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Jonathan Carver Parkway Improvements

The county of Carver has initiated the plan design for the tentative plans to begin work relating to the Jonathan Carver Parkway improvements. The project team from WSB (Project Engineer) will include Katie Westphal, Jon Chiglo and Scott Smith from the county representation. Overall updates of the project will be provided along with presentational potential strategies for construction staging. City costs will be associated with project based on the county's cost share policy. The council will potentially be reviewing cost estimates in spring. Bonds will be utilized to fund the project.

The council was updated that a variety of permanent and temporary easements, along with right-of-way were necessary in conjunction with the improvement project for 2021. A representative from the Carver County Highway Department would be attending a future meeting to answer questions involving the process for acquisitions.

Information was related to the council that the improvement project is tentatively anticipated to begin in the spring of 2021. The council was given an overall project update and potential strategies for construction staging. An Open House is tentatively scheduled for March 18th starting at 6:30 PM until 8 PM at the Carver Elementary School.

Long Term Financial Plan

The city manager at a work session with the city council presented an overview of the drafted Long-Term Financial Plan. The goal includes creating an opportunity for discussion and prioritization for future capital and operational needs. The provision of anticipated impacts to property taxes and user rates/charges based on planned those future needs. As well as, develop strategies and alternatives to meet infrastructure needs that create financial hardships. The document does not provide approval for specific projects. Individual projects would be and will be reviewed on an individual basis at future meetings.

2020 Legislative Priorities

The city manager at a work session discussed and presented an overview of the 2020 Legislative Priorities presented. Adoption of this issue would occur in the future at a meeting.

The council resumed discussions regarding the legislative priorities for the city. The city reviewed and discussed the topic of adopting the priorities. Annually the legislative priorities impending legislative sessions has been conducted by the city council. Upon adoption of the priorities they are then forwarded to Representative Jim Nash and Senator Scott Jensen. Those priorities included funding for flood protection infrastructure - bonding bill; funding for US Highway 212; fees for services; support of opt-out-transit systems; funding resources for streets; infrastructure fees; publication requirements; special assessment election requirements; and Hometown Heroes Assistance Program. A more detailed, informative recount can be found on the city's website, under council packets for February 3rd regular meeting caption and then scrolling down to 'Adopt the 2020 Legislative Priorities'.

Carver Black Sox

Carver Black Sox are all preparing eagerly for an upcoming Black Sox Bingo fundraiser event at the Village Hall in downtown Carver. Watch for more details forthcoming. They plan on an April event.



Miscellaneous

The city manager presented an item to the council involving the rental capacity of the Village Hall. The capacity is one hundred and fifty. The Fire Marshall, Ryan Gill will attend a future meeting with the council to discuss occupancy related items and answer any other questions. The Fire Chief, Cally Trimbo and Fire Marshall, Ryan Gill attended a work session is meeting to discuss occupancy determination for the Village Hall space. The topic of occupancy calculations was reviewed.

Concerns were brought to the council's attention regarding heat in the Village Hall. Currently the heating not functioning as it was intended. The city manager is working with the architects, engineers and construction firm to resolve the issue.

The council also discussed the issue of the Village Hall décor. Discussions were held regarding pictures and décor. Photos would be added to the city's website. Recommended policy changes would be researched relating to décor management.

The mayor made the council aware of receipt of a request for water storage initiative. Request was presented involving communities along the river to sign an endorsement letter to request funds from the state. Question was issued whether or not to have the individual who made the request attend a future meeting. The general consensus at that point was other priorities took precedence. Suggestion was submitted to contact the League of MN Cities with the request.

An additional request presented from a school district teacher was briefly discussed. The Chaska Middle School West Social Studies teacher was interested in a council member speaking for Local Government Day in class.

Community Development Hgency

The Community Development Agency requested the city partner with them involving the grant application for the potential project at Carver Crossing. This would be their second apartment building. The city is asked to formally submit an application supporting their project. A resolution would be presented for consideration. The city attorney requested to review the application.

The Community Development Director spoke with the council regarding the request to partner with the Community Development Agency. The council reviewed and discussed the adoption of the resolution to approve the application for funding from the Community Development Agency on the Community Growth Partnership Initiative Grant application. The agency has been actively working on the construction of an additional apartment building adjacent to Carver Crossing. Determination had been made to accommodate a second building with up to one hundred that three units. Previous support from the council had not only reviewed the Concept Plan but supported a grant application for the project. A funding gap has not allowed for a formal application for the preliminary or final plats. Alternative funding opportunities were being explored by the agency previously.



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Franchise Fees and Street Maintenance

The city manager recapped previous discussions relating to the Franchise Fees and Street Maintenance topic discussed by the council. The council had adopted a work plant to study and pursue resident engagement on funding future street maintenance. Included in that pursuit was identifying whether or not to review the use of franchise fees as a potential funding tool. Then the council held a meeting involving the use of those fees. Then a technical explanation was presented to the council regarding franchise ordinance and fee processes from the city attorney. The council held the option of consideration. Additionally, residents would be given the opportunity to submit input. Decision was reached that moving forward the council would implement a franchise ordinance involving cable television services as required by statute.

Fast forwarding; according to several postings involving the City of Carver and the issue related to the Franchise Fees reports have stated that the city council said 'no' to the franchise fees. The discussion had been held for approximately two months, along with resident inputs. The city council rejected unanimously to rule out a funding source from franchise fees for future street maintenance. The related fees were a means of collecting funds from utility companies utilizing rights-of-way. Reviewing project scheduling, future state aid, budget management, taxes and other alternatives will be pursued to successfully complete future street maintenance projects within the city. It was also reported by other sources that the city will be moving forward with franchise agreements without any fees with cable providers. Comcast and Jaguar Communications require agreements, without any fees included in order to fulfill a telecommunications requirement with the State of Minnesota.

The city reviewed the topic of scheduling a public hearing for the franchise agreement for cable television providers. Council consensus was also that it would be more prudent to fund future street maintenance by the use of property taxes. Motion was made and carried with al ayes to schedule the Public Hearing, publish the notice involving the franchises for cable for April 6th.

Community Survey

The city manager drafted a 2020 Community Survey for the council to submit further feedback and direction on the number and type of questions sought, along with a project budget. The survey corresponded with the council's identifications of an initiative within the current Strategic Plan. The council had received previously a templated proposal from the Morris Leatherman Company. The financial impact was discussed by the council to conduct the survey. Those costs were discussed.

Carver Lions

Facebook posting: "The Carver Lions Club would like to thank each and every person who came out to support the 11th Annual Soggy Bottom Fundraiser. And thank you to everyone who donated their time, money, supplies and equipment to help make this a success. Watching a community rally together to support others in need is truly aweinspiring. None of this is possible without YOU.



From the bottom of all of our hearts, we thank you. - Lion Kristy Mock"

Other related comments abound include that the turnout was great, the weather was fantastic and that the attendance was doubled, not to mention that the fundraising efforts had quadrupled. Everyone is thanked for attending and contributing by the city council and of course, all those amazing Lions who made it possible. "Ordinary people doing amazing things."

Be sure to watch for upcoming details regarding the Easter Egg Hunt in April and the Pork Chop Dinner all upcoming in April. Interested in participating or being part of the fun, go to one of their meetings. They meet the first and third Wednesday of each month. You really don't know all the fun you are missing out on?

Cuzzy's Brick House Meat Raffle celebrating 10 years; March 15th at 1 PM to 3 PM, win \$ 15 - \$25 Packages, or 3 \$ 110 Big Packages. Sponsored by the Carver Lions.

Remember, also, the Brad Bramigk Memorial Scholarship Fund applications are due March 10. The Carver Lions support a wide variety of local, national and international causes, including the support of educational excellence. For more info and to apply: https://www.carverlions.org/scholarshipcarverlions.org

Baker Tilly

Submitted by Christy Leintz

Accounting and advisory firm Baker Tilly Virchow Krause, LLP (Baker Tilly) announced Adam Goehring has joined the firm as a tax partner. In this role, Goehring will work with businesses in the areas of tax planning, mergers and acquisitions consulting, business succession planning and family wealth transfer planning.



As one of only 20 Certified Exit Planning Advisors in Minnesota, Goehring works with family owned businesses to integrate exit strategies into their business, personal and financial goals.

"With the increase of businesses transitioning ownership, Adam's understanding of the complexities involved in the process will bring immense value to our clients," Jeffrey DeYoung, Minneapolis managing partner said.

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South West Metro Chamber of Commerce

The SouthWest Metro Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce that they are having a Member

Event with Community Fun at the Chaska Event Center, "Chaska Community Market". At the Chaska Community Market, you will discover local vendors of food, health and wellness, and handmade art. There will also be live music and activities. Invited to join in on the community fun on Sunday, March 15th starting at 10 AM until 2 PM at the Chaska Event Center, located at 3210 Chaska Boulevard, Chaska MN.

Carver Current

Looking for what is going on locally? Check out <u>www.carvercurrent.</u> Well worth checking. An excellent source of information of city updates, local organization events, local news, school activities, sports results etc. Also, a great site for sharing important information and events affecting local residents. The newsletter, the "Villager Tower" can also be found on this website, among other valuable information. © RYS Creations 2020



Chaska Valley Family Theatre Submitted by" Chaska Valley

Submitted by" Chaska Valley Family Theatre NEW MUSICAL ASKS WHICH WOULD YOU CHOOSE: LIFE, DEATH, OR IMMORTALITY? Chaska Valley Family Theater presents sweet and touching "Tuck Everlasting"— Mar. 13-22 What... if you could live forever?



Chaska Valley Family Theater presents *Tuck Everlasting*, the Broadway musical that explores what it means to choose an immortal life over a meaningful one. Based on the classic YA novel by award-winning author Natalie Babbitt, *Tuck Everlasting* is set at the turn of the 20th century and features gorgeous and fun Americana-inspired music, costumes and dance in a sweet – and literally timeless – story for the whole family, that <u>The New York Times</u> called "a warm-spirited and piercingly touching musical."

When young Winnie Foster runs away from her quiet, protected life, she meets the mysterious Tuck family living in the woods behind her home, and discovers they have a secret - *the* secret to eternal life.

Why: This Broadway musical revisits the beloved story of the irrepressible Winnie Foster, the immortal Tucks, the dangerous Man in the Yellow Suit and two small-town sleuths hot on everyone's tail — with the addition of fantastic songs and beautiful choreography. This enchanting, funny and moving story connects with audiences of all ages. (And adults should not forget their tissues.)

Who: Chaska Valley Family Theatre has provided opportunities for families to experience theater together — both on and off the stage for 24 years. Director and choreographer Hannah Weinberg-Goerger has assembled a cast of local professional actors including Zachary Hedner, Mabel Weismann, Cody Olson and Derrick Taylor-White as well as a live orchestra.

When and Where: Chaska Community Center (1661 Park Ridge Drive, Chaska MN 55318). March 13-22, 2020. The show runs weekend matinees at 2:00 pm on Saturdays and Sundays, and 7:00 pm evening shows on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Adult tickets are \$20.00 and Student/Senior tickets are \$15.00. Wednesday, March 18th features special Forever Young pricing, where all tickets are available at the student price. Tickets are currently on sale and can be purchased online at www.cvft.org.

______ Iris Valley

If you haven't heard, the Iris Valley Boutique and Gifts in Jordan will be closing shop. By the end of March Iris Valley will become part of history. Kathy is having a huge sale that she has identified as a Reduction Sale until the end of March.



Currently, you will find 30 % off everything storewide, plus 60 % Off Fall and Christmas décor, sandals will be 60 % off, Jewelry is 30 % to 50 % off and clothing is 40 % to 80 %. It has been a pleasure for the Villager Tower to have gotten to know Kathy and all her fineries in the store. Be sure to stop in and say 'goodbye'. Lot of luck in the future Kathy!

St Nicholas Catholic Church

Lenten Holy Week schedule at St. Nicholas: Holy Thursday (4/9) - 7 PM in Spanish Good Friday (4/10) - 3 PM in English Easter Vigil (4/11) - 8 PM in Spanish Easter Sunday (4/12) - 9:15 AM in English Ongoing weekend Mass times: Saturday, 4:00 PM Sunday, 9:15 AM



Check www.stnicholascarver.org for updates and announcements.

Open Sym

Remember there is Free Open Gym on Sundays at 2 PM and you can play until 5 PM. Available through April 19th, except on Sunday April 12th (Easter Sunday). Please bring you own basketball and equipment. If you are under ten you must bring an adult too. Looking forward to meeting new friends and having fun then be sure to head over to the school Sunday afternoon.

East Union Lutheran Church

Lenten services for East Union Lutheran Church will be holding their traditional worship in the Sanctuary for Ash Wednesday at noon and 7 PM. "Wednesdays Marth 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th and April 1st will all be the dinner church format. I hope you will join in the fun and growth, Pastor."

April is busy with an Easter Egg Hunt on April 5th followed by worship. Be sure to remember to bring your own baskets for the event. April 9th is the celebration of Maundy Thursday Worship at 7 PM and of course followed by Good Friday Worship, also at 7 PM. April 12th is the Lenten finale with Easter Sunday with the Lord and worship at not only 7 AM for all the early risers, but for the late risers, you can still spend time with your fellow parishioners at 9 AM.



West Union Lutheran Church

West Union Lutheran Church's Lenten Worship will celebrate 6 PM Fellowship and 7 PM Worship. Lenten services will be held March 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th and April 1st.

West Union is also preparing and getting ready for their April festivities. Prefer the get to know your neighbors over at West Union, they will be

hosting an Easter Egg Hunt on Sunday, April 5th, as well. Only over at West Union church not only is their worship, but they are also hosting their Youth Pancake Breakfast on Palm Sunday starting at 8 Am and serving until noon. So besides watching the little people have fun, you can fill the tummy with pancakes, sausage and a beverage. Maundy Thursday services on the 9th of April at 7 PM. Good Friday worship (Reader Theater) on the tenth of April at 7 PM. Easter Service over at West Union Church will be held at 9 AM.

Now, if you haven't had enough excitement be sure to come on over on Sunday, April 26th at 10 AM featuring the Jolly Ramblers for their Polka Worship followed by their Turkey Dinner fundraiser from 11 AM to 1 PM with all the fixins' and a Silent Auction and Quilt Drawing.

Dahlgreen Golf Course

Spring is about to descend upon us not a moment too soon. Getting your clubs out of winter storage? Getting them ready? Itching to get out on that luscious green grass to hit those white circles and feel the thrill? Now is the time to get yourself psyched up.



The Dahlgreen Golf Club is not only busy preparing but looking forward to another exciting season and meeting old acquaintances and making many more new ones. Be sure to check out their website at www.dahlgreen.com or just stop on out and have a delicious meal at Stick's Tavern. Guaranteed you can't go wrong. Check out what they all have to offer for theirs and your upcoming

"Welcome to Dahlgreen Golf Club.

season.

Located in the rolling hills of Carver County, Dahlgreen Golf Club has been a Twin City favorite for golfers for the past half century. This championship golf course is set in the southwest metropolitan area where nature still exists and family farms still surround Dahlgreen, which was built on a one time farm. Rolling hills and large trees seclude fairways and greens from other holes giving you the feeling you're alone on your own private course. The putting greens at Dahlgreen are constantly rated as some of THE BEST greens in the metro area and state. Dahlgreen Golf Club is a semiprivate facility offering great membership packages as well as great daily fee pricing. With four sets of tees, and stretching from 5100-6700 yards, Dahlgreen Golf Club is an enjoyable opportunity or challenge for everyone. We invite you to experience a Minnesota golf favorite!"

Above is some of the information you will find on the course's website. Check for more about tournaments and outings, leagues and lessons, the Pro Shop, restaurant and how to contact them.

"I am in competition with no one. I have no desire to play the game of being better than anyone. I am simply trying to be better than the person I was yesterday."

~ unknown

Carver Shops

Occasional Shop dates for March 10th throught the 22nd. April dates are the 23rd through the 26th. Many shops open Wednesday through Sunday for your shopping pleasure. Perfect opportunity to locate that treasure you didn't know you wanted or needed! And don't forget you might find that perfect gift for your friends and relatives here for whatever occasion or reason.

The Shops of Carver:

All Things Fabulous - Facebook Wed-Sat 10 AM - 5 PM/Occasional Shop Dates Sun 11 - 4 PM **Carver General – Facebook - Occasional Shop Dates** Fourfold Studios - Website Mon – Thurs 9 AM – 4 PM Ripple Art Studio & Gallery - www.rippleartstudio.com Ripple Art Studio & Gallery - FB Strange Birds - facebook.com/strangebirdsmn/Website / Saturday 10 AM – 5 PM The Good Junk Garage - Facebook 204 Studio - photography - Website SomeWhat Crafty - Facebook **Temperance Arts &t Gifts - Facebook** Also: Iris Valley/Jordan - Website and Facebook



Carver Community Youth Baseball / Softball Association



Submitted by: Greg Riggs Carver 2020 T-Ball, Baseball and Softball Carver Community Youth Baseball/Softball Association is proud to offer a number of playing options for boys and girls!

• T-Ball - ages 3, 4, and 5 year old's in a Co-Ed format league (registration closes 4/26/20)

• Community Baseball - Boys Kindergarten thru High School (registration closes 4/5/20)

• Community Softball - Girls Kindergarten thru High School (registration closes 4/5/20)

Unknown

CCYBSA's programs are open to all surrounding communities to play

To see all of the programs CCYBSA has to offer and to register, please use the following link to the CCYBSA Home Page: https://ccybsa.sportssignup.com/site/

Registering early for the program of your choice will help the association to better plan for uniforms, coaches, field use, and equipment needs.

You can always refer to the City of Carver's website under the Community Activities section and then the Athletic tab for more information

If there are any questions, please let us know at <u>ccvbsa.reg@gmail.com</u> - someone will reply within 24Hrs Looking forward to receiving your registration!

Be sure to thank Jane Thon, Lisa Collins and Jennifer Joecks for all their hard work over the previous years. Each will be support staff for the upcoming year. Jane has stepped back from the responsibilities of the CCYBSA. Thanks Jane and everyone else. Welcome aboard Greg!

Chaska Community Center

At the Chaska Community Center they are planning for an Out of This World Carnival on March 6th from 5:30 PM until 7:30 PM. This is a free family event by the way! You are invited to this special event. They are blasting-off into a new spring season. They plan on playing all your favorite carnival games, eat a snack and jump in an inflatable jumper. All ages are welcome. Maybe one should go check it out?



Then there is the Spring Break Activities that the Community Center is all prepared to help you vacation in Chaska. That's right, you guessed it, the center has all kinds of activities and adventures cooked up for the week of March 23rd through the 25th for spring break activities. There will be skates and floats, swimming, mystery mega movie and way cool cooking school.

Carver Business Alliance

"The Carver Business Alliance is a collaboration of business owners, community leaders, and local officials working together to promote, enhance, and create opportunities for commerce in the City of Carver. Business roundtable discussions are held and City of Carver updates are provided at each meeting."

They meet every third Friday of the month at 8 AM at the Carver Village Hall. Anyone owning a business in Carver is welcome. The next scheduled meetings is Marh 20th.

"There's a difference between giving up and knowing when you have had enough."

"Hope is being able to see that there is light Despite all of the darkness," ~ Desmond Tuta

Community Highlights March 2020

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March 1 st	Happy Birthday Annette!
March 2 nd	Council Meeting
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	Happy Birthday Cindy!
	Happy Birthday Hannah!
March 3rd	Primary Elections
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Manah th	Happy Birthday Taffney!
March 4 th	Happy Birthday Addie!
March 5 th	Happy Birthday Karen!
	Happy Birthday Bob!
March 6 th	No School
	Happy Birthday Max!
	Happy Birthday Cheryl!
	Employee Appreciation Day
March 7 th	Happy Birthday Brittany!
	Happy 1 st Birthday Owen!
March 8 th	Daylight Savings Begins
	International Woman's Day
March 9 th	Carver Elementary PTO Meeting 9 AM
	Parks Commission Meeting
	Dahlgren Township Board Meeting
	East Union PTO Meeting 4:30 PM
	International Napping Day
March 10 th	Heritage Preservation Commission Meeting
March 10	Dahlgren Township Board Annual Meeting
	Meet and Greet
	Happy Birthday Sandy!
March 13 th	Happy Birthday Andrea!
march 15	Happy Birthday Alex!
March 15 th	Chaska Community Market
March 16 th	Council Meeting
liuren 10	School Board Meeting
March 17 th	St Patrick's Day
March 18th	Open House – Jonathan Carver Parkway
murch io	Improvements
March 19 th	Planning Commission Meeting
march 19	Happy Birthday Rilee!
	First Day of Spring
March 20th	Carver Business Alliance
March 23 rd	Happy Birthday Jacob!
March 23 rd	through March 27 th Spring Break – No
march 25	School
March 24 th	Happy Birthday Keith!
March 25 th	Happy Birthday Charlie!
March 26 th	Happy Birthday Beth!
March 20	Happy Birthday James!
March 27 th	Happy Birthday Laurie!
March 28 th	Happy Birthday Cheryl!
March 29 th	Happy Birthday Lisa!
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	Vietnam War Veterans Day
March 30th	Happy Birthday Paul!
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Or Perhaps this One has that pot Of gold?



Where is your pot of gold?



"Art is not a study of positive reality It is the seeking for ideal truth"

~ John Ruskin

Where's ye pot of gold from this leprechaun??????

A real man never

hurts a woman. Be very careful when you make a woman cry. Because God counts her tears. The woman came out of man's rib. Not from his feet to be walked on. Not from his head to be superior. But from his side to be equal. Under the arm to be protected. And next to the heart to be loved.

TheLife

Polka Worship 10a Turkey Dinner 11-1

When: April 26th

MENU

- Turkey
- Mashed potatoes
- Stuffing
- . Gravy
- . Corn
- Coleslaw
- Pie
 - *Carry-outs available*

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Night Marauders - Red Bench Bakery - Pursuits Continued

Much to the marauders surprise when they arrived at the Red Bench Bakery in the early hours before dawn that their intruding presence would be interrupted by the chef himself opening to begin his daily routine. Territory had seriously miscalculated their timing on this outing.

Territory, Raschevious, Rascal and Bandeet under the cover of the darkness had made their way east of Carver through the trail system over to Chaska. Carefully they meandered their way from the levee at the athletic field through yards, across streets, dodging moving vehicles skillfully until they reached their destination in the northern part of downtown on Chestnut Street. They stopped for a drink and a short rest at the city hall fountain kiddy corner from their final destination.

They quickly and quietly slipped inside the Red Bench Bakery. It took a few moments for their eyes to adjust to the darkness within. The seating area was to their left as they'd entered through the door from Fifth Street. Almost directly in front of them was a cozy fireplace. To their right was more seating along the wall and the display counter with all of the delicacies, menu, bread etc being offered.

"Sure, is inviting eh?" Raschevious commented feeling right at home.

"Smells yummy too." Rascal took a deep breath to caressing the scents as they entered his nose.

Bandeet pointed her nose upwards to smell deeply too.

Territory was uneasy for some unknown reason, his sixth sense warning his subconscious.

Just as the quartet began to canvas the kitchen baking area, Territory heard a click of a lock being unlocked. They all scattered quickly hiding under cover as the chef entered, relocking the door behind him. None of them made a sound, barely even breathing as they heard light switches clicking and the lights began to brighten the darkness that would inevitably disclose their presence. Each slipped unnoticed back into the dining area carefully. They could hear the clanging of bowls, as the baker prepared to create his majestic delicacies.

"Can you smell that?" Rascal whispered.

The other three nodded.

"Makes me hungry." Raschevious stated rubbing his stomach as it began to rumble. "We better go." Territory announced.

Rascal grabbed a cookie off the counter as they slipped out the east door quietly. Territory caught a side glance of the cookie sticking out of Rascal's mouth, furiously he hissed, "You know better!"

"No one will miss one cookie." Rascal defended himself weakly.

"We touch NOTHING!" Territory shouted louder than he intended absolutely beside himself. Their skirmish was so loud outside that the chef came to see what all the fuss and racket outside was about. Spotting the four raccoons outside his door was most unexpected, grabbing a broom and began swatting at the quartet hollering as he swatted, deliberately missing actual contact of them, "Get out of here you varmints!"

The four scattered in different directions swiftly out of reach and out of sight.

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With the unexpected appearance of the human the whole stealing of the cookie was ended and lost in the whole process of escaping. However, Territory was still so angry with Rascal that it had been four days and he still was not speaking to the scoundrel. No one dared defend the culprit either. Rascal had broken the number one rule. Never, ever take anything or make any kind of mess. They all knew he would be banned from future venues for quite some time. Even Rascal knew and stayed out of sight of everyone feeling very ashamed for giving into his weakness. He didn't have the heart to face Territory. The whole episode was also interfering with Territory's ability to complete his review, as well. When he finally made his decision to ban Rascal from future trips, was he able to finally concentrate. Territory retreated to his favorite hideout and began to script his thoughts,

"The Red Bench Bakery is a family owned café specializing in 'classic American and French pastries, breads and other sweet treats'. Also offering artisanal sandwiches. Andy, Kjirsten and Andrew spend much of their time at the historical building that housed the bakery industry from 1884 to 2009 in Chaska at 500 North Chestnut Street. Andy has over twenty years' experience at managing kitchens and bakeries for various types of businesses. Meanwhile the whole time constantly dreaming of his own bakery. That dream became a reality on December 26th, 2017 after a lot of planning, work, renovating, preparing and then the opening of the Red Bench Bakery. Andy has a passion for baking. "if you can succeed in Chaska, you can succeed anywhere, "Andy told someone. To Andy it's that love and passion that his philosophy is breaking bread with his customers. His baking abilities are as passionate as his philosophy. He believes not only in the physical action but also the sharing of the nourishment of baking and living coinciding. Andy also believes that bakery items are not bad for a person, it's like everything else in life, moderation is the key. Baked goods are good for you, just not in excess. Andy's ultimate goals are several, success to share and care for not only the people he shares his passion with but also for his created products, well aware that his staff if the backbone to all of their successes never to underestimate their importance. Lesson learned young to treat others well, do what is right and good things will come around full circle. His lifetime goals are the success of his stores in the future. Andy has unlimited energy delivering his creations to others throughout the metro. Keeping busy is not only important but productive, he says. You will find varying flavors cookies, croissants, scones, muffins, Danish and cinnamon rolls to please your pallets. There are various lunch sandwiches to curb your hunger. Andy also bakes delicious breads including rye sourdough, olive bread, baguette, Red Bench Levain on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. On Thursdays and Fridays Autumn Rye is available, Garlic Asiago offered Thursdays through Saturdays and if you prefer Country Wheat, be sure to stop in on Saturdays and Sundays. He also serves various beverages. A definite stop one should not overlook. Making life even more interesting for the trio, there will be a Red Bench Bakery opening soon in Excelsior at 284 Water Street. What makes this establishment special is Andy says, "not out to make millions of dollars but do what I care about and take care of my employees and my family comfortably." Could that be the key to his success?"

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