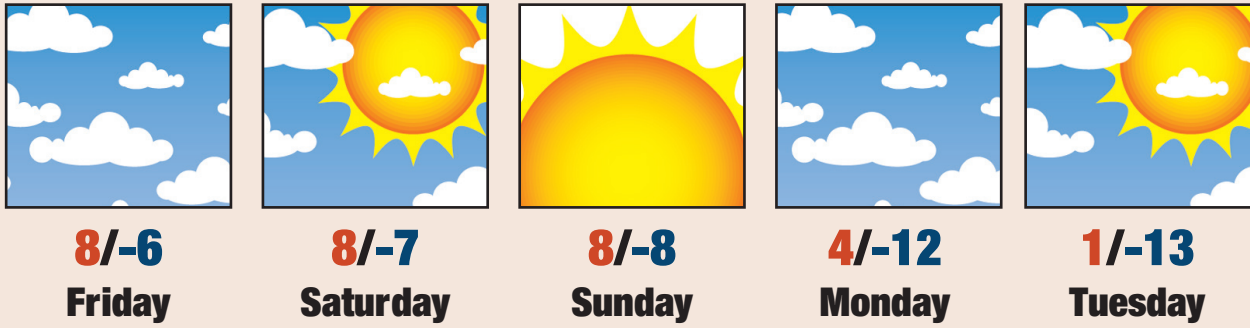


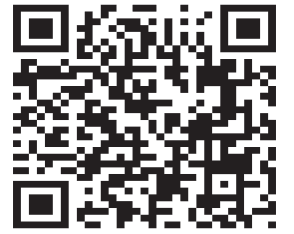
## Fergus Falls five-day weather forecast



Traveler information and road conditions may be found at 511mn.org or by calling 511

## Tomorrow's almanac

Sunrise:	7:18 a.m.
Sunset:	5:59 p.m.
Wind:	NW 20 mph
Humidity:	69%
UV Index:	2 Low
Avg. High:	25
Avg. Low:	7
Record High:	48/1961
Record Low:	-23/2001



## LOTTERIES:

**Daily 3:** 5-5-5  
**Northstar Cash:**  
 05-09-13-23-27  
**Gopher 5:** 02-07-18-38-47  
**Powerball:**  
 01-17-35-49-54; PB: 34

## OBITUARIES

### Beverly Booen

Beverly Jane Booen, 81, of Hewitt and Deer Creek, died Sunday, Feb. 16, 2014, in Altoona, Iowa, from a broken heart.

Beverly was born to Leo and Wilma Walker on Sept. 19, 1932, in Hewitt. She and Kenneth Duane Booen were married April 19, 1952, in Hewitt.

Beverly worked as a cook at Shady Lane Nursing Home, now Fair Oaks Lodge, in Wadena, retiring in 1994.

Her hobbies were quilting, sewing, cooking and traveling.

Beverly is survived by her daughters Kathryn Buker, Albert Lea, Deanna (Robert) Mullenbach, Austin, Bonnie (Roger) Stuart, Altoona, Iowa, Connie (Clay) Willey of Pleasant Hill, Iowa, Susan (Robert) Hopkins, Altoona, Iowa; sons, Michael (April) Booen of Underwood and Gary (Karen) Booen of St. Cloud; 15 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; a brother, Larry (Janis) Walker; sisters, Josephine (Tom) Fern and Sandra (Ray)

South; brothers-in-law, Donald Booen and Lyle Booen; and sisters-in-law Shirley Zuehlke, Avis Robbin, Gloria Martin, Nora Booen, Dorothy Hofferbert and Lois Lynch.

She was preceded in death by the love of her life and husband of 61 years, Kenneth on Sept. 4, 2013; her parents, Leo and Wilma Walker; in-laws James and Mabel Booen; sisters, Phyllis Branstner and Glenice Buschke; brothers-in-law, Howard Branstner and Wilmar Buschke, Lloyd Booen, Richard Booen and Robert Booen; a sister-in-law, Norma Zuelhke; a son-in-law, Dennis Buker; a granddaughter, Farrah Buker; and a great-grandson, Jonathan Hoffmann.

Visitation: Saturday from noon until the time of the service at the Community Center

Service: 2 p.m. Saturday, at the Community Center, Hewitt

Funeral Home: Schuller Family Funeral Homes, Bertha

Condolences: www.schullerfamilyfh.com

### Barbara Eiden-Molinaro

Barbara Jo Eiden-Molinaro, 62, of Athens, Ohio, died unexpectedly from rare complications of chemotherapy on Feb. 15, 2014, at OSU Medical Center in Columbus, Ohio.

Born Oct. 31, 1951, Barbara graduated from Brainerd High School in 1970. She earned a bachelor's degree in political science from Concordia College in Moorhead in 1974, and a master's in theology from Hama School of Theology at Wittenberg University in 1978.

From 1979 to 1992, Barbara served at Concordia College in Moorhead where she worked in Student Affairs as associate dean.

In 1992, she moved to Fergus Falls and established Success Services, Inc., a project management consulting firm.

In that capacity, she managed the Otter Tail County Family Services Collaborative as well as many other projects.

In 2006, she relocated to Washington, D.C., and continued to operate her business.

DC clients included the National Museum of Women in the Arts and the National Council on Aging.



Eiden-Molinaro

In 2012, she moved to Athens, Ohio.

In January 2013, she joined the staff of Rural Action, The Plains Ohio, as Chief Operating Officer.

Always active in the communities where she lived, Barbara served on the boards of numerous nonprofit organizations and as president of First Trinity Lutheran, Washington, D.C., and Augustana Lutheran Church in Fergus Falls.

She dedicated her life and career to helping and improving the lives of others and was a woman of profound faith.

Barbara has remembered Concordia College with a planned gift.

Barbara and her husband, John Molinaro, met in seminary, were married at Lutheran Church of the Cross in Nisswa on Sept. 17, 1977, and parted upon her death.

Barbara is also survived by her mother, Virginia (Dahly) Eiden of Nisswa; her brother, Timothy Eiden, his wife, Julie, and children, Katherine, Steven and Daniel of Menomonie, Wis.; her foster daughter, Jody (Thom) Peterson, and her husband, Terry Peterson, of Lengby, and Jody's four children, Ben Westby and Kolby, Maeghan and Sloane Peterson.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. March 1, at Christ Lutheran Church in Athens Ohio.

Memorials may be made to Rural Action (RuralAction.org) or Christ Lutheran (clathens.org)

## Elizabeth Fire Dept. auxiliary plans breakfast fundraiser

For The Journal

The Elizabeth Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary will serve a Sweetheart breakfast of french toast and ham from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Sunday at the Elizabeth Community Cen-

ter.

A bake sale will also be conducted. A portion of the proceeds will be donated toward the Underwood Fire Department for its Jaws of Life.

Cost is by donation.

## DEATH NOTICES

### LaVonne Apland

LaVonne Apland, 68, of New York Mills, died Wednesday, Feb. 19, 2014, at Eventide Senior Living in Moorhead. Arrangements are pending with Karvonen Funeral Home of New York Mills, Minnesota.

Condolences: www.karvonenfuneralhome.com

### Mark McNelly

Mark Chester McNelly, 63, of Battle Lake, formerly of Breckenridge, died Saturday, Feb. 15, 2014, at his home, under the care of Lakeland Hospice, and surrounded by his family. Funeral services will be at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, at Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church in Battle Lake.

Visitation will be Monday from 5 to 8 p.m., with a prayer service at 7 p.m., at St. John's Catholic Church in Wahpeton, and one hour prior to the service at Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church. Joseph Vertin and Sons Funeral Home in Breckenridge is in charge of arrangements.

### Gary Ness

Gary Ness, 61, of rural Ashby, died Tuesday, Feb. 18, 2014, at his home. A memorial service is planned at 2 p.m. Saturday, at Peace Lutheran Church in Ashby.

Visitation will be Friday from 4 to 7 p.m., with a prayer service at 6:30 p.m., at Glende-Nilson Funeral Home in Ashby, and one hour prior to the service at the church.

## Met Council projects suburbs will grow faster

MCT DIRECT

The Twin Cities metro area is growing at a rapid clip, though not quite as fast as previously anticipated, and more than half of that growth will occur outside the urban core and developed, first-ring suburbs.

In fact, 47 percent of new households and new housing coming to the region by the year 2040 are expected to be situated in developing suburbs, and another 9 percent likely will land in outlying rural areas — for a total of 3.67 million people. That's up from 2.85 million people in 2010.

That's the forecast from the Metropolitan Council, which released city-level growth projections Wednesday. Based in large part on revised U.S. Census figures, the Met Council's 30-year forecasts trim about 70,000 people from the preliminary numbers released in September.

Nevertheless, the metro area is growing like gangbusters. The council predicts 400,000 new households by the year 2040, 17 percent of which will be in the central cities, 27 percent in the fully developed

suburbs, 47 percent in the developing suburbs and 9 percent in rural areas.

### Redwood Falls man pleads guilty in teen's fatal overdose

One of the men charged in the fatal 2012 overdose of a St. Paul teen on a cough syrup cocktail pleaded guilty to a drug felony Wednesday.

Robert C. Kibble, 26, of Redwood Falls, Minn., pleaded guilty to third-degree drug sale.

He also was sentenced Wednesday in Dakota County District Court to two years and three months in prison, with 66 days' credit for time already served. Kibble will begin serving the sentence immediately.

A gross-misdemeanor charge of giving alcohol to a minor was dismissed.

Kibble and Jacob Sawyer, 20, of St. Paul were charged in the death of Pavieria Linson, 14. Linson, who was from St. Paul, died in August 2012 of a mixed-drug overdose.

### Dale Smith

Dale Edward Smith, 77, of Breckenridge, died Tuesday, Feb. 18, 2014, at St. Catherine's Living Center in Wahpeton, N.D., after a courageous seven-month battle with cancer.



Smith

Dale was born Feb. 22, 1936 in Wahpeton to Ernest and Elsie (Chizek) Smith. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Adalbert's Catholic Church in Wahpeton. He attended elementary school at Center Township in rural Wahpeton, and graduated from Wahpeton High School in 1954.

He entered the National Guard, and then joined the U.S. Army in 1956, where he was stationed in Panama City, Mexico. He received many awards, including Sharpshooter (light machine gun), a Good Conduct Medal, Marksman (automatic rifle), Sharpshooter (60mm Mort), and Expert (RR57mm).

In 1958, Dale was honorably discharged from the Army and returned back home to Wahpeton.

Dale first worked as a mechanic for the Jack Reed Chevrolet Dealership, and then for short time at Quine Roofing, both in Wahpeton.

For the next 37 years (1960 to 1997), he worked at Northwestern Sheet and Iron Works, Wahpeton, and Johnson Culvert in Fargo; transitioning from a semi-truck driver to a shop foreman.

Dale married Lois Herding on Jan. 2, 1960, at St. John's Catholic Church in Wahpeton. They lived in Wahpeton for three years before moving the family to Breckenridge, where they raised their five children and are currently living.

Dale had a strong work ethic and emphasized the importance of being fair and honest. His legacy of strong character, honesty, and hard work was gratefully received by his children.

As a young man, Dale loved to go hunting and fishing. He received great satisfaction in passing on his love of deer hunting to his children and grandchildren. He also enjoyed working on the family farm near Underwood, MN; and gardening. As a devoted father and husband, what he valued most in life, was the time spent with his family.

Dale is survived by his wife of 54 years, Lois; his children, Kevin (Kathy) Smith of Breckenridge, Steve (Louise) Smith of Savage, Linda (Dale) Madson of St. Anthony, Debbie (Chris) Kline of Eden Prairie, and Jim Smith of Breckenridge; his grandchildren, Jesse (Tanya) Smith of Maple Grove, Derek (Lea) Smith of Savage, Brandon Smith, Katie Kline, Jacki Kline, Connor Kline of Eden Prairie, Logan Smith, and Kayla Smith of Breckenridge; his great-grandchildren, Ryder Smith of Maple Grove, Arlo Birawer of St. Louis Park, and his eagerly-anticipated great-grandchild, of Savage.

Dale was preceded in death by his parents, Ernie and Elsie Smith; his sister, Delores; and his brother, Eugene.

Memorials preferred to the Roger Maris Cancer Center in Fargo.

Visitation: Friday from 5 to 8 p.m., with a prayer service at 7 p.m., at the funeral home

Service: 10:30 a.m. Saturday, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Breckenridge

Burial: Is planned at a later date in St. Mary's Cemetery, Breckenridge

Funeral Home: Joseph Vertin and Sons Funeral Home, Breckenridge

### Eleanor Hegseth

Eleanor Marie Hegseth, 97, of Fergus Falls, died Tuesday, Feb. 18, 2014 at Breckenridge Home in Fergus Falls.



Hegseth

Eleanor was born on March 17, 1916, in Fergus Falls, the daughter of Gilbert and Hilda (Skolrud) Holt. She attended school in Oscar Township and Fergus Falls. After her schooling, she worked as a maid for Dr. Heiberg from 1932 to 1940.

On Nov. 14, 1940, she married Theodore Hegseth. The couple had three children, Kathryn, Theodore and David. From 1971 to 1981, Eleanor worked at the Lake Park Wild Rice Children's Home.

Over the years, she was an active member of Hedemarken Church, where she enjoyed Ladies Aid and was superintendent of Sunday school. She was also a member of Homemakers, Hospital Auxiliary and Eagle's

Auxiliary.

Preceding her in death were her parents; husband, Theodore; a daughter, Kathryn; a sister, Geneva; brothers, Wallace, Edward, Emmett and one who died in infancy.

Survivors include her sons, Theodore (Judith Ann) Hegseth of Fergus Falls, David (Deborah) Hegseth of Fergus Falls; grandchildren, Susan (Brent) Boisvert, Kaare Hegseth, Erin (Brian) Nurkka, Manda (Tyler) Tumberg, Mali (Matt) Moss and Erik Hegseth; and seven great-grandchildren, Erika, Cagney, Owenn, Wyatt, Tosten, Olivea and Valenten.

Visitation: Sunday from 4 to 6 p.m., at the funeral home, and one hour prior to the service at the church

Service: 1:30 p.m. Monday, at Hedemarken Lutheran Church, Carlisle

Clergy: Rev. Stan Satre and Chaplain Ken Austin  
 Burial: South Friborg Cemetery, Oscar Township, Carlisle

Funeral Home: Olson Funeral Home, Fergus Falls

Condolences: www.olsonfuneralhome.com

## Space: Designed to be the next step for artists

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to be a flower shop, but Carlson and his brother designed it as a studio, specifically for soundproofing.

"It still is a work in progress," Carlson said.

The studio got a boost through a grant from the Lake Region Arts Council, which helped provide the rest of the needed equipment, lighting and a web designer.

"It helped us fill in the film side of it," Olson said.

One piece of the musical puzzle at the studio is Space Station Live, a concert series filmed in the studio in front of a live audience.

The 30-minute pieces, or webisodes, will feature interviews with artists from the area and across the state, and will be edited into episodes uploaded to the website ffspacestation.org

The Space Station founders want to be able to help people out if they need another musician for a band, for example.

The directors can help find that person for you. The studio can also be a resource for businesses looking to make a jingle. It's a hub for musicians.

"To be able to help people out," Retzlaff said. "To be that next step up."

Coming up this summer, Michele Anderson, of Springboard for the Arts, will run a school of rock camp for kids ages fourth through eighth grade.

The directors have heard from teachers, for example, that there's community interest in a studio like this.

"There's kids that are interested in rock and roll, but they have nowhere to go," Olson said.

## Graduation rate highest in decades, says Dept. of Education

MCT DIRECT

Minnesota's high school graduation rate is the highest it has been in at least a decade, with all student groups showing gains in 2013.

Data released Wednesday by the Minnesota Department of Education show 79.5 percent of high school seniors received diplomas last year, up from 77.5 percent the year before.

Black and Hispanic students posted some of the

largest gains among racial subgroups as well as students learning English and those who live in poverty.

Despite the gains, a gap remains between the number of white students earning a diploma and their minority peers.

That gap has closed in the past three years with black and Hispanic students making the most progress, improving their graduation rates more than 10 percentage points since 2010.

*Give from the Heart*

**February 22, 2014**  
**Z103 Bar & Grill**

*A benefit will be held for the family of Natalie Oronitza (Lakota). Natalie passed away August 2013. This event will help her family with funeral expenses and help support her two sons, Justin (8) and Alex (7).*

**Bake Sale • 4 pm**  
**Spaghetti meal • 5 pm**  
**(silent auction follows meal)**  
**Live band "Save Me CJ" • 9 pm**

*Donations can be made at anytime to the Justin and Alex benefit account at Gate City Bank, 420 W Lincoln Ave, Fergus Falls, MN 56537 or at any Gate City Bank location*

**Z103 Bar & Grill • 912 Frontier Dr, Fergus Falls**  
**(located behind the Best Western)**