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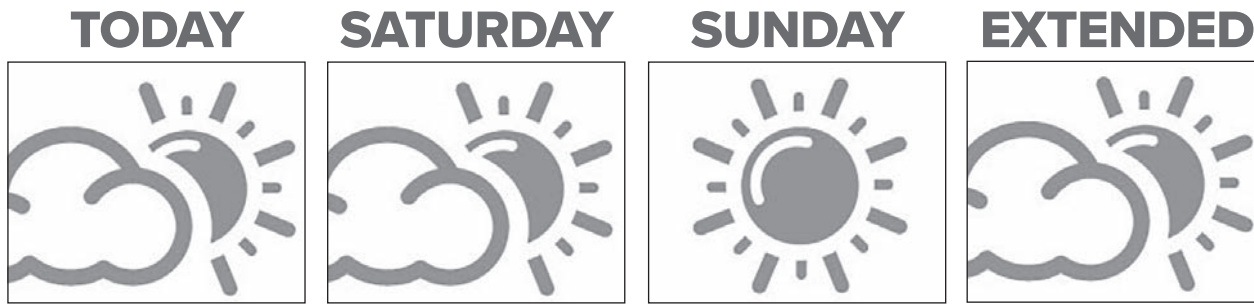
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WEATHER



TODAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	EXTENDED
HIGH 72 LOW 48	HIGH 77 LOW 50	HIGH 80 LOW 53	MONDAY: Partly cloudy, 20-percent chance of rain. High 81. Low 55.

Partly cloudy, 30-percent chance of rain. Partly cloudy, 20-percent chance of rain. Sunny. Forecast courtesy meteorologist Dave Anderson, CBS News 3

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Fourth ...

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One first-time entrant, a trailer for Ed Oman Construction of Duluth, was all about water. It was simple but brilliant parade float logic: It's hot, so let's just fill the trailer with water, get some employees to sit in it and douse people.

Parade watchers gladly lined up to get soaked, and the gutters of Cloquet Avenue glistened and wet shirts gave some relief. This is Oman's first year of doing parades, and Ed Oman credited his wife, Sam, with the idea of the water. "It was a lot of fun," he said.

The trophy for most patriotic entrant went to the Combined Cloquet Honor Guard float, which included Legion, VFW and DAV members, while the trophy for best music went to Abra's 1929 Model A classic car, which blasted the Beach Boys on its cruise down Cloquet Avenue.

Pinehurst Park was the place to be for sporting types on July Fourth, with

the 10th Sawdust 5K race kicking off just after 8 a.m. and the second 3-on-3 basketball tournament starting at noon. Despite the sun and the heat, the basketball courts were humming for more than three hours as 20 teams played their way through the double elimination tournament.

As the heat of the day continued into the evening, thunderheads lurked about at dusk and threatened the fireworks over the St. Louis River in Cloquet. It created a surreal atmosphere as professional and amateur pyrotechnics mixed with streaks and flashes of lightning from Mother Nature.

With no organized activities in Veterans Park this year, people found

their own places to watch the fireworks. Jada Hovi enjoyed what she called the "dual show" of fireworks and dramatic lightning since Cloquet didn't get to hold a fireworks show last year because of the pandemic. A good-sized crowd came to the North-Eastern for music by Ryan and Crimsen Hanson and stayed for the fireworks. It felt like the spectacular explosions were set up just for the 100-plus-year-old bar, as they loomed large over the bridge spanning the river.

In the day's wake, there was a feeling that a corner had been turned — on the summer and on the pandemic shadow. More town celebrations are coming

(see Page 15), and likely in more moderate weather and with a nod here and there to the lingering threat of Covid-19 variants to those who aren't vaccinated. But people are hungry

to celebrate again and they will make it work.

See Page 9 for a four-page pullout section of photos from the hot day in Cloquet.

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REGISTRATION 1:30
RIDE 2:00
BLESSING/FOOD 4:30
SERVICE/PRIZES 6:00
FREE EVENT

JULY 17

journey christian church
1400 Washington Ave. Cloquet

WELCOME, CAR FRIENDS!

The Smalley-Moen Memorial Car Show is BACK at the Buffalo House – and we'd love to see you there.

FREE event

- food
- music
- beautiful cars

bring your family & friends – enjoy the fun!

Wednesday, August 4, 4 pm - 8 pm

SMALLEY-MOEN Memorial Car Show
5/11/2015 7/11/2020

Please share our event and stay tuned for updates and information to come

EVERYONE WELCOME!
Buffalo House | 2590 Guss Road | Duluth

SENIOR DINING

Arrowhead Senior Nutrition menu:
Friday, July 9
Hamloaf, chocolate cake
Sat-Sun, July 10-11
Frozen meals available
Monday, July 12
Meatballs and gravy, fruit
Tuesday, July 13
Chef Salad, cookie
Wednesday, July 14
Pizza with salad, gelatin with fruit and topping
Thursday, July 15
Turkey dinner, fruit
Friday, July 16
Lasagna, fruit

Call the Senior Center, 218-879-5870, from your car for curbside meal pickup. Meals are served Monday-Friday at 11:30 a.m. Registered customers are offered meal service for a \$4 contribution, \$7.50 for under age 60. Menus subject to change without notice. AEOA is a private, nonprofit, nongovernmental agency.

<p>\$299,900 - 4 BR, 2 BA multi-level home. 4 BR & full bath on upper level. Main level KITCH, DR & LR. Lower-level access to tuck under GAR, built in bookshelves, & lots of storage. Finished basement family RM, bar, 3/4 bath, and a LNDRY RM. Landscaped lot, 12x32 deck, shed, heated 2 car detached GAR/shop, fire pit, and swing set! Chelsea - 310-4704</p>	<p>\$185,000 - Close to school & near town. Hardwood floors & doors. Cute roomy kitchen with an open entrance to informal DR & LR. Main floor BR and 1/2-BA and 2 good sized BR upstairs and full BA. Lots of storage in the walk-in closets. New roof in 2015, vinyl windows and siding. Fenced dog run. Cheryl - 391-0214</p>	<p>\$549,900 - Lake home 15 min S of Cloquet, 30 min to Duluth & 2 hrs to the Cities. LRG open main floor w/ KTCH, hickory cabinets, LR, dining area, vaulted ceilings, gas fireplace and panoramic view. Master BR, gas fireplace, jacuzzi & LRG shower. LRG lower-level, 2 BR & full BA, strg/util rm LRG fam rm w/ fireplace & walkout to lake. Roger - 348-2384</p>	<p>REDUCED 20K! \$219,000 - 3 BR, 2 BA, on double lot near schools & shopping. LRG KITCH, birch cabinets and dining area. LRG LR, picture window and front entry. Lower has a huge rec room with a den and BA. LRG LNDRY/utility rm w/ floor to ceiling shelving. Many recent improvements, newer appliances. Furnace & A/C recently serviced. Cheryl - 391-0214</p>
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