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5-27-11 top ten consumer complaints

For the eighth year in a row no call violations top the list of consumer complaints to the Wisconsin Department of Ag, Trade and Consumer Protection. Consumer Protection Administrator, Sandy Chalmers, says consumers filed more than 22 hundred telemarketing complaints in 2010. Chalmers says landlord-tenant issues took second place on the complaint list with nearly 1700 written complaints. Telecommunications retained the number three position on the list. Home improvement issues moved up one spot from 2009 to the fourth most common complaint in 2010. Issues with satellite dish services came in at number five on the list. Rounding out the top 10 are motor vehicle sales, motor vehicle repair, travel-tourism complaints, mail order sales and collection agency complaints.

5-27-11 bail modification denied for saint cloud man involved in swat team call

A Fond du lac judge has denied a request to lower bail for a Saint Cloud man involved in a Fond du lac County Sheriff's Department SWAT call last month. Twenty one year old Adam Boeder remains in the Fond du lac County Jail on \$25,000 cash bail. Boeder was earlier bound over for trial on charges of first degree reckless endangerment and disorderly conduct. Boeder was arrested April 5th after sheriff's deputies responded to a report of an armed man in the Wolf Lake area who was described as suicidal and also threatened to kill his mother and uncle. Sheriff's Chief Deputy, Mark Strand, says officers searched on foot and in the dark eventually capturing Boeder as he walked out of a swamp area and onto a road.

5-27-11 waupun woman bound over for trial on child sex assault charges

A 20 year old Waupun woman accused of having sex with a teenage boy has been bound over for trial. Probable cause was found at a preliminary hearing Thursday in Fond du Lac County Circuit Court for Carol Coonfield on charges of sexual assault of a child. Coonfield is also charged in Dodge County Circuit Court with sexual assault of a child.

5-27-11 waupun prison inmate pleads not guilty to damaging waupun hospital

A Waupun Correctional Institution inmate accused of causing tens of thousands of dollars worth of damage at a hospital has pleaded not guilty to charges against him. 24 year old Arthur Hill entered the plea at an arraignment hearing yesterday in Dodge County Circuit Court. Hill is charged with felony criminal damage to property. He's accused of causing 43 thousand dollars worth of damage at Waupun Memorial Hospital after intentionally damaging the sprinkler system in the secure ward of the hospital. The intensive care unit directly below Hill's room was also damaged. Hill is due back in court in June for a scheduling conference.

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5-27-11 horicon teen charged in home invasion attack

A 17 year old Horicon man has been charged with the home invasion and stabbing of a Horicon woman that happened over the weekend. Cory Frederiksen made his initial Dodge County Circuit Court appearance this week on charges of attempted first degree intentional homicide, armed burglary with a dangerous weapon, and substantial battery. Cash bond was set at 250 thousand dollars. Frederiksen is accused of entering the home of Candia Rehse and attacking and stabbing her. Horicon Police Lieutenant Adrian Bump says after returning home in the early hours of Sunday, Rehse was attacked by Frederiksen as she entered her home. Bump says Frederiksen was armed with a knife and was already in the home waiting for the victim to enter the residence. Rehse sustained serious injuries to her head, arms, and hands and was transported by helicopter to UW Hospital in Madison. A preliminary hearing has been scheduled for June 2nd.

5-27-11 bill to pay down state debt passes committee

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — A proposal backed by Governor Scott Walker to pay down some of Wisconsin's debt has passed the Legislature's budget committee Thursday. Walker and Republican lawmakers want to tap some of the \$636 million expected to come into the state through tax collections exceeding earlier projections. Democrats want to use the tax receipts to restore budget cuts to education.

5-27-11 judge voids wisconsin collective bargaining law

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — A Wisconsin judge has struck down a law taking away nearly all collective bargaining rights from most state workers. Dane County Circuit Judge Maryann Sumi ruled Thursday that Republican legislators violated Wisconsin's open meetings law during the run up to passage. She says that renders the law void. The law pushed by Gov. Scott Walker takes away all bargaining rights except over base salary for teachers and other public workers. The decision is not the end of the legal fight. The state Supreme Court has scheduled arguments for June 6 to determine whether it will take the same case. Lawmakers could also pass the law again in order to nullify open meeting concerns that led to the judge's ruling Thursday.

5-27-11 new principal at saint mary's springs academy

The associate principal at New Holstein High School has been tabbed as the new principal at Saint Mary's Springs Academy in Fond du Lac. Doug Olig will begin his new duties July first. Olig has been the associate principal at New Holstein High School for the past five years and before that spent 17 years teaching at Saint Lawrence Seminary. Olig is a Marian University graduate.

5-27-11 wfdl, wtcx are wba award winners!

WFDL and WTCX captured 13 awards at the recent Wisconsin Association of Broadcasters Awards for Excellence Gala in Madison. The program is sponsored annually by the WBA to recognize outstanding achievement by Wisconsin broadcasters. The Sunny 97.7 WFDL morning show team of Nick Rusch and Heather Robins took home 3rd place for **Best Morning Show**. WFDL FM also received two awards in the **Significant Community Impact** category for the Relay for Life cancer fundraiser. Golden throat veteran WTCX announcer Gregg Owens captured first place for **Best Commercial** with the "Bob's 151 Wheel of Misfortune" commercial. Owens also won awards for **Best On-Site Broadcast Remote**... "Master Spas Wet Test" and **Most Entertaining Client Commercial**... "Its Cold." Owens is also a past winner in the **Best Morning Show** category. WFDL AM 1170 received awards for **Best Sports Play by Play**... the "Randolph Football Playoffs" and **Significant Community Impact**... "Cut the Calories, Count the Cash." WFDL news director, Greg Stensland, won first place in the **Best Continuing Coverage** category for his coverage of a Fond du lac woman who tried unsuccessfully to have several books removed from a middle school library. Stensland also received awards in **Hard News** for his coverage of a Fond du lac police officer and firefighter involved in a hit and run and attempted cover-up of the incident, **Spot News**... for the Last Stop Bar and Lanes arson fire, **News Writing**... for a feature story on a local woman in Haiti during the massive earthquake, and **Live On The Scene Reporting**, for his coverage of a house fire. Stensland and Owens also took home first place for their **Information Block Morning News** on WTCX. The WBA competition was established to encourage the highest standards of reporting, community service and production creativity.

5-27-11 wfdl news wins big at associated press awards banquet

Sunny 97.7 WFDL news has won more awards this year for excellence in broadcast journalism than any other radio station in the state. News Director, Greg Stensland, received eight first place awards at the Wisconsin Associated Press Broadcast Journalism Excellence Awards Banquet. The awards dinner was held this month at Lambeau Field in Green Bay. For the fourth year in a row Stensland took home first place for **Best Newscast**. Stensland also received first place in the **Hard News** category for his coverage of the Fond du Lac police officer and firefighter involved in a hit and run crash and subsequent cover up. Stensland received first place for **Spot News** for his stories on the fire that destroyed a Fond du Lac bowling alley, first place in the **Best Enterprise Reporting** category for his investigative reporting of the Fond du Lac police officer accused of using excessive force on a handcuffed prisoner, first place for **Best Continuing Coverage** for overall coverage of the Fond du Lac Management Information Systems embezzlement scandal, first place in **Best Series Reporting** for a Sunny 97.7 series on drunken driving, first place for **Best Feature** for a story on the Iraq war, and first place for **Best Audio** for a feature story on grease fires. Over the years Stensland has received more than 80 awards from the AP and Wisconsin Broadcasters Association, plus numerous local awards.

5-27-11 wmh emergency entrance

As the City of Waupun completes Jefferson Street reconstruction work, individuals and families traveling to the Waupun Memorial Hospital (WMH) Emergency Department from Main Street to Beaver Dam Street will instead need to travel on Elm Avenue to West Brown Street to Beaver Dam Street. The reconstruction is forcing the closing - tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, May 24 (previously set for Monday, April 18) for two to three days - of the WMH Emergency Department driveway from Main Street. Access to the two Fond du Lac Regional Clinic offices on Beaver Dam Street and Waupun Area Dialysis Center will remain open from Main Street. "We are working with city officials to make this time of transition as easy as possible for those patients and families that we serve in our Emergency department," says DeAnn Thurmer, WMH chief operating officer. "We appreciate everyone's cooperation and patience during this brief time. We will have good signage to help direct individuals to our life-saving emergency services."

5-27-11 fdl county sheriff's department law of the month

Does tailgating force the driver in front of you to speed up or get out of your way? No, tailgating typically

won't get you where you're going any sooner, but it will increase your risk of a crash. Drivers who tailgate cause countless crashes—from fender benders to fatal collisions—that could be avoided if they would just leave sufficient space between their vehicle and the one ahead of them. It doesn't matter if you're driving on a busy highway or a city street, if the vehicle in front of you stops unexpectedly, you're likely to crash unless you leave enough room to stop completely. You should also slowdown to leave sufficient space when approaching stop lights, intersections, and when changing lanes. To avoid rear-end crashes, you should anticipate potentially hazardous situations, like traffic slowdowns in work zones, that could cause the driver in front of you to stop suddenly. According to state law, drivers "shall not follow another vehicle more closely than is reasonable and prudent" based on the speed of the vehicle, road conditions, and traffic. A violation of the law costs \$200.50 along with three demerit points. In addition, car insurance premiums often will skyrocket for drivers who hit another vehicle while following too closely. During the upcoming summer travel season when traffic increases, it's extremely important to always wear a safety belt just in case you're rear ended by a tailgater. Taking a few seconds to ensure that you and your passengers are buckled up may be the best decision you'll ever make.

Drive Safely,
Sheriff Mick Fink

5-27-11 walleye weekend kickoff

Walleye Weekend is just around the corner and this year, the weekend starts on Thursday! Kick off a great weekend with a show from Oil Can Harry from 6:30-9:30 on Thursday, June 9. "We're really excited that the City of Fond du Lac has given us the opportunity to open on Thursday for Walleye Weekend this year," said Alexander Ullenberg, President of the Fond du Lac Festivals Board of Directors. "For those of us who work on the weekends, Thursday gives us a sampling of what the festival has to offer." Noon Kiwanis and Lakeside Evening Kiwanis concession tents will be open to serve up food and beverage for guests, so make sure to stop over and get a fish sandwich, brat or hamburger! As always, at Walleye Weekend a wristband must be worn to consume alcohol. Proceeds from the wristband booths and concession tents all benefit non-profit organizations within the community. All other activities and stages will open on Friday at 3 p.m. just like in the past. For a complete line up of all bands and events, visit iwalleyeweekend.com. Walleye Weekend is June 9, 10, 11 and 12 at Lakeside Park in Fond du Lac. Admission is free to the public, and all proceeds from this event go to benefit almost 200 non-profit organizations. Walleye Weekend is sponsored by Mercury Marine, Charter Communications, Dr. Pepper Snapple Group, Miller Lite and Michels Corporation.



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