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Peggy Goeson

From: Perham, MN Passed Away: Sun., March 28 Where: Harvest Glen, Perham Livina

Visitation: One hour prior to the service

Service: Mon., April 5, 11am Location: Karvonen Funeral Home, Wadena, MN

Funeral Home: Karvonen Funeral and Cremation Services

Richard A. Habberstad

Age: 81 From: Rural Underwood, MN Passed Away: Sun., March 28 Where: At his home Arrangements are pending Burial: Tingvold Cemetery, Underwood, MN Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN

Mary V. Perius

Age: 54 From: Anchorage, KS Passed Away: Mon., March 8 Visitation: One hour prior to the service at Karvonen Funeral Home, New York Mills, MN Service: Fri., April 9, 11am Location: Karvonen Funeral Home, New York Mills, MN Funeral Home: Karvonen Funeral & Cremation Services, New York

Lois Weis

Mills, MN

Age: 87 From: Richville, MN Passed Away: Sat., March 27 Where: At her home Open House & Celebration of Life will be held in June 2021 Funeral Home: Karvonen Funeral & Cremation Services, New York

Geri Williams

Mills, MN

Age: 57 From: Fergus Falls, MN Passed Away: Sat., March 27 Where: Lake Region Hospital, Fergus Falls, MN Celebration of Life will be held at a

Funeral Home: Glende-Nilson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN

Vivian I. Kugler

Age: 97 From: Fergus Falls, MN formerly of Erhard, MN Passed Áway: Fri., April 2 Where: PioneerCare, Fergus Falls, Visitation: Wed., April 7, 5-7pm at Olson Funeral Home, Ferugs Falls, MN

Service: Thurs., April 8, 11am Location: Trinity Lutheran Church, Fergus Falls, MN Burial: St. Paul Lutheran Cemetery, rural Fergus Falls, MN

Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN



LaVon (Hokanson) Knutson

Age: 84 From: Fergus Falls, MN Passed Away: Wed., March 24 Where: Sanford, Fargo, ND Graveside Service: Private family graveside service will be held at a later date Burial: Oak Grove Cemetery,

Fergus Falls, MN Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN

Joyrene T. Hanstad

From: Fergus Falls, MN Passed Away: Mon., March 29 Where: PioneerCare, Fergus Falls,

Service: Fri., April 9, 11am Location: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN Burial: Aastad Cemetery, Fergus Falls MN

Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN

Tony A. Anderson

Age: 62 From: Vining, MN Passed Away: Sat., March 27 Where: At his home Visitation: Thurs., April 1, 11am-1pm Service: Thurs., April 1, 1pm Location: Belmont-Karvonen Funeral Home, Henning, MN Burial: Minnesota State Veteran's Cemetery, Little Falls, MN on Fri., April 2 3pm Funeral Home: Karvonen Funeral and Cremation Services

LaRoy N. Norby

Age: 89 From: Fergus Falls, MN Passed Away: Wed., March 31 Where: At her home Visitation: One hour prior to the service at the church Service: Wed., April 7, 11am Location: First Lutheran Church, Fergus Falls, MN Burial: Oak Grove Cemetery, Fergus Falls, MN Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN

Patrick Doll

Age: 82 From: Perham, MN Passed Away: Wed., March 31 Where: At her home Walk-through Visitation: Fri., April 9, 5-8pm with Rosary service at 7:15pm and Parish Prayers at 7:30pm, one hour prior to the Mass at the church Funeral Mass: Sat., April 10,

10:30am Location: St. Lawrence Catholic Church, Otto Township, rural Perham MN

Funeral Home: Karvonen Funeral & Cremation Service, New York Mills, MN

Rocky W. Cocl

Age: 75 From: Franklin, MN formerly of Fergus Falls, MN Passed Away: Sun., March 28 Where: Franklin Nursing Home Burial: Kinkead Cemetery, Alexandria, MN

Funeral Home: Glende-Nilson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN

Dale D. Corbin

Age: 78 From: Fergus Falls, MN Passed Away: Fri., March 19 Where: LB Broen Home, Fergus Falls, MN Service: Will be held at a later date Burial: Calvary Cemetery,

Crookston, MN Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN

Evelyn Horton (Mrs. Roland Kenyon)

From: Fergus Falls, MN Passed Away: Thurs., March 25 Where: At her home Service: Sat., June 26, 10:30am Location: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN

Carolyn L. (Symonds) Larson

Age: 67 From: Fergus Falls, MN Passed Away: Thurs.. March 25 Where: At her home Visitation: One hour prior to the service at Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN Service: Sat., April 3, 12pm Location: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN Burial: Oak Grove Cemetery. Fergus Falls, MN Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN

Betty Miller

Age: 91 From: Wadena, MN Passed Away: Fri., March 26 Where: Tri County Hospital, Wadena, MN Service: Will be held in May 2021 Funeral Home: Karvonen Funeral & Cremation Services, Wadena, MN

Clarence Bessler

Age: 86 From: Parkers Prairie, MN Passed Away: Sun., March 28 Where: St. Williams Living Center, Parkers Prairie, MN Celebration of Life: Will be held in the summer of 2021 in Lake

George, MN Funeral Home: Karvonen Funeral &

Cremation Services, Wadena, MN

Rollis "Rod" M. Miller

Age: 90 From: Fergus Falls, MN Passed Away: Fri., April 2 Where: Lake Region Healthcare, Fergus Falls, MN

Private Family Service: Will be held now, with a Celebration of Life at Tonseth Church, Erhard, MN on June 19, 2021

Burial: Tonseth Lutheran Church Cemetery, Erhard, MN Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls, MN



Jacob R. Haataja



Jacob Riley Haataja, 14, died peacefully on March 28, 2021 at Sanford Medical Center in Fargo, ND. Funeral services will be held at 1PM on Saturday, April 3, 2021 at the Brenny Family Funeral Chapel, Staples. Visitation will be from 11AM until the time of Family Funeral Chapel, Staples. life is too short. Jacob will always

13, 2006 in Staples to Virgil Haataja and Pamela Reiman. He is the youngest of four siblings. Jacob was in the 8th grade at that had the ability to make Kennedy Secondary School in others smile. He will be dearly Fergus Falls; he loved his friends missed by all who knew him. and socializing at school. Jacob attended Bible Camp, where he shared his generosity and love for God with other youth campers. He found serenity in the great outdoors whether chopping wood, bonfires with his family, hunting, fishing, or tinkering on motors. Jacob loved his nephews beyond words; especially building Allers; paternal grandmother, forts, playing board games, and sharing memorable times togethers. Jacob taught his family to be open and understanding of others, slowdown in life and listen to others, always give 100% no death by his maternal grandfather, matter what you do, and make services at 1PM at the Brenny sure you laugh every day because grandfather, Alvin

Jacob was born on December be remembered for his outgoing personality, generosity, big heart, and for being a beautiful, loving, passionate person Jacob is survived by his parents, Pamela Reiman and Virgil

Haataja of Wadena; siblings, Sasha (Justin Nehk) Petersdorf of Fergus Falls, Corey Haataja of Fargo, ND, Kacie Haataja of Deer Creek, Kira Reiman of St. Cloud; nephews, Cody and Wyatt Nehk; maternal grandmother, Dawn Carol Haataja; uncle, Fric (Jennifer) Reiman: cousin. Halley Reiman; and many aunts, uncles, extended family members, and friends. He was preceded in Robert "Bob" Allers; paternal Tyler Reiman. and cousin,



Family, friends and neighbors of Helen Pederson

We wish to express our thanks to so many people who sent cards, called, or stopped to talk after we lost our dear wife, mother, sister, and grandmother, Helen Pederson.

Your kind words, thoughts and prayers have helped us endure this sad time.

- Don Pederson and Family





As the Shrine philanthropy centers around the well-being of children, and with the name of safety in mind, we will not be having our Annual Birak Shrine Circus 2021 due to the COVID-19 restrictions.

Our Shrine Circus is mainly sponsored by small businesses in the area, we would like to thank each and everyone of you for your years of support. It is our hope that your business is able to rebound during these trying times. We are planning to have a circus in 2022.

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HUMANE SOCIETY OF OTTER TAIL COUNT GET READY, GET SET, SHOP!

By Kristi Lausch, HSOTC Board Member

Due to safe social distancing protocols, the Humane Society of Otter Tail County has made the decision to cancel our spring fundraising dinner, for the second consecutive year. In the past, the dollars raised at this dinner have contributed significantly to the annual operating budget of the shelter. Because of this loss in revenue, HSOTC has had to get particularly creative in finding other ways to make up for this loss of income.



Starting Thursday, April 29th and running until noon on Monday, May 3rd, we will be hosting an online auction on our Facebook page. People seemed to have a lot of fun with the auction we hosted in 2020 and we hope to make it even bigger this year. If you'd like to contribute to this online auction, please drop items off at the shelter, located at 1933 W. Fir Avenue in Fergus Falls, during regular business hours. All items need to be new, or handmade, and delivered no later than April 27th. Items that appear to be used will not be accepted. Gift cards are always welcome too. And most importantly, please like Humane Society of Otter Tail County on Facebook

and sign up to attend this event, share with friends, and bid generously on items. We have some super duper items coming in such as jewelry, home décor, pet stairs, pet products and fabulous gift baskets. We

also have a Lake Wobegon book, personally signed by Garrison Keillor and two beautiful hand-crafted wood pet urns. Complete instructions for bidding are listed on our Facebook event page. The HSOTC is an independent non-profit 501c3, providing a safe haven and loving care to over 1,000 dogs and cats every year. We are not affiliated with any national organization or government entity and we rely solely on donations to continue operations. I can personally tell you we work hard to be good stewards of every dollar received and we always put animal care at the fore front of every decision we make. Your donations matter!

And with Memorial Day right around the corner, I would also like to remind you that a custom memorial brick on our wall is a special way to honor a beloved pet or person. Each brick on the wall costs \$100 and for an additional \$30, you can get a second brick, of the same design, for your personal use. We would love to work with you to create a perfect, unique brick! For more information on the auction or memorial bricks, please call the shelter at 218-739-3494.



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