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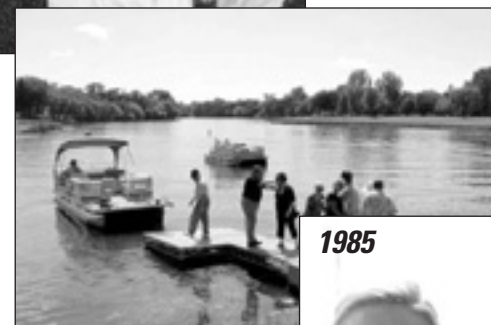


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Our Mission: The Thief River Falls Education Foundation exists to promote innovative educational opportunities in School District #564 through partnerships involving alumni, parents, educators, businesses, and the greater community.

News About You – Alumni and Friends

1930s

Adelia "Dolly" (Zavoral) Kammer (36) Gold Beach, OR, is 91 years old and in good health. She walks on the beach and gathers agates to polish. She is ¼ mile from the Pacific Ocean and loves her garden, flowers, yard, and feeding the birds. She enjoys walking, dancing and traveling. Two sons and one daughter live close by.

Marian Larson (39) Roseville, MN has moved to a senior apartment. She is in the process of emptying the house and readying it for sale in spite of the market.

1940s

Word has been received that **Vivian (Jespersen) Stellhorn** (40) passed away June 3, 2010.

LeRoy Copp (41) Port Orange, FL, passed away unexpectedly on his 60th wedding anniversary September 9, 2009. His wife, Carol, still can't believe he's not with her—a great loss.

Sally (Hanson) Shepherd (46) Breckenridge, TX, bought a dance studio and is adding a kitchen and another bath. It is walking distance to downtown, like when she lived on Horace Avenue in TRF. Breckenridge is between Abilene and Dallas/Ft. Worth. She does lots of shopping and is having fun.

John D. (47) and **Joyce M. (Hagen) Hanson** (51) Pequot Lakes, MN, continue to get older—same town, same house, many trips to their doctors, but they are not complaining.

Word has been received that **Lila (Keuhm) Wink** (48) passed away January 15, 2010.

Joan (Evenstad) Kelter (49) Granger, IN, is enjoying retirement, going to grandkids' ball games and traveling.

Helen (Sorenson) Davidson (49) Moorhead, MN, celebrated her first wedding anniversary with her new husband, Israel Flores. They married after both losing spouses of over 50 years. They have known each other since 1953.

James A. Arras (49) Post Falls, ID, received a clean bill of health from his doctor—no more leukemia. He plays golf and is enjoying retirement in Idaho.

1950s

Marlene (Bowman) Johnson (50) Duluth, MN is busy taking and teaching courses at University for Seniors and traveling. She took 15 people to Iceland in June, has 18 family members coming for rafting this June (a belated Christmas gift) and will go through Panama Canal in December.

Janis (Thieling) Skillman (53) Missoula, MT, would love to hear from anyone who remembers her. Her husband, Steve, died after a long illness. granijani@hotmail.com

Barbara (Klein) Greco (54) Elk Grove, CA, lives at home with Toby, her partner of 10 years. She retired in 2008 to go on the road working Home & Garden Shows and fairs selling telescoping flag pole, etc. They were on the east coast for 4 months this year. Saw lots of history, 5 states, 11 shows and met some great patriotic people. They are off for the summer and will be in WA and OR for fairs in the fall. They have 10 grandchildren and 2 ½ great grandchildren.

Barbara (Wangenstein) Oppermann (54) Minneapolis, MN. In February 2010, she and her husband, Jerry, were invited to celebrate Karneval in Würzburg, Germany as representatives of Spielmannszug Minnesota, the Twin Cities-based German-American Karneval Klub. Their reign as Prinzenpaar will end November 2010.

Darlene (Stensrud) Sauve (56) Elon, NC, has been retired since 1997. She and her husband, Darel, have been in all 50 states and traveled through 18 countries. At home they are very active with their Hospice League, a fund raising organization for their Hospice home in Burlington, NC, the only Hospice League in the nation.

Shirley (Kulseth) West (58) Reedsburg, WI, is enjoying retirement in southern Wisconsin, plus lots of traveling to attending graduations, weddings, baptisms, etc. for their 7 kids, 15 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. She always looks forward to visits up to TRF to visit family, especially her mother, who will be 96 on May 24th.

Word has been received that **Karyl (Gilthvedt) Nisly** (58) passed away December 16, 2009 in Salem, OR.

1960s

Samuel Helland (65) Akeley, MN, is now retired from over 40 years of military service.

Billy Dean Carlson (67) lived a

simple life unattached to material things. He loved hunting, fishing and the outdoors. He passed away August 27, 2009 in Tucson, AZ.

1970s

Yvonne (Mortenson) Przybylski (74) Indianapolis, IN, and her husband, Gordy, have been married for 30 years, living in Indianapolis for 3 years. They have 3 children, one granddaughter and another due in November.

1980s

Kathryn (Carlson) Noel (82) Harlem, MT, is still teaching math at Harlem High School—year 24! She loves spending time with her son, Trent (age 14). They have a 25-acre farm with horses, dogs and cats.

Mailing Notice and Address Correction

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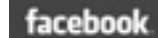
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Lincoln Senior High School
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Annual Meeting Notice

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE THIEF RIVER FALLS EDUCATION FOUNDATION

The annual meeting of the Thief River Falls Education Foundation will be held on Tuesday, November 9, 2010 at 7:00 a.m. at the Foundation office, School District Center, 230 LaBree Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN to consider and take action on the following:

1. The election of directors for three year terms;
2. To receive and consider the reports of the affairs of the Foundation for the past year; and
3. To transact such other business, as may properly come before the meeting.

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Challenger Elementary School

It is WONDERFUL to have children back in school, and I am sure many parents are thankful, too! This year's enrollment has reached 847 children who have been sectioned into 36 classrooms with eight sections at Kindergarten, five-sections of 5th grade, six sections of 1st, 2nd and, 4th, and five sections of 3rd Grade.

Here are the numbers for each grade level: Kindergarten - 170 students; first - 139 students; second - 146 students; third - 114 students; fourth - 140 students; and fifth - 138 students.

We would like to introduce our new staff members at Challenger Elementary School. They include: Mollie Bye, Laura Faye, Cassie Hanson, Bryce Henrickson, and Kelsey Palmer - Kindergarten; Jewel Fultz - Second Grade; Danielle Schantz- Fourth Grade, Deonne Bakken, Dale Carlson, and Anna McIntyre - Special Education; and Katie Peterson, Cindy Bondy and Kelly Meador - Paraprofessional.

All Day Kindergarten is HERE! Challenger Elementary School made AYP in allstudent subgroups in the areas of reading, mathematics, and attendance. Work will continue by a district and school improvement team, which will be analyzing all available assessment information to pinpoint strengths and areas of improvement that will be addressed through professional development and a review of the current curriculum. As always, the board and staff at the Thief



River Falls Schools remain concerned with the academic achievement and growth of ALL students.

Some facts you should know:

- Challenger Elementary made AYP this year due to tremendous growth in reading and math, including remarkable growth by students in subgroups not making AYP last year.
- In both reading and math, Challenger students achieved proficiency at a higher rate than the State of Minnesota.
- Overall, 81.2% of Challenger students achieved proficiency in reading, a growth of 9.9% over the previous year. In math, 83.7% of students achieved proficiency, a growth of 11.1% over the previous year.

Franklin Middle School



It has been a fantastic start to the school year for Franklin Middle School students and staff. We currently have over 490 students that are very active in the many

activities that we offer. We encourage our students to participate in our many sports, as well as academic activities and music. We know that active students are better learners.

Franklin Middle School is a data driven school and uses data to drive curriculum directly reflecting on student offerings and as well as student needs. We have an excellent teaching staff and offer a variety of accelerated classes, as well as remedial classes.

Communication is very important for us as we offer web based access to grades and lesson plans to our parents, and individual teacher web sites. Remember, we are "Big Enough To Serve, Small Enough To Care". Please check out our web site at www.trf.k12.mn.us for more information.

Lincoln High School

Lincoln High School is off to a great start in 2010! The staff is excited about starting a new year. Our vision at Lincoln High School is Instilling Passion - Fostering Relationships - Building the Future, each day we strive to deliver on that vision to our student body.

Lincoln offers a unique opportunity for a tremendous student experience for all of our students. Academically we make the most of the opportunities to help our students become lifelong learners who are prepared to make the college/career step. Lincoln has many unique programs we offer our students (Magnet Arts Program, First Robotics, College in the High School, Post Secondary Options, FFA), various clubs (Photo Club, Drama Club, Key Club, National Honor Society, Math League, Knowledge Bowl), nineteen different varsity sport opportunities, and music programs that are second to none.

The Homecoming theme for 2010 was "It's Game Time" this is an opportunity for everyone in our school community to show their Prowler Pride. Many activities



throughout the week highlighted the great love for Lincoln High School, culminating with a community wide parade.

Scholarships

Peter Hess Memorial Teacher Recognition Award



Leslie Fisher

"I love my job! It's such a treat to be able to do something you love. Working in School District 564 is wonderful," said Fisher.

Fisher has been at Franklin Middle School for 18 years. She taught communications for seven years and coached cheerleading, speech and yearbook. She went back to school after obtaining her masters degree and got additional licensure to be a media specialist. She's been the media specialist at Franklin Middle School for 11 years.

"I enjoy staying busy and being involved in many things. I organize and run the FMS Book Fair every year, which brings new books to our students, classrooms and Media Center. I have served in numerous committees throughout the district over the years. I've served as curriculum chair for my Department and been on the District curriculum committee."

Fisher lives in Thief River Falls close to her parents, Dottie and Merlin Stone. She and her husband, Michael, have two daughters, Bailee and Morgan, who are at FMS this year, and a son, Ridge, who is attending all day every day kindergarten in Thief River Falls.

"I think it is important for teachers to love their job," said Fisher. "I work with such wonderful staff at FMS. I couldn't enjoy my job without their willingness to utilize the Media Center. Ann Haugen and I enjoy the variety of classes and students. The Franklin Middle School Media Center offers something new and exciting every day, actually every hour. It's great!"

Reid Froiland

Reid Froiland is a 1997 graduate of Lincoln High School, a 2001 graduate of Concordia College in Moorhead, with majors in secondary mathematics education and computer science, and a 2004 graduate of the University of St. Thomas in St. Paul, with a Master of Arts in curriculum and



instruction (technology emphasis.)

Froiland taught five years in Crookston before moving back to Thief River Falls. This will be his fifth year in the Thief River Falls School District where he teaches Intermediate Algebra, Math 12, Precalculus, Calculus I, and Calculus II. He chairs the District's K-12 mathematics curriculum committee, coaches the Lincoln High School Math League team and serves as a co-stage manager. Froiland can also be found working at many sporting events in the district as needed. He also is chairman of the LHS building leadership team.

Outside of school, Froiland serves as organist and choir accompanist at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

"I am quite humbled to receive this award," said Froiland. He explained that during the presentation, they read things about the award winner - "This person can be found doing this" and so on. "As it dawned on me that they were reading things that applied specifically to me, all that went through my mind was 'No ... it can't be.' The reason I kept thinking that is that I look at all the people who have received this award in the past - people who excel at what they do in the classroom (or office or wherever they serve this District) and I also see how long they have been serving this District; many of them have given their entire professional lives to ISD 564. I am humbled to think that others feel I am a part of that group ... it's an honor to be named as one of this group of dedicated public servants. I just do what I do in this District so that it can be a great place for students to learn, and I try to do it well, and I truly enjoy the students and colleagues I have the privilege of seeing every day, in and out of the classroom."

Froiland added, "I am also grateful to the Hess family for providing this award, this very tangible honor of teachers and staff of this district through the Education Foundation."

~ Photos Courtesy of Thoele Photography

The Thief River Falls Education Foundation is pleased to announce two new scholarships that will be awarded in 2011.

The TRF Education Foundation, a nonprofit organization, supports public education in the community through scholarships and grant opportunities. For more information about how you and your family can invest in education call 681-8711 or write to the Thief River Falls Education Foundation 230 LaBree Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

Jerry Jenkins Memorial Scholarship



Jerry Jenkins was born in Kenmare, ND and moved to Thief River Falls with his family when he was a young child. He was a member of the Lincoln High School class of 1970. In 1972 he hired out on the Soo Line Railroad working along side his dad and brother where he worked until his retirement in 2008. Jerry was a blue collar worker that believed good hard work and good hard play should have a nice balance, and gave his all to both, although his family always came first. He had a knack for making everyone feel special being gener-

ous in spirit and gentle of heart. His life was taken in a car accident on July 12, 2010.

This scholarship was started by his daughter's co-workers, and will be kept going by family and friends.

The scholarship is for a Lincoln High School senior who will be pursuing a career in trades and must maintain at least a C average. The scholarship is \$250, to be awarded second semester.

Farmers Union Oil Company Scholarship

Farmers Union Oil Company of Thief River Falls and Goodridge are pleased to announce the establishment of the

Farmers Union Oil Company Scholarship. The inaugural scholarship will be awarded to seniors in the graduating class of 2011. The number of seniors receiving the scholarship will be based on a percentage of all gas sales at the pump at the 3rd and 8th Street Cenex locations in Thief River Falls, and Cenex in Goodridge.

- Established in 1937, Farmers Union Oil Company has long been a supporter of youth in the community.
- Scholarships will be awarded in \$1,000 increments to graduating seniors who are furthering their education after high school.
- To be eligible to apply, students must have a parent or grandparent who is a member of the Co-Op.
- Students are required to write an essay of 500 words or less discussing what a cooperative is and what cooperatives have done for the region.
- Scholarship applications will open on January 15, 2011. Applications must be submitted by April 1, 2011. Award announcement will be in May of 2011.
- Farmers Union Oil Company is a member-owned cooperative.
- You do not have to be actively involved in farming to be a member.

For more information regarding the application process, or to apply for the scholarship, please see the counselor at the Goodridge High School in Goodridge, or the Thief River Falls Education Foundation, 230 LaBree Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

Class Reunions

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TRF Education Foundation Student Ambassador



Bailey Sorvig, a Lincoln High School Senior, will serve as the 2010-2011 Student Ambassador on the Thief River Falls Education Foundation Board. Bailey is the third student ambassador for the Foundation.

Student ambassadors act as a voice for their peers, bring forth input that is valuable and have the opportunity to demonstrate their leadership skills.

The Foundation presents the student ambassador at the end of their term with the "Leaders of Tomorrow Award," to assist with their post-secondary education.

Harry Nelson ~ School District #564 Business Manager Announces Retirement

Nelson has been employed from 1977-2010

The Thief River Falls Board of Education has accepted the resignation of long-time Business Manager, Harry Nelson. Nelson has been on the job with the local district for 33 years. Nelson says his resignation becomes effective November 30th. Harry and his wife Linda plan to move to a warmer climate, for the winter, at their new residence in Florida. They plan on spending summer months at their lake cabin on Union Lake.

Randy L. Twistol, Vice-Chairman of School District #564 School Boards commented, "Over the last 13 years, I have worked very closely with Harry on many issues and I know first hand the dedication to our district and the love for our students he holds. With Harry's retirement, our district is losing a very valued employee that holds an incredible amount of institutional knowledge and an understanding of the Minnesota education funding system that will be very difficult to replace. We all wish Linda and Harry the best in retirement!"



Sims, Cornell Unite Coaching Ties

by Mike Lundgren ~ Sports Editor, Thief River Falls Times

Thief River Falls uses the Notre Dame Victory March as its school song. Jim Sims and Charlie Cornell, however, might be humming a different tune when they take the field this fall as the new coaching tandem for the Prowlers' freshman football team.

Coming out of retirement to reunite a coaching connection that dates back to 1969, Sims and Cornell can be excused if, instead of 'Cheer, cheer for..' they substitute 'Back in the Saddle Again' for their encore.

The signature song for Gene Autry – the Singing Cowboy – that he first performed in 1939 seems a perfect fit for the two veteran coaches: "I'm Back in the Saddle Again, out where a friend is a friend. Ridin' the range once again."

Sims was the Thief River Falls head football coach from 1966 through 1975. Cornell joined his staff in 1969 and remained an assistant coach with the Prowlers until retiring after the 2009 season.

One year out of the game was apparently all that Cornell could handle. "Sitting around in January, I knew they (Prowlers) needed a couple of coaches," he explained. "I thought maybe Sims and I could do that. But if I did it, I wanted it to be Jim and me. I wasn't interested in coaching with anybody else."

That prompted a call to his old friend and coaching comrade, who was visiting family at the time in California.

"Charlie called and said, 'I've got a real good idea that popped into my head: why don't you and I get together and coach the freshmen. It could be a lot of fun.'"

They will succeed Jeff Loe and Kurt Reynolds. Loe, who heads the girls high school basketball program, elected to ease off on his extended coaching duties. Reynolds has joined the Prowlers' football varsity staff under head coach Jeff Mumm.

To have coaches like Sims and Cornell volunteer to coach ninth graders was an unexpected bonus for the program, according to Mumm. "Charlie approached me with the idea of him and Jim taking the freshman team," he said. "I was floored."

After all, these guys aren't newcomers to the game.

After leaving the Prowlers, Sims was the University of Minnesota-Crookston football coach for 19 years before returning to serve as School District 564 Director of Student Activities – a position he gave up with his retirement in 2007. He has memberships in three hall of fames: Prowler, UMC and Minnesota High School Football Coaches Association.

Cornell's long, valued tenure on the Prowlers' football staff earned him the prestigious Butch Nash Assistant Coach Award in 2005. He also was Thief River Falls' head high school baseball coach for 13 years.

"We're fortunate to have that much experience coaching at the freshman level," acknowledged Mumm. "Veteran coaches have always been a part of our program, but I don't know if anybody in the state can top this."

Sims and Cornell both know that coaching freshmen instead of varsity players requires a different approach to practice and games.

"We'll build on basic fundamentals – the blocking, tackling, stances," said Sims. "We won't force-feed them a lot. But we want them to do those few things very well."

Cornell is on the same page. "They talk about 'true freshmen' playing college football," he pointed out. "Well, these are the true freshmen. You need to have a certain amount of patience."

Sims likes the wide-eyed enthusiasm the young student-athletes exhibit. "The freshman year is certainly a big transition year for the kids," he noted. "They're coming over from junior high (middle school) and getting acclimated to the high school program. It's a learning experience for them. But they're usually pretty eager. Surprisingly, they admit they don't know everything. They want to learn, and they're willing to work hard to become better football players."

The coaches also adapt by placing less emphasis on the final score while concentrating on performance.

"We want the kids to work hard and we want to see them improve every week," said Sims. "If we win, fine. If we lose – well

that's part of life. We want to win; if you don't, you shouldn't be competing. But losing is not fatal. We want to see them grow up as young men by bonding as a football team so they can carry on the strong tradition of Prowler football that coach Mumm has instilled."

Instead of the scoreboard, the numbers Cornell will be concerned with is his roster size. "We've got 30 kids out now," he said. "If we have 30 seniors in this group playing football, then we will have done our job. Winning is always a good habit to get into. However, keeping kids interested and developing players is more important. If we do those things and win, too, that will be a bonus."

That's the directive handed down by Mumm, who oversees the entire Thief River Falls football program for grades 6-12. "We want to give every kid an opportunity to play," he explained. "Winning is not the focus at that level. My philosophy in junior high and junior varsity football is, that until the Minnesota State High School League says we can play for state titles at that level, winning is not our priority. We've got good numbers in our program, and we want that to continue. We want to make it an enjoyable experience for the kids so they will stay in the program."

Those who might have played for Sims at the varsity level in the past may remember a coach driven to excel. But the years, and the situation, have changed his approach to coaching. "Certainly I've mellowed out," he said. "You have to get their attention now and then, but there's no pressure to win; there are no championships to play for. Charlie and I have both been around. I think we understand that they are freshmen and they will make mistakes. We need to be patient. Certainly there is some potential and some good athleticism. I told them, if I'm still walking around here in two-three years and see them in the (varsity) Blue and Gold, that would be my biggest satisfaction."

Cornell, too, knows that working with ninth graders will be a lot different than running drills and directing plays for juniors and seniors. "Jim was a head coach at the high school and college level, and I coached all those years at the varsity level," he stated. "As a result, once in a while we may have little higher expectations than other freshmen coaches. But the bottom line is, we want to be better at the end of the year than we are at the beginning of the year. We want to develop players for the varsity. Do our job, and these kids, in two years, will be ready to play varsity football as juniors."

No matter the final record, the season affords both the player and coaches an opportunity to enjoy the experience. "Hopefully we will have fun," said Cornell. "If the kids have fun, then Jim and I will have fun."

Mumm has no doubt that his freshmen will have a memorable campaign under Sims and Cornell. "Jim and Charlie will make it fun for the kids. They have a ton of knowledge to share. I worked with Charlie for years; he's great with the kids. I never had the opportunity to coach with Jim. It seems like I've always been in his shadow. It's an honor to have him on my staff."

Cornell just hopes age doesn't overtake the dynamic duo. "With 80 years of coaching experience between us, we'll know what to do," he said. "We just might not remember when to do it."



Coaching the Thief River Falls freshman football team in 2010 are Jim Sims (left) and Charlie Cornell (right). Sims is a former Lincoln High School and University of Minnesota-Crookston head coach who also served as Director of Student Activities for School District 564. Cornell had a long career as a Thief River Falls assistant varsity football coach and baseball assistant/head coach.

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