

3 THINGS TO KNOW THIS WEEK



CHILTON

Calumet Futurity winners named

Top finishers in the recent Calumet County Futurity Show held during the County Fair have been announced.

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KIEL

KHS Class of 1967 holds reunion in city

The past month or so has been prime time for class reunions, and Kiel High School's Class of 1967 is one of the classes featured this week.

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NEW HOLSTEIN

Parade of Homes set for this weekend

The Mid-Shores Home Builders Association's Parade of Homes returns this weekend with one stop being in the New Holstein area.

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HOMECOMING HALFTIME



Here is a band stunt not often seen—an upside down drummer. The scene was provided during halftime of the Kiel High School football game last Friday. It was Homecoming Week at KHS—see inside for more photos.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Kiel ACT scores top state average

BY TRACY FOLZ

The Kiel Area School District achieved a huge win on the 2021-22 ACT scores with a composite final score of 19.3 which is above the state average of 19.2 for the first time in more than five years.

The 2020-21 ACT composite score was 17.9. The scores improved 6 percent or more in all categories including math (up 6.3 percent), English (10 percent) and an increase in the college ready and the amount of students showing proficiency. Mike Hendricks, high school principal, said, "I am extremely proud of the hard work that the Kiel High School staff and

students have done over the last year. This hard work has paid off in an increase in achievement in last year's state assessments. This is a great start for our school and I look forward to seeing this growth continue in years to come. We will continue to work hard to help all students grow and meet their personal goals."

Thirteen students had a score of 24 and two students scored above 30. The top score a student can earn is 36.

With the 1.4 increase, Kiel topped area schools including New Holstein at 1.2, Two Rivers at 1, Chilton at 0.7, Sheboygan Falls at 0.5, Howards Grove at 0.5, Brillion at 0.4, Valders, Mani-

towoc and Sheboygan all at 0.2, Plymouth at 0, Mishicot with a -0.2 and Elkhart Lake at -2.6.

Several improvements in ACT prep were implemented in the 2021-22 school year that helped improve scores. More Raider time was focused on ACT prep programs and pre-tests. Teachers embraced including ACT standards in their classes. There was a change in the culture of the test in the school and how students and parents embraced the ACT test.

The ACT scores have been a major talking point in the community and

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