Knueppel Livestock sponsors eighth barn quilt

Knueppel Livestock and Order Buying, owned by Roger Knueppel and family, has sponsored its second barn quilt as part of the Shawano County barn quilt project. The quilt is on a barn at N5702 Oakcrest Drive, just off Highway 22 west of Cecil. The quilt pattern chosen by the Knueppels is a patriotic one called "Americana."

The Knueppels purchased the farms where the quilt is displayed in 1991 from Charles and Ione Reisner, who had owned the farm since 1946.

"I think anything we can do to entice people to come to our area is a positive thing," Roger Knueppel said, "and I really think this barn quilt project will play a big part in promoting and increasing tourism in our area."