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Farm Rescue volunteer Mike Melaas (left) and Maddock resident Greg Maddock stand near the Farm Rescue equipment.

By Sue Kraft

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Maddock slipped on the ice by his shop on March 2 and severed the quadriceps tendons, which work with the muscles in the front of the thigh to straighten the leg.

"My knee cap was on the side of my leg," Maddock said. "The doctor said I would have been better off breaking my leg -- or anything but this."

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Maddock required surgery and is currently wearing a leg brace until it heals. He said the doctor told him it would be six to 12 months until he was back to 100 percent.

As a busy guy, Maddock admits that having limited mobility can be frustrating.

"It's been hard," he said. "In March it hit the 70s for a few days and I couldn't do anything. I couldn't drive. I thought, 'Are you kidding me?'"

In addition to farming, Maddock also owns Maddock Sales and Rentals and drives bus for the Minnewaukan school. His wife, Marla, is a paraprofessional there.

He said the delayed spring was a blessing for his family.

"Thank God we had a little more winter and it pushed things back," he said, "it really helped me out."

Maddock said since his fall he has received support from everyone around him.

"I thank God for my family and my nephews who did my chores for the last two months," he said.

Maddock said his wife, brothers, nephews, sons-in-law and friends were all on hand to help when needed.

"It's very humbling," he said. "The neighbors stop by and say, 'Let us know if we can do anything.'"

Maddock said he feels blessed to live in a such a tight-knit, rural community.

"Whenever you need something in this town, everyone steps up, it's amazing," he said.

Maddock said they own 120 beef cows and 60 bison cows and had talked about selling them until Farm Rescue came along.

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