day might bring. We "anticipate" what our spouses or children might want for breakfast, what the weather might be and therefore what we should wear, what our work is likely to include, and what our evening hours provide which choices of activities. Much of this is rote, you might submit, and doesn't allow the free will choices implied by the preceding sentence. Breakfast fare is limited by what is available in our cupboards and refrigerators, the weather can change from one hour to the next, and our work is probably at least partly determined by our plans and progress from previous days and weeks. The evening hours may provide the greatest opportunities for anything like true choice to operate, but even that has limits.

Perhaps the most useful way to approach this flexibility/non-flexibility question is to consider what our anticipations are as we approach the days ahead of us and then plan what alternative thoughts and actions might be most appropriate for which anticipations. We anticipated that the weather prediction would be accurate, but in fact the 40 degree temperature and sunny skies

predicted by the TV weatherman turned out to be 28 degrees with rain and sleet. Advance planning could avoid the panic search for boots and jackets and umbrellas that our anticipations had not figured in the equation. Your earlier discussion with your employer about "at home" hours of work perfectly fit the situation at work and you were able to call in your projected absence. And so on. The point is a simple one: informed anticipation may be based on past experience, thoughts, and actions, but it must also take into account the possible changes in the conditions which face you and which may require an entirely different response.

When discussing this topic with one of my friends a few months ago, he argued that in fact most people do base their actions on "informed anticipation" (see above) and, if they are intelligent and prudent, they will also have done some "advance planning" in the event their anticipations were somehow wrong. Many off-base anticipations are based on dated information (i.e. the weather changed), over-reaction (the weather was so bad, they cancelled classes), your employer's plans included several meetings that didn't allow for "at home" work. And so on. My friend felt that too much worrying about what you anticipate might happen can lead you to a "do nothing" attitude since it would be impossible to anticipate all scenarios, which might emerge. Admitting that predictions are "iffy" at best, my own perspective is that to consider and evaluate all the relevant facts will still provide the best approach to the dilemma of the problems of anticipation. What do you think?

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New owners expand Sun Graphics focus

By Mike Mathes
for the Depot Dispatch

With a strong history in the print business, Sun Graphics is preparing to venture into additional directions under a new ownership team.

Justin and Kelly Webb of Sheboygan hope to build on the company's solid reputation following their purchase of the business from Terry and Mary Kay Evans this fall.

"We want to build on the strong print side of this company, as well as migrating to the technology world," Justin Webb said.

"We are excited about growing the app development and web side of this business for our customers."

Justin and Kelly both come from extensive business, graphic and technology backgrounds. They met while working together at McKinsey & Company, an international strategy consulting firm, in the Chicago office.

The new owners are residents of Sheboygan, Kelly's home town, having moved back to the area in 2011.

Since that time, Justin has been working as a partner in Landmark Consultants focusing on social media app development.

Earlier in 2015, Justin began looking for a business to buy in the area. "I wanted something that produced a product," he said. "We learned about the opportunity with Sun Graphics and it seemed almost like a perfect match." That launched them into their Plymouth-based business venture November 1.

Sales VP added

One of the first additions to the company was the naming of a first-ever sales manager for Sun Graphics.

Casey Carr, Kelly's brother, was hired in the role of VP of Sales for the company.

Carr is a former owner of the Penn Avenue Sports Bar in Sheboygan, and a former soccer and tennis coach at Lakeland College, his alma mater.

"When we talked about adding a sales emphasis, we immediately thought of Casey, because he has been a driven entrepreneur and he has established a lot of good relationships with people in our communities," Justin said.

Customer focused

The new owners see the Sun Graphics staff as one of the key aspects of their new



The Sun Graphics team is prepared to handle customer communication needs in print or via digital methods. From left are Amy Schuette, Tim Wiverstad, Lynn Gerondale, Casey Carr, Justin & Kelly Webb, Jon Gradinjan, Bob Piontkowski, Sandy Fenner, Jonathan Daniels, Liza Mulloy, and Jake Allmann. Also part of the team are Gina Versch and Pam Thielman.

business.

"We have a great staff here, who remain customer focused," Justin said.

That meshes with a philosophy of treating the customer with great respect.

"We have an internal believe that if you try Sun Graphics once, you won't switch again. Even if we are not the lowest price, we want customers to continue to use us because the service is so incredible. That's the culture that we want to build on."

More than just a print shop

Justin hailed the work of his predecessors in building a well-respected printing business at Sun Graphics.

The intention of the new owners is to continue to produce great customer solutions that "reside on paper"—from business cards to sell sheets, brochures, sales materials, newsletters, large format signage, guest checks and more....

A staff of talented designers takes customer concepts into completed designs for all forms of printed products.

"We want to compete with big name companies—yet give our customers higher quality, quicker turnaround, and the knowledge that they are doing business in the local market," Justin added.

But, that's far from the end of the services the Webbs are prepared to offer.

Technology critical

In today's digital world, Sun Graphics aims to serve technological customer marketing needs as well.

"We want to leverage the great things that are already going on here to the technology side," Justin said.

That involves web hosting, site development and site management.

Sun Graphics will also be offering app development for IOS and Android systems and back-end database management.

Video production will also be a major offering for Sun Graphics.

"It won't take long for others to know that we are more than just a print shop," Justin said.

In addition to technology expertise, Sun Graphics also hopes to add a communications and marketing consultant to its staff in the near future.

Webb said he hopes for Sun Graphics to become a beacon for entrepreneurs like himself and his team. He envisions hosting a monthly competition for local entrepreneurs, helping them to get their message out.

Traffic center

Sun Graphics also serves as a customer traffic center for copies and shipping needs.

The company welcomes the volume of customers that come in for copies, or to drop off items for UPS and FedEx.

"Our staff is extremely friendly and we welcome that conversation interchange," Justin said. "It's who we are."

To the new ownership team, diversifying the business comes from an extension of their penchant for taking creative, outside-the-box approaches to business.

Customers will see changes in the business offerings at Sun Graphics, Webb said, "but they will still see the same great service."

Sun Graphics is located geographically at 2829 Eastern Avenue in Plymouth.

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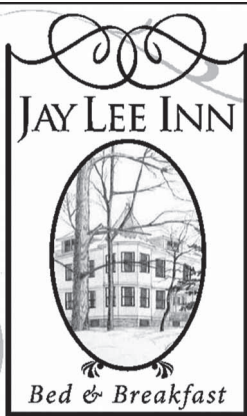
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Getting a little help from Friends

By Mike Mathes
for the Depot Dispatch

An old rock and roll tune from the Beatles era claims we get by with a little help from our friends.

That might appropriately apply to the Elkhart Lake Public Library, who relishes great support from an aptly-named organization "Elkhart Lake Friends of the Public Library."

The Friends organization works hand in hand with the Library to enhance its circulation offerings and support events at the library.

Elkhart Lake Library Director Betty McCartney (no relation to the Beatles member who once recorded the above-mentioned song) said the input of the Friends is invaluable.

"Their contributions mean we can have extra things that go above and beyond our normal budgets from the village and the county," she said.

"The Friends have helped us have things that other libraries much bigger can offer. We are fortunate to have a well-funded budget from the village, but the contributions from the Friends add a lot."



Several members of the Elkhart Lake Friends of the Public Library group pose with the Lights of Love tree representing one of the group's major fundraising efforts on behalf of the Elkhart Lake Public Library. From left are Cynthia Carlson, Connie Alvarez, Sue Staum, Sandra Bruns and Alice Voruz.

Mike Mathes photo

Major events

Elkhart Lake Friends of the Public Library hosts three public and highly visible events each year as the mainstay of its fundraising efforts.

Every July, in conjunction with the Elkhart Lake Parade, the Friends group conducts its annual "Book Drop" cookie sale. Many volunteers from throughout the community bake cookies according to a common recipe. The cookies are packaged and sold by enthusiastic volunteers along the parade route.

At the end of July, the organization's signature project unfolds. The annual Elkhart Lake Friends of the Public Library

book sale takes place in the upper level of the Grashorn Center.

Alice Voruz, president of the Friends, said it's a big task to set up the book sale, which includes used volumes from the library collection and from private collections as well.

"In addition to raising funds for the library, the book sale also gives the library the opportunity to remove some items from circulation, based on their protocol," she said.

The Friends also accept books to sell provided they are in good condition, with all profits going back to the library.

While it's officially known as a book sale, Voruz was quick to point out that the sale truly includes a wide variety of items, including DVD's, tapes, puzzles, magazines and more.

"The book sale is incredible," Library Director McCartney said. "It's a lot of work and a lot of time, but it also allows us to get some value and payback for materials that we weed from the collection."

The final event of the year is currently

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Friends

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visible at the public library.

Each holiday season, the Elkhart Lake Friends of the Public Library conducts a Lights of Love fund drive. Contributors may purchase strings of light for the library Christmas tree to honor or remember loved ones or friends.

Supporting many projects

In the 20 years since its formation, the Friends group has helped to fund many library projects.

When bathrooms were renovated recently, it was the Friends who stepped up to help with funding.

Summer reading programs get an uplifting hand from the support of the Friends. Funds from the Friends group have also been used to purchase a comfortable rug for the children's reading area, computers for the library, and the opportunity for the library to offer the Ancestry.com program to its clients.

This is used to help in genealogy searches by library patrons.

The organization was founded in 1996 with 73 charter memberships. Annual

memberships are \$10, with a lifetime membership available for \$100. Today, the organization remains at roughly the same membership numbers.

In addition to the fundraising support, the Elkhart Lake Friends of the Public Library also assists in hosting a weekly coffee hour each Wednesday morning at the library.

Members are currently offering volunteer time to a data inputting project for the library.

The Friends organization is governed by a board of directors which meets on a regular basis.

The organization also has an annual meeting each September to discuss the activities of the past year and review the proposed plans for the year ahead.

President Voruz noted that a strong contingent of the Elkhart Lake Friends of the Public Library also has ties with the long-standing Elkhart Lake Study Club.

To find out more about how you can support the Friends, check out the library's website. elkhartlakepubliclibrary.org

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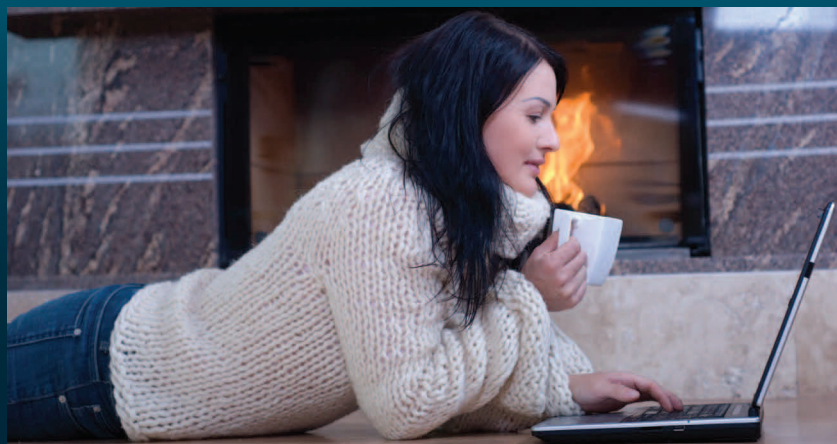
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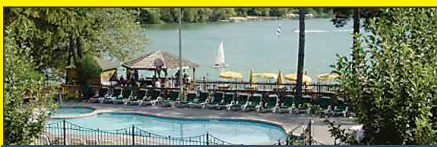
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Andy Martin, left, accepts the Friend of Education Award for 2015 from Chris Petrie (ELGEA).

Martin named education friend

The Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah Education Association recently awarded Andy Martin its Friend of Education Award for 2015.

Martin, a long-time resident of Elkhart Lake, gives generously of his time, opening the Kohl Fitness Center after school every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday so that student athletes can work out.

Not only does he supervise, but he also provides instruction in how to use the equipment properly and how to build strength and endurance. In the more than 20 years since the Fitness Center opened,

Martin has helped hundreds of Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah athletes improve their fitness.

Martin is also an active supporter of the ELGHS Band program, again generously giving of his time to help out with fundraisers and band events. Even though he and his wife no longer have children in the district, they continue to be involved in the life of the schools. The teachers and other district staff are grateful to Andy Martin for his years of dedication to the students of the Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah School District.

Zastrow named wealth advisor

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Zastrow has more than 20 years in the banking and financial industry. Before joining Wisconsin Bank & Trust, he was a Vice President at Kohler Credit Union, and spent seven years at Community Bank & Trust as a Senior Vice President.

Zastrow holds a bachelor's degree in business management from Silver Lake College in Manitowoc. He is originally from Sheboygan and is actively involved at Sheboygan Lutheran High School, St. Dominic Catholic Parish, Lakeshore Technical College and various youth soccer programs in the community.

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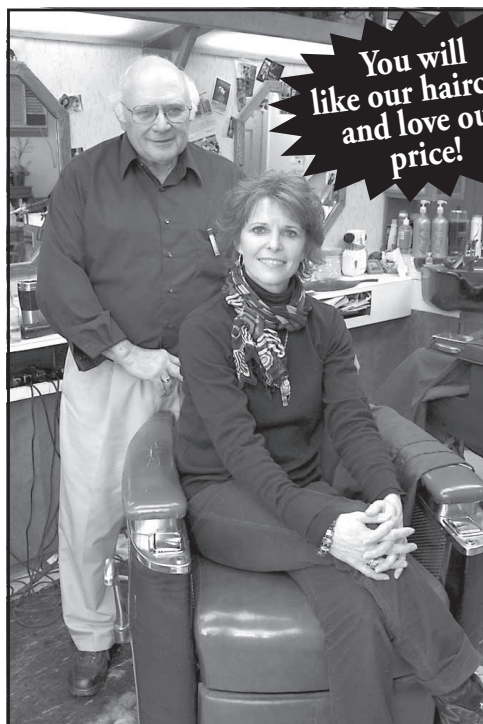
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4th Annual Pub Crawl • 5:30pm

SUNDAY, JANUARY 31

Schnee Lauf Fun 5K Fun Run starting at Osthoff • 9:10am

Dog Sledding on the Osthoff lawn • 10am-12pm

Chili Cook-Off at Lake Street Cafe • 11am-3pm

Pool Tournament at Lincoln Street Pub & Grill • 12:30pm

Waitstaff Races

More events and details to follow! @schneedays Schnee Days



On the evening of Dec. 8 members of the Elkhart Lake-Glenbeulah Student Government rang the bells for the Salvation Army's Kettle Drive. Students in 5th - 8th grade took 30 minute shifts to ring the bells outside the Plymouth Walmart. What a great experience students had raising money for the Salvation Army and spreading holiday cheer to others! Pictured from left are Emma Sadiq (5th grade) and Lucy Sutcliffe (6th grade)

Can cage location changed

The Elkhart Lake Scout holding association has changed the location of the can cage which had been located in the parking lot of the One Stop Shop and All Seasons Restaurant.

The new can cage is a portable trailer mounted unit located just west of the village maintenance garage on West Maple Street. The chassis of the new can cage was

donated to the Scout Holding Association by Mike and Kris Bartz of B & B Motor Sports. The Scout Holding Association then built the cage.

The Scouts, Cubs and the proposed new Boy Scout Troop really appreciate your participation in this collection. With limited resources they need all the help and contributions they can get.

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Elkhart Lake Village Report

2015 showed signs of growth

Happy New Year!

2015 was a very good year for the Village. We are seeing considerable growth in the Village. For the first time in many years we are seeing new single family and duplex housing being built in Elkhart Lake. In addition, Sargento is moving along on their new addition to the facility in the Village. The project should be done mid-year 2016.

Our new veterinarian clinic is scheduled to open very shortly. Dr. John Prelwitz will be bringing a new business to the Village. He is located on the new Victory Lane and Cedar Lane.

Wolf Motor Sports, located on Highway 67 and Badger Road is also progressing nicely. Bart Wolf will be relocating his motor sports business to the Village. In addition, Bart is selling car condos. This is relatively new to Wisconsin and is proving to be an early success.

Victory Elkhart Lake continues to work on the apartment complex and single and duplex housing on the north end of the property. The Planning Commission will be meeting in January and February to move this project along. The hope is to break ground in spring.

All of these projects will bring new employment and new residents to the Village. We are very excited to see what 2016 will bring.

Caboose Project Update

Although there is nothing going on at the caboose site, the project is moving full speed ahead. Fred Bauer, who is doing the restoration, is working on parts for the caboose in his shop. He has already removed the windows and sashes. He is restoring those right now for a spring installation. He is also milling lumber to replace the rotted lumber on the caboose. In spring, Fred will be establishing a staging area in the depot parking lot, just north of the caboose. He will be working all summer on the onsite restoration.

We may have some volunteer opportunities to help Fred on the project. If you are interested in helping, call Jessica at 920-876-2122. Steve Sutcliffe will be the Historical Society lead on the project.

I am still looking for donations to help with the cost of the project. Donations can be sent to The Elkhart Lake Historical Society, c/o Steve Sutcliffe, N7847 Lakeside Park Rd, Elkhart Lake, WI, 53020. This is a tax-deductible gift.

Trains, Trains, Trains

As you have noticed, there has been more train traffic in the Village. I am expecting that we will have more train traffic in the future. Please be extra alert at intersections that are not monitored with lights. I am working with the railroad on safety issues that may arise from this new activity.

Spring Election & Photo ID Required

The first election of the year will be held on Feb. 16, 2015. Photo ID will be required at this election and all other elections. The following are some frequently asked ques-

tions about the photo ID law:

Do I have the right photo ID?

Below are the acceptable IDs for voting purposes and can be unexpired or expired after the date of the most recent general election (currently, Nov. 4, 2014):

- Wisconsin DOT-issued driver license
- Wisconsin DOT-issued identification card
- Military ID card
- U.S. passport

There may be other acceptable forms of photo ID, but please contact the Clerk's office at 920-876-2122 for more information. The address on your ID does not have to be current. Election officials will only look at your ID type, name, picture, and expiration date.

What if I don't have a photo ID?

If you are eligible to vote but do not have a photo ID, you may obtain a free ID from the Department of Motor Vehicles. Apply for the ID as soon as possible. You'll need some documents to get the ID. Some records satisfy more than one requirement. For a complete list visit wisconsin.gov or call (608) 264-7447.

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Do I need a photo ID to absentee vote?

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In-person Absentee Voting

If you are casting an absentee ballot in the municipal clerk's office, you must present a photo ID, just as you would at the polls.

Are there exemptions for absentee voting?

Photo ID is not required for the following absentee voters:

- Military voters
- Voters who are permanently overseas
- Confidential voters
- Indefinitely confined voters
- Nursing home residents whose ballots are delivered by special voting deputies
- Residents of care facilities who are not visited by special voting deputies

What can I expect at the polling place?

Now that voters are bringing their IDs, voting at your polling place will be a little different. **Please be prepared & patient.

State It

As always, you'll need to state your full name and address for the election official who checks you in. They'll check your information in the poll book. Understandably, some people are uneasy about announcing their name in public, but it is the law, and it helps ensure openness in elections.

Show It

Next, it's time to show your photo ID. That way, poll workers can compare your face to your photo and confirm that you really are you.

Sign It

Finally, you'll sign the poll book (unless a physical disability prevents it). Your signature or mark should go right next to your name and address.

For complete information about the Voter Photo ID Law and its requirements, please visit: BRINGIT.WISCONSIN.GOV or call (866) VOTE-WIS or 920-876-2122.

Winter Parking Rules

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(b) Any vehicle parked in violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall be removed from the streets and stored, and such removal and storage shall be at the expense of the owner of said vehicle.

Vehicles violating this ordinance will be ticketed.

Snow Removal

Chapter 10.03 - Residents have 14 hours after a winter storm to remove ice and snow from their sidewalks. Snow cannot be blown or plowed onto Village Streets. Residents must also shovel out any hydrants near their home. You will not receive prior notification, if sidewalks are not cleared on a timely basis; the village will shovel your walk and bill you.

Tax Collection

Tax Collection is underway. The 2015 taxes are due by Jan. 31, 2016. The Village Offices are open from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday to collect taxes. The Village offices will be closed on Thursday, Dec. 31 and Friday, Jan. 1, 2016. Payments can also be dropped off at Community Bank & Trust and National Exchange Bank & Trust. You can also drop payments in the Police Depository box located on 40 Pine Street next to the library drop boxes. If you cannot make it to any of these locations, payments can be mailed to the Village of Elkhart Lake, P.O. Box 143, Elkhart Lake, WI 53020. In order to receive a tax receipt by mail, a self-addressed stamped envelope needs to be included with your payment.

Email Notification List

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Dog Refuse Stations

Thank you for using the dog refuse bags that are placed throughout the Village. Please continue to do so as the weather changes. These stations dispense plastic bags to help in the cleanup effort. The dog stations are located at:

Elkhart Lake Village Board Members

If you have concerns or questions call any of our Village Trustees

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Send an email or letter with as many details as you can include. The person with the best submission will receive a finely matted, quality enlarged print of the original, courtesy of Schamberger Gallery in Elkhart Lake.

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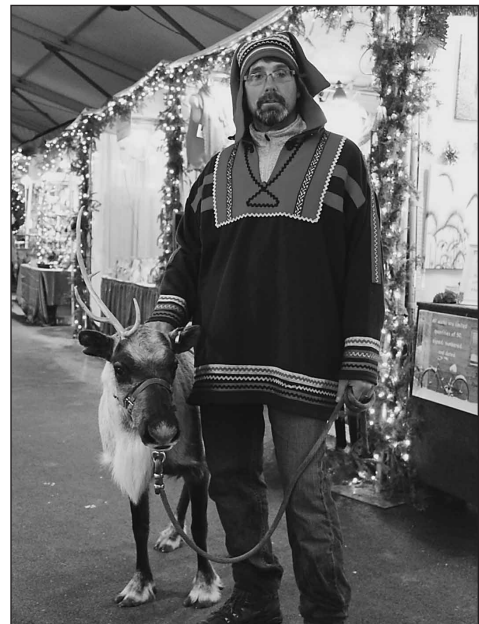
We also have yet to receive any entries from the December photo, so please dig deep for your answers.

December mystery photo



The Old World Christmas Market enjoyed another great run at the Osthoff resort this holiday season. Scenes from the marketplace show signs of great opportunities to indulge in the Christmas season spirit and browse through many selections of great holiday gift items.

Faye Burg photos



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Library Hours
Monday thru Thursday 10 - 7
Friday 10 - 5
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New Books for Adult Readers

ADULT FICTION

All Dressed in White, Mary Higgins Clark
Ashley Bell, Dean Koontz
Blood, Salt, Water, Denise Mina
Descent, Tim Johnston
Dictionary of Mutual Understanding, Jackie Copleton
Explorers Build a Passage to Shambhala, Jon Baird
Goddess, Kelly Gardiner
Grownup, Gillian Flynn
Guinea Pig Pride and Prejudice, Jane Austen
House of the Rising Sun, James Lee Burke
Like Family, Paolo Giordano

Precious Gifts, Danielle Steel
Secret Sisters, Jayne Ann Krentz
Seize the Night, Sherrilyn Kenyon

ADULT NON-FICTION

The Generals, Winston Groom
Good Book: Writers Reflect on
Favorite Bible Passages, Andrew Blauner
Life and Death in the Andes, Kim MacQuarrie
Lonely Planet Australia, Charles Rawlings-Way
Thunder and Lightning, Lauren Redniss

(LP) LARGE PRINT

Foreign Affairs, Stuart Woods

New Books for Youth Readers

(YA) TEEN

Calvin, Martine Levitt Everything, Everything, Nicola Yoon
Hello, Goodbye and Everything in Between, Jennifer Smith
Sleeper and the Spindle, Neil Gaiman
Winter, Marissa Meyer

Tales from the Brother Grimm
Thank You and Good Night, Patrick McDonnell
Thankful, Eileen Spinelli
Willy's Story, Anthony Brown

(I) INTERMEDIATE READER

Captain Awesome and the Mummy's Treasure, Stan Kirby

(J PB) JUVENILE PAPERBACK SERIES

Ginger the Stray Cat, Holly Webb
Hestia the Invisible, Joan Holub
Jessie the Lonely Puppy, Holly Webb
Red Slipper, Carolyn Keene

(J) JUVENILE FICTION

Battle of the Bots, C.J. Richards
I Funny TV, A Middle School Story, James Patterson
In the Footsteps of Crazy Horse, Joseph Marshall II
Robots Go Wild, James Patterson

(J) JUVENILE (NON-FICTION)

Brain Games, Jennifer Swanson
Cabinet of Curiosities, Gordon Grace
Friend for Lakota, Jim Dutcher
How to Swallow a Pig, Steve Jenkins
Human Body, H. P. Newquist
I am Helen Keller, Brad Meltzer
Polar, Dan Kainen
Sitting Bull, S. D. Nelson

(+) PICTURE BOOKS

Alphabet School, Stephen Johnson
Christmas Visitors, Karen Hayes
Click Clack Ho Ho, Doreen Cronin
Coco and the Little Black Dress, Annma Van Haeringen
Daddy Said a Word I Never Heard, Scott Cohn
Full Moon at the Napping House, Audrey Wood
Hiawatha and the Peacemakers, Robbie Roberson
I am Yoga, Susan Verde
It's Tough to Lose your Balloon, Jarrett Krosoczka
Little Snowflake, Lora Koehler
Lost Found, Marsha Arnold
Mighty Mole and Super Soil, Mary Quattlebaum
Ninja Baby, David Zeltser
Nonsense Show, Eric Carle
Olaf's Night Before Christmas, Jessica Julius
Only Child, Guo Jing
Over the River and Through the Woods, Linda Ashman
Pirates in Pajamas, Caroline Crow
Sail Away, Langston Hughes
Sophie's First Christmas, Laurie Isreal
Story of Diva and Flea, Mo Willems

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Masterpiece: Home Fires
Meru
Mr. Holmes

No Escape
Ricki and the Flash
Thomas & Friends: Tales on the Rails
Trainwreck

MUSIC CDS

25, Adele
Classic Christmas Album, Neil Diamond
Dark Sky Island, Enya
Emotion, Carly Rae Jepsen
Illinois, Brett Eldredge
Kylie Christmas, Kylie Minogue

Now That's What I call
Halloween, Various
Once Again It's Christmas, Kenny Rogers
Picking Up the Pieces, Jewel
Rattle that Lock, David Gilmour
Revival, Selena Gomez
So Familiar, Steve Martin
So There, Ben Folds
Storyteller, Carrie Underwood
Tangled Up, Rhett Thomas
That's Christmas to Me, Pentatonix
We Love Disney, Various

Events at the Library

STORY TIME
Wednesday, Jan. 20 • 10:30 a.m.

loved ones. All ages welcome.

Out (rated PG)

TODDLER TIME
Thursdays, Jan. 14 and 28 • 10 a.m. NEW - Play date for preschoolers.

BOOK CLUB
Friday, Jan. 8 • 1 p.m. Meeting location to be announced. Snow Child by Eowyn Ivey. Copies are available at the library.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON MOVIE (ADULTS)
Thursday, Jan. 28 • 1 p.m. The Martian (rated PG-13)

LEGO CLUB
Monday, Jan. 18 • 4-5 p.m. Children under 7 must be accompanied by an adult. Kids over 9 years old can work on our new Technic kit.

BOOK CHAT AND COFFEE HOUR
Every Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. Come and see our new books and enjoy the conversation.

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SUNSHINE CLUB
Thursday, Jan. 7 • 3-5 p.m. Help make Valentine Day cards for Project Angel Hugs and your

IN-SERVICE DAY MOVIE (CHILDREN)
Friday, Jan. 22 • 11 a.m. Inside

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The Road to Wellness

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Why does chronic stress tend to cause health problems or make them worse?

Sometimes at the office, I'll suggest to people to simply "get rid of their stress, and then you won't need to see me anymore!" Especially at this time of the year, with holiday parties and financial obligations, and what seems like an ever-shortening amount of hours in the day.

Why don't we all just give up stress for a New Year's Resolution?

If only it were that easy, right?

Many people in this modern day and age are extremely stressed out. That's no surprise—they're coping with a seemingly endless list of responsibilities that starts with work and family and grows from there. At the same time, relatively few adults living with substantial amounts of stress take constructive steps (such as visiting a chiropractor, getting a massage or meditating) to alleviate it. This can result in harmful, sometimes severe health difficulties. In fact, it is estimated that almost half of adults suffer adverse health effects from stress. Chronic stress (different from acute or temporary stress) tends to cause or amplify health problems in these ways:

- Stress can cause backaches and muscle pain. Stress-related back pain is very real, and treating it with a combination of chiropractic care and massage therapy can be much more effective (as well as safer and less expensive) than resorting to surgery or painkillers.

- Stress can cost you sleep. Sleep is one of the most vital elements of health, and not getting enough of it can cause serious problems such as depression, obesity, diabetes, and high blood pressure. Stress can reduce the quantity and quality of sleep you get every night, robbing your body and mind of sleep's healing properties.

- Stress can trigger or worsen a wide variety of mental health problems. Stress can cause or amplify any number of psychological and emotional issues, including anxiety, depression, irritability and personality changes.

- Stress can lead to negative coping behaviors and destructive habits. Many people experiencing lots of stress will self-treat with alcohol, tobacco, and drugs. Much of the time, this pattern of behavior will only make a bad situation worse. Instead of helping the body release stress, these substances only serve to keep the body in a stressed state. Other people develop eating disorders, either overeating or not eating much at all. Both patterns can have serious physical and psychological complications related to nutrition and self-esteem.

So why does chronic stress do this to the human body? The answer lies in our physiological reactions to unnerving or unpleasant situations, many of which originally evolved to help us cope with short-term physical dangers. Stress can trigger a variety of "fight or flight" responses in our nervous, circulatory, respiratory and musculoskeletal systems that are designed to give our bodies a temporary performance boost—heightening our senses to make us more alert, providing additional strength and endurance, and even dulling our sense of pain. However, our bodies also pay a

price for this performance boost, especially if the flight or fight responses are left "switched on" for extended periods of time.

Unfortunately, today's modern stresses—related to professional struggles, financial insecurity, marriage problems and child rearing—tend to play out over days, weeks, months, and even years, not over a few minutes. This type of chronic stress can cause at least some of the body's fight or flight responses to remain switched on longer than they should be, triggering a variety of potential health problems.

- The chemicals epinephrine (aka adrenaline) and cortisol, released in times of stress, are both harmful at high levels for extended periods of time.

- Stress hormones cause the liver to release more blood sugar, which can put an individual at risk for type 2 diabetes.

- Stress can cause respiratory problems, increasing the risk of hyperventilation and upper-respiratory infections.

- Long-term stress can cause your arteries to narrow and your bad cholesterol levels to rise, raising the risk of strokes, heart attacks, and heart disease.

- Ongoing stress has repercussions for your immune system too, slowing down your body's healing processes, making you more susceptible to infection, and even causing unpleasant skin conditions such as acne, hives, and eczema.

- Lastly, long-term stress can play havoc with your musculoskeletal system. Stressing out tends to produce sustained tension throughout the body that can cause headaches as well as neck, shoulder, and back pain. Chronic stress may even increase your likelihood of developing osteoporosis.

If you or someone you care about suffers from chronic stress, it's important to find constructive ways of managing the pressure and avoiding the physical, psychological and emotional toll it can take. Our office can help! With adjustments, exercise, and nutritional help, you can manage—even reduce—the everyday stressors we all have. Call or visit our office today!

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Elkhart Lake Chamber Calendar

DECEMBER 23
Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Book Chat and Coffee Hour 10 a.m. Come and see our new books and enjoy the conversation.

DECEMBER 24
Community United Church of Christ
 Christmas Eve services will be held at 6 & 8 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

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 Tech Thursdays. Need help with downloading digital books from Overdrive to your reader or iPad? Want to learn more about digital magazines? Need help getting started with Ancestry Library Edition? Drop by Thursdays from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. and we will help you out. Or call and make an appointment with us at 876-2554.

Osthoff Resort
 Families are invited to enjoy Christmas Eve Day with traditional activities including an old-fashioned horse-drawn hay wagon ride, hot chocolate, and Christmas cookies.

DECEMBER 25
Osthoff Resort
 Spend time with family and friends enjoying our sumptuous Christmas Day Buffet 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

DECEMBER 28
Camp Y-Koda
 Winter Break Day Camp. Are you looking for something fun for your kids to do during their winter break? Send them to Camp Y-Koda to enjoy the brisk winter air and great outdoor activities. Ages 4-12. Admission.

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Lola's on the Lake Restaurant and Lounge
 Ring in 2016 with fabulous dinner entrées, party favors and a midnight toast. Chicago-based band Quiet Storm performs a variety of R&B, funk, rock and blues from 9 p.m.-1 a.m.

Plymouth Arts Center
 New Year's Eve in the Cheese Capital. The Nationally Acclaimed "Big Cheese Drop" 10 p.m. A free event. Build your own smores at the bonfire 9-10 p.m. Free live music in the PAC Greatroom, The Jamies & Friends 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m.

The Blind Horse Restaurant and Winery
 Join us for a special night of live music and elegant dining. Live music with our very own David Nelson 5:30-10 p.m.

JANUARY 1
Paddock Club
 Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

JANUARY 4
Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee
 Village of Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee meeting, Grashorn Civic Center 7 p.m.

Elkhart Lake Lions Club
 Directors meeting 7:00 p.m. Quit Qui Oc.

JANUARY 5
Community United Church of Christ
 AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

JANUARY 6
Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Book Chat and Coffee Hour 10 a.m. Come and see our new books and enjoy the conversation.

JANUARY 7
Community United Church of Christ
 AA Meetings 7 p.m.

Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Sunshine Club 3-5 p.m. Help make Valentine Day cards for Project Angel Hugs and your loved ones. All ages' welcome.

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JANUARY 8
Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Book Club on the Move 1 p.m. Meeting location to be announced. Snow Child by Eowyn Ivey. Copies are available at the library.

Paddock Club
 Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

Vintage Elkhart Lake
 Join us for game night—with wine 6-8 p.m. Choose from a variety of board games provided by Sheboygan's Game Board, plus a nearly bottomless glass of featured wine for two hours, \$20 per person.

JANUARY 9
Wade House Historical House
 Horse-drawn sleigh rides 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Weather permitting.

JANUARY 10
Wade House Historical House
 Horse-drawn sleigh rides 11 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Weather permitting.

JANUARY 12
Community United Church of Christ
 AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce
 Chamber board meeting 8:30 a.m. Grashorn Civic Center.

JANUARY 13
Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Book Chat and Coffee Hour 10 a.m. Come and see our new books and enjoy the conversation.

JANUARY 14
Community United Church of Christ
 AA Meetings 7 p.m.

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JANUARY 15
Paddock Club
 Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

JANUARY 16
Wade House Historical House
 Horse-drawn sleigh rides 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Weather permitting.

JANUARY 18
Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee
 Village of Elkhart Lake Board of Trustee meeting, Grashorn Civic Center 7 p.m.

Elkhart Lake Lions Club
 All member meeting at Anchor Lanes 6 p.m. social hour. 7 p.m. meeting & dinner.

Elkhart Lake Public Library
 LEGO Club 4-5 p.m. Children under 7 must be accompanied by an adult. Kids over 9 years old can work on our new Technic kit.

JANUARY 19
Community United Church of Christ
 AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

JANUARY 20
Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Story Time 10:30 a.m.

Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Book Chat and Coffee Hour 10 a.m. Come and see our new books and enjoy the conversation.

JANUARY 21
Community United Church of Christ
 AA Meetings 7 p.m.

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Quit Qui Oc Golf Club
 Rib Night 5-8 p.m.

JANUARY 22
Elkhart Lake Public Library
 In-service day movie (children) 11 a.m. Inside Out (rated PG).

Paddock Club
 Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

JANUARY 23
Wade House Historical House
 Hearthside Dinner 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Enjoy a delicious hearth-cooked meal, prepared with your own hands, in the historic Wade House stagecoach hotel. Limited seating; reservations required. Admission. 920-526-3271.

Wade House Historical House
 Horse-drawn sleigh rides 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Weather permitting.

JANUARY 24
Wade House Historical House
 Horse-drawn sleigh rides 11 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Weather permitting.

JANUARY 26
Community United Church of Christ
 AA Meeting 10 a.m. Women only 6 p.m.

JANUARY 27
Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Book Chat and Coffee Hour 10 a.m. Come and see our new books and enjoy the conversation.

JANUARY 28
Community United Church of Christ
 AA Meetings 7 p.m.

Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Toddler Time 10 a.m. NEW – Play date for preschoolers.

Elkhart Lake Public Library
 Tuesday afternoon movie (adults) 1 p.m. The Martian (rated PG-13).

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JANUARY 29
Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce
 Schnee Days. Schnee Days talent show 6:30-10 p.m. at Three Guys and a Pizza Pie. For updates see the Schnee Days website at www.schneeday.com.

Paddock Club
 Live Music, Paul Sucherman on keyboard and Auggie on drums 7-11 p.m.

JANUARY 30
Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce
 NOTE: ALL SCHNEE DAYS TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE. Check www.schneeday.com

Schnee Days. Snowshoeing will be offered at Quit Qui Oc 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
 Wisconsin Kite Club will be flying their kites 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Open ice-skating to the public at Vollrath Park or Osthoff Resort 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

Ice cube hunt and kids' activities in the village park. 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

Sip n' Schnee wine tasting at Vintage Elkhart Lake 3-5:30 p.m.

Fourth Annual Elkhart Lake Pub Crawl. 5:30. For updates see the Schnee Days website at www.schneeday.com

Wade House Historical House
 Horse-drawn sleigh rides 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Weather permitting.

JANUARY 31
Elkhart Lake Chamber of Commerce
 NOTE: ALL SCHNEE DAYS TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE. Check www.schneeday.com

Schnee Days. Schnee Lauf 5k run - starts at 9:10 a.m.

Dog Sledding will take place on the Osthoff Resort lawn 10 a.m.-noon

Chili cook-off at Lake Street Cafe 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Wait staff races.

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 Horse-drawn sleigh rides 11 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Weather permitting.

DEPOT DISPATCH DEADLINES

FEBRUARY 2016 ISSUE

- JANUARY 13 - Contributing writer stories due.
- JANUARY 15 - Ad design changes/space reservations due.
- JANUARY 19 - Print ready ads due.
- JANUARY 26 - Issue on newsstands



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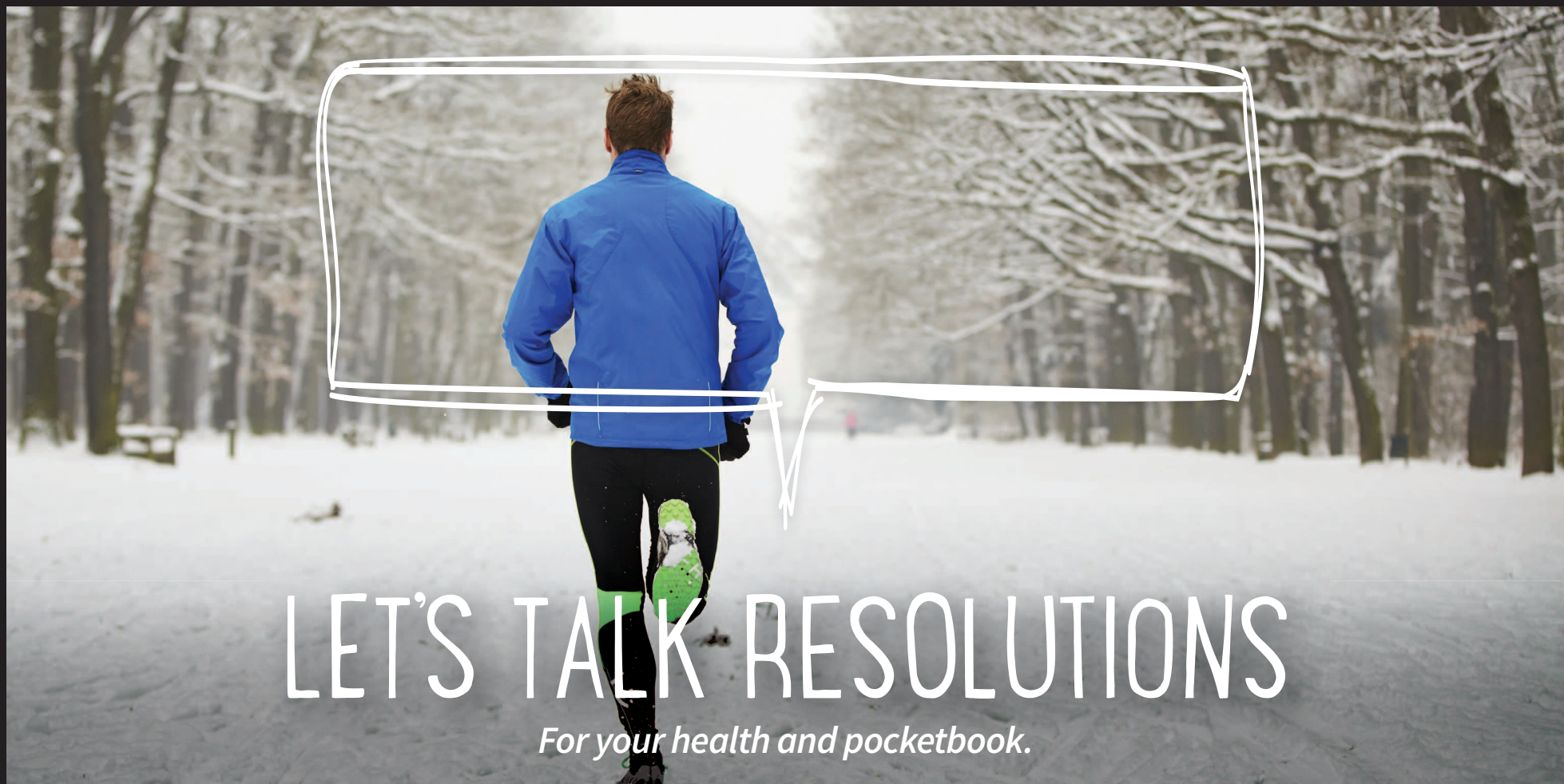
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