
IN BRIEF

Waukesha Reads to host author Robert Root

WAUKESHA — The Waukesha Public Library, 321 Wisconsin Ave., will host a Waukesha Reads event that features author Robert Root on Oct. 24 at 6:30 p.m.

Root is the author of “Walking Home Ground: In the footsteps of Muir, Leopold and Derleth.” In the book Root speaks about learning Wisconsin by walking on the same terrain that the three writers had

traveled.

Books will be available for purchase and signing. Afterward guests can visit the Wisconsin Historical Society's traveling exhibit “Wisconsin's John Muir,” which will be on display at the library all month.

For more information, call 262-524-3682 or visit WaukeshaReads.org.

Local student receives scholarship

OCONOMOWOC — Tay-

lor Kot from Oconomowoc has been awarded a scholarship from BSU Alumni and Foundation at Bemidji State University.

Kot is a sophomore majoring in biology and pre-dentistry. Kot has received the Rhonda Syverson Levinski Memorial Scholarship.

The award is among the more than 900 scholarships with nearly \$1.2 million being distributed by the BSU Alumni and Foundation for the 2019-20 academic year.

BSU is located in northern Minnesota and occupies a wooded campus along the shore of Lake Bemidji.

With more than 5,000 students enrolled, BSU offers more than 80 undergraduate majors and 11 graduate degrees encompassing arts, sciences and select professional programs. BSU is a member of the Minnesota state system of colleges and universities.

For more information, visit www.bemidjistate.edu.