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County files suit against auditor-treasurer

Inman has 21 days to respond

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Benton County has filed a lawsuit against one of its own. According to a statement and documents provided by Benton County administrator Monty Headley May 13, the Benton County Board of Commissioners filed suit against elected official Nadean Inman May 10. The board voted unanimously to pursue this action at a board meeting March 1. Inman is the Benton County auditor-treasurer and was elected to the position in November 2018 after previously serving in the role as an appointed interim since December 2017. As auditor-treasurer, Inman is the chief election officer and deputy registrar, collecting funds owed to the county and administering elections and various licenses as well as other duties.

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First responders

educate Girl Scouts

Sauk Rapids firefighter, EMT speak at local event

BY ELLARRY PRENTICE | STAFF WRITER

Girl Scouts teamed up with local first responders May 15 for an interactive event at St. Francis Xavier School in Sartell. Service Unit 28, which has members from Sauk Rapids, Rice,

Sartell and St. Joseph, hosted the event. The focus was emotional and physical first aid awareness. Presenters included Sauk Rapids firefighter Deelia Guite, Sauk Rapids EMT Paul Peterson and Sartell police officer Kari Bonfield. Thirty-three girls from age 7 to 18 participated in the event. Girl Scouts also made first aid kits and terrariums, or indoor miniature gardens confined within a glass container. Each girl wrote an inspirational word on a rock to place inside their terrarium.

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Cathedral gears up for new approach to middle school learning

Makerspace, culinary arts lab will open this fall

BY ELLARRY PRENTICE | STAFF WRITER

Cathedral is transforming the way middle school students learn. Starting this fall, the St. Cloud Catholic school will embark on a transformation of certain learning techniques. The transformation will include a problem-based learning approach that will be administered across the middle school curriculum. Cathedral is investing in a renovation project that will create three specific new environments for students in grades 6-8:

- A makerspace, where students will create, design, build and test concepts in interactive spaces.
- Updated science labs, where students will formulate and test theories involving math, science and engineering concepts.

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PHOTO BY ELLARRY PRENTICE

Cathedral, pictured May 9, will implement new learning techniques for middle school students in the fall. Following a summer renovation project, the Catholic school will have a new makerspace and culinary arts lab and updated science labs for students in sixth to eighth grades.

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