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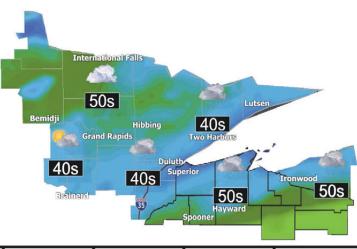
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	Today		Tomorrow	
Regional Weather	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo
Regional Weather Ashland, WI	41	35	41	34
Bemidji, MN	51	33	49	32
Grand Marais, MN	42	36	41	36
Hayward, WI	50	34	45	33
International Falls, MN	51	33	50	32
St. Paul, MN	54	38	52	37

## StormTRACKER forecast

After steady rain for most of the overnight, the rain will continue this Friday morning. A northerly breeze will bring a chill to the air, dropping highs today into the low 40s. Unfortunately, the cold air is here to stay for the foreseeable future. All weekend long we are tracking a chance for showers. Showers are not likely to be persistent all weekend long, but it's likely that areas see at least a few raindrops each day.



Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday		
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39/36	47/35	42/36	44/36	55/34	61/35	54/33		
Rain	Cloudy	Rain/Snow	Rain/Snow Showers	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy		
Wind: NE 13 mph	Wind: N 11 mph	Wind: N 17 mph	Wind: N 17 mph	Wind: N 12 mph	Wind: W 9 mph	Wind: NE 11 mph		
*Average wind speed for each day								

#### **BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENT**

#### **Swim Creative** Welcomes Alix Craft to Their **Team**

Swim Creative, branding, interactive and advertising firm, is proud to announce its most recent addition of Project Manager Alix Craft.

Alix is a graduate of University College Minnesota

Design with a degree in Apparel Design. After a stint living and working in Seattle, Alix moved to the Duluth area in 2016. Prior to joining Swim, Alix was with Northern News Now where she worked as an account executive.

Alix brings to Swim years of experience in various client-facing roles, as well as an innate ability to problem solve and bring forward a creative vision to all projects. Her background in design brings a mix of both strong ideation and the organizational skills to move projects forward. Alix's eye for detail, stellar planning skills, and dedication for providing the best outcome to clients will be a welcome addition to

"Alix brings a unique skill set to Swim," says Patrice Bradley. "Her eye for strategic creative as well as her ability to forge strong client relationships means she'll be a great partner with our clients. She is both delightful and intensely smart."

Alix is excited to work with a team that pushes boundaries and leads the way in the advertising and marketing space. In her free time, you'll find Alix gardening, singing in a local choir, and taking in the Duluth lifestyle as she raises her three children.

Swim is a collective of thinkers, tacticians and artists that build brands through collaboration, insight and hard work. Founded on a commitment to telling the truth, they use whip-smart strategy to turn ideas into creative that empowers, inspires and transforms. When strategy and creativity sync: you Swim.

## CORRECTION

A story in the Friday, April 21, Superior Telegram, "Packers' visit stokes football fever" (Page B4), contained incorrect information about the jersey Ryan Peterson was wearing – he does not have an Aaron Jones jersey – and his relationship with Joseph Scaccia of Brule, who is not his grandfather. The Telegram regrets the errors.

# Student brings loaded gun into SHS

appeared in the Tuesday, April 25, e-edition of the Telegram.

## By Maria Lockwood

Superior Telegram

SUPERIOR — Police officers removed a Superior High School student who brought a loaded handgun into school Monday, April 24, according to District Administrator Amy Starzecki.

Another student reported it to the school's administration at about 9:40 a.m., and immediate action was taken by administrators and the Superior Police Department to secure the weapon and remove the student from campus.

'The School District of Superior is thoroughly investigating and will closely monitor the situation," Starzecki said.

Superior Police Chief Nicholas Alexander confirmed the firearm was a handgun with a magazine aspect of school safety, Starzecki that had rounds in it.

"One was not chambered, though," Alexander said.

District communications specialist David Coy said in a media release that the matter is resolved and there isn't any danger to stu-

Accounts point to it being an isolated incident.

"We were told that the student said that he didn't intend to harm anyone," Alexander said.

The 15-year-old student was taken into custody by the school resource officer, and Douglas County Juvenile Intake was contacted. Based on the district's code of conduct, the weapons violation is a level five incident that would require an expulsion review.

The "If You See Something, Say Something" program is a critical said.

She indicated that a student's quick action to report the situation and the high school administration's fast response with the police

department ensured school safety. "They did the right thing," Alex-

A parent himself, the police chief encouraged parents to make sure that firearms are not accessible to "We've seen through the nation-

al news so many tragedies that have happened, and we can all do our part, both as adults and kids, to help keep our schools safe," Alexander said. Starzecki said the school and

district administration are taking every precaution to ensure that something like this doesn't happen

## Second woman charged in fatal overdose death

By Maria Lockwood Superior Telegram

SUPERIOR — A Superior woman who allegedly supplied fentanyl to a man who died of an overdose in November made her initial appearance in Douglas County Circuit Court Monday, April 24.

Madeline Jean Peterson, 26, is one of two women charged with party to first-degree reckless homicide in connection with the overdose death. The other, Cassidy Rose Anderson, 34, made her initial appearance April 10.

A \$5,000 cash bond with a \$20,000 signature bond was ordered for Peterson, who remained in custody at the Douglas County Jail on Tuesday, April 25.

The charges against the women are the result of a six-month investigation

Superior Police Department, according to a news release authorized by Lt. Michelle Pope.

Superior police officers were called to an address in the 1100 block of John Avenue for the report of a drug overdose Nov. 19, according to the release. Despite the initiation of life-saving measures by arriving officers, fire-fighters and paramedics, a 45-year-old man was pronounced dead.

Through the course of the death investigation, officers and detectives learned Anderson and Peterson were involved with the sale and delivery of the drugs. Anderson is accused of supplying the drug to Peterson, who delivered it to the Superior man, according to the criminal complaint.

Anderson also faces felony charges of possession

by detectives with the of methamphetamine, maintaining a drug trafficking place and possession with intent to deliver fentanyl in connection with a search warrant that was executed at her residence on North 12th Street April 6.

The next court appearance for both women was set for May 3. The reckless homicide charge carries a maximum penalty of 40 years of imprisonment and a fine of up to \$100,000.

## **Overdoses**

on the rise The city of Superior saw an approximately 21% increase in overdoses in 2022 compared to 2021, the news release said. There were 15 overdose deaths in Douglas County in 2022, according to information provided by Douglas County Medical

Examiner Sheila Keup. Of those, 13 involved fentanyl or a mix of fentanyl and another drug. Those who died of fatal overdoses ranged in age from 19 to 58. Four were women; 11 were men.

Working with Douglas County District Attorney's Office to charge those who sell and deliver these substances is just one way the police department works to prevent overdoses, Pope's release said.

Since 2018, the Superior Police Department has offered free inpatient and outpatient treatment through the Pathways to Hope program. Those looking for assistance with their addiction can come directly to the police department to enter the program, or reach out to Coordinated Response Specialist Jen Stank at 715-395-7374.

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